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Thread: [New Alienware Laptop](#)

zSerity - January 10, 2016, 11:11 pm

Just bought this Alienware 17, it was around \$2900 with taxes.
Overall I'm happy with it, as I've always wanted an Alienware.

- Specs:
- i7 4710HQ
 - GTX 980M
 - 16GB RAM
 - 128 GB Samsung SSD
 - 1 TB HDD

The pictures do absolutely no justice, it's sooooo much nicer in person.

You can also change the lights to any color you want, which I love.
I know a lot of people think Alienware is overpriced, which it honestly is, however this was like a Christmas gift I bought myself along with my watch. xD

elitefuzion - January 10, 2016, 11:14 pm

Eh, it's cool and all but you could have built an insane desktop with \$2900!

Lexxi. - January 10, 2016, 11:14 pm

(Jan 11, 2016 12:13 AM)php Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Great Christmas gift, but I would never think about spending that much money on a laptop.
agreed here, can spend less for better stuff inside the laptop, enjoy the laptop however :)

friend has the same laptop, was on special for sales here, he got it for 1 grand, very good deal but battery life dies due to lights and such fast

Wardow - January 10, 2016, 11:15 pm

Dude.. AlienWare, why??

Wardow - January 10, 2016, 11:16 pm

(Jan 11, 2016 12:16 AM)php Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) His family bought it for them. You can ask why to a lot of things family's do. It's a great laptop, just overpriced.
more than overpriced, it's a scam..

DuguWudi - January 10, 2016, 11:16 pm

(Jan 11, 2016 12:15 AM)Wardow Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Dude.. AlienWare,

Brand name, if I got the money I also want get one myself.?

(Jan 11, 2016 12:16 AM)DuguWudi Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Brand name, if I got the money I also want get one myself.?

I prefer MSI > alienware, but nice laptop nonetheless.

(Jan 11, 2016 12:14 AM)United States Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Eh, it's cool and all but you could have built an insane desktop with \$2900!

(Jan 11, 2016 12:14 AM)Chronicle L33T Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) agreed here, can spend less for better stuff inside the laptop, enjoy the laptop however :)

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You sure it's the same one? This just came out a few months ago and there is no way he got it for \$1000.

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Lol I wish, I can't even get them to buy me \$50 shoes. I said I bought myself a xmas gift, a late one.
:P

(Jan 11, 2016 12:18 AM)Wardow Wrote: [CITE](#) No, no, no, no, no, no, no, no, no, no, no, no, no, no, no,
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no, no, no, no, no, no, no, no, no, no, just no.

If you strike the 1.3 billion jackpot, are you tempted to get of these??

(Jan 11, 2016 12:20 AM)php Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This is my third fuck up for tonight. I'm about to just call it a night.

So YOU bought the laptop for yourself. Well, it is definitely overpriced.. But as long as you're happy. :)

You'd be mad if I told you I already over paid for a laptop once, around the same price

Toshiba Oosmio x70-A

I'm thinking about selling it on HF for 800

[illegible]

I knew I'd get these reactions xD

?Boom - January 10, 2016, 11:30 pm

I have an Alienware myself back from 2013

Works well but battery is shit ohh did i fail to mention over priced as fuck.. Young and foolish when i got it

zSernity - January 10, 2016, 11:31 pm

(Jan 11, 2016 12:30 AM)?Boom Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) young and foolish
Pretty much ?

woahxx - January 10, 2016, 11:32 pm

Wow, that one is a coool beast

Tyranus. - January 10, 2016, 11:33 pm

Honestly for \$3K the specs just aren't worth it.

zSerity - January 10, 2016, 11:34 pm

(Jan 11, 2016 12:34 AM)php Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) But.. But.. What about a 401k? What about savings? What about keeping up WITH YOUR GOD DAMN FINANCES BOY?!
All taken care of, I wouldn't have this if I didn't have a decent savings!

zSerity - January 10, 2016, 11:43 pm

(Jan 11, 2016 12:36 AM)php Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Hey, if you got a budget for your lavish spending habits while having a good stack of money saved up.. I say, keep doing you buddy.

Honestly I've been saving for awhile and don't usually spend money like this, I'm actually quite cheap.

Root - January 10, 2016, 11:44 pm

omg you posted this pic in our skype chat like 8000 times lol.

BTB™ - January 10, 2016, 11:48 pm

One hell of a beast!

Alienware's are sexy....

zSerity - January 10, 2016, 11:48 pm

(Jan 11, 2016 12:44 AM)Root Wrote: [CITE](#) omg you posted this pic in our skype chat like 8000 times lol.

I posted it twice you can leave me alone

I'm excited ok

(Jan 11, 2016 12:48 AM)BTB™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) One hell of a beast!

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zSernity - January 10, 2016, 11:50 pm

(Jan 11, 2016 12:49 AM)php Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Oh then hell yeah. I know what you mean. I don't really

spend much on anything except drinks and food. Other than that I save and invest into my websites. I have however spent \$500 on a watch and \$120 on a pair of some new Nikes that ended up getting stolen.. Still got the watch though. ;)

On-sale for \$300

KrazyHigh - January 10, 2016, 11:53 pm

Shit boy why haven't you posted this on FB yet.

Glad you're doing good though, that 15% rate builds up after a while .

BTB™ - January 10, 2016, 11:53 pm

(Jan 11, 2016 12:48 AM)zSerity Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I hate to buy things mainly on cosmetics but yes it's soo sexy

I truly understand what you mean.

"If we are in love with a gadget; price actually does not matter!" ?

zSerity - January 10, 2016, 11:54 pm

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I have you on FB O.O

problems.x - January 10, 2016, 11:55 pm

I prefer laptops over a desktop because I get around quite a bit, go to different places so it's much easier to transfer. Anyway i hope you really enjoy it! Looks like a very nice laptop.

KrazyHigh - January 10, 2016, 11:56 pm

(Jan 11, 2016 12:54 AM)zSerity Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I have you on FB O.O

Yeah man I'll PM you my initials.

B FOR BADASS - January 11, 2016, 1:17 am

Its looks super cool. Will buy if I have funds. Thx

Wireless Network - January 11, 2016, 1:26 am

Holy fucking shit!!! I'm jelaous.

zSerity - January 11, 2016, 1:31 am

Having issues installing OS, keeps giving me some weird error

Maybe one of you can help me tomorrow in the day ?

LilDurk - January 11, 2016, 1:33 am

You got this with HF ebook money? gj

zSerity - January 11, 2016, 1:42 am

(Jan 11, 2016 02:33 AM)LilDurk. Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You got this with HF ebook money? gj

Not eBook money lol, but HF related things yes.

HF has also supplied me with my last year's worth of weed, so I'm very grateful thnx HF.

Ætμ™ - January 11, 2016, 4:12 am

Before I knew that alienwares were extremely over-hyped and therefore over-priced, back when I was in my early teens, I got the m14x. For the money it was clearly not performing as high as it should have. However, all in all it was a good laptop and I sold it on ebay recently for a loss of only a

hundred dollars. So good news is it's a solid laptop and you could always sell it if you don't like it as the value doesn't go down drastically over time.

NotYourNormalApproach - January 11, 2016, 4:13 am

Why Alienware.. Nooo...

Alienware is a meme.

Apocryphon - January 11, 2016, 6:12 am

Great choice mate. I've bought a laptop for myself aswell. It is an Asus thought.

FkN Alex - January 11, 2016, 6:42 am

how comfortable is the keyboard on that alienware?

minimalist - January 11, 2016, 6:45 am

I'm guessing that you bought the laptop with the look of it in mind, otherwise I'm sure that you'd have went with a better laptop for the price. Great nonetheless, congratulations.

RelationShit - January 11, 2016, 6:49 am

(Jan 11, 2016 12:50 AM)zSerity Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#)

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Vicellus Drum - January 11, 2016, 6:54 am

\$2,900 and only a 4710HQ?

Chaoarii - January 11, 2016, 8:06 am

Dream gaming laptop, but for me I properly go spends those moneys into a desktop.

Sahaj - January 11, 2016, 8:07 am

Man, sick specs, I just have i5 with nVidia 530M, sucks.

zSerity - January 11, 2016, 11:35 am

(Jan 11, 2016 07:42 AM)fux. Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) how comfortable is the keyboard on that alienware?

Very actually, the keys and trackpad buttons are really clicky and comfortable which I love

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Yeah of course, I bought it for the look and alienware brand solely, or else I would've got a laptop with the same specs for thousands cheaper

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Thanks I like it too :D

(Jan 11, 2016 07:54 AM)Vicellus Drum Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) \$2,900 and only a 4710HQ?

Yeah that's the shit part, my Toshiba Qosmio has a better CPU I think it's a 4770

joshuagress - January 11, 2016, 2:55 pm

you better should have gotten a pc with same specs, just half as expensive

Krave - January 11, 2016, 4:44 pm

Very expensive but I guess it would be nice to use. My laptop has similar specs (8gb ram, no SDD)

for £650 (\$950)

wander is a multi dwc - January 11, 2016, 5:14 pm

How heavy is the laptop? 3kg? Can you carry it around easily?

#Doge - January 11, 2016, 5:19 pm

Damn. That's a real beauty right. I've always wanted Alienware but never really got around to buying one. x)

Varane - January 11, 2016, 5:19 pm

I personally wanna buy AlienWare Alpha i7 to replace my shitty ass PC.

Rey? - January 11, 2016, 5:25 pm

It's nice, definitely not what I would've done tho, I would rather build my own. But really nice

zSerity - January 12, 2016, 2:12 am

Glad you all like it, I know it's overpriced

Maximum - January 12, 2016, 2:34 am

(Jan 11, 2016 12:43 AM)zSerity Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I'm actually quite cheap.
You don't even need to clarify this everybody already knows.

Remix - January 12, 2016, 3:09 am

Alienware is just overpriced
But it's nice

zSerity - January 12, 2016, 11:50 am

(Jan 11, 2016 06:14 PM)reve4 neeuQ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) How heavy is the laptop? 3kg? Can you carry it around easily?
Not sure exactly, I don't think it's that much though. It's definitely light compared to my Toshiba Qosmio, but this also lacks the disc drive.

(Jan 12, 2016 03:34 AM)Maximum Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You don't even need to clarify this everybody already knows.
fuk Off yeezy

(Jan 12, 2016 04:09 AM)+Remix Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Alienware is just overpriced
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WRX - January 12, 2016, 11:54 am

Honestly alienware used to nbe a nice product whe n they were a standalone company but ever since dell took over it kind of made the quality go in the shitter. I am not a fan of dell at all since they dont even make all their own parts for their own computers (using cheaper companies like westgate and such) I use to sell alienware and dell at the shop I worked for and I would always point people in a different direction, I wasn't commisioned either so my opinion was unbias. If you google pre dell alienware vs dell alienware you will see what I am talking about.

Anyways good luck with your new computer and if that's what makes you happy enjoy it.

CocoaNut - January 12, 2016, 1:39 pm

Nice specs and brand, never understood why people purchase Alienware

Trojan - January 12, 2016, 1:41 pm

Sooo many haters in this thread, lol. Nice laptop Serity.

Cunt - January 12, 2016, 1:43 pm

Would never buy it myself.

But congrats on the purchase man, The specs are absolutely insane :)

3n19ma - January 12, 2016, 1:46 pm

Really like the specs dude, congrats on your purchase!

reBELLYus - January 12, 2016, 1:48 pm

OOOOH, AHHH. Nice purchase.

zSerity - January 12, 2016, 2:05 pm

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On it right now, she's running smoooooooooooooooooooooth

MonarchXD - January 12, 2016, 8:23 pm

Got the same laptop about 1 year ago, got to find the specs again but after 1 year, this beast will not disapoint you. I have had 0 issues with this laptop and since mine has a 120hz screen, its a portable gaming computer at this point, one complaint. love it, worth every penny, im thinking about getting another one.

x2NaTe2x - January 12, 2016, 8:42 pm

Wow, this is sexy. But, I'd rather build my own PC to be honest.

Tronix - January 12, 2016, 10:08 pm

Specs arent the greatest for price but its still a beast. Enjoy it bro!

Indecisive enough - January 12, 2016, 10:56 pm

Not bad, I have an M18x I got a few years back.

Now I'm strictly Mac though.

Raptor. - January 13, 2016, 5:10 am

MFw people blow ~3k on laptops these days without it containing a desktop GPU.

Nads - January 13, 2016, 5:15 am

Looks nice, but I personally have never been a fan of Alienware. Still a nice little present for yourself.

Spending - January 13, 2016, 5:52 am

That is one big fat hella chunky laptop. Why the hell not spend all that money on a nice MacBook Pro. Atleast you'd be able to carry it around. You'd literally break your back carrying on that big ass laptop.

CRT - January 13, 2016, 6:02 am

Please don't tell me you bought a laptop for gaming. ?

Codm4n76 - January 13, 2016, 10:45 am

Pretty nice laptop, Alienware is way overpriced though.

zSerity - January 13, 2016, 4:48 pm

Selling dis \$3000 laptop for \$2000 hmu

Spooky White - January 13, 2016, 9:44 pm

That's a sick ass new laptop you got there bud, I got myself a new razor naga chrome mouse costed 120\$. Not really something brag worthy though, haha.

Morty - January 13, 2016, 9:45 pm

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zSerity - January 13, 2016, 11:00 pm

(Jan 13, 2016 10:45 PM)Morty Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Congratulations on wasting your money on an overpriced DELL. Welcome to consumerism and creative branding.

If I love every bit of it and do not regret it, then how am I wasting my money?

Bearded - January 13, 2016, 11:46 pm

Don't listen to these comments.

You spend your money where you want to spend it and not going to lie, it looks freaking awesome.

It might be overpriced but so are designer clothes, you could buy a top that's expensive and then you can find a top that looks pretty much the same for cheap, let people spend their money where they want it. If he likes the computer who are you to say anything about it?

Morty - January 14, 2016, 12:14 am

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zSerity - January 14, 2016, 12:15 am

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I mean maybe one comment saying he could of got a desktop with better specs for cheaper it's understandable but when every single person tells him the same thing, he's read the same comment over and over I'm sure he already knows, what is the point in keep commenting the same shit.

I personally do like how the laptop looks.?

(Jan 14, 2016 01:15 AM)zSerity Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I know the more LOGICAL approach would be to buy a cheaper branded computer with the same specs, but I've always wanted an Alienware laptop. Nothing wrong with that man. It looks nice and if you always wanted it and you had the money to buy it, good on you.?

Morty - January 14, 2016, 12:50 am

(Jan 14, 2016 01:15 AM)zSerity Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I know the more LOGICAL approach would be to buy a cheaper branded computer with the same specs, but I've always wanted an Alienware laptop. definitely, well enjoy man you have earnt it and you have the money so why not!

zSerity - January 15, 2016, 12:39 pm

Updated thread, got some sweet water speakers that match the laptop :P

Melees - January 15, 2016, 12:40 pm

Got one of these bad boys the other day also !

reBELLYus - January 15, 2016, 12:40 pm

(Jan 15, 2016 01:39 PM)zSerity Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Updated thread, got some sweet water speakers that match the laptop :P

I had those same speakers before. So cool.

ha4x0r - January 15, 2016, 12:41 pm

Enjoy your 25kg laptop make sure you will be able to carry it

zSerity - January 15, 2016, 1:26 pm

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ha4x0r - January 15, 2016, 1:51 pm

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just giving my opinion ?

tulip - January 15, 2016, 2:55 pm

've always wanted this but too poor rip. Congrats! looks sick!

Hoover - January 15, 2016, 4:41 pm

Nice man i got an alieanware m14x! really worth its money

Grim - January 15, 2016, 4:43 pm

if i ever bought an overpriced laptop again i would probably have to go with the [razerblade Pro](#) only because i have a thing against dell (alienware) :D

unknown321 - January 15, 2016, 8:35 pm

sorry to say you made a bad choice for \$101 extra dollars you could have gotten a laptop with dual gtx 980m's in sli with a i7 6700k @ 4.0 ghz (overclockable) 250 gig ssd , 1tb hdd , 24 gigs of ddr4 memory @ 2133. I own this which is currently the fastest configurable laptop to date it has godly cooling and insane upgrade-ability

<http://www.xoticpc.com/sager-np9870s-clevo-p870dmg-p-8798.html> only downside with this laptop is the keyboard could have been a little bigger which is a common downside to many clevo/sager laptops but the performance is unrivaled.

Nex+ - January 15, 2016, 9:16 pm

Thing looks fucking dope man, was thinking about buying myself one

OneEightSeven - January 15, 2016, 9:23 pm

Cool laptop but waste of money. you would of been happier with a \$1500 Desktop.

Froggy - January 15, 2016, 9:25 pm

Congrats on buying an overpriced dell laptop with an Alien head on it. ?

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Like I've said multiple times idc about the specs, you know they're still amazing and I bought it because I wanted an Alienware

I'm also hooking up a graphic amplifier with a titan x

(Jan 15, 2016 10:23 PM)Suspect. Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Cool laptop but waste of money. you would of been happier with a \$1500 Desktop.

No I wouldn't have, I have an almost \$2500 desktop and this alienware makes me much happier.

(Jan 15, 2016 10:25 PM)Froggy Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Their products weren't too bad before Dell bought them out, but now it just feels like a joke.

Would be nice if you stated any sort of reason why you consider this laptop a joke instead of just bashing it with empty accusations

zSerity - January 19, 2016, 9:55 pm

Bought a Titan X today to power this with Alienware Graphics Amp :)

Che Guevara - January 21, 2016, 9:07 am

(Jan 19, 2016 10:55 PM)zSerty Wrote: [CITE](#) Bought a Titan X today to power this with Alienware Graphics Amp :)

You will be sending it to me with the Qosmio because you love me <3. JK. Sick laptop bro but as I said to you earlier could have gotten something with higher specs for the price.