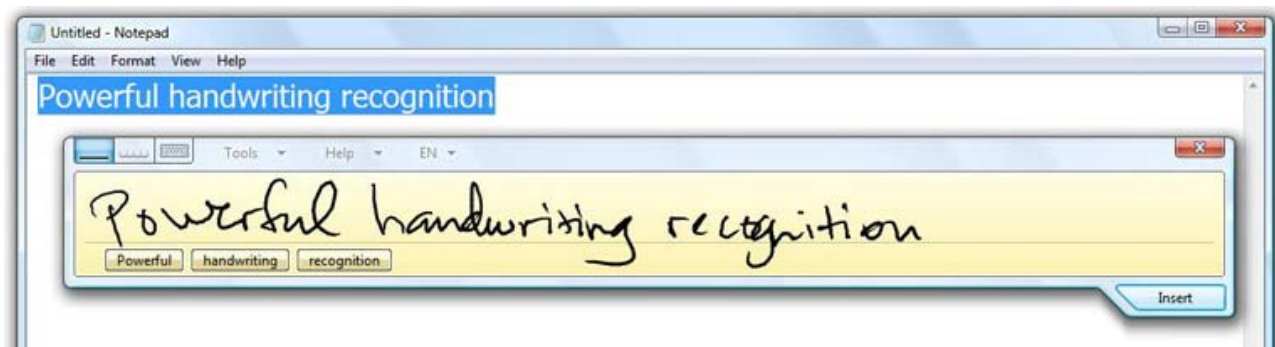


Access the Power of Vista's Intelligent Handwriting Recognition Capabilities

Connecting a Wacom pen tablet to your Windows Vista PC will activate the sophisticated handwriting recognition technology built into the system. This technology is ahead of its time and brings all the benefits of tablet PC computing to ordinary PCs. Not only will you be able to convert your handwriting into text in any application that allows text input, but the advanced technology will also learn and adapt to your personal handwriting style to quickly improve recognition efficiency.



The Tablet PC Input Panel



The Tablet PC Input Panel shown above disappears into a tab found on the left or right side of your screen. When you mouse over the tab, the tab pops out. Click on it and the Panel will shoot out.

Tablet PC Input Panel



This little icon pops up whenever you click on any text entry area in any application including Office, Internet browsers, even your calculator!

New Features

To make entering text even easier, the Tablet PC Input Panel also introduces AutoComplete, erasing with your pen's eraser and scratch-to-erase functions.

Choose your input method

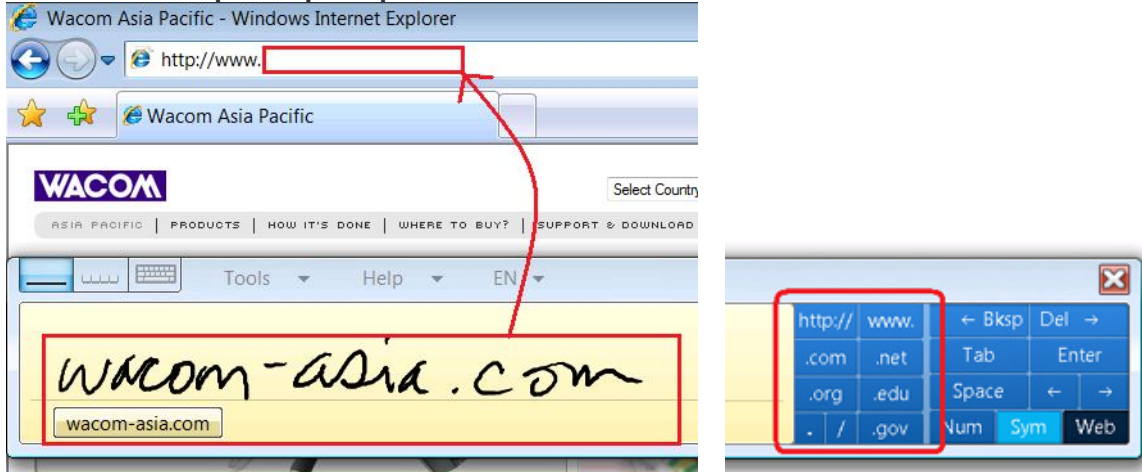
	The Tablet PC Input Panel allows three different input methods.
	Writing pad – write sentences continuously as if on a piece of paper. The Tablet PC Input Panel will convert your handwriting into typed text and display it below.
	Character pad – Write letters, symbols and numbers one at a time for more control.
	Soft (on-screen) keyboard – Tap the keys to input letters, etc. the control, shift, alt keys stick to allow key combinations. Keyboard displayed depends on your language and region.

Where can you use Vista's handwriting recognition to input text?

Besides using Vista's powerful handwriting recognition capabilities for inputting text in ordinary word processing applications, you will discover that text input with a pen also reduces your time and saves your arm much repetitive strain.

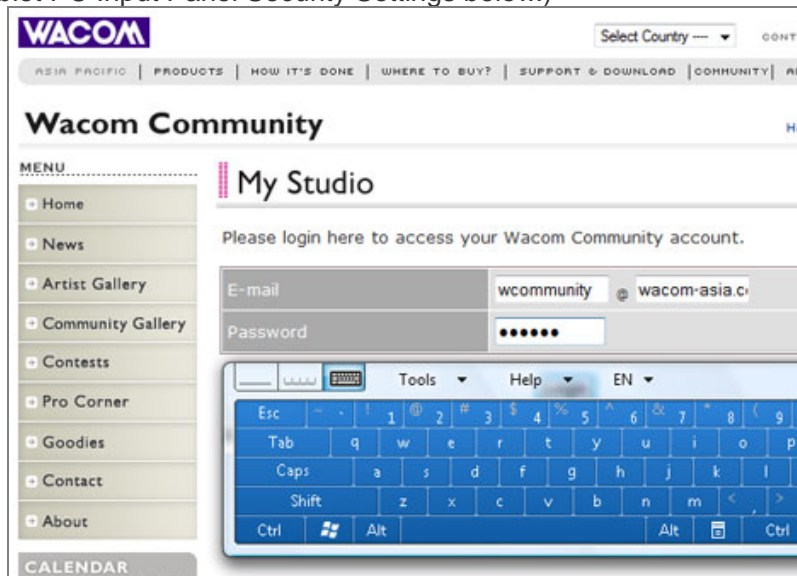
Any operation involving switching between your mouse/pen and your keyboard will benefit by using text input. Changing font sizes, inputting numbers into spreadsheets, and more! Here are a few examples where inputting text with a pen becomes useful:

1. Input URLs, search terms, etc. in your web browser. You can also use the input panel's web buttons to speed up the process.

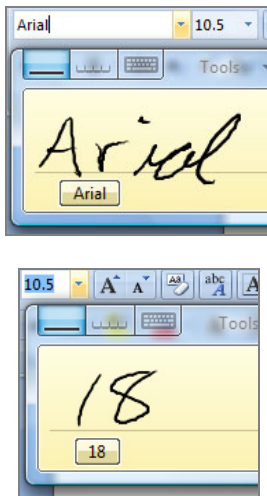


2. Increase security when entering passwords!

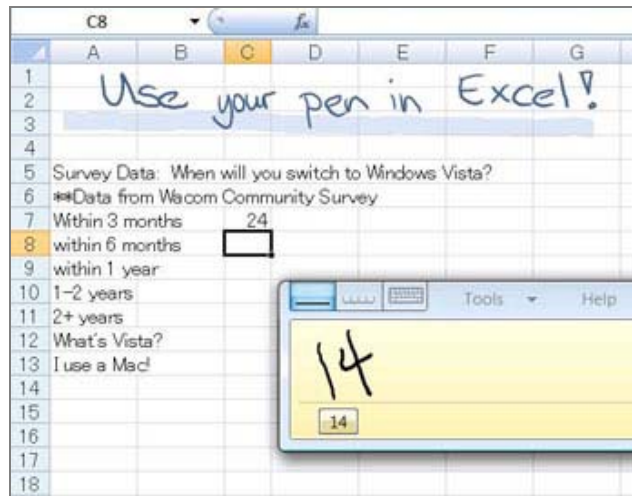
To prevent strangers around you from spying, the soft keyboard can be customized so that neither your cursor nor the soft keys light up. A simple but extremely effective way of maintaining your security on a tablet PC. However, pen tablet users may find it difficult to enter their password since the cursor will not be shown. (See Tablet PC Input Panel Security Settings below.)



3. Quickly input font names/sizes and brush sizes, etc. in applications

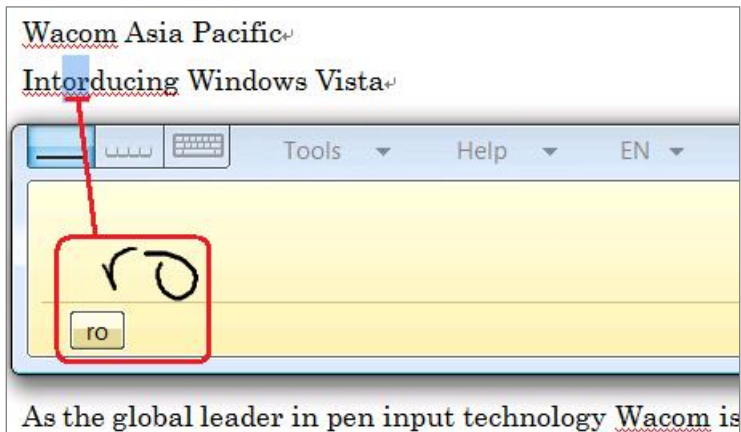


4. Quickly enter and edit numbers and text in spreadsheets



5. Proofread and edit text documents

If your pen has an eraser, you'll be able to erase text simply by highlighting it. Or, edit the text by highlighting it and opening the tablet PC input panel. You no longer need to switch back and forth between your keyboard and mouse. Used in combination with Office 2007's convenient new Ink annotating capabilities, you'll finish work faster and have more time to play with all the other cool new Vista features.



Tablet PC Input Panel Security Settings

Your Vista Tablet PC Input Panel also has 5 security levels to prevent people from discovering your password when ever you use the Input Panel to enter it into web pages, etc.

	High	Medium-High	Medium	Medium-Low	Low
Automatically switches to the on-screen keyboard when you enter a password.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Lets you switch to the writing pad or character pad when entering a password.	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Shows the pointer or which keys are tapped on the on-screen keyboard when you enter a password.	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes

Adjusting Tablet PC Input Panel security settings

1. Open the Tablet PC Setting Control Panel
2. Click on “Go to Input Panel Settings” in the “Other” tab
3. Click on the “Advanced” tab in the Pen and Input and adjust password security level.

