

User Manual

ARK-1120

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Caution! *Cautions are included to help you avoid damaging hardware or losing data.*



Note! *Notes provide optional additional information.*



Safety Instructions

1. Read these safety instructions carefully.
2. Keep this User Manual for later reference.
3. Disconnect this equipment from any AC outlet before cleaning. Use a damp cloth. Do not use liquid or spray detergents for cleaning.
4. For plug-in equipment, the power outlet socket must be located 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 may cause damage.
7. The openings on the enclosure are for air convection. Protect the equipment from overheating. **DO NOT COVER THE OPENINGS.**
8. 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 overvoltage.
12. Never pour any liquid into an opening. This may cause fire or electrical shock.
13. Never open the equipment. For safety reasons, the equipment should be opened only by qualified service personnel.
14. If one of the following situations arises, get the equipment checked by service personnel:
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 - The equipment has been dropped and damaged.
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Before installation, please ensure the following items have been shipped:

- 1 x ARK-1120 unit
- 1 x Driver/Utility CD
- 1 x DC-Jack power bracket
- 1 x Chinese user manual
- 1 x China RoHS
- 1 x 2 years warranty card

Ordering Information

Model Number	Description
ARK-1120L-N5A1E	Intel® Atom™ N455 1.66 GHz w/ 2 COM+4 USB+LAN+Audio
ARK-1120F-N5A1E	Intel® Atom™ N455 1.66 GHz w/ VGA+4 COM+2 USB+LAN

Optional Accessories

Part Number	Description
1757003553	Adapter AC 100-240 V 36 W/12 V FSP036-RAB 0 ~ 40° C for Home and Office Use
1700001524	Power Cable 3-pin 180 cm, USA Type
170203183C	Power Cable 3-pin 180 cm, Europe Type
170203180A	Power Cable 3-pin 180 cm, UK Type
1700008921	Power Cable 3-pin 180 cm, PSE Mark
1960052227N001	VESA/Desk mounting plate for ARK-1120
WIFI-115E	Wireless IEEE 802.11b/g/n, Half-size Mini-PCIe interface WLAN
1700001854	SMA cable 11 cm for WIFI-115E WLAN module
1750000318	802.11b/g/n 2dBi Antenna for WIFI-115E WLAN module

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Chapter 1

General Introduction

This chapter gives background information on ARK-1120 series.

1.1 Introduction

The ARK-1120 fanless Embedded Box Computer is an ideal, application-ready system platform solution. All electronics are protected in a compact, sealed, aluminum case for easy embedding in the customer's own housing, or as a stand-alone application where space is limited and the environment harsh.

A solid sealed aluminum case offers vibration and dust resistance while also providing a passive cooling solution. The ARK-1120 provides system integrators with a turn-key solution and versatile application development path without breaking the bank or missing time-to-market deadlines.

ARK-1120 is designed as a palm-size fanless embedded system and occupies only 133.8 x 43.1 x 94.2 mm (5.27" x 1.70" x 3.71"). The rugged cast aluminum case not only provides great protection from EMI, shock/vibration, cold and heat, but also passive cooling for quiet fanless operation. ARK-1120 meets demands by offering 1 x VGA, 1 x Giga LAN, up to 4 x USB 2.0 ports, and up to 4 x COM ports; all packed into a compact rugged unit and powered by an Intel® Atom™ N455 processor.

ARK-1120 also supports both 2.5" SATA HDD and Compact Flash card for storage options even though it is a palm-size system. Besides ARK-1120 is a low power consumption system and it is powered by DC 12 V input. The ARK-1120 provides for diversified application fields.

1.2 Product Feature

1.2.1 Key features

- Extremely compact, sealed construction with fanless operation, supports Intel® Atom™ N455 1.66 GHz CPU
- Ultra slim palm-size system with CF & 2.5" SATA HDD support
- Low power consumption system

1.2.2 General

- **CPU:** Intel® Atom™ Processor N455 1.66GHz
- **System Chipset:** Intel® Atom™ N455 + ICH8M
- **BIOS:** AMI 16 Mbit Flash BIOS
- **System Memory:** DDR3 667 MHz up to 2 G (DDR3 1066/1333 MHz RAM will be downgraded to 667 MHz)
- **Watchdog Timer:** Single chip Watchdog 255-level interval timer, setup by software
- **Serial Ports:**
 - 2 x RS232 (for ARK-1120L)
 - 2 x RS-232, 2 x RS-232/422/485 with auto flow control (for ARK-1120F)
- **USB:**
 - 4 x USB 2.0 compliant Ports (for ARK-1120L)
 - 2 x USB 2.0 compliant Ports (for ARK-1120F)
- **Audio:** High Definition Audio Codec - Realtek ALC892, with Line-in, Line-out (ARK-1120L only)
- **Expansion Interface:** Supports 1x half size Mini-PCIe device
- **Storage:**
 - Compact Flash: Supports Compact Flash Card TYPE I/II
 - SATA: Support 1 x 2.5" SATAII HDD (9.5 mm height only)

1.2.3 Display

- **Chipset:** Intel® Gen 3.5 DX9, MPEG2 Decode in HW
- **Display Memory:** Optimized Shared Memory Architecture up to 224 MB system memory
- **VGA Resolution:** Supports up to 1400 x 1050 @ 60 Hz

1.2.4 Ethernet

- **Chipset:** Intel® 82567V
- **Speed:** 10/100/1000 Mbps
- **Interface:** 1 x RJ45
- **Standard:** Compliant with IEEE 802.3, IEEE 802.3u, IEEE 802.3x, IEEE 8023y, IEEE 802.ab.

1.2.5 Power Consumption

- **Typical:** 12 W
- **Max.:** 17 W

1.3 Mechanical Specification

1.3.1 Dimensions

- 133.8 x 43.1 x 94.2 mm (5.27" x 1.70" x 3.71")

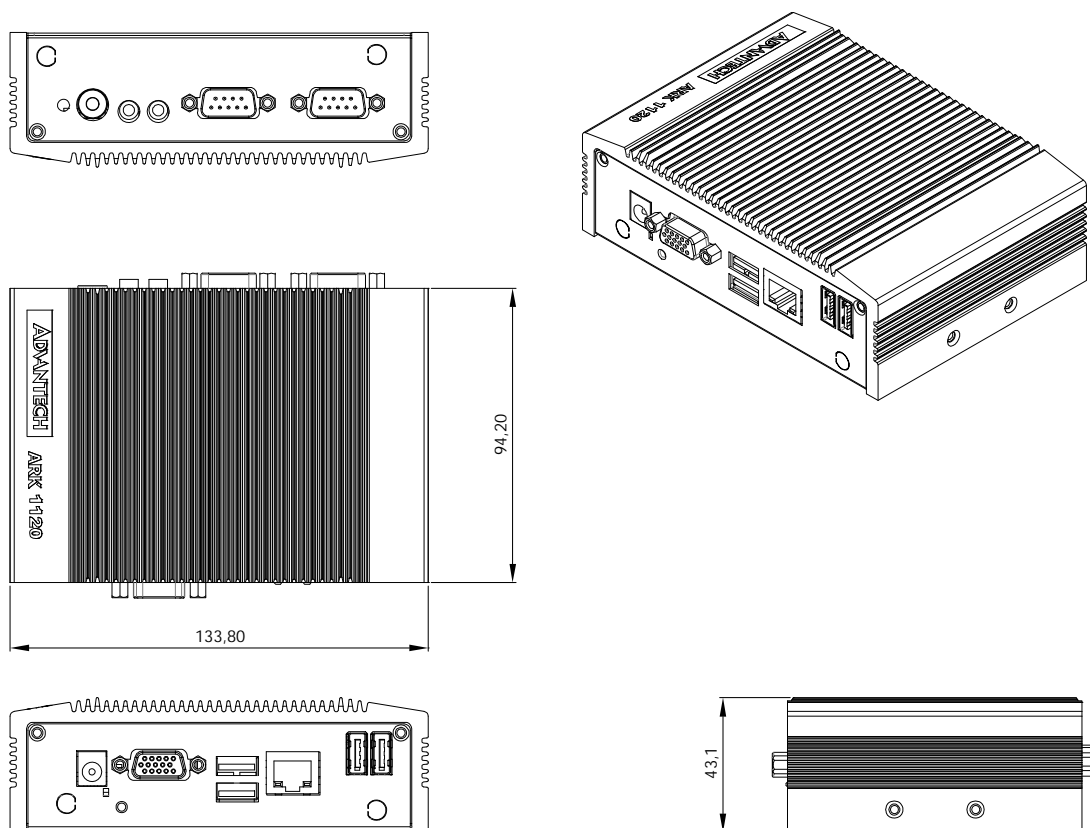


Figure 1.1 ARK-1120 mechanical dimension drawing

1.3.2 Weight

- 0.7 kg (1.55 lb)

1.4 Power requirement

1.4.1 System power

- **Minimum power input:** DC 12 V 3 A

1.4.2 RTC battery

- 3 V/210 mAh

1.5 Environmental Specifications

1.5.1 Operating temperature

- 0 ~ 40° C (32 ~ 104° F), when air flow speed = 0.7 m/sec

1.5.2 Relative Humidity

- 95% @ 40°C (non-condensing)

1.5.3 Storage Temperature

- -40 ~ 85°C (-40 ~ 185°F)

1.5.4 Vibration loading during operation

- With Compact Flash / 2.5" SATA SSD only: 3 Grms, IEC 60068-2-64, random, 5 ~ 500 Hz, 1 Oct./min, 1 hr/axis

1.5.5 Shock during operation

- With Compact Flash / 2.5" SATA SSD only: 30 G, IEC 60068-2-27, half sine, 11 ms duration

1.5.6 Safety

- UL, CCC, BSMI

1.5.7 EMC

- CE, FCC, CCC, BSMI

Chapter 2

Hardware installation

This chapter introduces external IO and the installation of ARK-1120 Hardware.

2.1 Introduction

The following sections show the internal jumper settings and the external connectors and pins assignment for applications.

2.2 Jumpers

2.2.1 Jumper list

Table 2.1: Jumper List

J1	AT / ATX Power Selection
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2.2.2 Jumper Settings

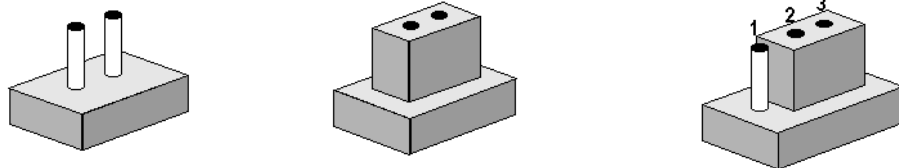
Table 2.2: J1: AT / ATX Power Selection

Part Number	1653003260
Footprint	HD_3x2P_79
Description	PIN HEADER 3*2P 180D(M) 2.0mm SMD SQUARE PIN
Setting	Function
(5-6) ON	AT power
*(5-6) Empty	ATX power

* Default setting

2.2.3 Jumper Description

Cards can be configured by setting jumpers. A jumper is a metal bridge used to close an electric circuit. It consists of two metal pins and a small metal clip (often protected by a plastic cover) that slides over the pins to connect them. To close a jumper, you connect the pins with the clip. To open a jumper, you remove the clip. Sometimes a jumper will have three pins, labeled 1, 2 and 3. In this case you would connect either pins 1 and 2, or 2 and 3.



The jumper settings are schematically depicted in this manual as follows.



A pair of needle-nose pliers may be helpful when working with jumpers. If you have any doubts about the best hardware configuration for your application, contact your local distributor or sales representative before you make any changes.

Generally, you simply need a standard cable to make most connections.

Warning! To avoid damaging the computer, always turn off the power supply before setting jumpers. Clear CMOS. Before turning on the power supply, set the jumper back to 3.0 V Battery On.



2.3 ARK-1120 I/O Indication

ARK-1120L

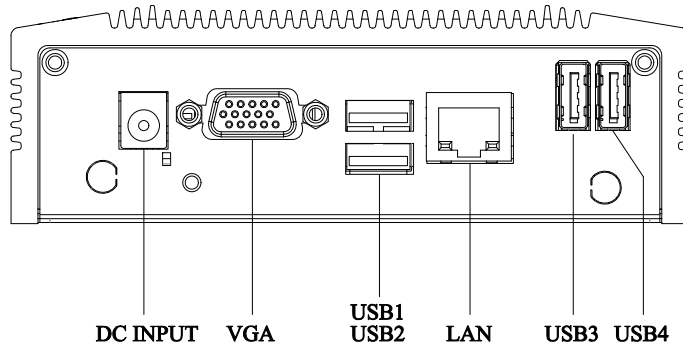


Figure 2.1 ARK-1120L front view

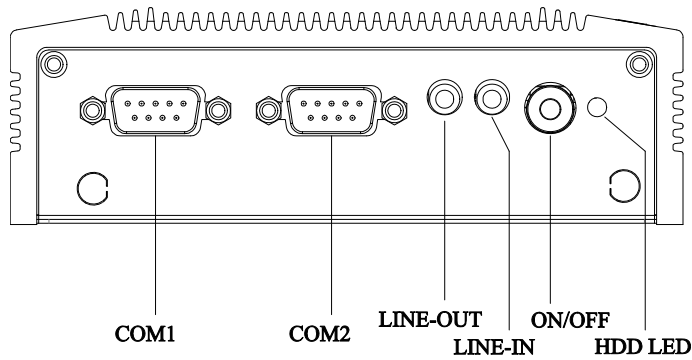


Figure 2.2 ARK-1120L rear view

ARK-1120F

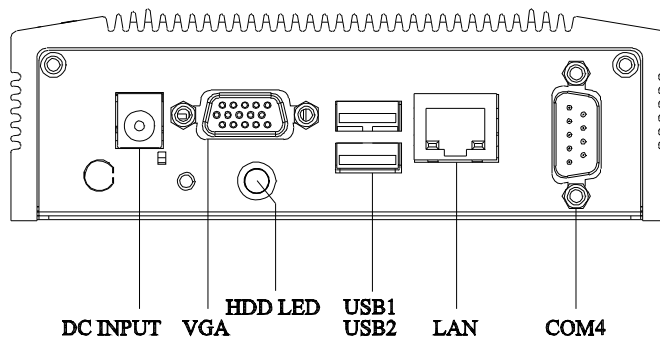


Figure 2.3 ARK-1120F front view

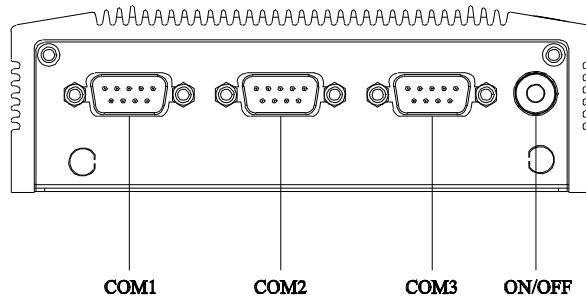


Figure 2.4 ARK-1120F rear view

2.4 ARK-1120L External I/O Connectors

2.4.1 Power ON/OFF Button

ARK-1120 comes with a Power On/Off button with LED indicators on the front side to show its On status (Green LED) and Off/Suspend status (Orange LED). Dual functions of Soft Power -On/Off (Instant off or Delay 4 Seconds), and Suspend are supported.



Figure 2.5 Power ON/OFF Button

2.4.2 Power Input Connector

ARK-1120 comes with a Ψ 2.5 DC-Jack header that carries 12 V_{DC} external power input. The power connector can be fixed by a bracket which is in the accessory box. The bracket makes the power connector very secure.

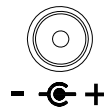


Figure 2.6 Power Input Connector

2.4.3 Ethernet Connector (LAN)

ARK-1120 provides one RJ45 LAN interface connector which is fully compliant with IEEE 802.3u 10/100/1000 Mbps CSMA/CD standards. It is equipped with 82567V. The Ethernet port uses a standard RJ-45 jack connector with LED indicators on the front side to show Active/Link status and Speed status.

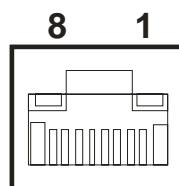


Figure 2.7 Ethernet Connector

Table 2.3: Ethernet Connector Pin Assignments

Pin	10/100/1000 Mbps Signal Name
1	TX+, MDI0+
2	TX-, MDI0-
3	RX+, MDI1+
4	MDI2+
5	MDI2-
6	RX-, MDI1-
7	MDI3+
8	MDI3-

Note! NC, if present, represents “No Connection”.



2.4.4 VGA Connector

The ARK-1120 provides a high resolution VGA interface connected by a D-sub 15-pin connector to support a VGA CRT monitor. It supports display resolution up to 1400 x 1050 @ 60 Hz.

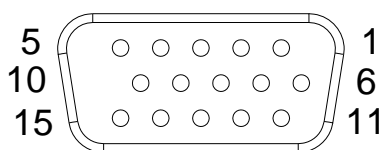


Figure 2.8 VGA Connector

Table 2.4: VGA Connector Pin Assignments

Pin	Signal Name	Pin	Signal Name
1	Red	2	Green
3	Blue	4	NC
5	GND	6	GND
7	GND	8	GND
9	NC	10	GND
11	NC	12	DDC Date
13	H-SYNC	14	V-SYNC
15	DDC Clock		

2.4.5 USB Connectors

The ARK-1120 provides up to four USB interface connectors, which give complete Plug & Play and hot swapping for up to 127 external devices. The USB interface is compliant with USB UHCI, Rev. 2.0. The USB interface supports Plug and Play, which enables you to connect or disconnect a device whenever you want, without turning off the computer.

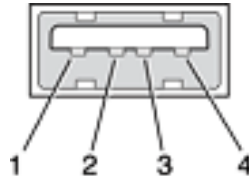


Figure 2.9 USB Connector

Table 2.5: USB Connector Pin Assignments

Pin	Signal Name	Pin	Signal Name
1	VCC	2	USB_data-
3	USB_data+	4	GND

2.4.6 Audio Connector (ARK-1120L Only)

ARK-1120 offers stereo audio ports by two 3.5Ψ ear phone jack connectors of Line_out and Line_in. The audio chip controller is ALC892 which is compliant with the Azalea standard.

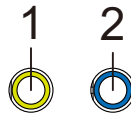


Figure 2.10 Audio Connectors

Table 2.6: DIO Connector Pin Assignments

Pin	Signal Name
1	Line-out
2	Line-in

2.4.7 COM Connector

ARK-1120L provides two D-sub 9-pin connectors, which offers RS-232 serial communication interface.

ARK-1120F provides four D-sub 9-pin connectors, which offers RS-232/422/485 serial communication interface. Default setting is RS-232, and the mode of serial ports are controlled by relay IC. If you would like to use RS-422/485, just need change the BIOS setting. You can find the detail BIOS setting of serial ports in Chapter 3.

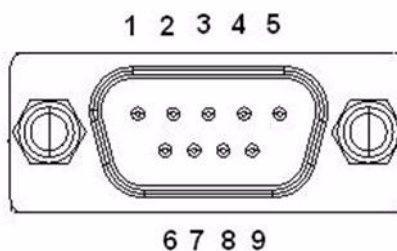


Figure 2.11 COM Port Connector

Table 2.7: COM Connector Pin Assignments

	RS-232	RS-422	RS-485
Pin	Signal Name	Signal Name	Signal Name
1	DCD	Tx-	DATA-
2	RxD	Tx+	DATA+
3	TxD	Rx+	NC
4	DTR	Rx-	NC
5	GND	GND	GND
6	DSR	NC	NC
7	RTS	NC	NC
8	CTS	NC	NC
9	RI	NC	NC

Note! NC represents "No Connection".



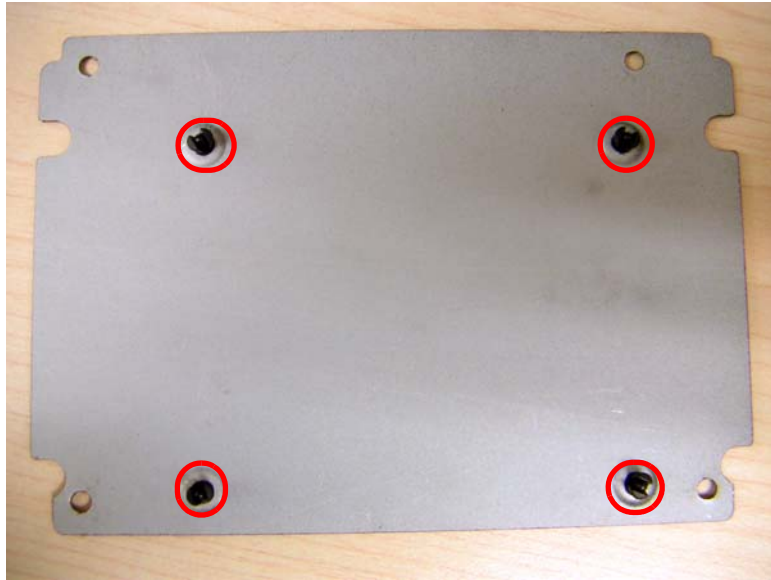
2.5 Peripheral Installation

2.5.1 HDD Installation

1. Unscrew the bottom cover screws. (marked with "HDD")

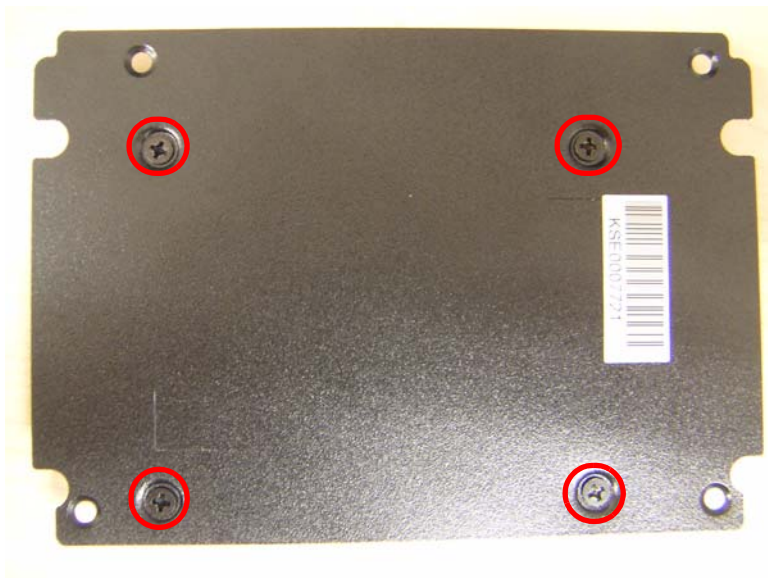


2. Remove the four SNAP RIVETS from the bottom cover.

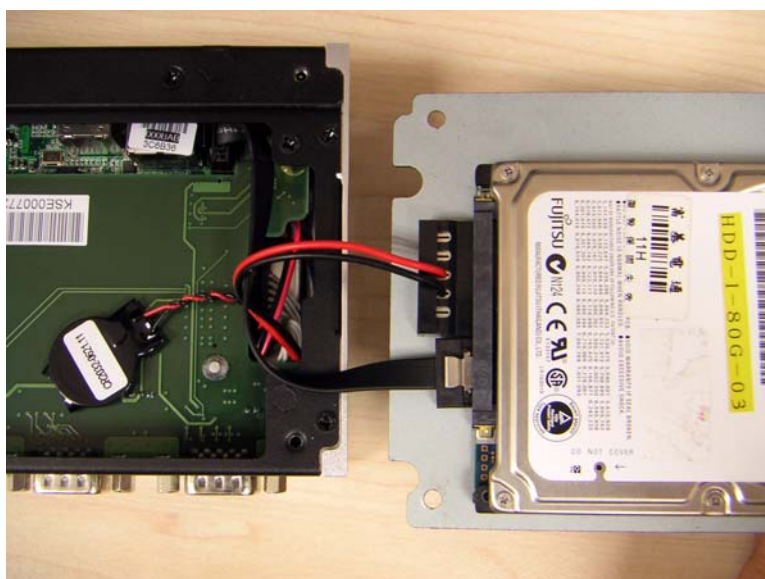


3. Secure 2.5" SATA HDD onto the bottom cover. The screws are in the accessory box.

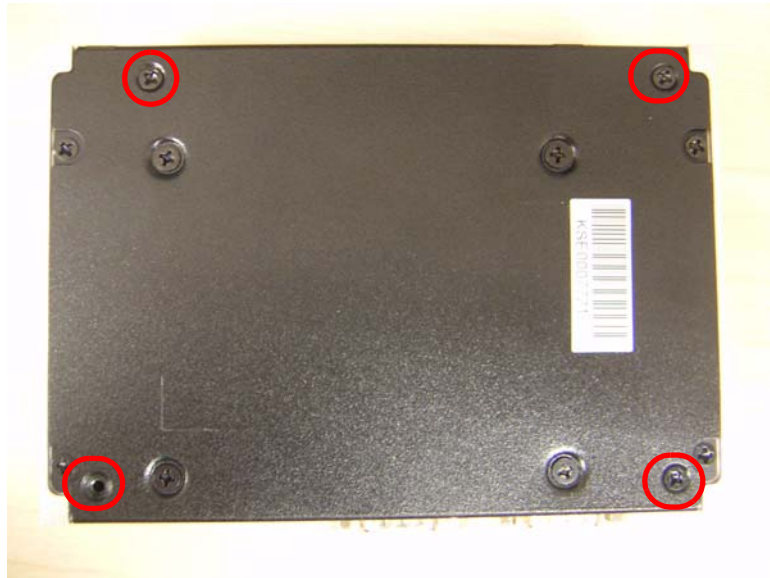




4. Connect SATA signal and power cable to the 2.5" SATA HDD.



5. Secure the bottom cover in its original position.



2.5.2 RAM Installation

1. Unscrew the four screws on bottom cover. (marked with "RAM")



2. Unscrew the four screws on the sides of ARK-1120.

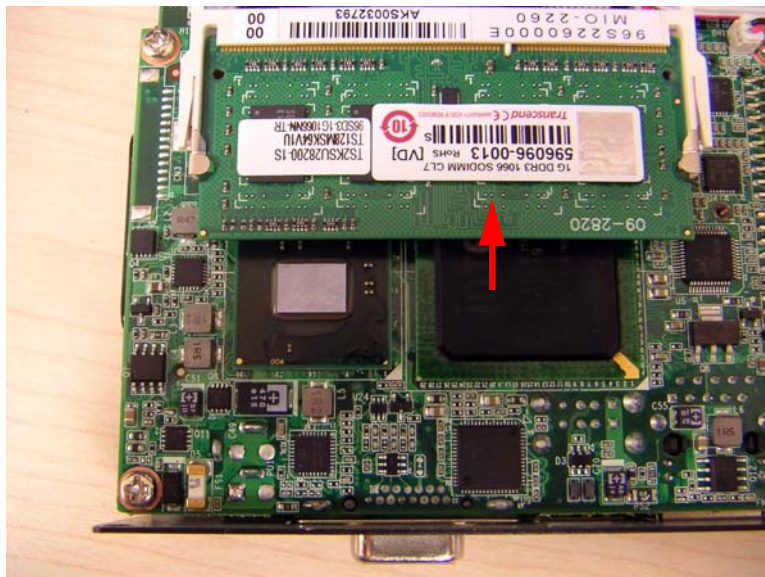


3. Unscrew the four screws on the front/rear face plate of ARK-1120.





4. Remove aluminum top chassis and install RAM.



5. Replace the aluminum top chassis and secure all screws.

2.5.3 CF Installation

Please refer servicing to qualified Advantech personnel. Use only Advantech CTOS service or T-Parts OEM.

Chapter 3

BIOS Settings

This chapter introduces how to set BIOS configuration data.

AMIBIOS has been integrated into a plethora of motherboards for over a decade. With the AMIBIOS Setup program, you can modify BIOS settings and control the various system features. This chapter describes the basic navigation of the ARK-1120 BIOS setup screens.

AMI's BIOS ROM has a built-in setup program that allows the user to modify the basic system configuration. This information is stored in battery-backed CMOS so it retains the setup information when the power is turned off.

3.1 Entering Setup

Turn on the computer and check for the "patch" code. If there is a number assigned to the patch code, it means that the BIOS supports your CPU. If there is no number assigned to the patch code, please contact an Advantech application engineer to obtain an up-to-date patch code file. This will ensure that your CPU's system status is valid. After ensuring that you have a number assigned to the patch code, press and you will immediately be allowed to enter setup.

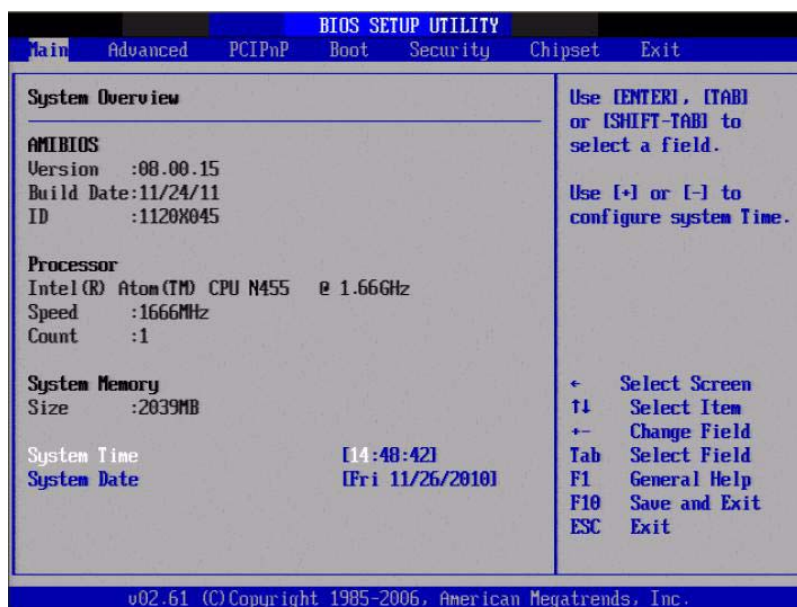


Figure 3.1 Setup Program Initial Screen

3.1.1 Main Setup

When you first enter the BIOS Setup Utility, you will enter the Main setup screen. You can always return to the Main setup screen by selecting the Main tab. There are two Main Setup options. They are described in this section. The Main BIOS Setup screen is shown below.

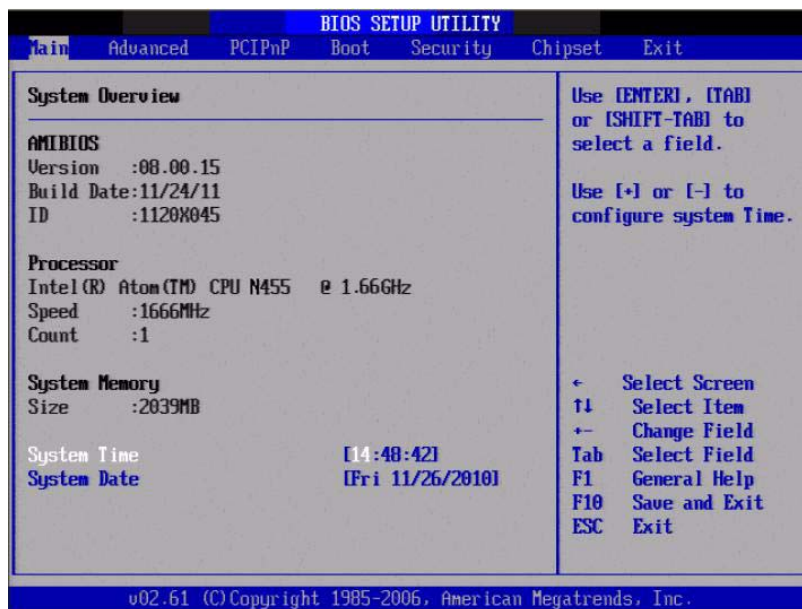


Figure 3.2 Main Setup Screen

The Main BIOS setup screen has two main frames. The left frame displays all the options that can be configured. Grayed-out options cannot be configured; options in blue can. The right frame displays the key legend.

Above the key legend is an area reserved for a text message. When an option is selected in the left frame, it is highlighted in white. Often a text message will accompany it.

3.1.1.1 System Time / System Date

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

3.1.2 Advanced BIOS Features Setup

Select the Advanced tab from the ARK-1120 setup screen to enter the Advanced BIOS Setup screen. You can select any of the items in the left frame of the screen, such as CPU Configuration, to go to the sub menu for that item. You can display an Advanced BIOS Setup option by highlighting it using the <arrow> keys, and smacking <enter>. All Advanced BIOS Setup options are described in this section. The Advanced BIOS Setup screens are shown below. The sub menus are described on the following pages.



Figure 3.3 Advanced BIOS Features Setup Screen

3.1.2.1 CPU Configuration

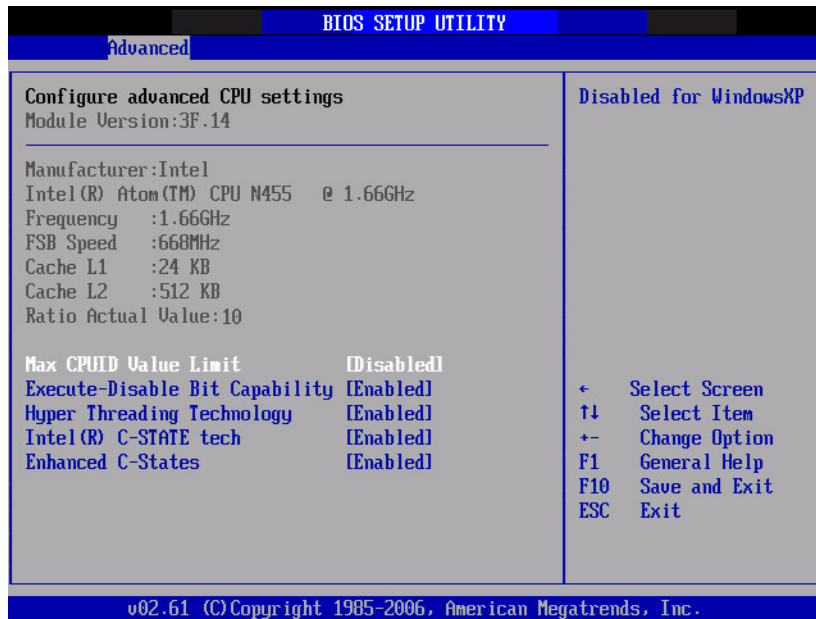


Figure 3.4 CPU Configuration Setting

- **Max CPUID Value Limit**
This item allows you to limit CPUID maximum value.
- **Execute-Disable Bit Capability**
This item allows you to enable or disable the No-Execution page protection technology.
- **Hyper Threading Technology**
This item allows you to enable or disable Intel® Hyper Threading technology.
- **Intel® C-STATE tech**
This item allows the CPU to save power during idle mode.
- **Enhanced C-States**
CPU idle set to enhanced C-States, disabled by Intel® C-STATE tech item.

3.1.2.2 IDE Configuration



Figure 3.5 IDE Configuration

- **ATA/IDE Configuration**
This item allows you to select Disabled / Compatible / Enhanced.
- **Legacy IDE Channels**
When set to Enhanced mode you can select IDE or AHCI mode. When select Compatible mode you can select SATA only / SATA pri, PATA sec or PATA only.
- **Primary/Secondary/Third IDE Master/Slave**
BIOS auto detects the presence of IDE device, and displays the status of auto detection of IDE device.
 - **Type:** Select the type of SATA driver.[Not Installed][Auto][CD/DVD][ARMD]
 - **LBA/Large Mode:** Enables or Disables the LBA mode.
 - **Block (Multi-Sector Transfer):** Enables or disables data multi-sectors transfers.
 - **PIO Mode:** Select the PIO mode.
 - **DMA Mode:** Select the DMA mode.
 - **S.M.A.R.T.:** Select the smart monitoring, analysis, and reporting technology.
 - **32Bit Data Transfer:** Enables or disables 32-bit data transfer.
- **Hard Disk Write Protect**
Disable/Enable device write protection. This will be effective only if the device is accessed through BIOS.
- **IDE Detect Time Out (Sec)**
This item allows you to select the time out value for detecting ATA/ATAPI device(s).

3.1.2.3 Super I/O Configuration

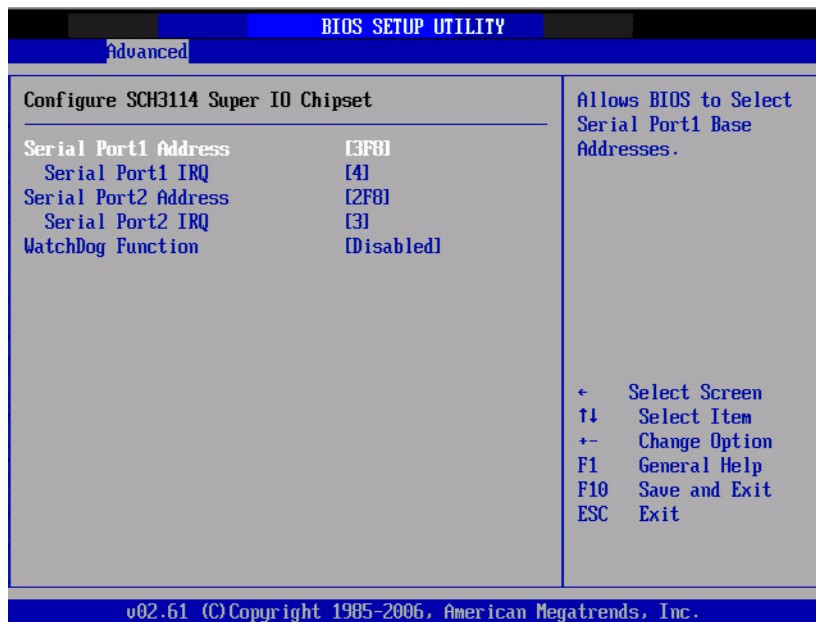


Figure 3.6 Super I/O Configuration

- **Serial Port1 / Port2 address**
This item allows you to select serial port1 ~ port2 of base addresses.
- **Serial Port1 / Port2 IRQ**
This item allows you to select serial port1 ~ port2 of IRQ.
- **Serial Port3 / Port4 address (ARK-1120F only)**
This item allows you to select serial port3 ~ port4 of base addresses.
- **Serial Port3 / Port4 IRQ (ARK-1120F only)**
This item allows you to select serial port3 ~ port4 of IRQ.
- **Serial Port3 / Port4 Mode (ARK-1120F only)**
This item allows you to select serial port3 ~ port4 mode as RS-232/RS-422/RS-485. The default setting is RS-232.
- **WatchDog function**
This item allows you to enable WatchDog function by minutes or seconds.

3.1.2.4 Hardware Health Configuration

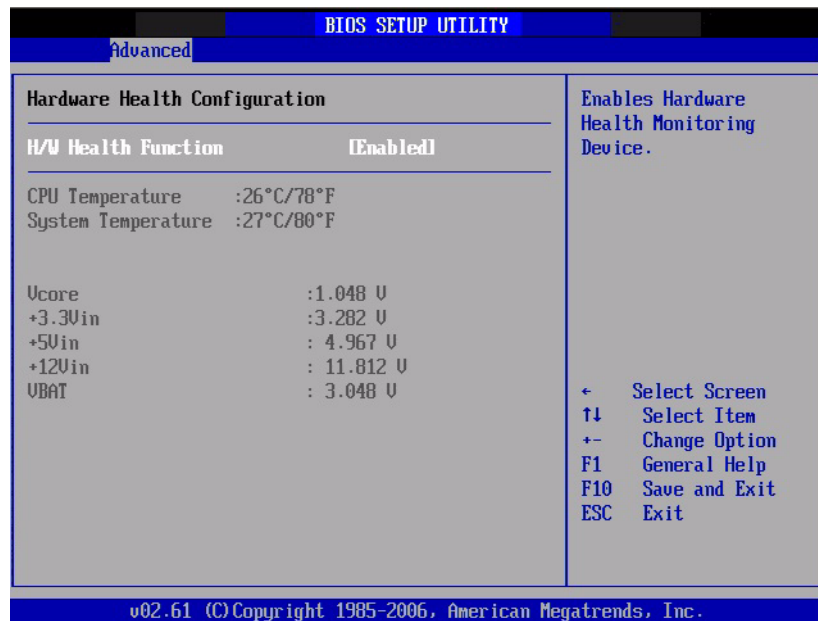


Figure 3.7 Hardware Health Configuration

- **H/W Health Function**
This item allows you to control H/W monitoring.
- **Temperature & Voltage show**
CPU/System Temperature
Vcore / +3.3 Vin / +5 Vin / +12 Vin / VBAT

3.1.2.5 ACPI Settings

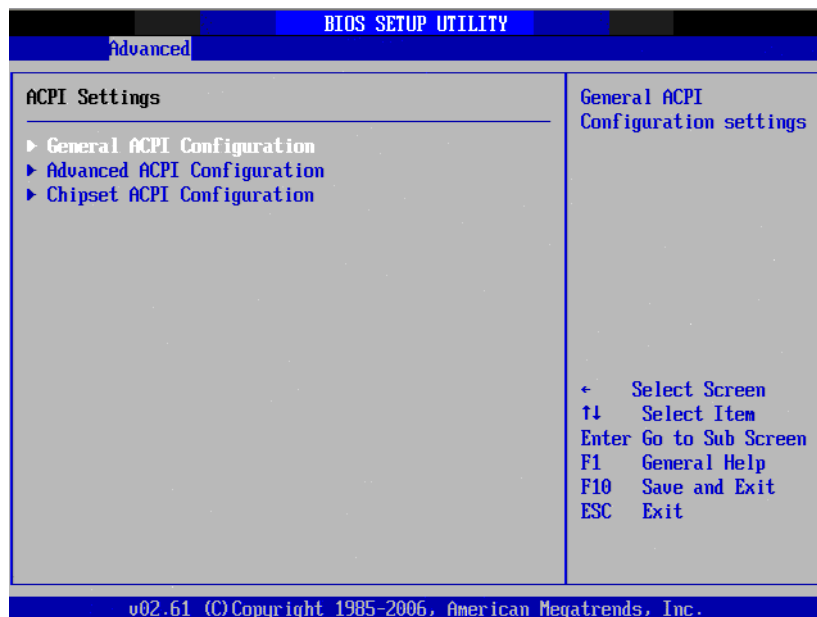


Figure 3.8 ACPI Settings

■ General ACPI Configuration

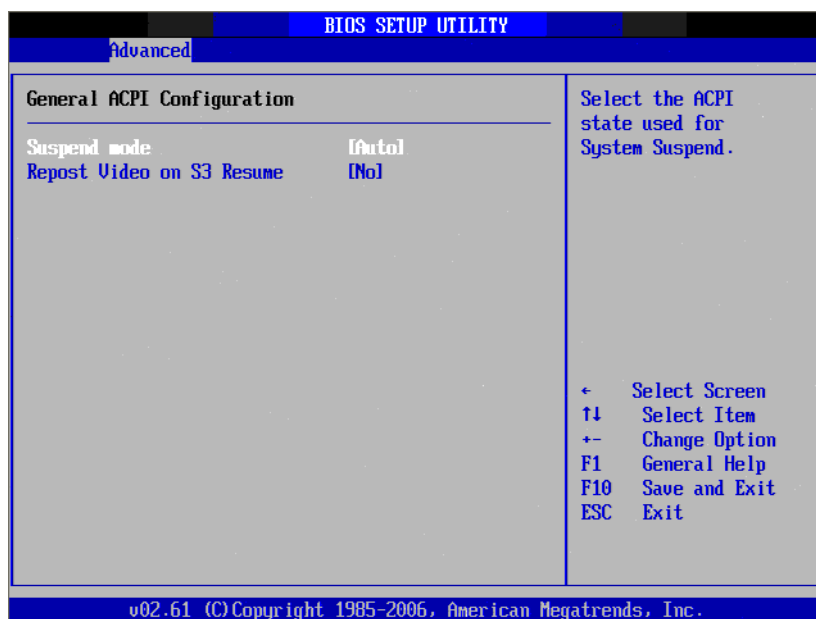


Figure 3.9 General ACPI Configuration

- **Suspend mode**
Select the ACPI state used for system suspend.
- **Repost Video on S3 Resume**
This item allows you to invoke VGA BIOS POST on S3/STR resume.

■ Advanced ACPI Configuration

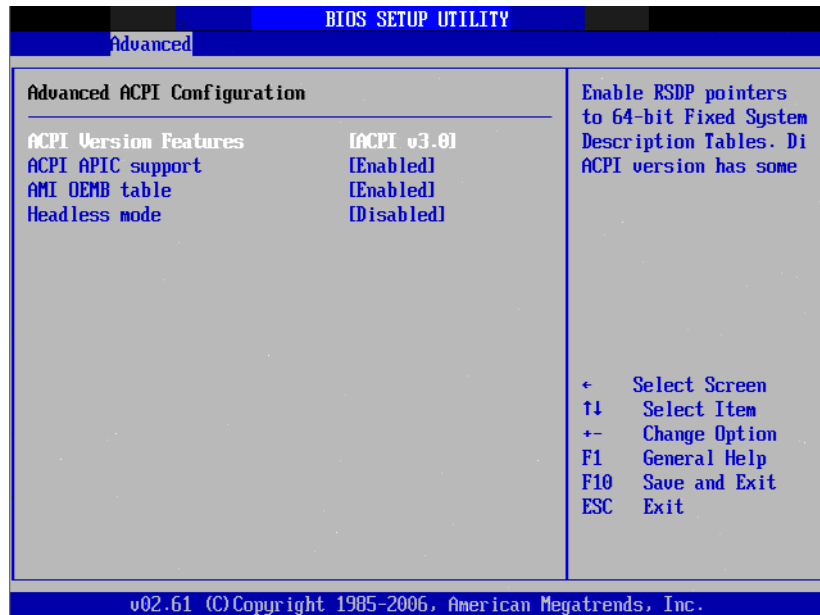


Figure 3.10 Advanced ACPI Configuration

– ACPI Version Features

This item allows you to enable RSDP pointers to 64-bit fixed system description tables.

– ACPI APIC support

Include APIC table pointer to RSDT pointer list.

– AMI OEMB table

Include OEMB table pointer to R(x)SDT pointer lists.

– Headless mode

Enable / Disable Headless operation mode through ACPI.

■ Chipset ACPI Configuration

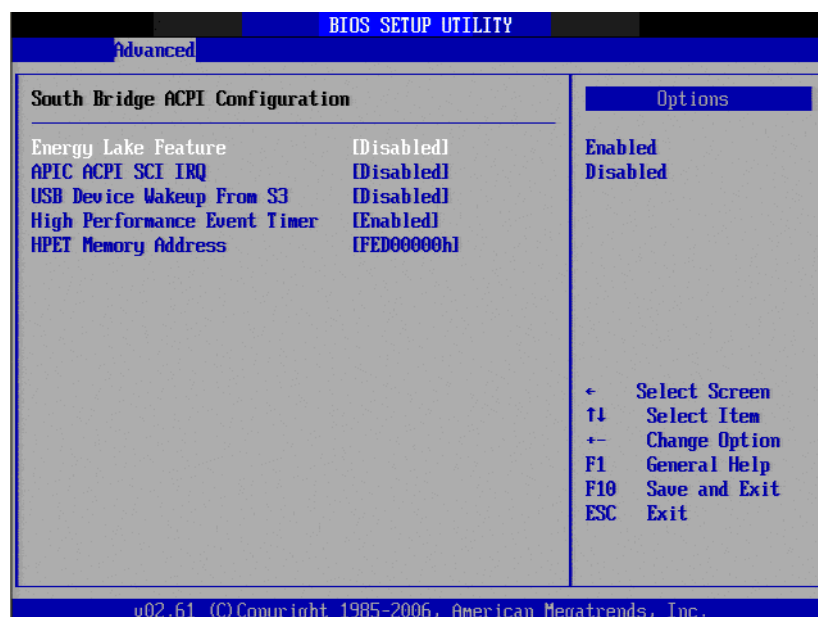


Figure 3.11 Chipset ACPI Configuration

- **Energy Lake Feature**
Allows you to configure Intel®'s Energy Lake power management technology.
- **APIC ACPI SCI IRQ**
Enable/Disable APIC ACPI SCI IRQ.
- **USB Device Wakeup From S3**
Enable/Disable USB Device Wakeup from S3.
- **High Performance Event Timer**
Enable/Disable High performance Event timer.

3.1.2.6 AHCI Configuration

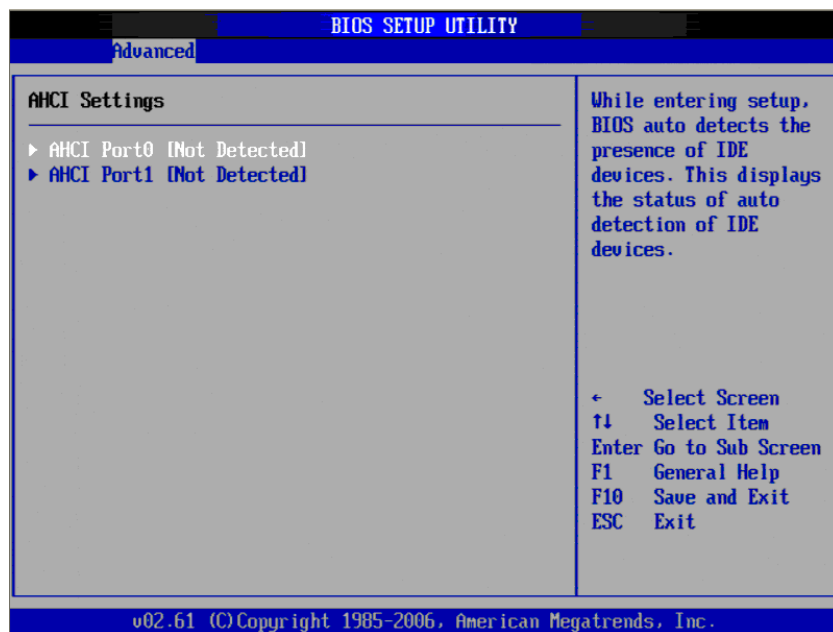


Figure 3.12 AHCI Configuration

- **AHCI Port0 / Port1**
While entering setup, BIOS auto detects the presence of IDE devices. This displays the status of whatever IDE device or devices that may have been detected.

3.1.2.7 APM Configuration

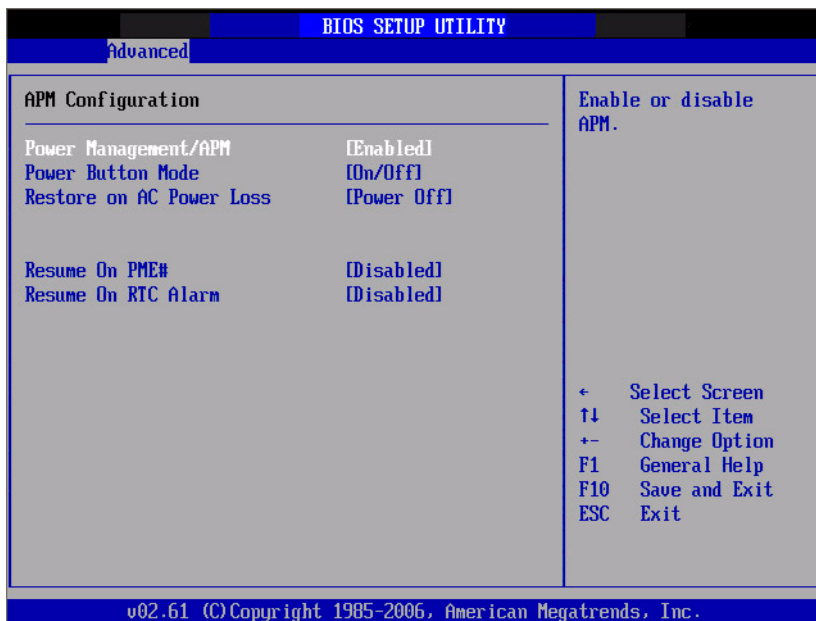


Figure 3.13 APM Configuration

- **Power Management/APM**
Enable or disable APM.
- **Power Button Mode**
Power on, off, or enter suspend mode when the power button is pressed. The following options are also available.
- **Restore on AC power Loss**
Use this to set up the system response after a power failure. The "Off" setting keeps the system powered off after power failure, the "On" setting boots up the system after failure, and the "Last State" returns the system to the status just before power failure.
- **Resume On PME#**
Enable / Disable RI to generate a wake event.
- **Resume On RTC Alarm**
Enable / Disable PME to generate a wake event.

3.1.2.8 Event Log Configuration

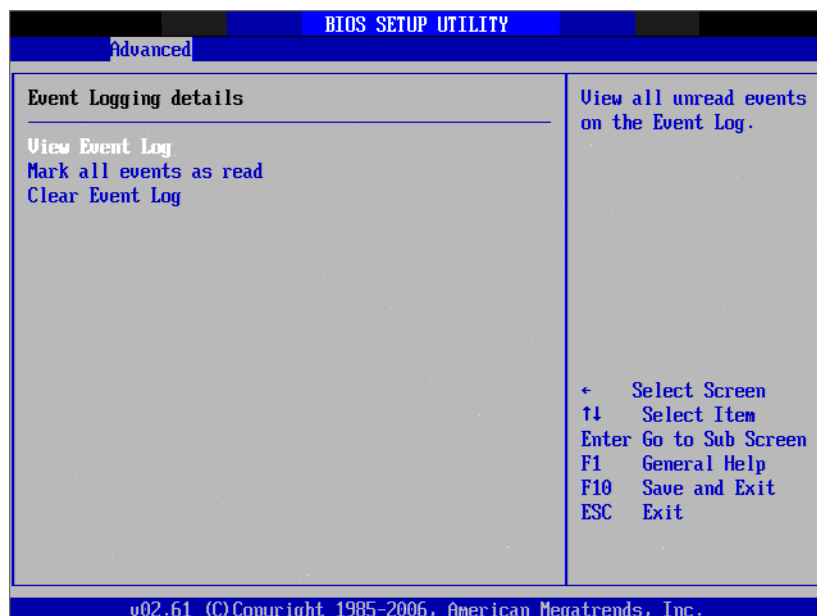


Figure 3.14 Event Log Configuration

- **View Event Log**
View all unread events on the event Log.
- **Mark all events as read**
Mark all unread events as read.
- **Clear Event Log**
Discard all events in the event Log.

3.1.2.9 MPS Configuration

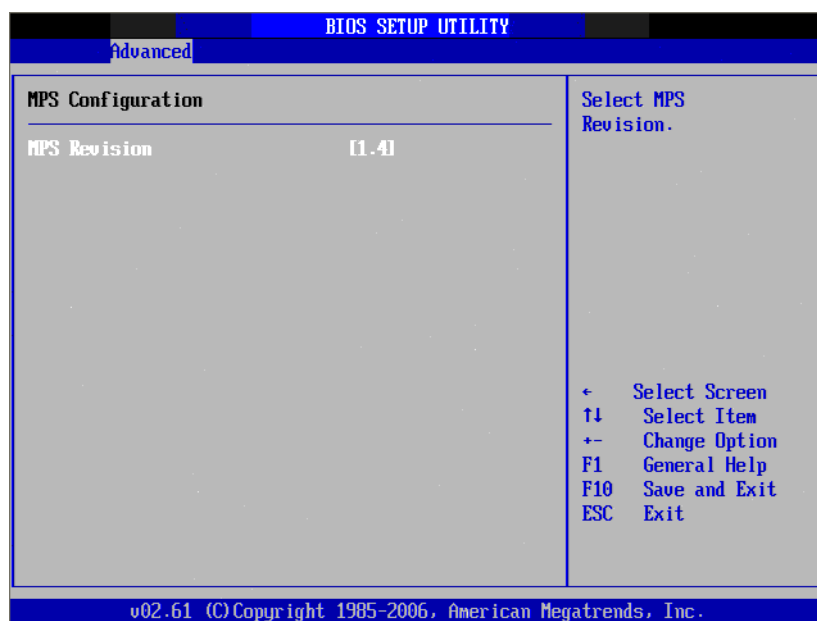


Figure 3.15 MPS Configuration

- **MPS Revision**
This item allows you to select MPS (Multi-Processor Specification) revision.

3.1.2.10 Smbios Configuration

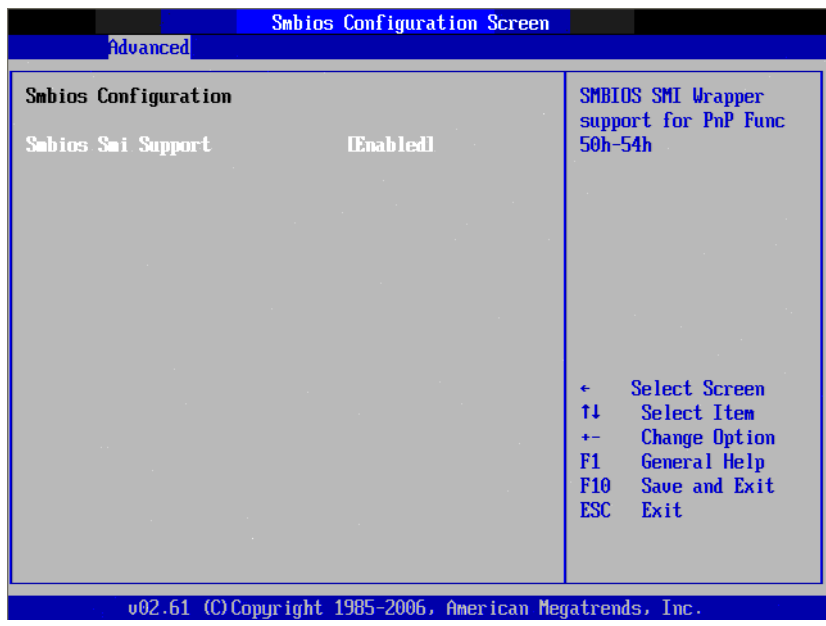


Figure 3.16 Smbios Configuration

- **SMBIOS SMI Support**
SMBIOS SMI wrapper support for PnP function 50h-54h.

3.1.2.11 USB Configuration

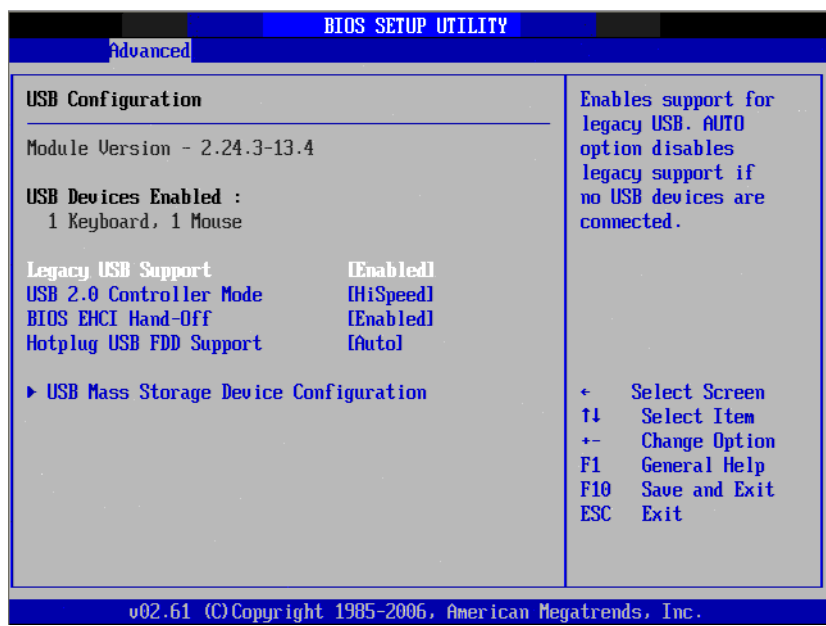


Figure 3.17 USB Configuration

- **Legacy USB Support**
Enables support for legacy USB. Auto option disables legacy support if no USB devices are connected.
- **USB 2.0 Controller Mode**
This item allows you to select HiSpeed(480Mbps) or FullSpeed (12Mbps).

- **BIOS EHCI Hand-Off**

This is a workaround for OS without EHCI hand-off support. The EHCI ownership change should claim by EHCI driver.

- **Hotplug USB FDD Support**

A dummy FDD device is created that will be associated with the hotplugged FDD later. Auto option creates this dummy device only if there is no USB FDD present.

- **USB Mass Storage Device Configuration**



Figure 3.18 USB Mass Storage Device Configuration

- **USB Mass Storage Reset Delay**

Number of seconds POST waits for the USB mass storage device after start unit command.

- **Emulation Type**

If Auto, USB devices less than 530MB will be emulated as a floppy drives and the remaining as hard drives. Force FDD option can be used to force an FDD formatted drive to boot as FDD (E.g., a. ZIP drive).

3.1.3 Advanced PCI/PnP Settings

Select the PCI/PnP tab from the ARK-1120 setup screen to enter the Plug and Play BIOS Setup screen. You can display a Plug and Play BIOS Setup option by highlighting it using the <arrow> keys. All Plug and Play BIOS Setup options are described in this section. The Plug and Play BIOS Setup screen is shown below.

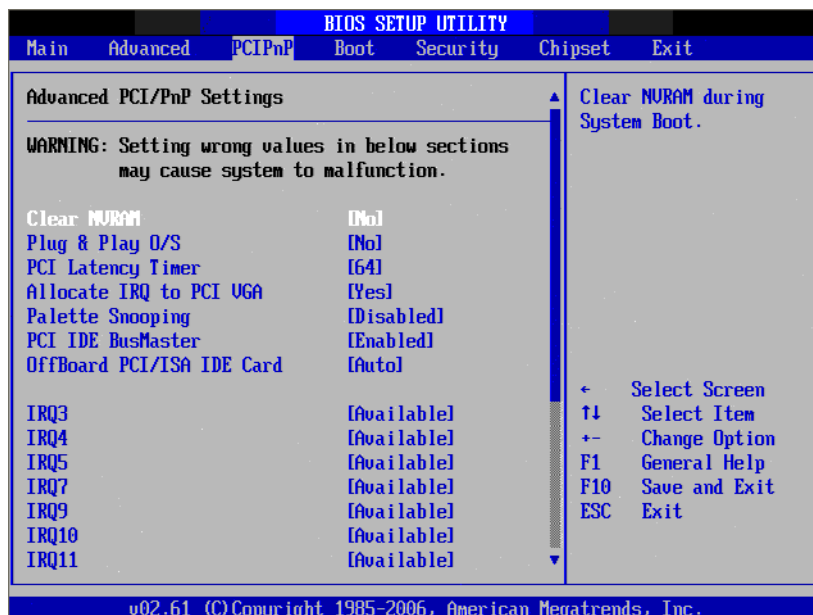


Figure 3.19 PCI/PNP Setup (top)

3.1.3.1 Clear NVRAM

Set this value to force the BIOS to clear the Non-Volatile Random Access Memory (NVRAM). The Optimal and Fail-Safe default setting is No.

3.1.3.2 Plug & Play O/S

When set to No, BIOS configures all the devices in the system. When set to Yes and if you install a Plug and Play operating system, the operating system configures any Plug and Play device not required for boot.

3.1.3.3 PCI Latency Timer

Value in PCI clock units for PCI device latency timer register.

3.1.3.4 Allocate IRQ to PCI VGA

When set to Yes will assigns IRQ to PCI VGA card if card requests IRQ. When set to No will not assign IRQ to PCI VGA card even if card requests an IRQ.

3.1.3.5 Palette Snooping

This item is designed to solve problems caused by some non-standard VGA cards.

3.1.3.6 PCI IDE BusMaster

When set to enabled, BIOS uses PCI busmastering for reading/writing to IDE drives.

3.1.3.7 OffBoard PCI/ISA IDE Card

Some PCI IDE cards may require this to be set to the PCI slot number that is holding the card. When set to Auto will work for most PCI IDE cards.

3.1.3.8 IRQ3 / 4 / 5 / 7 / 9 / 10 / 11

This item allows you to assign interrupt type for IRQ-3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 10, and 11.

3.1.3.9 DMA Channel 0 / 1 / 3 / 5 / 6 / 7

When set to Available will specify which DMA is available to be used by PCI/PnP devices. When set to Reserved will specify which DMA will be reserved for use by legacy ISA devices.

3.1.3.10 Reserved Memory Size

This item allows you to reserve the size of memory block for legacy ISA device.

3.1.4 Boot Settings



Figure 3.20 Boot Setup Utility

3.1.4.1 Boot settings Configuration

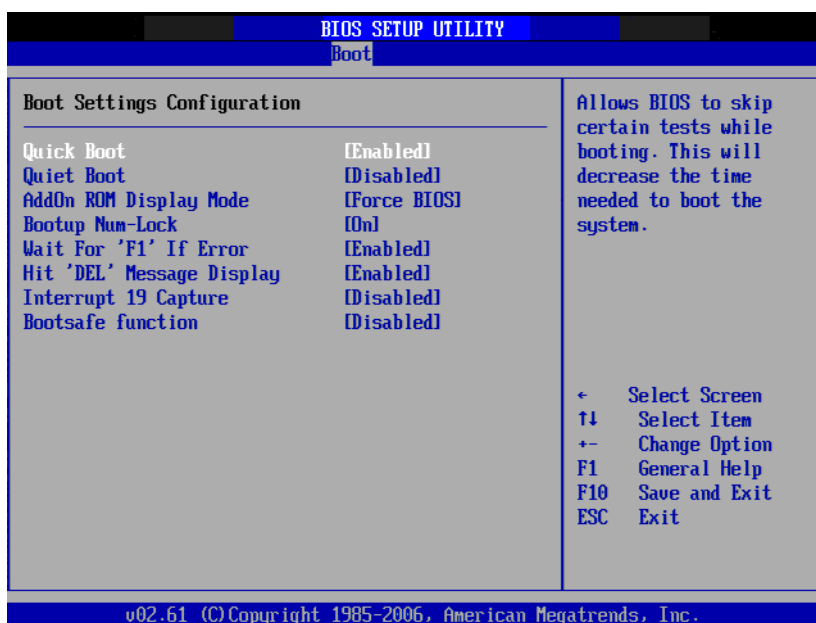


Figure 3.21 Boot Setting Configuration

- **Quick Boot**
This item allows BIOS to skip certain tests while booting. This will decrease the time needed to boot the system.
- **Quiet Boot**
If this option is set to Disabled, the BIOS displays normal POST messages. If Enabled, an OEM Logo is shown instead of POST messages.
- **AddOn ROM Display Mode**
Set display mode for option ROM.
- **Bootup Num-Lock**
Select the Power-on state for Numlock.
- **Wait For 'F1' If Error**
Wait for the F1 key to be pressed if an error occurs.
- **Hit 'DEL' Message Display**
Displays -Press DEL to run Setup in POST.
- **Interrupt 19 Capture**
This item allows options for ROMs to trap interrupt 19.
- **Bootsafe function**
This item allows you to enable or disable the bootsafe function.

3.1.5 Security Setup

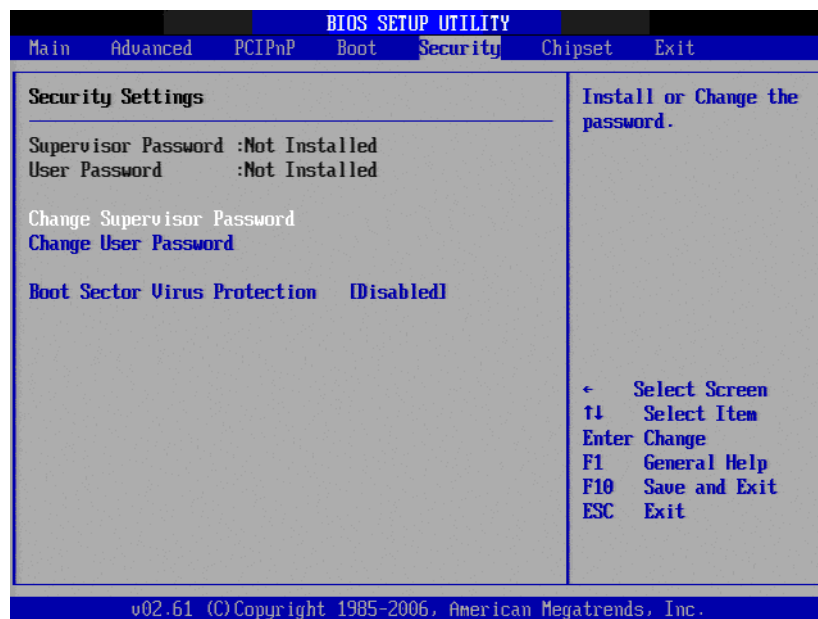


Figure 3.22 Password Configuration

Select Security Setup from the ARK-1120 Setup main BIOS setup menu. All Security Setup options, such as password protection and virus protection are described in this section. To access the sub menu for the following items, select the item and press <Enter>:

3.1.5.1 Change Supervisor / User Password

- **Boot Sector Virus protection**
The boot sector virus protection will warn if any program tries to write to the boot sector.

3.1.6 Advanced Chipset Settings



Figure 3.23 Advanced Chipset Settings

3.1.6.1 North Bridge Chipset Configuration



Figure 3.24 North Bridge Configuration

- **DRAM Frequency**
This item allows you to manually change DRAM frequency.
- **Configure DRAM Timing by SPD**
This item allows you to enable or disable detection by DRAM SPD.
- **Initiate Graphic Adapter**
This item allows you to select which graphics controller to use as the primary boot device.
- **Internal Graphics Mode Select**
Select the amount of system memory used by the Internal graphics device.

■ Video Function Configuration



Figure 3.25 Video Function Configuration

- **DVMT Mode Select**
Displays the active system memory mode.
- **DVMT/FIXED Memory**
Specify the amount of DVMT / FIXED system memory to allocate for video memory.
- **Boot Display Device**
Select boot display device at post stage.
- **Spread Spectrum Clock**
This item allows you to enable or disable the spread spectrum clock.

3.1.6.2 South Bridge Chipset Configuration



Figure 3.26 South Bridge Configuration

- **USB Functions**
Enables or disables, 2 USB Ports, 4 USB Ports, 6 USB Ports or 8 USB Ports or 10 USB Ports.
- **USB 2.0 Controller**
Enables or disables the USB 2.0 controller.
- **Intel 82576V controller**
Enables or disables the Intel® LAN controller.
- **Boot ROM**
Enables or disables internal LAN boot.
- **Wake Up From S5**
Enables or disables LAN wake up from S5 function.
- **HDA Controller**
Enables or disables the HDA controller.
- **SMBUS Controller**
Enables or disables the SMBUS controller.
- **SLP_S4# Min. Assertion Width**
This item allows you to set a delay of sorts.

3.1.7 Exit Option

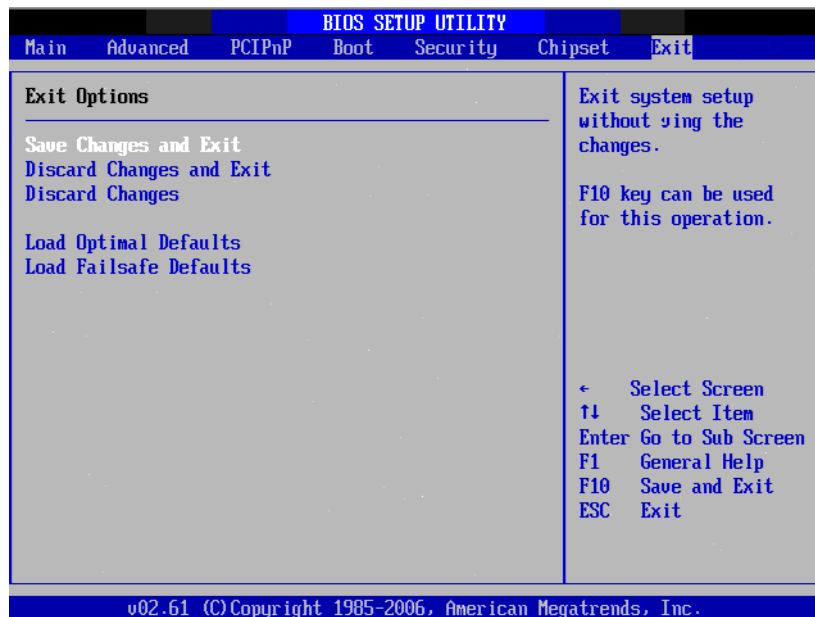


Figure 3.27 Exit Option

3.1.7.1 Save Changes and Exit

When you have completed system configuration, select this option to save your changes, exit BIOS setup and reboot the computer so the new system configuration parameters can take effect.

1. Select Exit Saving Changes from the Exit menu and press <Enter>. The following message appears:
Save Configuration Changes and Exit Now?
[Ok] [Cancel]
2. Select Ok or cancel.

3.1.7.2 Discard Changes and Exit

Select this option to quit Setup without making any permanent changes to the system configuration.

1. Select Exit Discarding Changes from the Exit menu and press <Enter>. The following message appears:
Discard Changes and Exit Setup Now?
[Ok] [Cancel]
2. Select Ok to discard changes and exit. Discard Changes
3. Select Discard Changes from the Exit menu and press <Enter>.

3.1.7.3 Load Optimal Defaults

The ARK-1120 automatically configures all setup items to optimal settings when you select this option. Optimal defaults are designed for maximum system performance, but may not work best for all computer applications. In particular, do not use the Optimal Defaults if your computer is experiencing system configuration problems. Select Load Optimal Defaults from the Exit menu and press <Enter>.

3.1.7.4 Load Fail-Safe Defaults

The ARK-1120 automatically configures all setup options to fail-safe settings when you select this option. Fail-Safe Defaults are designed for maximum system stability, but not maximum performance. Select Fail-Safe Defaults if your computer is experiencing system configuration problems.

1. Select Load Fail-Safe Defaults from the Exit menu and press <Enter>. The following message appears:
Load Fail-Safe Defaults?
[OK] [Cancel]
2. Select OK to load Fail-Safe defaults.

Appendix **A**

WDT & GPIO Sample
Code

A.1 Watchdog Timer Sample Code

Watchdog function:

```
;The SCH3114 Runtime base I/O address is A00h
;Setting WatchDog time value location at offset 66h
;If set value "0", it is mean disable WatchDog function.
Superio_GPIO_Port = A00h
mov dx,Superio_GPIO_Port + 66h
mov al,00h
out dx,al
.model small
.486p
.stack 256
.data
SCH3114_IO EQU A00h
.code
org 100h
.STARTup
;=====
;47H
;enable WDT function bit [0]=0Ch
;=====
mov dx,SCH3114_IO + 47h
mov al,0Ch
out dx,al
;=====
;65H
;bit [1:0]=Reserved
;bit [6:2]Reserve=00000
;bit [7] WDT time-out Value Units Select
;Minutes=0 (default) Seconds=1
;=====
mov dx,SCH3114_IO + 65h ;
mov al,080h
out dx,al
;=====
;66H
;WDT timer time-out value
;bit[7:0]=0~255
;=====
mov dx,SCH3114_IO + 66h
mov al,01h
out dx,al
;=====
;bit[0] status bit R/W
;WD timeout occurred =1
```

```
;WD timer counting = 0  
;=====  
mov dx,SCH3114_IO + 68h  
mov al,01h  
out dx,al  
.exit  
END
```


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