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Personal Computer

Supplementary Instructions for Windows® 98

CF-27 Series

This manual contains supplementary instructions regarding the use of the computer. It explains the cases where the operation of the computer differs from that in the Operating Instructions.

Customer' Record

"OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (page 2)"

Replace the following item.

"OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (page 2)"

Product ID → Product Key

First-time Operation

"OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (page 8)"

Step 2 has been changed.

"OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (page 8)"

2 Write down Product Key

CAUTION

The Product Key is necessary during the setup procedure for Windows after reinstalling ("OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (page 11)"). Write down the (alpha)numeric Product Key shown on the "Certificate of Authenticity" located on the bottom of the computer, in the "Customer's Record" section on page two of the "OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS".

Replace the "NOTE" for the following.

"OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (page 10)"

NOTE

The power saving mode ([Power Schemes] in [Control Panel] - [Power Management]) is factory set, so if there is no input from the keyboard, touch pad, touchscreen or external mouse (when one is connected) for a certain interval of time, the power to the LCD and hard disk is shut down. In addition, when the computer is left alone, it automatically enters the suspend* mode (Reference "Suspend/Hibernation Functions").

The LCD will resume operation when the touch pad or the touchscreen is used, or a key or an external mouse is pressed.

The power to the LCD may be turned off while Windows is setting up or even when an application software is being installed. In this case, because it is conceivable that a selection dialog box will be shown, do not press the **Enter** and **Space** key to attempt to resume from this condition as doing so may trigger a selection, but instead, press a key unrelated to the direct triggering of a selection, like the **Ctrl** key.

*With Windows 98, "Suspend" is called "Standby".

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First-time Operation

"OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (page 8)"

Replace step 8 for the following.

"OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (page11)"

8 Setup Windows 98

Moving the cursor () or clicking buttons can be performed with the touch pad or a key . ("OPERAT-ING INSTRUCTIONS (page 17)")

- ① Select settings for your region and your keyboard layout, then press [Next]. (for U.S.A.: United States 101)
- 2 Enter your first name and last name, then press [Next].
- 3 Select [Skip] at the [Using Your Modem to Connect]. Select [Yes] at the [Cancel Dialing], then press [Next]. The License Agreement will be displayed.
- 4 After reading the agreement, select [I accept this agreement] or [I do not accept the agreement], then press [Next].

NOTE

- If [I do not accept the agreement] is selected, the Windows setup will be aborted.
- < During the setup procedure only after reinstalling > After accepting the agreement, the [Windows product key] is displayed. Input the Product Key written down in the "Customer's Record" section, then press [Next]. ("OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS" (page 2))
- (5) Press [Finish].
- (6) Input the correct date, time and time zone and press [Close]. You can also complete these settings at a later time.

CAUTION

Be sure to perform [Calibration] in [Start] - [Settings] - [Control Panel] - [Mouse] - [Touchscreen], so that when you touch the display, that touch will correspond to the exact same location on the computer (i.e., no displacement). (Reference "Touchscreen")

Replace the "NOTE" for the following.

"OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (page 14)"

NOTE

When using the files in the following folders available on the retail version of the Windows CD-ROM, it is necessary to run a separate file decompression program.

\tsclient \tools

To uncompress the file, it is necessary to have approximately 80 MB of free disk space available on the hard disk.

To use the CD-ROM drive or DVD-ROM drive in MS-DOS mode, perform the operation below after modifying config.sys and autoexec.bat. (Reference "Using a Multimedia Pocket Device"). File decompression method:

- 1 Turn your computer on.
- (2) When [Press <F2> to enter SETUP] is displayed, immediately press Ctrl (until the menu is displayed).
- 3 Select [Command prompt only].
- 4 Insert the Product Recovery CD-ROM.
- 5 At the prompt, input the following:

L:\en\addfile (Enter)

Follow the message on the screen.

(If the computer enters the ECO mode while copying, press **Ctrl**).)

After this program is executed, the contents of the above folders will be decompressed to the c:\util\win98add folder.

Starting Up/Shutting Down

"OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (page 15)"

Replace the first "NOTE" for the following.

"OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (page 16)"

NOTE

- The power saving mode ([Power Schemes] in [Control Panel] [Power Management]) is factory set, so if there is no input from a key, the touch pad, or an external mouse (when one is connected) for a certain interval of time, the power to the LCD and hard disk is may be turned off (ECO mode). In addition, when the computer is left alone, it automatically enters the suspend mode (Reference Manual "Suspend/Hibernation Functions").
 - The LCD will resume operation when the touch pad or an external mouse (when one is connected) is used or a key is pressed.
- [System Devices] in [Start] [Settings] [Control Panel] [System] [Device Manager] may contain a device or devices bearing an exclamation mark or question mark. This does not indicate a malfunction. Such a mark (exclamation or question mark) will not be displayed if the operating environment of the device showing the mark is corrected, by for instance installing the driver of the device.

Dealing With Problems

"OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (page 23)"

The following have been changed.

"OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (page 23-25)"

Starting Up

Others	 Press F9 in the Setup Utility (Reference "Setup Utility"). This will restore the Setup Utility's settings to their default values (except the password settings). Try removing all peripheral devices.
	 In the MS-DOS mode, run SCANDISK to check the hard disk. At start-up, press and hold <u>Ctrl</u> to operate the computer in the Safe mode.

Display

The power has not been shut down, but after a certain period of time, there is no display	 Has the computer been set to the power-saving mode? To resume operation of your computer from ECO mode, press any key. To save power, your computer may have automatically entered the suspend. (Reference Manual "Computing On The Road")
During simultaneous dis- play, the screen of the exter- nal display becomes disor- dered	Try changing the display by pressing Fn + F3 . (The combination does not work when the computer is in the Dual-Display Mode.)

Character Input

How to input European characters (β, à, ç) or	Select [Start] - [Programs] - [Accessories] - [System Tools] - [Character Map]. The Character Map will be displayed. Point to the desired font name and select it.
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Reinstalling Software

"OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (page 26)"

Replace the procedure for the following.

CAUTION

If data on your hard disk is compressed, the data should be uncompressed.

- 1 Set the CD-ROM pack in the multimedia pocket, and turn the computer on.
- **2** When the message [Press <F2> to enter SETUP] is displayed, press (F2) and then run the Setup Utility. If the password has been set, enter the supervisor password.
- **3** Press (**F9**). At the confirmation message, select [Yes] and press (Enter).
- 4 Select [Security] menu and set [Boot Up Drive] to [CDD,DVD/A:/C:].
- 5 Set the Product Recovery CD-ROM in the CD-ROM drive.
- **6** Press **(F10)**.

At the confirmation message, select [Yes] and press **Enter**). The computer will reboot, and this screen should appear.

Select the number

- 1. Restore the whole HDD to factory default
- Restore the drive C to factory default
- **7** Make a selection from the menu.

To restore all contents of the hard disk to factory default, including the partition setting(s):

Select [1. Restore the whole HDD to factory default].

To restore the hard disk (C drive) to factory default, excluding the partition setting(s):

Select [2. Restore the drive C to factory default].

- **8** At the confirmation message, press **Y**. The operations of "format" and "restore" for the hard disk start automatically. (The operations take about one hour.)
- **9** After the "restore" procedure completes, remove the Product Recovery CD-ROM, then close the tray.
- **10** Turn the computer off and remove the CD-ROM pack.
- 11 Set the floppy disk drive in the multimedia pocket, set the FIRSTAID FD and turn the computer on. Follow the on-screen instructions.
- **12** After the reinstallation procedure completes, the following message will appear on the display.

All data on the whole HDD has been restored to the factory default. After removing floppy disk, restart the computer and set up Windows

- Remove the floppy disk and restart the computer by pressing Ctrl + Alt + Del .
- 13 When the message [Press <F2> to enter SETUP] is displayed, press **F2** and then run the Setup Utility. If the password has been set, enter the supervisor password.
- **14** Press (**F9**).

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

15 Press (**F10**).

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

16 Perform the setup procedure for Windows 98 by following the instructions on the screen. (page 2)

Port Replicator (Option)

After reinstalling the software on the hard disk, the reinstallation procedure in the operating instructions that accompany the port replicator is not required.

Specifications

"OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS (page 31)"

The specifications of this model are the same as those of CF-27FCCKFAM/FCCKFCM except for the following items.

Model No.	CF-27FCCKFEM
Operating System	Microsoft® Windows® 98 Second Edition (FAT32 File System)

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