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**P54C/P55C PCI Mainboard
User's Guide &
Technical Reference**

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1 Introduction

The EQ82C661X PCI mainboard is a high-performance **AT form-factor** system board that supports P54C/P55C family CPUs. You can order 512K of external cache memory on the mainboard. The mainboard is fully compatible with industry standards, and adds many technical enhancements.

Key Features

- CPU
 - Supports P54C/P55C family CPUs running at 90~200 MHz speeds; Cyrix/IBM CPUs running at PR120⁺~PR200⁺ speeds; and AMD K5/K6 CPUs running at PR75 ~ PR200 speeds
 - Two kinds of mainboards are available: one is the Normal edition which supports above listed CPUs and the other is the IBM CPU attached edition which supports the IBM 6x86 P200⁺ CPU only
 - **Supports SOCKET 7 for upgrade**
 - Supports P54C/P55C series SMM Mode and CPU Stop Clock
- L2 Cache Controller
 - Write Back Cache Modes and Direct Mapped Organization
 - On-board 512K Pipeline Burst SRAMs Cache
- DRAM Controller
 - Supports FPM/EDO/Burst EDO/Synchronous – DRAM
 - **Supports 1 strips of 8/16/32 MB Unbuffered DIMMs**
 - On-board memory configurations from **4 to 256 Mbytes**
 - Supports “**Table-Free**” DRAM configuration in any SIMM bank
- BUS Controller
 - Compliant to PCI specifications v2.1
 - Three 32-bit PCI slots (Masters) and four ISA slots, 4-layer PCB
 - **Supports Universal Serial Bus — USB**
- Peripheral Controller
 - System BIOS built-in NCR805 SCSI Card BIOS and “Plug and Play” function
 - On-board built-in PCI Master IDE controller and floppy controller
 - On-board supports for two high speed UARTS (w/i 16550 FIFO), one ECP/EPP/SPP compatible parallel port, and one PS/2 mouse port
 - **On-board supports FLASH Memory for easy upgrade BIOS**

Unpacking the Mainboard

The mainboard package contains:

- The EQ82C661X Mainboard
- This User's Guide

Note: Do not unpack the mainboard until you are ready to install it.

Follow the precautions below while unpacking the mainboard.

1. Before handling the mainboard, ground yourself by grasping an unpainted portion of the system's metal chassis.
2. Remove the mainboard from its anti-static packaging and place it on a grounded surface, component side up.
3. Check the mainboard for damage. If any chip appears loose, press carefully to seat it firmly in its socket.

Do not apply power if the mainboard appears damaged. If there is damage to the board contact your dealer immediately.

Electrostatic Discharge Precautions

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

Take these precautions to protect your equipment from electrostatic discharge:

- Do not remove the anti-static packaging until you are ready to install the mainboard and other system components.
- 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 mainboard by the edges and avoid touching its components.

Mainboard Layout w/ Default Settings

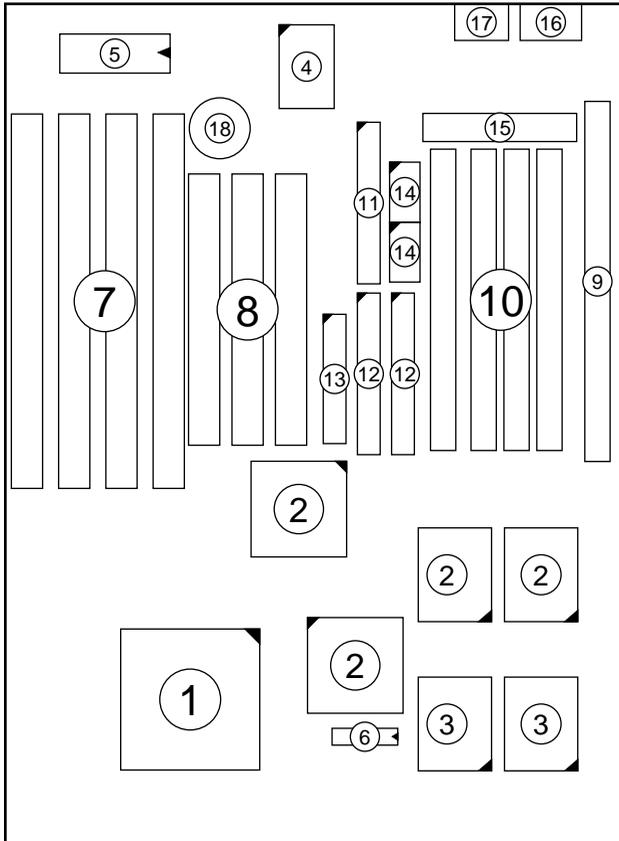


Figure 1-1. Mainboard Layout

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|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. ZIF socket 7 (for P54C/P55C) | 10. SIMM Bank |
| 2. EQ82C661X Chipset | 11. Floppy Connector |
| 3. Pipelined Burst SRAM | 12. IDE1/IDE2 Connector |
| 4. Super I/O Chip | 13. Parallel Port Connector |
| 5. PnP FLASH BIOS | 14. COM1/COM2 Connector |
| 6. TAG SRAM | 15. AT Power Connector |
| 7. ISA Slots | 16. KB Connector |
| 8. PCI Slots | 17. PS/2 Mouse Connector |
| 9. Unbuffered DIMM Bank | 18. 3 Volt. Lithium Battery |

Default settings are as follows: IBM 6x86 P200⁺ CPU, 512K Pipelined Burst cache, On-board PCI E-IDE Enabled, 2 high speed UARTS Enabled (w/ 16550 FIFO), 1 EPP/ECP port (ECP + EPP mode), and 5V SIMM/3.3V DIMM.

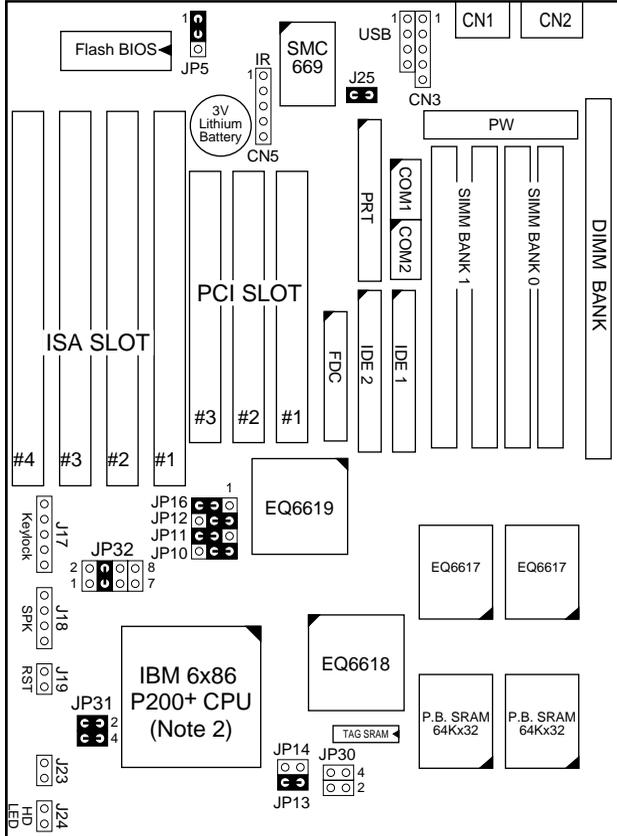


Figure 1–2. IBM CPU Attached Edition Mainboard Default Setting

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- Note:**
1. Make sure the system is well ventilated to prevent overheating and ensure system stability.
 2. IBM CPU attached edition mainboard only uses IBM6x86 P200⁺ CPU.
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Default settings are as follows: P54C/P55C 133MHz CPU, 512K Pipelined Burst cache, On-board PCI E-IDE Enabled, 2 high speed UARTS Enabled (w/ 16550 FIFO), 1 EPP/ECP port (ECP + EPP mode), and 5V SIMM/3.3V DIMM.

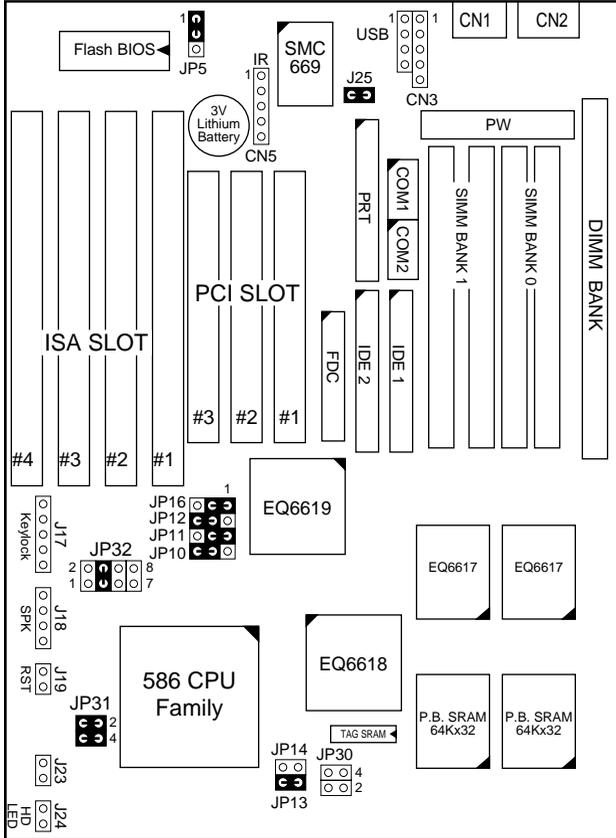


Figure 1–3. Regular Mainboard Default Setting

Note: Make sure the system is well ventilated to prevent overheating and ensure system stability.

2 Hardware Setup

This chapter is designed for Normal edition mainboard use only and it explains how to configure the mainboard's hardware. After you install the mainboard, you can set jumpers, install memory on the mainboard, and make case connections. Refer to this chapter whenever you upgrade or reconfigure your system.

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

Jumpers

JP5: CMOS Clear Jumper

Clear the CMOS memory by momentarily shorting pin 2–3; then shorting pin 1–2 to retain new settings.

CMOS Setting	JP5
Retain CMOS data (default)	 1
Clear CMOS data	 1

J25: EMI Ground Pin

J25 is designed for eliminating the EMI signals. Short or open J25 when is needed.

JP16: PCI Bus Asynchronous/Synchronous Jumper

Asynchronous and synchronous (default) PCI bus frequency settings are available.

PCI Bus Setting	JP16
Asynchronous	
Synchronous	

Divides the host bus by 2 to get the Asynchronous setting, and sets the PCI bus on 32MHz to get the synchronous setting. Set JP16 to Synchronous mode when the system is unstable.

Host Bus (CPU Bus)	PCI Bus Frequency (Synchronous)	PCI Bus Frequency (Asynchronous)
50 MHz*	25 MHz	32 MHz
55 MHz*	27.5 MHz	32 MHz
60 MHz	30 MHz	32 MHz
66 MHz	33.3 MHz	32 MHz
75 MHz**	37.5 MHz	32 MHz

*: Do not use Asynchronous setting when the host bus frequency is 50MHz or 55MHz.

** : Do not use Synchronous setting when the host bus frequency is 75 MHz.

CPU Type Configuration

This section is designed for normal edition motherboard use only and also shows you how to configure your CPU step by step. Note that you need to check the CPU voltage before installation.

□ Step 1: Frequency Setting

P54C/P55C – 75/90/100 CPU Settings (1.5 x clock)

AMD K5 – PR75/PR90/PR100/PR120/PR133 (1.5 x clock)

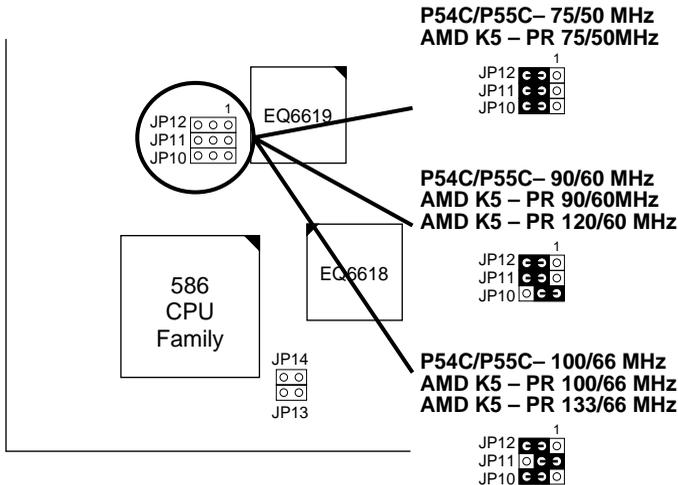


Figure 2-1-1. CPU Jumper Settings

- Note:
1. You must equip the CPU with a fan and heat sink for system stability.
 2. AMD K5-PR75/90= AMD 5_k86(SSA5)-P75/90.

P54C/P55C – 100/120/133 CPU Settings (2.0 x clock)

Cyrix 6x86/6x86L – PR133+ /PR150+ /PR166+ /PR200+ CPU Settings (2.0 x clock)

AMD K5/K6 – PR150 CPU Setting

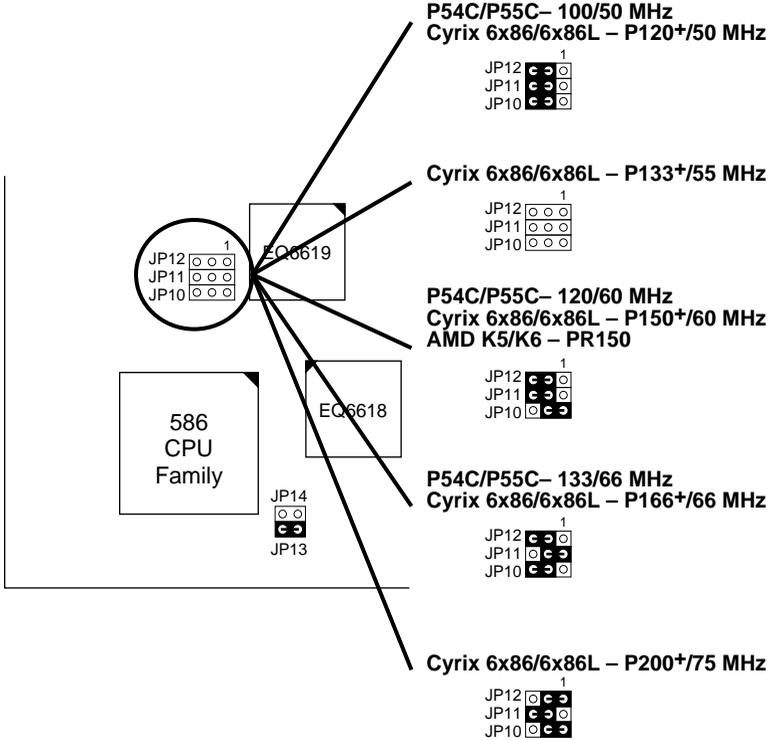


Figure 2–1–2. CPU Jumper Settings

Note: You must equip the CPU with a fan and heat sink for system stability.

P54C/P55C– 150/166 CPU Settings (2.5 x clock)
AMD K5/K6 – PR166 CPU Setting
Cyrix 6x86MX – PR166/PR200/PR233 CPU Settings

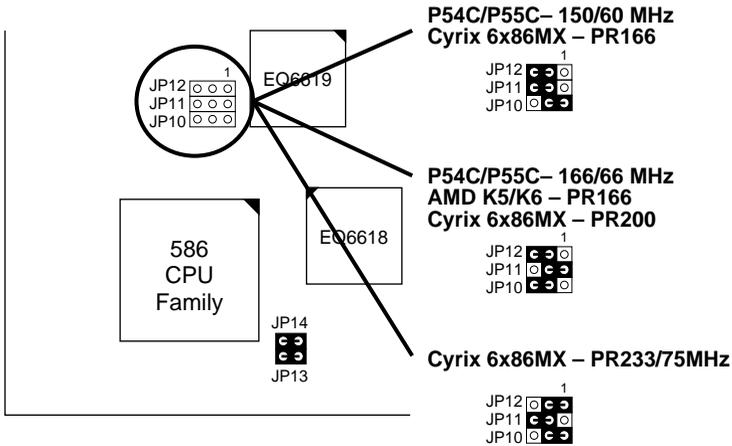


Figure 2–1–3. CPU Jumper Settings

P54C/P55C – 180/200 CPU Settings (3.0 x clock)
AMD K6 – PR200 CPU Setting
Cyrix 6x86MX – PR233/PR266 CPU Settings

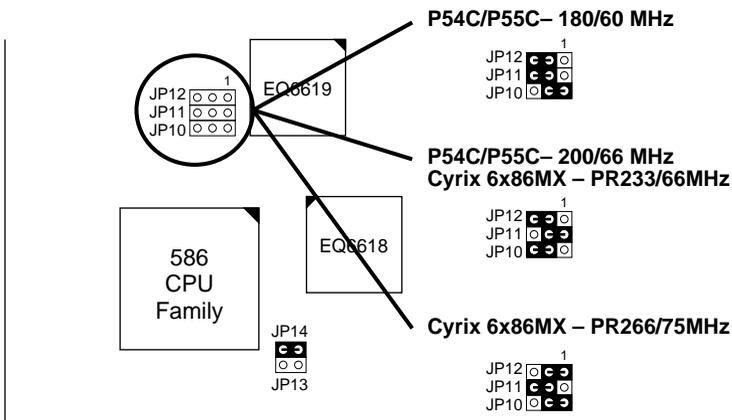


Figure 2–1–4. CPU Jumper Settings

Note: You must equip the CPU with a fan and heat sink for system stability.

□ Step 2: CPU Single/Dual Voltage Setting

Single Voltage CPU Setting

Signal voltage CPUs use the same voltage for VIO and VCore and has been used traditionally. The CPUs which fall into this category are P54CX, AMD-K5-PRxxxBx, AMD-K5-PRxxxCx, AMD-K5-PRxxxFx, and Cyrix 6x86. Refer to the following figures to set these CPUs' voltage:

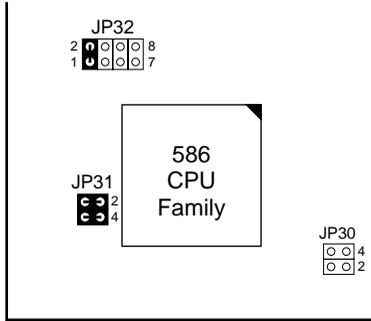


Figure 2-2-1. Single Voltage 3.3V CPU

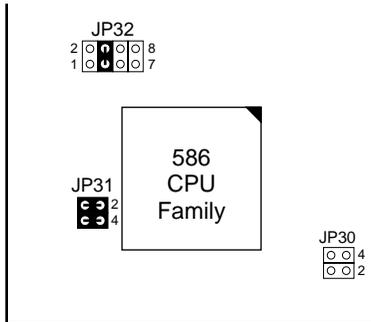


Figure 2-2-2. Single Voltage 3.52V CPU (Default)

Dual Voltage CPU Setting

Dual voltage CPUs are designed to use different voltage for VIO and VCore and they include P55CX, and Cyrix 6x86L/6x86MX. Refer to the following figures to set these CPUs' voltage:

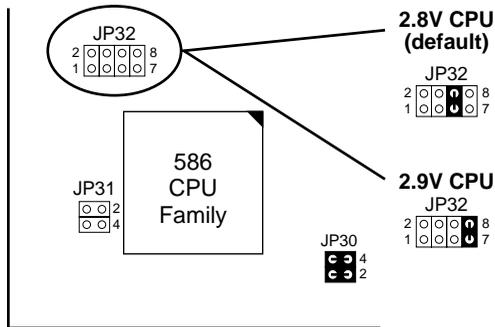


Figure 2-2-3. Dual Voltage CPU

Note: Due to various design, please ask your CPU dealer for the exact VIO and VCORE voltage before you install it.

Memory Configuration

The mainboard supports two banks of **72-pin FPM/EDO/Burst EDO DRAM (SIMM)**, and **one strip of 3.3V 168-pin Unbuffered DIMM**. The mainboard requires SIMM of at least 70ns access time.

The mainboard supports **from 4 to 256 Mbytes** with no other restrictions on memory configurations. You can install SIMM in any combination without having to rely on a memory configuration table. Memory configuration is thus “**Table-Free**” in any SIMM bank. You must install two strips of SIMM modules to complete a bank.

Memory Configuration Table

	SIMM Bank		DIMM Bank
	Bank 1	Bank 2	DIMM
RAM Type	FPM/EDO/BEDO (DRAM)	FPM/EDO/BEDO (DRAM)	FPM/EDO/SDRAM
Single RAM Module Size (MB)	4/8/16/32	4/8/16/32	8/16/32

Note: Do not install FPM/EDO/BEDO SIMM when you already installed SDRAM type of DIMM.

RAM Bank Installation Notice

Due to the RAS line share architecture of ETEQ chipset, the possible combination of DIMM/SIMM in this mainboard are as one of the followings:

1. In Bank 1
2. In Bank 2
3. In Bank 1 & Bank 2
4. In DIMM
5. In Bank 2 & DIMM

Cache Configuration

The mainboard has a write-back caching scheme with built-in 512KB Level 2 Pipelined Burst cache onboard to improve the system performance.

Cache Size and RAM Locations

Cache Size	Cache RAM	TAG RAM	Cacheable Range
512KB	64K x 32, 2pcs on U19, U20	16K x 8 on U21	64 MB

Multi I/O Port Addresses

Default settings for multi-I/O port addresses are shown in the table below.

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

* If default I/O port addresses conflict with other I/O cards (e.g. sound cards or I/O cards), you must adjust one of the I/O addresses to avoid address conflict. (You can adjust these I/O addresses from the BIOS.)

Note: Some sound cards have a default IRQ setting for IRQ7, which may conflict with printing functions. If this occurs do not use sound card functions at the same time you print.

Connectors

Attach the mainboard to case devices, or an external battery, via connectors on the mainboard. Refer to Figure 1-1 for connector locations and connector pin positions.

COM1, COM2– COM1/COM2 Connectors

Attach COM1/COM2 device cable to these connectors.

FDC Connector

Attach floppy cable to this connector.

J19 – Hardware Reset Control

Attach the Reset switch to J19. Closing the Reset switch restarts the system.

J24 – HDD LED Connectors

Attach the cable of hard disk drive LEDs to this connector. The LED lights when an HDD is active.

IDE1/IDE2 – On-board Primary/Secondary IDE HDD Connectors

Attach cables of hard disk drives to these connectors.

CN5 – IR Connector

Attach a 5-pin infrared device cable to this connector for enabling the infrared transfer function. This mainboard meets the specification of ASKIAR and HPSIR.

CN2 – Keyboard Connector

A 5-pin female DIN keyboard connector is located at the rear of the board. Plug the keyboard jack into this connector.

J17 – Keylock & Power LED Connector

J17 is a connector for a lock that may be installed on the system case for enabling or disabling the keyboard. J17 also attaches to the case's Power LED. (Pin 1, 3 for power LED and pin 4, 5 for keylock.)

CN1 – PS/2 Mouse Connector

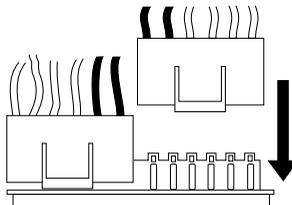
Attach PS/2 mouse cable to this connector.

PRT – Parallel Port Connector

Attach parallel port cable to this connector.

PW – Power Supply Connector

The mainboard requires a power supply with at least 200 watts and a “power good” signal. PW has two 6-pin male header connectors. Plug the dual connectors from the power directly onto the board connector while making sure the black leads are in the center.



J23: Sleep Switch Connector Enable/Disable

Toggle this jumper to force the system into power saving (Green) mode. Any hardware IRQ signal makes the system wakeup.

CN3 – Universal Serial Bus Connectors

Attach 9-pin USB cable to these connectors for external USB device.

3 BIOS Setup

The mainboard’s BIOS setup program is the ROM PCI/ISA BIOS from Award Software Inc. Enter the Award BIOS program’s Main Menu as follows:

1. Turn on or reboot the system. After a series of diagnostic checks, you are asked to press DEL to enter Setup.
2. Press the key to enter the Award BIOS program and the main screen appears:

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

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

3. Choose an option and press <Enter>. Modify the system parameters to reflect the options installed in the system. (See the following sections.)
4. Press <ESC> at anytime to return to the Main Menu.
5. In the Main Menu, choose “SAVE AND EXIT SETUP” to save your changes and reboot the system. Choosing “EXIT WITHOUT SAVING” ignores your changes and exits the program.

The Main Menu options of the Award BIOS are described in the sections that follow.

Standard CMOS Setup

Run the Standard CMOS Setup as follows.

1. Choose "STANDARD CMOS SETUP" from the Main Menu. A screen appears.

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

Date (mm:dd:yy) : Fri, Feb 1 1995								
Time (hh:mm:ss) : 7 : 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 in.					Base Memory: 640K			
Drive B : None					Extended Memory: 3328K			
Video : EGA/VGA					Other Memory: 128K			
Halt On : All Errors					Total Memory: 4096K			
Esc : Quit		↑ ↓ → ← : Select Item			PU/PD/+/- : Modify			
F11 : Help		(Shift) F2 : Change Color			F3 : Toggle Calendar			

2. Use arrow keys to move between items and select values. Modify selected fields using PgUp/PgDn/+/- keys. Some fields let you enter values directly.

Date (mm/dd/yy) Type the current date.

Time (hh:mm:ss) Type the current time.

Primary (Secondary) First, choose the type of hard disk that you already installed:

Master & Slave

- Auto – BIOS detects hard disk type automatically (default)
- 1 ~ 46 – Selects standard hard disk type
- User – User defines the type of hard disk.

Next, choose hard disk mode:

- Auto – BIOS detects hard disk mode automatically (default)
- Normal – Normal IDE hard disk (smaller than 528MB)
- LBA – Enhanced-IDE hard disk (larger than 528MB)

Primary (Secondary) Master & Slave (Continued)	<p>Large – Large IDE hard disk (for certain hard disk)</p> <p><i>Note: If you have any questions on your hard disk type or mode, ask your hard disk provider or previous user for details.</i></p>						
Drive A & B	<p>Choose 360KB , 5 1/4 in., 1.2MB , 5 1/4 in., 720KB , 3 1/2 in., 1.44M , 3 1/2 in.(default), 2.88 MB, 3 1/2 in. or Not installed</p>						
Video	<p>Choose Monochrome, Color 40x25, VGA/EGA (default), Color 80x25</p>						
Halt On	<p>When BIOS detects system errors, this function will stop the system. Choose one of the following options to make system halt.</p> <table border="0" style="margin-left: 40px;"> <tr> <td style="padding-right: 10px;">All Errors (default)</td> <td style="border-left: 1px solid black; padding-left: 10px;">All, But Diskette</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding-right: 10px;">No Errors</td> <td style="border-left: 1px solid black; padding-left: 10px;">All, But Keyboard</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td style="border-left: 1px solid black; padding-left: 10px;">All, But Disk/Key</td> </tr> </table>	All Errors (default)	All, But Diskette	No Errors	All, But Keyboard		All, But Disk/Key
All Errors (default)	All, But Diskette						
No Errors	All, But Keyboard						
	All, But Disk/Key						

3. When you finish, press the <ESC> key to return to the Main Menu.

BIOS Features Setup

Run the BIOS Features Setup as follows.

1. Choose “BIOS FEATURES SETUP” from the Main Menu and a screen with a list of items appears. (**The screen below shows the BIOS default settings.**)

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS BIOS FEATURES SETUP AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.	
CPU Internal Cache	: Enabled
External Cache	: Enabled
Quick Power on Self Test	: Enabled
Boot Sequence	: A,C,SCSI
Swap Floppy Drive	: Disabled
Boot Up NumLock Status	: On
Typematic Rate Setting	: Disabled
Typematic Rate (Chars/Sec)	: 6
Typematic Delay (Msec)	: 250
Security Option	: Setup
IDE Second Channel Control	: Enabled
PS/2 Mouse Function Control	: Disabled
PCI/VGA Palette Snoop	: Disabled
OS Select for DRAM >64MB	: Non-OS2
Video BIOS Shadow	: Enabled
C8000-CBFFF Shadow	: Disabled
CC000-CFFFF Shadow	: Disabled
D0000-D3FFF Shadow	: Disabled
D4000-D7FFF Shadow	: Disabled
D8000-DBFFF Shadow	: Disabled
DC000-DFFFF Shadow	: Disabled
ESC : Quit ↑ ↓ → ← : Select Item F1 : Help PU/PD/+/- : Modify F5 : Old Values (Shift) F2 : Color F6 : Load BIOS Defaults F7 : Load Setup Defaults	

2. Use the arrow keys to move between items and to select values. Modify the selected fields using the PgUp/PgDn/+/- keys. <F> keys are explained below:
 - <F1>: “Help” gives options available for each item.
 - Shift <F2>: Change color.
 - <F5>: Get the old values. These values are the values with which the user started the current session.
 - <F6>: Load all options with the BIOS Setup default values.
 - <F7>: Load all options with the Power-On default values.

A short description of screen items follows:

CPU Internal Cache This option enables/disables the CPU’s internal cache. (The Default setting is Enabled.)

External Cache This option enables/disables the external cache memory. (The Default setting is Enabled.)

Quick Power On Self Test Enabled provides a fast POST at boot-up .

- Boot Sequence** Choose the boot device sequence as your need. For example, “A, C, SCSI” means BIOS will look for an operating system first from drive A, drive C, then SCSI device. Options of this function are:
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.
- Swap Floppy Drive** Enabled changes the sequence of the A: and B: drives. (The Default setting is Disabled.)
- Boot Up Num Lock Status** Choose **On** or **Off**. On puts numeric keypad in Num Lock mode at boot-up. Off puts this keypad in arrow key mode at boot-up.
- Typematic Rate Setting** Enable this option to adjust the keystroke repeat rate.
- Typematic Rate (Chars/Sec)** Choose the rate a character keeps repeating.
- Typematic Delay (Msec)** Choose how long after you press a key that a character begins repeating.
- Security Option** Choose **Setup** or **System**. Use this feature to prevent unauthorized system boot-up or use of BIOS Setup.
- “System” – Each time the system is booted the password prompt appears.
- “Setup” – If a password is set, the password prompt only appears if you attempt to enter the Setup program.

IDE Second Channel Control	Default setting is Enabled. Choose Disabled when you need to turn off the onboard IDE second channel.
PS/2 Mouse Function Control	Default setting is Disabled. You need to enable this function when the PS/2 mouse is attached.
PCI/VGA Palette Snoop	Enabled: The color of the monitor may be incorrect if uses with MPEG card. Enable this option to make the monitor normal. Disabled: Default setting.
OS Select for DRAM >64MB	OS2 – Choosing this when you are using OS/2 operation system. Non-OS/2 – Choosing this when you are using no-OS/2 operation system.
Video or Adapter BIOS Shadow	BIOS shadow copies BIOS code from slower ROM to faster RAM. BIOS can then execute from RAM. These 16K segments can be shadowed from ROM to RAM. BIOS is shadowed in a 16K segment if it is enabled and it has BIOS present.

3. After you have finished with the BIOS Features Setup program, press the <ESC> key and follow the screen instructions to save or disregard your settings.

Chipset Features Setup

The Chipset Features Setup option changes the values of the chipset registers. These registers control system options in the computer.

Note: Change these settings only if you are familiar with the Chipset.

Run the Chipset Features Setup as follows.

1. Choose “CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP” from the Main Menu and the following screen appears. (The screen below shows default settings.)

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.	
DRAM Auto Configuration : 60 ns DRAM Timing Control : Auto Read Pipeline : Disabled Write Pipeline : Enabled Video BIOS Cacheable : Disabled System BIOS Cacheable : Disabled Memory Hole At 15Mb Addr.: Disabled OnChip USB : Disabled	ESC : Quit ↑ ↓ → ←: Select Item F1 : Help PU/PD/+/- : Modify F5 : Old Values (Shift)F2 : Color F6 : Load BIOS Defaults F7 : Load Setup Defaults

2. Use the arrow keys to move between items and select values. Modify selected fields using the PgUp/PgDn/+/- keys.

A short description of screen items follows:

DRAM Auto Configuration Choose **60ns** (default) or **70ns** when the DRAM Timing Control needs to be set to Auto; and; when choose **Disabled**, the DRAM Timing Control can be set to Normal, Medium, Fast, or Turbo.

DRAM Timing Control Choose Auto, Normal, Medium, Fast, or Turbo. BIOS sets the DRAM Timing automatically when this function is set to Auto. Normal is the slowest and you must check the system stability before you change to the Fast or Turbo setting, otherwise it should be on Auto.

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| SDRAM Cycle Length | 2 (default). This function is shown only when uses SDRAM. |
| Read Pipeline | Use the default setting. |
| Write Pipeline | Use the default setting. |
| Video BIOS Cacheable | Disabled – The ROM area F0000H-FFFFFH is not cached.

Enabled – The ROM area F0000H-FFFFFH is cacheable if cache controller is enabled. |
| System BIOS Cacheable | Disabled – The video BIOS C0000H-C7FFFH is not cached.

Enabled – The video BIOS C0000H-C7FFFH is cacheable if cache controller is enabled. |
| Memory Hole At 15Mb Addr | Choose Enabled or Disabled (default). Some interface cards will map their ROM address to this area. If this occurs, you should select Enabled, otherwise use Disabled. |
| OnChip USB | Default is Disabled. Enable this function when you use the USB device. |
| USB Keyboard Support | Enable this function when you use the USB keyboard, but notice that you need to use the regular keyboard first before getting in the BIOS setup. |
3. After you have finished with the Chipset Features Setup, press the <ESC> key and follow the screen instructions to save or disregard your settings.

Power Management Setup

The Power Management Setup option sets the system's power saving functions.

Run the Power Management Setup as follows.

1. Choose "POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP" from the Main Menu and a screen with a list of items appears.

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS CMOS SETUP UTILITY POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP	
Power Management : Disabled	** Power Down & Resume Events **
PM Control by APM : Yes	IRQ 5 (LPT 2) : Primary
Video Off Option : Suspend -> Off	IRQ 6 (Floppy Disk) : Primary
Video Off Method : V/H SYNC+Blank	IRQ 7 (LPT 1) : Primary
Conserve Mode : Disabled	IRQ 8 (RTC Alarm) : Disabled
	IRQ 9 (IRQ2 Redir) : Secondary
	IRQ 10 (Reserved) : Secondary
** PM Timers **	IRQ 11 (Reserved) : Secondary
HDD Power Down : Disabled	IRQ 12 (PS/2 mouse) : Primary
Doze Mode : Disabled	IRQ 13 (Coprocesor) : Primary
Suspend Mode : Disabled	IRQ 14 (Hard Disk) : Primary
	IRQ 15 (Reserved) : Disabled
** PM Events **	
VGA : OFF	ESC : Quit ↑↓ → ← : Select Item
LPT & COM : LPT/COM	F1 : Help PU/PD/+/- : Modify
HDD & FDD : ON	F5 : Old Values (Shift)F2 : Color
DMA/master : OFF	F6 : Load BIOS Defaults
Primary INTR : ON	F7 : Load Setup Defaults
IRQ 3 (COM 2) : Primary	
IRQ 4 (COM 1) : Primary	

2. Use the arrow keys to move between items and to select values. Modify the selected fields using the PgUp/PgDn/+/- keys.

A short description of selected screen items follows:

Power Management	Options are as follows:
User Define –	Let's you define the HDD and system power down times.
Disabled –	Disables the Green PC Features.
Min Saving –	Doze timer = 1 Hour Suspend timer = 1 Hour HDD Power Down = 15 Min
Max Saving –	Doze timer = 10 Sec Suspend timer = 10 Sec HDD Power Down = 1 Min

PM Control by APM	Choose Yes (default) or No . APM stands for Advanced Power Management. To use APM, you must run “power.exe” under DOS v6.0 or later version.
Video Off Option	Susp, Stby→off: Video off when the system runs into Suspend or Standby mode. All Modes→off: Video off in all modes. Always On: Video never off. Suspend→off: Video off when system runs into the suspend mode.
Video Off Method	Choose V/H Sync+Blank (default), Blank screen , or DPMS for the selected PM mode.
Conserve Mode	Use the default setting.
HDD Power Down	When the set time has elapsed, the BIOS sends a command to the HDD to power down, which turns off the motor. Time is adjustable from 1 to 15 minutes. The default setting is Disabled. Some older model HDDs may not support this advanced function.
Doze Mode	When the set time has elapsed, the BIOS sends a command to the system to enter doze mode (system clock drops to 33MHz). Time is adjustable from 10 seconds to 1 Hour.
Suspend Mode	The default is Disabled. Only an SL-Enhanced (or SMI) CPU can enter this mode. Time is adjustable from 10 seconds to 1 Hour. Under Suspend mode, the CPU stops completely (no instructions are executed.)
VGA	Choose Off (default) or On to disable or enable the power management.

LPT & COM	Choose LPT/COM (default) or LPT (COM) to enable the power management timer. Choose NONE to disable the power management timer.
HDD & FDD	Choose On (default) to enable the power management timer, or Off to disable the power management timer.
DMA/master	Choose Off (default) or On . If you choose the system “Off”, will not monitor the signal of DMA/master; and when you choose “On”, the system will not have SMI signal until the master is finished while the master is working.
Primary INTR	When On (default) is chosen, you can choose any IRQ #.
IRQ#	When set at “Primary” the processor will power down only after the BIOS detects a “no IRQ activity” during the time specified by the Suspend time. If set at “Secondary event” the system will distinguish whether an interrupt accesses and I/O address or not. If it does, the system enters the standby mode. If not, the system enters the dreaming mode; that is the system goes back full-on status but leaves the monitor blank. For instance, if the system connects to a LAN and receives an interrupt from its file server, the system will enter the dreaming mode to execute the corresponding calling routine.

3. After you have finished with the Power Management Setup, press the <ESC> key to return to the Main Menu.

PNP/PCI Configuration Setup

This option sets the mainboard's PCI Slots. Run this option as follows:

1. Choose "PNP/PCI CONFIGURATION SETUP" from the Main Menu and the following screen appears. (The screen below shows default settings.)

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS PNP/PCI CONFIGURATION AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.	
Resources Controlled By : Manual Reset Configuration Data : Disabled	PCI IRQ Activated By : Level PCI IDE IRQ Map To : PCI-AUTO Primary IDE INT# : A Secondary IDE INT# : B
IRQ-3 assigned to : Legacy ISA*	ESC : Quit ↑↓→←: Select Item F1 : Help PU/PD/+/- : Modify F5 : Old Values (Shift)F2 : Color F6 : Load BIOS Defaults F7 : Load Setup Defaults
IRQ-4 assigned to : Legacy ISA*	
IRQ-5 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP*	
IRQ-7 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP*	
IRQ-9 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP*	
IRQ-10 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP*	
IRQ-11 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP*	
IRQ-12 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP*	
IRQ-14 assigned to : 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*	
DMA-5 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP*	
DMA-6 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP*	
DMA-7 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP*	

*: These items will disappear when Resource Controlled. is Auto.

2. Use the arrow keys to move between items and select values. Modify selected fields using the PgUp/PgDn/+/- keys.

A short description of screen items follows:

Resources Controlled By	Manual – BIOS doesn't manage PCI/ISA PnP card (i.e., IRQ) automatically.
	Auto – BIOS auto manage PCI and ISA PnP card (recommended).
Reset Configuration Data	Disabled – Retain PnP configuration data in BIOS.
	Enabled – Reset PnP configuration data in BIOS.

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| IRQX and DMA assigned to | Choose PCI/ISA PnP or Legacy ISA . If the first item is set to Manual, you could choose IRQX and DMA assigned to PCI/ISA PnP card or ISA card. |
| PCI IRQ Activated By | Choose Edge or Level . Most PCI trigger signals are Level. This setting must match the PCI card. |
| PCI IDE IRQ Map To | Select PCI-AUTO , ISA , or assign a PCI SLOT number (depending on which slot the PCI IDE is inserted). The default setting is PCI-AUTO. If PCI-AUTO does not work, then assign an individual PCI SLOT number. |
| Primary IDE INT# | Choose INTA#, INTB#, INTC#, or INTD#. The default setting is INTA#. |
| Secondary IDE INT# | Choose INTA#, INTB#, INTC#, or INTD#. The default setting is INTB#. |
3. After you have finished with the PCI Slot Configuration, press the <ESC> key and follow the screen instructions to save or disregard your settings.

Load Setup Defaults

This item loads the system values you have previously saved. Choose this item and the following message appears:

“Load SETUP Defaults (Y/N)? N”

To use the SETUP defaults, change the prompt to “Y” and press <Enter>. This item is recommended if you need to reset the system setup.

Note: The SETUP Defaults are optimized for the most stabilized performance.

Load BIOS Defaults

Choose this item and the following message appears:

“Load BIOS Defaults (Y/N)?N”

To use the BIOS defaults, change the prompt to “Y” and press <Enter>.

Note: BIOS DEFAULTS values are adjusted for high performance. If you run into any problems after loading BIOS DEFAULTS, please load the SETUP DEFAULTS for the stable performance.

Integrated Peripherals

The Integrated Peripherals option changes the values of the chipset registers. These registers control system options in the computer.

Note: Change these settings only if you are familiar with the Chipset.

Run the Integrated Peripherals as follows.

1. Choose “Integrated Peripherals” from the Main Menu and the following screen appears. (The screen below shows default settings:)

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<pre>OnChip IDE First Channel : Enabled OnChip IDE Second Channel: Enabled IDE Prefetch Mode : Enabled IDE HDD Block Mode : Enabled IDE Primary Master PIO : Auto IDE Primary Slave PIO : Auto IDE Secondary Master PIO: Auto IDE Secondary Slave PIO : Auto IDE Secondary Master UDMA: Auto IDE Secondary Slave UDMA: Auto Onboard FDC Controller : Enabled Onboard UART 1 : 3F8/IRQ4 Onboard UART 2 : 2F8/IRQ3 Onboard UART 2 Mode : Standard Onboard Parallel Port : 378/IRQ7 Parallel Port Mode : ECP+EPP ECP Mode Use DMA : 3 Parallel Port EPP Type : EPP1.9</pre>	<pre>ESC : Quit ↑ ↓ → ← : Select Item F1 : Help PU/PD/+/- : Modify F5 : Old Values (Shift)F2 : Color F6 : Load BIOS Defaults F7 : Load Setup Defaults</pre>
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2. Use the arrow keys to move between items and select values. Modify selected fields using the PgUp/PgDn/+/- keys.

A short description of screen items follows:

- On-chip IDE First Channel/** Enabled – Use the on-board IDE (default)
- On-chip IDE Second Channel** Disabled – Turn off the on-board IDE
- IDE Prefetch Mode** Use the default setting.
- IDE HDD Block Mode** Choose **Enabled** (default) or **Disabled**. Enabled invokes multi-sector transfer instead of one sector per transfer. Not all HDDs support this function.

IDE Primary Master PIO/ IDE Primary Slave PIO/ IDE Secondary Master PIO/ IDE Secondary Slave PIO	Choose Auto (default) or mode 0~4 . Mode 0 is the slowest speed, and HDD mode 4 is the fastest speed. For better performance and stability, we suggest you use the Auto setting to set the HDD control timing.
IDE Secondary Master UDMA IDE Secondary Slave UDMA	Choose Auto (default) or Disabled . When Auto is selected, it supports Ultra DMA Mode.
Onboard FDC Controller	Enabled – Use the on-board floppy controller (default). Disabled – Turn off the on-board floppy controller.
Onboard UART 1/ Onboard UART 2	Choose serial port 1 & 2's I/O address. Do not set port 1 & 2 to the same value except for Disabled. COM 1/3F8H COM3/3E8H COM 2/2F8H COM4/2E8H (default)
Onboard UART 2 Mode	Standard – (default) supports a serial infrared IrDA. HPSIR – supports HP serial infrared interface format ASKIR – supports a Sharp serial interface format.
IR Duplex Mode	Use the default setting (Half). This function shows up only when either HPSIR or ASKIR is chosen in the previous function (Onboard UART 2 Mode).
Onboard Parallel Port	Choose the printer I/O address: 378H/IRQ7 (default), 3BCH/IRQ7, 278H/IRQ5

Parallel Port Mode	Choose ECP + EPP (default), Normal or EPP , ECP mode. The mode depends on your external device that connects to this port.
ECP Mode Use DMA	Choose DMA3 (default) or DMA1 . This setting only works when the Onboard Printer Mode is set at the ECP mode.
Parallel Port EPP Type	Choose EPP specification Ver. 1.7 or 1.9 (default).

Supervisor Password

Based on the setting you made in the “Security Option” of the “BIOS FEATURES SETUP”, this Main Menu item lets you configure the system so that a password is required every time the system boots or an attempt is made to enter the Setup program. Change the password as follows:

1. Choose “SUPERVISOR PASSWORD” in the Main Menu and press <Enter>. The following message appears:

“Enter Password:”

2. Enter a password and press <Enter>. (If you do not wish to use the password function, you can just press <Enter> and a “Password disabled” message appears.)
3. After you enter your password, the following message appears prompting you to confirm the new password:

“Confirm Password:”

4. Re-enter your password and then Press <ESC> to exit to the Main Menu.

Important: *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.*

User Password

Based on the setting you made in the “Security Option” of the “BIOS FEATURES SETUP”, this Main Menu item lets you configure the system so that a password is required every time the system boots or an attempt is made to enter the Setup program. Change the password as follows:

1. Choose “USER PASSWORD” in the Main Menu and press <Enter>. The following message appears:

“Enter Password:”

2. Enter a password and press <Enter>. (If you do not wish to use the password function, you can just press <Enter> and a “Password disabled” message appears.)
3. After you enter your password, the following message appears prompting you to confirm the new password:

“Confirm Password:”

4. Re-enter your password and then Press <ESC> to exit to the Main Menu.
5. You are not allowed to change any setting in “CMOS SETUP UTILITY” except change user’s password.

Important: 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.

IDE HDD Auto Detection

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

Note: This function is only valid for IDE hard disks.

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HARD DISKS	TYPE	SIZE	CYLS	HEAD	PRECOMP	LANDZ	SECTOR	MODE
Primary Master	: None	0	0	0	0	0	0	----
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	----

Do you accept this drive C (Y/N)? N

ESC : Skip

Appendix

J100 Cyrix CPU Jumper

SY-5EA mainboard adds a new jumper (J100) for better performance with Cyrix CPUs. Follow the procedure below to use this jumper correctly:

1. Short J100 when you want to install a Cyrix CPU. Default setting is Open for non-Cyrix CPUs.
2. Press <Enter> to go to the BIOS Setup Menu when booting the computer;
3. Select “Chipset Features Setup”;
4. Choose “Enabled” in item “Linear Burst”, then do “SAVE & EXIT SETUP”.

Below figure shows you the jumper location on this mainboard.

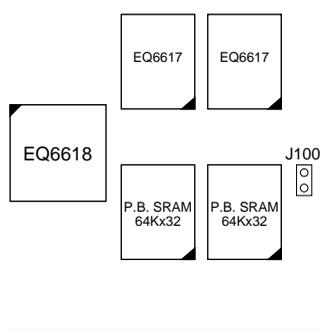


Figure A-1. Location of J100