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Safety information

Electrical safety

- To prevent electric shock hazard, disconnect the power cable from the electric outlet before relocating the system.
- When adding or removing devices to or from the system, ensure that the power cables for the devices are unplugged before the signal cables are connected. If possible, disconnect all power cables from the existing system before you add a device.
- Before connecting or removing signal cables from the motherboard, ensure that all power cables are unplugged.
- Seek professional assistance before using an adapter or extension cord. These devices could interrupt the grounding circuit.
- Ensure that your power supply is set to the correct voltage in your area. If you are not sure about the voltage of the electrical outlet you are using, contact your local power company.
- If the power supply is broken, do not try to fix it by yourself. Contact a qualified service technician or your retailer.

Operation safety

- Before installing the motherboard and adding devices on it, carefully read all the manuals that came with the package.
- Before using the product, ensure that all cables are correctly connected and the power cables are not damaged. If you detect any damage, contact your dealer immediately.
- To avoid short circuits, keep paper clips, screws, and staples away from connectors, slots, sockets and circuitry.
- Avoid dust, humidity, and temperature extremes. Do not place the product in any area where it may become wet.
- · Place the product on a stable surface.
- If you encounter technical problems with the product, contact a qualified service technician or your retailer.

About this guide

This user guide contains the information you need when installing and configuring the motherboard.

How this guide is organized

This guide contains the following parts:

· Chapter 1: Product introduction

This chapter describes the supported features included with the motherboard.

· Chapter 2: BIOS information

This chapter provides a detailed guide to navigating and setting up the BIOS...

Conventions used in this guide

To ensure that you perform certain tasks properly, take note of the following symbols used throughout this manual.



DANGER/WARNING: Information to prevent injury to yourself when completing a task.



CAUTION: Information to prevent damage to the components when completing a task.



IMPORTANT: Instructions you MUST follow to complete a task.



NOTE: Tips and additional information to help you complete a task.

Where to find more information

Refer to the following sources for additional information and for product and software updates.

1. ASUS websites

The ASUS website provides updated information on ASUS hardware and software products. Refer to the ASUS contact information.

2. Optional documentation

Your product package may include optional documentation, such as warranty flyers, that may have been added by your dealer. These documents are not part of the standard package.

Typography

Bold text Indicates a menu or an item to select. *Italics* Used to emphasize a word or a phrase.

<Key> Keys enclosed in the less-than and greater-than sign means

that you must press the enclosed key.

Example: <Enter> means that you must press the Enter or

Return kev.

<Key1>+<Key2>+<Key3> If you must press two or more keys simultaneously, the key

names are linked with a plus sign (+).

Example: <Ctrl>+<Alt>+<D>

C60M1-I specifications summary

CPU	AMD® Fusion APU C-60 1.0 Ghz Dual Core Processor
Chipset	AMD® FCH A50M
Memory	2 x DIMMs, maximum 8GB, DDR3 1066 / 800 MHz, non-ECC, un-buffered memory * Refer to www.asus.com for the latest Memory QVL (Qualified Vendors List). ** When you install a total memory of 4GB capacity or more, Windows® 32-bit operating system may only recognize less than 3GB. We recommend a maximum of 3GB system memory if you are using a Windows® 32-bit operating system.
Expansion slots	1 x PCI Express 2.0 x16 slot (at x4 mode, with latch)
Graphics	AMD [®] Radeon [™] HD 6290 Supports DVI with max. resolution up to 1920 x 1200 @60Hz Supports D-Sub with max. resolution up to 1920 x 1200 @60Hz
Storage	6 x Serial ATA 6.0 Gb/s connectors support AHCI mode
LAN	Realtek® 8111F PCIe Gigabit LAN controller
Audio	VIA® VT1708S 8-channel* High Definition Audio CODEC * Use a chassis with HD audio module in the front panel to support an 8-channel audio output.
USB	12 x USB 2.0/1.1 ports (6 ports at the mid-board, 6 ports at the back panel)
ASUS special features	ASUS AI Suite II ASUS Anti-Surge protection ASUS Q-Fan 2 ASUS CrashFree BIOS 3 ASUS EZ Flash 2 ASUS MyLogo 2 ASUS Network iControl ASUS WebStorage ASUS Ai Charger ASUS Fan Xpert 100% All High-quality Conductive Polymer Capacitors
Rear panel ports	1 x PS/2 Keyboard / Mouse combo port 1 x DVI port 1 x D-Sub port 1 x LAN (RJ-45) port 6 x USB 2.0 ports 3 x Audio jacks

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Internal connectors	3 x USB 2.0/1.1 connectors support additional 6 USB 2.0/1.1 ports 1 x CPU fan connector 1 x Chassis fan connector 1 x Chassis intrusion connector 6 x SATA 6.0Gb/s connectors 1 x System Panel connector 1 x Front panel audio connector 1 x 24-pin EATX Power connector 1 x 4-pin ATX 12V power connector
BIOS Features	32 Mb Flash ROM, AMI BIOS, PnP, DMI 2.0, WfM 2.0, SM BIOS 2.5
Accessories	2 x Serial ATA 6.0Gb/s cables 1 x I/O shield 1 x User Manual 1 x Support DVD
Support DVD	Drivers ASUS utilities ASUS Update Anti-virus software (OEM version)
Form factor	Mini ITX form factor: 6.7 in x 6.7 in (17.0 cm x 17.0 cm)

^{*} Specifications are subject to change without notice.



Chapter 1

Product introduction

Thank you for buying an ASUS® C60M1-I motherboard!

Before you start installing the motherboard, and hardware devices on it, check the items in your motherboard package. Refer to page x for the list of accessories.



If any of the items is damaged or missing, contact your retailer.

1.1 Before you proceed

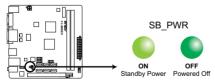
Take note of the following precautions before you install motherboard components or change any motherboard settings.



- · Unplug the power cord from the wall socket before touching any component.
- Before handling components, use a grounded wrist strap or touch a safely grounded object or a metal object, such as the power supply case, to avoid damaging them due to static electricity.
- · Hold components by the edges to avoid touching the ICs on them.
- Whenever you uninstall any component, place it on a grounded antistatic pad or in the bag that came with the component.
- Before you install or remove any component, ensure that the ATX power supply is switched off or the power cord is detached from the power supply. Failure to do so may cause severe damage to the motherboard, peripherals, or components.

Standby Power LED

The motherboard comes with a standby power LED that lights up to indicate that the system is ON, in sleep mode, or in soft-off mode. This is a reminder that you should shut down the system and unplug the power cable before removing or plugging in any motherboard component. The illustration below shows the location of the onboard LED.



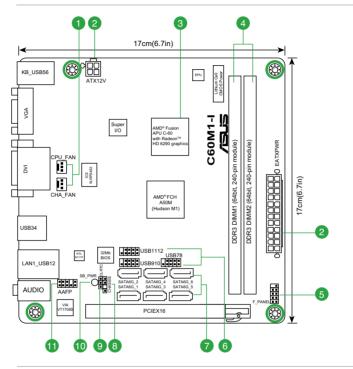
C60M1-I Onboard LED

1.2 Motherboard overview

1.2.1 Motherboard layout



Ensure that you install the motherboard into the chassis in the correct orientation. The edge with external ports goes to the rear part of the chassis.





Place four screws into the holes indicated by circles to secure the motherboard to the chassis. DO NOT overtighten the screws! Doing so can damage the motherboard.

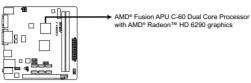
1.2.2 Layout contents

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4.	DDR3 DIMM slots	1-3	10.	Standby power LED (SB_PWR)	1-1
5.	System panel connector (10-1 pin F_PANEL)	1-13	11.	Front panel audio connector (10-1 pin AAFP)	1-11
6.	USB 2.0 connectors (10-1 pin USB78, USB910, USB1112)	1-12			

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1.3 Central Processing Unit (CPU)

The motherboard comes with an onboard AMD® Dual-core processor C-60 with AMD® Radeon™ HD 6290 Discrete-Class graphics and a specially designed CPU heatsink.



C60M1-I AMD® APU C-60 Dual Core Processor with Radeon™ HD 6290 graphics

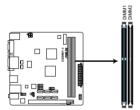
1.4 System memory

1.4.1 Overview

The motherboard comes with two Double Data Rate 3 (DDR3) Dual Inline Memory Modules (DIMM) sockets.

A DDR3 module has the same physical dimensions as a DDR2 DIMM but is notched differently to prevent installation on a DDR2 DIMM socket. DDR3 modules are developed for better performance with less power consumption.

The figure illustrates the location of the DDR3 DIMM sockets:



C60M1-I 240-pin DDR3 DIMM sockets

1.4.2 Memory configurations

You may install 512MB, 1GB, 2GB, and 4GB unbuffered non-ECC DDR3 DIMMs into the DIMM sockets



- We recommend that you install the memory modules from the blue slots for better overclocking capability.
- Due to the memory address limitation on 32-bit Windows® OS, when you install 4GB or more memory on the motherboard, the actual usable memory for the OS can be about 3GB or less. For effective use of memory, we recommend that you do any of the following:
 - Use a maximum of 3GB system memory if you are using a 32-bit Windows® OS.
 - Install a 64-bit Windows® OS when you want to install 4GB or more on the motherboard
- This motherboard does not support DIMMs made up of 512Mb (64MB) chips or less.



- The default memory operation frequency is dependent on its Serial Presence Detect (SPD), which is the standard way of accessing information from a memory module. Under the default state, some memory modules for overclocking may operate at a lower frequency than the vendor-marked value. To operate at the vendor-marked or at a higher frequency, refer to section 2.4 Ai Tweaker menu for manual memory frequency adjustment.
- For system stability, use a more efficient memory cooling system to support a full memory load (2 DIMMs) or overclocking condition.

C60M1-I Motherboard Qualified Vendors Lists (QVL)

DDR3-1066 MHz capability

Vendors	Part No.	Size	SS/ DS	Chip Brand	Chip NO.	Timina	Voltage	DIMM socket support (Optional)	
			υS	Brand				1 DIMM	2 DIMM
Crucial	CT12864BA1067.8FF	1GB	SS	Micron	9GF22D9KPT	7	-	•	•
Crucial	CT25664BA1067.16FF	2GB	DS	Micron	9HF22D9KPT	7	-	•	•
ELPIDA	EBJ10UE8EDF0-AE-F	1GB	SS	ELPIDA	J1108EDSE-DJ-F	-	1.35V(low voltage)	•	•
ELPIDA	EBJ21UE8EDF0-AE-F	2GB	DS	ELPIDA	J1108EDSE-DJ-F	-	1.35V(low voltage)	•	
KINGSTON	KVR1066D3N7/1G	1GB	SS	ELPIDA	J1108BFSE-DJ-F	7	1.5V	•	
KINGSTON	KVR1066D3N7/2G	2GB	DS	ELPIDA	J1108BDSE-DJ-F	7	1.5V	•	•
KINGSTON	KVR1066D3N7/4G	4GB	DS	Hynix	H5TQ2G83AFR	7	1.5V		•
Micron	MT8JTF12864AZ-1G1F1	1GB	SS	Micron	9GF22D9KPT	7	-	•	
Micron	MT16JTF25664AZ-1G1F1	2GB	DS	Micron	9HF22D9KPT	7	-	•	
Kingtiger	2GB DIMM PC3-8500	2GB	DS	Hynix	H5TQ1G83AFP G7C	-	-		

DDR3-1333 MHz capability

Vendors	Part No.	Size	SS/ DS	Chip Brand	Chip NO.	Timing	Voltage	DIMM soc support	ket
			DS	Dianu				1 DIMM	2 DIMM
A-DATA	AD31333001GOU	1GB	SS	A-Data	AD30908C8D-151C E0906		-		
A-DATA	AD3U1333C2G9	2GB	SS	A-DATA	3CCD-1509HNA1126L		-		
A-DATA	AM2U139C2P1	2GB	SS	ADATA	3CCD-1509A EL1127T		-	•	
A-DATA	AX3U1333C2G9-BP	2GB	SS	-		-	-	•	
A-DATA	AD31333G001GOU	3GB(3 x 1GB)	SS	-	-	8-8-8-24	1.65- 1.85V	•	

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DDR3-1333 MHz capability

Vendors	Part No.	Size	SS/ DS	Chip Brand	Chip NO.	Timing	Voltage	DIMM so	
			DS	Brand				1 DIMM	2 DIMM
A-DATA	AXDU1333GC2G9-2G(XMP)	4GB (2 x 2GB)	SS	-	-	9-9-9-24	1.25V- 1.35V (low voltage)	•	•
A-DATA	AD31333G002GMU	2GB	DS	-	-	8-8-8-24	1.65- 1.85V		
A-DATA	AD63I1C1624EV	4GB	DS	A-Data	3CCA-1509A	-	-		•
A-DATA	AM2U139C4P2	4GB	DS	ADATA	3CCD-1509A EL1127T	-	-		
A-DATA	SU3U1333W8G9-B	8GB	DS	ELPIDA	J4208BASE-DJ-F	-	-	•	•
Apacer	78.A1GC6.9L1	2GB	DS	Apacer	AM5D5808DEWSBG		-	•	•
Apacer	78.A1GC6.9L1	2GB	DS	Apacer	AM5D5808FEQSBG	9		•	•
Apacer	AU02GFA33C9NBGC	2GB	DS	Apacer	AM5D5808APQSBG	-	-	•	•
Apacer	78.B1GDE.9L10C	4GB	DS	Apacer	AM5D5908CEHSBG	-	-	•	•
CORSAIR	TR3X3G1333C9 G	3GB (3 x 1GB)	SS	-	-	9-9-9-24	1.50V		
CORSAIR	TR3X6G1333C9 G	6GB (3x 2GB)	SS	-	-	9-9-9-24	1.50V		
CORSAIR	CMD24GX3M6A1333C9(XMP)	24GB (6x4GB)	DS	-	-	9-9-9-24	1.60V		•
CORSAIR	TW3X4G1333C9D G	4GB (2 x 2GB)	DS	-	-	9-9-9-24	1.50V		
CORSAIR	CM3X4GA1333C9N2	4GB	DS	CORSAIR	256MBDCJGELC0401136	9-9-9-24	-		•
CORSAIR	CMX4GX3M1A1333C9	4GB	DS	-		9-9-9-24	1.50V	•	•
CORSAIR	CMD8GX3M4A1333C7	8GB (4 x 2GB)	DS	-	-	7-7-7-20	1.60V		
Crucial	CT12864BA1339.8FF	1GB	SS	Micron	9FF22D9KPT	9	-	•	
Crucial	CT25664BA1339.16FF	2GB	DS	Micron	9KF27D9KPT	9	-	•	
Crucial	BL25664BN1337.16FF (XMP)	6GB (3 x 2GB)	DS	-	-	7-7-724	1.65V	•	
ELPIDA	EBJ10UE8EDF0-DJ-F	1GB	SS	ELPIDA	J1108EDSE-DJ-F	-	1.35V(low voltage)		
ELPIDA	EBJ21UE8EDF0-DJ-F	2GB	DS	ELPIDA	J1108EDSE-DJ-F	-	1.35V(low volatage)	•	•
G.SKILL	F3-10600CL8D-2GBHK(XMP)	1GB	SS	G.SKILL		-	-	•	•
G.SKILL	F3-10600CL9D-2GBNQ	2GB (2 x 1GB)	SS	-	-	9-9-9-24	1.5V	•	•
G.SKILL	F3-10666CL7T-3GBPK(XMP)	3GB (3 x 1GB)	SS	-	-	7-7-7-18	1.5V~1.6V		
G.SKILL	F3-10666CL8D-4GBECO(XMP)	4GB (2 x 2GB)	DS	-	-	8-8-8-8-24	XMP 1.35V	•	
G.SKILL	F3-10666CL7T-6GBPK(XMP)	6GB (3 x 2GB)	DS	-	-	7-7-7-18	1.5V~1.6V		
G.SKILL	F3-10666CL7D-8GBRH(XMP)	8GB (2 x 4GB)	DS	-	-	7-7-7-21	1.5V	•	
GEIL	GV32GB1333C9DC	2GB (2 x 1GB)	DS	-	-	9-9-9-24	1.5V	•	•
GEIL	GG34GB1333C9DC	4GB (2 x 2GB)	DS	GEIL	GL1L128M88BA12N	9-9-9-24	1.3V(low voltage)	•	•
GEIL	GV34GB1333C9DC	4GB (2 x 2GB)	DS	-	-	9-9-9-24	1.5V		
GEIL	GVP34GB1333C7DC	4GB (2 x 2GB)	DS	-	-	7-7-7-24	1.5V		

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DDR3-1333 MHz capability

Vendors	Part No.	Size	SS/DS	Chip Brand	Chip NO.	Timing	Voltage		socket port 2 DIMM
Hynix	HMT112U6TFR8A-H9	1GB	SS	Hynix	H5TC1G83TFRH9A		1.35V(low		
Hynix	HMT325U6BFR8C-H9	2GB	SS	Hynix	H5TQ2G83BFRH9C		voltage)		
							1.35V(low	-	
Hynix	HMT125U6TFR8A-H9	2GB	DS	Hynix	H5TC1G83TFRH9A		voltage)	•	•
Hynix	HMT351U6BFR8C-H9	4GB	DS	Hynix	H5TQ2G83BFRH9C	-	-	•	•
KINGMAX	FLFD45F-B8KL9 NAES	1GB	SS	KINGMAX	KKB8FNWBFGNX-27A	-	-	•	
KINGMAX KINGMAX	FLFE85F-C8KF9 CAES FLFE85F-C8KL9 NAES	2GB 2GB	SS	KINGMAX	KFC8FMFXF-DXX-15A KFC8FNLXF-DXX-15A			_ <u>:</u>	_ <u>:</u>
KINGMAX	FLFE85F-C8KM9 NAES	2GB	SS	KINGMAX	KFC8FNMXF-BXX-15A	<u> </u>		•	<u>:</u>
KINGMAX	FLFE85F-B8KL9 NEES	2GB	DS	KINGMAX	KKB8FNWBFGNX-26A		-		
KINGMAX	FLFF65F-C8KL9 NEES	4GB	DS	KINGMAX	KFC8FNLXF-DXX-15A	-	-		
KINGMAX	FLFF65F-C8KM9 NEES	4GB	DS	KINGMAX	KFC8FNMXF-BXX-15A	-	-	•	•
KINGSTON	KVR1333D3N9/1G	1GB	SS	ELPIDA	J1108BDBG-DJ-F	9	1.5V	•	•
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KINGSTON	KVR1333D3S8N9/2G	2GB	SS	Micron	IID77 D9LGK	-	1.5V	•	•
KINGSTON	KVR1333D3S8N9/2G-SP	2GB	SS	ELPIDA	J2108BCSE-DJ-F		1.5V	•	•
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KINGSTON	KHX1333C7D3K2/ 4GX(XMP)	4GB(2 x 2GB)	DS	-	-	7	1.65V	•	•
KINGSTON	KHX1333C9D3UK2/ 4GX(XMP)	4GB(2 x 2GB)	DS	-	-	9	XMP 1.25V		
KINGSTON	KVR1333D3N9/4G	4GB	DS	ELPIDA	J2108BCSE-DJ-F	9	1.25V		
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KINGSTON	KVR1333D3N9/4G	4GB	DS	KTC	D2568JENCNGD9U	-	1.5V	•	•
KINGSTON	KVR1333D3N9/4G	4GB	DS	Hynix	H5TQ2G83AFR	-	-		
KINGSTON	KVR1333D3N9/4G-SP	4GB	DS	KINGSTON	D2568JENCPGD9U	-	1.5V		
Micron	MT4JTF12864AZ-1G4D1	1GB	SS	Micron	OJD12D9LGQ	-	-	•	•
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Micron	MT8JTF25664AZ-1G4D1	2GB	SS	Micron	OJD12D9LGK	-	-	•	•
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SAMSUNG	M378B5273CH0-CH9	4GB	DS	SAMSUNG	K4B2G0846C	-	-	•	•
SAMSUNG	M378B1G73AH0-CH9	8GB	DS	SAMSUNG	K4B4G0846A-HCH9	-	-	•	•
Super Talent	W1333UA1GH	1GB	SS	Hynix	H5TQ1G83TFR	9		•	•
Super Talent	W1333UX2G8(XMP)	2GB(2x 1GB)	SS	-	-	8	•	•	
Super Talent	W1333UB2GS	2GB	DS	SAMSUNG	K4B1G0846F	9	-	•	•
Super Talent	W1333UB4GS	4GB	DS	SAMSUNG	K4B2G0846C		-	•	•
Super Talent	W1333UX6GM	6GB(3x 2GB)	DS	Micron	0BF27D9KPT	9-9-9- 24	1.5V	•	•
Transcend	JM1333KLN-2G	2GB	SS	Hynix	H5TQ2G83BZRH9C	-	-	•	•
Transcend	TS256MLK64V3U	2GB	DS	Micron	9GF27D9KPT	-	-	•	<u></u>
Transcend	TS1GLK64V3H	8GB	DS	Micron	IVD22D9PBC	9-9-9-	-	•	•
AMD	AE32G1339U1-U	2GB	SS	AMD	23EY4587MB3H11503M	9-9-9-	1.5V	•	•
AMD	AE34G1339U2-U	4GB	DS	AMD	23EY4587MB3H11503M	24	1.5V	•	•
Century	PC3-10600 DDR3-1333 9-9-9	1GB	SS	NANYA	NT5CB128M8DN-CF	-	-	•	<u>.</u>
Elixir	M2F2G64CB88B7N-CG	2GB	SS	Elixir	N2CB2G80BN-CG	-	-	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
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Elixir	M2F4G64CB8HD5N-CG	4GB	DS	Elixir	N2CB2G80DN-CG		-	·	-
KINGSHARE	KSRPCD313332G	2GB	DS	PATRIOT	PM128M8D385-15	-	-	•	-
	KSTD3PC-10600	2GB	SS	MICRON	PE911-125E				

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DDR3-1333 MHz capability

Vendors	Part No.	Size	SS/ DS	Chip Brand	Chip NO.	Timing	Voltage	DIMM sup	
			D3					1 DIMM	2 DIMM
Kingtiger	2GB DIMM PC3-10666	2GB	DS	SAMSUNG	SEC 904 HCH9 K4B1G0846D	-	-	•	
Kingtiger	KTG2G1333PG3	2GB	DS	-	-	-	-	•	•
MARKVISION	BMD32048M1333C9- 1123	2GB	DS	MARKVISION	M3D1288P-13	-	-		
MARKVISION	BMD34096M1333C9- 1124	4GB	DS	MARKVISION	M3D2568E-13	-	-		
PATRIOT	PSD31G13332H	1GB	DS	-	-	9	-	•	•
PATRIOT	PSD31G13332	1GB	DS	PATRIOT	PM64M8D38U-15	-	-	•	•
PATRIOT	PSD32G13332H	2GB	DS	-	-	-	-	•	•
PATRIOT	PG38G1333EL(XMP)	8GB	DS	-	-	9-9-9-24	1.5V	•	•
RAMAXEL	RMR1870ED48E8F-1333	2GB	DS	ELPIDA	J1108BDBG-DJ-F	-	-		•
RAMAXEL	RMR1870EC58E9F-1333	4GB	DS	ELPIDA	J2108BCSE-DJ-F	-	-	•	•
RiDATA	C304627CB1AG22Fe	2GB	DS	RiDATA	N/A	9	-	•	•
RiDATA	E304459CB1AG32Cf	4GB	DS	RiDATA	N/A	9	-	•	•
SILICON POWER	SP001GBLTU133S01	1GB	SS	NANYA	NT5CB128M8AN-CG	9	-		
SILICON POWER	SP001GBLTU133S02	1GB	SS	Elixir	N2CB1680AN-C6	9	-		
SILICON POWER	SP002GBLTU133S02	2GB	DS	Elixir	N2CB1680AN-C6	9	-	•	
TAKEMS	TMS1GB364D081-107EY	1GB	SS	-	-	7-7-7-20	1.5V	•	
TAKEMS	TMS2GB364D081-107EY	2GB	DS	-	-	7-7-7-20	1.5V		
TAKEMS	TMS2GB364D081-138EY	2GB	DS	-	-	8-8-8-24	1.5V		
TAKEMS	TMS2GB364D082- 138EW	2GB	DS	-	-	8-8-8-24	1.5V		
UMAX	E41302GP0-73BDB	2GB	DS	UMAX	U2S24D30TP-13				•
WINTEC	3WVS31333-2G-CNR	2GB	DS	AMPO	AM3420803-13H		-		



DDR3 1333MHz memory module will run at DDR3 1066MHz frequency as default.



SS: Single-sided / DS: Double-sided DIMM support:

 1 DIMM: Supports one module inserted into either slot as single-channel memory configuration.



Visit the ASUS website at www.asus.com for the latest QVL.

1.5 Expansion slots

In the future, you may need to install expansion cards. The following sub-sections describe the slots and the expansion cards that they support.



Unplug the power cord before adding or removing expansion cards. Failure to do so may cause you physical injury and damage motherboard components.

1.5.1 Installing an expansion card

To install an expansion card:

- Before installing the expansion card, read the documentation that came with it and make the necessary hardware settings for the card.
- 2. Remove the system unit cover (if your motherboard is already installed in a chassis).
- Remove the bracket opposite the slot that you intend to use. Keep the screw for later use.
- Align the card connector with the slot and press firmly until the card is completely seated on the slot.
- 5. Secure the card to the chassis with the screw you removed earlier.
- 6. Replace the system cover.

1.5.2 Configuring an expansion card

After installing the expansion card, configure it by adjusting the software settings.

- Turn on the system and change the necessary BIOS settings, if any. See Chapter 2 for information on BIOS setup.
- 2. Assign an IRQ to the card.
- Install the software drivers for the expansion card.



When using PCI cards on shared slots, ensure that the drivers support "Share IRQ" or that the cards do not need IRQ assignments. Otherwise, conflicts will arise between the two PCI groups, making the system unstable and the card inoperable.

1.5.3 PCI Express x16 slot

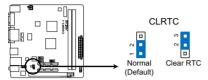
This motherboard has a PCI Express 2.0 x16 slot that supports PCI Express x16 2.0 graphic cards complying with the PCI Express specifications.

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1.6 Jumpers

Clear RTC RAM (3-pin CLRTC)

This jumper allows you to clear the Real Time Clock (RTC) RAM in CMOS. You can clear the CMOS memory of date, time, and system setup parameters by erasing the CMOS RTC RAM data. The onboard button cell battery powers the RAM data in CMOS, which include system setup information such as system passwords.



C60M1-I Clear RTC RAM

To erase the RTC RAM:

- 1. Turn OFF the computer and unplug the power cord.
- 2. Move the jumper cap from pins 1-2 (default) to pins 2-3. Keep the cap on pins 2-3 for about 5-10 seconds, then move the cap back to pins 1-2.
- 3. Plug the power cord and turn ON the computer.
- Hold down the key during the boot process and enter BIOS setup to re-enter data.



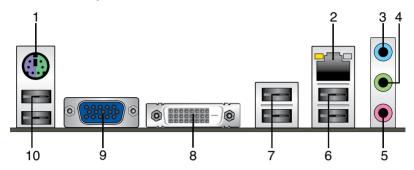
Except when clearing the RTC RAM, never remove the cap on CLRTC jumper default position. Removing the cap will cause system boot failure!



If the steps above do not help, remove the onboard battery and move the jumper again to clear the CMOS RTC RAM data. After clearing the CMOS, reinstall the battery.

1.7 Connectors

1.7.1 Rear panel connectors



- PS/2 Keyboard / Mouse Combo port. This port is for a PS/2 keyboard or PS/2 mouse.
- LAN (RJ-45) port. This port allows Gigabit connection to a Local Area Network (LAN) through a network hub. Refer to the table below for the LAN port LED indications.

LAN port LED indications Activity Link Speed LED LED ACT/LINK LED SPEED LED OFF OFF No link 10 Mbps connection ORANGE Linked ORANGE 100 Mbps connection BLINKING Data activity GREEN 1 Gbps connection LAN port

- Line In port (light blue). This port connects the tape, CD, DVD player, or other audio sources.
- 4. Line Out port (lime). This port connects to a headphone or a speaker. In 4-channel, 6-channel, and 8-channel configurations, the function of this port becomes Front Speaker Out.
- 5. Microphone port (pink). This port connects a microphone.



Refer to the audio configuration table below for the function of the audio ports in the 2, 4, 6, or 8-channel configuration.

Audio 2, 4, 6, 8-channel configuration

Port	Headset 2-channel	4-channel	6-channel	8-channel
Light Blue (Rear panel)	Line In	Rear Speaker Out	Rear Speaker Out	Rear Speaker Out
Lime (Rear panel)	Line Out	Front Speaker Out	Front Speaker Out	Front Speaker Out
Pink (Rear panel)	Mic In	Mic In	Bass/Center	Bass/Center
Lime (Front panel)	-	-	-	Side Speaker Out

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To configure an 8-channel audio output:

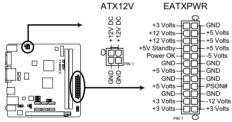
Use a chassis with HD audio module in the front panel to support an 8-channel audio output.

- USB 2.0 ports 1 and 2. These two 4-pin Universal Serial Bus (USB) ports are for USB 2 0/1 1 devices
- USB 2.0 ports 3 and 4. These two 4-pin Universal Serial Bus (USB) ports are for USB 2.0/1.1 devices.
- DVI-D port. This port is for any DVI-D compatible device. DVI-D can't be converted to output RGB Signal to CRT and isn't compatible with DVI-I.
- Video Graphics Adapter (VGA) port. This 15-pin port is for a VGA monitor or other VGA-compatible devices.
- **10. USB 2.0 ports 5 and 6**. These two 4-pin Universal Serial Bus (USB) ports are for USB 2.0/1.1 devices

1.7.2 Internal connectors

1. ATX power connectors (24-pin EATXPWR, 4-pin ATX12V)

These connectors are for ATX power supply plugs. The power supply plugs are designed to fit these connectors in only one orientation. Find the proper orientation and push down firmly until the connectors completely fit.



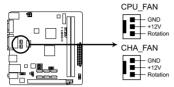
C60M1-I ATX power connectors



- For a fully configured system, we recommend that you use a power supply unit (PSU) that complies with ATX 12 V Specification 2.0 (or later version) and provides a minimum power of 350 W.
- DO NOT forget to connect the 4-pin ATX +12V power plug. Otherwise, the system will not boot up.
- We recommend that you use a PSU with higher power output when configuring a system with more power-consuming devices. The system may become unstable or may not boot up if the power is inadequate.
- If you are uncertain about the minimum power supply requirement for your system, refer to the Recommended Power Supply Wattage Calculator at http://support.asus.com/PowerSupplyCalculator/PSCalculator.aspx?SLanguage=en-us for details.

2. CPU and chassis fan connectors (3-pin CPU_FAN, 3-pin CHA_FAN)

Connect the fan cables to the fan connectors on the motherboard, ensuring that the black wire of each cable matches the ground pin of the connector.



C60M1-I fan connectors



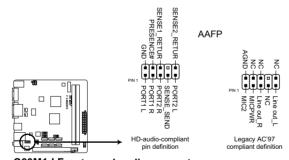
Do not forget to connect the fan cables to the fan connectors. Insufficient air flow inside the system may damage the motherboard components. These are not jumpers! Do not place jumper caps on the fan connectors!



The CPU_FAN connector supports a CPU fan of maximum 2A (24 W) fan power.

3. Front panel audio connector (10-1 pin AAFP)

This connector is for a chassis-mounted front panel audio I/O module that supports either HD Audio or legacy AC`97 audio standard. Connect one end of the front panel audio I/O module cable to this connector.



C60M1-I Front panel audio connector

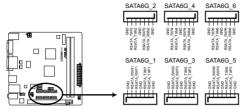


- We recommend that you connect a high-definition front panel audio module to this connector to avail of the motherboard's high-definition audio capability.
- If you want to connect a high-definition front panel audio module to this connector, set
 the Front Panel Type item in the BIOS setup to [HD]. If you want to connect an AC'97
 front panel audio module to this connector, set the item to [AC97]. By default, this
 connector is set to [HD]. See section 2.5.5 Onboard Devices Configuration for details.

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4. Serial ATA 6.0Gb/s connectors (7-pin SATA6G_1~6)

These connectors connect to Serial ATA $6.0~{\rm Gb/s}$ hard disk drives via Serial ATA $6.0~{\rm Gb/s}$ signal cables.



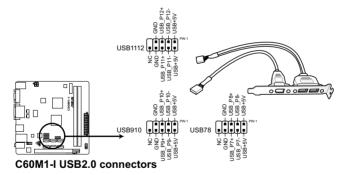
C60M1-I SATA 6.0Gb/s connectors



- These connectors are set to [IDE] by default. In IDE mode, you can connect Serial ATA boot/data hard disk drives to these connectors.
- When using hot-plug and NCQ, set the OnChip SATA Type item in the BIOS to [AHCI].
 See section 2.5.2 SATA Configuration for details.

5. USB 2.0 connectors (10-1 pin USB78, USB910, USB1112)

These connectors are for USB 2.0 ports. Connect the USB module cable to any of these connectors, then install the module to a slot opening at the back of the system chassis. These USB connectors comply with USB 2.0 specification that supports up to 480 Mbps connection speed.





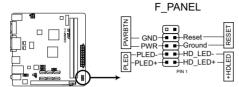
Never connect a 1394 cable to the USB connectors. Doing so will damage the motherboard!



The USB module cable is purchased separately.

6. System panel connector (10-1 pin F PANEL)

This connector supports several chassis-mounted functions.



C60M1-I System panel connector

System power LED (2-pin PLED)

This 2-pin connector is for the system power LED. Connect the chassis power LED cable to this connector. The system power LED lights up when you turn on the system power, and blinks when the system is in sleep mode.

Hard disk drive activity LED (2-pin +HDLED)

This 2-pin connector is for the HDD Activity LED. Connect the HDD Activity LED cable to this connector. The IDE LED lights up or flashes when data is read from or written to the HDD.

Power/Soft-off button (2-pin PWRBTN)

This 2-pin connector is for the system power button.

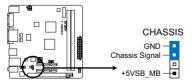
Reset button (2-pin RESET)

This 2-pin connector is for the chassis-mounted reset button for system reboot without turning off the system power.

7. Chassis intrusion connector (4-1 pin CHASSIS)

This connector is for a chassis-mounted intrusion detection sensor or switch. Connect one end of the chassis intrusion sensor or switch cable to this connector. The chassis intrusion sensor or switch sends a high-level signal to this connector when a chassis component is removed or replaced. The signal is then generated as a chassis intrusion event.

By default, the pin labeled "Chassis Signal" and "Ground" are shorted with a jumper cap. Remove the jumper caps only when you intend to use the chassis intrusion detection feature.



C60M1-I Chassis intrusion connector

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1.8 Software support

1.8.1 Installing an operating system

This motherboard supports Windows® XP / Vista / 7 Operating Systems (OS). Always install the latest OS version and corresponding updates to maximize the features of your hardware.



- Motherboard settings and hardware options vary. Refer to your OS documentation for detailed information.
- Ensure that you install Windows® XP Service Pack 3 or later versions / Windows® Vista Service Pack 1 or later versions before installing the drivers for better compatibility and system stability.

1.8.2 Support DVD information

The Support DVD that comes with the motherboard package contains the drivers, software applications, and utilities that you can install to avail all motherboard features.



The contents of the Support DVD are subject to change at any time without notice. Visit the ASUS website at www.asus.com for updates.

To run the Support DVD

Place the Support DVD to the optical drive. If Autorun is enabled on your computer, the DVD automatically displays the Specials screen. Click Drivers, Utilities, Manual, Contact, and Specials tabs to display the respective menus.



The following screen is for reference only.



Click an item to install



If Autorun is NOT enabled in your computer, browse the contents of the Support DVD to locate the file ASSETUP.EXE from the BIN folder. Double-click the ASSETUP.EXE to run the DVD.

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Chapter 2

BIOS information

2.1 Managing and updating your BIOS



Save a copy of the original motherboard BIOS file to a USB flash disk in case you need to restore the BIOS in the future. Copy the original motherboard BIOS using the ASUS Update utility.

2.1.1 ASUS Update utility

The ASUS Update is a utility that allows you to manage, save, and update the motherboard BIOS in Windows® environment.



- ASUS Update requires an Internet connection either through a network or an Internet Service Provider (ISP).
- This utility is available in the support DVD that comes with the motherboard package.

Installing ASUS Update

To install ASUS Update:

- 1. Place the support DVD in the optical drive. The **Specials** menu appears.
- 2. Click the Utilities tab, then click Al Suite II.
- 3. Follow the onscreen instructions to complete the installation.



Quit all Windows® applications before you update the BIOS using this utility.

Updating the BIOS

To update the BIOS:

- From the Windows® desktop, click Start > Programs > ASUS > AI Suite II > AI Suite
 II X.XX.XX to launch the AI Suite II utility. The AI Suite II Quick Bar appears.
- Click Update button from the Quick Bar, and then click ASUS Update from the popup menu. The ASUS Update main screen appears. From the list, select either of the following methods:

Updating from the Internet

- Select Update BIOS from the Internet, then click Next.
- b. Select the ASUS FTP site nearest you to avoid network traffic, then click **Next**.
- From the FTP site, select the BIOS version that you wish to download then click Next.



The ASUS Update utility is capable of updating itself through the Internet. Always update the utility to avail all its features.

Updating from a BIOS file

- Select Update BIOS from file, then click Next.
- b. Locate the BIOS file from the **Open** window, then click **Open**.
- 3. Follow the onscreen instructions to complete the updating process.

2.1.2 ASUS EZ Flash 2

The ASUS EZ Flash 2 feature allows you to update the BIOS without using an OS-based utility.



Before you start using this utility, download the latest BIOS file from the ASUS website at www.asus.com.

To update the BIOS using EZ Flash 2:

- 1. Insert the USB flash disk that contains the latest BIOS file to the USB port.
- Enter the Advanced Mode of the BIOS setup program. Go to the Tool menu to select ASUS EZ Flash 2 Utility and press <Enter> to enable it.



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- 3. Press <Tab> to switch to the **Drive** field.
- Press the Up/Down arrow keys to find the USB flash disk that contains the latest BIOS, and then press <Enter>.
- 5. Press <Tab> to switch to the Folder Info field.
- 6. Press the Up/Down arrow keys to find the BIOS file, and then press <Enter> to perform the BIOS update process. Reboot the system when the update process is done.



- This function supports USB flash disks formatted using FAT32/FAT16 on a single partition.
- DO NOT shut down or reset the system while updating the BIOS to prevent system boot failure!

2.1.3 ASUS CrashFree BIOS 3 utility

The ASUS CrashFree BIOS 3 is an auto recovery tool that allows you to restore the BIOS file when it fails or gets corrupted during the updating process. You can restore a corrupted BIOS file using the motherboard support DVD or a USB flash drive that contains the updated BIOS file.



- Before using this utility, rename the BIOS file in the removable device into C60M1-I-ASUS-0204.ROM.
- The BIOS file in the support DVD may not be the latest version. Download the latest BIOS file from the ASUS website at www.asus.com.

Recovering the BIOS

To recover the BIOS:

- Turn on the system.
- Insert the support DVD to the optical drive or the USB flash drive that contains the BIOS file to the USB port.
- The utility automatically checks the devices for the BIOS file. When found, the utility reads the BIOS file and enters ASUS EZ Flash 2 utility automatically.
- The system requires you to enter BIOS Setup to recover BIOS setting. To ensure system compatibility and stability, we recommend that you press <F5> to load default BIOS values.



DO NOT shut down or reset the system while updating the BIOS! Doing so can cause system boot failure!

2.1.4 ASUS BIOS Updater

The ASUS BIOS Updater allows you to update BIOS in DOS environment. This utility also allows you to copy the current BIOS file that you can use as a backup when the BIOS fails or gets corrupted during the updating process.



The succeeding utility screens are for reference only. The actual utility screen displays may not be same as shown.

Before updating BIOS

- Prepare the motherboard support DVD and a USB flash drive in FAT32/16 format and single partition.
- Download the latest BIOS file and BIOS Updater from the ASUS website at http://support.asus.com and save them on the USB flash drive.



NTFS is not supported under DOS environment. Do not save the BIOS file and BIOS Updater to a hard disk drive or USB flash drive in NTFS format.

3. Turn off the computer and disconnect all SATA hard disk drives (optional).

Booting the system in DOS environment

- 1. Insert the USB flash drive with the latest BIOS file and BIOS Updater to the USB port.
- Boot your computer. When the ASUS Logo appears, press <F8> to show the BIOS
 Boot Device Select Menu. Insert the support DVD into the optical drive and select the
 optical drive as the boot device.



- When the Make Disk menu appears, select the FreeDOS command prompt item by pressing the item number.
- At the FreeDOS prompt, type d: and press <Enter> to switch the disk from Drive C (optical drive) to Drive D (USB flash drive).

Welcome to FreeDOS (http://www.freedos.org)!
C:\>d:
D:\>

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Backing up the current BIOS

To backup the current BIOS file using the BIOS Updater



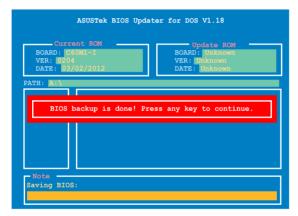
Ensure that the USB flash drive is not write-protected and has at least 4MB free space to save the file.

At the FreeDOS prompt, type bupdater /o[filename] and press <Enter>.



The [filename] is any user-assigned filename with no more than eight alphanumeric characters for the filename and three alphanumeric characters for the extension.

2. The BIOS Updater backup screen appears indicating the BIOS backup process. When BIOS backup is done, press any key to return to the DOS prompt.



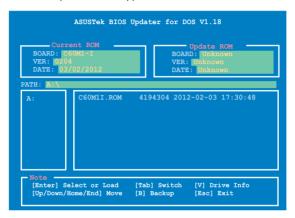
Updating the BIOS file

To update the BIOS file using BIOS Updater

1. At the FreeDOS prompt, type bupdater /pc /g and press <Enter>.

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D:\>bupdater /pc /q
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2. The BIOS Updater screen appears as below.



Press <Tab> to switch between screen fields and use the <Up/Down/Home/End> keys
to select the BIOS file and press <Enter>. BIOS Updater checks the selected BIOS file
and prompts you to confirm BIOS update.



 Select Yes and press <Enter>. When BIOS update is done, press <ESC> to exit BIOS Updater. Restart your computer.



DO NOT shut down or reset the system while updating the BIOS to prevent system boot failure!



- For BIOS Updater version 1.04 or later, the utility automatically exits to the DOS prompt after updating BIOS.
- Load the BIOS default settings to ensure system compatibility and stability. Select the Load Optimized Defaults item under the Exit menu. Refer to section 2.9 Exit menu for details.
- Reconnect all SATA hard disk drives after updating the BIOS file if you have disconnected them.

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2.2 BIOS setup program

Use the BIOS Setup program to update the BIOS or configure its parameters. The BIOS screens include navigation keys and brief online help to guide you in using the BIOS Setup program.

Entering BIOS Setup at startup

To enter BIOS Setup at startup:

Press <Delete> during the Power-On Self Test (POST). If you do not press <Delete>,
 POST continues with its routines.

Entering BIOS Setup after POST

To enter BIOS Setup after POST:

- Press <Ctrl>+<Alt>+ simultaneously.
- Press the reset button on the system chassis.
- Press the power button to turn the system off then back on. Do this option only if you failed to enter BIOS Setup using the first two options.



Using the **power button**, **reset button**, or the **<Ctrl>+<Alt>+** keys to force reset from a running operating system can cause damage to your data or system. We recommend to always shut down the system properly from the operating system.



- The BIOS setup screens shown in this section are for reference purposes only, and may not exactly match what you see on your screen.
- Visit the ASUS website at www.asus.com to download the latest BIOS file for this
 motherboard
- You can connect a USB mouse if you want to navigate the BIOS setup program without having to use a keyboard.
- If the system becomes unstable after changing any BIOS setting, load the default settings to ensure system compatibility and stability. Select the Load Optimized Defaults item under the Exit menu. See section 2.9 Exit Menu for details.
- If the system fails to boot after changing any BIOS setting, try to clear the CMOS and reset the motherboard to the default value. See section 1.6 Jumpers for information on how to erase the RTC RAM.

BIOS menu screen

The BIOS setup program can be used under two modes: **EZ Mode** and **Advanced Mode**. You can change modes from the **Exit** menu or from the **Exit/Advanced Mode** button in the **EZ Mode/Advanced Mode** screen

F7 Mode

By default, the **EZ Mode** screen appears when you enter the BIOS setup program. The **EZ Mode** provides you an overview of the basic system information, and allows you to select the display language, system performance mode and boot device priority. To access the **Advanced Mode**. click **Exit/Advanced Mode**, then select **Advanced Mode**.



The default screen for entering the BIOS setup program can be changed. Refer to the **Setup Mode** item in section **2.7 Boot menu** for details.

Selects the display language of the BIOS setup program

Clicks to display all fan speeds if available

Displays the CPU/motherboard temperature, CPU/5V/3.3V/12V voltage output, CPU/chassis fan speed

Exits the BIOS setup program without saving the changes, saves the changes and resets the system, or enters the Advanced Mode





- The boot device options vary depending on the devices you installed to the system.
- The Boot Menu(F8) button is available only when the boot device is installed to the system.

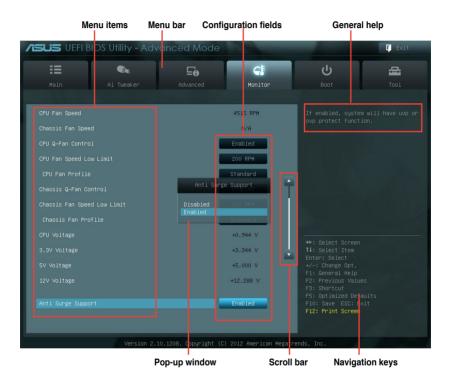
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Advanced Mode

The **Advanced Mode** provides advanced options for experienced end-users to configure the BIOS settings. The figure below shows an example of the **Advanced Mode**. Refer to the following sections for the detailed configurations.



To access the EZ Mode, click Exit, then select ASUS EZ Mode.



Menu items

The highlighted item on the menu bar displays the specific items for that menu. For example, selecting **Main** shows the Main menu items.

The other items (Ai Tweaker, Advanced, Monitor, Boot, Tool, and Exit) on the menu bar have their respective menu items.

Back button

This button appears when entering a submenu. Press <Esc> or use the USB mouse to click this button to return to the previous menu screen.

Submenu items

A greater than sign (>) before each item on any menu screen means that the item has a submenu. To display the submenu, select the item and press <Enter>.

Pop-up window

Select a menu item and press <Enter> to display a pop-up window with the configuration options for that item.

Scroll bar

A scroll bar appears on the right side of a menu screen when there are items that do not fit on the screen. Press the Up/Down arrow keys or <Page Up> / <Page Down> keys to display the other items on the screen.

Navigation keys

At the bottom right corner of the menu screen are the navigation keys for the BIOS setup program. Use the navigation keys to select items in the menu and change the settings.

General help

At the top right corner of the menu screen is a brief description of the selected item.

Configuration fields

These fields show the values for the menu items. If an item is user-configurable, you can change the value of the field opposite the item. You cannot select an item that is not user-configurable.

A configurable field is highlighted when selected. To change the value of a field, select it and press <Enter> to display a list of options.

2.3 Main menu

The Main menu screen appears when you enter the Advanced Mode of the BIOS Setup program. The Main menu provides you an overview of the basic system information, and allows you to set the system date, time, language, and security settings.



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2.3.1 System Language [English]

Allows you to choose the BIOS language version from the options. Configuration options: [English] [Français] [Deutsch] [简体中文] [繁體中文] [日本語]

2.3.2 System Date [Day xx/xx/xxxx]

Allows you to set the system date.

2.3.3 System Time [xx:xx:xx]

Allows you to set the system time.

2.3.4 Security

The Security menu items allow you to change the system security settings.



- If you have forgotten your BIOS password, erase the CMOS Real Time Clock (RTC) RAM to clear the BIOS password. See section 1.6 Jumpers for information on how to erase the RTC RAM.
- The Administrator or User Password items on top of the screen show the default Not Installed. After you set a password, these items show Installed.

Administrator Password

If you have set an administrator password, we recommend that you enter the administrator password for accessing the system. Otherwise, you might be able to see or change only selected fields in the BIOS setup program.

To set an administrator password:

- Select the Administrator Password item and press < Enter>.
- 2. From the Create New Password box, key in a password, then press <Enter>.
- 3. Confirm the password when prompted.

To change an administrator password:

- Select the Administrator Password item and press < Enter>.
- From the Enter Current Password box, key in the current password, then press <Enter>.
- 3. From the Create New Password box, key in a new password, then press <Enter>.
- Confirm the password when prompted.

To clear the administrator password, follow the same steps as in changing an administrator password, but press <Enter> when prompted to create/confirm the password. After you clear the password, the **Administrator Password** item on top of the screen shows **Not Installed**.

User Password

If you have set a user password, you must enter the user password for accessing the system. The **User Password** item on top of the screen shows the default **Not Installed**. After you set a password, this item shows **Installed**.

To set a user password:

- 1. Select the **User Password** item and press <Enter>.
- 2. From the Create New Password box, key in a password, then press <Enter>.
- 3. Confirm the password when prompted.

To change a user password:

- 1. Select the **User Password** item and press <Enter>.
- From the Enter Current Password box, key in the current password, then press
- 3. From the **Create New Password** box, key in a new password, then press <Enter>.
- 4. Confirm the password when prompted.

To clear the user password, follow the same steps as in changing a user password, but press <Enter> when prompted to create/confirm the password. After you clear the password, the **User Password** item on top of the screen shows **Not Installed**.

2.4 Ai Tweaker menu

The Ai Tweaker menu items allow you to configure overclocking-related items.



Be cautious when changing the settings of the Ai Tweaker menu items. Incorrect field values can cause the system to malfunction.



The configuration options for this section vary depending on the CPU and DIMM model you installed on the motherboard.



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2.4.1 Ai Overclock Tuner [Auto]

Allows you to select the CPU overclocking options to achieve the desired CPU internal frequency. Select any of these preset overclocking configuration options:

[Auto] Loads the optimal settings for the system.

[Manual] Allows you to individually set overclocking parameters.

APU Frequency [XXX]

This item appears only when you set the **Ai Overclock Tuner** item to [Manual]. Use the <+> and <-> keys to adjust the value. You can also key in the desired value using the numeric keypad. The values range from 90.0MHz to 300.0MHz.

2.4.2 Memory Frequency [Auto]

Allows you to set the memory operating frequency. Configuration options: [Auto] [DDR3-800MHz] [DDR3-1066MHz] [DDR3-1333MHz]



Selecting a very high memory frequency may cause the system to become unstable! If this happens, revert to the default setting.

2.4.3 DRAM Timing Control

The sub-items in this menu allow you to set the DRAM timing control features. Use the <+> and <-> keys to adjust the value. To restore the default setting, type [auto] using the keyboard and press <Enter>.



Changing the values in this menu may cause the system to become unstable! If this happens, revert to the default settings.

2.4.4 CPU Offset Mode Sign [+]

- [+] To offset the voltage by a positive value.
- [-] To offset the voltage by a negative value.

CPU Voltage [Auto]

Allows you to set the CPU Offset voltage. The values range from -0.3V to +0.5V with a 0.00625V interval.



Refer to the CPU documentation before setting the CPU voltage. Setting a high voltage may damage the CPU permanently, and setting a low voltage may make the system unstable.

2.4.5 VDDNB Offset Mode Sign [+]

[+] To offset the voltage by a positive value.

[-] To offset the voltage by a negative value.

VDDNB Voltage [Auto]

Allows you to set the VDDNB Offset voltage. The values range from -0.3V to +0.5V with a 0.00625V interval.

2.4.6 DRAM Voltage [Auto]

Allows you to set the DRAM voltage. The values range from 1.35V to 2.10V with a 0.075V interval

2.4.7 SB 1.1V Voltage [Auto]

Allows you to set the Southbridge 1.1V voltage. The values range from 1.1V to 1.2V with a 0.01V interval

2.4.8 APU 1.8V Voltage [Auto]

Allows you to set the APU (Accelerated Processor Unit) 1.8V voltage. The values range from 1.8000V to 1.9000V with a 0.1V interval.

2.4.9 APU 1.05V Voltage [Auto]

Allows you to set the APU 1.05V voltage. The values range from 1.0500V to 1.1500V with a 0.01V interval.



The system may need a better cooling system to work well under high voltage settings.

2.4.10 APU Spread Spectrum [Auto]

[Auto] Automatic configuration.

[Disabled] Enhances the PCIE overclocking ability.

[Enabled] Sets to [Enabled] for EMI control.

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2.5 Advanced menu

The Advanced menu items allow you to change the settings for the CPU and other system devices.



Be cautious when changing the settings of the Advanced menu items. Incorrect field values can cause the system to malfunction.



2.5.1 CPU Configuration

The items in this menu show the CPU-related information that the BIOS automatically detects.



The items shown in submenu may be different due to the CPU you installed.

Cool 'n' Quiet [Enabled]

Enables or disables the generation of ACPI _PPC, _PSS, and _PCT objects. Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

PSTATE Adjustment [PSTATE 0]

Setting to adjust startup P-state level.

NX Mode [Enabled]

Enables or disables no-execute page protection function. Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

SVM Mode [Enabled]

Enables or disables CPU virtualization. Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

C6 Mode [Enabled]

Enables or disables C6 mode. Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

CPB Mode [Auto]

Enables or disables CPB. Configuration options: [Auto] [Disabled]

2.5.2 SATA Configuration

While entering Setup, the BIOS automatically detects the presence of SATA devices. The SATA Port items show **Not Present** if no SATA device is installed to the corresponding SATA port.

OnChip SATA Channel [Enabled]

Enables or disables onboard channel SATA port. Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

OnChip SATA Type [IDE]

Allows you to set the SATA configuration.

[IDE] Set to [IDE] when you want to use the Serial ATA hard disk drives as

Parallel ATA physical storage devices.

[AHCI] Set to [AHCI] when you want the SATA hard disk drives to use the AHCI

(Advanced Host Controller Interface). The AHCI allows the onboard storage driver to enable advanced Serial ATA features that increases storage performance on random workloads by allowing the drive to internally

optimize the order of commands.

OnChip SATA Speed [Auto]

Sets the onboard SATA port speed. Configuration options: [Auto] [SATA 3.0Gb/s] [SATA 6.0Gb/s]

S.M.A.R.T. Status Check [Enabled]

S.M.A.R.T. (Self-Monitoring, Analysis and Reporting Technology) is a monitor system. When read/write of your hard disk errors occur, this feature allows the hard disk to report warning messages during the POST. Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

2.5.3 USB Configuration

The items in this menu allow you to change USB-related features.



The **USB Devices** item displays attached USB devices and auto-detected values. If no USB device is detected, the item shows **None**.

Legacy USB Support [Enabled]

[Enabled] Enables the support for USB devices on legacy operating systems (OS). [Disabled] The USB devices can be used only for the BIOS setup program.

[Disabled] The USB devices can be used only for the BIOS setup program.

[Auto] Allows the system to detect the presence of USB devices at startup. If

detected, the USB controller legacy mode is enabled. If no USB device is

detected, the legacy USB support is disabled.

EHCI Hand-off [Disabled]

[Enabled] Enables the support for operating systems without an EHCI hand-off

feature.

[Disabled] Disables the function.

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2.5.4 NB Configuration

IGFX Multi-Monitor [Disabled]

Enables or disables the Internal Graphics Device Multi-Monitor support for add-on VGA devices. And the memory size of Internal Graphics Device will keep memory reserved. Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Primary Video Device [PCIE Video]

Selects the primary display device. Configuration options: [IGFX Video] [PCIE Video]

Integrated Graphics [Auto]

Enables the integrated graphics controller. Configuration options: [Auto] [Force]

2.5.5 Onboard Devices Configuration

HD Audio Device [Enabled]

Enables or disables the Azalia High Definition Audio controller. **Configuration options**: [Disabled] [Enabled]

Front Panel Type [HD]

Allows you to set the front panel audio connector (AAFP) mode to legacy AC'97 or highdefinition audio depending on the audio standard that the front panel audio module supports. [HD] Sets the front panel audio connector (AAFP) mode to high definition audio.

[AC97] Sets the front panel audio connector (AAFP) mode to legacy AC'97.

Realtek LAN Controller [Enabled]

[Fnabled] Enables the Bealtek LAN controller

[Disabled] Disables the controller.

Realtek PXE OPROM [Disabled]

This item appears only when you set the previous item to [Enabled] and allows you to enable or disable the PXE OptionRom of the Realtek LAN controller.

Configuration options: [Enabled] [Disabled]

2.5.6 APM

EuP Ready [Disabled]

This setting allows the BIOS to switch off some power at S5 to prepare the system for EuP. When set to Enabled, all other PME options will be switched off.

Restore AC Power Loss [Power Off]

[Power On] The system goes into on state after an AC power loss.

[Power Off] The system goes into off state after an AC power loss.

[Last State] The system goes into either off or on state, whatever the system state was

before the AC power loss.

Power On By PS/2 Keyboard [Disabled]

[Disabled] Disables the Power On by a PS/2 keyboard.

[Space Bar] Sets the Space Bar on the PS/2 keyboard to turn on the system.

[Ctrl-Esc] Sets the Ctrl+Esc key on the PS/2 keyboard to turn on the system.

[Power Key] Sets Power key on the PS/2 keyboard to turn on the system. This feature

requires an ATX power supply that provides at least 1A on the +5VSB lead.

Power On By PS/2 Mouse [Disabled]

[Disabled] Disables the Power On by a PS/2 mouse.

[Enabled] Enables the Power On by a PS/2 mouse. This feature requires an ATX

power supply that provides at least 1A on the +5VSB lead.

Power On By PME [Disabled]

[Disabled] Disables PME wake from sleep states. [Enabled] Enables PME wake from sleep states.

2.6 Monitor menu

The Monitor menu displays the system temperature/power status, and allows you to change the fan settings.



Scroll down to display the following items:



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2.6.1 CPU Temperature / MB Temperature [xxx°C/xxx°F]

The onboard hardware monitor automatically detects and displays the CPU and motherboard temperatures. Select **Ignore** if you do not wish to display the detected temperatures.

2.6.2 CPU / Chassis Fan Speed [xxxx RPM] or [Ignore] / [N/A]

The onboard hardware monitor automatically detects and displays the CPU and chassis fan speeds in rotations per minute (RPM). If the fan is not connected to the motherboard, the field shows **N/A**. Select **Ignore** if you do not wish to display the detected speed.

2.6.3 CPU Q-Fan Control [Enabled]

[Disabled] Disables the CPU Q-Fan control feature. [Enabled] Enables the CPU Q-Fan control feature.

CPU Fan Speed Low Limit [600 RPM]

This item appears only when you enable the **CPU Q-Fan Control** feature and allows you to disable or set the CPU fan warning speed.

Configuration options: [Ignore] [200 RPM] [300 RPM] [400 RPM] [500 RPM] [600 RPM]

CPU Fan Profile [Standard]

This item appears only when you enable the **CPU Q-Fan Control** feature and allows you to set the appropriate performance level of the CPU fan.

[Standard] Sets to [Standard] to make the CPU fan automatically adjust depending on the CPU temperature.

[Silent] Sets to [Silent] to minimize the fan speed for quiet CPU fan operation.

[Turbo] Sets to [Turbo] to achieve maximum CPU fan speed.

[Manual] Sets to [Manual] to assign detailed fan speed control parameters.



The following four items appear only when you set CPU Fan Profile to [Manual].

CPU Upper Temperature [70]

Use the <+> and <-> keys to adjust the upper limit of the CPU temperature. The values range from 20° C to 90° C.

CPU Fan Max. Duty Cycle(%) [100]

Use the <+> and <-> keys to adjust the maximum CPU fan duty cycle. The values range from 40% to 100%. When the CPU temperature reaches the upper limit, the CPU fan will operate at the maximum duty cycle.

CPU Lower Temperature [20]

Displays the lower limit of the CPU temperature.

CPU Fan Min. Duty Cycle(%) [40]

Use the <+> and <>> keys to adjust the minimum CPU fan duty cycle. The values range from 40% to 100%. When the CPU temperature is under 40° C, the CPU fan will operate at the minimum duty cycle.

2.6.4 Chassis Q-Fan Control [Enabled]

[Disabled] Disables the Chassis Q-Fan control feature. [Enabled] Enables the Chassis Q-Fan control feature.

Chassis Fan Speed Low Limit [600 RPM]

This item appears only when you enable the **Chassis Q-Fan Control** feature and allows you to disable or set the chassis fan warning speed. Configuration options: [Ignore] [200 RPM] [300 RPM] [400 RPM] [500 RPM] [600 RPM]

Chassis Fan Profile [Standard]

This item appears only when you enable the **Chassis Q-Fan Control** feature and allows you to set the appropriate performance level of the chassis fan.

[Standard] Sets to [Standard] to make the chassis fan automatically adjust depending on the chassis temperature.

[Silent] Sets to [Silent] to minimize the fan speed for quiet chassis fan operation.

[Turbo] Sets to [Turbo] to achieve maximum chassis fan speed.

[Manual] Sets to [Manual] to assign detailed fan speed control parameters.



The following four items appear only when you set Chassis Fan Profile to [Manual].

Chassis Upper Temperature [70]

Use the <+> and <-> keys to adjust the upper limit of the CPU temperature. The values range from 20°C to 90°C.

Chassis Fan Max. Duty Cycle(%) [100]

Use the <+> and <-> keys to adjust the maximum chassis fan duty cycle. The values range from 40% to 100%. When the chassis temperature reaches the upper limit, the chassis fan will operate at the maximum duty cycle.

Chassis Lower Temperature [20]

Displays the lower limit of the chassis temperature.

CPU Fan Min. Duty Cycle(%) [40]

Use the <+> and <-> keys to adjust the minimum chassis fan duty cycle. The values range from 40% to 100%. When the chassis temperature is under 40° C, the chassis fan will operate at the minimum duty cycle.

2.6.5 CPU Voltage, 3.3V Voltage, 5V Voltage, 12V Voltage

The onboard hardware monitor automatically detects the voltage output through the onboard voltage regulators. Select **Ignore** if you do not want to detect this item.

2.6.6 Anti Surge Support [Enabled]

This item allows you to enable or disable the Anti Surge function. Configuration options: [Disabled] [Enabled]

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The Boot menu items allow you to change the system boot options.



2.7.1 Bootup NumLock State [On]

Sets the power-on state of the NumLock to [On]. [On] [Off] Sets the power-on state of the NumLock to [Off].

2.7.2 Full Screen Logo [Enabled]

[Enabled] Enables the full screen logo display feature. [Disabled] Disables the full screen logo display feature.



Set this item to [Enabled] to use the ASUS MyLogo 2™ feature.

Post Report [5 sec]

This item appears only when the Full Screen Logo item is set to [Disabled] and allows you to set the waiting time for the system to display the post report. Configuration options: [1 sec] [2 sec] [3 sec] [4 sec] [5 sec] [6 sec] [7 sec] [8 sec] [9 sec] [10 sec] [Until Press ESC]

2.7.3 Option ROM Messages [Force BIOS]

[Force BIOS] The third-party ROM messages will be forced to display during the boot sequence.

[Keep Current] The third-party ROM messages will be displayed only if the third-party

manufacturer had set the add-on device to do so

2.7.4 Setup Mode [EZ Mode]

[Advanced Mode] Sets Advanced Mode as the default screen when entering the BIOS setup

program.

[EZ Mode] Sets EZ Mode as the default screen when entering the BIOS setup

program.

2.7.5 Boot Option Priorities

These items specify the boot device priority sequence from the available devices. The device items that appears on the screen depends on the number of bootable devices installed on the system.



- To select the boot device during system startup, press <F8> when the ASUS Logo appears.
- Windows Safe Mode can be accessed by pressing <F8> after POST is completed.

2.7.6 Boot Override

This option displays the available bootable devices. The number of device items that appears on the screen depends on the number of bootable devices installed on the system. Click an item to start booting from the selected device.

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2.8 Tools menu

The Tools menu displays items for configuring included features. Select an item then press <Enter> to display the submenu.



2.8.1 ASUS EZ Flash 2 Utility

Press [Enter] to launch the ASUS EZ Flash 2 screen.



For more details, see section 2.1.2 ASUS EZ Flash 2.

2.8.2 ASUS O.C. Profile

This utility stores or loads multiple BIOS settings.



The Setup Profile Status items show Not Installed if no profile is created.

Save to Profile

This option saves the current BIOS settings to the BIOS Flash, and creates a profile. Key in a profile number from one to eight, press <Enter>, and then select **Yes**.

Load from Profile

This option loads the previous BIOS settings saved in the BIOS Flash. Key in the profile number that saved your CMOS settings, press <Enter>, and then select **Yes**.



- DO NOT shut down or reset the system while updating the BIOS to prevent system boot failure!
- We recommend you update the BIOS file on hardware that has the same memory/CPU configuration and BIOS version.

2.9 Exit menu

The Exit menu items allow you to load the optimal default values for the BIOS items, and save or discard your changes to the BIOS items. You can access the **EZ Mode** from the Exit menu.



Load Optimized Defaults

This option allows you to load the default values for each of the parameters on the Setup menus. When you select this option or if you press <F5>, a confirmation window appears. Select **Yes** to load the default values.

Save Changes & Reset

Once you are finished making your selections, choose this option from the Exit menu to ensure the values you selected are saved. When you select this option or if you press <F10>, a confirmation window appears. Select **Yes** to save changes and exit.

Discard Changes & Exit

This option allows you to exit the Setup program without saving your changes. When you select this option or if you press <Esc>, a confirmation window appears. Select **Yes** to discard changes and exit.

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This option allows you to enter the EZ Mode screen.

Launch EFI Shell from filesystem device

This option allows you to attempt to launch the EFI Shell application (shellx64.efi) from one of the available devices that have a filesystem.

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Appendices

Notices

Federal Communications Commission Statement

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- This device may not cause harmful interference.
- This device must accept any interference received including interference that may cause undesired operation.

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with manufacturer's instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment to an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.



The use of shielded cables for connection of the monitor to the graphics card is required to assure compliance with FCC regulations. Changes or modifications to this unit not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

IC: Canadian Compliance Statement

Complies with the Canadian ICES-003 Class B specifications. This device complies with RSS 210 of Industry Canada. This Class B device meets all the requirements of the Canadian interference-causing equipment regulations.

This device complies with Industry Canada license exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

Cut appareil numérique de la Classe B est conforme à la norme NMB-003 du Canada. Cet appareil numérique de la Classe B respecte toutes les exigences du Règlement sur le matériel brouilleur du Canada.

Cet appareil est conforme aux normes CNR exemptes de licence d'Industrie Canada. Le fonctionnement est soumis aux deux conditions suivantes :

- (1) cet appareil ne doit pas provoquer d'interférences et
- (2) cet appareil doit accepter toute interférence, y compris celles susceptibles de provoquer un fonctionnement non souhaité de l'appareil.

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Canadian Department of Communications Statement

This digital apparatus does not exceed the Class B limits for radio noise emissions from digital apparatus set out in the Radio Interference Regulations of the Canadian Department of Communications.

This class B digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003.

VCCI: Japan Compliance Statement

VCCI Class B Statement

情報処理装置等電波障害自主規制について

この装置は、情報処理装置等電波障害自主規制協議会(VCCI)の基準に基づくクラスB情報技術装置です。この装置は家庭環境で使用されることを目的としていますが、この装置がラジオやテレビジョン受信機に近接して使用されると、受信障害を引き起こすことがあります。

取扱説明書に従って正しい取り扱いをして下さい。

KC: Korea Warning Statement

B급 기기 (가정용 방송통신기자재)

이 기기는 가정용(B급) 전자파직합기기로서 주로 가정에서 사용하는 것을 목적으로 하며, 모든 지역에서 사용할 수 있습니다.

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RFACH

Complying with the REACH (Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation, and Restriction of Chemicals) regulatory framework, we published the chemical substances in our products at ASUS REACH website at http://csr.asus.com/english/REACH.htm.



DO NOT throw the motherboard in municipal waste. This product has been designed to enable proper reuse of parts and recycling. This symbol of the crossed out wheeled bin indicates that the product (electrical and electronic equipment) should not be placed in municipal waste. Check local regulations for disposal of electronic products.



DO NOT throw the mercury-containing button cell battery in municipal waste. This symbol of the crossed out wheeled bin indicates that the battery should not be placed in municipal waste.

ASUS Recycling/Takeback Services

ASUS recycling and takeback programs come from our commitment to the highest standards for protecting our environment. We believe in providing solutions for you to be able to responsibly recycle our products, batteries, other components as well as the packaging materials. Please go to http://csr.asus.com/english/Takeback.htm for the detailed recycling information in different regions.

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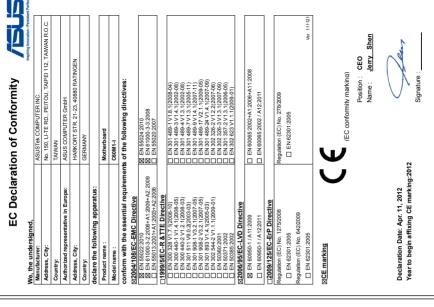
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Appendices A-3

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