GT-400

All-in-One 486 w/VGA w/LAN w/Audio w/4COM w/Flash Disk Little Board

User's Guide

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Check List

Before getting started, please check if the 486 All-in-One Single Board Computer package includes the following items:

- 486 All-in-One board x 1pc
- VGA Driver & utility diskette x 4 pc
- Ethernet driver & utility diskette x 1 pc
- Audio driver &utility diskette x 1 pc
- Updating BIOS Utility diskette x 1 pc
- Keyboard/Mouse/Ethernet/Audio adapter card with cable x 1pc
- FDD cable x 1 pc
- HDD cable x 1 pc
- COM port cables with bracket x 2pc
- Printer /VGA cable with bracket x 1pc
- User's manual x 1pc

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Chapter 1

Introduction

The 486 all-in-One Single Board Computer comes equipped with either Intel / AMD / Cyrix / SGS Thomson 80486 CPU series. Also included on-board are CHIPS 65550 VGA GUI Accelerator controller, Ethernet controller, Audio controller, one socket for Flash Disk, four serial RS-232 ports (one for RS232 / RS422 / RS485), enhanced bi-directional parallel port, PCI enhanced IDE hard disk drive interface, floppy disk controller and watchdog timer. The 486 All-in-One board industrial-grade construction ensures continuous, reliable operation in harsh industrial environments.

Its video section features the ability to control most EL, mono/color STN and TFT flat panel display as well as standard VGA. Equipped with 1MB of EDO DRAM, up to 2MB EDO DRAM (optional). The CHIPS 65550 can display in 640x480 resolution on commonly used flat panels and true color displays on CRT's.

You can also use this reliable 486 All-in-One to transform any system into a 32-bit 486 compatible computer. Its highly compact form and numerous features make it an ideal cost/performance solution for high-end commercial and industrial applications when fast CPU speed and low mean-time-to-repair are critical.

1.1 Specifications

. Bus Type:

PCI bus - 32 bit PCI bus

. CPU:

On board equipped with SQFP CPU, speed up to AMD 5x86-133.

. Cache:

256KB/512KB 2nd level cache memory

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. Memory:

Supports FPM/EDO DRAM module.

Supports on board 16 MB DRAM and one 72-pin SIMM sockets, Or two 72-pin SIMM sockets accept 1,2,4,8,16 or 32 MB SIMM module.

. Chipset:

System Chipset: ALI M1487/M1489

I/O Chipset: SMC 37C669

. Real Time Clock:

SGS M48T86 PCI (or compatible) with lithium battery backup for 10 years of data retention

. Display:

- -Chipset: C&T 65550 PCI local bus flat-panel with Windows accelerator and Video play back
- Display memory: on board EDO DRAM 1MB up to 2MB
- Display resolution:

Supports Flat-panel resolutions up to 640x480, 800x600, 1024x768, 1280x1024 Supports non-interlace CRT monitors, 1024x768 64K colors

- Display connector: DB-15 VGA connector for CRT monitor and 2x22 pin header for Flat-panel
- Support 3.3V and 5V Flat-panel

. Networking:

Realtek RTL8139A Ethernet controller, 10/100 base T with RJ-45 connector.

. Audio:

ESS 1869 3D Sound chip with 2x1W audio Amplifier on board

. S.S.D.:

Socket for M-system Disk on Chip

. IDE:

Supports PCI mode 4 two channel enhance IDE hard disk interface

. Floppy:

Supports up to two floppy disk drivers, 3.5" and/or 5.25"

. Parallel Port:

Enhanced Bi-directional EPP/ECP parallel port

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. Serial port:

Three RS232 port with 16C550 UART One RS232/422/485 port with 16C550 UART

. Watchdog Timer:

Can generate a system RESET, The timer interval is $0 \sim 63~\text{sec}$ (14 level)

. Keyboard Connector:

One 8 pin header to connect the keyboard/mouse to mounting bracket.

. Expansion Bus:

A 16 Bit PC104 connector for expansion modules

. Power Supply Voltage:

+5V/2.5A, +12V/0.3A, 6_pin external PS/2 power connector

. Operating Temperature:

 32° to 140° F (0° to 60° C)

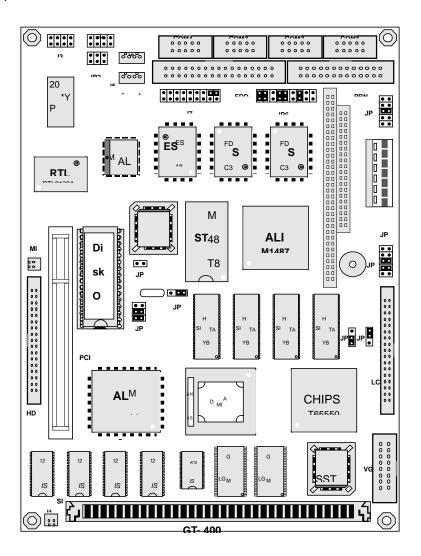
. Board Size:

203mm X 146mm

Chapter 2

Jumpers and Connectors

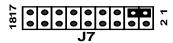
. Component location



GT-400 COMPONENT DRAWING

Jumpers & Connectors

2.1 Jumpers Setting



Speaker/Key_lock/Reset/Turbo/LED (J7)

function	J7
Internal buzzer	1-3
External speaker(remove 1-3)	1-7
Power LED, Pin 2+, Pin6-	2-6
Keylock	8-10
System reset switch	11-12
Turbo Switch	13-14
Turbo LED, Pin16+, Pin15-	15-16
HDD LED, Pin18+, Pin17-	17-18



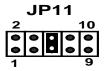
External keyboard/ mouse (J4)

	J4
Keyboard clock	1
Mouse clock	2
Keyboard data	3
Mouse data	4
Keyboard ground	5
Mouse ground	6
Keyboard power	7
Mouse power	8



	J1
Ground	1
+12V	2

Jumpers & Connectors



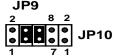
M-System Address Select (JP11, 1-8)

Disk_On_Chip address	JP11
C0000-C7FFF	1-2
C8000-CFFFF	3-4
D0000-D7FFF	5-6
D8000-DFFFF	7-8

Watchdog Timer (JP11,9-10)

	JP11
Watchdog time out gen. system reset	9-10





LCD Panel Voltage Select (JP7, JP10)

	JP7	JP10
3.3V Panel Interface	1-2	close
5.0V Panel Interface	2-3	open

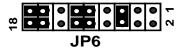
LCD Panel Type Select (JP9)

1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 four jumpers to select up to 16-type panel



Panel Clock Select (JP8)

	JP8
Invert Clock	1-2
Normal Clock	2-3



COM2 Select (JP6)

	JP6
RS232	5-6,9-11,10-12,15-17,16-18
RS422	3-4,7-9,8-10,13-15,14-16
RS485	1-2,7-9,8-10,13-15,14-16

JP4 • 2

CMOS clear (JP4)

Closed this jumper, power on system 1minute then power off, Remove this jumper



Ethernet LED (JP2)

	JP2
Tx LED (pin1 - ,pin2 +)	1-2
Rx LED (pin3 - ,pin4 +)	3-4
10/100 LED (pin5 - ,pin6 +)	LED ON (10), LED OFF (100)

Jumpers & Connectors

0 0 1 2 MIC

Microphone input (MIC)

	MIC
Microphone in	1
Ground	2

J6 6000 1 4

Audio Line IN (J6)

	J6
Line In Right	1
Line In Ground	2
Line In Ground	3
Line In Left	4

J5 6000

Audio Speaker Out (J5)

	J5
Speaker Out Right	1
Speaker Out Ground	2
Speaker Out Ground	3
Speaker Out Left	4



External Power Connector (J8)

	Ј8
+5V	2
Ground	5,6
+12V	3
-12V	4

Jumpers & Connectors

2.2 Connectors

The connectors allow the board to connect with other parts of the system. Some problems encountered with your system may be caused by loose or improper connections. Ensure that all connectors are in place and firmly attached.

Component	Label
HDD (IDE) connector	IDE
FDD connector	FDC
VGA connector	VGA
Flat panel connector	LCD
Networking connector	J2/J3
Parallel port	PRN
PC/104 connector	PC104
Keyboard connectors	J4
Mouse connectors	J4
Reset switch connector	J7 (11-12)
External speaker connector	J7(1-7)
HDD LED connector	J7 (17-18)
Turbo switch connector	J7 (13-14)
Turbo LED connector	J7 (15-16)
SBC power connector	Ј8
CPU fan power connector	J1
RS-232 serial port	COM1, COM2, COM3, COM4
RS422,485 serial port	COM2
CMOS RAM clear	JP4

Chapter 3

Installation

This chapter describes the procedures for installing the 486 All-in-One board into your system.

The following is a list of typical peripherals required to build a minimum system:

- Power supply
- IBM PC/AT keyboard
- Display monitor
- Floppy or hard disk with MS-DOS or Flash Disk emulator

3.1 Installing the SIMMs

- 1. Insert the first SIMM edge connector at a slight angle into the socket of SIMM 1 close to the center of the board. Note that the SIMM is keyed and will only go in one way.
- 2. Push the SIMM back into the connector carefully until it snaps into place.
- 3. Check to make sure the SIMM is inserted securely.

3.2 Completing the Installation

To complete the installation, the following steps should be followed:

- 1. Set the configuration jumpers in accordance with Chapter 2.
- 2. Make sure the power is off.
- 3. If use PC/104 peripherals, install the PC/104 card into PC/104 socket of the 486 All-in-One board.
- 4. Connect the applicable I/O cables and peripherals, i.e. floppy disk, hard disk, monitor, keyboard, power supply and etc.
 - NOTE: the color of pin one is usually red or blue, while others are gray
- 5. Turn on the power.

Installation

Chapter 4

AWARD BIOS Setup

Award's BIOS ROM has a built-in Setup program that allows users to modify the basic system configuration. This type of information is stored in batterybacked RAM (CMOS RAM) so that it retains the Setup information when the power is turned off.

Entering Setup

Power on the computer and press immediately will allow you to enter Setup. The other way to enter Setup is to power on the computer, when the below message appears briefly at the bottom of the screen during the POST (Power On Self Test), press key or simultaneously press <Ctrl>, <Alt>, and <Esc> keys.

TO ENTER SETUP BEFORE BOOT PRESS <CTRL-ALT-ESC> OR KEY

If the message disappears before you respond and you still wish to enter Setup, restart the system to try again by turning it OFF then ON or pressing the "RESET" button on the system case. You may also restart by simultaneously pressing <Ctrl>, <Alt>, and <Delete> keys. If you do not press the keys at the correct time and the system does not boot, an error message will display and you will again be asked to,

PRESS <F1> TO CONTINUE, <CTRL-ALT-ESC> OR TO ENTER SETUP

Control Keys

Up arrow	Move to previous item
Down arrow	Move to next item
Left arrow	Move to the item in the left hand
Right arrow	Move to the item in the right hand
Esc key	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/"+" key	Increase the numeric value or make changes
PgDn/-" key	Decrease the numeric value or make changes
F1 key	General help, only for Status Page Setup Menu and Op-
	tion Page Setup Menu
(Shift)F2 key	Change color from total 16 colors. F2 to select color for-
	ward, (Shift) F2 to select color backward
F3 key	Reserved
F4 key	Reserved
F5 key	Restore the previous CMOS value from CMOS, only for
	Option Page Setup Menu
F6 key	Load the default CMOS value from BIOS default table,
	only for Option Page Setup Menu
F7 key	Load the Setup default, only for Option Page Setup Menu
F8 key	Reserved
F9 key	Reserved
F10 key	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 <F1> or <Esc>.

The Main Menu

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

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS CMOS SETUP UTILITY AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.

INTEGRATED PERIPHERIALS
SUPERVISOR PASSWORD
USER PASSWORD
IDE HDD AUTO DETECTION
HDD LOW LEVEL FORMAT
SAVE & EXIT SETUP
EXIT WITHOUT SAVING
$\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$: Select Item
(Shift) F2 : Change Color
Hard Disk Type

Standard CMOS setup

This setup page includes all the items in standard compatible BIOS. See Page 4-7 to Page 4-10 for details.

BIOS features setup

This setup page includes all the items of Award special enhanced features. See Page 4-11 to Page 4-15 for details.

Chipset features setup

This setup page includes all the items of chipset special features. See Page 4-16 for details.

Power Management setup

This category determines how much power consumption for the system after selecting the items below. Default value is Disable. See Page 4-19 to Page 4-23 for details.

PCI Configuration

This category specifies the setup of PCI related devices and On Board I/O's. See Page 4-24 for details.

Load BIOS defaults

The BIOS defaults have been set by the manufacturer and represent setting, which provide the minimum requirements for your system to operate.

Load setup defaults

Chipset defaults function indicates the values required by the system for the maximum performance.

Supervisor / User Password setting

Changes, sets, or disables password. It allows you to limit access to the system and Setup, or just to Setup. See Page 4-27 for details.

IDE HDD auto detection

Automatically detect and configure hard disk parameters. See Page 4-28 to Page 4-30 for details.

HDD low level format

This stands for hard disk low level format utility. See Page 4-31 to Page 4-32 for details.

Save & exit setup

Saves the CMOS value changes to CMOS and exits setup.

Exit without save

Abandons all the CMOS value changes and exits setup.

Standard CMOS Setup Menu

The items in Standard CMOS Setup Menu are divided into 10 categories. Each category includes no, one or more than one setup items. Use the arrow keys to highlight the item and then use the $\langle PgUp \rangle$ or $\langle PgDn \rangle$ keys to select the value you want for each item.

Standard CMOS Setup Menu (Support Enhanced IDE)

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS STANDARD CMOS SETUP AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.

Date (mm:dd:yy): Tue, Jan 13 1998						
Time(hh:mm:ss)	Time(hh:mm:ss): 13:52:00					
	CYLS.	HEADS	PRECOMP	LANDZONE	SECTORS	MODE
Drive C :	0	0	0	0	0	Auto
Drive D :	0	0	0	0	0	Auto
Drive A: 1.44M	, 3.5 in					
Drive B: None				Base	e Memory	: 640K
Video : EGA / VGA			Exte	nded Memory	: 31744K	
				Oth	er Memory	: 384K
Halt On : All Erro	ors			Tota	l Memory	: 32768K
ESC : Quit		↑↓-	→ ← : Select I	tem P	U / PD / + / - :	Modify
F1 : Help		(Shif	t) F2 : Change			Ť

Date

The date format is <day>, <date>, <month>, and <year>. Press <F3> to show the calendar.

day	The day of week, from Sun to Sat, determined by the BIOS, is read only
date	The date, from 1 to 31 (or the maximum allowed in the month),
	can be keyed in by the numerical / function key
month	The month, Jan through Dec.
year	The year, from 1900 through 2099

BIOS Setup

Time

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

Primary Master/Primary Slave

This category identifies the types of the channel that has been installed in the computer. There are 45 predefined types and 4 user definable types for Enhanced IDE BIOS. Type 1 to Type 45 are predefined. Type User is user-definable.

Press PgUp/<+> or PgDn/<-> to select a numbered hard disk type or type the number and press <Enter>. 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 the type of your hard disk drive is not matched or listed, you can use Type User to define your own drive type manually.

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

If the controller of HDD interface is ESDI, the selection shall be "Type 1". If the controller of HDD interface is SCSI, the selection shall be "None". If you select TYPE "Auto", BIOS will auto detect the HDD & CD-ROM Drive at POST stage and showing the IDE for HDD & CD-ROM.

TYPE	Drive type	
CYLS.	number of cylinders	
HEADS	number of heads	
PRECOMP	write precom	
LANDZONE	landing zone	
SECTORS	number of sectors	
MODE	Mode type	

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

Drive A type/Drive B type

This 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	5-1/4 inch PC-type standard drive; 360 kilobyte		
	capacity		
1.2M, 5.25 in	5-1/4 inch AT-type high-density drive; 1.2 megabyte		
	capacity		
720K, 3.5 in	3-1/2 inch double-sided drive; 720 kilobyte capacity		
1.44M, 3.5 in	3-1/2 inch double-sided drive; 1.44 megabyte capacity		
2.88M, 3.5 in	3-1/2 inch double-sided drive; 2.88 megabyte capacity		

<u>Video</u>

This category selects the type of adapter used for the primary system monitor that must match your video display card and monitor. Although secondary monitor is supported, you do not have to select the type in Setup.

You have two ways to boot up the system:

- 1. When you have VGA as primary and monochrome as secondary, the selection of the video type is "VGA Mode".
- 2. When you have monochrome as primary and VGA as secondary, the selection of the video type is "Monochrome mode".

EGA/VGA	Enhanced Graphics Adapter/video Graphics Array. For				
	EGA, VGA, SEGA, or PGA monitors adapters.				
Absent	Without VGA controller on system				
CGA 80	Color Graphics Adapter, power up in 80 column mode				
MONO	Monochrome adapter, includes high resolution				
	monochrome adapters				

Error halt

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

All errors	The system boot will not be stopped for any error that may be detected.
No errors	Whenever the BIOS detects a non-fatal error the system will be stopped and you will be prompted.
All, But Keyboard	The system boot will not be stopped for a keyboard error; it will be stopped for all other errors.
All, But Diskette	The system boot will not be stopped for a disk error; it will be stopped for all other errors.
All, But Disk/Key	The system boot will not be stopped for a keyboard or disk error; it will be stopped for all other errors.

Memory

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

Base Memory

The POST of the BIOS will determine the amount of base (or conventional) memory installed in the system. The value of the base memory is typically 512K for systems with 512K memory installed on the motherboard, or 640K for systems with 640K 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 beyond 1MB in the CPU's memory address map.

Other Memory

This refers to the memory located in the 640K to 1024K address space. This is the 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.

Total Memory

System total memory is the sum of basic memory, extended memory, and other memory.

BIOS Features Setup Menu

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS BIOS FEATURES SETUP AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.

Virus Warning	:	Disabled	Video BIOS Shadow : Enabled
CPU Internal Cache	:	Enabled	C8000-CFFFF Shadow : Disabled
External Cache	:	Enabled	D0000-D7FFF Shadow : Disabled
Quick Power On Self Test	:	Disabled	D8000-DFFFF Shadow : Disabled
Boot Sequence	:	C,CDROM,A	
Swap Floppy Drive	:	Disabled	
Boot Up Floppy Seek	:	Enabled	
Boot Up NumLock Status	:	On	
Boot Up System Speed	:	High	
Gate A20 Option	:	Fast	
Typematic Rate Setting	:	Disabled	
TypematicRate(Chars/Sec)	:	6	ESC: Quit $\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$: Select Item
Typematic Delay (Msec)	:	250	F1 : Help PU/PD/+/- : Modify
Security Option	:	Setup	F5 : Old Values (Shift) F2 : Color
PCI/VGA Palette Snoop	:	Disable	F6 : Load BIOS Defaults
OS Select for DRAM <64MB	:	Non-OS2	F7 : Load Setup Defaults

Virus Warning

This category flashes on the screen. During and after the system boots up, any attempt to write to the boot sector or partition table of the hard disk drive will halt the system and the following error message will appear, in the mean time, you can run an anti-virus program to locate the problem.

! WARNING! Disk boot sector is to be modified Type "Y" to accept write or "N" to abort write Award Software, Inc.

Enabled	Activates automatically so that the warning message will
	appear after the system boots up if there is any attempt to
	access the boot sector or hard disk partition table.
Disabled	No warning message will appear when there is any attempt
	to access the boot sector or hard disk partition table.

Note: Many disk diagnostic programs, which attempt to access the boot sector table can cause the above warning message. If you will be running such a program, we recommend disable Virus Protection first.

CPU Internal Cache/External Cache

These two categories speed up memory access. The default value is Enable. If your CPU does not have Internal Cache then this item "CPU Internal Cache" will not be shown.

Enabled	Enable cache
Disabled	Disable cache

Quick Power On Self Test

This category speeds up Power On Self Test (POST) after you power on the computer. If it is set to Enable, BIOS will shorten or skip some check items during POST.

Enabled	Enable quick POST
Disabled	Normal POST

Boot Sequence

This category determines which drive computer searches first for the disk operating system (i.e., DOS). Option items are: (1) C,CDROM,A (2) CDROM,C,A (3) D,A,SCSI (4) SCSI,A,C (5) SCSI,C,A (6) C only (7) A,C,SCSI (8) C,A,SCSI. Default value is "C,CDROM,A".

C,CDROM,	System will first search for hard disk drive then CDROM,
A	floppy disk drive.
A,C,SCSI	System will first search for floppy disk drive then hard disk drive, SCSI

Boot Up Floppy Seek

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

Boot Up NumLock Status

This allows you to determine the Default State of numeric keypad. By default, the system boots up with NumLock on.

On	Keypad is number keys
Off	Keypad is arrow keys

Boot Up System Speed

It selects the default system speed - the speed that the system will run immediately after power up.

High	Set the speed to high
Low	Set the speed to low

Gate A20 Option

This entry allows you to select how the Gate A20 is handled. The Gate A20 is a device used to address memory above 1 MB. Initially, the Gate A20 was handled via a pin on the keyboard. Today, while keyboards still provide this support, it is more common, and much faster, for system chipset to provide support for Gate A20.

Normal	keyboard
Fast	chipset

Typematic Rate Setting

This determines if the typematic rate is to be used. When disabled, continually holding down a key on you keyboard will generate only one instance. In other words, the BIOS will only report that the key is down. When the typematic rate is enabled, the BIOS will report as before, but it will then wait a moment, and, if the key is still down, it will begin the report that the key has been depressed repeatedly. For example, you would use such a feature to accelerate cursor movements with arrow keys.

Enabled	Enable typematic rate
Disabled	Disable typematic rate

Typematic Rate (Chars/Sec)

When the typematic rate is enabled, this selection allows you select the rate at which the keys are accelerated.

6	6 characters per second
8	8 characters per second
10	10 characters per second
12	12 characters per second
15	15 characters per second
20	20 characters per second
24	24 characters per second
30	30 characters per second

Typematic Delay (Msec)

When the Typematic rate is enabled, this selection allows you to select the delay between when the key was first depressed and when the acceleration begins.

250	250 msec
500	500 msec
750	750 msec
1000	1000 msec

Security Option

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

System	The system will not boot and access to Setup will be denied
	if the correct password is not entered at the prompt.
Setup	The system will boot, but access to Setup will be denied if
-	the correct password is not entered at the prompt.

Note: To disable security, select PASSWORD SETTING at Main Menu and then you will be asked to enter password. Do not type anything and just press <Enter>, it will disable security. Once the security is disabled, the system will boot and you can enter Setup freely.

OS Select for DRAM > 64 MB

This item allows you to access the memory that over 64MB in OS/2.

The choice: Non-OS2, OS2

BIOS Setup

PCI / VGA Palette Snoop

It determines whether the MPEG ISA / VESA VGA cards can work with PCI / VGA or not.

Enabled	Wen PCI/VGA working with MPEG ISA/VESA VGA	
	card.	
Disabled	Wen PCI/VGA not working with MPEG ISA/VESA VGA	
	card.	

Video BIOS Shadow

It determines whether video BIOS will be copied to RAM, however, it is optional from chipset design. Video Shadow will increase the video speed.

Enabled	Video shadow is enabled	
Disabled	Video shadow is disabled	

C8000 - CFFFF Shadow/D0000 - DFFFF Shadow

These categories determine whether optional ROM's will be copied to RAM. An example of such option ROM would be support of on board M_system disk_on_chip and SCSI.

Enabled	Optional shadow is enabled	
Disabled	Optional shadow is disabled	

Chipset Features Setup Menu

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP AWARD SOFTWARE INC.

Auto Configuration	: Enabled	
AT-BUS Clock DRAM Read Timing DRAM Write Timing SRAM Read Timing SRAM Write Timing	: CLK/4 : Normal : Normal : 3-2-2-2 : 0 Wait	
Hidden Refresh Memory Hole(15M-16M) ISA I/O Recovery Fast-Back-to-Back	: Disabled : Disabled : Enabled : Enabled	
		ESC : Quit $\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$: Select Item F1 : Help PU/PD/+/- : Modify F5 : Old Values (Shift) F2 : Color F6 : Load BIOS Defaults F7 : Load Setup Defaults

This section allows you to configure the system based on the specific features of the installed chipset. This chipset manages bus speed and access to system memory resources, such as DRAM and external cache. It also coordinates communications between the conventional ISA bus and PCI bus. It must be stated that these items should never need to be altered. The default settings have been chosen because they provide the best operating conditions for your system. The only time you might consider making any changes would be if you discovered that data was being lost while using your system. Such a scenario might occur if your system had mixed speed DRAM chips installed, so that greater delays may be required to preserve the integrity of the data held in the slower memory chips.

Auto Configuration

Pre-defined values for DRAM, cache .. timing according to CPU type & system clock.

BIOS Setup

Memory Hole (15M-16M)

In order to improve performance, certain space in memory can be reserved for ISA cards. This memory must be mapped into the memory space below 16MB.

Enabled	Memory hole supported.	
Disabled	Memory hole not supported.	

ISA I/O recovery time

The recovery time is the length of time which the system will delay after the completion of an input / output request. This delay takes place because the CPU is operating so much faster then the input / output bus that the CPU must be delayed to allow for the completion of the I/O.

Integrated Peripherals Menu

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS INTEGRATED PERIPHERIALS AWARD SOFTWARE INC.

On-Chip Local Bus IDE	: Enabled	Onboard Serial Port 3	: 3E8
IDE Buffer for DOS & Win	: Enabled	Serial Port 3 Use IRQ	: IRQ10
		Onboard Serial Port 4	: 2E8
IDE HDD Block Mode	: Enabled	Serial Port 4 Use IRQ	: IRQ11
IDE Primary Master PIO	: Auto		
IDE Primary Slave PIO	: Auto		
Onboard FDC Controller	: Enabled		
Onboard UART1	: 3F8/IRQ4		
Onboard UART2	: 2F8/IRQ3		
Onboard UART 2 Mode	: Standard		
Onboard Parallel Port	: 378/IRQ7		
Parallel Port Mode	: Normal		
		ESC : Quit $\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$:Select Item
		F1 : Help PU/D/+/-	:Modify
		F5 :Old Values (Shift)	F2 : Color
		F6 :Load BIOS Defaults	
		F7 :Load Setup Defaults	

Power Management Setup

The Power management setup will appear on your screen like this:

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.

Power Management	: Disable	IRQ5 (LPT 2)	: ON
PM Control by APM	: Yes	IRQ6 (Floppy Disk)	: ON
Video Off Option	: Susp, Stby -> Off	IRQ7 (LPT 1)	: ON
Video Off Method	: DPMS Support	IRQ8 (RTC Alarm)	: OFF
MODEM Use IRQ	: 3	IRQ9 (IRQ2 Redir)	: ON
		IRQ10 (Reserved)	: OFF
** PM T	imers **	IRQ11 (Reserved)	: OFF
HDD Off After	: Disable	IRQ12 (PS/2 Mouse)	: ON
Doze Mode	: Disable	IRQ13 (Coprocessor)	:OFF
Standby Mode	: Disable	IRQ14 (Hard Disk)	: ON
Suspend Mode	: Disable	IRQ15 (Reserved)	: OFF
** PM Events **			
VGA	: OFF		
FDD(3FXh)	: ON		
LPT & COM	: LPT/COM	ESC: Quit $\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$: Select Item
HDD (1FXh)	: ON	F1: Help PU/PD/-	+ / - : Modify
NMI	: OFF	F5 : Old Values (Shi	ft)F2 : Color
IRQ3 (COM 2)	: ON	F6 : Load BIOS Defaults	
IRQ4 (COM 1)	: ON	F7 : Load Setup Defaults	

Power Management

This category allows you to select the type (or degree) of power saving and is directly related to the following modes:

- 1. Doze mode
- 2. Standby mode
- 3. Suspend mode
- 4. HDD power down

There are four selections for Power Management, three of which have fixed mode settings.

Item	Options	Descriptions
A. Power Management	1. Disable	Global Power Management will be disabled.
	2.User Define	Users can configure their own power management.
	3. Min Saving	Pre-defined timer values are used so that all timers are in their MAX value.
	4. Max Saving	Pre-defined timer values are used so that all timers are in MIN value.
B. PM Control by APM	1. No	System BIOS will ignore APM when power management is running the system.
	2. Yes	System BIOS will wait for APM prompt before it enters any PM mode e.g. DOZE, STANDBY or SUSPEND. Note: If APM is installed, and if there is a task running, even the timer is time out, the APM will not prompt the BIOS to put the system into any power saving mode!
		Note: – if APM is not installed, this option has no effect.
C. Video Off Option	1. Always On	System BIOS will never turn off the screen.
	2.Suspend -> Off	Screen off when system is in SUSPEN mode.
	3.Susp,Stby-> Off	Screen off when system is in STANDBY or SUSPEND mode.
	4.All Modes-> Off	Screen off when system is in DOZE, STANDBY or SUSPEND mode.
		Note: The M/B markers are recommended to fix this item to (2) or (3) and hide it by using MODBIN Utility.
D. Video Off Method	1.Blank Screen	The system BIOS will only blank off the screen when it disables the video.
	2. V/H SYNC +Blank	In addition to (1), BIOS will also turn off the V-SYNC & H-SYNC signals form VGA cards to monitor.
	3. DPMS	This function is enabled only for the VGA card supporting DPMS.
		Note: Green monitors detect the V/H SYNC signals to turn off its electron gun.

Item	Options	Descriptions		
E. MODEM	3	This set the IRQ number that modem		
Use IRQ		You can choose the IRQ no. by		
		vourself.		
F.HDD Power Down	1. Disable	HDD's motor will not be off.		
(#)Remark 2	2. 1 Min	Defines the continuous HDD idle time		
		before the HDD enters the power saving		
	2 Min 3 Min 4 Min	mode (motor off).		
	5 Min			
	6 Min 7 Min			
	8 Min			
	9 Min			
	10 Min 11 Min			
	12 Min			
	13 Min 14 Min			
	14 Min 15 Min			
	3 When	BIOS will turn the HDD motor off		
	Suspend	when system is in SUSPEND mode.		
		-(2) & (3) can be selected at the same		
		time.		
		 When HDD is in power saving mode, any access to the HDD will wake the 		
		HDD up.		
G. Doze mode (*) Remark 1	1. Disable	System will never enter the DOZE mode.		
() 10111111111	2. 10 Sec	Defines the continuous idle time before		
	20 Sec 30 Sec	the system enters the DOZE mode.		
	40 Sec	If any item defined in (J) is enabled and		
	1 Min	active, the DOZE timer will be		
	3 Min 5 Min	reloaded.		
	10 Min			
	15 Min 20 Min			
	30 Min			
	40 Min			
	1 Hr 2 Hr			
	3 Hr			
		Note: Normally, STANDBY mode puts the system into low speed or 8		
		MHz. The screen may be off		
		depending on (E).		

Item	Options	Descriptions
H. Standby Mode (*)Remark 1	1. Disable	System will never enter STANDBY mode.
	2. 10 Sec 20 Sec 30 Sec 40 Sec 1 Min 3 Min 5 Min 10 Min 15 Min 20 Min 30 Min 40 Min 1 Hr 2 Hr	Defines the continuous idle time before the system enters the STANDBY mode. If any item defined in (J) is enabled and active, The STANDBY timer will be reloaded.
	3 Hr	Note: Normally, STANDBY mode puts the system into low speed or 8 MHz. The screen may be off depending on (E).
I. Suspend Mode (*) Remark 1	1. Disable	System will never enter the SUSPEND mode.
	2. 10 Sec 20 Sec 30 Sec 40 Sec 1 Min 3 Min 5 Min 10 Min 15 Min 20 Min 30 Min 40 Min 1 Hr 2 Hr 3 Hr	Defines the continuous idle time before the system enters the SUSPEND mode. If any item defined in (J) is enabled and active, The SUSPEND timer will be reloaded.
		Note: Normally, When the SUSPEND mode puts the system into low speed or 8 MHz, the clock is stopped, and the screen may be off depending on (E).

Item	Options	Descriptions
J. VGA FDD(3FXh) LPT & COM HDD (1FXh) NMI IRQ3 (COM 2) IRQ4 (COM 1) IRQ5 (LPT 2) IRQ6 Floppy Disk) IRQ7 (LPT 1) IRQ8 (RTC Alarm) IRQ9 (IRQ2 Redir) IRQ10 (Reserved) IRQ11 (Reserved) IRQ11 (Reserved) IRQ12(PS/2 mouse) IRQ13(Coprocessor) IRQ14 (Hard Disk) IRQ15 (Reserved)	1. OFF 2. ON	The specified event activity will not affect the PM timers. The specified event activity causes the PM Timers to be reloaded. For example, the Power Management Unit (PMU) monitors the specified activities as PM events.

Remark 1: All items mark with (*) in this menu, will be loaded with predefined values as long as the item 'Power Management' is not configured to 'User Defined'

These items are: Item 'System Doze', 'System Standby' & 'System Suspend'

Remark 2: Although the item 'HDD Power Down' is not controlled by the item 'Power Management' in terms of timer value, the HDD (s) will not power down if the global power management is disabled!

PCI Configuration Setup

You can manually configure the PCI Device's IRQ. The following pages tell you the options of each item and describe the meaning of each option.

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS PCI CONFIGURATION SETUP AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.

PnP BIOS auto-config : Disabled Slot 1 Using INT# : AUTO Slot 2 Using INT# : AUTO Slot 3 Using INT# : AUTO Slot 4 Using INT# : AUTO	CPU to PCI Write buffer : Enabled CPU to PCI Byte Merge : Enabled PCI to DRAM Buffer : Enabled
1st Available IRQ : 10 2 nd Available IRQ : 11 3rd Available IRQ : 12 4th Available IRQ : 9 PCI IRQ Actived By : Level PCI IDE 2nd Channel : Enable PCI IDE IRQ Map To : PCI-AUTO Primary IDE INT# : A	
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The following pages tell you the options of each item and describe the meaning of each option.

Item	Options	Descriptions
A . Slot 1 Using INT#	AUTO	AUTO : BIOS will
Slot 2 Using INT#	A	 Ask the PCI device
Slot 3 Using INT#	В	which INT (A-D) does
Slot 4 Using INT#	C	it want to use for
	D	interrupt.
		 Check out which IRQ
		is available from the
		above.
		 Tell the device which
		IRQ has been assigned
		to it.

Item	Options	Descriptions
A . Slot 1 Using INT#	AUTO	A,B,C,D : These options are
Slot 2 Using INT#	A	reserved for "Dirty"
Slot 3 Using INT#	В	cards from which the
Slot 4 Using INT#	Č	system BIOS cannot tell
	D	which INT does it use.
		Note:
		 Choose "AUTO" for all devices
		unless you know exactly which
		card is a dirty device and which
		INTs that card uses.
		- Choose only "AUTO" for
		Multi- Function PCI devices
		because options A, B, C, D will
		force the BIOS to assign IRQs
D 1 / A 111 TDO	2	for function only.
B. 1st Available IRQ 2nd Available IRQ	3	The system BIOS will assign these 4 available IRQs to the found PCI
3rd Available IRQ	4 5 7	devices.
4th Available IRQ	7	devices.
4th Avanable INQ	9	
	10	
	11	
	12	
	14	
	15	
	NA	
C. PCI IRQ Activated	Edge	To tell the chipset the IRQ signals
by	Level	input is level or edge trigger.
D. PCI IDE 2nd	Enable	Enable/disable 2nd channel of
Channel	Disable	PCI/IDE card. It includes I/O port
		(170H~177H) and IRQ 15
E DCI IDE IDO	DCI AUTO	assignment
E. PCI IDE IRQ	PCI-AUTO PCI-SLOT1	<u>PCI-AUTO</u>
Map To	PCI-SLOT1 PCI-SLOT2	The BIOS will:
	PCI-SLOT2 PCI-SLOT3	 scan for PCI IDE devices and
	PCI-SLOT3	determine the location of the
	ISA	PCI IDE device
		(See item below)

Item	Options	Description
E. PCI IDE IRQ Map	PCI-AUTO PCI-SLOT1 PCI-SLOT2 PCI-SLOT3 PCI-SLOT4 ISA	PCI-SLOT1 PCI-SLOT2 PCI-SLOT3 PCI-SLOT4 - assign IRQ 14 for primary IDE INT# IRQ 15 for secondary IDE INT# for the specified slot ISA - The BIOS will not assign any IRQs even if PCI IDE card is found. Because some IDE cards connect the IRQ 14 & 15 directly from ISA slot through a cord. (This cord is called Legacy Header)
F. Primary IDE INT# Secondary IDE INT#	A B	To assign the interrupt number that is using by the PCI IDE card.

Supervisor/User Password Setting

You can set either supervisor or user password, or both of them. The differences between are:

Supervisor password: can ether and change the options of the setup menus.

User password : just can only enter but do not have the right to change the options of the setup menus.

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

ENTER PASSWORD:

Type the password, up to eight characters in length, and press <Enter>. The password typed now will clear any previously entered password from CMOS memory. 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 will confirm the password will be disabled. Once the password is disabled, the system will boot and you can enter Setup freely.

PASSWORD DISABLED.

When a password has been enabled, you will be prompted to enter it every time you try to enter setup. This prevents an unauthorized person from changing any part of your system configuration.

Additionally, when a password is enabled, you can also require the BIOS to request a password every time your system is rebooted. This would prevent unauthorized use of your computer.

IDE HDD Auto Detection

The Enhance IDE features was included in all Award BIOS. The following is a brief description of this feature.

1. Setup Changes

<I> Auto-detection

BIOS setup will display all possible modes that are supported by the HDD including NORMAL, LBA & LARGE.

If HDD does not support LBA modes, no 'LBA' option will be shown.

If the number of cylinders is less than or equal to 1024, no 'LARGE' option will be shown.

Users can select a mode that is appropriate for them.

ROM/PCI/ISA BOPS CMOS SETUP UTILITY AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.

	CYLS. F	IEADS	PREC	OMP LAN	IDZONE S	ECTOR:	S MODE
Drive C:							
		Sele	ect Driv	e C Option (N	N = Skip) : N		
OPTIO 2 (Y		CYLS 648	HEADS 64	PRECOMP 0	LANDZONE 2594	SECTO 63	RS MODE LBA
1	1339	2595	16	65535	2594	63	NORMAL
3	1338	1297	32	65535	2594	63	LARGE

<II> Standard CMOS Setup

	(CYLS	HEADS	PRECOMP	LANDZONE SE	CTOR	MODE
Drive C:	User (516MB)	1120	16	65535	1119	59	NORMAL
Drive D :	None (203MB)	684	16	65535	685	38	

BIOS Setup

When HDD type is in 'user' type, the "MODE" option will be opened for user to select their own HDD mode.

(2) HDD Modes

The Award BIOS supports 3 HDD modes: NORMAL, LBA & LARGE

NORMAL mode

This is the generic access mode in which neither the BIOS nor the IDE controller will make any transformation during accessing.

The maximum number of cylinders, heads & sectors for NORMAL mode are 1024, 16 & 63.

	no. Cyclinder	(1024)
X	no. Head	(16)
X	no. Sector	(63)
X	no. per sector	(512)
	·	528 Megabytes

If a user set his HDD to NORMAL mode, the maximum accessible HDD size will be 528 Megabytes even though its physical size may be greater than that.

LBA (Logical Block Addressing) mode

This is a new HDD accessing method to overcome the 528-Megabyte bottleneck. The number of cylinders, heads & sectors shown in setup may not be the number physically contained in the HDD.

During HDD accessing, the IDE controller will transform the logical address described by sector, head & cylinder number into its own physical address inside the HDD.

The maximum HDD size supported by LBA mode is 8.4 Gigabytes, which is obtained by the following formula:

	no. Cyclinder	(1024)
X	no. Head	(255)
X	no. Sector	(63)
X	bytes per sector	(512)
		8.4 Gigabytes

LARGE mode

This is an extended HDD access mode supported by the Award Software.

Some IDE HDDs contain more than 1024 cylinder without the LBA support (in some cases, user do not want LBA). The Award BIOS provides another alternative to support these kinds of HDD.

Example of LARGE mode:

CYLS.	HEADS SECTOR		MODE	
1120	16	59	NORMAL	
560	32	59	LARGE	

BIOS tricks DOS (or other OS) that the number of cylinders is less than 1024 by dividing it by 2. At the same time, 2 multiply the number of heads. A reverse transformation process will be made inside INT13h in order to access the right HDD address.

Maximum HDD size:

	no. Cyclinder	(1024)
X	no. Head	(32)
X	no. Sector	(63)
X	bytes per sector	(512)
		1 Gigabytes

(3) Remarks

To support LBA or LARGE mode of HDDs, there must be some software involved. All these software are located in the Award HDD Service Routine (INT 13h). You may not be able to access a HDD with LBA (LARGE) mode selected if you are running under an Operating System which replaces the whole INT 13h.

Hard Disk Low Level Format Utility

This Award Low-Level-Format Utility is designed as a tool to save your time when you format your hard disk. This Utility automatically looks for the necessary information of the drive you selected. It also searches for bad tracks and lists them for your reference.

Shown below is the Main Menu after you enter into the Award Low-Level-Format Utility.

Hard disk Low-level-format Utility
SELECT DRIVE
BAD TRACKE LIST
PREFORMAT

Current select drive is: C

DRIVE: C CYLINDER: 0 HEAD: 0

NO. CYLS HEAD

		CYLINDER	HEAD	PRECOMP	LANDZONE	SECTOR	MODE
Drive C:	1282 Mb	621	64	0	2483	63	LBA
Drive D:	0 Mb	0	0	65535	65535	0	AUTO

Up/Down - Select item	Enter - Accept	ESC-Exit/Abort
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Control Keys

Use the Up and Down arrow keys to move around the selections displayed on the upper screen. Press [Enter] to accept the selection. Press Esc to abort the selection or exit the Utility.

SELECT DRIVE

Select from installed hard disk drive C or D. Listed at the bottom of the screen is the drive automatically detected by the utility.

BAD TRACK LIST

Auto scan bad track

The utility will automatically scan bad tracks and list the bad tracks in the window at the right side of the screen.

Add bad track

Directly type in the information of the known bad tracks in the window at the right side of the screen.

Modify bad track

Modify the information of the added bad tracks in the window at the right side of the screen.

Delete bad track

Delete the added bad tracks in the window at the right side of the screen.

Clear bad track table

Clear the whole bad track list in the window at the right side of the screen.

PREFORMAT

Interleave

Select the interleave number of the hard disk drive on which you wish to perform low level format. You may select from 1 to 8. Check the documentation that came with the drive for the correct interleave number, or select 0 for utility automatic detection.

Auto scan bad track

This allows the utility to scan first then format by each track.

Start

Press <Y> to start low level format.

BIOS Setup

Power-On Boot

After you have made all the changes to CMOS values and the system cannot boot with the CMOS values selected in Setup, restart the system by turning it OFF then ON or Pressing the "RESET" button on the system case. You may also restart by simultaneously press <Ctrl>, <Alt>, and <Delete> keys. Upon restart the system, immediately press <Insert> to load BIOS default CMOS value for boot up.

BIOS Reference - POST Codes

NOTE: ISA POST codes are typically output to port address 80h.

POST (hex)	Description			
C0	1.Turn off OEM specific cache, shadow			
	2. Initialize all the standard devices with default values			
	Standard devices includes:			
	-DMA controller (8237)			
	-Programmable Interrupt Controller (8259)			
	-Programmable Interval Timer (8254)			
CI	-RTC chip			
C1	Auto-detection of onboard DRAM & Cache			
C3	1. Test system BIOS checksum			
	2. Test the first 256K DRAM			
	3. Expand the compresses codes into temporary DRAM area			
C.F.	including the compresses System BIOS & Option ROMs			
C5	Copy the BIOS from ROM into E0000-FFFFF shadow RAM so that POST will go faster			
01-02	Reserved			
03	Initialize EISA registers (EISA BIOS only)			
04	Reserved			
05	Keyboard Controller Self-Test			
	2. Enable Keyboard Interface			
06	Reserved			
07	Verifies CMOS basic R/W functionality			
BE	Program defaults values into chipset according to the MODBINable Chipset Default Table			
09	Program the configuration register of Cyrix CPU according to the MODBINable Cyrix Register Table			
	2. OEM specific cache initialization (if needed)			

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POST(hex)	Description
0A	1. Initialize the first 32 interrupt vectors with corresponding
	Interrupt handlers Initialize INT no from 33-120 with
	Dummy (Spurious) Interrupt Handler
	2. Issue CPUID instruction to identify CPU type
0.00	3. Early Power Management initialization (OEM specific)
0B	1. Verify the RTC time is valid or not 2. Detect bad battery
	3. Read CMOS data into BIOS stack area
	4. PnP initializations including (PnP BIOS only)
	-Assign CSN to PnP ISA card
	-Create resource map from ESCD
	5. Assign IO & Memory for PCI devices (PCI BIOS only)
0C	Initialization of the BIOS Data Area (40 : 0N – 40:FF)
0D	Program some of the Chipset value according to Setup. (Early Setup Value Program)
	2. Measure CPU speed for display & decide the system clock
	Speed
	3. Video initialization including Monochrome, CGA, EGA/VGA.
	If no display device is found, the speaker will beep
0E	1. Initialize the APIC (Multi-Processor BIOS only)
	2. Test video RAM (If Monochrome display device found)
	3. Show messages including: -Award Logo, Copyright string, BIOS Date code & Part No.
	-OEM specific sign on messages
	-Energy Star Logo (Green BIOS ONLY)
	-CPU brand, type & speed
	-Test system BIOS checksum (Non-Compress Version)
0F	DMA channel 0 test
10	DMA channel 1 test
11	DMA page registers test
12-13	Reserved
14	Test 8254 Timer 0 Counter 2.
15	Test 8259 interrupt mask bits for channel 1
16	Test 8259 interrupt mask bits for channel 2
17	Reserved
19	Test 8259 functionality
1A-1D	Reserved
1E	If EISA NVM checksum is good, execute EISA initialization (EISA BIOS only)
1F-29	Reserved
30	Detect Base Memory & Extended Memory Size
31	1. Test Base Memory from 256K to 640K
	2. Test Extended Memory from 1M to the top of memory

POST(hex)	Description
32	1. Display the Award Plug & Play BIOS Extension message
	(PnP BIOS only)
	2. Program all onboard super I/O chips (if any) including COM
	ports, LPT ports, FDD port according to setup value
33-3B	Reserved
3C	Set flag to allow users to enter CMOS Setup Utility
3D	1. Initialize Keyboard
25	2. Install PS2 mouse
3E	Try to turn on Level 2 cache
	Note: Some chipset may need the L2 cache to be turned on in this stage. But usually, the cache is turned on later
	in POST 61h
3F-40	Reserved
BF	Program the rest of the Chipset value according to Setup.
Di	(Later Setup Value Program)
	2. If auto-configuration is enabled, programmed the chipset
	with predefined values in the MODBINable Auto-Table
41	Initialize floppy disk drive controller
42	Initialize Hard drive controller
43	If it is a PnP BIOS, initialize serial & parallel ports
44	Reserved
45	Initialize math coprocessor.
46-4D	Reserved
4E	If there is any error detected (such as video, kb), show
	all the error messages on the screen & wait for user to
45	press <f1> key</f1>
4F	I. If password is needed, ask for password Clear the Energy Star Logo (Green BIOS only)
50	Write all CMOS values currently in the BIOS stack area
30	back into the CMOS
51	Reserved
52	1. Initialize all ISA ROMs
	2. Later PCI initializations (PCI BIOS only)
	-assign IRQ to PCI devices
	-initialize all PCI ROMs
	3. PnP Initializations (PnP BIOS only)
	-assign IO, Memory, IRQ & DMA to PnP ISA devices -initialize all PnP ISA ROMs
	4. Program shadows RAM according to Setup settings
	5. Program parity according to Setup setting
	6. Power Management Initialization
	-Enable/Disable global PM
	-APM interface initialization
53	1. If it is NOT a PnP BIOS, initialize serial & parallel ports
	2. Initialize time value in BIOS data area by translate the
	RTC time value into a timer tick value
60	Setup Virus Protection (Boot Sector Protection) functionality
	according to Setup setting

POST(hex)	Description
61	1. Try to turn on Level 2 cache
	Note: if L2 cache has already turned on in POST 3D, this
	part would be skipped
	2. Set the boot up speed according to Setup setting
	3. Last chance for Chipset initialization
	4. Last chance for Power Management initialization (Green
	BIOS only)
	5. Show the system configuration table
62	Setup daylight saving according to Setup value
	2. Program the NUM Lock, typematic rate & typematic speed
	according to Setup setting
63	1. If there is any change in the hardware configuration,
	update the ESCD information (PnP BIOS only)
	2. Clear memory that has been used
	3. Boot system via INT 19H
FF	System Booting. This means that the BIOS has already
	passed the control right to the operating system

Unexpected Errors:

POST(hex)	Description
B0	If interrupt occurs in protected mode.
B1	Unclaimed NMI occurs

Chapter 5

Display

The on-board VGA interface of the GT-400 supports traditional analog CRT monitors and a wide range of popular LCD, EL, and gas plasma flat panel displays. It can drive CRT displays with resolutions up to 1024x768 in 256 colors. It is also capable of driving color panel displays with resolutions of 640x480 in 256K colors.

5.1 Drivers and Utilities

5.1.1 Microsoft Windows 3.1

The graphic installation program "SETUP.EXE" supports a simple installation procedure of the display driver program. You may install these drivers either through Windows or in DOS. To use Setup, follow the steps as below:

- 1. Ensure that MS Windows 3.1 is up and running properly, using the standard VGA driver. Exit from Windows.
- 2. Place the Windows 3.1x display Driver Diskette in drive A. Type A:<ENTER> to make it be the default drive. Type SETUP <ENTER> to run the drive SETUP program. Press any key to get to the application list. Using the arrow keys, select Windows Version 3.1 and press <ENTER> key. Press <ENTER> key to select All Resolutions, then press <END> to begin the installation. At this point, you will be asked for the path to your Windows system directory (default C:\WINDOWS). When the installation is complete, press any key to continue. Press <ESC> key followed by Y to exit to DOS.
- 3. Change to the directory where you installed Windows (default C:\WINDOWS)
- 4. Type **SETUP<ENTER>** to run the Windows Setup program. It will show the current Windows configuration. Use the "up" arrow key to move to the Display line and press **ENTER>**. A list of display drivers will be shown. Use the arrow keys to select one of the drivers starting with an asterisk (*) and press **ENTER>**.
- 5. Follow the directions on the screen to complete the setup. In most cases, you may press **<ENTER>** to accept the suggested option. When setup is done, it will return to **DOS**. Type **<WIN>** to start Windows with the new display driver.

5.1.2 MS Windows 95 / NT Mode Driver Install

- 1. <u>ENSURE</u> that the MS Windows 95 or NT is up and running properly using the VGA driver that has been detected.
- 2. <u>OPEN</u> the "My computer" program group and <u>SELECT</u> the "Control Panel" icon.
- 3. <u>SELECT</u> the "Display" icon and then <u>SELECT</u> the "Settings" page.
- 4. <u>SELECT</u> the "*Change Display Type*" selection bar, and then <u>SELECT</u> the "*Change*" button next to the Adapter Type.
- 5. On the "Select Device" page, <u>SELECT</u> the "Have Disk" button to install the display driver from the diskette.
- 6. After the "*Have Disk*" button selected a "*Install From Disk*" window will appear. <u>SELECT</u> the "*Browse*" button to browse the directory "X:\WIN95" of your diskette drive. (X=A or B)
- 7. The files *.INF will appear under the file name list. SELECT "OK" to return to the "Install From Disk" window. Under the statement "Copy manufacturer's files from" SELECT "OK" to start installing the driver files from the FLOPPY drive.
- 8. "Select device" window will appear. Under Models, the driver file name will be listed, <u>SELECT</u> "OK" to close "Select Device" window and select "Color Palette" and "Desktop Area" of your choice.
- 9. Once the desired color palette (the number of colors) and desktop area (resolution) has been chosen, the Windows 95 or NT system will be restarted to load this accelerated driver.

5.1.3 MS Windows 95 Refresh Rate Utility Regulation

- Open the "My computer" program group and <u>SELECT</u> the "Control panel" icon.
- 2. Double click on *DISPLAY* and <u>SELECT</u> "*CHIPS*". There will now be a refresh tab for changing the refresh rate. You may click the tab to change the refresh rate.

5.2 Panel Support

The GT-400 SBC board provides a very convenient way to setup panels that are up to 14 types. The factory is default set as CRT mode. For connecting to flat panel, please contact with the distributor.

I. For 40K BIOS

If you install a standard 40K BIOS on the board, the GT-400 board supports 8 panels as follows:

Panel #	Panel Type
1	1024x768 Dual Scan STN Color Panel
2	1280x1024 TFT Color Panel
3	640x480 Dual Scan Color Panel
4	800x600 Dual Scan Color Panel
5	640x480 Sharp TFT Color Panel
6	640x480 18-bit TFT Color Panel
7	1024x768 TFT Color Panel
8	800x600 TFT Color Panel

Meanwhile, please also set the jumpers on JP9 as the following:

Panel #	7-8	5-6	3-4	1-2
1	Open	Close	Close	Close
2	Open	Close	Close	Open
3	Open	Close	Open	Close
4	Open	Close	Open	Open
5	Open	Open	Close	Close
6	Open	Open	Close	Open
7	Open	Open	Open	Close
8	Open	Open	Open	Open

II. For 44K BIOS

If you install a standard 44K BIOS on the board, the GT-400 board supports 14 panels as the following: $\frac{14}{12}$

Panel #	Panel Type
1	1024x768 Dual Scan STN Color Panel
2	1280x1024 TFT Color Panel
3	640x480 Dual Scan Color Panel
4	800x600 Dual Scan Color Panel
5	640x480 Sharp TFT Color Panel
6	640x480 18-bit TFT Color Panel
7	1024x768 TFT Color Panel
8	800x600 TFT Color Panel
9	800x600 TFT Color Panel (44K BIOS only)
10	800x600 TFT Color Panel (44K BIOS only)
11	800x600 Dual Scan Color Panel (44K BIOS only)
12	800x600 Dual Scan Color Panel (44K BIOS only)
13	1024x768 TFT Color Panel (44K BIOS only)
14	1024x 768 TFT Color Panel (44K BIOS only)
15	Reserved
16	Reserved

Meanwhile, please also set the jumpers on **JP9** as the following:

Panel #	7-8	5-6	3-4	1-2
1	Close	Close	Close	Close
2	Close	Close	Close	Open
3	Close	Close	Open	Close
4	Close	Close	Open	Open
5	Close	Open	Close	Close
6	Close	Open	Close	Open
7	Close	Open	Open	Close
8	Close	Open	Open	Open
9	Open	Close	Close	Close
10	Open	Close	Close	Open

(to be continued...)

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Panel #	7-8	5-6	3-4	1-2
11	Open	Close	Open	Close
12	Open	Close	Open	Open
13	Open	Open	Close	Close
14	Open	Open	Close	Open
15	Open	Open	Open	Close
16	Open	Open	Open	Open

5.3 Video Modes

The display chipset C&T 65550 support all standard VGA modes as well as a wide selection of extended modes. The following table lists the modes and vertical refresh rates that BIOS can support.

Table 1: Standard Video Display Modes

Table	1. Stai	ndard Vi	ueo Disp	nay wi	Jues						
	VESA	Pixel						Dot	Horiz.	Vert	Video
Video	VBE	Reso-	Color	Mode	Display	Font	Char.	Clock	Freq.	Freq	Mem.
Mode	Mode	lution	Res.	Type	Adapter	Size	Disp.	(MHz)	(MHz)	(Hz)	(KB)
00h		320x200	16(gray)	Text	CGA	8x8	40x25	25	31.5	70	256
		320x350	16(gray)		EGA	8x14	40x25	25	31.5	70	256
		360x400	16		VGA	9x16	40x25	28	31.5	70	256
01h		320x200	16	Text	CGA	8x8	40x25	25	31.5	70	256
		320x350	16		EGA	8x14	40x25	25	31.5	70	256
		360x400	16		VGA	9x16	40x25	28	31.5	70	256
02h		640x200	16(gray)	Text	CGA	8x8	80x25	25	31.5	70	256
		640x350	16(gray)		EGA	8x14	80x25	25	31.5	70	256
		720x400	16		VGA	9x16	80x25	28	31.5	70	256
03h		640x200	16	Text	CGA	8x8	80x25	25	31.5	70	256
		640x350	16		EGA	8x14	80x25	25	31.5	70	256
		720x400	16		VGA	9x16	80x25	28	31.5	70	256
04h		320x200	4	Graph	All	8x8	40x25	25	31.5	70	256
05h		320x200	4(gray)	Graph	CGA	8x8	40x25	25	31.5	70	256
		320X200	4(gray)		EGA	8x8	40x25	25	31.5	70	256
		320X200	4		VGA	8x8	40x25	25	31.5	70	256
06h		640x200	2	Graph	All	8x8	80x25	25	31.5	70	256
07h		720x350	Mono	Text	MDA	9x14	80x25	28	31.5	70	256
		720x350	Mono		EGA	9x14	80x25	28	31.5	70	256
		720x400	Mono		VGA	9x16	80x25	28	31.5	70	256
08h-0C	h	Rese	rved		-		-				
0Dh		320x200	16	Graph	E/VGA	8x8	40x25	25	31.5	70	256
0Eh		640x200	16	Graph	E/VGA	8x8	80x25	25	31.5	70	256
0Fh		640x350	Mono	Graph	E/VGA	8x14	80x25	25	31.5	70	256
10h		640x350	16	Graph	E/VGA	8x14	80x25	25	31.5	70	256
11h		640x480	2	Graph	VGA	8x16	80x30	25	31.5	60	256
12h		640x480	16	Graph	VGA	8x16	80x30	25	31.5	60	256
13h		320x200	256	Graph	VGA	8x8	40x25	25	31.5	70	256

Table 2: Extended Video Modes

	VESA	Pixel						Dot	Horiz.	Vert	Video
Video	VESA	Reso-	Color	Mode	Mem.	Font	Char.	Clock	Freq.	Freq	Mem.
Mode	Mode	lution	Res.		Org	Size	Disp.	(MHz)	(MHz)	(Hz)	(KB)
20h	120	640x480	16	Type Graph(L)		8x16	•	25.175	31.5	60	256
20n	120	040X480	10	Graph(L)	Pack	8X10	80X30				
								31.5	37.5	75	256
								36	43.3	85	256
22h	122	800x600	16	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	100x37	36	35.1	56	256
								40	37.9	60	256
								49.5	46.9	75	256
								56.25	53.7	85	256
24h	124	1024x768	16	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	128x48	44.9	35.5	43(I)	384
								65	48.4	60	384
								78.75	60	75	384
								94.5	68.7	85	384
28h	128	1280x102	4 16	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	160x64	8.75	47	43(I)	640
								108	64	60	640
2Ah*		1600x120	0 16	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	200x75				938
30h	101h	640x480	256	Graph(L)		8x16	80x30	25.175	31.5	60	300
								31.5	37.5	75	300
								36	43.3	85	300
31h	100h	640x400	256	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	80x25	25.175	31.5	70	256
32h	103h	800x600	256	Graph(L)		8x16	100x37	36	35.1	56	469
								40	37.9	60	469
								49.5	46.9	75	469
								56.25	53.7	85	469
34h	105h	1024x768	256	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	128x48		35.5	43(I)	768
								65	48.4	60	768
								78.75	60	75	768
								94.5	68.7	85	768
38h	107h	1280x102	4 256	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	160x64		47	43(I)	1280
					1 1/			108	64	60	1280

Notes: I = Interlaced L = Linear *=Modes 3Ah is for flat panel only

Table 2: Extended Video Modes (continued)

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****	VESA	Pixel	<i>a</i> ·			-	C1	Dot	Horiz.	Vert	Video
Video	VBE	Reso-	Color	Mode	Mem.	Font	Char.	Clock	Freq.	Freq	Mem.
Mode	Mode	lution	Res.	Type	Org	Size	Disp.	(MHz)	(MHz)	(Hz)	(KB)
3Ah*		1600x1200	256	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	200x75	-			1875
40h	110h	640x480	32K	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	80x30	25.175	31.5	60	600
								31.5	37.5	75	600
								36	43.3	85	600
41h	111h	640x480	64K	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	80x30	25.175	31.5	60	600
								31.5	37.5	75	600
								36	43.3	85	600
42h	113h	800x600	32K	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	100x37	36	35.1	56	938
								40	37.9	60	938
								49.5	46.9	75	938
								56.25	53.7	85	938
43h	114h	800x600	64K	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	100x37	36	35.1	56	938
								40	37.9	60	938
								49.5	46.9	75	938
								56.25	53.7	85	938
44h	116h	1024x768	32K	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	128x48		35.5	43(I)	1536
								65	48.4	60	1536
45h	117h	1024x768	64K	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	128x48	44.9	35.5	43(I)	1536
								65	48.4	60	1536
50h	112h	640x480	16M	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	80x30	25.175	31.5	60	900
								31.5	37.5	75	900
								36	43.3	85	900
52h	115h	800x600	16M	Graph(L)	Pack Pix	8x16	100x37	36	35.1	56	1407
								40	37.9	60	1407
6Ah	102h	800x600	16	Graph	Planar	8x16	100x37	36	35.1	56	256
								40	37.8	60	256
								49.5	46.9	75	256
								56.25	53.7	85	256

Notes: I = Interlaced L = Linear * =Modes 3Ah is for flat panel only

Table 2: Extended Video Modes (continued)

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	VESA	Pixel						Dot	Horiz.	Vert	Video
Video	VBE	Reso-	Color	Mode	Mem.	Font	Char.	Clock	Freq.	Freq	Mem.
Mode	Mode	lution	Res.	Type	Org	Size	Disp.	(MHz)	(MHz)	(Hz)	(KB)
64h	104h	1024x768	16	Graph	Planar	8x16	128x48	44.9	35.5	43(I)	384
								65	48.4	60	384
								78.75	60	75	384
								94.5	68.7	85	384
68h	106h	1280x1024	16	Graph	Planar	8x16	160x64	78.75	47	43(I)	640
								108	64	60	640
70h	101h	640x480	256	Graph	Pack Pix	8x16	80x30	25.175	31.5	60	300
								31.5	37.5	75	300
								36	43.3	85	300
71h	100h	640x400	256	Graph	Pack Pix	8x16	80x25	25.175	31.5	70	256
72h	103h	800x600	256	Graph	Pack Pix	8x16	100x37	36	35.1	56	469
								40	37.9	60	469
								49.5	46.9	75	469
								56.25	53.7	85	469
74h	105h	1024x768	256	Graph	Pack Pix	8x16	128x48	44.9	35.5	43(I)	768
								65	48.4	60	768
								78.75	60	75	768
								94.5	68.7	85	768
78h	107h	1280x1024	256	Graph	Pack Pix	8x16	160x64	78.75	47	43(I)	1280
								108	64	60	1280

Notes: I = Interlaced L = Linear

Appendix A

Watchdog Timer

Watchdog Timer Configuration

The watchdog timer will reset the system automatically if the system program does not refresh the watchdog timer during the watchdog time out interval. It is defined at I/O port 0443H and 043H to enable/disable the watchdog time out function.

Regarding to the watchdog function, user must have a program to set the watchdog time out value, and refresh the watchdog timer cycle. If the system program goes into a dead loop or goes into an abnormal cycle, the watchdog timer cannot be refreshed immediately. Meanwhile, watchdog timer will reset the system automatically. "disable watchdog output then enable watchdog output" will refresh the watchdog timer.

The following flowchart shows the normal structure of system program.

Watchdog timer examples:

(1) Setup watchdog timer time out value:

```
mov al,0ah
mov dx,70h
out dx,al
jmp short $+2
mov dx,71h
in al,dx
jmp short $+2
and al,0f0h
add ax,TimeValue
; TimeValue= 00h..0fh, reference as
following watchdog time out table
out dx,al
jmp short $+2
mov al, 0bh
mov dx, 70h
```

Watch Dog Timer

out dx, al jmp short \$+2 mov dx, 71h in al, dx jmp short \$+2 or al, 08h out dx, al jmp short \$+2

Watchdog Time Out Table:

Time Value	Time Out			
0	None			
1	0.5 sec.			
2	1 sec.			
3	0.015 sec.			
4	0.03 sec.			
5	0.06 sec.			
6	0.125 sec.			
7	0.25 sec.			

Time Value	Time Out
8	0.5 sec.
9	1 sec.
A	2 sec.
В	4 sec.
С	8 sec.
D	16 sec.
Е	32 sec.
F	64 sec.

(2) **Enable watchdog output**:

mov dx, 443h in al, dx jmp short \$+2

; SET WATCH DOG ENABLE

(3) **Disable watchdog output:**

mov dx,043h in al,dx jmp short \$+2 ; SET WATCH DOG DISABLE

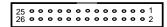
Watch Dog Timer

Appendix B

Connectors' Pin Assignment

Parallel port connector

PRN



Drawing of parallel port box header

Parallel/Printer connector (PRN)

Pin no.	Signal
1	Strobe
2	Data 0
3	Data 1
4	Data 2
5	Data 3
6	Data 4
7	Data 5
8	Data 6
9	Data 7
10	-Acknowledge
11	Busy
12	Paper Empty
13	+ Select
14	- Auto Feed
15	- Error
16	- INIT Printer
17	- Select Input
18-25	Ground

HDD Connector (IDE)

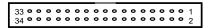
Drawing of IDE 44 pin box header

Pin no.	Signal	Pin no.	Signal
1	- RST	2	GND
3	D7	4	D8
5	D6	6	D9
7	D5	8	D10
9	D4	10	D11
11	D3	12	D12
13	D2	14	D13
15	D1	16	D14
17	D0	18	D15
19	GND	20	N.C.
21	N.C.	22	GND
23	IOW	24	GND
25	IOR	26	GND
27	IORDY	28	N.C.
29	N.C.	30	GND
31	IRQ	32	-IO CS16
33	A1	34	N.C.
35	A0	36	A2
37	CS0	38	CS1
39	-ACT	40	GND
41	VCC	42	VCC
43	GND	44	N.C.

Pin Assignments

FDD Connector (FDD)

FDD



Drawing of FDD 34 pin box header

Pin no.	Signal
1-33(odd)	GND
2	High Density
4, 6	Unused
8	Index
10	Motor Enable A
12	Driver Select B
14	Driver Select A
16	Motor Enable B
18	Direction
20	Step Pulse
22	Write Data
24	Write Enable
26	Track 0
28	Write Protect
30	Read Data
32	Select Head
34	Disk Change

CRT Display Connector (VGA)

VGA



Drawing of VGA box header

Pin no.	Signal
1	RED
2	GND
3	GREEN
4	N/C
5	BLUE
6	GND
7	N/C
8	N/C
9	GND
10	GND
11	GND
12	H-SYNC
13	N/C
14	V-SYNC
15	N/C
16	N/C

Flat Panel Display Connector pin header (LCD)

LCD

Drawing of flat panel 44 pin box header

Pin no.	Signal	Pin no.	Signal
1	+12V	2	+12V
3	GND	4	GND
5	VDD	6	VDD
7	ENVEE	8	GND
9	P0	10	P1
11	P2	12	P3
13	P4	14	P5
15	P6	16	P7
17	P8	18	P9
19	P10	20	P11
21	P12	22	P13
23	P14	24	P15
25	P16	26	P17
27	P18	28	P19
29	P20	30	P21
31	P22	32	P23
33	GND	34	GND
35	CLOCK	36	FLM
37	M	38	LP
39	GND	40	EN_BKL
41	GND	42	ENVDD
43	VDD	44	VDD

Pin Assignments

Serial port connector



Drawing of serial port box header

RS-232 Connector (COM1, COM3, COM4)

Pin no.	Signal
1	DCD
2	DSR
3	RX
4	RTS
5	TX
6	CTS
7	DTR
8	RI
9	GND
10	VCC

RS-232/422/485 Connector (COM2)

Pin no.	RS232	RS422	RS485
1	DCD	TX-	DATA-
2	DSR	RTS +	
3	RX	TX+	DATA+
4	RTS	RTS -	
5	TX	RX+	
6	CTS	CTS +	
7	DTR	RX-	
8	RI	CTS -	
9	GND	GND	
10	N.C.	N.C.	

Pin Assignments

Ethernet connector pin header (J3)

LAN

Drawing of ethernet pin header

Pin no.	signal
1	TX+
2	TX-
3	RX+
4	NC
5	NC
6	RX-
7	NC
8	N.C.

PC/104 Connector

PC104



Drawing of PC104 pin header

Pin no.	A	В	C	D
1	IOCHCHK*	GND	SBHE	MEMCS16*
2	SD7	RESETDRV	LA23	IOSC16*
3	SD6	+5V	LA22	IRQ10
4	SD5	IRQ9	LA21	IRQ11
5	SD4	-5V	LA20	IRQ12
6	SD3	DRQ2	LA19	IRQ15
7	SD2	-12V	LA18	IRQ14
8	SD1	OWS*	LA17*	DACK0*
9	SD0	+12V	MEMR*	DRQ0*
10	IOCHRDY*	GND	MEMW*	DACK5*
11	AEN	SMEMW*	SD8	DRQ5
12	SA19	SMEMR*	SD9	DACK6*
13	SA18	IOW*	SD10	DRQ6
14	SA17	IOR*	SD11	DACK7*
15	SA16	DACK3*	SD12	DRQ7
16	SA15	DRQ3	SD13	+5V
17	SA14	DACK1*	SD14	MASTER*
18	SA13	DRQ1	SD15	GND
19	SA12	REFRESH*	NC	GND
20	SA11	SYSCLK		
21	SA10	IRQ7		
22	SA9	IRQ6		
23	SA8	IRQ5		
24	SA7	IRQ4		
25	SA6	IRQ3		
26	SA5	DACK2*		
27	SA4	TC		
28	SA3	BALE		
29	SA2	+5V		
30	SA1	OSC		
31	SA0	GND		
32	GND	GND		

Pin Assignments

Appendix C

Installing DiskOnChip of M-systems

. Installing the DiskOnChip 2000 :

When installing or removing the DiskOnChip be sure to first touch a grounded surface to discharge any static electricity from your body.

Use the following procedure to install the DiskOnChip:

- 1. Align pin 1 on the DiskOnChip with the pin1 of socket.
- 2. Push the DiskOnChip into the socket carefully until it is fully seated.
- 3. Check to make sure the DiskOnChip is installed securely, and there are no bent pins. Caution: The DiskOnChip may be permanent damaged if installed incorrectly.
- 4. To install the DiskOnChip as drive C on a system without a hard disk, set the CMOS setup of drive C to NOT INSTALLED (indicating that no physical magnetic disk is installed), and reboot the computer. The DiskOnChip 2000 will installed as drive C. The DiskOnChip needs to formatted with the system files in order for it to be a bootable drive.

. Configuring the DiskOnChip 2000 as the boot device:

In order to configure the DiskOnChip as the boot device, the operating system files need to be copied into it. Copying the operating system files into DiskOnChip should be done like in any other hard disk. The following is an example of a typical initialization process:

- 1. Set the DiskOnChip as a regular drive in your system (not a boot drive).
- 2. Install a bootable floppy diskette in drive A, and boot the system from drive A.
- 3. At the **DOS** prompt, type **SYS C**: to transfer the **DOS** system files to the DiskOnChip. (assuming the DiskOnChip is installed as drive C)
- 4. Copy any files needed into DiskOnChip.
- 5. Remove floppy diskette and reboot the system. The system will boot from the DiskOnChip and will allow you to run and access any files that have been copied into the DiskOnChip.

. Configuring the DiskOnChip 2000 as the first drive:

The DiskOnChip can be configured as the last drive (default) or as the first drive in the system. When configured as the last drive, the DiskOnChip is installed as drive D if there is another hard drive installed, and as drive C if no other hard drive is installed. When configured as the first drive, the DiskOnChip is always installed as drive C. To configure the DiskOnChip as first drive, proceed as follows:

- 1. Boot the system and make sure the DiskOnChip is installed correctly as drive D.
- 2. At the **DOS** prompt type **DUPDATE D:** /**FIRST** / **S:DOC2000.EXB**
- 3. After rebooting the system, the DiskOnChip will appear as drive C:

Appendix D

Updating BIOS

You should find one diskette for updated BIOS program in the package. The updating procedures are as the following:

- 1. Insert the diskette(There is a file "AWDFLASH.EXE") in drive A or B.
- 2. Type AWDFLASH under the prompt A or B.
- 3. The screen will ask you to enter the file name for programming. Please enter the 'filename' for the updating BIOS that are from your agent. Meanwhile, please type 'N' to answer the question 'Do you want to save BIOS (y/n)?' at the bottom of the screen.
- 4. After that, please type 'Y' to answer the question 'Are you sure to program (y/n)?' at the bottom line of the current screen.
- 5. Turn off the power after the system updates the BIOS.
- 6. Turn on the power again.

Appendix E

I/O Port Address Map

Address (HEX)	Device
000-01F	DMA controller 1
020-021	Interrupt controller 1
022-023	M1487/M1489 chipset address
040-05F	Timer 1 & 2
043	Disable Watch-dog timer operation (read)
060-06F	Keyboard controller
070-071	Real Time Clock, Non_Maskable interrupt
080-09F	DMA page register
0A0-0A1	Interrupt controller 2
0C0-0DF	DMA controller 2
0F0	Clear math. Coprocessor busy signal
0F1	Reset math. Coprocessor
0F8-0FF	Math. Coprocessor
1F0-1F8	Fixed disk controller
200-207	Game port
278-27F	Parallel port #2
2E8-2EF	Serial port #4 (COM 4)
2F8-2FF	Serial port #2 (COM 2)
300-31F	Prototype card / Streaming Tape Adapter
378-37F	Parallel port #1
380-38F	SDLC, Bisynchronous 2
3A0-3AF	SDLC, Bisynchronous 1
3B0-3BF	Monochrome Display , Parallel port 0
3C0-3CF	EGA card
3D0-3DF	CGA card
3E8-3EF	Serial port #3 (COM3)
3F0-3F7	Floppy Disk controller
3F8-3FF	Serial port #1 (COM1)
443	Enable Watch-dog timer operation (read)

Appendix F Memory Address Map

Address (HEX)	Device
0000000-009FFFF	System memory
00A0000-00BFFFF	Display memory
00C0000-00EFFFF	I/O device BIOS ROM or RAM buffer
00F0000-00FFFFF	System BIOS ROM
0100000-BFFFFFF	System extension memory

Appendix G

Ethernet Software Configuration

On board Ethernet interface of the 486 All-in-One board supports all major network operating systems. I/O address and interrupts are easily configured via the RSET8139.EXE program. To execute the configuration, to view the current configuration, or to run diagnostics, do the following:

- 1. Power on the 486 All-in-One board. Ensure that the RSET8139.EXE file is located in the working drive.
- 2. At the prompt type RSET8139.EXE and press <Enter>. The Ethernet configuration program will then be displayed.
- 3. This simple screen shows all the available options for the Ethernet interface. Just highlight the option you wish to change by using the Up and Down keys. To change a selected item, press <Enter>, and a screen will appear with available options. Highlight your option and press <Enter>. Each highlighted option has a help message guide displayed at the bottom of the screen for additional information.
- 4. After you have made your selection and are certain with your choice, press ESC. A prompt will appear asking if you want to save the configuration. Press Y if you want to save.

The Ethernet Setup Menu also offers three useful diagnostic functions. They are:

- 1. Run EEPROM test
- 2. Run Diagnostics on Board
- 3. Run Diagnostics on Network

Each option has its own display screen, which shows the format and result of any diagnostic test undertaken.

Ethernet Driver Support

The diskette, labeled RTL 8139 Driver Diskette, which comes with the package contains all the software drivers available for various operation system. Different drivers are stored in separate subdirectories, which also include a text file. Select the driver you need and refer to the text file for the installation procedure.

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Appendix H

Audio driver installation

Windows 95

- 1. Power up your computer and wait for Windows 95 to boot up.
- 2. Once Windows 95 is up and running, a "New Hardware Found" message box will appear and announce the detection of ESS Plug and Play Audio driver. Select the item "Driver form disk provided by hardware manufacturer" and click "OK".
- 3. In the "Install from Disk" dialog box, select drive **A:\win95** (if A: is your 3.5"floppy drive) and insert the ESS1869 driver disk. Then click "OK".
- 4. Once you have install your sound card, you can check for it by going into Control Panel and select the SYSTEM icon. Under Device Manager, select the Sound, video and game controllers form the device list. The ESS ES1869 Plug and Play Audio Drive and game port/joystick device icons will appear showing that Windows 95 has detected the new sound card.

Windows NT

- 1. Power up your computer and wait for Windows NT to boot up.
- 2. Once Windows NT is up and running, select "Multimedia" message box will appear and announce the detection of ESS Plug and Play AudioDrive. Select the "devices" page and select item "add", then click "OK".
- 3. In the "unlisted or Update driver" dialog box, select drive A:\winnt (if A: is your 3.5"floppy drive) and insert the ESS1869 Drivers disk. Then click "OK".

Windows 3.1X

- 1. Form Program Manager selects Run under File.
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- 3. Follow the installation instructions.
- 4. Once you have installed the Win3.1 driver, you have also installed the DOS driver automatically.

DOS

- 1. Under DOS, insert your audio driver disk into floppy drive A (assume A:>dos).
- 2. Copy a:\dos*.* C:\ess1869
- 3. Edit C:\autoexec.bat
- 4. Add control parameters by key in:

c:\ess1869\esscfg

c:\ess1869\essvol [/?] [/v:xx] [/l:xx] [/w:xx] [/m:xx] [/c:xx] [/s:xx]

note: no option	display all volume settings
/?	Display help
/v	Change master volume
/1	Change line volume
/w	Change wave volume
/m	Change mic volume
/c	Change cd volume
/s	Change synthesizer volume
XX	volume value. Note: no xx means 0
	the value range of volume is 0-15

OS/2

- 1. Open an OS/2 Window and run the EINSTALL.EXE program on the installation disk by typing "A:\OS2\EINSTALL". The program first runs ESDETECT.EXE to auto detect the chip, then calls ESUNINST.EXE to remove old drivers. That program will create a backup of CONFIG.SYS named CONFIG.ESS and remove the audio device lines from CONFIG.SYS. It also creates a backup of MMPM2.INI named MMPM2.ESS and removes the audio drivers information from MMPM2.INI. In addition, it removes any other ESS driver information in COMPLIST.INI. After then, the installation program calls Multimedia Application Install program, MINSTALL.EXE. After it finishes, another program, ESCONFIG.EXE, will be called to update CONFIG.SYS if necessary.
- 2. When Multimedia Application Install program brings up, a check mark beside ES1869 AudioDrive means that item is already selected. To toggle selection, click the mouse on the item. Click the Install button to start the installation. Once the drivers are installed, shutdown OS/2 and reset the computer for the new ES1869 drivers to take effect.
- 3. If the installation cannot be completed, read the logs EINSTALL.LOG in \MMOS2\INSTALL subdirectory and MINSTALL.LOG in \MMOS2\INSTALL subdirectory or root directory to find out the problem.
- 4. If during the installation an error saying the audio device is already in use by another application comes up, make sure all applications that utilize audio have been closed. If this is caused by system sounds not closing the audio device, you have three options to remedy this situation:

- A. Remove the audio driver by running ESUNINST.EXE.
- B. Go to Sounds object in System Setup folder and uncheck. Enable system sounds option. After the driver is installed properly, check the option to enable system sounds.
- C. Run DINSTSND.CMD in d:\MMOS2\INSTALL subdirectory. After the driver is installed properly, run INSTSND.CMD d: to enable system sounds.

Perform one of these operations and reboot to disable system sounds. Install the drivers again.

5. If WIN-OS/2 is installed in the system, start WIN-OS/2 and run "A:\SETUP" to install WIN-OS/2 drivers. Change the WIN-OS/2 settings to the following if necessary:

AUDIO_ADAPTER_SHARING = Required INT_DURING_IO = On

- 6. Since OS/2 Warp 3.0 MINSTALL.EXE changes the icons of MIDI player and Digital Video player to that of Digital Audio player in the Multimedia folder, you may want to change them back to the originals. To change the icon of MIDI player, right click MIDI player to bring up the menu. Select Settings, select General, and click the Find... button. In the Start Folder window, enter \MMOS2\INSTALL. Click the Find button and a window of all found icons appears. Select MIDIPLAY.ICO and click OK. Close the MIDI player Settings notebook. For Digital Video player, repeat the above steps but select VIDPLAY.ICO instead.
- 7. If the MIDI plays are not smooth in WIN-OS/2, you need to change the timer

resolution. Edit SYSTEM.INI in your Windows directory. Under [timer.drv] are TIMERMax386Res and TIMERMax286Res. You need to change the values to less than 8 from the default of 10.

These are the files copied to your hard disk for the MMPM/2 component:

\MMOS2

ES1869DD.SYS

VAUDDRV.SYS

ESDAEMON.EXE

SPATIAL.EXE

 $\\ \begin{tabular}{l} MMOS2\\ \begin{tabular}{l} DLL \\ \end{tabular}$

CARDINFO.DLL

ESSVSD88.DLL

\MMOS2\HELP

ES1869IN.HLP

\OS2\BOOT

CLOCK01.SYS

CLOCK02.SYS

TIMER0.SYS

Updating the Software Driver

- 1. Select the SYSTEM icon form Control Panel.
- 2. Select Device Manager and select the "sound, video and game controllers" icon.
- 3. Under "sound, video and game controllers", select ESS ES1869 Plug and Play AudioDrive.
- 4. In the dialog box, select Driver to show the sound card software driver. Click on the button "Change Driver".

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5. Click on the button "Have Disk" and insert your new driver disk into the floppy drive. Follow the instructions as they appear on screen.