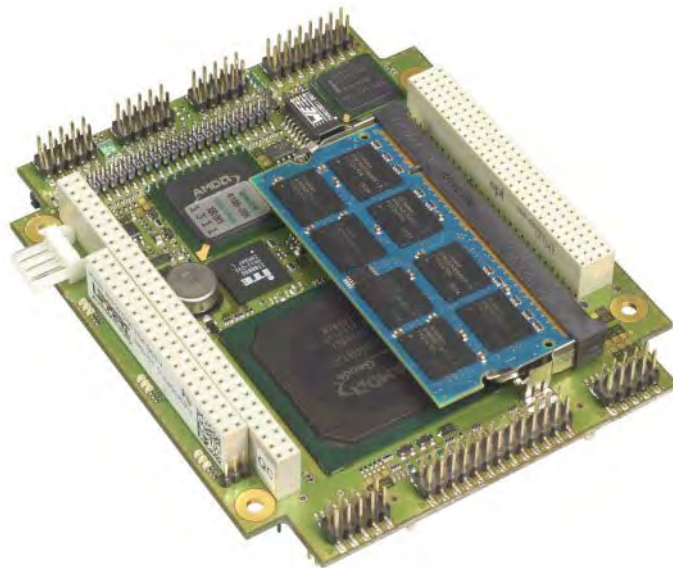


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1 Overview

1.1 Introduction

The Cool RoadRunner-LX800 is a high-performance PC/104-Plus board with AMD's Geode™ LX processor, having very low power requirements. The board comprises all peripherals needed for an embedded PC on a small 3.775" by 4.050" printed circuit board. It is fully plug-in compatible with the Cool RoadRunner 2, which was obsolete due to end-of-life of the Geode GX1.

The Cool RoadRunner integrates a powerful yet efficient AMD Geode™ LX800 processor together with a CS5536 I/O companion and a Super I/O chip to form a complete PC, with all the standard peripherals already on board. There is graphics controller with VGA, LVDS, and parallel TFT adapters to connect many sorts of display terminals. Backlighting is provided for LCD modules.

A fast 100/10BaseT Ethernet port, RS232/RS422/RS485 serial ports, and four USB 2.0 host ports handle the communication with external devices. There are PS/2 connectors for keyboard and mouse as well as a parallel printer port available. Sound I/O according to AC97 is supported, too. An IDE ATA100 adapter allows connection of hard disk or CD drives. Applications that require non-moving storage can use the integrated Compact Flash socket.

System expansion is easily done using the PC/104 and PC/104-Plus connectors. I2C bus, PWM outputs, and programmable general purpose digital signals are available on a supervisory connector.

The Cool RoadRunner-LX800 is powered by a 5V-only supply and supports ACPI, advanced power management and PCI power management. Security critical applications take advantage of the Geode LX processor, too. It has an on-chip AES 128-bit crypto acceleration block capable of 44 Mbps throughput on either encryption or decryption. The AES block runs asynchronously to the processor core and is DMA based.

The Cool RoadRunner-LX800 runs Windows, Linux and VxWorks operating systems.

Features

CPU

- AMD Geode™ LX 800@1.0W (500MHz)
- Cache Memory with:
 - 64 KB/64 KB level 1 I/D caches
 - TLB (Translation Look-aside Buffer):
 - 128 KB level 2 cache
 - Efficient Prefetch

Chipset

- AMD CS5536 companion device

Interfaces

- Ethernet 10/100BaseT
- Compact Flash Type III header
- ATA-6 EIDE (Ultra DMA-100)
- PS/2 Keyboard
- PS/2 Mouse
- 4 x USB 2.0 ports
- 2 x RS232/RS485, software selectable
- 1 x parallel port

Main Memory

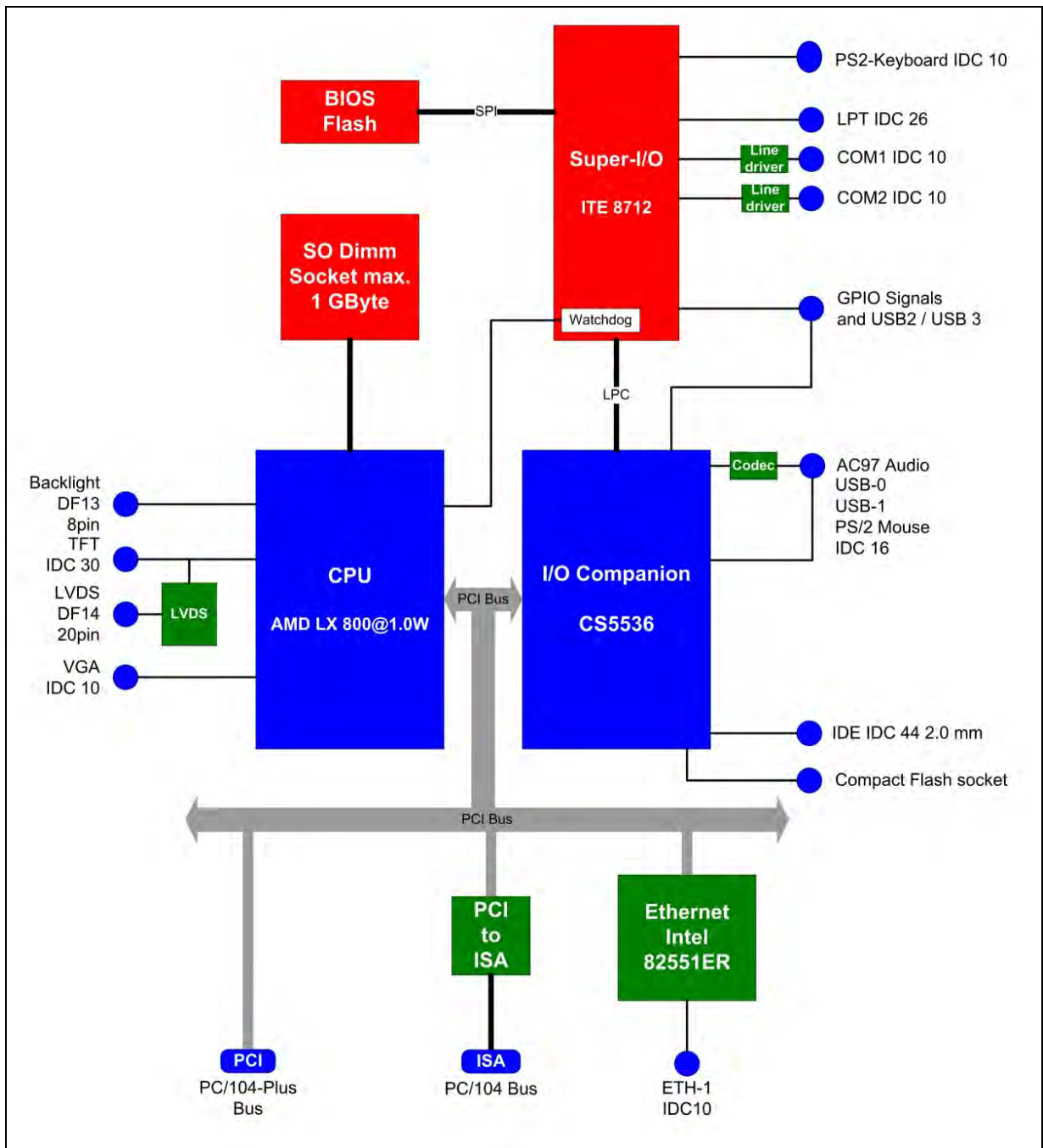
- One DDR333 SODIMM Module, up to 1GB
- Recommended: 256MB at minimum

Extension slots

- 1 x 32-bit PC/104-Plus
- 1 x 16-bit PC/104 with full DMA capability
- SVGA monitor
- 18 Bit Flat Panel
- 24 Bit LVDS for displays
- Supervisory port: external power button, live signal, watchdog, hardware monitoring and some general purpose signals
- Power supply

Other configurations are possible at high volumes.

Block Diagram



1.2 Ordering Information

Cool RoadRunner-LX800 Models

Order number	Description
803-0010-10	Cool RoadRunner-LX800 (CRR-LX800) with LCD+VGA-CRT, AMD GEODE LX800@0.9W (500 MHz), low power consumption, up to 1GB DDR SDRAM, 4x USB2.0, IrDA, RTC, GoldCap, EIDE, 3x COM, LPT (EPP/EPC), PS/2 Keyboard, PS/2 Mouse, WDOG, PC/104 bus, PC/104+ bus, VGA controller (TFT Displays supported), bitparallel and LVDS Interface, Fast Ethernet 100/10BaseT, 6Bit GPIO, Compact Flash Type II Socket, Sound I/O AC97 compliant. Operating temperature range: -20°C .. +60°C
903-0010-10	Cool RoadRunner-LX800 (CRR-LX800) with LCD+VGA-CRT, AMD GEODE LX800@0.9W (500 MHz), low power consumption, up to 1GB DDR SDRAM, 4x USB2.0, IrDA, RTC, GoldCap, EIDE, 3x COM, LPT (EPP/EPC), PS/2 Keyboard, PS/2 Mouse, WDOG, PC/104 bus, PC/104+ bus, VGA controller (TFT Displays supported), bitparallel and LVDS Interface, Fast Ethernet 100/10BaseT, 6Bit GPIO, Compact Flash Type II Socket, Sound I/O AC97 compliant. Operating temperature range: -40°C .. +85°C

Cable Sets and Accessories

There are some options available for the Cool RoadRunner-LX800. Please check their availability before ordering.

Order number	Description
863-0011-10	Adapter Cable Set Cable set for Cool Roadrunner LX800, power, keyboard, 2.5" IDE, cable adapter 2.5" > 3.5", adapter 3.5" > 2.5", printer, 2 x serial, VGA-CRT, Ethernet, 2 x USB, sound I/O, mouse.

1.3 Specifications

Electrical Specifications

Supply voltage	+5 V DC
Rise time	10ms..100 ms
Supply voltage tolerance	± 5%
Inrush current	4.5 A
Supply current	max. 1.5 A depending on operating system and RAM typ. 0.9 A (Windows XP idle mode) typ. 0.06 A (running Windows XP Suspend to RAM)

Environmental Specifications

Operating:

Temperature range	-20 ... 60 °C (standard version) -40 ... 85 °C (extended version)
Temperature change	max. 10K / 30 minutes
Humidity (relative)	10 ... 90 % (non-condensing)
Pressure	450 ... 1100 hPa

Non-Operating/Storage/Transport:

Temperature range	-40 ... 85 °C
Temperature change	max. 10K / 30 minutes
Humidity (relative)	5 ... 95 % (non-condensing)
Pressure	450 ... 1100 hPa

MTBF

MTBF at 25°C	364.293 hours
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In order to perform a failure rate assessment, several assumptions have to be made to minimize the complexity of the analysis.

Basis for the calculation was „Parts-Stress" method according to MIL-HDBK-217 F Notice 2. Although this method requires stress values for all components, mean stress values have been used.

Environmental factor „Ground Benign" according to MIL-HDBK-217 has been used as well as an environmental temperature of 25 °C.

Failure rate of mechanical components (screws, chassis, etc) is negligible.

The detailed analysis report is available on request.

Mechanical

Dimensions (L x W)	95.9 mm x 115.6 mm (including I/O extension)
Height	max. 14 mm on top side above PCB max. 12 mm on bottom side above PCB
Weight	150 g (including RAM)
Mounting	4 mounting holes

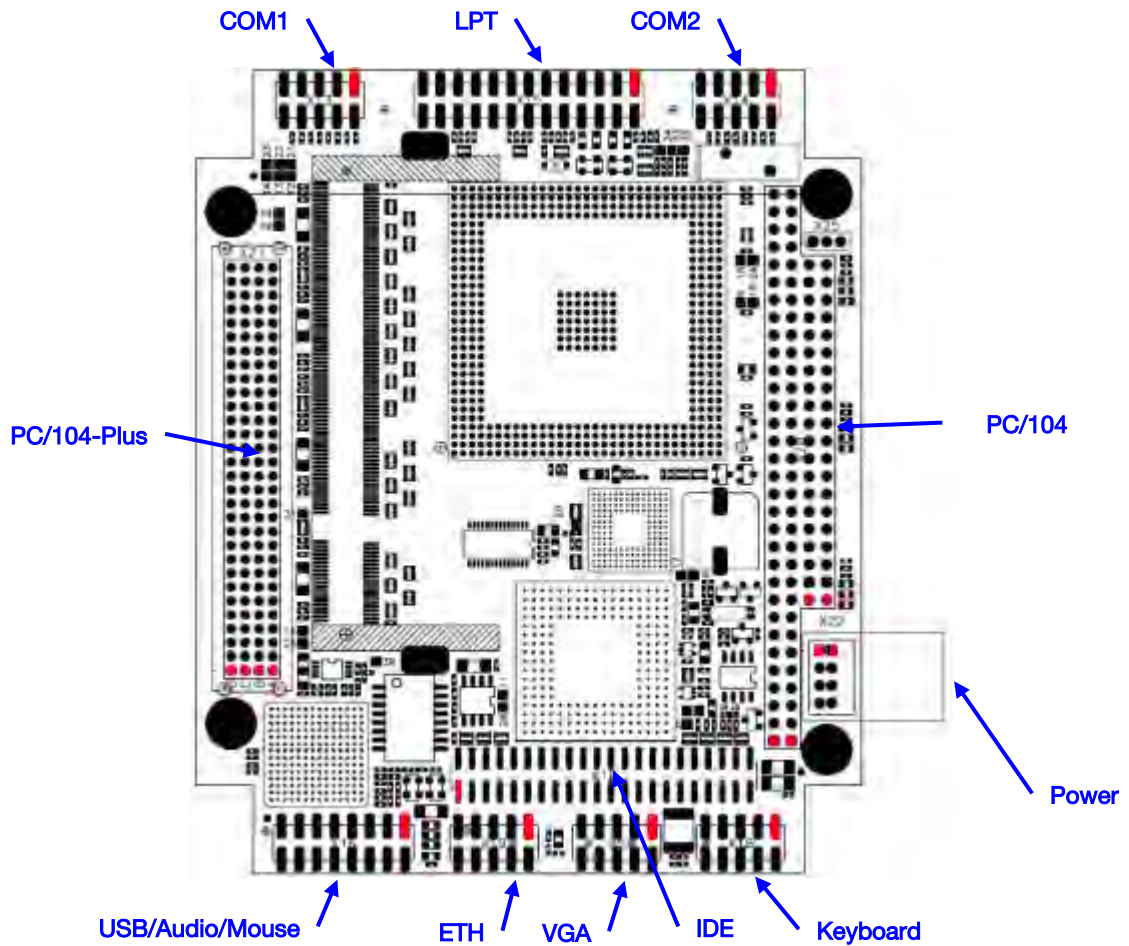


Note: *It is strongly recommend using plastic spacers instead of metal spacers to mount the board. With metal spacers, there is a possible danger to create a short circuit with the components located around the mounting holes. This can damage the board!*

2 Getting Started

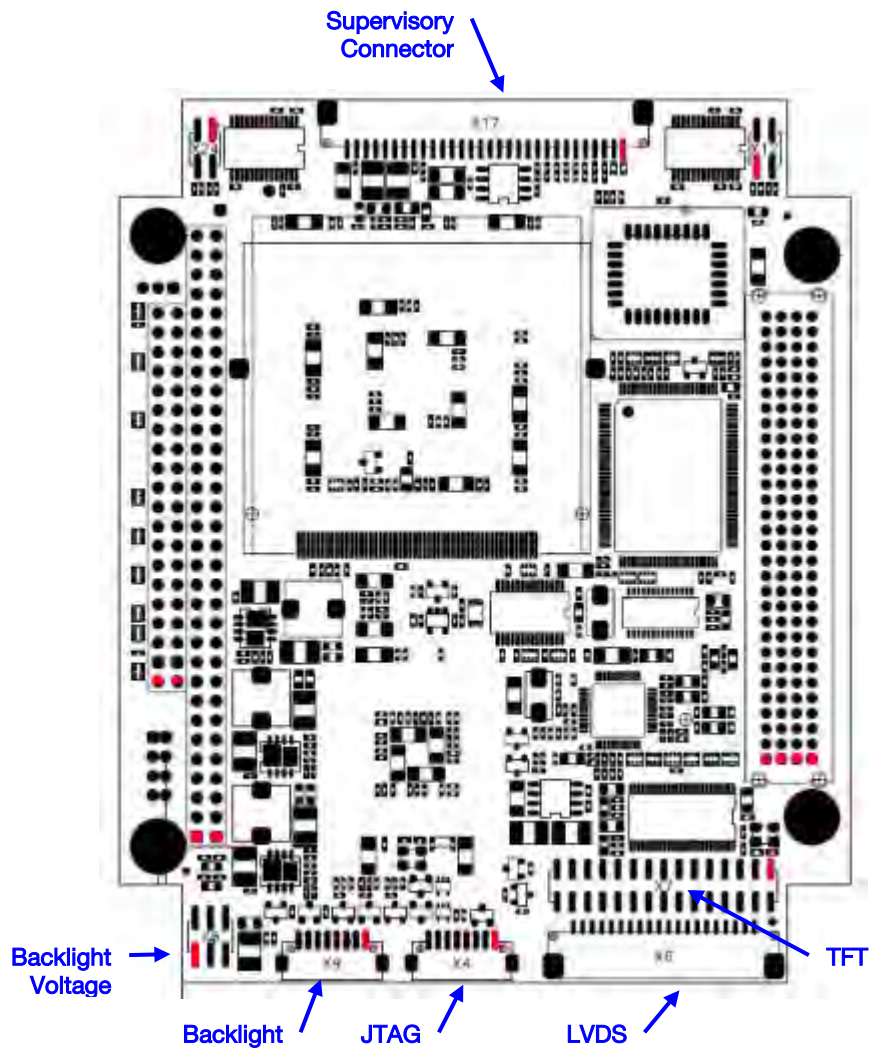
2.1 Connector Locations

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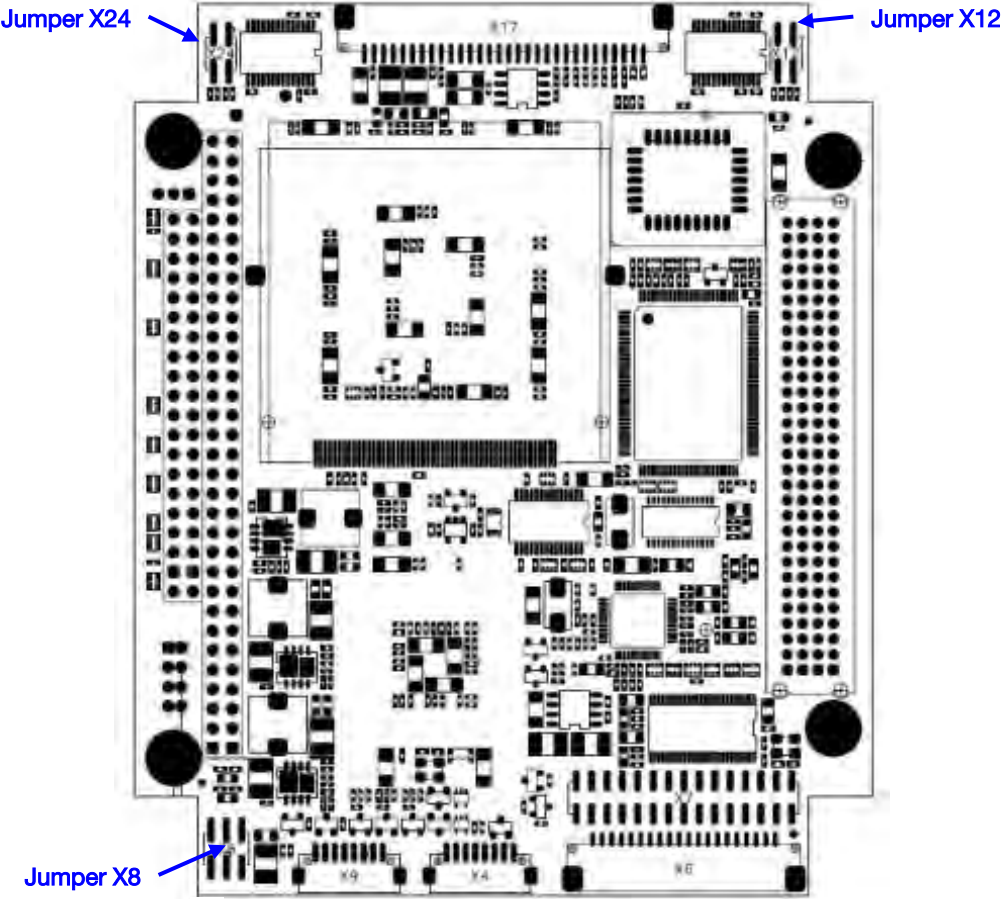
The connectors' pin 1 is marked **RED**

Bottom



The connectors' pin 1 is marked **RED**

2.2 Jumper Locations



2.3 LED indicators

The onboard LED indicators provide a very comfortable way to check the board's status. The boot success, power status, IDE accesses, and Ethernet accesses are all visible.

The LED indicators are located on top of the board, near the PC/104 connector. External LED indicators in a custom system can easily be connected using the related pins of the Supervisory Connector

Link: Green LED shows the Ethernet Link status.
Activity: Red LED flashes at Ethernet activity.
Speed: Yellow LED lights up if 100Mbit connection is established.

Power Mode: Red LED is constantly lit if the boot process is complete and the board is running normally. Red LED flashes when board goes in suspend mode.

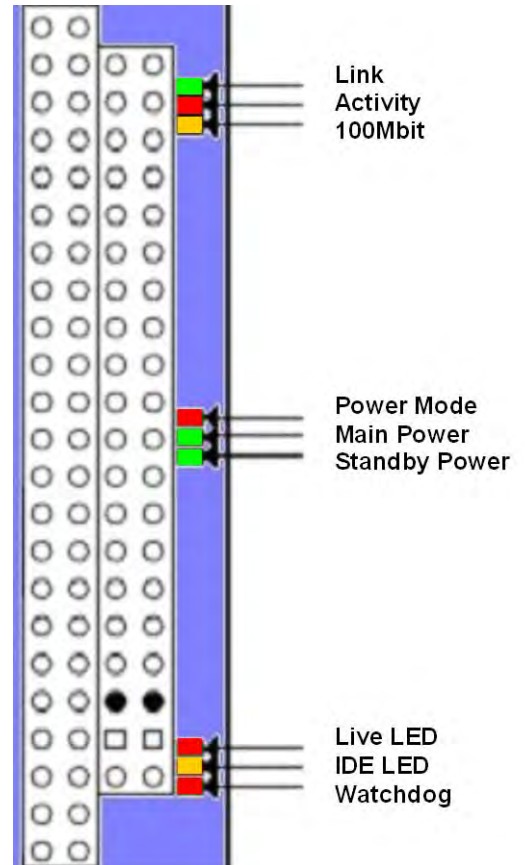
Main Power: Green LED lights up when Main Power is supplied.

SBY Power: Green LED lights up when Standby Power is supplied.

Live-LED: Red LED is on at startup while the board executes the BIOS power on self test (POST). After that it is freely usable by application programs. Chapter 4.4 shows a small sample program how to control it.

IDE LED: Orange LED flashes when IDE activity is recognized.

Watchdog: Red LED lights up when Watchdog was triggered. Can only be reset by a power off.



2.4 Hardware Setup



Caution

Be sure to observe the EMC security measures. Make sure you are always at the same potential as the module.



Caution

Never connect or disconnect peripherals like HDD's while the board's power supply is connected and switched on!

Use the cable set provided by LIPPERT to connect the Cool RoadRunner-LX800 to a VGA monitor. Connect either PS/2 or USB keyboard and mouse, respectively. Use the 40-wire flat ribbon cable to connect the hard disk. Make sure that the pins match their counterparts correctly and are not twisted. If you plan to use additional other peripherals, now is the time to connect them, too.

Connect a 5 volt, 3 amps power supply with large output capacitors (>5000 μ F) or a 5 amps power supply to the power connector and switch the power on. The power supply's rise time should be between 10 ms and 100 ms.



Note *The 3 amps value is the minimum you should have for the standard peripherals mentioned. If you want to use more and/or others, please plan your power budget first! The system will not work if there is not enough supply current for all your devices.*

The display shows the BIOS messages. If you want to change the standard BIOS settings, press the <F1> key to enter the BIOS menu. See chapter 4.1 for BIOS setup details.

If you need to load the BIOS default values, they can be automatically loaded at boot time. See chapter 4.1, "Trouble Shooting BIOS Settings", about how to do it.

The Cool RoadRunner-LX800 boots from CD drives, USB floppy, USB stick, or hard disk. Provided that any of these is connected and contains a valid operating system image, the display then shows the boot screen of your operating system.

The Cool RoadRunner-LX800 does not need any cooling measures, neither at standard environment temperatures from -20 °C ... +60 °C nor in the extended range of -40 °C ... +85 °C.

3 Module Description

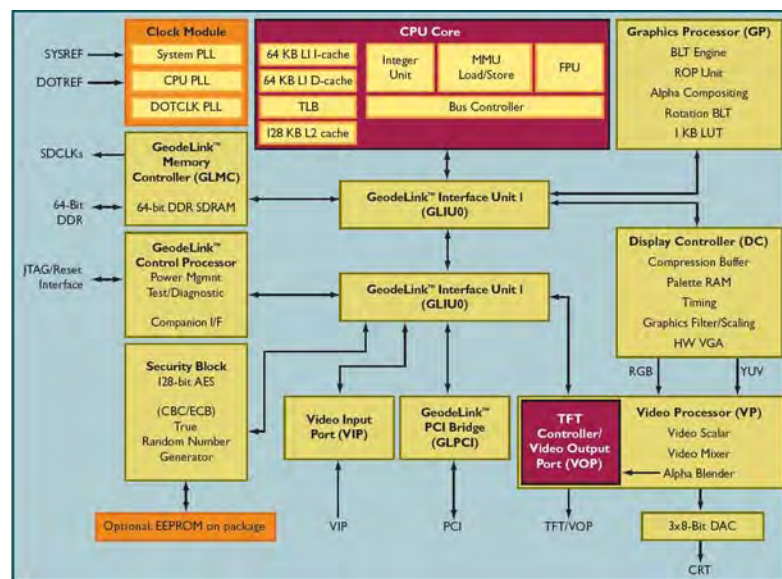
3.1 Processor

The AMD Geode LX 800@0.9W processor delivers the best performance per watt in the industry today, providing X86 power and versatility to embedded products. Its architecture and high level of integration guarantees longer battery life and allows very small designs, while delivering full X86 functionality.

The AMD Geode LX 800 processor consumes a maximum power of 3.9W and 1.8W typical at 500 MHz, enabling systems that only need to be passively cooled.

The x86 compatibility allow designers to focus on developing end products that efficiently meet consumer needs without being concerned with software porting or compatibility issues.

Coupled with the AMD Geode™ CS5536 companion device, the combined chipset, which operates at 1.9W typical at 433MHz and at 2.4W typical at 500MHz, offers a complete set of features that deliver full desktop functionality to embedded and portable devices.



Processor functional blocks are

- CPU Core
- GeodeLink™ Control Processor
- GeodeLink Interface Units
- GeodeLink Memory Controller
- Graphics Processor
- Display Controller
- Video Processor
- Video Input Port
- GeodeLink PCI Bridge
- Security Block

For further information, please refer to the data book of the AMD Geode™ LX 800

3.2 Companion

AMD Geode™ CS5536 companion device

The AMD Geode™ CS5536 companion device is designed to work with an integrated processor North Bridge component such as the AMD Geode™ GX/LX processor. Together, the Geode GX/LX processor and Geode CS5536 companion device provide a system-level solution well suited for the high-performance and low-power needs of a host of embedded devices including digital set-top boxes, mobile computing devices, thin client applications, and single board computers.

The internal architecture uses a single, high-performance modular structure based on GeodeLink™ architecture. This architecture yields high internal speed (over 4 GB/s) data movement and extremely versatile internal power management. The GeodeLink architecture is transparent to application software. Communication with the Geode GX/LX processor is over a 33/66 MHz PCI bus.

The Geode CS5536 companion device incorporates many I/O functions, including some found in typical Super-I/O chips, simplifying many system designs. Since the graphics subsystem is entirely contained in the Geode GX/LX processor, system interconnect is simplified. The device contains state-of-the-art power management that enables systems, especially battery powered systems, to significantly reduce power consumption.

Audio is supported by an internal controller, designed to connect to multiple AC97 compatible codecs. An IR (infrared) port supports all popular IR communication protocols. The IR port is shared with one of two industry-standard serial ports that can reach speeds of 115.2 kbps. An LPC (low pin count) port is provided to facilitate connections to a Super-I/O should additional expansion, such as a floppy drive, be necessary, and/or to an LPC ROM for the system BIOS

The hard disk controller is compatible to the ATA-5 specification. The bus mastering IDE controller includes support for two ATA-compliant devices on one channel. The CS5536 companion device provides four Universal Serial Bus (USB) 2.0 compliant ports, supporting low speed, full speed, and high speed connections. All four ports are individually automatically associated with either the Open Host Controller Interface (OHCI) or the Enhanced Host Controller Interface (EHCI) depending on the attached device type. A real-time clock (RTC) keeps track of time and provides calendar functions.

A suite of 82xx devices provides the legacy PC functionality required by most designs, including two PIC's (programmable interrupt controllers), one PIT (programmable interval timer) with three channels, and DMA (direct memory access) functions. The CS5536 companion device contains eight MFGPT's (multi-function general purpose timers) that can be used for a variety of functions. A number of six GPIOs (general purpose input/outputs) are provided, and are assigned to system functions on power-up.

State-of-the-art power management features are attained with the division of the device into two internal power domains. The GPIOs and multi-function timers are distributed into each domain allowing them to act as wakeup sources for the device. The device provides full ACPI (Advanced Configuration Power Interface) compliance and supports industry-standard Wakeup and Sleep modes.

3.3 Watchdog

An internal circuit of the ITE8712 Super I/O implements a watchdog. It is accessible through general-purpose ports of the Super I/O controller.

Please refer to chapter 4.4 for programming watchdog functions.

3.4 Graphics-Controller

The graphics controller is integrated in the Geode LX and does high performance 2D-graphics handling. CRT monitors can be used as well as TFT- or LVDS displays. Therefore, different connectors are on the board. It is possible to switch between CRT and TFT via BIOS or driver settings. It is also possible to use a CRT and a TFT/LVDS display simultaneously (driver setting), but only with the same graphics content on both displays.

The Cool RoadRunner-LX800 supports 3,3V and 5V TFT displays up to 18bit, and LVDS displays with 18/24bit interfaces with unconventional signal configuration. The display type and resolution can be selected in BIOS setup: **Motherboard Device Configuration → Video and Flat Panel Configuration.**

SVGA Configuration

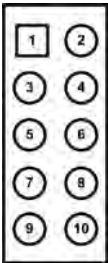
Resolution	Color Depth (bpp)	Refresh Rate (Hz)	Dot Clock (MHz)	Min. GLIU Frequency (MHz)
640 x 480	8, 16, or 24/32	60	25.175	75
	8, 16, or 24/32	70	28.560	75
	8, 16, or 24/32	72	31.500	75
	8, 16, or 24/32	75	31.500	75
	8, 16, or 24/32	85	36.000	75
	8, 16, or 24/32	90	37.889	400
	8, 16, or 24/32	100	43.163	400
800 x 600	8, 16, or 24/32	60	40.000	75
	8, 16, or 24/32	70	45.720	75
	8, 16, or 24/32	72	49.500	75
	8, 16, or 24/32	75	49.500	75
	8, 16, or 24/32	85	56.250	75
	8, 16, or 24/32	90	60.065	400
	8, 16, or 24/32	100	68.179	400
1024 x 768	8, 16 or 24/32	60	65.000	75
	8, 16, or 24/32	70	75.000	100
	8, 16, or 24/32	72	78.750	100
	8, 16, or 24/32	75	78.750	100
	8, 16, or 24/32	85	94.500	100
	8, 16, or 24/32	90	100.187	400
	8, 16, or 24/32	100	113.310	400
1152x864	8, 16, or 24/32	60	81.600	100
	8, 16, or 24/32	70	97.520	100
	8, 16, or 24/32	72	101.420	200
	8, 16, or 24/32	75	108.000	200
	8, 16, or 24/32	85	119.650	200
	8, 16, or 24/32	90	129.600	400
	8, 16, or 24/32	100	144.000	400
1280 x 1024	8, 16, or 24/32	60	108.000	200
	8, 16, or 24/32	70	129.600	200

Resolution	Color Depth (bpp)	Refresh Rate (Hz)	Dot Clock (MHz)	Min. GLIU Frequency (MHz)
	8, 16, or 24/32	72	133.500	200
	8, 16, or 24/32	75	135.000	200
	8, 16, or 24/32	85	157.500	200
	8, 16, or 24/32	90	172.800	400
	8, 16, or 24/32	100	192.000	400
1600 x 1200	8, 16, or 24/32	60	162.000	200
	8, 16, or 24/32	70	189.000	200
	8, 16, or 24/32	72	198.000	233
	8, 16, or 24/32	75	202.500	233
	8, 16, or 24/32	85	229.500	266
	8, 16, or 24/32	90	251.182	400
	8, 16, or 24/32	100	280.640	400
1920x1440	8, 16, or 24/32	60	234.000	266
	8, 16, or 24/32	70	278.400	400
	8, 16, or 24/32	72	288.000	400
	8, 16, or 24/32	75	297.000	400
	8, 16, or 24/32	85	341.349	400

VGA Connector

Connector type: IDC10 pin header 2.54 mm
 Matching connector: IDC10 pin female connector 2.54 mm

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	Red	2	GND
3	Green	4	GND
5	Blue	6	GND
7	HSYNC	8	GND
9	VSYNC	10	n.c.



Flat Panel and LVDS Configuration

Flat panel and LVDS have the same display options as shown in the table:

Setting	Possible Values
Flat Panel Type	Auto, TFT, LVDS
Resolution	320x240, 640x480, 800x600, 1024x768, 1152x864, 1280x1024, 1600x1200
Data Bus Type	9-24 Bits, 1ppc
Refresh Rate	60 Hz
HSYNC Polarity	High, Low
VSYNC Polarity	High, Low
LP Active Period	Active Only → only active during SYNC Free Running → always active
SHFCLK Active Period	Active Only → only active during SYNC Free Running → always active

To ease usage of these displays it's possible to select the display and backlight supply voltages with the on-board voltage selector jumpers. (Jumper X8, see below)

Flat Panel Connector

Connector type: IDC30 pin header 2.0 mm
Matching connector: IDC30 pin female connector 2.0 mm

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	GND	2	FPCLK
3	HSYNC	4	VSYNC
5	GND	6	R0
7	R1	8	R2
9	R3	10	R4
11	R5	12	GND
13	G0	14	G1
15	G2	16	G3
17	G4	18	G5
19	GND	20	B0
21	B1	22	B2
23	B3	24	B4
25	B5	26	GND
27	EN	28	VLCD-SW
29	VLCD-SW	30	GND

Flat Panel Backlight Connector

Connector type: Hirose DF13 8 pin
Matching connector: Hirose DF13-8S-1.25C, part number 536-0007-0 00

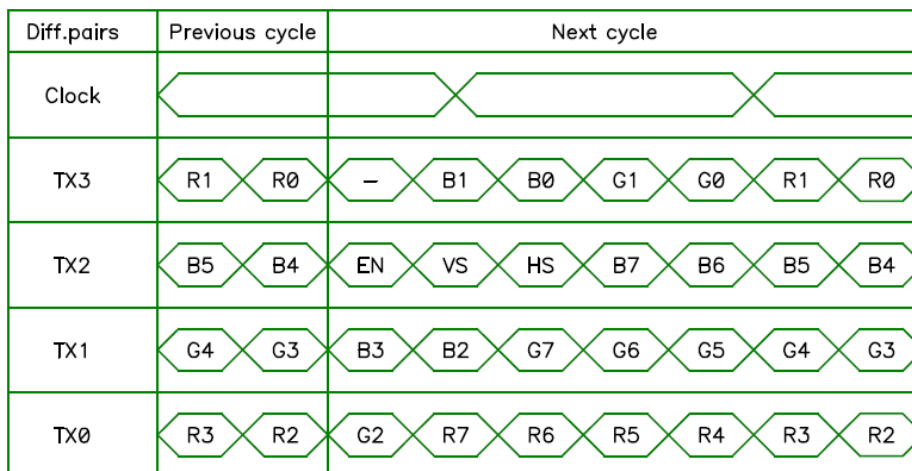
Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	+12 Volts	2	+12 Volts
3	+5 Volts	4	+5 Volts
5	EN	6	NC
7	GND	8	GND

LVDS Connector

Connector type: Hirose DF14 20-pin header, single row
Matching connector: Hirose DF14-20S-1.25C, part number 538-0059-7 00

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	SW-VDD	2	SW-VDD
3	GND	4	GND
5	TX3-	6	TX3+
7	GND	8	TXCLK-
9	TXCLK+	10	GND
11	TX2-	12	TX2+
13	GND	14	TX1-
15	TX1+	16	GND
17	TX0-	18	TX0+
19	DDC Clk	20	DDC Data

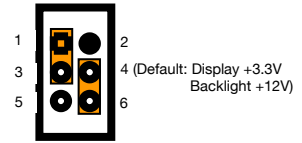
LVDS Color Mapping



Display Voltage Selector

Jumper X8

Connector type: IDC6 pin header 2.0 mm
Matching parts: 2.0 mm jumper



Use a 2 mm jumper between 1-3 or 3-5 to select the backlight voltage.

Use a 2 mm jumper between 2-4 or 4-6 to select the display voltage.

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	+12 volts	2	+5 volts
3	Backlight voltage	4	Display voltage
5	+ 5 volts	6	+3.3 volts

3.5 Compact Flash Connector

On the bottom side of the board a compact flash connector is located that allows the use of compact flash cards instead of a hard disk. This socket is connected to the chipset's EIDE port. As default it is defined as Master. Compact flash cards are available as solid-state disks starting at 16 Mbytes up to several Gbytes and also as IBM Micro Drives.

3.6 Ethernet Controller

Intel 82551IT Fast Ethernet Controller

The 82551IT is an evolutionary addition to Intel's family of 8255x controllers. It provides excellent performance by offloading TCP, UDP and IP checksums and supports TCP segmentation off-load for operations such as Large Send. The 82551IT provides an extended operating temperature in addition to all of the same capabilities and features as the 82551ER to address applications requiring a wider operating temperature range.

Its optimized 32-bit interface and efficient scatter-gather bus mastering capabilities enable the 82551IT to perform high speed data transfers over the PCI bus. This capability accelerates the processing of high level commands and operations, which lowers CPU utilization. Its architecture enables data to flow efficiently from the bus interface unit to the 3 KB Transmit and Receive FIFO's, providing the perfect balance between the wire and system bus. In addition, multiple priority queues are provided to prevent data underruns and overruns.

The 82551IT includes both a MAC and PHY. It also has a simple interface to the analog front end, which allows cost effective designs requiring minimal board real estate. The 82551IT is pin compatible with the 82559 family of controllers and is offered with software that provides backwards compatibility with previous 8255xER controllers.

Ethernet Interface

Connector type: IDC10 pin header 2.54 mm
Matching connector: IDC10 pin female connector 2.54 mm

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	TX+	2	TX-
3	RX+	4	PE
5	PE	6	RX-
7	PE	8	PE
9	nc	10	nc

3.7 On Board Power Supply

The on board power supply generates all necessary voltages from the single supply voltage of 5 volts. The generated 3.3 volts are available on the connectors "Flat Panel" and "LVDS".



Note *This 3.3 V must not be used to supply external electronic devices with power consumption above 3W like other PC/104 boards or displays.*

Power Connector

Connector type: 3.5" FDD Power connector
Matching connector: AMP / Tyco EI series, 171822-4

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	+5 Volts	2	GND
3	GND	4	+ 12 Volts

3.8 EIDE Port

An EIDE (Enhanced Integrated Drive Electronics) port is provided by the chipset to connect one drive. The connected device must be set as slave.

To enhance the performance, this port has a 100 MB/s IDE controller in UDMA mode per the ATA-5 specification. The EIDE port is available on a standard 44-pin header (2 mm) for 2.5" hard disks. An adapter cable is available to connect standard EIDE devices with a 40 pin IDC header.

EIDE Connector

Connector type: IDC44 pin header 2.0 mm
Matching connector: IDC44 pin female connector 2.0 mm

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	/Reset	2	GND
3	Data7	4	Data8
5	Data6	6	Data9
7	Data5	8	Data10
9	Data4	10	Data11
11	Data3	12	Data12
13	Data2	14	Data13
15	Data1	16	Data14
17	Data0	18	Data15
19	GND	20	NC
21	DRQ0	22	GND
23	Write	24	GND
25	Read	26	GND
27	Ready	28	CSEL
29	DACK0	30	GND
31	IRQ	32	IOCS16-
33	Address1	34	PD66
35	Address0	36	Address2
37	CS1	38	CS3
39	NC	40	GND
41	+5 Volts	42	+5 Volts
43	GND	44	GND

3.9 PS/2 Keyboard Interface

The keyboard interface is located on the IDC10 Header "KEYBOARD". An adapter cable is available to use a standard PS/2 keyboard with this connector.

Keyboard Connector

Connector type: IDC10 pin header 2.54 mm
Matching connector: IDC10 pin female connector 2.54 mm

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	Speaker	2	GND
3	Reset#	4	N.C.
5	KB Data	6	KB Clock
7	GND	8	VCKKB
9	Ext. Battery	10	Reset# (PWRRST#)

3.10 PS/2 Mouse Interface

The PS/2 mouse signals MCLK and MDAT are located on the IDC16 header "AUDIO". An adapter cable is available to use a standard PS/2 mouse with this connector.

Mouse Connector

Connector type: IDC16 pin header 2.54 mm
Matching connector: IDC16 pin female connector 2.54 mm

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	IRFX	2	IRFX
3	MS Data	4	MS Clock
5	USBDM0+	6	USBDM0-
7	USBDM1+	8	USBDM1-
9	USBVCC	10	USBGND
11	Line In L	12	Line In R
13	Line Out L	14	Line Out R
15	Microphone	16	GND Audio

3.11 USB 2.0 Ports

4 standard USB 2.0 host ports are provided at the with Cool RoadRunner-LX800. Two are located on the IDC16 header "AUDIO". An adapter cable is available to use a standard USB devices with this connector. The other two are located at the supervisory connector. There is no standard adapter available.

It is possible to use an USB keyboard under MSDOS without special driver software.



Note: Not all USB keyboard models are supported.

USB 2.0 Connector

Connector type: IDC16 pin header 2.54 mm
Matching connector: IDC16 pin female connector 2.54 mm

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	IRPX	2	IRPX
3	MS Data	4	MS Clock
5	USBDT0+	6	USBDT0-
7	USBDT1+	8	USBDT1-
9	USBVCC	10	USBGND
11	Line In L	12	Line In R
13	Line Out L	14	Line Out R
15	Microphone	16	GND Audio

3.12 Serial Ports

The serial ports are located on two IDC headers "COM1" and "COM2". Adapter cables with standard DB9 male connectors are available. The ports either work in RS232 or RS485 mode, selectable in the BIOS. When entering **Motherboard Device Configuration → LPC CARD I/O Device Configuration, COM Port 1 Mode** and **COM Port 2 Mode** can be selected. Termination resistors for RS485 Mode can be set with Jumpers on pin headers X12 and X24 as described below.

To enable the transmitters of COM1 and COM2 in RS485 mode set the RTS# signal to '1'. Depending on your operating system driver's logic, this may mean setting a (non-inverted) RTS bit to '0' in your application software.

The serial ports are programmable in BIOS setup. When entering **Motherboard Device Configuration → LPC CARD I/O Device Configuration**, configuration of the serial ports is accessible.

The following settings are possible for COM1 and COM2:

- Disabled
- 3F8 / IRQ4 (base address / interrupt channel)
- 2F8 / IRQ3 (base address / interrupt channel)
- 3E8 / IRQ4 (base address / interrupt channel)
- 2E8 / IRQ3 (base address / interrupt channel)

The modes can be switched between RS232 and RS485.

COM1/2 Connector

Connector type: IDC10 pin header 2.54 mm
Matching connector: IDC10 pin female connector 2.54 mm

Pin	RS232	RS485	Pin	RS232	RS485
1	DCD	<i>Not used</i>	2	DSR	RXD+
3	RXD	RXD-	4	RTS	TXD+
5	TXD	TXD-	6	CTS	<i>Not used</i>
7	DTR	<i>Not used</i>	8	<i>Not used</i>	<i>Not used</i>
9	GND	GND	10	+5 Volts	+5 Volts

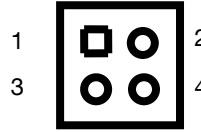
RS485-Termination Jumpers

Connector type: IDC4 pin header 2.0 mm
Matching part: 2.0 mm jumper

There are two jumpers, X12 for COM1, and X24 for COM2, respectively.

The RS485 termination jumpers are located at the bottom of the printed circuit board, see chapter 2.2

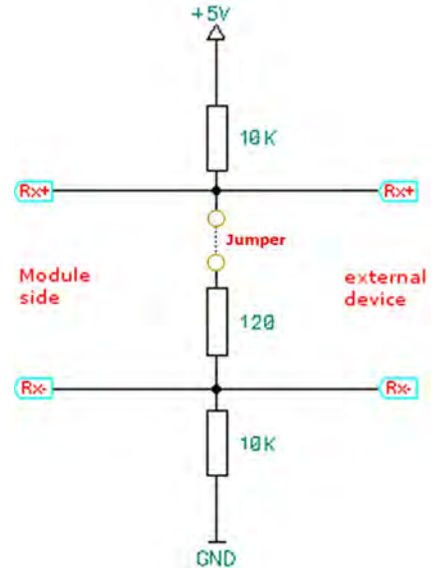
Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	TX+	2	TX-
3	RX+	4	RX-



When the jumper is set, the differential pairs (e.g. RX+ and RX-) are terminated with 120Ω between them.

Additionally, positive/negative receive lines are pulled up/down with 10kΩ to 5V/GND in order to protect the transceivers of the Cool RoadRunner-LX800 from overvoltage.

It is recommended to protect the ports of the external device in the same way!



Caution: Termination Resistors **must not** be used in RS232 Mode. Otherwise, the serial ports will not work.

3.13 IrDA Interface

The IrDA interface signals IRRX and IRTX are located on the USB/JJJJ/LKJL connector.

To use the IrDA interface an external transmitter must be connected to the IrDA signals.

Connector type: IDC16 pin header 2.54 mm
Matching connector: IDC16 pin female connector 2.54 mm

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	IRRX	2	IRTX
3	MS Data	4	MS Clock
5	USB D0+	6	USB D0-
7	USB D1+	8	USB D1-
9	USB VCC	10	USB GND
11	Line In L	12	Line In R
13	Line Out L	14	Line Out R
15	Microphone	16	SND Audio

3.14 Parallel Port LPT1

The parallel port is located on an IDC26 header. An adapter cable with a standard DB25 female connector is available.

The parallel port is programmable in BIOS. Entering **Motherboard Device Configuration → LPC CARD I/O Device Configuration**, configuration of LPT1 is accessible.

LPT1 Parameter	Possible Settings
Base Address	Disabled, 0x378 0x3BC and 0x278 are not recommended, because of a possible conflict with the PCI to ISA Bridge
Mode	Compatible, PS/2 Bi-directional, EPP 1.7, EPP 1.9
IRQ	Disabled, IRQ 5, IRQ 7, IRQ 9, IRQ 10, IRQ 11
DMA	None, Channel 1, Channel 3

LPT1 Connector X15

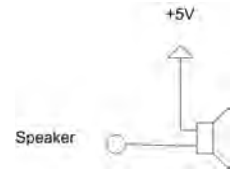
Connector type: IDC26 pin header 2.54 mm
Matching connector: IDC26 pin female connector 2.54 mm

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	Strobe#	2	Auto LF#
3	Data0	4	Error#
5	Data1	6	Init#
7	Data2	8	Select In
9	Data3	10	GND
11	Data4	12	GND
13	Data5	14	GND
15	Data6	16	GND
17	Data7	18	GND
19	ACK#	20	GND
21	Busy	22	GND
23	Paper End	24	GND
25	Select	26	+5V_SBY

3.15 Speaker

The speaker signal is located on the IDC10 Header "KEYBOARD". A standard PC Speaker can be connected between the signal SPEAKER and VCCKB.

Connector type: IDC10 pin header 2.54 mm
Matching connector: IDC10 pin female connector 2.54 mm



Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	Speaker	2	GND
3	Reset#	4	N.C.
5	KB Data	6	KB Clock
7	GND	8	VCCKB (+5V)
9	Ext. Battery	10	Reset# (PWRTN#)

3.16 Audio Interface

The audio signals are located on the IDC16 header "AUDIO". The signals are LINE-IN (left/right), LINE-OUT (left/right) and MICROPHONE-IN of the AC-97 audio codec.

There is an adapter cable available with standard audio connectors.

Connector type: IDC16 pin header 2.54 mm
Matching connector: IDC16 pin female connector 2.54 mm

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	IBRX	2	IBTX
3	MS Data	4	MS Clock
5	USB D0+	6	USB D0-
7	USB D1+	8	USB D1-
9	USB VCC	10	USB GND
11	Line In L	12	Line In R
13	Line Out L	14	Line Out R
15	Microphone	16	GND Audio

3.17 External Power-Button

The Power-Button signal is located on the IDC10 Header "KEYBOARD". To power up/down the board the signal Power-Button must be pulled to GND. It is not available in standard configuration.

Connector type: IDC10 pin header 2.54 mm
Matching connector: IDC10 pin female connector 2.54 mm

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	Speaker	2	GND
3	Reset#	4	N.C.
5	KB Data	6	KB Clock
7	GND	8	VCKB
9	Ext. Battery	10	Reset# (PWRBTN#)

3.18 Reset-In Signal

The RESET-IN signal is located on the IDC10 Header "KEYBOARD". To reset the board, the signal RESET-IN must be pulled to GND.

Connector type: IDC10 pin header 2.54 mm
Matching connector: IDC10 pin female connector 2.54 mm

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	Speaker	2	GND
3	Reset#	4	N.C.
5	KB Data	6	KB Clock
7	GND	8	VCKB
9	Ext. Battery	10	Reset# (PWRBTN#)

3.19 External Battery

The external battery is used to power the real-time clock and the CMOS RAM. Use a suitable 3.6V battery.

Connector type: IDC10 pin header 2.54 mm
Matching connector: IDC10 pin female connector 2.54 mm

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	Speaker	2	GND
3	Reset#	4	N.C.
5	KB Data	6	KB Clock
7	GND	8	VCKB
9	Ext. Battery	10	Reset# (PWRBTN#)

3.20 Supervisory Connector

The Cool RoadRunner-LX800 provides a 30-pin Supervisory Connector on its bottom side. The table below shows the assignment of the different signals.

(The secondary functions are available only with customized versions. Please ask for a quotation)

Connector type: Hirose DF14 30 pin header 1.25 mm, single row
Matching connector: Hirose DF14-30S-1.25C, Part number 538-0012-3 00

Pinout for Boards with serial numbers up to 4307.xxxxxx

Pin	Signal		Pin	Signal	
	Primary	Secondary		Primary	Secondary
1	+5 Volts		2	+3.3 Volts	
3	GPIO40	SMB CLK	4	GPIO41	SMB DATA
5	GPIO42	IDE LED ²	6	GPIO43	SBY LED ²
7	GPIO44	LIVE LED ²	8	N.C.	ACT_LED ²
9	N.C.	LINK LED ²	10	GPIO47	ETH SPD LED ²
11	PWM2 ⁴		12	PWM3 ⁴	
13	PWM4 ⁴		14	PWM5 ⁴	
15	AGND		16	N.C.	
17	N.C.		18	N.C.	
19	N.C.		20	N.C.	
21	N.C.		22	WD ACTIVE	PME# ³
23	VCCUSB2		24	USB2-	
25	USB2+		26	USBGND	
27	USB3-		28	USB3+	
29	USBVCC3		30	GND	

Notes:

- ⁽¹⁾ See chapter 4.3 about GPIO programming
- ⁽²⁾ Connect cathode of LED to this pin. An external resistor is required
- ⁽³⁾ Power Management Signal
- ⁽⁴⁾ See chapter 4.7 about PWM programming
- ⁽⁵⁾ See chapter 4.5 about ADC programming

Pinout for Boards with serial numbers starting from 4807.xxxxxx

Pin	Signal		Pin	Signal	
	Primary	Secondary		Primary	Secondary
1	+5 Volts		2	+3.3 Volts	
3	GPIO40		4	GPIO41	
5	GPIO42		6	GPIO43	SBY LED ²
7	GPIO44		8	N.C.	
9	N.C.		10	GPIO47	
11	PWM2 ⁴		12	PWM3 ⁴	
13	PWM4 ⁴		14	PWM5 ⁴	
15	SMB CLK		16	SMB DATA	
17	IDE LED ²		18	LIVE LED ²	
19	ACT_LED ²		20	LINK LED ²	
21	ETH SPD LED ²		22	WD ACTIVE	PME# ³
23	VCCUSB2		24	USB2-	
25	USB2+		26	USBGND	
27	USB3-		28	USB3+	
29	USBVCC3	USB HOST PSRNT	30	GND	

Notes:

- (1) See chapter 4.3 about GPIO programming
- (2) Connect cathode of LED to this pin. An external resistor is required
- (3) Power Management Signal
- (4) See chapter 4.7 about PWM programming
- (5) See chapter 4.5 about ADC programming

3.21 PC/104-Plus Bus Interface

The PC/104-Plus bus is a modification of the standard PCI bus. It allows all of the PC/104 features to be used, together with the high speed PCI bus.

The main features are:

- PC/104-Plus Bus slot, fully compatible with PCI version 2.2 specifications.
- Integrated PCI arbitration interface (32 bit wide, 3.3V).
- Translation of PCI cycles to ISA bus.
- Translation of ISA master initiated cycle to PCI.
- Support for burst read/write from PCI master.
- 33 MHz PCI clock.

Pin	A	B	C	D
1	GND	Reserved	+5 Volts	AD00
2	VI/O	AD02	AD01	+5 Volts
3	AD05	GND	AD04	AD03
4	C/BE0#	AD07	GND	AD06
5	GND	AD09	AD08	GND
6	AD11	VI/O	AD10	n.c.
7	AD14	AD13	GND	AD12
8	n.c.	C/BE1#	AD15	n.c.
9	SERR#	GND	n.c.	PAR
10	GND	PERR#	n.c.	n.c.
11	STOP#	n.c.	LOCK#	GND
12	n.c.	TRDY#	GND	DEVSEL#
13	FRAME#	GND	IRDY#	n.c.
14	GND	AD16	n.c.	C/BE2#
15	AD18	n.c.	AD17	GND
16	AD21	AD20	GND	AD19
17	n.c.	AD23	AD22	n.c.
18	IDSEL0	GND	IDSEL	IDSEL2
19	AD24	C/BE3#	VI/O	IDSEL3
20	GND	AD26	AD25	GND
21	AD29	+5 Volts	AD28	AD27
22	+5 Volts	AD30	GND	AD31
23	REQ0#	GND	REQ1#	VI/O
24	GND	REQ2#	+5 Volts	GNT0#
25	GNT1#	VI/O	GNT2#	GND
26	+5 Volts	CLK0	GND	CLK1
27	CLK2	+5 Volts	CLK3	GND
28	GND	INTD#	+5 Volts	RST#
29	+12 Volts	INTA#	INTB#	INTC#
30	-12 Volts	REQ3	GNT3	GND



Note: All VI/O pins are connected to +3.3V. The voltages +5V and +12V are not generated by the onboard power-supply but routed from the Power Supply Connector. This board does not support -12 Volts. The maximum current is limited to 1.0 amp for each voltage.

3.22 PC/104 Bus Interface

The PC/104 bus is a modification of the industry standard (ISA) PC bus specified in IEEE P996. The PC/104 bus has different mechanics than P966 to allow the stacking of modules. The main features are:

- Supports programmable extra wait state for ISA cycles
- Supports I/O recovery time for back-to-back I/O cycles

The following table shows the pin assignment of the PC/104 connector.



Note: -5 V and -12 V on the PC/104 connector are not supported on this board.

PC/104 Bus Connector

Pin	D	C
0	GND	GND
1	MEMCS16#	SBHE#
2	IOCS16#	LA23
3	IRQ10	LA22
4	IRQ11	LA21
5	IRQ12	LA20
6	IRQ15	LA19
7	IRQ14	LA18
8	DACK0#	LA17
9	DRQ0	MEMR
10	DACK5#	MEMW
11	DRQ5	SD8
12	DACK6#	SD9
13	DRQ6	SD10
14	DACK7#	SD11
15	DRQ7	SD12
16	+5V	SD13
17	MASTER#	SD14
18	GND	SD15
19	GND	GND

Pin	A	B
1	IOCHCK#	GND
2	D7	RSTDRV
3	D6	+5V <small>not used</small>
4	D5	IRQ9
5	D4	-5V
6	D3	DRQ2
7	D2	-12V <small>not used</small>
8	D1	ENDXFER
9	D0	+12V
10	IOCHRDY	KEY
11	AEN	SMEMW#
12	A19	SMEMR#
13	A18	IOW#
14	A17	IOR#
15	A16	DACK3#
16	A15	DRQ3
17	A14	DACK1#
18	A13	DRQ1
19	A12	REFRESH#
20	A11	SYSCLK
21	A10	IRQ7
22	A9	IRQ6
23	A8	IRQ5
24	A7	IRQ4
25	A6	IRQ3
26	A5	DACK2#
27	A4	TC
28	A3	BALE
29	A2	+5V
30	A1	OSC
31	A0	GND
32	GND	GND

4 Using the Module

4.1 BIOS

The Cool RoadRunner-LX800 is delivered with an Insyde Technology XpressROM BIOS. The default setting guarantees a "ready to run" system, even without a BIOS setup backup battery.

The BIOS is located in flash memory and can be easily updated on board with software under DOS.

All setup changes of the BIOS are stored in the CMOS RAM of the real time clock. A copy of the CMOS RAM, excluding date and time, is stored in the flash memory. This means that even if the backup battery runs out of power, the BIOS settings are not lost. Only date and time will be reset to their default value. Without an external battery, the on board GoldCap is able to buffer the date and time information for about 2 days.

Configuring the XpressROM BIOS

Pressing <F1> on power up starts the BIOS setup utility.

```
Insyde Technology XpressROM Setup
Version: RoadRunner-LX RRLX0010.BIN      (c)LiPPERT Built: 05/11/2009 15:04:49
----- Main Menu -----
A. Time 13:46:10
B. Date 11/02/2009

C. System Clock/PLL                      D. IDE and Floppy Drives
W. Power Management                      R. Serial and Parallel Ports
M. Miscellaneous                          U. Video and Flat Panel
I. ISA I/O and Memory                    P. PCI Bus
O. Boot Order                             T. Thermal and Watchdog

L. Load Defaults

S. Save Values Without Exit
Q. Exit Without Save
X. Save Values and Exit

Set the current time in the RTC
```

Field Selection

To move between fields in Setup, use the keys listed below:

Key	Function
→, ←, ↓, ↑	Move between fields
+, -	Selects next/previous values in fields
Enter	Go to the submenu for the field
Esc	To previous field then to exit menu

In order to save your settings, select **Save values and Exit** and confirm with Y. Should you want to discard everything, select **Exit Without Save**.

When troubleshooting a system, it is highly recommend to first restore the BIOS's factory settings before any debugging is done. This is achieved with **Load Defaults** in the main setup menu. If you cannot reach the BIOS setup, because of bad system configuration, reset the board five times for loading default values.

The **System Clock/PLL** menu allows configuring the multipliers for CPU clock and Geode Link (DDR RAM) clock. Base clock is 33MHz.

```

Insyde Technology XpressROM Setup
Version: RoadRunner-LX RRLX0010.BIN      (c)LiPPERT Built: 05/11/2009 15:04:49
----- System Clock/PLL Configuration -----

Clock Mode
  Clock Determined by: Manual settings

Manual PLL Settings
  CPU Multiplier: 15
  GeodeLink Multiplier: 10

33.3MHz * CPU multiplier = CPU speed
  
```



Note: CPU Multipliers above 15 (500Mhz) may seriously damage the CPU!

The **Drive Configuration** menu allows configuring the settings for the IDE controller.

```

Insyde Technology XpressROM Setup
Version: RoadRunner-LX RRLX0010.BIN      (c)LiPPERT Built: 05/11/2009 15:04:49
----- Drive Configuration -----

Hard Drive Configuration
  Primary ATA Controller: Enabled
  IDE BIOS Support: Enabled
  Map Slave HDD First: Disabled
  80-Conductor Cable Sense: GPIO 05
  DMA/UDMA BIOS Support: Enabled
  Force Mode for Drive 1: Auto
  Force Mode for Drive 2: Auto

Floppy BIOS Support: Disabled
  Force USB Floppy to Drive A: Enabled

CD-ROM Boot BIOS Support: Enabled

Enable/Disable ATA PCI header & legacy ATA descriptors
  
```

Hard Drive Setting	Choice
80-Conductor Cable Sense	GPIO05, NONE, Force 40, Force 80
Drive Modes	Auto, PIO0, PIO1, PIO2, PIO3, PIO4, MDMA0, MDMA1, MDMA2, UDMA0, UDMA1, UDMA2, UDMA3, UDMA4

Settings for serial and parallel ports can be made in *Serial and Parallel Port Configuration*.

```
Insyde Technology XpressROM Setup
Version: RoadRunner-LX RRLX0010.BIN      (c)LiPPERT Built: 05/11/2009 15:04:49
----- Serial and Parallel Port Configuration -----

Serial Port 1: 0x3F8, IRQ 4
Mode: RS232

Serial Port 2: 0x2F8, IRQ 3
Mode: RS232

Parallel Port: 0x378
Mode: Standard (SPP)
IRQ: IRQ 7
DMA: Channel 1

Configure the 1st LPC UART
```



Note: Do not forget the termination jumpers when switching to RS485 mode.

The *Power Management* menu gives control over supported power down modes.

```
Insyde Technology XpressROM Setup
Version: RoadRunner-LX RRLX0010.BIN      (c)LiPPERT Built: 05/11/2009 15:04:49
----- Power Management -----

Legacy BIOS PM at Boot: Disabled

Power Management APIs
APM Available: No
ACPI Available: Yes
S1 Clocks: Off (Least power)
P-State Limit: P1

Clock Gating
CPU Clock Gating: Enabled
Chipset Clock Gating: Enabled

Power Down Ethernet Chip at Boot: Disabled

BIOS will turn on Legacy PM before booting the OS.
```

Miscellaneous Configuration controls various other features.

```
Insyde Technology XpressROM Setup
Version: RoadRunner-LX RRLX0010.BIN      (c)LiPPERT Built: 05/11/2009 15:04:49
----- Miscellaneous Configuration -----

Splash Screen Configuration
  Splash Screen:      Enabled
  Clear Splash Screen: Enabled
  F1 Key Timeout:    2000

Summary Screen Configuration
  Summary Screen:    Enabled
  Summary Screen Timeout: 0

Power Button Configuration
  Power Button:     ACPI mode

PC Speaker Configuration
  AC Beeper:       Enabled

Enable/Disable display of splash screen
```

Enter *Graphics Configuration* for changing the display settings.

```
Insyde Technology XpressROM Setup
Version: RoadRunner-LX RRLX0010.BIN      (c)LiPPERT Built: 05/11/2009 15:04:49
----- Graphics Configuration -----

Internal Adaptor Mode: Disabled
  Graphics Memory: 24
  Output Display:  CRT
  Driver Controls Init: Disabled
  DOTPLL Bypass:   Disabled

Flat Panel Configuration
  Type:             LVDS
  Resolution:       800x600
  Data Bus Type:    9-24 bits, 1 PPC
  Refresh Rate:    60 Hz
  HSYNC Polarity:  Active low
  VSYNC Polarity:  Active low
  LF Active Period: Free running
  SHFLR Active Period: Free running

Mode for internal controller when an external video device is present.
```

ISA I/O and Memory Configuration allows setting the board's ISA memory and I/O map.

```
Insyde Technology XpressROM Setup
Version: RoadRunner-LX RRLX0010.BIN      (c)LiPPERT Built: 05/11/2009 15:04:49
ISA I/O and Memory Configuration

I/O Mapped to ISA
I/O Range 0: Enabled      Size: 128      Base Addr (A15-A0): 0x0100
I/O Range 1: Enabled      Size: 64       Base Addr (A15-A0): 0x0180
I/O Range 2: Enabled      Size: 32       Base Addr (A15-A0): 0x01C0
I/O Range 3: Enabled      Size: 128      Base Addr (A15-A0): 0x0200
I/O Range 4: Enabled      Size: 64       Base Addr (A15-A0): 0x0300
I/O Range 5: Enabled      Size: 32       Base Addr (A15-A0): 0x0340

Memory and DMA Mapped to ISA
Mem Range 0: Enabled      Size: 32K      Base Addr (A23-A0): 0x0C8000
Mem Range 1: Enabled      Size: 64K      Base Addr (A23-A0): 0x0D0000
Mem Range 2: Disabled     Size: 16K      Base Addr (A23-A0): 0x000000
Mem Range 3: Disabled     Size: 16K      Base Addr (A23-A0): 0x000000

DMA Channel 0: Enabled
DMA Channel 1: Disabled   DMA Channel 5: Enabled
DMA Channel 2: Disabled   DMA Channel 6: Enabled
DMA Channel 3: Enabled    DMA Channel 7: Enabled

Enable/Disable mapping selected I/O addresses to ISA
```

By default the following I/O and Memory Ranges are mapped to ISA and NOT accessible for other devices any more:

- I/O: Range-0: 100h-17Fh
- Range-1: 180h-1BFh
- Range-2: 1C0h-1DFh
- Range-3: 200h-27Fh
- Range-4: 300h-33Fh
- Range-5: 340h-35Fh

- Memory: Range-0: C8000h-CFFFFh
- Range-1: D0000h-DFFFFh

If a PCI device (e.g. on an external adapter) needs some of this ranges, the space has to be freed, because the system is NOT Plug and Play! Otherwise if an external ISA card needs additional I/O or Memory space, the above ranges need to be reconfigured.



Note: You need to know exactly the resources that are needed by external cards in order to setup the BIOS correctly! Otherwise it may happen that some cards do not work properly!

PCI Configuration allows settings for IRQ steering and various PCI devices.

```
Insyde Technology XpressROM Setup
Version: RoadRunner-LX RRLX0010.BIN      (c)LiPPERT Built: 05/11/2009 15:04:49
----- PCI Configuration -----

PCI Interrupt Steering
PCI INTA#: IRQ 10
PCI INTB#: IRQ 11
PCI INTC#: IRQ 5
PCI INTD#: IRQ 15

USB Settings
OHCI (USB 1.1):      Enabled
EHCI (USB 2.0):      Enabled
UDC (Device):        Disabled
UOC (Device):        Disabled
Overcurrent Reporting: Disabled
Port 4 Assignment:   Host

Audio Controller:    Enabled

Additional PCI Headers
GPIO, MFGPT, SMB:    Disabled

Enable/Disable INTA# to IRQ steering
```



Note: *If you have an external ISA card that needs e.g. IRQ 5, PCI Interrupt steering must be configured in a way that none of the PCI INTs is steered to IRQ 5. In this example it would be possible to steer PCI INTC# to IRQ 10.*

The **Boot Order** menu specifies the order in which the BIOS tries the various mass memory devices for a bootable operating system.

```
Insyde Technology XpressROM Setup
Version: RoadRunner-LX RRLX0010.BIN      (c)LiPPERT Built: 05/11/2009 15:04:49
----- Boot Order -----

Boot Order Configuration
1. Floppy Disk
2. Hard Drive
3. CD-ROM Drive
4. USB Floppy Disk
5. USB Hard Drive/Flash Drive
6. USB CD-ROM Drive

Network Boot
7. None
```

Some safety features can be found under *Thermal and Watchdog Configuration*.

```
Insyde Technology XpressROM Setup
Version: RoadRunner-LX RRLX0010.BIN      (c)LiPPERT Built: 05/11/2009 15:04:49
----- Thermal and Watchdog Configuration -----

Current Temperatures
Ambient Temperature: + 39°C
CPU Temperature:      + 42°C

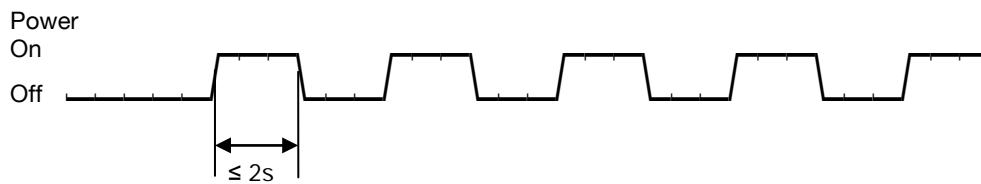
Emergency Overtemp Shutoff: Disabled
Ambient Temperature Limit: 95
CPU Temperature Limit: 110

Initial Watchdog Timeout: 0

Shut off power 3 s after temperatures exceed a limit below.
```

Trouble Shooting BIOS Settings

It may happen that the BIOS is configured in a way that the Cool RoadRunner-LX800 does not start at all. To repair this, the default values of the BIOS can be automatically loaded at boot time. To load these, the power must be switched on and off again within 2 seconds. This sequence must be repeated 5 times, then the default values get loaded by the BIOS.



Pressing the Reset-Button five times while the system is booting achieves the same result.

4.2 Drivers

Software drivers for sound, Ethernet, AES and graphics adapter are available for the Cool RoadRunner-LX800.

These drivers can be downloaded from LiPPERT's website <http://www.lippertembedded.com>.

Follow the installation instructions that come with the drivers.

4.3 Programming GPIO Signals

The Cool RoadRunner-LX800 general purpose I/O signals (GPIO) are part of the ITE8712 SuperIO. They are located in Logical Device 7 of the SuperIO and can be programmed using in/out statements on Index/Data registers 2Eh/2Fh. GPIOs 1x belong to GPIO set #1, GPIOs 2x to set #2 and so on, up to set #5. The following lines show an example how to program GPIO Bank 4.

The code is meant to be compiled using gcc under Linux.

```
#include <sys/io.h>
#include <stdio.h>

#define CONF_ADDR 0x2E
#define CONF_DATA 0x2F
#define GPIO_ADDR 0x1223

/*****
// InitGPIO: initialize GPIO Bank #4
// Parameter: mode: bit=1 -> set to GPIO
//             dir:  bit=1/0 -> set to output/input
//             (char = 8 bit)
// Returns: -
/*****
void InitGPIO(char mode,char dir)
{
    // To set the SuperIO into configuration mode, the sequence
    // 0x87, 0x01, 0x55, 0x55 must be written to the configuration address.
    outb(0x87, CONF_ADDR);
    outb(0x01, CONF_ADDR);
    outb(0x55, CONF_ADDR);
    outb(0x55, CONF_ADDR);
    // Enable Logical Device 7 for programming by writing 07h to
    // register 07h of the SuperIO:
    outb(7, CONF_ADDR);           //Set to logic device
    outb(7, CONF_DATA);          //Number of logic device
    // Set GPIO-Set 4 Multifunction Pin Selection Register 28 to GPIO function
    // and enable the "simple I/O" function
    // Input: mode - each set bit represents a GPIO function
    outb(0x28, CONF_ADDR);       // set bank #4 to GPIO
    outb(0xFF, CONF_DATA);       // BIT: 1=GPIO , 0=other function
    outb(0xC3, CONF_ADDR);       // set to simple I/O
    outb(mode, CONF_DATA);       // BIT: 1=simple I/O , 0=not simple I/O
    // Define the GPIO's data direction
    // Input: dir - each set bit represents an output
    outb(0xCB, CONF_ADDR);       // set direction: output/input
    outb(dir, CONF_DATA);        // BIT: 1=output, 0=input
    outb(0xBB, CONF_ADDR);       // enable pull-ups if acting as output
    outb(dir, CONF_DATA);        // BIT: 1=pull up, 0=no pull up
    // Set the logical I/O address 0x1223 for reading and writing values
    outb(0x62, CONF_ADDR);       //IO base MSB
    outb((GPIO_ADDR & 0xFF00) >> 8, CONF_DATA); // -> 0x03
    outb(0x63, CONF_ADDR);       //IO base LSB
    outb((GPIO_ADDR & 0x00FF), CONF_DATA); // -> 0x93
    // Reset configuration mode to "wait for Key"
    outb(0x02, CONF_ADDR);
    outb(0x02, CONF_DATA);
}

int main()
{
    char value1=0x55,value2;      //8 bit values
    iopl(3);                      //get all I/O rights
    InitGPIO(0xff,0xff);         //Initialize GPIO:
                                //set all to GPIO and all to output
    outb(value1, GPIO_ADDR);     //write out value1
    printf("Write=%x", value1);
    value2 = inb(GPIO_ADDR);     //read in value2
    printf(", Read=%x\n", value2);
    return 0;
}
```

For a more detailed description about programming the ITE8712 super I/O, please refer to chapter 8 of the datasheet.

4.4 Programming the Live-LED

The Live-LED (red) can be controlled with bit 5 of I/O port 1220h (SIO GP15). The BIOS signals with it that the POST is in progress. After that the LED may be freely used by any application program. The following Linux program changes the state of the Live-LED.

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <sys/io.h>

#define PORT 0x1220
#define MASK 0x20

int main()
{
    unsigned char data;
    if (iopl(3)) {          //get port access permissions (must be root)
        perror("iopl"); return 1;
    }

    data = inb(PORT);      //read GPIOs
    if (data & MASK) {     //isolate LED bit (inverse logic!)
        printf("Live LED was off, switching it on.\n");
        outb(data & ~MASK, PORT);
    } else {
        printf("Live LED was on, switching it off.\n");
        outb(data | MASK, PORT);
    }

    iopl(0);
    return 0;
}
```

4.5 Watchdog Programming

Since the Watchdog is disabled in delivery status, it must be set up for proper use.

The Watchdog is an internal feature of the ITE8712 Super I/O. If the Watchdog is activated and the timer is not set back within a programmed amount of time, the board does a system reset. In order to read back the watchdog event read bit 4 of I/O port 1220h (SIO GP14). This bit is set on watchdog timeout and can only be reset by a power off.

The following C program is an example how to test the Watchdog function. Programming the Watchdog is quite similar to programming the GPIOs.

This routine is meant to be compiled using gcc under Linux.

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <sys/io.h>
#include <unistd.h>

#define CONF_ADDR 0x2E
#define CONF_DATA 0x2F

int main()
{
    unsigned char i;
    iopl(3);
    outb(0x87, CONF_ADDR); // sets SIO in configuration mode (fixed sequence:
    outb(0x01, CONF_ADDR); // 0x87,0x01,0x55,0x55)
    outb(0x55, CONF_ADDR);
    outb(0x55, CONF_ADDR);
    outb(0x07, CONF_ADDR); // LDN=0x07
    outb(0x07, CONF_DATA);
    outb(0x72, CONF_ADDR); // set time out value to seconds
    outb(inb(CONF_DATA)|0x80, CONF_DATA);
    outb(0x73, CONF_ADDR); //set time out:
    outb(0x03, CONF_DATA); //0x03 -> 3 seconds
    printf("Watchdog enabled. Press CTRL+C within 5 seconds to stop disarming.\n");
    for(i=0; i<5; i++)
    {
        outb(0x73, CONF_ADDR); //reset time out
        outb(0x03, CONF_DATA);
        printf(".");
        fflush(stdout);
        sleep(1);
    }
    outb(0x73, CONF_ADDR);
    outb(0x00, CONF_DATA); //deactivate watchdog
    printf("\nWatchdog disabled\n");
    iopl(0);
    return 0;
}
```

4.6 Reading Temperatures

There are temperature sensors available that allow measurement of the CPU's chip temperature as well as the board's ambient temperature. These are shown in the BIOS setup screens, see above.

This example is meant to be compiled using gcc under Linux.

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#include <sys/io.h>

#define LPC_INDEX 0x295
#define LPC_DATA 0x296

int main()
{
    char cputemp = 0;
    char ambtemp = 0;

    iopl(3);

    /****** needed with BIOS prior version 7 *****/
    outb(0x51,LPC_INDEX); //thermal diode mode
    outb(0x03,LPC_DATA);
    outb(0x5C,LPC_INDEX); //unlock offset regs
    outb(0x80,LPC_DATA);
    outb(0x56,LPC_INDEX); //offset adjustment CPU
    outb(0x70,LPC_DATA);
    outb(0x57,LPC_INDEX); //offset adjustment Ambient
    outb(0x3C,LPC_DATA);
    outb(0x5C,LPC_INDEX); //lock offset regs
    outb(0x00,LPC_DATA);
    /******

    printf("Press CTRL+C to cancel!\nCPU AMBIENT\n");
    while(1)
    {
        outb( 0x29,LPC_INDEX); //read out CPU temp
        cputemp = inb(LPC_DATA);
        outb( 0x2A,LPC_INDEX); //read out Ambient temp
        ambtemp = inb(LPC_DATA);
        printf("%3d %3d\r", cputemp, ambtemp); //printout to the screen
        fflush(stdout);
        sleep(1);
    }
    return 0;
}
```

4.7 Handling of PWM Outputs

Programming the PWM outputs works the same way as using GPIOs.

Enter configuration mode and switch to logical device 7 (via 2Eh/2Fh).

Enable PWM outputs by setting

- Bit 6 of register 27h to '0' (SIO_PWM2)
- Bit 1 of register 29h to '0' (SIO_PWM3)
- Bits 3 and 4 of register 2Ch to '1' (SIO_PWM4+5)

Enable channels 1-3 by programming the following registers via LPC-Bus (295h/296h):

- Bits 2,1 and 0 of register 13h to '1'
- Bits 2,1 and 0 of register 14h to '1'

Set the global frequency by programming bits 6-4 of register 14h via LPC-Bus (295h/296h):

Bits 6, 5, 4	PWM frequency
000	375.000 KHz
001	187.500 KHz
010	93.750 KHz
011	62.500 KHz
100	46.875 KHz
101	23.430 KHz
110	11.700 KHz
111	5.870 KHz

Set Bit 3 of register 14h to '0' to allow duty cycles between 0...100%. ($PWM/128*100\%$)

Duty cycles can be set different for each PWM channel by programming an 8 Bit value to registers 16h for channel 2, 17h for channel 3, 88h for channel 4 and 89h for channel 5.

5 Address Maps

This section describes the layout of the CPU memory and I/O address spaces.



Note Depending on enabled or disabled functions in the BIOS, other or more resources may be used

5.1 Memory Address Map

Address range (dec)	Address range (hex)	Size	Description
1024K - 16384K	100000 - FFFFFFFF	15360K	Extended memory
896K - 1024K	E0000 - FFFFFF	128K	System BIOS
800K - 896K	C8000 - DFFFFF	96K	Mapped to ISA (default)
768K - 800K	C0000 - C7FFF	32K	Graphics BIOS
736K - 768K	B8000 - BFFFF	32K	Color text memory
704K - 736K	B0000 - B7FFF	32K	Monochrome text memory
640K - 704K	A0000 - AFFFF	64K	Graphics memory
639K - 640K	9FC00 - 9FFFF	1K	EBDA
0K - 639K	0 - 9FBFF	639K	Conventional memory

5.2 I/O Address Map

The system chip set implements a number of registers in I/O address space. These registers occupy the following map in the I/O space:

Address range (hex)	Description
0000 - 000F	DMA controller
0020 - 0021	Programmable interrupt controller
002E - 002F	Super I/O
0040 - 0043	System timer
0048 - 004B	System timer
0060 - 0060	Keyboard
0061 - 0061	System speaker
0064 - 0064	Keyboard
0070 - 0073	System CMOS / Real-time clock
0080 - 008F	DMA controller
0092 - 0092	System
00A0 - 00A1	Programmable interrupt controller
00C0 - 00DF	DMA controller
00F0 - 00FF	Numeric coprocessor
0100 - 017F	*PCI-ISA bridge positive decode range 1 (default)
0180 - 01BF	*PCI-ISA bridge positive decode range 2 (default)
01C0 - 01DF	*PCI-ISA bridge positive decode range 3 (default)
01F0 - 01FF	*IDE controller
0200 - 027F	*PCI-ISA bridge positive decode range 4 (default)
0279 - 0279	(ISA-PnP data port)
0290 - 0297	Environment controller
0298 - 029B	PME direct access
02F8 - 02FF	*Serial port 2
0300 - 033F	*PCI-ISA bridge positive decode range 5 (default)
0340 - 035F	*PCI-ISA bridge positive decode range 6 (default)
0378 - 037F	*Parallel port
03B0 - 03BA	VGA
03C0 - 03DF	VGA
03F0 - 03F7	(Floppy controller)
03F8 - 03FF	*Serial port 1
0480 - 048F	DMA controller
04D0 - 04D1	Programmable interrupt controller
0A79 - 0A79	(ISA-PnP data port)
0CF8 - 0CFF	PCI config space
1220 - 1227	Simple-I/O
1228 - 122F	SPI flash
1390 - 13FF	*DDMA controller
AC1C - AC1F	VSA

* Item can be moved or disabled in BIOS Setup

5.3 Interrupts

IRQ	System Resource
0	Timer
1	Keyboard
2	(Secondary interrupt controller)
3	Serial port 2
4	Serial port 1
5	PCI INTC#
6	(not used)
7	Parallel port
8	Real-time clock
9	ACPI (Environment controller)
10	PCI INTA# (Graphics, Ethernet, AES)
11	PCI INTB# (Audio, misc. CS5536)
12	PS/2 mouse
13	Numeric coprocessor
14	Primary IDE channel
15	PCI INTD# (USB)



Note Depending on the BIOS settings, it is possible to reserve several IRQs for the PC/104 or Mini PCI bus

5.4 DMA Channels

DMA	Data width	System Resource
0	8 bits	Available
1	8 bits	Parallel port (ECP mode)
2	8 bits	Available
3	8 bits	Available
4		Reserved, Cascade Channel
5	16 bits	Available
6	16 bits	Available
7	16 bits	Available

5.5 PC/104 Bus Address Space

The PC/104 bus address space mapping can be changed in the BIOS setup. The table shows the factory default values. None of these ranges is used by any on-board devices so they all may be changed at will.

Range	Start Address	End Address	Size	Description
I/O 0	100	17F	128 bytes	IT8712 Positive Decode I/O Range 1
I/O 1	180	1BF	64 bytes	IT8712 Positive Decode I/O Range 2
I/O 2	1C0	1DF	32 bytes	IT8712 Positive Decode I/O Range 3
I/O 3	200	27F	128 bytes	IT8712 Positive Decode I/O Range 4
I/O 4	300	33F	64 bytes	IT8712 Positive Decode I/O Range 5
I/O 5	340	35F	32 bytes	IT8888 Positive Decode I/O Range 6
Mem 0	C8000	CFFFF	32 Kbytes	Memory mapped to ISA
Mem 1	D0000	DFFFF	64 Kbytes	Memory mapped to ISA
Mem 2			-	Disabled
Mem 3			-	Disabled

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Appendix B, Additional Information

B.1 Additional Reading

AMD Geode™ LX Processors Data Book

AMD Geode™ CS5536 Companion Device Data Book

Datasheet LPC interface Winbond 83627HF, available at <http://www.winbond.com>

B.2 PC/104 and PC/104-Plus Specifications

A copy of the latest PC/104 and PC104-Plus specifications can be obtained from the PC/104 Consortium's website at <http://www.pc104.org>

Appendix C, Getting Help

Should you have technical questions that are not covered by the respective manuals, please contact our support department at support@lippertembedded.com.

Please allow one working day for an answer!

Technical manuals as well as other literature for all LiPPERT products can be found in the *Products* section of LiPPERT's website www.lippertembedded.com. Simply locate the product in question and follow the link to its manual.

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Appendix D, Revision History

Filename	Date	Edited by	Change
TME-104P-CRR_LX800-R0V0	2006-10-20	OF	Draft
TME-104P-CRR_LX800-R0V1	2006-11-28	OF	Corrected pinout of LVDS connector, added pinout of KB connector.
TME-104P-CRR_LX800-R0V2	2006-11-20	PK	New document structure and layout
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R1V0	2007-02-27	PK	BIOS screens corrected Super-I/O programming ISA mapping added
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R1V1	2007-06-23	PK	Supervisory connector corrected
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R1V2	2007-10-08	CS	Ch. 3.5: CF description corrected Ch. 3.8: EIDE description corrected
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R1V3	2007-10-17	PK	Ch. 3.17: LED description improved Ch. 1.3: Inrush current specified MTBF specified
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R1V4	2007-10-24	PK	Ch. 3.4: VGA connector added Appendix C inserted
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R1V5	2007-11-30	MS PK	New code examples Chapter "LED indicators" moved
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R1V6	2007-12-07	PK	LPT connector, pin 26 corrected
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R1V7	2008-01-20	PK	BIOS default loading: description streamlined
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R1V8	2008-06-04	OF JR	Supervisory pinout, ISA-bus, Live-LED, RS485, ACPI with Linux, various minor changes and typos
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R1V9	2008-08-11	PK	New chapter 3.19: External Battery
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R1V10	2009-02-17	CS OF MS	Ch. 4.1 BIOS screen shots updated Ch. 4.1 Table updated Watchdog programming example corrected Help links corrected
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R2V0	2009-03-12	OF	Inrush current corrected Power supply recommendation corrected Max. current drawn from 3.3V specified Several typos corrected
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R2V1	2009-03-19	OF	Corrected suggestion for ext. battery
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R2V2	2009-03-31	MF	Corrected USB +/- signals on supervisory connector
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R2V3	2009-05-27	JR	Added Live-LED example Corrected address maps
TME-104P-CRR_LX800R2V4	2009-11-10	OF	Added LVDS color map BIOS description adapted to RRLX0010.BIN
TME-104P-CRR_LX800-R2V5	2009-11-26	JR	Ch. 5.2: RRLX0012.BIN moved SPI and DDMA I/O ranges
TME-104P-CRR_LX800-R2V6	2010-03-03	OF	Corrected pinout of PC/104
TME-104P-CRR_LX800-R2V7	2010-07-29	MS	Matching parts / connectors added Ch. 3.14 LPT port corrected
TME-104P-CRR_LX800-R2V8	2011-11-08	MF	Number of available GPIOs corrected to 6