

Name: Topic: 2.1 Input devices and their uses

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Q1. Write the correct words in this column to match the description.

Keyboard
 Touchpad

• Microphone

Joystick

Mouse

Graphics tablet

Touchscreen

Light pen

Trackball

Webcam

• Digital camera

Scanner

Name of input device	MAIN USE OF MANUAL INPUT DEVICES
	It is used to digitize images. They're similar to a photocopier but they make a digital copy instead of a physical copy.
	A digital video camera connected to a computer so that other people can see you via the internet
	It is used as a pointing device on portable computers to enable you to move the cursor.
	It is used to select items on a computer monitor. It is moved around by the user, and an on-screen cursor corresponds to these movements.
	It is a light-sensitive pointing device used to select or modify data on a screen.
	Consists of a flat pad that the user draws on with a special pen and the image appears on the computer screen. It enables a designer to produce on-screen drawings very accurately.
	Used to enter words and numbers into the computer.

Can be used as an alternative to a mouse. They are easy to use for people with limited movement in their hands. Can be used for computer aided design (CAD).
They are popular with gamers but are being replaced by other types of game controller. In construction, they are used to control machinery such as cranes.
Takes pictures and can usually record video too, which can be stored in a file and transferred to a computer.
They are used to input sound. They can be used with voice recognition software and by applications software such as a word processor to enter text.
Many mobile phones have them to input data. They are sometimes used in cash machines.

Q2. Fill in the blanks using the words from the list below.

Pointing	Microphone	ADC	Web Cam	Laptop	Analogue	
POS input	Distance	Digital	Mouse	Chip and pi	in reader	
Input Devices allow data to be into a computer.						
A mouse, touch pad and a tracker ball are know as devices.						
A touch pad is built into the It is more difficult to use compared to a						
A numeric key pad could be used at an, or						
Remote control can be used at a						
and can be used in a web conference.						
Sensors read in					_ is	

Q3. Match the words in the left-hand column to what each one detects.

Type of sensor	What is detected?
Temperature	
Light	
Pressure	
Moisture	
Water level	
Movement	
Proximity	
Switch or button	

Dampness/dryness
Pressure (e.g. someone standing on it)
How full/empty a container is
Temperature
If something is touching/pressing it
How close/far something is
Movement nearby
Light/dark