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# **AEC-6840**

Fanless Embedded Controller Intel<sup>®</sup> ULV Celeron<sup>®</sup> 400/650MHz EBGA CPU With Dual Ethernet, 4 COMs, DIO, CompactFlash<sup>™</sup>

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# **Packing List**

Before you begin operating your PC, please make sure that the following materials have been shipped:

- 1 AEC-6840 Embedded Controller
- 1 Keyboard & mouse cable
- 1 Phoenix Power Connector
- 2 Wall Mount Bracket
- 1 Phoenix DIO Connector
- 1 Screw Package
- 1 CD-ROM for manual (in PDF format) and drivers

If any of these items should be missing or damaged, please contact your distributor or sales representative immediately.

# Safety & Warranty

- 1. Read these safety instructions carefully.
- 2. Keep this user's manual for later reference.
- 3. Disconnect this equipment from any AC outlet before cleaning. Do not use liquid or spray detergents for cleaning. Use a damp cloth.
- 4. For pluggable equipment, the power outlet must be installed near the equipment and must be easily accessible.
- 5. Keep this equipment away from humidity.
- 6. Put this equipment on a reliable surface during installation. Dropping it or letting it fall could cause damage.
- 7. The openings on the enclosure are for air convection. Protect the equipment from overheating. DO NOT COVER THE OPENINGS.
- Make sure the voltage of the power source is correct before connecting the equipment to the power outlet.
- 9. Position the power cord so that people cannot step on it. Do not place anything over the power cord.
- 10. All cautions and warnings on the equipment should be noted.
- 11. If the equipment is not used for a long time, disconnect it from the power source to avoid damage by transient over-voltage.
- 12. Never pour any liquid into an opening. This could cause fire or electrical shock.
- 13. Never open the equipment. For safety reasons, only qualified service personnel should open the equipment.
- 14. If any of the following situations arises, get the equipment checked

by service personnel:

- a. The power cord or plug is damaged.
- b. Liquid has penetrated into the equipment.
- c. The equipment has been exposed to moisture.
- d. The equipment does not work well, or you cannot get it

to work according to the users manual.

- e. The equipment has been dropped and damaged.
- f. The equipment has obvious signs of breakage.
- 15. DO NOT LEAVE THIS EQUIPMENT IN AN ENVIRONMENT WHERE THE STORAGE TEMPERATURE IS BELOW -20° C(-4°F) OR ABOVE 60° C (140° F). IT MAY DAMAGE THE EQUIPMENT.

# **FCC Safety**



This device complies with Part 15 FCC Rules.

Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

(1) this device may not cause harmful interference,

and (2) this device must accept any interference

received including interference that may cause

undesired operation.

Caution:

It may cause danger of explosion if battery is incorrectly replaced. Replace only with the same or equivalent type recommended by the manufacturer. Dispose of used batteries according to the manufacturer's instructions.

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# Chapter

# General Information

# **1.1 Introduction**

AEC-6840 is the advanced upgraded version of AEC-6810. The target markets are industrial automation such as applications in factory management, building entrance guard and transportation system. We primarily focuses AEC-6840 on environmental monitoring system.

Intel<sup>®</sup> ULV Celeron<sup>®</sup> chipset with low power consumption and high performance is widely acceptable and dependable in the market. USB 2.0, four Serial ports and Digital I/O communicates with diverse devices with high transferring rate. Furthermore, an optional Gigabit LAN port is a leading-edge design and also an innovation for communication in IPC industry. AEC-6840 plays a role as connecting all subsystems.

# 1.2 Feature

- Fan-less System
- Onboard Intel<sup>®</sup> ULV Celeron<sup>®</sup> 400/650MHz EBGA processor
- Optional Dual LAN(Gigabit LAN)
- 4 serial ports / Digital IO / USB2.0
- Embedded OS WinCE.net 4.2 porting ready for application
- Supports CompactFlash<sup>™</sup> Memory and lockable mechanism
- Anti-vibration up to 5 g rms / Anti-shock up to 100gn

# 1.3 Specification

# System

•	CPU:	Intel® ULV Celeron® 400/650MHz
		EBGA CPU
•	Construction:	Rugged Aluminum Alloy Chassis
•	System Memory:	DDR RAM SODIMM x 1, Max.
		512MB
•	VGA:	D-sub 15 VGA Connector
•	Keyboard/Mouse:	PS/2 Keyboard & Mouse
•	Ethernet:	10/100Base-T Ethernet RJ-45
		connector x 1
		Optional 2 <sup>nd</sup> LAN(10/100 or Gigabit)
•	SSD:	Type II CompactFlash™ slot
•	Hard Disk Storage:	Optional 2.5" Slim HDD Module
•	Serial Port:	3 x RS-232, 1 x RS-232/422/485
•	DIO:	3 in / 3 out
•	USB:	2 USB 2.0 Ports
•	Watchdog Timer:	Generate a time-out system reset
•	Power Supply:	DC Input: 9VDc~30VDc
		AC Input: External Power Adapter
		(Optional)
•	System Control:	Power on / off switch x 1
		Reset button x 1
•	Indicator:	Power LED x 1
		HDD active LED x 1

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 OS Support: Windows<sup>®</sup> 2000 / XP, Windows<sup>®</sup> CE, Windows<sup>®</sup> XP Embedded

# Mechanical and Environmental

•	Construction:	Aluminum Alloy chassis
•	Color:	Dark Blue
•	Mounting:	Wall-mount (Default), Din Rail
•	Dimension:	8.35" (W) x 2.53" (H) x 4.21" (D)
		212.15mm x 64.2mm x 107mm
•	Net Weight:	4.75lb (2.16kg)
•	Gross Weight:	8.36lb (3.8kg)
•	Operation Temperatu	re: $5^{\circ}F \sim 140^{\circ}F (-15^{\circ}C \sim 60^{\circ}C)$
•	Operation Humidity:	5~95%@40C, non-condensing
•	Vibration:	5 g rms / 5~500Hz / random
		operation (Without HDD Module)
		1 g / 5~500Hz / random operation
		(With HDD Module)
•	Shock:	100g peak acceleration (11 msec.
		duration)
•	EMC:	CE/FCC Class A



**Rear Side** 





# Hardware Installation



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# 2.1 Dimension



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Units:mm



# 2.2 HDD Module Installation

# Cable Insertion

Step 1: Open the HDD cover by loosening the screws on the bottom of the

chassis.





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Step 2: Insert the Cable to the bottom of the chassis as the illustration

below.





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# HDD Kit Combination

Get the HDD and bracket ready.



Step 1: Stack the HDD and bracket. Fasten HDD and bracket with the



screws.

Step 2: Fasten the HDD module into the HDD kit house.



Step 3: Insert the other side of the cable to the HDD module.



Step 4: Combine the HDD kit house with the chassis and push as the



illustration shown below.

**Step 5:** Lock with the screws.



# 2.3 SDRAM Installation

Step 1: Screw the lid off the chassis.



**Step 2:** Remove the lid after you screw the lid off the chassis and insert the DDR SDRAM SODIMM module into the slot.



SDRAM SODIMM module

#### 2.4 COM2 RS-232/422/485 Setting

#### RS-232/422/485 Selection (JP2 & JP3)

The following table provides the user to set up COM2 port.

JP2	Function
1-2, 4-5, 7-8, 10-11	RS-232 (Default)
2-3, 5-6, 8-9, 11-12	RS-422
2-3, 5-6, 8-9, 11-12	RS-485

JP3	Function
1-2	RS-232 (Default)
3-4	RS-422
5-6	RS-485



Magnification

# 2.5 Power Linkage Installation

Step 1: Get the cable and connector ready



Step2: Fix the connector to the cable with the screws.



Step3: Insert the power cable in.



Step 4: Screw the power cable into the chassis.



#### Notice:

Please make sure that pin assignment of **Power** and **Ground** on the accurate location.

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# 2.6 Wall-mount Installation

Fasten the brackets with the screws.



# 2.7 Din Rail Installation

Step 1: Fix the Din Rail kit with the screws on the chassis as the

illustration shown.



Step 2: Press the Din Rail on the Din Rail kit to fix it.



## 2.8 COM2 RS-232/422/485 Serial Port Connector

Different devices implement the RS-232/422/485 standard in different ways.

If you are having problems with a serial device, be sure to check the pin assignments below for the connector.



Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	DCD (422TXD-/485DATA-)	2	RXD (422RXD+)
3	TXD (422TXD+/485DATA+)	4	DTR (422RXD-)
5	GND	6	DSR
7	RTS	8	CTS
9	RI	10	N.C.

#### 2.9 COM1/3/4 RS-232 Serial Port Connector

.Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	DCD	2	RXD
3	TXD	4	DTR
5	GND	6	DSR
7	RTS	8	CTS
9	RI	10	N.C.



# Award BIOS Setup

#### 3.1 System test and initialization

These routines test and initialize board hardware. If the routines encounter an error during the tests, you will either hear a few short beeps or see an error message on the screen. There are two kinds of errors: fatal and nonfatal. The system can usually continue the boot up sequence with non-fatal errors. Non-fatal error messages usually appear on the screen along with the following instructions:

Press <F1> to RESUME

Write down the message and press the F1 key to continue the boot up sequence.

#### System configuration verification

These routines check the current system configuration against the values stored in the CMOS memory. If they do not match, the program outputs an error message. You will then need to run the BIOS setup program to set the configuration information in memory.

There are three situations in which you will need to change the CMOS settings:

- 1. You are starting your system for the first time
- 2. You have changed the hardware attached to your system
- 3. The CMOS memory has lost power and the configuration information has been erased.

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The AEC-6840 CMOS memory has an integral lithium battery backup for data retention. However, you will need to replace the complete unit when it finally runs down.

# 3.2 Award BIOS Setup

Awards BIOS ROM has a built-in Setup program that allows users to modify the basic system configuration. This type of information is stored in battery-backed CMOS RAM so that it retains the Setup information when the power is turned off.

#### Entering setup

Power on the computer and press <Del> immediately. This will allow you to enter Setup.

#### Main Menu

Use this menu for basic system configuration. (Date, time, IDE, etc.)

#### **Advanced BIOS Features**

Allow you to choose the VIRUS warning feature for IDE Hard Disk boot sector protection. If this function is enabled and someone attempt to write data into this area, BIOS will show a warning message on screen and alarm beep.

#### **Advanced Chipset Features**

DRAM timings, AGP functions etc.

#### **Integrated Peripherals**

Use this menu to specify your settings for integrated peripherals.

(Onchip IDE device, Onchip PCI device, Super IO device, mouse etc.)

#### Power Management Setup

Use this menu to specify your settings for power management.

# **PnP/PCI** Configurations

This entry appears if your system supports PnP/PCI.

#### PC Health Status

This menu shows you the status of PC.

#### Clk/Voltage Control

This menu shows you the display of Clock and Spread

Spectrum

Control.

## Load Optimized Defaults

Use this menu to load the BIOS default values that are factory

settings for optimal performance system operations. While

AWARD has designated the custom BIOS to maximize

performance, the factory has the right to change these defaults to meet their needs.

#### Set Password

Change / Set / Disable password.

#### Save and Exit Setup

Save the changes you've made to CMOS and exit setup.

#### **Exit Without Saving**

Abandon all CMOS value changes and exit setup.

#### 3.3 Main Menu

When you choose Main Menu, the screen shown below is displayed. This Main Menu allows users to configure system components such as date, time, hard disk drive, floppy drive and display. Once a field is highlighted, on-line help information is displayed in the right box of the Menu screen.

Phoen	ix - AwardBIOS CMOS Setup Ut	ility
Main Advanced Default	s. Security _PC Health_Clk/	Voltage Exit
Date (mm:dd:yy) Time (hh:mm:ss) ► IDE Primary Master ► IDE Primary Slave ► Compact Flash Type	Wed, Sen 22 2004 10 : 18 : 52	Item Help Menu Level ► Change the day, month, year and century
<mark>Video Halt On</mark> Base Memory Extended Memory Total Memory	[EGA/VGA] [All , But Keyboard] 640K 64512K 65536K	
t↓→+:Move Enter:Select	+/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save	ESC:Exit F1:General Help
F5:Previous V	alues F7:Optimi	zed Defaults

#### IDE Primary Master

IDE Primary Mas	ter	Item Help
IDE HDD Auto-Detection IDE Primary Master Access Mode Capacity Cylinder Head	(Press Enter) [Auto] [Auto] 0 MB 0	Menu Level ►► To auto-detect the HDD's size, head o this channel
Precomp Landing Zone Sector	0 0 0 -/PU/PD:Value F10:S	ave ESC:Exit F1:General He

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#### IDE Primary Slave

IDE Primary Sla	ve	Item Help
	[Press Enter]	Menu Level 🏼 🏎
IDE Primary Slave Access Mode	[Auto] [Auto]	To auto-detect the HDD's size, head
Capacity	0 MB	this channel
Cylinder Head Precomp Landing Zone Sector	0 0 0 0	

# CompactFlash Type

IDE HDD Auto-Detection [Fress Enter] Menu Level → Compact Flash Type [Auto] Access Mode [Auto] Capacity 0 MB Cylinder 0	and a second second	Type	Item Help
Compact Flash Type         [Auto] [Auto]         To auto-detect t HDD's size, head this channel           Capacity         0 MB           Cylinder         0		(Press Enter)	Menu Level 🍑
Capacity 0 HB Cylinder 0 Nead	Compact Flash Type Access Mode	[Auto] [Auto]	To auto-detect the HDD's size, head o
Cylinder 8	Capacity	0 MB	this channel
Precomp 0 Landing Zone 0 Sector 8	Cylinder lead Yrecomp anding Zone Sector	0 0 0 0	

# **3.4 Advanced BIOS Features**

By choosing Advanced BIOS Features, the screen below is displayed. This sample screen contains the manufacturer's default values for the AEC-6840.

Phoenix - AwardBIOS CMOS Setu Main Advanced Defaults Security PC Health	o Utility Clk/Voltage Exit
Phoenix - HwardBlus CMUS Setu         Main       Advanced       Defaults       Security       PC Health         * Advanced Chipset Features       •       Advanced Chipset Features       •         * Integrated Peripherals       •       Power Management Setup       •         * PnP/PCI Configurations       •       •       •	Clk/Voltage Exit Item Help Menu Level ► Virus Protection, Boot Sequence
↑↓++:Move       Enter:Select       +/-/PU/PD:Value       F10:Sa         F5:Previous       Values       F7:Op	ve ESC:Exit F1:General Help timized Defaults ility
Advanced	
Advanced BIOS Features	Item Help
Virus Marning (Usabled) CPU Internal Cache [Enabled] External Cache [Enabled] CPU L2 Cache ECC Checking [Enabled] Quick Power On Self Test [Enabled] First Boot Device [LoBOM] Third Boot Device [LS120] Boot Other Device [Ls120] Bo	Menu Level → Allows you to choose the VIRUS warning feature for IDE Hard Disk boot sector protection. If this function is enabled and someone attempt to write data into this area , BIOS will show a warning message on screen and alarm beep
	- L

# **3.5 Advanced Chipset Features**

By choosing the Advanced Chipset Features, the screen below is displayed.

This sample screen contains the manufacturer's default values for the AEC-6840.

Phoenix - AwardBIOS CMOS Setup Uti Advanced	ility
Advanced Chipset Features	Item Help
<ul> <li>DRAM.Clock/Drive Control</li> <li>AGP &amp; P2P Bridge Control PCI Delay Transaction [Disabled] System BIOS Cacheable [Enabled] Video RAM Cacheable [Enabled] Video Share Memory Size [32M]</li> </ul>	Menu Level ►►
1↓→+:Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save E F5:Previous Values F7:Optimiz	ESC:Exit F1:General Help zed Defaults

#### DRAM Clock/Drive Control

Phoenix - AwardBIOS CMOS Setup L Advanced	ltility
DRAM Clock/Drive Control	Item Help
Current FSB Frequency Current DRAM Frequency DRAM Timing IAutol > DRAM Timing IAutol > DRAM CRS Latency 2.5 > Bank Interleave Disabled > Precharge to Active(Trp) 31 > Retive to Precharge(Tras) 61 > Retive to CMD(Trcd) 31 DRAM Command Rate 121 Command)	Menu Level
14++:Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save F5:Previous Values F7:Optim	ESC:Exit F1:General Help mized Defaults

# > AGP & P2P Bridge Control

Advanced	hoenix - AwardBIOS CM	OS Setup Utility	
AGP & P2	P Bridge Control	Item	Help
AGP Aperture Size	( 2222 )	Menu Level	
1+++:Move Enter:Sel F5:Previo	ect +/-/PU/PD:Value us Values	F10:Save ESC:Exit F1:6 F7:Optimized Defaults	eneral Help

# **3.6 Integrated Peripherals**

By choosing the Integrated, the screen below is displayed. This sample screen contains the manufacturer's default values for the AEC-6840.

Phoenix - AwardBIOS CMOS Setup Advanced	Jtility
Integrated Peripherals	Item Help
<ul> <li>OnChip IDE Device</li> <li>OnChip PCI Device</li> <li>SuperIO Device</li> <li>Digital I/O Setting</li> </ul>	Menu Level 🄸
↑↓++:Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save F5:Previous Values F7:Opti	ESC:Exit F1:General Help mized Defaults

#### > OnChip IDE Device

Phoenix - AwardBIOS CM	OS Setup Utility
OnChip IDE Device	Item Help
OnChip IDE Channel [Enabled] IDE Prefetch Node [Enabled] IDE Channel Master PIO IDE Channel Slave PIO Compact Flash PIO IDE Channel Master UDMA IDE Channel Slave UDMA IDE Channel Slave UDMA IDE Channel Slave UDMA IDDMR33] IDE Channel Slave UDMA IDDMR33] IDE Channel Slave UDMA IDDMR33]	Menu Level •••
14++:Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F5:Previous Values	F10:Save ESC:Exit F1:General Help F7:Optimized Defaults

# > OnChip PCI Device

Phoenix Advanced	<ul> <li>AwardBIOS CMOS Setup</li> </ul>	Utility
OnChip PCI D	evice	Item Help
Onboard Sound Device Onboard Lan Device Boot ROM function OnChip USB Controller OnChip USB Controller USB Keyboard Support USB Mouse Support	(Fnabled) [Enabled] [Disabled] [All Enabled] [Enabled] [Enabled] [Enabled]	Menu Level ►►►
14++:Move Enter:Select +/ F5:Previous Valu	-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save les F7:Opt	e ESC:Exit F1:General Help imized Defaults

## Super IO Device

Phoenix Advanced	- AwardBIOS CM	OS Setup Uti	lity	
SuperIO Devi	ce		Item	Help
Onboard Serial Port 1 Onboard Serial Port 2 Onboard Serial Port 3 URAT Mode Select RKD., IAD Active IR Transmission Delay UR2 Duplex Mode Use IR Pins	ISTRATING 12F8/IR031 3F8/IR0311 2E8/IR0101 INormal IM1.L03 IH1.L03 IH1.L03 IH1.C3 IH1.C3 IH2.C3 IH3.		Menu Level	
14++:Move Enter:Select +/ F5:Previous Valu	-/PU/PD:Value	F10:Save E F7:Optimiz	SC:Exit F1:Ge ed Defaults	meral Help

# Digital IO Setting

Date	Phoen	ix - AwardBIOS CM	OS Setup Ut	ility		
Hu	Digital I/	0 Setting	1	Ite	em Help	
Digital Port 1 Port 2 Port 3 Port 4 Port 5 Port 5 Port 7 Port 8	T/O Port	(200) Input] Input] Input] Input] Inutput] Inutput] Inutput] Inutput] Inutput]		Menu Level	***	
11++:Move	Enter:Select F5:Previous V	+/-/PU/PD:Value alues	F10:Save F7:Optimi	ESC:Exit F1 zed Defaults	General	Help

# 3.7 Power Management Setup

By choosing the Power Management Setup, the screen below is displayed.

This sample screen contains the manufacturer's default values for the AEC-6840.

Phoenix - AwardBIOS CMOS Setup Ut: Advanced	ility
Power Management Setup	Item Help
ACPI function[Enabled]Power Management Option[User Define]HDD Power Down[Disable]Suspend Mode[Disable]Video Off Option[Suspend -> Off]Video Off Method[DPMS Support]MODEM Use IRQ[3]Soft-Off by PWRBIN[Instant-Off]FIRQ/Event Activity Detect	Menu Level ►►
1↓→+:Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Save I F5:Previous Values F7:Optimiz	ESC:Exit F1:General Help zed Defaults

#### > IRQ/Event Activity Detect

Phoenix - A	wardBIOS CMOS Setup Utility
IRQ/Event Activity	Detect Item Help
PS2KB Wakeup Salect [[ PS2KB Wakeup from S3/S4/S51] * Power Button Lock PS2MS Wakeup from S3/S4/S51] VGA [] LPT & COM [] HDD & FDD [] PCI Master [] * TRQs Activity Monitoring	Intervention     Menu Level       Disabled     When Select Password,       Disabled     Please press ENTER key       Disabled     to change Password       PT/COM1     Max 8 numbers.
11++:Move Enter:Select +/-/P F5:Previous Values	J/PD:Value F10:Save ESC:Exit F1:General Help F7:Optimized Defaults

# IRQ Activity Monitoring

Phoeni Advanced	x - AwardBIOS CMO	OS Setup Utility
IRQs Activity	Monitoring	Item Help
Primary 101R IR03 (COM 2) IR04 (COM 1) IR05 (LPT 2) IR05 (LPT 2) IR06 (Flappy Disk) IR07 (LPT 1) IR09 (IR02 Redir) IR010 (Reserved) IR011 (Reserved) IR011 (Reserved) IR013 (Coprocessor) IR013 (Coprocessor) IR014 (Hard Disk) IR015 (Reserved)	(D) (Enabled) (Enabled) (Enabled) (Enabled) (Enabled) (D) sabled) (D) sabled) (D) sabled) (D) sabled) (Enabled) (Enabled) (Enabled) (D) sabled)	Menu Level ••••
t↓++:Move Enter:Select F5:Previous Va	+/-/PU/PD:Value lues	F10:Save ESC:Exit F1:General Help F7:Optimized Defaults

# 3.8 PnP/PCI configuration

By choosing the PnP/PCI configurations, the screen below is displayed.

This sample screen contains the manufacturer's default values for the AEC-6840.

Phoenix - Advanced	AwardBIOS CMOS Setup Ut	ility
PnP/PCI Configu	rations	Item Help
PNP OS Installed Reset Configuration Data Resources Controlled By × IRQ Resources PCI/VGA Palette Snoop Assign IRQ For VGA Assign IRQ For USB	[NG] [Disabled] [Auto(ESCD)] [Disabled] [Enabled] [Enabled]	Menu Level ► Select Yes if you are using a Plug and Play capable operating system Select No if you need the BlOS to configure non-boot devices
1↓→+:Move Enter:Select +/- F5:Previous Value	/PU/PD:Value F10:Save s F7:Optimi	ESC:Exit F1:General Help zed Defaults

# 3.9 PC Health Status

By choosing the PC Health Status, the screen below is displayed. This

sample screen contains the manufacturer's default values for the AEC-6840.

Ma	ain Adv	Phoen: vanced Defaults	ix - AwardBIOS C Security PC	10S Setup Ut lealth Clk	ility Voltage Fi	xit	
Ma	ain Adv CPU War Power of Current Current Vcore + 1.25 + 3.3 + 5	vanced Defaults nning Temperatu on show status : CPU Temperatu : System Tempera : System FAN Spo V V V V	s Security PC ( -e ( <u>Disabled</u> ) (Disabled) -e -e -e -e -e -e -e -e -e -e	leal th	Wollfage E	xit Item Help el ►	
<u>↑</u> ↓-	•+:Move	Enter:Select F5:Previous Va	+/-/PU/PD:Value	F10:Save F7:Optimi	ESC:Exit zed Defaul	F1:General ts	Help

# 3.10 Clk/Voltage control

By choosing the Clk/Voltage Control, the screen below is displayed. This sample screen contains the manufacturer's default values for the AEC-6840.

Ph	oenix - AwardBIOS C⊧	<mark>OS Setup Utility</mark>	Exit
Main Advanced Defa	ults Security PC⊦	ealth Clk/Voltage	
Auto Detect DIMM/P	CI Clk [Enabled]		Item Help
opredu Spectrum	UTSabled	Menu La	vel ►
↑↓++:Move Enter:Sele	ct +/-/PU/PD:Value	F10:Save ESC:Exit	F1:General Help
F5:Previou	s Values	F7:Optimized Defau	ilts

# 3.11 Load Optimized Defaults

When you press <Enter> on this item you get a confirmation dialog box:

Load Optimized Defaults (Y/N)?

Pressing "Y" loads the default values that are manufacturer's settings for

optimal performance system operations.

Phoenix - AwardBIOS CMOS Setu	p Utility
Main Advanced Defaults Security PC Health	Clk/Voltage Exit
Load Optimized Defaults	Item Help
	Menu Level 🕨
	Load Optimized Defaults
Load Optimized Defaults (Y	/N)? N
↑↓→+:Move Enter:Select +/-/PU/PD:Value F10:Sa F5:Previous Values F7:Op	ve ESC:Exit F1:General Help timized Defaults

# 3.12 Set Password

In the Security, there's a function for the users to set up the password. All you need to do is enter the password and then the system will ask you to confirm the password that you've typed to double check. Press ESC key if you want to exit the screen where you have been.

NOTE: To clear the password, simply press Enter when asked to enter a password. Then the password function is disabled.

	Phoen	ix – AwardBIOS	S CMOS Setu	p Uti	lity		
Main Adv	vanced Default	s Security	<u>PC Health (</u>	C1k/Ve	oltage Exi	t	
Set Pas	ssword				It	em Help	
					Menu Level	•	
					Change/Set Password	/Disable	
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# 3.13 Save & Exit Setup

If you select this option and press <Enter>, the values entered in the setup utilities will be recorded in the chipset's CMOS memory. The microprocessor will check this every time you turn on your system and compare this to what it finds as it checks the system. This record is required for the system to operate.

Phoenix - AwardBIOS CMOS Setup Ut	ility
Main Advanced Defaults Security PC Health Clk/V	Voltage Exit
Save & Exit Setup	Item Help
Exit Without Saving	Menu Level 🕨
	Save Data to CMOS
SAVE to CMOS and EXIT (Y/N)? ¥	
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# 3.14 Exit without saving

Selecting this option and pressing <Enter> allows you to exit the Setup

program without recording any new value or changing old one.





# Driver Installation

The AEC-6840 comes with a CD-ROM that contains all drivers and utilities that meet your needs.

#### Follow the sequence below to install the drivers:

- Step 1 Install VIA 4 in 1 driver
- Step 2 Install Graphic Driver
- Step 3 Install Audio Driver
- Step 4 Install USB 2.0 Driver
- Step 5 Install Ethernet Driver

USB 2.0 Drivers are available for download using Windows Update for both Windows XP and Windows 2000. For additional information regarding USB 2.0 support in Windows XP and Windows 2000, please visit www.microsoft.com/hwdev/usb/.

The latest step is to install VIA USB 2.0 driver after you complete Windows Service Pack Installation. We recommend you to install VIA USB 2.0 driver due to the compatibility issue.

Please read instructions below for further detailed installations.

Insert the AEC-6840 CD-ROM into the CD-ROM Drive. And install the drivers from Step 1 to Step 5 in order.

# 4.1 Installation procedure

#### Step 1

#### Install VIA 4 in 1 for Windows 98SE/2000/XP

- 1. Double click on the ".exe" file.
- 2. Follow the instructions that the window will show you.
- 3. The system will help you install the driver automatically.

#### Step 2

#### Install Graphic Driver for Windows 98SE/2000/XP

- 1. Click on the "CLE266\_98ME\_160108\_wIShld\_logod" folder or "CLE266\_XP2K\_16943209\_wIShld\_logod" folder according to the OS you used and then double click on the setup.exe.
- 2. Follow the instructions that the window will show you.
- 3. The system will help you install the driver automatically.
- 4. Please re-start your computer.

#### Step 3

#### Install Audio Driver for Windows 98SE/2000/XP

- 1. Click on the "ComboAudio\_A1u390a" folder or "ALC650 codec driver" folder and then double click on the ".exe".
- 2. Follow the instructions that the window will show you.
- 3. The system will help you install the driver automatically.

4. Please re-start your computer.

#### Step 4

#### Install USB 2.0 Driver for Windows 98SE/2000/XP

Please refer to page 55 remark first

- 1. Double click on the setup.exe.
- 2. Follow the instructions that the window will show you.
- 3. The system will help you install the driver automatically.

#### Step 5

#### Install Ethernet Driver for Windows 98SE/2000/XP

#### For Windows 98SE

- 1. Click on the "Auto Setup" folder and then double click on the setup.exe.
- 2. Follow the instructions that the window will show you.
- 3. The system will help you install the driver automatically.

#### For Windows 2000/XP

Please follow the steps:

- 1. Start --> Setting --> Control Panel
- 2. System ---> Hardware ---> Device Manager
- 4. Network Adapter --> Ethernet Chipset Name
- 5. Driver --> Update Driver
- 6. Follow the wizard and then mark "Specify a location" only.
- 7. Browse the path to

CD-ROM: \ Driver \ Step 5 - Ethernet Driver \ Manual Setup - W2K (For Windows 2000) OR winxp - rtlnic (611) (For Windows XP)



# Programming the Watchdog Timer

# A.1 Programming

AEC-6840 utilizes Winbond W83697UF chipset as its watchdog timer controller. Below are the procedures to complete its configuration and the initial watchdog timer program is also attached based on which you can develop customized program to fit your application.

#### WatchDog Timer Configuration Registers

Logical Device 8

CRF3---Select WDTO count mode

CRF4---Default 0X00

CRF5—Watch Dog Timer status

CRF3 (PLED mode register. Default 0 x 00)

Bit Reserved

[7:3]:

- Bit 2: select WDTO count mode.
- 0 second
- 1 minute

CRF4---Default 0X00

Watchdog Timer Time-out value. Writing a non-zero value to this register causes the counter to load the value to watchdog counter and start counting down. Reading this register returns current value in watchdog counter instead of watchdog timer time-out value.

Bit [7:0]: = 0 x 00 Time-out Disable

= 0 x 01 Time-out occurs after 1 second/minute

= 0 x 02 Time-out occurs after 2 second/minutes

= 0 x 03 Time-out occurs after 3 second/minutes

.....

= 0 x FF Time-out occurs after 255 second/minutes

CF5 (Default 0 x 00)

Bit [7]: Reserved.

Bit [6]: invert Watchdog Timer Status

Bit 5: Force Watchdog Timer Time-out, Write only

1 Force Watchdog Timer Time-out event; this bit is selfclearing.

Bit 4: Watchdog Timer Status, R/W

- 1 Watchdog Timer Time-out occurred.
- 0 Watchdog Timer counting

You can use DEBUG commands to test watchdog function. Some examples are listed as below :

-o 4e 87	Enter W83697UF configuration mode
-o 4e 87	
-o 4e 07	logic device register
-o 4f 08	logic device number
-o 4e f3	select register CRF3
-i 4f	read F1 value
-00	F3 value ; Bit 2=0second
	1minute
-o 4e f4	select register CRF4

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-i 4f 0a input timeout value, example:10 seconds

Digital IO control process:

The AEC-6840 digital IO interface are controlled by the W83697UF. The GPIO port locates on Logical Device 7. The CRF1 register can read or write the data of digital I/O, and please read the following information for your reference.

F1 register	Digital IO interface
Bit0	Port 1 in
Bit1	Port 2 in
Bit2	Port 3 in
Bit3	Port 4 in
Bit4	Port 5 out
Bit5	Port 6 out
Bit6	Port 7 out
Bit7	Port 8 out

You can try the AEC-6840 digital IO interface with some simple tests using DEBUG commands. Some examples are listed as below:

Enter W83697UF configuration mode
logic device register
logic device number
select register CRF1

#### RUGGED SIB Embedded Controller

A E C - 6 8 4 0

-i 4f	read F1 value
-0f	F1 value
-o 4f,1f	output "high" to port 5
-o 4f,3f	output "high" to port 5 and port 6

- -i 4f
- -0e if input port 1 to "low",then you can read data become to 0e
- -0d if input port 2 to "low",then you can read data become to 0d

Another method: You and setup a base address to digital IO in BIOS, and have four selection : 280h , 290h , 2A0h , 2B0h.

Example:

select 280h

- -o 280 1f output "high" to port 5
- -o 280 3f output "high" to port 5 and port 6

#### -i 280

- -0e if input port 1 to "low", and then you can read data become to 0e
- -0d if input port 2 to "low", and then you can read data become to 0d

# A.2 W83697UF Watchdog Timer Initial Program

Enter W83697UF configuration mode
mov al,87h ;Unlock 83697UF register
out 4eh,al
out 4eh,al
Select Logic device 8(Watch dog device)
mov al,07 ;logic device register
out 4eh,al
mov al,8 ;logic device 8
out 4fh,al
Select CRF3 (Set unit to minute or second)
mov al,0f3h
out 4eh,al
in al,4fh
or al,11111011b ;bit 2 :0-> second
; :1-> minute
;Select second in this example
Select CRF4 (Set timeout value)
mov al,0f4h
out 4eh,al
mov al,0ah ;10 seconds in this example
;Set this value to 0 disable timeout
out 4fh,al

-----Exit configuration mode

mov al,0aah

out 4eh,al