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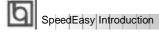
SpeedEasy Quick Setup

Procedures:

- 1. Correctly insert the Pentium[®]II or Intel[®] Celeron[™] processor.
- 2. Plug in other configurations and restore the system.
- 3. Switch on power to the system and press the key to enter BIOS Setup.
- 4. Enter "SpeedEasy CPU SETUP" menu to set up the CPU speed.

Note: If you do not set the CPU speed, your system will run at the default setting (200MHz for processor with 100MHz host bus speed, 133MHz for processor with 66MHz host bus speed.).

5. Save and exit BIOS Setup, your system will now boot successfully.



SpeedEasy CPU Setup Menu

Select <SpeedEasy CPU SETUP> item from the main menu and enter the sub-menu:

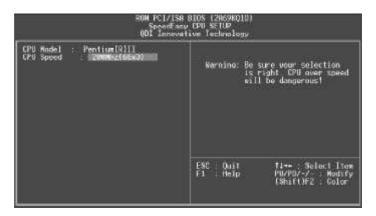


Figure - 1 SpeedEasy CPU Setup Menu

BIOS provides you with a set of basic values for your processor selection instead of the jumper settings. The processor speed can be manually selected on the "SpeedEasy CPU SETUP" menu screen.



Dot not set CPU frequency higher than its working frequency. If you do, we will not be responsible for any damage caused.



Schnell-Installation durch SpeedEasy

Vorgehensweise der Installation:

- 11. Legen sie die Pentium®II/ Intel® Celeron™ im Slot 1 mit Hilfe der mitgelieferten halterung.
- 2. Vervollständigen Sie das System mit den weiteren erforderlichen Coputerkomponenten
- Drücken Sie die Taste < Entf > und schalten Sie das System an um das BIOS-setup zu gelangen.
- Steigen Sie in das Menü "SpeedEasy CPU SETUP" ein, um die Geschwindigkeit einzustellen.

ACHTUNG:Falls Sie die Taktfrequenz der CPU nicht setzen, arbeitet Ihr System mit den Standardwerten für die CPU. (200MHz für den CPU mit 100MHz Host Bus Speed, 133MHz für den CPU mit 66MHz Host Bus Speed).

5. Speichern Sie die Einstellungen und verlassen Sie das BIOS, um die auvor eingestellte Taktfrequenz zu aktivieren.



SpeedEasy CPU Installationsmenü

Wählen Sie < SpeedEasy CPU SETUP> aus dem Hauptmenü und öffnen Sie das untergeordnete Menü



Abb. 1 SpeedEasy CPU Installationsmenü

Das BIOS stellt Ihnen eine Reihe von Grundeinstellungen für Ihren CPU zur Verfügung, anstelle von "jumper setting". Sie können manuell die Geschwindigkeit des CPU innerhalb des "SpeedEasy CPU SETUP" einstellen



Bitte Setzen Sie die Taktfrequenz dor CPU nicht höber als die tats‰hliche freigegebene Taktfrequenz, ansonsten Kann QDI für rechtliche Anspruche nicht herangezogen werden.



SpeedEasy Instalación rápida

Procedimiento:

- Introduzca correctamente el Pentium®II/ Intel[®] Celeron™
- 2. Finalize el proceso de ensamblaje de su equipo.
- 3. Presione la tecla <Supr> y encienda el sistema, para entrar en BIOS.
- 4. Entre al menu "SpeedEasy CPU SETUP" para establecer la velocidad de su CPU.

Nota: Si no establece la velocidad del CPU, su sistema funcionará a la velocidad minima por defecto (200MHz para CPU con velocidad de bus de 100MHz, 133MHz para CPU con velocidad de bus de 66MHz)

5. Salve y salga de BIOS, luego su sistema arrancará a la velocidad por Ud. seleccionada.



Menu del SpeedEasy CPU

Seleccione el item <SpeedEasy CPU SETUP> desde el menu principal, y entre en el submenu:

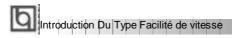


Figura-1 Menu del CPU SpeedEasy

BIOS le proporcionará unos valores básicos para la elección de su CPU, en vez de tener que configurar jumpers. Ud. puede seleccionar manulmente la velocidad de CPU en el menu "SpeedEasy CPU SETUP".



No es recommendable seleccionar una frecuencia de trabajo super• or a la cual esta dise¤ada su CPU. De otra manera, no seremos responsables de los da¤os que esto pudiera ocasionar.



Menu d'initialisation de "SpeedEasy" dans l'unité centrale.

 $Soldsymbol{\check{S}}$ lectionnez la rubrique <SpeedEasy CPU SETUP> dans le menu principal et entrez le sous-menu:

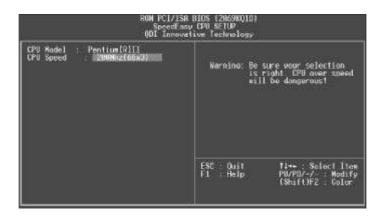


Figure-1 Menu d' nitialisation de "SpeedEasy" dans l' unité centrale

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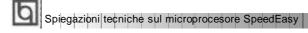
- Inserite il microprocessore Pentium®I/ Intel® Celeron™ come da istruzioni.
- 2. Modificate la configurazione del computer e ripristinate il sistema.
- 3. Premete il tasto e accendete il computer per entrare nel setup BIOS.
- **4.** Entrate nel menu "SpeedEasy CPU* SETUP" per regolare la velocit..del microprocessore. ¹

Nota: se non regolate la velocità del microprocessore, il sistema funzionerà con le regolazioni standard (Microprocessore da 200MHz con velocità di "host bus" da 100MHz e microprocessore da 133MHz con velocità di "host bus" da 66MHz).

5. Salvate e uscite dal Setup BIOS, e fate ripartire il computer.

*CPU= microprocessore





Menu del Setup del Microprocessore SpeedEasy

Selezionare <SpeedEasy CPU SETUP> dal menu principale ed entrare nel seguente sottomenu:



Figure -1 Menu del Setup del Microprocessore SpeedEasy

I1 sistema BIOS Vi forniràuna serie di valori base per la selezione del microprocessore al posto della regolazione jumper (dell' accoppiamento). Potete selezionare manualmente la velocità del microprocessore sulla schermata "SpeedEasy CPU SETUP".



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Chapter 1 Introduction

Overview

The ZillioX 5 is a high-performance, cost-effective, microATX motherboard which is centered on the Intel®440ZX AGPset. It provides 66MHz and 100MHz system bus support for Intel Pentium®II and Celeron™ processors. Both 66MHz/100MHz SDRAM and 66MHz EDO DIMMs are supported. The maximum memory size is 512MB. It also provides advanced features such as wake-up on LAN, wake-up on internal/external modem, and keyboard password power-on function. The green function is in compliance with the ACPI specification. ManageEasy, our system management application is supplied to enable remote monitoring and configuration of the system. Together with the SecurityEasy function and integrated Creative ViBRA™16XV CT2511 ISA audio, you get a powerful state-of-the-art system.

Key Features

Form factor

- microATX form factor of 244mm x 200mm.
- Provides backward compatibility with standard ATX 2.01 chassis for easy integration.

Microprocessor

- Supports all Intel Pentium®II processors at 233/266/300/333MHz with 66MHz bus speed and at 350/400/450MHz with 100MHz bus speed.
- Supports Intel®Celeron™ processors at 266/300/333 MHz with 66MHz bus speed.
- Supports 66MHz and 100MHz host bus speed.
- CPU core frequency = Bus speed x3, x3.5, x4, x4.5, x5, x5.5
- CPU core supply voltage adjustable from 1.3V to 2.05V through on- board switching voltage regulator with VID(Voltage ID).

Chipset

• Intel®440ZX AGPset: 82443ZX, 82371EB (PIIX4E).

System memory

- Provides two 168 pin 3.3V unbuffered DIMM sockets.
- Supports both 66MHz/100MHz SDRAM and 66MHz EDO DIMMs.
- Minimum memory size is 8MB, maximum memory size is 512MB.



On-board IDE

- Supports two PCI PIO and bus Master IDE ports.
- Supports up to Mode 4 Timing.
- Supports 2 Fast IDE interfaces for up to 4 IDE devices including IDE hard disks and CD ROM drives.
- Supports "Ultra DMA/33" Synchronous DMA mode transferring up to 33 Mbytes/sec.
- Integrated 16x32bit buffer for IDE PCI Burst Transfers.

On-board I/O

- Uses Winbond W83977EF super I/O chip.
- One floppy port supporting up to two 3.5" or 5.25" floppy drives with 360K/720K/1.2M/1.44M/2.88M format.
- Two high speed 16550 fast compatible UARTs(COM1/COM2/COM3/COM4 selective) with 16-byte send/receive FIFOs, supporting MIDI mode.
- One enabled parallel port at the I/O address 378H/278H/3BCH with additional bi-direction I/O capability and multi-mode as SPP/EPP/ECP (IEEE 1284 compliant).
- Circuit protection provided, preventing damage to the parallel port when a connected printer is powered up or operates at a higher voltage.
- Supports LS-120 floppy disk drive.
- All I/O ports can be enabled/disabled in the BIOS setup.

On-board Audio

- Based on the Creative ViBRA™16XV CT2511 sound chip.
- Compatible with Sound Blaster™Sound Blaster Pro™and Windows Sound System™
- Supports Software-based Wavetable Synthesizer.
- Stereo Enhancement Support.
- Provides on-board Line-in Jack, Microphone-in Jack, speaker/Line-out Jack and MIDI/ Joystick Connector.

Advanced features

- Provides Trend ChipAwayVirus®On Guard.
- Provides on-board PS/2 mouse and PS/2 keyboard ports.
- Two USB ports supported.
- Provides infrared interface.
- Supports Windows 95/98 software power-down.



- Supports external modem ring power-on.
- Supports wake-up on LAN and wake-up on internal modem.
- Supports auto fan off when the system enters suspend mode.
- On-board W83782D supports system monitoring (monitors the CPU & system temperature, system voltages, chassis intrusion and FAN speed) (manufacturing option).
- Provides management application such as ManageEasy, and LDCM(LANDesk Client Manager). (manufacturing option)
- Supports keyboard password power-on function.
- Supports SecurityEasy function. (manufacturing option)
- System status resumes after AC power failure.

BIOS

- Licensed advanced AWARD BIOS, supports DIP flash ROM BIOS with 2MB memory size, plug and play ready.
- Supports IDE CD-ROM or SCSI boot up.

Green function

- Supports ACPI (Advanced Configuration and Power Interface) and ODPM (OS Directed Power Management).
- Supports three green modes: Doze, Standby and Suspend.

Expansion slots

- 2 PCI slots and 1 ISA/PCI shared slot.
- 1 AGP Slot



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Chapter 2

Installation Instructions

This section covers External Connectors, Jumper Settings, and Memory Configuration. Refer to the motherboard layout chart for locations of all the jumpers, external connectors, slots and I/O ports. Furthermore, this section lists all necessary connector pins assignment for your reference. The particular state of the jumpers, connectors and ports are illustrated in the following figures. Before setting the jumpers or inserting these connectors, please pay attention to the directions.

External Connectors

PS/2 Keyboard Connector, PS/2 Mouse Connector

PS/2 keyboard connector is for the usage of PS/2 keyboard. If you choose to use a standard AT size keyboard, an adapter should be used to fit this connector. PS/2 mouse connector is for the usage of PS/2 mouse.



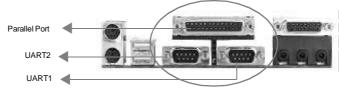
USB1, USB2

Two USB ports are available for connecting USB devices.



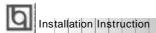
Parallel Port Connector and Serial Port Connector (UART1, UART2)

The parallel port connector can be connected to a parallel device such as a printer, while the serial port connectors can be connected to serial port devices such as a serial port mouse. You can enable/disable them and choose the IRQ or I/O address in "Integrated Peripherals" from AWARD BIOS SETUP.



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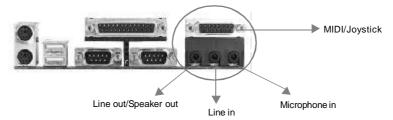
Line-in jack, Microphone-in jack and Line/Speaker-out jack MIDI/Joystick Connector

The Line-in jack can be connected to devices such as a cassette or Minidisc player for playback or recording.

The Microphone-in jack can be connected to a microphone for voice input.

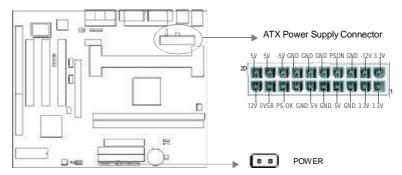
The Line/Speaker-out jack is controlled by the jumper JP10 & JP11 (refer to <u>Jumper Settings</u> below for details). If set as Line out, this allows you to bypass the built-in power amplifier to connect powered speakers or an external amplifier for audio output. If set as Speaker out, this allows you to connect speakers or headphones for audio output from the internal amplifier.

The MIDI/Joystick connector allows you to connect a game joystick or a MIDI device.



ATX Power Supply Connector & Power Switch (POWER)

ATX/SFX power supply can both be used on this system. Be sure to connect the power supply plug to this connector in its proper orientation. The power switch (POWER) should be connected to a momentary switch. When powering up your system, first turn on the mechanical switch of the power supply if one is provided, then push once the button of the momentary switch. When powering off the system, you needn't turn off the mechanical switch, just *Push once** the button of the momentary switch.



Note: * If you change "soft-off by PWR-BTTN" from default "Instant-off" to "Delay 4 Secs" in the "POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP" section of the BIOS, the power button should be pressed for more than 4 seconds before the system powers down.



Hard Disk LED Connector (HD_LED)

The connects to the case's IDE indicator LED to show the activity status of IDE hard disk.

Reset Switch (RESET)

The connector connects to the case's reset switch. Press the switch once, the system resets

Speaker Connector (SPEAKER)

The connector can be connected to the speaker on the case.

Power LED Connector (PWR_LED)

The power LED has three status. When no AC power supply is present, the LED is off. When the system is in soft power-down status, the LED glows dimly. When the system is powered up, the LED is on.

Key-Lock Connector (KEY L)

The connector can be connected to the keyboard lock switch on the cabinet for locking the keyboard.

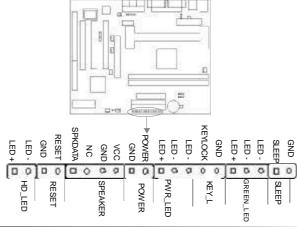
Green LED Connector (GREEN LED)

The LED connected to this header shows the status of the system as described below:

LED Status	System Status
Off On Flashing at a frequency of about 1.5Hz Flashing at a frequency of about 0.5Hz Flashing at a frequency of about 1/6Hz	No AC power supply is present. Power-up status. Soft power-down status. Green Mode. Lock status.

Hardware Green Connector (SLEEP)

If the SecurityEasy function is enabled, push once the switch connected to this header and the system will enter lock status. If the lock function is disabled, push once the switch, the system enters suspend mode.

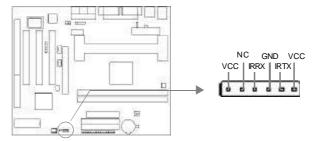


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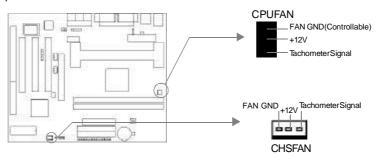
Infrared Header (IrDA)

This connector supports wireless transmitting and receiving. If using this function, set "Serial Port 2 Mode" to IrDA or ASKIR then configure the settings in the "INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS" section of the BIOS.



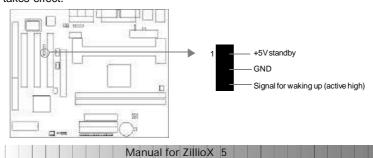
Fan Connector (CPUFAN, CHSFAN)

These two fans are controllable. They will be automatically turned off after the system enters suspend mode. You also can choose not to turn the CPUFAN off by setting "CPUFAN Off In Suspend" as Disabled in the "POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP" section of the BIOS.



Wake-Up On LAN (WOL)

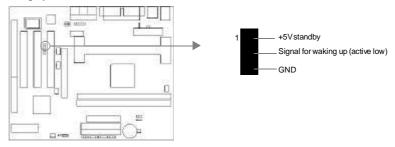
Through the Wake-Up On LAN function, a wake event occurring from the network can wake up the system. If this function is to be used, please be sure an ATX 2.01 power supply of which 5VSB line is capable of delivering 720mA, and a LAN adapter which supports this function are used. Then connect this header to the relevant connector on the LAN adapter, set "Wake Up On LAN" as Enabled in the "POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP" section of the BIOS. Save & exit, then boot the operating system once to make sure this function takes effect.





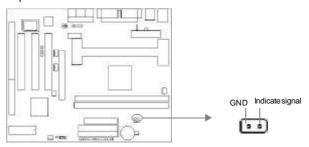
Wake-Up On Internal Modem (WOM)

Through the Wake-Up On Internal Modem function, the system which is in the power-off status can be powered on by a ring signal received from the internal modem. If this function is to be used, be sure an internal modem card which supports the function is used. Then connect this header to the relevant connector on the modem card, set "Resume by Ring" to Enabled in the "POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP" section of the BIOS. Save & exit, then boot the operating system once to make sure this function takes effect.



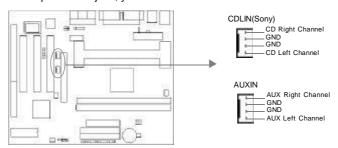
Chassis Security Switch (CHSSEC)

If the switch is off, this indicates the chassis is closed. Otherwise, it indicates the chassis is opened.



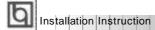
Digital Audio Connector (CDLIN, AUXIN)

CDLIN is a CD audio connector which can be connected to a CD-ROM drive (Sony standard) through a CD audio cable. AUXIN is an auxiliary audio connector. With the speakers connected to Line/Speaker-out jack, you can listen to audio from the CD-ROM drive.



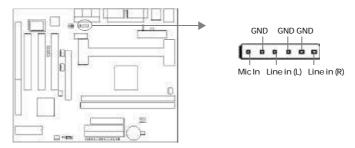
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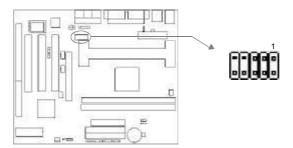
Microphone-in and Line-in Connector (BLSND)(manufacturing option)

This connector allows you to connect the audio devices or microphone with cable.



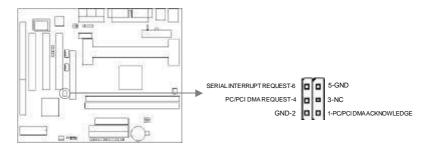
First COM Port Connector (1STCOM)(manufacturing option)

This connector allows you to connect the COM port device inside the cabinet. If this COM port is already occupied, note the other one located on the back panel (UART1) can't be used.



Sound Connector (PC-PCI)(manufacturing option)

This connector is for the usage of PCI sound card.





Expansion Slots & I/O Ports description

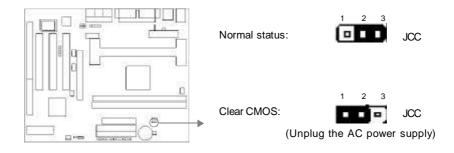
Slot / Port	Description
ISA 1	ISA slot.
PCI1	First PCI slot.
PCI2	Second PCI slot.
PCI3	Third PCI slot.
IDE1	Primary IDE port.
IDE2	Secondary IDE port.
FLOPPY	Floppy Driver Port.
AGP	Accelerated Graphics Port

Jumper Settings

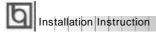
Jumpers are located on the motherboard, they represent, clear CMOS jumper JCC, enable keyboard password power-on function jumper JP2 and Speaker/Line-out selection jumper JP10 & JP11. Pin 1 for all jumpers are located on the side with a thick white line (Pin1 \rightarrow), referring to the motherboard's silkscreen . Jumpers with three pins will be shown as to represent pin1& pin2 connected and to represent pin2 & pin3 connected.

Clear CMOS (JCC)

If you want to clear CMOS, unplug the AC power supply first, close JCC(pin1& pin2) once, set JCC back to the normal status with pin2 & pin3 connected, then power on the system.

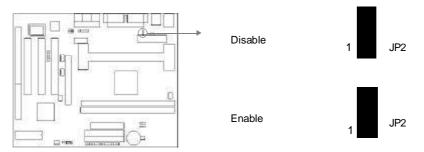






Enable keyboard password power-on function (JP2)

The motherboard provides the advanced keyboard password power-on function. When wanting to use this function, set JP2 with pin1& pin2 closed. Otherwise, set JP2 with pin2 & pin3 closed for disabling this function.



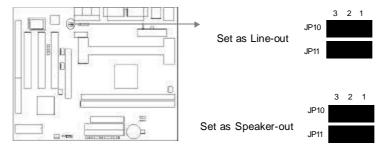
In order to implement this function, set "POWER ON Function" to **Password** and enter the keyboard power-on password in the "INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS" section of the BIOS. Save and exit, then power off your system. In this case, the power button's power-on function has been disabled. The only way to power up the system is to enter the correct password. If you forget the password, clear CMOS and set it again. Refer to BIOS description on page 46 for detail information.

- Note: 1.If wanting to use this function, 5VSB line of the power supply should be capable of delivering 200mA, or the system can't be powered up.

 2.If you set JP2 with pin2 & pin3 closed, set "POWER ON Function" to BUTTON ONLY, don't set it to Password, or this will prevent you from powering up your system.
 - 3. If you encounter problems above, clear CMOS and set the jumper and BIOS option properly again.

Speaker/Line out selection (JP10, JP11)

If you want to set the Line-out/Speaker-out jack as Line out, set JP10 & JP11 with pin2&pin3 closed. Otherwise, set JP10 & JP11 with pin1& pin2 closed for Speaker out.





Memory Configuration

This motherboard provides two 168 pin 3.3V un-buffered DIMM sockets to support a flexible memory size ranging from 8MB/256MB for SDRAM or from 8MB/512MB for EDO memory. Both 66MHz/100MHz SDRAM and 66MHz EDO DIMMs are supported. The following set of rules allows for optimum configurations.

Rules for populating a 440ZX memory array:

- Pentium II processors with 100MHz front-side bus should be paired only with 100MHz SDRAM. Processors with 66MHz front-side bus can be paired with either 66MHz or 100MHzSDRAM.
- NO registered DIMM support.
- The DRAM Timing register, which provides the DRAM speed grade control for the entire memory array, must be programmed to use the timing of the slowest DRAMs installed.
- Possible SDRAM DIMM memory sizes are 8MB, 16MB, 32MB, 64MB, 128MB in each DIMM socket.
- Possible EDO DIMM memory sizes are 8MB, 16MB, 32MB, 64MB, 128MB, 256MB in each DIMM socket.



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Chapter 3 SecurityEasy

There are two ways to prevent unauthorized entry or use of the system: System Password and SecurityEasy.

System Password

Set system password in the "PASSWORD SETTING" section of the BIOS, and set the "Password Setting" to System in the "BIOS FEATURES SETUP" section. You will be prompted for the password every time the system boots or any time you try to enter CMOS Setup. If the "Password Setting" is set as "Setup", you will be prompted for the password only when entering CMOS Setup.

SecurityEasy

The ZillioX 5 provides additional SecurityEasy function to protect the system from unauthorized entry or use.

- Push once the button connected to the two-pin header SLEEP. If the lock function is disabled, this button is used as SLEEP button.
- When "Keyboard Inactive Timer" is counted to the preset value-from 1 minute to 1 hour.

In the Lock status, the power switch and reset buttons are unresponsive, PS/2 mouse is locked, and the Keyboard is locked except for the SecurityEasy Password entering. You can preset the Video as blank in the LOCK status. The only way to exit the LOCK status is to enter the SecurityEasy Password with the keyboard. This means if you set the Lock function as enabled, you must also set the SecurityEasy Password.

Please read the notes below thoroughly.

- Note 1: The Green function and the Lock function can not be enabled at the same time.
- Note 2: If the lock function is enabled, you must set the SecurityEasy password no more than 6 characters.
- Note 3: When entering the SecurityEasy Password to exit the LOCK status, use the <Enter> key located on the alphabetic pad and not the <Enter> key located on the numeric pad.
- Note 5: See also chater 4 "BIOS Description".





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Chapter 4 BIOS Description

Utility Support:

FLASH.EXE

This is a flash memory write/read utility which can be used for the purpose of updating your BIOS when necessary. Before doing so, please note:

- We strongly recommend you only upgrade BIOS when encountering problems.
- Before upgrading your BIOS, review the description below to avoid making mistakes, resulting in a destroyed BIOS and a non-working system.

When you are encountering problems, for example, you find your system doesn't support the new CPU which is released after our current motherboard, you may therefore update the BIOS.

Follow the steps exactly for a successful upgrade.

- Create a bootable system floppy diskette, type Format A:/s from the DOS prompt under DOS6.xx or Windows 9x environment.
- Copy FLASH.EXE from the directory \Utility on the QDI Motherboard Utility CD onto your new bootable diskette.
- 3. Download the updated BIOS file from the Website (http://www.qdigrp.com) Please be sure to download the suitable BIOS file for your motherboard.
- 4. Uncompress the file download, copy the BIOS file (xx.bin) onto the bootable diskette, and note the checksum of this BIOS which is located in readme file.
- 5. Reboot the system from the bootable diskette created.
- 6. Then run the FLASH utility at the A:\ prompt. During the process, the system will prompt: 'Do you want to save the BIOS(Y/N)'. If you type 'Y', the system will prompt for the BIOS name. The system will also display the checksum which should be exactly the same as the checksum you copy from the readme file. Don't turn off power or reset the system until the BIOS upgrade has been completed.

Concerning how to run the FLASH utility, please refer to the following descriptions:

Usage: FLASH [BIOSfile] [/c[<command...>]][/n]

FLASH [BiOSfile] [/g]

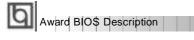
/c: Flashing memory will clear previous settings. Default allows settings to remain.

<command> function definition:

c: clear CMOS;

p: clear PnP;

d: clear DMI.



/n: programs BIOS without prompting. If this option is chosen:

Be sure your new BIOS is compatible with your MB. If not, the system will be damaged.

/g: Retrieves BIOS file from BIOS ROM.

Examples:

A:\FLASH.EXE BIOSfile.bin A:\FLASH.EXE BIOSfile.bin /cdpc/n A:\FLASH.EXE BIOSfile.bin /g

Note: FLASH utility runs incorrectly at Windows DOS prompt.



AWARD BIOS Description

Entering Setup

Power on the computer, when the following message briefly appears at the bottom of the screen during the POST (Power On Self Test), press key or simultaneously press the <Ctrl> + <Alt> + <Esc> keys, to enter the AWARD BIOS CMOS Setup Utility.

Press to enter SETUP

Once you have entered, the Main Menu (Figure 1) will appear on the screen. The main menu allows you to select from twelve setup functions and two exit choices. Use the arrow keys to select among the items and press the <Enter> key to accept or enter the sub-menu.



Figure-1 Main Menu

Note:The "System Monitor SETUP" item will not be displayed if there is no W83782D chip on the motherboard.

Load Setup Defaults

The Setup Defaults are common and efficient. It is recommended that users load the setup defaults first, then modify the needed configuration settings.

Standard CMOS Setup

The basic CMOS settings included in "Standard CMOS Setup" are Date, Time, Hard Disk Drive Types, Floppy Disk Drive Types, and VGA etc. Use the arrow keys to highlight the item, then use the <PgUp> or <PgDn> keys to select the value you want in each item.



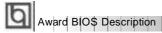




Figure-2 Standard CMOS Setup Menu

Hard Disk

Primary Master/Primary Slave/Secondary Master/Secondary Slave

The categories identify the HDD types of 2 IDE channels installed in the computer system. There are three choices provided for the Enhanced IDE BIOS: None, Auto, and User. "None" means no HDD is installed or set; "Auto" means the system can auto-detect the hard disk when booting up; by choosing "user", the related information should be entered regarding the following items. Enter the information directly from the keyboard and press < Enter>:

CYLS	number of cylinders	HEAD	number of heads
PRECOMP	write pre-compensation	LANDZ	landing zone
SECTOR	number of sectors	MODE	HDD access mode

Video

Set this field to the type of video display card installed in your system.

EGA/ VGA	Enhanced Graphics Adapter / Video Graphic Array. For EGA	
	VGA, SEGA, SVGA, or PGA monitor adapters.	
CGA 40	Color Graphic Adapter, powering up in 40 column mode.	
CGA 80	Color Graphic Adapter, powering up in 80 column mode.	
MONO	Monochrome adapter, including high resolution monochrome adapters.	



Halt On

This category determines whether or not the computer will stop if an error is detected during powering up.

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

Memory

This category displays only what is determined by POST (Power On Self Test) of the RIOS

Base Memory	The POST of the BIOS will determine the amount of base		
Extended Memory	(or conventional) memory installed in the system.		
Extended Memory	•		
	presented during the POST.		
Other Memory	This is the memory that can be used for different		
	applications. Most used for this area is Shadow RAM.		
Total Memory	Total memory of the system equals the sum of the above		
	memory.		



SpeedEasy CPU Setup



Figure-3 SpeedEasy CPU Setup

The following indicates the options of each item and describes their meanings .

<u>ltem</u>	Option	<u>Description</u>
 CPU Model 		BIOS can automatically detect the CPU model,
		therefore this item is shown only. It could be
		Pentium(R)II or Intel (R) Celeron(TM), depending on
		the processor chosen.
 CPU Speed 	SpeedEasy	CPU frequency should be set according to the CPU
		type. For Celeron™ or Pentium®II (66MHz front-
		side bus) processors you can choose from
		200MHz (66X3), 233MHz(66X3.5), 266MHz (66x4),
		300MHz(66X4.5), or 333MHz (66X5). For
		Pentium®II processors with 100MHz front-side
		bus, you can select from 300MHz(100X3),
		350MHz (100X3.5), 400MHz (100X4),
		450MHz(100X4.5), or 500MHz(100X5).
	Jumper	This item is only for users who understand
	Emulation	all the CPU parameters, i.e. System Bus Frequency,
		"100MHz / 66MHz" and multiplication of Processor
		Core Frequency to System Bus frequency "x3,
		x3.5, x4, x4.5, x5, x5.5".

Warning:

Do not set CPU frequency higher than its working frequency. If you do, we will not be responsible for any damages caused.



BIOS Features Setup



Figure-4 BIOS Features Setup Menu

<u>ltem</u>	Option	Description
ı ChipAway	Enabled	Guards against boot virus threats early in the boot
Virus On Guard		cycle, before they have a chance to load into your
		system, ensuring your computer boots to a clean
		operating system.
	Disabled	Invalidates this function.
ı CPU	Enabled	Enables CPU internal Level1/Level2 cache.
L1/L2 Cache	Disabled	Disables CPU internal Level1/Level2 cache.
ı CPU	Enabled	Enables CPU L2 Cache ECC (Error Checking
L2 Cache		and Correction) function.
ECC	Disabled	Disables CPU L2 Cache ECC function.
□ Quick Power	Enabled	Enables quick POST. BIOS will shorten or skip some
On Self Test		check items during POST to speed up POST after
		you power on the computer.
	Disabled	Normal POST.
I Boot From LAN	Enabled	Boot from LAN is ahead of any boot sequence
First		selection (LAN Adapter must support this function).
	Disabled	Does not boot from LAN first.
Boot Sequence	C,A,SCSI,	Any search sequency can be chosen for booting.
	C,CDROM,A	
	LS/ZIP, C	



Swap Floppy	Enabled	Exchanges the assignment of A&B floppy drives.
	Disabled	The assignment of A&B floppy drives are normal.
। Boot Up	On	Keypad is used as number keys.
Numlock Status	Off	Keypad is used as arrow keys.
Gate A20 Option	Normal	The A20 signal is controlled by the keyboard controller or chipset hardware.
	Fast	Default setting. The A20 signal is controlled by Port 92 or the chipset specific method.
Password Setting	System	The system will not boot and access to Setup will
		be denied if the correct password is not entered when prompted.
	Setup	The system will boot up, but access to Setup will
		be denied if the correct password is not entered
		when prompted.
OS Select For DRAM>64MB	Non-OS2	If your operating system is not OS/2, please select this item.
	OS2	If system DRAM is more than 64MB and the operating system is OS/2, please select this item.
⊢ HDD S.M.A.R.T	Enabled	Enables S.M.A.R.T hard disk support.
Capability	Disabled	Invalidates this feature.
Video BIOS Shadow	Enabled	Video BIOS will be copied to RAM. Video Shadow
Snadow	Disabled	will increase the video speed. Video shadow is disabled.
∟ C8000~CBFFF	Enabled	Optional ROM will be copied to RAM by 16K bytes
Shadow:	Lilableu	per unit.
DC000-DFFFF		por dritt.
Shadow:	Disabled	The shadow function is disabled.
Show Bootup	Enabled	Enables the logo when system boots up.
Logo	Disabled	Logo will not be shown when system boots up.
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Chipset Features Setup



Figure-5 Chipset Features Setup Menu

	<u>ltem</u>	<u>Option</u>	<u>Description</u>
I	Auto Configuration	Enabled	Automatically configures DRAM Timing according to the value of "DRAM Speed Selection".
		Disabled	Manually configures.
			*Note: It is recommended that the "Enabled"
ı	EDO DRAM Speed	50ns,	option be chosen by common users. This item is of selected EDO DRAM read/write
•	Selection	60ns	timing. You must ensure that your DIMMs are as
			fast as 50ns, otherwise 60ns should be selected .
I	EDO CASx# MA	2	One additional wait state is inserted before the
	Wait State		assertion of the first CASx# for page hit cycles.
			This allows one additional clock of MA setup time to the CASx# for the leadoff page hit cycle. Page
			miss and row miss timing are not affected by this
			bit.
		1	Without additional wait state.
I	EDO RASx# Wait	2	One additional wait state is inserted before RASx#
	State		is asserted for row misses. This provides one clock of additional MAX[13:0] setup time to RASx#
			assertion. This bit does not affect page misses
			since the MAX[13:0] lines are setup several
			clocks in advance of RASx# assertion for page
		4	misses.
		1	Without additional wait state.



	SDRAM CAS	2	Defines the CLT timing parameter of SDRAM.
1	Latency Time	2	Latency Time=2x system clocks.
	Latericy Time	3	Latency Time=2x system clocks.
		3	Laterity Time-ox system clocks.
ı	SDRAM Percharge	Enabled	Default setting is suggested.
	Control		
		Disabled	
I	Video BIOS	Enabled	Beside conventional memory, video BIOS area is
	Cacheable		also cacheable.
		Disabled	Video BIOS area is not cacheable.
I	Video RAM	Enabled	Besides Conventional memory, Video RAM area
	Cacheable		is also cacheable.
		Disabled	Video RAM area is not cacheable.
I	8 Bit I/ O Recovery	1~ 8	Defines the ISA Bus 8 bit I/O operating recovery
	Time.		time.
		NA	8 bit I/O recovery time does not exist.
I	16 Bit I / O	1~ 4	Defines the ISA Bus 16 bit I/O operating recovery
	Recovery Time		time.
		NA	16 bit I/O recovery time does not exist.
I	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Enabled	Memory hole at 15-16m is reserved for expamded
	15m-16m		
I	Passive Release	Enabled	Default setting is suggested.
		Disabled	
I	Delayed Transaction		Default setting is suggested.
		Disabled	
I		4~256	Sets the effective size of the Graphics Aperture
	(MB)		to be used in the particular PAC Configuration.
I	Clock Spread	Enabled	Enables Clock Spread Spectrum to reduce EMI.
	Spectrum	Disabled Enabled	Disables Clock Spread Spectrum.
I	Close Empty DIMM/PCI Clk	Ellabled	Closes empty DIMM clock or PCI clock to reduce EMI.
	Divinion On	Disabled	Does not close empty DIMM or PCI clock.
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Power Management Setup



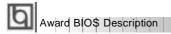
Figure-6 Power Management Setup Menu

<u>ltem</u>	<u>Option</u>	<u>Description</u>
 ACPI function 	Disabled	Invalidates ACPI function.
	Enabled	Validates ACPI function.
ı Power	Disabled	Global Power Management (PM) will be
Management		disabled.
	User Define	Users can configure their own Power Management
		Timer.
	Min Saving	Pre - defined timer values are used. All timers are
		in their MAX values.
	Max Saving	Pre - defined timer values are used. All timers are in
		their MIN values.
 PM Control by 	No	System BIOS will ignore APM when Power
APM		Management is enabled.
	Yes	System BIOS will wait for APM's prompt before
		enterring any PM mode e.g. Standby or Suspend.
		Note: If APM is installed, and there is a task
		running, even when the timer is time out, the
		APM will not prompt the BIOS to put the
		system into any power saving mode. But if
		APM is not installed, this option has no effect.
	Blank Screen	The system BIOS will only blank off the screen
Method		when disabling video.



	V/H SYNC+	In addition to Blank Screen, BIOS will also turn off the V-SYNC & H - SYNC signals from VGA
	DPMS	cards to monitor. This function is enabled only for the VGA card
		supporting DPMS.
		Note: When the green monitor detects the
		V/H-SYNC signals, the electron gun will be turned off.
□ Video Off After	N/A	System BIOS will never turn off the screen.
	Suspend	Screen blanks after the system enters Suspend mode.
	Standby	Screen blanks after the system enters Standby mode.
	Doze	Screen blanks after the system enters Doze mode.
□ MODEM Use IRQ	3,7,5,7,9, 10,11	Special wake-up event for the Modem.
IRQ	NA	Invalidates this feature.
Doze mode	Disabled	The system never enters Doze mode.
	1Min ~ 1 Hr	Defines the continuous idle time before the system
		enters Doze mode. If any items defined in "Wake
		Up Events In Doze & Suspend" are On and
		activated, the system will be woken up.
Standby Mode	Disabled 1	The system never enters Standby mode.
	Min ~ 1Hr	Defines the continuous idle time before the system enters Standby mode. If any items defined in
		"Wake Up Events In Doze & Suspend" are On and
		activated, the system will be woken up.
Suspend Mode	Disabled	The system will never enter Suspend mode.
	Min ~ 1Hr	Defines the continuous idle time before the system
		enters Suspend mode. If any items defined in "Wake Up Events In Suspend" are On and
		activated, the system will be woken up.
I HDD Power	Disabled	HDD's motor will not be off.
Down	1 ~15 Min	Defines the continuous HDD idle time before the
		HDD enters the power saving mode (motor off)
HDD Down When suspend		
Throttle Duty	12.5%	Selects the duty cycle of the STPCLK# signal ,
Cycle	25%	slowing down the CPU speed when the system
·	37.5%	enters the green mode.
	50 %	
	62.5%	
	75%	
	87.5%	

	Enabled	VGA active reloads global timer.
Monitor	Disabled	VGA active has no influence to global timer.
□ Soft-Off by	Instant-Off	The system will power off immediately once
PWR-BTTN		the "Power" button is pressed.
	Delay 4 Secs	The system will not power off until the "Power"
	·	button is pressed continuously for more than 4
		seconds.
□ CPUFAN Off	Enabled	CPU FAN will be automatically turned off when
In Suspend		the system enters suspend mode.
•	Disabled	CPU FAN remains on when the system enters
		suspend mode.
Resume by	Enabled	Allows the system to be powered on when a ring
Ring		indicator signal comes up to UART1 or UART2
		from an external modem or comes up to WOM
		header from an internal modem card.
	Disabled	Does not allow Ring Power-On.
Resume by	Enabled	RTC alarm can be used to generate a wake event
Alarm		to power up the system which is in power-off
		status. You can set any date or any time to
		power up the system.
	Disabled	RTC has no alarm function.
□ Wake Up On LAN	Enabled	Allows the system to be powered on when
		a remote waker-up signal comes up to the WOL
		header from LAN adapter .
	Disabled	Does not allow wake-up on LAN.
IRQ 8 Break	Enabled	Generates a clock event.
Suspend	Disabled	Does not generate a clock event.
ı IRQ [3-7, 9-15],	Enabled	Reloads global timer.
NMI	Disabled	Does not influence the global timer.
Parallel Port		

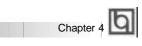


PNP/PCI Configuration Setup

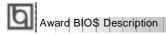


Figure-7 PNP/PCI Configuration Setup Menu

<u>Item</u>	<u>Option</u>	<u>Description</u>
ı PNP OS Installed	Yes	Device resources assigned by PnP OS.
	No	Device resources assigned by BIOS.
 Resources 	Manual	Assigns the system resources (IRQ and DMA)
Controlled by		manually .
	Auto	Assigns system resources (IRQ and DMA)
		automatically by BIOS.
 Force Update 	Enabled	The system BIOS will force updating ESCD once,
ESCD		then automatically set this item as Disabled.
	Disabled	Disables the forced update ESCD function.
□ IRQ-3~IRQ-15	Legacy ISA	The specified IRQ-x will be assigned to ISA only.
assigned to	PCI/ISA PnP	The specified IRQ-x will be assigned to ISA or
		PCI.
I DMA-0~DMA-7	Legacy ISA	The specified DMA-x will be assigned to ISA only.
assigned to	PCI/ISA PnP	The specified DMA-x will be assigned to ISA or PCI.
PCI Slot 1/2/3	Auto,3,4,5,7,9	Assigns an IRQ for PCI slot1/2/3 manually
IRQ No.	10,11,12,14,15	or automatically.
□ Used MEM base	C800/8~64K	Claims a memory space to be occupied by legacy
address		ISA card. The memory address and the memory
		size (8/16/32/64K) can be chosen from the options.
	N/A	Invalidates this feature.



Assign IRQ for USB	Enabled	Assigns an IRQ for USB. If an USB device is used, enable this item.
	Disabled	Does not assign an IRQ for USB. If USB device
		isn' t used, disabling this item can release the IRQ.
⊢ Assign IRQ	Enabled	Assigns the needed IRQ for the VGA Card.
for VGA	Disabled	Does not assign an IRQ for the VGA card in
		order to release the IRQ.



Integrated Peripherals

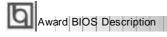


Figure-8 Integrated Peripherals Menu

<u>ltem</u>	<u>Option</u>	<u>Description</u>
I IDE HDD Block	Enabled	Allows IDE HDD to read/write several sectors
Mode		at once.
	Disabled	IDE HDD only reads/writes a sector once.
ı IDE	Mode 0 - 4	Defines the IDE primary/secondary master/ slave
Primary/ Secondary		PIO mode.
Master/Slave PIO	Auto	The IDE PIO mode is defined by auto -detection.
ı IDE	Auto	Ultra DMA mode will be enabled if ultra DMA device
Primary/ Secondary		is detected.
Master/Slave UDMA	Disabled	Disables this function.
। On-chip	Enabled	On-chip primary/secondary PCI IDE port is enabled.
Primary/Secondary	Disabled	On-chip primary/secondary PCI IDE port is
PCIIDE		disabled.
□ USB Keyboard	Enabled	USB Keyboard Support is enabled.
Support	Disabled	USB Keyboard Support is disabled.
□ POWER ON	BUTTON	Use the power button to power up the system.
Function	ONLY	
	Password	Enables the Keyboard Password Power-on
		function and disables the power button's power-
		on function. Other than choosing this option, the
		password should be entered to implement this
		function.



Onboard FDC Controller Onboard Serial 1/2	Enabled Disabled 3F8/IRQ4, 2F8/IRQ3, 3E8/IRQ4, 2E8/IRQ3,	Note: If this option(Password) is chosen, the jumperJP2 must be set as PIN1&PIN 2 closed, or this will prevent you from powering up your system. Onboard floppy disk controller is enabled. Onboard floppy disk controller is disabled. Defines the onboard serial port address and required interrupt number.
	Auto	Onboard serial port address and IRQ are
		automatically assigned
	Disabled	Onboard serial port is disabled.
Serial Port 2	Normal	Defines Serial Port 2 as standard serial port.
Mode	ASKIR	Supports SHARP ASK-IR protocol with maximum
		baud rate up to 57600bps.
	IrDA	Supports IrDA version1.0 SIR protocol with
	"	maxiumum baud rate up to 115.2Kbps.
Onboard Parallel	378/IRQ7,	Defines onboard parallel port address and IRQ channel.
Port	278/IRQ5, 3BC/IRQ7	channel.
	Disabled	Onboard parallel port is disabled.
Parallel Port Mode	SPP	Defines the parallel port mode as
	EPP	Standard Parallel Port (SPP), Enhanced
	ECP,	Parallel Port (EPP), or Extended
	ECP+EPP	Capabilities Port (ECP).
PWRON After	Off	The system resumes OFF when the AC power
PWR-Fail		supply powers on.
	On	The system will be powered up when the AC
	_	power supply powers on.
	Former-Sts	Whatever the system status is before the AC
		power supply powers down, the system resumes
		in the previous status (ON/OFF) when the AC power supply powers on.
		power supply powers on.



System Monitor Setup

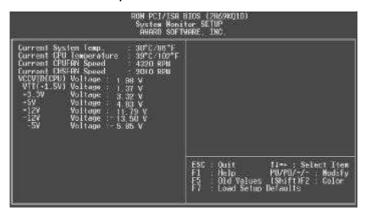


Figure-9 System Monitor Setup Menu

The following describes the meaning of each item.

<u>ltem</u>	Current <u>Data Shown</u>	<u>Description</u>
Current System Temp. Current CPU Temperature	30°C/ 86°C 39 °C/102°F	The temperature inside the chassis. The temperature of the CPU core.
Current CPUFAN Speed Current CHSFAN Speed	4320 RPM 2010 RPM	RPM(Revolution Per Minute) speed of fan connected to the fan header CPUFAN or CHSFAN. Fan speed value is based on an assumption that tachometer signal is two pulses per revolution; In other cases, you should regard it relatively.
VCCVID(CPU) Voltage VTT (+1.5) Voltage, + 3.3V + 5V + 12V, - 12V, - 5V.	1.98V 1.37V 3.32V 4.83V 11.79V -13.50V -5.85V	Displays current Voltage values including all significant voltages of the motherboard. 3.3V, +5V, +12V, -12V, -5V are voltages from the ATX power supply, VTT (+1.5) Voltage is GTL Termination Voltage from the on-board regulator, and VCCVID (CPU) Voltage is CPU Core Voltage from the on board switching Power Supply.



SecurityEasy Setup

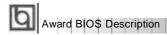


Figure-10 SecurityEasy Setup Menu

The following describes the options of each item and describes their meaning

	<u>ltem</u>	Current Data Shown	<u>Description</u>
I	Lock Function Select	Enabled Disabled	Enables the LOCK function The system will never enter the LOCK mode.
I	SecurityEasy Password	Enter	To type in the SecurityEasy password is the only way to exit the LOCK mode. When you select this function. The following message "ENTER PASSWORD" appears at the center of the screen to assist you in creating a password. Type the SecurityEasy Password no more than to six characters, then 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>.</enter></enter>
I	Keyboard Inactive Timer	Disabled	The system will not enter the LOCK mode due to the Keyboard Inactive Timer
ı	Video Blanking Control	1Min~ 1 Hour Enabled Disabled	Set the continuous idle time of the keyboard before the system enters the LOCK mode. Video is blank in the LOCK mode. Video is normal in the LOCK mode.

Note: See also Chapter 3



Password Setting

When this function is selected, the following message appears at the center of the screen to assist you in creating a password.

ENTER PASSWORD

Type the password, up to eight characters, 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.

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

PASSWORD DISABLED

If you have selected "System" at "Password Setting" of "BIOS Features Setup" menu, you will be prompted for the password every time the system is rebooted or any time you try to enter "CMOS Setup".

If you have selected "Setup" at "Password Setting" of "BIOS Features Setup" menu, you will be prompted for the password only when you try to enter "CMOS Setup".



IDE HDD Auto Detection

The Enhanced IDE features are included in all Award BIOS. Below is a brief description of these features.

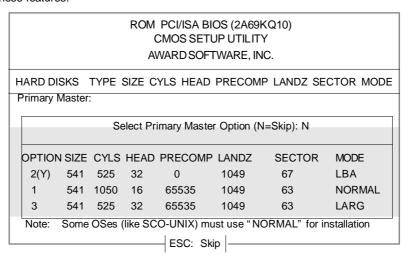


Figure-11 IDE HDD Auto Detection Menu

1. Setup Changes

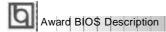
With auto-detection

- BIOS setup will display all possible modes supported by the HDD including NORMAL, LBA and LARGE.
- If HDD does not support LBA modes, no "LBA" option will be shown.
- If number of physical cylinder is less than or equal to 1024, "LARGE" option may not be shown.
- Users can select their appropriate mode .

With Standard CMOS Setup

	CYLS	HEADS	PRECOMP	LAND	SECTOR	MODE
				ZONE		
Drive C: User(516MB)	1120	16	65535	1119	59	Normal
Drive D: None(203MB)	684	16	65535	685	38	

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



2. HDD Modes

The Award BIOS supports 3 HDD modes: NORMAL, LBA and LARGE, also Auto detect.

NORMAL

Generic access mode in which neither the BIOS nor the IDE controller will make any transformation during accessing. The maximum number of cylinders, heads and sectors for NORMAL mode are 1024,16 and 63.

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

LBA (Logical Block Addressing) mode

A new HDD accessing method to overcome the 528 Megabyte bottleneck. The number of cylinders, heads and sectors shown in setup may not be the number physically contained in the HDD.

During HDD accessing, the IDE controller will transform the logical address described by sector, head and cylinder number into its own physical address inside the HDD. The maximum HDD size supported by LBA mode is 8.4 Gigabytes.

LARGE mode

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

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

Auto detect

If using Auto detect, the BIOS will automatically detect the IDE hard disk mode and set it as one of the three modes.

3. Remark

To support LBA or LARGE mode of HDDs, there must be some softwares involved which are located in Award HDD Service Routine(INT13h). It may fail to access a HDD with LBA (LARGE) mode selected if you are running under an Operating System which replaces the whole INT 13h.

Power - On Boot

If you have made all the changes to CMOS values and the system can not boot with the CMOS values selected in Setup, restart the system by turning it OFF then ON or press the "RESET" button on the system case. You may also restart the system by simultaneously pressing < Ctrl >, < Alt > and < Del > keys.



Chapter 5

Creative Audio Description

On-board audio system is based on the high performance Creative ViBRA™6XV CT2511 chip that integrates 3D stereo enhancement technology. It incorporates the best features of Sound Blaster™, Sound Blaster™Pro, Microsoft Windows Sound System and MPU-401 for all multimedia applications, entertainment, educational sound and business audio.

Features

Analog Audio

- Analog mixing of 7 audio sources: Digital Audio (Stereo), CD Audio (Stereo), Synthesised Music (Stereo), Line Level Audio (Stereo), Auxiliary Level Audio (Stereo), Microphone Level Audio (Mono), and Mono Audio (Mono).
- Individual software programmable volume controls.

Digital Audio

- Variable sampling rates from 5KHz to 48KHz.
- Full-duplex record and playback.
- 8/16 bit stereo/mono digital audio playback and recording.
- FIFO's for digital audio playback and recording for optimum Windows operations.

Mixer

32-level volume control mixer.

Music Synthesizer and DAC

· Creative Music synthesizer.

Stereo Enhancement

- · Built-in Creative Stereo Enhancement.
- Supports enhancement effect on all inputs to the mixer.
- CD audio, Line-in, Auxiliary, VOC, Midi, Mic or Mono.

PnP Support

- Built-in PnPinterface.
- Supports direct connection to ISA bus.

Joystick Port

· Built-in Analog Joystick quad timer.

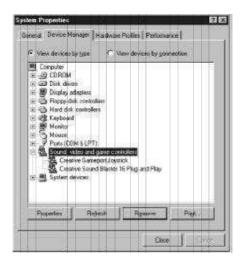


Creative Software Installation

- I. Installation of Windows 95 driver
- · While running Window95, insert the QDI Motherboard Utility CD into the CD-ROM drive.
- Direct the path to D:\ DevDrv\ Sound \ CT2511\ Win 95 and run setup.exe. The Creative software installation will guide you through the setup process.



- · Restart the computer when prompted.
- After completing installation, the sound, video and game controllers should be listed in Device Manager from System Properties as shown below.





II . Installing Driver in DOS/ Windows 3.1X

Before installing the audio card's software from the CD-ROM, a CD-ROM drive must be installed and working properly in your system . If you have not yet installed a CD-ROM drive and associated drivers, refer to your CD-ROM drive's documentation for instructions. Use the diskette provided with the CD-ROM to install the needed drivers.

To install the audio card's software from the CD-ROM:

- 1. Start your system.
- 2. Insert the QDI Motherboard Utility CD into your CD-ROM drive.
- 3. At the DOS prompt, change to the drive containing your CD-ROM. For example, type D:
- 4. Change to the directory D:\DevDrv\ Sound\ CT2511\ Win31
- 5. Type INSTALL then press <Enter>.
- 6. Follow the instructions presented to complete the installation.

Note: The installation will be unsuccessful if installed from the Windows DOS prompt.

III. Installation of Windows NT 4.0 Driver

Installing Audio Drivers in Windows NT4.0

- 1. Installing PNPISA.INF
- In Windows NT4.0, insert the Windows NT 4.0 CD-ROM into the CD-ROM drive.
- · Locate the file PNPISA.INF in the CD directory \DRVLIB\PNPISA\X86.
- If this file can not be located, click Options on the View menu of Windows NT Explorer, select the Show All Files option and clear the Hide Extensions For Known File Types check box, then click the OK button.
- The file PNPISA.INF will be now displayed. Right-click on this file and select Install.
- Restart your computer when prompted.

2. Installing Creative Audio Drivers

- When the system restarts, the New Hardware Found message boxes for the various devices will appear.
- If you have previously installed Windows NT 4.0 Service Pack 3, the system might prompt for the Service Pack 3 CD to install sound driver, click the cancel button.
- However, if WindosNT 4.0 service pack 3 is not installed, When prompted for the driver, click the Cancel button.
- · Insert the QDI Motherboard Utility CD into the CD-ROM drive.
- Run UPDPNPNT.EXE in the directory \DevDrv\Sound\CT2511\Winnt40 .
- Click the OK button If the Sound Blaster 16 Configuration box appears with no conflicts.
- If you are prompted for the Windows NT CD-ROM to install the Joystick port enabler, insert the Windows NT4.0 CD-ROM into the drive, direct the path to \DRVLIB\AUDIO\SBPNP\i386 and click the OK button.
- · Restart the computer when prompted.

Please refer to the readme file in the directory

D:\ DevDrv \ Sound\ CT2511\ Winnt 40 for detailed information on installing Windows NT 4.0 driver.



BIOS Features Setup



Figure-4 BIOS Features Setup Menu

<u>ltem</u>	<u>Option</u>	<u>Description</u>
 ChipAway 	Enabled	Guards against boot virus threats early in the boot
Virus On Guard		cycle, before they have a chance to load into your
		system, ensuring your computer boots to a clean operating system.
	Disabled	Invalidates this function.
• CPU	Enabled	Enables CPU internal Level1/Level2 cache.
L1/L2 Cache	Disabled	Disables CPU internal Level1/Level2 cache.
• CPU	Enabled	Enables CPU L2 Cache ECC (Error Checking
L2 Cache		and Correction) function.
ECC	Disabled	Disables CPU L2 Cache ECC function.
 Quick Power 	Enabled	Enables quick POST. BIOS will shorten or skip some
On Self Test		check items during POST to speed up POST after
		you power on the computer.
	Disabled	Normal POST.
 Boot From LAN First 	Enabled	Boot from LAN is ahead of any boot sequence selection (LAN Adapter must support this function).
	Disabled	Does not boot from LAN first.
Boot Sequence	C,A,SCSI, C,CDROM,A	Any search sequency can be chosen for booting.
	LS/ZIP, C	



Swap Floppy Drive	Enabled	Exchanges the assignment of A&B floppy drives.
	Disabled	The assignment of A&B floppy drives are normal.
 Boot Up 	On	Keypad is used as number keys.
Numlock Status	Off	Keypad is used as arrow keys.
 Gate A20 Option 	Normal	The A20 signal is controlled by the keyboard controller or chipset hardware.
	Fast	Default setting. The A20 signal is controlled by Port 92 or the chipset specific method.
Password Setting	System	The system will not boot and access to Setup will be denied if the correct password is not entered when prompted.
	Setup	The system will boot up, but access to Setup will be denied if the correct password is not entered when prompted.
 OS Select For DRAM>64MB 	Non-OS2	If your operating system is not OS/2, please select this item.
	OS2	If system DRAM is more than 64MB and the operating system is OS/2, please select this item.
 HDD S.M.A.R.T 	Enabled	Enables S.M.A.R.T hard disk support.
Capability	Disabled	Invalidates this feature.
 Video BIOS Shadow 	Enabled	Video BIOS will be copied to RAM. Video Shadow will increase the video speed.
	Disabled	Video shadow is disabled.
C8000~CBFFF Shadow: DC000-DFFFF	Enabled	Optional ROM will be copied to RAM by 16K bytes per unit.
Shadow:	Disabled	The shadow function is disabled.
 Show Bootup 	Enabled	Enables the logo when system boots up.
Logo	Disabled	Logo will not be shown when system boots up.



Chipset Features Setup



Figure-5 Chipset Features Setup Menu

<u>ltem</u>	<u>Option</u>	<u>Description</u>
Auto Configuration	Enabled	Automatically configures DRAM Timing according to the value of "DRAM Speed Selection".
	Disabled	Manually configures.
		*Note: It is recommended that the "Enabled"
		option be chosen by common users.
 EDO DRAM Speed 	50ns,	This item is of selected EDO DRAM read/write
Selection	60ns	timing. You must ensure that your DIMMs are as
		fast as 50ns, otherwise 60ns should be selected .
 EDO CASx# MA 	2	One additional wait state is inserted before the
Wait State		assertion of the first CASx# for page hit cycles.
		This allows one additional clock of MA setup time
		to the CASx# for the leadoff page hit cycle. Page
		miss and row miss timing are not affected by this bit.
	1	Without additional wait state.
 EDO RASx# Wait 	2	One additional wait state is inserted before RASx#
State		is asserted for row misses. This provides one
		clock of additional MAX[13:0] setup time to RASx#
		assertion. This bit does not affect page misses
		since the MAX[13:0] lines are setup several
		clocks in advance of RASx# assertion for page
	4	misses.
	1	Without additional wait state.



SDRAM CAS	2	Defines the CLT timing parameter of SDRAM.
Latency Time	-	Latency Time=2x system clocks.
·	3	Latency Time=3x system clocks.
SDRAM Percharge Control	Enabled	Default setting is suggested.
	Disabled	
 Video BIOS 	Enabled	Beside conventional memory, video BIOS area is
Cacheable		also cacheable.
	Disabled	Video BIOS area is not cacheable.
Video RAM	Enabled	Besides Conventional memory, Video RAM area
Cacheable	Disabled	is also cacheable.
0.000	Disabled	Video RAM area is not cacheable.
8 Bit I/ O Recovery	1~ 8	Defines the ISA Bus 8 bit I/O operating recovery
Time.		time.
	NA	8 bit I/O recovery time does not exist.
• 16 Bit I / O	1~ 4	Defines the ISA Bus 16 bit I/O operating recovery
Recovery Time		time.
	NA	16 bit I/O recovery time does not exist.
 Memory Hole at 15m-16m 	Enabled	Memory hole at 15-16m is reserved for expamded
Passive Release	Enabled Disabled	Default setting is suggested.
Delayed Transaction	2.000.00	Default setting is suggested.
• Delayed Transaction	Disabled	Delault Setting is Suggested.
AGP Aperture Size	4~256	Sets the effective size of the Graphics Aperture
(MB)		to be used in the particular PAC Configuration.
Clock Spread	Enabled	Enables Clock Spread Spectrum to reduce EMI.
Spectrum	Disabled	Disables Clock Spread Spectrum.
Close Empty DIMM/PCI Clk	Enabled	Closes empty DIMM clock or PCI clock to reduce EMI.
	Disabled	Does not close empty DIMM or PCI clock.



Power Management Setup



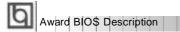
Figure-6 Power Management Setup Menu

<u>ltem</u>	Option	<u>Description</u>
 ACPI function 	Disabled	Invalidates ACPI function.
	Enabled	Validates ACPI function.
Power	Disabled	Global Power Management (PM) will be
Management		disabled.
	User Define	Users can configure their own Power Management
		Timer.
	Min Saving	Pre - defined timer values are used. All timers are
		in their MAX values.
	Max Saving	Pre - defined timer values are used. All timers are in
		their MIN values.
 PM Control by 	No	System BIOS will ignore APM when Power
APM		Management is enabled.
	Yes	System BIOS will wait for APM's prompt before
		enterring any PM mode e.g. Standby or Suspend.
		Note: If APM is installed, and there is a task
		running, even when the timer is time out, the
		APM will not prompt the BIOS to put the
		system into any power saving mode. But if
		APM is not installed, this option has no effect.
 Video Off 	Blank Screen	The system BIOS will only blank off the screen
Method		when disabling video.



	V/H SYNC+	In addition to Blank Screen, BIOS will also turn
		off the V-SYNC & H - SYNC signals from VGA cards to monitor.
	DPMS	This function is enabled only for the VGA card
		supporting DPMS.
		Note: When the green monitor detects the
		V/H-SYNC signals, the electron gun will be turned off.
 Video Off After 	N/A	System BIOS will never turn off the screen.
VIGCO OII AILCI	Suspend	Screen blanks after the system enters Suspend mode.
	Standby	Screen blanks after the system enters Standby mode.
	Doze	Screen blanks after the system enters Doze mode.
MODEM Use	3,7,5,7,9,	Special wake-up event for the Modem.
IRQ	10,11	opesial traite up event for the measure
	NA	Invalidates this feature.
Doze mode	Disabled	The system never enters Doze mode.
	1Min ~ 1 Hr	Defines the continuous idle time before the system
		enters Doze mode. If any items defined in "Wake
		Up Events In Doze & Suspend" are On and
		activated, the system will be woken up.
 Standby Mode 	Disabled 1	The system never enters Standby mode.
	Min ~ 1Hr	Defines the continuous idle time before the system
		enters Standby mode. If any items defined in
		"Wake Up Events In Doze & Suspend" are On and
		activated, the system will be woken up.
 Suspend Mode 	Disabled	The system will never enter Suspend mode.
	Min ~ 1Hr	Defines the continuous idle time before the system
		enters Suspend mode. If any items defined in "Wake Up Events In Suspend" are On and
		activated, the system will be woken up.
HDD Power	Disabled	HDD's motor will not be off.
Down	1 ~15 Min	Defines the continuous HDD idle time before the
		HDD enters the power saving mode (motor off)
 HDD Down 		
When suspend		
 Throttle Duty 	12.5%	Selects the duty cycle of the STPCLK# signal ,
Cycle	25%	slowing down the CPU speed when the system
	37.5%	enters the green mode.
	50 %	
	62.5%	
	75%	
	87.5%	

 VGA Active 	Enabled	VGA active reloads global timer.
Monitor	Disabled	VGA active has no influence to global timer.
 Soft-Off by 	Instant-Off	The system will power off immediately once
PWR-BTTN		the "Power" button is pressed.
	Delay 4 Secs	The system will not power off until the "Power"
		button is pressed continuously for more than 4
		seconds.
 CPUFAN Off 	Enabled	CPU FAN will be automatically turned off when
In Suspend		the system enters suspend mode.
	Disabled	CPU FAN remains on when the system enters
		suspend mode.
 Resume by 	Enabled	Allows the system to be powered on when a ring
Ring		indicator signal comes up to UART1 or UART2
		from an external modem or comes up to WOM
		header from an internal modem card.
	Disabled	Does not allow Ring Power-On.
 Resume by 	Enabled	RTC alarm can be used to generate a wake event
Alarm		to power up the system which is in power-off
		status. You can set any date or any time to
		power up the system.
	Disabled	RTC has no alarm function.
 Wake Up On LAN 	Enabled	Allows the system to be powered on when
		a remote waker-up signal comes up to the WOL
		header from LAN adapter .
	Disabled	Does not allow wake-up on LAN.
 IRQ 8 Break 	Enabled	Generates a clock event.
Suspend	Disabled	Does not generate a clock event.
• IRQ [3-7, 9-15],	Enabled	Reloads global timer.
NMI	Disabled	Does not influence the global timer.
Parallel Port		



PNP/PCI Configuration Setup

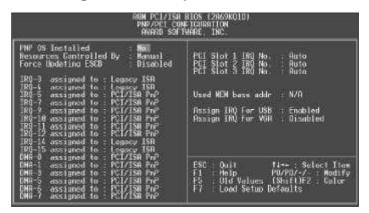


Figure-7 PNP/PCI Configuration Setup Menu

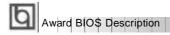
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<u>Item</u>	<u>Option</u>	<u>Description</u>
PNP OS Installed	Yes	Device resources assigned by PnP OS.
	No	Device resources assigned by BIOS.
 Resources Controlled by 	Manual	Assigns the system resources (IRQ and DMA) manually .
	Auto	Assigns system resources (IRQ and DMA) automatically by BIOS.
 Force Update 	Enabled	The system BIOS will force updating ESCD once,
ESCD		then automatically set this item as Disabled.
	Disabled	Disables the forced update ESCD function.
• IRQ-3~IRQ-15	Legacy ISA	The specified IRQ-x will be assigned to ISA only.
assigned to	PCI/ISA PnP	The specified IRQ-x will be assigned to ISA or
		PCI.
• DMA-0~DMA-7	Legacy ISA	The specified DMA-x will be assigned to ISA only.
assigned to	PCI/ISA PnP	The specified DMA-x will be assigned to ISA or PCI.
 PCI Slot 1/2/3 	Auto,3,4,5,7,9	Assigns an IRQ for PCI slot1/2/3 manually
IRQ No.	10,11,12,14,15	or automatically.
 Used MEM base 	C800/8~64K	Claims a memory space to be occupied by legacy
address		ISA card. The memory address and the memory
		size (8/16/32/64K) can be chosen from the options.
	N/A	Invalidates this feature.

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 Assign IRQ for USB 	Enabled	Assigns an IRQ for USB. If an USB device is used, enable this item.
	Disabled	Does not assign an IRQ for USB. If USB device
	Disabled	Dues not assign an IRQ for USB. If USB device
		isn' t used, disabling this item can release the IRQ.
 Assign IRQ 	Enabled	Assigns the needed IRQ for the VGA Card.
for VGA	Disabled	Does not assign an IRQ for the VGA card in
		order to release the IRQ.



Integrated Peripherals

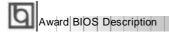


Figure-8 Integrated Peripherals Menu

<u>ltem</u>	<u>Option</u>	<u>Description</u>
• IDE HDD Block	Enabled	Allows IDE HDD to read/write several sectors
Mode		at once.
	Disabled	IDE HDD only reads/writes a sector once.
• IDE	Mode 0 - 4	Defines the IDE primary/secondary master/ slave
Primary/ Secondary		PIO mode.
Master/Slave PIO	Auto	The IDE PIO mode is defined by auto -detection.
• IDE	Auto	Ultra DMA mode will be enabled if ultra DMA device
Primary/ Secondary		is detected.
Master/Slave UDMA	Disabled	Disables this function.
 On-chip 	Enabled	On-chip primary/secondary PCI IDE port is enabled.
Primary/Secondary	Disabled	On-chip primary/secondary PCI IDE port is
PCIIDE		disabled.
 USB Keyboard 	Enabled	USB Keyboard Support is enabled.
Support	Disabled	USB Keyboard Support is disabled.
POWER ON	BUTTON	Use the power button to power up the system.
Function	ONLY	
	Password	Enables the Keyboard Password Power-on
		function and disables the power button's power-
		on function. Other than choosing this option, the
		password should be entered to implement this function.
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		Note: If this option(Password) is chosen, the jumperJP2 must be set as PIN1&PIN 2 closed, or this will prevent you from powering up your system.
 Onboard FDC 	Enabled	Onboard floppy disk controller is enabled.
Controller	Disabled	Onboard floppy disk controller is disabled.
Onboard Serial 1/2	3F8/IRQ4, 2F8/IRQ3, 3E8/IRQ4,	Defines the onboard serial port address and required interrupt number.
	2E8/IRQ3,	Oak and a side and a black and IRO and
	Auto	Onboard serial port address and IRQ are automatically assigned
	Disabled	Onboard serial port is disabled.
 Serial Port 2 	Normal	Defines Serial Port 2 as standard serial port.
Mode	ASKIR	Supports SHARP ASK-IR protocol with maximum baud rate up to 57600bps.
	IrDA	Supports IrDA version1.0 SIR protocol with maxiumum baud rate up to 115.2Kbps.
Onboard Parallel	378/IRQ7,	Defines onboard parallel port address and IRQ
Port	278/IRQ5, 3BC/IRQ7	channel.
	Disabled	Onboard parallel port is disabled.
Parallel Port Mode	SPP	Defines the parallel port mode as
- Taranor Fort Wodo	EPP	Standard Parallel Port (SPP), Enhanced
	ECP.	Parallel Port (EPP), or Extended
	ECP+EPP	Capabilities Port (ECP).
PWRON After PWR-Fail	Off	The system resumes OFF when the AC power supply powers on.
. Trician	On	The system will be powered up when the AC
	0	power supply powers on.
	Former-Sts	Whatever the system status is before the AC
		power supply powers down, the system resumes
		in the previous status (ON/OFF) when the AC
		power supply powers on.



System Monitor Setup

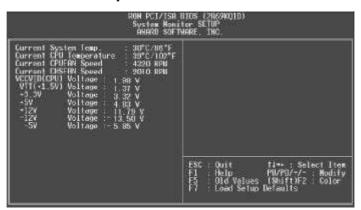


Figure-9 System Monitor Setup Menu

The following describes the meaning of each item.

<u>ltem</u>	Current <u>Data Shown</u>	<u>Description</u>
Current System Temp.Current CPU Temperature	30°C/86°C 39°C/102°F	The temperature inside the chassis. The temperature of the CPU core.
Current CPUFAN Speed Current CHSFAN Speed	4320 RPM 2010 RPM	RPM(Revolution Per Minute) speed of fan connected to the fan header CPUFAN or CHSFAN. Fan speed value is based on an assumption that tachometer signal is two pulses per revolution; In other cases, you should regard it relatively.
 VCCVID(CPU) Voltage VTT (+1.5) Voltage, + 3.3V + 5V + 12V, - 12V, - 5V. 	1.98V 1.37V 3.32V 4.83V 11.79V -13.50V -5.85V	Displays current Voltage values including all significant voltages of the motherboard. 3.3V, +5V, +12V, -12V, -5V are voltages from the ATX power supply, VTT (+1.5) Voltage is GTL Termination Voltage from the on-board regulator, and VCCVID (CPU) Voltage is CPU Core Voltage from the on board switching Power Supply.



SecurityEasy Setup

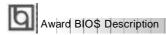


Figure-10 SecurityEasy Setup Menu

The following describes the options of each item and describes their meaning

<u>ltem</u>	Current <u>Data Shown</u>	<u>Description</u>
 Lock Function Select 	Enabled	Enables the LOCK function
	Disabled	The system will never enter the LOCK mode.
SecurityEasy Password	Enter	To type in the SecurityEasy password is the only way to exit the LOCK mode. When you select this function. The following message "ENTER PASSWORD" appears at the center of the screen to assist you in creating a password. Type the SecurityEasy Password no more than to six characters, then 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>.</enter></enter>
Keyboard Inactive Timer	Disabled	The system will not enter the LOCK mode due to the Keyboard Inactive Timer
	1Min~	Set the continuous idle time of the keyboard
	1 Hour	before the system enters the LOCK mode.
 Video Blanking Control 	Enabled	Video is blank in the LOCK mode.
	Disabled	Video is normal in the LOCK mode.

Note: See also Chapter 3



Password Setting

When this function is selected, the following message appears at the center of the screen to assist you in creating a password.

ENTER PASSWORD

Type the password, up to eight characters, 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.

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

PASSWORD DISABLED

If you have selected "System" at "Password Setting" of "BIOS Features Setup" menu, you will be prompted for the password every time the system is rebooted or any time you try to enter "CMOS Setup".

If you have selected "Setup" at "Password Setting" of "BIOS Features Setup" menu, you will be prompted for the password only when you try to enter "CMOS Setup".



IDE HDD Auto Detection

The Enhanced IDE features are included in all Award BIOS. Below is a brief description of these features.

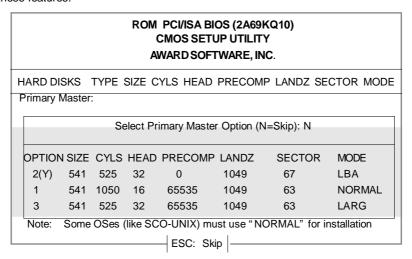


Figure-11 IDE HDD Auto Detection Menu

1. Setup Changes

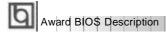
With auto-detection

- BIOS setup will display all possible modes supported by the HDD including NORMAL, LBA and LARGE.
- If HDD does not support LBA modes, no "LBA" option will be shown.
- If number of physical cylinder is less than or equal to 1024, "LARGE" option may not be shown.
- Users can select their appropriate mode .

With Standard CMOS Setup

(CYLS	HEADS	PRECOMP	LAND	SECTOR	MODE
				ZONE		
Drive C: User(516MB)	1120	16	65535	1119	59	Normal
Drive D: None(203MB)	684	16	65535	685	38	

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



2. HDD Modes

The Award BIOS supports 3 HDD modes: NORMAL, LBA and LARGE, also Auto detect.

NORMAL

Generic access mode in which neither the BIOS nor the IDE controller will make any transformation during accessing. The maximum number of cylinders, heads and sectors for NORMAL mode are 1024,16 and 63.

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

LBA (Logical Block Addressing) mode

A new HDD accessing method to overcome the 528 Megabyte bottleneck. The number of cylinders, heads and sectors shown in setup may not be the number physically contained in the HDD.

During HDD accessing, the IDE controller will transform the logical address described by sector, head and cylinder number into its own physical address inside the HDD. The maximum HDD size supported by LBA mode is 8.4 Gigabytes.

LARGE mode

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

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

Auto detect

If using Auto detect, the BIOS will automatically detect the IDE hard disk mode and set it as one of the three modes.

3. Remark

To support LBA or LARGE mode of HDDs, there must be some softwares involved which are located in Award HDD Service Routine(INT13h). It may fail to access a HDD with LBA (LARGE) mode selected if you are running under an Operating System which replaces the whole INT 13h.

Power - On Boot

If you have made all the changes to CMOS values and the system can not boot with the CMOS values selected in Setup, restart the system by turning it OFF then ON or press the "RESET" button on the system case. You may also restart the system by simultaneously pressing < Ctrl >, < Alt > and < Del > keys.



Chapter 5

Creative Audio Description

On-board audio system is based on the high performance Creative ViBRA™6XV CT2511 chip that integrates 3D stereo enhancement technology. It incorporates the best features of Sound Blaster™, Sound Blaster™Pro, Microsoft Windows Sound System and MPU-401 for all multimedia applications, entertainment, educational sound and business audio.

Features

Analog Audio

- Analog mixing of 7 audio sources: Digital Audio (Stereo), CD Audio (Stereo), Synthesised Music (Stereo), Line Level Audio (Stereo), Auxiliary Level Audio (Stereo), Microphone Level Audio (Mono), and Mono Audio (Mono).
- Individual software programmable volume controls.

Digital Audio

- Variable sampling rates from 5KHz to 48KHz.
- Full-duplex record and playback.
- 8/16 bit stereo/mono digital audio playback and recording.
- FIFO's for digital audio playback and recording for optimum Windows operations.

Mixer

• 32-level volume control mixer.

Music Synthesizer and DAC

· Creative Music synthesizer.

Stereo Enhancement

- Built-in Creative Stereo Enhancement.
- Supports enhancement effect on all inputs to the mixer.
- CD audio, Line-in, Auxiliary, VOC, Midi, Mic or Mono.

PnP Support

- Built-in PnP interface.
- Supports direct connection to ISA bus.

Joystick Port

• Built-in Analog Joystick quad timer.



Creative Software Installation

I. Installation of Windows 95 driver

- While running Window95, insert the QDI Motherboard Utility CD into the CD-ROM drive.
- Direct the path to D:\ DevDrv\ Sound \ CT2511\ Win 95 and run setup.exe. The Creative software installation will guide you through the setup process.



- Restart the computer when prompted.
- After completing installation, the sound, video and game controllers should be listed in Device Manager from System Properties as shown below.





II . Installing Driver in DOS/ Windows 3.1X

Before installing the audio card's software from the CD-ROM, a CD-ROM drive must be installed and working properly in your system . If you have not yet installed a CD-ROM drive and associated drivers, refer to your CD-ROM drive's documentation for instructions. Use the diskette provided with the CD-ROM to install the needed drivers.

To install the audio card's software from the CD-ROM:

- 1. Start your system.
- 2. Insert the QDI Motherboard Utility CD into your CD-ROM drive.
- 3. At the DOS prompt, change to the drive containing your CD-ROM. For example, type D:
- 4. Change to the directory D:\DevDrv\ Sound\ CT2511\ Win31
- 5. Type **INSTALL** then press <Enter>.
- 6. Follow the instructions presented to complete the installation.

Note: The installation will be unsuccessful if installed from the Windows DOS prompt.

III. Installation of Windows NT 4.0 Driver

Installing Audio Drivers in Windows NT4.0

- 1. Installing PNPISA.INF
- In Windows NT4.0, insert the Windows NT 4.0 CD-ROM into the CD-ROM drive.
- Locate the file PNPISA.INF in the CD directory \DRVLIB\PNPISA\X86.
- If this file can not be located, click Options on the View menu of Windows NT Explorer, select the Show All Files option and clear the Hide Extensions For Known File Types check box, then click the OK button.
- The file PNPISA.INF will be now displayed. Right-click on this file and select Install.
- Restart your computer when prompted.

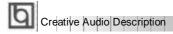
2. Installing Creative Audio Drivers

- When the system restarts, the New Hardware Found message boxes for the various devices will appear.
- If you have previously installed Windows NT 4.0 Service Pack 3, the system might prompt for the Service Pack 3 CD to install sound driver, click the cancel button.
- However, if WindosNT 4.0 service pack 3 is not installed, When prompted for the driver, click the Cancel button.
- Insert the QDI Motherboard Utility CD into the CD-ROM drive.
- Run UPDPNPNT.EXE in the directory \DevDrv\Sound\CT2511\Winnt40.
- Click the OK button If the Sound Blaster 16 Configuration box appears with no conflicts.
- If you are prompted for the Windows NT CD-ROM to install the Joystick port enabler, insert the Windows NT4.0 CD-ROM into the drive, direct the path to \DRVLIB\AUDIO\SBPNP\i386 and click the OK button.
- Restart the computer when prompted.

Please refer to the readme file in the directory

D:\ DevDrv \ Sound\ CT2511\ Winnt 40 for detailed information on installing Windows NT 4.0 driver.





IV. Enabling/ Disabling the Creative 3D Stereo Enhancement Effect

The Creative 3D Stereo Enhancement effect allows you to eliminate speaker crosstalk when two speakers are placed close together. The results are sounds with increased depth and breadth, thereby giving you enhanced mono and stereo output from the speakers. The Creative 3D Stereo Enhancement effect can be enabled or disabled in DOS and Windows95.

In DOS

To enable or disable the effect in DOS:

- 1. At the DOS prompt, change to the directory containing your audio card's software.
- 2. Type CT3DSE ON to enable the effect or CT3DSE OFF to disable the effect.

In Windows 95

To enable or disable the effect in Windows 95:

- 1. Click Start button in the task bar.
- 2. Select Settings and then Control Panel. The Control Panel group box appears.
- 3. Double-click the System icon. The System Properties dialog box appears.
- 4. Click the Device Manager tab. A list of devices found on your system appears.
- 5. Double-click Sound, video and game controllers. The audio card's name appears.
- 6. Select your audio card and choose Properties. The audio card's properties dialog box appears.
- 7. Click the Settings tab. The dialog box as shown below appears.



- 8. Click on the Enable/ Disable check box to enable/ disable the Creative 3D Stereo Enhancement effect.
- 9. Choose OK.



V. Software Wavetable Synthesis

Wavetable Synthesizer uses digital samples of actual musical instruments to create the waveforms produced by those instruments. Software wavetable synthesis uses the power of the CPU to fetch and manipulate this data. While this does require the use of some processing power, it means that no additional hardware is required to obtain higher-quality sound other than what would normally be expected from a PC.

Installation Instructions (in Windows95)

- During Windows 95, insert the QDI Motherboard Utility CD into the CD-ROM drive.
- Direct the path to D:\ DevDrv\ Sound \ CT2511\ Wavesynt and run setup.exe. The
 Creative software installation will guide you through the setup process.
- Restart Windows when prompted.

Select the WaveSynth MIDI as your default MIDI device

- Double click the Multimedia icon in Control Panel.
- Select the MIDI tab.
- In the single instrument window, highlight "WaveSynth MIDI" in the device list.



• Click < Apply >, then press < OK>.





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Appendix A

QDI Motherboard Utility CD-ROM

A QDI Motherboard Utility CD-ROM is supplied with each motherboard. The contents used for this motherboard are:

1. Chipset Dispatches:

Intel Chipset Drivers included in the directory \ChipDrv\Intel can be used for this motherboard.

a. Intel PIIX4 Driver, included in directory \ChipDrv\Intel\PIIX4

This driver is for Windows 95/OSR2 which supports the latest Intel PCI devices such as the PCI IDE hard disk controller, PCI USB device etc. It can also remove the yellow question mark in the Device Manage of Windows 95 after installation.

Run \ChipDrv\Intel\PIIX4\Setup.exe for installation.

b. Intel Bus Master Driver, included in directory \ChipDrv\Intel\BMIDE

It's Intel Bus Master Driver for Windows 95, which can enhance the capability of IDE data transaction up to Ultra DMA/33MB supported by 440ZX chipset or other ultimate chipset.

Run \ChipDrv\Intel\BMIDE\Setup.exe for installation.

2. On-board Device Drivers

The sound drivers included in the directory \DevDrv\Sound\CT2511 are for the onboard audio Creative ViBRA™ 16XV CT2511.

Run Setup.exe from the corresponding subdirectory under DevDrv\Sound\CT2511\ to install CT2511 driver, according to your OS type. In addition, run \DevDrv\sound\ CT2511\ Wavesynt\setup.exe to install CT2511 wavetable.

Note: NT4_CDROM_DRIVE: \Drvlib\pnpisa\x86\PNPISA.INF must be installed first! If not, the onboard sound card driver will be unable to function accordingly under Windows NT 4.0 because of the DMA channel confliction.

3. PC-cillin Anti-Virus software:

For Windows 95/98 English version, it is located in the directory \Pccillin\Win9X. Run Setup.exe for installation.

For Windows NT English version, it is located in the directory \Pccillin\WinNT4.0. Run Setup.exe for installation. S/N is PNEF-9991-6558-5857-5535.

4. QDI ManageEasy:

Run Setup.exe from the directory \QME to install the ManageEasy. For detailed information about QDI ManageEasy, refer to the ManageEasy Manual included in the directory \Doc. Please note, hardware is a manufacturing option.





5. QDI SecurityEasy:

This software provides a convenient access method to activate SecurityEasy. Other than pushing the SLEEP button, clicking the watchdog icon on the task bar also allows the system to enter Lock Status. Running \QSE\lock.exe for Windows 95 and Windows NT installation. (After installation refer to readme file for details by clicking Start/Programs/Security Easy Access). Please note, hardware is a manufacturing option.

6. QDI Motherboard Utility:

The utilities located in the directory \Utility are:

FLASH.EXE

CBLOGO.EXE

LF.EXE

Refer to the online help for information on how to use these utilities.

7. Documents for QDI Motherboard:

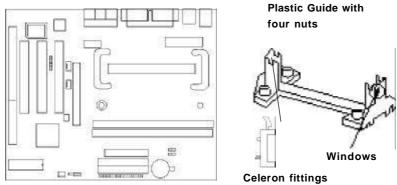
The files included in the directory \Doc are: Adobe Acrobat Reader V3.0 -ar32e301.exe ManageEasy Manuals —QMEV12.PDF.



Appendix B.

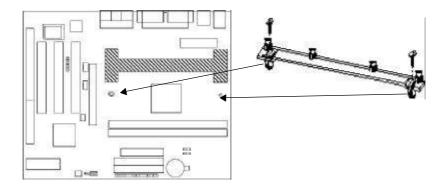
Retention Mechanism & Pentium[®] II/ Celeron[™] Processor Installation Procedures

1. Place Plastic Guide with plastic caps on the motherboard and secure all four caps.



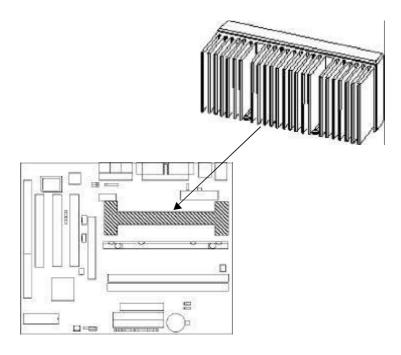
Note: 1. Please choose four caps which match the motherboard.

- 2. If choosing to use Celeron TM Processor, snap-on Celeron fittings onto the
- 3. Please note the Plastic Guide has one orientation. If one way doesn't fit, change the direction to the other way. Do not forcefully press the Plastic Guide onto the motherboard.
- 2. Install HSSBASE (Heatsink Support Base) on the motherboard, then insert the two plastic pins through the HSSBASE to secure it to the motherboard.

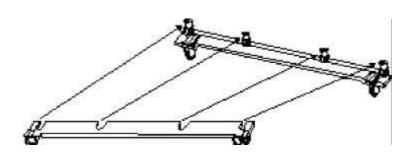




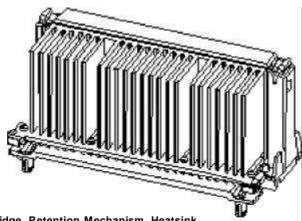
3. Insert Pentium® II or CeleronTM Processor in Slot1.



4. Clip Plastic Bar onto the HSSBASE through the fins on the processors' heatsink.



5. The Retention Mechanism installation procedure is completed as shown below.



S.E.C Cartridge, Retention Mechanism, Heatsink support, and ATX Form Factor Headsink Isometric View Not To Scale

Remark:

Please skip step2 and step4 for Boxed Pentium $^{\circledR}$ II Processor and refer to relevant details of this kind of processor for your installation.



Appendix C. **Boot Logo**

When you power on or reset your system, the picture displayed below will appear on the screen.



If you press < Esc>, it switches to the booting message screen. Otherwise, it enters operating system directly. You can use "cblogo.exe" (included on the QDI Motherboard Utility CD) to replace it by any other logo which you prefer. Regarding the method of using cblogo.exe utility, please refer to it's online help. If you don't prefer the logo displayed on the screen during boot up, set the "Show Bootup Logo" option as Disabled in the "BIOS FEATURES SETUP" section of the BIOS

* We reserve the right of modifying the default full-logo of QDI without further notification.

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Item Checklist

Completely check your package. If you discover damaged or missing items, contact your retailer.

\square	ZillioX 5 motherboard
\square	QDI Motherboard Utility CD-ROM
\square	Retention Module
\square	I/O shield
\square	1 IDE ribbon cable

✓ 1 floppy ribbon cable✓ User's manual

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