

Chapter 2

Introduction

This chapter discusses the Award Setup program built into the ROM BIOS. The Setup program allows the user to modify the basic system configuration. This special information is then stored in battery-backed RAM so that it retains the setup information when the power is turned off.

The Award BIOS installed in your computer system's ROM (Read Only Memory) is a custom version of an industry standard BIOS. This means that it supports Intel P4 Processor. The BIOS provides critical low-level support for standard devices such as disk drives and serial and parallel ports.

The rest of this manual is intended to guide you through the process of configuring your system using Setup.

Plug and Play Support

This AWARD BIOS supports the Plug and Play Version 1.0A specification. ESCD(Extended System Configuration Data)write is supported.

EPA Green PC Support

This AWARD BIOS supports Version 1.03 of the EPA Green PC specification.

PCI Bus Support

This AWARD BIOS also supports Version 2.1 of the Intel PCI (Peripheral Component Interconnect)local bus specification.

APM Support

This AWARD BIOS supports Version 1.1&1.2 of the Advanced Power Management(APM) specification. Power management features are implemented via the System Management Interrupt(SMI). Sleep and Suspend power management modes are supported. Power to the hard disk drives and video monitors can be managed by this AWARD BIOS.

DRAM Support

SDRAM (Synchronous DRAM) are supported.

Support CPU

This AWARD BIOS supports the Intel P4 Processor.

Using Setup

In general, you use the arrow keys to highlight items, press <Enter>to select, use the <PgUp>and <PgDn>keys to change entries, press<F1>for help and press <Esc>to quit. The following table provides more detail about how to navigate in the Setup program by using the keyboard.

Note:

(BIOS version 1.0 is for reference only. If there is a change in BIOS version, please use the actual version on the BIOS.)

Keystroke	Function
Up arrow	Move to previous item
Down arrow	Move to next item
Left arrow	Move to the item on the left(menu bar)
Right arrow	Move to the item on the right(menu bar)
Esc	Main Menu: Quit without saving changes Submenus: Exit Current page to the next higher level menu
Move Enter	Move to item you desired
PgUp key	Increase the numeric value or make changes
PgDn key	Decrease the numeric value or make changes
+Key	Increase the numeric value or make changes
-Key	Decrease the numeric value or make changes
Esc Key	Main menu-Quit and not save changes into CMOS Status Page Setup Menu and option Page Setup Menu-Exit Current page and return to Main Menu
F1 Key	General help on Setup navigation keys.
F5 Key	Load previous values from CMOS
F6 Key	Load the fail-safe defaults from BIOS default table
F7 Key	Load the optimized defaults
F10 Key	Save all the CMOS changes and exit

2.1 Main Menu

Once you enter AWARD BIOS CMOS Set up Utility, the Main Menu will appear on the screen. The Main Menu allows you to select from several setup function. Use the arrow keys to select among the items and press<Enter> to accept and enter the sub-menu.

“WARNING”

The information about BIOS defaults on manual (Figure 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14)is just for reference, please refer to the BIOS installed on the board for updated information.

© Figure 1. Main Menu

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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 ...	

Standard CMOS Features

This setup page includes all the items in standard compatible BIOS.

Advanced BIOS Features

This setup page includes all the items of the BIOS special enhanced features.

Advanced Chipset Features

This setup page includes all the items of the Chipset special enhanced features.

Integrated Peripherals

This selection page includes all the items of the IDE hard drive and Programmed Input/Output features.

Power Management Setup

This setup page includes all the items of the power management features.

PnP/PCI Configurations

This setup page includes the user defined or default IRQ Setting.

PC Health Status

This page shows the hardware Monitor information of the system.

Frequency / Voltage Control

This setup page controls the CPU's clock and frequency ratio.

Load Fail-Safe Defaults

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

Load Optimized Defaults

These settings are more likely to configure a workable computer when something is wrong. If you cannot boot the computer successfully, select the BIOS Setup options and try to diagnose the problem after the computer boots. These settings do not provide optional performance.

Set Supervisor Password

Change, set, or, disable password. It allows you to limit access to the system and Setup, or just to Setup.

Set User Password

You can specify both a User and a Supervisor password. When you select either password option, you are prompted for a 1-6 character password. Enter the password and then retype the password when prompted.

Save & Exit Setup

Save CMOS value changes to CMOS and exit setup.

Exit Without Saving

Abandon all CMOS value changes and exit setup.

2.2 Standard CMOS Features

This item in the Standard CMOS Setup Menu is divided into 10 categories. Each category includes no, one or more than one setup items. Use the arrow keys to highlight the item and then use the <PgUp> or <PgDn> keys to select the value you want in each item.

© Figure 2. Standard CMOS Features

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Standard CMOS Features

Date(mm:dd:yy)	Tue,Jun 6 2000	Item Help
Time (hh:mm:ss)	11:26:10	
IDE Primary Master	None	Menu Level
IDE Primary Slave		Change the day,
IDE Secondary Master		month,year
IDE Secondary Master	None	and century.
Drive A	1.44M,3.5 in	
Drive B	None	
Video	EGA/VGA	
Halt On	All,But Keyboard	
Base Memory	640K	
Extended Memory	65472K	
Total	1024K	

←→↑↓: Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save ESC:Exit
 F1:General Help F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defaults
 F7:Optimized Defaults

Main Menu Selections

This table shows the selections that you can make on the Main Menu.

Item	Options	Description
Date	Month DD YYYY	Set the system,date. Note that the 'Day' automatically changes when you set the data.
IDE Primary Master	Options are in its sub menu.	Press<Enter> to enter the sub menu of detailed.
IDE Primary Slave	Options are in its sub menu.	Press<Enter> to enter the sub menu of detailed.
IDE Secondary Master	Options are in its sub menu.	Press<Enter> to enter the sub menu of detailed.
IDE Secondary Slave	Options are in its sub menu.	Press<Enter> to enter the sub menu of detailed.
Drive A Drive B	None 360K,5.25in 1.2M,5.25in 720K,3.5in 1.44M,3.5in 2.88M,3.5in	Select the type of floppy disk drive installed in your system.
Video	EGA/VGA CGA 40 CGA 80 MONO	Select the default video device.

Item	Options	Description
Halt On	All Errors No Errors All, but Keyboard All, but Diskette All, but Disk/Key	Select the situation in which you want the BIOS to stop the POST process and notify.
Base Memory	N/A	Displays the amount of conventional memory detected during boot up.
Extended Memory	N/A	Displays the amount of conventional memory detected during boot up.
Total Memory	N/A	Displays the total memory available in the system.

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Primary Master

IDE HDD Auto-Detection	Press Enter	Item Help
IDE Primary Master Access Mode	Auto	Menu Level
Capacity	13022MB	
Cylinder	25232	
Head	16	
Precomp	0	
Landing Zone	25231	
Sector	61	

←→↑↓: Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save ESC:Exit
 F1:General Help F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defaults
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2.3 Advanced BIOS Features

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Advanced BIOS Features

Virus Warning	Disabled	Item Help
CPU L1 & L2 Cache	Enabled	
Quick Power On Self Test	Enabled	Menu Level
First Boot Device	Floppy	
Second Boot Device	HDD-0	Allows you to
Third Boot Device	CD-ROM	choose the
Boot Other Device	Enabled	VIRUS warning
Swap Floppy Drive	Disabled	feature for IDE
Boot Up Floppy Seek	Enabled	Hard Disk boot
Boot Up NumLock Status	On	sector protection.
Gate A20 Option	Fast	If this function
Typematic Rate Setting	Disabled	is enabled and
Typematic Rate (Chars/Sec)	6	someone attempts
Typematic Delay (Msec)	250	to write data into
Security Option	Setup	this area, BIOS
APIC Mode	Enabled	will show a
MPS Version Control For OS	1.4	warning message
OS Select For DRAM >64MB	Non-OS2	on screen and
Report No FDD For WIN 95	No	alarm beep
Full Screen Logo Show	Disabled	
Small Logo (EPA) Show	Disabled	

←→↑↓: Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save ESC:Exit

F1:General Help F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defaults

F7:Optimized Defaults

Virus Warning

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

The Choices: Disabled(default), Enabled.

CPU L1 & L2 Cache

This fields allow you to Enable or Disable the CPU's "Level 1 & Level 2" cache. Caching allows better performance.

Enabled (default) Enabled cache.

Disabled Disabled cache.

Quick Power On Self Test

This category speeds up Power on self-Test(POST) after you power up the computer. If it is set to Enable, BIOS will shorten or skip some check items during POST.

Enabled (default) Enabled quick POST.

Disabled Normal POST.

First/Secondary/Third Boot Device

This BIOS attempts to load the operating system from the devices in the sequence selected in these items.

The Choices: Floppy, LS120, HDD-0, SCSI, CDROM, HDD-1, HDD-2, HDD-3, ZIP100, USB-FDD, USB-ZIP, USB-CDROM, USB-HDD, LAN, Disabled.

Boot Other Device

The Choices: Enabled(default), Disabled.

Swap Floppy Drive

If the system has two floppy drives, you can swap the logical drive name assignments.

The Choices: Disabled(default), Enabled.

Boot Up Floppy Seek

Seek disk drives during boot up. Disabled speeds boot-up.

The Choices: Enabled(default), Disabled.

Boot Up NumLock Status

Select power on state for Numlock.

- On (default)** Numpad is number keys.
Off Numpad is arrow keys.

Gate A20 Option

Select if chipset or keyboard controller should control Gate A20.

- Normal** A pin in the keyboard controller controls Gate A20.
Fast (default) Lets chipset control Gate A20.

Typematic Rate Setting

- Enabled** Enabled this option to adjust the keystroke repeat rate.
Disabled (default) Disabled.

Typematic Rate (Char/Sec)

Range between 6(**default**) and 30 characters per second. This option controls the speed of repeating keystrokes.

Typematic Delay (Msec)

This option sets the time interval for displaying the first and the second characters.

The Choices: 250(default), 500, 750, 1000.

Security Option

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

- System** The system will not boot and access to Setup will be denied if the correct password is not entered in prompt.

Setup (default)

The system will boot, but access to Setup will be denied if the correct password is not entered in prompt.

APIC Mode

The Choices: Enabled(default), Disabled.

MPS Version Control For OS

The Choices: 1.4(default), 1.1.

OS Select For DRAM >64MB

Select the operating system that is running with greater than 64MB of RAM on the system.

The Choices: Non-OS2(default), OS2

Report No FDD For Window 95

No (default)

Assign IRQ6 For FDD.

Yes

FDD Detect IRQ6
Automatically.

Full Screen Logo Show

The Choices: Disabled(default), Enabled.

Small Logo (EPA) Show

The Choices: Disabled(default), Enabled.

2.4 Advanced Chipset Features

This section allows you to configure the system based on the specific features of the installed chipset. This chipset manages bus speeds and access to system memory resources, such as DRAM and external cache. It also coordinates communications of the PCI bus. It must be stated that these items should never need to be altered. The default settings have been chosen because they provide the best operating conditions for your system. The only time you might consider making any changes would be if you discovered that data was lost while using your system.

© Figure 4. Advanced Chipset Features

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Advanced Chipset Features

DRAM Timing Selectable	By SPD	Item Help
DRAM Latency Time	2.5	
Active to Precharge Delay	7	Menu Level
DRAM RAS# to CAS# Delay	3	
DRAM RAS# Precharge	3	
DRAM Data Integrity Mode	Non-ECC	
Memory Frequency For	Auto	
Buffer Strength Control	Press Enter	
DRAM Read Thermal Mgmt	Disabled	
System BIOS Cacheable	Enabled	
Video BIOS Cacheable	Disabled	
Video RAM Cacheable	Disabled	
Memory Hole At 15M-16M	Disabled	
Delayed Transaction	Enabled	
Delay Prior to Thermal	16 Min	
AGP Aperture Size (MB)	64	

←→↑↓: Move Enter:Select +/-PU/PD:Value F10:Save ESC:Exit
 F1:General Help F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defaults
 F7:Optimized Defaults

DRAM Timing Selectable

The DRAM timing is controlled by the DRAM Timing Registers. The Timings programmed into this register are dependent on the system design.

The Choices: By SPD(default), Manual.

DRAM Latency Time

- | | |
|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1.5 | Set DRAM latency Time to 1.5. |
| 2 | Set DRAM latency Time to 2. |
| 2.5 (default) | Set DRAM latency Time to 2.5. |
| 3 | Set DRAM latency Time to 3. |

Note:

If you are using “Nanya” brand DDR memory, please setting default is 2.

Active to Precharge Delay

- | | |
|--------------------|--------------------------------|
| 7 (default) | Set DRAM Precharge Delay in 7. |
| 6 | Set DRAM Precharge Delay in 6. |
| 5 | Set DRAM Precharge Delay in 5. |

DRAM RAS# to CAS# Delay

- | | |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 3 (default) | Set DRAM RAS# to CAS# delay 3 SCLKs. |
| 2 | Set DRAM RAS# to CAS# delay 2 SCLKs. |

DRAM RAS# Precharge

- | | |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|
| 3 (default) | Set DRAM RAS# Precharge Time to 3. |
| 2 | Set DRAM RAS# Precharge Time to 2. |

DRAM Data Integrity Mode

The Choices: Non-ECC(default), ECC.

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Buffer Strength Control

CMD Strength Control	4X	Item Help
DQ/DQS Strength Control	4X	Menu Level
CKE X16 Strength Control	Auto	
CKE X8 Strength Control	Auto	
CS# X16 Strength Control	Auto	
CS# X8 Strength Control	Auto	
CK X16 Strength Control	Auto	
CKE X8 Strength Control	Auto	
CKE X16 Strength Control	Auto	
RCVE out# Strength Control	Auto	

←→↑↓: Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save ESC:Exit
 F1:General Help F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defaults
 F7:Optimized Defaults

Memory Frequency For

This option is support memory frequency auto detect.

The Choices: Auto(default), Disabled.

DRAM Read Thermal Mgmt

This option is support memory read thermal management.

The Choices: Disabled(default), Enabled.

System BIOS Cacheable

When enabled, the access to the system BIOS ROM address at F0000H-FFFFFFH is cached.

The Choices: Enabled(default), Disabled.

Video BIOS Cacheable

Enabled Enabled Video BIOS Cacheable.

Disabled (default) Disabled Video BIOS Cacheable.

Video RAM Cacheable

Enabled Enabled Video RAM Cacheable.

Disabled (default) Disabled Video RAM Cacheable.

Memory Hole At 15-16M

In order to improve performance, certain space in memory can be reserved for ISA cards. This memory must be mapped into the memory's space below 16MB.

The Choices: Disabled(default), Enabled.

Delayed Transaction

Enabled (default) Slow speed ISA device in system.

Disabled Disabled.

Delay Prior to Thermal

The Choices: 16 min(default), 4min, 8min, 32min.

AGP Aperture Size (MB)

64 (default) AGP Graphics Aperture Size is 64 MB.

The Choices: 4M, 8M, 16M, 32M, 128M, 256M.

2.5 Integrated Peripherals

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Integrated Peripherals

On-Chip Primary PCI IDE	Enabled	Item Help
IDE Primary Master PIO	Auto	Menu Level
IDE Primary Slave PIO	Auto	
IDE Primary Master UDMA	Auto	
IDE Primary Slave UDMA	Auto	
On-Chip Secondary PCI IDE	Enabled	
IDE Secondary Master PIO	Auto	
IDE Secondary Slave PIO	Auto	
IDE Secondary Master UDMA	Auto	
IDE Secondary Slave UDMA	Auto	
USB Controller	Enabled	
USB Keyboard Support	Enabled	
USB Mouse Support	Enabled	
AC97 Audio	Auto	
AC97 Modem	Auto	
Init Display First	AGP	
IDE HDD Block Mode	Enabled	
Power On Function	Button Only	
KB Power On Password	Enter	
Hot Key Power On	Ctrl-F1	
Onboard FDC Controller	Enabled	
Onboard Serial Port 1	3F8/IRQ4	
Onboard Serial Port 2	2F8/IRQ3	
UART Mode Select	Normal	
RxD,TxD Active	Hi,Lo	
IR Transmission Delay	Enabled	
UR2 Duplex Mode	Half	
Use IR Pins	IR/Rx2Tx2	
Onboard Parallel Port	378/IRQ7	
Parallel Port Mode	SPP	
EPP Mode Type	EPP1.7	
ECP Mode Use DMA	3	
PWRON After PWR-Fail	Off	
Game Port Address	201	
Midi Port Address	330	
Midi Port IRQ	10	

←→↑↓: Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save ESC:Exit
 F1:General Help F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defaults
 F7:Optimized Defaults

On-Chip Primary PCI IDE

Enabled (default)

Enabled onboard 1st channel
IDE port.

Disabled

Disabled onboard 1st channel
IDE port.

IDE Primary Master PIO(for onboard IDE 1st channel)

Auto (default)	BIOS will automatically detect the IDE HDD Accessing mode.
Mode 0~4	Manually set the IDE Accessing mode.

IDE Primary Slave PIO(for onboard IDE 2nd channel)

Auto (default)	BIOS will automatically detect the IDE HDD Accessing mode.
Mode 0~4	Manually set the IDE Accessing mode.

IDE Primary Master UDMA

Auto (default)	BIOS will automatically detect the IDE HDD Accessing mode.
Disabled	Disabled.

IDE Primary Slave UDMA

Auto (default)	BIOS will automatically detect the IDE HDD Accessing mode.
Disabled	Disabled.

On-Chip Secondary PCI IDE

Enabled (default)	Enabled onboard 2nd channel IDE port.
Disabled	Disabled onboard 2nd channel IDE port.

IDE Secondary Master PIO(for onboard IDE 1st channel)

Auto (default)	BIOS will automatically detect the IDE HDD Accessing mode.
Mode 0~4	Manually set the IDE Accessing mode.

IDE Secondary Slave PIO(for onboard IDE 2nd channel)

Auto (default)	BIOS will automatically detect the IDE HDD Accessing mode.
Mode 0~4	Manually set the IDE Accessing mode.

IDE Secondary Master UDMA

Auto (default)	BIOS will automatically detect the IDE HDD Accessing mode.
Disabled	Disabled.

IDE Secondary Slave UDMA

Auto (default)	BIOS will automatically detect the IDE HDD Accessing mode.
Disabled	Disabled.

USB Controller

Enabled (default)	Enabled USB Controller.
Disabled	Disabled USB Controller.

USB Keyboard Support

Enabled (default)	Enabled USB Keyboard Support.
Disabled	Disabled USB Keyboard Support.

USB Mouse Support

Enabled (default)	Enabled USB Mouse Support.
Disabled	Disabled USB Mouse Support.

AC 97 Audio

Auto(default)	BIOS will automatically detect onboard Audio.
Disabled	Disabled.

AC 97 Modem

Auto(default)	BIOS will automatically detect onboard Modem.
Disabled	Disabled.

Init Display First**PCI Slot**

Set Init Display First to PCI Slot.

AGP (default)

Set Init Display First to onboard AGP.

IDE HDD Block Mode**Enabled (default)**

Enabled IDE HDD Block Mode.

Disabled

Disabled IDE HDD Block Mode.

Power On Function**Password**

Enter from 1 to 7 characters to set the Keyboard Power On Password.

Hot Key

Hot Key.

Mouse Left

Mouse Left.

Mouse Right

Mouse Right.

Any Key

Any Key.

Button Only (default)

Button Only.

Keyboard 98

If your keyboard has an Owner key button, you can press the key to power on your system.

KB Power On Password**Enter**

Enter from 1 to 7 characters to set the keyboard Power On Password.

Hot Key Power On**Ctrl-F1 (default)**

First you must choose the Power On by Hot Key function then Enter from 1 to 8 characters to set the Hot Key Power On your system.

Ctrl-F2**Ctrl-F3****Ctrl-F4****Ctrl-F5****Ctrl-F6****Ctrl-F7****Ctrl-F8**

Onboard FDC Controller

Enabled (default)	Enabled onboard FDC Controller.
Disabled	Disabled onboard FDC Controller.

Onboard Serial Port1

Select an address and corresponding interrupt for the first and second serial ports.

The Choices: **3F8/IRQ4**(default), Auto, (2F8/IRQ3), (3E8/IRQ4), (2E8/IRQ3), Disabled.

Onboard Serial Port 2

Auto	BIOS will automatically setup the Serial Port 2 address.
3F8/IRQ4	Enabled onboard Serial Port 2 and address is 3F8.
2F8/IRQ3 (default)	Enabled onboard Serial Port 2 and address is 2F8.
3E8/IRQ4	Enabled onboard Serial Port 2 and address is 3E8.
2E8/IRQ3	Enabled onboard Serial Port 2 and address is 2E8.
Disabled	Disabled.

UART Mode Select

This item allows you to select which Infra Red(IR) function of the onboard I/O chip you wish to use.

The Choices: **Normal**(default), IrDA, SCR, ASKIR.

UR2 Duplex Mode

This item allows you to select which Infra Red(IR) function of the onboard I/O chip you wish to use.

The Choices: **Half** (default), Full.

ECP Mode Use DMA

The Choices: **3**(default), 1.

Onboard Parallel Port

This item allows you to select the I/O address with which to access the onboard parallel port controller.

Disabled.

378/IRQ7. (default)

278/IRQ5.

3BC/IRQ7.

Parallel Port Mode

SPP (default)

Using Parallel port as Standard Parallel Port.

EPP

Using Parallel port as Enhanced Parallel Port.

ECP

Using Parallel port as Extended Capabilities Port.

ECP/EPP

Using Parallel port as ECP/EPP mode.

PWRON After PWR-Fail

This option will determine how the system will power on after a power failure.

The Choices: Off(default), On, Former-Str.

Game Port Address)

201 (default)

Set onboard game port to 201.

209

Set onboard game port to 209.

Disabled

Disabled.

Midi Port Address

290

Set Midi Port address to 290.

300

Set Midi Port address to 300.

330 (default)

Set Midi Port address to 330.

Disabled

Disabled.

Midi Port IRQ

10 (default)

Set Midi Port IRQ to 10.

5

Set Midi Port IRQ to 5.

2.6 Power Management Setup

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

© Figure 6. Power Management Setup

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Power Management Setup

ACPI Function	Enabled	Item Help
ACPI Suspend Type	S1(POS)	
Run VGA BIOS if S3 Resume	Auto	Menu Level
Power Management	User Define	
Video Off Method	DPMS	
Video Off In Suspend	Yes	
Suspend Type	Stop Grant	
Modem Use IRQ	4	
Suspend Mode	Disabled	
HDD Power Down	Disabled	
Soft-Off by PWR-BTTN	Instant-Off	
CPU THRM-Throttling	50.0%	
Wake-Up by PCI Card	Enabled	
Power On by Ring	Enabled	
Resume by Alarm	Disabled	
Data (of Month) Alarm	0	
Time (of hh:mm:ss) Alarm	0 0 0	
**Reload Global Timer Events **		
Primary IDE 0	Disabled	
Primary IDE 1	Disabled	
Secondary IDE 0	Disabled	
Secondary IDE 1	Disabled	
FDD,COM,LPT Port	Disabled	
PCI PIRQ[A-D]#	Disabled	

←→↑↓: Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save ESC:Exit

F1:General Help F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defaults

F7:Optimized Defaults

ACPI Function

This item display status of the Advanced Configuration and Power Management (ACPI).

ACPI Suspend Type

The item allows you to select the suspend type under ACPI operating system.

S1(POS) (default)	Power on Suspend.
S3(STR)	Suspend to RAM.

Power Management

This option allows you to set each mode individually. When not disabled, each of the ranges are from 1 min. to 1 hr. except for HDD Power Down which ranges from 1 min. to 15 min. and disable.

The Choices: User Define (default), Min Saving, Max Saving.

Video Off Method

This determines the manner in which the monitor is blanked.

V/H SYNC+Blank	This selection will cause the system to turn off the vertical and horizontal synchronization ports and write blanks to the video buffer.
Blank Screen	This option only writes blanks to the video buffer.
DPMS Support (default)	Initial display power management signaling.

Video Off In Suspend

This field determines when to activate the video off feature for monitor power management.

The Choices: Yes(default), No.

Suspend Type

Stop Grant (default)	Set Suspend type is stop grant.
PwrOn Suspend	Set Suspend type is Power on Suspend.

Modem Use IRQ

This determines the IRQ, which can be applied in Modem use.

4 (default)

3/5/7/9/10/11/NA.

Suspend Mode

Disabled (default)

Disabled.

1 min - 1 Hour

Set the timer to enter Suspend Mode.

HDD Power Down

By default, this is “Disabled”, meaning that no matter the mode of the rest of system, the hard drive will remain ready. Otherwise, you have a range of choices from 1 to 15 minutes or Suspend. This means that you can select to have your hard disk drive be turned off after a selected number of minutes or when the rest of the system goes into a suspend mode.

Disabled (default)

Disabled.

1 - 15 mins

Enabled.

Soft-Off by PWR-BTTN

Pressing the power button for more than 4 seconds forces the system to enter the Soft-Off state when the system has “hung”.

The Choices: Instant-Off(default), Delay 4 Sec.

Wake-Up by PCI Card

Enabled

Enabled.

Disabled (default)

Disabled.

Power On By Ring

Enabled

Enabled.

Disabled (default)

Disabled.

CPU THRM-Throttling**50.0% (default)****Monitor CPU Temp. will cause system to slow down****CPU Duty Cycle to 12.5% / 25.0% / 37.5% / 62.5% /
70.5% / 87.5%****Resume by Alarm****Disabled (default)**

Disabled.

Enabled

Enabled.

Primary IDE 0/1**Disabled (default)**

Disabled.

EnabledEnabled monitor Primary IDE
0/1 for Green event.**Secondary IDE 0/1****Disabled (default)**

Disabled.

EnabledEnabled monitor Secondary
IDE 0/1 for Green event.**FDD, COM, LPT Port****Disabled (default)**

Disabled.

EnabledEnabled monitor FDD, COM,
LPT Port.**PCI PIRQ[A-D]#****Disabled (default)**

Ignore PCI PIRQ[A-D]#

Active.

Enabled

Monitor PCI PIRQ[A-D]#

Active.

2.7 PnP/PCI Configurations

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

© Figure 7. PnP/PCI Configurations

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PnP/PCI Configurations

Reset Configuration Data	Disabled	Item Help
Resources Controlled By	Auto(ESCD)	Menu Level
IRQ Resources	Press Enter	
PCI/VGA Palette Snoop	Disabled	When resources are controlled manually, assign each system interrupt a type, depending on the type of device using the interrupt
Assign IRQ For USB	Enabled	

←→↑↓: Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save ESC:Exit
 F1:General Help F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defaults
 F7:Optimized Defaults

Reset Configuration Data

The system BIOS supports the PnP feature so the system needs to record which resource is assigned and proceeds resources from conflict. Every peripheral device has a node, which is called ESCD. This node records which resources are assigned to it. The system needs to record and update ESCD to the memory locations. These locations (4K) are reserved at the system BIOS. If Disabled (Default) is chosen, the system's ESCD will update only when the new configuration varies from the last one. If Enabled is chosen, the system is forced to update ESCDs and then is automatically set to the "Disabled" mode.

IRQ3	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
IRQ4	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
IRQ5	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
IRQ6	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
IRQ7	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
IRQ8	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
IRQ9	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
IRQ10	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
IRQ11	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
IRQ12	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
IRQ13	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
IRQ14	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
IRQ15	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
DMA-0	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
DMA-1	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
DMA-2	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
DMA-3	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
DMA-4	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
DMA-5	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
DMA-6	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP
DMA-7	assigned to:PCI/ISA PnP

The above settings will be shown on the screen only if “Manual” is chosen for the resources controlled by function.

Legacy is the term, which signifies that a resource is assigned to the ISA Bus and provides for non-PnP ISA add-on cards. PCI/ISA PnP signifies that a resource is assigned to the PCI Bus or provides for ISA PnP add-on cards and peripherals.

Resources Controlled By

By Choosing “Auto” (default), the system BIOS will detect the system resources and automatically assign the relative IRQ and DMA channel for each peripheral. By Choosing “Manual”, the user will need to assign IRQ & DMA for add-on cards. Be sure that there are no IRQ/DMA and I/O port conflicts.

IRQ Resources

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

PCI / VGA Palette Snoop

Choose Disabled or Enabled. Some graphic controllers which are not VGA compatible take the output from a VGA controller and map it to their display as a way to provide boot information and VGA compatibility.

However, the color information coming from the VGA controller is drawn from the palette table inside the VGA controller to generate the proper colors, and the graphic controller needs to know what is in the palette of the VGA controller. To do this, the non-VGA graphic controller watches for the write access to the VGA palette and registers the snoop data. In PCI based systems, the Write Access to the palette will not show up on the ISA bus if the PCI VGA controller responds to the Write.

In this case, the PCI VGA controller should not respond to the Write, it should only snoop the data and permit the access to be forwarded to the ISA bus. The non-VGA ISA graphic controller can then snoop the data on the ISA bus. Unless you have the above situation, you should disable this option.

Disabled (default)	Function Disabled.
Enabled	Function Enabled.

Assign IRQ For USB

Lets the user choose which IRQ to assign for the USB.

2.8 PC Health Status

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PC Health Status

CPU Warning Temperature	Disabled	Item Help
Current System Temp.		
Current CPU1 Temperature		
Current Fan1 Speed		
Current Fan2 Speed		
Current Fan3 Speed		
Vcore V		
VCC3 V		
+5V		
+12V		
-12V		
-5V		
VBAT(V)		
5VSB(V)		

←→↑↓: Move Enter:Select +/-PU/PD:Value F10:Save ESC:Exit
 F1:General Help F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defaults
 F7:Optimized Defaults

Current Voltage(V) CPU Vcore /VCC3/+12V/+5V/5VSB/ VBAT

Detect system's voltage status automatically.

Current CPU1/System Temperature(°C /°F)

This field displays the current CPU temperature,if your computer contains a monitoring system.

Current Fan1/Fan2 / Fan3 Speed

These field displays the current speed of up to System Fans,if your computer contains a monitoring system.

CPU Warning Temperature(°C)

Disabled (default)	Disabled.
50°C / 122°F	Monitor CPU Temp.at 50°C / 122°F.
53°C / 127°F	Monitor CPU Temp.at 53°C / 127°F.
56°C / 133°F	Monitor CPU Temp.at 56°C / 133°F.
63°C / 145°F	Monitor CPU Temp.at 63°C / 145°F.
66°C / 151°F	Monitor CPU Temp.at 66°C / 151°F.
70°C / 158°F	Monitor CPU Temp.at 70°C / 158°F.

2.9 Frequency / Voltage Control

◎ Figure 9. Frequency / Voltage Control

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Frequency / Voltage Control

CPU Vcore Select	Default	Item Help
CPU Clock Ratio	24X	
Auto Detect PCI CLK	Enabled	Menu Level
Spread Spectrum	Disabled	
CPU Clock	100MHz	

←→↑↓: Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save ESC:Exit
 F1:General Help F5:Previous Values F6:Fail-Safe Defaults
 F7:Optimized Defaults

CPU Vcore Select

This option is support CPU vcore select.

The Choices: +1.850V~+1.100V.

CPU Clock Ratio

This option will not be shown if you are using a CPU with the locked ratio.

The Choices: X8~X50.

Auto Detect PCI CLK

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

The Choices: **Enabled**(default), Disabled.

Spread Spectrum

This function is designed for the EMI test only.

The Choices: **Disabled**(default), Enabled.

CPU Clock

This item allows you to select the CPU Host Clock (CPU/ PCI).

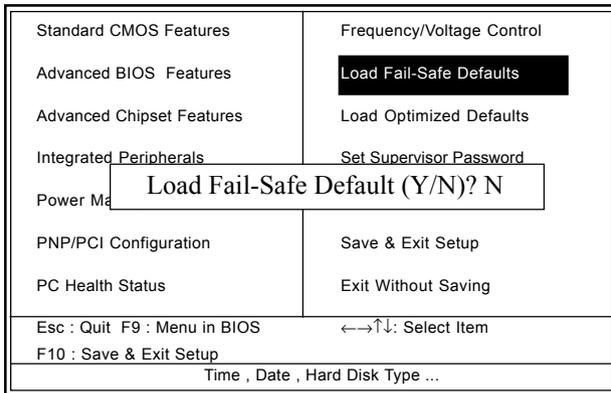
The Choices: **100MHz**(default)~132MHz

2.10 Load Fail-Safe Defaults

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

© Figure 10. Load Fail-Safe Defaults

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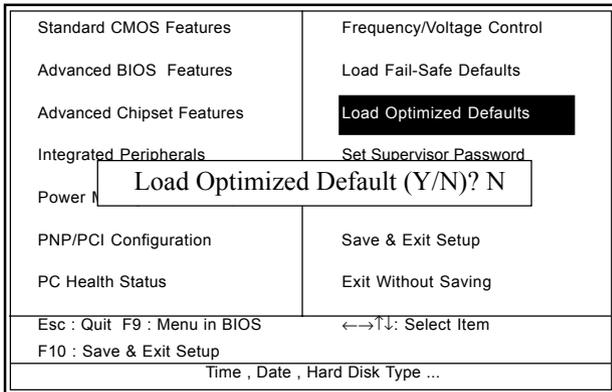
Pressing ‘Y’ loads the default values that are factory settings for optimal performance of system operations.

2.11 Load Optimized Defaults

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

© Figure 11. Load Optimized Defaults

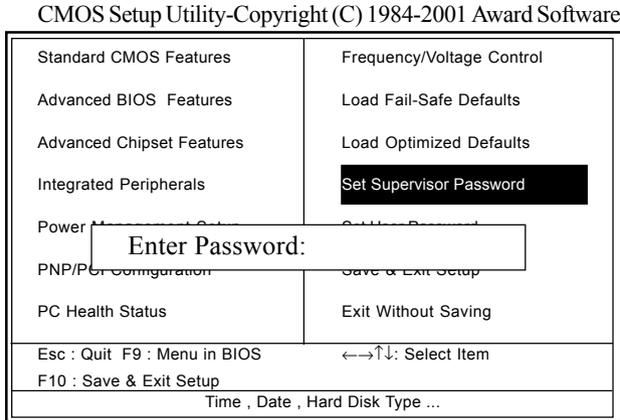
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Pressing ‘Y’ loads the default values that are factory settings for optimal performance of system operations.

2.12 Set Supervisor / User Password

© Figure 12. Set Supervisor / User Password



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

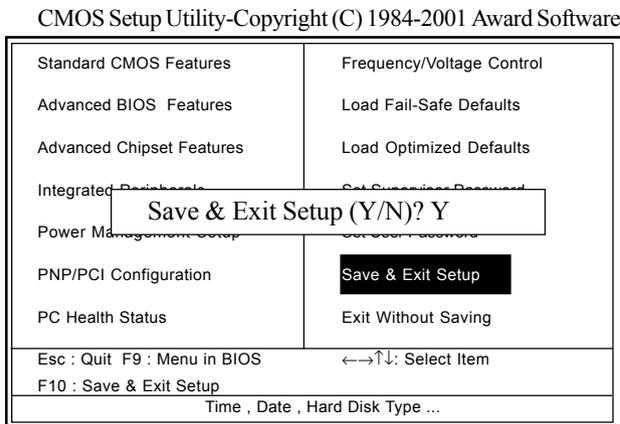
Type a password, up to eight characters, and press <Enter>. The password you type now will clear any previously entered password from CMOS memory. You will be asked to confirm the password. Type the password again and press <Enter>. You may also press <ESC> to abort the selection and not enter a password.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

Password Disabled

If you select “System” at the Security Option of BIOS Features Setup Menu, you will be prompted for the password every time when the system is rebooted, or any time when you try to enter Setup. If you select “Setup” at the Security Option of BIOS Features Setup Menu, you will be prompted only when you try to enter Setup.

2.13 Save & Exit Setup

© Figure 13. Save & Exit Setup

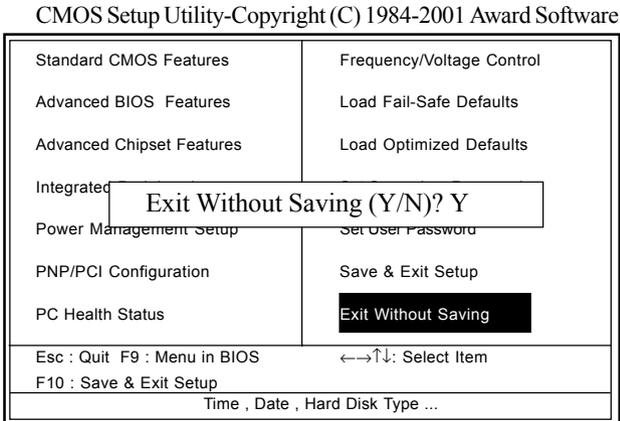


Typing “Y” will quit the Setup Utility and save the user setup value to RTC CMOS RAM.

Typing “N” will return to the Setup Utility.

2.14 Exit Without Saving

© Figure 14. Exit Without Saving



Typing “Y” will quit the Setup Utility without saving to RTC CMOS RAM.

Typing “N” will return to the Setup Utility.