Subject: New Windows Computer

Posted by John Houston on Sun, 03 Nov 2019 04:57:56 GMT

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WTB fresh windows 64 computer with Paris 3.0 installed, and 5 pci slots. My old G4 is getting tired, and you can't get 3.0 for Mac anywhere

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Posted by Kim W. on Tue, 05 Nov 2019 20:39:12 GMT

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Woah!

Firstly, you will not be able to buy a five PCI slot motherboard that supports anything approaching newer processors. Your best bet is to buy something like this:

https://www.ebay.com.au/itm/Exsys-EX-1031-Expansion-Box-with

-4x-PCI-Slot-220W-Power-Supply-38cm-Long/162799525913?hash=i

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and an accompanying PCI express host card (also available from EXSYS). Then you can buy any PC and future-proof yourself.

There is a version of PARIS 3 floating around without the PACE protection, if you do a little digging around.

EXSYS also have a 4 PCI backplane that can fit into any ATX case, if you wish to DIY.

There is a thread on this forum that addresses this conundrum.

Cheers, Kim

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Posted by John Houston on Wed. 06 Nov 2019 06:02:32 GMT

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Thanks Kim!