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### INTRODUCTION:

B215 IS A INTELLIGMENT FLOPPY DISK CONTROLLER WHICH IS DESIGNED AS PER THE NEW SPECIFICATIONS OF DISK DRIVERS OF PC/XT<sup>TM</sup>, PC/AT<sup>TM</sup>, PC/AT<sup>TM</sup>.386.

ON YOUR PC/XTTM PC/ATTM, PC/ATTM-386 SYSTEM.

THE MOST POWERFULL FUCTION OF B215 FLOPPY DISK CONTROLLER IS THAT YOU CAN USE TWO FLOPPY DISK DRIVER, AND FORMAT < READ, WARITE > ANY KINDS OF DISK DRIVE SUCH AS 5.25" 360KB/1.2MB OR 3.5" 720KB/1.44MB DISK DRIVES. WHEN YOU USE B215 CARD, YOU DO NOT CARE THAT YOUR SYSTEM IS PC/XT<sup>TM</sup>, PC/AT<sup>TM</sup> OR PC/AT<sup>TM</sup>.386; YOU DO NOT CARE THAT YOUR SYSTEM BIOS IS AWARD, PHOENIX, OR AMI...; AND THE SETUP < DIAGNOSTIC > PROGRAM IS SUPPORTED TO INSTALL 720KB/1.44MB DISK DRIVES FUNCTION OR NOT. ANY KINDS OF SYSTEM WITH DISK DRIVES CAN BE RUN UNDER B215 CARD.

NOTE: IF YOU USE B215 FORMAT DISKETTE HAVE SOME TROUBLE, SUGGEST YOU CHANGE DOSTM VERSION TO MS-DOS VERSION 3.3, OR PC-DOSTM VERSION 3.20 OR 3.3

IF YOU USE TWO DRIVER, PLEASE PULL UP THE DIP RESISTOR OF DRIVER B.

THE DETAILED FUNCTIONS AS FOLLOWS:

A. IT CAN BE USED ON THE FOLLOWING SYSTEMS

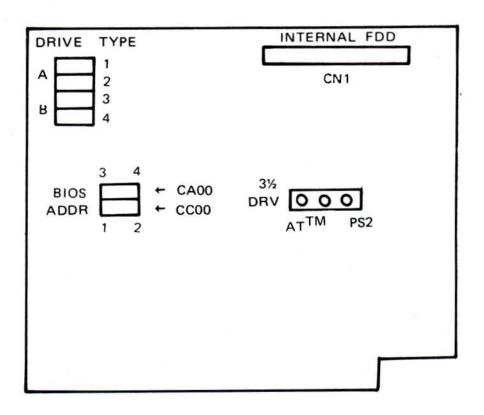
CPU	CLOCK
8088	4.77MHZ
8088	4.77MHZ/8MHZ/10MHZ
8086	6MHZ/8MHZ
80286	6M/8M/10M/12M/16MHZ
80386	15MHZ/20MHZ/24MHZ
	8088 8088 8086 80286

B. IT CAN CONNECT THE FOLLOWING FLOPPY DISK DRIVES.

SIZE	TRANSFER RATE	CAPACITY
	250 KBS	360 KBYTE
5.25"	300 KBS	360KB/1.2MBYTE
	500 KBS	1.2 MBYTE
	250 KBS	720 KBYTE
3.5"	250 KBS	720KB/1.44MBYTE
	500 KBS	1.44MBYTE

## JUMPER FUNCTIONS SETTING:

FIG 2-1 THE B215 PHISCAL COMPONENT SIZE:



(A) DRV TYPE: DRIVE TYPE SELECTION DIP-SWITCH

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NOTE: — is JP Close.

□ □ is JP Open.

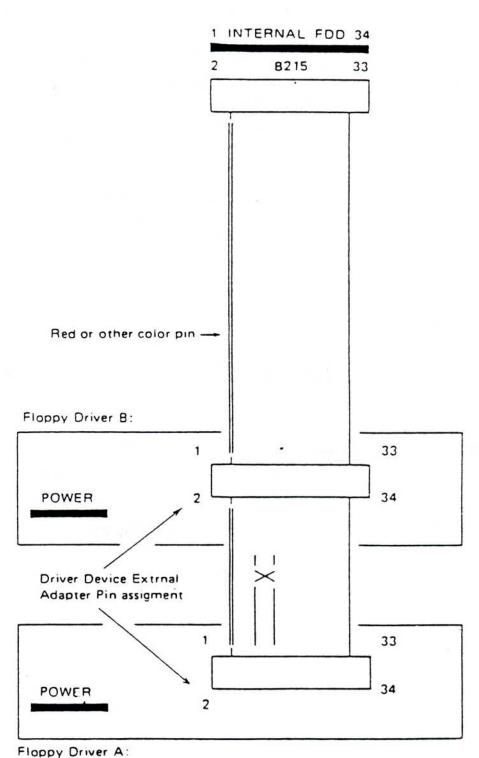
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A:	0 0	0 0	1.4MB

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V	0-0	0 0	720KB
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В:	0 0		1.4MB

## (B) INTERNAL FDD: Floppy D:sk < DRV A: & B: > Cable Agapter

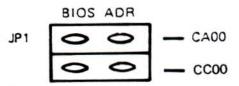
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	Index	8	
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	Driver Select B	12	
ov	Driver Select A	14	
ce oter	Motor Enable B	16	Floody Intertace
12	Direction	18	Adaoter
	Step Pulse	20	
	Write Data	22	1
Ī	Write Enable	24	
Ī	Track 0	26	1
	Write Protect	28	
	Read Data	30	
	Select Head	32	1
	Diskchange	34	

### CABLE CONNECTION:



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(C) BIOS ADR: Floppy Disk BIOS Address Decode Position



THE BIOS ADDRESS JUMPER IS SUPPORT FDC USED, OUR B215 ROM DECODE ADDRESS IS LOCATION CHAX> CA00 or CC00.

(D) 3½ DRV SELECTOR: 3½ FDD 1.44B TYPE SELECTOR



THIS JUMPER SELECT THE DRIVE TYPE OF THE 3.5"
MINI-DRIVE, CONTROL DRIVE INTERFACE PIN-2.
IF YOU DOESN'T KNOW WHAT THE TYPE YOUR DRIVE,
PLEASE TEST SELECT JUMPER 'AT, TM & 'PS2'.

