

There's a New Pi in Town

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The Raspberry Pi project has been met with incredible success, but there has been quite a few alternatives for a decent value. Most of these are slightly more expensive with higher specs, or x86 support. The latest entry to the market is the Orange Pi and this single-board computer has a few features that make it more attractive than its fruity cousin. One of the best things is that it costs almost half that of a Raspberry Pi - and it still sports a 64-bit processor, 1GB Ethernet and more. The downside is that this is more of a Raspberry Pi 2 - than a 3. There is no WiFi or Bluetooth support.

It's an open-source single-board computer. It can run Android 4.4, Ubuntu, Debian, Raspberry Pi Image, as well as the banana pi Image. It uses the AllWinner H3 SoC, and has 1GB DDR3 SDRAM.

Source: [OrangePi](#)