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1 Introduction

The ADLINK M-945 is a microATX industrial motherboard supporting the next-generation Intel® Pentium® D/Intel® Pentium® 4/Intel® Celeron® D processor in the LGA775 package to deliver a high-performance and space-saving platform for a wide array of embedded computing applications. With an ergonomic footprint, the M-945 supports top processing speeds of up to 3.8 GHz and promotes high-bandwidth network connectivity and blazing data transfer rates with PCI Express®-based gigabit LAN interface.

These advanced features, coupled with a dual-channel DDR2 system memory architecture, diverse I/O, storage, and audio interfaces make the M-945 suitable for rigorous data computing for business, multimedia, automation control, and gaming applications requiring a compact, easy-to-deploy, and cost-effective mainboard.

1.1 Block Diagram

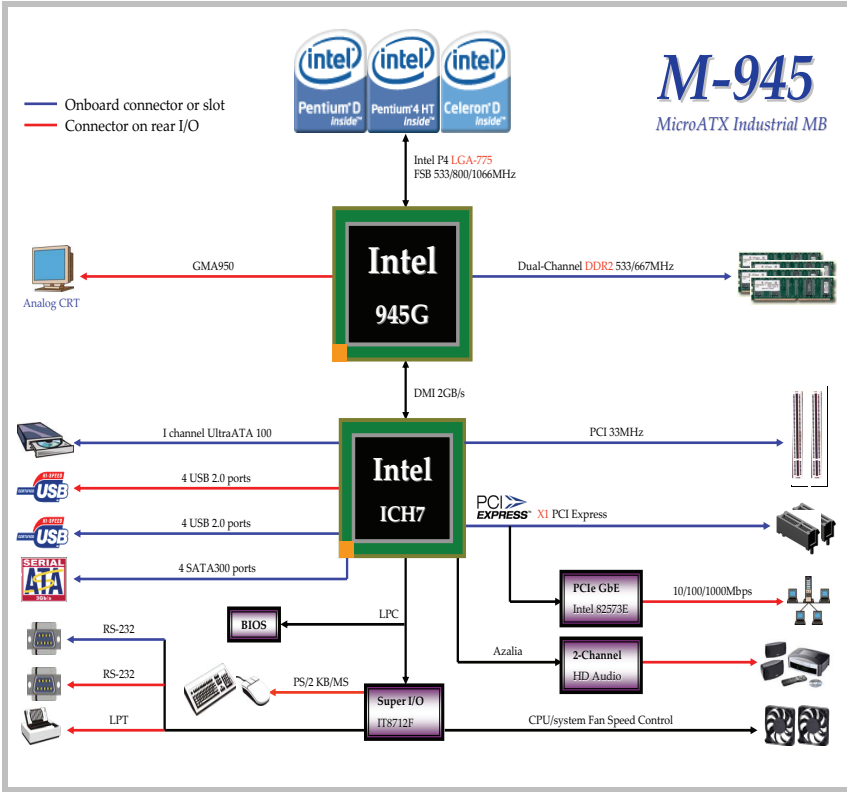


Figure 1-1: Block Diagram

1.2 Features

Advanced Processor Support

The M-945 motherboard comes with a Socket T designed for the Intel processors in the LGA775 package. The motherboard features a powerful 1066/800/533 MHz Front Side Bus (FSB), supports the Intel® Hyper-Threading Technology, and is fully compatible with Intel® 05B/05A or 04B/04A processors.

Promoting high-performance computing and energy-efficiency, the M-945 supports the next-generation Intel® Pentium® D/Intel® Pentium® 4/Intel® Celeron® D CPU built in the 65 nm process technology. The M-945 backs dual-core processing when deployed with a CPU containing two physical cores and dedicated L2 caches to meet the ever-increasing demands of industrial computing.

Intel® 945G Express chipset

The Intel® 945G Express chipset, featuring the Intel® 945G graphics memory controller hub (GMCH) and the Intel® ICH7 I/O controller hub, provides the vital interfaces for the motherboard. The Intel® 945G comes with the Intel® Graphics Media Accelerator 950—an integrated graphics engine for enhanced 3D/2D graphics rendering and video capabilities. The GMCH also provides the interface for the processor and system memory.

The Intel® ICH7 Southbridge is the seventh generation of Intel I/O controller hub that provides the essential interfaces for the PCI Express®, USB 2.0, and SATA II.

Dual-channel DDR2 memory

To meet the requirements of memory-intensive applications, the M-945 has a dual-channel memory architecture supporting DDR2 667/533/400 MHz DIMMs. The high-bandwidth memory specification, peaking at bandwidths of up to 10.7 GB/s, meets the requirements of the latest 3D graphics, multimedia, and network application, and boosts system performance by eliminating bottlenecks.

Intel® Graphics Media Accelerator 950

The Intel® Graphics Media Accelerator (GMA) 950 revolutionizes integrated graphics with new capabilities that provide significant increase in graphics performance. With support for DirectX® 9 hardware acceleration, 400 MHz core clock, and up to 224 MB of video memory, the Intel GMA 950 provides a cost-effective and high-performance graphics solution. The Intel GMA comes with the dual-independent display technology, enabling different contents to be displayed on two separate display terminals or a single content stretched across two display devices for expanded workspace.

Gigabit Ethernet

The motherboard is equipped with the Intel® 82573E—a PCI Express®-bus based gigabit Ethernet controller that offers a complete network solution. Utilizing the wide PCI Express® bandwidth, the gigabit LAN controller allows up to 1 Gbps of data transfer rate for superior network communications.

PCI Express®

The M-945 fully supports the PCI Express® technology with two PCI Express® x1 slots. PCI Express® is latest I/O standard that accelerates the PCI bus speed and features smaller connectors for additional board surface space. PCI Express® allows faster data transfers through point-to-point serial interconnections between devices and by carrying data in packets. This high-speed interface is software-compatible with existing PCI specifications.

Serial ATA II technology

Storage is efficient and secured with the Serial ATA II interface. Taking cue from the Intel® ICH7, the M-945 supports up to four Serial ATA II devices capable of reading/writing data at up to 3 Gbps. The SATA specification improves chassis airflow via thinner and more flexible cables with lower pin count, reduces voltage requirement, and delivers up to 300 MB/s data transfer rate.

Universal Serial Bus (USB) 2.0

The M-945 incorporates the Universal Serial Bus (USB) 2.0 specification that increases peripheral connection speed from 12 Mbps (USB 1.1) to a fast 480 Mbps. USB 2.0 is backward compatible with USB 1.1.

Hardware monitoring

A built-in, proactive hardware monitoring system in the ASIC monitors the CPU temperature, system fan rotations, and voltage levels to prevent overheating and/or component damage, effect a timely failure detection, and ensure stable supply of current for critical motherboard components.

Watchdog Timer

The watchdog timer (WDT) monitors system operations based on user-defined configurations. The WDT can be programmed for different time-out periods, such as from 1 to 255 seconds or from 1 to 255 minutes. The WDT generates a reset signal, then a reset request, after failure to strobe it within the programmed time period. A register bit may be enabled to indicate if the watchdog timer caused the reset event.

The WDT register is cleared during the power-on sequence to enable the operating system to take appropriate action when the watchdog generates a reboot.

Software

The M-945 is compatible with all major operating systems. ADLINK provides additional drivers for ADLINK peripherals. Hardware and software drivers may be found in the ADLINK All-in-One CD.

1.3 Mechanical Drawing

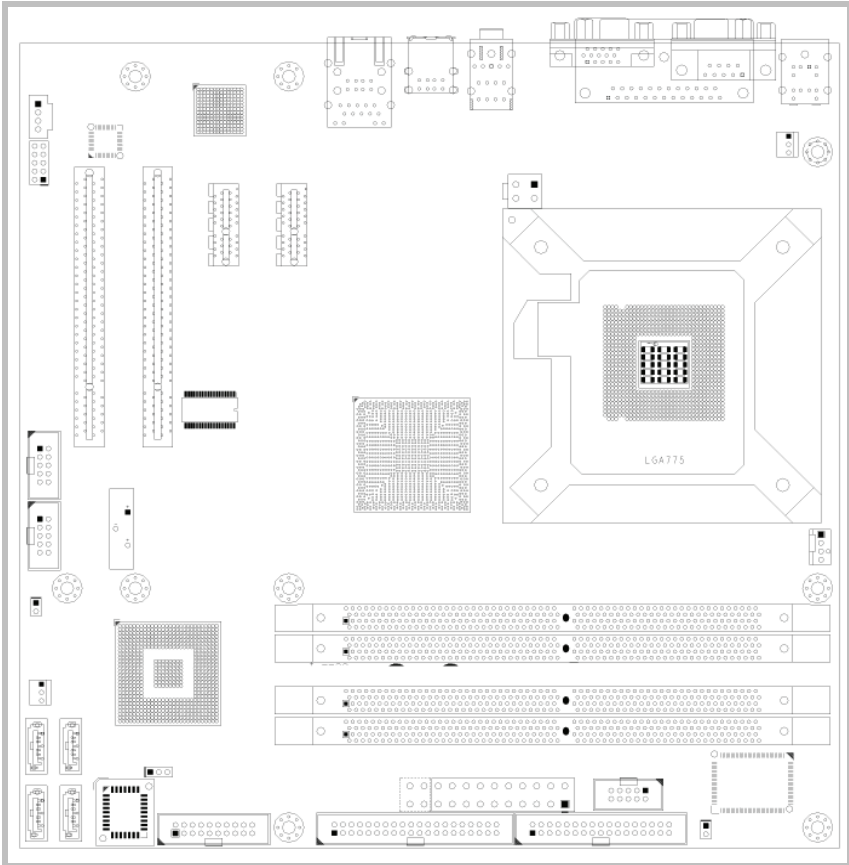


Figure 1-2: Mechanical Drawing

1.4 Components and Connectors

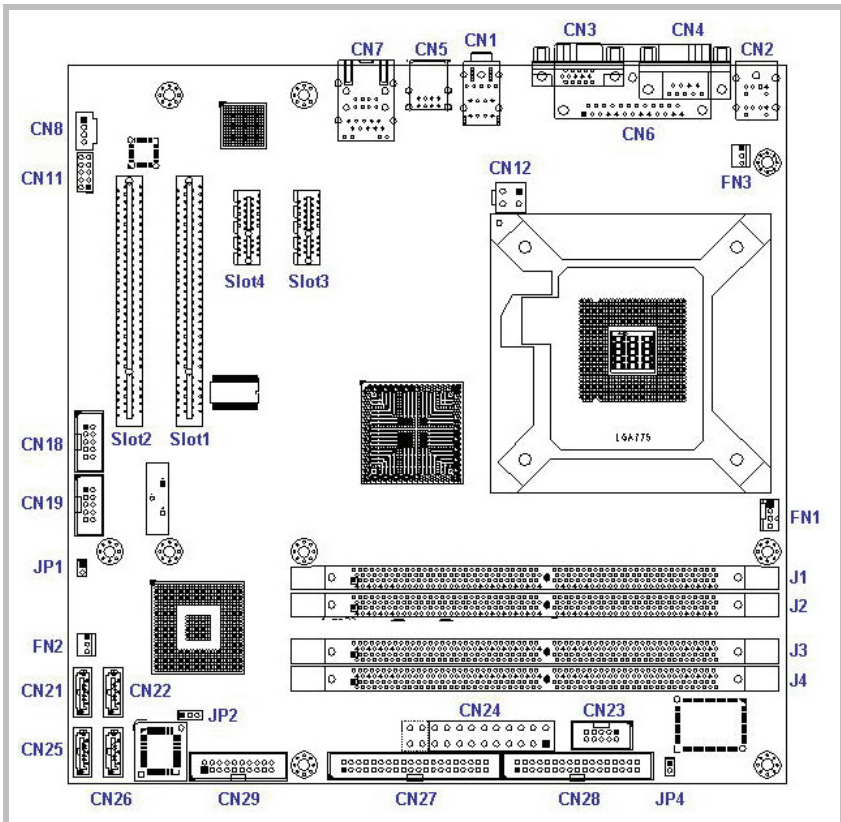


Figure 1-3: Layout

NOTE Refer to the table on the next page for a description of the connectors and jumper.

Item	Connector	Description
1	FN1	4-pin CPU fan connector
2	FN2	3-pin System fan connector
3	FN3	3-pin System fan connector
4	J1	240-pin DDR2 DIMM slot 1
5	J2	240-pin DDR2 DIMM slot 2
6	J3	240-pin DDR2 DIMM slot 3
7	J4	240-pin DDR2 DIMM slot 4
8	Slot1	PCI slot 1
9	Slot2	PCI slot 2
10	Slot3	PCI Express x1 slot 1
11	Slot4	PCI Express x1 slot 2
12	CN1	Audio port
13	CN2	PS/2 keyboard/mouse port
14	CN3	VGA port
15	CN4	Serial port (COM 1)
16	CN5	USB 2.0 ports 3 and 4
17	CN6	Parallel port (LPT)
18	CN7	LAN port (RJ-45) + USB 2.0 ports 1 and 2
19	CN8	CD-ROM Audio-in connector
20	CN11	Front panel audio connector
21	CN12	4-pin ATX 12V power connector
22	CN18	USB port connector (for USB 2.0 ports 5 and 6)
23	CN19	USB port connector (for USB 2.0 ports 7 and 8)
24	CN21	Serial ATA connector (SATA 1)
25	CN22	Serial ATA connector (SATA 3)
26	CN23	Serial port connector (COM 2)
27	CN24	24-pin ATX power connector
28	CN25	Serial ATA connector (SATA 2)
29	CN26	Serial ATA connector (SATA 4)
30	CN27	40-pin IDE connector
31	CN28	34-pin floppy disk drive connector
32	CN29	20-pin system panel connector
33	JP1	Chassis intrusion connector
34	JP2	CMOS clear jumper
35	JP4	Temperature sensor connector

1.5 Specifications

Form Factor	MicroATX form factor: 244 mm x 244 mm (9.6" x 9.6")
CPU	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LGA775 socket supports Intel® Pentium® D/ Intel® Pentium® 4/Intel® Celeron® D processor • Supports Intel® Hyper-Threading Technology • Front side bus: 1066/800/533 MHz
Host Memory	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dual-channel memory architecture • Four 240-pin DIMM sockets support up to 4 GB of system memory using unbuffered non-ECC 667/533/400 MHz DDR2 DIMMs
Chipset	<p>Northbridge: Intel® 945G</p> <p>Southbridge: Intel® ICH7</p>
Gigabit Ethernet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Integrated Intel® 82573E network controller supports 10/100/1000Base-T gigabit Ethernet on PCI Express® x1 bus • Speed and link LEDs on the RJ-45 port
Graphics Display	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intel® Graphics Media Accelerator (GMA) 950 with enhanced 2D/3D graphics acceleration • Up to 224 MB shared video memory • Resolution up to 2048 x 1536 @ 85 Hz refresh
Expansion slots	<p>2 x PCI Express® x1</p> <p>2 x PCI</p>
Storage	<p>4 x Serial ATA 3 Gb/s connectors</p> <p>1 x UltraATA 100/66/33 connector</p>
BIOS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phoenix Award system BIOS supporting PnP, APM, DMI, ACPI, and multi-device booting • Write-protection and field upgradeable
USB Interface	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Four USB 2.0 ports at the rear I/O panel • Two USB 2.0 connectors at midboard support up to four additional USB 2.0 ports • Up to 480 Mbps data transfer rate • Backward-compatible with USB 1.1 specification
Rear panel I/O ports	<p>1 x PS/2 keyboard port</p> <p>1 x PS/2 mouse port</p> <p>1 x VGA port</p> <p>1 x Serial port (COM1)</p> <p>1 x Parallel port (LPT)</p> <p>1 x LAN (RJ-45) port</p> <p>4 x USB 2.0/1.1 ports</p> <p>3 x audio jacks (Line In/Line Out /MIC In)</p>

Internal connectors	1 x Floppy disk drive connector 1 x IDE connector 4 x Serial ATA connectors 2 x USB 2.0 connectors 1 x COM connector 3 x fan connectors (CPU, chassis, and system) Front panel system connector Front panel audio connector Chassis intrusion connector Audio-in connector for optical drive 1 x 24-pin ATX power connector 1 x 4-pin ATX 12 V power connector
Environment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Operating temperature: 0°C – 60°C (with proper airflow and active heatsink) • Storage temperature: -40°C – 85°C • Humidity: 5% – 95% non-condensed • Shock: 30G peak-to-peak, 10 ms, non-operation • Vibration: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Non-operation: 6G, 10 Hz –1000 Hz, random Operation: 0.5 G, 510 Hz –1000 Hz, random
Safety Certificates and Tests	CE certified FCC Part 15 class UL-1950, CSA-950, and VDE EN 60 950/IE950

1.6 Package contents

Before unpacking, check the shipping carton for any damage. If the shipping carton and/or contents are damaged, inform your dealer immediately. Retain the shipping carton and packing materials for inspection. Obtain authorization from the dealer before returning any product to ADLINK.

Check if the following items are included in the package.

- ▶ M-945 industrial motherboard
- ▶ COM (Serial) port module
- ▶ Floppy disk drive cable
- ▶ UltraATA 100 IDE cable
- ▶ 2 x SATA cables
- ▶ Dual-plug Serial ATA power cable
- ▶ ADLINK All-in-One driver CD
- ▶ User's manual

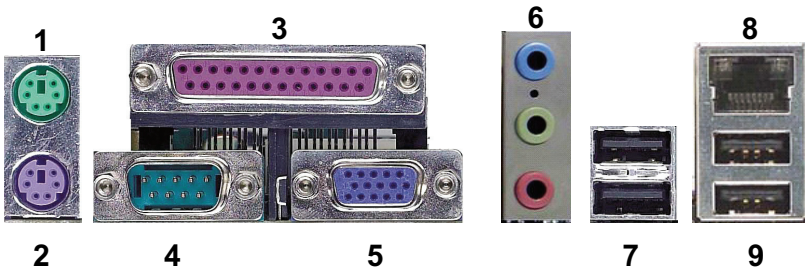
NOTE The M-945 OEM version package may contain a non-standard configuration, unique functionality, or different packaging according to configuration requests.

CAUTION The M-945 single board computer must be protected from static discharge and physical shock. Never remove any of the socketed parts except at a static-free workstation. Use the anti-static bag shipped with the product to handle the board. Wear a grounded wrist strap when installing and/or servicing.



2 Connectors and Jumpers

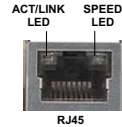
2.1 Rear panel connectors



1. **PS/2 mouse port (green).** Connects a PS/2 mouse.
2. **PS/2 keyboard port (purple).** Connects a PS/2 keyboard.
3. **Parallel port.** This 25-pin port connects a parallel printer, scanner, or other parallel devices.
4. **Serial port.** The 9-pin COM1 port connects serial devices.
5. **VGA port.** This 15-pin port connects to a CRT or LCD monitor.
6. **Audio I/O port.** The three-jack audio I/O supports Line-In, Line-Out, and Mic-In functions. The Line-In jack (blue) connects to an audio source such as tape recorders, etc. The green Line-Out port connects a speaker or headphone, while the pink Mic-In jack connects a microphone.
7. **USB 2.0 ports 3 and 4.** These high-speed USB ports are available for connecting USB devices.

8. **LAN port (RJ-45).** This port allows gigabit connection to a Local Area Network (LAN) using a network hub. The LAN port comes with an activity/link and speed LED. Refer to the table below for the LAN port LED indications.

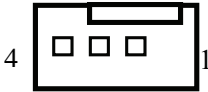
ACT/LINK LED		SPEED LED	
Status	Description	Status	Description
OFF	No Link	OFF	10 Mb connection
GREEN	Linked	ORANGE	100 Mb connection
BLINKING	Data Activity	GREEN	1 Gb connection



9. **USB2.0 ports 1 and 2.** These high-speed USB ports are available for connecting USB devices.

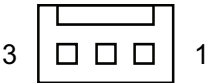
2.2 Connector Pin Assignments

CPU Fan Connector (FN1)



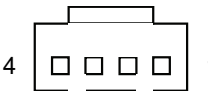
Pin #	Signal
1	
GND	
2	Fan power (+12V)
3	Fan Tachometer
4	Fan Control (optional)

System Fan Connector (FN2, FN3)



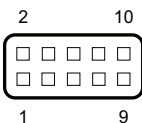
Pin #	Signal
1	
GND	
2	Fan power (+12V)

CD-ROM Audio-In Connector (CN8)



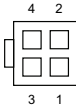
Pin #	Signal
1	Left channel
2	GND
3	GND
4	Right channel

Front Panel Audio Connector (CN11)



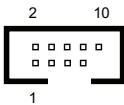
Pin #	Signal	Pin #	Signal
1	MIC-In left channel	2	Analog GND
3	MIC-In right channel	4	RSV
5	Line-In left channel	6	Analog GND
7	RSV	8	Analog GND
9	Line-In right channel	10	Analog GND

ATX 12V Power Connector (CN12)



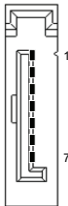
Pin #	Signal
1	GND
2	GND
3	+12V DC
4	+12V DC

USB 2.0 Connectors (CN18, CN19)



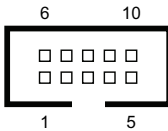
Pin #	Signal	Pin #	Signal
1	+5V	2	+5V
3	Data 1 -	4	Data 2 -
5	Data 1 +	6	Data 2 +
7	GND	8	GND
9	Key	10	NC

Serial ATA Connectors (CN21, CN22, CN25, CN26)



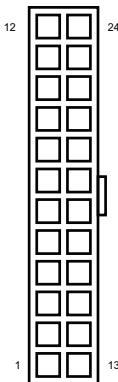
Pin #	Signal
1	GND
2	TXP (A +)
3	TXN (A -)
4	GND
5	RXN (B -)
6	RXP (B +)
7	GND

COM2 connector (CN23)



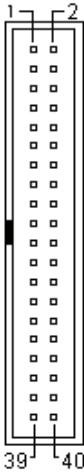
Pin #	Signal	Functions
1	DCD	Data Carrier Detect
2	RXD	Receive Data
3	TXD	Transmit Data
4	DTR	Data Terminal Ready
5	GND	Ground
6	DSR	Data Set Ready
7	RTS	Request to Send
8	CTS	Clear to Send
9	RI	Ring Indicate
10	NC	No Connect

ATX power connector (CN24)



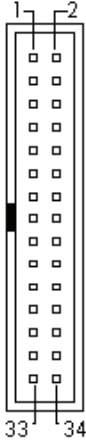
Pin #	Signal	Pin #	Signal
1	3.3V	13	3.3V
2	3.3V	14	- 12V
3	GND	15	GND
4	5V	16	PS On
5	GND	17	GND
6	5V	18	GND
7	GND	19	GND
8	Power Good	20	- 5V
9	5VSB	21	5V
10	12V	22	5V
11	12V	23	5V
12	3.3V	24	GND

IDE connector (CN27)



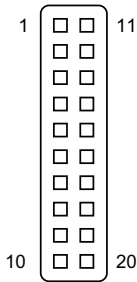
Pin #	Signal	Pin #	Signal
1	Reset IDE	2	Ground
3	Host data 7	4	Host data 8
5	Host data 6	6	Host data 9
7	Host data 5	8	Host data 10
9	Host data 4	10	Host data 11
11	Host data 3	12	Host data 12
13	Host data 2	14	Host data 13
15	Host data 1	16	Host data 14
17	Host data 0	18	Host data 15
19	Ground	20	NC
21	DRQ0 / DRQ1	22	Ground
23	Host IOW	24	Ground
25	Host IOR	26	Ground
27	IOCHRDY	28	Host ALE
29	DACK0 / DACK1	30	Ground
31	IRQ14 / IRQ 15	32	No connect
33	Address 1	34	No connect
35	Address 0	36	Address 2
37	Chip select 0	38	Chip select 1
39	Activity	40	Ground

Floppy disk drive connector (CN28)



Pin #	Signal	Pin #	Signal
1	GND	2	Extended Density
3	GND	4	No Connect
5	NC	6	Data Rate
7	GND	8	Index
9	GND	10	Motor A Select
11	GND	12	Drive B Select
13	GND	14	Drive A Select
15	GND	16	Motor B Select
17	GND	18	Step Direction
19	GND	20	Step Pulse
21	GND	22	Write Data
23	GND	24	Write Gate
25	GND	26	Track 0
27	GND	28	Write Protect
29	GND	30	Read Data
31	GND	32	Side 1
33	GND	34	Disk Change

System panel connector (CN29)



Pin #	Signal	Function	Pin Group
1	WDSPK	Speaker signal	Chassis Speaker
2	NC		
3	NC		
4	+5V	Power	
5	NC		
6	GND	Ground	Key Lock
7	KEYLOCK	Keyboard lock	
8	PLED	Power LED signal	Power LED
9	NC		
10	+5V	Power LED pull-up	
11	GND	Ground	RESET button
12	RESETBT	RESET signal	
13	NC		
14	GND	Ground	Power on button
15	POWERBT	Power-on signal	
16	NC		
17	NC		
18	HDDLED	Hard Disk LED signal	Hard Disk LED
19	+5V	Hard Disk LED pull-up	
20	NC		

Chassis intrusion connector (JP1)

Signal is connected to a limit switch sensor of the chassis to detect if the case is opened or closed.



Pin #	Signal	Functions
1	CASEOPEN#	Case Open Signal
2	GND	2

Temperature sensor connector (JP4)



Pin #	Signal	Functions
1	TGND	Thermal ground
2	VTIN	Thermal voltage input


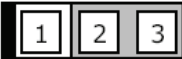
2.3 Jumper

Clear RTC RAM (JP2)

The JP2 jumper enables you to clear the Real Time Clock (RTC) RAM stored in the CMOS chip. You may clear the CMOS memory of date, time, and system passwords by erasing the CMOS RTC RAM data. The button cell battery on the motherboard powers the RAM data in CMOS, including system setup information such as system passwords.

To erase the RTC RAM using the JP2 jumper:

1. Turn the system off, then unplug the power cord.
2. Remove the onboard cell battery.
3. Remove the jumper cap from pins 1-2 (default), then short pins 2-3 for about 10 seconds.
4. Replace the jumper cap on pins 1-2.
5. Re-install the cell battery, plug the power cord then turn the computer on.
6. Enter the BIOS Setup during the boot sequence to re-enter RTC data such as time, date, etc.

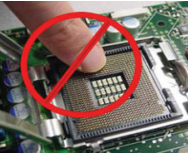
RTC status	Connection	JP2
Normal	1 – 2	
Clear CMOS	2 – 3	

3 Getting Started

This chapter provides information on how to install components to the M-945 motherboard. Sections discussing the BIOS setup and operating system installation are also found in this chapter.

3.1 Installing the CPU

The M-945 supports the Intel® Pentium® D/Intel® Pentium® 4/Intel® Celeron® D processor via the surface mount LGA775 socket (Socket T).

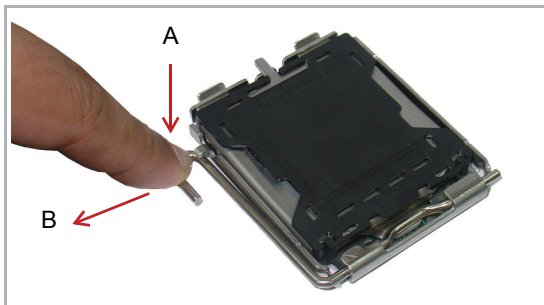


WARNING Do not touch socket contacts. Damaging the contacts voids the product warranty. Follow the installation instructions carefully to avoid damaging to motherboard components.

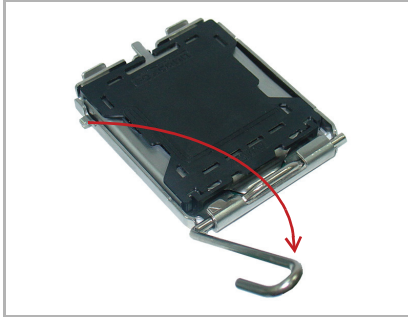


To install the CPU:

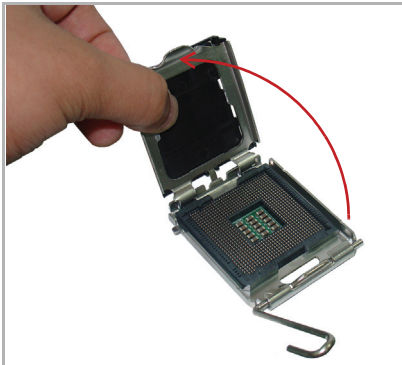
1. Press the load lever (A), then disengage it from the retention tab (B).



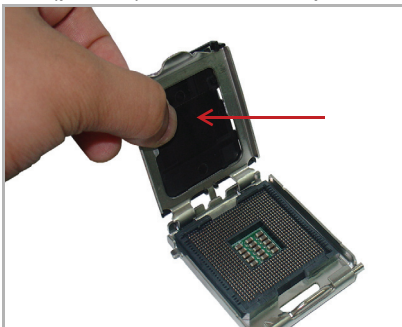
2. Lift and rotate the load lever to a 135° angle.



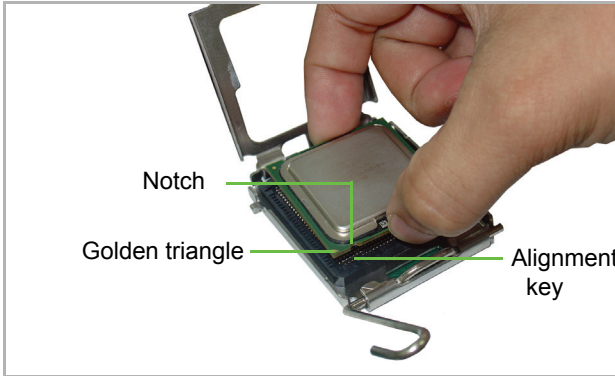
3. Lift the load plate to a 100° angle using your thumb and forefinger.



4. Use your thumb to push and remove the protective socket cover (plastic) from the load plate.

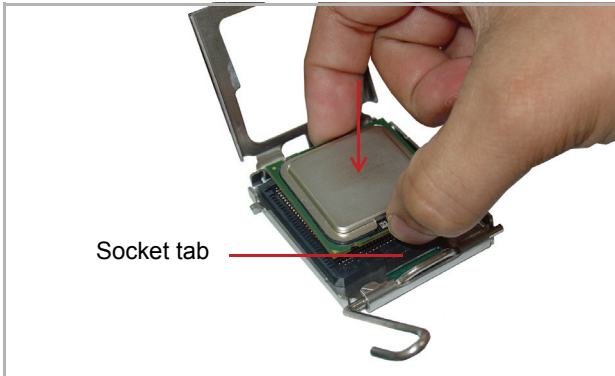


5. Position the CPU over the socket, then match the notches on the CPU side with the alignment keys on the socket. The golden triangle on the CPU must be positioned on the bottom-left corner of the socket.

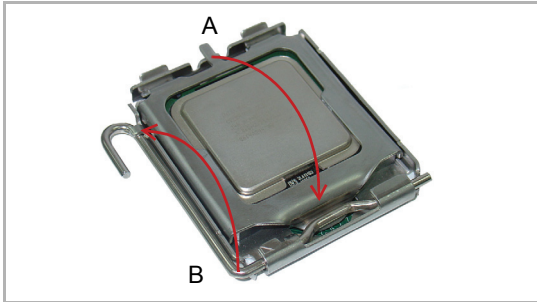


WARNING The CPU fits the socket in only one orientation. DO NOT force the CPU into the socket to avoid damaging them.

6. Carefully place the CPU on the socket in a vertical motion. The socket has tabs that accommodate your fingers during installation.



7. Close the load plate (A), then fasten the load lever on the retention tab (B).




NOTE

In order to boot up the system with a newly-installed CPU, standby power must not be applied to the board before installation.

3.2 Installing the CPU Fan

When you buy a boxed Intel CPU, a certified CPU fan and heat-sink assembly with installation instruction comes standard with the package. If the CPU fan installation procedures presented here are inconsistent with the installation procedures you obtained from the Intel CPU package, follow the latter.

If you intend to purchase a separate CPU fan and heatsink assembly, make sure that the selected model is recommended by Intel. For more information, go to [tap://www.intel.com](http://www.intel.com).

CAUTION  The CPU requires a chassis with an airflow inlet and maximum internal ambient temperature of 38°C. A especially-designed CPU fan and heatsink must be installed before using the motherboard. Failure to install a CPU fan and heatsink may damage the motherboard and/or the CPU.

To install the CPU fan:

1. Apply thermal grease evenly on top of the installed CPU.
2. Lower the CPU fan to the CPU, then secure it using the provided attachments or screws.
3. Connect the CPU fan cable to the CPU fan connector on the motherboard labeled FN1.

3.3 Installing the Memory Module

The M-945 supports up to 8 GB of DDR2 800/667/533 MHz memory modules via four DDR2 DIMM sockets. A DDR2 module has a 240-pin footprint compared to the legacy 184-pin DDR DIMM. DDR2 modules are notched to facilitate correct installation on the DIMM sockets.

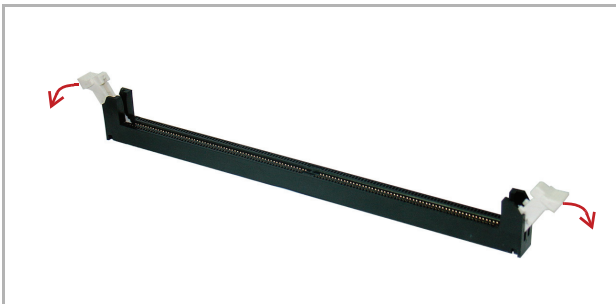
Memory Configuration Options

The M-945 allows you to install 256 MB, 512 MB and 1GB unbuffered non-ECC DDR2 DIMMs into the DIMM sockets following these configuration options:

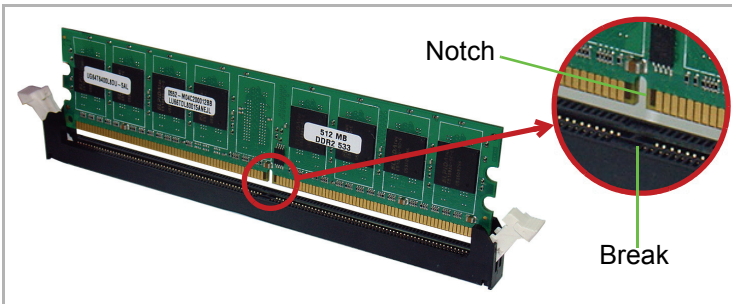
- ▶ Channel A: DIMM1 (J1) and DIMM2 (J2)
Channel B: DIMM3 (J3) and DIMM4 (J4)
- ▶ For dual-channel configuration, the total size of memory module(s) installed per channel must be the same ($J1 + J2 = J3 + J4$).
- ▶ It is recommended that you install DIMMs with the same CAS latency. For maximum compatibility, install memory modules with the same brand, model, and/or rating.

To install a memory module:

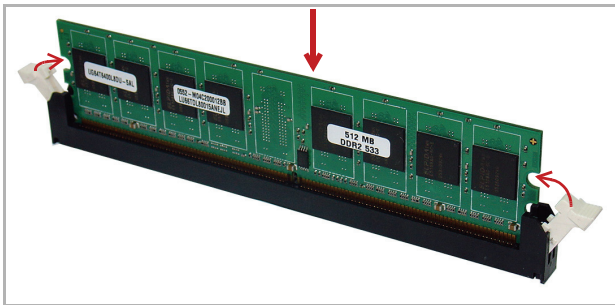
1. Locate the DIMM slots on the motherboard (J1, J2, J3, J4).
2. Press the socket's retaining clips outward to unlock.



3. Align the memory module on the socket making sure that the notch matches the break on the socket.



4. Insert the module firmly into the slot until the retaining clips snap back inwards and the module is securely seated.



3.4 BIOS Configuration Overview

The M-945 BIOS Setup features several, separately configurable parameters. These parameters are selected and configured via the built-in setup utility. System configuration settings are saved in a portion of the battery-powered RAM in the real-time clock device. The BIOS uses these settings to initialize the system during startup or reset. The configuration settings are protected by a checksum word for system integrity.

To access the BIOS Setup, press **Del** during the system boot sequence. The BIOS Setup configuration screen appears.

Setup parameters are divided into categories. The available categories are listed in the main menu. The parameters within the highlighted (current) category are listed in the bottom portion of the BIOS Setup screen. Context sensitive help is displayed in the right portion of the screen for each parameter.

Use the keyboard arrow keys to navigate through the items and/or select a category from the menu. To display a submenu, highlight the category, then press **Enter**.

For detailed information on the BIOS Setup and other utilities, refer to the BIOS Setup manual.

3.5 Installing the Operating System

The M-945 supports most mainstream operating systems including Windows® XP/2000/Server 2003 and Linux. For more information, refer to the documentation provided by the operating system vendor.

Most operating systems requires installation from a floppy or optical disk drive. These devices must be configured, installed, and tested with the supplied drivers before attempting to install a new operating system.

Consult the release notes and installation documentation provided by the operating system vendor for documentation discrepancies and/or compatibility issues, problems, and solutions.

When you are ready to install the operating system, use the BIOS Setup to assign the first boot device depending on the media used by the OS installer. For example, if the OS installation came on a bootable floppy disk, set the floppy drive as the first boot device, save the configuration setting, then reboot the system. Make sure you insert the installation floppy disk in the floppy drive. When the OS installer is in a non-bootable optical disk, you may have to boot the system using a bootable floppy disk with the proper CD/DVD-ROM drivers to access the optical drive.

Follow the installation screen instructions to proceed. Make sure you select the correct device types and settings, when prompted. Refer to the appropriate hardware manuals for specific device types and compatibility.

After OS installation is completed, reboot the system, then set the boot device sequence from the Boot menu in the BIOS Setup.

3.6 Installing Peripheral Devices

Installed peripheral devices are automatically configured by the BIOS during the boot sequence. Plug and play expansion cards that conform with the M-945 specifications are supported.

4 Installing Device Drivers

This chapter provides information on basic driver installation for systems running on Windows® 2000/XP. When installing drivers for non-Windows® operating systems, refer to the instructions inside the ADLINK All-in-One CD. The drivers are located in the following directories of the ADLINK All-in-One CD:

Chipset driver	\Industrial Motherboard\M-945_946\Chipset\
Display driver	\Industrial Motherboard\M-945_946\VGA\
LAN driver	\Industrial Motherboard\M-945_946\Ethernet\
Audio driver	\Industrial Motherboard\M-945_946\Audio

4.1 Intel® 945G Chipset Drivers

This section describes the installation of the Intel® 945G chipset driver on systems operating on Windows® 2000/XP.

NOTE Take note of the location of the Windows® 2000/XP directory before installing the driver.

1. Check if your system meets the minimum requirements. Windows® 2000/XP OS must be fully installed and running normally on the system before installing the chipset drivers.
2. Close all applications.
3. Check that the files are stored in an integrated application setup program. This program is designed for a Windows 2000/XP program that allows the INF files to be installed.
4. Locate the directory **X:\Industrial Motherboard\M-945_946\Chipset** from the ADLINK All-in-One CD, select the operating system, then start the installation by clicking on the Setup.exe file.
5. When the initial installation window appears, click **Next** to display the license agreement. When prompted, click **Yes** to continue.

NOTE Clicking **No** on the license agreement terminates the installation.

6. Click **Next** on the Readme Information screen to begin installing the INF files.
7. When installation is done, click **Finish**. Restart the system when prompted.
8. After restart, follow screen instructions to complete installation. Windows displays a found new hardware window and automatically installs the required drivers. If the New Hardware Found dialog box appears and prompts you to locate the location of the drivers, point it to the relevant Windows directory.
9. Restart the system when prompted.

4.2 Display Drivers

This section tells you how to install the Intel® Graphics Media Accelerator (GMA) 950 drivers on Windows® 2000/XP systems.

To install the display drivers:

1. Place the ADLINK All-in-One CD to the optical drive.
2. Locate the display drivers from the directory **X:\Industrial Motherboard\M-945_946\VGA**, then double-click on the **win2k_xp141950.exe** file to start installation.
3. Follow screen instructions to complete installation, then restart the system, when prompted.
4. After installation, you may change the display properties from the Windows® Control Panel.

4.3 LAN Drivers

Follow these instructions to install the LAN driver on Windows® 2000/XP systems.

1. Place the ADLINK All-in-One CD to the optical drive.
2. Locate the LAN drivers from the directory **X:\Industrial Motherboard\M-945_946\Ethernet**, then double-click on the **PRO2KXP.exe** file to start installation.
3. Follow screen instructions to complete installation, then restart the system, when prompted.
4. After installation, you may change the network properties from the Windows® Control Panel.

4.4 Audio Drivers

Follow these instructions to install the audio driver on Windows® 2000/XP systems.

1. Place the ADLINK All-in-One CD to the optical drive.
2. Locate the audio drivers from the directory **X:\Industrial Motherboard\M-945_946\Audio**, then double-click on the **SETUP.exe** file to start installation.
3. Follow screen instructions to complete installation, then restart the system, when prompted.

After installation, you may change the audio properties from the Windows® Control Panel.

Important Safety Instructions

Read and follow all instructions marked on the product and in the documentation before operating the system. Retain all safety and operating instructions for future use.

- ▶ Read these safety instructions carefully.
- ▶ Keep this user's manual for future reference.
- ▶ The equipment should be operated in an ambient temperature between 0°C to 50°C.
- ▶ The equipment should be operated only from the type of power source indicated on the rating label. Make sure the voltage of the power source is correct when connecting the equipment to the power outlet.
- ▶ If the user's equipment has a voltage selector switch, make sure that the switch is set to the proper position for the area. The voltage selector switch is set at the factory to the correct voltage.
- ▶ For pluggable equipment, ensure they are installed near a socket-outlet that is easily accessible.
- ▶ Secure the power cord to prevent unnecessary accidents. Do not place anything over the power cord.
- ▶ If the equipment will not be in use for long periods of time, disconnect the equipment from the power outlet to avoid being damaged by transient overvoltage.
- ▶ All cautions and warnings on the equipment must be noted.
- ▶ Keep this equipment away from humidity.
- ▶ Do not use this equipment near water or a heat source.
- ▶ Place this equipment on a stable surface when installing to prevent injury.
- ▶ Never pour any liquid into the product to prevent fire or electrical shock.

- ▶ Openings in the chassis are provided for ventilation. Do not block or cover these openings. Make sure there is adequate space around the system for ventilation when setting up the work area. Never insert objects of any kind into the ventilation holes.
- ▶ To avoid electrical shock, always unplug all power and modem cables from wall outlets before removing the system covers.
- ▶ A Lithium-type battery is provided for the real time clock.
“CAUTION - Risk of explosion if battery is replaced by an incorrect type. Dispose used batteries as instructed.”
- ▶ The equipment must be serviced by authorized technicians when:
 - ▷ The power cord or plug is damaged.
 - ▷ Liquid has penetrated the equipment.
 - ▷ It has been exposed to moisture.
 - ▷ It is not functioning or does not function according to the user’s manual.
 - ▷ It has been dropped and damaged.
 - ▷ It has an obvious sign of breakage.
- ▶ Never attempt to fix the equipment. For safety reasons, the equipment should only be serviced by qualified personnel.

Warranty Policy

Thank you for choosing ADLINK. To understand your rights and enjoy all the after-sales services we offer, please read the following carefully.

1. Before using ADLINK's products please read the user manual and follow the instructions exactly. When sending in damaged products for repair, please attach an RMA application form which can be downloaded from: <http://rma.adlinktech.com/policy/>.
2. All ADLINK products come with a limited two-year guarantee, one year for products bought in China:
 - ▶ The warranty period starts on the day the product is shipped from ADLINK's factory.
 - ▶ Peripherals and third-party products not manufactured by ADLINK will be covered by the original manufacturers' warranty.
 - ▶ For products containing storage devices (hard drives, flash cards, etc.), please back up your data before sending them for repair. ADLINK is not responsible for loss of data.
 - ▶ Please ensure the use of properly licensed software with our systems. ADLINK does not condone the use of pirated software and will not service systems using such software. ADLINK will not be held legally responsible for products shipped with unlicensed software installed by the user.
 - ▶ For general repairs, please do not include peripheral accessories. If peripherals need to be included, be certain to specify which items you sent on the RMA Request & Confirmation Form. ADLINK is not responsible for

items not listed on the RMA Request & Confirmation Form.

3. Our repair service is not covered by ADLINK's guarantee in the following situations:
 - ▶ Damage caused by not following instructions in the User's Manual.
 - ▶ Damage caused by carelessness on the user's part during product transportation.
 - ▶ Damage caused by fire, earthquakes, floods, lightening, pollution, other acts of God, and/or incorrect usage of voltage transformers.
 - ▶ Damage caused by unsuitable storage environments (i.e. high temperatures, high humidity, or volatile chemicals).
 - ▶ Damage caused by leakage of battery fluid during or after change of batteries by customer/user.
 - ▶ Damage from improper repair by unauthorized ADLINK technicians.
 - ▶ Products with altered and/or damaged serial numbers are not entitled to our service.
 - ▶ This warranty is not transferable or extendible.
 - ▶ Other categories not protected under our warranty.
4. Customers are responsible for shipping costs to transport damaged products to ADLINK.

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