# Intel Xeon Gold 6438M processor



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# Zusammenfassung

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Intel Xeon Gold 6438M. Processor family: Intel® Xeon® Gold, Processor socket: LGA 4677 (Socket E), Processor manufacturer: Intel. Memory channels: Octa-channel, Maximum internal memory supported by processor: 6 TB, Memory types supported by processor: DDR4-SDRAM. Market segment: Server, Use conditions: Server/Enterprise, Supported instruction sets: AMX, SSE4.2, AVX, AVX 2.0, AVX-512. Maximum Enclave Size Support for Intel® SGX: 128 GB, Intel® Data Streaming Accelerator (DSA): 1 default devices, Intel® In-memory Analytics Accelerator (IAA): 1 default devices. Processor package size: 77.5 x 56.5 mm

## Merkmale

		Memory	
Logistics data		Maximum internal memory	6 TB
		supported by processor	
Harmonized System (HS) code	8542310001	Memory types supported by processor	DDR4-SDRAM
		Memory channels	Octa-channel
		ECC	Y
Other features			
Maximum internal memory	4 TB	Technical details	
		Launch date	Q1'23
Weight & dimensions		Status	Launched
3		Memory speed (max)	4800 MHz
Processor package size	77.5 x 56.5 mm	Number of UPI links	3
		Package carrier	E1B
Operational conditions			
Operational conditions	•	Features	
Tcase	85 °C	realures	
DTS Max	97 °C	Execute Disable Bit	Y
		Market segment	Server
		Use conditions	Server/Enterprise
Graphics		Maximum number of PCI Expres	
	N	PCI Express slots version	5.0
On-board graphics card	N	Supported instruction sets	AMX, SSE4.2, AVX, AVX 2.0,
Discrete graphics card	N Nat available		AVX-512
On-board graphics card model	Not available	Scalability	2S
	Not available	Embedded options available	N
Discrete graphics card model		Export Control Classification	5A992C
		Number (ECCN)	0.0020
		Commodity Classification	G180729
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Automated Tracking System (CCATS)

# Processor

Processor manufacturer	Intel
Processor generation	Intel Xeon Scalable 4th Gen
Processor model	6438M
Processor base frequency	2.2 GHz
Processor family	Intel® Xeon® Gold
Processor cores	32
Processor socket	LGA 4677 (Socket E)
Processor threads	64
System bus rate	16 GT/s
Processor operating modes	64-bit
Processor boost frequency	3.9 GHz
High priority cores	12
High priority core frequency	2.3 GHz
Low priority cores	20
Low priority core frequency	1.8 GHz
Processor cache	60 MB
Thermal Design Power (TDP)	205 W
Box	Ν
Stepping	S3
Processor codename	Sapphire Rapids
Processor ARK ID	232398

## **Processor special features**

Intel® Hyper Threading Technology (Intel® HT Technology)	Υ
Intel® Turbo Boost Technology	2.0
Intel® AES New Instructions (Intel® AES-NI)	Y
Intel Trusted Execution Technology	Y
Intel® Speed Shift Technology	Υ
Intel® Transactional Synchronization Extensions	Y
Intel® Total Memory Encryption	Y
Intel® Control-flow Enforcement Technology (CET)	Y
Intel® Crypto Acceleration	Υ
Intel® Platform Firmware Resilience Support	Y
Maximum Enclave Size Support for Intel® SGX	128 GB
Intel VT-x with Extended Page Tables (EPT)	Y
Intel® OS Guard	Υ
Intel Software Guard Extensions (Intel SGX)	Y
Intel 64	Υ
Intel Virtualization Technology (VT-x)	Y
Intel Virtualization Technology for Directed I/O (VT-d)	Y
AVX-512 Fused Multiply-Add (FMA) units	2
Intel® Boot Guard	Υ
Intel® Deep Learning Boost (Intel® DL Boost)	Y

Intel® Speed Select technology - Performance Profile (Intel® SST- PP)	
Intel® Resource Director Technology (Intel® RDT)	Y
Intel® Run Sure Technology	Y
Mode-based Execute Control (MBE)	Y
Intel® Optane™ DC Persistent Memory Supported	Y
Intel® Speed Select Technology Base Frequency (Intel® SST-BF	
Intel® QuickAssist Software Acceleration	Y
Intel® On Demand Feature Activation	Y
Intel® Data Streaming Accelerator (DSA)	1 default devices
Intel® In-memory Analytics Accelerator (IAA)	1 default devices
Intel® Advanced Matrix Extensions (AMX)	Y

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