



**BT-545S AND BT-542D  
FAST SCSI ADAPTERS FOR  
PC/AT SYSTEMS**



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#### PC/AT HOST BUS

- 16-bit bus master DMA data transfers of up to 10 MBytes/sec
- Built-in drivers for UNIX and XENIX, as well as optional drivers for NetWare, OS/2 and DOS
- Scatter-gather data transfers that permit non-contiguous memory storage and retrieval

#### SCSI PERIPHERALS

- Up to 10 MBytes/sec synchronous and up to 7 MBytes/sec asynchronous SCSI data transfers
- BT-545S support of the single-ended SCSI interface with active termination. BT-542D support of the differential SCSI interface.
- SCSI-2 command set compatibility

- Both an internal and an external 50-pin SCSI connector (SCSI-2 connector for the BT-545S)
- Wide range of SCSI hard drives, and other SCSI peripherals supported

#### ASIC TECHNOLOGY

- Bus master ASIC designed by BusLogic
- High-performance advanced SCSI controller ASIC
- 16-bit microprocessor reduces the host's CPU overhead
- Floppy controller chip for any combination of up to two 3.5" or 5.25" drives, including BT-545S support of 2.88 MByte floppy drives
- Reduced component count that yields greater reliability

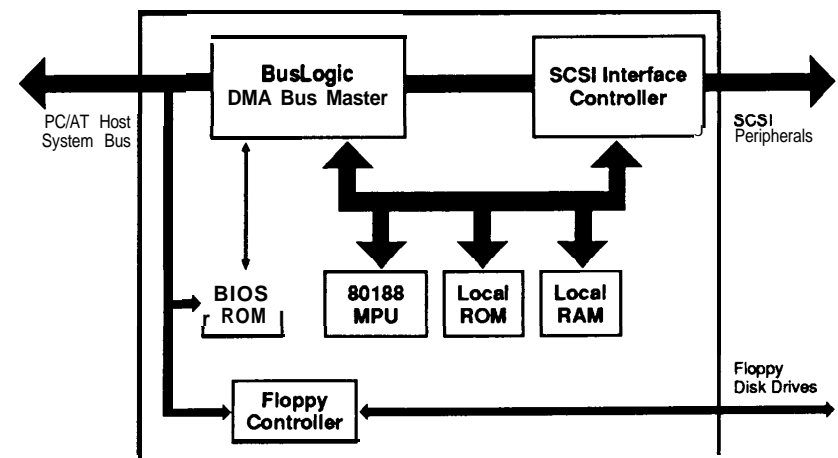


Figure 1-1. The BT-545S/BT-542D Block Diagram

## BT-545S/BT-542D ADVANTAGES

### Unique Features

- **BusLogic-designed** universal bus master ASIC provides the highest level of integration in the industry
- **BusLogic's** ASIC allows common architecture for a family of SCSI host adapter products across the popular industry standard buses: ISA, EISA, and Micro Channel
- High-speed, **80188** on-board microprocessor
- Fast single-ended SCSI support with active termination on the **BT-545S**. Fast differential SCSI support on the BT-542D.
- Floppy controller chip with 2.88 MByte floppy support (**BT-545S only**)
- Small form factor
- Complete device driver support for all the popular operating systems: DOS, UNIX, XENIX, NetWare, **OS/2**, etc.

### Benefit

- Exceptionally high product reliability due to reduced component count and lower power consumption
- Allows easy feature enhancements and device driver support for all industry standard buses
- Higher performance due to minimized command overhead and faster command execution
- Higher SCSI data transfer rate and higher data reliability. Allows flexible system integration with complete driver/software transparency
- Supports newly emerging high capacity floppies
- Easier system integration
- Provides turn-key solution for system integration

## PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The **BusLogic BT-545S/BT-542D** host adapters are intelligent PC/AT to SCSI bus master host adapter products based on a BusLogic designed, universal ASIC technology. They provide a high-performance interconnection between the PC/AT bus and Small Computer System Interface (SCSI) peripheral devices. They are designed for multitasking operating systems such as UNIX, XENIX, NetWare, and **OS/2**, as well as DOS. UNIX and XENIX both contain built-in driver support for the **BT-545S/BT-542D**. Software drivers for NetWare, **OS/2**, and DOS are also available separately.

As Figure 1-1 indicates, the BusLogic-designed bus master controller ASIC, the SCSI interface controller, and a **16-bit** microprocessor (MPU) provide higher speed, lower power consumption, fewer parts, and higher reliability.

### Host Interface

As Figures 1-2 and 1-3 indicate, the **BT-545S** and **BT-542D** use a **BusLogic** high-speed bus master interface chip to provide bus master DMA operation. Bus master DMA reduces the number of interrupts generated per I/O command thus enhancing system performance. This interface chip contains a **128-byte** FIFO to burst **16-bit** wide data up to **10 MBytes/sec** on the AT Industry Standard Architecture (ISA) bus. Selectable interrupt and DMA channels and I/O address ranges are available.

### SCSI Interface

Up to **10 MBytes/sec** synchronous and **7 MBytes/sec** asynchronous SCSI data transfers are supported by the SCSI interface controller. This chip reduces protocol overhead by performing common SCSI algorithms or sequences **in response** to any single SCSI-2 host command. SCSI-2 interface specifications for termination power and fusing (with blown-fuse **indication**) are implemented. The board has both an internal and an external **50-pin** connector for flexibility in attaching SCSI devices to the system.

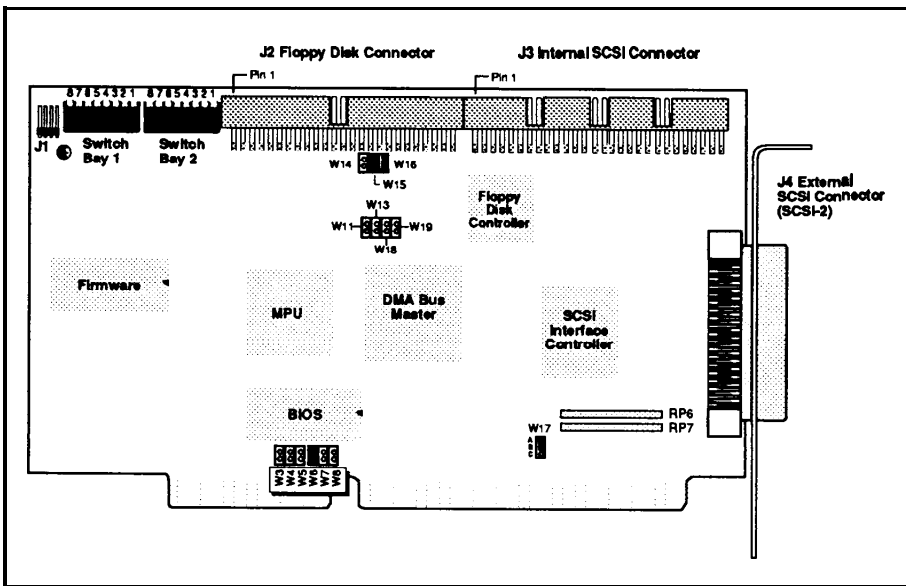


Figure 1-2. The BT-545S Host Adapter Board

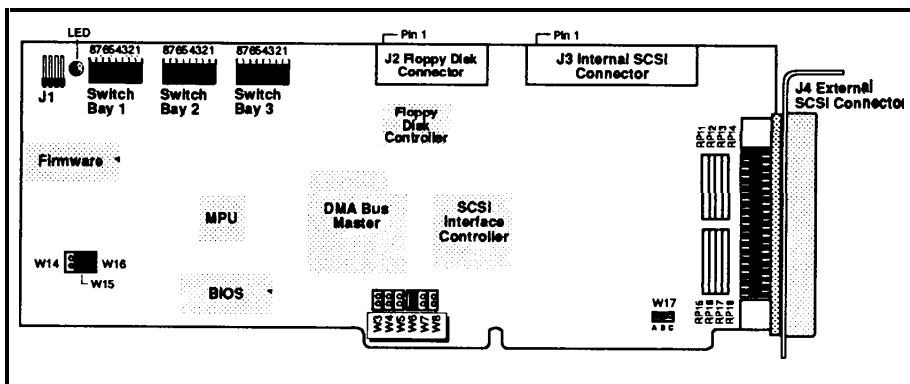


Figure 1-3. The BT-542D Host Adapter Board

### Microprocessor

An 80188 16-bit MPU is used to supply the speed for low command overhead. This MPU coordinates all activity on the BT-545S/BT-542D under the direction of the board's firmware, including initialization, command decoding, interrupt generation, and control of the data flow among the board's components.

### Floppy Controller

The floppy disk controller is fully IBM register set compatible. All combinations of up to two 3.5" and/or 5.25" devices are supported, including BT-545S support for 2.88 MByte floppy drives.

### Multitasking Operation

For operating systems such as UNIX, NetWare, and OS/2, the mailbox protocol of the BT-545S/BT-542D provides true multitasking operation. Through the use of a mailbox structure, the BT-545S/BT-542D can support up to 255 tasks with minimum host processor intervention. On-board firmware controls all of the SCSI activity that a task requires, including the Arbitration, Selection, Disconnection, Reconnection, and command completion status. This same mailbox protocol supports both initiator and target mode operation permitting high speed host-to-host communication and scatter-gather data transfers.

### DOS Support

An on-board ROM BIOS enables single-tasking DOS operation; however, bus master DMA is still used to improve the data transfer performance. A storage capacity of up to 8 GBytes per disk is supported by the BIOS.

## SPECIFICATIONS

Refer to Table 1-1 for a summary of the physical and electrical specifications.

Table 1-1. Specifications	
<b>Electrical</b>	
Operating Voltage	5±0.25V
Operating Current	1.0A
Max. Ripple/Noise	100 mV
<b>Environmental</b>	
Temperature	0°C to 60°C
Relative Humidity	10% to 95% non-condensing
Altitude	0 to 10,000 ft. operating 0 to 15,000 ft. nonoperating
Dimensions	7.5" x 4.25" for the <b>BT-545S</b> 11.25" x 4.25" for the BT-542D
<b>Interface Connections</b>	
<b>SCSI</b> internal	50-pin double-row connector
SCSI External	50-pin shielded SCSI-2 connector for the <b>BT-545S</b> 50-pin shielded SCSI connector for the BT-542D
Floppy Internal To/From System	34-pin AT-compatible ribbon style IBM PC/AT standard 36-pin and 62-pin edge connectors
<b>MTBF 90,000</b> hours	

## REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

To install the BT-545S/BT-542D in your PC/AT computer, you should have the following documentation:

- PC system installation and set-up guide
- Operating system installation and user's guide
- IBM's PC/AT Technical Reference Manual (optional)
- Installation guide for BusLogic device drivers (if required)

## HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE REQUIREMENTS

The BT-545S/BT-542D can be installed in any IBM PC/AT or compatible computer. To install the BT-545S/BT-542D successfully, you must have the following hardware and software.

### Hardware

To install the BT-545S/BT-542D, you must have an IBM PC/AT or compatible computer system with the following hardware:

- One or more 3.5" or 5.25" floppy drives
- One available 16-bit AT expansion slot
- DC power for an internal 3.5" or 5.25" SCSI drive or an external subsystem with the corresponding D-shell, 50-pin external cable
- One Common Command Set (CCS) SCSI-2 compatible device
- One 50-pin, flat ribbon cable to connect internal SCSI devices to the BT-545S/BT-542D.

**For installation in a DOS environment, you will need:**

- PC-DOS or MS-DOS with the SETUP, FDISK, and FORMAT programs
- BusLogic DOS SCSI Software Manager (if required).

**For installation in an OS/2, or Novell NetWare 286 or 386 environment, you will** need the appropriate BusLogic device driver for your operating system.

Drivers for INTERACTIVE UNIX, SCO UNIX, and XENIX are included with the operating system.

## SECTION Z-UNPACKING AND INSTALLATION

This section describes how to **unpack, to inspect, to configure, and to install the BT-545S/BT-542D host adapter boards in a PC/AT host system. It also describes how to initialize the software and set the host adapter** options for operation in DOS systems.

### UNPACKING AND INSPECTION

Before handling the **BT-545S/BT-542D**, please take the necessary electrostatic discharge precautions. Touch your computer on a metal part to discharge static electricity before handling the board. The board should always be held by the edges even after static electricity is discharged.

**While practicing appropriate anti-static precautions, remove the BT-545S/BT-542D from its protective** envelope. Verify that no physical damage occurred during shipping by inspecting the board for bent pins, loose parts, broken traces, and chipped or broken connectors.

### INSTALLATION TOOLS

The following items, available from any authorized dealer, may be needed to assist with the installation of the **BusLogic BT-545S/BT-542D** board for your PC/AT system:

- PC/AT technical manuals
- Hard disk drive(s) manuals
- Floppy disk drive(s) manuals
- PC/AT DOS diskette(s)
- SETUP, FDISK, and FORMAT programs
- Small screwdriver
- Small needle-nosed pliers.

## CONFIGURATION INSTRUCTIONS OVERVIEW

The BT-545S/BT-542D must be configured for use by performing the following actions:

- ❑ Setting on-board switches and jumpers
- ❑ Configuring SCSI devices
- ❑ Verifying that the terminators are installed correctly
- ❑ Placing the BT-545S/BT-542D board into the AT computer slot
- ❑ Cabling the on-board connector to a SCSI target.

## BT-545S/BT-542D SWITCH AND JUMPER SETTINGS

The BT-545S/BT-542D operates with most AT class PCs with the factory set jumpers and switches in the two switch bays. The BT-545S/BT-542D's switch bay settings and jumpers will need to be changed if conflicting port assignments or memory allocation is encountered. The locations of these switches and jumpers for the BT-545S are shown in Figure 1-2. Figure 1-3 shows the location of these switches and jumpers for the BT-542D.

The default settings for switches and jumpers for the BT-545S/BT-542D as shipped from the factory are listed in Tables 2-1-2-9. For switch and jumper information that is specific to the BT-545S, refer to the heading, "BT-545S Specific Switch and Jumper Settings," later in this section. For switch and jumper information that is specific to the BT-542D, refer to the heading, "BT-542D Specific Switch and Jumper Settings," at the end of this section. For a summary of these switches and jumpers, refer to Table 2-10 and 2-11.

Before installing the BusLogic host adapter board, verify that the switch settings and jumpers have been set according to the target system's operating requirements.

### WARNING

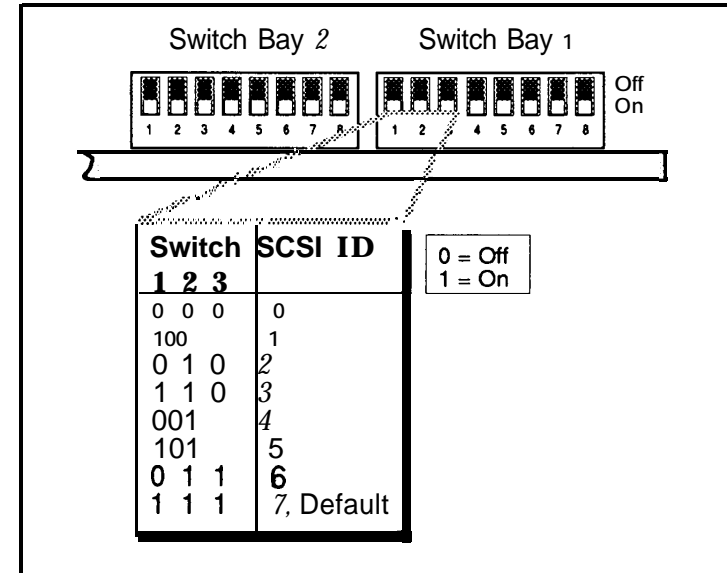
Change the switches and jumpers before installing the BusLogic board into the AT compatible computer. Make sure that you are properly grounded **before** doing so.

## Host Adapter SCSI ID (BT-545S/BT-542D)

There are eight SCSI IDs (0-7) on a SCSI bus. SCSI ID 7 has the highest priority. Each initiator or target on a SCSI bus must be assigned a unique SCSI ID.

Switch Bay 1's Switches 1, 2, and 3 set the BT-545S/BT-542D SCSI address (in binary). Because the BT-545S/BT-542D is an initiator on the SCSI bus dispatching host commands to all SCSI targets on the bus, the default SCSI ID is 7. Note that the BT-545S/BT-542D's on-board BIOS requires that your SCSI drives be configured for SCSI ID 0 and 1. This requirement is important only if you intend to boot your system from the BT-545S/BT-542D. Complete settings of Switches 1, 2, and 3, and the resulting SCSI ID are provided in Table 2-1. The as-shipped (default) SCSI ID is 7.

Table 2-1. The Host Adapter SCSI ID Setting



## SCSI Parity (BT-545S/BT-542D)

There are 8 bits of data plus one bit of parity on a standard SCSI bus. Switch Bay 1's Switch 4 lets you enable or disable parity on the SCSI bus. By default, Switch 4 is ON, enabling parity.



## Disk Drive Capacity (BT-545S/BT-542D)

This feature is supported by all versions of the **BT-545S**. To support the **>1GB** feature on the **BT-542D**, Switch Bay 1's Switch 5 has been redefined. For revision 'F' and below, Switch Bay 1's Switch 5 is used to enable or disable the SCSI Auto Sense function. (The default **ON** setting enables the SCSI Auto Sense function for revision 'F' and below.) For Revision 'G' and above, this switch is used to enable or disable this **> 1 GB** support.

For Revision 'G' and above, the Disk **> 1 GB** support is turned off by default. To enable this option, you must set the **BT-545S/BT-542D** Switch Bay 1's Switch 5 to **0 (OFF)**. After you have enabled the **> 1 GB** support, the host adapter can support up to seven SCSI disk drives with each drive up to **8 GBytes** in capacity.

Example of the **>1 GB** Support. If a disk drive is more than **1GB** but less than **2 GB** in capacity, you should set the host adapter for **>1 GB** support. If you were to run **FDISK**, it will display half of the cylinder count of the total drive **capacity** because now the disk is formatted as **2 MB** per cylinder.

	<b>&lt; 1 GB</b>	<b>&gt;1GB</b>	<b>&gt; 2 GB</b>	<b>&gt; 4 GB</b>
<b>Sectors Per Track</b>	S=32	32	32	63
<b>Number of Heads</b>	H=64	128	256	256
<b>Capacity Per Cylinder</b>	C=1 MB	2MB	4MB	8MB

**SCO UNIX** Limitations. Disk capacity cannot exceed **1 GB** due to the SCSI device driver that is built into **SCO UNIX**.

**Novell** Limitations. **Novell NetWare** will support greater than **1 GB** on the disk drive if the BIOS on the host adapter is disabled, and you are booting from another device. This enables **NetWare** to use the entire disk drive as a **NetWare** volume. If the BIOS is enabled and you are booting from a **DOS** partition, then there is a **1 GB** limit. This limitation is due to the fixed parameters in the **NetWare SCSI** device driver.

## Adapter Initiate Synchronous Negotiation (BT-545S/BT-542D)

The SCSI protocol allows synchronous negotiation to determine the **REQ/ACK** off set and the data transfer rate for synchronous transfers between an initiator and a target on the SCSI bus. The actual data transfer rate is determined by the lower of the rates between the initiator and the target. Because the **BT-545S/BT-542D** is capable of up to **10 MBytes/sec** SCSI data transfers, the actual data transfer rate is determined by the SCSI drive if the drive has a data transfer rate lower than or equal to **10 MBytes/sec**. Switch Bay 1's Switch 6 is used to enable or disable synchronous negotiation initiation by the **BT-545S/BT-542D**. By default *Switch 6 is **ON** which disables synchronous negotiation initiation by the **BT-545S/BT-542D**.*

This default mode assumes that a SCSI target device connected to the **BT-545S/BT-542D** will initiate the synchronous negotiation. Some target devices require that they initiate the synchronous negotiation. Such devices may fail to respond to commands from the **BT-545S/BT-542D** if a synchronous negotiation occurs unexpectedly. Conversely, other target devices may expect an initiator to begin the synchronous negotiation sequence. If this class of SCSI target devices is connected to the **BT-545S/BT-542D**, Switch 6 may set to **OFF to allow the host adapter board to initiate the negotiation** for a synchronous data transfer with a selected SCSI target device.

## Maximum Synchronous Data Rate Allowed (BT-545S/BT-542D)

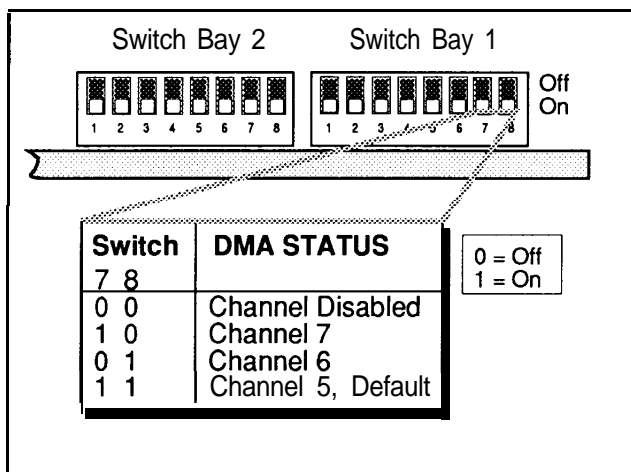
The SCSI controller chip on the **BT-545S/BT-542D** has the capability of supporting SCSI data rates of up to **10 MBytes/sec**.

Note the following two points: (1) in order to achieve a **10 MBytes/sec** transfer rate, this option and the Adapter Initiate Synchronous Negotiation option must both be enabled, and (2) some older SCSI drives that can only support a data rate of up to **5 MBytes/sec** may misinform the **BT-545S/BT-542D** during the negotiation that it can transfer data above **5 MBytes/sec**. When the **BT-545S/BT-542D** are connected to such drives, the **5 MBytes/sec** option must be used. Otherwise, it will cause data transfer failure. *The default setting is the 5 MBytes/sec option.*

## Host DMA Channel (BT-545S/BT-542D)

**Switch** Bay 1's Switches **7** and **8** are used to select the DMA channel for data transfer to the PC/AT host. The BT-545S/BT-542D requests the system bus via the selected DMA channel and becomes the bus master during the data transfers. The DMA channel that is reported to the PC/AT host at the "Inquire Configuration" command is set by these switches. For a complete list of settings of Switches **7** and **8**, refer to Table 2-2. Channel 5 is the default *DMA Channel*.

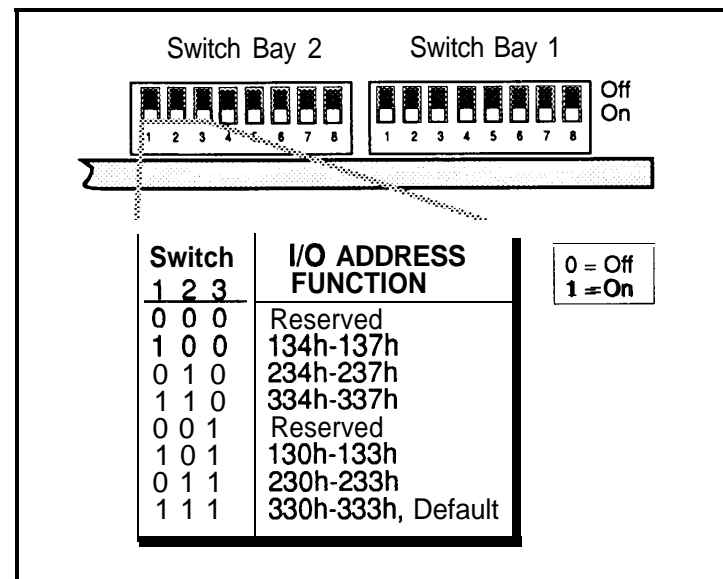
**Table 2-2. The Host DMA Channel**



## Host I/O Port Address (BT-545S/BT-542D)

The host communicates with the BT-545S/BT-542D via the BT-545S/BT-542D's three I/O registers. (Refer to the BT-54X *Technical Reference Manual* for more details on these registers.) Switch Bay 2's Switches 1, 2, and 3 allows you to define the base I/O address of these three registers within the host I/O map. Note that each board within the same PC/AT host system must have its own unique I/O register addresses to prevent hardware conflicts. *The default starting address is 330H.*

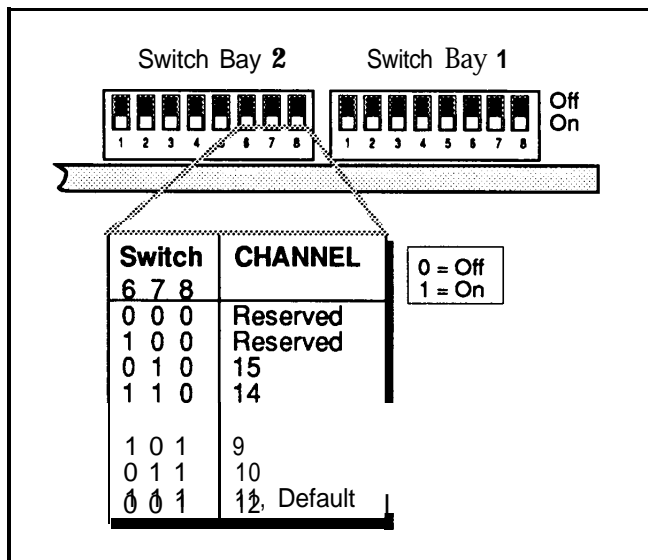
**Table 23. The Host I/O Port Address**



## Host Interrupt Request (BT-545S/BT-542D)

The BT-545S/BT-542D generates a hardware interrupt to the host whenever an interrupt condition exists. (Refer to the description of the Interrupt Register in the BT-54X *Technical Reference Manual* for details on this register.) Switch Bay 2's Switches 6-8 select the host AT interrupt channel. Complete settings of Switches 6-8 are provided in Table 2-4. By *default*, *Channel 11 is selected.*

**Table 2-4. The Host Interrupt Request**



In addition to setting the switch bay for the correct interrupt, make sure that you also set Jumpers W3–W8, as described within the next paragraph.

Jumpers W3–W8 set the Host Interrupt Channel. To configure the Host Interrupt Channel properly, check that the corresponding switches in Switch Bay 2 (6,7,8) match the jumper settings shown in Table 2-5. Only one jumper must be shorted (installed) for proper operation.

**Table 2-5. The BT-545S/BT542D W3–W8 Jumpers**

Jumper	HOST INTERRUPT CHANNEL
w3	15
w4	14
w5	12
W6	11, Default
W7	10
W8	9

### Floppy Subsystem (BT-545S/BT-542D)

W14, W15, and W16 allow you to configure the floppy subsystem. With W15 and W16 removed, the floppy disk controller will not respond to read or write requests from the host. In this case W14 becomes a don't care.

If W15 and W16 are installed, the floppy disk controller is enabled, and will respond to read or write requests from the host. In this case W14 is used to select the primary or secondary floppy disk address. When W14 is removed, the primary floppy disk address of 3FX is selected. When W14 is installed, the secondary floppy disk address of 37X is selected. *The default is to have the floppy disk controller enabled at the primary address (W15 and W16 installed and W14 removed).*

### Host I/O Channel Ready Enabled (BT-545S/BT-542D)

Jumper W17 controls the Host I/O Channel Ready function. The *default setting for the jumper is "A-B" which enables the I/O Channel Ready signal; thereby, allowing the BT-545S/BT-542D to respond to I/O devices (memory or I/O) that require a data transfer cycle to be lengthened.* The BT-545S/BT-542D will wait until the I/O Channel Ready signal is returned to the Ready (high) state.

Setting "B-C" disables the I/O Channel Ready signal. When the I/O Channel Ready signal is disabled, it prohibits the BT-545S/BT-542D from responding to the I/O Channel Ready signal. This may be necessary if another I/O device does not properly manipulate the I/O Channel Ready signal.

### Not Used or Reserved Jumpers (BT-545S/BT-542D)

Jumpers W2 and W9, which select PROM sizes, are reserved and set at the factory. W18 and W19 exist only on the BT-545S. W18 is reserved. W19 is used to control the maximum synchronous SCSI data rate. If W19 is installed, the maximum data rate is 5 MBytes/sec. If W19 is removed, the maximum data rate is 10 MBytes/sec. *The default setting from the factory is W19 installed.*

## BT-545S SPECIFIC SWITCH AND JUMPER SETTINGS

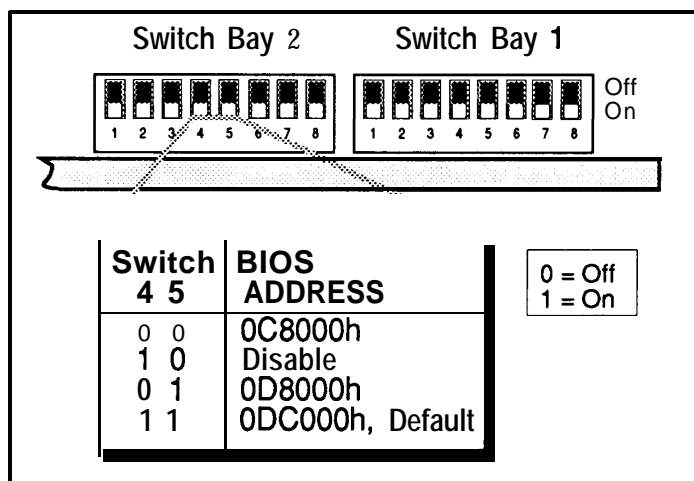
This section describes the switch and jumper settings that are specific to the BT-545S.

### Host BIOS (16K Bytes) Address (BT-545S only)

The BIOS address resides within the host memory map and is executed by the host even though it is physically located on the BT-545S. The BIOS intercepts host interrupt 13H and then dispatches a command to the BT-545S for all host to SCSI disk accesses under the DOS environment. Switch Bay 2's Switches 4 and 5 select the starting address of a 16K Byte memory slot within the host memory space for the BIOS.

If more than one host adapter is installed within the same PC/AT host system, only one can have the BIOS enabled. The BIOS on each additional host adapter must be disabled. Refer to Table 2-6 for a complete list of these switch settings. *The default setting is 0DC000H.*

**Table 2-6. The BT-545S Host BIOS (16K Bytes) Address**



### DMA Transfer Speed (BT-545S only)

For the BT-545S, jumper settings for W11 and W13 determine the DMA transfer speed after a hard reset or power on. A "Set Bus Transfer Rate" host adapter command may be issued to the BT-545S to override these jumpers until the next hard reset or power on. Table 2-7 shows the DMA transfer rate settings. *The default setting is W11 and W13 removed (OPEN).*

**Table 2-7. The BT-545S DMA Transfer Speed**

Jumper W1 1	W13	HOST BUS TRANSFER RATE
0	0	5.0 MB/sec
0	1	5.7 MB/sec
1	0	6.7 MB/sec
1	1	8.0 MB/sec

The BT-542D does not have W11 and W13. Instead Switches 1 and 2 of Switch Bay 3 are used to specify the DMA transfer speed. For more details on the BT-542D's DMA transfer speed, refer to the next heading, "BT-542D Specific Switch and Jumper Settings."

## BT-542D SPECIFIC SWITCH AND JUMPER SETTINGS

This section describes the switch and jumper settings that are specific to the BT-542D.

### Host BIOS (16K Bytes) Address (BT-542D only)

Instead of using Switch Bay 2's Switches 4 and 5 to define the BIOS base address, the BT-542D uses Switch Bay 3's Switches 3-5. Refer to Table 2-8. *The default setting is 0DC000H.*

**Table 2-8. The BT-542D Host BIOS (16K Bytes) Address**

Switch	BIOS ADDRESS
3 4 5	Disable
1 0 0	Reserved
0 1 0	0C8000H
1 1 0	0CC000H
0 0 1	0D0000H
1 0 1	0D4000H
0 1 1	0D8000H
1 1 1	0DC000H, Default

0 = Off  
1 = On

### DMA Transfer Speed (BT-542D only)

Instead of using W11 and W13 to select the data transfer rate on the PC/AT bus, the BT-542D uses Switch Bay 3's Switches 1 and 2. Refer to the following table for a complete list of these switch settings. *The default setting is 5.0 MBytes/sec.*

**Table 2-9. The BT-542D DMA Transfer Speeds**

Switch	HOST BUS TRANSFER RATE
1 2	5.0 MBytes/sec, Default
0 1	5.7 MBytes/sec
1 0	6.7 MBytes/sec
0 0	8.0 MBytes/sec

0 = Off  
1 = On

## SUMMARY OF BT-545S/BT-542D SWITCH AND JUMPER SETTINGS

Table 2-10 and Table 2-11 summarize the BT-545S/BT-542D switch and jumper settings, respectively. In Table 2-10, 0 represents off and 1 represents on. In Table 2-11, 0 represents open and 1 represents closed.

**Table 2-10. Summary of the BT-545S/BT-542D Switch Settings**

	Switch Bay	Switch #	BT-545S	BT-542D
Host Adapter SCSI ID	1	1,2,3=000	0	0
		100	1	1
		010	2	2
		110	3	3
		001	4	4
		101	5	5
		011	6	6
		111	7, Default	7, Default
SCSI Parity	1	4=0	Disable	Disable
		4=1	Enable, Def't	Enable, Default
Disk > 1 GB and not SCO UNIX	1	5=0	Enable	Enable
		5=1	Disable, Def't	Disable, Default
Adapter Initiate Synchronous Negotiation	1	6=0	Enable	Enable
		6=1	Disable, Def't	Disable, Default

**Table 2-10. Summary of the BT-545S/BT-542D Switch Settings (Cont'd)**

Switch Bay		Switch #	BT-545S	BT-542D
Host DMA Channel	1	7,8=00	Disable	Disable
			10	7
			01	6
			11	5, Default
Host I/O Port Address	2	1,2,3=000	Reserved	Reserved
			100	134H-137H
			010	234H-237H
			110	334H-337H
			001	Reserved
			101	130H-133H
			011	230H-233H
			111	330H-333H, Def't
Host BIOS (16K Byte) Address (BT545S)	2	4,5=00	0C8000H	
			10	Disable
			01	0D8000H
			11	ODCO00H, Def't.
Host BIOS (16K Byte) Address (BT-542D)	3	3,4,5=000		Disable
			100	Reserved
			010	0C8000H
			110	0CC000H
			001	0D0000H
			101	0D4000H
			011	0D8000H
			111	ODCO00H, Default
Maximum Synchronous Data Rate (BT-542D)	3	6=0	Defined by W19.	10 MBytes/sec
		6=1	Refer to Table 2-11.	5 MBytes/sec, Default
	3	7,8		Reserved
Host Interrupt Request	2	6,7,8=000	Reserved	Reserved
			100	Reserved
			010	15
			110	14
			001	12
			101	9
			011	10
111	11, Default			
Host Bus Transfer Rate	3	1,2=00	Defined by W1 1	8.0 MBytes/sec
			10	and W13. Refer
			01	to Table 2-11.
			11	5.0 MBytes/sec, Def't.

**Table 2-11. Summary of the BT-545S/BT-542D Jumper Settings**

	Jumper #	BT-545S	BT-542D
Host Interrupt Channel	w 3	15	15
	w 4	14	14
	w 5	12	12
	W6	11, Default	11, Default
	w 7	10	10
	W8	9	9
Maximum Synchronous Data Rate	W18	Reserved	Defined by
	W19=1	5.0 MBytes/sec	Switch Bay 3.
	W19=0	10 MBytes/sec	
Host Bus Transfer Rate	W1 1 ,W13=00	5.0 MBytes/sec	Defined by
	01	5.7 MBytes/sec	Switch Bay 3.
	10	6.7 MBytes/sec	
	11	8.0 MBytes/sec	
Floppy Subsystem	N14, W15, W16=011	Prim.(3FX), Def't	Prim.(3FX), Default
	111	Sec. (37X)	Sec. (37X)
	X00	Disable	Disable
Host I/O Channel Read	W17 A-B	Enable, Default	Enable, Default
	B-C	Disable	Disable

## INSTALLING THE BT-545S/BT-542D

This section describes how to install the BT-545S/BT-542D in a 16-bit slot inside the PC/AT host system and how to connect it to other devices. Install the BT-545S/BT-542D in your computer by performing the following steps:

1. Remove power from the PC/AT host system.
2. Referring to the PC/AT host system owner's manual, open the case to gain access to the motherboard and expansion slots. If the computer has been on, wait a few minutes until the power supply case has cooled down inside the computer. If the power supply case is cold, touch it to discharge any static electricity that may be on your clothes or body. If a disk controller drive board has been installed, remove all connecting cables to the board and then lift it out of the host computer.
3. Remove the mounting screw and the existing bracket from the rear panel behind the 16-bit slot that has been selected for insertion of the BT-545S/BT-542D. The slot closest to the disk drives is the best choice.

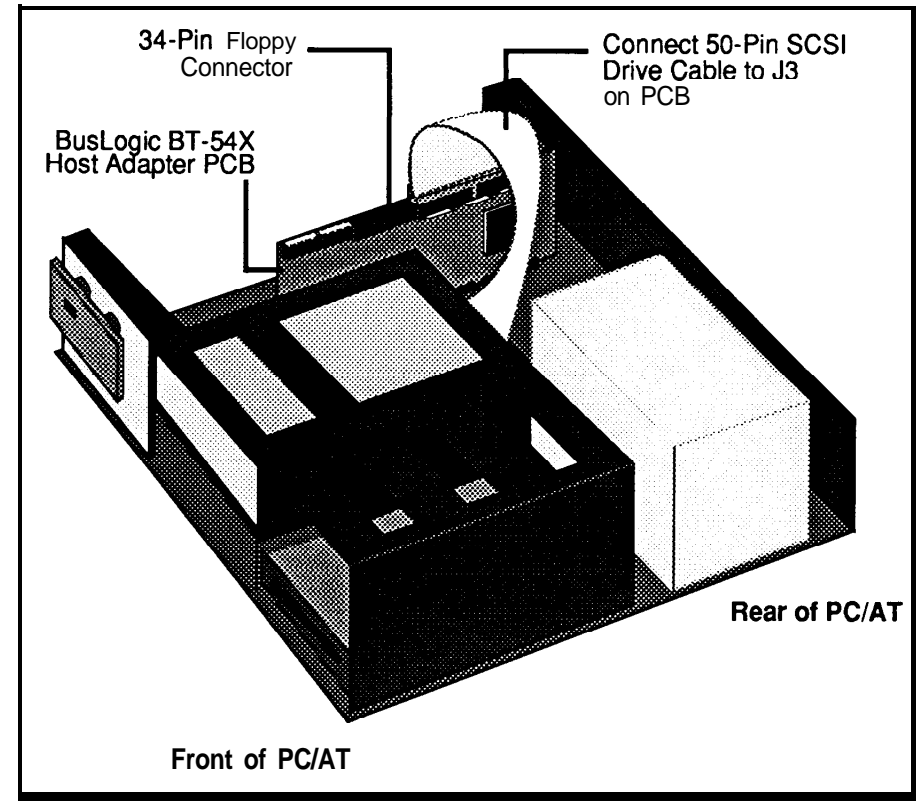
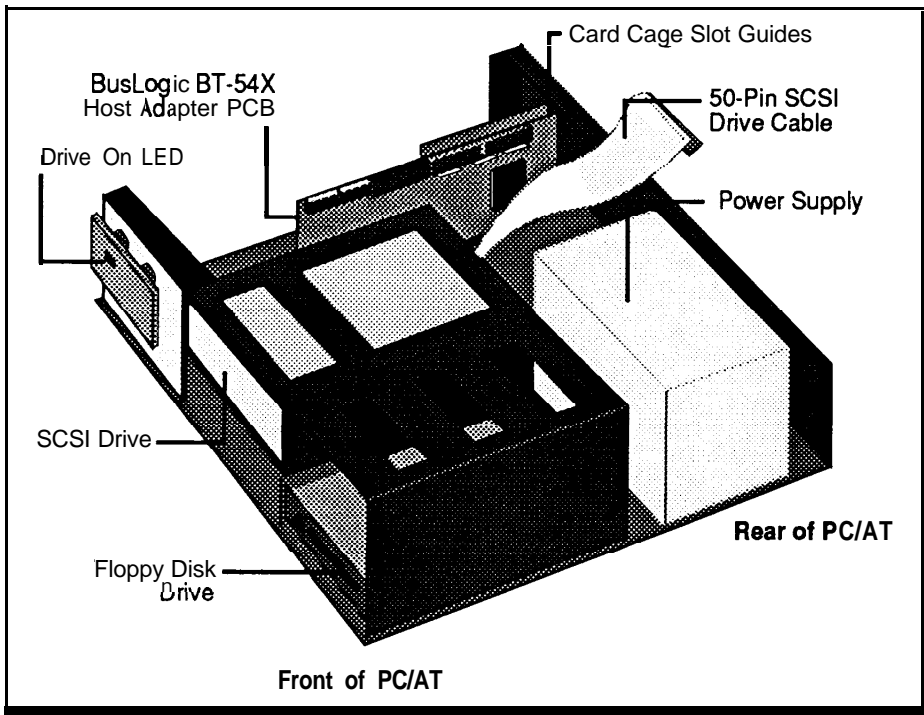
4. If the BT-542D will be installed in a PC/AT host which is not at either end of the SCSI bus, terminators RP11 through RP18 on the board will need to be removed. RP1 1, RP1 2, RP15, and RP18 are 150 ohm resistor packs. RP13, RP14, RP16, and RP1 7 are 330 ohm resistor packs. For the BT-545S, terminators are RP6 and RP7. RP6 and RP7 are 220 ohm/330 ohm resistor packs.

See the heading, "Host Adapter Integration," later in this manual for more information regarding device termination. The BT-545S/BT-542D is shipped with terminators installed.

5. Press the board downward into the selected 16-bit slot, align the mounting bracket, and reinstall the mounting screw.

### CAUTION

*Make sure that the board is properly seated in the slot.*



6. Connect the large **50-pin** connector within the PC/AT host computer to the single-ended SCSI connector, J3. Place the connector cable around the power supply and over any other boards. Depending on the configuration of your computer, other types of cables could be used. See the heading, “Cabling Requirements,” later in this manual for details.
7. If the floppy controller on the **BT-545S/BT-542D** will be used, connect the smaller **34-pin** connector from the floppy disk drive to the J2 connector marked **Floppy**. Make sure the ribbon cable is installed correctly. The dark stripe on the cable indicates where Pin #1 is connected.
8. Insert the four-pin header connector from the drive activity LED on the front panel of the PC/AT host to connector J1 on the **BT-545S/BT-542D**. This connector is reversible and may be plugged into J1 in either direction.
9. Verify that all connections are secure.
10. Reattach and close the cover of the PC/AT host computer as described in the system owner’s manual.

## HOST ADAPTER INTEGRATION

This section describes device termination, cabling requirements, and SCSI device ID selection.

### Device Termination

SCSI devices are daisy chained together with a common cable. All SCSI devices operate on common signals, and both ends of the cable are terminated with hardware “terminators.” Terminators, which can be connected to either SCSI devices or SCSI cables, are required to make data transfers on the SCSI bus reliable.

Devices connected to SCSI chains must have the correct number of terminators for proper operation and to prevent damage to the SCSI chip on the **BT-545S/BT-542D** board. There can be no more than two terminators in a chain of SCSI devices—one at each end of the physical chain. This means that, if more than two SCSI devices are connected in a SCSI daisy chain, the middle device(s) in the control cable must have the terminator resistor packs on the device(s) removed. See Figure 2-1 for the possible configurations of terminators in a SCSI system.

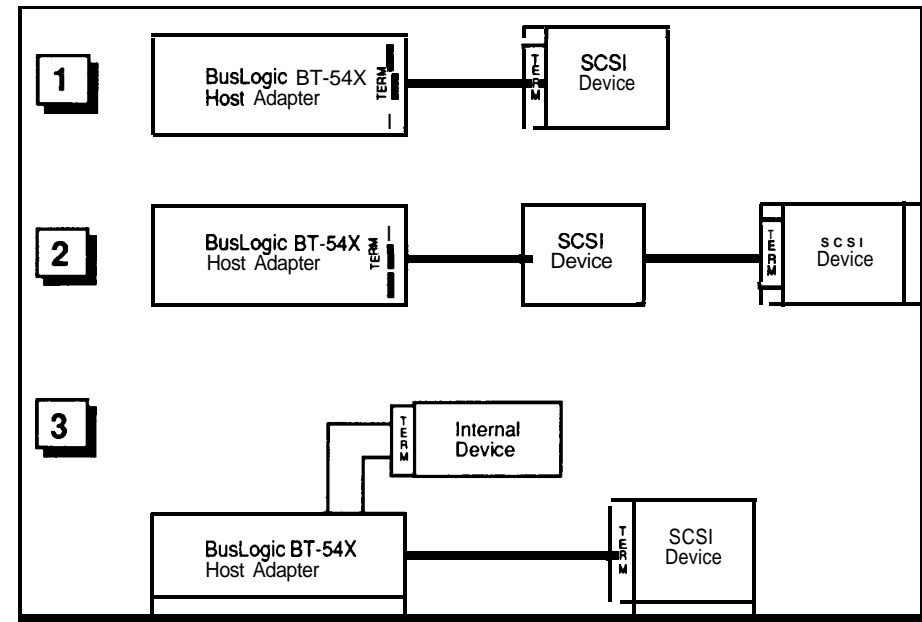


Figure 2-1. SCSI Terminator Configurations



## Cabling Requirements

Selecting the proper SCSI cable for a particular system configuration is of great importance. If two or more SCSI devices are configured in a SCSI daisy chain, the devices must be connected by a **50-conductor** daisy-chain cable.

Before plugging in cable connectors, check that the “▼” mark molded on the connector or the colored stripe on the cable (indicating the location of Pin 1) matches Pin 1 of the connector on the **BT-545S/BT-542D** board.

## SCSI Device ID Selection

The SCSI ID is a number between 0 and 7 assigned to any SCSI device. The SCSI ID number is used by the computer to communicate with the devices connected to it. All SCSI devices must have a unique SCSI number to identify it on the SCSI chain. A SCSI device is usually fixed as either an initiator **or a target, when two** or more SCSI devices communicate, but some devices are capable of performing either role. Devices with higher ID numbers have a higher priority in communicating with the computer.

Most SCSI peripheral devices are shipped with a preassigned SCSI ID number. A SCSI ID switch is usually located on the back panel of such devices. Change the SCSI ID of other peripheral devices only as recommended in the owner's manual. Refer to the heading, “**BT-545S/BT-542D** Switch and Jumper Settings,” earlier in this manual for procedures on how to set the SCSI ID number of the **BT-545S/BT-542D**.

## HARD DISK INITIALIZATION

This section describes the system set up, initialization, partitioning and formatting of hard disk drives used with the **BT-545S/BT-542D**. These procedures will erase all data on your disk drives. Before following these procedures make sure that all necessary data is backed up on another drive.

### Set-up, **Initialization and Partitioning Procedure**

To perform set up, initialization, and partitioning, proceed as follows:


1. After plugging in and connecting your **BT-545S/BT-542D** (see the previous parts of this section), apply power to the PC/AT host system.
2. Insert the system diagnostic diskette in the drive; or execute the host's internal diagnostic/set-up program. See your particular system's installation instructions.
3. In accordance with the menu that appears on the system monitor, run **SETUP** and configure the host CMOS RAM options. Set the hard disk option for SCSI drive to **No Hard Drive Installed**.

The following Steps 4 through 8 may **not** be necessary if your SCSI hard disk drive has already been formatted.


4. Reboot the PC/AT host system and insert the **DOS** diskette containing the **DEBUG** program.

5. After the DOS prompt, type the following for low-level format:

```
A> debug
-
-g=dc00:6
```

A) Type - "debug" & press 

B) System responds with "-" prompt

C) Type - "g=dc00:6" & press   
(If **Switch Bank 2, Switches** 5 and 6 are set for this, otherwise, enter correct BIOS base address)

Means:  
Go BIOS Base Address: Offset Number

6. Perform the following steps on your screen monitor to configure and perform a low-level format on attached devices:

A) The **SCSI Fixed Disk Format Utility** appears on the screen. Enter 1 to view the attached devices and then press **<RETURN>**.

```
SCSI Fixed Disk Format Utility

1. Show all installed drives
2. Select next drive
3. Format current drive
4. Verify current drive
5. Quit (exit to DOS)

Enter Your Option: _
```

B) A list of all attached drives appears under the option prompt. Press the **2** key until the drive to be formatted is the current drive.

C) Press **3 <RETURN>** to format the drive. The following prompt appears:

```
All data on this drive will be lost!
Proceed with low level formatting? (Y/N) _
```

Enter **Y** to proceed with low-level formatting and follow the instructions as they appear on the screen.

D) The system will format the SCSI drive selected. When the format is completed, press any key to go back to the main menu shown in the preceding Step 6A. Enter **4** to verify the drive and then press **<RETURN>**. The following prompt appears.

```
All data on this drive will be verified.
and bad data areas will be reassigned.
Proceed with low level verification? (Y/N) _
```

Enter **Y** to proceed with verification.

E) When the verification is finished, press any key to go back to the main menu shown in the preceding Step 6A. To exit to **DOS**, type:

**5 <RETURN>**

The following Steps 7 and 8 may not be necessary if the operating system to be installed is not DOS.

7. Run the **DOS FDISK** program to partition the disk for the number of cylinders to be used by **DOS**. The following steps are recommended for users who are not familiar with the **DOS FDISK** program. See your **DOS** manual for information on the **FDISK** command.

A) Enter **fdisk <RETURN>**. The following menu appears.

```
FDISK Options

Current Fixed Disk Drive: C

Choose one of the following:

1. Create DOS Partition
2. Change active Partition
3. Delete DOS Partition
4. Display Partition Information

Enter Choice: [1]
```

- B) Enter **1** <RETURN> to create a DOS partition. The following menu appears.

```

Create DOS Partition
Current Fixed Disk Drive: C
Choose one of the following:
  1. Create Primary DOS Partition
  2. Create Extended DOS Partition

Enter Choice: [1]
  
```

- C) Enter **1** <RETURN> to create a primary DOS partition. The next menu appears.

```

Create Primary DOS Partition
Current Fixed Disk Drive: C
Choose one of the following:
Do you wish to use the maximum size
for a DOS partition and make the DOS
partition active (Y/N).....? [Y]
  
```

- D) Enter **Y** <RETURN> to create a primary DOS drive partition with the maximum size. The following prompt appears.

```

System will now restart

Insert DOS diskette in drive A:
Press any key when ready ...
  
```

When the partitioning has been completed (indicated by another prompt), press any key to return to **DOS**.

8. Install DOS by running the **FORMAT** program as instructed by DOS normal installation procedures. The next steps are recommended for operators who are not familiar with the **DOS FORMAT** program.



- A) The following menu appears.

```

A> format c:/v

WARNING: ALL DATA ON NON-REMOVABLE DISK
DRIVE C: WILL BE LOST!

Proceed with Format (Y/N)? [Y]
  
```

1. Enter "format c:/s/v" & press 
2. System responds with **format** warning
3. Enter "Y" & press 

- B) When the format has been completed, the following prompt appears.

```

Format complete
System transferred
Volume label ( 11 characters, ENTER for name )?
  
```

- C) Enter any legal file name to label the volume just created. Refer to your system operator's manual for more details on the **DOS** format procedures.

This concludes the **BT-545S/BT-542D** hardware and software installation procedures.

## WARRANTY INFORMATION

If damage to the board has occurred, return it in the protective envelope with this manual to your **BusLogic** board supplier. The shipping agent should also be notified if the unit has been damaged during shipment. The **BusLogic** warranty conditions are given in the back of this manual.

# APPENDIX A-INTERNAL DIAGNOSTICS

When power is first applied to the BT-545S/BT-542D, an on-board diagnostic routine is run to verify that the major functional components of the board are operating correctly. The bus master chip, the SCSI controller chip, the firmware PROM, the local RAM and internal data buses are tested. Results of the tests are indicated by an LED on the board.

The LED will first turn on when power is applied. If the diagnostics find no malfunctions, the LED will then go off. In normal operation, the LED will be illuminated when command or SCSI bus activity occurs on the board.

If an error is detected by the diagnostics, the LED will repeatedly flash a specific number of times, with a long pause between flashes, to indicate the board function which failed. This will continue until the board is powered down or reset. Failure interpretation from the number of flashes is as follows:

Number of LED Flashes	Interpretation of Failure
Always On	BT-545S/BT-542D is not operating or terminators are missing.
1	Firmware ROM checksum failure.
2	Local RAM test failure.
3	SCSI controller chip or SCSI interface failure.
4	Internal data bus failure.
5	Internal address bus failure.
6	Bus master chip failure
7	SCSI drive type mismatch*
Constantly Flashing	Fuse Blown.

\*This error message is only applicable to the BT-542D when single-ended SCSI drives are connected to the differential SCSI bus.

## CLASS B EQUIPMENT

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in residential installation. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause **harmful interference** to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different than that to which the receiver is connected
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio or television technician for help.

### Modifications

The FCC requires the user to be notified that any changes or modifications made to this device that are not expressly approved by **BusLogic** Inc. may void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

### Cables

External connections to this device must be made with shielded cables with **metallic RFI/EMI** connector hoods in order to maintain compliance with FCC Rules and Regulations.

## MODIFICATIONS TO PRODUCT DESIGN

The material in this manual is for information only and is subject to change without prior notice to its users. **BusLogic** Inc. reserves the right to make changes in the product design without notice to its users.

# PRODUCT SUPPORT RECORD

The information on this page should be compiled and provided to your supplier in writing to obtain technical support assistance. This will enable your supplier to respond more rapidly and more appropriately to your problem.

## About BusLogic Product:

BusLogic Product No: \_\_\_\_\_

Serial Number \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Purchase \_\_\_\_\_

Firmware Version Number: \_\_\_\_\_

BIOS Version Number: \_\_\_\_\_

## Purchased From:

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## Purchased By:

Name/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

## About System Hardware Configuration:

System Manufacturer: \_\_\_\_\_

System Model and Speed: \_\_\_\_\_

System BIOS Manufacturer: \_\_\_\_\_

Memory in System: \_\_\_\_\_

Hard Drives on System: \_\_\_\_\_

## About System Software Configuration:

Operating System/Version: \_\_\_\_\_

Application Program/Version: \_\_\_\_\_

## Detailed Description of Problem:

# STANDARD WARRANTY

**BusLogic** warrants that subject to the terms of this policy the Products shall be free from defects due to faulty material or workmanship on the part of **BusLogic** for a period of one year from the date of delivery.

This warranty shall not apply if the products have been subject to misuse by Customer or any other party; if any material alteration, addition, amendment, or modification shall have been carried out without the prior written consent of **BusLogic**; failure to install or operate the Products in accordance to **BusLogic's** Product reference manual; or failure caused by improper or inadequate maintenance of users.

**BusLogic** will make good by repair or at its option by replacement any Products which become defective within the warranty period. Repairs will be warranted for 90 days. Products or parts replaced under this provision shall become the property of **BusLogic**.

BEFORE RETURNING A PRODUCT FOR REPAIR, BUYER MUST REQUEST A RETURN MATERIAL AUTHORIZATION (**RMA**) NUMBER FROM **BUSLOGIC**.

All Products under warranty returned to **BusLogic** for repair shall be returned to Customer at **BusLogic's** expense. Shipping costs for all Products returned to **BusLogic** for repair which are out of the warranty period shall be at Customer's expense both to and from **BusLogic**.

Customer is expressly prohibited from issuing Debit Memos for material returned under the provisions of this warranty.

**BusLogic** shall notify Customer in the event that the Products returned for repair are not, in **BusLogic's** sole opinion, within this Warranty condition and, unless disposition instructions are given for such Products within thirty (30) days of such notification, the Products will be returned to Customer freight collect.

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IN NO EVENT SHALL **BUSLOGIC** BE LIABLE FOR ANY LOSS OF PROFITS OF FOR ANY OTHER INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES.

No action against **BusLogic** for breach of the warranty shall be commenced more than one (1) year after the accrual of the cause of action.

Customer also agrees to perform its duties and responsibilities under **BusLogic's** Warranty Policy, which shall be updated from time to time.