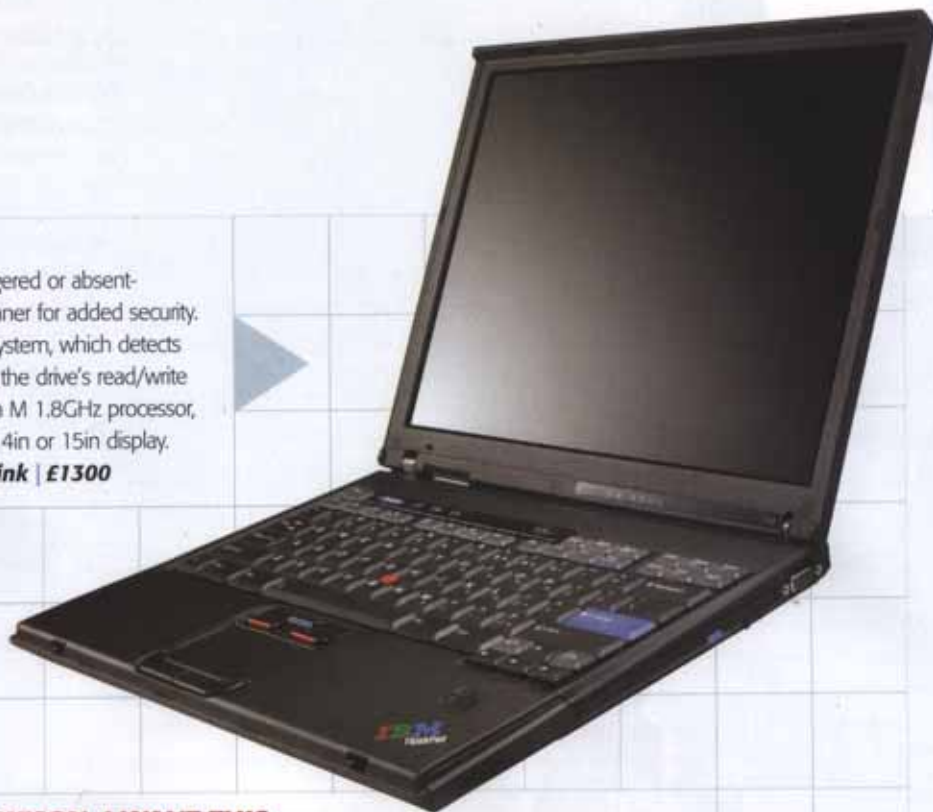


FOR ONE CARELESS OWNER...

The IBM ThinkPad T42 caters for the butterfingereed or absent-minded. Built into the case is a fingerprint scanner for added security. It also comes with the IBM Active Protection System, which detects sudden acceleration, and responds by parking the drive's read/write head. Moreover, it sports an Intel 745 Pentium M 1.8GHz processor, Bluetooth connectivity and a choice of either 14in or 15in display.

Tel: 0800 169 1458 | www.ibm.com/think | £1300

**WATSON, I WANT THIS**

Sony Ericsson's Z1010 mobile phone is 3G compatible, as most mobile phones these days really have to be. In addition, it also sports Bluetooth, colour screen and interface customisation, plus a SIMB Memory Stick Duo card slot, around three hours talktime and two digital cameras. It has a 0.3-megapixel camera on the back, like most phones, but another under the colour screen to maximise the features 3G offers, such as video calling.

tel: 01279 466222 | www.sonyericsson.com/uk | £580 (excl. contract)

**MIRROR, MIRROR ON THE WALL**

The MirrorTV uses Hitachi's very latest image chip technology and becomes a polished mirror when it's switched off, thus removing that unsightly black screen hanging on your wall. Variations include plasma (32in, 42in and 55in) and LCD screens (20in, 26in, 30in and 46in), each with a multitude of different frame options.

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