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# **UPGRADE, COMPLETE SYSTEMS AND ADD-ONS**



## The Archimedes is Nearly Here!

All models, software and PODULES expansion will be available from Solidisk shortly.

**Upgrade:** 

If you have already a Beeb or a MASTER, you can take advantage of our TRADE-IN scheme. Please ring for an immediate quotation.

## Complete Systems from £849 + VAT:

You won't have to wait until next year for the 400 series! Solidisk can offer complete ARCHIMEDES systems with a unique CHOICE OF RAM size, disc drives and monitor to fit your requirements. Our knowledge of the system hardware gives us a natural advantage over our competitors. We can fit additional RAM or add or adapt your 51/4" drive to your ARCHIMEDES. Use MASTER or Beeb ADFS discs directly on the ARCHIMEDES!

- 6 possible RAM sizes: 0.5MB, 1MB, 1.5MB, 2MB, 2.5MB and
- 6 possible drive systems: single 3.5", twin 3.5", one 3.5" and one  $5\frac{1}{4}$ ", one 3.5" and TWO  $5\frac{1}{4}$ ", twin 3.5" and one  $5\frac{1}{4}$ ", TWO 3.5" and TWO 51/4"!
- 4 monitors: Philips 12" BW, Acorn 12" green, Acorn 14" colour or 14" NEC Multisync colour.
- TRADE price on printer with complete system.

We offer the very best prices. If necessary, we will match any other offer from our competitors.

#### Add-ons:

RAM: Already, we can upgrade the A300 series to 4MB. Later, we will bring it up to the 16MB limit.

ROMS: Lots of existing Beeb and future RISC software can be put on

Solidisk is working alongside software producers to introduce a £25 ROM expansion board which will have 16 sockets and will plug directly into the expansion connector or into the back-plane expansion. We will have a £25 cartridge system which will be compatible with the present MASTER ROM cartridge but will have a second 8-bit data bus to exploit the external 16 bit bus.

Later, we will introduce a 32 bit wide ROM mother board and 32 bit wide cartridges. This will be a GREAT PRODUCT for it gains space and speed. SPACE: it upgrades ROM to 8 Megabytes. SPEED: it maintains the CPU bandwidth (and therefore speed) in high resolution mode, unaffected by screen refresh. Instantly available and pirate-proof, it will help to put large COMPILED CODE cheaply on the A300 and even A400 series. Memory is REAL ESTATE on the A300, with ROM storage at only a third of the price!

TELETEXT: Solidisk Universal Teletext (SAT-1) will be made available on the A300 series shortly.

EPROM PROGRAMMER AND ERASERS: Solidisk will have a new EPROM programmer (12.5V only) for the A300 soon. The UVIPAC EPROM ERASER can erase 3 EPROMs of any type in around 20

Naturally, we would like to win your order, hoping that this information leaflet helps us to position us on the market. Solidisk is an Acorn appointed dealer and authorised to help with technical enquiries. If you want to talk to us about the ARCHIMEDES systems, please ring our Sales Manageress, Miss Anna LITTLE on 0702 354





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