

SEMERC A4000S

The complete system for users with special needs



Acorn Computers, in partnership with SEMERC and Cumana, is pleased to bring you the A4000S – the complete system for users with special needs.

Price

A4000S with standard Acorn colour monitor – £899
(plus £10 delivery per system) excluding VAT

A4000S with multiscan Acorn colour monitor – £949
(plus £10 delivery per system) excluding VAT

Order Point

To order, contact Cumana on 0483 503121 (Fax: 0483 451371) or to obtain details of your local participating dealer call 081 847 7888.

The A4000S is the Acorn computer system for special needs, devised and developed through a partnership between Acorn Computers, SEMERC and Cumana.

USER BENEFITS

- The system is fully configured and ready to use after plugging in.
- Award-winning* software is pre-installed, including Phases 3, My World, special needs utilities and programs from Brilliant and Widgit.
- The revolutionary Cumana EMU interface with standard user port allows existing equipment, such as overlay keyboards, switch boxes, control equipment and turtles, to be connected immediately using existing leads.
- The EMU interface also permits further expansion.
- Comprehensive support literature is supplied, including guidebooks and starter guide.
- Helplines are available from Acorn, SEMERC and Cumana and support from a nominated dealer:

Acorn Computer (Special Needs department) – Tel: 0223 254414

SEMERC – Tel: 061 627 4469

Cumana – Tel: 0483 503121

The complete A4000S package comprises:

The Acorn A4000 computer, with separate keyboard, 80MB hard disc and colour monitor.

Cumana EMU (Expandable Multi-Use) interface with user port – an expansion board enabling overlay keyboards, switch boxes, control equipment and turtles to be connecting using existing leads. Further expansion for midi, analogue, SCSI, IDE, Companion and other third-party boards is also allowed.

Phases 3, the award-winning* wordprocessor from SEMERC, with a range of support screens.

My World, Derbyshire LEA's highly acclaimed award-winning* content-free program, with support materials covering a wide range of ages and curriculum areas.

Picture resources – hundreds of pictures and symbols in Paint and Draw format for use with many programs, including Phases 3 and My World.

Six programs from Brilliant in limited-option working versions – Mini Alex, Switch On, Pairs, Microship, Painting and Frog.

TriLink files from Widgit, a range of activities based on Eric Carle's story *The Hungry Caterpillar*, made with Screenplay, Gridit and the award-winning* Choices.

Special Needs utilities: ASP – a program giving switch users access to software, along with a range of specially prepared templates for Phases and My World; !Spkbd – a program which allows for the keyboards to be configured to individual users and for mouse emulation from the keyboard; MouseSwitch – SEMERC's new mouse/keyboard emulator; !Flashbell, !Flasher and !Pointer – utilities for sensorily impaired users. (The operating system also includes the large screen mode 22).

A-Z of Special Needs for Acorn Computers – a book of useful current information for those using Acorn computers with learners with special needs.

Computers and Your Child – A Parent's Guide – specially written by Sally McKeown and Mick Thomas of the National Council for Educational Technology.

Beginner's starter guide specially devised by SEMERC's training department to help you get going with your new A4000S computer.

A comprehensive user guide and applications guide, with Program documentation for the pre-installed software and resources.

*Phases and My World received special awards at BETT '92. My World support materials and Choices received Educational Computing & Technology awards at the Micros for Special Needs Exhibition 1992.