Microsoft Wireless Media Desktop 1000

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What:

Microsoft Corp.'s Wireless Media Desktop 1000 set is designed to fit the digital lifestyle, allowing users to bring digital media to life with one-touch access to photos, Windows Media Player and My Favorites Keys. The desktop set includes the Wireless Optical Mouse 2000, a high-performance mouse with a comfortable, ambidextrous design. All these features are wrapped into a sleek, compact design at an affordable price.

Format:

Microsoft Wireless Media Desktop 1000 operates on PC and Macintosh platforms and uses a Universal Serial Bus (USB) connection. The included keyboard and mouse software is necessary for full functionality.

Features And Benefits:

Wireless Media Keyboard 1000

- Amazingly sleek, compact design complements the décor of any living room or office.
- One-touch access to Windows Flip 3D allows users to flip through open windows in a stack and quickly switch between applications for added productivity.¹
- **Media Center controls** allow users to access popular media activities with one touch, such as play, pause and volume.
- My Favorites Keys deliver one-touch access to users' most-used Web sites, files and folders. Simply push and hold a key to assign it to the current destination, just as you would with a car stereo's preset buttons.
- Customizable Hot Keys, including those for Messenger, Mail, Web/Home and Media Player, enable users to quickly launch their favorite programs.
- Enhanced F Keys make it easy to complete common tasks with one touch. Keys are conveniently grouped according to common usage

- patterns, such as New, Open and Close. Users can also set traditional F Key functions with the F Key lock.
- With one click, the Windows Start Button pulls up the Windows Start menu to allow users to search for or launch documents. If users have Windows Vista installed, they can search their PC or the Web directly from the Windows Vista Start menu.
- **Spill-resistant keys** feature integrated water channels in the keyboard to drain liquid away.

Wireless Optical Mouse 2000

- **Proprietary High Definition Optical Technology** puts ultimate performance in the palm of consumers' hands. These mice are equipped with the exclusive Microsoft Intelligent Tracking System for smoother tracking, 1,000 dots per inch for more responsiveness and 6,000 frames per second for better precision.
- Ambidextrous grip design enables enhanced comfort in either hand.
- **Scroll wheel** lets users smoothly move vertically with more control and ease when navigating long Web pages or spreadsheets.
- Three customizable buttons can be easily personalized and changed to perform popular commands with a single touch.

System Requirements:

Microsoft Wireless Media Desktop 1000 users should install the included keyboard and mouse software for full functionality of all features. Users also need the following:

For a Windows-based PC:

- A PC that meets the requirements for and has installed the Windows Vista or Windows XP operating system
- 100 MB of available hard drive space
- CD-ROM drive
- An available USB port
- Internet access for certain features

For Macintosh:

- Mac OS X v10.2x–10.5x
- 30 MB of available hard drive space
- CD-ROM drive

- An available USB port
- Internet access for certain features

A current list of programs supported for use with Microsoft keyboards can be found at

http://www.microsoft.com/hardware/mouseandkeyboard/default.mspx.

Availability And Pricing:

The Microsoft Wireless Media Desktop 1000 will be available later this month for an estimated retail price of \$49.95 (U.S.). The Wireless Media Desktop 1000 is backed worldwide by a three-year limited hardware warranty from Microsoft. The Wireless Media Desktop 1000 is now available for special pre-sale on Amazon.com and will ship in September when the product is widely released.

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¹ Windows Flip 3D button functions as an Instant Viewer button when used with Windows XP, starts Exposé when used with Mac.

² Actual retail price may vary.