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User Guide

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Before using this documentation and the product it supports, ensure that you read and understand the following:

- Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105
- *Safety and Warranty Guide*
- *Setup Guide*

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About this documentation

- Illustrations in this documentation might look different from your product.

- Depending on the model, some optional accessories, features, and software programs might not be available on your computer.

- Depending on the version of operating systems and programs, some user interface instructions might not be applicable to your computer.

- Documentation content is subject to change without notice. Lenovo makes constant improvements on the documentation of your computer, including this *User Guide*. To get the latest documentation, go to: https://pcsupport.lenovo.com

- Microsoft® makes periodic feature changes to the Windows® operating system through Windows Update. As a result, some information in this documentation might become outdated. Refer to Microsoft resources for the latest information.

Chapter 1. Meet your computer

Front

1. Optical drive eject button*	Eject the optical drive tray.
2. Optical drive activity indicator*	This indicator is on when the optical drive is in use.
3. Power button	Press to turn on the computer. To turn off the computer, open the **Start** menu, click ⏻ **Power**, and then select **Shut down**. The indicator in the power button shows the system status of your computer. • **Blinking for three times:** The computer is initially connected to power. • **On:** The computer is on. • **Off:** The computer is off or in hibernation mode. • **Blinking rapidly:** The computer is entering sleep or hibernation mode. • **Blinking slowly:** The computer is in sleep mode.
4. Power indicator	This indicator is on when the computer is turned on.
5. Storage drive activity indicator	This indicator is on when the storage drive is in use.
6. Photoelectric sensor*	This sensor receives the flash light sent by the Lenovo PC Diagnostics application installed in the smartphone. Then, the photoelectric sensor triggers the computer to send the tune of the detected error to the smartphone for users to decode the error.

7. Headset connector	Connect a headset or headphones to your computer.
8. Four-digit diagnostic display	Display a four-digit error code when an issue or error is detected. You can check the error code at https://thinkworkstationsoftware.com/diags.
9. USB 3.2 connector Gen 2 (with charging function)	• Charge USB- compatible devices with the output voltage and current of 5 V and 2.1 A. • Enable you to experience higher data transfer rate when you connect USB-compatible devices, such as a USB keyboard, USB mouse, USB storage device, or USB printer.
10. USB 3.2 connector Gen 2	Enable you to experience higher data transfer rate when you connect USB-compatible devices, such as a USB keyboard, USB mouse, USB storage device, or USB printer.
11. USB-C® (3.2 Gen 2) connector	• Charge USB-C compatible devices with the output voltage and current of 5 V and 3 A. • Transfer data at USB 3.2 speed, up to 10 Gbps.

* for selected models

Rear

1. Microphone connector	Connect a microphone to your computer when you want to record sound or interact with the computer using speech recognition software.
2. Audio line-out connector	Send audio signals from the computer to external devices, such as powered stereo speakers, headphones, or multimedia keyboards. To connect a stereo system or other external recording device, connect a cable between the audio line-in connector of the device and the audio line-out connector of the computer. **Note:** If your computer has both an audio line-out connector and a headset or headphone connector, always use the headset or headphone connector for earphones, headphones, or a headset. The headphone connector does not support headset microphones.
3. Audio line-in connector	Receive audio signals from an external audio device, such as a stereo system. To connect an external audio device, connect a cable between the audio line-out connector of the device and the audio line-in connector of the computer.
4. Serial connector*	Connect an external modem, a serial printer, or other devices that use a serial connector.
5. PS/2 keyboard connector*	Connect a keyboard that uses a Personal System/2 (PS/2) keyboard connector.
6. PS/2 mouse connector*	Connect a mouse, a trackball, or other pointing devices that use a PS/2 mouse connector.
7. USB 2.0 connectors	Connect USB-compatible devices, such as a USB keyboard, USB mouse, USB storage device, or USB printer.
8. USB 3.2 connectors Gen 2	Enable you to experience higher data transfer rate when you connect USB-compatible devices, such as a USB keyboard, USB mouse, USB storage device, or USB printer.

9. Ethernet connector	Connect to a local area network (LAN). When the green indicator is on, the computer is connected to a LAN. When the yellow indicator blinks, data is being transmitted.
10. PCI-Express card area	Install PCI-Express cards into this area to improve the operating performance of the computer. Depending on the computer model, the connectors in this area vary.
11. Power cord connector	Connect the power cord to your computer for power supply.
12. Key-nest slots	Install the key holder that comes with the computer-cover-lock key to the key-nest slots.
13. Security-lock slot	Lock your computer to a desk, table, or other fixtures through a Kensington-style cable lock.

* for selected models

System board

Note: The system board might look slightly different from the illustration.
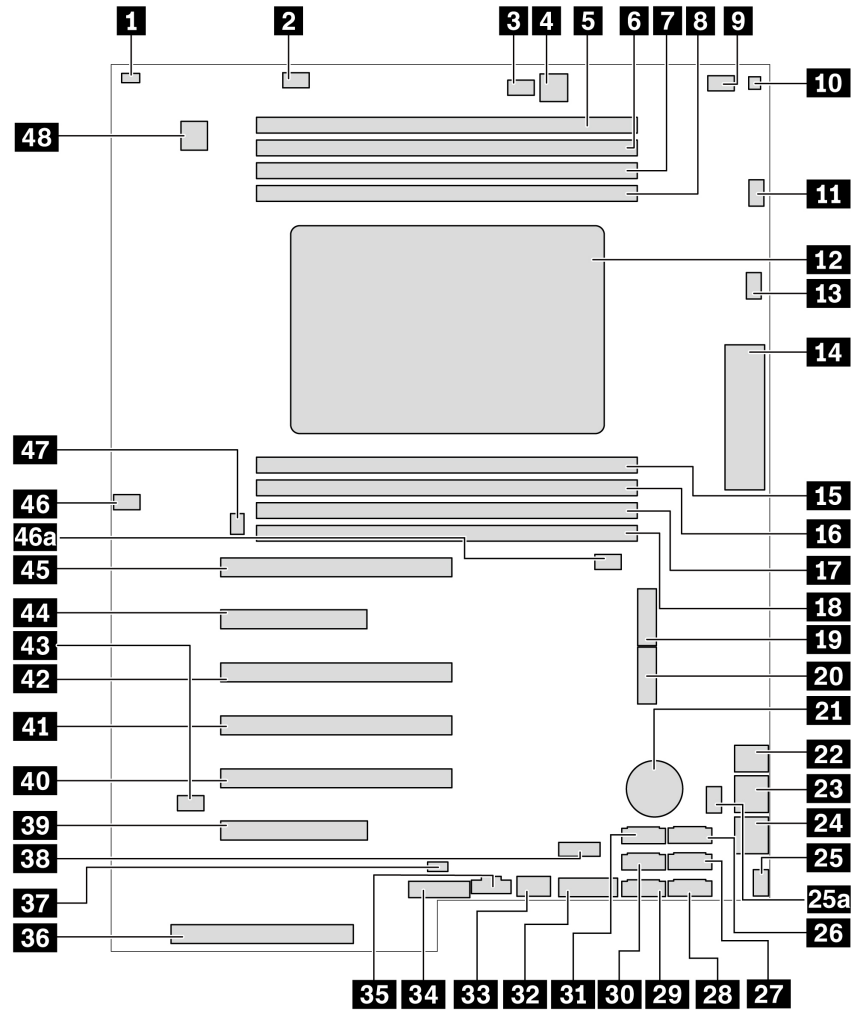
Figure 1. System board part locations

1 Cover presence switch connector (intrusion switch connector)	**2** Memory fan connector 1
3 Optical-drive fan connector 2	**4** 4-pin power connector (for optical drive)
5 Memory slot 1	**6** Memory slot 2
7 Memory slot 3	**8** Memory slot 4
9 Optical-drive fan connector	**10** Thermal-sensor connector
11 Microprocessor fan connector 1	**12** Microprocessor
13 Microprocessor fan connector 2	**14** Front input/output connector
15 Memory slot 5	**16** Memory slot 6
17 Memory slot 7	**18** Memory slot 8
19 M.2 solid-state drive slot 1	**20** M.2 solid-state drive slot 2
21 Coin-cell battery	**22** 4-pin power connector (for storage drive)

23 8-pin power connector (for graphics card)	**24** 8-pin power connector (for graphics card)
25/25a Front-fan-assembly connector	**26** eSATA / SATA 6 connector
27 SATA 4 connector	**28** SATA 2 connector
29 SATA 1 connector	**30** SATA 3 connector
31 SATA 5 connector	**32** Media card reader (MCR) header
33 Internal USB 3.2 Gen 2 connector	**34** Alternative Trusted Platform Module (TPM) header
35 Thunderbolt™ control connector	**36** Power supply connector
37 Internal-storage-drive activity indicator connector	**38** Internal USB 2.0 connector
39 PCIe 4.0 x8 card slot 6	**40** PCIe 4.0 x16 card slot 5
41 PCIe 4.0 x16 card slot 4	**42** PCIe 4.0 x16 card slot 3
43 Clear CMOS / Recovery jumper	**44** PCIe 4.0 x8 card slot 2
45 PCIe 4.0 x 16 card slot 1	**46/46a** Memory fan connector 2
47 Rear-fan-assembly connector	**48** Serial port (COM) connector

Internal storage drives

Internal storage drives are devices that your computer uses to read and store data. You can add drives to your computer to increase storage capacity and enable your computer to read other types of media.
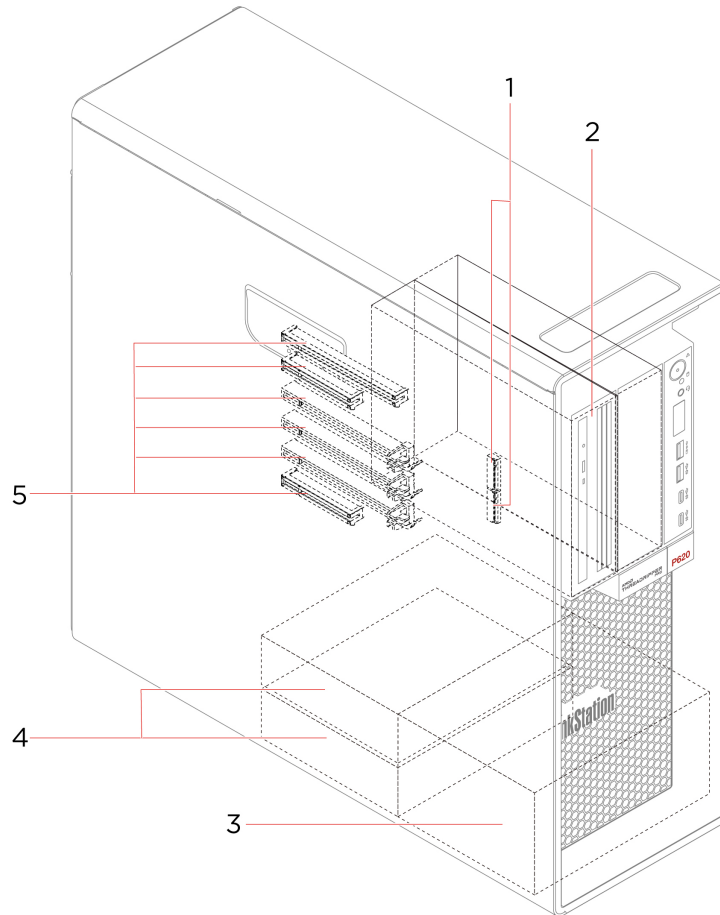
1. M.2 solid-state drive slots	One or two M.2 solid-state drives are installed in selected models.
2. Flex bay	Depending on your computer model, the following devices might be installed in the flex bay: • Flex module Depending on your computer model, the following parts might be installed in the flex module: – 15-in-1 card reader – Slim optical drive • Front-access storage enclosure • Multi-drive conversion kit Depending on your computer model, the following parts might be installed in the multi-drive conversion kit: – Internal storage drive – Slim optical drive • Slim-optical-drive adapter

3. Storage drive bays*	You can install hard disk drives in the storage drive bays. **Note:** If you want to install storage drives into the optional-storage-drive bays, contact the Lenovo Customer Support Center for help.
4. Storage drive bays	You can install hard disk drives in the storage drive bays.
5. PCIe slots	You can install compatible PCIe cards and PCIe solid-state drives in the PCIe card slots.

* for selected models

Features and specifications

Dimensions	- Width: 165 mm (6.5 inches) - Height: 446 mm (17.6 inches) - Depth: 455 mm (17.9 inches)
Weight (without the packaging)	Maximum configuration as shipped: 24 kg (52.91 lb)
Hardware configuration	1. Right-click the **Start** button to open the Start context menu. 2. Click **Device Manager**. Type the administrator password or provide confirmation if prompted.
Power supply	1000-watt automatic voltage-sensing power supply
Electrical input	- Input voltage: From 100 V ac to 240 V ac - Input frequency: 50/60 Hz
Microprocessor	To view the microprocessor information of your computer, right-click the **Start** button and then click **System**.
Memory	Up to eight double data rate 4 (DDR4) error correction code (ECC) registered dual inline memory modules (RDIMMs)
Storage device	- Hard disk drive - M.2 solid-state drive* - Slim optical drive* 15-in-1 media card* To view the storage drive capacity of your computer, right-click the **Start** button to open the Start context menu and then click **Disk Management**. **Note:** The storage drive capacity indicated by the system is less than the nominal capacity.
Video features	- PCIe x16 card slots on the system board for a discrete graphics card - Video connectors on a discrete graphics card: – DVI connector – DisplayPort connector – Mini DisplayPort connector
Audio features	The integrated audio card supports the following: - Audio line-in connector - Audio line-out connector - Headset connector - Internal speaker - Microphone connector

Expansion	• Flex bay
	• Storage drive bays
	• M.2 solid-state drive slots
	• Memory slots
	• PCI Express slots
Network features	• Bluetooth*
	• Ethernet LAN
	• Wireless LAN*

* for selected models

Statement on USB transfer rate

Depending on many factors such as the processing capability of the host and peripheral devices, file attributes, and other factors related to system configuration and operating environments, the actual transfer rate using the various USB connectors on this device will vary and will be slower than the data rate listed below for each corresponding device.

USB device	Data rate (Gbit/s)
3.2 Gen 1 / 3.1 Gen 1	5
3.2 Gen 2 / 3.1 Gen 2	10
3.2 Gen 2 × 2	20
Thunderbolt 3	40
Thunderbolt 4	40

Chapter 2. Get started with your computer

Get started with Windows 10

Learn the basics of Windows 10 and start working with it right away. For more information about Windows 10, see the Windows help information.

Windows account

A user account is required to use the Windows operating system. It can either be a Windows user account or a Microsoft account.

Windows user account

When you start Windows for the first time, you are prompted to create a Windows user account. This first account you created is of the "Administrator" type. With an Administrator account, you can create additional user accounts or change account types by doing the following:

1. Open the **Start** menu and select **Settings ➙ Accounts ➙ Family & other users**.

2. Follow the on-screen instructions.

Microsoft account

You can also log in to the Windows operating system with a Microsoft account.

To create a Microsoft account, go to the Microsoft sign-up page at https://signup.live.com and follow the on-screen instructions.

With a Microsoft account, you can:

- Enjoy one-time signing in if you are using other Microsoft services, such as OneDrive, Skype, and Outlook. com.

- Sync personalized settings across other Windows-based devices.

Windows user interface

1. **Account** 🔒	Change account settings, lock the computer, or sign out from the current account.
2. **Documents** 🗋	Open the **Documents** folder, a default folder to save your received files.
3. **Pictures** 🖼	Open the **Pictures** folder, a default folder to save your received pictures.
4. **Settings** ⚙	Launch Settings.
5. **Power** ⏻	Shut down, restart, or put the computer into sleep mode.
6. **Start button** ⊞	Open the **Start** menu.
7. **Windows Search** 🔍	Type what you are looking for in the search box and get search results from your computer and the Web.
8. **Task View** 🗗	Display all opened apps and switch among them.
9. **Windows notification area**	Display notifications and status of some features.
10. **Battery status icon**	Display power status and change battery or power settings. When your computer is not connected to ac power, the icon changes to 🔋.
11. **Network icon**	Connect to an available wireless network and display the network status. When connected to a wired network, the icon changes to 🖧.
12. **Action center** 💬	Display the latest notifications from apps and provide quick access to some features.

Open the Start menu

- Click the **Start** button.
- Press the Windows logo key on the keyboard.

Open the Start context menu

Right-click the **Start** button.

Access Control Panel

- Open the **Start** menu and click **Windows System ➙ Control Panel**.
- Use Windows Search.

Launch an app

- Open the **Start** menu and select the app you want to launch.
- Use Windows Search.

Connect to networks

Your computer helps you connect to the world through a wired or wireless network.

Connect to the wired Ethernet

Connect your computer to a local network through the Ethernet connector on your computer with an Ethernet cable.

Connect to Wi-Fi networks (for selected models)

If your computer includes a wireless LAN module, you can connect your computer to Wi-Fi® networks. The wireless LAN module on your computer may support different standards. For some countries or regions, use of 802.11ax may be disabled according to local regulations.

1. Click the network icon in the Windows notification area. A list of available wireless networks is displayed.
2. Select a network available for connection. Provide required information, if needed.

Use the Vantage app

The preinstalled Vantage app is a customized one-stop solution to help you maintain your computer with automated updates and fixes, configure hardware settings, and get personalized support.

To access the Vantage app, type `Vantage` in the search box.

Key features

The Vantage app enables you to:

- Know the device status easily and customize device settings.
- Download and install UEFI BIOS, firmware and driver updates to keep your computer up-to-date.
- Monitor your computer health, and secure your computer against outside threats.
- Scan your computer hardware and diagnose hardware problems.
- Look up warranty status (online).
- Access *User Guide* and helpful articles.

Notes:

- The available features vary depending on the computer model.
- The Vantage app makes periodic updates of the features to keep improving your experience with your computer. The description of features might be different from that on your actual user interface.

Use multimedia

Use your computer for business or entertainment with the devices (such as a camera, a monitor, or speakers).

Use audio

To enhance the audio experience, connect speakers, headphones, or a headset to the audio connector.

Adjust the volume

1. Click the volume icon in the Windows notification area on the taskbar.
2. Follow the on-screen instructions to adjust the volume. Click the speaker icon to mute the audio.

Change the sound settings

1. Go to **Control Panel** and view by category.
2. Click **Hardware and Sound ➙ Sound**.
3. Change the settings as you prefer.

Connect to an external display

Connect to a wired display

Connect your computer to a projector or a monitor through the video connectors on a discrete graphics card installed in your computer to give presentations or expand your workspace.

If your computer cannot detect the external display, right-click an empty area of the desktop, and then click **Display settings ➙ Detect**.

Connect to a wireless display

To use a wireless display, ensure that both your computer and the external display support the Miracast® feature.

- Open the **Start** menu, and then click **Settings ➙ Devices ➙ Bluetooth & other devices ➙ Add Bluetooth or other device**. In the Add a device window, click **Wireless display or dock**. Then, follow the instructions on the screen.
- Click the action center icon 🖵 in the Windows notification area and click **Connect**. Select the wireless display and follow the on-screen instructions.

Set the display mode

Right-click a blank area on the desktop and select **Display settings**. Then, select a display mode of your preference from the **Multiple displays** menu.

- **Duplicate these displays**: Display the same video output on both your computer screen and an external display.
- **Extend these displays**: Extend the video output from your computer display to an external display. You can drag and move items between the two displays.
- **Show only on 1**: Display the video output only on your computer screen.
- **Show only on 2**: Display the video output only on an external display.

If you show programs using DirectDraw or Direct3D® in full-screen mode, only the main display shows the video output.

Change display settings

1. Right-click a blank area on the desktop and select **Display settings**.
2. Select the display that you want to configure.
3. Change display settings of your preference.

You can change the settings for both the computer display and the external display. For example, you can define which one is the main display and which one is the secondary display. You also can change the resolution and orientation.

Note: If you set a higher resolution for the computer display than the external display, only part of the screen can be displayed on the external display.

Chapter 3. Explore your computer

Manage power

Use the information in this section to achieve the best balance between performance and power efficiency.

Set power button behaviors

You can define what the power button does according to your preference. For example, by pressing the power button, you can turn off the computer or put the computer to sleep or hibernation mode.

To change what the power button does:

1. Go to **Control Panel** and view by large icons or small icons.
2. Click **Power Options** ➙ **Choose what the power buttons do**.
3. Change the settings as you prefer.

Set the power plan

For ENERGY STAR® compliant computers, the following power plan takes effect when your computers have been idle for a specified duration:

Table 1. Default power plan (when plugged into ac power)

- Turn off the display: After 10 minutes
- Put the computer to sleep: After 25 minutes

To awaken the computer from Sleep mode, press any key on your keyboard.

To reset the power plan to achieve the best balance between performance and power saving:

1. Go to **Control Panel** and view by large icons or small icons.
2. Click **Power Options**, and then choose or customize a power plan of your preference.

Transfer data

Quickly share your files using the built-in Bluetooth technology among devices with the same features. You also can install a disc or media card to transfer data.

Connect to a Bluetooth-enabled device (for selected models)

You can connect all types of Bluetooth-enabled devices to your computer, such as a keyboard, a mouse, a smartphone, or speakers. Place the device that you are attempting to connect to less than 10 meters (33 feet) from the computer.

1. Turn on Bluetooth on the computer.
   a. Open the **Start** menu, and then click **Settings** ➙ **Devices** ➙ **Bluetooth & other devices**.
   b. Turn on the **Bluetooth** switch.
2. Click **Add Bluetooth or other device** ➙ **Bluetooth**.
3. Select a Bluetooth device, and then follow the on-screen instructions.

Your Bluetooth device and computer will automatically connect the next time if the two devices are in range of each other with Bluetooth turned on. You can use Bluetooth for data transfer or remote control and communication.

Use the optical drive (for selected models)

If your computer has an optical drive, read the following information.

Know the type of your optical drive

1. Right-click the **Start** button to open the **Start** context menu.
2. Click **Device Manager**. Type the administrator password or provide confirmation, if prompted.

Install or remove a disc

1. With the computer on, press the eject/close button on the optical drive. The tray slides out of the drive.
2. Insert a disc into the tray or remove a disc from the tray, and then press the eject/close button again to close the tray.

Note: If the tray does not slide out of the drive when you press the eject/close button, turn off the computer. Then, insert a straightened paper clip into the emergency-eject hole adjacent to the eject/close button. Use the emergency eject only in an emergency.

Record a disc

1. Insert a recordable disc into the optical drive that supports recording.
2. Do one of the following:
   - Open the **Start** menu, and then click **Settings ➙ Devices ➙ AutoPlay**. Select or turn on **Use AutoPlay for all media and devices**.
   - Open Windows Media Player.
   - Double-click the ISO file.
3. Follow the on-screen instructions.

Use a media card (for selected models)

If your computer has a SD-card slot, read the following information.

Install a media card

1. Locate the SD-card slot.
2. Ensure that the metal contacts on the card are facing the ones in the SD-card slot. Insert the card firmly into the SD-card slot until it is secured in place.

Remove a media card

Attention: Before removing a media card, eject the card from the Windows operating system first. Otherwise, data on the card might get corrupted or lost.

1. Click the triangular icon in the Windows notification area to show hidden icons. Then, right-click the **Safely Remove Hardware and Eject Media** icon.
2. Select the corresponding item to eject the card from the Windows operating system.
3. Press the card and remove it from your computer. Store the card safely for future use.

Purchase accessories

Lenovo has a number of hardware accessories and upgrades to help expand the capabilities of your computer. Options include memory modules, storage devices, network cards, power adapters, keyboards, mice, and more.

To shop at Lenovo, go to https://www.lenovo.com/accessories.

Chapter 4. Secure your computer and information

Lock the computer

Note: You are responsible for evaluating, selecting, and implementing the locking device and security feature. Lenovo makes no comments, judgments, or warranties about the function, quality, or performance of the locking device and security feature. You can purchase computer locks from Lenovo.

Key lock

Locking the computer cover through a key lock prevents unauthorized access to the inside of your computer. The keys for the key lock are attached to the rear of the machine. For security, store the keys in a secure place when you are not using them.
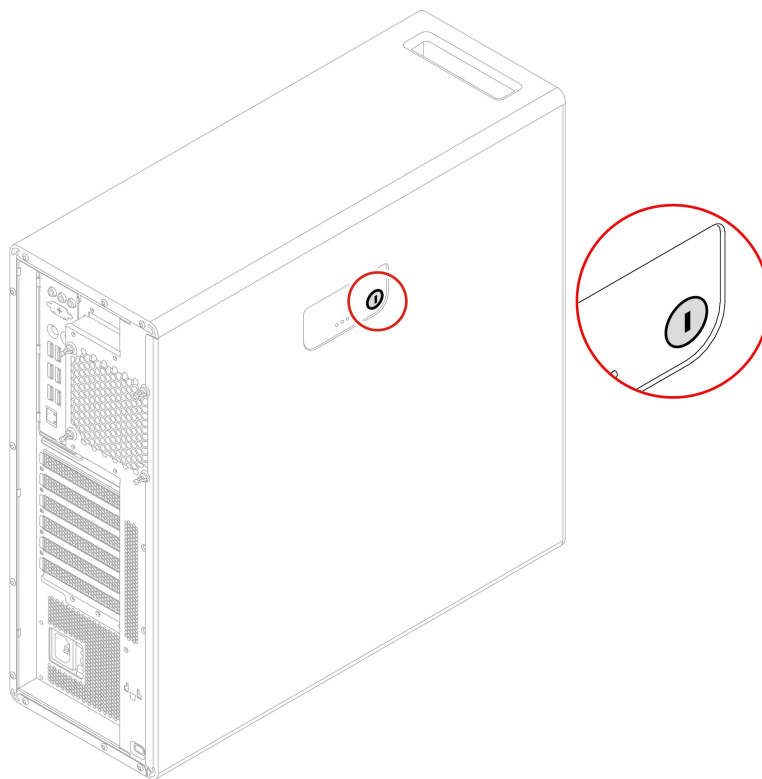
Kensington-style cable lock

Lock your computer to a desk, table, or other fixtures through a Kensington-style cable lock.
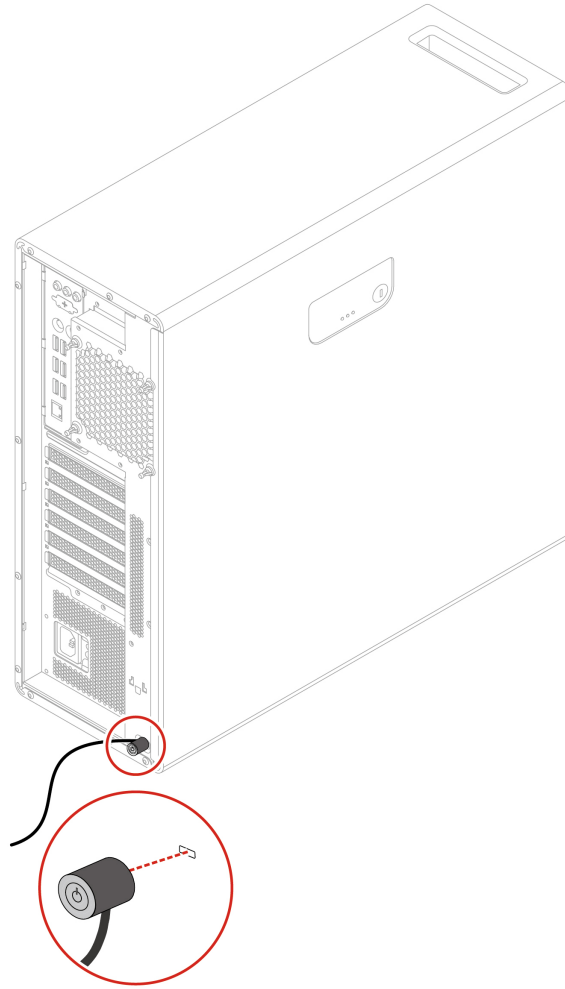
Use passwords

Password types

You can set the following passwords in UEFI (Unified Extensible Firmware Interface) BIOS (Basic Input/Output System) to prevent unauthorized access to your computer. However, you are not prompted to enter any UEFI BIOS password when your computer resumes from sleep mode.

- Power-on password

  When a power-on password is set, you are prompted to enter a valid password each time the computer is turned on. The computer cannot be used until the valid password is entered.

- Supervisor password

  Setting a supervisor password deters unauthorized users from changing configuration settings. If you are responsible for maintaining the configuration settings of several computers, you might want to set a supervisor password.

  When a supervisor password is set, you are prompted to enter a valid password each time you try to enter the BIOS menu.

  If both the power-on password and supervisor password are set, you can enter either password. However, you must use your supervisor password to change any configuration settings.

- Hard disk password

Setting a hard disk password prevents unauthorized access to the data on the storage drive. When a hard disk password is set, you are prompted to enter a valid password each time you try to access the storage drive.

Note: After you set a hard disk password, your data on the storage drive is protected even if the storage drive is removed from one computer and installed in another.

- System management password (for selected models)

  You can enable the system management password to have the same authority as the supervisor password to control security related features. To customize the authority of the system management password through the UEFI BIOS menu:

  1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
  2. Select **Security ➙ System Management Password Access Control**.
  3. Follow the on-screen instructions.

  If you have set both the supervisor password and the system management password, the supervisor password overrides the system management password.

Set, change, and remove a password

Before you start, print these instructions.

1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
2. Select **Security**.
3. Depending on the password type, select **Set Supervisor Password**, **Set Power-On Password**, **Set System Management Password**, or **Hard Disk Password** and press Enter.
4. Follow the on-screen instructions to set, change, or remove a password.
5. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.

You should record your passwords and store them in a safe place. If you forget the passwords, contact a Lenovo-authorized service provider to have the passwords removed.

Note: If the hard disk password is forgotten, Lenovo cannot remove the password or recover data from the storage drive.

Use software security solutions

This section provides software solutions to secure your computer and information.

Use Windows firewalls

A firewall can be hardware, software, or a combination of both depending on the level of security required. Firewalls work on a set of rules to determine which inbound and outbound connections are authorized. If the computer is preinstalled with a firewall program, it helps protect against computer Internet security threats, unauthorized access, intrusions, and Internet attacks. It also protects your privacy. For more information about how to use the firewall program, refer to the help system of your firewall program.

To use Windows firewalls:

1. Go to **Control Panel** and view by large icons or small icons.
2. Click **Windows Defender Firewall**, and then follow the on-screen instructions.

Use Computrace Agent software embedded in firmware (for selected models)

The Computrace Agent software is an IT asset management and computer theft recovery solution. The software detects if changes have been made on the computer, such as hardware, software, or the computer call-in location. You might have to purchase a subscription to activate the Computrace Agent software.

Use BIOS security solutions

This section provides BIOS solutions to secure your computer and information.

Erase all storage drive data

It is recommended that you erase all storage drive data before recycling a storage drive or the computer.

To erase all storage drive data:

1. Set a hard disk password for the storage drive you will recycle. See "Use passwords" on page 22.
2. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
3. Select **Security ➙ Hard Disk Password ➙ Security Erase HDD Data** and press Enter.
4. Select the storage drive you will recycle and press Enter.
5. A message is displayed, prompting you to confirm the operation. Select **Yes** and press Enter. The erasing process begins.

   Note: During the erasing process, the power button and the keyboard are disabled.
6. After the erasing process is completed, a message is displayed, prompting you to reset the system. Select **Continue**.

   Note: Depending on the storage drive capacity, the erasing process will take half an hour to three hours.
7. After the resetting process is completed, one of the following will happen:
   - If the data on the system storage drive is erased, you will be prompted that no operating system is available.
   - If the data on the non-system storage drive is erased, the computer restarts automatically.

Use the cover presence switch

The cover presence switch prevents the computer from logging in to the operating system when the computer cover is not properly installed or closed.

To enable the cover presence switch connector on the system board:

1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
2. Select **Security ➙ Cover Tamper Detected** and press Enter.
3. Select **Enabled** and press Enter.
4. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.

If the cover presence switch is enabled and the computer cover is not correctly installed or closed, an error message will be displayed when you turn on the computer. To bypass the error message and log in to the operating system:

1. Properly install or close the computer cover.
2. Enter the BIOS menu, save and then exit.

Use Smart USB Protection

The Smart USB Protection function is a security function that helps prevent data from being copied from the computer to USB storage devices connected to the computer. You can set the Smart USB Protection function to one of the following modes:

- **Disabled** (default setting): You can use the USB storage devices without limitation.
- **Read Only**: You cannot copy data from the computer to the USB storage devices. However, you can access or modify data on the USB storage devices.
- **No Access**: You cannot access the USB storage devices from the computer.

To configure the Smart USB Protection function:

1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
2. Select **Security ➙ Smart USB Protection** and press Enter.
3. Select the desired setting and press Enter.
4. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.

Chapter 5. UEFI BIOS

This chapter provides information about configuring and updating UEFI BIOS, and clearing CMOS.

What is UEFI BIOS

Note: The operating system settings might override any similar settings in UEFI BIOS.

UEFI BIOS is the first program that the computer runs when the computer is turned on. UEFI BIOS initializes the hardware components and loads the operating system and other programs. Your computer comes with a setup program with which you can change UEFI BIOS settings.

Enter the BIOS menu

Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1 to enter the BIOS menu.

Note: If you have set BIOS passwords, enter the correct passwords when prompted. You also can select **No** or press Esc to skip the password prompt and enter the BIOS menu. However, you cannot change the system configurations that are protected by passwords.

Navigate in the BIOS interface

Attention: The default configurations are already optimized for you in **boldface**. Improper change of the configurations might cause unexpected results.

Depending on your keyboard, you can navigate in the BIOS interface by pressing the following keys, or combinations of Fn and the following keys:

F1 or Fn+F1	Display the General Help screen.
Esc or Fn+Esc	Exit the submenu and return to the parent menu.
↑↓ or Fn+↑↓	Locate an item.
←→ or Fn+←→	Select a tab.
+/− or Fn++/−	Change to a higher or lower value.
Enter	Enter the selected tab or submenu.
F9 or Fn+F9	Restore to the default settings.
F10 or Fn+F10	Save your configuration and exit.

Change the display language of UEFI BIOS

UEFI BIOS supports three or four display languages: English, French, simplified Chinese, and Russian (for selected models).

To change the display language of UEFI BIOS:
1. Select **Main ➙ Language** and press Enter.
2. Set the display language as desired.

Change the display mode of UEFI BIOS

You can use UEFI BIOS in the graphic mode or the text mode according to your needs.

To change the display mode of UEFI BIOS:

1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
2. Select **Main ➙ Setup Mode Select** and press Enter.
3. Set the display mode as desired.

Set the system date and time

1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
2. Select **Main ➙ System Time & Date** and press Enter.
3. Set the system date and time as desired.
4. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.

Change the startup sequence

If the computer does not start up from a device as expected, you can change the startup device sequence permanently or select a temporary startup device.

Change the startup device sequence permanently

1. Depending on the type of the storage device, do one of the following:
   - If the storage device is internal, go to step 2.
   - If the storage device is a disc, ensure that the computer is on or turn on the computer. Then, insert the disc into the optical drive.
   - If the storage device is an external device other than a disc, connect the storage device to the computer.
2. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
3. Select **Startup**, and then follow the on-screen instructions to change the startup sequence.
4. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.

Select a temporary startup device

Note: Not all discs and storage drives are bootable.

1. Depending on the type of the storage device, do one of the following:
   - If the storage device is internal, go to step 2.
   - If the storage device is a disc, ensure that the computer is on or turn on the computer. Then, insert the disc into the optical drive.
   - If the storage device is an external device other than a disc, connect the storage device to the computer.
2. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F12 or Fn+F12.
3. Select the storage device as desired and press Enter.

If you want to change the startup device sequence permanently, select **Enter Setup** on Startup Device Menu and press Enter to enter the BIOS menu.

Enable or disable the configuration change detection feature

If you enable configuration change detection, when the POST detects configuration changes of some hardware devices (such as storage drives or memory modules), an error message will be displayed when you turn on the computer.

To enable or disable the configuration change detection feature:

1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
2. Select **Security** ➙ **Configuration Change Detection** and press Enter.
3. Enable or disable the feature as desired.
4. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.

To bypass the error message and log in to the operating system, press F2 or Fn+F2. To clear the error message, enter the BIOS menu, save and then exit.

Enable or disable the automatic power-on feature

The Automatic Power On item in UEFI BIOS provides various options for you to make your computer start up automatically.

To enable or disable the automatic power-on feature:

1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
2. Select **Power** ➙ **Automatic Power On** and press Enter.
3. Select the feature as desired and press Enter.
4. Enable or disable the feature as desired.
5. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.

Enable or disable the ErP LPS compliance mode

Lenovo computers meet the eco-design requirements of the ErP Lot 3 regulation. For more information, go to:
https://www.lenovo.com/us/en/compliance/eco-declaration

You can enable the ErP LPS compliance mode to reduce the consumption of electricity when the computer is off or in sleep mode. When the ErP LPS compliance mode is enabled, you can wake up the computer by pressing the power button.

To enable or disable the ErP LPS compliance mode:

1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
2. Select **Power** ➙ **Enhanced Power Saving Mode** and press Enter.
3. Depending on whether you select **Enabled** or **Disabled**, do one of the following:
   - If you select **Enabled**, press Enter. Then, select **Power** ➙ **Automatic Power On** and press Enter. Check whether the Wake on LAN feature is disabled automatically. If no, disable it.
   - If you select **Disabled**, press Enter. Then, go to the next step.
4. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.

To meet the off mode requirement of ErP compliance, you need to disable the Fast Startup function.

1. Go to **Control Panel** and view by large icons or small icons.

2. Click **Power Options** ➙ **Choose what the power buttons do** ➙ **Change settings that are currently unavailable**.

3. Clear the **Turn on fast startup (recommended)** option from the **Shutdown settings** list.

Change the fan speed level

You can change the fan speed level, from level 1 to level 7, to adjust the thermal performance of your computer. A higher fan speed level indicates better thermal performance with more noise.

To change the fan speed level:

1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.

2. Select **Power** ➙ **Fan Control Stepping** and press Enter.

3. Set the fan speed level as desired.

4. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.

CPU locking when PSB is enabled

Platform Secure Boot is an AMD technology to enhance platform security. With this feature enabled in the UEFI BIOS, after you replace the failing CPU with a new one and start the system, you will be prompted that the new CPU will be locked and only work with the current computer model. You can select the option of your preference.

Change BIOS settings before installing a new operating system

BIOS settings vary by operating system. Change the BIOS settings before installing a new operating system.

Microsoft constantly makes updates to the Windows 10 operating system. Before installing a particular Windows 10 version, check the compatibility list for the Windows version. For details, go to: https://support.lenovo.com/us/en/solutions/windows-support

To change the BIOS settings:

1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.

2. From the main interface, select **Security** ➙ **Secure Boot** and press Enter.

3. Depending on the operating system to be installed, do one of the following:

   - To install the Windows 10 (64-bit) operating system, select **Enabled** for **Secure Boot**.

   - To install an operating system that does not support secure boot, such as some Linux operating systems, select **Disabled** for **Secure Boot**.

4. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.

Update UEFI BIOS

When you install a new program, device driver, or hardware component, you might need to update UEFI BIOS. You can update the BIOS from your operating system or a flash update disc (supported only on selected models).

Download and install the latest UEFI BIOS update package by one of the following methods:

- From the Vantage app:

  Open the Vantage app to check the available update packages. If the latest UEFI BIOS update package is available, follow the on-screen instructions to download and install the package.

- From the Lenovo Support Web site:

  1. Go to https://pcsupport.lenovo.com.

  2. Download the flash BIOS update driver for the operating system version or the ISO image version (used to create a flash update disc). Then, download the installation instructions for the flash BIOS update driver you have downloaded.

  3. Print the installation instructions and follow the instructions to update the BIOS.

UEFI BIOS self-healing recovery

When you update the UEFI BIOS, you might encounter a power failure or other critical operations that cause the boot to crash. In this case, the UEFI BIOS self-healing recovery function is launched automatically to help UEFI BIOS recover to boot, and help you save settings as much as possible. User input will be blocked and no user operation is needed during the self-healing recovery process. Do not turn off your computer. System will enter setup and display the progress when the primary image is recovered.

During the self-healing recovery process, the four-digit diagnostic display will indicate that self-healing recovery is in progress and show the percentage of the progress alternatively. The whole process might take you about 15 minutes.

If the self-healing recovery fails, the system will hang. You can contact a Lenovo-authorized service provider to have the computer serviced.

Recover from a BIOS update failure

1. Remove all media from the drives and turn off all connected devices.

2. Insert the BIOS update disc into the optical drive, and then turn off the computer.

3. Disconnect all power cords from electrical outlets. Then, remove any parts that impede access to the Clear CMOS/Recovery jumper.

4. Move the jumper from the standard position to the maintenance position.

5. Reconnect the power cords for the computer and the monitor to electrical outlets.

6. Turn on the computer and the monitor. When the computer beeps, the recovery process begins.

7. After the recovery process is completed, the computer will be turned off automatically.

   Note: Depending on the computer model, the recovery process will take two to three minutes.

8. Disconnect all power cords from electrical outlets.

9. Move the jumper back to the standard position.

10. Reinstall all the parts that have been removed. Then, reconnect the power cords for the computer and the monitor to electrical outlets.

11. Turn on the computer and the monitor. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.

12. To prevent data loss, ensure that BIOS settings are restored to an earlier point. For BIOS configurations, see Chapter 5 "UEFI BIOS" on page 27.

Clear CMOS

1. Remove all media from the drives and turn off all connected devices and the computer.

2. Disconnect all power cords from electrical outlets. Then, remove any parts that impede access to the Clear CMOS/Recovery jumper.

3. Move the jumper from the standard position to the maintenance position.

4. Reconnect the power cords for the computer and the monitor to electrical outlets.

5. Turn on the computer and the monitor. When the computer beeps, wait for approximately 10 seconds.

6. Turn off the computer by holding the power button for approximately four seconds.

7. Disconnect all power cords from electrical outlets.

8. Move the jumper back to the standard position.

9. Reinstall all the parts that have been removed. Then, reconnect the power cords for the computer and the monitor to electrical outlets.

10. Turn on the computer and the monitor. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.

11. To prevent data loss, ensure that BIOS settings are restored to an earlier point. For BIOS configurations, see Chapter 5 "UEFI BIOS" on page 27.

Chapter 6. RAID

What is RAID

Redundant Array of Independent Disks (RAID) is a technology that provides increased storage functions and reliability through redundancy. It also can improve data storage reliability and fault tolerance compared with single-drive storage systems. Data loss resulting from a drive failure can be prevented by reconstructing missing data from the remaining drives.

When a group of independent physical storage drives is set up to use RAID technology, they are in a RAID array. This array distributes data across multiple storage drives, but the array appears to the host computer as one single storage unit. Creating and using RAID arrays provides high performance, such as the expedited I/O performance, because several drives can be accessed simultaneously.

Select RAID mode

You can select the SATA RAID mode or NVMe RAID mode to configure RAID with RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility.

1. Do one of the following to select the SATA RAID mode or NVMe RAID mode:
   - SATA RAID mode:
     a. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
     b. Select **Devices** ➙ **ATA Drive Setup** ➙ **Configure SATA as (AHCI/RAID)**.
     c. Select **RAID**.
   - NVMe RAID mode:
     a. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
     b. Select **Devices** ➙ **NVMe Setup** ➙ **NVMe RAID Mode (Enabled/Disabled)**.
     c. Select **Enabled**.
2. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.
3. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
4. Select **Devices** ➙ **RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility** to select drives and configure RAID.

RAID Levels

CAUTION:

- **Only one redundant RAID array is supported by AMD-RAID. RAID1, RAID5, and RAID10 are all redundant arrays.**

- **The AMD-RAID does not support more than eight arrays, including Non-RAID array.**

- **Multiple operating systems are not supported on AMD-RAID Array. If the system is booted from an AMD-RAID bootable array, the first array in the Arrays section must be the bootable array. The system boots only from the first array in the Arrays section. Refer to "Configure RAID with RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility" on page 34 to find the first array by viewing array details and checking the array number.**

Your computer supports the following RAID levels:

- RAID 0: striped disk array

- Provide the highest performance but no data redundancy. Data in the array is striped (distributed) across several disks.
- Support 2-8 disks.
- RAID 0 arrays are useful for holding information, such as the operating system paging file, where performance is extremely important but redundancy is not.

- RAID 1: mirrored disk array

  - Mirror data on a partition of one disk to another.
  - Support 2 disks.
  - RAID 1 arrays are useful when there are only two disks available and data integrity is more important than storage capacity.

- RAID 5: block-level striped disk array with distributed parity

  - Stripe data as well as parity, across all disks in the array.
  - Support 3-8 disks.
  - Offer exceptional read performance and redundancy.

- RAID 10: striped and mirrored disk array (a combination of RAID 0 and RAID 1)

  - Combine mirrors and stripe sets. RAID 10 allows multiple disk failures, up to 1 failure in each mirror that has been striped.
  - Support 4, 6, or 8 disks.
  - Offer better performance than a simple mirror because of the extra disks. Require twice the disk space of RAID 1 to offer redundancy.

- Volume (JBOD):

  - RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility treats one or more disks or the unused space on a disk as a single array.
  - Support 1-8 disks.
  - Provide the ability to link-together storage from one or several disks, regardless of the size of the space on those disks. It is useful in scavenging space on disks unused by other disks in the array. It does not provide performance benefits or data redundancy. Disk failure will result in data loss.

- RAIDABLE (also known as RAID Ready):

  - Allow a RAIDABLE disk to be transformed later to RAID 0 or RAID 1.
  - Support 1 disk.

Configure RAID with RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility

If your computer comes with the RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility , you can follow the sections below to configure RAID.

Initialize disks

New disks and legacy disks must be initialized before they can be used to create an AMD-RAID array. Initialization writes AMD-RAID configuration information (metadata) to a disk.

CAUTION:

- **If a disk is part of an AMD-RAID array, the disk cannot be selected for initialization. To initialize the disk anyway, delete the AMD-RAID array. Data on the disk is deleted during initialization so ensure the correct disks are chosen to initialize.**
- **A legacy disk can contain valid data. When a legacy array is deleted, all data on the disk is lost.**

1. Enter the **RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility** menu. Then, use the arrow keys to select **Physical Disk Management** and press Enter.
2. Use the arrow keys to select **Select Physical Disk Operations** and press Enter.
3. Use the arrow keys to select **Initialize Disk** and press Enter.
4. Select the disk(s) to initialize:
   a. Use the arrow keys to select a disk and press the Space Bar or Enter. Multiple disks can be selected using this method.
   b. Use the arrow keys to select **OK** and press Enter.
   c. Review the warning message. If you want to proceed, use the arrow keys to select **YES** and press Enter.

   Note: The Initialization process takes about 10 to 15 seconds. During initialization, a complete re-scan of all channels is done automatically.

Create arrays

Arrays can be created after the disks are initialized:

1. Enter the **RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility** menu. Then, use the arrow keys to select **Array Management** and press Enter.
2. Use the arrow keys to select **Create Array** and press Enter.
3. Use the arrow keys to select **Select RAID Level → RAID Level** and press Enter.

   Note: Some of the RAID levels might not be displayed because the number of installed storage drives varies.
4. Select the disks with which to create the array:
   a. Use the arrow keys to select **Physical Disks** and press Enter.
   b. Use the arrow keys to select desired disks and press the Space Bar or Enter.
   c. Use the arrow keys to select **Apply Changes** and press Enter.
5. Refer to the table below for the default cache tag size (CTS).

Array type	Default CTS
HDD Array	64k
SSD Array	64k
All NVMe Array	256k

6. Use the arrow keys to select **Read Cache Policy** and press Enter. Select the desired read cache policy and press Enter.
7. Use the arrow keys to select **Write Cache Policy** and press Enter. Select the desired write cache policy and press Enter.
8. Use the arrow keys to select **Create Array** and press Enter.

Delete arrays

CAUTION:

- **Deleting an array permanently destroys all data that is on the array. This action cannot be recalled and it is very unlikely the data can be recovered.**
- **Do not delete the first array listed in the Arrays section, if it is the AMD-RAID bootable array. Doing this deletes the operating system and AMD-RAID files.**

1. Enter the **RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility** menu. Then, use the arrow keys to select **Array Management** and press Enter.

2. Use the arrow keys to select **Delete Arrays** and press Enter.

3. Select the array(s) to delete:

    a. Use the arrow keys to select the desired array or multiple arrays, then press the Space Bar or Enter to change the option to **Enabled** for deletion.

    b. If you want to select all of the arrays, use the arrow keys to select **Check all** and press Enter.

    c. Use the arrow keys to select **Delete Array** and press the Space Bar or Enter.

    d. Review the warning message. If you want to proceed, press the Space Bar or Enter.

    e. Use the arrow keys to select **Yes** to delete arrays.

View array details

This option displays the details of an array. Nothing can be changed using this menu option. It is for informational purposes only.

1. Enter the **RAIDXpert2 Configuration Utility** menu. Then, use the arrow keys to select **Array Management** and press Enter.

2. Use the arrow keys to select **Select Manage Array Properties** and press Enter.

3. Use the arrow keys to select **Select Array** and press Enter. Select the desired array and press **Enter**.

4. Use the arrow keys to select **View Associated Physical Disks** and press Enter.

5. Press the Space Bar to select one of the members of the Array.

6. Use the arrow keys to select **View Physical Disk Properties** and press Enter.

7. Information about the array is displayed below **Select Array header**:

    • Array number

    • RAID level

    • State

    • Size

    • Cache Tag Size

    • Cache settings

    • Associated physical disks

8. To view another array, press ESC twice and perform steps 2 through 7 again.

9. Press ESC to exit the main menu.

Chapter 7. Troubleshooting, diagnostics, and recovery

This chapter provides solutions to resolve computer problems. Use the basic procedure as a starting point for resolving computer problems.

Basic procedure for resolving computer problems

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

1. Check that:
   a. The cables for all connected devices are connected correctly and securely.
   b. All components have been reassembled correctly.
   c. All connected devices that require ac power are connected to properly grounded and working electrical outlets.
   d. All connected devices are enabled in UEFI BIOS.
2. Use an antivirus program (if any) to see if the computer has been infected by a virus. If the program detects a virus, remove the virus.
3. See Chapter 7 "Troubleshooting, diagnostics, and recovery" on page 37 to resolve the problem you are experiencing, run the diagnostic program, and recover your operating system.
4. If the problem persists, contact Lenovo. See Chapter 9 "Help and support" on page 101.

Troubleshooting

Use the troubleshooting information to find solutions to problems that have definite symptoms.

Startup problems

Problem	Solution
The computer does not start up when you press the power button.	- Ensure that the power cord is correctly connected to the rear of the computer and to a working electrical outlet. - If the computer has a secondary power switch on the rear of the computer, ensure that it is switched on. - The power indicator on the front of the computer is on. - The computer voltage matches the voltage available at the electrical outlet for your country or region.
The operating system does not start up from the correct storage drive or fails to start up	- Ensure that all storage drive signal cables and power cables are connected correctly. - Ensure that the storage drive the computer starts up from is listed as the first startup device in UEFI BIOS. - In rare cases, the storage drive with the operating system might get corrupted or damaged. In such cases, you might need to replace the storage drive.
The computer beeps multiple times before the operating system starts up.	Ensure that no keys are stuck.

Audio problems

Problem	Solution
The audio cannot be heard on the Windows operating system.	• If you are using powered external speakers that have an On/Off control, ensure that: – The On/Off control is set to the **On** position. – The speaker power cable is connected to a properly grounded, functional ac electrical outlet. • If your external speakers have a volume control, ensure that the volume is not set too low. • Click the volume icon in the Windows notification area on the taskbar. Check the speaker and volume settings. Do not mute the speaker or set the volume at a very low level. • If your computer has a front audio panel, ensure that the volume is not set too low. • Ensure that your external speakers (and headphones, if used) are connected to the correct audio connector on the computer. Most speaker cables are color-coded to match the audio connector. **Note:** When external-speaker or headphone cables are connected to the audio connector, the internal speaker, if present, is disabled. In most cases, if an audio adapter is installed in one of the expansion slots, the audio function built into the system board is disabled. Therefore, you must use the audio connectors on the audio adapter. • Ensure that the program you are running is designed for use in the Microsoft Windows operating system. If the program is designed to run in DOS, the program does not use the Windows sound feature. The program must be configured to use SoundBlaster Pro or SoundBlaster emulation. • Ensure that the audio device drivers are correctly installed.
The sound does not come from the headset or headphones.	Select the headset or headphones as the default audio output device in advanced sound settings.
The sound comes from one of the external speakers.	• Ensure that the speaker cable is inserted completely into the connector on the computer. • Ensure that the cable that connects the left speaker to the right speaker is securely connected. • Ensure that the balance settings are set correctly. 1. Right-click the volume icon in the Windows notification area on the taskbar. Then, click **Open Volume Mixer** and select the desired speaker. 2. Click the speaker icon on top of the volume control, and then click the **Levels** tab.

Network problems

Note: The Wi-Fi and Bluetooth features are optional.

Problem	Solution
The computer cannot connect to an Ethernet LAN.	- Connect the cable from the Ethernet connector to the RJ45 connector of the hub. - Enable the Ethernet LAN feature in UEFI BIOS. - Enable the Ethernet LAN adapter. - Go to **Control Panel** and view by large icons or small icons. - Click **Network and Sharing Center → Change adapter settings**. - Right-click the Ethernet LAN adapter icon and click **Enable**. - Update or reinstall the Ethernet LAN driver. - Install all networking software that is necessary for your network environment. Check with your LAN administrator for the necessary networking software. - Set the same duplex for the switch port and the adapter. If you configured the adapter for full duplex, ensure that the switch port is also configured for full duplex. Setting a wrong duplex mode might degrade performance, cause data loss, or result in lost connections.
When a Gigabit Ethernet model computer is used at a speed of 1000 Mbps, the Ethernet LAN connection fails or errors occur.	Connect the network cable to the Ethernet connector using Category 5 wiring and a 100 BASE-T hub/switch (not 100 BASE-X).
The Wake On LAN (WOL) feature does not work.	Enable the Wake On LAN feature in UEFI BIOS.
The Wi-Fi feature does not work.	- Enable the Wi-Fi feature in UEFI BIOS. - Enable all Wi-Fi devices. - Right-click the **Start** button to open the **Start** context menu. - Click **Device Manager**. Type the administrator password or provide confirmation, if prompted. - Expand **Network adapters** to display all network devices. - Right-click each Wi-Fi device, and then click **Enable device**. - Enable the Wi-Fi feature in Windows Settings. - Open the **Start** menu. - Click **Settings → Network & Internet → Wi-Fi**. - Enable the Wi-Fi feature. - Update or reinstall the Wi-Fi driver.

Problem	Solution
The Bluetooth feature does not work.	- Enable the Bluetooth feature in UEFI BIOS. - Enable all Bluetooth devices. - Right-click the **Start** button to open the **Start** context menu. - Click **Device Manager**. Type the administrator password or provide confirmation if prompted. - Expand **Bluetooth** to display all Bluetooth devices. Right-click each Bluetooth device, and then click **Enable device**. - Expand **Network adapters** to display all network devices. Right-click each Bluetooth device, and then click **Enable device**. - Turn on the Bluetooth radio. - Open the **Start** menu. - Click **Settings ➙ Devices ➙ Bluetooth & other devices**. - Turn on the **Bluetooth** switch to enable the Bluetooth feature. - Update or reinstall the Bluetooth driver.
Sound does not come from the Bluetooth headset or headphones.	Select the Bluetooth headset or headphones as the default audio output device in advanced sound settings.

Performance problems

Problem	Solution
Excessive fragmented files exist on the storage drives.	**Note:** Depending on the volume of the storage drives and amount of data stored on the storage drives, the disk-defragmentation process might take up to several hours. 1. Close any open programs and windows. 2. Open the **Start** menu. 3. Click **Windows System → File Explorer → This PC**. 4. Right-click your C drive and then click **Properties**. 5. Click the **Tools** tab. 6. Click **Optimize**. Select the drive as desired, and then click **Optimize**. 7. Follow the on-screen instructions.

The free storage drive space is insufficient.	• Clean out your Inbox, Sent Items, and Deleted Items folders from your e-mail application.
	• Clean up your C drive.
	    1. Open the **Start** menu.
	    2. Click **Windows System → File Explorer → This PC**.
	    3. Right-click your C drive and then click **Properties**.
	    4. Check the amount of free space, and then click **Disk Cleanup**.
	    5. A list of unnecessary file categories is displayed. Select the category you want to delete, and then click **OK**.
	• Disable some Windows features or remove some unnecessary programs.
	    1. Go to **Control Panel** and view by large icons or small icons.
	    2. Click **Programs and Features**.
	    3. Do one of the following:
	      – To disable some Windows features, click **Turn Windows features on or off**. Follow the on-screen instructions.
	      – To remove some unnecessary programs, select the program you want to remove, and then click **Uninstall/ Change** or **Uninstall**.

The free memory space is insufficient.	• Right-click a blank area on the taskbar and open Task Manager. Then, end some tasks you are not performing. • Install additional memory modules.

Storage drive problems

Problem	Solution

Some or all storage drives are missing from the BIOS menu.	• Ensure that the signal cables and power cables for all the storage drives are connected correctly.
	• Ensure that the computer is configured correctly to support the storage drives.
	  – If the computer is installed with SATA storage drives, ensure that the SATA storage drive enablement module (one to five storage drives) is installed.
	  – If the computer is installed with SAS storage drives, ensure that the SAS storage drive enablement module (one to five storage drives) or the LSI MegaRAID SAS adapter is installed.

CD or DVD problems

Problem	Solution
A CD or DVD does not work.	• Ensure that the optical drive supports the CD or DVD. • Ensure that the disc is inserted correctly, with its label up. • Ensure that the disc you are using is clean. To remove dust or fingerprints, wipe the disc clean with a soft cloth from the center to the outside. Wiping a disc in a circular motion might cause loss of data. • Ensure that the power cable and signal cable are securely connected to the drive. • Ensure that the disc you are using is not scratched or damaged. Try inserting another disc that you know works. • If you have multiple CD or DVD drives installed (or a combination of CD and DVD drives), try inserting the disc into the other drive. In some cases, only one of the drives is connected to the audio subsystem.
A bootable recovery medium, such as the Product Recovery CD, cannot be used to start your computer.	Ensure that the CD or DVD drive is set as the top priority of the boot priority order in UEFI BIOS. **Note:** On some computer models, the startup sequence is permanently set and cannot be changed.
A black screen is displayed instead of the DVD video.	• Restart the DVD player program. • Try a lower screen resolution or color depth. • Close any open files, and then restart the computer.
A DVD movie does not play.	• Ensure that the disc surface is clean and not scratched. • Check the disc or packaging for regional coding. You might need to purchase a disc with coding for the region where you are using the computer.
No audio or only an intermittent audio comes out while a DVD movie is playing.	• Check the volume control settings on the computer and on your speakers. • Ensure that the disc surface is clean and not scratched. • Check all cable connections to and from the speakers. • Use the DVD menu for the video to select a different audio track.

Problem	Solution
The playback is slow or choppy.	• Disable any background programs, such as AntiVirus or Desktop Themes. • Ensure that video resolution is less than 1152 x 864 pixels.
A message indicating invalid disc or no disc found is displayed.	• Ensure that the disc is in the drive with the shiny side of the disc facing down. • Ensure that video resolution is less than 1152 x 864 pixels. • Ensure that the DVD or CD is inserted into an appropriate optical drive. For example, do not insert a DVD into a CD-only drive.

Serial connector problems

Problem	Solution
The serial connector cannot be accessed.	• Connect the serial cable from the serial connector on the computer to the serial device. If the serial device has its own power cord, connect the power cord to a grounded electrical outlet. • Turn on the serial device and keep the device online. • Install any programs supplied with the serial device. Refer to the documentation that comes with the serial device for more information. • If you added one serial-connector adapter, ensure that the adapter is installed correctly.

USB device problems

Problem	Solution
A USB device cannot be accessed.	• Connect the USB cable from the USB connector to the USB device. If the USB device has its own power cord, connect the power cord to a grounded electrical outlet. • Turn on the USB device and keep the device online. • Install any device drivers or programs supplied with the USB device. Refer to the documentation that comes with the USB device for more information. • Disconnect and reconnect the USB connector to reset the USB device. • Ensure that the Smart USB Protection function is disabled in UEFI BIOS.

Software problems

Problem	Solution
Some programs do not work as expected.	1. Check whether the problem is caused by a program. a. Ensure that the software is compatible with the computer. Refer to the information supplied with the software for more information. b. Verify that other software works correctly on the computer. c. Verify that the software you are using works on another computer. 2. If the problem is caused by a program: • Refer to the printed documentation that comes with the program or the help system of the program. • Update the program. • Uninstall the program and then reinstall it. To download a program that is preinstalled on your computer, go to https://pcsupport.lenovo.com and follow the on-screen instructions.

Diagnostics

Use diagnostic solutions to test hardware components and report operating-system-controlled settings that interfere with the correct operation of your computer.

Lenovo diagnostic tools

This section introduces a set of Lenovo diagnostic tools. Choose an appropriate tool depending on whether an error code or error message is displayed:

An error message pops up in the Windows notification area, an error code is displayed on the four-digit diagnostic display (for selected models) on the front panel, or the diagnostic indicator on the front panel turns on:

- If a diagnostic program can be launched properly:

    – Use "ThinkStation Diagnostics" on page 44.

    – Record the error code displayed on the four-digit diagnostic display (for selected models) or in ThinkStation Diagnostics, and then decode the error at https://www.thinkworkstationsoftware.com/codes.

- If your computer does not function:

    – Use "Lenovo PC Diagnostics" on page 45.

    – Record the error code displayed on the four-digit diagnostic display (for selected models) or on your smartphone with Lenovo PC Diagnostics installed, and then decode the error at https://www.thinkworkstationsoftware.com/codes.

For more information, go to:

- https://pcsupport.lenovo.com/lenovodiagnosticsolutions
- https://www.thinkworkstationsoftware.com/diags

ThinkStation Diagnostics

You can download ThinkStation Diagnostics at:

To diagnose problems with ThinkStation Diagnostics:

1. When an error message pops up in the Windows notification area, click the error message or the ThinkStation Diagnostics icon to launch the program.

2. All events are logged locally in the program. Locate the related event and view the event log to find possible solutions.

If you want to disable ThinkStation Diagnostics, uninstall it directly.

Lenovo PC Diagnostics

Lenovo PC Diagnostics is an app installed on your smartphone to decode beep errors when an error with beeps is emitted from your computers. To diagnose problems with Lenovo PC Diagnostics:

1. Download Lenovo PC Diagnostics from app stores or the Le Store Web site and install it on your smartphone:

   • Le Store or Google Play Store (Android)

   • iTunes App Store (iOS)

   • Le Store Web site https://www.lenovomm.com/appdetail/com.lenovo.lenovoworkstationdiagnostics/85

2. When an error code is displayed on the four-digit diagnostic display (for selected models) on the front panel or the diagnostic indicator on the front panel turns on, launch the app and place your smartphone near the computer.

3. Press Fn on your computer to emit the beep again. The app decodes the beep error and shows possible solutions on the smartphone.

Recovery

This section introduces the recovery information of the Windows 10 operating system. Ensure that you read and follow the on-screen recovery instructions. The data on your computer might be deleted during the recovery process. To avoid data loss, make a backup copy of all the data that you want to keep.

Restore system files and settings to an earlier point

1. Go to **Control Panel** and view by large icons or small icons.

2. Click **Recovery ➙ Open System Restore**. Then, follow the on-screen instructions.

Restore your files from a backup

Note: If you use the File History tool to restore your files from a backup, ensure that you backed up your data earlier with the tool.

1. Go to **Control Panel** and view by large icons or small icons.

2. Click **File History ➙ Restore personal files**. Then, follow the on-screen instructions.

Reset your computer

In the resetting process, you can choose to keep your files or remove them when you reinstall the operating system.

Note: The items in the graphical user interface (GUI) might change without notice.

1. Open the **Start** menu, and then click **Settings ➙ Update & Security ➙ Recovery**.

2. In the **Reset this PC** section, click **Get started**.

3. Follow the on-screen instructions to reset your computer.

Use advanced options

1. Open the **Start** menu, and then click **Settings ➔ Update & security ➔ Recovery**.
2. In the **Advanced startup** section, click **Restart now ➔ Troubleshoot ➔ Advanced options**.
3. Select a preferred option, and then follow the on-screen instructions.

Windows automatic recovery

Note: Ensure that your computer is connected to ac power during the recovery process.

The Windows recovery environment on your computer operates independently from the Windows 10 operating system. It enables you to recover or repair the operating system even if the Windows 10 operating system fails to start.

After two consecutive failed boot attempts, the Windows recovery environment starts automatically. Then, you can choose repair and recovery options by following the on-screen instructions.

Create and use a recovery USB device

It is recommended that you create a recovery USB drive as early as possible as a backup for the Windows recovery programs. With the recovery USB drive, you can troubleshoot and fix the problems even if the preinstalled Windows recovery programs are damaged. If you did not create a recovery USB drive as a precautionary measure, you can contact Lenovo Customer Support Center and purchase one from Lenovo. For a list of the Lenovo Support phone numbers for your country or region, go to:
https://pcsupport.lenovo.com/supportphonelist

Create a recovery USB drive

Attention: The creation process deletes anything stored on the USB drive. To avoid data loss, make a backup copy of all the data that you want to keep.

1. Ensure that your computer is connected to ac power.
2. Prepare a USB drive with capacity of at least 16 GB. The actual USB capacity required depends on the size of the recovery image.
3. Connect the prepared USB drive to the computer.
4. Type `recovery` in the search box. Then, click **Create a recovery drive**.
5. Click **Yes** in the User Account Control window to allow the Recovery Media Creator program to start.
6. In the Recovery Drive window, follow the on-screen instructions to create a recovery USB drive.

Use the recovery USB drive

If your computer cannot be started, go to Chapter 9 "Help and support" on page 101 first to try to solve the problem by yourself. If the problem persists, use the recovery USB drive to recover your computer.

1. Ensure that your computer is connected to ac power.
2. Connect the recovery USB drive to the computer.
3. Turn on or restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F12. The Boot Menu window opens.
4. Select the recovery USB drive as the boot device. Then, follow the on-screen instructions to complete the process.

Update the device driver

Attention: Reinstalling device drivers will change the current configuration of the computer.

You should download the latest driver for a component when you notice poor performance from that component or when you added a component. This action might eliminate the driver as the potential cause of a problem. Download and install the latest driver by one of the following methods:

- From the Vantage app:

  Open the Vantage app to check the available update packages. If the latest UEFI BIOS update package is available, follow the on-screen instructions to download and install the package.

- From the Lenovo Support Web site:

  Go to https://pcsupport.lenovo.com and select the entry for your computer. Then, follow the on-screen instructions to download and install necessary drivers and software.

- From Windows Update:

  Note: The device drivers provided by Windows Update might not be tested by Lenovo. It is recommended that you get device drivers from Lenovo.

  1. Open the **Start** menu.
  2. Click **Settings ➙ Update & Security ➙ Windows Update**.
  3. Follow the on-screen instructions.

Chapter 8. CRU replacement

What are CRUs

Customer Replaceable Units (CRUs) are parts that can be upgraded or replaced by the customer. Lenovo computers contain the following types of CRUs:

- **Self-service CRUs:** Refer to parts that can be installed or replaced easily by customer themselves or by trained service technicians at an additional cost.

- **Optional-service CRUs:** Refer to parts that can be installed or replaced by customers with a greater skill level. Trained service technicians can also provide service to install or replace the parts under the type of warranty designated for the customer's machine.

If you intend on installing the CRU, Lenovo will ship the CRU to you. CRU information and replacement instructions are shipped with your product and are available from Lenovo at any time upon request. You might be required to return the defective part that is replaced by the CRU. When return is required: (1) return instructions, a prepaid shipping label, and a container will be included with the replacement CRU; and (2) you might be charged for the replacement CRU if Lenovo does not receive the defective CRU within thirty (30) days of your receipt of the replacement CRU. For full details, see the Lenovo Limited Warranty documentation at:
https://www.lenovo.com/warranty/llw_02

Refer to the following CRU list for your computer.

Self-service CRUs

- Computer cover
- Cover presence switch
- Flex module*
- Front-access storage enclosure*
- Front fan assembly
- ID badge
- Multi-drive conversion kit*
- Hard disk drive
- Keyboard*
- Memory module
- Mouse*
- Power cord
- Power supply assembly
- Slim optical drive*
- Slim-optical-drive bracket*
- Slim-optical-drive adapter*
- Storage drive cage*

Optional-service CRUs

- Coin-cell battery
- Graphics card*

- Graphics card dongle*
- Memory module active cooler and duct
- M.2 solid-state drive*
- M.2 solid-state drive heat sink*
- PCIe card*
- Rear fan assembly
- Wi-Fi adapter*
- Wi-Fi antenna*
- Wi-Fi card*

* for selected models

Replace a CRU

Follow the replacement procedure to replace a CRU.

ID badge

Prerequisite

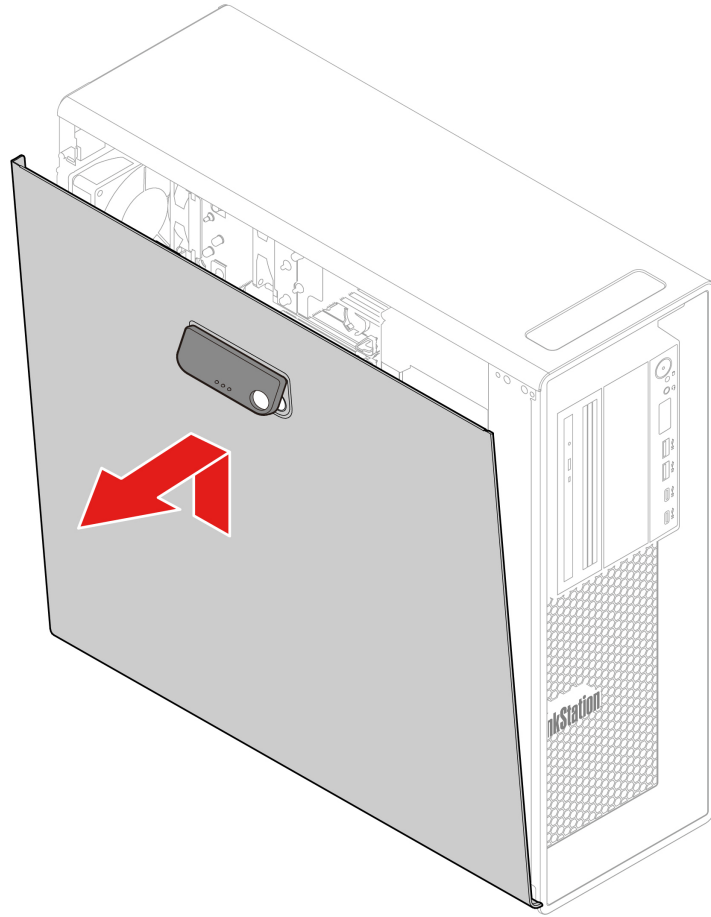Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

Replacement procedure

1. Remove the ID badge.
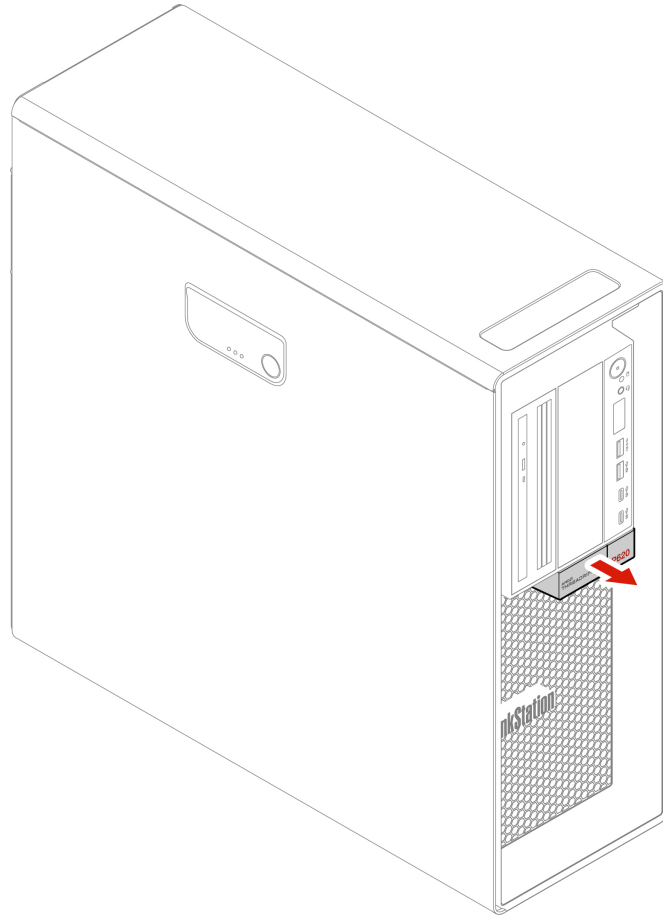
2. Install the ID badge.
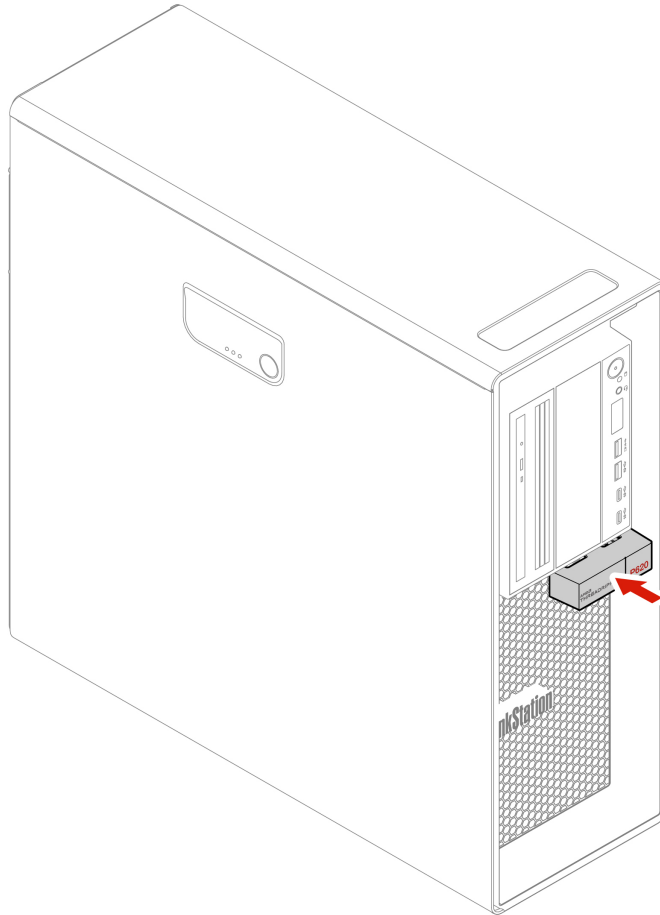
Computer cover

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

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Before you open the computer cover, turn off the computer and wait several minutes until the computer is cool.

Replacement procedure

1. Remove any media from the drives and turn off all connected devices and the computer.
2. Disconnect all power cords from electrical outlets and disconnect all cables from the computer.
3. Unlock any locking device that secures the computer cover.
4. Remove the computer cover.
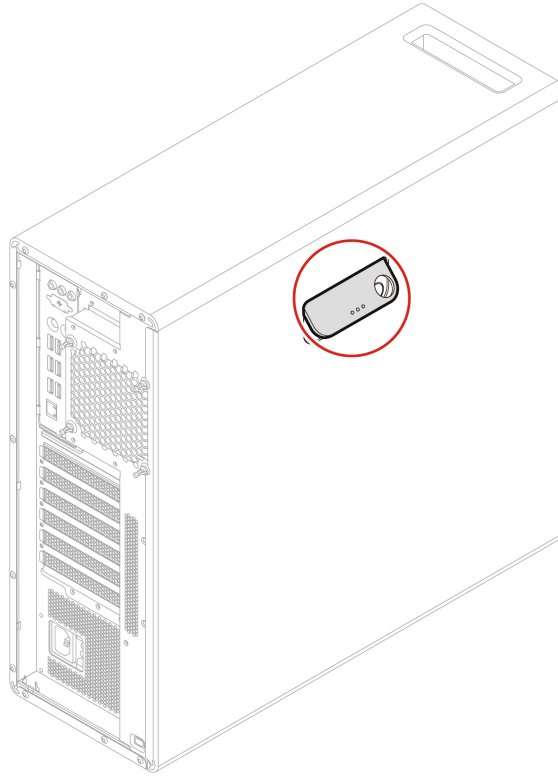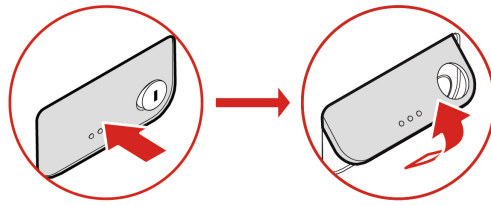
5. Install the computer cover.
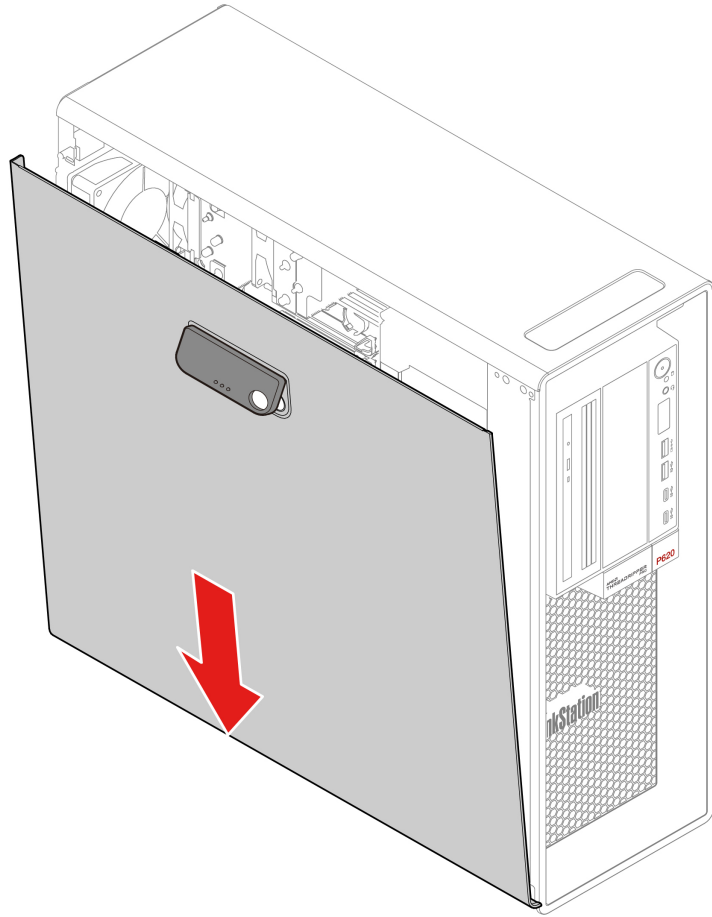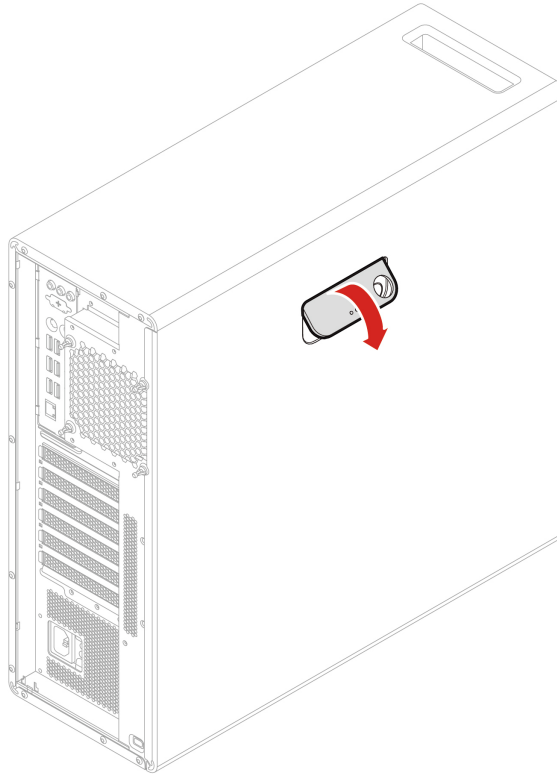
6. Reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

   Note: If a locking device is available, use it to lock the computer.

Device in the flex bay

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

The flex bay of your computer supports the following devices:

- Flex module
- Front-access storage enclosure
- Multi-drive conversion kit
- Slim-optical-drive adapter

Note: The following instructions on how to remove or install a slim-optical-drive adapter also apply to other supported devices in the flex bay.

Replacement procedure

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.
2. Locate the flex bay. See "Internal storage drives" on page 7.
3. Disconnect the signal cable and the power cable from the rear of the slim optical drive.

   Note: If you are removing other supported devices from the flex bay, disconnect any additional cables first.

4. Remove the slim-optical-drive adapter.
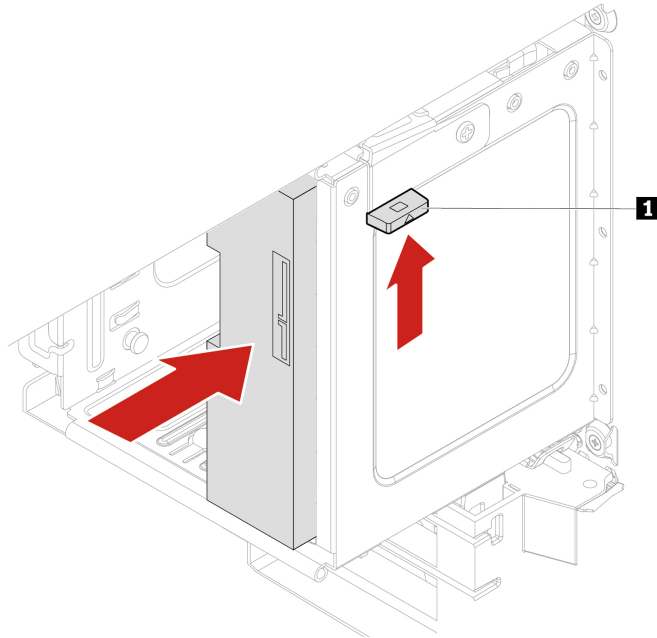
5. Remove the slim optical drive from the failing adapter and install the slim optical drive into the new adapter. See "Device in the multi-drive conversion kit" on page 62.

6. If you are installing a slim-optical-drive adapter into the flex bay with a plastic shield installed, press the clip as shown to remove the plastic shield. If there is a metal static shield installed in the flex bay, remove the metal static shield.
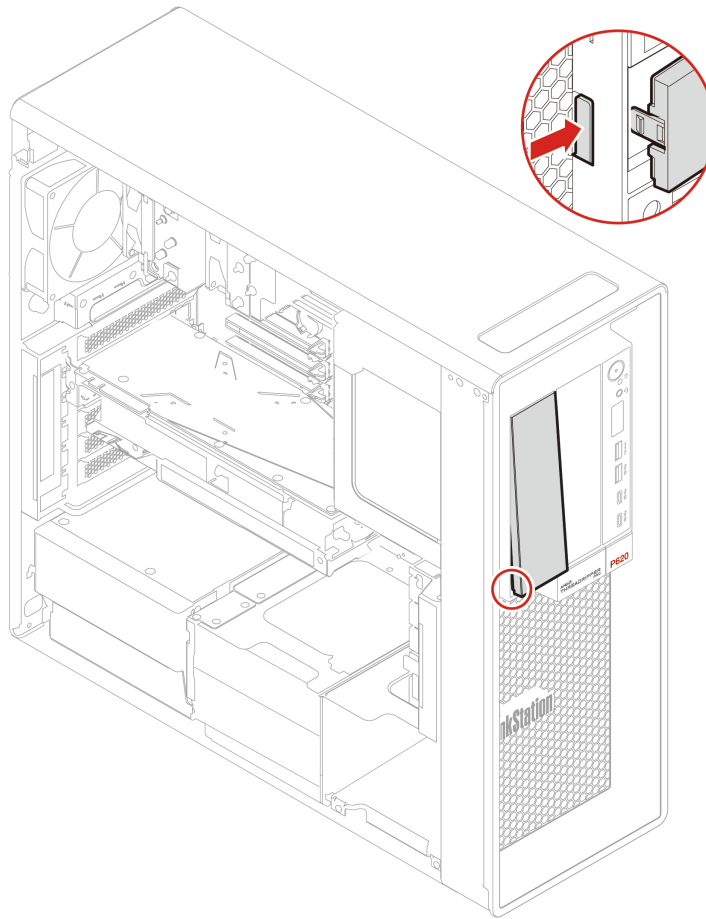
7. Install the slim-optical-drive adapter.
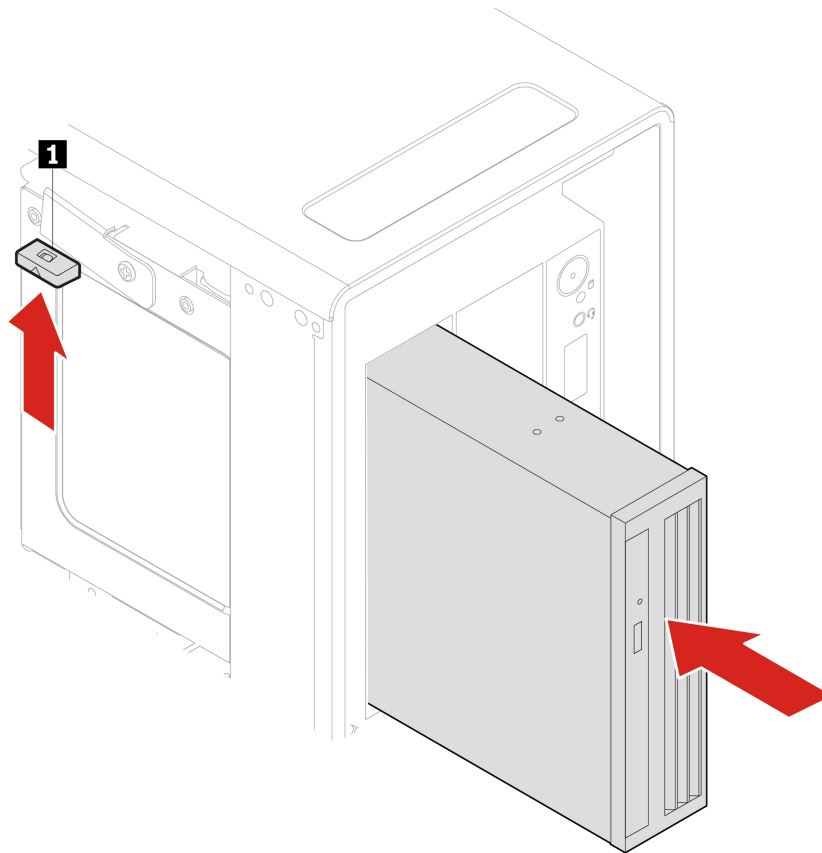
8. Connect the signal cable and the power cable to the slim optical drive.

   Note: Reconnect any cables removed from other supported devices.

9. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

Storage drive in the front-access storage enclosure

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

Attention: The internal storage drive is sensitive. Inappropriate handling might cause damage and permanent loss of data. When handling the internal storage drive, observe the following guidelines:

• Replace the internal storage drive only for upgrade or repair. The internal storage drive is not designed for frequent changes or replacement.

• Before replacing the internal storage drive, make a backup copy of all the data that you want to keep.

• Do not touch the contact edge of the internal storage drive. Otherwise, the internal storage drive might get damaged.

• Do not apply pressure to the internal storage drive.

• Do not make the internal storage drive subject to physical shocks or vibration. Put the internal storage drive on a soft material, such as cloth, to absorb physical shocks.

You can install or replace a storage drive in the front-access storage enclosure. The storage drive also can be hot-swappable, which means that you can install or replace the drive without even turning off your computer. Therefore, lock the enclosure cover to prevent the unexpected removal. The keys are attached at the rear of the computer. Store the keys in a secure place.

The storage drive in the front-access storage enclosure is hot-swappable only when the following requirements are met:

- The SATA cable of the front-access storage enclosure is connected to the eSATA connector on the system board. To verify the cable connection, see "System board" on page 4 for more information.

- The operating system of your computer does not reside on the storage drive installed in the front-access storage enclosure.

Attention: If any of the above requirements are not met, do not remove or install the storage drive when the computer is turned on. Otherwise, data on the storage drive might get damaged.

Replacement procedure

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.

2. Locate the flex bay. See "Internal storage drives" on page 7.

3. Before removing an old 3.5-inch storage drive, safely eject the old storage drive from the operating system first. For more information, see the Windows help system.

4. Unlock the enclosure cover with the provided key as shown. Press the notch **a** to open the enclosure cover.
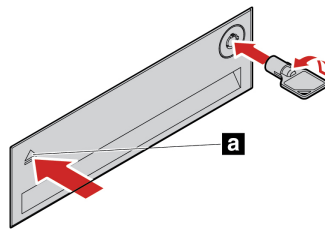
5. Remove the bracket out of the front-access storage enclosure.
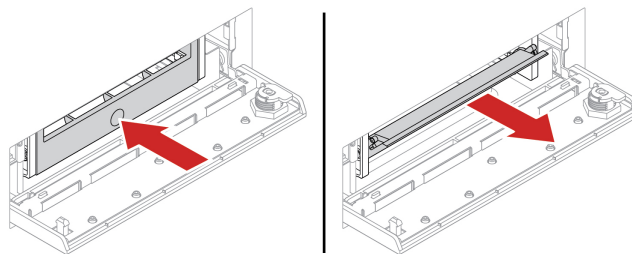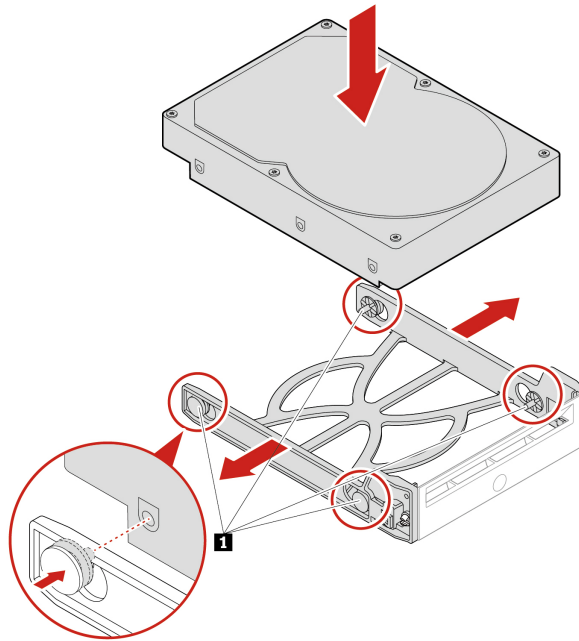

6. Remove the 3.5-inch storage drive from the bracket.
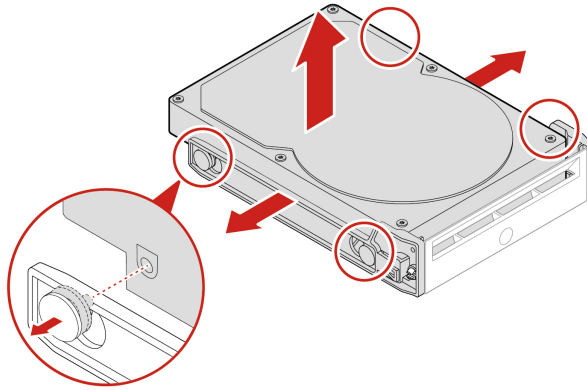
7. Install a new 3.5-inch storage drive.

   Notes:

   - Ensure that the circuit board faces downward and the connectors face toward the rear of the bracket.
   - Do not touch the circuit board on the storage drive during operation.

8. Install the new 3.5-inch storage drive into the front-access storage enclosure. Press the notch to secure the enclosure cover and lock the enclosure cover with the key.
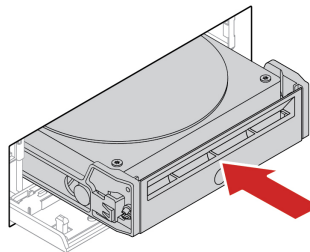
9. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

Device in the multi-drive conversion kit

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

The multi-drive conversion kit (hereafter referred to as kit) might be equipped with either one or both of the following components:

* Slim optical drive
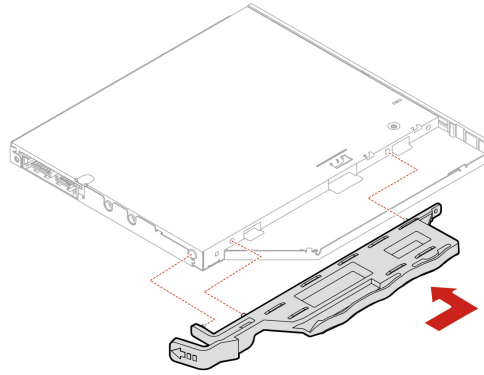* Storage drive

Slim optical drive

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.
2. Ensure that all the cables are disconnected from the kit. Remove the kit from the front of the computer.
3. Remove the slim optical drive with the bracket from the kit.
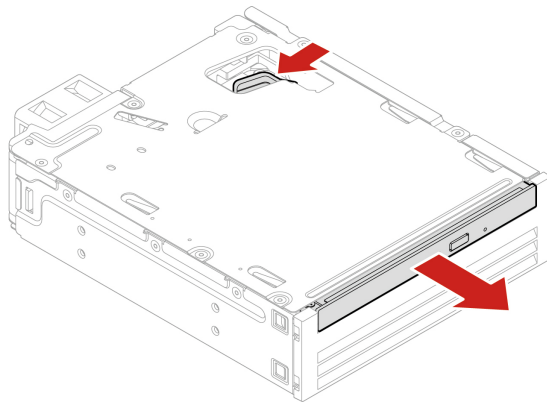
4. Remove the bracket from the slim optical drive.
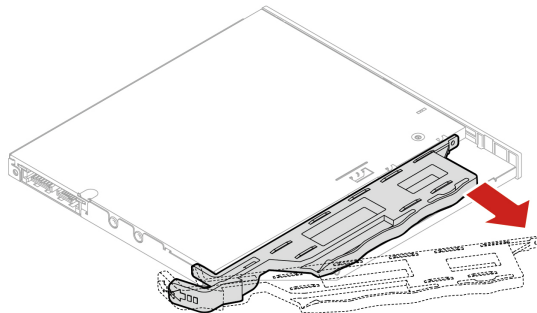
5. Install the bracket to the new slim optical drive.

6. Install the slim optical drive with the bracket into the kit.
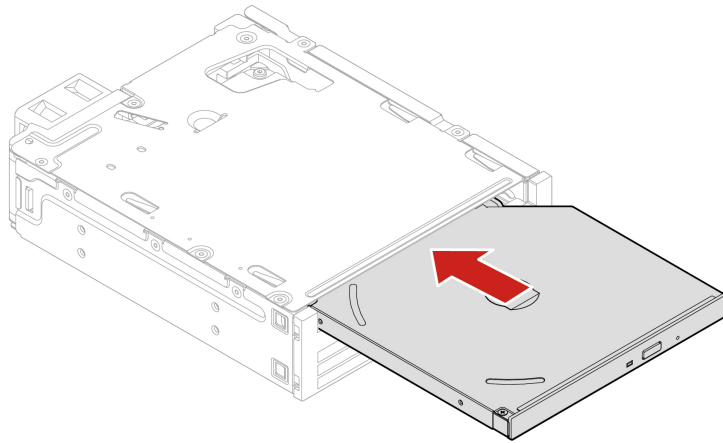
7. Slide the kit into the flex bay and reconnect the disconnected cables to the kit.
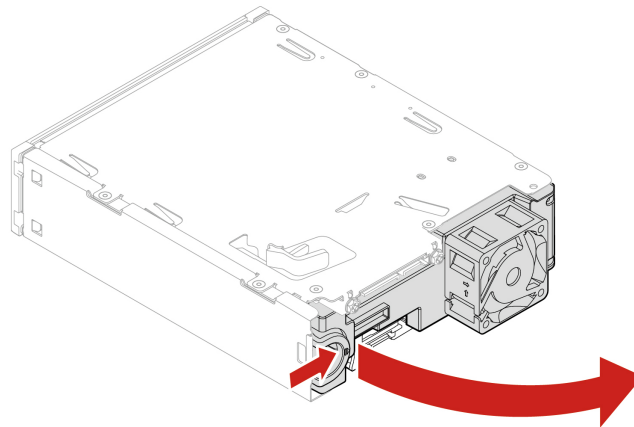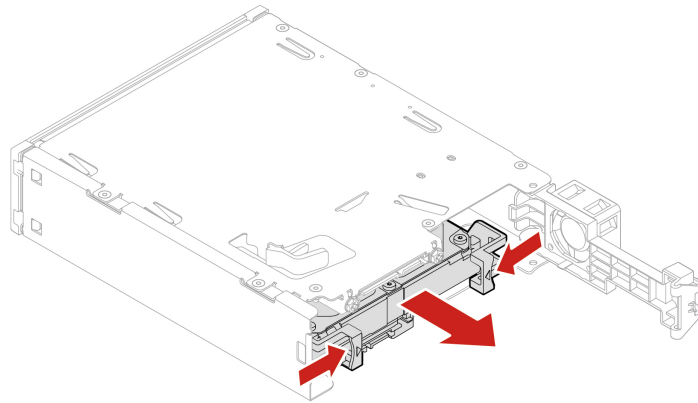
8. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

3.5-inch storage drive

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.

2. Ensure that all the cables are disconnected from the kit. Remove the kit from the front of the computer.
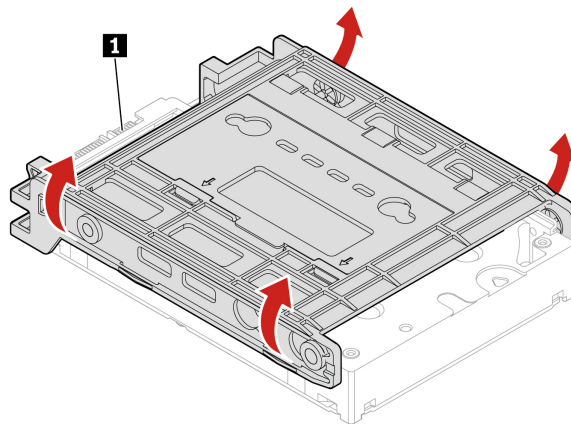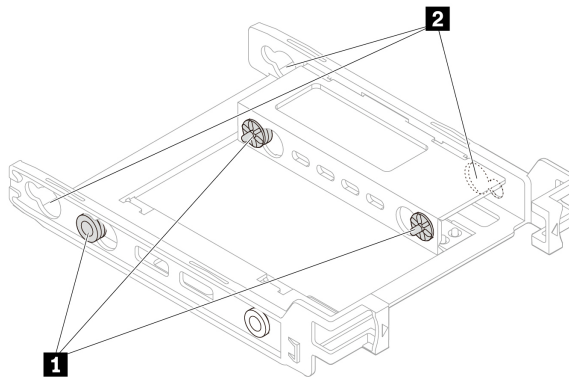
3. Open the rear cover of the kit.

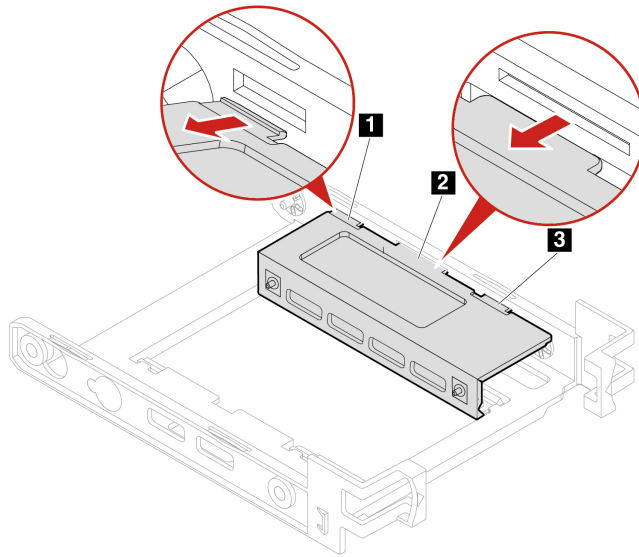4. Remove the conversion bracket from the kit.

5. Remove the 3.5-inch storage drive from the conversion bracket. Do not touch the circuit board **1** on the drive.
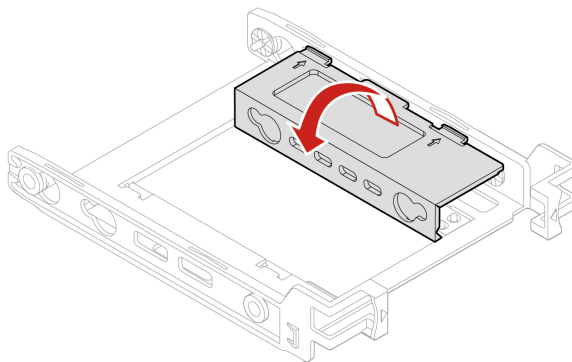
6. To install a 3.5-inch storage drive, ensure that the conversion bracket is unfolded. To unfold the bracket:

   a. Remove pins **1** and install them into slots **2**.
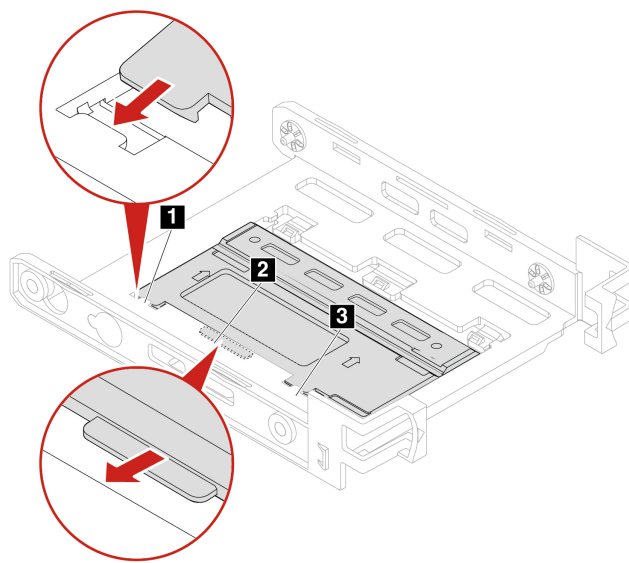
   b. Release tabs **1**, **2**, and **3** from the corresponding slots.
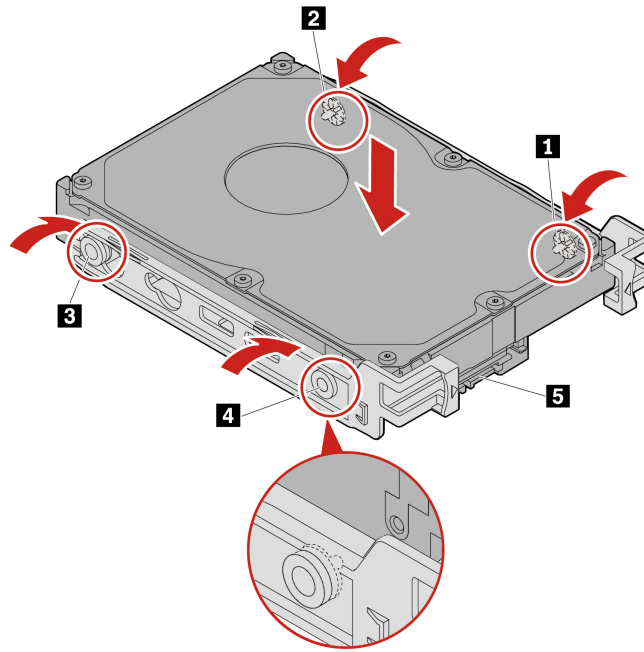
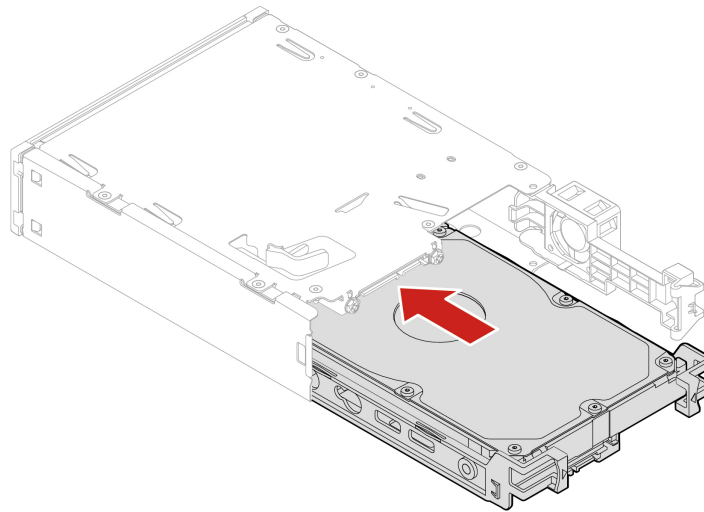c. Unfold the bracket as shown.

d. Insert tabs **1**, **2**, and **3** into the corresponding slots. Ensure that the tabs are secured in place.
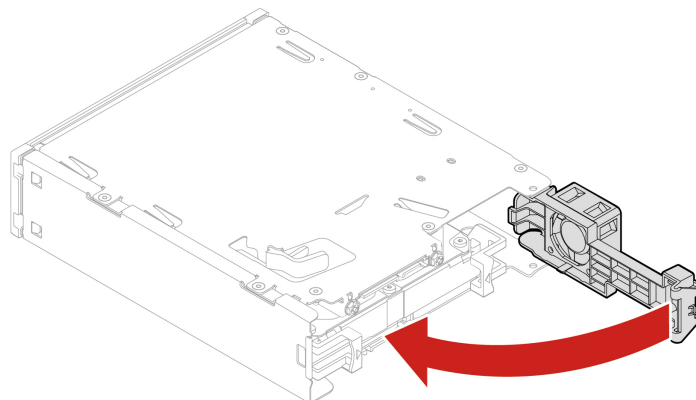

7. Install the new 3.5-inch storage drive into the bracket. Do not touch the circuit board **5** on the drive.

8. Install the new 3.5-inch storage drive with the bracket into the kit.

9. Close the rear cover of the kit.

10. Slide the kit into the flex bay and reconnect the disconnected cables to the kit.

11. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

Cover presence switch

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

Replacement procedure

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.

2. Disconnect the cover presence switch cable from the system board. See "System board" on page 4.

3. Remove the cover presence switch.

4. Install a new cover presence switch.

5. Connect the cable of the new cover presence switch to the cover presence switch connector on the system board.

6. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.
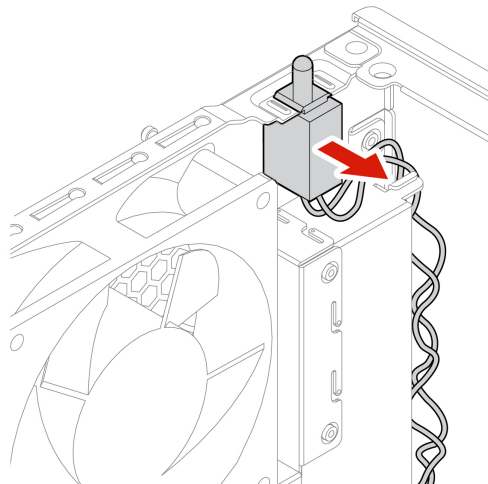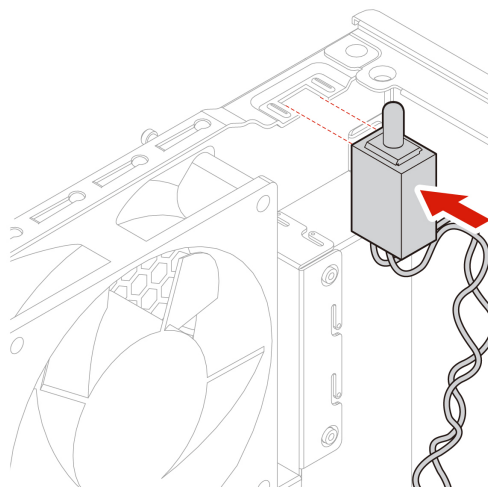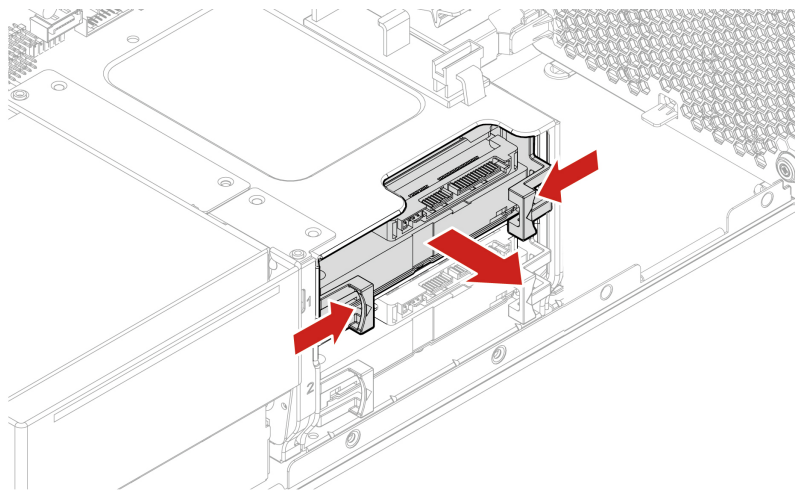
Storage drive in a storage drive bay

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

Attention: The internal storage drive is sensitive. Inappropriate handling might cause damage and permanent loss of data. When handling the internal storage drive, observe the following guidelines:

- Replace the internal storage drive only for upgrade or repair. The internal storage drive is not designed for frequent changes or replacement.
- Before replacing the internal storage drive, make a backup copy of all the data that you want to keep.
- Do not touch the contact edge of the internal storage drive. Otherwise, the internal storage drive might get damaged.
- Do not apply pressure to the internal storage drive.
- Do not make the internal storage drive subject to physical shocks or vibration. Put the internal storage drive on a soft material, such as cloth, to absorb physical shocks.

Replacement procedure

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.
2. Locate the storage drive bay. See "Internal storage drives" on page 7.
3. Disconnect all the cables from the storage drive.
4. Remove the conversion bracket out of the storage drive bay.

5. Remove the 3.5-inch storage drive from the bracket. Do not touch the circuit board **1** on the drive.
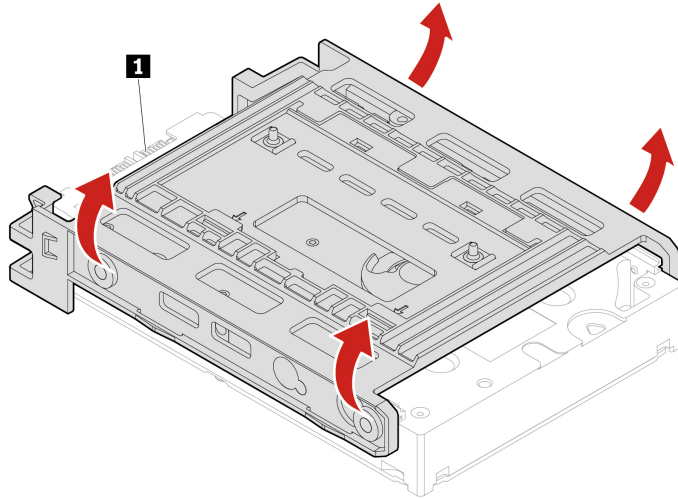
6. To install a 3.5-inch storage drive, ensure that the conversion bracket is unfolded. To unfold the bracket:

   a. Remove the pin **1** and install it into the slot **2**.
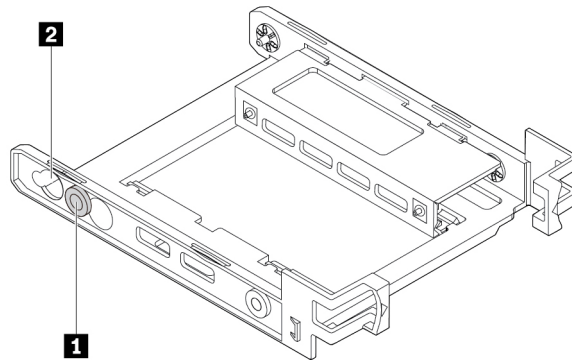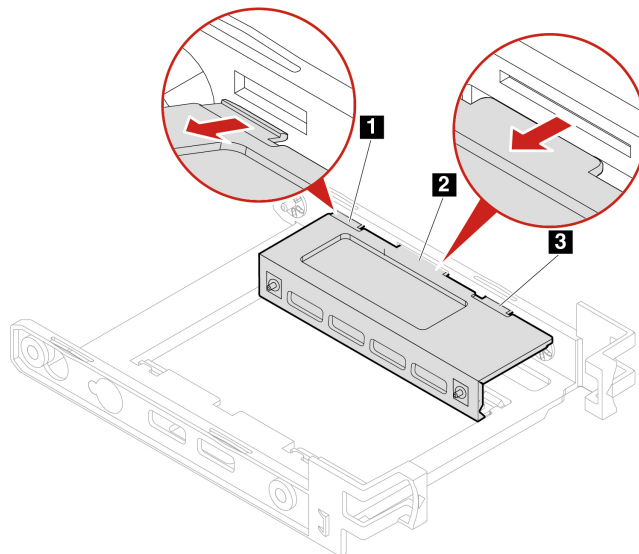
   b. Release tabs **1**, **2**, and **3** from the corresponding slots.

   c. Unfold the bracket as shown.
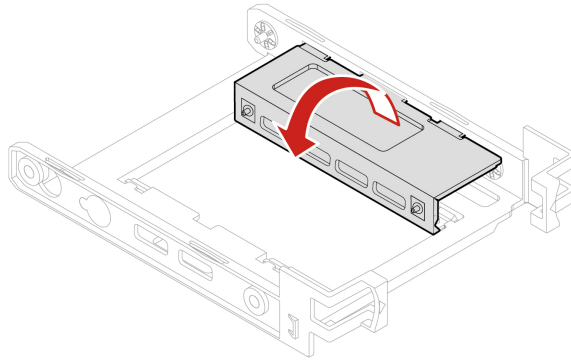
d. Insert tabs **1**, **2**, and **3** into the corresponding slots. Ensure that the tabs are secured in place.
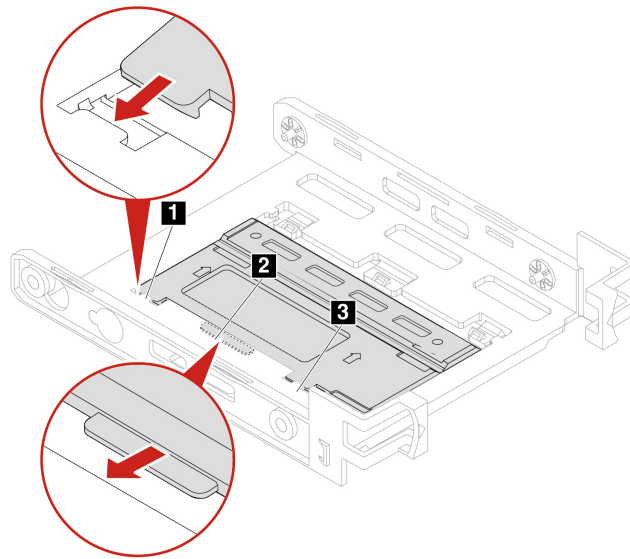
7. Install the new 3.5-inch storage drive into the bracket. Do not touch the circuit board **5** on the drive.
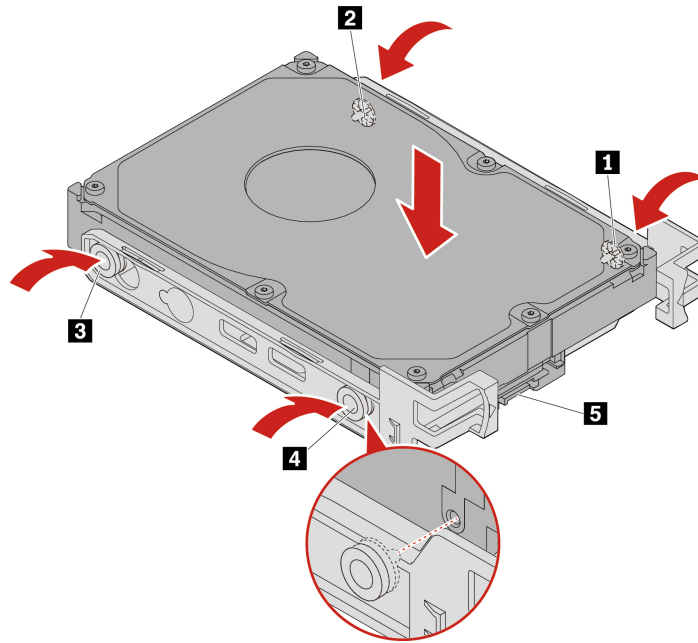
8. Install the new 3.5-inch storage drive with the conversion bracket into the storage drive bay.
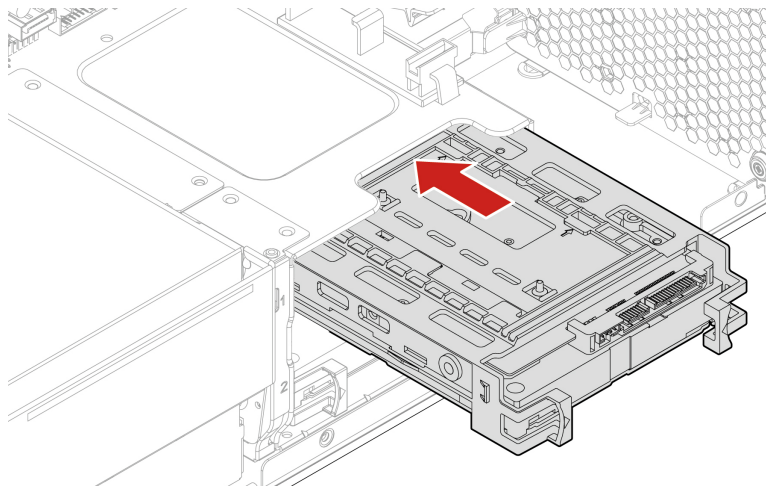
9. Connect the signal cable and the power cable to the new storage drive.

10. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

Storage drive cage

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

Your computer might come with an optional storage drive cage.

Replacement procedure

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.

2. Remove the front fan assembly. See "Front fan assembly" on page 87.

3. Locate the storage drive cage. See "Internal storage drives" on page 7..

4. Disconnect all the cables from the storage drive.

5. Remove the storage drives out of the storage drive cage. See "Storage drive in a storage drive bay" on page 68.

6. Remove the storage drive cage.
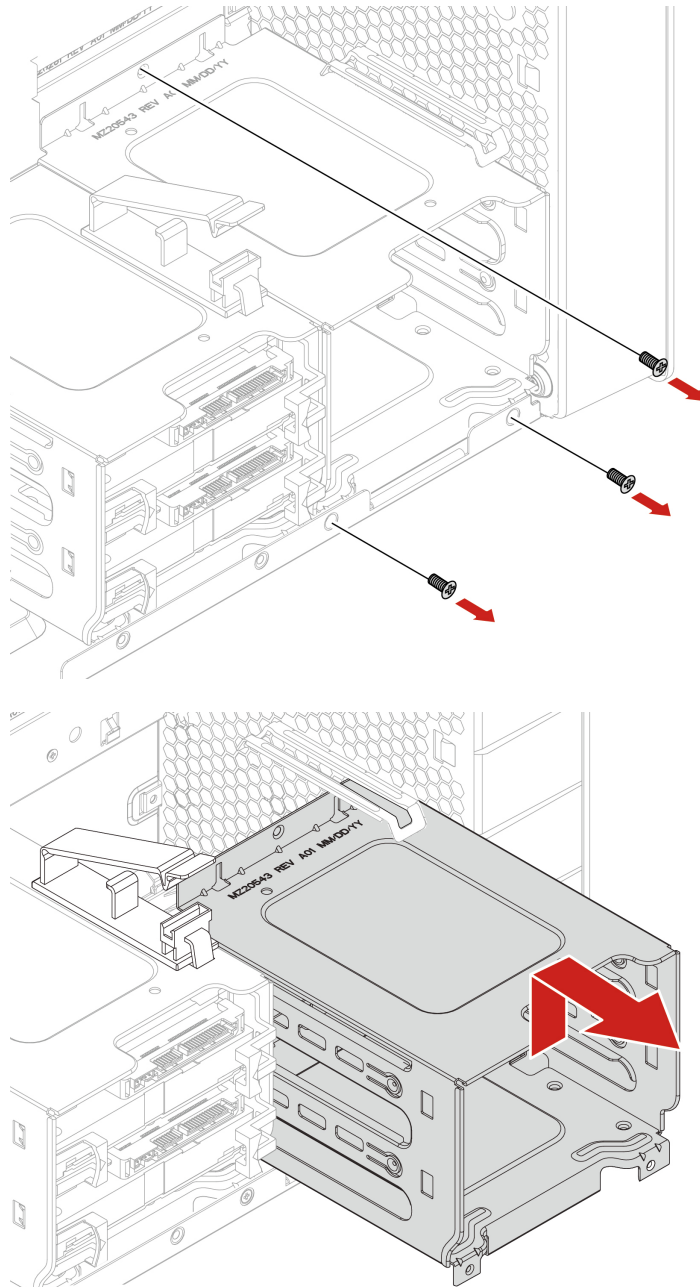
7. Install a storage drive cage:

   a. Place the upper edge of the storage drive cage under the front-fan-assembly retainer as shown.
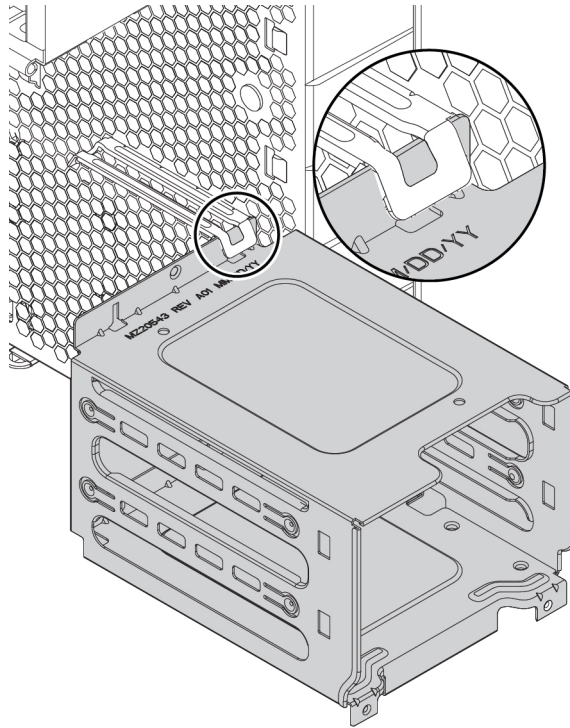
b. Gently push the storage drive cage inward until it cannot be pushed any further. Then press the drive cage downward.
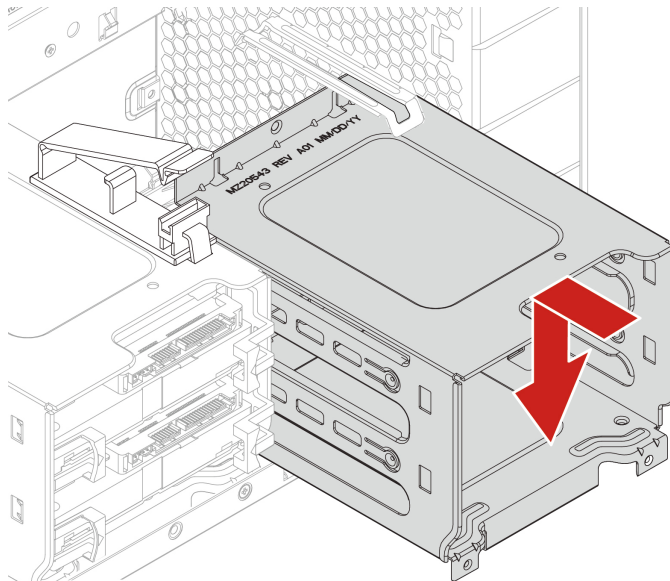
c. Secure the storage drive cage with three screws.
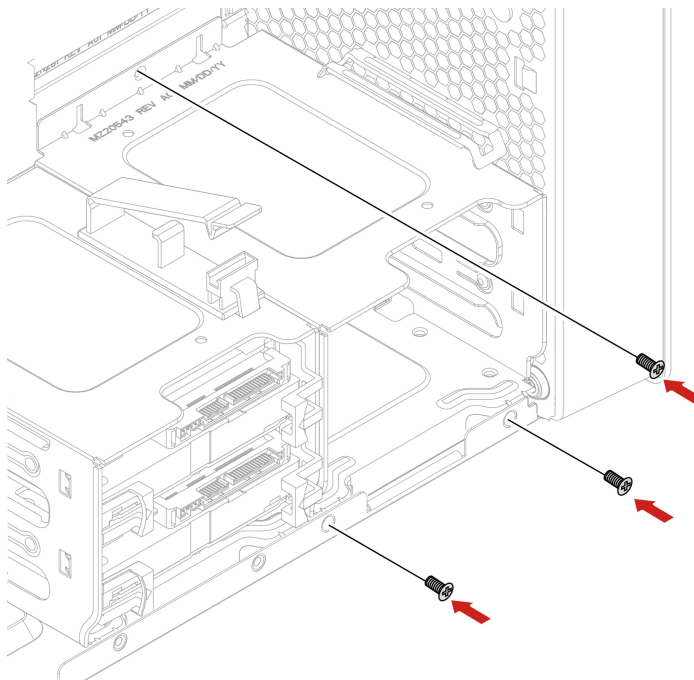
8. Slide the storage drives into the storage drive cage. Reconnect the removed cables to the storage drives. See "Storage drive in a storage drive bay" on page 68.

9. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

M.2 solid-state drive

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

**Attention:** The internal storage drive is sensitive. Inappropriate handling might cause damage and permanent loss of data. When handling the internal storage drive, observe the following guidelines:

• Replace the internal storage drive only for upgrade or repair. The internal storage drive is not designed for frequent changes or replacement.

• Before replacing the internal storage drive, make a backup copy of all the data that you want to keep.

• Do not touch the contact edge of the internal storage drive. Otherwise, the internal storage drive might get damaged.

• Do not apply pressure to the internal storage drive.

• Do not make the internal storage drive subject to physical shocks or vibration. Put the internal storage drive on a soft material, such as cloth, to absorb physical shocks.

An M.2 solid-state drive can be installed on the system board or on an M.2 solid-state drive PCIe adapter.

M.2 solid-state drive on the system board

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.

2. Lay the computer on its side for easier access to the M.2 solid-state drive slots.

3. Locate the M.2 solid-state drive. See "Internal storage drives" on page 7.

4. Remove the memory cooler and duct. See "Internal storage drives" on page 7.

5. Remove the heat sink for the M.2 solid-state drive.
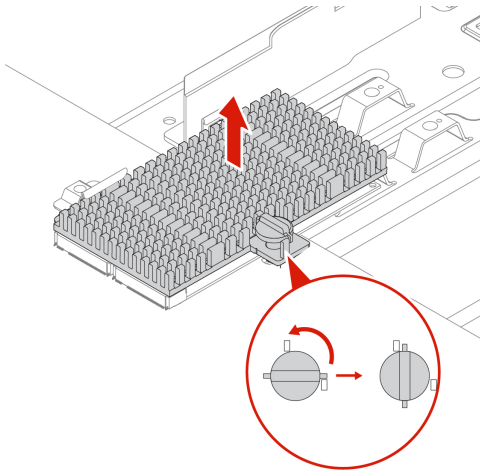
6. Remove the M.2 solid-state drive.
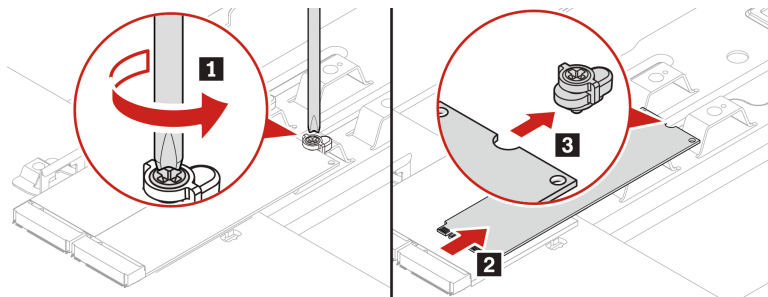
7. Install an M.2 solid-state drive.

   Notes:

   - Do not touch the circuit board of the M.2 solid-state drive.
   - If only one M.2 solid-state drive is installed, ensure that the drive is installed in the M.2 solid-state drive slot 1 (**19**). See "System board" on page 4.
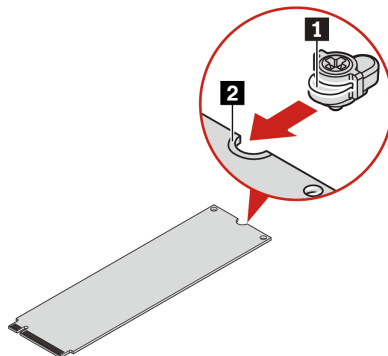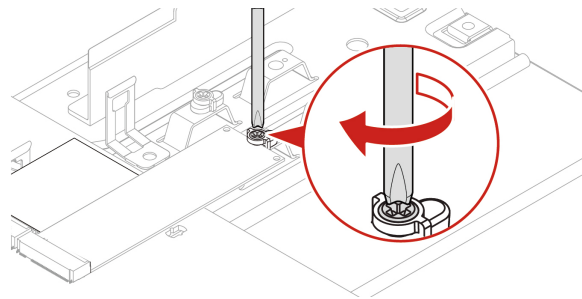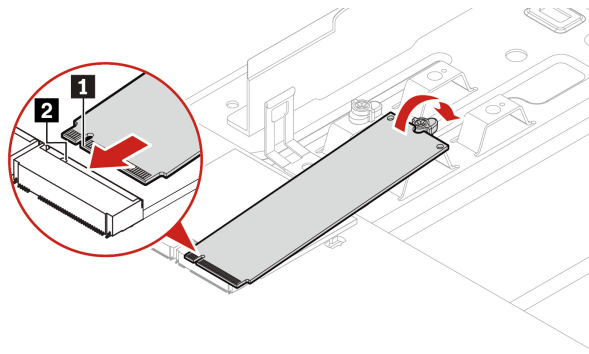
8. Install and secure the heat sink for the M.2 solid-state drive.
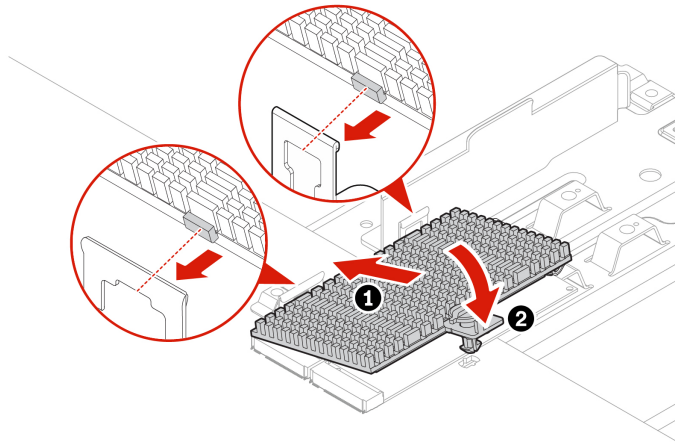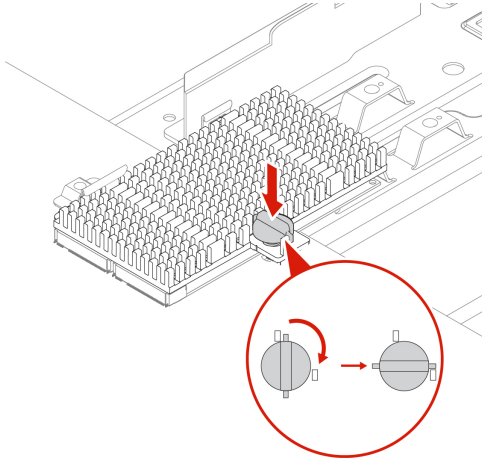
9. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

M.2 solid-state drive in an M.2 solid-state drive PCIe adapter

Install M.2 solid-state drives in the alphabetic order as shown.
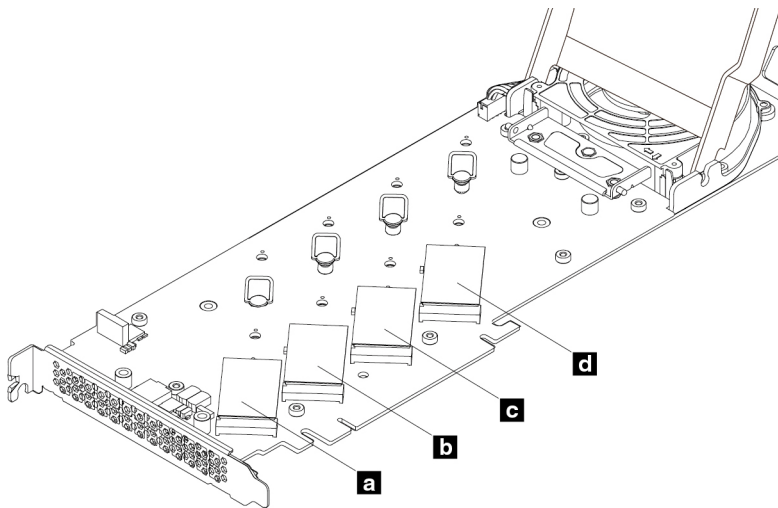
1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.

2. Remove the M.2 solid-state drive PCIe adapter from the PCIe card slot. See "Full-length PCIe card" on page 85.

3. Open the cover.
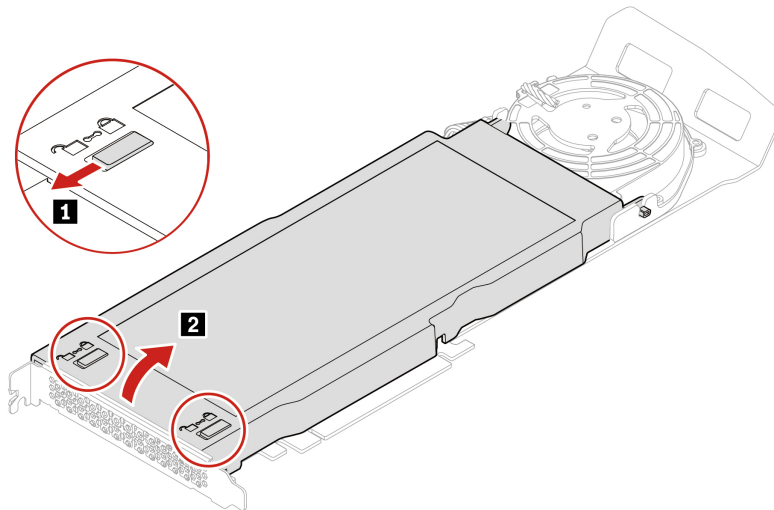
4. Remove the M.2 solid-state drive heat sink.
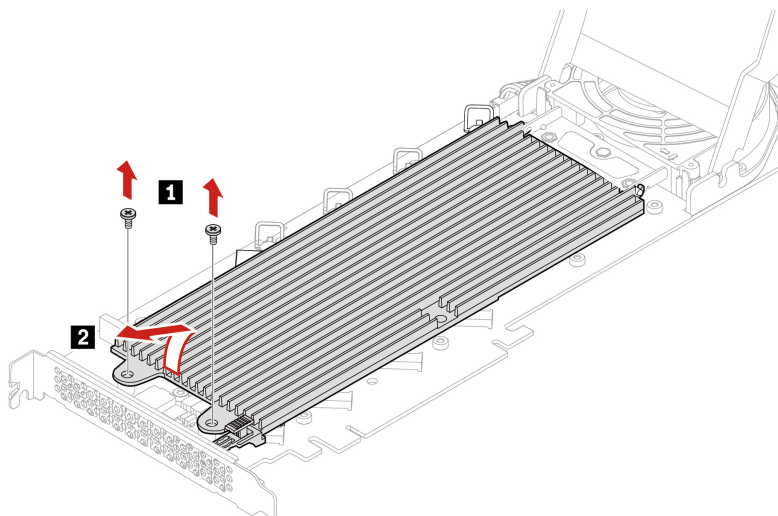
5. Pull the handle of the retention latch outward to release the M.2 solid-state drive. Then, remove the M.2 solid-state drive from the PCIe adapter.
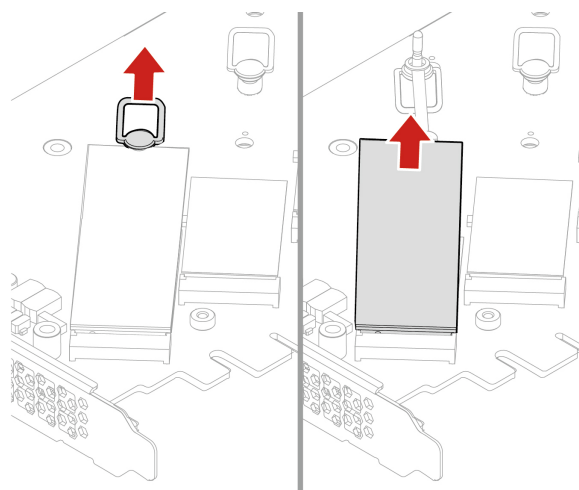
6. If necessary, move the retention latch to an appropriate location to suit the length of the new M.2 solid-state drive.
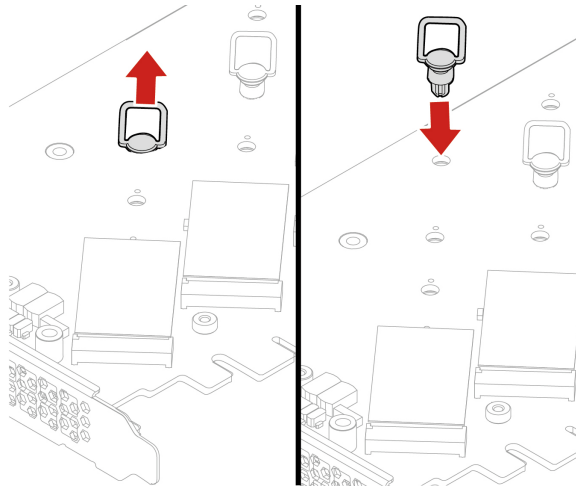
7. If necessary, remove the film on the thermal pad on which you want to install the M.2 solid-state drive. Pull the handle of the retention latch outward to the open position.
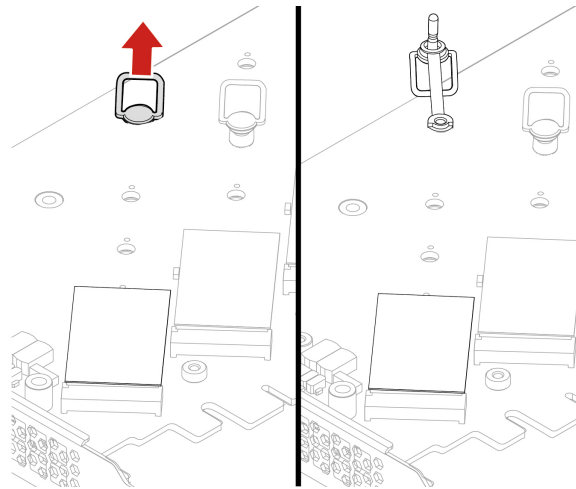
8. Install the M.2 solid-state drive. Then, insert the plug of the retention latch into the hole to secure the new drive.

   Note: Do not touch the circuit board of the M.2 solid-state drive.
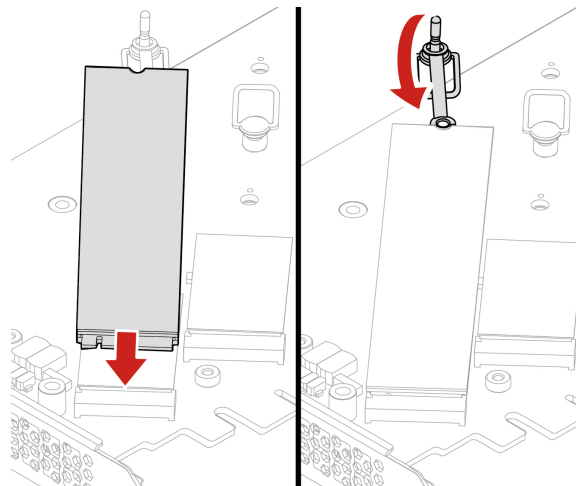
9. Install the heat sink for the M.2 solid-state drive.
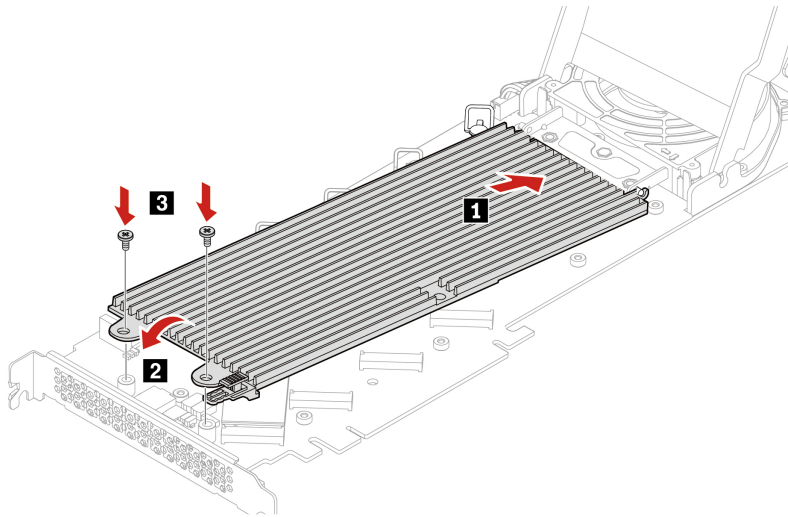
10. Close the cover.
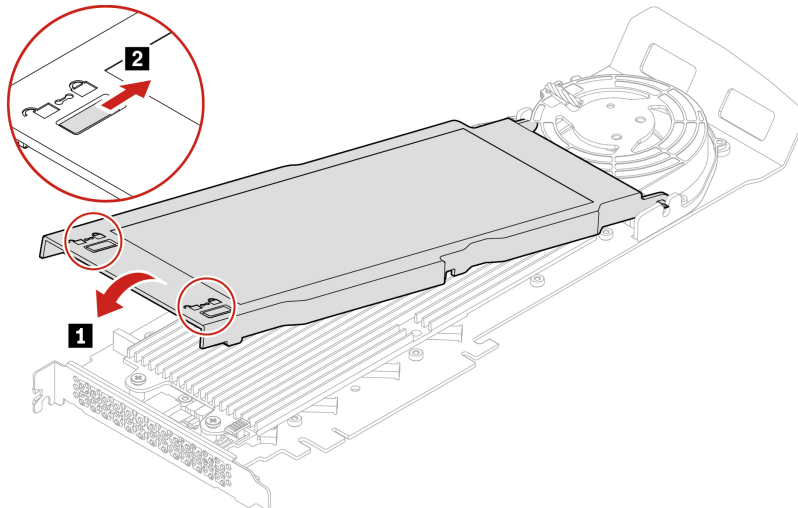
11. Install the M.2 solid-state drive PCIe adapter in a PCIe x16 card slot on the system board. See "System board" on page 4.

12. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

Power supply assembly

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

Although there are no moving parts in the computer after the power cord has been disconnected, the following warnings are required for your safety.

Keep fingers and other parts of your body away from hazardous, moving parts. If you suffer an injury, seek medical care immediately. Never remove the cover on a power supply or any part that has the following label attached.

Hazardous voltage, current, and energy levels are present inside any component that has this label attached. There are no serviceable parts inside these components. If you suspect a problem with one of these parts, contact a service technician.

Replacement procedure

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.

2. Remove the power supply assembly.
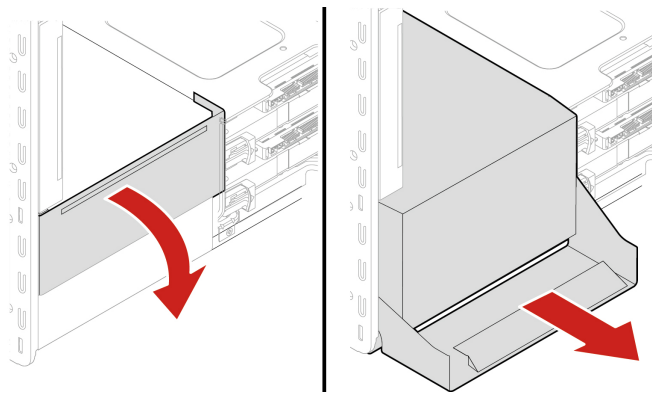
3. Install the power supply assembly.
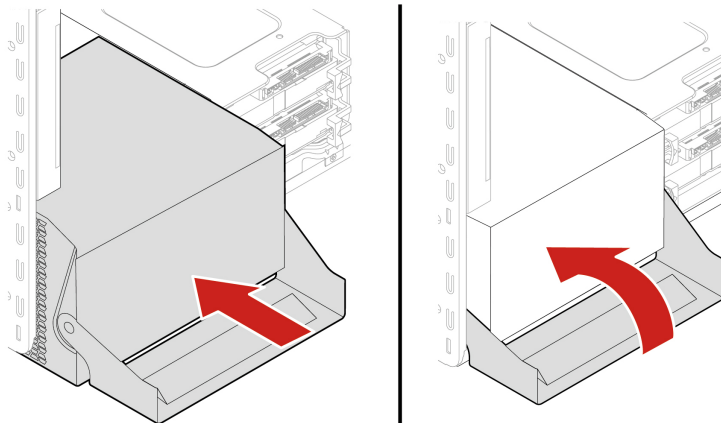
4. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

PCIe card

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

Install PCIe cards according to the corresponding slot types and the following illustrated installation order:
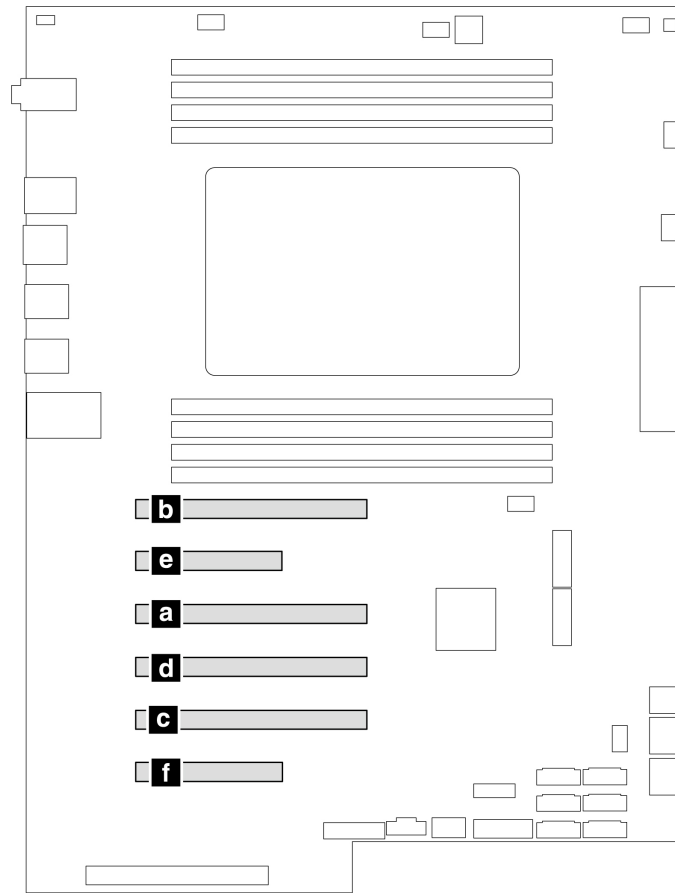
Figure 2. PCIe card installation order

Replacement procedure

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.
2. Lay the computer on its side for easier access to the system board.
3. Open the latch in the front fan assembly and remove the PCIe card retainer.

   Note: The PCIe card retainer is only available on some models.
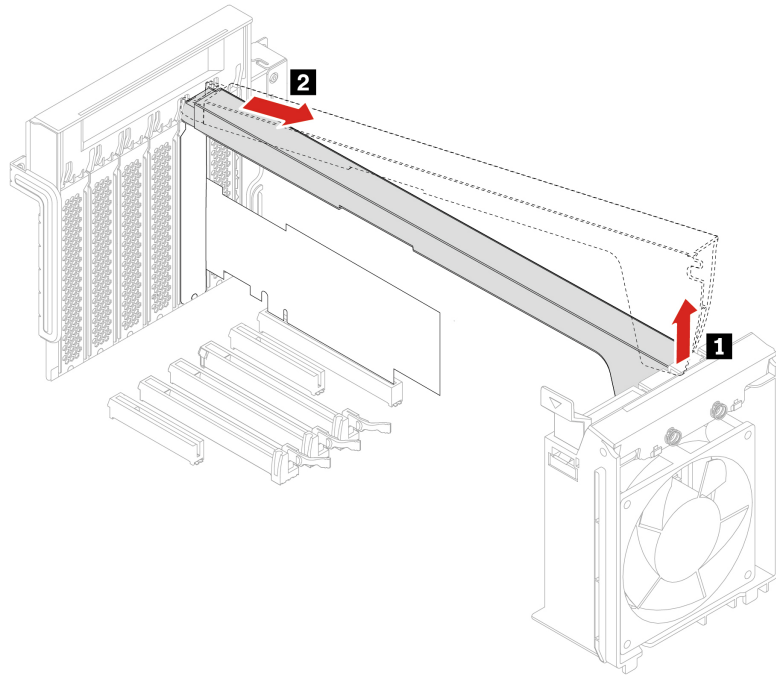
4. Remove the PCIe card.

   Note: The card might fit tightly into the slot. If necessary, alternately move each side of the card a small amount until the card is removed from the slot.
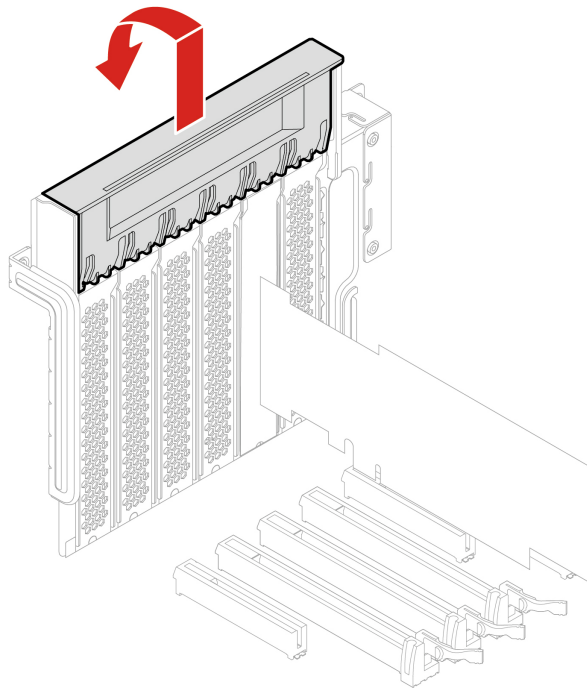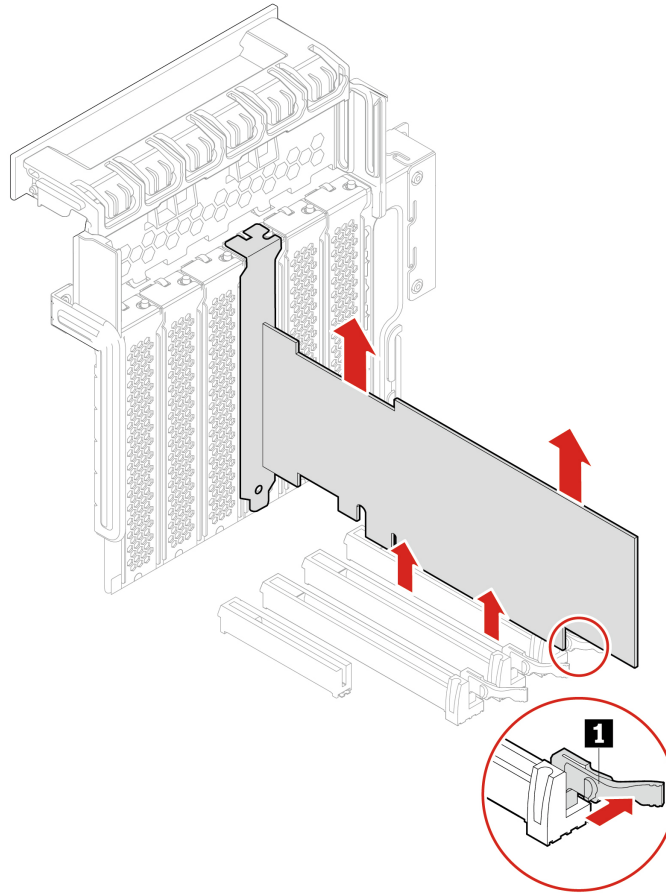
5. To install a new PCIe card, pivot the PCIe card latch to the open position.

6. Remove the appropriate metal slot cover. Install the new card into the appropriate slot on the system board. See "System board" on page 4.

7. Pivot the PCIe card latch and push it back in until it snaps into position.

8. Install a PCIe card retainer, if any.
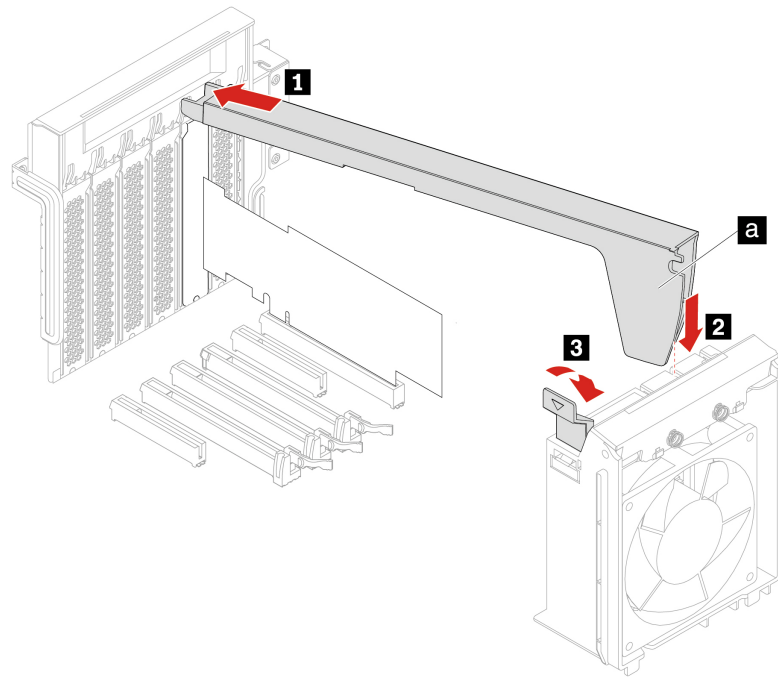
Full-length PCIe card

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

Replacement procedure

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.

2. Lay the computer on its side for easier access to the system board.

3. Open the PCIe card latch.
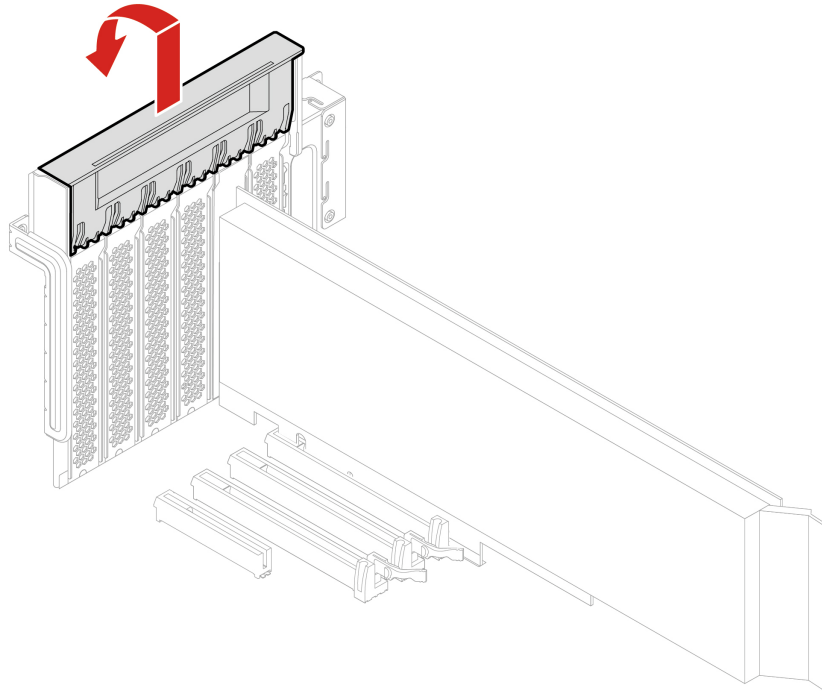
4. Open the latch in the front fan assembly.
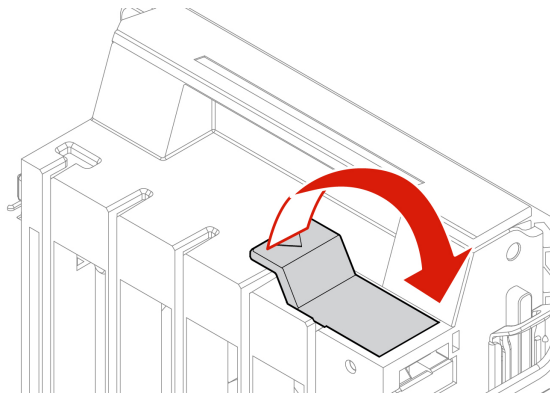
5. Disconnect the power cable from the full-length PCIe card. Then, remove the card.

   Note: The card might fit tightly into the slot. If necessary, alternately move each side of the card a small amount until the card is removed from the slot.
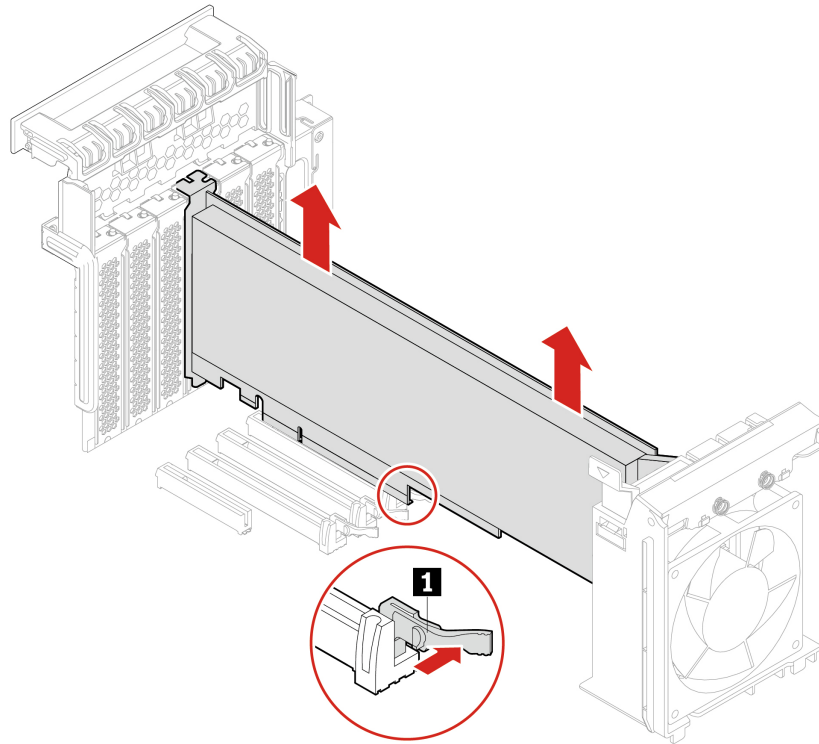
6. To install a full-length PCIe card:

   a. If you are installing a new full-length PCIe card, open PCIe card latch and remove the appropriate metal slot cover.

   b. Align the extender on the new full-length PCIe card with the corresponding slot in the front fan assembly. Then, install the new card into the appropriate slot on the system board. See "System board" on page 4.

      Note: It is recommended that you install the full-length PCIe card into a PCIe x16 card slot for best performance.

7. Pivot the PCIe card latch and push it back in until it snaps into position. Then, pivot the tab on the front fan assembly to close the latch inside.

8. Connect one end of the power cable to the new full-length PCIe card and the other end to the appropriate power connector on the system board. See "System board" on page 4.

9. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

Front fan assembly

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

CAUTION:

Keep fingers and other parts of your body away from hazardous, moving parts. If you suffer an injury, seek medical care immediately.

Replacement procedure

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.

2. Remove the following devices if any:

    • Full-length PCIe cards, see "Full-length PCIe card" on page 85

    • PCIe card retainer, see "PCIe card" on page 81

3. Remove the front fan assembly.

    Note: When you slide out the front fan assembly, avoid pulling the front-fan-assembly cable.
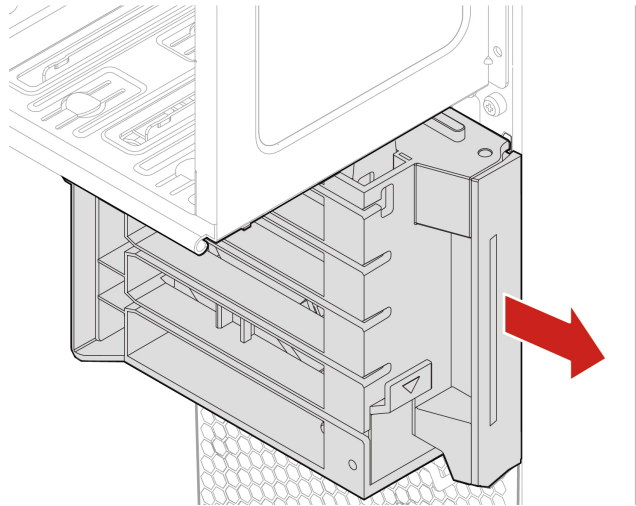
4. Disconnect the front-fan-assembly cable from the front-fan-assembly connector on the system board.

5. Connect the cable of the new front fan assembly to the front-fan-assembly connector on the system board. See "System board" on page 4.

6. Install a new front fan assembly.
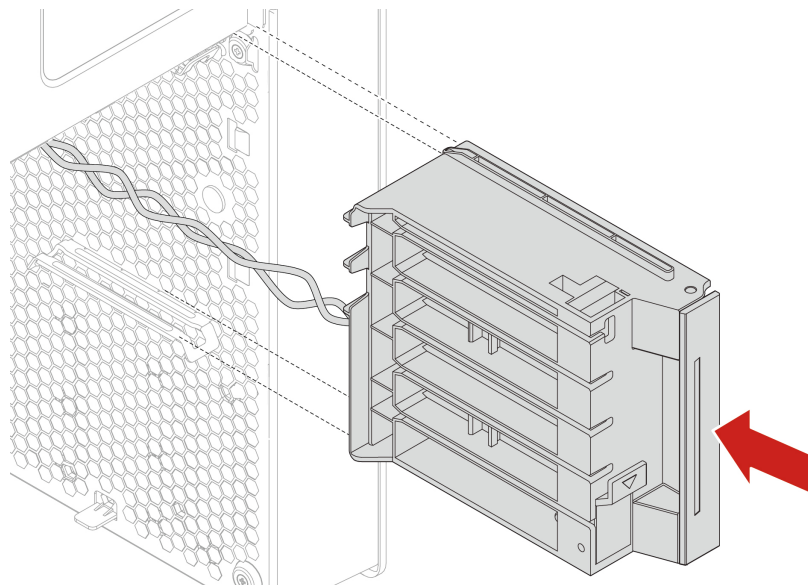
7. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

Rear fan assembly

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

CAUTION:

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**Keep fingers and other parts of your body away from hazardous, moving parts. If you suffer an injury, seek medical care immediately.**

Replacement procedure

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.

2. Disconnect the rear-fan-assembly cable from the rear-fan-assembly connector on the system board.

3. Remove the rear fan assembly by breaking or cutting the rubber mounts and gently pulling the rear fan assembly out of the chassis.
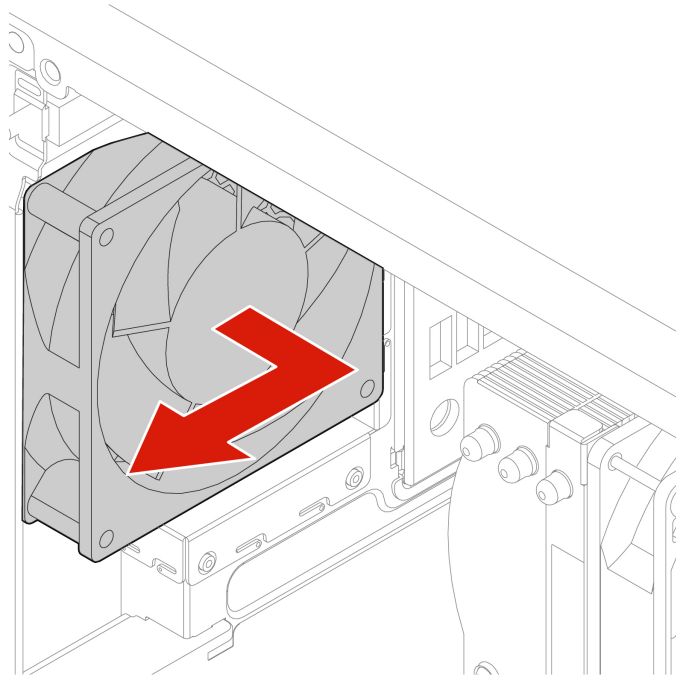
4. Install a new rear fan assembly.
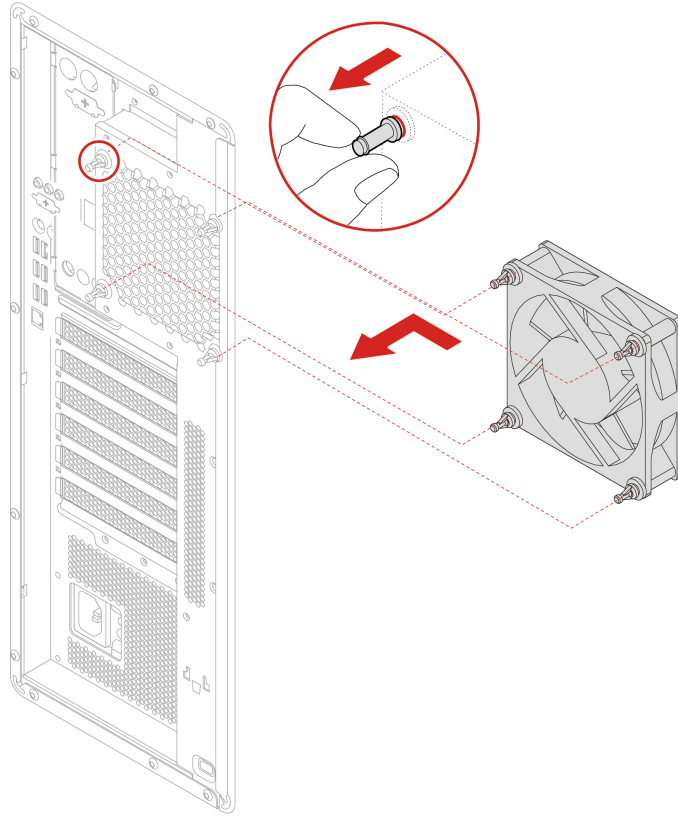
a. Connect the rear-fan-assembly cable to the rear-fan-assembly connector on the system board. See "System board" on page 4.

5. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

Memory module active cooler and duct

Prerequisite

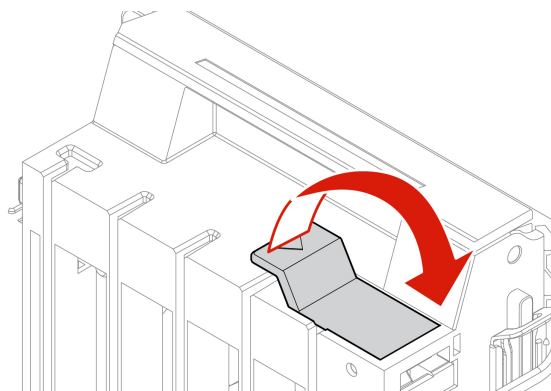Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

Replacement procedure

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.

2. Lay the computer on its side for easier access to the system board.

3. Remove the memory module active cooler and duct.
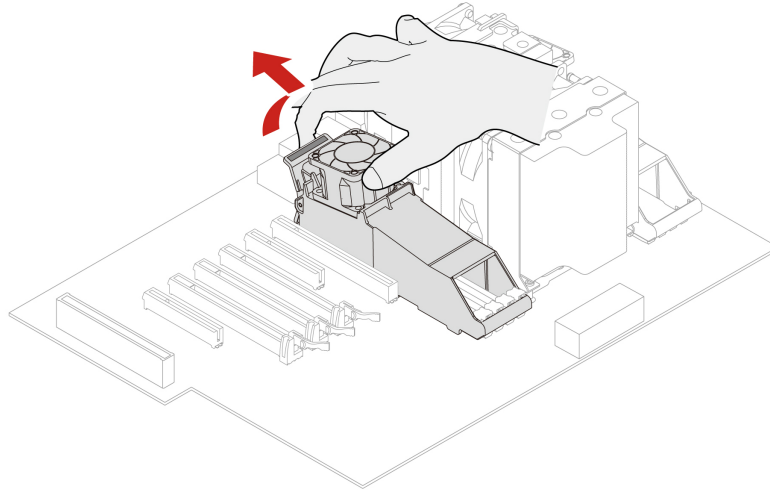
4. Install a memory module active cooler and duct.
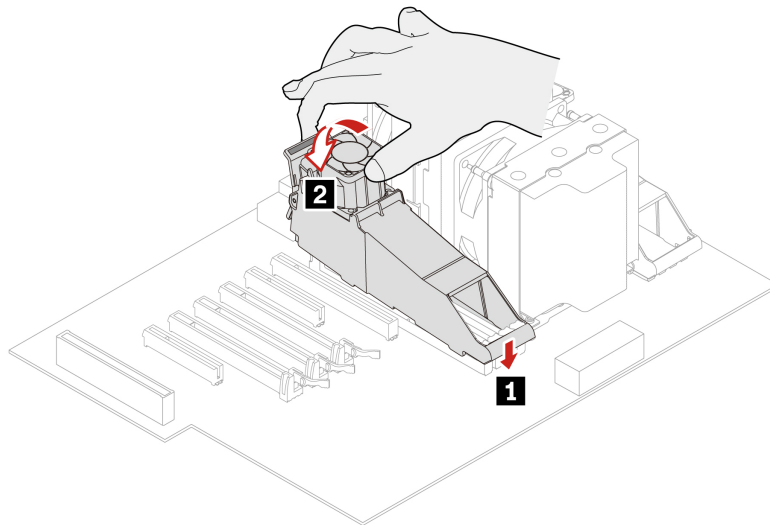
5. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

Memory module

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

Your computer has eight slots for installing DDR4 RDIMMs that provide up to a maximum of 512 GB system memory. When removing or installing a memory module, use the following guidelines:

- Use 16 GB, 32 GB, or 64 GB DDR4 ECC RDIMMs in any combination up to a maximum of 512 GB.
- Ensure that you follow the installation order for memory modules shown in the following table.

Memory modules	Installation order
one	Slot 7
two	Slot 7 and slot 8
Four	Slot 7, slot 8, slot 2, and slot 1
Eight	Slot 1 to slot 8

Replacement procedure

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.

2. Lay the computer on its side for easier access to the system board.

3. Remove the memory cooler and duct. See "Memory module active cooler and duct" on page 90.

4. Remove the memory module.
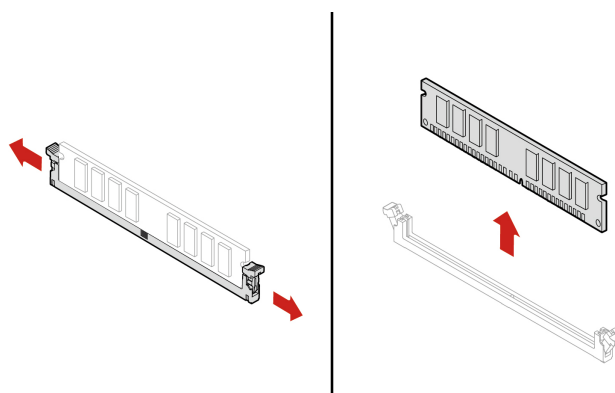
5. Install a memory module.
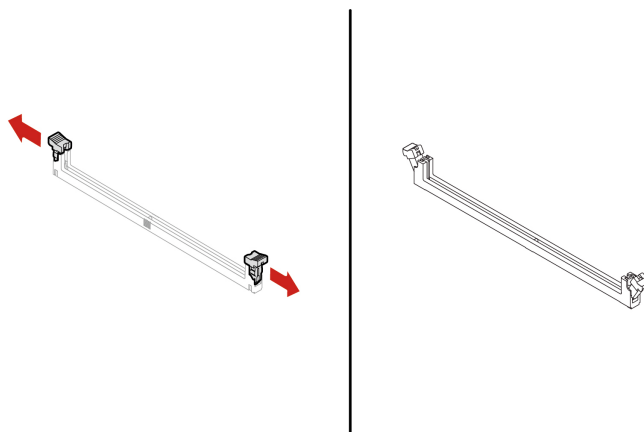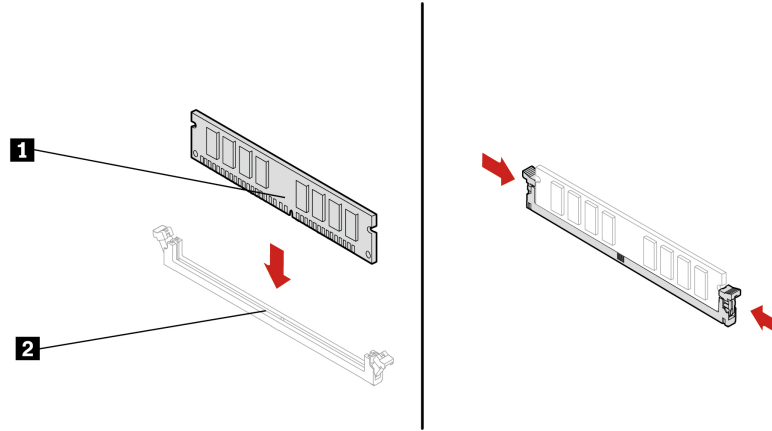
6. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

Coin-cell battery

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

Your computer has a special type of memory that maintains the date, time, and settings for built-in features, such as parallel connector assignments (configurations). A coin-cell battery keeps this information active when you turn off the computer.

The coin-cell battery normally requires no charging or maintenance throughout its life; however, no coin-cell battery lasts forever. If the coin-cell battery fails, the date and time information is lost. An error message is displayed when you turn on the computer.

Replacement procedure

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.
2. Disengage the latch.
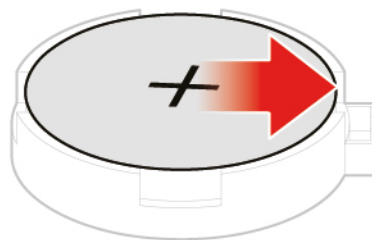
3. Remove the coin-cell battery.
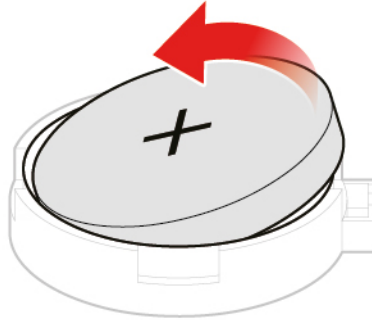
4. Install the coin-cell battery.
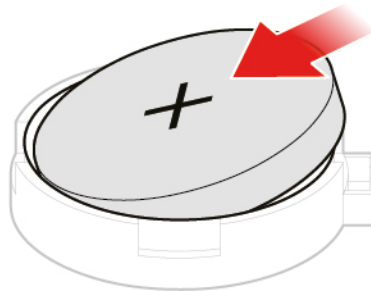
5. Secure the coin-cell battery with the latch.
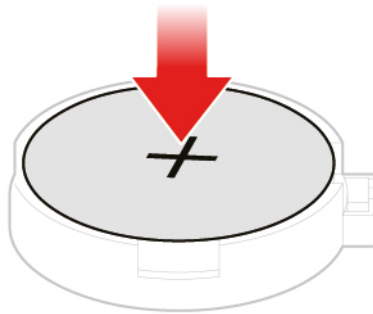
6. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

7. Reset the system date and time in the UEFI BIOS menu.

To dispose of the coin-cell battery, refer to the "Lithium coin-cell battery notice" in the *Safety and Warranty Guide*.

Wi-Fi units

Prerequisite

Before you start, read Appendix A "Important safety information" on page 105 and print the following instructions.

The Wi-Fi units include a Wi-Fi adapter, a Wi-Fi card, and a Wi-Fi antenna.

Replacement procedure

1. Remove the computer cover. See "Computer cover" on page 52.

2. Remove the Wi-Fi antenna.
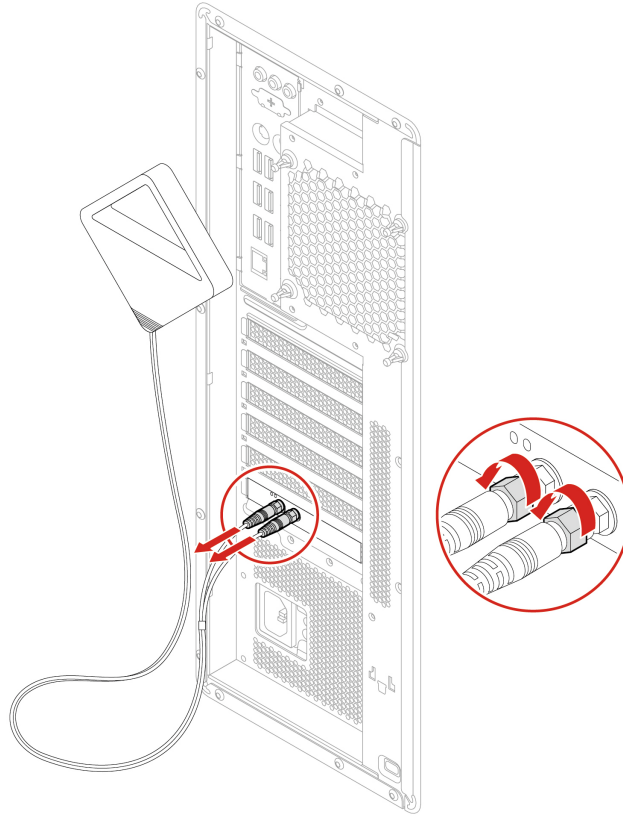
3. If your computer comes with a Wi-Fi card that supports the Bluetooth function, disconnect the Bluetooth cable from the Wi-Fi adapter.
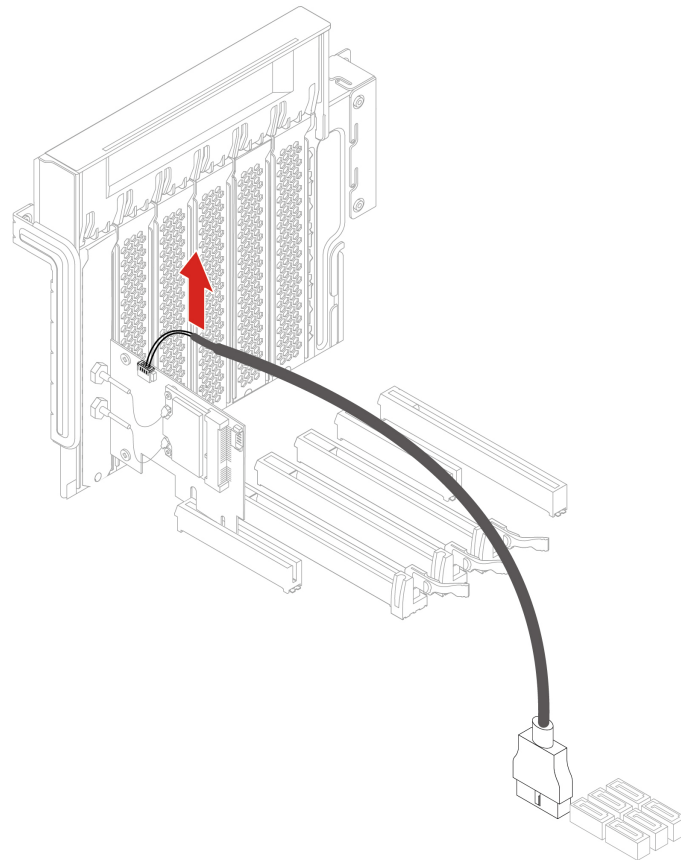
4. Open the PCIe card latch.
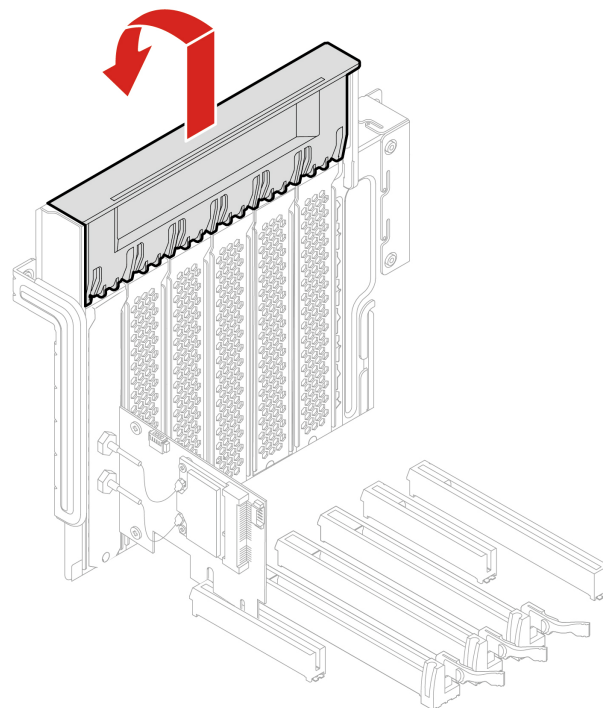
5. Remove the Wi-Fi adapter.

Note: The card might fit tightly into the slot. If necessary, alternately move each side of the card a small amount until the card is removed from the slot.
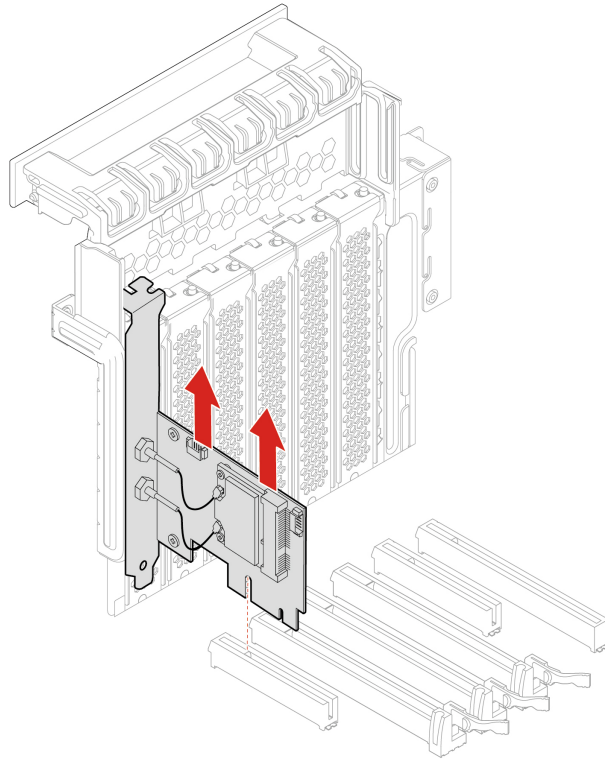
6. Remove the Wi-Fi card.
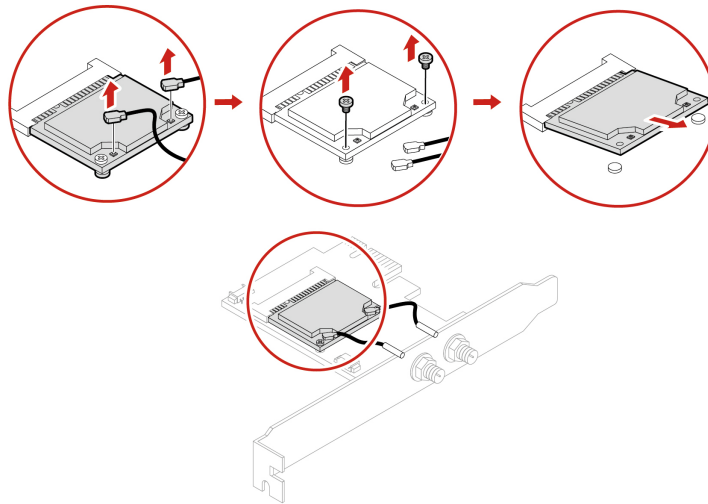
7. Install a new Wi-Fi card.
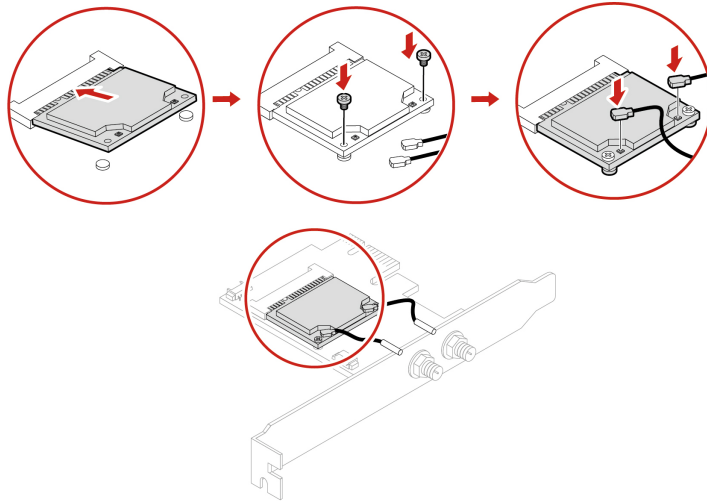
8. Install the Wi-Fi adapter into the PCIe card slot on the system board. See "System board" on page 4. Then, pivot the PCIe card latch and push it back in until it snaps into position.
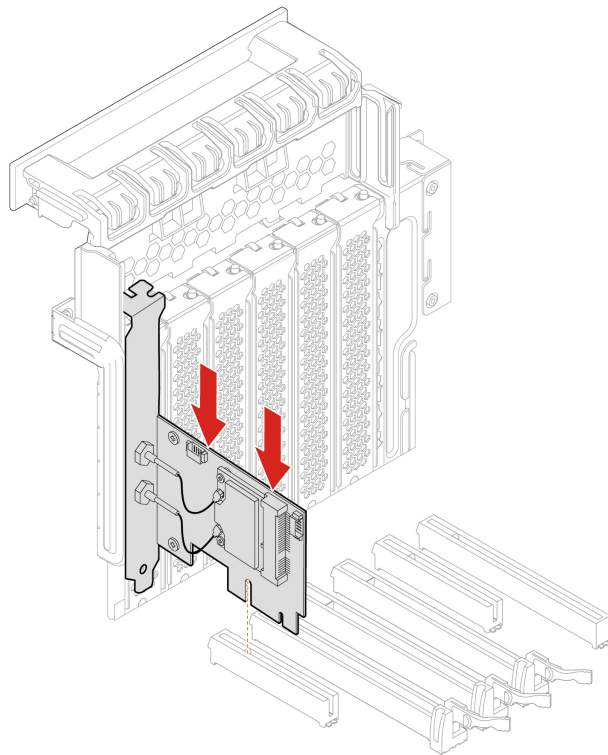
9. If the installed Wi-Fi card supports the Bluetooth function, connect a Bluetooth cable to the Wi-Fi adapter.

   Note: The Bluetooth cable connects the Bluetooth connector on the Wi-Fi adapter to one of the internal USB 2.0 connectors on the system board. See "System board" on page 4.

10. Install the Wi-Fi antenna.
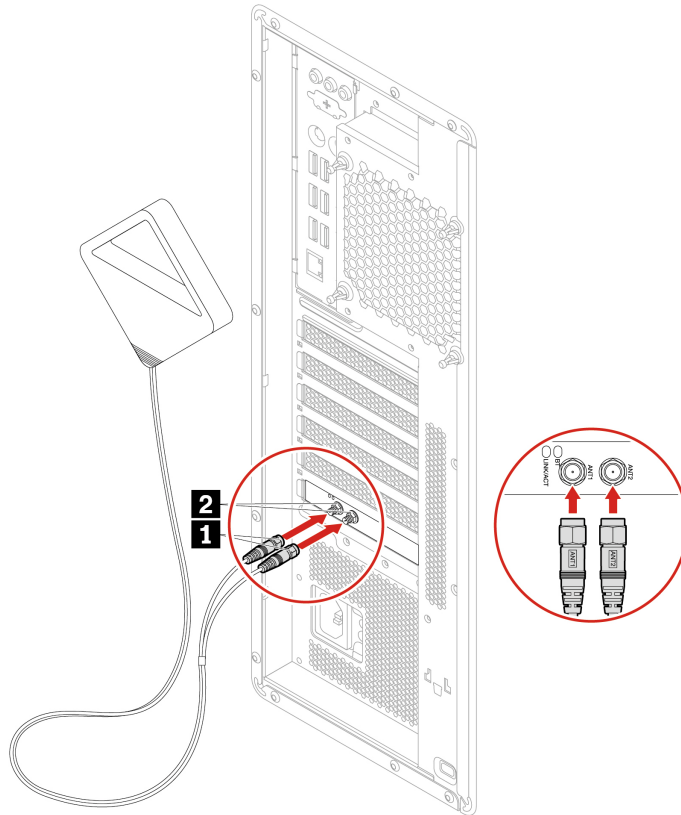
11. Tighten the Wi-Fi antenna cable connectors to secure them to the rear of the computer.

12. Reinstall all removed parts. Then, reconnect the power cord and all disconnected cables to the computer.

Chapter 9. Help and support

Self-help resources

Use the following self-help resources to learn more about the computer and troubleshoot problems.

Resources	How to access?
Use the Vantage app to: • Configure device settings. • Download and install UEFI BIOS, drivers and firmware updates. • Secure you computer from outside threats. • Diagnose hardware problems. • Check the computer warranty status. • Access *User Guide* and helpful articles. **Note:** The available features vary depending on the computer model.	Type `Vantage` in the search box.
Product documentation: • *Safety and Warranty Guide* • *Setup Guide* • This *User Guide* • *Regulatory Notice*	Go to https://pcsupport.lenovo.com. Then, follow the on-screen instructions to filter out the documentation you want.
Lenovo Support Web site with the latest support information of the following: • Drivers and software • Diagnostic solutions • Product and service warranty • Product and parts details • Knowledge base and frequently asked questions	https://pcsupport.lenovo.com
Windows help information	• Open the **Start** menu and click **Get Help** or **Tips**. • Use Windows Search or the Cortana® personal assistant. • Microsoft support Web site: https://support.microsoft.com

Call Lenovo

If you have tried to correct the problem yourself and still need help, you can call Lenovo Customer Support Center.

Before you contact Lenovo

Prepare the following before you contact Lenovo:

1. Record the problem symptoms and details:

    - What is the problem? Is it continuous or intermittent?
    - Any error message or error code?
    - What operating system are you using? Which version?
    - Which software applications were running at the time of the problem?
    - Can the problem be reproduced? If so, how?

2. Record the system information:

    - Product name
    - Machine type and serial number

      The following illustration shows where to find the machine type and serial number of your computer.
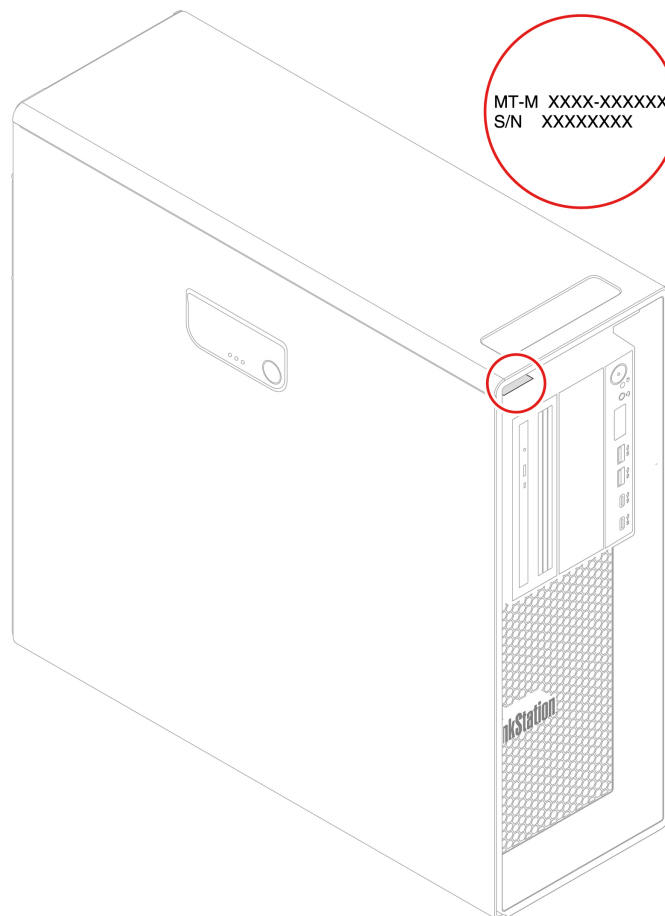
Lenovo Customer Support Center

During the warranty period, you can call Lenovo Customer Support Center for help.

Telephone numbers

For a list of the Lenovo Support phone numbers for your country or region, go to:
https://pcsupport.lenovo.com/supportphonelist

Note: Phone numbers are subject to change without notice. If the number for your country or region is not provided, contact your Lenovo reseller or Lenovo marketing representative.

Services available during the warranty period

- Problem determination - Trained personnel are available to assist you with determining if you have a hardware problem and deciding what action is necessary to fix the problem.
- Lenovo hardware repair - If the problem is determined to be caused by Lenovo hardware under warranty, trained service personnel are available to provide the applicable level of service.
- Engineering change management - Occasionally, there might be changes that are required after a product has been sold. Lenovo or your reseller, if authorized by Lenovo, will make selected Engineering Changes (ECs) that apply to your hardware available.

Services not covered

- Replacement or use of parts not manufactured for or by Lenovo or nonwarranted parts
- Identification of software problem sources
- Configuration of UEFI BIOS as part of an installation or upgrade
- Changes, modifications, or upgrades to device drivers
- Installation and maintenance of network operating systems (NOS)
- Installation and maintenance of programs

For the terms and conditions of the Lenovo Limited Warranty that apply to your Lenovo hardware product, see *Safety and Warranty Guide* that comes with your computer.

Purchase additional services

During and after the warranty period, you can purchase additional services from Lenovo at:
https://pcsupport.lenovo.com/warrantyupgrade

Service availability and service name might vary by country or region.

Appendix A. Important safety information

Safety notices

This information can help you safely use your computer. Follow and retain all information included with your computer. The information in this document does not alter the terms of your purchase agreement or the Limited Warranty. For more information, go to:

- https://www.lenovo.com/warranty/llw_02
- https://pcsupport.lenovo.com/warrantylookup

Customer safety is important. Our products are developed to be safe and effective. However, personal computers are electronic devices. Power cords, power adapters, and other features can create potential safety risks that can result in physical injury or property damage, especially if misused. To reduce these risks, follow the instructions included with your product, observe all warnings on the product and in the operating instructions, and review the information included in this document carefully. By carefully following the information contained in this document and provided with your product, you can help protect yourself from hazards and create a safer computer work environment. If the computer is used in a manner not specified by the manufacturer, the protection provided by the computer may be impaired.

Note: This information includes references to power adapters and batteries. In addition, some products (such as speakers and monitors) ship with external power adapters. If you have such a product, this information applies to your product. In addition, computer products contain a coin-sized internal battery that provides power to the system clock even when the computer is unplugged, so the battery safety information applies to all computer products.

Conditions that require immediate action

Products can become damaged due to misuse or neglect. Some product damage is serious enough that the product should not be used again until it has been inspected and, if necessary, repaired by an authorized servicer.

As with any electronic device, pay close attention to the product when it is turned on.

On very rare occasions, you might notice an odor or see a puff of smoke or sparks vent from your product. You might also hear sounds like popping, cracking, or hissing. These might merely mean that an internal electronic component has failed in a safe and controlled manner. Or, they might indicate a potential safety issue. Do not take risks or attempt to diagnose the situation yourself. Contact the Customer Support Center for further guidance. For a list of Service and Support phone numbers, see the following Web site:

https://pcsupport.lenovo.com/supportphonelist

Frequently inspect your computer and its components for damage, wear, or signs of danger. If you have any question about the condition of a component, do not use the product. Contact the Customer Support Center or the product manufacturer for instructions on how to inspect the product and have it repaired, if necessary.

In the unlikely event that you notice any of the following conditions, or if you have any safety concerns with your product, stop using the product and unplug it from the power source and telecommunication lines until you can speak to the Customer Support Center for further guidance.

- Power cords, plugs, power adapters, extension cords, surge protectors, or power supplies that are cracked, broken, or damaged.

- Signs of overheating, smoke, sparks, or fire.

- Damage to a battery (such as cracks, dents, or creases), discharge from a battery, or a buildup of foreign substances on the battery.

- A cracking, hissing, or popping sound, or strong odor that comes from the product.

- Signs that liquid has been spilled or an object has fallen onto the computer product, the power cord, or power adapter.

- The computer product, power cord, or power adapter has been exposed to water.

- The product has been dropped or damaged in any way.

- The product does not operate normally when you follow the operating instructions.

Note: If you notice these conditions with a product (such as an extension cord) that is not manufactured for or by Lenovo, stop using that product until you can contact the product manufacturer for further instructions, or until you get a suitable replacement.

Service and upgrades

Do not attempt to service a product yourself unless instructed to do so by the Customer Support Center or your documentation. Only use a Service Provider who is approved to repair your particular product.

Note: Some computer parts can be upgraded or replaced by the customer. Upgrades typically are referred to as options. Replacement parts approved for customer installation are referred to as Customer Replaceable Units, or CRUs. Lenovo provides documentation with instructions when it is appropriate for customers to install options or replace CRUs. You must closely follow all instructions when installing or replacing parts. The Off state of a power indicator does not necessarily mean that voltage levels inside a product are zero. Before you remove the covers from a product equipped with a power cord, always ensure that the power is turned off and that the product is unplugged from any power source. If you have any questions or concerns, contact the Customer Support Center.

Although there are no moving parts in the computer after the power cord has been disconnected, the following warnings are required for your safety.

Moving Parts:

Keep fingers and other parts of your body away from hazardous, moving parts. If you suffer an injury, seek medical care immediately.

Hot Surface:

Avoid contact with hot components inside the computer. During operation, some components become hot enough to burn the skin. Before you open the computer cover, turn off the computer, disconnect power, and wait approximately 10 minutes for the components to cool.

After replacing a CRU, reinstall all protective covers, including the computer cover, before connecting power and operating the computer. This action is important to help prevent unexpected electrical shock and help ensure the containment of an unexpected fire that could happen under extremely rare conditions.

Sharp Edges:

When replacing CRUs, be cautious of sharp edges or corners that might cause injury. If you suffer an injury, seek medical care immediately.

Power cords and power adapters

DANGER

Use only the power cords and power adapters supplied by the product manufacturer.

The power cords shall be safety approved. For Germany, it shall be H03VV-F, 3G, 0.75 mm², or better. For other countries, the suitable types shall be used accordingly.

Never wrap a power cord around a power adapter or other object. Doing so can stress the cord in ways that can cause the cord to fray, crack, or crimp. This can present a safety hazard.

Always route power cords so that they will not be walked on, tripped over, or pinched by objects.

Protect power cords and power adapters from liquids. For instance, do not leave your power cord or power adapter near sinks, tubs, toilets, or on floors that are cleaned with liquid cleansers. Liquids can cause a short circuit, particularly if the power cord or power adapter has been stressed by misuse. Liquids also can cause gradual corrosion of power cord terminals and/or the connector terminals on a power adapter, which can eventually result in overheating.

Ensure that all power cord connectors are securely and completely plugged into receptacles.

Do not use any power adapter that shows corrosion at the ac input pins or shows signs of overheating (such as deformed plastic) at the ac input pins or anywhere on the power adapter.

Do not use any power cords where the electrical contacts on either end show signs of corrosion or overheating or where the power cord appears to have been damaged in any way.

To prevent possible overheating, do not cover the power adapter with clothing or other objects when the power adapter is plugged into an electrical outlet.

Power cord notice

Note: The power cord and adapter provided with this product are intended to be used with this product only. Do not use them with any other products.

For your safety, Lenovo provides a power cord with a grounded attachment plug to use with this product. To avoid electrical shock, always use the power cord and plug with a properly grounded outlet.

Power cords provided by Lenovo in the United States and Canada are listed by Underwriter's Laboratories (UL) and certified by the Canadian Standards Association (CSA).

For units intended to be operated at 115 volts: Use a UL-listed and CSA-certified cord set consisting of a minimum 18 AWG, Type SVT or SJT, three-conductor cord, a maximum of 15 feet in length and a parallel blade, grounding-type attachment plug rated 10 amperes, 125 volts.

For units intended to be operated at 230 volts (U.S. use): Use a UL-listed and CSA-certified cord set consisting of a minimum 18 AWG, Type SVT or SJT, three-conductor cord, a maximum of 15 feet in length and a tandem blade, grounding-type attachment plug rated 10 amperes, 250 volts.

For units intended to be operated at 230 volts (outside the U.S.): Use a cord set with a grounding-type attachment plug. The cord set should have the appropriate safety approvals for the country in which the equipment will be installed.

Power cords provided by Lenovo for a specific country or region are usually available only in that country or region.

For units intended to be operated in Germany: The power cords must be safety approved. For Germany, it must be H05VV-F, 3G, 0.75 mm2, or better. For other countries, the suitable types must be used accordingly.

For units intended to be operated in Denmark: Use a cord set with a grounding-type attachment plug. The cord set should have the appropriate safety approvals for the country in which the equipment will be installed.

For units intended to be operated in Norway, Sweden, Finland: Use a cord set with a two-prong attachment plug. The cord set should have the appropriate safety approvals for the country in which the equipment will be installed.

If you intend to use your PC in a country or region that is different from your ordering location, please purchase an additional Lenovo power cord for the country or region where the PC will be used. Refer to the power cord guide provided in our Web site, https://pcsupport.lenovo.com, for details. Some countries and regions support multiple voltages, so make sure you order the appropriate power cord for the intended voltage.

Extension cords and related devices

Ensure that extension cords, surge protectors, uninterruptible power supplies, and power strips that you use are rated to handle the electrical requirements of the product. Never overload these devices. If power strips are used, the load should not exceed the power strip input rating. Consult an electrician for more information if you have questions about power loads, power requirements, and input ratings.

Plugs and outlets

⚠️**DANGER**

> If a receptacle (power outlet) that you intend to use with your computer equipment appears to be damaged or corroded, do not use the outlet until it is replaced by a qualified electrician.
>
> Do not bend or modify the plug. If the plug is damaged, contact the manufacturer to obtain a replacement.
>
> Do not share an electrical outlet with other home or commercial appliances that draw large amounts of electricity; otherwise, unstable voltage might damage your computer, data, or attached devices.
>
> Some products are equipped with a three-pronged plug. This plug fits only into a grounded electrical outlet. This is a safety feature. Do not defeat this safety feature by trying to insert it into a non-grounded outlet. If you cannot insert the plug into the outlet, contact an electrician for an approved outlet adapter or to replace the outlet with one that enables this safety feature. Never overload an electrical outlet. The overall system load should not exceed 80 percent of the branch circuit rating. Consult an electrician for more information if you have questions about power loads and branch circuit ratings.
>
> Be sure that the power outlet you are using is properly wired, easily accessible, and located close to the equipment. Do not fully extend power cords in a way that will stress the cords.
>
> Be sure that the power outlet provides the correct voltage and current for the product you are installing.
>
> Carefully connect and disconnect the equipment from the electrical outlet.

Power supply statement

Never remove the cover on a power supply or any part that has the following label attached.

Hazardous voltage, current, and energy levels are present inside any component that has this label attached. There are no serviceable parts inside these components. If you suspect a problem with one of these parts, contact a service technician.

External devices

CAUTION:
Do not connect or disconnect any external device cables other than Universal Serial Bus (USB) and 1394 cables while the computer power is on; otherwise, you might damage your computer. To avoid possible damage to attached devices, wait at least five seconds after the computer is shut down to disconnect external devices.

Lithium coin-cell battery notice

⚠️**DANGER**

Danger of explosion if battery is incorrectly replaced.

If the coin-cell battery is not a CRU, do not attempt to replace the coin-cell battery. Replacement of the battery must be done by a Lenovo-authorized repair facility or technician.

The Lenovo-authorized repair facilities or technicians recycle Lenovo batteries according to local laws and regulations.

⚠️

When replacing the lithium coin-cell battery, use only the same type or equivalent type that is recommended by the manufacturer. The battery contains lithium and can explode if not properly used, handled, or disposed of. Swallowing the lithium coin-cell battery will cause chocking or severe internal burns in just two hours and might even result in death.

Keep batteries away from children. If the lithium coin-cell battery is swallowed or placed inside any part of the body, seek medical care immediately.

Do not:

- Throw or immerse into water
- Heat to more than 100 °C (212°F)
- Repair or disassemble
- Leave in an extremely low air pressure environment
- Leave in an extremely high-temperature environment
- Crush, puncture, cut, or incinerate

Dispose of the battery as required by local ordinances or regulations.

The following statement applies to users in the state of California, U.S.A.

California Perchlorate Information:

Products containing manganese dioxide lithium coin-cell batteries may contain perchlorate.

Perchlorate Material - special handling may apply, see https://www.dtsc.ca.gov/hazardouswaste/perchlorate/.

Heat and product ventilation

⚠️

Computers, power adapters, and many accessories can generate heat when turned on and when batteries are charging. Always follow these basic precautions:

- Do not leave your computer, power adapter, or accessories in contact with your lap or any part of your body for an extended period when the products are functioning or when the battery is charging. Your

computer, power adapter, and many accessories produce some heat during normal operation. Extended contact with the body could cause discomfort or, potentially, a skin burn.

- Do not charge the battery or operate your computer, power adapter, or accessories near flammable materials or in explosive environments.
- Ventilation slots, fans, and heat sinks are provided with the product for safety, comfort, and reliable operation. These features might inadvertently become blocked by placing the product on a bed, sofa, carpet, or other flexible surface. Never block, cover, or disable these features.

Inspect your desktop computer for dust accumulation at least once every three months. Before inspecting your computer, turn off the power and unplug the computer's power cord from the electrical outlet; then remove any dust from vents and perforations in the bezel. If you notice external dust accumulation, then examine and remove dust from the inside of the computer including heat sink inlet fins, power supply vents, and fans. Always turn off and unplug the computer before opening the cover. If possible, avoid operating your computer within two feet of high-traffic areas. If you must operate your computer in or near a high-traffic area, inspect and, if necessary, clean your computer more frequently.

For your safety and to maintain optimum computer performance, always follow these basic precautions with your desktop computer:

- Keep the cover closed whenever the computer is plugged in.
- Regularly inspect the outside of the computer for dust accumulation.
- Remove dust from vents and any perforations in the bezel. More frequent cleanings might be required for computers in dusty or high-traffic areas.
- Do not restrict or block any ventilation openings.
- Do not store or operate your computer inside furniture, as this might increase the risk of overheating.
- Airflow temperatures into the computer should not exceed 35°C (95°F).
- Do not install air filtration devices. They may interfere with proper cooling.

Electrical current safety information

⚠️**DANGER**

Electric current from power, telephone, and communication cables is hazardous.

To avoid a shock hazard:

- **Do not use your computer during a lightning storm.**
- **Do not connect or disconnect any cables or perform installation, maintenance, or reconfiguration of this product during an electrical storm.**
- **Connect all power cords to a properly wired and grounded electrical outlet.**
- **Connect properly wired outlets to any equipment that will be attached to this product.**
- **Whenever possible, use one hand only to connect or disconnect signal cables.**
- **Never turn on any equipment when there is evidence of fire, water, or structural damage.**
- **Disconnect the attached power cords, battery, and all the cables before you open the device covers, unless instructed otherwise in the installation and configuration procedures.**
- **Do not use your computer until all internal parts enclosures are fastened into place. Never use the computer when internal parts and circuits are exposed.**

⚠️DANGER

> **Connect and disconnect cables as described in the following procedures when installing, moving, or opening covers on this product or attached devices.**
>
> **To connect:**
> 1. **Turn everything OFF.**
> 2. **First, attach all cables to devices.**
> 3. **Attach signal cables to connectors.**
> 4. **Attach power cords to outlets.**
> 5. **Turn devices ON.**
>
> **To disconnect:**
> 1. **Turn everything OFF.**
> 2. **First, remove power cords from outlets.**
> 3. **Remove signal cables from connectors.**
> 4. **Remove all cables from devices.**

The power cord must be disconnected from the wall outlet or receptacle before installing all other electrical cables connected to the computer.

The power cord may be reconnected to the wall outlet or receptacle only after all other electrical cables have been connected to the computer.

⚠️DANGER

> **During electrical storms, do not perform any replacement and do not connect the telephone cable to or disconnect it from the telephone outlet on the wall.**

Laser safety information

CAUTION:
When laser products (such as CD-ROMs, DVD drives, fiber optic devices, or transmitters) are installed, note the following:

- **Do not remove the covers. Removing the covers of the laser product could result in exposure to hazardous laser radiation. There are no serviceable parts inside the device.**

- **Use of controls or adjustments or performance of procedures other than those specified herein might result in hazardous radiation exposure.**

⚠️DANGER

> **Some laser products contain an embedded Class 3B laser diode. Note the following:**
> **Laser radiation when open. Do not stare into the beam, do not view directly with optical instruments, and avoid direct exposure to the beam.**

Liquid crystal display (LCD) notice

⚠️**DANGER**

To avoid shock hazards:

- **Do not remove the covers.**
- **Do not operate this product unless the stand is attached.**
- **Do not connect or disconnect this product during an electrical storm.**
- **The power cord plug must be connected to a properly wired and grounded power outlet.**
- **Any equipment to which this product will be attached must also be connected to properly wired and grounded power outlets.**
- **To isolate the monitor from the electrical supply, you must remove the plug from the power outlet. The power outlet should be easily accessible.**

Handling:

- If your monitor weighs more than 18 kg (39.68 lb), we recommend that it be moved or lifted by two people.

Product disposal (TFT monitors):

- The fluorescent lamp in the liquid crystal display contains mercury; dispose according to local, state, or federal laws.

Battery warnings:

- Risk of explosion if battery is replaced by an incorrect type.
- Dispose of used batteries according to the instructions.

Use earphones, headphones, or a headset

- If your computer has both a headphone connector and an audio line-out connector, always use the headphone connector for earphones, headphones, or a headset. However, the headphone connector does not support the microphone of the headset.
- If your computer has both a headset connector and an audio line-out connector, always use the headset connector for earphones, headphones, or a headset.

Excessive sound pressure from earphones and headphones can cause hearing loss. Adjustment of the equalizer to maximum increases the earphone and headphone output voltage and the sound pressure level. Therefore, to protect your hearing, adjust the equalizer to an appropriate level.

Excessive use of headphones or earphones for a long period of time at high volume can be dangerous if the output of the headphone or earphone connectors do not comply with specifications of EN 50332-2. The headphone output connector of your computer complies with EN 50332-2 Sub clause 7. This specification limits the computer's maximum wide band true RMS output voltage to 150 mV. To help protect against hearing loss, ensure that the headphones or earphones you use also comply with EN 50332-2 (Clause 7

Limits) or a wide band characteristic voltage of 75 mV. Using headphones that do not comply with EN 50332-2 can be dangerous due to excessive sound pressure levels.

If your Lenovo computer came with headphones or earphones in the packaging, as a set, the combination of the headphones or earphones and the computer already complies with the specifications of EN 50332-1. If different headphones or earphones are used, ensure that they comply with EN 50332-1 (Clause 6.5 Limitation Values). Using headphones that do not comply with EN 50332-1 can be dangerous due to excessive sound pressure levels.

Choking hazard notice

CHOKING HAZARD – Product contains small parts.

Keep away from children under three years.

Plastic bag notice

⚠️**DANGER**

Plastic bags can be dangerous. Keep plastic bags away from babies and children to avoid danger of suffocation.

Glass parts notice

CAUTION:
Some parts of your product may be made of glass. This glass could break if the product is dropped on a hard surface or receives a substantial impact. If glass breaks, do not touch or attempt to remove it. Stop using your product until the glass is replaced by trained service personnel.

Computer placement notices

Inappropriate computer placement might cause harm to children.

• Place the computer on a sturdy piece of low-rise furniture or furniture that has been anchored.

• Do not place the computer at the edge of the furniture.

• Keep the computer cables out of the reach of children.

• Some items, such as toys, might attract children. Keep such items away from the computer.

Supervise children in rooms where the above safety instructions cannot be fully implemented.

Hazardous energy statement

⚠️**DANGER**

> **Disconnect all power cords from electrical outlets before removing the computer cover or any part that has the above label attached.**

DO NOT disassemble components that have the above label attached. There are no serviceable parts inside these components.

Your product is designed for safe use. However, hazardous voltage, current, and energy levels are present inside any component that has this label attached. Disassembling of these components might cause fire or might even result in death. If you suspect a problem with one of these parts, contact a service technician.

CAUTION:

Bright Light, possible skin or eye damage. Disconnect power before servicing.

CAUTION:

Infrared Light, possible skin or eye damage. Disconnect power before servicing.

Eye comfort

The property of the display in combination with following notes result in reduced eye fatigue and increased comfort.

For tips on how to minimize visual fatigue, please go to https://www.lenovo.com/us/en/safecomp/ to visit "Minimizing Visual Fatigue".

Tip-over hazard prevention notice

The computer may cause harm to children if it is not located in an appropriate place. Follow the tips below to protect children from harm caused by the computer tipping over:

• Place the computers or monitors on sturdy furniture with a low base or furniture that has been anchored. Push the computers or monitors as far from the edge of the furniture as possible.

• Keep remote controls, toys, and other items that might attract children away from the computers or monitors

• Keep the computer or monitor cables out of the reach of children.

• Supervise children in rooms where these safety tips have not been followed.

CAUTION:
Some parts of your product may be made of glass. This glass could break if the product is dropped on a hard surface or receives a substantial impact. If glass breaks, do not touch it or attempt to remove it. Stop using your product until the glass is replaced by trained service personnel.

Static electricity prevention

Static electricity, although harmless to you, can seriously damage computer components and options. Improper handling of static-sensitive parts can damage the part. When you unpack an option or CRU, do not open the static-protective packaging containing the part until the instructions direct you to install it.

When you handle options or CRUs, or perform any work inside the computer, take the following precautions to avoid static-electricity damage:

- Limit your movement. Movement can cause static electricity to build up around you.
- Always handle components carefully. Handle adapters, memory modules, and other circuit boards by the edges. Never touch exposed circuitry.
- Prevent others from touching components.
- When you install a static-sensitive option or CRU, touch the static-protective packaging containing the part to a metal expansion-slot cover or other unpainted metal surface on the computer for at least two seconds. This reduces static electricity in the packaging and your body.
- When possible, remove the static-sensitive part from the static-protective packaging and install the part without setting it down. When this is not possible, place the static-protective packaging on a smooth, level surface and place the part on it.
- Do not place the part on the computer cover or other metal surface.

Operating environment

Maximum altitude (without pressurization)

- Operating: From -15.2 m (-50 ft) to 3048 m (10 000 ft)
- Storage: From -15.2 m (-50 ft) to 10 668 m (35 000 ft)

Temperature

- Operating: From 10°C (50°F) to 35°C (95°F)
- Storage in original shipping packaging: From -40°C (-40°F) to 60°C (140°F)
- Storage without packaging: From -10°C (14°F) to 60°C (140°F)

Note: If your computer is stored or transported in temperatures less than 10°C (50°F), allow the computer to rise slowly to an optimal operating temperature before use. This process might take up to two hours. Using the computer in a lower operating temperature might result in irreparable damage to your computer.

Relative humidity

- Operating: 10%-80% (non-condensing)
- Storage: 10%–90% (non-condensing)

Cleaning and maintenance

With appropriate care and maintenance, your computer will serve you reliably. The following topics offer information to help you keep your computer working with best performance.

Basic maintenance tips

Here are some basic points about keeping your computer functioning properly:

- Keep the computer in a clean, dry environment. Ensure that the computer rests on a flat, steady surface.

- Do not cover any of air vents. These air vents provide airflow to keep the computer from overheating.
- Keep electrical appliances such as an electric fan, radio, high-powered speakers, air conditioner, and microwave oven away from your computer because the strong magnetic fields generated by these appliances can damage the monitor and data on the storage drive.
- Keep food and drinks away from all parts of the computer. Food particles and spills might make the keyboard and mouse stick and unusable.
- Do not get the power switches or other controls wet. Moisture can damage these parts and cause an electrical hazard.
- Always disconnect a power cord by grasping the plug instead of the cord.
- Keep the computer software, device drivers, and operating system up-to-date.
- Empty your recycle bin on a regular basis.
- Clean out your Inbox, Sent Items, and Deleted Items folders in your e-mail application on a regular basis.
- Clean up files and free up storage drive space and memory space occasionally to prevent performance problems.
- Keep a log book. Entries might include major software or hardware changes, device-driver updates, intermittent problems and what you did to resolve them, and other issues you might have experienced. The cause of a problem might be change in hardware, change in software, or any other actions that might have taken place. A log book can help you or a Lenovo technician determine the cause of a problem.
- Back up your data on the storage drive regularly. You can restore the storage drive from a backup.
- Create a recovery medium as early as possible. You can use the recovery medium to recover your operating system even if Windows fails to start up.
- Get the most up-to-date operating system update patches, software programs, and device drivers.

Maintenance tips about moving the computer

Before moving the computer, take the following precautions:

1. Back up your data on the storage drive.
2. Remove any media from the drives and turn off all connected devices and the computer. Then, disconnect all power cords from electrical outlets and disconnect all cables that are connected to the computer.
3. If you saved the original shipping cartons and packing materials, use them to pack the units. If you are using different cartons, cushion the units to avoid damage.

When you move the computer to another country or region, you must take local electrical standards into consideration. If the local electrical outlet style is different from the type you are currently using, contact the Lenovo Customer Support Center to purchase either an electrical plug adapter or a new power cord.

Clean your computer

CAUTION:
Remove any media from the drives and turn off all connected devices and the computer. Then, disconnect all power cords from electrical outlets and disconnect all cables that are connected to the computer.

It is a good practice to clean your computer periodically to protect the surfaces and ensure trouble-free operation.

Clean the computer surface: Wipe it with a lint-free cloth dampened in mild soap and water. Avoid applying liquids directly to the surface.

Clean the keyboard: Wipe the keys one by one with a lint-free cloth dampened in mild soap and water. If you wipe several keys at a time, the cloth might hook onto an adjacent key and possibly damage it. Avoid spraying cleaner directly onto the keyboard. To remove any crumbs or dust from beneath the keys, you can use a camera blower with a brush or use cool air from a hair dryer.

Clean the computer screen: Scratches, oil, dust, chemicals, and ultraviolet light can affect the performance of your computer screen. Use a dry, soft lint-free cloth to wipe the screen gently. If you see a scratchlike mark on your screen, it might be a stain. Wipe or dust the stain gently with a soft, dry cloth. If the stain remains, moisten a soft, lint-free cloth with water or eyeglass cleaner, but do not apply liquids directly to your computer screen. Ensure that the computer screen is dry before closing it.

Appendix B. System memory speed

The AMD Threadripper Pro microprocessor families compatible with this ThinkStation computer feature an integrated memory controller, which provides the microprocessor with direct access to the system memory. Because of this design, the system memory speed will be determined by a number of factors, including the microprocessor model and the type, speed, size (capacity), and number of DIMMs installed.

Notes:

- The actual system memory speed of the memory modules varies depending on the microprocessor model. For example, your computer comes with 2666 MT/s memory modules, but microprocessor only supports up to 2400 MT/s memory modules. Then the system memory speed will be no faster than 2400 MT/s.
- The microprocessor models supported in your computer might vary. For a list of supported microprocessor models, contact the Lenovo Customer Support Center.

Appendix C. Accessibility and ergonomic information

This chapter provides information about accessibility and ergonomics.

Accessibility information

Lenovo is committed to providing users who have hearing, vision, and mobility limitations with greater access to information and technology. This section provides information about the ways these users can get the most out of their computer experience. You also can get the most up-to-date accessibility information from the following Web site:
https://www.lenovo.com/accessibility

Keyboard shortcuts

The following list contains keyboard shortcuts that can help make your computer easier to use.

Note: Depending on your keyboard, some of the following keyboard shortcuts might not be available.

- **Windows logo key + U**: Open Ease of Access Center
- **Right Shift for eight seconds**: Turn on or turn off Filter Keys
- **Shift five times**: Turn on or turn off Sticky Keys
- **Num Lock for five seconds**: Turn on or turn off Toggle Keys
- **Left Alt+Left Shift+Num Lock**: Turn on or turn off Mouse Keys
- **Left Alt+Left Shift+PrtScn (or PrtSc)**: Turn on or turn off High Contrast

For more information, go to https://windows.microsoft.com, and then search using any of the following keywords: `keyboard shortcuts`, `key combinations`, `shortcut keys`.

Ease of Access Center

Ease of Access Center on the Windows operating system enables you to configure your computers to suit their physical and cognitive needs.

To access Ease of Access Center:
1. Go to **Control Panel** and view by Category.
2. Click **Ease of Access ➙ Ease of Access Center**.
3. Choose the appropriate tool by following the on-screen instructions.

Ease of Access Center mainly includes the following tools:

- Magnifier

  Magnifier is a useful utility that enlarges the entire screen or part of the screen so that you can see the items better.

- Narrator

  Narrator is a screen reader that reads what is displayed on the screen aloud and describes events such as error messages.

- On-Screen Keyboard

  If you prefer to type or enter data into your computer using a mouse, joystick, or other pointing device instead of a physical keyboard, you can use On-Screen Keyboard. On-Screen Keyboard displays a visual

keyboard with all the standard keys. You can select keys using the mouse or another pointing device, or you can tap to select the keys if your computer supports multi-touch screen.

- High Contrast

  High Contrast is a feature that heightens the color contrast of some text and images on your screen. As a result, those items are more distinct and easier to identify.

- Personalized keyboard

  Adjust keyboard settings to make your keyboard easier to use. For example, you can use your keyboard to control the pointer and make the keyboard easier to type certain key combinations.

- Personalized mouse

  Adjust mouse settings to make your mouse easier to use. For example, you can change the pointer appearance and make your mouse easier to manage windows.

Speech Recognition

Speech Recognition enables you to control your computer by voice.

You can use verbal instructions to control the keyboard and mouse. With verbal instructions, you can start programs, open menus, click objects on the screen, dictate text into documents, and write and send e-mails.

To use Speech Recognition:

1. Go to **Control Panel** and view by Category.
2. Click **Ease of Access ➔ Speech Recognition**.
3. Follow the on-screen instructions.

Screen-reader technologies

Screen-reader technologies are primarily focused on software program interfaces, help systems, and various online documents. For additional information about screen readers, see the following:

- Use PDFs with screen readers:

  https://www.adobe.com/accessibility.html?promoid=DJGVE

- Use the JAWS screen reader:

  https://www.freedomscientific.com/Products/Blindness/JAWS

- Use the NVDA screen reader:

  https://www.nvaccess.org/

Screen resolution

You can make the text and images on your screen easier to read by adjusting the screen resolution of your computer.

To adjust the screen resolution:

1. Right-click an empty area of the desktop and then click **Display settings ➔ Display**.
2. Follow the on-screen instructions.

Note: Setting a resolution too low might prevent some items from fitting on the screen.

Customizable item size

You can make the items on your screen easier to read by changing the item size.

- To change the item size temporarily, use the Magnifier tool in Ease of Access Center.
- To change the item size permanently:

– Change the size of all the items on your screen.

    1. Right-click an empty area of the desktop and then click **Display settings ➙ Display**.

    2. Change the item size by following the on-screen instructions. For some applications, your configuration might not take effect until you sign out and then sign in again.

– Change the size of the items on a Web page.

Press and hold Ctrl, and then press the plus-sign key (+) to enlarge or the minus-sign key (–) to reduce the text size.

– Change the size of the items on the desktop or a window.

Note: This function might not work on some windows.

If your mouse has a wheel, press and hold Ctrl, and then scroll the wheel to change the item size.

Industry-standard connectors

Your computer provides industry-standard connectors that enable you to connect assistive devices.

Documentation in accessible formats

Lenovo provides electronic documentation in accessible formats, such as properly tagged PDF files or HyperText Markup Language (HTML) files. Lenovo electronic documentation is developed to ensure that visually impaired users can read the documentation through a screen reader. Each image in the documentation also includes adequate alternative text so that visually impaired users can understand the image when they use a screen reader.

Ergonomic information

Good ergonomic practice is important to get the most from your personal computer and to avoid discomfort. Arrange your workplace and the equipment you use to suit your individual needs and the kind of work that you perform. In addition, use healthy work habits to maximize your performance and comfort when using your computer.

Working in the virtual office might mean adapting to frequent changes in your environment. Adapting to the surrounding light sources, active seating, and the placement of your computer hardware, can help you improve your performance and achieve greater comfort.

This example shows someone in a conventional setting. Even when not in such a setting, you can follow many of these tips. Develop good habits, and they will serve you well.

General posture: Make minor modifications in your working posture to deter the onset of discomfort caused by long periods of working in the same position. Frequent short breaks from your work also help to prevent minor discomfort associated with your working posture.

Display: Position the display to maintain a comfortable viewing distance of 510 mm to 760 mm (20 inches to 30 inches). Avoid glare or reflections on the display from overhead lighting or outside sources of light. Keep the display screen clean and set the brightness to levels that enable you to see the screen clearly. Press the brightness control keys to adjust display brightness.

Head position: Keep your head and neck in a comfortable and neutral (vertical, or upright) position.

Chair: Use a chair that gives you good back support and seat height adjustment. Use chair adjustments to best suit your comfort posture.

Arm and hand position: If available, use chair arm rests or an area on your working surface to provide weight support for your arms. Keep your forearms, wrists, and hands in a relaxed and neutral (horizontal) position. Type with a soft touch without pounding the keys.

Leg position: Keep your thighs parallel to the floor and your feet flat on the floor or on a footrest.

Appendix D. Supplemental information about the Ubuntu operating system

In limited countries or regions, Lenovo offers customers an option to order computers with the preinstalled Ubuntu® operating system.

If the Ubuntu operating system is available on your computer, read the following information before you use the computer. Ignore any information related to Windows-based programs, utilities, and Lenovo preinstalled applications in this documentation.

Access the Lenovo Limited Warranty

This product is covered by the terms of the Lenovo Limited Warranty (LLW), version L505-0010-02 08/2011. You can view the LLW in a number of languages from the following Web site. Read the Lenovo Limited Warranty at:
https://www.lenovo.com/warranty/llw_02

The LLW also is preinstalled on the computer. To access the LLW, go to the following directory:

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/opt/Lenovo
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If you cannot view the LLW either from the Web site or from your computer, contact your local Lenovo office or reseller to obtain a printed version of the LLW.

Access the Ubuntu help system

The Ubuntu help system provides information about how to use the Ubuntu operating system. To access the help system from Home Screen, move your pointer to the Launch bar, and then click the **Help** icon. If you cannot find the **Help** icon from the Launch bar, click the **Search** icon on the bottom left, and type Help to search it.

To learn more about the Ubuntu operating system, go to:
https://www.ubuntu.com

Get support information

If you need help, service, technical assistance, or more information about the Ubuntu operating system or other applications, contact the provider of the Ubuntu operating system or the provider of the application. If you need the service and support for hardware components shipped with your computer, contact Lenovo. For more information about how to contact Lenovo, refer to the *User Guide* and *Safety and Warranty Guide*.

To access the latest *User Guide* and *Safety and Warranty Guide*, go to:
https://pcsupport.lenovo.com

Appendix E. Compliance and TCO Certified information

This chapter provides regulatory, environmental, RoHS, and ENERGY STAR information about Lenovo products.

Radio frequency compliance statements

Computer models equipped with wireless communications comply with the radio frequency and safety standards of any country or region in which it has been approved for wireless use.

Besides this document, ensure that you read the *Regulatory Notice* for your country or region before using the wireless devices contained in your computer.

Locate wireless regulatory notices

For more information about the wireless regulatory notices, refer to the *Regulatory Notice* at: https://pcsupport.lenovo.com

European Union-compliance with the Radio Equipment Directive

- **For computer models with wireless radio devices:**

  This product is in conformity with all the requirements and essential norms that apply to EU Council Radio Equipment Directive 2014/53/EU on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to radio equipment. The full text of the system EU declaration of conformity is available at: https://www.lenovo.com/us/en/compliance/eu-doc

  Lenovo cannot accept responsibility for any failure to satisfy the protection requirements resulting from a non-recommended modification of the product, including the installation of option cards from other manufacturers. This product has been tested and found to comply with the limits for Class B equipment according to European Standards harmonized in the Directives in compliance. The limits for Class B equipment were derived for typical residential environments to provide reasonable protection against interference with licensed communication devices.

- **For computer models without wireless radio devices:**

  The full text of the system EU declaration of conformity is available at: https://www.lenovo.com/us/en/compliance/eu-doc

  Lenovo cannot accept responsibility for any failure to satisfy the protection requirements resulting from a non-recommended modification of the product, including the installation of option cards from other manufacturers. This product has been tested and found to comply with the limits for Class B equipment according to European Standards harmonized in the Directives in compliance. The limits for Class B equipment were derived for typical residential environments to provide reasonable protection against interference with licensed communication devices.

Brazil

Este equipamento não tem direito à proteção contra interferência prejudicial e não pode causar interferência em sistemas devidamente autorizados.

This equipment is not protected against harmful interference and may not cause interference with duly authorized systems.

Mexico

Advertencia: En Mexico la operación de este equipo está sujeta a las siguientes dos condiciones: (1) es posible que este equipo o dispositivo no cause interferencia perjudicial y (2) este equipo o dispositivo debe aceptar cualquier interferencia, incluyendo la que pueda causar su operación no deseada.

Singapore

Complies with
IMDA Standards
DB102306
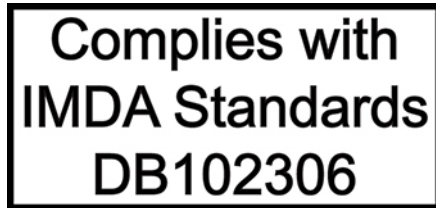
Korea

무선설비 전파 혼신 **(사용주파수 2400~2483.5 , 5725~5825 무선제품해당)**

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Environmental information of countries and regions

This section provides environmental, recycling, and RoHS information about Lenovo products.

Recycling and environmental information

Lenovo encourages owners of information technology (IT) equipment to responsibly recycle their equipment when it is no longer needed. Lenovo offers a variety of programs and services to assist equipment owners in recycling their IT products. For information about recycling Lenovo products, go to:
https://www.lenovo.com/us/en/compliance/recycling

The latest environmental information about our products is available at:
https://www.lenovo.com/us/en/compliance/eco-declaration

Important WEEE information

The WEEE marking on Lenovo products applies to countries with WEEE and e-waste regulations (for example, the European WEEE Directive, India E-Waste Management Rules). Appliances are labeled in accordance with local regulations concerning waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE). These regulations determine the framework for the return and recycling of used appliances as applicable within

each geography. This label is applied to various products to indicate that the product is not to be thrown away, but rather put in the established collection systems for reclaiming these end of life products.

Users of electrical and electronic equipment (EEE) with the WEEE marking must not dispose of end of life EEE as unsorted municipal waste, but use the collection framework available to them for the return, recycle, and recovery of WEEE and to minimize any potential effects of EEE on the environment and human health due to the presence of hazardous substances. Lenovo electrical and electronic equipment (EEE) may contain parts and components, which at end-of-life might qualify as hazardous waste.

EEE and waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE) can be delivered free of charge to the place of sale or any distributor that sells electrical and electronic equipment of the same nature and function as the used EEE or WEEE.

For additional WEEE information, go to:
https://www.lenovo.com/us/en/compliance/recycling

WEEE information for Hungary

Lenovo, as a producer, bears the cost incurred in connection with the fulfillment of Lenovo's obligations under Hungary Law No. 197/2014 (VIII.1.) subsections (1)-(5) of section 12.

Japan recycling statements

Collect and recycle a disused Lenovo computer or monitor

If you are a company employee and need to dispose of a Lenovo computer or monitor that is the property of the company, you must do so in accordance with the Law for Promotion of Effective Utilization of Resources. Computers and monitors are categorized as industrial waste and should be properly disposed of by an industrial waste disposal contractor certified by a local government. In accordance with the Law for Promotion of Effective Utilization of Resources, Lenovo Japan provides, through its PC Collecting and Recycling Services, for the collecting, reuse, and recycling of disused computers and monitors. For details, visit the Lenovo Web site at:
https://www.lenovo.com/us/en/social_responsibility/sustainability/ptb_japan

Pursuant to the Law for Promotion of Effective Utilization of Resources, the collecting and recycling of home-used computers and monitors by the manufacturer was begun on October 1, 2003. This service is provided free of charge for home-used computers sold after October 1, 2003. For details, go to:
https://www.lenovo.com/us/en/social_responsibility/sustainability/ptb_japan

Dispose of Lenovo computer components

Some Lenovo computer products sold in Japan may have components that contain heavy metals or other environmental sensitive substances. To properly dispose of disused components, such as a printed circuit board or drive, use the methods described above for collecting and recycling a disused computer or monitor.

Dispose of disused lithium batteries from Lenovo computers

A button-shaped lithium battery is installed inside your Lenovo computer to provide power to the computer clock while the computer is off or disconnected from the main power source. If you need to replace it with a new one, contact your place of purchase or contact Lenovo for service. If you need to dispose of a disused lithium battery, insulate it with vinyl tape, contact your place of purchase or an industrial-waste-disposal operator, and follow their instructions.

Disposal of a lithium battery must comply with local ordinances and regulations.

Brazil recycling information

Declarações de Reciclagem no Brasil

Descarte de um Produto Lenovo Fora de Uso

Equipamentos elétricos e eletrônicos não devem ser descartados em lixo comum, mas enviados à pontos de coleta, autorizados pelo fabricante do produto para que sejam encaminhados e processados por empresas especializadas no manuseio de resíduos industriais, devidamente certificadas pelos orgãos ambientais, de acordo com a legislação local.

A Lenovo possui um canal específico para auxiliá-lo no descarte desses produtos. Caso você possua um produto Lenovo em situação de descarte, ligue para o nosso SAC ou encaminhe um e-mail para: reciclar@lenovo.com, informando o modelo, número de série e cidade, a fim de enviarmos as instruções para o correto descarte do seu produto Lenovo.

Battery recycling information for the European Union

Notice: This mark applies only to countries within the European Union (EU).

Batteries or packaging for batteries are labeled in accordance with European Directive 2006/66/EC concerning batteries and accumulators and waste batteries and accumulators. The Directive determines the framework for the return and recycling of used batteries and accumulators as applicable throughout the European Union. This label is applied to various batteries to indicate that the battery is not to be thrown away, but rather reclaimed upon end of life per this Directive.

In accordance with the European Directive 2006/66/EC, batteries and accumulators are labeled to indicate that they are to be collected separately and recycled at end of life. The label on the battery may also include a chemical symbol for the metal concerned in the battery (Pb for lead, Hg for mercury, and Cd for cadmium). Users of batteries and accumulators must not dispose of batteries and accumulators as unsorted municipal waste, but use the collection framework available to customers for the return, recycling, and treatment of batteries and accumulators. Customer participation is important to minimize any potential effects of batteries and accumulators on the environment and human health due to the potential presence of hazardous substances.

Before placing electrical and electronic equipment (EEE) in the waste collection stream or in waste collection facilities, the end user of equipment containing batteries and/or accumulators must remove those batteries and accumulators for separate collection.

Disposing of lithium batteries and battery packs from Lenovo products

A coin-cell type lithium battery might be installed inside your Lenovo product. You can find details about the battery in the product documentation. If the battery needs to be replaced, contact your place of purchase or contact Lenovo for service. If you need to dispose of a lithium battery, insulate it with vinyl tape, contact your place of purchase or a waste-disposal operator, and follow their instructions.

Disposing of battery packs from Lenovo products

Your Lenovo device might contain a lithium-ion battery pack or a nickel metal hydride battery pack. You can find details on the battery pack in the product documentation. If you need to dispose of a battery pack, insulate it with vinyl tape, contact Lenovo sales, service, or your place of purchase, or a waste-disposal operator, and follow their instructions. You also can refer to the instructions provided in the user guide for your product.

For proper collection and treatment, go to:
https://www.lenovo.com/lenovo/environment

Recycling information for mainland China

《废弃电器电子产品回收处理管理条例》提示性说明

联想鼓励拥有联想品牌产品的用户当不再需要此类产品时，遵守国家废弃电器电子产品回收处理相关法律法规，将其交给当地具有国家认可的回收处理资质的厂商进行回收处理。更多回收服务信息，请点击进入http://support.lenovo.com.cn/activity/551.htm

Battery recycling information for Taiwan

Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS) Directive of countries and regions

The latest environmental information about Lenovo products is available at:
https://www.lenovo.com/ecodeclaration

European Union RoHS

This Lenovo product, with included parts (cables, cords, and so on) meets the requirements of Directive 2011/65/EU on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment ("RoHS recast" or "RoHS 2").

For more information about Lenovo worldwide compliance on RoHS, go to:
https://www.lenovo.com/rohs-communication

Turkish WEEE / RoHS
Türkiye AEEE Yönetmeliğine Uygunluk Beyanı

Bu Lenovo ürünü, T.C. Çevre ve Orman Bakanlığı'nın "Atık Elektrik ve Elektronik Eşyalarda Bazı Zararlı Maddelerin Kullanımının Sınırlandırılmasına Dair Yönetmelik (AEEE)" direktiflerine uygundur.

AEEE Yönetmeliğine Uygundur.

Ukraine RoHS

Цим підтверджуємо, що продукція Леново відповідає вимогам нормативних актів України, які обмежують вміст небезпечних речовин

India RoHS

RoHS compliant as per E-Waste (Management) Rules.

Mainland China RoHS

产品中有害物质的名称及含量

部件名称	有害物质					
	铅(Pb)	汞(Hg)	镉(Cd)	六价铬(Cr(VI))	多溴连苯(PBB)	多溴二苯醚(PBDE)
印刷电路板组件*	X	O	O	O	O	O
硬盘	X	O	O	O	O	O
光驱	X	O	O	O	O	O
内存	X	O	O	O	O	O
电脑I/O 附件	X	O	O	O	O	O
电源	X	O	O	O	O	O
键盘	X	O	O	O	O	O
鼠标	X	O	O	O	O	O
机箱/ 附件	X	O	O	O	O	O
电池	X	O	O	O	O	O

本表格依据 SJ/T 11364 的规定编制。
O：表示该有害物质在该部件所有均质材料中的含量均在 GB/T 26572 规定的限量要求以下。
×：表示该有害物质至少在该部件的某一均质材料中的含量超出 GB/T 26572 规定的限量要求。
注：表中标记"×"的部件，皆因全球技术发展水平限制而无法实现有害物质的替代。
印刷电路板组件*：包括印刷电路板及其零部件、电容和连接器
根据型号的不同，可能不会含有以上的所有部件，请以实际购买机型为准

在中华人民共和国境内销售的电子信息产品必须标识此标志，标志内的数字代表在正常使用状态下的产品的环保使用期限

Taiwan RoHS

單元	限用物質及其化學符號					
	鉛(Pb)	汞(Hg)	鎘(Cd)	六價鉻(Cr^{+6})	多溴聯苯(PBB)	多溴二苯醚(PBDE)
印刷電路板組件	－	○	○	○	○	○
硬碟	－	○	○	○	○	○
光碟機(選配件)	－	○	○	○	○	○
記憶體	－	○	○	○	○	○
電源供應器	－	○	○	○	○	○
鍵盤（選配件）	－	○	○	○	○	○
滑鼠（選配件）	－	○	○	○	○	○
機殼	－	○	○	○	○	○
配件（電源線）	－	○	○	○	○	○
散熱模組	－	○	○	○	○	○

備考1. "超出0.1 wt %" 及 "超出0.01 wt %" 係指限用物質之百分比含量超出百分比含量基準值。

備考2. "○" 係指該項限用物質之百分比含量未超出百分比含量基準值。

備考3. "－" 係指該項限用物質為排除項目。

Electromagnetic emission notices

Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Supplier's Declaration of Conformity

The following information refers to ThinkStation P620, machine types: 30E0 and 30E1.

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:
- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult an authorized dealer or service representative for help.

Lenovo is not responsible for any radio or television interference caused by using other than recommended cables and connectors or by unauthorized changes or modifications to this equipment. Unauthorized changes or modifications could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Responsible Party:
Lenovo (United States) Incorporated
7001 Development Drive
Morrisville, NC 27560
Email: FCC@lenovo.com

Industry Canada compliance statement

CAN ICES-003(B) / NMB-003(B)

European Union conformity

EU Contact: Lenovo (Slovakia), Landererova 12, 811 09 Bratislava, Slovakia

Compliance with the EMC Directive

This product is in conformity with the protection requirements of EU Council Directive 2014/30/EU on the approximation of the laws of the Member States relating to electromagnetic compatibility.

This product has been tested and found to comply with the limits for Class B equipment according to European Standards harmonized in the Directives in compliance. The Class B requirements for equipment are intended to offer adequate protection to broadcast services within residential environments.

EU ErP (EcoDesign) Directive (2009/125/EC) - external power adapters (Regulation (EU) 2019/1782)

Lenovo products are designed to work with a range of compatible power adapters. Access https://www.lenovo.com/us/en/compliance/eu-doc to view the compatible power adapters. For the detailed power adapter specifications for your computer, go to https://support.lenovo.com.

German Class B compliance statement

Hinweis zur Einhaltung der Klasse B zur elektromagnetischen Verträglichkeit

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VCCI-B

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