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GIGABYTE Radeon RX 7700 XT Gaming OC 12G Graphics Card User Manual

Model: GV-R77XTGAMING OC-12GD

Introduction

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the installation, operation, and maintenance of your GIGABYTE Radeon RX 7700 XT Gaming OC 12G Graphics Card. Designed for high-performance gaming and streaming, this graphics card leverages AMD RDNA 3 architecture to deliver exceptional visual experiences at 1440p and beyond.



Figure 1: GIGABYTE Radeon RX 7700 XT Gaming OC 12G Graphics Card and retail packaging.

Key Features

- **Powered by Radeon RX 7700 XT:** Experience cutting-edge graphics performance with AMD's latest GPU technology.
- **Integrated with 12GB GDDR6 192-bit memory interface:** Ensures smooth and responsive gaming and content creation.
- **WINDFORCE Cooling System:** Features three unique blade fans, alternate spinning, composite copper heat pipes, and a large copper plate for efficient heat dissipation.
- **RGB Fusion:** Customizable RGB lighting integrated into the card for personalized aesthetics.
- **Protection Metal Backplate:** Provides structural rigidity and protection for the PCB, enhancing durability.

Technical Specifications

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Graphics Coprocessor	AMD Radeon RX 7700 XT
Graphics Card RAM Size	12 GB GDDR6
Memory Interface	192-bit
Memory Speed	18000 MHz
GPU Clock Speed	2599 MHz
Max Screen Resolution	8K UHD
Video Output Interface	DisplayPort, HDMI
Item Weight	1 pounds (approx. 0.45 kg)
Product Dimensions (LxWxH)	11.9 x 4.53 x 0.1 inches (approx. 30.2 x 11.5 x 0.25 cm)

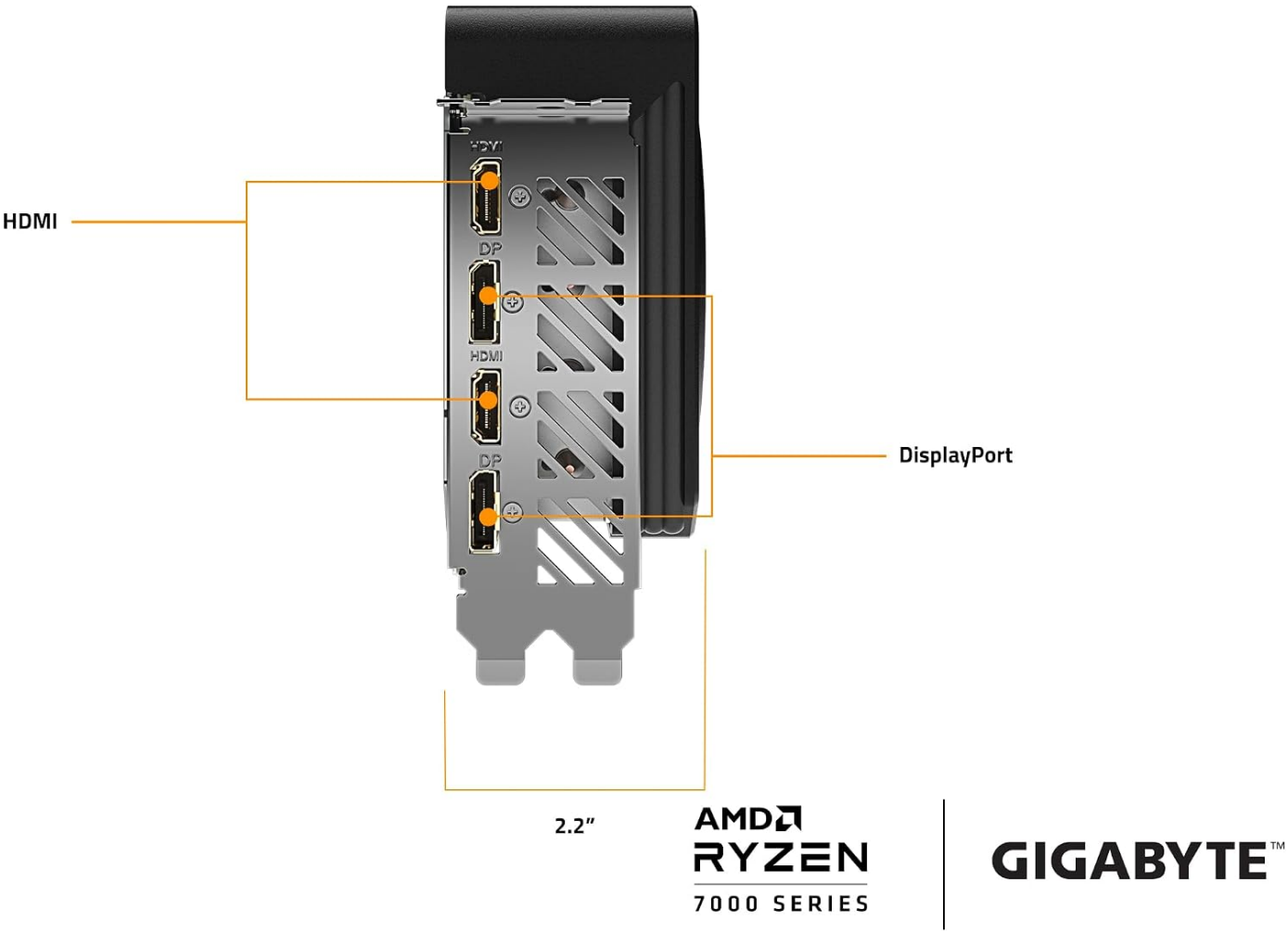


Figure 2: Graphics card dimensions for compatibility checks.



Figure 3: Available video output interfaces on the graphics card.

What's Included

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

- **GRAPHIC CARD:** GIGABYTE Radeon RX 7700 XT Gaming OC 12G Graphics Card
- **USERS MANUAL:** This instruction manual

Setup Guide

System Requirements

- PCI Express-enabled motherboard with one x16 graphics slot.
- Minimum 650W power supply with appropriate PCIe power connectors (two 8-pin connectors recommended).
- Compatible operating system (Windows 10/11 64-bit recommended).
- At least 8GB system memory (16GB recommended for optimal performance).

Installation Steps

1. **Prepare Your System:** Power off your computer completely and unplug all cables from the wall outlet. Open your computer case.
2. **Locate PCIe Slot:** Identify an available PCI Express x16 slot on your motherboard. Remove any expansion slot covers that block the slot where the graphics card will be installed.
3. **Install the Graphics Card:** Carefully align the graphics card with the PCIe slot and press down firmly until it is securely seated. Ensure the retention clip on the motherboard clicks into place.
4. **Secure the Card:** Use screws to secure the graphics card bracket to the computer case.
5. **Connect Power Cables:** Connect the required PCIe power cables from your power supply to the graphics card. This

model typically requires two 8-pin PCIe power connectors. Ensure they are fully seated.

6. **Close Case and Connect Peripherals:** Carefully close your computer case, reconnect all cables (monitor, keyboard, mouse, power), and power on your system.



Figure 4: Top view of the graphics card, highlighting the WINDFORCE cooling system.

Operating Instructions

Driver Installation

After physical installation, the next crucial step is to install the latest graphics drivers. Visit the official GIGABYTE or AMD website to download the most recent drivers for the Radeon RX 7700 XT. Follow the on-screen instructions for a clean installation. Keeping drivers updated ensures optimal performance and compatibility with the latest games and applications.

Software Utilities

GIGABYTE provides utility software such as **RGB Fusion** for customizing the RGB lighting on your card and **AORUS Engine** (or similar GIGABYTE software) for monitoring performance, adjusting clock speeds, and fan curves. It is recommended to install these for optimal control and customization of your graphics card.

Connecting Displays

The GIGABYTE Radeon RX 7700 XT Gaming OC 12G supports multiple display outputs. Connect your monitors using the available DisplayPort and HDMI ports. Ensure your display cables are securely connected to both the graphics card and your monitor for a stable signal.

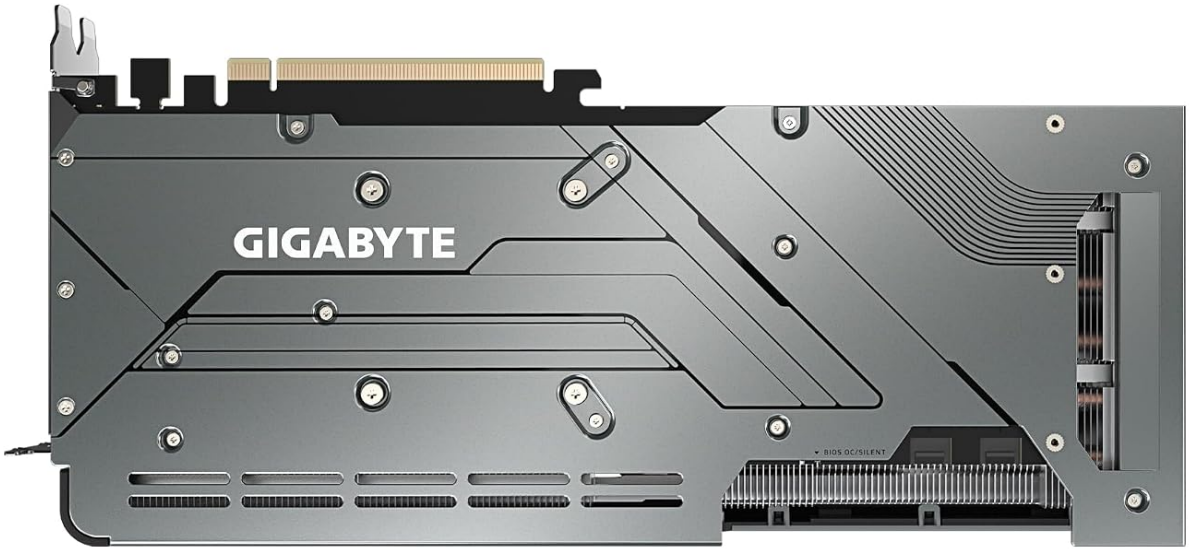


Figure 5: Protective metal backplate for enhanced durability and aesthetics.

Maintenance

Cleaning

- Regularly clean dust from the graphics card fans and heatsink using compressed air. Ensure the system is powered off and unplugged before cleaning to prevent damage.
- Avoid touching the PCB (Printed Circuit Board) directly to prevent electrostatic discharge or physical damage.

Driver Updates

- Keep your graphics drivers updated to ensure optimal performance, stability, and access to the latest features. Check the official GIGABYTE or AMD website periodically for new releases.

Troubleshooting

No Display Output

- Ensure all power cables are securely connected to the graphics card and power supply.
- Verify that the monitor cable is correctly connected to the graphics card and the monitor.
- Try a different display output port on the graphics card or a different cable to rule out faulty connections.
- Ensure the graphics card is fully seated in the PCIe slot on the motherboard.

Performance Issues / Low FPS

- Ensure you have the latest graphics drivers installed. Outdated drivers can significantly impact performance.
- Check your system's cooling. Overheating can lead to performance throttling. Ensure good airflow within your PC case.

- Verify that your power supply meets the minimum wattage requirement for the graphics card and provides stable power.
- Close unnecessary background applications that may be consuming system resources.

Fan Noise

- High fan speeds are normal under heavy load as the card works to maintain optimal temperatures.
- Ensure no cables or obstructions are interfering with the fan blades.
- Clean dust from the fans and heatsink, as accumulated dust can impede airflow and increase noise.
- Adjust fan curves using GIGABYTE's utility software if desired, but ensure temperatures remain within safe operating limits.

Warranty and Support

For detailed warranty information, terms, and conditions, please refer to the official GIGABYTE website or the warranty card included with your product. Keep your proof of purchase (receipt or invoice) as it will be required for any warranty claims.
For technical support, driver downloads, FAQs, and further assistance, please visit the official GIGABYTE support portal:
Official GIGABYTE Support: https://www.gigabyte.com/Support
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Figure 6: GIGABYTE logo with RGB Fusion lighting on the side of the graphics card.

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