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### **Gratitude**

Dear Users,

Thank you for choosing Giada product.

In such an epoch of PC development, we launched Giada Mini PC which is characterized by the mini shape, vogue and ultra-thin structure, environment friendly, lower power consumption. Giada provided with multiple functions, including serving as exclusive downloader, small server, internet access for office work and higher mobility when compared with traditional PCs. Giada will allow you to undergo new experience in the field.

This User's Manual would allow you better understand the device. Therefore, please carefully read the whole manual before you operate the device.

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### I. Introduction to the Manual

#### 1. Precautions

In order to prevent the PC from being damaged, extend its service time, and ensure your normal use and personal safety, please carefully read the whole User's Manual and the related safety information and strictly follow the requirements in it. You should also keep the Manual well.

- Please read the documents attached to the product first. The page exclusively inserted should be read firstly.
- · Please observe all alarm information and marks on safety.
- Please use the original power adapter, or use special power supply mentioned in the Manual.
- Place place the product correctly on your table and make sure the anti-sliding base is installed.
- In lightning time, do not plug or unplug the phone cable, network cable, power cord or other conductors connecting outside.
- Unplug the power cord before you clean the device. Never use liquid, sprayed cleaning agent or wet cloth to clean the product.
- In order to protect the operating system, motherboard and hard disk, please
  do not keep pressing the power switch or the reset key. Avoid interrupt power
  failure during system's running, which might also physically damage the
  operating system.
- Do not remove the shell or repair the product without permission. such work should be done by professionals.
- · Keep the PC away from heat source.

Never block the heat vents. Keep your PC away from direct sunshine.

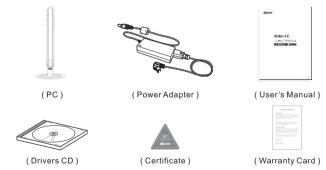
· Keep the product away from moisture.

Never spill water or other liquid onto it. You should call the professional service personnel under following circumstances:

- a. The power cord or plug was damaged.
- b. Conductive liquid went into the product.
- c. The product was dropped onto the ground or its shell was damaged.
- d. When unidentified errors occurred or the product's performance is obviously deteriorated, please cut off power immediately and contact professional technicians.

#### 2. Accessories

Your Giada consists of the accessories in the table below. If any of them is missing, please contact your local distributor or the customer service center timely.



- · Host (with base frame) 1 unit
- · Remote control 1 piece
- · Disk 1 piece
- Warranty Card 1 copy

- · Adapter (with power cord) 1 piece
- User's Manual 1 copy
- Certificate of Conformity 1 copy

Note: Picture is just for your reference, please subject to the physicals.

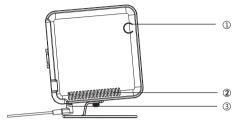


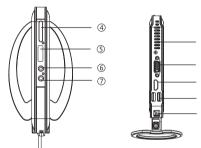
# **II. About the product**

### 1. Appearance



Giada mini PC with multiple interfaces can be connected to various types of monitors, storage devices and so on. There are some brief for all kinds of pictures in following table. The table will make you better understand the structure of the product.





- 1 Power button
- 2 vent
- 3 Power in
- (4) Card reader
- 5 USB/Esata port
- 6 Audio-out
- 7 Mic-in
- 8 Port of heat sink
- 9 VGA Port
- 10 HDMI Port
- (11) USB port
- 12 RJ45 LAN port

Icon	Description	Use	Position
ტ	Power button	wer button To start the PC	
	Vent	To allow air to get through	2
	Power in	To connect power adapter	3
[m	Card reader To read SD/MMC/MS/MS PRO storage card		4
USB/Esata port To conne		To connect to USB/Esata devices	(5)
$\cap$	Audio-out	To connect audio output device	6
No.	Mic-in	To connect audio input device	7
	Port of heat sink	To allow the heat to be vented out	8
VGA	VGA Port	To connect VGA analog monitor	9
HDMI	HDMI HDMI Port To connect HDMI digital monitor		10
•← 2.0	USB port	To connect USB devices	11)
器 RJ45 LAN port		To link to the internet	12



## III. System setup

#### 2. Features

#### A. Slim appearance and High mobility

Giada mini PC is only one-thirtieth of the desktop PC and less than 1kg, easy to be carried anywhere. Your space can be saved with the stylish appearance and book-size structure.

#### B. Household downloader/server

The product also features its environmental-friendly design, lower power consumption (only 1/3 of traditional PC, less than that of ordinary power saving lamps), improved laptop radiating technology and low noise. Low power consumption and quiet running make it particularly suitable for downloading in sleeping time.





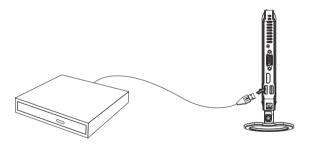


#### 1. Install an operating system

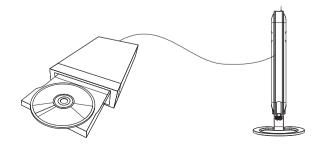
This product supports Windows XP, Windows Vista, Windows 7 and other normal operating systems. If you want to install a new or change your current operating system, you can consult your local distributor, or you can connect the PC to an external CD-ROM or DVD-ROM and use the disk for installation.

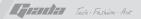
**NOTE:** According to USB specification, USB interface provides maximum 600MA current. In order to protect the safety of electrical machine, we suggest using USB devices with outlay power supply if it has large power dissipation.

Step1. Connect the external CD-ROM or DVD-ROM to PC and start up.



Step2. Put your operating system disk in the external USB device.





Step3. Press "F12" on your keyboard while "Giada" logo appears on your screen after starting up. (see the picture showed below)



Step4. A window pops up as the picture below. It lists all the possible booting devices you've connect to the PC, choose the one with operating system disk and press "enter".



Step5. Follow the instructions to complete install.

#### 2. Drivers install

After the operating system has been installed, we need to install some hardware drivers.

**NOTE:** Pictures below just showing the driver install steps, please see the real product for detailed information.

Step1. Put the drivers CD into CD-ROM, an user interface pop up automatically. Click the "Drivers" button for next step. (for Windows XP, Windows Vista, Windows 7 OS)



Step2. The driver install program will sense your PC, and list all the drivers you need.



Step3. Install all the listed drivers follow by the program instruction, and than restart the computer.

#### Caution:

- If you are using a wireless LAN card with Bluetooth, the Bluetooth function is NOT supported under Windows VISTA.
- Some hardware have driver for Linux, they are in the document named "Linux".



## IV. Equipment expansion

#### 1. Card Reader

The card reader of this product can support SD, MS, MS PRO, MMC and other mobile memory cards. It also supports PNP and hot swapping.

• Insert the mobile memory card into PC through the top port on it and pay attention to the card's sides. Never use excessive force when inserting the card. Otherwise the memory card or the slot may be damaged.

Note: SD/MMC: with the omitted angle facing the right; MS/MS PRO: with the omitted angle facing the left.

- · Exit of memory card:
  - (1) Stop operation on the card;
  - (2) "Safely remove" the card through the operating system;
  - (3) Take out the card gently.

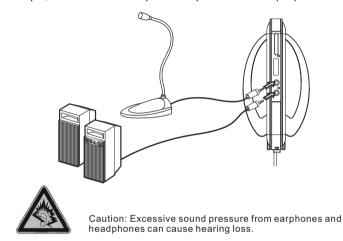


#### 2. USB device

The five USB interfaces can support various types of USB devices, including USB CD-ROM, USB mobile device, USB mouse and USB TV card.

#### 3. Audio device

You can connect the external microphone (or other audio input equipment) to audio input, and connect the earphone or speaker to the output port.



#### 4. Network device

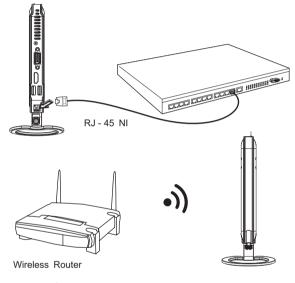
The WIFI device embedded in the product can help you set up a network, either cabled or wireless. Make sure you have installed the hub or switch before you set up the network. To construct a LAN or other network, please refer to following photos.

Note: Before setting up the network, please make sure you have properly installed the drivers for the network interface card and WIFI.

#### A. Cabled network

 Insert the terminal of network cable, which comes from the hub or server, into the RJ-45 port, and make sure the connection is correct and firm.

 Please refer to the related instructions of operating systems and properly install the driver and related applications for the network.



#### B. Wireless network

With the embedded wireless network device, you can connect your PC to the Internet through the access point.

**Note**: To form a small-scale LAN for home use or office work, you need both the wireless network device embedded in the product and a wireless router.

- Start your wireless router, and make proper configurations for it in accordance with the operating instructions or instructions from the carrier.
- · Start the WIFI device through the operating system of the host.
- Based on the instructions of operating system on network construction, select the wireless network and make correct configurations for the software.

## V. Power supply and maintenance

#### 1. Adapter

In order to avoid personal injury and ensure the normal operation of the product, please make sure the AC power you provide conforms to the specifications described on the sign at the back of the adapter. Use three-core receptacle and reliable grounding. In addition, you should also make sure the voltage from your local power matches the respective rated value of the monitor and other external equipment.

- It is recommended the attached adapter be used. If the attached adapter can't
  be used under some special circumstances, you must use a adapter with the
  same specification. (except Japan area)
- Input Characteristics
   Range of input voltage: 90Vac-264Vac, single phase

	Min.		Max.	
Input Voltage	90Vac	100Vac~240Vac	264Vac	
Input Frequency	47Hz	60Hz/50Hz	63Hz	

Output Characteristics
 Static Output Characteristics <Vo & R+N>

Output	Rated Load		Peak Load	Voltage	Ripple& Noise
Rail	Min.Load	Max.Load	Feak Load	regulation	Max mVp-p
+19V	0.0A	2.0A	/	±5%	190mV



#### 2. Maintenance

As a high-tech product with sophisticated structure, Giada Mini PCs needs to be maintained properly. Misuse or rough handling may result in damage or system failure.

**Caution:** Risk of explosion if battery is replaced by an incorrect type. Dispose of used batteries according to the instructions.

#### Body

Please do not remove the protective film on the surface before using, and prevent sharp objects from scratching on it. Make sure the power supply to the host is cut off before cleaning the body. Never use wet cloth for cleaning. Otherwise, water drops or other conductive liquid may go into the host. To clean the base of the host, you should first remove the host. At the time, you should put the host in a safe place where is won't slide down or fall onto the ground.

#### Handling

#### This product is an ultra-light PC

Never place the product at the edge of the table. Otherwise, it may fall on the ground and be damaged.

Always check the peripheral equipment and the connection cables to see whether they are properly arranged, so that people might not be stumbled by the wire or equipment and equipment not damaged.

#### Radiation

Radiation is of great significance for PCs. Please place the product in a proper position. Never block the air inlet and air outlet that are used for ventilation. Do not place the product onto the bed, sofa or other soft objects for use. Otherwise, the vents might be blocked and system halted because of the overheating.

#### Interfaces

Never use other objects to jam the interfaces on the host, nor use sharp objects to scratch the pins. Otherwise, the pins might be damaged. If there is any poor contact, you can use a soft brush to dust the place.

## VI. Troubleshooting

Giada Mini PC was designed with the latest technologies and strictly tested before delivery. It can provide long continuous working period and few failures might occur. You may encounter some simple problems on setup, operation or system compatibility at times you use the product. In this part, we will present the information on how to identify the cause of a failure and how to solve the problems.

**Identification**: When your PC has a problem, please check it by referring the information provided below:

- 1. PC has no reaction after the host is powered on.Make sure the power is supplied to the host and the monitor, and check the power supply is normal running state. If the hardware has been upgraded, make sure the new hardware was properly and reliably installed. Check whether all signal cables are properly connected, including cables between the keyboard and host, and mouse and host.
- 2. Host is automatically shut off. Please check whether the power supply is cut off, or the power adapter is firmly inserted.
- 3. After the host is started, the start-up information appears. However, the operating system can't be loaded. The start-up order of setup tools is not compatible with the configuration of the PC, or a password is set for your operating system. In the latter case, you should enter the password to load the operating system.
- 4. Speaker sounds when the system is being electrified. Check whether there is any part inside the host, especially whether the hard disk and memory are properly installed. Note: The shell of the host should be opened only with the assistance of professionals from Giada.
- 5. When the system is started, it seems the set parameters of the host have been

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changed. It is possible the BIOS setup made at the time the system exited last time was not saved

- 6. PC stops responding Press <Ctrl+Alt+Del> to terminate the program whose response is stopped. If the system can't be restored after a long time, you should press the power switch on the host to turn off the PC, and start it. Then check whether the newly installed hardware is compatible with your system.
- 7. PC runs slowly and system halted frequently. Use antivirus software to check whether the system is infected. Check whether excessive programs are added when the computer is being started. They may temporarily occupy too many resources. If many programs are installed in your system and the system has not been optimized for a long time, it will also run slowly. In this case, you should run the optimization software programs for the disk, or run the third-party optimization software. If the problem still exists after above measures are taken, it is recommended that the operating system be re-installed.
- 8. Abnormal display and sound. If some software or game programs can't run normally, you should check whether the software failure is caused by wrong operation (including wrong installation of operating system and driver). Check whether the version of your DirectX is conforming.
- 9. Sound disappeared abruptly. Check whether the connection between power amplifier and speaker are reliable, and double click the volume icon to see whether the audio part is set as "mute".
- 10. Can't access to Internet. Check whether the network system is properly connected, or the wireless router runs normally. Check whether the driver for the network equipment is properly installed and the related parameters are

correctly set. Finally, make sure the ISP service is still valid.

- 11. System can't access the information on hard disk. Check whether the hard disk is infected by virus. Note whether the hard disk is detected during the self-detection process.
- 12. Blue screen and system crash. Check whether the system is infected by virus. If the problem still exists, it is recommended that the operating system be re-installed.
- 13. PC can't recognize USB devices or USB devices can't run normally. Check whether these devices are properly installed (or the power is turned on), or the latest version of the drive for the device is installed.
- 14. When you first install the operating system, after installed display driver, the display resolution settings should be:
  - (1) If only connected the HDMI devices, the default display mode is single mode, and the display device is notebook. The maximum rate can achieve 1366X768, (can also set other higher resolution, but the screen will be missed). If you connected to the CRT display device at this moment, the screen will not display. Please press CTRL + ALT + F1 to switch for the Intel (R) Dual Display Clone mode after enter the operating system.
  - (2)If only connected CRT display device, the default display mode is the Intel (R) Dual Display Clone mode, the best resolution if the display is greater than 1366X768, will not achieve the best resolution display devices, display devices need to manually set the most good resolution

    Steps: right click desktop -> click "screen resolution" -> Settings "resolution"

Copp. Fight disk desired and the related parameters are



(3)If HDMI and CRT display devices were connected at the same time, the default display mode is the Intel (R) Dual Display clone mode, the maximum resolution can be up to 1366x768 (can also set other higher resolution, but the HDMI display will be missed).

If the problem can't solved even after the above measures are taken, you may contact our customer service center or log in the official forum of Giada.

Please prepare the materials listed below before you contact so as to receive prompt service from us.

- True product name and model;
- · Product code and its serial number;
- · Date of purchase;
- Brief introduction of the problem on your PC;
- Information concerning the software and other external hardware.