

Tablet PCs prove the pen is sometimes mightier for data input

Company	Product	Design	Installed processor, memory, hard drive	Primary interfaces	Features	Price as configured
Acer America San Jose, Calif. 408-432-6200 www.acer.com	TravelMate C110TCi Convertible Tablet PC	Convertible	900-MHz Centrino processor, 256M SDRAM, 40G hard drive	Two USB 2 ports, one FireWire port, built-in LAN, WiFi, modem and FIR ports, 100-pin port replicator slot	10.4-inch TFT display, external USB CD-ROM drive, external 1394 DVD/CD-RW combo drive, up to 2G RAM, optional docking station	\$2,299
Electrovaya Inc. Mississauga, Ontario 905-822-6573 www.electrovaya.com	Scribbler SC-500	Slate	800-MHz Pentium III-M D8 processor, 512M SODIMM, 30G hard drive	Two USB 2 ports, one FireWire port, PC Card, Compact Flash Card, built-in LAN, WiFi, modem ports	10.4-inch TFT display, integrated modem and NIC, Farstone Virtual Drive, Softthink PC Angel	\$2,699
First International Computer Inc. Fremont, Calif. 510-252-7777 www.fica.com	SlateVision Tablet PC	Slate	1GHz Transmeta Crusoe TM5800 processor, 128M SDRAM RAM, 20G hard drive	Two USB 1.1 ports, one FireWire port, PC Card, Compact Flash Card, optional WiFi port, PC Card slot	10.4-inch TFT display, optional keyboard, mouse, docking station, user-expandable RAM and HDD	\$1,385
Fujitsu PC Corp. Santa Clara, Calif. 408-982-9500 www.fujitsupc.com	Stylistic ST4120	Slate	933-MHz Pentium III-M processor, 256M SDRAM, 60G hard drive	Two USB 1.1 ports, one FireWire port, built-in LAN, modem, optional WiFi port, PC Card slot	10.4-inch TFT display, wireless keyboard receiver, optional Tablet Dock, various recording software bundles	\$2,199
Gateway Inc. Poway, Calif. 858-848-3401 www.gateway.com	Gateway Tablet PC Deluxe	Slate	933-MHz Pentium III-M processor, 256M SDRAM, 40G hard drive	Integrated LAN, modem, WiFi	12.1-inch TFT display, optional media drives	\$2,549
Hewlett-Packard Co. Palo Alto, Calif. 650-857-1501 www.hp.com	Compaq Tablet PC TC1000	Hybrid	1-GHz Transmeta Crusoe TM5800 processor, 256M SDRAM, 30G hard drive	Two USB 2 ports, PC Card slot, built-in LAN, modem, WiFi, Compaq Flash slot, external multibay connector	10.4-inch TFT display, Command Control buttons, user-upgradable RAM and hard drive, optional optical drives	\$1,699 up
Kontron Mobile Computing Eden Prairie, Minn. 888-343-5396 www.kontron.com	ReVolution	Convertible	1.06-GHz Pentium III-M processor, 128M SDRAM, 40G hard drive	Two USB 2 ports, built-in LAN, modem, WiFi, PC Card, Bluetooth, docking connector	Ruggedized magnesium chassis, 12.1-inch TFT display, CD-RW, DVD, DVD/CD-RW combo drive options, meets MIL STD 810F specs	\$5,095
Motion Computing Inc. Austin, Texas 512-637-1100 www.motioncomputing.com	Motion MI200 Tablet PC Performance Base	Slate	933-MHz Pentium III-M processor, 512M M-Series, 40G hard drive	Two USB 1.1 ports, one FireWire port, docking connector, built-in LAN, modem, WiFi connections	12.1-inch TFT display, DVD/CD-RW drive, optional FlexDock	\$2,519
NEC Solutions America Inc. Sacramento, Calif. 888-632-8701 www.neccomp.com	Versa LitePad	Slate	933-MHz Pentium III-M processor, 256M SDRAM, 20G hard drive	Three USB 2 ports, built-in LAN, modem, WiFi	10.4-inch TFT display, external CD-ROM drive, external USB keyboard and mouse, optional external USB floppy and CD-R/RW drives	\$2,350
PaceBlade Technology Santa Barbara, Calif. 805-895-6810 www.paceblade.biz	PaceBook Tablet PC	Convertible	867-MHz Transmeta Crusoe 5800 processor, 256M SDRAM, 20G hard drive	Two USB 2 ports, one FireWire port, modem, LAN	12.1 TFT display, optional optical drives, user-upgradable RAM and hard drive, optional digital camera	\$2,395
Panasonic Computer Services Co. Secaucus, N.J. 800-662-3537 www.panasonic.com	Toughbook CF18	Convertible	900-MHz Pentium III-M processor, 256M SDRAM, 40G hard drive	Two USB 2 ports, built-in LAN, modem, WiFi, PC Card	Ruggedized case, 10.4-inch TFT display, optional optical drives, optional CDMA 2000, GPRS wireless connections, optional Bluetooth, SmartCard, GPS	\$3,200
Research Machines Plc. Abingdon, Oxon, U.K. 08709 986969 www.rm.com	RMTTablet PC	Slate	733-MHz Mobile Celeron processor, 256 SDRAM, 20G hard drive	One FireWire port, integrated LAN, modem, WiFi, PC Card, Compact Flash port	For classroom use, teacher and student versions available	\$1,285
Tatung USA Corp. Long Beach, Calif. 310-637-2105 www.tatung.com	Tangy 910	Slate	866-MHz Pentium III-M processor, 256M SDRAM, 20G hard drive	Two USB 1.1 ports, one FireWire port, docking connector, built-in LAN, modem, WiFi	10.4-inch TFT display, optional docking station, optional optical drives	To be announced
TDV Vision Inc. City of Industry, Calif. 626-363-6160 www.tdvvision.com	nVision 1000	Slate	1-GHz Transmeta 5800 processor, 256M SDRAM, 20G hard drive	One USB 1.1 port, one FireWire port, PC Card, built-in LAN, modem connections	12.1-inch TFT display, wireless keyboard and presentation stand	\$999
Toshiba America Information Systems Inc. Irvine, Calif. 949-583-3000 www.csd.toshiba.com	Portege 3500	Convertible	1.33-GHz Pentium III-M processor, 256M SDRAM, 40G hard drive	Two USB 2 ports, built-in LAN, modem, WiFi, PC Card, integrated Fast Infrared	12.1-inch TFT display, optional optical drives, optional Bluetooth, user-selectable media and hard drives	\$2,299
ViewSonic Corp. Walnut, Calif. 909-444-8888 www.viewsonic.com	ViewPad 1000	Slate	800-MHz Mobile Celeron processor, 256M, 20G hard drive	Two USB 1.1 ports, one FireWire port, built-in LAN, modem, WiFi, 16-pin connector for ViewPad dock	10.4-inch TFT display, built-in digital camera, optional docking station, optional USB keyboard	\$2,000