

Aspire 8730ZG Specifications		
Operating system ¹	Genuine Windows Vista® Ultimate (Service Pack 1)	
	Genuine Windows Vista® Home Premium (Service Pack 1)	
	Genuine Windows Vista® Home Basic (Service Pack 1)	
Platform ¹	Intel [®] Pentium [®] dual-core mobile processor T3200/T3400 (1 MB L2 cache, 2/2.16 GHz, 667 MHz FSB, 35 W), supporting Intel [®] 64 architecture	
	Mobile Intel® PM45 Express Chipset	
	Acer InviLink [™] Nplify ^{™2, 3} 802.11b/g/Draft-N Wi-Fi CERTIFIED [®] network connection, supporting Acer SignalUp [™] wireless technology	
	Acer InviLink ^{™3} 802.11b/g Wi-Fi CERTIFIED [®] network connection, supporting Acer SignalUp [™] wireless technology	
System memory ^{1, 4, 5}	Dual-channel DDR2 SDRAM support	
	Up to 2 GB of DDR2 667 MHz memory, upgradeable to 4 GB using two soDIMM modules ⁶	
Display ¹	18.4" Full HD 1920 x 1080 pixel resolution, high-brightness (250-nit), Acer CineCrystal [™] TFT LCD, two lamps, supporting simultaneous multi-window viewing via Acer GridVista [™]	
	16:9 aspect ratio	
	8 ms high-def response time	
	60% color gamut	
	18.4" HD+ 1680 x 945 pixel resolution, high-brightness (220-nit) Acer CineCrystal [™] TFT LCD, supporting simultaneous multi-window viewing via Acer GridVista [™]	
	16:9 aspect ratio	
	8 ms high-def response time	
	60% color gamut	
TV-tuner ¹	Acer TV-tuner options:	
	Digital TV-tuner supporting DVB-T (Digital Video Broadcasting-Terrestrial) standard (6 to 8 MHz)	
	TV-tuner I/O:	
	 RF-in jack for digital TV antenna cable input 	
	TV-tuner cable:	
	 PAL cable for digital TV input, PAL/SECAM-to-NTSC port converter 	
	Acer DVB-T antenna (UHF/VHF reception) supporting Acer	

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1	SignalUp [™] technology	
Graphics ¹	NVIDIA® GeForce® 9600M GT with up to 2815 ⁷ MB of TurboCache™ (1024 MB of dedicated DDR2 VRAM, up to 1791 MB of shared system memory), supporting NVIDIA® PureVideo™ HD technology, OpenEXR High Dynamic-Range (HDR) technology, Shader Model 4.0, Microsoft® DirectX® 10	
	NVIDIA® GeForce® 9300M GS with up to 2303 ⁷ MB of TurboCache™ (512 MB of dedicated DDR2 VRAM, up to 1791 MB of shared system memory), supporting NVIDIA® PureVideo™ HD technology, OpenEXR High Dynamic-Range (HDR) technology, Shader Model 4.0, Microsoft® DirectX® 10	
	Dual independent display support	
	16.7 million colors	
	External resolution/refresh rate:	
	• 2048 x 1536: 75/60 Hz	
	• 1920 x 1440: 85/75/60 Hz	
	• 1920 x 1200: 75/60 Hz	
	• 1920 x 1080: 100/85/75/60 Hz	
	• 1680 x 945: 100/85/75/60 Hz	
	• 1600 x 1200: 120/100/85/75/60 Hz	
	• 1600 x 900: 120/100/85/75/60 Hz	
	• 1400 x 1050: 85/75/60 Hz	
	• 1366 x 768: 85/75/60 Hz	
	• 1280 x 1024: 120/100/85/75/60 Hz	
	• 1280 x 960: 85/75/60 Hz	
	• 1280 x 768: 85/75/60 Hz	
	• 1280 x 720: 100/85/75/60 Hz	
	• 1024 x 768: 120/100/85/75/60 Hz	
	• 800 x 600: 120/100/85/72/60 Hz	
	MPEG-2/DVD decoding	
	WMV9 (VC-1) and H.264 (AVC) decoding	
	HDMI [™] (High-Definition Multimedia Interface) with HDCP (High-bandwidth Digital Content Protection) support	
	Acer Arcade [™] Deluxe featuring Acer CinemaVision [™] and Acer ClearVision [™] technologies ⁸	
Audio	Dolby®9-optimized surround sound system with two built-in stereo speakers and one subwoofer supporting	

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	low-frequency effects	
	Optimized 2 nd Generation Dolby Home Theater ^{®9} audio enhancement, featuring Dolby [®] Digital, Dolby [®] Digital Live, Dolby [®] Pro Logic [®] IIx, Dolby [®] Headphone, Dolby [®] Natural Bass and Dolby [®] Sound Space Expander technologies ¹⁰	
	True5.1-channel surround sound output	
	High-definition audio support	
	S/PDIF (Sony/Philips Digital Interface) ¹¹ support for digital speakers	
	MS-Sound compatible	
	Built-in microphone	
Storage	One or two 120/160/250/320 GB or larger hard disk drives ^{1,}	
	6-in-1 card reader, supporting Secure Digital [™] (SD), MultiMediaCard (MMC), MultiMediaCard Plus (MMC <i>plus</i> [™]), Memory Stick [®] (MS), Memory Stick PRO [™] (MS PRO), xD-Picture Card [™] (xD)	
Optical media drive ¹	2X Blu-ray Disc [™] /DVD-Super Multi double-layer drive:	
•	 Read: 24X CD-ROM, 24X CD-R, 24X/16X CD-RW, 8X DVD-ROM, 8X DVD-R, 8X DVD+R, 6X/4X DVD-ROM DL (double-layer), 6X/4X DVD-R DL (double-layer), 6X/4X DVD+R DL (double-layer), 6X/4X DVD-RW, 6X/4X DVD+RW, 5X DVD-RAM, 2X BD-ROM, 2X BD-R, 2X BD-RE, 2X BD-ROM DL (double-layer), 2X/1.6X BD-R DL (double-layer), 2X BD-RE DL (double-layer) 	
	 Write: 16X/8X CD-R, 10X/4X CD-RW, 8X DVD-R, 8X DVD+R, 4X DVD-RW, 4X DVD+RW, 5X DVD-RAM, 4X/2.4X DVD+R DL (double-layer), 4X/2X DVD-R DL (double-layer) 	
	8X DVD-Super Multi double-layer drive:	
	 Read: 24X CD-ROM, 24X CD-R, 24X CD-RW, 8X DVD-ROM, 8X DVD-R, 8X DVD+R, 6X DVD-ROM DL (double-layer), 6X DVD-R DL (double-layer), 6X DVD+R DL (double-layer), 6X DVD-RW, 6X DVD+RW, 5X DVD-RAM 	
	 Write: 24X CD-R, 16X CD-RW, 8X DVD-R, 8X DVD+R, 4X DVD-R DL (double-layer), 4X DVD+R DL (double-layer), 6X DVD-RW, 8X DVD+RW, 5X DVD-RAM 	
Communication	Acer Video Conference, featuring:	
	 Integrated Acer Crystal Eye webcam, supporting enhanced Acer PrimaLite[™] technology 	

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	• Optional Acer Xpress VoIP phone WLAN ^{1, 3} : Acer InviLink [™] Nplify ^{™2} 802.11b/g/Draft-N Wi-Fi CERTIFIED [®] network connection, supporting Acer SignalUp [™] wireless technology WLAN ^{1, 3} : Acer InviLink [™] 802.11b/g Wi-Fi CERTIFIED [®] network connection, supporting Acer SignalUp [™] wireless technology WPAN ¹ : Bluetooth [®] 2.0+EDR (Enhanced Data Rate) LAN: Gigabit Ethernet, Wake-on-LAN ready		
	Modem: 56K ITU V.92 with PTT approval ¹³ , Wake-on-Ring ready		
Privacy control	Acer Bio-Protection fingerprint solution ¹ , featuring Windows® logon, computer protection, Acer FingerLaunch, ProfileLaunch, MusicLaunch, Password Bank, MyLaunch, FingerNav		
	BIOS user, supervisor, HDD passwords		
	Kensington lock slot		
Dimensions and weight ¹	440.5 (W) x 298.5 (D) x 40.2/44.2 (H) mm (17.3 x 11.7 x 1.6/1.7 inches)		
	4.1 kg (9.04 lbs.) with two HDDs and 8-cell battery pack		
Power ¹	ACPI 3.0 CPU power management standard: supports Standby and Hibernation power-saving modes		
	71 W 4800 mAh 8-cell Li-ion battery pack:		
	• 2.5-hour battery life ¹⁴		
	Acer QuicCharge [™] technology:		
	80% charge in 1 hour		
	 2-hour rapid charge system-off 		
	3-hour charge-in-use		
	3-pin 90 W AC adapter		
	ENERGY STAR® 4.0		
Special keys and controls	105-/106-key keyboard with inverted "T" cursor layout, 2.5 mm (minimum) key travel		
	Touchpad pointing device with Acer Bio-Protection fingerprint reader ¹ , featuring Acer FingerNav 4-way control function ¹		
	12 function keys, four cursor keys, two Windows® keys, hotkey controls, standard numeric keypad, international language support, independent US and Euro dollar sign keys		
	Empowering Key		

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	Easy-launch buttons: WLAN, Bluetooth®, email, Internet	
	Acer MediaTouch capacitive human interface device, including:	
	Acer Arcade [™]	
	Volume meter (volume up/down)	
	Media control (play/pause, stop, previous, next)	
	Mute and hold keys	
	Acer Media Center remote control (optional)	
I/O ports	ExpressCard [™] /54 slot	
	6-in-1 card reader (SD [™] , MMC, MMC <i>plus</i> [™] , MS, MS PRO, xD)	
	Four USB 2.0 ports	
	HDMI [™] port with HDCP support	
	Consumer infrared (CIR) port	
	External display (VGA) port	
	RF-in jack (optional)	
	Headphone/speaker/line-out jack with S/PDIF support	
	Microphone-in jack	
	Line-in jack	
	Ethernet (RJ-45) port	
	Modem (RJ-11) port	
	DC-in jack for AC adapter	
Software	Acer Empowering Technology (Acer eAudio, ePower, eDataSecurity ¹ , eRecovery, eSettings Management)	
	Acer Arcade [™] Deluxe ¹ featuring Cinema, Album, Music, HomeMedia	
	Acer InstantOn Arcade	
	Acer Bio-Protection ¹	
	Acer Crystal Eye ¹	
	Acer GridVista [™]	
	Acer Launch Manager	
	Acer GameZone ¹	
	Adobe® Reader®	
	CyberLink® PowerDirector® trial version	
	McAfee® Internet Security Suite	
	NTI Media Maker [™]	
	Microsoft® Works 8.5 with Office Home and Student 2007	

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	Trial	
Optional items	Acer Xpress VoIP phone and Acer Video Conference Manager pack	
	Acer Media Center remote control	
	1 GB/2 GB DDR2 667 MHz soDIMM module	
	8-cell Li-ion battery pack	
	3-pin 90 W AC adapter	
	External USB floppy disk drive	
Warranty	One-year International Travelers Warranty (ITW)	

Acer recommends Windows Vista® Home Premium.

- 1. Specifications vary depending on model.
- 2. Acer Nplify[™], a high-throughput wireless solution, delivers superior performance and reliable connections while enabling emerging voice, video and data applications. Wi-Fi CERTIFIED[®], it supports Acer SignalUp[™] wireless technology and is compliant with 802.11a/b/g/Draft-N and 802.11b/g standards.
- 3. Actual throughput may vary depending on network conditions and environmental factors such as network traffic or overhead, building construction and access point settings.
- 4. Up to 1 GB of available system memory may be allocated for system resource requirements.
- 5. Shared system memory may be allocated to support integrated graphics, depending on system memory size and other factors. Actual system memory available to the operating system will be reduced by the amount of dedicated and shared system memory utilized by the graphics solution and resources required by the operating environment.
- 6. A 64-bit operating system is required to enjoy the ultimate performance of 4 GB memory.
- 7. For systems with 4 GB of system memory. The total graphics memory visible to the OS is less than the actual size allocated from the physical memory installed and varies depending on the configuration under a 32-bit OS.
- 8. Powered by CyberLink® technology.
- 9. Dolby[®] is a registered trademark of Dolby[®] Laboratories. Dolby Home Theater[®] is a trademark of Dolby[®] Laboratories.
- 10. Dolby Pro Logic[®] and the double-D symbol are registered trademarks of Dolby[®] Laboratories.
- 11. Supports 7.1-channel surround sound and 2-channel stereo output (multiple streaming).
- 12. 1 GB is 1 billion bytes. Actual formatted capacity is less and may vary depending on preloaded materials and operating environment. Acer eRecovery Management utilizes up to 10 GB of the stated hard disk capacity as dedicated backup space.

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- 13. PTT countries: **Asia**: China, Hong Kong, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Singapore, Taiwan. **Europe**: Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Holland, Iceland, Italy, Luxembourg, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland. **Oceania**: Australia, New Zealand. **N. America**: Canada, USA.
- 14. Battery life varies depending on product specifications, computer settings, and applications or features launched, and may be reduced if Windows Aero™ is enabled. All batteries' maximum capacity diminishes with time and use.

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As a phenomenon known to thin-film transistors (TFTs), liquid crystal displays (LCDs) commonly exhibit a small number of discoloration dots, as so-called "non-conforming pixels." This phenomenon is a limitation of TFT LCD technology, not a product defect, and as such is not covered by Acer's warranty.

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