

## AMD 116737

# AMD Ryzen 5 1500X Processor with Wraith Spire Cooler User Manual

Model: 116737

## INTRODUCTION

The AMD Ryzen 5 1500X Processor is a high-performance central processing unit designed for desktop computers. It features 4 cores and 8 threads, with a base frequency of 3.5 GHz and a Precision Boost frequency of up to 3.7 GHz. This processor is unlocked for overclocking and comes bundled with the AMD Wraith Spire Cooler, providing an efficient thermal solution. It is built on the AM4 socket platform and supports PCIe 3.0.

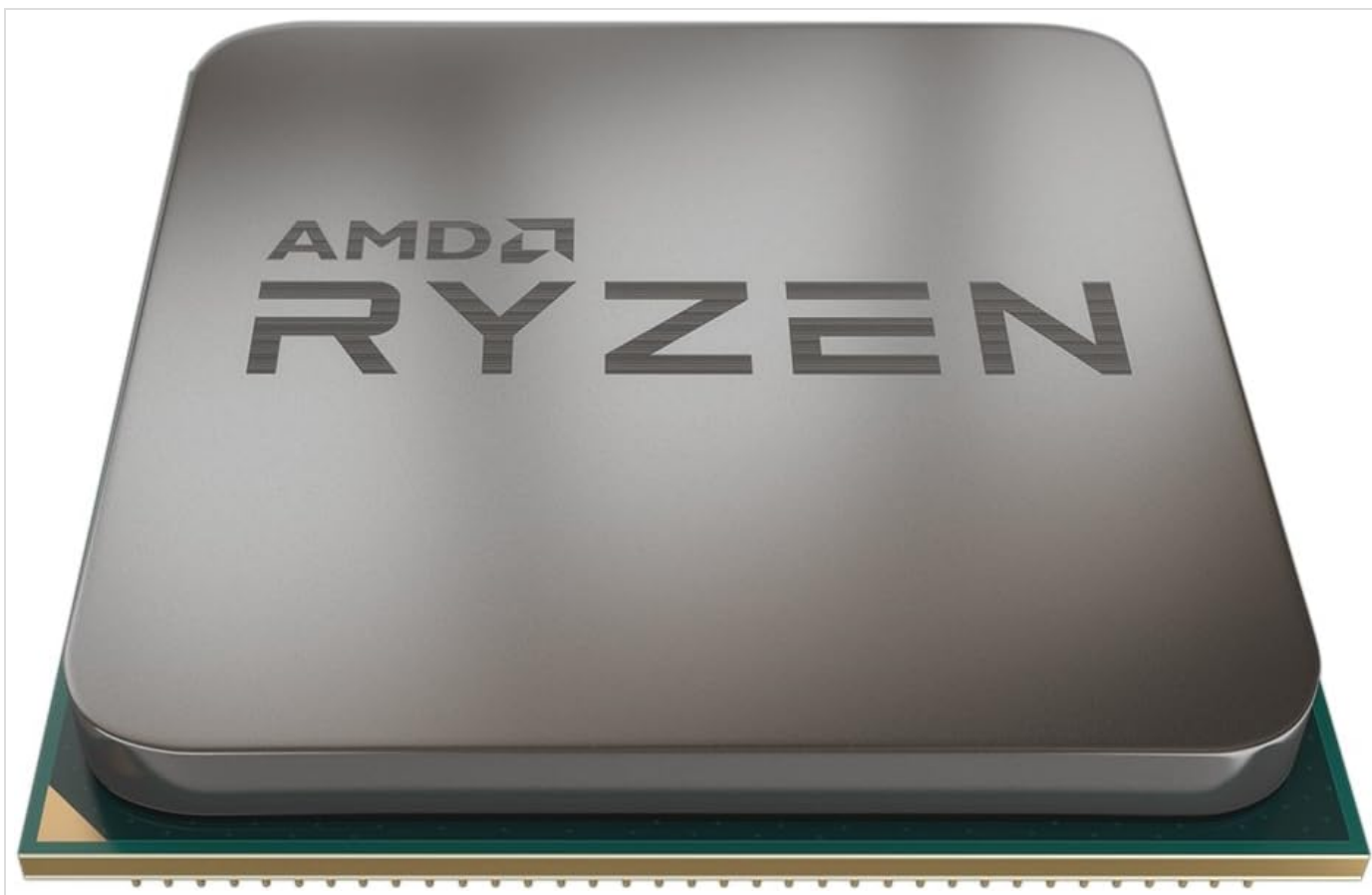


Image: The AMD Ryzen 5 1500X Processor, showcasing its top surface with the AMD Ryzen logo.

## WHAT'S IN THE BOX

Upon opening the product packaging, you should find the following components:

- One AMD Ryzen 5 1500X Processor
- One AMD Wraith Spire 95W Cooler
- Installation Instructions
- Three-year Processor Limited Warranty Information



Image: The retail box of the AMD Ryzen 5 processor, indicating the included Wraith Spire Cooler.

## SETUP

Proper installation is crucial for optimal performance and longevity of your AMD Ryzen processor. For detailed visual and step-by-step instructions, please refer to the official [Installation Manual \(PDF\)](#).

### Pre-Installation Checklist:

- Ensure your motherboard supports the AM4 socket.
- Verify your motherboard's BIOS is updated to support Ryzen 5 1500X processors.
- Gather necessary tools: Phillips head screwdriver, thermal paste (if not pre-applied on cooler).
- Ensure your system is powered off and unplugged from the wall outlet.
- Discharge any static electricity before handling components.

### Processor Installation:

1. **Prepare the Motherboard:** Open the CPU retention lever on the AM4 socket.
2. **Align the Processor:** Carefully align the gold triangle on the corner of the processor with the corresponding triangle on the

motherboard socket. Ensure the processor drops gently into place without force.

3. **Secure the Processor:** Close the CPU retention lever to secure the processor in the socket.
4. **Apply Thermal Paste:** If your Wraith Spire Cooler does not have pre-applied thermal paste, apply a small pea-sized amount to the center of the CPU's integrated heat spreader (IHS).
5. **Install the Cooler:** Position the Wraith Spire Cooler over the processor, aligning the mounting clips or screws with the motherboard's retention bracket. Secure the cooler firmly, ensuring even pressure. Connect the cooler's fan cable to the CPU\_FAN header on your motherboard.



Image: The AMD Wraith Spire Cooler, included with the processor, designed for efficient heat dissipation.

## RAM Installation:

Install DDR4 RAM modules into the appropriate DIMM slots on your motherboard as per your motherboard's manual for optimal dual-channel or quad-channel configuration.

## OPERATING

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The AMD Ryzen 5 1500X processor is designed for robust performance across various computing tasks, from gaming to content creation. Its 4 cores and 8 threads provide excellent multitasking capabilities. The processor features Precision Boost technology, which automatically adjusts clock speeds to optimize performance based on workload and thermal conditions.

### Supported Operating Systems:

- Windows 10 (64-bit Edition)
- RHEL x86 64-bit
- Ubuntu x86 64-bit

*Note: Operating system support may vary by motherboard manufacturer and BIOS version. Always ensure your operating system and drivers are up-to-date for the best performance and stability.*

## MAINTENANCE

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Regular maintenance helps ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your processor and its cooling solution.

### Cooler Maintenance:

- **Dust Removal:** Periodically clean the Wraith Spire Cooler's heatsink fins and fan blades to prevent dust buildup, which can impede airflow and reduce cooling efficiency. Use compressed air or a soft brush. Ensure the fan is held stationary while cleaning to prevent damage to the bearings.
- **Thermal Paste:** The thermal paste applied between the CPU and cooler typically lasts for several years. If you notice consistently high temperatures, consider reapplying fresh thermal paste after carefully cleaning the old paste from both surfaces.

### Temperature Monitoring:

Monitor your CPU temperatures using motherboard utility software or third-party monitoring tools. The maximum operating temperature for the Ryzen 5 1500X is 95°C. Sustained temperatures near or above this limit can indicate insufficient cooling or excessive workload.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

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If you encounter issues with your AMD Ryzen 5 1500X processor, consider the following common troubleshooting steps:

- **System Instability/Blue Screens:**
  - Ensure all drivers (chipset, graphics, etc.) are up-to-date.
  - Verify your motherboard's BIOS is the latest version.
  - Check RAM compatibility with your motherboard and ensure it's running at stable speeds.
  - Confirm proper seating of the CPU and RAM modules.
- **Overheating:**
  - Check if the Wraith Spire Cooler is securely mounted and its fan is spinning.
  - Clean any dust from the cooler's heatsink and fan.
  - Ensure adequate airflow within your PC case.
  - Verify thermal paste application.
- **No Display/Boot Issues:**
  - Double-check all power connections to the motherboard and CPU.
  - Reseat the CPU, RAM, and graphics card.
  - Clear the CMOS on your motherboard.

For persistent issues, consult the AMD support website or your motherboard manufacturer's support resources.

## SPECIFICATIONS

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Feature	Detail
Processor Cores / Threads	4 Cores / 8 Threads
Base Frequency	3.5 GHz
Max Precision Boost Frequency	3.7 GHz
Cache (L2/L3)	2 MB / 16 MB
Thermal Solution	Wraith Spire Cooler
Socket Type	AM4
PCI Express Version	PCIe 3.0
Default TDP	65W
Maximum Temperature	95°C
RAM Type Supported	DDR4

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

The AMD Ryzen 5 1500X Processor comes with a three-year processor limited warranty. For detailed warranty terms and conditions, please refer to the documentation included in your product packaging or visit the official AMD website.

Additional Support:

- For further technical assistance, driver downloads, and software utilities, visit the official AMD Support website: [www.amd.com/en/support](http://www.amd.com/en/support)
- For product-specific inquiries or to view the product page, visit the Amazon product listing: [Amazon Product Page](#)

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