

**PCA-6181**

Full-sized PCI/ISA-bus  
socket 370 Pentium III  
processor-based CPU card

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- 2 UDMA 66/100 HDD cables, P/N: 1701400452
- 1 printer (parallel port) cable & COM port cable kit, P/N: 1700060305
- 1 ivory cable for PS/2 keyboard and PS/2 mouse, P/N: 1700060202
- 1 USB cable (optional), P/N 1700100170
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# CHAPTER 1

## Hardware Configuration

This chapter gives background information on the PCA-6181. It then shows you how to configure the card to match your application and prepare it for installation into your PC.

Sections include:

- Introduction
- Features
- Specifications
- Board Layout
- Jumpers and Connectors
- Safety Precautions
- Jumper Settings
- System Memory
- Memory Installation Procedures
- Cache Memory
- CPU Installation

# 1.1 Introduction

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The PCA-6181 Series all-in-one industrial grade single board computer is a high performance and full-featured computing engine. It meet most of the requirements of industrial applications.

The PCA-6181 supports Intel's Pentium III and Celeron processor. The CPU provides 128/256/512 KB on-CPU L2 cache, eliminating the need for external SRAM chips. It has two PCI EIDE interfaces (for up to four devices) and a floppy disk drive interface (for up to two devices). Other features include two RS-232 serial ports (16C550 UARTs with 16-byte FIFO or compatible), one enhanced parallel port (supports EPP/ECP) and two USB (Universal Serial Bus) ports. The PCI enhanced IDE controller supports Ultra DMA/33/66/100 and PIO Mode 4 operation. This provides data transfer rates of 33/66/100 MB/sec. System BIOS supports boot-up from an IDE CD-ROM, SCSI CD-ROM, LS-120, IDE HDD, SCSI HDD, ZIP-100, LAN, and FDD.

A backup of CMOS data is stored in the Flash memory, which protects data even after a battery failure. Also included is a 63-level watchdog timer, which resets the CPU or generates an interrupt if a program cannot be executed normally. This enables reliable operation in unattended environments.

The PCA-6181 Series offers several impressive industrial features such as chipset built-in VGA (AGP) interface, dual 10/100Base-T networking controller, two DIMM slots for a total of 1.5 GB RAM memory, and a high driving ISA bus.

The remote management interface enables the PCA-6181 to be managed through Ethernet when it is connected to the SNMP-1000 Remote HTTP/SNMP System Manager.

*Note: Some of the features mentioned above are not available with all models. For more information about the specifications of a particular model, see Section 1.3: Specifications.*



## 1.2 Features

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1. **On-board hardware monitoring:** System healthy status including CPU fan, CPU temperature and system voltages levels are monitored to ensure stable operation. proper system configuration and management. A remote monitoring interface is reserved for remote management through Ethernet by using Advantech's SNMP-1000 system management module.
2. **ATX soft power switch:** Through the BIOS, the power button can be defined as the "Standby" (aka "Suspend" or "Sleep") button or as the "Soft-Off" button. Regardless of the setting, pushing the power button for more than 4 seconds will enter the Soft-Off mode.
3. **Power-on by modem (requires modem):** This allows a computer to be turned on remotely through an internal or external modem. Users can thus access information on their computers from anywhere in the world.
4. **Power-on by LAN:** This allows you to remotely power up your system through your network by sending a wake-up frame or signal. With this feature, you can remotely upload/ download data to/from systems during off-peak hours.
5. **Message LED:** Chassis LEDs now act as information providers. The way a particular LED illuminates indicates the stage the computer is in. A single glimpse provides useful information to the user.
6. **More:**
  - Additional metal bracket for board stabilization
  - **Power On by Alarm:** Powers up your computer at a certain time
  - **Virus warning:** During and after system boot-up, any attempt to write to the boot sector or partition table of the hard disk drive will halt the system. In this case, a warning message will be displayed. You can then run your anti-virus program to locate the problem

## 1.3 Specifications

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### 1.3.1 System

- **CPU:** Intel Celeron 533 MHz~ 1.2 GHz, Pentium® III up to 1.26 GHz, FSB 66/100/133 MHz
- **BIOS:** Award Flash BIOS, 2 Mb
- **System Chipset:** VIA Apollo Pro 133T (VT82C694T + VT82C686B)
- **PCI enhanced IDE hard disk drive interface:** Supports up to four IDE large hard disk drives or other enhanced IDE devices. Supports PIO mode 4 (16.67 MB/s data transfer rate) and Ultra DMA/33/66/100 (33/66/100 MB/s data transfer rate). BIOS enabled/disabled
- **Floppy disk drive interface:** Supports up to two floppy disk drives, 5¼" (360 KB and 1.2 MB) and/or 3½" (720 KB, 1.44 MB, and 2.88 MB). BIOS enabled/disabled

### 1.3.2 Memory

- **RAM:** Up to 1.5 GB in two available 168-pin DIMM sockets. Supports PC100/PC133-compliant SDRAMs
- **ECC (parity DRAM only):** Modules can detect multi-bit memory errors. Correction of 1-bit memory errors

### 1.3.3 Input/Output

- **Bus interface:** PCI/ISA bus, PICMG compliant
- **Enhanced parallel port:** Configurable to LPT1, LPT2, LPT3, or disabled. Standard DB-25 female connector provided. Supports EPP/ECP
- **Serial ports:** Two RS-232 ports with 16C550 UARTs (or compatible) with 16-byte FIFO buffer. Supports speeds up to 115.2 Kbps. Ports can be individually configured to COM1, COM2 or disabled

- **Keyboard and PS/2 mouse connector:** A 6-pin mini-DIN connector is located on the mounting bracket for easy connection to a keyboard or PS/2 mouse. An onboard keyboard pin header connector is also available
- **ISA driving current:** 16 mA (High Drive)

### 1.3.4 VGA interface

- **Controller:** ATI Rage 128 Pro 4XL, AGP 4X
- **Display memory:** 32 MB
- **Resolution up to 1600 X 1200 X 64K colors**

### 1.3.5 Ethernet LAN

- **Supports dual 10/100Base-T Ethernet networking**
- **Chipset:** Realtek 8139C

### 1.3.6 Industrial features

- **Watchdog timer:** Can generate a system reset or IRQ11. The watchdog timer is programmable, with each unit equal to one second (63 levels). The program uses I/O port hex 443h to control the watchdog timer

### 1.3.7 Mechanical and environmental specifications

- **Operating temperature:** 0 ~ 60° C (32 ~ 140° F), depending on CPU
- **Storage temperature:** -20 ~ 70° C (-4 ~ 158° F)
- **Humidity:** 20 ~ 95% non-condensing
- **Power supply voltage:** +5 V, ±12 V
- **Power consumption:**  
+5 V @ 6.8 A, +12V @ 400 mA (typical, with Pentium III 1 GHz and 256 MB SDRAM)
- **Board size:** 338 x 122 mm (13.3" x 4.8")
- **Board weight:** 0.5 kg (1.2 lb)

## 1.4 Jumpers and Connectors

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Connectors on the PCA-6181 board link it to external devices such as hard disk drives and a keyboard. In addition, the board has a number of jumpers used to configure your system for your application.

The tables below list the function of each of the board jumpers and connectors. Later sections in this chapter give instructions on setting jumpers. Chapter 2 gives instructions for connecting external devices to your card.

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Table 1-1: Jumpers

| <b>Label</b> | <b>Function</b>       |
|--------------|-----------------------|
| J1           | CMOS clear            |
| J2           | Watchdog timer output |

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Table 1-2: Connectors

| <b>Label</b> | <b>Function</b>                   |
|--------------|-----------------------------------|
| CN1          | Primary IDE connector             |
| CN2          | Secondary IDE connector           |
| CN3          | Floppy drive connector            |
| CN4          | Parallel port                     |
| CN6          | USB port                          |
| CN7          | VGA connector                     |
| CN8          | 10/100Base-T Ethernet connector   |
| CN9          | Serial port: COM1                 |
| CN10         | Serial port: COM2                 |
| CN11         | PS/2 keyboard and mouse connector |
| CN12         | External keyboard connector       |
| CN13         | Infrared (IR) connector           |
| CN14         | CPU fan connector                 |
| CN16         | Power LED                         |

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|      |                                   |
|------|-----------------------------------|
| CN17 | External speaker                  |
| CN18 | Reset connector                   |
| CN19 | HDD LED connector                 |
| CN20 | ATX feature connector             |
| CN21 | ATX soft power switch             |
| CN27 | Extension I/O board connector     |
| CN28 | Extension I/O board connector     |
| CN29 | External SM bus connector         |
| CN33 | PS/2 mouse connector              |
| CN34 | 10/100Base-T Ethernet connector 2 |

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Table 1-3: SCSI Daughter board:

|      |                                  |
|------|----------------------------------|
| CN50 | 68-pin U160 SCSI connector       |
| CN51 | 68-pin Ultra wide SCSI Connector |
| CN52 | 50-pin Ultra Wide SCSI Connect   |

# 1.5 Board Layout: Jumper and Connector Locations

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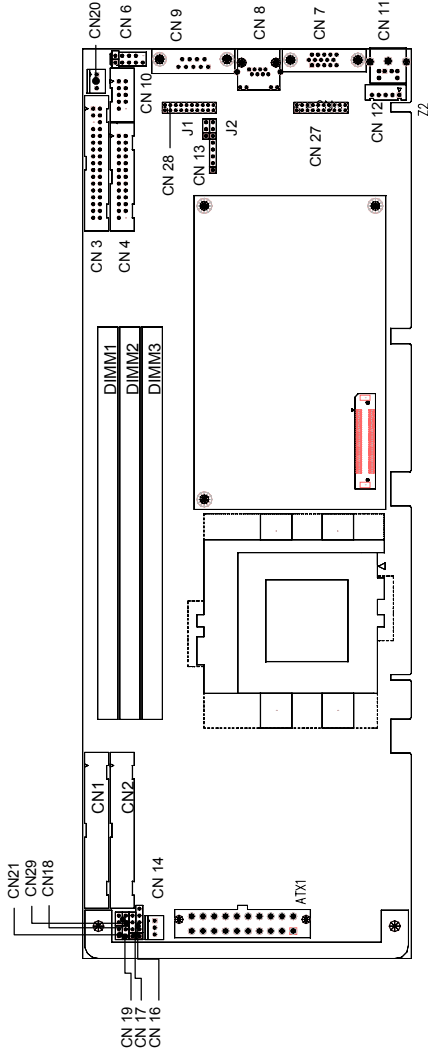
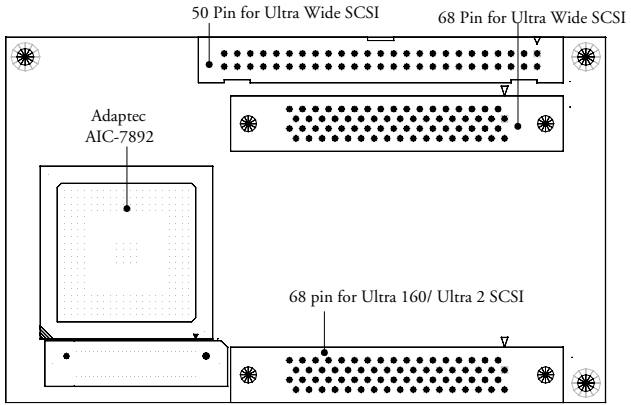
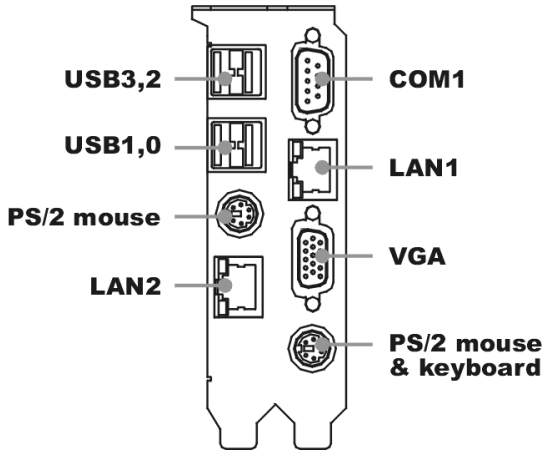


Figure 1-1: Board layout: jumper and connector locations



**Figure 1-2: SCSI daughter board layout**



**Figure 1-3: Extension I/O daughter board**

## 1.6 Safety Precautions

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**Warning!** *Always completely disconnect the power cord from your chassis whenever you work with the hardware. Do not make connections while the power is on. Sensitive electronic components can be damaged by sudden power surges. Only experienced electronics personnel should open the PC chassis.*



**Caution!** *Always ground yourself to remove any static charge before touching the CPU card. Modern electronic devices are very sensitive to static electric charges. As a safety precaution, use a grounding wrist strap at all times. Place all electronic components in a static-dissipative surface or static-shielded bag when they are not in the chassis.*



## 1.7 Jumper Settings

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This section provides instructions on how to configure your card by setting jumpers. It also includes the card's default settings and your options for each jumper.

### 1.7.1 How to set jumpers

You configure your card to match the needs of your application by setting jumpers. A jumper is a metal bridge that closes an electrical circuit. It consists of two metal pins and a small metal clip (often protected by a plastic cover) that slides over the pins to connect them. To “close” (or turn ON) a jumper, you connect the pins with the clip. To “open” (or turn OFF) a jumper, you remove the clip. Sometimes a jumper consists of a set of three pins, labeled 1, 2, and 3. In this case you connect either pins 1 and 2, or 2 and 3.



A pair of needle-nose pliers may be useful when setting jumpers.



## 1.7.2 CMOS clear (J1)

The PCA-6181 CPU card contains a jumper that can erase CMOS data and reset the system BIOS information. Normally this jumper should be set with pins 1-2 closed. If you want to reset the CMOS data, set J1 to 2-3 closed for just a few seconds, and then move the jumper back to 1-2 closed. This procedure will reset the CMOS to its default setting.

Table 1-4: CMOS clear (J1)



| Function         | Jumper setting |                                                                                   |
|------------------|----------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| * Keep CMOS data | 1-2 closed     |  |
| Clear CMOS data  | 2-3 closed     |  |

\* default setting

## 1.7.3 Watchdog timer output (J2)

The PCA-6181 contains a watchdog timer that will reset the CPU or send a signal to IRQ11 in the event the software fails to reset the watchdog timer. The J2 jumper settings control the outcome of what the computer will do in the event the watchdog timer is tripped.

Table 1-5: Watchdog timer output (J2)

| Function | Jumper setting |                                                                                     |
|----------|----------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| IRQ11    | 1-2 closed     |  |
| * Reset  | 2-3 closed     |  |

\* default setting

## 1.8 System Memory

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The PCA-6181 has three sockets for 168-pin dual inline memory modules (DIMMs). All these sockets use 3.3 V unbuffered synchronous DRAMs (SDRAM). DIMMs are available in capacities of 16, 32, 64, 128, 256 or 512 MB. The sockets can be filled in any combination with DIMMs of any size, giving a total memory size between 16 MB and 1.5 GB. Use the following table to calculate the total DRAM memory within your computer:

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Table 1-6: DIMM module allocation table

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| <b>Socket number</b> | <b>168-pin DIMM memory</b>           |
|----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1                    | (16, 32, 64, 128, 256 or 512 MB) x 1 |
| 2                    | (16, 32, 64, 128, 256 or 512 MB) x 1 |
| 3                    | (16, 32, 64, 128, 256 or 512 MB) X 1 |

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### 1.8.1 Supplementary information about DIMMs

Your PCA-6181 can accept SDRAM memory chips with or without parity. Also note:

- If the PCA-6181 operates at 133/100 MHz, only use PC-133/PC-100 compliant DIMMs. Most systems will not even boot if non-compliant modules are used. This is due to strict timing issues involved at this speed.
- SDRAM chips are usually thinner and have higher pin density than EDO chips.
- Chips with 9 chips/side support ECC; chips with 8 chips/side do not support ECC.

## 1.9 Memory Installation Procedures

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To install DIMMs, first make sure the two handles of the DIMM socket are in the "open" position. i.e. The handles lean outward. Slowly slide the DIMM module along the plastic guides on both ends of the socket. Then press the DIMM module right down into the socket, until you hear a click. This is when the two handles have automatically locked the memory module into the correct position of the DIMM socket. To remove the memory module, just push both handles outward, and the memory module will be ejected by the mechanism in the socket.

## 1.10 Cache Memory

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Since the second level (L2) cache has been embedded into the Intel® Pentium III/Celeron processor, you do not have to take care of either SRAM chips or SRAM modules. The built-in second level cache in the Pentium III/Celeron processor yields much higher performance than the external cache memories. The cache size in the Intel® Pentium III processor is 256 KB or 512 KB, for Celeron processor is 128 or 256 KB.

## 1.11 CPU Installation

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The CPU on the board must have a fan or heat sink attached, to prevent overheating.

**Warning:** *Without a fan or heat sink, the CPU will overheat and cause damage to both the CPU and the motherboard.*

To install a CPU, first turn off your system and remove its cover. Locate the processor socket 370.

1. Make sure the socket 370 lever is in the upright position. To raise the lever, pull it out to the side a little and raise it as far as it will go.
2. Place the CPU in the empty socket. Follow the instructions that came with the CPU. If you have no instructions, complete the following procedure. Carefully align the CPU so it is parallel to the socket and the notches on the corners of the CPU correspond with the notches on the inside of the socket. Gently slide the CPU in. It should insert easily. If it does not insert easily, pull the lever up a little bit more.
3. Press the lever down. The plate will slide forward. You will feel some resistance as the pressure starts to secure the CPU in the socket. This is normal and will not damage the CPU.

When the CPU is installed, the lever should snap into place at the side of the socket.

**Note:** *To remove a CPU, pull the lever out to the side a little and raise it as far as it will go. Lift out the CPU.*

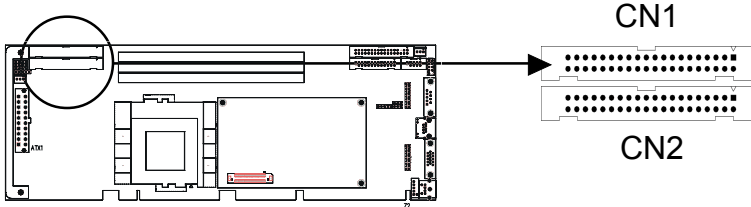
# CHAPTER 2

## Connecting Peripherals

This chapter tells how to connect peripherals, switches and indicators to the PCA-6181 board. You can access most of the connectors from the top of the board while it is installed in the chassis. If you have a number of cards installed, or your chassis is very tight, you may need to partially remove the card to make all the connections.

## 2.1 Primary (CN1) and Secondary (CN2) IDE Connectors

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You can attach up to four IDE (Integrated Device Electronics) drives to the IDE connectors. The primary (CN1) and secondary (CN2) connectors can each accommodate two drives.

Wire number 1 on the cable is red or blue and the other wires are gray. Connect one end to connector CN1 or CN2 on the CPU card. Make sure that the red/blue wire corresponds to pin 1 on the connector (in the upper right hand corner). See Chapter 1 for help finding the connector.

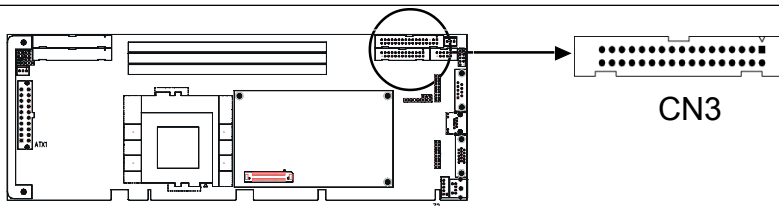
Unlike floppy drives, IDE hard drives can connect in either position on the cable. If you install two drives to a single connector, you will need to set one as the master and one as the slave. You do this by setting the jumpers on the drives. If you use just one drive per connector, you should set each drive as the master. See the documentation that came with your drive for more information.

Connect the first hard drive to the other end of the cable. Wire 1 on the cable should also connect to pin 1 on the hard drive connector, which is labeled on the drive circuit board. Check the documentation that came with the drive for more information.

Connect the second hard drive to the remaining connector (CN2 or CN1), in the same way as described above.

## 2.2 Floppy Drive Connector (CN3)

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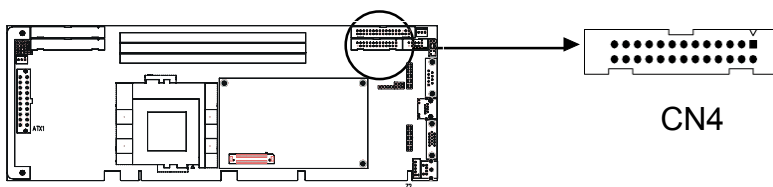


You can attach up to two floppy disk drives to the PCA-6181's onboard controller. You can use any combination of 5.25" (360 KB / 1.2 MB) and/or 3.5" (720 KB / 1.44/2.88 MB) drives.

The card comes with a 34-pin daisy-chain drive connector cable. On one end of the cable is a 34-pin flat-cable connector. On the other end are two sets of floppy disk drive connectors. Each set consists of a 34-pin flat-cable connector (usually used for 3.5" drives) and a printed circuit-board connector (usually used for 5.25" drives). You can use only one connector in each set. The set on the end (after the twist in the cable) connects to the A: floppy drive. The set in the middle connects to the B: floppy drive.

## 2.3 Parallel Port (CN4)

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The parallel port is normally used to connect the CPU card to a printer. The onboard parallel port can be accessed through a 26-pin flat-cable connector, CN4. The card comes with an adapter cable which lets you use a traditional DB-25 connector. The cable has a 26-pin connector on one end and a DB-25 connector on the other, mounted on a retaining

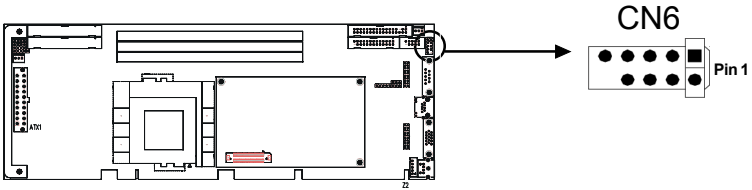
bracket. The bracket installs at the end of an empty slot in your chassis, giving you access to the connector.

The parallel port is designated as LPT1, and can be disabled or changed to LPT2 or LPT3 in the system BIOS setup.

To install the bracket, find an empty slot in your chassis. Unscrew the plate that covers the end of the slot. Screw in the bracket in place of the plate. Next, attach the flat-cable connector to CN4 on the CPU card. Wire 1 of the cable is red or blue, and the other wires are gray. Make sure that wire 1 corresponds to pin 1 of CN4. Pin 1 is on the upper right side of CN4.

## 2.4 USB Port (CN6)

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The PCA-6181 provides four USB (Universal Serial Bus) interfaces, which give complete Plug & Play and hot attach/detach for up to 127 external devices. The USB interface complies with USB Specification Rev. 1.0 and is fuse-protected.

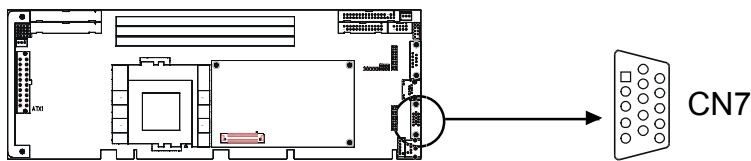
The USB interface is accessed through a 10-pin flat-cable connector, CN6. The adapter cable has a 10-pin connector on one end and two USB connectors on the bracket.

The USB interface can be disabled in the system BIOS setup.



## 2.5 VGA Connector (CN7)

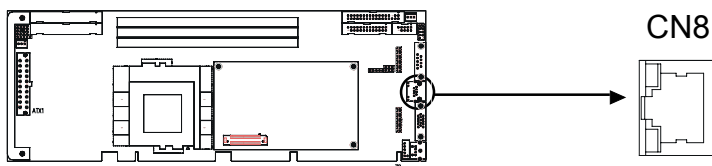
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The PCA-6181 includes an AGP SVGA interface that can drive conventional CRT displays. CN7 is a standard 15-pin D-SUB connector commonly used for VGA. Pin assignments for CRT connector CN7 are detailed in Appendix B.

## 2.6 10/100Base-T Ethernet Connector (CN8)

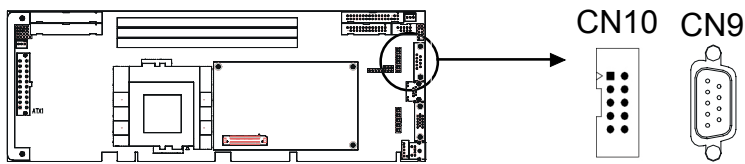
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The PCA-6181 is equipped with a high-performance 32-bit PCI-bus Ethernet interface, which is fully compliant with IEEE 802.3/u 10/100 Mbps CSMA/CD standards. It is supported by all major network operating systems and is 100% Novell NE-2000 compatible. An onboard RJ-45 jack provides convenient 10/100Base-T RJ-45 operation.

## 2.7 Serial Ports (CN9: COM1; CN10: COM2)

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The PCA-6181 offers two serial ports, CN9 as COM1 and CN10 as COM2. These ports can connect to serial devices, such as a mouse or printers, or to a communication network.

Table 2-1: Serial port connections (COM1, COM2)

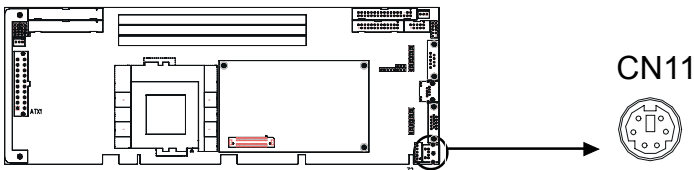
| Connector | Ports | Address   | Interrupt |
|-----------|-------|-----------|-----------|
| CN9       | COM1  | 3F8*, 3E8 | IRQ4      |
| CN10      | COM2  | 2F8*, 2E8 | IRQ3      |

\* default settings

The IRQ and address ranges for both ports are fixed. However, if you want to disable the port or change these parameters later, you can do this in the system BIOS setup.

Different devices implement the RS-232 standard in different ways. If you are having problems with a serial device, be sure to check the pin assignments for the connector.

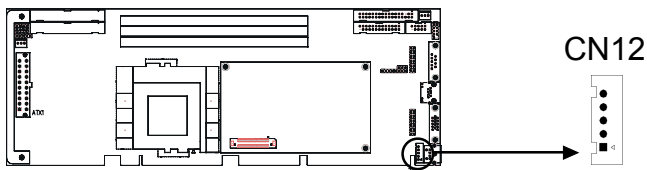
## 2.8 PS/2 Keyboard and Mouse Connector (CN11)



The PCA-6181 board provides a keyboard connector. A 6-pin mini-DIN connector (CN11) on the card mounting bracket supports single-board computer applications. The card comes with an adapter to convert from the 6-pin mini-DIN connector to a standard DIN connector and to a PS/2 mouse connector.

## 2.9 External Keyboard Connector (CN12)

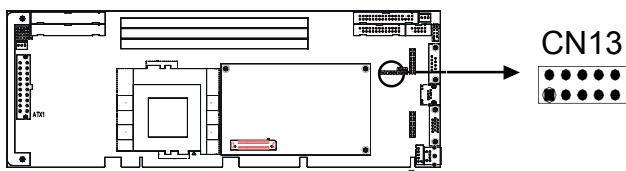
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In addition to the PS/2 mouse/keyboard connector on the PCA-6181's rear plate, there is also an extra onboard external keyboard connector. This gives system integrators greater flexibility in designing their systems.

## 2.10 Infrared (IR) Connector (CN13)

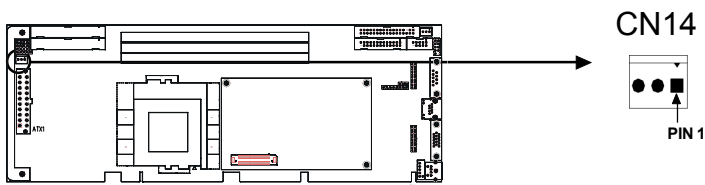
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This connector supports the optional wireless infrared transmitting and receiving module. This module mounts on the system case. You must configure the setting through the BIOS setup (see Chapter 3).

## 2.11 CPU Fan Connector (CN14)

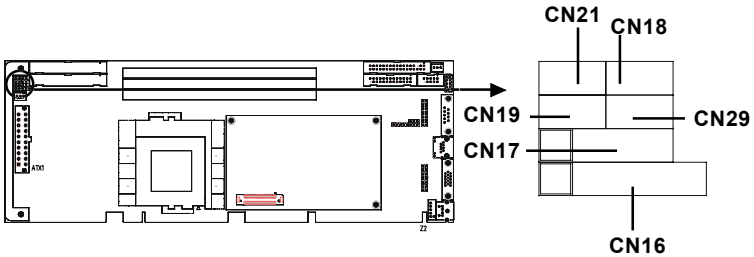
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This connector supports a cooling fan with tachometer output.

## 2.12 Front Panel Connectors (CN16, CN17, CN18, CN19, CN21 and CN29)

There are several external switches to monitor and control the PCA-6181.



### 2.12.1 Keyboard lock and power LED (CN16)

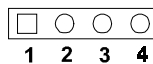
CN16 is a 5-pin connector for the keyboard lock and power on LED. Refer to Appendix B for detailed information on the pin assignments. If a PS/2 or ATX power supply is used, the system's power LED status will be as indicated below:

Table 2-2: PS/2 or ATX power supply LED status

| Power mode     | LED (PS/2 power) | LED (ATX power) |
|----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| System On      | On               | On              |
| System Suspend | Fast flashes     | Fast flashes    |
| System Off     | Off              | Slow flashes    |

### 2.12.2 External speaker (CN17)

CN17 is a 4-pin connector for an external speaker. If there is no external speaker, the PCA-6181 provides an onboard buzzer as an alternative. To enable the buzzer, set pins 3-4 as closed.



### 2.12.3 Reset (CN18)

Many computer cases offer the convenience of a reset button. Connect the wire from the reset button.



### 2.12.4 HDD LED (CN19)

You can connect an LED to connector CN19 to indicate when the HDD is active.



### 2.12.5 SM Bus Connector (CN29)

This connector is reserved for Advantech's SNMP-1000 HTTP/SNMP Remote System Manager. The SNMP-1000 allows users to monitor the internal voltages, temperature and fans from a remote computer through an Ethernet network.

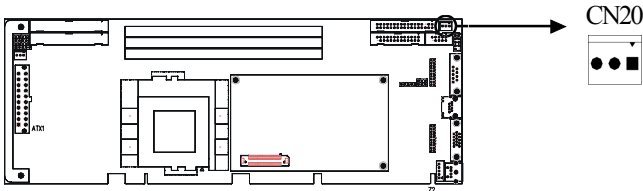
### 2.12.6 Connecting to SNMP-1000 remote manager

Use the 6-pin to 8-pin cable to connect the CPU card to SNMP-1000. This cable comes with the SNMP-1000.



## 2.13 ATX Power Control Connectors (CN20 and CN21)

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### 2.13.1 ATX feature connector (CN20) and soft power switch connector (CN21)

The PCA-6181 can support an advanced soft power switch function if an ATX power supply is used. To enable the soft power switch function:

1. Take the specially designed ATX-to-PS/2 power cable out of the accessory bag.
2. Connect the 3-pin plug of the cable to CN20 (ATX feature connector).
3. Connect the power on/off button to CN21. (A momentary type of button should be used.)

**Note:** *If you will not be using an ATX power connector, make sure that pins 2-3 of CN20 are closed.*

- Warnings:**
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1. *Make sure that you unplug your power supply when adding or removing expansion cards or other system components. Failure to do so may cause severe damage to both your CPU card and expansion cards.*
  2. *ATX power supplies may power on if certain motherboard components or connections are touched by metallic objects.*

*Important: Make sure that the ATX power supply can take at least a 720 mA load on the 5 V standby lead (5VSB). If not, you may have difficulty powering on your system and/or supporting the "Wake-on-LAN" function.*

### **2.13.2 Controlling the soft power switch**

Users can also identify the current power mode through the system's power LED (see Section 2.13.1).





# CHAPTER 3

## Award BIOS Setup

This chapter describes how to set the card's BIOS configuration data.



## 3.3 Standard CMOS Setup

Choose the “Standard CMOS Features” option from the “Initial Setup Screen” menu, and the screen below will be displayed. This menu allows users to configure system components such as date, time, hard disk drive, floppy drive, display, and memory.

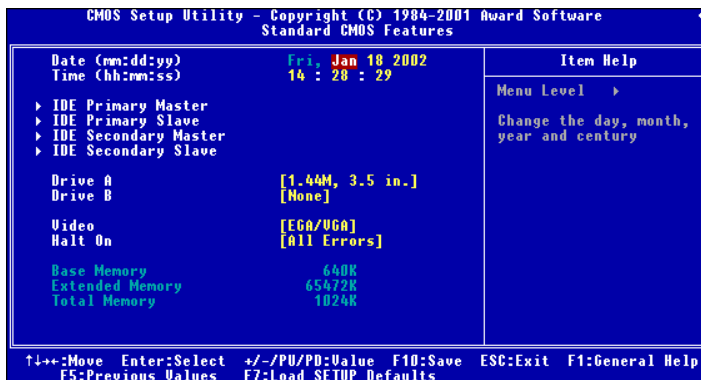


Figure 3-2: Standard CMOS features screen

### 3.3.1 CMOS RAM backup

The CMOS RAM is powered by an onboard button cell battery.

When BIOS CMOS Setup has been completed, CMOS RAM data is automatically backed up to Flash ROM. If conditions in a harsh industrial environment cause a soft error, BIOS will recheck the data and automatically restore the original data for booting.

*Note: If you intend to update CMOS RAM data, you have to click on “DEL” within two seconds of the “CMOS checksum error...” display screen message appearing. Then enter the “Setup” screen to modify the data. If the “CMOS checksum error...” message appears again and again, please check to see if you need to replace the battery in your system.*

## 3.4 Advanced BIOS Features

The “Advanced BIOS Features” screen appears when choosing the “Advanced BIOS Features” item from the “Initial Setup Screen” menu. It allows the user to configure the CPU card according to his particular requirements.

Below are some major items that are provided in the Advanced BIOS Features screen.

A quick booting function is provided for your convenience. Simply enable the Quick Booting item to save yourself valuable time.

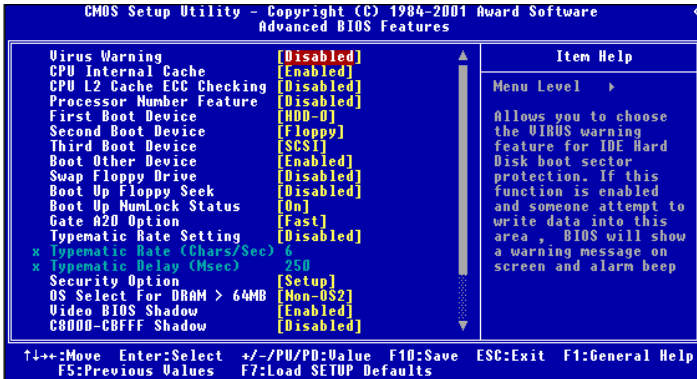


Figure 3-3: Advanced BIOS features screen

### 3.4.1 Virus Warning

If enabled, a warning message and alarm beep activates if someone attempts to write here. The commands are “Enabled” or “Disabled.”

### 3.4.2 CPU Internal Cache / External Cache

Enabling this feature speeds up memory access. The commands are “Enabled” or “Disabled.”

### **3.4.3 CPU L2 Cache ECC Checking**

Enabling allows CPU L2 cache checking. The commands are “Enabled” or “Disabled.”

### **3.4.4 First/Second/Third/Other Boot Device**

The BIOS tries to load the OS with the devices in the sequence selected.

Choices are: Floppy, LS/ZIP, HDD, SCSI, CDROM, LAN, Disabled.

### **3.4.5 Swap Floppy Drive**

Logical name assignments of floppy drives can be swapped if there is more than one floppy drive. The commands are “Enabled” or “Disabled.”

### **3.4.6 Boot UP Floppy Seek**

Selection of the command “Disabled” will speed the boot up. Selection of “Enabled” searches disk drives during boot up.

### **3.4.7 Boot Up NumLock Status**

This feature selects the “power on” state for NumLock. The commands are “Enabled” or “Disabled.”

### **3.4.8 Gate A20 Option**

Normal                    The A20 signal is controlled by the keyboard controller.

Fast (Default)        The A20 signal is controlled by the chipset.

### **3.4.9 Typematic Rate Setting**

The typematic rate is the rate key strokes repeat as determined by the keyboard controller. The commands are “Enabled” or “Disabled.”

Enabling allows the typematic rate and delay to be selected.

### 3.4.10 Typematic Rate (Chars/Sec)

BIOS accepts the following input values (characters/second) for typematic rate: 6, 8, 10, 12, 15, 20, 24, 30.

### 3.4.11 Typematic Delay (msec)

Typematic delay is the time interval between the appearance of two consecutive characters, when holding down a key. The input values for this category are: 250, 500, 750, 1000 (msec).

### 3.4.12 Security Option

This setting determines whether the system will boot up if the password is denied. Access to Setup is, however, always limited.

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" in the main menu. At this point, you will be asked to enter a password. Simply press <Enter> to disable security. When security is disabled, the system will boot, and you can enter Setup freely.*

### 3.4.13 OS Select for DRAM > 64MB

This setting allows selecting an OS with greater than 64MB of RAM. Commands are "Non-OS2" or "OS2."

### 3.4.14 Video BIOS Shadow

Enable copies video BIOS to shadow RAM for performance improving. Choices are Enable, Disable.

## 3.5 Advanced Chipset Features

By choosing the “Advanced Chipset Features” option from the “Initial Setup Screen” menu, the screen below will be displayed. This sample screen contains the manufacturer’s default values for this CPU card, as shown in Figure 3-5:

*Note: DRAM default timings have been carefully chosen and should ONLY be changed if data is being lost. Please first contact technical support.*

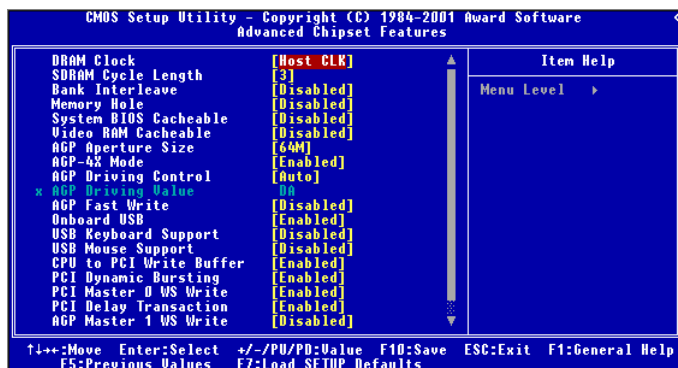


Figure 3-4: Advanced chipset features screen

### 3.5.1 DRAM Clock

This item allows you to control the DRAM speed. The Choice: Host Clock, CLK-33M.

### 3.5.2 SDRAM Cycle Length

When synchronous DRAM is installed, the number of clock cycles of CAS latency depends on the DRAM timing. Do not reset this field from the default value specified by the system designer. The Choice: 2,3.

### **3.5.3 Bank Interleave**

This item allows you to select the value in this field, depending on whether the board has paged DRAMs or EDO (extended data output) DRAMs. The Choice: EDO 50ns, EDO 60ns, Slow, Medium, Fast, Turbo.

### **3.5.4 Memory Hole**

In order to improve performance, certain space in memory is reserved for ISA cards. This memory must be mapped into the memory space below 16MB. The Choice: 15M-16M, Disabled.

### **3.5.5 System BIOS Cacheable**

Selecting *Enabled* allows caching of the system BIOS ROM at F0000h-FFFFFh, resulting in better system performance. However, if any program writes to this memory area, a system error may result. The choice: Enabled, Disabled.

### **3.5.6 AGP Aperture Size**

Select the size of Accelerated Graphics Port (AGP) aperture. The aperture is a portion of the PCI memory address range dedicated for graphics memory address space. Host cycles that hit the aperture range are forwarded to the AGP without any translation. The Choice: 4M, 8M, 16M, 32M, 65M, 128M, 256M.

### **3.5.7 Onboard USB**

This should be enabled if your system has a USB installed on the system board and you want to use it. Even when so equipped, if you add a higher performance controller, you will need to disable this feature. The choice: Enabled, Disabled.

### **3.5.8 USB Keyboard Support**

Select *Enabled* if your system contains a Universal Serial Bus (USB) controller and you have a USB keyboard. The choice: Enabled, Disabled.



### **3.5.9 USB Mouse Support**

Select *Enabled* if your system contains a Universal Serial Bus (USB) controller and you have a USB mouse. The choice: Enabled, Disabled.

### **3.5.10 CPU to PCI Write Buffer**

When this field is *Enabled*, writes from the CPU to the PCI bus are buffered, to compensate for the speed differences between the CPU and the PCI bus. When *Disabled*, the writes are not buffered and the CPU must wait until the write is complete before starting another write cycle. The choice: Enabled, Disabled..

### **3.5.11 PCI Dynamic Bursting**

When *Enabled*, every write transaction goes to the write buffer. Burstable transactions then burst on the PCI bus and nonburstable transactions don't. The choice: Enabled, Disabled

### **3.5.12 PCI Master 0 WS Write**

When *Enabled*, writes to the PCI bus are executed with zero wait states. The choice: Enabled, Disabled

### **3.5.13 PCI Delay Transaction**

The chipset has an embedded 32-bit posted write buffer to support delay transactions cycles. Select *Enabled* to support compliance with PCI specification version 2.1. The choice: Enabled, Disabled

### **3.5.14 AGP Master 1 WS Write**

When *Enabled*, writes to the AGP(Accelerated Graphics Port) are executed with one wait states. The choice: Enabled, Disabled

### **3.5.15 Memory Parity/ ECC Check**

Enabled add a parity check to the boot-up memory test. Select Enabled when only system DRAM contains parity. The Choice: Enable, Disable.

## 3.6 Integrated Peripherals

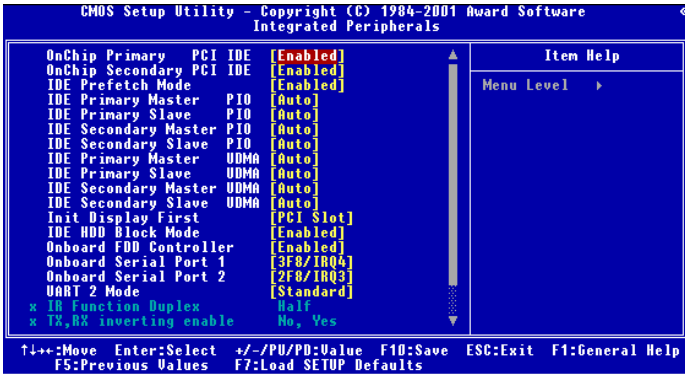


Figure 3-5: Integrated peripherals

### 3.6.1 On-Chip Primary/Secondary PCI IDE

If you enable IDE HDD Block Mode, the enhanced IDE driver will be enabled. Leave IDE HDD Block Mode on the default setting.

### 3.6.2 IDE Primary Master/Slave PIO/UDMA Mode, IDE Secondary Master/Slave PIO/UDMA Mode (Auto)

Each channel (Primary and Secondary) has both a master and a slave, making four IDE devices possible. Because each IDE device may have a different Mode timing (0, 1, 2, 3, 4), it is necessary for these to be independent. The default setting “Auto” will allow autodetection to ensure optimal performance.

### 3.6.3 Init Display First

This item allows you to choose which one to activate first, PCI Slot or AGP. The choices: PCI Slot, AGP.

### 3.6.4 IDE HDD Block Mode

Block mode is also called block transfer, multiple commands, or multiple sector read/write. If your IDE hard drive supports block mode (most new drives do), select Enabled for automatic detection of the

optimal number of block read/writes per sector the drive can support.

The choice: Enabled, Disabled

### 3.6.5 Onboard FDD Controller

When enabled, this field allows you to connect your floppy disk drives to the onboard floppy disk drive connector instead of a separate controller card. If you want to use a different controller card to connect the floppy disk drives, set this field to Disabled.

### 3.6.6 Onboard Serial Port 1 (3F8H/IRQ4)

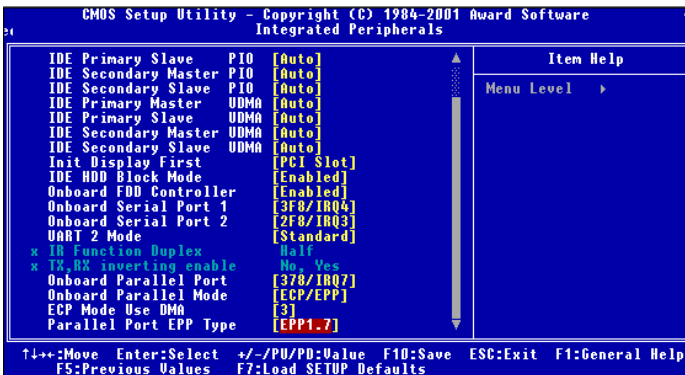
The settings are Auto 3F8/IRQ4, 2F8/IRQ3, 3E8/IRQ4, 2E8/IRQ3, and Disabled for the on-board serial connector.

### 3.6.7 Onboard Serial Port 2 (2F8H/IRQ3)

The settings are Auto 3F8/IRQ4, 2F8/IRQ3, 3E8/IRQ4, 2E8/IRQ3, and Disabled for the on-board serial connector.

### 3.6.8 UART 2 Mode Select

This item allows you to select UART mode. The choices: HPSIR, ASKIR, Standard.



### **3.6.9 Onboard Parallel Port (378H/IRQ7)**

This field sets the address of the on-board parallel port connector. You can select either 3BC/IRQ7, 378/IRQ7, 278/IRQ5 or Disabled. If you install an I/O card with a parallel port, make sure there is no conflict in the address assignments. The CPU card can support up to three parallel ports, as long as there are no conflicts for each port.

### **3.6.10 Onboard Parallel Port Mode (ECP + EPP)**

This field allows you to set the operation mode of the parallel port. The setting “Normal” allows normal speed operation, but in one direction only. “EPP” allows bidirectional parallel port operation at maximum speed. “ECP” allows the parallel port to operate in bidirectional mode and at a speed faster than the maximum data transfer rate. “ECP + EPP” allows normal speed operation in a two-way mode.

### **3.6.11 ECP Mode Use DMA**

This selection is available only if you select “ECP” or “ECP + EPP” in the Parallel Port Mode field. In ECP Mode Use DMA, you can select DMA channel 1, DMA channel 3, or Disable. Leave this field on the default setting.

### **3.6.12 Parallel Port EPP Type**

This field allows you to select EPP port type 1.7 or 1.9. The choices: EPP1.7, 1.9.

## 3.7 Power Management Setup

The power management setup controls the CPU card's "green" features to save power. The following screen shows the manufacturer's defaults:

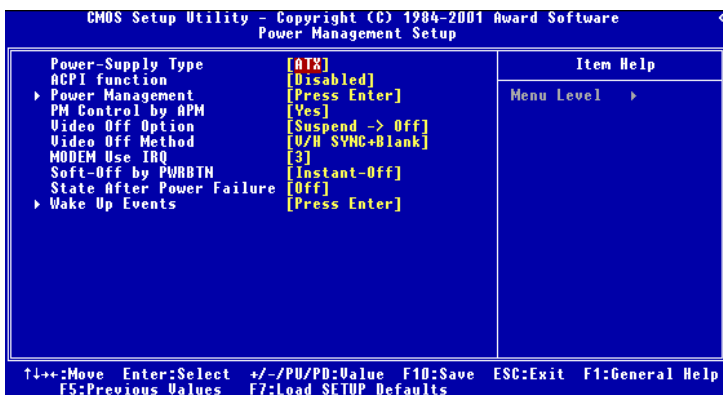


Figure 3-6: Power management setup screen

### 3.7.1 Power-Supply Type

Choice: AT, ATX

### 3.7.2 ACPI function

This item allows you to enable/disable the Advanced Configuration and Power Management (ACPI). The choice: Enabled, Disabled.

### 3.7.3 Power Management

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

1. HDD Power Down
2. Doze Mode
3. Suspend Mode

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

|                   |                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Disable (default) | No power management. Disables all four modes                                                                                                                                        |
| Min. Power Saving | Minimum power management. Doze Mode = 1 hr. Standby Mode = 1 hr., Suspend Mode = 1 hr., and HDD Power Down = 15 min.                                                                |
| Max. Power Saving | Maximum power management. Doze Mode = 1 min., Standby Mode = 1 min., Suspend Mode = 1 min., and HDD Power Down = 1 min.                                                             |
| User Defined      | Allows you to set each mode individually. When not disabled, each of the ranges are from 1 min. to 1 hr. except for HDD Power Down which ranges from 1 min. to 15 min. and disable. |

### 3.7.4 PM Control by APM

When enabled, an Advanced Power Management device will be activated to enhance the Max. Power Saving mode and stop the CPU internal clock. If Advance Power Management (APM) is installed on your system, selecting Yes gives better power savings. If the Max. Power Saving is not enabled, this will be preset to *No*.

### 3.7.5 Video Off Option

When enabled, this feature allows the VGA adapter to operate in a power saving mode.

|                     |                                                                         |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Always On           | Monitor will remain on during power saving modes                        |
| Suspend N---> Off   | Monitor blanked when the systems enters the Suspend mode.               |
| Susp,Stby N---> Off | Monitor blanked when the system enters either Suspend or Standby modes. |
| All Modes N> Off    | Monitor blanked when the system enters any power saving mode.           |

### 3.7.6 Video Off Method

This determines the manner in which the monitor is blanked.

|                |                                                                                                                                                                                |
|----------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| V/H SYNC+Blank | This selection will cause the system to turn off the vertical and horizontal synchronization ports and write blanks to the video buffer.                                       |
| Blank Screen   | This option only writes blanks to the video buffer.                                                                                                                            |
| DPMS           | Select this option if your monitor supports the Display Power Management Signaling (DPMS) standard of the Video Electronics Standards to select video power management values. |

### **3.7.7 MODEM Use IRQ**

This determines the IRQ in which the MODEM can use. The choices: 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 10, 11, NA.

### **3.7.8 Soft-Off by PWRBTN**

If you choose “Instant-Off”, then pushing the ATX soft power switch button once will switch the system to “system off” power mode. You can choose “Delay 4 sec.” If you do so, then pushing the button for more than 4 seconds will turn off the system, whereas pushing the button momentarily (for less than 4 seconds) will switch the system to “suspend” mode.

### **3.7.9 State After Power Failure**

This field lets you to determine the state that your computer returns after a power failure. If sets to Off, the PC will not boot after a power failure. If sets to On, the PC will restart after a power failure. If sets to Auto, the PC will go back to the previous state before a power failure occurred. For instance, if the PC is power-on when power system fails, the PC will restart when power system is working again. If the PC is power-ff when power system fails, the PC will not boot when power system is working again. The Choice: Off, On, Auto.

## 3.8 Wake Up Event

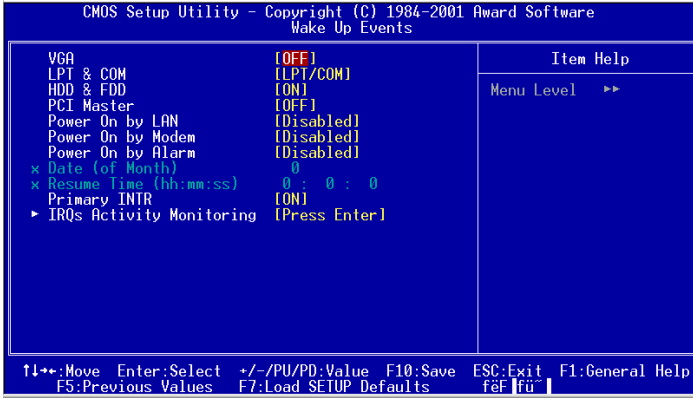


Figure 3-7: Wake-up event screen

### 3.8.1 VGA

When *Enabled*, you can set the VGA awakens the system.

### 3.8.2 LPT & COM

When *On of* LPT & COM, any activity from one of the listed system peripheral devices or IRQs wakes up the system.

### 3.8.3 HDD & FDD

When *On of* HDD & FDD, any activity from one of the listed system peripheral devices wakes up the system.

### 3.8.4 Power On by LAN

This shows you to wake up the system via LAN from the remote host. The Choice: Enable, Disable.



### 3.8.5 Power On by Modem

When enabled, an input signal on the serial Ring Indicator (RI) line (in other words, an incoming call on the modem) awakens the system from a soft off state. The Choice: Enable, Disable.

### 3.8.6 Power On by Alarm

When enabled, you can set the date and time at which the RTC (real-time clock) alarm awakens the system from Suspend mode. The Choice: Enable, Disable.

## 3.9 PnP/PCI Configurations

### 3.9.1 PnP OS Installed

This feature allows you to install the PnP OS. The commands are “yes” or “no.”

### 3.9.2 Reset Configuration Data

*Note: This is left “Disabled.” Select “Enabled” to reset Extended System Configuration Data (ECSD) if you have installed a new add-on and your OS won’t boot and you need to reconfigure.*

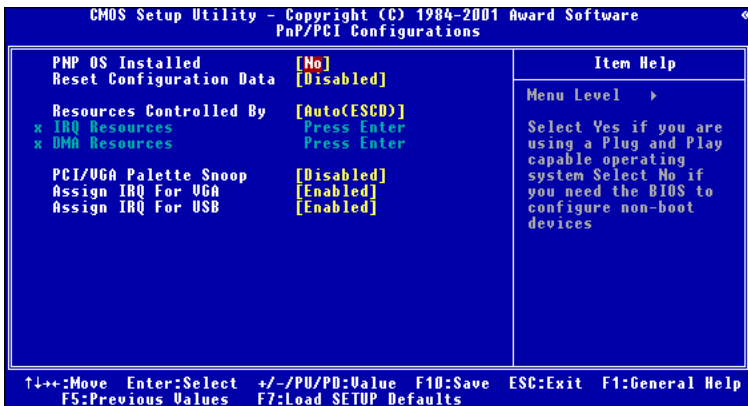


Figure 3-8: PnP/PCI configurations screen

# 3.10 PC Health Status

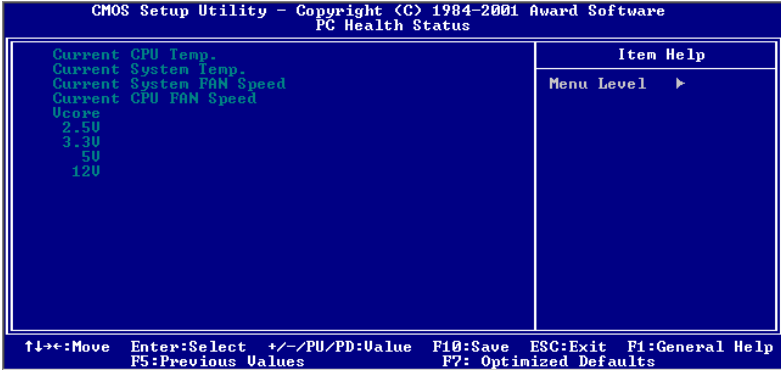


Figure 3-9: PC health status screen

## 3.10.1 Current CPU Temperature

This shows you the current CPU1 temperature.

## 3.10.2 Current CPUFAN Speed

This shows you the current CPUFAN speed.

## 3.10.3 VCORE

This shows CPU1 core voltage.

## 3.10.4 +2.5/ +3.3V/ + 5V/ +12V

This shows you the voltage of +2.5/ +3.3V/ + 5V/ +12V

## 3.11 Load Setup Defaults

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“LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS” loads the values required by the system for maximum performance.

## 3.12 Password Setting

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To change the password:

1. Choose the “Set Password” option from the “Initial Setup Screen” menu and press <Enter>.

The screen will display the following message:

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Enter Password:
```

Press <Enter>.

2. If the CMOS is good or if this option has been used to change the default password, the user is asked for the password stored in the CMOS. The screen will display the following message:

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Confirm Password:
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Enter the current password and press <Enter>.

3. After pressing <Enter> (ROM password) or the current password (user-defined), you can change the password stored in the CMOS. The password must be no longer than eight (8) characters.

Remember, to enable the password setting feature, you must first select either “Setup” or “System” from the “Advanced BIOS Features” menu.

### **3.13 Save & Exit Setup**

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If you select this and press <Enter>, the values entered in the setup utilities will be recorded in the CMOS memory of the chipset. The microprocessor will check this every time you turn your system on and compare this to what it finds as it checks the system. This record is required for the system to operate.

### **3.14 Exit Without Saving**

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Selecting this option and pressing <Enter> lets you exit the setup program without recording any new values or changing old ones.

# CHAPTER 4

## **AGP SVGA Setup**

The PCA-6181 features an onboard PCI AGP/VGA interface. This chapter provides instructions for installing and operating the software drivers on the display driver CD included in your package.

## 4.1 Before You Begin

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To facilitate the installation of the enhanced display device drivers and utility software, you should read the instructions in this chapter carefully before you attempt installation. The enhanced display drivers for the PCA-6181 board are located on the software installation CD. You must install the drivers and utility software by using the supplied SETUP program for DOS drivers.

*Note: The files on the software installation CD are compressed. Do not attempt to install the drivers by copying the files manually. You must use the supplied SETUP program to install the drivers.*

Before you begin, it is important to note that most display drivers need to have the relevant software application already installed in the system prior to installing the enhanced display drivers. In addition, many of the installation procedures assume that you are familiar with both the relevant software applications and operating system commands. Review the relevant operating system commands and the pertinent sections of your application software's user's manual before performing the installation.

## 4.2 Features

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- Built-in ATI RAGE 128 PRO™ 4XL multimedia accelerator
- Supports AGP 4X mode with sideband addressing and AGP texturing
- Superior 3D performance achieved through a floating point setup engine rated at 1.5 million triangles/sec
- Integrated 250 MHz DAC allows 85 Hz refresh at 1600 x 1200 resolution
- Complete local language support
- Power management for full VESA DPMS and EPA Energy Star compliance
- User-friendly installation for Windows 95 and Windows NT

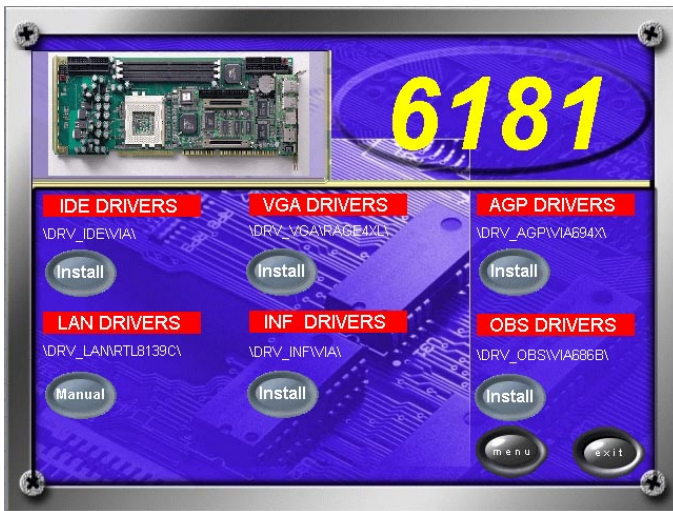
- AGP 1.0 interface
- Integrates superior video features. These include filtered sealing of 720 pixel DVD content, and MPEG-2 motion compensation for software DVD

## 4.3 VGA Installation

First, insert CD drive. Then follow the Icons for your PCA Series model number.

Click on the right driver for the auto-installation.

If you are using Win98 or Win2000, please install AGP4x driver first.

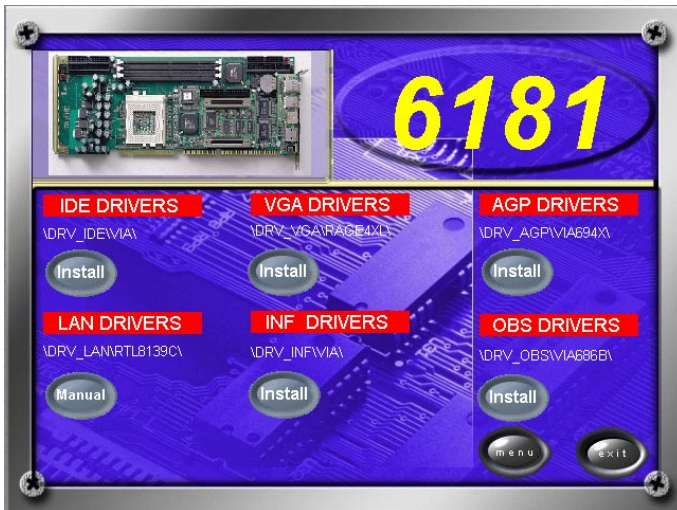


## 4.4 AGP Installation

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First, insert CD drive. Then follow the Icons for your PCA Series model number.

Click on AGP Drivers "Auto" for Auto-installation.

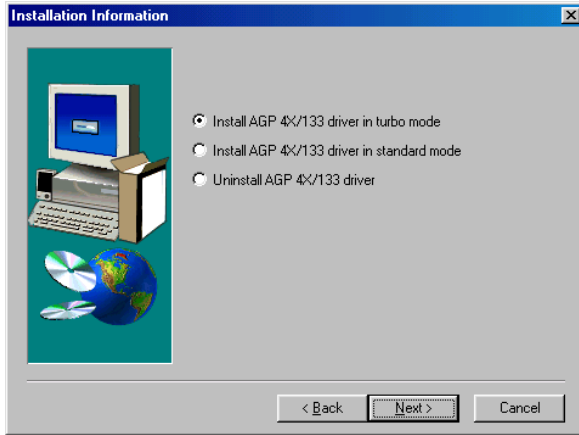




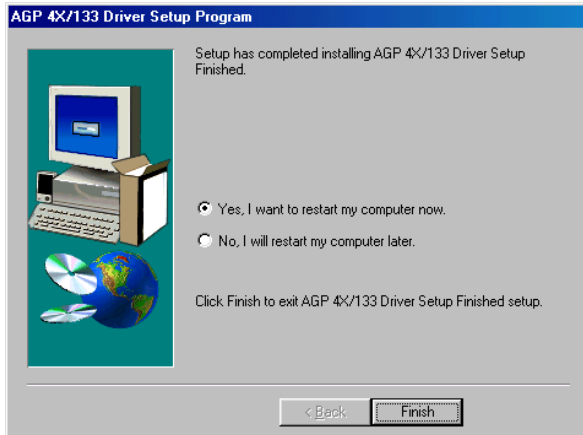
1. In the Setup, click on "next."



2. In the Installation Information, choose turbo mode or standard. Then click on "Next."



3. The installation is complete click on "Yes" to restart the system.



# CHAPTER 5

## LAN Configuration

The PCA-6181 features an onboard LAN interface. This chapter gives detailed information on Ethernet configuration. It shows you how to configure the card to match your application requirements.

## 5.1 Introduction

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The PCA-6181 features an optional single/dual 32-bit 10/100 Mbps Ethernet network interface. This interface supports bus mastering architecture and auto-negotiation features. Therefore standard twisted-pair cabling with RJ-45 connectors for both 10 Mbps and 100 Mbps connections can be used. Extensive driver support for commonly-used network systems is also provided.

## 5.2 Features

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- Realtek RTL8139C Ethernet LAN controller (fully integrated 10Base-T/100Base-TX)
- Supports Wake-on-LAN remote control function
- Supports up to 128 K bytes Boot ROM
- PCI Bus Master complies with PCI Rev. 2.2
- MAC & PHY (10/100 Mbps) interfaces
- Complies to IEEE 802.3X 10Base-T and IEEE 802.3u 100Base-T interfaces
- 3.3 V power supply with 5 V tolerant I/Os
- Single RJ-45 connector gives auto-detection of 10 Mbps or 100 Mbps network data transfer rates and connected cable types
- Enhancements on ACPI, PCI power management
- Compliant to PC99 standard

## 5.3 Driver Installation

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The PCA-6181's onboard Ethernet interface supports all major network operating systems.

The BIOS automatically detects the LAN while booting, and assigns an IRQ level and I/O address. No jumpers or switches are required for user configuration.

The drivers and installation instructions are located in the following directories of the utility CD:

- Dos: Drivers for DOS platforms
- Info: Installation instructions
- Nwserver: Drivers for Novell NetWare
- Wfw: Drivers for Windows 3.11 for Workgroups

Please refer to the text files in the Info directory for detailed information about installing the drivers.

*Note: Operating system vendors may post driver updates on their websites. Please visit the websites of OS vendors to download updated drivers.*

# 5.4 Windows 9X Drivers Setup Procedure

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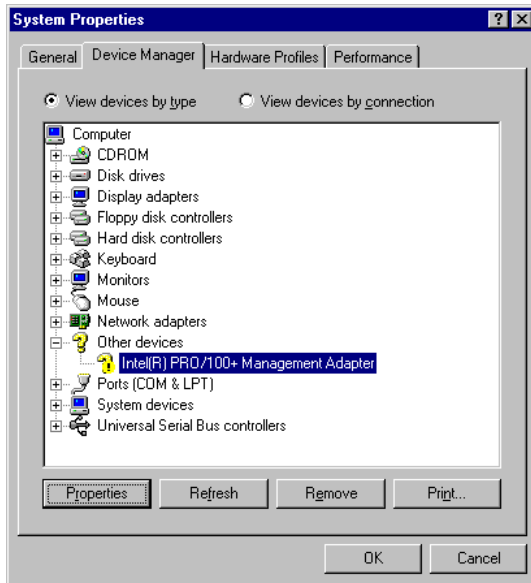
*Note 1: If you are using Windows 98SE, your system will find the LAN device "PCI Ethernet Controller". You must first remove this device from your system, and then restart your computer. Then you will be ready to install the correct driver by following the procedure below.*

*Note 2: The CD-ROM drive is designated as "D" throughout this section.*

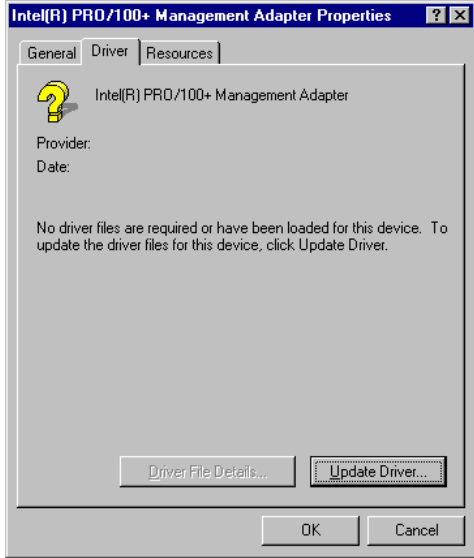
1. In the "Windows" screen, click on "Start" and select "Settings". Then click on the "Control Panel" icon to select "System".



2. In the "System Properties" window, select the "Device Manager" tab. Select "View devices by type", and navigate to: Computer\Other devices\PCI Ethernet Controller. Highlight "PCI Ethernet Controller" and click on "Properties".



3. In the "PCI Ethernet Controller Properties" window, select the "Driver" tab. Then click on "Update Driver..."



4. In the "Update Device Driver Wizard" window, click on "Next".





5. Click "Next".



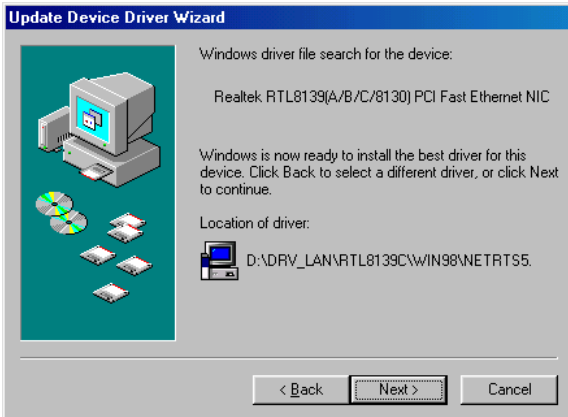
6. In the following "Update Device Driver Wizard" window, select "Specify a location:". Type in: "D:\Drv\_LAN\RTL8139C\WIN98". Then click on "Next".



7. In the following "Update Device Driver Wizard" window, select "The updated driver ...". Then click on "Next".



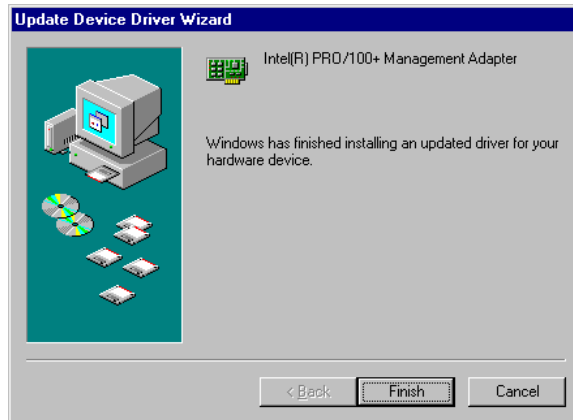
8. In the following "Update Device Driver Wizard" window, click on "Next".



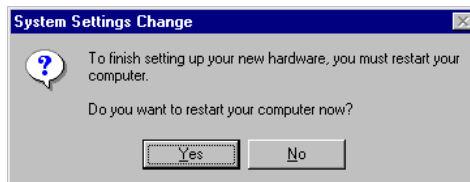
- When the "Insert Disk" window appears, insert the utility CD into the CD-ROM drive. Then click on "OK".



- When the "Update Device Driver Wizard" window shows, click on finish.



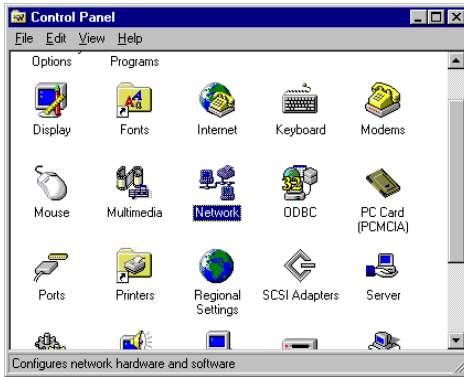
- In the "System Settings change" window, select click on "Yes".



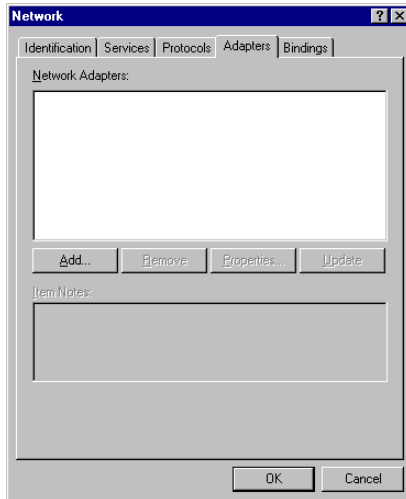
# 5.5 Windows NT Drivers Setup Procedure

*Note: The CD-ROM drive is designated as "E" throughout this section.*

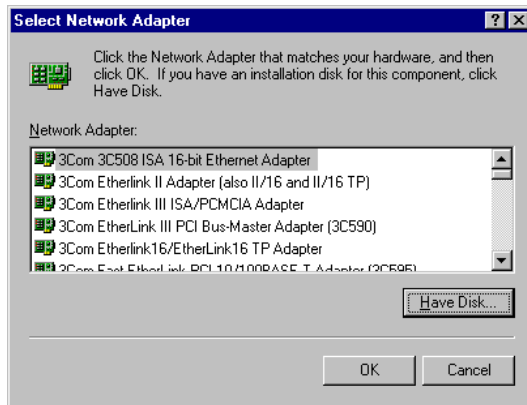
1. In the "Windows NT" screen, click on "Start" and select "Settings". Then click on the "Control Panel" icon to select "Network".



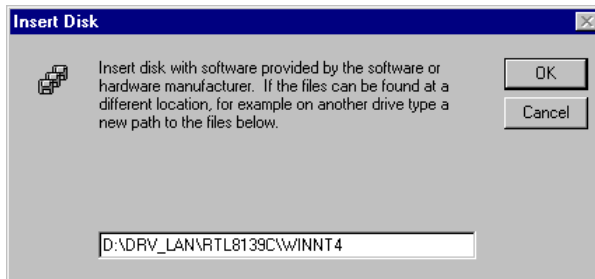
2. In the "Network" window, select the "Adapters" tab. Then click on "Add...".



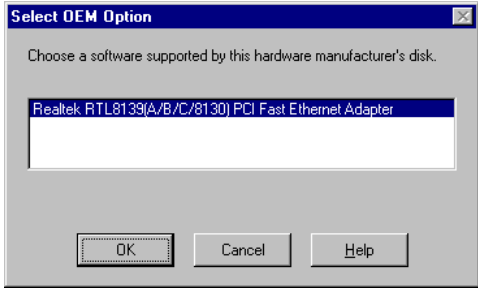
3. In the "Select Network Adapter" window, click on "Have Disk...".



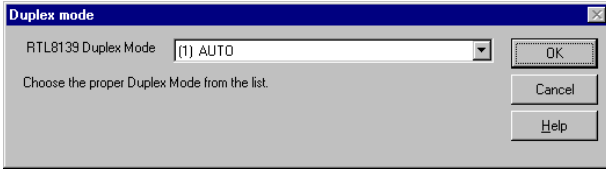
4. When the "Insert Disk" window appears, insert the utility CD into the CD-ROM drive. The correct file path is;  
D:\Drv\_LAN\RTL8139C\WINNT4. When you have the correct file path, click on "OK".



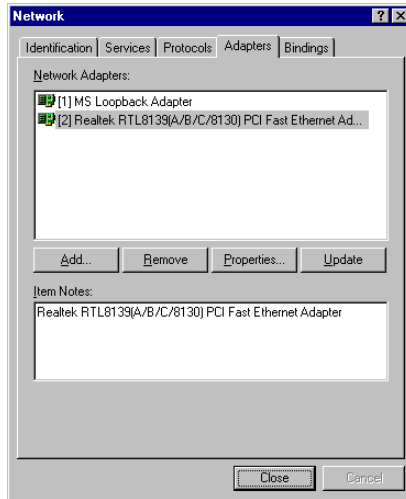
5. In the "Select OEM Option" window, click on "OK".



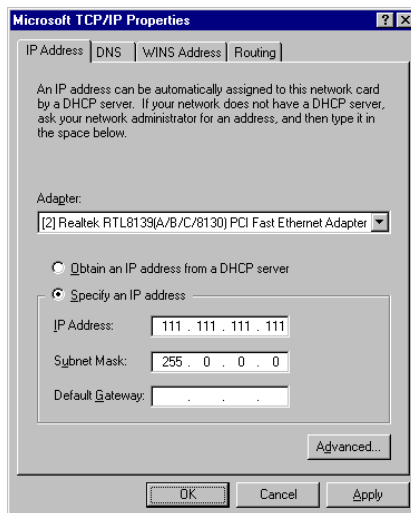
6. In the "Duplex mode", click "OK".



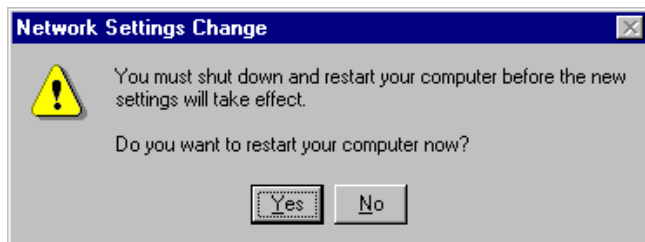
- In the "Network" window, select the "Adapters" tab. Under "Network Adapters:", highlight "Realtek RTL8139(A/B/C/8130) PCI Fast Ethernet Ad...".



- In the "Microsoft TCP/IP Properties" window, select the "IP Address" tab. Then select "Specify an IP address". Type in the IP Address and Subnet Mask details. Then click on "OK".



9. In the "Network Settings Change" window, click on "Yes".





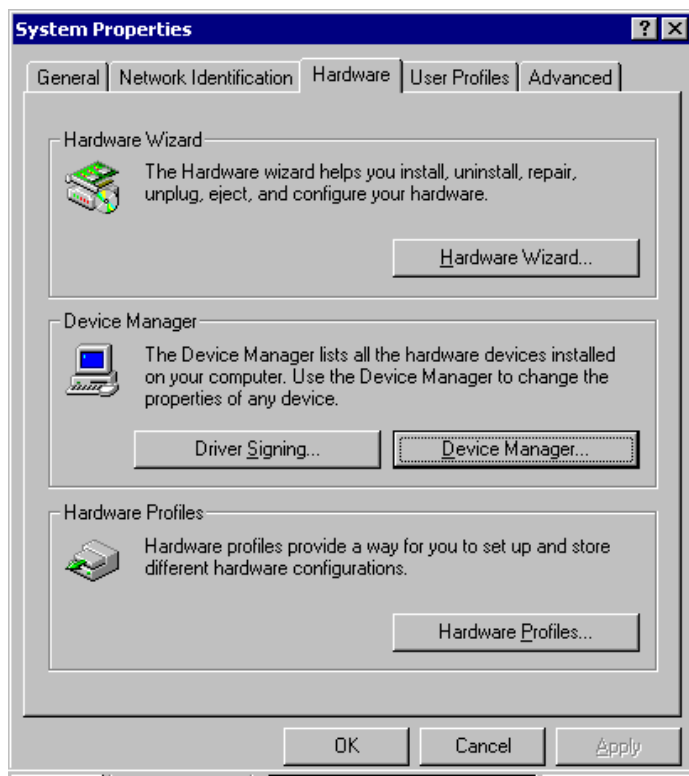
## 5.6 Windows 2000 Drivers Setup Procedure

**Note:** *The CD-ROM drive is designed as "E" throughout this section.*

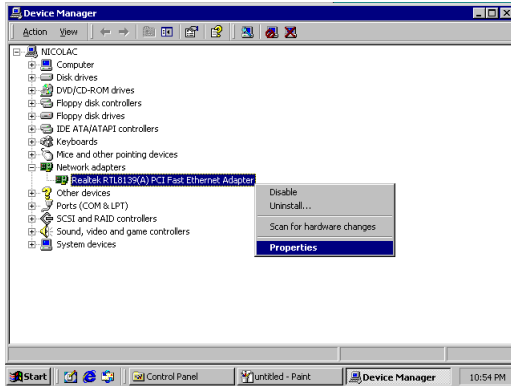
1. In the "Windows 2000" screen, click on " Start" and select " settings". Then click on the " Control Panel" icon to select "system".



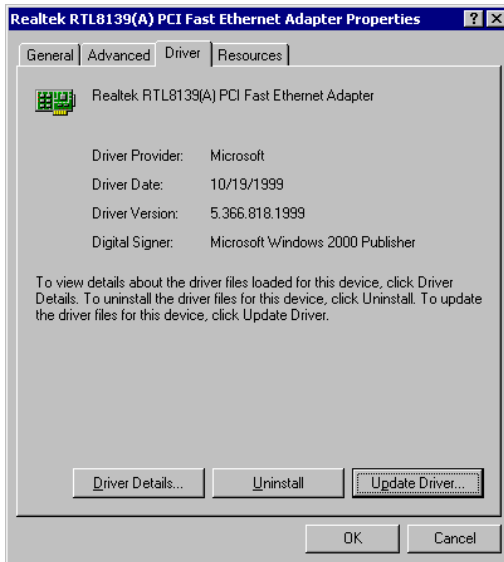
2. In the " System Properties" window, select the " Device Manag-  
er".



3. In "Device Manager" screen, follow the screen instructions, to click on "Properties".



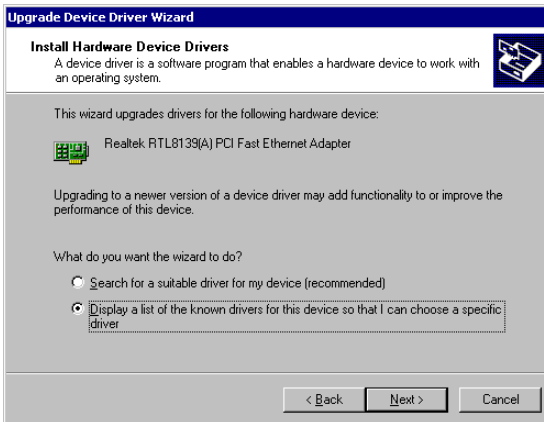
4. In the following screen, to click on "Update Driver".



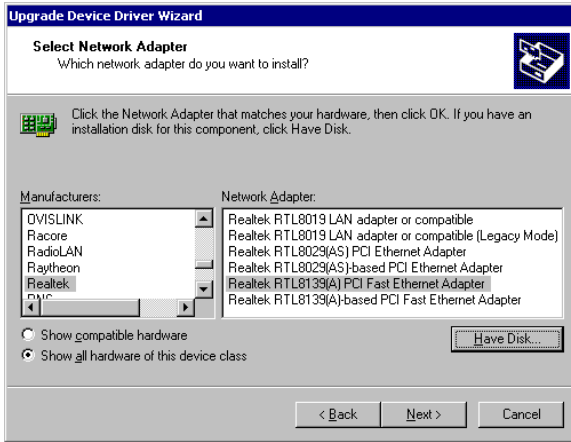
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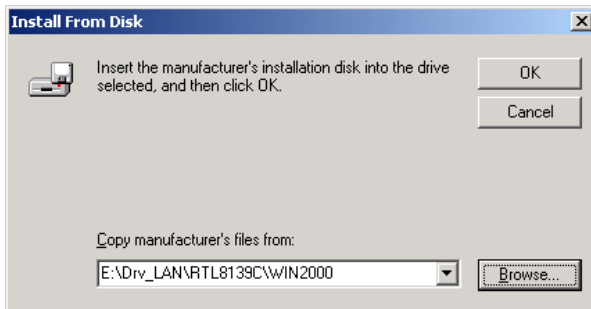
6. Following the highlighted item, and click on "Next".



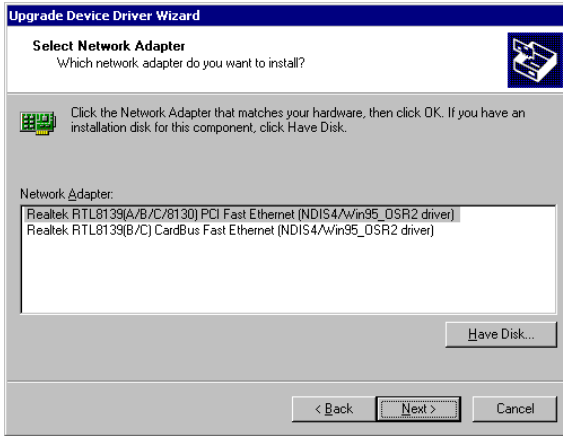
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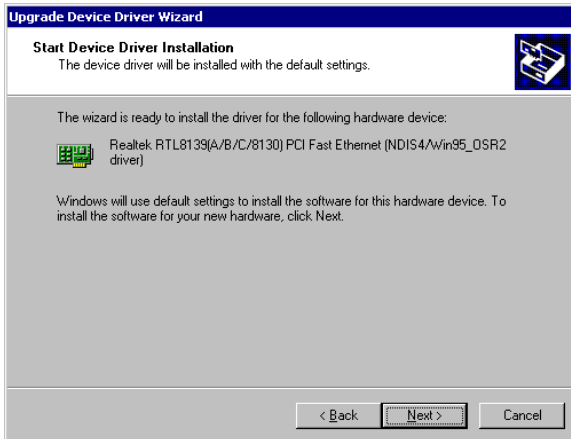
8. Key in "E:\Drv\_\_LAN\RTL8139C\WIN2000", then click on "OK".



9. To highlight the following item, and click "Next".



10. Click "Next".



11. Click "Finish" to complete the installation.







## **SCSI Setup and Configurations**

The PCA-6181 features an onboard SCSI interface. This chapter provides basic SCSI concepts and instructions for installing the software drivers with the SCSI driver disks/CD included in your package.

## 6.1 Introduction

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The PCA-6181 is equipped with an Adaptec AIC-7899 single-chip PCI-to-SCSI host adapter which provides a dual channel Ultra 160 multi-tasking interface between your computer's PCI bus and SCSI devices (disk drives, CD-ROM drives, scanners, tape backups, removable media drives, etc.). Ultra 160 is a new generation of SCSI technology that expands SCSI performance from 80 MBytes/sec to 160 MBytes/sec. Up to a total of 15 SCSI devices can be connected to each of the SCSI connectors.

The AIC-7899 combines this Ultra 160 SCSI technology with Adaptec's SpeedFlex™ technology. SpeedFlex allows the Adaptec SCSI card to be backwards compatible with previous generations of SCSI products, while allowing newer Ultra 160 SCSI devices to operate at the higher 160 MBytes/sec rate.

There are 3 SCSI connectors on the CPU card: CN50 and CN51 for Ultra 160 devices, and CN52 for 50-pin SCSI devices. You can use Ultra 160 and Ultra wide devices simultaneously without compromising the performance.

If you need to configure the SCSI, the onboard SCSI Select configuration utility allows you to change host adapter settings without opening the computer or handling the board. The SCSI Select utility also contains a utility to low-level format and verifies the disk media on your hard disk drives.

*Note: If any peripheral is running at SE mode, the Ultra 160 SCSI segment will run at speeds up to 40 MBytes/sec only instead of 160 MBytes/sec.*

## 6.2 Understanding SCSI

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SCSI (pronounced "scuzzy") stands for Small Computer Systems Interface. SCSI is an industry standard computer interface for connecting SCSI devices to a common SCSI bus.

A SCSI bus is an electrical pathway that consists of a SCSI interface

installed in a computer and one or more SCSI devices. SCSI cables are used to connect the devices to the SCSI interface. For the SCSI bus to function properly, a unique SCSI ID must be assigned to the SCSI interface and each SCSI device connected to it, and the SCSI bus must be properly terminated.

## 6.3 SCSI IDs

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Each device attached to the SCSI bus, as well as the SCSI controller itself, must be assigned a unique SCSI ID number from 0 to 15. A SCSI ID uniquely identifies each SCSI device on the SCSI bus and determines priority when two or more devices are trying to use the SCSI bus at the same time.

Refer to the device's documentation to set the SCSI ID. Here are some general guidelines for SCSI IDs:

- For internal SCSI devices, the SCSI ID usually is set by configuring a jumper on the device.
- For external SCSI devices, the SCSI ID usually is set with a switch on the back of the device.
- SCSI ID numbers don't have to be sequential, as long as the SCSI controller and each device has a different number.
- For example, you can have an internal SCSI device with ID 0, and an external SCSI device with ID 6.
- SCSI ID 7 has the highest priority on the SCSI bus. The priority of the remaining IDs, in descending order, is 6 to 0, then 15 to 8.
- The on-board SCSI interface is preset to SCSI ID 7 and should not be changed. This gives it the highest priority on the SCSI bus.
- Most internal SCSI hard disk drives come from the factory pre-set to SCSI ID 0.
- If you have 8-bit (or Narrow) SCSI devices, they must use SCSI IDs 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6. SCSI ID 0 is recommended for the first SCSI hard disk drive.

- If you are booting your computer from a SCSI hard disk drive connected to the SCSI bus, the Boot SCSI ID setting in the *SCSISelect* utility must correspond to the SCSI ID of the device from which you are booting. By default, the Boot SCSI ID is set to 0. We recommend that you do not change this setting.
- In Windows® 95/98, you can use the Device Manager to determine which SCSI ID is assigned to each installed SCSI device.

## 6.4 Terminating the SCSI Bus

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To ensure reliable communication on the SCSI bus, the ends of the SCSI bus must be properly terminated. This is accomplished when the device at the end of the each cable, or the end of the cable itself, has a terminator installed (or enabled). Terminators must be removed, or termination must be disabled, on devices between the ends of each cable.

Since the method for terminating a SCSI device can vary widely, refer to the device's documentation for instructions on how to enable or disable termination. Here are some general guidelines for termination:

- Internal Ultra 160 and Ultra 2 SCSI devices come from the factory with termination disabled and cannot be changed. Proper termination for internal Ultra 160 and Ultra2 SCSI devices is provided by a 68-pin Internal LVD (low voltage differential) SCSI cable, which has a built-in terminator at its end.
- Termination on non-Ultra 160 and Ultra2 internal SCSI devices usually is controlled by manually setting a jumper or a switch on the device, or by physically removing or installing one or more resistor modules on the device.
- Termination on most external SCSI devices is controlled by installing or removing a SCSI terminator. However, termination on some external SCSI devices is enable or disabled by setting a switch on the back of the SCSI device.
- The last external Ultra160 or Ultra2 SCSI device *must* be terminated with an LVD/SE (low voltage differential/single ended) terminator

plug to ensure that the device will operate at its maximum speed. If you use a different kind of terminator plug, the data I/O rate will decrease.

By default, termination on the SCSI controller itself is set to *Automatic* (the preferred method). We recommend that you do not change this default setting.

## 6.5 Configuring the SCSI interface with SCSISelect

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SCSISelect, included with the CPU card, enables you to change SCSI settings without opening the computer. SCSISelect also enables you to low-level format or verify the disk media of your SCSI hard disk drives. The following table lists the available and default settings for each SCSISelect option.

**Note:** *The default settings are appropriate for most systems. Run SCSISelect if you need to change or view current settings, or if you would like to run the SCSI disk utilities. See the descriptions of each option starting on next page.*

| SCSISelect Options                     | Available Settings                                                 | Default Setting |
|----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| <b>SCSI Bus Interface Definitions:</b> |                                                                    |                 |
| Host Adapter SCSI ID                   | 0-15                                                               | 7               |
| SCSI Parity Checking                   | Enable, Disabled                                                   | Enabled         |
| Host Adapter SCSI Termination          |                                                                    |                 |
| LVD/SE Connectors                      | Automatic,<br>Enabled,<br>Disabled                                 | Automatic       |
| SE Connectors                          | Automatic<br>Low On/High On<br>Low Off/High Off<br>Low Off/High On | Automatic       |
| <b>Boot Device Options:</b>            |                                                                    |                 |
| Boot SCSI ID                           | 0-15                                                               | 0               |
| Boot LUN Number <sup>1</sup>           | 0-7                                                                | 0               |

| SCSISelect Options                                    | Available Settings                                                      | Default Setting |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| <b>SCSI Device Configuration:</b>                     |                                                                         |                 |
| Sync Transfer Rate (MBytes/sec)                       | 160, 80.0, 53.4, 40.0,<br>32.0, 26.8, 20.0,<br>16.0, 13.4, 10.0<br>ASYN | 160             |
| Initiate Wide Negotiation                             | Yes, No                                                                 | Yes (enabled)   |
| Enable Disconnection                                  | Yes, No                                                                 | Yes (enabled)   |
| Send Start Unit Command                               | Yes, No                                                                 | Yes (enabled)   |
| Enable Write Back Cache <sup>2</sup>                  | N/C (No Change)<br>Yes, No                                              | N/C (No Change) |
| BIOS Multiple LUN Support <sup>2</sup>                | Yes, No                                                                 | No (disabled)   |
| Include in BIOS Scan <sup>2</sup>                     | Yes, No                                                                 | Yes (enabled)   |
| <b>Advanced Configuration Options:</b>                |                                                                         |                 |
| Reset SCSI Bus at IC Initialization                   | Enabled, Disabled                                                       | Enabled         |
| Display <Ctrl><A> Messages during BIOS Initialization | Enabled, Disabled                                                       | Enabled         |
| Extended BIOS Translation for DOS Drives > 1 GByte    | Enabled, Disabled                                                       | Enabled         |
| Verbose/Silent Mode                                   | Verbose, Silent                                                         | Verbose         |
| Host Adapter BIOS                                     | Enabled<br>Disabled : Not Scan<br>Disabled: Scan Bus                    | Enabled         |

|                                                                |                                     |          |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Domain Validation <sup>2</sup>                                 | Enabled, Disabled                   | Enabled  |
| Support Removable Disks Under BIOS as Fixed Disks <sup>2</sup> | Disabled<br>Boot Only,<br>All Disks | Disabled |
| BIOS Support for Bootable CD_ROM <sup>2</sup>                  | Enabled, Disabled                   | Enabled  |
| BIOS Support for Int 13 Extensions <sup>2</sup>                | Enabled, Disabled                   | Enabled  |

<sup>1</sup> Setting is valid only if Multiple LUN Support is enabled.

<sup>2</sup> Settings are valid only if host adapter BIOS is enabled.

## 6.6 Starting SCSISelect

Follow these steps to start SCSISelect:

1. Turn on or restart your system.  
During the startup process, pay careful attention to the messages that appear on your screen.
2. When the following message appears on your screen, press the Ctrl-A keys simultaneously (this message appears for only a few seconds):  
Press <Ctrl><A> for SCSISelect (TM) Utility!
3. From the menu that appears, use the arrow keys to move the cursor to the option you want to select, then press **ENTER**.

*Note: If you have difficulty viewing the display, press F5 to toggle between color and monochrome modes. (This feature may not work on some monitors.)*

### Exiting SCSISelect

Follow these steps to exit SCSISelect:

1. Press **ESC** until a message prompts you to exit (if you changed any settings, you are prompted to save the changes before you exit.)
2. At the prompt, select **YES** to exit, then press any key to reboot the computer. Any changes you made in SCSISelect take effect after the computer boots.

## 6.7 Using SCSISelect Settings

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To select an option, use the arrow keys to move the cursor to the option, then press **ENTER**.

In some cases, selecting an option displays another meny. You can return to the previous menu at any time by pressing **ESC**.

To restore the original SCSISelect default values, press **F6** from the main SCSISelect screen.

### SCSI Bus Interface Definitions

- **Host Adapter SCSI ID**-(Default: 7) Sets the SCSI ID for the SCSI controller. The Adaptec SCSI controller AIC-7899 is set at 7, which gives t the highest priority on the SCSI bus. We recommend that you do not change this setting.
- **SCSI Parity Checking**-(Default: *Enabled*) When set to **Enabled**, verifies the accuracy of data transfer on the SCSI bus. Leave this setting enabled unless any SCSI device does not support SCSI parity.
- **Host Adapter SCSI Termination**-(Default: *Automatic*) Determines the termination setting for the SCSI card. The default setting for both the LVD/SE (low voltage differential/single ended) connectors and SE connectors is *Automatic*, which allows the SCSI card to adjust the termination as needed depending on the finfiguration of the connected SCSI devices. We recommend that you do not change these settings.

### Boot Device Options

- **Boot SCSI ID**-(Default: 0) Specifies the SCSI ID of your boot device. We recommend that you dono t change the default setting.
- **Boot LUN Number**-(Default: 0) Specifies which LUN (Logical Unit Number) to boot from on your boot device. This setting is not valid unless Multiple LUN Support is **Enabled**



## SCSI Device Configuration

SCSI Device Configuration options can be set individually for each connected SCSI device.

*Note: To configure settings for a SCSI device, you must know its SCSI ID (see Using Disk Utilities on page 23.)*

- **Sync Transfer Rate**-(Default: 160) Determines the maximum synchronous data transfer rate that the SCSI card supports. Use the maximum value of 160 MBytes/sec.
- **Initiate Wide Negotiation**-(Default: Yes) When set to **Yes**, the SCSI card attempts 16-bit data transfer (wide negotiation.) When set to **No**, the SCSI card uses 8-bit data transfer unless the SCSI device requests wide negotiation.

*Note: Set Initiate Wide Negotiation to **NO** if you are using an 8-bit SCSI device that hangs or exhibits other performance problems with 16-bit data transfer rate enabled.*

- **Enable Disconnection**-(Default: Yes) When set to **Yes**, allows the SCSI device to disconnect from the SCSI bus. Leave the setting at **Yes** if two or more SCSI device is connected, changing the setting to **No** results in slightly better performance.
- **Send Start Unit Command**-(Default: Yes) When set to **Yes**, the Start Unit Command is sent to the SCSI device at bootup.

The following three options have no effect if the SCSI Card BIOS is disabled. (The SCSI Cards BIOS is normally enabled by default.)

- **Enable Write Back Cache**-(Default: N/C) Can be used to enable or disable the write-back cache on SCSI disk drives connected to the host adapter. Leave this option at its default setting of N/C (no change), which usually allow for optimum drive performance.
- **BIOS Multiple LUN Support**-(Default: No) Leave this setting at **No** if the device does not have multiple Logical Unit Numbers (LUNs.) When set to **Yes**, the SCSI card BIOS provides boot support for a SCSI device with multiple LUNs (for example, a CD

“juke box” device in which multiple CDs can be accessed simultaneously.)

- **Include in BIOS Scan**-(Default: *Yes*) When set to **Yes**, the SCSI card BIOS includes the device as part of its BIOS scan at bootup.

## Advanced Configuration Options

*Note: Do not change the Advanced Configuration Options unless absolutely necessary.*

- **Reset SCSI Bus at IC Initialization**-(Default: *Enabled*) When set to **Enabled**, the SCSI card generates a SCSI bus reset during its power-on initialization and after a hard reset.
- **Display <Ctrl> <A> Messages during BIOS Initialization**-(Default: *Enabled*) When set to **Enabled**, the SCSI card BIOS displays the Press <Ctrl> <A> for SCSISelect (TM) Utility! message on your screen during system bootup. If this setting disabled, you can still invoke the SCSISelect Utility by pressing <Ctrl> <A> after the SCSI card BIOS banner appears.
- **Extended BIOS Translation for DOS Drives > 1 GByte**-(Default: *Enabled*) When set to **Enabled**, provides an extended translation scheme for SCSI hard disks with capacities greater than 1 GByte. This setting is necessary only for MS-DOS 5.0 or above; it is not required for other operating systems, such as NetWare or UNIX.

*Caution: Changing the translation scheme destroys all data on the drive. Be sure to back your disk drives before changing the translation scheme.*

Use the MS-DOS Fdisk command to partition a disk larger than 1GByte controlled by the SCSI card BIOS, when using DOS, Windows 3.1.x, or Windows 95/98.

- **Verbose/Silent Mode**-(Default: *Verbose*) When set to **Verbose**, the SCSI card BIOS displays the host adapter model on the screen during system buildup. When set to **Silent**, the message is not displayed during bootup.

• **Host Adapter BIOS (Configuration Utility Reserves BIOS Space)**—(Default: *Enabled*) Enables or disables the SCSI card BIOS.

- Leave at **Enabled** to allow the SCSI card BIOS to scan and initialize all SCSI devices.
- Set to **Disabled: Not scan** if the devices on the SCSI bus (for example, CD-ROM drives) are controlled by software drivers and do not need the BIOS, and you do not want the BIOS to scan the SCSI bus.
- Set to **Disabled: Scan Bus** if you do not need the BIOS, but you want it to scan the SCSI devices on the bus and you need to spin up the devices.

The following four options have no effect when the SCSI Card BIOS is disabled. (The SCSI Card BIOS is normally enabled by default.)

- **Domain Validation**—(Default: *Enabled*) Determines the optimal transfer rate for each device on the SCSI bus and sets transfer rates accordingly. Displays the resulting data transfer rate.
- **Support Removable Disks Under BIOS as Fixed Disks**—(Default: *Disabled*) Determines which removable-media drives are supported by the SCSI card BIOS. Choices are as follows:
  - **Disabled**—No removable-media drives are treated as hard disk drives. Software drivers are required because the drives are not controlled by the BIOS.
  - **Boot Only**—Only the removable-media drive designated as the boot device is treated as a hard disk drive.
  - **All Disks**—All removable-media drives supported by the BIOS are treated as hard disk drives.

*Caution: You may lose data if you remove a removable-media cartridge from a SCSI drive controlled by the SCSI card BIOS while the drive is on. If you want to be able to remove the media while the drive is on, install the removable-media software driver and set Support Removable Disks Under BIOS as Fixed Disks to **Disabled**.*

- **BIOS Support for Bootable CD-ROMs**—(Default: *Enabled*)  
When set to **Enabled**, the SCSI card BIOS allows the computer to boot from a CD-ROM drive.
- **BIOS Support for Int 13 Extensions**—(Default: *Enabled*)  
When set to **Enabled**, the SCSI card BIOS supports Int 13h extensions as required by Plug-and-Play. The setting can be either enabled or disabled if your system is not Plug-and-Play.

## 6.8 Using SCSI Disk Utilities

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To access the SCSI disk utilities, follow these steps:

1. Select the **SCSI Disk Utilities** option from the menu that appears after starting *SCSISelect*. *SCSISelect* scans the SCSI bus (to determine the devices installed) and displays a list of all SCSI

## 6.9 Installation under Windows NT/Windows 2000

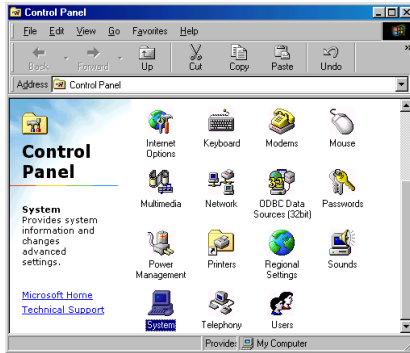
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If you are only using SCSI hard drives without any IDE HDD drive installed. Please follow these steps:

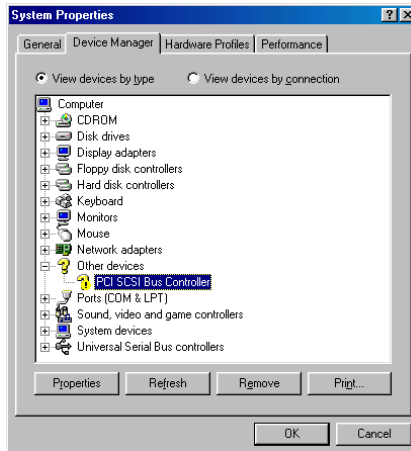
1. Insert Windows NT/Windows 2000 CD Disk.
2. Press F6 immediately when it displays: “Set up is inspecting your computer’s hardware configuration.”
3. Then it enter SCSI installation. Please insert SCSI driver floppy disk.

# 6.10 Windows 9X Driver setup procedure

1. In the window 9x screen, click on “start” and select “setting.” Then click on the “Control Panel” icon to select “System”



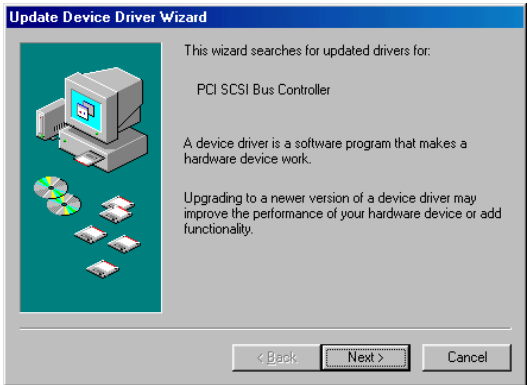
2. In the “System properties”, choose “PCI SCSI Bus Controller.” Then click on “Properties”



3. Click on “Update Driver”



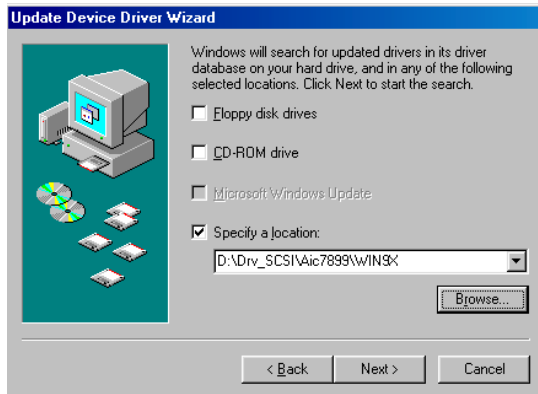
4. Click on “Next”



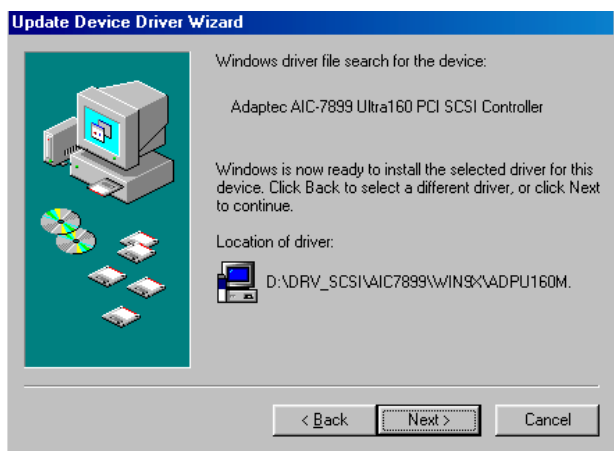
## 5. Recommend to search for a better driver



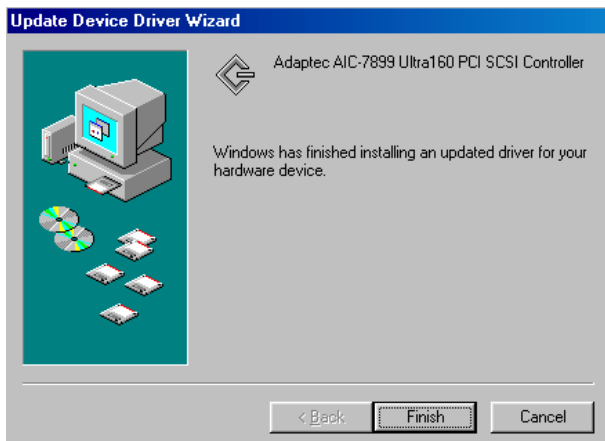
6. If the SCSI driver is supplied in floppy disk, click on “Floppy disk drives.” Then, click on “Next.” If the SCSI driver is supplied in CD-ROM disk, click on “Specify a location:” then enter "E:\Drv\_SCSI\AIC7899\Windows\Win9X"



7. In the “Update Device Driver Wizard” click on “Next.”

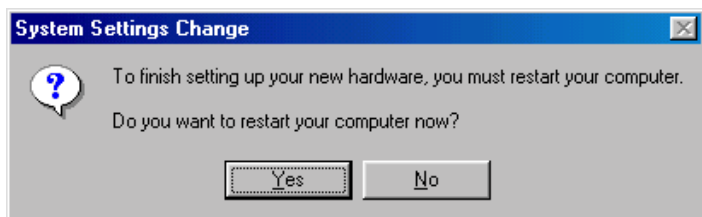


8. The installation is completed. Click on “Finish.”



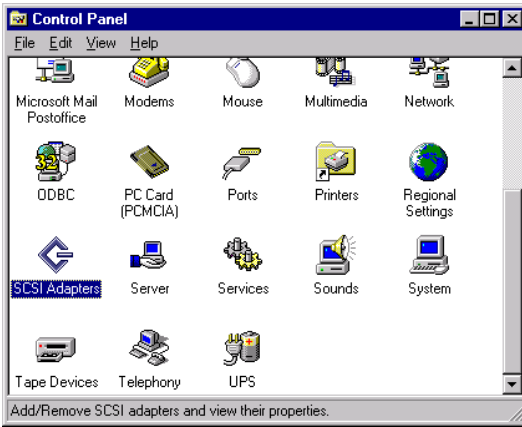


9. Click on “Yes” to restart the system.

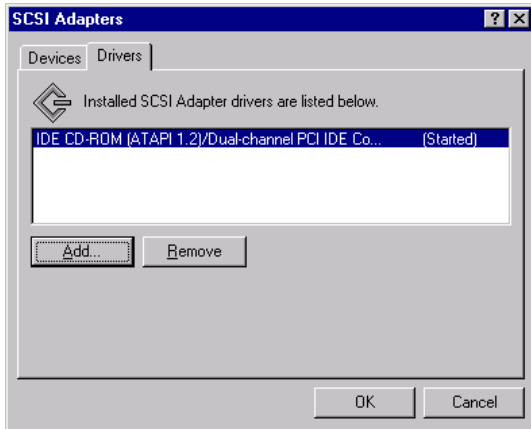


# 6.11 Windows NT Driver Setup Procedure

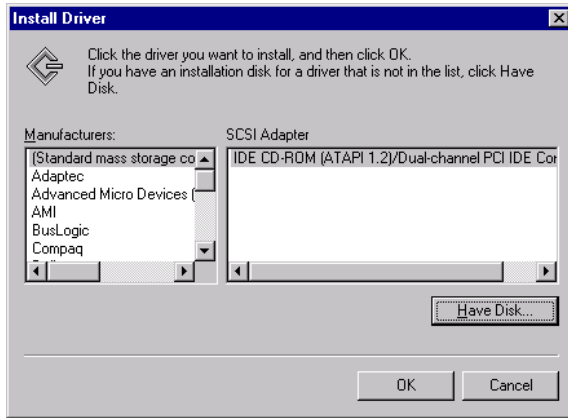
In the Windows NT screen, click on “Start” and select “Setting.” Then click on the “Control Panel” icon to select “SCSI Adapter.”



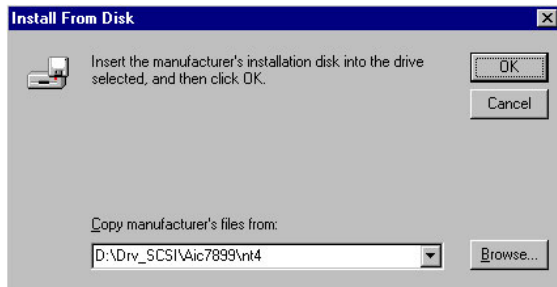
2. In the SCSI Adapter, choose “Drivers.” Click on “Add” to install SCSI driver.



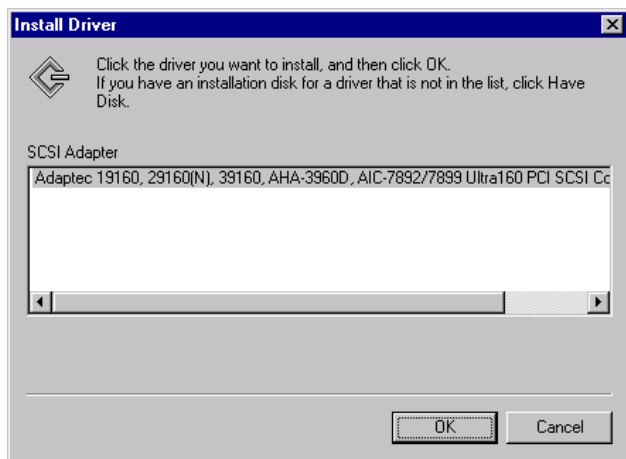
### 3. Click on “Have Disk.”



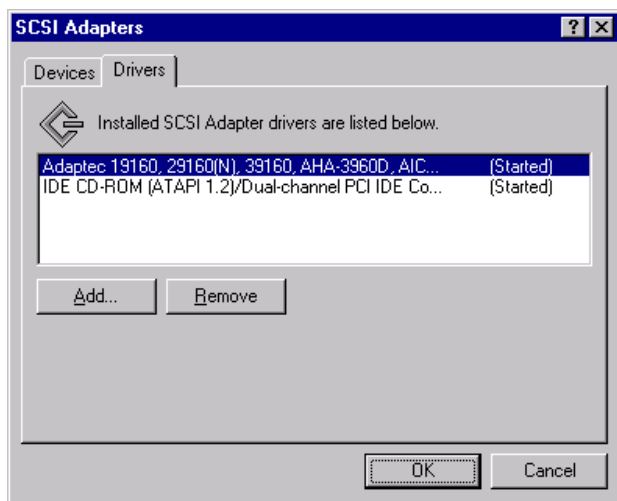
### 4. Click on “Browse” to select the drivers. If the SCSI driver is supplied in floppy disk, choose the directory A:1.



5. Click the SCSI driver, and then click “OK.”



6. The installation of SCSI Driver is completed. Click on “OK.”



## **Programming the Watchdog Timer**

The PCA-6181 is equipped with a watchdog timer that resets the CPU or generates an interrupt if processing comes to a standstill for any reason. This feature ensures system reliability in industrial standalone or unmanned environments.

## A.1 Programming the Watchdog Timer

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To program the watchdog timer, you must write a program which writes I/O port address 443 (hex). The output data is a time interval value. The value range is from 01 (hex) to 3F (hex), and the related time interval is 1 sec. to 63 sec.

| <b>Data</b> | <b>Time Interval</b> |
|-------------|----------------------|
| 01          | 1 sec.               |
| 02          | 2 sec.               |
| 03          | 3 sec.               |
| 04          | 4 sec.               |
| •           | •                    |
| •           | •                    |
| •           | •                    |
| 3F          | 63 sec.              |

After data entry, your program must refresh the watchdog timer by rewriting I/O port 443 (hex) while simultaneously setting it. When you want to disable the watchdog timer, your program should read I/O port 443 (hex).

The following example shows how you might program the watchdog timer in BASIC:

```
10      REM  Watchdog timer example program
20      OUT &H443, data REM  Start and restart the watchdog
30      GOSUB 1000 REM  Your application task #1,
40      OUT &H443, data REM  Reset the timer
50      GOSUB 2000 REM  Your application task #2,
60      OUT &H443, data REM  Reset the timer
70      X=INP (&H443) REM  Disable the watchdog timer
80      END

1000     REM  Subroutine #1, your application task
.       .
.       .
.       .
1070    RETURN
2000     REM  Subroutine #2, your application task
.       .
.       .
.       .
2090    RETURN
```





## Pin Assignments

This appendix contains information of a detailed or specialized nature. It includes:

- IDE Hard Drive Connector
- Floppy Drive Connector
- Parallel Port Connector
- SCSI Connector
- USB Connector
- VGA Connector
- Ethernet 10/100Base-T RJ-45 Connector
- COM1/COM2 RS-232 Serial Port
- Keyboard and Mouse Connector
- External Keyboard Connector
- IR Connector
- CPU Fan Power Connector
- Power LED and Keylock Connector
- External Speaker Connector
- Reset Connector
- HDD LED Connector
- ATX Feature Connector
- ATX Soft Power Switch
- SM Bus Connector
- Extension I/O Board Connector
- System I/O Ports
- DMA Channel Assignments
- Interrupt Assignments
- 1st MB Memory Map

# B.1 IDE Hard Drive Connector (CN1, CN2)

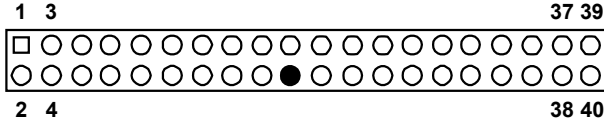


Table B-1: IDE hard drive connector (CN1, CN2)

| Pin | Signal              | Pin | Signal              |
|-----|---------------------|-----|---------------------|
| 1   | IDE RESET*          | 2   | GND                 |
| 3   | DATA 7              | 4   | DATA 8              |
| 5   | DATA 6              | 6   | DATA 9              |
| 7   | DATA 5              | 8   | DATA 10             |
| 9   | DATA 4              | 10  | DATA 11             |
| 11  | DATA 3              | 12  | DATA 12             |
| 13  | DATA 2              | 14  | DATA 13             |
| 15  | DATA 1              | 16  | DATA 14             |
| 17  | DATA 0              | 18  | DATA 15             |
| 19  | SIGNAL GND          | 20  | N/C                 |
| 21  | DISK DMA REQUEST    | 22  | GND                 |
| 23  | IO WRITE            | 24  | GND                 |
| 25  | IO READ             | 26  | GND                 |
| 27  | IO CHANNEL READY    | 28  | GND                 |
| 29  | HDACKO*             | 30  | GND                 |
| 31  | IRQ14               | 32  | N/C                 |
| 33  | ADDR 1              | 34  | N/C                 |
| 35  | ADDR 0              | 36  | ADDR 2              |
| 37  | HARD DISK SELECT 0* | 38  | HARD DISK SELECT 1* |
| 39  | IDE ACTIVE*         | 40  | GND                 |

\* low active

## B.2 Floppy Drive Connector (CN3)

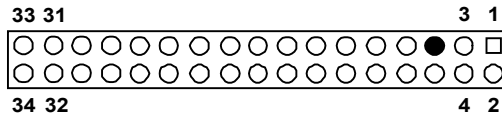


Table B-2: Floppy drive connector (CN3)

| Pin | Signal | Pin | Signal          |
|-----|--------|-----|-----------------|
| 1   | GND    | 2   | FDHDIN*         |
| 3   | GND    | 4   | N/C             |
| 5   | N/C    | 6   | FDEDIN*         |
| 7   | GND    | 8   | INDEX*          |
| 9   | GND    | 10  | MOTOR 0*        |
| 11  | GND    | 12  | DRIVE SELECT 1* |
| 13  | GND    | 14  | DRIVE SELECT 0* |
| 15  | GND    | 16  | MOTOR 1*        |
| 17  | GND    | 18  | DIRECTION*      |
| 19  | GND    | 20  | STEP*           |
| 21  | GND    | 22  | WRITE DATA*     |
| 23  | GND    | 24  | WRITE GATE*     |
| 25  | GND    | 26  | TRACK 0*        |
| 27  | GND    | 28  | WRITE PROTECT*  |
| 29  | GND    | 30  | READ DATA*      |
| 31  | GND    | 32  | HEAD SELECT*    |
| 33  | GND    | 34  | DISK CHANGE*    |

\* low active

### B.3 Parallel Port Connector (CN4)

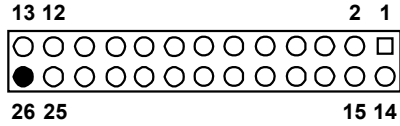


Table B-3: Parallel port connector (CN4)

| Pin | Signal  | Pin | Signal   |
|-----|---------|-----|----------|
| 1   | STROBE* | 14  | AUTOFD*  |
| 2   | D0      | 15  | ERR      |
| 3   | D1      | 16  | INIT*    |
| 4   | D2      | 17  | SLCTINI* |
| 5   | D3      | 18  | GND      |
| 6   | D4      | 19  | GND      |
| 7   | D5      | 20  | GND      |
| 8   | D6      | 21  | GND      |
| 9   | D7      | 22  | GND      |
| 10  | ACK*    | 23  | GND      |
| 11  | BUSY    | 24  | GND      |
| 12  | PE      | 25  | GND      |
| 13  | SLCT    | 26  | N/C      |

\* low active

## B.4 USB Connector (CN6)

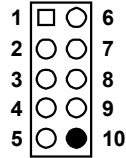


Table B-4: USB1/USB2 connector (CN6)

| Pin | USB1 Signal | Pin | USB2 Signal |
|-----|-------------|-----|-------------|
| 1   | +5 V        | 6   | +5 V        |
| 2   | UV-         | 7   | UV-         |
| 3   | UV+         | 8   | UV+         |
| 4   | GND         | 9   | GND         |
| 5   | Chassis GND | 10  | N/C         |

## B.5 VGA Connector (CN7)

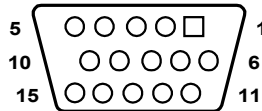


Table B-5: VGA connector (CN7)

| Pin | Signal | Pin | Signal   |
|-----|--------|-----|----------|
| 1   | RED    | 9   | $V_{CC}$ |
| 2   | GREEN  | 10  | GND      |
| 3   | BLUE   | 11  | N/C      |
| 4   | N/C    | 12  | SDT      |
| 5   | GND    | 13  | H-SYNC   |
| 6   | GND    | 14  | V-SYNC   |
| 7   | GND    | 15  | SCK      |
| 8   | GND    |     |          |

## B.6 Keyboard and Mouse Connector (CN11)

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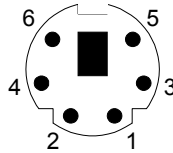


Table B-6: Keyboard and mouse connector (CN11)

| Pin | Signal   |
|-----|----------|
| 1   | KB DATA  |
| 2   | MS DATA  |
| 3   | GND      |
| 4   | $V_{cc}$ |
| 5   | KB CLOCK |
| 6   | MS CLOCK |

## B.7 External Keyboard Connector (CN12)

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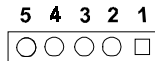


Table B-7: External keyboard connector (CN12)

| Pin | Signal   |
|-----|----------|
| 1   | CLK      |
| 2   | DATA     |
| 3   | NC       |
| 4   | GND      |
| 5   | $V_{cc}$ |

## B.8 IR Connector (CN13)

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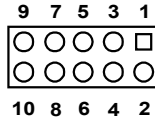


Table B-8: IR connector (CN13)

| Pin | Signal | Pin | Signal |
|-----|--------|-----|--------|
| 1   | +5 V   | 2   | N/C    |
| 3   | FIRRX  | 4   | CIRRX  |
| 5   | IR_RX  | 6   | +5VSB  |
| 7   | GND    | 8   | N/C    |
| 9   | IR_TX  | 10  | N/C    |

## B.9 CPU Fan Power Connector (CN14)

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Table B-9: CPU fan power connector (CN14)

| Pin | Signal |
|-----|--------|
| 1   | GND    |
| 2   | +12 V  |
| 3   | Detect |

## B.10 Power LED (CN16)

You can use an LED to indicate when the CPU card is on. Pin 1 of CN16 supplies the LED's power, and Pin 3 is the ground.

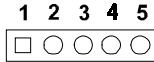


Table B-10: Power LED and keylock connector (CN16)

| Pin | Function         |
|-----|------------------|
| 1   | LED power (+5 V) |
| 2   | NC               |
| 3   | GND              |
| 4   | Reserved         |
| 5   | GND              |

## B.11 External Speaker Connector (CN17)

The CPU card has its own buzzer. You can also connect it to the external speaker on your computer chassis.

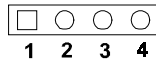


Table B-11: External speaker (CN17)

| Pin | Function           |
|-----|--------------------|
| 1   | +5 V <sub>CC</sub> |
| 2   | GND                |
| 3   | Internal buzzer    |
| 4   | Speaker out        |



## B.12 Reset Connector (CN18)

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Table B-12: Reset connector (CN18)

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| Pin | Signal |
|-----|--------|
| 1   | RESET  |
| 2   | GND    |

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## B.13 HDD LED Connector (CN19)

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Table B-13: HDD LED connector (CN19)

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| Pin | Signal      |
|-----|-------------|
| 1   | LED0 (LED-) |
| 2   | Vcc(LED+)   |

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## B.14 ATX Feature Connector (CN20)

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Table B-14: ATX feature connector (CN20)

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| Pin | Signal             |
|-----|--------------------|
| 1   | PS-ON              |
| 2   | V <sub>cc</sub>    |
| 3   | V <sub>cc</sub> SB |

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## B.15 ATX Soft Power Switch (CN21)

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Table B-15: ATX soft power switch (CN21)

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| <b>Pin</b> | <b>Signal</b> |
|------------|---------------|
| 1          | 5VSB          |
| 2          | PWR-BTN       |

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## B.16 SM Bus Connector (CN29)

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Table B-16: SM Bus connector (CN29)

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| <b>Pin</b> | <b>Signal</b> |
|------------|---------------|
| 1          | SMB_DATA      |
| 2          | SMB_CLK       |

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## B.17 System I/O Ports

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Table B-17: System I/O ports

| <b>Addr. range (Hex)</b> | <b>Device</b>                                      |
|--------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| 000-01F                  | DMA controller                                     |
| 020-021                  | Interrupt controller 1, master                     |
| 022-023                  | Chipset address                                    |
| 040-05F                  | 8254 timer                                         |
| 060-06F                  | 8042 (keyboard controller)                         |
| 070-07F                  | Real-time clock, non-maskable interrupt (NMI) mask |
| 080-09F                  | DMA page register                                  |
| 0A0-0BF                  | Interrupt controller 2                             |
| 0C0-0DF                  | DMA controller                                     |
| 0F0                      | Clear math co-processor                            |
| 0F1                      | Reset math co-processor                            |
| 0F8-0FF                  | Math co-processor                                  |
| 1F0-1F8                  | Fixed disk                                         |
| 200-207                  | Game I/O                                           |
| 278-27F                  | Parallel printer port 2 (LPT3)                     |
| 290-297                  | On-board hardware monitor                          |
| 2F8-2FF                  | Serial port 2                                      |
| 300-31F                  | Prototype card                                     |
| 360-36F                  | Reserved                                           |
| 378-37F                  | Parallel printer port 1 (LPT2)                     |
| 380-38F                  | SDLC, bisynchronous 2                              |
| 3A0-3AF                  | Bisynchronous 1                                    |
| 3B0-3BF                  | Monochrome display and printer adapter (LPT1)      |
| 3C0-3CF                  | Reserved                                           |
| 3D0-3DF                  | Color/graphics monitor adapter                     |
| 3F0-3F7                  | Diskette controller                                |
| 3F8-3FF                  | Serial port 1                                      |
| 2E-2F                    | Watchdog timer                                     |

## B.18 DMA Channel Assignments

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Table B-18: DMA channel assignments

| Channel | Function                     |
|---------|------------------------------|
| 0       | Available                    |
| 1       | Available                    |
| 2       | Floppy disk (8-bit transfer) |
| 3       | Available                    |
| 4       | Cascade for DMA controller 1 |
| 5       | Available                    |
| 6       | Available                    |
| 7       | Available                    |

## B.19 Interrupt Assignments

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Table B-19: Interrupt assignments

| Priority | Interrupt# | Interrupt source                      |
|----------|------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1        | NMI        | Parity error detected                 |
| 2        | IRQ0       | Interval timer                        |
| 3        | IRQ1       | Keyboard                              |
| -        | IRQ2       | Interrupt from controller 2 (cascade) |
| 4        | IRQ8       | Real-time clock                       |
| 5        | IRQ9       | Cascaded to INT 0A (IRQ 2)            |
| 6        | IRQ10      | Available                             |
| 7        | IRQ11      | Available                             |
| 8        | IRQ12      | PS/2 mouse                            |
| 9        | IRQ13      | INT from co-processor                 |
| 10       | IRQ14      | Fixed disk controller                 |
| 11       | IRQ15      | Available                             |
| 12       | IRQ3       | Serial communication port 2           |
| 13       | IRQ4       | Serial communication port 1           |
| 14       | IRQ5       | Parallel port 2                       |
| 15       | IRQ6       | Diskette controller (FDC)             |
| 16       | IRQ7       | Parallel port 1 (print port)          |

## B.20 1st MB Memory Map

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Table B-20: 1st MB memory map

| Addr. range (Hex) | Device           |
|-------------------|------------------|
| F0000h - FFFFFh   | System ROM       |
| CC000h - EFFFFh   | Unused           |
| C0000h - CBFFFh   | VGA BIOS         |
| B8000h - BFFFFh   | CGA/EGA/VGA text |
| B0000h - B7FFFh   | Unused           |
| A0000h - AFFFFh   | EGA/VGA graphics |
| 00000h - 9FFFFh   | Base memory      |

## B.21 PCI Bus Map

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Table B-21: PCI bus map

| Function     | Signals:<br>Device ID | INT# pin       | GNT# pin |
|--------------|-----------------------|----------------|----------|
| Onboard LAN1 | AD21                  | INT D          | GNT E    |
| Onboard LAN2 | AD20                  | INT A          | GNT A    |
| Onboard SCSI | AD19                  | INT C, B       | GNT B    |
| PCI slot 1   | AD31                  | INT B, C, D, A | GNT A    |
| PCI slot 2   | AD30                  | INT C, D, A, B | GNT B    |
| PCI slot 3   | AD29                  | INT D, A, B, C | GNT C    |
| PCI slot 4   | AD28                  | INT A, B, C, D | GNT D    |

