

Re: System IRQ's

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JT wrote:

> On Mon, 02 Aug 2004 17:19:34 GMT, "relic" <nospam@relic211.cjb.net>

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>> JT wrote:

>>> On Sun, 01 Aug 2004 20:33:23 GMT, "relic" <nospam@relic211.cjb.net>

>>> wrote:

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>>>> DeMoN LaG wrote:

>>>>> "relic" <nospam@relic211.cjb.net> wrote in

>>>>> news:ptbPc.68611\$SO5.47788 @twister.socal.rr.com:

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>>>>>> Go ogle. It's ACPI.

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>>>>>> ACPI and APIC are two different things. Go ogle yourself.

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>>>>> There are 4 entries. NOTHING to do with System IRQ's is mentioned

>>>>> in them. That would be ACPI.

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<http://www.microsoft.com/whdc/system/sysperf/IO-APIC.msp#XSLTsection127121120120>

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>>>> Microsofts info on APIC. Google for "APIC interupt" and you won't

>>>> get all the noise of non-related links

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>> I probably sounded like I'm trying to argue that it's /not/ APIC,

>> it's that I saw advice to the OP about using APIC. I believe the

>> option in BIOS is ACPI, not APIC; at least it is on the motherboards

>> I've seen lately. You have to enable ACPI to get APIC.

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> Depends heavily on the BIOS and what they have modified. APIC does

> not Have to depend on ACPI.

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> You came across as though APIC didn't exist, which it very much does.

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I said, "Advanced Programmable Interface Controller" didn't in the context of IRQs. It doesn't.

> *You also came across as though APIC didn't have anything to do with
> IRQs and sharing, which it very much does.*

That was confusing as I wrote it and I admitted to that already. The BIOS option the OP would most likely have seen was ACPI, not APIC.

> *You also said that there
> were only 4 google results and they had nothing to do with IRQs. That
> was just wrong.*

Here it is, *4* google results that have nothing to do with IRQs:

Web Results 1 – 4 of 4 for "Advanced Programmable Interface Controller"

<http://www.google.com/search?hl=en&ie=UTF-8&q=%22Advanced+Programmable+Interface+Controller%22&btnG>

As you can see, it was just _correct_

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Don't take life too seriously, You won't get out alive.