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)

Mother Board
GA-7IXEH

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, portable tools and similar electrical apparatus	☒ **EN 50081-1** ☒ **EN 50082-1**	Generic emission standard Part 1: Residual, commercial and light industry 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
☒ **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)

☒ **CE marking**

$C\epsilon$ (EC conformity marking)

The manufacturer also declares the conformity of above mentioned product
with the actual required safety standards in accordance with LVD 73/23 EEC

☐ **EN 60065**	Safety requirements for mains operated electronic and related apparatus for household and similar general use	☐ **EN 60950**	Safety for information technology equipment including electrical business equipment
☐ **EN 60335**	Safety of household and similar electrical appliances	☐ **EN 50091-1**	General and Safety requirements for uninterruptible power systems (UPS)

Manufacturer/Importer

Signature : *Rex Lin*

(Stamp)

Date :   Sep.21, 2001   Name :   Rex Lin

7IXEH

AMD Athlon™/Duron™ Socket A Processor Motherboard

USER'S MANUAL

How This Manual Is Organized

This manual is divided into the following sections:

1) Revision History	Manual revision information
2) Item Checklist	Product item list
3) Features	Product information & specification
4) Installation Guide	Instructions on CPU & Memory installation
5) Performance & Block Diagram	Product performance & block diagram
6) Q-Flash BIOS Utility	Q-Flash BIOS utility introduction
7) @BIOS™ & EasyTuneIII™	@BIOS™ & EasyTuneIII™ introduction
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10) Appendix	General reference

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Revision History

Revision	Revision Note	Date
1.0	Initial release of the 7IXEH motherboard user's manual.	Sep. 2001

Sep.05, 2001 Taipei, Taiwan, R.O.C

Item Checklist

☑ The 7IXEH motherboard

☑ Cable for IDE / floppy device

☑ Diskettes or CD (VUCD) for motherboard driver & utility

☑ 7IXEH user's manual

Features Summary

Form Factor	• 30.4 cm x 18.3 cm ATX size form factor, 4 layers PCB.
CPU	• AMD Athlon™/Duron™ (K7) Socket A Processor • FSB200MHz, 256K/64K L2 cache on die • Supports 600MHz ~ 1.4GHz and faster
Chipset	Apollo KT133E/KT133, consisting of: • VT8363/VT8363E Memory/AGP/PCI Controller (PAC) • VT82C686B PCI Super-I/O Integrated Peripheral Controller (PSIPC)
Clock Generator	ICS 94236AF
Memory	• 3 168-pin DIMM sockets • Supports PC-100 / PC-133 SDRAM and VCM SDRAM • 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 • 1 ISA slot
On-Board IDE	• Supports UDMA 33/ATA 66/ATA 100 IDE & ATAPI CD-ROM • 2 IDE bus master (UDMA 33 / ATA 66 / ATA 100) IDE ports for up to 4 ATAPI devices
On-Board Peripherals	• 1 floppy port supports 2 FDD with 360K, 720K, 1.2M, 1.44M and 2.88M bytes • 1 parallel ports supports Normal/EPP/ECP mode • 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
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™

7IXEH Motherboard Layout

PS/2

USB_ON

USB1

COM A

LPT

COM B

ATX POWER

Socket A CPU

CPU_FAN

VT8363E

7IXEH

DIMM1

DIMM2

DIMM3

FLOPPY

IDE1

IDE2

AGP 1

PCI1

Clock Generator

PCI2

VT82C 686B

SYS_FAN

PCI3

WOL

F_PANEL

PCI4

BIOS

BAT1

IR

PCI5

USB2

ISA 1
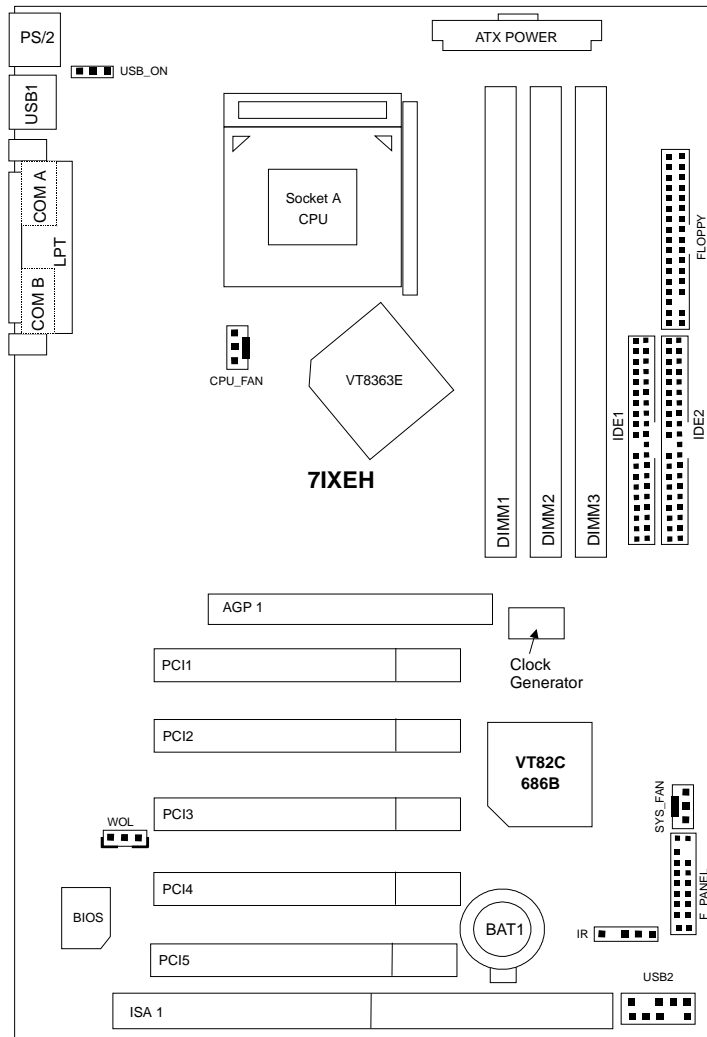
Installation Guide

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.
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. 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- Install the Central Processing Unit (CPU)

Step 2-Install memory modules

Step 3-Install expansion cards

Step 4-Connect ribbon cables, cabinet wires, and power supply

Step 5-Set up BIOS software

Step 6-Install supporting software tools
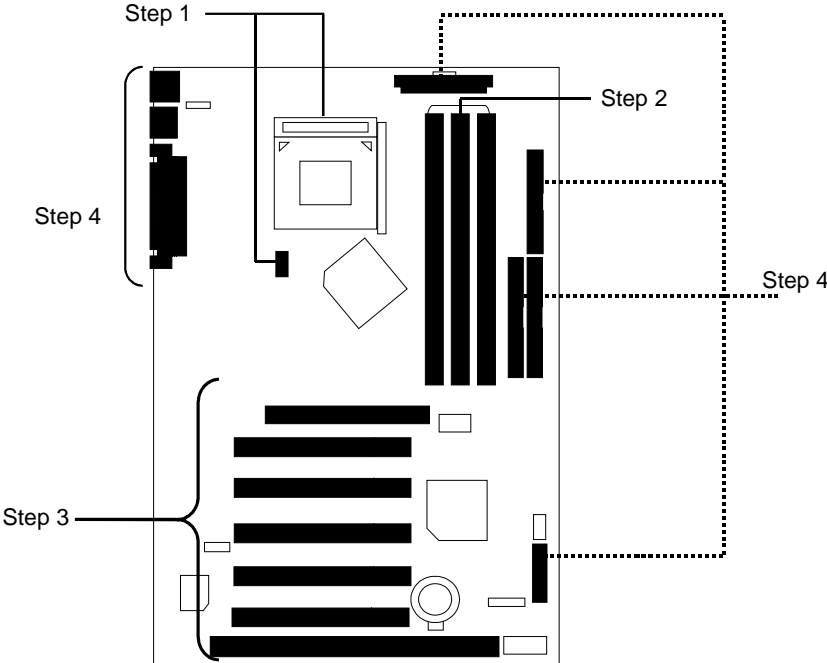
CPU Installation

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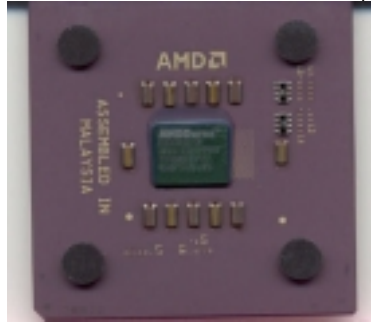
CPU Top View

CPU Bottom View

Socket Actuation Lever
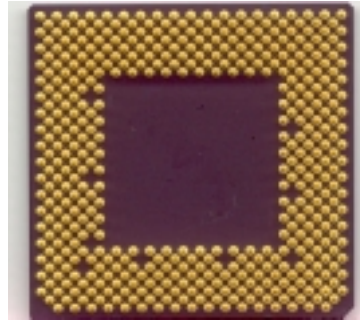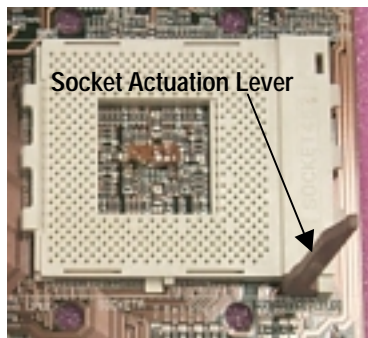
1.Pull the lever out and lift it up.
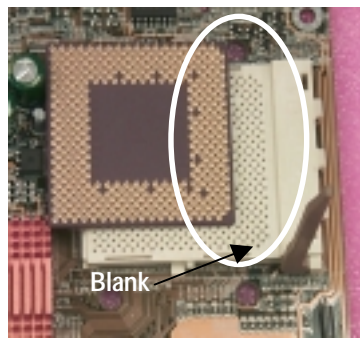
Blank

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!**
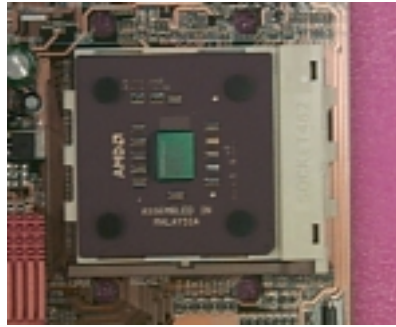
3.Align CPU and insert it

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

4.Use compliant fan approved by AMD.
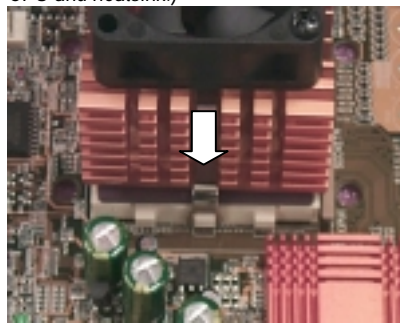
5.Hook one end of the cooler bracket to the CPU socket.
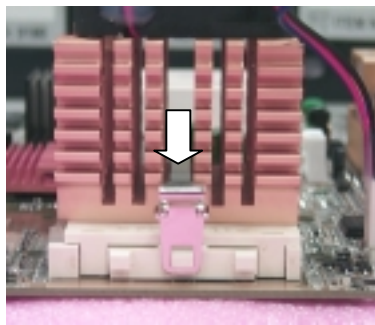
6. Hook the other end of the cooler bracket to the CPU socket.

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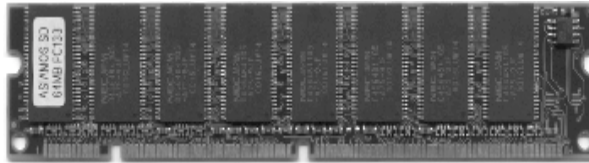
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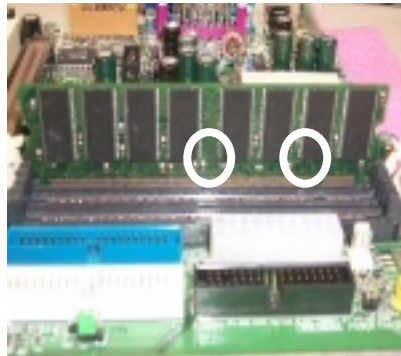
1. The DIMM slot has two notch, so the DIMM memory module can only fit in one direction.

2. Insert the DIMM memory module vertically 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)

Connectors

COM A / COM B / LPT Port

LPT Port

COM A   COM B

⚠️ **Please note:**
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

1 2 3 4

5 6 7 8

Pin No.	Definition
1	USB V0
2	USB D0-
3	USB D0+
4	GND
5	USB V1
6	USB D1-
7	USB D1+
8	GND
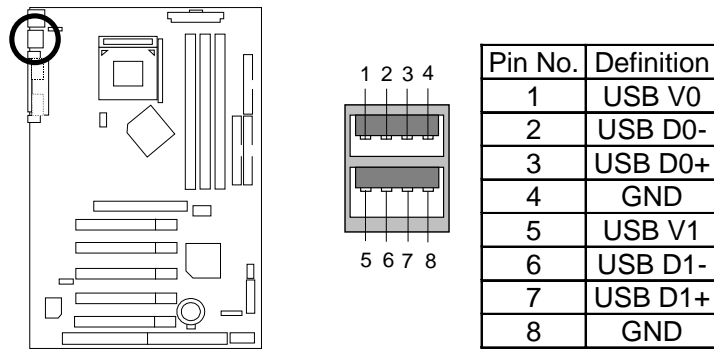
⚠️ **Please note:** Before you connect your device(s) into USB connector(s), please make sure your device(s) such as USB keyboard, mouse, scanner, zip, speaker..etc. have a standard USB interface. Also make sure your OS (Win 95 w/ USB supperment, Win98, Windows 2000, Windows ME, Win NT w/ SP 6) supports USB controller. If your OS does not support USB controller, please contact OS venders for possible patch or driver upgrade. For more information please contact your OS or device(s) venders.

USB 2 Connector
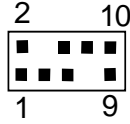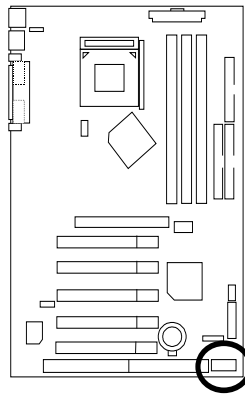
Pin No.	Definition
1	+5V
2	GND
3	USB D2-
4	NC
5	USB D2+
6	USB D3+
7	NC
8	USB D3-
9	GND
10	+5V

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

PS/2 Keyboard & PS/2 Mouse Connector

PS/2 Mouse
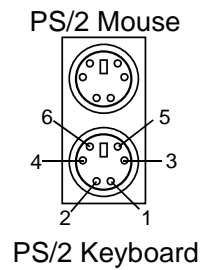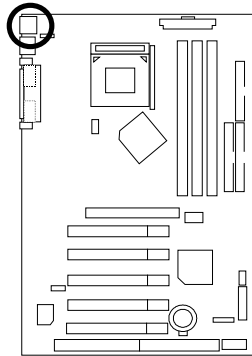
PS/2 Keyboard

PS/2 Mouse/Keyboard	
Pin No.	Definition
1	Data
2	NC
3	GND
4	VCC(+5V)
5	Clock
6	NC

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

CPU_FAN: CPU Fan
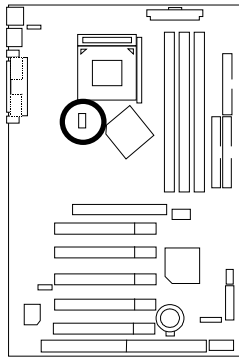
Pin No.	Definition
1	GND
2	+12V
3	SENSE

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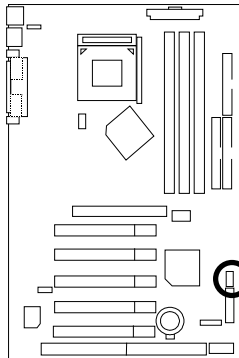
Pin No.	Definition
1	GND
2	+12V
3	SENSE

ATX Power

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| 10 | | | | | | | | | 1 |
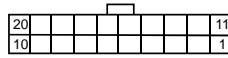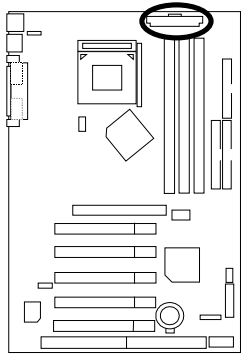
Pin No.	Definition
3,5,7,13, 15-17	GND
1,2,11	3.3V
4,6,19,20	VCC
10	+12V
12	-12V
18	-5V
8	Power Good
9	5V SB (stand by+5V)
14	PS-ON (Soft On/Off)

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
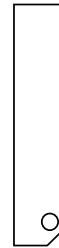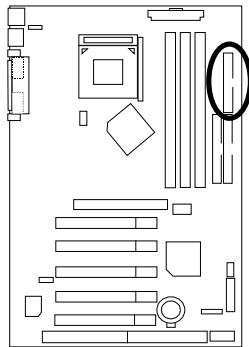
Red Line
FDD1

IDE1 (Primary), IDE2 (Secondary) Port

Red Line
IDE 1 IDE 2
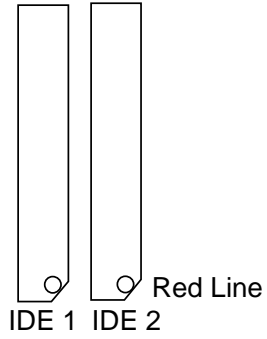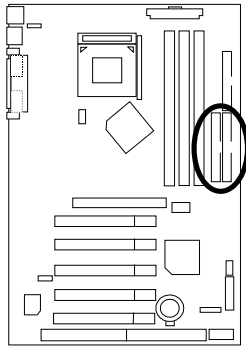
WOL: Wake On LAN (Optional)

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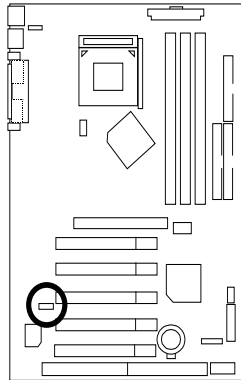
Pin No.	Definition
1	+5V SB
2	GND
3	Signal

IR: IR

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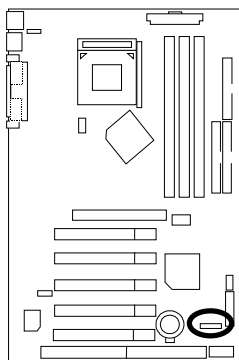
Pin No.	Definition
1	VCC (+5V)
2	NC
3	IR Data Input
4	GND
5	IR Data Output

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

Panel And Jumper Definition

F_PANEL: 2x11 Pins Jumper
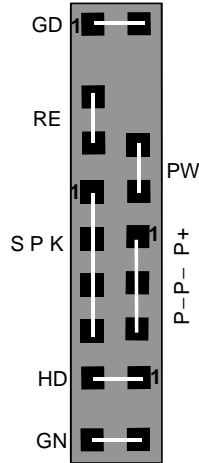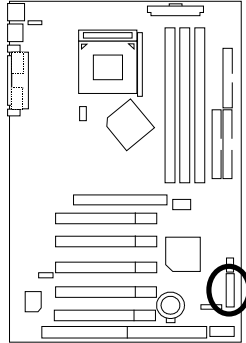
GN (Green Switch)	Open: Normal Operation
	Close: Entering Green Mode
GD (Green LED)	Pin 1: LED anode(+)
	Pin 2: LED cathode(−)
HD (IDE Hard Disk Active LED)	Pin 1: LED anode(+)
	Pin 2: LED cathode(−)
SPK (Speaker Connector)	Pin 1: VCC(+)
	Pin 2- Pin 3: NC
	Pin 4: Data(−)
RE (Reset Switch)	Open: Normal 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
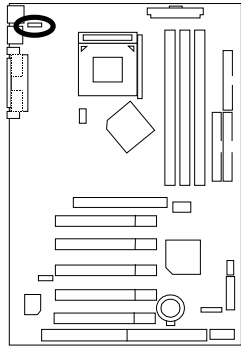
Pin No.	Definition
1-2 close	USB Device Wakeup Enabled
2-3 close	Normal (Default)

Please note: To use "USB Dev Wakeup from S3~S5" function, set BIOS setting "USB Dev Wake up from S4~S5" to ENABLED and enable jumpers "STR_EN" & "USB_ON".

*(Power on the computer and as soon as memory counting starts, press <Del>. 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.)

BAT1: Battery
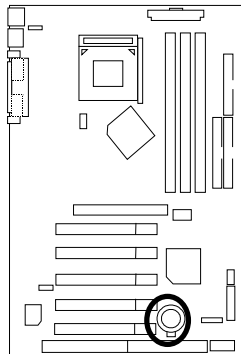
CAUTION

☞ 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.

Performance List

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

- CPU   AMD Duron^{TM} 950MHz

- DRAM   (128x1) MB RAM (PQI PC166 MP6828UMR-T6863 0205-A57)

- CACHE SIZE   192 KB included in Duron^{TM}

- DISPLAY   GV-GF3000D

- STORAGE   Onboard IDE (Quantum AS30000AT 30GB)

- O.S.   Windows 2000 + SP2

- DRIVER   Display Driver at 1024 x 768 x 64k colors 75Hz. VUCD ver.1.8

Processor	AMD Duron^{TM} 950MHz (200x4.75)
WCPUID 2.8 Clock Frequency	
Internal MHz	950.03
External MHz	200.01
SiSoft Sandra 20001	
CPU/FPU Benchmark	2649/1296
CPU Multi-Media Benchmark	5348/5939
Drivers Benchmark	20832
Memory Benchmark	469/573
SPECviewperf 6.12	
Pro CDRS-03	14.94
MedMCAD-01	19.24
Light-04	5.244
DX-06	17.12
DRV-07CPU	11.27
Awadvs-04	60.01
Winstone 2001	
CC Winstone 2001	48.7
Business Winstore 2001	35.3
3D Mark 2001 1.0	4501

☛ If you wish to maximize the performance of your system, please refer to the detail on P.35

Block Diagram
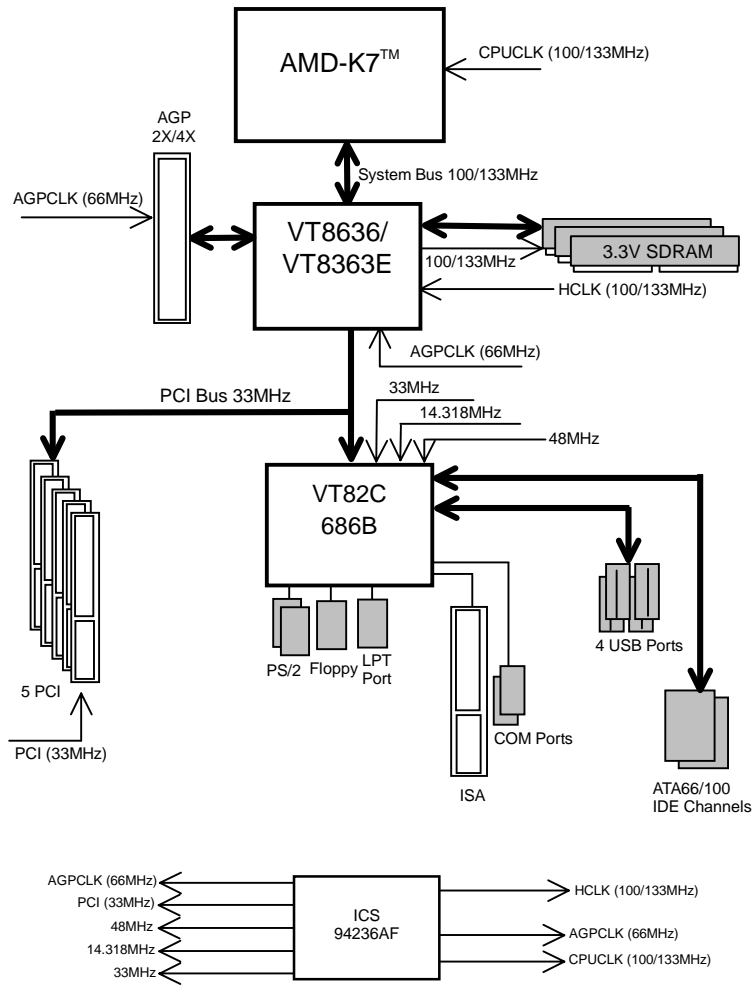
Q- BIOS Flash Utility Introduction

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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              AMIBIOS SIMPLE SETUP UTILITY – VERSION 1.24f
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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 -SAF                                   TUP
                      Enter BIOS Flash Utility (Y/N)? Y
  LOAD OPTIMIZE                                    SAVING

  ESC: Quit    ↑↓                                  Old Values
  F6: Fail-Safe Values    F7: Optimized Values    F8 : Flash Utility    F10:Save & Exit

                       Time, Date , Hard Disk Type…
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b. AMI Q-Flash BIOS Utility

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              AMI BIOS Flash Utility        V1.02

  Boot From……………………….. Main BIOS
  Main ROM Type………………… SST 39SF020

                    Load BIOS from Floppy

  Enter : Run     ↑↓ : Move    ESC : Reset    F10 : Power Off
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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
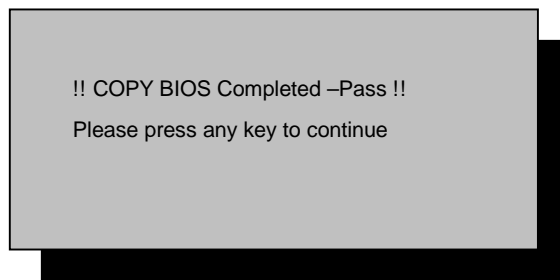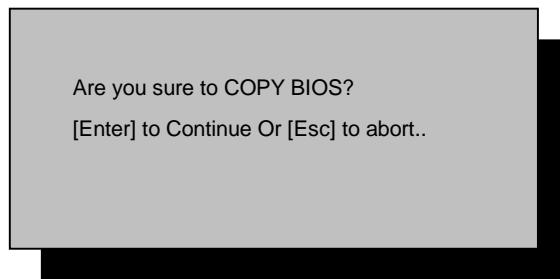
Congratulation! You have completed the flashed and now can restart system.

@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 @BIOS™.

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^{TM}--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^{TM} helps to perform the best of system.

Besides, different from other traditional over-clocking methods, EasyTuneIII^{TM} 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^{TM} 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 EasyTuneIII^{TM}, user can "Save" this bus speed and "Load" it in next time. Obviously, Gigabyte EasyTuneIII^{TM} has already turned the "overdrive" technology toward to a newer generation.

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

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

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

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 <Del> 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
<→>	Move to the item in the right hand
<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>	General help, only for Status Page Setup Menu and Option Page Setup Menu
<F2>	Reserved
<F3>	Reserved
<F4>	Reserved
<F5>	Restore the previous CMOS values
<F6>	Load the file-safe default CMOS value from BIOS default table
<F7>	Load the Setup Defaults
<F8>	Reserved
<F9>	Reserved
<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:7IXEH.F1b)

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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         AMIBIOS SIMPLE SETUP UTILITY – VERSION 1.24f
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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   ↑↓ ←→ : Select Item  (Shift)F2 : Change Color   F5: Old Values
    F6: Fail-Safe Values    F7: Optimized Values    F8 : Flash Utility    F10:Save & Exit

                   Time, Date , Hard Disk Type…
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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.

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          AMIBIOS SETUP – STANDARD CMOS SETUP
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 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              Base Memory : 640 Kb
 Floppy Drive B:   Not Installed           Other Memory: 384 Kb
                                           Extended Memory: 127Mb
 Boot Sector Virus Protection : Disabled   Total Memory: 128Mb


 Month:    Jan – Dec                 ESC : Exit
   Day:     01  – 31                 ↑↓   : Select Item
   Year :  1990– 2099                PU/PD/+/– : Modify
                                     (Shift)F2  : Color
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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

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          AMIBIOS SETUP – BIOS FEATURES SETUP
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┌─────────────────────────────────────┬────────────────────────────────┐
│ 1st Boot Device              Floppy  │                                │
│ 2nd Boot Device              IDE-0   │                                │
│ 3rd Boot Device              CDROM   │                                │
│ S.M.A.R.T. for Hard Disks    Disabled│                                │
│ BootUp Num-Lock              On      │                                │
│ Floppy Drive Seek            Enabled │                                │
│ Password Check               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           │
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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 80 tracks. 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

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:              AMIBIOS SETUP – CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP                       :
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┌─────────────────────────────────────┬──────────────────────────────────┐
│ *********DRAM Timing***              │ SDRAM Command Drive     24 mA     │
│ Top Performance         Disabled     │ Memory Address Drive    24 mA     │
│ DRAM Frequency          100MHz       │ CAS# Drive              12 mA     │
│ SDRAM CAS# Latency      3            │ RAS# Drive              24 mA     │
│                                      │                                   │
│ AGP Fast Write          Disabled     │                                   │
│ AGP Mode                4X           │                                   │
│ AGP Comp. Driving       Auto         │                                   │
│ Manual AGP Comp. Driving DB          │                                   │
│ AGP Aperture Size       64MB         │                                   │
│ PCI Delay Transaction   Enabled      │                                   │
│ USB Controller          All USB Port │                                   │
│ USB Legacy Support      Disabled     │                                   │
│ USB Port 64/60 Emulation Disabled    │                                   │
│ BIOS Flash Protection   Auto         ├──────────────────────────────────┤
│ DRAM Drive Strength     Auto         │ ESC: Quit          ↑↓←→: Select Item │
│  MD Bus Strength        High         │ F1  : Help         PU/PD+/-/ : Modify │
│  CAS Bus Strength       High         │ F5  :Old  Values   (Shift)F2:Color │
│  Delay DRAM Read Latch  1.0ns        │ F6  : Load Fail-Safe  F8:Flash Utility │
│  Memory Data Drive      8 mA         │ F7  : Load Optimize               │
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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.

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- **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 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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                   AMIBIOS SETUP – POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP
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┌─────────────────────────────────────────┬───────────────────────────────────────┐
│ USB Dev Wakeup from S4~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    ├───────────────────────────────────────┤
│ Resume On Ring / LAN         Enabled     │ ESC : Quit          ↑↓ ←→: Select Item│
│ PME Event Wake Up            Enabled     │ F1   : Help         PU/PD+/-/ : Modify │
│ Resume On RTC Alarm          Disabled    │ F5   :Old  Values   (Shift)F2:Color    │
│ RTC Alarm Date               Every Day   │ F6   : Load Fail-Safe F8:Flash Utility │
│ RTC Alarm Hour               00          │ F7   : Load Optimized                  │
└─────────────────────────────────────────┴───────────────────────────────────────┘
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Figure 5: Power Management Setup

- **USB Dev Wakeup From S4-S5**

Enabled	Enable USB Device Wakeup From S4-S5.
Disabled	Disable USB Device Wakeup From S4-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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                  AMIBIOS SETUP – PNP / PCI CONFIGURATION
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 PnP OS Installed              No
 Reset Configuration Data      No
 VGA Boot from                 AGP
 PCI AGP Palette Snoop         Disabled
 PCI Slot 1/5 IRQ Priority     Auto
 PCI Slot 2 IRQ Priority       Auto
 PCI Slot 3 IRQ Priority       Auto
 PCI Slot 4 IRQ Priority       Auto
 IRQ 3                         PCI/PnP
 IRQ 4                         PCI/PnP
 IRQ 5                         PCI/PnP
 IRQ 7                         PCI/PnP
 IRQ 9                         PCI/PnP
 IRQ 10                        PCI/PnP     ESC: Quit        ↑↓←→: Select Item
 IRQ 11                        PCI/PnP     F1  : Help       PU/PD+/-/ : Modify
 IRQ 14                        PCI/PnP     F5  :Old Values  (Shift)F2:Color
 IRQ 15                        PCI/PnP     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.

- **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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│                                │                               │
│ BIOS FEATURES SETUP            │ HARDWARE MONITOR & MISC SETUP │
│                                │                               │
│ CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP         │ SUPERVISOR PASSWORD           │
│                                │                               │
│ POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP         │ USER PASSWORD                 │
│                                                                │
│ PNP/PCI CONFIGURA    Load Fail-Safe Defaults (Y/N)? N    N     │
│                                                                │
│ 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 │
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│          Load Fail-Safe Defaults except Standard CMOS SETUP     │
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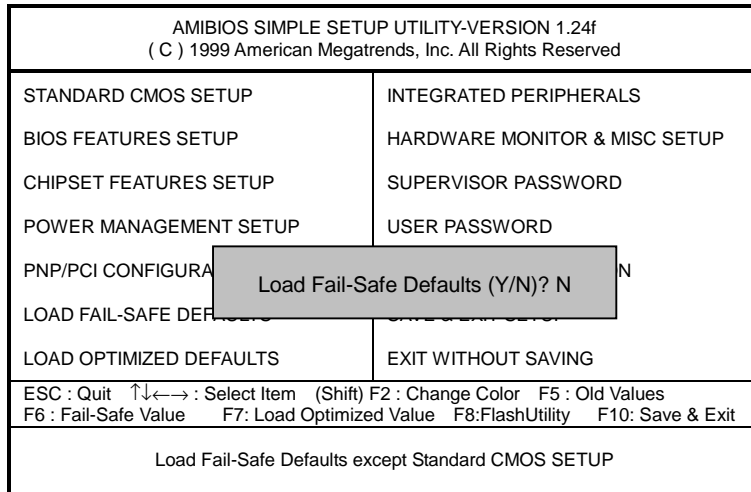
Figure 7: Load Fail-Safe Defaults

- **Load Fail-Safe Defaults**

    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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│  BIOS FEATURES SETUP              │  HARDWARE MONITOR & MISC SETUP    │
│                                   │                                   │
│  CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP           │  SUPERVISOR PASSWORD              │
│                                   │                                   │
│  POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP           │                                   │
│                 ┌───────────────────────────────────┐                 │
│  PNP/PCI CONFIGURA  Load Optimized Defaults (Y/N)? N   ON            │
│                 └───────────────────────────────────┘                 │
│  LOAD FAIL-SAFE DEFAULTS          │  SAVE & EXIT SETUP               │
│                                   │                                   │
│  LOAD OPTIMIZED DEFAULTS          │  EXIT WITHOUT SAVING             │
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│ ESC : Quit   ↑↓←→ : Select Item   (Shift) F2 : Change Color   F5 : Old Values │
│ F6 : Fail-Safe Value     F7: Load Optimized Value   F8:FlashUtility   F10: Save & Exit │
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│              Load Optimized Defaults except Standard CMOS SETUP       │
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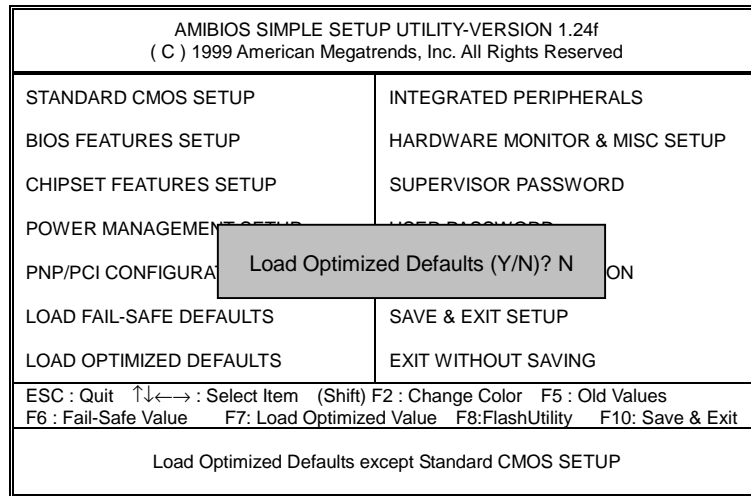
Figure 8: Load Optimized Defaults

- **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
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  Enhance ATAPI Performance    Disabled
  OnBoard IDE                  Both
  IDE1 Conductor Cable         Auto
  IDE2 Conductor Cable         Auto
  OnBoard Serial Port A        Auto
  OnBoard Serial Port B        Auto
   Serial PortB Mode           Normal
   ＊Duplex Mode               N/A
   OnBoard Parallel Port       Auto
    Parallel Port Mode         ECP
    Parallel Port DMA          Auto
    Parallel Port IRQ          Auto




                                           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 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.

Hardware Monitor & MISC Setup

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│ CPU Temperature        32°C/89°F   │                                   │
│ System Temperature     32°C/89°F   │                                   │
│ CPU Fan Speed          7123 RPM    │                                   │
│ System Fan Speed       0 RPM       │                                   │
│ Vcore                  1.6 V       │                                   │
│ Vdd                    3.3 V       │                                   │
│ Vcc3                   3.312 V     │                                   │
│ +5.000V                5.030 V     │                                   │
│ +12.000V               11.923 V    │                                   │
│                                    │                                   │
│                                    │                                   │
│                                    │                                   │
│                                    │ 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              │
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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  PRECOMP  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       Base Memory : 640 Kb
Floppy Drive B:   Not Installed     Other Memory: 384 Kb
                                    Extended Memory: 127Mb
Boot Sector Virus Protection: Disabled   Total Memory: 128Mb

Month:    Jan – Dec                 ESC : Exit
  Day:      01  – 31                ↑↓   : Select Item
  Year :  1990– 2099                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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BIOS FEATURES SETUP            HARDWARE MONITOR & MISC SETUP

CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP         SUPERVISOR PASSWORD

POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP         USER PASSWORD

PNP/PCI CONFIG         SAVE to CMOS and EXIT(Y/N)? Y      TION

LOAD FAIL-SAFE

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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│                                   │                                   │
│  CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP           │  SUPERVISOR PASSWORD              │
│                                   │                                   │
│  POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP           │  USER PASSWORD                    │
│                                   │                                   │
│  PNP/PCI CONFIG        Quit without saving (Y/N) ? N       CTION      │
│                                                                       │
│  LOAD FAIL-SAFE                                                       │
│                                                                       │
│  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.

Technical Support /RMA Sheet

Customer/Country:	Company:	Phone No.:
Contact Person:	E-mail Add. :	

Model name/Lot Number:	PCB revision:
BIOS version:	O.S./A.S.:

Hardware Configuration	Mfs.	Model name	Size:	Driver/Utility:
CPU				
Memory Brand				
Video Card				
Audio Card				
HDD				
CD-ROM / DVD-ROM				
Modem				
Network				
AMR / CNR				
Keyboard				
Mouse				
Power supply				
Other Device				

Problem Description:

Appendix

Picture below are shown in Windows ME (VUCD 1.8)
Appendix A: VIA KT133/KM133 Chipsets Driver Installation
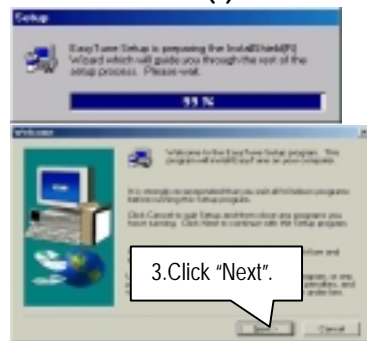**A.VIA 4 in 1 Service Pack Driver**
Insert the driver CD-title that came with your motherboard into your CD-ROM driver, the driver CD-title will auto start and show the installation guide. If not, please double click the CD-ROM device icon in "My computer", and execute the setup.exe.
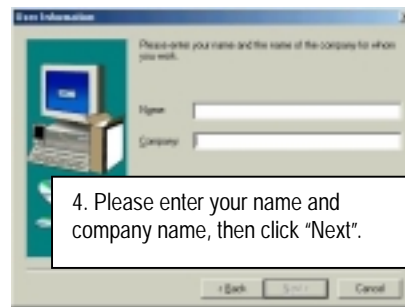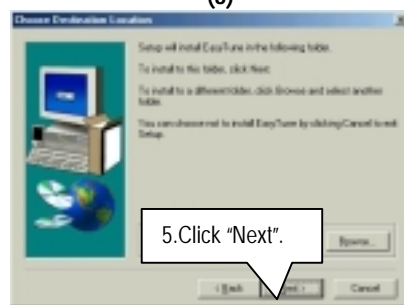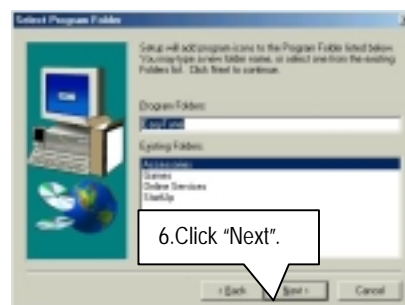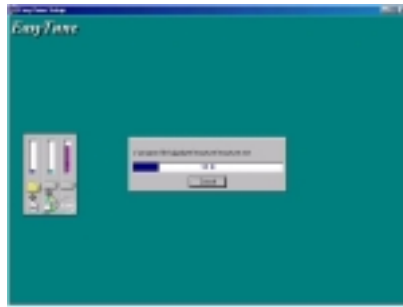

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(2)

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(5)

(6)

6.Click "Next".

(7)

7.Click "Next".

(8)

VIA Service Pack 4.32V

100 %

(9)

8.Click "Finish" to restart computer.
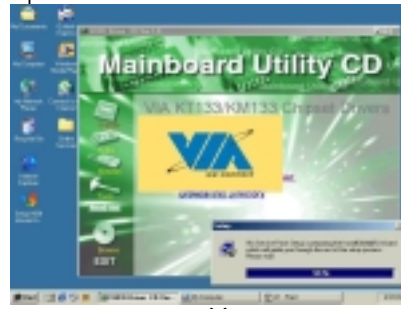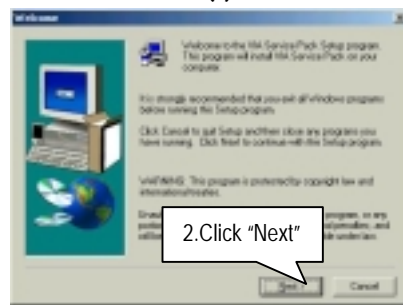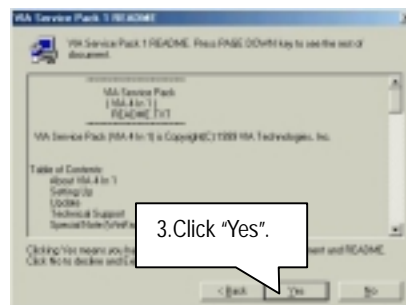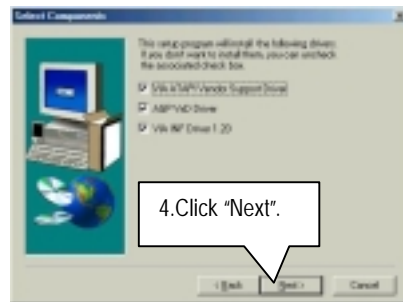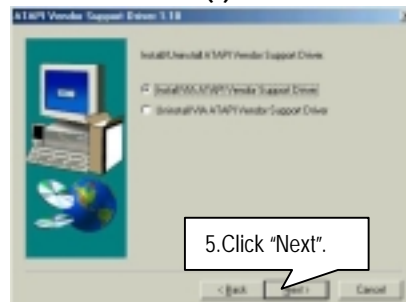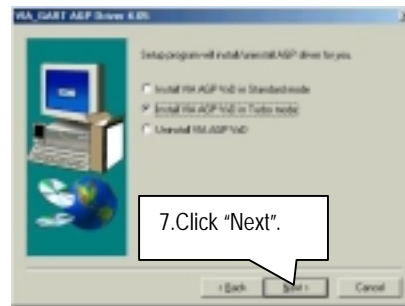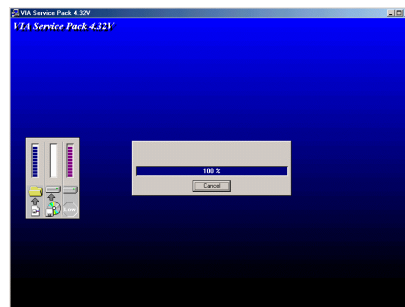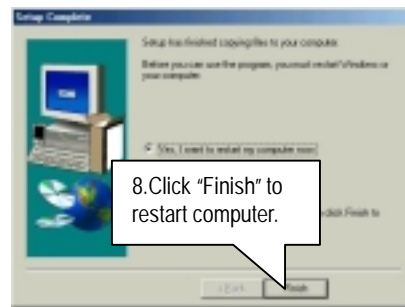
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Appendix B: EasyTuneIII Utilities Installation

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.

Press "Tools" icon.

1.Click "Gigabyte Utilities".

(1)

2.Click "EasyTuneIII Ver.3.3".

(2)

3.Click "Next".

(3)

4. Please enter your name and company name, then click "Next".

(4)

5.Click "Next".

(5)

6.Click "Next".

(6)

(7)

7. Click "Finish" to restart computer.
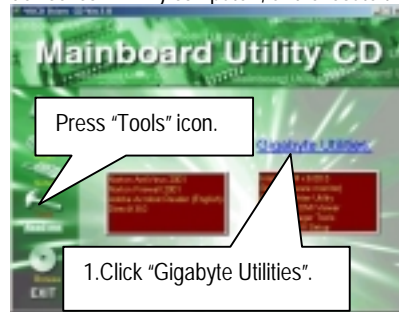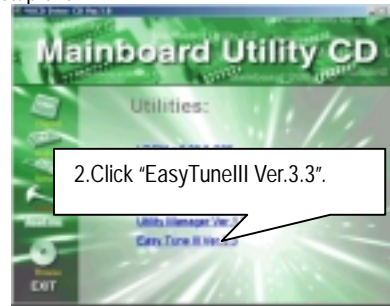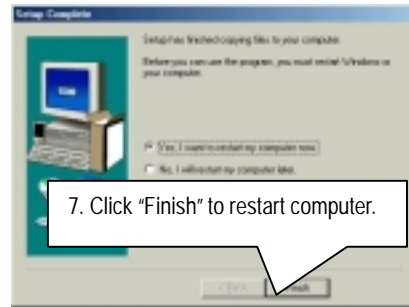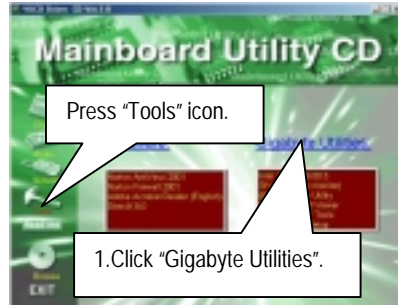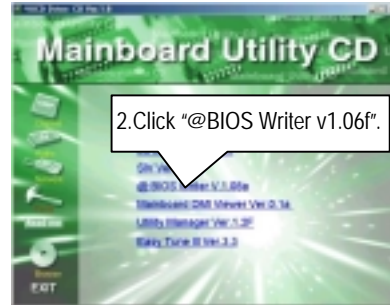
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Appendix C: BIOS Flash Procedure

BIOS update procedure:

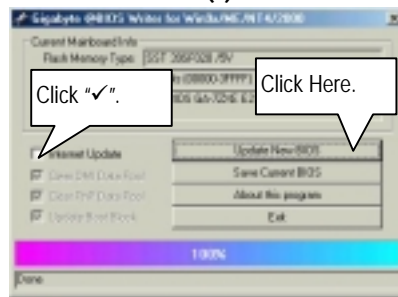If your OS is Win9X, we recommend that you used Gigabyte @BIOS Program to flash BIOS.

Press "Tools" icon.

1.Click "Gigabyte Utilities".

(1)

2.Click "@BIOS Writer v1.06f".

(2)

Click "✓".

Click Here.

(3)

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: 7IXEH.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.

4. 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 7IXEH.f1 is name of the BIOS file name)*

    A:>*flashxxx.exe 7IXEH.f1* ↵

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

    A:>*Awdflash.exe 7IXEH.f1* ↵

5. 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.

7. 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 D: Acronyms

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

To be continued…

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