

Microsoft Multiplan

Microsoft's first spreadsheet application 1982

Multiplan was licensed for computers running CP/M, MS-DOS, Xenix, Commodore 64, Texas Instruments TI-99/4A, Radio Shack Model II, Apple II

Multiplan failed to overtake rival spreadsheet programs Lotus 1-2-3 and Visicalc, and was replaced by MS Excel for MAC and Windows systems

Hardware vendors such as Texas Instruments who failed to adopt Microsoft BASIC and MS-DOS lost marketshare and often were forced to abandon their proprietary formats and start creating IBM "clone" computers.

The TI 99/4a was one of the first 16-bit micros. The processor was the TI 9900. RAM 16-32Kb, Clockspeed 3 Mhz

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