

News From Acorn Computers

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Acorn Announces New High Resolution Super VGA Multiscan Monitor

Acorn Computers today announces the availability of its new high resolution monitor, the Acorn Super VGA Multiscan monitor, for the Acorn Archimedes range of 32-bit RISC OS computers.

Designed and manufactured in the UK exclusively for Acorn by the international information systems and services group, Microvitec plc, the new Super VGA Multiscan monitor is being released by Acorn in response to demands for a higher specification, high performance monitor and provides users with a top end premium alternative to the company's current product, the Acorn Multiscan monitor.

The new 0.28 dot pitch monitor has been designed to meet all known European ergonomic and safety regulations, including the demanding Swedish low radiation directive, MPR II. With a non-reflective screen and a 'tilt and swivel' base, the Super VGA Multiscan offers excellent visual and physical design, and is capable of supporting all current Acorn screen modes as well as providing outstanding support for all modern high resolution screen modes up to SVGA standard.

The Acorn Super VGA Multiscan monitor is available for sale from today through all Acorn dealers, and can either be bought bundled with any Acorn RISC OS computer for an additional £75 (inc VAT) above the standard Acorn Multiscan system price, or as a separately purchased item at the recommended UK retail price of £374.00 (inc VAT).

The high performance Super VGA Multiscan monitor is the first deliverable product to result from a strategic partnership recently agreed between Acorn Computers and Microvitec plc. The partnership demonstrates Acorn's continued commitment to support indigenous UK manufacturing and technology wherever possible.

Commenting on the latest addition to Acorn's product range, Mike O'Riordan, Sales and Marketing Director, said: "For some time now we have been aware of the need to offer our users a choice of monitor. Our strategic partnership agreement with Microvitec now enables us to address this by making a high end premium quality Super VGA monitor available for sale in all our market sectors.



"Acorn's established reputation as a supplier of quality technology solutions in our chosen niches, coupled with Microvitec's track record for high performance, reliable products ensures a solid foundation for what promises to be a very successful partnership for both parties:"

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