

Tips for buying a notebook computer

Major considered configurations	Main uses of a notebook computer				
	Desktop Replacement	Word-Processing	Media Production	High Performance	Light ²
CPU					
Core M		√			
Intel Core i3		√			
Intel Core i5	√				
Intel Core i7	√		√	√	
RAM					
4GB	√	√			
8GB	√		√	√	
Graphics Card					
Integrated/Onboard	√	√		√	
Dedicated	√		√	√	
Screen Size¹					
~ 11"		√		√	√
~ 13"		√		√	√
~ 14"		√		√	
~ 15"	√	√	√	√	
~ 17"	√				
Weight					
~ 1.2 KG					√
~ 1.5 KG					
~ 1.8 KG					
> 2.0 KG					
Touch					
Equipped ³					√
Not-equipped					

Notes:

¹ Screen resolution is quoted as width x height with units in pixels. Higher resolution (1920 x 1080 or above) you may consider for crisper picture.

² determine what screen size and weight to have is depending on how often you plan on carrying the notebook around with you

³ Equipped touch is the touch screen can be folded over in tablet mode

Remarks: All of the above suggested figures are for your reference only.