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# **GV-NX73G128D** / **GV-NX73G128D-RH** / GV-NX73G256D-RH

GeForce™ 7300 GS Graphics Accelerator

#### User's Manual

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## 1. Introduction

#### 1.1. Features

The graphics card supports NVIDIA TurboCache technology, which enhances
graphics card performance by allowing the graphics processing unit (GPU) to
dynamically share the available system memory. The total effective VGA memory
differs depending on system memory. See the following table for details:

#### 1.GV-NX73G128D/GV-NX73G128D-RH

System Memory	256 MB	512 MB	1 GB or above
Onboard Graphics Memory (a)	128 MB	128 MB	128 MB
Allocated System Memory (b)	0 MB	128 MB	384 MB
Total Effective Graphics Memory (a)+(b)	128 MB	256 MB	512 MB

#### 2.GV-NX73G256D-RH

System Memory	256 MB	512 MB	1 GB or above
Onboard Graphics Memory (a)	256 MB	256 MB	256 MB
Allocated System Memory (b)	0 MB	0 MB	256 MB
Total Effective Graphics Memory (a)+(b)	256 MB	256 MB	512 MB

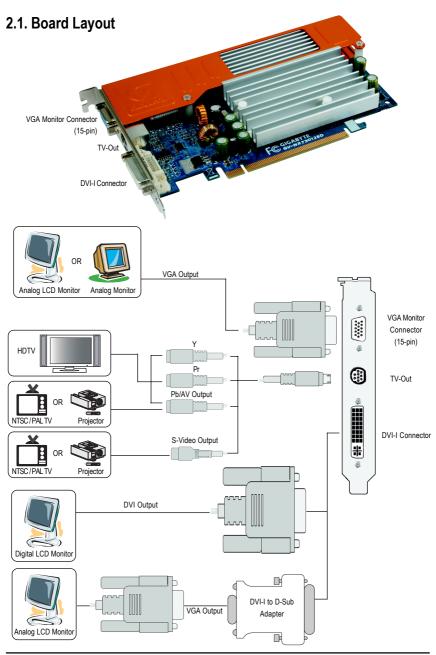
- Powered by NVIDIA® GeForce™ 7300 GS Graphics Processing Unit (GPU)
- Supports the newest PCI Express x16
- Integrated with 128MB DDRII memory (For GV-NX73G128D/GV-NX73G128D-RH only)
- Integrated with 256MB DDRII memory (For GV-NX73G256D-RH only)
- Supports NVIDIA<sup>®</sup> SLI™ (Scalable Link Interface) technology via the PCI Express bus<sup>(Note)</sup>
- Supports DirectX 9.0c
- Supports AV / S-Video and HDTV output
- Provides D-Sub and DVI-I connectors.

(Note): SLI technology requires a PCI Express motherboard with two x16 physical connectors. Graphics cards working in an SLI configuration must be of the same model and from the same vendor. To support SLI technology via the PCI Express bus, the GV-NX73G Series requires driver version 91.31 or later.

#### 1.2. Minimum System Requirements

- IBM® or 100% PC compatible with Intel Pentium® III 650MHz or AMD Athlon
   650 MHz class processor or higher
- One PCI Express x16 slot
- Operating Systems Windows® 2000 / Windows® XP
- 256MB system memory
- 100MB of available disk space for full installation
- CD-ROM or DVD-ROM drive
- A PCI Express compliant motherboard and power supply

## 2. Hardware Installation





static mat.

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. Turn off your computer and unplug power supply.
- 2. 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.
- 3. Place components on a grounded antistatic pad or on the bag that came with the components whenever the components are separated from the system.

The card contains sensitive electric components, which can be easily damaged by static electricity, so the card should be left in its original packing until it is installed. Unpacking and installation should be done on a grounded anti-static mat. The operator should be wearing an anti-static wristband, grounded at the same point as the anti-

Inspect the card carton for obvious damage. Shipping and handling may cause damage to your card. Be sure there are no shipping and handling damages on the card before proceeding.

- ◆ DO NOT APPLY POWER TO YOUR SYSTEM IF IT HAS BEEN DAMAGED ON THE CARD.
- In order to ensure your graphics card working correctly, please use official Gigabyte BIOS only. Use none official Gigabyte BIOS might cause problem on the graphics card.

#### 2.2. Hardware Installation

Installing Your graphics card.

Now that you have prepared your computer, you are ready to install your graphics accelerator card.

#### To remove the existing graphics card:

 Power off the computer and monitor, then disconnect the display cable from the back of your computer.



Remove the computer cover. If necessary, consult your computer's manual for help in removing the cover.



3. Remove any existing graphics card from your computer.

Or, if your computer has any on-board graphics capability, you may need to disable it on the motherboard. For more information, please see you computer documentation.



#### To install your new graphics card:

- Locate one PCI Express x16 slot. If necessary, remove the metal cover from the slot; then align your graphics card with the PCI Express x16 slot, and press it in firmly until the card is fully seated.
- \* Please make sure that the gold edge connectors of the graphics card is securely inserted.



2. Replace the screw to fasten the card in place, and replace the computer cover.



 Plug the display cable into your card; then turn on the computer and monitor. If your graphics card came with a DVI-I connector, you can connect a flat panel display to the appropriate connector, as shown below...









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You are now ready to proceed with the installation of the graphics card driver. Please refer to next chapter for detailed instructions.

#### How to enable NVIDIA® SLI™ (Scalable Link Interface) technology:

After installing two SLI-ready graphics cards of the same model on an SLI motherboard (Figure 1), users can enable SLI mode simply through the graphics card driver (For the GV-NX73G Series, driver version must be at least 91.31)<sup>(Note)</sup>.



Figure 1

Step 1: After installing the graphics card driver, right-click on Desktop and select **Properties**. When **Display Properties** dialog box appears, select the **Settings** tab. In **Settings**, click the **Advanced** button.

Step 2: Click the **GeForce 7300 GS** tab when advanced properties dialog box appears. Select **SLI multi-GPU** from the side menu and select the **Enable SLI multi-GPU** check box (Figure 2) and click **Apply**.



Figure 2

Step 3: Restart your system when prompted.

(Note): Only Windows® XP operating system supports SLI mode. Please do not enable **SLI** multi-GPU in Windows® 2000.

#### GIGABYTE Video Adapter for Nvidia Graphics Cards



Connect to the TV-Out port on the graphics card.

#### (1) Connecting HDTV

Connect your HDTV cables to the video adapter according to the corresponding color.

(Y= Green, Pr= Red, Pb= Blue)



#### (2) Connecting S-Video

If your TV has a S-Video connection, connect the S-Video cable from your TV to the S-Video Out port on the adapter.



#### (3) Connecting AV Output

If your TV has a Composite video connection, you can connect the RCA cable from your TV to the AV Out port on the adapter.



## 3. Software Installation

#### In this manual, we assume that your CD-ROM Drive letter to be Drive D:

The installation of Windows® 2000 / Windows® XP drivers is very simple. When you insert the driver CD into your CD-ROM drive, you can see the AUTORUN window (if it does not show up, run "D:\setup.exe"). Then you can follow the guides to setup your graphics card driver. (Please follow the subsection 3.1.3 "Driver installation" to install the driver for your graphics accelerator.)

#### 3.1. Windows® XP Driver and Utilities Installation

#### 3.1.1. Operating System Requirement

- When loading the graphics card drivers for the system, please make sure your system
  has installed DirectX 9.0c or later version.
- If you install the graphics card drivers for the motherboard, which consist of SIS, or VIA
  chipsets, please install the appropriate driver program for that motherboard. Or please
  contact your motherboard nearest dealer for motherboard driver.

#### 3.1.2. DirectX Installation

Install Microsoft DirectX to enable 3D hardware acceleration support for Windows® 2000 or Windows® XP to achieve better 3D performance.

Note: For software MPEG support in Windows® 2000 or Windows® XP, you must install DirectX first. Users who run Windows® XP with Service Pack 2 or above do not need to install DirectX separately.



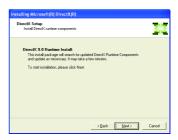
Step 1. When autorun window show up, click the Install DirectX 9 item.



Step 2. Choose I accept the agreement and click the **Next** button.



Installing the components.



Step 3. Click the **Next** button.



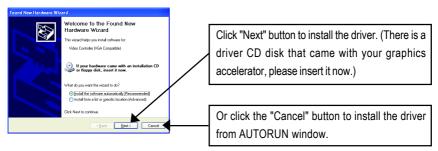
Step 4. Click **Finish** to restart computer. Then the DirectX 9 installation is completed.

#### 3.1.3. Driver Installation

#### A. New hardware found

After the graphics card is inserted into your computer at the first time, the windows will automatically detect a new hardware in the system and pop out a "New Hardware Found" message. The following is the step-by-step installation guide.

Step 1: Found new hardware wizard: Video controller (VGA Compatible)



#### Step 2: Found new hardware wizard: Searching and installing

The wizard will search for the driver and install it automatically.





#### Step 3: Found new hardware wizard: Finish

Click the "Finish" button to finish the installation.



#### B. Driver installation (Autorun Window)

Insert the driver CD disk into your CD-ROM, and then you can see the AUTORUN window. If it does not show up, please run "D:\setup.exe".



Step 1. When autorun window show up, click the **Display Driver** item.



Then click the **Install Display Driver** item.



Step 2. Click the **Next** button.



NVIDIA Windows 2000 AV Display Drivers

Windows installings the components.

Step 3. Click the **Finish** button to restart computer. Then the driver installation is completed.

#### 3.1.4. Utilities on driver CD

Insert the driver CD disk into your CD-ROM, and then you can see the AUTORUN window. If it does not show up, please run "D:\setup.exe".

• Install GIGABYTE utilities:



Step 1. When autorun window show up, please click the **Utilities** item.





Then click the GIGABYTE Utility item.



Step 2. Click the Next button.





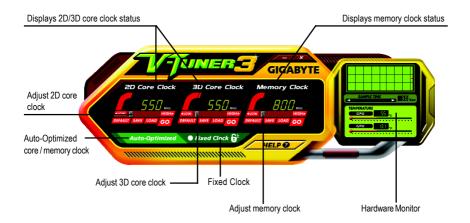
Step 3. Enter your name and company. •



Step 4. Click the **Finish** button to restart computer. Then the utilities installation is completed.

#### V-Tuner 3

**V-Tuner 3** lets you adjust the working frequency of the 2D core clock, 3D core clock and memory clock.



Button	Function
DEFAULT	You may click this button to restore to the default setting
SAVE	You may click this button to save the frequency you wanted
LOAD	After saving the specific value, you may click this button to load the
	frequency you saved last time
Auto-Optimized	The V-Tuner3 clock configuration utility will determine the recommended
	GPU and memory clock setting your system. If the utility should hang,
	restart your system and then enter "Auto-Optimized" mode
Fixed Clock	The V-Tuner3 clock configuration utility will lock the GPU and memory
	clock you choose, whether you restart your system or not. To rechange
	clock, uncheck the "Fixed Clock" mode and then adjust
Hardware Monitor	If your card has Hardware Monitor function, you will see the extend
	window. The window will display the GPU temperature and show the
	thermal curve. Besides, you can move the slider to adjust the frequency-
	time temperature of GPU, and you will see the change of thermal curve
	from now on.
HELP	Opens Help page

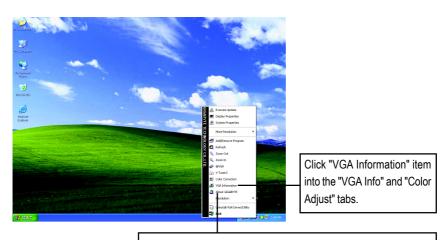
#### 3.1.5. Taskbar icon

After installation of the display drivers, you will find a GIGABYTE icon on the taskbar's status area. Right-click this icon to open the GIGABYTE control panel, showing a menu composed of shortcut of the graphics card's enhanced and other functions.

You may click the "Display Properties" item, and then click Settings. Click "Advanced" after clicking Settings. Click the appropriate tab to change your display settings.



Right click the icon.



You can link to GIGABYTE website for updated information about the graphics accelerator, latest drivers, and other information.

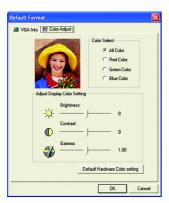
#### **VGA** Information

VGA Info lists the relevant information about your card.



#### **Color Adjust**

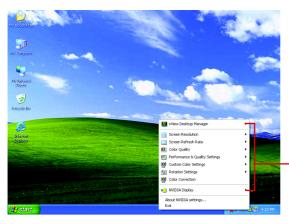
**Color Adjust** allows you to make color adjustments, such as brightness, contrast and gamma values for each or all of RGB colors.



After installation of the display drivers, you will find a NVIDIA icon on the taskbar's status area. Click this icon to open the control panel.



Right click the icon.



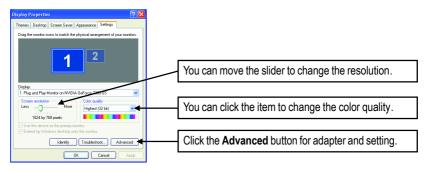
You can adjust the properties of the graphics accelerator from here.

#### 3.1.6. Display Properties Pages

To access Display Properties pages, right-click the GIGABYTE icon on the taskbar and select **Display Properties** or right-click on Desktop and then select **Properties**. The **Display Properties** dialog box shows the information of display adapter, color, the range of display area, and the refresh rate.

#### Settings (Resolutions and Color depth for Windows)

You may adjust the screen resolution and color quality settings in this dialog box.



To access more advanced options, click the "Advanced" button.

#### GeForce 7300 GS tab

After pressing the **Advanced** button in **Settings**, you'll see the **Plug and Play Monitor and NVIDIA GeForce 7300 GS Properties** dialog box. Click the **GeForce 7300 GS** tab. (You can also click the NVIDIA icon on the taskbar and select **Nvidia Display** to access the GeForce 7300 GS properties page.)



When you access the **GeForce 7300 GS** tab page for the first time, you'll see two items in the left submenu:

Launch Page

All of the NVIDIA control panels have been consolidated into a single application, the NVIDIA Control Panel. Click the **Start the NVIDIA Control Panel** button to open the NVIDIA Control Panel.



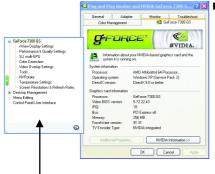
In the NVIDIA Control Panel, select a category to alter specific NVIDIA display settings.



- Control Panel User Interface
   You can choose one of the two user interfaces
   below:
  - Classic NVIDIA Control Panel
    When you select this item and click Apply,
    a submenu that provides the NVIDIA display
    properties settings will appear on the left side.
  - New NVIDIA Control Panel
    This is the default user interface, which
    provides control of the NVIDIA graphics driver
    settings and other NVIDIA utilities you might
    have installed on your system.

The following section introduces display properties settings using the classic NVIDIA control panel interface as the example.

#### GeForce 7300 GS properties



This page shows the Adapter, System and Driver version information.

You can select other properties from the pop-out menu.

#### nView Display properties\*



- nView allows you to connect separate displays to single graphics card.
  - nView Display mode: select your preferred nView display modes here. Options: Single display/ Clone/ Horizontal span/ Vertical span/ Dualview
  - Primary/Secondary display: select a single display or display pair. The selected display combination will appear in the graphical representation below.
  - Make this the primary display: Specifies that the display corresponding to the icon you selected above is the primary display.
  - Click Apply to apply settings or click OK to save settings.
- If TV is chosen as the display, you will need to select the proper TV format. To do this, click "Device Settings" followed by "Select TV format". Select the format for your television and then click "Apply" followed by "OK".

Display	Model	GV-NX73G128D(-RH)
Matrix	CRT+TV	Yes
	CRT+DVI	Yes
	DVI+TV	Yes
Display	Model	GV-NX73G256D-RH
Matrix	CRT+TV	Yes
Matrix	CRT+TV CRT+DVI	Yes Yes

<sup>&</sup>quot;\*" Only **Single display mode** is available when SLI mode is enabled.

#### **Dual-Monitor Setup:**

You can set the display to output from two monitors on the nView Display Settings page. The GV-NX73G128D/GV-NX73G128D-RH/GV-NX73G256D-RH supports the following modes.

(1) Clone Mode:

Clone mode indicates that both displays in the display pair show images of the same desktop. Select **Clone** from the **nView Display Mode** list and click **Apply**.



Clone Mode

#### (2) Horizontal Span Mode:

Horizontal Span mode indicates that both displays in the display pair function as one wide virtual desktop. The width of each display is half the width of the total virtual desktop width.

Select Horizontal Span from the nView Display Mode list and click Apply.



Horizontal Span Mode

#### (3) Vertical Span Mode:

Vertical Span mode indicates that both displays in the display pair function as one tall virtual desktop. The height of each display is half the height of the total virtual desktop height.

Select Vertical Span from the nView Display Mode list and click Apply.



Vertical Span Mode

#### (4)DualView Mode:

Dualview mode indicates that both displays in the display pair function as one virtual desktop. Unlike Horizontal Span or Vertical Span mode, Dualview treats each display as a separate device. This means that the taskbar will not be stretched across displays and 3D applications are not accelerated as efficiently as when the application spans displays.

Select **DualView** from the **nView Display Mode** list and click **Apply**.



**DualView Mode** 

#### **Performance and Quality Settings properties**



- The sliders lets to decide whether your application should use quality or high performance texture.
  - Application profiles: Select the application profile from the list of profiles.
  - Global Driver Settings: Select the Settings item and move the slider below to set the degree of antialiasing to used in Direct3D and OpenGL applications.
  - Antialiasing settings: allows to set the degree of the Global Driver Settings.

#### SLI multi-GPU \*



- To enable SLI mode, select the **Enable SLI multi-GPU** check box and click **Apply** after installation of two GV-NX73G128D/GV-NX73G128D-RH/GV-NX73G256D-RH graphics cards on an SLI-capable motherboard. Then restart your system when prompted.
- "\*" Only Windows® XP operating system supports the SLI mode. Please do not enable SLI multi-GPU in Windows® 2000.

#### **Color Correction properties**



■ The Color Correction Properties is used to compensate for variations in luminance between a source image and its output on a display device. Adjust the color correction settings to provide more accurate color reproduction of images(such as photographs) on your display device. Also, many 3D-accelerated games may appear too dark to play. Increasing the brightness and/or the gamma value equally across all channels makes these games appear brighter and more playable.

#### **Video Overlay Settings properties**



■ The Video Overlay Settings can adjust Overlay zoom controls and Overlay color controls. There is only one video overlay, which is only available on the Primary display. The video overlay controls are automatically activated during playback of any video file type that supports overlay adjustments. The "Adjust Colors" button will access "Color Correction" properties page.

#### **Tools properties**



- The NVIDIA settings taskbar utility lets you conveniently access various features and presets you've configured in the Display Properties directly from the Windows taskbar.
  - Shortcut tools: Enabling these options will give you quick access to NVIDIA features.
  - Display Optimization:
     Run the Display Optimization Wizard to adjust your display(s) for optimal viewing and representation of colors.
  - Troubleshooting:
     If you have a TV connected and it is not being detected, select the check box below.

#### **NV Rotate properties**



- The NV Rotate Properties is used to rotate the screen. If your monitor is capable of operating in either Landscape or Portrait mode, you can adjust the screen by this properties.
  - Landscape (0 degree rotation)
  - Portrait (90 degree rotation)
  - Inverted Landscape (180 degree rotation)
  - Inverted Portrait (270 degree rotation)

#### **Temperature Settings properties**



The Temperature Properties can auto detected the GPU Core temperature and Ambient temperature. You can select the Notify when GPU core temperature exceeds threshold check box.

#### Screen Resolutions & Refresh Rates properties



■ The Screen Resolutions & Refresh Rates properties allows you to adjust the screen resolution, color quality and monitor settings (screen refresh rates). Or you can customize resolutions and refresh rates.

#### Menu Editing properties



■ The Menu Editing Properties can remove infrequently used screens by dragging them from the screen menu to the list below. Restore screens to the menu by dragging them individually, or click Restore Defaults.

To begin, check the **Enable screen menu editing** check box. To return to normal navigation mode, uncheck the check box.

#### 3.1.7. nView Properties Pages

**nView** is a set of desktop tools designed to help you be more productive when using your graphics card. With **nView** you can set up multiple desktops to work with your applications. Multiple desktops give you extra desktop areas on which to run your applications so you won't have to crowd several open application windows on one desktop.

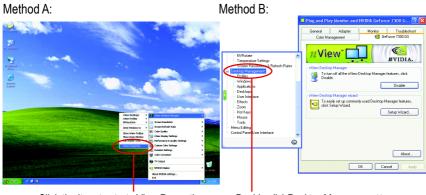
#### **Enable the nView Desktop Manager features:**

Right-click on desktop and choose Properties>Settings>Advanced>GeForce 7300 GS> Desktop Management



#### Access nView properties page:

To access the **nView** properties page, you can click the NVIDIA icon on the taskbar and select **nView Properties** under **nView Destop Manager** (Method A). Or right-click on Desktop, select Properties/Settings/Advanced/ GeForce 7300 GS. Double-click **Desktop Management** item on the pop-up menu (Method B).



Click the item to start nView Properties.

Double-click Desktop Management to see more nView properties.

#### nView Desktop Management properties



■ This tab contains information about the nView Desktop Manager.

The setup wizard can also be accessed from this tab.

#### nView Profile properties



This tab contains a record all nView display settings for easy software setup.

#### nView Windows properties



■ This tab allows you to control of window and dialog box placement when using multiple monitors.

#### nView Applications properties



■ This tab allows you to control nView settings depending on different applications.

#### nView Desktops properties



■ This tab allows you to create up to 32 unique desktops.

#### nView User Interface properties



■ This tab allows customization of the nView user interface.

#### nView Effects properties



This tab provides special windows effects that you can apply to your applications.

#### nView Zoom properties



This tab provides dynamic zoom functionality on the desktop. Also enables full screen video playback via the video mirroring control button.

#### nView Hot Keys properties



■ This tab lets you perform various actions with shortcut keys or key combinations.

#### nView Mouse properties



This tab can modify and extend mouse behavior with kinematic actions.

#### nView Tools properties



■ This tab can improve nView functionality for mobile and desktop users.

#### 3.2. Windows® 2000 driver installation

With Windows running on your computer, you need to install the graphics card driver to take advantage of the higher performance, resolutions, and special graphics features of the graphics card. To ensure you install the latest driver, insert the Installation CD that shipped with your graphics card.

To install the graphics card driver for Windows® 2000, please insert the Installation CD. Then the AUTORUN window will show up. Click **Install Display Driver** item, and follow the wizard to install the driver.

If Windows® does not show the CD automatically, please run following steps:

- Click the Start button on the control bar.
- 2. Select Run.
- Type the following: D:\SETUP.exe(If D is not your CD-ROM drive, substitute D with the correct drive letter.)
- 4. Click "OK".
- 5. Click on "Install Display Drivers" to begin the Installation Wizard.
- Click "Next".
- 7. Click "Yes" to the license agreement.
- 8. Follow the Wizard's on-screen instructions to complete the installation.



Please make sure the Windows® 2000 have installed Windows® 2000 Service Pack (or later) before installing the graphics accelerator driver.

## 4. Troubleshooting Tips

The following troubleshooting tips may help if you experience problems. Contact your dealer or Gigabyte for more advanced troubleshooting information.

- Check that the card is seated properly in the PCI Express x16 slot.
- Ensure that the display cable is securely fastened to the card's display connector.
- Make sure that the monitor and computer are plugged in and receiving power.
- If necessary, disable any built-in graphics capabilities on your motherboard. For more information, consult your computer's manual or manufacturer.
  - (NOTE: Some manufacturers do not allow the built-in graphics to be disabled or to become the secondary display.)
- Make sure you selected the appropriate display device and graphics card when you installed the graphics driver.
- Restart your computer. Press the F8 key on your keyboard after system starts up. When the Windows Advanced Options Menu appears, select Safe Mode and press Enter. After getting into Safe Mode, in Device Manager check whether the driver for the graphics card is correct.
- For more assistance, use the Troubleshooting Guide located in the Windows® Help or contact your computer manufacturer.



If necessary, adjust your monitor's setting by monitor's adjust panel to make the screen looks focused, crisp, and sharp. (Please refer to the monitor's manual.)

## 5. Appendix

#### 5.1. How to Reflash the BIOS

#### 5.1.1. Reflash BIOS in MS-DOS mode

- Extract the downloaded Zip file to your hard disk(s) or floppy disk. This procedure assumes drive
   A.
- 2. Restart the computer in MS-DOS mode. (For Windows 2000/XP, you need a startup disk to restart the computer in MS-DOS mode.)
- 3. Change the command prompt to A:\>.
- 4. To back up the current BIOS, at the A:\> prompt, type [BIOS flash utility name] -s [BIOS file name] (example: gvf18 -s X73G8DR.f1) and press Enter.
- 5. To flash BIOS, at the A:\> prompt, type [BIOS flash utility name] -p [BIOS file name] (example: gvf18 -p X73G8DR.f2) and press Enter.
- 6. Wait until it's done, then restart your computer.

#### 5.1.2. Reflash BIOS in Windows mode

After installing the display drivers, you will find a GBT icon in the lower-right corner of the Taskbar.
 Right-click to select the @VGA utility.





@VGA flash BIOS utility.

- 2. Update BIOS through the Internet
  - a. Select the Live Update check box and click Flash. Then @VGA will automatically download the BIOS for your card from GBT @VGA server and do the update for you.(@VGA will not download/update the BIOS if it detects the current BIOS on your card is the latest one.)
- 3. Update BIOS NOT through the Internet
  - a. Download the BIOS ZIP file for your card from GBT website and extract it to your hard disk (or floppy disk).
  - b. Select the From Local File check box and then click Flash.
  - c. Select the BIOS file from your hard disk (or floppy disk).
  - d. Complete the update procedure following the on-screen instructions.

#### 5.2 Connecting to a HDTV:

Use the included component video adapter to connect a HDTV to your graphics card.

#### Step 1:

Connect the HDTV component cable to the adapter according to the corresponding color. (Y= Green, Pr= Red, Pb= Blue). Connect the TV Out cable from the adapter to the TV Out port on your graphics card.



#### Step 2:

After installation of the graphics card driver, right-click on Desktop and select **Properties**. When **Display Properties** dialog box appears, select the **Settings** tab. In **Settings**, click the **Advanced** button.

Step 3: Click the **Geforce** tab when advanced properties dialog box appears. Select **n-View Display Settings** from the side menu and select **HDTV** from the **Current display** list. Then click **Apply**.





Step 4: Right-click on the HDTV icon and select TV format depending on your HDTV. Then click **Apply** to complete the settings.



## 5.3. Resolutions and Color Depth Table (In Windows® XP)

#### GeForce 7300 GS Single Display Stardard Modes

Display	Refresh	Color Depth (bpp)		
Screen	Rate	8bpp(256 color)	16bpp(65K color)	32bpp(16.7M)
Resolution	(Hz)	Standard mode	High mode	True mode
320 x 200	60~75	✓	✓	✓
320 x 240	60~75	✓	✓	✓
400 x 300	60~75	✓	✓	✓
480 x 360	60~75	✓	✓	✓
512 x 384	60~75	✓	✓	✓
640 x 400	60~75	✓	✓	✓
640 x 480	60~240	✓	✓	✓
720 x 480	60	✓	✓	✓
720 x 576	60	✓	✓	✓
800 x 600	60~240	✓	✓	✓
848 x 480	60~240	✓	✓	✓
960 x 600	60~240	✓	✓	✓
1024 x 768	60~200	✓	✓	✓
	240	✓	✓	Χ
1088 x 612	60~200	✓	✓	✓
	240	✓	✓	Χ
1152 x 864	60~170	✓	✓	<b>√</b>
	200	✓	✓	Χ
1280 x 720	60~150	✓	✓	✓
	170	✓	✓	Χ
1280 x 768	60~150	✓	✓	<b>√</b>
	170	✓	✓	Χ
1280 x 960	60~150	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	
	170	· ✓	· ✓	X
1280 x 1024	60~150	·	· ✓	<i>X</i>
1200 X 1027	170	✓	· ✓	X
1360 x 768	60~150	<u> </u>		
1300 X 700	170	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	•
1600 x 900	60~120		<b>v</b>	X
1000 X 900		•	<b>v</b>	v 
4000 4004	140~150	<b>√</b>	<u>√</u>	X
1600 x 1024	60~100	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>
	120	✓	✓	X

To be continued...

Display	Refresh	Color Depth (bpp)		
Screen	Rate	8bpp(256 color)	16bpp (65K color)	32bpp (16.7M)
Resolution	(Hz)	Standard mode	High mode	True mode
1600 x 1200	60~100	✓	✓	✓
	120	✓	✓	Χ
1920 x 1080	30~85	✓	✓	✓
	100	✓	✓	Χ
1920 x 1200	60~85	✓	✓	✓
	100	✓	✓	Χ
1920 x 1440	60~85	✓	✓	✓
2048 x 1536	60~85	✓	✓	✓

<sup>\*</sup> This table is for reference only. The actual resolutions supported depend on the monitor you use.

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