

Ultra-mobile, powerful and stylish – Toshiba introduces Europe’s thinnest, lightest full-function laptop: the Portégé R700



- Offers stunning blend of mobility, performance and features
- Thin, light chassis features revolutionary Airflow Cooling Technology and full-performance Intel Core processors
- New Satellite R630 version offers powerful, mobile personal computing

London, UK, 21st June 2010 – Toshiba UK today marks the company’s 25th anniversary of laptop manufacturing with the launch of its most advanced ultra-mobile laptop yet, the outstanding Portégé R700. Combining innovative technologies with an ultra-slim and highly robust chassis, the 33.8cm (13.3”) Portégé R700 is the thinnest and lightest full-function¹ laptop in Europe, providing uncompromised mobile computing for business users. In addition, Toshiba today also announces the Satellite R630, offering the same premium design, tailored for consumer use.

Designed for those who demand power, portability and durability from one machine, the Portégé R700 is the product of unique Toshiba engineering expertise. The laptop is able to accommodate the latest full performance processing technology as a result of a unique new Airflow Cooling Technology, while a magnesium chassis incorporates a new honeycomb structure around the palm-rests, providing robust protection of the internal components. With an exceptional battery life of up to nine hours², the Portégé R700 and Satellite R630 provide a full day’s power from a single charge.

¹ A full-function laptop has a built-in optical disc drive, a standard voltage CPU and runs on Windows 7.

² Up to 9 hours with a 6 cell battery and configuration including HDD and ODD

Groundbreaking technologies

Measuring just 16.8mm at its thinnest point and weighing just 1.3kg in its lightest configuration, the Portégé R700's unparalleled blend of high-performance features, mobility and durability makes it perfect for business users.

Airflow Cooling Technology, co-developed by Intel® and Toshiba, allows Toshiba to integrate the latest Intel® Core family processors in the Portégé R700's slim casing while keeping the noise of the fan to a minimum. Not only does the system reduce laptop temperature by efficiently channelling heat, it also creates additional space internally.

A new magnesium alloy chassis also contributes to the Portégé R700's mobile performance, ably resisting the rigours of mobile use. A new, innovative internal honeycomb structure around the palm-rests ensures the laptop is highly durable against flexing – protecting components against potential damage and considerably prolonging the life of the product.

Travel light, work easily

A combination of Intel processing technology and up to 4GB of integrated memory provides enough power to run the most demanding multimedia programmes, and up to nine hours of battery life allows users to work all day without the need to recharge. The model also features an elegant black magnesium-alloy cover with a matt finish, and the option of an integrated DVD SuperMulti drive for greater multimedia freedom.

The Portégé R700's 33.8cm (13.3") display features Toshiba TruBrite technology and LED backlighting, which combine to ensure that the finest detail is clear and vividly displayed. The option of either an integrated solid state drive (SSD) or hard disk drive (HDD) also features an integrated 3D impact sensor, which provides advanced protection of the internal storage. Sensitive to sharp and sudden movements, the impact sensor protects the HDD platters against the knocks, bumps and drops³ common with mobile use, ensuring sensitive data remains safe at all times.

Integrated docking allows business users to un-dock and re-connect to a number of peripherals via optional docking hardware, and a biometric fingerprint reader provides a personal way to access profiles without having to remember a password. A series of connectivity interfaces also includes 2x USB 2.0, 1x eSATA/USB combi port, VGA and

³ Drop tested from 70cm

Gigabit LAN. A HDMI port also allows users to connect to a range of different HD ready screens and projectors with no loss of detail.

Satellite R630

As well as the Portégé R700, Toshiba today unveils the Satellite R630. Offering the same portability, power and mobile durability as the Portégé R700, the Satellite R630 offers outstanding performance for personal users. The Satellite R630 allows personal users to enjoy unparalleled mobile performance, featuring the power to run the most challenging multimedia applications on the move, and with ease.

The new Toshiba Portégé R700 will be available from July and the Satellite R630 will be available from August 2010.

Portégé R700 & Satellite R630 Specifications:

- Intel® Core™ i7, Core™ i5, Core™ i3
- RAM: up to 4 GB DDR3 (1066 MHz)
- 2.5" HDD up to 320 GB with HDD 3D impact sensor or 128 GB SSD
- 33.8cm (13.3") TruBrite® HD or non-reflective display with LED backlighting, 1,366 x 768 pixels(16:9), 200 cd/m²
- ODD: DVD Super Slim Super Multi DVD Super Slim Super Multi
- Bluetooth 2.1 +EDR*, WLAN (802.11 a/g/n), Mobile Broadband, Gigabit Ethernet LAN
- 3x USB2.0, 1x eSATA / USB combo port with Sleep-and-Charge and, Multi-Card Reader, VGA, HDMI®
- A4 tile keyboard and large multi-touch touch pad
- VGA Webcam
- Toshiba Resolution+, Media Controller, LifeSpace, PC Health Monitor, ConfigFree & Eco-Utility
- Size: 316mm x 227mm x 16.8mm / 25.7mm
- Weight: starting at 1.3kg
- 3G connectivity
- Docking connector with USB 3.0 and HDMI® support*
- EasyGuard security technology*
- Fingerprint reader*

*Features on Portégé R700 only

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