

KC-486 USER MANUAL

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INTRODUCTION

Keyboard Computer takes advantages latest semi-conductor technology, shrink a desk-top computer into the size of a a keyboard. It maintains compatibility with PC XT/AT, this allows keyboard computer to access vast software resources in PC world. It remains flexible by offering user a standard AT slot for general expansion purpose. A Keyboard Computer can be turned into a network station, fax-machine or intelligent modem by using readilty available PC XT/AT add-on cards in the market. Applications of Keyboard Computer is limited only to your imagination.

1) What Do You Have ?

When you open the Keyboard Computer packing, you will find following,

- A) Keyboard Computer Unit
- B) External Power Supply
- C) AC cord for connection between wall outlet to External Power Supply
- D) "Keyboard Computer Operation Manual"

("SVGA CARD User's Manual" will be included if SVGA is included in your order.)

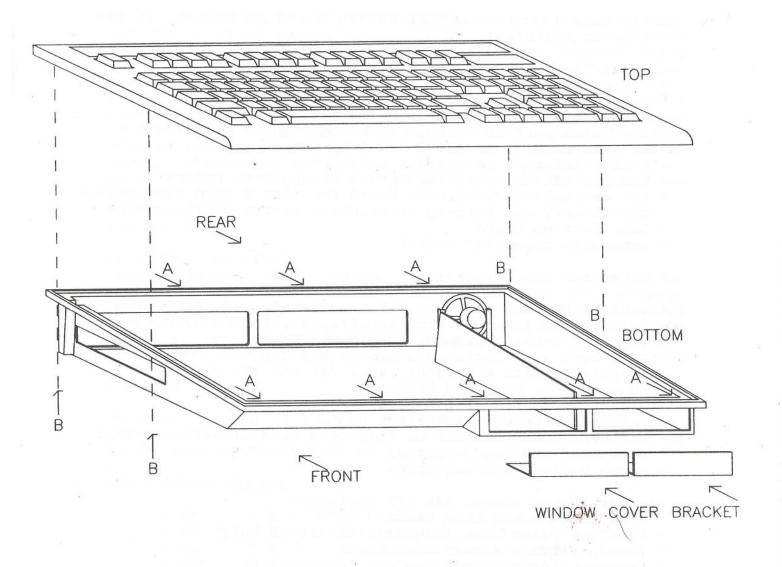
2) Keyboard Computer Unit

It has the size of a 101 key keyboard. With two 3.5" drives space on right side of the front. A highly populated main board inside the unit. All connectors are accessible from the rear. There is an expansion card window on the left side for user's expansion card (refer to Fig. 1).

The Drive Windows are covered by bracket if no drives installed. Maximum two drives can be installed. They can be two Floppy Disk Drives (720KB, 1.44MB or mix) or two IDE Hard Disk Drives (any capacity, but height must limited to 1 inch or less), or one Floppy and one Hard disk drives. User must aware that the total power consumption of the Keyboard Computer should not exceed the capacity of the External Power Supply, or the Power Supply would be damaged and cause the system to malfunction. User should acquire a larger capacity power supply if he found that is necessary.

The standard configuration of the Keyboard Computer will include cables for one Floppy disk and one Hard disk drives. If more or less connectors are required, user should specify in his order.

FIG. 1 Keyboard Computer Assembly



A: Snap Position
B: Top & Bottom Mounting Screws Position

3) Main Board

KC486 main board is a VLSI 82C486 based AT system, it has following features:

- 486SX/DX/DX2 CPU, 20,25 or 33 MHz

- 64K or 128 KByte ROM

- 1MB to 8 MB DRAM 0 or 1 wait state

- Expandable to 32 MB when 4Mx32Bit SIMM available

- 2 serial port on board, can be configured as ASYNC 1 & 2, or ASYNC 2 & 3, or ASYNC 3 & 4 by jumper

- 1 parallel port on board

- FDC circuit on board for upto 2 Floppy Disk Drives

- IDE controller circuit on board for upto 2 Hard Disk Drives

- CMOS memory and Battery to maintain system configuration

- Game port on board

- Expansion connector socket

3.1 Central Processor

486/SX/DX/DX2 CPU includes all the features of 386 CPU:

- Full 32-Bit Internal Architecutre, 8-, 16- or 32-bit data type. 8 general purpose 32-bit registers,

- Runs same Application and O/S as the 386 CPU. Object code compatible with 8088/8086, 186, 286 and 386 processors,

- Runs MS-DOS, OS/2 and UNIX,

- High Performance 32-Bit Data Bus,

- Integrated Memory Management Unit,

- Virtural 8086 Mode allows Execution of 8086 Software in a Protected and Paged System,

- Large Uniform address Space,

In addition to above, 486 CPU includes:

- 8 Kbyte Code and Data Cache

- Floating Point Unit (486DX/487SX/486DX2 only)

- Paged, Virtual Memory Management

- Frequent Instructions Execute in One clock

3.2 486DX, 486SX, 487SX & 486DX2 CPU:

The major different between 486DX/DX2/487SX and with 486SX CPU is that 486DX/DX2/487SX has Floating Point Unit built-in while 486SX does not. 486DX2 runs two instruction per each clock cycle while 486DX/SX only runs one instruction. With 486DX2 CPU (as well as other new series CPU compatible with Intel Upgrade Socket Specification), KC486 can significantly enhance its performance.

3.3 VLSI 82C486 - Single 486 AT Chip

The VLSI 82C486, a PC/AT compatible chip, supports the 486 CPU at clock speeds upto 33MHz. This highly integrated single chip solution offers high performance and reliability, with low cost. minimal power consumption, and low board-space requirements.

In addition to its compatibility with PC/AT, it supports Shadow memory for System and Video BIOS. The 82C486 Controller functions are programmable via a set of internal configuration registers. The state of various interface pins on reset is used to determine the default configuration. Detail refer to Appendix "System Registers Configuration Summary".

3.4 ROM/EPROM

U1 - 27512 or 271000
Single System Bios takes location from F000:0000 to F000:FFFF. A system without VGA will require only 64KByte (one 27512 or equivalent) ROM/EPROM. VGA Bios is located at C000:0000 to C000:7FFF. A combined Bios (System Bios + VGA Bios) requires one 128KByte ROM/EPROM. One 271000 (or equivalent) will be installed in this case.

3.5 DRAM

DRAM is located at SIMM1 and SIMM2. High density SIMM (Single In-line Memory Module) is used for efficient use of space. Each SIMM consists of 2 Bank of memory.

3.5.1 Memory Configuration

	MB	= 1 ME	SIMM	(256K x 32 Bit) in SIMM1
2	MB	= 1 ME	SIMM	in SIMM1 and SIMM2
4	MB			(1M x 32 Bit) in SIMM1
8	MB	= 4 ME	SIMM	in SIMM1 and SIMM2
	MB	=16 ME	SIMM	(4M x 32 Bit) in SIMM1
32	MB	=16 ME	SIMM	in SIMM1 and SIMM2

3.6 System Interrupts

There are 16 levels of interrupts provided in the system board,

1. NM 2. IR 3. IR	Q0	Description NMI or I/O Channel Check Timer Output 0 Keyboard Interrupt from CTRL2
4.	IRQ8	Real Time Clock Interrupt
5.	IRQ9	Software redirected to INT OAh (IRQ2), not used in system board, accessible by user
6.	IRQ10	Reserved, not accessible by user
7.	IRQ11	Reserved, not accessible by user
8.	IRQ12	Reserved, not accessible by user
9.	IRQ13	Coprocessor
10.	IRQ14	Hard Disk Controller
11.	IRQ15	Reserved, not accessible by user
12. IR	23	Serial Port 2
13. IR	24	Serial Port 1
14 IR	Q5	Not used on System Board, accessible by user
15 IR	26	Floppy Disk Controller
16 IR	27	Parallel Port 1

3.7 System DMA Channels

There are 7 DMA channels available in the system board, however only 8-Bit channels are accessible to user limited by 8-Bit Expansion connector.

Channel	I/O	Transfer	Block	Description			
	Address	Size (BIT)	Size (MAX)				
CHO	087H	8 to 8/16	64Kbyte	Not accessible			
				by user			
CH1	083H	8 to 8/16	64Kbyte	Not used, ac-			
				cessible by user			
CH2	081H	8 to 8/16	64Kbyte	Diskette			
CH3	082H	8 to 8/16	64Kbyte	not used, ac-			
			*	cessible by user			

CH4 to CH7 are not accessible by user.

3.8 I/O Address Map on Main Board

Hex Range	Device
000-01F 020-03F 040-05F	DMA Controller 1 Interrupt Controller 1 Timer
060,062-06F 061 070-07F	Keyboard Controller Port B Register, PPI Real Time Clock
080-08F 090-09F 0A0-0BF	DMA Page Register Reserved Interrupt Controller 2
OCO-ODF OEC-OEF	DMA Controller 2 VLSI 311 Control Register Detail refer to Appendix 2
OF4-OFB	VLSI 82C486 Control Register Detail refer to Appendix 2
1F0-1F8 200-207 2E8-2EF 2F8-2FF 378-37F 3E8-3EF 3F0-3F7 3F8-3FF	Hard Disk Controller Game I/0 Serial Port 4 (COM4) Serial Port 2 (COM2) Parallel Printer Port 1 Serial Port 3 (COM3) Floppy Disk Controller Serial Port 1 (COM1)

3.9 On Board Serial Ports

There are two Serial Ports available on board. They can not be disabled, but can be configure as COM1, COM2, COM3 or COM4 by jumper during power on.

					7		
JUMPER		(CONNE	CTOR			
J1	J2		Asyno	c 1	Asyno	2	
Open	Open		COM1	(3F8-3FF)	COM2	(2F8-2FF)	
SHort	Open		COM1	(3F8-3FF)	COM4	(2E8-2EF)	
Open	Short		COM3	(2F8-2FF)	COM2	(2F8-2FF)	
Short	Short		COM3	(2F8-2FF)	COM4	(2E8-2EF)	
IRQ			IRQ	1	IROS	3	
CONNECTOR				in DSUB Mal	-		

3.10 On Board Parallel Port

There is one Parallel Port available on board. Port Address: 378H - 37FH (Parallel Port 1)

IRQ : IRQ 7

Connector : 25 Pin DSUB Female

3.11 On Board Game Port

Port Address: 201H

Connector : 15 Pin DSUB Female

3.12 On board Floppy Disk Controller

Port Address: 3F0H-3F7H
IRQ : IRQ 6
DMA : DMA 2

Connector : FDD CONNECTOR, 34 Pin Header

3.13 On Board Hard Disk Controller

Port Address: 1F0H-1F8H, 3F6H-3F7H

IRQ : IRQ 14

Connector : IDE HDD CONNECTOR, 40 Pin Header

3.14 On Board Super VGA

On board Super VGA circuit is based on REALTEK RTVGA single chip VGA controller (3106). It is fully hardware compatible with all IBM VGA display modes. It is also hardware register level downward compatible with EGA, CGA, MDA and Hercules Monochrom Graphic Adaptor. It supports high resolution up to 1280x1024 with 16 out of 256 colors and 1024x768 (inter-lace or non-interlace) 256 out of 256K colors. With optional 64K Color RAM DAC, it supports 64K true color in 800x600 mode. With monochrome VGA monitor, 16 grey scale is available in 800x600 mode.

Drivers for popular softwares in high resolution modes are available such as AutoCad, Lotus 1-2-3, Microsoft Window, Ventura, GEM, Framework, Word Perfect, Word Star, etc.

Special Window Function is built-in to ensure high performance in Window Application. Performance in Window can be further enhanced if optional Window acceleration VGA chip (3107) is used.

Further detail on SVGA is available from SVGA USER MANUAL.

Bios Address Connector Memory At C000:0000, incorporated with System Bios

VGA connector, 10 Pin Header

Standard = 512 Kbyte

44256x4 (U17 to U20)

Maximum = 1 MB

44256x8 (U17 to U24)

J5

Open = Interlace (for 1024x768 only)

Short = Non-interlace

3.15 Interface to TV (Optional)

Keyboard Computer can directly connect to Video Input of a television set by using an optional interface card (KBTV). This interface card has a 10 pin header socket on one end, a 15 pin standard VGA connector on the other. This card is directly plug into VGA CONNECTOR of the mother board through the 10 pin header socket. The 15 pin Standard VGA Connector is mounted on the rear panel of the Keyboard Computer. The composite Video display signal for the TV is provided from a BNC connector, which is also mounted on the rear panel.

Two version of KBTV is available, PAL or NTSC. Users must specify the TV system when place order.

In general, Television set display resolution is much lower than VGA monitor. The adequate display resolution of a TV set is 320x200 with 256 colors. Due to limitation of the television set, one should not expect the display quality is equivalent to a VGA Monitor.

4.0 External Power Supply

There is a Cable from External Power Supply for connecting to Keyboard Computer. An AC CORD is provided for connection of External Power Supply to Wall AC Outlet.

Electrical Specification:

Input: 90 - 250V, 47 - 63Hz

Output: +5V: 3A +12V: 2A

-12V: 0.2A

5.0 Installation

- 5.1.1 Procedure for Power On a Keyboard Computer:
 - 1. Make sure the Power Switch of the Keyboard Computer is OFF before plug in (or pull out) any cable.
 - 2. Plug in External Power Supply Cable into Keyboard Computer.
 - 3. Make sure the Monitor is off before connecting its cable to Keyboard Computer.
 - If there is any other device need to be connected, make sure they are power off before making any connection.
 - 5. Connect the AC CORD of the External Power Supply to Wall AC Outlet.
 - 6. Turn on Monitor and all devices connected to Keyboard Computer.
 - 7. Turn on the power of the Keyboard Computer. System should boot automatically.

5.1.2 Power Off Sequence:

Following steps must be followed for Power Off Sequence:

- 1. Turn off the Keyboard Computer
- 2. Turn off the Monitor
- Turn off the AC wall outlet power switch (if there is any)

Keyboard Computer must be turned off before the AC wall outlet power switch turned off. It would cause CMOS or other system error if the sequence is incorrect.

- 5.2 Openning/Restoring Keyboard Computer
 It might be necessary to open the Keyboard Computer for installing components or changing jumpers. User should be very careful to avoid break the case, and should follow proceduces below:
 - 1. Remove the 4 Screws (which holding the top and the base) from the bottom of the Keyboard Computer. Two screws on each side. (Refer to Fig. 1)
 - 2. Push the top from rear to front. Front of the top should spring out from the base.
 - 3. Lift the front of the top (including keyboard) and remove the top from the base in the back.
 - 4. Disconnect the cable between the keyboard and the main board. The top (including the keyboard) now is free from the base.

Keyboard Computer is required to be restored after installation of an add-on card. Procedures below should be followed:

- 1. Connect the keyboard connector to the main board. One should EXTREMELY CARE NOT TO REVERSE CONNECTOR'S POLARITY, OR IT WILL DAMAGE THE KEYBOARD. Pin 1 of the connector should match with the cable.
- 2. Place the keyboard on top of the base.
- 3. Put the front of the top cover in place with the front of the base.
- 4. Press the rear of the top cover to snap into the base.
- 5. Fasten the 4 screws from the bottom of the base.
- 5.3 Installing Components to Keyboard Computer

DURING INSTALLATION, ALWAYS SHOULD AWARE FOLLOWING:

- POWER MUST OFF
- POLARITY OF THE CONNECTOR/CABLE MUST BE CORRECT
- DIRECTION AND LOCATION OF ICS MUST BE CORRECT
- CONNECTION MUST BE PROPER, ALL PINS MUST BE IN THE SOCKET
- Re-setup the system during power up
- 5.3.1 Upgrading CPU
 CPU socket (132 Pin PGA) located at U28. It meets
 the Specification of Intel Upgrade Socket. User
 can replace the CPU by more powerful processor if
 he found it is necessary. Jumper DX-SX should be
 installed according to CPU type.
- 5.3.2 Changing Memory DRAMs are located at SIMM1 and SIMM2.
- 5.3.3 Changing Jumpers
 - J1 & J2: Located near to U7 and Serial Port 2 connector. Short or Open of these two Jumpers will determine the Base address of Serial Port 2 and 1 respectively
 - J5: Located near to U20 and U24. Short or Open this Jumper will force SVGA to run 1024x768 mode with Non-interlace or Interlace.
 - J6 : Located next to U26. It selects CGA or MGA display adaptor. This Jumper will be ignored if SVGA is installed.

DX-SX: Located near to U28 (CPU Socket).

Jumper direction should be followed when
CPU is replaced. 486DX/DX2 should
follow the direction of "DX".

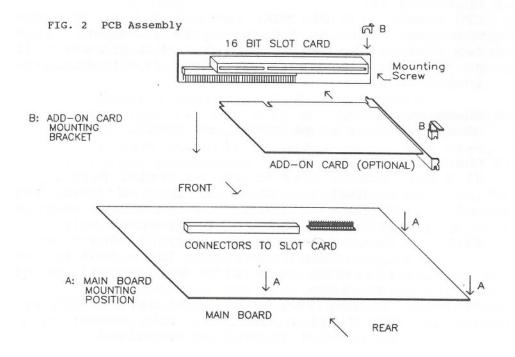
5.3.4 Installing FDD/HDD drives

- 1. Remove the Cover Bracket of Drive Window
- 2. Install drive and fasten the screws from the bottom of the base
- Connect the drive power and signal cable to main board

5.3.5 Installing Add-On Card

Refer to Figure 2 for Following procedures:

- 1. Unplug the 16 Bit Slot Card from the main board.
- 2. Remove the Add-On card's window covering bracket.
- Install the Add-On card to the slot of 16 Bit Slot Card.
- 4. Put the Mounting Bracket on the bracket of the Add-On card.
- 5. Install the 16 Bit Slot Card back to the main board. Make sure the mounting bracket is in proper position.



Appendix 1 Connector and Jumper Summary

Jumpers

J1 = ASYNC 2 Port Address Selection

Open = COM2 Short = COM4

J2 = ASYNC 1 Port Address Selection

Open = COM1 Short = COM3

J3 = Not used

J4 = Not used

J5 = VGA Interlace/Non Interlace selection

For 1023 x 768 only.

Open = Interlace (Standard VGA Monitor, Hsync = 31KHz)

Short = Non Interlace (Hsync = 50KHz)

J6 = CGA/MGA Display Card Selection

Open = Monochrome Adapter

Short = Color Graphic Adapter

J6 is ignored if VGA is installed

DX-SX = Jumper for selection of CPU. 486DX/486DX2 should follow the direction of "DX"

Connectors

EXP1, EXP2 & EXP3 - 16 Bit Slot Card expansion Connectors

	EXP	1	
-12V	1	2	+12V
SD7	3	4	RSTDRV
SD5	5	6	SD6
SD3	7	8	SD4
SD1	9	10	SD2
-REFRESH	11	12	SDO
SA18	13	14	SA19
SA16	15	16	SA17
SA14	17	18	SA15
SA12	19	20	SA13
SA10	21	22	SA11
SA8	23	24	SA9
SA6	25	26	SA7
SA4	27	28	SA5
SA2	29	30	SA3
SA0	31	32	SA1
AEN	33	34	IOCHRDY

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EXP2
SD15
            1 2
                 SD14
SD13
            3
              4 SD12
SD11
            5 6 SD10
SD9
            7
               8
                  SD8
+5V
            9
               10 +5V
GND
         11
               12 GND
-MEMW
            13
               14 -MEMR
               16 LA18
LA17
            15
LA19
            17
               18 LA20
LA21
            19
               20 LA22
LA23
         21
               22 -SBHE
-MEMCS16
            23
               24 -IOCS16
-IOCHCK
           25
               26 OWS
SYSCLK
            27
               28 OSC (14.318MHz)
BALE
            29
               30 +5V
-SIOR
            31
               32 -SIOW
-SMEMR
           33
               34 -SMEMW
             EXP3
-MASTER
            1 2 DRO7
DRQ6
            3
               4
                  DRQ5
DRQ0
            5
               6
                  IRQ14
IRQ15
            7
               8
                  IRQ12
IRQ11
           9
               10 IRQ10
DACK7
            11
               12 DACK6
DACK5
           13
               14 DACKO
IRQ3
           15
               16 DACK2
IRQ5
           17
               18 IRQ4
IRQ7
           19
               20 IRQ6
DRQ1
           21
               22 DRQ3
DRQ2
           23
               24 DACK3
IRQ9
           25
               26 DACK1
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Floppy Disk Drive Connector

	FDD	CON	CONNECTOR						
GND		1	2	Write Compensation					
GND		3	4	Not used					
GND		5	6	Not used					
GND		7	8	Index					
GND		9		Motor Enable 1					
GND		11	12	Drive Select 2					
GND		13	14	Drive Select 1					
GND.		15	16	Motor Enable 2					
GND		17	18	Direction					
GND		19	20	Step					
GND		21	22	Write Data					
GND		23	24	Write Enable					
GND		25		Track 0					
GND		27	28	Write Protect					
GND		29	30	Read Data					
GND		31	32	Select Head					
GND		32	34	Diskette Change					

Hard Disk Drive Connector

			IDE HDD	CONNECTOR			
Reserved	21	22	GND	-HRESET	1	2	GND
-HIOW	23	24	GND	HDATA 7	3	4	HDATA 8
-HIOR	25	26	GND	HDATA 6	5	6	HDATA 9
Reserved	27	28	Hale	HDATA 5	7	8	HDATA 10
Reserved	29	30	GND	HDATA 4	9	10	HDATA 11
HIRQ14	31	32	-HI016	HDATA 3	11	12	HDATA 12
HADDR1	33	34	-H DIAG	HDATA 2	13	14	HDATA 13
HADDR0	35	36	HADDR2	HDATA 1	15	16	HDATA 14
-HCS0	37	38	-HCS1	HDATA 0	17	18	HDATA 15
-H ALV/ACT	39	40	GND	GND	19	20	Not used

Async 1 & Async 2 Connector

DSUB 9 Pin Male Connector

RLSD	1	6	DSR
RX	2	7	RTS
TX	3	8	CTS
DTR	4	9	RI
GND	5		

Parallel Port Connector

DSUB 25 Pin Female Connector

1	14	-Auto feed
2	15	-Error
3	16	-Init
5	17	-Slct
7	18	GND
8	19	GND
9	20	GND
10	21	GND
11	22	GND
12	23	GND
13	24	GND
14	25	GND
15		
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GAME Connector

DSUB 15 Pin Female Connector

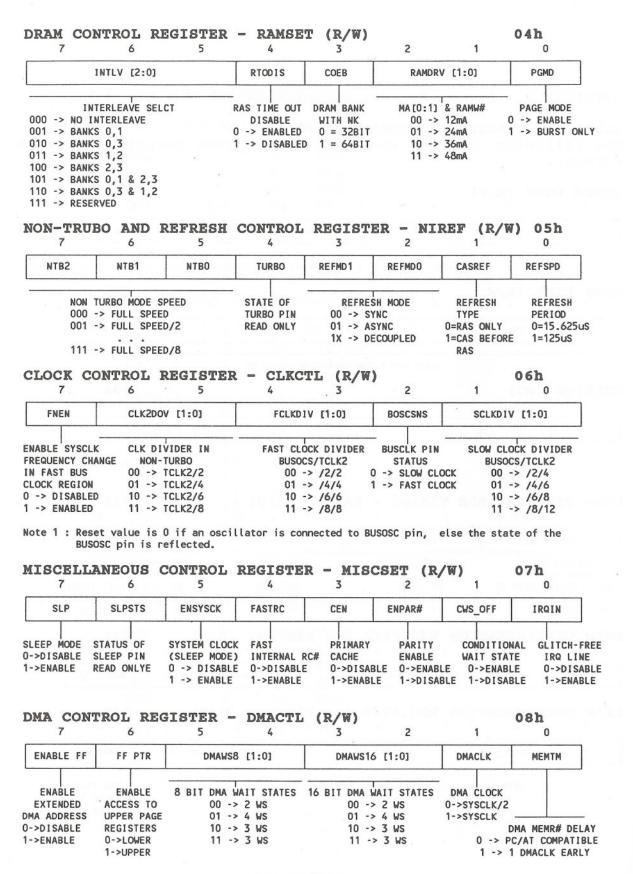
VCC		1	9	VCC	
BIT	4	2	10	BIT	6
PO0		3	11	PO2	
GND		4	12	GND	
GND		5	13	PO3	
PO1		6	14	BIT	7
BIT	5	7	15	VCC	
VCC		8			

APPENDIX 2 - System Registers Configuration Summary

INDEXED CONFIGURATION REGISTERS FORMAT

The following diagrams show the indexed configuration register formats.

7	ORT (R/W)	5	4	3	2		ECh
A7	A6	A5	A4	A3	A2	A1	AO
4		IŅDEX AD	DRESS OF A CON	IFIGURATION	REGISTER		
ATA POF	RT (R/W)	5	. 4	3	2		EDh
D7	D6	D5	D4	D3	D2	D1	DO
		DATA	FOR A CONFIGU	JRATION REGI	STER		
ERSION	(RO)						ooh
7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
RAM PRO	GRAMMABI 6	LE TIM	ING - RAM	ITMG (R/	'W) 2	1	01h
Tstrt	[1:0]	Trp I	[1:0]	Trcd [1:0]	Tcas	s [1:0]
EARLIEST START PO 00 -> BEGIN 01 -> MID F	CYCLE DINT I FIRST T2 FIRST T2	RAS PRE 00 -> 01 -> 10 -> 11 ->	ECHARGE 11 27 37	RAS-CAS 00 -> 01 -> 10 -> 11 ->	DELAY 1T 2T 3T 4T	CAS WIDT 00 -> 1 01 -> 1 10 -> 2 11 -> 3	TH READ/WRITE
EARLIEST START PO 00 -> BEGIN 01 -> MID F 10 -> END F	CYCLE DINT I FIRST T2 IRST T2 IRST T2 IRST T2 IRST T2	RAS PRE 00 -> 01 -> 10 -> 11 ->	CHARGE 11 21 31 41 GISTER 0	RAS-CAS 00 -> 01 -> 10 -> 11 ->	DELAY 1T 2T 3T 4T	CAS WIDT 00 -> 01 -> 10 -> 2 11 -> 2	TH READ/WRITE 1T(R), 1T(W) 1.5T(R), 1T(W) 2T(R), 1T(W) 2T(R), 2T(W)
EARLIEST START PO 00 -> BEGIN 01 -> MID F 10 -> END F	CYCLE DINT I FIRST T2 FIRST T2 FIRST T2	RAS PRE 00 -> 01 -> 10 -> 11 -> 11 -> 15 PRE 00 RE 00 5	ECHARGE 1 1	RAS-CAS 00 -> 01 -> 10 -> 11 ->	DELAY 1T 2T 3T 4T	CAS WIDT 00 -> 1 01 -> 1 10 -> 2 11 -> 2	TH READ/WRITE 1T(R), 1T(W) 1.5T(R), 1T(W) 2T(R), 1T(W) 2T(R), 2T(W) 02h 0
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10 -> READ SYSTEM BOARD, WRITE SLOT BUS
11 -> READ/WRITE SYSTEM BOARD

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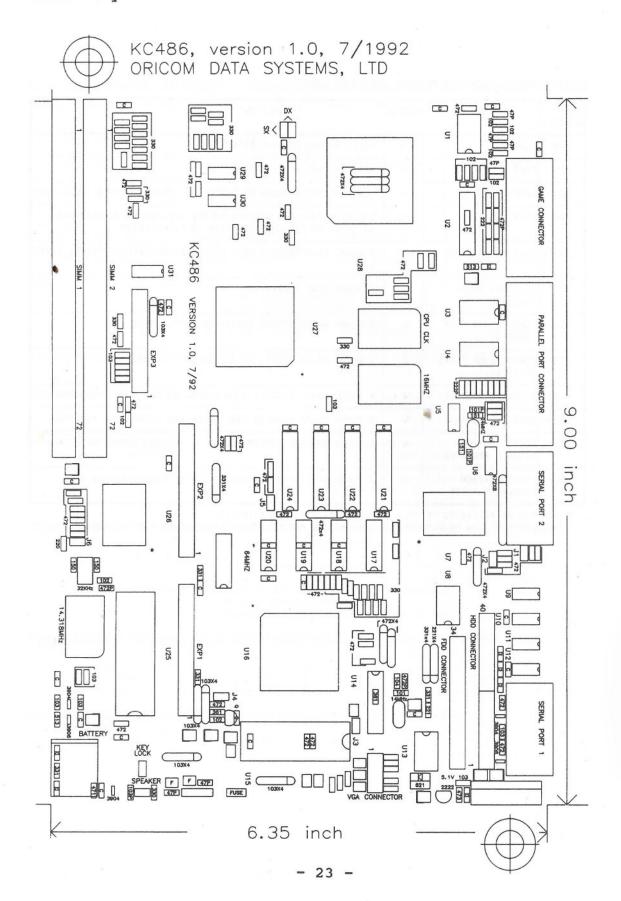
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DEDICATED IO CONTROL REGISTERS

PORT ADDRESS	NAME	ACCESS	FUNCTION
61H	PORT B	R/W	MICELLANEOUS CONTROL BITS
92H	PORT A	R/W	FAST A20 AND RESET CONTROL
ECH	INDEX REGISTER	R/W	CONTAINS THE ADDRESS OF ONE OF THE CONFIGURATIONS REGISTERS
EDH .	DATA REGISTER	R/W	CONTAINS THE DATA WRITTEN TO THE CONFIGURATION REGISTER SELECTED BY THE CONFIGURATION INDEX REGISRER
EEH*+	FAST A20 REGITER	R/W	A DUMMY READ ENABLES FAST A20, A DUMMY WRITE DISABLES FAST A20
EFH*+	FAST CPU RESET REGISTER	R	A DUMMY READ RESETS THE CPU
FOH	COPROCESSOR BUSY REGISTER	W	A DUMMY WRITE CLEARS IRQ13 AND SETS IGNNE#
F1H	COPROCESSOR RESET REGISTER	u	A DUMMY WRITE CLEARS IRQ13 AND SETS IGNNE#
F4H+	SLOW CPU REGISTER	W	A DUMMY WRITE ENABLES SLOW CLOCK AND NON-TURBO MODE FOR CPU
F5H+	FAST CPU REGISTER	u	A DUMMY WRITE ENABLES FAST CLOCK AND TURBO MODE FOR CPU
F9H+	CONFIGURATION DISABLE REGISTER	W	A DUMMY WRITE DISABLES ACCESS TO THE CONFIGURATION REGS.
FBH+	CONFIGURATION ENABLE REGISTER	W	A DUMMY WRITE ENABLES ACCESS TO THE CONFIGURATION REGS.

^{*} ALSO CAN BE ACTIVATED THROUGH PORT 92H FOR PS/2 COMPATIBILITY.
+ THESE DECODES CAN BE DISABLED BY SETTING THE MSB OF BUSCTL REGISTER IN CASE OF CONFLICT.



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- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.

- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is needed.

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SECTION 1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Features

The RTVGA-3106 is based on REALTEK's RTG3106 which works with your high-resolution color monitor to bring you crispy video, splendid color, functions and features far beyond the IBM VGA standard. The RTVGA-3106 can be configured to perform as EGA, CGA, MDA or Hercules Display Standard by set mode utility.

- * The RTVGA-3106 Fully Supports:
 - # All IBM VGA modes to the register level.
 - # IBM EGA, CGA, MDA and Hercules modes to register level.
 - # Multisync monitors (analog).
 - # PS/2 monitors (8503, 8512, 8513, 8514).
 - # 16 Bit wide memory bus.
- * Extended Text modes
 - # 80-column in 30, 43 and 60 rows
 - # 132-column in 25, 30, 43 and 60 rows
- * Extended Graphics modes
 - # 4-color in 1024x768.
 - # 16-color in 800x600, 960x720, 768x1024, 1024x768, and 1280x1024.
 - # 256-color in 512x512, 640x400, 640x480, 800x600, 1024x768, and 1024x1024.
 - # 64K-color in 320x200, 512x512, 640x400, 640x480 and 800x600.

1.2 Check List

Check your packing to ensure that it contains the following items besides this User's Manual:

RTVGA-3106 Utility Diskettes

If any of these items are missing or damaged, please contact your dealer or sales representative for assistance.

NOTE: Make sure you keep all the packaging materials, in case you ever need to return the product for any reason.

SECTION 2 CONFIGURATION OF RTVGA-3106

2.1 Hardware Configuration

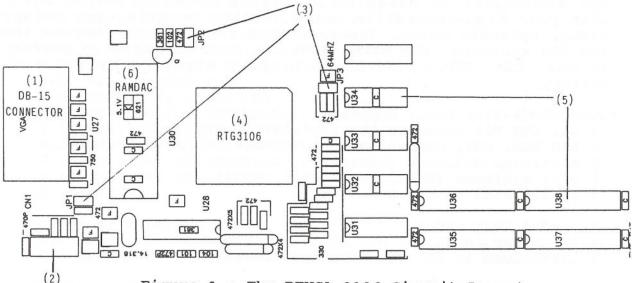


Figure 1: The RTVGA-3106 Circuit Layout

Features in Figure 1 are as follows:

- 1. DB-15 connector: For analog monitors, use in Workstation Case 2. 10 Pin Header: For analog monitors, use in Standard Case. A cable is needed to connector the 10 pin header to a DB-15 connecntr.
- 3. Jumpers JP1, JP2 and JP3.
- 4. RTG3106 Chip: VGA Graphics chip.
- 5. Video DRAM: 1M or 512K
- 6. Color Look-up Table (RAMDAC)

2.2 Jumper Setting

You adapt can the RTVGA-3106 for special hardware configurations using the two two-pin jumpers JP2 and JP3 on board. JP1 is not used.

Table 1: JP2 Setting for Interlaced/Non-interlaced

: 1024x768 Interlaced Mode. (default)

> On : 1024x768 Non-interlaced Mode.

Table 2: JP3 Setting for Enable/Disable RTVGA-3106

JP3 Off : Disable RTVGA-3106

> On : Enable RTVGA-3106

SECTION 3 INSTALLATION

3.1 Connecting the monitor

The RTVGA-3106 has an analog video connector. If you have IBM 8503, 8512, 8513, 8514, Multisync analog display or compatible, choose the 15-pin analog video connector and a 15-pin cable to connect your monitor to your system.

Table 3: Monitor and Connector Types

Monitor Type	Connector Type
8514	15-pin
8513	15-pin
8512	15-pin
8503	15-pin
Multisync Analog	15-pin

3.1.1 Cabling Your Monitor

When you connect your monitor to the RTVGA Graphics Adapter, be sure you have the right cable and connector for your monitor type. Fixed-frequency analog monitors such as the IBM 85xx or compatible come equipped with a 15-pin connector standard. For variable frequency analog monitors, you will need a 9-to-15-pin cable connector.

Once you've selected the proper cable and connectors, make sure you also set your monitor for the appropriate mode of operation.

3.1.2 Monitor Support for Enhanced VGA Modes Your monitor must be capable of displaying the resolution and text mode you choose. Table 4 lists all VGA display modes available with the RTVGA-3106 and the monitors which support them.

Table 4: Display Modes and Supporting Monitors

Mode (hex)	Type Format	Alpha Size	Screen Size	Hsync (KHz)	Vsync (Hz)	8503	8512	8513	8514	Mutisyno
0,1	text	40x25	320x200	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
2,3	text	80x25	640x200	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
0*,1*	text	40x25	320x350	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
2*,3*	text	80x25	640x350	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
0+,1+	text	40x25	360x400	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
2+,3+	text	80x25	720x400	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
4,5	graph	40x25	320x200	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

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6	graph	80x25	640x200	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
7	text	80x25	720x350	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
7+	text	80x25	720x400	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
D	graph	40x25	320x200	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Е	graph	80x25	640x200	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
F	graph	80x25	640x350	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
10	graph	80x25	640x350	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
11	graph	80x30	640x480	31.5	60	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
12	graph	80x30	640x480	31.5	60	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
13	graph	40x25	320x200	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
18	text	80x30	720x480	31.5	60	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
19	text	80x43	720x473	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
1A	text	80x60	720x480	31.5	60	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
1B	text	132x25	1188x350	31.2	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
1C	text	132x30	1188x480	31.2	60	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
1D	text	132x43	1188x473	31.2	72	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
1E	text	132x60	1188x480	31.2	60	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
1F	graph	100x75	800x600	35.5	70	No	No	No	No	Yes
1FV	graph	100x75	800x600	48.0	70	No	No	No	No	Yes
20	graph	120x45	960x720	35.5	45/90	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
21	graph	128x48	1024x768	35.5	43/86	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
21NI	graph	128x48	1024x768	49.0	60	No	No	No	No	Yes
21V	graph	128x48	1024x768	56.5	70	No	No	No	No	Yes
22	graph	96x64	768x1024	38	35/70	No	No	No	No	No**
23	graph	128x48	1024x768	35.5	43/86	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
24	graph	64x32	512x512	35.5	60	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
25	graph	80x25	640x400	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
26	graph	80x30	640x480	31.5	60	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
27^	graph	100x75	800x600	32.5	51	No	No	No	No	Yes
27	graph	100x75	800x600	35.5	56	No	No	No	No	Yes
27V	graph	100x75	800x600	48.0	70	No	No	No	No	Yes
28	graph	128x48	1024x768	35.5	43/86	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
28NI	graph	128x48	1024x768	48.0	60	No	No	No	No	Yes
28V	graph	128x48	1024x768	56.5	70	No	No	No	No	Yes
29	graph	128x64	1024x1024		47/94	No	No	No	No	Yes
2A	graph	160x64	1280x1024	42.3	39/78	No	No	No	No	Yes
2AV	graph	160x64	1280x1024		45/90	No	No	No	No	Yes
38	graph	40x25	320x200	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
39	graph	64x32	512x512	35.5	60	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
3A	graph	80x25	640x400	31.5	70	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
3B	graph	80x30	640x480	31.5	60	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
3C	graph	100x75	800x600	36	57	No	No	No	No	Yes
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Notes:

8514, 8513, 8512, 8503 are IBM PS/2 monitors.
 Multisync monitors support both Analog and TTL operations (i.e. NEC Multisync II or compatible)

- ** Mode 22 support 768x1024 full page (portrait) display only.
- Only mode 21 and 28 can be set for either interlaced or non-interlaced.
- 5. ^ Mode 27 800x600, 512K Only.
- V = VESA Mode, only 800x600, 1024x768 & 1280x1024 support VESA Mode.
- 3.1.3 Monitor Support for Other Graphics Modes
 The RTVGA has downward compatibility with EGA, CGA, MDA and
 Hercules modes on VGA monitors with the help of VMODE.EXE
 for those application softwares which programmed the CRTC
 registers by themself.
 See next section for detail description of VMODE.EXE.

SECTION 4 SOFTWARE UTILITIES

This section explains how to use the utility software on the RTVGA Utility Diskettes. The Utility Diskettes provide the following programs:

VMODE.EXE (Video MODE setting program)

. High-resolution drivers for Microsoft Windows, GEM/3, Lotus/123, WordPerfect, Ventura Publisher, PCAD and other popular software programs (See next section for detail installation steps).

. RTANSI.SYS (may be used to replace ANSI.SYS) to support

extended text display for more than 25 rows.

. RAM.COM (RAM BIOS Loader)

. BIGSC.COM (fix the incorrectly screen for ET Chinese version 2.0 or above)

NOTE: We are continuing to update existing drivers and develop new drivers for popular software applications. Your RTVGA Utility Diskettes may have drivers not listed in the manual. All the README files contain a full listing of current drivers and detailed installation procedures, so make sure you check the INSTALL DRIVERS list in the install program before your installation.

By the first time, insert the RTVGA Utilities Diskette into your floppy disk drive and type

RTINST [ENTER],

choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS", "RTVGA UTILITIES", press "G" to start and specify the path then the installation going on.

4.2 Video Modes Setting With VMODE.EXE

VMODE.EXE is a program designed to help you set a right video mode on a 31.5KHz direct-drive analog monitor. The supported video modes include Standard VGA, RTVGA extended, CGA, EGA, and MGA modes.

It is necessary to use VMODE to switching video modes among all PC video standards because in the CGA era so many game programs can only be loaded during the system boot up from their own diskettes and in EGA era some application softwares programmed CRTC's register by themselves, which targeted at an EGA monitor. Therefore, if you select the "Load Game" option in the CGA menu of VMODE, VMODE will reboot the system and lock RTVGA in CGA mode. For the other options, VMODE will set RTVGA to VGA mode if you reboot your system.

For EGA modes, VMODE provides two LOCKED MODE for most possible applications which directly programmed the CRTC registers by themself. LOCKED MODE 1 is for those modes with 640x350 resolution (MODE 0*, 1*, F, and 10). LOCKED MODE 2 is for those modes with 640x200 resolution (MODE 2,3,6,E). Switching mode between these two set in an application software is not allowed because RTVGA's CRTC registers were locked. The solution for this problem is to get a EGA monitor and configure your RTVGA to an EGA adapter if applicable.

4.2.1 How To Use VMODE

You can run VMODE in either of two ways: by calling up the menu and selecting from the menu choices, or by entering the desired mode directly with a specific command line.

* How To Use The VMODE Menu

 Change to the path where you install the RTVGA Utilities as in section 4.1 and type:

VMODE [Enter]

- The VMODE menu will appear, displaying the available modes for your selection.
- * How To Use VMODE Through Command Line
 If you already know what mode you want to select and you do
 not want to use the VMODE menu, you can type:

 VMODE mymode[Enter]

Table 5 shows the values you can enter for mymode in the command line.

Table 5: VMODE
Desired Mode/Feature

Command Line You Would Type

Help message Switch VGA modes

Switch to EGA LOCK1 modes(640x350)

Switch to EGA LOCK2 modes (640x200)

switch to CGA modes

VMODE Vn n=0 to 2A(HEX)

VMODE En

n=2,3,F,10(HEX)

VMODE Dn

VMODE ?

n=2,3,6,E(HEX)

VMODE Cn

n=0,1,2,3,4,5,6 (HEX)

CGA for stand-alone game programs (those which have to boot from their own diskettes)

VMODE CGAGAME

MDA and Hercules monochrome

VMODE MGA

Call INT10 for setting video mode

VMODE n

n=valid mode number

(HEX)

Set RTVGA to 1024x768 Non-Interlaced

VMODE NI

Set RTVGA using high refresh rate

VMODE RR

Set RTVGA using standard VGA video timing

VMODE SVGA

4.2.2 Example: Switching to Hercules Mode With VMODE

 Change to the path where the RTVGA Utilities han been installed as in section 4.1 and type: VMODE [Enter]

2. Use the down arrow key on your keyboard's numeric keypad to move the highlighted bar to MGA and then use right arrow to move the highlighted bar to MDA(Hercules) and hit the [Enter].

You can also switch to Hercules mode directly at the DOS prompt, just type:

VMODE MGA [Enter]

4.3 Boosting system performance with RTVGA RAM BIOS

1. Change to the path where the RTVGA Utilities had been installed and type

COPY RAM.COM C:\ [Enter]

- Insert the following line as the first line of your AUTOEX-EC.BAT with a text editor, RAM
 - and, reboot your system to activate RTVGA RAM Video BIOS.
- Or activate RTVGA RAM Video BIOS at anytime, on Command line by type RAM

- 4.4 Using RTANSI Standard Console Driver
 If you don't have DOS 3.3 or later release, you may need to
 install the RTANSI.SYS as console driver for the Enhanced modes
 which are beyond 80x25 screen size, otherwise the screen may be
 incorrect.
 - Change to the path where the RTVGA Utilities had been installed and type COPY RTANSI.SYS C:\ [Enter]
 - Insert the following line as the first line of your CONFIG.SYS file with a text editor. DEVICE=RTANSI.SYS
 - 3. Reboot your system to activate RTANSI.SYS
- 4.5 New program for CHINESE ET users:

 If the version of your copy of ET was 2.0 or above, you need to run BIGSC before ET. BIGSC.COM can fix the incorrectly screen.

SECTION 5 SOFTWARE DRIVERS INSTALLATION

This section explains how to install the RTVGA drivers for a number of popular software applications.

NOTE: We are continuing to update existing drivers and develop new drivers for popular software applications. Your RTVGA Utility Diskettes may have drivers not listed in the manual. Please check the INSTALL DRIVERS list in the install program before your installation, and contact your dealer to further support.

5.1 Configuring AUTOCAD 5.1.1 AutoCAD v2.x/R9/R10

To successfully install an ADI driver for high resolution display on your AutoCAD, you'll need AutoCAD Release 9 or later.

- 1) Insert the RTVGA Utility disk in Drive A and type: A: [Enter] RTINST [Enter] choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select "AutoCAD v2.x" or "AutoCAD R9/R10".
- You will see some procedures and a list of the available ADI drivers. Table 6 shows the drivers and the enhanced display modes they support:

	I Drivers on the RTVG	A Utility	Diskette	
ADI Ver.	Resolution	Driver Na	me	
ADI v2	800x600/16color	DS86.EXE		
ADI v3/v4	640x800/16color	RADI.EXE		
ADI v3/v4	800x600/16color	RADI.EXE		
ADI v3/v4	1024x768/16color	RADI.EXE	(required 512KB)	
ADI v3/v4	640x400/256color	RADI.EXE		
ADI v3/v4	640x480/256color	RADI.EXE	(required 512KB)	
ADI v3/v4	800x600/256color	RADI.EXE	(required 512KB)	
ADI v3/v4	1024x768/256color	RADI.EXE	(required 1MB)	
ADI v3/v4	1280x1024/16color	RADI.EXE	(required 1MB)	
ADI v3/v4	1024x1024/256-color	RADI.EXE	(min. 1MB)	
	7.0		,	

Note: ADI v2 support AutoCAD V2.x.

ADI v3 support AutoCAD R9, AutoShade v1.x. ADI v4 support AutoCAD R10, AutoShade v1.x.

- 3) Press "G" to start and specify the path. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 4) Change to your AutoCAD directory and type "RADI" to install driver or re-configure driver.
- 5) Enter the AutoCAD Main Menu by typing "ACAD"
- 6) For the first time after install the drivers, select option 5 from the AutoCAD Main Menu to configure AutoCAD.
 - In the Configuration Menu, select option 3 ("Configured Video Display").
 - Choose "ADI Display Vx" for your new video display.
 Eg. If the AutoCAD is release 10, select "ADI Display v4.x".
 - Press RETURN to set the default hexadecimal interrupt code to 7A(hex).
 - Follow the directions provided by the ACAD program to complete your AutoCAD configuration.
 - When you are done configuring AutoCAD, save your changes, then return to the Main Menu.
- 7) You can start using the new display driver with your AutoCAD program. Every time you reboot your system, you will need to reload the driver from you AutoCAD directory, just type: RADI [Enter]

5.1.2 AUTOCAD R11

- 1) Insert the RTVGA Utility disk in Drive A and type: A: [Enter] RTINST [Enter] choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select "AutoCAD R11".
- You will see some procedures and a list of the available ADI drivers as follows:

RTA41.EXP -- P386/ADI 4.1 driver without display list.
RTA41D.EXP -- P386/ADI 4.1 driver with display list.
RTA41DL.EXP -- P386/ADI 4.1 driver with display list, and protected mode linear address.

The RTVGA display modes:

```
640x480
             16-color
     800x600
             16-color
     960x720
             16-color
                        (min. 512KB)
    1024x768
             16-color
                        (min. 512KB)
     768x1024 16-color
                        (min. 512KB)
     512x512
             256-color
     640x400
             256-color
     640x480
             256-color (min. 512KB)
     800x600 256-color (min. 512KB)
-- 1024x768 256-color
                        (min. 1MB)
   1024x1024 256-color
                        (min. 1MB)
-- 1280x1024 16-color
                        (min. 1MB)
```

- 3) Press "G" to start and specify the path. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 4) Use SET command at the DOS prompt, or your AUTOEXEC.BAT file: SET DSPADI=RTA41 (or RTA41D, RTA41DL)

DEI DEFADI-RIA41 (OI RIA4ID, RIA4IDL)

- 5) Enter the AutoCAD Main Menu by typing "ACAD"
- 6) For the first time after install the drivers, select option 5 from the AutoCAD Main Menu to configure AutoCAD.
 - In the Configuration Menu, select option 3 ("Configured Video Display").
 - Choose "ADI P386 v4.0/v4.1 display" for your new video display, or enter ADI driver, "RTA41", "RTA41D" or "RTA41DL".
 - Select display mode and others.
 - Follow the directions provided by the ACAD program to complete your AutoCAD configuration.
 - When you are done configuring AutoCAD, save your changes, then return to the Main Menu.
- 7) You can start using the new display driver with your AutoCAD program. Every time you reboot your system, you will need to set the variable if you don't set it in your AUTOEXEC.BAT by type:

SET DSPADI=RTA41 (or RTA41D, RTA41DL)

5.2 Configuring AutoShade

5.2.1 SHADE V1.x

- 1) Insert the RTVGA Utility disk in Drive A and type:
 A: [Enter]
 RTINST [Enter]
 choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select "AutoShade 1.x".
- You will see some procedures and a list of the available ADI drivers as follows:

Ver.	Resolution	Driver Name	<u> </u>	
v2	800x600 /16color	DS86.EXE		
v3/v4	640x480 /16color	RADI.EXE		
v3/v4	800x600 /16color	01 11		
v3/v4	1024x768 /16color	00 00	(min.	512KB)
v3/v4	1280x1024/16-color	99 99	(min.	1MB)
v3/v4	640x400 /256color	98 99		
v3/v4	640x480 /256color	11 11	(min.	512KB)
v3/v4	800x600 /256color	00 00	(min.	512KB)
v3/v4	1024x768 /256-color	00 00	(min.	1MB)
v3/v4	1024x1024/256-color	10 10	(min.	1MB)
v3/v4	320x200 /64K-color	00 00	(min.	512KB)
v3/v4	512x512 /64K-color	99 99	(min.	1MB)
v3/v4	640x400 /64K-color	99 99	(min.	1MB)
v3/v4	640x480 /64K-color	99 99	(min.	1MB)
v3/v4	800x600 /64K-color	99 99	(min.	1MB)
	Ver. v2 v3/v4	v2 800x600 /16color v3/v4 640x480 /16color v3/v4 800x600 /16color v3/v4 1024x768 /16color v3/v4 1280x1024/16-color v3/v4 640x400 /256color v3/v4 640x480 /256color v3/v4 800x600 /256color v3/v4 1024x768 /256-color v3/v4 1024x768 /256-color v3/v4 1024x1024/256-color v3/v4 320x200 /64K-color v3/v4 512x512 /64K-color v3/v4 640x480 /64K-color	V2 800x600 /16color DS86.EXE V3/V4 640x480 /16color RADI.EXE V3/V4 800x600 /16color "" V3/V4 1024x768 /16color "" V3/V4 1280x1024/16-color "" V3/V4 640x400 /256color "" V3/V4 640x480 /256color "" V3/V4 800x600 /256color "" V3/V4 1024x768 /256-color "" V3/V4 1024x768 /256-color "" V3/V4 320x200 /64K-color "" V3/V4 512x512 /64K-color "" V3/V4 640x480 /64K-color "" V3/V4 640x480 /64K-color ""	V2 800x600 /16color DS86.EXE V3/V4 640x480 /16color RADI.EXE V3/V4 800x600 /16color " " (min. V3/V4 1024x768 /16color " " (min. V3/V4 1280x1024/16-color " " (min. V3/V4 640x400 /256color " " (min. V3/V4 640x480 /256color " " (min. V3/V4 800x600 /256color " " (min. V3/V4 1024x768 /256-color " " (min. V3/V4 1024x768 /256-color " " (min. V3/V4 320x200 /64K-color " " (min. V3/V4 512x512 /64K-color " " (min. V3/V4 640x480 /64K-color " " (min. V3/V4 640x480 /64K-color " " (min.

ADI v3/v4 supports SHADE v1.0 and above.

- 3) Press "G" to start and specify the path. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 4) Change to SHADE directory and install driver, or reconfigure driver, by type "RADI".
- 5) Reconfigure AutoShade by SHADE -r [Enter]
- 6) Select pointing device.

- 7) Select display device: (1)
 ==> Autodesk Device Interface display driver.
 Interrupt vector in hex (default = 07Ah): [Enter] (or 7Bh)
- 8) Select rendering display device: (1)
 Autodesk Device Interface rendering driver.
 Interrupt vector in hex (default = 07Ah): [Enter] (or 7Bh)
 Do the display and rendering devices share a single screen
 (default = NO): Yes [Enter]
 Does FILPSCREEN require a redraw(default = NO): [Enter]

NOTE:

- *. Every time you reboot your system,
 If need to reload the driver, from you SHADE directory
 just type:
 RADI [Enter]
- *. Check memory's configuration if run in high resolution modes.

5.2.2 SHADE V2.0

- 1) Insert the RTVGA Utility disk in Drive A and type:
 A: [Enter]
 RTINST [Enter]
 choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select "AutoShade 2.0".
- You will see some procedures and a list of the available ADI drivers as follows:

RTA41.EXP -- P386/ADI 4.1 driver without display list.
RTA41D.EXP -- P386/ADI 4.1 driver with display list.
RTA41DL.EXP -- P386/ADI 4.1 driver with display list, and protected mode linear address.

The RTVGA display modes:

- -- 640x480 16-color
- -- 800x600 16-color
- -- 960x720 16-color (min. 512KB)
- -- 1024x768 16-color (min. 512KB)
- -- 768x1024 16-color (min. 512KB)
- -- 512x512 256-color
- -- 640x400 256-color
- -- 640x480 256-color (min. 512KB)
- -- 800x600 256-color (min. 512KB)
- -- 1024x768 256-color (min. 1MB)
- -- 1024x1024 256-color (min. 1MB)

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-- 1280x1024 16-color (min. 1MB)

-- 320x200 64K-color (min. 512KB)

-- 512x512 64K-color (min. 1MB)

-- 640x400 64K-color (min. 1MB)

-- 640x480 64K-color (min. 1MB)

-- 800x600 64K-color (min. 1MB)
```

- 3) Press "G" to start and specify the path. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 4) Use SET command at the DOS prompt, or your AUTOEXEC.BAT file:

SET DSPADI=RTA41 (or RTA41D, RTA41DL)
SET RDPADI=RTA41 (or RTA41D, RTA41DL)

NOTE:

Check Shade 2.0 manuals for additional information to configure program for RTVGA new drivers.

5.3 Configuring 3D Studio

- 1) Insert the RTVGA Utility disk in Drive A and type:
 A: [Enter]
 RTINST [Enter]
 choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select "AutoShade 2.0".
- You will see some procedures and a list of the available ADI drivers as follows:

RTA41.EXP -- P386/ADI 4.1 driver without display list.
RTA41D.EXP -- P386/ADI 4.1 driver with display list.
RTA41DL.EXP -- P386/ADI 4.1 driver with display list, and protected mode linear address.

The RTVGA display modes:

```
640x480 16-color
     800x600
              16-color
                         (min. 512KB)
     960x720
              16-color
                         (min. 512KB)
    1024x768
              16-color
    768x1024 16-color
                         (min. 512KB)
     512x512
              256-color
     640x400 256-color
     640x480 256-color
                        (min. 512KB)
---
    800x600 256-color
                         (min. 512KB)
                         (min. 1MB)
---
    1024x768 256-color
***
    1024x1024 256-color
                         (min. 1MB)
                         (min. 1MB)
    1280x1024 16-color
                         (min. 512KB)
     320x200 64K-color
-
     512x512 64K-color
                         (min. 1MB)
     640x400 64K-color
                         (min. 1MB)
     640x480 64K-color
                         (min. 1MB)
     800x600 64K-color
                         (min. 1MB)
```

- 3) Press "G" to start and specify the path. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 4) Use SET command at the DOS prompt, or your AUTOEXEC.BAT file:

SET RCPADI = (3D-Studio drive)\RTA41 (or RTA41D,
RTA41DL)

NOTE:

Check 3D Studio manuals for additional information to configure program for RTVGA new drivers.

5.4 Configuring CADKEY

- There are two drivers for CADKEY 3: one (RC16.EXE) for 16-color modes, and another (RC256.EXE) for 256-color modes.
- 3. Press "G" to start and specify the path. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 4. Run CONFIG program to reconfigure your program environment.
- 5. Load driver, by type RC16 or RC256 under DOS.
- Start your main program. (\CKGR\CKGR)

5.5 Configuring FRAMEWORK

- 1. Insert the RTVGA Utility disk in Drive A and type: A: [Enter] RTINST [Enter] choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select "Framework III v1.x".
- You will see some procedures and a list of the available drivers.
- Press "G" to start and specify the path. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 4. Run SETUPFW to configure your Framework III.
- 5. From the SETUP menu choose option 2, "All other users of the setup program."
- 6. If you are running Framework/III from a system with two floppy drivers, insert the Framework/III "SYSTEM DISK 2" into Drive B and select option 1; if you are running Framework/III from a single-floppy-drive system, insert the diskette into Drive A and select option 1; otherwise, choose option 2 if you are running Framework/III from your hard disk drive.
- Select option 2 for CONFIGURATION.
- 8. Choose option 1 to select the PRIMARY HARDWARE configurations.
- 9. Enter number 1 to indicate that you want to select the Screen Driver, and 7 for "I want to enter my own driver file name." Then enter the name of the driver you want to use. Table 7 lists the available driver names:

Table 7: Screen Format	Framework/III Drivers Zoom Screen	Driver Name
80Cx30R text	640Hx480V	RF180.SC
80Cx43R text	640Hx480V	RF190.SC
80Cx60R text	640Hx480V	RF1A0.SC
132Cx25R text	640Hx480V	RF1B0.SC
132Cx30R text	640Hx480V	RF1C0.SC
132Cx43R text	640Hx480V	RF1D0.SC
132Cx60R text	640Hx480V	RF1E0.SC

800Hx600V	RF181.SC
800Hx600V	RF191.SC
800Hx600V	RF1A1.SC
800Hx600V	RF1B1.SC
800Hx600V	RF1C1.SC
800Hx600V	RF1D1.SC
800Hx600V	RF1E1.SC
640Hx480V	RF12.SC
800Hx600V	RF1F.SC
	800Hx600V 800Hx600V 800Hx600V 800Hx600V 800Hx600V 640Hx480V

- 10. When you have entered the driver name, type "M" to return to the main menu.
- 11. From the Main Menu, type "7" to save all your settings.
- 12. You will be prompted to insert the "SETUP Disk" into Drive A. Do not insert the SETUP Disk; instead, please insert the RTVGA Utility Diskette, since your new drivers are located on the RTVGA Utility Diskette. Press the space bar when you have the RTVGA Utility Diskette in the floppy drive.
- 13. Save new configuration. Choose option "1" if you are running Framework from your floppy drive, or option "2" if you are using a hard disk drive. Strike any key to exit to DOS once you have made your choice.
- Eg: Configuring for 132x60-column Display, to choose the driver for 132x60-column display for the screen format and 800x600 for the "zoom" function, type:

 RF1E1.SC [Enter]

5.6 Configuring GEM/3

 Follow the installation procedure to install GEM/3 with one of the standard screen drivers (eg. VGA). Start the installation by inserting the GEM/3 System Master Disk into drive A and typing:

A: <CR>
GEMPREP <CR>

2. Create a GEM DRIVER PAK DISK. Using the DOS format utility, format a blank diskette by entering the command: eq. FORMAT b: /V

and enter the label as: GEM DRIVRPK<CR>

where b: is the drive letter. The format utility will prompt for a volume label by displaying:

Volume Label (11 characters, Enter for none?)

- 3. Insert the RTVGA Utility disk in Drive A and type: A: [Enter] RTINST [Enter] choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select "GEM/3".
- 4. You will see some procedures and a list of the available drivers.
- Press "G" to start and follow the instruction. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 6. Now re-install GEM/3. Place the GEM/3 System Master Disk in drive A and type:

A: <CR>
GEMSETUP<CR> or GEMPREP

Follow the installation instructions to CHANGE EXISTING CONFIGURATION. When prompted for a screen driver choice, choose OTHER (DRIVER PACK).

When prompted to insert the driver pack disk into drive A, insert the newly created disk, and "CONTINUE"

"BUSY" message will be displayed on screen, then the list of drivers. Select the resolution you wish to install as:

- A. RTVGA 800x600/16 colors display
- B. RTVGA 1024x768/4 colors display (min. 512KB)
- C. RTVGA 1024x768/16 colors display (min. 512KB)
- D. RTVGA 768x1024/16 colors display (min. 512KB)
- E. RTVGA 1024x1024/16 colors display (Virtual-1, min. 512KB
- F. RTVGA 1024x1024/16 colors display (Virtual-2, min. 512KB
- G. RTVGA 1280x1024/16 colors display (min. 1MB) and complete the installation procedure.

Note: GEM DRIVRPK is required by GEM/3 SETUP program.

5.7 Configuring LOTUS 123 and SYMPHONY

To install the new extended display drivers for Lotus 123 and SYMPHONY, you'll need Lotus/123 Release 2, and SYMPHONY Release 1.1.

- 1. Insert the RTVGA Utility disk in Drive A and type:
 A: [Enter]
 RTINST [Enter]
 choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select "Lotus/123 R2.x".
- You will see some procedures and a list of the available drivers.
- Press "G" to start and specify the path. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 4. Enter your Lotus/123 directory and delete old SINGLE.LIB.
- 5. Type "Lotus" to open the Main Menu.
- 6. Select "Install" from the main menu.
- 7. Select "Advanced options" from the Install menu.
- 8. Select "Add new driver to library" from the Advanced Options menu.
- 9. Select "Modify current driver set" from the menu.
- 10. Select either TEXT or GRAPHICS display.

- RTVGA (800x600/16) Rel.2 <-- GRAPHICS
- 11. Return to the Lotus/123 main menu and choose "Save Changes" to record the changes you have made, then exit the Lotus/123 installation program.
- 12. Setup Lotus/SYMPHONY use same steps as above.

Note: DON'T forget to make sure UTIL.SET existed in your LOTUS directory.

5.8 Configuring PCAD

1. Insert the RTVGA Utility disk in Drive A and type:

A: [Enter]

RTINST [Enter]

choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select "PCAD/4" or "PCAD/4.5".

2. You will see some procedures and a list of the available drivers:

Ext-Graphics 16-color drivers:

. 800x600 : RP800.DRV

. 960x720 : RP960.DRV (required 512KB)

. 768x1024 : RP768.DRV (required 512KB)

. 1024x768 : RP1024.DRV (required 512KB)

. 1280x1024: RP1280.DRV (required 1MB)

- 3. Press "G" to start and specify the path. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 4. You can change the "display" line in the PCADDRV.SYS file to select a display driver.

For example, the following content of PCADDRV.SYS can be used to select 800x600 16-color driver:

DISPLAY \PCAD\RP800.DRV

To compare the testing results, try to modify PCADDRV.SYS file into:

MOUSEGAIN HIGH 1.2

ROUNDLINES NO

TEXTSIZE RELATIVE 1.0 1.0

SYSTEM \PCAD\SIBMPC.DRV
INPUT \PCAD\IMOUSYS.DRV
DISPLAY \PCAD\DIBMVGA.DRV

5. If installed PCAD version 4.5, you have the following drivers:

. 800x600 : RP800.DRV

. 960x720 : RP960.DRV (required 512KB)

. 768x1024 : RP768.DRV (required 512KB)

. 1024x768 : RP1024.DRV (required 512KB)

. 1280x1024: RP1280.DRV (required 1MB)

The installation is same as verion 4.0.

5.9 Configuring VENTURA

To install new display drivers for Xerox Ventura Publisher, you will need Ventura Publisher release 2.0.

1. Insert the RTVGA Utility disk in Drive A and type:
 A: [Enter]
 RTINST [Enter]

choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select "Ventura Publisher/2".

- You will see some procedures and a list of the available drivers.
- Press "G" to start and follow the instruction. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 4. Insert the RTVGA Utility Diskette into Drive A and type: VPDRV2_0 [Enter]
- 5. Select desired display mode as:
 - A. RTVGA 800x600/16 colors display
 - B. RTVGA 1024x768/4 colors display
 - C. RTVGA 1024x768/16 colors display (min. 512KB)
 - D. RTVGA 768x1024/16 colors display (min. 512KB)
 - E. RTVGA 1024x1024/16 colors display (Virtual-1, min. 512KB)
 - F. RTVGA 1024x1024/16 colors display (Virtual-2, min. 512KB)
 - G. RTVGA 1280x1024/16 colors display (min. 1MB)
- 6. Follow the instructions on the screen and respond to the remaining questions to complete the installation.

If you want to reconfigure for a different display mode, you will need to repeat installation procedure 4-6.

5.10 Configuring VERSACAD

choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select "VersaCAD v5.x".

2. There are two drivers for VersaCad Version 5.x:

RV16.COM for 16-color modes, and

- -- 800x600 16-color
- -- 1024x768 16-color (min. 512KB)
- -- 1280x1024 16-color (min. 1MB)

RV256.COM for 256-color modes.

- -- 512x512/256-color
- -- 640x400/256-color
- -- 640x480/256-color (min. 512KB)
- -- 800x600/256-color (min. 512KB)
- -- 1024x768/256-color (min. 1MB)
- -- 1024x1024/256-color (min. 1MB)
- Press "G" to start and specify the path. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 4. You must run ENVIRO.EXE to select the correct display mode you want.
- 5. Run ENVIRO first
 - 1) Press N (next) until Screen device menu appears.
 - Press S to select the driver you want.

Note: Do NOT select dual,

if you have no dual screen configuration.

- 3) Type X to exit.
- 6. Because of aspect ratio, some 256-color mode does not show good effect. Look at RV1M.CFG file with ..PARAMS: line. You may change the aspect ratio at the number followed for your monitor.
- 5.11 Configuring MS WINDOWS 3.x
 - 1. Insert the RTVGA Utility disk in Drive A and type:

A: [Enter]

RTINST [Enter]

choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select "WINDOWS/3.x".

2. You will see some procedures and a list of available drivers:

640x480/16 colors 800x600/16 colors 1024x768/16 colors (min. 512KB) (min. 512KB) 640x480/256 colors (min. 512KB) 800x600/256 colors 1024x768/256 colors (min. 1MB) 1284x1024/16 colors (min. 1MB) 512x512/64K colors (min. 1MB) 640x400/64K colors (min. 1MB) 640x480/64K colors (min. 1MB) 800x600/64K colors (min. 1MB)

- 3. Press "G" to start and specify the path. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 4. Run SETUP program of windows/3.0.
- Move the highlight to Display by press the UP arrow key, then ENTER.
- 6. Select Others then ENTER.
- 7. Give the path where the drivers had installed.
- 8. Pick up one desired resolution display driver, then ENTER.
- 9. Follow the instruction on screen to finish windows setup.

5.12 Configuring WordPerfect

- 5.12.1. Configure WordPerfect/4.2 for extended text display:
 - Run the VMODE.EXE program to select the extended text mode you want to use (i.e. 132 or 80 columns by 25, 30, 43 or 60 rows).

- 4) Enter the values for column and row to match the values you selected with the VMODE.EXE program.
- 5) Choose option 0 to accept the new configuration and enter WordPerfect.

NOTE: Remember, when you exit from WordPerfect, type the command line "VMODE V3 [Enter]" to return to standard 80x25 VGA text display.

Every time you run WordPerfect, you will need to type "VMODE" and select options that matches the columns and rows that you had set in your WordPerfect setup (WP/S) previously.

Once you have configured WordPerfect, you need not repeat steps 1 through 5 unless you want to change to a different display mode.

- 5.12.2. Configure WordPerfect/5.0 for extended graphic display:
 - 1) Insert the RTVGA Utility disk in Drive A and type:
 A: [Enter]
 RTINST [Enter]
 choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select "WordPerfect/5.0".
 - 2) You will see some procedures and a list of available drivers:

```
RTVGA 4 colors (1024x768)
RTVGA 16 colors (640x480)
(800x600)
(768x1024, min. 512KB)
(1024x768, min. 512KB)
(1280x1024, min. 1MB)
```

- 3) Press "G" to start and specify the path. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 4) Start WordPerfect program, by WP.
- 5) Setup new display, by SHIFT-F1.
- 6) Select (2) Display.
- 7) Select (5) Graphics Screen Type
- 8) Save new configuration.

- 5.12.3. Configure WordPerfect/5.1 for extended text/graphic display:
 - 1) Insert the RTVGA Utility disk in Drive A and type:
 A: [Enter]
 RTINST [Enter]
 choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select
 "WordPerfect/5.1".
 - 2) You will see some procedures and a list of available drivers:

RTVGA 132 texts (132 columns)

```
RTVGA 4 colors (1024x768)
RTVGA 16
          colors(640x480)
                (800x600)
                (1024x768, min.
                                   1MB)
                 (1280x1024, min.
                                   1MB)
RTVGA 256 colors(640x400)
                (512x512)
                 (640x480,
                           min. 512KB)
                 (800x600,
                           min. 512KB)
                 (1024x768, min.
                                   1MB)
                (1024x1024, min.
                                   1MB)
```

- 3) Press "G" to start and specify the path. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 4) Start WordPerfect program, by WP.
- 5) Setup new display, by SHIFT-F1.
- 6) Select (2) Display.
- 7) Select (2) Graphics Screen Type.
- 8) Select (3) Text Screen Type.
- 9) Save new configuration.

5.13 Configuring WORDSTAR

- 5.13.1. Install the WordStar Release 3:
 - 1) Make sure file called "DEBUG.COM" or "DEBUG.EXE" exist. (Check your DOS system disk).
 - 2) Make a copy of the WS.COM file from your WordStar diskette or the WordStar directory on your hard drive, and give the new file the name WS132.COM. Either insert your WordStar diskette into Drive A, or enter your WordStar directory on your hard disk drive and type:

 COPY WS.COM WS132.COM [Enter]
 - 3) Insert the RTVGA Utility disk in Drive A and type: A: [Enter] RTINST [Enter] choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select "WordStar".
 - 4) You will see some procedures.
 - 5) Press "G" to start and specify the path. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
 - 6) If you are not already in your WordStar directory, enter that directory. To modify WordStar to work with 132x25 text mode, type: MAKEWS 13225 WS132.COM [Enter]
 - 7) Run VMODE.EXE to select the video mode you want to display. (For this example, you would select 132x25 mode)
 - 8) Go to your WordStar directory and run WordStar Release 3 by typing: WS132 [Enter]
- 5.13.2. Install the WordStar Release 4:
 - 1) Go to your WordStar Professional Release 4 directory and start WordStar's installation program by typing: WSCHANGE
 - Type "WS.EXE" as the filename of your WS program file, and type "WS132.EXE" as the filename for new changes.
 - 3) Select option A for "Console options".

- 4) Select option A for "Monitor options".
- 5) Choose option C for "Screen Sizing".
- 6) Choose option A for "Height" at the Screen Sizing Menu, then enter the desire value for the screen format (i.e. 25, 30, 43 or 60).
- 7) Choose option B for "width" at the Screen Sizing Menu and enter the value 132 or 80 for the screen size.
- 8) Once you have selected the screen format, return to the Main Installation Menu by typing a series of X's.
- 9) Run VMODE.EXE to select the extended video mode (make sure the values you select are the same as those you selected previously in the WordStar configuration).
- 10) Start WordStar Release 4 by typing: WS132.

You won't need to repeat this installation procedure unless you want to configure WordStar Release 4 for a different display mode.

Note:

Follow the rest steps when you run WordStar each time:

- Run VMODE.EXE to set the desired mode. (See Section 4.2)
- 2) Type "WS" or "WS132" to start WordStar.
- 3) When you exit WordStar, type "VMODE V3" to return standard VGA display mode.

5.14 Configuring EASYCAD2:

1) Insert the RTVGA Utility disk in Drive A and type: A: [Enter] RTINST [Enter] choose "3. INSTALL DRIVERS" and select "EASYCAD/2".

2) You will see some procedures and a list of available drivers:

DSRT800.BIN - RTVGA 800x600/16 colors
DSRT960.BIN - RTVGA 960x720/16 colors with 512KB
DSRT1024.BIN - RTVGA 1024x768/16 colors with 512KB
DSRT768.BIN - RTVGA 768x1024/16 colors with 512KB
DSRT1280.BIN - RTVGA 1280x1024/16 colors with 1MB

- 3) Press "G" to start and specify the path. After installation had completed, hit [ESC] until return to DOS prompt.
- 4) Run INSTALL.EXE to reconfigure program environment, select RTVGA new display driver.
- 5) Start EASYCAD main program.

NOTE:

For convenience, RTINST will insert the essential information into INSTALL.DAT at EasyCad directory directly, and backup the previous file as an .OLD file like: INSTALL.INF to be INSTALL.OLD

5.15 OTHERS:

If your favorite applications are not showed up here, you may

- Check if the application program allows you to re-configure new display format, such as WordStar 4,..., etc.
- 2) Call the software publisher and ask for new driver(s) to support RTVGA series SUPER VGA(s).

SECTION 6 ADVANCED TOPICS

This section covers information intended for users familiar with assembly language programming. The RTVGA standard supports a variety of video modes, accessible through a video BIOS call from assembly language or other higher-level programming languages. This section will help you, the programmer, maximize the performance of your RTVGA-3106 by accessing its enhanced display modes.

When you start up in DOS, the screen display defaults to the standard 80 column text or "alpha-numeric" mode. This will be mode 3+ on a color system, or mode 7+ on a monochrome

Table 8 on the following page lists the standard VGA video modes available with RTVGA-3106.

Mode (hex)	T/G	Color	box Size	Alpha Size	Screen Size	Buffer Start	Pg	Hsync (KHz)	Vsync (Hz)	Crystal (MHz)	RAM (KB
0,1	A/N	16	8x8	40x25	320x200	B8000	8	31.5	70	25.175	256
2,3	A/N	16	8x8	80x25	640x200	B8000	8	31.5	70	25.175	25
0*,1*	A/N	16	8x14	40x25	320x350	B8000	8	31.5	70	25.175	25
2*,3*	A/N	16	8x14	80x25	640x350	B8000	8	31.5	70	25.175	25
0+,1+	A/N	16	9x16	40x25	360x400	B8000	8	31.5	70	28.322	25
2+,3+	A/N	16	9x16	80x25	720x400	B8000	8	31.5	70	28.322	25
4,5	APA	4	8X8	40X25	320x200	B8000	1	31.5	70	25.175	25
6	APA	2	8x8	80x25	640x200	B8000	1	31.5	70	25.175	25
7	A/N	_	9x14	80x25	720x350	B0000	8	31.5	70	28.322	25
7+	A/N	-	9x16	80x25	720x400	B0000	8	31.5	70	28.322	25
D	APA	16	8x8	40x25	320x200	A0000	8	31.5	70	25.175	25
E	APA	16	8x8	80x25	640x200	A0000	4	31.5	70	25.175	25
F	APA	-	8x14	80x25	640x350	A0000	2	31.5	70	25.175	25
10	APA	16	8x14	80x25	640x350	A0000	2	31.5	70	25.175	25
11	APA	2	8x16	80x30	640x480	A0000	1	31.5	60	25.175	25
12	APA	16	8x16	80x30	640x480	A0000	1	31.5	60	25.175	25
13	APA	256	8x8	40x25	320x200	A0000	1	31.5	70	25.175	25

Table 8 Standard VGA modes

NOTE:

- * : EGA text modes with 8x14 and 9x14 character sizes and 350 lines vertical resolutions.
- + : VGA text modes with 9x16 character size and 400 lines vertical resolution.

Default display modes are 3+ for color system and 7+ for mono systems with analog monitors.

6.2 Extended VGA Modes

The RTVGA-3106 supports nineteen enhanced modes, in addition to the standard VGA modes. Table 9 summarizes the sixteen new display modes.

Table 9 Extended VGA Modes

Mode (hex)	T/G	Color	box Size	Alpha Size	Screen Size	Buffer Start	Pg	Hsync (KHz)	Vsync (Hz)	Crystal (MHz)	RAM (KB)
18	A/N	16	9x16	80x30	720x480	A0000	1	31.5	60	28.322	512
19	A/N	16	9x8	80x43	720x473	A0000	1	31.5	70	28.322	512
1A	A/N	16	9x8	80x60	720x480	A0000	1	31.5	60	28.322	512
1B	A/N	16	9x16	132x25	1188x350	A0000	1	31.2	70	40.0	513
1C	A/N	16	9x16	132x30	1188x480	A0000	1	31.2	60	40.0	513
1 D	A/N	16	9x8	132x43	1188x473	A0000	1	31.2	70	40.0	51:
1E	A/N	16	9x8	132x60	1188x480	A0000	1	31.2	60	40.0	512
1F	APA	16	8X8	100x75	800x600	A0000	1	35.5	57	36	51:
1F V	APA	16	8X8	100x75	800x600	A0000	1	48.0	70	50.35	51
20	APA	16	8X16	120x45	960x720	A0000	1	35.5	43/43	44.9	51
21	APA	16	8X16	128x48	1024x768	A0000	1	35.5	43/43	44.9	51
21 NI	APA	16	8X16	128x48	1024x768	A0000	1	48.5	60	65	51
21 V	APA	16	8X16	128x48	1024x768	A0000	1	56.5	70	75	51
22	APA	16	8X16	96x64	768x1024	A0000	1	38	35/35	44.9	51
23	APA	4	8X16	128x48	1024x768	A0000	1	35.5	43/43	44.9	51
24	APA	256	8X16	64x32	512x512	A0000	1	35.5	62	50.35	51
25	APA	256	8X14	80x25	640x400	A0000	1	31.5	70	50.35	51
26	APA	256	8X16	800x30	640x480	A0000	1	31.5	60	50.35	51
27	APA	256	8X8	100x75	800x600	A0000	1	32.5	51	65	51
27 @	APA	256	8x8	100x75	800x600	A0000	1	35.5	57	36	102
27 V	APA	256	8x8	100x75	800x600	A0000	1	48.0	70	50.35	102
28	APA	256	8x16	128x48	1024x768	A0000	1	35.5	43/43	44.9	102
28 NI	APA	256	8x16	128x48	1024x768	A0000	1	48.5	60	65	1024
28 V	APA	256	8x16	128x48	1024x768	A0000	1	56.5	70	75	1024
29	APA	256	8x16	128x64	1024x1024	A0000	1	51.4	47/47	65	1024
2 A	APA	256	8x16	160x64	1280x1024	A0000	1	42.3	39/39	65	102
2A V	APA	256	8x16	160x64	1280x1024	A0000	1	48.8	45/45	75	1024
38	APA	64K	8x8	80x25	320x200	A0000	1	31.5	70	50.35	102
39	APA	64K	8x16	64x32	512x512	A0000	1	35.5	60	50.35	1024
3A	APA	64K	8x14	80x25	640x400	A0000	1	31.5	70	50.35	1024
3B	APA	64K	8x16	80x30	640x480	A0000	1	31.5	60	50.35	1024
3C	APA	64K	8x8	100x75	800x600	A0000	1	36.0	57	72	102

Note:

- 1. @ = need to have ONE Mega bytes memory on board.
- 2. NI = Non-interlace mode.
- 3. V = VESA Mode.

Appendix A Pin Out and Sync Frequencies

A.1 Analog Color Display Pin outs
Table A1 shows the RTVGA Graphics Adapter analog color display pinouts.

Table Pin	log Color Fu	Display nction	Pinouts
1	Re	d Video	
2	Gr	een Video	0
3	Bl	ue Video	
4	No	t Used	
5	Gr	ound	
6	Re	d Return	(ground)
7	Gr	een Retui	rn (ground)
8	Bl	ue Returi	n (ground)
9	Ke	y (no pi	n)
10	Sy	nc Retur	n (ground)
11	No	t Used	
12	No	t Used	
13	Но	rizontal	Sync
14	Ve	rtical Sy	ync
15	No	t Used	

NOTE: Analog monochrome type monitors use Green Video for all video input and ignore Red Video and Blue Video.

A.2 Sync Signals for PS/2 Monitors

Tabl	e A2 Sy	ync Sig	gnals :	for $PS/2$ N	(Ionito)	rs		
Vert	. Res.	Hori.	Freq.	Polarity	Vert.	Sync	Freq.	Polarity
350	lines	31.47	KHz	+	70.08	Hz		-
400	lines	31.47	KHz	-	70.08	Hz		+
480	lines	31.47	KHz	004 - 1080	59.94	Hz		-



