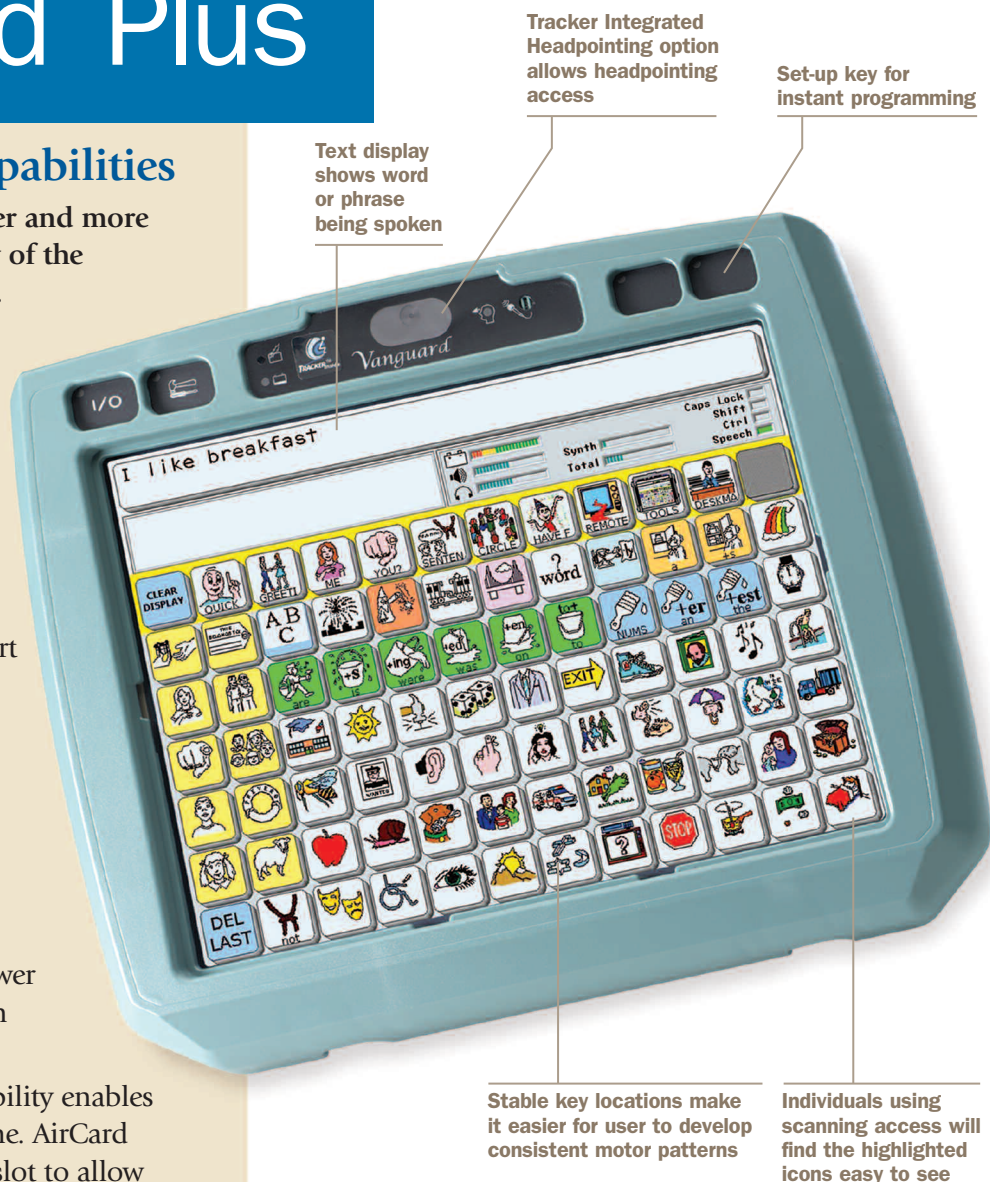


Vanguard™ Plus

NEW Features & Capabilities

- “Block” scanning allows faster and more efficient scanning within any of the available language programs.
- Special vocabulary option for adults with acquired language disorders.
- PRC Application and Support Software (PASS) allows user to create, modify, and save vocabularies and create support materials. AAC support professionals can also modify device contents from their PC.
- “RealSpeak™” natural voice option from Scansoft.®
- Built-in player allows user to import WAV files and play MP3/WMA files in stereo.
- WordPower™/Picture WordPower option for 45- and 84-location arrangements.
- AirCard® wireless phone capability enables device to act as a mobile phone. AirCard inserts into device's PCMCIA slot to allow user to send and receive voice calls and text messages.*
- Optional IntelliTools® Classroom Suite bundle.



Vanguard™ is a full-sized, dynamic display communication aid featuring synthesized and digitized speech, computer emulation, and infrared environmental controls. It is an excellent option for both children beginning with AAC and adults with acquired disabilities.

Versatile, Rugged, and Highly Motivating

Vocabulary

Only PRC communication products give users the option of all three language representation methods: *single-meaning pictures, spelling systems, and semantic compaction.*

Vanguard comes with both **Unity 45** and **Unity 84** programs pre-programmed in the device. You can select from integrated versions of Unity ranging from starter vocabularies of 150 words up to the full Unity program with 3,000 words. These

Unity programs feature quick access to core vocabulary plus the unique Activity Row, spelling and Word Prediction, and Page-based vocabularies.

The **Picture Prediction™** feature in Vanguard actually “learns” the user’s most common extended vocabulary choices and automatically arranges the Activity Row icons for the most convenient access to those words.

Expanded WordCore Program — WordCore 45 and 84 are included in each

Vanguard. These word-based vocabulary systems can be used quickly by anyone who can read and spell. Adults with acquired disabilities will find WordCore to be a powerful communication tool that can be learned in a matter of minutes.



Access Methods

- Direct selection from the touch-screen display
- Tracker Integrated Headpointing option
- Joystick and single- and dual-switch scanning

Display Arrangements

- 4-, 8-, 15-, 45-, and 84-location displays are available

Standard Features

- Color-coded Toolbox makes accessing menu functions easier.
- Enhanced audio recording and speech output quality enables users to "speak up" clearly in noisy classroom or social settings.
- Synthesized speech capabilities.
- Icon Prediction to simplify locating and learning the icon sequences.
- Spelling and Word Prediction functions.
- Digitized speech to add fun sounds, songs, or additional languages.
- Auditory prompts to aid individuals with visual impairments.
- Calculator provides basic calculator functions.

Advanced Features

- Notebooks for creating and storing text.
- Clinical Tools, including a targeting test and an 8- and 15-location picture recognition test.
- Icon Tutor lets user search for a word and find the appropriate icon sequence.
- Lesson Plans for starting out with Unity.[®]
- Memory transfer capabilities to USB drives and Secure Digital (SD) memory cards.
- Optional PCS symbols.
- On-screen user manual.
- Language Activity Monitor (LAM) software that enables clinicians to monitor communication progress by collecting and analyzing language samples.

Vanguard Specifications

- Weight: 6 lbs.
- Dimensions: 12.75"w x 10.25"h x 3.25"d
- Speech memory: Over 60 minutes of digitized speech capacity
- Battery life: 8 hours (1 battery pack)
- SD card slot
- USB slot

Vanguard Standard Configuration

(VG2-NON) \$7,295

Adult Acquired Version

(VG2-AAM) \$7,295

All configurations include:

- Vanguard with operating system and Unity vocabulary software
- Battery charger
- Built-in stand
- Mounting plate
- Operator's manual
- WordCore and Mintalk software
- USB cable and USB flash drive
- Infrared capabilities for ECU and remote control of consumer electronics
- One-year PRC warranty

Options

These Vanguard options must be specified at the time of purchase:

Integrated Headpointing

(HP) add \$895

IntelliTools Classroom Suite Bundle

(ICS) add \$299
(Tracker technology)

PCS for Vanguard

(PCS) add \$225
(5,000 PCS symbols from Mayer-Johnson preloaded into Vanguard for your use)

WordPower for Vanguard

(WDPR) add \$350

Upgrading Your Vanguard

PCS After Initial Sale

(PCS-1) \$250

(Please specify device serial and key code numbers at time of purchase.)

Current Vanguard owners: For information on available upgrades, visit our online store at www.prentrom.com or contact our Sales Department at 1-800-262-1933.

Accessories

8-location Keyguard

(8KG-VG2) \$135

15-location Keyguard

(15KG-VG2) \$135

45-location Keyguard

(45KG-VG2) \$135

84-location Keyguard

(84KG-VG2) \$135

AirCard (complete, includes card)*

(AC-VG) \$495

Battery Charger

(BC-PRC12) \$59

Carrying Case with adjustable shoulder strap and access panel

(CC-VG2) \$125

18" Carrying Strap

(CS-VG) \$30

48" Shoulder Strap

(SS-VG) \$35



Headpointing Breakthrough

PRC has partnered with Madentec, a leader in headpointing systems, to introduce the first integrated headpointing solution. When you select the headpointing version of the Vanguard, the Madentec Tracker headpointing system is included in the device. With this built-in access option, the client needs only a reflective dot to access the Vanguard. For clients who use headpointing access, this innovation provides both savings and convenience of setup and operation.



WordCore for Vanguard

* PRC does not provide wireless service and customers will have to provide their own mobile phone service account. The AirCard currently works with any service provider that offers a SIM card phone on a GSM network (e.g., Cingular). Customers will be responsible for their own phone charges and PRC cannot accept responsibility for problems of mobile phone service provision.



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