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BIOS Manual

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Motherboard

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BIOS Setup

1. Knowing BIOS

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.

WARNING! 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.**

NOTE:

- When downloading or updating the BIOS file for your motherboard, rename it as **XXXXX.CAP** or launch the **BIOSRenamer.exe** application to automatically rename the file. The name of the CAP file varies depending on models. Refer to the user manual that came with your motherboard for the name.
 - The screenshots in this manual are for reference only, please refer to the latest BIOS version for settings and options.
 - BIOS settings and options may vary due to different BIOS release versions or CPU installed. Please refer to the latest BIOS version for settings and options.
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IMPORTANT! This workstation motherboard comes with a Realtek 1 Gb LAN port that connects directly to the central server or to a router/hub using a LAN cable. When the BMC_SW is enabled on your motherboard, this LAN controller will allow you to view and configure BMC network parameters in the BIOS menu. Please note that this LAN controller is dedicated to BMC and for the connections of IPMI only, you may not connect to the Internet using the Realtek 1 Gb LAN port.

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.

IMPORTANT!

- The BIOS setup screens shown in this section are for reference purposes only, and may not exactly match what you see on your screen.
 - 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 the <F5> hotkey. 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 your motherboard manual for information on how to erase the RTC RAM.
 - The BIOS setup program does not support Bluetooth devices.
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3. Managing and updating your BIOS

The following utilities allow you to manage and update the motherboard Basic Input/Output System (BIOS) setup:

1. **ASUS CrashFree BIOS 3**

To recover the BIOS using a bootable USB flash disk drive when the BIOS file fails or gets corrupted.

2. **ASUS EzFlash**

Updates the BIOS using a USB flash disk.

3.1 ASUS CrashFree BIOS 3 utility

The ASUS CrashFree BIOS 3 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 update a corrupted BIOS file using a USB flash drive that contains the updated BIOS file.

IMPORTANT! Prepare a USB flash drive containing the updated motherboard BIOS before using this utility.

Recovering the BIOS from a USB flash drive

To recover the BIOS from a USB flash drive:

1. Insert the USB flash drive with the original or updated BIOS file to a USB port on the system.
2. The utility will automatically recover the BIOS. It resets the system when the BIOS recovery finished.

WARNING! DO NOT shut down or reset the system while recovering the BIOS! Doing so would cause system boot failure!

NOTE: The recovered BIOS may not be the latest BIOS version for this motherboard. Visit the ASUS website at www.asus.com to download the latest BIOS file.

3.2 ASUS EzFlash Utility

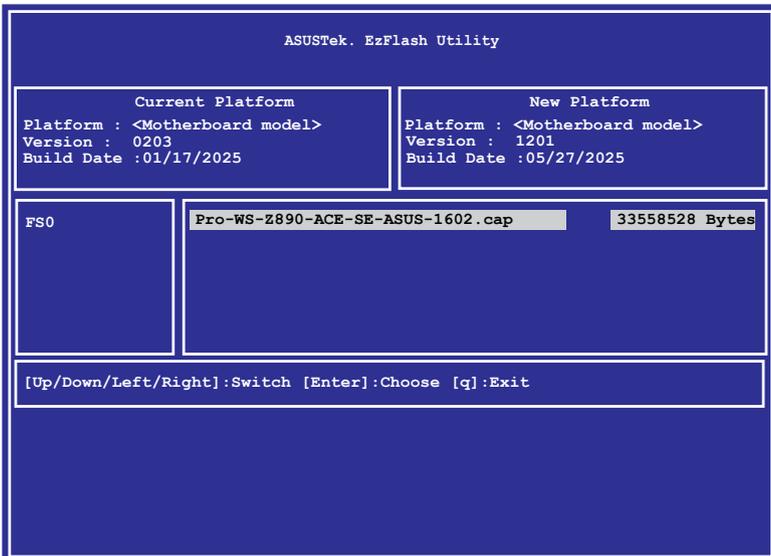
The ASUS EzFlash Utility feature allows you to update the BIOS using a USB flash disk without having to use a DOS-based utility.

IMPORTANT! Download the latest BIOS from the ASUS website at www.asus.com before using this utility.

NOTE: The succeeding BIOS screens are for reference only. The actual BIOS screen displays may not be the same as shown.

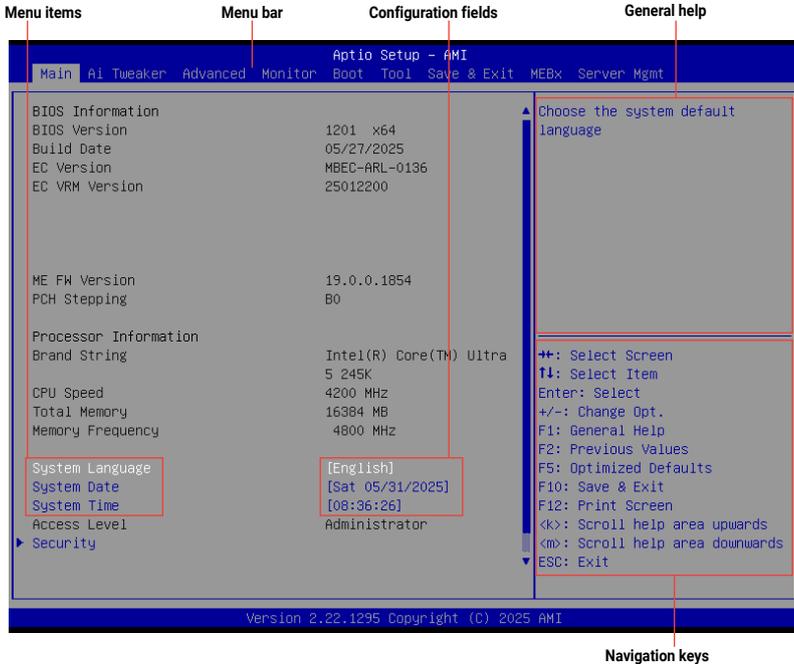
To update the BIOS using EzFlash Utility:

1. Insert the USB flash disk that contains the latest BIOS file to the USB port.
2. Enter the BIOS setup program. Go to the **Tool** menu to select **Start ASUS EzFlash** and press <Enter> to enable it.



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

4. BIOS menu screen



4.1 Menu bar

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

- Main** For changing the basic system configuration
- Ai 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
- Save & Exit** For selecting the save & exit options
- MEBx** For configuring Intel Management Engine BIOS Extension (MEBx) settings.
- Server Mgmt** For changing the Server Mgmt settings

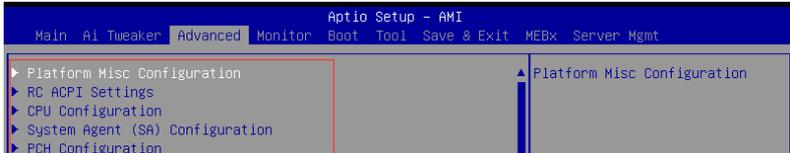
To select an item on the menu bar, press the right or left arrow key on the keyboard until the desired item is highlighted.

4.2 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 on the menu bar have their respective menu items.

4.3 Submenu items

A solid triangle before each item on any menu screen means that the item has a submenu. To display the submenu, select the item and press <Enter>.



4.4 Navigation keys

At the bottom right corner of a menu screen are the navigation keys for the BIOS setup program. Use the navigation keys to select items in the menu and change the settings.

4.5 General help

At the top right corner of the menu screen is a brief description of the selected item.

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

4.7 Pop-up window

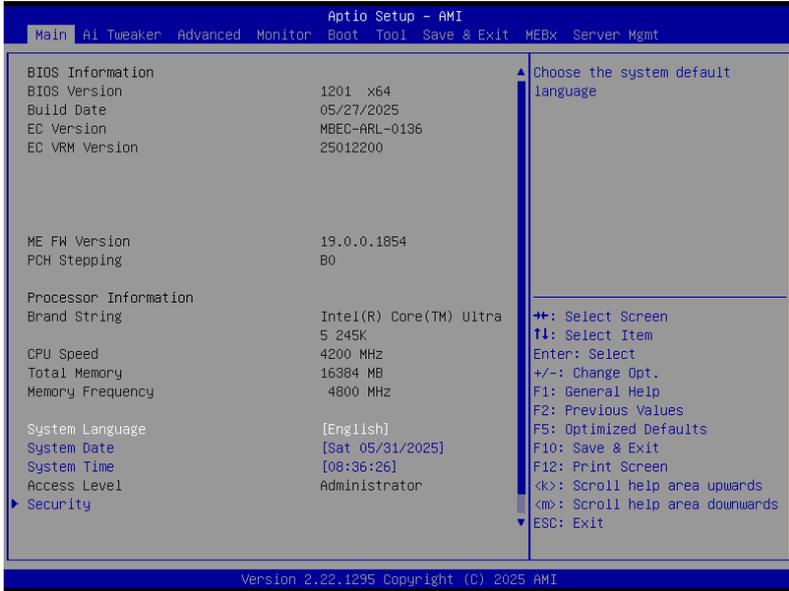
Select a menu item and press <Enter> to display a pop-up window with the configuration options for that item.

4.8 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.

5. Main menu

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.

NOTE:

- If you have forgotten your BIOS password, erase the CMOS Real Time Clock (RTC) RAM to clear the BIOS password. See the motherboard for information on how to erase the RTC RAM via the Clear CMOS jumper.
 - 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]**.
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Administrator Password

If you have set an administrator password, we recommend that you enter the administrator password for accessing the system. Otherwise, you might be able to see or change only selected fields in the BIOS setup program.

To set an administrator password:

1. Select the **Administrator Password** item and press <Enter>.
2. From the **Create New Password** box, key in a password, then press <Enter>.
3. Re-type to confirm the password then select **OK**.

To change an administrator password:

1. Select the **Administrator Password** item and press <Enter>.
2. From the **Enter Current Password** box, key in the current password, then press <Enter>.
3. From the **Create New Password** box, key in a new password, then press <Enter>.
4. Re-type to confirm the password then select **OK**.

To clear the administrator password:

Follow the same steps as in changing an administrator password, but leave other fields blank then select **OK** to continue. After you clear the password, the **Administrator Password** item on top of the screen shows **[Not Installed]**.

User Password

If you have set a user password, you must enter the user password for accessing the system. The User Password item on top of the screen shows the default **[Not Installed]**. After you set a password, this item shows **[Installed]**.

To set a user password:

1. Select the **User Password** item and press <Enter>.
2. From the **Create New Password** box, key in a password, then press <Enter>.
3. Re-type to confirm the password then select **OK**.

To change a user password:

1. Select the **User Password** item and press <Enter>.
2. From the **Enter Current Password** box, key in the current password, then press <Enter>.
3. From the **Create New Password** box, key in a new password, then press <Enter>.
4. Re-type to confirm the password then select **OK**.

To clear the user password:

Follow the same steps as in changing a user password, but leave other fields blank then select **OK** to continue. After you clear the password, the **User Password** item on top of the screen shows **[Not Installed]**.

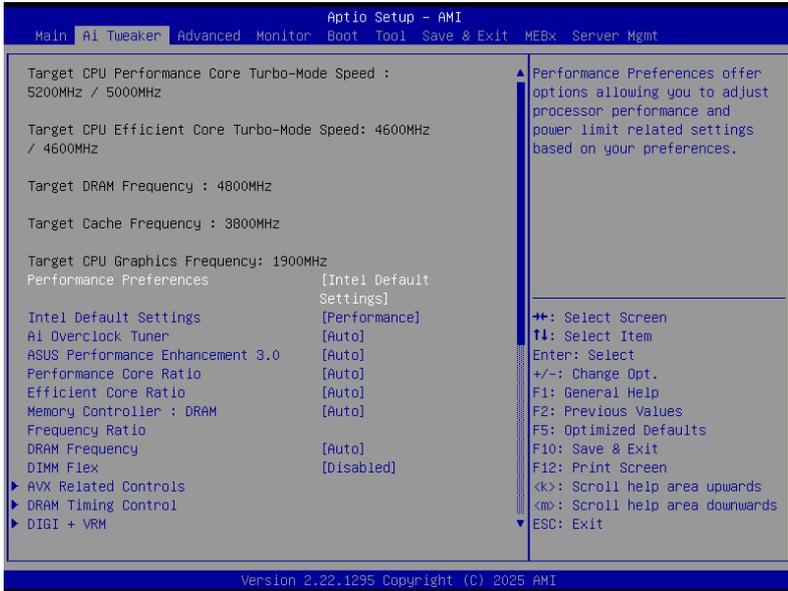
6. Ai Tweaker menu

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

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

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

Scroll down to display other BIOS items.



Performance Preferences

Allows you to adjust processor performance and power limit related settings based on your preferences.

Configuration options: [Intel Default Settings] [ASUS Advanced OC Profile]

Intel Default Settings

Load the Intel Default Settings and operate within Intel's recommended parameters.

Configuration options: [Performance]

Ai Overclock Tuner

[Auto]	Loads the optimal settings for the system.
[Manual]	When the manual mode is selected, the BCLK (base clock) frequency can be assigned manually.
[XMP I]	Load the DIMM's default XMP memory timings (CL, TRCD, TRP, TRAS) with BCLK frequency and other memory parameters optimized by ASUS.
[XMP II]	Load the DIMM's complete default XMP profile.
[XMP Tweaked]	Load XMP profile with tweaks for improved performance if config matches.
[D.O.C.P. I]	Load the DIMM's default D.O.C.P. memory timings (CL, TRCD, TRP, TRAS) with BCLK frequency and other memory parameters optimized by ASUS.
[D.O.C.P. II]	Load the DIMM's complete default D.O.C.P. profile.
[AEMP II]	Load the memory parameters profile optimized by ASUS if no DIMM profiles detected.
[AEMP III]	Load the memory parameters profile optimized by ASUS if no DIMM profiles detected.

NOTE: The configuration options for this item vary depending on the DIMM model you installed on the motherboard.

NOTE: The following items appear only when **Ai Overclock Tuner** is set to **[Manual]**, **[XMP I]**, **[XMP II]**, **[XMP Tweaked]**, **[D.O.C.P. I]**, **[D.O.C.P. II]**, **[AEMP II]**, or **[AEMP III]**.

NPU Boost

Enable BPU Boost settings to overclock the NPU, boosting performance and compute power. Configuration options: [Auto] [Level 1] [Level 2] [Level 3]

BLCK Mode

[Auto]	Loads the default setting.
[Synchronous]	The CPU BCLK and SOC BCLK are adjusted together, keeping their clock speeds in sync.
[Asynchronous]	The CPU BCLK and SOC BCLK can be adjusted independently, allowing different clock speeds for each.

CPU BCLK Frequency

Using a higher CPU BCLK frequency will alter the operating frequency of all associated clock domains (CPU and cache). The default BCLK is 100.

NOTE: The following item appears only when **BLCK Mode** is set to **[Auto]** or **[Asynchronous]**.

SOC BCLK Frequency

Using a higher SOC BCLK frequency will alter the operating frequency of all associated clock domains (DRAM, NGU and D2D). The default BCLK is 100.

PCIe CLK Frequency

Using a higher PCIe BCLK frequency will alter the operating frequency of all associated clock domains (CPU PCIe). The default BCLK is 100.

NOTE: The following item appears only when **Ai Overclock Tuner** is set to **[XMP I]**, **[XMP II]**, or **[XMP Tweaked]**.

XMP

Each profile has its own DRAM frequency, timing and voltage.

NOTE: The following item appears only when **Ai Overclock Tuner** is set to **[D.O.C.P. I]** or **[D.O.C.P. II]**.

D.O.C.P.

Each profile has its own DRAM frequency, timing and voltage.

NOTE: The following item appears only when **Ai Overclock Tuner** is set to **[AEMP II]** or **[AEMP III]**.

AEMP

Each profile has its own DRAM frequency, timing and voltage.

ASUS Performance Enhancement 3.0

[Auto]	Use default settings.
[Disabled]	Keep to intel default CPU settings. (Intel stock CPU core frequency and power limits)
[Enabled]	Enable ASUS optimized CPU settings. (Unlock power limits to increase CPU performance)
[Enabled (limit CPU temp. at 90°C)]	Enable ASUS optimized CPU settings (unlock power limits) and limit CPU temperature at 90°C for better performance balance.

NOTE: Actual settings may vary depending on different models.

Performance Core Ratio

[Auto]:	The system will adjust all Performance core ratios automatically.
[Sync All Cores]:	Configure a core ratio limit to synchronize all Performance cores.
[By Core Usage]:	Configure the ratio limits for active cores depending on how many Performance cores are being utilized.

NOTE: The following item appears only when **Performance Core Ratio** is set to **[Sync All Cores]**.

ALL-Core Ratio Limit

Enter **[Auto]** to apply the CPU default Turbo Ratio setting or manually assign a Core ratio limit to synchronize all cores. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value.

NOTE: The following items appear only when **Performance Core Ratio** is set to **[By Core Usage]**.

1-Core Ratio Limit / 2-Core Ratio Limit / 3-Core Ratio Limit / 4-Core Ratio Limit / 5-Core Ratio Limit / 6-Core Ratio Limit

The N-core ratio limit must be higher than or equal to the (N+1)-core ratio limit. (N stands for the number of CPU cores) The core ratio limit cannot be set to **[Auto]** when the core number is lower than N. The biggest core's ratio limit must be lower than or equal to the second biggest core's ratio limit. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value.

NOTE: The following items appear only when **Performance Core Ratio** is set to **[Auto]**, **[Sync All Cores]** or **[By Core Usage]**.

Efficient Core Ratio

- [Auto] The system will adjust all Efficient core ratios automatically.
- [Sync All Cores] Configure a core ratio limit to synchronize all Efficient cores.
- [By Core Usage] Configure the ratio limits for active cores depending on how many Efficient cores are being utilized.

NOTE: The following item appears only when **Efficient Core Ratio** is set to **[Sync All Cores]**.

ALL-Core Ratio Limit

Ratio Limit for Efficient Cores when N Efficient cores are loaded. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value.

NOTE: The following items appear only when **Efficient Core Ratio** is set to **[By Core Usage]**.

Efficient 1-Core Ratio Limit / Efficient 2-Core Ratio Limit / Efficient 3-Core Ratio Limit / Efficient 4-Core Ratio Limit / Efficient 5-Core Ratio Limit / Efficient 6-Core Ratio Limit / Efficient 7-Core Ratio Limit / Efficient 8-Core Ratio Limit

Ratio Limit for Efficient cores when N Efficient cores are loaded. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value.

Memory Controller : DRAM Frequency Ratio

Memory Controller Frequency to DRAM Frequency Ratio.
Configuration options: [Auto] [1:2] [1:4]

DRAM Frequency

Select the DRAM operating frequency. The configurable options vary with the BCLK(base clock) frequency setting. Select the auto mode to apply the optimized setting. Use BCLK + ratios in white to reach your target Frequency if needed.

NOTE: The configuration options for this item vary depending on the DIMM model you installed on the motherboard.

CAUTION! The frequency ratios in gray are not recommended, use BCLK + ratios in white to reach your target frequency if needed.

DIMM Flex

Enable to configure DRAM Timings and Frequencies based on DRAM Temperature. Disable to disable this feature.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: DRAM settings will remain at Level1 at BIOS boot until the handover to OS. Excessive dynamic switching in the DRAM timings and frequency may lead to system instability whilst in OS.

AVX Related Controls

AVX2

Allows you to enable or disable the AVX 2 Instructions.

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

DRAM Timing Control

The sub-items in this menu allow you to set the DRAM timing control features. Use the <+> and <-> keys to adjust the value. To restore the default setting, type **[Auto]** using the keyboard and press the <Enter> key.

CAUTION! Changing the values in this menu may cause the system to become unstable! If this happens, revert to the default settings.

DIMM Fit

DIMM Fit

This feature adjusts parameters based on your hardware margin to maintain memory timing, optimize performance, and improve compatibility.

- Selection Rules

Configure the selection criteria for hyper-parameters. When deterministic is selected, a strict policy is employed during selection and the results are more consistent and repeatable. When Relaxed is selected, the selector is more forgiving and can accommodate on-the-edge stability better.

Configuration options: [Deterministic based on Worst Margins] [Deterministic based on Total Margins] [Relaxed based on Worst Margins] [Relaxed based on Total Margins]

DIMM Fit Store

You can save the adjusted DIMM Fit parameters to one of three preset locations. Select a valid store to apply its fitted values for boot.

Configuration options: [None] [Store0] [Store1] [Store2]

Delete the current DIMM Fit Store

Delete the current DIMM Fit Store.

Primary Timings

DRAM CAS# Latency

DRAM CAS# Latency (tCL). Only Even numbers are supported on DDR5. Odd Numbers will be rounded up.

DRAM RAS# to CAS# Delay Read

DRAM RAS# to CAS# Delay Read (tRCD).

DRAM RAS# to CAS# Delay Write

DRAM RAS# to CAS# Delay Write (tRCDW).

DRAM RAS# PRE Time

DRAM RAS# PRE Time (tRP).

DRAM RAS# ACT Time

DRAM RAS# ACT Time (tRAS).

DRAM Command Rate

Configuration options: [Auto] [1N] [2N]

Secondary Timings**DRAM RAS# to RAS# Delay L**

DRAM RAS# to RAS# Delay (tRRDL).

DRAM RAS# to RAS# Delay S

DRAM RAS# to RAS# Delay (tRRDS).

DRAM REF Cycle Time

DRAM REF Cycle Time (tRFC).

DRAM REF Cycle Time Same Bank

DRAM REF Cycle Time Same Bank (tRFCsb).

DRAM Refresh Interval

DRAM Refresh Interval (tREFI).

DRAM WRITE Recovery Time

DRAM WRITE Recovery Time (tWR).

DRAM READ to PRE Time

DRAM READ to PRE Time (tRTP).

DRAM FOUR ACT WIN Time

DRAM FOUR ACT WIN Time (tFAW).

DRAM WRITE to READ Delay L

DRAM WRITE to READ Delay (tWTR_L).

DRAM WRITE to READ Delay S

DRAM WRITE to READ Delay (tWTR_S).

DRAM Internal Write to Write Command Delay Time

DRAM Internal Write to Write Command Delay Time (tCCD_L_{WR}).

DRAM CAS to CAS Delay L

DRAM CAS to CAS Delay (tCCD_L).

DRAM CKE Minimum Pulse Width

DRAM CKE Minimum Pulse Width (tCKE).

DRAM CAS Write Latency

DRAM CAS Write Latency (tCWL).

Skew Control**Basic Dimm ODT Control****Sync Basic Dimm ODT mode**

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: The following items appear only when **Sync Basic Dimm ODT mode** is set to **[Enabled]**.

Channel 1 Slot A1 / Channel 1 Slot A2 / Channel 0 Slot B1 / Channel 0 Slot B2

RTT WR

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [34 ohm] [40 ohm] [48 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm]

RTT NOM RD

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [34 ohm] [40 ohm] [48 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm]

RTT NOM WR

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [34 ohm] [40 ohm] [48 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm]

RTT PARK

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [34 ohm] [40 ohm] [48 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm]

RTT PARK DQS

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [34 ohm] [40 ohm] [48 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm]

Pull-up Output Driver Impedance

Configuration options: [Auto] [34 ohm] [40 ohm] [48 ohm]

Pull-Down Output Driver Impedance

Configuration options: [Auto] [34 ohm] [40 ohm] [48 ohm]

NOTE: The following items appear only when **Sync Basic Dimm ODT mode** is set to **[Disabled]**.

Mc0 Channel 1 Slot A1 / Mc1 Channel 1 Slot A1 / Mc0 Channel 1 Slot A2 / Mc1 Channel 1 Slot A2 / Mc0 Channel 0 Slot B1 / Mc1 Channel 0 Slot B1 / Mc0 Channel 0 Slot B2 / Mc1 Channel 0 Slot B2

RTT WR

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [34 ohm] [40 ohm] [48 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm]

RTT NOM RD

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [34 ohm] [40 ohm] [48 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm]

RTT NOM WR

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [34 ohm] [40 ohm] [48 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm]

RTT PARK

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [34 ohm] [40 ohm] [48 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm]

RTT PARK DQS

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [34 ohm] [40 ohm] [48 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm]

Pull-up Output Driver Impedance

Configuration options: [Auto] [34 ohm] [40 ohm] [48 ohm]

Pull-Down Output Driver Impedance

Configuration options: [Auto] [34 ohm] [40 ohm] [48 ohm]

Advanced Dimm ODT Control**Sync Advanced Dimm ODT mode**

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: The following items appear only when **Sync Advanced Dimm ODT mode** is set to **[Enabled]**.

Channel 1 Slot A1 / Channel 1 Slot A2 / Channel 0 Slot B1 / Channel 0 Slot B2**GroupA CA ODT**

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [40 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm] [480 ohm]

GroupA CS ODT

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [40 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm] [480 ohm]

GroupA CK ODT

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [40 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm] [480 ohm]

GroupB CA ODT

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [40 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm] [480 ohm]

GroupB CS ODT

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [40 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm] [480 ohm]

GroupB CK ODT

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [40 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm] [480 ohm]

NOTE: The following items appear only when **Sync Advanced Dimm ODT mode** is set to **[Disabled]**.

Mc0 Channel 1 Slot A1 / Mc1 Channel 1 Slot A1 / Mc0 Channel 1 Slot A2 / Mc1 Channel 1 Slot A2 / Mc0 Channel 0 Slot B1 / Mc1 Channel 0 Slot B1 / Mc0 Channel 0 Slot B2 / Mc1 Channel 0 Slot B2**GroupA CA ODT**

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [40 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm] [480 ohm]

GroupA CS ODT

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [40 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm] [480 ohm]

GroupA CK ODT

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [40 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm] [480 ohm]

GroupB CA ODT

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [40 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm] [480 ohm]

GroupB CS ODT

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [40 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm] [480 ohm]

GroupB CK ODT

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [40 ohm] [60 ohm] [80 ohm] [120 ohm] [240 ohm] [480 ohm]

DDRCRCOMPCTL

DqOdtVrefUp

Allows you to set DqOdtVrefUp.

DqOdtVrefDn

Allows you to set DqOdtVrefDn.

CmdSlewRate

Allows you to set CmdSlewRate.

CmdScompPC

Allows you to set CmdScompPC.

CtlSlewRate

Allows you to set CtlSlewRate.

CtlScompPC

Allows you to set CtlScompPC.

DisableCompRotate

Allows you to set DisableCompRotate.

RcompVrefVdd2

Allows you to set RcompVrefVdd2.

CmdDrvVrefDnVdd2

Allows you to set CmdDrvVrefDnVdd2.

CmdDrvVrefUpVdd2

Allows you to set CmdDrvVrefUpVdd2.

CmdDrvVrefUp

Allows you to set CmdDrvVrefUp.

CtlDrvVrefUp

Allows you to set CtlDrvVrefUp.

ClkDrvVrefUp

Allows you to set ClkDrvVrefUp.

DqDrvVrefUp

Allows you to set DqDrvVrefUp.

CmdDrvVrefDn

Allows you to set CmdDrvVrefDn.

CtlDrvVrefDn

Allows you to set CtlDrvVrefDn.

ClkDrvVrefDn

Allows you to set ClkDrvVrefDn.

DqDrvVrefDn

Allows you to set DqDrvVrefDn.

RcompTarget**Rcomp RdODT**

Allows you to set Rcomp Read ODT Setting.

Rcomp WrDS

Allows you to set Rcomp WrDS Setting.

Rcomp WrDSCmd

Allows you to set Rcomp WrDSCmd Setting.

Rcomp WrDSCtl

Allows you to set Rcomp WrDSCtl Setting.

Rcomp WrDSClk

Allows you to set Rcomp WrDSClk Setting.

Memory Training Algorithms**Early Command Training**

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

CA ODT Optimization

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

SenseAmp Offset Training

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

Early ReadMPR Timing Centering 2D

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

Read MPR Training

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

Receive Enable Training

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

Jedec Write Leveling

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

Early Write Time Centering 2D

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

Early Read Time Centering 2D

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

Unmatched Write Time Centering 1D

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

Write Timing Centering 1D

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

Write Voltage Centering 1D

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

Read Timing Centering 1D

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

Read Voltage Centering 1D

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

DDR5 ODT Timing Config

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

View Pin Calibration

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

Read DQS ODT Training*

Read DQS On-Die Termination Training.

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

Read DQ ODT Training

Read DQ On-Die Termination Training.

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

Read Equalization Training*

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

Read CTLE Training

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

Post Package Repair

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

Write Timing Centering 2D

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

Read Timing Centering 2D

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

Write Voltage Centering 2D

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

Read Voltage Centering 2D

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

RxVref Per-Bit Training

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

Command Voltage Centering

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

Late Command Training

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

Turn Around Timing Training

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

Rank Margin Tool

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

LVR Auto Trim

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

DIMM SPD Alias Test

Test to determine if the SPD has been corrupted to cause memory aliasing.

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

Retrain Margin Check

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

Row Hammering Prevention

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

Dimm ODT Training*

Dimm On-Die Termination Training.

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

DIMM RON Training*

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

TxDqTCO Comp Training*

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

ClkTCO Comp Training*

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

CMD CTL CLK Slew Rate

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

CMD/CTL Drive Strength

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

CMD/CTL Tx Equalization

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

DIMM CA ODT Training

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

Write DQ/DQS Retrain

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

Power Saving Meter Update

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

Pre Training Comp Calibration

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

Read Vref Decap Training*

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

Vddq Training

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

Rank Margin Tool Per Bit

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

DQ/DQS Swizzle Training

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

Ref PI Calibration

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

Rx SAL Calibration

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

VccClk FF Offset Correction

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

Duty Cycle Correction Training

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

Duty Cycle Correction Downstream Training

Duty Cycle Correction Downstream Training - PI Serializer/LUT

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

Duty Cycle Correction QCLK Calibration

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

Duty Cycle Correction Rise/Fall Training

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

Functional Duty Cycle Correction for DDR5 DQS

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

Functional Duty Cycle Correction for DDR5 CLK

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

Functional Duty Cycle Correction for LP5 WCK

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

Functional Duty Cycle Correction for Data DQ

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

Data PI Linearity Calibration

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

Ddr5 Rx Cross-Talk Cancellation

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

Duty Cycle Correction for LP5 DCA

Duty Cycle Correction for LP5 Duty Cycle Alignment

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

Unmatched Rx Calibration

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

Write Rank-to-Rank Training

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

Read Rank-to-Rank Training

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

Comp Optimization

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

DIMM DFE Training

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

Write Drive Strength

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

Write Equalizationq

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

Margin Check Limit

Checks Margin to Limit to see if next boot memory needs to be retrain.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [L1] [L2] [Both]

NOTE The following item appears only when **Margin Check Limit** is set to **[L2]** or **[Both]**.

Margin Limit Check L2

L2 check threshold is scale of L1 check. Ex. 200 is 2 x L1 Check.

Third Timings

tRDRD_sg

Allows you to set tRDRD_sg.

tRDRD_dg

Allows you to set tRDRD_dg.

tWRWR_sg

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Allows you to set tWRRD_dd.

tRPRE

Allows you to set tRPRE.

tWPRE

Allows you to set tWPRE.

tWPOST

Allows you to set tWPOST.

tWRPRE

Allows you to set tWRPRE.

tPRPDEN

Allows you to set tPRPDEN.

tRDPDEN

Allows you to set tRDPDEN.

tWRPDEN

Allows you to set tWRPDEN.

tCPDED

Allows you to set tCPDED.

tCCD_L_tDLLK

Allows you to set tCCD_L_tDLLK.

Misc. Timings**Refresh Hp Wm**

Allows you to set refresh Hp Wm.

Refresh Panic Wm

Allows you to set refresh Panic Wm.

Refresh Abr Release

Allows you to set refresh Abr Release.

Power Down Mode

CKE Power Down Mode Control.

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

Power down idle counter subch0-1

Number of idle ticks for Sub Channel 0-1 to power down.

APD enable

Enable APD.

PPD enable

Enable PPD.

Power down write Threshold

Threshold for Writes before Power Down.

Power down idle counter

Number of idle ticks for power down.

Global Power down

Enable Global Power Down.

Power down Disable CKE TT

Disable CKE TT.

Power down allow opp ref below write threshold

Allows Opportunistic Self Refresh when below the Write Threshold.

Minimum Power Down Idle Counter

Minimum number of idle ticks to power down.

Maximum Power Down Idle Counter

Maximum number of idle ticks to power down.

tXP

Allows you to set tXP.

tCKCKEH

Allows you to set tCKCKEH.

tCSH

Allows you to set tCSH.

tCSL

Allows you to set tCSL.

tCA2CS

Allows you to set tCA2CS.

tOSCO

Allows you to set tOSCO.

tMRR

Allows you to set tMRR.

tRPab

Allows you to set tRPab.

tPPD

Allows you to set tPPD.

DeratingExt

Allows you to set DeratingExt.

DecTcwl

Allows you to set DecTcwl.

AddTcwl

Allows you to set AddTcwl.

tccdByteCasDelta

Allows you to set tccdByteCasDelta.

tOrefRi

Allows you to set tOrefRi.

tRFM

Allows you to set tRFM.

tXSR

Allows you to set tXSR.

tSR

Allows you to set tSR.

tXSDLL

Allows you to set tXSDLL.

tZQCS

Allows you to set tZQCS.

tZQCAL

Allows you to set tZQCAL.

tZQCSPeriod

Allows you to set tZQCSPeriod.

tMRD

Allows you to set tMRD.

Misc.

Fast Boot

Enable/Disable fast path thru the MRC.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

MCH Full Check

Enable this item to enhance the system stability. Disable this item may enhance the DRAM overclocking capability.

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

Exit on Failure (MRC)

Exit on Failure for MRC training steps.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Mem Over Clock Fail Count

Allows you to set Mem Over Clock Fail Count.

Training Profile

Select DIMM Training Profile.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Standard Profile] [ASUS User Profile]

Mrc Training Loop Count

Exponential number of loops to run the test.

DRAM CLK Period

Select the DRAM clock period.

SOC BCLK OC Workaround

Can try enabling if Memory training fails when overclocking SOC BCLK.

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

Divide DRAM timings

Certain timings will be divided by 2 in the registers first, then multiplied back from the perspective of the controller.

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

Training Consistency

Enable may help more consistent training results.

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

Controller 0, Channel 0 Control

Controller 0, Channel 0 Control - Enable or Disable Controller 0, Channel 0.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

Controller 0, Channel 1 Control

Controller 0, Channel 1 Control - Enable or Disable Controller 0, Channel 1.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

Controller 1, Channel 0 Control

Controller 1, Channel 0 Control - Enable or Disable Controller 1, Channel 0.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

Controller 1, Channel 1 Control

Controller 1, Channel 1 Control - Enable or Disable Controller 1, Channel 1.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

DRAM SPD Configuration

SDRAM Density Per Die

Configuration options: [Auto] [4 Gb] [8 Gb] [12 Gb] [16 Gb] [24 Gb] [32 Gb] [48 Gb] [64 Gb]

SDRAM Banks Per Bank Group

Configuration options: [Auto] [1 bank per bank group] [2 bank per bank group] [4 bank per bank group]

SDRAM Bank Groups

Configuration options: [Auto] [1 bank group] [2 bank groups] [4 bank groups] [8 bank groups]

Configure Memory Dynamic Frequency Switching

NOTE: This item will be not selectable when DIMM Flex has been enabled. Disable DIMM Flex if you wish to use this.

NOTE The following item appears only when **Realtime Memory Frequency** is set to **[Disabled]**.

Dynamic Memory Boost

Enable/Disable Dynamic Memory Boost feature, Allows automatic switching between default SPD Profile frequency and selected XMP profile frequency. Only valid if an XMP Profile is selected.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE The following item appears only when **Dynamic Memory Boost** is set to **[Disabled]**.

Realtime Memory Frequency

Enable/Disable Realtime Memory Frequency feature, Allows manual switching in runtime between default SPD Profile frequency and XMP profile 1 frequency. Only valid if XMP Profile 1 is selected.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

SAGV

System Agent Geyserville. Disabled or Enabled.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE The following item appears only when **SAGV** is set to **[Enabled]**.

First Point Gear

Gear ratio for this SAGV point.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Gear2] [Gear4]

Second Point Gear

Gear ratio for this SAGV point.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Gear2] [Gear4]

Third Point Gear

Gear ratio for this SAGV point.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Gear2] [Gear4]

NOTE: Fourth Point Gear will always be the settings you set in the main menu, so configure the Fourth Point Gear there.

DIGI + VRM

VRM Initialization Check

When any error occurs during VRM initialization, the system will hang at POSTcode 77 if this function is enabled.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

CPU Load-line Calibration

The load-line is defined by the Intel VRM specification and affects the level of voltage supplied to the processor. Higher load-line calibration settings result in reduced VDroop at the expense of voltage overshoot and will increase CPU temperatures due to higher voltage under load. Select from level 1 to 8 to adjust the load-line slope.

Level 1 = greater VDroop, Level = 8 minimum VDroop.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Level 1] [Level 2] [Level 3] [Level 4] [Level 5] [Level 6] [Level 7] [Level 8]

NOTE: Performance is dependent on the CPU model used. Do not remove the VRM heatsink.

CPU Current Capability

Sets the shut-off current limit for the external voltage regulator. A higher setting will allow the voltage regulator to supply more current while a lower setting will cause the voltage regulator to shut off the system when the supplied current is higher than the set value.

Configuration options: [Auto] [100%] [110%] [120%] [130%] [140%]

NOTE: Configure higher values when overclocking or when using high current demanding stress tests.

CPU Current Reporting

Configuration options: [Auto] [100%] [75%] [50%] [25%]

CPU VRM Switching Frequency

Sets the VRM switching frequency. VRM switching frequency affects transient response and VRM component temperatures. Setting a higher switching frequency will result in better transient response at the expense of higher VRM temperatures. Active cooling of the VRM heatsink is recommended when running high CPU voltage and high load-line calibration values.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Manual]

CAUTION! Do not remove the VRM heatsink.

NOTE: The following item appears only when **CPU VRM Switching Frequency** is set to **[Auto]**.

VRM Spread Spectrum

Allows you to reduce the magnitude of peak noise from the VRM. Enable to reduce peak noise. Disable this setting when overclocking.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: The following item appears only when **CPU VRM Switching Frequency** is set to **[Manual]**.

Fixed CPU VRM Switching Frequency(KHz)

Allows you to set a higher frequency for a quicker transient response speed. The values range from 300 KHz to 800 KHz with an interval of 100 KHz.

CPU Power Duty Control

CPU power duty control adjusts the duty cycle of each VRM phase based upon current and/or temperature.

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|------------|--|
| [T. Probe] | Sets the buck controller to balance VRM FET temperatures |
| [Extreme] | Select to set the VRM current balance mode. |
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CAUTION! Do not remove the VRM Heatsink.

CPU Power Phase Control

- | | |
|-------------|---|
| [Auto] | Automatically selects the power phase control. |
| [Standard] | The number of active phases is controlled by the CPU. |
| [Optimized] | Sets the ASUS optimized phase profile. |
| [Extreme] | Sets full phase mode. |
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CPU Power Thermal Control

Sets the VRM thermal cut-off trip point. 125 Celsius is default and recommended for all overclocking and normal use.

CAUTION! DO NOT remove the VRM heatsink.

CPU Graphics Load-line Calibration

The load-line is defined by the Intel VRM specification and affects the CPU Graphics power voltage. The CPU Graphics working voltage will decrease proportionally depending on the CPU Graphics loading. Higher levels of the load-line calibration can get a higher voltage and a better overclocking performance but increase the CPU Graphics and VRM thermal production. Select from level 1 to 8 to adjust the CPU Graphics power voltage from 100% to 0%.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Level 1] [Level 2] [Level 3] [Level 4] [Level 5] [Level 6] [Level 7] [Level 8]

CAUTION! The boosted performance may vary depending on the CPU Graphics specification. Do not remove the thermal module.

CPU Graphics Current Capability

The CPU Graphics current capability adjusts the total power range for CPU Graphics overclocking. A higher value provides a wider total power range and extends the overclocking frequency range simultaneously.

Configuration options: [Auto] [100%] [140%]

NOTE: Configure higher values when overclocking or under a high CPU Graphics loading for extra power support.

CPU Graphics VRM Switching Frequency

The switching frequency will affect the CPU Graphics transient response speed and the component thermal production. Select the manual mode to configure a higher frequency to get a quicker transient response speed.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Manual]

CAUTION! Do not remove the thermal module when the manual mode is selected. The thermal conditions should be monitored.

NOTE: The following item appears only when **CPU Graphics VRM Switching Frequency** is set to [Manual].

Fixed CPU Graphics Switching Frequency(KHz)

The switching frequency will affect the CPU Graphics transient response speed and the component thermal production. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 500 KHz to 800 KHz with an interval of 100 KHz.

VCCSA Load-line Calibration

CPU System Agent Load-line Calibration.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Level 1] [Level 2] [Level 3] [Level 4] [Level 5] [Level 6] [Level 7] [Level 8]

VCCSA Current Capability

Configuration options: [Auto] [100%] [140%]

VCCSA VRM Switching Frequency

Configuration options: [Auto] [Manual]

NOTE: The following item appears only when **CPU Graphics VRM Switching Frequency** is set to [Manual].

Fixed CPU VCCSA Switching Frequency(KHz)

The switching frequency will affect the CPU VCCSA transient response speed and the component thermal production. Configure a higher frequency to get a quicker transient response speed. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 500 KHz to 800 KHz with an interval of 100 KHz.

Internal CPU Power Management

The items in this submenu allow you to set the CPU ratio and features.

Tcc Activation Offset

Offse from factory set Tcc activation temperature at which the Thermal Control Circuit must be activated. Tcc will be activated at: Tcc Activation Temp - Tcc Activation Offset. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value.

Turbo Mode Parameters

CPU Core/Cache Current Limit Max.

Allows configuration of a current limit for frequency/power throttling. Can be set to maximum value (511.75) to prevent throttling when overclocking.

CPU Graphics Current Limit

Set a high current limit to prevent frequency or power throttling during overclocking.

CPU System Agent Current Limit

Set a high current limit to prevent frequency or power throttling during overclocking.

Long Duration Package Power Limit

An Intel parameter known as [power limit 1] and specified in Watts. The default value is defined by TDP of the processor. Increasing the value will allow the Turbo ratio to be maintained for a longer duration under higher current loads. The values range from 1 to 4095.

Package Power Time Window

An Intel parameter of [power limit 1] and specified in seconds. The applied value indicates how long the Turbo ratio can be active when TDP is exceeded.

Configuration options: [Auto] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7] [8] [10] [12] [14] [16] [20] [24] [28] [32] [40] [48] [56] [64] [80] [96] [112] [128]

Short Duration Package Power Limit

An Intel parameter known as [power limit 2] and specified in Watts. It is the second Intel power limit which provides protection when package power exceeds power limit 1. The default setting is 1.25 times power limit 1. According to Intel, the platform must support this value for up to 10msec when power consumption exceeds power limit 2. ASUS motherboards are engineered to support this duration for a longer time as required to facilitate overclocking.

Power Limit 4 Switch

Enabled/Disabled Power Limit 4 Function.

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

NOTE: The following item appears only when **Power Limit 4 Switch** is set to **[Enabled]**.

Power Limit 4

An Intel parameter known as [power limit 4] and specified in Watts. Values range from 1 W to 1023 W.

IAAC Load Line

AC Loadline defined in mOhms. Range is 0-62.49 mOhms.

IA DC Load Line

DC Loadline defined in mOhms. Range is 0-62.49 mOhms.

CPU SVID Support

Disable this item to prevent the CPU from communicating with the external voltage regulator.

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

CCF AutoGV

Enable/disable CCF AutoGV.

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

Power Floor Management

This option is to disable SoC's aggressive throttling to manage floor power (minimum power consumption). Disabling this might effectively raise power floor of the SoC and may lead to stability issues.

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

P-core Power Density Throttle

This option allows user to disable P-core Power Density Throttling for overclocking purpose. Once disabled, BIOS cannot enable it in the same reset cycle. A warm or cold reset is required to enable protection again.

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

IA CEP Enable

Enable/Disable CEP (Current Excursion Protection) Support.

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

SA CEP Enable

Enable/Disable CEP (Current Excursion Protection) Support.

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

GT CEP Enable

Enable/Disable CEP (Current Excursion Protection) Support.

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

Core VR Fast Vmode

Core VR Fast Vmode. Use to control Core Fast Vmode Enable/Disable.

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

GT VR Fast Vmode

GT VR Fast Vmode. Use to control GT Fast Vmode Enable/Disable.

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

SA VR Fast Vmode

SA VR Fast Vmode. Use to control SA Fast Vmode Enable/Disable.

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

Tweaker's Paradise

Clocking

SOC BCLK Spread Spectrum

Enable to reduce EMI, disable to get more accurate Base Clocks.

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

Realtime Memory Timing

Enable/Disable realtime memory timings. When enabled, the system will allow performing realtime memory timing changes after MRC_DONE.

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

SPD Write Disable

Enable/Disable setting SPD Write Disable. For security recommendations, SPD write disable bit must be set.

Configuration options: [TRUE] [FALSE]

DRAM signal tweak1~3

DRAM signal tuning.

CPU OC Features

Microcode Options

Switch Microcode for 0xC0662 CPU. Changing the microcode to a version other than the current one may present security risks. Do it at your own risk.

Configuration options: [Current Microcode] [0x10D Microcode]

PVD Ratio Threshold for SOC

Select PVD Ratio Threshold Value from Range 1 to 63. 0 - Static PVD ratio specified by PvdMode for SOC3.

PVD Mode Select for SOC

Select PVD Mode Value from Range 1 to 3. 0x0 = div-1 (VCO = Output clock), 0x1 = div-2 (VCO = 2x Output clock), 0x2 = div-4 (VCO = 4x Output clock), 0x3 = div-8 (VCO = 8x Output clock).

PVD Ratio Threshold for CPU

Select PVD Ratio Threshold Value from Range 1 to 63. 0 - Static PVD ratio specified by PvdMode for CPU.

PVD Mode Select for CPU

Select PVD Mode Value from Range 1 to 3. 0x0 = div-1 (VCO = Output clock), 0x1 = div-2 (VCO = 2x Output clock), 0x2 = div-4 (VCO = 4x Output clock), 0x3 = div-8 (VCO = 8x Output clock).

FLL OC mode

Select the type of tuning you want for the CPU FLL.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled] [Ratio OC] [Ratio + BCLK OC] [BCLK OC]

High d2d cold boot workaround

Enable if high d2d frequency causes cold boot issues.

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

Core Minimum Ratio

Request Core Minimum Ratio. Limit Core minimum ratio for extreme overclocking and the ratio is in units of 100Mhz. The request value will be updated to minimum allowed one if it's too small. The request value will be updated to the maximum allowed one if it's too big. 0 indicates no setting.

SA PLL Frequency Override

Configure Sa PLL Frequency.

Configuration options: [Auto] [2400 MHz] [1600 MHz]

BCLK TSC HW Fixup

BCLK TSC HW Fixup disable during TSC copy from PMA to APIC.

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

Core PLL Voltage Offset

PLL Voltage Offset, Range 0-15. Units are in 17.5mV. Default is 0. This control can be used to increase the range of this domain frequency in extreme overclocking conditions.

Ring PLL Voltage Offset

PLL Voltage Offset, Range 0-15. Units are in 17.5mV. Default is 0. This control can be used to increase the range of this domain frequency in extreme overclocking conditions.

SOC System Agent PLL Voltage Offset

PLL Voltage Offset, Range 0-15. Units are in 17.5mV. Default is 0. This control can be used to increase the range of this domain frequency in extreme overclocking conditions.

IA Atom PLL Voltage Offset

PLL Voltage Offset, Range 0-15. Units are in 17.5mV. Default is 0. This control can be used to increase the range of this domain frequency in extreme overlocking conditions.

Memory Controller PLL Voltage Offset

PLL Voltage Offset, Range 0-15. Units are in 17.5mV. Default is 0. This control can be used to increase the range of this domain frequency in extreme overlocking conditions.

CPU System Agent PLL Voltage Offset

PLL Voltage Offset, Range 0-15. Units are in 17.5mV. Default is 0. This control can be used to increase the range of this domain frequency in extreme overlocking conditions.

Core PLL IRefTune Offset

PLL Current Reference Tuning Offset, Range 0-15. Default is 0. The value provided in this field is added to the PLL fuse. The value after adding offset cannot exceed 0xF, it is does, FW clips the value to 0xF before writing back the value to fuse.

IA Atom PLL IRefTune Offset

PLL Current Reference Tuning Offset, Range 0-15. Default is 0. The value provided in this field is added to the PLL fuse. The value after adding offset cannot exceed 0xF, it is does, FW clips the value to 0xF before writing back the value to fuse.

External Voltages**VCCIO 1.25v Voltage**

Configure the voltage for the VCCIO. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 0.700V to 1.700V with an interval of 0.010V.

SOC 1.8v Voltage

Configure the voltage for the SOC 1.8v. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 1.400V to 2.400V with an interval of 0.010V.

CPU 1.8v Voltage

Configure the voltage for the CPU 1.8v. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 1.400V to 2.200V with an interval of 0.010V.

DDR 1.8v Voltage

Configure the voltage for the DDR 1.8v. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 1.400V to 2.400V with an interval of 0.010V.

Quiet 1.8v Voltage

Configure the voltage for the Quiet 1.8v. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 1.400V to 2.400V with an interval of 0.010V.

CPU Core Boot Voltage

The CPU voltage at initial boot up.

CPU System agent Boot Voltage

The CPU System agent voltage at initial boot up.

VNNAON Boot Voltage

The VNNAON voltage at initial boot up.

SOC 1.8v Boot Voltage

The SOC 1.8v voltage at initial boot up. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 1.400V to 2.400V with an interval of 0.010V.

CPU 1.8v Boot Voltage

The CPU 1.8v voltage at initial boot up. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 1.400V to 2.200V with an interval of 0.010V.

CPU Core Reset Voltage

Configure the voltage for the CPU Core when reset.

CPU System agent Reset Voltage

Configure the voltage for the CPU System agent when reset.

VNNAON Reset Voltage

Configure the voltage for the VNNAON when reset.

SOC 1.8v Reset Voltage

Configure the voltage for the SOC 1.8v when reset. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 1.400V to 2.400V with an interval of 0.010V.

CPU 1.8v Reset Voltage

Configure the voltage for the CPU 1.8v. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 1.400V to 2.200V with an interval of 0.010V.

VNNAON Eventual Voltage

Configure the voltage for the VINNAON when eventual.

Min. CPU Cache Ratio

Configures the minimum possible CPU cache ratio.

Max. CPU Cache Ratio

Configures the maximum possible CPU cache ratio.

NGU Ratio

Set NGU Ratio. This adds a ratio work point to System Agent Voltage Frequency Curve for the Processor to map NGU SVID Voltage to. This is the maximum ratio the inter-connect within the SOC-Memory Controller runs at. Default is 26x.

CPU D2D Ratio

Set CPU D2D Ratio. D2D is an acronym for Die to Die and this is the ratio of the BUS connecting the different tiles. Default is 21x.

Actual VRM Core Input Voltage

Configure the VRM output rail for Core Voltage. Manual mode allows user-defined values. Offset mode modifies values by SVID.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Manual Mode] [Offset Mode]

NOTE: The following item appears only when **Actual VRM Core Input Voltage** is set to **[Manual Mode]**.

CPU Core Voltage Override

Configure the voltage for the CPU Core. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 0.900V to 1.720V with an interval of 0.005V.

NOTE: The following items appear only when **Actual VRM Core Input Voltage** is set to **[Offset Mode]**.

Offset Mode Sign

- [+]: To offset the CPU core voltage by a positive value.
- [-]: To offset the CPU core voltage by a negative value.

Offset Voltage

Configure the CPU core voltage offset value. Save changes and reset the system for the change to take effect. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 0.005V to 0.635V with an interval of 0.005V.

CPU Graphics Voltage

Configure the VRM output rail for CPU Graphics Voltage. Manual mode allows user-defined values. Offset mode modifies values by SVID.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Manual Mode] [Offset Mode]

NOTE: The following item appears only when **CPU Graphics Voltage** is set to **[Manual Mode]**.

CPU Graphics Voltage Override

Configure the voltage for the CPU Graphics. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 0.700V to 1.700V with an interval of 0.005V.

NOTE: The following items appear only when **CPU Graphics Voltage** is set to **[Offset Mode]**.

Offset Mode Sign

- [+]: Offset the CPU Graphics voltage by a positive value.
- [-]: Offset the CPU Graphics voltage by a negative value.

Offset Voltage

Configure the CPU Graphics voltage offset value. Save changes and reset the system for the change to take effect. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 0.005V to 0.635V with an interval of 0.005V.

CPU System agent Voltage

Configure the VRM output rail for CPU System agent Voltage. Manual mode allows user-defined values. Offset mode modifies values by SVID.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Manual Mode] [Offset Mode]

NOTE: The following item appears only when **CPU System agent Voltage** is set to **[Manual Mode]**.

CPU System agent Voltage Override

Configure the voltage for the CPU System agent. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 0.700V to 1.700V with an interval of 0.005V.

NOTE: The following items appear only when **CPU System agent Voltage** is set to **[Offset Mode]**.

Offset Mode Sign

[+]: Offset the CPU System agent voltage by a positive value.

[-]: Offset the CPU System agent voltage by a negative value.

Offset Voltage

Configure the CPU System agent voltage offset value. Save changes and reset the system for the change to take effect. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 0.005V to 0.635V with an interval of 0.005V.

VNNAON 0.77v Voltage

Configure the VRM output rail for VNNAON Voltage. Manual mode allows user-defined values. This rail may help CPU D2D Ratio overclock.

Configuration options: [Auto] [Manual Mode]

NOTE: The following item appears only when **VNNAON 0.77v Voltage** is set to **[Manual Mode]**.

VNNAON Voltage Override

Configure the voltage for the VNNAON. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 0.770V to 1.400V with an interval of 0.010V.

Memory Controller Voltage

Configure the voltage for the MC Voltage. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 0.900V to 1.800V with an interval of 0.010V.

High DRAM Voltage Mode

If Disabled, the upper range for DRAM Voltage will be 1.435V. If Enabled, the upper range will be 2.070V. If enabled on non-supported DRAM, the voltage will be lower than requested.

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

DRAM VDD Voltage

Power for the DRAM ICs' VDD portion.

DRAM VDDQ Voltage

Power for the DRAM ICs' VDD Data portion.

Advanced Memory Voltages

VccDdqControl Bypass

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

Vddq Voltage Override

Vddq Voltage default is 1.1v.

VcclogControl Bypass

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

Vcclog Voltage Override

Vcclog Voltage default is 0.85v.

VccClkControl Bypass

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

VccClk Voltage Override

VccClk Voltage default is 0.85v.

MC Voltage Calculation Voltage Base

The Base MC Voltage used for Calculations.

VDD Calculation Voltage Base

The Base VDD Voltage used for Calculations.

VccSa Calculation Voltage Base

The Base VccSa Voltage used for Calculations.

PMIC Voltages

Configuration options: [Auto] [Sync All PMICs] [By per PMIC]

NOTE: The following items appear only when **PMIC Voltages** is set to **[Sync All PMICs]**.

SPD HUB VLDO (1.8V)

Main power for the SPD Hub Logic. Default is 1.8V.

SPD HUB VDDIO (1.0V)

Power for the SPD Hub side-band interface. Default is 1.0V.

DRAM VDD Voltage

Power for the DRAM ICs' VDD portion.

DRAM VDDQ Voltage

Power for the DRAM ICs' VDD Data portion.

DRAM VPP Voltage

DRAM Activating Power Supply.

DRAM VDD Switching Frequency

Switching Frequency of DRAM VDD Regulator in MHz.

DRAM VDDQ Switching Frequency

Switching Frequency of DRAM VDDQ Regulator in MHz.

DRAM VPP Switching Frequency

Switching Frequency of DRAM VPP Regulator in MHz.

DRAM Current Capability

Current Capability for the Switching Regulators in Amps.

NOTE: The following items appear only when **PMIC Voltages** is set to **[By per PMIC]**.

PMIC0~3 SPD HUB VLDO (1.8V)

Main power for the SPD Hub Logic. Default is 1.8V.

PMIC0~3 SPD HUB VDDIO (1.0V)

Power for the SPD Hub side-band interface. Default is 1.0V.

PMIC0~3 DRAM VDD Voltage

Power for the DRAM ICs' VDD portion.

PMIC0~3 DRAM VDDQ Voltage

Power for the DRAM ICs' VDD Data portion.

PMIC0~3 DRAM VPP Voltage

DRAM Activating Power Supply.

PMIC0~3 DRAM VDD Switching Frequency

Switching Frequency of DRAM VDD Regulator in MHz.

PMIC0~3 DRAM VDDQ Switching Frequency

Switching Frequency of DRAM VDDQ Regulator in MHz.

PMIC0~3 DRAM VPP Switching Frequency

Switching Frequency of DRAM VPP Regulator in MHz.

PMIC0~3 DRAM Current Capability

Current Capability for the Switching Regulators in Amps.

CPU System agent Eventual Voltage

Configure the voltage for the CPU System agent when eventual.

Memory Controller Eventual Voltage

Configure the voltage for the MC Voltage. Use the <+> or <-> to adjust the value. The values range from 0.900V to 1.800V with an interval of 0.010V.

DRAM VDD Eventual Voltage

Power for the DRAM ICs' VDD portion.

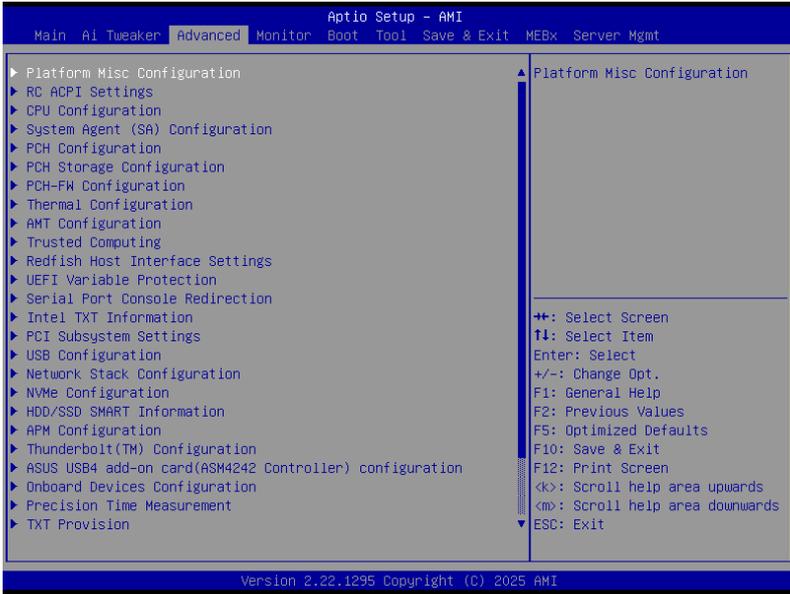
DRAM VDDQ Eventual Voltage

Power for the DRAM ICs' VDDQ portion.

7. Advanced menu

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

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



7.1 Platform Misc Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to configure the platform-related features.

PCI Express Native Power Management

For enhanced PCI Express power saving. Select [Enable] to perform Active State Power Management (ASPM) operations in OS.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: The following item appears only when **PCI Express Native Power Management** is set to [Enabled].

Native ASPM

Set this item to [Enabled] for OS Controlled ASPM, or set this item to [Disabled] for BIOS controlled ASPM.

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

PCH - PCI Express

DMI Link ASPM Control

Allows you to control the Active State Power Management of the DMI Link.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [L1] [Auto]

ASPM

Set the ASPM Level.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [L0s] [L1] [L0sL1] [Auto]

L1 Substates

PCI Express L1 Substates settings.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [L1.1] [L1.1 & L1.2]

SA - PCI Express

DMI ASPM

DMI ASPM Support.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Auto] [ASPM L1]

ASPM

Set the ASPM Level.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [L0s] [L1] [L0sL1] [Auto]

L1 Substates

PCI Express L1 Substates settings.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [L1.1] [L1.1 & L1.2]

7.2 RC ACPI Configuration

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

DLRM Setting for Storage

DLRM (Dynamic Link PCIe Rate Management) for storage to reduce active power usage in D3.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

7.3 CPU Configuration

The items in this menu show the CPU-related information that the BIOS automatically detects. Scroll down to display other BIOS items.

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

Efficient Core Information

This submenu displays the Efficient Core Information.

Performance Core Information

This submenu displays the Performance Core Information.

Intel (VMX) Virtualization Technology

When enabled, a VMM can utilize the additional hardware capabilities provided by Vanderpool Technology.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Active Performance Cores

Number of cores to enable in each processor package.

Configuration options: [All] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5]

Active Efficient Cores

Number of Efficient cores to enable in each processor package.

Configuration options: [All] [0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7]

NOTE: Number of Cores and Efficient Cores are looked at together. When both are (0,0), Pcode will enable all cores.

Total Memory Encryption

Allows you to configure the Total Memory Encryption (TME) to protect DRAM data from physical attacks. When this option is set to **[Enabled]**, **VT-d** must be set to **[Enabled]** as well. This option will be grayed out when **VT-d** is set to **[Disabled]**.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

X2APIC Enable

Enable or disable X2APIC Operating Mode. When this option is set to **[Enabled]**, **VT-d** must be set to **[Enabled]** and **X2APIC Opt Out** must be set to **[Disabled]** as well. This option will be grayed out when **VT-d** is set to **[Disabled]**.

CPU - Power Management Control

Boot performance mode

Select the performance state that the BIOS will set starting from reset vector.

Configuration options: [Max Battery] [Max Non-Turbo Performance] [Turbo Performance]

Intel(R) SpeedStep(tm)

Supports more than two frequency ranges.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Intel(R) Speed Shift Technology

Enables/disables the Intel(R) Speed Shift Technology support. When enabled, CPPC v2 interface allows hardware controlled P-states.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Resource Priority Feature

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

HwP Autonomous EPP Grouping

[Disabled] Disable EPP grouping (default Bit 29 = 1, command 0x11).
Autonomous will not necessarily request same values for all cores with same EPP.

[Enabled] Enable EPP grouping (default Bit 29 = 1, command 0x11).
Autonomous will request the same value for all cores with same EPP.

Turbo Mode

Enable/Disable processor Turbo Mode (requires EMTTM enabled too).

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Enhanced C-States

Enables/disables C1E. When enabled, CPU slows down to minimum speed when all cores enter the C-state.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

CPU C-states

Enable/Disable CPU Power Management. Allows CPU to go to C states when it's not 100% utilized.

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

NOTE: The following item appears only when **CPU C-states** is set to **[Enabled]**.

Package C State Limit

Maximum Package C State Limit Setting. **[Cpu Default]** Leaves to Factory default value. **[Auto]** Initializes to deepest available Package C State Limit.

Configuration options: [C0/C1] [C2] [C3] [C6] [C7] [C7S] [C8] [C9] [C10] [Cpu Default] [Auto]

Thermal Monitor

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Dual Tau Boost

Enable Dual Tau Boost feature. This is only applicable for Desktop 35W/65W/125W sku. When DPTF is enabled this feature is ignored.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

7.4 System Agent (SA) Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to change the System Agent (SA) parameters.

VT-d

Check to enable VT-d function on MCH. This option will be grayed out when **X2APIC Enable** option is configured as **[Enabled]**.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

NOTE: The following item appears only when **VT-d** is set to **[Enabled]**.

Control Iommu Pre-boot Behavior

Enable IOMMU in Pre-boot environment (If DMAR table is installed in DXE and If VTD_INFO_PPI is installed in PEI).

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

DMA Control Guarantee

Enable/Disable DMA_CONTROL_GUARANTEE bit.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

Memory Configuration

Memory Remap

Enable/Disable Memory Remap above 4GB.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

Graphics Configuration

Primary Display

Select Auto sets IGD to be Primary Display if no external Graphics Device detected on first PCIe port will be Primary Display or Select IGFX for IGD to be Primary Display.

Configuration options: [Auto] [CPU Graphics]

Internal Graphics

Keep IGFX enabled based on the setup options.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

DVMT Pre-Allocated

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

Configuration options: [32M] [64M] [96M] [128M]

RC6(Render Standby)

Check to enable render standby support.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

VMD Setup menu

Enable VMD controller

Enable/Disable VMD controller.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

Map PCIe Storage under VMD

Map/Unmap PCIe Storage to VMD.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

Map SATA Controller under VMD

Map/Unmap this Root Port to VMD.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

PCI Express Configuration

The items in this submenu allow you to configure the PCIe Speeds for the different onboard slots.

NOTE: The items in this submenu may vary according to your motherboard. Please refer to the BIOS of your motherboard for the actual settings and options.

7.5 PCH Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to change the PCIe configurations for slots supported by the PCH.

Enable Timed GPIO0~1

Enable/Disable Timed GPIO0~1. When disabled, it disables cross time stamp time-synchronization as extension of Hammock Harbor time synchronization.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

PCI Express Configuration

The items in this submenu allow you to configure the PCIe Speeds for the different onboard slots supported by the PCH.

NOTE: The items in this submenu may vary according to your motherboard. Please refer to the BIOS of your motherboard for the actual settings and options.

7.6 PCH Storage Configuration

While entering Setup, the BIOS automatically detects the presence of SATA devices. The SATA device port items show **Empty** if no SATA device is installed to the corresponding port. Scroll down to display the other BIOS items.

NOTE: The settings and options of this menu may vary depending on your motherboard. Please refer to the BIOS of your motherboard for the actual settings and options.

SATA Controller(s)

Allows you to enable or disable the SATA Device.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: The following items appear only when **SATA Controller(s)** is set to **[Enabled]**.

Aggressive LPM support

Allows PCH to aggressively enter link power state.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

SMART Self 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: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: The SATA items may vary according to your motherboard's ports/slots. Please refer to the BIOS of your motherboard for the actual settings and options.

SlimSAS

Enable or disable the selected SATA port.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

SlimSAS Hot Plug

Designates this port as Hot Pluggable.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

SATA6G

Enable or Disable SATA Port.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

SATA6G Hot Plug

Designates this port as Hot Pluggable.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

7.7 PCH-FW Configuration

This item allows you to configure the Management Engine Technology parameters.

Unique Platform Id Configuration

Upid State

Enable or disable Upid Feature.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Upid OS Control State

Allows OS to enable or disable the Upid feature state.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

TPM Device Selection

Selects TPM device: Firmware TPM or Discrete TPM.

[Enable Discrete TPM] Enable Discrete TPM, disable platform Firmware TPM.

[Enable Firmware TPM] Enable platform Firmware TPM, disable Discrete TPM. If you plug in Discrete TPM card on your Mother Board, please select this option to Discrete TPM.

Extend CSME Measurement to TPM-PCR

Enable or disable Extend CSME Measurement to TPM-PCR[0] and AMT Config to TPM-PCR[1].

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

7.8 Thermal Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to configure Thermal Parameters.

Intel(R) Innovation Platform Framework Configuration

This submenu allows you to configure Intel(R) Innovation Platform Framework Configuration options.

Intel(R) Innovation Platform Framework

To enable Intel APO, you must set Intel Dynamic Tuning Technology (DTT), sometimes known as Intel Innovation Platform Framework (IPF), to [Enabled]. Intel DTT or IPF is system software configured by OEMs that dynamically optimizes the system for performance and thermals. It contains advanced AI and machine learning-based algorithms to enable these optimizations effectively.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

7.9 AMT Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to configure Intel(R) Active Management Technology parameters.

USB Provisioning of AMT

Allows you to enable or disable AMT USB provisioning.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

MAC Pass Through

Allows you to enable or disable MAC Pass Through function.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Dynamic Lan Switch

Allows switching AMT support from Integrated LAN to Discrete LAN.
Configuration options: [As defined in FIT] [Integrated LAN] [Discrete LAN]

Activate Remote Assistance Process

Allows you to trigger CIRA boot.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: Network Access must be activated first from MEBx Setup.

Unconfigure ME

Unconfigure ME with resetting MEBx password to default on next boot.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

ASF Configuration

The items in this submenu allow you to configure Alert Standard Format parameters.

PET Progress

Allows you to enable or disable PET Events Progress to receive PET Events.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

WatchDog

Allows you to enable or disable WatchDog Timer.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: The following items appear only when **WatchDog** is set to **[Enabled]**.

OS Timer

Allows you to set OS watchdog timer.

BIOS Timer

Allows you to set BIOS watchdog timer.

ASF Sensors Table

Adds ASF Sensor Table into ASF! ACPI Table.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

One Click Recovery (OCR) Configuration

The items in this submenu allow you to configure settings for One Click Recovery. This will allow access for AMT to boot a recovery OS application.

OCR Https Boot

Allows you to enable or disable One Click Recovery Https Boot.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

OCR PBA Boot

Allows you to enable or disable One Click Recovery PBA Boot.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

OCR Windows Recovery Boot

Allows you to enable or disable One Click Recovery Windows Recovery Boot.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

OCR Disable Secure Boot

Allows CSME to request Secure Boot to be disabled for One Click Recovery.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

7.10 Trusted Computing

The items in this menu allow you to configure the Trusted Computing settings.

NOTE: The availability of this menu, as well as the settings and options may vary depending on your motherboard. Please refer to the BIOS of your motherboard for the actual settings and options.

Security Device Support

Enables or Disables BIOS support for security device. O.S. will not show Security Device. TCG EFI protocol and INT1A interface will not be available.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: The following items appear only when **Security Device Support** is set to **[Enabled]**.

SHA256 PCR Bank

Allows you to enable or disable the SHA256 PCR Bank.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Pending operation

Allows you to schedule an Operation for the Security Device.
Configuration options: [None] [TPM Clear]

NOTE: Your computer will reboot during restart in order to change the State of the Security Device.

Platform Hierarchy

Allows you to enable or disable the Platform Hierarchy.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Storage Hierarchy

Allows you to enable or disable the Storage Hierarchy.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Endorsement Hierarchy

Allows you to enable or disable the Endorsement Hierarchy.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Physical Presence Spec Version

Allows you to select to Tell O.S. to support PPI Version 1.2 or 1.3.
Configuration options: [1.2] [1.3]

NOTE: Some HCK tests might not support 1.3.

PH Randomization

Allows you to enable or disable Platform Hierarchy randomization.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

7.11 Redfish Host Interface Settings

The items in this menu allow you to configure Redfish Host Interface Settings.

Redfish

Allows you to enable or disable AMI Redfish.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: The following items appear only when **Redfish** is set to **[Enabled]**.

Authentication mode

Allows you to select the authentication mode.
Configuration options: [Authentication None] [Basic Authentication] [Session Authentication]

Redfish Server Settings

IP address

Enter Redfish Server IP address.

IP Mask address

Enter Redfish Server IP Mask address.

IP Port

Enter Redfish Server IP Port number.

7.12 UEFI Variables Protection

The items in this menu allow you to configure the NVRAM Runtime Variable Protection settings.

Password protection of Runtime Variables

Allows you to control the NVRAM Runtime Variable Protection through System Admin Password.

Configuration options: [Disable] [Enable]

7.13 Serial Port Console Redirection

The items in this menu allow you to configure serial port console redirection settings.

COM1 / COM2(SOL) / COM3(Pci BUS128,Dev22,Func3,Port0)

Console Redirection

Allows you to enable or disable the console redirection feature.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: The following item appears only when **Console Redirection** is set to **[Enabled]**.

Console Redirection Settings

These items become configurable only when you enable the Console Redirection item. The settings specify how the host computer and the remote computer (which the user is using) will exchange data. Both computers should have the same or compatible settings.

Terminal Type

Allows you to set the terminal type.

[VT100]	ASCII char set.
[VT100Plus]	Extends VT100 to support color, function keys, etc.
[VT-UTF8]	Uses UTF8 encoding to map Unicode chars onto 1 or more bytes.
[ANSI]	Extended ASCII char set.

Bits per second

Selects serial port transmission speed. The speed must be matched on the other side. Long or noisy lines may require lower speeds.

Configuration options: [9600] [19200] [38400] [57600] [115200] [230400] [460800] [921600]

Data Bits

Configuration options: [7] [8]

Parity

A parity bit can be sent with the data bits to detect some transmission errors. [Mark] and [Space] parity do not allow for error detection. They can be used as an additional data bit.

[None]	None
[Even]	Parity bit is 0 if the num of 1's in the data bits is even.
[Odd]	Parity bit is 0 if num of 1's in the data bits is odd.
[Mark]	Parity bit is always 1.
[Space]	Parity bit is always 0.

Stop Bits

Stop bits indicate the end of a serial data packet. (A start bit indicates the beginning.) The standard setting is 1 stop bit. Communication with slow devices may require more than 1 stop bit.

Configuration options: [1] [2]

Flow Control

Flow control can prevent data loss from buffer overflow. When sending data, if the receiving buffers are full, a "stop" signal can be sent to stop the data flow. Once the buffers are empty, a "start" signal can be sent to re-start the flow. Hardware flow control uses two wires to send start/stop signals.

Configuration options: [None] [Hardware RTS/CTS]

VT-UTF8 Combo Key Support

This allows you to enable the VT-UTF8 Combination Key Support for ANSI/VT100 terminals.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Recorder Mode

With this mode enabled only text will be sent. This is to capture Terminal data.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Resolution 100x31

This allows you enable or disable extended terminal solution.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Putty Keypad

This allows you to select the FunctionKey and Keypad on Putty.

Configuration options: [VT100] [LINUX] [XTERMR6] [SCO] [ESCN] [VT400]

Serial Port for Out-of-Band Management/ Windows Emergency Management Services (EMS)

Console Redirection EMS

Allows you to enable or disable the console redirection feature.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Selects serial port transmission speed. The speed must be matched on the other side. Long or noisy lines may require lower speeds.

Configuration options: [9600] [19200] [57600] [115200]

NOTE: The following item appears only when **Console Redirection EMS** is set to **[Enabled]**.

Console Redirection Settings

The settings specify how the host computer and the remote computer (which the user is using) will exchange data. Both computers should have the same or compatible settings.

Out-of-Band Mgmt Port

Microsoft Windows Emergency Management Services (EMS) allow for remote management of a Windows Server OS through a serial port.

Configuration options: [COM1] [COM2(SOL)] [COM3(Pci BUS128,Dev22,Func3,Port0)]

Terminal Type EMS

VT-UTF8 is the preferred terminal type for out-of-band management. The next best choice is VT100+, and then VT100. See above, in Console Redirection Settings page for more help with Terminal Type/Emulation.

Configuration options: [VT100] [VT100Plus] [VT-UTF8] [ANSI]

Bits per second EMS

Selects serial port transmission speed. The speed must be matched on the other side. Long or noisy lines may require lower speeds.

Configuration options: [9600] [19200] [38400] [57600] [115200] [230400] [460800] [921600]

Flow Control EMS

Flow control can prevent data loss from buffer overflow. When sending data, if the receiving buffers are full, a "stop" signal can be sent to stop the data flow. Once the buffers are empty, a "start" signal can be sent to re-start the flow. Hardware flow control uses two wires to send start/stop signals.

Configuration options: [None] [Hardware RTS/CTS] [Software Xon/Xoff]

7.14 Intel TXT Information

You may view the Intel TXT information in this menu.

7.15 PCI Subsystem Settings

The items in this menu allow you to configure PCI, PCI-X, and PCI Express settings.

Re-Size BAR Support

If the system has Resizable BAR capable PCIe Devices, this option enables or disables Resizable BAR Support (Only if System supports 64 bit PCI Decoding).

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: To enable Re-Size BAR Support for harnessing full GPU memory, please go to the **Boot** section.

SR-IOV Support

This option enables or disables Single Root IO Virtualization Support if the system has SR-IOV capable PCIe devices.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

7.16 USB Configuration

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

XHCI Hand-off

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

[Disabled] Support XHCI by XHCI drivers for operating systems with XHCI support.

[Enabled] Support XHCI by BIOS for operating systems without XHCI support.

USB Single Port Control

Allows you to enable or disable the individual USB ports.

NOTE: Refer to section **Motherboard layout** and **Rear I/O connection** in your motherboard's user manual for the location of the USB ports.

7.17 Network Stack Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to change the Network Stack Configuration.

Network stack

Configuration options: [Disable] [Enable]

NOTE: The following items appear only when **Network Stack** is set to **[Enabled]**.

IPv4 PXE Support

Allows you to enable or disable the IPv4 PXE Boot Support. If disabled IPv4 PXE boot option will not be created.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

IPv6 PXE Support

Allows you to enable or disable the IPv6 PXE Boot Support. If disabled IPv6 PXE boot option will not be created.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

7.18 NVMe Configuration

This menu displays the NVMe controller and Drive information of the connected devices. You may press <Enter> on a connected NVMe device which appears in this menu to view more information on the NVMe device.

NOTE: The options displayed in this menu may vary depending on the devices connected to your motherboard. Please refer to the BIOS of your motherboard for the actual settings and options.

7.19 HDD/SSD SMART Information

The items in this menu allow you to view the SMART information for connected storage devices.

NOTE:

- The options displayed in this menu may vary depending on the devices connected to your motherboard. Please refer to the BIOS of your motherboard for the actual settings and options.
 - NVMe Express devices do not support SMART information.
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7.20 APM Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to change the advanced power management settings.

Restore AC Power Loss

Allows your system to go to ON state, OFF state, or both states after an AC power loss. When setting your system to **[Last State]**, it goes to the previous state before the AC power loss.

Configuration options: [Power Off] [Power On] [Last State]

Max Power Saving

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

ErP Ready

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. RGB LEDs and RGB/Addressable RGB Headers will also be disabled.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled (S4+S5)] [Enabled (S5)]

Power On By PCI-E

Allows you to enable or disable the Wake-on-LAN function of the onboard LAN controller or other installed PCI-E LAN cards.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Power On By RTC

Allows you to enable or disable the RTC (Real-Time Clock) to generate a wake event and configure the RTC alarm date. When enabled, you can set the days, hours, minutes, or seconds to schedule an RTC alarm date.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

7.21 Thunderbolt(TM) Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to configure Thunderbolt settings.

PCIe Tunneling over USB4

Allows you to enable or disable PCIe Tunneling over USB4.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

USB4 CM Mode

- [Firmware CM] The system boots with FW CM in both BIOS and OS phase.
- [Software CM] The system boots with SW CM in both BIOS and OS phase.
- [OS Dependant] The system will boot with SW CM in BIOS phase after saving this setting, then boot to OS based on OS preference to reflect the CM setting to next BIOS boot. If OS version is not SWCM compatible and Barlow Ridge is set, Barlow Ridge will run in MFDP mode.
- [CM Debug] The system with boot without any CM in BIOS phase, then boot to OS with the CM based on OS' preference by every boot.

Integrated Thunderbolt(TM) Enable

Enable or Disable Integrated Thunderbolt(TM).

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: The following item appears only when **Integrated Thunderbolt(TM) Enable** is set to **[Enabled]**.

Integrated Thunderbolt(TM) Configuration

Os Native Resource Balance

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Connect Topology Timeout value for ITBT

Connect Topology Timeout value for Integrated Thunderbolt(TM) Controller.

Force Poweron Timeout value for ITBT

Force Poweron Timeout value for Integrated Thunderbolt(TM).

ITBT RTD3

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: ITBT RTD3 Disabled is not supported when SW CM is applied for OS3.

ITBT RTD3 EXIT DELAY

ITBT RTD3 EXIT DELAY (milli seconds).

PCIE RTD3 POLLING LINK ACTIVE TIMEOUT

ADJUST LINK ACTIVE POLLING TIME DURING D3C EXIT AND DELAY IN PS0 BEFORE RETURN TO OS (milli seconds).

ITBT Root Port 0 Configuration

ITBT Root Port 0

Enable or disable Integrated Thunderbolt(TM) resource reservation on Root Port.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Root Port 0 Resource Allocation

Extra Bus Reserved

Extra Bus Reserved 42. Extra Bus Reserved is required for each layer = (Extra Bus Reserved on the previous layer - 2 - the number of non-hot-plug ports in the current layer) / the number of hot-plug ports in the current layer.

Reserved Memory

Reserved Memory for this Root Bridge (1-4096) MB.

Memory Alignment

Memory Alignment (0-31 bits).

Reserved PMemory

Reserved Prefetchable Memory for this Root Bridge (1-32768) MB.

PMemory Alignment

PMemory Alignment (0-31 bits).

TCSS Port1 Configuration**TCSS Port1**

TCSS Port1 Control, Default Enable.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Thunderbolt 5 Setting**Thunderbolt 5 Enable**

Enable or Disable Thunderbolt 5.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: The following items appear only when **Thunderbolt 5 Enable** is set to **[Enabled]**.

USB4 Host Router Class Code

Option for class code to be applied to Host Router for loading different driver.

[Auto] Determined by OSPM USB support.

[Intel USB4 Ver2] Intel USB4 Ver2 driver.

[USB4 Standard] OS inbox driver.

Thunderbolt 5 Configuration**GPIO3 Force Pwr**

Set GPIO3 to 1/0.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

GPIO filter

GPIO filter is needed to avoid electrical noise on PCH GPIOs during hotplug of 12V USB devices.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

TBT5 Controller Configuration**TBT Host Router**

Enable the host router based on ports available.

Configuration options: [One port] [Two port]

Extra Bus Reserved

Extra Bus Reserved 42. Extra Bus Reserved is required for each layer = (Extra Bus Reserved on the previous layer - 2 - the number of non-hot-plug ports in the current layer) / the number of hot-plug ports in the current layer.

Reserved Memory

Reserved Memory for this Root Bridge (1-4096) MB.

Memory Alignment

Memory Alignment (0-31 bits).

Reserved PMemory

Reserved Prefetchable Memory for this Root Bridge (1-32768) MB.

PMemory Alignment

PMemory Alignment (0-31 bits).

Reserved I/O

Set Reserved I/O.

7.22 ASUS USB4 add-on card (ASM4242 Controller) configuration

USB Host Controller Support

Allows you to enable or disable USB Host Controller.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: The following items appear only when **USB Host Controller Support** is set to **[Enabled]**.

Extra Bus Reserved

Extra Bus Reserved for this Root Bridge (6-255).

Extra NP-Mem Reserved

Extra Non-Prefetchable Memory Reserved for this Root Bridge (16-4096 MB).

Extra P-Mem Reserved

Extra Prefetchable Memory Reserved for this Root Bridge (0-16384 MB).

USB4/TBT Boot Support

Enable or Disable USB4/TBT Device Boot.

NOTE: The following item appears only when **USB4/TBT Boot Support** is set to **[Enabled]**.

USB4/TBT Boot Delay Time

Boot Delay Timer for USB4/TBT Device (1-20 sec).

XHCI Port0~1 Speed

Configures the XHCI Speed.

Configuration options: [Gen1x1] [Gen2x1] [Gen2x2]

7.23 Onboard Devices Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to change the onboard devices settings. Scroll down to view the other BIOS items.

NOTE: The settings and options of this menu may vary depending on your motherboard. Please refer to the BIOS of your motherboard for the actual settings and options.

PCIe Bandwidth Bifurcation Configuration

[Auto]	Run full PCIe X16 mode by default. If PCIe devices are detected in PCIEX16(G5)_2, PCIEX16(G5)_1 will run at X8.
[PCIe X16 Mode]	PCIEX16(G5)_1 runs full PCIe X16 mode.
[PCIe X8X4X4 Mode]	Split up PCIEX16(G5)_1 that runs at X16 into X8/X4/X4.
[PCIe_1_2 X8X8 Mode]	Manually set PCIEX16(G5)_1 to X8 and PCIEX16(G5)_2 to X8. Use this configuration for add-on cards that do not trigger auto-detection.
[PCIe_1_2 X8X4X4 Mode]	Make PCIEX16(G5)_1 run at X8 and PCIEX16(G5)_2 run at X4/X4.
[GPU with M.2 storage]	PCIEX16(G5)_1 slot will support a graphics card running at x8 and a NVMe M.2 SSD running at x4.

HD Audio

Control detection of HD-Audio device.

[Disabled] HDA will be unconditionally disabled.

[Enabled] HDA will be unconditionally enabled.

Intel LAN Controller

Allows you to enable or disable Intel LAN.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Intel LAN2 Controller

Allows you to enable or disable Intel LAN2 controller.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

10G LAN Card

Enable/Disable 10G LAN Card.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

USB power delivery in Soft Off state (S5)

Allows you to enable or disable USB power when your PC is in the S5 state.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Onboard LED

This switch enables you to turn on/off the HDD and PLED LEDs.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Q-Code LED Function

[Disabled]	Turn off Q-Code LED.
[POST Code Only]	Show POST (Power-On Self-Test) code on Q-Code LED.
[Auto]	The Q-Code LED, by default, displays the POST code. To show the CPU temperature after the system boots into the OS, set the BMC_SW header to Disabled.

Serial Port Configuration

Set Parameters of Serial Port.

NOTE: This item function only if there is a serial port(COM) connector on a motherboard.

Serial Port

Enable or Disable Serial Port (COM).

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Change Settings

Select an optimal setting for Super IO device.

Configuration options: [IO=3F8h; IRQ=4] [IO=2F8h; IRQ=3] [IO=3E8h; IRQ=4] [IO=2E8h; IRQ=3]

SlimSAS Configuration

[SATA]: Only supports SlimSAS SATA devices.

[PCIe]: Only supports SlimSAS PCIe devices.

7.24 Precision Time Measurement

NOTE: The settings and options of this menu may vary depending on your motherboard. Please refer to the BIOS of your motherboard for the actual settings and options.

PCIEX16(G5) PTM

Enable/Disable Precision Time Measurement.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

M.2 PTM

Enable/Disable Precision Time Measurement.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

PCIEX16(G4) PTM

Enable/Disable Precision Time Measurement.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

SLIMSAS PTM

Enable/Disable Precision Time Measurement.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

7.25 TXT Provision

The items in this menu allow you set the TXT Provision.

TXT Provision

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Step 1] [Step 2] [Step 3]

To set the TXT Provision:

1. Set TXT Provision to **[Step 1]**, then save and reboot to Setup.
2. Set TXT Provision to **[Step 2]**, then save and reboot to UEFI SHELL and run TPM provision scripts.
3. Set TXT Provision to **[Step 3]**, then save and reboot.

7.26 Platform Erase

Enable Remote Platform Erase

Enable or disable Remote Platform Erase Feature. RPE works only in vPro Enterprise.

Configuration options: [Disable] [Enable]

SSD Erase Mode

Change RPE SSD Erase Action behavior.

[Simulated] Performs RPE SSD Erase flow without erasing SSD.

[Real] Erase SSD.

7.27 Intel(R) Platform Service Record

This formset contains forms for displaying platform service record. Zero values means either not started or failed to receive PSR data from CSME.

Events

Press <Enter> to view the events.

Export Platform Service Record To USB

Select a USB device option and press <Enter> to export data to that USB device option.

NOTE: Export file name is 'PlatformServiceRecord_YYYY_MM_DD_HH_MM_SS.bin'. Only UEFI FILE SYSTEM format is supported.

7.28 Intel(R) Rapid Storage Technology

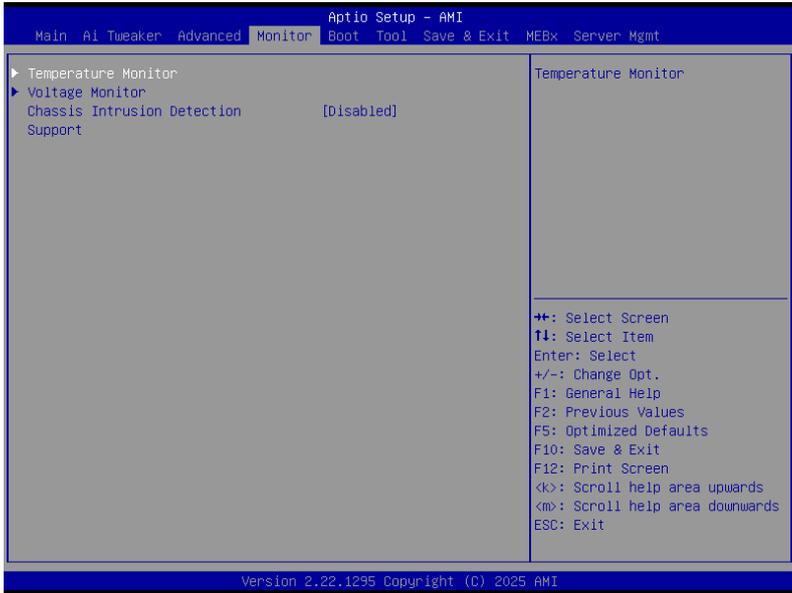
The items in this menu allow you manage RAID volumes on the Intel(R) RAID Controller.

NOTE:

- The settings and options of this menu may vary depending on the storage devices connected. Please refer to the BIOS of your motherboard for the actual settings and options.
 - Ensure to set the **VMD Setup menu** before using **Intel(R) Rapid Storage Technology** to create a RAID set.
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8. Monitor menu

The Monitor menu displays the system temperature/power status, and allows you to change the fan settings. Scroll down to display the other BIOS items.



Temperature Monitor

MotherBoard Temperature, VRM Temperature, Chipset Temperature, T_Sensor Temperature, DIMM A Temperature, DIMM B Temperature [xxx°C/xxx°F]

The onboard hardware monitor automatically detects and displays the temperatures for the different components. Select **[Ignore]** if you do not wish to display the detected temperatures.

Voltage Monitor

VRM Core Input Voltage, 12V Voltage, 5V Voltage, 3.3V Voltage, Memory Controller Voltage [x.xxx V]

The onboard hardware monitor automatically detects the voltage output through the onboard voltage regulators. Select **[Ignore]** if you do not want to detect this item.

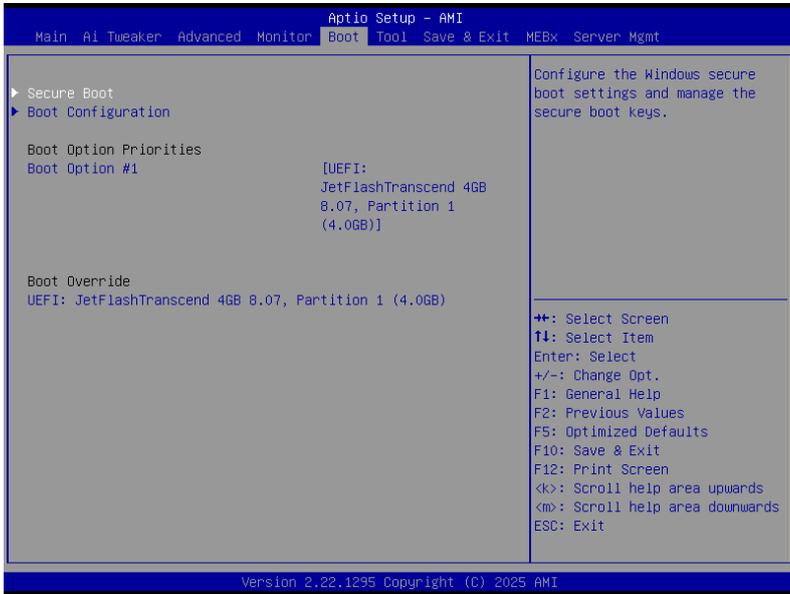
Chassis Intrusion Detection Support

Set this item to **[Enabled]** to enable the chassis intrusion detection function.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

9. Boot menu

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



Secure Boot

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

OS Type

[Windows UEFI Mode] This item allows you to select your installed operating system. Execute the Microsoft® Secure Boot check. Only select this option when booting on Windows® UEFI mode or other Microsoft® Secure Boot compliant OS.

[Other OS] Get the optimized function when booting on Windows® non-UEFI mode. Microsoft® Secure Boot only supports Windows® UEFI mode.

NOTE: The Microsoft secure boot can only function properly on Windows UEFI mode.

Secure Boot Mode

This option allows you to select the Secure Boot mode from between Standard or Custom. In Custom mode, Secure Boot Policy variables can be configured by a physically present user without full authentication.

Configuration options: [Standard] [Custom]

NOTE: The following item appears only when **Secure Boot Mode** is set to **[Custom]**.

Key Management

Install Default Secure Boot keys

Allows you to immediately load the default Security Boot keys, Platform key (PK), Key-exchange Key (KEK), Signature database (db), and Revoked Signatures (dbx). When the default Secure boot keys are loaded, the PK state will change from Unloaded mode to loaded mode.

Clear Secure Boot keys

This item appears only when you load the default Secure Boot keys. Allows you to clear all default Secure Boot keys.

Save all Secure Boot variables

Allows you to save all secure boot keys to a USB storage device.

PK Management

The Platform Key (PK) locks and secures the firmware from any permissible changes. The system verifies the PK before your system enters the OS.

Save To File

Allows you to save the PK to a USB storage device.

Set New key

Allows you to load the downloaded PK from a USB storage device.

Delete key

Allows you to delete the PK from your system. Once the PK is deleted, all the system's Secure Boot keys will not be active.

Configuration options: [Yes] [No]

IMPORTANT! The PK file must be formatted as a UEFI variable structure with time-based authenticated variable.

KEK Management

The KEK (Key-exchange Key or Key Enrollment Key) manages the Signature database (db) and Revoked Signature database (dbx).

NOTE: Key-exchange Key (KEK) refers to Microsoft® Secure Boot Key-Enrollment Key (KEK).

Save to file

Allows you to save the KEK to a USB storage device.

Set New key

Allows you to load the downloaded KEK from a USB storage device.

Append Key

Allows you to load the additional KEK from a storage device for an additional db and dbx loaded management.

Delete key

Allows you to delete the KEK from your system.

Configuration options: [Yes] [No]

IMPORTANT! The KEK file must be formatted as a UEFI variable structure with time-based authenticated variable.

DB Management

The db (Authorized Signature database) lists the signers or images of UEFI applications, operating system loaders, and UEFI drivers that you can load on the single computer.

Save to file

Allows you to save the db to a USB storage device.

Set New key

Allows you to load the downloaded db from a USB storage device.

Append Key

Allows you to load the additional db from a storage device for an additional db and dbx loaded management.

Delete key

Allows you to delete the db file from your system.

Configuration options: [Yes] [No]

Configuration options: [Yes] [No]

IMPORTANT! The db file must be formatted as a UEFI variable structure with time-based authenticated variable.

DBX Management

The dbx (Revoked Signature database) lists the forbidden images of db items that are no longer trusted and cannot be loaded.

Save to file

Allows you to save the dbx to a USB storage device.

Set New key

Allows you to load the downloaded dbx from a USB storage device.

Append Key

Allows you to load the additional dbx from a storage device for an additional db and dbx loaded management.

Delete key

Allows you to delete the dbx file from your system.

Configuration options: [Yes] [No]

IMPORTANT! The dbx file must be formatted as a UEFI variable structure with time-based authenticated variable.

Boot Configuration

Fast Boot

Allows you to enable or disable boot with initialization of a minimal set of devices required to launch active boot option. Has no effect for BBS boot options.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: 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 Logo Display

[Auto] Automatically adjust the boot logo size for Windows requirements.
[Full Screen] Maximize the boot logo size.
[Disabled] Hide the logo during POST.

NOTE: The following item appears only when **Boot Logo Display** is set to **[Auto]** or **[Full Screen]**.

Post Delay Time

Allows you to select a desired additional POST waiting time to easily enter the BIOS Setup. You can only execute the POST delay time during normal boot.
Configuration options: [0 sec] - [10 sec]

IMPORTANT! This feature only works when set under normal boot.

NOTE: The following item appears only when **Boot Logo Display** is set to **[Disabled]**.

Post Report

Allows you to select a desired POST report waiting time or until ESC is pressed.
Configuration options: [1 sec] - [10 sec] [Until Press ESC]

Boot up NumLock State

Allows you to select the keyboard NumLock state.
Configuration options: [On] [Off]

Wait For 'F1' If Error

Allows your system to wait for the <F1> key to be pressed when error occurs.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

AMI Native NVMe Driver Support

Allows you to enable or disable AMI Native NVMe driver.
Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Boot Sector (MBR/GPT) Recovery Policy

[Auto Recovery] Follow UEFI Rule.
[Local User Control] You can enter setup page and select Boot Sector (MBR/GPT) Recovery Policy to recovery MBR/GPT on the next boot time.

NOTE: The following item appears only when **Boot Sector (MBR/GPT) Recovery Policy** is set to **[Local User Control]**.

Next Boot Recovery Action

Choose the (MBR/GPT) recovery action on the next boot.
Configuration options: [Skip] [Recovery]

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.

IMPORTANT!

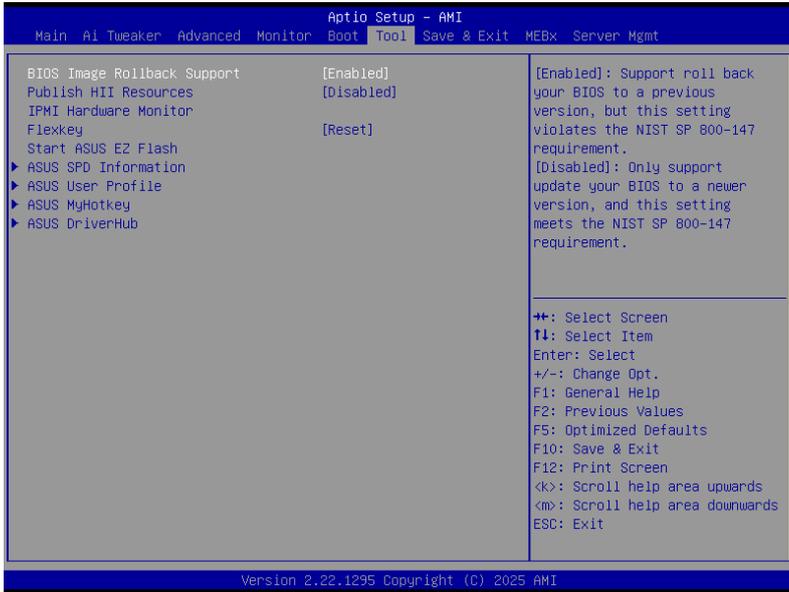
- To access Windows® OS in Safe Mode, press <F8 > after POST (Windows® 8 not supported).
 - To select the boot device during system startup, press <F8> when ASUS Logo appears.
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Boot Override

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

10. Tool menu

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



BIOS Image Rollback Support

[Enabled] Support roll back your BIOS to a previous version, but this setting violates the NIST SP 800-147 requirement.

[Disabled] Only support updating your BIOS to a newer version, and this setting meets the NIST SP 800-147 requirement.

Publish HII Resources

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

IPMI Hardware Monitor

Allows you to run the IPMI hardware monitor.]

Flexkey

[Reset] Reboots the system.

[DirectKey] Boot directly into the BIOS.

Start ASUS EzFlash

Allows you to run ASUS EzFlash BIOS ROM Utility when you press <Enter>. Refer to the **ASUS EzFlash Utility** section for details.

10.1 ASUS SPD Information

This item allows you to view the DRAM SPD information.

10.2 ASUS User Profile

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

Load from Profile

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**.

NOTE:

- 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.
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Profile Name

Allows you to key in a profile name.

Save to Profile

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**.

10.3 ASUS MyHotkey

This menu allow you to configure Hotkeys.

Hotkey F3

Press <F3> to enter UEFI-USB or UEFI-HDD or UEFI-CDROM/DVDROM or UEFI-PXE or ASUS AZ Flash 3 in POST.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Boot from UEFI USB] [Boot from UEFI HDD] [Boot from UEFI CDROM/DVDROM] [Boot from UEFI PXE] [Toggle ASUS EZ Flash]

NOTE: Please make sure Network is enabled before AsusMyHotkey is set to Boot From UEFI PXE.
(Advanced -> Network Stack Configuration -> Network Stack)

Hotkey F4

Press F4 to enter UEFI-USB or UEFI-HDD or UEFI-CDROM/DVDROM or UEFI-PXE or ASUS EZ Flash in POST.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Boot from UEFI USB] [Boot from UEFI HDD] [Boot from UEFI CDROM/DVDROM] [Boot from UEFI PXE] [Toggle ASUS EZ Flash]

NOTE: Please make sure Network is enabled before AsusMyHotkey is set to Boot From UEFI PXE.
(Advanced -> Network Stack Configuration -> Network Stack)

10.4 ASUS DriverHub

This menu allow you to download and install the ASUS DriverHub app.

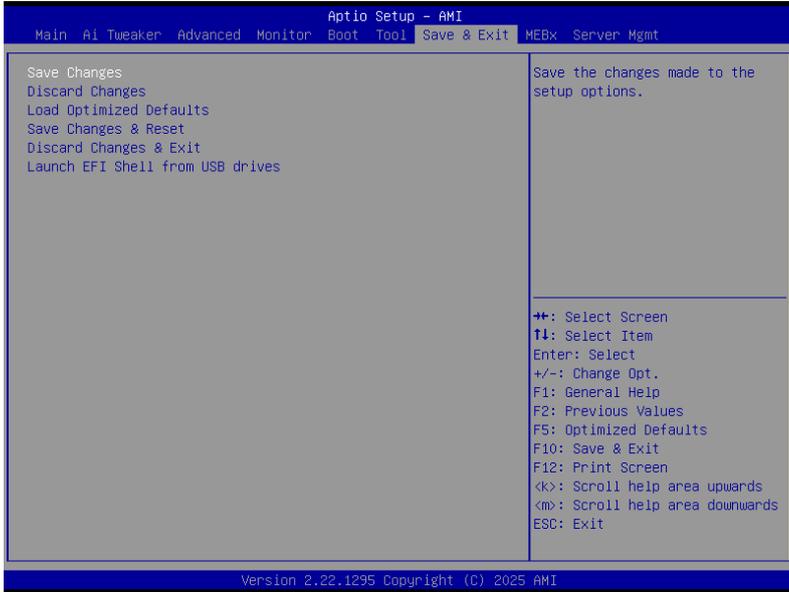
Download & Install ASUS DriverHub app

Allows you to enable DriverHub download process. DriverHub app can help you manage and download the latest drivers and utility updates for your motherboard.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

11. Save & Exit menu

The Save & 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.



Save Changes

Save changes done so far to any of the setup options.

Discard Changes

Discard changes done so far to any of the setup options.

Load Optimized Defaults

Restores/loads the default values for all the setup options. When you select this option or if you press <F5>, a confirmation window appears. Select **OK** to load the default values.

Save Changes & Reset

Resets the system after saving the changes made. 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 option allows you to attempt to launch the EFI Shell application (shellx64.efi) from one of the available filesystem devices.

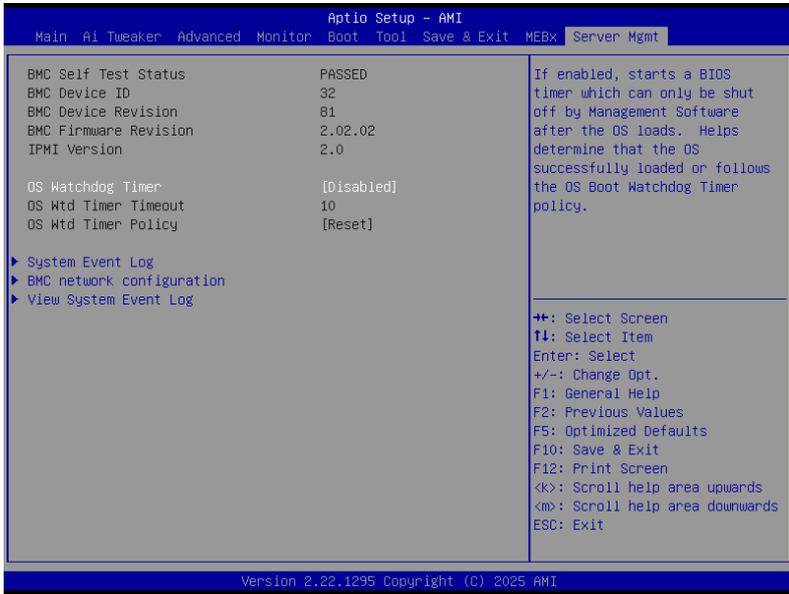
12. MEBx menu

The Intel Management Engine BIOS Extension (MEBx) menu allows you to configure MEBx settings.



13. Server Mgmt menu

The Server Mgmt menu items allow you to configure Server management settings.



OS Watchdog Timer

When this option is set to **[Enabled]** it starts a BIOS timer which can only be shut off by Management Software after the OS loads. Helps determine if the OS successfully loaded or follows the OS Boot Watchdog Timer policy.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

NOTE: The following items appear only when **OS Watchdog Timer** is set to **[Enabled]**.

OS Wtd Timer Timeout

Enter a value between 1 and 30 min for OS Boot Watchdog Expiration, Not available if OS Boot Watchdog Timer is disabled.

Configuration options: [1] - [30]

OS Wtd Timer Policy

This item allows you to configure the how the system should respond if the OS Boot Watch Timer expires.

Configuration options: [Do Nothing] [Reset] [Power Down] [Power Cycle]

13.1 System Event Log

Allows you to change the SEL event log configuration.

NOTE: All values changed here do not take effect until computer is restarted.

SEL Components

Allows you to enable or disable event logging for error/progress codes during boot.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

NOTE: The following item appears only when **SEL Components** is set to **[Enabled]**.

Erase SEL

Allows you to choose options for erasing SEL.

Configuration options: [No] [Yes, On next reset] [Yes, On every reset]

When SEL is Full

Allows you to choose options for reactions to a full SEL.

Configuration options: [Do Nothing] [Erase Immediately]

Log EFI Status Codes

Disable the logging of EFI Status Codes or log only error code or only progress code or both.

Configuration options: [Disabled] [Both] [Error code] [Progress code]

13.2 BMC network configuration

The sub-items in this configuration allow you to configure the BMC network parameters.

IMPORTANT! Ensure to enable the BMC_SW on your motherboard to view and configure BMC network parameters. This LAN controller is dedicated to BMC and for the connections of IPMI only, you may not connect to the Internet using the Realtek 1Gb LAN port.

Configure IPV4 support

DM_LAN

Configuration Address source

This item allows you to configure LAN channel parameters statistically or dynamically (by BIOS or BMC). **[Unspecified]** option will not modify any BMC network parameters during BIOS phase.

Configuration options: [Unspecified] [Static] [DynamicBmcDhcp] [DynamicBmcNonDhcp]

NOTE: The following items are available only when **Configuration Address source** is set to **[Static]**.

Station IP address

Allows you to set the station IP address.

Subnet mask

Allows you to set the subnet mask. We recommend that you use the same Subnet Mask you have specified on the operating system network for the used network card.

Router IP Address

Allows you to set the router IP address.

Router MAC Address

Allows you to set the router MAC address.

Configure IPV6 support

DM_LAN

IPV6 Support

Allows you to enable or disable LAN1 IPV6 support.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

NOTE: The following items appear only when **IPV6 support** is set to **[Enabled]**.

Configuration Address source

Allows you to set the LAN channel parameters statically or dynamically (by BIOS or by BMC).

[Unspecified] option will not modify any BMC network parameters during BIOS phase.

Configuration options: [Unspecified] [Static] [DynamicBmcDhcp]

NOTE: The following items are available only when **Configuration Address source** is set to [Static].

Station IPV6 address

Allows you to set the station IPV6 address.

Prefix Length

Allows you to set the prefix length (maximum of Prefix Length is 128).

Configuration Router Lan1 Address source

Allows you to set the LAN channel parameters statically or dynamically (by BIOS or by BMC).

[Unspecified] option will not modify any BMC network parameters during BIOS phase.

Configuration options: [Unspecified] [Static] [DynamicBmcDhcp]

NOTE: The following items are available only when **Configuration Router Lan Address source** is set to **[Static]**.

IPV6 Router1 IP address

Allows you to set the IPV6 Router1 IP address.

IPV6 Router1 Prefix Length Lan1

Allows you to set the IPV6 Router prefix length (maximum of Prefix Length is 128).

IPV6 Router1 Prefix Value Lan1

Allows you to set the IPV6 Router prefix value.

Configure VLAN support

DM_LAN

VLAN Support

Enable VLAN Support to specify the 802.1q VLAN ID.
Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled] [Unspecified]

NOTE: The following items are available only when **CVLAN Support** is set to **[Enabled]**.

VLAN ID

VLAN ID Range is from 1-4094. VLAN ID 0 & 4095 are reserved VLAN IDs.

VLAN Priority

Value ranges from 0 to 7. 7 is the highest priority for VLAN.

13.3 View System Event Log

This item allows you to view the system event log records.

