

# PT880DAS

# **User's Manual**

Intel Socket 478 Processor Motherboard VIA PT880 + VIA 8237

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## **Safety Instructions**

- 1. Please read these safety instructions carefully.
- 2. Please keep this User's Manual for later reference.
- 3. Please place the equipment on a reliable flat surface before installation.
- 4. Make sure the voltage of the power source when you try to connect the equipment to the power outlet.
- 5. All cautions and warnings on the equipment should be noted.
- 6. Disconnect this equipment from connecter before inserting add-on interfaces or modules.
- 7. Never pour any liquid into the opening, this could cause fire or electrical shock.
- 8. Explosion may occur if the battery is replaced incorrectly. Replace only with the type recommended by the manufacturer.
- 9. If one of the following situations arises, get the equipment checked by a service personnel:
  - a. Liquid has penetrated into the equipment.
  - b. The equipment has been exposed to moisture.
  - c. The equipment has not work well or you can not get it work according to user's manual.
  - d. The equipment has dropped and damaged.
  - e. If the equipment has obvious sign of breakage.
- 10. Do not leave the equipment in an humidity or unconditional environment, storage temperature above 60°C(140°C), it may damage the equipment.

**Precaution:** It may void the warranty if any label on the equipment been removed.

## **Packing Item Checklist**

- ✓ Motherboard
- ☑ Cable for IDE/Floppy
- ☑ Cable for Serial ATA IDE Port
- ☑ CD for motherboard utilities
- ☐ Cable for USB Port 3/4 (Option)
- ☑ Cable for Parallel Port
- ✓ User's Manual

## **Intel Pentium 4 Socket478 Processor Thermal Solutions**

As processor technology pushes to faster speeds and higher performance, thermal management becomes increasingly crucial when building computer systems. Maintaining the proper thermal environment is key to reliable, long-term system operation. The overall goal in providing the proper thermal environment is keeping the processor below its specified maximum case temperature. Heatsinks induce improved processor heat dissipation through increased surface area and concentrated airflow from attached fans. In addition, interface materials allow effective transfers of heat from the processor to the heatsink. For optimum heat transfer, Intel recommends the use of thermal grease and mounting clips to attach the heatsink to the processor.

When selecting a thermal solution for your system, please refer to the website below for collection of heatsinks evaluated and recommended by Intel for use with Intel processors. Note, those heatsinks are recommended for maintaining the specified Maximum T case requirement. In addition, this collection is not intended to be a comprehensive listing of all heatsinks that support Intel processors.

For vendor list of heatsink and fan, please visit:

http://developer.intel.com/design/Pentium4/components/index

## **Chapter 1**

### **Introduction of PT880DAS Motherboard**

Thank you for purchasing the PT880DAS which provide extremely performance and meet future specification demand.

PT880DAS series motherboards are adopted with advanced technologies to deliver the extremely performance for Intel Pentium 4 Northwood/ Hyper-Threading/ Prescott socket 478 processors. The motherboard also feature AGP 8X, Serial ATA RAID0, 1, USB 2.0 as well as 6-channel audio which are based on the advanced VIA PT880 chipset with FSB 800MHz and Dual channel DDR400 Memory clock support. Now we could know more details by reading the features of motherboards below

### 1-1 Feature of motherboard

PT880DAS motherboard is designed for Intel Pentium 4 Socket-478 400MHz/ 533MHz/ 800MHz Front Side Bus Frequency CPUs and the memory size expandable to 4.0GB.

By using VIA PT880 chipset which provides 800/533/400MHz Front Side Bus frequency and Dual channel DDR266/333/400 SDRAM support as a obvious further step to the next generation of 400/533/800MHz processors. This motherboard also offered ULTRA ATA **133** and **Serial ATA RAID 0, 1** functions to provide speedier HDD throughout that boosts overall system performance.

Integrated AC'97 CODEC audio on system supports 6-channel speaker for 3D Surround Effect which is fully compatible with Sound Blaster Pro® that gives you the best sound quality and compatibility. AGP 8X slot enables more complex models and detailed textures with AGP 8X graphic accelerators which creates richer and more lifelike virtual environments. The PT880DAS used VIA VT6103 LAN PHY supports 10/100Mbps data transfer rate full duplex, half duplex operation. USB control as well as capability of expanding to 8 USB function ports support USB2 0/1 1 Devices

Built-in hardware monitor function will monitor and protect your computer which is the special design in hardware for protecting Pentium 4 CPU from burned, and will shutdown power supply automatically when CPU is overheated or the CPU cooling fan is not working.

Minor adjustable DDR memory 2.5V Voltage, AGP 1.5V Voltage, and other special functions allows user to increase CPU Host clock step by setting up BIOS to approach over clocking and increasing stability of the system.

Magic Duct Thermal Solution support, for decrease the temperature, and increasing the component lifetime to gain the reliability of Motherboard.

# **1-2 Specification**

Spec	Description
Design	* ATX form factor 4 layers PCB size: 30.5x24.5cm
Chipset	* VIA PT880 North Bridge Chipset
	* VIA VT8237 South Bridge
CPU Socket	* Support Intel Pentium 4 478-Pin package utilizes Flip-Chip Pin
	Grid Array (FC-PGA2) package processor
	* Support Northwood/Hyper-Threading / Prescott CPU
	* Support 1.5G~3.4G 478 Pin Pentium 4 processor
	* Reserves support for future Intel Pentium 4 processors
Memory Socket	* 184-pin DDR module socket x4
	* Support 4 pcs DDR266/DDR333/DDR400 DDR Modules
	Expandable to 4.0GB
	* Dual channel support
Expansion Slot &	* AGP slot x1 support AGP 2.0 & 3.0 for 4X/8X mode
Headers	* 32-bit PCI slot x5
Integrate IDE and	* Two PCI IDE controllers support PCI Bus Mastering, ATA
Serial ATA RAID	PIO/DMA and the ULTRA DMA 33/66/100/133 functions that
	deliver the data transfer rate up to 133 MB/s; Two Serial ATA
	ports provide 150 MB/sec data transfer rate for two Serial ATA
	Devices and offer RAID 0, 1 functions
On board LAN	* VIA VT6103 LAN PHY support 10/100Mbps full duplex, half
	duplex operation
	* Support Boot On LAN function
Audio	* AC'97 Digital Audio controller integrated
	* AC'97 Audio CODEC on board
	* Audio driver and utility included
	* Support 6 channel Speaker for 3D surround effect
BIOS	* Award 2MBit Flash ROM
Magic Duct	* Enhanced thermal solution to protect MOSFET from burnt out
Multi I/O	* PS/2 keyboard and PS/2 mouse connectors
	* Floppy disk drive connector x1
	* Parallel port x1
	* Serial port x1
	* USB2.0 connector x4
	* USB2.0 headers x4 (connecting cable option)
	* Audio connector (Line-in, Line-out, MIC)

## 1-3 Performance List

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

### **Performance Test Report**

**CPU:** Intel Northwood Pentium 4 3.2G (800Mhz FSB)

**DRAM:** KINGSTON D328DW 512MB DDR400 X 2 PCS Total 1Gbyte Memory

VGA Expansion Card: ATI 9700 Pro (1024X768X32bit Color)

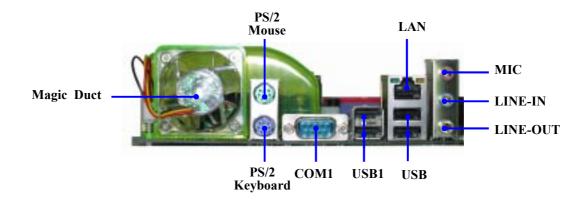
**Hard Disk Driver:** Maxtor Diamond Max Plus8 (ATA-133 7200RPM)

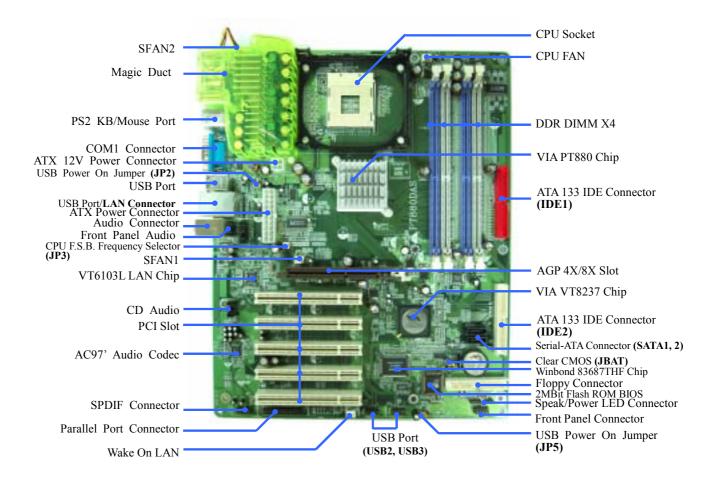
**BIOS:** Award Optimal default

**OS:** Windows XP Professional (SERVICE PACK 1)

		200/200 3.2G	
2D Morte 2001SE	Dual Channel		
3D Mark 2001SE		16598	
3D Mark 2003		5129 441	
3D Winbench 2000 (32/32bit)		441	
PCMark2004	ND.	4700 / 4004 / 4555	
System/CPU/Memory/Graph/HD	עי	4799 / 4904 / 4555	
Content Creation Winstone 2002		3799 / 3210	
Content Creation Winstone 2003		48	
Business Winstone 2002		51	
Business Winstone 2004		36	
Winbench 99 V1.2:		7.100	
Business Disk Winmark99		7430	
Hi-end Disk Winmark99		32400	
Business Graphic Winmark		559	
Hi-end Graphic Winmark		1250	
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Creation / Office Productivity)			
SISMark 2001		293 (333 / 258)	
SISMark 2002		333 (466 / 238)	
SISOFT Sandra 2003 :			
Dhrystone ALU	MIPS	9715	
Whetstone FPU	MFLOPS	3999 / 7080 4655	
	RAM Int Buffered iSSE2 MB/S RAM Float Buffered iSSE2 MB/S		
RAM Float Buffered iSSE2	4655		
Integer SSE2	24481		
Floating- Point SSE2 IT/S		35295 304.7 / 299.7	
QUAKE3 DEMO1/DEMO2	`		
Return to Castle Wolfenstein	FPS	154.4	
Super Pi (1M)	Second	46s	
WCPUID System/CPU Clock		200.06 / 3200.95	

## 1-4 Layout Diagram & Jumper Setting





## Jumpers

Jumper	Name	Description	Page
JBAT	CMOS RAM Clear	3-pin Block	P.6
JP2, JP5	USB Power On Enable/Disabled	3-pin Block	P.7
JP3	CPU Front Side Bus Frequency Select	6-pin Block	P.7

## **Connectors**

Connector	Name	Description	Page
ATXPWR	ATX Power Connector	20-pin Block	P.13
ATX12V	ATX 12V Power Connector	4-pin Block	P.13
PS2KBMS1	PS/2 Mouse & PS/2 Keyboard	6-pin Female	P.13
	Connector		
USB, USB1	USB Port Connector	4-pin Connector	P.13
LAN	LAN Port Connector	RJ-45 Connector	P.13
COM1	Serial Port COM1 Connector 9-pin Male Connect		P.13
AUDIO	Audio Connector	3 phone jack	P.14
FDD	Floppy Driver Connector	34-pin Block	P.14
IDE1/IDE2	Primary/Secondary IDE Connector 40-pin Block		P.14
SATA1, SATA2	Serial ATA Port Connector 7-pin Block		P.15

## Headers

Header	Name	Description	Page
AUDIO	Line-Out, MIC Header	9-pin Block	P.16
PARALLEL	Parallel Port Header	25-pin Block	P.16
USB2/USB3	USB Port Headers	9-pin Block	P.16
JW FP	Front Panel Header	9-pin Block	P.17
(Power LED/Reset/	(including Power LED/IDE activity		
IDE LED/ Power Button)	LED/Reset switch / Power On		
	Button lead)		
SPEAK	PC Speaker Connector	4-pin Block	P.17
PWR LED	Power LED	3-pin Block	P.17
WOL	Wake On-LAN Headers	3-pin Block	P.17
SFAN1, SFAN2,	FAN Headers	3-pin Block	P.18
CPUFAN			
CDIN	CD Audio-In Headers	4-pin Block	P. 18
SPDIF	SPDIF In/Out Headers	9-pin Block	P. 18

Expansion Sockets

Socket/Slot	Name	Description	Page
ZIF Socket 478 Pin	CPU Socket	478-pin mPGA CPU Socket	P.9
DIMM1~DIMM4	DDR Module Socket	184-pin DDR Module expansion Socket	P.10
PCI1 ~ PCI5	PCI Slot	32-bit PCI Local Bus Expansion slots	P.11
AGP	AGP 8X Mode Slot	AGP Expansion Slot	P.12

## **Chapter 2**

### Hardware installation

## 2-1 Pre-Hardware installation

Before starting to use the computer with the motherboard installed the components on it, please make sure complete the following steps:

- 1. To verify the jumper settings of your motherboard
- 2. To install the CPU and Cooling Kits
- 3. To install the system memory
- 4. To install the expansion cards
- 5. To connect with ribbon cables, panel wires, and power supply
- 6. To setup BIOS
- 7. To install software driver & utility

## 2-2 To verify the jumper settings of the motherboard

#### (1) CMOS RAM Clear (3-pin): JBAT

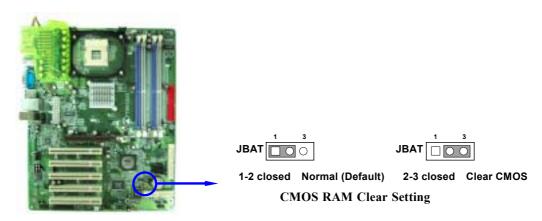
A battery must be used to retain the motherboard configuration in CMOS RAM short 1-2 pins of JBAT to store the CMOS data.

To clear the CMOS, follow the procedure below:

- 1. Turn off the system and unplug the AC power
- 2. Remove ATX power cable from ATX power connector
- 3. Locate JBAT and short pins 2-3 for a few seconds
- 4. Return JBAT to its normal setting by shorting pins 1-2
- 5. Connect ATX power cable back to ATX power connector

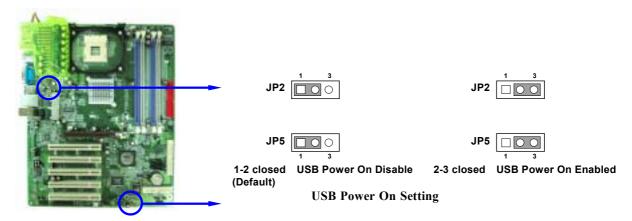
#### Note: When should clear CMOS

- 1. Troubleshooting
- 2. Forget password
- 3. After over clocking system boot fail



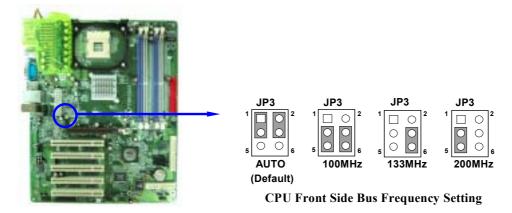
### (2) Keyboard/USB Power On function Enabled/Disabled: JP2, JP5

When setting Enabled you can using keyboard by key in password/USB to power on system.



### (3) CPU Front Side Bus Frequency Select Jumper : JP3 (2x3-pin)

CPU Clock	JI		
AUTO	1-3 closed	2-4 closed	(Default)
100MHz	3-5 closed	4-6 closed	
133MHz	OFF	4-6 closed	]
200MHz	3-5 closed	OFF	1



## 2-3 To install the CPU

### 2-3-1 Glossary

**Chipset (or core logic)** - two or more integrated circuits which control the interfaces between the system processor, RAM, I/O devises, and adapter cards.

**Processor socket** - the socket used to mount the system processor on the motherboard.

**Slot** (AGP, PCI, ISA, RAM DIMMs) - the slots used to mount adapter cards and system RAM.

**AGP** - Accelerated Graphics Port - the high speed interface for video cards which runs at 1X (66MHz), 2X (133MHz), 4X (266MHz), and 8X (533MHz).

**PCI** - Peripheral Component Interconnect - the high speed interface for video cards, sound cards, network interface cards, and modems which runs at 33MHz.

**ISA** - Industry Standard Architecture - the relatively low speed interface primarily used for sound cards and modems which runs at approx. 8MHz.

**Serial Port** - the low speed interface typically used for mouse and external modems.

**Parallel Port** - the low speed interface typically used for printers.

PS/2 - the low speed interface used for mouse and keyboards.

**USB** - Universal **S**erial **B**us - the medium speed interface typically used for mouse, keyboards, scanners, and some digital cameras.

**Sound** (interface) - the interface between the sound card or integrated sound connectors and speakers, MIC, game controllers, and MIDI sound devices.

LAN (interface) - Local Area Network - the interface links to local area network.

**BIOS** (Basic Input/Output System) - the program logic used to boot up a computer and establish the relationship between various components.

**Driver** - software, which defines the characteristics of a device for use by another device or other software.

**Processor** - the "central processing unit" (CPU); the principal integrated circuit used for doing the "computing" in "personal computer"

**Front Side Bus Frequency -** the working frequency of the motherboard, which is generated by the clock generator for CPU, DRAM and PCI BUS.

**CPU L2 Cache -** the flash memory inside the CPU, normally Athlon serial CPU has 256K or above, and Duron has 64K.

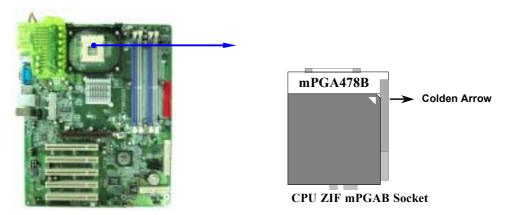
#### 2-3-2 About INTEL PENTIUM 4 478-PIN CPU

This motherboard provides a 478-pin surface mount, Zero Insertion Force (ZIF) socket, referred to as the mPGA478B socket supports Intel Pentium 4 processor in the 478 Pin package utilizes Flip-Chip Pin Grid Array (FC-PGA2) package technology.

The CPU that comes with the motherboard should have a cooling FAN attached to prevent overheating. If this is not the case, then purchase a correct cooling FAN before you turn on your system.

**WARNING!** Be sure that there is sufficient air circulation across the processor's heatsink and CPU cooling FAN is working correctly, otherwise it may cause the processor and motherboard overheat and damage, you may install an auxiliary cooling FAN, if necessary.

To install a CPU, first turn off your system and remove its cover. To locate the ZIF socket and open it by first pulling the level sideways away from the socket then upward to 90-degree. Insert the CPU with the correct orientation as shown below. The notched corner should point toward the end of the level. Because the CPU has a corner pin for two of the four corners, the CPU will only fit in the orientation as shown.



When you put the CPU into the ZIF socket. No force needed to insert of the CPU, then press the level to Locate position slightly without any extra force.

## 2-4 To install the system memory

This motherboard provides four 184-pin DUAL INLINE MEMORY MODULES (DIMM) sites for memory expansion available from minimum memory size of 64MB to maximum memory size of 4.0GB DDR SDRAM.

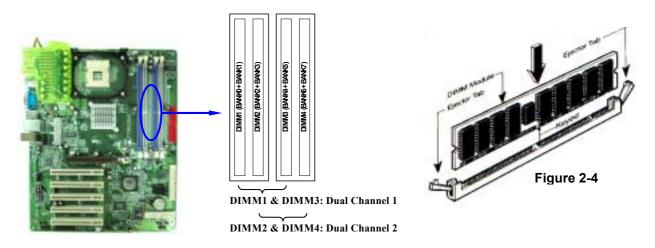
#### **Valid Memory Configurations**

Bank	184-Pin DIMM		<b>Total Memory</b>
Bank 0, 1 (DIMM1)	DDRDDR266/DDR333/DDR400	X1	64MB~1.0GB
Bank 2, 3 (DIMM2)	DDRDDR266/DDR333/DDR400	X1	64MB~1.0GB
Bank 4, 5 (DIMM3)	DDRDDR266/DDR333/DDR400	X1	64MB~1.0GB
Bank 6,7 (DIMM4)	DDRDDR266/DDR333/DDR400	X1	64MB~1.0GB
Total	System Memory (Max. 4.0GB)	4	64MB~4.0GB

#### For Dual channel Limited!

- 1. Dual channel function only supports when 2 DIMM Modules plug in either both DIMM1 & DIMM3 or DIMM2 &DIMM4, or four DIMM Modules plug in DIMM1~DIMM4.
- 2. DIMM1 & DIMM3, or DIMM2 & DIMM4 must be the same type, same size, same frequency for dual channel function.

Generally, installing DDR SDRAM modules to your motherboard is very easy, you can refer to figure 2-4 to see what a 184-Pin DDR266/DDR333/DDR400 DDR SDRAM module looks like.



**NOTE!** When you install DIMM module fully into the DIMM socket the eject tab should be locked into the DIMM module very firmly and fit into its indention on both sides.

**WARNING!** For the DDR SDRAM CLOCK is set at 200MHz, use only DDR400-compliant DDR Modules. When this motherboard operate at 200Mhz, most system will not even boot if non-compliant modules are used because of the strict timing issues, if your SDR Modules are not DDR266-compliant, set the DDR SDRAM clock to 133MHz to ensure system stability.

## 2-5 To install the Expansion Cards

**WARNING!** Turn off your power when adding or removing expansion cards or other system components. Failure to do so may cause severe damage to both your motherboard and expansion cards.

### 2-5-1 Procedure For Expansion Card Installation

- 1. To read documentations or manuals for your expansion cards and make any necessary hardware or software settings for your expansion card such as jumpers.
- 2. To remove your computer's cover and the bracket plate on the slot you intend to use.
- 3. To align the card's connectors and press firmly.
- 4. To secure the card on the slot with the screen you remove above.
- 5. To replace the computer system's cover.
- 6. To set up the BIOS if it's necessary.
- 7. To install the necessary software drivers for your expansion cards.

### 2-5-2 Assigning IRQs For Expansion Card

Some expansion cards need to assign an IRQ address to operate. Generally speaking, an IRQ address must exclusively assign to one use only. With standard factory design, there are 16 IRQs available, but most of them are already in use.

### **Standard Interrupt Assignments**

IRQ	Priority	Standard function
0	N/A	System Timer
1	N/A	Keyboard Controller
2	N/A	Programmable Interrupt
3 *	8	Communications Port (COM2)
4 *	9	Communications Port (COM1)
5 *	6	Sound Card (sometimes LPT2)
6 *	11	Floppy Disk Controller
7 *	7	Printer Port (LPT1)
8	N/A	System CMOS/Real Time Clock
9 *	10	ACPI Mode when enabled
10 *	3	IRQ Holder for PCI Steering
11 *	2	IRQ Holder for PCI Steering
12 *	4	PS/2 Compatible Mouse Port
13	N/A	Numeric Data Processor
14 *	5	Primary IDE Channel
15 *	1	Secondary IDE Channel

<sup>\*</sup> These IRQs are usually available for ISA or PCI devices.

## 2-5-3 Interrupt Request Table For This Motherboard

**IMPORTANT!** While using PCI cards on shared slots, make sure that the drivers support

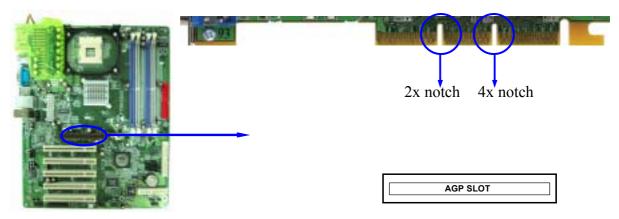
"Shared IRQ" or that the cards don't need IRQ assignments. Conflicts will arise between the two PCI groups that will make the system unstable or

cards inoperable.

Interrupt request are shared as shown the table below:

	INT A	INT B	INT C	INT D	INT E	INT F	INT G	INT H
Slot 1		√						
Slot 2			√					
Slot 3				√				
Slot 4						√		
Slot 5							٧	
Onboard LAN					√			
Onboard USB 1								√
Onboard USB 2				√				
Onboard USB 3			√					
Sound		√						

This motherboard provides an AGP Slot, support the 4X/8X AGP VGA card.

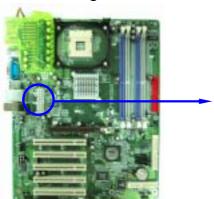


## 2-6 Connectors and pin headers

#### 2-6-1 Connectors

#### (1) Power Connector (20-pin block): ATXPWR

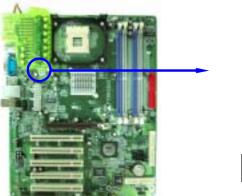
ATX Power Supply connector. This is a new defined 20-pins connector that usually comes with ATX case. The ATX Power Supply allows to use soft power on momentary switch that connect from the front panel switch to 2-pins Power On jumper pole on the motherboard. When the power switch on the back of the ATX power supply turns on, the full power will not come into the system board until the front panel switch is momentarily pressed. Press this switch again will turn off the power to the system board.



	_		
00	PIN	ROW2	ROW1
	1	3.3V	3.3V
	2	-12V	3.3V
	3	GND	GND
	4	Soft Power On	5V
	5	GND	GND
	6	GND	5V
	7	GND	GND
	8	-5V	Power OK
<b>1</b>	9	+5V	+5V (for Soft Logic)
in 1	10	+5V	+12V

#### (2) ATX 12V Power Connector (4-pin block) : ATX12V

This is a new defined 4-pins connector that usually comes with ATX Power Supply. The ATX Power Supply which fully support Pentium 4 processor must including this connector for support extra 12V voltage to maintain system power consumption. Without this connector might cause system unstable because the power supply can not provide sufficient current for system.





#### (3) PS/2 Mouse & PS/2 Keyboard Connector: PS2KBMS1

The connectors for PS/2 keyboard and PS/2 Mouse.

#### (4) USB Port connector: USB, USB1

The connectors are 4-pin connector that connect USB devices to the system board.

#### (5) LAN Port connector: LAN

This connector is standard RJ45 connector for Network

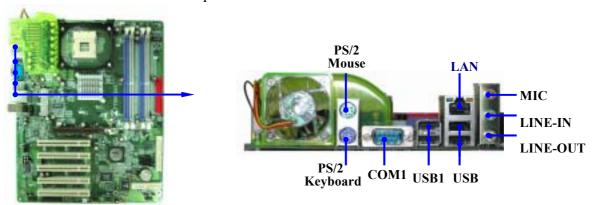
#### (6) Serial Port connector: COM1

The connectors is 9-pin Male connector that connect serial devices to the system board.

#### (7) Audio Connector: AUDIO

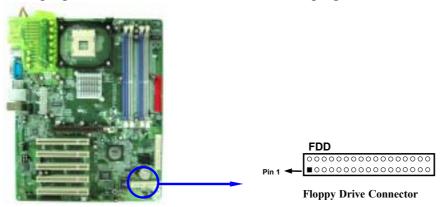
This Connector are 3 phone Jack for LINE-OUT, LINE-IN, MIC.

Line-out: Audio output to speaker
Line-in: Audio input to sound chip
MIC: Microphone Connector



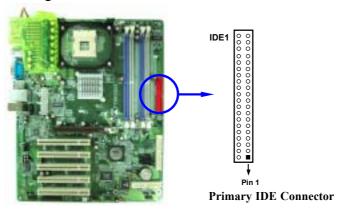
### (8) Floppy drive Connector (34-pin block): FDD

This connector supports the provided floppy drive ribbon cable. After connecting the single plug end to motherboard, connect the two plugs at other end to the floppy drives.



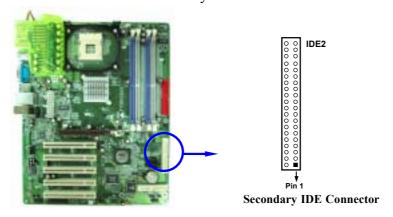
#### (9) Primary IDE Connector (40-pin block): IDE1

This connector supports the provided IDE hard disk ribbon cable. After connecting the single plug end to motherboard, connect the two plugs at other end to your hard disk(s). If you install two hard disks, you must configure the second drive to Slave mode by setting its jumpers accordingly. Please refer to the documentation of your hard disk for the jumper settings.



#### (10) Secondary IDE Connector (40-pin block): IDE2

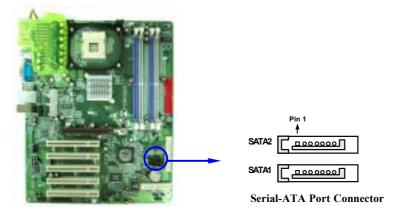
This connector connects to the next set of Master and Slave hard disks. Follow the same procedure described for the primary IDE connector. You may also configure two hard disks to be both Masters using one ribbon cable on the primary IDE connector and another ribbon cable on the secondary IDE connector.



- Two hard disks can be connected to each connector. The first HDD is referred to as the "Master" and the second HDD is referred to as the "Slave".
- For performance issues, we strongly suggest you don't install a CD-ROM or DVD-ROM drive on the same IDE channel as a hard disk. Otherwise, the system performance on this channel may drop.

#### (11) Serial-ATA Port connector: SATA1/SATA2

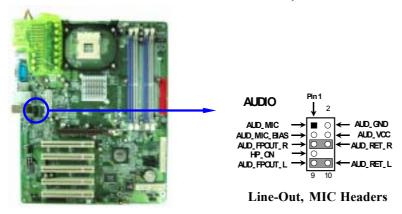
This connector support the provided Serial ATA IDE hard disk cable to connecting the motherboard and serial ATA hard disk.



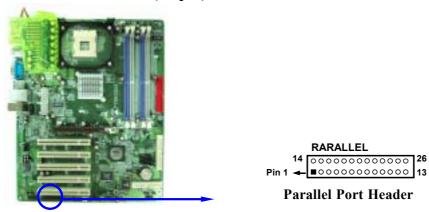
#### 2-6-2 Pin headers

### (1) Line-Out, MIC Header (9-pin): AUDIO

This header connect to Front Panel Line-out, MIC connector with cable.

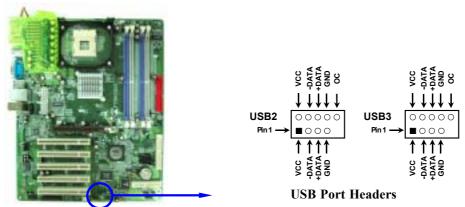


#### (2) Parallel Port Header (25-pin): PARALLEL



#### (3) USB Port Headers (9-pin): USB2, USB3

These headers are used for connecting the additional USB port plug. By attaching an option USB cable, your can be provided with two additional USB plugs affixed to the back panel.



#### (4) Reset switch lead: RESET

This 2-pin connector connects to the case-mounted reset switch for rebooting your computer without having to turn off your power switch. This is a preferred method of rebooting in order to prolong the lift of the system's power supply. See the figure below.

#### (5) IDE Activity LED: HD LED

This connector connects to the hard disk activity indicator light on the case.

#### (6) Power switch: PWR BTN

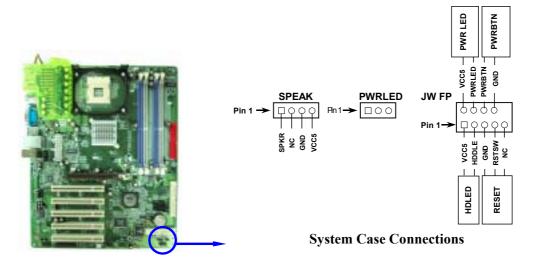
This 2-pin connector connects to the case-mounted power switch to power ON/OFF the system.

#### (7) Speaker connector: SPEAK

This 4-pin connector connects to the case-mounted speaker. See the figure below.

#### (8) Power LED: PWR LED

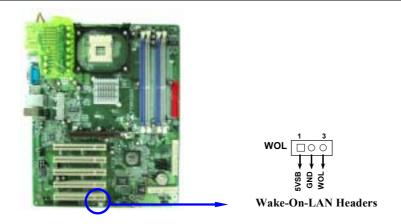
The Power LED is light on while the system power is on. Connect the Power LED from the system case to this pin.



#### (9) Wake On-LAN Headers (3-pin): WOL

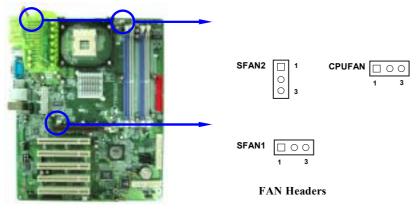
This connector connects to a LAN card with a WAKE ON-LAN output. This connector power up the system when a wake up signal is received through the LAN card.

**NOTE:** This feature requires that Wake On LAN or Ring In Wake up is enabled.



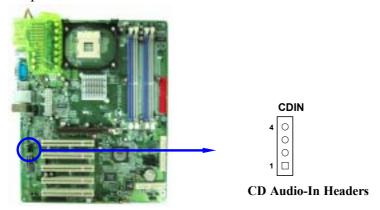
#### (10) FAN Headers (3-pin): SFAN1, SFAN2, CPUFAN

These connectors support cooling fans of 350mA (4.2 Watts) or less, depending on the fan manufacturer, the wire and plug may be different. The red wire should be positive, while the black should be ground. Connect the fan's plug to the board taking into consideration the polarity of connector.



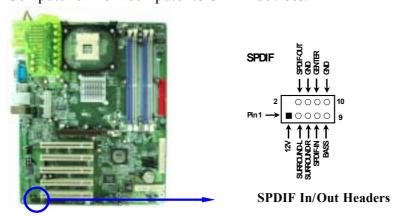
#### (11) CD Audio-In Headers (4-pin): CDIN

CDIN is the connector for CD-Audio Input signal. Please connect it to CD-ROM CD-Audio output connector.



#### (12) SPDIF In/Out Headers (9-pin): SPDIF

This headers is for SPDIF (Sony Philip Digital InterFace) Device In/Out connector. Use this headers users can In put or Out put high quality digital signal from SPDIF devices to Computer or from computer to SPDIF devices.



## 2-7 Starting up your computer

- 1. After all connection are ready, close your computer case cover.
- 2. Be sure all the switches are off, and check that the power supply input voltage is set to proper position, usually in-put voltage is 220V~240V or 110V~120V depending on your country's voltage used.
- 3. Connect the power supply cord into the power supply located on the back of your system case according to your system user's manual.
- 4. Turn on your peripherals as following order:
  - a. Your monitor.
  - b. Other external peripherals (Printer, Scanner, External Modem etc...)
  - c. Your system power. For ATX power supplies, you need to turn on the power supply and press the ATX power switch on the front side of the case.
- 5. The power LED on the front panel of the system case will light. The LED on the monitor may light up or switch between orange and green after the system is on. If it complies with green standards or if it is has a power standby feature. The system will then run power-on test. While the test are running, the BIOS will alarm beeps or additional message will appear on the screen.

If you do not see any thing within 30 seconds from the time you turn on the power. The system may have failed on power-on test. Recheck your jumper settings and connections or call your retailer for assistance.

Веер	Meaning
One short beep when displaying logo	No error during POST
Long beeps in an endless loop	No DRAM install or detected
One long beep followed by three short	Video card not found or video card memory
beeps	bad
High frequency beeps when system is	CPU overheated
working	System running at a lower frequency

- 6. During power-on, press <Delete> key to enter BIOS setup. Follow the instructions in BIOS SETUP.
- 7. **Power off your computer:** You must first exit or shut down your operating system before switch off the power switch. For ATX power supply, you can press ATX power switching after exiting or shutting down your operating system. If you use Windows 9X, click "Start" button, click "Shut down" and then click "Shut down the computer?" The power supply should turn off after windows shut down.

## **Chapter 3**

## **Introducing BIOS Settings**

The BIOS is a program located on a Flash Memory of the motherboard. Using this program as a bridge between motherboard and operating system. When the computer starting to work, the BIOS program gain control. The BIOS first operates an auto-diagnostic test called POST (power on self test) for all the necessary hardware, it detects the entire hardware device and configures the parameters of the hardware synchronization. Only when these tasks are completed done it gives up control of the computer to operating system (OS). Since the BIOS is the only channel for hardware and software to communicate, it is the key factor for system stability, and in ensuring that your system performance as its best.

In the BIOS Setup main menu of Figure 3-1, you can see several options. We will explain these options step by step in the following pages of this chapter, but let us first see a short description of the function keys you may use here:

- Press <Esc> to quit the BIOS Setup.
- Press  $\uparrow \downarrow \longleftrightarrow$  (up, down, left, right) to choose, in the main menu, the option you want to confirm or to modify.
- Press <F10> when you have completed the setup of BIOS parameters to save these parameters and to exit the BIOS Setup menu.
- Press Page Up/Page Down or +/– keys when you want to modify the BIOS parameters for the active option.

## 3-1 Entering Setup

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

Press <F1> to continue, <Ctrl-Alt-Esc> or <Del> to enter Setup

## 3-2 Getting Help

#### Main Menu

The on-line description of the highlighted setup function is displayed at the bottom of the screen.

#### **Status Page Setup Menu/Option Page Setup Menu**

Press F1 to pop up a small help window that describes the appropriate keys to use and the possible selections for the highlighted item. To exit the Help Window, press <Esc>.

## 3-3 The Main Menu

Once you enter Award® BIOS CMOS Setup Utility, the Main Menu (Figure 3-1) will appear on the screen. The Main Menu allows you to select from fourteen setup functions and two exit choices. Use arrow keys to select among the items and press <Enter> to accept or enter the sub-menu.

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Standard CMOS Features	Miscellaneous Control	
Advanced BIOS Features	Load optimized Defaults	
Advanced Chipset Features	Load Standard Defaults	
Integrated Peripherals	Set Supervisor Password	
Power Management Setup	Set User Password	
PnP/PCI Configurations	Save & Exit Setup	
PC Health Status	Exit Without Saving	
Esc : Quit	$\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$ : Select Item	
F10 : Save & Exit Setup		
Time, Date, Hard Disk Type		

Figure 3-1

#### **Standard CMOS Features**

Use this Menu for basic system configurations.

#### **Advanced BIOS Features**

Use this menu to set the Advanced Features available on your system.

#### **Advanced Chipset Features**

Use this menu to change the values in the chipset registers and optimize your system's performance.

#### **Integrated Peripherals**

Use this menu to specify your settings for integrated peripherals.

#### **Power Management Setup**

Use this menu to specify your settings for power management.

#### PnP/PCI configurations

This entry appears if your system supports PnP/PCI.

#### **PC Health Status**

This entry shows your PC health status.

#### **Miscellaneous Control**

Use this menu to specify your settings for Miscellaneous control.

#### **Load Optimized Defaults**

Use this menu to load the BIOS default values that are factory settings for optimal performances system operations.

#### **Load Standard Defaults**

Use this menu to load the BIOS default values for the minimal/stable performance system operation.

#### Set Supervisor/User Password

Use this menu to set User and Supervisor Passwords.

#### Save & Exit Setup

Save CMOS value changes to CMOS and exit setup.

#### **Exit Without Saving**

Abandon all CMOS value changes and exit setup.

## 3-4 Standard CMOS Features

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

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#### Standard CMOS Features

Date (mm:dd:yy) Time (hh:mm:ss)	Tue, <u>Mar</u> , 30 2004 16 : 45 : 35	Item Help
> IDE Primary Master	Press Enter None	
> IDE Primary Slave	Press Enter None	Menu Level >
> IDE Secondary Master	Press Enter None	
> IDE Secondary Slave	Press Enter None	Change the day, month,
Drive A	1.44M, 3.25 in.	year and century
Drive B	None	year and century
Video	EGA/VGA	
Halt On	All,But Keyboard	
Base Memory	640K	
Extended Memory	56320K	
Total Memory	57344K	
(((( Move Enter:Select +/-	-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save ES	C:Exit F1:General Help
F5:Previous Values	F6:Optimized Defaults	F7:Standard Defaults

#### Date

The date format is <day><month><date><year>.

Day Day of the week, from Sun to Sat, determined by BIOS. Read-only.

Month The month from Jan. through Dec.

Date The date from 1 to 31 can be keyed by numeric function keys.

Year The year depends on the year of the BIOS.

#### Time

The time format is <hour><minute><second>.

Primary Master/Primary Slave

Secondary Master/Secondary Slave

Press PgUp/<+> or PgDn/<-> to select Manual, None, Auto type. Note that the specifications of your drive must match with the drive table. The hard disk will not work properly if you enter improper information for this category. If your hard disk drive type is not matched or listed, you can use Manual to define your own drive type manually.

If you select Manual, related information is asked to be entered to the following items. Enter the information directly from the keyboard. This information should be provided in the documentation from your hard disk vendor or the system manufacturer.

If the controller of HDD interface is SCSI, the selection shall be "None".

If the controller of HDD interface is CD-ROM, the selection shall be "None"

Access Mode The settings are Auto Normal, Large, and LBA.

Cylinder number of cylinders
Head number of heads
Precomp write precomp
Landing Zone landing zone

#### Sector number of sectors

#### 3-5 Advanced BIOS Features

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#### **Advanced BIOS Features**

Virus Warning CPU L1 & L2 Cache	Disabled Enabled	Item Help	
		Item Help  Menu Level >	
OS Select for DRAM > 64MB HDD S.M.A.R.T. Capability	Non-OS2 Disabled		
Report No FDD For Windows	Yes		
Video BIOS Shadow	Enabled		
	(((( Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save ESC:Exit F1:General Help F5:Previous Values F6:Optimized Defaults F7:Standard Defaults		

#### Virus Warning

Allows you to choose the VIRUS Warning feature for IDE Hard Disk boot sector protection. If this function is enabled and someone attempt to write data into this area, BIOS will show a warning message on screen and alarm beep.

Disabled (default) No warning message to appear when anything attempts to access

the boot sector or hard disk partition table.

Enabled Activates automatically when the system boots up causing a

warning message to appear when anything attempts to access the

boot sector of hard disk partition table.

#### **CPU Internal Cache**

The default value is Enabled.

Enabled (default) Enable cache **Disabled** Disable cache

Note: The internal cache is built in the processor.

#### **External Cache**

Choose Enabled or Disabled. This option enables the Level 2 cache memory.

#### **CPU L2 Cache**

Choose Enabled or Disabled. This option enables the Level 2 cache memory.

#### **Quick Power On Self-Test**

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

**Enabled** (default) Enable quick POST

**Disabled** Normal POST

#### First/Second/Third/Fourth Boot Device

The BIOS attempts to load the operating system from the devices in the sequence selected in these items. The settings are Floppy, LS/ZIP, HDD-0/HDD-1/HDD-3, SCSI, CDROM, LAD and Disabled.

#### **Boot Up Floppy Seek**

During POST, BIOS will determine if the floppy disk drive installed is 40 or 80 tracks. 360K type is 40 tracks while 760K, 1.2M and 1.44M are all 80 tracks.

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

The default value is On.

**On** (default) Keypad is numeric keys.

**Off** Keypad is arrow keys.

#### **Typematic Rate Setting**

Keystrokes repeat at a rate determined by the keyboard controller. When enabled, the typematic rate and typematic delay can be selected. The settings are: Enabled/Disabled.

#### **Typematic Rate (Chars/Sec)**

Sets the number of times a second to repeat a keystroke when you hold the key down. The settings are: 6, 8, 10, 12, 15, 20, 24, and 30.

#### **Typematic Delay (Msec)**

Sets the delay time after the key is held down before is begins to repeat the keystroke. The settings are 250, 500, 750, and 1000.

#### **Security Option**

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

**System** The system will not boot and access to Setup will be denied if the correct

password is not entered at the prompt.

**Setup** (default) The system will boot, but access to Setup will be denied if the correct

password is not entered prompt.

#### OS Select For DRAM > 64MB

Allows OS2® to be used with >64MB or DRAM. Settings are Non-OS/2 (default) and OS2. Set to OS/2 if using more than 64MB and running OS/2®.

## 3-6 Advanced Chipset Features

The Advanced Chipset Features Setup option is used to change the values of the chipset registers. These registers control most of the system options in the computer.

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Advanced Chipset Features

> DRAM Timing Settings	Press Enter	Item Help
> AGP Timing Settings	Press Enter	rtem nerp
> PCI Timing Settings	Press Enter	
System BIOS Cacheable	Disabled	Menu Level >
Video RAM Cacheable	Disabled	
Memory Hole	Disabled	
$\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$ Move Enter:Select	+/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save	ESC:Exit F1:General Help
F5:Previous Values	F6:Optimized Defaults	F7:Standard Defaults

#### **DRAM Timing Settings**

Please refer to section 3-6-1

#### **AGP Timing Settings**

Please refer to section 3-6-2

#### **PCI Timing Settings**

Please refer to section 3-6-3

#### **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 settings are: Enabled and Disabled.

#### Video RAM Cacheable

Select Enabled allows caching of the video BIOS, resulting in better system performance. However, if any program writes to this memory area, a system error may result. The settings are: Enabled and Disabled.

#### **Memory Hole**

You can reserve this area of system memory for ISA adapter ROM. When this area is reserved, it cannot be cached. The user information of peripherals that need to use this area of system memory usually discusses their memory requirements. The settings are: Enabled and Disabled.

### 3-6-1 DRAM Timing Settings

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DRAM Timing Settings

x x x	System Performance RAS Active Time RAS Precharge Time RAS to CAS Delay DRAM CAS Latency Bank Interleave DRAM Bus Select DRAM Command Rate	Auto By SPD 9T 4T 4T 2.5 Disabled Auto 2T Command	Item Help  Menu Level >>
		+/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save F6:Optimized Defaults	-

#### **RAS Active Time**

This field let's you insert a timing delay between the CAS and RAS strobe signals, used when DRAM is written to, read from, or refreshed. Fast gives faster performance; and Slow gives more stable performance. This field applies only when synchronous DRAM is installed in the system. The settings are: 2T and 3T.

#### **RAS Precharge Time**

If an insufficient number of cycles is allowed for the RAS to accumulate its charge before DRAM refresh, the refresh may be incomplete and the DRAM may fail to retain date. Fast gives faster performance; and Slow gives more stable performance. This field applies only when synchronous DRAM is installed in the system. The settings are: 2T, 3T and 4T.

#### **DRAM CAS Latency**

When synchronous DRAM is installed, the number of clock cycles of CAS latency depends on the DRAM timing. The settings are: 2T and 2.5T.

### 3-6-2 AGP Timing Settings

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AGP Timing Settings

AGP Transfer Aperture Size AGP Transfer Mode	64M 4X	Item Help
AGP Driving Control	Auto	Menu Level >>
* AGP Driving Value	AA	Mend Devel >>
AGP Fast Write	Disabled	
AGP Master 1 WS Write	Enabled	
AGP Master 1 WS Read	Enabled	
CPU to AGP Post Write	Enabled	
AGP Delay Transaction	Enabled	
AGP 3.0 Calibration Cycle	Disabled	
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↑↓→← Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save ESC:Exit F1:General Help F5:Previous Values F6:Optimized Defaults F7:Standard Defaults

Note: Change these settings only if you are familiar with the chipset.

### 3-6-3 PCI Timing Settings

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PCI Timing Settings

	PCI Master 1 WS Write PCI Master 1 WS Read	Disabled Disabled	Item Help
	CPU to CPI Post Write	Enabled	Menu Level >>
	PCI Delay Transaction	Enabled	
	Vlink Mode Selection	Mode 1	
x	Vlink 8X Support	Enabled	
	↑	. / /DU/DD : Walter E10 : Garage	ICC. Fuit F1 . Company 1 Walts
	↓→← Move Enter:Select	+/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save I	SC:Exit FI:General Help
	F5:Previous Values	F6:Optimized Defaults	F7:Standard Defaults

#### **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 settings are: Enabled and Disabled.

## 3-7 Integrated Peripherals

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Integrated Peripherals

> OnChip IDE Function > OnChip Device Function	Press Enter Press Enter	Item Help
> Onboard Super IO Function	Press Enter	Menu Level >
Init Display First	PCI Slot	
$\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$ Move Enter:Select +/-/	PU/PD:Value F10:Save	ESC:Exit F1:General Help
F5:Previous Values F6:	Optimized Defaults	F7:Standard Defaults

#### **OnChip IDE Function**

Please refer to section 3-7-1

#### **OnChip Device Function**

Please refer to section 3-7-2

#### **Onboard Super IO Function**

Please refer to section 3-7-3

#### **Init Display First**

This item allows you to decide to activate whether PCI Slot or AGP VGA first. The settings are: PCI Slot, AGP Slot.

### 3-7-1 OnChip IDE Function

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OnChip IDE Function

OnChip IDE Channel0 OnChip IDE Channel1	Enabled Enabled	Item Help
Primary Master PIO	Auto	Menu Level >>
Primary Slave PIO	Auto	Mend Devel >>
Secondary Master PIO	Auto	
Secondary Slave PIO	Auto	
Primary Master UDMA	Auto	
Primary Slave UDMA	Auto	
Secondary Master UDMA	Auto	
Secondary Slave UDMA	Auto	
IDE Prefetch Mode	Enabled	
IDE HDD Block Mode	Enabled	
↑↓→← Move Enter:Select	+/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save F	ESC:Exit F1:General Help
F5:Previous Values	F6:Optimized Defaults I	F7:Standard Defaults

#### OnChip IDE Channal0/Channel1

The integrated peripheral controller contains an IDE interface with support for two IDE channels. Select *Enabled* to activate each channel separately. The settings are: Enabled and Disabled.

#### Primary/Secondary Master/Slave PIO

The four IDE PIO (Programmed Input/Output) fields let you set a PIO mode (0-4) for each of the four IDE devices that the onboard IDE interface supports. Modes 0 through 4 provide successively increased performance. In Auto mode, the system automatically determines the best mode for each device. The settings are: Auto, Mode 0, Mode 1, Mode 2, Mode 3, Mode 4.

#### Primary/Secondary Master/Slave UDMA

Ultra DMA/33 implementation is possible only if your IDE hard drive supports it and the operating environment includes a DMA driver (Windows 95 OSR2 or a third-party IDE bus master driver). If your hard drive and your system software both support Ultra DMA/33 and Ultra DMA/66, select Auto to enable BIOS support. The settings are: Auto, Disabled.

#### **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 settings are: Enabled, Disabled.

### 3-7-2 OnChip Device Function

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OnChip Device Function

VIA SATA Function VIA LAN Function	Enabled Enabled	Item Help
Current VIA MAC Address is VIA MAC Address Input	003018-XXXXXX Press Enter	Menu Level >>
AC97 Sound Device	Auto	
Game Port Address	201	
Midi Port Address	Disabled	
Midi Port IRQ	10	
USB Host Controller	Enabled	
USB 2.0 Support	Enabled	
USB Keyboard Legacy Support	Disabled	
↑↓→← Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save ESC:Exit F1:General Help		
F5:Previous Values F	6:Optimized Defaults F7:St	andard Defaults

#### **AC97 Sound Device**

This item allows you to decide to enable/disable the chipset family to support AC97 Audio. The settings are: Enabled, Disabled.

#### Game Port Address/Midi Port Address

This will determine which Address the Game Port/Midi Port will use.

#### **USB Host Controller**

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

#### **USB Keyboard Legacy Support**

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

### 3-7-3 Onboard Super IO Function

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Onboard Super IO Function

Onboard FDD Controller	Enabled	Them Wells	
Onboard Serial Port 1	3F8/IRQ4	Item Help	
Onboard Parallel Port	378/IRQ7		
Parallel Mode	SPP	Menu Level >>	
EPP Mode Select	EPP1.7		
ECP Mode Use DMA	3		
↑((( Move Enter:Select +	·/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save ES	C:Exit F1:General Help	
F5:Previous Values	F6:Optimized Defaults	F7:Standard Defaults	

#### Onboard FDD Controller

Select Enabled if your system has a floppy disk controller (FDD) installed on the system board and you wish to use it. If you install add-on FDC or the system has no floppy drive, select Disabled in this field. The settings are: Enabled and Disabled.

#### Onboard Serial Port 1/Port 2

Select an address and corresponding interrupt for the first and the second serial ports. The settings are: 3F8/IRQ4, 2E8/IRQ3, 3E8/IRQ4, 2F8/IRQ3, Disabled, Auto.

#### **UART2 Mode**

This item allows you to determine which InfraRed(IR) function of the onboard I/O chip, this functions uses.

#### Onboard Parallel Port

There is a built-in parallel port on the on-board Super I/O chipset that Provides Standard, ECP, and EPP features. It has the following option:

#### Disabled

(3BCH/IRQ7)/ Line Printer port 0 (278H/IRQ5)/ Line Printer port 2 (378H/IRQ7) Line Printer port 1

#### Parallel Port Mode

SPP: Standard Parallel Port
EPP: Enhanced Parallel Port
ECP: Extended Capability Port
SPP/EPP/ECP/ECP+EPP

To operate the onboard parallel port as Standard Parallel Port only, choose "SPP." To operate the onboard parallel port in the EPP modes simultaneously, choose "EPP." By choosing "ECP", the onboard parallel port will operate in ECP mode only. Choosing "ECP+EPP" will allow the onboard parallel port to support both the ECP and EPP modes simultaneously. The ECP mode has to use the DMA channel, so choose the onboard parallel port with the ECP feature. After selecting it, the following message will appear: "ECP Mode Use DMA" at this time, the user can choose between DMA channels 3 to 1. The onboard parallel port is EPP Spec. compliant, so after the user chooses the onboard parallel port with the EPP function, the following message will be displayed on the screen: "EPP Mode Select." At this time either EPP 1.7 spec. or EPP 1.9 spec. can be chosen.

#### 3-8 Power Management Setup

The Power Management Setup allows you to configure your system to most effectively save energy saving while operating in a manner consistent with your own style of computer use.

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ACPI Function ACPI Support Type	Enabled	Item Help
S1(POS),S3(STR)		
Video Off Option	Suspend -> off	Menu Level >
Video off Method	V/H SYNC+Blank	
MODEM Use IRQ	3	
Power Button Function	Instant-Off	
State After Power Failure	Auto	
> Wake Up Events	Press Enter	
(((( Move Enter:Select +/-	/PU/PD:Value F10:Save ES	SC:Exit F1:General Help
F5:Previous Values	F6:Optimized Defaults	F7:Standard Defaults

#### **ACPI Function**

This item allows you to Enabled/Disabled the Advanced Configuration and Power Management (ACPI). The settings are Enabled and Disabled.

#### **Video Off Option**

This determines the manner in which the monitor is blanked. The choice are Suspend  $\rightarrow$  off, All Modes  $\rightarrow$  Off, and Always On.

#### Video Off Method

This determines the manner in which the monitor is blanked.

DPMS (default) Initial display power management signaling.Blank Screen This option only writes blanks to the video buffer.

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.

#### **Modem Use IRQ**

This determines the IRQ in which the MODEM can use.

The settings are: 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 10, 11, NA.

#### **Power Button Function**

Pressing the power button for more than 4 seconds forces the system to enter the Soft-Off state.

The settings are: Delay 4 Sec, Instant-Off.

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

This item allows the system power ON/OFF automatic when power loss and recovery again, you

can choose Auto for recovery pre-state, or always ON/OFF after power recovery.

#### Wake Up Events

Please refer to section 3-8-1

#### 3-8-1 Wake up Events

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Wake Up Events

	•	
VGA	OFF	Th W. 1
LPT & COM	LPT/COM	Item Help
HDD & FDD	ON	Menu Level >>
PCI Master	OFF	Menu Level //
Wake-Up on Ring/LAN	Disabled	
Wake-Up on PCI PME	Disabled	
PS2 KB Wakeup Selection	Hot Key	
Wake-Up on Hot Key (PS KB)	Disabled	
Wake-Up on RTC Alarm	Disabled	
x Date of Month Alarm	0	
x Time (hh:mm:ss) Alarm	0 : 0 : 0	
> IRQs Activities	Press Enter	
(((( Move Enter:Select +/-/	PU/PD:Value F10:Save ES	SC:Exit F1:General Help
F5:Previous Values	F6:Optimized Defaults	F7:Standard Defaults

#### Wake Up On Ring/PME

During Disabled, the system will ignore any incoming call from the modem. During Enabled, the system will boot up if there's an incoming call from the modem.

#### Wake-Up on RTC Alarm

This function is for setting date and time for your computer to boot up. During Disabled, you cannot use this function. During Enabled, choose the Date and Time Alarm:

Date(of month) Alarm

You can choose which month the system will boot up. Set to 0, to boot every day.

Time(hh:mm:ss) Alarm

You can choose what hour, minute and second the system will boot up.

#### **IRQs Activities**

Please refer to section 3-8-1.1

#### 3-8-1.1 IRQs Activities

CMOS Setup Utility – Copyright(C) 1984-2004 Award Software IRQs Activities

Primary INTR	ON	
IRQ3 (COM 2)	Enabled	Item Help

IRQ4 IRQ5 IRQ6	(COM 1) (LPT 2) (Floppy Disk)	Enabled Enabled Enabled	Menu Level >>>
IRQ7 (I	PT 1)	Enabled	
IRQ8	(RTC Alarm)	Disabled	
IRQ9	(IRQ2 Redir)	Disabled	
IRQ10	(Reserved)	Disabled	
IRQ11	(Reserved)	Disabled	
IRQ12	(PS/2 Mouse)	Enabled	
IRQ13	(Coprocessor)	Disabled	
IRQ14		Enabled	
IRQ15	(Reserved)	Disabled	
↑↓→← M	Nove Enter:Select	+/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save F	SC:Exit F1:General Help
F5:	Previous Values	F6:Optimized Defaults E	7:Standard Defaults

## 3-9 PnP/ PCI Configuration Setup

This section describes configuring the PCI bus system. PCI, or Personal Computer Interconnect, is a system which allows I/O devices to operate at speeds nearing the speed the CPU itself uses when communicating with its own special components. This section covers some very technical items and it is strongly recommended that only experienced users should make any changes to the default settings.

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PnP/PCI Configurations

PnP OS Installed Reset Configuration Data	No Disabled	Item Help
Resources Controlled By x IRQ Resources	Manual Press Enter	Menu Level >
PCI/VGA Palette Snoop	Disabled	
↑↓→← Move Enter:Select +/	/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save F	ESC:Exit F1:General Help
F5:Previous Values	F6:Optimized Defaults 1	F7:Standard Defaults

#### **Reset Configuration Data**

Normally, you leave this field Disabled. Select Enabled to reset Extended System Configuration Data (ESCD) when you exit Setup if you have installed a new add-on and the system reconfiguration has caused such a serious conflict that the operating system can not boot. The settings are: Enabled and Disabled.

#### **Resource Controlled By**

The Award Plug and Play BIOS has the capacity to automatically configure all of the boot and Plug and Play compatible devices. However, this capability means absolutely nothing unless you are using a Plug and Play operating system such as Windows(95/98. If you set this field to "manual" choose specific resources by going into each of the sub menu that follows this field (a

sub menu is preceded by a ">").

The settings are: Auto(ESCD), Manual.

#### **IRQ** Resources

When resources are controlled manually, assign each system interrupt a type, depending on the type of device using the interrupt.

Please refer to section 3-9-1

#### **PCI/VGA Palette Snoop**

Leave this field at Disabled. The settings are Enabled, Disabled.

#### 3-9-1 IRQ Resources

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TRO	Resources
TVO	vesources

		**	
IRQ3	assigned to	PCI Device	_
IRQ4	assigned to	PCI Device	Item Help
IRQ5	assigned to	PCI Device	Menu Level >>
IRQ7	assigned to	PCI Device	Menu Level //
IRQ9	assigned to	PCI Device	
IRQ10	assigned to	PCI Device	
IRQ11	assigned to	PCI Device	
IRQ12	assigned to	PCI Device	
IRQ14	assigned to	PCI Device	
IRQ15	assigned to	PCI Device	
$\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$	- Move Enter:Select	+/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save	ESC:Exit F1:General Help
	F5:Previous Values	F6:Optimized Defaults	F7:Standard Defaults

## 3-10 PC Health Status

This section shows the Status of you CPU, Fan, Warning for overall system status. This is only available if there is Hardware Monitor onboard.

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PC Health Status

Shutdown Temperature Show PCHealth in POST	Disabled Enabled	Item Help
Current System Temperature	25°C	Menu Level >
Current CPU Temperature	38°C	
Magic Duct Temperature Magic Duct Fan Speed		
CPUFAN	5000 rpm	
SYSFAN	5000 rpm	
Vcore	1.78V	
AGP1.5		
VDIMM		
+12V	12.22V	
VCC (V)		
VBAT (V)	3.21V	
5VSB (V)	5.02V	
$\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$ Move Enter:Select +	/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save	ESC:Exit F1:General Help
F5:Previous Values	F6:Optimized Defaults	F7:Standard Defaults

#### **Shutdown Temperature**

This item can let users setting the Shutdown temperature, when CPU temperature over this setting the system will auto shutdown to protect CPU.

#### **Show PC Health in Post**

During Enabled, it displays information list below. The choice is either Enabled or Disabled.

## Current CPU Temperature/Current System Temperature/Current FAN1, FAN2 Speed/Vcore/3.3V/+5V/+12V/-12V/VBAT(V)/5VSB(V)

This will show the CPU/FAN/System voltage chart and FAN Speed.

## 3-11 Miscellaneous Control

This section is for setting CPU Frequency/Voltage Control.

CMOS Setup Utility - Copyright(C) 1984-2004 Award Software
Miscellaneous Control

CPU Clock Ratio	8x	Item Help
Auto Detect DIMM/PCI Clock	Enabled	-
Spread Spectrum	Disabled	Menu Level >
** Current Host Clock is 100/	33MHz **	
Host/PCI Clock at Next Boot	100/33MHz	
** Current DRAM Clock is 133M	Hz **	
DRAM Clock at next Boot	133MHz (By SPD)	
VAGP Output	1.6V(Default)	
VRAM Output	2.65V(Default)	
Chipset 2.5V	2.50V(Default)	
VAGP LUV Protect	Enabled	
VRAM LUV Protect	Enabled	
Dual3.3V LUV Protect	Disabled	
$\uparrow\downarrow\rightarrow\leftarrow$ Move Enter:Select +/-	/PU/PD:Value F10:Save 1	ESC:Exit F1:General Help
F5:Previous Values F6	6:Optimized Defaults	F7:Standard Defaults

#### **Auto Detect PCI/DIMM Clock**

This item allows you to enable/disable auto detect PCI/DIMM Clock.

#### **Spread Spectrum**

This item allows you to set the CPU Host/PCI clock and Spread Spectrum.

The settings are: Enabled, Disabled.

#### Host Clock at next Boot is

This item allows you to select CPU frequency step by step increasing

The choice are: 100MHz~132MHz, 133MHz~165MHz, 166MHz~255MHz.

#### **DRAM Clock at next Boot is**

This field displays the capability of the memory modules that you can use

The choice is either 100MHz or 133MHz or 166MHz or 200MHz.

#### **VAGP Output**

This item allows you to select 1.5V of the AGP 4X/8X VGA card. The choice are: 1.5V, 1.6V.

#### **VRAM Output**

This item allows you to select 2.5V of the DDR Module. The choice are: 2.5V, 2.6V, 2.7V, 2.8V.

## 3-12 Load Standard/Optimized Defaults

#### **Load Standard Defaults**

When you press <Enter> on this item, you get confirmation dialog box with a message similar to:

Load Standard Defaults (Y/N)? N

Pressing <Y> loads the BIOS default values for the most stable, minimal-performance system operations.

#### **Load Optimized Defaults**

When you press <Enter> on this item, you get a confirmation dialog box with a message similar to:

Load Optimized Defaults (Y/N)? N

Pressing <Y> loads the default values that are factory settings for optimal performance system operations.

## 3-13 Set Supervisor/User Password

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

**Supervisor password:** Can enter and change the options of the setup menus.

**User password:** Can only enter but do not have the right to change the options of the

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

password.

#### **ENTER PASSWORD:**

Type the password, up to eight characters in length, and press <Enter>. The password typed now will clear any previously entered password from CMOS memory. You will be asked to confirm the password. Type the password again and press <Enter>. You may also press <Esc> to abort the selection and not enter a password.

To disable a password, just press <Enter> when you are prompted to enter the password. A message will confirm that the password will be disabled. Once the password is disabled, the system will boot and you can enter Setup freely.

#### PASSWORD DISABLED.

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

configuration.

Additionally, when a password is enabled, you can also require the BIOS to request a password every time your system is rebooted. This would prevent unauthorized use of your computer. You determine when the password is required within the BIOS Features Setup Menu and its Security option. If the Security option is set to "System", the password will be required both at boot and at entry to Setup. If set to "Setup", prompting only occurs when trying to enter Setup.

## **Chapter 4**

#### **DRIVER & FREE PROGRAM INSTALLATION**

Check your package and there is A MAGIC INSTALL CD included. This CD consists of all DRIVERS you need and some free application programs and utility programs. In addition, this CD also include an auto detect software which can tell you which hardware is installed, and which DRIVERS needed so that your system can function properly. We call this auto detect software MAGIC INSTALL.

## MAGIC INSTALL supports WINDOWS 9X/NT/2K/XP

Insert CD into your CD-ROM drive and the MAGIC INSTALL Menu should appear as below. If the menu does not appear, double-click MY COMPUTER / double-click CD-ROM drive or click START / click RUN / type X:\SETUP.EXE (assuming X is your CD-ROM drive).



#### From MAGIC INSTALL MENU you may make 10 selections:

1.	VIA 4 IN 1	install VIA Service Pack 4 IN 1 driver

2. SOUND install AC97 Audio Codec Installing driver

3. LAN install VIA LAN Controller driver

4. USB2.0 install USB 2.0 driver

5. SATA install VIA Serial ATA driver

6. PC-CILLIN install PC-CILLIN2004 anti-virus program

7. PC-HEALTH install Winbond PC-HEALTH hardware monitor Software

MBIOS&DX9 install BIOS Live Update Utility & Microsoft DirectX 9 driver

9 BROWSE CD to browse the contents of the CD

10. EXIT to exit from MAGIC INSTALL menu

## 4-1 VIA 4IN1 Install VIA Service Pack 4 IN 1 Driver

The path of the file is X:\VIA\DRIVER\SETUP.EXE

IDE: VIA ATAPI VENDOR SUPPORT DRIVER IS USED TO FIXED COMPATIBILITY

ISSUE FOR IDE DEVICES

**AGPVXD:** VIA AGPVXD DRIVER IS TO BE INSTALLED, IF YOU ARE USING AN AGP

> VGA CARD, VIAGART.VXD WILL PROVIDE SERVICE ROUTINES TO YOUR VGA DRIVER AND INTERFACE DIRECTLY TO HARDWARE, PROVIDING

FAST GRAPHIC ACCESS

IRQ ROUTING: VIA PCI IRQ MINIPORT DRIVER IS TO BE INSTALLED UNDER WIN98

ONLY, IT WILL FIX PCI IRQ ROUTING SEQUENCE

INF: VIA REGISTRY DRIVER IS TO BE INSTALLED UNDER WINDOWS

THE DRIVER WILL ENABLE VIA POWER MANAGERMENT CONTROLLER



Click IDE when MAGIC INSTALL MENU appears



3. This is to announce the Copy Write, click Yes 4. Click NEXT to choose all driver



2. Click NEXT when VIA Service Pack Wizard appears





5. Click NEXT to Install ATAPI Vender Support 6. Click NEXT to choose enabled DMA Mode Driver



7. Click NEXT to Install VIA AGP VXD Driver 8. Click NEXT to Install VIA IRQ Routing Mini



9. Click Finish to restart computer





port Driver

#### install VIA AC97' Codec Audio Driver SOUND



1. Click SOUND when MAGIC INSTALL MENU appears



2. Then auto detect operation system language edition, click OK, start to install DRIVER



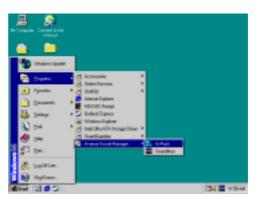
3. Click Finish and Restart Windows



5. Sound Effect select and KaraOK Mode Function



7. 2/4/6 channel speaker configuration setting



4. Click Start→Program→Avance Sound
Manager→AvRack. Then AVRACK Windows
appears



6. Manual Sound Effect Setting



8. 6 channel speaker place test

Note: The path of the file

For WIN98/NT4.0/WIN2K/XP is X:\CODEC\ALC\SETUP.EXE

Note: In Win2K/WinME users have to click Control Panel\System\Device Manager\

DVD\CD-ROM drives to Enabled digital CD Audio for the CD-ROM Device when use

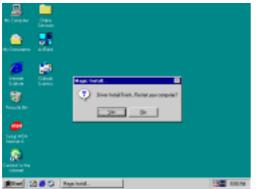
the SPDIF-Out digital signal.

## 4-3 LAN Install VIA LAN Controller Driver

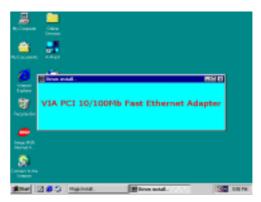
The VIA 10/100Mb PCI Ethernet Adapter Driver path is X:\VIA\LANDRV



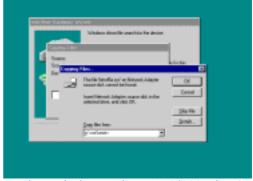
1. Click LAN when Magic Install Menu appear 2.



3. Driver install Finish, Click Yes and Restart Computer



2. Setup VIA 10/100Mb PCI Ethernet Driver



4. When windows ask VIA 10/100Mb PCI Ethernet Adapter driver path, Change directory to X:\VIA\LANDRV and click OK, then finish installation

## 4-4 PC-HEALTH Winbond Hardware Doctor Monitoring Software

# The path of the file is X:\VIA\HEALTH-W\SETUP.EXE (Only support WINDOWS 95/98/98SE/ME)

In Windows 95/98 Winbond Hardware Doctor Monitoring Software needs some system files to copy in Utility that's why it needs install PC-HEALTH twice to complete setup.



1. Click PC-Health when Magic Install Menu appears



2. Click OK when Winbond Hardware Doctor Setup Window appears



3. Click the Button to start installation



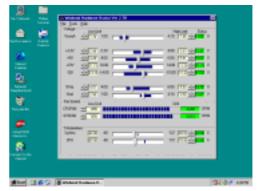
Click Program → Winbond Hardware Doctor 6.
 → Hardware Doctor the Winbond Hardware Doctor will appears

You can remove the Utility in Control Panel

→ Add/Remove Program icon



4. Select Program Group name or enter a new group name, click continue to setup and click OK after setup complete



5. After executing Winbond Hardware Doctor it supports system voltage, Fan speed and CPU/SYSTEM Temperature. Because this is a On-time Monitoring program therefore the value will change after it detected, if the value is over default setting the system will have warning picture and beeps

## 4-5 MAGIC BIOS Install BIOS Live Update Utility



1. Click Magic BIOS when Magic Install MENU appears



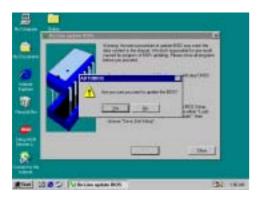
Click Next to install the Magic BIOS in Destination Folder



3. After finish Setup you will have a Magic BIOS icon in your screen



5. When On-line update BIOS the program will 6. auto-check your BIOS version



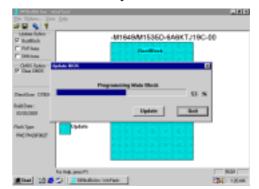
7. Click Yes if you want to update the BIOS otherwise choose No to exit



4. Double click the Magic BIOS icon you will have this picture, choose from internet you can upgrade BIOS On-line



6. Click Next if you need update BIOS, after upgrade BIOS, the system will clear CMOS and automatically restart



8. When System programming BIOS don't turn off power, after finish update BIOS, the system will clear CMOS and automatically Restart



9. When choose From Local Driver to update BIOS, you must have the correct BIOS file in your Local Driver

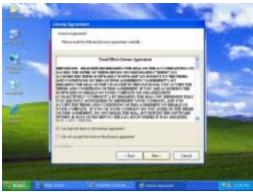


10. Choose the correct BIOS file to update BIOS

## 4-6 PC-CILLIN Install PC-CILLIN 2004 Anti-virus program



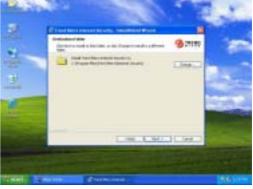
 Click PC-CILLIN when MAGIC INSTALL MENU appear



3. This is license agreement, select "I Accept the 4. terms" and Click NEXT



2. Click NEXT when the "Trend Micro internet security" installshield wizard windows appear



Click NEXT and Enter your Customer Information, Click NEXT or choose Change to change the path for the file to be stored





5. Click INSTALL, Start to install the software 6. Setup Complete and click FINISH



After PC-CILLIN 2004 complete, Please register your information and we recommend select update item to download newest engine code and virus code

Note: Please install ACROBAT READER, Before you read PC-CILLIN 2004 User Manual, the path at X:\acrobat\adberdr6 enu full.exe

#### **USB2.0 Install VIA USB2.0 DEVICE DRIVER** 4-7



Click USB2.0 when MAGIC INSTALL MENU Appear



2. When USB2.0 Setup Program Appear, Click **NEXT** 

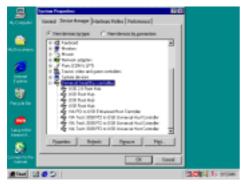
Note: Please Install Microsoft Service Pack 1 in Windows XP OS Before you Install VIA USB2.0 Device Driver.



3. Select Install USB Driver and Click NEXT



4. Select FINISH and Restart your Computer



5. Check device working properly in Device Manager

The Path of the file is X:\VIA\VIAUSB20\SETUP.EXE

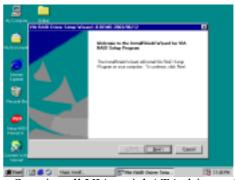
## 4-8 SATA Install VIA Serial ATA



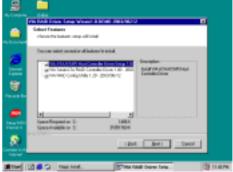
1. Click SATA when MAGIC INSTALL MENU 2. appears



3. When license agreement appear, choose I



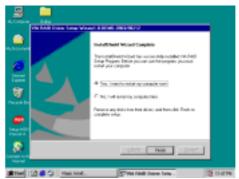
Start install VIA serial ATA driver, then click NEXT



4. Select you want to install driver

agree and click NEXT





5. Review install driver and utility component, then click NEXT

6. Click FINISH and restart your computer

#### Making SATA HDD driver diskette before Install WindowsXP/2000

If you only have Serial ATA HDDs on your system, before you install the Windows XP or Windows 2000, you will need to make a SATA HDD driver diskette before you start to install the Operating System.

#### How to make a SATA HDD driver diskette?

STEP 1: Insert the diskette which been formatted in floppy drive on a system which can start OS.

STEP 2: After booting OS insert the bundle CD in your CD-ROM

STEP 3: Copy all the files from \VIA\VIASATA\DriverDisk to floppy diskette

Once you have the SATA driver diskette ready, you may start to install Windows XP or Windows 2000 on your System.

#### Installation of Windows XP/ Windows 2000

For installation of Windows XP or Windows 2000, please insert Windows XP or Windows 2000 CD into the CD-ROM drive. Then remove the floppy diskette, and boot the system. At the very beginning, you will see the message at the bottom of screen, "Press F6 if you need to install a third party SCSI or RAID driver...."

At this moment, please press <F6> key and follow the instructions of Windows XP or Windows 2000 for the proper installation.

## 4-9 HOW TO DISABLE ON-BOARD SOUND

Enter BIOS SETUP choose INTEGRATE PERIPHERALS choose ON-CHIP DEVICE FUNCTION choose AC97 SOUND DEVICE

Disable on-board sound function by press PAGE DOWN KEY to Disable

## 4-10 HOW TO UPDATE BIOS

**Method 1.** Use "Magic BIOS" update BIOS in Windows 98 (refer page 43)

**Method 2.** In DOS Mode

**STEP 1.** Prepare a boot disc. (you may make one by click START click RUN type SYS A: click OK)

**STEP 2.** Copy utility program to your boot disc. You may copy from DRIVER CD X:\FLASH\AWDFLASH.EXE or download from our web site.

**STEP 3.** Copy latest BIOS for PT880DAS from our web site to your boot disc.

**STEP 4.** Insert your boot disc into A:,

start the computer, type "Awdflash A:\ PT880DASAxxx.BIN /SN/PY/CC/R" PT880DASAxxx.BIN is the file name of latest BIOS it can be PT880DASA3.BIN or PT880DASB2.BIN

SN means don't save existing BIOS data
PY means renew existing BIOS data
CC means clear existing CMOS data
R means restart computer

**STEP 5.** Push ENTER and the BIOS will be updated, computer will be restarted automatically.