User's Manual

A Socket 370 Processor based mainboard (66/100/133MHz) Supports PC133 Memory Modules

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Introduction

Section 1

Components Checklist

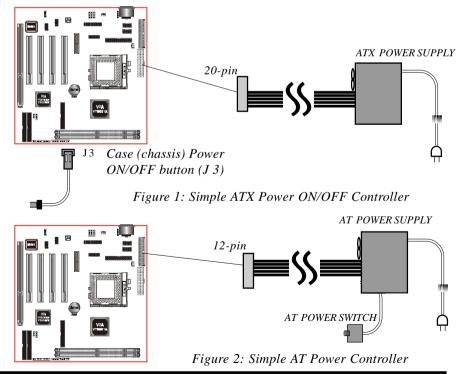
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Power-On/Off (Remote)

The board has a single 12-pin AT power connector and 20-pin ATX power connector for AT or ATX power supplies. For ATX power supplies that support the **Remote On/Off** feature, this should be connected to the systems front panel for system Power On/Off button. The systems power On/Off button should be a momentary button that is normally open.

The board has been designed with "Soft Off" functions. You can turn Off the system from one of two sources: The first is the front panel Power On/Off button, and the other is the "Soft Off" function (coming from the M/B's onboard circuit controller) that can be controlled by the operating system such as Windows[®] 95/98/SE/ME or Windows[®] 2000.

The most AT power supplies have two sets of six-wire leads. Making sure the black wires(GND) of each lead are in the center, plug both leads into the AT power supply connector.



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System Block Diagram

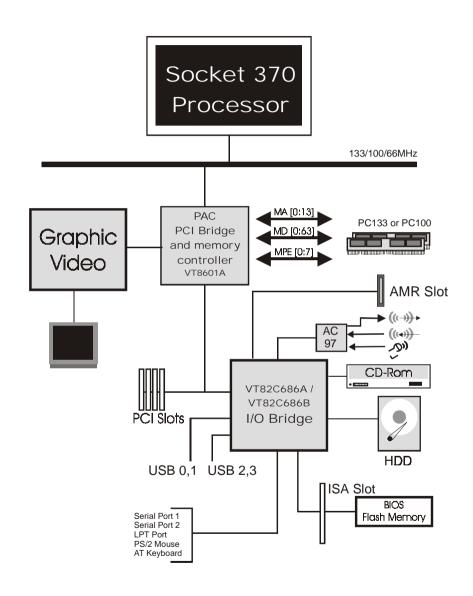


Figure 3: System Block Diagram

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Section 2 FEATURES

Mainboard Features:

PROCESSOR

- Intel CeleronTM Processor with PPGA / FC-PGA socket 370 packing, operating at 433 ~ 800MHz
- Intel Pentium[®]III /CoppermineTM Processors with FC-PGA socket 370 packing, operating at 500MHz ~ 1GHz
- VIA C3 Samuel 1 Processor with PPGA socket 370 packing, operating at 500 ~ 600MHz

CHIPSET

- VIA Promedia 8601A AGPset (VT8601A + 686A or VT8601A + 686B)

DRAM MODULE

- 168pin DIMM x 2 for PC133 Memory
- DRAM Size: 32MB to 1GMB

EXPANSION SLOT

- PCI x 4
- ISA x 1 (Shared)
- AMR slot x 1

ONBOARD I/O

- On-Chip Multi I/O integrated with K/B, mouse, FDD, Parallel and Serial, Fast IR and Power-ON controllers

ONBOARD PCI / IDE

- PCI Bus IDE Port with PIO / Ultra DMA-66/100 x 2 (Up to 4 Devices), if uses VT82C686A chipset, it supports Ultra DMA-66 only.

Features

I/O CONNECTOR

- PS/2 Mouse and AT style Keyboard

USB

- USB connector x 4 (Use Connector)

BIOS

- Award Plug & Play BIOS

Built-in AC97 Digital Audio

- Dual full-duplex Direct Sound channels
- H/W Sound Blaster Pro for DOS legacy compatibility
- FM synthesis for legacy compatibility
- Supports game and MIDI port
- Built-in VGA with Trident Blade 3D Core

EXTENDED FUNCTION

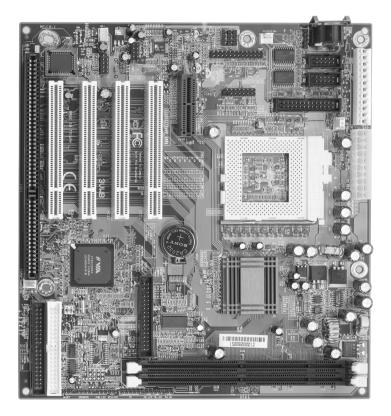
- Supports exclusive USDM(Unified System Diagnostic Manager) and Hardware Monitoring Function by VT82C686A or VT82C686B
- Supports CPU Clock setting via BIOS

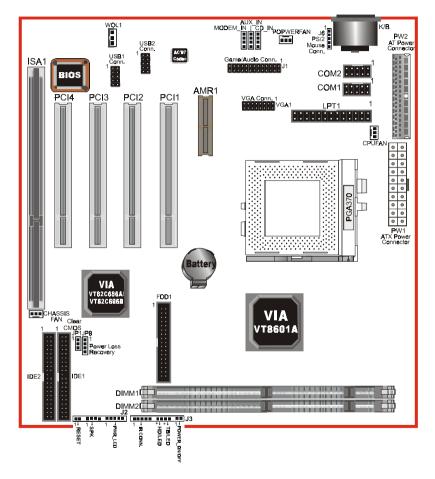
FORM FACTOR

- 220mm x 235mm Baby AT Size

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Section 3 INSTALLATION





Mainboard Detailed Layout

Figure 1

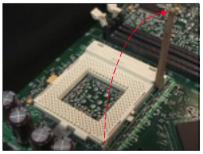
Easy Installation Procedure

The following must be completed before powering on your new system:

- 3-1. CPU Insertion
- 3-2. Jumper Settings
- 3-3. System memory Configuration
- **3-4.** Device Connectors

Section 3-1 CPU Insertion

CPU Insertion



Step 1

Open the socket by raising the actuation lever.

Figure 2

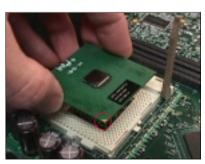


Figure 3

Step 2

Insert the processor.

Ensure proper pin 1 orientation by aligning the FC-PGA corner marking with the socket corner closest to the actuation arm tip. The pin field is keyed to prevent misoriented insertion.

Don't force processor into socket. If it does not go in easily, check for mis-orientation and debris. Make sure the processor is fully inserted into the socket on all sides.

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Step 3

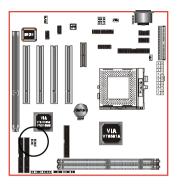
Close the socket by lowering and locking the actuation lever.

Note: Intel's reference design thermal solution is an active heatsink; an extruded aluminum heatsink based and a fan attached to the top on the fin array. (See Figure 5)



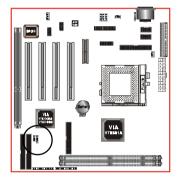
Figure 5

Section 3-2 Jumper Settings



JP1 ¹

CMOS Clear JP1 =1-2 Normal (Default) =2-3 Clear CMOS



JP8

Power Loss Recovery

- JP8 = 1-2 Disabled
 - = 2-3 Enabled
 - = 3-4 AT Power (Default)

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Section 3-3 System Memory Configuration

Memory Layout

The board supports (2) PC133 168-pin DIMMs (Dual In-line Memory Module). The DIMMs is for SDRAM (Synchronous DRAM).

- DIMM SDRAM may be 83MHz (12ns), 100MHz (10ns), 125MHz (8ns) or 133MHz (7.5ns)bus speed.
- When using Synchronous DRAM we recommend using the 4 clock variety over the 2 clock.

Figure 6 and Table 1 show several possible memory configuration.

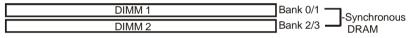


Figure 6	
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Total Memory	DIMM 1 (Bank 0/1)	DIMM 2 (Bank 2/3)
= 512MB Maximum	SDRAM* 32MB, 64MB, 128MB, 256MB, 512MB X 1	None
= 1GB Maximum	SDRAM* 32MB, 64MB, 128MB, 256MB, 512MB X 1	SDRAM* 32MB, 64MB, 128MB, 256MB, 512MB X 1

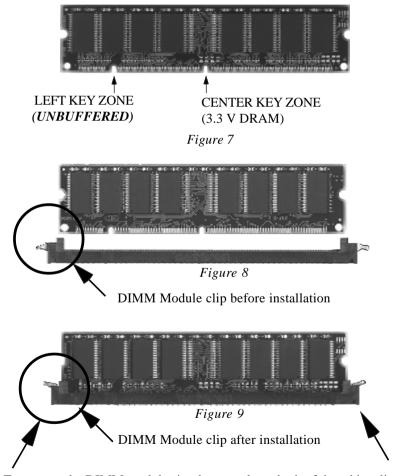
Table 1

- * SDRAM supports 32, 64, 128, 256, 512MB DIMM modules.
- * We recommend to use PC100 Memory Module for bus speed between 66MHz and 100MHz and PC133 Memory for bus speed over 100MHz.
- * Using non-compliant memory with higher bus speed (over clocking) may severely compromise the integrity of the system.

DIMM Module Installation

Figure 7 displays the notch marks and what they should look like on your DIMM memory module.

DIMMs have 168-pins and two notches that will match with the onboard DIMM socket. DIMM modules are installed by placing the chip firmly into the socket at a 90 degree angle and pressing straight down (figure 8) until it fits tightly into the DIMM socket (figure 9).



To remove the DIMM module simply press down both of the white clips on either side and the module will be released from the socket.

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Section 3-4 Device Connectors

- J1: Game/Audio Connector
- J2, J3: Chassis Panel Connector
 - Power_LED, Speaker, Reset, Power On/Off, Turbo LED, HDD LED, IR Conn.
- J6: PS/2 Mouse Connector

Please be sure that plug Pin 1 into the PS/2 mouse connector (J6).



CPUFAN: A plug-in for the CPU Fan Power

POWERFAN: A plug-in for the chassis Fan Power

CHASSISFAN: A plug-in for the Power Supply Fan Power

VGA1: VGA Connector

WOL1: WOL (Wake On Lan) Connector

IDE1: Ultra ATA-66/100 Primary IDE Connector (Blue color) (uses VT82C686A chipset, support ATA-66 only, White color)

- **IDE2:** Ultra ATA-66/100 Secondary IDE Connector (Blue color) (uses VT82C686A chipset, support ATA-66 only, Black color)
- FDD1: Floppy Controller Connector (Black color)
- LPT1: Parallel Printer Connector

PW1: ATX Power Connector - 20-pin power connector

PW2: AT Power Connector - 12-pin power connector

CD_IN: CD Audio_IN Connector

• Pin1(CD_IN_Left), Pin2/Pin3(CD_Reference), Pin4(CD_IN_Right)

AUX_IN:Auxiliary Line_IN Connector

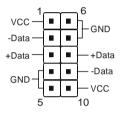
• Pin1(Left Line_IN), Pin2/Pin3(GND), Pin4(Right Line-IN)

MODEM_IN: Telephony Connector for Modem audio output

• Pin1(Audio_in), Pin2/Pin3(GND), Pin4(Mic-out to Modem)

COM1/2: Serial Port COM1 and COM2 Connector

USB1/2: USB port header pins for adding four additional USB ports.



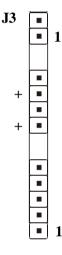
USB port header pin descriptions.

PIN#	Wire color	Signal Name	Comment
1	Red	Vcc	Cable Power
2	White	-Data	Data
3	Green	+Data	Data
4	Black	Ground	Cable Ground
5	Black	Ground	Case Ground
6	Black	Ground	Case Ground
7	Black	Ground	Cable Ground
8	Green	+Data	Data
9	White	-Data	Data
10	Red	Vcc	Cable Power

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Device Connectors (continued)

(This is connected to the power button on the case. Using the Soft-Off by Pwr-BTTN feature, you can choose either Instant Off (turns system off immediately), or 4 sec delay (you need to push the button down for 4 seconds before the system turns off). When the system is in 4 sec delay mode, suspend mode is enabled by pushing the button momentarily.)



Power On/Off

Turbo LED indicator - LED ON when higher speed is selected

IDE LED indicator - LED ON when Onboard PCI IDE Hard disks is activate

IR Connector	
1. VCC	4. GND
2. NC	5. IRTX
3. IRRX	

J2 Power LED - Power LED connector 1. Power LED(+) 4. NC 2. N/C 5. GND 3. GND 1 **Speaker** - Connect to the system's speaker for beeping 1. Speaker 3. GND 2. N/C 4. GND 1 **Reset** - Closed to restart system. 1

Section 4 AWARD BIOS SETUP

Main Menu

Award's ROM BIOS provides a built-in Setup program which allows user to modify the basic system configuration and hardware parameters. The modified data will be stored in a battery-backed CMOS, so that data will be retained even when the power is turned off. In general, the information saved in the CMOS RAM will stay unchanged unless there is a configuration change in the system, such as hard drive replacement or a device is added.

It is possible for the CMOS battery to fail, this will cause data loss in the CMOS only. If this does happen you will need to reconfigure your BIOS settings.

To enter the Setup Program :

Power on the computer and press the key immediately, this will bring you into the BIOS CMOS SETUP UTILITY.

CMOS Setup Utility - Copyright (C) 1984-2000 Award Software				
► Standard CMOS Features	► Frequency/Voltage Control			
Advanced BIOS Features	Load Fail-Safe Defaults			
Advanced Chipset Features	Load Optimized Defaults			
Integrated Peripherals	Set Supervisor Password			
▶ Power Management Setup	Set User Password			
PnP/PCI Configurations	Save & Exit Setup			
► PC Health Status	Exit Without Saving			
Esc : Quit F9 : Menu in BIOS ↑↓ → ← : Select Item F10 : Save & Exit Setup				
Time, Date, Hard Disk Type				

Figure 1: CMOS Setup Utility

The menu displays all the major selection items. Select the item you need to reconfigure. The selection is made by moving the cursor (press any direction key) to the item and pressing the 'Enter' key. An on-line help message is displayed at the bottom of the screen as the cursor is moved to various items which provides a better understanding of each function. When a selection is made, the menu of the selected item will appear so that the user can modify associated configuration parameters.

4-1 Standard CMOS Setup

Choose "Standard CMOS Setup" in the CMOS SETUP UTILITY Menu (Figure 2). The Standard CMOS Setup allows the user to configure system settings such as the current date and time, type of hard disk drive installed, floppy drive type, and display type. Memory size is auto-detected by the BIOS and displayed for your reference. When a field is highlighted (use direction keys to move the cursor and the <Enter> key to select), the entries in the field can be changed by pressing the <PgDn> or the <PgUp> key.

CMOS Setup Utility	y - Copyright (C) 1984-2000 Standard CMOS Features	Award Software
Date (mm:dd:yy) Time (bh:mm:ss)	Tue, <mark>Jun</mark> 13 2000 15 : 59 : 32	Item Help
► IDE Primary Master	13 . 37 . 32	Menu Level 🕞
 IDE Primary Master IDE Secondary Master IDE Secondary Slave 		Change the day, month, year and century
Drive A Drive B	1.44M, 3.5 in. None	
Video Halt On	EGA/VGA All,But Keyboard	
Base Memory Extended Memory Total Memory	640К 65472К 1024К	
↑↓→+:Move Enter:Select F5:Previous Values		, ESC:Exit F1:General Help F7:Optimized Defaults

Figure 2: Standard CMOS Setup

- *NOTE:* If the hard disk Primary Master/Slave and Secondary Master/Slave are set to Auto, then the hard disk size and model will be autodetected.
- *NOTE: The "Halt On:" field is used to determine when to halt the system by the BIOS if an error occurs.*
- NOTE: Floppy 3 Mode support is a mode used to support a special 3.5" drive used in Japan. This is a 3.5" disk that stores only 1.2 MB, the default setting for this is disabled.

4-2 Advanced BIOS Features

Selecting the "BIOS FEATURES SETUP" option in the CMOS SETUP UTILITY menu allows users to change system related parameters in the displayed menu. This menu shows all of the manufacturer's default values for the board.

CMOS Setup Utility - Copyright (C) 1984-2000 Award Software Advanced BIOS Features			
Virus Warning	Disabled A	Item Help	
CPU Internal Cache External Cache	Enabled	Menu Level 🕞 🕨	
CPU L2 Cache ECC Checking Processor Number Feature	Disabled Enabled	Allows you to choose	
Quick Power On Self Test First Boot Device	Enabled Floppy	the VIRUS warning feature for IDE Hard	
Second Boot Device	HDD-0 LS120	Disk boot sector	
Third Boot Device Boot Other Device	Enabled	protection. If this function is enabled	
Swap Floppy Drive Boot Up Floppy Seek	Disabled Enabled	and someone attempt to write data into this	
Boot Up NumLock Status Gate A20 Option	On Normal	area, BIOS will show a warning message on	
Typematic Rate Setting	Disabled	screen and alarm beep	
x Typematic Rate (Chars/Sec) x Typematic Delay (Msec)	250		
Security Option OS Select For DRAM > 64MB	Setup Non-0S2		
†↓→+:Move Enter:Select +/-/ F5:Previous Values F6:			

Pressing the [F1] key will display a help message for the selected item.

Figure 3: BIOS Features Setup

Virus Warning: During and after the system boots up, any attempt to write to the boot sector or partition table of the hard disk drive will halt the system and an error message will appear.

You should then run an anti-virus program to locate the virus. Keep in mind that this feature protects only the boot sector, not the entire hard drive. The default value is Disabled.

- **Enabled**: Activates automatically when the system boots up causing a warning message to appear when anything attempts to access the boot sector.
- **Disabled**: No warning message will appear when anything attempts to access the boot sector.
 - Note: Many disk diagnostic programs that access the boot sector table can trigger the virus warning message. If you plan to run such a program, we recommend that you first disable the virus warning.

CPU Internal Cache: This controls the status of the processor's internal cache area. The default is Enabled.

- **Enabled**: This activates the processor's internal cache thereby increasing performance.
- **Disabled**: This deactivates the processor's internal cache thereby lowering performance.

External (L2) Cache: This controls the status of the external (L2) cache area. The default is Enabled.

- **Enabled**: This activates the motherboard's L2 cache thereby increasing performance.
- **Disabled**: This deactivates the motherboard's L2 cache thereby lowering performance.

CPU L2 Cache ECC Checking: This control if the CPU's L2 Cache will support Error Checking and Correcting (ECC). The default is Disabled.

- **Enabled**: Enables ECC support for the CPU's L2 cache. Performance will decrease 2% ~ 4%.
- Disabled: Disables ECC support for the CPU's L2 cache.

Processor Number Feature: Pentium III or later CPU new feature. The default is Enabled.

Enabled: Processor serial number readable.

Disabled: Processor serial number disabled.

Quick Power On Self Test: This category speeds up the Power On Self Test (POST). The default is Enabled.

Enabled: This setting will shorten or skip of the items checked during POST. **Disabled**: Normal POST.

First /Second/Third/Other Boot Device: The BIOS attempts to load the operating system from the devices in the sequence selected in these items. The choice: Floppy, LS/ZIP, HDD, SCSI, CDROM, Disabled.

Swap Floppy Drive: This will swap your physical drive letters A & B if you are using two floppy disks. The default is Disabled.Enabled: Floppy A & B will be swapped under the O/S.Disabled: Floppy A & B will be not swapped.

Boot Up Floppy Seek: During Power-On-Self-Test (POST), BIOS will determine if the floppy disk drive installed is 40 or 80 tracks. Only 360K type is 40 tracks while 760K, 1.2MB and 1.44MB are all 80 tracks. The default is Enabled. **Enabled**: The BIOS will search the floppy disk drive to determine if it is 40 or

80 tracks.

Disabled: The BIOS will not search for the type of floppy disk drive by track number.

Note: BIOS can not tell the difference between 720K, 1.2MB and 1.44MB drive types as they are all 80 tracks.

Boot Up NumLock Status: This controls the state of the NumLock key when the system boots. The default is On.

On: The keypad acts as a 10-key pad.

Off: The keypad acts like the cursor keys.

Gate A20 Option: This refers to the way the system addresses memory above 1MB (extended memory). The default is Fast.

- **Normal**: The A20 signal is controlled by the keyboard controller or chipset hardware.
- Fast: The A20 signal is controlled by Port 92 or chipset specific method.

Typematic Rate Setting: This determines the keystrokes repeat rate. The default is Disabled.

Enabled: Allows typematic rate and typematic delay programming.

Disabled: The typematic rate and typematic delay will be controlled by the keyboard controller in your system.

Typematic Rate (Chars/Sec): This is the number of characters that will be repeated by a keyboard press. The default is 6.

6 : 6 characters per second.	8: 8 characters per second.
10: 10 characters per second.	12: 12 characters per second.
15: 15 characters per second.	20: 20 characters per second.
24: 24 characters per second.	30: 30 characters per second.

Typematic Delay (msec): This setting controls the time between the first and the second character displayed by typematic auto-repeat. The default is 250.

250: 250 msec.
500: 500 msec.
750: 750 msec.
1000: 1000 msec.

Security Option: This category allows you to limit access to the System and Setup, or just to Setup. The default is Setup.

- **System**: The system will not boot and the access to Setup will be denied if the correct password is not entered at the prompt.
- **Setup**: The system will boot; but the access to Setup will be denied if the incorrect password is not entered at the prompt.

OS Select For DRAM > 64MB: Some operating systems require special handling. Use this option only if your system has greater than 64MB of memory. The default is Non-OS2.

OS2: Select this if you are running the OS/2 operating system with greater than 64MB of RAM.

Non-OS2: Select this for all other operating systems and configurations.

Video BIOS Shadow: This option allows video BIOS to be copied into RAM. Video Shadowing will increase the video performance of your system. The default is Enabled.

BIOS

Enabled: Video shadow is enabled. **Disabled**: Video shadow is disabled.

- C8000 CBFFF Shadow:
- CC000 CFFFF Shadow:
- D0000 D3FFF Shadow:
- D4000 D7FFF Shadow:
- D8000 DBFFF Shadow:

DC000 - DFFFF Shadow:

These categories determine whether ROMs from option cards will be copied into RAM. This will be in 16K byte or 32K byte units, and the size will depend on chipset of the option card.

Enabled: Optional shadow is enabled. **Disabled**: Optional shadow is disabled.

4-3 Advanced Chipset Features

Choose the "CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP" in the CMOS SETUP UTILITY menu to display following menu.

- CMOS Setup Utility Ac	· Copyright (C) 1 Ivanced Chipset F		Ward Software
Bank 0/1 DRAM Timing	SDRAM Fast	4	Item Help
	Disabled Disabled Enabled 8M 64M Enabled Disabled Enable Disable Enable Enabled Enabled		Menu Level 🔸
PCI Master 0 WS Write ↑↓→+:Move Enter:Select +/ F5:Previous Values F	/-/PU/PD:Value f		SC:Exit F1:General Help Optimized Defaults

Figure 4: Chipset Features Setup

Bank 0/1, 2/3 DRAM Timing: This value in this field is set by the system board manufacturer. The default is SDRAM Fast. The Choice: SDRAM Fast, SDRAM Normal.

SDRAM Cycle length: This setting defines the CAS timing parameter of the SDRAM in terms of clocks. The default is 3.

- 2: Provides faster memory performance.
- 3: Provides better memory compatibility.

Bank Interleave: The item allows you to set how many banks of SDRAM support in your mainboard.

The Choice: 2 Bank, 4 Bank, Disabled.

Memory Hole : You can reserve this memory area for the use of ISA adaptor ROMs. The default is Disabled.

Enabled: This field enables the main memory (15~16MB) to remap to ISA BUS. *Disabled*: Normal Setting.

Note: If this feature is enabled you will not be able to cache this memory segment.

System BIOS Cacheable: This allows you to copy your BIOS code from slow ROM to fast RAM. The default is Disabled.

Enabled: The option will improve system performance. However, if any program writes to this memory area, a system error may result.

Disabled: System BIOS non-cacheable.

Video BIOS Cacheable: This option copies the video ROM BIOS to fast RAM (C0000h to C7FFFh). The default is Enabled.

Enabled: Enables the Video BIOS Cacheable to speed up the VGA Performance. **Disabled**: Will not use the Video BIOS Cacheable function.

Video RAM Cacheable: This option allows the CPU to cache read/writes of the video RAM. The default is Enabled.

Enabled: This option allows for faster video access.

Disabled: Reduced video performance.

Frame Buffer Size: Video Frame Buffer shared with SDRAM size selectable 4M or 8M.

AGP Aperture Size: The amount of system memory that the AGP card is allowed to share. The default is 64.

4: 4MB of systems memory accessable by the AGP card.

8: 8MB of systems memory accessable by the AGP card.

16: 16MB of systems memory accessable by the AGP card.

32: 32MB of systems memory accessable by the AGP card.

- 64: 64MB of systems memory accessable by the AGP card.
- 128: 128MB of systems memory accessable by the AGP card.

OnChip USB: USB Connector (Port 0-1). The choice Enabled, Disabled.

OnChip USB2: USB Connector (Port 2-3). The choice Enabled, Disabled.

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USB Keyboard Support: This controls the activation status of an optional USB keyboard that may be attached. The default is disabled. *Enabled:* Enable USB keyboard support. *Disabled:* Disable USB keyboard support.

OnChip Sound: Turn on/off onchip sound device.

OnChip Modem: Turn on/off onchip software modem device.

CPU to PCI Write Buffer: When enabled, up to four D words of data can be written to the PCI bus without interruting the CPU. When disabled, a write buffer is not used and the CPU read cycle will not be completed until the PCI bus signals that it is ready to receive the data.

The Choice: Enabled, Disabled.

PCI Dynamic Bursting: When Enabled, data transfers on the PCI bus, where possible, make use of the high-performance PCI bust protocol, in which graeater amounts of data are transferred at a single command. The Choice: Enabled, Disabled.

PCI Master 0 WS Write: When Enabled, writes to the PCI bus are command with zero wait states. The Choice: Enabled, Disabled.

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

PCI #2 Access #1 Retry: This item allows you enabled/disable the PCI #2 Access #1 Retry. The Choice: Enabled, Disabled.

Memory Parity/ECC Check: If the DRAM chip in your system support Parity/ ECC check, select Enabled.

4-4 Integrated Peripherals

OnChip IDE Channel0	Enabled		Item Help
OnChip IDE Channel1 IDE Prefetch Mode Primary Master PIO Secondary Master PIO Secondary Master PIO Secondary Slave PIO Primary Slave UDMA Primary Slave UDMA Secondary Master UDMA Secondary Slave UDMA Init Display First IDE HDD Block Mode Onboard FDD Controller Onboard Serial Port 1 Onboard Serial Port 1 Onboard Serial Port 2 UART 2 Mode X IR Function Duplex X TX,RX inverting enable	Auto Auto Auto Auto Auto Auto PCI Slot Enabled Enabled Auto Auto Standard Half		Menu Level ►

Figure 5: Integrated Peripherals

Note: If you do not use the Onboard IDE connector, then you will need to set Onboard Primary PCI IDE: Disabled and Onboard Secondary PCI IDE: Disabled
Note: The Onboard PCI IDE cable should be equal to or less than 18 inches (45 cm.).

OnChip IDE Channel0: The default value is Enabled. **Enabled**: Enables Onboard IDE primary port. **Disabled**: Disables Onboard IDE primary port.

OnChip IDE Channel1: The default is Enabled. **Enabled**: Enables Onboard IDE secondary port. **Disabled**: Disables Onboard IDE secondary port.

IDE Prefetch Mode: Enable prefetching for IDE drive interfaces that support its faster drive accesses. If uou are getting disk drive errors, change the setting to omit the drive interface where the errors occur. Depending on the configuration of your IDE subsystem, this field may not appear, and it does not appear when the Internal PCI/IDE field, above, is Disabled.

The Choice: Enabled, Disabled.

Primary Master PIO: The default is Auto.					
Auto:	BIOS will automatically detect the Onboard Primary Master PCI IDE				
	HDD Accessing mode.				
Mode 0~4 :	Manually set the IDE Programmed interrupt mode.				
Primary Slave PIO: The default is Auto.					
Auto:	BIOS will automatically detect the Onboard Primary Slave PCI IDE				
	HDD Accessing mode.				
Mode 0~4 :	Manually set the IDE Programmed interrupt mode.				
Secondary 2	Master PIO: The default is Auto.				
Auto:	BIOS will automatically detect the Onboard Secondary Master PCI				
	IDE HDD Accessing mode.				
Mode 0~4 :	Manually set the IDE Programmed interrupt mode.				
Secondary	Slave PIO: The default is Auto.				
Auto:	BIOS will automatically detect the Onboard Secondary Slave PCI				
	IDE HDD Accessing mode.				
Mode 0~4 :	Manually set the IDE Programmed interrupt mode.				
Primary Master UDMA: This allows you to select the mode of operation for the hard drive. The default is Auto.Auto: The computer will select the optimal setting.Disabled: The hard drive will run in normal mode.					

Primary Slave UDMA: This allows you to select the mode of operation for the hard drive. The default is Auto.

Auto: The computer will select the optimal setting.

Disabled: The hard drive will run in normal mode.

Secondary Master UDMA: This allows you to select the mode of operation for the hard drive. The default is Auto.

Auto: The computer will select the optimal setting.

Disabled: The hard drive will run in normal mode.

Secondary Slave UDMA: This allows you to select the mode of operation for the hard drive. The default is Auto.

Auto: The computer will select the optimal setting.

Disabled: The hard drive will run in normal mode.

Init Display First: If two video cards are used (1 AGP and 1 PCI) this specifies which one will be the primary display adapter. The default is PCI Slot.

PCI Slots: PCI video card will be primary adapter.

AGP: AGP video card will be primary adapter.

IDE HDD Block Mode: IDE Block Mode allows the controller to access blocks of sectors rather than a single sector at a time. The default is Enabled. **Enabled**: Enabled IDE HDD Block Mode. Provides higher HDD transfer rates. **Disabled**: Disable IDE HDD Block Mode.

Onboard FDD Controller: This controls the state of the onboard floppy controller. The default value is Enabled.

- **Enabled**: Enable the Onboard VIA686A(B) Chips's floppy drive interface controller.
- **Disabled**: Disable the Onboard VIA686A(B) Chip's floppy drive interface controller.

Onboard Serial Port 1: This field allows the user to configure the 1st serial port. The default is Auto.

- AUTO: Enable Onboard Serial port 1 and address is Auto adjusted.
- COM1: Enable Onboard Serial port 1 and address is 3F8H/IRQ4.
- COM2: Enable Onboard Serial port 1 and address is 2F8H/IRQ3.
- COM3: Enable Onboard Serial port 1 and address is 3E8H/IRQ4.
- COM4: Enable Onboard Serial port 1 and address is 2E8H/IRQ3.

Disabled: Disable Onboard VIA686A(B) CHIP's Serial port 1.

Onboard Serial Port 2: This field allows the user to configure the 2nd serial port. The default is Auto.

- AUTO: Enable Onboard Serial port 2 and address is Auto adjusted.
- **COM1**: Enable Onboard Serial port 2 and address is 3F8H/IRQ4.
- **COM2**: Enable Onboard Serial port 2 and address is 2F8H/IRQ3.
- **COM3**: Enable Onboard Serial port 2 and address is 3E8H/IRQ4.
- **COM4**: Enable Onboard Serial port 2 and address is 2E8H/IRQ3.

Disabled: Disable Onboard VIA686A(B) CHIP's Serial port 2.

UART 2 Mode: This item allows you to determine which Infra Red (IR) function of onboard I/O chip.

The Choice: Standard, ASKIR, HPSIR.

BIOS

Onboard Parallel port: This field allows the user to configure the LPT port. The default is 378H / IRQ7.

378H: Enable Onboard LPT port and address is 378H and IRQ7.

278H: Enable Onboard LPT port and address is 278H and IRQ5.

3BCH: Enable Onboard LPT port and address is 3BCH and IRQ7.

Disabled: Disable Onboard VIA686A(B) Chip's LPT port.

Onboard Parallel Port Mode: This field allows the user to select the parallel port mode.

The default is Normal.

Normal: Standard mode. IBM PC/AT Compatible bidirectional parallel port.

EPP: Enhanced Parallel Port mode.

ECP: Extended Capabilities Port mode.

EPP+ECP: ECP Mode & EPP Mode.

ECP Mode USE DMA: This field allows the user to select DMA1 or DMA3 for the ECP mode. The default is DMA3.

DMA1: This field selects the routing of DMA1 for the ECP mode.

DMA3: This field selects the routing of DMA3 for the ECP mode.

Parallel Port EPP Type: This item allows you to determine the IR transfer mode of onboard I/O chip.

The Choice: EPP1.9, EPP1.7.

Onboard Legacy Audio: Legacy Audio enabled/disabled.

Sound Blaster: Sound Blaster compatible device enabled/disabled.

SB I/O Base Address: Sound Blaster I/O resource selection.

SB IRQ Select: Legacy audio device IRQ selection.

SB DMA Select: Sound Blaster DMA channel selection.

MPU-401: MPU-401 function enabled/disabled.

MPU-401 I/O Address: Built-in MPU-401 compatible MIDI I/O port selection:

300-303H 310-313H 320-323H 330-333H (default)

Game Port (200-207H): Built-in joystick port support disabled/enabled(default).

4-5 Power Management Setup

Choose the "POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP" in the CMOS SETUP UTILITY to display the following screen. This menu allows the user to modify the power management parameters and IRQ signals. In general, these parameters should not be changed unless it's absolutely necessary.

CMOS Setup Utility - Copyright (C) 1984-2000 Award Software Power Management Setup				
ACPI function • Power Management PM Control by APM Video Off Option Video Off Method MODEM Use IRO Soft-Off by PWRBTN • Wake Up Events	Enabled Press Enter Yes Suspend -> Off V/H SYNC+Blank 9 Instant-Off Press Enter	Item Help Menu Level ►		
↑↓++:Move Enter:Select F5:Previous Values	+/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save F6:Fail-Safe Defaults	e ESC:Exit F1:General Help F7:Optimized Defaults		

Figure 6: Power Management Setup

ACPI Function: This option allows you to select ACPI Function. The default is Enabled.

Enabled: Support ACPI function for new O.S

Disabled: No Support ACPI function.

You can only change the content of Doze Mode, Standby Mode, and Suspend Mode when the Power Management is set to 'User Define'.

Power Management: Use this to select your Power Management selection. The default is User define.

Disabled: The system operates in NORMAL conditions (Non-GREEN), and the Power Management function is disabled.

Max. saving: Maximum power savings. Inactivity period is 1 minute in each mode. **Min. saving**: Minimum power savings. Inactivity period is 1 hour in each mode. **User define**: Allows user to define PM Timers parameters to control power saving mode.

PM controlled APM: This option shows weather or not you want the Power Management to be controlled the Advanced Power Management (APM). The default is Yes.

Yes: APM controls your PM

No: APM does not control your PM

Video Off Option: Tells you what time frame that the video will be disabled undercurrent power management settings. The default is Suspend->Off.All Modes-> Off:Video powers off after time shown in doze mode setting.Suspend->Off:Video powers off after time shown in suspend mode setting.Always On:Video power off not controlled by power management.

Video Off Method: This option allows you to select how the video will be disabled by the power management. The default is V/H Sync + Blank

V/H Sync + Blank:	System turns off vertical and horizontal synchronization ports and writes blanks to the video buffer.
DPMS:	Select this option if your monitor supports the Display Power Management Signaling (DPMS) standard of the Video
	Electronics Standards Association (VESA). Use the software supplied for your video subsystem to select video power management values.
Blank Screen:	System only writes blanks to the video buffer.

MODEM Use IRQ: Name the interrupt request (IRQ) line assigned to the modem (if any) on your system. Activity of the selected IRQ always awakens the system. Default is IRQ 3.

N/A: No IRQ is used.	3 : IRQ 3
4 : IRQ 4	5 : IRQ 5
7 : IRQ 7	9 : IRQ 9
10 : IRQ 10	11: IRQ 11

Soft-Off by PWRBTN: Use this to select your soft-off function. **Instant Off**: Turns off the system instantly.

Delay 4 Second : Turns off the system after a 4 second delay. If momentary press of button, the system will go into Suspend Mode. Press the power botton again to take system out of Suspend Mode.

VGA: When set to On (default), any event occurring at a VGA port will awaken a system which has been powered down.

LPT & COM: When set to *On* (default), any event occurring at a COM(serial)/ LPT (printer) port will awaken a system which has been powered down.

HDD & FDD: When set to *On* (default), any event occurring at a hard or floppy drive port will awaken a system which has been powered down.

PCI Card: When set to *On* (default), any event occurring to the DMA controller will awaken a system which has been powered down.

Wake Up On LAN/Ring: When set to *Enabled*, any event occurring to the Modem Ring will LAN awaken a system which has been powered down.

RTC Alarm Resume: When set to *Enable rtc alarm resume*, you could set the date (of month) and timer (hh:mm:ss), any event occurring at will awaken a system which has been powered down.

Primary INTR: When set to *On* (default), any event occurring at will awaken a system which has been powered down.

4-6 PNP/PCI Configuration

The PNP/PCI configuration program is for the user to modify the PCI/ISA IRQ signals when various PCI/ISA cards are inserted in the PCI or ISA slots.

WARNING: Conflicting IRQ's may cause the system to not find certain devices.

	Copyright (C) 1984-2000 nP/PCI Configurations	Award Software
PNP OS Installed Reset Configuration Data	No Disabled	Item Help
Reset Configuration Data Resources Controlled By X IRQ Resources DMA Resources PCI/VGA Palette Snoop Assign IRQ For VGA Assign IRQ For USB	Auto(ESCD) Press Enter Press Enter Disabled Enabled Enabled	Menu Level Select Yes if you are using a Plug and Play capable operating system Select No if you need the BIOS to configure non-boot devices
		ESC:Exit F1:General Help 7:Optimized Defaults

Figure 7: PCI Configuration Setup

PNP OS Installed: Do you have a PNP OS installed on your system. The default is No.

Yes: Select if you are using a PNP OS.

No: Select if your OS does not support PNP.

Resources Controlled By: Who controlled the system PNP/PCI resources.

The default is Auto.

- Manual: PNP Card's resources will be controlled manually. You can set which IRQ-X and DMA-X are assigned to PCI/ISA PNP or Legacy ISA Cards.
- Auto: If your ISA card and PCI card are all PNP cards, BIOS will assign the interrupt resource automatically.

Reset Configuration Data: This setting allows you to clear ESCD data. The default is Disabled **Disabled**: Normal Setting.

Enabled: If you have plugged in some Legacy cards to the system and they were recorded into ESCD (Extended System Configuration Data), you can set this field to Enabled in order to clear ESCD.

PCI/VGA Palette Snoop: Leave this field at Disabled.

The choice: Enabled, Disabled.

Assign IRQ For USB: This item allows BIOS to assign whether IRQ is with USB or not. If you have not connect the USB device. Can release the IRQ for other device. The default is Enabled.

Enabled: Provides IRQ for USB device.

Disabled: Release IRQ for other device.

4-7 PC Health Status

Current CPU Temp.	31°C/87°F	Item Help
Current System Temp. Current CPU Fan Speed Current Chassis Fan Speed Vcore VTT 3.3V 5V 12V	0°C/32°F 6135 RPM 0 RPM 1.62V 3.20V 3.22V 5.01V 12.12V	Menu Level ►
		ESC:Exit F1:General Help 7:Optimized Defaults

Current CPU Temperature: This is the current temperature of the CPU.

Current System Temperature: This is the Current temperature of the system.

Current CPU FAN Speed: The current CPU fan speed in RPMs.

Current Chassis FAN Speed: The current chassis fan speed in RPMs.

CPU(V): The voltage level of the CPU(Vcore/Vtt).

3.3V, 5V, 12V: The voltage level of the switch power supply.

4-8 Frequency/Voltage Control

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DRAM Clock	Host CLK	Item Help
Cyrix III Clock Ratio Auto Detect DIMM/PCI Clk Spread Spectrum CPU Host Clock (CPU/PCI)	Disabled	Menu Level 🕨
	/PU/PD:Value F10:Save :Fail-Safe Defaults	ESC:Exit F1:General Help F7:Optimized Defaults

DRAM Clock: This setting controls the memory clock. The default is Host Clock.

- Host CLK: Sets the memory to run at the same speed of the processors front side bus. Best used when the processor has a 133MHz bus so the memory will match it.
- HCLK+ 33M: Sets the memory to run at 33MHz faster than the processors front side bus. Best used when the processor has a 100MHz bus and you have PC133 SDRAM that you would like to function at 133MHz.
- HCLK-33M: Sets the memory to run at 33MHz slower than the processor's front side bus. Best used when the processor has a 133MHz bus and you are limited to using a 100MHz bus for the memory.

VIA CyrixIII Clock Ratio: CyrixIII CPU Ratio adjustment (for CyrixIII CPU only). The options: Default, [x3]...[x13].

Auto Detect DIMM/PCI Clk: When enabled the motherboard will automatically disable the clock source for a DIMM socket which does not have a module in it. Same applies for PCI slots. This setting will reduce the EMI. The default is Enabled.

Spread Spectrum : The default is Enabled. **Enabled**: Enables this option. **Disabled**: Disables this option.

CPU Host Clock (CPU/PCI) : The mainboard is designed to set the CPU/PCI clock at jumperfree. This item allows you to select the CPU Host and PCI speed clock speed by "Enter" key. If "Default" means system will auto dectect the CPU speed for either 100 or 133MHz. The default is Default.

4-9 Defaults Menu

Selecting "Defaults" from the main menu shows you two options which are described below

Load Fail-Safe Defaults

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

Load Fail-Safe Defaults (Y/N)? N

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

Load Optimized Defaults

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

Load Optimized Defaults (Y/N)? N

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

4-10 Supervisor/User Password Setting

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

supervisor password : can enter and change the options of the setup menus.
user password : just can only enter but do not have the right to change the
options of the setup menus. When you select this function, the following message
will appear at the center of the screen to assist you in creating a password.

ENTER PASSWORD:

Type the password, up to eight characters in length, and press <Enter>. The password typed now will clear any previously entered password from CMOS memory. You will be asked to confirm the password. Type the password again and press <Enter>. You may also press <Esc> to abort the selection and not enter a password. To disable a password, just press <Enter> when you are prompted to enter the password. A message will confirm the password will be disabled. Once the password is disabled, the system will boot and you can enter Setup freely.

PASSWORD DISABLED.

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

Additionally, when a password is enabled, you can also require the BIOS to request a password every time your system is rebooted. This would prevent unauthorized use of your computer.

You determine when the password is required within the BIOS Features Setup Menu and its Security option (see Section 3). If the Security option is set to "System", the password will be required both at boot and at entry to Setup. If set to "Setup", prompting only occurs when trying to enter Setup.

4-11 Exit Selecting

Save & Exit Setup

Pressing <Enter> on this item asks for confirmation:

Save to CMOS and EXIT (Y/N)? Y

Pressing "Y" stores the selections made in the menus in CMOS – a special section of memory that stays on after you turn your system off. The next time you boot your computer, the BIOS configures your system according to the Setup selections stored in CMOS. After saving the values the system is restarted again.

Exit Without Saving

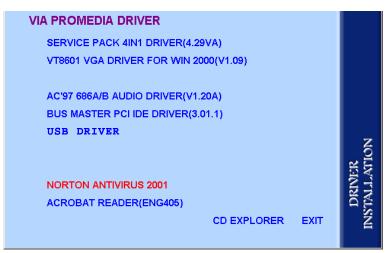
Pressing <Enter> on this item asks for confirmation:

Quit without saving (Y/N)? Y

This allows you to exit Setup without storing in CMOS any change. The previous selections remain in effect. This exits the Setup utility and restarts your computer.

Section 5 Driver Installation

Easy Driver Installation



Insert the bundled autorun driver CD-disk.

- **Step 1 :** Click **SERVICE PACK 4IN1 DRIVER.** Install all components recommended.
- Step 2: Click VT8601A VGA DRIVER to install VGA Driver.
- Step 3 : Click AC'97 686A/B AUDIO DRIVER to install Audio Sound Driver.
- Step 4 : Click BUS MASTER PCI IDE DRIVER to install Bus Master PCI IDE.
- Step 5 : Click USB Driver to install USB.
- **Step 6 :** Click **NORTON ANTIVIRUS 2001** and follow the setup to finish the installation. Please DO make sure to update the virus definition code regularly to protect your system from virus damage.

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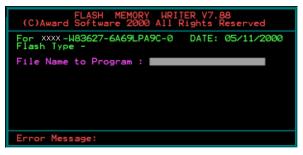
Appendix A

A-1 Update Your System BIOS

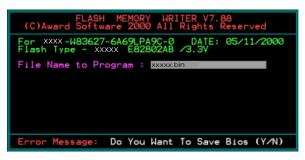
Download the xxxx.EXE file corresponding to your model form the our website to an empty directory on your hard disk or floppy. Run the downloaded xxxxx.EXE file and it will self extract. Copy these extracted files to a bootable DOS floppy disk.

Note: The DOS floppy disk should contain NO device drivers or other programs.

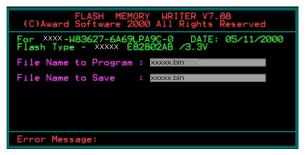
- 1. Type "A:\AWDFLASH and press <Enter> Key.
- 2. You will see the following setup on screen.
- 3. Please key in the xxxxx.bin BIOS file name.



4. If you want to save the previous BIOS data to the diskette, please key in [Y], otherwise please key in [N].



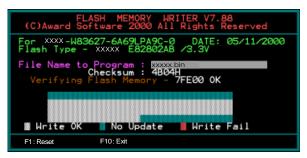
5. Key in File Name to save previous BIOS to file.



6. Are you sure to program (y/n), please key in [Y] to start the programming.

FLASH MEMORY WRITER V7.88 (C)Award Software 2000 All Rights Reserved
For :XXXX-W83627-6A69LPA9C-0 DATE: 05/11/2000 Flash Type - XXXXX E82802AB /3.3V
File Name to Program : xxxxxbin Checksum : 938FH File Name to Save : xxxxxxbin
Error Message: Are you sure to program (y/n)

7. The programming is finished.



Appendix B

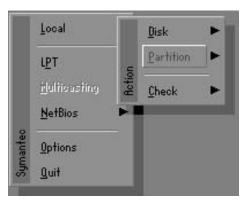
B-1 GHOST 5.1 Quick User's Guide

Installation is very easy. You only need to copy the **Ghost5** folder or **Ghost.exe** to your hard disk.

The current market version is for single **Client**, so the LPT and NetBios portions will not be explained further.

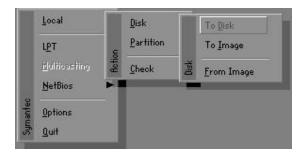
Description of Menus

Ghost clones and backs up Disk and Partition.



In which **Disk** indicates hard disk options **Partition** indicates partition options **Check** indicates check options

Disk



There are 3 hard disk functions:

- 1. Disk To Disk (disk cloning)
- 2. Disk To Image (disk backup)
- 3. Disk From Image (restore backup)

Important!

- 1. To use this function, the system must have at least 2 disks. Press the **Tab** key to move the cursor.
- 2. When restoring to a destination disk, all data in that disk will be completely destroyed.

Disk To Disk (Disk Cloning)

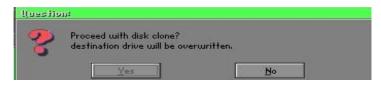
- 1. Select the location of the **Source drive**.
- 2. Select the location of the **Destination drive**.

		Primary	Cylinders	Heads	Sectors
1	8691	2	1108	255	63
2	2014	1	1023	64	63 32
3	94	4	94	64	32

3. When cloning a disk or restoring the backup, set the required partition size as shown in the following figure.

Part	Type	Description	Label	New Size	Old Size	Data Size
1	0Ь	Fat32	N0 NAME	661	2102	535
2	0Ь	Fat32 extd	NO NAME	1352	6573	1089
			Free	0	15	
			Total	2014	8691	1624

4. Click OK to display the following confirmation screen. Select **Yes** to start.



Disk To Image (Disk Backup)

1. Select the location of the Source drive.

Drive	Size(Mb)	Primary	Cylinders	Heads	Sectors
1	8691	2	1108	255	63
2	2014	1	1023	64	63 32
3	94	4	94	64	32

2. Select the location for storing the backup file.

Name	Size	Date 🔺	Parent
ASUSBI~1		09-10-1998 12:01:04	Tarem
C98BACK		09-10-1998 11:45:24	
E98BACK		09-10-1998 11:46:58	
EPSON		09-07-1998 18:09:38	J S a
GHOST5		09-21-1998 14:25:30	<u> </u>
NC		09-21-1998 18:34:58	
PIC		10-12-1998 10:02:36	
PRINT		09-07-1998 18:28:30	3
RECYCLED		09-04-1998 17:45:06	
W95BACK		09-21-1998 15:43:16	The second se
MIN98		09-05-1998 18:33:34	
FFASTUN.FFA	4,379	10-27-1998 13:38:20	
FFASTUN.FFL	24,576	10-27-1998 13:38:18	
FFASTUN.FF0	24,576	10-27-1998 13:38:20 💌	
le Name BACKUP		i	Cancel

3. Click **OK** to display the following confirmation screen. Select **Yes** to start.



Disk From Image (Restore Backup)

1. Select the Restore file.

a: Local drive		T	
Name	Size	Date	A Parent
ASUSBI~1		09-10-1998 12:01:04	
C98BACK		09-10-1998 11:45:24	
E98BACK		09-10-1998 11:46:58	
EPSON		09-07-1998 18:09:38	- J
GHOST5		09-21-1998 14:25:30	
NC		09-21-1998 18:34:58	4 C -
PIC		10-12-1998 10:02:36	- 63
PRINT		09-07-1998 18:28:30	
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FFASTUN.FFL	24,576	10-27-1998 13:38:18	
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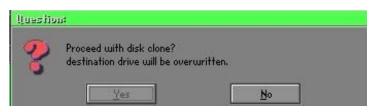
2. Select the **Destination drive** of the disk to be restored.

Drive	Size(Mb)	Primary	Cylinders	Heads	Sectors
1	8691	2	1108	255	63
2	2014	1	1023	64	63 32
3	94	4	94	64	32

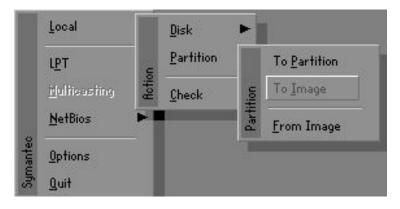
3. When restoring disk backup, set the required partition size as shown in the following figure.

Part	Type	Description	Label	New Size	Old Size	Data Size
1	ОЬ	Fat32	NO NAME	661	2102	535
2	0Ь	Fat32 extd	NO NAME	1352	6573	1089
			Free	0	15	
			Total	2014	8691	1624

4. Click **OK** to display the following confirmation screen. Select **Yes** to start.



Partition



Appendix

There are 3 partition functions:

- 1. Partition To Partition (partition cloning)
- 2. Partition To Image (partition backup)
- 3. Partition From Image (restore partition)

Partition To Partition (Partition Cloning)

The basic unit for partition cloning is a partition. Refer to disk cloning for the operation method.

Partition To Image (Partition Backup)

1. Select the disk to be backed up.

Drive	Size(Mb)	Primary	Cylinders	Heads	Sectors
1	8691	2	1108	255	6

2. Select the first partition to be backed up. This is usually where the operating system and programs are stored.

Part	Type	Description	Volume Label	Size in Mb	Data Size in Mb
1	0Ь	Fat32	N0 NAME	2102	551
2	ОЬ	Fat32 extd	NO NAME Free	6573 15	1089
			Total	8691	1641

3. Select the path and file name for storing the backup file.

	AMPAN CONTRACT AN	T	-
Name	Size	Date	<u>P</u> arent
ASUSBI~1		09-10-1998 12:01:04	
C98BACK		09-10-1998 11:45:24	
E98BACK		09-10-1998 11:46:58	
EPSON		09-07-1998 18:09:38 -	- J.S.a
NC		09-21-1998 18:34:58	
PIC		10-12-1998 10:02:36	90 B
PRINT		09-07-1998 18:28:30	0.2
RECYCLED		09-04-1998 17:45:06	
W95BACK		09-21-1998 15:43:16	-
WIN98		09-05-1998 18:33:34	1944 B
FFASTUN.FFA	4,379	10-27-1998 13:38:20	(1999 C
FFASTUN.FFL	24,576	10-27-1998 13:38:18	
FFASTUN.FF0	24,576	10-27-1998 13:38:20	
FFASTUNO.FFX	192,512	10-27-1998 13:38:18	
le Name D:\ORIGINAL.GHO			
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- 4. Is the file compressed? There are 3 options:
 - (1) No: do not compress data during backup
 - (2) Fast: Small volume compression
 - (3) High: high ratio compression. File can be compressed to its minimum, but this requires longer execution time.



5. During confirmation, select Yes to start performing backup.



Partition From Image (Restore Partition)

1. Select the backup file to be restored.

Name	Size	Date	Parent
ISUSBI~1		09-10-1998 12:01:04	Larcut
98BACK		09-10-1998 11:45:24	
98BACK		09-10-1998 11:46:58	
PSON		09-07-1998 18:09:38	I so a
NC .		09-21-1998 18:34:58	1
PIC		10-12-1998 10:02:36	40 4
RINT		09-07-1998 18:28:30	E S
RECYCLED		09-04-1998 17:45:06	2
195BACK		09-21-1998 15:43:16	Card F
VIN98		09-05-1998 18:33:34	Produce 1
RIGINAL.GHO	89,871,827	10-02-1998 11:42:44	1 19 C
RECENT.GHO	290,076,734	10-06-1998 17:48:38	
e Name			Cancel

2. Select the source partition.

	Туре	Description	Label	Size	Bata Size
1	06	Fat32	N0 NAME	2102	145
			Total	2102	145

3. Select the disk to be restored.

Drive	Size(Mb)	Primary	Cylinders	Heads	Sectors
1	8691	2	1108	255	6:

4. Select the partition to be restored.

Free 15	'art	Туре	Description	Label	Size	Data Size
Free 15	1	UD				
	2	0Б	Fat32 extd			1076
Total 8691 1633				Total	8691	1633

5. Select Yes to start restoring.



Check

This function checks the hard disk or backup file for backup or restoration error due to FAT or track error.

How to Reinstall Windows in 2 Minutes

This chapter teaches you how to set your computer properly and, if necessary, reinstall Windows in 2 minutes. Ghost can use different methods to complete this task. The following two sections explain the creation of the emergency **Recover Floppy** and **Recover CD**:

Emergency Recover Floppy

Divide a hard disk into two partitions. The first partition is for storing the operating system and application programs. The second partition is for backing up the operating system and data. The size of the partition can be set according to the backup requirements. For example, the **Windows** operating system needs 200MB of hard disk space, while the complete **Office** installation requires 360MB. The remaining space can be used to store other data.

After installing **Windows**, use **Ghost** to create a backup of the source system and store the file (Image file) in drive D. The file is named as **Original.gho**. Then, create a recover floppy disk containing:

- Bootable files (Command.com, Io.sys, and MSDOS.SYS)
- Config.sys (configuration setup file)
- Autoexec.bat (auto-execution batch file)
- Ghost.exe (Ghost execution file)

There are two ways to set the content of the recover floppy for restoration:

(1) To load **Windows** automatically after booting, set the **Autoexec.bat** command as:

Ghost.exe clone, mode=pload, src=d:\original.gho:2,dst=1:1 -fx -sure -rb Description: Runs the restore function automatically using the Image File. After execution, it exits Ghost and boots the system automatically.

Refer to the [Introducing Ghosts Functions].

(2) After booting, the screen displays the Menu. Select Backup or Restore: Since the user may install other applications in the future, he/she may design Autoexec.bat as a Menu to back up or restore the userdefined Image file as follows:



Back up Windows and application programs as a file (Recent. gho). Command is:

Ghost -clone,mode=pdump,src=1:1,dst=d:\Recent.gho -fx - sure -rb

🕝 Restore

Restore types include [General Windows] and [Windows and Application Programs]. If you select [General Windows], the system is restored to the general Windows operation condition. The command is:

Ghost.exe -clone,mode=pload,src=d:\Original.gho,dst=1:1 -fx -sure -rb

If you select **[Windows and Application Programs],** the latest backup file (Recent.gho) is restored, skipping the installation and setup of application programs.

For description of relevant parameters, refer to **[Introducing Ghosts Functions]**.

For more information about menu design, refer to Config.sys and Autoexec.bat under /Menu in the CD. You can also create a backup CD containing Ghost.exe and these two files.

Recover CD

In recent years, well-known computer manufacturers (such as IBM, Acer, Compaq, etc.) bundle Recover CDs with their computers to reduce the cost resulting from servicing, while at the same time increasing their market competitiveness.

The following is a simple guide to how to create a recover CD:

1. For extremely easy creation of the recover floppy disk, use the copy program for example "Easy CD Creator " (Note 2). First, create a recover floppy disk containing:

Bootable files (Command.com and Io.sys and MSDOS.SYS)

Config.sys (Configuration setup file)

Autoexec.bat (Auto-execution batch file)

Mscdex.exe (CD-Rom execution file)

Ghost.exe (Ghost execution file)

Oakcdrom.sys (ATAPI CD-ROM compatible driver)

The content of Config.sys is: DEVICE=Oakcdrom.sys /d:idecd001

The content of Autoexec.bat includes: MSCDEX.EXE /D:IDECD001 /L:Z Ghost.exe clone,mode=load,src=z:\original.gho,dst=1 -sure -rb

2. Write the backup image file (original.gho) of the entire hard disk or partition into the recover CD. Use the Recover CD to boot up the system and restore the backup files automatically.

For description of relevant parameters, refer to **[Introducing Ghosts Functions]**.

Note: For more details regarding the creation program and method for creating the recover CD, please refer to the legal software and relevant operation manual.

Ghost Command Line Switches Reference

Ghost may be run in interactive or in batch mode. Batch mode is useful for automating installations for backups using Ghost. Most of the Ghost switches are used to assist with batch mode operation. To list switches from Ghost, type ghost.exe -h.

-clone

The full syntax for this switch is:

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\label{eq:clone,MODE} $$ clone,MODE= \{ copy | load | dump | pcopy | pload | pdump \}, SRC= \\ \{ drive|file|drive: partition|, DST= \{ drive|file|drive: partition \}, SZE \{ F|L|n= \\ \{ nnnnM|nnP|F|V \} \} $$
```

Clone using arguments. This is the most useful of the batch switches and has a series of arguments that define:

a)	MODE	This defines the type of clone command to be used:
	COPY	disk to disk copy
	LOAD	file to disk load
	DUMP	disk to file dump
	PCOPY	partition to partition copy
	PLOAD	file to partition load
	PDUMP	partition to file dump
b)	SRC	This defines the source location for the operation:
	Mode	Meaning:
	COPY/	
	DUMP	Source drive (e.g, 1 for drive one)
	LOAD	Disk image filename or device (e.g, g:\Images\system2.img)
	PCOPY/	
	PDUMP	Source partition e.g, 1:2 indicates the second partition
		on drive one.
	PLOAD	Partition image filename or device and partition
		number. Example: g:\images\disk1.img:2 indicates the
		second partition in the Image file.

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c)	DST	This defines the destination location for the operation:
	Mode	Meaning
	COPY/	
	LOAD	Destination drive (e.g, 2 for drive two)
	DUMP	Disk image filename or device, (e.g, g:\images\system2.img)
	PCOPY/	
	PLOAD	Destination partition, (e.g, 2:2 indicates the second
		partition on drive two).
	PDUMP	Partition image filename (e.g, g:\images\part1.img).
-)	07E	
C)	SZEy	Used to set the size of the destination partitions for
		either a disk load or disk copy operation.

Available y Options:

F	Resizes the first partition to maximum size allowed based
	on file system t type.
L	Resizes the last partition to maximum size allowed based on
	file system type.
n=xxxxM	- indicates that the n?h destination partition is to have a size
	of xxxx Mb. (e.g, SZE2=800M indicates partition two is to
	have 800 mb.) n=mmP - indicates that the n?h destination
	partition is to have a size of mm percent of the target disk.
n=F	- indicates that the n?h destination partition is to remain
	fixed in size.
n=V	- Indicates that the partition will be resized according to the
	following rules:
	Rule 1 - If the destination disk is larger than the original
	source disk, then the partition(s) will be expanded to have
	the maximum amount of space subject to the free space
	available and the partition type (e.g, FAT16 partitions will
	have a maximum size of 2048Mb.)
	Rule 2 - If the destination disk is smaller than the original
	source disk, (but still large enough to accommodate the
	data from the source disk), the free space left over after the

data space has been satisfied will be distributed between the destination partitions in proportion to the data usage in the source partitions Someexamples follow that will help illustrate:

-fx flag Exit. Normally when Ghost has finished copying a new system to a disk, it prompts the user to reboot with a press Ctrl-Alt-Del to reboot window. However, if Ghost is being run as part of a batch file it is sometimes useful to have it just exist back to the DOS prompt after completion so that further batch commands may be processed. -fx enables this. See -rb for another option on completing a clone.

-ia Image All. The Image All switch forces Ghost to do a sector by sector copy of all partitions. When copying a partition from a disk to an image file or to another disk, Ghost examines the source partition and decides whether to copy just the files and directory structure, or to do an image (sector by sector) copy. If it understands the internal format of the partition it defaults to copying the files and directory structure. Generally this is the best option, but occasionally if a disk has been set up with special hidden security files that are in specific positions on the partition , the only way to reproduce them accurately on the target partition is via an image or sector-by-sector copy.

-span enables spanning across volumes.

- -split=x splits image file into 'x' Mb? Mb spans. Use this to create a 'forced' size volume set. For example, if you would like to force smaller image files from a 1024 Megabyte drive, you could specify 200 megabyte segments.For example, ghost. exe -split=200 will divide the image into 200 Megabyte segments.
- -sure use the -sure switch in conjunction with -clone to avoid being prompted with the final 'Proceed with disk clone destination drive will be overwritten?' question. This command is useful in batch mode.

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Example 1:

To copy drive one to drive two on a PC, without final prompt if OK to proceed.

ghost.exe -clone,mode=copy,src=1,dst=2 -sure

Example 2:

To connect via NetBIOS to another PC running Ghost in slave mode, and dump a disk image of local drive two to the remote file c:\drive2.gho ghost.exe -clone,mode=dump,src=2,dst=C:\drive2.gho -nbm Note: The slave Ghost can be started with ghost –nbs

Example 3:

To copy drive one, second partition on a PC to drive two, first parti-tion the same PC, without final prompt ghost.exe -clone,mode=pcopy,src=1:2,dst=2:1 -sure

Example 4:

To dump the second partition of drive one to an image file on a mapped drive g: ghost.exe -clone,mode=pdump,src=1:2,dst=g:\part2.gho

Example 5:

To load partition 2 from a two-partition image file on a mapped drive g: onto the second partition of the local disk ghost -clone,mode=pload,src=g:\part2.gho:2,dst=1:2

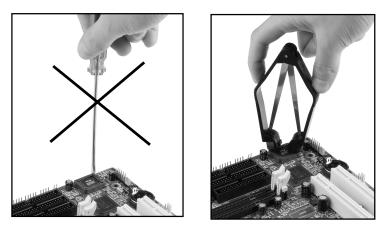
Example 6:

To load drive 2 from an image file and resize the destination partitions into a 20:40 allocation ghost.exe -clone,mode=load,src=g:\2prtdisk.gho,dst=2,sze1=60P, sze2=40P

Appendix C

C-1 EEPROM BIOS Remover

Do not remove the BIOS chip, unless instructed by a technician and only with a PLCC IC extractor tool.



The BIOS socket may be damaged if using an improper method to replace the BIOS chip.

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