



Computers for Office, Education and Home



COMPANY PROFILE

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“Open Source provides users with the opportunity to Study, Copy, Modify and Distribute the software and its source code. This promotes knowledge economy and ‘sustainable economic development’ as envisaged in vision 2036.”

Background

Retention Range is an Open Source Solutions company headquartered in Gaborone, Botswana. The company's philosophy is anchored on Software Freedom. Software users must have the freedom to use, share, and improve the software for their benefit and for the benefit of others. Open Source is a vehicle through which many developing nations can increase retention of capital spent on ICT imports. Retention Range is actively participating in the development of solutions based on Open Source. The company also manufactures RETENTION computers which mainly ship with open source softwares.

Vision

To have Free Libre Open Source Solutions (FLOSS) in use across all sectors of the economy.

Mission

To enrich enterprises by exposing them to the freedoms of open source.

Values

Customer Centric – We exist for the customer,
Botho (Ubuntu) – We serve as we wish to be served,
Openness – Ready to share, unrestricted sharing of information,
Software Freedom – Its yours, so use it as you wish.

Certifications



EDD CERTIFIED



RETENTION Computers
BOCRA TYPE APPROVED
Regulatory Code:
BOCRA/TA/2018/4110



120-ICT Development Services
[Codes 01- 06]
203-01 Electronic Equipment,
Spares and Accessories



ISO9001 Certification
in progress

Services

RETENTION Products

Retention Range Manufactures RETENTION Laptop and Desktop Computers which ship with Intel processors ranging from Celeron to i9. These computers fall into three (3) categories:-



1. RETENTIONedu

Open source Educational Computers running Ubuntu for schools and students at home.

- **Preschool + Primary School kids:** Keyboard + Mouse skills, Maths, English, Science, Social Studies, Art, Logic, Memory, Educational Games, and many more
- **Secondary + Tertiary School Students:** Maths, English, Chemistry, Physics, Astronomy, Geography, Graph Theory, Computer Studies, Programming, Computer Aided Design, Statistics, Publishing and many more

2. RETENTIONlegacy

- Proprietary Operating System running Microsoft Windows for home and office use.

3. RETENTIONclassic

– Open Source Operating System computers running Linux Mint for home and office use. This is an alternative to Microsoft Windows.



Some of the packages which come pre-installed with RETENTION products include Libre Office, Edubuntu and many more. These are available from the Retention Range online software repository.



LibreOffice®



Linux Mint
from freedom came elegance

Hardware Services

- **Custom Computer Assembly**
User specified production.
- **ICT Hardware Distribution**
For all your ICT products



Printers



Servers



Accessories



Monitors

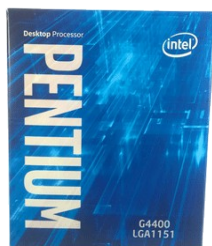


Adapter/cables

- **Computer Parts Distribution**
For all your computer parts or components



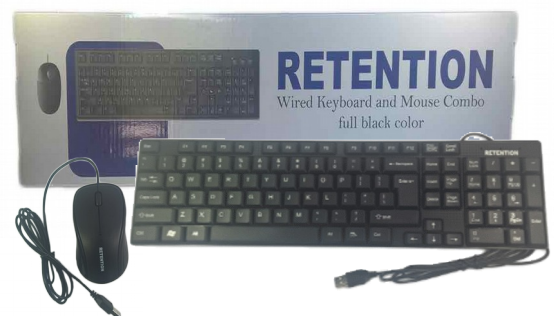
HDD



Processors



Memory (RAM)



Keyboard & Mouse



Power Supply Unit



DVD/CD Writer



Cooling Fans



Thermal paste

Software Services

The company leverages on high quality Open Source Softwares to develop targeted solutions for Schools, Governments, Parastatals and the Private Sector. They deploy such solutions, integrate with existing solutions and provide support. Two of their flagship software packages are *RETENTIONedu* Educational softwares and *RETENTIONclassic*. The educational softwares consists of packages for Preschool's, Primary, Secondary and Tertiary Students whereas *RETENTIONclassic* ships with home and office productivity softwares .

Web Development and Hosting Service

- Website Development (Websites and online campaigns);
- Search Engine Optimisation (SEO);
- Domain Name Registration (.bw/.com/.org etc);
- Web and Email Hosting.



Enterprise Services

- Business Applications Development;
- Cloud Storage Services;
- Networking (WLAN/LAN);
- Infrastructure Management;
- Consultancy Services.

Warranty Services

- Warranty center for RETENTION computer products;
- Warranty center for RETENTION computer parts.



Surveillance Services:

- Home and Office CCTV services;
- Web and Cellphone Integration.



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