

Hardware - The physical parts of a computer

Five Hardware Components:

1. Input

Any information from the outside world



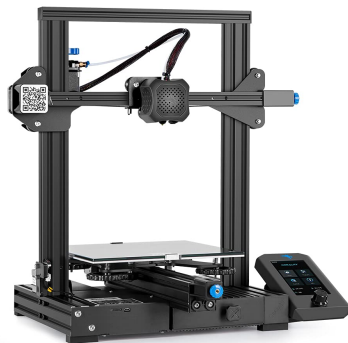
2. Output

Any information from the computer that displays to the user



3. I/O

Information that can be inputted into a computer and outputted



4. CPU

Takes raw data from input devices and processes it to tell the computer what to do with said data.



5. RAM/ROM

ROM (read only memory)

Information that is stored in a chip



RAM (random access memory)

Information that is stored in your computer temporarily

