

Z170GTN Motherboard



- Supports 6th Generation Intel® Core™ Processor
- Intel Z170 single chip architecture
- Support 2-DIMM DDR4-3200(OC)/ 2133/ 1866 up to 32G maximum capacity
- BIOSTAR Hi-Fi Technology inside
- Support USB 3.0
- Support PCIe U.2(32Gb/s)
- Support PCIe M.2(32Gb/s)

Specification

CPU SUPPORT	7th & 6th Gen Intel® Core™ i7 LGA 1151 Processor 7th & 6th Gen Intel® Core™ i5 LGA 1151 Processor 7th & 6th Gen Intel® Core™ i3 LGA 1151 Processor 7th & 6th Gen Intel® Pentium® LGA 1151 Processor 7th & 6th Gen Intel® Celeron® LGA 1151 Processor Maximum CPU TDP (Thermal Design Power) : 95Watt
MEMORY	Support Dual Channel DDR4 3200(OC)/ 2133/ 1866 MHz 2 x DDR4 DIMM Memory Slot Max. Supports up to 32GB Memory
INTEGRATED VIDEO	By CPU model Supports DX12 Supports HDCP
STORAGE	4 x SATA III Connector Support SATA RAID: 0,1,5,10 1 x U.2 32Gb/s Connector 1 x M.2 (M Key) 32Gb/s Connector, support M.2 type 2260/ 2280 SATA 6Gb/s & PCI-E Storage(on the back of the motherboard)
LAN	Intel i219V - Gigabit Ethernet PHY
AUDIO CODEC	Realtek ALC892 8-Channel Blu-ray Audio Support Biostar Hi-Fi
USB	4 x USB 3.0 Port 1 x USB 3.0 Header 2 x USB 2.0 Port 1 x USB 2.0 Header
EXPANSION SLOT	1 x PCI-E 3.0 x16 Slot 1 x PCI-E M.2 Key E Slot for M.2 type 2230 Wi-Fi card

REAR I/O	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 x PS/2 Keyboard/Mouse 4 x USB 3.0 Port 2 x USB 2.0 Port 1 x HDMI Connector, resolution up to 4096 x 2160 @24Hz, compliant with HDMI 1.4a 1 x DVI-D Connector, resolution up to 1920 x 1200 @60Hz 1 x LAN Port 5 x Audio Jacks 1 x S/PDIF Out Port
INTERNAL I/O	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 x USB 3.0 Header 1 x USB 2.0 Header 4 x SATA III Connector (6Gb/s) 1 x U.2 32Gb/s Connector 1 x M.2 Key M 32Gb/s Connector, support M.2 type 2260/ 2280 SATA 6Gb/s & PCI-E Storage(on the back of the motherboard) 1 x Front Audio Header 1 x Front Panel Header 1 x CPU Fan Connector 1 x System Fan Connector 1 x 5050 LED Header
H/W MONITORING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CPU / System Temperature Monitoring CPU / System Fan Monitoring Smart / Manual CPU / System Fan Control System Voltage Monitoring
DIMENSION	Mini ITX Form Factor Dimension: 17cm x 17cm (W x L)
OS SUPPORT	Supports Windows 7 / 8.1(x64) / 10(x64)
BUNDLE SOFTWARE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Racing GT Utility BullGuard BIO-Remote2
ACCESSORIES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 x SATA Cable 1 x I/O Shield 1 x DVD Driver 1 x User Manual
FEATURES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supports PURO Hi-Fi Supports 100% Solid capacitor BIO-FLASHER Supports Charger Booster Supports BIOS Online Update

OVERVIEW






Intel Z170 chipset

With the Intel® Z170 chipset and the 6th generation Intel® Core™ processors, you will immediately be at the forefront of the battlefield, fueled by mindblowing power and performance. From content creation to gaming, the Intel Z170 chipset provides you with the power and performance you need.

	<p>Hi-Fi</p> <p>A combination of exclusive hardware & software design including "ground-isolation circuit design", "an independent audio power", and "a built-on-board amplifier", with all these hardware features gives you the best audio quality and performance. As for software, we offer you a free bundle utility "Multi-Channel Calibration" which normally you'll find in high level sound systems; this feature allows you to auto detect your location; with a user friendly interface, you can easily adjust the volume of every speakers to make a well balanced surround sound. And of course, the built-on-board amplifier always gives you a super powerful sound comparing to other motherboards.</p>
	<p>HD Audio</p> <p>Provides high quality sound with minimal loss of audio fidelity.</p>
	<p>MCC</p> <p>Multi Channels Calibration (MCC) can transform any room into the ideal listening environment. With Multi Channels Calibration (MCC), audio performance is automatically calibrated according to the dimensions of your room. Simply place the speaker and setup the microphone at your usual listening spot, position the speakers and connect them. The users can set up the speaker settings easily by using a free bundle MCC software.</p>
	<p>Hi-Fi Power</p> <p>Audio power is an important factor in audio quality. Most AV equipment isolates the power supply for each analog and digital signal to gather high-quality sound reproduction. Equipped with BIOSTAR Hi-Fi Power technology, it will utilize audio components with independent power design for a significant reduction in electronic noise and superb sound quality.</p>
	<p>Hi-Fi Ground</p> <p>BIOSTAR Hi-Fi Ground (Golden Line) is noise-blocking multi-layer PCB design to isolates analog audio signals from digital sources. Unique PCB layout is ideal for exceptional clarity and high fidelity sound.</p>
	<p>Hi-Fi Sound</p> <p>BIOSTAR Hi-Fi series motherboards have a sampling rate of 192kHz/24-bit which delivers a high quality audio through an analog connection to your home theater system, multi-channel speakers and high-end headphone. You can enjoy real Blu-ray grade high-definition sound that you've never experienced before.</p>
	<p>Hi-Fi AMP</p> <p>The built-in amplifier can drive major high-end headphones with over 100dB loads and offer wide band-width, low noise, high slew rate and low distortion audio source from front panel I/O. Gaming enthusiasts can enjoy a fuller range of dynamic sound with crisper details and less distortion.</p>
	<p>Smart Ear</p> <p>Smart EAR is a windows-based audio utility which allows you to easily adjust system volume. With its user-friendly GUI, you can also increase or decrease impedance setting (Low/High Gain) to optimize your headphone performance. You can easily enjoy high-quality and awesome sound.</p>

	<h3>Hi-Fi Resistor</h3> <p>Metal-oxide film resistors are made of metal oxides such as tin oxide. The electric characteristics are greater stability and reliability than regular metal film resistors when operating in an extremely broad working temperature range. This special component is used in applications with high endurance audio demands.</p>
	<h3>Hi-Fi Cap</h3> <p>BIOSTAR Hi-Fi series motherboards come with high quality 'Non-Polarized Electrolysis Electric audio capacitors' for each audio channel circuit. The customized audio capacitors deliver low noise, low distortion, and wide bandwidth to achieve the highest sound resolution and sound expansion. The critical component will ensure the most realistic sound effects to gaming enthusiasts.</p>
	<h3>Hi-Fi 110dB+</h3> <p>Embrace exceptional sound quality for the win with 110dB SNR and stylish and efficient EMI shield blocks electromagnetic interference to help provide cleaner audio. It has achieved a signal-to-noise ratio (SNR) of 110dB, yielding almost loss-less audio form rear audio connectors.</p>
	<h3>DVI</h3> <p>DVI is better than VGA for LCD displays since it is digital while VGA is analog. For LCD displays, the picture is digitized pixel per pixel. Through DVI, the panel gets data for each pixel, so the picture generated in the Graphics device matches the pixels on the panel itself.</p>
	<h3>DX12</h3> <p>DirectX 12 introduces the next version of Direct3D, the graphics API at the heart of DirectX. Direct3D is one of the most critical pieces of a game or game engine, and we've redesigned it to be faster and more efficient than ever before. Direct3D 12 enables richer scenes, more objects, and full utilization of modern GPU hardware.</p>
	<h3>USB 3.0</h3> <p>Experience Fastest data transfers at 5 Gbps with USB 3.0--the new latest connectivity standard. Built to connect easily with next-generation components and peripherals, USB 3.0 transfers data 10X faster and backward compatible with previous USB 2.0 components.</p>
	<h3>PCIe M.2 32Gb/s</h3> <p>PCI-e M.2 32Gb/s delivers the highest bandwidth and lower latency. It is 3 times faster compared with PCI-e M.2 10Gb/s.</p>
	<h3>PCIe U.2 Connector</h3> <p>PCIe U.2 connector supports PCIe 3.0 x4 NVMe storage. It delivers the fast bandwidth up to 32Gb/s with stable data transfer and low latency as well. Meanwhile, it is almost 5 times faster than the speed of SATA III interface with 6Gb/s.</p>
	<h3>XMP</h3> <p>Press XMP key to automatically adjust XMP MEMORY to the best performance and enjoying the extreme pleasure of the stability and speed.</p>
	<h3>PCIe 3.0</h3> <p>PCIe 3.0 is the ubiquitous and general-purpose PCI Express I/O standard. At 8GT/s bit rate, the interconnect performance bandwidth is doubled over PCIe 2.0, while preserving compatibility with software and mechanical interfaces.</p>

	<h3>SATAIII 6Gbps</h3> <p>SATAIII 6Gbps provides a higher bandwidth to retrieve and transfer HD media. With this super speed data transfer, SATAIII allows an incredible data boost which is 2x faster than the SATA II.</p>
	<h3>Moistureproof of PCB</h3> <p>The popularity of PC usage and working environment is getting deteriorating and moist (rural, coastal, etc.). The PCB will be oxidizing easily by damp or absorbed moisture, and ionic migration or CAF (Conductive Anodic Filament) will be generated. Moisture-proof PCB meets high density and high reliability requirements for moisture proof.</p>
	<h3>Low RdsOn P-Pak MOS</h3> <p>Low resistance design can significantly reduce the current out of energy loss. Low temperature, small size, excellent thermal conductivity.</p>
	<h3>100% Solid Caps</h3> <p>With armor-plated Biostar Technology, all capacitors are placed with 100% solid capacitors that have a lasting life cycle, durability and stability for crucial components.</p>
	<h3>Super Anti-Surge Protection</h3> <p>BIOSTAR exclusive Anti-Surge design provides the best protection of board and extends the product life. Having the latest model of "Transient Voltage Suppressor" on-board can effectively protect the board circuit, reducing the shocks caused by ESD as well as other damages arising from overvoltage transients to enhance system durability.</p>
	<h3>Super LAN Surge Protection</h3> <p>Super LAN Surge Protection, providing LAN port with more advanced antistatic protection capabilities by adding an integrated chip to strengthen electrical stability and prevent damage from lightning strikes and electrical surges. SLSP (Super LAN Surge Protection) series motherboard upgrades the existing system protection standards with maximum 4X protection comparing to other board makers.</p>
	<h3>ESD Protection</h3> <p>ESD (Electrostatic Discharge) is the major factor to destroy the PC by electrical overstress (EOS) condition. ESD occurred by PC users when touch any devices connect to a PC, which may result in damage to the motherboard or parts. ESD protection is designed to protect the motherboard and equipment from damage by EOS.</p>
	<h3>USB Polyswitch</h3> <p>On board dedicated power fuse to help prevent USB port failure. It prevents USB Port overcurrent and safe guard your system and device lifespan.</p>
	<h3>OC / OV / OH Protection</h3> <p>OC / OV / OH Protection design detects overvoltage conditions and prevents voltage surges from spreading in real time. It also actively cuts off the overvoltage supply to protect your system.</p>
	<h3>VIVID LED DJ</h3> <p>Racing Series exclusively features on-board LED design. Via the creative Vivid LED DJ application, you can control and modify the colours of LED on MOS heatsink and on the edge of board. When you play music, it can perform LED light show, following melody. Moreover, Vivid LED DJ features options for designing LED visual effect, including Normal, Eco, and Sports mode on your own. Racing Series with Vivid LED DJ make your PC a coolest gaming base ever.</p>

	<h3>5050 LED FUN</h3> <p>BIOSTAR Racing motherboard comes with the exclusive 5050 LED FUN feature for DIY lovers. You can connect LED strip with on-board 5050 header directly and control it via Vivid LED DJ.</p>
	<h3>UEFI BIOS</h3> <p>Unified Extensible Firmware Interface (UEFI) is a brand new framework that provides a revolutionary interface. It is a modern clear and easy-to-use graphical user interface. The UEFI comes with a colorful easy-understand icons leads users into the setup layer directly.</p>
	<h3>Header Zone</h3> <p>Users can easily assemble their own computer, a simple-swap data discs and other accessories.</p>

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