

CHAPTER OVERVIEW

2: Hardware

Learning Objectives

Upon successful completion of this chapter, you will be able to:

- Describe the element hardware of information systems.
- Identify the primary components of a computer and the functions they perform.
- Explain the effect of the commoditization of the personal computer.

This chapter discusses the element hardware and how it works. We will look at different types of computing devices, computer components, learn how they interact and the impact of their commoditization.

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