
Subject: Should I get this water cooled system?

Posted by [spreegem](#) on Sun, 11 Jul 2004 00:44:01 GMT

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The custom water cooling kit from <http://www.frozencpu.com> also do I need the radiator or not?
Thank you for all your help people.

Here are the specifications on the water cooled system I am thinking about getting. Should I change anything on it? It will cost me \$169.95

Select DangerDen RBX CPU Block: TDX AMD Socket A - 1/2" ID

Add Spray Accelerator Nozzles: None

Select DangerDen MAZE4 GPU nVidia/ATI Block: None

Select DangerDen Z-Chip Chipset Block: None

Select Water Pump: Hydor L30 Pump

Select 8 Feet of Tubing: Standard PVC 1/2" ID Tubing

Add Tube Cutter: None

Select Clamps: 1/2" ID Clamps - 10x

Select Danger Den Black Ice Radiator: None

Select Radiator Fittings: None

Select 120mm Radiator Fan: None

Add 2nd 120mm Radiator Fan: None

Add Panaflo Fan Tails: None

Select Fill & Bleed Kit: None

Select Tundra Bay Reservoir (No Outlet Fittings Included): Blue UV Dual 5.25"

Select Tundra Bay Reservoir Fittings: 2x 1/2" ID Outlet Fittings

Select 1/2" ID to 3/8" ID Leakproof Reducers: None

Select Fluid: Swiftech Green UV HydrX Coolant

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Sun, 11 Jul 2004 01:45:03 GMT

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Why do you need a water-cooled computer system? Does your computer generate as much heat as an automatic-firing machine gun?

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Posted by [npsmith82](#) on Sun, 11 Jul 2004 02:05:15 GMT

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SuperFlyingEngi Why do you need a water-cooled computer system? Does your computer generate as much heat as an automatic-firing machine gun? I suspect he's just after a silent PC, as I was a little while back. If so, look into buying a case with 120mm fan bays and a PSU designed for silence (i.e. Antec TruePower 380w), it makes a massive difference noise-wise.

I see no reason for water cooling unless you...

A) Live in a tropical country where the air is warm, making circulation fans pretty pointless.

B) As Engi says, have a computer that generates as much heat as an automatic-firing machine gun.

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Posted by [liberator](#) on Sun, 11 Jul 2004 02:35:27 GMT

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You forgot one, it's cool and makes people think you are beyond the next curve in technology. Water-Cooling is the ultimate mod, changing the way the computer operates on a fundamental level.

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Posted by [spreegem](#) on Sun, 11 Jul 2004 03:52:01 GMT

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Mainly because it's just cool. Other than that my computer doesn't generate much noise, and I don't live anywhere real hot either, in fact it's only gotten up to about 90 so far during the summer, not bad.

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Posted by [SuperFlyingEngi](#) on Sun, 11 Jul 2004 03:53:33 GMT

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You may be on to something there, but I would throw those 170 dollars into a bank account for the

next time you need to upgrade a new computer part, like a faster processor or something, unless your computer needs an incredibly efficient coolant system.

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Posted by [Bearxor](#) on Sun, 11 Jul 2004 06:19:41 GMT
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Just from the specs, it looks like a decent entry-level water cooling kit. I think if you bought it you would probably learn alot, but don't expect to keep this kit forever. There will end up being some things you don't like about it, but it's all pretty minor stuff and you have to get your feet wet somehow.

Yes, you do need a radiator. It's what actually cools the water down. That and the fan. Which attaches to the radiator.

Subject: Should I get this water cooled system?
Posted by [Xtrm2Matt](#) on Sun, 11 Jul 2004 07:12:00 GMT
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Need i remind you that if you have got watercooling, you can overclock your CPU to more faster ones than on the current market.

Subject: Should I get this water cooled system?
Posted by [mrrirate](#) on Sun, 11 Jul 2004 15:38:55 GMT
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Yay, Bearxor's back.

Subject: Should I get this water cooled system?
Posted by [DanSolo](#) on Sun, 11 Jul 2004 16:51:22 GMT
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Watercooling is errr cool, but just for bragging rights. Get a SLK-478 an slap a 2500 rpm 80mm fan on it. Keeps my xp2500 mobile@ 3400xp 46 degrees full load. Pretty damn quiet. Cost about £35 so \$55 ish

Subject: Should I get this water cooled system?
Posted by [htmlgod](#) on Mon, 12 Jul 2004 12:06:00 GMT
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Water cooling is a tremendous waste of money unless you're running like a dual processor system with a really high quality graphics card, and overclocking all of it. Besides, I've heard tons of stories about the systems getting holes after a few weeks, at which point your computer's vitals get soaked and the place you bought it from denies your warranty rights.
