

# **MI997AF**

**Intel® 12th Gen Core™ i7/i5/i3 /  
Celeron Mini-ITX Motherboard**

## **User's Manual**

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- Place the PCB on an anti-static kit or mat.
- Hold the edges of PCB when handling.
- Touch the edges of non-metallic components of the product instead of the surface of the PCB.
- Ground yourself by touching a grounded conductor or a grounded bit of metal frequently to discharge any static.



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  - Product serial number
  - Detailed description of the problem
  - The error messages in text or in screenshots if there is any
  - The arrangement of the peripherals
  - Software in use (such as OS and application software, including the version numbers)
3. If repair service is required, please log in to the RMA system of the website or contact your distributor or sales representative for assistance.

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# Chapter 1

## General Information

The information provided in this chapter includes:

- Features
- Packing List
- Optional Accessories
- Specifications
- Block Diagram
- Product View
- Board Dimensions

## 1.1 Introduction

The MI997AF Mini ITX motherboard is based on 12th Gen Intel® Core i7/i5/i3™ / Celeron processors. With support for two DDR5 slots accommodating up to 64GB memory, it supports independent displays with HDMI (2.0a), LVDS and 2x DisplayPort(1.4a) (DP++) interface. This high-performance platform meets demands in next-generation applications in imaging, AI, and edge computing. Connectivity and expansion are provided by 2x Intel 2.5G LAN, 6x USB 3.x, 4x COM, 2x SATA III, 1x PCI-E (x1) [Gen.3.0]; 4x M.2 (B-key, E-key and 2x M-Key) .



## 1.2 Features

- 12th Gen Intel® Core i7/i5/i3 and Celeron® Processors
- 2x DDR5 SO-DIMM sockets, Max. 64GB
- Intel® processor integrated graphics supports HDMI (2.0a), LVDS and 2x DisplayPort (1.4a) (DP++)
- Dual Intel® 2.5G LAN
- 6x USB 3.x, 2x USB 2.0, 4x COM, 2x SATA III
- 1x PCI-E (x1) [Gen.3.0]; 4x M.2 (B-key, E-key and 2x M-Key)
- Watchdog timer, Digital I/O, iAMT(16.0) , fTPM
- 12V~24V DC input

## 1.3 Packing List

Your MI997AFpackage should include the items listed below. If any of the items below is missing, contact the distributor or dealer from whom you purchased the product.

- MI997 x 1
- IO Shield x 1
- SATA cable x 1
- COM cable x 1
- USB 2.0 cable x 1

## 1.4 Optional Accessories

- Audio Cable
- Cooler
- 330W Power Adaptor  
(This is suitable for 45W TDP and 15W TDP CPU skus)
- 150W Power Adaptor (This is recommended to pair with 15W TDP CPU skus only)
- Power Cable

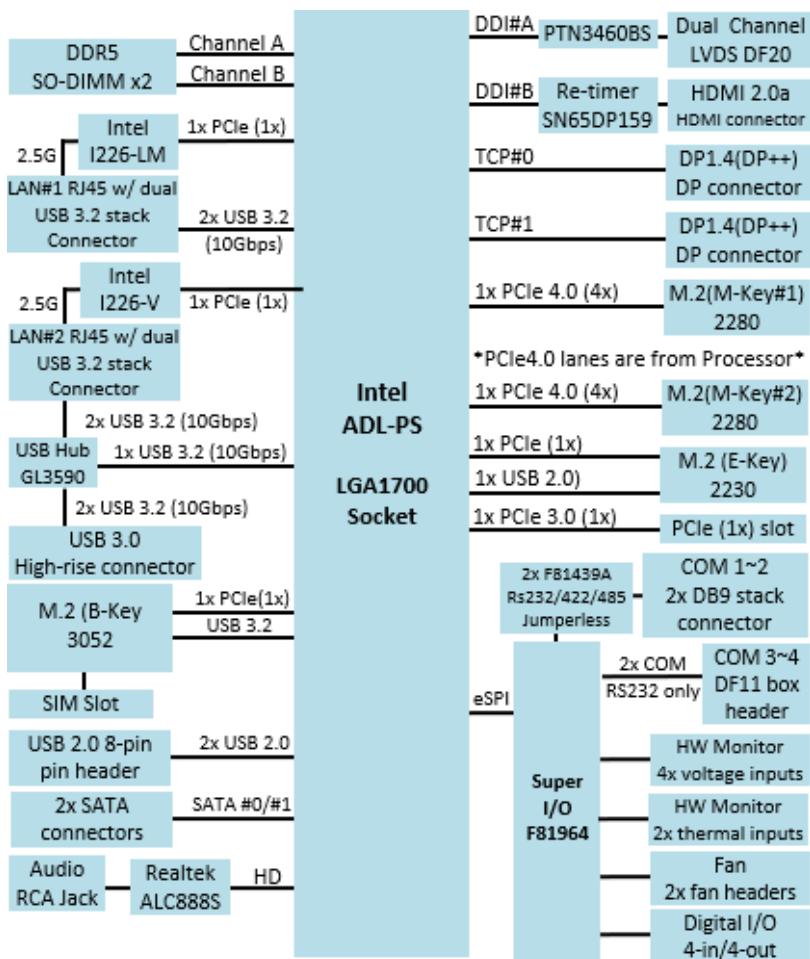
## 1.5 Specifications

| Model                    |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| <b>MI997AF</b>           | LGA1700 Mini-ITX Motherboard w /HDMI, LVDS, 2x DisplayPort, Dual 2.5GbE, 2 x SATA, iAMT (16.0), fTPM   |
| Specifications           |  |
| <b>CPU Socket</b>        | LGA1700  |
| <b>CPU</b>               | 12th Gen Intel® Core™ i7/i5/i3 / Celeron® CPU  |
| <b>Memory</b>            | 2x DDR5 SO-DIMM sockets<br>Supports DDR5-4800 module, Max. 64GB  |
| <b>BIOS</b>              | AMI  |
| <b>Watchdog Timer</b>    | 256 levels   |
| <b>Hardware Monitor</b>  | Yes  |
| <b>Storage Interface</b> | SATA III & NVMe  |
| <b>Expansion Slots</b>   | 1x PCI-E (x1) [Gen.3.0]  |
| <b>Mini Type Slots</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2x M.2 (M-key, type:2280, PCI-E(4x) Gen.4)</li> <li>• 1x M.2 (E-Key, type:2230, USB 2.0 + PCI-E(1x))</li> <li>• 1x M.2 (B-Key, type:3052, USB 3.2 + PCI-E(1x))</li> </ul> |
| <b>Graphics</b>          | 12th Gen Intel Core i7/i5/i3 / Celeron processor integrated  |
| <b>Video Output</b>      | 1x HDMI (2.0a) + 2x DisplayPort (1.4a) (DP++) + LVDS   |
| <b>Ethernet</b>          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LAN 1: Intel® I226LM, supports 2.5G and iAMT</li> <li>• LAN 2: Intel® I226V, supports 2.5G only</li> </ul>  |
| <b>I/O Chipset</b>       | Fintek F81964D-I   |
| <b>Serial Port</b>       | 4x COM ports : 2x RS232/422/485 + 2x RS232   |
| <b>USB 2.0</b>           | 2x USB 2.0 via pin header  |
| <b>USB 3.X</b>           | 6x USB 3.2 @ edge connector  |
| <b>Serial ATA</b>        | 2x SATA III  |
| <b>Audio</b>             | Built-in HDA controller+Realtek ALC888S (7.1 ch.)  |
| <b>TPM</b>               | Supports fTPM  |
| <b>Others</b>            | 12V~24V DC-in, Digital I/O (4-in/4-out), SIM socket  |

| Physical                 |                            |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| Dimensions<br>(L x W)    | 170mm x 170mm (6.7"x 6.7") |
| Environmental            |                            |
| Operating<br>Temperature | 0 ~ 60 °C (32 ~ 140 °F)    |
| Storage<br>Temperature   | -20 ~ 80 °C (-4 ~ 176 °F)  |

All specifications are subject to change without prior notice.

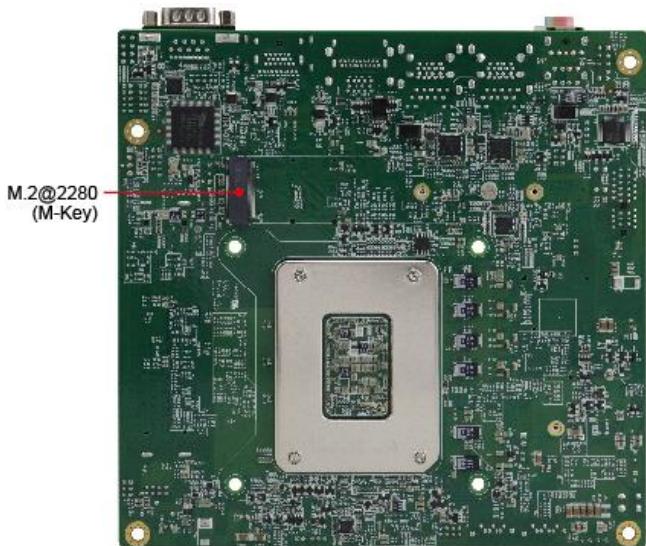
## 1.6 Block Diagram



## 1.7 Product View

### Top View



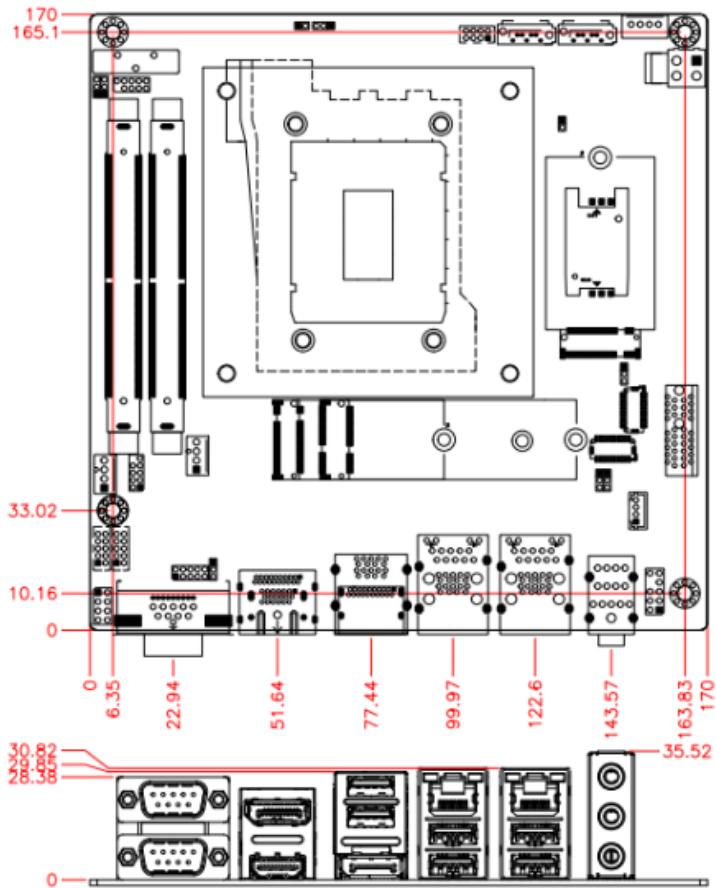


## Rear View



| No.    | Function                                  |
|--------|---|
| 1. CN1 | COM1 & COM2 RS-232/422/485 Ports          |
| 2. CN2 | DisplayPort & HDMI Port                   |
| 3. CN4 | DisplayPort                               |
| 4. CN3 | USB 3.2 Connector                         |
| 5. CN5 | 2.5 Gigabit LAN (Intel I226-LM) + USB 3.2 |
| 6. CN6 | 2.5 Gigabit LAN (Intel I226-V) + USB 3.2  |
| 7. CN7 | HD Audio Connector                        |

## 1.8 Board Dimensions



# **Chapter 2**

## **Hardware Configuration**

This section provides information on jumper settings and connectors on the MI997AF and other installation information in order to set up a workable system. The topics covered are:

- Essential installations
- Jumper and connector locations
- Jumper settings and information of connectors

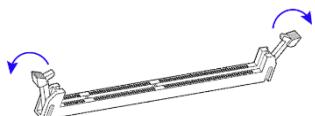
## 2.1 Essential Installations

Follow the instructions below to install the memory modules.

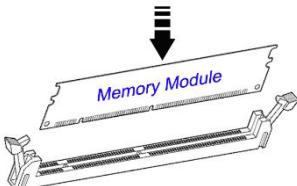
### 2.1.1 Installing the Memory

To install the modules, locate the memory slot on the board and perform the following steps:

1. Align the key of the memory module with that on the memory slot and insert the module slantwise.



2. Gently push the module in an upright position until the clips of the slot close to hold the module in place when the module touches the bottom of the slot.



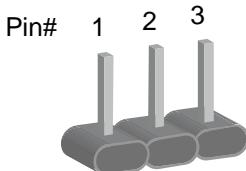
To remove the module, press the ejector tabs at both ends outwards.

## 2.2 Setting the Jumpers

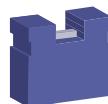
Set up and configure your MI997AF by using jumpers for various settings and features according to your needs and applications. Contact your supplier if you have doubts about the best configuration for your use.

### 2.2.1 How to Set Jumpers

Jumpers are short-length conductors consisting of several metal pins with a non-conductive base mounted on the circuit board. Jumper caps are used to have the functions and features enabled or disabled. If a jumper has 3 pins, you can connect either PIN1 to PIN2 or PIN2 to PIN3 by shorting.



A 3-pin jumper



A jumper cap

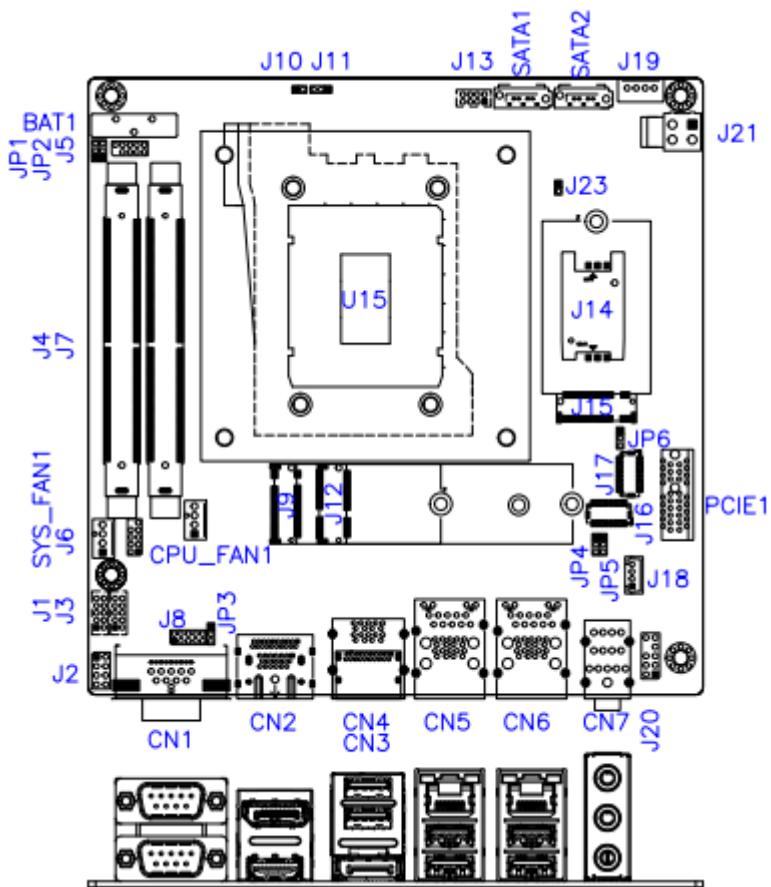
Refer to the illustration below to set jumpers.

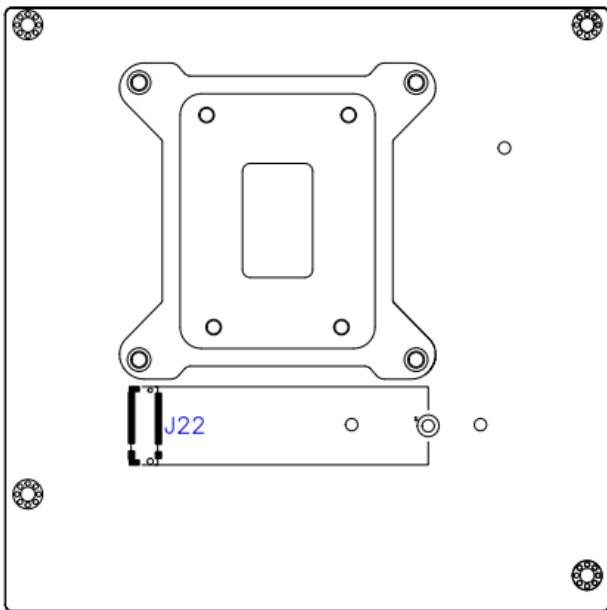
| Pin closed | Oblique view | Illustration |
|------------|--------------|--------------|
| Open       |              |              |
| 1-2        |              |              |
| 2-3        |              |              |

When two pins of a jumper are encased in a jumper cap, this jumper is **closed**, i.e., turned **On**.

When a jumper cap is removed from two jumper pins, this jumper is **open**, i.e., turned **Off**.

## 2.3 Jumper & Connector Locations

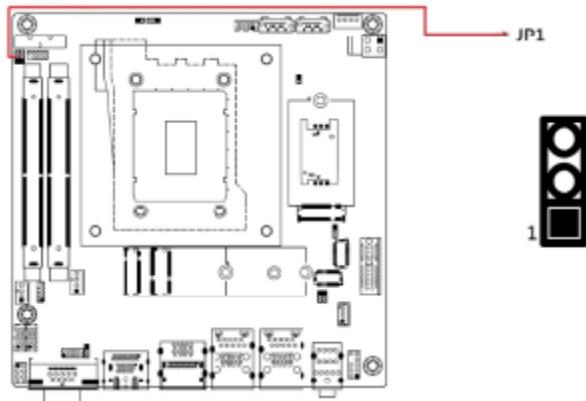




## 2.4 Jumpers Quick Reference

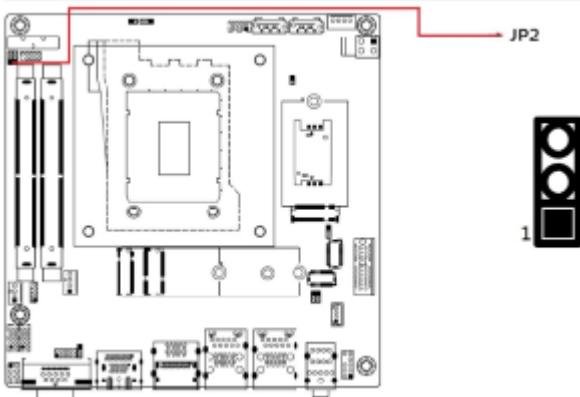
| Jumper | Function                              |
|--------|---------------------------------------|
| JP1    | Clear CMOS                            |
| JP2    | Clear ME                              |
| JP3    | AT/ATX Select                         |
| JP4    | LVDS Panel Power Selection            |
| JP5    | LVDS Power Brightness Selection       |
| JP6    | Sierra EM919x 5G card USB/PCIe Select |
| J10    | Flash Descriptor Security Override    |
| J11    | PWM Programming                       |

### 2.4.1 Clear CMOS Contents (JP1)



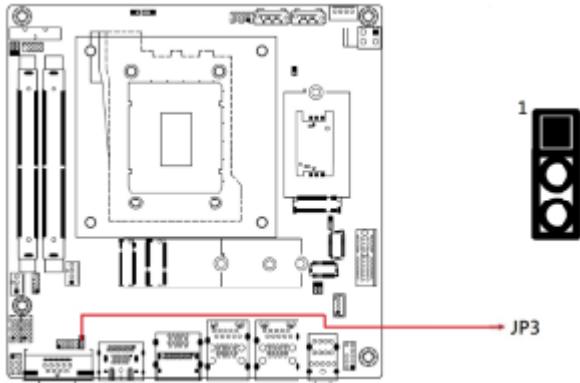
| Function   | Pin closed | Illustration  |
|------------|------------|---------------|
| Normal     | 1-2        | 1 [ ] [ ] [ ] |
| Clear CMOS | 2-3        | 1 [ ] [ ] [ ] |

### 2.4.2 Clear ME Contents (JP2)



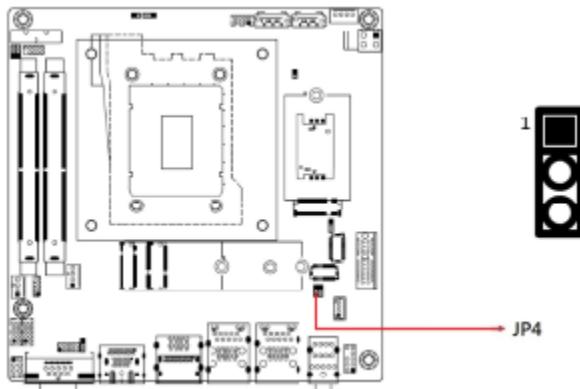
| Function | Pin closed | Illustration  |
|----------|------------|---|
| Normal   | 1-2        |  |
| Clear ME | 2-3        |  |

### 2.4.3 ATX & AT Power Mode Selection (JP3)



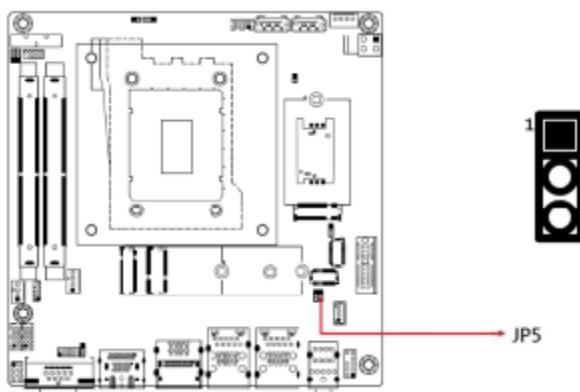
| Function      | Pin closed | Illustration  |
|---------------|------------|---|
| ATX (default) | 1-2        |  |
| AT            | 2-3        |  |

## 2.4.4 LVDS Panel Power Selection (JP4)



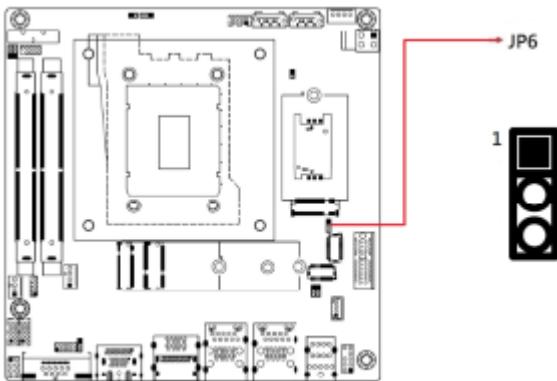
| Function       | Pin closed | Illustration  |
|----------------|------------|---------------|
| 3.3V (default) | 1-2        | 1 [ ] [ ] [ ] |
| 5V             | 2-3        | 1 [ ] [ ] [ ] |

## 2.4.5 LVDS Power Brightness Selection (JP5)



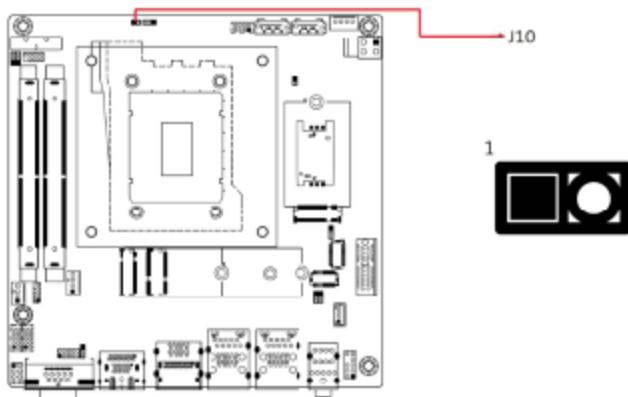
| Function       | Pin closed | Illustration  |
|----------------|------------|---------------|
| 3.3V (default) | 1-2        | 1 [ ] [ ] [ ] |
| 5V             | 2-3        | 1 [ ] [ ] [ ] |

## 2.4.6 Sierra EM9191 5G Card USB/PCIe Select (JP6)



| Function       | Pin closed | Illustration |
|----------------|------------|--------------|
| USB            | 1-2        | 1 [■ □ ○]    |
| PCIe (default) | 2-3        | 1 [□ ○ ○]    |

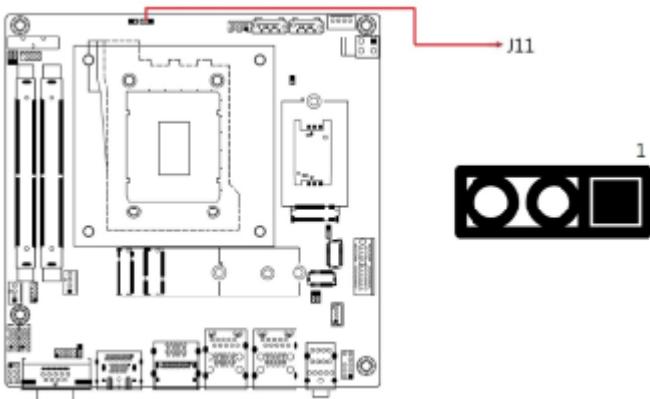
### 2.4.7 Flash Descriptor Security Override (J10)



| Flash Descriptor Security Override | Pin   | Illustration |
|------------------------------------|-------|--------------|
| Disabled (default)                 | Open  | 1            |
| Enabled                            | Close | 1            |

Note: J10 is for factory use only.

## 2.4.8 PWM Programming (J11)

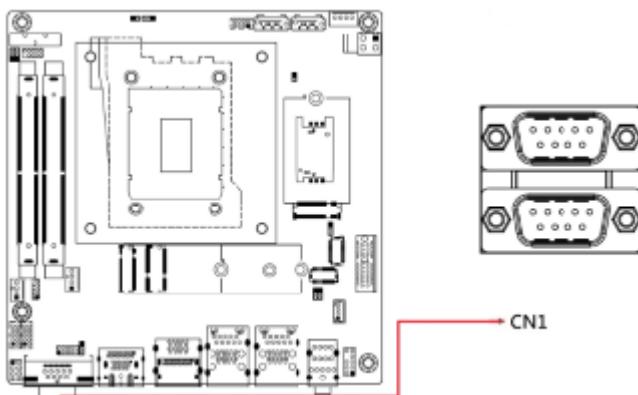


Note: J11 is for factory use only.

## 2.5 Connectors Quick Reference

| Connector             | Function                                    |
|-----------------------|---|
| CN1                   | COM1 & COM2 RS-232/422/485 Ports            |
| CN2                   | DisplayPort & HDMI Port                     |
| CN3                   | USB 3.2 Connector                           |
| CN4                   | DisplayPort                                 |
| CN5                   | 2.5 Gigabit LAN (Intel I226-LM) + USB 3.2   |
| CN6                   | 2.5 Gigabit LAN (Intel I226-V) + USB 3.2    |
| CN7                   | HD Audio Connector                          |
| J1, J3                | COM3 & COM4 RS-232 Ports                    |
| J2                    | Front Panel Settings Connector              |
| J4, J7                | DDR5 SO-DIMM Slots                          |
| J5                    | SPI Flash Connector (Factory use only)      |
| J6                    | 80 Port Debug (Factory use only)            |
| J8                    | Digital I/O Connector                       |
| J9, J22               | M.2 M2280 Slots                             |
| J15                   | M.2 B-key 3052 Slot                         |
| J12                   | M.2 E2230 Slot                              |
| J13                   | USB 2.0 Connector (DF11-8S-PA66H)           |
| J14                   | SIM Slot                                    |
| J17, J16              | LVDS Connectors<br>(Channel A, Channel B)   |
| J18                   | LCD Backlight Connector                     |
| J19                   | SATA Power Connector                        |
| J20                   | Audio Pin Header for<br>Chassis Front Panel |
| J21                   | DC-In Power Connector                       |
| J23                   | Factory use only                            |
| SATA1, SATA2          | SATA III Connectors                         |
| CPU_FAN1,<br>SYS_FAN1 | Fan Power Connectors                        |
| PCIE1                 | PCIe (x1) Slot                              |

### 2.5.1 COM1 & COM2 RS-232/422/485 Ports (CN1)

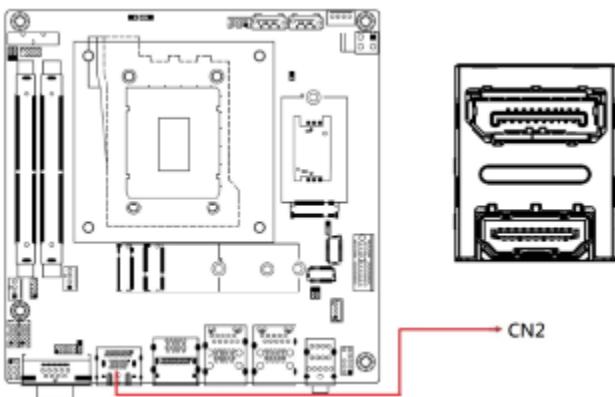


| Pin | Signal Name              | Pin | Signal Name          |
|-----|--------------------------|-----|----------------------|
| 1   | DCD, Data carrier detect | 6   | DSR, Data set ready  |
| 2   | RXD, Receive data        | 7   | RTS, Request to send |
| 3   | TXD, Transmit data       | 8   | CTS, Clear to send   |
| 4   | DTR, Data terminal ready | 9   | RI, Ring indicator   |
| 5   | Ground                   |     |                      |

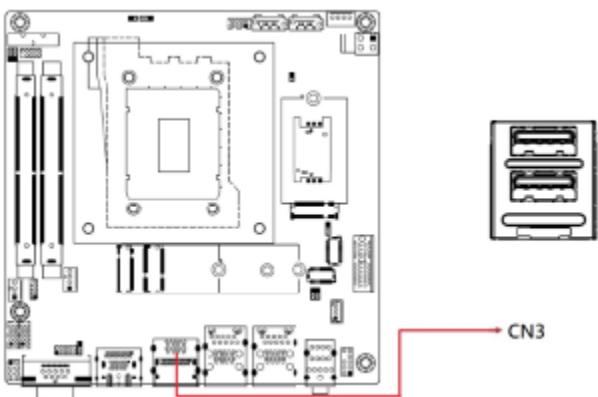
COM1/COM2 RS-232/422/485 are jumperless, configurable in BIOS.

| Pin | Signal Name |        |        |
|-----|-------------|--------|--------|
|     | RS-232      | RS-422 | RS-485 |
| 1   | DCD         | TX-    | DATA-  |
| 2   | RX          | TX+    | DATA+  |
| 3   | TX          | RX+    | NC     |
| 4   | DTR         | RX-    | NC     |
| 5   | Ground      | Ground | Ground |
| 6   | DSR         | NC     | NC     |
| 7   | RTS         | NC     | NC     |
| 8   | CTS         | NC     | NC     |
| 9   | RI          | NC     | NC     |

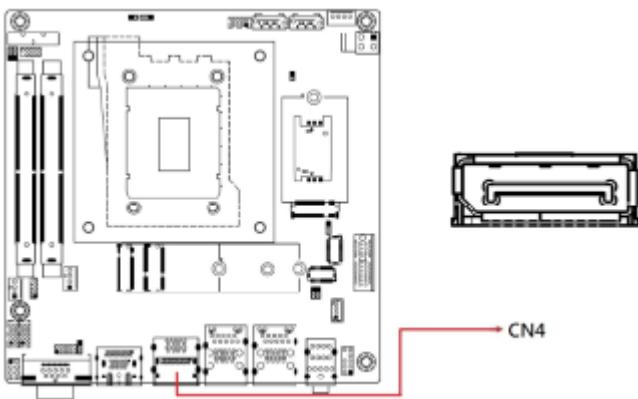
## 2.5.2 DisplayPort & HDMI Port (CN2)



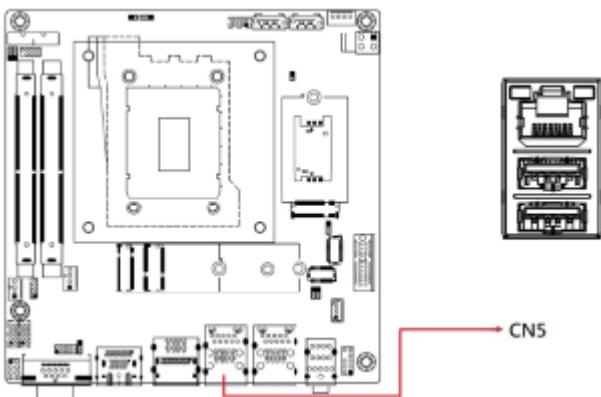
## 2.5.3 USB 3.2 Connector (CN3)

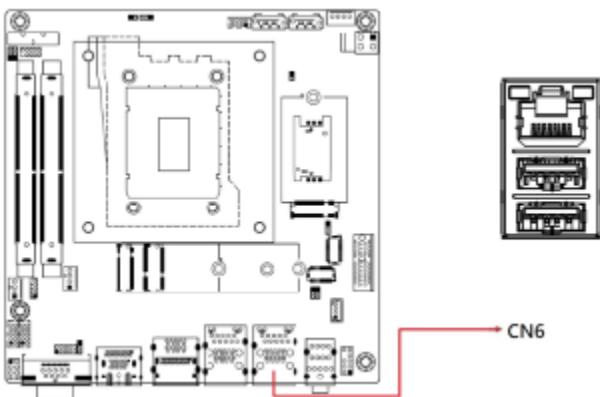
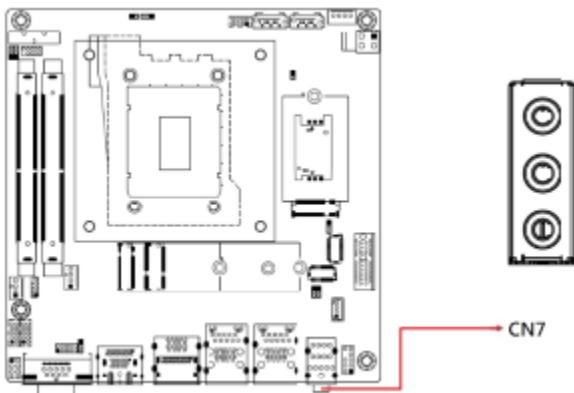


### 2.5.4 DisplayPort (CN4)

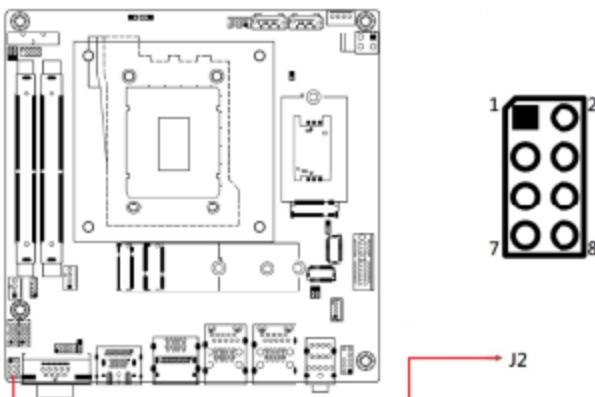


### 2.5.5 2.5 Gigabit LAN (Intel I226-LM) + USB3.2 (CN5)



**2.5.6 2.5 Gigabit LAN (Intel I226-V) + USB3.2 (CN6)****2.5.7 HD Audio Connector (CN7)**

## 2.5.8 Front Panel Settings Connector (J2)



| Pin | Signal     | Pin | Signal     |
|-----|------------|-----|------------|
| 1   | Power BTN- | 2   | Power BTN+ |
| 3   | HDD LED+   | 4   | HDD LED-   |
| 5   | Reset BTN- | 6   | Reset BTN+ |
| 7   | Power LED+ | 8   | Power LED- |

J2 is utilized for system indicators to provide light indication of the computer activities and switches to change the computer status. It provides interfaces for the following functions:

**ATX Power ON Switch (Pins 1 and 2)**

The 2 pins make an “ATX Power Supply On/Off Switch” for the system that connects to the power switch on the case. When pressed, the power switch will force the system to power on. When pressed again, it will power off the system.

**Hard Disk Drive LED Connector (Pins 3 and 4)**

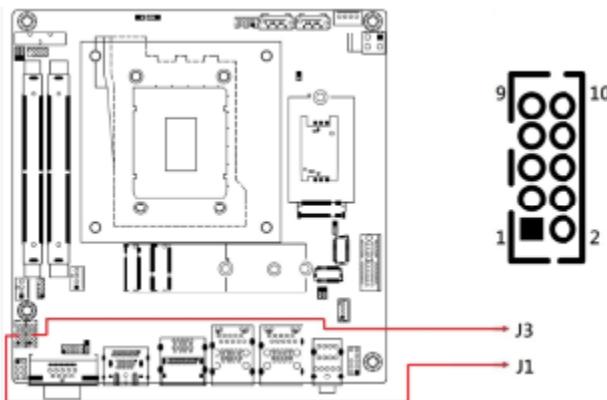
This connector connects to the hard drive activity LED on control panel. This LED will flash when the HDD is being accessed.

**Reset Switch (Pins 5 and 6)**

The reset switch allows you to reset the system without turning the main power switch off and then on again. Orientation is not required when making a connection to this header.

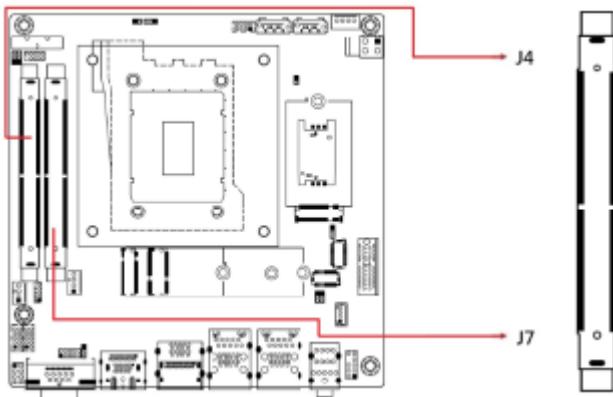
**Power LED (Pins 7 and 8)**

This connector connects to the system power LED on control panel. This LED will light when the system turns on.

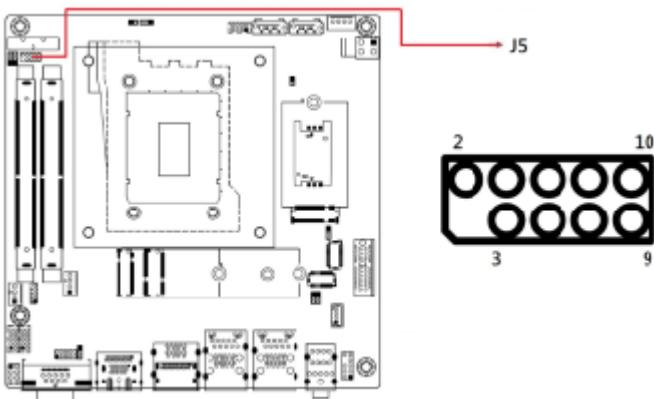
**2.5.9 COM3 (J1) & COM4 (J3) RS-232 Ports**

| Pin | Signal Name              | Pin | Signal Name              |
|-----|--------------------------|-----|--------------------------|
| 1   | DCD, Data carrier detect | 2   | RXD, Receive data        |
| 3   | TXD, Transmit data       | 4   | DTR, Data terminal ready |
| 5   | Ground                   | 6   | DSR, Data set ready      |
| 7   | RTS, Request to send     | 8   | CTS, Clear to send       |
| 9   | RI, Ring indicator       | 10  | Not Used                 |

### 2.5.10 DDR5 SO-DIMM Slot (J4 / J7)

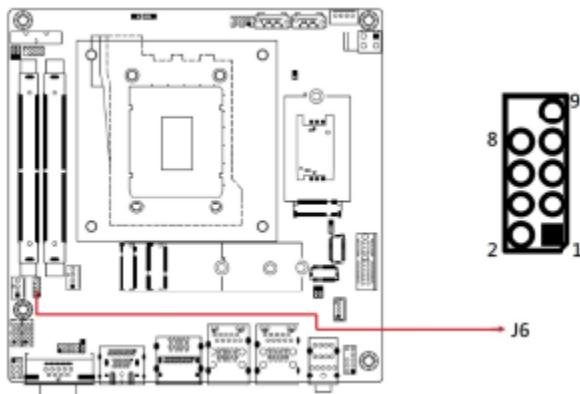


### 2.5.11 SPI Flash Connector (J5)



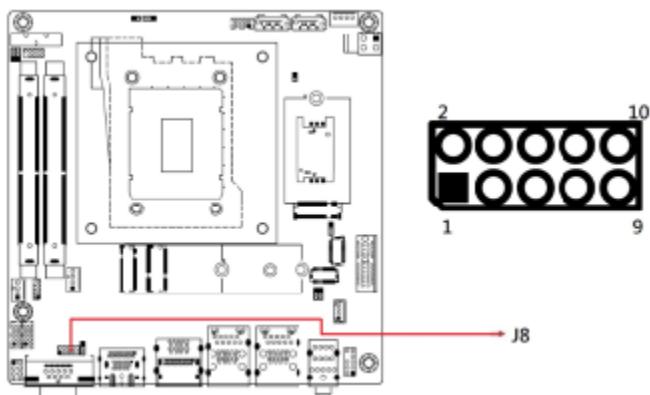
Note: J5 is for factory use only.

## 2.5.12 80 Port Debug (J6)



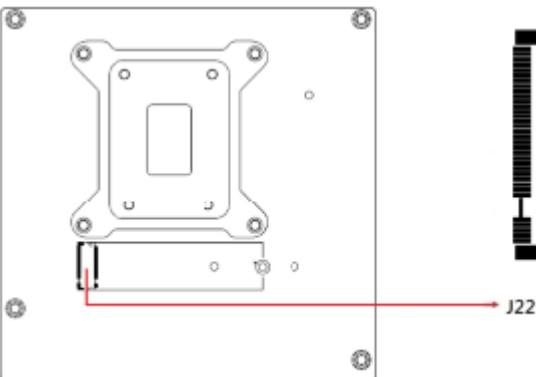
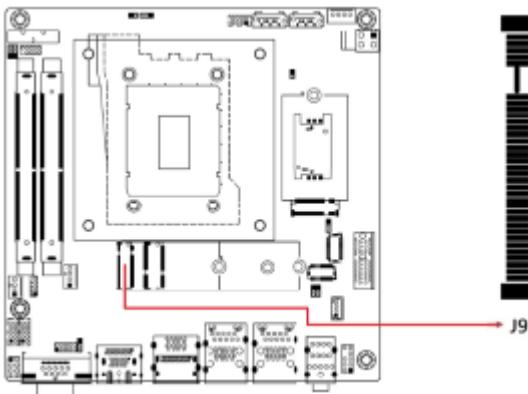
Note: J6 is for factory use only.

## 2.5.13 Digital I/O Connector (J8)

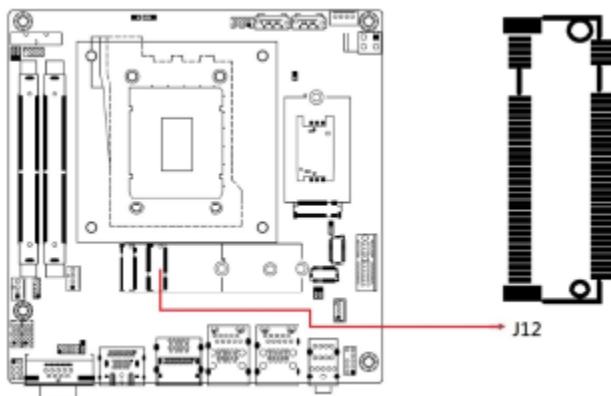


| Pin | Signal | Pin | Signal    |
|-----|--------|-----|-----------|
| 1   | Ground | 2   | +5V(0.5A) |
| 3   | OUT3   | 4   | OUT1      |
| 5   | OUT2   | 6   | OUT0      |
| 7   | IN3    | 8   | IN1       |
| 9   | IN2    | 10  | IN0       |

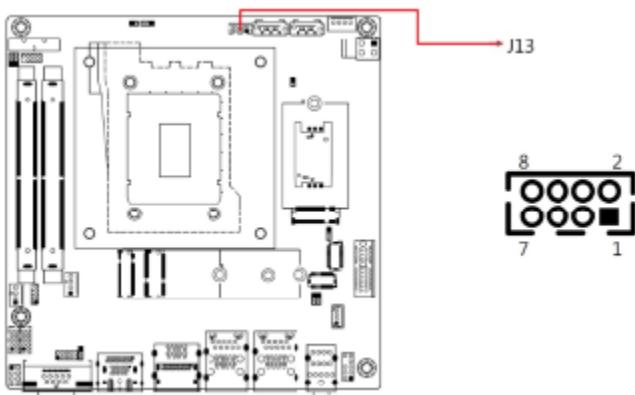
### 2.5.14 M.2 M2280 Slot (J9, J22)



\*J9/J22 supports NVME

**2.5.15 M.2 E2230 Slot (J12)**

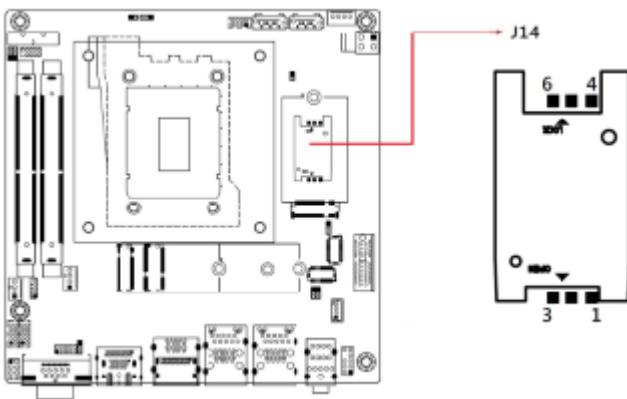
\*J12 supports USB2.0 & PCIE x1

**2.5.16 USB 2.0 Connector (J13)**

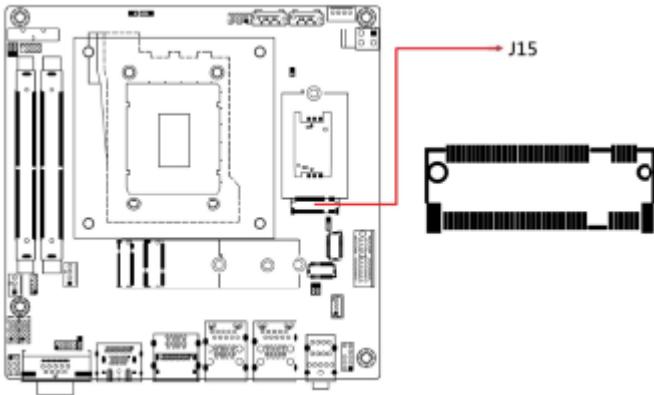
\* Connector type: DF11-8S-PA66H

| Pin | Signal    | Pin | Signal    |
|-----|-----------|-----|-----------|
| 1   | VCC(0.5A) | 2   | Ground    |
| 3   | D0-       | 4   | D1+       |
| 5   | D0+       | 6   | D1-       |
| 7   | Ground    | 8   | VCC(0.5A) |

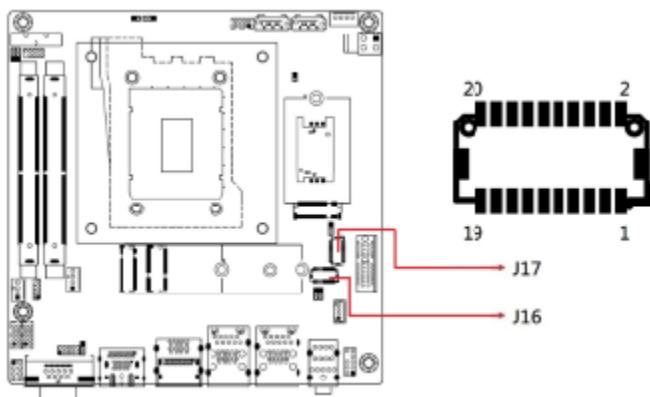
### 2.5.17 SIM Slot (J14)



### 2.5.18 M.2 B-key 3052 Slot (J15)

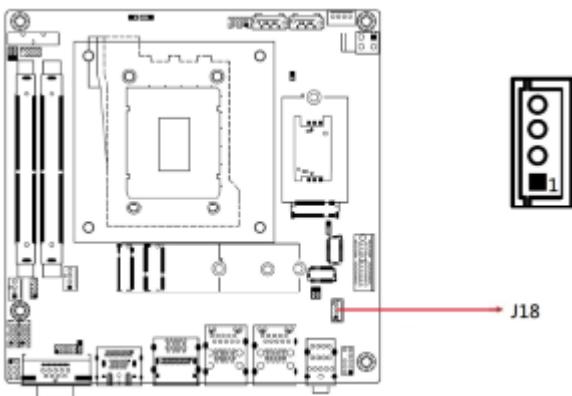


\*J15 supports Sierra EM9191 5G modules.

**2.5.19 LVDS Connectors (J17, J16) (Channel A, Channel B)**

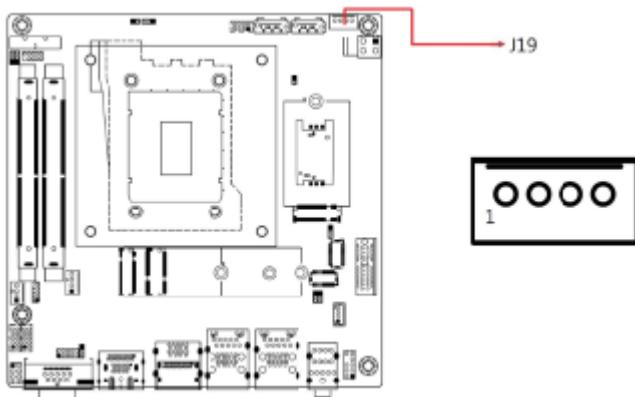
| Pin | Signal     | Pin | Signal     |
|-----|------------|-----|------------|
| 1   | TX0+       | 2   | TX0-       |
| 3   | Ground     | 4   | Ground     |
| 5   | TX1+       | 6   | TX1-       |
| 7   | Ground     | 8   | Ground     |
| 9   | TX2+       | 10  | TX2-       |
| 11  | Ground     | 12  | Ground     |
| 13  | TXC+       | 14  | TXC-       |
| 15  | Ground     | 16  | Ground     |
| 17  | TX3+       | 18  | TX3-       |
| 19  | +3.3 / +5V | 20  | +3.3 / +5V |

### 2.5.20 LCD Backlight Connector (J18)

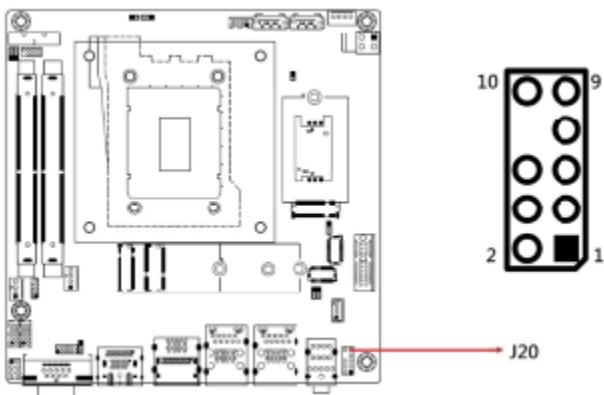


| Pin | Signal Name      | Pin | Signal Name        |
|-----|------------------|-----|--------------------|
| 1   | +12V             | 3   | Brightness Control |
| 2   | Backlight Enable | 4   | Ground             |

### 2.5.21 SATA Power Connector (J19)

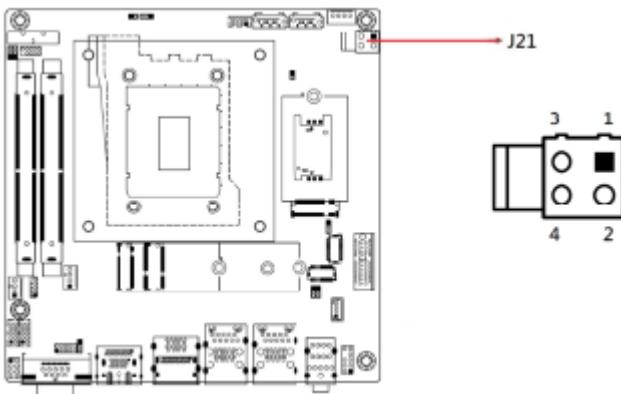


| Pin | Signal Name | Pin | Signal Name |
|-----|-------------|-----|-------------|
| 1   | +5V         | 3   | Ground      |
| 2   | Ground      | 4   | +12V        |

**2.5.22 Audio Pin Header for Chassis Front Panel (J20)**

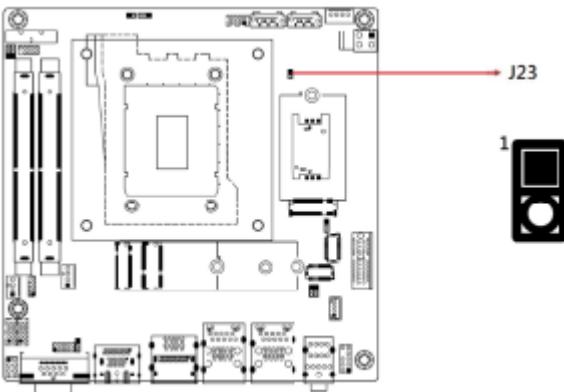
| Pin | Signal Name | Pin | Signal Name  |
|-----|-------------|-----|--------------|
| 1   | MIC IN_L    | 2   | Ground       |
| 3   | MIC IN_R    | 4   | DET          |
| 5   | LINE_R      | 6   | Sense Ground |
| 7   | Sense       | 8   | KEY          |
| 9   | LINE_L      | 10  | Sense Ground |

### 2.5.23 DC-In Power Connector (J21)

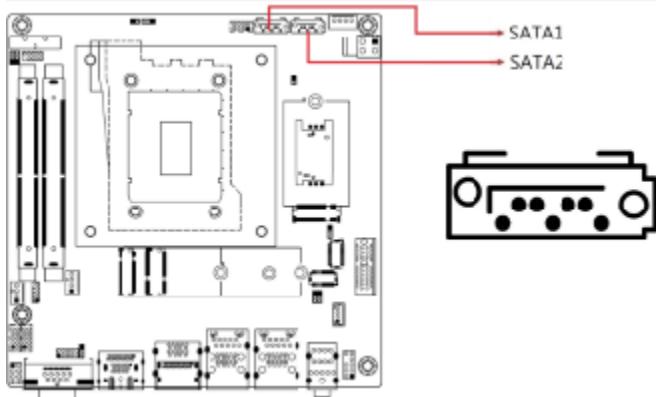


| Pin | Signal Name | Pin | Signal Name |
|-----|-------------|-----|-------------|
| 1   | Ground      | 2   | Ground      |
| 3   | +12 ~ +24V  | 4   | +12 ~ +24V  |

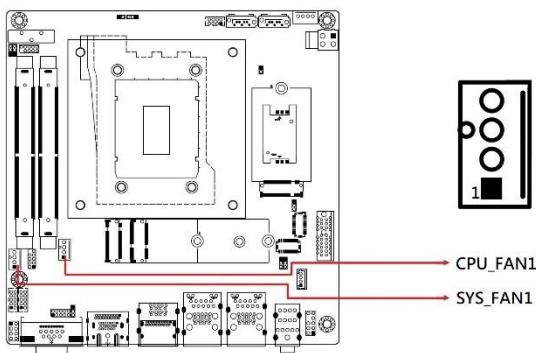
### 2.5.24 Factory use only (J23)



### 2.5.25 SATA III Connector (SATA1, SATA2)

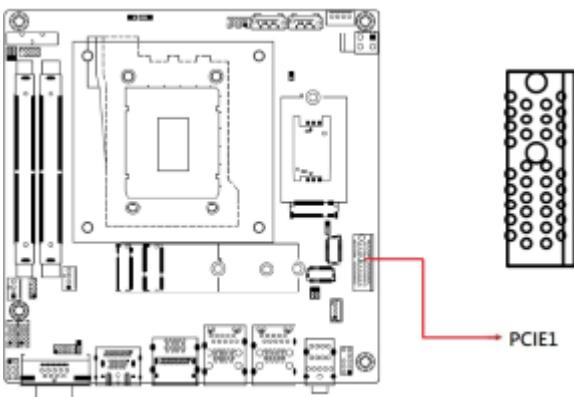


### 2.5.26 Fan Power Connectors (CPU\_FAN1, SYS\_FAN1)



| Pin | Signal Name        |
|-----|--------------------|
| 1   | Ground             |
| 2   | +12V               |
| 3   | Rotation detection |
| 4   | Control            |

### 2.5.27 PCIe (x1) Slot (PCIE1)



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# **Chapter 3**

## **Drivers Installation**

This chapter introduces installation of the following drivers:

- Intel® Chipset Software Installation Utility
- VGA Driver
- HD Audio Driver
- LAN Drivers
- Intel® ME Drivers
- Intel® Serial I/O Drivers
- Intel® Thunderbolt Drivers Drivers

## 3.1 Introduction

This section describes the installation procedures for software and drivers. The contents of this section include the following:

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**Note:** After installing your Windows operating system, you must install the Intel® Chipset Software Installation Utility first before proceeding with the drivers installation.

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## 3.2 Intel® Chipset Software Installation Utility

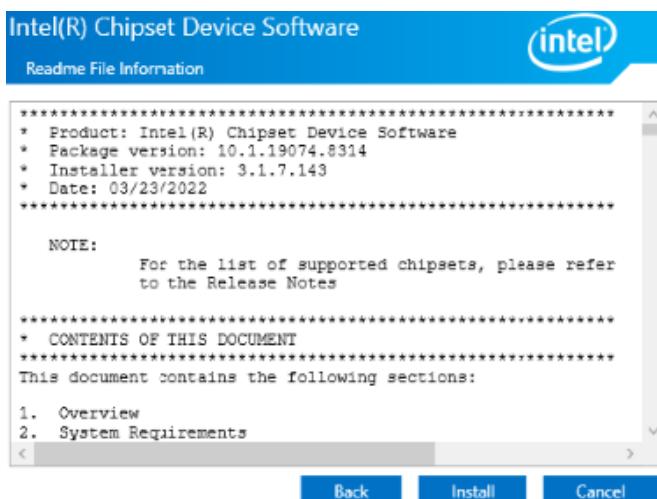
The Intel® Chipset drivers should be installed first before the software drivers to install INF files for Plug & Play function for Intel chipset components. Follow the instructions below to complete the installation.

1. Go to the product's download page. Download the compressed drivers file to your computer. Double-click the file to decompress it. After decompression, double-click 'CDGuide' to access the main drivers page, as shown below. Click **Intel** on the left pane and then **Intel(R) AlderLake-P Chipset Drivers**, and **Intel(R) Chipset Software Installation Utility** on the right pane.





2. When the *Welcome* screen to the Intel® Chipset Device Software appears, click **Next**.
3. Accept the *License Agreement* and click **Accept**.
4. On the *Readme File Information* screen, click **Install**.



5. When installation has been completed, press **Finish** to complete the setup process.

### 3.3 VGA Driver Installation

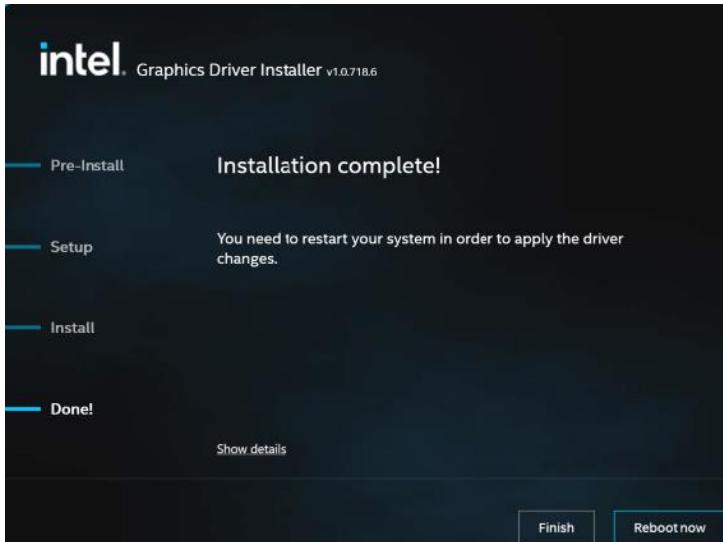
1. Click **Intel** on the left pane and then **Intel(R) AlderLake-P Chipset Drivers**, and **Intel(R) HD Graphics Driver** on the right pane.



2. When the **Intel Graphics Driver Installer** screen appears, click **Begin installation**.



3. Click **I agree** to accept the INTEL SOFTWARE LICENSE AGREEMENT.
4. In the Pre-Install stage, “The installer will install the following components:
  - Intel® Graphics Driver
  - Intel® Graphics Command CenterClick **Start** to start installing the new graphics driver.
5. The next screen will indicate that the new graphics driver is being installed. When the message “**Installation complete!**” appears, restart your system in order to apply the driver changes.



## 3.4 Realtek HD Audio Driver Installation

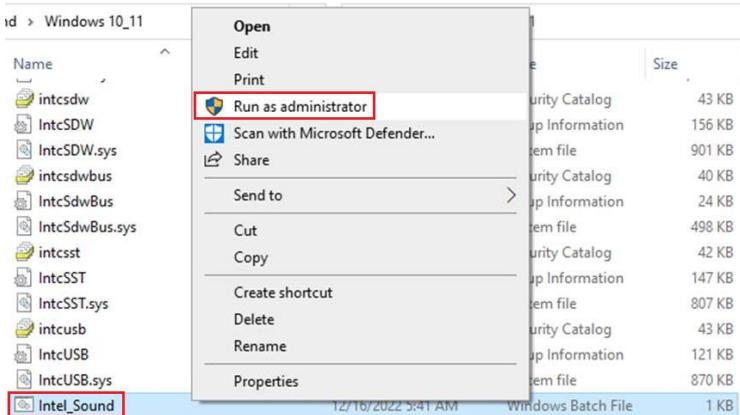
- Before installing the audio drivers, run the batch file - **Intel\_Sound.bat** in the directory shown in the picture below:

**I-12\_Gen-P-1.0\Intel\AlderLake-P\Sound\Windows 10\_11**

Right-click Intel\_Sound.bat and **run the batch file as administrator**.

Drive (D) > I-12\_Gen-P-1.0 > Intel > AlderLake-P > Sound > Windows 10\_11

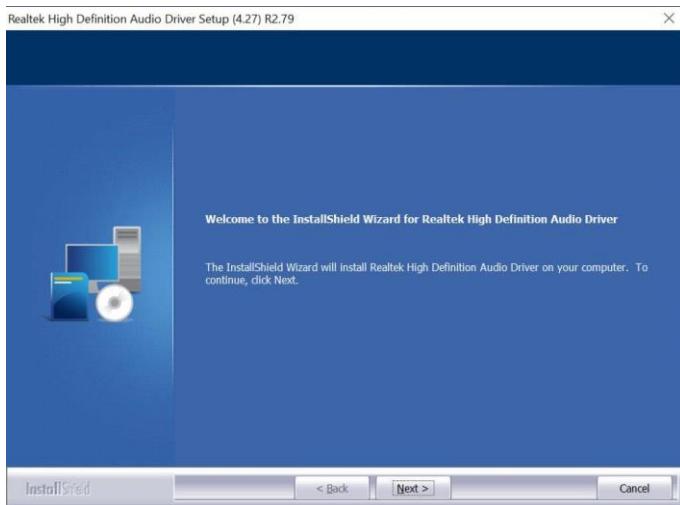
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| IntcOED            | 4/20/2022 11:37 AM | Setup Information  | 58 KB    |
| IntcOED.sys        | 4/20/2022 11:51 AM | System file        | 1,146 KB |
| intcsdw            | 4/20/2022 11:51 AM | Security Catalog   | 43 KB    |
| IntcSDW            | 4/20/2022 11:37 AM | Setup Information  | 156 KB   |
| IntcSDW.sys        | 4/20/2022 11:51 AM | System file        | 901 KB   |
| intcsdwbus         | 4/20/2022 11:51 AM | Security Catalog   | 40 KB    |
| IntcSdwBus         | 4/20/2022 11:37 AM | Setup Information  | 24 KB    |
| IntcSdwBus.sys     | 4/20/2022 11:51 AM | System file        | 498 KB   |
| intcss             | 4/20/2022 11:51 AM | Security Catalog   | 42 KB    |
| IntcSST            | 4/20/2022 11:37 AM | Setup Information  | 147 KB   |
| IntcSST.sys        | 4/20/2022 11:51 AM | System file        | 807 KB   |
| intcusb            | 4/20/2022 11:51 AM | Security Catalog   | 43 KB    |
| IntcUSB            | 4/20/2022 11:37 AM | Setup Information  | 121 KB   |
| IntcUSB.sys        | 4/20/2022 11:51 AM | System file        | 870 KB   |
| <b>Intel_Sound</b> | 12/16/2022 5:41 AM | Windows Batch File | 1 KB     |



- After running the batch file, install the audio drivers. Click **Intel** on the left pane and then **Intel(R) AlderLake-P Chipset Drivers** on the right. Click **Intel** on the left pane and then **Intel(R) AlderLake-P Chipset Drivers**, and **Realtek High Definition Audio Driver** on the right pane.



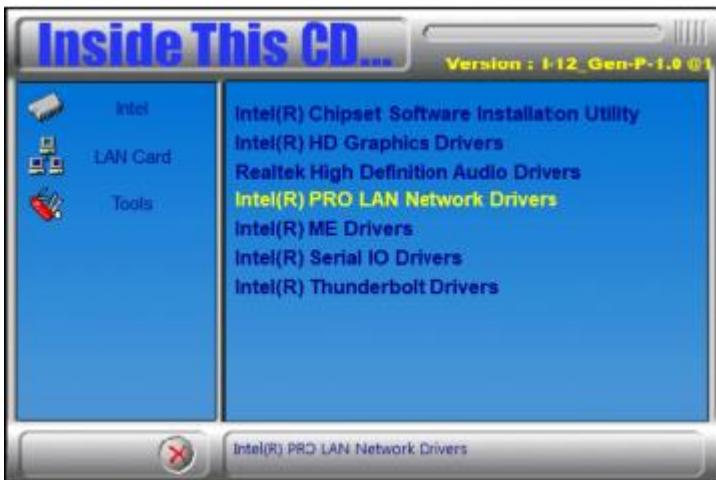
- On the *Welcome* screen of the InstallShield Wizard, click **Next** to install the drivers.



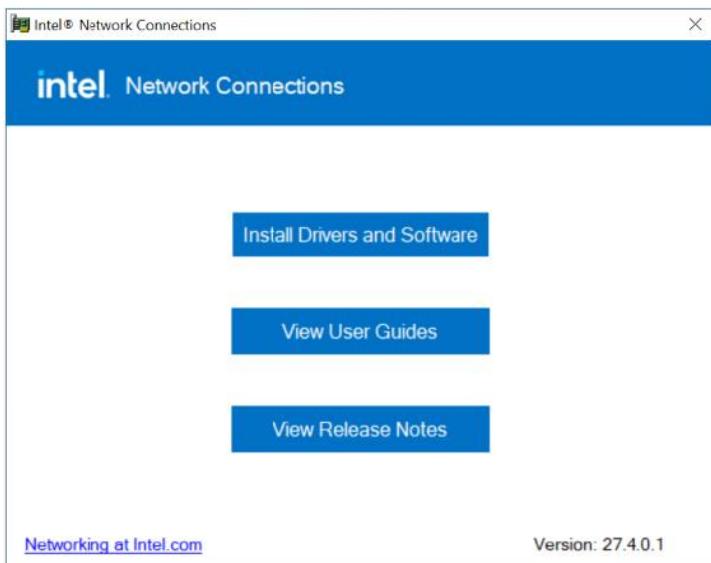
- When the audio driver has been installed, click **Finish** to restart the computer.

## 3.5 LAN Drivers Installation

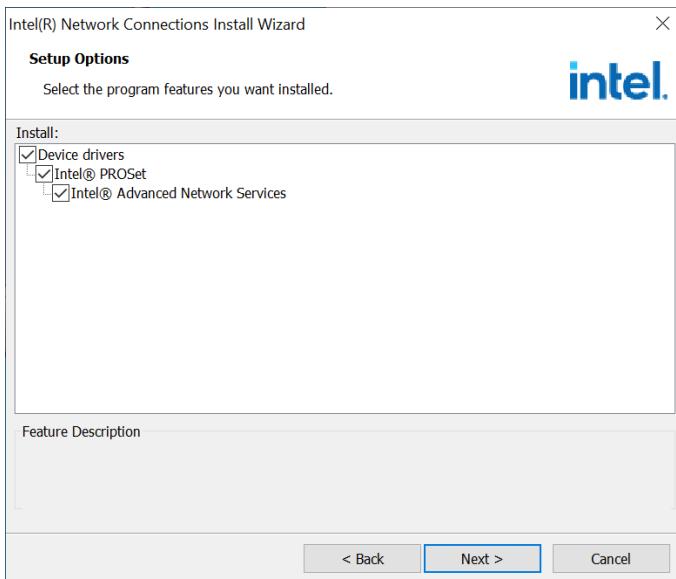
1. Click **Intel** on the left pane and then **Intel(R) AlderLake-P Chipset Drivers**, and **Intel PRO LAN Network Drivers** on the right pane.



2. Click **Intel Drivers and Software**.



3. When the *Welcome to the install wizard for Intel(R) Nework Connection* screen appears, click **Next**. On the next screen, accept the terms in the License Agreement and click **Next**.
4. On the *Setup Options* screen, select the program features you want to be installed. Then click **Next** to continue.



5. On the *Ready to Install the Program* screen, click **Install** to begin the installation.
6. When the *Install wizard Completed* screen appears, click **Finish**.

## 3.6 Intel® ME Drivers Installation

1. Click **Intel** on the left pane and then **Intel(R) AlderLake-P Chipset Drivers**, and **Intel(R) ME Drivers** on the right pane.



2. When the *Welcome* screen to the **Intel® Management Engine Components** appears, click **Next**.

You are about to install the following product:

Intel® Management Engine Components 2242.3.34.0

3. Accept the terms in the License Agreement and click **Next**.
4. On the next screen, click **Next** to install to the default folder.
5. Click **Finish** when the necessary components have been successfully installed.

- Intel® Management Engine Interface
- Serial Over LAN
- Intel® Wireless Manageability Driver
- Local Management Service
- Intel® Dynamic Application Loader

### 3.7 Intel® Serial IO Drivers Installation

1. Click **Intel** on the left pane and then **Intel(R) AlderLake-P Chipset Drivers**, and **Intel(R) Serial IO Drivers** on the right pane.



2. When the *Welcome* screen to the Intel® Serial IO appears, click **Next**.

You are about to install the following product:

Intel® Serial IO 30.100.2148.1

3. Accept the terms in the license agreement and click **Next**.
4. On the **Readme File Information** and **Confirmation** screens, click **Next**.



5. Click **Finish** when the **Completion** screen appears.

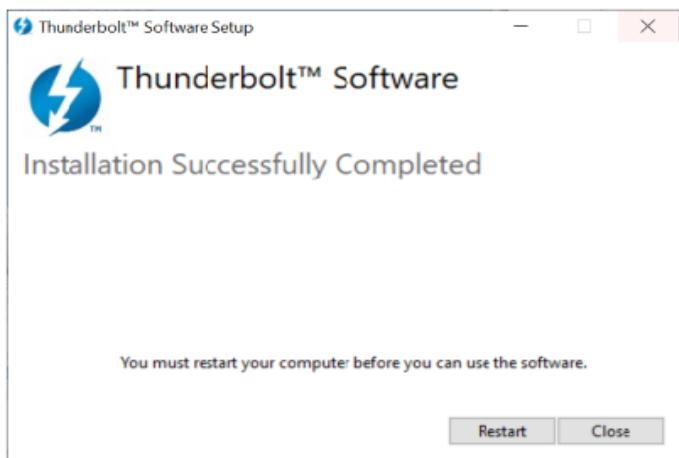


### 3.8 Intel® Thunderbolt Drivers Installation

1. Click **Intel** on the left pane and then **Intel(R) AlderLake-P Chipset Drivers**, and **Intel(R) Thunderbolt Drivers** on the right pane.



2. Accept the terms in the license agreement and click **Install**.
3. When installation has been completed, click **Restart**.



# Chapter 4

## BIOS Setup

This chapter describes the different settings available in the AMI BIOS that comes with the board. The topics covered in this chapter are as follows:

- Main Settings
- Advanced Settings
- Chipset Settings
- Security Settings
- Boot Settings
- Save & Exit

## 4.1 Introduction

The BIOS (Basic Input/Output System) installed in the ROM of your computer system supports Intel® processors. The BIOS provides critical low-level support for standard devices such as disk drives, serial ports and parallel ports. It also provides password protection as well as special support for detailed fine-tuning of the chipset controlling the entire system.

## 4.2 BIOS Setup

The BIOS provides a Setup utility program for specifying the system configurations and settings. The BIOS ROM of the system stores the Setup utility. When you turn on the computer, the BIOS is immediately activated. Press the <Del> key immediately allows you to enter the Setup utility. If you are a little bit late pressing the <Del> key, POST (Power On Self Test) will continue with its test routines, thus preventing you from invoking the Setup.

If you still need to enter Setup, restart the system by pressing the "Reset" button or simultaneously pressing the <Ctrl>, <Alt> and <Delete> keys. You can also restart by turning the system Off and back On again.

The following message will appear on the screen:

Press <DEL> to Enter Setup

In general, press the arrow keys to highlight items, <Enter> to select, the <PgUp> and <PgDn> keys to change entries, <F1> for help, and <Esc> to quit.

When you enter the BIOS Setup utility, the *Main Menu* screen will appear on the screen. The Main Menu allows you to select from various setup functions and exit choices.

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**Warning:** It is strongly recommended that you avoid making any changes to the chipset defaults.

These defaults have been carefully chosen by both AMI and your system manufacturer to provide the absolute maximum performance and reliability. Changing the defaults could make the system unstable and crash in some cases.

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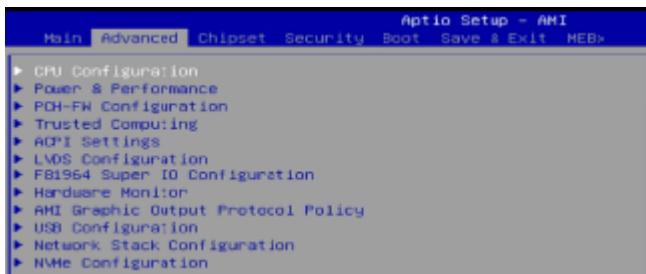
## 4.3 Main Settings



| BIOS Setting    | Description   |
|-----------------|---|
| System Language | Choose the system default language.                                   |
| System Date     | Sets the date. Use the <Tab> key to switch between the date elements. |
| System Time     | Set the time. Use the <Tab> key to switch between the time elements.  |

## 4.4 Advanced Settings

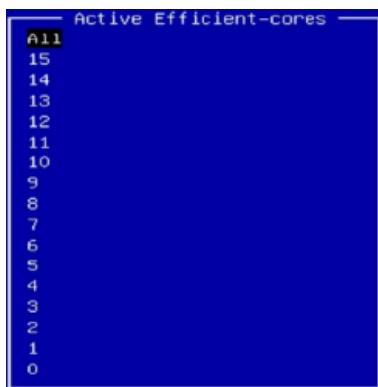
This section allows you to configure, improve your system and allows you to set up some system features according to your preference.



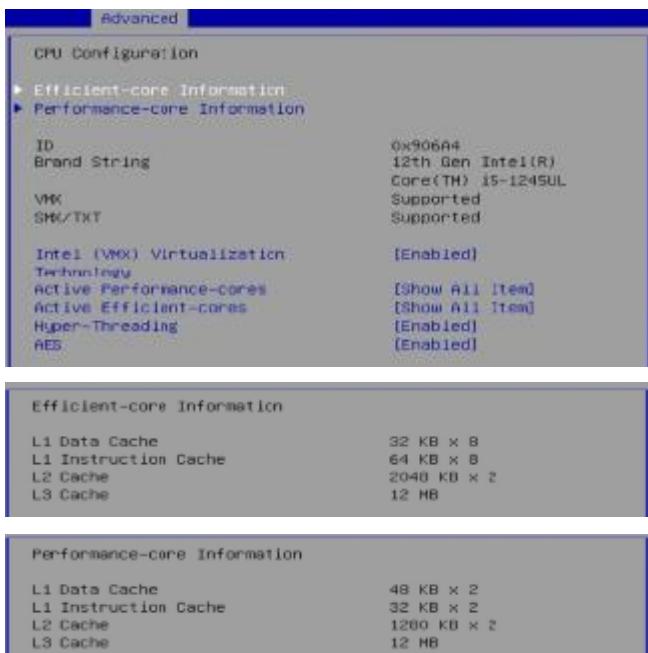
## 4.4.1 CPU Configuration

| Advanced                           |                          |  |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Aptio Setup - AMI                  |                          |  |
| CPU Configuration                  |                          |  |
| ID                                 | 0xB0671                  |  |
| Brand String                       | 13th Gen Intel(R) Cor... |  |
| VMX                                | Supported                |  |
| SMX/TXT                            | Supported                |  |
| Intel (VMX) Virtualization Technol | [Enabled]                |  |
| Active Performance-cores           | [All]                    |  |
| Active Efficient-cores             | [All]                    |  |
| Hyper-Threading                    | [Enabled]                |  |
| Legacy Game Compatibility Mode     | [Disabled]               |  |

| BIOS Setting                          | Description   |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| Intel (VMX) Virtualization Technology | When enable, a VMM can utilize the additional hardware capabilities provided by Vanderpool Technology.  |
| Active Performance-cores              | Number of P-cores to enable in each processor package. Note: Number of Cores and E-cores are looked at together. When both are (0,0), Pcode will enable all cores |
| Active Efficient-cores                |   |
| Hyper-Threading                       | Enable or disable Hyper-Threading Technology.   |
| Legacy Game Compatibility Mode        | When enable, pressing the scroll lock key will toggle the Efficient-cores between being parked when Scroll Lock LED is on and un-parked when LED is off.          |

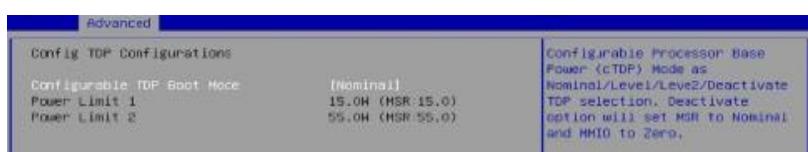


## 4.4.2 CPU Configuration



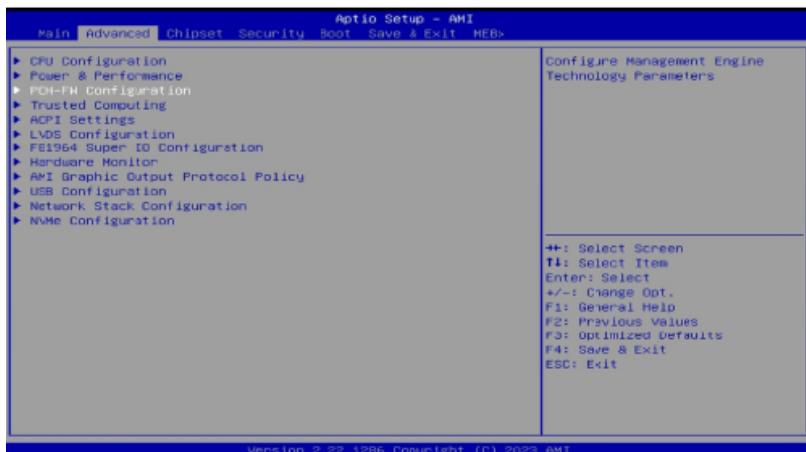
| BIOS Setting                          | Description   |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| Efficient-core Information            | Displays the E-core Information   |
| Performance-core Information          | Displays the P-core Information   |
| Intel (VMX) Virtualization Technology | When enable, a VMM can utilize the additional hardware capabilities provided by Vanderpool Technology.  |
| Active Performance-cores              | Number of P-cores to enable in each processor package. Note: Number of Cores and E-cores are looked at together. When both are (0,0), Pcode will enable all cores |
| Active Efficient-cores                |   |
| Hyper-Threading                       | Enable or disable Hyper-Threading Technology.   |
| AES                                   | Enable/Disable AES (Advanced Encryption Standard)   |

## 4.4.3 Power & Performance



| BIOS Setting                       | Description  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| Intel(R)<br>SpeedStep(tm)          | Allows more than two frequency ranges to be supported.   |
| Intel(R) Speed Shift<br>Technology | Enable/Disable Intel(R) Speed Shift Technology support. Enabling will expose the CPPC v2 interface to allow for hardware controlled P-states.                  |
| Config TDP<br>Configuration        | Configurable Processor Base Power (cTDP) Configurations  |
| Configurable TDP Boot<br>Mode      | Configurable Processor Base Power (cTDP) Mode as Nominal/ Level/ Leve2 / Deactivate TDP selection. Deactivate option will set MSR to Nominal and MMIO to Zero. |

#### 4.4.4 PCH-FW Configuration



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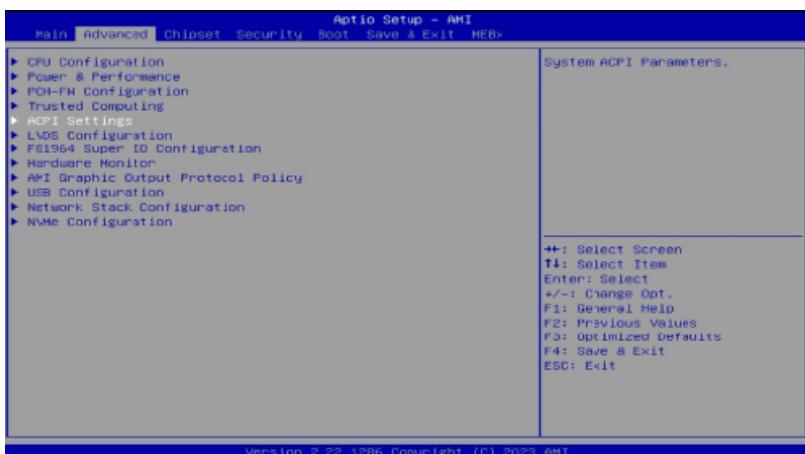
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## 4.4.5 Trusted Computing

| Advanced  |                     |
|---|---------------------|
| TPM 2.0 Device Found  |                     |
| Firmware Version:   | 600, 10             |
| Vendor:   | INTC                |
| Security Device Support   | [Enable]            |
| Active PCR banks  | SHA256              |
| Available PCR banks   | SHA256, SHA384, SM3 |
| SHA256 PCR Bank   | [Enabled]           |
| SHA384 PCR Bank   | [Disabled]          |
| SM3_256 PCR Bank  | [Disabled]          |
| Pending operation   | [None]              |
| Platform Hierarchy  | [Enabled]           |
| Storage Hierarchy   | [Enabled]           |
| Endorsement Hierarchy   | [Enabled]           |
| Physical Presence Spec Version  | [1, 3]              |
| TPM 2.0 InterfaceType   | [DRBG]              |
| Device Select   | [Auto]              |
| Enables or Disables BIOS support for security device. OS will not show security device. TCG EFI protocol and INTIA interface will not be available. |                     |
| ++: Select Screen<br>T1: Select Item<br>Enter: Select<br>+-: Change Opt.<br>F1: General Help<br>F2: Previous Values                                 |                     |

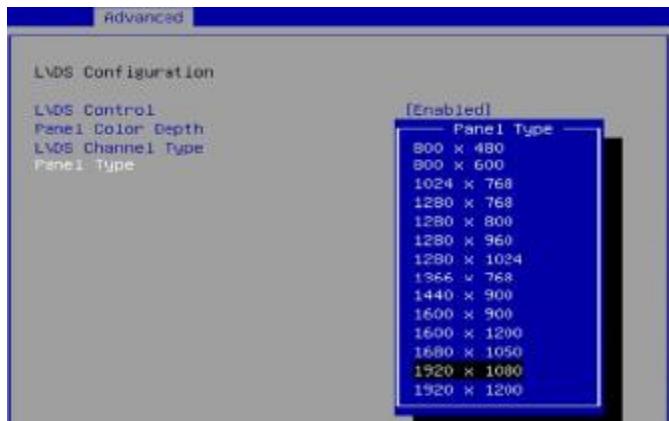
| BIOS Setting                       | Description  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| Security Device Support            | Enables / Disables BIOS support for security device. OS will not show security device. TCG EFI protocol and INTIA interface will not be available.   |
| SHA256 / SHA384 / SH3_256 PCR Bank | Option:<br>Enabled / Disabled  |
| Pending operation                  | Schedule an operation for the security device.<br>Note: Your computer will reboot during restart in order to change state of security device.  |
| Platform Hierarchy                 | Enables / Disables platform hierarchy.   |
| Storage Hierarchy                  | Enables / Disables storage hierarchy.  |
| Endorsement Hierarchy              | Enables / Disables endorsement hierarchy.  |
| Physical Presence Spec Version     | Selects to show the PPI Spec Version (1.2 or 1.3) that the OS supports.<br><b>Note:</b> Some HCK tests might not support 1.3.  |
| Device Select                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>TPM 1.2</b> will restrict support to TPM 1.2 devices only.</li> <li>• <b>TPM 2.0</b> will restrict support to TPM 2.0 devices only.</li> <li>• <b>Auto</b> will support both with the default being set to TPM 2.0 devices if not found, and TPM 1.2 device will be enumerated.</li> </ul> |

## 4.4.6 ACPI Settings



| BIOS Setting       | Description  |
|--------------------|--|
| Enable Hibernation | Enables / Disables the system ability to hibernate (OS/S4 Sleep State). This option may be not effective with some OS. |

#### 4.4.7 LVDS Configuration



| BIOS Setting      | Description  |
|-------------------|--|
| LVDS Control      | Enables / Disables LVDS.   |
| Panel Color Depth | Options: 18 BIT, 24 BIT  |
| LVDS Channel Type | Options: Single, Dual  |
| Panel Type        | Options: 800 x 480 / 800 x 600 / 1024 x 768 / 1280 x 768 / 1280 x 960 / 1280 x 1024 / 1366 x 768 / 1440 x 900 / 1600 x 900 / 1600 x 1200 / 1680 x 1050 / 1920 x 1080 / 1920 x 1200 |

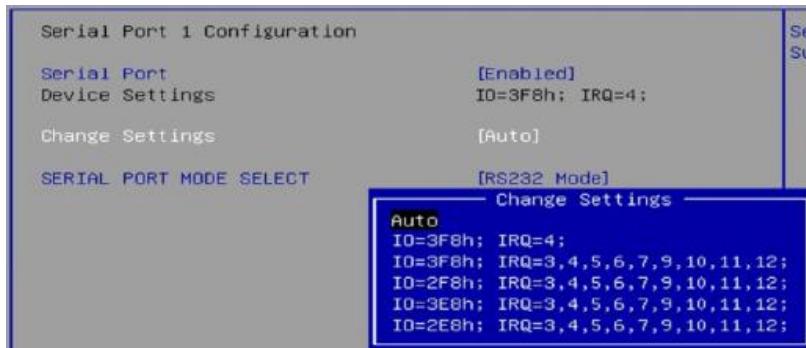
Note: LVDS brightness control can only be controlled in Windows.

## 4.4.8 F81964 Super IO Configuration



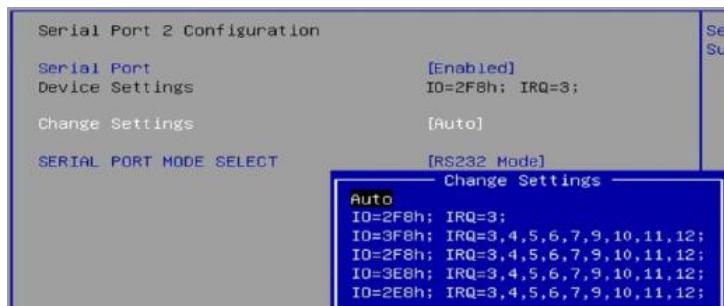
| BIOS Setting              | Description   |
|---------------------------|---|
| Serial Port Configuration | Sets parameters of Serial Ports.<br>Enables / Disables the serial port and select an optimal setting for the Super IO device. |

### 4.4.7.1. Serial Port 1 Configuration



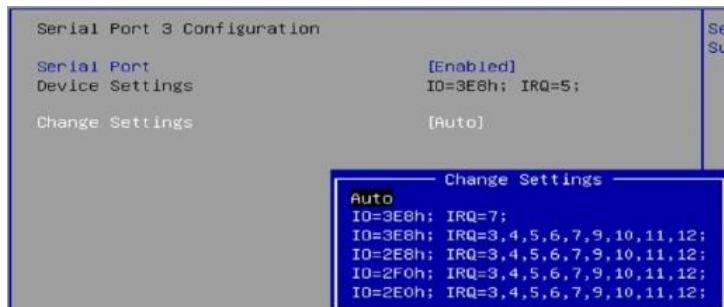
| BIOS Setting            | Description  |
|-------------------------|--|
| Serial Port Mode Select | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Serial Port Loop Back/RS232/RS422/ RS485 mode select</li> </ul> |

#### 4.4.7.2. Serial Port 2 Configuration



| BIOS Setting            | Description  |
|-------------------------|--|
| Serial Port Mode Select | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Serial Port Loop Back/RS232/RS422/ RS485 mode select</li> </ul> |

#### 4.4.7.3. Serial Port 3 Configuration



#### 4.4.7.4. Serial Port 4 Configuration

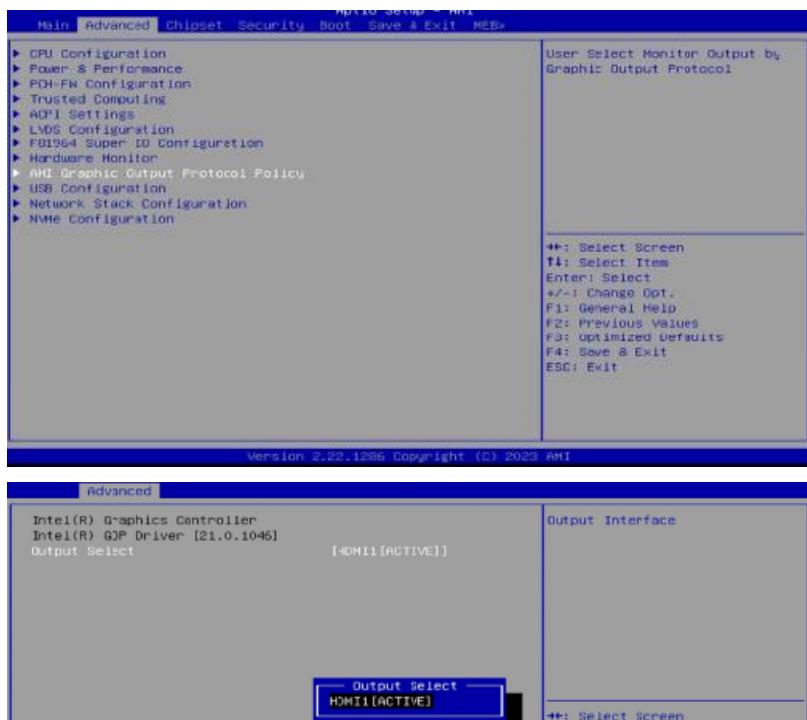


#### 4.4.9 Hardware Monitor

| Advanced                   |             |
|----------------------------|-------------|
| PC Health Status           |             |
| CPU Fan1 smart fan control | [Disabled]  |
| SYS Fan1 smart fan control | [Disabled]  |
| CPU temperature            | : +30 C     |
| System temperature         | : +32 C     |
| CPU Fan1 Speed             | : 2590 RPM  |
| SYS Fan1 Speed             | : N/A       |
| Vcore                      | : +1.264 V  |
| +5V                        | : +5.003 V  |
| +12V                       | : +11.968 V |
| Memory Voltage             | : +1.112 V  |
| +3.3V                      | : +3.312 V  |

| BIOS Setting              | Description   |
|---------------------------|---|
| CPU Fan Smart Fan Control | Enables / Disables CPU smart fan control.<br>Options: Disabled / 50 °C / 60 °C / 70 °C / 80 °C  |
| System Smart Fan Control  | Enables / Disables system smart fan control.<br>Options: Disabled / 50 °C / 60 °C / 70 °C / 80 °C   |
| Temperatures / Voltages   | These fields are the parameters of the hardware monitoring function feature of the motherboard. The values are read-only values as monitored by the system and show the PC health status. |

#### 4.4.10 AMI Graphic Output Protocol Policy

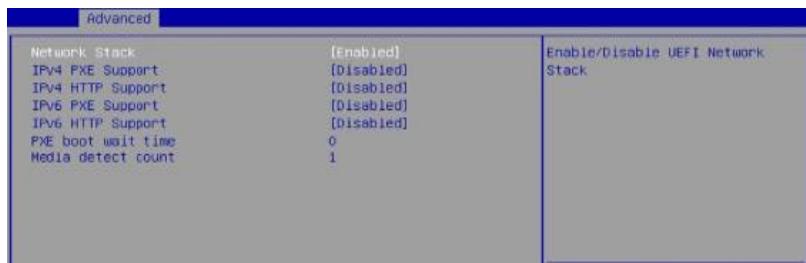


#### 4.4.11 USB Configuration



| BIOS Setting                    | Description  |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Legacy USB Support              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Enabled</b> enables Legacy USB support.</li> <li><b>Auto</b> disables legacy support if there is no USB device connected.</li> <li><b>Disabled</b> keeps USB devices available only for EFI applications.</li> </ul> |
| XHCI Hand-off                   | This is a workaround for OSes without XHCI hand-off support. The XHCI ownership change should be claimed by XHCI driver.   |
| USB Mass Storage Driver Support | Enables / Disables the support for USB mass storage driver.  |
| USB Transfer time-out           | The time-out value (1 / 5 10 / 20 secs) for Control, Bulk, and Interrupt transfers.  |
| Device reset time-out           | Gives seconds (10 / 20 / 30 / 40 secs) to delay execution of Start Unit command to USB mass storage device.  |
| Device power-up delay           | <p>The maximum time the device will take before it properly reports itself to the Host Controller.</p> <p><b>Auto</b> uses default value for a Root port it is 100ms. But for a Hub port, the delay is taken from Hub descriptor.</p>                          |

#### 4.4.12 Network Stack Configuration

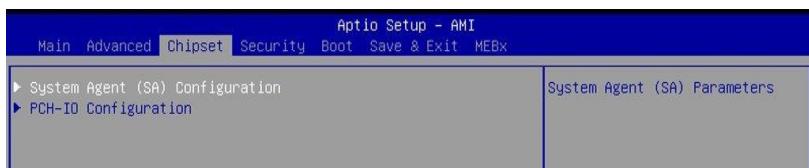


| BIOS Setting       | Description   |
|--------------------|---|
| Network Stack      | Enables / Disables UEFI Network Stack.  |
| IPv4 PXE Support   | Enables / Disables IPv4 PXE Boot Support.<br>If disabled, Ipv4 PXE boot option will not be created.   |
| IPv4 HTTP Support  | Enables / Disables IPv4 HTTP Boot Support.<br>If disabled, Ipv4 HTTP boot option will not be created. |
| IPv6 PXE Support   | Enables / Disables IPv6 PXE Boot Support.<br>If disabled, Ipv4 PXE boot option will not be created.   |
| IPv6 HTTP Support  | Enables / Disables IPv6 HTTP Boot Support.<br>If disabled, Ipv4 HTTP boot option will not be created. |
| PXE boot wait time | Assigns a period of time to press ESC key to abort the PXE boot.                                      |
| Media detect count | Assigns a number of times to check the presence of media.   |

#### 4.4.13 NVMe Configuration

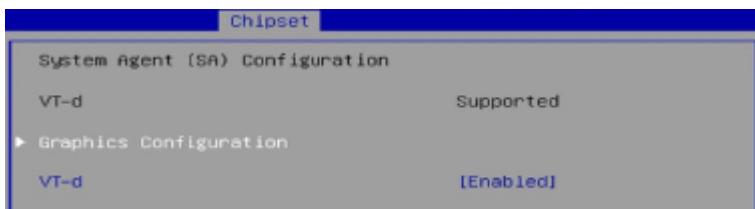


## 4.5 Chipset Settings



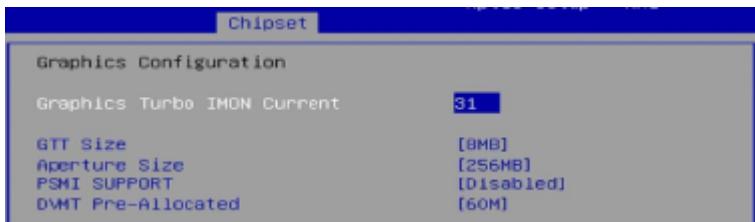
| BIOS Setting                    | Description                  |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| System Agent (SA) Configuration | System Agent (SA) parameters |
| PCH-IO Configuration            | PCH parameters               |

### 4.5.1 System Agent (SA) Configuration

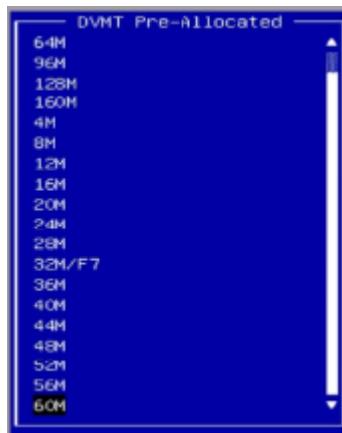


| BIOS Setting           | Description                       |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Graphics Configuration | Configures the graphics settings. |
| VT-d                   | VT-d capability, Enabled/Disabled |

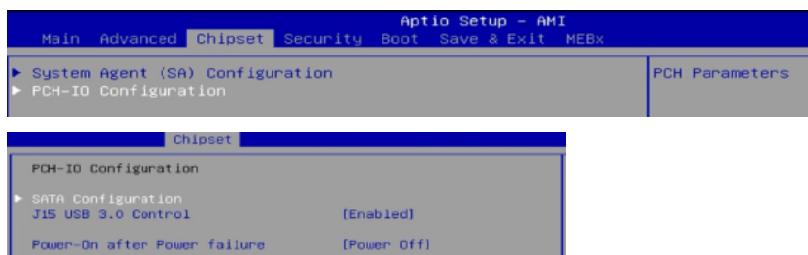
#### 4.5.1.1. Graphics Configuration



| BIOS Setting                | Description   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Graphics Turbo IMON Current | Graphics turbo IMON current values supported (14-31)  |
| GTT Size                    | Sets the GTT size as 2 MB, 4 MB, or 8 MB.   |
| Aperture Size               | Sets the aperture size.<br><b>Note:</b> Above 4 GB MMIO BIOS assignment is automatically enabled when selecting 2048 MB aperture. To use this feature, disable CSM support. |
| PSMI Support                | PSM Enable/Disable  |
| DVMT Pre-Allocated          | Select MT 5.0 Pre-Allocated (Fixed) Graphics Memory size used by the Internal Graphics Device   |
|                             |   |

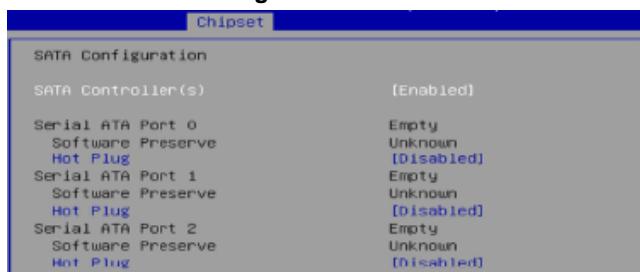


## 4.5.2 PCH-IO Configuration



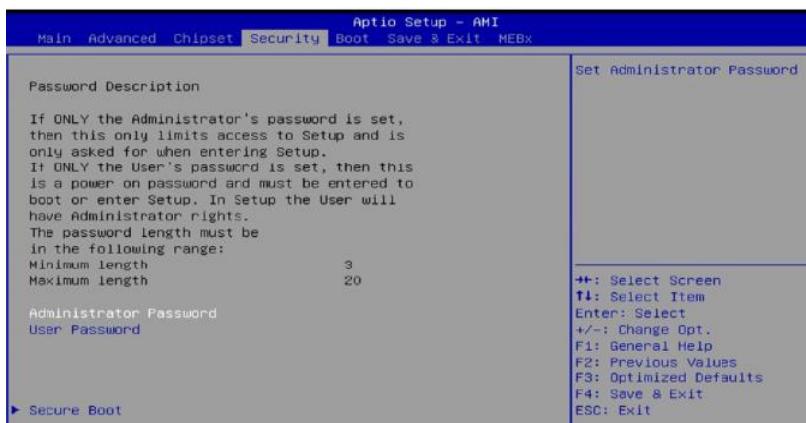
| BIOS Setting         | Description                   |
|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| PCH-IO Configuration | PCH Parameters                |
| SATA Configuration   | SATA Devices Options Settings |
| USB Configuration    | USB Configuration Settings    |

### 4.5.2.1. SATA Configuration:



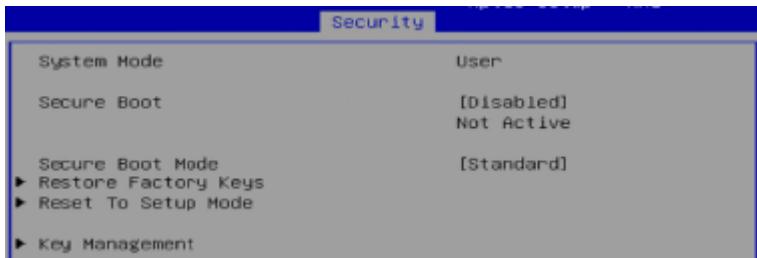
| BIOS Setting                 | Description   |
|------------------------------|---|
| SATA Controller(s)           | Enables / Disables the SATA device.   |
| SATA Mode Selection          | Determines how SATA controller(s) operate.  |
| Serial ATA Ports             | Enables / Disables SATA ports.  |
| Hot Plug                     | Designates the port as Hot Pluggable.   |
| J15 USB 3.0 Control          | Enable/Disable this USB Physical Connector (physical port). Once disabled, any USB devices plugged into the connector will not be detected by BIOS or OS. |
| Power-On after Power failure | Specify what state to go to when power is re-applied after a power failure (S3 state)   |

## 4.6 Security Settings



| BIOS Setting           | Description   |
|------------------------|---|
| Administrator Password | Sets an administrator password for the setup utility. |
| User Password          | Sets a user password.                                 |
| Secure Boot            | Configures Secure Boot.                               |

#### 4.6.1 Secure Boot



| BIOS Setting         | Description   |
|----------------------|---|
| Secure Boot          | Secure Boot feature is Active if Secure Boot is enabled. Platform Key (PK) is enrolled and the system is in User mode. The mode change requires platform reset.           |
| Secure Boot Mode     | Secure Boot mode options: Standard or Custom.<br>In Custom mode, Secure Boot policy variables can be configured by a physically present user without full authentication. |
| Restore Factory Keys | Forces system to user mode. Install factory default Secure Boot key databases.  |
| Key Management       | Enables expert users to modify Secure Boot Policy variables without full authentication.  |

## 4.7 Boot Settings



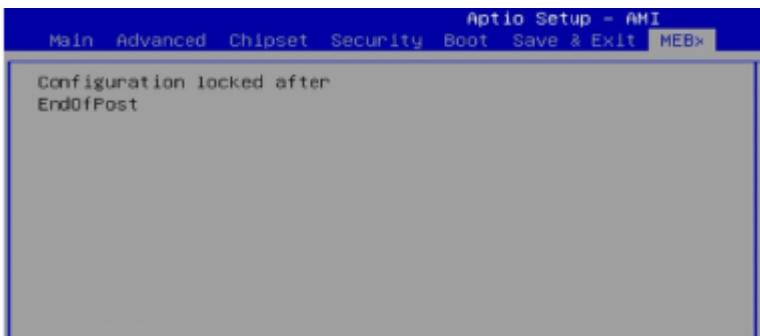
| BIOS Setting           | Description  |
|------------------------|--|
| Setup Prompt Timeout   | Number of seconds to wait for setup activation key.<br>65535(0xFFFF) means indefinite waiting. |
| Bootup NumLock State   | Selects the keyboard NumLock state.  |
| Quiet Boot             | Enables / Disables Quiet Boot option.  |
| Boot Option Priorities | Sets the system boot order.  |

## 4.8 Save & Exit Settings



| BIOS Setting                            | Description  |
|---|--|
| Save Changes and Exit                   | Exits system setup after saving the changes.   |
| Discard Changes and Exit                | Exits system setup without saving any changes.   |
| Save Changes and Reset                  | Resets the system after saving the changes.  |
| Discard Changes and Reset               | Resets system setup without saving any changes.  |
| Save Changes                            | Saves changes done so far to any of the setup options.   |
| Discard Changes                         | Discards changes done so far to any of the setup options.  |
| Restore Defaults                        | Restores / Loads defaults values for all the setup options.  |
| Save as User Defaults                   | Saves the changes done so far as User Defaults.  |
| Restore User Defaults                   | Restores the user defaults to all the setup options.   |
| Launch EFI Shell from filesystem device | Attempts to launch EFI Shell application (Shell.efi) from one of the available filesystem devices. |

## 4.9 MEBx



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# Appendix

This section provides the mapping addresses of peripheral devices and the sample code of watchdog timer configuration.

## A. I/O Port Address Map

Each peripheral device in the system is assigned a set of I/O port addresses which also becomes the identity of the device. The following table lists the I/O port addresses used.

| Address               | Device Description                                  |
|-----------------------|---|
| 0x00000A00-0x00000A0F | Motherboard resources                               |
| 0x00000A10-0x00000A1F | Motherboard resources                               |
| 0x00000A10-0x00000A1F | Motherboard resources                               |
| 0x0000002E-0x0000002F | Motherboard resources                               |
| 0x0000004E-0x0000004F | Motherboard resources                               |
| 0x00000061-0x00000061 | Motherboard resources                               |
| 0x00000063-0x00000063 | Motherboard resources                               |
| 0x00000065-0x00000065 | Motherboard resources                               |
| 0x00000067-0x00000067 | Motherboard resources                               |
| 0x00000070-0x00000070 | Motherboard resources                               |
| 0x00000080-0x00000080 | Motherboard resources                               |
| 0x00000092-0x00000092 | Motherboard resources                               |
| 0x000000B2-0x000000B3 | Motherboard resources                               |
| 0x00000680-0x0000069F | Motherboard resources                               |
| 0x0000164E-0x0000164F | Motherboard resources                               |
| 0x00000040-0x00000043 | System timer  |
| 0x00000050-0x00000053 | System timer  |
| 0x0000FFF8-0x0000FFFF | Intel(R) Active Management Technology - SOL (COM14) |
| 0x000003F8-0x000003FF | Communications Port (COM1)                          |
| 0x000002F8-0x000002FF | Communications Port (COM2)                          |
| 0x000003E8-0x000003EF | Communications Port (COM3)                          |
| 0x000002E8-0x000002EF | Communications Port (COM4)                          |
| 0x00000000-0x00000CF7 | PCI Express Root Complex                            |
| 0x00000D00-0x0000FFFF | PCI Express Root Complex                            |

| <b>Address</b>        | <b>Device Description</b>         |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 0x00001854-0x00001857 | Motherboard resources             |
| 0x00002000-0x000020FE | Motherboard resources             |
| 0x00003000-0x0000303F | Intel(R) Iris(R) Xe Graphics      |
| 0x00003090-0x00003097 | Standard SATA AHCI Controller     |
| 0x00003080-0x00003083 | Standard SATA AHCI Controller     |
| 0x00003060-0x0000307F | Standard SATA AHCI Controller     |
| 0x00000060-0x00000060 | Standard PS/2 Keyboard            |
| 0x00000064-0x00000064 | Standard PS/2 Keyboard            |
| 0x00000020-0x00000021 | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x00000024-0x00000025 | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x00000028-0x00000029 | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x0000002C-0x0000002D | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x00000030-0x00000031 | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x00000034-0x00000035 | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x00000038-0x00000039 | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x0000003C-0x0000003D | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x000000A0-0x000000A1 | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x000000A4-0x000000A5 | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x000000A8-0x000000A9 | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x000000AC-0x000000AD | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x000000B0-0x000000B1 | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x000000B4-0x000000B5 | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x000000B8-0x000000B9 | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x000000BC-0x000000BD | Programmable interrupt controller |
| 0x000004D0-0x000004D1 | Programmable interrupt controller |

## B. Interrupt Request Lines (IRQ)

The following table shows the IRQ used by the devices on board.

| Level             | Function  |
|-------------------|---|
| IRQ 0             | System timer  |
| IRQ 1             | Standard PS/2 Keyboard  |
| IRQ 3             | Communications Port (COM2)                                      |
| IRQ 4             | Communications Port (COM1)                                      |
| IRQ 5             | Communications Port (COM3)                                      |
| IRQ 6             | Communications Port (COM4)                                      |
| IRQ 12            | Microsoft PS/2 Mouse  |
| IRQ 14            | Intel(R) Serial IO GPIO Host Controller - INTC1055              |
| IRQ 16            | High Definition Audio Controller                                |
| IRQ 19            | Intel(R) Active Management Technology - SOL (COM14)             |
| IRQ 256~IRQ 511   | Microsoft ACPI-Compliant System                                 |
| IRQ 4294967266    | Intel(R) Management Engine Interface #1                         |
| IRQ 4294967267    | Intel(R) Iris(R) Xe Graphics                                    |
| IRQ 4294967268~78 | Intel(R) Ethernet Controller I226-V #4                          |
| IRQ 4294967279~89 | Intel(R) Ethernet Controller I226-LM #2                         |
| IRQ 4294967290    | Intel(R) USB 3.10 eXtensible Host Controller - 1.20 (Microsoft) |
| IRQ 4294967291    | Intel(R) USB 3.20 eXtensible Host Controller - 1.20 (Microsoft) |
| IRQ 4294967292    | Standard SATA AHCI Controller                                   |
| IRQ 4294967293    | PCI Express Root Port   |
| IRQ 4294967294    | PCI Express Root Port   |

## C. Watchdog Timer Configuration

The Watchdog Timer (WDT) is used to generate a variety of output signals after a user programmable count. The WDT is suitable for use in the prevention of system lock-up, such as when software becomes trapped in a deadlock. Under these sorts of circumstances, the timer will count to zero and the selected outputs will be driven.

Under normal circumstance, you will need to restart the WDT at regular intervals before the timer counts to zero.

### Sample Code:

```
//-----
// THIS CODE AND INFORMATION IS PROVIDED "AS IS" WITHOUT WARRANTY OF ANY
// KIND, EITHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE
// IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND/OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR
// PURPOSE.
//
//-----
#include <dos.h>
#include <conio.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include "F81964.H"
//-----
int main (int argc, char *argv[]);
void EnableWDT(int);
void DisableWDT(void);
//-----
int main (int argc, char *argv[])
{
    unsigned char bBuf;
    unsigned char bTime;
    char **endptr;
    char SIO;

    printf("Fintek 81964 watch dog program\n");
    SIO = Init_F81964();
    if (SIO == 0)
    {
        printf("Can not detect Fintek 81964, program abort.\n");
        return(1);
    }if (SIO == 0)

    if (argc != 2)
    {
        printf("Parameter incorrect!!\n");
        return (1);
    }
}
```

```

bTime = strtol (argv[1], endptr, 10);
printf("System will reset after %d seconds\n", bTime);

if (bTime)
{
    EnableWDT(bTime); }
else
{
    DisableWDT();}

return 0;
}

//-----
void EnableWDT(int interval)
{
    unsigned char bBuf;

    bBuf = Get_F81964_Reg(0x2B);
    bBuf &= (~0x20);
    Set_F81964_Reg(0x2B, bBuf);           //Enable WDTO

    Set_F81964_LD(0x07);                  //switch to logic device 7
    Set_F81964_Reg(0x30, 0x01);          //enable timer

    bBuf = Get_F81964_Reg(0xF5);
    bBuf &= (~0x0F);
    bBuf |= 0x52;
    Set_F81964_Reg(0xF5, bBuf);          //count mode is second

    Set_F81964_Reg(0xF6, interval);       //set timer

    bBuf = Get_F81964_Reg(0xFA);
    bBuf |= 0x01;
    Set_F81964_Reg(0xFA, bBuf);          //enable WDTO output

    bBuf = Get_F81964_Reg(0xF5);
    bBuf |= 0x20;
    Set_F81964_Reg(0xF5, bBuf);          //start counting
}

//-----
void DisableWDT(void)
{
    unsigned char bBuf;

    Set_F81964_LD(0x07);                  //switch to logic device 7

    bBuf = Get_F81964_Reg(0xFA);
    bBuf &= ~0x01;
    Set_F81964_Reg(0xFA, bBuf);          //disable WDTO output

    bBuf = Get_F81964_Reg(0xF5);
    bBuf &= ~0x20;
    bBuf |= 0x40;
    Set_F81964_Reg(0xF5, bBuf);          //disable WDT
}

//-----
//
```

```
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// PURPOSE.

//
//-----
#include "F81964.H"
#include <dos.h>
//-----

unsigned int F81964_BASE;
void Unlock_F81964 (void);
void Lock_F81964 (void);
//-----

unsigned int Init_F81964(void)
{
    unsigned int result;
    unsigned char ucDid;

    F81964_BASE = 0x4E;
    result = F81964_BASE;

    ucDid = Get_F81964_Reg(0x20);
    if (ucDid == 0x07)           //Fintek 81964
    {
        goto Init_Finish;
    }

    F81964_BASE = 0x2E;
    result = F81964_BASE;

    ucDid = Get_F81964_Reg(0x20);
    if (ucDid == 0x07)           //Fintek 81964
    {
        goto Init_Finish;
    }

    F81964_BASE = 0x00;
    result = F81964_BASE;

Init_Finish:
    return (result);
}

//-----
void Unlock_F81964 (void)
{
    outportb(F81964_INDEX_PORT, F81964_UNLOCK);
    outportb(F81964_INDEX_PORT, F81964_UNLOCK);
}

//-----
void Lock_F81964 (void)
{
    outportb(F81964_INDEX_PORT, F81964_LOCK);
}

//-----
void Set_F81964_LD( unsigned char LD)
{
    Unlock_F81964();
    outportb(F81964_INDEX_PORT, F81964_REG_LD);
    outportb(F81964_DATA_PORT, LD);
    Lock_F81964();
}
```

```
//-----
void Set_F81964_Reg(unsigned char REG, unsigned char DATA)
{
    Unlock_F81964();
    outportb(F81964_INDEX_PORT, REG);
    outportb(F81964_DATA_PORT, DATA);
    Lock_F81964();
}

//-----
unsigned char Get_F81964_Reg(unsigned char REG)
{
    unsigned char Result;
    Unlock_F81964();
    outportb(F81964_INDEX_PORT, REG);
    Result = inportb(F81964_DATA_PORT);
    Lock_F81964();
    return Result;
}
//-----

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//
//-----
#ifndef F81964_H
#define F81964_H 1
//-
#define F81964_INDEX_PORT (F81964_BASE)
#define F81964_DATA_PORT (F81964_BASE+1)
//-
#define F81964_REG_LD 0x07
//-
#define F81964_UNLOCK 0x87
#define F81964_LOCK 0xAA
//-
unsigned int Init_F81964(void);
void Set_F81964_LD(unsigned char);
void Set_F81964_Reg(unsigned char,
unsigned char); unsigned char
Get_F81964_Reg(unsigned char);
//-----
#endif // F81964_H
```

## D. Onboard Connector Types

| Function                       | Connector            | Onboard Type                            | Compatible Mating Type for Reference    |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|---|---|
| DC-In Power Connector          | J21                  | Hao Guo Xing Ye<br>ATX4PT-NY46          | Molex<br>39-01-2040                     |
| USB 2.0 Connector              | J13                  | Hao Guo Xing Ye<br>DF11-8S-PA66H        | Hirose<br>DF11-8DS-2C                   |
| SATA Power Connector           | J19                  | Hao Guo Xing Ye<br>WAFER25-104S-2442-ST | AMP<br>171822-4                         |
| Digital I/O Connector          | J8                   | E-CALL<br>E-CALL_0196-01-200-100        | Dupont<br>10P 2.0 mm-pitch<br>(female)  |
| Front Panel Settings Connector | J2                   | E-CALL<br>0126-01-203-080               | Dupont<br>8P 2.54 mm-pitch<br>(female)  |
| COM3 & COM4 RS-232 Port        | J1, J3               | Hao Guo Xing Ye<br>DF11-10S-PA66H       | HRS<br>DF11-10DS-2C                     |
| Audio Connector                | J20                  | E-CALL<br>0126-01-2821009               | Dupont<br>10P 2.54 mm-pitch<br>(female) |
| Fan Power Connectors           | CPU_FAN1<br>SYS_FAN1 | TechBest<br>W2-03I104132S1WT(A)-L       | Molex<br>47054-1000                     |
| LCD Backlight Connector        | J18                  | E-CALL<br>0110-161-040                  | JST PHR-4                               |
| LVDS Connectors                | J17, J16             | Hirose<br>DF20EG-20DP-1V                | Hirose<br>DF20A-20DS-1C                 |

## E. MI997AFUSB Power Control Bit Mapping.

| Function   | Connector | Software Mapping |
|------------|-----------|------------------|
| M.2 –E Key | J12       | bit_3            |
| USB 3.2    | CN6 (A)   | bit_4            |