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PSIWIN

PsiWin makes your PC pocketable by making file transfers to and from a Series 3/3a as simple as drag'n'drop. Because PsiWin automatically converts files between all the most popular Windows® applications and your Series 3/3a, you can access documents from PC word processor, spreadsheet, database and organiser applications, and move them effortlessly to and from your Series 3/3a.

- Take and edit PC documents with you - everywhere.
- Create PC documents - anywhere, anytime.



- Add a Windows® version of the Series 3/3a Database to your PC.
- Print from a Series 3/3a using your PC's TrueType™ fonts (Series 3a only.)
- Back up all your Series 3/3a data safely and automatically by simply clicking on an icon.
- PsiWin comes complete with software and 3Link Serial cable. (Upgrade from Psion 3Link is available direct from Psion.)

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Makes your PC pocketable!



PsiWin converts files to and from Word for Windows 2.0 and 6.0, Works for Windows 3.0, WordPerfect 5.1, 5.2 and 6.0 for DOS and Windows, Ami Pro 3.0, RTF, Excel 4.0 and 5.0, Lotus 123 WK3 and WK1, Quattro Pro 5.0 for Windows, Act! 2.0, Lotus Organizer 1.0 and 1.1, Microsoft Schedule+ v1.0 (Windows 3.1/3.11) (PsiWin only converts 3a Agenda files), dBase III and IV and Foxpro, delimited text and the Windows Clipboard. (Conversions Plus Library, a product of Dataviz Inc.)

Requires a PC running Windows 3.1/3.11, Windows NT v3.5 or above, Windows 95, OS/2 v2.1 or above, at least a 386 processor, 4MB of RAM and 7MB of hard drive space, for use with a Psion Series 3 or 3a. TrueType™ printing requires a Series 3a.

Price category: D

Language variants: German. French, Italian, Dutch

Call Psion at 1-800-99-PSION for USA availability.

Up to 2MB of internal memory

Powered by 2 AA batteries (up to 20 hours life)

Greyscale screen
460 x 160 pixels
80 x 17 character (supports full A4 page width)

PC link-up using PsiWin

Touch-sensitive button pad for quick application access

Positive action keypad

External 3.5" floppy drive available

Faxing using 3Fax

2 SSD drives for memory expansion up to 8MB and extra plug-in software

Printing using Serial Parallel Link

Back-up battery for main data storage

Microphone for voice and sound recording

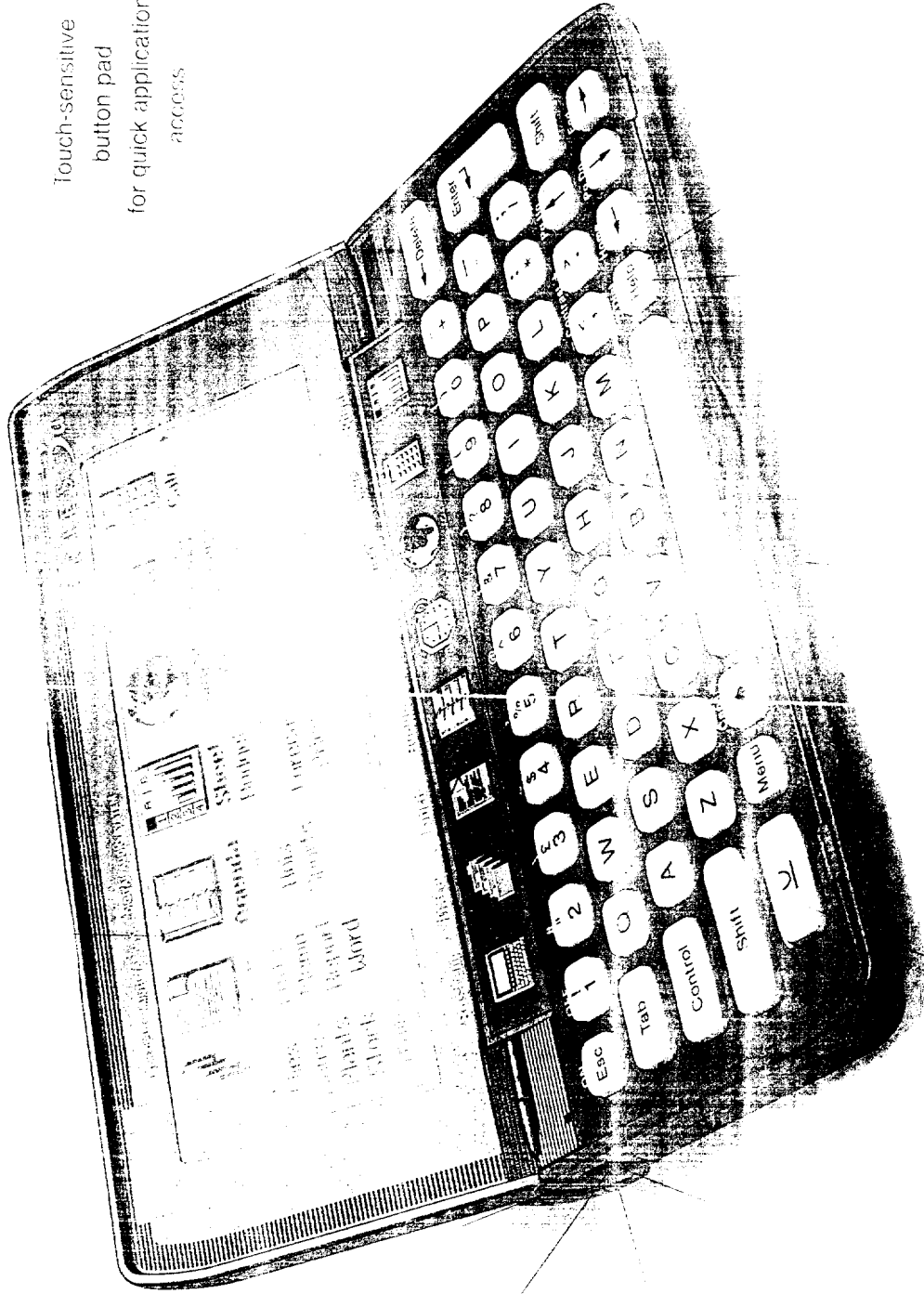
Wireless short messaging using Telenote Link

Fully functional QWERTY keyboard with up to 244 characters

Internal speaker for alarm calls and sounds

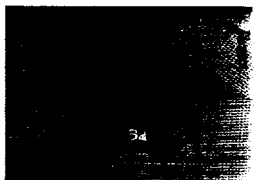
Telephone Auto-dialer

Powerful application-sensitive help key



THE SERIES 3a

A PLACE FOR EVERYTHING...



Life can be a heap. You probably keep a diary, address book, files (and piles) of personal information, and use the backs of old envelopes to make notes when out and about. And somehow, you still manage to miss the odd meeting, anniversary and birthday. The information you need is lost amongst the accumulated morass of paper, never where you want, when you want. Which is a pity, because there is an alternative ...

The Psion Series 3a. The most powerful, easiest to use handheld computer in the world, the Series 3a will work with you to make your life easier, more efficient, more relaxed. It helps you organise everything you do, and incorporates all the important applications found on desktop machines. The size of a glasses case, it slips easily into the pocket, to be with you all the time, ready for immediate use.

It offers months of use on just two AA batteries. It allows data to be printed out to most types of printer, and with PsiWin, to be copied to and from a PC. In addition to the comprehensive built-in applications, two extra SSD drives allow you to add on an ever growing range of plug-in applications ranging from business to entertainment. Data can also be backed on to Solid State Disks which can be removed and kept in a safe place for securing of your data. With 3Fax you can send faxes from anywhere a phone is handy, and the Series 3a can even be used for sending and receiving short messages wirelessly over GSM digital mobile phone networks.

Small wonder the Series 3a is the world's most popular palmtop - with more awards than any other! And whether you're into computers or not, you'll find it both easy and a joy to use. Icons, menus and on-screen Help, guide you through everything.

...AND EVERYTHING
IN ITS PLACE

PC = PC PSION

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DIARY?

MORE LIKE A PERSONAL ASSISTANT

Built-in application – Agenda

Life is full of appointments, meetings, projects, anniversaries, birthdays, social functions, reminder notes and lists of things to do. Which makes a diary – or even several diaries – an important part of your daily life. For those diaries don't judge you when you're late for an appointment. Or remind you that an anniversary is coming up. And year after year, you have to re-enter much of the information into new diaries.

With a Series 3a you need only enter things once; you can view entries in a variety of ways, and in each view choose how the information is presented to suit your own taste and requirements:

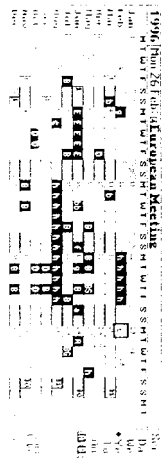
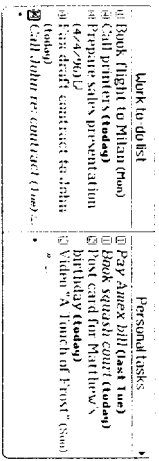
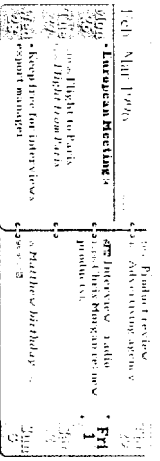
- As a 'page-a-day' diary with things 'To-Do' listed (and carried forward from the previous day);
- As a 'week-to-view' appointment diary;
- As a year planner with major events categorised for easy identification;
- As an anniversary manager;
- As a series of 'To-Do' lists;
- As a simple chronological list of all events and things 'To-Do'.

You can enter new information, or edit existing information in any of these views. And you can generate notes for any type of diary entry: memos for a meeting perhaps – and password protect them, if you wish. With a Pison Series 3a you can set up a number of 'to do' lists, and sort them by priority, date or how you wish. You can attach messages to individual items, keep track of completed items, and you can set an alarm to warn you on the time, and day, a 'to-do' task requires attention.

You can print all or part of your diary – entries, notes, memos – and you can see how it will look, first using the Series 3a's 'print preview' capability.

You can even archive your diary to a PC. Altogether far more useful than any other diary.

Indeed, no other pocket diary in the world looks after your interests so well. But then, no other diary has the power of the Pison Series 3a.



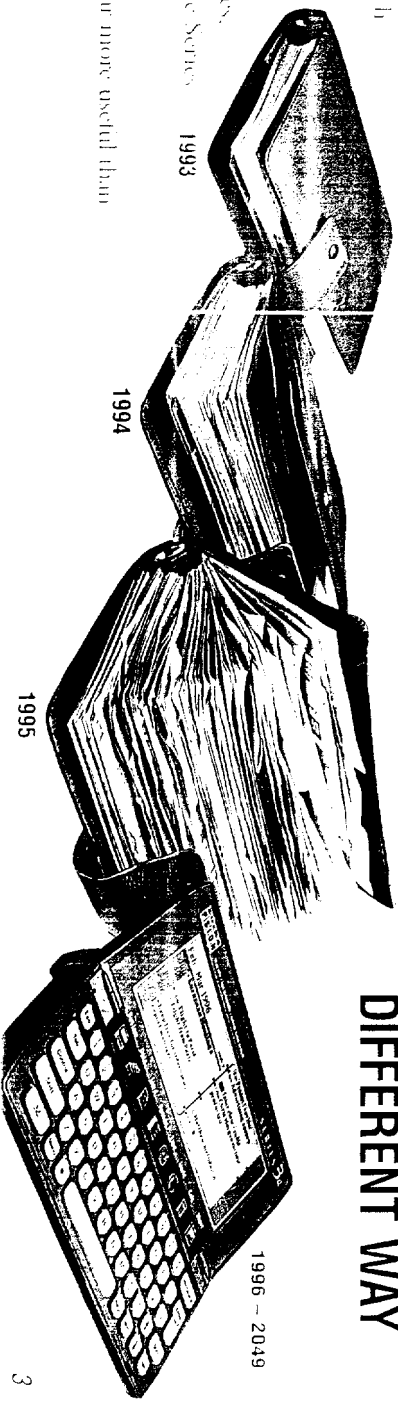
If you don't appointments – and things to do – are mainly arranged in that appropriate non-sequential 'page-a-day' order – then, so be it. In fact, it's often those things you're going to do that count, and you can enter the half day of the month.

No, all your appointments, anniversaries, birthdays, etc. are for any week. Entries can be set to repeat automatically at almost any interval – for example, just once a year, or the first Thursday and the last Wednesday in every third month.

Any of your 'To-do' lists can be sorted automatically in priority or date order. Or you can manage the order yourself. Titled and dated items will appear in your day, and week views, if you wish. And you can add to, or cross out, completed tasks.

All your major events for any year can be seen at a glance – neatly categorised to thank an anniversary. Events for the highlighted day are displayed in the diary at the top, and days in the past are automatically shaded. You can see the previous year's diary, Page 2. This is a change of date, not of days.

WE GROW ON YOU IN A DIFFERENT WAY



1993

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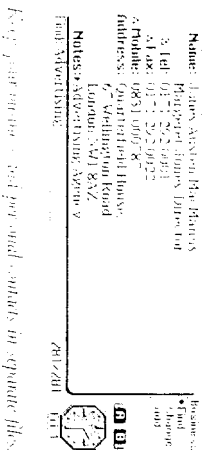
1996 – 2049

NOTHING IS BEYOND YOUR REACH

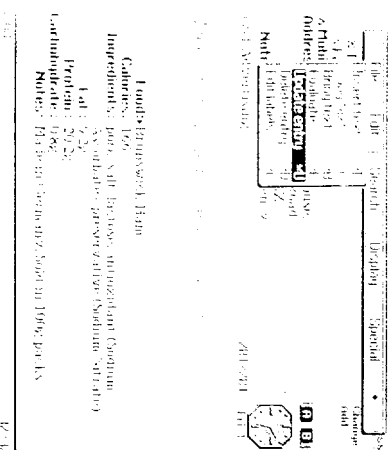
With the built-in Database and Address Book

Prion Series 3a's database system will allow you to store and instantly retrieve the phone numbers and addresses of business contacts, friends, relatives, geographic restaurants and theatres, important details about insurance policies, bank accounts, stocks and shares, inventory lists and records, itineraries, diaries, club membership details, business notes and memos.

With so much material, it's not surprising that paper-based systems make it hard to instantly lay your hands on a vital piece of information. You can enter and store all your information quickly and easily on a Series 3a, either from its keyboard or from a desktop computer, and you can customise the database to search for the very, very, very. Its built-in memory and expansion capabilities mean you can have as many different databases as you like.



Keep your notes, not just your contacts in separate files

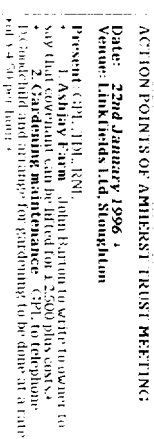


And with your Series 3a connected to a printer, you can get a copy of all or any selection of your records.

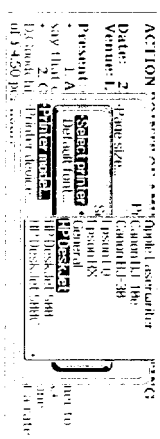
Which makes the Series 3a far more convenient and practical than any paper-based system.

CREATE DOCUMENTS, LETTERS, MEMOS AND REPORTS...

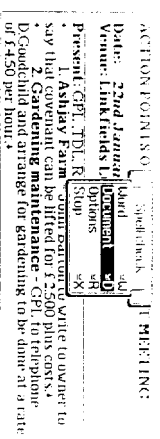
With the built-in, fully-featured Word Processor



Word processor supports different styles, fonts and emphases



Documents can be printed on most types of printer



Spell Checker



Although small, the Prion Series 3a is capable of far more than just storing notes, letters, reports, articles, documents – even a book – can be written and professionally formatted.

Its Word Processor provides a complete choice of emphases, alignments, styles and templates, and gives an outline and a full page preview prior to printing.

The zoom feature allows text to be displayed in four different sizes, allowing you to show a full A4 page width. The 1MB and 2MB models also include a powerful Spell Checker and Thesaurus with 100,000 words, 600,000 synonyms and 50,000 definitions.

Documents can be saved in Microsoft Rich Text Format (RTF) – for exchange with desktop word processors while retaining your formatting – and the styles are compatible with Microsoft Word.

In short – a boon for anyone who needs to write and professionally format material whilst on the move. And of course, all sensitive documents can be password protected for total peace of mind.

...ANYWHERE

THE OFFICE IN YOUR POCKET

Communication power

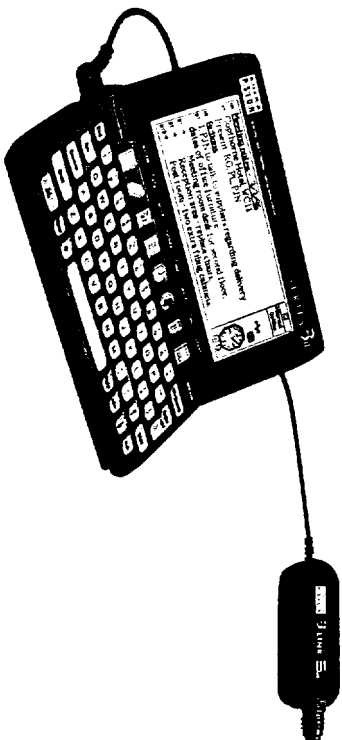
You can add fax, modem, email, printing, wireless short text messaging, and data sharing facilities to your Psion Series 3a, so that no matter where you go, you'll be able to keep in touch using the kind of communications capabilities you would expect in a fully equipped, high-tech office.

PsiWin

With PsiWin, Psion's PC connecting package for the Series 3a, you'll be able to create, open and work on Windows™ PC files wherever you go, and back up all your data to a PC or floppy disks. It comprises a serial cable that plugs directly into the side of your Series 3a, and comprehensive PC-based Windows connectivity software.

Incredibly easy to use. Exchanging files between the Series 3a's built-in applications and today's popular Windows™ programs is simplicity itself: you just 'drag and drop' files on your PC for seamless file transfers. PsiWin will automatically convert the file formats for you, and is as easy to use as your familiar Windows™ File Manager, displaying the Series 3a disk drives as well as the PC drives.

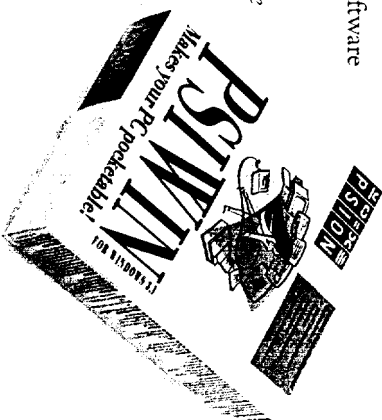
Build your Psion database on your PC. PsiWin also includes a Windows™ version of the Series 3a database application. It enables you to enter data using your PC's large screen and full-sized keyboard, then transfer the information to your Psion Series 3a - and keep the same database on both your PC and Series 3a. The database also allows you to copy addresses into letters in your word processor for mail merges.



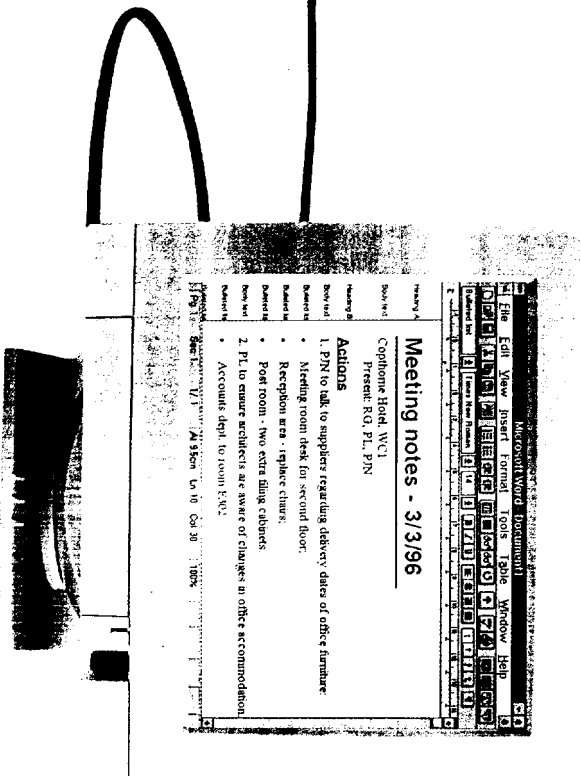
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UNLIMITED MEMORY

Solid State Disks

Add all the memory you need – instantly!

Pision Solid State Disks (SSDs) are the ultimate in data security. There are no fragile moving parts and they keep your valuable records far more secure than conventional floppy disks. Simply insert them into the slots of your Series 3a for more memory whenever you need it.

By freeing up Internal memory, SSDs allow your Series 3a to handle more data and perform even faster. Use them to safely back up all your important information – they'll withstand the extreme conditions that might destroy other types of storage media – and to exchange information with other Pision Series 3a models; exchange with your business partner or any other Series 3a owner. Simply copy your data – schedules, spreadsheets or your address book – onto an SSD and hand it to the person with whom you want to share information. There's no need for laborious re-entry or complicated exchange procedures.

Choose the right SSD for your requirements

Flash SSDs – for maximum security.

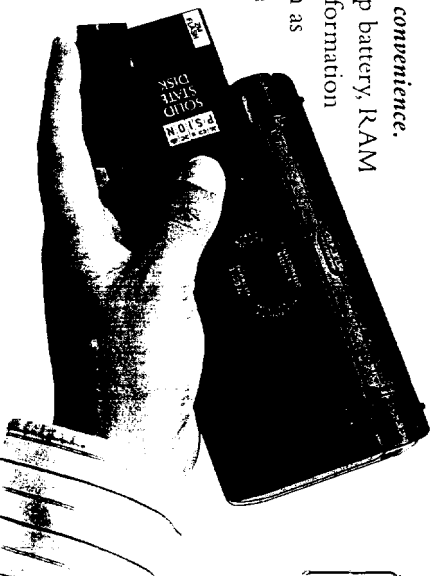
Flash SSDs require no battery to retain the data they store – and consequently provide assured data integrity and security. The data you store on them can be selectively deleted; the space is reclaimed when the SSD is reformatted – a simple, menu-controlled operation. Flash SSDs are ideally suited for storing important data which rarely changes.

Sizes: 128K, 256K, 512K, 1MB, 2MB, 4MB

RAM SSDs – for maximum convenience.

Powered by a Lithium backup battery, RAM SSDs are ideal for storing information that frequently changes, such as a spreadsheet data. New data simply overwrites the data it replaces.

Sizes: 128K, 512K, 1MB



EXCHANGE MAC FILES WITH YOUR SERIES 3a

Communication power – MacLink

Use MacLink to connect your Series 3a to your Mac for file transfers. The Macintosh Link software runs on Mac OS version 6.07 to 7.5, and enables you to back up your data to an Apple Macintosh, as well as enabling you to pocket Apple Macintosh files for working on, wherever you go.

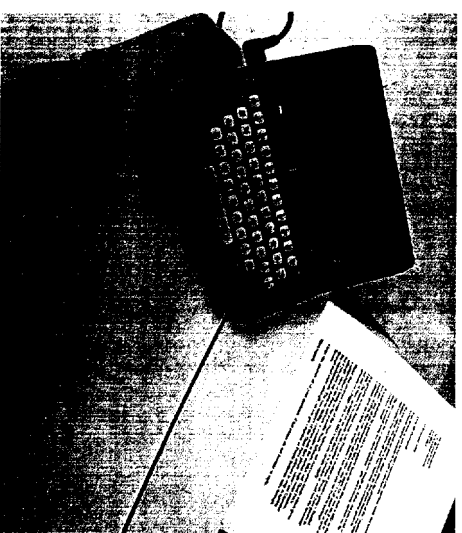
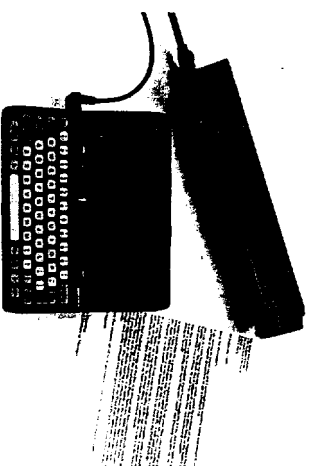
PRINT TO ANY PRINTER

Communication power – Parallel Link

The Pision Parallel Link connects any model in the Series 3a range with parallel (centronics) printers, so you can get hard copy of your data. Your Pision Series 3a gives you a preview of how the printed pages will look.

PISION Series 3a works with these printers:

- Canon Bubblejet
- HP Deskjet/HP Laserjet
- Epson LQ; Epson RX
- IBM Proprietary
- Apple LaserWriter (PostScript)
- Citizen Printer



Drivers for other printers are available direct from Pision.

FAX FROM YOUR POCKET

Communication power – 3Fax

With 3Fax plugged into your Psion Series 3a (512K models and above), you can prepare important messages and documents, format them professionally, add cover sheets with your company logo and signature ... and fax them from the nearest phone. (3Fax is a send-only fax machine.) 3Fax also gives you modem access to on-line information services and email.

- Send Group 3 fax, 9600bps.
- Maintains a record of faxes sent.
- Preview a fax before sending.
- Queue and defer faxes for sending at different times.
- Fax includes a cover sheet designer and text editor (faxes can also be created from almost any Series 3a application that can print).
- A conversion service is available for graphics, including logos and signatures.
- Two AA batteries provide about 16 hours continuous use (approx. 1000 pages).

3Fax is supplied complete with all cables and free introductory membership to CompuServe. Log-on for the latest quotes, headline news or to check your mail box.

If you already own a portable modem, **3Fax Software** is available on a single Solid State Disk. (Requires 3Link Serial cable)



GET THE MESSAGE...

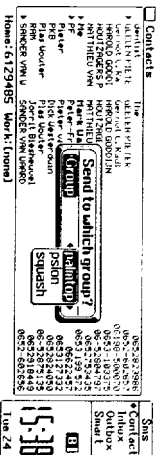
Communication power – Vodafone Telenote Link

Write message
Dear All,
Would you all please get in touch with Christa at +31 20 6533033. Place/time will be broadcasted as soon as it is clear how best to coordinate this.

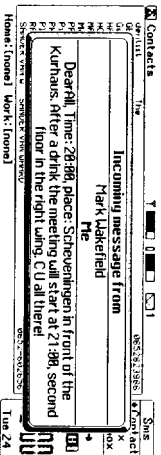
Press TAB to send

15:46
Tue 24

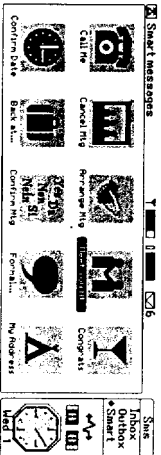
Compose messages on your Psion Series 3a using the keyboard and text editor.



Send text messages to a contact or broadcast to a defined group.



Received messages are flashed to the screen and stored in the inbox.



Use predefined smart messages for easy entry.



Psion Short Messaging is a low cost solution for viewing, editing, sending and receiving SMS (Short Messaging Service) messages over GSM digital mobile phone networks. It offers:

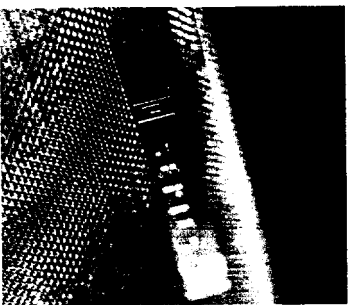
- Optional prompts every time a new message arrives, no matter what you are doing.
 - Message storage until the handset is connected and, unlike paging, messages can be re-sent if necessary.
 - Sent and received messages are kept respectively in an Outbox and Inbox, for easy tracking.
 - Received messages can be forwarded to someone else, and messages can be sent to a tagged list of recipients.
- You get:** Cable to connect your Series 3a to digital phones on the Vodafone network. • Series 3a software for sending and receiving text messages.
- PC software (on floppy disk), to send text messages direct from PC to digital phones and the Psion Series 3a.
 - User guide.

Important notice: At the time of printing,

Psion Short Messaging will work only with the Nokia 2110/2110i/2140, Philips PR747, and Orbitel 905 and 907 range of mobile phones. Versions of Psion Short Messaging will soon be available for other mobile phones and networks. Contact your dealer to check your phone compatibility.

Accessories

- **AC power adaptor 220/110v**
- **Executive leather case**
A supple green and brown walled to hold the Psion Series 3a with pockets for 3 solid State Disks and business cards, tickets, etc.
- **Leather case**
As the Executive leather case, but in black.
- **Black leather belt holster**
- **Carry case**
The padded Series 3a case comes in black vinyl, it zips around the Series 3 or 3a and can hold extra SSDs, cheque book or a pen in 2 pockets.
- **Books**
 - First steps in programming the Psion
 - Serious programming on the Psion Series 3
 - Introduction to using the Psion Series 3
 - Using the Psion Series 3a
 - Useful programs for the Psion Series 3a



About Psion

Psion PLC, headquartered in London, is the world leader in palmtop computers, with subsidiaries and distributors in over 40 countries.

USA operations are centred in Concord, Massachusetts with a West Coast regional support office.

In addition to making the Series 3a, Psion also produces software, data communication products and corporate systems.

The latest entry into the corporate systems market is the Psion Workabout. This uniquely rugged hand-held computer functions as a data collection and analysis terminal for a wide range of industrial applications.

Psion is committed to innovation and the on-going development of industry-leading products.

Psion Series 3a at a glance

*The Series 3a is available in the following internal memory sizes:
2MB · 1MB · 512K · 256K, with the built-in features listed below
(except where indicated):*

FEATURES	PAGE
Day/week/year planner	2
Chronological list and anniversaries view	2
A series of To-Do lists	2
Database/addresses	4
Word processor	5
Zoom-in zoom-out through four font sizes	5
Print preview	5
Spellerchecker & Thesaurus (1MB & 2MB only)	5
Password protection	5
Spreadsheet	6
Calculator	6
Programming language	6
World times/dialling codes/distances	7
Voice recording and playback	7
Automatic telephone dialling	7
Patience card game (1MB & 2MB only)	18

PHYSICAL

Weight - 275g [inc. batteries]
Dimensions - 165mm x 85mm x 22mm
480 x 160 [pixels], 80 x 17 [characters] greyscale screen
Power supply - 2 AA Alkaline batteries [2-4 months use], Lithium backup cell

Additional products for the Series 3a

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Parallel printer cable [electronics]	11
3Fax/modem [send only] (512K or higher)	12
AC mains adaptor [9V, 150mA]	

MEMORY

2 Solid State Disk drives	10
Up to 1MB RAM Solid State Disk capacity	10
Up to 4MB Flash Solid State Disk capacity	10