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Posted by [DJ](#) on Sun, 25 Nov 2007 04:03:18 GMT
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>>>However the Air's optional external USB optical drive is interesting to
>>
>>>me. Maybe I could take the internal DVDR out of my next MacBook Pro
>>>laptop and put in a second hard drive, that would be useful. And use the
>>
>>>external DVDR that was just announced today for few times I'd need it

>>>with the laptop. Hmm.
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Posted by [Kim W](#) on Sun, 25 Nov 2007 10:58:11 GMT
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as long as the hardware
>>>specs
>>>>>> aren't
>>>>>>> too horrible and they don't have massive hardware issues out of
>the
>>>>> chute.
>>>>>>> HD is only 80GB (or 64GB if you want to spring for the solid state
>>>drive
>>>>>>> option). If that's enough space to add Debial and XP, bootcamp should
>>>>>
>>>>>>> support 'em. Or use one of the virtual machine setups if you want

>>to
>>>
>>>>>>> switch between OSs on the fly. CPU is 1.8GHZ I think. Slower than
>>the
>>>>>
>>>>>>> bigger/heavier laptops but still very capable.
>>>>>>>
>>>>>>> Cheers,
>>>>>>> -Jamie
>>>>>>> www.JamieKrutz.com
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>>>>>>>> TCB
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>>>>>>>> Jamie K <Meta@Dimensional.com> wrote:
>>>>>>>>> New thin MacBook Air just announced. www.Apple.com
>>>>>>>>> The track pad is multitouch now. Optional solid state drive. A
>bit
>>>>>
>>>>>>>>> slower CPU than the other MacBooks but not bad.
>>>>>>>>>
>>>>>>>>> It looks pretty cool for something that light. But right now I
>need
>>>>>> a
>>>>>>>>> heavy lifter 17" HD res box, so it's not for me.
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>>>>>>>>> Also at MacWorld: Software updates to iPhone/iTouch, mov

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connect-ability so it's not a deal killer for users like us.
>>>>>>
>>>>>> Also, by doing so, they are driving the market (wireless) and
>>>>>> therefore
>>>>> have

>>>>> a leg up
>>>>> on the competition by establishing tech standards. I believe they
>>>>> were
>>> the

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>>>>>>> "Ted Gerber" <tedgerber@rogers.com> wrote:
>>>>>>> Here's a USB2 to Ethernet adaptor that Apple is supplying for \$20.
>>>>>>>
>>>>>>> <http://store.apple.com/1-800-MY-APPLE/WebObjects/AppleStore>.

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;>>>>> chose to exclude it.
>>>>>>>
>>>>>>> TCB
>>>>>>>
>>>>>>> "Ted Gerber" <tedgerber@rogers.com> wrote:
>>>>>>> Sorry - it's \$29, plus the cost of a hub if you need other inputs
> simultaneously.
>>>>>>&

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Posted by [Don Nafe](#) on Mon, 26 Nov 2007 13:24:41 GMT
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the Big DAWS.. Nice work.I should have looked through the online walkthrough before my last post - it gets even better:

12 assignable soft keys below the touch screen
24 soft keys in the screen, configured in pages, customizable for each app.

Nice. Really nice.

"Dedric Terry" <dterry@keyofd.net> wrote in message news:478ea1d0\$1@linux...
> It does look like a serious winner. Hating that I'll be waing for PC

> support, but it
> will be worth it. Another really sweet feature is having it auto switch
> between
> apps depending on what's in focus, and have the custom switchs, setups
> follow.
>
> Still curious as to whether the soft switches can be configured into
> different sets or
> group, to be recalled depending on workflow within a single app (e.g. and
> "edit" bank,
> a "midi edit" bank, "global" bank, etc) s

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ork going? No need for details, just want you to know
I'm supportive.

Peace,

Ted

"Doug Wellington" <doug@parisfaqs.com> wrote:

>"LaMont" <jjdpro@gmail.com> wrote:

>> Ok.. I just went over to the Euphonix site, and I saw the new artist

>> series

>> MC/MC-Mix.. I'm very impressed.

>>

>> http://euphon221.securesites.net/artist/products/artist_systems/overview.php

>

>Nice. That's sort of what I've been trying to build with my C-16

>replacement... (Sigh...)

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>Doug (no, the other Doug...)

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>P.S. Hi everybody! Happy New Year...

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>Another indicator that this was a bad move is Apple's stock price, it's dropped
\$35.00 to 40.00 a share. Hopefully they get the message.

"James McCloskey" <excelsm@hotmail.com> wrote:

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>I was disappointed when they dumped the FW on the iPods. Most of the Macs

>I own have USB 1.1 which is really slow, and doesn't work as well as FW.

> They left out all the people that have external FW drives with this lap

>top. There answer is for us to spend another \$300 to \$500, and un-securely
>back up over the air. Some times they are just too whiz-bang, consumer
oriented,
>they need to think prosumer.
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>I wish Apple would stop building obsolescence in to their products. They
>hav

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is the price WITH
> the flash drive option. Yet Apple actually charges less than street price
> to add that drive.
>
> If price is the issue, it's too soon to buy a 54GB solid state drive on
> ANY laptop, not just Apple's. Also, he adds the SSD to the MacBook Air and
> then compares that configuration to laptops without an SSD. If that's the
> comparison, then he should compare the \$1700 non-SSD version of the Air to
> the other subnotebooks. And at that point he has little point.
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> He could have complained about the lack of firewire or grouched about the
> need for an adapter to use ethernet, but he didn't.
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> to like it at all. Apple shares were down \$9.74 to
