



System Fact Sheet

SYSTEM

**Introduced:** August 1996  
**Discontinued:** August 1997  
**Gestalt ID:**  
**Form Factor:** DayStar MP 300  
**Weight (lbs.):** 50  
**Dimensions (inches):** 21 H x 8.5 W x 22 D

**Codename:**  
**Oder Number:**  
**KB Article #:**

POWER

**Max. Watts:**  
**Amps:**  
**BTU Per Hour:**  
**Voltage Range:** 100-240 V  
**Freq'y Range (Hz):** 50-60 Hz  
**Battery Type:** 3.6V lithium  
 Soft Power  
 Monitor Power Outlet

PORTS

**ADB:** 1  
**Video:** DB-15  
**Floppy:** none  
**SCSI:** DB-25  
**GeoPort Connectors:** 2  
**Ethernet:** 10Base-T

**Microphone Port Type:**  
 Printer     Speaker  
 Modem      Headphone  
 Airport      Remote Control

VIDEO

**Built-in Display:**

**Maximum Color Bit-depth<sup>1</sup> At:**

<b>VRAM Speed:</b>	<b>VRAM Needed:</b>	<b>Video Configuration:</b>	512	640	640	640	800	832	1024	1152	1280
			x384	x400	x480	x870 <sup>2</sup>	x600	x624	x768	x870	x1024
	VRAM	2MB						24			
	VRAM	4MB								24	

<sup>1</sup> 1-bit = Black & White; 2-bit = 4 colors; 4-bit = 16 colors; 8-bit = 256 colors; 16-bit = Thousands; 24-bit = Millions

<sup>2</sup> The maximum color depth listed for 640x870 is 8-bit, reflecting the capabilities of the Apple 15" Portrait Display.

LOGICBOARD

**Main Processor:** 604e, 180 MHz  
**PMMU:** none  
**FPU:** none  
**Data Path:** , 45 MHz  
**L1 Cache:** 32K  
**L2 Cache:** 512K  
**Secondary Processor:** none  
**Slots:** 6 PCI

MEMORY

**Memory on Logic Board:** 16MB  
**Minimum RAM:** 24MB  
**Maximum RAM:** 1.5GB  
**RAM Slots:** 12 168-pin  
**Minimum RAM Speed:** 60 ns  
**RAM Sizes:** 32, 64, 128 MB  
**Install in Groups of:** 1

SOFTWARE

Speech Recognition Supported

**Supported Macintosh System Software:**

**Addressing Modes:** 32-bit  
**Original SSW:** 7.5.3  
**Original Enabler:**

**ROM ID:**  
**ROM Version:**  
**ROM Size:**  
**AppleTalk Version:**

- A/UX 1.0     NOS 1.11     ProDOS
- A/UX 1.11     NOS 1.3     GS/OS
- A/UX 2.0     NOS 2.0     NeXTStep 1.x
- A/UX 3.0.1     NOS 2.1     NeXTStep 2.x
- A/UX 4.1.4     LOS 7/7     NeXTStep 3.x
- A/UX 4.1.4.1     DOS 3.1     OpenStep
- A/UX 4.1.5     SOS 1.3     <1.0

SOUND

**Microphone Port Type:**  
**Sound In:** stereo, 16-bit  
**Sound Out:** stereo, 16-bit

Built-in Microphone

STORAGE

Supports Internal CD-ROM

**Floppy Size:** 1.44MB  
**Floppy Inject:** manual  
**Internal HD Size:** 2-4GB  
**Internal HD Interface:** SCSI  
**Original CD-ROM Speed:** 8x, 16x

HISTORY

The Genesis MP+ came in dual- and quad-processor versions based on the PowerPC 604e processor. Note that many of these were introduced only two weeks before DayStar chose to discontinue producing Mac OS computers on 25 August 1997. DayStar sold their remaining inventory to MacWorks, who repackaged the MP+ primarily as single CPU machines under the Millennium label. The original purchase price was approximately US\$10,000.