

Compaq 5137

Compaq Slim PS/2 Multimedia Keyboard 5137 User Manual

Model: 5137 | Part Numbers: 5188-7126, 5189-0403

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides detailed instructions for the setup, operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your Compaq Slim PS/2 Multimedia Keyboard, model 5137. Please read this manual thoroughly before using the keyboard to ensure proper functionality and to maximize your user experience.

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Compaq Slim PS/2 Multimedia Keyboard 5137 is a 104-key keyboard designed for desktop computers and older laptops. It features a PS/2 connection and includes dedicated multimedia keys for enhanced control over audio and video playback. Its slim design offers a comfortable typing experience.

Key Features:

- 104-key QWERTY layout
- PS/2 connectivity
- Integrated multimedia control keys
- Durable and slim design

(Image: Overview of the Compaq Slim PS/2 Multimedia Keyboard 5137, highlighting its 104-key layout and multimedia controls.)

SETUP

Follow these steps to connect your Compaq Slim PS/2 Multimedia Keyboard to your computer:

1. **Power Off Computer:** Ensure your computer is completely powered off before connecting the keyboard. This is crucial for PS/2 devices to be recognized correctly.
2. **Locate PS/2 Port:** Identify the PS/2 keyboard port on the back of your computer. It is typically a round, purple port.

3. **Connect Keyboard:** Align the PS/2 connector from the keyboard with the PS/2 keyboard port on your computer. Gently push the connector in until it is firmly seated. Do not force the connection.
4. **Power On Computer:** Once the keyboard is securely connected, power on your computer. The operating system should automatically detect and install the necessary drivers for the keyboard.
5. **Test Keyboard:** After your computer has booted, open a text editor or any application that accepts text input and test all keys, including the multimedia keys, to ensure proper functionality.

(Image: Illustration of a PS/2 keyboard connector being inserted into the purple PS/2 port on a computer's rear panel.)

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The Compaq Slim PS/2 Multimedia Keyboard operates like a standard 104-key QWERTY keyboard. Additionally, it features dedicated multimedia keys for quick access to common functions.

Standard Key Functions:

- **Typing:** Use the alphanumeric keys for text input.
- **Navigation:** Utilize arrow keys, Page Up, Page Down, Home, and End for document and web page navigation.
- **Function Keys (F1-F12):** These keys perform various functions depending on the application or operating system.
- **Numeric Keypad:** For efficient data entry, use the dedicated numeric keypad on the right side. Ensure Num Lock is active.

Multimedia Key Functions:

The multimedia keys are typically located above the function keys or along the sides of the keyboard. Their exact icons and positions may vary slightly, but their functions are standard:

- **Volume Up/Down/Mute:** Control your system's audio output.
- **Play/Pause:** Start or pause media playback.
- **Stop:** Stop media playback.
- **Previous/Next Track:** Navigate between tracks in your media player.
- **Launch Media Player:** Opens your default media player application.
- **Launch Web Browser:** Opens your default internet browser.
- **Sleep:** Puts your computer into a low-power sleep state.

Note: The functionality of multimedia keys may depend on your operating system and installed drivers. In some cases, additional software or driver installation might be required for full functionality, though typically PS/2 keyboards are plug-and-play.

MAINTENANCE

Proper maintenance ensures the longevity and optimal performance of your keyboard.

- **Cleaning:**
 - **Dust and Debris:** Regularly use compressed air to remove dust, crumbs, and debris from between the keys.
 - **Surface Cleaning:** Dampen a soft, lint-free cloth with a mild cleaning solution (e.g., water with a small amount of dish soap) and gently wipe the keycaps and keyboard surface. Avoid excessive moisture.
 - **Disinfecting:** For disinfection, use an alcohol-based wipe (70% isopropyl alcohol) and gently

wipe the surfaces.

- **Avoid Spills:** Keep liquids away from the keyboard to prevent damage to internal components. In case of a spill, immediately disconnect the keyboard, turn it upside down to drain liquid, and allow it to dry completely before reconnecting.
- **Storage:** When not in use for extended periods, store the keyboard in a clean, dry environment away from extreme temperatures.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your Compaq Slim PS/2 Multimedia Keyboard, refer to the following common troubleshooting steps:

- **Keyboard Not Responding:**
 - **Check Connection:** Ensure the PS/2 connector is firmly plugged into the correct (purple) PS/2 port on your computer.
 - **Reboot Computer:** PS/2 devices are typically detected during boot-up. Power off your computer completely, reconnect the keyboard, and then power it back on.
 - **Test on Another Port/Computer:** If available, try connecting the keyboard to a different PS/2 port or another computer to determine if the issue is with the keyboard or the computer's port.
- **Certain Keys Not Working:**
 - **Clean Keys:** Dust or debris under the keycap can prevent it from registering. Use compressed air to clean around the affected keys.
 - **Software Conflict:** Ensure no software is interfering with keyboard input. Try testing in a different application or in Safe Mode.
- **Multimedia Keys Not Functioning:**
 - **Driver Check:** While PS/2 keyboards are generally plug-and-play, some multimedia functions might require specific drivers or software from Compaq or your operating system manufacturer. Check your computer's device manager for any keyboard-related issues.
 - **Application Compatibility:** Ensure the media player or application you are using supports the keyboard's multimedia commands.

SPECIFICATIONS

Below are the technical specifications for the Compaq Slim PS/2 Multimedia Keyboard 5137:

Feature	Detail
Brand	Compaq
Model Number	5137 (Part Numbers: 5188-7126, 5189-0403)
Connectivity Technology	PS/2
Keyboard Description	Multimedia
Special Feature	Multimedia Keyboard
Color	Black

Style	Modern, Slim
Included Components	Keyboard with integrated PS/2 cable
Power Source	Wired (via PS/2)
Keyboard Layout	QWERTY
Number of Keys	104
Compatible Devices	Desktop Computer, Older Laptop with PS/2 port

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and technical support, please refer to the documentation provided with your original purchase or visit the official Compaq support website. Keep your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

Online Resources:

- For general Compaq support, visit: [Compaq Support](#)
- For driver downloads (if applicable), check the support section for your specific model.