

US Micro Announces AMD and Intel Powered Energy-Efficient Workstations

US Micro Work Stations Leverage the Power of AMD and Intel® Dual and Quad Core Processors While Meeting 80 PLUS® Power-efficiency Compliance Standards

SEATTLE—August 13, 2008—US Micro, Inc, a leading system provider of workstations, rackmount servers, and storage systems, today announced the availability of high efficiency power supplies in all US Micro workstations and PCs making the line their most energy efficient workstations to date.

Latest Performance from AMD and Intel

The US Micro workstation line offers a wide selection of processors from AMD and Intel from entry-level to the top of the line Quad Core Opteron™ and MP Xeon®. Flexible configuration options position US Micro workstations as viable options for users seeking performance and value at competitive prices.

Meets EPA Energy Efficiency Standards

The Energy Star compliant workstations from US Micro help home users and business support the environment, conserve energy, cut costs and improve the overall reliability of their systems while maintaining maximum performance. Benefits from high efficiency power supplies using less power and generating less heat include longer system life and less system noise in the workplace.

Do Your Part with 80 Plus®

As traditional energy sources are more strained, efficiency is more important than ever. By creating the 80 PLUS® power supply efficiency standards, the Northwest Energy Efficiency Alliance is leading the way by improving the efficiency of power supplies in PCs and PC-derived servers. Qualifying, power supplies must be 80 percent or higher efficient at 20, 50 and 100 percent of rated load, and a true power factor of 0.9 or greater at 100 percent rated load. Most PC power supplies are only 50-70 percent efficient.

Pricing & Availability

US Micro 80 Plus® workstations and PCs begin at just \$499. Customers can configure their own system at <http://www.usmicro.com>

About US Micro, Inc:

US Micro opened their doors in 1986 rapidly became the largest PC builder in the Pacific Northwest. US Micro's mission is building the best performing, highest quality systems and providing the highest level of customer support.

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