

**AEC-7722/AEC-7726H/Q
ARS-2100/2100Q/ARS-2120
ARS-2000LFS/ARS-2000LHS
LVD SCSI-to-IDE Bridges**



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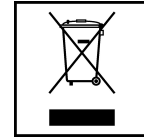


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Chapter 1 About SCSIIDE®

1.1 Revolutionary Technology

SCSIDE® is a revolutionary new technology developed by ACARD Technology Corp. It can not only transform IDE data into SCSI type, but also save the expenditures. Through this technology any cheap IDE device can have high-performance SCSI applications. The following examples are merely a little portion of SCSIIDE® applications.

1. To transform an IDE hard disk into an external SCSI one for notebook and desktop PC users to back up data.
2. To transform an IDE CD-ROM or CD-R/RW into a SCSI one. It is an unprecedented technology.
3. To transform your favorite IDE DVD-ROM, DVD-RAM/R, DVD-R/RW or DVD+R/RW into an LVD SCSI one.
4. To daisy chain multiple SCSIIDE® DVD-ROMs to create a DVD-ROM server.
5. To transform a DMA 66/100/133 hard disk of 5400rpm or 7200rpm into a SCSI one for PC workstations, servers and even Unix workstations and servers.

The basic structure of SCSIIDE® is a “System On Chip” which highly integrates multiple CPUs. This SOC design is resulting from ACARD’s years of experiences in the design of IDE, SCSI and RISC CPU chips. The block diagram on the next page shows that SOC has multiple CPUs. Its ROM, RAM, DMA controllers and external ROM interface can be used as the firmware upgrade of flash ROM. In ACARD’s technologies there is a perfect firmware design as well. It makes the transformation of IDE to SCSI really “plug and play”. The firmware has been tested on many kinds of IDE DMA66 /100/133 HDDs, CD-ROMs and DVD-ROMs. No matter your IDE device is an ATA hard disk or DVD-ROM, you all can plug it and

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enjoy the advantages of SCSI. With the intelligent firmware design, you don't need to install a driver into the operating system so as to use SCSIIDE® products. In the operating system it is just a SCSI device.

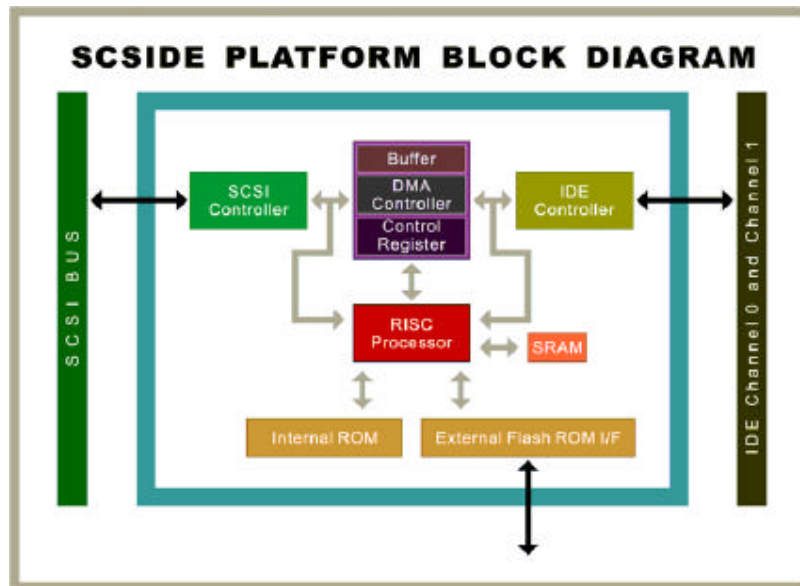


Figure 1-1

1.2 SCSIIDE® Design

The objectives of SCSIIDE® design are given as follows:

1. Reduce the expenses of SCSI by using a cheap IDE device.
2. Create applications like SCSI CD-ROM, high SCSI DVD-ROM, etc.
3. Apply "plug and play" to the transformation of IDE device to SCSI one. It is not necessary to install a driver.

Welcome to be a new member of SCSIIDE® and have a good time.

Chapter 2 Introduction

2.1 Overview

Thank you for purchasing AEC-7722, AEC-7726H/Q, ARS-2100/2100Q, ARS-2120, ARS-2000LFS or ARS-2000LHS SCSI-IDE Bridge. You must feel the bridge's attraction in the high-tech industries worldwide after using it. Through the SCSI-IDE Bridge, you can turn a cheap IDE interface into a SCSI one. The on-board core microcontroller developed by ACARD makes the bridge more flexible, more stable in high level applications. AEC-7722 supports DVD drives. AEC-7726H/Q, ARS-2100/2100Q, ARS-2120 and ARS-2000LFS support 3.5" IDE hard drives. ARS-2000LHS supports 2.5" IDE notebook hard drives. All the devices are easily connected to SCSI bus.

2.2 Features

1. AEC-7722 and AEC-7726H/Q have the following features:

- The built-in RISC CPU, SCSI, IDE controllers and interfaces on the chip.
- The synchronous transfer rate of SCSI host interface is 80MB/sec in AEC-7722 and 160MB/sec in AEC-7726H/Q.
- The full support of SCSI target features.
- The programmable IDE access modes, including
 - PIO mode 0, 1, 2, 3, 4
 - Multiword DMA mode 0, 1, 2
 - Ultra DMA mode 0~5 (transfer rate is 66MB/sec in AEC-7722 and 133MB/sec in AEC-7726H/Q).
- The on-board flash ROM is easy to update firmware.

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2. ARS-2100/2100Q, ARS-2120, ARS-2000LFS and ARS-2000LHS have the following features:

- Easy to install.
- On-chip high speed ACARD RISC microcontroller.
- The transfer rate of LVD SCSI interface up to 160MB/sec.
- Supports ATA 66/100/133 HDD.
- The on-board flash ROM is easy to update firmware.
- Supports cross-platform operating systems like Windows 98/ME/NT/2000/XP, Linux, Mac and Sun.
- Selectable SCSI ID from 0 to 15.
- Supports two IDE hard drives in JBOD or Normal mode (ARS-2120 only).

In addition, ARS-2000LFS and ARS-2000LHS are highly efficient in system's I/O performance.

2.3 Details

2.3.1 Package

Check the following items after opening the package:

- AEC-7722, AEC-7726H/Q, ARS-2100/2100Q, ARS-2120, ARS-2000LFS or ARS-2000LHS.
- Y-splitter power cord (except ARS-2000LHS).
- AEC-67160 SCSI adapter (optional).
- 4 screws for ARS-2000LFS or ARS-2000LHS.
- User's manual.

2.3.2 Specifications

◆ **AEC-7722**

Environment:

Temperature 0 °C to 50 °C for operation
 -20 °C to 85 °C for storage

Humidity 15% to 90%

Dimension: L 12 cm
 W 3.5 cm
 H 2.5 cmm

◆ **AEC-7726H/Q**

Environment:

Temperature 0 °C to 50 °C for operation
 -20 °C to 85 °C for storage

Humidity 15% to 90%

Dimension: L 9.8 cm
 W 4 cm
 H 2.3 cm

◆ **ARS-2100/2100Q/ARS-2120**

Environment:

Temperature 0 °C to 50 °C for operation
 -20 °C to 85 °C for storage

Humidity 15% to 90%

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Dimension L 11.5 cm
 W 7.1 cm
 H 2 cm

◆ ARS-2000LFS

Environment:

Temperature 0° C to 50° C for operation
 –20° C to 85° C for storage

Humidity 15% to 90%

Dimension: L 13.8 cm
 W 10.2 cm
 H 1.3 cm

◆ ARS-2000LHS

Environment:

Temperature 0° C to 50° C for operation
 –20° C to 85° C for storage

Humidity 15% to 90%

Dimension: L 13.8 cm
 W 10.2 cm
 H 2.4 cm

2.3.3 Outlines

1. AEC-7722

- CN1--- 68-pin female SCSI connector.
- CN2 --- 40-pin female IDE connector.
- CN3 --- 4-pin power connector.
- JP1 --- Refer to Figure 3-16 on page 33.
- JP2 --- Refer to Figure 3-17 on page 33.

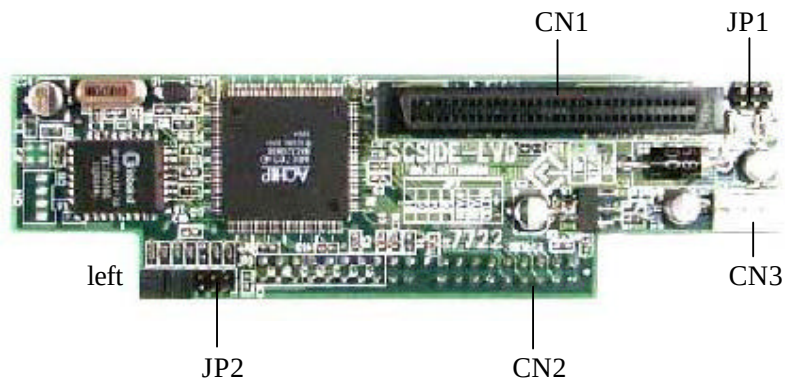


Figure 2-1

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2. AEC-7726H/Q

- CN1 --- 68-pin female SCSI connector.
- CN2 --- 40-pin female IDE connector.
- CN3 --- 4-pin power connector.
- JP1 --- Refer to Figure 3-18 on page 34.

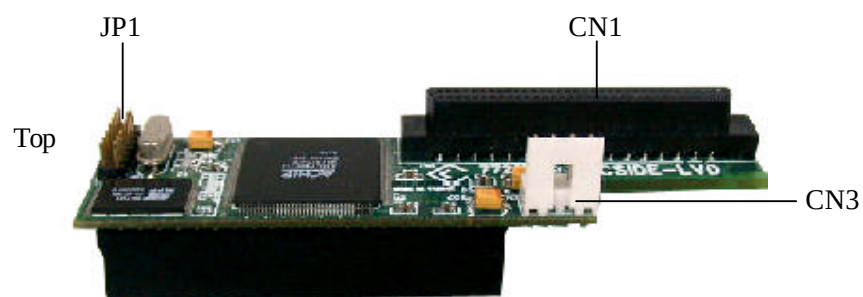


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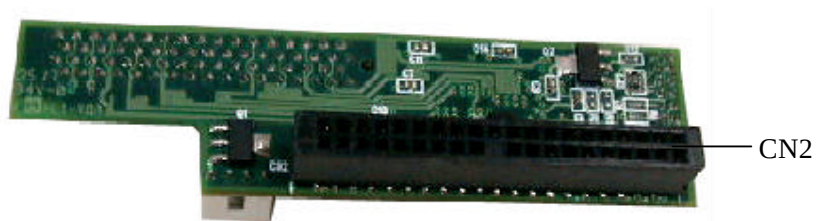


Figure 2-2b

3. ARS-2100/2100Q

- CN1 --- 68-pin female SCSI connector.
- CN2 --- 40-pin female IDE connector.
- CN3 --- 4-pin power connector.
- SW1 --- Refer to Figure 3-19 on page 34.
- LED1 (Green) --- for indicating power.
- LED2 (Red) --- for indicating operation.

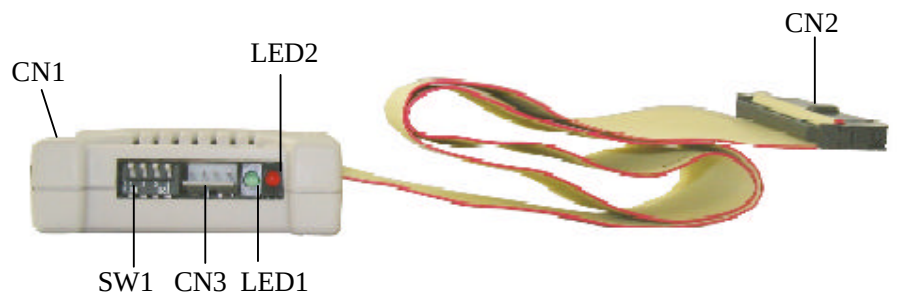


Figure 2-3

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4. ARS-2120

- CN1 --- 68-pin female SCSI connector.
- CN2 --- 40-pin female IDE connector (Slave).
- CN3 --- 40-pin female IDE connector (Master).
- CN4 --- 4-pin power connector.
- SW1 --- Refer to Figure 3-20 on page 35.
- SW2 --- Refer to Figure 3-21 on page 35.

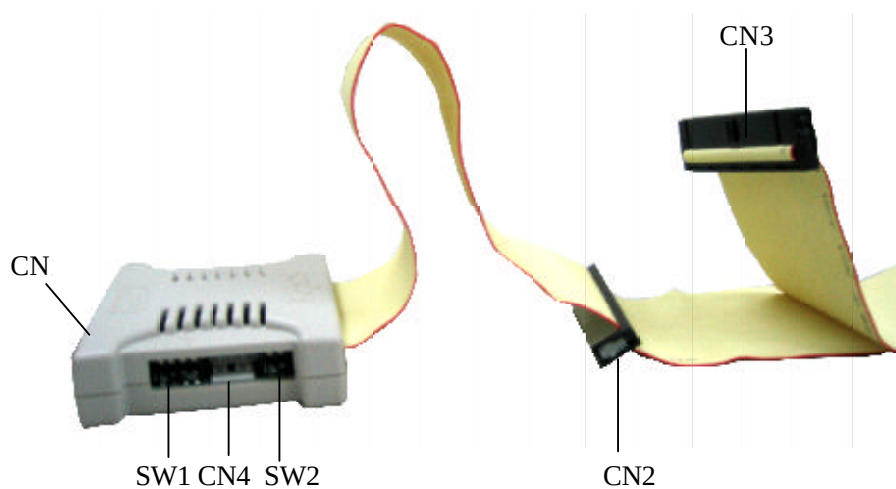


Figure 2-4

5. ARS-2000LFS

- CN1 --- 68-pin female SCSI connector.
- CN2 --- 40-pin female IDE connector.
- CN3 --- 4-pin power connector, for supplying power to HDD.
- CN4 --- 4-pin power connector, for supplying power to the bridge.
- JP1 --- Refer to Figure 3-22 on page 36.
- SW1 --- Refer to Figure 3-23 on page 36

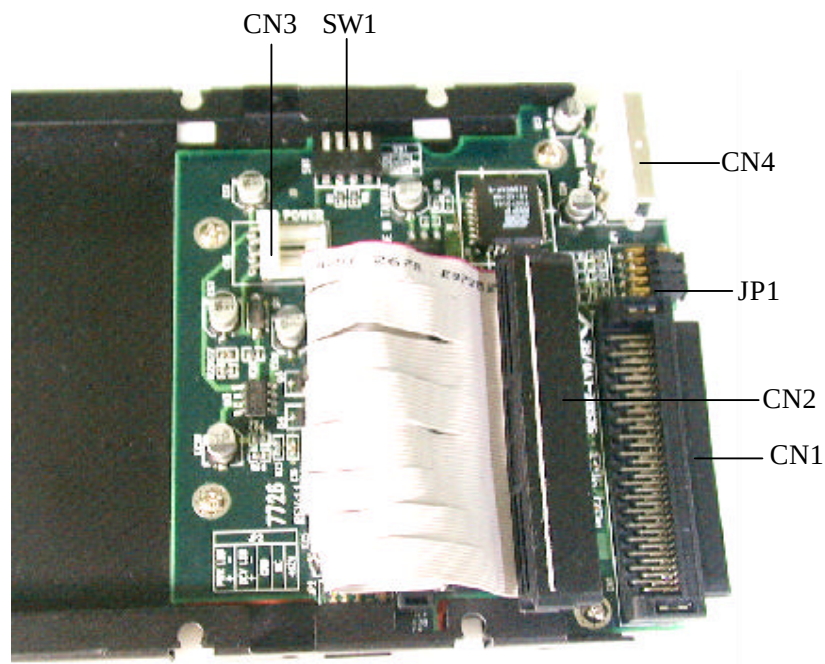


Figure 2-5

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6. ARS-2000LHS

- CN1 --- 68-pin female SCSI connector.
- CN5 --- 44-pin female IDE connector.
- CN4 --- 4-pin power connector, for supplying power to the bridge.
- JP1 --- Refer to Figure 3-24 on page 37.
- SW1 --- Refer to Figure 3-25 on page 37.

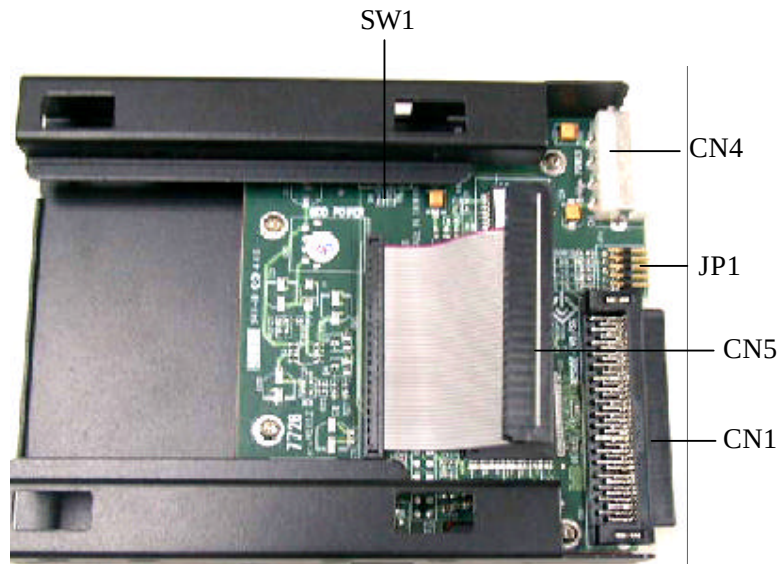


Figure 2-6

Chapter 3 Hardware Installation

Hardware installation includes two parts. The first part is the installation of SCSI adapter like AEC-67160. The second part is the installation of AEC-7722 or AEC-7726H/Q, etc. Yet, you have to set jumpers at first (see page 33-37).

If your old hard drive contains an OS, you had better partition and install the OS again. In DOS and Windows it is all right without installing anew, but the different commands on the SCSI adapter and IDE controller will result in read/write errors. Therefore, after installation regard the IDE hard drive as a brand-new one.

3.1 Installing AEC-67160

Refer to the manual of AEC-67160 to install the driver before installing the SCSI adapter. If the driver on the CD is not the newest version, you need to download it from Internet onto a floppy, and then install it into your computer. The Web site of ACARD is <http://www.acard.com>.

Insert the PCI edge connector of SCSI adapter firmly into PCI slot so as to connect other devices internally or externally.

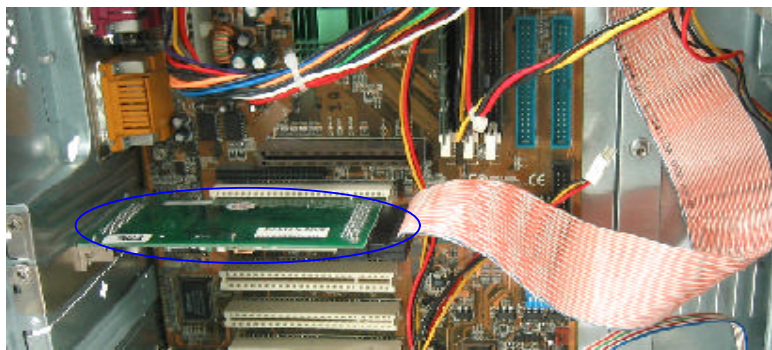


Figure 3-1

3.2 Compatibility

3.2.1 Supported DVD-ROMs

AEC-7722 is particularly designed for DVD drive. It has been tested, and perfectly supports every major kind of DVD-ROM/DVD writer with different generation and speed. It supports the following brands.

- AOPEN
- ASUS
- Liteon
- Panasonic
- Pioneer
- RICOH
- Sony
- TEAC
- LG
- HP
- NEC
- Plextor
- SANYO
- MATSUSHITA

3.2.2 Supported SCSI Adapters

Through AEC-7722 an IDE DVD drive can be transformed into a SCSI one, but most CD recording software still regards it as an IDE one . Thus the recording software will send 12-byte IDE commands. **Only a special SCSI adapter such as AEC-67160 can solve the problem.**

3.2.3 Supported Recording Software

In order to make an IDE DVD writer work stably and normally after being transformed into a SCSI one, it needs not only a SCSI adapter, but also fine recording software like the following ones.

- ACARD Ha! CD Burner (+DVD)
- Nero Burning Rom

3.2.4 Supported HDDs

AEC-7726H/Q, ARS-2100/ARS-2100Q, ARS-2120 and ARS-2000LFS are designed for 3.5" HDD. ARS-2000LHS is for 2.5" DMA HDD. They have been tested, and support the following brands.

3.5" HDD

- IBM HDD
- MAXTOR HDD
- SEAGATE HDD
- WESTERN DIGITAL HDD

2.5" HDD

- IBM HDD
- Fujitsu HDD

3.3 Installing AEC-7722

3.3.1 5.25" DVD-ROM

AEC-7722 is designed to meet 5.25" DVD-ROMs or DVD writers. Extra accessories are not needed in installation.

3.3.2 Internal Power Connection

The large connector of the Y-splitter power cord is for most IDE devices while the small one for AEC-7722.



Figure 3-2

3.3.3 Cable Connection

Before connecting AEC-7722 to a DVD drive, you should tell the SCSI connector from the IDE one. On the bridge the 68-pin connector is for SCSI adapter while the 40-pin one for IDE device. There is a new SCSI cable in the package of SCSI adapter (optional). Connect it to AEC-7722.

1. Find out pin 1 of CN2 on AEC-7722.
2. Find out pin 1 of the connector on the IDE DVD drive.
3. Parallel these two connectors by pin 1 to pin 1 and connect them.
4. Find out the colored pin 1 of the connector on one end of SCSI cable, and connect to the SCSI adapter.
5. Find out pin 1 of CN1 on AEC-7722.
6. Find out the colored pin 1 of the connector on the other end of SCSI cable, and connect to CN1 of AEC-7722.

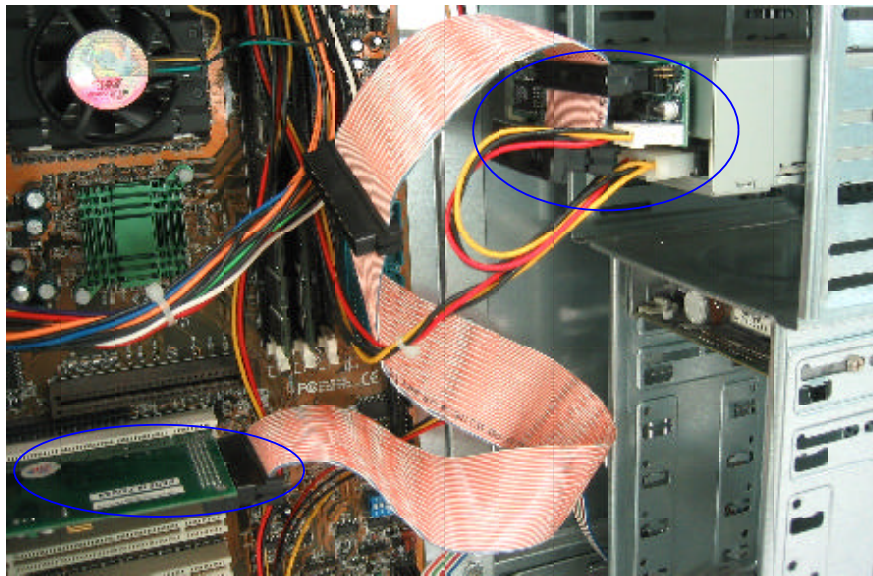


Figure 3-3

3.4 Installing AEC-7726H/Q

3.4.1 3.5" HDD

AEC-7726H/Q is designed for ATA hard drive. Extra accessories aren't needed.

3.4.2 Internal Power Connection

There are two kinds of internal power connectors providing power to the IDE device and AEC-7726H/Q circuit board separately. The large connector of the Y-splitter power cord is for most IDE devices while the small one for AEC-7726H/Q.



Figure 3-4

3.4.3 Cable Connection

Before connecting AEC-7726H/Q to a hard drive, you should tell the SCSI connector from the IDE one. On the bridge the 68-pin connector is for SCSI adapter while the 40-pin one for IDE device. There is a new SCSI cable in the package of SCSI adapter (optional). Connect it to AEC-7726H/Q.

1. Find out pin 1 of CN2 on AEC-7726H/Q.
2. Find out pin 1 of the connector on the IDE hard drive.
3. Parallel these two connectors by pin 1 to pin 1 and connect them.
4. Find out the colored pin 1 of the connector on one end of SCSI cable, and connect to the SCSI adapter.
5. Find out pin 1 of CN1 on AEC-7726H/Q.
6. Find out the colored pin 1 of the connector on the other end of SCSI cable, and connect to CN1 of AEC-7726H/Q.

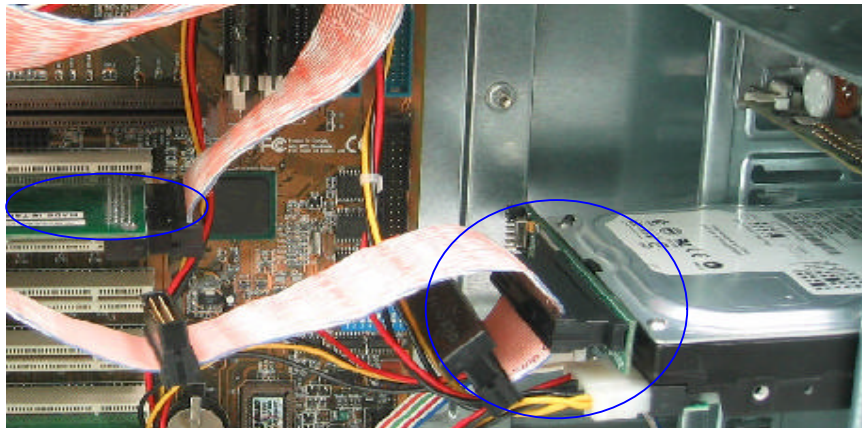


Figure 3-5

3.5 Installing ARS-2100/2100Q

3.5.1 3.5" HDD

ARS-2100/2100Q is designed to meet 3.5"HDDs. Extra accessories aren't needed.

3.5.2 Internal Power Connection

The large connector of the Y-splitter power cord is for most IDE devices while the small one for ARS-2100/2100Q.

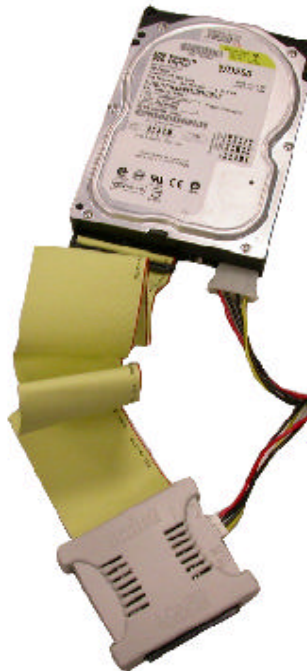


Figure 3-6

3.5.3 Cable Connection

Before connecting ARS-2100/2100Q to a hard drive, you should tell the SCSI connector from the IDE one. On the bridge the 68-pin connector is for SCSI adapter while the 40-pin one for IDE device. There is a new SCSI cable in the package of SCSI adapter (optional). Connect it to ARS-2100/2100Q.

1. Find out pin 1 of CN2 on ARS-2100/2100Q.
2. Find out pin 1 of the connector on the IDE hard drive.
3. Parallel these two connectors by pin 1 to pin 1 and connect them.
4. Find out the colored pin 1 of the connector on one end of SCSI cable, and connect to the SCSI adapter.
5. Find out pin 1 of CN1 on ARS-2100/2100Q.
6. Find out the colored pin 1 of the connector on the other end of SCSI cable, and connect to CN1 of ARS-2100/2100Q.

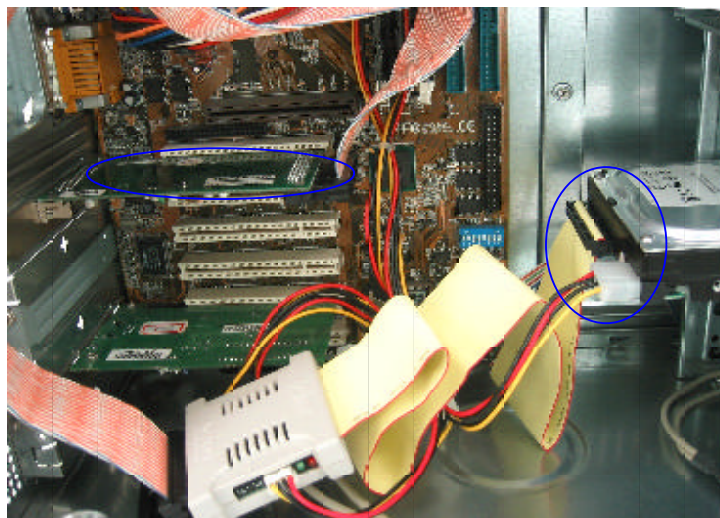


Figure 3-7

3.6 Installing ARS-2120

3.6.1 3.5" HDD

ARS-2120 is designed to connect two 3.5" HDDs. Extra accessories aren't needed.

3.6.2 Internal Power Connection

The large connector of the Y-splitter power cord is for most IDE devices while the small one for ARS-2120. Note that the first hard drive should be set as Master while the second one as Slave.

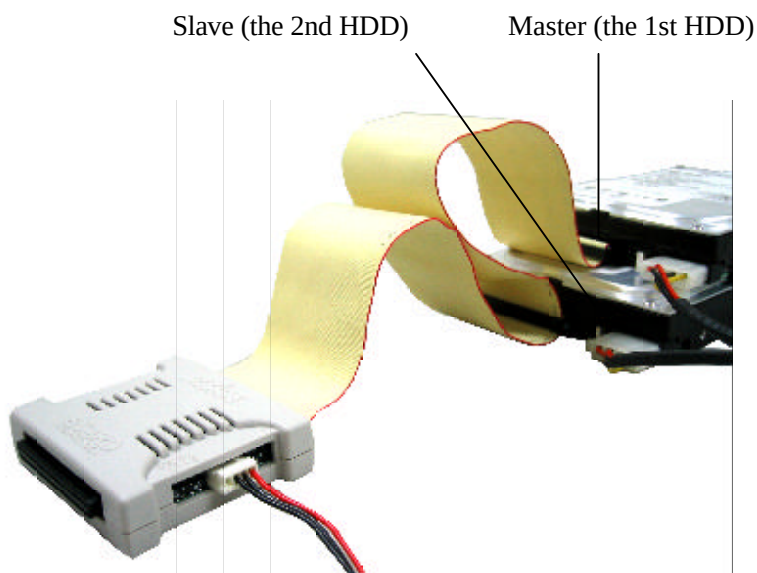


Figure 3-8

3.6.3 Cable Connection

Before connecting ARS-2120 to 2 hard drives, you should tell the SCSI connector from the IDE one. On the bridge the 68-pin connector is for SCSI adapter while the 40-pin one for IDE device. There is a new SCSI cable in the package of SCSI adapter (optional). Connect it to ARS-2120.

1. Find out pin 1 of CN2 (CN3) on ARS-2120.
2. Find out pin 1 of the connector on the 1st (2nd) hard drive.
3. Parallel these two connectors by pin 1 to pin 1 and connect them.
4. Set the 1st (2nd) hard drive as Master (Slave).
5. Connect one end of SCSI cable to the SCSI adapter by finding out pin1.
6. Find out pin 1 of CN1 on ARS-2120.
7. Find out the colored pin 1 of the connector on the other end of SCSI cable, and connect to CN1 of ARS-2120.

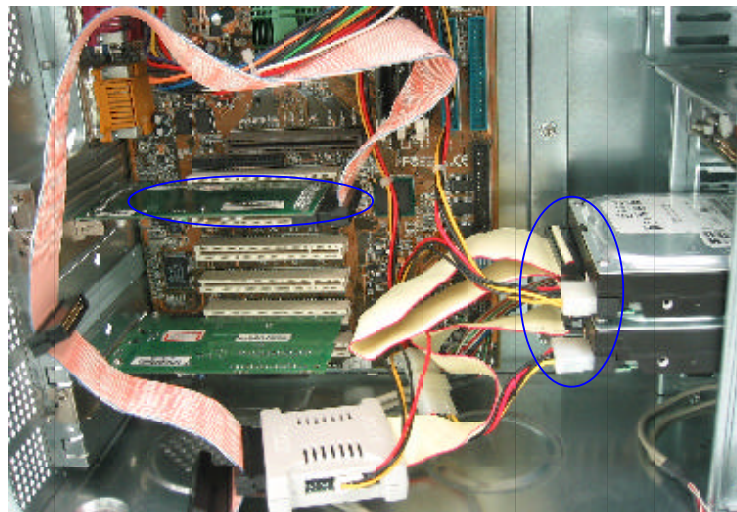


Figure 3-9

3.7 Installing ARS-2000LFS

3.7.1 3.5" HDD

ARS-2000LFS is designed to meet 3.5"HDDs. Put the hard drive on the bridge and connect it to the 40-pin CN2 (see Figure 2-5 on page 15). Then screw it from the bottom with 4 golden screws as the following picture shows.



Figure 3-10

3.7.2 Internal Power Connection

There are two kinds of power connectors supplying power to the IDE device and ARS-2000LFS separately. CN4 is the large connector for ARS-2000LFS while CN3 the small one for hard drive. After connection, CN3 will be invisible when viewing from the outside. See the picture on the next page.



Figure 3-11

3.7.3 Cable Connection

Before connecting ARS-2000LFS to a hard drive, you should tell the SCSI connector from the IDE one. On the bridge the 68-pin connector is for SCSI adapter while the 40-pin one for IDE device. There is a new SCSI cable in the package of SCSI adapter (optional). Connect it to ARS-2000LFS.

1. Find out pin 1 of CN2 on ARS-2000LFS.
2. Find out pin 1 of the connector on the IDE hard drive.
3. Parallel these two connectors by pin 1 to pin 1 and connect them.
4. Find out the colored pin 1 of the connector on one end of SCSI cable, and connect to the SCSI adapter.

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5. Find out pin 1 of CN1 on ARS-2000LFS.
6. Find out the colored pin 1 of the connector on the other end of SCSI cable, and connect to CN1 of ARS-2000LFS.

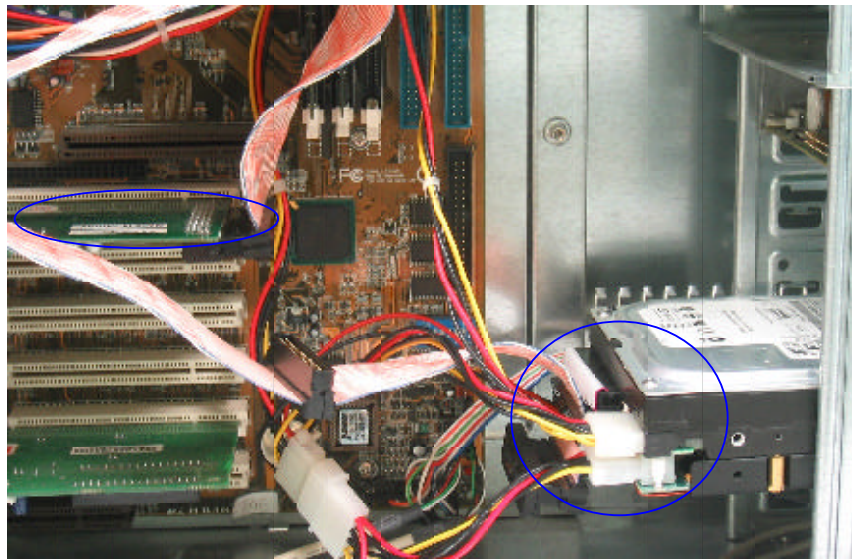


Figure 3-12

3.8 Installing ARS-2000LHS

3.8.1 2.5" HDD

ARS-2000LHS is designed to meet 2.5" notebook HDDs. Put the hard drive on the bridge and connect it to the 44-pin CN5 (see Figure 2-6 on page 16). Then screw it alongside with 4 screws as the following picture shows on the next page.



Figure 3-13

3.8.2 Internal Power Connection

On ARS-2000LHS because the 44-pin CN5 supplies power to the hard drive, there is no need of a small 4-pin connector. As to CN4, the large 4-pin connector, it supplies power to the bridge.



Figure 3-14

3.8.3 Cable Connection

Before connecting ARS-2000LHS to a hard drive, you should tell the SCSI connector from the IDE one. On the bridge the 68-pin connector is for SCSI adapter while the 44-pin one for IDE device. There is a new SCSI cable in the package of SCSI adapter (optional). Connect it to ARS-2000LHS.

1. Find out pin 1 of CN2 on ARS-2000LHS.
2. Find out pin 1 of the connector on the IDE hard drive.
3. Parallel these two connectors by pin 1 to pin 1 and connect them.
4. Find out the colored pin 1 of the connector on one end of SCSI cable, and connect to the SCSI adapter.
5. Find out pin 1 of CN1 on ARS-2000LHS.
6. Find out the colored pin 1 of the connector on the other end of SCSI cable, and connect to CN1 of ARS-2000LHS.

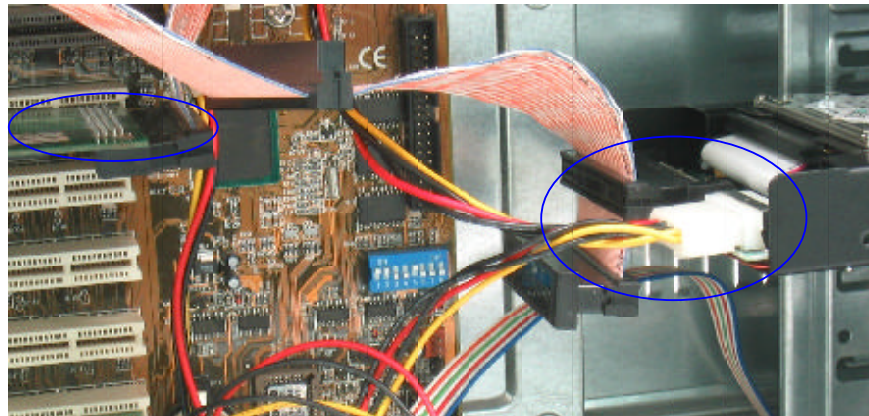


Figure 3-15

3.9 Jumper Setting on AEC-7722

There are two jumpers on AEC-7722: JP1 and JP2. JP1 has 6 pins in 3 columns. Column 1 and 2 are for reserve, and column 3 is for single end (SE). JP2 has 14 pins in 7 columns. Column 1 is for ID1, column 2 for ID2, column 3 for ID4, column 4 for ID8, column 5 for reserve 0, column 6 for reserve 1, and column 7 for LED.

JP1 is mainly used to set for single end (SE).

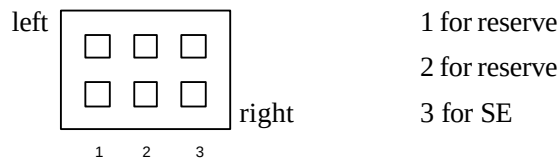


Figure 3-16

JP2 is mainly used to set each device's ID number on the SCSI adapter. Give your IDE device a specific number according to the following figure.

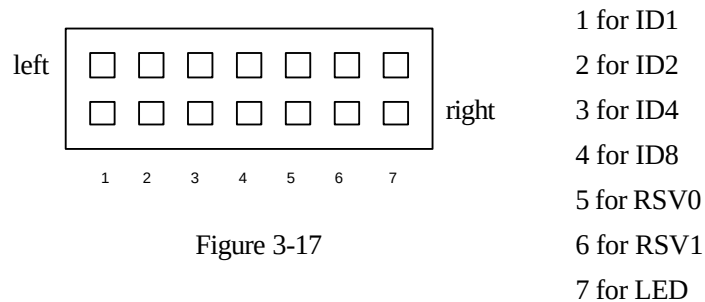


Figure 3-17

3.10 Jumper Setting on AEC-7726H/Q

There is only one jumper on AEC-7726H/Q. JP1 has 14 pins in 7 columns. Column 1 is for ID1, column 2 for ID2, column 3 for ID4, column 4 for ID8, column 5 for RSV0, column 6 for RSV1 and column 7 for LED.

JP1 is mainly used to set each device's ID number on the SCSI adapter. Give your IDE device a specific number according to the following figure.

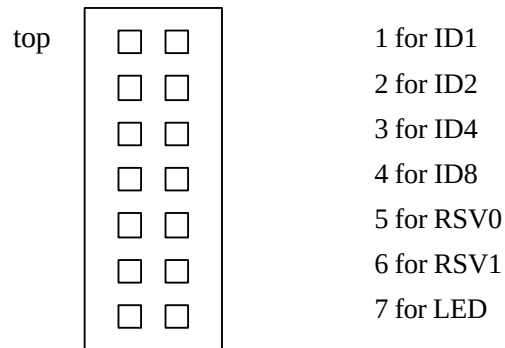


Figure 3-18

3.11 Jumper Setting on ARS-2100/2100Q

SW1 is mainly used to set each device's ID number on the SCSI adapter. Give your IDE device a specific number according to the following figure.

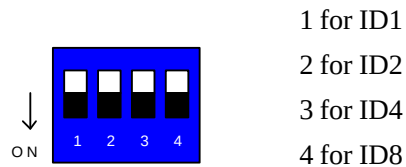


Figure 3-19

3.12 Jumper Setting on ARS-2120

SW1 is mainly used to set each device's ID number on the SCSI adapter. Give your IDE device a specific number according to the following figure.

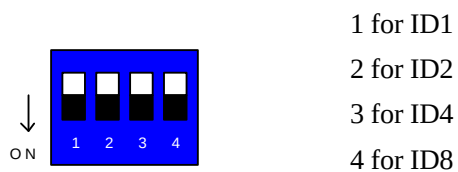


Figure 3-20

SW2 is used to set the function of SCSI adapter. Give your IDE device a specific function according to the following figure.

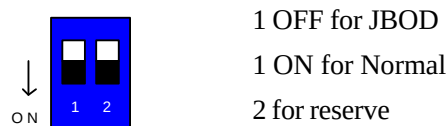


Figure 3-21

NOTICE: In Normal mode there is no RAID functions.
Please set LUN as enable. (refer to user's manual of SCSI)

3.13 Jumper Setting on ARS-2000LFS

There is one jumper on ARS-2000LFS. JP1 has 10 pins in 5 columns. Column 1 is for ID1, column 2 for ID2, column 3 for ID4, column 4 for ID8, and column 5 for delay start (to control the drive's spin-up).

JP1 is mainly used to set each device's ID number on the SCSI adapter. Give your IDE device a specific number according to the following figure.

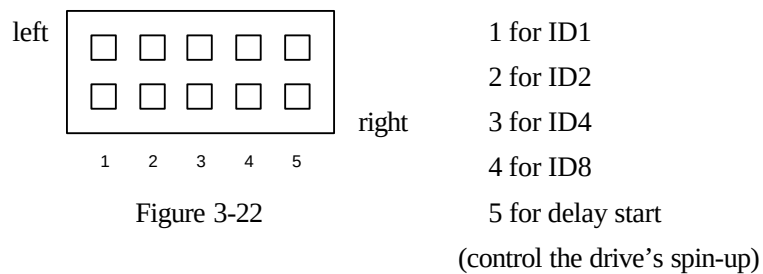


Figure 3-22

Besides, there is a SW1 on ARS-2000LFS. Its definition is as the following figure shows.

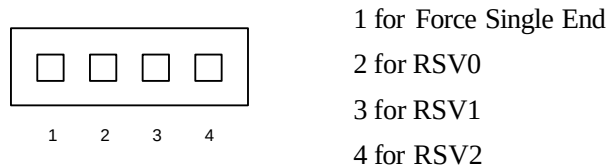


Figure 3-23

3.14 Jumper Setting on ARS-2000LHS

There is one jumper on ARS-2000LHS. JP1 has 10 pins in 5 columns. Column 1 is for ID1, column 2 for ID2, column 3 for ID4, column 4 for ID8, and column 5 for reserve.

JP1 is mainly used to set each device's ID number on the SCSI adapter. Give your IDE device a specific number according to the following figure.

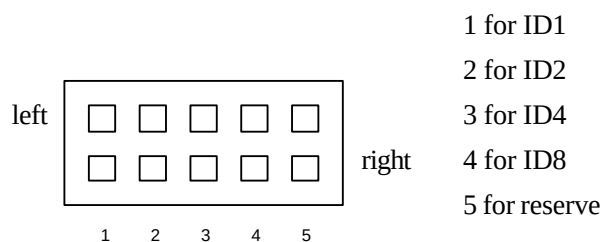


Figure 3-24

Besides, there is a SW1 on ARS-2000LHS. Its definition is as the following figure shows.

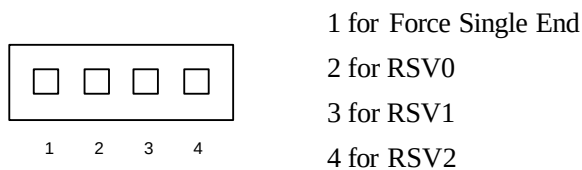


Figure 3-25

Chapter 4 Troubleshooting

4.1 Basic Troubleshooting

After installing AEC-7722, AEC-7726H/Q, ARS-2100/ARS-2100Q, ARS-2120, ARS-2000LFS or ARS-2000LHS, if it cannot work, check the following things.

1. Check SCSI host adapter

Check if the adapter is firmly inserted into PCI slot on the motherboard.

2. Check all connectors and SCSI cable

Check if the power connector, SCSI connector, IDE connector on the bridge, the power connector on the IDE device, and the cable are all properly connected. The cable is easily damaged due to folds. You can use a new cable. Be sure that the pins inside the connectors are not bent, and the two colored pin 1s on both ends of the cable are corresponding to the pin 1 on CN1 of the bridge and the pin 1 on SCSI adapter respectively.

3. Check jumper setting

Configure the bridge to check if the jumper setting is right.

4. SCSI ID Number

If there are many SCSI devices, be sure that ID numbers are not conflicted with one another. Test every SCSI device so as to reduce the failure of ID switch.

5. External Cable

In daisy chain if the external cable is not a highly dense 68-pin one, the emitted signal will be weak. Under such circumstances use a better cable.

4.2 Advanced Troubleshooting of 7722

Here we connect AEC-7722 to RICOH MP5120A, a DVD drive, to explain the troubleshooting in operating system. At first, set the SCSI ID number on AEC-7722 as 0, and then inspect in Windows XP.

1. Check SCSI host adapter

Check if the displayed device on the list of devices is just the installed SCSI adapter. The steps of entering “Device Manager” are as follows.

Step1. Double click “My Computer”.

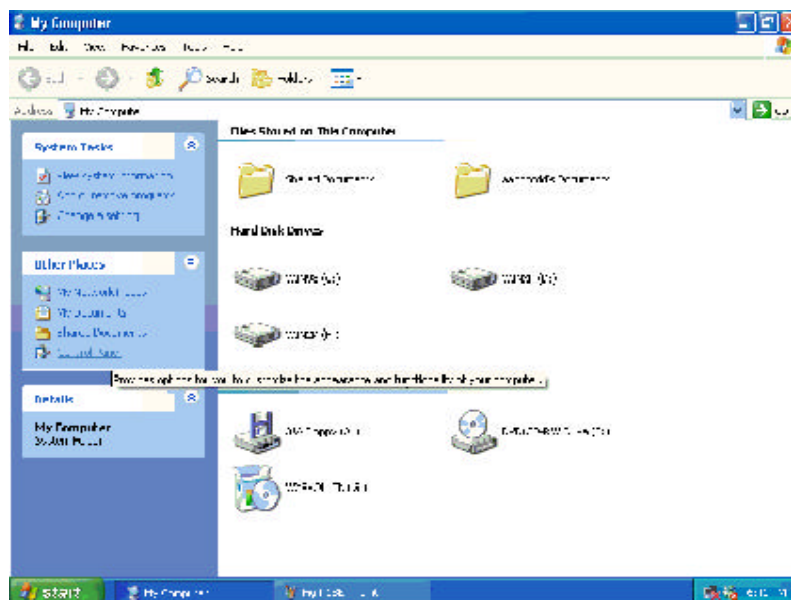


Figure 4-1

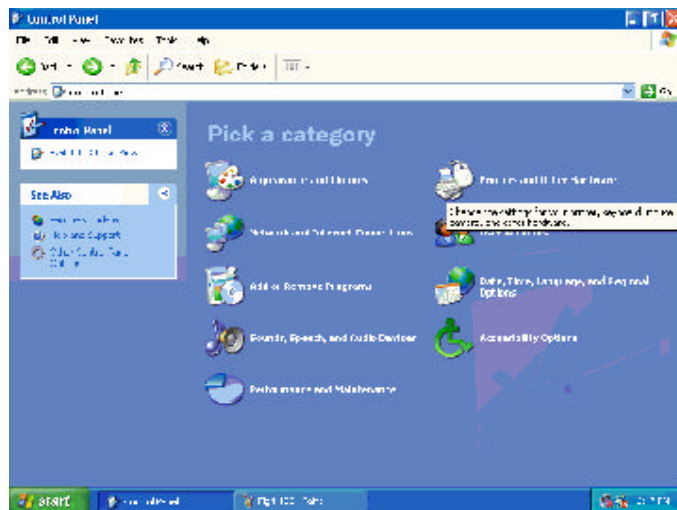


Figure 4-2

Step 3. Double click “Printers and Other Hardware”. Then, double click “System” on the left. After entering “System Properties”, click “Hardware”, “Device Manager”. Then, double click “SCSI and RAID controllers” to check if AEC-67160 adapter is installed well.

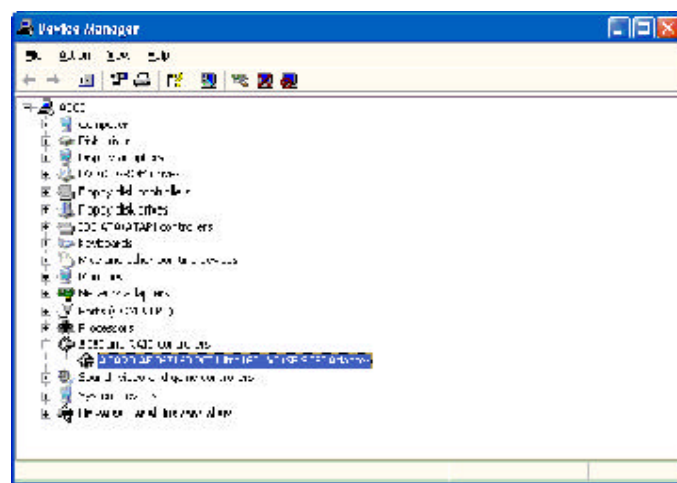


Figure 4-3

2. Check IDE device

If you can find the IDE device connected to AEC-7722 in “Device Manager”, AEC-7722 has been installed successfully. If you cannot find, but see a yellow question mark, check the IDE connector on AEC-7722. It could be a bad connection or the device’s malfunction. Check your IDE device as follows.

Step 1. Click “DVD/CD-ROM” to show your DVD device in “Device Manager”.

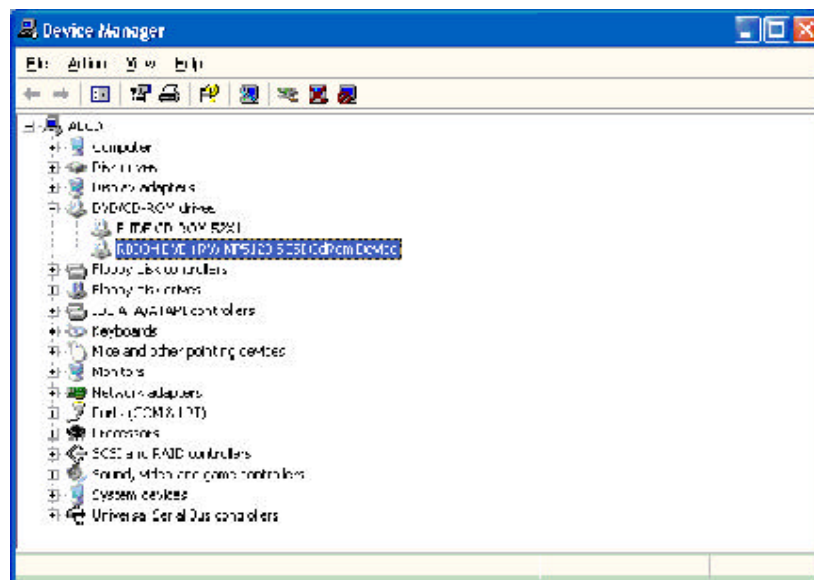


Figure 4-4

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Step 2. Double click to enter “General”, and see if the device is working normally. Besides, you can see if the target ID is correct.

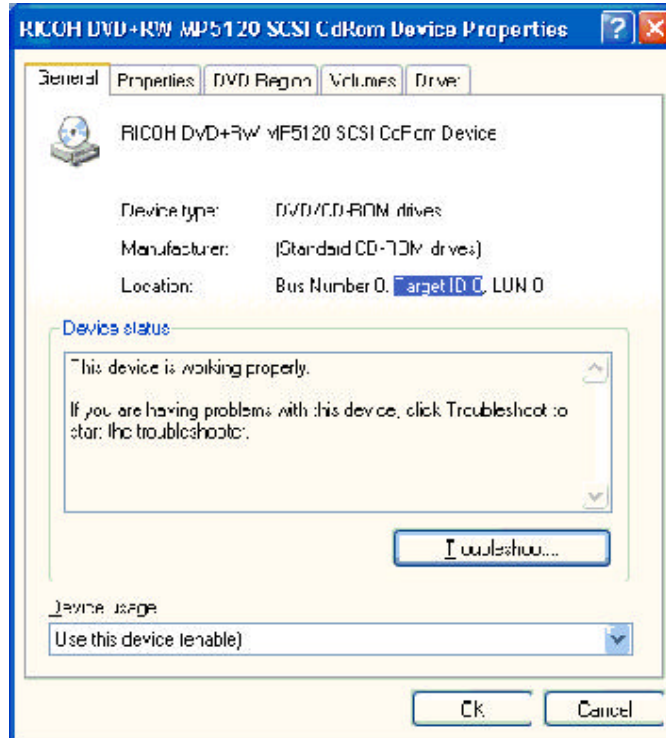
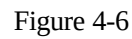


Figure 4-5

4.3 Advanced Troubleshooting of 7726H/Q

Here we connect AEC-7726H/Q to Maxtor 6L040J2, a hard drive, to explain the troubleshooting in operating system. At first, set the SCSI ID number on AEC-7726H/Q as 0, and then inspect in Windows XP. The same example can be also applied to ARS-2100/2100Q, ARS-2120, ARS-2000LFS and ARS-2000LHS.

Check if the displayed device on the list of devices is just the installed SCSI adapter. The steps of entering “Device Manager” are as follows.



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Step 3. Double click “Printers and Other Hardware”. Then, double click “System” on the left. After entering “System Properties”, click “Hardware”, “Device Manager”. Then, double click “SCSI and RAID controllers” to check if AEC-67160 adapter is installed well.

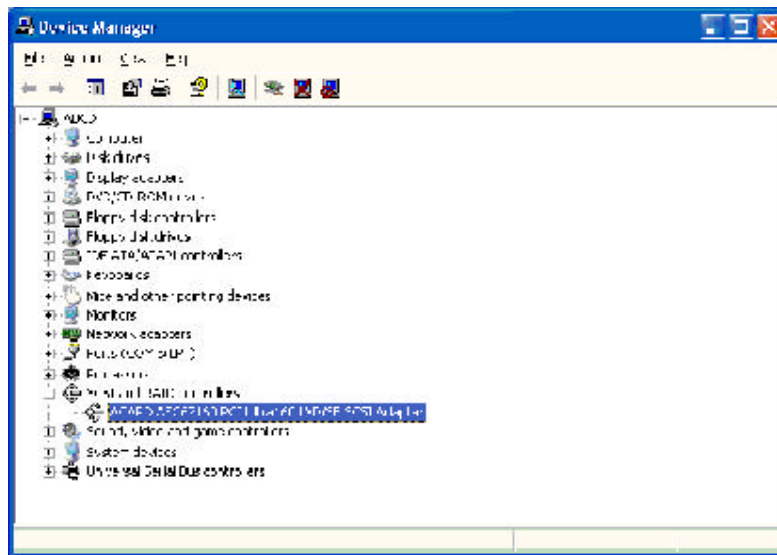


Figure 4-8

2. Check IDE device

If you can find the IDE device connected to AEC-7726H/Q in “Device Manager”, AEC-7726H/Q has been installed successfully. If you cannot find, but see a yellow question mark, check the IDE connector on AEC-7726H/Q. It could be a bad connection or the device’s malfunction. Check your IDE device as follows.

Step 1. Click “Disk drives” to show your HDD in “Device Manager”.

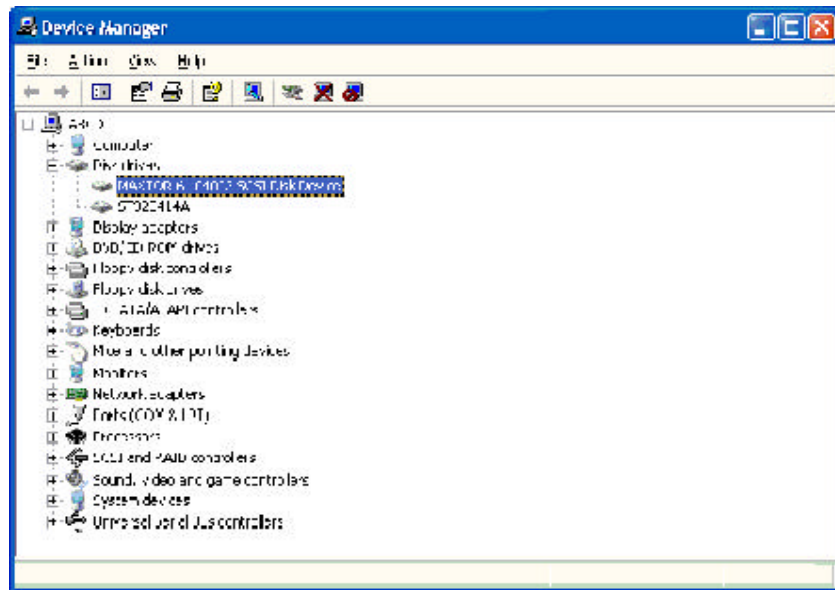


Figure 4-9

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Step 2. Double click to enter “General”, and see if the device is working normally. Besides, you can see if the target ID is correct.

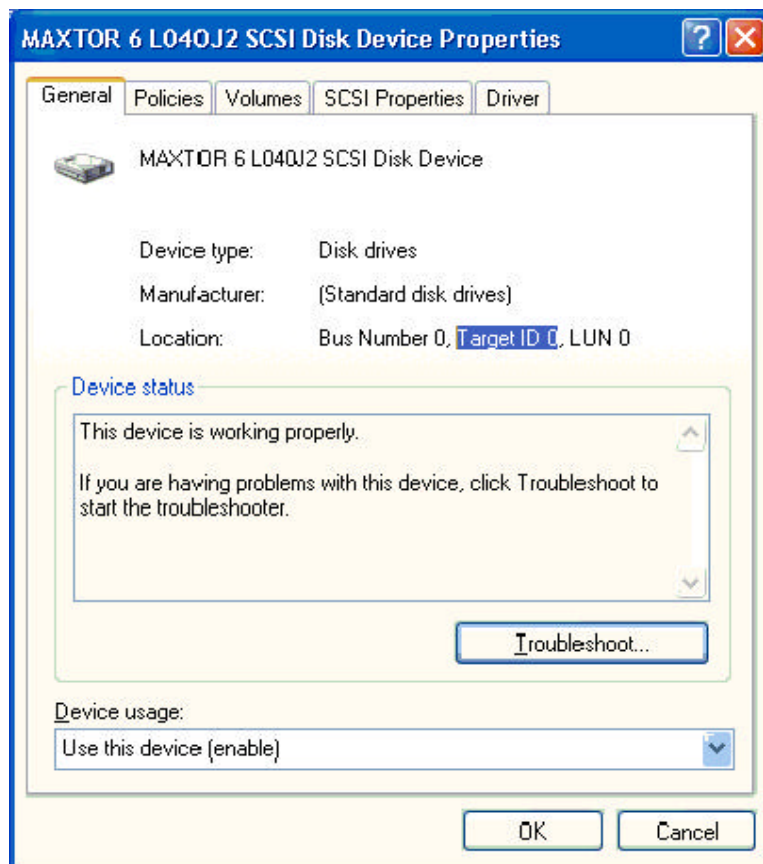


Figure 4-10

Technical Support Form

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Model	F/W Version
Hard Disk Model/type	
Capacity	
Firmware version	
Others	
Problem Description	

