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Corleone???????????? - September 11, 2012, 2:45 am

Just got this bad boy Asus GTX 670, my first step to my new build, since I made the mistake of buying a pre-built PC. The CPU I have bottlenecks the fuck out of it though, so if somebody can recommend me a decent CPU and Motherboard, I'd be ever so thankful. Here are some pics.

Programmargorp - September 11, 2012, 2:48 am

Nice card OP, im jelly
Anyhow, an i5 and Z77 extreme 4 would do nicely.

Alaric - September 11, 2012, 2:49 am

Congratulations on a nice purchase, mate :)

zombiehacker - September 11, 2012, 2:52 am

looks very good, congratulations. mate

Corleone???????????? - September 11, 2012, 2:55 am

Thank you all, I barely ran BF3 on low, glad to see I'm somewhat running it on ultra, all I really need is the CPU upgrade and I'm ready to go. And Programmargorp, if nobody comes along and recommends something better, that is what I'll be going with. :)

Steve Kosh - September 11, 2012, 6:05 am

Well for the price of the 3570k and the Extreme 4 there really isnt anything that much better.

#Realtalk. - September 11, 2012, 6:18 am

Asrock z77 Extreme4
i5-3570k.

thats what i own ^^ and its awesome

Corleone???????????? - September 11, 2012, 6:22 am

Wow, first thread I see everyone agreeing with each other, i5-3570k and Asrock Z77 Extreme4 it is!
Thanks guys, you were a great help.

Wezz - September 11, 2012, 6:28 am

Depends on how much you're willing to spend:P

Gørilla - September 11, 2012, 9:33 am

now thats sexy ;) id love to have one of those<3 ive got the iceq x HIS 2gb radeon hd6950 ;D does its job.. post count: 1.4k! <3

Corleone???????????? - September 11, 2012, 12:59 pm

Hehe, nice Krewella. Yeah, I'm somewhat of a noob when it comes to hardware, but I'm learning. I'm glad I made the right choice with the GTX 670. :) I'm hoping with a new CPU my FPS will go up a lot more, as I'm pretty sure it should be running better than this, fuck this Phenom II x4 9750 2.4 ghz.

learn4r - September 11, 2012, 1:03 pm

What case do you own? Asrock Z77 and an I5 3570k + CM hyper 212 EVO would be perfect for you.

Corleone???????????? - September 11, 2012, 1:07 pm

I actually forgot to mention that I'm in need of a cheap, but big case aswell, as I'm using the stock case that my HP pc was in, it's very small, infact the GTX 670 only just fits in, and it's cramped, I literally have to have the case open as it's so cramped I can't do any cable managing at all.

Steve Kosh - September 11, 2012, 1:09 pm

How cheap do you want the case to be?

Corleone???????????? - September 11, 2012, 1:10 pm

I'd like it to be around 100-120€ (\$130-\$150 is what the conversion would be, I guess?), I'd also like to thank everyone for helping me out, you sure are a great help, I appreciate it.

learn4r - September 11, 2012, 1:13 pm

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Antec 900 / Coolermaster HAF 932 / NZXT Phantom

Steve Kosh - September 11, 2012, 1:14 pm

<http://www.scan.co.uk/products/nzxt-phantom-enthusiast-white-full-tower-performance-gaming-case-with-usb-30-w-o-psu>

<http://www.scan.co.uk/products/bitfenix-colossus-monolith-black-full-tower-performance-case-blue-red-switchable-led-usb-30-w-o-psu>

<http://www.scan.co.uk/products/cooler-master-haf-932-v2-advance-black-full-tower-case-with-usb-30-w-o-psu>

<http://www.scan.co.uk/products/fractal-design-define-xl-black-pearl-mid-tower-performan-case-usb-30-fans-inc-2x-140mm-1x-180mm-10x->

Those are a few options you can look at. Note that they are full tower and are very big. Look at a video review and they should show how big they are.

Corleone???????????? - September 11, 2012, 1:22 pm

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Han. - September 11, 2012, 1:25 pm

Cooler Master HAF 912 Plus has a removable HDD rack for improved airflow and the cable management is great.

webdev77 - September 11, 2012, 1:31 pm

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I might aswell note I'm considering getting a second GTX 670 along the road when I finish up the rest of my build.

learn4r - September 11, 2012, 1:55 pm

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IMO, the HAF 932 is better.

The Phantom looks really nice though.

En1gma - September 11, 2012, 2:46 pm

looks good, nice purchase. congrats.