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Options by IBM: Rapid Access II Keyboards

Overview

The Rapid Access II Keyboard offers fast access to specific applications. This 104-key desktop PC keyboard has 16 colour-coded, special function buttons (Rapid Access Buttons) for immediate access to commonly used functions.

Five of the buttons can be customized through a simple software interface included with the keyboard.

Nine of the Rapid Access Buttons are programmed to the following popular functions:

- Internet page forward
- Internet page back
- Play/pause and stop CD
- Volume up and down
- Mute sound
- Track forward and backward

Three of the colour-coded keys are preset to access Web pages powered by Lycos[1] for IBM customers. When customers are on the Internet these Web pages can be accessed by the touch of a button. The pages provide standard features like news, weather and sports and can be personalized to provide local information, stock quotes and free e-mail in addition to product support and information.

This stylish keyboard is available in pearl white and stealth black and in many major languages. It is compatible with both PS/2 and USB interfaces.

Year 2000

This product does not have date dependencies and is therefore Year 2000 ready.

[1]   Lycos is a registered trade-mark of Carnegie Mellon University.

Key Prerequisites

- IBM-compatible desktop or notebook system

- Windows™ 95, Windows 98, or Windows NT® 4.x for use with PS/2 (mini-din) keyboard port

- Windows 98 for use with USB port

Availability Date:
September 13, 1999

At a Glance

The Rapid Access II Keyboard combines IBM's renowned keyboard with instant access to Web sites from Lycos, system controls and your favorite applications. The keyboard features:

- Preset and labeled buttons for fast access to Lycos Web sites and Internet services, including a personal start page with:
  - News
  - Stock quotes
  - Free e-mail
  - Secure on-line shipping
- Colour-coded buttons which can be customized to start applications, open files or access Web sites
- Label printing to update buttons as they are changed
- Audio and CD control buttons including mute and play/pause
- Browser forward/back buttons for surfing the Internet
- PS/2 to USB connector
- Removable palm rest

Technical support:

- For support, call HelpPC (1-800-565-3344)
        or
- For location of the nearest reseller, call 1-800-465-7999

Description	Number
Rapid Access II Keyboard (Pearl White)	33L3222
French/Canadian	33L3155

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