

Chapter 4

VIA CHIPSET DRIVER

1. Overview

The K7T PRO is paired with the VIA VT82C686A south bridge. Highly advanced, the south bridge combines an integrated 2D/3D engine with DVD hardware acceleration, AC-97 audio support for SoundBlaster Pro and FM synthesis legacy audio.

1.1 Audio Features

- AC'97 audio support for SoundBlaster Pro
- FM synthesis legacy audio

1.2 System Requirements

This section describes system requirements for the VGA Driver installation and Usage.

Computer	AMD® Duron™/Athlon® processor or higher
Monitor	VGA Support, minimum 640x480 resolution
Operating system	DOS 5.0 or higher, Windows® 95/98, Windows® NT 3.51 or 4.0, or OS/2®
CD-ROM	Double Speed or Higher
Chipset	VIA® K T133/VT82C686A chipset

2. Driver Setup & Usage Procedures for Windows® 98

Insert the CD-title into your CD-ROM drive. The CD will auto-run and will display the four icons in the monitor “VIA Chipset Drivers”, “VIA AC97 PCI Sound Drivers” and “Download VIA Drivers”. In order to install the drivers correctly, you must install the “Via Chipset Drivers” first, and then install the “VIA AC97 PCI Sound Drivers”.

2.1 VIA Chipset Drivers installation procedure:

- Step 1:** Insert the provided CD_ROM disk into the CD-ROM drive.
- Step 2:** Look for the CD_ROM drive, double click on the CD_ROM icon. This will show the setup screen.
- Step 3:** Click on “Via Chipset Drivers” icon and the screen will show “VIA Service Pack 4.19”.
- Step 4:** Click “Next” and the screen will show four drivers “VIA Atapi Vendor Support Driver”, “AGP VxD Driver”, “VIA Chipset Function’s Registry” and “IRQ Routing Miniport Driver”. Select all four drivers and click on “Next”.
- Step 5:** The setup program will request you to choose “Install VIA Atapi Vendor Support Driver”. Please select “Install” and click “Next” to continue.
- Step 6:** Click to enabled DMA Mode, Please select “Install” and click “Next” to continue.
- Step 7:** The setup program will request you to choose “Install VIA AGP VxD in turbo mode”, “Install VIA AGP VxD in normal mode” or “Uninstall VIA AGP VxD”. Please select “Install VIA AGP VxD in turbo mode” and click on “Next”.

- Step 8:** The setup program will let you choose between “Install VIA Chipset Functions Registry” or “Uninstall VIA Chipset Functions Registry”. Please select “Install VIA Chipset Functions Registry” and then click “Next”.
- Step 9:** The setup program will let you choose between “Install VIA IRQ Routing Miniport Driver” or “Uninstall VIA IRQ Routing Miniport Driver”. Please select “Install VIA IRQ Routing Miniport Driver”.
- Step 10:** The setup program will request you to choose whether to restart the computer or not. Please select “Yes, I want to restart my computer now” and click Finish. The computer will restart and finish the VIA Chipset Drivers installation.

2.2 VIA AC97 PCI Sound Drivers installation procedure:

- Step 1:** Insert the provided CD_ROM disk into the CD-ROM drive.
- Step 2:** Look for the CD_ROM drive, double click on the CD_ROM icon. This will show the setup screen.
- Step 3:** Click on “VIA AC97 PCI Sound Drivers” icon and the screen will show “VIA AC97 PCI Sound Drivers”.
- Step 4:** Click “Next” to proceed and the screen will show “Install”, or “Remove”. Select “Install” and then click on “Next”.
- Step 5:** The setup program will request you to choose whether to restart the computer or not. Please select “Yes, I want to restart my computer now” and click Finish. The computer will restart and finish the AC97 Audio Drivers Installation.

3. Windows® NT 4.0

Install Windows®NT 4.0 Service Pack 3 or the latest version before installing the VIA drivers.

Insert the CD-title in the CD-ROM drive. The CD will auto-run and will display four icons on the screen “VIA Chipset Drivers”, “VIA AC97 PCI Sound Drivers” and “Download VIA Drivers”. In order to install the drivers properly, install the “VIA Chip Drivers” first and then install the “VIA AC97 PCI Sound Drivers”.

3.1 VIA Chipset Drivers Installation Procedure:

- Step 1:** Insert the provided CD_ROM disk into the CD-ROM drive.
- Step 2:** Look for the CD_ROM drive, double click on the CD_ROM icon. This will show the setup screen.
- Step 3:** Click on “VIA Chipset Drivers” icon and the screen will show “VIA Service Pack 4.19”.
- Step 4:** Click “Next” to proceed and the screen will show “Install”, “Uninstall” or “Enable/Disable Ultra DMA for IDE Driver”. Select “Install” and then click on “Next”.
- Step 5:** Please click on “Yes, I want to restart my computer”.

3.2 VIA AC97 PCI Sound Drivers Installation Procedure:

- Step 1:** Insert the provided CD_ROM disk into the CD-ROM drive.
- Step 2:** Look for the CD_ROM drive, double click on the CD_ROM icon. This will show the setup screen.
- Step 3:** Click on “VIA AC97 PCI Sound Drivers” icon and the screen will show the “VIA PCI Audio Drivers” setup screen. Click “Next” to continue
- Step 4:** The setup program will show “Install” or “Remove” in the screen. Select “Install” and click “Next”
- Step 5:** The setup program will show the following on the screen:

Please choose “Add” from the next window
and add the following device:
VIA AC97 PCI Audio Device
VIA MIDI External Port

Then click “OK”.

- Step 6:** Follow the steps shown in **Step 5** to finish the VIA AC97 PCI Audio Drivers Installation.