TI7NBF Socket 370 ATX Motherboard User's Manual

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README FIRST

If your motherboard has a VIA 82C693 (Apollo Pro Plus) chipset, please do the following.

1. For Windows 95.

- a. Install Windows 95 OSR2 or later version.
- b. Install USB supplement to OSR2. You may download the supplement from Microsoft's web site.
- Install VIA VXD Driver (VIA_GART table driver) V2.6 or later version. The driver can be found in the enclosed CD. Refer to the following figure.
- d. Install the VGA driver as supplied by the VGA vendor.
- e. Install the VIA IDE driver version V2.1.26 or later version from the enclosed CD.

2. For Windows 98

- Install the VIA Chipset Functions' Registry Driver V1.1 or later version. It is imperative that this driver is installed first, even if you don't have an AGP card in your system.
- Install the VIA VXD Driver (VIA_GART table driver) V2.6 or later version. The driver can be found in the enclosed CD.
- c. Install the VGA driver as supplied by the VGA vendor.
- d. Install the VIA IDE driver version V2.1.26 or later version. The driver can be found in the enclosed CD.

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Chapter 1 Introduction

This manual is designed to give you information on the TI7NBF motherboard. It is divided into the following sections:

- Introduction
- Specifications
- Hardware Description
- Configuring the Motherboard
- Installation
- BIOS and System Setup
- Audio Driver Installation Guide
- System Monitor Utility User's Guide

Checklist

Please check that your package is complete and contains the items below. If you discover damaged or missing items, please contact your dealer.

- The TI7NBF Motherboard
- 1 IDE ribbon cable
- 1 floppy ribbon cable
- 1 CD containing System Monitor utility, PIIX4 Bus Master IDE driver and utilities. The Intel LANDesk Client Manager software is optional.

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Chapter 2 Specifications

The TI7NBF is a high-performance ATX motherboard with a Socket 370 connector for PPGA 370-type Intel Celeron/Coppermine and Cyrix III processors. It offers flexibility in terms of CPU frequency and main memory type and size. The main features of the motherboard consist of the following:

CPU Socket

Socket 370

Processor

Intel Celeron / Coppermine, Cyrix III 300MHz~600MHz (or higher when available)

Bus Speed

66~150MHz

L2 Cache

CPU integrated L2 cache

CPU Voltage

Switching voltage regulator on board supporting multiple voltage ranging 1.3V-2.0V (1.3V~3.5V when JP20 jumper is OPEN.)

Main Memory

Three 168-pin DIMM sockets

NOTE: For 440ZX chipset-based motherboard, there are only two DIMM memory sockets.

Memory types: SDRAM (Synchronous DRAM)

Chipset

Intel 82440BX /ZX or VIA 82C693 with built-in PCI-IDE

Onboard Audio

The onboard audio consists of the Creative ES1373 Chip + AC97. With a PCI Bus Mastering interface with DOS compatibility, it supports 32 voices wavetable, surround sound, 3D audio, and audio effects such as reverb and chorus. Creative ES1373 uses single, shareable PCI interrupt and is PC97/PC98 compliant.

BIOS

Y2K compliant Award BIOS featuring ISA PnP extension, DMI, bootable CD-ROM and power-management features

Power Connector

ATX power supply connector (*Use an ATX power supply with 3.3V power*.)

DMI BIOS Support

Desktop Management Interface (DMI) allows users to download system hardware-level information such as CPU type, CPU speed, internal/external frequencies and memory size.

PCI Bus Master IDE Controller (Ultra DMA/33)

Onboard PCI Bus Master IDE (Ultra DMA/33) controller with two connectors for up to four IDE devices in two channels, supporting enhanced IDE devices such as Tape Backup and CD-ROM drives, PIO Mode 3/4 and Bus Mastering Ultra DMA/33 (*You have to install the Bus Master IDE driver to enable this feature.*)

Super I/O

Onboard super I/O is a Winbond W83977TF that provides:

- Two 16550 UART compatible serial ports
- One parallel port (ECP/EPP compatible)
- One floppy controller (2.88MB compatible)
- One IrDA port
- Keyboard Controller

Keyboard and Mouse Connectors

PS/2 type

USB Connector

2 ports onboard

Win95/98 shut-off

Allows shut-off control from within Windows 95

Modem-ring-on

Supports PC powering on through an external modem.

Onboard AGP Slot

The AGP (Accelerated Graphics Port) slot supports AGP compliant VGA cards to achieve rich 3D and video graphics display. AGP is a bus specification that enables 3D graphics capabilities including support for z-buffering, alpha blending and faster texture mapping.

Expansion Slots

Five PCI 32-bit slots One ISA 16-bit slots One AGP slot

Form Factor

ATX, 12.05" x 7.09" (30.6cm x 18cm)

Chapter 3 Hardware Description

This chapter briefly describes each of the major features of the TI7NBF motherboard. The layout of the board in Figure 1 shows the location of the key components. The topics covered in this chapter are as follows:

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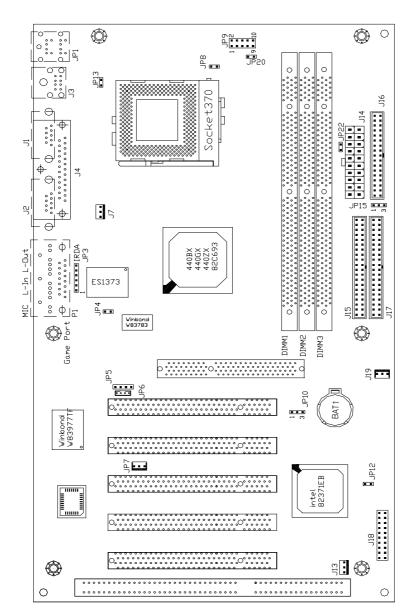


Figure 1: Layout of the TI7NBF Motherboard

3.1 Processor

The TI7NBF motherboard is designed to take an Intel Celeron, Intel Coppermine, or Cyrix III processors on the Socket 370 processor connector.

3.2 L2 Cache

The L2 cache is integrated in the processor. The private L2 cache bus is not connected to package pins; rather its signals are routed between the two cavities using standard package techniques.

3.3 Main Memory

The TI7NBF motherboard supports three 168-pin DIMM (Dual In-line Memory Module) sockets to form a memory configuration from 16MB to 384MB. DIMM modules can be 16MB, 32MB, 64MB and 128MB in SDRAM DRAM. Examples on how to configure the memory are shown in the table below.

NOTE: Use SDRAM modules with PC100 specification when running 100MHz CPU bus speed. With 66MHz CPU bus speed, SDRAM modules with PC66 or PC100 specification can be used.

168-pin DIMM (3.3V) Unbuffer SDRAM

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(DIMM1)	(DIMM2)	(DIMM3)	Total Memory	
32MB			32MB	
64MB			64MB	
128MB			128MB	
32MB	32MB		64MB	
64MB	32MB		96MB	
128MB	32MB		160MB	
32MB	32MB	32MB	96MB	
64MB	32MB	32MB	128MB	
128MB	32MB	32MB	192MB	
64MB	64MB	32MB	160MB	
128MB	64MB	32MB	224MB	
64MB	64MB	64MB	192MB	
128MB	64MB	64MB	256MB	
128MB	128MB		320MB	
128MB	128MB	32MB	288MB	
128MB	128MB	64MB	320MB	
128MB	128MB	128MB	384MB	

3.4 BIOS

The Y2K compliant BIOS on the TI7NBF motherboard provides the standard BIOS functions plus the following additional features:

1. ISA Plug and Play (PnP) Extension

Unlike PCI cards that are Plug and Play, ISA cards require setting jumpers to resolve hardware conflicts. To make a computer system PnP, an ISA PnP standard is established and supported by new operating systems, such as Windows 95. Under Windows 95, the motherboard BIOS must have an ISA PnP extension to support new ISA PnP cards.

2. Power Management

The power management feature provides power savings by slowing down the CPU clock, turning off the monitor screen and stopping the HDD spindle motor. The BIOS fully conforms to ACPI (Advanced Configuration and Power Interface) specification.

3.5 I/O Port Address Map

Each peripheral device in the system is assigned a set of I/O port addresses, which also becomes the identity of the device. There is a total of 1K port address space available. The following table lists the I/O port addresses used on the motherboard.

Address	Device Description
000h - 01Fh	DMA Controller #1
020h - 03Fh	Interrupt Controller #1
040h - 05Fh	Timer
060h - 06Fh	Keyboard Controller
070h - 07Fh	Real Time Clock,, NMI
080h - 09Fh	DMA Page Register
0A0h - 0BFh	Interrupt Controller #2
0C0h - 0DFh	DMA Controller #2
0F0h	Clear Math Coprocessor Busy Signal
0F1h	Reset Math Coprocessor
1F0h - 1F7h	IDE Interface
2F8h - 2FFh	Serial Port #2(COM2)
378h - 3FFh	Parallel Port #1(LPT1)
3F0h - 3F7h	Floppy Disk Controller
3F8h - 3FFh	Serial Port #1(COM1)

3.6 DMA Channels

There are seven DMA channels available on the motherboard. Only DMA2 is used by the floppy controller. In the case that ECP mode on the parallel port is utilized, DMA1 or DMA3 will be used.

3.7 Interrupt Request (IRQ) Lines

There are a total of 15 IRQ lines available on the motherboard. Peripheral devices use an interrupt request to notify the CPU for the service required. The following table shows the IRQ lines used by the devices on the motherboard:

<u>Level</u>		<u>Function</u>
IRQ0		System Timer Output
IRQ1		Keyboard
IRQ2	<u> </u>	Interrupt Cascade
	IRQ8	Real Time Clock
	IRQ9	Software Redirected to Int 0Ah or PCI Slot Int#
	IRQ10	Reserved or PCI Slot Int#
	IRQ11	Reserved or PCI Slot Int#
	IRQ12	PS/2 Mouse or PCI Slot Int#
	IRQ13	Co-Processor
	IRQ14	Primary IDE
	IRQ15	Secondary IDE
IRQ3		Serial Port #2
IRQ4		Serial Port #1
IRQ5		Parallel Port #2 or PCI Slot Int#
IRQ6		Floppy Disk Controller
IRQ7		Parallel Port #1

3.8 Onboard PCI-IDE

The PCI-IDE controller is a part of the 82440BX or VIA 82C693 chipset. It supports PIO mode 3/4 and bus mastering Ultra DMA/33. The peak transfer rate of PIO mode 3/4 can be as high as 17MB/sec. Using HDDs that support Ultra DMA/33, the peak transfer rate can reach 33MB/sec. There are two IDE connectors - primary IDE and secondary IDE. With two devices per connector, up to four IDE devices can be supported.

3.9 Onboard Multi-I/O

The onboard multi-I/O chip, W83977TF, supports a keyboard controller (AMI copyright), two serial ports, one parallel port, one floppy controller and one IrDA port. The serial ports are 16550 UART compatible. The parallel port features high-speed EPP/ECP mode. The floppy controller supports up to 2.88MB format.

3.10 Onboard AGP Slot

The AGP (Accelerated Graphics Port) slot supports AGP compliant VGA cards to achieve rich 3D and video graphics display. AGP is a platform bus specification that enables 3D graphics capabilities including support for z-buffering, alpha blending and faster texture mapping.

3.11 Hardware Monitoring IC

The TI7NBF comes with the Winbond W83781D hardware monitoring IC. It monitors several hardware parameters including power supply voltages, fan speeds, and temperatures, which are very important for a high-end computer system to work stable and properly.

3.12 Onboard Audio

The onboard audio consists of the Creative ES1373 Chip + AC97. With a PCI Bus Mastering interface with DOS compatibility, it supports 32 voices wavetable, surround sound, 3D audio, and audio effects such as reverb and chorus. Creative ES1373 uses single, shareable PCI interrupt and is PC97/PC98 compliant. *The onboard audio shares the same interrupt with PCI2 slot, INTB#*.

Chapter 4 Configuring the Motherboard

The following sections describe the necessary procedures and proper jumper settings to configure the TI7NBF motherboard. For the locations of the jumpers, refer to Figure 2.

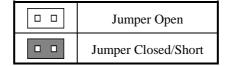
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The following examples show the conventions used in this chapter.



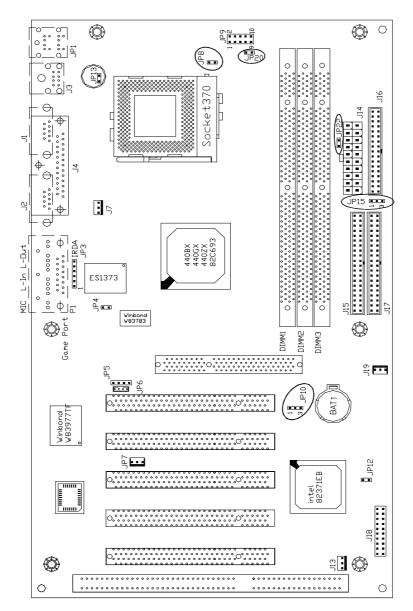


Figure 2: Jumper Location on the TI7NBF

4.1 CPU Frequency/Speed Setting

The motherboard allows users to set the CPU speed through the BIOS. The parameters in setting the CPU speed include *CPU Clock Multiplier* (X3, X3.5, X4, X4.5, X5, X5.5, X6.5, X7, X7.5, X8) and *CPU/PCI Clock Select* (66/33MHz, 75/37MHz, 83/41MHz or 100/33MHz, 103/34MHz, 105/35MHz, 110/36MHz, 112/37MHz, 115/38MHz, 120/40MHz, 124/41MHz, 124/31MHz, 133/44MHz, 133/33MHz, 140/35MHz, 150/37MHz). The parameters only appear when CPU Speed is set to *Manual*.

NOTE: Processors with locked/fixed frequencies will have a fixed CPU Clock Multiplier and will not allow changes to its value.

Aside from the *Manual* option, CPU Speed can be set to 200MHz (66x3), 233MHz (66x3.5), 266MHz (66x4), 300MHz (66x4.5), 333MHz (66x5), 366MHz (66x5.5), 400MHz (66x6), and 433MHz (66x6.5). Press the \uparrow and \downarrow keys to change the CPU speed or press the PageUp or PageDown key to see the selections for CPU Clock Multiplier and CPU Clock.

NOTE: Overclocking could cause the system not to boot. When this happens, turn off the computer by pressing the power button and turn it on again by pressing the Insert key and the power button simultaneously. Then press the Delete key to enter BIOS Setup and configure the CPU speed.

4.2 Bus Speed Select: JP8

Use JP8, a 2-pin header, to configure the bus speed at 100MHz or by CPU Auto Detect.

JP8	Jumper Setting	Function	
	open	100MHz bus speed	
	short	CPU Auto Detect	

4.3 Clear CMOS Select: JP10

Use JP10, a 3-pin header, to clear the contents of the CMOS RAM. Do not clear the CMOS RAM unless it is absolutely necessary. You will lose your password, etc.

JP10	Jumper Setting	Function	
1 2 3	pin 1-2: short	Normal	
1 2 3	pin 2-3: short	Clear CMOS	

NOTE: To clear CMOS, the ATX-power connector should be disconnected from the motherboard.

4.4 CPU Select: JP13, JP15, JP20, JP22

Configure JP13, JP15, JP20 and JP22 jumpers according to the type of processor installed on the motherboard. Please refer to the table below.

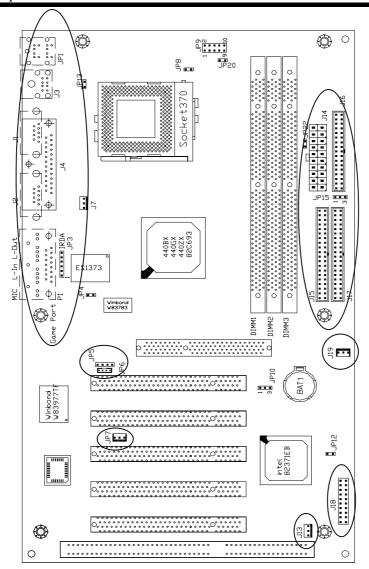
CPU	JP13	JP15	JP20	JP22
Intel Celeron	□□□	1-2 short	short	open
Intel Coppermine	short	1-2 short	short	open
Cyrix III (100MHz)	open	2-3 short	open	short
Cyrix III (133MHz)	open	2-3 short	open	open

Chapter 5 Installation

This chapter describes the interface that the TI7NBF provides for creating a working system. Refer to Figure 3 for the location of the connectors.

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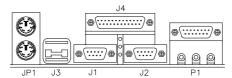


Figure 3: Connector Location on the TI7NBF

5.1 I/O Connectors

The I/O connectors connect the TI7NBF to the most common peripherals. To attach cables to these connectors, carefully align Pin 1 of the cables to that of the connectors. Refer to Figure 4 for the location and orientation of the connectors.

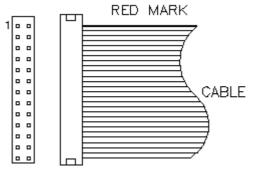
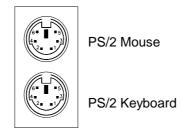


Figure 4: Orientation of the I/O Connector

5.2 JP1: PS/2 Keyboard and PS/2 Mouse Connectors



Below are the pin-out assignments of the connectors.

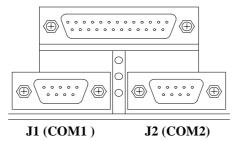
Signal Name	Keyboard	Mouse	Signal Name
Keyboard data	1	1	Mouse data
N.C.	2	2	N.C.
GND	3	3	N.C.
5V	4	4	5V
Keyboard clock	5	5	Mouse clock
N.C.	6	6	N.C.

5.3 J1, J2: Serial Ports

The onboard serial ports of the TI7NBF, J1 and J2, are two DB-9 external connectors. The following table shows the pin-out assignments of these connectors.

Signal Name	Pin#	Pin#	Signal Name
DCD, Data carrier detect	1	6	DSR, Data set ready
RXD, Receive data	2	7	RTS, Request to send
TXD, Transmit data	3	8	CTS, Clear to send
DTR, Data terminal ready	4	9	RI, Ring indicator
GND, ground	5	10	Not Used

J4 (Parallel Port)



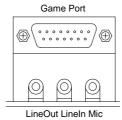
5.4 J4: Parallel Port Connector

J4 is a DB-25 external connector as seen in the above figure. The following table describes the pin- out assignments of this connector.

Signal Name	Pin#	Pin#	Signal Name
Line printer strobe	1	14	AutoFeed
PD0, parallel data 0	2	15	Error
PD1, parallel data 1	3	16	Initialize
PD2, parallel data 2	4	17	Select
PD3, parallel data 3	5	18	Ground
PD4, parallel data 4	6	19	Ground
PD5, parallel data 5	7	20	Ground
PD6, parallel data 6	8	21	Ground
PD7, parallel data 7	9	22	Ground
ACK, acknowledge	10	23	Ground
Busy	11	24	Ground
Paper empty	12	25	Ground
Select	13	N/A	N/A

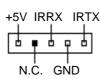
5.5 P1: Line Out/Line In/ Microphone, Game Port

The connectors for Line Out, Line In, Microphone, and Game Port are features supported by the on board Creative Labs ES1373 audio chipset.



5.6 JP3: IrDA Connector

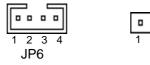
This connector is used for an IrDA connector that supports infrared wireless communication.



JP3 Pin#	Signal Name
1	+5V
2	No connect
3	Ir RX
4	Ground
5	Ir TX

5.7 JP5, JP6: CD-ROM Audio In Connectors

JP5 and JP6 are the onboard CD-ROM audio in connectors. Below are their pin assignments.



Signal Name	Pin#	Pin#	Signal Name
Ground	1	1	Left
Left	2	2	Ground
Ground	3	3	Ground
Right	4	4	Right

5.8 JP7: Wake on LAN Connector

JP7 is a 3-pin header for the Wake on LAN function on the motherboard. The following table shows the pin out assignments of this connector. Wake on LAN will function properly only with an ATX power supply with 5VSB that has 200mA.



Pin#	Signal Name
1	+5VSB
2	Ground
3	Wake on LAN

5.9 J7: CPU Fan Power Connector

J7 is a 3-pin header for the CPU fan power connector. The fan must be a 12V fan.

-	0	
1	2	3

Pin#	Signal Name
1	Rotation
2	+12V
3	Ground

5.10 J13: Chassis Fan Power Connector

J13 is a 3-pin header for the CPU fan power connector. The fan must be a 12V fan.

_	0	o L
1	2	3

Pin#	Signal Name
1	Rotation
2	+12V
3	Ground

5.11 J19: AGP Fan Power Connector

J19 is a 3-pin header for the AGP fan power connector. The fan must be a 12V fan.

-	-	_
1	2	3

Pin#	Signal Name
1	Rotation
2	+12V
3	Ground

5.12 J14: ATX Power Supply Connector

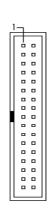
J14 is a 20-pin ATX power supply connector. Refer to the following table for the pin out assignments. (*Use an ATX power supply with 3.3V power*.)

1	1	1
	0	
	Ó	0
	0	0
	0	0
г	0	0
Ц	0	0
	0	0
	0	0
	0	0
	0	0
2	20	10

Signal Name	Pin#	Pin#	Signal Name
3.3V	11	1	3.3V
-12V	12	2	3.3V
Ground	13	3	Ground
PS-ON	14	4	+5V
Ground	15	5	Ground
Ground	16	6	+5V
Ground	17	7	Ground
-5V	18	8	Power good
+5V	19	9	5VSB
+5V	20	10	+12V

5.13 J16: Floppy Drive Connector

J16 of the TI7NBF is a 34-pin header and will support up to 2.88MB floppy drives. The following table shows its pin-out assignments.



Signal Name	Pin#	Pin#	Signal Name
Ground	1	2	RM/LC
Ground	3	4	No connect
Ground	5	6	No connect
Ground	7	8	Index
Ground	9	10	Motor enable 0
Ground	11	12	Drive select 1
Ground	13	14	Drive select 0
Ground	15	16	Motor enable 1
Ground	17	18	Direction
Ground	19	20	Step
Ground	21	22	Write data
Ground	23	24	Write gate
Ground	25	26	Track 00
Ground	27	28	Write protect
Ground	29	30	Read data
Ground	31	32	Side 1 select
Ground	33	34	Diskette change

5.14 J17, J15: EIDE Connectors

J17: Primary IDE Connector

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Signal Name	Pin#	Pin#	Signal Name
Reset IDE	1	2	Ground
Host data 7	3	4	Host data 8
Host data 6	5	6	Host data 9
Host data 5	7	8	Host data 10
Host data 4	9	10	Host data 11
Host data 3	11	12	Host data 12
Host data 2	13	14	Host data 13
Host data 1	15	16	Host data 14
Host data 0	17	18	Host data 15
Ground	19	20	Key
DRQ0	21	22	Ground
Host IOW	23	24	Ground
Host IOR	25	26	Ground
IOCHRDY	27	28	Host ALE
DACK0	29	30	Ground
IRQ14	31	32	No connect
Address 1	33	34	No connect
Address 0	35	36	Address 2
Chip select 0	37	38	Chip select 1
Activity	39	40	Ground

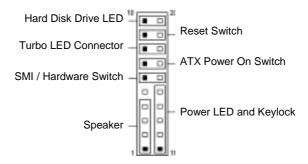
J15: Secondary IDE Connector

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13. Secondary IDE Connector					
Signal Name	Pin#	Pin#	Signal Name		
Reset IDE	1	2	Ground		
Host data 7	3	4	Host data 8		
Host data 6	5	6	Host data 9		
Host data 5	7	8	Host data 10		
Host data 4	9	10	Host data 11		
Host data 3	11	12	Host data 12		
Host data 2	13	14	Host data 13		
Host data 1	15	16	Host data 14		
Host data 0	17	18	Host data 15		
Ground	19	20	Key		
DRQ0	21	22	Ground		
Host IOW	23	24	Ground		
Host IOR	25	26	Ground		
IOCHRDY	27	28	Host ALE		
DACK1	29	30	Ground		
MIRQ0	31	32	No connect		
Address 1	33	34	No connect		
Address 0	35	36	Address 2		
Chip select 0	37	38	Chip select 1		
Activity	39	40	Ground		

5.15 J18: Front Bezel Connectors

The front bezel of the case has a control panel, which provides light indication of the computer activities and switches to change the computer status. J18 is a 20-pin header that provides interfaces for the following functions.



Speaker: Pins 1 - 4

This connector provides an interface to a speaker for audio tone generation. An 8-ohm speaker is recommended.



Pin#	Signal Name
1	Speaker out
2	No connect
3	Ground
4	+5V

Power LED and Keylock: Pins 11 - 15

The power LED indicates the status of the main power switch. The keylock switch, when closed, will disable the keyboard function.



Pin#	Signal Name
11	Power LED
12	No connect
13	Ground
14	Keylock
15	Ground

SMI/Hardware Switch: Pins 6 and 16

This connector supports the "Green Switch" on the control panel, which, when pressed, will force the system board into the power-saving mode immediately.



Pin#	Signal Name
6	Sleep
16	Ground

ATX Power ON Switch: Pins 7 and 17

This 2-pin connector is an "ATX Power Supply On/Off Switch" on the motherboard that connects to the power switch on the case. When pressed, the power switch will force the motherboard to power on. When pressed again, it will force the motherboard to power off.



Turbo LED Connector: Pins 8 and 18

There is no turbo/deturbo function on the motherboard. The Turbo LED on the control panel will always be On when attached to this connector.



Pin#	Signal Name
8	5V
18	Ground

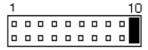
Reset Switch: Pins 9 and 19

The reset switch allows the user to reset the system without turning the main power switch Off and then On. Orientation is not required when making a connection to this header.



Hard Disk Drive LED Connector: Pins 10 and 20

This connector connects to the hard drive activity LED on control panel. This LED will flash when the HDD is being accessed.



Pin#	Signal Name
10	Ground
20	5V

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Chapter 6 BIOS and System Setup

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Reset Configuration Data IRQ3/4/5/7/9/10/11/12/14/15, DMA0/1/3/5/6/7 assigned to CPU to PCI Write Buffer PCI Dynamic Bursting PCI Master 0 WS Write PCI Delay Transaction PCI#2 Access #1 Retry AGP Master 1 WS Write AGP Master 1 WS Read PCI IRQ Activated by Assign IRQ for USB/VGA	
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6.1 BIOS Introduction

The Award BIOS (Basic Input/Output System) installed in your computer system's ROM supports Intel Celeron/Coppermine processors. The BIOS provides critical low-level support for standard devices such as disk drives, serial ports, and parallel ports. It also adds virus and password protection as well as special support for detailed fine-tuning of the chipset controlling the entire system.

6.2 BIOS Setup

The Award BIOS provides a Setup utility program for specifying the system configurations and settings. The BIOS ROM of the system stores the Setup utility. When you turn on the computer, the Award BIOS is immediately activated. Pressing the key immediately allows you to enter the Setup utility. If you are a little bit late pressing the key, POST (Power On Self Test) will continue with its test routines, thus preventing you from invoking the Setup. If you still wish to enter Setup, restart the system by pressing the "Reset" button or simultaneously pressing the <Ctrl>, <Alt> and <Delete> keys. You can also restart by turning the system Off and back On again. The following message will appear on the screen:

Press to Enter Setup

In general, you press the arrow keys to highlight items, <Enter> to select, the <PgUp> and <PgDn> keys to change entries, <F1> for help and <Esc> to quit.

When you enter the Setup utility, the Main Menu screen will appear on the screen. The Main Menu allows you to select from various setup functions and exit choices.

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

STANDARD CMOS SETUP	CPU SPEED SETTING			
BIOS FEATURES SETUP	INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS			
CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP	SUPERVISOR PASSWORD			
POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP	USER PASSWORD			
PNP/PCI CONFIGURATION	IDE HDD AUTO DETECTION			
LOAD BIOS DEFAULTS	SAVE & EXIT SETUP			
LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS	EXIT WITHOUT SAVING			
ESC : Quit	↑ ↓ → ← : Select Item			
F10 : Save & Exit Setup	(Shift) F2: Change Color			
Time, Date, H	Time, Date, Hard Disk Type			

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The section below the setup items of the Main Menu displays the control keys for this menu. Another section at the bottom of the Main Menu just below the control keys section displays information on the currently highlighted item in the list.

NOTE: After making and saving system changes with Setup, you find that your computer cannot boot, the Award BIOS supports an override to the CMOS settings that resets your system to its default.

We strongly recommend that you avoid making any changes to the chipset defaults. These defaults have been carefully chosen by both Award and your system manufacturer to provide the absolute maximum performance and reliability.

6.3 Standard CMOS Setup

"Standard CMOS Setup" choice allows you to record some basic hardware configurations in your computer system and set the system clock and error handling. If the motherboard is already installed in a working system, you will not need to select this option. You will need to run the Standard CMOS option, however, if you change your system hardware configurations, the onboard battery fails, or the configuration stored in the CMOS memory was lost or damaged.

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

Date (mm:dd:yy) : Wed, Mar 4 1998								
Time (hh:mm:ss) :	Time (hh:mm:ss): 00:00:00							
HARD DISKS	TYPE	SIZE	CYLS	HEAD	PRECOMP	LANDZ	SECTOR	MODE
Primary Master	Auto	0	0	0	0	0	0	Auto
Primary Slave	Auto	0	0	0	0	0	0	Auto
Secondary Master	Auto	0	0	0	0	0	0	Auto
Secondary Slave	Auto	0	0	0	0	0	0	Auto
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Drive A	: 1.4	4M, 3.5	in		Base I	Memory	:	640K
Drive B	: No	ne			Extended I	Memory	:	15360K
					Other I	Memory	:	384K
Video	: EG	A / VGA						
Halt On	: All	Errors			Total I	Memory	:	16384K
ESC : Quit		1	$\wedge \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$: Select	Item	PU / P	D / + / - : Mo	dify
F1: Help		(5	Shift) F2	: Chang	e Color			

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At the bottom of the menu are the control keys for use on this menu. If you need any help in each item field, you can press the <F1> key. It will display the relevant information to help you. The memory display at the lower right-hand side of the menu is read-only. It will adjust automatically according to the memory changed. The following describes each item of this menu.

Date

The date format is:

Day: Sun to Sat
Month: 1 to 12
Date: 1 to 31
Year: 1994 to 2079

To set the date, highlight the "Date" field and use the PageUp/ PageDown or +/- keys to set the current time.

Time

The time format is: Hour : 00 to 23

Minute: 00 to 59 Second: 00 to 59

To set the time, highlight the "Time" field and use the $<\!PgUp\!>\!/<\!PgDn\!>$ or $+\!/$ - keys to set the current time.

Primary HDDs / Secondary HDDs

The onboard PCI IDE connectors provide Primary and Secondary channels for connecting up to four IDE hard disks or other IDE devices. Each channel can support up to two hard disks; the first is the "Master" and the second is the "Slave".

To enter the specifications for a hard disk drive, you must select first a "Type". There are 45 predefined types and 4 user definable types are for Enhanced IDE BIOS. Type 1 to 45 are predefined. Type "User" is user-definable. For the Primary Master/Slave as well as Secondary Master/Slave, you can select "Auto" under the TYPE and MODE fields. This will enable auto detection of your IDE drives and CD-ROM drive during POST.

Press <PgUp>/<PgDn> to select a numbered hard disk type or type the number and press the <Enter> key. The hard disk will not work properly if you enter incorrect information for this field. If your hard disk drive type is not matched or listed, you can use Type User to define your own drive type manually. If you select Type User, related information is asked to be entered to the following items.

CYLS: Number of cylinders
HEAD: Number of read/write heads
PRECOMP: Write precompensation

LANDZ: Landing zone
SECTOR: Number of sectors

SIZE: Automatically adjust according to the configuration

MODE (**for IDE HDD only**): Auto

Normal (HD < 528MB) Large (for MS-DOS only)

LBA (HD > 528MB and supports Logical Block Addressing) **NOTE**: The specifications of your drive must match with the drive table. The hard disk will not work properly if you enter incorrect information in these fields. If your hard disk drive type is not matched or listed, you can use Type User to define your own drive type manually.

Drive A / Drive B

These fields identify the types of floppy disk drive A or drive B that has been installed in the computer. The available specifications are:

360KB 1.2MB 720KB 1.44MB 2.88MB 5.25 in. 5.25 in. 3.5 in. 3.5 in. 3.5 in.

Video

This field selects the type of video display card installed in your system. You can choose the following video display cards:

EGA/VGA	For EGA, VGA, SEGA, SVGA
	or PGA monitor adapters. (default)
CGA 40	Power up in 40 column mode.
CGA 80	Power up in 80 column mode.
MONO	For Hercules or MDA adapters.

Halt On

This field determines whether the system will halt if an error is detected during power up.

No errors The system boot will not be halted 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.

keyboard error; it will stop for all other errors

error; it will stop for all other errors.

All, But Disk/Key The system boot will not be halted for a key-

board or disk error; it will stop for all others.

6.4 BIOS Features Setup

This section allows you to configure and improve your system and allows you to set up some system features according to your preference.

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

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Virus Warning	: Disabled	Video BIOS Shadow	: Enabled
CPU Internal Cache	: Enabled	C8000-CBFFF Shado	w : Disabled
External Cache	: Enabled	CC000-CFFFF Shado	w : Disabled
CPU L2 Cache ECC Checking	: Enabled	D0000-D3FFF Shado	w : Disabled
Quick Power On Self Test	: Enabled	D4000-D7FFF Shado	w : Disabled
Boot Sequence	: A, C, SCSI	D8000-DBFFF Shado	w : Disabled
Swap Floppy Drive	: Disabled	DC000-DFFF Shadov	w : Disabled
Boot Up Floppy Drive	: Enabled		
Boot Up Numlock Status	: On		
Gate A20 Option	: Fast		
Typematic Rate Setting	: Disabled		
Typematic Rate (chars/Sec)	: 6		
Typematic Delay (Msec)	: 250		
Security Option	: Setup		
PCI /VGA Palette Snoop	: Disabled		
OS Select For DRAM>64MB	: Non-OS2	ESC : Quit	$\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$: Select Item
HDD S.M.A.R.T. capability	: Enabled	F1 : Help	PU/PD/+/-: Modify
Report No FDD For WIN 95	: Yes	F5 : Old Values	(Shift) F2 : Color
		F6 : Load BIOS Defau	ılts
		F7 : Load Setup Defai	ults

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Virus Warning

This item protects the boot sector and partition table of your hard disk against accidental modifications. If an attempt is made, the BIOS will halt the system and display a warning message. If this occurs, you can either allow the operation to continue or run an anti-virus program to locate and remove the problem.

NOTE: Many disk diagnostic programs which attempt to access the boot sector table can cause the virus warning. If you will run such a program, disable the Virus Warning feature.

CPU Internal Cache / External Cache

Cache memory is additional memory that is much faster than conventional DRAM (system memory). CPUs from 486-type on up contain internal cache memory, and most, but not all, modern PCs have additional (external) cache memory. When the CPU requests data, the system transfers the requested data from the main DRAM into cache memory, for even faster access by the CPU. These items allow you to enable (speed up memory access) or disable the cache function. By default, these items are *Enabled*.

CPU L2 Cache ECC Checking

When enabled, this allows ECC checking of the CPU's L2 cache. By default, this field is *Enabled*.

Ouick Power On Self Test

When enabled, this field speeds up the Power On Self Test (POST) after the system is turned on. If it is set to *Enabled*, BIOS will skip some items.

Boot Sequence

This field determines the drive that the system searches first for an operating system. The default value is *A*, *C*, *SCSI*. The options are:

A, C, SCSI	D, A, SCSI	SCSI, C, A
C, A, SCSI	E, A, SCSI	C only
C, CDROM, A	F, A, SCSI	LS/ZIP, C
CDROM, C, A	SCSI, A, C	

Swap Floppy Drive

This item allows you to determine whether to enable Swap Floppy Drive or not. When enabled, the BIOS swaps floppy drive assignments so that Drive A becomes Drive B, and Drive B becomes Drive A. By default, this field is set to *Disabled*.

Boot Up Floppy Seek

When enabled, the BIOS will seek whether or not the floppy drive installed has 40 or 80 tracks. 360K type has 40 tracks while 760K, 1.2M and 1.44M all have 80 tracks. By default, this field is set to *Enabled*.

Boot Up NumLock Status

This allows you to activate the NumLock function after you power up the system. By default, the system boots up with *NumLock* On.

Boot Up System Speed

This has no function and selects the default system speed (High).

Gate A20 Option

This field allows you to select how Gate A20 is worked. Gate A20 is a device used to address memory above 1 MB. The default setting is *Fast*.

Typematic Rate Setting

When disabled, continually holding down a key on your keyboard will generate only one instance. When enabled, you can set the two typematic controls listed next. By default, this field is set to *Disabled*.

Typematic Rate (Chars/Sec)

When the typematic rate is enabled, the system registers repeated keystrokes speeds. You can select speed range from 6 to 30 characters per second. By default, this item is set to **6**.

Typematic Delay (Msec)

When the typematic rate is enabled, this item allows you to set the time interval for displaying the first and second characters. By default, this item is set to **250msec**.

Security Option

This field allows you to limit access to the System and Setup. The default value is *Setup*. When you select *System*, the system prompts for the User Password every time you boot up. When you select *Setup*, the system always boots up and prompts for the Supervisor Password only when the Setup utility is called up.

PCI/VGA Palette Snoop

Some non-standard VGA display cards may not show colors properly. This field allows you to set whether MPEG ISA/VESA VGA Cards can work with PCI/VGA or not. When this field is enabled, a PCI/VGA can work with a MPEG ISA/VESA VGA card. When this field is disabled, a PCI/VGA cannot work with a MPEG ISA/VESA Card.

OS Select for DRAM > 64MB

This option allows the system to access greater than 64MB of DRAM memory when used with OS/2 that depends on certain BIOS calls to access memory. The default setting is *Non-OS/2*.

HDD S.M.A.R.T. capability

This option enables or disables the S.M.A.R.T. (Self-Monitoring, Analysis, and Reporting Technology) capability hard disks.

Report No FDD for WIN 95

This option allows Windows 95 to share with other peripherals IRQ6 that is assigned to a floppy disk drive if the drive is not existing. The default setting is *No*.

Video BIOS Shadow

This item allows you to change the Video BIOS location from ROM to RAM. Video Shadow will increase the video speed.

C8000 - CBFFF Shadow/DC000 - DFFFF Shadow

Shadowing a ROM reduces the memory available between $640 \mathrm{KB}$ to $1024 \mathrm{KB}$. These fields determine whether optional ROM will be copied to RAM or not.

6.5 Chipset Features Setup

This Setup menu controls the configuration of the motherboard chipset.

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

SDRAM RAS-to-CAS Delay SDRAM RAS Precharge Time SDRAM CAS Latency Timer SDRAM Precharge Control DRAM Integrity Mode System BIOS Cacheable Video BIOS Cacheable Video RAM Cacheable 8 Bit I/O Recovery Time 16 Bit I/O Recovery Time Memory Hole At 15MB-16MB Passive Release	: 3 : Disabled : Non-ECC : Disabled : Enabled : Disabled : 3 : 2 : Disabled : Enabled		
Delayed Transaction AGP Aperture Size (MB)	: Disabled : 64		
Spread Spectrum	: Disabled	ESC : Quit F1 : Help F5 : Old Values F6 : Load BIOS Defau F7 : Load Setup Defau	

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Bank 0/1 DRAM Timing	: SDRAM 10ns		_
Bank 2/3 DRAM Timing	: SDRAM 10ns		
Bank 4/5 DRAM Timing	: SDRAM 10ns		
SDRAM Cycle Length	: 3		
DRAM CLOCK	: Host CLK		
Memory Hole	: Disabled		
Read Around Write	: Disabled		
Concurrent PCI/Host	: Disabled		
System BIOS Cacheable	: Enabled		
Video RAM Cacheable	: Disabled		
AGP Aperture Size (MB)	: 64		
AGP-2X Mode	: Enabled		
OnChip USB	: Disabled		
USB Keyboard Support	: Disabled		
Spread Spectrum	: Disabled	ESC : Quit	$\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$: Select Item
		F1: Help	
		F5 : Old Values F6 : Load BIOS Defa	(Shift) F2 : Color
		F7 : Load Setup Defa	
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SDRAM RAS-to-CAS Delay

When DRAM is refreshed, both rows and columns are addressed separately. This field allows you to determine the timing of transition from Row Address Stove (RAS) to Column Address Strobe (CAS).

SDRAM RAS Precharge Time

The precharge time is the number of cycles it takes for the RAS to accumulate its charge before DRAM refresh. If insufficient time is allowed, refresh may be incomplete and the DRAM may fail to retain data.

SDRAM CAS Latency Time

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

Bank DRAM Timing

These fields define the speed of the DRAM memory onboard. The options are *Normal*, *Medium*, *Fast*, *Turbo*, *SDRAM 8ns* and *SDRAM10ns*. By default, these fields are set to *SDRAM 10ns*.

DRAM Clock

The DRAM Clock can be set to Host CLK or the CPU clock itself and to 66MHz. By default, this field is set to **Host CLK**.

SDRAM Precharge Control

This field enables of enables the SDRAM Precharge Control.

SDRAM Cycle Length

This field sets the SDRAM cycle length to either 2 or 3. The default setting is 3.

Memory Hole

In order to improve performance, certain space in memory can be reserved for ISA cards. This field allows you to reserve 15MB to 16MB memory address space to ISA expansion cards. This makes memory from 15MB and up unavailable to the system. Expansion cards can only access memory up to 16MB. By default, this field is set to *Disabled*.

Read Around Write

DRAM optimization feature: If a memory read is addressed to a location whose latest write is being held in a buffer before being written to memory, the read is satisfied through the buffer contents, and the read is not sent to the DRAM. The default setting is *Enabled*.

Concurrent PCI/Host

This field enables or disables the concurrent PCI/Host. The default setting is *Disabled*.

Video RAM Cacheable

Selecting *Enabled* allows caching of the video BIOS ROM at C0000h to C7FFFh, resulting in better video performance. However, if any program writes to this memory area, a memory access error may result.

DRAM Data Integrity Mode

Set this field to *ECC* if the DRAM installed in the system supports it. Otherwise, do not reset the default of *Non-ECC*.

System BIOS Cacheable

Select Enabled allows caching of the system BIOS ROM at F000h-FFFFFh, resulting in better system performance. However, if any program writes to this memory area, a system error may result.

Video BIOS Cacheable

Select Enabled allows caching of the video BIOS ROM at C0000h-F7FFFh, resulting in better video performance. However, if any program writes to this memory area, a system error may result.

Video RAM Cacheable

Selecting *Enabled* allows caching of the video BIOS ROM at C0000h to C7FFFh, resulting in better video performance. However, if any program writes to this memory area, a memory access error may result.

8 Bit I/O Recovery Time

This option specifies the length of the delay (in sysclks) inserted between consecutive 8-bit I/O operations. The settings are 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, or 8. The default setting is 3.

16 Bit I/O Recovery Time

This option specifies the length of the delay (in sysclks) inserted between consecutive 16-bit I/O operations. The settings are 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, or 8. The default setting is 2.

Memory Hole at 15MB - 16MB

In order to improve performance, certain space in memory can be reserved for ISA cards. This field allows you to reserve 15MB to 16MB memory address space to ISA expansion cards. This makes memory from 15MB and up unavailable to the system. Expansion cards can only access memory up to 16MB. By default, this field is set to *Disabled*.

Passive Release

When enabled, CPU to PCI bus accesses are allowed during passive release. Otherwise, the arbiter only accepts another PCI master access to local DRAM.

Delayed Transaction

The chipset has an embedded 32-bit posted write buffer to support delay transactions cycles. Select *Enabled* to support compliance with PCI specification version 2.1. The default setting is *Enabled*.

AGP Aperture Size (MB)

The field sets aperture size of the graphics. The aperture is a portion of the PCI memory address range dedicated for graphics memory address space. Host cycles that hit the aperture range are forwarded to the AGP without any translation. The options available are 4M, 8M, 16M, 32M, 64M, 128M and 256M. The default setting is *64M*.

AGP-2X Mode

The field enables or disables the AGP-2X mode of the VGA card. The default setting is *Enabled*.

OnChip USB

Set this field to *Enabled* if there is any USB device being used in the system.

USB Keyboard Support

Set this field to *Enabled* if there is a USB keyboard being used in the system.

Spread Spectrum

This field sets the value of the spread spectrum. Options are *Disabled*, 0.25%, and 0.05%. The default setting is *Disabled*. This field is for CE testing use only.

6.6 Power Management Setup

The Power Management Setup allows you to save energy of your system effectively. It will shut down the hard disk and turn off video display after a period of inactivity.

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

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ACPI function	: Enabled	** Reload Glol	oal Timer Events **
Power Management	: User Define	IRQ3 (3-7, 9-15), NMI	: Disabled
PM Control by APM	: Yes	Primary IDE 0	: Enabled
Video Off Method	: V/H SYNC +Blank	Primary IDE 1	: Enabled
Video Off After	: Standby	Secondary IDE 0	: Disabled
MODEM Use IRQ	: 3	Secondary IDE 1	: Disabled
		Floppy Disk	: Disabled
Doze Mode	: Disabled	Serial Port	: Enabled
Standby Mode	: Disabled	Parallel Port	: Disabled
Suspend Mode	: Disabled		
HDD Power Down	: Disabled		
Throttle Duty Cycle	: 62.5%		
VGA Active Monitor	: Enabled		
Soft-Off by PWR-BTTN	: Instant-Off		
PWR-On by Modem/LAN	: Disabled		
Resume by Alarm	: Disabled	ESC : Quit	$\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$: Select Item
		F1 : Help	PU/PD/+/-: Modify
IRQ 8 Break Suspend	: Disabled	F5 : Old Values	(Shift) F2 : Color
		F6 : Load BIOS Defaults	
		F7 : Load Setup Defaults	

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ACPI Function	: Enabled	Primary INTR	: ON
Power Management	: User Define	IRQ3 (COM2)	: Primary
PM Control by APM	: Yes	IRQ4 (COM1)	: Primary
Video Off Option	: Suspend -> Off	IRQ5 (LPT 2)	: Primary
Video Off Method	: V/H SYNC +Blank	IRQ6 (Floppy Disk)	: Primary
Soft-Off by PWRBTN	: Instant-Off	IRQ7 (LPT 1)	: Primary
Modem Use IRQ	: 3	IRQ8 (RTC Alarm)	: Disabled
** PM Time	** PM Timers **		: Secondary
HDD Power Down	: Disabled	IRQ10 (Reserved)	: Secondary
Doze Mode	: Disabled	IRQ11 (Reserved)	: Secondary
Suspend Mode	: Disabled	IRQ12 (PS/2 Mouse)	: Primary
** PM Ever	nts **	IRQ13 (Coprocessor)	: Primary
VGA	: OFF	IRQ14 (Hard Disk)	: Primary
LPT & COM	: LPT / COM	IRQ15 (Reserved)	: Primary
HDD & FDD	: ON	ESC : Quit	↑ ↓ → ← : Select Item
DMA / master	: OFF	F1 : Help	PU/PD/+/-: Modify
PWR-On by Modem/LAN	: Disabled	F5 : Old Values	(Shift) F2 : Color
RTC Alarm Resume	: Disabled	F6: Load BIOS Defau	Its
		F7 : Load Setup Defau	ılts

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ACPI function

ACPI stands for Advanced Configuration Power Interface. The default setting of this field *Enabled*.

Power Management

This field allows you to select the type of power saving management modes. There are fours selections for Power Management.

Min. Power Saving Minimum power management
Max. Power Saving Maximum power management.

User Define Each of the ranges are from 1 min. to

1hr. Except for HDD Power Down which ranges from 1 min. to 15 min.

(Default)

NOTE: In order to enable the CPU overheat protection feature, the Power Management field should not be set to Disabled.

PM Control by APM

This field allows you to use the Advanced Power Management device to enhance the Max. Power Saving mode and stop the CPU's internal clock. If the Max. Power Saving is not enabled, this will be preset to NO.

Video Off Method

This field defines the Video Off features. There are three options.

V/H SYNC + Blank Default setting, blank the screen and turn off vertical and horizontal scanning.

DPMS Allows the BIOS to control the video display card if it

supports the DPMS feature.

Blank Screen This option only writes blanks to the video buffer.

Video Off After

As the system moves from lesser to greater power-saving modes, select the mode in which you want the monitor to blank.

Video Off Option

This field determines the state at which video enters into when turned off. By default, this field is set to *Suspend -> Off*.

Modem Use IRQ

This field names the interrupt request (IRQ) line assigned to the modem (if any) on your system. Activity of the selected IRQ always awakens the system. By default, the IRQ is set to 3.

Doze Mode

When enabled, and after the set time of system inactivity, the CPU clock will run at a slower speed while all other devices still operate at full speed.

Standby Mode

After the selected period of system inactivity, the fixed disk drive and the video shut off while all other devices still operate at full speed.

Suspend Mode

When enabled, and after the set time of system inactivity, all devices except the CPU will be shut off.

HDD Power Down

When enabled, and after the set time of system inactivity, the hard disk drive will be powered down while all other devices remain active.

Throttle Duty Cycle

When the system enters Doze mode, the CPU clock runs only part of the time. You may select the percent of time that the clock runs.

PCI/VGA Act-Monitor

When enabled, any video activity restarts the global timer for Standby mode. The default setting is *Disabled*.

Soft-Off by PWR-BTTN

This field defines the power-off mode when using an ATX power supply. The Instant-Off mode allows powering off immediately upon pressing the power button. In the *Delay 4 Sec* mode, the system powers off when the power button is pressed for more than four seconds or places the system in a very low-power-usage state, with only enough circuitry receiving power to detect power button activity. The default value is *Instant-Off*.

PWR-On by Modem/LAN

Enabling this field allows power on of the system through the modem or local area network.

Resume by Alarm (RTC Alarm)

This allows a computer to be turned on automatically through the timer set in the BIOS to make the system more schedulable. By default, this field is set to *Disabled*.

IRQ 8 Break Suspend

You can enable or disable the monitoring of IRQ 8 (Real Time Clock) so it does not awaken the system from Suspend mode.

Reload Global Timer Events

This section determines the reloading of the 'timers' after entering the Full On You can enable or disable the monitoring of IRQ 8 (Real Time Clock) so it does not awaken the system from Suspend mode.

PM Events

The VGA, LPT & COM, HDD & FDD, DMA /master, PWR-On by Modem/LAN, RTC Alarm Resume and Primary INTR section are I/O events which can prevent the system from entering a power saving mode or can awaken the system from such a mode. When an I/O device wants to gain the attention of the operating system, it signals this by causing an IRQ to occur. When the operating system is ready to respond to the request, it interrupts itself and performs the service. The default value is *Off*. When set On, activity will neither prevent the system from going into a power management mode nor awaken it. The IRQ section sets the wake-up call of the system. If activity is detected from any enabled IRQ channels in the left-hand group, the system wakes up from suspended mode.

6.7 PNP/PCI Configuration

This option configures the PCI bus system. All PCI bus systems on the system use INT#, thus all installed PCI cards must be set to this value.

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS PNP/PCI CONFIGURATION AWARD SOFTWARE INC.

PNP OS Installed	: Yes	Used MEM base addr	: N/A	
Resources Controlled I	oy : Manual			
Reset Configuration Da	ata : Disabled			
IRQ-3 assigned to	: Legacy ISA			
IRQ-4 assigned to	: Legacy ISA			
IRQ-5 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP			
IRQ-7 assigned to	: Legacy ISA			
IRQ-9 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP			
IRQ-10 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP			
IRQ-11 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP			
IRQ-12 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP			
IRQ-14 assigned to	: Legacy ISA			
IRQ-15 assigned to	: Legacy ISA			
DMA-0 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP			
DMA-1 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	ESC : Quit	↑ ↓ ← : Select Item	
DMA-3 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	F1 : Help	PU/PD/+/-: Modify	
DMA-5 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	F5 : Old Values	(Shift) F2 : Color	
DMA-6 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	F6 : Load BIOS Defaults		
DMA-7 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	F7 : Load Setup Defau	lts	

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PNP OS Installed	: No	CPU to PCI Write Buffe	er : Enabled
Resources Controlled by	: Manual	PCI Dynamic Bursting	: Enabled
Reset Configuration Data	: Disabled	PCI Master 0 WS Writ	te : Disabled
		PCI Delay Transaction	: Enabled
IRQ-3 assigned to	: Legacy ISA	PCI#2 Access #1 Retry	: Disabled
IRQ-4 assigned to	: Legacy ISA	AGP Master 1 WS Wri	te : Enabled
IRQ-5 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	AGP Master 1 WS Rea	ad : Disabled
IRQ-7 assigned to	: Legacy ISA		
IRQ-9 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	PCI IRQ Activated By	: Level
IRQ-10 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	Assign IRQ For USB	: Enabled
IRQ-11 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	Assign IRQ For VGA	: Enabled
IRQ-12 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP		
IRQ-14 assigned to	: Legacy ISA		
IRQ-15 assigned to	: Legacy ISA		
DMA-0 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP		
DMA-1 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	ESC : Quit	↑ ↓ ← : Select Item
DMA-3 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	F1 : Help	PU/PD/+/-: Modify
DMA-5 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	F5 : Old Values	(Shift) F2 : Color
DMA-6 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	F6 : Load BIOS Defaults	
DMA-7 assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	F7 : Load Setup Defau	lts

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PNP OS Installed

This field allows you to specify if the operating system installed in your system is plug and play aware.

NOTE: Operating systems such as DOS, OS/2, and Windows 3.x do not use PnP

Resources Controlled by

This PnP BIOS can configure all of the boot and compatible devices automatically. However, this capability needs you to use a PnP operating system such as Windows 95. The default value is *Manual*.

Reset Configuration Data

This field allows you to determine whether to reset the configuration data or not. The default value is *Disabled*.

IRQ3/4/5/7/9/10/11/12/14/15, DMA0/1/3/5/6/7 assigned to

These fields allow you to determine the IRQ/DMA assigned to the ISA bus and is not available to any PCI slot.

Used MEM base addr

Select a base address for the memory area used by any peripheral that requires high memory. The default setting is N/A.

CPU to PCI Write Buffer

When enabled, this option increases the efficiency of the PCI bus to and speed up the execution in the processor. By default, this field is set to *Enabled*.

PCI Dynamic Bursting

When enabled, this option combines several PCI cycles into one. By default, this field is set to *Disabled*.

PCI Master 0 WS Write

When enabled, this option increases the write cycle speed.

PCI Delay Transaction

When enabled, this option delays PCI data transaction. By default, this field is set to *Enabled*.

PCI#2 Access #1 Retry

This item enables PC#2 Access #1 attempts. By default, this field is set to *Disabled*.

AGP Master 1 WS Write

When enabled, writes to the AGP bus are executed with 1 wait states. By default, this field is set to *Enabled*.

AGP Master 1 WS Read

When enabled, reads to the AGP bus are executed with 1 wait states. By default, this field is set to *Enabled*.

PCI IRQ Activated by

This field allows you to select the method by which the PCI bus recognizes that an IRQ service is being requested by a device. The default value is *Level*.

Assign IRQ for USB/VGA

These fields allow you to enable or disable the IRQ for USB and VGA. By default, these fields are enabled.

6.8 Load BIOS Defaults

This option allows you to load the troubleshooting default values permanently stored in the BIOS ROM. These default settings are non-optimal and disable all high-performance features.

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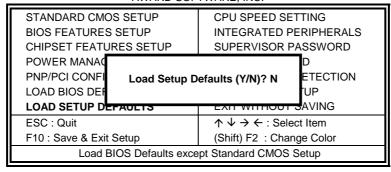
STANDARD CMC	OS SETUP	CPU SPEED SETTING		
BIOS FEATURES	SETUP	INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS		
CHIPSET FEATU	IRES SETUP	SUPERVISOR PASSWORD		
POWER MANAG	Load BIOS Defaults (Y/N)? N		7 P	
PNP/PCI CONFI			ETECTION	
LOAD BIOS DEF			UP	
LOAD SETUP D	AVING		AVING	
ESC : Quit	ESC : Quit		ct Item	
F10 : Save & Exit Setup		(Shift) F2: Change Color		
Load E	Load BIOS Defaults except Standard CMOS Setup			

To load BIOS defaults value to CMOS SRAM, enter "Y". If not, enter "N".

6.9 Load Setup Defaults

This option allows you to load the default values to your system configuration. These default settings are optimal and enable all high performance features.

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To load SETUP defaults value to CMOS SRAM, enter "Y". If not, enter "N".

6.10 CPU Speed Setting

This setup option sets the CPU speed and parameters of the CPU temperature and fan speeds.

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS CPU Speed Setting AWARD SOFTWARE INC

CPU Speed 300MHz (66x4.5) CPU Warning Temperature : 66℃/151℃ Current System Temp. : 63°C/145°F Current CPU Tem. : 43°C/109°F Current CPU Fan Speed 4383 RPM Current Chassis Fan Speed : 3901 RPM : 2.01V : 3.39V +3.3V Vcore + 5 V : 4.99V +12 V : 11.97V :-12.19V -12 V Shutdown Temperature : 75°C/167°F PU/PD/+/-: Modify F5: Old Values (Shift) F2: Color F6: Load BIOS Defaults F7: Load Setup Defaults

CPU Speed, CPU Clock Multiplier, CPU/PCI Clock Select

The motherboard allows users to set the CPU speed through the BIOS. The parameters in setting the CPU speed include *CPU Clock Multiplier* (X3, X3.5, X4, X4.5, X5, X5.5, X6.5, X7, X7.5, X8) and *CPU/PCI Clock Select* (66/33MHz, 75/37MHz, 83/41MHz or 100/33MHz, 103/34MHz, 105/35MHz, 110/36MHz, 112/37MHz, 115/38MHz, 120/40MHz, 124/41MHz, 124/31MHz, 133/44MHz, 133/33MHz, 140/35MHz, 150/37MHz). The parameters only appear when CPU Speed is set to *Manual*.

NOTE: Processors with locked/fixed frequencies will have a fixed CPU Clock Multiplier and will not allow changes to its value.

Aside from the *Manual* option, CPU Speed can be set to 200MHz (66x3), 233MHz (66x3.5), 266MHz (66x4), 300MHz (66x4.5), 333MHz (66x5), 366MHz (66x5.5), 400MHz (66x6), and 433MHz (66x6.5). Press the \uparrow and \downarrow keys to change the CPU speed or press the PageUp or PageDown key to see the selections for CPU Clock Multiplier and CPU Clock.

NOTE: Overclocking could cause the system not to boot. When this happens, turn off the computer by pressing the power button and turn it on again by pressing the Insert key and the power button simultaneously. Then press the Delete key to enter BIOS Setup and configure the CPU speed.

CPU Warning Temperature

This field sets the threshold temperature at which an alert is sounded through the system's speaker. The onboard thermal sensor monitors the CPU temperature to prevent the CPU from overheating.

Current System / CPU Temp.

These read-only fields reflect the functions of the hardware thermal sensor that monitors the chip blocks and system temperatures to ensure the system is stable.

Current CPU / Chassis Speed

These read-only fields show the current speeds in RPM (revolution per minute) for the CPU fan and chassis fan as monitored by the hardware monitoring IC.

Vcore / +5V / +3.3V / -12V / +12V

These read-only fields show the current voltages in the voltage regulators and power supply as monitored by the hardware monitoring IC.

Shutdown Temperature

This field allows you to set the temperature at which the system automatically shuts down once it is reached, in order to avoid damage to system components.

6.11 Integrated Peripherals

This option sets your hard disk configuration, mode and port.

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS INTEGRATED PERIPHERALSP AWARD SOFTWARE INC.

IDE Primary Master PIO IDE Primary Slave PIO IDE Secondary Master PIO IDE Secondary Slave PIO IDE Primary Master UDMA	: Auto : Auto	Onboard FDC Controll Onboard Serial Port 1 Onboard Serial Port 2 UART Mode Select	: 3F8/IRQ4
IDE Primary Slave UDMA IDE Secondary Master UDMA IDE Secondary Slave UDMA On-Chip Primary PCI IDE On-Chip Secondary PCI IDE USB Keyboard Support Init AGP Display First	: Auto : Enabled : Enabled	Onboard Parallel Port Parallel Port Mode	: 378/IRQ7 : SPP
	. Sunor Siny	ESC: Quit F1: Help F5: Old Values F6: Load BIOS Defaul F7: Load Setup Defau	

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ROM PCI/ISA BIOS INTEGRATED PERIPHERALSP AWARD SOFTWARE INC.

On-Chip IDE Channel 0	: Enabled	Onboard FDC Control	ller : Enabled
On-Chip IDE Channel 1	: Enabled	Onboard Serial Port 1	: 3F8/IRQ4
IDE Prefetch Mode	: Disabed	Onboard Serial Port 2	: 2F8/IRQ3
Primary Master PIO	: Auto	UART Mode Select	: Normal
Primary Slave PIO	: Auto		
Secondary Master PIO	: Auto		
Secondary Slave PIO	: Auto	Onboard Parallel Port	: 378/IRQ7
Primary Master UDMA	: Auto	Parallel Port Mode	: SPP
Primary Slave UDMA	: Auto		
Secondary Master UDMA	: Auto		
Secondary Slave UDMA	: Auto		
Init AGP Display First	: AGP		
POWER ON Function	: Button Only		
		ESC : Quit	↑ ↓ ← : Select Item
		F1 : Help	PU/PD/+/-: Modify
		F5 : Old Values	(Shift) F2 : Color
		F6 : Load BIOS Defaults	
		F7 : Load Setup Defaults	

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IDE Primary/Secondary Master/Slave PIO

These fields allow your system hard disk controller to work faster. Rather than have the BIOS issue a series of commands that transfer to or from the disk drive, PIO (Programmed Input/Output) allows the BIOS to communicate with the controller and CPU directly.

The system supports five modes, numbered from 0 (default) to 4, which primarily differ in timing. When Auto is selected, the BIOS will select the best available mode.

IDE Primary/Secondary Master/Slave UDMA

These fields allow your system to improve disk I/O throughput to 33Mb/sec with the Ultra DMA/33 feature. The options are *Auto* and *Disabled*.

On-Chip Primary/Secondary PCI IDE

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

OnChip IDE Channel0/1

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

USB Keyboard Support

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

Init AGP Display First

This field allows the system to initialize first the VGA card in the AGP slot on the motherboard when system is turned on.

Power On Function

The default for this field is *Button Only*. When set to *KB Power ON Password*, the user is allowed to set a password with a maximum of 5 characters. The system recognizes the size (lowercase/uppercase) of the characters entered. The third option is *Hot Key Power ON*. The keys Ctrl-F1 to Ctrl-F12 can be set to power on the system.

Onboard FDC Controller

Select *Enabled* if your system has a floppy disk controller (FDC) installed on the system board and you wish to use it. If you install an add-in FDC or the system has no floppy drive, select Disabled in this field. This option allows you to select the onboard FDD port.

Onboard Serial/Parallel Port

These fields allow you to select the onboard serial and parallel ports and their addresses. The default values for these ports are:

Serial Port 1 3F8/IRQ4 Serial Port 2 2F8/IRQ3 Parallel Port 378H/IRQ7

UART Mode Select

This field determines the UART mode in your computer. The settings are *Normal, IrDA and ASKIR*. The default value is *Normal*.

Parallel Port Mode

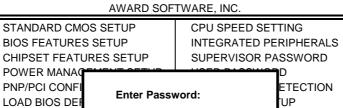
This field allows you to determine parallel port mode function.

SPP Normal Printer Port
EPP Enhanced Parallel Port
ECP Extended Capabilities Port

6.12 Supervisor / User Password

These two options set the system password. Supervisor Password sets a password that will be used to protect the system and Setup utility. User Password sets a password that will be used exclusively on the system. To specify a password, highlight the type you want and press <Enter>. The Enter Password: message prompts on the screen. Type the password, up to eight characters in length, and press <Enter>. The system confirms your password by asking you to type it again. After setting a password, the screen automatically returns to the main screen.

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



Change / Set / Disable Password

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(Shift) F2: Change Color

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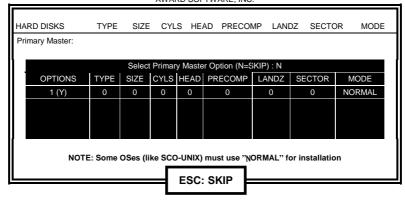
F10 : Save & Exit Setup

ESC: Quit

6.13 IDE HDD Auto Detection

This option detects the parameters of an IDE hard disk drive, and automatically enters them into the Standard CMOS Setup screen.

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Up to four IDE drives can be detected, with parameters for each appearing in sequence inside a box. To accept the displayed entries, press the "Y" key to skip to the next drive, press the "N" key. If you accept the values, the parameters will appear listed beside the drive letter on the screen.

6.14 Save & Exit Setup

This option allows you to determine whether to accept the modifications or not. If you type "Y", you will quit the setup utility and save all changes into the CMOS memory. If you type "N", you will return to Setup utility.

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

STANDARD CMOS SETUP		CPU SPEED SETTING	
BIOS FEATURES SETUP		INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS	
CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP		SUPERVISOR PASSWORD	
POWER MANAC			D
PNP/PCI CONFI	Save to CMOS and Exit (Y/N)? N ETECTION		ETECTION
LOAD BIOS DEF			'UP
LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS		EXIT WITHOUT SAVING	
ESC : Quit		↑ ↓ → ← : Select Item	
F10 : Save & Exit Setup		(Shift) F2: Change Color	
Save Data to CMOS & Exit Setup			

6.15 Exit Without Saving

Select this option to exit the Setup utility without saving the changes you have made in this session. Typing "Y" will quit the Setup utility without saving the modifications. Typing "N" will return you to Setup utility.

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

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STANDARD CMOS SETUP BIOS FEATURES SETUP CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP	CPU SPEED SETTING INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS SUPERVISOR PASSWORD			
POWER MANA(PNP/PCI CONFI Quit Without LOAD BIOS DEF LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS	D Saving (Y/N)? N ETECTION UP AVING			
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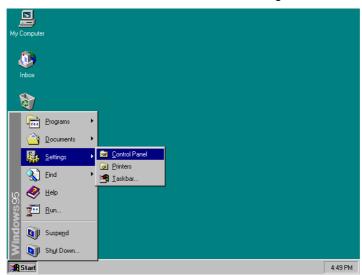
Chapter 7 Audio Driver Installation Guide

This chapter describe the audio driver installation procedure for the onboard audio chipset The onboard audio consists of the Creative ES1373 Chip + AC97. With a PCI Bus Mastering interface with DOS compatibility, it supports 32 voices wavetable, surround sound, 3D audio, and audio effects such as reverb and chorus. Creative ES1373 uses single, shareable PCI interrupt and is PC97 compliant.

For normal operations and to maximize the audio functions of the motherboard, follow the audio driver installation procedure below.

Installing The Audio Drivers For Windows 95

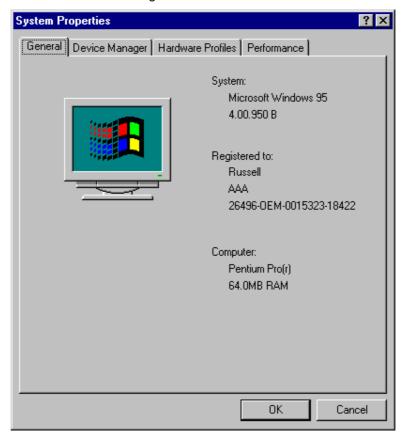
1. Under Windows 95, click START => Setting => Control Panel.



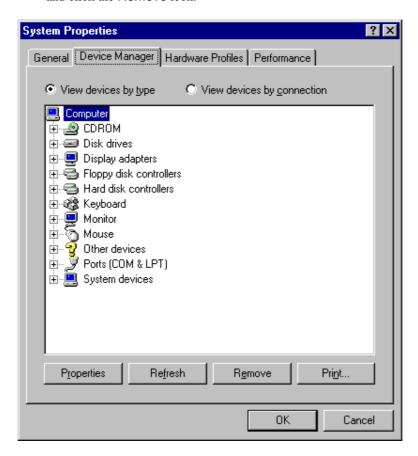
2. Under the Control Panel window, click the System icon.

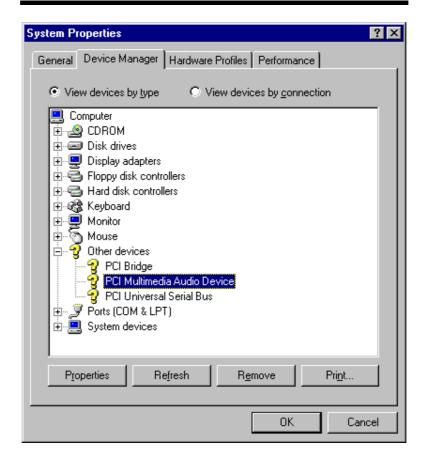


3. Click Device Manager.



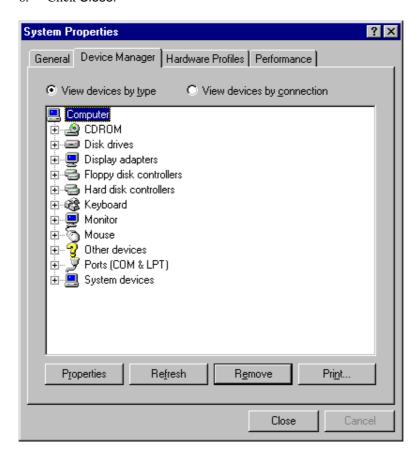
4. Click Other Device, then select PCI Multimedia Audio Device and click the Remove icon.





Confirm the remove command by clicking OK.

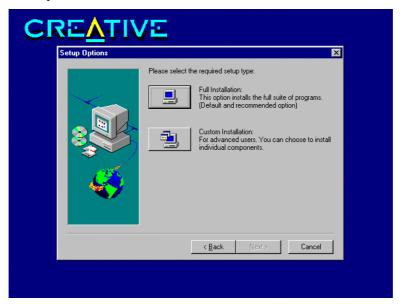
6. Click Close.



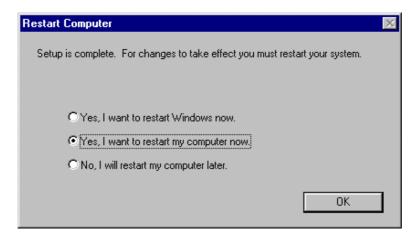
- 7. Insert the CD that comes with your motherboard into your CD-ROM drive. On the initial screen click Sound.
- 8. On the next screen, double click Creative Labs 1373 and the welcome screen for the Sound Blaster AudioPCI 64V driver installation will appear. Please note that the driver for ES1371 can also be used for ES1373.



10. Follow the procedure in each screen until you arrive the Setup Option screen as shown below, then select Full Installation.



- 11. Proceed with Setup to install the Windows 98 Drivers, Legacy DOS Drivers into your system.
- 12. After installation, the system will ask you to restart your computer for the changes to take effect.



Chapter 8 System Monitor Utility User's Guide

This chapter introduces System Monitor Utility that comes with the motherboard in conjunction with the onboard hardware monitoring IC. The sections below give the functions of the utility.

System Monitor is a software utility that oversees the general performance of systems, covering areas like system temperature, system voltage, CPU and system fan rotational speeds. If conditions become adverse, that is, when voltages are erratic or CPU temperature exceeds the safe limits, an alarm will be sounded; thereby preventing system crashing and ensuring overall stability.

When System Monitor is initiated, the icon below appears in the task bar in the Windows environment.



The following screen appears upon clicking on the System Monitor icon.



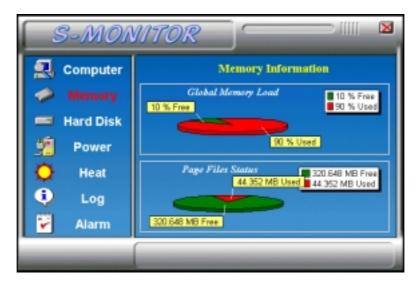
Clicking on the 'X' on the upper right corner would show you the latest company information or on any icon on the left side to display further information.

The following section describes the different functions of System Monitor.

1. Computer - displays the operating working system version and processor type.



2. Memory - displays the current memory usage status.



3. Hard Disk - displays the supported disk formats and disk space.



4. Heat - displays the current rotational speed of CPU and Chassis fans, as well as the system and CPU temperatures.



5. Power - displays the current voltage status.



NOTE: For Pentium II processors, System Monitor detects the VCC3 and VCCP values. For Pentium-level processors, System Monitor detects the VCORE and VIO values.

6. Log - displays errors occurring after System Monitor is started.



7. Alarm - sets the values at which an alarm is sounded.



 $Voltage \hspace{1.5cm} \hbox{: the acceptable voltage range between the "MAX"} \\$

and "MIN" value.

Temperature : temperature threshold.
Fan Rotation Speed : the minimum rotation speed.

NOTE: Intel has defined a margin of difference for the voltages as below:

12 Volts - 10% (10.8V ~ 13.2V) 5 Volts - 5% (4.75 ~ 5.25%)

Vio - 5% (Vio for P54C CPU is 3.5V. Vio for P55C is 3.3V.)

Vcore- 5%

* VCC3 / VIO and VCCP / VCORE values vary according to the processors used. Please contact the CPU manufacturer for further information.