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Model No. **CF-534** series

Operating Instructions - Basic Guide

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Introduction









Thank you for purchasing this Panasonic product. For optimum performance and safety, please read these instructions carefully.

In these instructions, the names are referred as follows.

Windows 8.1 indicates Windows® 8.1 Operating System.

Windows 7 indicates Windows® 7 Operating System.

■ Terms and illustrations in these instructions

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| CAUTION : | Conditions that may result in minor or moderate injury. |
| NOTE : | Useful and helpful information. |
| Enter : | Press [Enter] key. |
| Fn + F5 : | Press and hold [Fn] key, and then press [F5] key. |
| Windows 8.1 | |
| ● Display “Charm”: | Align the pointer to the top right (or bottom right) corner of the screen to display Charm menu. Alternatively, flick toward the center of the screen from the right edge. |
| ●  -  : | Click  (Settings) and then click  (Power). |
| Windows 7 | |
|  (Start) - [All Programs] : | Click  (Start), and then click [All Programs]. You may need to double-click in some cases. |
|  : | Page in these Operating Instructions or in the Reference Manual. |
|  : | Reference to the on-screen manuals. |

- Some illustrations are simplified to help your understanding and may look different from the actual unit.
- If you do not log on as an administrator, you cannot use some functions or cannot display some screens.
- Refer for the latest information about optional products to the catalogs, etc.
- In these instructions, the names and terms are referred as follows.
 - “Windows® 8.1 Pro 64-bit” as “Windows” or “Windows 8.1”
 - “Windows® 7 Professional 32-bit Service Pack 1” and “Windows® 7 Professional 64-bit Service Pack 1” as “Windows” or “Windows 7”
 - DVD MULTI drive as “CD/DVD drive”
 - Circular media including DVD-ROM and CD-ROM as “discs”
- **Windows 8.1**
Screen messages are explained in [English (United States)].
(Depending on the language preference, some screen messages in these instructions are different from the actual screen messages. For example, [Flight mode] may be displayed instead of [Airplane mode] in some language preference.)

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■ On-screen Manual

For further information about the computer, you can refer to the on-screen manual.

● Reference Manual

The Reference Manual contains the practical information to help you fully enjoy the computer's performance.

● Important Battery Tips

The Important Battery Tips will provide you with the battery information so that you can use the battery in the optimum condition to obtain longer operation time.

To access the on-screen manuals, follow the steps below.

Windows 8.1

On the Start screen, click the [Manual Selector] tile, and select the on-screen manual.

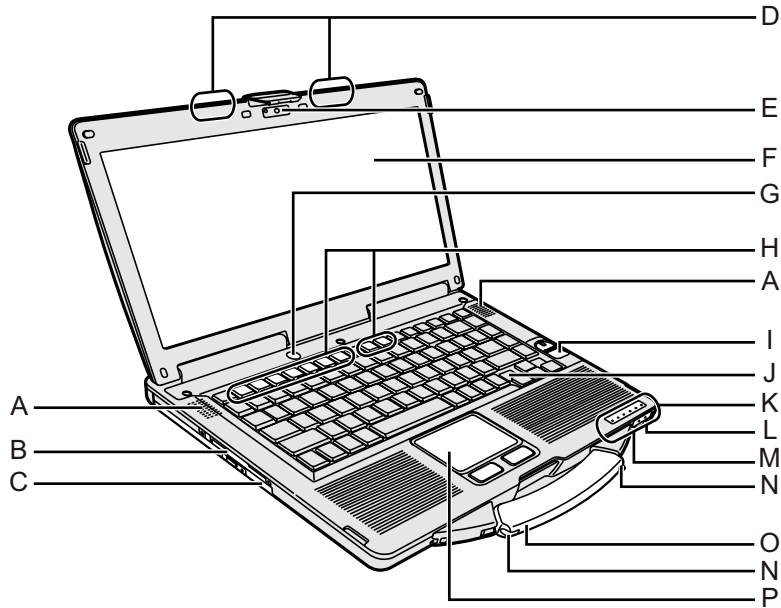
Windows 7

Double-click [Manual Selector] on the desktop, and select the on-screen manual.

NOTE

- [Contents] tab or [Search] tab is displayed on the left side of the window. Select tab and display the desired item.

Description of Parts



A: Speaker

→ Reference Manual "Key Combinations"

B: Smart Card slot

<Only for model with Smart Card slot>

→ Reference Manual "Smart Card"

C: CD/DVD Drive

→ Reference Manual "CD/DVD Drive"

D: Wireless LAN antenna/Bluetooth antenna

<Only for model with wireless LAN>

→ Reference Manual "Wireless LAN"

E: Camera

<Only for model with Camera>

→ Reference Manual "Camera"

F: LCD

<Only for model with touchscreen>

→ Reference Manual "Screen Input Operation"

G: Power switch

H: Function key

→ Reference Manual "Key Combinations"

I: Fingerprint Reader

<Only for model with Fingerprint Reader>

→ Reference Manual "Fingerprint Reader"

J: Keyboard

K: LED indicator

: Caps lock

: Numeric key (NumLk)

: Scroll lock (ScrLk)

: Drive status

: SD Memory Card status

(Blinking: During access or a password is requested)

→ Reference Manual "SD Memory Card"

: Wireless ready

This indicator lights when Wireless LAN, Bluetooth are connected and ready. It does not necessarily indicate the On/Off condition of the wireless connection.

→ Reference Manual "Disabling/Enabling Wireless Communication" "Wireless LAN" "Bluetooth"

: Battery status

→ Reference Manual "Battery Power"

: Power status

(Off: Power off/Hibernation, Green: Power on, Blinking green: Sleep, Blinking green rapidly: Cannot power on or resume due to low temperature.)

L: Microphone jack

A condenser microphone can be used. If other types of microphones are used, audio input may not be possible, or malfunctions may occur as a result.

M: Headphone jack

You can connect headphones or amplified speakers. When they are connected, audio from the internal speakers is not heard.

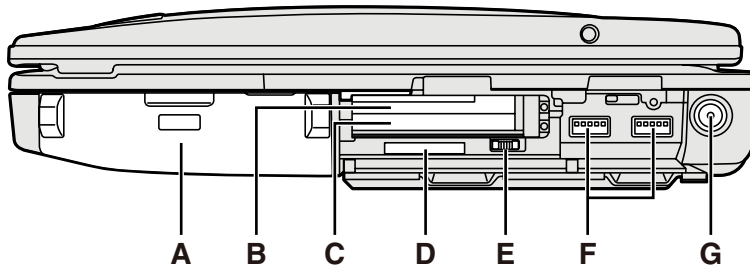
N: Stylus Holder

<Only for model with touchscreen>

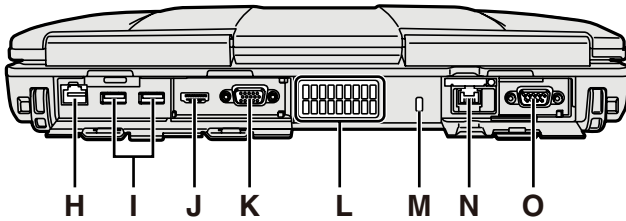
O: Carrying handle

P: Touch pad

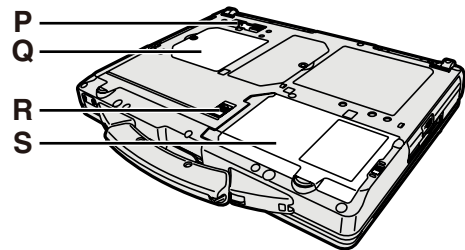
Right side



Rear side



Bottom



A: Battery pack

Specified Battery pack: CF-VZSU71U/CF-VZSU72U/
CF-VZSU46AT

B: ExpressCard slot

→ *Reference Manual* "PC Card / ExpressCard"

C: PC Card slot

→ *Reference Manual* "PC Card / ExpressCard"

D: SD Memory Card slot

Keep SD Memory Cards Away from Infants and Small Children.

→ *Reference Manual* "SD Memory Card"

E: Wireless switch

→ *Reference Manual* "Disabling/Enabling Wireless Communication" "Wireless LAN" "Bluetooth"

F: USB 3.0 port

→ *Reference Manual* "USB Devices"

G: DC-IN jack

H: LAN port

→ *Reference Manual* "LAN"

I: USB 2.0 port

→ *Reference Manual* "USB Devices"

J: HDMI Port

→ *Reference Manual* "External Display"

K: VGA port

→ *Reference Manual* "External Display"

L: Ventilation hole (Exhaust)

M: Security lock

A Kensington cable can be connected.

For further information, read the manual that comes with the cable.

N: 2nd LAN Port¹ / Modem Port² / IEEE 1394 Interface Connector³ / Rugged USB 2.0 Port⁴

¹ Only for model with 2nd LAN

→ *Reference Manual* "LAN"

² Only for model with Modem

→ *Reference Manual* "Modem"

³ Only for model with IEEE 1394

→ *Reference Manual* "IEEE 1394 Devices"

⁴ Only for model with Rugged USB 2.0 Port

O: Serial port

P: Expansion bus connector

→ *Reference Manual* "Port Replicator"

Q: RAM module slot

→ *Reference Manual* "RAM Module"

R: Battery latch

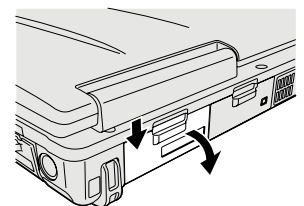
S: Hard disk drive

→ *Reference Manual* "Hard Disk Drive"

NOTE

- When you open the covers on the right side or the rear side, push down and pull the covers.

(Example: rear side)



- This computer contains a magnet and magnetic products at the locations circled in the illustration at right. Avoid leaving metallic object or magnetic media in contact with these areas.



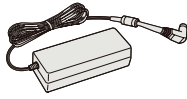
First-time Operation

■ Preparation

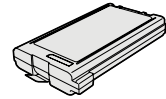
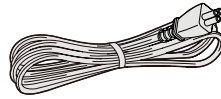
① Check and identify the supplied accessories.

If you do not find the described accessories, contact Panasonic Technical Support.

- AC Adaptor..... 1
- AC Cord 1
- Battery Pack 1



Model No: CF-AA5713A

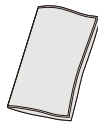


Model No: CF-VZSU71U or
CF-VZSU72U or
CF-VZSU46AT

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<Only for model with touchscreen>

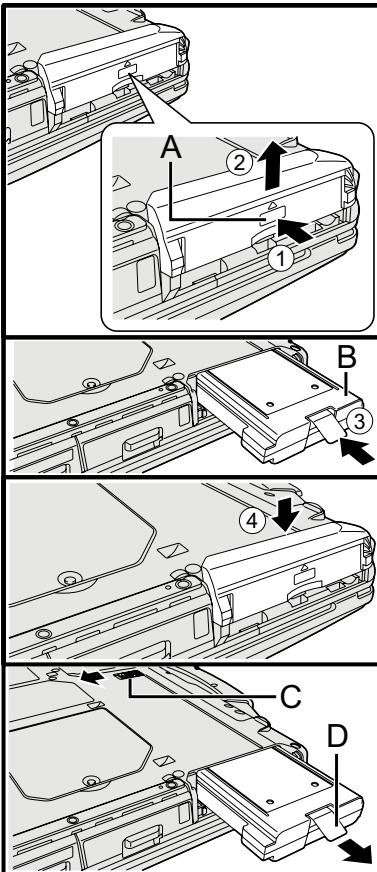
- Soft Cloth..... 1
- Stylus 1
- Tether 1



(→ Reference Manual “Screen Input Operation”)

② Read the LIMITED USE LICENSE AGREEMENT before breaking the seal on the computer’s packaging (→ page 23).

■ Inserting the Battery Pack



- ① Reverse the computer, then press and hold the **PUSH** mark part (A).
- ② Slide and remove the cover.
- ③ Insert the battery pack (B) until it securely fits the connector.
- ④ Slide the cover back.

■ To remove the battery pack

In step ③ above, slide and hold the latch (C), and pull the tab (D) of the battery pack.

CAUTION

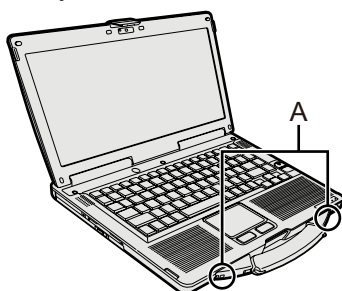
- Make sure the cover is securely attached. Otherwise the battery pack may fall when you carry the computer.

NOTE

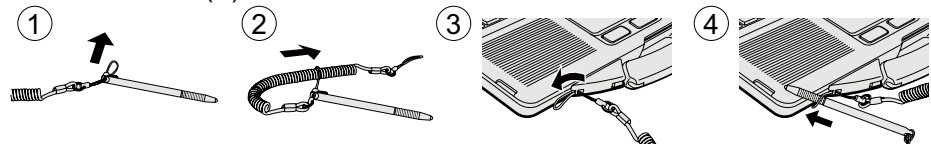
- Note that the computer consumes electricity even when the computer power is off. If the battery pack is fully charged, the battery will fully discharge in the following period of time:
 - When power is off: Approx. 9 weeks (with CF-VZSU71U) /
Approx. 6 weeks (with CF-VZSU72U) / Approx. 15 weeks (with CF-VZSU46AT)
 - In sleep: Approx. 3.5 days (with CF-VZSU71U) /
Approx. 2 days (with CF-VZSU72U) / Approx. 8 days (with CF-VZSU46AT)
 - In hibernation: Approx. 9 days (with CF-VZSU71U) /
Approx. 6 days (with CF-VZSU72U) / Approx. 15 days (with CF-VZSU46AT)
- When the DC plug is not connected to the computer, disconnect the AC cord from your AC outlet. Power is consumed simply by having the AC adaptor plugged into an AC outlet.

■ Attaching the stylus to the computer

<Only for model with touchscreen>



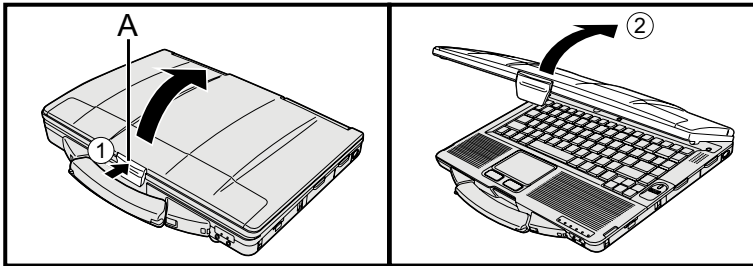
Use the tether to attach the stylus to the computer so you will not lose it. There are holes (A) to attach it.



CAUTION

- Do not pull the tether with excessive force. The stylus may hit the computer, person’s body or other objects when released.

■ Opening the Display



- ① Push the top of the latch (A) to release it.
- ② Lift up the display to open.

■ Setting up the computer

1 Insert the battery pack. (→ page 6)

- Do not touch the terminals of the battery pack and the computer. Doing so can make the terminals dirty or damaged, and may cause malfunction of the battery pack and the computer.
- Be sure to attach the cover for use.



2 Connect your computer to a power outlet.

The battery charging starts automatically.


CAUTION

- Do not disconnect the AC adaptor and do not switch the wireless switch to on until the first-time operation procedure is completed.
- When using the computer for the first time, do not connect any peripheral device except the battery pack and AC adaptor.
- **Handling the AC adaptor**
Problems such as sudden voltage drops may arise during periods of thunder and lightning. Since this could adversely affect your computer, an uninterruptible power source (UPS) is highly recommended unless running from the battery pack alone.

3 Turn on the computer.

- ① Confirm the wireless switch (→ page 5) is OFF.
- ② Press and hold the power switch  (→ page 4) until the power indicator  (→ page 4) lights.

CAUTION

- Do not press the power switch repeatedly.
- The computer will be forcibly turned off if you press and hold the power switch for four seconds or longer.
- Once you turn off the computer, wait for ten seconds or more before you turn on the computer again.
- Do not perform the following operation until the drive indicator  turns off.
 - Connecting or disconnecting the AC adaptor
 - Pressing the power switch
 - Touching the keyboard, touch pad, touchscreen <only for model with touchscreen> or external mouse
 - Closing the display
 - Turn on/off the wireless switch
- When the CPU temperature is high, the computer may not start up to prevent overheating of the CPU. Wait until the computer cools down, and then turn the power on again. If the computer does not power on even after cooling down, contact Panasonic Technical Support.
- Any changes from the default setting of the Setup Utility must not be made until the First-time Operation is completed.

4 **Windows 7** Select language and OS (32-bit or 64-bit).

CAUTION

- Carefully choose your language because you cannot change it later. If you set a wrong language, you need to reinstall Windows.
 - ① Select language and OS (32bit or 64bit) and click [OK].

The language setting will start by clicking [OK] on the confirmation screen. You can return to the “Select OS” screen by clicking [Cancel].
The language and OS setting will be completed in about 15 minutes.
 - ② When termination screen is displayed, click [OK] to turn off the computer.

5 Setup Windows.


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Select language and click [Next].

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Turn on the computer.

Follow the on-screen instructions.

- The computer restarts several times. Do not touch the keyboard or touch pad, and wait until the drive indicator  has turned off.
- After the computer is turned on, the screen remains black or unchanged for a while, but this is not a malfunction. Wait for a moment until the Windows setup screen appears.
- During setup of Windows, use the touch pad and clicking to move the pointer and to click an item.
- Setup of Windows will take approximately **Windows 8.1** 5 minutes / **Windows 7** 20 minutes.

Go to the next step, confirming each message on the display.
- You can set the Wireless Network after the setup of Windows is complete.
 - **Windows 8.1** If “Get online” is displayed, select “Skip this step”.
 - **Windows 7** “Join a wireless network” screen may not appear.
- **Windows 8.1** Verify the time zone, date and time.

CAUTION

- You can change the user name, password, image and security setting after setup of Windows.
- Remember your password. If you forget the password, you cannot use Windows.


Creating a password reset disk beforehand is recommended.
- Do not use the following words and characters for user name: CON, PRN, AUX, CLOCK\$, NUL, COM1 to COM9, LPT1 to LPT9, @, &, space. In particular, if you create a user name (account name) that includes the “@” mark, a password will be requested at the log-on screen, even if no password has been set. If you try to log on without entering a password, “The user name or password is incorrect.” may be displayed and you will not be able to **Windows 8.1** sign in / **Windows 7** log on to Windows (→ page 20).
- Use standard characters as a computer name: numbers 0 through 9, uppercase and lowercase letters from A to Z, and the hyphen (-) character.

If the error message “The computer name is not valid” appears, check if characters other than the above are not entered. If the error message still remains on the display, set the key entry mode to English (“EN”) and enter characters.
- When setting up the keyboard, choose the appropriate one to your computer. Otherwise, input by the keyboard may become unavailable.

6 Create the recovery disc.

A recovery disc allows you to install OS and restore its factory default condition, in case, for example, the recovery partition of the HDD is damaged.

We recommend creating a recovery disc before you begin using the computer.

Refer to  *Reference Manual* “Recovery Disc Creation Utility” about creating the disc.

NOTE

● PC Information Viewer

This computer periodically records the management information of the hard disk, etc. The maximum data volume for each record is 1024 bytes.

This information is only used for estimating the cause in the case when the hard disk goes down by any possibility. They are never sent to outside via network nor used for any other purpose except for the purpose described the above.

To disable the function, add the check mark for [Disable the automatic save function for management information history] in [Hard Disk Status] of PC Information Viewer, and click [OK].


(→  *Reference Manual* “Checking the Computer’s Usage Status”)

- **Windows 8.1** In the default settings, a shortcut icon for Korean language is on the Desktop screen. You may delete the icon if not necessary.
- **Windows 7** If the recovery partition is deleted, you cannot create Recovery Disc(s).

■ Before using wireless function

- ① Slide the wireless switch to ON.



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- ② Display “Charm” and click  - [Change PC Settings] - [Network] - [Airplane mode].
Set [Wi-Fi] to [On] (for wireless LAN).
set [Bluetooth] to [On] (for Bluetooth).

■ To change the partition structure

You can shrink a part of an existing partition to create unallocated disk space, from which you can create a new partition.

In the default setting, you can use a single partition.

- ① **Windows 8.1**
Right-click  at the bottom left corner of the Desktop screen.
Windows 7
Click  (Start) and right-click [Computer], then click [Manage].
 - A standard user needs to enter an administrator password.
- ② Click [Disk Management].
- ③ Right-click the partition for Windows (“c” drive in the default setting), and click [Shrink Volume].
 - The partition size depends on the computer specifications.
- ④ Input the size in [Enter the amount of space to shrink in MB] and click [Shrink].
 - You cannot input a larger number than the displayed size.
 - To select [Reinstall to the OS related partitions.] in installing OS (→ page 15), **Windows 8.1** 80 GB / **Windows 7** 60 GB or more is necessary for [Total size after shrink in MB].
- ⑤ Right-click [Unallocated] (the shrunk space in the step ④) and click [New Simple Volume].
- ⑥ Follow the on-screen instructions to make the settings, and click [Finish].
Wait until formatting is completed.



NOTE

- You can create an additional partition using remaining unallocated space or newly creating unallocated space.
- To delete a partition, right-click the partition and click [Delete Volume] in the step ③.

First-time Operation

■ **Windows 8.1** To select language

To select a language other than the one you have selected during the first-time operation, follow the steps below.

- ① Perform either of the following procedures.
 - Right-click  at the bottom left corner of the Desktop screen.
 - Click  on the Start screen.
- ② Click [Control Panel].
- ③ Click [Clock, Language, and Region] - [Language] - [Add a language].
- ④ Select a language, and then click [Add].
Depending on the region, two or more languages are selectable. Click [Open] and select the desired language, and then click [Add].
- ⑤ Click [Option] for the language you want to use.
- ⑥ Click [Make this the primary language].



NOTE

- If [Make this the primary language] is not displayed, you cannot change to this language. Follow the on-screen instructions.


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- ⑦ Click [Log off now].
 - ⑧ Sign in to the Windows.

Turning On / Turning Off

Turning On

Press and hold the power switch  (→ page 4) until the power indicator  (→ page 4) lights.



NOTE

- Do not press the power switch repeatedly.
- The computer will forcibly be turned off if you press and hold the power switch for four seconds or longer.
- Once you turn off the computer, wait for ten seconds or more before you turn on the computer again.
- Do not perform the following operation until the drive indicator  turns off.
 - Connecting or disconnecting the AC adaptor
 - Pressing the power switch
 - Touching the keyboard, touch pad, screen or external mouse
 - Closing the display
 - Turn on/off the wireless switch

Turning Off

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You can shut down the computer by using either of the following steps.

- From the Start screen:
 - ① Click  - [Shut down].
- From the Desktop screen:
 - ① Right-click  at the bottom left corner of the Desktop screen.
 - ② Click [Shut down or sign out] - [Shut down].


Windows 7

- ① Click  (Start) - [Shutdown].

NOTE

- **Windows 8.1**

To turn off the computer completely, proceed as follows.


 - ① Display “Charm” and click  - [Change PC settings] - [Update and recovery] - [Recovery].
 - ② Click [Restart now] under “Advanced startup”.
 - ③ Click [Turn off your PC].

Precautions against Starting Up/Shutting Down

- Do not do the following
 - Connecting or disconnecting the AC adaptor
 - Pressing the power switch
 - Touching the keyboard, touch pad, screen or external mouse
 - Closing the display
 - Turn on/off the wireless switch

NOTE

- To conserve power, the following power saving methods are set at the time of purchase.
 - The screen automatically turns off after :
 - 10 minutes (when AC adaptor is connected) of inactivity
 - 5 minutes (when operating on battery power) of inactivity
 - The computer automatically enters sleep^{*1} after :
 - 20 minutes (when AC adaptor is connected) of inactivity
 - 15 minutes (when operating on battery power) of inactivity

^{*1} Refer to  *Reference Manual* “Sleep or Hibernation Functions” about resuming from sleep.

Handling and Maintenance

Operation environment

- Place the computer on a flat stable surface not subject to shock, vibration, and danger of dropping. Do not place the computer upright or turn it over. If the computer is exposed to an extremely strong impact, it may become damaged.
- Operating environment
 - Temperature: Operation : <Model without HDD heater> 0 °C to 50 °C (IEC60068-2-1, 2)^{*1}
<Model with HDD heater> -10 °C to 50 °C (IEC60068-2-1, 2)^{*1}
 - Storage : -20 °C to 60 °C
 - Humidity: Operation : 30% to 80% RH (No condensation)
 - Storage : 30% to 90% RH (No condensation)

Even within the above temperature/humidity ranges, operation for a long time in extreme environments, smoking nearby, or operation in places where oil is used or where there is a lot of dust will result in the product deterioration and will shorten the product life.

^{*1} Do not expose the skin to this product when using the product in a hot or cold environment. (➔ OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS - Read Me First)

If the computer is wet in temperatures of 0 °C or below, freeze damage may occur. Make sure to dry off the computer in such temperatures.

- Do not place the computer in the following areas, otherwise the computer may be damaged.
 - Near electronic equipment. Image distortion or noise may occur.
 - In extremely high or low temperature.
- As the computer can become hot during operation, keep it away from items that are sensitive to heat.

Handling cautions

This computer is designed to minimize shock to parts such as the LCD and the hard disk drive and equipped with a drip-proof keyboard, but no warranty is provided against any trouble caused by shock. Be extremely careful when handling the computer.

- When carrying the computer:
 - Turn off the computer.
 - Remove all external devices, cables, PC Cards and other protruding objects.
 - Remove a disc in the CD/DVD drive.
 - Do not drop or hit the computer against solid objects.
 - Do not leave the display open.
 - Do not grip the display part.
 - Do not put anything (e.g., a piece of paper) between the display and keyboard.
 - When you board an airplane, take the computer with you and never put it in your checked luggage. When using the computer on airplane, follow the airline's instructions.
 - When carrying a spare battery, put it in a plastic bag to protect its terminals.
 - The touch pad is designed to be used by finger tip. Do not place any object on its surface and do not press down strongly with sharp-pointed or hard objects that may leave marks (e.g., nails, pencils and ball point pens).
 - Avoid any harmful substances such as oil from getting into the touch pad. The pointer may not work correctly.
 - Be careful not to get injured by dropping or getting hit when carrying the computer.
- <Only for model with touchscreen>
- Use only the included stylus to touch the touchscreen. Do not place any object on its surface and do not press down strongly with sharp-pointed or hard objects that may leave marks (e.g., nails, pencils and ball point pens).
 - Do not use the touchscreen when dust or dirt (e.g., oil) is on the screen. Otherwise foreign particles on the screen/ stylus can scratch the screen surface or obstruct the stylus operation.
 - Use the stylus only for touching the screen. Using it for any other purpose may damage the stylus and result in scratches on the screen.

■ When using peripheral devices

Follow these instructions and the Reference Manual to avoid any damage to the devices. Carefully read the instruction manuals of the peripheral devices.

- Use the peripheral devices conforming to the computer's specifications.
- Connect to the connectors in the correct direction.
- If it is hard to insert, do not try forcibly but check the connector's shape, direction, alignment of pins, etc.
- If screws are included, fasten them securely.
- Remove the cables when you carry the computer. Do not pull the cables forcibly.

■ Preventing your computer from unauthorized use via wireless LAN/Bluetooth

<Only for model with wireless LAN/Bluetooth>

- Before using wireless LAN/Bluetooth, make the appropriate security settings such as data encryption.

■ Battery Recalibration

- The battery recalibration may take a long time due to the large battery capacity. This is not a malfunction.

<When performing “Battery Recalibration” after shutting down Windows>

- Full charge: Approx. 2 hours (with CF-VZSU71U/CF-VZSU72U) / Approx. 3 hours (with CF-VZSU46AT)
- Complete discharge: Approx. 4 hours (with CF-VZSU71U) / Approx. 3 hours (with CF-VZSU72U) / Approx. 4 hours (with CF-VZSU46AT)


When performing “Battery Recalibration” without shutting down Windows, it may take more time to charge / discharge.

Maintenance

To clean the LCD panel

If drops of water or other stains get on the surface of the LCD panel, wipe them off immediately. Failure to do so may result in staining.

<Only for model with touchscreen>

Use the soft cloth included with the computer. (For further information, refer to “Suggestions About Cleaning the LCD Surface”. →  *Reference Manual* “Screen Input Operation”)

<Only for model without touchscreen>

Wipe with a soft dry cloth such as gauze.

To clean areas other than the LCD panel

Wipe with a soft dry cloth such as gauze. When using detergent, dip a soft cloth in water-diluted detergent and wring it thoroughly.

CAUTION



- Do not use benzene, thinner, or rubbing alcohol since it may adversely affect the surface causing discoloration, etc. Do not use commercially-available household cleaners and cosmetics, as they may contain components harmful to the surface.
- Do not apply water or detergent directly to the computer, since liquid may enter inside of the computer and cause malfunction or damage.

Installing Software

Installing software will return the computer to the default condition. When you install the software, the hard disk data will be erased.

Back up important data to other media or an external hard disk before installation.

CAUTION


- Do not delete the Recovery Partition on the hard disk. The disk space in the partition is not available to store data. To check the Recovery Partition, perform the following methods.
 - ① **Windows 8.1**
Right-click  at the bottom left corner of the Desktop screen.
Windows 7
Click  (Start) and right-click [Computer], then click [Manage].
 - A standard user needs to enter an administrator password.
 - ② Click [Disk Management].

■ **Windows 8.1** Remove everything and reinstall Windows

Preparation

- Remove all peripherals.
- Connect the AC adaptor and do not remove it until installation is complete.

1 Perform “Remove everything and reinstall Windows”.

- ① Display “Charm” and click  - [Change PC settings] - [Update and recovery] - [Recovery].
- ② Click [Get Started] under “Remove everything and reinstall Windows”.
- ③ Click [Next].
- ④ Select the option.
 - Just remove my files
Perform the reinstallation of the Windows in a few moments (Approximately 20 minutes).
 - Fully clean the drive
By fully cleaning, the deleted files can not be recovered easily and the security level will be increased.
The processing time will be longer (Approximately 140 minutes).Follow the on-screen instructions.
After the reinstallation, the computer will restart.
- Do not interrupt installation, for example by turning off the computer or performing other operation.
Otherwise installation may become unavailable as Windows may not start up or the data may be corrupted.

2 Perform the “First-time Operation” (→ page 8).

NOTE

- The date and time, and the time zone may not be correct. Be sure to set them correctly.

3 Perform Windows Update.

■ Hard disk recovery

You can reinstall the OS that was pre-installed at the time of purchase (Windows 8.1 or Windows 7).


Windows 8.1 If reinstallation using the method described in “Remove everything and reinstall Windows” is not successful, follow the steps below.

Preparation

- Remove all peripherals.
- Connect the AC adaptor and do not remove it until installation is complete.

1 Start the Setup Utility.

Windows 8.1

- ① Display “Charm”, and click  - [Change PC settings] - [Update and recovery] - [Recovery].
- ② Click [Restart now] under “Advanced startup”.
- ③ Click [Troubleshoot] - [Advanced options] - [UEFI Firmware Settings] - [Restart].

Windows 7

Turn on the computer, and press **F2** or **Del** while [Panasonic] boot screen is displayed.

- If the [Panasonic] boot screen is not displayed, turn on the computer while holding down **F2** or **Del**.
- If the password is requested, enter the Supervisor Password.

2 Write down all of the contents of the Setup Utility and press **F9**.

At the confirmation message, select [Yes] and press **Enter**.

3 Check the [UEFI Boot] setting of the Setup Utility.

[UEFI Boot] should be set to as follows.

When installing Windows 8.1 : [Enabled]

When installing Windows 7 : [Disabled]

4 Press **F10**.

At the confirmation message, select [Yes] and press **Enter**.

Computer will restart.

5 Press **F2** or **Del** while [Panasonic] boot screen is displayed.

The Setup Utility starts up.

- If the password is requested, enter the Supervisor Password.

6 Select the [Exit] menu, then select [Recovery Partition] and press **Enter**.

Windows 8.1

Click [Next] and click [YES].

Windows 7

Click [Reinstall Windows] and click [Next].

8 At the License Agreement screen, click [Yes, I agree to the provisions above and wish to continue!] and click [Next].

9 Click [Next].

If the option is displayed, select the setting and click [Next].


- [Reinstall Windows to the whole Disk to factory default.]
Select this option when you want to install Windows to the factory default. After installation, you can create a new partition. For how to create a new partition, refer to “To change the partition structure” (→ page 9).
 - [Reinstall to the OS related partitions.]¹
Select this option when the hard disk has already been divided into several partitions and you want to keep the partition structure. For how to create a new partition, refer to “To change the partition structure” (→ page 9).
- ¹ This does not appear if Windows cannot be installed to the recovery partition and the area usable by Windows.

10 **Windows 7** At the confirmation message, click [YES].

Windows 7

Select language and system type (32bit or 64bit), then click [OK].

At the confirmation message, click [OK].

To cancel the recovery procedure, click [CANCEL], and click the  mark that appear the top right corner of the screen.

12 At the confirmation message, click [YES].

Installation starts according to the instructions on the screen. (It will take approximately 20 minutes.)

- Do not interrupt installation, for example by turning off the computer or performing other operation.
Otherwise installation may become unavailable as Windows may not start up or the data may be corrupted.

13 When Ending process screen is displayed, click [OK] to turn off the computer.

Installing Software

- 14 **Turn on the computer.**
 - If the password is requested, enter the Supervisor Password.
- 15 **Perform the “First-time Operation” (→ page 8).**

NOTE

- **Windows 8.1** The date and time, and the time zone may not be correct. Be sure to set them correctly.

- 16 **Start the Setup Utility and change the settings as necessary.**
- 17 **Perform Windows Update.**

■ Using Recovery Disc


Use the Recovery Disc in the following conditions.

- You have forgotten the administrator password.
- Installation is not complete. The recovery partition in the hard disk may be broken.
- **Windows 7** <Only for Windows 7 downgrade model>
To change OS from Windows 7 to Windows 8.1, or vice versa.

NOTE


- **Windows 7** To change OS from 32 bit to 64 bit, or vice versa, install OS using the recovery partition in the hard disk.

Preparation

- Prepare the following items:
 - Recovery Disc (→  Reference Manual “Recovery Disc Creation Utility”)
- Remove all peripherals.
- Connect the AC adaptor and do not remove it until installation is complete.

1 Start the Setup Utility.

Windows 8.1

- ① Display “Charm”, and click  - [Change PC settings] - [Update and recovery] - [Recovery].
- ② Click [Restart now] under “Advanced startup”.
- ③ Click [Troubleshoot] - [Advanced options] - [UEFI Firmware Settings] - [Restart].

Windows 7

Turn on the computer, and press **F2** or **Del** while [Panasonic] boot screen is displayed.

- If the [Panasonic] boot screen is not displayed, turn on the computer while holding down **F2** or **Del**.
- If the password is requested, enter the Supervisor Password.

2 Write down all of the contents of the Setup Utility and press **F9**.

At the confirmation message, select [Yes] and press **Enter**.

3 Check the [UEFI Boot] setting of the Setup Utility.

[UEFI Boot] should be set to as follows.

When the recovery disc for Windows 8.1 is used : [Enabled]

When the recovery disc for Windows 7 is used : [Disabled]

4 Set the Recovery Disc into the DVD drive.

5 Press **F10**.

At the confirmation message, select [Yes] and press **Enter**.

Computer will restart.

6 Press **F2** or **Del** while [Panasonic] boot screen is displayed.

The Setup Utility starts up.

- If the password is requested, enter the Supervisor Password.

7 Select the [Exit] menu, then select your DVD drive in [Boot Override] and press **Enter**.

The computer will restart.

8 Click [Reinstall Windows] and click [Next].

9 **Windows 8.1** At the confirmation message, click [YES].

10 At the License Agreement screen, click [Yes, I agree to the provisions above and wish to continue!] and click [Next].

11 **Windows 7****Click [Next].**

If the option is displayed, select the setting and click [Next].

- [Reinstall with HDD recovery partition.]
Standard recovery method.
You can use recovery from Recovery Partition.
- [Reinstall without HDD recovery partition.]
Increase usable HDD size.
You can NOT use recovery from Recovery Partition.
When this option is selected, you can no longer create Recovery Disc(s) after the recovery operation.

CAUTION

- Carefully choose above item because you cannot change it later.


12 **Click [Next].**

If the option is displayed, select the setting and click [Next].

- [Reinstall Windows to the whole Disk to factory default.]
Select this option when you want to install Windows to the factory default. After installation, you can create a new partition. For how to create a new partition, refer to “To change the partition structure” (→ page 9).
- [Reinstall to the OS related partitions.]²
Select this option when the hard disk has already been divided into several partitions and you want to keep the partition structure. For how to create a new partition, refer to “To change the partition structure” (→ page 9).
² This does not appear if Windows cannot be installed to the recovery partition and the area usable by Windows.

13 **At the confirmation message, click [YES].****14** **Windows 7****Select language and system type (32bit or 64bit), then click [OK].**

At the confirmation message, click [OK].

To cancel the recovery procedure, click [CANCEL], and click the  mark that appear the top right corner of the screen.

Windows 7 / **Windows 8.1**

Installation starts according to the instructions on the screen. (It will take approximately 30 - 45 minutes.)

- Do not interrupt installation, for example by turning off the computer or pressing **Ctrl** + **Alt** + **Del**.
Otherwise installation may become unavailable as Windows may not start up or the data may be corrupted.


15 **When Ending process screen is displayed, remove the Recovery Disc and DVD Drive and then click [OK].**

Follow the on-screen instructions.


Some models may take approximately 40 minutes.

16 **Perform the “First-time Operation” (→ page 8).****17** **Start the Setup Utility and change the settings as necessary.****18** **Perform Windows Update.**







Troubleshooting (Basic)

Follow the instructions below when a problem has occurred. There is also an advanced troubleshooting guide in the "Reference Manual". For a software problem, refer to the software's instruction manual. If the problem persists, contact Panasonic Technical Support. You can also check the computer's status in the PC Information Viewer (→  *Reference Manual* "Checking the Computer's Usage Status").

■ Starting Up





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| <p>Cannot start up. The power indicator or battery indicator is not lit.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Connect the AC adaptor. ● Insert a fully charged battery. ● Remove the battery pack and the AC adaptor, then connect them again. ● Even if the AC adaptor and battery pack are correctly connected, if the battery indicator is not lit, the AC adaptor protection function may be operating. Disconnect the AC cord, wait three minutes or more, and reconnect the AC cord. ● If a device is connected to the USB port, disconnect the device, or set [USB Port] or [Legacy USB Support] to [Disabled] in the [Advanced] menu of the Setup Utility. ● If a device is connected to the ExpressCard slot, disconnect the device, or set [ExpressCard Slot] to [Disabled] in the [Advanced] menu of the Setup Utility. ● Press Fn + F8 to turn off the concealed mode. ● Check the [UEFI Boot] setting of the Setup Utility. [UEFI Boot] should be set to Windows 8.1 [Enabled] / Windows 7 [Disabled]. |
| <p>The power is turned on but "Warming up the system (up to 30 minutes)" appears.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The computer is warming up before start up. Wait for the computer to start up (takes up to 30 minutes). If "Cannot warm up the system" is displayed, the computer failed to warm up and does not start. In this case, turn off the computer, leave it in an environment of 5 °C or higher temperature for about an hour, and then turn on the power once more. |
| <p>After adding or changing the RAM module, the power is turned on but nothing is displayed on the screen.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Turn off the computer and remove the RAM module, then confirm whether the RAM module has compliant to specification. When the RAM module has conformed to specification, install it again. |
| <p>The computer does not enter sleep mode while the screensaver is running. (The screen stays black.)</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Press and hold the power switch for 4 seconds or longer to shut down the computer forcibly. (Data not saved will be lost.) Then disable the screensaver. |
| <p>It takes time for the power indicator to light up.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● If the power switch is pressed immediately after the battery pack has been mounted on the computer, and while the AC adaptor is not connected, it may take about five seconds before the power indicator lights up and the computer turns on. This is because the computer is checking the remaining battery charge; it is not a malfunction. |
| <p>You have forgotten the password.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Supervisor Password or User Password: Contact Panasonic Technical Support. ● Administrator password: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If you have another account with Administrator authority, log-on with it, then delete the password for the problem account. • If you have a password reset disk, click [Reset password] displayed after the password input error, then follow the on-screen instructions and set a new password. ● If you cannot do either of the above, you will need to reinstall (→ page 14) and setup Windows. |
| <p>"Remove disks or other media. Press any key to restart" or a similar message appears.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● A floppy disk is in the drive or USB memory is connected, and it does not contain system startup information. Remove the floppy disk and USB memory, then press any key. ● If a device is connected to the USB port, disconnect the device, or set [USB Port] or [Legacy USB Support] to [Disabled] in the [Advanced] menu of the Setup Utility. ● <Only for model with ExpressCard slot> If a device is connected to the ExpressCard slot, disconnect the device, or set [ExpressCard Slot] to [Disabled] in the [Advanced] menu of the Setup Utility. ● If the problem persists after removing the disk, it may be a hard disk failure. Contact Panasonic Technical Support. ● Set [UEFI Boot] to [Disabled] in the [Boot] menu of the Setup Utility. |
| <p>Windows startup and operation is slow.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Press F9 in the Setup Utility (→  <i>Reference Manual</i> "Setup Utility") to return the Setup Utility settings (excluding the passwords) to the default values. Start the Setup Utility and make the settings again. (Note that the processing speed depends on the application software, so this procedure may not make Windows faster.) ● If you installed a resident software after purchase, turn off the residence. |

■ Starting Up



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| <p>The date and time are incorrect.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Make the correct settings. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> ① Open the Control Panel. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Windows 8.1 1. Perform either of the following procedures. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Right-click  at the bottom left corner of the Desktop screen. • Click  on the Start screen. 2. Click [Control Panel]. Windows 7 Click  (Start) - [Control Panel]. ② Click [Clock, Language, and Region] - [Date and Time]. ● If the problem persists, the internal clock battery may need to be replaced. Contact Panasonic Technical Support. ● When the computer is connected to LAN, check the date and time of the server. ● The 2100 A.D. or later year will not be correctly recognized on this computer. |
| <p>[Executing Battery Recalibration] screen appears.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The Battery Recalibration was canceled before Windows was shut down last time. To start up Windows, turn off the computer by the power switch, and then turn on. |
| <p>[Enter Password] does not appear when resuming from sleep/hibernation.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Select [Enabled] in [Password On Resume] in the [Security] menu of the Setup Utility (→  <i>Reference Manual</i> "Setup Utility"). ● The Windows password can be used instead of the password set in the Setup Utility. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> ① Add a password. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Windows 8.1 1. Display "Charm" and click  - [Change PC settings] - [Accounts]. 2. Click [Sign-in options], and click [Add] under "Password". Windows 7 1. Click  (Start) - [Control Panel]. 2. Click [User Accounts and Family Safety] - [Add or remove user accounts]. ② Set up the following. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Windows 8.1 1. Open the Control Panel, click [System and Security] - [Power Options] - [Require a password on wakeup]. 2. Add a check mark for [Require a password]. Windows 7 1. Click [Control Panel] - [System and Security] - [Power Option] - [Require a password when the computer wakes] and add a check mark for [Require a password]. |
| <p>Cannot resume.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● One of the following operations may have been carried out. Press the power switch turn on the computer. Data not saved will be lost. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In sleep mode, the AC adaptor or battery pack was disconnected, or a peripheral was connected or disconnected. • The power switch was pressed for four seconds or longer to forcibly turn off the computer. ● An error may occur when the computer automatically enters the sleep or hibernation mode while the screensaver is active. In this case, turn off the screensaver or change the pattern of the screensaver. |

Troubleshooting (Basic)

Starting Up

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| <p>Other startup problems.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Press F9 in the Setup Utility (→  Reference Manual “Setup Utility”) to return the Setup Utility settings (excluding the passwords) to the default values. Start the Setup Utility and make the settings again. ● Remove all peripheral devices. ● Check to see if there was a disk error. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> ① Remove all peripheral devices including an external display. ② Windows 8.1 Perform either of the following procedures. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Right-click  at the bottom left corner of the Desktop screen. • Click  on the Start screen. ③ Windows 7 Click  (Start) - [Computer]. ④ Click [File Explorer]. ⑤ Right-click Windows 8.1 [Windows (C:)] / Windows 7 [Local Disk (C:)], and click [Properties]. ⑥ Click [Tools] - Windows 8.1 [Check] / Windows 7 [Check Now...]. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A standard user needs to enter an administrator password. ⑦ Follow the on-screen instructions. ● Windows 7 Start the computer in Safe Mode and check the error details. When the [Panasonic] boot screen disappears^{*1} at startup, press and hold F8 until the Windows Advanced Options Menu is displayed. Select the Safe Mode and press Enter. <p>^{*1} When [Password on boot] is set to [Enabled] in the [Security] menu of the Setup Utility, [Enter Password] appears after the [Panasonic] boot screen disappears. As soon as you enter the password and press Enter, press and hold F8.</p> |
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

Entering Password

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| <p>Even after entering the password, password input screen is displayed again.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The computer may be in ten-key mode. If the NumLk indicator  lights, press NumLk to disable the ten-key mode, and then input. ● The computer may be in Caps Lock mode. If the Caps Lock indicator  lights, press Caps Lock to disable the Caps Lock mode, and then input. |
| <p>Cannot log on to Windows. (“The user name or password is incorrect.” is displayed.)</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The user name (account name) includes the “@” mark. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - If another user account name exists: Log on to Windows using another user account name, and delete the account name that includes “@”. Then create a new account name. - If no other account name exists: You need to reinstall Windows (→ page 14). |

Shutting down

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| <p>Windows does not shut down.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Remove the USB device and the ExpressCard. ● Wait 1 or 2 minutes. It is not a malfunction. |
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| <p>No display.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The external display is selected. Press Fn + F3 or  + P to switch the display. Windows 7 Wait until the display has been switched completely before pressing Fn + F3 or  + P again. ● Windows 8.1 Then click the display mode. ● When using an external display, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check the cable connection. • Turn on the display. • Check the settings of external display. ● The display is turned off by the power-saving function. The screen returns to the original state when you operate keyboard or screen. When operating the keyboard, press a key that does not affect the computer operation, such as Ctrl. ● The computer entered sleep or hibernation by the power-saving function. To resume, press the power switch. |
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■ Display

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| The screen is dark. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The screen is darker when the AC adaptor is not connected. Press Fn + F2 and adjust the brightness. As you increase the brightness, battery consumption increases. You can separately set the brightness for when the AC adaptor is connected and when not connected. ● Press Fn + F8 to turn off the concealed mode. |
| The screen is disordered. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Changing the number of display colors and resolution may affect the screen. Restart the computer. ● Connecting/disconnecting an external display may affect the screen. Restart the computer. ● Resuming from sleep or hibernation may affect the screen of the external display. Restart the computer. |
| During Simultaneous display, one of the screens becomes disordered. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● When using the Extended Desktop, use the same display colors for the external display as those used by the LCD. If you continue to experience problems, try changing the display. Right-click on the desktop, and click [Graphics Properties...] - [Display]. ● Simultaneous display cannot be used until Windows startup is complete (during Setup Utility, etc.). |
| The external display does not work normally. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● If the external display does not support the power saving function, it may not work normally when the computer enters the power saving mode. Turn off the external display. |

■ Touch Pad / Touchscreen (only for model with touchscreen)

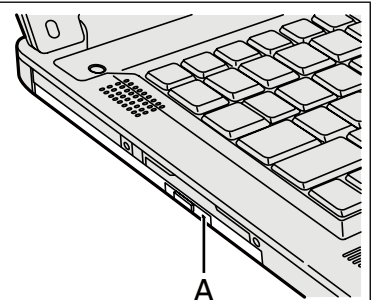
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| The pointer does not work. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● When using the external mouse, connect it correctly. ● Restart the computer using the keyboard. ● If the computer does not respond to keyboard commands, read “No response” (→ page 22). |
| Cannot input using the touch pad. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Set [Touch Pad] to [Enabled] in the [Main] menu of the Setup Utility. ● The drivers for some mice may disable the touch pad. Check your mouse's operating instructions. |
| Cannot point the correct position using the included stylus. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Perform the touchscreen calibration (→  Reference Manual “Screen Input Operation”). |
| Windows 8.1 <Only for model with touchscreen> “Charm” does not always appear by finger operation. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Flick toward the center of the screen from the right edge. ● Use the included pen. |

■ On-screen Document

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| Windows 7 The document of PDF format is not displayed. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Install Adobe Reader. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> ① Log on to Windows as an administrator. ② Click  (Start) and input “c:\util\reader\en\Pinstall.bat” in [Search programs and files] then press Enter. ③ Update Adobe Reader to its latest version. If your computer is connected to the internet, start up Adobe Reader and click [Help] - [Check for Updates...]. |
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■ CD/DVD Drive

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| The tray does not come out although inserting a pointed object to the emergency hole. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● A pin of 1.3 mm in diameter is recommended to remove a disc using the emergency hole (A). When the diameter of the pin is smaller than this, insert the pin slightly downward. |
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Troubleshooting (Basic)

■ Others

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| No response. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Press Ctrl+Shift+Esc to open Task Manager and close the software application that is not responding.● An input screen (e.g., password input screen at startup) may be hidden behind another window. Press Alt+Tab to check.● Press the power switch for 4 seconds or longer to shut down the computer, and then press the power switch to turn it on. If the application program does not work normally, uninstall and reinstall the program. To uninstall,<ol style="list-style-type: none">① Open the Control Panel.<ul style="list-style-type: none">Windows 8.11. Perform either of the following procedures.<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Right-click  at the bottom left corner of the Desktop screen.• Click  on the Start screen.2. Click [Control Panel].<ul style="list-style-type: none">Windows 7Click  (Start) - [Control Panel].② Click [Program] - [Uninstall a program]. |
| Cannot enter characters correctly. | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Select the same language setting for Windows and the internal keyboard (→ page 8). |

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Specifications

This page provides the specifications for the basic model.
The model number is different according to the unit configuration.

- To check the model number:
Check the bottom of the computer or the box the computer came in at the time of purchase.
- To check CPU speed, memory size and the hard disk drive (HDD) size:
Run the Setup Utility (→  *Reference Manual* "Setup Utility") and select [Information] menu.
[Processor Speed]: CPU speed, [Memory Size]: Memory size, [Hard Disk]: Hard disk drive size

■ Main Specifications

| | | |
|---|----------------------|---|
| CPU/Secondary cache memory | | Intel® Core™ i5-4310U Processor (3 MB ¹ cache, 2.0 GHz up to 3.0 GHz) with Intel® Turbo Boost Technology |
| Chip Set | | Built-in CPU |
| Video controller | | Intel® HD Graphics 4400 (Built-in CPU) |
| Main Memory ² | | 4 GB ¹ , DDR3L SDRAM (16 GB ¹ Max.) |
| Storage | | HDD (500 GB / 1 TB / 320 GB) ³ SDD (512 GB / 256 GB / 128 GB) ³ Windows 8.1 Approx. 20 GB ³ is used as a partition with HDD recovery tools. (Users cannot use this partition.) Approx. 1 GB ³ is used as a partition with system tools. (Users cannot use this partition.) Windows 8.1 Approx. 45 GB ³ is used as a partition with HDD recovery tools. (Users cannot use this partition.) Approx. 300 MB ³ is used as a partition with system tools. (Users cannot use this partition.) |
| CD/DVD Drive | | DVD MULTI Drive built-in, Buffer underrun error prevention function: Supported |
| Continuous Data Transfer Speed ^{4,5} | Reading ⁶ | • DVD-RAM ⁷ : 5X (Max.) • DVD-R ⁸ : 8X (Max.) • DVD-R DL: 8X (Max.) • DVD-RW: 8X (Max.) • DVD-ROM: 8X (Max.) • +R: 8X (Max.) • +R DL: 8X (Max.) • +RW: 8X (Max.) • High Speed +RW: 8X (Max.) • CD-ROM: 24X (Max.) • CD-R: 24X (Max.) • CD-RW: 24X (Max.) • High-Speed CD-RW: 24X (Max.) • Ultra-Speed CD-RW: 24X (Max.) |
| | Writing ⁹ | • DVD-RAM ⁷ : 5X (Max.) • DVD-R ⁸ : 8X (Max.) • DVD-R DL: 6X (Max.) • DVD-RW: 6X (Max.) • +R: 8X (Max.) • +R DL: 6X (Max.) • +RW: 4X (Max.) • High Speed +RW: 8X (Max.) • CD-R: 24X (Max.) • CD-RW: 4X • High-Speed CD-RW: 10X • Ultra-Speed CD-RW: 24X (Max.) |
| Supported Discs/Format | Reading | • DVD-ROM (Single Layer, Dual Layer) • DVD-Video • DVD-R ⁸ (1.4 GB, 3.95 GB, 4.7 GB) ³ • DVD-R DL (8.5 GB) ³ • DVD-RW (Ver.1.1/1.2 1.4 GB, 2.8 GB, 4.7 GB, 9.4 GB) ³ • DVD-RAM ⁷ (1.4 GB, 2.6 GB, 2.8 GB, 4.7 GB, 5.2 GB, 9.4 GB) ³ • +R (4.7 GB) ³ • +R DL (8.5 GB) ³ • +RW (4.7 GB) ³ • High Speed +RW (4.7 GB) ³ • CD-Audio • CD-ROM (XA compatible) • CD-R • Photo CD (multiple session compatible) • Video CD • CD-EXTRA • CD-RW • CD-TEXT • High-Speed CD-RW • Ultra-Speed CD-RW |
| | Writing | • DVD-RAM ⁷ (1.4 GB, 2.8 GB, 4.7 GB, 9.4 GB) ³ • DVD-R (1.4 GB, 4.7 GB for General) ³ • DVD-R DL (8.5 GB) ³ • DVD-RW (Ver.1.1/1.2 1.4 GB, 2.8 GB, 4.7 GB, 9.4 GB) ³ • +R (4.7 GB) ³ • +R DL (8.5 GB) ³ • +RW (4.7 GB) ³ • High Speed +RW (4.7 GB) ³ • CD-R • Photo CD (multiple session compatible) • Video CD • CD-EXTRA • CD-RW • CD-TEXT • High-Speed CD-RW • Ultra-Speed CD-RW, CD-Audio |
| Display Method | | 14 type (TFT) (1366 × 768 dots) 14 type with Touchscreen (TFT) (1366 × 768 dots) |
| Internal LCD | | 65,536/16,777,216 colors (800 × 600 dots / 1024 × 768 dots / 1280 × 600 dots / 1280 × 720 dots / 1280 × 768 dots / 1360 × 768 dots / 1366 × 768 dots) ¹⁰ |
| External Display ¹¹ | | 65,536 / 16,777,216 colors (800 × 600 dots / 1024 × 768 dots / 1280 × 768 dots / 1600 × 1200 dots / 1920 × 1080 dots / 1920 × 1200 dots) |
| Wireless LAN ¹² | | Intel® Dual Band Wireless-N 7265 → page 26 |
| Bluetooth ¹³ | | → page 26 |
| LAN | | IEEE 802.3 10Base-T / IEEE 802.3u 100BASE-TX / IEEE 802.3ab 1000BASE-T (2nd LAN ¹⁴ : IEEE 802.3 10BASE-T, IEEE 802.3u 100BASE-TX) |
| Modem ¹⁵ | | Data: 56 kbps (V.92) FAX: 14.4 kbps |
| Sound | | WAVE and MIDI playback, Intel® High Definition Audio subsystem support |

■ Main Specifications

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| Card Slots | PC Card Slot | x 1 ^{*16} , Type I or Type II, Allowable current 3.3 V: 400 mA, 5 V: 400 mA | |
| | ExpressCard Slot ^{*17} | x 1, ExpressCard/34 or ExpressCard/54 | |
| | SD Memory Card Slot ^{*18} | x 1 | |
| | Contact Smart Card Slot ^{*19} | x 1 | |
| RAM Module Slot | | x 1, DDR3L SDRAM, 204-pin, 1.35 V, SO-DIMM, PC3L-12800 Compliant | |
| Interface | | USB Ports x 4 (USB 2.0 x 2 + USB 3.0 x 2) ^{*20} / Serial Port (Dsub 9-pin male) / Modem Port (RJ-11) ^{*15} / LAN Port (RJ-45) x 1 ^{*21} or 2 ^{*14} / VGA Port (Mini Dsub 15-pin female) / HDMI Port (Type A) ^{*22} / IEEE1394a Interface Connector (4-pin) ^{*23} / Microphone Jack (Miniature jack, 3.5 DIA) / Headphone Jack (Miniature jack, 3.5 DIA, Impedance 32 Ω, Output Power 4 mW x 2, Stereo) / Expansion Bus Connector (Dedicated 100-pin female) / Rugged USB 2.0 Port ^{*24} | |
| Keyboard / Pointing Device | | 88 or 87 keys / Touch Pad | 88 or 87 keys / Touch Pad, Touchscreen |
| Fingerprint Reader ^{*25} | | Image Size : 200 × 400 pixels, Image Resolution : 508 DPI | |
| Camera ^{*26} | | 1280 × 720 dots, 30 fps (Video), Monaural Microphone | |
| Power Supply | | AC adaptor or Battery pack | |
| AC Adaptor ^{*27} | | Input: 100 V - 240 V AC, 50 Hz/60 Hz, Output: 15.6 V DC, 7.05 A | |
| Battery Pack | | Li-ion 10.8 V, Typical 6750 mAh / Minimum 6300 mAh (with CF-VZSU71U) Li-ion 10.8 V, Typical 4500 mAh / Minimum 4200 mAh (with CF-VZSU72U) Li-ion 10.65 V, Typical 8550 mAh / Minimum 8100 mAh (with CF-VZSU46AT) | |
| | | Operating Time ^{*28} | Approx. 15 hours (with CF-VZSU71U) Approx. 10 hours (with CF-VZSU72U) Approx. 19 hours (with CF-VZSU46AT) |
| | | Charging Time ^{*29} | Approx. 2 hours (with CF-VZSU71U / CF-VZSU72U) Approx. 3 hours (with CF-VZSU46AT) |
| Power Consumption ^{*30} | | Approx. 25 W ^{*31} / Approx. 100 W (maximum when recharging in the ON state) | |
| Physical Dimensions (W × D × H) (including the carrying handle) | | 340 mm × 281 mm × 46 - 55 mm | |
| Weight (including the hand strap) | | Approx. 2.65 kg (with CF-VZSU71U) Approx. 2.55 kg (with CF-VZSU72U) Approx. 2.69 kg (with CF-VZSU46AT) | Approx. 2.95 kg |
| Environment | Operating | Temperature | <Model without HDD heater> 0 °C to 50 °C (IEC60068-2-1, 2) ^{*32} <Model with HDD heater> -10 °C to 50 °C (IEC60068-2-1, 2) ^{*32} |
| | | Humidity | 30 % to 80 % RH (No condensation) |
| | Storage | Temperature | - 20 °C to 60 °C |
| | | Humidity | 30 % to 90 % RH (No condensation) |

■ Software

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| Base OS | Windows® 8.1 Pro Update 64-bit |
| Installed OS ^{*33} | Windows 8.1 Windows® 8.1 Pro Update 64-bit Windows 8.1 Windows® 7 Professional 32-bit Service Pack 1 (downgraded to Windows® 7) ^{*34} / Windows® 7 Professional 64-bit Service Pack 1 (downgraded to Windows® 7) ^{*34} |
| Pre-installed Software | Adobe Reader, PC Information Viewer, Intel® PROSet/Wireless Software ^{*12} , Intel® PROSet/Wireless Software for Bluetooth® Technology ^{*13} , Hotkey Settings, Battery Recalibration Utility, Aptio Setup Utility, PC-Diagnostic Utility, Roxio Creator LJB, CyberLink PowerDVD 10, Display Selector, Hard Disk Data Erase Utility ^{*36} , Recovery Disc Creation Utility, Dashboard for Panasonic PC, Power Plan Extension Utility, Camera Utility ^{*26} , Manual Selector, Microsoft Office Trial ^{*37} , DDS EVE FA Standalone for Panasonic ^{*25*35} Windows 8.1 Wireless Toolbox Windows 8.1 Wireless Switch Utility, Wireless Connection Disable Utility ^{*12*35} , Quick Boot Manager |

Specifications

■ Wireless LAN^{*12}

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| Data Transfer Rates | IEEE802.11a : 54/48/36/24/18/12/9/6 Mbps (automatically switched) ^{*38} IEEE802.11b : 11/5.5/2/1 Mbps (automatically switched) ^{*38} IEEE802.11g : 54/48/36/24/18/12/9/6 Mbps (automatically switched) ^{*38} IEEE802.11n ^{*39} : (HT20) GI ^{*40} = 400ns: 150/130/115/86/72/65/57/43/28/21/14/7 Mbps (automatically switched) ^{*38} GI ^{*40} = 800ns: 130/117/104/78/65/58/52/39/26/19/13/6 Mbps (automatically switched) ^{*38} (HT40) GI ^{*40} = 400ns: 300/270/240/180/150/135/120/90/60/45/30/15 Mbps (automatically switched) ^{*38} GI ^{*40} = 800ns: 270/243/216/162/135/121/108/81/54/40/27/13 Mbps (automatically switched) ^{*38} |
| Standards Supported | IEEE802.11a / IEEE802.11b / IEEE802.11g / IEEE802.11n |
| Transmission method | OFDM system, DSSS system |
| Wireless Channels Used | IEEE802.11a : Channels 36/40/44/48/52/56/60/64/100/104/108/112/116/120/124/128/132/136/140/144/149/153/157/161/165 (dependent on country) IEEE802.11b / IEEE802.11g : Channels 1 to 11 or 1 to 13 (dependent on country) IEEE802.11n : Channels 1-13/36/40/44/48/52/56/60/64/100/104/108/112/116/120/124/128/132/136/140/144/149/153/157/161/165 (dependent on country) |
| RF Frequency Band | IEEE802.11a : 5.18 GHz - 5.32 GHz, 5.5 GHz - 5.825 GHz IEEE802.11b / IEEE802.11g : 2.412 GHz - 2.472 GHz IEEE802.11n : 2.412 GHz - 2.472 GHz, 5.18 GHz - 5.32 GHz, 5.5 GHz - 5.825 GHz |

■ Bluetooth^{*13}

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| Bluetooth Version | 4.0 |
| | Classic mode / Low Energy mode |
| Transmission method | FHSS system |
| Wireless Channels Used | Channel 1 to 79 / Channel 0 to 39 |
| RF Frequency Band | 2.402 GHz - 2.480 GHz |

^{*1} 1 MB = 1,048,576 bytes / 1 GB = 1,073,741,824 bytes

^{*2} Memory size of the factory default depends on the model. You can physically expand the memory up to 8 GB, but the total amount of usable memory available will be less depending on the actual system configuration.

^{*3} 1 MB = 1,000,000 bytes / 1 GB = 1,000,000,000 bytes / 1 TB = 1,000,000,000,000 bytes. Your operating system or some application software will report as fewer GB.

^{*4} Data transfer speeds indicate values measured by Panasonic Corporation. The data transfer rate of DVD per 1X speed is 1,350 KB/s. The data transfer rate of CD per 1X speed is 150 KB/s.

^{*5} Performance of CD-R, CD-RW, DVD-RAM, DVD-R, DVD-R DL, DVD-RW, +R, +R DL, and +RW cannot be guaranteed depending on writing status and recording format.

Also, some data cannot be played back depending on the disc, settings, and environment being used. Does not support writing to DVD-R DL/+R DL (dual layer discs) and Ultra-Speed CD-RW.

^{*6} If an unbalanced disc (e.g., a disc with which the balance has been displaced from the center) is inserted, the speed may become slower if there are large vibrations while the disc is rotating.

^{*7} Only non-cartridge type or removable cartridge type can be used.

^{*8} DVD-R is compatible with 4.7 GB (for General) playback. DVD-R (for Authoring) playback is compatible with discs recorded using Disc-at-Once recording.

^{*9} Depending on the disc, the writing speed may become slower.

^{*10} A 16,777,216 color display is achieved by using the dithering function.

^{*11} Display may be impossible using some connected external displays.

^{*12} Only for model with wireless LAN.

^{*13} Does not guarantee operation of all Bluetooth peripherals.

^{*14} Only for model with 2nd LAN.

^{*15} Only for model with modem.

^{*16} Only for model with PC card slot.

^{*17} Only for model with ExpressCard slot.

^{*18} This slot is compatible with High-Speed Mode. Operation has been tested and confirmed using Panasonic SD/SDHC/SDXC Memory Cards with a capacity of up to 64 GB. Operation on other SD equipment is not guaranteed.

^{*19} Only for model with Smart Card slot.

^{*20} Does not guarantee operation of all USB-compatible peripherals.

^{*21} Only for model without 2nd LAN.

^{*22} Does not guarantee operation of all HDMI-compatible peripherals.

^{*23} Only for model with IEEE 1394a interface.

^{*24} Only for model with rugged USB 2.0 port.

^{*25} Only for model with Fingerprint reader.

^{*26} Only for model with Camera. The specifications may differ depending on the model.

^{*27} <Only for North America>

The AC adaptor is compatible with power sources up to 240 V AC adaptor. This computer is supplied with a 125 V AC compatible AC cord.

- *28 Measured with LCD brightness : 60 cd/m²
Varies depending on the usage conditions, or when an optional device is attached.
- *29 Varies depending on the usage conditions, CPU speed, etc.
- *30 Approx. 0.5 W when the battery pack is fully charged (or not being charged) and the computer is off.
<When using with 115 V AC>
Even when the AC adaptor is not connected to the computer, power is consumed (Max. 0.2 W) simply by having the AC adaptor plugged into an AC outlet.
<When using with 240 V AC>
Even when the AC adaptor is not connected to the computer, power is consumed (Max. 0.3 W) simply by having the AC adaptor plugged into an AC outlet.
- *31 Rated power consumption. 23-E-1
- *32 Do not expose the skin to this product when using the product in a hot or cold environment. (➔ OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS - Read Me First) When using in hot or cold environment, some peripherals may fail to work properly. Check the operation environment of the peripherals.
Using this product continuously in a hot environment will shorten the product life. Avoid use in these types of environments. When using in low temperature environment, startup may become slow or battery operation time may become short. The computer consumes power when the hard disk is warming up during startup. Therefore, if you are using battery power and the remaining power is low, the computer may not start up.
- *33 Operations of this computer are not guaranteed except for the pre-installed OS and the OS which is installed by using the Recovery disc provided by Panasonic.
- *34 This system is preinstalled with Windows® 7 Professional software and also comes with a license for Windows 8.1 Pro software. You may only use one version of the Windows software at a time. Switching between versions will require you to uninstall one version and install the other version.
- *35 Must be installed before use.
- *36 Perform on the recovery disc.
Windows 8.1
Alternatively perform on the hard disk recovery partition.
- *37 To continue using this software after the end of the trial, purchase a license by following the on-screen instructions.
- *38 These are speeds specified in IEEE802.11a+b+g+n standards. Actual speeds may differ.
- *39 Available when set to "WPA-PSK", "WPA2-PSK" or "none".
- *40 Only available when HT40 enabled by the computer.



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