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History

The real beginning of home computing all started with the ZX Spectrum. Introduced by Sir Clive Sinclair

The machine was small, smaller than any laptop available today. It plugged into a standard television set

Sinclair proved that his machine could be a flexible tool. Word Processing, database & spreadsheet applications

Despite Sinclair having to sell Sinclair Research to Amstrad after the dismal sales provided by the Sinclair

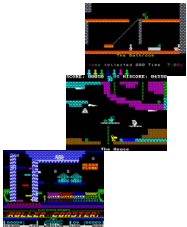


**First ZX Spectrum with
rubber keys (16k/48k)
Original box
Spectrum 128K
Spectrum +3 with build-in
3.5" diskdrive**

Technical Specs

CPU	Zilog Z80A @ 3.54690 MHz
RAM	Depending on the model: 16/48/128 KB
ROM	Depending on the model: 16/32/64 KB
VIDEO	Graphics: 256x192 with 8 colors (but only 2 usable per 8x8 pixel-square)
AUDIO	1 channel mono (via internal speaker) / Spectrum 128K: 3 channel sound (m
EXTERNAL STORAGE	Tapes and Disks

Screenshots



- ▣ **Jet Set Willy (1984)**
- Monty On The Run (1985)**
- Rollercoaster (1986)**



- Dizzy (1987)**
- Exelon (1987)**
- R-Type (1988)**

Emulators

ZX Spectrum Emulator
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