

2 System Requirements

2.1 CPU Processor

The ICT Instrument software does not require large processing power.

For example it is compatible with Netbooks.

Minimum Recommended Processor Capacity:

Intel Atom Processors with a CPU N270 @ 1.66 GHz and 1GB RAM or higher.

2.2 Software

The ICT Instrument software is compatible with the following Windows Operating Systems:

Windows XP

Windows Vista

Windows 7

Windows Virtual OS run from a Mac computer

2.3 Screen Resolution

The ICT Instrument software is written to a fixed screen resolution of 857 x 660 dpi (it does not Auto Resize) and works best on current model laptops that have a screen size of 11.6" or larger and a default screen resolution of 1366 x 768 (the vertical height of 768 being most important otherwise you can't see the bottom of the software).

This means on small netbook's and some old laptops the bottom 5 or 10% of the screen is cut off or obscured from view. This can significantly limit software functionality.

The only netbook ICT is aware of that does support the ICT Software in full window display, is the ACER Aspire One netbook. It has an 11.6" screen with resolution 1366 x 768 dpi. This is the smallest netbook that supports the software as it offers a standard, full laptop screen resolution (1366 x 768). The advantage of netbooks are the lightweight (and often Solid State Drives, SSD) which make them ideal for field use, and in fact much better suited than a standard laptop. They are also very cheap.

The only solution for netbooks with a smaller screen size is to adjust your Display Properties Settings (right click on your desktop and choose properties) to 1366 x 768 or higher.

NOTE 2: You will need to close the Instrument software first before doing this to ensure the window displays correctly on the screen. Most netbooks or laptops will not save this setting so you will need to repeat this procedure every time you start your computer.