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Product Name	X10QBL(-CT/4/4CT)		
Release Version	3.1		
Release Date	7/20/2018		
Previous Version	3.0b		
Update Category	Recommended		
Dependencies	None		
Important Notes	None		
Enhancements	1. Updated CPU microcode to address 'Spectre' derivatives (CVE-		
	2018-3639 & CVE-2018-3640) security issue.		
	2. Updated BIOS version to 3.1.		
	3. Added temperature sensor reading support for AOC-STGS-i2T and		
	AOC-STG-I4S.		
	4. Removed "2-Way Node Interleaving" and "8-Way Interleaving,		
	inter-socket", and set "4-Way Node Interleaving" as default setting of		
	Memory Interleaving feature in BIOS setup menu.		
	5. Implemented "SMBIOS Preservation" Enabled/Disabled item for		
	flash recovery.		
New features	N/A		

- Fixed incorrect FID minor version when BIOS version is "3.1".
 Fixed problem of Afu /O command clearing SMC SMBIOS region (\$SMC).
- 3. Fixed failure to change DMI after updating BIOS with flash smbios.
- 4. Fixed failure to check HDD information in BMC that results in "Completion code is not zero" error.
- 5. Added workaround for issue of unexpected system behavior while reading the same 4Kbyte physical memory.
- 6. Fixed failure to flash BIOS with Watchdog.
- 7. Fixed the issue of UEFI Boot option becoming "Disabled" if HDD is re-plugged in with UEFI Windows on its native installation environment.
- 8. Set B:D.F 00:31.0 + 0xDC bit[01] BLE = 1 (BIOS Lock Enable), bit[05] SMM_BWP = 1 (SMM BIOS Write Protection).
- 9. Fixed security issue with checking EFI/Tiano decompress bounds mentioned in UEFI Mantis 201802-001 issue #2.
- 10. Fixed security issue with logic error in FV parsing mentioned in UEFI Mantis 201802-001 issue #4.
- 11. Fixed failure of NM P-state control function under UEFI OS.

Fixes

Release Notes from Previous Release(s)

3.0b (3/1/2018)

- 1. Changed BIOS revision to 3.0b.
- 2. Updated BDX-EX RC Package to 3.9.0.
- 3. Updated Intel BIOS ACM v4.1.0 and SINIT ACM to v4.0.4.
- 4. Updated Broadwell-EX B-0 stepping microcode to MEF406F1_0B00002A, Haswell-EX E-0 stepping microcode to M80306F4_00000011, and IvyBridge-EX D-1 stepping microcode MED306E7_00000713.
- 5. Fixed issue of IPMI LAN status being incorrect when using IPMI WebGUI or command to change LAN source.
- 6. Fixed missing Generic ELOG Protocol.
- 7. Fixed failure to restore BIOS setting to default when BIOS doesn't clear CMOS via IPMI command.
- 8. Fixed corruption of BIOS ACPI table in the Main Block.
- 9. Fixed inability to change OPROM NVRAM setting with tool.
- 10. Fixed inability of DDD3/DDR4 speed ratio to meet Intel Brickland memory POR.
- 11. Fixed inability of VPD data to find VB tag.
- 12. Fixed inability of system to enter recovery mode when MAIN block is updated and then system powers off.

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