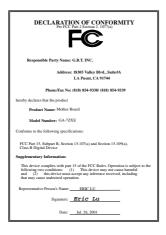
FCC Compliance Statement:



This equipment has been tested and found to comply with limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in residential installations. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy, and if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause interference to radio or television equipment reception, which can be

determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

-Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna

-Move the equipment away from the receiver

-Plug the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected

-Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/television technician for additional suggestions

You are cautioned that any change or modifications to the equipment not expressly approve by the party responsible for compliance could void Your authority to operate such equipment.

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subjected to the following two conditions 1) this device may not cause harmful interference and 2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Declaration of Conformity We, Manufacturer/Importer

(full address)

G.B.T. Technology Träding GMbH Ausschlager Weg 41, 1F, 20537 Hamburg, Germany

declare that the product (description of the apparatus, system, installation to which it refers)

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is in conformity with (reference to the specification under which conformity is declared) in accordance with 89/336 EEC-EMC Directive

🔲 EN 55011	Limits and methods of measurement of radio disturbance characteristics of industrial, scientific and medical (ISM high frequency equipment	☐ EN 61000-3-2* ⊠ EN60555-2	Disturbances in supply systems caused by household appliances and similar electrical equipment "Harmonics"	
EN55013	Limits and methods of measurement of radio disturbance characteristics of broadcast receivers and associated equipment	☐ EN61000-3-3* ⊠ EN60555-3	Disturbances in supply systems caused by household appliances and similar electrical equipment "Voltage fluctuations"	
□EN 55014	Limits and methods of measurement of radio disturbance characteristics of household electrical appliances,	I EN 50081-1	Generic emission standard Part 1: Residual, commercial and light industry	
	portable tools and similar electrical apparatus	I EN 50082-1	Generic immunity standard Part 1: Residual, commercial and light industry	
🔲 EN 55015	Limits and methods of measurement of radio disturbance characteristics of fluorescent lamps and luminaries	EN 55081-2	Generic emission standard Part 2: Industrial environment	
🔲 EN 55020	Immunity from radio interference of broadcast receivers and associated equipment	EN 55082-2	Generic immunity standard Part 2: Industrial environment	
X EN 55022	Limits and methods of measurement of radio disturbance characteristics of information technology equipment	ENV 55104	Immunity requirements for household appliances tools and similar apparatus	
DIN VDE 0855 part 10 part 12	Cabled distribution systems; Equipment for receiving and/or distribution from sound and television signals	EN 50091-2	EMC requirements for uninterruptible power systems (UPS)	
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The manufacturer also declares the conformity of above mentioned product with the actual required safety standards in accordance with LVD 73/23 EEC				
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USER'S MANUAL

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How This Manual Is Organized

This manual is divided into the following sections:

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3) Features	Product information & specification
4) Installation Guide	Instructions on CPU & Memory installation
5) Performance & Block Diagram	Product performance & block diagram
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8) @BIOS TM & EasyTuneIII TM	$@BIOS^{TM}$ & EasyTuneIII TM introduction
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Revision	Revision Note	Date
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1.1	Initial release of the 7ZXE motherboard user's manual.	Sep. 2001

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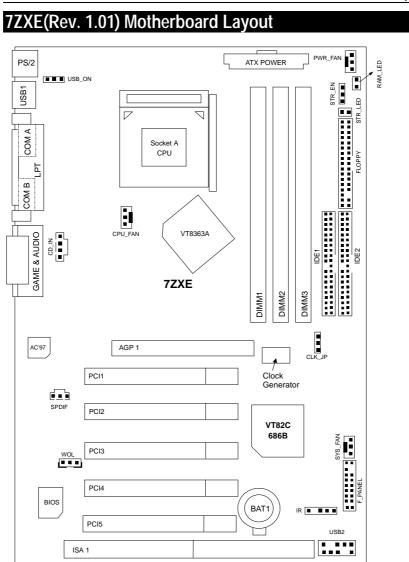
Sep.5, 2001 Taipei, Taiwan, R.O.C

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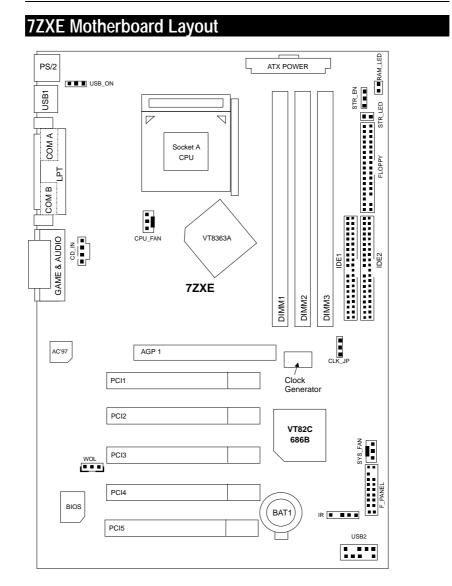
- ☑ The 7ZXE motherboard
- ☑ Cable for IDE / floppy device
- ☑ Diskettes or CD (VUCD) for motherboard driver & utility
- ☑ 7ZXE user's manual

Features Summary Form Factor • 30.4 cm x 18.3 cm ATX size form factor, 4 layers PC CPU • AMD Athlon™/Duron™ (K7) Socket A Processor • FSB 200/266MHz, 256K/64K L2 cache on die • Supports 600MHz ~ 1.5GHz and faster Chipset Apollo KT133A, consisting of: • VT8363A Memory/AGP/PCI Controller (PAC) • VT82C686B PCI Super-I/O Integrated Peripheral	<u>B.</u>
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Controller (PSIPC)	
Clock Generator ICS 94236AF	
Memory • 3 168-pin DIMM sockets	
Supports PC-100 / PC-133 SDRAM and VCM SDR	AM
Supports up to 1.5GB DRAM	
Supports only 3.3V SDRAM DIMM	
I/O Control • VT82C686B	
Slots • 1 AGP slot supports 4X mode & AGP 2.0 compliant	
5 PCI slots supports 33MHz & PCI 2.2 compliant	
On-Board IDE • Supports UDMA 33/ATA 66/ATA 100 IDE & ATAPI	
CD-ROM	_
2 IDE bus master (UDMA 33 / ATA 66 / ATA 100) ID	E
ports for up to 4 ATAPI devices	
On-Board • 1 floppy port supports 2 FDD with 360K, 720K, 1.2	Л,
Peripherals 1.44M and 2.88M bytes	
1 parallel ports supports Normal/EPP/ECP mode 2 sector (COMA & COMA)	
2 serial ports (COM A & COM B)	
4 USB ports 1 IrDA connector for IR	
Hardware Monitor • System voltage detect	
PS/2 Connector • PS/2 [®] Keyboard interface and PS/2 [®] Mouse interface	
On-Board Sound • AC'97 CODEC	308
Line In/Line Out/Mic In/F/CD In/Game Port	
BIOS • Licensed AMI BIOS, 2M bit flash ROM	
Additional Features • Support Wake-On-LAN	
Includes 2 fan power connectors	
Poly fuse for keyboard over-current protection	
Support @BIOS™ and EasyTuneIII™	



7ZXE Motherboard Layout

7ZXE Motherboard



Installation Guide

Getting Started



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.

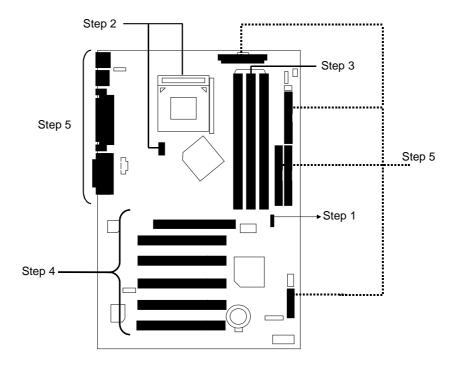
Installing the motherboard to the chassis...

If the motherboard 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.



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

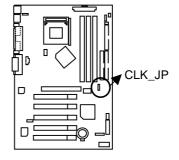
- Step 1 Set system jumpers
 Step 2- Install the Central Processing Unit (CPU)
 Step 3-Install memory modules
- 0 Step 4-Install expansion cards
- O Step 5-Connect ribbon cables, cabinet wires, and power supply
- Step 6-Set up BIOS software C
- Step 7-Install supporting software tools C



CPU Installation

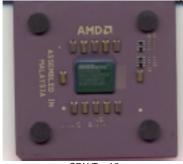
The system bus speed is selectable at 100MHz& 133MHz. The user can select the system bus speed by Jumper "CLK_JP".

CPU CLK Frequency	100MHz	133MHz
CLK_JP	2-3 Close	1-2 Close

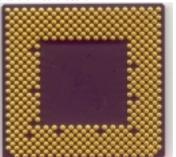


CPU Installation

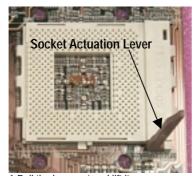
Please make sure the CPU should be supported to the motherboard.



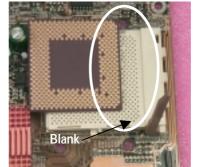
CPU Top View



CPU Bottom View



1.Pull the lever out and lift it up.

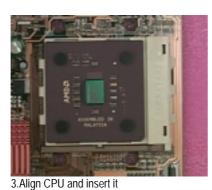


2. The notched corner should be orientated toward the blank space on the socket nearest the lever. The CPU will only fit in the orientation as shown.

CPU Heat Sink Installation:

Beware: Please check that the heat sink is in good contact with the CPU before you turn on your system. The poor contact will cause over heat, and might cause damage to your processor!



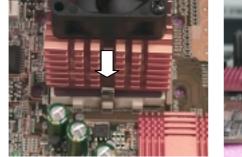


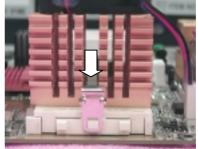


4.Use compliant fan approved by AMD.



(Please refer to your heatsink installation manual for application of thermal grease to provide better heat conduction between your CPU and heatsink.)





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

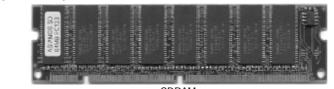
6. Hook the other end of the cooler bracket to the CPU socket.

Please refer to the cooler's installation manual for detailed installation steps)



Memory Installation

The motherboard has 3 dual inline memory module (DIMM) sockets support 6 banks. 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 two notch. Memory size can vary between sockets.





1. The DIMM slot has two notch, so the DIMM 2. Insert the DIMM memory module vertically memory module can only fit in one direction.

into the DIMM slot. Then push it down.

3. Close the plastic clip at both edges of the DIMM slots to lock the DIMM module.

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

Install memory in any combination table:

DIMM	168-pin SDRAM DIMM Modules	
DIMM 1	Supports 16 / 32 / 64 / 128 / 256 / 512 MB	X 1 pcs
DIMM 2	Supports 16 / 32 / 64 / 128 / 256 / 512 MB	X 1 pcs
DIMM 3	Supports 16 / 32 / 64 /128 / 256 / 512 MB	X 1 pcs

★ Total System Memory (Max 1.5GB)

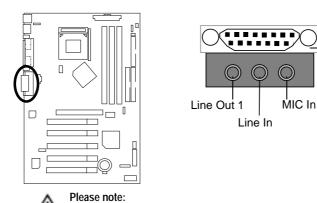


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Connectors

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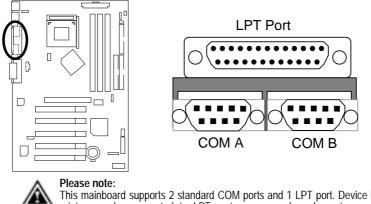
Game & Audio Port



This motherboard supports standard audio port and game port. After install onboard audio driver. you may connector speaker to line out jack, micro phone to MIC in jack Device like CD-ROM, walkman etc can be connected to line-in jack.

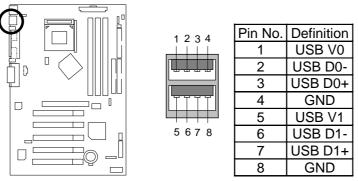
Game Port

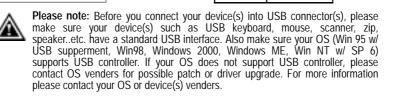
COM A / COM B / LPT Port



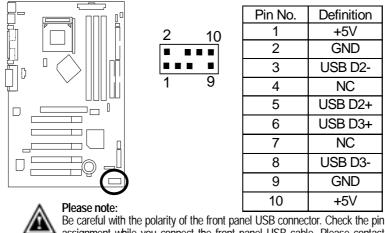
This mainboard supports 2 standard COM ports and 1 LPT port. Device like printer can be connected to LPT port, mouse and modem etc can be connected to COM ports.

USB 1 Connector



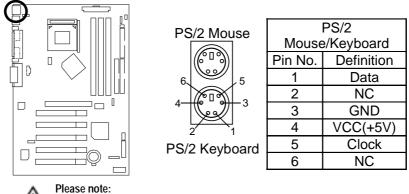


USB 2 Connector



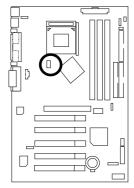
assignment while you connect the front panel USB cable. Please contact your nearest dealer for optional front panel USB cable.

PS/2 Keyboard & PS/2 Mouse Connector



This mainboard supports standard PS/2 keyboard and PS/2 mouse interface connector.

CPU_FAN: CPU Fan



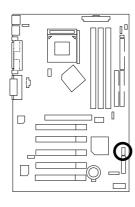
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Pin No.	Definition
1	GND
2	+12V
3	SENSE

Please note, a proper installation of the CPU cooler is essential to prevent the CPU from running under abnormal condition or damaged by overheating. The CPU fan connector supports Max. current up to 600mA .

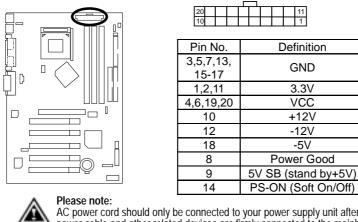
SYS_FAN: System Fan



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Pin No.	Definition
1	GND
2	+12V
3	SENSE

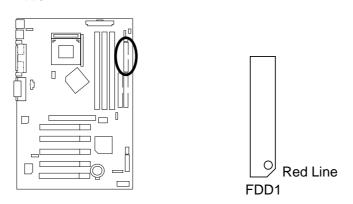
ATX Power



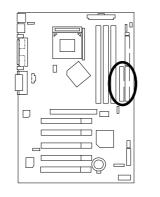
Please note: AC power cord should only be connected to your power supply unit after ATX power cable and other related devices are firmly connected to the mainboard.

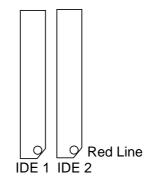


Floppy Port

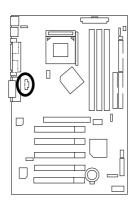


IDE1 (Primary), IDE2 (Secondary) Port



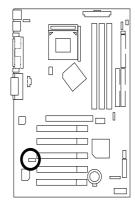


CD_IN: CD Audio Line In (Optional)



Pin No.	Definition	
1	CD-L	
2	GND	
3	GND	
4	CD-R	

WOL: Wake On LAN (Optional)

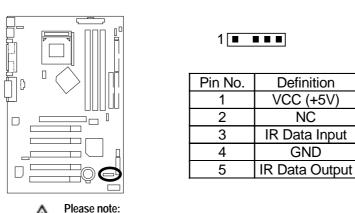




Definition
+5V SB
GND
Signal



IR: IR



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

Definition

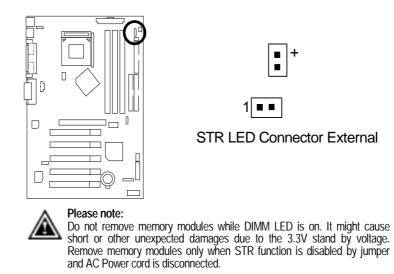
VCC (+5V)

NC

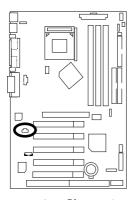
IR Data Input

GND

STR_LED: STR LED Connector & DIMM LED



SPDIF:SPDIF (Optional)

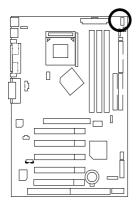


Pin No.	Definition
1	VCC
2	SPDIF OUT
3	GND

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Please note: The SPDIF output is capable of providing digital audio to external speakers or compressed AC3 data to an external Dolby Digital Decoder. Use this feature only when your stereo system has digital output function.

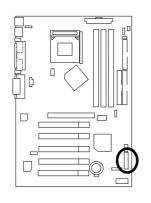
PWR_FAN: Power Fan (Optional)

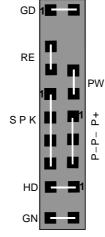


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Pin No.	Definition
1	GND
2	+12V
3	NC

Panel And Jumper Definition

F_PANEL: 2x11 Pins Jumper



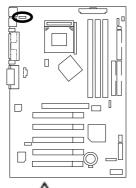


GN (Green Switch)	Open: Normal Operation
	Close: Entering Green Mode
GD (Green LED)	Pin 1: LED anode(+)
	Pin 2: LED cathode(–)
HD (IDE Hard Disk Active LED)	Pin 1: LED anode(+)
	Pin 2: LED cathode(–)
SPK (Speaker Connector)	Pin 1: VCC(+)
	Pin 2- Pin 3: NC
	Pin 4: Data(–)
RE (Reset Switch)	Open: Normal Operation
	Close: Reset Hardware System
P+P–P–(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 note, Please connect the power LED, PC speaker, reset switch and power switch etc of your chassis front panel to the front panel jumper according to the pin assignment above.

USB_ON: USB Device Wake up Selection

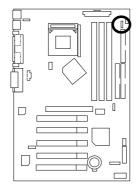


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-	Normal Default)	Enable
	Pin No.	Definition
		USB Device

Pin No.	Definition
	USB Device Wakeup Enabled
2-3 close	Normal (Default)

Please note: To use "USB Dev Wakeup from S3-S5" function, set BIOS setting "USB Dev Wake up from S3-S5" to ENABLED and enable jumpers "STR_EN" & "USB_ON". *(Power on the computer and as soon as memory counting starts, press . You will enter BIOS Setup. Select the item "POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP", then select "USB Dev Wake up from S3-S5". Remember to save the setting by pressing "ESC" and choose the "SAVE & EXIT SETUP" option.)

STR_EN: STR Enable



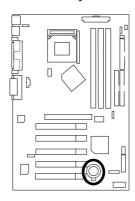
1 [En	able	1 Disable (Default)
Pin No.		Definition
1-2 Close		STR Enable

STR Disable(Default)

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2-3 Close

BAT1: Battery



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- CAUTION 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. instructions.

Performance List

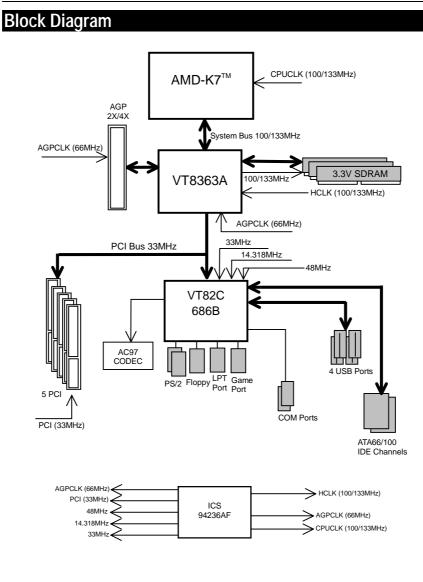
The following performance data list is the testing results of some popular benchmark testing

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.)

- AMD AthlonTM 1400MHz, AMD DuronTM 950MHz • CPU
- (128x1) MB RAM (PQI PC166 MP6828UMR-T6863 0205-A57) • DRAM
- 384 KB included in AthlonTM / 192 KB included in DuronTM • CACHE SIZE
- DISPLAY GV-GF3000D
- STORAGE Onboard IDE (Quantum AS30000AT 30GB)
- 0.S. Windows 2000 + SP2
- DRIVER Display Driver at 1024 x 768 x 64k colors 75Hz. VUCD ver.1.8

Processor	AMD AthlonTM	AMD Duron [™]
	1400MHz (266x5.25)	950MHz (200x4.75)
WCPUID 2.8 Clock Frequency		
Internal MHz	1400.04	950.03
External MHz	266.67	200.01
SiSoft Sandra 20001		
CPU/FPU Benchmark	3905/1907	2649/1296
CPU Multi-Media Benchmark	7885/8757	5348/5939
Drivers Benchmark	22119	20832
Memory Benchmark	500/582	469/573
SPECviewperf 6.12		
Pro CDRS-03	14.97	14.94
MedMCAD-01	22.85	19.24
Light-04	6.313	5.244
DX-06	19.04	17.12
DRV-07CPU	13.98	11.27
Awadvs-04	53.16	60.01
Winstone 2001		
CC Winstone 2001	63.8	48.7
Business Winstore 2001	47.5	35.3
3D Mark 2001 1.0	5285	4501

€ If you wish to maximize the performance of your system, please refer to the detail on P.46



Suspend To RAM Installation

A.1 Introduce STR function:

Suspend-to-RAM (STR) is a Windows 98/ME/2000 ACPI sleep mode function. When recovering from STR (S3) sleep mode, the system is able, in just a few seconds, to retrieve the last "state" of the system before it went to sleep and recover to that state. The "state" is stored in memory (RAM) before the system goes to sleep. During STR sleep mode, your system uses only enough energy to maintain critical information and system functions, primarily the system state and the ability to recognize various "wake up" triggers or signals, respectively.

A.2 STR function Installation

Please use the following steps to complete the STR function installation. **Step-By-Step Setup Step 1:**

To utilize the STR function, the system must be in Windows 98/ME/2000 ACPI mode.

Putting Windows 98/ME/2000 into ACPI mode is fairly easy.

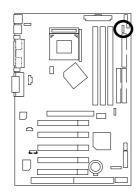
Setup with Windows Installation CD-title:

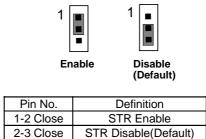
- A. Insert the Windows ME (98/2000) into your CD-ROM drive, select Start, and then run.
- B. Type (without quotes) "D:\setup" in the window provided. Hit the enter key or click OK.
- C. After setup completes, remove the CD, and reboot your system

(This manual assumes that your CD-ROM device drive letter is D:).

Step 2:

(If you want to use STR Function, please set jumper "STR_EN" Pin1-2 (Closed.)





Step 3:

Power on the computer and as soon as memory counting starts, press . You will enter BIOS Setup. Select the item "POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP", then select "ACPI Sleep Type : S3 /STR". Remember to save the settings by pressing "ESC" and choose the "SAVE & EXIT SETUP" option.

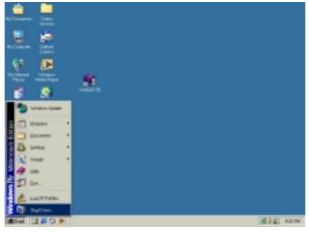
Congratulation! You have completed the installation and now can use the STR function.

A.3 How to put your system into STR mode? (For example : Windows ME)

There are two ways to accomplish this:

1.

- Choose the "Stand by" item in the "Shut Down Windows" area.
- A. Press the "Start" button and then select "Shut Down"



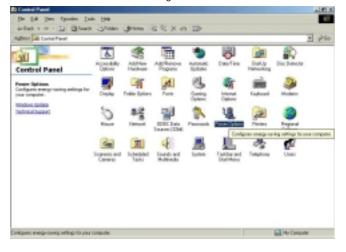
B. Choose the "Stand by" item and press "OK"

Shut Do	own Windows	x
	What do you want the computer to do?	
9	Shut down	-
	Shut down Restart	
	Stand by	
	OK Cancel <u>H</u> elp	1

- 2. Define the system "power on" button to initiate STR sleep mode:
 - A. Double click "My Computer" and then "Control Panel"



B. Double click the " Power Management" item.





C. Select the "Advanced" tab and "Standby" mode in Power Buttons.

Power Options Properties	? ×
Power Schemes Advanced Hibernate	
Select the behaviors you want.	
Options	
Always show joon on the taskbar.	
Prompt for gassword when computer goes off standby and hibernate	2
When I press the power button on my computer.	
Stand By	
When I press the sleep button on my computer	
Stand By	
	- 1
OK. Cancel 609	/

D. Restart your computer to complete setup.

Now when you want to enter STR sleep mode, just momentarily press the "Power on" button.

A.4 How to recover from the STR sleep mode?

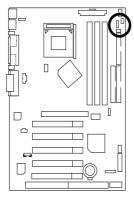
There are four ways to "wake up" the system:

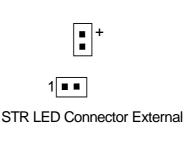
- 1. Press the "Power On" button.
- 2. Use the "Resume by Alarm" function.
- 3. Use the "Wake On LAN" function.
- 4. Use the "USB Device Wake Up" function.



A.5 Notices :

- 1. In order for STR to function properly, several hardware and software requirements must be satisfied:
 - A. Your ATX power supply must comply with the ATX 2.01 specification (provide more than 720 mA 5V Stand-By current).
 - B. Your SDRAM must be PC-100 compliant.
- Jumper "STR_LED" is provided to connect to the STR LED in your system chassis. [Some chassis may not provide this feature.] The STR LED will be illuminated when your system is in STR sleep mode.





Please note:

Do not remove memory modules while DIMM LED is on. It might cause short or other unexpected damages due to the 3.3V stand by voltage. Remove memory modules only when STR function is disabled by jumper and AC Power cord is disconnected.



Q- Flash BIOS Utility Introduction

A. What's Q Flash BIOS Utility??

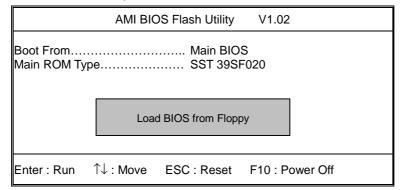
Q-Flash utility is a pre-O.S. BIOS flash utility enables users to update its BIOS within BIOS mode, no more fooling around any OS.

B. How to use Q-Flash BIOS Utility ?

a. BIOS CMOS setup Screen, Pressing <F8> immediately enters BIOS Flash Utility.

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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 FAIL -SAFE DEFAULTS	SAVE & EXIT SETUP		
	SAVING		
ESC: Quit ↑↓ Enter BIOS Flash F6: Fail-Safe Val	Utility (Y/N)? Y Old Values / F10:Save & Exit		
Time, Date , Hard Disk Type			

b. AMI Q-Flash BIOS Utility



c.In the A:drive, insert the "BIOS" diskette, then Press Enter to Run.

d.Input BIOS file name in the text box. Press "Enter".

Load XXX.XX
Where XXX.XX is name of the BIOS file.
Are you sure to COPY BIOS?
[Enter] to Continue Or [Esc] to abort

!! COPY BIOS Completed -Pass !!
Please press any key to continue

 $Congratulation! \ \ \ You \ have \ \ completed \ the \ flashed \ and \ now \ \ can \ restart \ system.$

@BIOS™ Introduction

Gigabyte announces **@BIOS™**

Windows 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 internet and 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 @BIOSTM.

EasyTuneIII[™] Introduction

Gigabyte announces **EasyTuneIII™** 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 lot of technical know-how, sometimes "overdrive" is even considered as special skills found only in some enthusiasts.

But as to the experts in "overdrive", what's 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 overdrive 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 Optimize" to have auto and immediate CPU overclocking. This software will then overdrive CPU speed automatically with the result being shown in the control panel. If someone prefers to "overdrive" by oneself, there is also another choice. Click "Advanced Mode" to enjoy "sport drive" class overclocking. In "Advanced Mode", one can change the system bus speed in small increments to get ultimate system performance. And no matter which mainboard is used, if it's a Gigabyte's product*, EasyTuneIII[™] helps to perform the best of system.

Besides, different from other traditional over-clocking methods, EasyTuneIIII[™] 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 EasyTuneIII[™] 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 EasyTuneIIII[™], user can "Save" this bus speed and "Load" it in next time. Obviously, Gigabyte EasyTuneIIII[™] 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 "EasyTuneIIITM" to find out more amazing features by themselves.

For further technical information, please link to: <u>http://www.gigabyte.com.tw</u>

※ Note: For the latest version of EasyTuneⅢ[™], please visit our website.

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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 power is turned off.

ENTERING SETUP

Power ON the computer and press immediately will allow you to enter Setup.

CONTROL KEYS

<^>	Move to previous item
<↓>	Move to next item
<←>	Move to the item in the left hand
$\langle \rightarrow \rangle$	Move 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 values
<f6></f6>	Load the file-safe default CMOS value from BIOS default table
<f7></f7>	Load the Setup Defaults
<f8></f8>	Reserved
<f9></f9>	Reserved
<f10></f10>	Save all the CMOS changes, only for Main Menu



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 Help Window press <Esc>.

The Main Menu (For Example BIOS Version:7ZXE.F2e)

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

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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 FAIL -SAFE DEFAULTS	SAVE & EXIT SETUP	
LOAD OPTIMIZED DEFAULTS	EXIT WITHOUT SAVING	
ESC: Quit		
Time, Date , Hard Disk Type		

Figure 1: Main Menu

• Standard CMOS Setup

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

• BIOS Features Setup

This setup page includes all the items of AMI special enhanced features.

Chipset Features Setup

This setup page includes all the items of chipset special features.

• Power Management Setup

This setup page includes all the items of Green function features.

• PNP/PCI Configurations

This setup page includes all the configurations of PCI & PnP ISA resources.

• Load Fail-Safe Defaults

Load Fail-Safe Defaults option loads preset system parameter values to set the system in its most stable configurations.

Load Optimized Defaults

Load Optimized Defaults option loads preset system parameter values to set the system in its highest performance configurations

• Integrated Peripherals

This setup page includes all onboard peripherals.

Hardware Monitor & MISC Setup

This setup page is auto detect fan and temperature status.

• Supervisor password

Change, set, or disable password. It allows you to limit access to the system and Setup, or just to Setup.

User password

Change, set, or disable password. It allows you to limit access to the system.

• IDE HDD auto detection

Automatically configure hard disk parameters.

Save & Exit Setup

Save CMOS value settings to CMOS and exit setup.

• Exit Without Saving

Abandon all CMOS value changes and exit setup.

Standard CMOS Setup

The items in Standard CMOS Features Menu (Figure 2) are divided into 9 categories. Each category includes no, one or more than one setup items. Use the arrows to highlight the item and then use the <PgUp> or <PgDn> keys to select the value you want in each item.

AMIBIOS SETUP – STANDARD CMOS SETUP (C) 1999 American Megatrends, Inc. All Rights Reserved		
Date (mm/dd/yyyy) : Wed Jan 17, 2001 Time (hh/mm/ss) : 10:36:24 TYPE SIZE CYLS HEAD PRECOMP LANDZ SECTOR MODE		
Pri Master : Auto Pri Slave : Auto Sec Master : Auto Sec Slave : Auto		
Floppy Drive A: 1.44 MB 3 ½ Floppy Drive B: Not Installed Boot Sector Virus Protection : Disabled	Base Memory : 640 Kb Other Memory: 384 Kb Extended Memory: 127Mb Total Memory: 128Mb	
Month: Jan – Dec Day: 01 – 31 Year: 1990– 2099	ESC : Exit ↑↓ : Select Item PU/PD/+/– : Modify (Shift)F2 : Color	

Figure 2: Standard CMOS Setup

Date

The date format is <Week> <Month> <Day>, <Year>.

Week	The week, from Sun to Sat, determined by the BIOS and is display-only	
Month	The month, Jan. Through Dec.	
Day	The day, from 1 to 31 (or the maximum allowed in the month)	
Year	The year, from 1990 through 2099	

• 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.

• Primary 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 user definable type. User 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 not work 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.	Number of cylinders	
HEADS	number of heads	
PRECOMP	write precomp	
LANDZONE	Landing zone	
SECTORS	number of sectors	

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

• Floppy 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	No floppy drive installed	
360K, 5.25 in.	5.25 inch PC-type standard drive; 360K byte capacity.	
1.2M, 5.25 in.	5.25 inch AT-type high-density drive; 1.2M byte capacity (3.5 inch	
	when 3 Mode is Enable).	
720K, 3.5 in.	3.5 inch double-sided drive; 720K byte capacity	
1.44M, 3.5 in.	3.5 inch double-sided drive; 1.44M byte capacity.	
2.88M, 3.5 in.	3.5 inch double-sided drive; 2.88M byte capacity.	

Boot Sector Virus Protection

If it is set to enable, the category will flash on the screen when there is any attempt to write to the boot sector or partition table of the hard disk drive. The system will halt and the following error message will appear in the mean time. You can run anti-virus program to locate the problem.

Enabled	Activate automatically when the system boots up causing a warning message to appear when anything attempts to access the boot sector or hard disk partition table
Disabled	No warning message to appear when anything attempts to access the boot sector or hard disk partition table. (Default Value)

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.

Other Memory

This refers to the memory located in the 640 K to 1024 K address space. This is memory that can be used for different applications.

DOS uses this area to load device drivers to keep as much base memory free for application programs. Most use for this area is Shadow RAM.

BIOS Features Setup

AMIBIOS SETUP – BIOS FEATURES SETUP (C) 1999 American Megatrends, Inc. All Rights Reserved		
1st Boot Device 2nd Boot Device 3rd Boot Device S.M.A.R.T. for Hard Disks BootUp Num-Lock Floppy Drive Seek Password Check	Floppy IDE-0 CDROM Disabled On Enabled Setup	
		ESC: Quit ↑↓←→: Select Item F1 : Help PU/PD+/-/: Modify F5 : Old Values (Shift)F2:Color F6 : Load Fail-Safe F8:Flash Utility F7 : Load Optimized

Figure 3: BIOS Features Setup

• 1st / 2nd / 3rd Boot Device

Floppy	Boot Device by Floppy.	
ZIP A: / LS-120	Boot Device by ZIP A: / LS-120.	
CDROM	Boot Device by CDROM.	
SCSI	Boot Device by SCSI.	
NETWORK	Boot Device by NETWORK.	
IDE-0~IDE-3	Boot Device by IDE-0~IDE-3.	
Disabled	Boot Device by Disabled.	
USB FDD	Boot Device by USB FDD.	
ATAPI ZIP C:	Boot Device by ATAPI ZIP C:.	

• S.M.A.R.T. for Hard Disks

Enabled	Enable S.M.A.R.T. Hard for Disks.	
Disabled	Disable S.M.A.R.T. Hard for Disks. (Default Value)	

Boot Up Num-Lock

On	Keypad is number keys. (Default Value)	
Off	Keypad is arrow keys.	

• Floppy Drive Seek

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

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

• Password Check

Setup	Set Password Check to Setup. (Default Value)	
Always	Set Password Check to Always.	

Chipset Features Setup

AMIBIOS SETUP – CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP (C) 1999 American Megatrends, Inc. All Rights Reserved			
********DRAM Timing*** Top Performance DRAM Frequency SDRAM CAS# Latency AGP Fast Write AGP Mode AGP Comp. Driving Manual AGP Comp. Driving AGP Aperture Size PCI Delay Transaction USB Controller USB Legacy Support USB Port 64/60 Emulation	Disabled 100MHz 3 Disabled 4X Auto DB 64MB Enabled All USB Port Disabled Disabled	SDRAM Command Drive Memory Address Drive CAS# Drive RAS# Drive	24 mA 24 mA 12 mA 24 mA
BIOS Flash Protection DRAM Drive Strength MD Bus Strength CAS Bus Strength Delay DRAM Read Latch Memory Data Drive	Auto Auto High High 1.0ns 8 mA	F1 : Help PU/P	→: Select Item 'D+/-/ : Modify t)F2:Color 'lash Utility

Figure 4: Chipset Features Setup

• Top Performance

If you wish to maximize the performance of your system, set "Top Performance" as "Enabled".

Disabled	Top Performance Disable. (Default Value)	
Enabled	Top Performance Enable.	

• DRAM Frequency

Auto	Set DRAM Frequency to Auto.	
100MHz	Set DRAM Frequency to 100MHz. (Default Value)	
133MHz	Set DRAM Frequency to 133MHz.	

• SDRAM CAS# Latency

2	For Fastest SDRAM DIMM module.	
3	For Slower SDRAM DIMM module. (Default Value)	
Auto	Detect SDRAM CAS# Latency by SPD.	

• AGP Fast Write

Enabled	Enable this function only if the AGP Card support Fast Write Function. (Enable this function can increase AGP performance).	
Disabled	Disable this function. (Default Value)	

• AGP Mode

4X	Set AGP Mode to 4X. (Default Value)	
1X	Set AGP Mode to 1X.	
2X	Set AGP Mode to 2X.	

• AGP Comp. Driving

Auto	Set AGP Comp. Driving to Auto. (Default Value)		
Manual	Set AGP Comp. Driving to Manual.		
If AGP Comp. Driving is Manual.			
Manual AGP Comp. Driving: 00~FF			

• AGP Aperture Size

4MB	Set AGP Aperture Size to 4MB.
8MB	Set AGP Aperture Size to 8 MB.
16MB	Set AGP Aperture Size to 16 MB.
32MB	Set AGP Aperture Size to 32 MB.
64MB	Set AGP Aperture Size to 64 MB. (Default Value)
128MB	Set AGP Aperture Size to 128 MB.
256MB	Set AGP Aperture Size to 256 MB.

• PCI Delay Transaction

Enabled	Enable Delay Transaction. (Default Value)
Disabled	Disable Delay Transaction.

USB Controller

All USB Port	Set USB Controller Function used all USB Port. (Default Value)
USB Port 0&1	Set USB Controller Function used USB Port 0&1.
USB Port 2&3	Set USB Controller Function used USB Port 2&3.
Disabled	USB Controller Function Disabled.

USB Legacy Support

Keyboard/FDD	Set USB Legacy Support Keyboard / Floppy.
KB/Mouse/FDD	Set USB Legacy Support Keyboard / Mouse /Floppy.
Disabled	Disable USB Legacy Support Function. (Default Value)

• USB Port 64/60 Emulation

Enabled	To use USB mouse under Win NT environment, set USB Legacy
	Support to KB/Mouse/FDD and USB Port 64/60 Emulation to
	enabled.
Disabled	Disable this Function. (Default Value)

BIOS Flash Protection

This field lets you determine the states that flash BIOS

Enabled	During POST, DMI/ESCD would not be updated. But flash tools
	can update BIOS always
Auto	BIOS enables flash write access automatically when updating
	BIOS data/DMI/ESCD. (Default Value)

• DRAM Drive Strength

Auto	Set DRAM Drive Strength Auto. (Default Value)
Manual	Set DRAM Drive Strength Manual.
If DDAM Drive Strongth is Manual then you can adjust item helew	

If DRAM Drive Strength is Manual, then you can adjust item below.

• MD Bus Strength

High	Set MD Bus Strength High. (Default Value)
Low	Set MD Bus Strength Low.

CAS Bus Strength

High	Set CAS Bus Strength High. (Default Value)
Low	Set CAS Bus Strength Low.

• Delay DRAM Read Latch

1.0ns	Set DRAM Read Latch Delay 1.0ns. (Default Value)
1.5ns	Set DRAM Read Latch Delay 1.5ns.
0.5ns	Set DRAM Read Latch Delay 0.5ns.
No delay	Set DRAM Read Latch No delay.

Memory Data Drive

6 mA	Set Memory Data Drive 6 mA.
8 mA	Set Memory Data Drive 8 mA. (Default Value)

• SDRAM Command Drive

16 mA	Set SDRAM Command Drive 16 mA.
24 mA	Set SDRAM Command Drive 24 mA. (Default Value)

Memory Address Drive

16 mA	Set Memory Address Drive 16 mA.
24 mA	Set Memory Address Drive 24 mA. (Default Value)

• CAS# Drive

8 mA	Set CAS# Drive 8 mA.
12 mA	Set CAS# Drive 12 mA. (Default Value)

• RAS# Drive

16 mA	Set RAS# Drive 16 mA.
24 mA	Set RAS# Drive 24 mA. (Default Value)

Power Management Setup

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ACPI Sleep Type	S1/POS	RTC Alarm Hour 00
USB Dev Wakeup from S3~S5	Disabled	RTC Alarm Minute 00
Suspend Time Out(Minute)	Disabled	RTC Alarm Second 00
Display Activity	Ignore	
IRQ3	Monitor	
IRQ4	Monitor	
IRQ5	Ignore	
IRQ7	Monitor	
IRQ9	Ignore	
IRQ10	Ignore	
IRQ11	Ignore	
IRQ13	Ignore	
IRQ14	Monitor	
IRQ15	Ignore	
Soft-Off by Power Button	Instant-Off	
System after AC Back	Soft-Off	ESC : Quit $\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$: Select Item
Resume on Ring/LAN	Enabled	F1 : Help PU/PD+/-/ : Modify
PME Event Wake Up	Enabled	F5 :Old Values (Shift)F2:Color
Resume On RTC Alarm	Disabled	F6 : Load Fail-Safe F8 : Flash Utility
RTC Alarm Date	Every Day	F7 : Load Optimized

Figure 5: Power Management Setup

• ACPI Sleep Type

S1/POS	Set ACPI sleep type is S1. (Default Value)
S3/STR	Set ACPI sleep type is S3.

• USB Dev Wakeup From S3-S5

Enabled	Enable USB Device Wakeup From S3-S5.
Disabled	Disable USB Device Wakeup From S3-S5. (Default Value)

• Suspend Time Out (Minute.)

Disabled	Disable Suspend Time Out Function. (Default Value)
1	Enable Suspend Time Out after 1min.
2	Enable Suspend Time Out after 2min.
4	Enable Suspend Time Out after 4min.
8	Enable Suspend Time Out after 8min.
10	Enable Suspend Time Out after 10min.
20	Enable Suspend Time Out after 20min.
30	Enable Suspend Time Out after 30min.
40	Enable Suspend Time Out after 40min.
50	Enable Suspend Time Out after 50min.
60	Enable Suspend Time Out after 60min.

• Display Activity

Ignore	Ignore Display Activity. (Default Value)
Monitor	Monitor Display Activity.

• IRQ 3~IRQ15

Ignore	Ignore IRQ3 ~IRQ15.
Monitor	Monitor IRQ3~IRQ15.

• Soft-off by Power Button

Instant-off	The user press the power button once, he can turn off the system. (Default Value)
Delay 4 sec	Press power button 4 sec to Power off. Enter suspend if button is pressed less than 4 sec.

• System after AC Back

Memory	When AC-power back to the system, the system will return to the Last state before AC-power off.
Soft-Off	When AC-power back to the system, the system will be in "Off" state.
	(Default Value)
Full-On	When AC-power back to the system, the system will be in "On" state.

• Resume On Ring / LAN

Disabled	Disable Resume On Ring / LAN.
Enabled	Enable Resume On Ring / LAN. (Default Value)

• PME Event Wake Up

Disabled	Disable PME Event Wake Up.
Enabled	Enable PME Event Wake Up. (Default Value)

• Resume On RTC Alarm

You can set "Resume On RTC Alarm" item to enabled and key in Data/time to power on system.

Disabled	Disable this function. (Default Value)
Enabled	Enable alarm function to POWER ON system.

If the "Resume On RTC Alarm" is Enabled.

RTC Alarm Date:	Every Day, 1~31
RTC Alarm Hour:	0~23
RTC Alarm Minute:	0~59
RTC Alarm Second:	0~59

PNP/PCI Configurations

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PnP OS Installed Reset Configuration Data VGA Boot from PCI AGP Palette Snoop PCI Slot 1/5 IRQ Priority PCI Slot 2 IRQ Priority PCI Slot 3 IRQ Priority PCI Slot 4 IRQ Priority IRQ 3 IRQ 4 IRQ 5 IRQ 7 IRQ 9	No No AGP Disabled Auto Auto Auto PCI/PnP PCI/PnP PCI/PnP PCI/PnP PCI/PnP	
IRQ 10 IRQ 11 IRQ 14 IRQ 15	PCI/PnP PCI/PnP PCI/PnP PCI/PnP	ESC: Quit $\uparrow \downarrow \longleftrightarrow$: Select Item F1 : Help PU/PD+/-/ : Modify F5 : Old Values (Shift)F2:Color F6 : Load Fail-Safe F8 : Flash Utility F7 : Load Optimized

Figure 6: PNP/PCI Configuration

PnP OS Installed

Yes	Enable PNP OS Installed function.
No	Disable PNP OS Installed function. (Default Value)

Reset Configuration Data

No	Disable this function. (Default Value)
Yes	Clear PnP information in ESCD & update DMI data.

VGA Boot From

AGP	Primary Graphics Adapter From AGP. (Default Value)
PCI	Primary Graphics Adapter From PCI.

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PCI VGA Palette Snoop

Enabled	For having Video Card on ISA Bus and VGA Card on PCI Bus.
Disabled	For VGA Card only. (Default Value)

• PCI Slot 1,5 IRQ Priority

Auto	The system will reserved a free IRQ for PCI slot 1 & 5 device.
	(Default Value)
3	The system will reserved IRQ3 for PCI slot 1 & 5 device if no legacy
	ISA device using IRQ3.
4	The system will reserved IRQ4 for PCI slot 1 & 5 device if no legacy
	ISA device using IRQ4.
5	The system will reserved IRQ5 for PCI slot 1 & 5 device if no legacy
	ISA device using IRQ5.
7	The system will reserved IRQ7 for PCI slot 1 & 5 device if no legacy
	ISA device using IRQ7.
9	The system will reserved IRQ9 for PCI slot 1 & 5 device if no legacy
	ISA device using IRQ9.
10	The system will reserved IRQ10 for PCI slot 1 & 5 device if no
	legacy ISA device using IRQ10.
11	The system will reserved IRQ11 for PCI slot 1 & 5 device if no
	legacy ISA device using IRQ11.

• PCI Slot 2 / 3 / 4 IRQ Priority

Auto	The system will reserved a free IRQ for PCI slot 2 / 3 / 4 device. (Default Value)
3	The system will reserved IRQ3 for PCI slot 2 / 3 / 4 device if no
	legacy ISA device using IRQ3.
4	The system will reserved IRQ for PCI slot 2 / 3 / 4 device if no
	legacy ISA device using IRQ4.
5	The system will reserved IRQ5 for PCI slot 2 / 3 / 4 device if no
	legacy ISA device using IRQ5.
7	The system will reserved IRQ7 for PCI slot 2 / 3 / 4 device if no
	legacy ISA device using IRQ7.
9	The system will reserved IRQ9 for PCI slot 2 / 3 / 4 device if no
	legacy ISA device using IRQ9.
10	The system will reserved IRQ10 for PCI slot 2 / 3 / 4 device if no
	legacy ISA device using IRQ10.
11	The system will reserved IRQ11 for PCI slot 2 / 3 / 4 device if no
	legacy ISA device using IRQ11.

• IRQ (3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15)

ISA/ EISA	The resource is used by Legacy ISA device.
PCI/PnP	The resource is used by PCI/ PnP device.

Load Fail-Safe Defaults

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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 CONFIGURA	afe Defaults (Y/N)? N	
LOAD FAIL-SAFE DER		
LOAD OPTIMIZED DEFAULTS	EXIT WITHOUT SAVING	
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Load Fail-Safe Defaults except Standard CMOS SETUP		

Figure 7: Load Fail-Safe Defaults

• Load Fail-Safe Defaults

 $\label{eq:Fail-Safe} Fail-Safe \ defaults \ contain \ the \ most \ appropriate \ system \ parameter \ values \ of \ to \ configure \ the \ system \ to \ achieve \ maximum \ stability.$

Load Optimized Defaults

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STANDARD CMOS SETUP	INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS	
BIOS FEATURES SETUP	HARDWARE MONITOR & MISC SETUP	
CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP	SUPERVISOR PASSWORD	
PNP/PCI CONFIGURA Load Optimized Defaults (Y/N)? N ON		
LOAD FAIL-SAFE DEFAULTS	SAVE & EXIT SETUP	
LOAD OPTIMIZED DEFAULTS	EXIT WITHOUT SAVING	
ESC : Quit ↑↓←→ : Select Item (Shift) F2 : Change Color F5 : Old Values F6 : Fail-Safe Value F7: Load Optimized Value F8:FlashUtility F10: Save & Exit		
Load Optimized Defaults except Standard CMOS SETUP		

Figure 8: Load Optimized Defaults

• Load Optimized Defaults

Optimized defaults contain the most appropriate system parameter values to configure the system to achieve maximum performance.

Integrated Peripherals

AMIBIOS SETUP – INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS (C) 1999 American Megatrends, Inc. All Rights Reserved			
Enhance ATAPI Performance OnBoard IDE IDE1 Conductor Cable IDE2 Conductor Cable OnBoard Serial Port A OnBoard Serial Port B Serial PortB Mode *Duplex Mode OnBoard Parallel Port Parallel Port Mode Parallel Port DMA Parallel Port IRQ AC97 Audio OnBoard Legacy Audio Sound Blaster	Disabled Both Auto Auto Auto Auto Normal N/A Auto ECP Auto Auto Auto Enabled Disabled	FM Port (388h-38Bh) Disabled Game Port(200h-207h) Enabled	
SB I/O Base Address SB IRQ Select SB DMA Select MPU-401 MPU-401 I/O Address	220h-22Fh 5 1 Disabled 330h-333h	ESC: Quit $\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$: Select ItemF1: HelpPU/PD+/-/ : ModifyF5: Old Values(Shift)F2:ColorF6: Load Fail-SafeF8:Flash UtilityF7: Load Optimized	

Figure 9: Integrated Peripherals

*This items will be available when "Serial PortB Mode" is set to IrDA or ASK IR.

• Enhance ATAPI Performance

If you wish to maximize the performance of your ATAPI devices , set "Enhance ATAPI Performance" as "Enabled" . Please note, enabling this function may cause your ATAPI devices become unstable. For power End-User use only.

Disabled	Disable Enhance ATAPI Performance. (Default Value)
Enabled	Enhance ATAPI Performance function.

OnBoard IDE

Disabled	Disable onboard IDE.
Both	Both Primary & Secondary IDE channel will be enabled.
	(Default Value)
Primary	Only Primary IDE channel is enable.
Secondary	Only Secondary IDE channel is enable.

• IDE1 Conductor Cable

Auto	Will be automatically detected by BIOS (Default Value)
ATA66/100	Set IDE1 Conductor Cable to ATA66/100 (Please make sure your IDE device and cable is compatible with ATA66/100)
ATA33	Set IDE1 Conductor Cable 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 IDE1 Conductor Cable to ATA66/100 (Please make sure your IDE
	device and cable is compatible with ATA66/100)
ATA33	Set IDE1 Conductor Cable to ATA33 (Please make sure your IDE device and cable is compatible with ATA33).

OnBoard Serial Port A

Auto	BIOS will automatically setup the port A address. (Default Value)
3F8/COM1	Enable onboard Serial port A and address to 3F8.
2F8/COM2	Enable onboard Serial port A and address to 2F8.
3E8/COM3	Enable onboard Serial port A and address to 3E8.
2E8/COM4	Enable onboard Serial port A and address to 2E8.
Disabled	Disable onboard Serial port A.

OnBoard Serial Port B

Auto	BIOS will automatically setup the port B address. (Default Value)
3F8/COM1	Enable onboard Serial port B and address to 3F8.
2F8/COM2	Enable onboard Serial port B and address to 2F8.
3E8/COM3	Enable onboard Serial port B and address to 3E8.
2E8/COM4	Enable onboard Serial port B and address to 2E8.
Disabled	Disable onboard Serial port B.

Serial Port B Mode

Normal	Normal operation. (Default Value)
IrDA	Onboard I/O chip supports IRDA
ASK IR	Onboard I/O chip supports ASK IR.

• Duplex Mode

Half Duplex	IR Function Duplex Half.
N/A	Disable this function. (Default Value)
Full Duplex	IR Function Duplex Full.

OnBoard Parallel port

378	Enable onboard LPT port and address to 378.
278	Enable onboard LPT port and address to 278.
3BC	Enable onboard LPT port and address to 3BC.
Auto	Set onboard LPT port to Auto. (Default Value)
Disabled	Disable onboard LPT port.

Parallel Port Mode

EPP	Using Parallel port as Enhanced Parallel Port.
ECP	Using Parallel port as Extended Capabilities Port. (Default Value)
Normal	Normal Operation.
EPP+ECP	Using Parallel port as Enhanced Parallel Port & Extended Capabilities Port.

• Parallel Port DMA

Auto	Set Auto to parallel port mode DMA Channel. (Default Value)
3	Set Parallel Port DMA to 3.
1	Set Parallel Port DMA to 1.
0	Set Parallel Port DMA to 0.

Parallel Port IRQ

7	Set Parallel Port IRQ to 7.
Auto	Set Auto to parallel Port IRQ DMA Channel. (Default Value)
5	Set Parallel Port IRQ to 5.

• AC97 Audio

Auto	Enable onboard AC'97 Audio. (Default Value)
Disabled	Disable onboard AC'97 Audio.

• OnBoard Legacy Audio

Enabled	Enable onboard Legacy Audio. (Default Value)
Disabled	Disable onboard Legacy Audio.

• Sound Blaster

Enabled	Enable Sound Blaster.
Disabled	Disable Sound Blaster. (Default Value)

• SB I/O Base Address

220h-22Fh	Set SB I/O Base Address to 220h-22Fh. (Default Value)
280h-28Fh	Set SB I/O Base Address to 280h-28Fh.
260h-26Fh	Set SB I/O Base Address to 260h-26Fh.
240h-24Fh	Set SB I/O Base Address to 240h-24Fh.

SB IRQ Select

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• SB DMA Select

DMA 0 / 1 / 2/ 3. (Default Value: 1)

• MPU-401

Enabled	Enable MPU-401.
Disabled	Disable MPU-401. (Default Value)

Ps. When Force Feedback joystick is used, MPU-401 needs to be Enable.

• MPU-401 I/O Address

330h-333h	Set MPU-401 I/O Address to 330h-333h. (Default Value)
300h-303h	Set MPU-401 I/O Address to 300h-303h.
310h-313h	Set MPU-401 I/O Address to 310h-313h.
320h-323h	Set MPU-401 I/O Address to 320h-323h.

• FM Port (388h-38Bh)

Disabled	Disable FM Port (388h-38Bh). (Default Value)
Enabled	Enable FM Port (388h-38Bh).

• Game Port (200h-207h)

Disabled	Disable Game Port (200h-207h).
Enabled	Enable Game Port (200h-207h). (Default Value)

Hardware Monitor & MISC Setup

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CPU Temperature System Temperature CPU Fan Speed System Fan Speed Vcore Vdd Vcc3 +5.000V +12.000V	32°C/89°F 32°C/89°F 7123 RPM 0 RPM 1.6 V 3.3 V 3.312 V 5.030 V 11.923 V		
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Figure 10: Hardware Monitor

• CPU Temperature (°C / °F)

Detect CPU Temperature automatically.

• System Temperature (°C / °F)

Detect System Temperature automatically.

• CPU Fan Speed

Detect CPU Fan speed status automatically.

System Fan Speed

Detect System Fan speed status automatically.

• Current Voltage (V) Vcore / Vdd / Vcc3 / +5V / +12V

Detect system's voltage status automatically.

Set Supervisor / User Password

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

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BIOS FEATURES SETUP	HARDWARE MONITOR & MISC SETUP		
CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP	SUPERVISOR PASSWORD		
POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP	USER PASSWORD		
PNP/PCI CONFIGUR Enter new supervisor password: ON			
LOAD FAIL-SAFE DEFAULTS	SAVE & EXIT SETUP		
LOAD OPTIMIZED DEFAULTS	EXIT WITHOUT SAVING		
ESC : Quit ↑↓←→ : Select Item (Shift) F2 : Change Color F5 : Old Values F6 : Fail-Safe Value F7: Load Optimized Value F8:FlashUtility F10: Save & Exit			
Chang /Set /Disabled Password			

Figure 11: Password Setting

Type the password, up to six 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 disable. Once the password is disable, the system will boot and you can enter Setup freely.

The BIOS Setup program allows you to specify two separate passwords: a **SUPERVISOR PASSWORD** and a **USER PASSWORD**. When disable, anyone may access all BIOS Setup program function. When enable, 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 "Always" at "Password Check" in BIOS Features Setup 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 "Password Check" in BIOS Features Setup Menu, you will be prompted only when you try to enter Setup.

IDE HDD AUTO Detection

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Date (mm/dd/yyyy) : Wed Jan 17, 2001 Time (hh/mm/ss) : 10:36:24 TYPE SIZE CYLS HEAD PRE	COMP LANDZ SECTOR MODE		
Pri Master : Not Installed Pri Slave : Not Installed Sec Master : Not Installed Sec Slave : Not Installed			
Floppy Drive A: 1.44 MB 3 ½ Floppy Drive B: Not Installed Boot Sector Virus Protection: Disabled	Base Memory : 640 Kb Other Memory: 384 Kb Extended Memory: 127Mb Total Memory: 128Mb		
Month: Jan – Dec Day: 01 – 31 Year : 1990– 2099	ESC : Exit ↑↓ : Select Item PU/PD/+/- : Modify (Shift)F2 : Color		

Figure 12: IDE HDD Auto Detection

Type "Y" will accept the H.D.D. parameter reported by BIOS.

Type "N" will keep the old H.D.D. parameter setup. If the hard disk cylinder number is over 1024, then the user can select LBA mode or LARGER mode for DOS partition larger than 528 MB.

Save & Exit Setup

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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 CONFIC	TION		
LOAD FAIL-SAFE SAVE to CMOS and EXIT(Y/N)? Y			
LOAD OPTIMIZED DEFAULTS	EXIT WITHOUT SAVING		
ESC : Quit ↑↓←→ : Select Item (Shift) F2 : Change Color F5 : Old Values F6 : Fail-Safe Value F7: Load Optimized Value F8:FlashUtility F10: Save & Exit			
Save Data to CMOS & Exit Setup			

Figure 13: Save & Exit Setup

Type "Y" will quit the Setup Utility and save the user setup value to RTC CMOS.

Type "N" will return to Setup Utility.

Exit Without Saving

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STANDARD CMOS SETUP		INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS			
BIOS FEATURES SET	UP	HARDWARE MONITOR & MISC SETUP			
CHIPSET FEATURES	SETUP	SUPERVISOR PASSWORD			
POWER MANAGEMEN	NT SETUP	USER PASSWORD			
PNP/PCI CONFIG		CTION			
LOAD FAIL-SAFE	Quit without saving (Y/N) ? N				
LOAD OPTIMIZED DEFAULTS		EXIT WITHOUT SAVING			
ESC : Quit ↑↓←→ : Select Item (Shift) F2 : Change Color F5 : Old Values F6 : Fail-Safe Value F7: Load Optimized Value F8:FlashUtility F10: Save & Exit					
Abandon all Datas & Exit Setup					

Figure 14: Exit Without Saving

Type "Y" will quit the Setup Utility without saving to RTC CMOS.

Type "N" will return to Setup Utility.

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ConfigurationModel nameSiZe:Driver/Otility:CPUIIIIMemory BrandIIIIMemory BrandIIIIVideo CardIIIIAudio CardIIIIHDDIIIIICD-ROM / DVD-ROMIIIINetworkIIIIAMR / CNRIIIIKeyboardIIIINouseIIIIPower supplyII </td <td>BIOS version:</td> <td></td> <td>0.S./A.S.:</td> <td></td> <td></td>	BIOS version:		0.S./A.S.:		
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BrandImage: second	CPU				
Audio CardImage: Constraint of the constr					
HDDImage: Constraint of the sector of the secto	Video Card				
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DVD-ROMImage: state of the state	HDD				
Network Image: Constraint of the second se					
AMR / CNR Image: Comparison of the c	Modem				
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Mouse Image: Constraint of the second of t	AMR / CNR				
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	Mouse				
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	Other Device				

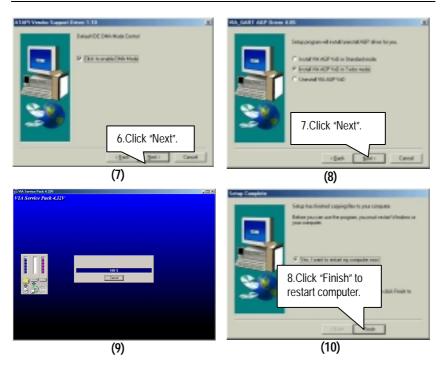
Appendix

Picture below are shown in Windows ME (VUCD 1.8)

Appendix A: VIA KT133/KM133 Chipsets Driver Installation A.VIA 4 in 1 Service Pack Driver

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.





Appendix B: VIA AC'97 Audio Driver

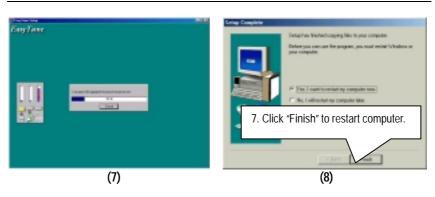
Insert the driver CD-title that came with your motherboard into your CD-ROM driver, the driver CD-title will auto start and show the installation guide. If not, please double click the CD-ROM device icon in "My computer", and execute the setup.exe.



Appendix C: EasyTuneIII Utilities Installation

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.

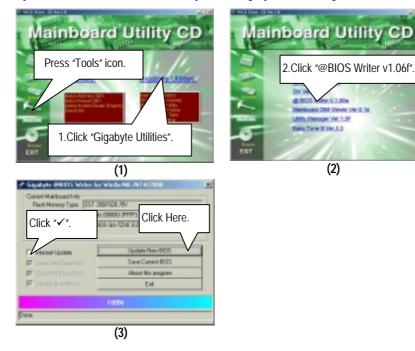




Appendix D: BIOS Flash Procedure

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 sever ("Gigabyte @BIOS sever 1 in Taiwan" and "Gigabyte @BIOS sever 2 in Taiwan" are available for now, the others will be completed soon)
- 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: 7ZXE.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. Sellecting 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 server, please go onto Gigabyte's web site for downloading and updating it according to method II.
- d. Please note that any intercorruption during updating will cause system unbooted

Or else you can select flash BIOS in DOS mode.

- Please check your BIOS vendor (AMI or AWARD), your motherboard name and PCB version on the motherboard.
 - 1. Format a bootable system floppy diskette by the command "format a:/s" in command mode.
 - 2. Visit the Gigabyte website at http:// www.gigabyte.com.tw, Select the BIOS file you need and download it to your bootable floppy diskette.
 - 3. Insert the bootable diskette containing the BIOS file into the floppy diskette driver.
 - Assuming that the floppy diskette driver is A, reboot the system by using the A: driver. At the A: > prompt, run the BIOS upgraded file by executing the Flash BIOS utility and the BIOS file with its appropriate extension.

Example: (AMI tool) (Where 7ZXE.f1 is name of the BIOS file name)

A:>flashxxx.exe 7ZXE.f1 ←

Example: (Award tool) (Where 7ZXE.f1 is name of the BIOS file name)

A:>Awdflash.exe 7ZXE.f1 ←

- Upon pressing the <Enter> key, a flash memory writer menu will appear on screen. Enter the new BIOS file name with its extension filename into the text box after file name to program.
- 6. If you want to save the old BIOS file (perform as soon as system is operational, this is recommended), select Y to DO YOU WANT TO SAVE BIOS, then type the old BIOS filename and the extension after filename to save: This option allows you to copy the contents of the flash memory chip onto a diskette, giving you a backup copy of the original motherboard BIOS in case you need to re-install it. Select N to DO YOU WANT TO SAVE BIOS, if you don't want to save the old BIOS file.
- After the decision to save the old BIOS file or not is made, select Y to ARE YOU SURE TO PROGRAM when the next menu appear; wait until a message showing Power Off or Reset the system appears. Then turn off your system.
- 8. Remove the diskette and restart your system.
- 9. Hold down <Delete> key to enter BIOS setup. You must select "Load Setup BIOS Default" to activate the new BIOS, then you may set other item from the main menu.

Appendix E: Acronyms

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Acronyms	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
IOAPIC	Input Output Advanced Programmable Input Controller
ISA	Industry Standard Architecture
LAN	Local Area Network
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
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⁷ZXE Motherboard

Acronyms	Meaning
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