

---

Subject: Gingerbread Nazi's  
Posted by [DC](#) on Fri, 15 Dec 2006 18:15:35 GMT  
[View Forum Message](#) <> [Reply to Message](#)

---

> a year ago, this was one of the reasons given. The Macbook is their  
>> low  
>>>>> end laptop, and probably the biggest cost reduction was using the  
>>>>> onboard graphics instead of something snazzier. The Macbook Pro has  
>> the  
>>>>> snazzier stuff, but it's still off the shelf with

---

---

Subject: Re: Gingerbread Nazi's  
Posted by [Jamie K](#) on Fri, 15 Dec 2006 18:21:17 GMT  
[View Forum Message](#) <> [Reply to Message](#)

---

y Microsoft, and tried to  
gain  
>>>>  
>>>>> an advantage from the differences. Now they are using the same CPUs  
>> that  
>>>>> Microsoft likes, so any advantage is going to be from design and  
>>>>> software.  
>>>>>  
>>>>> I like Apple's desktop case design. Really easy to get into and change  
>>>>  
>>>>> memory, drives, etc.; quiet and cool running airflow. The laptop  
>>>>> designs  
>>>>> have varied at accessibility, sometimes compromising for thinness.  
For  
>>>>  
>>>>> example my PowerBook is easy to access for memory upgrades but not  
for  
>>>>  
>>>>> HD upgrades. That may have changed in the new ones.  
>>>>>  
>>>>> Mac laptop sales are rising, other manufacturers are copying their  
  
>>>>> form  
>>>>> factor, but if you ever buy

---

---

Subject: Re: Gingerbread Nazi's  
Posted by [excelav](#) on Fri, 15 Dec 2006 19:37:43 GMT  
[View Forum Message](#) <> [Reply to Message](#)

---

d stuff, etc. is insulting and unnecessary.

>>> But then again, you already know this.  
>>>  
>>>  
>>Nah, no need, Lamont's right, the G4s and G5s were slower than comparably  
>>priced PCs in cpu power at least. Only the new Macintels have comparable  
>cpu  
>>and buss speeds, since they are the same hardware as a stock core 2 duo  
>PC,  
>>just a different case and OS.  
>>  
>>I was just giving you a hard time for not conceding that one. :-)  
>>  
>>I still might not go with a Mac for more practical application related  
>>reasons, but they compete on more level gro

---

---

Subject: Re: Gingerbread Nazi's  
Posted by [j to the cron](#) on Fri, 15 Dec 2006 20:02:22 GMT  
[View Forum Message](#) <> [Reply to Message](#)

---

>  
>>>>>  
>>>>>> HD upgrades. That may have changed in the new ones.  
>>>>>>>  
>>>>>>> Mac laptop sales are rising, other manufacturers are copying their  
>  
>>>>>>> form  
>>>>>>> factor, but if you ever buy one (other than overpaying for a Macbook  
>>> for  
>>>>>>> someone else, and then complaining about it) I'll be amazed. Sorry  
> you  
>>>>>>  
>>>>>>> had to subject yourself to working on a Mac today, but even sorrier  
>>> you  
>>>>>>> had to infect it with XP. ;^)  
>>>>>>>  
>>>>>>> Cheers,  
>>>>>>> -Jamie  
>>>>>>> www.JamieKruz.com  
>>>>>>>  
>>>>>>>  
>>>>>>> TCB wrote:  
>>>>>>>> So, I had to set up XP on a Mac Book today. The child of an  
>>>>>>>> important  
>>>>>>>> person  
>>>>>>>> on my office had one and, surprise, most of the games a 12 year old  
>>> likes  
>>>>>>>> to play don't have Mac versions.

>>>>>>

>>>>>> So, once and for all I can put to rest the notion that Apple

---