# THE COMPUSTAR® THEORY OF SENSIBILITY

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Okay, we admit it may not be as profound as Einstein's Theory of Relativity. But, if you're a computer user, we bet it's a bit more, shall we say, "relative" — not to mention a

whole lot more sensible. he "C" stands for CompuStar<sub>®</sub> — the world's first and only multi-processor, convertible bus<sup>™</sup> microcomputer. And, as the theory states, CompuStar means AT, MCA and EISA compatibility — all in a single system.

# A CONVERTIBLE BUS?

Each CompuStar features snap-in bus "modules" that let you convert from one bus standard to another — a PC/AT<sup>1</sup> bus, a PS/2 (MCA) bus. . .or both!



SNAP-IN PS/2 AND AT BUS MODULES.

Depending on configuration, you can have up to 13 AT and/or PS/2 bus expansion slots. Plus, when the new EISA bus becomes popular, we're licensed to offer it as well.

# THREE COMPUTERS IN ONE.

Buses are not the only thing you can reconfigure in a CompuStar. Each system can be equipped with any of *three* CPU Modules — an 8086, an 80286 or an 80386. Since the modules are interchangeable, you won't have to worry about buying the *wrong* computer system. We'll even let you trade-in your CPU Module toward the purchase of any of



the other more powerful modules.\* But that's not all. CompuStar features an incredible *seven* disk/tape compartments that we'll gladly custom configure for you at the factory. No matter what your application, we can tailor fit a CompuStar to match it precisely.



## CPU MODULES ARE INTERCHANGEABLE.

## IT'S NUMBER ONE RATED.

If you're thinking a computer with as much flexibility as CompuStar would have to compromise something, like performance — think again. With a MIPS<sup>3</sup> rating of 6.1, the CompuStar is one of the fastest, most powerful systems available. In fact, CompuStar's performance and flexibility so impressed *InfoWorld* magazine they gave it the highest rating of all hardware products tested in 1988! That's astonishing when you consider you can buy a CompuStar for *thousands* of dollars *less* than a comparably equipped system from IBM or Compaq.

If you're shopping for the next generation in personal computers, why not call us today at 803/796-7800 to arrange an on-site no obligation 30 day CompuStar<sub>®</sub> trial in your office.\* Relatively speaking, it's the only *sensible* thing to do.



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