



Sapphire AMD Workstation news update
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Product Information



@ATI FirePro Multi-View

ATI Multi-View workstation will start to use the ATI FirePro™ Branding from 2260 series. The previous released ATI FireMV™ 2260 Cards (X1, X16) will also be changing names to ATI FirePro™.

The original ATI FireMV 2200, 2250, 2400 will remain the ATI FireMV™ brand name.

The model names will be:

ATI FireMV™ 2260 PCI-E X1 → **ATI FirePro™ 2260 PCI-E X1** **Shipping Now!!**

ATI FireMV™ 2260 PCI-E X16→**ATI FirePro™ 2260 PCI-E X16** **Shipping Now!!**

ATI FireMV™ 2260 PCI→ **ATI FirePro 2260™ PCI** **Shipping Now!!**

The Label on the card will be changed but everything else (included pricing) will remain the same.

All changes are anticipated to go into effect by December 1st 2009.

@ ATI FirePro™ 3D Schedule.

ATI FirePro V3700 GDDR3 256MB	Shipping!!
ATI FirePro V3750 GDDR3 256MB	Shipping!!
ATI FirePro V5700 GDDR3 512MB	Shipping!!
ATI FirePro V8700 GDDR5 1G	Available to Order!!

Driver updates:

@The newest Driver update—ATI FirePro™, ATI FireGL™

Driver for ATI FirePro **V. 8.543---update by Nov. 12**

Available to download at <http://ati.amd.com/support/driver.html>

Release note and open issues here:

https://a248.e.akamai.net/f/674/9206/0/www2.ati.com/drivers/firepro/firepro_8_543.pdf

@Driver V8.523.1.1—Update by Sep. 24

Release note and open issues here:

https://a248.e.akamai.net/f/674/9206/0/www2.ati.com/drivers/firegl/V2_8.523.1.1.pdf

This driver includes the following features:

Windows XP support:

@Support for 30-bit displays on DVI and DisplayPort

@10bit Packed Pixel support for medical monitors, including:

EIZO: G22, GS220, GX220, G31, G33, GS310, GS320, GX320, G51, GS510, GS520

PHILIPS: MML1921, MML2032, MML2152

TOTOKU: ME551i2, ME55Xi2

WIDE: IF2105MP

NEC: MD21GS-2MP, MD21GS-3MP

Support Rotation in Stretched Desktop Mode

@Linux support:

SLED 10sp2 support

OpenSUSE 11 support (alpha driver for evaluation only)

RHEL 4.7 support (alpha driver for evaluation only)

Multiview Linux - Phase II: multi-head - sample driver

New Certification

@ATI FireMV™ tested and certified on HP platform

Products	Platform	OS	Products	Platform	OS
MV2250x1	xw4550	Vista32	MV2250x16	xw4550	Vista32
MV2250x1	Xw4550	Vista64	MV2250x16	Xw4550	Vista64
MV2250x1	xw4550	XP32	MV2250x16	xw4550	XP32
MV2250x1	xw4600	Vista32	MV2250x16	xw4600	Vista32
MV2250x1	xw4600	Vista64	MV2250x16	xw4600	Vista64
MV2250x1	xw4600	XP32	MV2250x16	xw4600	XP32
MV2250x1	xw6600	Vista32	MV2250x16	xw6600	Vista32
MV2250x1	xw6600	XP32	MV2250x16	xw6600	XP32
MV2250x1	xw8600	Vista32	MV2250x16	xw8600	Vista32
MV2250x1	Xw8600	Vista64	MV2250x16	Xw8600	Vista64
MV2250x1	xw8600	XP32	MV2250x16	xw8600	XP32

@ATI FireGL™ tested and certified on HP platform

Products	Platform	OS
V3600	xw4600	Vista32
V3600	xw4600	XP32
V3600	xw6600	Vista32
V3600	xw6600	XP32

@New certifications on Autodesk/MSC.Software/ANSYS/Solidworks

Driver	ISV	Application/Version	Video Card	OS
8.543	Autodesk	Inventor 2008 Inventor 2009 SP1	FirePro V3700	Vista 32
				Vista 64
				XP 32
			FirePro V5700	Vista 32
				Vista 64
				XP 32
8.5231.1.1	Autodesk	AutoCAD2008	FirePro V3700	Vista 32

				Vista 64
				XP 32
				XP 64
			FirePro V5700	Vista 32
				Vista 64
				XP 32
				XP 64
		AutoCAD2009	FirePro V3700	Vista 32
				Vista 64
				XP 32
				XP 64
			FirePro V5700	Vista 32
				Vista 64
				XP 32
				XP 64
8.523.1.1	Bentley	MicroStation V8XM	FirePro V3700	Vista 32
				Vista 64
				XP 32
				XP 64
			FirePro V5700	Vista 32
				Vista 64
				XP 32
				XP 64
8.523.1.1	MSC. Software	MSC. Patran 2008 R1	FireGL V5600	Linux 64
			FireGL V7600	Linux 64
8.523.1.1	ANSYS	ANSYS Workbench 11 SP1	FirePro V3700	Vista 32
				Vista 64
				XP 32
				XP 64
			FirePro V5700	Vista 32
				Vista 64
				XP 32
				XP 64
8.523.1.1	SolidWorks	SolidWorks 2008 SolidWorks 2009	FirePro V3700	Vista 32
				Vista 64
				XP 32
				XP 64
			FirePro V5700	Vista 32

				Vista 64
				XP 32
				XP 64

For more AMD workstation information, please visit Sapphire website

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2007, Sapphire has been authorized to be the exclusive partner of AMD ATI FireGL™ Workstation Graphics in APAC except Japan. This great affirmation shows Sapphire's achievement and offering, Sapphire will provide best service to professional customer with the best workstation products.