When you installing AGP card, please make sure the following notice is fully understood and practiced. If your AGP card has "AGP 4X notch" (show below), please make sure your AGP card is AGP 4X (1.5V).



Do not use AGP 2X card (3.3V) in this motherboard. It will burn and damage the motherboard due to Intel<sup>®</sup> 845 chipset can't support AGP 2X(3.3V)..

> Example 1: Diamond Vipper V770 golden finger is compatible with 2X/4X mode AGP slot. It can be switched between AGP 2X (3.3V) or 4X(1.5V) mode by adjusting the jumper. The factory default for this card is 2X(3.3V). If you install this card in GA-8IRM series (or any AGP 4X only) motherboards without switching the jumper to 4X mode (1.5V), it will burn the motherboard.

Example 2:AT i Rage 128 Pro (Power Color)&SiS 305 golden finger is compatible with 2X/4X mode AGP slot, but it supports 2X(3.3V) only. If you install this card in GA-8IRM series (or any AGP 4X only) motherboards, it will burn the motherboard.



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- Please do not remove any labels on motherboard, this may void the warranty of this motherboard.
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GA-8IRM Series P4 Titan-DDR Motherboard

## **USER'S MANUAL**

Pentium<sup>®</sup>4 Processor Motherboard Rev. 2.1 First Edition 12ME-8IRM-2101

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Revision	Revision Note	Date
2.1	Initial release of the GA-8IRM Series motherboard user's manual.	Nov. 2001

## Item Checklist

- Solution The GA-8IRM Series motherboard
- $\not \ll$  IDE cable x 1/ Floppy cable x 1
- $\swarrow$  CD for motherboard driver & utility (IUCD)
- ∠ I/O Shield
- SA-8IRM Series user's manual
- 🖉 USB Cable x 1

#### WARNING!

## WARNING!



Computer motherboards and expansion cards contain very delicate Integrated Circuit (IC) chips. To protect them against damage from static electricity, you should follow some precautions whenever you work on your computer.

- 1. Unplug your computer when working on the inside.
- Use a grounded wrist strap before handling computer components. If you do not have one, touch both of your hands to a safely grounded object or to a metal object, such as the power supply case.
- Hold components by the edges and try not touch the IC chips, leads or connectors, or other components.
- 4. Place components on a grounded antistatic pad or on the bag that came with the components whenever the components are separated from the system.
- 5. Ensure that the ATX power supply is switched off before you plug in or remove the ATX power connector on the motherboard.

#### Installing the motherboard to the chassis...

If themotherboard has mounting holes, but they don't line up with the holes on the base and there are no slots to attach the spacers, do not become alarmed you can still attach the spacers to the mounting holes. Just cut the bottom portion of the spacers (the spacer may be a little hard to cut off, so be careful of your hands). In this way you can still attach the motherboard to the base without worrying about short circuits. Sometimes you may need to use the plastic springs to isolate the screw from the motherboard PCB surface, because the circuit wire may be near by the hole. Be careful, don't let the screw contact any printed circuit write or parts on the PCB that are near the fixing hole, otherwise it may damage the board or cause board malfunctioning.



# Chapter 1 Introduction Features Summary

	-	
Form Factor	G	20.7cm x 24.3cm Micro ATX size form factor, 4 layers PCB.
Motherboard	(ł)	GA-8IRM Series Motherboard:
		GA-8IRM and GA-8IRML
CPU	Ŀ	Socket 478 for Intel® Micro FC-PGA2 Pentium® 4 processor
	Ŀ	Intel Pentium <sup>®</sup> 4 400MHz FSB
	G	2nd cache depend on CPU
Chipset	Ŀ	Chipset 82845 HOST/AGP/Controller
	G	82801BA(ICH2) I/O Controller Hub
Memory	F	2 184-pin DDR DIMM sockets
	G	Supports PC1600 DDR or PC2100 DDR SDRAM
	G	Supports up to 2GB DRAM (Max)
	G	Supports only 2.5V DDR SDRAM
	G	Supports 64bit ECC type DRAM integrity mode
I/O Control	F	W83627HF
Slots	G	1 AGP slot 4X (1.5V) device support
	G	3 PCI slot supports 33MHz & PCI 2.2 compliant
On-Board IDE	Β	An IDE controller on the Intel 82801BA PCI chipset
		provides IDE HDD/CD-ROM with PIO, Bus Master (Ultra
		DMA33/ATA66/ATA100) operation modes.
	G	Can connect up to four IDE devices
On-Board Peripherals	θ	1 Floppy port supports 2 FDD with 360K, 720K, 1.2M, 1.44M
		and 2.88M bytes.
	G	1 Parallel port supports Normal/EPP/ECP mode
	G	2 Serial ports (COMA&COMB)
	G	4 USB ports (Rear USB x 2, Front USB x 2)
	S	1 IrDA connector for IR
Hardware Monitor	G	CPU/Power/System Fan Revolution detect
	G	CPU/Power/System Fan Control
	G	CPU Overheat Warning
	F	System Voltage Detect
		to be continued

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On-Board Sound	3	AC97 CODEC (RealTek ALC201A)
6	5	Line In/Line Out/AUXIn/CD In/TEL/Mic In/CD In/Game Port
On-Board LAN	Į,	Build in 82562ET C hipset *
PS/2 Connector	ŀ)	PS/2 Keyboard interface and PS/2 Mouse interace
BIOS	3	Licensed AWARD BIOS, 2M bit FWH
Additional Features	Pr.	Internal / External Modem wake up
4	P.	PS/2 Keyboard password power on
4	3	PS/2 Mouse power on
6	3	Wake on LAN
6	<b>F</b>	AC Recovery
6	F.	USB KB/Mouse wake up from S3
G	5	Poly fuse for keyboard, USB, game port over-current protection
6	3	Supports @BIOS
G	3	Supports EasyTuneIII



Please set the CPU host frequency in accordance with your processor's specifications. We don't recommend you to set the system bus frequency over the CPU's specification because these specific bus frequencies are not the standard specifications for CPU, chipset and most of the peripherals. Whether your system can run under these specific bus frequencies properly will depend on your hardware configurations, including CPU, Chipsets,SDRAM,Cards....etc.

\* For GA-8IRML Only.



## GA-8IRM Series Motherboard Layout

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## Chapter 2 Hardware Installation Process

To set up your computer, you must complete the following steps:

- Step 1- Install the Central Processing Unit (CPU)
- Step 2- Install memory modules
- Step 3- Install expansion cards
- Step 4- Connect ribbon cables, cabinet wires, and power supply
- Step 5- Setup BIOS software
- Step 6- Install supporting software tools



## Step 1: Install the Central Processing Unit (CPU)

#### **CPU Installation**



- 3. Press down the CPU socket lever and finish CPU installation.
- ✓ Please make sure the CPU type is supported by the motherboard.
- ✓ If you do not match the CPU socket Pin 1 and CPU cut edge well, it will cause improper installation. Please change the insert orientation.



#### **CPU Heat Sink Installation**



 Hook one end of the cooler bracket to the CPU socket first.



2. Hook the other end of the cooler bracket to the CPU socket.

- ✓ Please use Intel approved cooling fan.

(The CPU cooling fan might stick to the CPU due to the hardening of the thermal paste. During this condition if you try to remove the cooling fan, you might pull the processor out of the CPU socket alone with the cooling fan, and might damage the processor. To avoid this from happening, we suggest you to either use thermal tape instead of thermal paste, or remove the cooling fan with extreme caution.)

- ✓ Make sure the CPU fan power cable is plugged in to the CPU fan connector, this completes the installation.
- Please refer to CPU heat sink user's manual for more detail installation procedure.



## Step 2: Install memory modules

The motherboard has 2 dual inline memory module (DIMM) sockets. The BIOS will automatically detects memory type and size. To install the memory module, just push it vertically into the DIMM Slot . The DIMM module can only fit in one direction due to the notch. Memory size can vary between sockets.

Iotal Memory Sizes With Unbuttered DDR D	MM
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Devices used on DIMM	1 DIMM x 64 / x 72	2 DIMMs x 64 / x 72
64 Mbit (2Mx 8x 4 banks)	128 MBytes	256 MBy tes
64 Mbit (1Mx 16x 4 banks)	32 MBy tes	64 MBy tes
128 Mbit(4Mx8x4 banks)	256 MBytes	512 MBy tes
128 Mbit(2Mx 16x 4 banks)	64 MBy tes	128 MBy tes
256 Mbit(8Mx8x4 banks)	512 MBy tes	1 GBytes
256 Mbit(4Mx 16x 4 banks)	128 MBytes	256 MBy tes
512 Mbit(16Mx 8x 4 banks)	1 GBy tes	2 GBytes
512 Mbit(8Mx 16x 4 banks)	256 MBytes	512 MBy tes

Notes: Double-sided x16 DDR memory devices are not support by Intel 845 chipset.



DDR



- The DIMM slot has a notch, so the DIMMmemory module can only fit in one direction.
- 2. Insert the DIMM memory module vertically into the DIMM slot. Then push it down.
- Close the plastic clip at both edges of theDIMM slots to lock the DIMM module.

Reverse the installation steps when you wish to remove the DIMM module.

∠ When STR/DIMM LED is ON, you do not install / remove DDR from socket.



#### **DDR Introduction**

Established on the existing SDRAM industry infrastructure, DDR (Double Data Rate) memory is a high performance and cost-effective solution that allows easy adoption for memory vendors, OEMs and system integrators.

DDR memory is a sensible evolutionary solution for the PC industry that builds on the existing SDRAM infrastructure, yet makes awesome advances in solving the system performance bottleneck by doubling the memory bandwidth. DDR SDRAM will offer a superior solution and migration path from existing SDRAM designs due to its availability, pricing and overall market support. PC2100 DDR memory (DDR266) doubles the data rate through reading and writing at both the rising and falling edge of the clock, achieving data bandwidth 2X greater than PC133 when running with the same DRAM clock frequency. With peak bandwidth of 2.1GB per second, DDR memory enables system OEMs to build high performance and low latency DRAM subsystems that are suitable for servers, workstations, high-end PC 's and value desktop SMA systems. With a core voltage of only 2.5 Volts compared to conventional SDRAM's 3.3 volts, DDR memory is a compelling solution for small form factor desktops and notebook applications.

### Step 3: Install expansion cards

- 1. Read the related expansion card's instruction document before install the expansion card into the computer.
- 2. Remove your computer's chassis cover, necessary screws and slot bracket from the computer.
- 3. Press the expansion card firmly into expansion slot in motherboard.
- 4. Be sure the metal contacts on the card are indeed seated in the slot.
- 5. Replace the screw to secure the slot bracket of the expansion card.
- 6. Replace your computer's chassis cover.
- 7. Power on the computer, if necessary, setup BIOS utility of expansion card from BIOS.
- 8. Install related driver from the operating system.



AGP Card



Please carefully pull out the small whitedrawable bar at the end of the AGP slot when you try to install/ Uninstall the AGP card. Please align the AGP card to the onboard AGP slot and press firmly down on the slot. Make sure your AGP card is locked by the small white- drawable bar.



## Step 4: Connect ribbon cables, cabinet wires, and power supply

#### I/O Back Panel Introduction



#### PS/2 Keyboard and PS/2 Mouse Connector



PS/2 Mouse Connector (6 pin Female) PS/2 Keyboard Connector (6 pin Female)

#### Parallel Port and Serial Ports (COM1/COM2)



This connector supports 2 standard COM ports and 1 Parallel port. Device like printer can be connected to Parallel port; mouse and modem etc can be connected to Serial ports.

#### Game /MIDI Ports



Joystick/ MIDI (15 pin Female)

#### Audio Connectors



After install onboard audio driver, you may connect speaker to Line Out jack, micro phone to MIC In jack. Device like CD-ROM, walkman etc can be connected to Line-In jack.

#### USB/LAN Connector



Before you connect your device(s) into USB connector(s), please make sure your device(s) such as USB keyboard, mouse, scanner, zip,speaker..etc. Have a standard USB interface. Also make sure your OS (Win 95 with USB supplement, Win98, Windows 2000, Windows ME, Win NT with SP 6) supports USB controller. If your OS does not support USB controller, please contact OS vendor for possible patch or driver upgrade. For more information please contact your OS or device(s) vendors.

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**Connectors Introduction** 



A) AUX_12V	I) IR
B) CPU_FAN	J) F_PANEL
C) PWR_FAN	K) FP_USB
D) ATX	L) WOL
E) FDD	M) LAN_EN*
F) IDE1/IDE2	N) CD_IN
G) BATTERY	O) CI
H) SYS_FAN	P) F_AUDIO

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by overheating. The CPU fan connector supports Max. current up to 600 mA.

C) PWR\_FAN (Power FAN Connector) H) SYS\_FAN (System FAN Connector)



-GND

Signal

	_ GND — +12V/Control — Sense
Ľ	- Sense



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Solution This 2 pin connector allows your system to enable or disable the system alarm if the sys tem case begin remove.



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#### E ) FDD (Floppy Connector)



F ) IDE1/ IDE2 (IDE1/IDE2 Connector)



 Important Notice:
Please connect first harddisk to IDE1 and connect CDROM to IDE2.

K) F\_USB (Front USB Connector)



Be careful with the polarity of the front panel USB connector. Check the pin assignment while you connect the front panel USB cable. Please contact your nearest dealer for optional front panel USB cable.

#### N) CD\_IN1 (CD IN)



I)IR



Be careful with the polarity of the IR connectorwhile you connect the IR. Please contact you nearest dealer for optional IR device.

#### P) F\_AUDIO (Front Audio Connector)



If you want to use "Front Audio" connector, you must move 11-12,13-14 Jumper. In order to utilize thefront audio header, yourchassis must have front audio connector. Also please make sure thepin assigment on the cable is the same as the pin assigment on the MB header. To find out if the chassis you are buying support front audio connector, please contact your dealer.

#### L) WOL (Wake on LAN)



#### M) LAN\_EN (Onboard LAN Function)\*

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000	1-2 close: Enable(Default)
000	2-3 close: Disable
1	

➢This MB supports optional LAN chip.If the MB has optional LAN chip the user can enable the LAN function by setting the "LAN\_EN" to 1-2, user can disable the optional LAN function by setting the "LEN\_EN" to 2-3. "LEN\_EN" will have any effect if the board does not have optioal LAN chip.

#### D) ATX (ATX Power)



AC power cord should only be connected to your power supply unit after ATX power cable and other related devices are firmly connected to the mainboard.

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#### J) F\_PANEL (2x7 pins jumper)



HD (IDE Hard Disk Active LED)	Pin 1: LED anode(+)
	Pin 2: LED cathode(-)
SPK (Speaker Connector)	Pin 1: VCC(+)
	Pin 2- Pin 3: NC
	Pin 4: Data(-)
RST (Reset Switch)	Open: Normal Operation
	Close: Reset Hardware System
PD+/PD_G-/PD_Y-(Power LED)	Pin 1: LED anode(+)
	Pin 2: LED cathode(-)
	Pin 3: LED cathode(-)
PW (Soft Power Connector)	Open: Normal Operation
	Close: Power On/Off

Please connect the power LED, PC speaker, reset switch and power switch etc of your chassis front panel to the F\_PANEL connector according to the pin assignment above.



#### CAUTION

- Z Danger of explosion if battery is incorrectly replaced.
- Replace only with the same or equivalent type recommended by the manufacturer.
- Dispose of used batteries according to the manufacturer's instructions.



## Chapter 3 BIOS Setup

BIOS Setup is an overview of the BIOS Setup Program. The program that allows users to modify the basic system configuration. This type of information is stored in battery-backed CMOS RAM so that it retains the Setup information when the pow er is turned off.

#### ENTERING SETUP

Power ON the computer and press <Del> immediately will allow you to enter S etup.

#### CONTROL KEYS

< <u>~</u> >	Move to previous item
<,_>>	Move to next item
< <u>~</u> >	Mov e to the item in the left hand
<,_>>	Mov e to the item in the right hand
<esc></esc>	Main Menu - Quit and not save changes into CMOS Status Page Setup Menu and
	Option Page Setup Menu - Exit current page and return to Main Menu
<+/PgUp>	Increase the numeric value or make changes
<-/PgDn>	Decrease the numeric value or make changes
<f1></f1>	General help, only for Status Page Setup Menu and Option Page Setup Menu
<f2></f2>	Reserved
<f3></f3>	Reserved
<f4></f4>	Reserved
<f5></f5>	Restore the previous CMOS value from CMOS, only for Option Page Setup Menu
<f6></f6>	Load the default CMOS value from BIOS default table, only for Option Page Setup
	Menu
<f7></f7>	Load the Setup Defaults
<f8></f8>	Reserved
<f9></f9>	Reserved
<f10></f10>	Save all the CMOS changes, only for Main Menu

#### **BIOS Setup**

#### **GETTING HELP**

Main Menu

The on-line description of the highlighted setup function is displayed at the bottom of the screen.

#### Status Page Setup Menu / Option Page Setup Menu

Press F1 to pop up a small help window that describes the appropriate keys to use and the possible selections for the highlighted item. To exit the H elp Window press <E sc>.

### **Q-Flash Utility**

After power on the computer, pressing <Del> immediately during POST (Power On Self Test) it will allow you to enter Award BIOS CMOS SETU P, then press <F8> to enter Q-Flash utility.

#### The Main Menu (For example: BIOS Ver. :F3b)

Once you enter Award BIOS CMOS Setup Utility, the Main Menu (Figure 1) will appear on the screen. The Main Menu allows you to select from eight setup functions and two exit choices. Use arrow keys to select among the items and press <Enter> to accept or enter the sub-menu.

JStandard CMOS Features	JFrequency/VoltageControl
JAdvanced BIOS Features	Load Fail-Safe Defaults
JAdvancedChipsetFeatures	Load Optimized Defaults
JIntegrated Peripherals	SetSuperv isor Password
JPow er Management Setup	SetUserPassword
JPnP/PCI Configurations	Save&ExitSetup
JPC Health Status	Ex it Without Saving
ESC:Quit	ור גר:SelectItem
F8: Q-Flash	F10:Save & Exit Setup
Time, Date, Hard Disk Type	

CMOS Setup Utility - Copy right(C) 1984-2001 Aw ard Software

Figure 1: Main Menu

#### ∠ Standard CMOS Features

This setup page includes all the items in standard compatible BIOS.

Ľ	Advanced BIOS Features
	This setup page includes all the items of Award special enhanced features.
Ľ	Advanced Chips et Features
	This setup page includes all the items of chipset special features.
Ľ	Integrated Peripherals
	This setup page includes all onboard peripherals.
Ľ	Power Management Setup
	This setup page includes all the items of Green function features.
Ľ	PnP/PCI Configurations
	This setup page includes all the configurations of PCI & PnP ISA resources.
Ľ	PC Health Status
	This setup page is the System auto detect Temperature, voltage, fan, speed.
Ľ	Frequency/Voltage Control
	This setup page is control CPU's clock and frequency ratio.
Ľ	Load Fail-Safe Defaults
	Fail-Safe Defaults indicates the value of the system parameters which the system would
	be in safe configuration.
Ľ	Load Optimized Defaults
	Optimized Defaults indicates the value of the system parameters which the system would
	be in best performance configuration.
Ľ	Set Supervisor password
	Change, set, or disable password. It allows you to limit access to the system and Setup,
	or just to Setup.
Ľ	Set User password
	Change, set, or disable password. It allows you to limit access to the system.
Ľ	Save & Exit Setup
	Save CMOS value settings to CMOS and exit setup.
Ľ	Exit Without Saving
	Abandon all CMOS value changes and exit setup.

BIOS Setup

## **Standard CMOS Features**

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Standard CN	IOS Features	
Date (mm:dd:yy)	Sun, Jan 7 2001	ltem Help
Time(hh:mm:ss)	22:31:24	MenuLevel
JIDE Primary Master	Press EnterNone	
JIDE Primary Slave	Press EnterNone	
JIDE Secondary Master	Press EnterNone	
JIDESecondary Slave	Press EnterNone	
Driv e A	[1.44M, 3.5"]	
Driv e B	[None]	
Floppy 3 Mode Support	[Disabled]	
Halt On	[All, But Key board]	
BaseMemory	640K	
ExtendedMemory	130048K	
TotalMemory	131072K	
コココ: Move Enter: Select +/-/PU/PD:Va	lue F10:Sav e ESC:Exit F1:General H	əlp
F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defaults	F7:Optimized Defaults	

Figure 2: Standard CMOS Features

#### 🗷 Date

The date format is <week>, <month>, <day>, <year>.

The week, from Sun to Sat, determined by the BIOS and is display only
The month, Jan. Through Dec.
The day, from 1 to 31 (or the maximum allow ed in the month)
The year, from 1994 through 2079

#### z Time

The times format in <hour> <minute> <second>. The time is calculated base on the 24-hour military-time clock. For example, 1 p.m. is 13:00:00.

#### ≤ IDEPrimary Master, Slave / Secondary Master, Slave

The category identifies the types of hard disk from drive C to F that has been installed in the computer. There are two types: auto type, and manual type. Manual type is user-definable; Auto type which will automatically detect HDD type.

Note that the specifications of your drive must match with the drive table. The hard disk will notwork properly if you enter improper information for this category.

If you select User Type, related information will be asked to enter to the following items. Enter the information directly from the keyboard and press <Enter>. Such information should be provided in the documentation form your hard disk vendor or the system manufacturer.

CYLS.	Numberofcylinders
#HEADS	numberofheads
PRECOMP	writeprecomp
LANDZONE	Landing zone
#SECTORS	number of sectors

If a hard disk has not been installed select NONE and press <Enter>.

#### *∞* Drive A / Drive B

The category identifies the types of floppy disk drive A or drive B that has been installed in the computer.

€None	Nofloppy drive installed
æ360K, 5.25in.	5.25 inch PC-ty pestandard drive; 360K byte capacity.
🗳 1.2M, 5.25 in.	5.25 inch AT-ty pe high-density drive; 1.2M by te capacity
	(3.5 inch w hen 3 Mode is Enabled).
♣720K, 3.5 in.	3.5 inch double-sided drive; 720K by te capacity
🗳 1.44M, 3.5 in.	3.5 inch double-sided drive; 1.44M by te capacity.
♣2.88M, 3.5 in.	3.5 inch double-sided drive; 2.88M by te capacity.

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Disabled	Normal Floppy Drive. (Default value)
🖨 Driv e A	Drive Ais 3 mode Floppy Drive.
🖨 Driv e B	Driv e Bis 3 mode Floppy Driv e.
∉Both	Drive A& B are 3 mode Floppy Drives.

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#### ≰ Halt on

The category determines whether the computer will stop if an error is detected during power up.

	The system bootwill not stop for any error that may be detected and you will be prompted.
All Errors	Whenever the BIOS detects a non-fatal error the system will be stopped.
🗳 All, But Keyboar	The system bootwill not stop for a key board error; it will stop for
	all other errors. (Defaultv alue)
♣All, But Diskette	The system boot will not stop for a disk error; it will stop for all
	othererrors.
♣All,ButDisk/Key	The system boot will not stop for a key board or disk error, it will
	stop for all other errors.

#### Memory

The category is display-only which is determined by POST (Power On Self Test) of the BIOS.

#### **Base Memory**

The POST of the BIOS will determine the amount of base (or conventional) memory installed in the system.

The value of the base memory is typically 512 K for systems with 512 K memory installed on the motherboard, or 640 K for systems with 640 K or more memory installed on the motherboard.

#### Extended Memory

The BIOS determines how much extended memory is present during the POST. This is the amount of memory located above 1 MB in the CPU's memory address map.

## **Advanced BIOS Features**

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Advanced BIOS Features		
BIOS Flash Protection	[Auto]	
First Boot Device	[Floppy]	ltem Help
Second Boot Device	[HDD-0]	MenuLevel
Third Boot Device	[CDROM]	
Boot Up Floppy Seek	[Disabled]	
BootUp Num-Lock	[On]	
PasswordCheck	[Setup]	
⊯Interrupt Mode	[APIC]	
⊯MPSVersion Control For OS	[1.4]	
HDDS.M.A.R.T. Capability	[Disabled]	
コココ: Move Enter:Select+/-/PU/PD:Va	alueF10:Save ESC:Exit F1:General Hel	p
F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defau	ults F7:Optimized Defaults	

Figure 3: Adv anced BIOS Features

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This field lets you determine the states that flash BIOS

≇Enabled	During POST, DMI/ESCD would not be updated. Butflash tools can update B/OSalways
	BIOS enables flash w rite access automatically w hen updating BIOS data/ DMI/ESCD. (Default Value)

#### ⊮ First / Second / Third Boot device

Floppy	Selecty our bootdevice priority by Floppy.
#LS120	Select your boot device priority by LS120.

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♣HDD-0~3	Select your bootdevice priority by HDD-0~3.
♣SCSI	Select your boot device priority by SCSI.
#CDROM	Select your boot device priority by CDROM.
<b>≇LAN</b>	Select your boot device priority by LAN.
≇USB-CDROM	Select your boot device priority by USB-CDROM.
≇USB-ZIP	Select your bootdevice priority by USB-ZIP.
≇USB-FDD	Selecty our boot device priority by USB-FDD.
≇USB-HDD	Select your bootdevice priority by USB-HDD.
₽ZIP	Select your boot device priority by ZIP.
Disabled	Disabled this function.

#### ⊯ Boot Up Floppy Seek

During POST, BIOS will determine the floppy disk drive installed is 40 or 80 tracks. 360 K type is 40 tracks 720 K, 1.2 M and 1.44 M are all 80 tracks.

Enabled	BIOS searches for floppy disk drive to determine it is 40 or 80 tracks. Note
	that $$ BIOS can not tell from 720 K, 1.2 M or 1.44 M drive type as they are
	all 80tracks.
Disabled	BIOS will not search for the type of foppy disk drive by track number. Note
	that there will not be any warning message if the drive installed is 360 K.
	(Default v alue)

#### ≤ Boot Up NumLock

litter and the second s	Keypad is number keys. (Default value)
€Off	Keypadisarrow keys.

### ≤ Password Check

This category allows you to limit access to the system and Setup, or just to Setup.

🗳 Sy stem	The user mustenter correct password in order b access the system and/or BIOS solution
🗳 Setup	The user must enter correct password in order braccess BIOS setup utility.
	(Default v alue)

#### ☞ Interrupt Mode

APIC Through IOAPIC generate more IRQ for system use. (Default value)

When you already have IOAPIC enable system and want to upgrade the system please note, since running an IOAPIC enabled OS (like Windows NT,Windows 2000, Windows XP...) system with none IOAPIC HW support will cause the system to hang. Following are some situations users might run into:

1.An IOAPIC enabled OS and change the BIOS setting from IOAPIC to PIC, this will cause your system to hang.

#### MPS Version Control For OS

(Support Multi Processor Specification revision 1.4)

Note: Some old MPS OS support 1.1 v ersion only

- 1.4 Support MPS Version 1.4 . (Default Value)

#### *⊯* HDD S.M.A.R.T. Capability

Enabled	Enabled HDD S.M.A.R.T. Capability.	
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Disabled HDD S.M.A.R.T. Capability. (Default v alue)

BIOS Setup

## **Advanced Chipset Features**

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·····		
Configure DRAM Timing	[SPD]	Item Help
GCASLatency Time	2.5	Menu Lev el
Grania Active to Precharge Delay	7	
☞DRAM RAS# to CAS# Delay	3	
☞DRAM RAS# Precharge	3	
☞Refresh Mode Select	15.6usec	
DRAM Data htegtity Mode	Non-ECC	
DRAM Read Thermal Mgmt	[Disable]	
Delay Transaction	[Enable]	
AGP Aperture Size(MB)	[64]	
Delay Prior to Thermal	[16Min]	
コココ: Move Enter:Select+/-/PU/PD:ValueF10:Save	ESC:Exit F1:General Hel	p
F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defaults F7:Optimiz	ed Defaults	

Figure 4: Adv anced Chipset Features

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Warning: Wrong DRAM Timing may make system can't boot . Clear CMOS to overcome w rong Timing issue)

✿SPD	Set Configure DRAM Timing Control by SPD. (Default value)
<b>≇</b> Manual	SetConfigure DRAM Timing Control by Manual.

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<b>2</b> .5	SetCAS latency	Time is 2.5.	(Default Value)
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- 2 SetCASIatency Time is 2.

#### *⊯* Active to Precharge Delay

€5	Setactive to Precharge delay fm	ingis	5 clk
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6 Setactive to Precharge delay fining is 6 dk.

<b>#</b> 7	Setactive to Precharge delay til	imingis 7 clk.(Default valu	le)
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#### ≤ DRAM RAS# to CAS# delay

- 3 SetDDR RAM RAS# to CAS# delay 3 SCLKs. (Default v alue)

#### ≤ DRAM RAS# Precharge

- 2 SetDDR RAM RAS# Precharge Time to 2.

#### *∝* Refresh Mode Select

- #7.8usec Setactive to Refresh mode timing is 7.8 usec.
- 15.6usec Setactive b Refresh mode fiming is 15.6 usec. (Default)
- #64 usec Setactive to Refresh mode timing is 64 usec.

#### Solution Of the second seco

€ECC	<sup>3</sup> ]©wDRAM Data Integrity Mode by ECC.
≇Nan-ECC	<sup>3</sup> ]©wDRAM Data Integrity Mode by Non-ECC. ( <sup>1</sup> w <sup>3</sup> ]-È)

#### ∠ DRAM Data Integrity Mode

<b>≇ECC</b>	SetDRAM Data Integrity Mode by ECC.
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Non-ECC SetDRAM Data Integrity Mode by Non-ECC. (Default value)

#### ≤ DRAM Read Thermal Mgmt

Disabled	Disabled this function.(Default)
€Enabled	Enabled can reduce DRAM heat issue.
Note:DRAM	heat thermal mangement is always enabled in write cycle.
#### 

	Normal operation.
Enabled	Forslow speed ISA device in system. (Default value)

#### 

(Driver use selected size of system memory for 3D tex turing to increase video performance)

- #4 AGP Graphics Aperture Size is 4MB.
- #8 AGP Graphics Aperture Size is 8MB.
- #16 AGP Graphics Aperture Size is 16MB
- #32 AGP Graphics Aperture Size is 32MB.
- #64 AGP Graphics Aperture Size is 64MB.(Default Value)
- #128 AGP Graphics Aperture Size is 128MB.
- #256 AGP Graphics Aperture Size is 256MB.

#### *⊯* Delay Prior to Thermal

- #4Min Set active CPU Thermal function after booting 4Min.
- #8Min Set active CPU Thermal function after booting 8 Min.
- #16Min Set active CPU Thermal function after booting 16 Min. (Default Value)
- #32Min Setactive CPU Thermal function after booting 32 Min.

# **Integrated Peripherals**

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Integrated Peripherals

On-Chip Primary PCIIDE	[Enabled]	ltem Help
On-Chip Secondary PCI IDE	[Enabled]	
IDE Primary Master PIO	[Auto]	MenuLevel
IDE Primary Slave PIO	[Auto]	
IDE Secondary Master PIO	[Auto]	
IDE Secondary Slave PIO	[Auto]	
IDE Primary Master UDMA	[Auto]	
IDE Primary Slave UDMA	[Auto]	
IDE Secondary Master UDMA	[Auto]	
IDE Secondary Slave UDMA	[Auto]	
IDE1 Conductor Cable	[Auto]	
IDE2 Conductor Cable	[Auto]	
USB Controller	[Enabled]	
USB Key board Support	[Disabled]	
USB Mouse Support	[Disabled]	
InitDisplay First	[AGP]	
AC97 Audio	[Auto]	
Mouse Pow er On	[Disabled]	
KeyboardPowerOn	[Disabled]	
≪KBPower ON Password	Enter	
Onboard FDC Controller	[Enabled]	
Onboard Serial Port 1	[3F8/IRQ4]	
Onboard Serial Port 2	[2F8/IRQ3]	
UARTMode Select	[Normal]	
⊲RxD,TxDActve	Hi,Lo	
RTransmission Delay	Enabled	
GUR2Duplex Mode	Half	
ି UselR Pins	R-Rx 2Tx2	

Onboard Parallel Port	[378/IRQ7]	
Parallel Port Mode	[SPP]	
☞EPP Mode Select	EPP1.7	
☞ECPMode UseDMA	3	
AC BACK Function	[Soft-Off]	
GamePortAddress	[201]	
Mdi Port Address	[330]	
Midi Port IRQ	[10]	
コココ: Move Enter:Select+/-/PU/PD:Value	F10:Save ESC:Exit F1:General Help	
E5:Previous Values E6:Eail-Safe Defaults	E7 Ontimized Defaults	

Figure 5: Integrated Peripherals

#### ≤ On-Chip Primary PCI IDE

Enabled	Enable onboard 1st channel IDE port. (Default value)
#Disabled	Disable onboard 1st channel IDE port.

## ≤ On-Chip Secondary PCI IDE

Enabled	Enable onboard 2nd channel IDE port. (Default v alue)
<sup>₽</sup> Diachlad	Disable enhand and shanned IDE nort

Disabled
Disable onboard 2nd channel IDE port.

#### ≤ IDE Primary Master PIO (for onboard IDE 1st channel)

🗳 Auto	BIOS will automatically detect the IDE HDD Accessing mode.
	(Default v alue)

#Mode0~4 Manually set the IDE Accessing mode.

#### & IDE Primary Slave PIO (for onboard IDE 1st channel)

<b>≇</b> Auto	BIOSwill automatically detect the IDE HDD $Accessingmode.$
	(Default v alue)
≇Mode0~4	Manually set the IDE Accessing mode.

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∉ Auto	BIOSwill automatically detect the IDE HDD Accessing mode.
	(Default v alue)
<b>≇</b> Mode0~4	Manually set the IDE Accessing mode.

#### & IDE Secondary Slave PIO (for onboard IDE 2nd channel)

<b>≇</b> Auto	BIOSwill automatically detect the IDE HDD Accessing mode.
	(Default v alue)
≇Mode0~4	Manually set the IDE Accessing mode.

#### 🗷 IDE Primary Master UDMA

	BIOS will automatically detect the IDE HDD Accessing mode.
	(Default v alue)
Disabled	Disable UDMA function.

#### ∠ IDE Primary Slave UDMA

	BIOS will automatically detect the IDE HDD Accessing mode.
	(Default v alue)
Disabled	Disable UDMA function.

#### *⊯* IDE Secondary Master UDMA

BIOS will automatically	detect the IDE HD	DD Accessing mode.	(Default value)

Disabled Disable UDMA function.

#### ≤ IDE Secondary Slave UDMA

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	BIOS will aubmatically detect the IDE HDD Accessing mode. (Default value)
Disabled	Disable UDMA function.

#### ✓ IDE1 Conductor Cable

	Will be automatically detected by BIOS (Default Value)
♣ATA66/100	SetIDE1 Conductor Cable to ATA66/100 (Please make sure your IDE device and cable is compatible with ATA66/100)
<b>≇</b> ATA33	SetIDE1 ConductorCable to ATA33 (Please make sure your IDE device and cable is compatible with ATA33)

#### ✓ IDE2 Conductor Cable

🗳 Auto	Will be automatically detected by BIOS (Default Value)
♣ATA66/100	Set IDE2 Conductor Cable to ATA66/100 (Please make sure your IDE device and cable is compatible with ATA66/100)
	SetIDE2 Conductor Cable to ATA33 (Please make sure your IDE device and cable is compatible with ATA33).

#### ≤ US B Controller

Enabled	Enabled USB Controller.	(Defaultvalue)
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Disabled Disabled USB Controller.

#### ≤ USB Keyboard Support

Enabled	Enabled USB Key board Support.
Disabled	Disabled USB Key board Support. (Default value)

#### ∠ USB Mouse Support

Enabled	Enabled USB Mouse Support.
Disabled	Disabled USB Mouse Support. (Default value)

#### 🗷 Init Display First

PCI	Set Init Display First to PCI Slot.

AGP Set hit Display Firstto AGP. (Default value)

#### ≰ AC97 Audio

#Auto	BIOS will automatically detect onboard AC97 Audio or Creative CT5880
	audio. (Default v alue)
Disabled	Disabled AC97 Audio.

#### *∞* Mouse Power On

Disabled	Disabled this function. (Defaultvalue)
Double Right	Setmouse poweron by double click mouse right bottom.
Double Left	Set mouse power on by double click mouse left bottom.

#### $\not {\rm \ \ Keyboard\ Power\ On}$

Password	Enter from 1 to 5 characters to set the Key board Pow er $\mbox{On}\xspace Password.$
Disabled	Disabled this function. (Defaultvalue)
≇Keyboard98	If y our keyboard have "POWER Key" button, y ou can press the key to power on y our system.
	Set Key board pow eron by any key

#### KB Power ON Password

#Enter	Input passw ord (from 1 to 5 characters) and press Enter to set the Key
	board Power On Password

#### 🗷 Onboard EDC Controller

Enabled	Enable onboard FDC port. (Default value)
Disabled	Disable onboard FDC port.

#### ≤ Onboard Serial Port 1

♣Auto	BIOS will automatically setup the port 1 address.
#3F8/IRQ4	Enable onboard Serial port 1 and address is 3F8. (Default value)
2F8/IRQ3	Enable onboard Serial port 1 and address is 2F8.
#3E8/IRQ4	Enable onboard Serial port 1 and address is 3E8.
2E8/IRQ3	Enable onboard Serial port 1 and address is 2E8.

Disabled Disable onboard Serial port 1.

#### ≤ Onboard Serial Port 2

♣Auto	BIOS will automatically setup the port 2 address.
3F8/IRQ4	Enable onboard Serial port 2 and address is 3F8.
2F8/IRQ3	Enable onboard Serial port 2 and address is 2F8. (Default Value)
✤3E8/IRQ4	Enable onboard Serial port 2 and address is 3E8.
2E8/IRQ3	Enable onboard Serial port 2 and address is 2E8.
Disabled	Disable onboard Serial port 2.

#### ∠ UART Mode Select

(This item allows you to determine which Infra Red(R) function of Onboard I/O chip)

	Setonboard I/O chip UART to ASKIR Mode.
🕸 lrDA	Set onboard I/O chip UART to IrDA Mode.
♦Normal	Set onboard I/O chip UART to Normal Mode. (Default Value)

#### ≤ RxD, TxD Active

≇Hi, Hi	SetRxD,TxDActive to Hi, Hi.	
<b>≇</b> Hi, Lo	SetRxD,TxDActive to Hi, Lo.	(Default Value)
<b>≇</b> Lo, Hi	SetRxD,TxDActive to Lo, Hi.	
≇Lo, Lo	SetRxD,TxDActivetoLo,Lo.	

#### $\not < \! < \! < \! < \! < \! R \ Transmission \ Delay$

Enabled	Enabled IR Transmission delay. (Default Value)
Disabled	Enabled R Transmission delay.

#### ≤ UR2 Duplex Mode

	IR Function Duplex Half. (Default Value)
∉Full	IR Function Duplex Full.

#### ∠ Use IR Pins

<b>≇</b> R-Rx2xTx2	SetIR Pins use IR-Rx2xTx2. (Default Value)
	SetIR Pins use RxD2, TxD2.

#### ≤ OnBoard Parallel port

#378/IRQ7 Enab	le On Board LP1	port and address	is 378.(Default Value)
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#3BC/IRQ7 Enable On Board LPT port and address is 3BC.

#### *∝* Parallel Port Mode

<b>≇</b> SPP	Using Parallel port as Standard Parallel Port. (Default Value)
<b>≇</b> EPP	Using Parallel port as Enhanced Parallel Port.
<b>≇ECP</b>	Using Parallel port as Extended Capabilities Port.

♣ECP+EPP Using Parallel portas ECP& EPP mode.

#### *⊯* EPP Mode Select

EPP1.9	EPP Version is 1.9.
EPP 1.7	EPP Version is 1.7.(Default value)

#### ∠ ECP Mode Use DMA

- 3 SetECP mode use DMA 3. (Default v alue)
- 4 SetECP mode use DMA 1.

#### 

Memory	System power	on depends	on the status	before	AC bst
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- Soft-Off Always in Off state when AC back. (Default value)
- $\label{eq:Ful-On} \qquad \text{Alw} \, ay \, s \, \text{pow} \, \text{eron} \, \text{the} \, sy \, \text{stem} \, w \, \text{hen} \, \text{AC} \, \text{back}.$

#### *⊯* Game Port Address

#Disabled	Disabled this function.
<b>201</b>	Set Game Port Address to 201. (Default Value)
<b>209</b>	Set Game PortAddress to 209.

#### ⊯ Midi Port Address

🗳 Disabled	Disabled this function.
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- **300** Set Midi PortAddress to 300.
- #330 Set Midi Port Address to 300.(Default Value)

#### 🗷 Midi Port IRQ

	€5	Set 5 for Midi Port IRQ.	
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10 Set 11 for Midi Port IRQ. (Default Value)

# **Power Management Setup**

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PowerManagementSetup

ACPISuspendType	[S1(POS)]	Item Help	
⊂ USB Device Wake-Up From S3	Disabled		
PowerManagement	[UserDefine]	MenuLevel	
Video Off Method	[DPMS]		
Video Off In Suspend	[Yes]		
Suspend Ty pe	[Stop Grant]		
MODEM UseIRQ	[3]		
SuspendMode	[Disabled]		
HDD Power Dow n	[Disabled]		
Soft-Off by PWR-BTTN	[Instant-off]		
PMEEvent WakeUp	[Enabled]		
ModemRingOn/WakeOnLan	[Enabled]		
Resumeby Alarm	[Disabled]		
☞Date(of Month) Alarm	Everyday		
☞Time(hh:mm:ss) Alarm	0 0 0		
** Reload Global Timer Events **			
Primary IDE 0	[Disabled]		
Primary IDE 1	[Disabled]		
Secondary IDE 0	[Disabled]		
Secondary IDE 1	[Disabled]		
FDD,COM,LPT Port	[Disabled]		
PCI PIRQ[A-H]#	[Disabled]		
ורדי: Move Enter:Select+/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save	ESC:Exit F1:General Hel	р	
F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defaults F7:Optimized Defaults			

Figure 6: Pow er Management Setup

## ⊯ ACPI Suspend Type

	SetACPI Suspend Type to S1/POS (Pow er On Suspend). (Default v alue)
<b>≇</b> S3∕STR	SetACPISuspend Type to S3/STR (Suspend To RAM).

## ≤ US B Device Wak eup From S3

Enabled	Enable USB Device Wakeup From S3.
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Disabled Disable USB Device Wakeup From S3. (Default value)

#### *⊯* Power Management

≇UserDefine	For configuring our own power management features (Default Value)
€MinSaving	Disabled Green & software APM function.
ቆMax Saving	Enabled Green & software APM function.

#### ≤ Video off Method

V/HSYNC+Blank	BIOS will turn off V/H-SYNC when gets into Green mode for Green monitor
	powersaving.
BlankScreen	BIOS will only black monitor when gets into Green mode.
✿ DPMS	BIOS will use DPMS Standard to control VGA card. (The Green type VGA
	card will tum off V/H-SYNC automatically.)(Default value)

#### $\not { \ensuremath{ \ensuremath{$

🗳 Yes	Set Suspend type is stop grant. (Default value)
₽No	SetSuspend type is Power on Suspend.

#### ≤ Suspend Type

🗳 Stop Grant	Set Suspend type is stop grant. (Default value)
PwrOn Suspend	SetSuspend type is Power on Suspend.

#### ≤ MODEM Use IRQ

<b>@</b> N/A	SetMODEM Use IRQ to NA.
₩3	Set MODEM Use IRQ to 3. (Default value)
€4	SetMODEM Use IRQ to 4.
<b>₫</b> 5	SetMODEM Use IRQ to 5.
<b></b>	SetMODEM Use IRQ to 7.
<b>#</b> 9	SetMODEM Use IRQ to 9.
#10	SetMODEM Use IRQ to 10.
<b>#</b> 11	SetMODEM Use IRQ to 11.

#### ≤ Suspend Mode

<b>I</b>	
Disabled	Disabled Support Mode (Default v alue)
🗳 1 min - 1 Hour	Setup the timer to enter Suspend Mode.

#### 

Disabled	Disabled HDD Pow er Dow n mode function. (Default value)
<b>#</b> 1-15mins.	Enabled HDD Pow er Dow n mode betw een 1 to 15 mins.

## ≤ Soft-off by PWR-BTTN

🗳 Instan t-off	Press pow er button then Pow er off instantly. (Default value)
🖨 Delay 4 Sec.	Press power button 4 sec to Power off. Enter suspend if button is pressed less
	than4 sec.

## ≤ PME Event Wake up

Disabled	Disabled PME EventWake up function.
Enabled	Enabled PME Event Wake up function. (Default Value)

#### ≤ Modem Ring On/ WakeOnLAN

Disabled	Disabled Modem Ring On / Wake On LAN function.
Enabled	Enabled Modem Ring On / Wake On LAN function. (Default Value)

#### *∝* Resume by Alarm

You can set "Resume by Alarm" item to enabled and key in Data/time to pow er on sy stem.

Disabled	Disable this function. (D	)efault Value)
Enabled	Enable alarm function to	POWER ON system.
If RTC Alarm Lead To Pow er On is Enabled.		
Date (of Mon	th) Alarm:	Everyday,1~31

Time (hh: mm: ss)Alarm :	(0~23): (0~59) : (0~59)
	(0 20).(0 00).(0 00)

#### ≤ Primary IDE 0/1

Disabled	Disabled this function. (Defaultvalue)
Enabled	Enabled monitor Primary IDE 0/1 for Green event.

#### ≤ Secondary IDE 0/1

Disabled	Disabled this function. (Defaultvalue)
Enabled	Enabled monitor Secondary IDE 0/1 for Green event.

#### ≤ FDD,COM,LPT Port

Disabled	Disabled this function. (Defaultvalue)
€Enabled	Enabled monitor FDC, COM, LPT for Green event.

#### ≤ PCI PIRQ[A-H] #

Enabled	Monitor PCI PIRQ[A-H]# IRQ Active.
⇔Disabled	Ignore PCI PIRQ[A-H]# IRQ Active. (Default value)

## **PnP/PCI** Configurations

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FIIF/FCI Conliguiations			
Resources Controlled By	[Auto]	ltem Help	
∽IRQResources	Press Enter	MenuLev el	
PCI1 IRQ Assignment	[Auto]		
PCI2IRQ Assignment	[Auto]		
PCI3 IRQ Assignment	[Auto]		
コココ: Move Enter:Select+/-/PU/PD:Va	alue F10:Save ESC:Exit F1:General He	lp	
F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defau	Its F7:Optimized Defaults		
Figure 7: PnP	P/PCI Configurations		

*⊯* Resources Controlled by

∉Manual	User can set the PnP resource (I/O Address, IRQ & DMA channels) used
	by legacy ISA DEVICE.
♣Auto(ESCD)	BIOS automatically use these PnP rescuers. (Default value)

#### **KIRQ Resources ( 3,4,5,7,9,10,11,12,15 )**

PCIDevice	The resource is used by PCI device.
Reserved	Setthe resource to reserved.

#### ≤ PCI1 IRQ Assignment

≇Auto	Auto assign IRQ to PCI 1. (Default value)		
#3,4,5,7,9.,10,11,12,15	Set3,4,5,7,9,10,11,12,15 to PCI1/ PCI5.		

#### ≤ PCI2 IRQ Assignment

	Auto assign IRQ to PCI 2. (Default value)
\$3,4,5,7,9.,10,11,12,15	Set3,4,5,7,9,10,11,12,15 to PCI2/ PCI6.

#### 

	Auto assign IRQ to PCI 3. (Default value)
\$3,4,5,7,9.,10,11,12,15	Set3,4,5,7,9,10,11,12,15 to PCI3.

## **PC Health Status**

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PC Health Status		
Reset Case Open Status	[Disabled]	
CaseOpened	No	
VCORE	1.746V	ltem Help
+3.3V	3.296V	MenuLevel
+ 5V	5.080 V	
+12V	11.904V	
CurrentSystem Temperature	34°C/93°F	
Current CPU Temperature	45°C/113°F	
Current CPU FAN Speed	4821 RPM	
Current POWER FAN Speed	0RPM	
Current SYSTEM FAN speed	0RPM	
CPU Warning Temperature	[Disabled]	
CPU FAN Fail Warning	[Disabled]	
POWER FAN Fail Warning	[Disabled]	
SYSTEM FAN Fail Warning	[Disabled]	
ו איז	ESC:Exit F1:General Hel	p
F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defaults F7:Optimize	d Defaults	

Figure8: PC Health Status

#### ☞ Res et Case Open Status

#### **G** Case Opened

If the case is closed, "Case Opened" will show "No".

If the case have been opened, "Case Opened" will show "Yes".

If you want to reset "Case Opened" value, set "Reset Case Open Status" to

"Enabled" and save CMOS, your computer will restart.

#### $\measuredangle$ Current Voltage (V) VCORE/ +3.V / +5V / +12V

Detect system's voltage status automatically.

#### 

Detect CPU/SYSTEM Temp. automatically.

#### ≤ Current CPU FAN / POWER FAN/ SYSTEM FAN Speed (RPM)

Detect Fan speed status automatically.

#### ≤ CPUWarning Temperature

≇60°C / 140°F	Monitor CPU Temp. at60°C / 140°F.
<b>≇</b> 70°C / 158°F	Monitor CPU Temp. at70°C / 158°F.
<b>≇80°C / 176°F</b>	Monitor CPU Temp. at80°C / 176°F.
<b>≇</b> 90°C / 194°F	Monitor CPU Temp. at90°C / 194°F.
Disabled	Disabled this function.(Defaultvalue)

#### ≤ Fan Fail Warning ( CPU/ POWER / SYSTEM)

Disabled	Fan Fail	Alarm	Function	Disable	d. (Default value)

Enabled
Fan Fail Alarm Function Enabled.

## **Frequency/Voltage Control**

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Frequency	/VoltageControl	
CPUClock Ratio	[x 15]	Item Help
CPU Host Clock Control	[Disable]	MenuLevel
CPUHostFrequency (MHz)	100	
Host/DRAM Clock ratio	[Auto]	
Memory Frequency (MHz)	266	
PC/AGPFrequency (MHz)	33/66	
וער דו: Move Enter:Select+/-/PU/PD:Value F10	0:Save ESC:Exit F1:General Help	
F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defaults F7:	Optimized Defaults	

Figure 9: Frequency/Voltage Control

#### ≤ CPU Clock Ratio

SetCPU Ratio if CPU Ratio is unlocked.

#### ≤ CPUHost Clock Control

Note: If system hangs up before enter CMOS setup utility, wait for 10 sec for times out reboot. When time out occur, sy stem will reset and run at CPU default Host clock at next boot.

🗳 Disable	Disable CPU Host Clock Control. (Default value)
	Enable CPU Host Clock Control.

#### ≤ CPU Host Frequency

#100MHz ~ 200MHz SetCPU Host Clock from 100MHz to 200MHz.

#### ≤ Host/DRAM Clock Ratio

(Warning: wrong frequency may make system can'tboot, clear CMOS to overcome wrong frequency issue)

<b>2</b> .0	Memory Frequency = Host clock X 2	2.0.
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2.66 Memory Frequency = Host clock X 2.66.

Auto SetMemory frequency by DRAM SPDdata. (Default v alue)

#### PCI/AGP Frequency(Mhz)

The values depend on CPU Host Frequency (Mhz).

#### ☞ Memory Frequency(Mhz)

The values depend on CPU Host Frequency (Mhz).

## Load Fail-Safe Defaults

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JStandard CMOS Features	JFrequency/Voltage Control	
JAdvanced BIOS Features	Load Fail-Safe Defaults	
JAdvancedChipsetFeatures	Load Optimized Defaults	
JIntegrated Peripherals	SetSuperv isor Password	
JPow er Manacement Setur	SetUser Password	
JPnP/PC Load Fail-Safe Def	Load Fail-Safe Defaults? (Y/N)?Y	
JPC Heal Journa	LA ITYIU IOUT CAY INg	
ESC:Quit	ור דר:SelectItem	
F8: Q-Flash	F10:Save & Exit Setup	
Load Fail-Safe Defaults		

Figure 11: Load Fail-Safe Defaults

#### ≤ Load Fail-Safe Defaults

Fail-Safe defaults contain the most appropriate values of the system parameters that allow minimum system performance.



## **Load Optimized Defaults**



Figure 12: Load Optimized Defaults

#### Z Load Optimized Defaults

Selecting this field loads the factory defaults for BIOS and Chipset Features which the system automatically detects.

## Set Supervisor/User Password

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JStandard CMOS Features	JFrequency/Voltage Control	
JAdvanced BIOS Features	Load Fail-Safe Defaults	
JAdvancedChipsetFeatures	Load Optimized Defaults	
JIntegrated Peripherals	SetSuperv isor Password	
JPow er Management Setup	ent Setup SetUser Password	
JPnP/PCI Operations		
TPC Health Enter Passwo	ord:	
ESC:Quit	↓↓↓↓:SelectItem	
F8:Q-Flash	F10:Save & Exit Setup	
Change/Set/Disable Passw ord		

Figure 13: Password Setting

When you select this function, the following message will appear at the center of the screen to assist you in creating a password.

Type the password, up to eight characters, and press <Enter>. You will be asked to confirm the password. Type the password again and press <Enter>. You may also press <Esc> to abort the selection and not enter a password.

To disable password, just press <Enter> when you are prompted to enter password. A message "PASSWORD DISABLED" will appear to confirm the password being disabled. Once the password is disabled, the system will boot and you can enter S etup freely.

The BIOS Setup program allows you to specify two separate passwords: a SUPERVISOR PASS-WORD and a USER PASSWORD. When disabled, anyone may access all BIOS Setup program function. When enabled, the Supervisor password is required for entering the BIOS Setup program and having full configuration fields, the User password is required to access only basic items. If you select "System" at "Security Option" in Advance BIOS Features Menu, you will be prompted for the password every time the system is rebooted or any time you try to enter Setup Menu.

If you select "Setup" at "Security Option" in Advance BIOS Features Menu, you will be prompted only when you try to enter Setup.

## Save & Exit Setup

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JStandard C	MOS Features	JFrequency/Voltage Control	
JAdv anced	DS Features Load Fail-Safe Defaults		
JAdvanced	Chipset Features	Load Optimized Defaults	
JIntegrated F	Peripherals	SetSuperv isor Password	
JPower Mar	nagement Setup	ment Setup SetUser Password	
JPnP/PCIC	onfigurations	gurations Save & ExitSetup	
JPC Health	Save to CMOS and EXIT (V/N)2 Y		
ESC:Quit			
F8:Q-Flash		F10:Save & Exit Setup	
	Save Data to CM	MOS	

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Figure 14: Save & Exit Setup

Type "Y" will quit the Setup U tility and save the user setup value to RTC CMOS. Type "N" will return to Setup U tility.

## **Exit Without Saving**

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JStandard CMOS Features	JFrequency/Voltage Control	
JAdvanced BIOS Features	OS Features Load Fail-Safe Defaults	
JAdvancedChipsetFeatures	ipset Features Load Optimized Defaults	
JIntegrated Peripherals	SetSuperv isor Password	
JPow er Management Setup	SetUser Password	
JPnP/PCI Configurations	nfigurations Save&ExitSetup	
JPC Health Status	Evit) Mithout Couring	
ESC:Quit Quit Without Sav	Quit Without Saving (Y/N)? N	
F8: Q-Flash	F 10:Save & Exit Setup	
Aban	don all Data	

Figure 15: Ex it Without Saving

Type "Y" will quit the Setup U tility without sav ing to RTC CMOS. Type "N" will return to Setup U tility.

Technical Reference

# Chapter 4 Technical Reference

## **Performance List**

The following performance data list is the testing results of some popular benchmark testing programs. These data are just referred by users, and there is no responsibility for different testing data values gotten by users. (The different Hardware & Software configuration will result in different benchmark testing results.)

CPU DDR RAM CACHE SIZE DISPLAY STORAGE	Intel Pentuim <sup>®</sup> 4 2GHz processor (128 x 2) MB RAM (NANYA NT5DS16M8AT-7K S) 256KB included in CPU Gigaby te GV-GF3000D (NUCD 1.9) Onboard IDE (Quantum AS30000AT 30GB)
0.S DRIVER	Display Driver at 1024 x 768 x 64K colors x 75Hz UCD ver. 1.9 For Intel chipset M.B.
Processor	Intel Pentium® 4 2GHz (100x20)
WCPUID 3.0D Clock Frequency	
Internal MHz	2019.88
External MHz	100.99
SiSoft Sandra 2001	
CPU/FPU Benchmark	3895/2484
CPU Multi-Media Benchmark	8025/9945
Drives Benchmark	20663
Memory Benchmark	1015/1073
SPECviewperf 6.12	
Pro CDRS-03	14.76
MedMCAD-01	30.19
Light-04	8.283
DX-06	27.13
DRV-07	18.18
Aw adv s-04	62.11
QUAKE III Arena (without sound)	
640*480*16 Demo1	199.2
1024*768*32 Demo2	181.2
3D Mark 2001 1.0	6852

#### **Block Diagram** CPUCLK6 (100MHz) Pentium 4 CPU AGP 4X System Bus 100MHz AGPCLK 100/133 MHz (66MHz) DDR RAM Intel HCLK6 (100MHz) 82845 MCHCLK (66MHz) 66 MHz 33 MHz 3 PCI - 14.318 MHz 48 MHz ٦ Г Intel 82562ET\* FWH Intel Game Port ICH 2 LPC BUS Floppy Winbond LPT Port 83627 AC97 Link PS/2 KB/Mouse 24 MHz 4 USB 33 MHz ATA33/66/100 Ports **IDE** Channels СОМ AC97 PCICLK Ports CODEC (33MHz) LINE-OUT MIC LINE-IN HCLK6 (100MHz) CPUCLK6 (100MHz) AGPCLK (66MHz) MCHCLK (66MHz) PCICLK (33MHz) USBCLK (48MHz) 14.318 MHz CLK GEN 33 MHz -ICH3V66 (66MHz) \* For GA-8IRML only.



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# @ BIOS IntroductionGigabyte announces @ BIOSWindows BIOS live update utility



Have you ever updated BIOS by yourself? Or like many other people, you just know what BIOS is, but always hesitate to update it? Because you think updating newest BIOS is unnecessary and actually you don't know how to update it.

Maybe not like others, you are very experienced in BIOS updating and spend quite a lot of time to do it. But of course you don't like to do it too much. First, download different BIOS from website and then switch the operating system to DOS mode. Secondly, use different flash utility to update BIOS. The above process is not a interesting job. Besides, always be carefully to store the BIOS source code correctly in your disks as if you update the wrong BIOS, it will be a nightmare.

Certainly, you wonder why motherboard vendors could not just do something right to save your time and effort and save you from the lousy BIOS updating work? Here it comes! Now Gigabyte announces @BIOS—the first Windows BIOS live update utility. This is a smart BIOS update software. It could help you to download the BIOS from internetand update it. Not like the other BIOS update software, it's a Windows utility. With the help of "@BIOS', BIOS updating is no more than a click.

Besides, no matter which mainboard you are using, if it's a Gigabyte's product\*, @BIOS help you to maintain the BIOS. This utility could detect your correct mainboard model and help you to choose the BIOS accordingly. It then downloads the BIOS from the nearest Gigabyte ftp site automatically. There are several different choices; you could use "Internet Update" to download and update your BIOS directly. Or you may want to keep a backup for your current BIOS, just choose "Save Current BIOS" to save it first. You make a wise choice to use Gigabyte, and @BIOS update your BIOS smartly. You are now worry free from updating wrong BIOS, and capable to maintain and manage your BIOS easily. Again, Gigabyte's innovative product erects a milestone in mainboard industries.

For such a wonderful software, how much it costs? Impossible! It's free! Now, if you buy a Gigabyte's motherboard, you could find this amazing software in the attached driver CD. But please remember, connected to internet at first, then you could have a internet BIOS update from your Gigabyte @BIOS.

## Easy Tunelll™ Introduction Gigabyte announces *EasyTune*lll Windows overdrive utility



"Overdrive" might be one of the most common issues in computer field. But have many users ever tried it? The answer is probably "no". Because "overdrive" is thought to be very difficult and includes a lotof technical know-how, sometimes "overonly in some entrupiests.

drive" is even considered as special skills found only in some enthusiasts.

But as to the experts in "overdrive", whats the truth? They may spend quite a lot of time and money to study, try and use many different hardware and software tools to do "overdrive". And even with these technologies, they still learn that it's quite a risk because the safety and stability of an "overdrive" system is unknown.

Now everything is different because of a Windows ov erdrive utility EasyTuneIII—announced by Gigabyte. This utility has totally changed the gaming rule of "overdrive". This is the first overdrive utility suitable for both normal and power users. Users can choose either "Easy Mode" or "Advanced Mode" to run "overdrive" at their convenience. For users who choose "Easy Mode", they just need to click "Auto Opfimize" to have auto and immediate CPU overclocking. This software will then overdrive "DPU speed automatically with the result being shown in the control panel. If someone prefers b "overdrive" by oneself, there is also another choice. Click "Advanced Mode" to enjoy "sport drive" class overdocking. In "Advanced Mode", one can change the system bus speed in small increments to getultimate system performance. And no matter which mairboard is used, if it's a Gigaby te's product\*, Easy TuneIII helps to perform the best of system.

Besides, different from other traditional over-clocking methods, Easy TuneIII doesn't require users to change neither BIOS nor hardware switch/jumper setting; on the other hand, they can do "overdrive" at only one click. Therefore, this is a safer way for "overdrive" as nothing is changed on software or hardware. If user runs Easy TuneIII over system's limitation, the biggest lost is only to restart the computer again and the side effect is then well controlled. Moreover, if one well-performed system speed been tested in Easy TuneIII, user can "Save" this bus speed and "Load" it in next time. Obviously, Gigabyte Easy TuneIII has already turned the "overdrive" technology toward to a newer generation.

This wonderful software is now free bundled in Gigabyte motherboard attached driver CD. Users may make a test drive of "EasyTuneIII" to find out more amazing features by themselves.

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#### Picture below are shown in Windows ME (IUCD driver version 1.9)

Insert the driver CD-title that came with your motherboard into your CD-ROM driver, the driver CD-title will auto start and show the installation guide. If not, please double click the CD-ROM device icon in "My computer", and execute the setup.exe.

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- A. Installing Intel 845 Chipset Driver Please install this driver as the first priority. this item installs the chipset driver utility that enableds Plug-n-Plag INF support for Intel chipset component.
- <u>B. Installing Sound Driver</u> Click this item to install sound driver.
- C. Installing LAN Driver\* Click this item to install LAN driver.

## Mainboard Utility CD Intel 845 Chipsets Driver Orceard Detes Drive Creater Self "Chipsets Driver" Orceard Detes Drive Creater Self "Chipset Driver (MICL) Intel Self Chipset Driver (MICL) Inter Inclose any

#### Appendix A: Intel 845 Chipset Driver Installation

Follow the setup that showing on the scween to install the Utility.



\* For GA-8IRML Only.



Appendix B: RealTek AC'97 Audio Driver





"Intel 82562 Network Driver" under Windows ME will auto install. If you would like to install LAN driver, please refer to attached README.txt file for detail instruction. Please install the driver through CD-ROM by the path D:\Network\Rtl (This manual assumes that your CD-ROM device drive letter is D:).



#### Appendix D:

1.EasyTuneIII Utilities Installation





#### Appendix

#### Appendix E: BIOS Flash Procedure

BIOS update procedure:

If your OS is Win9X, we recommend that you used Gigabyte @BIOS™ Program to flash BIOS.





Methods and steps:

I. Update BIOS through Internet

- a. Click "Internet Update" icon
- b. Click "Update New BIOS" icon
- c. Select @BIOS<sup>™</sup> sever ("Gigabyte @BIOSTM sever 1 in Taiwan" and "Gigabyte @BIOS<sup>™</sup> sever 2 in Taiwan" are available for now, the others will be completedsoon)
- d. Select the exact model name on your motherboard
- e. System will automatically download and update the BIOS.



- II. Update BIOS NOT through Internet:
- a. Do not click "Internet Update" icon
- b. Click "Update New BIOS"
- c. Please select "All Files" in dialog box while opening the old file.
- d. Please search for BIOS unzip file, downloading from internet or any other methods (such as: 8IRX.F1).
- e. Complete update process following the instruction.
- III. Save BIOS

In the very beginning, there is "Save Current BIOS" icon shown in dialog box. It means to save the current BIOS version.

IV. Check out supported motherboard and Flash ROM:

In the very beginning, there is "About this program" icon shown in dialog box. It can help you check out which kind of motherboard and which brand of Flash ROM are supported.

#### Note:

- a. In method I, if it shows two or more motherboard's model names to be selected, please make sure your motherboard's model name again. Selecting wrong model name will cause the system unbooted.
- b. In method II, be sure that motherboard's model name in BIOS unzip file are the same as your motherboard's. Otherwise, your system won't boot.
- c. In method I, if the BIOS file you need cannot be found in @BIOS<sup>™</sup> server, please go onto Gigabyte's web site for downloading and updating it according to method II.
- d. Please note that any interruption during updating will cause system unbooted

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We use GA-7VTX motherboard and Flash841 BIOS flash utility as example.

Please flash the BIOS according to the following procedures if you are now under the DOS mode. Flash BIOS Procedure:

STEP 1:

- Please make sure you have set "Auto" for BIOS Feature Setup (BIOS Flash Protection). For more detail please refer to page 32.
- (2) Please make sure your system has installed the extraction utility such as winzip or pkunzip. Firstly you have to install the extraction utility such as winzip or pkunzip for unzip the files. Both of these utilities are available on many shareware download pages like <u>http://www.shareware.cnet.</u> <u>com</u>

STEP 2: Make a DOS boot diskette. (See example: Windows 98 O.S.)

Beware: Windows ME/2000 are not allowed to make a DOS boot diskette.

(1) With an available floppy disk in the floppy drive. Please leave the diskette "UN-write protected" type. Double click the "My Computer" icon from Desktop, then click "3.5 diskette (A)" and right click to select "Format (M)"



(2) Select the "Quick (erase)" for Format Type, and pick both "Display summary when finished" and "Copy system files", after that press "Start". That will format the floppy and transfer the needed system files to it.

Beware: This procedure will erase all the prior data on that floppy, so please proceed accordingly.

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(3) After the floppy has been formatted completely, please press "Close".



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STEP 3: Download BIOS and BIOS utility program.

(1) Please go to Gigabyte website http://www.gigabyte.com.tw/index.html, and click "Support".



(2) From Support zone, click the "Motherboards BIOS & Drivers".



(3) We use GA-7VTX motherboard as example. Please select GA-7VTX by Model or Chipset optional menu to obtain BIOS flash files.



(4) Select an appropriate BIOS version (For example: F4), and click to download the file. It will pop up a file download screen, then select the "Open this file from its current location" and press "OK".


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- (5) At this time the screen shows the following picture, please click "Extract" button to unzip the files.



(6) Please extract the download files into the clean bootable floppy disk A mentioned in STEP 2, and press "Extract".

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STEP 4: Make sure the system will boot from the floppy disk.

(1) Insert the floppy disk (contains bootable program and unzip file) into the floppy drive A. Then, restart the system. The system will boot from the floppy disk. Please press <DEL> key to enter BIOS setup main menu when system is boot up.



(2) Once you enter the BIOS setup utility, the main menu will appear on the screen. Use the arrows to highlight the item "BIOS FEATURES SETUP".

AMIBIOS SIMPLE SETU	P UTILITY - VERSION 1.24b
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STANDARD CMOS SETUP	INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS
BIOS FEATURES SETUP	HARDWARE MONITOR & MISC SETUP
CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP	SUPERVISOR PASSWORD
POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP	USER PASSWORD
PNP / PCI CONFIGURATION	IDE HDD AUTO DETECTION
LOAD BIOS DEFAULTS	SAVE & EXIT SETUP
LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS	EXIT WITHOUT SAVING
ESC: Quit IIII: Select Item (Shi	ift)F2 : Change Color F5: Old Values
F6: Load BIOS Defaults F7: Load Setup D	efaults F10:Save & Exit
Time, Date ,	Hard Disk Type



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(3) Press "Enter" to enter "BIOS FEATURES SETUP" menu. Use the arrows to highlight the item "1st Boot Device", and then use the "Page Up" or "Page Down" keys to select "Floppy".

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1st Boot Device	: Floppy	
2nd Boot Device	: IDE-0	
3rd Boot Device	: CDROM	
S.M.A.R.T. for Hard Disks	: Disabled	
BootUp Num-Lock	: On	ESC: Quit III: Select Item
Floppy Drive Seek	: Disabled	F1 : Help PU/PD/+/- : Modify
Password Check	: Setup	F5 : Old Values (Shift)F2: Color
		F6 : Load BIOS Defaults
		F7 : Load Setup Defaults

(4) Press "ESC" to go back to previous screen. Use the arrows to highlight the item "SAVE & EXIT SETUP" then press "Enter". System will ask "SAVE to CMOS and EXIT (Y/N)?" Press "Y" and "Enter" keys to confirm. Now the system will reboot automatically, the new BIOS setting will be taken effect next boot-up.

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BIOS FEATURES SETUP	HARDWARE MONITOR & MISC SETUP
CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP	SUPERVISOR PASSWORD
POWER MANAGEMENT SETUR	
PNP / PCI CONF Save to CMOS an	d EXIT (Y/N)? Y
LOAD BIOS DEFAULTS	SAVE & EXIT SETUP
LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS	EXIT WITHOUT SAVING
ESC: Quit 기기기기: Select Item (Shi	ft)F2 : Change Color F5: Old Values
F6: Load BIOS Defaults F7: Load Setup Defaults	efaults F10:Save & Exit
Save Data to CM0	DS & Exit SETUP

STEP 5: BIOS flashing.

(1) After the system boot from floppy disk, type "A:\> dir/w" and press "Enter" to check the entire files in floppy A. Then type the "BIOS flash utility" and "BIOS file" after A:\>. In this case you have to type "A:\> Flash841 7VTX.F4" and then press "Enter".

Starting Windows 98
Microsoft(R) Windows98
© Copyright Microsoft Corp 1981-1999
A:\> dir/w
Volume in drive A has no label
Volume Serial Number is 16EB-353D
Directory of A:\
COMMAND.COM 7VTX.F4 FLASH841.EXE
3 file(s) 838,954 bytes
0 dir(s) 324,608 bytes free
A:\> Flash841 7VTX.F4

(2) Now screen appears the following Flash Utility main menu. Press "Enter", the highlighted item will locate on the model name of the right-upper screen. Right after that, press "Enter" to start BIOS Flash Utility.



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- (3) It will pop up a screen and asks "Are you sure to flash the BIOS?" Press [Enter] to continue the procedure, or press [ESC] to quit.

Beware: Please do not turn off the system while you are upgrading BIOS. It will render your BIOS corrupted and system totally inoperative.



(4) The BIOS flash completed. Please press [ESC] to exit Flash Utility.

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STEP 6: Load BIOS defaults.

Normally the system redetects all devices after BIOS has been upgraded. Therefore, we highly recommend reloading the BIOS defaults after BIOS has been upgraded. This important step resets everything after the flash.

(1) Take out the floppy diskette from floppy drive, and then restart the system. The boot up screen will indicate your motherboard model and current BIOS version.



(2) Don't forget to press <DEL> key to enter BIOS setup again when system is boot up. Use the arrows to highlight the item "LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS" then press "Enter". System will ask "Load Setup Defaults (Y/N)?" Press "Y" and "Enter" keys to confirm.

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(3) Use the arrows to highlight the item "SAVE & EXIT SETUP" and press "Enter". System will ask "SAVE to CMOS and EXIT (Y/N)?" Press "Y" and "Enter" keys to confirm. Now the system will reboot automatically, the new BIOS setting will be taken effect next boot-up.

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BIOS FEATURES SETUP	HARDWARE MONITOR & MISC SETUP
CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP	SUPERVISOR PASSWORD
POWER MANAGEMENT SETUR	
PNP / PCI CONF Save to CMOS an	d EXIT (Y/N)? Y
LOAD BIOS DEFAULTS	SAVE & EXIL SETUP
LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS	EXIT WITHOUT SAVING
ESC: Quit IIII: Select Item (Shi	ft)F2 : Change Color F5: Old Values
F6: Load BIOS Defaults F7: Load Setup D	efaults F10:Save & Exit
Save Data to CM	OS & Exit SETUP

(4) Congratulate you have accomplished the BIOS flash procedure.

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## Appendix G: Acronyms Acrony ms Meaning ACPI Advanced Configuration and Power Interface APM Advanced Power Management AGP Accelerated Graphics Port AMR Audio Modem Riser ACR Advanced Communications Riser BIOS Basic Input / Output System CPU Central Processing Unit CMOS Complementary Metal Oxide Semiconductor CRIMM Continuity RIMM CNR Communication and Networking Riser DMA **Direct Memory Access** DMI Desktop Management Interface DIMM Dual Inline Memory Module DRM **Dual Retention Mechanism** DRAM Dynamic Random Access Memory DDR Double Data Rate ECP Extended Capabilities Port ESCD Extended System Configuration Data ECC Error Checking and Correcting EMC Electromagnetic Compatibility EPP Enhanced Parallel Port ESD Electrostatic Discharge FDD Floppy Disk Device FSB Front Side Bus HDD Hard Disk Device IDE Integrated Dual Channel Enhanced IRQ Interrupt Request I/O Input / Output

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Input Output Advanced Programmable Input Controller

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Acronyms	Meaning
LBA	Logical Block Addressing
LED	Light Emitting Diode
MHz	Megahertz
MIDI	Musical Interface Digital Interface
MTH	Memory Translator Hub
MPT	Memory Protocol Translator
NIC	Network Interface Card
OS	Operating System
OEM	Original Equipment Manufacturer
PAC	PCI A.G.P. Controller
POST	Power-On Self Test
PCI	Peripheral Component Interconnect
RIMM	Rambus in-line Memory Module
SCI	Special Circumstance Instructions
SECC	Single Edge Contact Cartridge
SRAM	Static Random Access Memory
SMP	Symmetric Multi-Processing
SMI	System Management Interrupt
USB	Universal Serial Bus
VID	Voltage ID

Customer/Country:		Con	npany:	Phone No.:	
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Model name/Lo	t Number:			PCB revision:	
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Hardware	Mfs.	Model nan	ne Size:	Driver/Utility:	
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Brand					
Video Card					
Audio Card					
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