# IEI Computer on Modules

A computer-on-module (COM) is a type of single-board computer (SBC), a subtype of an embedded computer system. An extension of the concept of system on chip (SoC) and system in package (SiP), COM lies between a full-up computer and a microcontroller in nature.

### Design

Computer-on-modules are complete embedded computers built on a single circuit board. The design is centered on a CPU or a microprocessor with RAM, input/output controllers and all other features needed to be a functional computer on the one board. However, unlike a single-board computer, the Computer-on-module will usually lack the standard connectors for any input/output peripherals to be attached directly to the board.

The module will usually need to be mounted on a carrier board (or baseboard) which breaks the bus out to standard peripheral connectors. Some Computer-on-modules also include peripheral connectors and/or can be used without a carrier.

A Computer-on-module solution offers a dense package computer system for use in small or specialized applications requiring low power consumption or small physical size as is needed in embedded systems.



## **Typical Applications**

#### High Density



**Smart Camera** 



**Speed Camera** 



Mobile Device

#### Automation & Robot Controller



CNC

## **IEI Computer on Module Form Factors**



**COM Express** Type 10

Mini: 84 mm x 55 mm



**COM Express** Type 6

Compact: 95 mm x 95 mm



**COM Express** Type 6

Basic: 125 mm x 95 mm



**COM Express** Type 7

Basic: 125 mm x 95 mm



Qseven 2.0

70 mm x 70 mm