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# Generic TC-120 XC-120 Motherboard User Manual

Model: 8012111966436

## INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the installation, operation, and maintenance of the Generic TC-120 XC-120 Motherboard (Model: 8012111966436). Designed for personal computers, desktops, and laptops, this motherboard features an LGA 775 CPU socket, compatibility with Intel Core 2 DUO processors, and an AMD 785E chipset. Please read this manual thoroughly before proceeding with installation to ensure proper functionality and longevity of your component.

## SETUP AND INSTALLATION

Proper installation is crucial for the stability and performance of your system. Follow these steps carefully.

### 1. Pre-Installation Checklist

- Ensure your power supply is disconnected from the wall outlet.
- Gather necessary tools: Phillips head screwdriver, anti-static wrist strap.
- Verify compatibility of your CPU (Intel Core 2 DUO), RAM, and other components.

### 2. Motherboard Overview

Familiarize yourself with the layout of the motherboard. The image below highlights key areas including the CPU socket, memory slots, and various connectors.

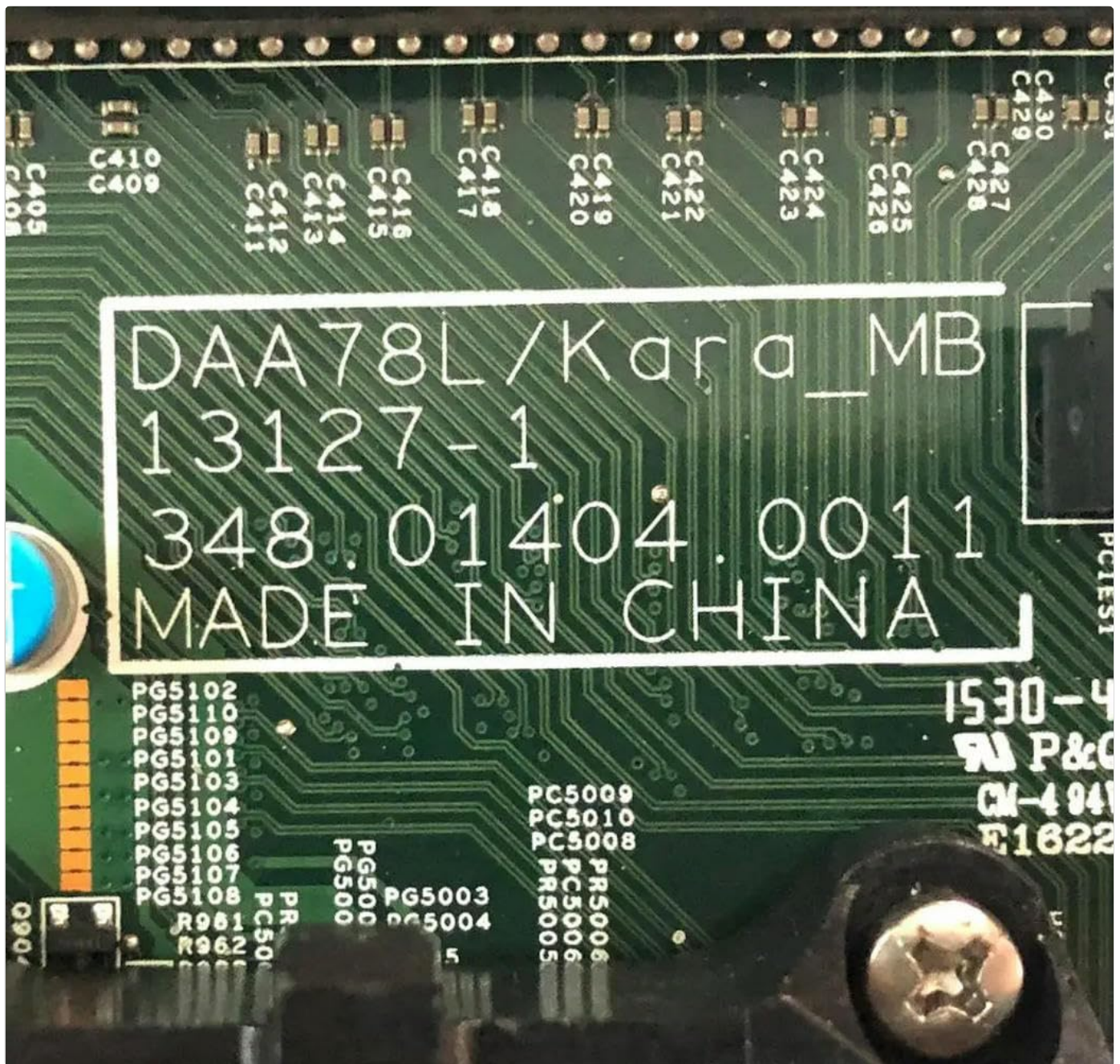


Image: Close-up view of the Generic TC-120 XC-120 Motherboard, showing the DAA78L/Kara\_MB 13127-1 348.01404.0011 model number and "MADE IN CHINA" inscription. This image provides a detailed look at the board's components and markings.

### 3. CPU Installation

1. Gently lift the CPU socket lever.
2. Align the CPU (Intel Core 2 DUO) with the LGA 775 socket, ensuring the gold triangle on the CPU matches the marking on the socket.
3. Carefully lower the CPU into the socket without forcing it.
4. Close the socket lever to secure the CPU.

### 4. Memory (RAM) Installation

This motherboard has 2 memory slots.

1. Open the clips at both ends of the memory slots.
2. Align the notch on the DDR2/DDR3 memory module with the key in the memory slot.
3. Press down firmly on both ends of the memory module until the clips snap into place.

## 5. Power Connections

- Connect the 24-Pin Main Power Connector from your power supply to the corresponding port on the motherboard.
- Connect the 4-pin or 8-pin CPU power connector (if applicable) to the motherboard.

## 6. Graphics Card Installation (PCI Express)

Insert your PCI Express graphics card into the designated slot until it clicks securely.

# OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Once all components are installed and connected, you can power on your system.

### 1. Initial Boot-up

- Connect your monitor, keyboard, and mouse.
- Connect the power cord to your power supply and a wall outlet.
- Press the power button on your computer case.
- The system should boot to the BIOS/UEFI screen or begin loading your operating system.

### 2. BIOS/UEFI Configuration

Access the BIOS/UEFI by pressing the designated key (e.g., Del, F2, F10) during boot-up. Here you can configure boot order, system time, and other advanced settings.

# MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance helps ensure the longevity and optimal performance of your motherboard and system.

- **Dust Removal:** Periodically clean dust from the motherboard and components using compressed air. Ensure the system is powered off and unplugged before cleaning.
- **BIOS Updates:** Check the manufacturer's website for BIOS/UEFI updates. Updates can improve compatibility, stability, and performance. Follow update instructions carefully to avoid system damage.
- **Component Checks:** Ensure all cables and components are securely seated. Loose connections can lead to instability.

# TROUBLESHOOTING

This section addresses common issues you might encounter.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
System does not power on.	Loose power connections, faulty power supply, incorrect front panel wiring.	Check 24-Pin and CPU power connectors. Verify power supply functionality. Ensure front panel power button is correctly connected.
No display on monitor.	Graphics card not seated properly, monitor cable disconnected, faulty RAM.	Reseat graphics card. Check monitor cable connection. Reseat RAM modules. Test with one RAM module at a time.
System reboots unexpectedly.	Overheating, unstable power, faulty components.	Ensure proper cooling and airflow. Check power supply stability. Run diagnostic tests on components.

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## SPECIFICATIONS

Detailed technical specifications for the Generic TC-120 XC-120 Motherboard.

- Model Number:** 8012111966436
- ASIN:** B0CYGZXJWN
- Brand:** Generic
- CPU Socket:** LGA 775
- Compatible Processors:** Intel Core 2 DUO
- Chipset Type:** AMD 785E
- Memory Slots:** 2
- Memory Clock Speed:** 1333 MHz
- Main Power Connector:** 24-Pin
- Graphics Card Interface:** PCI Express
- Compatible Devices:** Personal Computer, Desktop, Laptop
- Number of Ports:** 2 (General I/O ports)
- Date First Available:** March 19, 2024

## SUPPORT AND WARRANTY

For technical support or warranty inquiries, please refer to the retailer or manufacturer's official website where this product was purchased. Keep your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

As this is a generic product, specific warranty details may vary by reseller. It is recommended to check the terms and conditions provided at the point of sale.

