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Aspire E 15

E5-521 / E5-521G

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Windows



HD LED



Precision Touchpad



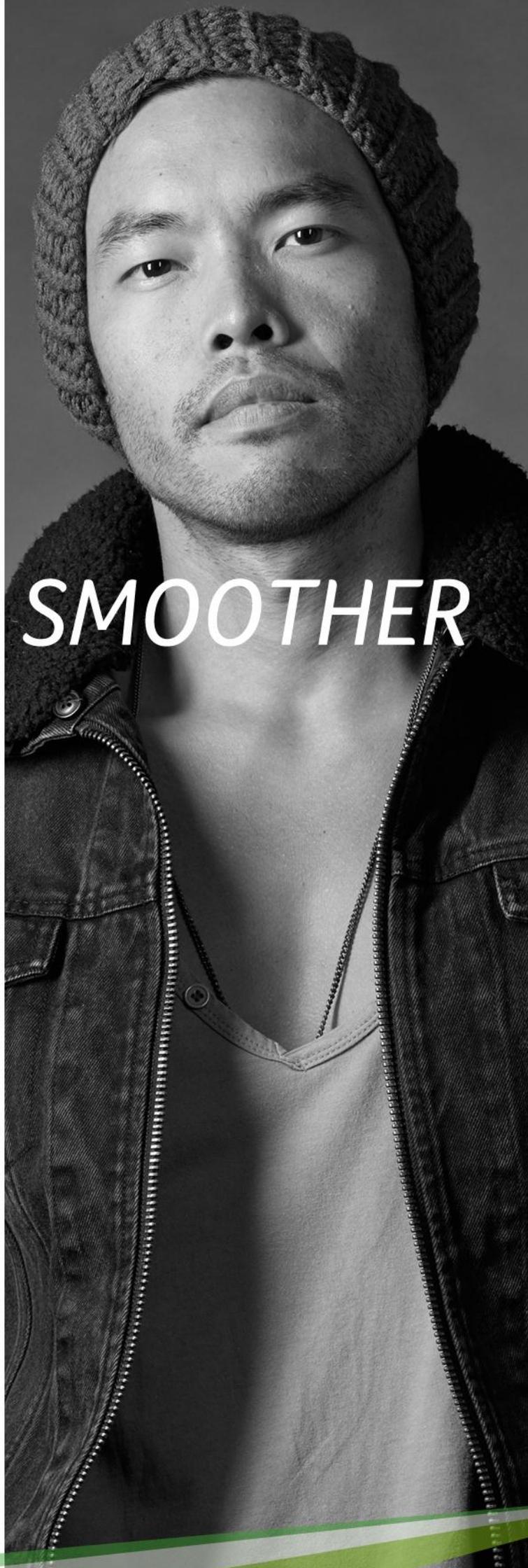
100% FineTip Keyboard



COMBO AUDIO JACK



HD WEBCAM



SPECIFICATIONS

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| Product views | 1 Power button 2 Kensington lock slot 3 Chiclet keyboard 4 VGA port 5 Gigabit Ethernet port | 6 HDMI® port 7 USB 3.0 port 8 Combo audio jack compatible with phone headsets 9 Touchpad | 10 Acer Crystal Eye HD webcam 11 15.6" HD 1366 x 768 LED-backlit TFT LCD 12 SD™ card reader 13 Hairline pattern design | 14 Two USB 2.0 ports 15 Optical drive 16 DC-in jack |
| Operating system¹ | Windows 8.1 64-bit² | | | |
| CPU and chipset¹ | AMD A-Series quad-core processor A6-6310 AMD A-Series quad-core processor A4-6210 | | AMD E-Series quad-core processor E2-6110 AMD E-Series dual-core processor E1-6010 | |
| Memory^{1,3,4} | DDR3L SDRAM support: ⁵ • Up to 8 GB of DDR3L system memory, upgradable to 16 GB using two soDIMM modules | | | |
| Display⁶ | 15.6" HD 1366 x 768 resolution, high-brightness Acer CineCrystal™ LED-backlit TFT LCD • 16:9 aspect ratio; super-slim design; mercury free, environment friendly | | 15.6" HD 1366 x 768 resolution, high-brightness Acer ComfyView™ LED-backlit TFT LCD • 16:9 aspect ratio; mercury free, environment friendly | |
| Graphics¹ | AMD Radeon R5™ M240 Graphics | AMD Radeon R4™ Graphics | AMD Radeon R3™ Graphics | AMD Radeon R2™ Graphics |
| Audio | Certified for Skype Two built-in stereo speakers | | Built-in digital microphone | |
| Storage | Hard disk drive: ⁷ 320 / 500 GB / 1 TB 2.5-inch 5400 RPM | | Card reader: SD™ card | |
| Optical media drive¹ | 8X DVD-SuperMulti double-layer drive | | M-DISC Ready™ drive | |
| Webcam¹ | Video conferencing • Acer Crystal Eye HD webcam with 1280 x 720 resolution and 720p HD audio/video recording | | | |
| Wireless and networking¹ | WLAN: ^{8,9} Acer InViLink™ Nplify™ 802.11b/g/n wireless LAN | | WPAN: ¹ Bluetooth® 4.0; Bluetooth™ 2.1+EDR | LAN: Gigabit Ethernet, Wake-on-LAN ready |
| Privacy control¹ | BIOS user, supervisor, HDD passwords | | Kensington lock slot | |
| Dimensions and weight¹⁰ | 381.6 (W) x 256 (D) x 25.3 / 30.3 (H) mm (15.02 x 10.08 x 1 / 1.19 inches) | | 2.5 kg (5.51 lbs.) with 6-cell battery pack | |
| Power adapter and battery | Power adapter: ¹⁰ 3-pin 65 W AC adapter (for E5-521G) Power adapter: ¹⁰ 3-pin 40 W AC adapter (for E5-521) | | Battery: 56 Wh 5000 mAh 11.1 V 6-cell Li-ion battery pack Battery life: up to 8 hours ¹¹ (based on MobileMark® 2012 test) | |
| Input and control | Touchpad: Multi-gesture touchpad, supporting two-finger scroll and pinch. Swipes access charms, application commands and previous applications. • Microsoft Precision Touchpad Certification Keyboard: 103-/104-/107-key Acer FineTip keyboard with independent standard numeric keypad, international language support. Media keys: Media control keys (printed on keyboard): play/pause, stop, previous, next, volume up, volume down. | | | |
| Input and output | SD™ card reader HDMI® port with HDCP support | Ethernet (RJ-45) port External display (VGA) port | Headphone/speaker jack DC-in jack for AC adapter | USB 3.0 port Two USB 2.0 ports |
| Windows Store Apps¹² | Content • CANAL TOUCH • eReadingNow • Hulu • Hulu Plus • iQIYI • iStoryTime Library • LeTV | Games • Love Wallpaper HD • MagV • myVideo • Netease Cloud Reading • Netflix • Next Issue Magazines • Sohu Video • VcRead | Games • Microsoft® Solitaire Collection • Taptiles In-House • Acer Explorer Lifestyle • Backpackers • CTRIP Travel | EZTABLE Select • Rakuten Recipes • Yandex.Maps • Yandex.Money Shopping • Amazon® • eBay® • Meituan • Rakuten Gateway |
| Windows Desktop Apps¹² | Content ¹³ • LOVEFILM® web link • Spotify Games • Games App • WildTangent® Games In-House • Accessory Store • Identity Card • Live Updater • Power Management | Quick Access • Recovery Management Lifestyle • Agoda web link • Booking.com web link • Hao123 web link • Yandex web link • Yandex.Disk Desktop Productivity • Cyberlink® PhotoDirector | Cyberlink® PowerDirector • Office 2013 Search • Yahoo Search Provider Security • McAfee® Internet Security • Norton™ Internet Security Shopping • eBay Worldwide | Gomaji Tools • Adobe® Reader® • Cyberlink® PowerDVD • Launch Manager • Nero BackItUp • Pokki Start Menu • Private WiFi® • Solutio |
| Options and accessories | 3-pin 65 W AC adapter (for E5-521G) | 3-pin 40 W AC adapter (for E5-521) | 56 Wh 5000 mAh 11.1 V 6-cell Li-ion battery pack | |
| Warranty | One-year International Travelers Warranty (ITW) | | | |

1. Specifications vary depending on model.
2. 64-bit software is required to enjoy the advantages of 64-bit processing.
3. Shared system memory may be allocated to support graphics, depending on system memory size and other factors. Actual system memory available to the operating system will be reduced by any memory used by the graphics solution and resources required by the operating environment.
4. Memory speed may vary, depending on the CPU, chipset or memory fitted.
5. A 64-bit operating system is required to enjoy the ultimate performance of 4 GB or higher memory.
6. Resolution/refresh rates depend on display capability and color/depth settings.
7. 1 GB is 1 billion bytes. 1 TB is 1000 GB. Actual formatted capacity is less and may vary depending on preloaded materials and operating environment. Acer Recovery Management uses a portion of the stated hard disk capacity as dedicated backup space.
8. Actual throughput may vary depending on network conditions and environmental factors such as network traffic or overhead, building construction and access point settings.
9. Subject to availability.
10. Weight may vary depending on product configuration, vendor components, manufacturing variability, and selected options.
11. The listed battery life is based on MobileMark 2012® productivity mode testing with wireless on. Details of MobileMark 2012® testing are available at www.bapco.com. Battery life rating is for comparison purposes only. Actual battery life varies by model, configuration, applications, power management settings, operating conditions, and utilized features. A battery's maximum capacity decreases with time and use.
12. Bundled software may vary depending on hardware configuration, OS and regional availability.

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