8TH GEN INTEL® CORE™ DESKTOP PROCESSORS
SEPTEMBER 2017
Aug 21st 2017

8th Gen Intel® Core™ Family Introduction
Launched Mobile U-Series Processors

Oct 5th 2017

8th Gen Intel® Core™ Desktop
K SKU and Premium Consumer Processors

1H 2018

8th Gen Intel® Core™
Commercial and Broad Consumer Processors
Introducing Intel’s®
8th Gen Intel® Core™
Desktop Processor Family
Desktop Processor Families

Launching October 5, 2017

Intel® Pentium®/Celeron® Entry Performance

- Leadership performance at entry system price points
- Enjoy content and connect to the world through the internet

Intel® Pentium®/Celeron® Entry Performance

8th Gen Intel® Core™ Premium Performance

- i7-8700K - Intel’s BEST gaming desktop processor
  - Wide range of performance options for consumers
  - Up to 6 cores and 12 threads
  - A range of unlocked K SKU processors
  - Up to 40 platform PCIe 3.0 lanes

Intel® Pentium®/Celeron® Entry Performance

8th Gen Intel® Core™ Premium Performance

LAUNCHING OCTOBER 5, 2017

Intel® Core™ X-series Extreme Performance

- Ultimate performance and extreme mega-tasking
- Scalable from Intel® Core™ i5 through Core™ i9 Extreme Edition
- All processors unlocked
- Up to 4 memory channels
- Up to 68 platform PCIe 3.0 lanes

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**NEW 8TH GEN INTEL® CORE™ DESKTOP PROCESSOR FAMILY MARKET INSIGHTS**

**Gaming**

36% Growth CAGR in Retail Gaming PC Sales over the last 5 years

**Content Creation**

130M+ Digital Content Creators

**Overclocking**

80% Increase in Unlocked CPU Sales Q2’14 vs. Q2’17

Sources:
1. NPD & GFK Retail Sales. Assumptions: Performance CPUs (Intel: Core i5 and i7 H-series Mobile, X- & S-series Desktop, AMD: FX); Discrete graphics at 3D Mark score of ≥2000 (approx. Nvidia GTX level); Windows OS
2. Total addressable market for Adobe’s creative products – Forbes March 27, 2017; Facebook users as of 2/1/2017; IMRA Digital Content Creators Market Sizing and Polling Report 2015. US/UK/China only. Population size numbers are rounded. PRC population figure consists of Tier 1 and 2 only
3. Internal Intel estimates
NEW 8TH GEN INTEL® CORE™ DESKTOP PLATFORM OVERVIEW

MORE CORES
MORE INTEL® SMART CACHE
BEST IN CLASS DESIGN
ENHANCED OVERCLOCKING
IMPROVED 14NM PROCESS

ARCHITECTURE + DESIGN + MANUFACTURING = PREMIUM PERFORMANCE
NEW INTEL® Z370 CHIPSET MOTHERBOARD

IMPROVED POWER DELIVERY FOR 6-CORE PROCESSORS

ENHANCED PACKAGE POWER DELIVERY FOR OVERCLOCKING

MEMORY ROUTING SUPPORT FOR DDR4-2666

8TH GEN INTEL® CORE™ DESKTOP PROCESSORS REQUIRE INTEL® 300 SERIES CHIPSET MOTHERBOARDS TO DELIVER THE RATED PERFORMANCE
Delivering Premium Performance for What Comes Next

- i7-8700K - Intel’s BEST gaming desktop processor ever\(^1\)
- First 6-core Intel® Core™ i5 desktop processor
- First 4-core Intel® Core™ i3 desktop processor
- Up to 12MB Intel® Smart Cache

Amazing Responsiveness with Intel® Optane™ Memory

- Accelerate System Responsiveness
- Optimize Overall Productivity
- High Performance Large Capacity Storage

Built for Gamers, Content Creators, and Overclockers

- A range of unlocked K SKU processors that deliver maximum tuning flexibility
- Up to 40 platform PCIe 3.0 lanes for system expandability on graphics, storage, and I/O
- Supported with Intel® Z370 chipset motherboards

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BETTER GAMING WITH 8TH GEN INTEL® CORE™ PROCESSORS

POWERFUL, FLUID, VIVID GAMING

• i7-8700K - Intel’s BEST gaming desktop processor ever\(^1\)
• Up to 195 FPS\(^2\) on Gears of War\(^*\) 4
• Up to \textbf{25\% more FPS}\(^3\) on Gears of War\(^*\) 4 vs. 7th Gen

AN OPTION FOR EVERY GAMER

• A wide range of performance options for gamers
• Unlocked SKUs available at each Intel® Core™ brand
• Launch games FASTER\(^4\) with Intel® Optane™ memory

THE WORLD IS WATCHING

• Up to 80 FPS\(^5\) while mega-tasking
• Game + Stream + Record up to \textbf{45\% better}\(^6\) with PlayerUnknown's Battlegrounds\(^*\) vs. 7th Gen
• Game + Stream + Record up to \textbf{2X faster}\(^7\) with PlayerUnknown's Battlegrounds\(^*\) vs. a 3 yr old PC

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3. As measured by Gears of War 4 Workload comparing Intel® Core™ i7-8700K Processor (6C/12T) vs. Intel® Core™ i7-7700K Processor (4C/8T)
4. Compared to HDD alone
5. As measured by Mega-tasking Gaming Scenario on Playerunknown’s Battlegrounds* - no QSV – on Intel® Core™ i7-8700K Processor (6C/12T)
6. As measured by Mega-tasking Gaming Scenario on Playerunknown’s Battlegrounds* comparing Intel® Core™ i7-8700K Processor (6C/12T) vs. Intel® Core™ i7-7700K Processor (4C/8T)
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BETTER CONTENT CREATION WITH 8TH GEN INTEL® CORE™ PROCESSORS

ADVANCE YOUR CREATIVITY

- Up to 32% faster¹ 4K video editing vs. 7th Gen
- Load media projects FASTER² with Intel® Optane™ memory
- Hardware support for 4K HDR

CREATE

Up to
4.5X
FASTER³

EDIT

Up to
65%
FASTER⁴

SHARE

Up to
7.8X
FASTER⁵

vs. 3 yr old Desktop

1. As measured by 4K Video Adobe Premier Pro workload comparing Intel® Core™ i7-8700K Processor (6C/12T) vs. Intel® Core™ i7-7700K Processor (4C/8T)
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4. As measured by Photo Editing Adobe Photoshop Lightroom workload comparing Intel® Core™ i7-8700K Processor (6C/12T) vs. Intel® Core™ i7-4790K Processor (4C/8T)
5. As measured by Handbrake® Transcode workload comparing Intel® Core™ i7-8700K Processor (6C/12T) vs. Intel® Core™ i7-4790K Processor (4C/8T)

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PERFORMANCE MATTERS
New Features:¹
• Per Core Overclocking²
• Max Memory Ratio up to 8,400 MT/s
• Real-Time Memory Latency Control
• Extended PLL Trim Controls
• Enhanced Package Power Delivery

EXTREME TUNING
• Intel® Extreme Tuning Utility (Intel® XTU)
• Intel® Extreme Memory Profile 2.0 (Intel® XMP) technology

PEACE OF MIND
• Performance Tuning Protection Plan available

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¹ On select SKUs only.
² When more than one core is active, the lower ratio is applied. Per core P-states and per core voltage are not supported.
**BETTER RESPONSIVENESS WITH INTEL® OPTANE™ MEMORY**

**ACCELERATE SYSTEM RESPONSIVENESS**

**OPTIMIZE PRODUCTIVITY**

**HIGH PERFORMANCE LARGE CAPACITY STORAGE**

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**SYSTEM RESPONSIVENESS**

Up to 2.1X¹ FASTER

**WEB LAUNCH**

Up to 8.6X² FASTER

vs. 5 yr old Desktop

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1. As measured by SYSmark® 2014 SE (Second Edition) Responsiveness Subtest comparing Intel® Core™ i5-8400 (6C/6T) with 16GB Intel Optane Memory vs. Intel® Core™ i5-3470 Processor without Intel® Optane™ memory
2. As measured by Chrome Launch Workload comparing Intel® Core™ i5-8400 (6C/6T) with 16GB Intel Optane Memory vs. Intel® Core™ i5-3470 Processor without Intel® Optane™ memory

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1. See overclocking disclaimer
2. POR is UDIMM DDR4 2666. 1 and 2 DPC. SODIMM is DDR4 2400 1 DPC with 2666 under investigation.
3. POR is UDIMM DDR4 2400 1 and 2 DPC and SODIMM DDR4 2400 1 DPC.
4. Intel® Optane™ memory requires specific hardware and software configuration. Visit www.intel.com/Optanememory for configuration requirements
SUMMARY

• i7-8700K - Intel’s Best Gaming Desktop Processor\(^1\) with up to 25% more FPS\(^2\) and up to 45% better\(^3\) mega-tasking vs. 7\(^{th}\) Gen
• Up to 32% faster\(^4\) 4K video editing vs. 7\(^{th}\) Gen
• First 6-core Intel® Core™ i5 and first 4-core Intel® Core™ i3
• Available beginning October 5\(^{th}\) 2017; OEM systems Q4’17

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**Configurations**

**Intel® Core™ Desktop Processors:**
- Intel® Core™ i7-8700K Processor, PL1=95W TDP, 6C12T, Turbo up to 4.7GHz, Graphics: NVIDIA® GTX 1080Ti, Graphics Driver: 384.94, Memory: 2x8GB, Storage: Intel SSD 545 Series 240GB, OS: Windows® 10 RS2, Game Settings: High
- Intel® Core™ i7-8700K Processor, PL1=95W TDP, 6C12T, Turbo up to 4.7GHz, Graphics: NVIDIA® GTX 1080Ti, Memory: 2x8GB, Storage: Intel SSD 545 Series 240GB, OS: Windows® 10 RS2
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- Intel® Core™ i7-4790K Processor, PL1=84W TDP, 4C8T, Turbo up to 4.4GHz, Graphics: NVIDIA® GTX 1080Ti, Memory: 2x8GB, Storage: Intel SSD 545 Series 240GB, OS: Windows® 10 RS2

**Intel® Optane™ memory:**
- Intel® Core™ i5-8400 Processor, PL1=65W TDP, 6C6T, Turbo up to 4GHz, Graphics: Intel UHD Graphics 630, Memory: 2x4GB, Storage: Western Digital HDD Black 1TB, Optane: 16GB Intel Optane Memory, OS: Windows® 10 RS2
- Intel® Core™ i5-3470 Processor, PL1=77W TDP, 4C4T, Turbo up to 3.6GHz, Graphics: Intel HD Graphics 2500, Memory: 2x4GB, Storage: Western Digital HDD Black 1TB, OS: Windows® 10 RS2
• SYSmark* 2014 SE (Second Edition) is a benchmark from the BAPCo* consortium that measures the performance of Windows* platforms. SYSmark tests the usage scenarios: Office Productivity, Media Creation, Responsiveness and Data/Financial Analysis. SYSmark contains real applications from Independent Software Vendors such as Microsoft* and Adobe*. Reported metrics: SYSmark 2014 SE Rating and a rating for each scenario result (higher is better for all). Scaling efficiencies: CPU dominant, sensitive to frequency, core count and memory. QSV enabled.
**WORKLOAD DESCRIPTIONS**

- **4K to 1080p HEVC Transcode Workload**: Using Handbrake, the workload video file is a ~6.27 GB, 3840 x 1714, 73.4 Mbps, 24fps, H.264, .mov video file that is transcoded to a ~1920x1080, ~3.5 Mbps, 24fps, HEVC, .mkv video file.

- **PowerDirector Ultra HD HEVC Video Creation**: The workload is a video project containing a 3840x2160, H.264, .mp4 file (shot on a GoPro HERO4 Black action camera) with added text overlays and video effects. The output file is a 1 min. 46 sec., 3840x2160, ~35Mbps, HEVC, ~440MB, .mp4 video file.

- **Adobe Photoshop Lightroom workload**: The workload consists of 50 .jpeg photos shot on a Nikon D800 camera ranging in size of 11.3 MB – 29.8 MB. This scenario measures the time to export the photos at a reduced file size for sharing/upload to social networks.

- **4K Video Adobe Premier Pro Workload**: The project “PPCS” contains seven clips totaling 2 minute and 21 seconds of 4K H.264 MP4 footage recorded at a bitrate of approximately 80 Mbps. The input file sizes total 1.90 GB. The video stream is 3840x2160 (4K) in H.264 format with a framerate of 29.97 FPS. The audio stream is 1536 Kbps, 48.0 KHz, 16 bit Stereo in WAV format. The performance test measures the time to export the entire clip to a 4K H.264 MP4 format. The output is a high quality 4K video file.

- **Megatasking Gaming Scenario on Playerunknown’s battleground**: FPS while playing, streaming, recording via OBS and Twitch

- **Gears of War* 4 Game Workload**: measures average frame-rate (FPS) while playing Gears of War* 4

- **Browser Launch Workload – Workload developed by Intel® measuring the time elapsed to launch Google* Chrome**