



COM336

COM Express[®] Carrier Board User's Manual

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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 when the equipment is operated in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, 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 the receiver.
- Connect the equipment into 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.

Notice:

- The changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.
- 2. Shielded interface cables must be used in order to comply with the emission limits.

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About this Manual

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Warranty

- Warranty does not cover damages or failures that occur from misuse of the product, inability to use the product, unauthorized replacement or alteration of components and product specifications.
- 2. The warranty is void if the product has been subjected to physical abuse, improper installation, modification, accidents or unauthorized repair of the product.
- Unless otherwise instructed in this user's manual, the user may not, under any circumstances, attempt to perform service, adjustments or repairs on the product, whether in or out of warranty. It must be returned to the purchase point, factory or authorized service agency for all such work.
- 4. We will not be liable for any indirect, special, incidental or consequential damages to the product that has been modified or altered.

Static Electricity Precautions

It is quite easy to inadvertently damage your PC, system board, components or devices even before installing them in your system unit. Static electrical discharge can damage computer components without causing any signs of physical damage. You must take extra care in handling them to ensure against electrostatic build-up.

- To prevent electrostatic build-up, leave the system board in its anti-static bag until you are ready to install it.
- 2. Wear an antistatic wrist strap.
- 3. Do all preparation work on a static-free surface.
- Hold the device only by its edges. Be careful not to touch any of the components, contacts or connections.
- Avoid touching the pins or contacts on all modules and connectors. Hold modules or connectors by their ends.



Important:

Electrostatic discharge (ESD) can damage your processor, disk drive and other components. Perform the upgrade instruction procedures described at an ESD workstation only. If such a station is not available, you can provide some ESD protection by wearing an antistatic wrist strap and attaching it to a metal part of the system chassis. If a wrist strap is unavailable, establish and maintain contact with the system chassis throughout any procedures requiring ESD protection.

Safety Measures

- To avoid damage to the system, use the correct AC input voltage range.
- To reduce the risk of electric shock, unplug the power cord before removing the system chassis cover for installation or servicing. After installation or servicing, cover the system chassis before plugging the power cord.

About the Package

The package contains the following items. If any of these items are missing or damaged, please contact your dealer or sales representative for assistance.

- 1 COM336 board•
- 1 Serial ATA data cable (Length: 500mm)
- Standoff (M2.5*12)

The board and accessories in the package may not come similar to the information listed above. This may differ in accordance with the sales region or models in which it was sold. For more information about the standard package in your region, please contact your dealer or sales representative.

Before Using the System Board

When installing the system board in a new system, you will need at least the following internal components.

- Memory module
- Storage device such as a hard disk drive.
- Power supply

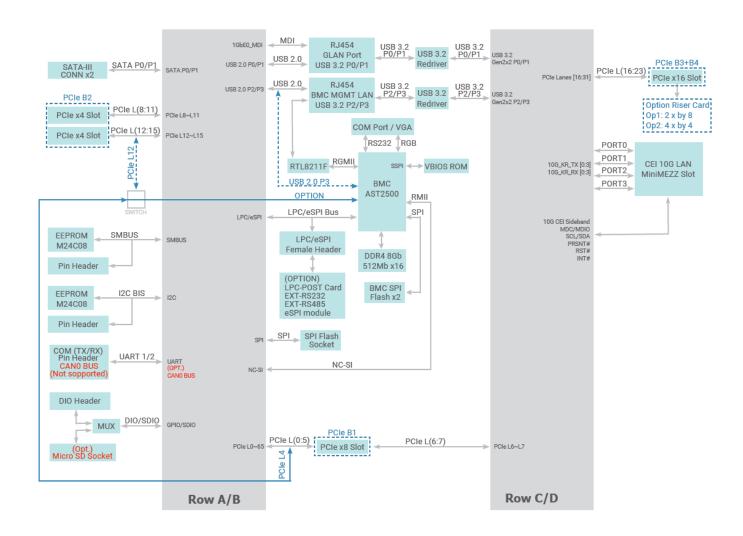
External system peripherals may also be required for navigation and display, including at least a keyboard, a mouse and a video display monitor.

Chapter 1 - Introduction

▶ Specifications

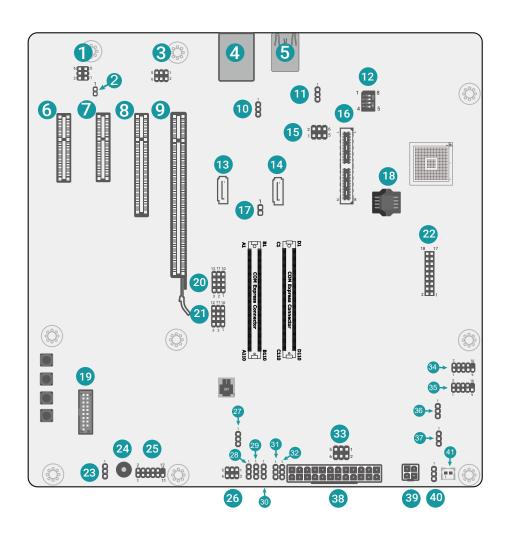
| GRAPHICS | Processor | AST2500 (non-BMC sku optional by request) |
|--------------|-------------------|--|
| | SDRAM | 8Gb memory down DDR4 2400 512M x16 SDRAM |
| | Display Interface | Through BMC to convert VGA signal VGA display resolution up to 1920x1200 |
| | Ethernet | RTL8211F LAN PHY Support 10/100/1000M Ethernet MAC Speed RJ45 x1 |
| | UART | COM port protocol: RS232 Connector type: DB9 |
| | SMBus (for slave) | From COMe BTB connector reserve pin |
| EXPANSION | Interface | 1 x PCle x8 2 x PCle x4 1 x PCle x16 1 x SDIO |
| 1/0 | Ethernet | 1 x CEI 10Gb LAN Mini MEZZ slot, support 10GBASE-KR Ethernet MAC Speed 2 x 1GbE LAN (RJ-45) (one from module; another from BMC for remote management) |
| | USB | 4 x USB 3.2 type A 4 x USB 2.0 |
| INTERNAL I/O | Serial | 1 x Serial Interface Connector (TX/RX) |
| | Display | 1 x VGA from BMC |
| | SATA | 2 x SATA 3.0 |
| | DIO | 1 x 8-bit DIO |
| | LPC | 1 x LPC |
| | SMBus | 1 x SMBus |
| | I2C | 1 x I2C |
| POWER | Туре | 12V, 5VSB, VCC_RTC (ATX mode) 12V, VCC_RTC (AT mode) |
| | Connector | 4-pin ATX 12V power 24-pin ATX power |
| | | |

| ENVIRONMENT | Temperature | Operating: -20 to 70°C Storage: -40 to 85°C |
|----------------|----------------|---|
| | Humidity | Operating: 5 to 90% RH Storage: 5 to 90% RH |
| | MTBF | TBD |
| MECHANICAL | Dimensions | microATX Form Factor 244mm (9.6") x 244mm (9.6") |
| | Compliance | PICMG COM Express® R3.1, Type 7 basic & compact modules |
| CERTIFICATIONS | Certifications | CE, FCC, RoHS |



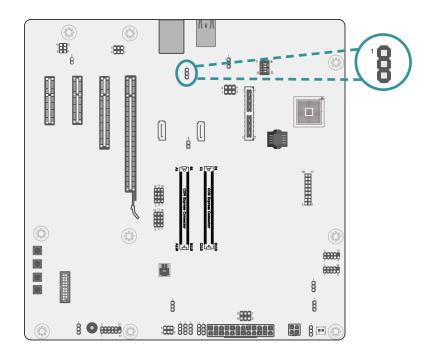
Chapter 2 - Hardware Installation

▶ Board Layout



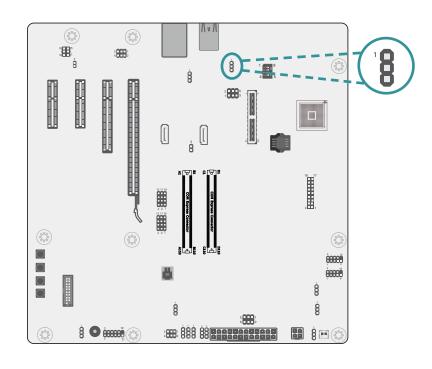
| 1 | I2C_HDR | 21 | PCle Lane4 Path Select |
|----|--------------------------------|----|------------------------|
| 2 | BMC VGA | 22 | LPC/ESPI HDR |
| 3 | SMBUS_HDR | 23 | ESPI |
| 4 | ▲LAN1 ▼USB3_1/2 USB2_1/2 | 24 | Buzzer |
| 5 | ▲USB3_3/4 ▼USB2_3/4 | 25 | Front Panel |
| 6 | PClex4 | 26 | BIOS BOOT |
| 7 | PClex4 | 27 | MUX_BMC_PCle Select |
| 8 | PClex8 | 28 | TPM_PP on CB Select |
| 9 | PClex16 | 29 | 10G PHY CAP2/3 Select |
| 10 | USB1/2_PWR | 30 | CEI_PRESENT# |
| 1 | USB3/4_PWR | 31 | PSON# Select |
| 12 | BMC Hardware Strap | 32 | PWROK Select |
| 13 | SATA3_P0 | 33 | VCC_5V_SBY Source |
| 14 | SATA3_P1 | 34 | COM1 |
| 15 | USB2_P4_Mode | 35 | COM2 |
| 16 | MiniMEZZ Slot (Defined by DFI) | 36 | BMC System Fan2 |
| 17 | BAT_LOW# Indicator | 37 | System Fan1 |
| 18 | SPI | 38 | ATX Power |
| 19 | DIO HDR | 39 | +12 Power |
| 20 | PCIe Lane12 Path Select | 40 | Clear CMOS |
| | | 41 | Battery |

USB1/2_PWR (JP1)



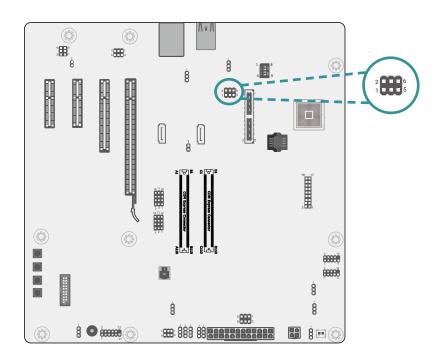


USB3/4_PWR (JP2)





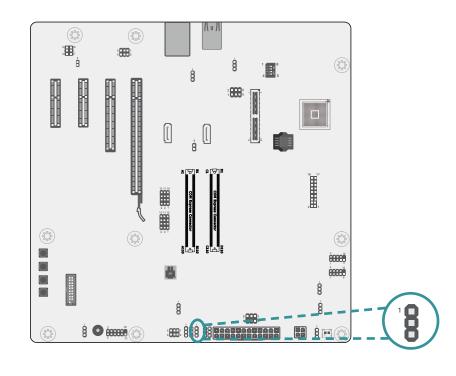
USB2_P4_Mode (JP4)





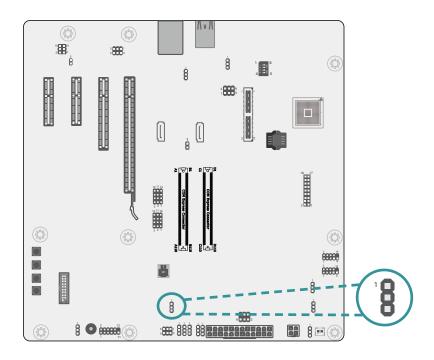


CEI_PRESENT# (JP19)



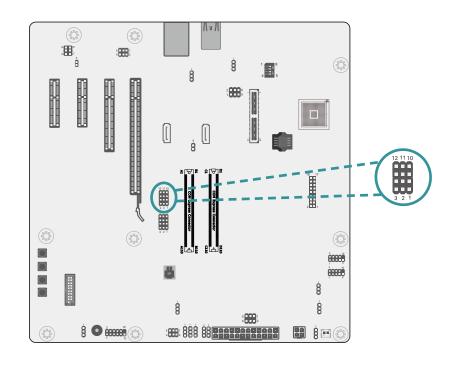


MUX_BMC_PCle Select (JP35)



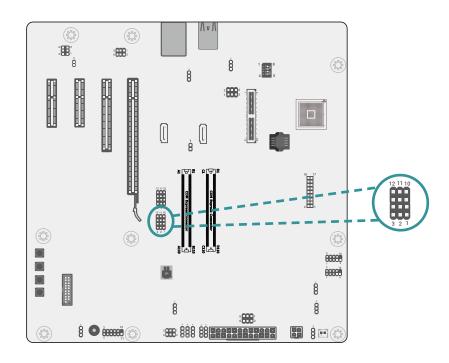


PCIe Lane12 Path Select (JP18)



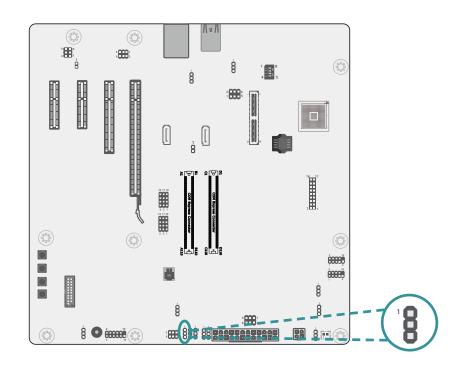


PCle Lane4 Path Select (JP34)



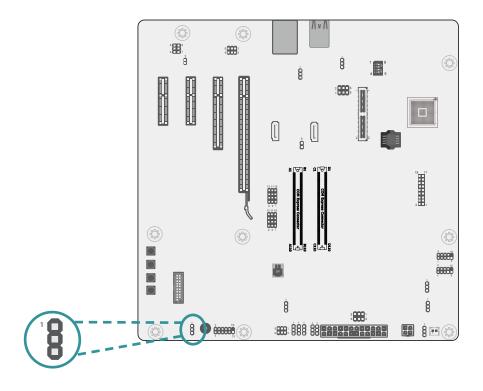


TPM_PP on CB Select (JP20)

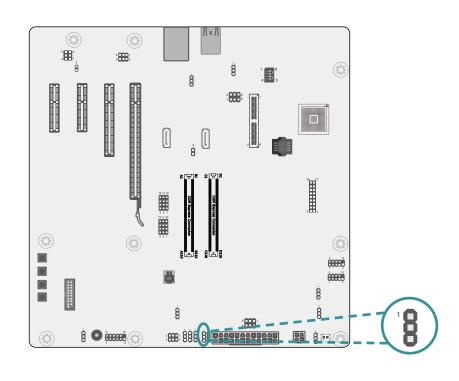




ESPI (JP21)

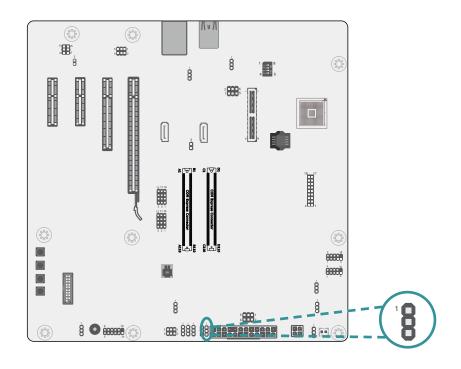


PSON# Select (JP28)

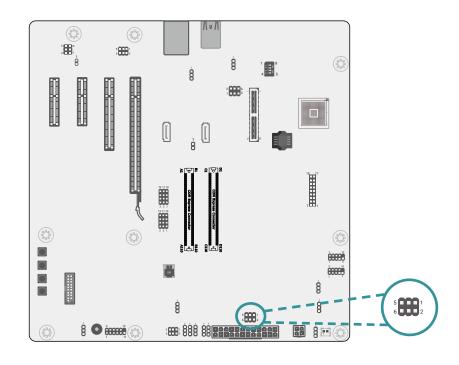




PWROK Select (JP27)



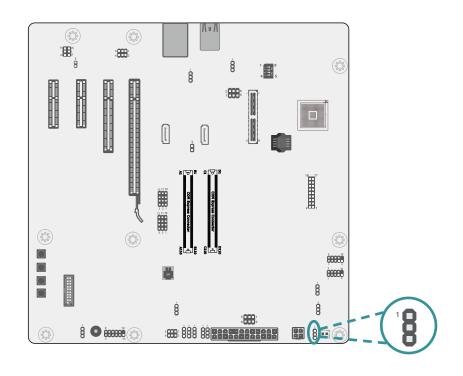
VCC_5V_SBY Source (JP26)



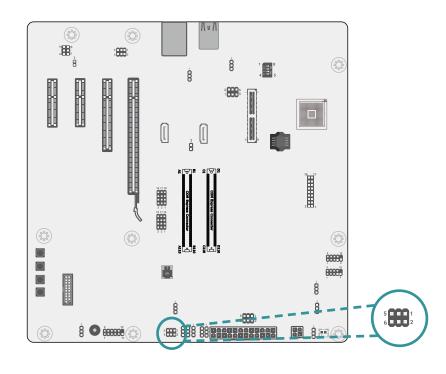




Clear CMOS (JP29)



BIOS BOOT (J10)

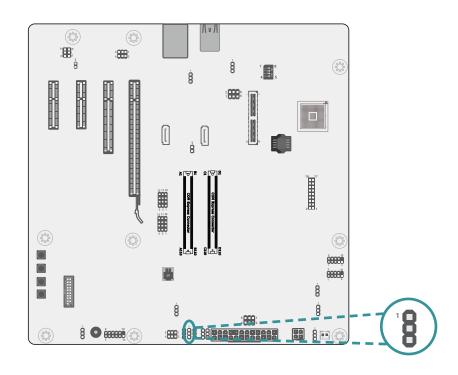




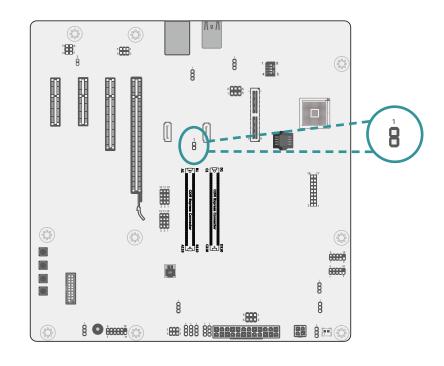




10G PHY CAP2/3 Select (JP9)



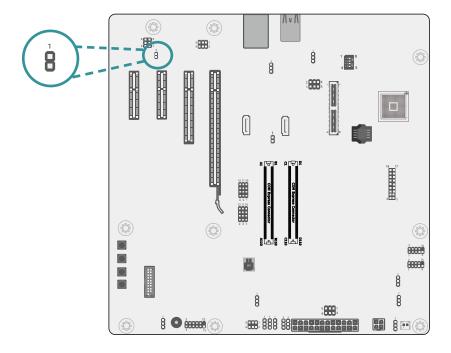
BAT_LOW# Indicator (J4)







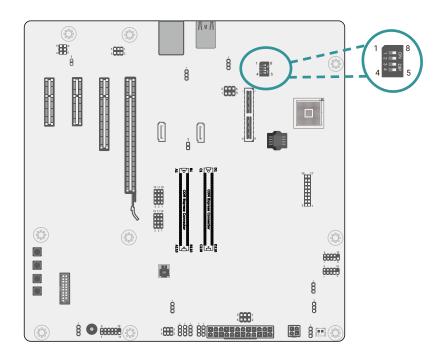
BMC VGA (J20)





- 1-X On: Normal VGA/2D (default)
- 1-2 On: Disable

BMC Hardware Strap (SW1)

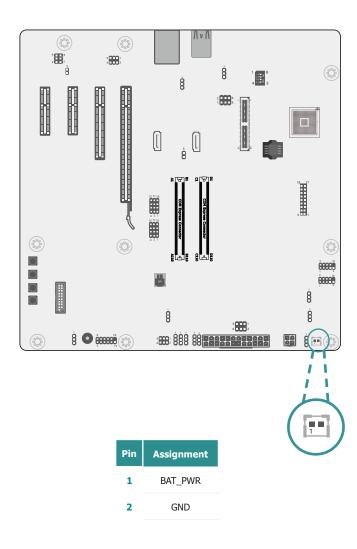


| BMC SPI Mode Strap (BIOS BOOT Select) | PIN1 2 |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Disable SPI Interface (default) | 1-8 OFF , 2-7 OFF |
| Enable SPI Master | 1-8 OFF, 2-7 ON |
| RSVD | 1-8 ON, 2-7 OFF |
| Enable SPI pass through | 1-8 ON, 2-7 ON |

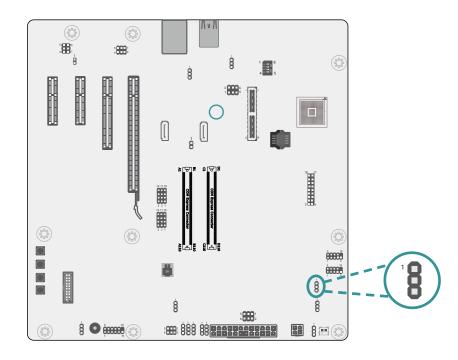
| MAC#1 Interface Type | PIN4 |
|----------------------|---------|
| RMII/NCSI | 4-5 OFF |
| RGMII (default) | 4-5 ON |

| BMC 2nd Boot Watchdog Timer | PIN3 |
|-----------------------------|---------|
| Disable | 3-6 OFF |
| Enable (default) | 3-6 ON |

Battery (J14)

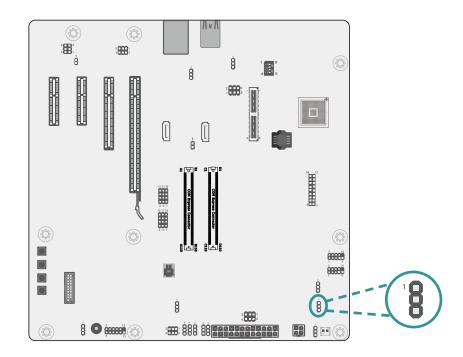


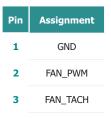
BMC System Fan2 (J8)



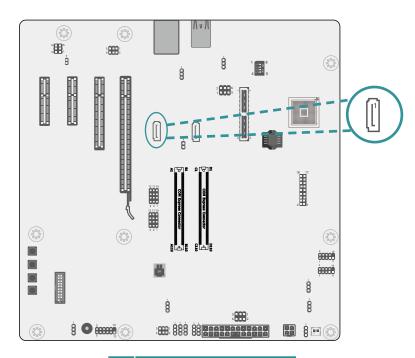
| Pin | Assignment | | |
|-----|------------|--|--|
| 1 | GND | | |
| 2 | FAN_PWM | | |
| 3 | FAN_TACH | | |

System Fan1 (J9)



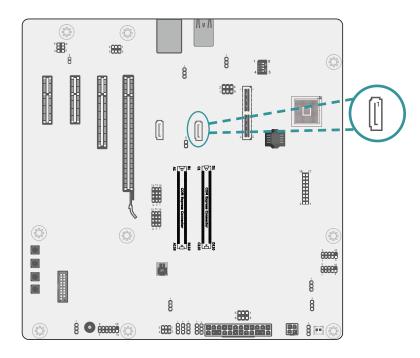


SATA3_P0 (J3)



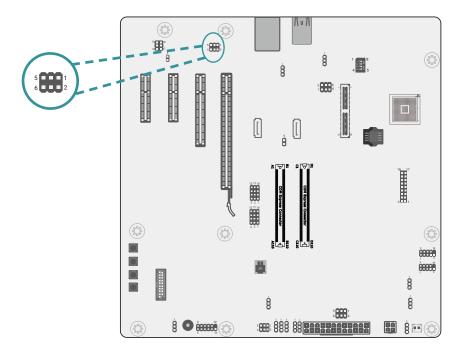
| Pin | Assignment |
|-----|------------|
| 1 | GND |
| 2 | TX+ |
| 3 | TX- |
| 4 | GND |
| 5 | RX- |
| 6 | RX+ |
| 7 | GND |

SATA3_P1 (J2)



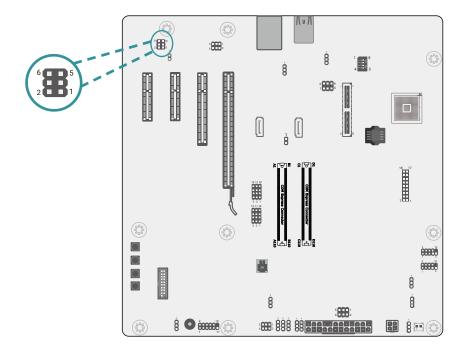
| Pin | Assignment | | | |
|-----|------------|--|--|--|
| 1 | GND | | | |
| 2 | TX+ | | | |
| 3 | TX- | | | |
| 4 | GND | | | |
| 5 | RX- | | | |
| 6 | RX+ | | | |
| 7 | GND | | | |

SMBUS_HDR (J16)



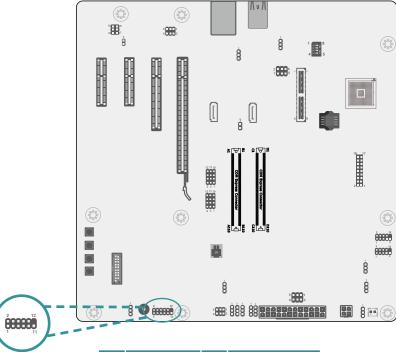
| Pin | Assignment | Pin | Assignment |
|-----|----------------|-----|-----------------|
| 1 | 3VDU | 2 | GND |
| 3 | SMB_CLK_RESUME | 4 | SMB_DATA_RESUME |
| 5 | SMB_ALERT- | 6 | NC_KEY |

I2C_HDR (J15)



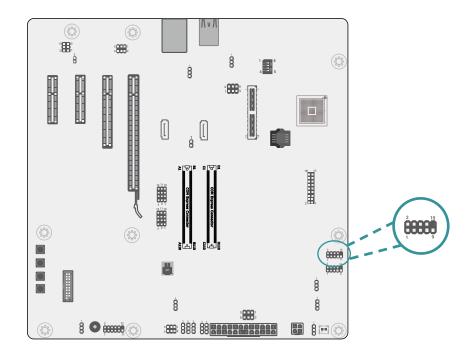
| Pin | Assignment | Pin | Assignment |
|-----|----------------|-----|----------------|
| 1 | 3VDU | 2 | GND |
| 3 | I2C_CLK_RESUME | 4 | I2C_DAT_RESUME |
| 5 | NC | 6 | NC_KEY |

Front Panel (J17)



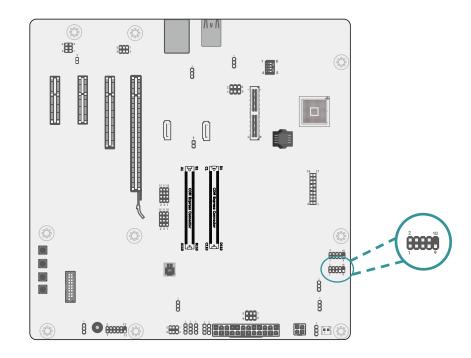
| Pin | Assignment | Pin | Assignment |
|-----|------------|-----|------------|
| 1 | NC | 2 | 3V3SB |
| 3 | 3.3V | 4 | 3V3SB |
| 5 | HDD_LED# | 6 | PWR_LED |
| 7 | GND | 8 | GND |
| 9 | RESET# | 10 | PWR_BTN# |
| 11 | NC | 12 | NC_KEY |

COM1 (J7)



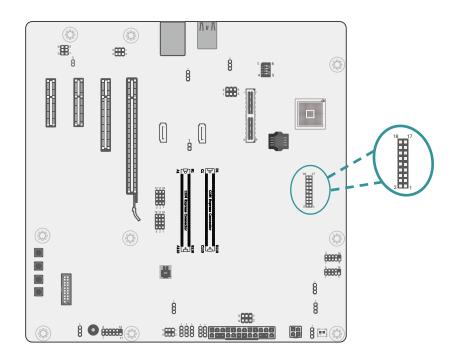
| Pin | Assignment | Pin | Assignment |
|-----|------------|-----|------------|
| 1 | NC | 2 | UARTO_RX |
| 3 | UART0_TX | 4 | NC |
| 5 | GND | 6 | NC |
| 7 | NC | 8 | NC |
| 9 | NC | 10 | NC |
| 11 | NC | 12 | NC |

COM2 (J6)



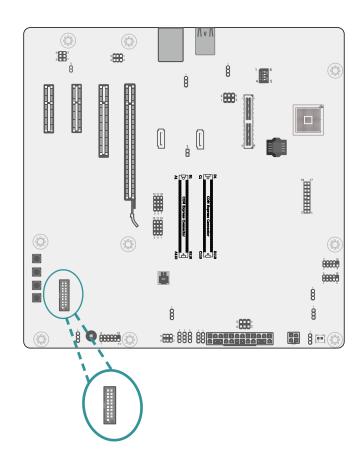
| Pin | Assignment | Pin | Assignment |
|-----|------------|-----|------------|
| 1 | NC | 2 | UART1_RX |
| 3 | UART1_TX | 4 | NC |
| 5 | GND | 6 | NC |
| 7 | NC | 8 | NC |
| 9 | NC | 10 | NC |
| 11 | NC | 12 | NC |

LPC/ESPI HDR (J12)



| Pin | Assignment | Pin | Assignment |
|-----|-----------------------|-----|------------------|
| 1 | LPCCK/ESPICK | 2 | LPC_AD1/ESPI_IO1 |
| 3 | LPCRST# | 4 | LPC_AD0/ESPI_IO0 |
| 5 | LPC_FRAME#/ESPI_CS# | 6 | 3V3 |
| 7 | LPC_AD3/ESPI_IO3 | 8 | GND |
| 9 | LPC_AD2/ESPI_IO2 | 10 | NC_KEY |
| 11 | LPC_SERIRQ/ESPI_CS1# | 12 | GND |
| 13 | 5VSB | 14 | 5V |
| 15 | SUS_STAT#/ESPI_RESET# | 16 | ESPI_ALERT0# |
| 17 | +12V | 18 | ESPI_ALERT1# |

DIO HDR (J13)



| Pin | Assignment | Pin | Assignment |
|-----|------------|-----|------------|
| 1 | GND | 2 | +12V |
| 3 | GPO3 | 4 | +12V |
| 5 | GPO2 | 6 | GND |
| 7 | GPO1 | 8 | +3.3V |
| 9 | GPO0 | 10 | +3.3V |
| 11 | GPI3 | 12 | GND |
| 13 | GPI2 | 14 | +5VSB |
| 15 | GPI1 | 16 | +5VSB |
| 17 | GPI0 | 18 | GND |
| 19 | GND | 20 | NC_KEY |