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GLIDEPOINT® TOUCHPADS

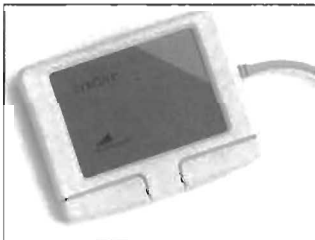
User's Guide



Cirque Cruise Cat®



Cirque Smart Cat®



Cirque Easy Cat®


GLIDEPOINT®

Congratulations on your purchase of a Cirque GlidePoint[®] touchpad. We hope you enjoy using your Cirque Cruise Cat, Smart Cat or Easy Cat touchpad. Please take a moment to fill out the following information for your reference.

Touchpad Model: _____

Serial Number: _____

Date of Purchase: _____

Where Purchased: _____

Operating System: _____

Connectivity: _____

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Hardware Requirements:

The Cirque Cruise Cat®, Cirque Smart Cat® and Cirque Easy Cat® require a PC-compatible computer. USB versions require a PC-compatible computer with available USB port. The USB version of the Easy Cat also runs on Apple® Macintosh® computers with available USB ports.

Cirque Software Requirements and Installation:

Cirque's GlidePoint® touchpads require Windows® 95, 98, NT 4.0, or 2000. The Cruise Cat and Smart Cat require Cirque's driver software which is included with each product. Easy Cat operates with standard mouse drivers on the PC platform and requires no additional software.

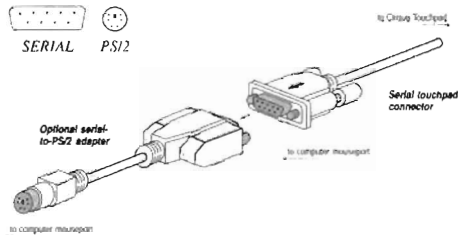
Installing Hardware:

Cruise Cat, Smart Cat and Easy Cat

To install the hardware, follow the instructions below. These devices require a serial, PS/2 or USB port. Upon installation, the touchpads allow you to tap, right-tap, drag, highlight and activate the GlideExtend™ virtual edge extender. To use the custom options and advanced scroll and zoom capabilities you must install Cirque's driver packaged with the Cruise Cat and Smart Cat.

Serial and PS/2 Versions

- 1) Turn the power to your computer off.
- 2) Attach the rectangular serial connector (or use the optional serial-to-PS/2 adapter) to your computer. Because the PS/2 ports for both touchpad and keyboard may appear identical, look for an icon or description next to each port on your computer to identify which to use.



- 3) Turn the computer on and start Windows.
- 4) Test the touchpad; it should operate with your existing drivers.*

*If you see the "New Hardware Found" dialog box after booting your computer, install as a "standard serial mouse."

USB Versions

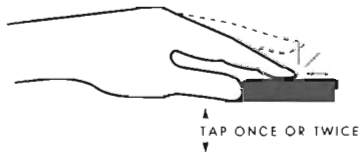
To install USB versions of the Cruise Cat, Smart Cat and Easy Cat, attach the small rectangular USB connector to your PC running Windows 98 or later. When you attach the device to your PC, you may be prompted to insert your Windows CD if the USB standard mouse driver has never been loaded. Follow the instructions as they appear on your screen. If your PC is a Macintosh you should install the Easy Cat only. Your Macintosh should detect the touchpad immediately when you plug it in. Please note: Cruise Cat and Smart Cat will not function as designed on Macintosh systems.

Upon installation the touchpad should respond to your touch, allowing you to perform basic mouse functions such as clicks and drags directly on the touchpad surface, as well as the activation of Cirque's convenient GlideExtend edge extender. An additional feature, wheelmouse scrolling, requires standard Windows 98 or later for your PC. Third party software for Macintosh OS 8.5 or later is available for Easy Cat only.

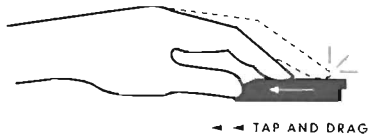
Using your Cirque GlidePoint® Touchpad:

Unlike the mouse or trackball, Cirque GlidePoint touchpads require little arm and wrist motion and no pressure. Like all pointing devices, your touchpad may take a short time to get used to. Yet you will soon find that using your finger is a more natural and intuitive way to control your computer. Simply glide your finger across the surface of the pad to move the cursor and tap your finger to "click". It's easy!

- **To click**, lightly and quickly tap the surface of the pad once. Or, press the left button once.
- **To double-click**, double tap on the pad or click the left button twice. Remember, the touchpad responds best to a very light, crisp tap.



- **To right-click** for submenus, tap the tap zone in the upper right corner of the touchpad or click the right button once. This feature requires third party software on the Macintosh systems (see Macintosh advanced features section for USB version of Easy Cat).



- **To drag, draw, or highlight**, double-tap rapidly and hold your finger down on the second tap, then glide to move. You may also hold the left button as you glide your finger.
- **GlideExtend™**: To drag further than the pad surface, lift and reposition your finger after reaching the textured edge. GlideExtend will virtually eliminate the edge of the pad while you drag. In other words, if you are dragging an item and you hit the textured edge, GlideExtend will hold the drag for three seconds while you reposition to complete the drag. To shut off GlideExtend earlier than three seconds, simply tap or click a button.
- **To scroll**, place your finger down the right edge of the touchpad and glide up or down. This feature requires third party software on Macintosh systems (see Macintosh advanced features section for USB version of Easy Cat).

Adjusting Settings:

Your GlidePoint touchpad settings, such as speed, may be adjusted through existing mouse software. On the PC, you may access the driver by selecting the **MOUSE** icon from the Control Panel (in the **START** menu under **SETTINGS**). To adjust settings on a Macintosh for your Easy Cat, select **MOUSE** from the Control Panel (in the **APPLE** menu).

Macintosh Advanced Features (Easy Cat only):

On the Macintosh, right-click submenu access and wheel-mouse scrolling require the installation of third party software named *USB Overdrive. Created by Alessandro Levi Montalcini, the software enables button reprogramming, submenu launching, vertical scrolling and more. The shareware requires OS 8.5 or later and uses less than one megabyte of hard disk space. If interested in these features, you may download the latest version at www.usboverdrive.com. *Cirque does not support USB overdrive and is not responsible for any problems related to or caused by the software. Contact USB Overdrive for technical assistance and support regarding the software.

Customizing:

Your Cruise Cat and Smart Cat may be personalized by accessing the **MOUSE** icon in the Control Panel. For details on each custom option available, select **START, PROGRAMS, CIRQUE TOUCHPAD SOFTWARE**, and then **GLIDE HELP** to access Cirque's interactive help file.



Advanced Features:

Scroll Settings

There are two types of scroll options in the **SCROLLING** section of the Cirque Control Panel.

- **SCROLL** permits scrolling in most Windows applications, zooming in advanced '97-style applications, as well as back and forward functions used in Netscape[®] Communicator™ and Microsoft[®] Internet Explorer™
- **SCROLL 97** allows smoother vertical scrolling in applications that support wheelmouse scrolling

You can quickly toggle between **SCROLL** and **SCROLL 97** options while working in your applications by holding down the **CTRL** key as you scroll.**



**Important notes to keep in mind as you learn to scroll in different applications:

1. Non-'97 applications such as Microsoft[®] 95 and Netscape[®] Navigator™ will not support the vertical scroll features when the **SCROLL 97** option is selected.
2. For non-'97 applications, select the **SCROLL** option in the Cirque Control Panel.
3. If your application will not scroll using either **SCROLL** or **SCROLL 97**, then that application does not follow standard Windows scrolling conventions and will not be compatible.

Scrolling Horizontally & Vertically

The default setting SCROLL will function in most Windows applications, while the SCROLL 97 setting will allow smoother vertical scrolling in advanced '97 applications (see previous page).

- To scroll vertically in the current application, lift and place your finger on the right edge of the touchpad, and glide your finger up or down.
- To scroll horizontally, lift and place your finger on the lower edge of the touchpad (avoid the corners), and glide your finger left or right.

Zooming

The zooming feature is available in advanced '97 applications. This allows you to increase or decrease the view size of your document.

- To zoom in or out, place the cursor in the desired active window, lift and place your finger on the zoom arrow and glide your finger up or down.

Surfing Back or Forward

You can use Cirque's back/forward feature to activate the back and forward controls of various applications such as Microsoft Internet Explorer and Netscape Navigator.

- To surf back or forward on the web, lift and place your finger on the upper edge of the touchpad and glide your finger left or right. Each approximate 1/8-inch movement will activate a web page change.

Troubleshooting:

Your Cirque GlidePoint touchpad should work right away when connected to your computer. If you have trouble:

- Check all connections to be sure they are secured to the correct ports, then restart the computer.
- Check the following list to see if your questions can be easily answered. Should you need additional help, call Cirque's toll-free technical support at 1-800-GLIDE-75.

Having trouble tapping or dragging on the touchpad?

If you have difficulties activating click or highlight operations by tapping on the touchpad's surface:

- A light, quick tap will work best. The touchpad does not require pressure, and hard taps may actually slow your typing.

Using the touchpad causes discomfort in your hand or wrist?

If you experience discomfort while using your touchpad:

- Try to relax your hand while pointing and tapping. Arching or flexing your hand over the touchpad will cause unnecessary strain.
- Your touchpad responds to the lightest touch, so you can use your index finger, your middle finger, or even your thumb to point and tap. If you find it uncomfortable to reach toward the device on your desktop, hold it in your other hand or on your lap.

Customer Support:

To learn more about operating your Cirque GlidePoint touchpad or if you need further assistance, contact Cirque at:

- Web site: www.cirque.com
- E-mail address: tech@cirque.com (please use a return e-mail address)
- Toll-free support line: 1-800-GLIDE-75 (direct line 801-467-1100)
- Fax line: 801-467-0208

No-risk 30-day Trial:

We thank you for choosing a Cirque product. We hope you will find that gliding your finger across the touchpad is truly a more natural way to operate your computer. Should you encounter any problems, please contact us and let us help you. If you are not completely satisfied, our support representatives are ready to help you with your problem. We will do our best to resolve the issue. Please keep a copy of your dated sales receipt.

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For five (5) years from the date of purchase, Cirque, will, at its sole option, replace or repair at not charge the product which, in its opinion, is defective.

If a defective product has been modified or altered in any way, the plastic enclosure has been opened, or the failure is the result of misuse, abuse, accident, or misapplication, Cirque has no obligation to repair or replace the product.

Customer is responsible for packaging and freight to ship a defective product to Cirque. Cirque is responsible for charges to ship the repaired or replacement product. In the case of charges for which customer is liable, the replacement product will be sent C.O.D. Customer must obtain a Return Merchandise Authorization (RMA) number from Cirque's Customer Service department at 801-467-1100. This RMA number should be displayed prominently on the outside of the returned package and on the accompanying package list. Cirque is not responsible for packages returned without an RMA number. **Warranty claims may not be honored if no product registration card is on file at Cirque Corporation.**

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This device complies and Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Warning: Changes or modifications to this unit not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

Note: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate frequency energy, and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that which the receiver is connected.



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- Cirque Smart Cat® GDB410, GDU410
- Cirque Easy Cat® GPB160, GPB160/U

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