

ADJUST MOUSE SETTINGS:

(Note: if you have configured your Windows XP to look like Windows 98, then follow instructions for Windows 98



1. Windows 95, 98, ME, 2000:

Click on “Start” button, then “Settings,” then “Control Panel,” then “Mouse”

Windows XP:

Click on “Start” button, then “Control Panel,” then “Printers and Other Hardware”, then “Mouse”

2. Click on the “Buttons” Tab

Change Primary button to Right if you are left handed.

Set “Double-Click” speed to “Slow” unless you are a very fast double-click artist.

Set “Click Lock” if you want to make it easier to click and drag.

3. Click on the “Pointers” Tab

--Try various schemes for your cursors and pointers to see which is easiest or most fun to use.

4. Click on the “Pointer Options” Tab

-- “Motion” option allows you to select pointer speed from Slowest to Fastest

-- “Snap to” option will move the pointer to the default button in every dialog box

-- “Visibility” option allows you to choose whether to:

- Display pointer trails
- Hide pointer while typing
- Show pointer location when Control Key (ctrl) is pressed

5. Click on the “Wheel” Tab

--Choose the number of lines or a full page that you will scroll when you roll the wheel on your mouse.

6. Click on the “Hardware” Tab

-- “Device” tells you the name of your mouse and the type of mouse you are using

-- “Properties” tell you the

- Manufacturer of your mouse (as if you care!)
- Location where mouse is plugged in, i.e., USB port or serial port (9 pin)
- Device Status, i.e., working or not working. “Troubleshoot” will help you solve mouse problems, and “Properties” will provide typical Microsoft useless information.