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Model: MPG B650 EDGE WIFI

1. OVERVIEW

The MSI MPG B650 Edge WiFi Gaming Motherboard is designed to support AMD Ryzen 7000 Series Desktop Processors and DDR5 memory. It features an enhanced power design with DRPS 14+2+1 VRM power, Core Boost, and Memory Boost for stable performance. A premium thermal solution, including an extended heatsink, MOSFET thermal pads rated for 7W/mK, additional choke thermal pads, and M.2 Shield Frozr, ensures efficient heat dissipation. The motherboard is built with a 6-layer PCB made from 2oz thickened copper and server-grade material for high quality and durability.

2. SETUP

2.1. Component Installation

Ensure all components are handled with care to prevent electrostatic discharge. Install the CPU into the AM5 socket, followed by DDR5 memory modules. For optimal dual-channel performance, install RAM sticks into the second and fourth slots. M.2 SSDs can be installed in the dedicated M.2 slots, which are equipped with M.2 Shield Frozr for thermal management. Connect all necessary power cables from your power supply to the motherboard, including the 24-pin ATX power connector and the 8-pin CPU power connectors.

2.2. Initial Boot and BIOS Access

After assembling all components and connecting peripherals, power on your system. To access the BIOS, repeatedly press the **Delete** key during startup. The BIOS interface allows for configuration of system settings, including memory profiles and overclocking options.

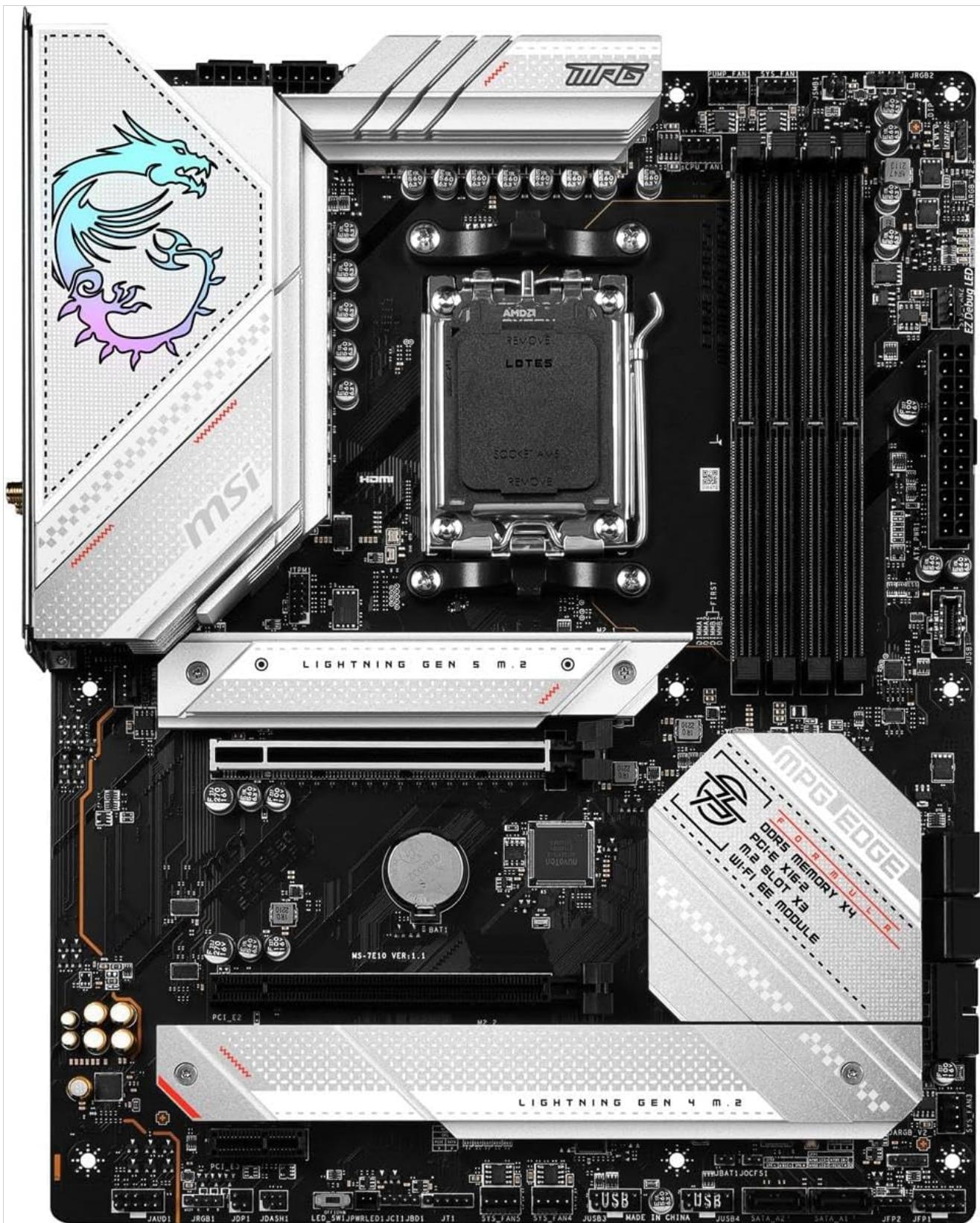


Figure 1: Top-down view of the MSI MPG B650 Edge WiFi Motherboard, showing the AM5 CPU socket, DDR5 RAM slots, and M.2 slots.



Figure 2: Angled view of the MSI MPG B650 Edge WiFi Motherboard, highlighting the heatsinks and overall layout.

3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

3.1. BIOS Settings and Overclocking

The MSI Click BIOS 5 provides an intuitive interface for system configuration. For memory performance, enable the A-XMP profile (AMD EXPO for AMD platforms) to utilize the rated speeds of your DDR5 RAM. For CPU performance, the 'Game Boost' feature can be enabled directly from the BIOS to apply an automatic overclock. These settings are designed for ease of use, allowing performance enhancements with minimal effort.

Video 1: This video provides an overview of the MSI B650 Tomahawk motherboard, including its HDMI, DisplayPort, and USB 3.2 ports. It showcases the physical layout and connectivity options available on the motherboard's rear I/O panel.

Video 2: This video demonstrates the BIOS interface of an MSI B650 motherboard, specifically highlighting the ease of enabling XMP/EXPO profiles for RAM and the 'Game Boost' feature for CPU overclocking. It shows how users can quickly apply performance enhancements with just a few clicks within the BIOS.

4. MAINTENANCE

4.1. BIOS Updates

Regularly updating the BIOS is crucial for system stability, compatibility with new hardware (such as newer generation CPUs), and performance improvements. MSI motherboards often support BIOS flashing without a CPU or RAM installed, utilizing a dedicated 'Flash BIOS' button on the rear I/O panel and a properly formatted USB drive.

Video 3: This video provides a detailed guide on how to update the motherboard BIOS without a CPU or RAM installed. It covers the steps for preparing a USB drive with the BIOS file and using the dedicated Flash BIOS button on the motherboard's rear I/O panel.

5. TROUBLESHOOTING

5.1. RAM Detection Issues

If your system fails to boot or detect RAM, ensure that the memory modules are correctly seated in the recommended slots. For dual-channel configurations, refer to your motherboard manual for the specific slots (often the second and fourth slots) that should be populated first.

5.2. BIOS Update Failures

When performing a BIOS update via USB, ensure the USB drive is formatted to FAT32 and the BIOS file is correctly renamed (e.g., MSI.ROM, all caps) and placed in the root directory of the USB drive. Incorrect formatting or file naming can prevent the motherboard from recognizing the update file. Always download the correct BIOS file specifically for your motherboard model from the official MSI support website.

6. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Specification
Brand	MSI
Model Name	MPG B650 EDGE WIFI
CPU Socket	Socket AM5
Compatible Processors	AMD Ryzen 7000/8000/9000 Series
Chipset Type	AMD B650
RAM Memory Technology	DDR5
Memory Speed	Up to 7800 MHz (OC)
PCIe Support	PCIe 4.0
M.2 Slots	Multiple with M.2 Shield Frozr
SATA Ports	SATA 6Gb/s
USB Ports	USB 3.2 Gen 2, USB 2.0
Video Output	HDMI, DisplayPort
Wireless Connectivity	Wi-Fi 6E, Bluetooth 5.3
Form Factor	ATX

7. PRODUCT MEDIA

7.1. Product Images



Figure 3: Angled view of the MSI MPG B650 Edge WiFi Motherboard, showcasing the heatsinks and overall design.



Figure 4: Close-up view of the rear I/O panel of the MSI MPG B650 Edge WiFi Motherboard, showing various USB ports, HDMI, DisplayPort, LAN, Wi-Fi antenna connectors, and audio jacks.

7.2. Official Product Videos

Video 4: This video provides an overview of the MSI B650 Tomahawk motherboard, including its HDMI, DisplayPort, and USB 3.2 ports. It showcases the physical layout and connectivity options available on the motherboard's rear I/O panel.

Video 5: This video provides a detailed guide on how to update the motherboard BIOS without a CPU or RAM installed. It covers the steps for preparing a USB drive with the BIOS file and using the dedicated Flash BIOS button on the motherboard's rear I/O panel.

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8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and technical support, please visit the official MSI website. You can find detailed FAQs, warranty policies, and contact information for customer service. Registering your product may provide additional benefits and support.