



Product Change Notification

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Change Title: Intel® Server System R1208WT2GSR,
Intel® Server Riser A2UX8X4RISER ,
PCN 116513-00, Product Design,
BIOS/ME/BMC Firmware factory, PBA
Riser change
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Key Characteristics of the Change:

Documentation, Product Design

Forecasted Key Milestones:

Date Customer Must be Ready to Receive Post-Conversion Material:	October 12, 2018
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Description of Change to the Customer:

The PBA (Product Board Assembly) of the Server Riser A2UX8X4RISER has implemented SMBus support.

Intel is implementing the following changes on the Intel® Server Systems and Intel® Server Boards listed in the "Products Affected" table below:

1. Update the BIOS to revision R01.01.0024.
2. Update the Manageability Engine (ME) firmware to revision 03.01.03.043.
3. Update the Integrated Baseboard Management Controller (BMC) firmware to revision 01.51.11142.

Intel Server Boards with factory firmware will display the following message on each boot until the BIOS is updated:

"WARNING: This Server is running factory firmware. A software update is required. As part of your system integration process, please load the latest system update package (SUP) to enable the latest security, quality and performance."

Customer Impact of Change and Recommended Action:

The primary value of this factory BIOS is that it allows the customer to perform a single BIOS programming (upgrade or downgrade) without the requirement of moving the BIOS Recovery physical jumper. Once the first programming is done, any subsequent attempts to downgrade will require moving the BIOS Recovery physical jumper

Intel does not expect any other impact to customers from these changes, but encourages customers to understand the change and determine the impact on their applications. For that reason Intel recommends that the customer perform a standard level of evaluation. Customers can download and evaluate the latest BIOS/ME/Integrated BMC and FRUSDR release notes for more information at <http://www.intel.com/support>.

Products Affected / Intel Ordering Codes:

Product Code	MM#	Pre Change TA	Pre Change PBGA	Post Change TA	Post Change PBA
A2UX8X4RISER	934883	G97701-004	G94347-171	G97701-005	G94347-271
R1208WT2GSR	975756	J11465-011	H21573-372	J11465-012	H21573-373

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Reason:

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