

# User Guide

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ThinkCentre M90t Gen6

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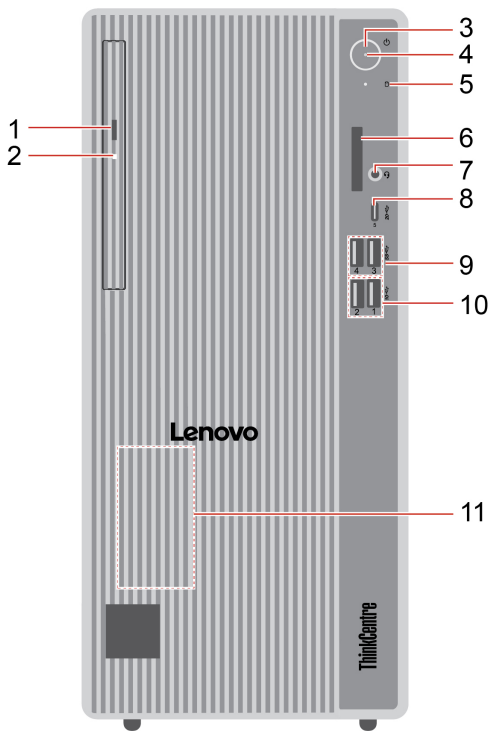




# Chapter 1. Meet your computer

This computer is equipped with an extensive selection of ports, providing convenient connectivity options for multiple devices.

## Front



Item	Description	Item	Description
1	Optical drive eject button*	2	Optical drive activity indicator*
3	Power button	4	Power indicator
5	Storage drive activity indicator	6	SD-card slot*
7	Headset connector	8	USB-C <sup>®</sup> connector (USB 20Gbps)
9	USB-A connector (USB 5Gbps)	10	USB-A connector (USB 10Gbps)
11	Internal speaker		

\* 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)
Thunderbolt 3	40
Thunderbolt 4	40

### Power indicator

Show the system status of your computer.

- **On:** The computer is starting up or working.
- **Off:** The computer is off or in hibernation mode.
- **Blinking:** The computer is in sleep mode.
- **Breathing:** The computer is in modern standby mode.

### Headset connector

The headset connector is compatible with:

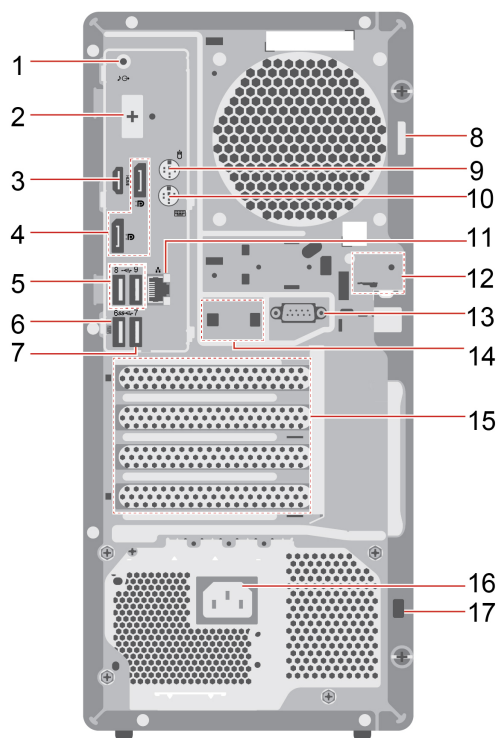
- Headphones or earphones with a 3.5mm (0.14 inch), TRS (3-pole) plug
- Headsets with a 3.5mm (0.14 inch), CTIA-compliant TRRS (4-pole) plug or OMTP-compliant TRRS (4-pole) plug

**Note:** This headset connector does not support standalone external microphones with a TRS (3-pole) plug.

### Related topics

- “USB specifications” on page 5.

## Rear



Item	Description	Item	Description
1	Audio line-out connector	2	Optional connector*
3	HDMI™ out connector	4	DisplayPort™ out connectors
5	USB-A connector (Hi-Speed USB)	6	USB-A connector (USB 5Gbps)
7	USB-A connector (USB 5Gbps, Always On USB)	8	Padlock loop
9	PS/2 mouse connector*	10	PS/2 keyboard connector*
11	Ethernet connector	12	E-lock slots
13	Serial connector*	14	Smart cable clip slots
15	PCI-Express card area	16	Power cord connector
17	Security-lock slot		

\* for selected models

### Serial connector

Connect an external modem, a serial printer, or other devices that use a serial connector.

### Optional connector

Depending on the computer model, the connector might be a DisplayPort out connector, a USB-C connector, or an HDMI™ out connector.

### Related topics

- “Lock the computer” on page 14.
- “Change display settings” on page 11.
- “USB specifications” on page 5.
- “Smart power-on feature (for selected models)” on page 13

## Specifications

Specification	Description
<b>Dimensions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Width: 170. mm (6.69 inches)</li> <li>• Height: 376 mm (14.8 inches)</li> <li>• Depth: 297.85 mm (11.73 inches)</li> </ul>
<b>Weight (without packaging)</b>	Maximum configuration as shipped: 6.5 kg (14.33 lb)
<b>Hardware configuration</b>	Type Device Manager in the Windows search box and then press Enter. Type the administrator password or provide confirmation, if prompted.
<b>Power supply</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 260-watt automatic voltage-sensing power supply</li> <li>• 310-watt automatic voltage-sensing power supply</li> <li>• 400-watt automatic voltage-sensing power supply</li> <li>• 500-watt automatic voltage-sensing power supply</li> </ul>
<b>Electrical input</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Input voltage: From 100 V ac to 240 V ac</li> <li>• Input frequency: 50/60 Hz</li> </ul>

Specification	Description
<b>Memory</b>	<p>Up to four double data rate 5 (DDR5) unbuffered dual inline memory modules (UDIMMs)</p> <p>Maximum memory capacity: 128 GB</p>
<b>Storage device</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3.5-inch hard disk drive*</li> <li>• M.2 solid-state drive*</li> </ul> <p>To view the storage drive capacity of your computer, type Disk Management in the Windows search box and then press Enter.</p> <p><b>Note:</b> The storage drive capacity indicated by the system is less than the nominal capacity.</p>
<b>Video features</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The integrated graphics card supports the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– DisplayPort out connector</li> <li>– HDMI out connector</li> <li>– VGA-out connector</li> <li>– USB-C connector*</li> </ul> </li> <li>• The optional discrete graphics card provides an enhanced video experience and extended capabilities.</li> </ul>
<b>Expansion</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Card reader*</li> <li>• Memory slots</li> <li>• M.2 solid-state drive slots</li> <li>• Optical drive*</li> <li>• PCI-Express x1 card slots</li> <li>• PCI-Express x16 Gen 5 graphics card slot</li> <li>• PCI-Express card slot (physical link width x16; negotiable link width x4)</li> <li>• Storage drive cages</li> </ul>
<b>Network features</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bluetooth*</li> <li>• Ethernet LAN</li> <li>• Wireless LAN*</li> </ul>

\* for selected models

## Operating environment

### Maximum altitude (without pressurization)

- Operating: From 0 m (0 ft) to 3048 m (10 000 ft)
- Storage: From 0 m (0 ft) to 12192 m (40 000 ft)

### Temperature

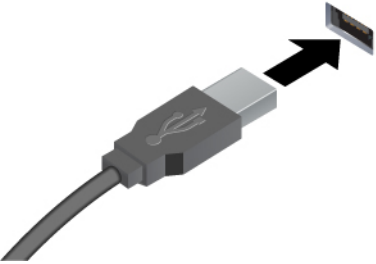



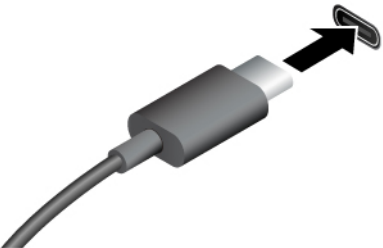

- Operating: From 5°C (41°F) to 35°C (95°F)
- Storage: From -40°C (-40°F) to 60°C (140°F)

### Relative humidity

- Operating: 20%-80% (non-condensing)
- Storage: 10%-90% (non-condensing)

## USB specifications

**Note:** Depending on the model, some USB connectors might not be available on your computer.

Connector name	Description
 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•  USB-A connector (Hi-Speed USB)</li> <li>•  USB-A connector (USB 5Gbps)</li> <li>•  USB-A connector (USB 10Gbps)</li> </ul>	Connect USB-A compatible devices, such as a USB-A keyboard, USB-A mouse, USB-A storage device, or USB-A printer.
 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•  USB-C connector (USB 20Gbps)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Charge USB-C compatible devices with the output voltage and current of 5 V and 3 A.</li> <li>• Connect to USB-C accessories to help expand your computer functionality. To purchase USB-C accessories, go to <a href="https://www.lenovo.com/accessories">https://www.lenovo.com/accessories</a>.</li> </ul>

## The Vantage app

The 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 Windows search box.

### 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. You can download the latest version of Vantage app from Microsoft Store.

The Vantage app enables you to:

- Know the device status easily and customize device settings.
- Download and install UEFI BIOS, firmware, and driver 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.

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## Lenovo AI Now or Lenovo Xiaotian (for selected models)

Lenovo AI Now or Lenovo Xiaotian is a personal and private AI assistant to help with inspiration, writing, summarizing, and quick settings for your computer. Depending on the country or region, either of them might be available.

### Access the apps

- Use the Lenovo AI Now icon  or Lenovo Xiaotian icon  if present on the taskbar.
- Or type the app name in the Windows search box and press Enter.

### Explore key features

- Import files to create your personal knowledge base and start searching, Q&A, summarization, and generation based on it.
- Set up your computer or find service information. For example, you can ask it to help turn on the Eye Care mode or find the nearest service center.

### Notes:


- For more information about Lenovo AI Now or Lenovo Xiaotian, see the User Guide in the apps' Help Center.
- Software features may vary by computer model and be subject to change. Explore the apps based on your actual user interface.

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## Lenovo AI Turbo Engine (for selected models)

Lenovo AI Turbo Engine is a smart audio and video enhancement software. Powered by plentiful sensing and computing adaption technologies, it can optimize your experience in video and audio capture and playback.

### Access the app

- Use the Lenovo AI Turbo Engine icon  if present on the taskbar.
- Or type the app name in the Windows search box and press Enter.

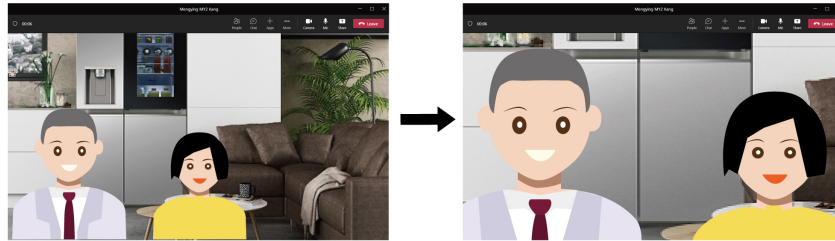
### Explore key features

- **Video enhancement**
  - **Auto framing mode** (for a single person): Automatically track and keep your face centered in the video.





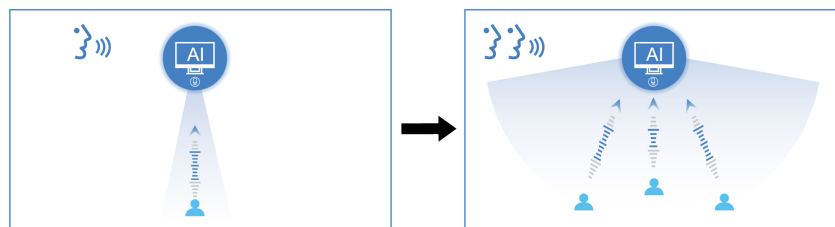
- **Auto framing mode** (for multiple persons): Automatically crop the video to capture all persons' faces.



- **Single-person tracking mode**: You can manually select this mode to track only one person's face even if others are present.

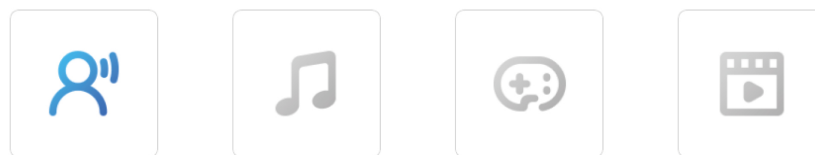
- **Audio enhancement**

- **Microphone capture effect auto adaption**: The microphone capture scope can change based on the number of persons captured by the camera.

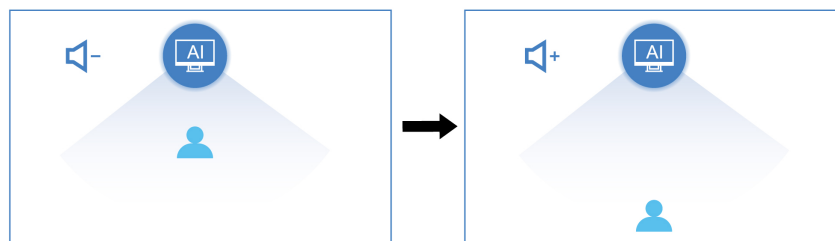


**Note:** You can also manually switch between personal, shared, or music modes based on your needs.

- **Speaker playback effect auto adaption**: The speaker playback effect can change depending on the audio type.



- **Speaker playback volume auto adaption** (for models with a radar card): System volume can change according to the user's distance from the speaker.



**Notes:**

- The available features vary depending on computer models.
- This app might not be available in your country or region.
- This app makes periodic updates of the features. Explore this app on your actual user interface.

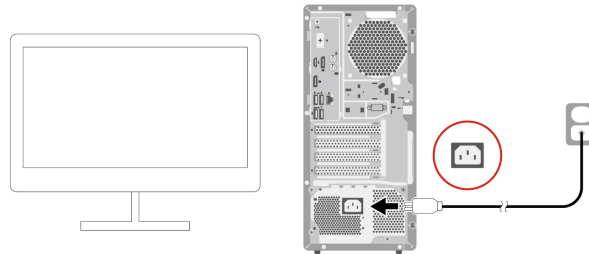
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## Chapter 2. Get started with your computer

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### Connect to power

Connect the computer to a power as shown in the figure below:



1. Connect the power cord to the corresponding connector on the back of the computer case.
2. Plug the other end of the power cable into an electrical outlet.

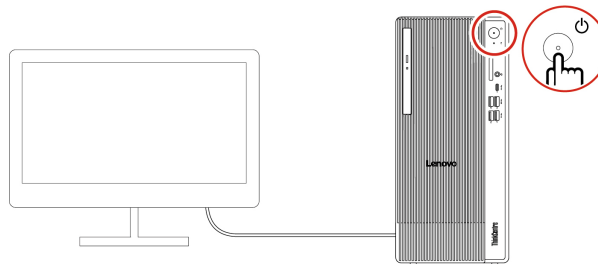
#### Notes:

- If your computer has a wireless keyboard and mouse, connect them following the relevant instructions.
- You must use the power adapter provided by Lenovo. The use of another power adapter may cause combustion or explosion.

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### Start up the computer




Press and hold the power button on the case to start up the computer.



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## Shut down the computer

To prevent damage to hardware/software systems or loss of data, do not arbitrarily use the power button to shut down the computer. Instead, shut down the computer as follows.

1. Click  →  →  **Shut down.**
2. Wait for the computer to shut down and then turn off the monitor and other peripheral devices.

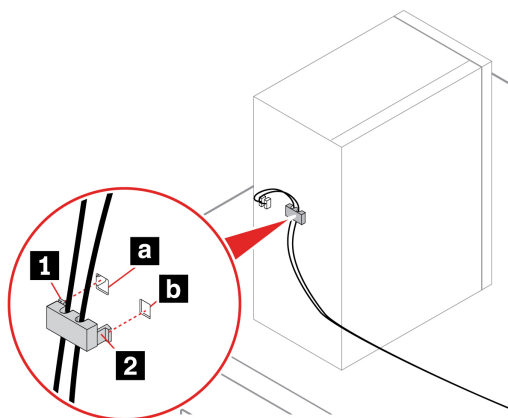
**Note:** After you turn off the system, please wait at least 20 seconds before turning the computer back on to avoid hardware faults.

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## Use a smart cable clip (for selected models)

You can purchase a smart cable clip from Lenovo to lock devices (such as the keyboard and the mouse) to your computer.

1. Insert the clip **1** into the cable-lock slot **a**.
2. Pull the cables you want to lock through the dents in the smart cable clip.
3. Press the clip **2** into the cable-lock slot **b** until it snaps into position.




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## Access networks

This section helps you connect to a wireless or wired network.

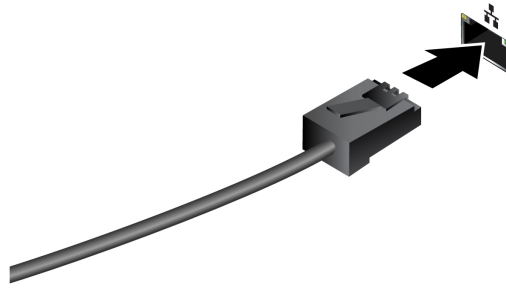
### Connect to Wi-Fi networks (for selected models)

Click the network icon  on the bottom right of your display to connect to an available network. Provide required information, if needed.

**Note:** 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.

### Connect to the wired Ethernet

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



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## 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 and change display settings of your preference.

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## Transfer data

You can install a disc or media card to transfer data.

### 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. Type **Device Manager** in the Windows search box and then press Enter. Type the administrator password or provide confirmation, if prompted.
2. Select an optical drive, and then follow the on-screen instructions.

#### Install or remove a disc

1. With the computer on, press the eject 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 push the tray back into the drive.

**Note:** If the tray does not slide out of the drive when you press the eject button, turn off the computer. Then, insert a straightened paper clip into the emergency-eject hole adjacent to the eject 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:
  - Type **AutoPlay** in the Windows search box and then press Enter. 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 (for selected models)

**Attention:** Before removing the card:

1. Click the triangular icon in the Windows notification area to show hidden icons. Right-click the icon prompting you to safely remove hardware and eject media.
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.

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## Connect to a Bluetooth 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. To ensure successful connection, place the devices at most 10 meters (33 feet) from the computer.

### Conventional pair

This topic helps you connect to a Bluetooth device by conventional pair.

- Step 1. Type **Bluetooth** in the Windows search box and then press Enter.
- Step 2. Turn on both the Bluetooth on your computer and the Bluetooth device. Make sure the device is discoverable.
- Step 3. Select the device when it is displayed on the **Add a device** list, and then follow the on-screen instructions.

**Notes:** If the Bluetooth connection failed, do the following:

1. Type **Device Manager** in the Windows search box and then press Enter.
2. Locate the Bluetooth adapter. Right-click and select **Update driver**.
3. Select **Search automatically for drivers**, and then follow the on-screen instructions.

### Swift pair

This topic helps you connect to a Bluetooth device by swift pair.

If your Bluetooth device supports swift pair, do the following:

- Step 1. Enable swift pair notification on Bluetooth settings page.
- Step 2. Turn on both the Bluetooth on your computer and the Bluetooth device. Make sure the device is discoverable.
- Step 3. Click **Connect** when a swift pair notification appears on your computer.

**Notes:** If the Bluetooth connection failed, do the following:

1. Type **Device Manager** in the Windows search box and then press Enter.
2. Locate the Bluetooth adapter. Right-click and select **Update driver**.
3. Select **Search automatically for drivers**, and then follow the on-screen instructions.



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## ICE performance mode

The ICE performance mode helps you adjust the acoustic and thermal performance of your computer. Three options are available:

- **Balance mode:** The computer works at the balance mode with balanced noise and better performance.
- **Performance mode** (default setting): The computer works at the best performance with normal acoustic level.

**Note:** The term “best” only refers to the best effect among different settings of the product itself.

- **Full Speed:** All fans in the computer will run at full speed.

### Change the ICE performance mode

To change the ICE performance mode:

- Step 1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
- Step 2. Select **Power → Intelligent Cooling** and press Enter.
- Step 3. Select **Performance Mode** and press Enter.
- Step 4. Set the performance mode as desired.
- Step 5. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.

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## Smart power-on feature (for selected models)

The smart power-on feature helps you start up or wake up the computer from the hibernation mode simply by pressing Alt+P.

**Note:** Ensure that the keyboard is connected to a USB connector supporting the smart power-on feature.

### Enable or disable the smart power-on feature

To enable or disable the smart power-on feature:

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

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## 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:

- 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 set the power plan:

1. Type Power Options in the Windows search box and then press Enter.

2. Choose or customize a power plan of your preference.

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## Security

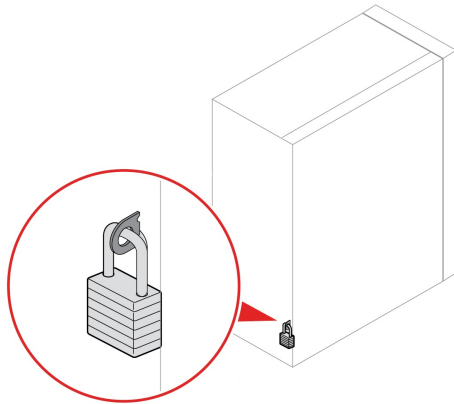
This computer offers a wealth of security measures to protect both the device and data safety.

### Lock the computer

**Note:** 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.

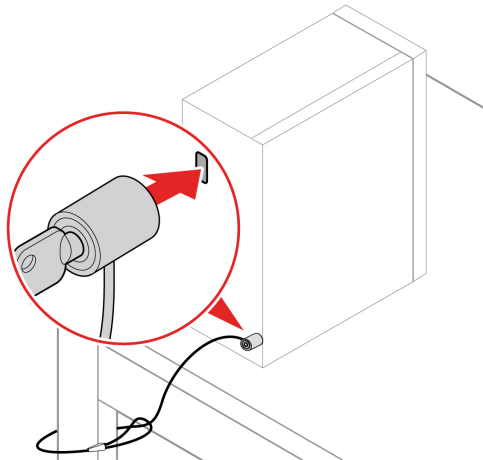
#### Padlock

Locking the computer cover through a padlock prevents unauthorized access to the inside of your computer.



#### Security lock

Lock your computer to a desk, table, or other fixtures through a security lock.



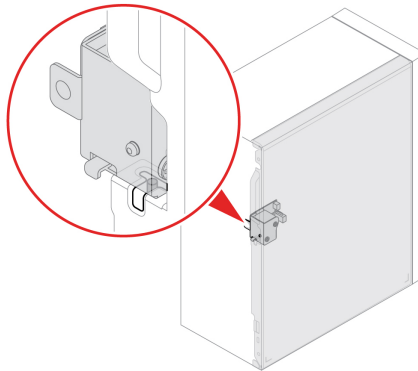
#### E-lock

Your computer might have a security lock solution installed to protect the computer from unauthorized tampering of the internal components. Using the E-Lock, you can mechanically lock or unlock the computer cover.

To enable or disable the E-Lock:

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

2. Select **Security** → **Electronic Lock** to enable or disable the E-lock.
3. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit. Your computer will restart automatically and then changes take effect.



## Use software security solutions

The following software solutions help secure your computer and information.

- **Windows Security**

Windows Security is a software built-in to the operating system. It continually scans for malicious software, viruses, and other security threats. Besides, Windows updates are downloaded automatically to help keep your computer safe. Windows Security also enables you to manage tools including firewall, account protection, application and browser control, and so on.

- **Antivirus programs**

Lenovo preinstalls a full-version antivirus software on selected models of computer. It helps defend the computer against viruses, safeguard your identity, and keep your personal information secured.

**Note:** For more information about how to use these software solutions, refer to their help systems respectively.

## Use BIOS security solutions

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

### Wipe the storage drive data

It is recommended that you wipe the storage drive data before recycling the storage drive or the computer.

To wipe the storage drive data:

1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
2. Select **Security** → **secure wipe** → **Enabled**.
3. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.
4. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F12 or Fn+F12.
5. Select **App Menu** → **secure wipe** and press Enter.
6. Select the storage drive you will wipe and click **NEXT**.
7. Select the entire storage drive or partition to wipe as desired.
8. Select the method as desired and click **NEXT**.
9. Click **Yes** to confirm your option when the prompting window is displayed.

10. If you have set a hard disk password for the storage drive, enter the password. Otherwise, set a temporary password following the on-screen instructions. Then, click **NEXT**. The wiping process begins.

**Note:** Duration of the wiping process varies depending on the storage drive capacity.

11. Click **Reboot** when you are prompted to reset the system, and then one of the following will happen:
  - If the system storage drive data is wiped, you will be prompted that no operating system is found.
  - If the non-system storage drive data is wiped, the computer restarts automatically.

### 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.

### Intel BIOS guard

The Intel® BIOS Guard module cryptographically verifies all BIOS updates. This hardware-based security helps prevent software and malware attacks on the computers BIOS.

### 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 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.

### Absolute Persistence (for computers purchased outside mainland China)

Absolute Persistence technology is embedded in BIOS. It detects changes that happen on the hardware, software, or the call-in location. It keeps you always knowing what condition the computer is in. To activate the technology, you have to purchase a subscription to Absolute.

## UEFI BIOS passwords

You can set passwords in UEFI (Unified Extensible Firmware Interface) BIOS (Basic Input/Output System) to strengthen the security of your computer.

### Password types

You can set a power-on password, supervisor password, system management password, or hard disk password in UEFI BIOS 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.

- 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.

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



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## Chapter 3. UEFI BIOS

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### Enter the UEFI BIOS menu

Turn on or restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1 to enter the UEFI BIOS menu.

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

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### Navigate the UEFI BIOS menu

Follow the on-screen instructions to navigate in the UEFI BIOS menu.

The table below introduces the available settings of the UEFI BIOS menu. You can follow the on-screen instruction to navigate in the UEFI BIOS menu.

**Note:** The UEFI BIOS menu might vary depending on system configurations.

Menu	Introduction
Main	This category provides the general product-related and firmware information including system summary, machine type, product serial number, UUID number, etc.
Devices	This category introduces how to configure various devices such as USB ports and audio controllers.
Advanced	This category provides advanced information about the computer such as the CPU features.
Power	This category introduces power and thermal management solutions.
Security	This category introduces various passwords, locks, and software to protect your computer.
Startup	This category introduces how to set the boot priority order.
Exit	This category introduces how to exit as you prefer.

To explore the detailed settings:

- For computers purchased in mainland China  
You can contact Lenovo Customer Support Center as shown at <https://newsupport.lenovo.com.cn/contacts.html>.
- For computers purchased outside mainland China  
You can go to Lenovo BIOS Simulator Center <https://download.lenovo.com/bSCO/index.html> to explore the detailed settings by your product name.

**Note:** The Lenovo BIOS Simulator Center makes periodic updates of the settings. The UEFI BIOS simulator interface and description of settings might be different from that on your actual user interface.

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### Enable or disable the ErP LPS compliance mode

Lenovo computers meet the eco-design requirements of the ErP Lot 3 regulation. Follow the instruction to enable or disable the ErP LPS compliance mode.

For more information about the eco-design requirements, 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. To enable or disable the ErP LPS compliance mode:

- Step 1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
- Step 2. Select **Power → Enhanced Power Saving Mode** and press Enter.
- Step 3. Enable or disable the feature as desired.

**Note:** Please note that when the Enhanced Power Saving Mode is disabled, the power consumption might be increased when the computer is off.

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

When the ErP LPS compliance mode is enabled, you can wake up the computer by doing one of the following:

- Press the power button.
- Enable the Wake Up on Alarm feature to make the computer wake up at a set time.

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.

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## Update the UEFI BIOS

When you install a new program, device driver, or hardware component, you might need to update the UEFI BIOS.

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

### From the Vantage app

Follow the instructions to update the UEFI BIOS from the Vantage app.

- Step 1. Open the Vantage app, and then click **System Update**.
- Step 2. 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

Follow the instructions to update the UEFI BIOS from the Lenovo Support Web site.

#### For computers purchased in mainland China

1. Go to <https://newsupport.lenovo.com.cn>.
2. Click **Download drivers and software**, and select or search product.
3. Follow the on-screen instructions to download and install the latest UEFI BIOS update package.

#### For computers purchased outside mainland China

1. Go to <https://pcsupport.lenovo.com> and select the entry for your computer.

2. Click **Drivers & Software → Manual Update → BIOS/UEFI**.
3. Follow the on-screen instructions to download and install the latest UEFI BIOS update package.

## From the Windows Update

Follow the instructions to update the UEFI BIOS from the Windows Update.

- Step 1. Type **Settings** in the Windows search box and press Enter.
- Step 2. Click **Windows Update → Check for Updates**.
- Step 3. If a BIOS update package appears in your update list, click **Download or Install** to initiate the update.



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## Chapter 4. RAID

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### 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.

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### Configure RAID with Intel Rapid Storage Technology

If your computer comes with the Intel RSTe configuration utility, you can follow the sections below to configure RAID with Intel RSTe.

### Storage drive requirements for RAID levels

Your computer supports the following RAID levels:

- RAID 0: striped disk array
  - Consists of at least two SATA storage drives
  - Supported strip size: 4 KB, 8 KB, 16 KB, 32 KB, 64 KB, or 128 KB
  - Better performance without fault tolerance
- RAID 1: mirrored disk array
  - Consists of two SATA storage drives
  - Improved reading performance and 100% redundancy
- RAID 5: block-level striped disk array with distributed parity
  - Consists of at least three SATA storage drives
  - Supported strip size: 16 KB, 32 KB, 64 KB, or 128 KB
  - Better performance and fault tolerance

### Create a RAID volume

**Attention:** All the existing data stored on the selected drives will be erased while the RAID volume is being created.

Step 1. Enable **RAID** by doing the following:

- a. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
- b. Select **Devices → Storage Setup** and press Enter.
- c. Select **Configure Storage as** and press Enter. Then, select **RAID** and press Enter.
- d. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.

Step 2. Enter the BIOS menu again.

- Step 3. Select **Storage Setup → Intel Rapid Storage Technology** and press Enter.
- Step 4. Select **Create RAID Volume** and press Enter.
- Step 5. Select and configure the options one by one.
- Name:** You can use the default name **Volume1** or type a preferred name for the RAID volume.
  - RAID Level:** You can set the RAID level to one of the following:
    - **RAID0(Stripe)**
    - **RAID1(Mirror)**
    - **RAID5(Parity)**
  - Select Disks:** Select a storage drive and press Enter. Then, select **X** and press Enter to add it to a group.
  - Strip Size** (if applicable): Select a strip size and press Enter.
  - Capacity:** Customize the capacity of the RAID volume. The default RAID volume is the largest value.
- Step 6. Select **Create Volume** and press Enter to create a RAID volume.
- Step 7. Exit the BIOS menu.

## View the information about a RAID volume

- Step 1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
- Step 2. Select **Devices → Storage Setup** and press Enter.
- Step 3. Select **Intel Rapid Storage Technology** and press Enter.
- Step 4. Select a RAID volume and press Enter to view the detailed information.
- Step 5. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.

## Delete a RAID volume

**Attention:** All the existing data stored on the selected drives will be erased after you delete RAID volumes.

- Step 1. Restart the computer. When the logo screen is displayed, press F1 or Fn+F1.
- Step 2. Select **Devices → Storage Setup** and press Enter.
- Step 3. Select **Intel Rapid Storage Technology** and press Enter.
- Step 4. Select a RAID volume and press Enter.
- Step 5. Select **Delete** and press Enter. When prompted, select **Yes** and press Enter to confirm the deletion of the selected RAID volume.
- Step 6. Press F10 or Fn+F10 to save the changes and exit.



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## Chapter 5. CRU replacement

**Important:** For users in mainland China, the information provided in this chapter is for reference by professional maintenance service providers or technicians authorized by Lenovo only. Users shall not perform maintenance on their own. Any faults or damage due to improper operation, modification, or failure to use parts provided by Lenovo are not covered by the warranty for this product. For product warranty information, refer to the warranty document provided with the product or go to the official Lenovo website at <https://newsupport.lenovo.com.cn>.

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

- **Self-service CRUs:** Refer to parts that can be replaced easily by customer themselves or by trained service technicians at an additional cost.
- **Optional-service CRUs:** Refer to parts that can be replaced by customers with a greater skill level. Trained service technicians can also provide service to 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](https://www.lenovo.com/warranty/llw_02)

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### CRU list

The following is the CRU list of your computer.

#### Self-service CRUs

- Chassis beam
- Computer cover
- Dust shield\*
- Front bezel
- Keyboard\*
- M.2 solid-state drive\*
- M.2 solid-state drive bracket\*
- M.2 solid-state drive heat sink\*
- Memory module
- Mouse\*
- Optical drive\*
- Optical drive bracket\*
- ODD and HDD cage
- PCIe bracket
- Power cord

- Hard disk drive\*
- Hard disk drive tray
- 3.5-inch primary hard disk drive cage
- 2.5-inch hard disk drive bracket\*
- Slim ODD EMI Shielding\*
- Slim ODD latch\*
- Slim ODD bezel\*
- Smart cable\*
- Smart cable clip\*
- DP cover kit\*
- HDMI new cover\*
- Dongle\*

#### **Optional-service CRUs**

- E-lock\*
- Graphics card\*
- Graphics card holder\*
- PCIe card\*
- Power supply assembly

\* for selected models

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## **Tool-less storage**

You can remove or replace the storage devices of this computer without tools.

#### **Related topics**

- “HDD in the primary storage drive cage” on page 33.
- “2.5-inch hard disk drive bracket” on page 37.
- “M.2 solid-state drive and heat sink” on page 39.

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## **Dust shield**

#### **Prerequisite**

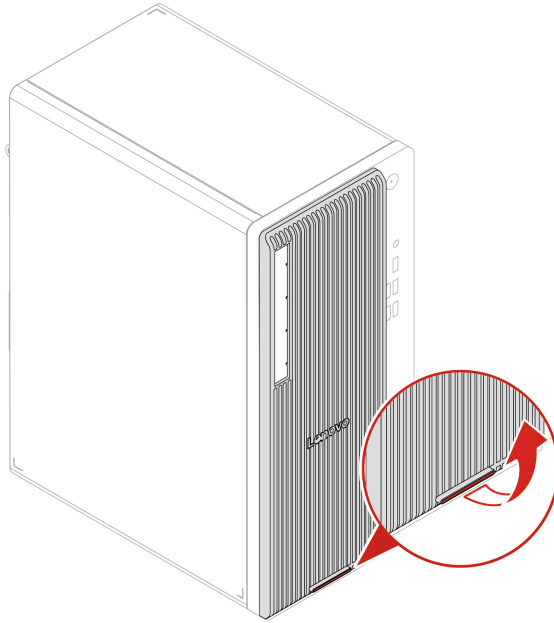
Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, and print the following instructions.



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

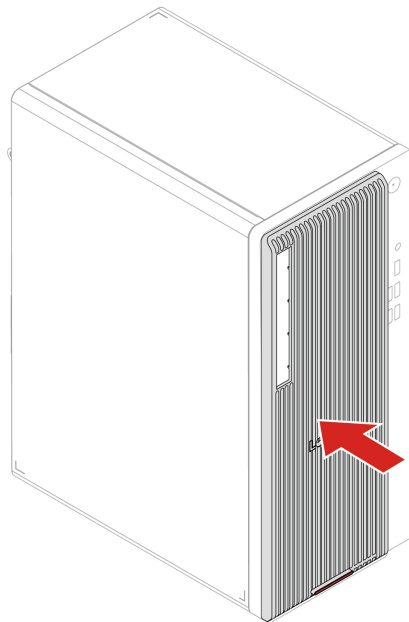
#### **Removal steps**

Pull the dust shield out of the front bezel from the bottom side.



### Installation steps

Install the new dust shield in reverse order.



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## Computer cover

### Prerequisite

Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, and print the following instructions.



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

For access, do the following:

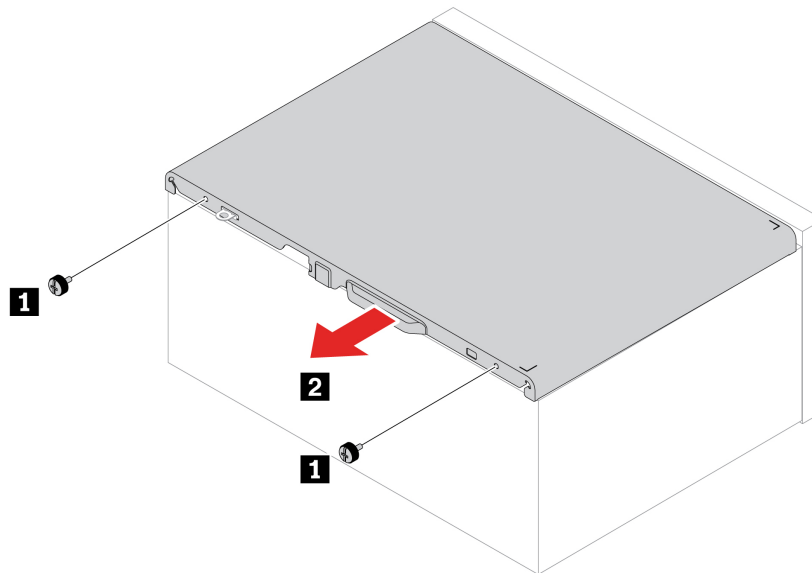
1. Remove any media from the drives and turn off all connected devices and the computer.
2. Disconnect all power cords from electrical outlets and disconnect all cables from the computer.
3. Unlock any locking device that secures the computer cover.
4. Lay down the computer to place the computer cover facing up.

### Removal steps

1. Remove the two screws which secure the computer cover to the chassis. Find screw specification in the following screw table.

Screw	Quantity	Torque
M6-32 x L7.5, Ni coated	2	3 ± 0.5 lb/in

2. Remove the computer cover.



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

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## Front bezel

### Prerequisite

Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, and print the following instructions.

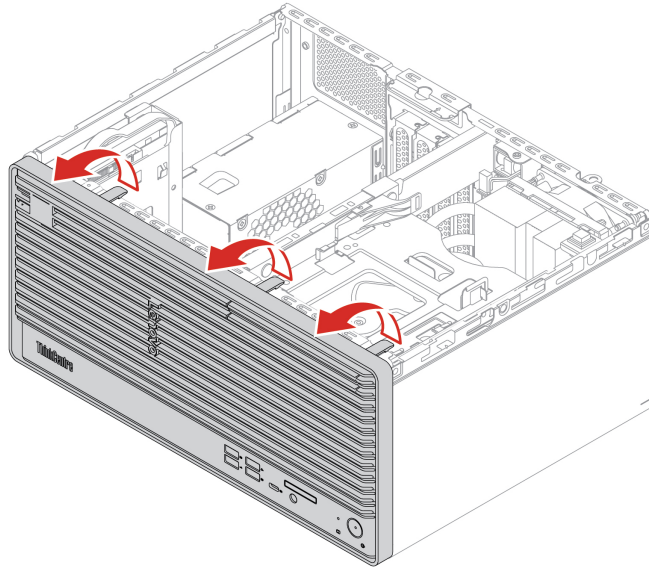
For access, remove these parts in order, if any:

- “Computer cover” on page 27

- “Optical drive and optical drive latch” on page 30

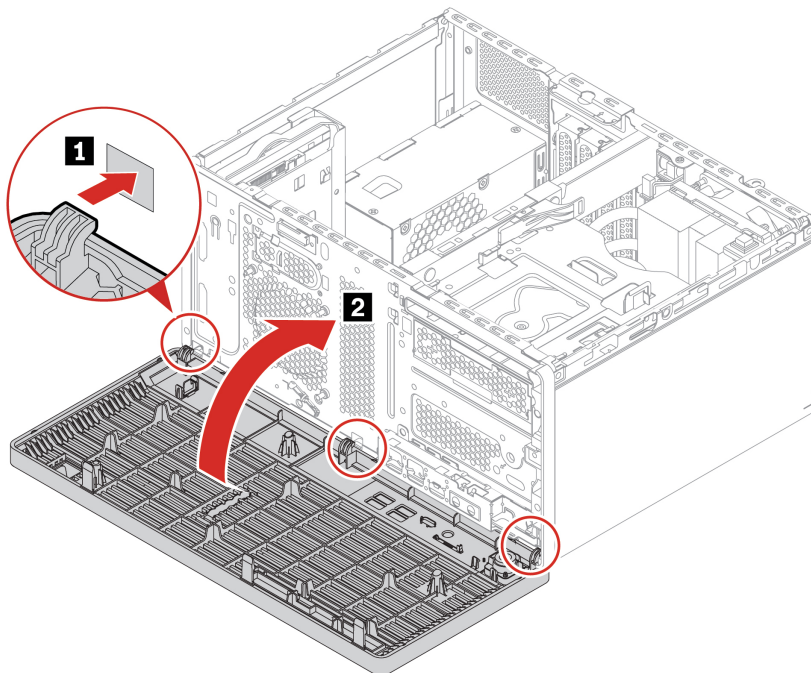
### Removal steps

1. Pry the three tabs to release the front bezel.
2. Slightly pull the front bezel to release the hooks of the bezel from the slots on the chassis.



### Installation steps

1. Align the three hooks on the bottom of the front bezel with the slots on the chassis.
2. Pivot the bezel inwards until the tabs on the top of the bezel are clicked into place.



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## Optical drive and optical drive latch

### Prerequisite

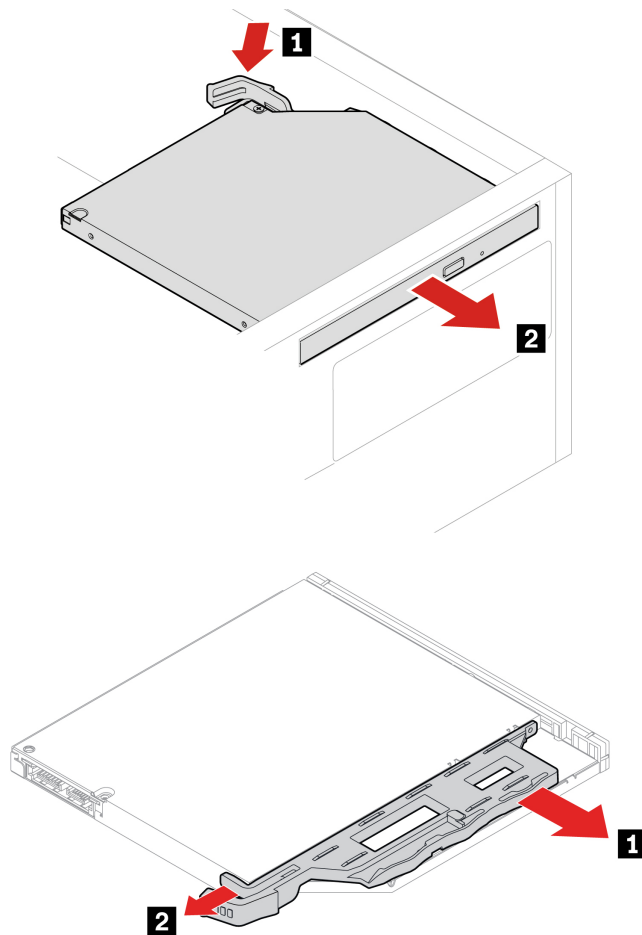
Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, and print the following instructions.

For access, do the following:

1. Remove the “Computer cover” on page 27.
2. Disconnect the signal and power cable from the optical drive.

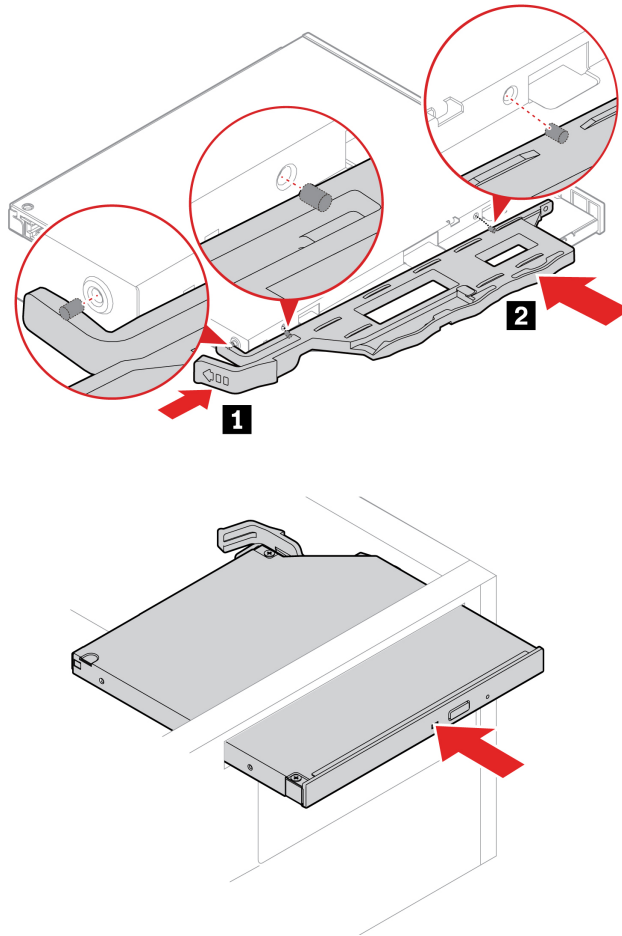
### Removal steps

1. Press the optical drive latch and push the optical drive out of the disk drive cage.
2. Pull the optical drive latch out of the optical drive.



### Installation steps

1. Align the latch studs with the holes in the optical drive.
2. Install the optical drive to the drive cage.



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## Optical drive bezel

### Prerequisite

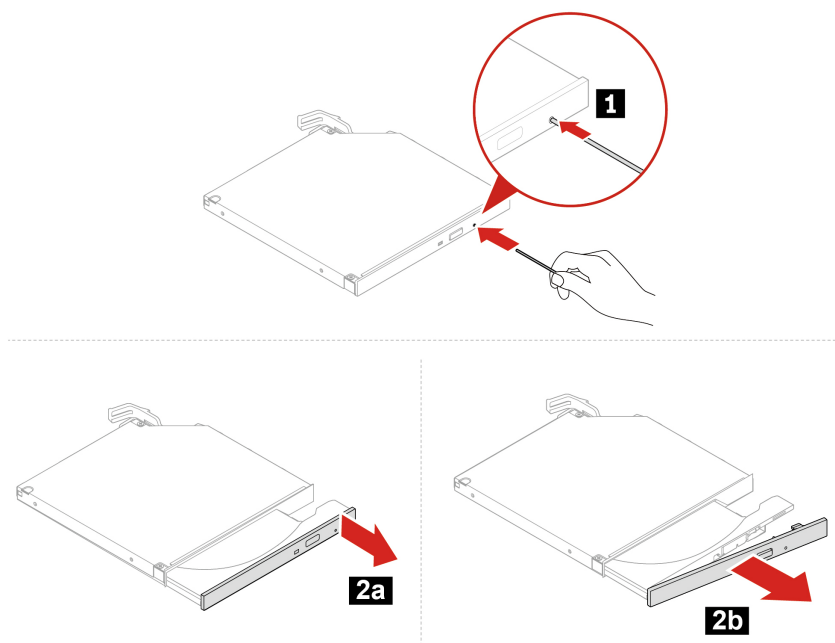
Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, and print the following instructions.

For access, do the following:

1. Remove the “Computer cover” on page 27.
2. Remove the “Optical drive and optical drive latch” on page 30.
3. Disconnect the signal and power cable from the optical drive.

### Removal steps

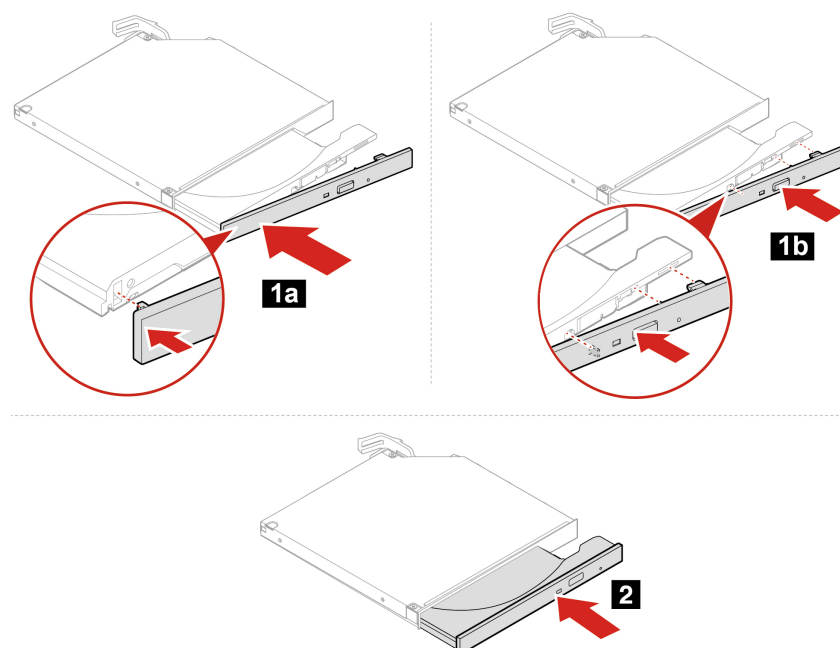
1. Use an ejector like paper clip to eject the optical drive tray.
2. Remove the optical drive bezel from the optical drive.



### Installation steps

There are four holes on the optical drive tray to locate the optical drive bezel.

1. Install the optical drive bezel to the optical drive tray, and make sure that it is inserted into these holes.
2. Install the optical drive tray back to the optical drive.





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## Slim ODD EMI shielding

### Prerequisite

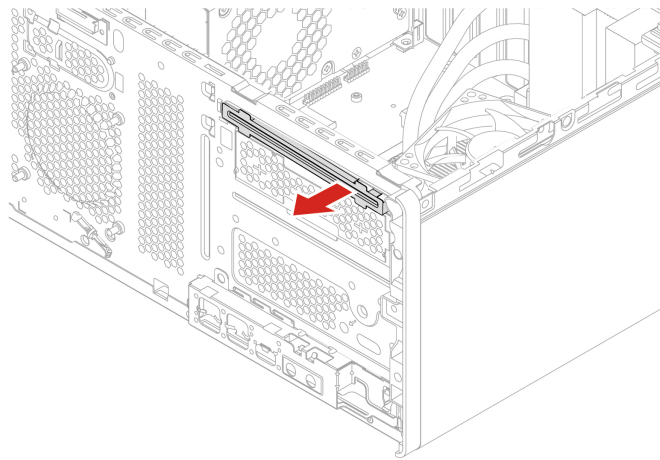
Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, and print the following instructions.

For access, do the following:

1. Remove the “Computer cover” on page 27.
2. Remove the “Front bezel” on page 28

### Removal steps

Push the slim ODD EMI shielding outwards to remove it.



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## HDD in the primary storage drive cage

### Prerequisite

Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, 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:

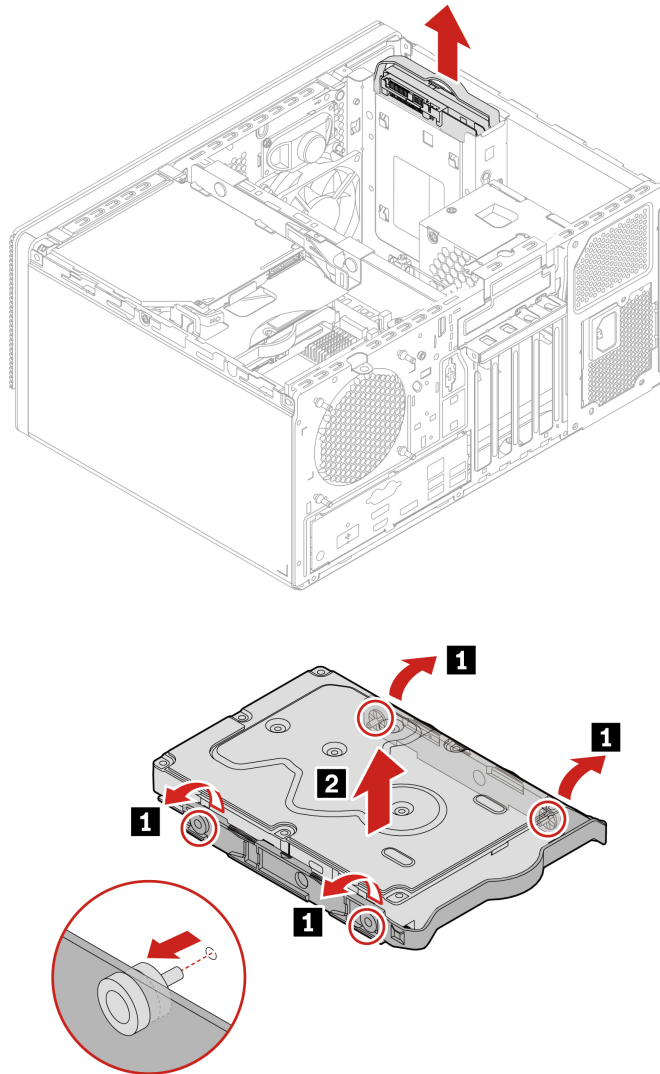
- Replace the internal storage drive only for upgrade or repair. The internal storage drive is not designed for frequent changes or replacement.
- Before replacing the internal storage drive, make a backup copy of all the data that you want to keep.
- Do not touch the contact edge of the internal storage 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.

Remove these parts in order, if any:

1. Remove the “Computer cover” on page 27.
2. Disconnect the signal cable and the power cable from the hard disk drive.

## Removal steps

1. Pull the hard disk drive and its drive tray from the primary storage drive cage.
2. Release the hard disk drive from its tray.



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## Primary hard disk drive cage

### Prerequisite

Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, 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.

For access, remove these parts in order, if any:

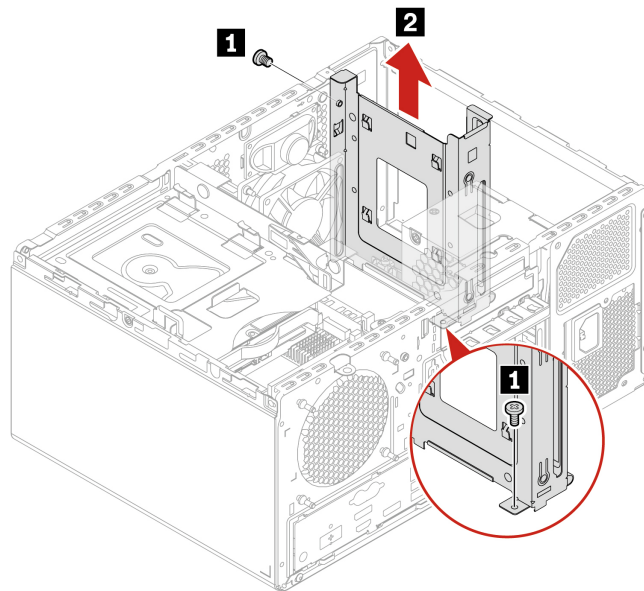
- “Computer cover” on page 27
- “Optical drive and optical drive latch” on page 30
- “Front bezel” on page 28
- “HDD in the primary storage drive cage” on page 33

### Removal steps

1. Remove the two screws which secure the primary hard disk drive cage to the chassis. Find screw specification in the following table.

Screw	Quantity	Torque
M6–32 x L8 mm, Hex Head	2	5.0 ± 0.5 lb/in

2. Remove the primary hard disk drive cage.



## ODD and HDD cage

### Prerequisite

Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, and print the following instructions.

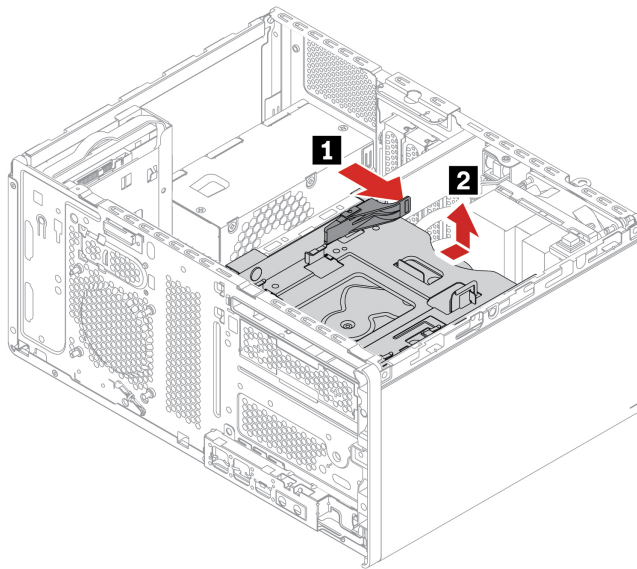
For access, do the following:

1. Remove these parts in order, if any:
  - “Computer cover” on page 27
  - “Optical drive and optical drive latch” on page 30
  - “Front bezel” on page 28

2. Disconnect the signal cable and power cable (if any) from the secondary hard disk drive under the optical drive cage.

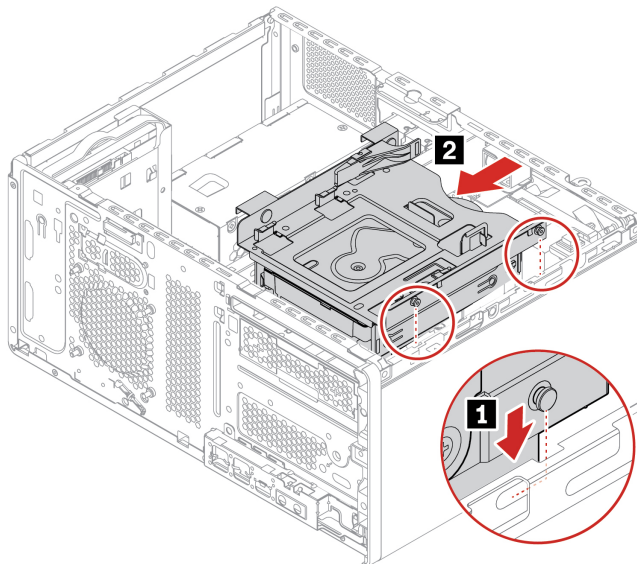
### Removal steps

Press the ODD and HDD cage tab and lift the cage upwards.



### Installation steps

1. Align the buckles on the ODD and HDD cage with the slots on the chassis.
2. Slide the ODD and HDD cage towards the front panel until it's clicked into place.



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## 2.5-inch hard disk drive bracket

### Prerequisite

Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, 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:

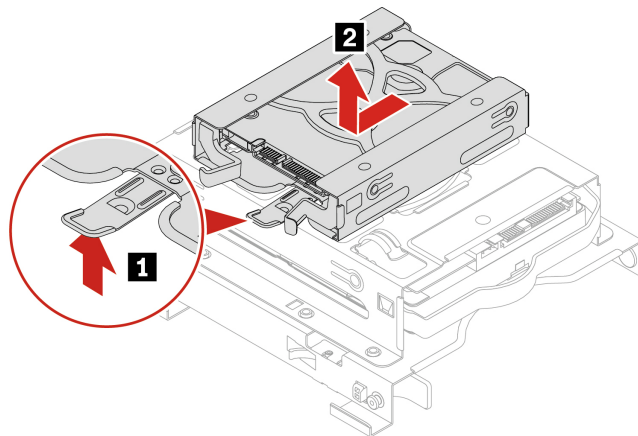
- Replace the internal storage drive only for upgrade or repair. The internal storage drive is not designed for frequent changes or replacement.
- Before replacing the internal storage drive, make a backup copy of all the data that you want to keep.
- Do not touch the contact edge of the internal storage 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.

For access, remove these parts in order, if any:

- “Computer cover” on page 27
- “Optical drive and optical drive latch” on page 30
- “Front bezel” on page 28
- Disconnect the signal cable and the power cable from the hard disk drive.

### Removal steps

Pull the tab on the 2.5-inch hard disk drive bracket and lift the bracket.



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## Hard disk drive in the ODD and HDD cage

### Prerequisite

Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, 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:

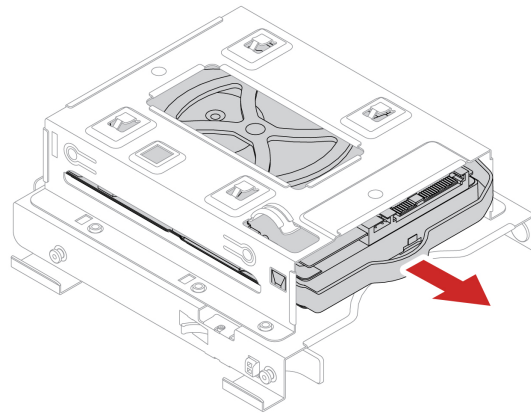
- Replace the internal storage drive only for upgrade or repair. The internal storage drive is not designed for frequent changes or replacement.
- Before replacing the internal storage drive, make a backup copy of all the data that you want to keep.
- Do not touch the contact edge of the internal storage 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.

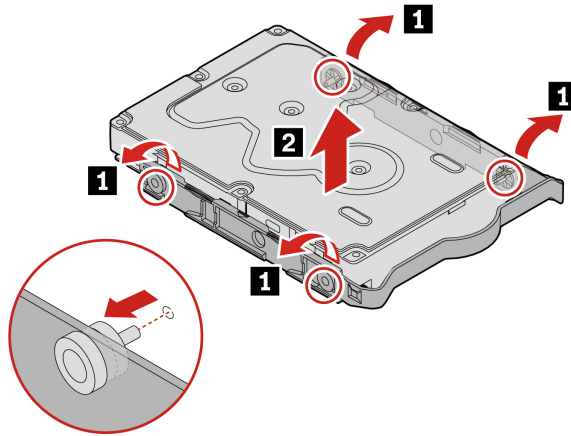
For access, do the following:

1. Remove these parts in order, if any:
  - “Computer cover” on page 27
  - “Optical drive and optical drive latch” on page 30
  - “Front bezel” on page 28
2. Disconnect the signal cable and the power cable from the hard disk drive.

### Removal steps

1. Pull the hard disk drive and its drive tray from the ODD and HDD cage.
2. Release the hard disk drive from its tray.





## M.2 solid-state drive and heat sink

### Prerequisite

Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, and print the following instructions.



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

**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:

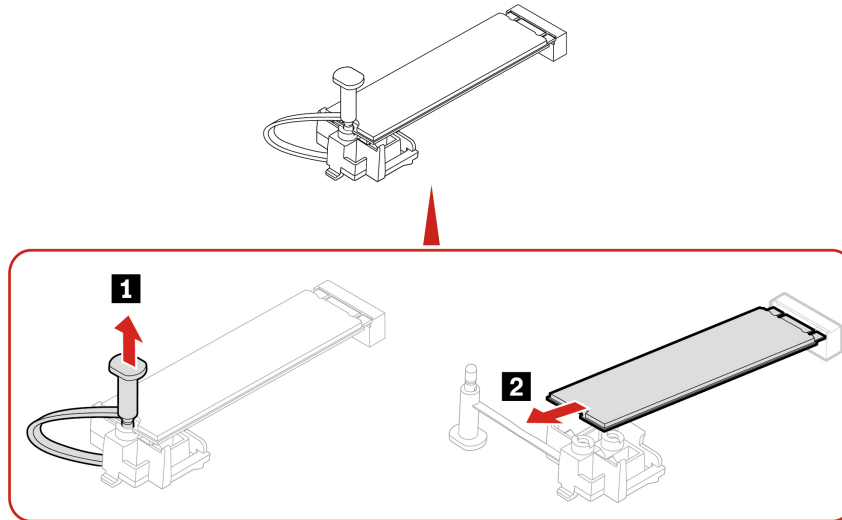
- Replace the internal storage drive only for upgrade or repair. The internal storage drive is not designed for frequent changes or replacement.
- Before replacing the internal storage drive, make a backup copy of all the data that you want to keep.
- Do not touch the contact edge of the internal storage 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.

For access, remove the “Computer cover” on page 27.

### Removal steps for Type-1 M.2 solid-state drive

For computers without the heat sink for the M.2 solid-state drive, release the M.2 solid-state drive from the system board by pulling the SSD clip out of its holder.

**Note:** Remove the film that covers the thermal pad (if any) when installing the M.2 solid-state drive and the heat sink.

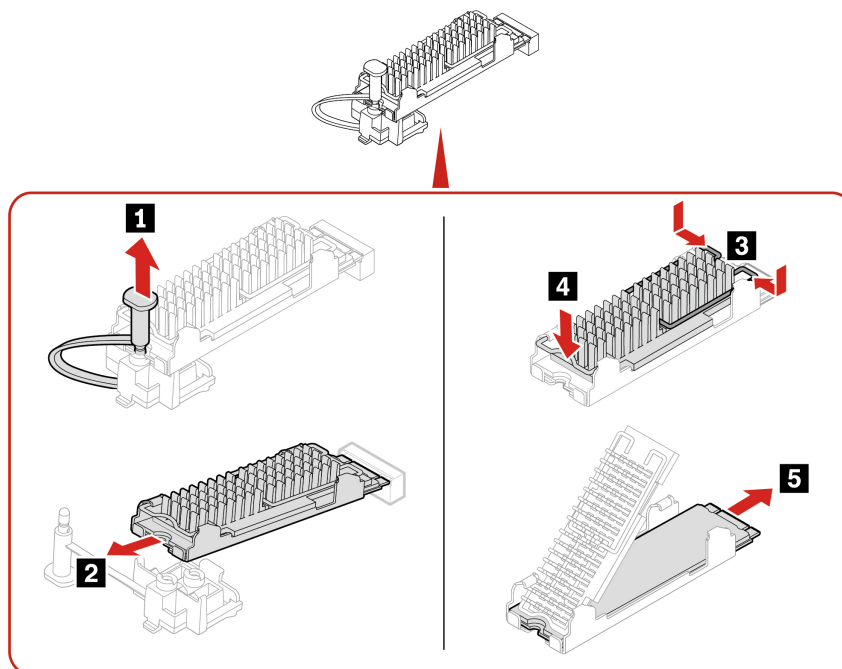


### Removal steps for Type-2 M.2 solid-state drive

The type-2 M.2 solid-state drive is installed in its heat sink. To remove Type-2 M.2 solid-state drive, take following steps:

1. Release the heat sink from the system board by pulling the SSD clip out of its holder.
2. Remove the heat sink.
3. Pinch the two latches on top of the heat sink.
4. Press the other end of the heat sink downward.
5. Remove the M.2 solid-state drive and thermal pad (if any).

**Note:** Remove the film that covers the thermal pad (if any) when installing the M.2 solid-state drive, heat sink, and thermal pad.



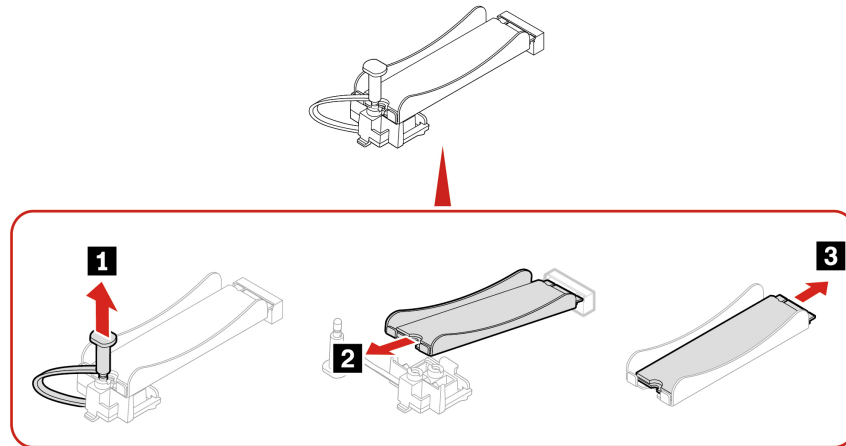


### Removal steps for Type-3 M.2 solid-state drive

The type-3 M.2 solid-state drive is installed in its heat sink. To remove Type-3 M.2 solid-state drive, take following steps:

1. Release the heat sink from the system board by pulling the SSD clip out of its holder.
2. Remove the heat sink.
3. Remove the M.2 solid-state drive and thermal pad (if any).

**Note:** Remove the film that covers the thermal pad (if any) when installing the M.2 solid-state drive and the heat sink.



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## M.2 solid-state drive bracket

### Prerequisite

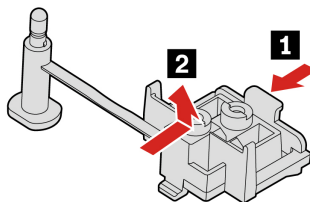
Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, and print the following instructions.

For access, remove these parts in order, if any:

- “Computer cover” on page 27
- “M.2 solid-state drive and heat sink” on page 39

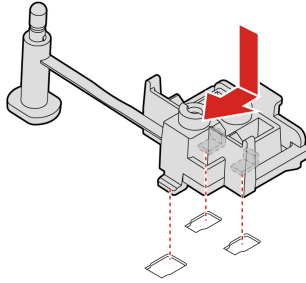
### Removal steps

Release the M.2 solid-state drive bracket from chassis by pushing its retaining clip toward the chassis.



### Installation steps

Align the M.2 solid-state drive bracket with the three holes on the chassis.



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## PCIe card

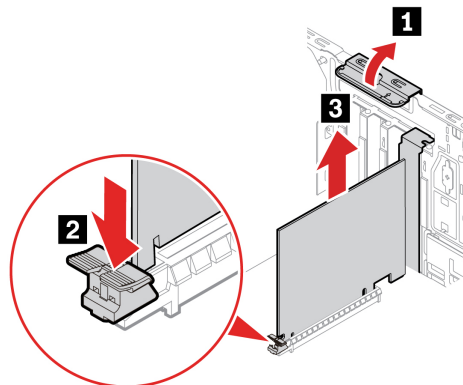
### Prerequisite

Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, and print the following instructions.

For access, remove the “Computer cover” on page 27.

### Removal steps

1. Open the PCIe latch.
2. Press the securing tab and lift the PCIe card out of the slot.



**Note:** Do not attempt to install any PCI-Express cards other than graphics card to the PCI-Express slot next to the microprocessor.

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## Graphics card holder

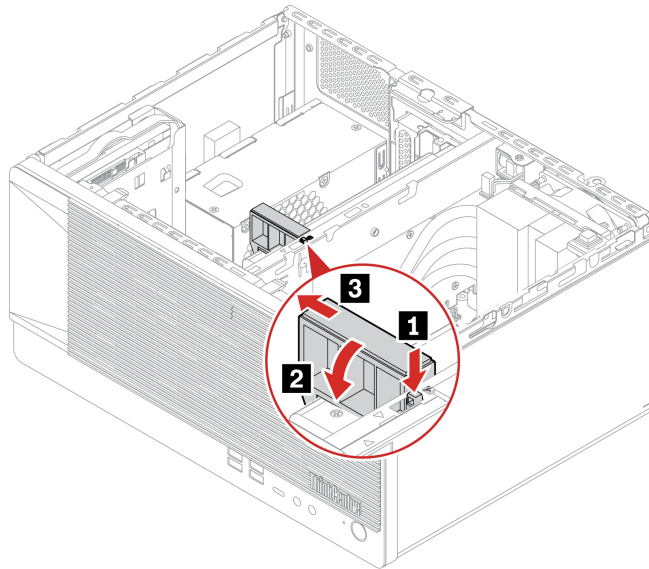
### Prerequisite

Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, and print the following instructions.

For access, remove the “Computer cover” on page 27.

### Removal steps

1. Press the securing tab to release the holder.
2. Pivot the holder horizontally and remove it from the chassis beam.



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## Graphics card

### Prerequisite

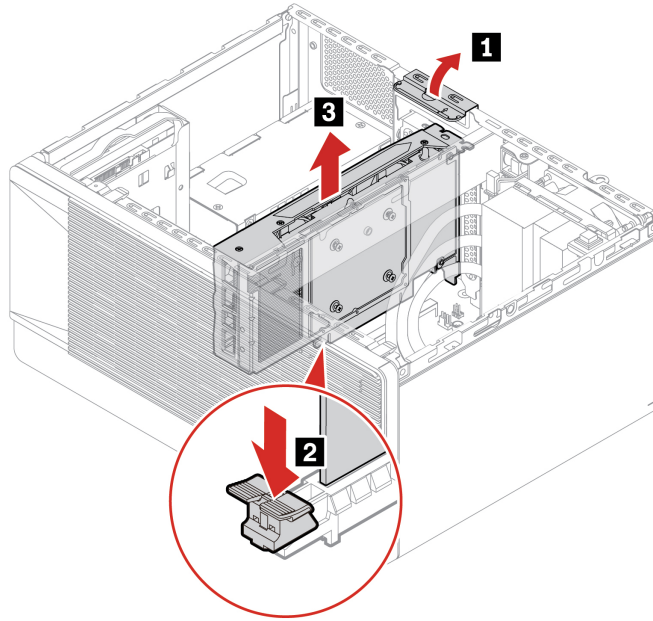
Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, and print the following instructions.

For access, do the following:

1. Remove these parts in order, if any:
  - “Computer cover” on page 27
  - “Optical drive and optical drive latch” on page 30
  - “ODD and HDD cage” on page 35
  - “Graphics card holder” on page 42
2. Disconnect the power cable from the graphics card.

### Removal steps

1. Open the PCIe latch.
2. Press the securing tab and lift the graphics card out of the slot.



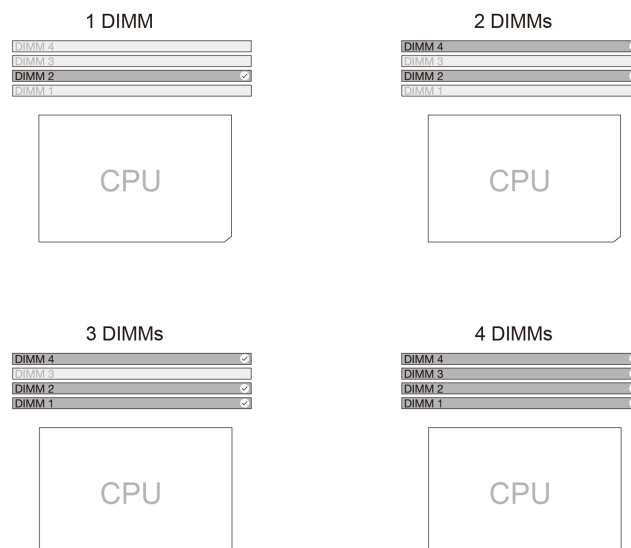
**Note:** Do not attempt to install any PCIe cards other than graphics card to the PCI-Express slot next to the microprocessor.

## Memory module

### Prerequisite

Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, and print the following instructions.

Ensure that you follow the installation order for memory modules shown in the following illustration.

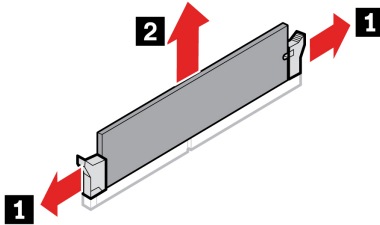


For access, remove these parts in order, if any:

- “Computer cover” on page 27
- “Optical drive and optical drive latch” on page 30
- “ODD and HDD cage” on page 35
- “Graphics card holder” on page 42

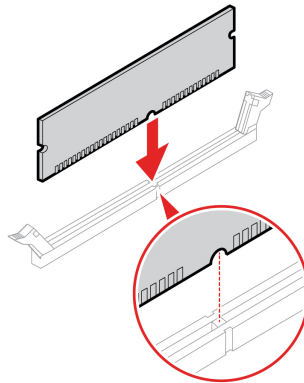
### Removal steps

1. Open the two retaining tabs.
2. Lift the memory module out of the slot.



### Installation steps

Align the memory module to the slot and press down on both ends until the latches are fully engaged with a click.




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## Power supply assembly

### Prerequisite

Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, 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.

For access, do the following:

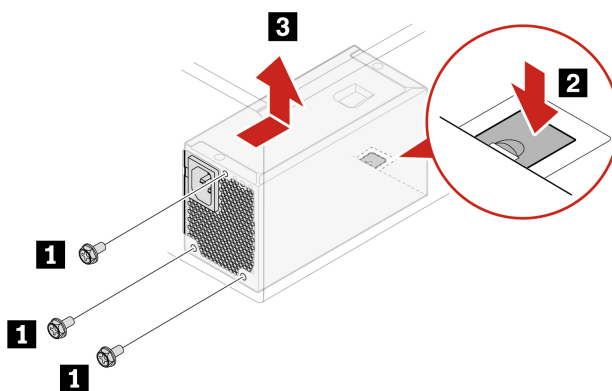
1. Remove these parts in order, if any:
  - “Computer cover” on page 27
  - “Optical drive and optical drive latch” on page 30
  - “Front bezel” on page 28
  - “HDD in the primary storage drive cage” on page 33
  - “Primary hard disk drive cage” on page 34
2. Disconnect the power supply assembly cables from the system board.

### Removal steps

1. Remove the three screws which secure the power supply assembly to the chassis. Find screw specification in the following screw table.

Screw	Quantity	Torque
M6–32 x L8, Hex Head	3	5 ± 0.5 lb/in

2. Press the retaining tab.
3. Push the power supply assembly inwards and lift it.



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## E-lock

### Prerequisite

Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, and print the following instructions.

For access, do the following:

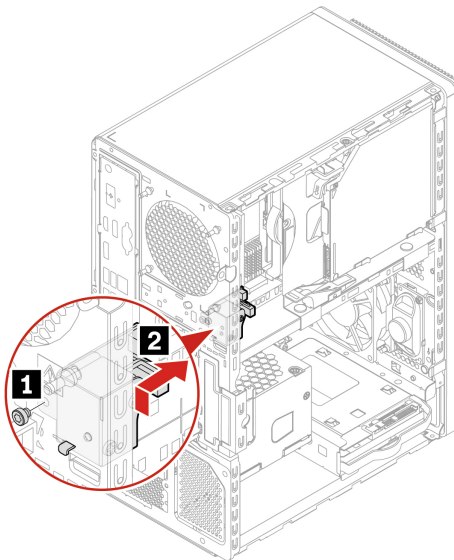
1. Remove the “Computer cover” on page 27.
2. Disconnect the E-lock cable from the system board.

### Removal steps

1. Use a special tool (T15 star wrench) to remove the screw which secures the E-lock to the chassis. Find screw specification like torque in the following screw table.

Screw	Quantity	Torque
M3 x L5-T15	1	5 ± 0.5 lb/in

2. Pull the E-lock away from the chassis.



## Chassis beam

### Prerequisite

Before you start, read *Generic Safety and Compliance Notices*, and print the following instructions.

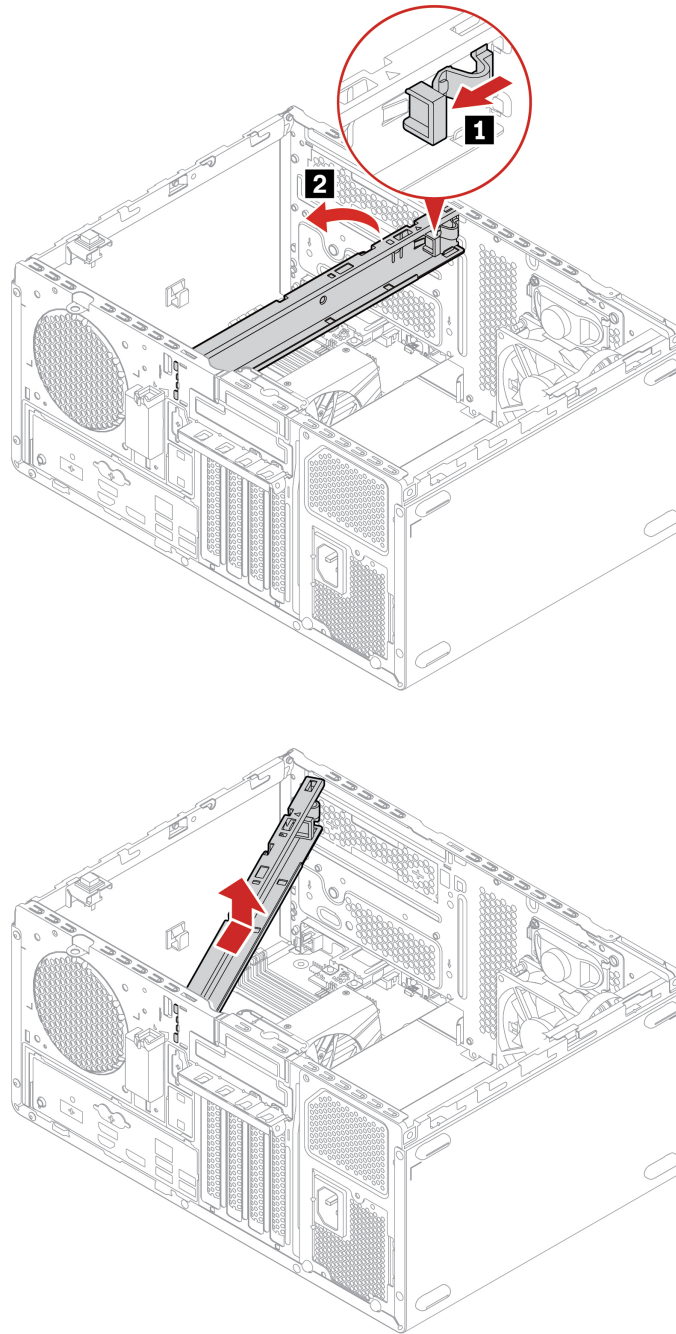
For access, remove these parts in order if any:

- “Computer cover” on page 27
- “Optical drive and optical drive latch” on page 30
- “Front bezel” on page 28
- “ODD and HDD cage” on page 35
- “Graphics card holder” on page 42
- “Graphics card” on page 43

### Removal steps

1. Press the tab to release one side of the chassis beam from the chassis.

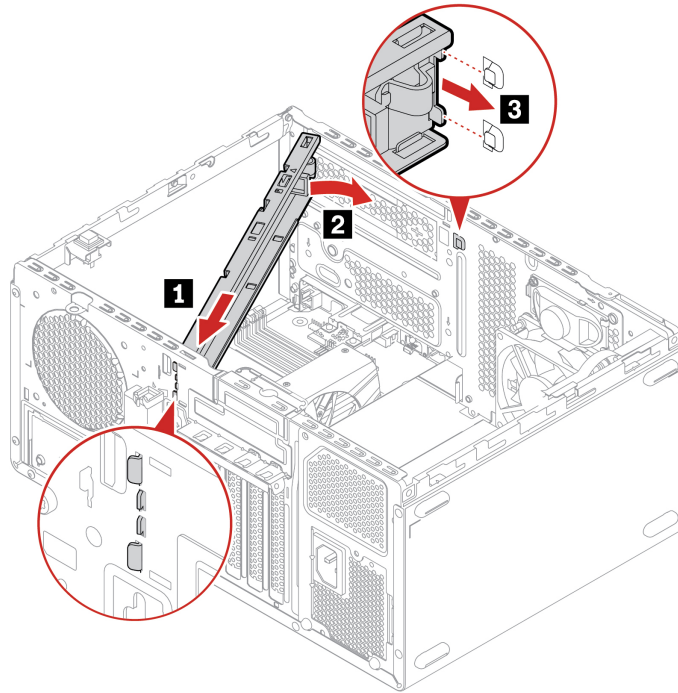
2. Pivot the chassis beam until the hooks on the other side are completely released from the holes on the chassis.



### Installation steps

1. Align the hooks of the chassis beam on the one side with the holes on the rear panel of chassis.
2. Pivot the chassis beam until the hooks of the other side are clicked into the front panel of the chassis .







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## Chapter 6. Help and support

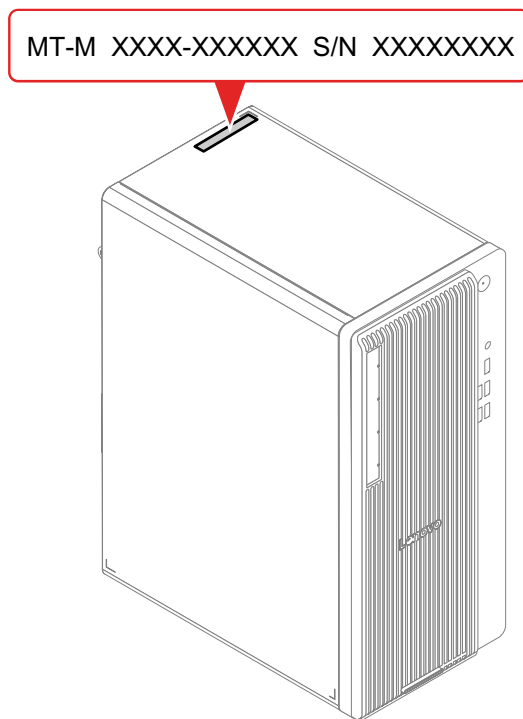
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### Find your serial number

This topic helps you find computer serial number.

You can find your serial number via:

- **Dashboard** or **Device** in the **Vantage** app
- Top of your computer (shown as below illustration)



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### Diagnose and troubleshoot your computer

This section provides introduction to a set of diagnostics and troubleshooting tools at Lenovo Support Web site and the Vantage app. They can help you diagnose common software and hardware issues.

The following table lists these diagnostics tools and the recommended conditions for each tool.

Diagnostics tool	Recommended scenario
Troubleshoot and diagnose at Lenovo Support Web site	You want to have an online troubleshooting or scan of hardware and drivers on your computer.
Hardware scan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Your computer is installed with the Vantage app.</li><li>• You want to perform basic examinations of the hardware components.</li></ul>

## Troubleshoot and diagnose at Lenovo Support Web site

Lenovo provides two different diagnosing solutions to help you identify and resolve problems on your computer.

### For computers purchased in mainland China

1. Go to <https://newsupport.lenovo.com.cn/>.
2. Enter the troubleshooting section and find the question you are encountering.

### For computers purchased outside mainland China

1. Go to <https://www.pcsupport.lenovo.com/> and enter your product name in the search box.
2. Click **Troubleshoot & Diagnose** and select the option that fits your need.

#### Notes:

- Before launching any automatic diagnosing process, a pop-up window will be prompted to install Lenovo Service Bridge. Lenovo Service Bridge helps to connect your computer with Lenovo diagnosing tools.
- Lenovo Support Web site makes periodic updates of the sections to keep improving your experience with your computer. The Web site interface and descriptions of sections might be different from that on your actual interface.
- If you are unaware of what problem your computer goes with, it is recommended that you select **Easy** and follow on-screen instructions to get your firmware updated and obtain the hardware status.
- If you have identified the problem on your computer, you can select **Custom** and follow on-screen instructions to resolve the problem.

If solutions can not resolve problems on your computer, you can follow on-screen instructions to submit an e-ticket or contact Lenovo for professional assistance.

## Hardware scan

Hardware scan is an effective hardware testing tool to help you identify existing hardware issues.

To run the Hardware scan:

- Step 1. Type **Vantage** in the Windows search box and then press Enter.
- Step 2. Click **Hardware scan** or **Support → Hardware scan**.
- Step 3. Select **QUICK SCAN** or **CUSTOMIZE** and then follow the on-screen instructions to run the hardware scan.

#### Notes:

- The Quick Scan tool contains a pre-selected suite of tests that performs basic examinations of the hardware components found in the system. The Customize tool enables you to select one or several hardware components to perform the examinations.
  - Before selecting **QUICK SCAN**, click **Refresh Modules** to ensure that the list of hardware components is the components currently available for the computer.
- Step 4. If any hardware failure is detected, the result varies depending on the warranty status and varies by country or region. Follow the on-screen instructions to resolve the issue.

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## Recover your Windows operating system

When you encounter some unexpected issues with your operating system, you can choose to recover your operating system by yourself or call Lenovo Customer Support Center.

**Note:** Microsoft constantly makes updates to the Windows operating system. Before installing a particular Windows version, check the compatibility list for the Windows version. For details, go to <https://support.lenovo.com/us/en/solutions/ht512575>.

### For computers purchased in mainland China

Go to [https://iknow.lenovo.com.cn/detail/199198\\_1.html](https://iknow.lenovo.com.cn/detail/199198_1.html).

### For computers purchased outside mainland China

To recover your operating system to...	See.
Factory defaults	Refer to the instructions in <a href="https://support.lenovo.com/HowToCreateLenovoRecovery">https://support.lenovo.com/HowToCreateLenovoRecovery</a>
A previous system point	Refer to the instructions in Popular Topics: <a href="https://support.lenovo.com/solutions/ht118590">https://support.lenovo.com/solutions/ht118590</a>

## 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 needed information 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.

## Self-help resources

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

Resources	How to access?
Lenovo Support Web Site	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• For computers purchased in mainland China <a href="https://www.lenovo.com.cn">https://www.lenovo.com.cn</a></li><li>• For computers purchased outside mainland China <a href="https://pcsupport.lenovo.com">https://pcsupport.lenovo.com</a></li></ul>
Tips	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• For computers purchased in mainland China <a href="https://iknow.lenovo.com.cn">https://iknow.lenovo.com.cn</a></li><li>• For computers purchased outside mainland China <a href="https://www.lenovo.com/tips">https://www.lenovo.com/tips</a></li></ul>

Resources	How to access?
Lenovo Community	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For computers purchased in mainland China <a href="https://iknow.lenovo.com.cn">https://iknow.lenovo.com.cn</a></li> <li>For computers purchased outside mainland China <a href="https://forums.lenovo.com">https://forums.lenovo.com</a></li> </ul>
Accessibility information (for computers purchased outside China)	<a href="https://www.lenovo.com/accessibility">https://www.lenovo.com/accessibility</a>
Windows help information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Open the Start menu and click <b>Get Help</b> or <b>Tips</b>.</li> <li>Use Windows Search.</li> <li>Microsoft support Web site: <a href="https://support.microsoft.com">https://support.microsoft.com</a></li> </ul>

## Purchase accessories or additional services

This topic provides instructions on how to purchase accessories or additional services.

### Accessories

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

To shop at Lenovo, go to:

- For computers purchased in mainland China  
<https://www.lenovo.com.cn>
- For computers purchased outside mainland China  
<https://www.lenovo.com/accessories>

### Additional services

During and after the warranty period, you can purchase additional services from Lenovo at:

- For computers purchased in mainland China  
<https://newsupport.lenovo.com.cn>
- For computers purchased outside mainland China  
<https://pcsupport.lenovo.com/warrantyupgrade>

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

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## Appendix A. Supplementary information

This section contains the notice for USB connector name update. The USB Implementers Forum published a revision of the guideline for USB connector names in September, 2022. Lenovo follows the revised guideline and updates USB connector names accordingly. You can refer to the table below for naming update details.

### Notice for USB connector name update

Current name	Previous name
USB-A connector (Hi-Speed USB)	USB-A 2.0 connector
USB-A connector (USB 5Gbps)	USB-A 3.2 Gen 1 connector
USB-A connector (USB 10Gbps)	USB-A 3.2 Gen 2 connector
USB-A connector (USB 5Gbps, Always On USB)	Always on USB-A 3.2 Gen 1 connector
USB-A connector (USB 10Gbps, Always On USB)	Always on USB-A 3.2 Gen 2 connector
USB-C connector (USB 5Gbps)	USB-C (3.2 Gen 1) connector
USB-C connector (USB 10Gbps)	USB-C (3.2 Gen 2) connector
USB-C connector (USB 20Gbps)	USB 3.2 Gen 2x2
USB-C connector (USB4 20Gbps)	USB 4 Gen 2x2
USB-C connector (USB4 40Gbps)	USB-C (USB 4) connector
USB-C connector (Thunderbolt 3)	USB-C (Thunderbolt 3) connector
USB-C connector (Thunderbolt 4)	USB-C (Thunderbolt 4) connector

### 효율관리기자재 소비전력량

효율관리기자재 표시사항	소비효율 정보
컴퓨터 유형	D
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슬립모드 소비전력 (W)	1.18
오프모드 소비전력 (W)	0.95





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