

BIOS User Guide

B250GT3

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BIOS Update

The BIOS can be updated using either of the following utilities:

- **BIOSTAR BIOS-FLASHER:** Using this utility, the BIOS can be updated from a file on a hard disk, a USB drive (a flash drive or a USB hard drive), or a CD-ROM.
- **BIOSTAR BIOS Update Utility:** It enables automated updating while in the Windows environment. Using this utility, the BIOS can be updated from a file on a hard disk, a USB drive (a flash drive or a USB hard drive), or a CD-ROM, or from the file location on the Web.

BIOSTAR BIOS-FLASHER

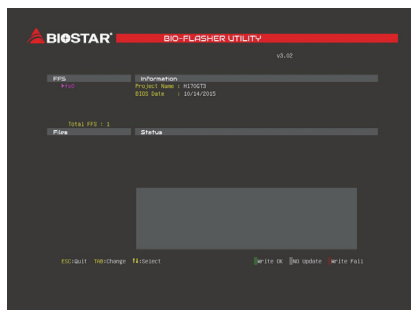
► Note

- » This utility only allows storage device with FAT32/16 format and single partition.
- » Shutting down or resetting the system while updating the BIOS will lead to system boot failure.

Updating BIOS with BIOSTAR BIOS-FLASHER

1. Go to the website to download the latest BIOS file for the motherboard.
2. Then, copy and save the BIOS file into a USB flash (pen) drive.
3. Insert the USB pen drive that contains the BIOS file to the USB port.
4. Power on or reset the computer and then press <F12> during the POST process.

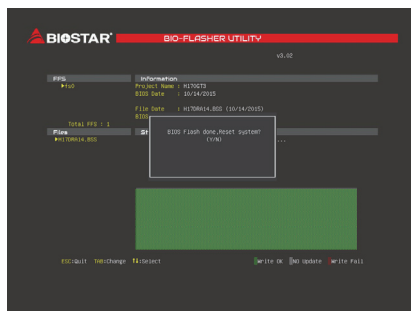
5. After entering the POST screen, the BIOS-FLASHER utility pops out. Choose <fs0> to search for the BIOS file.



6. Select the proper BIOS file, and a message asking if you are sure to flash the BIOS file. Click "Yes" to start updating BIOS.



7. A dialog pops out after BIOS flash is completed, asking you to restart the system. Press the <Y> key to restart system.



8. While the system boots up and the full screen logo shows up, press key to enter BIOS setup.

After entering the BIOS setup, please go to the <Save & Exit>, using the <Restore Defaults> function to load Optimized Defaults, and select <Save Changes and Reset> to restart the computer. Then the BIOS Update is completed.

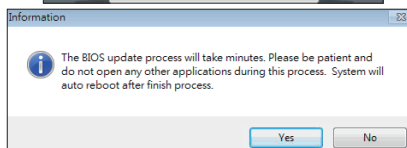
BIOS Update Utility (through the Internet)

1. Installing BIOS Update Utility from the DVD Driver.
2. Please make sure the system is connected to the internet before using this function.

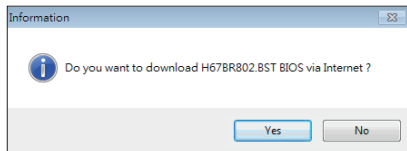
3. Launch BIOS Update Utility and click the "Online Update" button on the main screen.



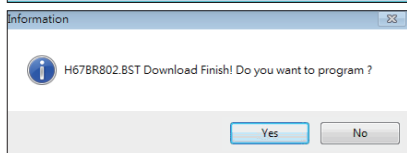
4. An open dialog will show up to request your agreement to start the BIOS update. Click "Yes" to start the online update procedure.



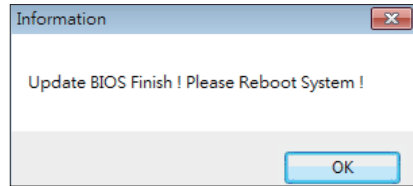
5. If there is a new BIOS version, the utility will ask you to download it. Click "Yes" to proceed.



6. After the download is completed, you will be asked to program (update) the BIOS or not. Click "Yes" to proceed.



7. After the updating process is finished, you will be asked you to reboot the system. Click “OK” to reboot.



8. While the system boots up and the full screen logo shows up, press key to enter BIOS setup.

After entering the BIOS setup, please go to the <Save & Exit>, using the <Restore Defaults> function to load Optimized Defaults, and select <Save Changes> and <Reset> to restart the computer. Then, the BIOS Update is completed.

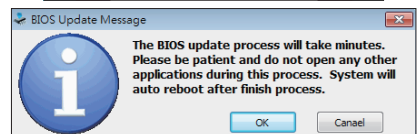
BIOS Update Utility (through a BIOS file)

1. Installing BIOS Update Utility from the DVD Driver.
2. Download the proper BIOS from <http://www.biostar.com.tw/>

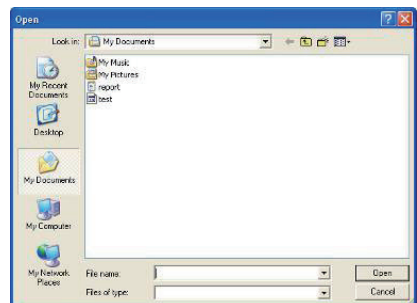
3. Launch BIOS Update Utility and click the “Update BIOS” button on the main screen.



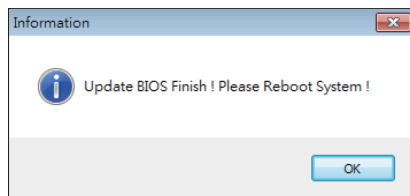
4. A warning message will show up to request your agreement to start the BIOS update. Click “OK” to start the update procedure.



5. Choose the location for your BIOS file in the system. Please select the proper BIOS file, and then click on “Open”. It will take several minutes, please be patient.



6. After the BIOS Update process is finished, click on “OK” to reboot the system.

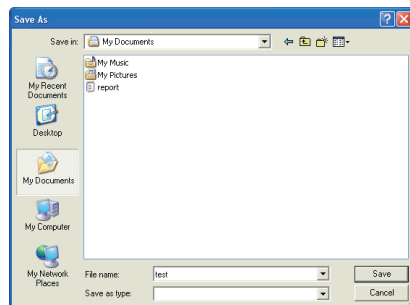


7. While the system boots up and the full screen logo shows up, press key to enter BIOS setup.

After entering the BIOS setup, please go to the <Save & Exit>, using the <Restore Defaults> function to load Optimized Defaults, and select <Save Changes and Reset> to restart the computer. Then, the BIOS Update is completed.

Backup BIOS

Click the Backup BIOS button on the main screen for the backup of BIOS, and select a proper location for your backup BIOS file in the system, and click “Save”.



UEFI BIOS Setup

Introduction

The purpose of this manual is to describe the settings in the AMI UEFI BIOS Setup program on this motherboard. The Setup program allows users to modify the basic system configuration and save these settings to NVRAM.

UEFI BIOS determines what a computer can do without accessing programs from a disk. This system controls most of the input and output devices such as keyboard, mouse, serial ports and disk drives. BIOS activates at the first stage of the booting process, loading and executing the operating system. Some additional features, such as virus and password protection or chipset fine-tuning options are also included in UEFI BIOS.

The rest of this manual will to guide you through the options and settings in UEFI BIOS Setup.

Plug and Play Support

This AMI UEFI BIOS supports the Plug and Play Version 1.0A specification.

EPA Green PC Support

This AMI UEFI BIOS supports Version 1.03 of the EPA Green PC specification.

ACPI Support

AMI ACPI UEFI BIOS support Version 1.0/2.0 of Advanced Configuration and Power interface specification (ACPI). It provides ASL code for power management and device configuration capabilities as defined in the ACPI specification, developed by Microsoft, Intel and Toshiba.

PCI Bus Support

This AMI UEFI BIOS also supports Version 2.3 of the Intel PCI (Peripheral Component Interconnect) local bus specification.

Using Setup

When starting up the computer, press during the **Power-On Self-Test (POST)** to enter the UEFI BIOS setup utility.

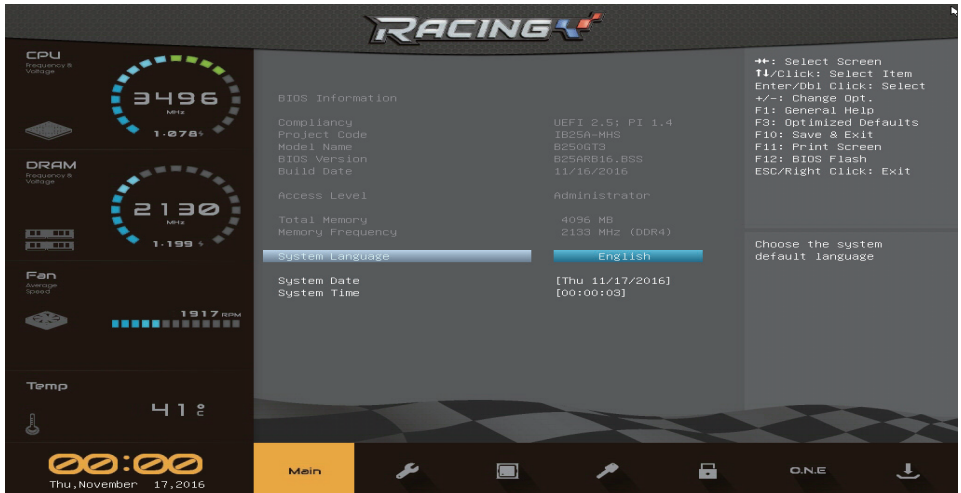
In the UEFI BIOS setup utility, you will see **General Help** description at the top right corner, and this is providing a brief description of the selected item. **Navigation Keys** for that particular menu are at the bottom right corner, and you can use these keys to select item and change the settings.

Note

- » The default UEFI BIOS settings apply for most conditions to ensure optimum performance of the motherboard. If the system becomes unstable after changing any settings, please load the default settings to ensure system's compatibility and stability. Use Load Setup Default under the Exit Menu.
- » For better system performance, the UEFI BIOS firmware is being continuously updated. The UEFI BIOS information described in this manual is for your reference only. The actual UEFI BIOS information and settings on board may be slightly different from this manual.
- » The content of this manual is subject to be changed without notice. We will not be responsible for any mistakes found in this user's manual and any system damage that may be caused by wrong-settings.

1. Main Menu

Once you enter AMI UEFI BIOS Setup Utility, the Main Menu will appear on the screen providing an overview of the basic system information.



BIOS Information

It shows system information including UEFI BIOS version, Project Code, Model Name, Build Date and etc.

Total Memory

Shows system memory size, VGA shard memory will be excluded.

System Language

Choose the system default language.

System Date

Set the system date. Note that the 'Day' automatically changes when you set the date.

System Time

Set the system internal clock.

2. Advanced Menu

The Advanced Menu allows you to configure the settings of CPU, Super I/O, Power Management, and other system devices.

Note

» Beware of that setting inappropriate values in items of this menu may cause system to malfunction.



ACPI Settings



Enable ACPI Auto Configuration

This item enables or disables BIOS ACPI auto configuration function.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Enable Hibernation

This item enables or disables system ability to hibernate (OS/S4 sleep state). This option may not be effective with some OSs.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

ACPI Sleep State

This item selects the highest ACPI sleep state the system will enter when the SUSPEND button is pressed.

Options: S3 (Suspend to RAM) (Default) / Suspend Disabled

Lock Legacy Resources

The item enables or disables Lock of Legacy Resources.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

S3 Video Repost

The item enables or disables S3 Video Repost. On enabling, Video Option ROM will be dispatched during S3 resume.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

PS2 Keyboard PowerOn

This item allows you to control the keyboard power on function.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Any Key / Stroke Key / Specific Key

Stroke Keys

This item will show only when Keyboard PowerOn is set "Stroke Key."

Options: Wake Key (Default) / Power Key / Ctrl+F1 / Ctrl+F2 / Ctrl+F3 / Ctrl +F4 / Ctrl+F5 / Ctrl+F6

Specific Key

This item will show only when Keyboard PowerOn is set "Specific Key." Press Enter to set Specific key.

PS2 Mouse PowerOn

This item allows you to control the mouse power on function.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Restore AC Power Loss

Specify what state to go to when power is re-applied after a power failure.

Options: Power Off (Default) / Power On / Last State

PME Wake up from S5

The item enables the system to wake from S5 using PME event.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Wake system with Fixed Time

This item enables or disables the system to wake on alarm event. When this item is enabled, the system will wake on the hr::min::sec specified.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Wake up date

You can choose which date the system will boot up.

Wake up hour / Wake up minute / Wake up second

You can choose the system boot up time, input hour, minute and second to specify.

SMART FAN Control



CPU Smart FAN1 & System Smart FAN1/2

This item allows you to control the CPU/System Smart Fan function.
Options: Disabled (Default) / Auto

Note

» The following items appear only when you set the Smart Fan function to [Auto].

CPU Fan Calibrate

Press [ENTER] to calibrate CPU Fan speed.

Control Mode

This item provides several operation modes of the fan.

Options: Manual / Quiet / Aggressive

Fan Ctrl OFF(°C)

When CPU temperature is lower than this value, the CPU fan will keep lowest RPM.

Options: 10 (°C) (default)

Fan Ctrl On(°C)

When CPU temperature is higher than this value, the CPU fan controller will turn on.

Options: 20 (°C) (Default)

Fan Ctrl Start Value

This item sets CPU FAN Start Speed Value.

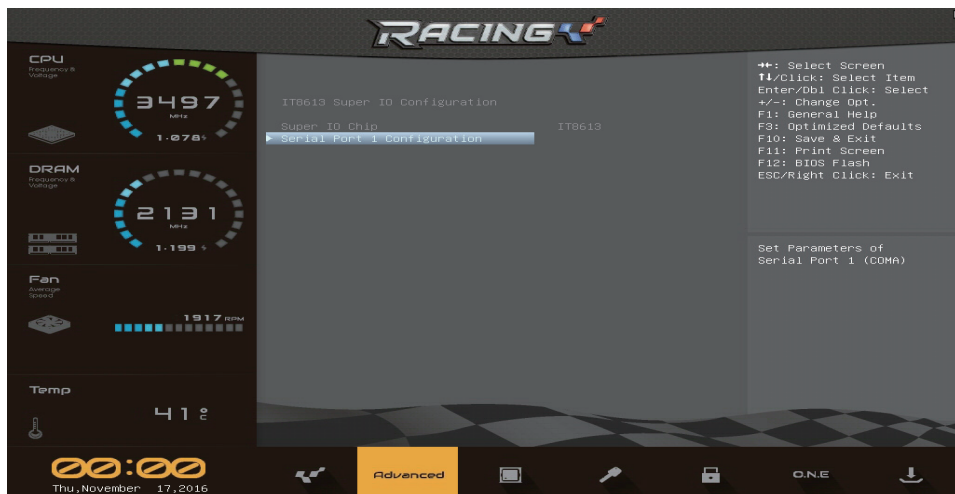
Options: 50 (Default)

Fan Ctrl Sensitive

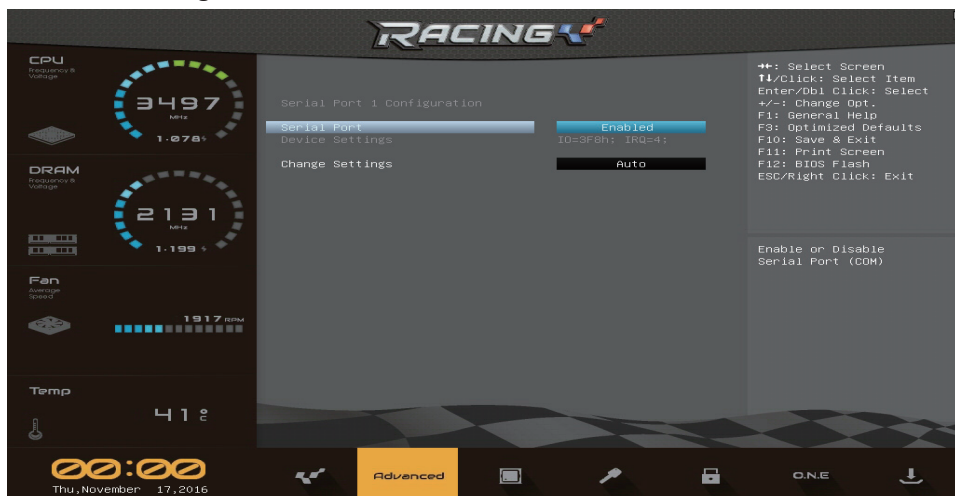
The number is bigger, the Fan speed is higher.

Options: 30 (Default)

IT8613 Super IO Configuration



Serial Port 1 Configuration



Serial Port

This item enable or disable Serial Port (COM).

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

Change Settings

This item select an optimal settings for Super IO Device.

Options: Auto (Default) / IO=3F8h; IRQ=4 / IO=3F8h; IRQ=3,4,5,6,7,9,10,11,12 / IO=2F8h; IRQ=3,4,5,6,7,9,10,11,12 / IO=3E8h; IRQ=3,4,5,6,7,9,10,11,12 / IO=2E8h; IRQ=3,4,5,6,7,9,10,11,12

H/W Monitor

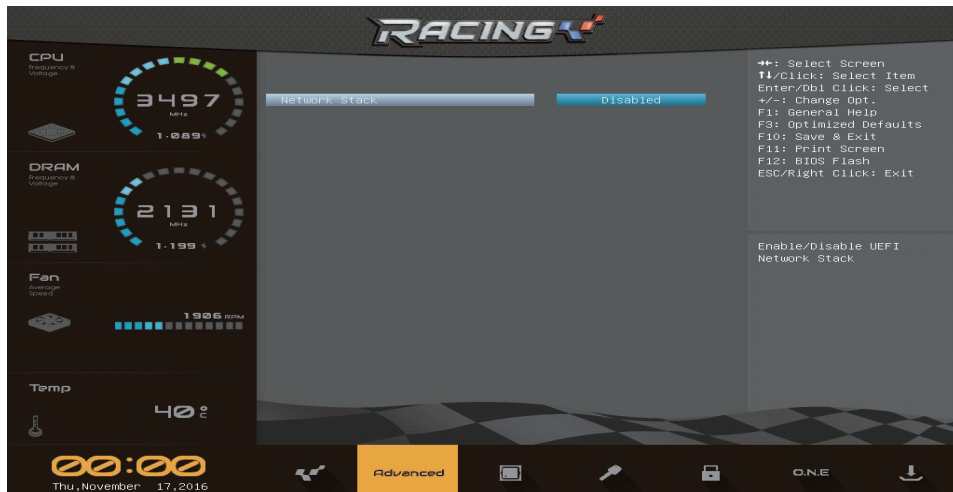


Shutdown Temperature

This item allows you to set up the CPU shutdown Temperature.

Options: Disabled (Default) / 70°C/158°F / 75°C/167°F / 80°C/176°F / 85°C/185°F / 90°C/194°F

Network Stack Configuration



Network Stack

This item enables or disables UEFI Network stack

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Note

» The following items appear only when you set the Network Stack function to [Enabled]

IPv4 PXE Support

This item enables or disables IPv4 PXE Boot Support. If disabled IPv4 PXE boot option will not be created.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

IPv4 HTTP Support

This item enables or disables IPv4 HTTP Boot Support. If disabled IPV4 HTTP boot option will not be created.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

IPv6 PXE Support

This item enables or disables IPv6 PXE Boot Support. If disabled IPv6 PXE boot option will not be created.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

IPv6 HTTP Support

This item enables or disables IPv6 HTTP Boot Support. If disabled IPv6 HTTP boot option will not be created.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

PXE boot wait time

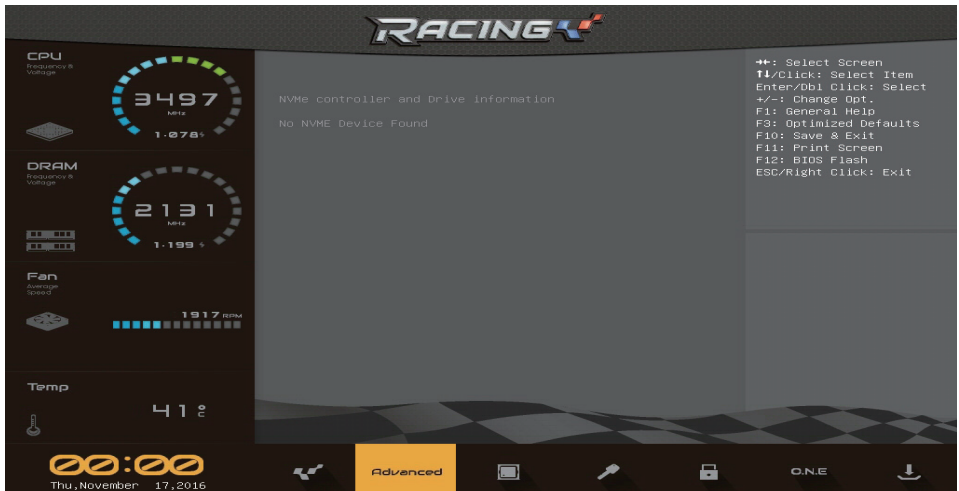
Wait time to press ESC key to abort the PXE boot.

Media detect count

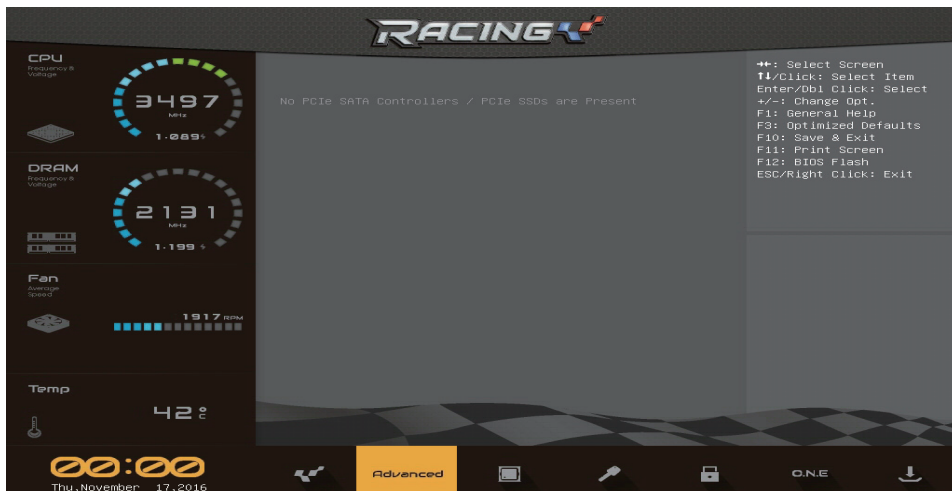
Number of times presence of media will be checked.

NVMe Configuration

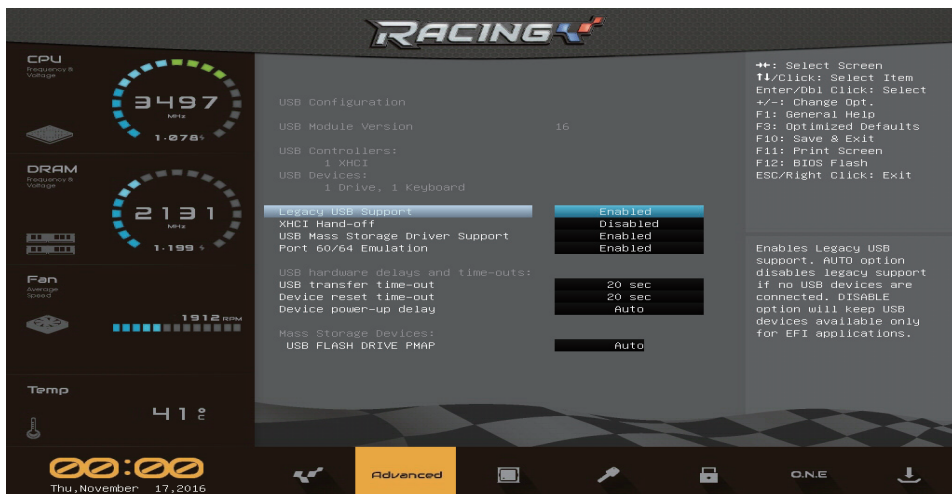
The item shows NVMe controller and driver information.



Offboard PCIe SATA Controller



USB Configuration



Legacy USB Support

The item allows you to enable Legacy USB support. AUTO option disables legacy support if no USB devices are connected. DISABLE option will keep USB devices available only for EFI applications. Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled / Auto

XHCI Hand-off

This is a workaround for OSeS without XHCI hand-off support. The XHCI ownership change should be claimed by XHCI driver.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

USB Mass Storage Driver Support

The item allows you to enable or disable USB Mass Storage Driver Support.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

Port 60/64 Emulation

The item allows you to enable or disable I/O port 60h/64h emulation support. This should be enabled for the complete USB keyboard legacy support for non-USB aware OSes.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

USB transfer time-out

The time-out value for Control, Bulk, and Interrupt transfers.

Options: 20 sec (Default) / 1 sec / 5 sec / 10 sec

Device reset time-out

The item sets USB mass storage device Start Unit command time-out.

Options: 20 sec (Default) / 10 sec / 30 sec / 40 sec

Device power-up delay

Maximum time the device will take before it properly reports itself to the Host Controller.

“Auto” uses default value: for a Root port it is 100ms, for a Hub port the delay is taken from Hub descriptor.

Options: Auto (Default) / Manual

Note

» The following items appear only when you set the Device power-up delay function to [Manual].

Device power-up delay in seconds

Delay range is 1 ~ 40 seconds, in one second increments.

Options: 5 (Default)

USB FLASH DRIVE PMAP

This item Mass storage device emulation type. ‘AUTO’ enumerates devices according to their media format. Optical drives are emulated as ‘CDROM’, drives with no media will be emulated according to a drive type.

Options: Auto (Default) / Floppy / Forced FDD / Hard Disk / CD-ROM

CPU Configuration

This item shows CPU Information



C6DRAM

This item enables or disables moving of DRAM contents to PRM memory when CPU is in C6 state.
Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Overclocking Lock

This item enables or disables Overclocking Lock (BIT 20) in FLEX_RATIO(194) MSR.
Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Hardware Prefetcher

This item to turn on / off the MLC streamer prefetcher.
Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

Adjacent Cache Line Prefetch

This item to turn on / off prefetching of adjacent cache lines.
Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

Intel (VMX) Virtualization Technology

The item allows you to enable or disable Intel (VMX) Virtualization Technology, when enabled, a VMM can utilize the additional hardware capabilities provided by Vanderpool Technology.
Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

Active Processor Cores

This item allows you to set up number of cores to enable in each processor package.
Options: All (Default) / 1/2/3

AES

This item enables or disables AES (Advanced Encryption Standard).
Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

SATA and Rst Configuration

The BIOS will automatically detect the presence of SATA devices. There is a sub-menu for each SATA device. Select a device and press <Enter> to enter the sub-menu for detailed options.



SATA Controller(s)

This item enables/disables Serial ATA Device.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

SATA Mode Selection

This item determines how SATA controller(s) operate.

Options: AHCI (Default) / Intel RST With Intel Optane System Acceleration

SMART Self Test

This item runs SMART Self Test on all HDDs during POST.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

SATA Hot Plug

This item Designates SATA port as Hot Pluggable.

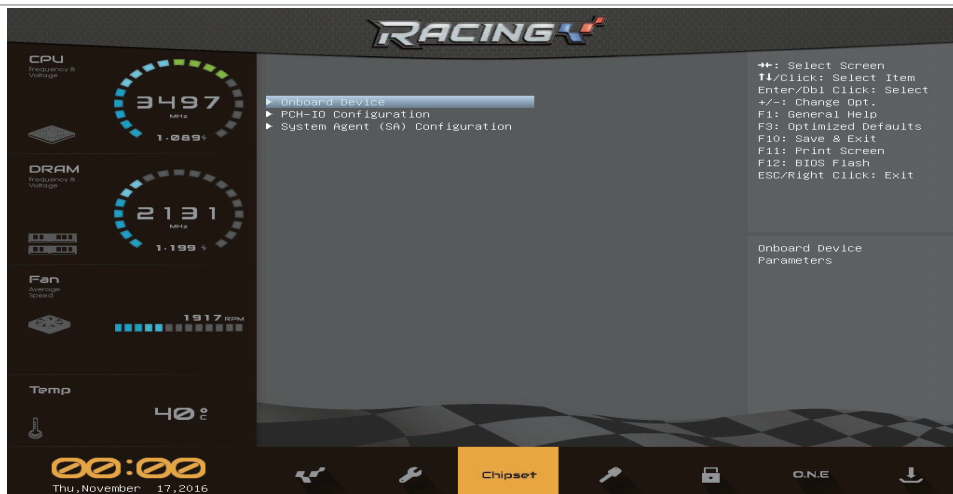
Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

3. Chipset Menu

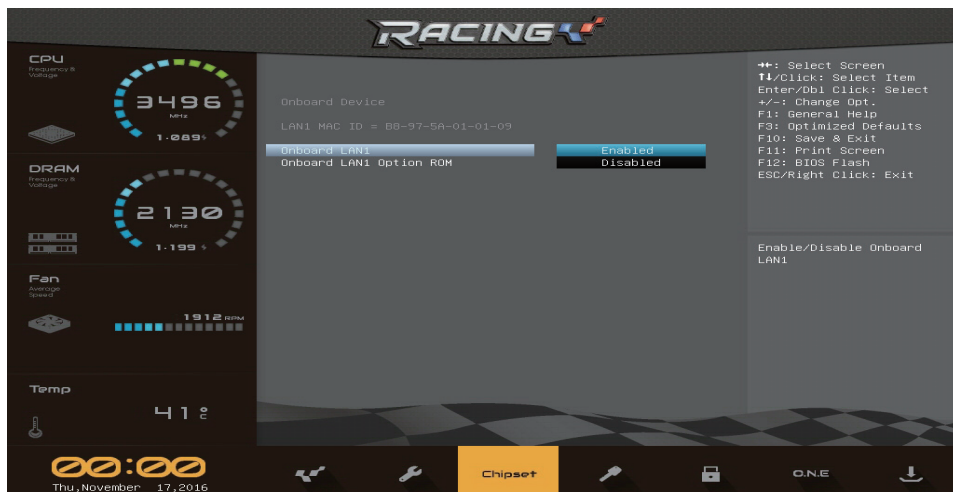
This section describes configuring the PCI bus system. PCI, or Personal Computer Interconnect, is a system which allows I/O devices to operate at speeds nearing the speed of the CPU itself uses when communicating with its own special components.

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Onboard Device



Onboard LAN1

This item enables/disables Onboard LAN1.

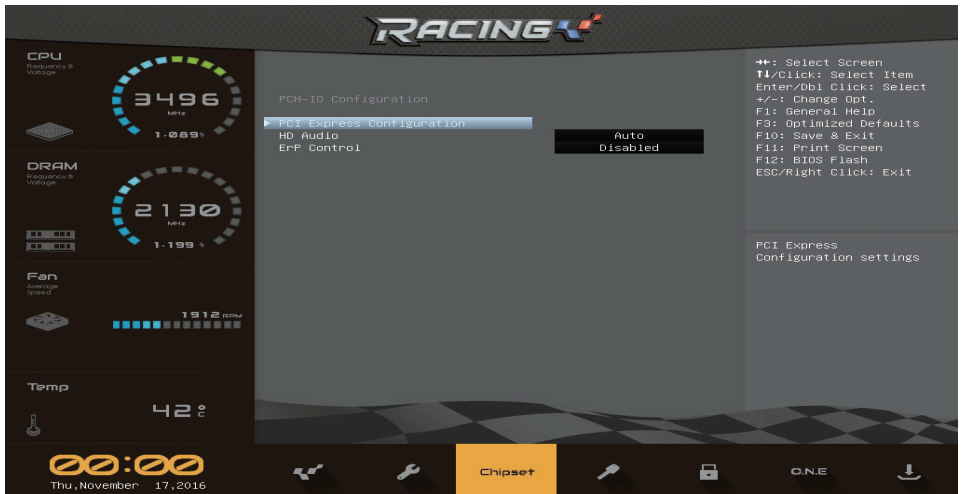
Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

Onboard LAN1 Option ROM

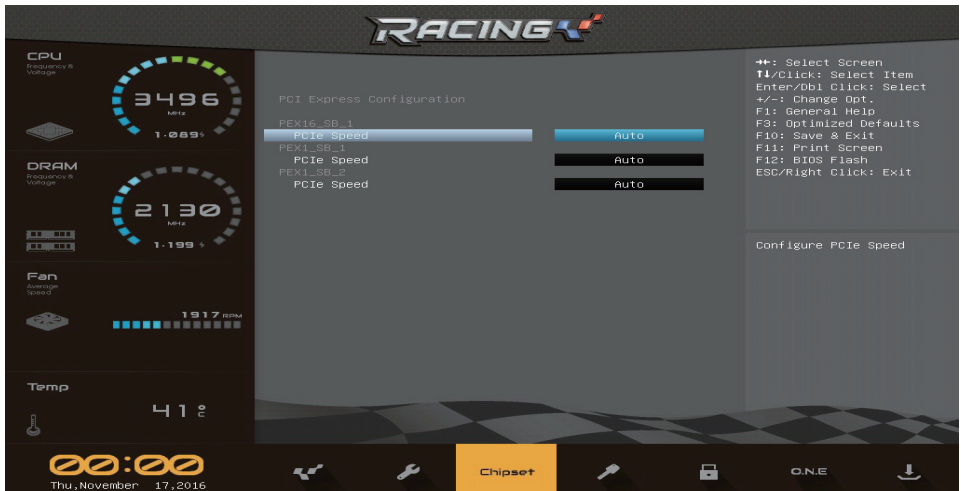
This item enables/disables Onboard LAN1 Option ROM.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

PCH-IO Configuration



PCI Express Configuration



PEX16_SB_1 / PEX1_SB_1/2

Options: Auto(Default) / Gen1 / Gen2 / Gen3

HD Audio

Control Detection of the HD-Audio device. Disabled = HDA will be unconditionally disabled.

Enabled = HDA will be unconditionally enabled. Auto = HDA will be enabled if present, disabled otherwise.

Options: Auto (Default) / Disabled / Enabled

EuP Control

When EuP is enabled, the system will meet EuP requirement.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled in S4-S5

System Agent (SA) Configuration



Internal Graphics

This item keeps IGFX enabled based on the setup options.

Options: Auto (Default) / Enabled / Disabled

Primary Display

This item selects which of IGFX/PEG/PCI Graphics device should be Primary Display or select SG for Switchable Gfx.

Options: Auto (Default) / IGFX / PEG / PCI / SG

GTT Size

This item select the GTT Size.

Options: 8MB (Default) / 2MB / 4MB

Aperture Size

This item selects Aperture Size. Note : Above 4GB MMIO BIOS assignment is automatically enabled when selecting 2048MB aperture. To use this feature, please disable CSM Support.

Options: 256MB (Default) / 128MB / 512MB / 1024MB / 2048MB / 4096MB

DVMT Pre-Allocated

This item selects DVMT 5.0 Pre-Allocated (Fixed) Graphics Memory size used by the Internal Graphics Device.

Options: 32M (Default) / 0M / 64M / 4M / 8M / 12M / 16M / 20M / 24M / 28M / 32M/F7 / 36M / 40M / 44M / 48M / 52M / 56M / 60M

DVMT Total Gfx Mem

This item selects DVMT5.0 Total Graphic Memory size used by the Internal Graphics Device.

Options: 256MB (Default) / 128MB / MAX

PAVP Enable

This item enables or disables PAVP.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

Max TOLUD

Maximum Value of TOLUD. Dynamic assignment would adjust TOLUD automatically based on largest MMIO length of installed graphic controller.

Options: Dynamic (Default) / 1 GB / 1.25 GB / 1.5 GB / 1.75 GB / 2 GB / 2.25 GB / 2.5 GB / 2.75 GB / 3 GB / 3.25 GB / 3.5GB

VT-d

This item enables or disables VT-d capability.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

RC6 (Render Standby)

This item enables or disables render standby support.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

PEX16_1**MAX Link Speed**

Configure PEX16_1 Max Speed.

Options: Auto (Default) / Gen1 / Gen2 / Gen3

4. Boot Menu

This menu allows you to setup the system boot options.



Setup Prompt Timeout

This item sets number of seconds to wait for setup activation key. 65535 (0xFFFF) means indefinite waiting.

Options: 1 (Default)

Bootup NumLock State

This item selects the keyboard NumLock state.

Options: On (Default) / Off

Full Screen Logo Display

This item allows you to enable/disable Full Screen Logo Show function.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

Boot Success Beep

When this item is set to Enabled, BIOS will let user know boot success with beep.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

BIOS Flash protection

While enabled, it can't flash write and flash erase by SMI.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

Fast Boot

This item allows you to enable/disable boot with initialization of a minimal set of devices required to launch active boot option. Has no effect for BBS boot options.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Note

» The following items appear only when you set the Fast Boot function to [Enabled]

SATA Support

Options: All Sata Devices (Default) / Last Boot HDD Only

VGA Support

If Auto, only install Legacy OpRom with Legacy OS and logo would NOT be shown during post. EFI driver will still installed with EFI OS.

Options: EFI Driver (Default) / Auto

USB Support

If Disabled, all USB devices will NOT be available until after OS boot. If Partial Initial, USB Mass Storage and specific USB port/device will NOT be available before OS boot. If Enabled, all USB devices will be available in OS and Post.

Options: Partial Initial (Default) / Disabled / Full Initial

PS2 Devices Support

If Disabled, PS2 devices will be skipped.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

Network Stack Driver Support

If Disabled, Network Stack Drivers will be skipped.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Redirection Support

If Disabled, Redirection function will be disabled.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

GateA20 Active

Upon Request – GA20 can be disabled using BIOS services. Always – do not allow disabling GA20; this option is useful when any RT code is executed above 1MB

Options: Upon Request (Default) / Always

Option ROM Messages

This item sets the display mode for Option ROM.

Options: Force BIOS (Default) / Keep Current

CSM Support

This option enables or disables CSM support.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

Note

» The following items appear only when you set the CSM Support function to [Enabled]

Boot option filter

This option controls Legacy/UEFI ROMs priority.

Options: UEFI and Legacy (Default) / Legacy only / UEFI only

Network

This option controls the execution of UEFI and Legacy PXE OpROM

Options: Legacy (Default) / UEFI / Do not launch

Storage

This option controls the execution of UEFI and Legacy Storage OpROM

Options: Legacy (Default) / UEFI / Do not launch

Video

This option controls the execution of UEFI and Legacy Video OpROM

Options: Legacy (Default) / UEFI / Do not launch

Other PCI device

Determines OpROM execution policy for devices other than Network, Storage, or Video.

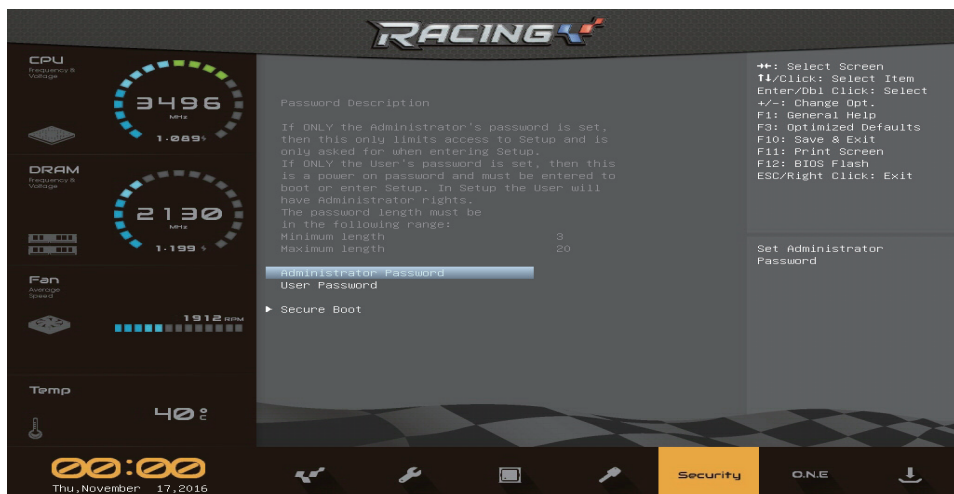
Options: UEFI (Default) / Legacy / Do not launch

New Boot Option Policy

It controls the placement of newly detected UEFI boot options.

Options: Default (Default) / Place First / Place Last

5. Security Menu



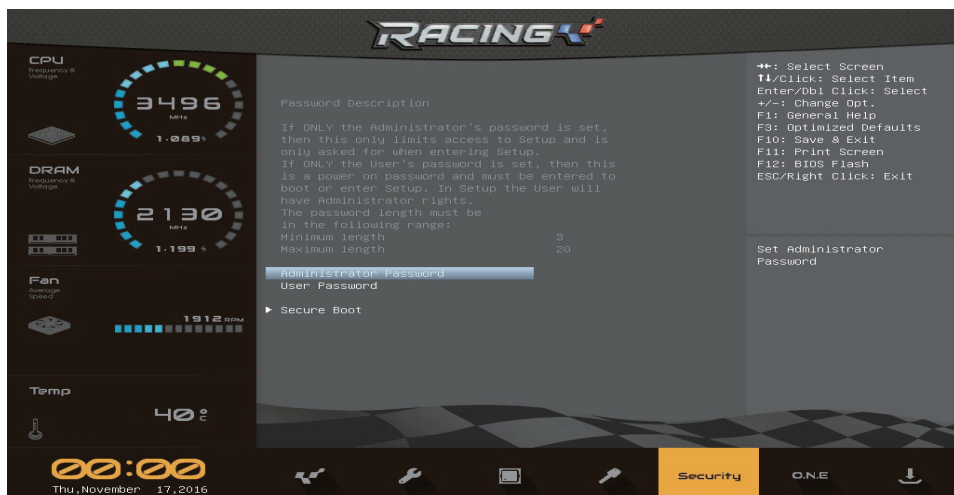
Administrator Password

This item sets Administrator Password.

User Password

This item sets User Password.

Secure Boot Menu



Attempt Secure Boot

Secure Boot activated when Platform Key(PK) is enrolled, System mode is User/Deployed, and CSM function is disabled.

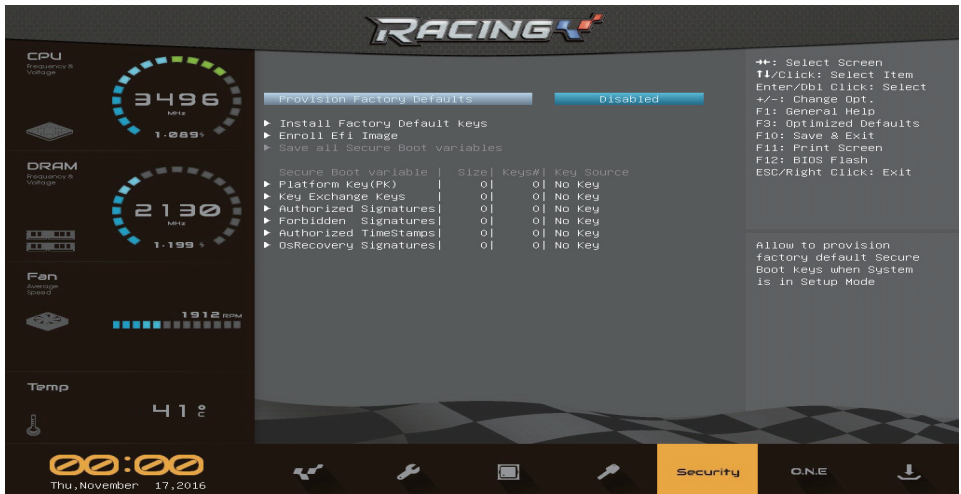
Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Secure Boot Mode

Secure Boot mode selector : Standard/Custom. In Custom mode Secure Boot Variables can be configured without authentication.

Options: Custom (Default) / Standard

Key Management



Provision Factory Defaults

Allow to provision factory default Secure Boot Keys when system is in setup mode.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Install Factory Default keys

Force System to User Mode - install all Factory Default Keys. Change takes effect after reboot.

Enroll Efi Image

Allow the image to run in Secure Boot mode. Enroll SHA256 hash of the binary into Authorized Signature Database (db).

Save all Secure Boot variables

Save NVRAM content of all Secure Boot policy variables to the files (EFI_SIGNATURE_LIST data format) in root folder on a target file system device.

Platform Key (PK)

Save Key to File – Allows you save key to PK file.

Set new Key – Allows you set new PK file.

Erase Key – Allows you erase PK file.

Key Exchange Keys

Save Key to File – Allows you save key to KEK file.

Set new Key – Allows you set new KEK file.

Append Key – Allows you append Var to KEK.

Erase Key – Allows you erase KEK file.

Authorized Signatures

Save Key to File – Allows you save key to DB file.

Set new Key – Allows you set new DB file.

Append Key – Allows you append Var to DB.

Erase Key – Allows you erase DB file.

Forbidden Signatures

Save Key to File – Allows you save key to DBX file.

Set new Key – Allows you set new DBX file.

Append Key – Allows you append Var to DBX.

Erase Key – Allows you erase DBX file.

Authorized Timestamps

Set new Key – Allows you set new DBT file.

Append Key – Allows you append Var to DBT.

OsRecovery Signatures

Set new Key – Allows you set new DBT file.

Append Key – Allows you append Var to DBT.

6. O.N.E Menu

This submenu allows you to change voltage and clock of various devices.

Note

- » We suggest you use the default setting. Changing the voltage and clock improperly may damage the device.
- » The options and default settings might be different by RAM or CPU models.
- » Beware of that setting inappropriate values in items of this menu may cause system to malfunction.
 - Values in Red: Danger
 - Values in Yellow: Warning
 - Values in White: Normal



Start Page

You can set the entrance page when you enter UEFI BIOS Setup.

Options: Page – Main (Default) / Page – Advanced / Page – Chipset / Page – Boot / Page – Security / Page –O.N.E / Page – Save & Exit

CPU Ratio Mode

This item sets CPU Ratio Mode.

Options: Auto (Default) / ALL Cores / Per Core / Fixed

Ring Max OC Ratio

This sets the maximum overclocking ratio for the Ring Domain.

Options: 35 (Default)

Ring Min OC Ratio

This sets the minimum overclocking ratio for the Ring Domain.

Options: 8 (Default)

Memory Profile

Select DIMM timing profile. The blow values start with the currently running values and don't auto populate.

Options: Default profile (Default) / Custom profile / XMP profile 1

Note

- » Support XMP only for Kabylake CPU. Max supports up to 2400MHz.
- » The following items appear only when you set the Memory Profiles function to [Custom profile]

Memory Ratio

Automatic or the frequency will equal ratio times reference clock. Set to Auto to recalculate memory timings listed below.

Options: Auto (Default) / DDR4 800MHz / DDR4 1066MHz / DDR4 1333MHz / DDR4 1600MHz / DDR4 1866MHz / DDR4 2133MHz / DDR4 2400MHz

QCLK Odd Ratio

Adds 133 or 100 MHz to QCLK frequency, depending on RefClk.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Memory Timing Configuration



tCL

This item allows you to select CAS Latency, 0: AUTO, max: 31

Options: Auto (Default)

tRCD/trP

This item allows you to select RAS to CAS delay time and Row Prechrge delay time, 0: AUTO, max: 63

Options: Auto (Default)

tRAS

This item allows you to select RAS Active Time, 0: AUTO, max: 64

Options: Auto (Default)

tCWL

This item allows you to select Min CAS Write Latency Delay Time, 0: AUTO, max: 20

Options: Auto (Default)

tFAW

This item allows you to select Min Four Activate Window Delay Time, 0: AUTO, max: 63

Options: Auto (Default)

tREFI

This item allows you to select Refresh Interval, 0: AUTO, max: 65535

Options: Auto (Default)

tRFC

This item allows you to select Min Refresh Recovery Delay Time, 0: AUTO, max: 1023

Options: Auto (Default)

tRTP

This item allows you to select Min Internal Read to Precharge Command Delay Time. Shall be set to half of tWR value, 0: AUTO, max: 15. DDR4 legal values: 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12

Options: Auto (Default)

tWR

This item allows you to select Min Write Recovery Time, 0: AUTO, legal values: 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24

Options: Auto (Default)

tRRD_S

This item allows you to select Min Row Active to Row Active Delay Time, Different Bank Group, 0: AUTO, max: 10

Options: Auto (Default)

tRRD_L

This item allows you to select Min Row Active to Row Active Delay Time, Same Bank Group, 0: AUTO, max: 15

Options: Auto (Default)

tWTR_S

This item allows you to select Min Internal Write to Read Command Delay Time, Different Bank Group, 0: AUTO, max: 4

Options: Auto (Default)

tWTR_L

This item allows you to select Min Internal Write to Read Command Delay Time, Same Bank Group, 0: AUTO, max: 11

Options: Auto (Default)

NMode

This item allows you to select System command rate, range 0-2, 0 = auto, 1 = 1N, 2 = 2N

Options: Auto (Default)

RttWr

Options: Auto (Default) / Disabled / RZQ/1 / RZQ/2 / RZQ/3 / Hi-Z

RttNom

Options: Auto (Default) / Disabled / RZQ/1 / RZQ/2 / RZQ/3 / RZQ/4 / RZQ/5 / RZQ/6 / RZQ/7

RttPark

Options: Auto (Default) / Disabled / RZQ/1 / RZQ/2 / RZQ/3 / RZQ/4 / RZQ/5 / RZQ/6 / RZQ/7

Advance Memory Timing



Dimm ODT Training*

Dimm On-Die Termination Training

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Read ODT Training*

Read On-Die Termination Training

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Turn Around Timing Training

Turn Around Timing Training

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Voltage Configuration



CPU Vcore Over Voltage

This item sets CPU Vcore Over Voltage.

Options: Auto (Default) / Override / Adaptive

Note

» The following items appear only when you set the CPU Vcore Over Voltage to [Override]

CPU Vcore Adjust Voltage

Options: 1.300V (Default), Range: 1.000V-1.8000V

Note

» The following items appear only when you set the CPU Vcore Over Voltage to [Adaptive]

CPU Vcore Offset Prefix

Options: + (Default) / -

CPU Vcore Offset Voltage

Options: Auto (Default), Range: 0V-0.635V

CPU GT Over Voltage

This item sets CPU GT Over Voltage.

Options: Auto (Default) / Override / Adaptive

Note

» The following items appear only when you set the CPU GT Over Voltage to [Override]

CPU GT Adjust Voltage

Options: 0.800V (Default), Range: 0.600V-1.500V

Note

» The following items appear only when you set the CPU GT Over Voltage to [Adaptive]

CPU GT Offset Prefix

Options: + (Default) / -

CPU GT Offset Voltage

Options: Auto (Default), Range: 0.0V-0.635V

DRAM Voltage

This item sets DRAM Voltage (1.0V~1.600V), default 1.200V.

Options: Auto (Default) / 1.20V / 1.35V

CPU Power Management



Intel(R) SpeedStep(tm)

This item allows more than two frequency ranges to be supported.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

Power Limit 1 Override

This item enables or disables Power Limit 1 Override. If this option is disabled, BIOS will program the default values for Power Limit 1 and Power Limit 1 Time Window.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Note

» The following items appear only when you set the CSM Support function to [Enabled]

Power Limit 1

This item sets the Power Limit 1 in Milli Watts. BIOS will round to the nearest 1/8W when programming.

Options: 65000 (Default)

Power Limit 2 Override

This item enables or disables Power Limit 2 override. If this option is disabled, BIOS will program the default values for Power Limit 2.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

Power Limit 2

This item sets the Power Limit 2 value in Watts.

Options: 15625(Default)

C states

This item enables or disables CPU power management. Allows CPU to go to C states when it's not 100% utilized.

Options: Auto (Default) / Enabled / Disabled

Enhanced C-states

This item enables or disables C1E. When enabled, CPU will switch to minimum speed when all cores enter C-State.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

C-states Auto Demotion

This item sets C-State Auto Demotion.

Options: C1 and C3 (Default) / C1 / C3/ Disabled

C-states Un-demotion

This item sets C-State Un-demotion.

Options: C1 and C3 (Default) / C1 / C3/ Disabled

Package C state Demotion

This item sets Package C state Demotion.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Package C state Un-demotion

This item sets Package C state undemotion.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

CState Pre-Wake

Disable - Sets bit 30 of POWER_CTL MSR(0x1FC) to 1 to disable the Cstate Pre-Wake.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

Package C State Limit

This item sets Package C State Limit.

Options: Auto (Default) / C0/C1 / C2 / C3 / C6 / C7 / C7S / C8 / C9 / C10 / CPU Default

CFG Lock

This item sets MSR 0xE2[15], CFG lock bit.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

RSR

This item enables or disables Reliability Stress Restrictor (RSR) feature.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

AC Loadline

AC Loadline defined in 1/100 mOhms. A value of 100=1.00 mOhm, and 1255 =12.55 mOhm. Range is 0-6249 (0-62.49 mOhms). 0=AUTO/HW default.

Options: Auto (Default)

DC Loadline

DC Loadline defined in 1/100 mOhms. A value of 100=1.00 mOhm, and 1255 =12.55 mOhm. Range is 0-6249 (0-62.49 mOhms). 0=AUTO/HW default.

Options: Auto (Default)

Memory Insight



DIMM Profile

These items display memory information.



Vivid LED Control



On/Off

This item Vivid LED Control Switch.

Options: Enabled (Default) / Disabled

Color Wheel

This item Vivid LED Color Wheel.

Options: Disabled (Default) / Enabled

Sparkle Mode

This item Vivid LED Sparkle Mode.

Options: Permanent (Default) / Shine / Breathe

RED

This item allows you to adjust the value for RED color model.

Options: 0 (Default)

GREEN

This item allows you to adjust the value for GREEN color model.

Options: 0 (Default)

BLUE

This item allows you to adjust the value for BLUE color model.

Options: 127 (Default)

7. Exit Menu

This menu allows you to load the optimal default settings, and save or discard the changes to the BIOS items.



Discard Changes and Exit

Abandon all changes made during the current session and exit setup.

Save Changes and Reset

Reset the system after saving the changes.

Restore Defaults

Restore/Load Default values for all the setup options.

Launch EFI Shell from filesystem device

This item attempts to Launch EFI Shell application (Shell.efi) from one of the available filesystem devices.