

PT-5IH

(VER. 1.x)

SYSTEM BOARD

OPERATION MANUAL

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NOTE

The "LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS" function loads the default settings directly from BIOS default table, these default settings are the best-case values that should optimize system performance. This function will be necessary when you accept this system board, or the system CMOS data is corrupted.

By pressing "Enter" key, while "LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS" is highlighted, then presses "Y" and "Enter" key. the SETUP default values will be loaded. (Please refer to the Chapter 5 AWARD BIOS SETUP procedures in this manual.)

NOTICE

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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 SYSTEM OVERVIEW

The **PT-5IH** Pentium PCI Local Bus system board is designed based on the Intel 82430HX PCIset system chipset and Winbond (or SMC, UMC) I/O chipset, which built-in two channels PIO and Bus Master Enhanced PCI IDE port, one Floppy Disk control port, two high speed Serial ports (UARTs) and one multimode Parallel port and also supports IR and USB ports. It is designed to fit a high performance, Pentium 75 MHz to 200 MHz (ideally) based solution for high-end and true GREEN-PC computer systems.

This system board supports the Peripheral Component Interconnect (PCI) Local Bus standard (PCI Spec. Rev. 2.1 compliant). It not only breaks through the I/O bottlenecks of the traditional ISA main board, but also provides the performance needs for networking and multi-user environments.

1.2 FEATURES

The PT-5IH system board contains the following features:

- Pentium P54C/P54CT/P54CS/P55C, Cyrix 6x86 & AMD 5k86 based, PC/AT compatible system board with ISA Bus and PCI Local Bus.
- Supports the most part of "586" level CPUs designed by Intel, Cyrix and AMD.
- Built-in 2 sets voltage regulator circuit to support multi-spec. CPU I/O voltage (includes Standard, VR and VRE specification) and CPU CORE voltage (+2.5V DC and +2.8V DC).
- DRAM Memory : Supports both fast page mode (FPM) and Extended Data Out (EDO). Supports memory Parity or ECC (optional)
- Cache Memory : Supports pipelined burst SRAMs. Cacheability main memory size up to 512MB.
- BIOS : Supports Plug and Play BIOS.
- IDE ports : Supports two channels PIO and Bus Master Enhanced PCI IDE port, up to Mode 4 timing, and up to 22 MBytes/s transfer rates.
- I/O ports : Supports two high speed serial ports (UARTs), One multimode parallel port for standard (SPP), enhanced (EPP) and high speed (ECP) modes. One Floppy Disk Control port.
- IR Port (option) : Supports IR (Infrared Rays) functions. Both HPSIR and ASKIR are supported.
- USB Ports : Supports two Universal Serial Bus (USB) ports. (in the future)
- Software compatibility : MS-DOS, WindowsNT, OS2, XENIX, UNIX, NOVELL, CAD/CAM, Windows, Windows 95....etc.

2. SPECIFICATIONS

- CPU**
Intel : Pentium processor and OverDrive processor (P54C/P54CS/P54CT/P55C/P55CT)
75/90/100/120/133/150/166 MHz and 180/200 MHz. (ideally)
Cyrix : 6x86-P120+(100MHz) / P133+(110MHz) / P150+(120MHz) / P166+(133MHz).
AMD : 5k86-P75(SSA/5-66)/ P75(SSA/5-75)/ P90(SSA/5-83)/ P90(SSA/5-90)/ P100(SSA/5-100)
- CPU VCC**
(1). CPU I/O voltage : Supports Standard, VR and VRE specification.
(2). CPU CORE voltage : Supports "equal to CPU I/O voltage", "+2.5V " and "+2.8V" DC
- WORD SIZE**
Data Path : 8-bit, 16-bit, 32-bit, 64-bit
- PC System Chipset**
Intel 82430HX PCIset (82439HX, 82371SB)
- I/O Chipset**
Winbond W83877F (or SMC FDC37C669 or UMC UM8669F).
- System Clock**
50/55/60/66.6 MHz adjustable.
- Memory**
DRAM : Two banks, each bank could be single or double sided, 8MB up to 256 MB.
Supports both fast page mode (FPM) and Extended Data Out (EDO) memory
(Using 72-pin SIMM module). 8 Qword deep merging DRAM write buffer.
Optional Parity or ECC (Error Checking and Correction).
SRAM : Two banks, 256/512KB Direct-Mapped write back cache memory, supports on-
board 256KB or 512KB pipelined burst SRAM. One SRAM Module Slot for
upgrading to 512KB. Cacheability main memory size up to 512 MB.
- BIOS**
AWARD or AMI System BIOS. 128KBx8, Flash ROM. (Plug & Play BIOS)
- Expansion Slots**
PCI Slots : 32-bit x 4 (All Master/Slave, PCI Spec. Rev. 2.1 Compliant)
ISA Slots : 16-bit x 3
- IDE Ports**
Two channels PIO and Bus Master PCI IDE port, maximum could be connected 4 IDE Hard
Disk and ATAPI CD-ROM device.

- Super I/O Ports**
 1. Two high speed NS16C550 compatible serial ports (UARTs).
 2. One parallel port, supports SPP/EPP/ECP mode.
 3. One Floppy Disk Control port.

- IR Port** (option)

One HPSIR and ASKIR compatible IR transmission connector (5-pin).

- Mouse and Keyboard**

Supports PS/2 mouse connector, PS/2 keyboard connector (option) and AT keyboard connector.

- USB Ports** (in the future)

Two Universal Serial Bus (USB) ports.

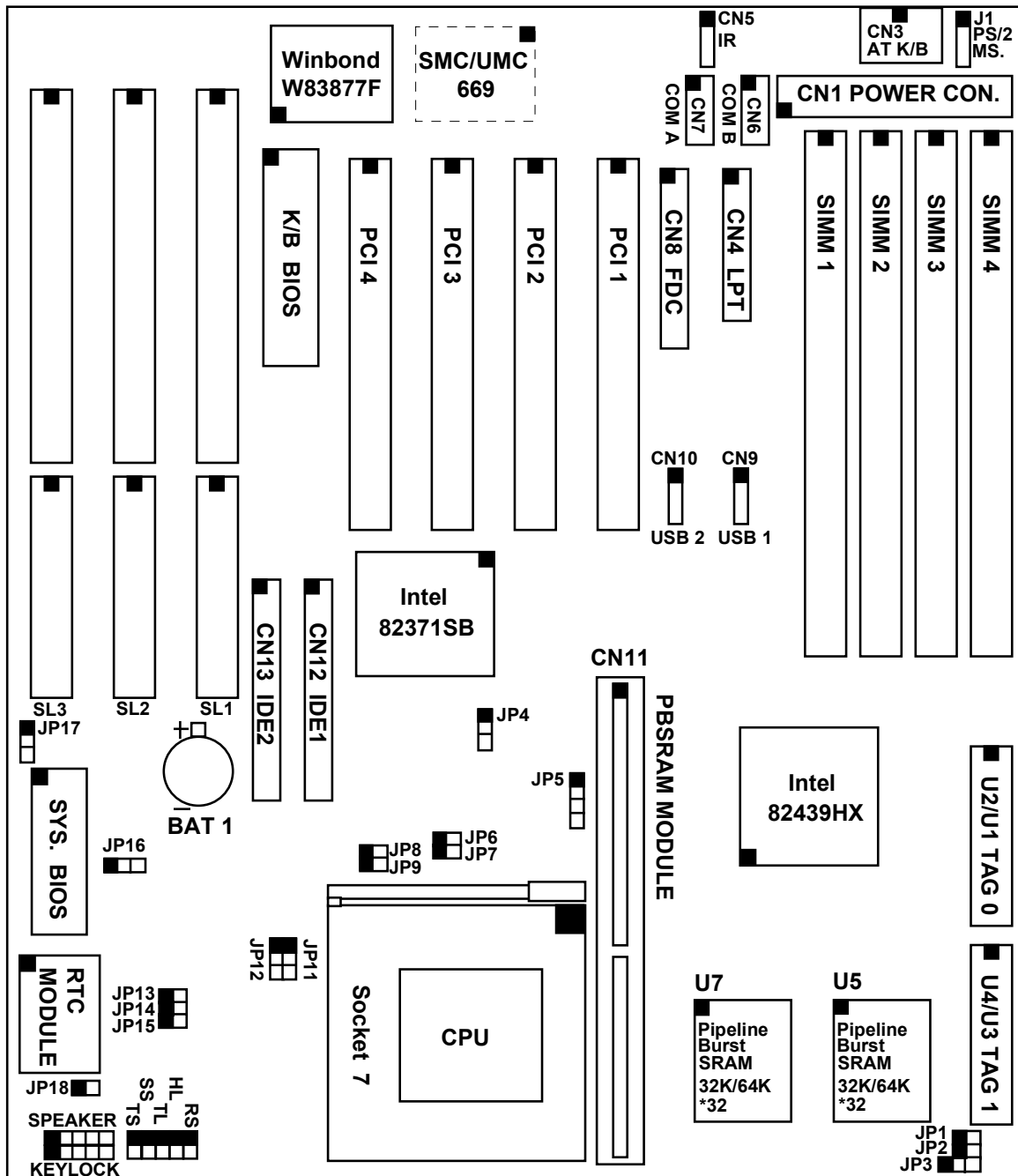
- DIMENSION**
 - Width & Length** : 220 mm x 270 mm.
 - Height** : 3/4 inches with components mounted, but without expansion boards and cables.
 - PCB Thickness** : 4 layers, 0.05 inches normal.
 - Weight** : 20.5 ounces.

- ENVIRONMENT**
 - Operating Temperature** : 10°C to 40°C. (50°F to 104°F)
 - Required Airflow** : 50 linear feet per minute across 80486 CPU.
 - Storage Temperature** : - 40°C to 70°C. (- 40°F to 158°F)
 - Humidity** : 0 to 90% noncondensing.
 - Altitude** : 0 to 10,000 feet.

3. SYSTEM BOARD LAYOUT

3.1 PT-5IH Ver. 1.x

Explanation : All connectors, jumpers and components which marks by a black point on the corner means the pin-1 side of the connector, jumper and component.



4. HARDWARE SETUP

4.1 UNPACKING

The system board package should contain the following parts :

- The PT-5IH system board.
- OPERATION MANUAL.
- Cable set for IDE and I/O device.

4.2 HARDWARE CONFIGURATION

Before the system board is ready to operate, the hardware must be configured to allow for various functions within the system. To configure the PT-5IH system board is a simple task, only a few jumpers, connectors, cables and sockets needs to be selected and installed. For the detailed locations of each component please refer to the system board layout figure which appears in page 3-1.

4.2.1 DRAM INSTALLATION

The PT-5IH system board will support two banks main memory (bank0 and bank 1) on board, (using four 72-Pin SIMM socket, SIMM 1 - 4), each bank could be single or double sided. With the use of 1MBx36(32)-S, 2MBx36(32)-D, 4MBx36(32)-S or 8MBx36(32)-D and 16MBx36(32)-S SIMM modules, 8MB up to 256 MB of local memory can be attained. Both standard fast page mode (FPM) and Extended Data Out (EDO) memory are supported, but they cannot be mixed within the same memory bank. The speed of FPM DRAMs must be used 70ns or faster than 70ns and the speed of EDO DRAMs must be used 60ns or faster than 60ns.

(Note : *S* = Single sided , *D* = Double sided)

There is no jumper needed for DRAM configuration, DRAMs' type and size will be detected by system BIOS automatically.

In DRAM memory subsystem, ECC and Parity can be checked on the DRAM interface (selected by BIOS via CMOS setup, please refer to Chapter 5). The default status is parity selected. The DRAM SIMMs must be populated with 72-bit wide memory (with parity bit) to implement ECC or Parity functions.

ECC is an optional data integrity feature provided by the system. This feature provides single-error correction, double-error detection, and detection of all errors confined to single nibble for DRAM memory subsystem.

The following table provides all possible DRAM memory combination.

Total Size	Bank 0	Bank 1
	SIMM1, SIMM2	SIMM3, SIMM4
8 MB	1MBx36(32)-S	Empty
16 MB	1MBx36(32)-S	1MBx36(32)-S
24 MB	1MBx36(32)-S	2MBx36(32)-D
40 MB	1MBx36(32)-S	4MBx36(32)-S
72 MB	1MBx36(32)-S	8MBx36(32)-D
136 MB	1MBx36(32)-S	16MBx36(32)-S
16 MB	2MBx36(32)-D	Empty
24 MB	2MBx36(32)-D	1MBx36(32)-S
32 MB	2MBx36(32)-D	2MBx36(32)-D
48 MB	2MBx36(32)-D	4MBx36(32)-S
80 MB	2MBx36(32)-D	8MBx36(32)-D
144 MB	2MBx36(32)-D	16MBx36(32)-S
32 MB	4MBx36(32)-S	Empty
40 MB	4MBx36(32)-S	1MBx36(32)-S
48 MB	4MBx36(32)-S	2MBx36(32)-D
64 MB	4MBx36(32)-S	4MBx36(32)-S
96 MB	4MBx36(32)-S	8MBx36(32)-D
160 MB	4MBx36(32)-S	16MBx36(32)-S

Total Size	Bank 0	Bank 1
	SIMM1, SIMM2	SIMM3, SIMM4
64 MB	8MBx36(32)-D	Empty
72 MB	8MBx36(32)-D	1MBx36(32)-S
80 MB	8MBx36(32)-D	2MBx36(32)-D
96 MB	8MBx36(32)-D	4MBx36(32)-S
128 MB	8MBx36(32)-D	8MBx36(32)-D
192 MB	8MBx36(32)-D	16MBx36(32)-S
128 MB	16MBx36(32)-S	Empty
136 MB	16MBx36(32)-S	1MBx36(32)-S
144 MB	16MBx36(32)-S	2MBx36(32)-D
160 MB	16MBx36(32)-S	4MBx36(32)-S
192 MB	16MBx36(32)-S	8MBx36(32)-D
256 MB	16MBx36(32)-S	16MBx36(32)-S

(Note : S = Single sided , D = Double sided)

4.2.2 L2 CACHE MEMORY INSTALLATION

The PT-5IH system board will support one or two bank(s) direct-mapped second level cache and provides either 256KB or 512KB cache memory using synchronous pipeline-burst SRAMs. *(Note that this system board does not support asynchronous or burst SRAMs for the cache memory)* Both Write Back and Write Through cache update policy are supported.

If the on-board cache memory size is 256KB, a COAST (Cache-On-A-STick) module (256KB) will be use for upgrade the cache memory size from 256KB to 512KB. There is no jumper needed for end-user while upgrade cache memory size, just insert the COAST module into the SRAM module slot (CN11), then the cache memory size will be detected by system BIOS automatically.

Note : The COAST modules design must comply with Intel COAST (Cache-On-A-STick) module specification revision 2.0 or later.

The following table lists the detailed combination about cache memory installation.

Cache Size	Data SRAMs U5 ,U7	Tag SRAMs		COAST SRAM module (CN11)
		U2 (or U1)	U4 (or U3) (optional)	
256 KB	32KB x 32	8KB or 16KB or 32KB x 8	8KB or 16KB or 32KB x 8	Empty
512 KB	32KB x 32	8KB or 16KB or 32KB x 8	8KB or 16KB or 32KB x 8	256 KB
512 KB	64KB x 32	16KB or 32KB x 8	16KB or 32KB x 8	Empty

This system board supports the memory space cacheability limit for the second level cache is 64MB of main memory base, and also supports an optional extended memory space cacheability limit of 512MB, but for this feature an additional Tag SRAM (TAG1, U4 or U3) is needed. *(Note that the specification of the additional Tag SRAM must same as TAG 0)*. Insert a SRAM into TAG1, then execute the CMOS setup procedure change the "L2 Cache Cacheable Size" item (in the CHIPSET FEATURE SETUP) from 64MB to 512 MB. (Please refer to Chapter 5)

The following table shows the sizes and quantities of Tag SRAM needed to support different memory sizes of cacheability.

Cache Size	TAG Size		Memory size of Cacheability
	TAG 0 (U2 or U1)	TAG 1 (U4 or U3)	
256 KB	8KB or 16KB or 32KB x 8	Empty	64 MB
256 KB	8KB or 16KB or 32KB x 8	8KB or 16KB or 32KB x 8	512 MB
512 KB	16KB or 32KB x 8	Empty	64 MB
512 KB	16KB or 32KB x 8	16KB or 32KB x 8	512 MB

4.2.3 CONNECTORS

A connector is two or more pins that are used make connections to the system standard accessories (such as power, mouse, printer,...etc.) The following is a list of connectors on board, as well as descriptions of each individual connector.

(A) BAT1 Non-Rechargeable battery (Using 3 Vlots Lithium battery : CR2032)

<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Battery Positive
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ground

(B) CN1 Power connector

<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
1	Power Good	5	Ground	9	-5V DC
2	+5V DC	6	Ground	10	+5V DC
3	+12V DC	7	Ground	11	+5V DC
4	-12V DC	8	Ground	12	+5V DC

(C) CN2 PS/2 Keyboard connector (option)

<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
1	Keyboard Data	3	Ground	5	Keyboard Clock
2	No Connection	4	+5V DC	6	No Connection

(D) CN3 AT Keyboard connector

<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
1	Keyboard Clock	3	No Connection	5	+5V DC
2	Keyboard Data	4	Ground		

(E) CN4 Parallel Port connector

(Supports SPP/EPP/ECP mode, selected by BIOS setup,using IRQ7 or IRQ5, ECP using DMA channel 3 or 1)

<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
1	STROBE-	14	AUTO FEED-
2	Data Bit 0	15	ERROR-
3	Data Bit 1	16	INIT-
4	Data Bit 2	17	SLCT IN-
5	Data Bit 3	18	Ground
6	Data Bit 4	19	Ground
7	Data Bit 5	20	Ground
8	Data Bit 6	21	Ground
9	Data Bit 7	22	Ground
10	ACK-	23	Ground
11	BUSY	24	Ground
12	PE	25	Ground
13	SLCT	26	N.C. (No Connection)

(F) CN5 IR (Infrared Rays) transmission connector

<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
1	+5V DC	3	IR Receive	5	IR Transmit
2	No Connection	4	Ground		

(G) CN6 COM B (Serial Port 2) connector

COM1/2/3/4, selected by BIOS setup, using IRQ3 or 4

<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
1	DCD (Data Carrier Detect)	2	RD (Received Data)
3	TD (Transmit Data)	4	DTR (Data Terminal Ready)
5	Ground	6	DSR (Data Set Ready)
7	RTS (Request To Send)	8	CTS (Clear To Send)
9	RI (Ring Indicator)	10	NC (No Connection)

(H) CN7 COM A (Serial Port 1) connector

COM1/2/3/4, selected by BIOS setup, using IRQ4 or 3

<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
1	DCD (Data Carrier Detect)	2	RD (Received Data)
3	TD (Transmit Data)	4	DTR (Data Terminal Ready)
5	Ground	6	DSR (Data Set Ready)
7	RTS (Request To Send)	8	CTS (Clear To Send)
9	RI (Ring Indicator)	10	NC (No Connection)

(I) CN8 Floppy Disk Control Port connector (Using IRQ6, DMA channel 2)

(J) CN9 USB (Universal Serial Bus) port1 connector

(K) CN10 USB (Universal Serial Bus) port2 connector

(L) CN11 Pipeline-burst SRAM (COAST) module slot

(M) CN12 IDE 1 connector (Primary IDE Port, using IRQ14)

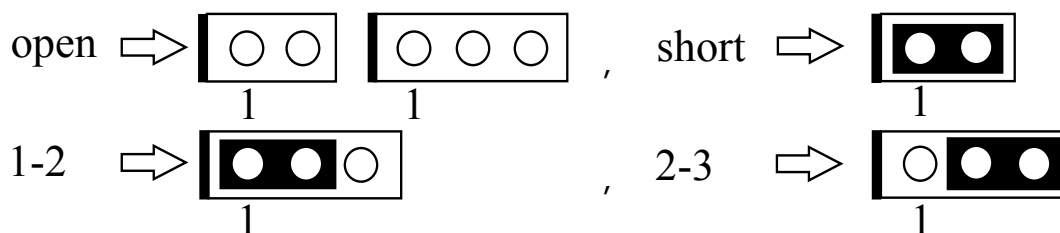
(N) CN13 IDE 2 connector (Secondary IDE Port, using IRQ0)

(O) J1 PS/2 Mouse converted connector

<u>Pin #</u>	<u>Assignment</u>
1	Mouse Data
2	No Connection
3	Ground
4	+5V DC
5	Mouse Clock

- (P) RS Reset Button connector
- | <u>Pin #</u> | <u>Assignment</u> | <u>Pin1&2</u> | <u>Function</u> |
|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| 1 | Reset Control | Open | No action |
| 2 | Ground | Short | Reset |
- (Q) HL IDE HDD LED connector
- | <u>Pin #</u> | <u>Assignment</u> |
|--------------|-------------------|
| 1 | Pullup (+5V DC) |
| 2 | Signal Pin |
- (R) SS External SMI button connector
- | <u>Pin #</u> | <u>Assignment</u> | <u>Pin1&2</u> | <u>Function</u> |
|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 | SMI Control | Open | For normal operation |
| 2 | Ground | Short | To get into Suspend mode |
- (S) TL Turbo LED connector
- | <u>Pin #</u> | <u>Assignment</u> |
|--------------|-------------------|
| 1 | Pullup (+5V DC) |
| 2 | Signal Pin |
- (T) TS Turbo Switch connector (This function is reserved)
- | <u>Pin #</u> | <u>Assignment</u> | <u>Pin1&2</u> | <u>Function</u> |
|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| 1 | Turbo Control | Open | Turbo |
| 2 | Ground | Short | Normal |
- (U) SPEAKER Speaker connector
- | <u>Pin #</u> | <u>Assignment</u> | <u>Pin #</u> | <u>Assignmen</u> |
|--------------|-------------------|--------------|---------------------|
| 1 | +5V DC | 4 | Speaker Data Signal |
| 2 | No Connection | 5 | No Connection |
| 3 | No Connection | | |
- (V) KEY LOCK Front Panal Power LED & Key-Lock connector
- | <u>Pin #</u> | <u>Assignment</u> | <u>Pin #</u> | <u>Assignmen</u> |
|--------------|-------------------|--------------|------------------|
| 1 | Pullup (+5V DC) | 4 | Keyboard Lock |
| 2 | No Connection | 5 | Ground |
| 3 | Ground | | |

Explanation : (For next section : JUMPERS)



4.2.4 JUMPERS

A jumper is two, three or more pins which may or may not be covered by a plastic connector plug (mini-jumper). A jumper is used to select different system options. ***Please make sure all jumpers at correct position before this system board used.***

(A) JP6-JP9 CPU type selection

(1) INTEL Pentium / Pentium-MMX CPUs

CPU Type	JP6	JP7	JP8	JP9	Remark
80502-75	short	short	open	open	
80502-90	open	short	open	open	
80502-100	short	open	open	open	
80502-120	open	short	short	open	
80502-133	short	open	short	open	
80502-150	open	short	short	short	
80502-166 / 80503-166	short	open	short	short	
80502-180	open	short	open	short	
80502-200 / 80503-200	short	open	open	short	
80503-233	short	open	open	open	

(2) Cyrix 6x86 / 6x86L CPUs

CPU Type	JP6	JP7	JP8	JP9	Remark
6x86 / 6x86L -P120+	short	short	short	open	
6x86 / 6x86L -P133+	open	open	short	open	
6x86 / 6x86L -P150+	open	short	short	open	
6x86 / 6x86L -P166+	short	open	short	open	

(3) AMD K5 CPUs

CPU Type	JP6	JP7	JP8	JP9	Remark
AMD-K5-PR75	short	short	open	open	
AMD-K5-PR90	open	short	open	open	
AMD-K5-PR100	short	open	open	open	
AMD-K5-PR120	open	short	open	open	
AMD-K5-PR133	short	open	open	open	
AMD-K5-PR150	open	short	short	short	
AMD-K5-PR166	short	open	short	short	

(B) JP11-JP16, JP19 CPU operating voltage selection

Note : (1). For the detailed CPU-VCC requirement, please inquire of your CPU supplier.
 (2). In PT-5IH VER.. 1.2 & VER. 1.3 , the JP19 is inexistent, you could skip it.

CPU VCC		JP11	JP12	JP13	JP14	JP15	JP16	JP19	Remark
I/O voltage	CORE voltage								
+ 3.3 V	+ 3.3 V	2-3	2-3	short	open	open	x	2-3	*
+ 3.4 V	+ 3.4 V	2-3	2-3	open	short	open	x	2-3	
+ 3.5 V	+ 3.5 V	2-3	2-3	open	open	short	x	2-3	
+ 3.3 V	+ 2.5 V	1-2	1-2	short	open	open	1-2	1-2	**
+ 3.4 V	+ 2.5 V	1-2	1-2	open	short	open	1-2	1-2	
+ 3.5 V	+ 2.5 V	1-2	1-2	open	open	short	1-2	1-2	
+ 3.3 V	+ 2.8 V	1-2	1-2	short	open	open	2-3	1-2	***
+ 3.4 V	+ 2.8 V	1-2	1-2	open	short	open	2-3	1-2	
+ 3.5 V	+ 2.8 V	1-2	1-2	open	open	short	2-3	1-2	

Remark :

x : Don't care

* : For the single-VCC required CPUs. (e.g. Intel P54C, Cyrix 6x86, AMD-SSA/5-xxAB?, AMD-SSA/5-xxAC?, AMD-SSA/5-xxAF? ... etc.)

** : For a part of the dual-VCC required CPUs.
 (e.g. Intel P55C-166, Cyrix M2, AMD-SSA/5-xxAK? ... etc.)

*** : For a part of the dual-VCC required CPUs.
 (e.g. Intel P55C-200, Cyrix M2, AMD-SSA/5-xxAH?, AMD-SSA/5-xxAJ? ... etc.)

(C) JP17 ROM BIOS Selection

Pin #	Function
1-2	For +5V FLASH ROM, EPROM
2-3	For +12V FLASH ROM

(D) JP18 Clear CMOS button

Pin #	Function
open	Normal operation
short	Clear CMOS (Note : Don't forget to open this jumper after 2-3 seconds)

Note : Depends on different brand-name of RTC IC (U27 or U28), there are two times to clear CMOS, the following is a list for reference :

(1) while power-on : BENCHMARQ / bq3287AMT, SGS / M48T86,

(2) while power-off : VIA / VT82885N, ODIN / OEC12C885 / OEC12C887A,
 DALLAS / DS12887A.

(E) JP1-JP5 (Reserved)

5. AWARD BIOS SETUP

5.1 GETTING STARTED

When the system is first powered on or reset, the BIOS will enter the Power-On Self Test routines (POST : Display a copyright message on the screen followed by a diagnostics and initialization procedure.) (If an EGA or VGA card is installed, the copyright message of the video card maybe displayed on the screen first.) The BIOS will indicate any error or malfunction by a series of beeps or display the error message on screen.

Normally, the simulate figure 5-1 will display on the screen when the system is powered on.

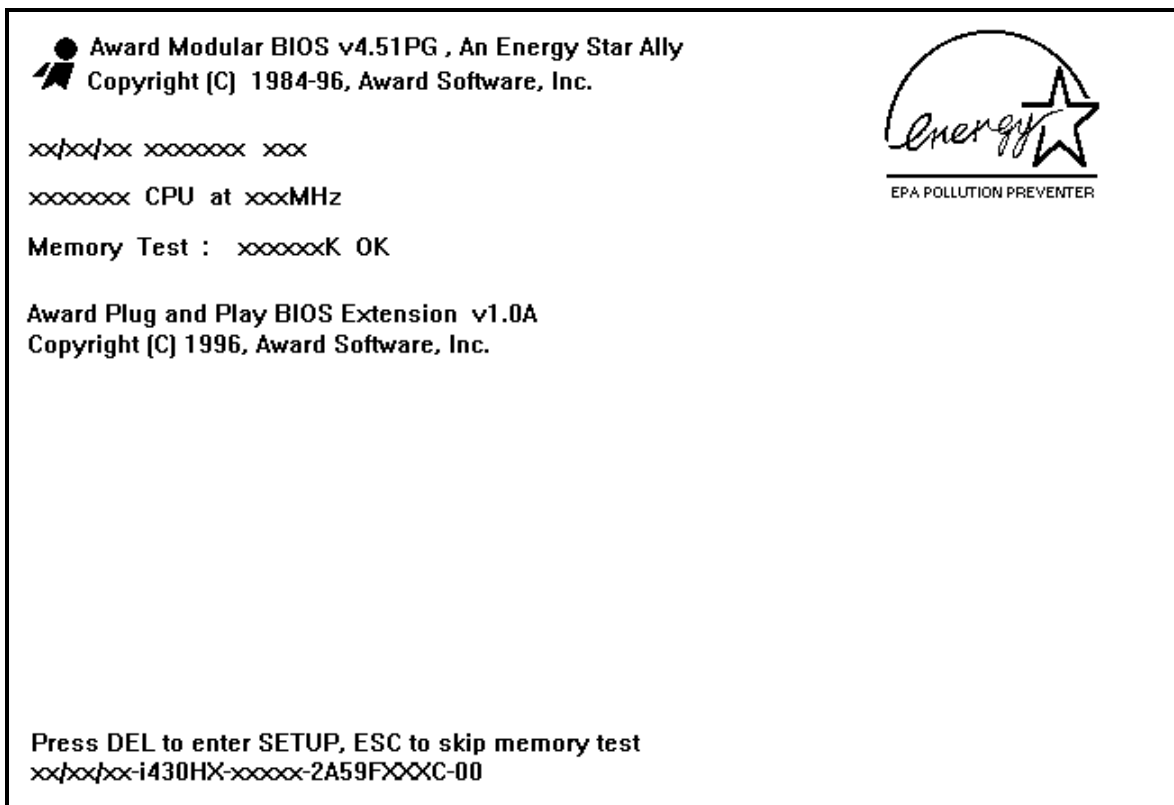


Fig. 5-1 Initial Power-On screen.

After the POST routines are completed, the following message appears :

" Press **DEL** to enter SETUP "

To execute the Award BIOS Setup program, press **DEL** key. The simulate screen in figure 5-2 MAIN MENU will be displayed at this time.

5.2 MAIN MENU

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS (2A59FXXX)
CMOS SETUP UTILITY
AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.

STANDARD CMOS SETUP	SUPERVISOR PASSWORD
BIOS FEATURES SETUP	USER PASSWORD
CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP	IDE HDD AUTO DETECTION
POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP	HDD LOW LEVEL FORMAT
PNP/PCI CONFIGURATION	SAVE & EXIT SETUP
INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS	EXIT WITHOUT SAVING
LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS	
ESC : Quit	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> : Select Item
F10 : Save & Exit Setup	(Shift)F2 : Change Color
Time, Date, Hard Disk Type ...	

Fig. 5-2 CMOS SETUP MAIN MENU screen.

5.3 CONTROL KEYS

Listed below is an explanation of the keys displayed at the bottom of the screens accessed through the BIOS SETUP program :

- Arrow Keys** : Use the arrow keys to move the cursor to the desired item.
- Enter** : To Select the desired item.
- F1** : Display the help screen for the selected feature.
- (Shift)F2** : To change the screen color, total 16 colors.
- ESC** : Exit to the previous screen.
- PgUp(-)/PgDn(+)** : To modify the default value of the options for the highlighted feature.
- F5** : Retrieves the previous CMOS values from CMOS, only for the current option page setup menu.
- F6** : Loads the BIOS default values from BIOS default table, only for the current option page setup menu.
- F7** : Loads the SETUP default values from BIOS default table, only for the current option page setup menu.
- F10** : Save all changes made to CMOS RAM, only for the MAIN MENU.

The following pages will show the simulate screens of CMOS SETUP, each figure contains the setup items and the default settings of them. Below each figure may or may not be contained a lists of function description for commonly used settings. For the other settings' function description you needed, connet to us please.

5.4 STANDARD CMOS SETUP

ROM PCI / ISA BIOS (2A59FXXX)
STANDARD CMOS SETUP
AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.

Date (mm : dd : yy) : Thu, May 11 1996								
Time (hh : mm : ss) : 9 : 53 : 54								
HARD DISKS	TYPE	SIZE	CYLS	HEAD	PRECOMP	LANDZ	SECTOR	MODE
Primary Master	Auto	0	0	0	0	0	0	Auto
Primary Slave	Auto	0	0	0	0	0	0	Auto
Secondary Master	Auto	0	0	0	0	0	0	Auto
Secondary Slave	Auto	0	0	0	0	0	0	Auto
Drive A : 1.44M, 3.5 in.				Base Memory : 640 K				
Drive B : None								
Video : EGA/VGA				Extended Memory : xxxxxx K				
Halt On : All Errors				Other Memory : xxxxxx K				
				Total Memory : xxxxxx K				
ESC : Quit			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> : Select Item			PU/PD/+/- : Modify		
F1 : Help			(Shift)F2 : Change Color					

Fig. 5-3 STANDARD CMOS SETUP screen.

MODE :

For IDE hard disks, this BIOS provides three modes to support both normal size IDE hard disks and also disks size larger the 528MB:

NORMAL : For IDE hard disks size smaller then 528MB.

LBA : For IDE hard disks size larger then 528MB and up to 8.4GB (Giga Bytes) that use Logic Block Addressing (LBA) mode.

Large : For IDE hard disks size larger then 528MB that do not use LBA mode. Large mode is a new specifition which may not be fully supported by all operation systems. Now it can only be used with the MS-DOS and is uncommon.

Note : Some OSes (like SCO-UNIX) must use "NORMAL" for installation.

5.5 BIOS FEATURES SETUP

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS (2A59FXXX)
 BIOS FEATURES SETUP
 AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.

Virus Warning	: Disabled	Video BIOS Shadow	: Enabled
CPU Internal Cache	: Enabled	C8000-CBFFF Shadow	: Disabled
External Cache	: Enabled	CC000-CFFFF Shadow	: Disabled
Quick Power On Self Test	: Enabled	D0000-D3FFF Shadow	: Disabled
Boot Sequence	: A, C	D4000-D7FFF Shadow	: Disabled
Swap Floppy Drive	: Disabled	D8000-DBFFF Shadow	: Disabled
Boot Up Floppy Seek	: Enabled	DC000-DFFFF Shadow	: Disabled
Boot Up NumLock Status	: On		
Boot Up System Speed	: High		
Gate A20 Option	: Fast		
Typematic Rate Setting	: Disabled		
Typematic Rate (Chars/Sec)	: 6		
Typematic Delay (Msec)	: 250		
Security Option	: Setup	ESC : Quit	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> : Select Item
PCI/VGA Palette Snoop	: Disabled	F1 : Help	PU/PD/+/- : Modify
OS Select For DRAM > 64MB	: Non-OS2	F5 : Old Values	(Shift)F2 : Color
		F6 : Load BIOS Default	
		F7 : Load Setup Default	

Fig. 5-4 BIOS FEATURES SETUP screen.

Virus Warning :

This feature flashes on the screen. During and after the system boots up, any attempt to write to the boot sector or partition table of the hard disk drive will halt the system and an error message will appear, in the mean time, you can run anti-virus program to locate the problem. Default values is "Disabled"

Enabled : Activate automatically when the system boots up causing a warning message to appear when anything attempts to access the boot sector or hard disk partition table.

Disabled : No warning message to appear when anything attempts to access the boot sector or hard disk partition table.

CPU Internal Cache :

This option enables CPU's internal (L1) cache memory. If you want to use the internal (L1) cache memory and external (L2) cache memory, this option must be enabled.

External Cache :

This option enables L2 (secondary) external cache memory. If none external cache memory on board you must set this option to "disabled", otherwise, you can select enabled or disabled.

5.6 CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS (2A59FXXX)
 CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP
 AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.

Auto Configuration	: Enabled	DRAM ECC/PARITY Select	: Parity
DRAM Timing	: 70 ns	Memory Parity/ECC Check	: Disable
DRAM RAS# Precharge Time	: 4	Single Bit Error Report	: Enabled
DRAM R/W Leadoff Timing	: 7/6	L2 Cache Cacheable Size	: 64MB
DRAM RAS to CAS Delay	: 3	Pipeline Cache Timing	: Faster
DRAM Read Burst (EDO/FPM)	: x333/x444		
DRAM Write Burst Timing	: x333		
Turbo Read Leadoff	: Disabled		
DRAM Speculative Leadoff	: Disabled		
Turn-Around Insertion	: Disabled		
ISA Clock	: PCICLK/4		
System BIOS Cacheable	: Disabled		
Video BIOS Cacheable	: Disabled		
8 Bit I/O Recovery Time	: 1		
16 Bit I/O Recovery Time	: 1	ESC : Quit	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> : Select Item
Memory Hole At 15M-16M	: Disabled	F1 : Help	PU/PD/+/- : Modify
Peer Concurrency	: Enabled	F5 : Old Values (Shift)	F2 : Color
		F6 : Load BIOS Default	
		F7 : Load Setup Default	

Fig. 5-5 CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP screen.

WARNING : *The CHIPSET FEATURES SETUP in this screen are provided so that technical professionals can modify the Chipset to suit their requirement. If you are not a technical engineer, do not use this program !*

Auto Configuration :

When "Enabled", this parameter automatically enters and locks some of the optimum values for the chipset and CPU. Otherwise, this parameter allows the values of these parameters could be changed.

DRAM Timing :

When "Auto Configuration" is "Enabled", this parameter provides two suit of the optimum values for the chipset and CPU, depends on the DRAMs' speed, you can select "70 ns" or "60 ns", but the first value maybe caused your system more stable.

DRAM ECC/PARITY Select / Memory Parity/ECC Check / Single Bit Error Report :

Please refer to page 4-1 for the rough description.

L2 Cache Cacheable Size :

Please refer to page 4-3 for the detailed description.

5.7 POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS (2A59FXXX)
POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP
AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.

Power Management	: User Define	** Power Down & Resume Events **	
PM Control by APM	: Yes	IRQ 3 (COM 2)	: ON
Video Off Method	: Blank Screen	IRQ 4 (COM 1)	: ON
MODEM Use IRQ	: 3	IRQ 5 (LPT 2)	: ON
		IRQ 6 (Floppy Disk)	: ON
Doze Mode	: 20 Min	IRQ 7 (LPT 1)	: ON
Standby Mode	: 20 Min	IRQ 8 (RTC Alarm)	: OFF
Suspend Mode	: 20 Min	IRQ 9 (IRQ2 Redir)	: ON
HDD Power Down	: Disable	IRQ 10 (Reserved)	: ON
		IRQ 11 (Reserved)	: ON
** Wake Up Events In Doze & Standby **		IRQ 12 (PS/2 Mouse)	: ON
IRQ3 (Wake-Up Event)	: ON	IRQ 13 (Coprocessor)	: ON
IRQ4 (Wake-Up Event)	: ON	IRQ 14 (Hard Disk)	: ON
IRQ8 (Wake-Up Event)	: OFF	IRQ 15 (Reserved)	: OFF
IRQ12 (Wake-Up Event)	: ON		
		ESC : Quit	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> : Select Item
		F1 : Help	PU/PD/+/- : Modify
		F5 : Old Values	(Shift)F2 : Color
		F6 : Load BIOS Default	
		F7 : Load Setup Default	

Fig. 5-6 POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP screen.

WARNING : *The POWER MANAGEMENT SETUP in this screen are provided so that technical professionals can modify the Chipset to suit their requirement. If you are not a technical engineer, do not use this program !*

Power Management :

This setting controls the Power Management functions. "User Define" allows the values of all parameters could be modified. "Min Saving" and "Max Saving" fixed the values of four parameters, including "Doze Mode", "Standby Mode", "Suspend Mode" and "HDD Power Down".

"Disable" disabled all Power Management functions. Default is "User Define".

5.8 PNP/PCI CONFIGURATION

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS (2A59FXXX)
PNP/PCI CONFIGURATION
AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.

Resources Controlled By : Auto	PCI IRQ Actived By : Level
Reset Configuration Data : Disabled	PCI IDE IRQ Map To : PCI-AUTO
<i>IRQ-3 assigned to : Legacy ISA</i>	Primary IDE INT# : A
<i>IRQ-4 assigned to : Legacy ISA</i>	Secondary IDE INT# : B
<i>IRQ-5 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP</i>	
<i>IRQ-7 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP</i>	
<i>IRQ-9 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP</i>	
<i>IRQ-10 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP</i>	
<i>IRQ-11 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP</i>	
<i>IRQ-12 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP</i>	
<i>IRQ-14 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP</i>	
<i>IRQ-15 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP</i>	
<i>DMA-0 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP</i>	
<i>DMA-1 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP</i>	
<i>DMA-3 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP</i>	ESC : Quit <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> : Select Item
<i>DMA-5 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP</i>	F1 : Help PU/PD/+/- : Modify
<i>DMA-6 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP</i>	F5 : Old Values (Shift)F2 : Color
<i>DMA-7 assigned to : PCI/ISA PnP</i>	F6 : Load BIOS Default
	F7 : Load Setup Default

Fig. 5-7 PNP/PCI CONFIGURATION setup screen.

WARNING : *The PNP/PCI CONFIGURATION in this screen are provided so that technical professionals can modify the Resources Configuration to suit their requirement. If you are not a technical engineer, do not use this program !*

Resources Controlled by :

Manual : The system BIOS will not reference the ESCD for IRQ & DMA informations. Instead, it will reference the items in this setup menu for assigning IRQ & DMA, but for I/O and Memory space the system BIOS still refer to the ESCD.

Atuo : The system BIOS will reference the ESCD all legacy informations.

Reset Configuration Data :

Disabled : The system BIOS will do nothing.

Enabled : The system BIOS will clear/reset the ESCD during "POST". After clearing the ESCD, the system BIOS will then change this item's value back to "Disable", otherwise, the ESCD will become useless.

IRQ# / DMA# assigned to :

Legacy : The system BIOS will skip never assign this specified IRQ/DMA resource to PCI or ISA ISA PnP devices.

PCI/ISA : All items set to this value will make the specified IRQ/DMA have a chance to be PnP assigned to PCI or ISA PnP devices.

PCI IRQ Activated By :

This option tells the system board chipset the IRQ signals input is Level or Edge trigger.

PCI IDE IRQ Map To : (for off-board PCI IDE cards)

PCI-AUTO : The BIOS will scan for PCI IDE devices and determine the location of the PCI IDE device, then assign IRQ 14 for primary IDE INT#, and assign IRQ 15 for secondary IDE INT#.

PCI-SLOT1 : For the specified slot, the BIOS will assign IRQ 14 for primary IDE INT#, and assign to IRQ 15 for secondary IDE INT#.

PCI-SLOT4

ISA : The BIOS will not assign any IRQs even if PCI IDE card is found. Because some IDE cards connect the IRQ 14 and 15 directly from ISA slot thru a card. (This card is called Legacy Header)

Note : No matter the item "Resources Controlled By" is set to "Manual" or "Auto", the system BIOS assign IRQs to PCI devices from high to low. For ISA PnP devices, the sequence is from low to high. IRQ 12 is always the last one available for PCI/PnP due to IRQ 12 is always reserves for the PS/2 mouse.

Explanation for proper nouns :**PnP device :**

- Device that has Plug & Play compatibility. That means it can request for DMA, IRQ, I/O and Memory from the PnP BIOS and all these requests can be relocatable. In other words, these devices does not utilized any fixed resources.
- All PCI devices and all ISA PnP devices are PnP Devices.

Legacy device :

- A legacy device is a device that all its resources are fixed by hardware (or selected by jumpers).
- All ISA Non-PnP devices are legacy device.

Extended System Configuration Data (ESCD) :

- A media between the user and the system BIOS for passing the legacy devices informations. These informations are stored into the onboard NVRAM (flash ROM).

5.9 INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS

ROM PCI/ISA BIOS (2A59FXXX)
INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS
AWARD SOFTWARE, INC.

IDE HDD Block Mode	: Enabled	
PCI Slot IDE 2nd Channel	: Enabled	
On-Chip Primary PCI IDE	: Enabled	
On-Chip Secondary PCI IDE	: Enabled	
IDE Primary Master PIO	: Auto	
IDE Primary Slave PIO	: Auto	
IDE Secondary Master PIO	: Auto	
IDE Secondary Slave PIO	: Auto	
USB Controller	: Disabled	
Onboard FDD Controller	: Enabled	
Onboard Serial Port 1	: 3F8/IRQ4	
Onboard Serial Port 2	: 2F8/IRQ3	
UART 2 Mode	: Standard	
Onboard Parallel Port	: 378H/IRQ7	
Onboard Parallel Mode	: SPP	
		ESC : Quit <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> : Select Item
		F1 : Help PU/PD/+/- : Modify
		F5 : Old Values (Shift)F2 : Color
		F6 : Load BIOS Default
		F7 : Load Setup Default

Fig. 5-8 INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS setup screen.

WARNING : *The INTEGRATED PERIPHERALS in this screen are provided so that technical professionals can modify the Chipset to suit their requirement. If you are not a technical engineer, do not use this program !*

IDE HDD Block Mode :

This feature enhances hard disk performance, making multi-sector transfers instead of one sector per transfer. Most IDE drives, except the very early designs can use this feature. Default is "Enabled".

UART 2 Mode :

This setting determines the IR port (CN 5) transmission mode. Supports both ASKIR and HPSIR.

Onboard Parallel Mode :

This setting determines the onboard parallel port (CN 4) transmission mode. Supports either SPP, EPP/SPP, ECP or ECP/EPP.

5.10 LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS

This option loads the SETUP default values from BIOS default table. By pressing "Enter" key, while "LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS" is highlighted, then presses "Y" and "Enter" key. the SETUP default values will be loaded. The SETUP default settings are the best-case values that should optimize system performance. If CMOS RAM is corrupted, the SETUP DEFAULTS settings are loaded automatically.

5.11 SUPERVISOR / USER PASSWORD

Type the Password and press "Enter" repeat. Enters up to eight alphanumeric characters. By pressing "Enter" key twice, without any alphanumeric character enters, the PASSWORD will be disabled.

5.12 IDE HDD AUTO DETECTION

By pressing "Enter" key, while "IDE HDD AUTO DETECTION" is highlighted causes the system to attempt to detect the type of hard disk. If successful, then presses "Y" (or 1, 2, ...) and "Enter" key, it fills in the remaining fields on this menu and the correlated fields in the STANDARD CMOS SETUP menu.

5.13 HDD LOW LEVEL FORMAT

This option provides an utility program for IDE HDD Low Level Format. Performing the Hard Disk Format will destroy any data on the Hard Disk. Back up the Hard Disk(s) before actually performing of these routines.

Note : These routines are not valid for a SCSI Disk Drive.

5.14 SAVE & EXIT SETUP

This option saves all setup values to CMOS RAM & EXIT SETUP routine, by moving the cursor to "SAVE & EXIT SETUP" and pressing "Enter" key, then types "Y" and "Enter" key, the values will be saved, the setup program will be terminated and the system will be reboot.

5.15 EXIT WITHOUT SAVING

This option exits setup routine without saves any changed values to CMOS RAM, by moving the cursor to "EXIT WITHOUT SAVING" and pressing "Enter" key, then types "Y" and "Enter" key, the setup program will be terminated and the system will be reboot.

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