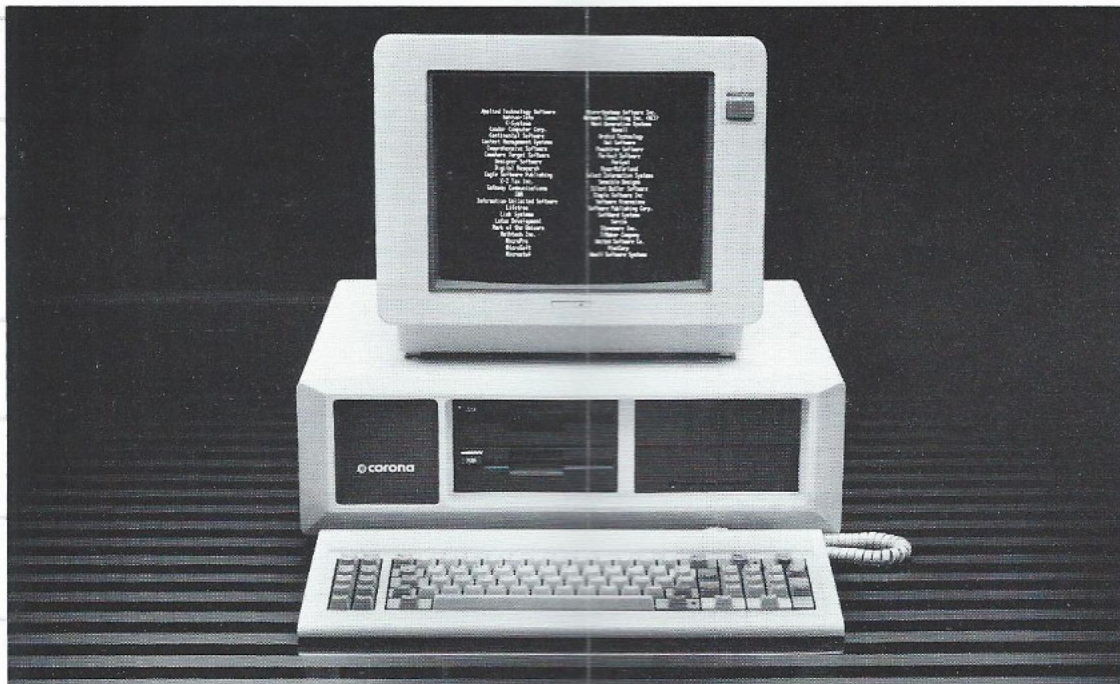


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Corona is power-full. With the new top-of-the-line Personal Best. A system that gives you a clear picture of the way a personal computer should work.

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the Personal Best can display both text and graphics on the same screen, at the same time. A screen that's a big 12 inches across, with twice the resolution of IBM. You can also switch into an alternate screen mode to run almost all software written for IBM-class systems.

A MEMORABLE CAPACITY.

A memory as large as ours is for more than remembering. All of your programs run smoothly and efficiently, no matter how big they are. It even makes disk-to-disk copying fast and convenient.

All because the Personal Best comes with 512K bytes of main memory, addressable to one megabyte.

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We'll start you off with MS-DOS¹ 2.0, the most powerful version of the operating system. And that's just the beginning. You also get PC Tutor,² for a guided tour of your new system, inside and out.

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typing a snap. When you're ready to start work on some graphics, you're ready for GW BASIC! It's more than just another programming language; GW BASIC makes graphics come alive quickly and easily. Even for the novice.

AT YOUR SERVICE.

A comprehensive support program is available through your local Authorized Corona Dealer. He'll also arrange servicing through the Xerox Service Group. They're fast and reliable, and only as far away as your phone.

THE PRICE IS RIGHT.

The new Personal Best has everything you need, and something you'll love. A very reasonable price. So visit your nearest Authorized Corona Dealer for a hands-on demonstration. Once you do, you'll never take your hands off.

PB 400 SPECIFICATIONS

Hardware

Processor	16-bit 8088 (4.77 MHz clock)
Memory	512K bytes on main board
Disk Storage	One 10M byte Winchester hard disk; two low-profile 360K byte double-sided, double-density floppy disks
Disk Controllers	Enhanced hard disk controller (uses one expansion slot); floppy disk controller on main board
Monitor Type	Extremely high resolution, green phosphor screen
Monitor Size	12-inch diagonal
Alphanumeric Display	80 columns, 25 rows
Character Font	16 x 16 dots
Character Attributes	Reverse video, underline, blinking, high intensity
Graphics Resolution	640 x 400 pixels; 640 x 200 alternate mode built in
Text with Graphics	Text can overlay graphics
Graphics Storage	As many images as memory allows
Keyboard	Detachable, enhanced IBM PC type
Keyboard Indicators	Number and caps lock
Keyboard Cable	6-foot coil connects to front of system
Communications Port	1 RS-232C serial
Printer Port	1 Centronics-type parallel
Expansion Slots	Four (one occupied by hard disk controller board)
Power Supply	110-watt switching supply
Physical Dimensions	6.3" high, 19.5" wide, 17" deep (console); 11.3" high, 13.7" wide, 12.7" deep (monitor)
Software	
Operating System	MS-DOS 2.0
Language	GW BASIC (version 1.XX)
Applications	MultiMate word processor (256K version); PC Tutor self-teacher



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