



IPC962-511-FL series IPC964-512-FL Series

Industrial and Fanless Computers

User's Manual



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Safety Precautions

Before getting started, please read the following important safety precautions.

- 1. The IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL Series does not come equipped with an operating system. An operating system must be loaded first before installing any software into the computer.
- 2. Be sure to ground yourself to prevent static charge when installing the internal components. Use a grounding wrist strap and place all electronic components in any static-shielded devices. Most electronic components are sensitive to static electrical charge.
- 3. Disconnect the power cord from the IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL Series before making any installation. Be sure both the system and the external devices are turned OFF. Sudden surge of power could ruin sensitive components. Make sure the IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL Series is properly grounded.
- 4. Make sure the voltage of the power source is correct before connecting the equipment to the power outlet.
- 5. Turn OFF the system power before cleaning. Clean the system using a cloth only. Do not spray any liquid cleaner directly onto the screen.
- 6. Do not leave this equipment in an uncontrolled environment where the storage temperature is below -20° C or above 80° C. It may damage the equipment.
- 7. Do not open the system's back cover. If opening the cover for maintenance is a must, only a trained technician is allowed to do so. Integrated circuits on computer boards are sensitive to static electricity. To avoid damaging chips from electrostatic discharge, observe the following precautions:
 - Before handling a board or integrated circuit, touch an unpainted portion of the system unit chassis for a few seconds. This will help to discharge any static electricity on your body.
 - When handling boards and components, wear a wrist-grounding strap, available from most electronic component stores.

Classification

- 1. Degree of production against electric shock: not classified
- 2. Degree of protection against the ingress of water: IPX40
- 3. Equipment not suitable for use in the presence of a flammable anesthetic mixture with air or with oxygen or nitrous oxide.
- 4. Mode of operation: Continuous
- 5. Type of protection against electric shock: Class I equipment

General Cleaning Tips

You may need the following precautions before you begin to clean the computer. When you clean any single part or component for the computer, please read and understand the details below fully.

When you need to clean the device, please rub it with a piece of dry cloth.

- 1. Be cautious of the tiny removable components when you use a vacuum cleaner to absorb the dirt on the floor.
- 2. Turn the system off before you start to clean up the component or computer.
- 3. Never drop the components inside the computer or get circuit board damp or wet.
- 4. Be cautious of all kinds of cleaning solvents or chemicals when you use it for the sake of cleaning. Some individuals may be allergic to the ingredients.
- 5. Try not to put any food, drink or cigarette around the computer.

Cleaning Tools:

Although many companies have created products to help improve the process of cleaning your computer and peripherals users can also use household items to clean their computers and peripherals. Below is a listing of items you may need or want to use while cleaning your computer or computer peripherals.

Keep in mind that some components in your computer may only be able to be cleaned using a product designed for cleaning that component, if this is the case it will be mentioned in the cleaning.

- Cloth: A piece of cloth is the best tool to use when rubbing up a component. Although paper towels or tissues can be used on most hardware as well, we still recommend you to rub it with a piece of cloth.
- Water or rubbing alcohol: You may moisten a piece of cloth a bit with some • water or rubbing alcohol and rub it on the computer. Unknown solvents may be harmful to the plastics parts.
- Vacuum cleaner: Absorb the dust, dirt, hair, cigarette particles, and other particles out of a computer can be one of the best methods of cleaning a computer. Over time these items can restrict the airflow in a computer and cause circuitry to corrode.
- Cotton swabs: Cotton swaps moistened with rubbing alcohol or water are • excellent tools for wiping hard to reach areas in your keyboard, mouse, and other locations.
- Foam swabs: Whenever possible it is better to use lint free swabs such as foam swabs.



 $\overset{\scriptstyle }\sim \sim$ Note: It is strongly recommended that you should shut down the system before you start to clean any single components.

Please follow the steps below:

- 1. Close all application programs
- 2. Close operating software
- 3. Turn off power switch
- 4. Remove all device
- 5. Pull out power cable

Scrap Computer Recycling

If the computer equipments need the maintenance or are beyond repair, we strongly recommended that you should inform your Axiomtek distributor as soon as possible for the suitable solution. For the computers that are no longer useful or no longer working well, please contact your Axiomtek distributor for recycling and we will make the proper arrangement.

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CHAPTER 1

This chapter contains general information and a detailed specification of the IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL Series. Chapter 1 includes the following sections:

- General Description
- System Specifications
- Dimensions
- I/O Outlets
- Jumper Settings
- Connectors
- Package List

1.1 General Description

The IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL Series is a fanless system that can support LGA1151 socket for Intel[®] 6th/7th generation CoreTM i7/i5/i3 processors. The IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL Series supports Windows[®] 7, Windows[®] 10 which are suitable for the most endurable operation.

- The IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL Series support two hard-drive bays, which makes it easy to install for customer maintain the system.
- > Embedded O.S. Supported

The IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL Series not only supports Windows[®] 7 and Windows[®] 10, but also supports embedded OS, such as Windows[®] 7 embedded. For storage device, the IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL Series supports two 2.5" HDD driver bay.

1.2 System Specifications

1.2.1 Main CPU Board

- CPU
 - Socket LGA1151 for 6th /7th Generation Intel[®] CoreTM i7/i5/i3 processors, up to 35W
- System Chipset
 - Intel[®] H110 chipset (IPC962-511)
 - Intel[®] Q170 chipset (IPC964-512)
- BIOS
 - AMI BIOS, with Smart View and Customer CMOS Backup.
- System Memory
 - Two DDR4-2133 un-buffered SO-DIMM max. up to 32GB
- Features
 - Fanless Operation
 - Compact & Front IO design
 - Supports two expansion slots(IPC962-511) or four expansion slots(IPC964-512)
 - DC to DC power supply support 24VDC (uMin=19V/uMax=30V)
 - Supports two 2.5" HDD
 - Supports optional WLAN module & antenna

1.2.2 I/O System

- Standard I/O Interface -- Font
 - One ATX power on/off switch
 - One ATX/AT Mode switch
 - One Reset switch
 - One 2-pin connector output for remote power on/off switch
 - 19VDC to 30VDC with phoenix power plug
 - Four USB 3.0 ports
 - HDD access/Power LEDs
 - Two G.E. LAN ports (i211AT)
 - Flexible IO
 - AX93511 4 x RS-232/422/485 module (default RS-232) or
 - AX93512 2 x RS-232/422/485 w/ isolated 2.5KVDC protection module and 8-in/8-out isolated DIO or
 - AX93513 16-in/16-out isolated DIO with interrupt module
 - One VGA supports resolution up to 1920 x 1200 @60Hz
 - One HDMI.4b supports resolution up to 4096 x 2304 @60MHz

- 1 x Audio (MIC-in/Line-out)
- Expansion Slot

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- 1 x on board full-size PCI Express Mini Card slot with USB interface
- AX96206: 1 PCIe x16 + 1 PCI or
- AX96207: 2 PCI or
- AX96205: 1 PCle x16 + 1 PCle x4

IPC964-512

- 1 x on board full-size PCI Express Mini Card slot with USB/PCIe interface
- AX96410: 1 PClex16 + 3 PClex4 I or
- AX96411: 1 PClex16 + 1 PClex4 + 2PCl

Se <u>Note:</u>

The maximum power rating for expansion slots at 60 ${\rm C\,}$ can not be exceeded the following value.

The maximum loading of +3.3V+5V+12V<150W



12V maximum loading 10A(120W), the remaining 30W is shared by 3.3V & 5V.

Note: 24V is only for Axiomtek's add-on card.

1.2.3 System Specification

• Drive Capacity

Supports two 2.5" HDD driver bay (SSD/HDD thickness<=15mm)

SU.

<u>Note</u>: Due to Gen. 2 SSD with JMicron controller has compatibility issue with Intel H110 PCH, we strongly recommend to use Gen. 3 SSD on IPC962 Series.

- Power Input
 - 24VDC (uMin=19V/uMax=30V) with phoenix power plug

• Operation Temperature

- Ambient with air flow: -10°C ~ +60°C with 6th gen CPU and W.T. HDD or W.T. SSD
- Ambient with air flow: -10°C ~ +50°C with 7th gen CPU and W.T. HDD or W.T. SSD
- Storage Temperature
 - -20°C ~ 80°C
- Humidity
 - 10% ~ 90% (Non-condensing)
- Dimensions
 - 147.5 mm (5.81") (W) x 192 mm (7.56") (H) x 230 mm (9.06") (D) (IPC962-511)
 - 188.1 mm (7.39") (W) x 192 mm (7.54") (H) x 230 mm (9.04") (D) (IPC964-512)

Note: All specifications and images are subject to change without notice.

The performance of the system might be adversely affected at an operatingtemperature above 60°C.



<u>Note:</u> If the operating temperature is above 35 ° C, it is recommended to use a wide temperature SSD on the device.

1.3 Dimensions

The following diagrams show you dimensions and outlines of the IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL Series.

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1.4 I/O Outlets

The following figures show you I/O outlets on front and rear panels of the IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL Series.

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Front Panel



1. Antenna x 2	6. Reset	12. (1.) RS-232/422/485 x 4 (default RS-232)
2. Remote switch	7. Power switch	(2.) RS-232/422/485 x 2 w/ solated 2.5KVDC
3. MIC-in x 1/Line-out x 1	8. Terminal block	protection & 4-in/4-out isolated DIO
4. Ethernet x 2	9. HDD/Power LED	(3.) 8-in/8-out isolated DIO with interrupt
5. VGA	10. USB 3.0 x 4	13. (1.) AX96205: 1 PCIe x16 + 1 PCIe x4
	11. HDMI	(2.) AX96206: 1 PCIe x16 + 1 PCI
		(3.) AX96207: 2 PCI

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Front Panel



1. Antenna x 2
2. Remote switch
3. Mic-in x 1/Line-out >
4. Ethernet x 2
5. VGA

6. Reset 7. Power switch x 1 8. Terminal block 9. HDD/Power LED 10. USP 2.0 = 4

10. USB 3.0 x 4 11. HDMI 12. (1) AX93511: 4 x RS-232/422/485 module (default RS-232) (2) AX93512: 2 x RS-232/422/495 w/ isolated 2.5KVDC protection & 4-in/4-out isolated DIO (3) AX93513: 8-in/8-out isolated DIO with

interrupt 13. (1) AX96410: 1 PCIe x16 + 3 PCIe x4

(2) AX96411: 1 PCI e x16 + 1 PCIe x4 + 2 PCI

1.5 Packing List

The package bundled with your IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL Series should contain the following items:

- IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL-DC Series Unit x 1
- Driver CD
- Screw pack x 1
- Foot pad x 4
- CPU grease x 1
- Terminal block x 1
- Remote switch cable x 1
- Holder bracket x1

If you can not find this package or any items are missing, please contact Axiomtek distributors immediately.

1.6 Jumper Settings

Properly configure jumper settings on the SBC87511/SBC87512 to meet your application purpose. Below you can find a summary table of all jumpers and onboard default settings.

Note: How to setup Jumpers

That a cap on a jumper is to "close" the jumper, whereas that offs a jumper is to "open" the jumper.







[Open]

[Closed]

[Pin1-2 Closed]

Jumper	Descriptions	Setting
JP1	Clear RTC : Normal	Short 1-2

1.6.1 Restore BIOS Optimal Defaults (JP1)

Put jumper clip to pin 2-3 for a few seconds then move it back to pin 1-2. Doing this procedure can restore BIOS optimal defaults.

Function	Setting
Normal operation (Default)	1-2 close
Restore BIOS optimal defaults	2-3 close



1.7 Connectors

Connectors connect this board with other parts of the system. Loose or improper connection might cause problems. Make sure all connectors are properly and firmly connected.

Here is a summar	y table shows	you all connectors	on the board.

Connector	Label
MINI CARD SLOT	CN3
LAN1+USB3.0	CN4
LAN2+USB3.0	CN5
VGA Connector	CN6
Audio Connector	CN7
DC-in Phoenix Power Connector	CN8
HDMI Connector	CN9
SATA Power connector	SCN1 · SCN2
SATA III connector	SATA1~2
DDR4 SO-DIMM(260 Pin)	SDIMM1 · SDIMM2
Power botton	SW1
AT/ATX Power Selet	SW2
Reset botton	SW3
Remote SW	PWRBT1
Flexible IO- COM x4(RS232/422/485)	AX93511
Riser Card Power output	ATX1,ATX2

1.7.1 MINI CARD SLOT (CN3)

There is a PCI-Express Mini Card connector on the top side applying USB 2.0. It supports an USB mini card.

Pins	Signals	Pins	Signals
1	WAKE#	2	+3.3VSB
3	No use	4	GND
5	No use	6	+1.5V
7	CLKREQ#	8	No use
9	GND	10	No use
11	REFCLK-	12	No use
13	REFCLK+	14	No use
15	GND	16	No use
17	No use	18	GND
19	No use	20	W_DISABLE#
21	GND	22	PERST#
23	PE_RXN3/	24	+3.3VSB
25	PE_RXP3/	26	GND
27	GND	28	+1.5V
29	GND	30	SMB_CLK
31	PE_TXN3/	32	SMB_DATA
33	PE_TXP3/	34	GND
35	GND	36	USB_D8-
37	GND	38	USB_D8+
39	+3.3VSB	40	GND
41	+3.3VSB	42	No use
43	GND	44	No use
45	No use	46	No use
47	No use	48	+1.5V
49	No use	50	GND
51	No use	52	+3.3VSB





1.7.2 LAN+USB3.0 (CN4 \ CN5)

The system has two RJ-45 connectors: LAN1 and LAN2. Ethernet connection can be established by plugging one end of the Ethernet cable into this RJ-45 connector and the other end (phone jack) to a 1000/100/10-Base-T hub.

Pins	1000 Base-T	100/10 Base-T	Descriptions
L1	BI_DA+	TX+	Bidirectional or Transmit Data+
L2	BI_DA-	TX-	Bidirectional or Transmit Data-
L3	BI_DB+	RX+	Bidirectional or Receive Data+
L4	BI_DC+	N.C.	Bidirectional or Not Connected
L5	BI_DC-	N.C.	Bidirectional or Not Connected
L6	BI_DB-	RX-	Bidirectional or Receive Data-
L7	BI_DD+	N.C.	Bidirectional or Not Connected
L8	BI_DD-	N.C.	Bidirectional or Not Connected
A	Active Link LED (Yellow) Off: No link Blinking: Data activity detected		
В	Speed LED 1000: Orange 100: Green		



The Universal Serial Bus connectors are compliant with USB 3.0 (5Gb/s), and ideally for installing USB peripherals such as scanner, camera and USB devices, etc.

Pins	Signal USB Port 0	Pins	Signal USB Port 1
1	USB_VCC (+5V level standby power)	10	USB_VCC (+5V level standby power)
2	USB_Data2-	11	USB_Data3-
3	USB_Data2+	12	USB_Data3+
4	GND	13	GND
5	SSRX2-	14	SSRX3-
6	SSRX2+	15	SSRX3+
7	GND	16	GND
8	SSTX2-	17	SSTX3-
9	SSTX2+	18	SSTX3+

1.7.3 VGA Connector (CN6)

The CN9 is a 15-pin D-Sub connector which is commonly used for CRT monitor.

Pins	Signals	Pins	Signals
1	Red	2	Green
3	Blue	4	N.C.
5	GND	6	DETECT
7	GND	8	GND
9	+5V	10	GND
11	N.C.	12	DDC DATA
13	Horizontal Sync	14	Vertical Sync
15	DDC CLK	•	



1.7.4 Audio Connector (CN7)

These two audio jacks ideal are for Audio Mic-In and Audio Line-out.

Pins	Signals	
1	Line Out	
2	Microphone In	

1.7.5 DC-in Phoenix Power Connector (CN8)

The system supports 24VDC (uMin=19V/uMax=30V) Phoenix DC-in connector for system power input.

Pins	Signals	+ 6 -
1	DC+	ПП
2	GND	
3	DC-	

1.7.6 HDMI Connector (CN9)

The HDMI (High-Definition Multimedia Interface) is a compact digital interface which is capable of transmitting high-definition video and high-resolution audio over a single cable.

Pins	Signals	Pins	Signals
1	HDMI OUT_DATA2+	11	GND
2	GND	12	HDMI OUT Clock-
3	HDMI OUT_DATA2-	13	N.C.
4	HDMI OUT_DATA1+	14	N.C.
5	GND	15	HDMI OUT_SCL
6	HDMI OUT_DATA1-	16	HDMI OUT_SDA
7	HDMI OUT_DATA0+	17	GND
8	GND	18	+5V
9	HDMI OUT_DATA0-	19	HDMI_HTPLG
10	HDMI OUT Clock+		



1.7.7 SATA Power connector (SCN1 · SCN2)

Use SCN1 \smallsetminus SCN2 for interfacing to SATA 2.5" HDD power supply.

Pins	Signals
1	+12V level
2	GND
3	GND
4	+5V level



1.7.8 SATA Connector (SATA1 \ SATA2)

These Serial Advanced Technology Attachment (Serial ATA or SATA) connectors are for high-speed SATA interfaces. They are computer bus interfaces for connecting to devices such as hard disk drives. This board has two SATA 3.0 ports with 6Gb/s performance.

Pins	Signals
1	GND
2	SATA_TX+
3	SATA_TX-
4	GND
5	SATA_RX-
6	SATA_RX+
7	GND

7	1

1.7.9 ATX Power On/OFF Button(SW1)

The ATX power button is on the I/O side. It can allow users to control ${\rm SBC87853}$ power on/off.

Function	Description
On	Turn on/off system
Off	Keep system status

1.7.10 AT/ATX Switch (SW2)

If you set AT/ATX switch to AT mode, the system will be automatically power on without pressing soft power button during power input; we can use this switch to achieve auto power on demand.



1.7.11 Reset Button(SW3)

The Reset button can allow users to reset SBC87853.

Function	Description	Poort
On	Reset system	C Reset
Off	Keep system status	Q

1.7.12 Remote Power Switch Connector (PWRBT1)

One 2-pin connector output for remote power on/off switch.

Function	Description	
Short(1-2)	Turn on/off system	
Open	Keep system status	

1.7.13 Flexible IO - COM I/O Card Connector (AX93511)

The system has four serial ports. COM1~COM4 are RS-232/422/485 ports. Please refer to Chapter 4 for the detail of BIOS setting.

%COM1,COM2,COM3,COM4

Pins	RS-232	RS-422	RS-485
1	DCD, Data Carrier Detect	TX-	Data-
2	RXD, Receive Data	TX+	Data+
3	TXD, Transmit Data	RX+	No use
4	DTR, Data Terminal Ready	RX-	No use
5	GND, Ground	No use	No use
6	DSR, Data Set Ready	No use	No use
7	RTS, Request To Send	No use	No use
8	CTS, Clear To Send	No use	No use
9	RI, Ring Indicator	No use	No use



1.7.14 Riser Card Power output (ATX1-Black,ATX2-White)

Pins	Signals	
1	GND	34
2	GND	1 2
3	+12V	ATX2
4	+12V	

Pins	Signals	
1	GND	
2	GND	4 3
3	+24V	2 1
4	+24V	ATX1

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CHAPTER 2 HARDWARE INSTALLATION

The IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL Series are convenient for your various hardware configurations, such as CPU (Central Processing Unit), Memory Module, HDD (Hard Disk Drive) and PCIe/PCI card. The chapter 2 will show you how to install the hardware. It includes:

2.1 Installing the Processor

The Intel® Core™ i7/i5/i3 processors are available as a boxed processor for IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL system. Intel recommends the processors should be installed by a computer professional since this electronic device may cause serious damage to the installer, system and processor if installed improperly.

<u>Important Notes</u> Before attempting to install a new processor, carefully review the documentation that came with your system and make sure that you will not be voiding your warranty by opening the computer or replacing your processor.

Instructions:

- 1. Make sure that your system can accommodate the Intel[®] Core[™] i7/i5/i3/Celeron[®] Processors that you want to install. Check for CPU Card, BIOS, and thermal compatibility by using the manufacturer's documentation for the system, or by contacting the vendor if necessary. This processor should only be installed in systems supporting the Intel[®] Core[™] i7/i5/i3/Celeron[®] Processors.
- 2. Obtain access to your processor socket as described in the documentation for your system.
- 3. If the cooling solution prevents you from accessing the processor socket, you may need to remove it. Instructions on how to remove your cooling solution should be provided in the documentation that came with the system.

Procedure of Installation:

- Step 1 Turn off the system.
- Step 2 Disconnect the power connector.
- Step 3 Loosen screws to remove the Heatsink cover from the chassis.



Step 4 After opening the HS cover, you can locate the CPU socket as marked. Align pins of the CPU with pin holes of the socket. Be careful of the CPU's orientation that you need to align the arrow mark on the CPU with the arrow key on the socket. Please remove the Mylar before you install the CPU into the socket.





Step 5 Then, applying thermal grease on top of the CPU

Step 6 After install all components, please close the HS cover back to the chassis and fasten all screws.



2.2 Installing the Memory Module

- Step 1 Turn off the system.
- Step 2 Disconnect the power connector.
- Step 3 Loosen screws to remove the Heatsink cover from the chassis.



Step 4 Install the memory module into the socket and push it firmly down until it is fully seated. The socket latches are clipped on to the edges of the SO-DIMM.



Step 5 After install the ram modules, please close the Heatsink cover back to the chassis and fasten all screws.

2.3 Installing the Hard Disk Drive

The IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL Series offers a convenient drive bay module for users to install HDD. The system offers users two 2.5" Hard Disk Drive for installation. Please follow the steps:

- Step 1 Turn off the system.
- **Step 2** Disconnect the power connector.
- **Step 3** Unscrew the thumbscrew and separating the bracket from the HDD tray.



Step 4 Fix the bracket onto the HDD bracket with four screws.



Step 5 Insert the HDD module into the HDD tray and screw it.





2.4 Installing the Fan Module and PCI or PCIe Card

IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL provides two/four PCI or PCIe slots for expansion. The procedure of installing the Fand module and PCI / PCIe expansion card into IPC962-511-FL/IPC964-512-FL is instructed below.

- Step 1 Turn off the system.
- **Step 2** Disconnect the power connector.
- **Step 3** Unscrew the thumbscrew and separating the cover from the expansion box.



Step 4 Unscrew the fan bracket, fasten the fan module into expansion box and plug two cables to two connectors.





Step 5 Locate the PCI or PCIe slots and remove the slot bracket which you want to add the card in.



Step 6 Align the PCI or PCIe card with the slot, press the card into the slot until it is firmly seated and screw it.



Step 7 Fasten 3 screws to fix the holder bracket.





Step 8 Close the cover back to the chassis and fasten all screws.

2.5 Installing the WIFI Module

The IPC962-511 and IPC964-512 come with a Mini card slo (for IPC964-512) and an USB connector for users to install a wireless LAN card. Please refer to the following instructions and illustration for the installation of the wireless LAN.

Installing the WIFI Module via Mini card

- **Step 1** Turn off the system.
- **Step 2** Disconnect the power connector.
- Step 3 Loosen screws to remove the Heatsink cover from the chassis.



Step 4 Insert the wireless LAN card to slot. Push it down firmly. Then screw tightly the card to the mainboard





Step 5 Remove the antenna plug from the top of back cover, and then install the antenna on the antenna connector.



Note:Please use an extended bracket when using a half-size Mini card

Installing the WIFI Module via USB

- **Step 1** Turn off the system.
- Step 2 Disconnect the power connector.
- Step 3 Loosen screws to remove the Heatsink cover from the chassis.
- **Step 4** Remove the antenna plug from the top of back cover, and then install the antenna on the antenna connector



Step 5 Unscrew the thumbscrew and separating the cover from the expansion box



Step 6 Connect the antenna to wifi module via the bottom of main board.



Step 7 Connect USB cable to wifi module.



Step 8 Stick wifi module on chassis. Locate the antenna cable and connect it to the wireless LAN card, then connect the USB cable to USB connector.



Step 9 Close the cover back to the chassis and fasten all screws. The installation completed.



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CHAPTER 3 AMI BIOS UTILITY

The AMI UEFI BIOS provides users with a built-in setup program to modify basic system configuration. All configured parameters are stored in a 16MB flash chip to save the setup information whenever the power is turned off. This chapter provides users with detailed description about how to set up basic system configuration through the AMI BIOS setup utility.

3.1 Starting

To enter the setup screens, follow the steps below:

- 1. Turn on the computer and press the key immediately.
- 2. After you press the key, the main BIOS setup menu displays. You can access the other setup screens from the main BIOS setup menu, such as the Advanced and Chipset menus.



<u>Note:</u> If your computer cannot boot after making and saving system changes with Setup, you can restore BIOS optimal defaults by setting JP1 (see section 1.6.2).

It is strongly recommended that you should avoid changing the chipset's defaults. Both AMI and your system manufacturer have carefully set up these defaults that provide the best performance and reliability.

3.2 Navigation Keys

The BIOS setup/utility uses a key-based navigation system called hot keys. Most of the BIOS setup utility hot keys can be used at any time during the setup navigation process. These keys include $\langle F1 \rangle$, $\langle F2 \rangle$, $\langle Enter \rangle$, $\langle ESC \rangle$, $\langle Arrow \rangle$ keys, and so on.

<u>Note:</u> Some of the navigation keys differ from one screen to another.

Hot Keys	Description	
→← Left/Right	The Left and Right < Arrow> keys allow you to select a setup screen.	
↑ ↓ Up/Down	The Up and Down <arrow> keys allow you to select a setup screen or sub- screen.</arrow>	
+– Plus/Minus	The Plus and Minus <arrow> keys allow you to change the field value of a particular setup item.</arrow>	
Tab	The <tab> key allows you to select setup fields.</tab>	
F1	The <f1> key allows you to display the General Help screen.</f1>	
F2	The <f2> key allows you to Load Previous Values.</f2>	
F3	The <f3> key allows you to Load Optimized Defaults.</f3>	
F4	The <f4> key allows you to save any changes you have made and exit Setup. Press the <f4> key to save your changes.</f4></f4>	
Esc	The <esc> key allows you to discard any changes you have made and exit the Setup. Press the <esc> key to exit the setup without saving your changes.</esc></esc>	
Enter	The <enter> key allows you to display or change the setup option listed for a particular setup item. The <enter> key can also allow you to display the setup sub- screens.</enter></enter>	

3.3 Main Menu

The first time you enter the setup utility, you will be in the Main setup screen. You can always return to the Main setup screen by selecting the Main tab. System Time/Date can be set up as described below. The Main BIOS setup screen is shown below.

Aptio Setup Utility – Copyright (C) 2017 American Megatrends, Inc. Main Advanced Chipset Security Boot Save & Exit			
BIOS Information Project Version Build Date and Time System Date System Time Access Level	S8C87511 X015_Kabylake 12/25/2017 10:08:29 [Fri 01/12/2018] [14:55:48] Administrator	Set the Date. Use Tab to switch between Date elements.	
		<pre>++: Select Screen t4: Select Item Enter: Select +/-: Change Opt. F1: General Help F2: Previous Values F3: Optimized Defaults F4: Save & Exit ESC: Exit</pre>	

System Date/TimeUse this option to change the system time and date. Highlight System Time or System Date using the <Arrow> keys. Enter new values through the keyboard. Press the <Tab> key or the <Arrow> keys to move between fields. The date must be entered in MM/DD/YY format. The time is entered in HH:MM:SS format.

3.4 Advanced Menu

• Launch PXE OpROM

Use this item to enable or disable the boot ROM function of the onboard LAN chip when the system boots up.

The Advanced menu also allows users to set configuration of the CPU and other system devices. You can select any of the items in the left frame of the screen to go to the sub menus:

- Hardware Monitor
- ACPI Settings
- CPU Configuration
- SATA Configuration
- ► PCH-FW Configuration
- USB Configuration
- ► Utility Configuration
- ► Device Configuration

For items marked with "▶", please press <Enter> for more options.



HW Monitor

This screen monitors hardware health.

Aptio Setup Utility - Advanced	- Copyright	(C) 2017 American	Megatrends, Inc.
Pc Health Status			
CPU temperature VBAT +SV +SVSB +3.3V +3.3VSB	: +70 % : +2.976 : +4.960 : +5.088 : +3.264 : +3.312	V V V V V	<pre>++: Select Screen 11: Select Item Enter: Select +/-: Change Opt. F1: General Help F2: Previous Values F3: Optimized Defaults F4: Save & Exit ESC: Exit</pre>
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ACPI Settings

ACPI configuration can be configured in ACPI Settings. A description of the selected item appears on the right side of the screen.

Aptio Setup Ut Advanced	ility – Copyright (C) 2017 America	n Megatrends, Inc.
ACPI Settings		Select the highest ACPI sleep state the system will enter
ACPI Sleep State	[S3 (Suspend to RAM)]	when the SUSPEND button is pressed.
		<pre>++: Select Screen 14: Select Item Enter: Select +/-: Change Opt. F1: General Help F2: Previous Values F3: Optimized Defaults F4: Save & Exit ESC: Exit</pre>
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> ACPI Sleep State

Select the highest ACPI sleep state the system will enter when the suspend button is pressed. Configuration options are Suspend S3 only (Suspend to RAM).

• CPU Configuration

This screen shows the CPU Configuration, and you can change the value of the selected option.

Aptio Setup Utility - Advanced	- Copyright (C) 2017 America	n Megatrends, Inc.
CPU Configuration		When enabled, a VMM can
Type ID Speed L1 Data Cache L1 Instruction Cache L2 Cache L3 Cache L4 Cache VMX	Intel(R) Core(TM) i5-7500T CPU @ 2.70GHz 0x906E9 2700 MHz 32 KB x 4 32 KB x 4 256 KB x 4 256 KB x 4 6 MB N/A Supported	hardware capabilities provided by Vanderpool Technology.
SMX/TXT	Supported	tt: Salast Senson
Intel (VMX) Virtualization Technology	[Enabled]	<pre>f+: Select screen f+: Select Item Enter: Select +/-: Change Opt. F1: General Help F2: Previous Values F3: Optimized Defaults F4: Save & Exit ESC: Exit</pre>
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Intel Virtualization Technology

This item allows a hardware platform to run multiple operating systems separately and simultaneously, enabling one system to virtually function as several systems.

SATA Configuration

You can read the current installed hardware configurations from those SATA ports in the SATA Configuration menu. During system boot up, BIOS will detect the present SATA devices automatically.

Aptio Setup Utility - Advanced	- Copyright (C) 2017 America	n Megatrends, Inc.
SATA Controller(s) SATA Mode Selection	[Enabled] [AHCI]	Enable/Disable SATA Device.
Serial ATA Port 0 Hot Plug Serial ATA Port 1 Hot Plug	WDC WD10JUCT-6 (1000.26B) [Disabled] Empty [Disabled]	
		++: Select Screen 11: Select Item Enter: Select +/-: Change Opt. F1: General Help F2: Previous Values F3: Optimized Defaults F4: Save & Exit ESC: Exit
	Copyright (C) 2017 American M	legatrends, Inc.

• FCH-FW Configuation

Display ME firmware information

Apt Advanced	io Setup Utility − Copyright (C)	2017 American Megatrends,	Inc.
ME Firmware Versi ME Firmware Mode ME Firmware SKU	on 11.8.50.3425 Normal Mode Consumer SKU	++: Select So 14: Select I Enter: Select +/-: Change O F1: General O F2: Previous F3: Optimized F4: Save & E2 ESC: Exit	creen tem t Dpt. Help Values d Defaults kit
Ve	S100 2.10.1203. Cupyright (C) 2	orr mmerrican negatrenus, in	

USB Configuration

USB configuration can be configured here by selecting and changing each item. A description of the selected item appears on the right side of the screen.

Aptio Setup Utili Advanced	ty – Copyright (C) 2017	7 American Megatrends, Inc.
USB Configuration		Mass storage device emulation
USB Module Version	19	devices according to their
USB Controllers:		are emulated as 'CDROM', drives with no media will be
USB Devices: 1 Drive. 1 Keyboard		emulated according to a drive
Mass Storage Devices:		
Generic Flash Disk 8.07	[Auto]	
		++: Select Screen
		t↓: Select Item Enter: Select
		+/-: Change Opt. F1: General Help
		F2: Previous Values F3: Optimized Defaults
		ESC: Exit
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> USB Devices

Display all detected USB devices.

• Module Configuration

Aptio Setup Utility Advanced	– Copyright (C) 2017 Ameria	can Megatrends, Inc.
Module Configuration IO Chip > Serial Port 1 Configuration > Serial Port 2 Configuration > Serial Port 3 Configuration > Serial Port 4 Configuration	AxiomType7	Set Parameters of Serial Port 1 (COMA)
		++: Select Screen 14: Select Item Enter: Select +/-: Change Opt. F1: General Help F2: Previous Values F3: Optimized Defaults
		F4: Save & Exit ESC: Exit

Serial Port 1~4 Configuration

Use this item to set parameters of serial port 1 to 4.

• Serial Port (1~4) Configuration

Aptio Setup Utili Advanced	ty – Copyright (C) 2017 Ame	erican Megatrends, Inc.
Serial Port 1 Configuration Serial Port Device Settings COM Port Type COM Term	[Enabled] IO=240h; IRQ=4; [RS232] [Disabled] COM Port Type	COM Port Type: RS232, RS422, RS485
	RS422 RS485	<pre>++: Select Screen 14: Select Item Enter: Select +/-: Change Opt. F1: General Help F2: Previous Values F3: Optimized Defaults F4: Save & Exit ESC: Exit</pre>

> COM Port Type

Use this item to set parameters of RS232/422/485.

3.5 Chipset Menu

The Chipset menu allows users to change the advanced chipset settings. You can select any of the items in the left frame of the screen to go to the sub menus:

System Agent (SA) Configuration

For items marked with "▶", please press <Enter> for more options.



• System Agent (SA) Configuration

This screen shows System Agent information and provides function for specifying related parameters. For items marked with "▶", please press <Enter> for more options.

Aptic Ch	o Setup Utility – Copyright (C) 2 hipset	2017 American Megatrends, Inc.
SA PCIe Code Versio VT-d	on 2.4.0.0 Supported	Graphics Configuration
▶ Graphics Configurat ▶ Memory Configuratio	tion on	
		<pre>++: Select Screen f↓: Select Item Enter: Select +/-: Change Opt. F1: General Help F2: Previous Values F3: Optimized Defaults F4: Save & Exit ESC: Exit</pre>
Vens	sion 2.18.1263. Copyright (C) 20:	17 American Megatrends, Inc.

Graphics Configuration

Use this item for graphics configuration settings.

> Memory Configuration

Use this item for memory configuration settings.

Aptio Setup Chipset	Utility – Copyright (C) 2017	American Megatrends, Inc.
IGFX VBIOS Version	1043	Select the DDI2(Port-C) signal
Display Select	[VGA]	HDMI/VGA.
		↑↓: Select Item Enter: Select
		+/−: Change Opt. F1: General Help
		F2: Previous Values F3: Optimized Defaults E4: Saue & Evit
		ESC: Exit
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• Graphic Configuration

> Displat Select

Allow you to select which graphics controller to use as the primary boot device.

• Memory Configuration

	Aptio Setup Utility – Chipset	Copyright (C) 2017 Am	merican Megatrends, Inc.
Memory RC Ver Total Memory Size	sion	2.4.0.0 8192 MB 8192 MB (DDR4)	<pre>++: Select Screen 11: Select Item Enter: Select +/-: Change Opt. F1: General Help F2: Previous Values F3: Optimized Defaults F4: Save & Exit ESC: Exit</pre>
	Version 2 18 1263 Co	nuright (C) 2017 Amer	ican Megatrends Inc

3.6 Security Menu

The Security menu allows users to change the security settings for the system.

Password DescriptionSet Administrator PasswordIf ONLY the Administrator's password is set, then this only limits access to Setup and is only asked for when entering Setup.If ONLY the User's password is set, then this is a power on password and must be entered to boot or enter Setup. In Setup the User will have Administrator rights. The password length must be in the following range: Minimum length3 Maximum lengthAdministrator Password4+: Select Screen th: Select Item Enter: Select t/-: Change Opt. F1: General Help F2: Previous Values F3: Optimized Defaults F4: Save & Exit	Aptio Set Main Advanced Chipse	up Utility – Copyright (C) 2017 t Security Boot Save & Exit	American Megatrends, Inc.	
ESC: Exit	Aptio Set Main Advanced Chipse Password Description If ONLY the Administrate then this only limits a only asked for when ent If ONLY the User's pass is a power on password a boot or enter Setup. In have Administrator righ The password length mus in the following range: Minimum length Maximum length Administrator Password User Password	up Utility - Copyright (C) 2017 Security Boot Save & Exit or's password is set, ceess to Setup and is ering Setup. word is set, then this and must be entered to Setup the User will ts. t be 3 20	American Megatrends, Inc. Set Administrator Password ++: Select Screen ++: Select Screen +: Select Item Enter: Select +/-: Change Opt. F1: General Help F2: Previous Values F3: Optimized Defaults F4: Save & Exit ESC: Exit	

> Administrator Password

This item indicates whether an administrator password has been set (installed or uninstalled).

> User Password

This item indicates whether an user password has been set (installed or uninstalled).

3.7 Boot Menu

The Boot menu allows users to change boot options of the system.

Aptio Setup Utilit Main Advanced Chipset Securi	y – Copyright (C) 2017 America ty <mark>Boot</mark> Save & Exit	n Megatrends, Inc.
Boot Configuration Setup Prompt Timeout Bootup NumLock State	1 [0n]	Number of seconds to wait for setup activation key. 65535(0xFFFF) means indefinite
Quiet Post	[Dicphled]	waiting.
Launch PXE OpROM policy	[Disabled]	
Boot Option Priorities		
Boot Option #1	[Generic Flash Disk 8.07]	
Boot Option #2	[UEFI: Generic Flash Disk 8.07, Partition 1]	
USB Device BBS Priorities		<pre>++: Select Screen fl: Select Item Enter: Select +/-: Change Opt. F1: General Help F2: Previous Values F3: Optimized Defaults F4: Save & Exit ESC: Exit</pre>
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> Setup Prompt Timeout

Number of seconds to wait for setup activation key. 65535(0xFFFF) means indefinite waiting.

- Bootup NumLock State Use this item to select the power-on state for the keyboard NumLock.
- > Quiet Boot

Select to display either POST output messages or a splash screen during boot-up.

- Launch PXE OpROM policy Use this item to enable or disable the boot ROM function of the onboard LAN chip when the system boots up.
 - **Boot Option Priorities** These are settings for boot priority. Specify the boot device priority sequence from the available devices.

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3.8 Save & Exit Menu

The Save & Exit menu allows users to load your system configuration with optimal or fail-safe default values.

Aptio Setup Utility – Copyright (C) 2017 American Main Advanced Chipset Security Boot Save & Exit	Megatrends, Inc.
Save Options Save Changes and Exit Discard Changes and Exit	Exit system setup after saving the changes.
Save Changes and Reset Discard Changes and Reset	
Save Changes Discard Changes	
Default Options Restore Defaults Save as User Defaults	
Restore User Defaults	↔: Select Screen ↑↓: Select Item Enter: Select
Generic Flash Disk 8.07	+/-: Change Opt.
UEFI: Generic Flash Disk 6.07, Fartition 1	F1: General Help F2: Previous Values F3: Optimized Defaults F4: Save & Exit ESC: Exit
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> Save Changes and Exit

When finish the system configuration settings, select this option to leave Setup and return to Main Menu. Select Save Changes and Exit from the Save & Exit menu and press <Enter>. Select Yes to save changes and exit.

> Discard Changes and Exit

Select this option to quit Setup without making any permanent changes to the system configuration and return to Main Menu. Select Discard Changes and Exit from the Save & Exit menu and press <Enter>. Select Yes to discard changes and exit.

> Save Changes and Reset

When finish the system configuration settings, select this option to leave Setup and reboot the computer so the new system configuration parameters can take effect. Select Save Changes and Reset from the Save & Exit menu and press <Enter>. Select Yes to save changes and reset.

> Discard Changes and Reset

Select this option to quit Setup without making any permanent changes to the system configuration and reboot the computer. Select Discard Changes and Reset from the Save & Exit menu and press <Enter>. Select Yes to discard changes and reset.

> Save Changes

When finish the system configuration settings, select this option to save changes. Select Save Changes from the Save & Exit menu and press <Enter>. Select Yes to save changes.

> Discard Changes

Select this option to quit Setup without making any permanent changes to the system configuration. Select Discard Changes from the Save & Exit menu and press <Enter>. Select Yes to discard changes.

> Restore Defaults

When select this option, all the settings will be restored to defaults automatically. Select Restore Defaults from the Save & Exit menu and press <Enter>.

> Save as User Defaults

Select this option to save your current system configuration settings as User Defaults. Select Save as User Defaults from the Save & Exit menu and press <Enter>.

> Restore User Defaults

When select this option, all the settings will be restored to user defaults automatically. Select Restore User Defaults from the Save & Exit menu and press <Enter>.

APPENDIX A WATCHDOG TIMER

A.1 About Watchdog Timer

Software stability is major issue in most application. Some embedded systems are not watched by operator for 24 hours. It is usually too slow to wait for someone to reboot when computer hangs. The systems need to be able to reset automatically when things go wrong. The watchdog timer gives us solution.

The watchdog timer is a counter that triggers a system reset when it counts down to zero from a preset value. The software starts counter with an initial value and must reset it periodically. If the counter ever reaches zero which means the software has crashed, the system will reboot.

A.2 How to Use Watchdog Timer

The I/O port base addresses of watchdog timer are 2E (hex) and 2F (hex). The 2E (hex) and 2F (hex) are address and data port respectively.

Assume that program A is put in a loop that must execute at least once every 10ms. Initialize watchdog timer with a value bigger than 10ms. If the software has no problems; watchdog timer will never expire because software will always restart the counter before it reaches zero.



A.3 Sample Program

Assembly sample code :

;Enable WDT:				
mo∨	dx,2Eh			
mo∨	al,87	;Un-lock	super	I/0
out	dx,al			
out	dx,al			
;Select	Logic device:			
mov	dx,2Eh			
mov	al,07h			
out	dx,al			
mov	dx,2Fh			
mov	al,07h			
out	dx,al			
;Enable	WDT base addre	ss:		
mo∨	dx,2Eh			
mo∨	al,30h			
out	dx,al			
mov	dx,2Fh			
mov	al,01h			
out	dx,al			
;Activa	te WDT:			
mo∨	dx,2Eh			
mo∨	al,OFOh			
out	dx,al			
mo∨	dx,2Fh			
mo∨	al,80h			
out	dx,al			
;Set base timer :				
mo∨	dx,2Eh			

mo∨	al,0F6h	
out	dx,al	
mo∨	dx,2Fh	
mo∨	al, M h	; M =00h,01h,FFh (hex),Value=0 to 255
out	dx,al	;(see 🕼 <u>Note</u> below)
;Set	Second or Mir	nute :
mo∨	dx,2Eh	
mo∨	al,0F5h	
out	dx,al	
mo∨	dx,2Fh	
mov	al ,N h	;N=71h or 79h(see 🖾 <u><i>Note</i></u> below)
out	dx,al	

Note:

If **N**=71h, the time base is set to second.

M = time value

- 00: Time-out disable
- 01: Time-out occurs after 1 second
- 02: Time-out occurs after 2 seconds
- 03: Time-out occurs after 3 seconds
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FFh: Time-out occurs after 255 seconds

If N=79h, the time base is set to minute.

M = time value

- 00: Time-out disable
- 01: Time-out occurs after 1 minute
- 02: Time-out occurs after 2 minutes
- 03: Time-out occurs after 3 minutes
- •
- FFh: Time-out occurs after 255 minutes