



PRACTICE POINTS

Our Product

The latest version for PowerMac computers is TheP (t)

Changes

Phone number formats have been extended to allow for up to 13 digits, e.g. 0061-7-1111-2222.

Medicare numbers now include a member number. This is shown in brackets at the end of the number, e.g. 1234 56789 -1 (2)

Our Product

We are currently hard at work on TheP (11i), for Intel based Macintosh computers.

This will be on our next release CD and will be an optional upgrade carrying a small upgrade charge.

Changes...

Compiled for running natively on Intel (much faster).

SQL 92 compliant (much richer querying capabilities)

Limitations greatly extended (bigger tables, longer text, etc)

Enhanced picture handling (drag-drop, background use, animated GIF, etc)

Configurable indexing options (optimizing end-user performance)

Improved menus (contextual capabilities via splash screen)

4DView spread sheeting (colour cells, columns, rows, etc)

Simplified index repairs (fast, automatic)

Integrated 4DTools (better user access and implementation)

Mac OSX

Updated desktop Macs are faster - up to 2.8 GHz - and cheaper, and have a sleeker alumina and glass case design. A very classy look but also very good for recycling considerations.

iLife 8 - iPhoto 8 now has theme based cataloging and one click publishing of photos to .Mac. Published photos may be collaborated. iMovie 8 centralizes your movie media for easy creation of composite movies in an expedient environment. DVD quality output to a .Mac site. iWeb now implements widgets and links to other web services such as Google maps. Garageband comes with a new interface for initiating a musical session.

.Mac members now receive 10Gb of storage and full integration with the new iLife capabilities. These new features are also available on the .Mac site.

iWork 8 - Keynote has new transitions. Pages works in Word Process or Page Layout modes. The new "Numbers" imports / exports MsExcel and creates great presentation style spreadsheets.

iTunes Up to version 7.4.2

- Go Apple ! -



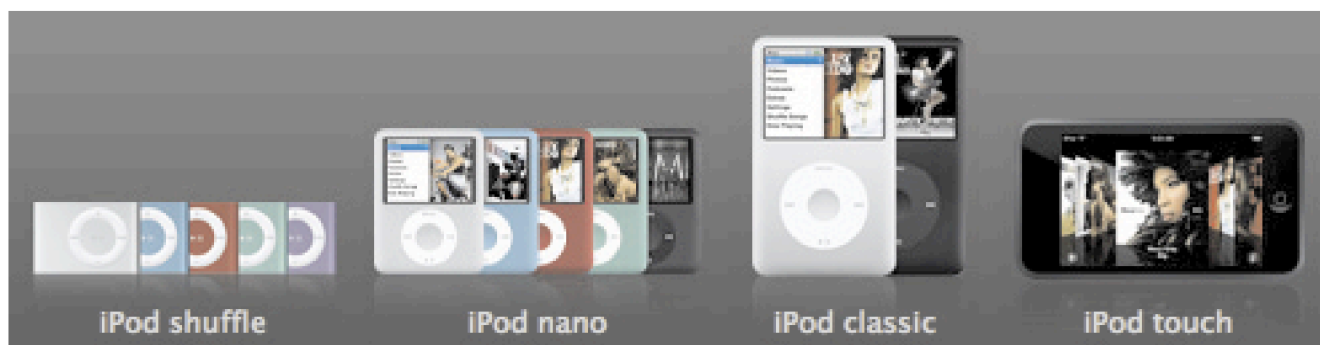
What are we doing ?

TheP CD Our latest CD has been expanded, and now contains all our newsletter back issues, as well as all of the various system and productivity enhancements that have been mentioned in the past.

AppleTV Our unit auto-updated to version 1.1 to include YouTube capability, so the **AppleTV** does TV shows, movie trailers and YouTube on the web side PLUS music, photos, movies, DVDs, pod casts on the Mac side. We just love the **AppleTV**. It comes on first thing in the day shuffling through our complete music library, often bringing up forgotten tracks of the past - always a surprise and a pleasure. When desired it is very easy to switch to a mood such as "Lounge", "Classical" or "Jazz", and "Dinner" music is automated for entertainment. All our photos are there for quick reference, should any discussion lead in that direction.

Where are things going ?

New **iPods** for the Christmas season. Mostly with larger, brighter screen for video, and the ultimate **iPod touch** using **iPhone** technology, including WiFi at 80211b/g for accessing the new iTunes WiFi store and YouTube plus Safari for web access and Google plus Yahoo services. Apple are also working on D.I.Y. ring tones. Here is the new range...



Some noteworthy statistics regarding iPods and digital downloads.

Apple now has an iTunes catalog of over 600,000,000 items.

Apple has sold 3,000,000,000 iTunes songs.

Apple has sold 100,000,000 T.V. shows

There are 125,000 pod casts

These are some 110,000,000 iPods throughout the world.

32% of all music sold in 2006 was via digital download only.

And finally !

By the time you get this newsletter we should be very close to the release of "Leopard".

Until the next issue...

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