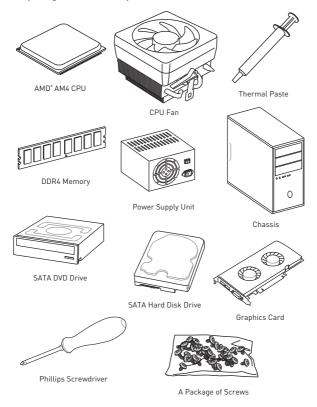
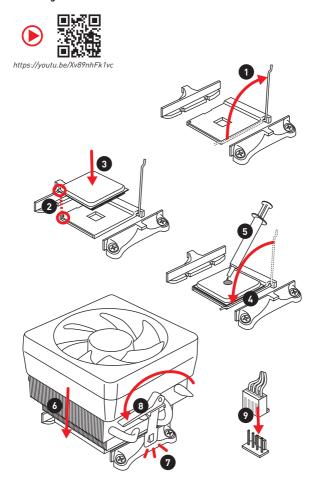
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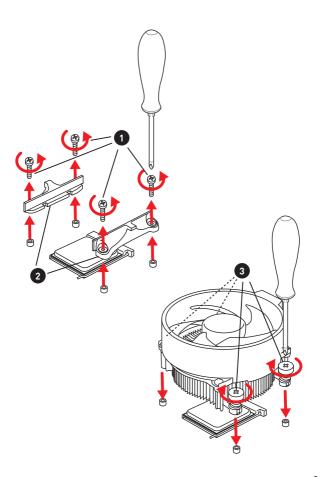


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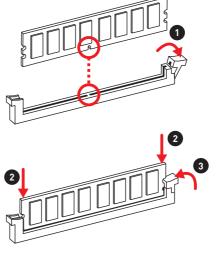


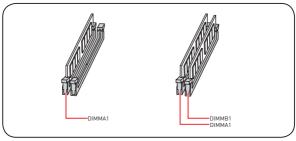
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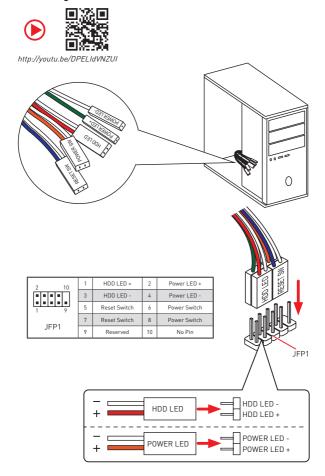


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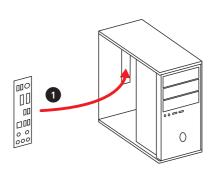


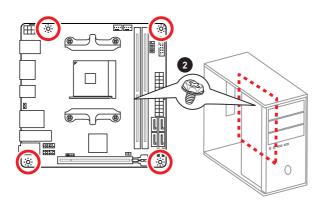


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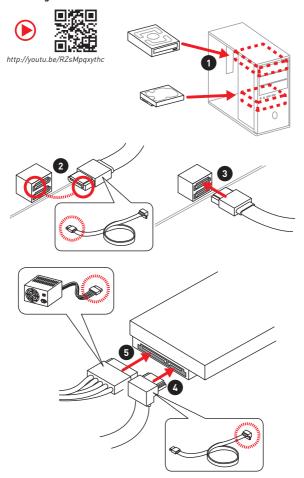


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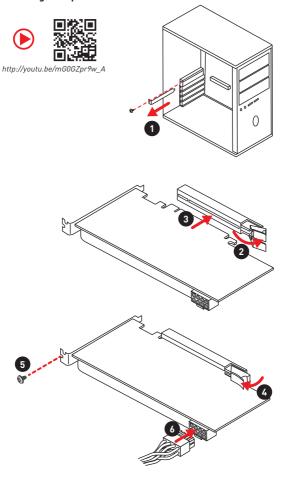




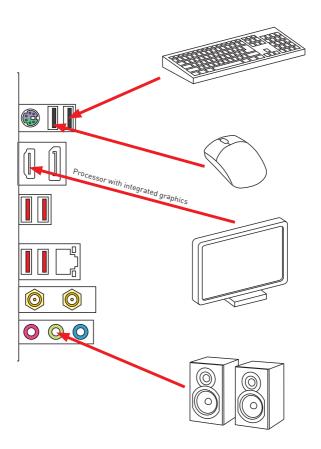
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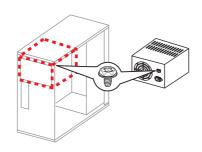


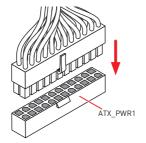
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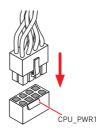




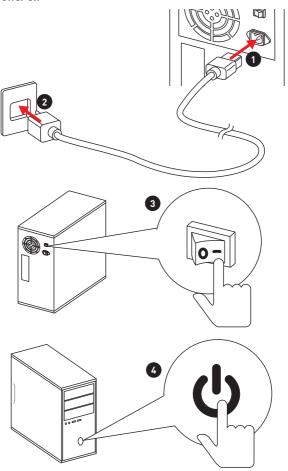
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Safety Information

- The components included in this package are prone to damage from electrostatic discharge (ESD). Please adhere to the following instructions to ensure successful computer assembly.
- Ensure that all components are securely connected. Loose connections may cause the computer to not recognize a component or fail to start.
- Hold the motherboard by the edges to avoid touching sensitive components.
- It is recommended to wear an electrostatic discharge (ESD) wrist strap when handling the motherboard to prevent electrostatic damage. If an ESD wrist strap is not available, discharge yourself of static electricity by touching another metal object before handling the motherboard.
- Store the motherboard in an electrostatic shielding container or on an anti-static pad whenever the motherboard is not installed.
- Before turning on the computer, ensure that there are no loose screws or metal components on the motherboard or anywhere within the computer case.
- · Do not boot the computer before installation is completed. This could cause permanent damage to the components as well as injury to the user.
- If you need help during any installation step, please consult a certified computer technician
- · Always turn off the power supply and unplug the power cord from the power outlet before installing or removing any computer component.
- Keep this user guide for future reference.
- · Keep this motherboard away from humidity.
- Make sure that your electrical outlet provides the same voltage as is indicated on the PSU, before connecting the PSU to the electrical outlet.
- · Place the power cord such a way that people can not step on it. Do not place anything over the power cord.
- All cautions and warnings on the motherboard should be noted.
- If any of the following situations arises, get the motherboard checked by service personnel:
 - Liquid has penetrated into the computer.
 - The motherboard has been exposed to moisture.
 - The motherboard does not work well or you can not get it work according to user quide.
 - The motherboard has been dropped and damaged.
 - The motherboard has obvious sign of breakage.
- Do not leave this motherboard in an environment above 60°C (140°F), it may damage the motherhoard

Specifications

Support AMD® Ryzen™ 1st, 2nd and 3rd Generation/ Ryzen™ with Radeon™ Vega Graphics/ Athlon™ with Radeon™ Vega Graphics Processors for Socket AM4	
Chipset	AMD® B450 Chipset
	• 2x DDR4 memory slots, support up to 64GB*
	 Supports 1866/ 2133/ 2400/ 2667Mhz (by JEDEC)
	 Supports 2667/ 2800/ 2933/ 3000/ 3066/ 3200/ 3466 MHz (by A-XMP OC MODE)
Memory	Dual channel memory architecture
	Supports non-ECC UDIMM memory
	Supports ECC UDIMM memory (non-ECC mode)
	* Please refer www.msi.com for more information on compatible memory.
	• 1x PCIe 3.0 x16 slot
	 Supports x16 speed with AMD® Ryzen™ 1st, 2nd and 3rd Generation processors
Expansion Slots	 Supports x8 speed with AMD® Ryzen™ with Radeon Vega Graphics processors
	 Supports x4 speed with AMD® Athlon™ with Radeon™ Vega Graphics Processors
	• 1x DisplayPort, supports a maximum resolution of 4096x2160 @60Hz*
Onboard Graphics	• 1x HDMI 1.4 port, supports a maximum resolution of 4096x2160 @24Hz*
	* Only support when using AMD® Ryzen™ with Radeon™ Vega Graphics/ Athlon™ with Radeon™ Vega GraphicsProcessors
	* Maximum shared memory of 2048 MB
	AMD® B450 Chipset
	4x SATA 6Gb/s ports
	AMD® CPU
Storage	• 1x M.2 slot (M2_1, Key M)
	 Supports PCle 3.0 x4 and SATA 66b/s 2280 storage devices (AMD® Ryzen 1st, 2nd and 3rd Generation/ Ryzen™ with Radeon™ Vega Graphics)
	 Supports PCIe 3.0 x2 and SATA 6Gb/s 2280 storage devices (AMD® Athlon™ with Radeon™ Vega Graphics)

	AMD® B450 Chipset
RAID	Supports RAID 0, RAID1 and RAID 10 for SATA storage devices
	• AMD® B450 Chipset
	 2x USB 3.2 Gen1 (SuperSpeed USB) Type-A ports on the back panel
USB	 4x USB 2.0 (High-speed USB) ports (2 Type-A ports on the back panel, 2 ports available through the internal USB 2.0 connector)
	• AMD® CPU
	 4x USB 3.2 Gen1 (SuperSpeed USB) ports (2 Type-A ports on the back panel, 2 ports available through the internal USB 3.2 Gen1 connector)
LAN	• 1x Realtek® 8111H Gigabit LAN controller
	• Intel® Dual Band Wireless-AC 3168 module
	 The Wireless module is pre-install in the M2_2 (Key E) slot.
WiFi & Bluetooth	 Supports Wi-Fi 1x1 802.11ac, dual band (2.4GHz,5GHz) up to 433 Mbps speed.
	 Supports Bluetooth® 4.2, 4.1, BLE, 4.0, 3.0, 2.1, 2.1+EDR
	Realtek® ALC887/ ALC897 Codec
Audio	• 7.1-Channel High Definition Audio
	• 2x USB 2.0 Type-A ports
	1x PS/2 keyboard/ mouse combo port
	• 1x DisplayPort
Back Panel	• 1x HDMI™ port
Connectors	4x USB 3.2 Gen1 Type-A ports
	• 1x LAN (RJ45) port
	2x WiFi Antenna connectors
	• 3x audio jacks

	• 1x 24-pin ATX main power connector	
	• 1x 8-pin ATX 12V power connector	
	4x SATA 6Gb/s connectors	
	• 1x USB 2.0 connector (support additional 2 USB 2.0 ports)	
	• 1x USB 3.2 Gen1 connectors (support additional 2 USB 3.2 Gen1 ports)	
Internal Connectors	• 1x 4-pin CPU fan connector	
	• 1x 4-pin system fan connector	
	1x Front panel audio connector	
	2x System panel connectors	
	1x Chassis Intrusion connector	
	• 1x Clear CMOS jumper	
	• 2x 5050 RGB LED strip 12V connectors	
I/O Controller	NUVOTON NCT6795D Controller Chip	
	CPU/System temperature detection	
Hardware Monitor	CPU/System fan speed detection	
	CPU/System fan speed control	
	Mini-ITX Form Factor	
Form Factor	• 6.7 in. x 6.7 in. (17.0 cm x 17.0 cm)	
	• 1x 256 Mb flash	
	UEFI AMI BIOS	
BIOS Features	• ACPI 6.1, SM BIOS 2.8	
	Multi-language	

Special Features	Audio Audio Boost Storage Turbo M.2 StoreMI Cooling Smart Fan Control LED Mystic Light Extension Mystic light SYNC EZ DEBUG LED Network Realtek LAN Intel WiFi Protection PCle Steel Armor Performance DDR4 Boost GAME Boost Certification GAMING Certified
Software	Drivers DRAGON CENTER MSI APP Player [BlueStacks] Open Broadcaster Software [OBS] CPU-Z MSI GAMING Google Chrome™, Google Toolbar, Google Drive Norton™ Internet Security Solution

Gaming Hotkey
• Mystic Light
Ambient Link

Dragon Center Features

• Gaming Mode

- User Scenario
- Hardware Monitor
- True Color
- Live Update
- Speed Up
- Smart Tool
- Super Charger



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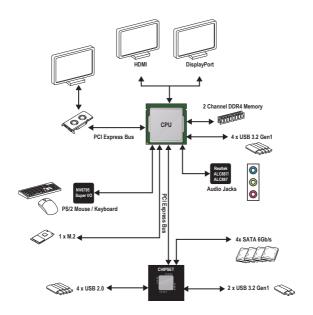
Please check the contents of your motherboard package. It should contain:

Motherboard	B450I GAMING PLUS MAX WIFI	
Cable SATA 6G cables (2 cables/pack)		1
	Wi-Fi Antenna	1
	M.2 screw	1
Accessories	I/O shielding	1
	Case Badge	1
	Product registration card	1
Application	Driver DVD	1
	User manual	1
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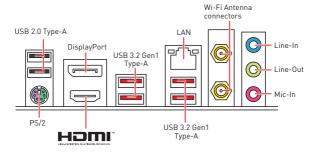


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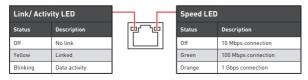
Block Diagram



Rear I/O Panel



LAN Port LED Status Table



Audio 7.1-channel Configuration

To configure 7.1-channel audio, you have to connect front audio I/O module to JAUD1 connector and follow the below steps.

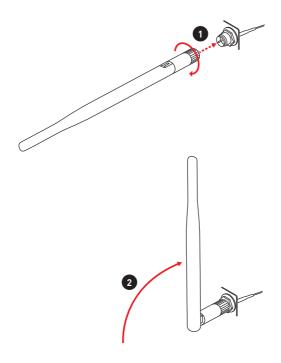
1. Click on the Realtek HD Audio Manager > Advanced Settings to open the dialog helow.



- 2. Select Mute the rear output device, when a front headphone plugged in.
- 3. Plug your speakers to audio jacks on rear and front I/O panel. When you plug into a device at an audio jack, a dialogue window will pop up asking you which device is current connected.

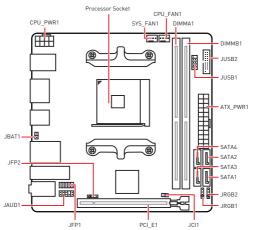
Installing antennas

- 1. Screw the antennas tight to the antenna connectors as shown below.
- 2. Orient the antennas.

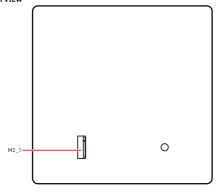


Overview of Components

Top View



Bottom View

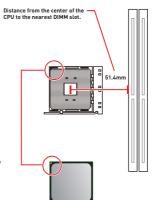


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Processor Socket





Introduction to the AM4 CPU

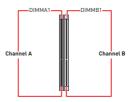
The surface of the AM4 CPU has a yellow triangle to assist in correctly lining up the CPU for motherboard placement. The vellow triangle is the Pin 1 indicator



- When changing the processor, the system configuration could be cleared and reset BIOS to default values, due to the AM4 processor's architecture.
- Always unplug the power cord from the power outlet before installing or removing the CPII
- When installing a CPU, always remember to install a CPU heatsink. A CPU heatsink is necessary to prevent overheating and maintain system stability.
- · Confirm that the CPU heatsink has formed a tight seal with the CPU before booting vour system.
- · Overheating can seriously damage the CPU and motherboard. Always make sure the cooling fans work properly to protect the CPU from overheating. Be sure to apply an even layer of thermal paste (or thermal tape) between the CPU and the heatsink to enhance heat dissipation.
- If you purchased a separate CPU and heatsink/ cooler, Please refer to the documentation in the heatsink/ cooler package for more details about installation.

DIMM Slots





Memory module installation recommendation







- Always insert memory modules in the DIMMA1 slot first.
- Due to chipset resource usage, the available capacity of memory will be a little less than the amount of installed.
- Based on processor specification, the Memory DIMM voltage below 1.35V is suggested to protect the processor.
- · Some memory modules may operate at a lower frequency than the marked value when overclocking due to the memory frequency operates dependent on its Serial Presence Detect (SPD). Go to BIOS and find the **DRAM Frequency** to set the memory frequency if you want to operate the memory at the marked or at a higher frequency.
- It is recommended to use a more efficient memory cooling system for full DIMMs installation or overclocking.
- The stability and compatibility of installed memory module depend on installed CPU and devices when overclocking.
- Due to AM4 processor/memory controller official specification limitation, the frequency of memory modules may operate lower than the marked value under the default state. Please refer www.msi.com for more information on compatible memory.

PCI E1: PCIe Expansion Slot



- * For Ryzen™ 1st, 2nd and 3rd Generation processors
- ** For RyzenTM with RadeonTM Vega Graphics processors
- *** For Athlon™ with Radeon™ Vega Graphics processors



\ Important

- If you install a large and heavy graphics card, you need to use a tool such as MSI Gaming Series Graphics Card Bolster to support its weight to prevent deformation of the slot.
- · When adding or removing expansion cards, always turn off the power supply and unplug the power supply power cable from the power outlet. Read the expansion card's documentation to check for any necessary additional hardware or software changes.

SATA1~4: SATA 6Gb/s Connectors

These connectors are SATA 6Gb/s interface ports. Each connector can connect to one SATA device.







- Please do not fold the SATA cable at a 90-degree angle. Data loss may result during transmission otherwise.
- SATA cables have identical plugs on either sides of the cable. However, it is recommended that the flat connector be connected to the motherboard for space saving purposes.

M2_1: M.2 Slot (Key M)



Bottom view





Watch the video to learn how to Install M.2 module. http://youtu.be/JCTFABytrYA

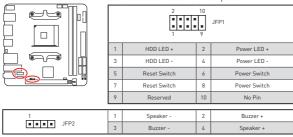
Installing M.2 SSD

- 1. Insert your M.2 SSD into the M.2 slot at a 30-degree angle.
- 2. Secure the M.2 SSD in place with the M.2 screw.



JFP1, JFP2: Front Panel Connectors

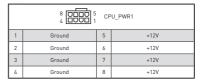
These connectors connect to the switches and LEDs on the front panel.

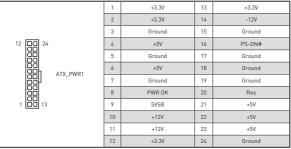


CPU_PWR1, ATX_PWR1: Power Connectors

These connectors allow you to connect an ATX power supply.









Make sure that all the power cables are securely connected to a proper ATX power supply to ensure stable operation of the motherboard.

JUSB1: USB 2.0 Connector

This connector allows you to connect USB 2.0 ports on the front panel.



	10 9 9 1 1 2 1 1 1			
ı	1	VCC	2	VCC
ı	3	USB0-	4	USB1-
ı	5	USB0+	6	USB1+
ı	7	Ground	8	Ground
ı	9	No Pin	10	NC



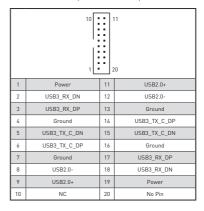
Important

- Note that the VCC and Ground pins must be connected correctly to avoid possible damage.
- In order to recharge your iPad,iPhone and iPod through USB ports, please install MSI® SUPER CHARĞER utility.

JUSB2: USB 3.2 Gen1 Connector

This connector allows you to connect USB 3.2 Gen1 ports on the front panel.







Important

Note that the Power and Ground pins must be connected correctly to avoid possible damage.

CPU FAN1, SYS FAN1: Fan Connectors

Fan connectors can be classified as PWM (Pulse Width Modulation) Mode or DC Mode. PWM Mode fan connectors provide constant 12V output and adjust fan speed with speed control signal, DC Mode fan connectors control fan speed by changing voltage. When you plug a 3-pin (Non-PWM) fan to a fan connector in PWM mode, the fan speed will always maintain at 100%, which might create a lot of noise. You can follow the instruction below to adjust the fan connector to PWM or DC Mode. However, with autodetection mode fan connectors, the system will auto detect the fan mode.



Auto detection mode fan connector



Default DC Mode fan connector



SYS FAN1

Pin definition of fan connectors

PWM Mode pin definition			
1	Ground	2	+12V
3	Sense	4	Speed Control Signal

DC Mode pin definition			
1	Ground	2	Voltage Control
3	Sense	4	NC



- You can switch between PWM mode and DC mode and adjust fan speed in BIOS > HARDWARF MONITOR
- Make sure fans are working properly after switching the PWM/ DC mode.

JAUD1: Front Audio Connector

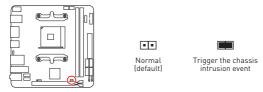
This connector allows you to connect audio jacks on the front panel.



2 10			
1	MIC L	2	Ground
3	MIC R	4	NC
5	Head Phone R	6	MIC Detection
7	SENSE_SEND	8	No Pin
9	Head Phone L	10	Head Phone Detection

JCI1: Chassis Intrusion Connector

This connector allows you to connect the chassis intrusion switch cable.



Using chassis intrusion detector

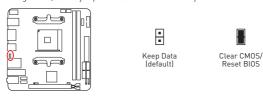
- 1. Connect the JCI1 connector to the chassis intrusion switch/ sensor on the chassis.
- 2. Close the chassis cover.
- 3. Go to BIOS > SETTINGS > Security > Chassis Intrusion Configuration.
- 4. Set Chassis Intrusion to Enabled
- 5. Press F10 to save and exit and then press the Enter key to select Yes.
- 6. Once the chassis cover is opened again, a warning message will be displayed on screen when the computer is turned on.

Resetting the chassis intrusion warning

- 1. Go to BIOS > SETTINGS > Security > Chassis Intrusion Configuration.
- 2. Set Chassis Intrusion to Reset.
- 3. Press F10 to save and exit and then press the Enter key to select Yes.

JBAT1: Clear CMOS (Reset BIOS) Jumper

There is CMOS memory onboard that is external powered from a battery located on the motherboard to save system configuration data. If you want to clear the system configuration, set the jumper to clear the CMOS memory.

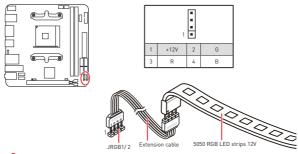


Resetting BIOS to default values

- 1. Power off the computer and unplug the power cord.
- 2. Use a jumper cap to short JBAT1 for about 5-10 seconds.
- 3. Remove the jumper cap from JBAT1.
- 4. Plug the power cord and Power on the computer.

JRGB1~2: RGB LED Connectors

This connector allows you to connect the 5050 RGB LED strips 12V.





- The JRGB1/JRGB2 connector supports up to 2 meters continuous 5050 RGB LED. strips [12V/G/R/B] with the maximum power rating of 3A [12V].
- Always turn off the power supply and unplug the power cord from the power outlet before installing or removing the RGB LED strip.
- Please use MSI's software to control the extended LED strip.

EZ Debug LED

These LEDs indicate the debug status of the motherboard.



BOOT - indicates the booting device is not detected or fail.

VGA - indicates GPU is not detected or fail.

DRAM - indicates DRAM is not detected or fail.

CPU - indicates CPU is not detected or fail.

Installing OS, Drivers & Utilities

Please download and update the latest utilities and drivers at www.msi.com

Installing Windows® 10

- 1. Power on the computer.
- 2. Insert the Windows® 10 installation disc/USB into your computer.
- 3. Press the Restart button on the computer case.
- 4. Press F11 key during the computer POST (Power-On Self Test) to get into Boot
- 5. Select the Windows® 10 installation disc/USB from the Boot Menu.
- 6. Press any key when screen shows Press any key to boot from CD or DVD... message.
- 7. Follow the instructions on the screen to install Windows® 10.

Installing Drivers

- 1. Start up your computer in Windows® 10.
- 2. Insert MSI® Drive Disc into your optical drive.
- 3. Click the Select to choose what happens with this disc pop-up notification, then select Run DVDSetup.exe to open the installer. If you turn off the AutoPlay feature from the Windows Control Panel, you can still manually execute the DVDSetup.exe from the root path of the MSI Drive Disc.
- 4. The installer will find and list all necessary drivers in the Drivers/Software tab.
- 5. Click the Install button in the lower-right corner of the window.
- 6. The drivers installation will then be in progress, after it has finished it will prompt you to restart.
- 7. Click OK button to finish.
- 8. Restart your computer.

Installing Utilities

Before you install utilities, you must complete drivers installation.

- 1. Open the installer as described above.
- 2. Click the Utilities tab.
- 3. Select the utilities you want to install.
- 4. Click the Install button in the lower-right corner of the window.
- 5. The utilities installation will then be in progress, after it has finished it will prompt you to restart.
- 6. Click OK button to finish.
- 7. Restart your computer.

BIOS Setup

The default settings offer the optimal performance for system stability in normal conditions. You should always keep the default settings to avoid possible system damage or failure booting unless you are familiar with BIOS.



\ Important

- BIOS items are continuously update for better system performance. Therefore, the description may be slightly different from the latest BIOS and should be for reference only. You could also refer to the HELP information panel for BIOS item description.
- The pictures in this chapter are for reference only and may vary from the product you purchased.
- · The BIOS items will vary with the processor.

Entering BIOS Setup

Press Delete key, when the Press DEL key to enter Setup Menu, F11 to enter Boot Menu message appears on the screen during the boot process.

Function key

- F1: General Help list
- F2: Add/ Remove a favorite item
- F3-Enter Favorites menu
- F4: Enter CPU Specifications menu
- F5-Enter Memory-Z menu
- F6: Load optimized defaults
- F7-Switch between Advanced mode and F7 mode
- F8: Load Overclocking Profile
- F9. Save Overclocking Profile
- F10: Save Change and Reset*
- F12: Take a screenshot and save it to USB flash drive (FAT/ FAT32 format only).

Ctrl+F: Enter Search page

^{*} When you press F10, a confirmation window appears and it provides the modification information. Select between Yes or No to confirm your choice.

Resetting BIOS

You might need to restore the default BIOS setting to solve certain problems. There are several ways to reset BIOS:

- · Go to BIOS and press F6 to load optimized defaults.
- Short the Clear CMOS jumper on the motherboard.



\ Important

Be sure the computer is off before clearing CMOS data. Please refer to the Clear CMOS jumper section for resetting BIOS.

Updating BIOS

Updating BIOS with M-FLASH

Before updating:

Please download the latest BIOS file that matches your motherboard model from MSI website. And then save the BIOS file into the USB flash drive.

Updating BIOS:

- 1. Press Del key to enter the BIOS Setup during POST.
- 2. Insert the USB flash drive that contains the update file into the computer.
- 3. Select the M-FLASH tab and click on Yes to reboot the system and enter the flash mode.
- Select a BIOS file to perform the BIOS update process.
- 5. After the flashing process is 100% completed, the system will reboot automatically.

Updating the BIOS with Live Update 6

Before updating:

Make sure the LAN driver is already installed and the internet connection is set properly.

Updating BIOS:

- 1. Install and launch MSI LIVE UPDATE 6.
- 2. Select BIOS Update.
- Click on Scan button.
- 4. Click on Download icon to download and install the latest BIOS file
- 5. Click Next and choose In Windows mode. And then click Next and Start to start updating BIOS.
- 6. After the flashing process is 100% completed, the system will restart automatically.

EZ Mode

At EZ mode, it provides the basic system information and allows you to configure the basic setting. To configure the advanced BIOS settings, please enter the Advanced Mode by pressing the Setup Mode switch or F7 function key.



• GAME BOOST switch (optional) - click on it to toggle the GAME BOOST for OC.



Important

Please don't make any changes in OC menu and don't load defaults to keep the optimal performance and system stability after activating the GAME BOOST function.

- . A-XMP switch (optional) click on the inner circle to enable/ disable the A-XMP. Switch the outer circle to select the memory profile if any. This switch will only be available if the installed processor and memory modules support XMP function.
- Setup Mode switch press this tab or the F7 key to switch between Advanced mode and F7 mode
- . Screenshot click on this tab or the F12 key to take a screenshot and save it to USB flash drive (FAT/ FAT32 format only).
- Search click on this tab or the Ctrl+F keys and the search page will show. It allows you to search by BIOS item name, enter the item name to find the item listing. Move the mouse over a blank space and right click the mouse to exit search page.



Important

In search page, only the F6, F10 and F12 function keys are available.

- Language allows you to select the language of BIOS setup.
- System information shows the CPU/ DDR speed, CPU/ MB temperature, MB/ CPU type, memory size, CPU/ DDR voltage, BIOS version and build date.
- . Boot device priority bar you can move the device icons to change the boot priority. The boot priority from high to low is left to right.

- . Information display click on the CPU, Memory, Storage, Fan Info and Help buttons on left side to display related information.
- Function buttons enable or disable the LAN Option ROM, CSM/UEFI, HD Audio Controk, AHCI/ RAID, CPU Fan Fail Warning Control and ErP Ready by clicking on their respective button.
- . M-Flash click on this button to display the M-Flash menu that provides the way to update BIOS with a USB flash drive.
- . Hardware Monitor click on this button to display the Hardware Monitor menu that allows you to manually control the fan speed by percentage.
- Favorites menu press the F3 key to enter Favorites menu. It allows you to create personal BIOS menu where you can save and access favorite/frequently-used BIOS setting items.
 - Default HomePage allows you to select a BIOS menu (e.g. SETTINGS, OC...,etc) as the BIOS home page.
 - Favorite1~5 allows you to add the frequently-used/ favorite BIOS setting items in one page.
 - To add a BIOS item to a favorite page (Favorite 1~5)
 - 1. Move the mouse over a BIOS item not only on BIOS menu but also on search page.
 - 2. Right-click or press F2 key.
 - 3. Choose a favorite page and click on OK.
 - To delete a BIOS item from favorite page
 - 1. Move the mouse over a BIOS item on favorite page (Favorite 1~5)
 - 2. Right-click or press F2 key.
 - 3. Choose Delete and click on OK

Advanced Mode

Press Setup Mode switch or F7 function key can switch between EZ Mode and Advanced Mode in BIOS setup.



Menu display

- GAME BOOST switch/ Setup Mode switch/ Screenshot/ Language/ System information/ Boot device priority bar - please refer to the descriptions of EZ Mode Overview section.
- . BIOS menu selection the following options are available:
 - SETTINGS allows you to specify the parameters for chipset and boot devices.
 - **OC** allows you to adjust the frequency and voltage. Increasing the frequency may get better performance.
 - M-FLASH provides the way to update BIOS with a USB flash drive.
 - OC PROFILE allows you to manage overclocking profiles.
 - HARDWARE MONITOR allows you to set the speeds of fans and monitor voltages of system.
 - BOARD EXPLORER provides the information of installed devices on this motherboard.
- Menu display provides BIOS setting items and information to be configured.

SETTINGS



System Status

▶ System Date

Sets the system date. Use tab key to switch between date elements.

The format is <day> <month> <date> <year>.

<dav> Day of the week, from Sun to Sat, determined by BIOS. Read-only.

<month> The month from Jan. through Dec.

<date> The date from 1 to 31 can be keyed by numeric function keys.

<vear> The year can be adjusted by users.

▶ System Time

Sets the system time. Use tab key to switch between time elements.

The time format is <hour> <minute> <second>.

► SATA PortX

Shows the information of connected SATA device.



\ Important

If the connected SATA device is not displayed, turn off computer and re-check SATA cable and power cable connections of the device and motherboard.

▶ System Information

Shows detailed system information, including CPU type, BIOS version, and Memory (read only).

▶ DMI Information

Shows system information, desktop Board Information and chassis Information. (Read only).

Advanced

► PCI Subsystem Settings

Sets PCI, PCI express interface protocol and latency timer. Press Enter to enter the sub-menu.

► PCI E1 - Max Link Speed [Auto]

Sets PCI Express protocol of PCIe x16 slots to match different installed devices.

► Chipset Gen Switch [Auto]

Sets PCI Express protocol of chipset-controlled PCIe slot to match different installed devices.

► Above 4G memory/ Crypto Currency mining [Disabled]

Enables or disables 64-bit capable devices to be decoded in above 4G address space. It is only available if the system supports 64-bit PCI decoding.

Allows you to utilize more than 4x GPUs. [Enabled]

[Disabled] Disables this function.

► PCIe SlotX Lanes Configuration [Auto]

PCIe lanes configuration is for MSI M.2 Xpander / MSI M.2 Xpander-Z / Other M.2 PCIe storage card. The options in this item will vary with the installed processor.

► ACPI Settings

Sets ACPI parameters of onboard power LED behaviors. Press Enter to enter the submenu.

► Power LED [Blinking]

Sets shining behaviors of the onboard Power LED.

[Dual Color] The power LED turns to another color to indicate the S3 state.

[Blinking] The power LED blinks to indicate the S3 state.

► CPU Over Temperature Alert [Auto]

Enables or disables the CPU overheating alert sound and message when CPU temperature is over 55 and 75 degrees centigrade.

► Integrated Peripherals

Sets integrated peripherals' parameters, such as LAN, HDD, USB and audio. Press Enter to enter the sub-menu.

► VGA Card Detection [Auto]

Enables or disables the discrete VGA card detection

► Onboard LAN Controller [Enabled]

Enables or disables the ophoard LAN controller

► LAN Option ROM [Disabled]

Enables or disables the legacy network Boot Option ROM for detailed settings. This item will appear when Onboard LAN Controller is enabled.

[Fnahled] Enables the onboard LAN Boot ROM.

[Disabled] Disables the onboard LAN Boot ROM.

► Network Stack [Disabled]

Sets UEFI network stack for optimizing IPv4 / IPv6 function. This item is available when Onboard LAN Controller is Enabled.

Enables LIFFI network stack [Fnahled] Disables UEFI network stack [Disabled]

► Ipv4 PXE Support [Enabled]

When Enabled, the system UEFI network stack will support Ipv4 protocol. This item will appear when Network Stack is Enabled.

[Enabled] Enables the Ipv4 PXE boot support. [Disabled] Disables the Ipv4 PXE boot support.

► Ipv6 PXE Support [Enabled]

When Enabled, the system UEFI network stack will support Ipv6 protocol. This item will appear when Network Stack is enabled.

[Fnabled] Enables the Ipv6 PXE boot support. [Disabled] Disables the Ipv6 PXE boot support.

► Onboard Wi-Fi Module Control [Enabled]

Fnabled or disabled the onboard Wi-Fi module.

► SATA Mode [AHCI Mode]

Sets the operation mode of the onboard SATA controller.

[AHCI Mode] Specify the AHCI mode for SATA storage devices, AHCI [Advanced Host Controller Interface) offers some advanced features to enhance the speed and performance of SATA storage device, such as Native Command Queuing (NCQ) and hot-plugging.

[RAID Mode] Enables RAID function for SATA storage devices.

► SATAx Hot Plug [Disabled]

Allows user to enable or disable the SATA hot plug support.

[Enabled] Enables hot plug support for the SATA ports. Disables hot plug support for the SATA ports. [Disabled]

► HD Audio Controller [Enabled]

Enables or disables the onboard High Definition Audio controller.

▶ Integrated Graphics Configuration (optional)

Adjusts integrated graphics settings for optimum system. Press Enter to enter the suh-menu

► Initiate Graphic Adapter [PEG] (optional)

Selects a graphics device as the primary boot device.

[IGD] Integrated Graphics Display. [PFG] PCI-Express Graphics Device.

► Integrated Graphics [Auto] (optional)

If set to Force, BIOS will enable the integrated graphics controller.

► UMA Frame Buffer Size [Auto] (optional)

Selects a fixed amount of system memory allocated to the onboard graphics. This item will be available when Integrated Graphics is enabled.

▶ USB Configuration

Sets the onboard USB controller and device function. Press Enter to enter the submenu.

➤ XHCI Hand-off [Enabled]

Enables or disables XHCI hand-off support for the operating system without XHCI hand-off feature

► Legacy USB Support [Enabled]

Sets Legacy USB function support.

[Auto] The system will automatically detect if any USB device is connected

and enable the legacy USB support.

Enable the USB support under legacy mode. [Enabled]

[Disabled] The USB devices will be unavailable under legacy mode.

► Power Management Setup

Sets system Power Management of ErP and AC Power Loss behaviors. Press Enter to enter the sub-menu.

► ErP Ready [Disabled]

Enables or disables the system power consumption according to ErP regulation.

Optimize the system power consumption according to ErP [Enabled]

regulation. It will not support S4 & S5 wake up by USB, PCI and PCIe

devices.

[Disabled] Disables this function

Restore after AC Power Loss [Power Off]

Sets the system behaviors while encountering the AC power loss.

[Power Off] Leaves the system in power off state after restoring AC power.

[Power On] Boot up the system after restoring AC power.

[Last State] Restores the system to the previous state (power on/ power off)

before AC power loss.

► System Power Fault Protection [Disabled]

Enables or disables the system to boot up when detecting abnormal voltage input.

[Fnabled] Protect the system from unexpected power operating and remain

the shut down status.

[Disabled] Disables this function.

► Windows OS Configuration

Sets Windows detailed configuration and behaviors. Press Enter to enter the submenu.

▶ BIOS UEFI/CSM Mode [CSM]

Select CSM (Compatibility Support Module) or UEFI mode to meet the system requirement.

[CSM] For the non-UEFI driver add-on devices or non-UEFI mode OS.

For the UEEL driver add-on devices and UEEL mode OS [UFFI]

► Internal GOP Configuration

Manages the onboard Graphics Output Protocol (GOP), Press Enter to enter the sub-menu. This sub-menu will appear when Windows 10 WHQL Support is enabled.

► Secure Boot

Sets the Windows secure boot to prevent the unauthorized accessing. Press Enter to enter the sub-menu. This sub-menu will appear when Windows 10 WHQL Support is enabled.

► Wake Up Event Setup

Sets system wake up behaviors for different sleep modes. Press Enter to enter the sub-menu.

► Wake Up Event By [BIOS]

Selects the wake up event by BIOS or operating system.

[BIOS] Activates the following items, set wake up events of these items.

[05] The wake up events will be defined by OS.

► Resume By RTC Alarm [Disabled]

Disables or enables the system wake up by RTC Alarm.

[Fnahled] Enables the system to boot up on a scheduled time/date.

[Disabled] Disables this function.

▶ Date (of month) Alarm/ Time (hh:mm:ss) Alarm

Sets RTC alarm date/ Time. If Resume By RTC Alarm is set to [Enabled], the system will automatically resume (boot up) on a specified date/hour/minute/ second in these fields (using the + and - keys to select the date & time settings).

► Resume By PCI-E Device [Disabled]

Enables or disables the wake up function of installed PCI-E expansion cards. integrated LAN controllers or USB devices which are supported by third party integrated chips.

[Enabled] Enables the system to be awakened from the power saving modes

when activity or input signal of PCIe device is detected.

[Disabled] Disables this function.

► Resume by USB Device [Disabled]

Disables or enables system wake up from S3/S4 by USB device.

[Fnabled] Enables the system to be awakened from sleep state when activity of

USB device is detected.

[Disabled] Disables this function.

► Resume From S3/S4/S5 by PS/2 Mouse [Disabled]

Enables or disables the system wake up by PS/2 mouse.

Enables the system to be awakened from S3/S4/S5 state when [Fnahled]

activity of PS/2 mouse is detected.

Disables this function [Disabled]

► Resume From S3/S4/S5 by PS/2 Keyboard [Disabled]

Enables or disables the system wake up by PS/2 keyboard.

[Anv Kev] Enables the system to be awakened from S3/S4/S5 state when

activity of any key on PS/2 keyboard is detected.

[Hot Kev] Enables the system to be awakened from S3/S4/S5 state when

activity of hot key on PS/2 keyboard is detected.

[Disabled] Disables this function.

► Hot Key [Ctrl+Space]

Selects a combination of keys as a hot key to wake the system. This item appears when you set the Resume From S3/S4/S5 by PS/2 Keyboard to Hot Key.

Secure Frase+

Enables or disables Secure Erase+ function. Secure Erase+ is the best way to effectively wipe all data from a SSD. Please note that data of SSD will be erased after enabling Secure Erase+.

Boot

Sets the sequence of system boot devices.

► Full Screen Logo Display [Enabled]

Enables or disables to show the full screen logo while system POST.

[Fnabled] Shows the logo in full screen.

[Disabled] Shows the POST messages.

► Bootup NumLock State [On]

Select the keyboard NumLock state upon bootup.

► Info Block effect [Unlock]

Sets the state of Help information block.

[Unlock] Sliding effect.

[Lock] Fix the Help information block on the screen.

► POST Beep [Disabled]

Enables or disables POST beep.

► AUTO CLR CMOS [Disabled]

Enables or disables the CMOS data to be resumed automatically when the system cannot boot to OS and reboot repeatedly.

► Boot Mode Select [LEGACY+UEFI]

Sets the system boot mode from legacy or UEFI architecture depending on OS installation requirement. This item will become un-selectable and will be configured automatically by BIOS when Windows 10 WHQL Support is enabled.

[UEFI] Enables UEFI BIOS boot mode support only.

[LEGACY+UEFI] Enables both Legacy BIOS boot mode and UEFI BIOS boot

mode

► FIXED BOOT ORDER Priorities

Sets device priority for system boot.

▶ Boot Option Priorities

These items are used to prioritize the installed boot devices.

Security

► Administrator Password

Sets administrator password for system security. User has full rights to change the BIOS items with administrator password. After setting the administrator password, the state of this item will show installed.

▶ User Password

Sets User Password for system security. User has limited rights to change the BIOS items with user password. This item will be available when administrator password is set. After setting the user password, the state of this item will show Installed.



Important

When selecting the Administrator / User Password items, a password box will appear on the screen. Type the password then press **Enter**. The password typed now will replace any previous set password from CMOS memory. You will be prompted to confirm the password. You may also press Esc key to abort the selection.

To clear a set password, press **Enter** when you are prompted to enter a new password. A message will confirm the password is being disabled. Once the password is disabled, you can enter the setup and OS without authorization.

Save & Exit

Discard Changes and Exit

Exit BIOS setup without saving any change.

► Save Changes and Reboot

Save all changes and reboot the system.

Save Changes

Save current changes.

Discard Changes

Discard all changes and restore to the previous values.

▶ Restore Defaults

Restore or load all default values.

▶ Boot Override

The installed boot-able devices will appear on this menu, you can select one of them to be the boot device.

OC





- Overclocking your PC manually is only recommended for advanced users.
- Overclocking is not quaranteed, and if done improperly, it could void your warranty or severely damage your hardware.
- If you are unfamiliar with overclocking, we advise you to use GAME BOOST function for easy overclocking.
- The BIOS items in OC menu will vary with the processor.

▶ OC Explore Mode [Normal]

Enables or disables to show the normal or expert version of OC settings.

[Normal] Provides the regular OC settings in BIOS setup.

Provides the advanced OC settings for OC expert to configure in BIOS [Expert]

setup.

Note: We use * as the symbol for the OC settings of Expert mode.

► CPU Ratio [Auto]

Sets the CPU ratio that is used to determine CPU clock speed. This item can only be changed if the processor supports this function.

► Advanced CPU Configuration

Press Enter to enter the sub-menu. User can configure the power supply for a CPU on this sub-menu.

► FCH Base Clock (MHz) [Auto]

This option allows you to set the clock for the Fusion Controller Hub (FCH). If set to Auto, the BIOS will automatically set the clock or you can set it manually.

► A-XMP [Disabled]

Enables A-XMP and select a profile of memory module for overclocking the memory. This item will be available when the installed processor, memory modules and motherboard support this function.

► DRAM Frequency [Auto]

Sets the DRAM frequency. Please note the overclocking behavior is not guaranteed.

► Adjusted DRAM Frequency

Shows the adjusted DRAM frequency, Read-only,

▶ Memory Try It ! [Disabled]

It can improve memory compatibility or performance by choosing optimized memory preset.

▶ Memory Failure Retry [Enabled]

Enables or disables system to reboot with default settings when memory OC failed.

► Memory Fast Boot [Enabled]

Enables or disables the initiation and training for memory every booting.

[Enabled] System will completely keep the archives of first intiation and training for memory. So the memory will not be initialed and trained when

booting to accelerate the system booting time.

[Disabled] The memory will be initialed and trained every booting.

► Advanced DRAM Configuration

Press Enter to enter the sub-menu. User can set the memory timing for each/all memory channel. The system may become unstable or unbootable after changing memory timing. If it occurs, please clear the CMOS data and restore the default settings. (Refer to the Clear CMOS jumper section to clear the CMOS data, and enter the BIOS to load the default settings.)

▶ DigitALL Power

Press Enter to enter the sub-menu. Controls the digital powers related to CPU PWM.

► CPU Voltages control [Auto]

These options allows you to set the voltages related to CPU. If set to Auto, BIOS will set these voltages automatically or you can set it manually.

► DRAM Voltages control [Auto]

These options allows you to set the voltages related to memory. If set to Auto, BIOS will set these voltages automatically or you can set it manually.

▶ CPU Specifications

Press Enter to enter the sub-menu. This sub-menu displays the information of installed CPU. You can also access this information menu at any time by pressing [F4]. Read only.

▶ MEMORY-Z

Press Enter to enter the sub-menu. This sub-menu displays all the settings and timings of installed memory. You can also access this information menu at any time by pressing [F5].

▶ DIMMx Memory SPD

Press Enter to enter the sub-menu. The sub-menu displays the information of installed memory. Read only.

▶ CPU Features

Press Enter to enter the sub-menu.

► Simultaneous Multi-Threading [Enabled] (optional)

Enables/ disables the AMD Simultaneous Multi-Threading. This item appears when the installed CPU supports this technology.

► Global C-state Control [Enabled] (optional)

Enables/ disables IO based C-state generation and DF C-states.

► Opcache Control [Auto] (optional)

Enables/ disables Opcache. Opcache stores recent decode instruction to save the decoding time when the instruction is repeated. And it may increase the CPU performance and reduce the power consumption slightly.

► IOMMU Mode (optional)

Enables/disables the IOMMU (I/O Memory Management Unit) for I/O Virtualization.

► Relaxed EDC throttling [Auto] (optional)

Relaxed EDC throttling reduces the amount of time the processor will throttle the cores.

[Auto] AMD's recommendation

[Enabled] Reduce the amount of time the processor will throttle. Part-specific EDC throttling protection enabled. [Disabled]

► AMD Cool'n'Quiet [Enabled]

The Cool'n'Quiet technology can effectively and dynamically lower CPU speed and power consumption.

SVM Mode [Enabled]

Enables / disables the AMD SVM (Secure Virtual Machine) Mode

► BIOS PSP Support [Enabled] (optional)

Enables/ disables the BIOS PSP support. It manages PSP sub-items including all C2P/P2C mailbox, Secure S3, fTPM support.

► Power Supply Idle Control [Auto] (optional)

It allows you to select the power-saving control mode for the CPU when all cores are in a non-CO state. If set to Auto, BIOS will configure these settings.

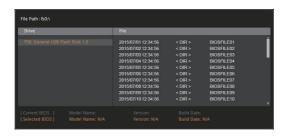
M-FLASH

M-FLASH provides the way to update BIOS with a USB flash drive. Please download the latest BIOS file that matches your motherboard model from MSI website, save the BIOS file into your USB flash drive. And then follow the steps below to update BIOS.

- 1. Insert the USB flash drive that contains the update file into the computer.
- 2. Click on M-FLASH tab, a demand message will be prompted. Click on Yes to reboot and enter the flash mode.



3. The system will enter the flash mode and a file selection menu will appear after rebooting.



- 4. Select a BIOS file to perform the BIOS update process.
- 5. After the flashing process is 100% completed, the system will reboot automatically.

OC PROFILE



► Overclocking Profile 1/2/3/4/5/6

Overclocking Profile 1/2/3/4/5/6 management. Press Enter to enter the sub-menu.

► Set Name for Overclocking Profile 1/2/3/4/5/6

Name the current overclocking profile.

- ► Save Overclocking Profile 1/2/3/4/5/6 Save the current overclocking profile.
- Load Overclocking Profile 1/2/3/4/5/6 Load the current overclocking profile.
- ► Clear Overclocking Profile 1/2/3/4/5/6 Clear the current overclocking profile.
- OC Profile Load from ROM

Load OC profile from BIOS ROM.

OC Profile Save to USB

Save OC profile to the USB flash drive. The USB flash drive should be FAT/ FAT32 format only.

OC Profile Load from USB

Load OC profile from the USB flash drive. The USB flash drive should be FAT/ FAT32 format only.

HARDWARE MONITOR



► Temperature & Speed

Shows the current CPU temperature, system temperature and fans' speeds.

Fan Manage

- PWM allows you to select the PWM mode for fan operation.
- DC allows you to select the DC mode for fan operation.
- Fan step up/down time allows you to set the period of fan step up/down.
- Smart Fan Mode field allows you to drag the gradient points to configure the fan target values for Smart Fan mode. Smart Fan can control the fan speed automatically depending on the CPU temperature to keep it with in a specific range. If the current CPU temperature reaches to the target value, the Smart Fan function will be activated.



Important

- The changing will achieve after you save the changes and reboot the system.
- Make sure fans are working properly after switching the PWM/ DC mode.

Settings Buttons

- All Full Speed configures all fans to run at full operating speed.
- · All Set Default configures all fans to run at default operating speed.
- · All Set Cancel discards current changes and restores previous operating fan speeds.

► Temperature/ Voltage display

Shows CPU/ system temperature and the current voltages of CPU, system and memory.

AMD RAID Configuration

The following are the RAID levels supported by RAIDXpert2.

- RAIDO (Striping) breaks the data into blocks which are written to separate hard drives. Spreading the hard drive I/O load across independent channels greatly improves I/O performance.
- RAID 1 (Mirroring) provides data redundancy by mirroring data between the hard drives and provides enhanced read performance.
- RAID 10 (Striped RAID1 Sets) uses four hard drives to create a combination of RAID 0 and 1 by forming a RAID 0 array from two RAID 1 arrays.

Volume (JBOD) provides the ability to link-together storage from one or several disks, regardless of the size of the space on those disks. Useful in scavenging space on disks unused by other disks in the array. Does not provide performance benefits or data redundancy.

RAIDABLE (also known as RAID Ready) allows the user to add more storage space or create a redundant array after a system is installed.

RAID level comparison

	RAID 0	RAID 1	RAID 10
Minimum # drives	2	2	4
Data protection	None	Excellent	Excellent
Read performance	Excellent	0K	0K
Write performance	Excellent	Good	Good
Capacity utilization	100%	50%	50%



\ Important

All the information volumes pictures listed in your system might differ from the illustrations in this appendix.

Enabling RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility

To enter the RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility menu

- 1. Power on and press Delete key to enter BIOS Setup menu.
- 2. Press F7 to switch to Advanced mode from F7 mode
- 3. Go to BIOS > SETTINGS > Advanced > Integrated Peripherals > SATA Mode and change setting to RAID Mode.
- 4. Go to BIOS > SETTINGS > Advanced > Windows OS Configuration > BIOS UEFI/ CSM Mode and change setting to UEFI.
- 5. Press F10 to save configuration and exit, and then reboot and press Delete key to enter BIOS Setup menu.
- 6. Go to BIOS > SETTINGS > Advanced > RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility submenu.

Initializing Disks

New disks and legacy disks must be initialized before they can be used to create an AMD-RAID array. Initialization writes AMD-RAID configuration information (metadata) to a disk.



Important

- If a disk is part of an AMD-RAID array, the disk cannot be selected for initialization. To initial the disk anyway, delete the AMD-RAID array. Data on the disk is deleted during initialization so ensure the correct disks are chosen to initialize.
- A legacy disk can contain valid data. When a legacy disk is initialized, all data on the disk is lost.

To initialize disks

- 1. As previously mentioned, enable RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility.
- 2. Go to BIOS > SETTINGS > Advanced > RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility > Physical Disk Management > Select Physical Disk Operations > Initialize Disk sub-menu.



- 3. Select desired disks by changing the Physical Disk setting to Enabled.
- 4. Select OK, then press Enter.



- 5. Review the warning message, if you want to proceed, select YES, then press Enter.
- 6. Initialization takes 10 to 15 seconds per disk. During initialization, a complete rescan of all channels is done automatically.

Creating Arrays

Arrays can be created after the disks are initialized.



Important

- For redundant arrays, the Create process is not started until after the operating system and AMD-RAID OS drivers have been installed and the system has booted to the operating system. However, the arrays are immediately available to use for either a bootable array or a data array.
- · Array numbers are valid only for a given boot and might be different in the RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility and RAIDXpert2. If a permanent label is required, use the RAIDXpert2 Web GUI Array Naming feature.
- At any point in the procedure, return to a prior window by pressing ESC.
- If the system is booted from an AMD-RAID bootable array, the first array in the Arrays section must be the bootable array. The system boots only from the first array in the Arrays section.

To create an array

- 1. As previously mentioned, enable RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility.
- 2. Go to BIOS > SETTINGS > Advanced > RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility > Array Management > Create Array sub-menu.



- 3. Select the RAID level from the Select RAID Level drop down menu.
- 4. Enter Select Physical Disks sub-menu, select member disks by changing the Physical Disk setting to Enabled.



- 5. Select Apply Changes, then press Enter to apply and go back to previous submenu
- 6. Change the Select CacheTagSize, Read Cache Policy and Write Cache Policy settings according to your needs.
- 7. Select Create Array, then press Enter.

Deleting Arrays



Important

- Deleting an array permanently destroys all data that is on the array. This action cannot be undone and it is very unlikely that the data can be recovered.
- · Do not delete the first array listed in the Arrays section, if it is the AMD-RAID bootable array. Doing this deletes the operating system and AMD-RAID files.

To delete an array

- 1. As previously mentioned, enable RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility.
- 2. Go to BIOS > SETTINGS > Advanced > RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility > Array Management > Delete Array sub-menu.



- 3. Select the desired array and change the setting to Enabled.
- 4. Enter Delete Array(s) sub-menu.



- 5. Review the warning message, if you want to proceed, Select Confirm and change the setting to Enabled.
- 6. Select YES then press Enter.

Installing RAID Driver

New Operating System Installation

The following details the installation of the drivers while installing operating system.

- 1. During the operating system installation, after selecting the location to install Windows click on Load driver button to install a third party RAID driver.
- 2. When prompted, insert the USB flash drive with AMD RAID Drivers and then click Browse
 - . To make an AMD RAID Drivers USB flash drive. Insert the MSI Driver Disc into the optical drive. Copy all the contents in \\Storage\AMD\
- 3. Navigate to the directory containing the saved AMD RAID drivers, then click OK.
- 4. Select the (rcbottom.inf) driver, click Next.
- 5. When prompted, click OK.
- 6. Click Browse and navigate to the directory containing the saved AMD RAID drivers again, then click OK.
- 7. Select the (rcraid.inf) driver, click Next.
- 8. You have successfully installed the RAID driver, and Windows setup should continue
- 9. Leave the disk/ USB drive in the computer until the system reboots itself. Windows setup will need to copy the files after the RAID volume is formatted, and Windows setup starts copying files.

AMD RAIDXpert2 Management Suite Installation

- Set the SATA Mode to RAID Mode in BIOS
- 2. Insert the MSI Driver Disc into the optical drive.
- 3. Click the Select to choose what happens with this disc pop-up notification, then select Run DVDSetup.exe to open the installer. If you turn off the AutoPlay feature from the Windows Control Panel, you can still manually execute the DVDSetup. exe from the root path of the MSI Driver Disc.
- 4. Under the Drivers/Software tab, check the AMD RAID Drivers check-box.
- 5. Click the Install button.
- 6. When prompt you to restart, click OK button to finish.
- 7. Restart your computer and enter the Windows operating system.
- 8. Double-click the RAIDXpert2 icon to open the RAIDXpert2 Web GUI.
 - . Default credentials are:
 - Username admin
 - Password admin
- 9. Change the credentials:
 - Create new username and password
- 10. Re-log into the RAIDXpert2 Web GUI with the new credentials.

Troubleshooting

Before sending the motherboard for RMA repair, try to go over troubleshooting quide first to see if your got similar symptoms as mentioned below.

The power is not on.

- . Connect the AC power cord to an electrical outlet securely.
- · Check if all ATX power connectors like ATX_PWR1, CPU_PWR1 are connected from the power supply to the motherboard?
- · Some power supply units have a power button on the rear side, make sure the button is turned on
- . Check if the power switch cable is connected to JFP1 pin header properly.
- · Verify the Clear CMOS jumper JBAT1 is set to Keep DATA.
- Test with another known working power supply of equal or greater wattage.

The power is on, but no signal to monitor

- . Connect the monitor power cord to a electrical outlet securely.
- Make sure the monitor is turned on.
- Select different inputs on the monitor.
- . If 3 long beeps are heard, remove all memory modules and try to install only one memory module in the DIMMA1 slot first and then restart the computer.
- . If 1 long 2 short beeps are heard, remove and reinstall the graphics card and then restart the computer.
- Test with another known working graphics card.

The computer does not boot after updating the BIOS

- · Clear the CMOS.
- Use the secondary BIOS to bootup the system (Only for motherboard with Dual RIOS)

Lost BIOS password

. Clear the CMOS, but that will cause you to lose all customized settings in the BIOS.

There is no audio

- · Adjust the volume.
- · Connect the speakers/headphones to audio ports on the motherboard rear IO panel.
- Remove secondary speakers/ headphones, HDMI cables, USB audio devices
- Test with another known working speaker or headphone.

There is no network

- Make sure the network chipset driver has been installed.
- Verify if the network cable is properly connected and make sure the LAN port LEDs are properly illuminated.
- · Verify your TCP/IP settings.
- · Restart or reset your router.
- Test with another known working LAN cable.

The USB device is not working

- . Make sure your USB drive driver has been installed.
- · Verify if USB device is listed in Windows® Device Manager.
- . Connect the USB device to other USB port on the motherboard rear IO panel.

Regulatory Notices

FCC Compliance Statement

Note: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment of subject to the control of the control of the control of the control of the following measures:

- · Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

Caution: Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.



Tested to comply with FCC standards FOR HOME OR OFFICE USE

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and [2] this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

CE Conformity



Products bearing the CE marking comply with one or more of the following EU Directives as may be applicable:

RED 2014/53/EU; Low Voltage Directive 2014/35/EU; EMC Directive 2014/30/EU; RoHS Directive 2011/65/EU. Compliance with these directives is assessed using applicable European Harmonized Standards.

The point of contact for regulatory matters is MSI, MSI-NL Eindhoven 5706 5692 ER Son.

KC인증서



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クラスB情報技術装置

この装置は、夕見る日精報技術装置です。この 装置は、家庭環境で使用することを目的として いますがこの装置がラジオやテレビジョン受 信機に近接して使用されると、受信障害を引き起こすこと があります。製成説明書に従って

正しい取り扱いをして下さい

C-Tick Compliance



Battery Information

European Union:



Batteries, battery packs, and accumulators should not be disposed of as unsorted household waste. Please use the public collection system to return, recycle, or treat them in compliance with the local regulations.

Taiwan:

廢電池請回收

For better environmental protection, waste batteries should be collected separately for recycling or special disposal.

California, USA:



The button cell battery may contain perchlorate material and requires special handling when recycled or disposed of in California.

For further information please visit: http://www.dtsc.ca.gov/hazardouswaste/perchlorate/

CAUTION: There is a risk of explosion, if battery is incorrectly replaced.

Replace only with the same or equivalent type recommended by the manufacturer.

Chemical Substances Information

In compliance with chemical substances regulations, such as the EU REACH Regulation (Regulation EC No. 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and the Council), MSI provides the information of chemical substances in products at

https://storage-asset.msi.com/html/popup/csr/ evmtprtt pcm.html

Environmental Policy

- The product has been designed to enable proper reuse of parts and recycling and should not be thrown away at its end of life.
 Users should contact the local
- authorized point of collection for recycling and disposing of their end-of-life products.

 Visit the MSI website and locate a nearby distributor
- for further recycling information.
- Users may also reach us at gpcontdev@msi.com for information regarding proper Disposal, Take-back, Recycling, and Disassembly of MSI products.

WEEE (Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment) Statement

ENGLISH

To protect the global environment and as an environmentalist, MSI must remind you that...

Under the European Union ("EU") Directive
on Waste Electrical and Electronic
Equipment, Directive 2002/96/EC, which
takes effect on August 13, 2005, products of "electrical
and electronic equipment" cannot be discarded as
municipal wastes anymore, and manufacturers of

covered electronic equipment will be obligated to take back such products at the end of their useful life, MSI will comply with the product take back requirements at the end of life of MSI-branded products that are sold into the EU. You can return these products to local collection points.

DEUTSCH

Hinweis von MSI zur Erhaltung und Schutz unserer Umwelt

Gemäß der Richtlinie 2002/96/EG über Elektro- und Elektronik-Altgeräte dürfen Elektro- und Elektronik-Altgeräte nicht mehr als kommunale Abfälle entsorgt werden. MSI hat europaweit verschiedene Sammelund Recyclingunternehmen beauftragt, die in die Europäische Union in Verkehr gebrachten Produkte, am Ende seines Lebenszyklus zurückzunehmen. Bitte entsorgen Sie dieses Produkt zum gegebenen Zeitpunkt ausschliesslich an einer lokalen Altgerätesammelstelle in Ihrer Nähe.

FRANCAIS

En tant qu'écologiste et afin de protéger l'environnement, MSI tient à rappeler ceci..

Au suiet de la directive européenne (EU) relative aux déchets des équipement électriques et électroniques. directive 2002/96/EC, prenant effet le 13 août 2005, que les produits électriques et électroniques ne peuvent être déposés dans les décharges ou tout simplement mis à la poubelle. Les fabricants de ces équipements seront obligés de récupérer certains produits en fin de vie. MSI prendra en compte cette exigence relative au retour des produits en fin de vie au sein de la communauté européenne. Par conséquent vous pouvez retourner localement ces matériels dans les points de collecte.

РУССКИЙ

Компания MSI предпринимает активные действия по защите окружающей среды, поэтому напоминаем вам что...

В соответствии с директивой Европейского Союза (ЕС) по предотвращению загрязнения окружающей среды использованным электрическим и электронным оборудованием (директива WEEE 2002/96/EC), вступающей в силу 13 августа 2005 года, изделия, относящиеся к электрическому и электронному оборудованию, не могут рассматриваться как бытовой мусор. поэтому производители вышеперечисленного электронного оборудования обязаны принимать его для переработки по окончании срока службы. MSI обязуется соблюдать требования по приему продукции, проданной под маркой MSI на территории ЕС, в переработку по окончании срока службы. Вы можете вернуть эти изделия в специализированные пункты приема.

ESPAÑOL

MSI como empresa comprometida con la protección del medio ambiente, recomienda:

Bajo la directiva 2002/96/EC de la Unión Europea en materia de desechos y/o equipos electrónicos, con fecha de rigor desde el 13 de agosto de 2005. los productos clasificados como "eléctricos v equipos electrónicos" no pueden ser depositados en los contenedores habituales de su municipio, los fabricantes de equipos electrónicos, están obligados a hacerse cargo de dichos productos al termino de su período de vida. MSI estará comprometido con los términos de recogida de sus productos vendidos en la Unión Europea al final de su periodo de vida. Usted debe depositar estos productos en el punto limpio establecido por el ayuntamiento de su localidad o entregar a una empresa autorizada para la recogida de estos residuos.

NEDERI ANDS

Om het milieu te beschermen, wil MSI u eraan herinneren dat...

De richtliin van de Europese Unie (EU) met betrekking tot Vervuiling van Electrische en Electronische producten (2002/96/EC), die op 13 Augustus 2005 in zal gaan kunnen niet meer beschouwd worden als vervuiling. Fabrikanten van dit soort producten worden verplicht om producten retour te nemen aan het eind van hun levenscyclus. MSI zal overeenkomstig de richtliin handelen voor de producten die de merknaam MSI dragen en verkocht zijn in de EU. Deze goederen kunnen geretourneerd worden op lokale inzamelingspunten.

Da bi zaštitili prirodnu sredinu, i kao preduzeće koje vodi računa o okolini i prirodnoj sredini, MSI mora da vas podesti da..

Po Direktivi Evropske unije ("EU") o odbačenoj ekektronskoj i električnoj opremi, Direktiva 2002/96/ EC, koja stupa na snagu od 13. Avgusta 2005, proizvodi koji spadaju pod "elektronsku i električnu opremu" ne mogu više biti odbačeni kao običan otpad i proizvođači ove opreme biće prinuđeni da uzmu natrag ove proizvode na kraju njihovog uobičajenog veka trajanja. MSI će poštovati zahtev o preuzimanju ovakvih proizvoda kojima je istekao vek trajanja, koji imaju MSI oznaku i koji su prodati u EU. Ove proizvode možete vratiti na lokalnim mestima za prikupljanje.

Aby chronić nasze środowisko naturalne oraz jako

POI SKI

firma dbajaca o ekologie, MSI przypomina, że... Zgodnie z Dyrektywą Unii Europejskiej ("UE") dotyczącą odpadów produktów elektrycznych i elektronicznych (Dyrektywa 2002/96/EC), która wchodzi w życie 13 sierpnia 2005, tzw. "produkty oraz wyposażenie elektryczne i elektroniczne " nie moga być traktowane jako śmieci komunalne, tak wiec producenci tych produktów beda zobowiazani do odbierania ich w momencie adv produkt jest wycofywany z użycia. MSI wypełni wymagania UE, przyjmując produkty (sprzedawane na terenie Unii Europejskiej) wycofywane z użycia. Produkty MSI bedzie można zwracać w

TÜRKCE

Cevreci özelliğiyle bilinen MSI dünyada cevreyi korumak için hatırlatır:

wyznaczonych punktach zbiorczych.

Avrupa Birliği (AB) Kararnamesi Elektrik ve Elektronik Malzeme Atığı, 2002/96/EC Kararnamesi altında 13 Ağustos 2005 tarihinden itibaren gecerli olmak üzere. elektrikli ve elektronik malzemeler diğer atıklar qibi cöpe atılamayacak ve bu elektonik cihazların üreticileri, cihazların kullanım süreleri bittikten sonra ürünleri geri toplamakla vükümlü olacaktır. Avrupa Birliği'ne satılan MSI markalı ürünlerin kullanım süreleri bittiğinde MSI ürünlerin geri alınması isteği ile isbirliği icerisinde olacaktır. Ürünlerinizi verel toplama noktalarına bırakabilirsiniz.

ČESKY

Záleží nám na ochraně životního prostředí - společnost MSI upozorňuje...

Podle směrnice Evropské unie ("EU") o likvidaci elektrických a elektronických výrobků 2002/96/ EC platné od 13. srpna 2005 je zakázáno likvidovat "elektrické a elektronické výrobky" v běžném komunálním odpadu a výrobci elektronických výrobků, na které se tato směrnice vztahuje, budou povinni odebírat takové výrobky zpět po skončení jejich životnosti. Společnost MSI splní požadavky na odebírání výrobků značky MSI, prodávaných v zemích EU, po skončení jejich životnosti. Tyto výrobky můžete odevzdat v místních sběrnách.

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Annak érdekében, hogy környezetünket megvédjük, illetve körnvezetvédőként fellépve az MSI emlékezteti Önt. hogy ...

Az Európai Unió ("EU") 2005. augusztus 13-án hatályba lépő, az elektromos és elektronikus berendezések hulladékairól szóló 2002/96/EK irányelve szerint az elektromos és elektronikus berendezések többé nem kezelhetőek lakossági hulladékként. és az ilven elektronikus berendezések gyártói kötelessé válnak az ilyen termékek visszavételére azok hasznos élettartama végén. Az MSI betartja a termékvisszavétellel kapcsolatos követelményéket az MSI márkanév alatt az EU-n belül értékesített termékek esetében, azok élettartamának végén. Az ilven termékeket a legközelebbi gyűitőhelvre viheti.

Per proteggere l'ambiente, MSI, da sempre amica della natura, ti ricorda che...

In base alla Direttiva dell'Unione Europea (EU) sullo Smaltimento dei Materiali Elettrici ed Elettronici, Direttiva 2002/96/EC in vigore dal 13 Agosto 2005 prodotti appartenenti alla categoria dei Materiali Elettrici ed Elettronici non possono più essere eliminati come rifiuti municipali: i produttori di detti materiali saranno obbligati a ritirare ogni prodotto alla fine del suo ciclo di vita. MSI si adequerà a tale Direttiva ritirando tutti i prodotti marchiati MSI che sono stati venduti all'interno dell'Unione Europea alla fine del loro ciclo di vita. È possibile portare i prodotti nel più vicino punto di raccolta

日本JIS C 0950材質宣言

日本工業規格JIS C 0950により、2006年7月1日以降に販 売される特定分野の電気および電子機器について、製造 者による含有物質の表示が義務付けられます。

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This product complies with the "India E-waste (Management and Handling) Rule 2011" and prohibits use of lead, mercury, hexavalent chromium polybrominated biphenyls or polybrominated diphenyl ethers in concentrations exceeding 0.1 weight % and 0.01 weight % for cadmium, except for the exemptions set in Schedule 2 of the Rule.

Türkive EEE vönetmeliği

Türkiye Cumhuriyeti: EEE Yönetmeliğine Uygundur

Україна обмеження на наявність небезпечних речовин

Обладнання відповідає вимогам Технічного регламенту щодо обмеження використання деяких небезпечних речовин в електричному та електронному обладнані, затвердженого постановою Кабінету Міністрів України від 3 грудня 2008 № 1057.

Viêt Nam RoHS

Kể từ ngày 01/12/2012, tất cả các sản phẩm do công ty MSI sản xuất tuân thủ Thông tư số 30/2011/TT-BCT guy định tam thời về giới han hàm lượng cho phép của một số hóa chất độc hai có trong các sản phẩm điện. điển tử

Wireless Radio Use

This device is restricted to indoor use when operating in the 2.4GHz, 5GHz frequency band.

Cet appareil doit être utilisé à l'intérieur.

당해 무선설비는 운용중 전파혼신 가능성이 있음.

この製品は、周波数帯域 2.4GHz, 5GHz で動作していると きは、屋内においてのみ使用可能です。

NCC無線設備警告聲明

T作精率2.4GHz 5GHz該結段開於室內使用。

經型式認證合格之低功率射頻電機,非經許可,公司、商 號或使用者均不得擅自變更頻率、加大功率或變更原設 計之特性及功能。

低功率射頻電機之使用不得影響飛航安全及干擾合法通 信;經發現有干擾現象時,應立即停用,並改善至無干擾時 方得繼續使用。前項合法通信,指依電信法規定作業之無 線電通信。低功率射頻電機須忍受合法通信或工業、科學 及醫療用電波輻射性電機設備之干擾。

Products with radio functionality (EMF)

This product incorporates a radio transmitting and receiving device. For computers in normal use, a separation distance of 20 cm ensures that radio frequency exposure levels comply with EU requirements. Products designed to be operated at closer proximities, such as tablet computers, comply with applicable EU requirements in typical operating positions. Products can be operated without maintaining a separation distance unless otherwise indicated in instructions specific to the product.

Restrictions for products with radio functionality

Features

CAUTION: IEEE 802.11x wireless LAN with 5.15-5.35 GHz frequency band is restricted for indoor use only in all European Union member states, EFTA (Iceland, Norway,

Liechtenstein), and most other European countries (e.g., Switzerland, Turkey, Republic of Serbia). Using this WLAN application outdoors might lead to interference issues with existing radio services.

Radio frequency bands and maximum power levels

:802.11 a/b/q/n/ac/ax, BT Frequency Range :2.4GHz, 5GHz Modulation :FHSS, DSSS, OFDM

Power Output :10, 20, 23 Channel Band Width :1, 5, 20,40,80MHz

MS-7A40主板产品中有害物质的名称及含量

	有害物质						
部件名称	铅 (Pb)	汞 [Hg]	辆 (Cd)	六价铬 (Cr(VI))	多溴联苯 (PBB)	多溴二苯醚 (PBDE)	
印刷电路板组件*	×	0	0	0	0	0	
电池** 5	×	0	0	0	0	0	
外部信号连接头	×	0	0	0	0	0	
线材	×	0	0	0	0	0	

本表格依据 SJ/T 11364 的规定编制。

- ○:表示该有害物质在该部件所有均质材料中的含量均在 GB/T 26572 规定的限量要求以下。
- <:表示该有害物质至少在该部件的某一均质材料中的含量超出 GB/T 26572 规定的限量要求,但所有部件都符合 欧盟RoHS要求。
- * 印刷电路板组件:包括印刷电路板及其构成的零部件。
- ** 电池本体上如有环保使用期限标识,以本体标识为主。
- 上述有毒有害物质或元素清单会依型号之部件差异而有所增减。
- 產品部件本体上如有环保使用期限标识,以本体标识为主。

限用物質含有情況標示聲明書

設備名稱:電腦主機板		型號(型式):MS-7A40					
	限用物質及其化學符號						
單元	鉛 (Pb)	汞 [Hg]	鎬 (Cd)	六價路 [Cr ⁺⁶]	多溴聯苯 (PBB)	多溴二苯醚 (PBDE)	
電路板	0	0	0	0	0	0	
電子元件	_	0	0	0	0	0	
金屬機構件	_	0	0	0	0	0	
塑膠機構件	0	0	0	0	0	0	

備考1. "超出0.1 wt %" 及 "超出0.01 wt %" 係指限用物質之百分比含量超出百分比含量基準值。

備考2. "〇" 係指該項限用物質之百分比含量未超出百分比含量基準值。

備考3. "--" 係指該項限用物質為排除項目。

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Technical Support

If a problem arises with your system and no solution can be obtained from the user guide, please contact your place of purchase or local distributor. Alternatively, please try the following help resources for further guidance.

- · Visit the MSI website for technical guide, BIOS updates, driver updates, and other information: http://www.msi.com
- · Register your product at: http://register.msi.com

