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Thread: [Overclocking my MSI Duke 1080ti](#)

BeastylsFresh - February 13, 2020, 2:02 pm

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What game on what settings is this? Also anything over 60+ FPS truly isn't very noticeable to the eye.

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No one said you would "kill it" firstly, and "free extra performance" I hope is an exaggeration. There is no such thing as free performance and the gain that you would achieve (even if you undervolted and boosted the clock) would be so minimal that it would not even be close to worth it.

TLDR; You generate more heat and consume much more power with little gain. Not worth it.

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You more than likely wouldn't end up doing any damage to your card, just don't OC it. Take my advice.

Bastille - February 15, 2020, 3:35 am

Overclocking an 1080Ti is basically throwing money through the window. Be aware that OC can damage your GPU.

I would easily OC a 200\$ GPU, not a 1000\$

BeastyIsFresh - February 15, 2020, 6:12 am

Okay thanks guys I'll hold off and won't OC it