

How to Upgrade the BIOS

Your netbook computer W466U uses EPROM Flash BIOS chip that allows you to easily upgrade the BIOS program.

When you update the BIOS, any customized settings you made are lost. Please go to Gigabyte website at <http://www.gigabyte.com.tw> for the latest BIOS upgrade utility.

To upgrade the BIOS on DOS:

1. Insert the disk with BIOS updated into the diskette drive. (USB FDD, USB Flash Disc, or Floppy Disc)
2. Power on the system with the diskette in the diskette drive.
3. On the DOS prompt, type the following command.

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A:\>Phlash016 XXXXXX.WPH /mode=3 /x/s or  
A:\>XXXXXX.BAT (Batch file for BIOS file)
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4. The system is now automatically running the BIOS upgrade.
5. The system will shut down automatically when the upgrade is completed.

To upgrade the BIOS on Windows:

1. Please go to Gigabyte website at <http://www.gigabyte.com.tw> (Home > Support > Notebook > BIOS > BIOS of W466U) to download ❶ BIOS upgrade tool (Phoenix WinFlash) and ❷ the latest BIOS upgrade utility.
2. Unzip the file you have downloaded.
3. Run the WinFlash.exe in your unzipped folder.

4. Select the operation you desired. "Backup BIOS and Flash BIOS with new settings" will erase all the settings you previously made. Specify the location of your backup file and your new BIOS file. Click **Flash BIOS** when you are ready to reset your BIOS with new settings.



5. Click OK to start running the flash program.



6. The status of the execution will be shown in the pop-up window. Please do not interrupt the process of the execution for the program to be properly executed.

