Battery Leakage Check on Retro PCs

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PCs

Commodore PC 20-III

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IBM PS/ValuePoint 433DX/Si

Zenith ICL-4434-KT

NCR System 3330

Compaq Deskpro 386s/20

Compaq ProLinea 590

Brother BCN3386SX/52

Laser 486DX2-50E

Custom #1

Custom #2

Custom #3

Custom #4

Commodore PC 20-III

Year 1988 CPU 8088

Type Soldered NiMH 3.6V 60mAh Damage No, only minor corrosion spots.



Commodore PC 30-III

Year 1989 CPU 80286

Type Dallas DS1287 RTC Damage No



IBM PS/ValuePoint 433DX/Si

Year 1992 CPU 80486DX

Type Lithium Button Battery



Zenith ICL-4434-KT

Year 1993 (?) CPU 80486DX (?)

Type Soldered (but removed earlier)
Damage Yes, heavy corrosion on nearby IC.



NCR System 3330

Year 1992 CPU 80486DX2

Type Dallas DS12887 RTC
Damage No



Compaq Deskpro 386s/20

Year ??? CPU 80386SX Type Dallas ??? RTC

Type Dal Damage No



Compaq ProLinea 590

Year 1995 CPU Pentium

Type Lithium Button Battery



Brother BCN3386SX/52

Year 1992 CPU 80386SX

Type External Battery



Laser 486DX2-50E

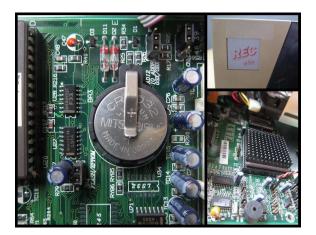
Year 1994 CPU 80486DX

Type Soldered Ni/Cd 3.6V 60mAh Damage No, only very minor corrosion.



Year CPU 1994

80486DX (?) Lithium Button Battery Туре



Year 1991 CPU 80386SX

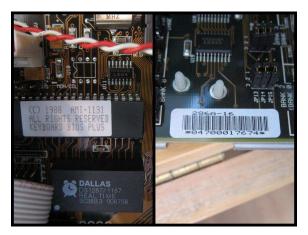
Type Soldered Varta Ni/Cd 3.6V 60mAh

Damage Yes, corrosion on nearby diode and AT keyboard connector.



Year 1988 CPU 80286

Type Dallas DS1287/1187 RTC



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Type Soldered Varta Ni/Cd 3.6V 60mAh Damage No, only minor corrosion spots.

