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Reviewer's Guide



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Designed Specifically For Gamers

L337 (leet) is the premier brand of gaming mother-boards brought to you by ECS. Designed with the highest level of care, precision and technology to maximize your gaming experience. With a plethora of next generation features, L337 motherboards have the greatest long-term expandability and ultra high quality components for overclocking your system to exceed even the highest potential of competitive motherboards. L337 Gaming Motherboard is handsdown the choice of professional gamers everywhere.

L337 (leet): The term leet is used as an adjective to describe formidable prowess or accomplishment, especially in the fields of online and competitive gaming.

L337 was created to dedicate efforts in developing products focused on gamers. We believe in the spirit of competition and the fruits of our labor will be passed to our customers as we strive to tailor our products for them.

Battle Ready for the Real World



Proud Sponsor of Team Complexity

L337 is proud to announce we are now official sponsors of Complexity Gaming and their entire stable of amazingly talented professional gamers. Complexity Gaming continues to be a leading organization in every major competitive gaming titles. Now powered by L337 products, Complexity gaming will continue to strive towards gaming excellence with the best gaming hardware on the planet.

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L337 GANK DRONE Features

The best value motherboard for gamers on the market. Get top performance, extreme gaming features and at a great price.

Key Features

- Dual PCI Express Gen3 x 16
- Intel[®] I217-V GIGA LAN
- Realtek ALC1150 8CH HD Audio
- Intel[®] 22nm CPU support
- Thermal Design Power up to 125W support
- Applied Golden Solid Capacitor
- 6-Phase Power Design
- Supports 4 Dual-Channel DDR3 up to 3000/2933/2800/2667/2400/2133/1866/1600
- Supports NVIDIA[®] 2- Way SLI™ & Supports AMD[®] 2-Way CrossFireX™
- ADS (Anti-Dust Shield) provides effective protection on memory DIMMs and PCle slots against harmful dust
- Supports DirectX®11.1 for accelerated Blu-Ray 3D and DivX decoding
- Supports 3 Independent Displays (HDMI+DVI+D-Sub)
- Supports ECS Durathon Technology to ensure the stability, reliability and performance of system
- EZ Charger provides a fast way to charge your smart devices, even if the PC is off
- ESD Protection prevents computers from electrostatic discharge damage to enhance its durability and lifespan.
- Supports Intel[®] Smart Response Technology, Smart Connect Technology & Rapid Start Technology

- Supports GUI UEFI for tweaking BIOS in Graphical Interface within a multi-language environment
- ECS MIB X A friendly interface for overclocking, especially for gamers
- ECS Intelligent EZ Utility: eBLU, eDLU, eOC, eSF
- Free Bundle:Norton Internet Security,
 CyberLink PowerDVD, CyberLink PowerDirector 9,
 Muzee, MAGIX with trial version

Retail Bundle

- SATA 6Gb/s *2pcs
- SLI bridge cable 10cm *1pc
- Double layer I/O shield *1pc
- Manual *1pc
- QIG *1pc
- DVD *1pc

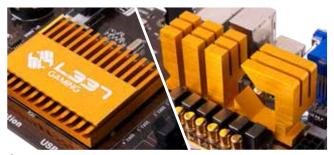
Software Bundle

- Norton 2013
- Muzee
- Cyberlink
- MAGIX
- Sound Blaster Cinema

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Custom Heatsink Design

L337 heatsink offers extreme cooling and heat dissipation of up to 10% more, and the stylish design represents the architectural homage of L337 spirit.



Ice Crystal Chokes

1.5X greater stability offering 50° wider temperature range and reducing heat by 13% more than standard ferrite chokes, even under full loading operations.



Golden Solid Capacitors

Golden Solid Caps offer up to 6X longer lifespan than standard electrolytic capacitors. They also offer better heat resistance with up to 200K hours (22 Years) of operation under 65° C.



Anti-Dust Shield

ADS (Anti-Dust Shield) exclusive L-shaped aluminum baffles designed for effectively protecting memory DIMMs and graphics card PCle slots from the dust.



Gen 3 PCI-Express

The new 3rd generation of PCI-Express bus is designed to fully take advantage of high performance graphics cards offering the highest data throughput for gaming performance and quality.





2-Way SLI™ & CrossfireX™

The most advance technologies of multi-graphics processing, supporting NVIDIA® 2-Way SLI™ and AMD 2-Way CrossFireX™ to deliver up to 1.9X performance over a single GPU system.



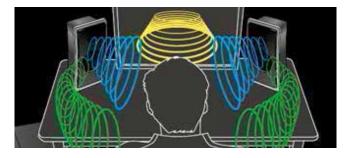
DDR3 3000+ (OC)

4 Dual-Channel Overclockable DDR3 memory 1600Mhz double up to 3000+ with BIOS adjustable clock rates giving you a huge boost.



Sound Blaster Cinema

Sound Blaster Cinema Audio Controls and Intelligence which includes SBX Surround, SBX Crystalizer, SBX Bass, SBX Dialog Plus and SBX Smart Volume.



8-Channel HD Audio

Enjoy high clarity, theater quality HD audio from your computer. Perfect for watching movies and listening to music in surround sound, powered by REALTEK.



3-Way Video Output

Integrated video gets you running with high quality digital output including DVI, HDMI, & D-Sub VGA output. Triple output with 3-Way video across 3 screens simultaneously.



Intel® I217-V Gigabit LAN

Intel® Ethernet Controller I217-V features high performance with reduced CPU overhead, reduced power and energy savings.



DirectX 11.1

DirectX 11.1 - The Latest Compute Shaders, Direct 2D, Multithreaded Rendering and Tessellation for rich realistic graphics and fluid gameplay performance.



EZ GUI UEFI

User friendly GUI BIOS interface lets you quick and easily configure your BIOS with mouse input. MIB X offers BIOS based O.C. profiles for the CPU and DRAM to get max performance.

6G eSATA 3.0

The 6G eSATA external expansion port is perfect for external access to SATA storage devices for fast access to data and applications.

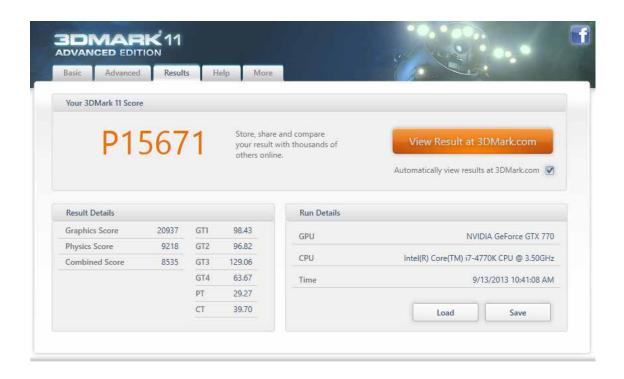
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BIOS Options

CPU Ratio	16-80
Graphics Core Ratio Limit	10-60
Graphics Voltage	0-255
Memory Frequency	800-3000 MHz
tCL	4-18
tRCD	4-18
tRP	4-18
tRAS	10-40
tWR	5-16
tRFC	1-511
tRRD	4-15
tWTR	4-15
tRTP	4-15
tCWL	5-12
tREFI	1-65530
tFAW	10-54

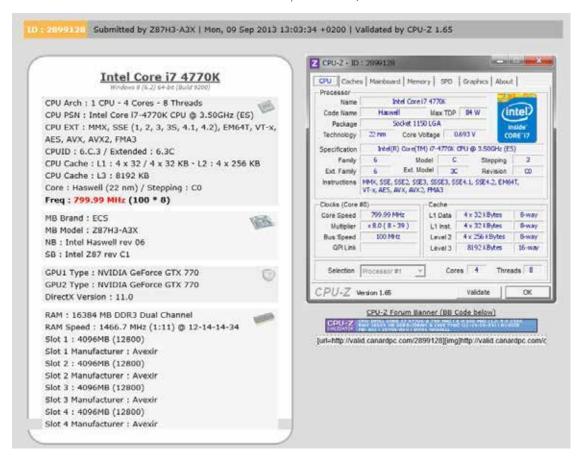
3DMark 11

3DMark11 Score P15671 | Graphics Score 20937 | Physics Score 9218 | Combined Score 8535



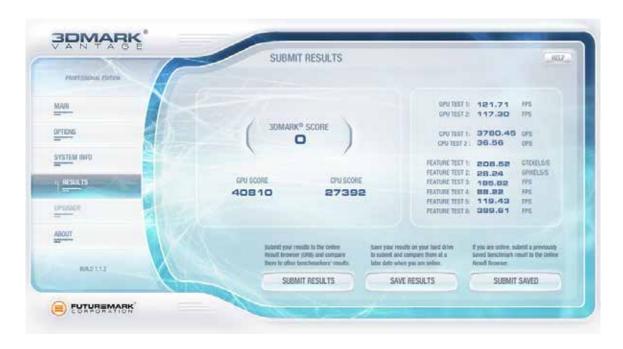
CPU-Z 1.65

Intel® Core i7-4770K CPU @ 3.50GHz | RAM Speed 2933MHz



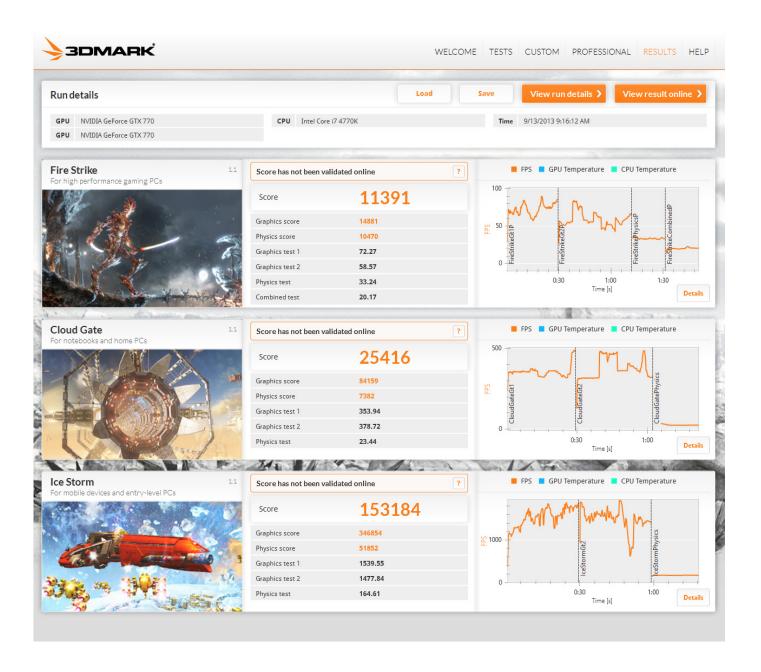
3DMark Vantage

GPU Score 40810 (121.71FPS) | CPU Score 27392 (3780.45OPS)



3DMark

Fire Strike Score 11391 | Graphics Score 14881 | Physics Score 10470 Cloud Gate Score 25416 | Graphics Score 84159 | Physics Score 7382 Ice Storem Score 153184 | Graphics Score 346854 | Physics Score 51852



PCMark 7

PCMark7 Score 6654

Your PCMark 7 Score 6654 View Result on PCMark.com Automatically view results on PCMark.com 🔽 Details ▼ PCMark score: 6654 Video playback and transcoding / Video playback 23.98 fps Video playback and transcoding / Video transcoding - downscaling 6742.26 kB/s System storage - gaming 16.95 MB/s Graphics - DirectX 9 119.99 fps Image manipulation 27.72 Mpx/s System storage - importing pictures 28.08 MB/s Web browsing and decrypting / Web browsing 25.21 pages/s Web browsing and decrypting / Data decrypting 218.32 MB/s System storage - Windows Defender 5.69 MB/s Lightweight score: 6679 Web browsing with 3 tabs 25.46 pages/s System storage - adding music 1.41 MB/s Image manipulation 27.72 Mpx/s System storage - importing pictures 28.08 MB/s Text editing 12.71 operations/s System storage - starting applications 63.77 MB/s Productivity score: 6197 Web browsing and decrypting / Web browsing 25.21 pages/s Web browsing and decrypting / Data decrypting 218.32 MB/s System storage - Windows Defender 5.69 MB/s Text editing 12.71 operations/s System storage - starting applications 63.77 MB/s Entertainment score: 6435 Video playback and transcoding / Video playback 23.98 fps Video playback and transcoding / Video transcoding - downscaling 6742.26 kB/s System storage - gaming 16.95 MB/s System storage - adding music 1.41 MB/s Graphics - DirectX 9 119.99 fps Web browsing with 2x3 tabs / Web browsing 1 22.41 pages/s Web browsing with 2x3 tabs / Web browsing 2 22.43 pages/s Graphics - DirectX 10 - texture fill 107.83 fps Graphics - DirectX 10 - color fill 14.40 fps Graphics - DirectX 10 - POM 93.83 fps Graphics - DirectX 10 - GPU cloth 87.44 fps Graphics - DirectX 10 - GPU particles 107.50 fps Graphics - DirectX 10 - Perlin noise 204.74 fps Image manipulation 27.72 Mpx/s System storage - importing pictures 28.08 MB/s Video transcoding - high quality 7588.18 kB/s System storage - video editing 22.90 MB/s Computation score: 12783 Video transcoding - downscaling 7990.56 kB/s Video transcoding - high quality 7588.18 kB/s ▶ Image manipulation 27.72 Mpx/s System storage score: 5431 System storage - Windows Defender 5.69 MB/s System storage - importing pictures 28.08 MB/s System storage - video editing 22.90 MB/s System storage - Windows Media Center 8.21 MB/s System storage - adding music 1.41 MB/s System storage - starting applications 63.77 MB/s System storage - gaming 16.95 MB/s ▼ Raw system storage score: 5944 System storage - Windows Defender (raw performance) 71.21 MB/s System storage - importing pictures (raw performance) 104.31 MB/s System storage - video editing (raw performance) 203.14 MB/s System storage - Windows Media Center (raw performance) 286.06 MB/s



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