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# Important safety information

#### **CAUTION:**

Before using this manual, be sure to read and understand all the related safety information for this product. Refer to the information in this section and the safety information in the Safety, Warranty, and Setup Guide that you received with this product. Reading and understanding this safety information reduces the risk of personal injury and damage to your product.

If you no longer have a copy of the Safety, Warranty, and Setup Guide, you can obtain a Portable Document Format (PDF) version from the Lenovo<sup>®</sup> Support Web site at http://www.lenovo.com/support. The Lenovo Support Web site also provides the Safety, Warranty, and Setup Guide and this User Guide in additional languages.

# Service and upgrades

Do not attempt to service a product yourself unless instructed to do so by the Customer Support Center or your documentation. Only use a Service Provider who is approved to repair your particular product.

**Note:** Some computer parts can be upgraded or replaced by the customer. Upgrades typically are referred to as options. Replacement parts approved for customer installation are referred to as Customer Replaceable Units, or CRUs. Lenovo provides documentation with instructions when it is appropriate for customers to install options or replace CRUs. You must closely follow all instructions when installing or replacing parts. The Off state of a power indicator does not necessarily mean that voltage levels inside a product are zero. Before you remove the covers from a product equipped with a power cord, always make sure that the power is turned off and that the product is unplugged from any power source. For more information on CRUs, refer to Chapter 5 "Installing or replacing hardware" on page 23. If you have any questions or concerns, contact the Customer Support Center.

Although there are no moving parts in your computer after the power cord has been disconnected, the following warnings are required for your safety.

#### **CAUTION:**



Hazardous moving parts. Keep fingers and other body parts away.

#### **CAUTION:**



Before you open the computer cover, turn off the computer and wait several minutes until the computer is cool.

# Static electricity prevention

Static electricity, although harmless to you, can seriously damage computer components and options. Improper handling of static-sensitive parts can cause damage to the part. When you unpack an option

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or CRU, do not open the static-protective package containing the part until the instructions direct you to install it.

When you handle options or CRUs, or perform any work inside the computer, take the following precautions to avoid static-electricity damage:

- Limit your movement. Movement can cause static electricity to build up around you.
- Always handle components carefully. Handle adapters, memory modules, and other circuit boards by the edges. Never touch exposed circuitry.
- Prevent others from touching components.
- When you install a static-sensitive option or CRU, touch the static-protective package containing the
  part to a metal expansion-slot cover or other unpainted metal surface on the computer for at least two
  seconds. This reduces static electricity in the package and your body.
- When possible, remove the static-sensitive part from the static-protective packaging and install the part without setting it down. When this is not possible, place the static-protective packaging on a smooth, level surface and place the part on it.
- Do not place the part on the computer cover or other metal surface.

# Power cords and power adapters

Use only the power cords and power adapters supplied by the product manufacturer.

The power cords shall be safety approved. For Germany, it shall be H05VV-F, 3G, 0.75 mm<sup>2</sup>, or better. For other countries, the suitable types shall be used accordingly.

Never wrap a power cord around a power adapter or other object. Doing so can stress the cord in ways that can cause the cord to fray, crack, or crimp. This can present a safety hazard.

Always route power cords so that they will not be walked on, tripped over, or pinched by objects.

Protect power cord and power adapters from liquids. For instance, do not leave your power cord or power adapter near sinks, tubs, toilets, or on floors that are cleaned with liquid cleansers. Liquids can cause a short circuit, particularly if the power cord or power adapter has been stressed by misuse. Liquids also can cause gradual corrosion of power cord terminals and/or the connector terminals on a power adapter, which can eventually result in overheating.

Ensure that all power cord connectors are securely and completely plugged into receptacles.

Do not use any power adapter that shows corrosion at the ac input pins or shows signs of overheating (such as deformed plastic) at the ac input or anywhere on the power adapter.

Do not use any power cords where the electrical contacts on either end show signs of corrosion or overheating or where the power cord appears to have been damaged in any way.

#### Extension cords and related devices

Ensure that extension cords, surge protectors, uninterruptible power supplies, and power strips that you use are rated to handle the electrical requirements of the product. Never overload these devices. If power strips are used, the load should not exceed the power strip input rating. Consult an electrician for more information if you have questions about power loads, power requirements, and input ratings.

# Plugs and outlets

If a receptacle (power outlet) that you intend to use with your computer equipment appears to be damaged or corroded, do not use the outlet until it is replaced by a qualified electrician.

Do not bend or modify the plug. If the plug is damaged, contact the manufacturer to obtain a replacement.

Do not share an electrical outlet with other home or commercial appliances that draw large amounts of electricity; otherwise, unstable voltage might damage your computer, data, or attached devices.

Some products are equipped with a three-pronged plug. This plug fits only into a grounded electrical outlet. This is a safety feature. Do not defeat this safety feature by trying to insert it into a non-grounded outlet. If you cannot insert the plug into the outlet, contact an electrician for an approved outlet adapter or to replace the outlet with one that enables this safety feature. Never overload an electrical outlet. The overall system load should not exceed 80 percent of the branch circuit rating. Consult an electrician for more information if you have questions about power loads and branch circuit ratings.

Be sure that the power outlet you are using is properly wired, easily accessible, and located close to the equipment. Do not fully extend power cords in a way that will stress the cords.

Be sure that the power outlet provides the correct voltage and current for the product you are installing.

Carefully connect and disconnect the equipment from the electrical outlet.

#### **External devices**

Do not connect or disconnect any external device cables other than Universal Serial Bus (USB) and 1394 cables while the computer power is on; otherwise, you might damage your computer. To avoid possible damage to attached devices, wait at least five seconds after the computer is shut down to disconnect external devices.

# Heat and product ventilation

Computers, power adapters, and many accessories can generate heat when turned on and when batteries are charging. Always follow these basic precautions:

- Do not leave your computer, power adapter, or accessories in contact with your lap or any part of your body for an extended period when the products are functioning or when the battery is charging. Your computer, power adapter, and many accessories produce some heat during normal operation. Extended contact with the body could cause discomfort or, potentially, a skin burn.
- Do not charge the battery or operate your computer, power adapter, or accessories near flammable materials or in explosive environments.
- Ventilation slots, fans, and heat sinks are provided with the product for safety, comfort, and reliable operation. These features might inadvertently become blocked by placing the product on a bed, sofa, carpet, or other flexible surface. Never block, cover, or disable these features.

Inspect your desktop computer for dust accumulation at least once every three months. Before inspecting your computer, turn off the power and unplug the computer's power cord from the electrical outlet; then remove any dust from vents and perforations in the bezel. If you notice external dust accumulation, then examine and remove dust from the inside of the computer including heat sink inlet fins, power supply vents, and fans. Always turn off and unplug the computer before opening the cover. If possible, avoid operating your computer within two feet of high-traffic areas. If you must operate your computer in or near a high-traffic area, inspect and, if necessary, clean your computer more frequently.

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For your safety and to maintain optimum computer performance, always follow these basic precautions with your desktop computer:

- Keep the cover closed whenever the computer is plugged in.
- Regularly inspect the outside of the computer for dust accumulation.
- Remove dust from vents and any perforations in the bezel. More frequent cleanings might be required for computers in dusty or high-traffic areas.
- Do not restrict or block any ventilation openings.
- Do not store or operate your computer inside furniture, as this might increase the risk of overheating.
- Airflow temperatures into the computer should not exceed 35°C (95°F).
- Do not install air filtration devices. They may interfere with proper cooling.

# **Operating environment**

The optimal environment in which to use your computer is 10°C-35°C (50°F-95°F) with humidity ranging between 35% and 80%. If your computer is stored or transported in temperatures less than 10°C (50°F), allow the cold computer to rise slowly to an optimal operating temperature of 10°C-35°C (50°F-95°F) before use. This process could take two hours in extreme conditions. Failure to allow your computer to rise to an optimal operating temperature before use could result in irreparable damage to your computer.

If possible, place your computer in a well-ventilated and dry area without direct exposure to sunshine.

Keep electrical appliances such as an electric fan, radio, high-powered speakers, air conditioner, and microwave oven away from your computer because the strong magnetic fields generated by these appliances can damage the monitor and data on the hard disk drive.

Do not place any beverages on top of or beside the computer or other attached devices. If liquid is spilled on or in the computer or an attached device, a short circuit or other damage might occur.

Do not eat or smoke over your keyboard. Particles that fall into your keyboard can cause damage.

# Laser compliance statement



#### CAUTION:

When laser products (such as CD-ROMs, DVD drives, fiber optic devices, or transmitters) are installed, note the following:

- Do not remove the covers. Removing the covers of the laser product could result in exposure to hazardous laser radiation. There are no serviceable parts inside the device.
- Use of controls or adjustments or performance of procedures other than those specified herein might result in hazardous radiation exposure.



Some laser products contain an embedded Class 3A or Class 3B laser diode. Note the following:

Laser radiation when open. Do not stare into the beam, do not view directly with optical instruments, and avoid direct exposure to the beam.

# **Power supply statement**

Never remove the cover on a power supply or any part that has the following label attached.



Hazardous voltage, current, and energy levels are present inside any component that has this label attached. There are no serviceable parts inside these components. If you suspect a problem with one of these parts, contact a service technician.

# Cleaning and maintenance

Keep your computer and workspace clean. Shut down the computer and then disconnect the power cord before cleaning the computer. Do not spray any liquid detergent directly on the computer or use any detergent containing flammable material to clean the computer. Spray the detergent on a soft cloth and then wipe the computer surfaces.

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# Chapter 1. Product overview

This chapter provides information about the computer features, specifications, and locations of connectors, components, parts on the system board, and internal drives.

#### **Features**

This section introduces the computer features. The information covers a variety of models.

To view the information about your specific model, do one of the following:

- Go into the Setup Utility program by following the instructions in Chapter 6 "Using the Setup Utility program" on page 41. Then, select Main → System Summary to view the information.
- On the Microsoft® Windows® Embedded Standard 7 operation system, click **Start**, right-click **Computer**, and select **Properties** to view the information.

#### Microprocessor

Your computer comes with an Intel® Celeron® microprocessor (internal cache size varies by model type).

#### Memory

Your computer supports one double data rate 3 small outline dual inline memory module (DDR3 SODIMM).

#### Internal drives

Serial Advanced Technology Attachment (SATA) DOM card

#### Video subsystem

• Integrated graphics for a Video Graphics Array (VGA) connector and a DisplayPort connector

#### Audio subsystem

- Integrated high-definition (HD) audio
- · Microphone connector and headphone connector on the front panel

#### Connectivity

100/1000 Mbps integrated Ethernet controller

#### System management features

- · Ability to store power-on self-test (POST) hardware test results
- Desktop Management Interface (DMI)

Desktop Management Interface provides a common path for users to access information about all aspects of a computer, including processor type, installation date, attached printers and other peripherals, power sources, and maintenance history.

• ErP LPS compliance mode

The energy-related products directive (ErP) lowest power state (LPS) compliance mode reduces the consumption of electricity when your computer is in sleep or off mode. For more information, see "Enabling ErP LPS compliance mode" on page 44.

Intel Standard Manageability

Intel Standard Manageability is a kind of hardware and firmware technology that builds certain functionality into computers in order to make the computers easier and less expensive for businesses to monitor, maintain, update, upgrade, and repair.

Preboot Execution Environment (PXE)

The Preboot Execution Environment is an environment to start computers using a network interface independent of data storage devices (such as the hard disk drive) or installed operating systems.

System Management (SM) Basic Input/Output System (BIOS) and SM software

The SM BIOS specification defines data structures and access methods in a BIOS that allows a user or an application to store and retrieve information specific about the computer in question.

Wake on LAN

Wake on LAN is an Ethernet computer networking standard that enables a computer to be turned on or woken up by a network message. The message is usually sent by a program running on another computer on the same local area network (LAN).

Windows Management Instrumentation (WMI)

Windows Management Instrumentation is a set of extensions to the Windows Driver Model. It provides an operating system interface through which instrumented components provide information and notification.

#### Input/Output (I/O) features

- Four 9-pin serial connectors
- One DisplayPort connector
- One Ethernet connector
- One parallel connector
- One Personal System/2 (PS/2) keyboard connector
- One PS/2 mouse connector
- · One VGA monitor connector
- Six Universal Serial Bus (USB) 2.0 connectors (four on the front panel and two on the rear panel)
- Two audio connectors on the front panel (microphone connector and headphone connector)

For more information, see "Locating connectors, controls, and indicators on the front of your computer" on page 4 and "Locating connectors on the rear of your computer" on page 5.

#### **Expansion**

· One SATA DOM card slot

#### **Power supply**

Your computer comes with a 65-watt ac power adapter.

#### Security features

- Ability to enable and disable a device
- Ability to enable and disable USB connectors individually
- Computrace Agent software embedded in firmware
- Power-on password (POP), administrator password, and hard disk drive password to deter unauthorized use of your computer
- Startup sequence control

- · Startup without keyboard or mouse
- Support for a Kensington-style cable lock

For more information, see Chapter 4 "Security" on page 19.

#### Preinstalled operating system

Your computer is preinstalled with the Microsoft Windows Embedded Standard 7 operating system.

#### Operating system(s), certified or tested for compatibility<sup>1</sup> (varies by model type)

LeTOS (Lenovo terminal operating system)

# **Specifications**

This section lists the physical specifications for your computer.

#### **Dimensions**

Width: 55 mm (2.17 inches) Height: 220 mm (8.66 inches) Depth: 170 mm (6.69 inches)

#### Weight

Maximum configuration as shipped: 3.87 kg (8.53 lb) (with package) Maximum configuration as shipped: 1.48 kg (3.26 lb) (without package)

#### **Environment**

• Air temperature:

Operating: 10°C to 35°C (50°F to 95°F)

Storage in original shipping package: -20°C to 60°C (-4°F to 140°F)

· Humidity:

Operating: 20% to 80% (non-condensing) Storage: 20% to 90% (non-condensing)

• Altitude:

Operating: -15.2 to 3048 m (-50 to 10 000 ft) Storage: -15.2 to 10 668 m (-50 to 35 000 ft)

#### **Electrical input**

The ac power adapter input voltage: 100 to 240 V ac

Input frequency range: 50 or 60 Hz

#### Locations

This section provides information to help you locate the connectors on the front and rear of your computer, parts on the system board, and components and internal drives in your computer.

Note: The components in your computer might look slightly different from the illustrations.

The operating system(s) listed here are being certified or tested for compatibility at the time this publication goes to
press. Additional operating systems might be identified by Lenovo as compatible with your computer following the
publication of this manual. This list is subject to change. To determine if an operating system has been certified or
tested for compatibility, check the Web site of the operating system vendor.

# Locating connectors, controls, and indicators on the front of your computer

The following figure shows the locations of the connectors, controls, and indicators on the front of your computer.

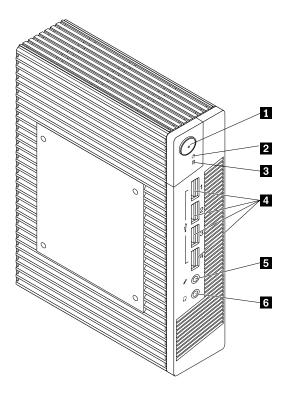


Figure 1. Front connector, control, and indicator locations

1 Power button	2 Power indicator
3 Hard disk drive activity indicator	4 USB 2.0 connectors (4)
5 Microphone connector	6 Headphone connector

# Locating connectors on the rear of your computer

The following figure shows the locations of the connectors on the rear of your computer. Some connectors on the rear of your computer are color-coded to help you determine where to connect the cables on your computer.

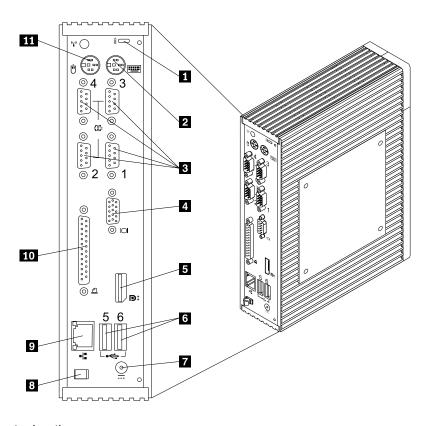


Figure 2. Rear connector locations

1 Security-lock slot	2 PS/2 keyboard connector
3 Serial connectors (4)	4 VGA monitor connector
5 DisplayPort connector	6 USB 2.0 connectors (2)
7 ac powe	8 ac power adapter cable loop
9 Ethernet connectorr adapter connector	10 Parallel connector
11 PS/2 mouse connector	

**Note:** If your computer is installed with a graphics card, ensure that you use the monitor connectors on the graphics card.

Connector	Description
DisplayPort connector	Used to attach a high-performance monitor, a direct-drive monitor, or other devices that use a DisplayPort connector.
Ethernet connector	Used to attach an Ethernet cable for a LAN. <b>Note:</b> To operate the computer within FCC Class B limits, use a Category 5 Ethernet cable.
PS/2 keyboard connector	Used to attach a keyboard that uses a PS/2 keyboard connector.

Connector	Description
PS/2 mouse connector	Used to attach a mouse, a trackball, or other pointing devices that use a PS/2 mouse connector.
Parallel connector	Used to attach a parallel printer or other devices that use a 25-pin parallel connector.
Serial connector	Used to attach an external modem, a serial printer, or other devices that use a 9-pin serial connector.
USB 2.0 connector	Used to attach a device that requires a USB 2.0 connection, such as a keyboard, a mouse, a scanner, a printer, or a personal digital assistant (PDA).
VGA monitor connector	Used to attach a VGA monitor or other devices that use a VGA monitor connector. <b>Note:</b> The VGA monitor connector is not applicable on some models. If your computer has a graphics card installed, ensure that you use a monitor connector on the graphics card.

# **Locating components**

The following figure shows the locations of the various components in your computer. To remove the computer cover, see "Removing the computer cover" on page 27.

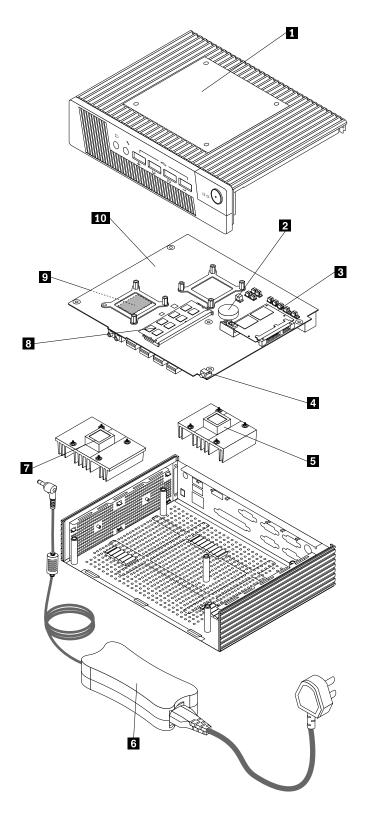


Figure 3. Component locations

1 Computer cover	2 Battery
3 DOM card	4 Power button
5 Heat sink 1	6 ac power adapter
7 Heat sink 2	8 Memory module
9 Microprocessor	10 System board

# Locating parts on the system board

The following figure shows the locations of the parts on the system board.

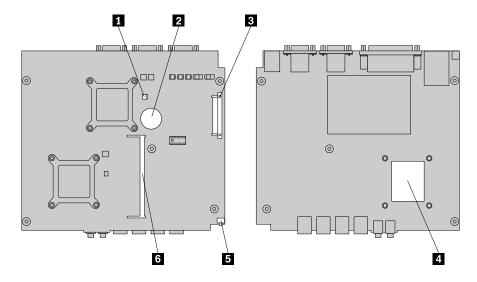


Figure 4. System board part locations

1 Clear CMOS (Complementary Metal Oxide Semiconductor) /Recovery jumper	2 Battery
3 SATA DOM card slot	4 Microprocessor
5 Power button	6 Memory slot

# Machine type and model label

The machine type and model label identifies your computer. When you contact Lenovo for help, the machine type and model information helps support technicians to identify your computer and provide faster service.

The following is a sample of the machine type and model label.

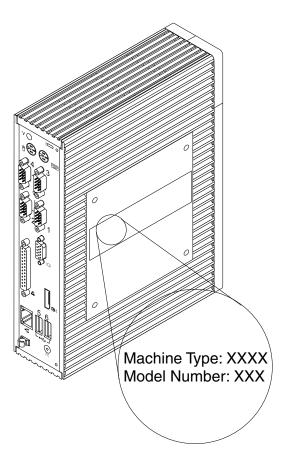


Figure 5. Machine type and model label

# Chapter 2. Using your computer

This chapter provides information on using some of the computer components.

# Frequently asked question

The following is a tip that will help you optimize the use of your computer.

#### Can I get my user guide in another language?

The user guide is available in various languages on the Lenovo Support Web site at: http://www.lenovo.com/UserManuals

# Using the keyboard

Your computer comes with a standard keyboard. The Microsoft Windows shortcut keys are provided on the standard keyboard.

This section provides information about the using the Windows shortcut keys.

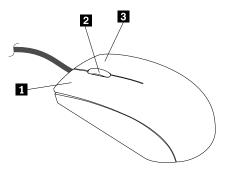
The standard keyboard provides three keys you can use with your Microsoft Windows operating system.

- The two Windows logo keys are located beside the Alt key on either side of the spacebar. They feature the Windows logo. On the Windows Embedded Standard 7 operating system, press the Windows key to open the **Start** menu. The style of the Windows logo varies depending on the keyboard type.
- The context-menu key is located next to the Ctrl key on the right side of the Spacebar. Pressing the context-menu key opens the context menu for the active program, icon, or object.

**Note:** You can use the mouse or the Up and Down arrow keys to highlight menu selections. On the Windows Embedded Standard 7 operating system, you can close the **Start** menu or the context menu by clicking the mouse or pressing Esc.

# Using the wheel mouse

The wheel mouse has the following controls:



1 Primary mouse button Use this button to select or start a program or menu item.

2 Wheel Use the wheel to control the scrolling action of the mouse. The direction in which you rotate the wheel controls the direction of the scrolling action.

3 Secondary mouse button Use this button to display a menu for the active program, icon, or object.

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You can switch the function of the primary and secondary mouse buttons and change other default behavior through the mouse properties function in the Windows Control Panel.

# Adjusting audio

Sound is an important part of the computer experience. Your computer has a digital audio controller built into the system board.

Optionally, you can connect a set of powered stereo speakers to the audio line-out connector to enjoy better sound with multimedia applications.

# Setting the volume from the desktop

The desktop volume control is accessible through the volume icon in the taskbar, which is located at the bottom-right corner of the Windows desktop. Click the volume icon and move the slider up or down to control the volume, or click the Mute icon to turn the audio off.

# **Setting the volume from Control Panel**

You can set the computer volume from Control Panel. To set the computer volume from Control Panel, do the following:

- 1. On the Windows Embedded Standard 7 operating system, click Start → Control Panel → Hardware and Sound.
- 2. In the **Sound** section, click **Adjust system volume**.
- 3. Move the sliders up or down to raise or lower the volume of your computer.

# Chapter 3. You and your computer

This chapter provides information about accessibility, comfort, and relocating your computer to other countries or regions.

# Accessibility and comfort

Good ergonomic practice is important to get the most from your personal computer and to avoid discomfort. Arrange your workplace and the equipment you use to suit your individual needs and the kind of work that you perform. In addition, use healthy work habits to maximize your performance and comfort while using your computer.

The following topics provide information about arranging your work area, setting up your computer equipment, and establishing healthy work habits.

# Arranging your workspace

To get the most from your computer, arrange both the equipment you use and your work area to suit your needs and the kind of work you do. Your comfort is of foremost importance, but light sources, air circulation, and the location of electrical outlets can also affect the way you arrange your workspace.

#### Comfort

Although no single working position is ideal for everyone, here are a few guidelines to help you find a position that suits you best.

Sitting in the same position for a long time can cause fatigue. The backrest and seat of your chair should adjust independently and provide good support. The seat should have a curved front to relieve pressure on the thighs. Adjust the seat so that your thighs are parallel to the floor and your feet are either flat on the floor or on a footrest.

When using the keyboard, keep your forearms parallel to the floor and your wrists in a comfortable position. Use a light touch on the keyboard and your hands and fingers relaxed. Change the angle of the keyboard for maximum comfort by adjusting the position of the keyboard feet.



Adjust the monitor so the top of the screen is at, or slightly below, eye level. Place the monitor at a comfortable viewing distance, usually 51 to 61 cm (20 to 24 inches), and position it so you can view it without having to twist your body. Also, position other equipment you use regularly, such as the telephone or a mouse, within easy reach.

# Glare and lighting

Position the monitor to minimize glare and reflections from overhead lights, windows, and other light sources. Reflected light from shiny surfaces can cause annoying reflections on your monitor screen. Place the monitor at right angles to windows and other light sources, when possible. Reduce overhead lighting, if necessary, by turning off lights or using lower wattage bulbs. If you install the monitor near a window, use curtains or blinds to block the sunlight. You can adjust the brightness and contrast controls on the monitor as the room lighting changes throughout the day.

Where it is impossible to avoid reflections or to adjust the lighting, an antiglare filter placed over the screen might be helpful. However, these filters might affect the clarity of the image on the screen; try them only after you have exhausted other methods of reducing glare.

Dust buildup compounds problems associated with glare. Remember to clean your monitor screen periodically using a soft cloth as directed in your monitor documentation.

#### Air circulation

Your computer and monitor produce heat. The computer has a fan that pulls in fresh air and forces out hot air. The monitor lets hot air escape through vents. Blocking the air vents can cause overheating, which might result in a malfunction or damage. Place the computer and monitor so that nothing blocks the air vents; usually, 51 mm (2 inches) of air space is sufficient. Also, make sure the vented air is not blowing on people.

# Electrical outlets and cable lengths

The location of electrical outlets, the length of power cords and cables that connect to the monitor, printer, and other devices might determine the final placement of your computer.

When arranging your workspace:

- Avoid the use of extension cords. When possible, plug the computer power cord directly into an electrical outlet.
- Keep power cords and cables neatly routed away from walkways and other areas where they might get kicked accidentally.

For more information about power cords, see "Power cords and power adapters" on page iv.

# Accessibility information

Lenovo is committed to providing people with disabilities greater access to information and technology. Some technologies are already provided in your operating system. Others can be purchased through vendors.

Users also can use the Ease of Access Center provided in the Windows operating system to configure their computers to suit their physical and cognitive needs. The Ease of Access Center is a central location that you can use to configure the accessibility settings and programs available on the Microsoft Windows operating system. To use the Ease of Access Center, open Control Panel and click Ease of Access → Ease of Access Center.

The following information provides ways to help users who have hearing, vision, and mobility limitations get the most out of their computer experience.

#### On-screen notification

On-screen notification helps hearing-impaired people be aware of the status of their computer. On-screen notification replaces sounds with visual cues or text captions to indicate that activity is happening on the computer. As a result, system alerts are noticeable even when they are not heard. For example, when you

select one object with your keyboard, the object is highlighted. When you move the pointer to one object with your mouse, the introductory text of the object is displayed.

To use on-screen notification, open Control Panel, click **Ease of Access → Ease of Access Center**, and then click **Use text or visual alternatives for sounds**.

#### Audio notification

Audio notification helps visually impaired people or people with weak sight be aware of the status of their computer.

To use audio notification, open Control Panel, click Ease of Access → Ease of Access Center → Use the computer without a display, and then select Turn on Audio Description.

#### **Narrator**

Narrator is a screen reader that reads what is displayed on the screen aloud and describes events like error messages.

To open Narrator, click the **Start** button. Then, type Narrator into the search field. In the list of results, click **Narrator**.

For more information about how to use and configure Narrator, see the Windows Help and Support information system.

#### Screen-reader technologies

Screen-reader technologies are primarily focused on software program interfaces, help information systems, and a variety of online documents. For additional information about screen readers, see the following:

- Using PDFs with screen readers: http://www.adobe.com/accessibility.html?promoid=DJGVE
- Using the JAWS screen reader: http://www.freedomscientific.com/jaws-hq.asp
- Using the NVDA screen reader: http://www.nvaccess.org/

#### **Speech Recognition**

Speech Recognition enables you to control your computer by voice.

Using only your voice, you can start programs, open menus, click objects on the screen, dictate text into documents, and write and send e-mails. Everything you do with the keyboard and mouse can be done with only your voice.

To open Speech Recognition, click the **Start** button. Then, type Speech Recognition into the search field. In the list of results, click **Speech Recognition**.

For more information about how to use and configure Speech Recognition, see the Windows Help and Support information system.

#### Customizable text size

Depending on your preference, you can change only the text size instead of changing the size of everything on the desktop. To change the text size, open Control Panel and click **Appearances and Personalization** → **Display**. Then, go to **Change only the text size** and set a text size that meets your needs.

#### Magnifier

Your computer is equipped with the Microsoft Magnifier to help visually impaired people use the computer more comfortably. Magnifier is a useful utility that enlarges the entire screen or part of the screen so that you can see the words and images better. You can open Magnifier from the Ease of Access Center.

To open Magnifier, click the Start button, click All Programs → Accessories → Ease of Access, and then click Magnifier.

For more information about how to use and configure Magnifier, see the Windows Help and Support information system.

Note: For touch-screen computer models, you also can zoom in and zoom out by using touch gestures instead of the keyboard. See "Zoom" on page 16.

#### Zoom

You can use the zoom feature to enlarge or reduce the size of text, pictures, maps, or other objects.

- From the keyboard:
  - Zoom in: Press the Windows logo key + the plus-sign key (+) to enlarge the size of text, pictures, maps, or other objects.
  - Zoom out: Press the Windows logo key + the minus-sign (-) key to reduce the size of text, pictures, maps, or other objects.
- From the touch screen:
  - Zoom in: Move two fingers farther apart on the touch screen to enlarge the size of text, pictures, maps, or other objects.
  - Zoom out: Move two fingers closer together on the touch screen to reduce the size of text, pictures, maps, or other objects.

#### Screen resolution

You can make your documents easier to read by adjusting the screen resolution of your computer. To adjust the screen resolution, right click anywhere on the desktop, click Screen resolution, and then adjust the settings as you prefer.

**Note:** Setting too low of a resolution might prevent some items from fitting on the screen.

For alternatives on increasing the size of text and other objects, see the following:

- "Customizable text size" on page 15
- "Magnifier" on page 16
- "Zoom" on page 16

#### Ease of Access keyboard shortcuts

The following table contains keyboard shortcuts that can help make your computer easier to use.

Keyboard shortcut	Function
Windows logo key + U	Open the Ease of Access Center
Right Shift for eight seconds	Turn Filter Keys on or off
Shift five times	Turn Sticky Keys on or off
Num Lock for five seconds	Turn Toggle Keys on or off

Keyboard shortcut	Function
Left Alt+Left Shift+Num Lock	Turn Mouse Keys on or off
Left Alt+Left Shift+PrtScn (or PrtSc)	Turn High Contrast on or off

For more information, go to http://windows.microsoft.com/, and then type any of the following keywords for searching: keyboard shortcuts, key combinations, shortcut keys.

#### On-Screen Keyboard

If you prefer to type or enter data into your computer without using a physical keyboard, you can use On-Screen Keyboard. On-Screen Keyboard displays a visual keyboard with all the standard keys. You can select keys using the mouse or another pointing device, or you can tap to select the keys if your computer supports multi-touch screen.

To open On-Screen Keyboard, click the **Start** button. Then, type On-Screen Keyboard into the search field. In the list of results, click **On-Screen Keyboard**.

For more information about how to use and configure On-Screen Keyboard, see the Windows Help and Support information system.

#### Personalized keyboard

The tactile bumps on the keyboard provide a reference point from which you can easily locate all keys on the keyboard without visual assistance.

To adjust your keyboard settings, open Control Panel, click **Ease of Access → Ease of Access Center**, and then click **Make the keyboard easier to use**.

#### **Industry-standard connectors**

Your computer provides industry-standard connectors that enable you to connect assistive devices, if needed.

For more information about the location and function of the connectors, see "Locating connectors, controls, and indicators on the front of your computer" on page 4 and "Locating connectors on the rear of your computer" on page 5.

#### **TTY/TDD** conversion modem

Your computer supports the use of the text telephone (TTY) or the telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) conversion modem. The modem must be connected between your computer and a TTY/TDD telephone. Then, you can type a message on your computer and send it to the telephone.

#### **Documentation in accessible formats**

Lenovo provides electronic documentation in accessible formats, such as properly tagged PDF files or HyperText Markup Language (HTML) files. Lenovo electronic documentation is developed to ensure that visually impaired users can read the documentation through a screen reader. Each image in the documentation also includes adequate alternative text so that visually impaired users can understand the image when they use a screen reader.

# Registering your computer

When you register your computer, information is entered into a database, which enables Lenovo to contact you in case of a recall or other severe problem. After you register your computer with Lenovo, you will receive quicker service when you call Lenovo for help. In addition, some locations offer extended privileges and services to registered users.

To register your computer with Lenovo, go to http://www.lenovo.com/register and follow the instructions on the screen to register your computer.

# Moving your computer to another country or region

When you move your computer to another country or region, you must take local electrical standards into consideration.

If you relocate your computer to a country or region that uses an electrical outlet style different from the type you are currently using, you will have to purchase either electrical plug adapters or new power cords. You can order power cords directly from Lenovo.

For power cord information and part numbers, go to: http://www.lenovo.com/powercordnotice

# Chapter 4. Security

This chapter provides information about how to protect your computer from theft and unauthorized use.

# **Security features**

The following security features are available on your computer:

· Computrace Agent software embedded in firmware

The Computrace Agent software is an IT asset management and computer theft recovery solution. The software detects if changes have been made on the computer, such as hardware, software, or the computer call-in location.

**Note:** You might have to purchase a subscription to activate the Computrace Agent software.

- Ability to enable and disable devices and USB connectors
   For more information, see "Enabling or disabling a device" on page 43.
- Startup sequence control

For more information, see "Selecting or changing the startup device sequence" on page 44.

Startup without keyboard or mouse

Your computer is able to log in to the operating system without keyboard or mouse connected.

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# Attaching a Kensington-style cable lock

You can use a Kensington-style cable lock to secure your computer to a desk, table, or other non-permanent fixture. The cable lock attaches to the security-lock slot at the rear of your computer and is operated with a key or combination depending on the type selected. The cable lock also locks the buttons used to open the computer cover. This is the same type of lock used with many notebook computers. You can order such a cable lock directly from Lenovo by searching for *Kensington* at: http://www.lenovo.com/support

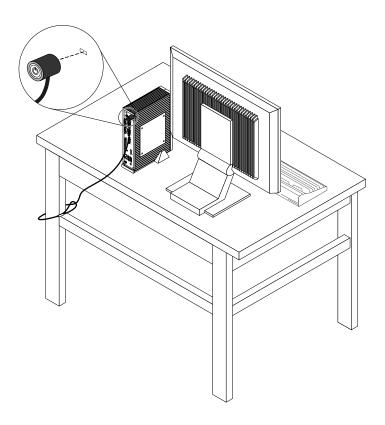


Figure 6. Kensington-style cable lock

# **Using passwords**

You can set a variety of passwords through the Microsoft Windows operating system and through the BIOS of your computer to help deter unauthorized use of your computer.

# **BIOS** passwords

You can use the BIOS Setup Utility program to set passwords to prevent unauthorized access to your computer and data. The following types of passwords are available:

- Power-On Password: When a Power-On Password is set, you are prompted to type a valid password each time the computer is turned on. The computer cannot be used until the valid password is typed in. For more information, see "Power-On Password" on page 42.
- Hard Disk Password: Setting a Hard Disk Password prevents unauthorized access to the data on the hard disk drive. When a Hard Disk Password is set, you are prompted to type a valid password each time you try to access the hard disk drive. For more information, see "Hard Disk Password" on page 42.

 Administrator Password: Setting an Administrator Password deters unauthorized users from changing configuration settings. If you are responsible for maintaining the configuration settings of several computers, you might want to set an Administrator Password. For more information, see "Administrator Password" on page 42.

You do not have to set any passwords to use your computer. However, using passwords improves computing security.

# Windows passwords

Depending on your version of the Windows operating system, you can use passwords for a variety of features, including controlling login access, access to shared resources, network access, and individual user settings.

# Using and understanding firewalls

A firewall can be hardware, software, or a combination of both depending on the level of security required. Firewalls work on a set of rules to determine which inbound and outbound connections are authorized. If your computer is preinstalled with a firewall program, it helps protect against computer Internet security threats, unauthorized access, intrusions, and Internet attacks. It also protects your privacy. For more information about how to use the firewall program, refer to the help system of your firewall program.

The Windows operating system preinstalled on your computer provides the Windows Firewall.

# Protecting data against viruses

Your computer is preinstalled with an antivirus program to help you guard against, detect, and eliminate viruses.

Lenovo provides a full version of antivirus software on your computer with a free 30-day subscription. After 30 days, you must renew the license to continue receiving the antivirus software updates.

Note: Virus definition files must be kept up-to-date to guard against new viruses.

For more information about how to use your antivirus software, refer to the help system of your antivirus software.

# Chapter 5. Installing or replacing hardware

This chapter provides instructions on how to install or replace hardware for your computer.

# Handling static-sensitive devices

Do not open the static-protective package containing the new part until the defective part has been removed from the computer and you are ready to install the new part. Static electricity, although harmless to you, can seriously damage computer components and parts.

When you handle parts and other computer components, take these precautions to avoid static-electricity damage:

- Limit your movement. Movement can cause static electricity to build up around you.
- Always handle parts and other computer components carefully. Handle PCI cards, memory modules, system boards, and microprocessors by the edges. Never touch any exposed circuitry.
- Prevent others from touching the parts and other computer components.
- Before you replace a new part, touch the static-protective package containing the part to a metal
  expansion-slot cover or other unpainted metal surface on the computer for at least two seconds. This
  reduces static electricity from the package and your body.
- When possible, remove the new part from the static-protective package, and install it directly in the
  computer without setting the part down. When this is not possible, place the static-protective package
  that the part came in on a smooth, level surface and place the part on the package.
- Do not place the part on the computer cover or other metal surface.

# Installing or replacing hardware

This section provides instructions on how to install or replace hardware for your computer. You can expand the capabilities of your computer and maintain your computer by installing or replacing hardware.

#### Attention:

Do not open your computer or attempt any repair before reading and understanding the "Important safety information" on page iii.

#### Notes:

- Use only computer parts provided by Lenovo.
- When installing or replacing an option, use the appropriate instructions in this section along with the instructions that come with the option.

# Installing external options

You can connect external options to your computer, such as external speakers, a printer, or a scanner. For some external options, you must install additional software in addition to making the physical connection. When installing an external option, see "Locating connectors, controls, and indicators on the front of your computer" on page 4 and "Locating connectors on the rear of your computer" on page 5 to identify the required connector. Then, use the instructions that come with the option to help you make the connection and install any software or device drivers that are required for the option.

# Installing or removing the ac power adapter

#### Attention:

Do not open your computer or attempt any repair before reading and understanding the "Important safety information" on page iii.

This section provides instructions on how to install or remove the ac power adapter.

To install the ac power adapter, connect the ac power adapter to the ac power adapter connector at the rear of your computer and a workable electrical outlet. Secure the power cord into the power adapter cable loop at the rear of the computer as shown.

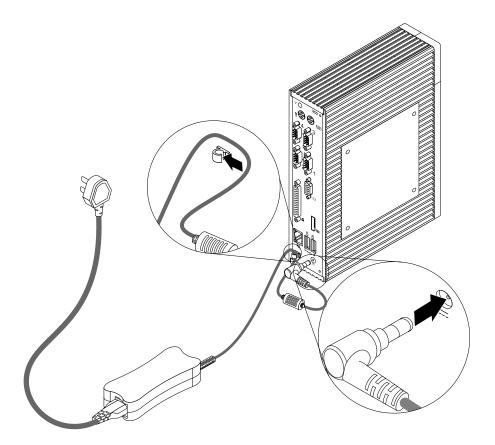


Figure 7. Connecting the ac power adapter

To remove the ac power adapter, do the following:

1. Turn off the computer and disconnect all power cords from electrical outlets.

2. Remove the power cord from the ac power adapter cable loop at the rear of the computer and then disconnect the ac power adapter from the computer.

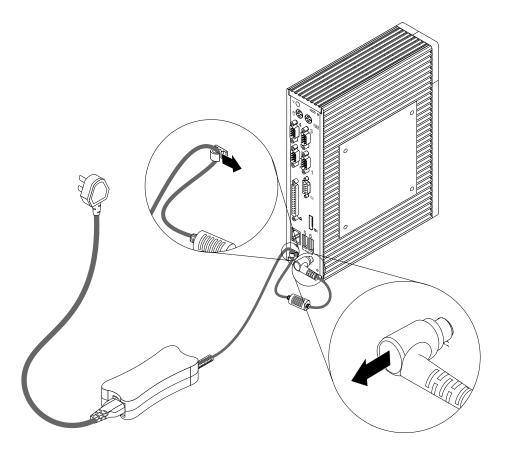


Figure 8. Disconnecting the ac power adapter

# Installing or removing the vertical stand

#### Attention:

Do not open your computer or attempt any repair before reading and understanding the "Important safety information" on page iii.

This section provides instructions on how to install or remove the vertical stand.

To install the vertical stand, do the following:

1. Turn off the computer and disconnect the ac power adapter and all cables from the computer.

2. Align the rear of the computer with the rear of the vertical stand and position the computer on the vertical stand as shown.

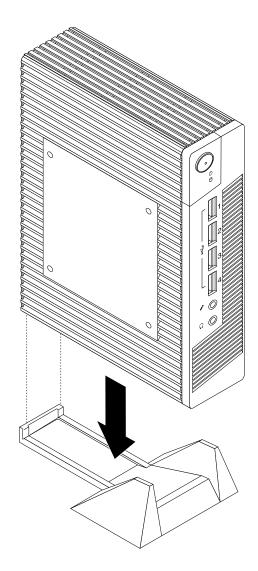


Figure 9. Installing the vertical stand

To remove the vertical stand, do the following:

1. Turn off the computer and disconnect all power cords from electrical outlets.

2. Lift the computer to remove it from the vertical stand.

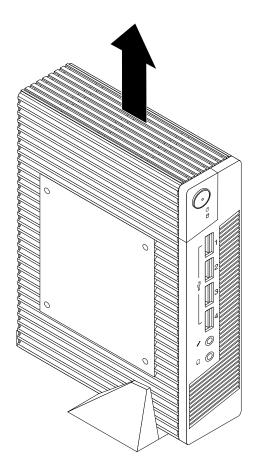


Figure 10. Removing the computer from the vertical stand

# Removing the computer cover

#### Attention:

Do not open your computer or attempt any repair before reading and understanding the "Important safety information" on page iii.

This section provides instructions on how to remove the computer cover.

#### **CAUTION:**



Before you open the computer cover, turn off the computer and wait several minutes until the computer is cool.

To remove the computer cover, do the following:

- 1. Turn off the computer and disconnect the ac power adapter and all cables from the computer.
- 2. Remove any locking device that secures the computer cover, such as a Kensington-style cable lock. See "Attaching a Kensington-style cable lock" on page 20.

3. Remove the two screws that secure the computer cover.

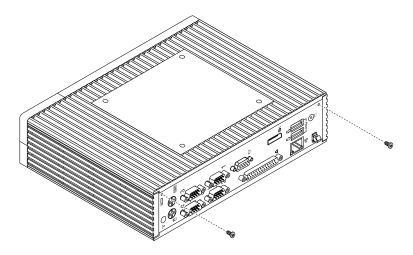


Figure 11. Removing the screws that secure the computer cover

4. Slide the computer cover to the front of the computer a small amount. Then, lift the computer cover to remove it from the computer.

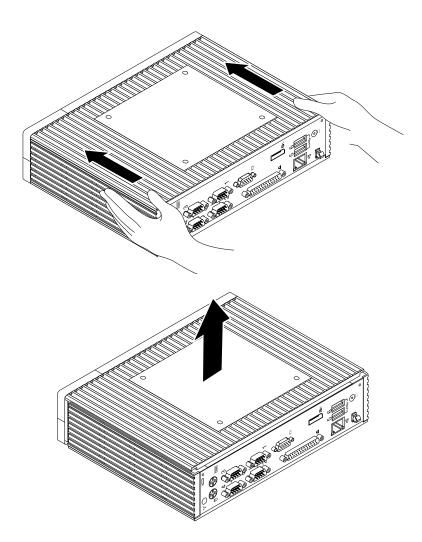


Figure 12. Removing the computer cover

# Replacing the DOM card

#### Attention

Do not open your computer or attempt any repair before reading and understanding the "Important safety information" on page iii.

This section provides instructions on how to replace the disk on module (DOM) card.

- 1. Turn off the computer and disconnect the ac power adapter and all cables from the computer.
- 2. Remove the computer cover. See "Removing the computer cover" on page 27.
- 3. Locate the DOM card. See "Locating components" on page 7.

4. Remove the screw that secures the plastic retainer. Then, remove the plastic retainer as shown.

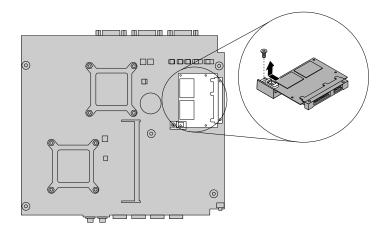


Figure 13. Removing the plastic retainer that secures the DOM card

5. Gently pull the old DOM card out of the DOM card slot.

#### **Notes:**

- The DOM card fits tightly in the DOM card slot. If necessary, alternatively move each side of the DOM card a small amount until it is removed from the DOM card slot.
- Do not touch the contact edge and circuit board of the DOM card.

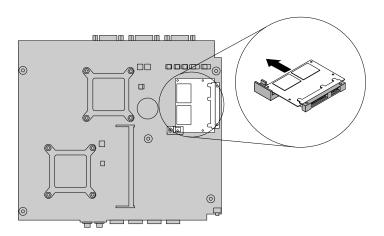


Figure 14. Removing the DOM card

6. Touch the static-protective package that contains the new DOM card to any unpainted surface on the outside of the computer. Then, take the new DOM card out of the package.

7. Align the notch 2 on the new DOM card with the key 1 in the DOM card slot and then insert the new DOM card into the DOM card slot. Ensure that the DOM card is secured firmly in the DOM card slot and does not move easily.

Note: Do not touch the contact edge and circuit board of the DOM card.

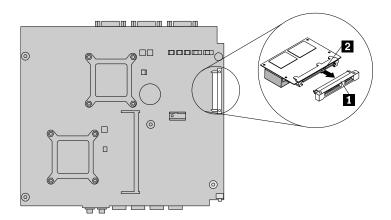


Figure 15. Installing the DOM card

8. Slide the plastic retainer as shown. Then, install the screw to secure the plastic retainer.

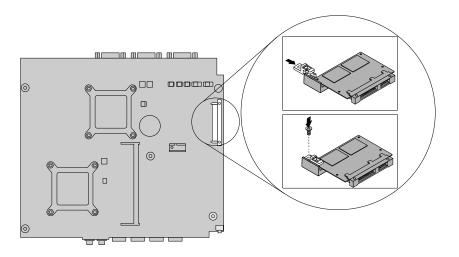


Figure 16. Installing the plastic retainer to secure the DOM card

#### What to do next:

- To work with another piece of hardware, go to the appropriate section.
- To complete the installation or replacement, go to "Completing the parts replacement" on page 37.

# Replacing the memory module

#### Attention:

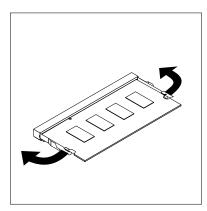
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This section provides instructions on how to replace the memory module.

Your computer has one memory slot for installing or replacing a DDR3 SODIMM that provides up to a maximum of 4 GB system memory. When replacing the memory module, use a 2 GB or 4GB DDR3 SODIMM.

To replace the memory module, do the following:

- 1. Turn off the computer and disconnect the ac power adapter and all cables from the computer.
- 2. Remove the computer cover. See "Removing the computer cover" on page 27.
- 3. Locate the memory slot. See "Locating parts on the system board" on page 8.
- 4. Open the retaining clips and gently pull the memory module out of the memory slot.



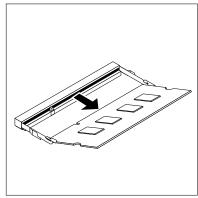
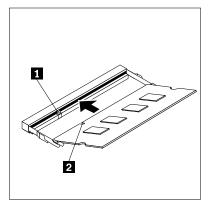


Figure 17. Removing the memory module

5. Align the notch 2 on the new memory module with the key 1 in the memory slot and then insert the new memory module into the slot at an angle of about 20 degrees. Ensure that the new memory module is inserted firmly and then pivot the memory module downward until it snaps into position.

#### Notes:

- Carefully handle the memory module by its edges.
- Ensure that the memory module is secured in the slot and does not move easily.



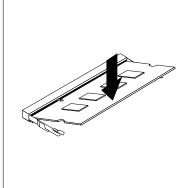


Figure 18. Installing the memory module

### What to do next:

- To work with another piece of hardware, go to the appropriate section.
- To complete the installation or replacement, go to "Completing the parts replacement" on page 37.

# Replacing the battery

#### Attention:

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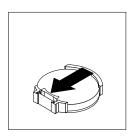
Your computer has a special type of memory that maintains the date, time, and settings for built-in features, such as parallel-connector assignments (configuration). A battery keeps this information active when you turn off the computer.

The battery normally requires no charging or maintenance throughout its life; however, no battery lasts forever. If the battery fails, the date, time, and configuration information (including passwords) are lost. An error message is displayed when you turn on the computer.

Refer to the "Lithium coin cell battery notice" in the Safety, Warranty, and Setup Guide for information about replacing and disposing of the battery.

To replace the battery, do the following:

- 1. Turn off the computer and disconnect the ac power adapter and all cables from the computer.
- 2. Remove the computer cover. See "Removing the computer cover" on page 27.
- 3. Locate the battery. See "Locating parts on the system board" on page 8.
- 4. Remove the old battery.



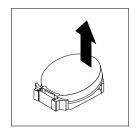
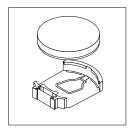
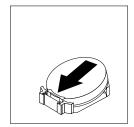




Figure 19. Removing the old battery

5. Install a new battery.





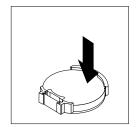


Figure 20. Installing a new battery

6. Reinstall the computer cover and reconnect the cables. See "Completing the parts replacement" on page 37.

**Note:** When the computer is turned on for the first time after replacing the battery, an error message might be displayed. This is normal after replacing the battery.

- 7. Turn on the computer and all attached devices.
- 8. Use the Setup Utility program to set the date, time, and any passwords. See Chapter 6 "Using the Setup Utility program" on page 41.

# Replacing the system board

#### Attention:

Do not open your computer or attempt any repair before reading and understanding the "Important safety information" on page iii.

### **CAUTION:**



The heat sink and microprocessor might be very hot. Before you open the computer cover, turn off the computer and wait several minutes until the computer is cool.

This section provides instructions on how to replace the system board.

To replace the system board, do the following:

- 1. Turn off the computer and disconnect the ac power adapter and all cables from the computer.
- 2. Lay the computer on its side for easier access to the system board.
- 3. Remove the computer cover. See "Removing the computer cover" on page 27.
- 4. Remove the DOM card. See "Replacing the DOM card" on page 29.
- 5. Remove the memory module. See "Replacing the memory module" on page 31.
- 6. Remove the five screws that secure the system board by following the sequence shown in the following illustration. Then, carefully pivot the failing system board upward to remove it out of the chassis.

**Note:** Carefully handle the system board by its edges.

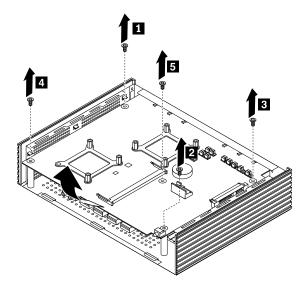


Figure 21. Removing the system board

7. Note the orientation of the new system board and install it into the chassis. Ensure that the five screw holes in the new system board are aligned with the corresponding mounting studs on the chassis.

Note: Carefully handle the system board by its edges.

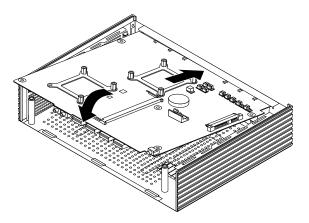


Figure 22. Installing the system board

8. Install the five screws to secure the new system board by following the sequence shown in the following illustration.

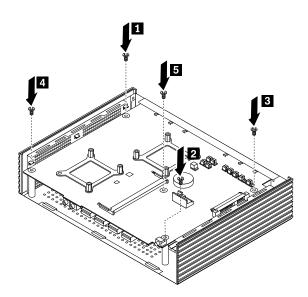


Figure 23. Installing the five screws to secure the system board

- 9. Install the memory module removed from the failing system board onto the new system board. See "Replacing the memory module" on page 31.
- 10. Install the DOM card removed from the failing system board onto the new system board. See "Replacing the DOM card" on page 29.

#### What to do next:

- To work with another piece of hardware, go to the appropriate section.
- To complete the installation or replacement, go to "Completing the parts replacement" on page 37.

# Replacing the keyboard

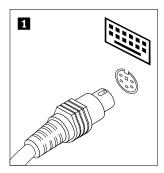
#### Attention:

Do not open your computer or attempt any repair before reading and understanding the "Important safety information" on page iii.

This section provides instructions on how to replace the keyboard.

To replace the keyboard, do the following:

- 1. Turn off the computer and disconnect all power cords from electrical outlets.
- 2. Disconnect the old keyboard cable from the computer.
- 3. Connect a new keyboard to the appropriate connector on the computer. Your keyboard might be connected to a PS/2 keyboard connector 1 or a USB connector 2. Depending on where you want to connect your keyboard, see "Locating connectors, controls, and indicators on the front of your computer" on page 4 or "Locating connectors on the rear of your computer" on page 5.



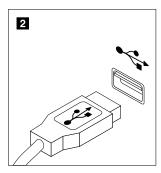


Figure 24. Keyboard connectors

# Replacing the mouse

#### Attention:

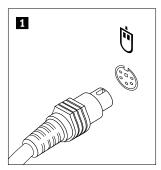
Do not open your computer or attempt any repair before reading and understanding the "Important safety information" on page iii.

This section provides instructions on how to replace the mouse.

To replace the mouse, do the following:

- 1. Turn off the computer and disconnect all power cords from electrical outlets.
- 2. Disconnect the old mouse cable from the computer.

3. Connect a new mouse to the appropriate connector on the computer. Your mouse might be connected to a PS/2 mouse connector 1 or a USB connector 2. Depending on where you want to connect your mouse, see "Locating connectors, controls, and indicators on the front of your computer" on page 4 or "Locating connectors on the rear of your computer" on page 5.



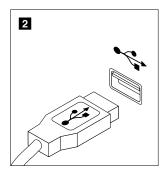


Figure 25. Mouse connectors

# Completing the parts replacement

After completing the installation or replacement for all parts, you need to reinstall the computer cover and reconnect cables. Depending on the parts you installed or replaced, you might need to confirm the updated information in the Setup Utility program. Refer to Chapter 6 "Using the Setup Utility program" on page 41.

To reinstall the computer cover and reconnect cables to your computer, do the following:

1. Ensure that all components have been reassembled correctly and that no tools or loose screws are left inside your computer. See "Locating components" on page 7 for the locations of various components in your computer.

2. Position the computer cover on the chassis and then push the cover to the rear of the computer until it snaps into position.

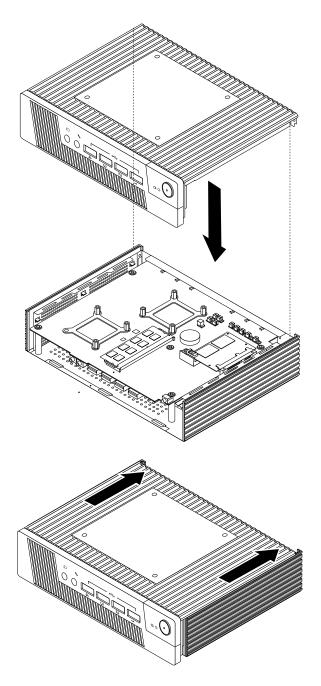


Figure 26. Installing the computer cover

3. Install the two screws to secure the computer cover.

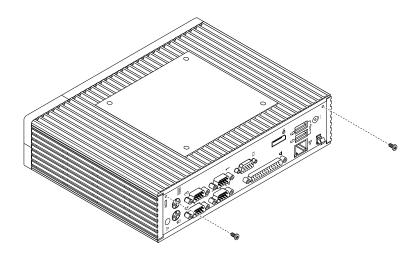


Figure 27. Installing the screws to secure the computer cover

- 4. If there is a Kensington-style cable lock available, lock the computer. See "Attaching a Kensington-style cable lock" on page 20.
- 5. Reconnect the external cables and ac power adapter to the computer. See "Locating connectors on the rear of your computer" on page 5.
- 6. To update the configuration, see Chapter 6 "Using the Setup Utility program" on page 41.

**Note:** In most areas of the world, Lenovo requires the return of the defective Customer Replaceable Unit (CRU). Information about this will come with the CRU or will come a few days after the CRU arrives.

## Obtaining device drivers

You can obtain device drivers that are not preinstalled in your operating system at http://www.lenovo.com/support. Installation instructions are provided in readme files with the device-driver files.

## **Lenovo Thin Client Manager**

The Lenovo Thin Client Manager (LTM) program is a management tool that enables you to manage all the thin client devices. To download LTM and find more information about Lenovo Thin Client devices, go to http://www.lenovo.com/support/thinclient and follow the instructions on the screen.

# Chapter 6. Using the Setup Utility program

The Setup Utility program is used to view and change the configuration settings of your computer, regardless of which operating system you are using. However, the operating system settings might override any similar settings in the Setup Utility program.

# Starting the Setup Utility program

To start the Setup Utility program, do the following:

- 1. Make sure your computer is turned off.
- 2. Repeatedly press and release the F1 key when turning on the computer. When you hear multiple beeps or see a logo screen, release the F1 key.

**Note:** If a Power-On Password or an Administrator Password has been set, the Setup Utility program menu will not be displayed until you type the correct password. For more information, see "Using passwords" on page 41.

When the POST detects that the hard disk drive has been removed from your computer or the memory module size has decreased, an error message will be displayed when you start the computer and you will be prompted to do one of the following:

· Press F1 to enter the Setup Utility program.

**Note:** After you enter the Setup Utility program, press F10 to save changes and exit the Setup Utility program. Press Enter when prompted to confirm the exit. The error message will not be displayed again.

Press F2 to bypass the error message and log in to the operating system.

**Note:** You have to enable the configuration change detection feature for the POST to detect the removal of the hard disk drive and memory module size decrease. To enable the configuration change detection feature, do the following:

- 1. Start the Setup Utility program.
- From the Setup Utility program main menu, select Security → Configuration Change Detection, and press Enter.
- 3. Select Enabled and press Enter.
- 4. Press F10 to save changes and exit the Setup Utility program. Press Enter when prompted to confirm the exit.

# Viewing and changing settings

The Setup Utility program menu lists various items about the system configuration. To view or change settings, start the Setup Utility program. See "Starting the Setup Utility program" on page 41. Then, follow the instructions on the screen.

You can use either the keyboard or the mouse to navigate through BIOS menu choices. The keys used to perform various tasks are displayed at the bottom of each screen.

# **Using passwords**

By using the Setup Utility program, you can set passwords to prevent unauthorized access to your computer and data. The following types of passwords are available:

- Power-On Password
- Administrator Password
- · Hard Disk Password

You do not have to set any passwords to use your computer. However, using passwords improves computing security. If you decide to set any passwords, read the following sections.

#### Password considerations

A password can be any combination of up to 64 alphabetic and numeric characters. For security reasons, it is recommended to use a strong password that cannot be easily compromised. To set a strong password, use the following guidelines:

- Have at least eight characters in length
- Contain at least one alphabetic character and one numeric character
- Setup Utility program and hard disk drive passwords are not case sensitive
- Not be your name or your user name
- Not be a common word or a common name
- · Be significantly different from your previous passwords

#### Power-On Password

When a Power-On Password is set, you are prompted to type a valid password each time the computer is turned on. The computer cannot be used until the valid password is typed in.

#### Administrator Password

Setting an Administrator Password deters unauthorized users from changing configuration settings. If you are responsible for maintaining the configuration settings of several computers, you might want to set an Administrator Password.

When an Administrator Password is set, you are prompted to type a valid password each time you try to access the Setup Utility program. The Setup Utility program cannot be accessed until a valid password is typed in.

If both the Power-On Password and Administrator Password are set, you can type either password. However, you must use your Administrator Password to change any configuration settings.

#### Hard Disk Password

Setting a Hard Disk Password prevents unauthorized access to the data on the hard disk drive. When a Hard Disk Password is set, you are prompted to type a valid password each time you try to access the hard disk drive.

#### Notes:

- After you set a Hard Disk Password, your data on the hard disk drive is protected even if the hard disk drive is removed from one computer and installed in another.
- If the Hard Disk Password is forgotten, there is no way to reset the password or recover data from the hard disk drive.

# Setting, changing, and deleting a password

To set, change, or delete a password, do the following:

- 1. Start the Setup Utility program. See "Starting the Setup Utility program" on page 41.
- 2. From the Setup Utility program main menu, select Security.
- Depending on the password type, select Set Power-On Password, Set Administrator Password, or Hard Disk Password.
- 4. Follow the instructions on the right side of the screen to set, change, or delete a password.

**Note:** A password can be any combination of up to 64 alphabetic and numeric characters. For more information, see "Password considerations" on page 42.

# Erasing lost or forgotten passwords (clearing CMOS)

This section provides instructions on how to erase lost or forgotten passwords, such as a user password.

To erase a lost or forgotten password, do the following:

- 1. Remove all media from the drives and turn off all attached devices and the computer. Then, disconnect all power cords from electrical outlets and disconnect all cables that are connected to the computer.
- 2. Remove the computer cover. See "Removing the computer cover" on page 27.
- 3. Locate the Clear CMOS /Recovery jumper on the system board. See "Locating parts on the system board" on page 8.
- 4. Move the jumper from the standard position (pin 1 and pin 2) to the maintenance position (pin 2 and pin 3).
- 5. Reinstall the computer cover and connect the power cord. See "Completing the parts replacement" on page 37.
- 6. Turn on the computer and leave it on for approximately 10 seconds. When you hear short beeps, turn off the computer by holding the power switch for approximately five seconds.
- 7. Repeat step 1 through step 2.
- 8. Move the Clear CMOS /Recovery jumper back to the standard position (pin 1 and pin 2).
- 9. Reinstall the computer cover and connect the power cord. See "Completing the parts replacement" on page 37.

# Enabling or disabling a device

This section provides information on how to enable or disable user access to the following devices:

USB Setup Use this option to enable or disable a USB connector. When a USB connector is

disabled, the device connected to the USB connector cannot be used.

**SATA Controller** When this feature is set to **Disable**, all devices connected to the SATA connectors

(such as hard disk drives or the optical drive) are disabled and cannot be accessed.

To enable or disable a device, do the following:

- 1. Start the Setup Utility program. See "Starting the Setup Utility program" on page 41.
- 2. From the Setup Utility program main menu, select **Devices**.
- 3. Depending on the device you want to enable or disable, do one of the following:
  - Select **USB Setup** to enable or disable a USB device.
  - Select **ATA Drive Setup** to enable or disable an internal or external SATA device.
- 4. Select the desired settings and press Enter.
- 5. Press F10 to save changes and exit the Setup Utility program. See "Exiting the Setup Utility program" on page 45.

# Selecting a startup device

If your computer does not start up from a device such as the disc or hard disk drive as expected, do one of the following to select the startup device you want.

# Selecting a temporary startup device

Use this procedure to select a temporary startup device.

Note: Not all discs and hard disk drives are bootable.

- Turn off your computer.
- 2. Repeatedly press and release the F12 key when turning on the computer. When the Please select boot device window displays, release the F12 key.
- 3. Select the desired startup device and press Enter. The computer will start up from the device you selected.

**Note:** Selecting a startup device from the Please select boot device window does not permanently change the startup sequence.

# Selecting or changing the startup device sequence

To view or permanently change the configured startup device sequence, do the following:

- 1. Start the Setup Utility program. See "Starting the Setup Utility program" on page 41.
- 2. From the Setup Utility program main menu, select Startup.
- 3. Select the devices for the Primary Startup Sequence, the Automatic Startup Sequence, and the Error Startup Sequence. Read the information displayed on the right side of the screen.
- Press F10 to save changes and exit the Setup Utility program. See "Exiting the Setup Utility program" on page 45.

# **Enabling ErP LPS compliance mode**

Lenovo computers meet the eco-design requirements of the ErP Lot 3 regulation. For more information, go to:

http://www.lenovo.com/ecodeclaration

You can enable ErP LPS compliance mode in the Setup Utility program to reduce the consumption of electricity when your computer is off or in sleep mode.

To enable ErP LPS compliance mode in the Setup Utility program, do the following:

- 1. Start the Setup Utility program. See "Starting the Setup Utility program" on page 41.
- 2. From the Setup Utility program main menu, select **Power → Enhanced Power Saving Mode**, and press Enter.
- 3. Select **Enabled** and press Enter.
- 4. From the **Power** menu, select **Automatic Power On** and press Enter.
- 5. Select Wake on Lan and press Enter.
- 6. Select Disabled and press Enter.
- 7. Press F10 to save changes and exit the Setup Utility program. Press Enter when prompted to confirm the exit.

**Note:** When ErP LPS compliance mode is enabled, you can wake up your computer by doing one of the following:

- Pressing the power switch
- Enabling the wake up on alarm feature

The wake up on alarm feature enables your computer to wake up at a set time. To enable the wake up on alarm feature, do the following:

- 1. Start the Setup Utility program.
- From the Setup Utility program main menu, select Power → Automatic Power On, and press Enter.
- 3. Select Wake Up on Alarm and press Enter. Then follow the instructions on the screen.
- 4. Press F10 to save changes and exit the Setup Utility program. Press Enter when prompted to confirm the exit.
- Enabling the after power loss feature

The after power loss feature enables your computer to wake up when the power supply resumes after a sudden loss of electricity. To enable the after power loss feature, do the following:

- 1. Start the Setup Utility program.
- 2. From the Setup Utility program main menu, select **Power → After Power Loss**, and press Enter.
- 3. Select **Power On** and press Enter.
- 4. Press F10 to save changes and exit the Setup Utility program. Press Enter when prompted to confirm the exit.

# Exiting the Setup Utility program

After you finish viewing or changing settings, press Esc to return to the Setup Utility program main menu. You might have to press Esc several times. Do one of the following:

- If you want to save the new settings, press F10 to save changes and exit the Setup Utility program.
- If you do not want to save the settings, select Exit → Discard Changes and Exit, and then press Enter.
  When the Reset Without Saving window shows, select Yes, and then press Enter to exit the Setup
  Utility program.
- If you want to return to the default settings, press F9 to load the default settings, and then press F10 to save and exit the Setup Utility program.

# Chapter 7. Updating system programs

This chapter provides information about updating the POST and BIOS, and how to recover from a POST and BIOS update failure.

# Using system programs

System programs are the basic layer of software built into your computer. System programs include the POST, the BIOS, and the Setup Utility program. The POST is a set of tests and procedures that are performed each time you turn on your computer. The BIOS is a layer of software that translates instructions from other layers of software into electrical signals that the computer hardware can execute. You can use the Setup Utility program to view or change the configuration settings of your computer. See Chapter 6 "Using the Setup Utility program" on page 41 for detailed information.

Your computer system board has a module called electrically erasable programmable read-only memory (EEPROM, also referred to as flash memory). You can easily update the POST, the BIOS, and the Setup Utility program by starting your computer with a system-program-update disc or running a special update program from your operating system.

Lenovo might make changes and enhancements to the POST and BIOS. When updates are released, they are available as downloadable files on the Lenovo Web site at http://www.lenovo.com. Instructions for using the POST and BIOS updates are available in a TXT file that is included with the update files. For most models, you can download either an update program to create a system-program-update disc or an update program that can be run from the operating system.

# Updating (flashing) the BIOS from a disc

This section provides instructions on how to update (flash) the BIOS from a disc.

**Note:** You can download a self-starting bootable disc image (known as an ISO image) with the system program updates to create a system-program-update disc. Go to: http://www.lenovo.com/support

To update (flash) the BIOS from a disc, do the following:

- 1. Turn off your computer.
- 2. Repeatedly press and release the F12 key when turning on the computer. When the Startup Device Menu window opens, release the F12 key.
- 3. From the Startup Device Menu window, select the desired optical drive as the startup device. Then, insert the disc into this optical drive and press Enter. The update begins.
- 4. When prompted to change the serial number, it is suggested that you do not make this change by pressing N. However, if you do want to change the serial number, press Y, then type in the serial number and press Enter.
- 5. When prompted to change the machine type and model, it is suggested that you do not make this change by pressing N. However, if you do want to change the machine type and model, press Y, then type in the machine type and model and press Enter.
- 6. Follow the instructions on the screen to complete the update. After the update is completed, remove the disc from the optical drive.

# Updating (flashing) the BIOS from your operating system

**Note:** Because Lenovo makes constant improvements to its Web sites, the Web page contents are subject to change without notice, including the contents referenced in the following procedure.

To update (flash) the BIOS from your operating system, do the following:

- 1. Go to http://www.lenovo.com/support.
- 2. Click Download Drivers & Software.
- 3. Click Use Quick Path.
- 4. Type the 4-digit machine type for your computer in the Quick Path field and then click Find My Product.
- 5. Click BIOS.
- 6. Locate the BIOS version that you want to download.
- 7. Click Click for files. All available files will be displayed.
- 8. Click the link for the readme file that contains the instructions for updating (flashing) the BIOS from your operating system.
- 9. Print these instructions. This is very important because these instructions will not be displayed on the screen after the download begins.
- 10. Follow the printed instructions to download, extract, and install the update.

# Recovering from a POST/BIOS update failure

If the power to your computer is interrupted while the POST and BIOS is being updated, your computer might not restart correctly. If this happens, perform the following procedure to recover from the POST and BIOS update failure. This procedure is commonly called Boot-block Recovery.

- 1. Remove all media from the drives and turn off all attached devices and the computer. Then, disconnect all power cords from electrical outlets and disconnect all cables that are connected to the computer.
- 2. Remove the computer cover. See "Removing the computer cover" on page 27.
- 3. Locate the Clear CMOS /Recovery jumper on the system board. See "Locating parts on the system board" on page 8.
- 4. Remove any cables that impede access to the Clear CMOS /Recovery jumper.
- 5. Move the jumper from the standard position (pin 1 and pin 2) to the maintenance position (pin 2 and pin 3).
- 6. Reconnect any cables that were disconnected and reinstall the PCI card if removed.
- 7. Reinstall the computer cover and reconnect the power cords for the computer and monitor to electrical outlets. See "Completing the parts replacement" on page 37.
- 8. Turn on the computer and then insert the POST and BIOS update (flash update) disc into the optical drive. Wait a few minutes. Then, the recovery session begins. The recovery session will take two to three minutes. During this time, a warning message will be displayed and no action is needed from you.
- 9. After the recovery session is completed, there will be no video, and your computer will automatically turn off.
- Repeat step 1 through step 4.
- 11. Move the Clear CMOS /Recovery jumper back to the standard position (pin 1 and pin 2).
- 12. Reconnect any cables that were disconnected and reinstall the PCI card if removed.
- 13. Reinstall the computer cover and reconnect any cables that were disconnected.
- 14. Turn on the computer to restart the operating system.

# **Chapter 8. Preventing problems**

This chapter provides information that can help you avoid common problems and keep your computer running smoothly.

# Cleaning and maintenance

With appropriate care and maintenance your computer will serve you reliably. The following topics offer information to help you keep your computer in top working order.

- "Basics" on page 49
- "Cleaning your computer" on page 49
  - "Computer" on page 49
  - "Keyboard" on page 49
  - "Optical mouse" on page 50
  - "Display screen" on page 50
- "Good maintenance practices" on page 50

#### **Basics**

Here are some basic points about keeping your computer functioning properly:

- Keep your computer in a clean, dry environment. Make sure it rests on a flat, steady surface.
- Do not place items on top of the monitor or cover any of the vents in the monitor or computer. These vents provide airflow to keep your computer from overheating.
- Keep food and drinks away from all parts of your computer. Food particles and spills might make the keyboard and mouse stick and unusable.
- Do not get the power switches or other controls wet. Moisture can damage these parts and cause an electrical hazard.
- Always disconnect a power cord by grasping the plug, but not the cord.

# Cleaning your computer

It is a good practice to clean your computer periodically to protect the surfaces and ensure trouble-free operation.

#### **CAUTION:**

Be sure to turn off the computer and monitor power switches before cleaning the computer and monitor screen.

#### Computer

Use only mild cleaning solutions and a damp cloth to clean the painted surfaces of the computer.

#### Keyboard

To clean your computer keyboard, do the following:

- 1. Apply some isopropyl rubbing alcohol to a soft, dust-free cloth.
- Wipe each keytop surface with the cloth. Wipe the keys one by one; if you wipe several keys at a time, the cloth may hook onto an adjacent key and possibly damage it. Make sure that no liquid drips onto or between the keys.

3. To remove any crumbs or dust from beneath the keys, you can use a camera blower with a brush or cool air from a hair dryer.

**Note:** Avoid spraying cleaner directly onto the display or the keyboard.

#### **Optical mouse**

This section provides instructions on how to clean an optical mouse.

An optical mouse uses a light-emitting diode (LED) and an optical sensor to navigate the pointer. If the pointer on the screen does not move smoothly with the optical mouse, you might need to clean the mouse.

To clean an optical mouse, do the following:

- 1. Turn off your computer.
- 2. Disconnect the mouse cable from the computer.
- 3. Turn the mouse upside down to check the lens.
  - a. If there is a smudge on the lens, gently clean the area with a plain cotton-tipped swab.
  - b. If there is debris in the lens, gently blow the debris away from the area.
- 4. Check the surface on which you are using the mouse. If you have a very intricate picture or pattern beneath the mouse, it may be difficult for the digital signal processor (DSP) to determine changes in the mouse position.
- 5. Reconnect the mouse cable to the computer.
- 6. Turn your computer back on.

## Display screen

Dust buildup compounds problems associated with glare. Remember to clean your monitor screen periodically. See "Cleaning a flat-panel monitor surface" on page 50 or "Cleaning a glass-screen surface" on page 50.

#### Cleaning a flat-panel monitor surface

If you have a flat-panel computer display that has a flexible film surface, do the following to clean the special surface. Wipe it gently with a soft, dry cloth, or blow on the screen to remove grit and other loose particles. Then moisten a cloth with LCD cleaner and wipe the screen surface.

Many computer supply stores carry the special cleaning fluids for displays. Use cleaning fluids developed for LCD displays only. First apply the fluid to a lint-free, soft cloth, then clean the LCD display. Some computer supply stores carry pre-moistened towelettes for LCD maintenance.

#### Cleaning a glass-screen surface

To clean a glass-screen surface, wipe it gently with a soft, dry cloth, or blow on the screen to remove grit and other loose particles. Then use a soft cloth moistened with a nonabrasive liquid glass cleaner.

# **Good maintenance practices**

By performing a few good maintenance practices, you can maintain good computer performance, protect your data, and be prepared in case of a computer failure.

- Empty your recycle bin on a regular basis.
- Run the Windows Disk Defragmenter program occasionally to prevent performance problems caused by an excessive number of fragmented files.
- Clean out your Inbox, Sent Items, and Deleted Items folders in your e-mail application on a regular basis.

- Make backup copies of critical data on removable media memory at regular intervals and store the
  removable media in a safe location. The frequency of making backup copies depends on how critical the
  data is to you or your business. Lenovo makes a number of removable-media storage devices available
  as options, such as CD-RW drives and recordable DVD drives.
- · Back up your entire hard disk drive on a regular basis.
- Keep your computer software up-to-date.
- Keep a log book. Entries might include major software or hardware changes, device-driver updates, intermittent problems and what you did to resolve them, and any minor issues you might have experienced. A log book can help you or a Lenovo technician determine if a problem is related to change in hardware, change in software, or some other action that might have taken place.

# Moving your computer

Take the following precautions before moving your computer.

- 1. Back up all files and data from the hard disk drive. There are a variety of backup programs available commercially. Your operating system also might have a backup program that you can use.
- 2. Remove all media (diskettes, compact discs, tapes, and so on) from the drives.
- 3. Turn off the computer and all attached devices. Your hard disk drive automatically parks the read/write head in a nondata area. This prevents damage to the hard disk drive.
- 4. Unplug the power cords from electrical outlets.
- 5. Disconnect communication cables, such as modem or network cables, from the outlets first, and then disconnect the other ends from the computer.
- 6. Note where any remaining cables are attached to the computer; then, remove them.
- 7. If you saved the original shipping cartons and packing materials, use them to pack the units. If you are using different cartons, cushion the units to avoid damage.

# Chapter 9. Troubleshooting and diagnostics

This chapter provides information about diagnosing and troubleshooting computer problems. If your computer problem is not described here, see Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65 for additional troubleshooting resources.

# **Basic troubleshooting**

The following table provides information to help you troubleshoot your computer problems.

**Note:** If you cannot correct the problem, have the computer serviced. For a list of service and support telephone numbers, refer to the *Safety, Warranty, and Setup Guide* that comes with your computer or go to the Lenovo Support Web site at http://www.lenovo.com/support/phone.

Symptom	Action
The computer does not start when you press the power switch.	Verify that:
	The power cord is correctly connected to the rear of the computer and to a working electrical outlet.
	If your computer has a secondary power switch on the rear of the computer, make sure that it is switched on.
	The power indicator on the front of the computer is on.
	The computer voltage matches the voltage available at the electrical outlet for your country or region.
The monitor screen is blank.	Verify that:
	The monitor signal cable is correctly connected to the monitor and to the appropriate monitor connector on the computer.
	The monitor power cord is correctly connected to the monitor and to a working electrical outlet.
	The monitor is turned on and the brightness and contrast controls are set correctly.
	The computer voltage matches the voltage available at the electrical outlet for your country or region.
	If your computer has two monitor connectors, be sure to use the connector on the graphics card.
The keyboard does not work.	Verify that:
	The computer is turned on.
	The keyboard is securely connected to a USB connector on the computer.
	No keys are stuck.
The mouse does not work.	Verify that:
	The computer is turned on.
	The mouse is securely connected to a USB connector on the computer.
	The mouse is clean. Refer to "Optical mouse" on page 50 for further information.

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Symptom	Action
The operating system does not start.	Verify that:  The startup sequence includes the device where the operating system resides. Usually, the operating system is on the hard disk drive. For more information, see "Selecting a startup device" on page 44.
The computer beeps multiple times before the operating system starts.	Verify that no keys are stuck.

# **Troubleshooting procedure**

Use the following procedure as a starting point for diagnosing problems you are experiencing with your computer:

- 1. Verify that the cables for all attached devices are connected correctly and securely.
- 2. Verify that all attached devices that require ac power are connected to properly grounded, functioning electrical outlets.
- 3. Verify that all attached devices are enabled in the BIOS settings of your computer. For more information about accessing and changing the BIOS settings, refer to your Chapter 6 "Using the Setup Utility program" on page 41.
- 4. Go to the "Troubleshooting" on page 54 and follow the instructions for the type of problem you are experiencing. If the Troubleshooting information does not help you resolve a problem, continue with the next step.
- 5. Try using a previously captured configuration to see if a recent change to hardware or software settings has caused a problem. Before restoring a previous configuration, capture your current configuration in case the older configuration settings do not solve the problem or have adverse effects. To restore a captured configuration, do the following:
  - For Windows Embedded Standard 7: Click Start → Control Panel → System and Security →
    System → System Protection → System Restore.

If this does not correct the problem, continue with the next step.

- 6. Run the diagnostic program.
  - If the diagnostic program detects a hardware failure, contact the Lenovo Customer Support Center. See Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65 for more information.
  - If you are unable to run the diagnostic program, contact the Lenovo Customer Support Center. See Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65 for more information.
  - If the diagnostic program does not detect a hardware failure, continue with the next step.
- 7. Use an antivirus program to see if your computer has been infected by a virus. If the program detects a virus, remove the virus.
- 8. If none of these actions solve the problem, seek technical assistance. See Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65 for more information.

# **Troubleshooting**

Use the troubleshooting information to find solutions to problems that have definite symptoms.

If the symptom your computer is experiencing occurred immediately after you installed a new hardware option or new software, do the following before referring to the troubleshooting information:

1. Remove the new hardware option or software. If you must remove the computer cover to remove a hardware option, make sure you review and follow the electrical safety information provided with your computer. For your safety, do not operate the computer with the cover removed.

- 2. Run the diagnostic program to ensure your computer is operating correctly.
- 3. Reinstall the new hardware option or software following the manufacturer's instructions.

Select the problem your computer is experiencing from the following list:

- "Audio problems" on page 55
- "Intermittent problems" on page 56
- "Keyboard, mouse, or pointing device problems" on page 56
- "Monitor problems" on page 57
- "Ethernet problems" on page 59
- "Option problems" on page 60
- "Printer problems" on page 61
- "Serial connector problems" on page 62
- "Software problems" on page 62
- "USB problems" on page 63

# **Audio problems**

Select your symptom from the following list:

- "No audio in Windows" on page 55
- "Sound comes from one external speaker only" on page 56
- "No audio in DOS applications or games" on page 56

#### No audio in Windows

Symptom: No audio in Windows

#### Actions:

- If you are using powered external speakers that have an On/Off control, verify that the On/Off control is set to the **On** position and the speaker power cable is connected to a properly grounded, functional ac electrical outlet.
- If your external speakers have a volume control, verify that the volume control is not set too low.
- Double-click the speaker icon in the Windows notification area. A master volume-control window opens.
   Verify that the Mute settings are not checked and none of the volume settings is set too low.
- Some models have a front audio panel you can use to adjust volume. If you have a front audio panel, verify that the volume is not set too low.
- Verify that your external speakers (and headphones, if used) are connected to the correct audio connector
  on the computer. Most speaker cables are color-coded to match the connector.

**Note:** When external-speaker or headphone cables are attached to the audio connector, the internal speaker, if present, is disabled. In most cases, if an audio adapter is installed in one of the expansion slots, the audio function built into the system board is disabled; use the audio jacks on the adapter.

- Ensure that the program you are running is designed for use in the Microsoft Windows operating system. If the program is designed to run in DOS, the program does not use the Windows sound feature and must be configured to use SoundBlaster Pro or SoundBlaster emulation.
- Verify that the audio device drivers are correctly installed. See Microsoft Windows help system for more information.

If you need technical assistance, see Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65.

## Sound comes from one external speaker only

Symptom: Sound comes from one external speaker only.

#### Actions:

- Ensure that the speaker cable is inserted completely into the connector on the computer.
- Make sure the cable that attaches the left speaker to the right speaker is securely connected.
- Double-click the speaker icon in the Windows notification area. A master volume-control window opens. Verify that the Balance settings are set correctly.

If these actions do not correct the problem, you might have a failing speaker. Have the speaker serviced. If you need technical assistance, see Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65.

## No audio in DOS applications or games

Symptom: No audio in DOS applications or games

#### Actions:

- Make sure the DOS application or game is configured to use SoundBlaster Pro or SoundBlaster emulation. Refer to the documentation that comes with the application or game for instructions on setting sound-card settings.
- If you need technical assistance, see Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65.

# Intermittent problems

Symptom: A problem occurs only occasionally and is difficult to repeat.

#### Actions:

- Verify that all cables and cords are securely connected to the computer and attached devices.
- Verify that when the computer is on, the fan grill is not blocked (there is air flow around the grill), and the fans are working. If airflow is blocked or the fans are not working, the computer might overheat.
- If SCSI devices are installed, verify that the last external device in each SCSI chain is terminated correctly. (See your SCSI documentation.)

If you need technical assistance, see Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65.

# Keyboard, mouse, or pointing device problems

Select your symptom from the following list:

- "All or some keys on the keyboard do not work" on page 56
- "The mouse or pointing device does not work" on page 57
- "The pointer on the screen does not move smoothly with the mouse" on page 57
- "The wireless keyboard does not work" on page 57

#### All or some keys on the keyboard do not work

Symptom: All or some keys on the keyboard do not work.

#### Actions:

- · Verify that the keyboard cable is securely connected to the correct connector on the computer.
- If you are using an Enhanced Performance USB keyboard and one or more of the Rapid Access buttons are the only keys that are not working, these buttons might have been disabled or have not been assigned

to a function. Use the help system in the Enhanced Performance Customization Keyboard program to help diagnose problems with the Rapid Access buttons.

To open the Enhanced Performance Customization Keyboard program, do the following:

- 1. Click Start → Control Panel.
- 2. Click Hardware and Sound.
- 3. Click Devices and Printers.
- 4. Double-click **USB Enhanced Performance Keyboard**. The USB Enhanced Performance Keyboard Customization program starts.

If these actions do not correct the problem, have the computer and keyboard serviced. See Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65 for details.

## The mouse or pointing device does not work

Symptom: The mouse or pointing device does not work.

#### Actions:

- Verify that the mouse or pointing-device cable is securely attached to the correct connector on the
  computer. Depending on the type of mouse you have, the mouse cable will connect to either the
  mouse, serial, or USB connector. Some keyboards have integrated USB connectors that can be used
  for a USB mouse or pointing device.
- Verify that the device drivers for the mouse or pointing device are installed correctly.
- If you are using a USB keyboard or mouse, verify that the USB connectors are enabled in the BIOS settings. See "Enabling or disabling a device" on page 43.

If you need technical assistance, see Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65.

### The pointer on the screen does not move smoothly with the mouse

Symptom: The pointer on the screen does not move smoothly with the mouse.

Action: Erratic movement of the mouse pointer is generally caused by a buildup of dirt, oils, and other contaminants on the ball inside the mouse. Clean the mouse. See "Optical mouse" on page 50 for instructions.

#### The wireless keyboard does not work

Symptom: The wireless keyboard does not work.

Action: If the Transceiver Communications LED is on and the wireless Keyboard does not work, restart your computer. If restarting your computer does not solve the problem, verify that the following conditions are met:

- The batteries are properly installed.
- · The batteries still retain their current.
- The wireless Keyboard is located less than ten meters away from the transceiver.
- The transceiver is fully installed.

Action: If the Transceiver Communications LED is not on, reconnect the transceiver and the keyboard.

# Monitor problems

**Note:** Many monitors have status-indicator lights and built-in controls for adjusting brightness, contrast, width, height, and other picture adjustments. However, the controls vary from monitor type to monitor type.

For information about the status lights and using the controls, refer to the documentation that comes with your monitor.

Select your symptom from the following list:

- "Wrong characters appear on the screen" on page 58
- "The monitor works when you turn on the computer, but goes blank after some period of computer inactivity" on page 58
- "The monitor works when you turn on the computer, but goes blank when you start some application programs" on page 58
- "The image appears to be flickering" on page 58
- "The image is discolored" on page 59

## Wrong characters appear on the screen

Symptom: Wrong characters appear on the screen.

Action: Have the computer serviced. For details, see Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65.

# The monitor works when you turn on the computer, but goes blank after some period of computer inactivity

Symptom: The monitor works when you turn on the computer, but goes blank after some period of computer inactivity.

Action: The computer is probably set for energy savings with the power-management feature. If the power-management feature is enabled, disabling it or changing the settings might solve the problem.

If you need technical assistance, see Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65.

# The monitor works when you turn on the computer, but goes blank when you start some application programs

Symptom: The monitor works when you turn on the computer, but goes blank when you start some application programs.

#### Actions:

- Ensure the monitor signal cable is securely connected to the monitor and the monitor connector on the computer. A loose cable can cause intermittent problems.
- Verify that the necessary device drivers for the application programs are installed. Refer to the documentation for the affected application program to see if device drivers are required.

If you need technical assistance, see Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65.

#### The image appears to be flickering

Symptom: The image appears to be flickering.

#### Actions:

• The monitor might be operating in a low-refresh rate display mode. Set the monitor to the highest, noninterlaced refresh rate supported by your monitor and the video controller in your computer.

**Attention:** Using a resolution or refresh rate that is not supported by your monitor might damage it. Check the documentation that comes with your monitor to verify the supported refresh rates.

- The monitor might be affected by interference from nearby equipment. Magnetic fields around other devices, such as transformers, appliances, fluorescent lights, and other monitors might be causing the problem. Move fluorescent desk lighting or any equipment that produces magnetic fields farther away from the monitor. If this does not correct the problem, do the following:
  - 1. Turn off the monitor. (Moving a color monitor while it is turned on might cause screen discoloration.)
  - 2. Adjust the placement of the monitor and other devices so that they are at least 305 mm (12 inches) apart.
  - 3. Turn on the monitor.
- You can reset the refresh rate through your operating system Control Panel:
  - Click Start → Control Panel → Hardware and Sound → Adjust screen resolution → Advanced Settings. Then click the Monitor tab and select a new refresh rate.
- See your operating system documentation or help for further information on monitor settings.

If these actions do not correct the problem, your monitor might need service. See Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65 for details.

## The image is discolored

Symptom: The image is discolored.

Action: The monitor might be affected by interference from nearby equipment. Magnetic fields around other devices, such as transformers, appliances, fluorescent lights, and other monitors might be causing the problem. Move fluorescent desk lighting or any equipment that produces magnetic fields further away from the monitor. If this does not correct the problem, do the following:

- 1. Turn off the monitor. (Moving a color monitor while it is turned on might cause screen discoloration.)
- 2. Adjust the placement of the monitor and other devices so that they are at least 305 mm (12 inches) apart.
- 3. Turn on the monitor.

If these actions do not correct the problem, your monitor might need service. See Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65 for details.

# **Ethernet problems**

For Ethernet problems, select your symptom from the following list:

- "Your computer cannot connect to the network" on page 59
- "The adapter stops working for no apparent reason" on page 60
- "If your computer is a Gigabit Ethernet model and you use a speed of 1000 Mbps, the connection fails or errors occur" on page 60
- "If your computer is a Gigabit Ethernet model, it cannot connect to the network at 1000 Mbps. Instead, it connects at 100 Mbps" on page 60

## Your computer cannot connect to the network

Symptom: Your computer cannot connect to the network.

Actions: Ensure that:

The cable is installed properly.

The network cable must be securely connected to both the Ethernet connector of your computer and the RJ45 connector of the hub. The maximum allowable distance from the computer to hub is 100 meters. If the cable is connected and the distance is within acceptable limits but the problem persists, try a different cable.

- The cable is installed properly.
- The switch port and the adapter have the same duplex setting.

If you configured the adapter for full duplex, ensure that the switch port is also configured for full duplex. Setting the wrong duplex mode can degrade performance, cause data loss, or result in lost connections.

• You have installed all networking software that is necessary for your network environment.

Check with your LAN administrator for the necessary networking software.

## The adapter stops working for no apparent reason

Symptom: The adapter stops working for no apparent reason.

Action: The network driver files may be corrupt or missing. Update the driver by referring to the "Solution" description for the procedure to make sure that the correct device driver is installed.

## The Wake on LAN feature is not working

Symptom: The Wake on LAN (WOL) feature is not working.

#### Actions:

- Ensure that WOL is enabled in the BIOS Setup Utility program.
- If it is, check with your LAN administrator for the necessary settings.

# If your computer is a Gigabit Ethernet model and you use a speed of 1000 Mbps, the connection fails or errors occur

Symptom: If your computer is a Gigabit Ethernet model and you use a speed of 1000 Mbps, the connection fails or errors occur.

#### Actions:

- Use Category 5 wiring and make sure that the network cable is securely connected.
- Connect to a 1000 BASE-T hub/switch (not 1000 BASE-X).

# If your computer is a Gigabit Ethernet model, it cannot connect to the network at 1000 Mbps. Instead, it connects at 100 Mbps

Symptom: If your computer is a Gigabit Ethernet model, it cannot connect to the network at 1000 Mbps. Instead, it connects at 100 Mbps.

#### Actions:

- Try another cable.
- Ensure that the link partner is set to auto-negotiate.
- Ensure that the switch is 802.3ab-compliant (gigabit over copper).

# **Option problems**

If your computer is equipped with Lenovo hardware options, use this information to diagnose problems with Lenovo hardware options that do not have their own troubleshooting information.

Select your symptom from the following list:

- "An option that was just installed does not work" on page 61
- "An option that previously worked does not work now" on page 61

## An option that was just installed does not work

Symptom: An option that was just installed does not work.

Action: Verify that:

- The option is designed for your computer.
- You followed the installation instructions supplied with the option and the installation instructions provided with your computer, and all option files (such as device drivers, if required) are installed correctly.
- You have not loosened other installed options or cables.
- If the option is an adapter, you have provided enough hardware resources for the adapter to function correctly. See the documentation supplied with the adapter (as well as the documentation for any other installed adapters) to determine the resources required for each adapter.

If you need technical assistance, see Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65.

## An option that previously worked does not work now

Symptom: An option that previously worked does not work now.

#### Actions:

- Verify that all option hardware and cable connections are secure.
- If the option comes with its own test instructions, use those instructions to test the option.
- If the failing option is a SCSI option, verify that:
  - The cables for all external SCSI options are connected correctly.
  - The last option in each SCSI chain, or the end of the SCSI cable, is terminated correctly.
  - All external SCSI options are turned on. External SCSI options must be turned on before the computer is turned on. For more information, see your SCSI documentation.
- Verify that the option and any required device drivers are installed correctly.

If you need technical assistance, see Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65.

# Printer problems

Symptom: The printer does not work.

Actions: Verify that:

- 1. The printer is turned on and is online.
- 2. Paper is loaded correctly.
- 3. The printer signal cable is securely connected to the correct parallel, serial, or USB connector on the computer.

Note: Non-IEEE-approved printer signal cables might cause unpredictable problems.

- 1. Any device drivers and other software that came with the printer are correctly installed.
- 2. You have assigned the printer port correctly in your operating system, application program, or BIOS settings. For more information about BIOS settings, see Chapter 6 "Using the Setup Utility program" on page 41.

If the problem persists, run the tests described in the documentation that comes with your printer. If you cannot correct the problem, have the computer serviced. See Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65.

# Serial connector problems

Use this information to troubleshoot the serial connector and devices attached to the serial connector.

Symptom: Serial connector cannot be accessed.

#### Actions:

- Ensure the serial cable is securely connected to the serial connector on the computer and to the serial device. If the serial device has its own power cord, make sure it is attached to a properly grounded electrical outlet.
- If the serial device has its own On/Off switch, ensure it is in the On position.
- If the serial device has an Online switch, ensure it is in the Online position.
- If the serial device is a printer, ensure paper is loaded correctly.
- Verify that any software supplied with the serial device is correctly installed. Refer to the documentation for the serial-device option.
- Ensure that the serial-connector adapter, if you added one, is properly installed and firmly seated.

If you need technical assistance, see Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65.

# Software problems

Select your symptom from the following list:

- "When using a sort feature, dates do not sort in the correct order" on page 62
- "Software does not work as expected" on page 62

## When using a sort feature, dates do not sort in the correct order

Symptom: When using a sort feature, dates do not sort in the correct order.

Action: Some software developed before the year 2000 used only the last two digits of a year to sort dates, always assuming the first two digits were 19. Consequently, these programs sort dates out of order. Check with your software manufacturer to see if any updates are available. Many software manufacturers make updates available from the World Wide Web.

## Software does not work as expected

Symptom: Software does not work as expected.

#### Actions:

- Most software programs have built-in help systems that provide instructions for most tasks. If you are having difficulty performing a specific task within a software program, refer to the help system for that program. Help systems are typically accessible from a menu or button in the program, and frequently from the F1 key.
- If you are having difficulty with the Windows operating system or one of its components, refer to the Windows help system. It is accessible from the Windows Start menu.
- To determine if problems are caused by newly installed software, verify that:
  - Your computer has the minimum memory requirements needed to use the software. See the information supplied with the software to verify memory requirements. (If you just installed an adapter or memory, you might have a memory-address conflict.)
  - The software is designed to operate on your computer.
  - Other software works on your computer.

- The software you are using works correctly on another computer.
- If you received any error messages while using the software program, see the printed documentation supplied with the software or the help system for that software for a description of the messages and solutions to the problem.
- Check with your software manufacturer to see if any updates are available. Many software manufacturers
  make updates available from the World Wide Web.
- If the software program used to work correctly, but does not work correctly now, do the following:
  - On the Windows Embedded Standard 7 operating system, click Start → Control Panel → System and Security → System → System Protection → System Restore. Then, follow the instructions on the screen.
- If you are unable to resolve the problem through other methods, uninstall the software program and reinstall it.

If these actions do not correct the problem, you might need technical assistance. Contact your software manufacturer or see Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65 for details.

## **USB** problems

Symptom: The USB connectors cannot be accessed.

#### Actions:

- Ensure the USB cable is securely connected to the USB connector and to the USB device. If the USB
  device has its own power cord, make sure it is attached to a properly grounded electrical outlet.
- If the USB device has its own On/Off switch, make sure it is in the On position.
- If the USB device has an Online switch, make sure it is in the Online position.
- If the USB device is a printer, make sure paper is loaded correctly.
- Ensure any device drivers or other software supplied with the USB device is correctly installed. Refer to the documentation for the USB device.
- Reset the device by detaching and reattaching the USB connector.

If the USB device came with its own diagnostics, run those diagnostics against the USB device. If you need technical assistance, see Chapter 10 "Getting information, help, and service" on page 65.

# Chapter 10. Getting information, help, and service

This chapter contains information about help, service, and technical assistance for products manufactured by Lenovo.

#### Information resources

You can use the information in this section to access useful resources relating to your computing needs.

## **Safety and Warranty**

The Safety, Warranty, and Setup Guide that is provided with your computer contains information on safety, setup, warranty, and notices. Read and understand all safety information before using this product.

#### Lenovo Web site

The Lenovo Web site (http://www.lenovo.com) provides up-to-date information and services to help you buy, upgrade, and maintain your computer. You can also do the following:

- Shop for desktop and notebook computers, monitors, projectors, upgrades and accessories for your computer, and special offers.
- Purchase additional services, such as support for hardware, operating systems, application programs, network setup and configuration, and custom installations.
- Purchase upgrades and extended hardware repair services.
- Download the latest device drivers and software updates for your computer model.
- Access the online manuals for your products.
- · Access the Lenovo Limited Warranty.
- · Access troubleshooting and support information for your computer model and other supported products.
- Find the service and support phone numbers for your country or region.
- Find a Service Provider located near you.

# **Lenovo Support Web site**

Technical support information is available on the Lenovo Support Web site at: http://www.lenovo.com/support

This Web site is updated with the latest support information such as the following:

- · Drivers and software
- Diagnostic solutions
- Product and service warranty
- Product and parts details
- User guides and manuals
- · Knowledge base and frequently asked questions

# Help and service

This section contains information about obtaining help and service.

## Using the documentation and diagnostic program

If you experience a problem with your computer, see Chapter 9 "Troubleshooting and diagnostics" on page 53. For information on additional resources to help you troubleshoot your computer problem, see "Information resources" on page 65.

If you suspect a software problem, see the documentation that comes with the operating system or software program, including readme files and online help.

Most computers come with a diagnostic program that help you identify hardware problems.

You can also get the latest technical information and download device drivers and updates from Lenovo Support Web site at:

http://www.lenovo.com/support

## Calling for service

During the warranty period, you can get help and information by telephone through the Customer Support Center.

The following services are available during the warranty period:

- **Problem determination** Trained service personnel are available to assist you with determining a hardware problem and deciding what action is necessary to fix the problem.
- **Hardware repair** If the problem is caused by hardware under warranty, trained service personnel are available to provide the applicable level of service.
- Engineering Change management There might be changes that are required after a product has been sold. Lenovo or your reseller will make selected Engineering Changes (ECs) that apply to your hardware available.

These items are not covered by the warranty:

- · Replacement or use of parts not manufactured for or by Lenovo or non-warranted Lenovo parts
- · Identification of software problem sources
- Configuration of BIOS as part of an installation or upgrade
- Changes, modifications, or upgrades to device drivers
- Installation and maintenance of network operating systems (NOS)
- Installation and maintenance of application programs

Refer to the Safety, Warranty, and Setup Guide that comes with your computer for information about your warranty type and duration. You must retain your proof of purchase to obtain warranty service.

For a list of the Lenovo Support phone numbers for your country or region, go to http://www.lenovo.com/support/phone or refer to the *Safety, Warranty, and Setup Guide* that comes with your computer.

**Note:** Phone numbers are subject to change without notice. If the number for your country or region is not provided, contact your Lenovo reseller or Lenovo marketing representative.

If possible, be at your computer when you call. Have the following information available:

- Machine type and model
- Serial numbers of your hardware products
- Description of the problem
- Exact wording of any error messages
- Hardware and software configuration information

## Using other services

If you travel with your computer or relocate it to a country where your desktop or notebook computer machine type is sold, your computer might be eligible for International Warranty Service, which automatically entitles you to obtain warranty service throughout the warranty period. Service will be performed by service providers authorized to perform warranty service.

Service methods and procedures vary by country, and some services might not be available in all countries. International Warranty Service is delivered through the method of service (such as depot, carry-in, or on-site service) that is provided in the servicing country. Service centers in certain countries might not be able to service all models of a particular machine type. In some countries, fees and restrictions might apply at the time of service.

To determine whether your computer is eligible for International Warranty Service and to view a list of the countries where service is available, go to http://www.lenovo.com/support, click Product & Service Warranty, and follow the instructions on the screen.

For technical assistance with the installation of or questions related to Service Packs for your preinstalled Microsoft Windows product, refer to the Microsoft Product Support Services Web site at http://support.microsoft.com/directory or you can contact the Customer Support Center. Some fees might apply.

## Purchasing additional services

During and after the warranty period, you can purchase additional services, such as support for hardware, operating systems, and application programs; network setup and configuration services; upgraded or extended hardware repair services; and custom installation services. Service availability and service name might vary by country or region. For more information about these services, go to the Lenovo Web site at: http://www.lenovo.com

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# Appendix B. Regulatory information

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- · Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult an authorized dealer or service representative for help.

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Dieses Produkt entspricht dem "Gesetz über die elektromagnetische Verträglichkeit von Betriebsmitteln" EMVG (früher "Gesetz über die elektromagnetische Verträglichkeit von Geräten"). Dies ist die Umsetzung der EU-Richtlinie 2004/108/EG (früher 89/336/EWG) in der Bundesrepublik Deutschland.

Zulassungsbescheinigung laut dem Deutschen Gesetz über die elektromagnetische Verträglichkeit von Betriebsmitteln, EMVG vom 20. Juli 2007 (früher Gesetz über die elektromagnetische Verträglichkeit von Geräten), bzw. der EMV EG Richtlinie 2004/108/EC (früher 89/336/EWG), für Geräte der Klasse B.

Dieses Gerät ist berechtigt, in Übereinstimmung mit dem Deutschen EMVG das EG-Konformitätszeichen - CE - zu führen. Verantwortlich für die Konformitätserklärung nach Paragraf 5 des EMVG ist die Lenovo (Deutschland) GmbH, Gropiusplatz 10, D-70563 Stuttgart.

Informationen in Hinsicht EMVG Paragraf 4 Abs. (1) 4:

Das Gerät erfüllt die Schutzanforderungen nach EN 55024 und EN 55022 Klasse B.

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# Japan compliance statement for products which connect to the power mains with rated current less than or equal to 20 A per phase

日本の定格電流が 20A/相 以下の機器に対する高調波電流規制 高調波電流規格 JIS C 61000-3-2 適合品

#### Lenovo product service information for Taiwan

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#### Keyboard and mouse compliance statement for Taiwan

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## **Eurasian compliance mark**

# EHC

## **Brazil regulatory notice**

Ouvir sons com mais de 85 decibéis por longos períodos pode provocar danos ao sistema auditivo.

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# Additional regulatory information

For additional regulatory information, refer to the *Regulatory Notice* shipped with your computer. Depending on the configuration of your computer and the country or region where the computer was purchased, you might have received additional printed regulatory notices. All regulatory notices are available on the Lenovo Support Web site in electronic format. To access electronic copies of the documentation, go to http://www.lenovo.com/support and click **User Guides & Manuals**.

# Appendix C. WEEE and recycling information

Lenovo encourages owners of information technology (IT) equipment to responsibly recycle their equipment when it is no longer needed. Lenovo offers a variety of programs and services to assist equipment owners in recycling their IT products. For information on recycling Lenovo products, go to: http://www.lenovo.com/recycling

## **Important WEEE information**



The WEEE marking on Lenovo products applies to countries with WEEE and e-waste regulations (for example, European Directive 2002/96/EC, India E-Waste Management & Handling Rules, 2011). Appliances are labeled in accordance with local regulations concerning waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE). These regulations determine the framework for the return and recycling of used appliances as applicable within each geography. This label is applied to various products to indicate that the product is not to be thrown away, but rather put in the established collection systems for reclaiming these end of life products.

Users of electrical and electronic equipment (EEE) with the WEEE marking must not dispose of end of life EEE as unsorted municipal waste, but use the collection framework available to them for the return, recycle, and recovery of WEEE and to minimize any potential effects of EEE on the environment and human health due to the presence of hazardous substances. For additional WEEE information go to: http://www.lenovo.com/recycling

# **Recycling information for Japan**

Collecting and recycling a disused Lenovo computer or monitor

If you are a company employee and need to dispose of a Lenovo computer or monitor that is the property of the company, you must do so in accordance with the Law for Promotion of Effective Utilization of Resources. Computers and monitors are categorized as industrial waste and should be properly disposed of by an industrial waste disposal contractor certified by a local government. In accordance with the Law for Promotion of Effective Utilization of Resources, Lenovo Japan provides, through its PC Collecting and Recycling Services, for the collecting, reuse, and recycling of disused computers and monitors. For details, visit the Lenovo Web site at http://www.lenovo.com/recycling/japan. Pursuant to the Law for Promotion of Effective Utilization of Resources, the collecting and recycling of home-used computers and monitors by the manufacturer was begun on October 1, 2003. This service is provided free of charge for home-used computers sold after October 1, 2003. For details, visit the Lenovo Web site at http://www.lenovo.com/recycling/japan.

Disposing of Lenovo computer components

Some Lenovo computer products sold in Japan may have components that contain heavy metals or other environmental sensitive substances. To properly dispose of disused components, such as a printed circuit board or drive, use the methods described above for collecting and recycling a disused computer or monitor.

#### Disposing of disused lithium batteries from Lenovo computers

A button-shaped lithium battery is installed inside your Lenovo computer to provide power to the computer clock while the computer is off or disconnected from the main power source. If you need to replace it with a new one, contact your place of purchase or contact Lenovo for service. If you need to dispose of a disused lithium battery, insulate it with vinyl tape, contact your place of purchase or an industrial-waste-disposal operator, and follow their instructions. Disposal of a lithium battery must comply with local ordinances and regulations.

## **Recycling information for Brazil**

#### Declarações de Reciclagem no Brasil

#### Descarte de um Produto Lenovo Fora de Uso

Equipamentos elétricos e eletrônicos não devem ser descartados em lixo comum, mas enviados à pontos de coleta, autorizados pelo fabricante do produto para que sejam encaminhados e processados por empresas especializadas no manuseio de resíduos industriais, devidamente certificadas pelos orgãos ambientais, de acordo com a legislação local.

A Lenovo possui um canal específico para auxiliá-lo no descarte desses produtos. Caso você possua um produto Lenovo em situação de descarte, ligue para o nosso SAC ou encaminhe um e-mail para: reciclar@lenovo.com, informando o modelo, número de série e cidade, a fim de enviarmos as instruções para o correto descarte do seu produto Lenovo.

# **Battery recycling information for Taiwan**



廢電池請回收

# **Battery recycling information for the European Union**

ΕU



Notice: This mark applies only to countries within the European Union (EU).

Batteries or packaging for batteries are labeled in accordance with European Directive 2006/66/EC concerning batteries and accumulators and waste batteries and accumulators. The Directive determines the framework for the return and recycling of used batteries and accumulators as applicable throughout the European Union. This label is applied to various batteries to indicate that the battery is not to be thrown away, but rather reclaimed upon end of life per this Directive.

In accordance with the European Directive 2006/66/EC, batteries and accumulators are labeled to indicate that they are to be collected separately and recycled at end of life. The label on the battery may also include a chemical symbol for the metal concerned in the battery (Pb for lead, Hg for mercury, and Cd for cadmium). Users of batteries and accumulators must not dispose of batteries and accumulators as unsorted municipal waste, but use the collection framework available to customers for the return, recycling, and treatment of batteries and accumulators. Customer participation is important to minimize any potential effects of batteries and accumulators on the environment and human health due to the potential presence of hazardous substances. For proper collection and treatment, go to: http://www.lenovo.com/recycling

# Appendix D. Restriction of Hazardous Substances Directive (RoHS)

## **European Union RoHS**

Lenovo products sold in the European Union, on or after 3 January 2013 meet the requirements of Directive 2011/65/EU on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment ("RoHS recast" or "RoHS 2").

For more information about Lenovo progress on RoHS, go to: http://www.lenovo.com/social\_responsibility/us/en/RoHS\_Communication.pdf

#### **China RoHS**

产品中有毒有害物质或元素的名称及含量

	有毒有害物质或元素						
部件名称	铅(Pb)	汞(Hg)	镉(Cd)	六价铬	多溴连苯	多溴二苯醚	
				(Cr(VI))	(PBB)	(PBDE)	
印刷电路板组	X	0	О	О	О	0	
件*							
硬盘	X	0	0	О	О	О	
光驱	X	0	О	О	О	О	
内存	X	0	О	О	О	О	
电脑I/0 附件	X	0	0	О	О	О	
电源	X	0	О	О	О	О	
键盘	X	0	О	О	О	О	
鼠标	X	0	О	О	О	О	
机箱/附件	X	0	О	О	О	О	

〇:表示该有毒有害物质在该部件所有均质材料中的含量均在SJ/T11363-2006 标准规定的限量要求以下

表中标有"×"的所有部件都符合欧盟RoHS 法规.

印刷电路板组件\*:包括印刷电路板及其零部件、电容和连接器 根据型号的不同,可能不会含有以上的所有部件,请以实际购买机型为准



在中华人民共和国境内销售的电子信息产品必须标识此标志,标志内的数字代表在正常使用状态下的产品的环保使用期限

#### **Turkish RoHS**

The Lenovo product meets the requirements of the Republic of Turkey Directive on the Restriction of the Use of Certain Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment (EEE).

<sup>×:</sup>表示该有毒有害物质至少在该部件的某一均质材料中的含量超出SJ/T11363-2006 标准规定的限量要求

#### Тьrkiye EEE Yunetmelipine Uygunluk Beyanэ

Bu Lenovo ьгьпь, T.C. 3evre ve Orman Bakanləpə'nən "Elektrik ve Elektronik Eюyalarda Bazə Zararlə Maddelerin Kullanəmənən Sənərlandərəlmasəna Dair Yunetmelik (EEE)" direktiflerine uygundur.

EEE Yunetmelipine Uygundur.

## **Ukraine RoHS**

Цим підтверджуємо, що продукція Леново відповідає вимогам нормативних актів України, які обмежують вміст небезпечних речовин

### **India RoHS**

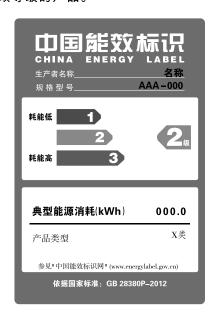
RoHS compliant as per E-Waste (Management & Handling) Rules, 2011.

# Appendix E. China Energy Label

微型计算机能效标识声明

为满足中国《微型计算机能源效率标识实施规则》和《微型计算机能效限定值及能效等级》的相关规定和要求,联想公司对其生产及销售的每一台微型计算机产品加施能效标识,声明如下:

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联想很荣幸能为用户提供符合相应能效等级设计要求的产品,也鼓励用户购买高能效的产品。

有关能效标识制度的更多信息,请访问"中国能效标识网"http://www.energylabel.gov.cn。

# Appendix F. ENERGY STAR model information



ENERGY STAR® is a joint program of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the U.S. Department of Energy aimed at saving money and protecting the environment through energy efficient products and practices.

Lenovo is proud to offer our customers products with an ENERGY STAR compliant designation. Some models of the following machine type have been designed and tested to conform to the ENERGY STAR program requirement for computers at the time of manufacture: 10BM and 10BV. For more information about ENERGY STAR ratings for Lenovo computers, go to http://www.lenovo.com.

By using ENERGY STAR compliant products and taking advantage of the power-management features of your computer, you reduce the consumption of electricity. Reduced electrical consumption contributes to potential financial savings, a cleaner environment, and the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions.

For more information about ENERGY STAR, go to: http://www.energystar.gov

Lenovo encourages you to make efficient use of energy an integral part of your day-to-day operations. To help in this endeavor, set the following power-management features to take effect when your computer has been inactive for a specified duration:

Table 1. ENERGY STAR power-management features

#### Windows Embedded Standard 7 operating system

Power plan: ThinkCentre® Default

• Turn off the display: After 10 minutes

Put the computer to sleep: After 25 minutes

Advanced power settings:

- Turn off hard disk drives: After 20 minutes

- Hibernate: Never

To awaken your computer from a Sleep or Standby mode, press any key on your keyboard. For more information about these settings, refer to your Windows Help and Support information system.

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