



Inspiron 15

3000 Series



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Specifications

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Regulatory model: P47F | Type: P47F001/P47F002

Computer model: Inspiron 15-3551/Inspiron 15-3558

NOTE: The images in this document may differ from your computer depending on the configuration you ordered.



Front



Left



Right



Base



Display

Front



1 Power and battery-status light/hard-drive activity light

Indicates the battery-charge status.
Press Fn+H to toggle this light between battery-status and hard-drive status.



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Left



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Display

Left



1 Power-adaptor port

Connect a power adapter to provide power to your computer and charge the battery.

2 Network port (Inspiron 15-3558 only)

Connect an Ethernet (RJ45) cable from a router or a broadband modem for network or internet access.

3 HDMI port

Connect a TV or another HDMI-in enabled device. Provides video and audio output.

4 USB 3.0 port

Connect peripherals such as storage devices, printers, and so on. Provides data transfer speeds up to 5 Gbps.

5 Media-card reader

Reads from and writes to media cards.



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Left



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1 Headset port

Connect a headphone, a microphone, or a headphone and microphone combo (headset).

2 USB 2.0 ports (2)

Connect peripherals such as storage devices, printers, and so on. Provides data transfer speeds up to 480 Mbps.

3 Security-cable slot

Connect a security cable to prevent unauthorized movement of your computer.



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- 1 Left-click area**
Press to left click.
- 2 Right-click area**
Press to right click.

- 3 Power button**
Press to turn on the computer if it is turned off or in Sleep state.
Press to put the computer in Sleep state if it is turned on.
Press and hold for 10 seconds to force shut-down the computer.

NOTE: You can customize the power-button behavior in Power Options. For more information, see *Me and My Dell* at dell.com/support.



Display

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1 Camera

Allows you to video chat, capture photos, and record videos.

2 Camera-status light

Turns on when the camera is in use.

3 Microphone

Provides high-quality digital sound input for audio recording, voice calls, and so on.

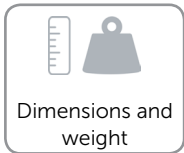


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Height	21.70 mm (0.85 in)
Width	380 mm (14.96 in)
Depth	260.30 mm (10.25 in)
Weight (maximum)	2.20 kg (4.85 lb)

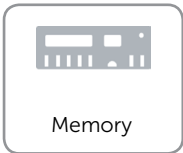
NOTE: The weight of your laptop varies depending on the configuration ordered and the manufacturing variability.



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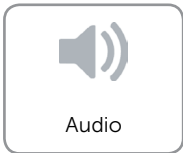
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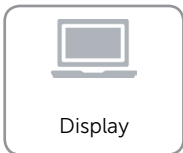
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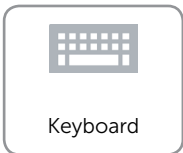
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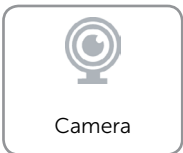
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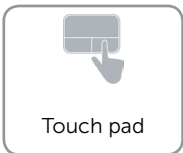
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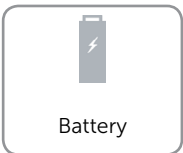
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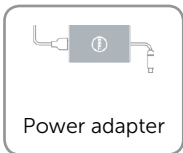
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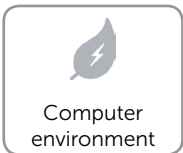
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- Inspiron 15-3551
- Inspiron 15-3558

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Processor

- Intel Celeron Processor
 - Intel Pentium Processor
- Intel Celeron Processor
 - Intel Pentium Processor
 - 4th generation Intel Core i3 Processor
 - 5th generation Intel Core i3 Processor
 - 5th generation Intel Core i5 Processor

Chipset

Integrated in processor

Integrated in processor



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Memory

	Inspiron 15-3551	Inspiron 15-3558
Slots	One SODIMM slot	Two SODIMM slots
Type	DDR3L	Dual-channel DDR3L
Speed	1333 MHz	1600 MHz
Configurations supported	2 GB and 4 GB	2 GB, 4 GB, 6 GB, and 8 GB



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Ports and connectors

External:

Network	One RJ45 port (Inspiron 15-3558 only)
USB	• Two USB 2.0 port • One USB 3.0 port
Audio/Video	• One HDMI port • One headphone and microphone combo (headset) port

Internal:

NGFF slot	One NGFF slot for Wi-Fi and Bluetooth combo card
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Wireless

- Wi-Fi 802.11ac
- Wi-Fi 802.11b/g/n
- Bluetooth 4.0
- Intel WiDi



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Video

	Inspiron 15-3551	Inspiron 15-3558
Controller:		
Integrated	Intel HD Graphics	- Intel HD Graphics - Intel HD Graphics 4400 - Intel HD Graphics 5500
Discrete	N/A	NVIDIA GeForce 820M
Memory:		
Integrated	Shared system memory	Shared system memory
Discrete	N/A	1 GB DDR3 2 GB DDR3

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Audio

Controller	Realtek ALC3234 with Waves MaxxAudio
Speakers	Two
Speaker output:	
Average	2 W
Peak	2.5 W
Microphone	Single digital microphone in the camera assembly
Volume controls	Media-control shortcut keys



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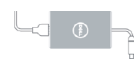
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Storage

Interface:	
Inspiron 15-3551	SATA 3 Gbps
Inspiron 15-3558	SATA 6 Gbps
Hard drive	One 2.5-inch drive
Drives supported	One hard drive



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Media-card reader

Type	One SD card slot
Cards supported	SD card



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Display

Type	15.6-inch Truelife
Resolution (maximum)	1366 x 768
Pixel Pitch	0.2520 mm
Dimensions:	
Height	225.06 mm (8.86 in)
Width	366.63 mm (14.43 in)
Diagonal	396.24 mm (15.60 in)
Operating angle	0 degrees (closed) to 135 degrees
Refresh rate	60 Hz
Controls	Brightness can be controlled using shortcut keys.



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Keyboard

Type	Chiclet keyboard
Shortcut keys	Some keys on your keyboard have two symbols on them. These keys can be used to type alternate characters or to perform secondary functions. To type the alternate character, press Shift and the desired key. To perform secondary functions, press Fn and the desired key. NOTE: You can change the behavior of the shortcut keys by pressing Fn+Esc or by changing Function Key Behavior in System Setup.

[List of shortcut keys.](#)



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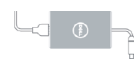
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Shortcut keys

	Mute audio		+		Toggle Fn-key lock
	Decrease volume		+		Turn off/on wireless
	Increase volume		+		Open application menu
	Play previous track/chapter		+		Sleep
	Play/Pause		+		Pause/Break
	Play next track or chapter		+		Toggle between battery-status light/ hard-drive activity light
	Switch to external display		+		System request
	Search		+		Toggle scroll lock
	Decrease brightness				
	Increase brightness				



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Camera

Resolution:

Still image	0.92 megapixel
Video	1280 x 720 (HD) at 30 fps (maximum)
Diagonal viewing angle	74 degrees



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Touch pad

Resolution:

Horizontal	508 dpi
Vertical	508 dpi

Dimensions:

Width	105 mm (4.13 in)
Height	65 mm (2.56 in)



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Battery

Type	4-cell 40 WHr smart lithium 4-cell 47 WHr smart lithium
Dimensions:	
Height	20 mm (0.79 in)
Width	270.20 mm (10.64 in)
Depth	37.50 mm (1.48 in)
Weight (maximum)	0.26 kg (0.57 lb)
Voltage	14.80 VDC
Operating time	Varies depending on operating conditions and can significantly reduce under certain power-intensive conditions.
Charging time when the computer is off (approximate)	4 hours
Life span (approximate)	300 discharge/charge cycles
Temperature range:	
Operating	0°C to 35°C (32°F to 95°F)
Storage	-40°C to 65°C (-40°F to 149°F)
Coin-cell battery	CR-2032



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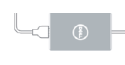
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Power adapter

Type:

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- 45 W
- 65 W

Input voltage 100 VAC–240 VAC

Input frequency 50 Hz–60 Hz

Input current 1.30 A/1.60 A/1.70 A

Output current 2.31 A/3.34 A

Rated output voltage 19.50 VDC

Temperature range:

Operating 0°C to 40°C (32°F to 104°F)

Storage –40°C to 70 °C (–40°F to 158°F)



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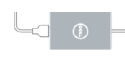
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Airborne contaminant level	G1 as defined by ISA-S71.04-1985	
	Operating	Storage
Temperature range	0°C to 35°C (32°F to 95°F)	–40°C to 65°C (–40°F to 149°F)
Relative humidity (maximum)	10% to 90% (non-condensing)	0% to 95% (non-condensing)
Vibration (maximum)*	0.66 GRMS	1.30 GRMS
Shock (maximum)	110 G [†]	160 G [‡]
Altitude (maximum)	–15.2 m to 3048 m (–50 ft to 10,000 ft)	–15.2 m to 10,668 m (–50 ft to 35,000 ft)

* Measured using a random vibration spectrum that simulates user environment.

† Measured using a 2 ms half-sine pulse when the hard drive is in use.

‡ Measured using a 2 ms half-sine pulse when the hard-drive head is in parked position.



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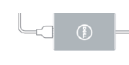
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