INTEL® OPTANE™ MEMORY

Intel® Optane™ memory delivers better overall system responsiveness across everyday tasks than adding additional DRAM.

INTEL® OPTANE™ MEMORY COMPLEMENTS DRAM RATHER THAN REPLACING IT ENTIRELY.

By having both, your computer is able to access programs and data faster, providing additional responsiveness that is not delivered by DRAM alone.

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Dynamic Random Access Memory (DRAM) is a volatile memory technology used to temporarily hold the inputs and results of calculations performed by the Processor. When you power off your computer, the content within DRAM is lost forever.

SHORT- TERM MEMORY

Intel® Optane™ memory is a smart memory technology that accelerates computers’ responsiveness. It accesses your computer’s frequently used documents, pictures, videos and applications quickly and remembers them after you power off — enabling you to create, game, and produce with less waiting.

LONG- TERM MEMORY

Processor

Chipset

Storage

DRAM

Intel® Optane™ Memory

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Wait! What you need is INTEL® OPTANE™ MEMORY not additional DRAM.

Everyday Tasks are up to 2X1

MORE RESPONSIVE

with HDD + 16GB Intel® Optane™ memory and 8GB DRAM vs. HDD + 16GB DRAM

2.1X2

MORE RESPONSIVE

with HDD + 16GB Intel® Optane™ memory module + 8GB DRAM vs. 8th Gen Intel® Core™ i5-8350U Processor with HDD (16GB DRAM)

Intel® Optane™ Memory may not meet application / game minimum DRAM requirements.

¹As measured by SYSmark® 2014 SE Responsiveness Subscore comparing 8th Gen Intel® Core™ i5-8500 Processor with HDD (16GB Intel® Optane™ memory module + 8GB DRAM) vs. 8th Gen Intel® Core™ i5-8500 Processor with HDD (16GB DRAM)

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