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Revision History

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1.0	2009/12/22	Initial release
2.00	2012/09/28	1. Changed to ASIX Electronics Corp. logo, strings and contact information.
		2. Changed document revision number format to "x.xx".
		3. Re-arranged the whole document descriptions.



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1. Introduction

This document provides the information about how to install the serial and parallel ports for MCS99xx PCIe to Serial and Parallel I/O ports on DOS 6.22 environment. Normally any serial and parallel I/O ports can be supported by BIOS call services in DOS environment. However DOS supports only 4 serial ports (3F8h, 2F8h, 3E8h, 2E8h) and 3 parallel ports (3BCh/378h/278h).

2. Files Descriptions

File Name	Description
STNDOSIN.EXE	MCS99xx DOS Configuration Tool
STCONFIG.CFG	MCS99xx Serial/Parallel Ports Configuration Data File

3. Tool Usage

Usage : **StnDosIn** [<options>]

By default, StnDosIn displays COM/LPT ports.

Options

- -a[dd] = Add Saturn Ports
- -c[onfig]:<parameters> = Configure Saturn Ports
- -d[elete] = Delete Saturn Ports
- -r[emap] = Remap Saturn ports to legacy ports
- -f[ile] = Remap Saturn ports to legacy(Custom IO-Base) ports
- -s[ilent] = Silent mode
- -u[nused] = remap to all Unused legacy port i/o base, without consideration of COM/LPT number
- -t[est] = Test ports

Config Option Parameters

- -c[onfig]:lpt[1|2|3]=[spp|bpp|ppf|epp|ecp]
- e.g., -config:lpt=spp would set all LPT ports to SPP
- e.g., -c:lpt1=spp would set lpt1 to SPP
- e.g., -c:lpt1=spp,lpt2=bpp would set lpt1 to SPP and lpt2=BPP

4. Installation Procedures

The following procedure explains how to install MCS99xx serial and parallel I/O ports on DOS.

Step 1: Run "stndosin" to confirm Device detection. (Eg. MCS99xx)
Following information is displayed For 2 Serial and 1 Parallel Port

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PCI Device Configurations...

Found Moschip Semiconductor pci device 9900 (1000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00

Found Moschip Semiconductor pci device 9900 (1000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00

Found Moschip Semiconductor pci device 9900 (2000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00

Detected 3 pci device(s).

Step 2: Run "stndosin -a" command to add MCS99xx ports on DOS platform. On Successful installation, information is displayed as below:

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PCI Device Configurations...

No COM/LPT port found.

Found Moschip Semiconductor pci device 9900 (1000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00 SerialPort1 at B480

Found Moschip Semiconductor pci device 9900 (1000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00 SerialPort1 at B800

Found Moschip Semiconductor pci device 9900 (2000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00 PrinterPort1 at BC00

Detected 3 pci device(s).

COM1 added at B480 (IRQ 11)

COM2 added at B800 (IRQ 10)

LPT1 added at BC00 (IRQ 5)



Step 3: Run "**stndosin -a -r**" command to remap the MCS99xx serial/parallel ports to legacy I/O ports.

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COM1 exists COM2 exists

LPT1 exists

PCI Device Configurations...

Found Moschip Semiconductor pci device 9900 (1000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00 SerialPort1 at 3E8

Found Moschip Semiconductor pci device 9900 (1000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00 SerialPort1 at 2E8

Found Moschip Semiconductor pci device 9900 (2000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00 PrinterPort1 at 278

Detected 3 pci device(s).

COM1 added at 3E8 (IRQ 11)

COM2 added at 2E8 (IRQ 10)

LPT1 added at 278 (IRQ 5)

5. Remap Serial/Parallel Ports to Customized I/O Ports

Use the following steps to remap MCS99xx ports to customize I/O addresses.

Step 1: Type "edit stconfig.cfg" and press enter to edit the contents of config file.

Step 2: You can view following information in the config file as shown below.

Ox3e8 Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef
Ox2e8 Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef
Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef
Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef Oxdef

Note:

- 1. The first four-column fields in "blue" color are for COM ports setting and the last three-column fields in "red" are for Parallel port setting.
- 2. Above 2S1P mode example, first row =First serial port 0x3E8; second row = Second serial port 0x2E8; third row = Parallel port 0x278.
- 3. Support for 485 / 422 Feature is not available in the current version of DOS configuration tool.
- Step 3: Specify the required I/O address you want to change for serial / parallel ports in the config file.
- Step 4: Save it and close the config file after relevant changes.
- Step 5: Type "stndosin -a -f" command to remap.

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COM1 exists COM2 exists

LPT1 exists

PCI Device Configurations...

Found Moschip Semiconductor pci device 9900 (1000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00 SerialPort1 at 3E8

Found Moschip Semiconductor pci device 9900 (1000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00 SerialPort1 at 2E8

Found Moschip Semiconductor pci device 9900 (2000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00 PrinterPort1 at 278

Detected 3 pci device(s).

COM1 added at 3E8 (IRQ 11)

COM2 added at 2E8 (IRQ 10)

LPT1 added at 278 (IRQ 5)

6. Serial/Parallel Ports Loopback Test

Run "stndosin -t" command to test MCS99xx Serial or Parallel Ports.

Note that need to connect external loop back connectors to the serial and parallel ports before running this test.

COM1 exists

COM2 exists

COM3 exists

COM4 exists

LPT1 exists

PCI device configurations....

Found Moschip Semiconductor pci devices 9901(1000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00

Serial port at 9000: Test pass.

Found Moschip Semiconductor pci devices 9901(1000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00

Serial port at 9400: Test pass.

Found Moschip Semiconductor pci devices 9901(1000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00

Serial port at 9800: Test pass.

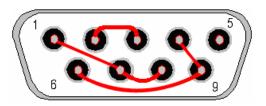
Found Moschip Semiconductor pci devices 9901(1000A000) Rev00 on Bus01 Slot00

Serial port at 9C00: Test pass.

Detected 4 pci device(s).

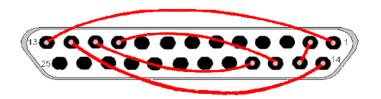
Loopback Connectors:

1. Serial Loop back connection:



Female DB-9 connector - Rear view

2. Parallel Loop back connection::



Male DB-25 connector - Rear view



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