

# SY-6BA+ IV Motherboard

Pentium® III, Pentium® II & Celeron™

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Processor supported

82440 BX AGP/PCI Motherboard

66 & 100 MHz Front Side Bus supported

**ATX Form Factor** 

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User's Manual

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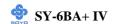
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## Chapter 1

## MOTHERBOARD DESCRIPTION

## 1-1 INTRODUCTION

The **SY-6BA+ IV** AGP/ PCI Motherboard is a high-performance Slot 1 supported ATX form factor system board. **SY-6BA+ IV** uses the VIA Chipset technology and supports Slot 1 class processors. This Motherboard is fully compatible with industry standards and adds many technical enhancements.

#### 1-2 KEY FEATURES

## > CPU SUPPORT

The SY 6BA+ IV supports a wide range of INTEL CPUs:

- Intel Pentium III 450~600 MHz
- Intel Pentium II 233~450 MHz
- Intel Celeron 266~433 MHz

New released Intel Slot 1 CPUs will very likely be supported by the SY 6BA+ IV as well.

#### > CPU SETTINGS

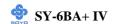
The SY 6BA+ IV provides the user with a very complete and convenient CPU setting environment. The CPU settings are all adjusted through the special SOYO COMBO page in the BIOS, therefore rendering the use of jumpers obsolete.

## **■** CPU FSB Frequency

The SY 6BA+ IV supports an incredible wide range of CPU FSB frequency settings:

66, 75, 81, 83, 90, 95, 100, 105, 110, 112, 113, 115, 117, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 133, 135, 137, 138, 140, 142, 144, 150 and 155 MHz.

This ensures that the SY 6BA+ IV has an overwhelming overclocking potential.



## **■** CPU Multiplier

The SY 6BA+ IV supports a wide range of multipliers:

2.0x, 2.5x, 3.0x, 3.5x, 4.0x, 4.5x, 5.0x, 5.5x, 6.0x, 6.5x, 7.0x, 7.5x and 8.0x

## **■** CPU Core Voltage

The CPU Core voltage is set automatically according to CPU needs. The SY 6BA+ IV supports an advanced Core voltage feature; it can be adjusted through the BIOS directly without setting jumper. In normal mode the voltage will be standard, apart from that the user can specify increments of 2.5%, 5%, 7.5% and 10% on top of the standard voltage. This will provide the CPU with the power it needs for overclocking.

#### > EXPANDABILITY

The SY 6BA+ IV provides all the standard expansion slots, and many more additional expansion features:

## Expansion slots

- 1 x 32- bit bus mastering AGP slot
- 5 x 32- bit bus mastering PCI slots
- 2 x 16- bit IS A slots

#### Enhanced IO

- Floppy disk controller
- 2x EIDE controllers with support for up to 4 Ultra DMA 33/66 devices
- Standard/ EPP/ ECP parallel port
- 2x 16550 compatible serial ports
- IrDA compatible infrared port
- 2x USB (Universal Serial Bus) connectors
- PS/2 mouse connector
- PS/2 keyboard connector

## ADVANCED FUNCTIONS

The SY 6BA+ IV supports advanced functions such as:

■ ATA 66 IDE Ports

In addition to the original two ATA33 (Ultra DMA 33) IDE ports, the SY 6BA+ IV supports two ATA66 (Ultra DMA 66) IDE ports that is



capable of transferring data up to 66 Mbytes/sec (IDE DMA Mode 4).

#### ■ Wake-On-LAN

Supports Wike- On LAN (Some advanced network cards can wake the system up over the network, the WOL connector is provided by the SY-6BA+ IV to support this function).

■ Multiple boot

The SY 6BA+ IV supports booting from devices such as CD- ROM

■ Power on by modem or alarm

If the SY 6BA+ IV system is in suspend mode, it can be switched back on through the modem or RTC alarm through this function. This opens a lot of possibilities, such as remote access that switches the system on only after the modem receives a call.

## > FAIL SAFE

The SY 6BA+ IV comes with added functionality to make managing the system easy and safe

#### **◆** Hardware Monitor

The integrated Winbond Hardware Monitor IC and Hardware doctor soft ware enables the user the monitor system voltages, temperatures and FAN speeds. This makes sure that the user is full control of the system

#### **♦** Power Failure Resume Function

This function can be set in the BIOS, and determines whether the system will automatically turn on again after a power failure. This function is indispensable for server systems that need to always be on line.

#### **♦** 5VSB Indicator

This green LED gives an indication of the presence of the 5V Standby voltage. This voltage is always fed into the motherboard and is used for functions such as WOL.

#### NORTON SOFTWARE PACK

- Antivirus
- Ghost
- Virtual Drive



## > COMPLIANCE

The SY 6BA+ IV complies with all important industry standards. The following underlines the reliability of the SY 6BA+ IV, a motherboard to trust.

- Year 2000 compliant
- PC98 compliant
- FCC CE complaint

## USER FRIENDLY

- SOYO Combo Setup
- Jumperless design
- You can set up the following options trough the BIOS setting
  - CPU FSB frequency
  - CPU multiplier
  - CPU Vcore voltage
  - PCI clock
  - AGP Clock
  - SDRAM Clock



## 1-3 HANDLING THE MOTHERBOARD

To avoid damage to your Motherboard, follow these simple rules while unpacking:

- ➤ Before handling the Motherboard, ground yourself by grasping an unpainted portion of the system's metal chassis.
- Remove the Motherboard from its anti-static packaging. Hold the Motherboard by the edges and avoid touching its components.
- ➤ Check the Motherboard for damage. If any chip appears loose, press carefully to seat it firmly in its socket.



**Warning:** Do not apply power if the Motherboard appears damaged. If there is damage to the board, contact your dealer immediately.

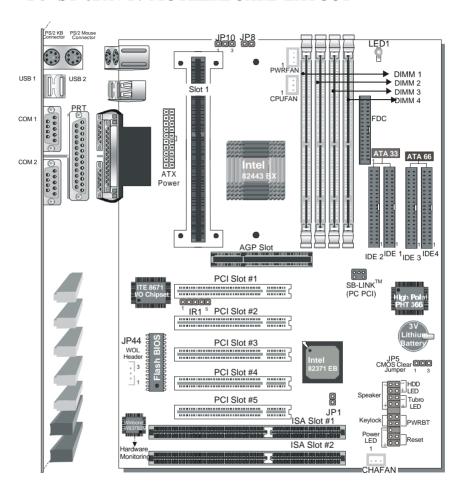
## 1-4 ELECTROSTATIC DISCHARGE PRECAUTIONS

Make sure to ground yourself before handling the Motherboard or other system components. Electrostatic discharge can easily damage the components. Note that you must take special precautions when handling the Motherboard in dry or air-conditioned environment.

To protect your equipment from electrostatic discharge, take the following precautions:

- > Do not remove the anti-static packaging until you are ready to install.
- Ground yourself before removing any system component from its protective anti-static packaging. (To ground yourself, grasp the expansion slot covers or other unpainted portions of the computer chassis.)
- Frequently ground yourself while working or use a grounding strap.
- ➤ Handle the Motherboard by its edges and avoid touching its components.

## 1-5 SY-6BA+ IV MOTHERBOARD LAYOUT

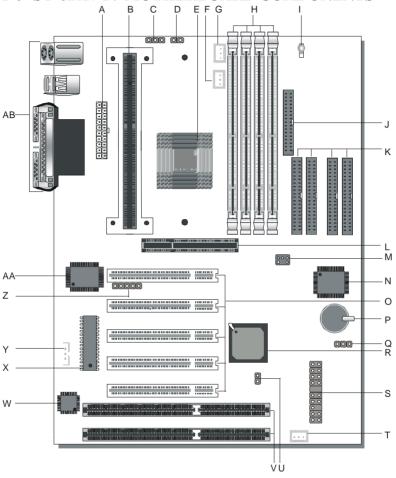


**Back Panel** 

SY-6BA+ IV Platform

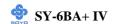


## 1-6 SY-6BA+ IV MOTHERBOARD COMPONENTS





- **A** ATX Power Supply Connector
- B Slot 1 Connector
- C Power On by Keyboard Jumper
- D CPU multiplier release Jumper
- E Intel 82440 BX PCI AGP Set
- F CPU Cooling Fan Connector
- G Power Cooling Fan Connector
- H DIMM Bank
- I 5 V Stand- by indicator LED
- J Floppy Disk Drive (FDD) Port
- **K** Bus Mastering E IDE/ ATAPI Ports
- L 32- bit AGP Slot
- M PCI Audio Card Header
- N High Point PHT 366 ATA66 Controller
- O 32- bit PCI Mastering Slots
- P 3 V Lithium Battery
- Q CMOS Clear Jumper
- R Intel 82371 EB PIIX4 Chip
- S Front panel connectors
- T Chassis Cooling Fan Connector
- U External Suspend Button Header
- V 16- bit ISA Slots
- W Winboard W83782 Mhardware monitoring
- X Flash BIOS Chip
- Y Wake- On- LAN (WOL) Header
- Z Serial Infrared (IrDA) Device Header
- AA ITE 8671 super I O Controller
- AB Back panel Connectors



## 1-7 MICROPROCESSOR

The motherboard supports a single Slot 1 processor. The processor's VID pins automatically program the voltage regulator on the motherboard to the required processor voltage. In addition, the front side bus speed (66 MHz and 100 MHz) is automatically selected. The motherboard supports all current Slot 1 processor speeds, voltages, and bus frequencies.

## 1-7.1 Microprocessor Packaging

The processor is packaged in a Single Edge Contact Cartridge (SECC or SECC2) or Single Edge Processor Package (S.E.P.P). The cartridge includes the processor core, second-level cache subsystem, thermal plate, and back cover.

The processor connects to the motherboard through the Slot1 connector, a 242-pin edge connector. When mounted in Slot1, the processor is secured by a retention mechanism attached to the motherboard. Apassive heatsink is stabilized by the heatsink supports.

#### 1-7.2 Second Level Cache

The second level cache is located on the substrate of the CPU package. The cache includes 0KB/128KB (Celeron) or 512 KB (PII/PIII) of synchronous pipelined burst static RAM. All supported onboard memory can be cached.

## 1-7.3 Microprocessor Upgrades

The motherboard can be upgraded with Slot 1 processors that run at higher speeds. When upgrading the processor, use the BIOS configuration mode to change the processor speed.

## **1-8 MEMORY**

## 1-8.1 Main Memory

The motherboard has four DIMM sockets. SDRAM can be installed in one,



two, three, or four sockets. Using the serial presence detect (SPD) data structure, programmed into an EPROM on the DIMM, the BIOS can determine the SDRAM's size and speed. Mnimum DIMM memory size is 8 MB; maximum DIMM memory size is 256 MB. Memory size and speed can vary between sockets.

The motherboard supports the following memory features:

- 168- pin DIMMs with gold- plated contacts
- 66/100/133 MHz SDRAM
- Non- ECC (64-bit) and ECC (72-bit) memory
- 3.3 V memory only
- Supports 8/16/32/64/128/256 MB DIMM Modules
- Support unbuffered or registered single- or double-sided DIMMs

#### Note

Slot 1 processors with 100 MHz front-side bus should be paired only with 100 MHz SDRAM. Processors with 66 MHz front side bus can be paired with either 66 MHz or 100 MHz SDRAM.

#### 1-8.2 SDRAM

SDRAM improves memory performance through memory access that is synchronous with the front-side bus clock. Burst transfer rates at x-111 timing can be achieved using SDRAM, while asynchronous memory subsystem are typically limited at x 2-22 transfer rates.

#### Note

All memory components and DIMMs used with the SY-6BA+ IV motherboard must comply with the PC SDRAM specifications. These include: the PC SDRAM Specification (memory component specific), the PC Unbuffered DIMM Specification, and the PC Serial Presence Detect Specification.



## 1-8.3 ECC Memory

ECC memory detects multiple bit errors and corrects single bit errors. When ECC memory is installed, the BIOS supports both ECC and non-ECC mode. ECC mode is enabled in the Setup program. The BIOS automatically detects if ECC memory is installed and provides the Setup option for selecting ECC mode. If any non-ECC memory is installed, the Setup option for ECC configuration does not appear and ECC operation is not available.

#### 1-9 CHIPSET

The Intel 440BX PCIset includes a Host-PCI bridge integrated with both an optimized DRM controller and an AGP. interface. The I O subsystem of the 440BX is based on the PIIX4E, which is a highly integrated PCI IS A IDE Accelerator Bridge. This chipset consists of the Intel 82443BX PCI AGP. controller (PAC) and the Intel 82371EB PCI IS A IDE Xcelerator (PIIX4E) bridge chip.

## 1-9.1 Intel 82443Bx PCI/A.G.P. Controller (PAC)

The PAC provides bus control signals, address paths, and data paths for transfers between the processor's host bus, PCI bus, the AGP., and main memory. The PAC features:

- Processor interface control
  - > Support for processor host bus frequencies of 100 MHz or 66MHz
  - ➤ 32- bit addressing
  - > Desktop Optimized GTL+ compliant host bus interface
- Integrated DRAM controller, with support for:
  - ► +3.3 Vonly DIMM DRAM configurations
  - ➤ Up to four double sided DIMMs
  - ➤ 100- MHz or 66 MHz SDRAM
  - > DIMM serial presence detect via SMBus interface
  - ➤ 16 and 64 Mbit devices with 2K, 4K, and 8K page sizes
  - > SDRAM 64 bit data interface with ECC support
  - > Symmetrical and asymmetrical DRAM addressing



- A. G.P. interface
  - > Complies with the A.G.P. specification
  - Support for +3.3 V AG.P.- 66/ devices
  - > Synchronous coupling to the host-bus frequency
- PCI bus interface
  - ➤ Complies with the PCI specification
  - As ynchronous coupling to the host-bus frequency
  - > PCI parity generation support
  - > Data streaming supports from PCI to DRAM
  - Support for five PCI bus masters in addition to the host and PCI to ISA I O bridge
  - Support for concurrent host, AGP., and PCI transactions to main memory
- Data buffering
  - > DRAM write buffer with read around write capability
  - Dedicated host to DRAM, PCI to DRAM, and PCI AGP- to DRAM read buffers
  - A G.P. dedicated inbound/ outbound FIFOs (133/66 MHz), used for temporary data storage
- Power management functions
  - Support for system suspend/ resume (DRAM and power- on suspend)
  - ➤ Compliant with ACPI power management
- SMBus support for desktop management functions
- Support for system management mode (SMM)

## 1-9.2 Intel 82371EB PCI ISA IDE Xcelerator (PIIX4E)

The PIIX4E is a multifunction PCI device implementing the PCI to ISA bridge, PCI IDE functionality, USB host/ hub functionality, and enhanced power management. The PIIX4E features:

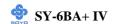
- Multifunction PCI to IS A bridge
  - Support for the PCI bus at 33 MHz



- > Complies with the PCI specification
- Full IS A bus support
- USB controller
  - Two USB ports
  - Support for legacy keyboard and mouse
  - ➤ Support for UHCI interface
- Integrated dual channel enhanced IDE interface
  - > Support for up to four IDE devices
  - ➤ PIO mode 4 transfers at up to 16 MB/ sec
  - Support for Ultra DMA 33 synchronous DMA mode transfers up to 33 MB/ sec
  - ➤ Bus master mode with an 8 x 32- bit buffer for bus master PCI IDE burst transfers
- Enhanced DMA controller
  - Two 8237- based JDMA controllers
  - Supports for PCI DMA with three PC PCI channels and distributed DMA protocols
- Interrupt controller based on 82C59
  - ➤ Support for 15 interrupts
  - Programmable for edge/ level sensitivity
- Power management logic
  - ➤ Sleep/ resume logic
  - Support for wake- on- modem, Wake on LAN technology, and w3ake on PME
  - Support for ACPI
- Real Time Clock
  - ➤ 256 byte battery backed CMOS SRAM
  - ➤ Includes date alarm
- 16- bit counters/ timers based on 82C54

## 1-9.3 Accelerated Graphics Port (A.G.P.)

A G.P. is a high-performance bus for graphics- intensive applications, such as 3D applications. A G.P., while based on the PCI Local Bus



Specifications, Rev 2.1, is independent of the PCI bus and is intended for exclusive use with graphical display devices. A GP. overcomes certain limitations of the PCI bus related to handling a large amount of graphics data with the following features:

- Pipelined memory read and write operations that hide memory access latency
- Demultiplexing of address and data on the bus for near 100 percent bus efficiency
- AC timing for 133 MHz data transfer rates, allowing real data throughput in excess of 500 MB/sec

## 1-9.4 Universal Serial Bus (USB)

The motherboard has two USB ports; one USB peripheral can be connected to each port. For more than two USB devices, an external hub can be connected to either port. The motherboard fully supports the universal host controller interface (UHCI) and used UHCI compatible soft ware drivers.

Specification USB features include:

- Self- identifying peripherals that can be plugged in while the computer is running
- Automatic mapping of function to driver and configuration
- Support for isochronous and asynchronous transfer types over the same set of wires
- Support for up to 127 physical devices
- Guaranteed bandwidth and low latencies appropriate for telephony, audio, and other applications
- Error- handling and fault- recovery mechanisms built into the protocol

#### Note

Computer systems that have an unshielded cable attached to a USB port may not meet FCC Class B requirements, even if no device or a low-speed USB device is attached to the cable. Use shielded cable that meets the requirements for a full-speed USB device.



## 1-9.5 IDE Support

The motherboard has two independent ATA 33 and two independent ATA 66 bus-mastering PCI IDE interfaces. These interfaces support PIO Mode3, PIO Mode 4, ATAPI devices (e.g., CD-ROM), and Ultra DMA/33 (IDE1, IDE2) or Ultra DMA/66 (IDE3, IDE4) synchronous-DMA mode transfers. See "IDE Device installation" (on page 29) for more information. The BIOS supports logical block addressing (LBA) and extended cylinder head sector (ECHS) translation modes. The BIOS automatically detects the IDE device transfer rate and translation mode.

Programmed I/O operations usually require a substantial amount of processor bandwidth. However, in multitasking operating systems, the bandwidth freed by bus mastering IDE can be devoted to other tasks while disk transfers are occurring.

The motherboard also supports laser servo (LS-120) drives. LS-120 technology allows the user to perform read/write operations to LS-120 (120MB) and conventional 1.44MB and 720KB diskettes. An optical servo system is used to precisely position a dual-gap head to access the diskett's 2,490 tracks per inch (tpi) containing up to 120 MB of data storage. A conventional diskette uses 135 tpi for 1.44 MB of data storage. LS-120 drivers are ATAPI-compatible and connect to the motherboard's IDE interface. (LS-120 drives are also available with SCJSI and parallel port interfaces.) Some versions of Windows 95 and Windows NT operating systems recognize the LS-120 drive as a bootable device in both 120 MB and 1.44 MB mode.

Connection of an LS-120 drive and a standard 3.5-inch diskette drive is allowed. The LS-120 drive can be configured as a boot device if selected as Drive A in the BIOS setup program.

## Note

If you connect at LS-120 drive to an IDE connector and configure it as the :boot: drive and configure a standard 3.5-inch diskette drive as a "B" drive, the standard diskette drive is not seen by the operating system. When the LS-120 drive is configured as the "boot: device, the system will



recognize it as both the A and B drive

## 1-9.6 Real-Time Clock, CMOS SRAM, and Battery

The real time clock is compatible with DS1287 and MC146818 components. The clock provides a time of day clock and a multicentury calendar with alarm features and century rollover. The real time clock supports 256 bytes of battery backed CMOS SRAM in two banks that are reserved for BIOS use.

The time, date, and CMOS values can be specified in the Setup program. The CMOS values can be returned to their defaults by using the Setup program.

## 1-10 I/O INTERFACE CONTROLLER

The motherboard uses the ITE 8671 super I O controller which features:

- Single diskette drive interface
- IS A Plug- and- Play compatible register set
- Two serial ports
- FIFO supports on both serial and diskette interfaces
- One parallel port with Extended Capabilities Port (ECP) and Enhanced Parallel Port (EPP) support
- PS/ 2 style mouse and keyboard interfaces
- PCI PME interface
- Vialigent auto power management, including:
  - > Shadowed write only registers for ACPI compliance
  - > Programmable wake- up event interface

The Setup program provides configuration option for the I Ocontroller.

## 1-10.1 Serial Ports

The NS16C5450 compatible UARTs support data transfers at speeds up to 115.2 Kbits/sec with BIOS support.

## 1-10.2 Parallel Port

In the Setup program, there are four options for parallel port operation:

• Compatible (standard mode)



- Bi- directional (PS/2 compatible)
- Bi- directional EPP. Adriver from the peripheral manufacturer is required for operation.
- Bi- directional high-speed ECP

## 1-10.3 Diskette Drive Controller

The I O controller is software compatible with the 82077 diskette drive controller and supports both PG AT and PS/2 modes. In the Setup program, the diskette drive interface can be configured for the following diskette drive capacities and sizes.

- 360 KB, 5.25 inch
- 1.2 MB, 5.25- inch
- 720 KB, 3.5- inch
- 1.2 MB. 3.5- inch (driver required)
- 1.25- 1.44 MB, 3.5- inch
- 2.88 MB. 3.5- inch

## 1-10.4 Keyboard and Mouse Interface

The +5 V lines to keyboard and mouse connectors are protected with a fuse that prevents motherboard components from being damaged when an over-current condition occurs.

The keyboard controller contains code, which provides the traditional keyboard and mouse control functions, and also supports Power On/ Reset pass word protection. Power On/ Reset pass word can be specified in the BIOS Setup program.

The keyboard controller also supports the hot-key sequence <Ctrl><Alt><Del>, software reset. This key sequence resets the computer's software by jumping to the beginning of the BIOS code and running the Power On Self Test (POST).

## 1-10.5 Infrared Support

The IR connection can be used to transfer files to or from portable devices like laptops, PDAs, and printers.



## 1-11 HARDWARE MONITOR

The optional hardware monitor subsystem provides low cost instrumentation capabilities. The features of the hardware monitor subsystem include:

- An integrated ambient temperature sensor
- Fan speed sensors, which monitor the fan 1 and fan 2 connectors
- Power supply voltage monitoring to detect levels above or below acceptable values

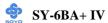
When suggested ratings for temperature, fan speed, or voltage are exceeded, an interrupt is activated. The hardware monitor component connects to the SMBus.

#### 1-12 WAKE ON LAN TECHNOLOGY

Wake on LAN technology enables remote wakeup of the computer through a network. Wake on LAN technology requires a PCI add-in network interface card (NIC) with remote wakeup capabilities. The remote wakeup connector on the NIC must be connected to the onboard Wake on LAN technology connector. The NIC monitors network traffic at the MII interface; upon detecting a Magic Packet, the NIC asserts a wakeup signal that powers up the computer. To access this feature uses the Wake on LAN technology connector.

## **CAUTION**

For Wake on LAN, the 5-V standby line for the power supply must be capable of delivering  $+5V \pm 5$ % at 720mA. Failure to provide adequate standby current when implementing Wake on LAN can damage the power supply.



## Chapter 2

## HARDWARE INSTALLATION

Congratulations on your purchase of **SY-6BA+ IV** Motherboard. You are about to install and connect your new Motherboard.



*Note:* Do not unpack the Motherboard from its protective antistatic packaging until you have made the following preparations.

## 2-1 PREPARATIONS

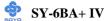
Gather and prepare all the following hardware equipment to complete the installation successfully:

1. Slot 1 processor with built- in CPU cooling fan (boxed type).



*Note:* This Motherboard supports non-boxed type CPUs. The heavier CPU cooling fan requires the installation of a CPU support stand.

- 2. DIMM memory module
- 3. Computer case and chassis with adequate power supply unit
- 4. Monitor
- 5. PS/2 Keyboard
- 6. Pointing Device (PS/2 mouse)
- 7. Speaker(s) (optional)
- 8. Disk Drives: HDD, CD ROM, Floppy drive ...
- 9. External Peripherals: Printer, Plotter, and Modem (optional)
- 10. Internal Peripherals: Modem and LAN cards (optional)



## 2-2 UNPACKING THE MOTHERBOARD

When unpacking the Motherboard, check for the following items:

- ◆ The SY 6BA+ IV 82440 BX AGP/ PCI Motherboard
- ◆ The Quick Start Guide
- ◆ The Installation CD ROM
- ◆ SOYO 3- in- 1 Bonus Pack CD ROM (Norton Ant I Virus, Chost and Virtual Drive)
- ◆ The CPU Retention Set
- ◆ One IDE Device ATA 66 Flat Cable
- ◆ One IDE Device Flat Cable
- ◆ One Floppy Disk Drive Flat Cable











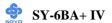


**Warning:** Do not unpack the Motherboard from its anti-static packaging until you are ready to install it.

Like most electronic equipment, your Motherboard may be damaged by electrostatic discharge. To avoid permanent damage to components ground yourself while working by using a grounding strap. Otherwise, ground yourself frequently by touching the unpainted portion of the computer chassis to drain the static charges.

Handle the Motherboard carefully, holding it by the edges.

You are now ready to start the installation.



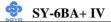
## 2-3 INSTALLATION GUIDE

We will now begin the installation of the Motherboard. Please follow the step by step procedure designed to lead you to a complete and correct installation.



*Warning:* Turn off the power to the Motherboard, system chassis, and peripheral devices before performing any work on the Motherboard or system.

# **BEGIN THE INSTALLATION**



## 2-3.1 CPU Installation

Your SY 6BA+ IV motherboard comes with a CPU retention set kit. The retention set is used to hold the processor attached to the Slot 1 CPU connector on the motherboard.

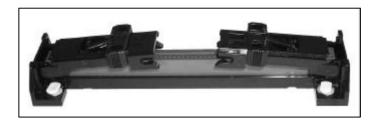
**Mark your CPU Frequency:** Record the working frequency of your CPU that should be clearly marked on the CPU cover.

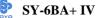
## FSB 66MHz

266MHz (66 x 4.0)	333MHz (66 x 5.0)	400MHz (66 x 6.0)	
300MHz (66 x 4.5)	366MHz (66 x 5.5)	433MHz (66 x 6.5)	
FSB 100MHz			
350MHz (100 x 3. 5)	450MHz (100 x 4.5)	550MHz (100 x 5.5)	
400MHz (100 x 4.0)	500MHz (100 x 5.0)	600MHz (100 x 6.0)	

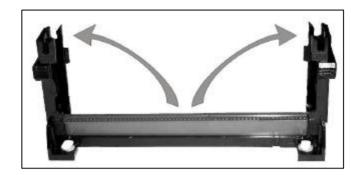
Follow these instructions to install your Slot 1 processor correctly.

## > Retention Module



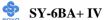


1. Open the two sides by folding them up.



2. Push the locks on top of the CPU inward.





3. Insert the CPU into the retention module. The CPU fits in the CPU slot in only ONE way, do not try to force it in.

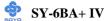


4. After completely inserting the CPU, push the two locks on top of the CPU outward. Now your CPU is ready for use.





To remove the CPU, press the two notches on top of the CPU inward. Now press the two slides on the retention module down and remove the CPU.





Note: Installing a heat sink and cooling fan on top of your CPU is necessary for proper heat dissipation. Failing to install these items may result in overheating and possible burn-out of your CPU.

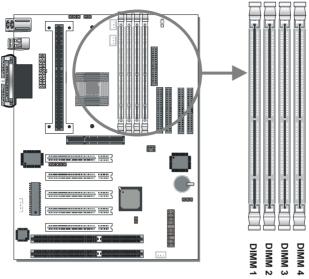
## 2-3.1.1 CPU Fan Installation

Your Slot 1 processor kit comes with a cooling fan. Mount the fan on the processor according to the instructions provided by the manufacturer. The fan is a key component that will ensure system stability. The fan prevents overheating, therefore prolonging the life of your CPU.

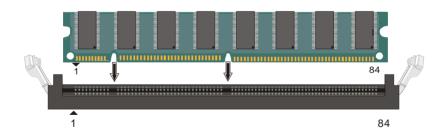


**Note:** Remember to connect the fan to the appropriate power source.

## 2-3.2 SDRAM Memory Module Installation



Your board comes with four DIMM sockets, providing support for up to 512 Mbytes or 1 GB (with registered DIMMs). For 66 MHz front side bus CPUs use 12ns or faster memory; for 100 MHz front side bus CPUs use 8ns (100 MHz, PC100 compliant) memory.



Number of Memory Modules	DIMM 1	DIMM 2	DIMM 3	DIMM 4
1	1 <sup>st</sup>			
2	1 <sup>st</sup>	$2^{\text{nd}}$		
3	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	$3^{\rm rd}$	
4	1 <sup>st</sup>	$2^{\text{nd}}$	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>
RAM Type	SDRAM			
Memory Module Size (MB)	8/ 16/ 32/ 64/ 128/ 256 Mbytes			
Note: (1) 256 MB memory modules available on PC registered DIMM only.  (2) Always install memory modules in the order prescribed in this table.  (3) Do not install unbuffered and registered memory modules together.				

*Important:* It is of prime importance that you install DIMM modules as outlined in the table above in order to preserve signal integrity on  $100\,\mathrm{MHz}$  front side bus systems.



## 2-3.3 Motherboard Connector

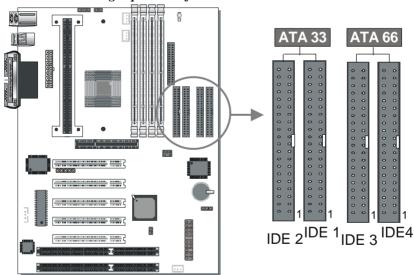
## 2-3.3.1 IDE Device Installation (HDD, CD-ROM)



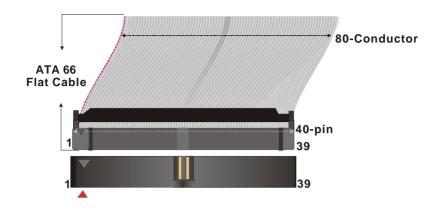
The 6BA+ IV comes with four IDE connectors, with support for up to 8 IDE Devices. For the supported interface modes, refer to the table below:

IDE Connector	PIO mode	DMA Mode	ULTRA DMA33 (ATA 33)	ULTRA DMA66 (ATA 66)
IDE 1 & 2	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
IDE 3 & 4	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Note: It is required to connect the ATA66 HDDs with the ATA66 flat cable to the motherboard to maintain proper functionality and stability of the ATA66 high speed interface.



Connect one side of the ATA 33 or ATA 66 flat cable to the IDE device (HDD or CD ROM) and plug the other end to the IDE1~IDE4 directionally keyed IDE connector on the Motherboard. ATA66 cable can be used backward compatible with ATA33 HDD.

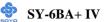




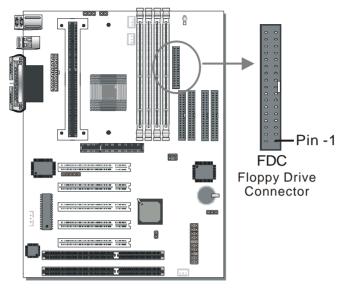
## Note:

The System will recognize the devices on IDE3 and 4 as SCSI devices. Therefore Windows will list the two device (IDE3 and 4) as SCSI devices, this is normal. If you want to boot from a HDD connected to IDE3 or 4, set the Boot Sequence item on the SOYO COMBO Setup page in the BIOS to SCSI, C, A.

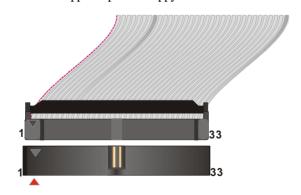
Note that if you have a SCSI card in your system, it will have a higher priority than the devices connected to IDE3 or 4. In that case the system will boot from the first boot-able device connected to your SCSI card if the boot sequence is set to SCSI, C, A in the BIOS.



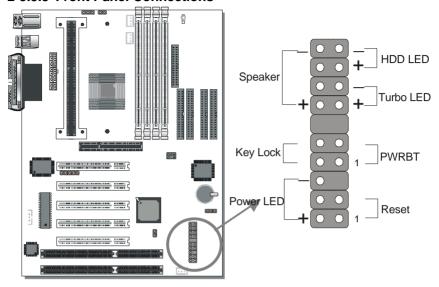
## 2-3.3.2 Floppy Drive Installation



The system supports 5 possible floppy drive types: 720 KB, 1.2 MB, 1.44 MB, 2.88 MB, and LS-120. In addition, this Motherboard supports a 3-mode (720 KB/ 1.2 MB/ 1.44 MB) floppy commonly used in Japan. Connect one side of the 34-pin flat cable to the floppy drive and plug the other end to the floppy drive connector on the Motherboard. This Motherboard can support up to 2 floppy drives.



## 2-3.3.3 Front Panel Connections



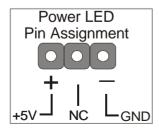
Plug the computer case's front panel devices to the corresponding headers on the Motherboard.

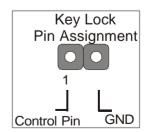
## 1. Power LED & KeyLock

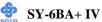
Plug the Power LED cable into the 5-pin Keylock header.

Some systems may feature a KeyLock function with a front panel switch for enabling or disabling the keyboard. Connect the KeyLock switch to the 5-pin Keylock header on the Motherboard.

Please install according to the following pin assignment: pin 1,3 are for Power LED and pin 4,5 are for Keylock.

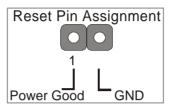






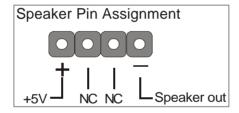
#### 2. Reset

Plug the Reset push-button cable into the 2-pin Reset header on the Motherboard. Pushing the Reset button on the front panel will cause the system to restart the boot-up sequence.



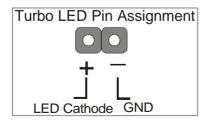
## 3. Speaker

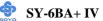
Attach the 4-pin PC speaker cable from the case to the Speaker header on the Motherboard.



#### 4. Turbo LED

Connecting the 2-pin Turbo LED cable to the corresponding Turbo LED header will cause the LED to light whenever the system is in Turbo mode. The manufacturer has permanently set this Motherboard in Turbo mode due to most hardware and software compliance to turbo mode.





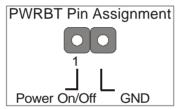
#### 5. IDE LED

Attach the 2-pin IDE device LED cable to the corresponding IDE LED header on the Motherboard. This will cause the LED to lighten when an IDE (HDD, CD-ROM) device is active.



#### 6. ATX Power On/Off Switch

Attach the 2-pin momentary type switch to the PWRBT header for turning On or Off your ATX power supply.



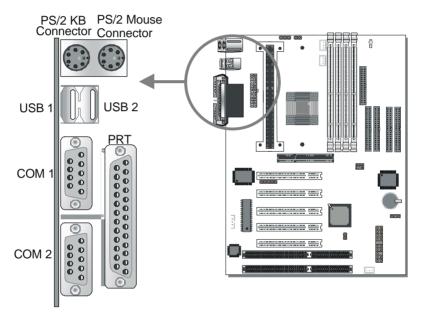


#### 2-3.3.4 Back Panel Connections

All external devices such as the PS/2 keyboard, PS/2 mouse, printer, modem, USB can be plugged directly onto the Motherboard back panel.

Only after you have fixed and locked the Motherboard to the computer case can you start connecting the external peripheral devices.

When connecting an external device, use the following figure to locate and identify which back panel connector to plug the device to.





#### 1. Onboard Serial Ports COM1/COM2

External peripherals that use serial transmission scheme include:

- serial mouse,
- and modem.

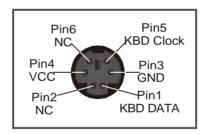
Plug the serial device cables directly into the COM1/COM2 9-pin male connectors located at the rear panel of the Motherboard.

#### 2. Parallel Port PRT

This parallel port is used to connect the printer or other parallel devices. Plug the parallel device cable into the 25-pin female connector located at the rear panel of the Motherboard.

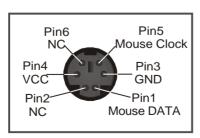
### 3. PS/2 Keyboard

Plug the keyboard jack directly into the 6-pin female PS/2 keyboard connector located at the rear panel of the Motherboard.



#### 4. PS/2 Mouse

Similarly, plug the mouse jack directly into the 6-pin female PS/2 mouse connector.

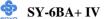




#### 5. Universal Serial Bus USB1/USB2

This Motherboard provides two USB ports for your additional devices. Plug the USB device jack into the available USB connector USB1 or USB2.

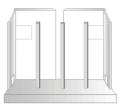
- Standard device drivers come with the Win98 for commonly used USB devices.
- With Win95, use the flow UHCI specifications. To use USB devices under Win95, usually you have to install the device driver comes with the USB device you have purchased.



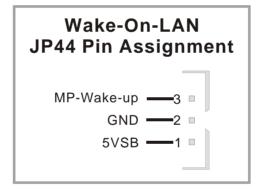
#### 2-3.3.5 Other Connections

## 1. Wake-On-LAN (WOL)

Attach the 3-pin connector from the LAN card which supports the Wake-On-LAN (WOL) function to the JP44 header on the Motherboard. This WOL function lets users wake up the connected computer through the LAN card.



Please install according to the following pin assignment:



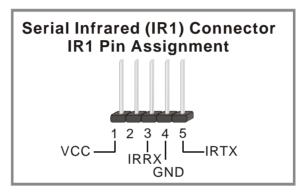
### 2. Infrared (IR1)

Plug the 5-pin infrared device cable to the IR1 header. This will enable the



infrared transfer function. This Motherboard meets both the ASKIR and HPSIR specifications.

Please install according to the following pin assignment:



### 3. Other Display Cards

Insert other types of VGA cards into the PCI or ISA expansion slots according to card specifications.

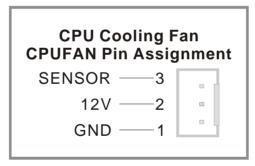


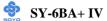
#### 4. Cooling Fan Installation



#### (1) CPU Cooling Fan

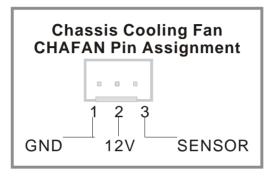
After you have seated the CPU properly on the processor, attach the 3-pin fan cable to the CPUFAN connector on the Motherboard. The fan will stop when the system enters into Suspend Mode. (Suspend mode can be enabled from the BIOS Setup Utility, [POWER MANAGEMENT] menu.) To avoid damage to the system, install according to the following pin assignment:





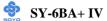
#### (2) Chassis Cooling Fan

Some chassis also feature a cooling fan. This Motherboard features a CHAFAN connector to provide 12V power to the chassis fan. Connect the cable from the chassis fan to the CHAFAN 3-pin connector. Install according to the following pin assignment:





*Note:* CPUFAN must be installed for this Motherboard, CHAFAN is optional.



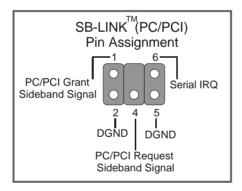
#### 2-3.3.6 AGP VGA Card

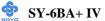
Insert the AGP VGA card into the AGP slot. Then connect the monitor information cable to the AGP card back plane external connector. Follow the manufacturer's instructions to perform the AGP VGA drivers installation.

**Other Display Cards:** Insert other types of VGA cards into the PCI or ISA expansion slots according to card specifications.

#### 2-3.3.7 PCI Audio Card

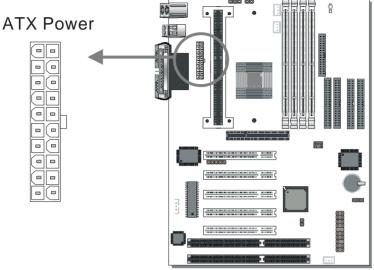
Some PCI soundcards require a PC-PCI DMA channel. Attach the 5-pin cable from your PCI audio card to the SB-LINK <sup>TM</sup>header on the Motherboard. The SB-LINK <sup>TM</sup>will forward requests for legacy DMA channel to the PCI Bus.





## 2-3.3.8 ATX Power Supply

Plug the connector from the power directly into the 20-pin male ATX PW connector on the Motherboard, as shown in the following figure.





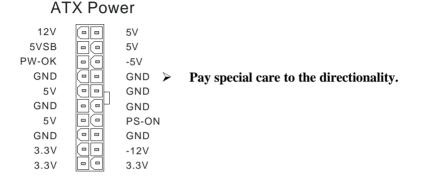
*Warning:* Follow these precautions to preserve your Motherboard from any remnant currents when connecting to power supply:

Turn off the power supply and unplug the power cord of the power supply before connecting to PW connector.



This motherboard requires a power supply, that meets the ATX 2.03 specifications. Make sure the power supply can support at least 720mA on the 5V Standby lead.

Please install the ATX power according to the following pin assignment:



## 2-3.4 Jumper Setting

## **Step 1.** 5V Stand-by indicator LED (LED 1)

This LED is lit whenever the 5V Standby voltage coming from the ATX power supply is available. If you have connected your ATX power supply to the motherboard, LED 1 should be lit.

## **Step 2.** External Suspend Button (JP1)

Some cases come with a suspend button, insert the plug into JP1. In addition to this button, the system can also enter the suspend mode through your OS.



**Note:** Suspend mode only functions if your Power Management mode is APM. Make sure that the BIOS setting for Power Management is APM. Windows 98 can be installed with ACPI Power Management (default is APM), in this case suspend mode will not function either.



### **Step 3.** CPU multiplier release Jumper: (JP8)

Closing JP8 can make higher multiplier settings available on some INTEL CPUs. For technical details read the following:

Your Pentium CPU has an input pin B21 (100/66# signal) to tell it at what Front Side Bus (FSB) Frequency it is running; JP8 is connected to this input pin. The actual FSB Frequency is however set through the BIOS and it may therefore differ from the Frequency specified to the CPU through JP8.

Because some INTEL CPUs have their multipliers limited at a FSB Frequency of 100MHz and higher, telling the CPU that it is running at 66MHz though JP8 while setting a different (higher) FSB Frequency in the BIOS may allow the user to set a higher multiplier value. Doing so will however force your CPU to operate out of its specifications, and therefore SOYO can not guarantee the proper functioning of your system.

Refer to the following table:

Mode	JP8
66MHz FSB clock CPUs Setting	
66MHz FSB clock CPUs must use this setting	short
100MHz FSB clock CPUs Setting	
Normal	open open
Possible higher multiplier limit	short

Note: Shorting the jumper will tell the CPU that it is running on 66MHz, this will release more multiplier settings on some INTEL CPUs, but will make the system operate out of its specifications if the actual frequency is 100 MHz or higher.



### **Step 4.** Power-On by Keyboard Jumper (JP10)

You can choose to enable the Power-On by Keyboard function by shorting pin 1-2 on jumper JP10, otherwise, short pin 2-3 to disable this function.

Power-On by Keyboard	Enable	Disable
JP10 Setting	Short pin 1-2 to enable the Power-On by Keyboard function.	Short pin 2-3 and the Power-On by Keyboard function is disabled.



*Note:* When using the Power-On by Keyboard function, please make sure the ATX power supply can take at least 720mA load on the 5V Standby lead (5VSB) to meet the standard ATX specification.

## 2-3.5 CMOS Clearing (JP5)

After you have turned off your computer, clear the CMOS memory by momentarily shorting pins 2-3 on jumper JP5, for a few seconds. Then restore JP5 to the initial 1-2 jumper setting in order to recover and retain the default settings.

Jumper JP5 can be easily identified by its white colored cap.

CMOS Clearing	Clear CMOS I	Retain CM	OS Data	
JP5 Setting	at least 5 seconds to		Short pin 1-2 to retain new settings	1 2 3

*Note:* You must unplug the ATX power cable from the ATX power connector when performing the CMOS Clear operation.



#### 2-3.6 Power On

You have now completed the hardware installation of your Motherboard successfully.

- 1. Turn the power on
- 2. To enter the BIOS Setup Utility, press the <DEL> key while the system is performing the diagnostic checks,



*Note:* If you have failed to enter the BIOS, wait until the boot up sequence is completed. Then push the RESET button and press <DEL> key again at the beginning of boot-up, during diagnostic checks.

Repeat this operation until you get the following screen.

3. The BIOS Setup screen appears:

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS CMOS SETUP UTILITY AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.					
SOYO COMBO SETUP	INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS				
STANDARD CMOS SETUP	SUPERVISOR PASSWORD				
BIOS FEATURES SETUP	USER PASSWORD				
CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP	IDE HDD AUTO DETECTION				
POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP	SAVE & EXIT SETUP				
PNP/PCI CONFIGURATION	EXIT WITHOUT SAVING				
LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS					
Esc : Quit	$\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$ : Select Item				
F10 : Save & Exit Setup (Shift) F2 : Change Color					
Time, Date, Ha	rd Disk Type				



### 2-3.7 Quick BIOS Setup

This Motherboard does not use any hardware jumpers to set the CPU frequency. Instead, CPU settings are software configurable with the BIOS [SOYO COMBO SETUP]. The [SOYO COMBO SETUP] menu combines the main parameters that you need to configure, all in one menu, for a quick setup in BIOS.

After the hardware installation is complete, turn the power switch on, then press the <DEL> key during the system diagnostic checks to enter the Award BIOS Setup program. The CMOS SETUP UTILITY will display on screen. Follow these steps to configure the CPU settings. SETUP UTILITY will display on screen. Then, follow these steps to configure the CPU settings.

#### Step 1. Select [STANDARD CMOS SETUP]

Set [Date/Time] and [Floppy drive type], then set [Hard Disk Type] to "Auto".

## Step 2. Select [LOAD SETUP DEFAULT]

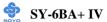
Select the "LOAD SETUP DEFAULT" menu and type "Y" at the prompt to load the BIOS optimal setup.

## Step 3. Select [SOYO COMBO SETUP]

Move the cursor to the [CPU Frequency] field to set the CPU frequency.

## (1) CPU Name & CPU ID

The BIOS will read the CPU name string and CPU ID code From the CPU and it will display it here. This item provides information only and can not be change.



### (2) CPU Frequency

Available [CPU Frequency] settings on your SY-6BA+ IV Motherboard are detailed in the following table.

CPU Frequ	Select the working frequency of	
Manual	350MHz (100 x 3.5)	your Pentium <sup>®</sup> III, Pentium <sup>®</sup> II,
266MHz (66 x 4 )	400MHz (100 x 4 )	Celeron <sup>TM</sup> processor among these
300MHz (66 x 4.5)	450MHz (100 x 4.5)	preset values.  Note: Mark the checkbox that
333MHz (66 x 5 )	500MHz (100 x 5 )	corresponds to the working
366MHz (66 x 5.5)	550MHz (100 x 5.5)	frequency of your Pentium® III,
400MHz (66 x 6 )	600MHz (100 x 6 )	Pentium <sup>®</sup> II, Celeron <sup>™</sup> processor in case the CMOS configuration
433MHz (66 x 6. 5)	650MHz (100 x 6.5)	should be lost.
466MHz ( 66 x 7 )	700MHz (100 x 7 )	
500MHz ( 66 x 7.5)		

If you set this field to [Manual], you are then required to fill in the next two consecutive fields: (a) the CPU Host/PCI Clock, and (b) the CPU Ratio.

### (a) CPU Host/PCI Clock

	CPU H	lost / PC	I Clock		Under this item you find the
<b>□</b> 66/33	□95/31	<b>□</b> 115/38	<b>□</b> 124/41	<b>□</b> 140/35	frequencies your PCI and AGP
□75/37	□100/33	□117/39	□126/31		slots run at. These frequencies are derived from the CPU host
<b>□</b> 78/39	<b>1</b> 05/35	□118/39	<b>□</b> 133/33		clock in the following way:
□81/40	<b>□</b> 110/36	□120/40	<b>□</b> 135/33	ID1150/27	CPU host clock > 100MHz PCI = CPU host clock /3,
□83/40	<b>□</b> 112/37	<b>□</b> 122/37	□137/34	<b>□</b> 155/38	CPU host clock < 100MHz
□90/30	<b>□</b> 113/37	<b>□</b> 124/31	□138/34		PCI = CPU  host clock  /2,

#### (b) CPU Ratio

After you have selected the CPU Host/ PCI Clock, choose the right multiplier for the CPU. CPU Ratio options are:

□ x 2	□ x 2.5	<b>□</b> x 3	<b>□</b> x 3.5	<b>□</b> x 4
□ x 4.5	<b>□</b> x 5	□ x 5.5	<b>□</b> x 6	<b>□</b> x 6.5
<b>□</b> x 7	<b>□</b> x 7.5	□ x 8		

The CPU frequency is then defined as [host clock freq.] x [multiplier], and should the working frequency of your CPUs processor.



#### (c) AGP Clock

This option allows you to manually adjust the AGP host bus clock frequency to a value determined as a fraction of the CPU host clock. For example:

With a CPU front side bus of 100MHz,

[Auto] sets → When [auto] is selected and the (FSB Frequency) is less then 100MHz, it will be divided by [/ 1]. Otherwise it will be divided by [/ 1.5].

[/ 1] sets → AGP Clock = 100MHz [/ 1.5] sets → AGP Clock = 66.6MHz

AGP Clock options are:

☐ Auto	<b>□</b> ÷1.0	<b>□</b> ÷1.5
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#### (d) Vcore Voltage Adjust

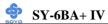
The CPU notifies the board of what core voltage it requires by its VID outputs. The on-board voltage regulator uses the VID code to set the core voltage. If the **Vcore Voltage Adjust** is set to normal, the Vcore will be exactly what the VID code specifies. If an adjustment percentage is selected the Vcore will be that percentage higher than the VID code specifies. For instance the CPU VID code specifies 2.0V and the Vcore Voltage adjust is set to +10.0% the actual CPU Voltage will be 2.2V. This function should only be used if the CPU is running on FSB Frequencies beyond the CPU specifications, note that SOYO does not guarantee system stability if this item is not set to normal.

Don't forget to raise the upper limit of the CPU Vcore monitoring voltage in the Hardware Doctor<sup>TM</sup> utility if Vcore is set to higher voltage than VID specifies.

□ Normal □ + 2.5 % □ + 5.0 % □ + 7.5% □ +10.0 %

## Step 4. Select [SAVE & EXIT SETUP]

Press **<Enter>** to save the new configuration to the CMOS memory, and continue the boot sequence.



## 2-3.8 Troubleshooting at First Start

#### • What should I do if the Motherboard refuses to start?

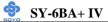
- Check that all DIMM memory modules are inserted completely.
   Sometimes a DIMM that is not inserted properly can cause boot problems.
- 2. Check whether all Add-on cards have been inserted properly. Reinsert the Add-on cards to make sure that they make proper contact with the slots. Try removing all Add-on cards one by one to see whether or not one of them is causing problems. (Switch the system off before removing any of the cards.
- 3. Verify that speed settings are not exceeding specifications. This applies to the PCI bus, that is specified to run at 33 MHz. Also check the speed setting for the memory, make sure conservative setting is used. If the CPU is overclocked the system may not start up, read the section below.
- 4. Make sure that the Harddisk IDE cables are attached properly, if not the system will not boot. In case of doubt try reversing the IDE connector on one end of the cable.
- 5. Verify that the 110/220V switch on the back of the power supply is set correctly.
- 6. Go through the jumper setting section again to make sure that all jumpers are set correctly.



# Note on Over-clocking Capability

The SY-6BA+ IV provides over-clocking capability. Due to the over-clocking setting your system may fail to boot up or hang during run time. Please perform the following steps to recover your system from the abnormal situation:

1. Turn off system power (If you use an ATX power supply, and depending on your system, you may have to press the power button for more than 4 seconds to shut down the system.)



- 2. Set the JP8 and JP9 to short if you use a FSB 66MHz CPU
- 3. Press and hold down the <Insert> key while turning on the system power. Keep holding down the <Insert> key until you see the message of the CPU type and frequency shown on the screen.
- 4. Press the <Del> key during the system diagnostic checks to enter the Award BIOS Setup program.
- 5. Select [SOYO COMBO SETUP] and move the cursor to the [CPU Frequency] field to set the proper working frequency.
- 6. Select [Save & Exit SETUP] and press <Enter> to save the new configuration to the CMOS memory, and continue the boot sequence.

Note: SOYO does not guarantee system stability if the user over clocks the system. Any malfunctions due to over-clocking are not covered by the warranty.

#### 2-3.9 Power Off

There are two possible ways to turn off the system:

- 1. Use the **Shutdown** command in the **Start Menu** of Windows 95/98 to turn off your computer.
- Press the mechanical power-button and hold down for over 4
  seconds, to shutdown the computer. If you press the power-button for
  less than 4 seconds, then your system will enter into Suspend Mode.

You are now ready to configure your system with the BIOS setup program. Go to *Chapter 3: BIOS SETUP* 

# Chapter 3

## **BIOS SETUP UTILITY**

This Motherboard's BIOS setup program uses the ROM PCI/ISA BIOS program from Award Software Inc.

To enter the Award BIOS program's Main Menu:

- 1. Turn on or reboot the system.
- 2. After the diagnostic checks, press the [Del] key to enter the Award BIOS Setup Utility.

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS CMOS SETUP UTILITY AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.						
SOYO COMBO SETUP	INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS					
STANDARD CMOS SETUP	SUPERVISOR PASSWORD					
BIOS FEATURES SETUP	USER PASSWORD					
CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP	IDE HDD AUTO DETECTION					
POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP	SAVE & EXIT SETUP					
PNP/PCI CONFIGURATION	EXIT WITHOUT SAVING					
LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS						
Esc : Quit	$\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$ : Select Item					
F10 : Save & Exit Setup	F10 : Save & Exit Setup (Shift) F2 : Change Color					
Time, Date, Ha	rd Disk Type					

## **Selecting items**

- Use the arrow keys to move between items and select fields.
- From the Main Menu press arrow keys to enter the selected submenu.

## **Modifying selected items**

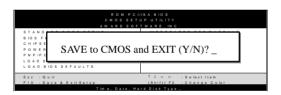
• Use the [Up]/[Down] keys to modify values within the selected fields. Some fields let you enter values directly.

**Hot Keys:** Function keys give you access to a group of commands throughout the BIOS utility.

Function	Command	Description
F1	Help	Gives the list of options available for each item.
Shift F2	Color	Change the color of the display window.
F5	Old values	Restore the old values. These are the values that the user started the current session with.
F6	Load BIOS Defaults	Loads all options with the BIOS Setup default values.
F7	Load Setup Defaults	Loads all options with the Power-On default values.
F10	Save & Exit Setup	Saves your changes and reboots the system.
[Esc]	Quit	Lets you return at anytime and from any location to the Main Menu.

#### SAVE AND EXIT SETUP

Select the [SAVE & EXIT SETUP] option from the Main Menu to save data to CMOS and exit the setup utility. This option saves all your changes and causes the system to reboot.



Type [Y] to save the changes and exit or [N] to return to the Main Menu and keep current values

#### EXIT WITHOUT SAVING

Selecting the [EXIT WITHOUT SAVING] option allows you to abandon all data and exit setup, therefore ignoring all your changes.



Type [Y] to abandon changes and exit or [N] to return to the Main Menu and keep current values.

#### 3-1 SOYO COMBO SETUP

This Motherboard does not use any hardware jumpers to set the CPU frequency. Instead, CPU settings are software configurable with the BIOS [SOYO COMBO SETUP].

After the hardware installation is complete, turn the power switch on, then press the <DEL> key during the system diagnostic checks to enter the Award BIOS Setup program. The CMOS SETUP UTILITY will display on screen. Then, select the [SOYO COMBO SETUP] option from the main menu and press the <Enter> key.

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS							
	SOYO COMBO SETUP						
AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.							
CPU Name : Pentium II, C	CPU ID : 0665	CPU V	Warning Temper	rature	: Disab	led	
CPU Frequency (MHz)	: Manual	Curre	nt System Temp		: 26 1/2	C / '	78 ½ F
CPU Host/PCI Clock	: 100/33 MHz	Curre	nt CPU Dio Ten	np.	: 28 1/2	C / 3	82 ½ F
CPU Ratio	: X 3.5 = 350MHz		nt CPUFAN Spe			RPM	1
AGP Clock	:=66MHz	Currei	nt PWRFAN Sp	eed	: 0	RPN	Л
Vcore Voltage Adjust	: Normal		nt CHAFAN Sp	eed	: 0	RPN	Л
Boot Sequence	: A,C,SCSI			1.98 V			1.50 V
Processor Number Feature		,	) :		` '	:	
CPU L2 Cache ECC Checking : Enabled			V) : 1				
CPU L2 Latency Adjust		, ,	•	0.02 V	VBAT(V)	:	3.07 V
C.I.H. 4-WAY Protection		5VSB	(V) : :	5.02 V			
Quick Power On Self Test							
POWER ON Function	: BUTTYON ONLY		AN Off In Susp		: Enabl		
		_	Y2K H/W Roll o				
		ESC	: Quit		→ ← : Selec	ct Ite	m:
Soft – Off by PWR-BTTN	: Instant-Off	F1	: Help				odify
Power-On by Ring/LAN	: Enabled	F5 : Old Values (Shift) F2 : Color		lor			
Resume by Alarm	: Disabled	F7 : Load Setup Defaults					

The [SOYO COMBO SETUP] menu combines the main parameters that you need to configure, all in one menu, for a quick setup in BIOS.

# 3-1.1 Quick CPU Frequency Setup

Quick CPU		Description	n		Note
Frequency Setup	8	•			
CPU Name & CPU ID	The BIOS will read the CPU name string and CPU ID From the CPU and it will display it here. This item provinformation only and can not be change.				
CPU Frequency	Manual 266MHz (66 300MHz (66 333MHz (66 466MHz (66 433MHz (66 450MHz (66 350MHz (10 400MHz (10 450MHz (10	6 x 4.5) 6 x 5) 6 x 5.5) 6 x 6.5) 6 x 6.5) 6 x 7.5) 90 x 3.5) 90 x 4.5)	Select the working frequency of your Slot 1 processor among these preset values.  Note: Setting this field to [Manual] requires you to f in the next two consecutive fields: (1) the CPU Host/Pc Clock, and (2) the CPU Ratio.		
If [CPU Frequency]	500MHz (100 x 5) 550MHz (100 x 5.5) 600MHz (100 x 6) 650MHz (100 x 6.5) 700MHz (100 x 7) field is set to [Manual]				
CPU Host/PCI Clock	66/33 MHz 75/37 MHz 78/39 MHz 81/40 MHz 83/40 MHz 90/30 MHz 95/31 MHz 100/33 MHz 105/35 MHz 110/36 MHz 112/37 MHz 113/37 MHz 115/38 MHz 117/39 MHz 118/39 MHz	z 138/34 z 140/35 z 142/35 z 144/36 z 150/37 z 155/38	MHz	Select the host of your Slot 1 produces among these va <i>Note:</i> For the chipset, 66 at MHz host clofrequencies a acceptable. He the system stais not guarant other frequent to the limitati this chipset.	cessor dues. e ZX nd 100 ock re dowever, ability teed for icies due

# **Quick CPU Frequency Setup (Continued)**

Quick CPU Frequency Setup	Setting	Description	Note		
If [CPU Frequency]					
CPU Ratio	After you have selected the host clock, choose the right multiplier for the CPU. Options are: [2, 2.5, 3., 3.5, 4, 4.5, 5, 5.5,6,6.5,7.0,7.5,8.0]. The CPU frequency is then defined as [host clock freq.]x[multiplier], and should the working frequency of your Pentium <sup>®</sup> III, Pentium <sup>®</sup> II & Celeron <sup>™</sup> processor.				
AGP Clock	Auto		Default		
	/ 1.5 A	This option allows you to manually adjuted host bus clock frequency to a value determined as a fraction of the CPU hose for example:  With a CPU front side bus of 66M  1] sets → AGP Clock = 66  1.5] sets → AGP Clock = 44	e t clock. Hz, 5MHz		
Vcore voltage	Normal		Default		
Adjust	+5.0% v +7.5 % c v v v s s s h in the thing th	The CPU notifies the board of what roltage it requires by its VID outpon-board voltage regulator uses the code to set the core voltage. If the voltage adjust is set to normal, the vill be exactly what the VID code pecifies. If an adjustment percent elected the Vcore will be that per higher than the VID code specifies 2. The Vcore Voltage Adjust is set to the actual CPU voltage will be 2.2 unction should only be used if the unning on FSB Frequencies beyon CPu specifications.	uts. The e VID Vcore e Vcore age is centage s. If for 0V and +10.0% V. This e CPU is		

# 3-1.2 System Boot Control Settings

System Boot	Setting	Description	Note
<b>Control Settings</b>			
Boot Sequence	A, C, SCSI C, A, SCSI C, CD-ROM, A CD-ROM, C, A D, A, SCSI E, A, SCSI F, A, SCSI SCSI, A, C SCSI, C, A C only	Choose the boot sequence adapted to your needs, for example:  • [A, C, SCSI] means the BIOS will look for an operating system first in drive A, then in drive C, and eventually in SCSI device.	
	LS/ZIP, C		

# 3-1.3 Processor Number Feature Setting

	Setting	Description	Note			
Processor	Disabled	Setting this item to enabled will				
Number Feature	Enabled	allow application programs to	Default			
		read the ID-code in your Pentium				
		III CPU, disabling this item will				
		not allow any program to read				
		the CPU ID code.				

## 3-1.4 L2 Cache Memory

	Setting	Description	Note
CPU L2 Cache ECC Checking	Disabled Enabled	This option activates the CPU L2 cache ECC checking function.	Default
CPU L2 Cache	Def 02	This item allows the user to adjust	
Latency Adjust	Set 01~15	the CPU L2 cache latency. This item should only be used by	Default
		experienced users. Setting it to an inappropriate value can crash the system.	

## 3-1.5 C.I.H. 4-WAY Protection Setting

	Setting	Description	Note
<b>C.I.H. 4-WAY</b>	Disabled	When set to enabled, the BIOS can	
Protection	Enabled	only be programmed through	Default
		AWDFLASH, making sure that any	
		virus is unable to program the system	
		BIOS. Set to disable the BIOS can be	
		programmed the traditional way.	

## 3-1.6 Quick Power On Self Test Setting

	Setting	Description	Note			
Quick Power On	Disabled					
Self Test	Enabled	Provides a fast POTS at	Default			
		boot-up.				

# 3-1.7 Power Management

PM Events	Setting	Description	Note		
POWER ON Function	BUTTON-ONL'	Y Disables the Wake-Up by Keyboard function.	Default		
	KB Power ON Password	Enables you to wake-up the system by entering a password at the keyboard.			
	Hot Key	You can wake-up the system by pressing the key combination of your choice (Ctrl-F1~F12).			
If [POWER ON	Function] is s	et to [KB Power ON Password]			
KB Power ON Password	Enter (your password) Set the password that will wake-up your system.				
If [POWER ON	Function] is s	et to [Hot Key]			
KB Power ON Password		Choose the key combination that will wake- up the system. [Ctrl-F1 to Ctrl-F12]			
Soft-Off by	Instant-off		Default		
PWR-BTTN	Sec. se	Furns off the system power 4 econds after pushing the power utton.			

# **Power Management (Continued)**

PM Events	Setting	Description	Note
Power-On by	Disabled		Default
Ring/LAN	Enabled	The system will self-power on me	
		when the modem is ringing.	
Resume by	Disabled	The system ignores the alarm.	Default
Alarm	Enabled	Set alarm to power on the system by	
		the date (1-31) or time (hh:mm:ss).	
		If the date is set to [0], the system	
		will self-power on by alarm	
		everyday at the set time.	

# 3-1.8 CPU Device Monitoring

<u> </u>					
CPU Device Setting Monitoring		Description	Note		
<b>CPU Warning</b>	Disabled		Default		
Temperature	Enabled	Set CPU temperature from			
		50°C to 70°C. The CPU will			
		slow down when CPU			
		temperature goes beyond the			
		preset value. The CPU will			
		continue to run slow until the			
		temperature returns back			
		within the safe range.			

# **CPU Device Monitoring (Continued)**

CPU Device Monitoring	Setting	Description	Note
Current System Temp.	°C/°F	Show the current status of the system temperature.	
Current CPU Temperature	°C/°F	Show the current status of CPU temperature.	
Current CPUFAN Speed	°C/°F	Show the current status of CPU Fan	
Current PWRFAN Speed	°C/°F	Show the current status of the Power Fan	
Current CHAFAN Speed	°C/°F	Show the current status of the chassis Fan	
Vcore, VTT, 3.3V, +12V, -5V, +5V, -12V, VBAT, 5VSB	V	Show the current voltage status.	
CPUFAN Off In	Disabled	Disables the PM timer.	
Suspend	Enabled	Switches off the CPU Fan when the system enters Suspend Mode.	Default
RTC Y2K H/W	Disabled		Default
Roll over	Enabled	Setting this item to enabled will help the system pass some Y2K test programs. The system performance is influenced by enabling this item, set it to disabled if not necessary.	

### 3-2 STANDARD CMOS SETUP

Select the [STANDARD CMOS SETUP] option from the Main Menu and press [Enter] key.

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS STANDARD CMOS SETUP AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.								
Date (mm:dd:yy)	: Fri, July	31 1998						
Time (hh:mm:ss)	: 11 : 30 :	33						
HARD DISKS	TYPE	SIZE	CYLS	HEAD	PRECOMP	LANDZ	SECTOR	MODE
Primary Master	: AUTO	0	0	0	0	0	0	AUTO
Primary Slave	: None	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Secondary Master	: None	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Secondary Slave	: None	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Drive A : 1.44M, 3.5 Drive B : None Floppy 3 Mode Sup		led		ı	Base Me Extended Me Other Me	emory:	640K 3328K 128K	
Video : EGA/VGA Halt On : All Errors  Total Memory: 4096K								
Esc : Quit	$\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$	- : S	elect Ite	m	PU/PD/	/+/- : <b>!</b>	Modify	
F1 : Help	(Shift) F2	: C	hange (	Color	F3	: 7	Toggle Cal	endar

This screen allows you to modify the basic CMOS settings.

After you have completed the changes, press [Esc] key to return to the Main Menu.

### 3-2.1 Date & Time

	Display	Setting	Please Note
Date	mm/dd/yyyy	Type the current date	You can also the
			PUp/PDn keys to toggle
Time	hh:mm:ss	Type the current time	24-hour clock format
			3:15 PM is displayed as
			15:15:00

## 3-2.2 Hard Disks Type & Mode

Choose the type and mode for the hard disks that you have already installed.

Primary (Secondary) Master & Slave	Setting	Description	Note
Туре	Auto	BIOS detects hard disk type automatically.	Default
	User	User defines the type of hard disk.	
	None		
Mode	Auto	BIOS detects hard disk mode automatically.	Default
	Normal	Normal IDE hard disk	<528MB
	LBA	Enhanced IDE hard disk	>528MB
	Large	Large IDE hard disk (for certain	
		hard disk)	



*Note:* If you have any questions on your hard disk type or mode, ask your hard disk provider or previous user for details.

## 3-2.3 Floppy Drives

Floppy Drives	Setting	Description	Note	
Drives A & B	360KB, 5.25 in. 1.2MB, 5.25 in. 720KB, 3.5 in. 1.44MB, 3.5 in. 2.88MB, 3.5 in.		Default	
	None	Not installed		
Floppy 3-Mode	Disabled		Default	
Support	Drive A Drive B Both	Supports 3-mode floppy diskette: 740KB/1.2MB/ 1.44MB on selected disk drive.	Special disk drive commonly used in Japan	

### 3-2.4 Video

Select the video mode: EGA/VGA (Default), CGA 40, CGA 80, Mono (Monochrome).

### 3-2.5 Halt On

When the BIOS detects system errors, this function will stop the system. Select which type of error will cause the system halt: All Errors (Default), No Errors, All But Diskette, All But Keyboard, All But Disk/Key.

### 3-3 BIOS FEATURES SETUP

Select the [BIOS FEATURES SETUP] option from the Main Menu and press [Enter] key.

press [Enter] Rej.								
	ROM PCI/	TSA BIOS						
BIOS FEATURES SETUP								
	AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.							
Anti - Virus Protection	: Disabled	Assign IRQ For VGA : Enabled						
CPU Internal Cache External Cache	: Enabled : Enabled	HDD S.M.A.R.T. capability : Disabled						
Swap Floppy Drive Report No FDD For WIN 95	: Disabled : Yes	Video BIOS Shadow : Enabled C8000-CBFFF Shadow : Disabled CC000-CFFF Shadow : Disabled D000-D3FFF Shadow : Disabled						
Boot Up NumLock Status Security Option PCI/VGA Palette Snoop OS Select For DRAM > 64 MB	: On : Setup : Disabled : Non-OS2	D4000-D5FFF Shadow : Disabled D8000-DBFFF Shadow : Disabled DC000-DFFFF Shadow : Disabled						
Typematic Rate Setting Typematic Rate (Chars/Sec) Typematic Delay (Msec)	: Disabled : 6 : 250	ESC : Quit - ® ¬ : Select Item F1 : Help PU/PD/+/- : Modify F5 : Old Values (Shift) F2 : Color F7 : Load Setup Defaults						

After you have completed the changes, press [Esc] key and follow the instructions on your screen to save your settings or exit without saving.

# 3-3.1 Virus Warning

	Setting	Description	Note
Anti - Virus	Disabled		Default
Protection	Enabled	If set to enabled, the Paragon	
		Anti-Virus. Function will scan	
		your boot drive for boot	
		virusses. If a boot virus is	
		detected, the BIOS will display	
		a warning message.	

## 3-3.2 Cache Memory Options

	Setting	Description	Note
<b>CPU Internal Cache</b>	Disabled		
02 0 23300 3330	Enabled	Enables the CPU's internal cache.	Default
External Cache	Disabled		
	Enabled	Enables the external	Default
		memory.	

## 3-3.3 Floppy Driver Settings

Floppy Driver Settings	Setting	Description	Note
Swap Floppy Drive	Disabled Enabled	Changes the sequence of A and B drives.	Default
Report No FDD For WIN 95	Yes	Windows will release IRQ line 6 (normally used by the Floppy Disk Drive) after you disable your on-board FDD and set this field to [Yes].	
	No	Windows will reserve INT 6 for your FDD, whether it is disabled or not.	

## 3-3.4 Other Control Options

Other Control Options	Setting	Description	Note
Boot Up NumLock	On	Puts numeric keypad in NumLock mode at boot-up.	Default
Status	Off	Puts numeric keypad in arrow key mode at boot-up.	

## 3-3.5 Security Option

Use this feature to prevent unauthorized system boot-up or use of BIOS Setup. The following table describes the security settings.

	Setting	Description
<b>Security Option</b>	System	Each time the system is booted, the
		password prompt appears.
	Setup	If a password is set, the password prompt
		only appears when you attempt to enter the
		BIOS Setup program.

# 3-3.6 Other Control Options

Other Control Options	Setting	Description	Note	
PCI/VGA	Disabled		Default	
Palette Snoop	Enabled			
	using an MI	The color of the monitor may be altered when using an MPEG card. Enable this option to restore the monitor's normal color.		
OS Select for	OS2	When using an OS2 operating		
DRAM>64MB				
	Non-OS2	When using another, non-OS2 operating system.	Default	

3-3.7 Typematic Settings

<b>Typematic Settings</b>	Setting	Description	Note
Typematic Rate Setting	Disabled Enabled	Enables to adjust the	Default
The following [Typemator Rate only if [Typematic Rate		keystroke repeat rate.  Typematic Delay] fields are to [Enabled]	active
Typematic Rate	6 (Char/sec) 8 (Char/sec) 10 (Char/sec) 12 (Char/sec) 15 (Char/sec) 20 (Char/sec) 24 (Char/sec) 30 (Char/sec)	Choose the rate at which a character is repeated when holding down a key.	Default
Typematic Delay	250 (msec) 500 (msec) 750 (msec) 1000 (msec)	Choose how long after you press a key down the character begins repeating.	Default

**3-3.8 Other Control Options** 

Other Control Options	Setting	Description	Note
Assign IRQ	Disabled		
For VGA	Enabled	Use this default setting.	Default
HDD	Disabled		
S.M.A.R.T. capability	Enabled	Enable this field when your HDD supports the S.M.A.R.T. function. Consult your HDD provider for details.	

# **Other Control Options**

Other Control Options	Setting	Description	Note
Video or	Disabled		
Adapter BIOS	Enabled		Default
Shadow	is enabled at These 16 se ROM to RA code from si	s shadowed in a 16K segment if it and if it has BIOS present.  gments can be shadowed from the shadow copies BIOS shadow copies BIOS lower ROM to faster RAM. BIOS excite from RAM.	

### 3-4 CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP



*Caution:* Change these settings only if you are already familiar with the Chipset.

The [CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP] option changes the values of the chipset registers. These registers control the system options in the computer.

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS CMOS SETUP UTILITY CHASET EF ATURES SETUP						
CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP  Auto Configuration : Enabled Passive Release : Enabled						
Auto Configuration						
SDRAM RAS-to CAS Delay	: 3	Delayed Transaction	: Disabled			
SDRAM RAS Precharge Time						
SDRAM CAS latency Time	: 3	AGP Aperture Size	: 64			
SDRAM Precharge Control	: Disabled					
DRAM Data Integrity Mode	: Non-ECC					
System BIOS Cacheable	: Disabled					
Video BIOS Cacheable	: Disabled					
Video RAM Cacheable	: Disabled					
8 Bit I/O Recovery Time	:1					
16 Bit I/O Recovery Time	:1					
Memory Hole At 15M –16M	: Disabled	ESC : Quit F1 : Help F5 : Old Values F7 : Load Setup I	PU/PD/+/- : Modify (Shift) F2 : Color			

After you have completed the changes, press [Esc] and follow the instructions on your screen to save your settings or exit without saving. The following table describes each field in the CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP Menu and how to configure each parameter.

# CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP

CHIPSET FEATURES	Setting	Description	Note
Auto	Disabled		
Configuration	Enabled	It is strongly recommended to enable this option so that the system automatically sets all chipset feature options on the left panel of the screen (except for cache update & BIOS cacheable).	Default
SDRAM RAS-to- CAS Delay	3 2	Use the default setting	Default
SDRAM RAS Precharge Time	3 2	Use the default setting	Default
SDRAM Cache Latency Time	3 Use the default setting		Default
SDRAM Precharge Control	Disabled Enabled	Use the default setting	Default
DRAM Data Integrity Mode	Non-ECC ECC	Choose according to the DRAM type you have.	Default
System BIOS	Disabled		
Cacheable	Enabled	The ROM area F0000H-FFFFH is cacheable.	Default
Video BIOS	Disabled		
Cacheable	Enabled	The video BIOS C0000H-C7FFFH is cacheable.	Default
Video RAM	Disabled		Default
Cacheable	Enabled	The ROM area A0000-BFFFF is cacheable.	
8 BIT I/O Recovery Time	1	Use the default setting	Default

# **CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP (Continued)**

CHIPSET FEATURES	Setting	Description	Note
16 BIT I/O Recovery Time	1	Use the default setting	Default
<b>Memory Hole At</b>	Disabled		Default
15M-16M	Enabled	Some interface cards will map their ROM address to this area. If this occurs, select [Enabled] in this field.	
Passive Release	Enabled	Use the default setting	Default
Delayed Transaction	Enabled	Use the default setting	Default
AGP Aperture Size	64 4-256MB	AGP could use the DRAM as its video RAM. Choose the DRAM size that you wish to allocate as video RAM.	Default
Spread Spectrum	Disabled		Default
Modulated	Enabled	When using Spread Spectrum Modulated 1.5% or 6% for FCC or DOC testing.	

### 3-5 POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP

The [POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP] sets the system's power saving functions.

functions.						
ROM PCI/ISA BIOS POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.						
ACPI function	: Enabled	** Reload Global Tim	er Events **			
PM Control by APM	: Yes					
Video Off Method	: V/H SYNC+Blank	IRQ [3-7, 9-15], NMI	: Disabled			
Video Off After	: Standby	Primary IDE 0	: Disabled			
MODEM Use IRQ	:3	Primary IDE1	: Disabled			
		Secondary IDE 0	: Disabled			
Power Management	: User Define	Secondary IDE1	: Disabled			
Doze Mode	: Disable	Floppy Disk	: Disabled			
Standby Mode	: Disable	Serial Port	: Enabled			
Suspend Mode	: Disable	Parallel Port	: Disabled			
HDD Power Down	: Disabled					
PCI/VGA Act-Monitor	· Disabled					
	. District					
IRQ 8 Break Suspend	: Disabled	ESC : Quit	$\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$ : Select Item			
		F1 : Help	PU/PD/+/-: Modify			
		F5 : Old Values	(Shift) F2: Color			
		F7 : Load Setup D	efaults			

After you have completed the Power Management Setup, press [Esc] to return to the Main Menu.

# **3-5.1 Power Management Controls**

Power Management Controls	Setting	Description	Note
ACPI function	Disabled Enabled	ACPI (Advanced Configuration Power Management Interface)	Default
PM Control by APM	Yes	To use Advanced Power Management (APM) you must run [power.exe] under DOS V6.0 or later version.	Default
Video Off Method	V/H Sync+Blank Blank screen DPMS	Selects the method by which the monitor is blanked.	Default
Video Off After	Supported Standby Suspend Doze	Choose the PM mode you want video to go off after the mode is being active.	
MODEM Use IRQ	3 3-11, NA	Assigns an IRQ# to the modem device.	Default

PM Timers	Setting		Descripti	ion			Note
I WI TIMEIS	betting		Descripti	IOII			11010
Power	User Defin	ne	Lets you	define the	HDI	) and	Default
Management			system po	ower down	n tim	es.	
	Disable		Disables	the Green	PC		
			Features.		I.e.		
			Doze timer	Standby	Suspe		HDD power down
	Min Savir	ng	1 Hour	1 Hour	1 Ho		15 Min
	Max Savii		1 Min	1 Min	1 M	in	1 Min
The fellowine [			d h .	C	.l 1-	. :c m.	
The following [ Management] is				configure	ı oniy	/ 11 [P(	ower
Doze Mode	Disable					Defau	ılt
	1Min-	Whe	en the set t	ime has		Syster	m clock
	1Hour					drops	to 33MHz.
		command to the system to					
		ente	r Doze Mo	ode.			
The following [				be configu	ired o	only if	[Power
Management] is	s set to [Use	er De	fine				
Standby Mode	Disable					Defau	ılt
	1Min-	When the set time has					
	1Hour		sed, BIOS				
			mand to the		to		
		ente	r Standby	Mode.			
The following [	Suspend M	[ode]	field may	he config	ired (	only if	[Power
Management] is				or comig.		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	[1001
Suspend Mode	Disable					Defau	ılt
	1Min-	In S	uspend mo	ode, the C	PU	Only a	
	1Hour		s complete				ced (or
		instr	ructions ar	e executed	d.)		CPU can his mode.
						CINCI (	ms moue.
HDD Power	Disabled					Defau	
Down	1-15Min		en the set t				older model
			sed, BIOS				may not
			mand to th			suppor	rt this ced function.
		-	er down.		off	uuvulk	ca function.
		the I	HDD moto	DI.			

# 3-5.3 PM Events

PM Events	Setting	Description	Note
VGA Active	Disabled		
Monitor	Enabled	Enables the power management timers when a [no activity] event is detected.	Default
IRQ 8 Break	Disabled		Default
Suspend	Enabled	Alarm function is active.	

# 3-5.4 Reload Global Timer Events

Power Down & Resume Events	Setting	Description	Note
IRQ [3-7,9- 15], NMI	Disabled Enabled	The system monitors these	Default
10], 1111	Litabled	elements for activity. The system will resume if [IRQ activity] is detected.	Default
IDE0, IDE1	Disabled		Default
> Primary > Secondary	Enabled	Enables the PM timers when [No Activity Event] is detected.	
Floppy Disk	Disabled		Default
Serial Port	Enabled	Enables the PM timers when [No	
Parallel Port		Activity Event] is detected.	

### 3-6 PNP/PCI CONFIGURATION SETUP

This option sets the Motherboard's PCI Slots.

1	ROM PCI/ISA BIOS								
		PNP/PCI CON	FIGURATION						
	AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.								
Resources	Controlled By	: Manual	Slot 1,5 /AGP	Use IRQ	: Auto				
Reset Conf	iguration Data	: Disabled	Slot 2	Use IRQ	: Auto				
			Slot 3	Use IRQ	: Auto				
IRQ - 3	assigned to	: Legacy ISA	Slot 4/USB	Use IRQ	: Auto				
IRQ - 4	assigned to	: Legacy ISA							
IRQ - 5	assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	Used MEM bas	se addr	: N/A				
IRQ - 7	assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP							
IRQ - 9	assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP							
IRQ - 10	assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	Assign IRQ For	r USB	: Enabled				
IRQ - 11	assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP							
IRQ – 12	assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	PNP OS Install	ed	: No				
IRQ - 14	assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP							
IRQ - 15	assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP							
DMA - 0	assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP							
DMA - 1	assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP							
DMA - 3	assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	ESC : Quit	1	$\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow \leftarrow$ : Select Item				
DMA - 5	assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	F1 : Help	P	U/PD/+/-: Modify				
DMA - 6	assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	F5 : Old V	alues (	(Shift) F2: Color				
DMA - 7	assigned to	: PCI/ISA PnP	F7 : Load	Setup Defau	ults				



*Note:* Starred (\*) items will disappear when the [Resources Controlled By] option is set to [Auto].

After you have completed the PCI Slot Configuration, press [Esc] and follow the instructions on your screen to save your settings or exit without saving.

# 3-6.1 PNP/PCI Configuration Controls

PNP/PCI	Setting	Description	Note			
Controls						
1						
Resources	Manual	BIOS does not manage PCI/ISA PnP				
<b>Controlled By</b>		card IRQ assignment.				
	Requires to	Requires to assign IRQ-# and DMA-# to PCI or				
	ISA PnP n	manually.				
	IRQ-3,4,5,	7,9,10,11,12,14,15 assigned to	D: _			
	DMA-0,1,	3,5,6,7 assigned to: _				
	Auto	The Plug-and-Play BIOS	Recommended			
		auto manages PCI/ISA PnP				
		card IRQ assignment				
		automatically.				
		<u> </u>				
Reset	Disabled	Retain PnP configuration	Default			
Configuration		data in BIOS.				
Data	Enabled	Reset PnP configuration data				
		in BIOS.				

# 3-6.2 PNP/PCI Configuration Setup

PNP/PCI Setup	Setting	Description	Note
If [Resources Con	ntrolled By] is	set to [Manual]	
IRQ-# and DMA-# assigned to:	PCI/ISA PnP	DMA-# assigned to	IRQ-3,4,5,7,9,10, 11,12,14,15 DMA-0,1,3,5,6,7
	Legacy ISA	Choose IRQ-# and DMA-# assigned to Legacy ISA card.	IRQ-3,4,5,7,9,10, 11,12,14,15 DMA-0,1,3,5,6,7

Under this item the user can assign an IRQ to a PCI slot. However, there under some conditions the IRQ will not be assigned as selected under this item:

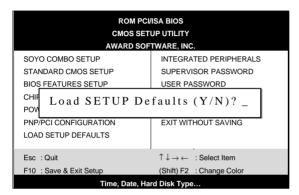
- 1. IRQs 0, 1, 2, 6, 8, 13 can NOT be assigned, because they are fixed.
- 2. IRQs 5, 9, 10, 11 are available
- 3. IRQs 3,4,7,12,14 and 15 will only be assigned if they are free. See the table below on how to free them:

# PNP/PCI Configuration Setup (Continued)

PNP/PC		Setting		cription	Note
Setup					
Interrupt	How t	o set the BIC	OS to rele	ease the IRQ to the PnP I	nterrupt pool:
Line	PnP/	PCI configur	ation	Integrated Peripherals	
IRQ 15	IRQ 1	5: <b>PCI / IS</b>	SA PnP	On-Chip Secondary PCI	IDE: disabled
IRQ 14	IRQ 1	4: <b>PCI/IS</b>	SA PnP	On-Chip Primary PCI II	DE: <b>disabled</b>
				Interrupt 12 will be rele	ased by the PnP
IRQ 12	IRQ 1	2: <b>PCI/IS</b>	SA PnP	BIOS automatically if th	e PS/2 Mouse Port
				is not used.	
IRQ 7	IRQ 7	: PCI/IS	SA PnP	Onboard parallel port:	disabled
IRQ 4	IRQ 4	: PCI/IS	SA PnP	Onboard Serial port 1:	disabled
_	IRQ 3			Onboard Serial port 2:	disabled
				terrupt to a PCI slot after	BIOS passes control
			u use w	indows 95, 98 or NT.	Default
Slot 1/2/		Auto	C-14	C 41- : t	Default
Use IRQ	NO.			one of the interrupts.  The selected IRQ will	
				e assigned if it is	
				ole. (Windows may	
				n IRQs).	
Used MI		Memory		K,32K,64K.	This item
base add	lr	length		ask your card provide	
				exactly memory length	_
			of this	add-on card.)	MEM base
					addr] set to I/O
					address.
Assign I For USE	_	Enabled	BIOS v USB p	will assign IRQ for	Default
101 051		Disabled		won't assign IRQ for	
		1546164	USB p		
PnP OS		Yes	Set this	s field to [Yes] if you	
Installed	ı			ning Windows 95,	
				is PnP compatible.	
		No		OS you are running	Default
				ot support PnP	(If there is any
			configu	uration.	doubt, set this
					field to [No])

### 3-7 LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS

Select the [LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS] option from the Main Menu to load the system values you have previously saved. This option is recommended if you need to reset the system setup and to retrieve the old values.



Type [Y] to use the Setup Defaults followed by [Enter] or otherwise [N] to return to the Main Menu and keep current values.



**Warning:** If you run into any problem after changing the BIOS configuration, please load the SETUP DEFAULTS for stable performance.

#### 3-8 INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS



*Caution:* Change these settings only if you are already familiar with the Chipset.

The [INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS] option changes the values of the chipset registers. These registers control the system options in the computer.

The following screen shows setup default settings.

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS						
INTEGRATED PWEIPHERALS						
AWARD SOFTWARD, INC.						
IDE HDD Block Mode	: Enabled	Onboard FDC Controller	: Enabled			
IDE Primary Master PIO	: Auto	Onboard Serial Port 1	: 3F8/IRQ4			
IDE Primary Slave PIO	: Auto	Onboard Serial Port 2	: 2F8/IRQ3			
IDE Secondary Master PIO	: Auto					
IDE Secondary Slave PIO	: Auto	UR2 Mode	: Standard			
IDE Primary Master UDMA	: Auto					
IDE Primary Slave UDMA	: Auto					
IDE Secondary Master UNMA	: Auto	Onboard Parallel Port	: 378/IRQ7			
IDE Secondary Slave UDMA	: Auto	Parallel Port Mode	: SPP			
On-Chip Primary PCI IDE	: Enabled					
On-Chip Secondary PCI IDE	: Enabled	PWRON After PWR-Fail	: Off			
USB Keyboard Support	: Disabled					
Init Display First	: PCI Slot					
		ESC : Quit $\uparrow \downarrow \rightarrow$	← : Select Item			
		F1 : Help PU/PD/	+/- : Modify			
		F5 : Old Values (Shift)	F2 : Color			
		F7 : Load Setup Defaults				

The following tables describe each field in the INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS Menu and provide instructions on how to configure the IDE controls, FDC controls, and the onboard serial and parallel ports.

# 3-8.1 IDE Device Controls

IDE Controls	Setting	Description	Note
IDE HDD Block Mode	Disabled Enabled	Invokes multi-sector transfer instead of one sector per transfer. Not all HDDs support this function.	Default
IDE  > Primary Master PIO  > Primary Slave PIO  > Secondary Master PIO  > Secondary Slave PIO	mode 0-4 Auto	0 is the slowest speed 4 is the fastest speed For better performance and stability, we suggest you use the Auto setting to set the HDD control timing.	Default
IDE >Primary Master UDMA >Primary Slave UDMA >Secondary Master UDMA >Secondary Slave UDMA	Disabled Auto	Select Auto to enable Ultra DMA Mode support.	Default
On-Chip PCI IDE  > Primary  > Secondary	Disabled Enabled	Turn off the on-board IDE Use the on-board IDE	Default

# 3-8.2 Keyboard Controls

Keyboard Controls	Setting	Description	Note
USB Keyboard Support	Disabled	Turn off the on-board IDE	Default
	Enabled	Use a USB keyboard	
Init Display First	PCI Slot	Choose which card –	Default
	AGP	AGP Display card or PCI	
		VGA card – to initialize	
		first.	

# 3-8.3 FDC Controls

FDC Controls	Setting	Description	Note
Onboard FDC	Disabled	Turn off the on-board	
controller		floppy controller	
	Enabled	Use the on-board floppy	Default
		controller	

# 3-8.4 Onboard Serial Ports

Onboard Serial Ports	Setting	Description	Note
Onboard UART 1	Disabled		
Onboard UART 2	3F8/IRQ4	Choose serial port 1 & 2's I/O address.	Default (port 1)
	2F8/IRQ3	Do not set port 1 & 2 to the same address except	Default (port 2)
	3E8/IRQ4	for Disabled or Auto.	
	2E8/IRQ3	-	
	Auto		
UR2 Mode	Standard	Supports a Standard serial infrared IrDA.	Default
	IrDA 1.0		
	ASKIR	Supports a Sharp serial interface format.	
If [UR2 Mode] is set t	o [IrDA 1.0]/[AS	KIR]	
UR2 Duplex Mode	Half	Choose [Half] or	Default
·	Duplex	[Duplex] to set UR2 in half duplex mode or full duplex mode respectively. Refer to your IR device specifications to select the suitable mode.	

# 3-8.5 Onboard Parallel Ports

Onboard Parallel Ports	Setting	Description	Note
Onboard Parallel Port	378H/IRQ7 3BCH/IRQ7 278H/IRQ5	Choose the printer I/O address.	Default
Parallel Port Mode	ECP/EPP SPP ECP EPP/SPP	The mode depends on your external device that connects to this port.	Default
If [Parallel Port Mode] is ECP Mode use DMA	s set to [ECP] mo	Choose DMA3 Choose DMA1	Default
If [Parallel Port Mode] is EPP Mode Select	s set to [EPP] mo EPP 1.9 EPP 1.7	ode Select EPP port type 1.9 Select EPP port type 1.7	Default
PWRON After PWR-Fail	On	The system will switch on when power comes back after a power failure.	
	Off	The system will remain off when power comes back after a power failure.	Default
	Former-sts	The system will return to the state it was in before the power failure when power returns. (i.e: If the system was on, it will switch on again, if it was off, it will remain off)	

### 3-8.6 MULTI I/O ADDRESSES

Default settings for multi-I/O addresses are as follows:

Port	I/O Address	IRQ	Status
LPT1	378H	7	ECP/EPP
COM1	3F8H	4	
COM2	2F8H	3	



*Warning:* If a default I/O address conflicts with other I/O cards such as sound card, you must change one of the I/O addresses to remedy to this address conflict. (I/O addresses can be adjusted from the BIOS Setup Utility)

#### 3-9 SUPERVISOR PASSWORD

Based on the setting you have made in the [Security Option] of the [BIOS FEATURES SETUP] section, the password prevents access to the system or the setup program by unauthorized users. Follow this procedure to set a new password or disable the password:

- 1. Choose [BIOS FEATURES SETUP] in the Main Menu and press [Enter]. Select the [Security Options] item and set the field to:
  - a. [System]: The password is required every time the system is booted. This means only a person who knows the password can use this computer.
  - b. [Setup]: The password is required only when you attempt to enter the BIOS Setup program.
- 2. Choose [SUPERVISOR PASSWORD] from the Main Menu and press [Enter]. The following prompt appear:

Enter Password:



*Warning:* If you forget or lose the password, the only way to access the system is to set jumper JP5 to clear the CMOS RAM. All setup information is lost and you must run the BIOS setup program again.



*Note:* If you do not wish to use the password function, press [Enter] directly and the following message appears:

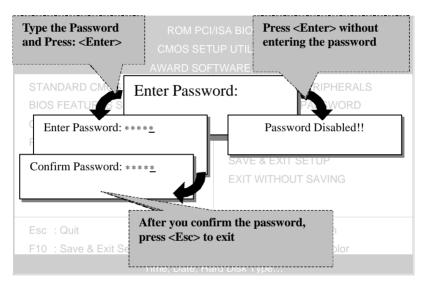
Password Disabled!!

3. Enter your new password and press [Enter]. The following message appears, prompting to confirm the new password:

Confirm Password:

4. Re-enter your password and then press [Enter] to exit to the Main Menu.

This diagram outlines the password selection procedure:



#### 3-10 USER PASSWORD

When the user password option is on, you are not allowed to change any setting in the [CMOS SETUP UTILITY] except for changing the user's password.

The password setting procedure is similar to that for the [SUPERVISOR PASSWORD] (Refer to section 3-9).

### 3-11 IDE HDD AUTO DETECTION

This Main Menu function automatically detects the hard disk type and configures the STANDARD CMOS SETUP accordingly.

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

HARD DISKS TYPE SIZE CYLS HEAD PRECOMP LANDZ SECTOR MODE

Primary Master

	Select Primary Master		Option (N=Skip) : N				
OPTIONS	SIZE	CYLS	HEAD	PRECOMP	LANDZ	SECTOR	MODE
2(Y)	1707	827	64	0	3308	63	LBA
1	1707	3309	16	65535	3308	63	NORMAL
3	1707	827	64	65535	3308	63	LARGE

Note: Some Oses( SCO-UNIX Before v5.0) must use "NORMAL" for installation

ESC : Skip



Note: This function is only valid for IDE type of hard disk drives.

# Chapter 4

### **DRIVERS INSTALLATION**

Your SY-6BA+ IV Motherboard comes with a CD-ROM labeled "SOYO CD." The SOYO CD contains the user's manual file for your new Motherboard, the drivers software available for installation, and a database in HTML format with information on SOYO Motherboards and other products.

The SOYO CD Start Up Program automatically detects which SOYO Motherboard you own and displays the corresponding model name.

### **Step 1.** Insert the SOYO CD into the CD-ROM drive

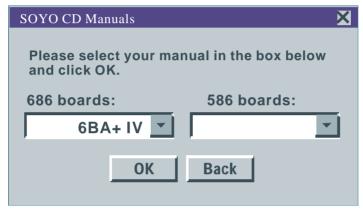
The SOYO CD will auto-run, and the SOYO CD Start Up Menu will display as shown below.



### Step 2. Read SOYO [6BA+ IV] Manual

Click the *Read Manual* button to open the user's manual file of your Motherboard.

Please note that if the Start Up program was unable to determine which SOYO Motherboard you own, the manual selection menu will pop up, as shown below. Then select the user's manual file that corresponds to your Motherboard model name and click *OK*.



(Manual Selection Menu)

The user's manual files included on the SOYO CD can be read in PDF (Postscript Document) format. In order to read a PDF file, the appropriate Acrobat Reader software must be installed in your system.

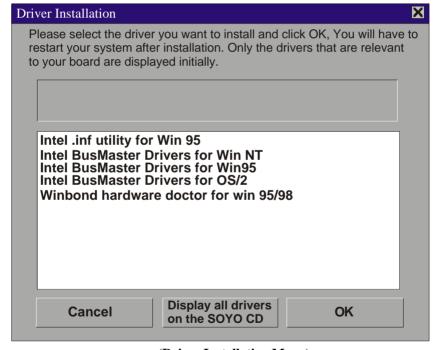
*Note:* The Start Up program automatically detects if the Acrobat Reader utility is already present in your system, and otherwise prompts you on whether or not you want to install it. You must install the Acrobat Reader utility to be able to read the user's manual file. Follow the instructions on your screen during installation, then once the installation is completed, restart your system and re-run the SOYO CD.

### **Step 3.** Install Drivers

Click the Install Drivers button to display the list of drivers software that can be installed with your Motherboard. The Start Up program displays the drivers available for the particular model of Motherboard you own. We recommend that you only install those drivers.

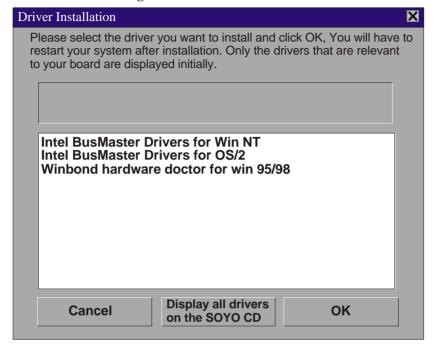
However, to display the list of all drivers software available with SOYO Motherboards, click the *Display all drivers on the SOYO CD* button. Please make sure to install only the drivers adapted to your system, or otherwise this cause system malfunctions.

The following drivers are available for Windows 95



(Driver Installation Menu)

#### The following drivers are available for Windows 98



(Driver Installation Menu)

#### A short description of all available drivers follows:

### > Intel .inf utility for Win 95

Because Windows 95 does not recognize the Southbridge of the newer Intel chipsets (TX, BX, ZX etc) this utility has to be run, it will update the necessary Windows .inf files. (Only for Windows 95)

- ➤ Intel Busmaster Drivers for Windows 95
- Intel Busmaster Drivers for Win NT
- ➤ Intel Busmaster Drivers for OS/2

These are the official busmaster drivers as supplied by Intel.



Note: Do NEVER install two types of busmaster drivers on your system, this will lead to conflicts and system instability.

Winbond hardware doctor for Windows 9x

Your motherboard comes with a hardware monitoring IC. By installing this utility Temperature, Fan speed and Voltages can be monitored. It is also possible to set alarms when current system values exceed or fall below pre-set values.

This utility comes with a preset monitoring rage for the CPU voltage. However, the core voltage of the processor you purchased may fall out of this preset range, so you may need to adjust the pre-set value. Please refer to the SY-6BA+ IV Motherboard's CD manual for the details.

Select which driver you want to install and click *OK*, or click *Cancel* to abort the driver installation and return to the main menu.

*Note:* Once you have selected a driver, the system will automatically exit the SOYO CD to begin the driver installation program. When the installation is complete, most drivers require to restart your system before they can become active.

#### Core voltage

The core voltage differs between generations of Intel CPUs, if the Hardware monitor gives a warning, the settings for the safe range of the core voltage has to be adjusted. This can be done by simply clicking and dragging the upper and lower limit bars.

### For example:

Newer Slot 1 CPUs have a core voltage of 2.0V. Therefore, set the CPU Vcore limits to 1.8V and 2.2V. For 2.8V core voltage CPUs the limits would be 2.6V and 3.0V.

### Fan speed

The Hardware monitor can keep track of three fans. If the user does not use all fans, the fans that are not in use should be disabled in the Hardware monitor program, otherwise the Hardware monitor will give an alarm. If this happens, make sure to disable monitoring for that fan.

*Note:* However, to display the list of all drivers software available with SOYO Motherboards, click the *Display all drivers on the SOYO CD* 

button. Please make sure to install only the drivers adapted to your system, or otherwise this cause system malfunctions.

### **Step 4.** Check the Latest Releases

Click the 'Check the latest Releases' button to go the SOYO Website to automatically find the latest BIOS, manual and driver releases for your motherboard. This button will only work if your computer is connected to the internet through a network or modem connection. Make sure to get your modem connection up before clicking this button.

### Step 5. Select which driver you want to install and click OK

- Notice 1: Once you have selected a driver, the system will automatically exit the SOYO CD to begin the driver installation program. When the installation is complete, most drivers require to restart your system before they can become active.
- **Notice 2:** You may click **Cancel** to abort the driver installation and return to the main menu.
- **Notice 3:** Once you have selected a driver, the system will automatically exit the SOYO CD to begin the driver installation program. When the installation is complete, most drivers require to restart your system before they can become active.

# Chapter 5

### THE ATA 66 DRIVER INSTALLATION

# Installing the Windows 95/98 Drivers

Usually, when you boot up the Windows 95/98 system for the first time, the system will be able to detect the HPT366 Ultra DMA host Adapter automatically and ask you to install the driver for HPT366. You can just follow the instructions promted by the system to install the driver. The driver is located in the following directory:

D:\drivers\hp-ata66\Win9X (Where D is your CD-ROM driver letter)
Otherwise, you can install the driver by the following steps:

- 1. Windows 95/98 must be installed on the system prior to installing the driver.
- 2. Close any running applications.
- 3. Open "My Computer".
- 4. Double click on the "Control Panel" icon.
- 5. Double click on the "Add New Hardware" applet.
- 6. Click on the "Next" button.
- 7. When asked "Do you want Windows to search for your new hardware?", choose "No" then click on the "Next" button.
- 8. When asked to select the hardware type, select the "SCSI controllers" and click on the "Next" button.
- 9. Make sure that the SOYO-CD is in your CD-ROM drive and click on the "Have Disk..." button.
- 10. Select the *D*:\drivers\hp-ata66\Win9X directory (Where *D* is your *CD-ROM driver letter*) and click on the "OK" button.
- 11. Click on the "Next" button.
- 12. If there is a window showing the settings (resources) to be used by the driver, then click on the "Next" again. At this point, the system will install the driver.

- 13. Click on the "Finish" button.
- 14. Then the system will ask you to restart the system. If the settings reported in step 12 are not what set on the host adapter, you must adjust the settings by using the device manager in the System control panel before restarting your computer.
- 15. The driver for ACPI function is useful only if hardware supports ACPI function

### **Uninstalling the Driver**

You can use the device manager in the System control panel to remove the driver.

# Installing the Windows NT 4.0 Drivers

When Windows NT is up, install the HPT366 device driver as follows:

- 1. Installing Device Driver
  - (1.) Open My Computer
  - (2.) Open Control Panel
  - (3.) Double click icon SCSI Adapters
  - (4.) Click Drivers
  - (5.) Click Add...
  - (6.) Click Have Disk...
  - (7.) Insert the SOYO-CD with the HPT366 Windows NT 4.0 device driver into your CD-ROM drive, and type "D:\drivers\hpta66\NT40[Enter]", then click OK. (for D type your CD-ROM driver letter)
  - (8.) Select HPT366 Ultra DMA Controller, you will be asked to enter the full path to the HPT366 Ultra DMA Controller files, type in D:\drivers\hp-ata66\NT40 and then click Continue
  - (9.) When asked to restart your computer, click Yes

Your hard disk drive attached to the HPT366 host adapter must be partitioned and formatted before you can access it. Please see Partitioning

Your Hard Disk to know how to partition and format a hard disk drive.

2. Checking the Installation

If you want to check if the HPT366 host adapter and its device driver are correctly installed, you can:

- (1.) Open My Computer
- (2.) Open Control Panel
- (3.) Double click icon SCSI Adapters
- (4.) You should see the item HPT366 Ultra DMA Controller (started) listed
- 3. Partitioning Your Hard Disk

If the hard disk drive attached to the HPT366 host adapter has not been partitioned and formatted yet, you need to partition it first. To partition the hard disk drive attached to the HPT366 host adapter, follow the following steps:

- (1.) Click the Startup button
- (2.) Go to Administrative Tools (Common)
- (3.) Run Disk Administrator
- (4.) Select disk number you would like to partition
- (5.) Select the menu Partition
- (6.) Decide the partition size create partition of the size
- (7.) Exit Disk Administrator
- (8.) Select the new created partition (logical disk drive) and format it
- 4. Troubleshooting

The boot manager for Windows NT contains recovery logic to allow you to return to the last known good configuration. If you have changed your host adapter configuration and Windows NT no longer boots, follow these steps to recover:

- Undo any hardware changes you have made to the computer since it was last operational.
- 2. Reboot the computer. Watch the display carefully during booting up. If the following message appears, press the Spacebar and follow the

instructions on the display screen to continue booting with the last known good configuration: Press spacebar NOW to invoke the Last Known Good menu

 Once your computer is operational again, check all of the hardware and software configuration changes you want to make. Look specially for conflicts with parts of the existing system configuration that are not being changed.

If Windows NT can boot but the driver has not been started (see Checking the Installation), please check the following:

- Make sure the host adapter is properly installed, and the device is correctly connected to the adapter. Double check that the cable between the adapter and the devices is correctly attached. Also check if the jumper setting on the drive is correct.
- 2. Make sure that a power cable is properly attached to each drive attached to the HPT366 host adapter.

If the driver has started and you still cannot access the hard disk drive attached to the HPT366 host adapter, the hard disk drive might have not been partitioned and formatted yet. You may need to partition and format it.

### **New Driver releases and Support**

If you have questions about installing or using this HighPoint product, check this user's guide or the readme file first, you will find answers to most of your questions here. If you need further assistance, we offer the following support and information services:

- 3. The Web Site provides information on software upgrades, answers to common questions, and other topics. The Web Site is available from Internet 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, at http://www.highpointtech.com.
- 4. For technical support, send an e-mail to support@highpoint-tech.com.

NOTE: Before you send an e-mail, please visit our Web Site (http://www.highpoint-tech.com) to check if there is a new or updated HPT366 device driver for your operating system.