

**ROG
RAMPAGE VI
EXTREME
ENCORE**



Motherboard

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Safety information

Electrical safety

- To prevent electrical shock hazard, disconnect the power cable from the electrical outlet before relocating the system.
- When adding or removing devices to or from the system, ensure that the power cables for the devices are unplugged before the signal cables are connected. If possible, disconnect all power cables from the existing system before you add a device.
- Before connecting or removing signal cables from the motherboard, ensure that all power cables are unplugged.
- Seek professional assistance before using an adapter or extension cord. These devices could interrupt the grounding circuit.
- Ensure that your power supply is set to the correct voltage in your area. If you are not sure about the voltage of the electrical outlet you are using, contact your local power company.
- If the power supply is broken, do not try to fix it by yourself. Contact a qualified service technician or your retailer.

Operation safety

- Before installing the motherboard and adding devices on it, carefully read all the manuals that came with the package.
- Before using the product, ensure all cables are correctly connected and the power cables are not damaged. If you detect any damage, contact your dealer immediately.
- To avoid short circuits, keep paper clips, screws, and staples away from connectors, slots, sockets and circuitry.
- Avoid dust, humidity, and temperature extremes. Do not place the product in any area where it may become wet.
- Place the product on a stable surface.
- If you encounter technical problems with the product, contact a qualified service technician or your retailer.

About this guide

This user guide contains the information you need when installing and configuring the motherboard.

How this guide is organized

This guide contains the following parts:

1. Chapter 1: Product Introduction

This chapter describes the features of the motherboard and the new technology it supports. It includes description of the switches, jumpers, and connectors on the motherboard.

2. Chapter 2: Basic Installation

This chapter lists the hardware setup procedures that you have to perform when installing system components.

3. Chapter 3: BIOS Setup

This chapter tells how to change system settings through the BIOS Setup menus. Detailed descriptions of the BIOS parameters are also provided.

4. Chapter 4: RAID Support

This chapter describes the RAID configurations.

Where to find more information

Refer to the following sources for additional information and for product and software updates.

1. ASUS website

The ASUS website (www.asus.com) provides updated information on ASUS hardware and software products.

2. Optional documentation

Your product package may include optional documentation, such as warranty flyers, that may have been added by your dealer. These documents are not part of the standard package.

Conventions used in this guide

To ensure that you perform certain tasks properly, take note of the following symbols used throughout this manual.



DANGER/WARNING: Information to prevent injury to yourself when trying to complete a task.



CAUTION: Information to prevent damage to the components when trying to complete a task.



IMPORTANT: Instructions that you **MUST** follow to complete a task.



NOTE: Tips and additional information to help you complete a task.

Typography

Bold text

Indicates a menu or an item to select.

Italics

Used to emphasize a word or a phrase.

<Key>

Keys enclosed in the less-than and greater-than sign means that you must press the enclosed key.

Example: <Enter> means that you must press the Enter or Return key.

<Key1> + <Key2> + <Key3>

If you must press two or more keys simultaneously, the key names are linked with a plus sign (+).

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specifications summary

CPU	<p>Optimized for Intel® Core™ X-Series 10000 Processor Family, Intel® Core™ X-Series Processors Family(6-core above) on LGA 2066 Socket*</p> <p>Supports Intel® Virtual RAID on CPU (Intel® VROC)</p> <p>Supports 14nm CPU</p> <p>Supports Intel® Turbo Boost Max Technology 3.0**</p> <p>* Refer to www.asus.com for CPU support list</p> <p>** Support of these features depends on the CPU types.</p>
Chipset	Intel® X299 Chipset
Memory	<p>Intel® Core™ i9 10000 X-Series Processor</p> <p>8 x DIMM, Max. 256GB, DDR4 4266(O.C.) / 4133(O.C.) / 4000(O.C.) / 3866(O.C.) / 3800(O.C.) / 3600(O.C.) / 3466(O.C.) / 3200(O.C.) / 3000(O.C.) / 2933 / 2800 / 2666 / 2400 / 2133 MHz, Non-ECC, Un-buffered Memory*</p> <p>Intel® Core™ i9 9000/7000 and i7 9000 X-Series Processor</p> <p>8 x DIMM, Max. 256GB, DDR4 4266(O.C.) / 4133(O.C.) / 4000(O.C.) / 3866(O.C.) / 3800(O.C.) / 3600(O.C.) / 3466(O.C.) / 3200(O.C.) / 3000(O.C.) / 2933(O.C.) / 2800(O.C.) / 2666 / 2400 MHz, Non-ECC, Un-buffered Memory*</p> <p>Quad channel memory architecture</p> <p>Supports Intel® Extreme Memory Profile (XMP)</p> <p>* Hyper DIMM support is subject to the physical characteristics of individual CPUs. Please refer to Memory QVL (Qualified Vendors List) for details.</p>
Multi-GPU support	<p>Supports NVIDIA® 3-Way/2-Way SLI® Technology</p> <p>Supports AMD 3-Way/2-Way CrossFireX™ Technology</p>
Expansion slots	<p>48-Lane CPU (Intel® Core™ i9 10000 X-Series CPU)</p> <p>3 x PCIe 3.0 x16 slots (supports x16/x16/x4, x16/x16/x8 or x16/x8/x8 modes)*</p> <p>44-Lane CPU (Intel® Core™ i9 9000/7000 and i7 9000 X-Series CPU)</p> <p>3 x PCIe 3.0 x16 slots (supports 16/x16/x4 or x16/x8/x4 modes)**</p> <p>28-Lane CPU (Intel® Core™ i7 7000 X-Series CPU)</p> <p>3 x PCIe 3.0 x16 slots (supports x16/x8/x4 mode)</p> <p>Intel® X299 Chipset</p> <p>1 x PCIe 3.0 x4 slot***</p> <p>* When PCIe slots run at x16/x16/x8 mode, DIMM.2_2 will be disabled.</p> <p>** When PCIe slots run at x16/x16/x4 mode, DIMM.2_2 will be disabled.</p> <p>*** The PCIe 3.0 x4 slot shares bandwidth with M.2_2.</p>

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Storage	<p>Intel® Core™ X-Series Processors support with Intel® Virtual RAID on CPU (VROC)</p> <p>1 x DIMM.2 Module supports*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 2 x M.2 Socket 3 with M key, type 2242/2260/2280/22110 (supports PCIe 3.0 x4 mode) <p>* DIMM.2_2 will be disabled when PCIe slots run at x16/x16/x8 mode on 48-Lane CPU.</p> <p>* DIMM.2_2 will be disabled when PCIe slots run at x16/x16/x4 mode on 44-Lane CPU.</p> <p>* DIMM.2 will be disabled when using 28-Lane CPU.</p> <p>Intel® X299 Chipset supports with Intel® Rapid Storage Technology (RAID 0, 1, 5, 10)</p> <p>1 x M.2_1 Socket 3 with M Key, type 2242/2260/2280 (supports PCIe 3.0 x4 & SATA modes)</p> <p>1 x M.2_2 Socket 3 with M Key, type 2242/2260/2280 (supports PCIe 3.0 x4 mode)*</p> <p>8 x SATA 6Gb/s ports</p> <p>Intel® Optane™ Memory Ready</p> <p>* The PCIe 3.0 x4 slot shares bandwidth with M.2_2.</p>
LAN	<p>Aquantia® AQC-107 10G LAN</p> <p>Intel® I219-V Gigabit LAN</p> <p>Anti-surge LANGuard</p> <p>ROG GameFirst Technology</p>
Wireless & Bluetooth	<p>Intel® Wi-Fi 6 AX200</p> <p>2x2 Wi-Fi 6 (802.11 a/b/g/n/ac/ax) with MU-MIMO supports dual frequency band 2.4/5GHz</p> <p>Supports channel bandwidth: HT20/HT40/HT80/HT160</p> <p>Up to 2.4 Gbps transfer speed</p> <p>Bluetooth v5.0</p>
Audio	<p>ROG SupremeFX 8-Channel High Definition Audio CODEC S1220</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Supports: Jack-detection, Multi-streaming, and Front Panel Jack-retasking - High quality 120 dB SNR stereo playback output and 113 dB SNR recording input - SupremeFX Shielding Technology - ESS® SABRE9018Q2C - Supports up to 32-Bit/192kHz playback* <p>Audio Features:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - LED-illuminated design - Optical S/PDIF out port at back panel - Sonic Radar III - Sonic Studio III + Sonic Studio Virtual Mixer - DTS® Sound Unbound <p>* Due to limitations in HDA bandwidth, 32-Bit/192kHz is not supported for 8-Channel audio.</p>

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USB	<p>Intel® X299 Chipset</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 4 x USB 3.2 Gen 1 ports (at back panel) - 3 x USB 2.0 ports (2 at mid-board, 1 at back panel) <p>ASMedia® USB 3.2 Gen 2x2 Controller</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 1 x USB 3.2 Gen 2x2 port (at back panel)* <p>ASMedia® USB 3.2 Gen 2 Controller</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 2 x USB 3.2 Gen 2 front panel connectors - 2 x USB 3.2 Gen 2 ports (1 x Type-A [red] and 1 x Type-C™ ports at back panel) <p>ASMedia® USB 3.2 Gen 1 Controller</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 8 x USB 3.2 Gen 1 ports (4 at mid-board, 4 at back panel) <p>* USB 3.2 Gen 2x2 will be disabled when using 28-Lane CPU.</p>
ROG Exclusive Features	<p>ROG DIMM.2 module with heatsink</p> <p>ROG Aluminum heatsink cover</p> <p>Clear CMOS Button</p> <p>Extreme Engine Digi+</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - MicroFine Alloy Choke - Power Stage SW. TDA21472 - 10K Black Metallic Capacitors <p>ROG Extreme OC kit:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ReTry button - Safe Boot button - Start Button - FlexKey Button - Slow Mode - LN2 Mode - OptiMem III <p>ProbeIT</p> <p>ROG Exclusive Software</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mem Tweakit - RAMCache III - ROG RAMDisk - Overwolf - CPU-Z - GameFirst V - Sonic Studio III + Sonic Studio Virtual Mixer - Sonic Radar III

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Special Features	ASUS Exclusive Software Features
	Armoury Crate
	- Aura Sync
	- LiveDash
	- ASUS Node
	AI Suite 3
	Ai Charger
	ASUS Dual Intelligent Processors 5
	- 5-Way Optimization tuning key perfectly consolidates TPU Insight, EPU Guidance, DIGI+ VRM, Fan Expert 4, and Turbo App
	ASUS C.P.R.(CPU Parameter Recall)
	UEFI BIOS
	AI Overclocking Guide
	- AI overclocking: Quickly optimizes your CPU performance based on the CPU and cooler, achieving results that are extremely close to manual tuning by experts.
	ASUS EZ DIY
	- ASUS CrashFree BIOS 3
	- ASUS EZ Flash 3
	- EZ Tuning Wizard
	ASUS Exclusive Hardware Features
	BIOS FlashBack™
	Pre-mounted I/O Shield
	ASUS NODE: hardware control interface
	OptiMem III
	BUPDATER
	BIOS FlashBack™ Button
	Clear CMOS Button
	OC Design- ASUS PRO Clock II Technology
	ASUS Q-Design
	Q-LED (CPU [red], DRAM [yellow], VGA [white], Boot Device [green])
	Q-Slot
	Q-DIMM
	Q-Connector

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Back I/O Ports	1 x Clear CMOS button 1 x BIOS FlashBack™ button 1 x 2x2 Wi-Fi Module 8 x USB 3.2 Gen 1 ports [blue] 1 x Aquantia AQC-107 10G LAN port 2 x USB 3.2 Gen 2 ports (1 x Type-C™ [black] and 1 x Type-A [red]) 1 x Anti-surge LAN (RJ45) port 1 x USB 3.2 Gen 2x2 port 1 x USB 2.0 port 1 x Optical S/PDIF out 5 x LED-illuminated audio jacks
Internal I/O connectors	1 x W_PUMP+ 1 1 x W_PUMP+ 2 1 x WB_SENSOR 2 x AURA Addressable Gen 2 headers 2 x Aura RGB strip headers 2 x USB 3.2 Gen 1 connectors support additional 4 USB 3.2 Gen 1 ports 1 x USB 2.0 connector supports additional 2 USB 2.0 ports 1 x M.2_1 Socket 3 with M Key, type 2242/2260/2280 (supports PCIe 3.0 x 4 and SATA modes) 1 x M.2_2 Socket 3 with M Key, type 2242/2260/2280 (supports PCIe 3.0 x 4 mode) 8 x SATA 6Gb/s connectors 1 x VROC_HW_Key 1 x 4-Pin HS fan connector 1 x 4-Pin CPU fan connector 1 x 4-Pin CPU_OPT fan connector 3 x 4-Pin Chassis fan connectors 1 x 4-Pin H_AMP fan connector 1 x 6-pin EATX 12V power connector 2 x 8-pin EATX 12V power connectors 1 x 24-pin EATX power connector 1 x 4-pin EZ_PLUG Power connector 1 x Front panel audio connector (AAFP) 1 x Slow mode switch 10 x Probelit Measurement Points 1 x FlexKey button 1 x BIOS Switch button 1 x LN2 mode jumper

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Internal I/O connectors	1 x NODE connector 1 x Safe Boot button 1 x ReTry button 1 x System panel connector 2 x T_Sensor Connectors 1 x 2-pin Water in connector 1 x 2-pin Water out connector 1 x 3-pin Water flow connector 1 x Start button 2 x USB 3.2 Gen 2 front panel connectors 1 x DIMM.2 Slot supports 2 M.2 drives (2242-22110) 1 x FS Mode switch 1 x Pause switch 1 x RSVD switch 1 x Speaker header
BIOS Features	2 x 128 Mb Flash ROM, UEFI AMI BIOS, PnP, WfM2.0, SM BIOS 3.2, ACPI 6.2
Manageability	WfM 2.0, WOL by PME, PXE
Support USB contents	Overwolf Daemon Tools Software WinRAR BullGuard Internet Security (1-year full version)
Operating system	Windows® 10 64-bit
Form factor	Extended ATX Form Factor, 12"x 10.9" (30.5cm x 27.7cm)



- Specifications are subject to change without notice.
- Visit the ASUS website for the software manual.

Package contents

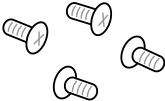


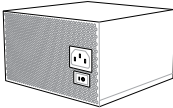
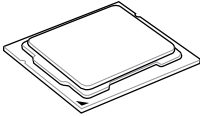
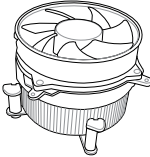
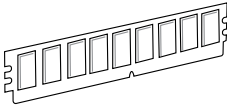
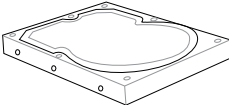
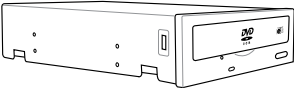
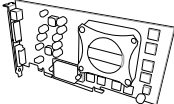

Check your motherboard package for the following items.

Motherboard	1 x ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE motherboard
Cables	1 x 4-in-1 SATA 6Gb/s cables 1 x 2-in-1 SATA 6Gb/s cables 1 x Extension cable for RGB strips (80 cm) 1 x Extension cable for Addressable LED 1 x 3-in-1 Thermistor cables 1 x USB 3.2 Gen 1 header to USB 2.0 adapter cable 1 x 2-in-1 ROG weave SATA 6G cable
Accessories	1 x ROG logo plate sticker 1 x ASUS 2x2 dual band Wi-Fi antennas 1 x Q-Connector 1 x ROG coaster 1 x 2-in-1 M.2 screws kit 1 x ROG Multi-Bit screwdriver 1 x Cablemod coupon ROG DIMM.2 with heatsink: 1 x ROG DIMM.2 with heatsink 2 x M.2 screws kits 1 x 2-in-1 Rubber pad Fan Extension Card II: 1 x FAN Extension Card II user manual 1 x Fan Extension Card II 1 x Fan Extension Card II power cable 1 x Fan Extension Card II NODE connector cable 1 x Fan Extension Card II screw package
Application drive	1 x USB drive with utilities and drivers
Documentation	1 x User guide



If any of the above items is damaged or missing, contact your retailer.

Installation tools and components

	
1 Bag of screws	Screwdriver
	
PC chassis	Power supply unit
	
Intel® LGA 2066 CPU	Intel® LGA 2066 compatible CPU Fan
	
DDR4 DIMM	SATA hard disk drive
	
SATA optical disc drive (optional)	Graphics card (optional)
	
M.2 SSD module (optional)	



The tools and components in the table above are not included in the motherboard package.

Product Introduction

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1.1 Before you proceed

Take note of the following precautions before you install motherboard components or change any motherboard settings.

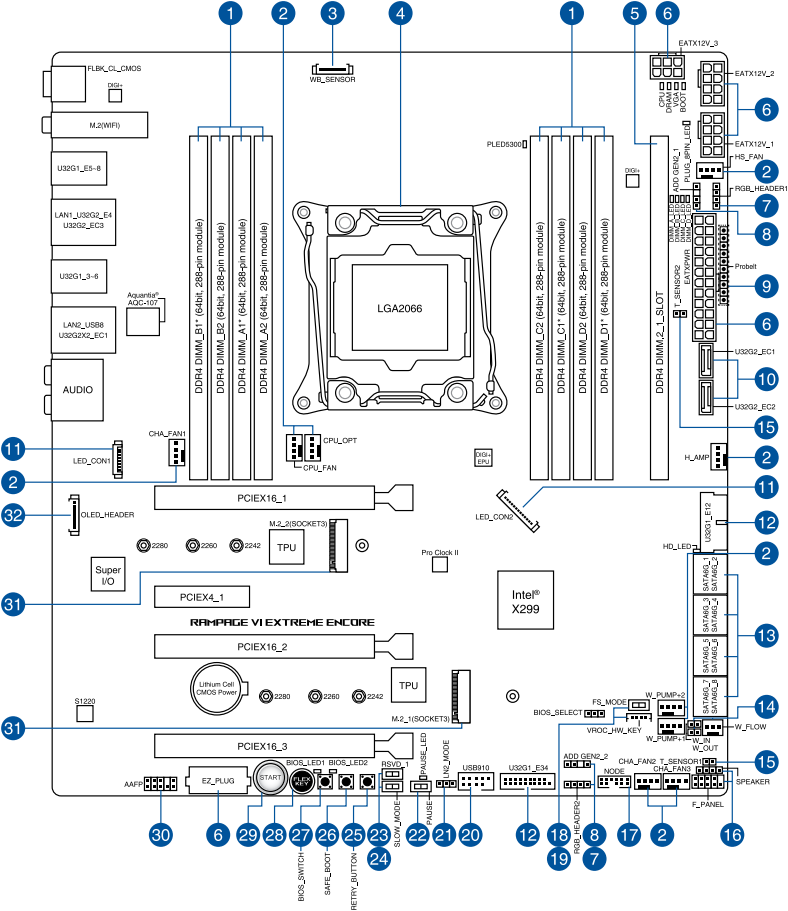


Components shown in this section may require additional purchase. Refer to **Package contents** section for more information about the contents of your motherboard package.



- Unplug the power cord from the wall socket before touching any component.
 - Before handling components, use a grounded wrist strap or touch a safely grounded object or a metal object, such as the power supply case, to avoid damaging them due to static electricity.
 - Hold components by the edges to avoid touching the ICs on them.
 - Whenever you uninstall any component, place it on a grounded antistatic pad or in the bag that came with the component.
 - Before you install or remove any component, ensure that the ATX power supply is switched off or the power cord is detached from the power supply. Failure to do so may cause severe damage to the motherboard, peripherals, or components.
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1.2 Motherboard layout

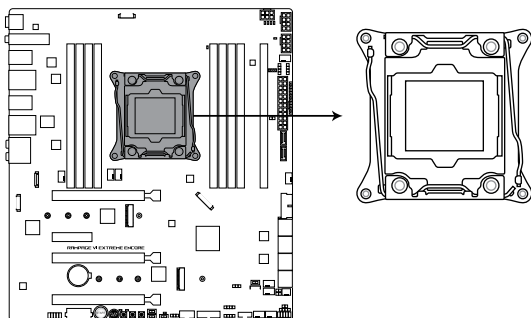


Refer to **Internal connectors** and **Rear I/O connection** for more information about rear panel connectors and internal connectors.

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1.3 Central Processing Unit (CPU)

The motherboard comes with a surface mount LGA2066 socket designed for the Intel® Core™ X-series Processors.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE CPU LGA2066 Socket



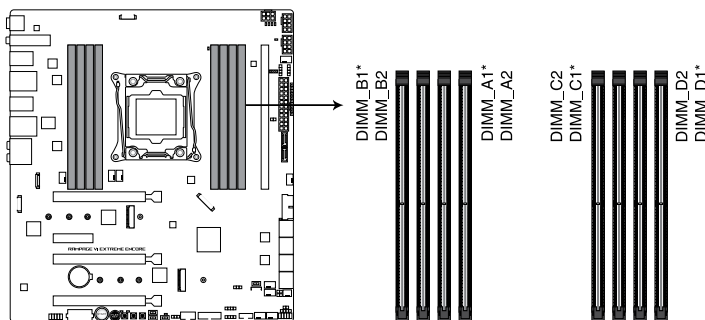
- Ensure that you install the correct CPU designed for LGA2066 socket only. DO NOT install a CPU designed for other sockets on the LGA2066 socket.
- The CPU fits in only one correct orientation. DO NOT force the CPU into the socket to prevent bending the connectors on the socket and damaging the CPU.
- Ensure that all power cables are unplugged before installing the CPU.
- Upon purchase of the motherboard, ensure that the PnP cap is on the socket and the socket contacts are not bent. Contact your retailer immediately if the PnP cap is missing, or if you see any damage to the PnP cap/socket contacts/motherboard components. ASUS will shoulder the cost of repair only if the damage is shipment/transit-related.
- Keep the cap after installing the motherboard. ASUS will process Return Merchandise Authorization (RMA) requests only if the motherboard comes with the cap on the LGA2066 socket.
- The product warranty does not cover damage to the socket contacts resulting from incorrect CPU installation/removal, or misplacement/loss/incorrect removal of the PnP cap.

1.4 System memory

The motherboard comes with Dual Inline Memory Modules (DIMM) slots designed for DDR4 (Double Data Rate 4) memory modules.



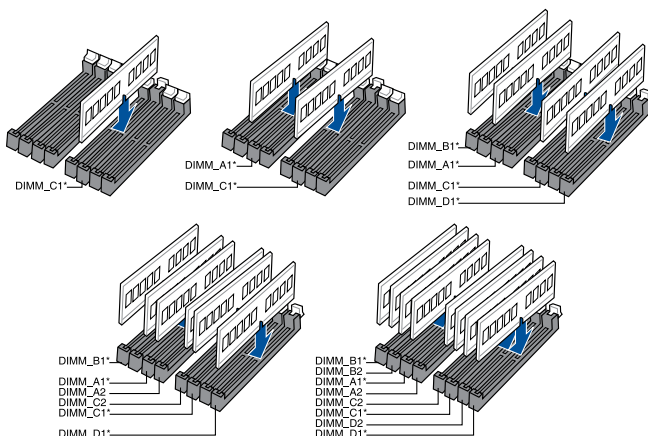
A DDR4 memory module is notched differently from a DDR, DDR2, or DDR3 module. DO NOT install a DDR, DDR2, or DDR3 memory module to the DDR4 slot.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE 288-pin DDR4 DIMM socket

Recommended memory configurations

Intel® Core™ X-series Processors (6-core or above)



Memory configurations

You may install 4 GB, 8 GB, 16 GB, and 32 GB unbuffered and non-ECC DDR4 DIMMs into the DIMM sockets.



For Intel® Core™ X-Series Processors (6-core or above), you may install varying memory sizes in Channel A, Channel B, Channel C, and Channel D. The system maps the total size of the lower-sized channel for the quad-channel configuration. Any excess memory from the higher-sized channel is then mapped for single-channel operation.

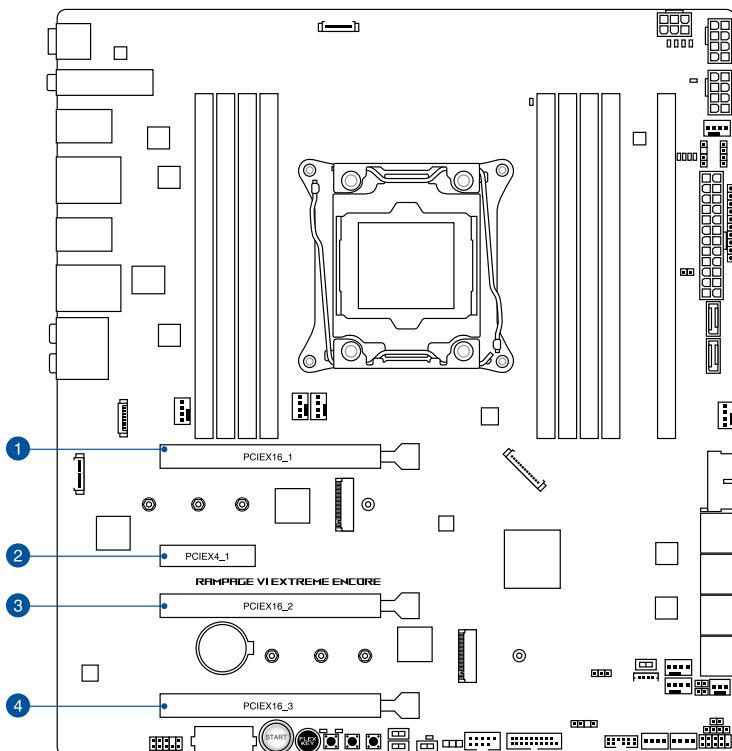


- The default memory operation frequency is dependent on its Serial Presence Detect (SPD), which is the standard way of accessing information from a memory module. Under the default state, some memory modules for overclocking may operate at a lower frequency than the vendor-marked value.
 - For system stability, use a more efficient memory cooling system to support a full memory load or overclocking condition.
 - Always install the DIMMS with the same CAS Latency. For an optimum compatibility, we recommend that you install memory modules of the same version or data code (D/C) from the same vendor. Check with the vendor to get the correct memory modules.
 - Visit the ASUS website for the latest QVL.
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1.5 Expansion slots



Unplug the power cord before adding or removing expansion cards. Failure to do so may cause you physical injury and damage motherboard components.



Recommended VGA configuration

48-LANE CPU

Slot Description	Single VGA	Dual VGA	Triple VGA		
1. PCIe 3.0/2.0 X16_1	x16	x16	x16	x16	x16
2. PCIe 3.0/2.0 X4 (PCH)	Shares bandwidth with M.2_2				
3. PCIe 3.0/2.0 X16_2	-	x16	x16	x16	x8
4. PCIe 3.0/2.0 X16_3	-	-	x4	x8	x8
5. M.2_1 (PCH)	V	V	V	V	V
6. M.2_2 (PCH)	Shares bandwidth with PCIe 3.0/2.0 X4				
7. DIMM.2_1	V	V	V	V	V
8. DIMM.2_2	V	V	V	-	V

44-LANE CPU

Slot Description	Single VGA	Dual VGA		Triple VGA	
1. PCIe 3.0/2.0 X16_1	x16	x16	x16	x16	x16
2. PCIe 3.0/2.0 X4 (PCH)	Shares bandwidth with M.2_2				
3. PCIe 3.0/2.0 X16_2	-	x8	x16	x8	x16
4. PCIe 3.0/2.0 X16_3	-	-	-	x4	x4
5. M.2_1 (PCH)	V	V	V	V	V
6. M.2_2 (PCH)	Shares bandwidth with PCIe 3.0/2.0 X4				
7. DIMM.2_1	V	V	V	V	V
8. DIMM.2_2	V	V	-	V	-

28-LANE CPU

Slot Description	Single VGA	Dual VGA	Triple VGA
1. PCIe 3.0/2.0 X16_1	x16	x16	x16
2. PCIe 3.0/2.0 X4 (PCH)	Shares bandwidth with M.2_2		
3. PCIe 3.0/2.0 X16_2	-	x8	x8
4. PCIe 3.0/2.0 X16_3	-	-	x4
5. M.2_1 (PCH)	V	V	V
6. M.2_2 (PCH)	Shares bandwidth with PCIe 3.0/2.0 X4		
7. DIMM.2_1	-	-	-
8. DIMM.2_2	-	-	-

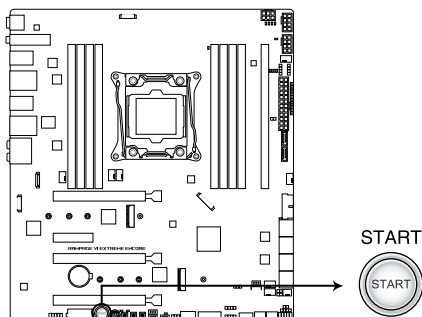


- We recommend that you provide sufficient power when running CrossFireX™ or SLI® mode.
- Ensure to connect both the 8-pin power plugs when running CrossFireX™ or SLI® mode.
- Connect a chassis fan to the chassis fan connectors when using multiple graphics cards for better thermal environment.

1.6 Onboard buttons and switches

1. Power button

Press the Power button to power up the system, or put the system into sleep or soft-off mode (depending on the operating system settings).



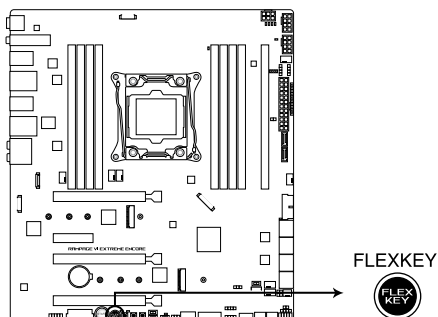
ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE Power on button



The button also lights up when the system is plugged to a power source, indicating that you should shut down the system and unplug the power cable before removing or installing any motherboard component.

2. FlexKey button (Reset)

Press the FlexKey button to reboot the system. You may also configure the button and assign a quick access feature such as activating Safe Boot or turning Aura lighting on or off to the button.



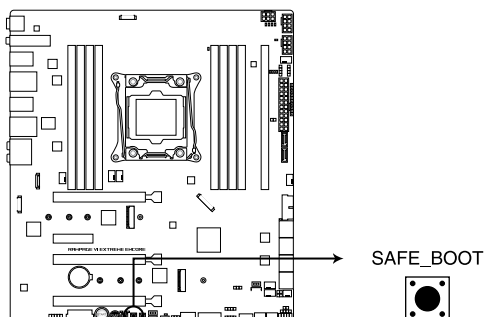
ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE FlexKey button



This button set to **[Reset]** by default. You can assign a different function to this button in the BIOS settings.

3. Safe Boot button

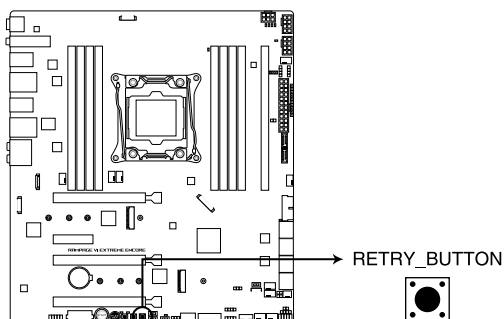
The Safe Boot button temporarily applies safe settings to the BIOS while retaining the overclocked settings, allowing you to modify the settings causing a boot failure. Press this button at anytime to force the system to reboot into the Windows safe mode.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE Safe Boot button

4. ReTry button

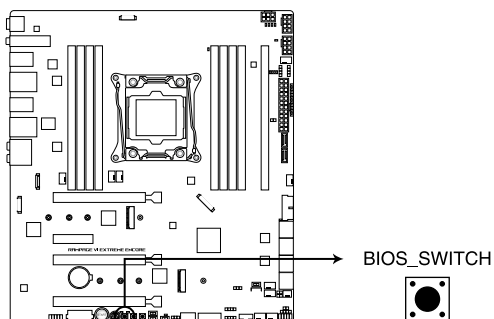
The ReTry button is specially designed for overclockers and is most useful during the booting process where the Reset button is rendered useless. Press this button to force the system to reboot while retaining the same settings to be retried in quick succession to achieve a successful POST.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE ReTry button

5. BIOS Switch button

This motherboard comes with two BIOS chips. Press the BIOS Switch button to switch BIOS and load different BIOS settings.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE BIOS Switch button

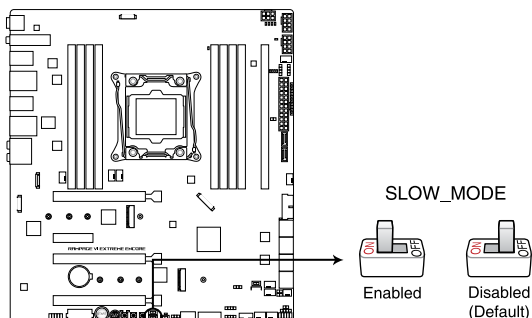


The nearby BIOS_LEDs indicate which BIOS is currently selected.

1.7 Onboard switches

1. Slow Mode switch

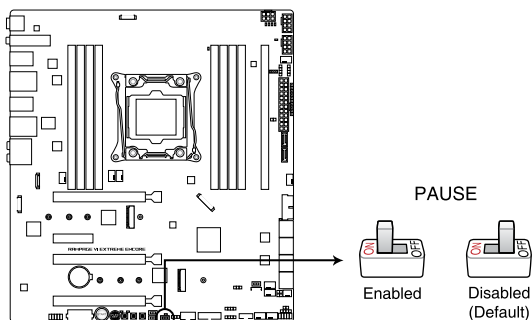
The system may crash due to the CPU being unstable when using extreme overclocking settings. Enable the Slow Mode switch during LN2 benching to decrease the processor frequency and stabilize the system, allowing you to keep track of the overclocking data.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE Slow Mode switch

2. Pause switch

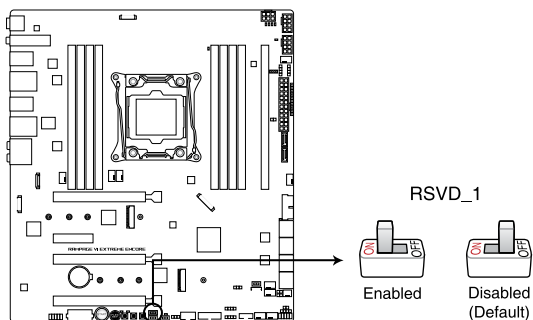
The Pause switch allows you to freeze the system at a hardware level, thus allowing you to adjust your system settings under heavy overclocking.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE PAUSE switch

3. RSVD switch

The RSVD switch is reserved for ASUS-authorized technicians only.



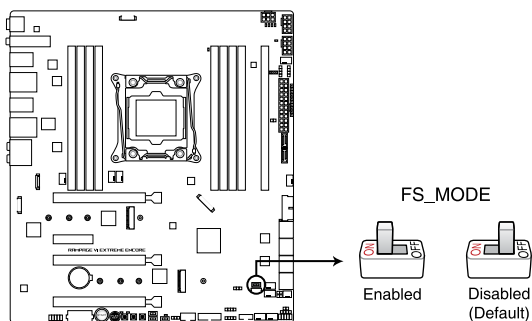
ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE RSVD switch



Please ensure the RSVD switch is set to **Disabled**. Setting this switch to **Enabled** may result in damages to your system.

4. Full Speed Mode switch

The Full Speed Mode switch allows you to set all connected fans to run at 100% PWM when enabled.

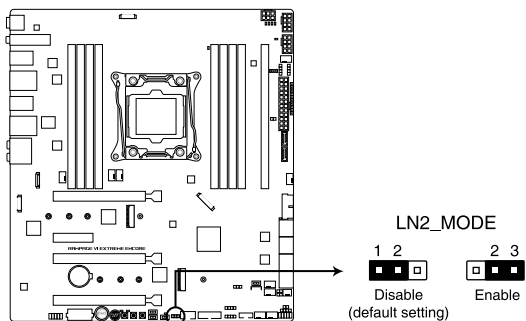


ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE Full Speed Mode switch

1.8 Onboard jumpers

1. LN2 Mode jumper

Set to pins 2-3 to optimize the motherboard to remedy the cold-boot bug during POST and help the system boot successfully.

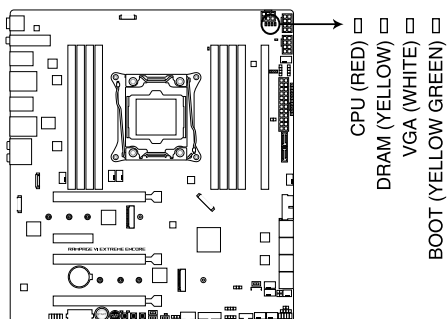


ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE LN2 Mode jumper

1.9 Onboard LEDs

1. Q LEDs

The Q LEDs check key components (CPU, DRAM, VGA, and booting devices) during the motherboard booting process. If an error is found, the critical component's LED stays lit up until the problem is solved.



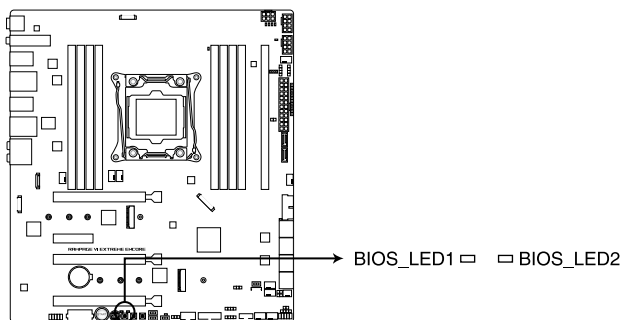
ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE Q LEDs



The Q LEDs provide the most probable cause of an error code as a starting point for troubleshooting. The actual cause may vary from case to case.

2. BIOS LED

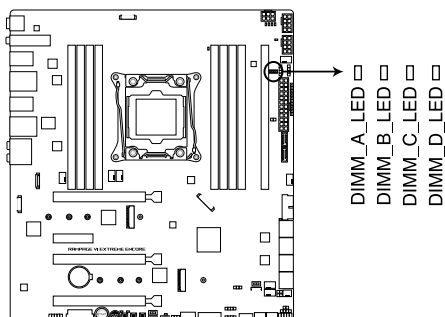
The BIOS LEDs indicate which BIOS chip is currently in use.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE BIOS LED

3. DIMM LED

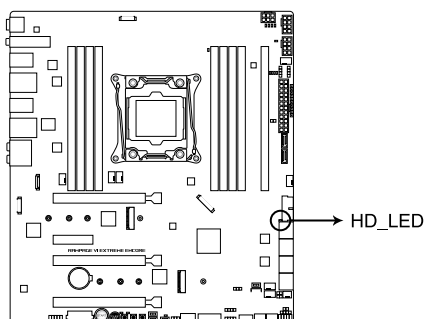
The DIMM LED indicates when the corresponding memory channel is enabled.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE DIMM LEDs

4. Storage Device Activity LED

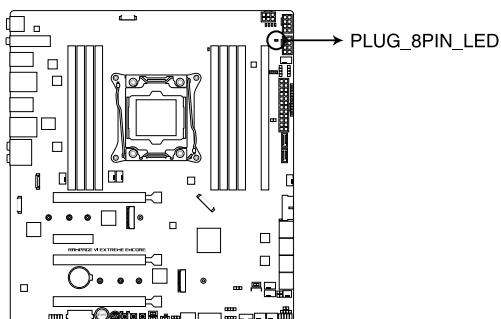
The Storage Device Activity LED lights up or blinks when data is read from or written to the storage device or storage device add-on card.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE Storage Device Activity LED

5. 8-pin Power Plug LED

The 8-pin Power Plug LED lights up to indicate that the 8-pin power plug is not connected.

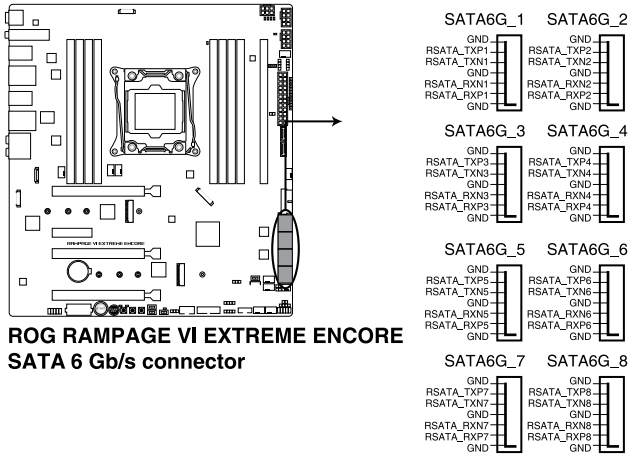


ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE 8-pin Power Plug LED

1.10 Internal connectors

1. SATA 6Gb/s connector

The SATA 6Gb/s connector allows you to connect SATA devices such as optical disc drives and hard disk drives via a SATA cable.



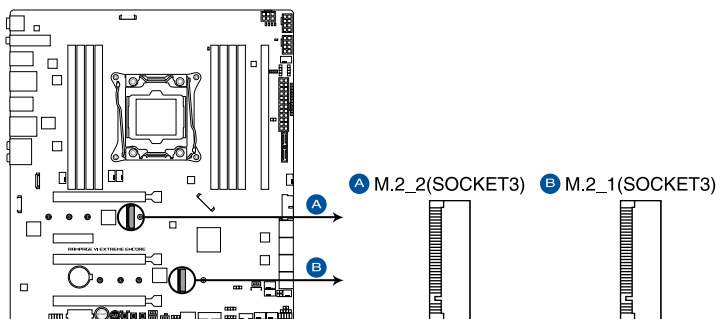
If you installed SATA storage devices, you can create a RAID 0, 1, 5, and 10 configuration with the Intel® Rapid Storage Technology through the onboard Intel® X299 chipset.



- The connectors are set to **[RAID Mode]** by default.
- Before creating a RAID set, refer to the **RAID Configuration Guide**. You can download the **RAID Configuration Guide** from the ASUS website.

2. M.2 slot

The M.2 slot allows you to install M.2 devices such as M.2 SSD modules.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE M.2 slot



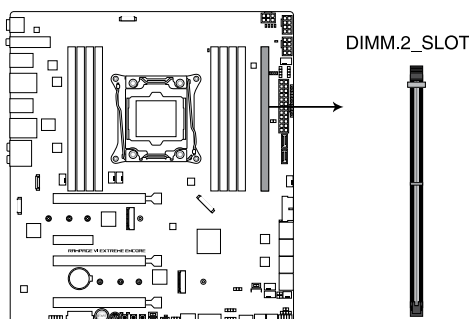
- M.2_1 socket supports PCIe 3.0 x4 and SATA mode M Key design and type 2242 / 2260 / 2280 storage devices.
- M.2_2 socket supports PCIe 3.0 x4 mode M Key design and type 2242 / 2260 / 2280 storage devices.
- The PCIe 3.0 x4 slot shares bandwidth with M.2_2.
- M.2_1 and M.2_2 sockets support IRST (Intel® Rapid Storage Technology).



The M.2 SSD module is purchased separately.

3. DIMM.2 slot

The DIMM.2 slot allows you to install a DIMM.2 card to support additional M.2 SSD modules.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE
288-pin DDR4 DIMM.2_SLOT socket



- Before you install or remove the DIMM.2 card, ensure that the power supply is switched off or the power cord is detached from the power supply. Failure to do so may cause severe damage to the motherboard or DIMM.2 card.
- The DIMM.2 card is notched to fit in only one orientation. Ensure that the notch on your card is aligned correctly with the DIMM.2 slot before inserting the card.



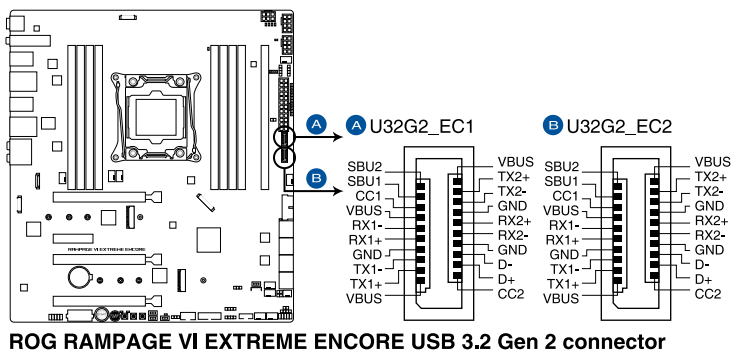
- DIMM.2 module supports PCIe 3.0 x4 M Key design and type 2242 / 2260 / 2280 / 22110 PCIe storage devices.
- These sockets support IRSTe (Intel® Rapid Storage Enterprise Technology).
- DIMM.2_2 will be disabled when the PCIe runs x16/x16/x8 mode on 48-Lane CPU.
- DIMM.2_2 will be disabled when the PCIe runs x16/x16/x4 mode on 44-Lane CPU.
- DIMM.2 will be disabled when using 28-Lane CPU.



The M.2 SSD module is purchased separately.

4. USB 3.2 Gen 2 connector

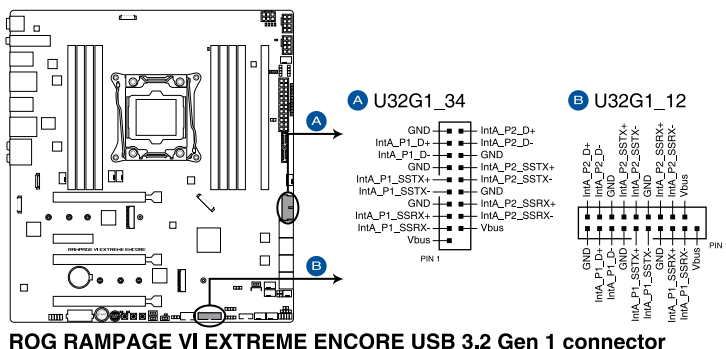
The USB 3.2 Gen 2 connector allows you to connect a USB 3.2 Gen 2 module for additional USB 3.2 Gen 2 ports. The USB 3.2 Gen 2 connector provides data transfer speeds of up to 10 Gb/s.



The USB 3.2 Gen 2 module is purchased separately.

5. USB 3.2 Gen 1 connector

The USB 3.2 Gen 1 connector allows you to connect a USB 3.2 Gen 1 module for additional USB 3.2 Gen 1 ports. The USB 3.2 Gen 1 connector provides data transfer speeds of up to 5 Gb/s.



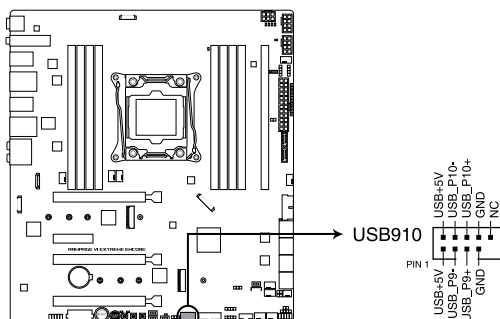
The USB 3.2 Gen 1 module is purchased separately.



The plugged USB 3.2 Gen 1 device may run on xHCI or EHCI mode depending on the operating system's setting.

6. USB 2.0 connector

The USB 2.0 connector allows you to connect a USB module for additional USB 2.0 ports. The USB 2.0 connector provides data transfer speeds of up to 480 MB/s connection speed.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE USB 2.0 connector



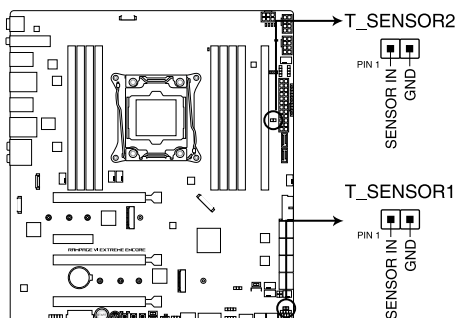
DO NOT connect a 1394 cable to the USB connectors. Doing so will damage the motherboard!



The USB 2.0 module is purchased separately.

7. Thermal Sensor connector

The Thermal Sensor connector allows you to connect a sensor to monitor the temperature of the devices and the critical components inside the motherboard. Connect the thermal sensor and place it on the device or the motherboard's component to detect its temperature.



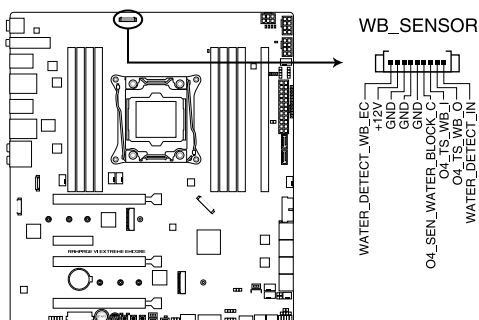
ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE Thermal Sensor connectors



The thermal sensor is purchased separately.

8. Water Block connector

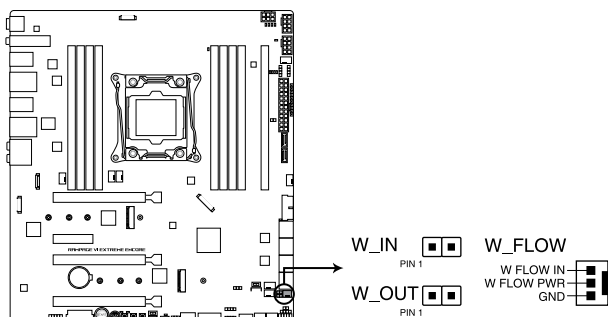
The Water Block connector allows you to connect sensors to monitor the temperature, flow rate, and water leak signals of your third party monoblocks. You can manually adjust the fans and water pump to optimize the thermal efficiency of your third party monoblocks.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE Water Block connector

9. Liquid Cooling System connectors

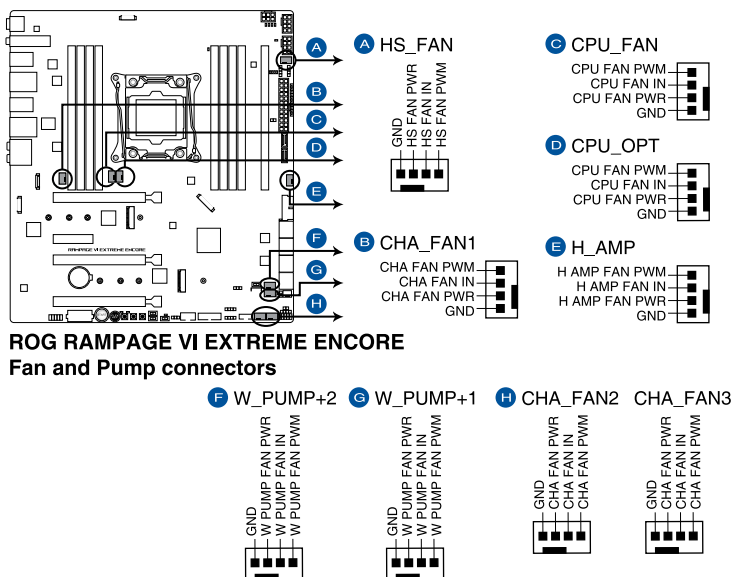
The Liquid Cooling System connectors allow you to connect sensors to monitor the temperature and flow rate of your liquid cooling system. You can manually adjust the fans and water pump to optimize the thermal efficiency of your liquid cooling system.



**ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE
Water Cooling System connectors**

10. Fan and Pump connectors

The Fan and Pump connectors allow you to connect fans or pumps to cool the system.



- DO NOT forget to connect the fan cables to the fan connectors. Insufficient air flow inside the system may damage the motherboard components. These are not jumpers! Do not place jumper caps on the fan connectors!
- Ensure the cable is fully inserted into the connector.

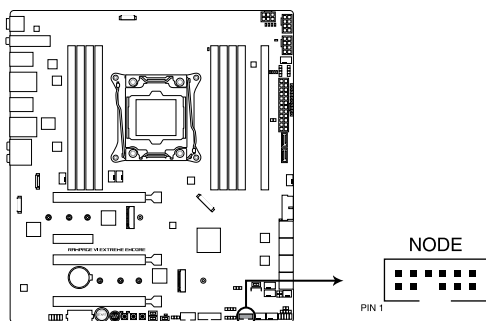


- For water cooling kits, connect the pump connector to the **W_PUMP+1** or **W_PUMP+2** connector, then connect the fan connectors to the **CPU_FAN** and **CPU_OPT** connectors.
- For better Q-Fan functions, we recommend using 4-pin PWM fans when you connect powerful fans (1A or above) onto the **H_AMP_FAN** connector.
- Ensure to disable Q-Fan functions if you want to connect powerful 3-pin DC fans (1A or above) onto the **H_AMP_FAN** connector.

Header	Max. Current	Max. Power	Default Speed	Shared Control
CPU_FAN	1A	12W	Q-Fan Controlled	A
CPU_OPT	1A	12W	Q-Fan Controlled	A
CHA_FAN1	1A	12W	Q-Fan Controlled	-
CHA_FAN2	1A	12W	Q-Fan Controlled	-
CHA_FAN3	1A	12W	Q-Fan Controlled	-
HS_FAN	1A	12W	Q-Fan Controlled	-
W_PUMP+1	3A	36W	Full-Speed	-
W_PUMP+2	3A	36W	Full-Speed	-
H_AMP_FAN	3A	36W	Q-Fan Controlled	-

11. Node connector

The Node connector allows you to connect a compatible PSU or control a compatible fan extension card.



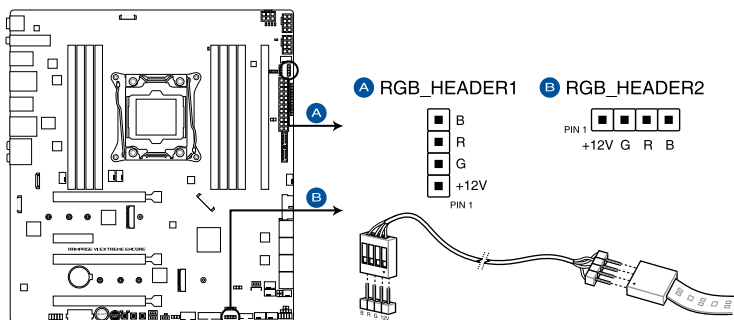
ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE Node connector



Visit www.asus.com for more information about the devices and the latest compatibility list.

12. AURA RGB LED connector

The AURA RGB LED connector allows you to connect RGB LED strips.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE AURA RGB LED connector



The AURA RGB LED connector supports 5050 RGB multi-color LED strips (12V/G/R/B), with a maximum power rating of 3A (12V), and no longer than 3m.



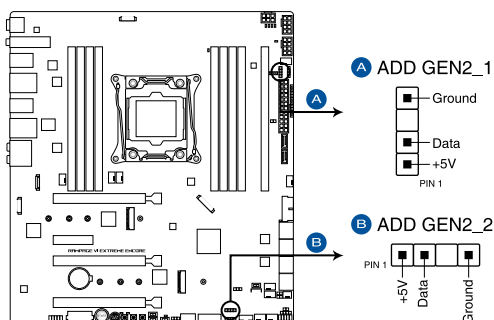
Before you install or remove any component, ensure that the power supply is switched off or the power cord is detached from the power supply. Failure to do so may cause severe damage to the motherboard, peripherals, or components.



- Actual lighting and color will vary with LED strip.
- If your LED strip does not light up, check if the RGB LED extension cable and the RGB LED strip is connected in the correct orientation, and the 12V connector is aligned with the 12V header on the motherboard.
- The LED strip will only light up when the system is powered on.
- The LED strip is purchased separately.

13. Addressable Gen2 LED connector

The Addressable Gen2 LED connector allows you to connect individually addressable RGB WS2812B LED strips or WS2812B based LED strips.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE Addressable Gen2 LED connector



The Addressable Gen2 LED connector supports WS2812B addressable RGB LED strips (5V/Data/Ground), with a maximum power rating of 3A (5V) and a maximum of 120 LEDs.



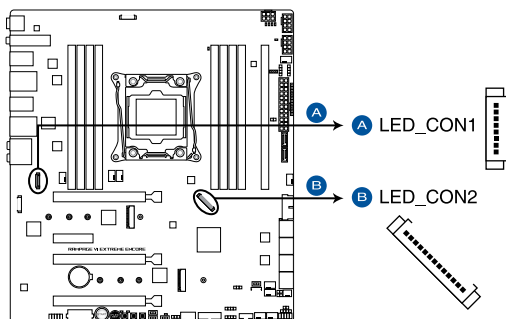
Before you install or remove any component, ensure that the power supply is switched off or the power cord is detached from the power supply. Failure to do so may cause severe damage to the motherboard, peripherals, or components.



- Actual lighting and color will vary with LED strip.
- If your LED strip does not light up, check if the addressable RGB LED strip is connected in the correct orientation, and the 5V connector is aligned with the 5V header on the motherboard.
- The addressable RGB LED strip will only light up when the system is powered on.
- The addressable RGB LED strip is purchased separately.

14. LED connector

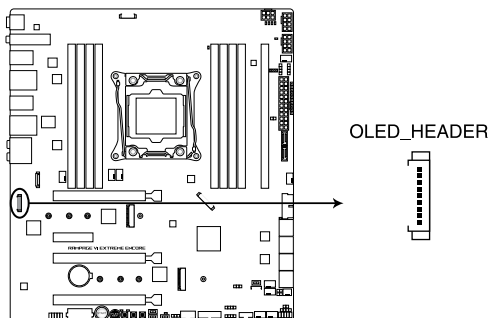
The LED connector is for connecting the LED strips on your rear I/O or PCH cover.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE LED connectors

15. OLED connector

The OLED connector allows you to connect the LiveDash OLED panel. The OLED panel provides you a quick overview of the system temperature, power status, and fan speeds when your system boots up.



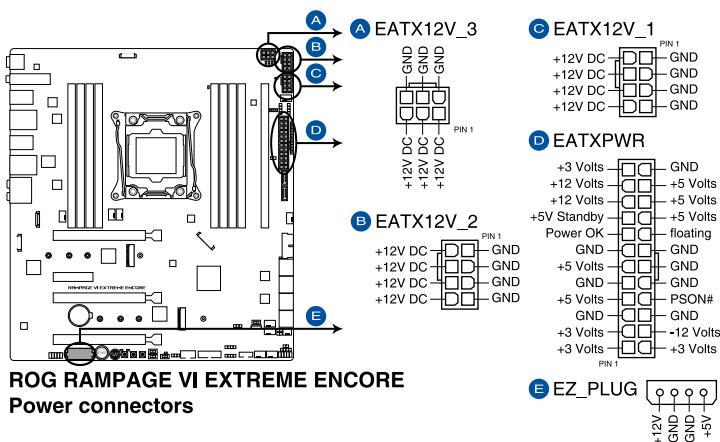
ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE OLED connector



- Use the **ROG LiveDash Utility** to configure and customize the LiveDash OLED panel.
- The LiveDash OLED displays a Q-Code that provides the most probable cause of an error code as a starting point for troubleshooting. The actual cause may vary from case to case.
- Please refer to the Q-Code table in the **Appendix** section for more details.

16. Power connectors

These Power connectors allow you to connect your motherboard to a power supply. The power supply plugs are designed to fit in only one orientation, find the proper orientation and push down firmly until the power supply plugs are fully inserted.



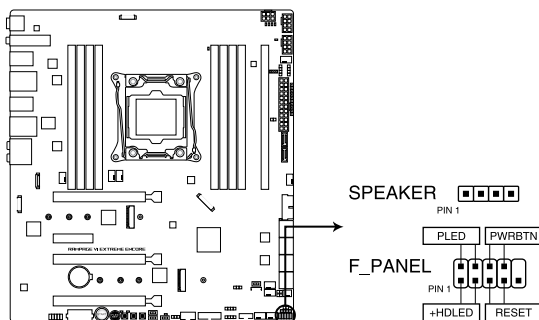
- DO NOT connect the 6-pin power plug only, the motherboard may overheat under heavy usage.
- Ensure to connect the 8-pin power plug, or connect both the 8-pin and 6-pin power plugs.



- For a fully configured system, we recommend that you use a power supply unit (PSU) that complies with ATX 12 V Specification 2.0 (or later version) and provides a minimum power of 350 W.
- Connect the 4-pin EZ_PLUG power plugs to ensure sufficient power when you install multiple graphics cards.
- We recommend that you use a PSU with a higher power output when configuring a system with more power-consuming devices. The system may become unstable or may not boot up if the power is inadequate.
- If you want to use two or more high-end PCIe x16 cards, use a PSU with 1000W power or above to ensure the system stability.

17. System Panel connector

The System Panel connector supports several chassis-mounted functions.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE System panel connector

- **System Power LED connector (PLED)**

The 2-pin connector allows you to connect the System Power LED. The System Power LED lights up when the system is connected to a power source, or when you turn on the system power, and blinks when the system is in sleep mode.

- **Storage Device Activity LED connector (HDLED)**

The 2-pin connector allows you to connect the Storage Device Activity LED. The Storage Device Activity LED lights up or blinks when data is read from or written to the storage device or storage device add-on card.

- **System Warning Speaker connector (SPEAKER)**

The 4-pin connector allows you to connect the chassis-mounted system warning speaker. The speaker allows you to hear system beeps and warnings.

- **Power Button/Soft-off Button connector (PWRBTN)**

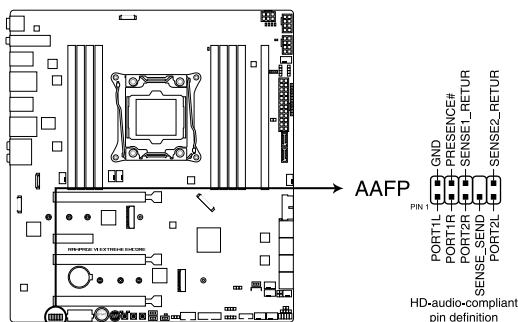
The 3-1 pin connector allows you to connect the system power button. Press the power button to power up the system, or put the system into sleep or soft-off mode (depending on the operating system settings).

- **Reset button connector (RESET)**

The 2-pin connector allows you to connect the chassis-mounted reset button. Press the reset button to reboot the system.

18. Front Panel Audio connector

The front panel audio connector is for a chassis-mounted front panel audio I/O module that supports HD Audio. Connect one end of the front panel audio I/O module cable to this connector.



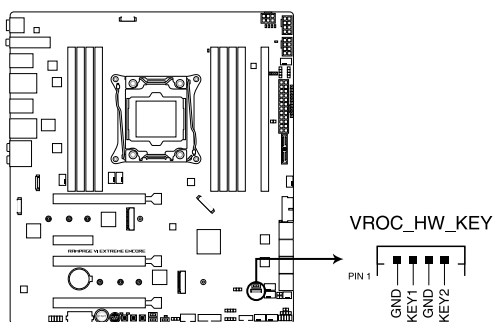
ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE Front Panel Audio connector



We recommend that you connect a high-definition front panel audio module to this connector to avail of the motherboard's high-definition audio capability.

19. VROC Key connector

The VROC (Virtual Raid on CPU) Key connector allows you to connect a VROC hardware key to enable additional CPU RAID functions with Intel® CPU RSTe.



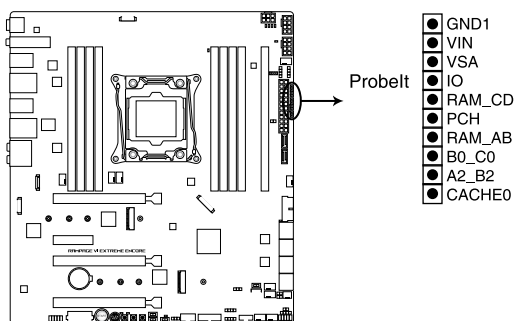
ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE VROC Key connector



- The VROC hardware key is purchased separately.
- Due to CPU behavior, CPU RAID functions with Intel® CPU RSTe only supports Intel® Core™ X-series Processors (6-core or above) and Intel® SSD modules.

1.11 Probelt

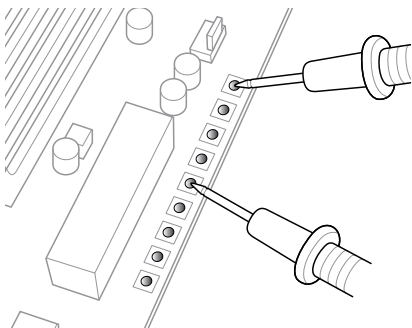
The ROG Probelt allows you to detect your system's current voltage and OC settings using a multimeter. You can also measure the Probelt points during overclocking.



ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE Probelt

Using Probelt

Connect one of the probe onto the **GND** Probelt point, then connect the other probe onto another Probelt point to measure the corresponding voltage information.



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Basic Installation

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2.1 Building your PC system

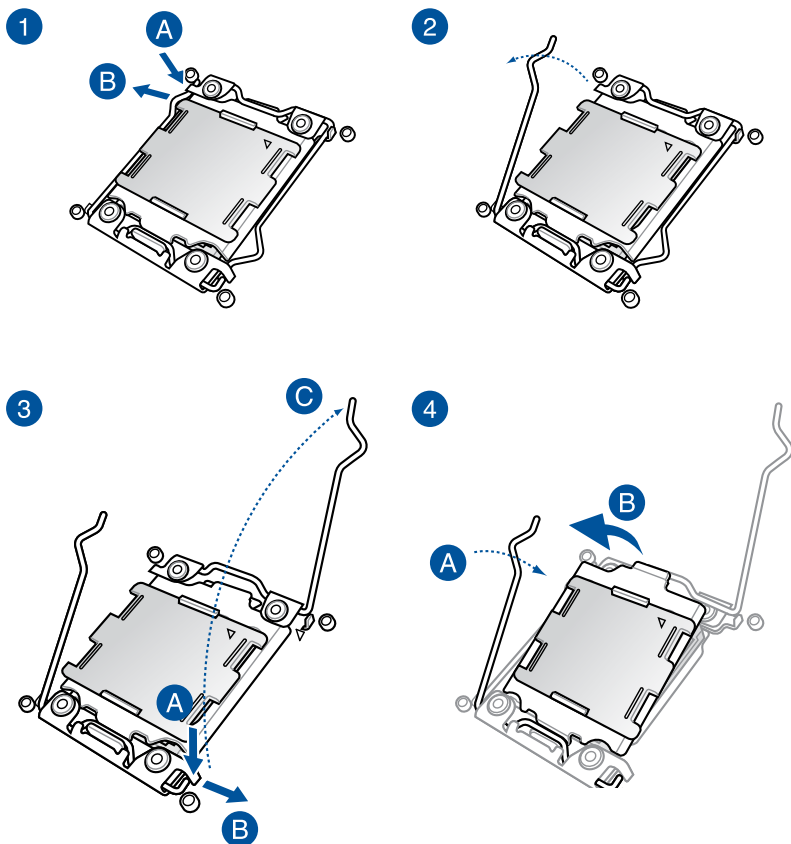


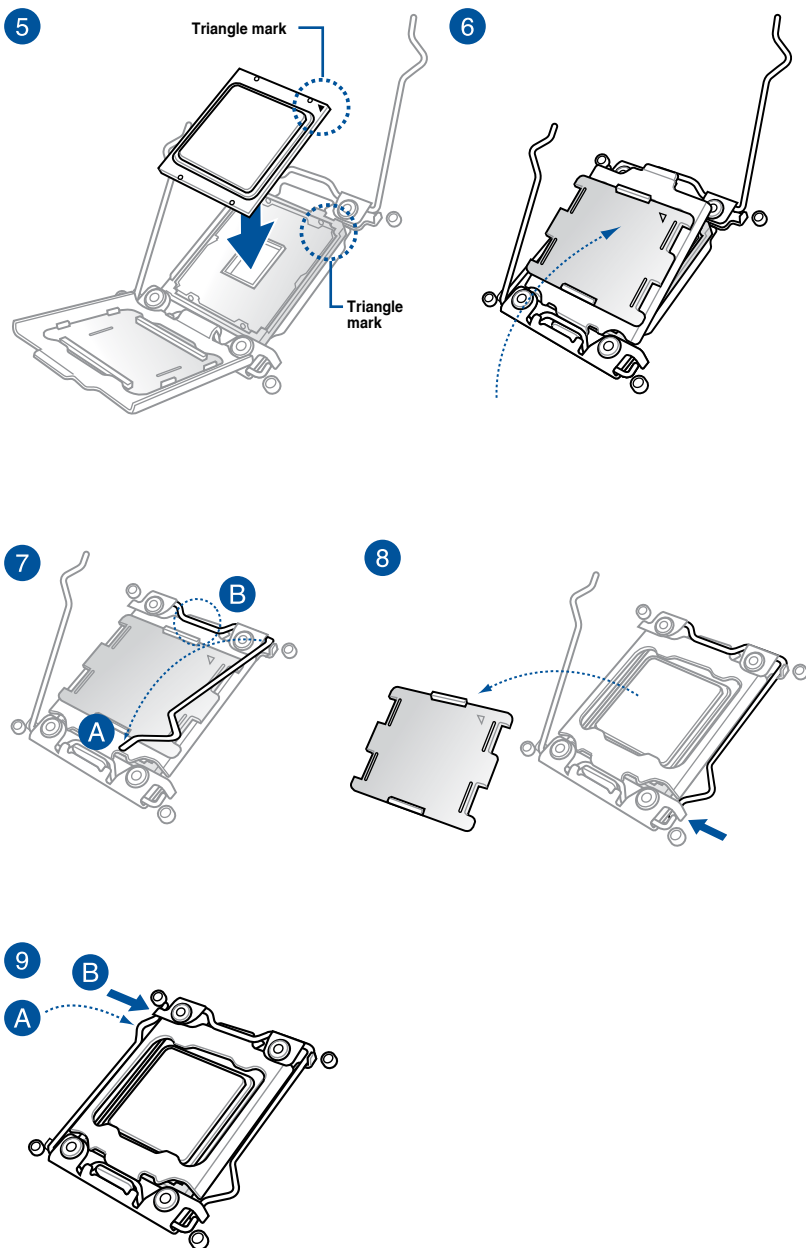
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2.1.1 CPU installation

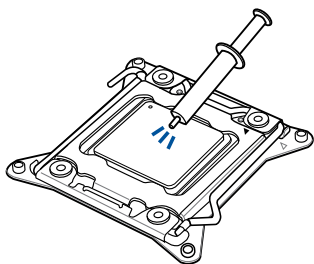


Please note the order in opening/ closing the double latch. Follow the instructions printed on the metal sealing hatch or the illustrations shown below in this manual. The plastic cap will pop up automatically once the CPU is in place and the hatch properly sealed down.



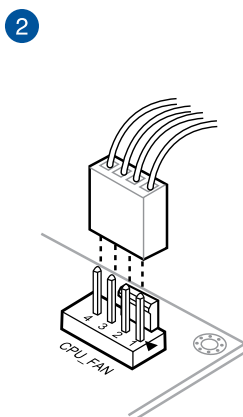
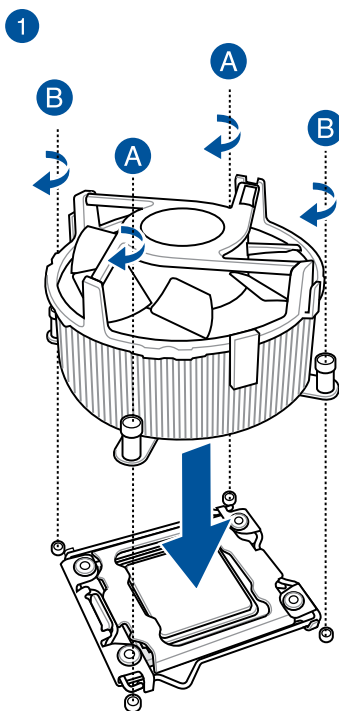


2.1.2 Cooling system installation



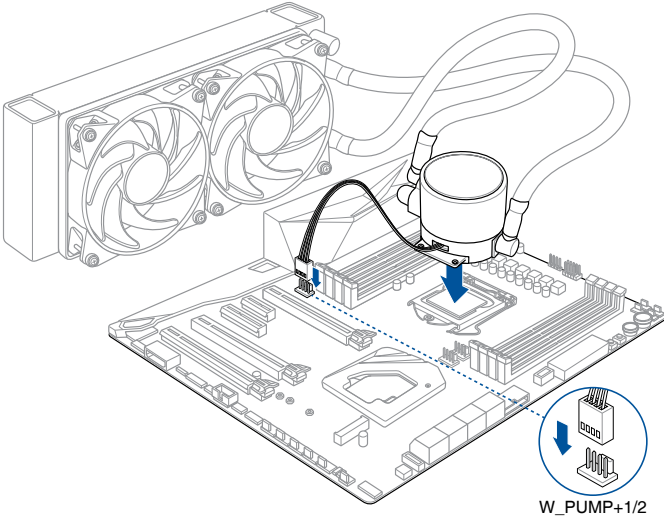
Apply the Thermal Interface Material to the CPU heatsink and CPU before you install the heatsink and fan, if necessary.

To install the CPU heatsink and fan assembly:

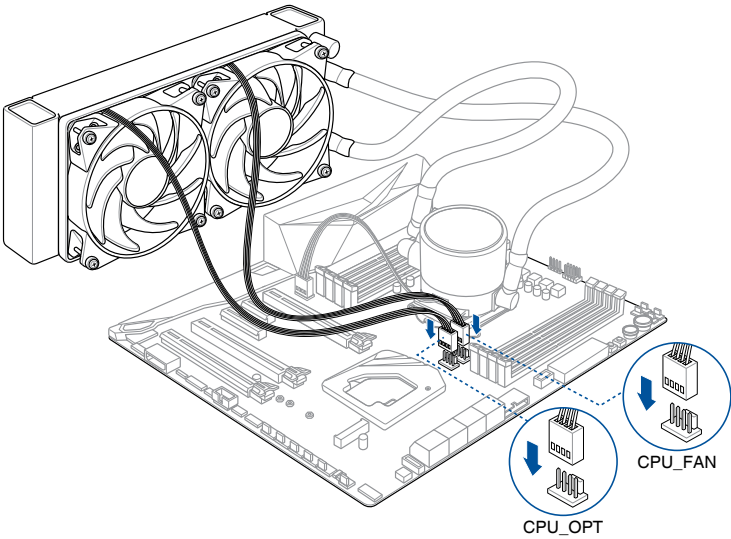


To install an AIO cooler

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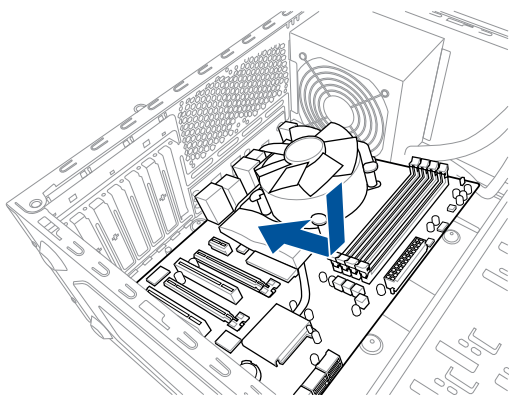


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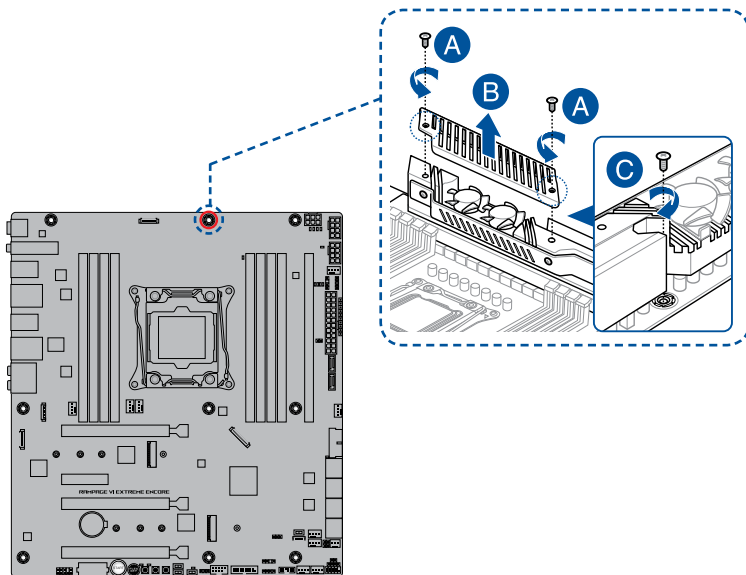


2.1.3 Motherboard installation

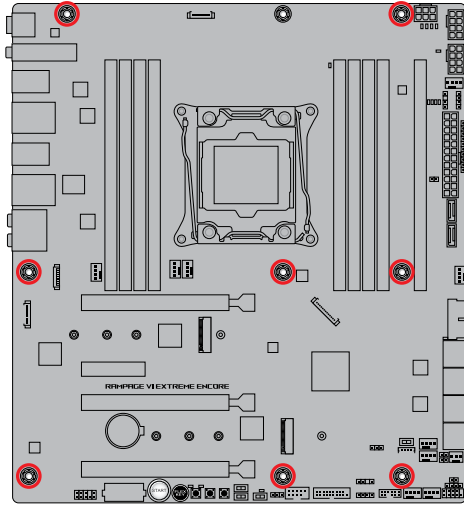
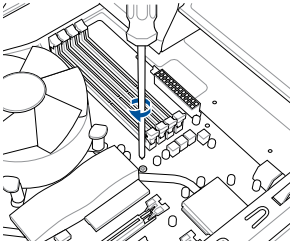
1. Place the motherboard into the chassis, ensuring that its rear I/O ports are aligned to the chassis' rear I/O panel.



2. Remove the two screws on the heatsink fan cover (A), then remove the heatsink fan cover to reveal a screw hole (B). Secure a screw into the screw hole (C).

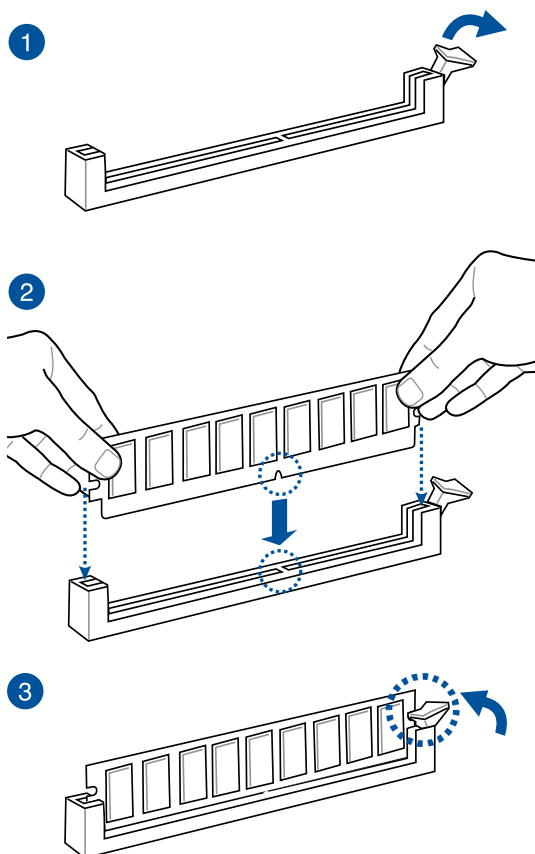


3. Place eight (8) screws into the remaining holes indicated by circles to secure the motherboard to the chassis.

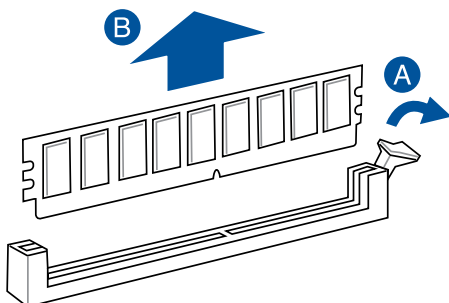


DO NOT overtighten the screws! Doing so can damage the motherboard.

2.1.4 DIMM installation

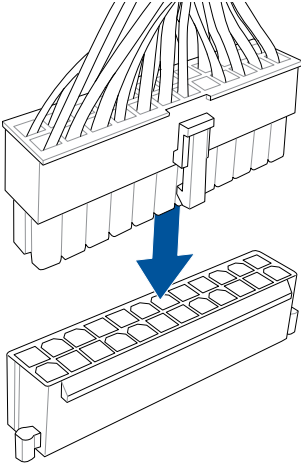


To remove a DIMM

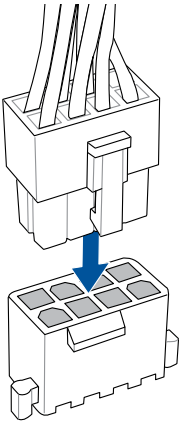


2.1.5 ATX power connection

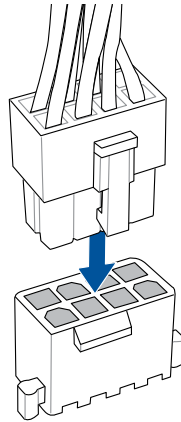
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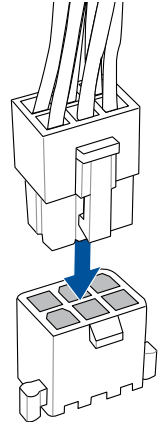
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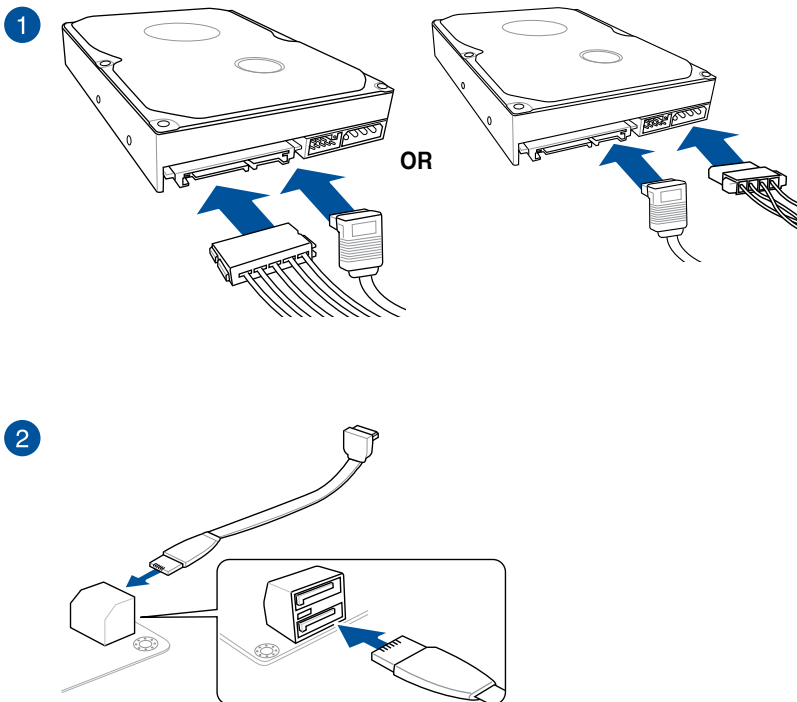


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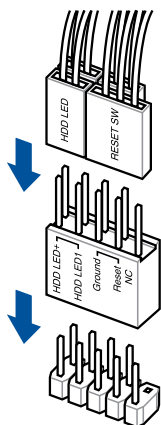
- DO NOT connect the 6-pin power plug only, the motherboard may overheat under heavy usage.
- Ensure to connect the 8-pin power plug, or connect both the 8-pin and 6-pin power plugs.

2.1.6 SATA device connection

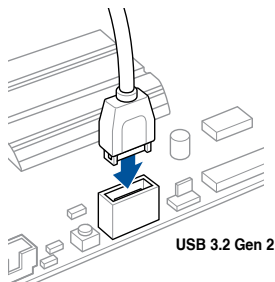


2.1.7 Front I/O connector

To install ASUS Q-Connector

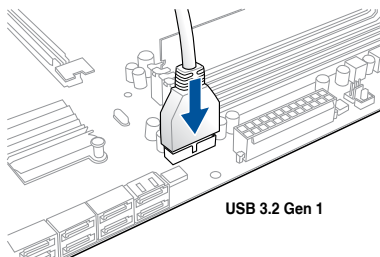


To install USB 3.2 Gen 2 connector

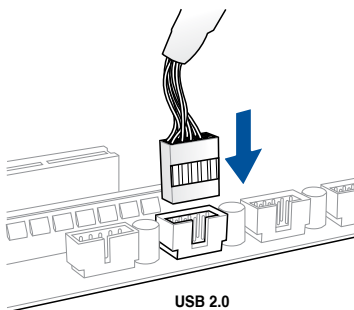


This connector will only fit in one orientation. Push the connector until it clicks into place.

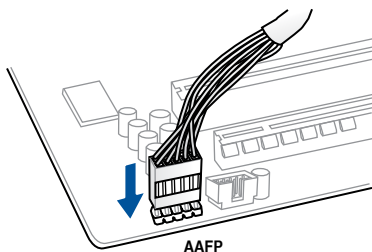
To install USB 3.2 Gen 1 connector



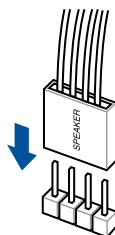
To install USB 2.0 connector



To install front panel audio connector

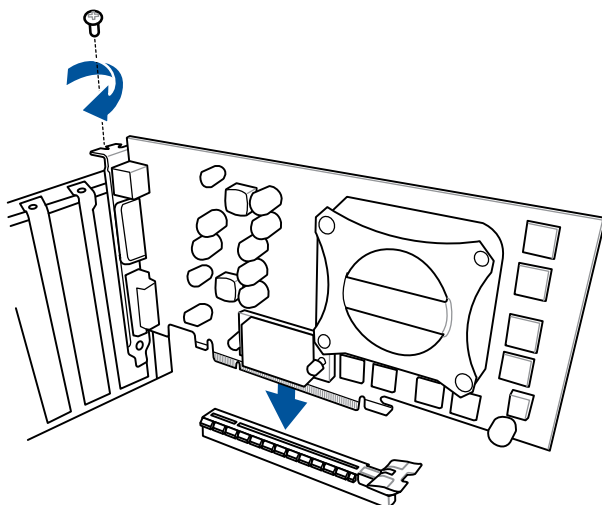


To install system speaker connector

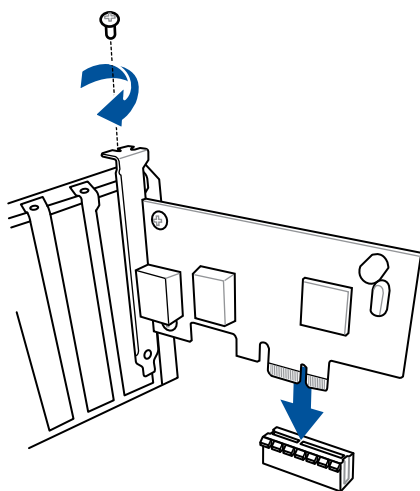


2.1.8 Expansion card installation

To install PCIe x16 cards

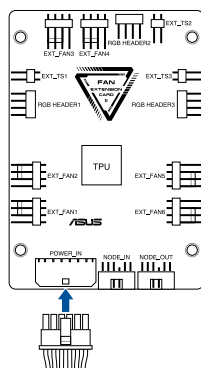


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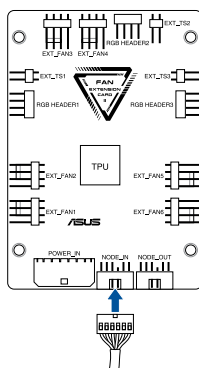


To install FAN EXTENSION CARD

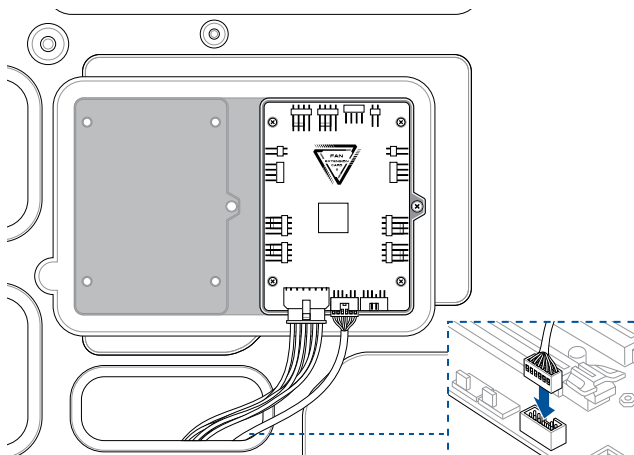
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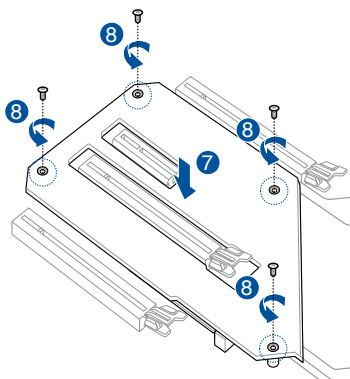
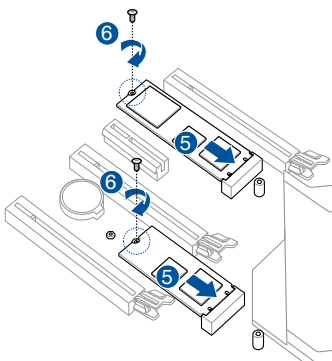
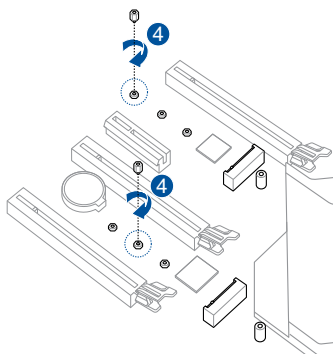
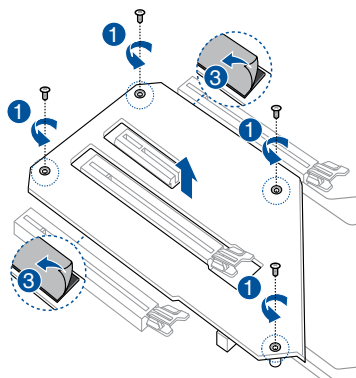


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2.1.9 M.2 installation



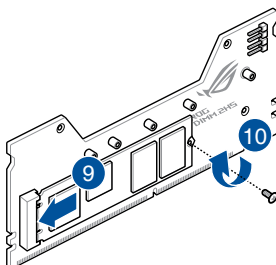
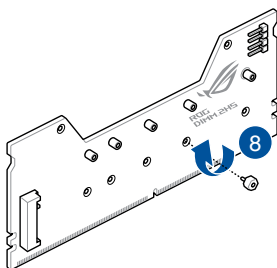
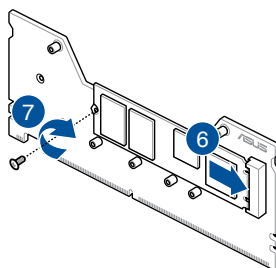
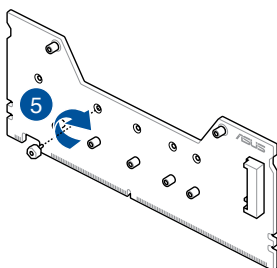
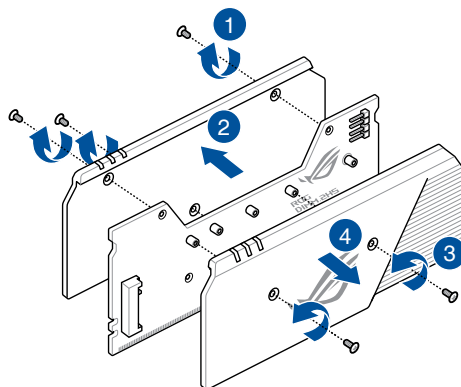
Supported M.2 type varies per motherboard.

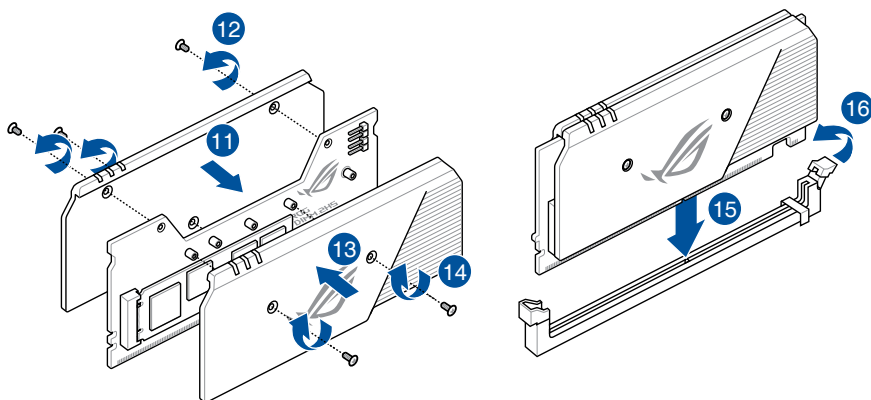


2.1.10 DIMM.2 installation



- Supported M.2 type varies per motherboard.
- The M.2 SSD module is purchased separately.





- Before you install or remove the DIMM.2 card, ensure that the ATX power supply is switched off or the power cord is detached from the power supply. Failure to do so may cause severe damage to the motherboard or DIMM.2 card.
- The DIMM.2 card is notched to fit in only one orientation. Ensure that the notch on your card is aligned correctly with the DIMM.2 slot before inserting the card.

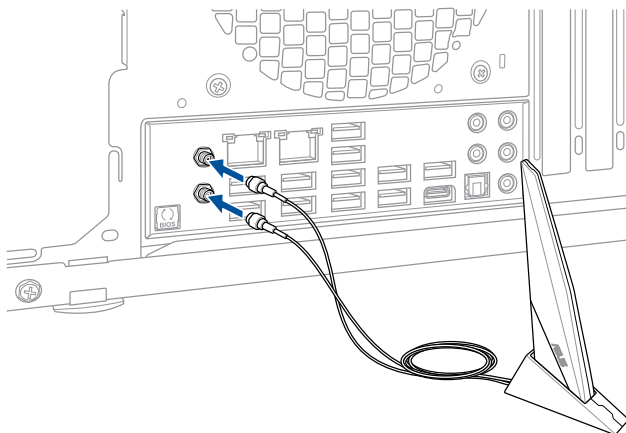


- DIMM.2 module supports PCIe 3.0 x4 M Key design and type 2242 / 2260 / 2280 / 22110 PCIe storage devices.
- DIMM.2_2 will be disabled when the PCIe runs x16/x16/x8 mode on 48-Lane CPU.
- DIMM.2_2 will be disabled when the PCIe runs x16/x16/x4 mode on 44-Lane CPU.
- DIMM.2 will be disabled when using 28-Lane CPU.
- When using the DIMM.2 Heatsink module, we recommend removing the M.2 SSD's default thermal heatsink before installing the M.2 SSD to the DIMM.2 Heatsink module.
- If your M.2 SSD does not feature a flash chip on the back, please remove the default M.2 pads on your DIMM.2 module and replace them with the bundled taller M.2 pads.

2.1.11 Wi-Fi antenna installation

Installing the ASUS 2x2 dual band W-Fi antenna

Connect the bundled ASUS 2x2 dual band Wi-Fi antenna connector to the Wi-Fi ports at the back of the chassis.



- Ensure that the ASUS 2x2 dual band Wi-Fi antenna is securely installed to the Wi-Fi ports.
- Ensure that the antenna is at least 20 cm away from all persons.



The illustration above is for reference only. The I/O port layout may vary with models, but the Wi-Fi antenna installation procedure is the same for all models.

2.2 BIOS update utility

BIOS FlashBack™

BIOS FlashBack™ allows you to easily update the BIOS without entering the existing BIOS or operating system. Simply insert a USB storage device to the USB port (the USB port hole marked in green on the I/O shield) then press the BIOS FlashBack™ button for three seconds to automatically update the BIOS.

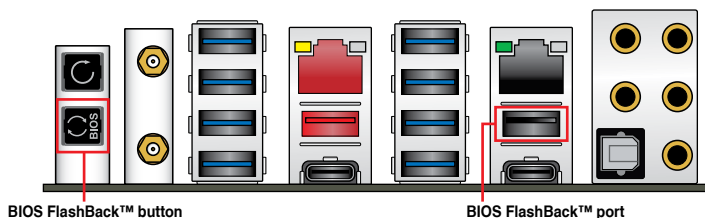
To use BIOS FlashBack™:

1. Insert a USB storage device to the BIOS FlashBack™ port.



We recommend you to use a USB 2.0 storage device to save the latest BIOS version for better compatibility and stability.

2. Visit <https://www.asus.com/support/> and download the latest BIOS version for this motherboard.
3. Rename the file as **R6EE.CAP**, then copy it to your USB storage device.
4. Shut down your computer.
5. Press the BIOS FlashBack™ button for three seconds until the FlashBack™ LED blinks three times, indicating that the BIOS FlashBack™ function is enabled.



6. Wait until the light goes out, indicating that the BIOS updating process is completed.



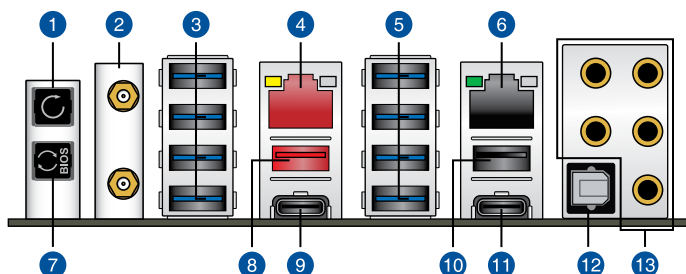
For more BIOS update utilities in BIOS setup, refer to the section **Updating BIOS** in Chapter 3.



- Do not unplug portable disk, power system, or press the CLR_CMOS button while BIOS update is ongoing, otherwise update will be interrupted. In case of interruption, please follow the steps again.
- If the light flashes for five seconds and turns into a solid light, this means that the BIOS FlashBack™ is not operating properly. This may be caused by improper installation of the USB storage device and filename/file format error. If this scenario happens, please restart the system to turn off the light.
- Updating BIOS may have risks. If the BIOS program is damaged during the process and results to the system's failure to boot up, please contact your local ASUS Service Center.

2.3 Motherboard rear and audio connections

2.3.1 Rear I/O connection



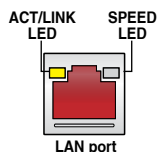
Rear panel connectors

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| 1. | Clear CMOS button (CLR_CMOS). Press this button to clear the BIOS setup information only when the systems hangs due to overclocking. |
| 2. | Wi-Fi 802.11 a/b/g/n/ac/ax, Bluetooth V5.0 |
| 3. | USB 3.2 Gen 1 ports E5678 |
| 4. | LAN (RJ-45) port* |
| 5. | USB 3.2 Gen 1 ports 3,4,5, and 6 |
| 6. | Aquantia AQC-107 10G LAN port* |
| 7. | BIOS FlashBack™ button |
| 8. | USB 3.2 Gen 2 Type-A port E4 |
| 9. | USB 3.2 Gen 2 Type-C™ port EC3 |
| 10. | USB 2.0 port 8. Supports BIOS FlashBack™ function. |
| 11. | USB 3.2 Gen 2x2 Type-C™ port EC1 |
| 12. | Optical S/PDIF OUT port |
| 13. | Color-coded LED Audio Jacks** |

* and **: Refer to the tables on the next page for LAN port LEDs, and audio port definitions.

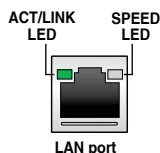
* LAN port LED indications

Activity Link LED		Speed LED	
Status	Description	Status	Description
Off	No link	Off	10 Mbps connection
Orange	Linked	Orange	100 Mbps connection
Blinking	Data activity	Green	1 Gbps connection



Aquantia AQC-107 10G LAN port LED indications

Activity Link LED		Speed LED	
Status	Description	Status	Description
OFF	No link	OFF	No link
GREEN	Linked	GREEN	10 Gbps
BLINKING	Data activity	ORANGE	5 Gbps/ 2.5 Gbps/ 1Gbps/ 100 Mbps connection

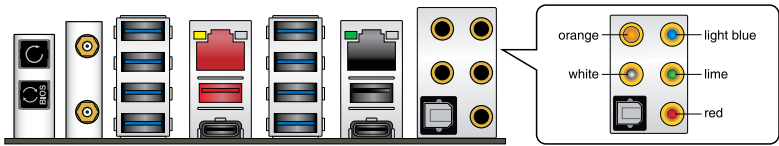


** Audio 2, 4, 5.1 or 7.1-channel configuration

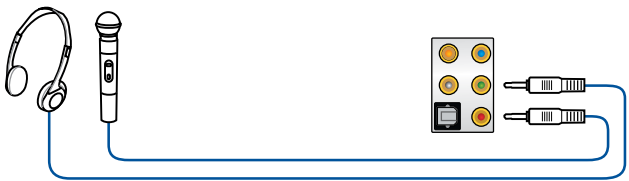
Port	Headset 2-channel	4-channel	5.1-channel	7.1-channel
Light Blue	Line In	Line In	Line In	Side Speaker Out
Lime	Line Out	Front Speaker Out	Front Speaker Out	Front Speaker Out
Red	Mic In	Mic In	Mic In	Mic In
Orange	–	–	Center/Sub woofer	Center/Sub woofer
White	–	Rear Speaker Out	Rear Speaker Out	Rear Speaker Out

2.3.2 Audio I/O connections

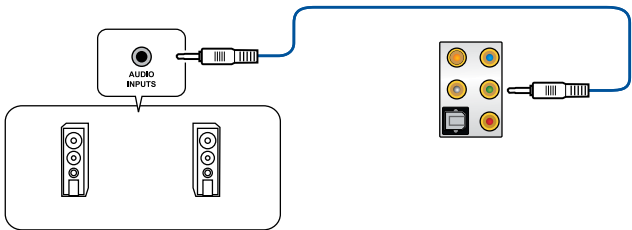
Audio I/O ports



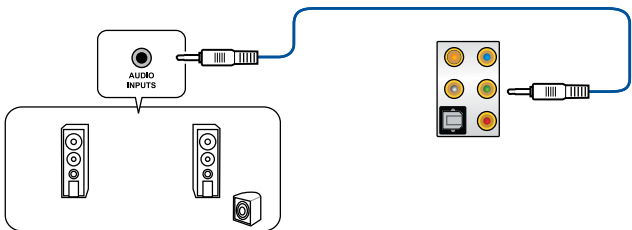
Connect to Headphone and Mic



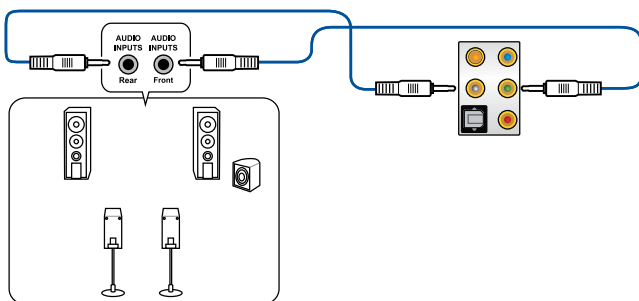
Connect to Stereo Speakers



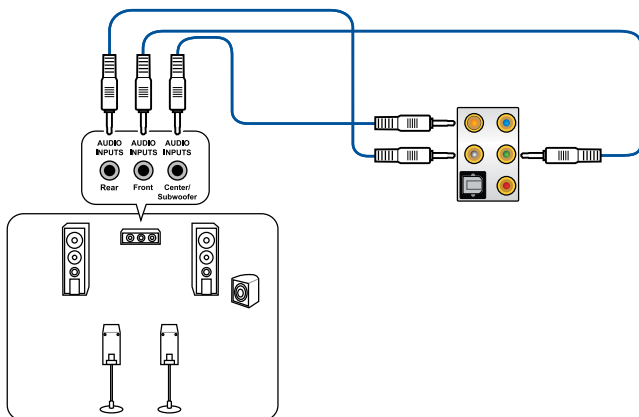
Connect to 2-channel Speakers



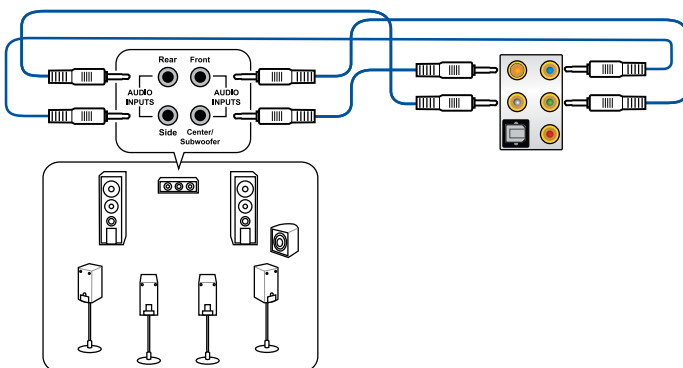
Connect to 4-channel Speakers



Connect to 5.1-channel Speakers



Connect to 7.1-channel Speakers



2.4 Starting up for the first time

1. After making all the connections, replace the system case cover.
2. Ensure that all switches are off.
3. Connect the power cord to the power connector at the back of the system chassis.
4. Connect the power cord to a power outlet that is equipped with a surge protector.
5. Turn on the devices in the following order:
 - a. Monitor
 - b. External storage devices (starting with the last device on the chain)
 - c. System power
6. After applying power, the system power LED on the system front panel case lights up. For systems with ATX power supplies, the system LED lights up when you press the ATX power button. If your monitor complies with the “green” standards or if it has a “power standby” feature, the monitor LED may light up or change from orange to green after the system LED turns on.

The system then runs the power-on self tests (POST). While the tests are running, the BIOS beeps (refer to the BIOS beep codes table) or additional messages appear on the screen. If you do not see anything within 30 seconds from the time you turned on the power, the system may have failed a power-on test. Check the jumper settings and connections or call your retailer for assistance.

BIOS Beep	Description
One short beep	VGA detected Quick boot set to disabled No keyboard detected
One continuous beep followed by two short beeps then a pause (repeated)	No memory detected
One continuous beep followed by three short beeps	No VGA detected
One continuous beep followed by four short beeps	Hardware component failure

7. At power on, hold down the <Delete> key to enter the BIOS Setup. Follow the instructions in Chapter 3.

2.5 Turning off the computer

While the system is ON, press the power button for less than four seconds to put the system on sleep mode or soft-off mode, depending on the BIOS setting. Press the power switch for more than four seconds to let the system enter the soft-off mode regardless of the BIOS setting.

BIOS Setup

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3.1 Knowing BIOS



The new ASUS UEFI BIOS is a Unified Extensible Interface that complies with UEFI architecture, offering a user-friendly interface that goes beyond the traditional keyboard-only BIOS controls to enable a more flexible and convenient mouse input. You can easily navigate the new UEFI BIOS with the same smoothness as your operating system. The term "BIOS" in this user manual refers to "UEFI BIOS" unless otherwise specified.

BIOS (Basic Input and Output System) stores system hardware settings such as storage device configuration, overclocking settings, advanced power management, and boot device configuration that are needed for system startup in the motherboard CMOS. In normal circumstances, the default BIOS settings apply to most conditions to ensure optimal performance. **DO NOT change the default BIOS settings** except in the following circumstances:

- An error message appears on the screen during the system bootup and requests you to run the BIOS Setup.
- You have installed a new system component that requires further BIOS settings or update.



Inappropriate BIOS settings may result to instability or boot failure. **We strongly recommend that you change the BIOS settings only with the help of a trained service personnel.**



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- When downloading or updating the BIOS file, rename it as **R6EE.CAP** for this motherboard.
 - BIOS settings and options may vary due to different BIOS release versions. Please refer to the latest BIOS version for settings and options.
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3.2 BIOS setup program

Use the BIOS Setup to update the BIOS or configure its parameters. The BIOS screen include navigation keys and brief onscreen help to guide you in using the BIOS Setup program.

Entering BIOS at startup

To enter BIOS Setup at startup, press <Delete> or <F2> during the Power-On Self Test (POST). If you do not press <Delete> or <F2>, POST continues with its routines.

Entering BIOS Setup after POST

To enter BIOS Setup after POST:

- Press <Ctrl>+<Alt>+<Delete> simultaneously.
- Press the reset button on the system chassis.
- Press the power button to turn the system off then back on. Do this option only if you failed to enter BIOS Setup using the first two options.

After doing either of the three options, press <Delete> key to enter BIOS.



- The BIOS setup screens shown in this section are for reference purposes only, and may not exactly match what you see on your screen.
- Ensure that a USB mouse is connected to your motherboard if you want to use the mouse to control the BIOS setup program.
- If the system becomes unstable after changing any BIOS setting, load the default settings to ensure system compatibility and stability. Select the **Load Optimized Defaults** item under the **Exit** menu or press hotkey <F5>. See section **Exit Menu** for details.
- If the system fails to boot after changing any BIOS setting, try to clear the CMOS and reset the motherboard to the default value. See section **Rear I/O connection** in your user manual for the location of the Clear CMOS button to clear RTC RAM.
- The BIOS setup program does not support the Bluetooth devices.



Please visit ASUS website for the detailed BIOS content manual.

BIOS menu screen

The BIOS Setup program can be used under two modes: **EZ Mode** and **Advanced Mode**. You can change modes from **Setup Mode** in **Boot menu** or by pressing the <F7> hotkey.

3.2.1 Advanced Mode

The Advanced Mode provides advanced options for experienced end-users to configure the BIOS settings. The figure below shows an example of the Advanced Mode. Refer to the following sections for the detailed configurations.

The default screen for entering the BIOS setup program can be changed. Refer to the **Setup Mode** item in section **Boot menu** for details.



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My Favorites Main **Extreme Tweaker** Advanced Monitor Boot Tool Exit

LN2 Mode Disabled

Target CPU Turbo-Mode Frequency : 4400MHz
Target CPU @ AVX Frequency : 3700MHz
Target CPU @ AVX-512 Frequency : 3500MHz
Target DRAM Frequency : 2133MHz
Target Cache Frequency : 2400MHz

> Overclocking Presets

AI Overclock Tuner Auto

ASUS MultiCore Enhancement

AVX Instruction Core Ratio Negative Offset

AVX-512 Instruction Core Ratio Negative Offset

Current AVX Instruction Core Ratio Negative Offset 0

Current AVX-512 Instruction Core Ratio Negative Offset 0

CPU Core Ratio By Core Usage

[Manual]: When the manual mode is selected, BCLK(base clock) frequency can be assigned manually.
[XMP]: When XMP(extreme memory profile) mode is selected, BCLK frequency and memory parameters will be optimized automatically.

Hardware Monitor

CPU/Memory

Frequency	Temperature
2800 MHz	50°C
BCLK	Core Voltage
100.0 MHz	0.853 V
Ratio	DRAM Freq.
28x	2133 MHz
Vol. CHAB	Capacity
1.217 V	4096 MB

Prediction

SP	Cooler
68	122 pts
V req for	2core Load
4400MHz	Stable
1.177 V	4468 MHz
Heavy AVX	4core Load
Stable	Stable
3414 MHz	4425 MHz
ALLcore Load	8core Load
Stable	Stable
4142 MHz	4283 MHz

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Menu items
General help
Last modified settings
Go back to EZ Mode
EZ Tuning Wizard
Search on the FAQ

Displays a quick overview of the system status and prediction

Menu bar

The menu bar on top of the screen has the following main items:

My Favorites	For saving the frequently-used system settings and configuration.
Main	For changing the basic system configuration
Extreme Tweaker	For changing the overclocking settings
Advanced	For changing the advanced system settings
Monitor	For displaying the system temperature, power status, and changing the fan settings.
Boot	For changing the system boot configuration
Tool	For configuring options for special functions
Exit	For selecting the exit options and loading default settings

Menu items

The highlighted item on the menu bar displays the specific items for that menu. For example, selecting **Main** shows the Main menu items.

The other items (My Favorites, Extreme Tweaker, Advanced, Monitor, Boot, Tool, and Exit) on the menu bar have their respective menu items.

Submenu items

A greater than sign (>) before each item on any menu screen means that the item has a submenu. To display the submenu, select the item and press <Enter>.

Language

This button above the menu bar contains the languages that you can select for your BIOS. Click this button to select the language that you want to display in your BIOS screen.

My Favorites(F3)

This button above the menu bar shows all BIOS items in a Tree Map setup. Select frequently-used BIOS settings and save it to MyFavorites menu.



Refer to section **My Favorites** for more information.

Q-Fan Control(F6)

This button above the menu bar displays the current settings of your fans. Use this button to manually tweak the fans to your desired settings.



Refer to section **QFan Control** for more information.

AI OC Guide(F11)

This button above the menu bar allows you to view the descriptions of AI overclocking and enable it.



- Refer to section **AI OC Guide** for more information.
- This function is only enabled when using an unlocked CPU.

Search (F9)

This button allows you to search for BIOS items by entering its name, enter the item name to find the related item listing.

AURA (F4)

This button allows you to turn the RGB LED lighting or functional LED on or off.

[All On]: All LEDs (Aura or Functional) will be enabled.

[Aura Only]: Aura LEDs will be enabled and functional LEDs will be disabled.

[Aura Off]: Aura LEDs will be disabled, however functional LEDs will still be enabled.

[Stealth Mode]: All LEDs (Aura and Functional) will be disabled.

Search on FAQ

Move your mouse over this button to show a QR code, scan this QR code on your mobile device to connect to the BIOS FAQ web page of the ASUS support website. You can also scan the following QR code:



Scroll bar

A scroll bar appears on the right side of a menu screen when there are items that do not fit on the screen. Press the Up/Down arrow keys or <Page Up> / <Page Down> keys to display the other items on the screen.

General help

At the bottom of the menu screen is a brief description of the selected item. Use <F12> key to capture the BIOS screen and save it to the removable storage device.

Configuration fields

These fields show the values for the menu items. If an item is user-configurable, you can change the value of the field opposite the item. You cannot select an item that is not user-configurable.

A configurable field is highlighted when selected. To change the value of a field, select it and press <Enter> to display a list of options.

Hot keys

This button contains the navigation keys for the BIOS setup program. Use the navigation keys to select items in the menu and change the settings.

EZ Tuning Wizard

This button allows you to view and configure the RAID settings of your system.



Refer to section **EZ Tuning Wizard** for more information.

Last Modified button

This button shows the items that you last modified and saved in BIOS Setup.

3.2.2 EZ Mode

The EZ Mode provides you an overview of the basic system information, and allows you to select the display language, system performance, mode and boot device priority. To access the Advanced Mode, select **Advanced Mode** or press the <F7> hotkey for the advanced BIOS settings.



To switch from Advanced Mode to EZ Mode, click **EZ Mode(F7)** or press the <F7> hotkey.

Displays a quick overview of the system status

Displays the system properties of the selected mode. Click < or > to switch modes

EZ Tuning Wizard

Selects the display language of the BIOS setup program

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Information

ROG RAMPAGE VI EXTREME ENCORE BIOS Ver. 0214

Intel(R) Core(TM) i9-7960X CPU @ 2.80GHz

Speed: 2800 MHz

Memory: 4096 MB (DDR4 2133MHz)

DRAM Status

DIMM_A1: N/A

DIMM_A2: N/A

DIMM_B1: N/A

DIMM_B2: N/A

DIMM_C1: Corsair-4096MB 2133MHz

DIMM_C2: N/A

DIMM_D1: N/A

DIMM_D2: N/A

X.M.P. Disabled

FAN Profile

CPU FAN 4787 RPM

CHA FAN1 N/A

CHA FAN2 N/A

HAMP N/A

EXT FAN1 N/A

CHA FAN3 N/A

CPU OPT FAN N/A

EXT FAN2 N/A

CPU Temperature

54°C

CPU Core Voltage

0.854 V

Motherboard Temperature

34°C

Storage Information

USB: JetFlashTranscend 4GB 8.07 (4.0GB)

Intel Rapid Storage Technology

On Off

CPU FAN

QFan Control

AI Overclocking

Click the icon below to enable the AI Overclocking feature. This feature can only be enabled when using an unlocked CPU.

Normal

Boot Priority

Choose one and drag the items.

Switch all

UEFI: JetFlashTranscend 4GB 8.07, Partition 1 (4.0GB)

JetFlashTranscend 4GB 8.07 (4.0GB)

Default(F5) Save & Exit(F10) Advanced Mode(F7) Search on FAQ

Enables or disables the PCIe & SATA RAID mode for Intel Rapid Storage Technology

Displays the CPU Fan's speed. Click the button to manually tune the fans

Loads optimized default settings

Saves the changes and resets the system

Click to go to Advanced mode

Search on the FAQ

Click to display boot devices

Selects the boot device priority



The boot device options vary depending on the devices you installed to the system.

3.2.3 Q-Fan Control

The Q-Fan Control allows you to set a fan profile or manually configure the operating speed of your CPU and chassis fans.

Click to select a fan to be configured

Select between different Q-Fan modes

Q-Fan Control

Select your target fan and then move the slider to select any of these profiles: Standard, Silent, Turbo and Full Speed. You can also move the slider to Manual and manually configure the fan's operating speed.

Optimize All

CPU FAN

CHA FAN1

CHA FAN2

CHA FAN3

HAMP FAN

W_PUMP+1

W_PUMP+2

EXT FAN1

EXT FAN2

EXT FAN3

EXT FAN4

FUT FAN1

Standard Silent Turbo Full Speed Manual

Undo Apply Exit (ESC)

Select a profile to apply to your fans

Click to apply the fan setting

Click to undo the changes

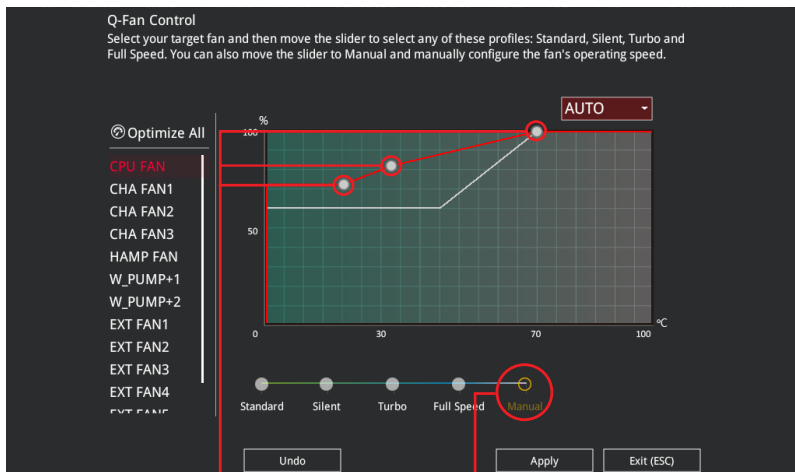
Click to go back to main menu

Select to manually configure your fans

The screenshot shows the Q-Fan Control interface. At the top, a title 'Q-Fan Control' is followed by a descriptive paragraph. Below this is a list of fans: CPU FAN, CHA FAN1, CHA FAN2, CHA FAN3, HAMP FAN, W_PUMP+1, W_PUMP+2, EXT FAN1, EXT FAN2, EXT FAN3, EXT FAN4, and FUT FAN1. A red box highlights the first five fans, with an annotation 'Click to select a fan to be configured' pointing to it. To the right of the fan list is a graph showing fan speed (%) on the y-axis (0 to 100) and temperature (°C) on the x-axis (0 to 100). A yellow line represents the fan profile, starting at 50% speed at 0°C, rising to 100% at 70°C, and staying at 100% until 100°C. A dropdown menu at the top right shows 'AUTO'. Below the graph is a slider with five positions: Standard, Silent, Turbo, Full Speed, and Manual. A red box highlights the 'Manual' position, with an annotation 'Select to manually configure your fans' pointing to it. Below the slider are three buttons: 'Undo', 'Apply', and 'Exit (ESC)'. Annotations point to these buttons: 'Click to apply the fan setting' points to 'Apply', 'Click to undo the changes' points to 'Undo', and 'Click to go back to main menu' points to 'Exit (ESC)'. A red box also highlights the 'Optimize All' button at the top left, with an annotation 'Select a profile to apply to your fans' pointing to it.

Configuring fans manually

Select **Manual** from the list of profiles to manually configure your fans' operating speed.



Speed points

Select to manually
configure your fans

To configure your fans:

1. Select the fan that you want to configure and to view its current status.
2. Click and drag the speed points to adjust the fans' operating speed.
3. Click **Apply** to save the changes then click **Exit (ESC)**.

3.2.4 AI OC Guide



- The screenshot shown in this section is for reference purposes only, and may not exactly match what you see on your screen.
- This function is only enabled when using an unlocked CPU.

The AI OC Guide allows you to enable the AI Overclocking feature, or view a quick guide of the AI Overclocking feature which highlights the recommended setup procedure and descriptions of the AI Overclocking.

Clicking on **Enable AI** will enable AI Overclocking.

Introduction

About the AI Overclocking monitor pane in UEFI

The AI Overclocking feature

The following options are found within Extreme Tweaker> AI Features

On the right-side of the UEFI window, a variety of AI Overclocking stats are shown. This portion of the guide explains what each item means.

SP represents an assessment of the current platform.

Cooler Score refers to the efficiency of the cooler. Depending upon configuration of the "Cooler efficiency customizer" function, this value changes as data is collected by the motherboard. Contributing factors to the score include CPU Core temperatures, processor leakage, ambient temperatures, and CPU fan speeds. Typically, an air-cooler scores around 130pts, an AIO 150-160, and a custom water-loop around 170+ (ambient temps of 26 Celsius).

V req for target refers to the minimum voltage required for the target CPU frequency during normal (non-AVX) workloads. The value is based on Prime95 small FFT stability and referenced off the worst core.

2core Load Stable refers to the frequency sustainable when 2 cores are under load.

4core Load Stable refers to the frequency sustainable when 4 cores are under load.

8core Load Stable refers to the frequency sustainable when 8 cores are under load. Only applicable if there are more than 10cores.

Allcore Load Stable refers to the frequency sustainable when all cores are under load.

Heavy AVX Stable refers to the frequency sustainable when all cores are under load in heavy AVX workloads such as blender.

Previous

Next

Enable AI

Cancel

Quick guide topics

Click to view the previous topic in the quick guide

Click to view the next topic in the quick guide

Click to enable AI Overclocking

Click to go back to main menu

3.2.5 EZ Tuning Wizard

EZ Tuning Wizard allows you to easily set RAID in your system using this feature.

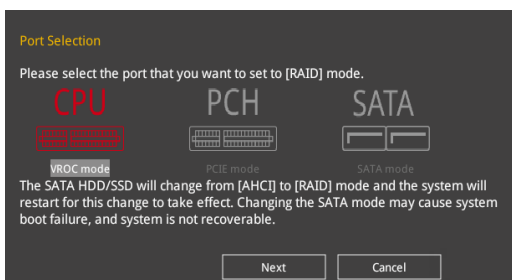
Creating RAID

To create RAID:

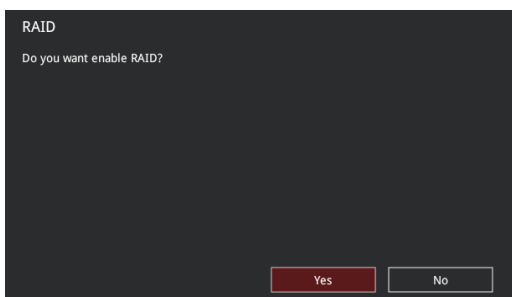
1. Click **EZ Tuning Wizard** from the BIOS screen to open EZ Tuning Wizard screen.
2. Click **RAID** then select the port that you want to set to [RAID] mode, **CPU**, **PCH** or **SATA**, then click **Next**.



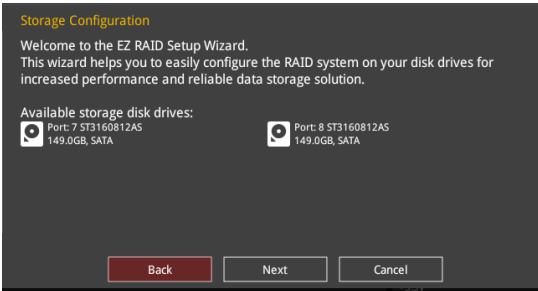
- Ensure that your HDDs have no existing RAID volumes.
- Ensure to connect your HDDs to Intel® SATA connectors.



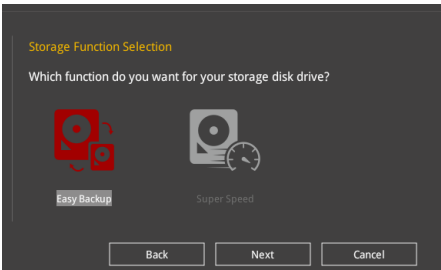
3. Select **Yes** to enable RAID.



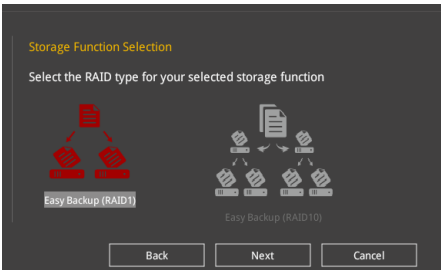
4. Click **Next** to proceed.



5. Select the type of storage for your RAID, **Easy Backup** or **Super Speed**, then click **Next**.

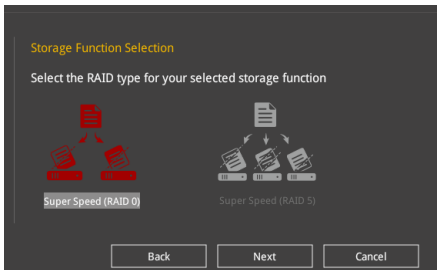


- a. For Easy Backup, click **Next** then select from **Easy Backup (RAID 1)** or **Easy Backup (RAID 10)**.



You can only select Easy Backup (RAID 10) if you connect four (4) HDDs.

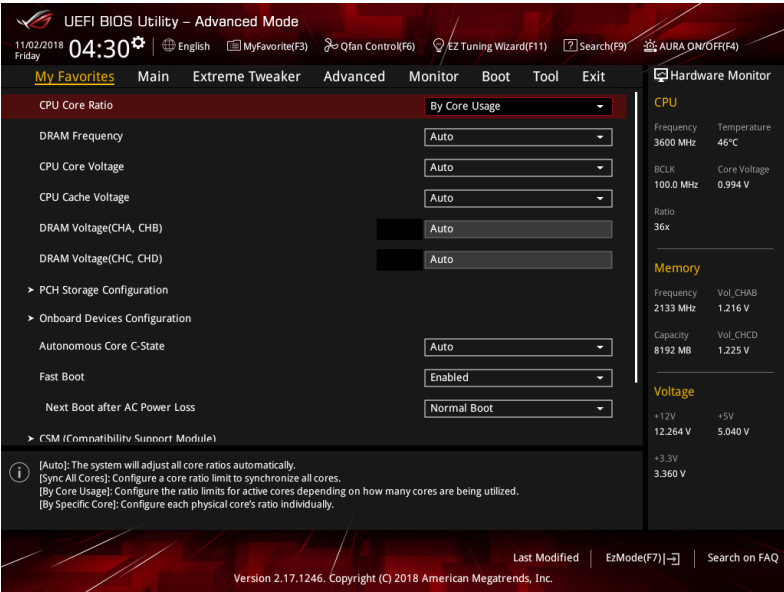
- b. For Super Speed, click **Next** then select from **Super Speed (RAID 0)** or **Super Speed (RAID 5)**.



6. After selecting the type of RAID, click **Next** then click **Yes** to continue the RAID setup.
7. After the RAID setup is done, click **Yes** to exit the setup then click **OK** to reset your system.

3.3 My Favorites

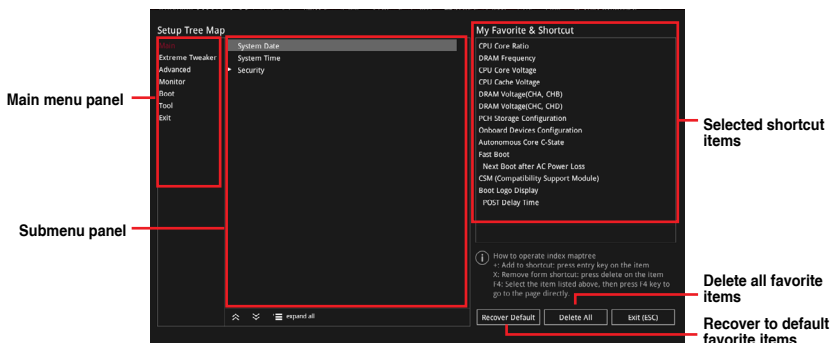
My Favorites is your personal space where you can easily save and access your favorite BIOS items. My Favorites comes with several performance, power saving, and fast boot related items by default. You can personalize this screen by adding or removing items.



Adding items to My Favorites

To add BIOS items:

1. Press <F3> on your keyboard or click **MyFavorite(F3)** from the BIOS screen to open Setup Tree Map screen.
2. On the Setup Tree Map screen, select the BIOS items that you want to save in My Favorites screen.



3. Select an item from main menu panel, then click the submenu that you want to save as favorite from the submenu panel and click **+** or press <Enter> on your keyboard.



You cannot add the following items to My Favorite items:

- Items with submenu options
- User-managed items such as language and boot order
- Configuration items such as Memory SPD Information, system time and date.

4. Click **Exit (ESC)** or press <Esc> key to close Setup Tree Map screen.
5. Go to My Favorites menu to view the saved BIOS items.

3.4 Main menu

The Main menu screen appears when you enter the Advanced Mode of the BIOS Setup program. The Main menu provides you an overview of the basic system information, and allows you to set the system date, time, language, and security settings.

Security

The Security menu items allow you to change the system security settings.



- If you have forgotten your BIOS password, erase the CMOS Real Time Clock (RTC) RAM to clear the BIOS password. See section **Rear I/O connection** for the location of the Clear CMOS button to clear RTC RAM.
- The Administrator or User Password items on top of the screen show the default **[Not Installed]**. After you set a password, these items show **[Installed]**.

3.5 Extreme Tweaker menu

The Extreme Tweaker menu items allow you to configure overclocking-related items.



Be cautious when changing the settings of the Extreme Tweaker menu items. Incorrect field values can cause the system to malfunction



The configuration options for this section vary depending on the CPU and DIMM model you installed on the motherboard.

Ai Overclock Tuner

Allows you to select the CPU overclocking options to achieve the desired CPU internal frequency.

- | | |
|----------|---|
| [Auto] | Loads the optimal settings for the system. |
| [Manual] | Allows you to individually set overclocking parameters. |
| [X.M.P.] | If you install memory modules supporting the eXtreme Memory Profile (X.M.P.) Technology, choose this item to set the profiles supported by your memory modules for optimizing the system performance. |



The [X.M.P.] configuration option appears only when you install memory modules supporting the eXtreme Memory Profile(X.M.P.) Technology.



The following item appears only when **Ai Overclocking Tuner** is set to **[Manual]**.

BCLK Frequency

This item allows you to set the BCLK (base clock) frequency to enhance the system performance. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value.



We recommend you to set the value based on the CPU specification, as high BCLK frequencies may damage the CPU permanently.

ASUS MultiCore Enhancement

- [Auto] This item allows you to maximize the overclocking performance optimized by ASUS core ratio settings.
- [Disabled] This item allows you to set to default core ratio settings.

CPU Core Ratio

This item allows you to set the CPU core ratios.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Sync All Cores] [By Core Usage] [By Specific Core] [All Optimized]

BCLK Frequency : DRAM Frequency Ratio

- [Auto] The BCLK frequency to DRAM frequency ratio will be set to the optimized setting.
- [100:133] The BCLK frequency to DRAM frequency ratio will be set to 100:133.
- [100:100] The BCLK frequency to DRAM frequency ratio will be set to 100:100.

DRAM Frequency

This item allows you to set the memory operating frequency. The configurable options vary with the BCLK (base clock) frequency setting. Select the auto mode to apply the optimized setting.

Configuration options: [Auto] [DDR4-800MHz] - [DDR4-4400MHz]

Internal CPU Power Management

The subitems in this menu allow you to set the CPU ratio and features.

Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology

Allows the operating system to dynamically adjust the processor voltage and cores frequency to decrease the average power consumption and decrease average heat production.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

Turbo Mode

Allows you to enable your processor cores to run faster than the base operating frequency when it is below power, current and specification limit.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

3.6 Advanced menu

The Advanced menu items allow you to change the settings for the CPU and other system devices.



Be cautious when changing the settings of the Advanced menu items. Incorrect field values can cause the system to malfunction.

3.6.1 CPU Configuration

The items in this menu show the CPU-related information that the BIOS automatically detects.



The items in this menu may vary based on the CPU installed.

Hyper-Threading[ALL]

This item allows a hyper-threading processor to appear as two logical processors, allowing the operating system to schedule two threads or processors simultaneously.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

CPU Power Management Configuration

This item allows you to manage and configure the CPU's power.

Enhanced Intel SpeedStep Technology

This item allows more than two frequency to be supported.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

Turbo Mode

This item allows you to automatically set the CPU cores to run faster than the base operating frequency when it is below the operating power, current and temperature specification limit.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

Autonomous Core C-State

This item allows you to enable or disable Autonomous Core C-State Control.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [Enabled]

3.6.2 Platform Misc Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to change the ASPM for PCH and SA PCI Express.

3.6.3 System Agent (SA) Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to adjust the Link Speed for PEG Port and Multi-Monitor.

3.6.4 PCH Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to adjust the PCH PCI Express speed.

PCI Express Configuration

This item allows you to configure the PCI Express slots.

PCIe Speed

This item allows your system to automatically select the PCI Express port speed.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Gen1 (2.5 GT/s)] [Gen2 (5 GT/s)] [Gen3 (8 GT/s)]

3.6.5 PCH Storage Configuration

While entering Setup, the BIOS automatically detects the presence of SATA devices. The SATA Port items show **Not Present** if no SATA device is installed to the corresponding SATA port.

SATA Controller(s)

This item allows you to enable or disable the SATA Device.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

SATA Mode Selection

This item allows you to set the SATA configuration.

[AHCI] Set to [AHCI] when you want the SATA hard disk drives to use the AHCI (Advanced Host Controller Interface). The AHCI allows the onboard storage driver to enable advanced Serial ATA features that increases storage performance on random workloads by allowing the drive to internally optimize the order of commands.

[Intel RST Premium (RAID)] Set to [Intel RST Premium(RAID)] when you want to create a RAID configuration from the SATA hard disk drives.

S.M.A.R.T. Status Test

S.M.A.R.T. (Self-Monitoring, Analysis and Reporting Technology) is a monitoring system that shows a warning message during POST (Power-on Self Test) when an error occurs in the hard disks.

Configuration options: [On] [Off]

SATA6G_1 - SATA6G_8

SATA6G_1 - SATA6G_8

This item allows you to enable or disable the selected SATA port.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Hot Plug

These items appears only when the SATA Mode Selection is set to **[AHCI]** and allows you to enable or disable SATA Hot Plug Support.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

3.6.6 CPU Storage Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to configure CPU storage configurations.



Due to CPU behavior, CPU RAID functions with Intel® CPU RSTe only supports Intel® Core™ X-series Processor and Intel® SSD modules.

3.6.7 Onboard Devices Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to switch between PCIe Lanes and configure onboard devices.

HD Audio Controller

This item allows you to use the Azalia High Definition Audio Controller.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

M2_2 & PCIeX4_1 source selection

[PCIEX4_1] The bandwidth of PCIeX4_1 comes from the PCH, and is shared with M.2_2. If PCIeX4_1 is populated, M.2_2 will be disabled.

[M.2] The bandwidth of M.2_2 comes from the PCH, and is shared with PCIeX4_1. If M.2_2 is populated, PCIeX4_1 will be disabled.

Asmedia Back 1A/1C USB 3.2 Gen2 Controller

This item allows you to enable or disable the Asmedia Back 1A/1C USB 3.2 Gen2 Controller.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Asmedia Front 2C USB 3.2 Gen2 Controller

This item allows you to enable or disable the Asmedia Front 2C USB 3.2 Gen2 Controller.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Asmedia Back 1C USB 3.2 Gen2x2 Controller

This item allows you to enable or disable the Asmedia Back 1C USB 3.2 Gen2x2 Controller.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

USB Type C Power Switch

[Auto] The system will automatically detect your USB Type C devices and provide suitable power if needed.

[Enabled] The USB Type C port will always provide power to your devices.

RGB LED lighting

When system is in working state

This item allows you to turn the RGB LED lighting on or off when the system is in the working state.

Configuration options: [All On] [Stealth Mode] [Aura Only] [Aura Off]

When system is in sleep, hibernate or soft off states

This item allows you to turn the RGB LED lighting on or off when the system is in the sleep, hibernate or soft off states.

Configuration options: [All On] [Stealth Mode] [Aura Only] [Aura Off]

3.6.8 APM Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to set system wake and sleep settings.

ErP Ready

This item allows you to switch off some power at S4+S5 or S5 to get the system ready for ErP requirement. When set to **[Enabled]**, all other PME options are switched off.

Configuration options: **[Disabled]** **[Enable(S4+S5)]** **[Enable(S5)]**

3.6.9 HDD/SSD SMART Information

This menu displays the SMART information of the connected devices.



NVM Express devices do not support SMART information.

3.6.10 NVMe Configuration

This menu displays the NVMe controller and Drive information of the connected devices.

3.6.11 USB Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to change the USB-related features.



The **Mass Storage Devices** item shows the auto-detected values. If no USB device is detected, the item shows **None**.

USB Single Port Control

This item allows you to enable or disable the individual USB ports.



Refer to section **Motherboard layout** for the location of the USB ports.

3.6.12 PCH-FW Configuration

This item allows you to configure the firmware TPM.

3.6.13 Network Stack Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to configure Ipv4 / Ipv6 PXE support.

3.7 Monitor menu

The Monitor menu displays the system temperature/power status, and allows you to change the fan settings.

Q-fan Configuration

Q-fan Tuning

Click this item to automatically detect the lowest speed and configure the minimum duty cycle for each fan.

W_PUMP+ 1 / W_PUMP + 2 Control

[Disabled]	Disable the Water Pump control feature.
[Auto]	Detects the type of water pump installed and automatically switches the control modes.
[DC mode]	Enable the Water Pump control in DC mode for 3-pin chassis fan.
[PWM mode]	Enable the Water Pump control in PWM mode for 4-pin chassis fan.

3.8 Boot menu

The Boot menu items allow you to change the system boot options.

Fast Boot

[Disabled]	Allows your system to go back to its normal boot speed.
[Enabled]	Allows your system to accelerate the boot speed.



The following item appears only when **Fast Boot** is set to **[Enabled]**.

Next Boot after AC Power Loss

[Normal Boot]	Returns to normal boot on the next boot after an AC power loss.
[Fast Boot]	Accelerates the boot speed on the next boot after an AC power loss.

Boot Configuration

Setup Mode

[Advanced Mode]	This item allows you to go to Advanced Mode of the BIOS after POST.
[EZ Mode]	This item allows you to go to EZ Mode of the BIOS after POST.

CSM (Compatibility Support Module)

This item allows you to configure the CSM (Compatibility Support Module) items to fully support the various VGA, bootable devices and add-on devices for better compatibility.

Launch CSM

[Auto]	The system automatically detects the bootable devices and the add-on devices.
[Enabled]	For better compatibility, enable the CSM to fully support the non-UEFI driver add-on devices or the Windows® UEFI mode.
[Disabled]	Disable the CSM to fully support the non-UEFI driver add-on devices or the Windows® UEFI mode.



The following items appear only when **Launch CSM** is set to **[Enabled]**.

Boot Devices Control

This item allows you to select the type of devices that you want to boot.

Configuration options: [UEFI and Legacy OPROM] [Legacy OPROM only] [UEFI only]

Boot from Network Devices

This item allows you to select the type of network devices that you want to launch.

Configuration options: [Ignore] [Legacy only] [UEFI driver first]

Boot from Storage Devices

This item allows you to select the type of storage devices that you want to launch.

Configuration options: [Ignore] [Legacy only] [UEFI driver first]

Boot from PCI-E/PCI Expansion Devices

This item allows you to select the type of PCI-E/PCI expansion devices that you want to launch.

Configuration options: [Legacy only] [UEFI driver first]

Secure Boot

This item allows you to configure the Windows® Secure Boot settings and manage its keys to protect the system from unauthorized access and malwares during POST.

Boot Option Priorities

These items specify the boot device priority sequence from the available devices. The number of device items that appears on the screen depends on the number of devices installed in the system.



- To access Windows® OS in Safe Mode, press <F8> after POST (Windows® 8 not supported).
- To select the boot device during system startup, press <F8> when the ASUS Logo appears.

Boot Override

These items displays the available devices. The number of device items that appears on the screen depends on the number of devices installed in the system. Click an item to start booting from the selected device.

3.9 Tool menu

The Tool menu items allow you to configure options for special functions. Select an item then press <Enter> to display the submenu.

FlexKey

This item allows you to assign a different function to the Reset button (FlexKey).

- [Reset] Reboots the system.
- [Aura On/Off] Enable or Disable Aura LEDs. This setting does not sync with the BIOS/ software option.
- [DirectKey] Boot directly into the BIOS.
- [Safeboot] Reboots the system into Safe mode.

Setup Animator

This item allows you to enable or disable the Setup animator.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

3.9.1 ASUS EZ Flash 3 Utility

This item allows you to run ASUS EZ Flash 3. When you press <Enter>, a confirmation message appears. Use the left/right arrow key to select between [Yes] or [No], then press <Enter> to confirm your choice.



For more details, refer to section **ASUS EZ Flash 3**.

3.9.2 Secure Erase

SSD speeds may lower over time as with any storage medium due to data processing. Secure Erase completely and safely cleans your SSD, restoring it to factory performance levels.

To launch Secure Erase, click **Tool > Secure Erase** on the Advanced mode menu.



Check the ASUS support site for a full list of SSDs tested with Secure Erase. The drive may become unstable if you run Secure Erase on an incompatible SSD.



- The time to erase the contents of your SSD may take a while depending on its size. Do not turn off the system during the process.
- Secure Erase is only supported on Intel SATA port. For more information about Intel SATA ports, refer to section **Motherboard layout** of this manual.

Displays the available SSDs

Port #	SSD Name	Status	Total Capacity
P2	ADATA 5000 Turbo	Frozen	64.0GB

SSD speed performance may degrade over time due to accumulated files and frequent data writing. Secure Erase completely clears your SSD and restores it to its factory settings.
 ⚠️Warning: Running Secure Erase on an incompatible SSD will render the SSD totally unusable.
 NOTE: For the list of Secure Erase compatible SSDs, visit the ASUS Support site at www.asus.com/support.



Status definition:

- **Frozen.** The frozen state is the result of a BIOS protective measure. The BIOS guards drives that do not have password protection by freezing them prior to booting. If the drive is frozen, a power off or hard reset of your PC must be performed to proceed with the Secure Erase.
- **Locked.** SSDs might be locked if the Secure Erase process is either incomplete or was stopped. This may be due to a third party software that uses a different password defined by ASUS. You have to unlock the SSD in the software before proceeding with Secure Erase.

3.9.3 ASUS User Profile

This item allows you to store or load multiple BIOS settings.

Load Profile

This item allows you to load the previous BIOS settings saved in the BIOS Flash. Key in the profile number that saved your BIOS settings, press <Enter>, and then select **Yes**.



- DO NOT shut down or reset the system while updating the BIOS to prevent the system boot failure!
- We recommend that you update the BIOS file only coming from the same memory/CPU configuration and BIOS version.

Profile Name

This item allows you to key in a profile name.

Save to Profile

This item allows you to save the current BIOS settings to the BIOS Flash, and create a profile. Key in a profile number from one to eight, press <Enter>, and then select **Yes**.

Load/Save Profile from/to USB Drive

This item allows you to load or save profile from your USB drive, load and save profile to your USB drive.

3.9.4 BIOS FlashBack

This item allows you to manage BIOS settings between BIOS chips.

3.9.5 ASUS SPD Information

This item allows you to view the DRAM SPD information.

3.9.6 ASUS Armoury Crate

This item allows you to enable or disable the ASUS Armoury Crate. The ASUS Armoury Crate is a fixed Advanced Configuration and Power Interface (ACPI) table that provides Windows with a platform binary that the operating system can execute.

3.9.7 Graphics Card Information

This item displays the information about the graphics card installed in your system.



The items in this menu may vary depending on the graphics card installed in your system.

GPU Post

This item displays the information and recommended configuration for the PCIe slots that the graphics card is installed in your system.



This feature is only supported on selected ASUS graphics cards.

Bus Interface

This item allows you to select the bus interface.

Configuration options: [PCIEX16_1] [PCIEX16_2] [PCIEX16_3]

3.10 Exit menu

The Exit menu items allow you to load the optimal default values for the BIOS items, and save or discard your changes to the BIOS items.

Load Optimized Defaults

This option allows you to load the default values for each of the parameters on the Setup menus. When you select this option or if you press <F5>, a confirmation window appears. Select **OK** to load the default values.

Save Changes & Reset

Once you are finished making your selections, choose this option from the Exit menu to ensure the values you selected are saved. When you select this option or if you press <F10>, a confirmation window appears. Select **OK** to save changes and exit.

Discard Changes & Exit

This option allows you to exit the Setup program without saving your changes. When you select this option or if you press <Esc>, a confirmation window appears. Select **Yes** to discard changes and exit.

Launch EFI Shell from USB drives

This item allows you to attempt to launch the EFI Shell application (shellx64.efi) from one of the available filesystem devices.

3.11 Updating BIOS

The ASUS website publishes the latest BIOS versions to provide enhancements on system stability, compatibility, and performance. However, BIOS updating is potentially risky. If there is no problem using the current version of BIOS, DO NOT manually update the BIOS. Inappropriate BIOS updating may result to system's failure to boot. Carefully follow the instructions in this chapter to update your BIOS when necessary.



Visit <http://www.asus.com> to download the latest BIOS file for this motherboard.

The following utilities allow you to manage and update the motherboard BIOS setup program.

1. EZ Update: Updates the BIOS in Windows® environment.
2. ASUS EZ Flash 3: Updates the BIOS using a USB flash drive.
3. ASUS CrashFree BIOS 3: Restores the BIOS using the motherboard support USB drive when the BIOS file fails or gets corrupted.

3.11.1 EZ Update

The EZ Update is a utility that allows you to update the motherboard BIOS in Windows® environment.



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- EZ Update requires an Internet connection either through a network or an ISP (Internet Service Provider).
 - This utility is available in the support USB drive that comes with the motherboard package.
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3.11.2 ASUS EZ Flash 3

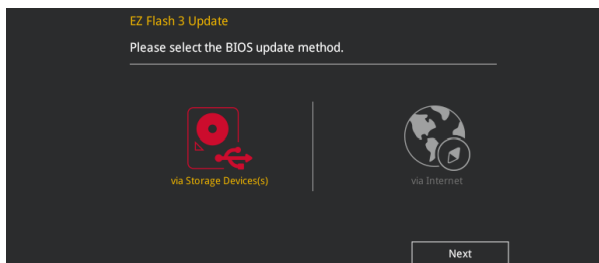
ASUS EZ Flash 3 allows you to download and update to the latest BIOS through the Internet without having to use a bootable floppy disk or an OS-based utility.



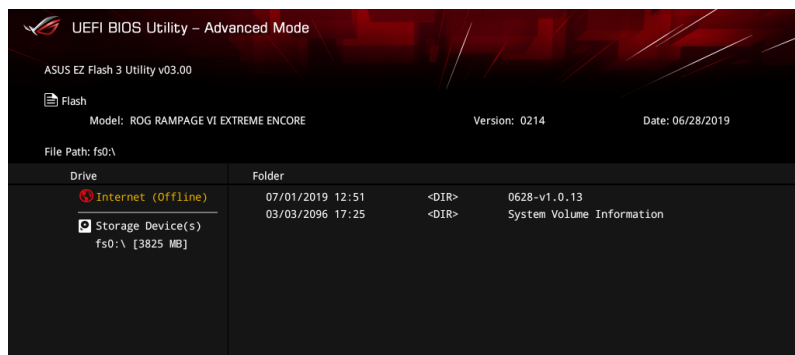
Updating through the Internet varies per region and Internet conditions. Check your local Internet connection before updating through the Internet.

To update the BIOS by USB:

1. Enter the Advanced Mode of the BIOS setup program. Go to the Tool menu to select **ASUS EZ Flash 3 Utility** and press <Enter>.
2. Insert the USB flash disk that contains the latest BIOS file to the USB port.
3. Select **via Storage Device(s)**.



4. Press <Tab> to switch to the Drive field.
5. Press the Up/Down arrow keys to find the USB flash disk that contains the latest BIOS, and then press <Enter>.
6. Press <Tab> to switch to the Folder Info field.
7. Press the Up/Down arrow keys to find the BIOS file, and then press <Enter> to perform the BIOS update process. Reboot the system when the update process is done.





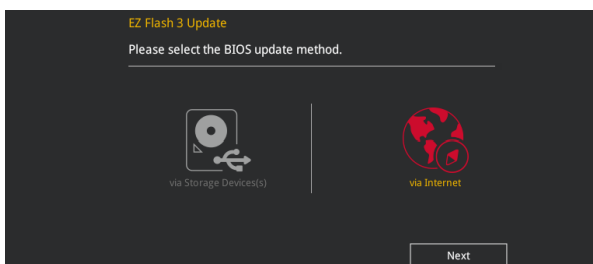
- This function can support devices such as a USB flash disk with FAT 32/16 format and single partition only.
- DO NOT shut down or reset the system while updating the BIOS to prevent system boot failure!



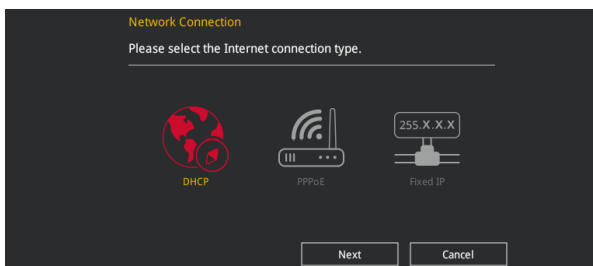
Ensure to load the BIOS default settings to ensure system compatibility and stability. Select the Load Optimized Defaults item under the Exit menu. See section **Exit Menu** for details.

To update the BIOS by Internet:

1. Enter the Advanced Mode of the BIOS setup program. Go to the Tool menu to select **ASUS EZ Flash 3 Utility** and press <Enter>.
2. Select **via Internet**.



3. Press the Left/Right arrow keys to select an Internet connection method, and then press <Enter>.



4. Follow the onscreen instructions to complete the update.
5. Reboot the system when the update process is done.



Ensure to load the BIOS default settings to ensure system compatibility and stability. Select the Load Optimized Defaults item under the Exit menu. See section **3.10 Exit Menu** for details.

3.11.3 ASUS CrashFree BIOS 3

The ASUS CrashFree BIOS 3 utility is an auto recovery tool that allows you to restore the BIOS file when it fails or gets corrupted during the updating process. You can restore a corrupted BIOS file using the motherboard support USB drive that contains the BIOS file.



The BIOS file in the motherboard support USB drive may be older than the BIOS file published on the ASUS official website. If you want to use the newer BIOS file, download the file at <https://www.asus.com/support/> and save it to a USB flash drive.

Recovering the BIOS

To recover the BIOS:

1. Turn on the system.
2. Insert the motherboard support USB drive, or the USB flash drive containing the BIOS file to the USB port.
3. The utility automatically checks the devices for the BIOS file. When found, the utility reads the BIOS file and enters ASUS EZ Flash 3 automatically.
4. The system requires you to enter BIOS Setup to recover the BIOS setting. To ensure system compatibility and stability, we recommend that you press <F5> to load default BIOS values.



DO NOT shut down or reset the system while updating the BIOS! Doing so can cause system boot failure!

RAID Support

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4.1 RAID configurations

The motherboard comes with the Intel® Rapid Storage Technology that supports RAID 0, RAID 1, RAID 5 and RAID 10 configuration.



For more information on configuring your RAID sets, please refer to the **RAID Configuration Guide** which you can find at <https://www.asus.com/support>.

4.1.1 RAID definitions

RAID 0 (Data striping) optimizes two identical hard disk drives to read and write data in parallel, interleaved stacks. Two hard disks perform the same work as a single drive but at a sustained data transfer rate, double that of a single disk alone, thus improving data access and storage. Use of two new identical hard disk drives is required for this setup.

RAID 1 (Data mirroring) copies and maintains an identical image of data from one drive to a second drive. If one drive fails, the disk array management software directs all applications to the surviving drive as it contains a complete copy of the data in the other drive. This RAID configuration provides data protection and increases fault tolerance to the entire system.

Use two new drives or use an existing drive and a new drive for this setup. The new drive must be of the same size or larger than the existing drive.

RAID 5 stripes both data and parity information across three or more hard disk drives. Among the advantages of RAID 5 configuration include better HDD performance, fault tolerance, and higher storage capacity. The RAID 5 configuration is best suited for transaction processing, relational database applications, enterprise resource planning, and other business systems. Use a minimum of three identical hard disk drives for this setup.

RAID 10 is data striping and data mirroring combined without parity (redundancy data) having to be calculated and written. With the RAID 10 configuration you get all the benefits of both RAID 0 and RAID 1 configurations. Use four new hard disk drives or use an existing drive and three new drives for this setup.

Appendix

Q-Code table

Code	Description
00	Not used
01	Power on. Reset type detection (soft/hard).
02	AP initialization before microcode loading
03	System Agent initialization before microcode loading
04	PCH initialization before microcode loading
06	Microcode loading
07	AP initialization after microcode loading
08	System Agent initialization after microcode loading
09	PCH initialization after microcode loading
0B	Cache initialization
0C – 0D	Reserved for future AMI SEC error codes
0E	Microcode not found
0F	Microcode not loaded
10	PEI Core is started
11 – 14	Pre-memory CPU initialization is started
15 – 18	Pre-memory System Agent initialization is started
19 – 1C	Pre-memory PCH initialization is started
2B – 2F	Memory initialization
30	Reserved for ASL (see ASL Status Codes section below)
31	Memory Installed
32 – 36	CPU post-memory initialization
37 – 3A	Post-Memory System Agent initialization is started
3B – 3E	Post-Memory PCH initialization is started
4F	DXE IPL is started
50 – 53	Memory initialization error. Invalid memory type or incompatible memory speed
54	Unspecified memory initialization error
55	Memory not installed
56	Invalid CPU type or Speed
57	CPU mismatch
58	CPU self test failed or possible CPU cache error
59	CPU micro-code is not found or micro-code update is failed
5A	Internal CPU error
5B	Reset PPI is not available
5C – 5F	Reserved for future AMI error codes

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Q-Code table

Code	Description
E0	S3 Resume is started (S3 Resume PPI is called by the DXE IPL)
E1	S3 Boot Script execution
E2	Video repost
E3	OS S3 wake vector call
E4 – E7	Reserved for future AML progress codes
E8	S3 Resume Failed
E9	S3 Resume PPI not Found
EA	S3 Resume Boot Script Error
EB	S3 OS Wake Error
EC – EF	Reserved for future AML error codes
F0	Recovery condition triggered by firmware (Auto recovery)
F1	Recovery condition triggered by user (Forced recovery)
F2	Recovery process started
F3	Recovery firmware image is found
F4	Recovery firmware image is loaded
F5 – F7	Reserved for future AML progress codes
F8	Recovery PPI is not available
F9	Recovery capsule is not found
FA	Invalid recovery capsule
FB – FF	Reserved for future AML error codes
60	DXE Core is started
61	NVRAM initialization
62	Installation of the PCH Runtime Services
63 – 67	CPU DXE initialization is started
68	PCI host bridge initialization
69	System Agent DXE initialization is started
6A	System Agent DXE SMM initialization is started
6B – 6F	System Agent DXE initialization (System Agent module specific)
70	PCH DXE initialization is started
71	PCH DXE SMM initialization is started
72	PCH devices initialization
73 – 77	PCH DXE Initialization (PCH module specific)
78	ACPI module initialization
79	CSM initialization
7A – 7F	Reserved for future AML DXE codes

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Q-Code table

Code	Description
90	Boot Device Selection (BDS) phase is started
91	Driver connecting is started
92	PCI Bus initialization is started
93	PCI Bus Hot Plug Controller Initialization
94	PCI Bus Enumeration
95	PCI Bus Request Resources
96	PCI Bus Assign Resources
97	Console Output devices connect
98	Console input devices connect
99	Super IO Initialization
9A	USB initialization is started
9B	USB Reset
9C	USB Detect
9D	USB Enable
9E – 9F	Reserved for future AMI codes
A0	IDE initialization is started
A1	IDE Reset
A2	IDE Detect
A3	IDE Enable
A4	SCSI initialization is started
A5	SCSI Reset
A6	SCSI Detect
A7	SCSI Enable
A8	Setup Verifying Password
A9	Start of Setup
AA	Reserved for ASL (see ASL Status Codes section below)
AB	Setup Input Wait
AC	Reserved for ASL (see ASL Status Codes section below)
AD	Ready To Boot event
AE	Legacy Boot event
AF	Exit Boot Services event
B0	Runtime Set Virtual Address MAP Begin
B1	Runtime Set Virtual Address MAP End
B2	Legacy Option ROM Initialization
B3	System Reset

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Q-Code table

Code	Description
B4	USB hot plug
B5	PCI bus hot plug
B6	Clean-up of NVRAM
B7	Configuration Reset (reset of NVRAM settings)
B8– BF	Reserved for future AMI codes
D0	CPU initialization error
D1	System Agent initialization error
D2	PCH initialization error
D3	Some of the Architectural Protocols are not available
D4	PCI resource allocation error. Out of Resources
D5	No Space for Legacy Option ROM
D6	No Console Output Devices are found
D7	No Console Input Devices are found
D8	Invalid password
D9	Error loading Boot Option (LoadImage returned error)
DA	Boot Option is failed (StartImage returned error)
DB	Flash update is failed
DC	Reset protocol is not available

ACPI/ASL Checkpoints (under OS)

Code	Description
03	System is entering S3 sleep state
04	System is entering S4 sleep state
05	System is entering S5 sleep state
30	System is waking up from the S3 sleep state
40	System is waking up from the S4 sleep state
AC	System has transitioned into ACPI mode. Interrupt controller is in PIC mode.
AA	System has transitioned into ACPI mode. Interrupt controller is in APIC mode.

Notices

FCC Compliance Information

Responsible Party: Asus Computer International

Address: 48720 Kato Rd., Fremont, CA 94538, USA

Phone / Fax No: (510)739-3777 / (510)608-4555

Identification of the assembled product: INTEL® WI-FI 6 AX200

Identification of the modular components used in the assembly:

Model Name: INTEL® WI-FI 6 AX200 FCC ID: PD9AX200NG

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- 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.

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Please refer to <http://csr.asus.com/Compliance.htm> for information disclosure based on regulation requirements ASUS is complied with:

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Các sản phẩm ASUS bán tại Việt Nam, vào ngày 23 tháng 9 năm 2011 trở về sau, đều phải đáp ứng các yêu cầu của Thông tư 30/2011/TT-BCT của Việt Nam.

Turkey RoHS

AEEE Yönetmeliğine Uygundur

ASUS Recycling/Takeback Services

ASUS recycling and takeback programs come from our commitment to the highest standards for protecting our environment. We believe in providing solutions for you to be able to responsibly recycle our products, batteries, other components as well as the packaging materials. Please go to <http://csr.asus.com/english/Takeback.htm> for detailed recycling information in different regions.



DO NOT throw the motherboard in municipal waste. This product has been designed to enable proper reuse of parts and recycling. This symbol of the crossed out wheeled bin indicates that the product (electrical and electronic equipment) should not be placed in municipal waste. Check local regulations for disposal of electronic products.



DO NOT throw the mercury-containing button cell battery in municipal waste. This symbol of the crossed out wheeled bin indicates that the battery should not be placed in municipal waste.

Regional notice for California



WARNING

Cancer and Reproductive Harm -
www.P65Warnings.ca.gov

Simplified EU Declaration of Conformity

ASUSTek Computer Inc. hereby declares that this device is in compliance with the essential requirements and other relevant provisions of Directive 2014/53/EU. Full text of EU declaration of conformity is available at <https://www.asus.com/support/>

The Wi-Fi operating in the band 5150-5350MHz shall be restricted to indoor use for countries listed in the table below:

Déclaration simplifiée de conformité de l'UE

ASUSTek Computer Inc. déclare par la présente que cet appareil est conforme aux critères essentiels et autres clauses pertinentes de la directive 2014/53/EU. La déclaration de conformité de l'UE peut être téléchargée à partir du site internet suivant : <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Dans la plage de fréquence 5150-5350 MHz, le Wi-Fi est restreint à une utilisation en intérieur dans les pays listés dans le tableau ci-dessous:

Vereinfachte EU-Konformitätserklärung

ASUSTek COMPUTER INC. erklärt hiermit, dass dieses Gerät mit den grundlegenden Anforderungen und anderen relevanten Bestimmungen der Richtlinie 2014/53/EU übereinstimmt. Der gesamte Text der EU-Konformitätserklärung ist verfügbar unter: <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Der WLAN-Betrieb im Band von 5150-5350 MHz ist für die in der untenen Tabelle aufgeführten Länder auf den Innenbereich beschränkt:

Dichiarazione di conformità UE semplificata

ASUSTek Computer Inc. con la presente dichiara che questo dispositivo è conforme ai requisiti essenziali e alle altre disposizioni pertinenti con la direttiva 2014/53/EU. Il testo completo della dichiarazione di conformità UE è disponibile all'indirizzo: <https://www.asus.com/support/>

L'utilizzo della rete Wi-Fi con frequenza compresa nell'intervallo 5150-5350MHz deve essere limitato all'interno degli edifici per i paesi presenti nella seguente tabella:

Упрощенное заявление о соответствии европейской директиве

ASUSTek Computer Inc. заявляет, что устройство соответствует основным требованиям и другим соответствующим условиям директивы 2014/53/EU. Полный текст декларации соответствия ЕС доступен на <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Работа Wi-Fi в диапазоне частот 5150-5350 должна быть ограничена использованием в помещениях для стран, перечисленных в таблице ниже:

إعلان التوافق المبسط الصادر عن الاتحاد الأوروبي
تقر شركة ASUS/ASUSTek Computer Inc. أن هذا الجهاز يتوافق مع المتطلبات الأساسية والأحكام الأخرى ذات الصلة الخاصة بنطاق تردده 5150-5350MHz. يمكن تنزيل النسخة الكاملة لإعلان التوافق الصادر عن الاتحاد الأوروبي على: <https://www.asus.com/support/>

يجب حصر استخدام Wi-Fi المعلن 5150-5350 MHz فقط على الاستخدام المنزلي للبلدان المدرجة بالجدول.

Опростена декларация за съответствие на ЕС

С настоящото ASUSTek Computer Inc. декларира, че това устройство е в съответствие със съществени изисквания и другите приложения постановления на свързаната Директива 2014/53/ЕС. Пълният текст на ЕС декларация за съвместимост е достъпен на адрес <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Wi-Fi, работеща в диапазон 5150-5350MHz, трябва да се ограничи до употреба на закрито за страните, посочени в таблицата до-долу:

Declaração de Conformidade UE Simplificada

ASUSTek Computer Inc. declara que este dispositivo está em conformidade com os requisitos essenciais e outras disposições relevantes relacionadas às diretivas 2014/53/UE. O texto completo da declaração de conformidade CE está disponível em <https://www.asus.com/support/>

O Wi-Fi operando na banda 5150-5350MHz deve ser restrito para uso interno para os países listados na tabela abaixo:

Pojednostavljena EU izjava o sukladnosti

ASUSTek Computer Inc. ovim izjavljuje da je ovaj uređaj sukladan s bitnim zahtjevima i ostalim odgovarajućim odredbama direktive 2014/53/EU. Cijeli tekst EU izjave o sukladnosti dostupan je na <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Wi-Fi koji radi na opsegu frekvencija 5150-5350 MHz bit će ograničen na upotrebu u zatvorenom prostoru u zemljama na donjem popisu:

Zjednodušené prohlášení o shodě EU

Společnost ASUSTek Computer Inc. tímto prohlašuje, že toto zařízení splňuje základní požadavky a další příslušná ustanovení směrnice 2014/53/EU. Plné znění prohlášení o shodě EU je k dispozici na adrese <https://www.asus.com/support/>

V zemích uvedených v tabulce je provoz síť Wi-Fi ve frekvenčním rozsahu 5150 - 5350 MHz povolen pouze ve vnitřních prostorech:

Forenket EU-overensstemmelseserklæring

ASUSTek Computer Inc. erklærer hermed at denne enhed er i overensstemmelse med hovedkravene og øvrige relevante bestemmelser i direktivet 2014/53/EU. Hele EU-overensstemmelseserklæringen kan findes på <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Wi-Fi, der bruger 5150-5350 MHz skal begrænses til indendørs brug i lande, der er anført i tabellen:

Vereenvoudigd EU-conformiteitsverklaring

ASUSTek Computer Inc. verklaart hierbij dat dit apparaat voldoet aan de essentiële vereisten en andere relevante bepalingen van Richtlijn 2014/53/EU. De volledige tekst van de EU-conformiteitsverklaring is beschikbaar op <https://www.asus.com/support/>

De Wi-Fi op 5150-5350MHz zal beperkt zijn tot binnengebruik voor in de tabel vermelde landen:

Lihtsustatud EÜ vastavusdeklaratsioon

Käesolevaga kinnitab ASUSTek Computer Inc. et seade vastab direktiivi 2014/53/EU olulistele nõuetele ja teistele asjakohastele sätetele. EL vastavusdeklaratsiooni täisteksti on saadaval veebisaidil <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Sagedusvahemikus 5150-5350 MHz töötava Wi-Fi kasutamise on järgmistes riikides lubatud ainult siseruumides:

Eurooppa - EYn vaatimustenmukaisuusvakuutus

ASUSTek Computer Inc. ilmoittaa täten, että tämä laite on direktiivin 2014/53/EU olennaisien vaatimusten ja muiden asiaankuuluvien lisäysten mukainen. Koko EYn vaatimustenmukaisuusvakuutuksen teksti on luettavissa osoitteesta <https://www.asus.com/support/>

5150 - 5350 MHz:n taajuudella toimiva Wi-Fi on rajoitettu sisäkäyttöön taulukossa luetelluissa maissa:

تبعیت از نسخه ساده شده بیانیه تطبیق اروپا
ASUSTek Computer Inc در اینجا اعلام می کند که این دستگاه با نیازهای اساسی و سایر مقررات مربوط به بیانیه 2014/53/EU مطابقت دارد. متن کامل پیروی از این بیانیه تطبیق اروپا در این آدرس موجود است: <https://www.asus.com/support/>

عملکرد 5150-5350 مگاهرتز برای Wi-Fi باید برای استفاده در فضای داخل ساختمان برای کشورهای فهرست شده در جدول، محدود شود.

Απλοποιημένη Δήλωση Συμμόρφωσης ΕΕ

Διά το παρόντος η ASUSTek Computer Inc. δηλώνει ότι αυτή η συσκευή είναι συμμόρφη με τις βασικές προϋποθέσεις και άλλες σχετικές διατάξεις της Οδηγίας 2014/53/ΕΕ. Το πλήρες κείμενο της δήλωσης συμμόρφωσης της ΕΕ είναι διαθέσιμο στη διεύθυνση <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Το Wi-Fi που λειτουργεί στη ζώνη 5150-5350MHz περιορίζεται για χρήση σε εσωτερικούς χώρους για τις χώρες που αναφέρονται στον παρακάτω πίνακα:

הצהרת התאמה רגולטורית מקוצרת עבור האיחוד האירופי

ASUSTek Computer Inc. מודיעה בזאת כי מכשיר זה תואם לדרישות החוקיות ולשאר המסמכים הרלוונטיים של תקנה 2014/53/EU. ניתן לתואר הסכם המלא של הצהרת התאמה רגולטורית עבור האיחוד האירופי בכתבות: <https://www.asus.com/support/>

יש להגביל שיתות Wi-Fi הפועלות ברצועות התדרים 5150-5350MHz לשימוש בתוך מבנים סגורים ברצועות המפורטות ברשימה הבאה:

Egyszerűsített EU megfeleléségi nyilatkozat

Az ASUSTek Computer Inc. ezenel kijelenti, hogy ez az eszköz megfelel az 2014/53/EU sz. irányelv alapvető követelményeinek és egyéb vonatkozó rendelkezéseinek. Az EU megfeleléségi nyilatkozat teljes szövegét a következő weboldalon tekintheti meg: <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Az 5150-5350 MHz-es sávban működő Wi-Fi-t beltéri használatra kell korlátozni az alábbi táblázatban felsorolt országokban:

Pernyataan Kesesuaian UE yang Disederhanakan

ASUSTek Computer Inc. dengan ini menyatakan bahwa perangkat ini memenuhi persyaratan utama dan ketentuan relevan lainnya yang terdapat pada Petunjuk 2014/53/EU. Teks lengkap pernyataan kesesuaian UE tersedia di: <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Wi-Fi yang Beroperasi pada 5150-5350 MHz akan terbatas untuk penggunaan dalam ruangan di negara yang tercantum dalam tabel

Vienkāršota ES atbilstības paziņojums

ASUSTek Computer Inc. ar šo paziņo, ka šī ierīce atbilst Direktīvas 2014/53/ES būtiskajām prasībām un citiem citiem saistošajiem nosacījumiem. Pilns ES atbilstības paziņojuma teksts pieejams šeit: <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Wi-Fi darbība 5150-5350 MHz ir jāierobežo lietošanai telpās valstīs, kuras norādītas tālāk.

Supaprastinta ES atitikties deklaracija

Šiame dokumente bendrovė „ASUSTek Computer Inc.“ pareiškia, kad šis prietaisas atitinka pagrindinius ir kitas susijusias Direktyvos 2014/53/ES nuostatas. Visas ES atitikties deklaracijos tekstas pateikiamas čia: <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Toliau nurodytose šalyse „WiFi“ ryšiu, veikiančiu 5 150-5 350 MHz dažnio juostoje, galima naudotis tik patalpose:

Ovaj uredaj može da se koristi u državama navedenim ispod:

Förenklat EU-samsvarserklæring

ASUSTek Computer Inc. erklærer herved at denne enhet er i samsvar med hovedsaklige krav og andre relevante forskrifter i direktivet 2014/53/EU. Fullstendig tekst for EU-samsvarserklæring finnes på: <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Wi-Fi-området 5150–5350 MHz skal begrenses til innendørs bruk for landene som er oppført i tabellen:

Uproszczone deklaracja zgodności UE

Firma ASUSTek Computer Inc. niniejszym oświadcza, że urządzenie to jest zgodne z zasadniczymi wymogami i innymi właściwymi postanowieniami dyrektywy 2014/53/EU. Pełny tekst deklaracji zgodności UE jest dostępny pod adresem <https://www.asus.com/support/>

W krajach wymienionych w tabeli działanie sieci Wi-Fi w paśmie 5150–5350 MHz powinno być ograniczone wyłącznie do pomieszczeń:

Declaração de Conformidade Simplificada da UE

A ASUSTek Computer Inc. declara que este dispositivo está em conformidade com os requisitos essenciais e outras disposições relevantes da Diretiva 2014/53/UE. O texto integral da declaração de conformidade da UE está disponível em <https://www.asus.com/support/>

A utilização das frequências WiFi de 5150 a 5350MHz está restrita a ambientes interiores nos países apresentados na tabela:

Declarație de conformitate UE, versiune simplificată

Prin prezenta, ASUSTek Computer Inc. declară că acest dispozitiv este în conformitate cu reglementările esențiale și cu celelalte prevederi relevante ale Directivei 2014/53/UE. Textul complet al declarației de conformitate UE este disponibil la adresa <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Pentru țările listate în tabelul de mai jos, rețelele WiFi care funcționează în banda de frecvență de 5.150-5.350 MHz trebuie utilizate doar în interior:

Pojednostavljena Deklaracija o usaglašenosti EU

ASUSTek Computer Inc. ovim izjavljuje da je ovaj uređaj usaglašen sa osnovnim zahtevima i drugim relevantnim odredbama Direktive 2014/53/EU. Ceo tekst Deklaracije o usaglašenosti EU dostupan je na lokaciji <https://www.asus.com/support/>

WiFi koji radi u frekventnom opsegu od 5150 MHz do 5350 MHz ograničen je isključivo na upotrebu u zatvorenom prostoru za zemlje navedene u tabeli ispod:

Zjednodušené vyhlásenie o zhode platné pre EÚ

Spoločnosť ASUSTek Computer Inc. týmto vyhlasuje, že toto zariadenie je v súlade so základnými požiadavkami a ďalšími príslušnými ustanoveniami smernice č. 2014/53/EÚ. Plné znenie vyhlásenia o zhode pre EÚ je k dispozícii na lokalite <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Činnosť WiFi v pásme 5150 - 5350 MHz bude obmedzená na použitie vo vnútornom prostredí pre krajiny uvedené v tabuľke nižšie:

Poenostavljena izjava EU o skladnosti

ASUSTek Computer Inc. tukaj izjavlja, da je ta naprava skladna s temeljnimi zahtevami in drugimi relevantnimi določili Direktive 2014/53/EU. Polno besedilo izjave EU o skladnosti je na voljo na <https://www.asus.com/support/>

WiFi, ki deluje v pasovnem območju 5150–5350 MHz, mora biti v državah, navedenih v spodnjem seznamu, omejen na notranjo uporabo:

Declaración de conformidad simplificada para la UE

Por la presente, ASUSTek Computer Inc. declara que este dispositivo cumple los requisitos básicos y otras disposiciones pertinentes de la directiva 2014/53/EU. En <https://www.asus.com/support/> está disponible el texto completo de la declaración de conformidad para la UE.

La conexión WiFi con una frecuencia de funcionamiento de 5150-5350 MHz se restringirá al uso en interiores para los países enumerados en la tabla:

Förenklad EU-försäkran om överensstämmelse

ASUSTek Computer Inc. deklarerar härmed att denna enhet överensstämmer med de grundläggande kraven och andra relevanta bestämmelser i direktiv 2014/53/EU. Fullständig text av EU-försäkran om överensstämmelse finns på <https://www.asus.com/support/>

WiFi som används 5150-5350 MHz kommer att begränsas för användning inomhus i de länder som anges i tabellen:

ประกาศเกี่ยวกับความสอดคล้องของสหภาพยุโรปแบบย่อ

ASUSTek Computer Inc.

ขอประกาศในที่นี้ว่าอุปกรณ์นี้มีความสอดคล้องกับความต้องการที่เป็นและเงื่อนไขที่เกี่ยวข้องอื่น ๆ ของบทบัญญัติที่กำหนด 2014/53/EU เนื้อหาที่สมบูรณ์ของประกาศความสอดคล้องกับ EU มีอยู่ที่ <https://www.asus.com/support/>

การทำงานของ WiFi ที่ 5150-5350MHz ถูกจำกัดให้ใช้ในเวลาสำหรับประเทศที่แสดงในตาราง

Basitleştirilmiş AB Uyumluluk Bildirimi

ASUSTek Computer Inc., bu aygıtın 2014/53/EU Yönergesinin temel gereksinimlerine ve diğer ilgili hükümlerine uygun olduğunu bildirir. AB uyumluluk bildiriminin tam metni şu adreste bulunmaktadır: <https://www.asus.com/support/>

5150-5350 MHz aralındaki WiFi çalışması, tabloda listelenen ülkeler için iç mekân kullanımla sınırlanacaktır.

Спрощена декларація про відповідність нормам ЄС

ASUSTek Computer Inc. заявляє, що цей пристрій відповідає основним вимогам та іншим відповідним вимогам Директиви 2014 / 53 / EU. Повний текст декларації відповідності нормам ЄС доступний на <https://www.asus.com/support/>

Робота Wi-Fi на частоті 5150-5350 МГц обмежується використанням у приміщенні для країн, поданих у таблиці нижче:



AT	BE	BG	CZ	DK	EE	FR
DE	IS	IE	IT	EL	ES	CY
LV	LI	LT	LU	HU	MT	NL
NO	PL	PT	RO	SI	SK	TR
FI	SE	CH	UK	HR		

INTEL® Wi-Fi 6 AX200 output power table:

Function	Frequency	Maximum Output Power (EIRP)
WiFi	2412 - 2472 MHz	18.42 dBm
	5150 - 5350 MHz	18.92 dBm
	5470 - 5725 MHz	18.34 dBm
	5725 - 5850 MHz	9.05 dBm
Bluetooth	2402 - 2480 MHz	11.95 dBm

For the standard EN 300 440 V2.1.1, if this device operates in 5725-5875 MHz, it will be considered as a receiver category 2.



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