

BOXER-8641AI

AI@Edge Compact Fanless Embedded
AI System with NVIDIA[®] AGX Orin[™]

User's Manual 1st Ed

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Packing List

Before setting up your product, please make sure the following items have been shipped:

Item	Quantity
● BOXER-8641AI	1
● Wallmount Bracket	2
● Screw Package	1
● Power Adapter	Optional

If any of these items are missing or damaged, please contact your distributor or sales representative immediately.

About this Document

This User's Manual contains all the essential information, such as detailed descriptions and explanations on the product's hardware and software features (if any), its specifications, dimensions, jumper/connector settings/definitions, and driver installation instructions (if any), to facilitate users in setting up their product.

Users may refer to the product page at AAEON.com for the latest version of this document.

Safety Precautions

Please read the following safety instructions carefully. It is advised that you keep this manual for future references

1. All cautions and warnings on the device should be noted.
2. All cables and adapters supplied by AAEON are certified and in accordance with the material safety laws and regulations of the country of sale. Do not use any cables or adapters not supplied by AAEON to prevent system malfunction or fires.
3. Make sure the power source matches the power rating of the device.
4. Position the power cord so that people cannot step on it. Do not place anything over the power cord.
5. Always completely disconnect the power before working on the system's hardware.
6. No connections should be made when the system is powered as a sudden rush of power may damage sensitive electronic components.
7. If the device is not to be used for a long time, disconnect it from the power supply to avoid damage by transient over-voltage.
8. Always disconnect this device from any power supply before cleaning.
9. While cleaning, use a damp cloth instead of liquid or spray detergents.
10. Make sure the device is installed near a power outlet and is easily accessible.
11. Keep this device away from humidity.
12. Place the device on a solid surface during installation to prevent falls
13. Do not cover the openings on the device to ensure optimal heat dissipation.
14. Watch out for high temperatures when the system is running.
15. Do not touch the heat sink or heat spreader when the system is running
16. Never pour any liquid into the openings. This could cause fire or electric shock.

17. As most electronic components are sensitive to static electrical charge, be sure to ground yourself to prevent static charge when installing the internal components. Use a grounding wrist strap and contain all electronic components in any static-shielded containers.
18. If any of the following situations arises, please the contact our service personnel:
 - i. Damaged power cord or plug
 - ii. Liquid intrusion to the device
 - iii. Exposure to moisture
 - iv. Device is not working as expected or in a manner as described in this manual
 - v. The device is dropped or damaged
 - vi. Any obvious signs of damage displayed on the device
19. **DO NOT LEAVE THIS DEVICE IN AN UNCONTROLLED ENVIRONMENT WITH TEMPERATURES BEYOND THE DEVICE'S PERMITTED STORAGE TEMPERATURES (SEE CHAPTER 1) TO PREVENT DAMAGE.**

FCC Statement

Warning!



This device complies with Part 15 FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Caution:

There is a danger of explosion if the battery is incorrectly replaced. Replace only with the same or equivalent type recommended by the manufacturer. Dispose of used batteries according to the manufacturer's instructions and your local government's recycling or disposal directives.

Attention:

Il y a un risque d'explosion si la batterie est remplacée de façon incorrecte. Ne la remplacer qu'avec le même modèle ou équivalent recommandé par le constructeur. Recycler les batteries usées en accord avec les instructions du fabricant et les directives gouvernementales de recyclage.

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AAEON System

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部件名称	有毒有害物质或元素					
	铅 (Pb)	汞 (Hg)	镉 (Cd)	六价铬 (Cr(VI))	多溴联苯 (PBB)	多溴二苯 醚(PBDE)
印刷电路板 及其电子组件	×	○	○	○	○	○
外部信号 连接器及线材	×	○	○	○	○	○
外壳	○	○	○	○	○	○
中央处理器 与内存	×	○	○	○	○	○
硬盘	×	○	○	○	○	○
液晶模块	×	×	○	○	○	○
光驱	×	○	○	○	○	○
触控模块	×	○	○	○	○	○
电源	×	○	○	○	○	○
电池	×	○	○	○	○	○

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备注：

一、此产品所标示之环保使用期限，系指在一般正常使用状况下。

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三、上述部件物质液晶模块、触控模块仅一体机产品适用。

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Component Name	Hazardous or Toxic Materials or Elements					
	Lead (Pb)	Mercury (Hg)	Cadmium (Cd)	Hexavalent Chromium (Cr(VI))	Polybrominated biphenyls (PBBS)	Polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDES)
PCB and Components	X	O	O	O	O	O
Wires & Connectors for Ext.Connections	X	O	O	O	O	O
Chassis	O	O	O	O	O	O
CPU & RAM	X	O	O	O	O	O
HDD Drive	X	O	O	O	O	O
LCD Module	X	X	O	O	O	O
Optical Drive	X	O	O	O	O	O
Touch Control Module	X	O	O	O	O	O
PSU	X	O	O	O	O	O
Battery	X	O	O	O	O	O

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Notes:

1. The Environment Friendly Use Period indicated by labelling on this product is applicable only to use under normal conditions.
2. Individual components including the CPU, RAM/memory, HDD, optical drive, and PSU are optional.
3. LCD Module and Touch Control Module only applies to certain products which feature these components.

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Chapter 1

Product Specifications

1.1 Specifications

System

AI Accelerator	NVIDIA® Jetson AGX Orin™
CPU	8-core ARM v8.2 64-bit CPU, 2MB L2 + 4MB L3
System Memory	32GB 256-bit LPDDR5 (205GB/s)
Storage Device	64GB eMMC 5.1 x 1 MicroSD Slot x 1 SATA Drive Bay x 1
Display Interface	HDMI 2.0 x 1
Ethernet	RJ-45 x 2 (GbE LAN)
I/O	USB 3.2 Gen 2 x 2 (USB Type A) USB 3.2 Gen 2 x 1 (USB Type C) USB 2.0 x 1 (USB Type A) Micro USB x 1 for OS Flash DB-9 x 2 for RS-232/422/485 DB-9 x 1 for DIO x 8 Mic-in and Line-out x 1 MicroSD Card Slot x 1 Reset Button x 1 Recovery Button x 1 Antenna Opening x 2 Power Button x 1

System

Expansion	M.2 2230 E-Key x 1 (for Wi-Fi/BT)
	M.2 3052 B-Key x 1
	M.2 2280 M-Key (for NVMe) x 1
	2.5" SATA Port Drive x 1
	SIM Slot x 1
Indicator	Power LED x 1
OS Support	Linux (NVIDIA Jetpack™ 5.0 or above)

Power Supply

Power Requirement	12V DC with lockable DC Jack
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Mechanical

Mounting	Wall mount kit
Dimensions (W x D x H)	7.09 " x 5.35 " x 2.41"
	(180.0mm x 136.0mm x 61.1mm)
Gross Weight	4.63 lb. (2.1 Kg)
Net Weight	2.87 lb. (1.3 Kg)

Environmental

Operating Temperature	-4°F ~ 131°F (-20°C ~ 55°C) with 0.5 m/s airflow
Storage Temperature	-40°F ~ 158°F (-40°C ~ 70°C)
Storage Humidity	5 ~ 95% @ 40°C, non-condensing
Anti-Vibration	3.5Grm / 5~500Hz / operation: eMMC, MicroSD or SSD

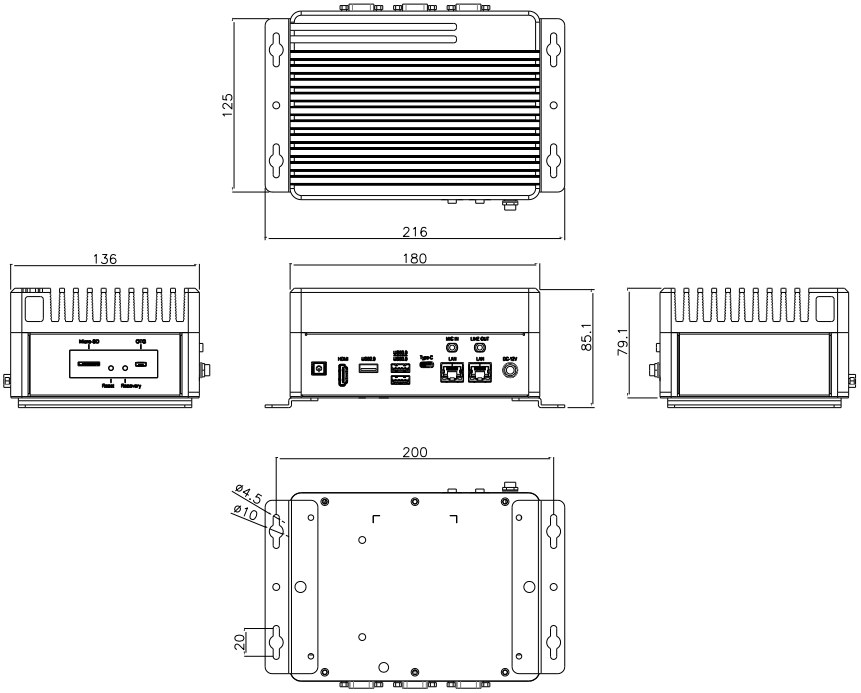
Environmental

Anti-Shock	50G peak acceleration (11 msec. duration: eMMC, microSD, or SSD)
Certification	CE / FCC Class B

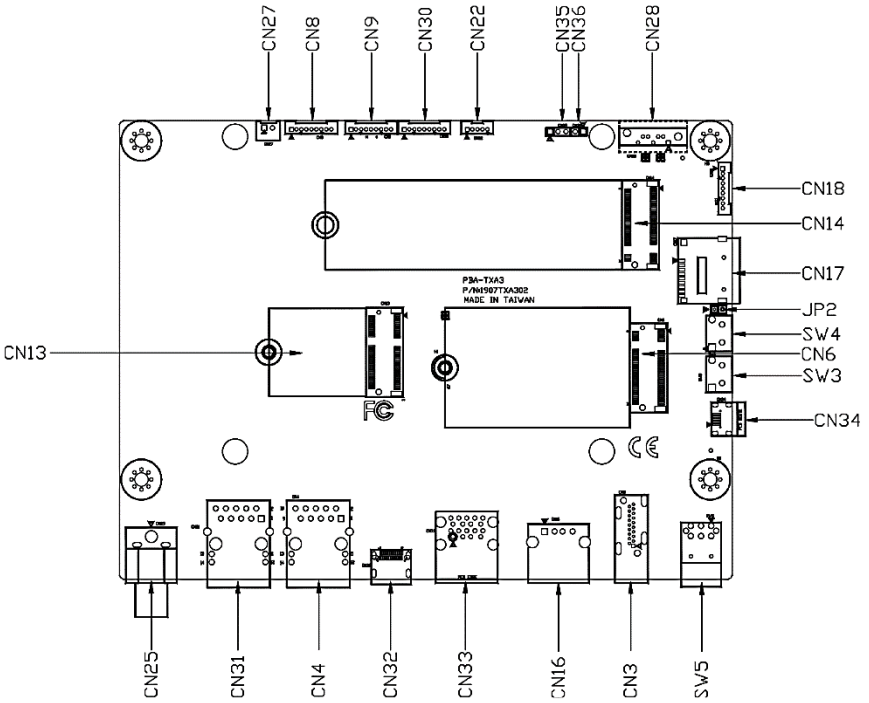
Chapter 2

Hardware Information

2.1 Dimensions



2.2 Jumpers and connectors



2.3 List of Jumpers

The board has a number of jumpers that allow you to configure your system to suit your application.

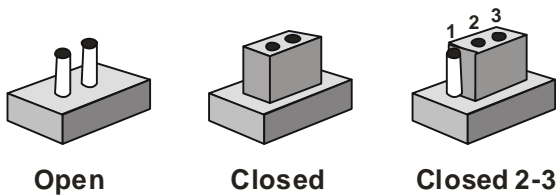
The table below shows the function of each of the board's jumpers

Label	Function
JP1	M.2 SATA/PCIe mode select
JP2	AT/ATX mode select
JP3	FAN Voltage select
JP4	AGX Orin/Xavier select

2.3.1 Setting Jumpers

You configure your card to match the needs of your application by setting jumpers. A jumper is the simplest kind of electric switch. It consists of two metal pins and a small metal clip (often protected by a plastic cover) that slides over the pins to connect them. To "close" a jumper you connect the pins with the clip.

To "open" a jumper you remove the clip. Sometimes a jumper will have three pins, labeled 1, 2 and 3. In this case you would connect either pins 1 and 2 or 2 and 3.



A pair of needle-nose pliers may be helpful when working with jumpers.

If you have any doubts about the best hardware configuration for your application, contact your local distributor or sales representative before you make any change.

Generally, you simply need a standard cable to make most connections.

2.3.2 M.2 SATA/PCIe Mode (JP1)

JP1	Function
1-2	SATA
2-3	PCIe (Default)

2.3.3 Auto Power Mode (JP2)

JP2	Function
1-2 Open	ATX (Default)
1-2 Closed	AT

2.3.4 FAN Voltage Mode (JP3)

JP3	Function
1-2	+5V (Default)
2-3	+12V

2.3.5 AGX Orin RTC Mode (Default) (JP4)

JP4	Function
2-4, 4-6	AGX Xavier

2.4 List of Connectors

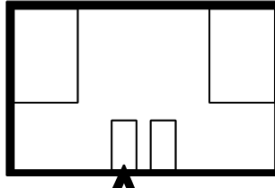
The board has a number of connectors that allow you to configure your system to suit your application.

The table below shows the function of each of the board's connectors

Label	Function
CN1	RTC Battery Connector
CN3	HDMI Connector
CN4	Giga LAN Connector
CN6	M.2 B-Key (USB3.0+PCIe) Connector
CN7	SIM Card
CN8	COM Port Connector (/dev/ttyTHS1)
CN9	COM Port Connector (/dev/ttyTHS4)
CN12	Audio Connector
CN13	M.2 2230 E-Key Connector
CN14	M.2 2280 M-Key (SATA or NVM) Connector
CN16	USB 2.0 Type-A Connector
CN17	MicroSD Connector
CN18	Front Panel Connector
CN20	FAN Connector
CN22	UART Debug Port
CN25	DC 12V Plug Connector
CN27	5V SATA Power Connector
CN28	SATA Connector
CN30	8-bit GPIO
CN31	Giga LAN Connector
CN32	USB 3.2 Type-C Connector
CN33	Dual USB 3.2 Type-A Connector

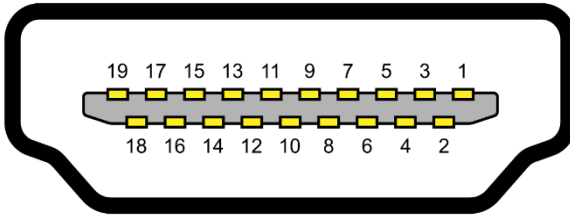
Label	Function
CN34	Micro USB for Flash OS
SW3	Recovery Switch
SW4	Reset Switch
SW5	Power On/Off Switch

2.4.1 RTC Connector (CN1)



Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	+3V	2	GND

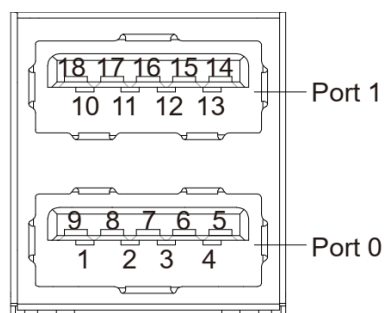
2.4.2 HDMI Connector (CN3)



Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	HDMI_DATA2_P	2	GND
3	HDMI_DATA2_N	4	HDMI_DATA1_P
5	GND	6	HDMI_DATA1_N
7	HDMI_DATA0_P	8	GND
9	HDMI_DATA0_N	10	HDMI_CLK_P
11	GND	12	HDMI_CLK_N
13	NC	14	NC

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
15	HDMI_SCL	16	HDMI_SDA
17	GND	18	HDMI_PWR
19	HDMI_HDP		

2.4.3 Dual USB 3.2 Type-A Connector (CN33)



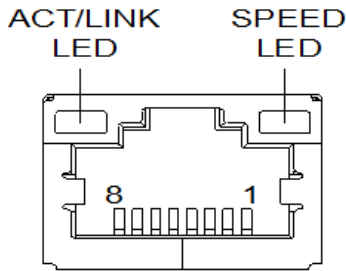
Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
U1	VBUS_1	U10	VBUS_2
U2	(A)D-	U11	(B)D-
U3	(A)D+	U12	(B)D+
U4	GND	U13	GND
U5	(A)SSRX-	U14	(B)SSRX-
U6	(A)SSRX+	U15	(B)SSRX+
U7	GND	U16	GND
U8	(A)SSTX-	U17	(B)SSTX-
U9	(A)SSTX+	U18	(B)SSTX+

2.4.4 Power-In Connector (CN25)



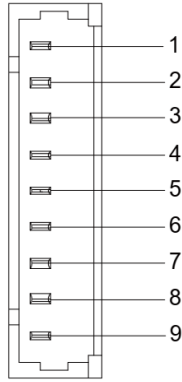
Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	PWR_IN	2	GND

2.4.5 Giga LAN Connector (CN4/CN31)

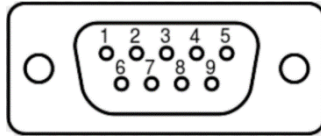


Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	MDI0+	2	MDI0-
3	MDI1+	4	MDI1-
5	MDI2+	6	MDI2-
7	MDI3+	8	MDI3-

2.4.6 COM Port Connector (/dev/ttyTHS1) (CN9, SW2)

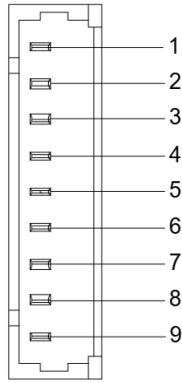


Pin	RS-232	RS-422	RS-485
1		TXD-	TXD-
2			
3	RXD	RXD+	TXD+
4			
5	TXD	TXD+	
6			
7		RXD-	
8			
9	GND	GND	GND

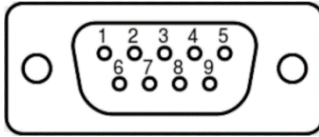


Pin	RS-232	RS-422	RS-485
1		TX-	RA-
2	RXD	TX+	RA+
3	TXD	RX+	
4		RX-	
5	GND		
6			
7			
8			
9			

2.4.7 COM Port Connector (/dev/ttyTHS4) (CN8, SW1)

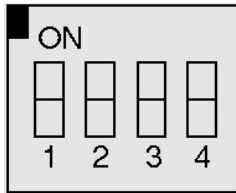


Pin	RS-232	RS-422	RS-485
1		TXD-	TXD-
2			
3	RXD	RXD+	TXD+
4			
5	TXD	TXD+	
6			
7		RXD-	
8			
9	GND	GND	GND



Pin	RS-232	RS-422	RS-485
1		TX-	RA-
2	RXD	TX+	RA+
3	TXD	RX+	
4		RX-	
5	GND		
6			
7			
8			
9			

2.4.8 RS-232/422/485 Select (SW1, SW2)

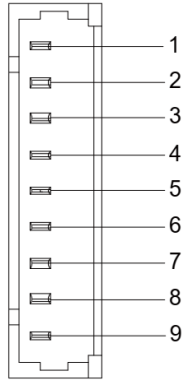


Mode	S-1	S-2	S-3	S-4
1T/1R RS-232	On	On		
1T/1R RS-422	On	Off		
1T/1R RS-485	Off	On		
Low power shutdown	Off	Off		
Enable RS-422/RS-485 bias and termination resistors.			On	
Disable RS-422/RS-485 bias and termination resistors.			Off	
250kbps for RS-232 and RS-485/RS-422				On
RS-232 to 3Mbps and RS-485/RS-422 to 20Mbps				Off

2.4.9 UART Debug Port Connector (CN22)

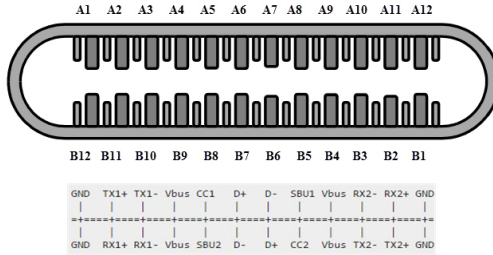
Pin	Signal
1	VCC 3.3V
2	UART RX
3	GND
4	UART TX
5	GND

2.4.10 Front Panel Connector (CN18)



Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	Carrier board standby	2	GND
3	Button power	4	CVM_PRSENT1
5	System Overcurrent indicator	6	GND
7	LED Green	8	LED Blue
9	LED Power (105ohm Pu)		

2.4.11 USB 3.0 Type-C Connector (CN32)

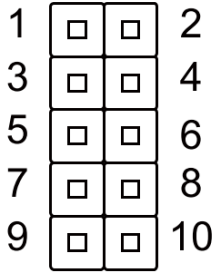


Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
A1	GND	B12	GND
A2	(A)SSTX+	B11	(B)SSRX+
A3	(A)SSTX-	B10	(B)SSRX-
A4	VBUS_1	B9	VBUS_2
A5	CC1	B8	SBU2
A6	(A)D+	B7	(B)D-
A7	(A)D-	B6	(B)D+
A8	SBU1	B5	CC2
A9	VBUS_1	B4	VBUS_2
A10	(A)SSRX-	B3	(B)SSTX-
A11	(A)SSRX+	B2	(B)SSTX+
A12	GND	B1	GND

2.4.12 MicroSD Connector (CN17)

uSD Card Pin Map		
Pin No (Card)	Pin No (Connector)	Function
1	#1	DAT2
2	#2	CD/DAT3
3	#3	CMD
4	#4	VDD
5	#5	CLK
6	#6	VSS
7	#7	DAT0
8	#8	DAT1

2.4.13 Audio Connector (CN12)



Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	MIC1	2	GND
3	MIC2	4	GPIO4
5	HPO_R	6	MIC_IN_DET
7	GND	8	
9	HPO_L	10	GPIO3

GPIO3: Headphone or jack detection.

GPIO4: Presence – detects if audio dongle is connected to header.

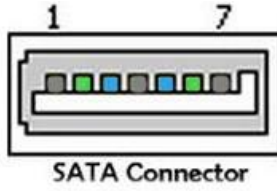
2.4.14 M.2 2230 E-Key Connector (CN13)

74	3.3V	GND	75
72	3.3V	RESERVED/REFCLKn1	73
70	UIM_POWER_SRC/GPIO1/PEWAKE1#	RESERVED/REFCLKp1	71
68	UIM_POWER_SNK/CLKREQ1#	GND	69
66	UIM_SWP/PERST1#	RESERVED/PETn1	67
64	RESERVED	RESERVED/PETp1	65
62	ALERT# (O)(0/3.3V)	GND	63
60	I2C_CLK (I)(0/3.3V)	RESERVED/PERn1	61
58	I2C_DATA (I/O)(0/3.3V)	RESERVED/PERp1	59
56	W_DISABLE1# (I)(0/3.3V)	GND	57
54	W_DISABLE2# (I)(0/3.3V)	PEWAKE0# (I/O)(0/3.3V)	55
52	PERST0# (I)(0/3.3V)	CLKREQ0# (I/O)(0/3.3V)	53
50	SUSCLK(32kHz) (I)(0/3.3V)	GND	51
48	COEX1 (I/O)(0/1.8V)	REFCLKn0	49
46	COEX2(I/O)(0/1.8V)	REFCLKp0	47
44	COEX3(I/O)(0/1.8V)	GND	45
42	VENDOR DEFINED	PETn0	43
40	VENDOR DEFINED	PETp0	41
38	VENDOR DEFINED	GND	39
36	UART CTS (I)(0/1.8V)	PERn0	37
34	UART RTS (O)(0/1.8V)	PERp0	35
32	UART RXD (I)(0/1.8V)	GND	33
	Module Key	Module Key	
	Module Key	Module Key	
	Module Key	Module Key	
	Module Key	Module Key	
22	UART TXD (O)(0/1.8V)	SDIO RESET# (I)(0/1.8V)	23
20	UART WAKE# (O)(0/3.3V)	SDIO WAKE# (O)(0/1.8V)	21
18	GND	SDIO DATA3(I/O)(0/1.8V)	19
16	LED2# (O)(OD)	SDIO DATA2(I/O)(0/1.8V)	17
14	PCM_IN/I2S SD_IN (I)(0/1.8V)	SDIO DATA1(I/O)(0/1.8V)	15
12	PCM_OUT/I2S SD_OUT (O)(0/1.8V)	SDIO DATA0(I/O)(0/1.8V)	13
10	PCM_SYNC/I2S WS (I/O)(0/1.8V)	SDIO CMD(I/O)(0/1.8V)	11
8	PCM_CLK/I2S SCK (I/O)(0/1.8V)	SDIO CLK(I)(0/1.8V)	9
6	LED1# (O)(OD)	GND	7
4	3.3V	USB_D-	5
2	3.3V	USB_D+	3
		GND	1

2.4.15 M.2 2280 M-Key Connector (SATA or NVM) (CN14)

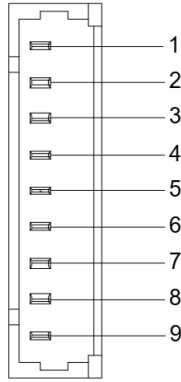
74	3.3V	GND	75
72	3.3V	GND	73
70	3.3V	GND	71
68	SUSCLK(32kHz) (O)(Q/3.3V)	PEDET (NC-PCIe/GND-SATA)	69
	Connector Key	N/C	67
	Connector Key	Connector Key	
	Connector Key	Connector Key	
	Connector Key	Connector Key	
58	N/C	GND	57
56	N/C	REFCLKp	55
54	PEWAKE# (I/O)(Q/3.3V) or N/C	REFCLKn	53
52	CLKREQ# (I/O)(Q/3.3V) or N/C	GND	51
50	PERST# (O)(Q/3.3V) or N/C	PETp0/SATA-A+	49
48	N/C	PETn0/SATA-A-	47
46	N/C	GND	45
44	N/C	PERp0/SATA-B-	43
42	N/C	PERn0/SATA-B+	41
40	N/C	GND	39
38	DEVSLP (O)	PETp1	37
36	N/C	PETn1	35
34	N/C	GND	33
32	N/C	PERp1	31
30	N/C	PERn1	29
28	N/C	GND	27
26	N/C	PETp2	25
24	N/C	PETn2	23
22	N/C	GND	21
20	N/C	PERp2	19
18	3.3V	PERn2	17
16	3.3V	GND	15
14	3.3V	PETp3	13
12	3.3V	PETn3	11
10	DAS/DSS# (I/O)/LED1# (I)(O/3.3V)	GND	9
8	N/C	PERp3	7
6	N/C	PERn3	5
4	3.3V	GND	3
2	3.3V	GND	1

2.4.16 SATA Connector (CN28)

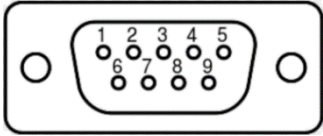


Pin	Signal
1	GND
2	TX+
3	TX-
4	GND
5	RX+
6	RX-
7	GND

2.4.17 DIO Port Connector (CN30)

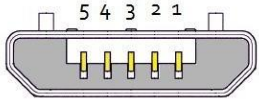


Pin	Function	Voltage Level
1	GPIO493	3.3V-
2	GPIO492	3.3V-
3	GPIO491	3.3V-
4	GPIO494	3.3V-
5	GPIO495	3.3V-
6	GPIO422	3.3V-
7	GPIO393	3.3V-
8	GPIO344	3.3V-
9	GND	GND



Pin	Function	Voltage Level
1	GPIO493	3.3V-
2	GPIO491	3.3V-
3	GPIO495	3.3V-
4	GPIO393	3.3V-
5	GND	3.3V-
6	GPIO492	3.3V-
7	GPIO494	3.3V-
8	GPIO422	3.3V-
9	GPIO344	GND

2.4.18 Micro USB Connector (Flash OS) (CN34)



USB Micro-B

Pin	Signal	Pin	Signal
1	+5V	2	USB1-
3	USB1+	4	
5	GND		

2.4.19 M.2 3052 B-Key (USB3+PCIe) Connector (CN6)

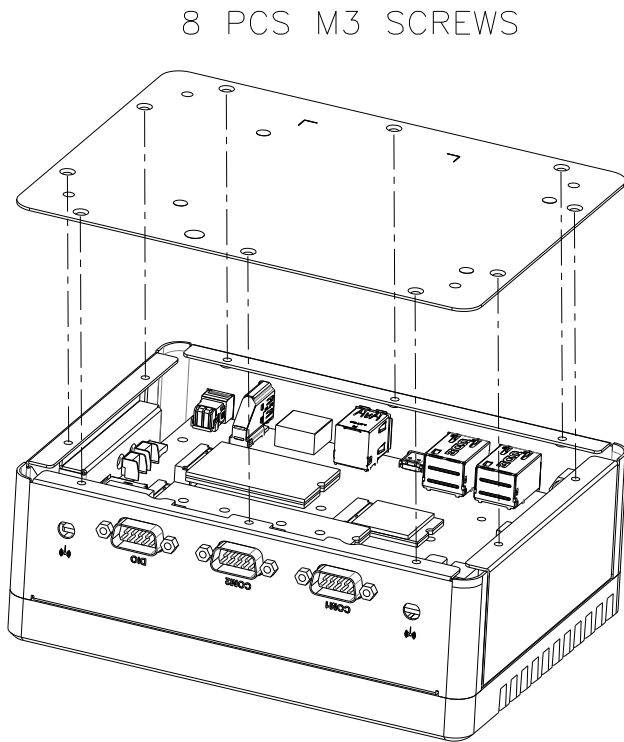
74	3.3 V/VBAT	CONFIG_2	75
72	3.3 V/VBAT	GND	73
70	3.3 V/VBAT	GND	71
68	SUSCLK(32kHz) (O)(0/3.3V)	CONFIG_1	69
66	SIM DETECT (O)	RESET# (O)(0/1.8V)	67
64	COEX_RXD (I)(0/1.8V)	ANTCTL3 (I)(0/1.8V)	65
62	COEX_TXD (O)(0/1.8V)	ANTCTL2 (I)(0/1.8V)	63
60	COEX3 (I/O)(0/1.8V)	ANTCTL1 (I)(0/1.8V)	61
58	NC	ANTCTL0 (I)(0/1.8V)	59
56	NC	GND	57
54	PEWAKE# (I/O)(0/3.3V)	REFCLKp	55
52	CLKREQ# (I/O)(0/3.3V)	REFCLKn	53
50	PERST# (O)(0/3.3V)	GND	51
48	GPIO_4 (I/O)(0/1.8V)	PETp0	49
46	GPIO_3 (I/O)(0/1.8V)	PETn0	47
44	GPIO_2 (I/O)/ALERT# (I)(0/1.8V)	GND	45
42	GPIO_1 (I/O)/SMB_DATA (I/O)(0/1.8V)	PERp0	43
40	GPIO_0 (I/O)/SMB_CLK (I/O)(0/1.8V)	PERn0	41
38	DEVSLP (O)	GND	39
36	UIM-PWR (I)	PETp1/USB3.1-Tx+/SSIC-TxP	37
34	UIM-DATA (I/O)	PETn1/USB3.1-Tx-/SSIC-TxN	35
32	UIM-CLK (I)	GND	33
30	UIM-RESET (I)	PERp1/USB3.1-Rx+/SSIC-RxP	31
28	GPIO_8 (I/O) (0/1.8V)	PERn1/USB3.1-Rx-/SSIC-RxN	29
26	GPIO_10 (I/O) (0/1.8V)	GND	27
24	GPIO_7 (I/O) (0/1.8V)	DPR (O) (0/1.8V)	25
22	GPIO_6 (I/O)(0/1.8V)	GPIO_11 (I/O) (0/1.8V)	23
20	GPIO_5 (I/O)(0/1.8V)	CONFIG_0	21
	Key B	Key B	
	Key B	Key B	
	Key B	Key B	
	Key B	Key B	
	Key B	GND	11
10	GPIO_9/DAS/DSS (I/O)/LED_1# (I)(0/3.3V)	USB_D-	9
8	W_DISABLE1# (O)(0/3.3V)	USB_D+	7
6	FULL_CARD_POWER_OFF# (O)(0/1.8V or 3.3V)	GND	5
4	3.3 V	GND	3
2	3.3 V	CONFIG_3	1

2.5 Hardware Assembly

This section details the steps needed to install various hardware components for the BOXER-8641AI.

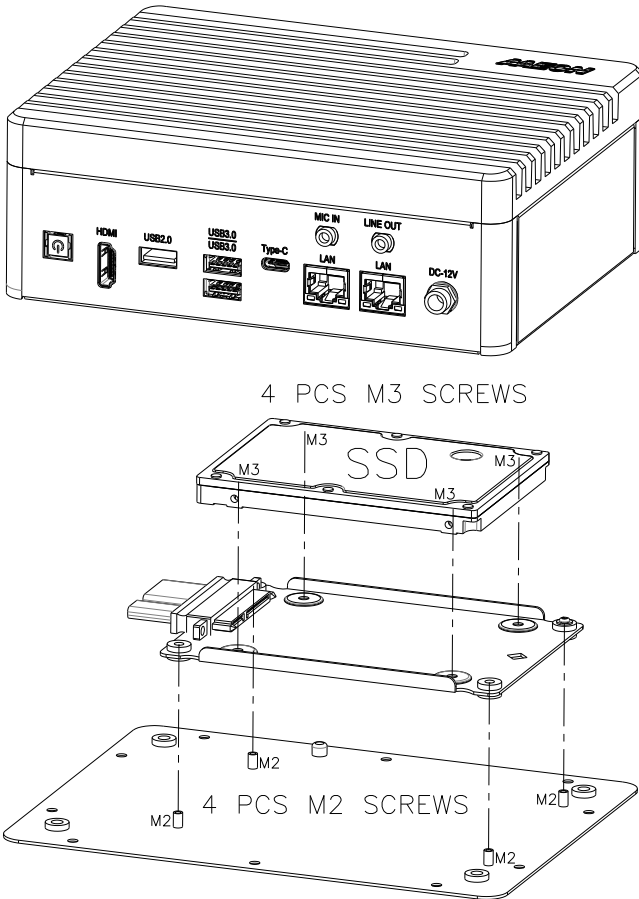
2.5.1 M.2 Expansion Module Installation

The M.2 2280 M-Key, M.2 2230 E-Key, and M.2 3052 B-Key slots can be accessed via removable covers on the bottom panel of the BOXER 8641AI system as shown in the following diagram.



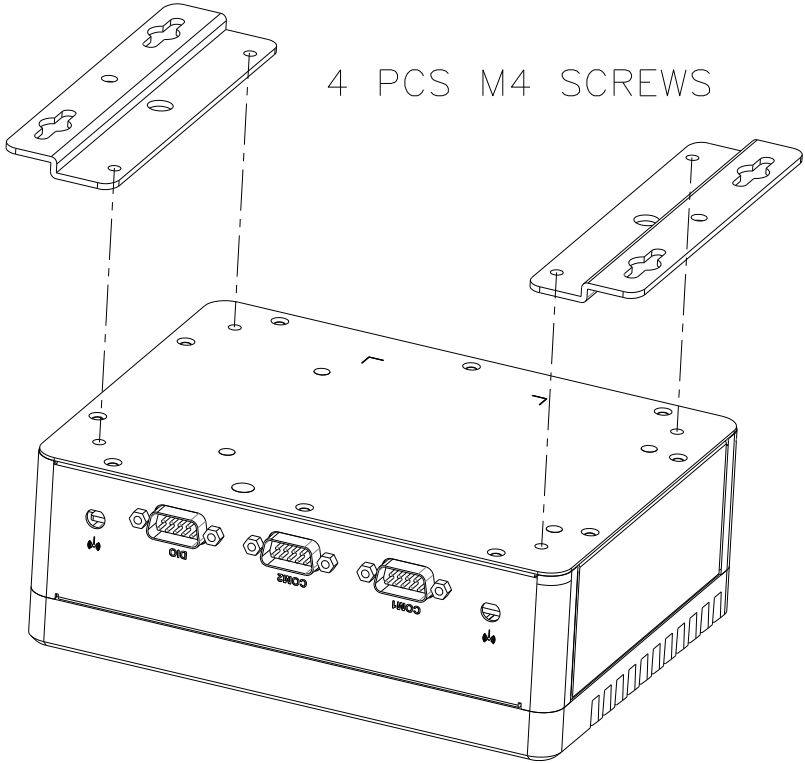
2.5.2 2.5" HDD or SSD Installation

The 2.5" HDD or SSD drive bay can be accessed for drive installation via removable covers on the bottom panel of the BOXER 8641AI system as shown in the following diagram.



2.5.3 Wall Mount Installation

The BOXER 8641AI can be secured via a wall mount as shown in the following diagram.



Chapter 3

BSP Flash Guide

3.1 Before Installation

Before starting the process make sure your BOXER-8641AI system is turned off and the power is disconnected. You will need a Host PC running Ubuntu 18.04, and make sure the NVIDIA Jetson Orin AGX module is installed onto the BOXER-8641AI carrier board system.

Note: Do not use a virtual machine as a host PC, as some virtual machines may have unstable USB connections which can cause the flash procedure to fail.



Download the compressed BSP image file "**Internal.tar.gz**" into the Host Ubuntu 18.04 PC directory.

Note: No spaces, special characters, or non-English characters can be used for the name of the folder where the file is stored, or its parent folder.

Ensure the language settings of Ubuntu 18.04 are set to English, and the format setting is the United States, to prevent flash failure.

3.2 Connecting to PC/ Force Recovery Mode

Step 1:

On the Host computer, open Linux terminal and enter the following command to extract the compressed BSP image files (BSP file name may vary):

```
$ sudo tar -zxvf Internal.tar.gz
```

Note: Do not decompress the file (Internal.tar.gz) using a Windows OS, BSP should only be decompressed in a Linux EXT3/4 file system.

Step 2:

Perform the following actions to force the system to start in USB Recovery Mode:

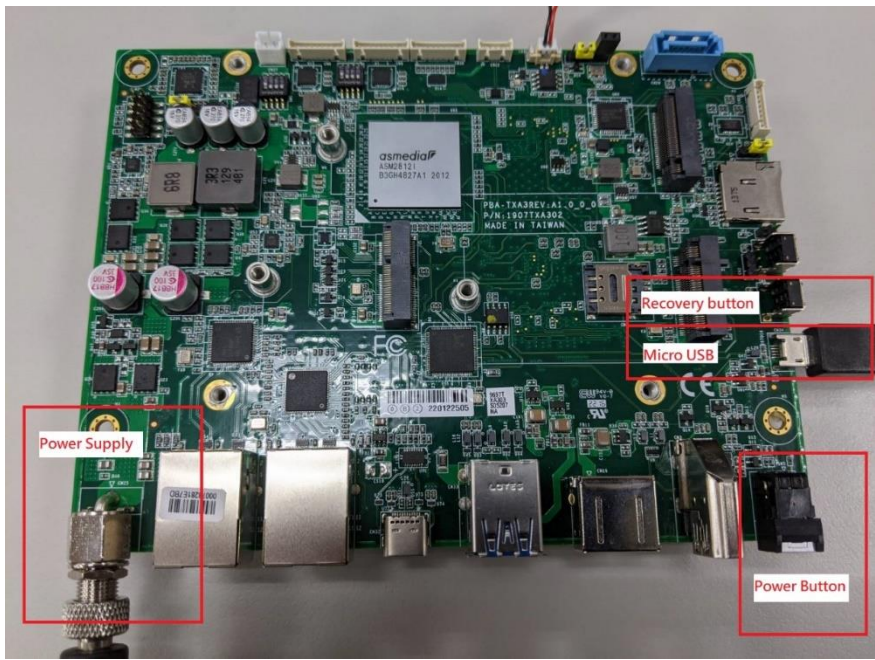
1. Connect the Micro-USB plug on the USB cable to the Recovery Port on the BOXER-8641AI, and the other end to an available USB port on the Host PC.
2. Connect the BOXER-8641AI to a power supply.
3. Press and hold the recovery key button. While holding the recovery key button, power on the system, and continue to hold the recovery key button for two seconds, then release. The BOXER-8641AI should then enter recovery mode.
4. To check if device is in recovery mode, enter the command `lsusb` in terminal on Host.

```
$ lsusb | grep "0955:7223"
```

If successful, the command will return "0955:7223 Nvidia Corp"

```
Bus 001 Device 003: ID 0955:7223 NVidia Corp.
```

Note: Recovery mode cannot be initiated if the NVIDIA Jetson Orin AGX module is disassembled. Ensure the NVIDIA Jetson Orin AGX module is installed and refer to the image below to perform the steps:



3.3 Flash Image to Board

Use the following steps to flash the OS to the BOXER-8641AI.

1) Open terminal on the Ubuntu Host PC, then access the folder you extracted in the previous section.

2) Enter the following command in terminal to flash the image:

```
$ sudo ./flashboxer.sh
```

3) Wait as the image is installed. Once complete you should see the following:

```
[ 883.0285 ] Flashing completed
[ 883.0287 ] Coldbooting the device
[ 883.0328 ] tegrarcM_v2 --chip 0x23 --ismb2
[ 883.0363 ] MB2 version 01.00.0000
[ 883.1397 ]
[ 883.1399 ] Coldbooting the device
[ 883.1443 ] tegrarcM_v2 --chip 0x23 --reboot coldboot
[ 883.1479 ] MB2 version 01.00.0000
[ 883.2727 ]
*** The target t186ref has been flashed successfully. ***
Reset the board to boot from internal eMMC.
```

3.4 Check BSP Version

Once the flash image is successfully installed, the BOXER-8641AI will reboot automatically, then check the BSP version to see if the system is flashing the correct version of BSP.

Open a Terminal, and type command “`cat /proc/product`”

```
aaeon@localhost:~$ cat /proc/product
BOXER-8641AI_J5.0.2_E00_1.0.0_20220817
BOXER-8641AI.Ubuntu20.04_AGXORINJP5.0.2_V1.0.0_17/08/2022
```

The version name will follow the format of:

`{PJ_IF}.` `{OS_IF}``_{PLF_IF}``{JPV_IF}``_{IMGV_IF}``_{BD_IF}`

For example:

`BOXER-8641AI.Ubuntu20.04_AGXORINJP5.0.2_V1.0.0_17/08/2022`

Note: Filename may differ from this example.

`{OS_IF}` is OS Information; e.g. Ubuntu20.04

`{PLF_IF}` is Platform Information; e.g. AGXORIN

`{PJ_IF}` is Project Information; e.g. BOXER-8641AI

`{IMGV_IF}` is Build Number; e.g. v1.0.0

`{JPV_IF}` is Jetpack Version; e.g. jp5.0.2

`{BD_IF}` is Build Date; e.g. 17/08/2022

Chapter 4

OS User Guide

4.1 Introduction

The BOXER-8641AI's OS, Ubuntu/Linux version, and preinstalled SDK components are as follows:

For **Jetpack 5.0.2 (L4t 35.1)**

1. Ubuntu/Linux version:
 - a. Ubuntu version: 20.04.4
 - b. Kernel version: 5.10.104-tegra
 - c. UEFI version: EFI v2.70 by EDK II
2. Built-in Jetson SDK Components:
 - a. CUDA Toolkit for L4T 11.4
 - b. cuDNN 8.4
 - c. TensorRT 8.4
 - d. OpenCV 4.5
 - e. VPI 2.1
 - f. NVIDIA Container Runtime 1.10
 - g. Multimedia API 35.1
 - h. Nsight Systems 2022.3
 - i. Nsight Graphics 2022.3
 - j. Nsight Compute 2022.2
 - k. Compute Sanitizer 2022.2
 - l. Nsight DL Designer 2022.1
 - m. Deepstream 6.1.1
3. Built-in Allxon DMS:
 - a. Please refer to vendor website at <https://www.allxon.com/solutions>

Default login user/password is:

Account: **aaeon**

Password: **aaeon**.

4.2 Update Note

Running `$ sudo apt upgrade` command in terminal will overwrite the **Aaeon kernel device tree(.dtb)/kernel image(Image)/bootloader** in the OS, which can lead to unexpected results, including the loss of I/O ports.

So Aaeon default disable Nvidia apt Repo for updating Nvidia apt package.

AAEON maintains updated versions of BSP on the product page, which follow updates to the NVIDIA Jetpack software. Contact your AAEON representative or visit the product page to download the latest version of Aaeon BSP for your system:

<https://www.aaeon.com/en/p/ai-edge-solutions-boxer-8641ai>

4.3 BOXER-8641AI Power Mode

NVIDIA Jetson Orin AGX power mode can be selected and monitored by GUI, please refer to the following picture:

The screenshot displays the Jetson Power GUI interface. The main window shows the following data:

Platform: Jetson AGX Orin nvpmode: MODE_15W

CPU

Name	Freq (MHz)	Load %
cpu0	806.4 MHz	4 %
cpu1	806.4 MHz	4 %
cpu2	806.4 MHz	5 %
cpu3	806.4 MHz	3 %
cpu4	offline	offline
cpu5	offline	offline
cpu6	offline	offline
cpu7	offline	offline

GPU

Name	Freq (MHz)	Load %
igpu0	306.0 MHz	12 %

EMC

Name	Freq (MHz) / Size (MB)	Load %
emc	665.6 MHz	1 %
memory	1440/30537 MB	5 %
swap	0/15268 MB	0 %

Engine

Name	Freq (MHz)	Name	Freq (MHz)
dla0	offline	nvjpg1	offline
dla1	offline	se	473.6 MHz
pva	offline	ape	offline
nvdec	offline		
nvenc	offline		
nvjpg0	offline		

Sensor

Name	Temperature (C)
CV0-therm	-
CPU-therm	68.8 C
Tboard_tegra	58.0 C
SOC2-therm	66.1 C
Tdiode_tegra	59.2 C
SOC0-therm	66.8 C
CV1-therm	-
GPU-therm	64.6 C
tj-therm	68.8 C
SOC1-therm	67.4 C
CV2-therm	-

Power Monitor

Name	Inst (mW)	Avg (mW)
VDD_GPU_SOC	2709 mW	2709 mW
VDD_CPU_CV	451 mW	450 mW
VIN_SYS_5V0	4280 mW	4348 mW
VDDQ_VDD2_1V8AO	713 mW	654 mW

Fan

Name	fan1
Profile	cool
PWM	100.0 %
RPM	0 rpm

Disk

Size	18280/57861 MB
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At the bottom, there are controls for recording: 0 hr, 0 min, 0 sec, background, capture log..., and plot graph... A power mode dropdown menu is open on the right, showing options: 0: MAXN, 1: MODE 15W, 2: MODE 30W, 3: MODE 40W, and a 'reset avg' button.