

#### For immediate release

# Microsoft Surface 3 is available for pre-order starting April 15

Pre-orders now available at Microsoft Online Store and Retail Channels with special offer



**Hong Kong, April 14, 2015** — Microsoft Hong Kong today announced the availability of Surface 3 preorder in Hong Kong beginning April 15. Customers can get their hands on the two models of Surface 3, 64 GB of storage, 2 GB of RAM and 128 GB of storage, 4 GB of RAM from <u>microsoftstore.com</u> and Surface designated retail partners, at HK\$3,888 and HK\$4,688 respectively.

Customers can pre-order all two versions of Surface 3 from April 15 to 28 online at <u>microsoftstore.com</u> and at the retail stores of three Surface designated retail partners, including Fortress, Suning and Wilson Communications, for delivery beginning May 5.

All Surface 3 (64 GB or 128 GB) pre-ordered with the HK\$1,048 Type Cover from the above authorized retailers come with a FREE silver Surface Pen (worth HK\$408)\*. Act now while stock lasts. Please visit http://www.microsoft.com/hk/s3/english/ for full details.

# **Local pricing details**

Surface 3	Estimated retail price (HKD)
64 GB of storage, 2 GB of RAM	HK\$ 3,888
128 GB of storage, 4 GB of RAM	HK\$ 4,688

<sup>\*</sup> Offer valid while stocks last.



Surface 3 Accessories	Estimated retail price (HKD)
Surface Type Cover (Bright Blue, Red, Black)	\$1,048
Additional Surface Pen (Silver, Dark Blue, Red, Black)	\$408
Additional 36W Power Supply	\$648
Additional Pen Loop	\$38
Docking Station for Surface 3	\$1,618
Surface Ethernet Adapter	\$328

## **Surface 3 – The thinnest and lightest Surface yet**

Like Surface Pro 3, Surface 3 is a tablet that can replace your laptop but is thinner, lighter and even more affordable. Powerful and efficient, Surface 3 is optimized to run full Windows and Office and features long battery life. The ability to run Windows apps and the versatile pen experience<sup>1</sup> — great for taking notes or marking documents — make Surface 3 ideal for students, schools and anyone looking for a portable device to get things done.

Powered by the new quad-core Intel® Atom™ x7 processor², Surface 3 is quick and responsive but designed to maximize efficiency with up to 10 hours of video-playback battery life.³ A range of storage and memory configurations gives people choice in power and capacity. The beautiful 10.8-inch ClearType HD multi-touch display featuring 3:2 aspect ratio, stereo speakers with Dolby® Audio-enhanced sound, and the elegant and durable magnesium design are just a few of the benefits of Surface 3 that customers will recognize from Surface Pro 3. The three-position kickstand is ideal for using Surface 3 while working at a desk, sitting on a couch or holding in the palm of a hand as a natural writing surface.

Surface 3 can be paired with new accessories<sup>4</sup>: **Surface 3 Type Cover** is offered in a variety of colors and features an improved trackpad and responsive keyset for fast, accurate typing, alongside four vibrant **Surface Pen** colors — silver, black, blue and red. The **Surface 3 Docking Station** lets people easily connect to an external monitor and all their desktop devices, and Surface 3's full-size USB 3.0 port, Mini DisplayPort, microSD™ card reader and Micro USB charging port make it compatible with the Surface Pro line of adapters and ready for quick and easy connections to a variety of accessories. Surface accessories specifics can be found <u>here</u>.

### More information on Surface can be found at:

Surface Homepage: <a href="http://www.microsoft.com/surface/en-hk">http://www.microsoft.com/surface/en-hk</a>.

#### For more product information and images:

Visit Surface News Centre: http://www.microsoft.com/en-us/news/presskits/surface.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Surface Pen sold separately.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Intel, Intel Atom and the Intel logo are trademarks of Intel Corporation in the United States and other countries.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Testing conducted by Microsoft in March 2015 using 128GB and 64GB units with 4 GB of RAM. Testing consisted of full battery discharge during video playback. All settings were default except Wi-Fi was associated with a network and Auto-Brightness was disabled. Battery life varies significantly with settings, usage and other factors.

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