

BIOS Update Instruction

The mainboard provides a Flash BIOS. If you have any question about updating your BIOS, please contact your local dealer for more information. We do not recommend updating your BIOS without first seeking advice from your dealer. Please follow the instructions below if your dealer directs you to update your BIOS.

Downloading BIOS File -

Download the correct BIOS file via the FIC website at **www.fic.com.tw**. Click **BIOS/Drivers Update** item under **BIOS** group, then select the BIOS file and its corresponding Flash Utility execution file you need. Then, download two files to your boot disk.

Decompressing BIOS and Flash Utility Files

There are two files after extraction: Flash BIOS utility, (for example, *flash533.exe*), and the BIOS file (for example, *615J900.awd*). Run pkunzip.exe to unzip these two files.

Upgrading BIOS File

Place the bootable floppy disk containing the BIOS file and the Flash Utility in drive a:, and reboot the system. While the monitor starts DOS, press <F5>. At the A: > prompt, execute the BIOS upgrading procedure by entering the Flash BIOS utility and the BIOS file with its extension. For example, *flash533 615j900.awd* and press <Enter>.



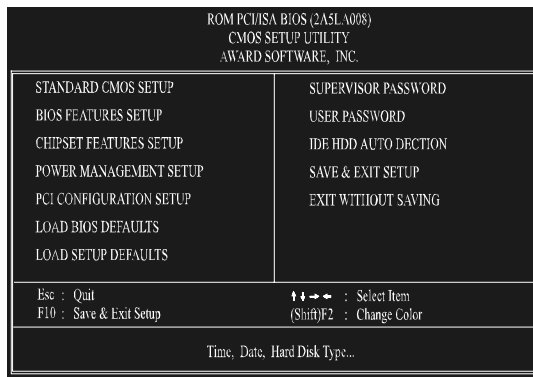
From the Flash Memory Write menu like the figure above, select **N** to **Do you want to save BIOS?** if you do not want to save your current BIOS. Select **Y** to **Do you want to save BIOS?** If you want to save your current BIOS, then type the current BIOS name and the extension after **FILE NAME TO SAVE:**. For example, *613J900.bin*.



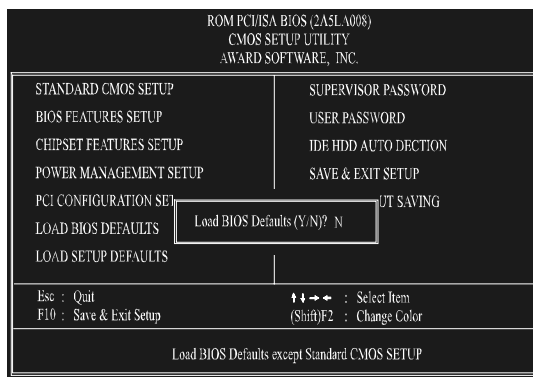
From the Flash Memory Write menu, select Select **Y** to **Are you sure to program?** Wait until it displays **Message: Power Off or Reset the system.**

WARNING : Do not turn off or reset the computer during the flash process. It will corrupt the BIOS data.

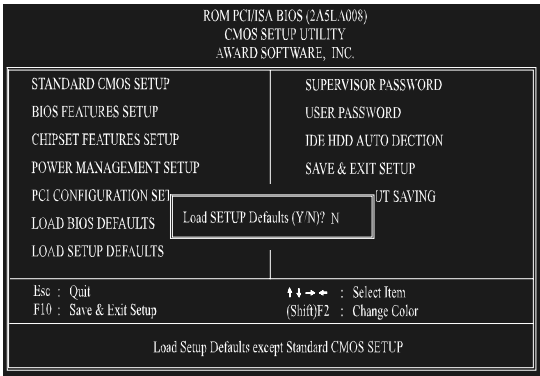
Once the BIOS has been loaded successfully, remove the floppy diskette and reboot the system. While system booting-up, press <**Delete**> to enter **CMOS SETUP UTILITY** Menu.



Use two arrow keys to select **LOAD BIOS DEFAULTS** (read page 58) to load the BIOS default values.



Then select **LOAD SETUP DEFAULTS** and execute it.



After the above two procedures, perform **SAVE AND EXIT SETUP** to complete the whole process.

