

# ARP 670 User Reference Manual







# SPECIFICATIONS

| Model No      | ARP670   | ARP670-S                   |
|---------------|--|----------------------------|
| Motherboard   | Support ATX M/B  | Support SBC with Backplane |
| Slots         | Offer 7 expansion slots  | Offer 10 expansion slots   |
| Drive bay     | 1x 5.25", 1x slim DVD-RW, 2x 3.5"<br>(Option: 2x 5.25", 1x slim DVD-RW, 1x 3.5")   |                            |
| Display       | 17" TFT LCD Monitor, 1280x 1024, 300 nits brightness, 16.7M, 800:1, MTBF: 50,000 hours, Anti-reflection tempered strengthen glass                      |                            |
| VGA           | ST GM5621 AD conversion board, DVI interface (Option VGA)  |                            |
| KB/MS         | 104-key Laptop type, multi-languages Keyboard/ touchpad<br>Operating Life of Keys: 8 million cycles<br>Keyboard Layout: CH, FR, GR, KR, RU, SP, UK, US |                            |
| Power Supply  | PS2, 650W, 100~240VAC, Auto switch   |                            |
| Construction  | Rugged Aluminum Construction with shock absorbing rubber corners   |                            |
| Speaker       | Built-in amplified 2x 3W speakers  |                            |
| Dimension     | 433Wx 346Hx 227D mm (17.05"x 13.62"x 8.9")   |                            |
| Weight        | 12 kgs   |                            |
| Carrying Case | Padded carrying case with wheels   |                            |

# ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS

|                   | Operating            | Non-Operating        |
|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Temperature       | 0°C~50°C             | -20°C~60°C           |
| Relative Humidity | 10%~90%              | 10%~95%              |
| Shock             | 10g, 11ms, half-Sine | 30g, 11ms, half-Sine |
| Vibration         | 10-500Hz (0.4 Grms)  | 10-500Hz (1.12 Grms) |
| Approval          | CE, FCC, RoHS        |                      |

# OPTIONS

| VGA Interface   |  |
|---|--|
|  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DVI Interface cable for DVI Graphic card</li> </ul>   |
|   | D-sub 15pin VGA interface cable  |
| Touch Screen  |  |
|  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>                                       |
|   | Touch Screen   |
| Drive Bay   |  |
|  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1x 5.25", 1x slim DVD-RW, 2x 3.5"</li> </ul>          |
|   | 2x 5.25", 1x slim DVD-RW, 1x 3.5"  |
| LCD Display   |  |
|  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 17" TFT LCD display, 1280x 1024 resolution</li> </ul> |
|   | 17" TFT LCD display, 1920 x 1200 resolution  |

# Standard Accessory Kits

| <i>ARP 670</i> |                   |                                  |     |
|----------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|-----|
| Model          | Accessory Kit SKD |                                  | Qty |
| <b>ARP 670</b> | <b>1</b>          | ARP670 Portable Computer Chassis | 1   |
|                | <b>2</b>          | Carrying Case with wheels        | 1   |
|                | <b>3</b>          | User's Manual                    | 1   |
|                | <b>4</b>          | Power Cord                       | 1   |
|                | <b>5</b>          | Anti-Static Bag                  | 1   |
|                | <b>6</b>          | Screw Pack (stabilizer)          | 1   |
|                | <b>7</b>          | Stabilizer Supports Pack         | 1   |
|                | <b>8</b>          |                                  |     |
|                | <b>9</b>          |                                  |     |



Carrying Case with Wheels

## 1.0 Introduction

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### ARP 670 features:

- Rugged Aluminum Construction with shock absorbing rubber corners
- Built-in 17" LCD display with tempered glass, 1280x 1024, 16.7M, 300 nits brightness, MTBF: 50,000 hrs
- Designed for Standard ATX M/B (7 slots)/ SBC with Backplane (10 slots)
- Offer 7/ 10 full length slots expansion capability
- Laptop type multi-languages keyboard with touchpad
- PS2 650W power supply, 100~240VAC
- Offer 1x 5.25", 1x slim DVD-RW, 2x 3.5" drive bays  
Option: 2x 5.25", 1x slim DVD-RW, 1x 3.5" drive bays
- Anti-reflection tempered glass protect LCD
- Carrying case to manage portable PC with ease

The ARP670 is a robust portable computer built using heavy duty metal to provide tough, go-anywhere unit ideally suitable for test and measurement applications. Its compact size, supports standard ATX motherboard (ARP670) and SBC with Backplane (ARP670-S), add-in slots, and a SXGA resolution 17" TFT LCD display make it a high performance field solution. Functional practicality combined with the simple and polished design, the ARP670 with its extra-rugged construction to sustain bumps and impacted blows is the most cost-effective, durable and efficient portable solution for your needs.

Applications: Military, Industrial automation, Digital TV test & analysis, Mobile Computing, Outdoor Computers, video conferencing, E-learning, Speech Technologies, Portable Workstation, Telemedicine, Multimedia, Mission Critical Computing

ARP670: supports standard ATX MB, offer 7 expansion slots



ARP670-S: supports SBC+ PBP, offer 10 expansion slots

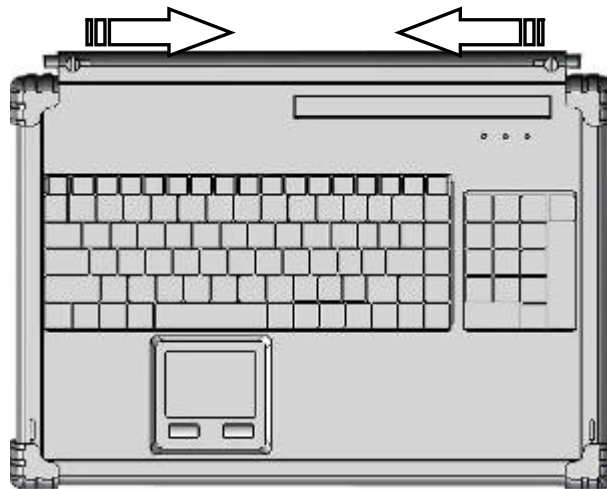


## 2.0 Operation

1. Releasing Keyboard from main unit by pushing up the 2 taps located on both side of the chassis to release the locking mechanism, and then pull out the keyboard.



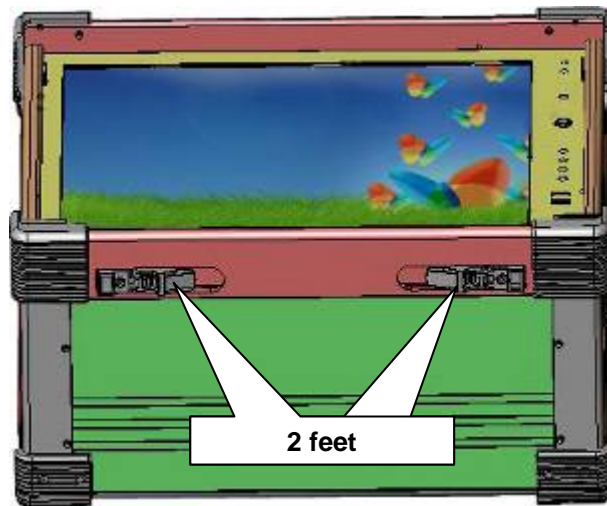
2. You have the option of leaving the keyboard attached to the chassis or they can be release independently from the chassis by pushing the two levers inward to release the lock.



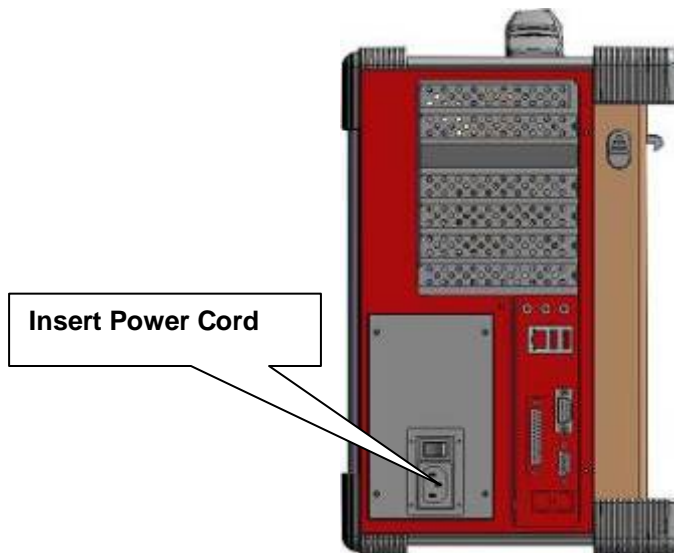
3. Connect the RJ-45 keyboard/touchpad cable to the front bottom right corner of the chassis. Make sure the pin direction is correct when inserting.



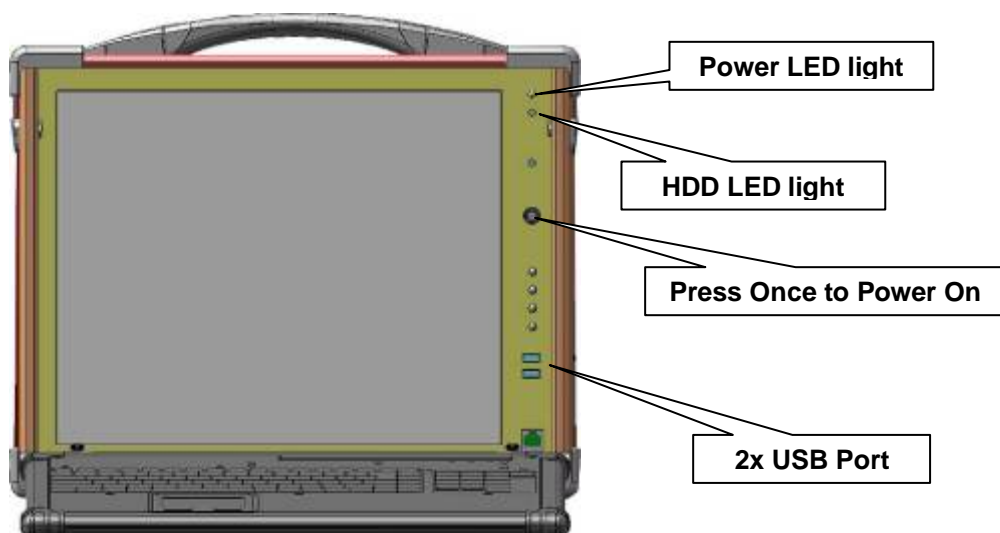
4. You can flip the 2 feet located underneath the chassis outward to help create an angle for the chassis for viewing comfort.



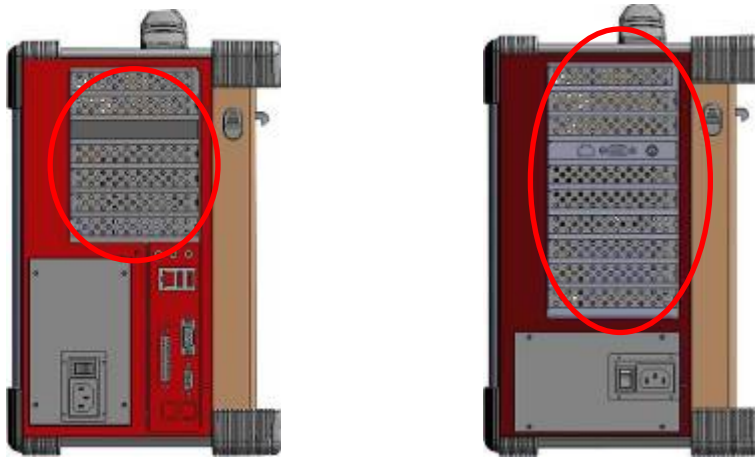
5. Connect the power cable outlet into the power supply unit



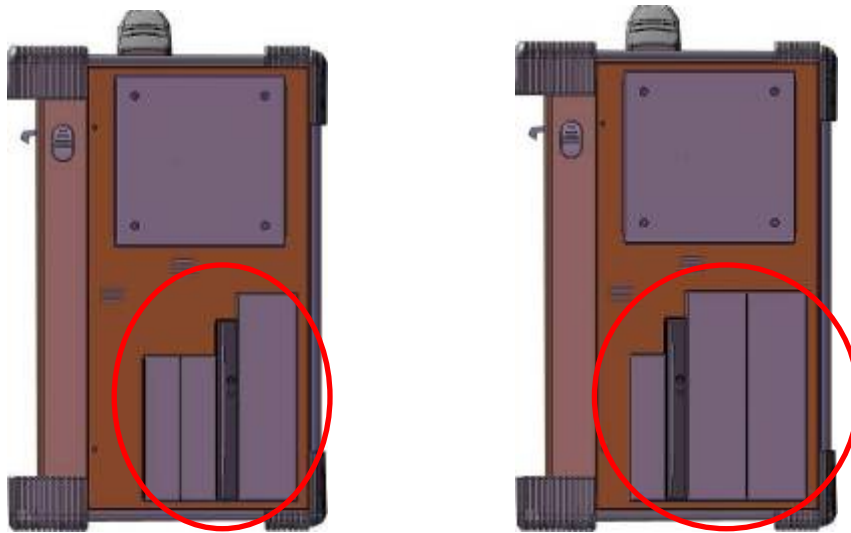
6. Press the power switch located on the front panel of the chassis to power up the unit. There have indicator LED lights for Power and HDD activity, 2x USB in the front



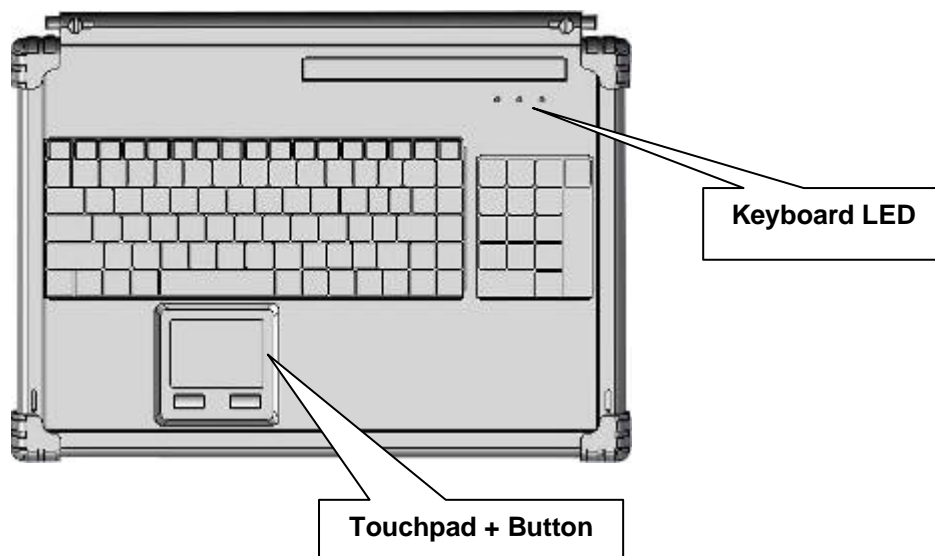
7. Access the available expansion slots on the left side of the chassis.



8. ARP670 provides 1x 5.25", 1x slim DVD-RW, 2x 3.5" drive bays  
And 2x 5.25", 1x slim DVD-RW, 1x 3.5" drive bays (option)



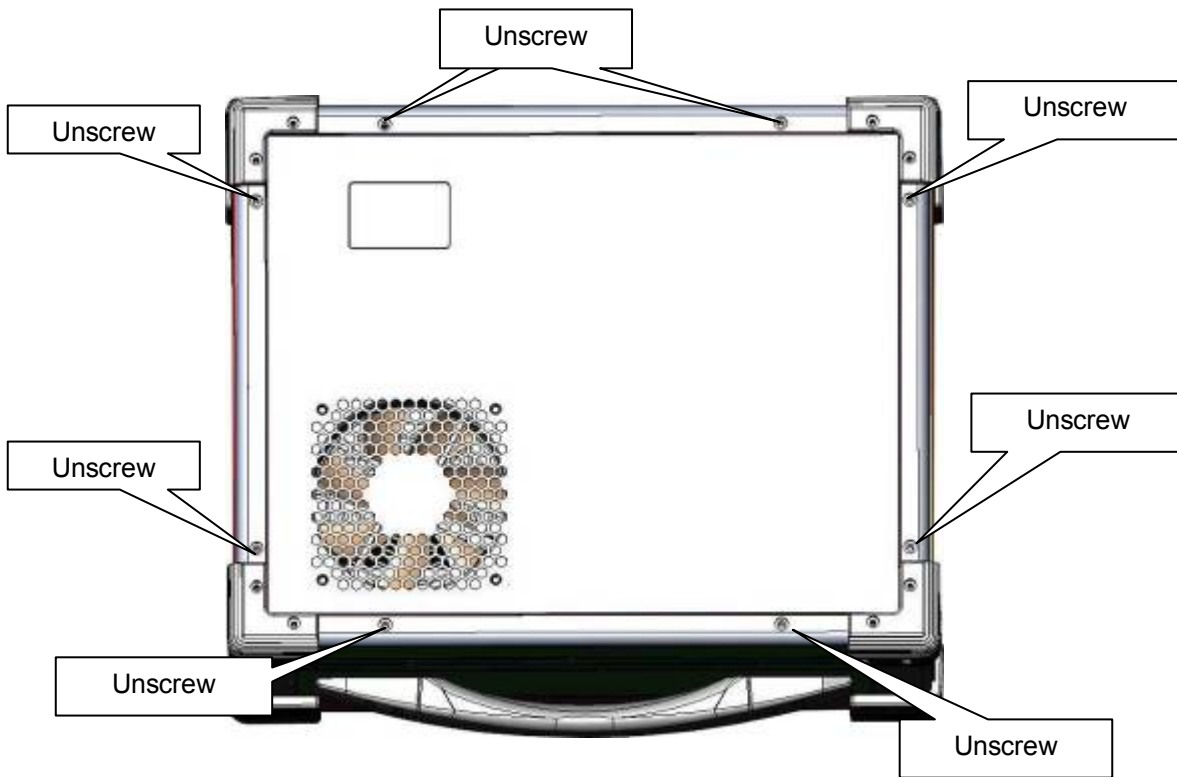
9. Full function keyboard and touchpad surface act as input for the system.



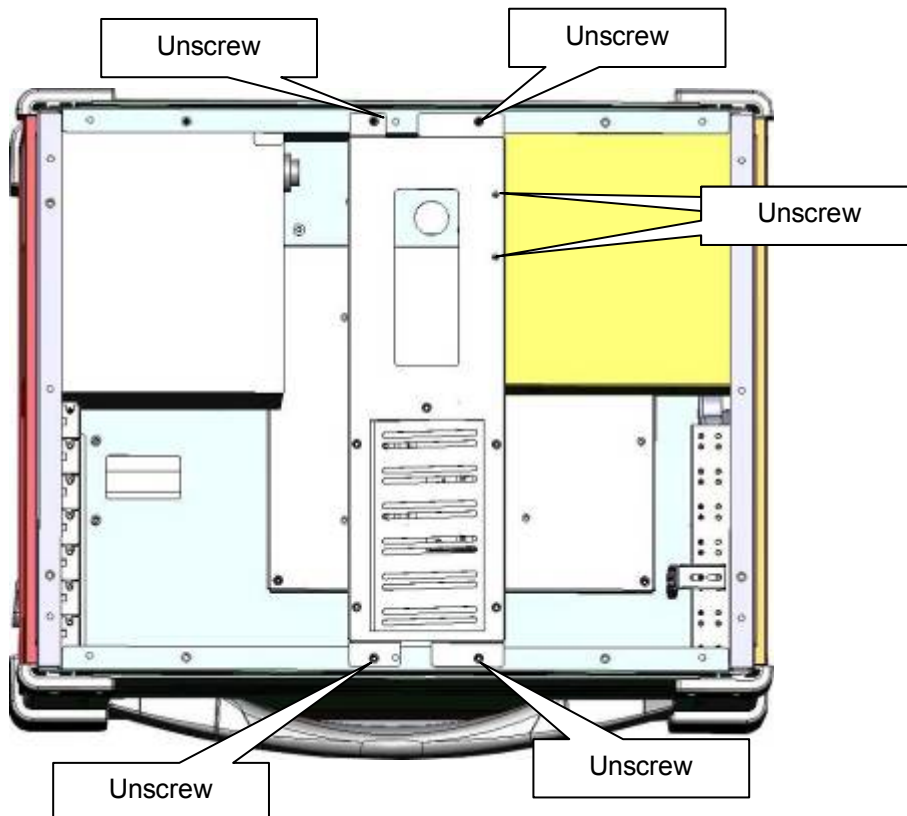
### 3.0 Internal Hardware Access

Be sure power cable is not connected to the system before proceeding

#### 1. Open Back Cover

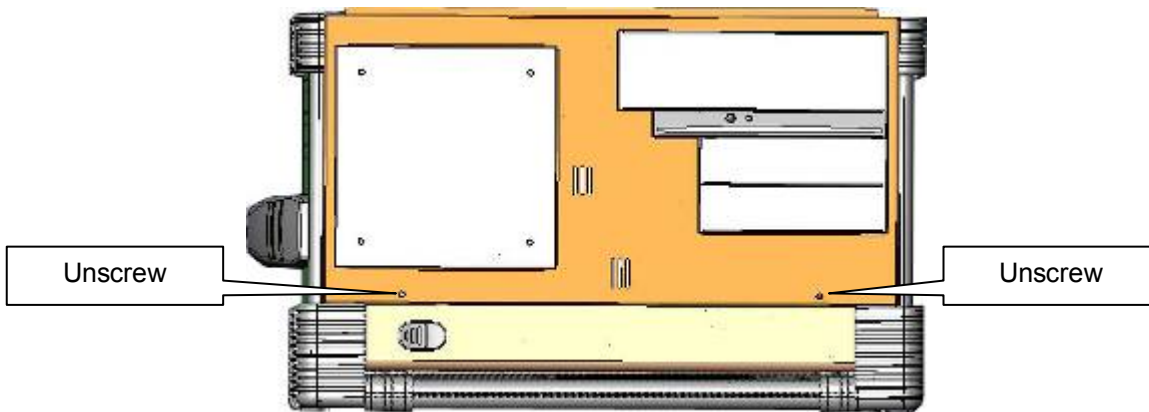


#### 2. Remove the Card stabilizer bar

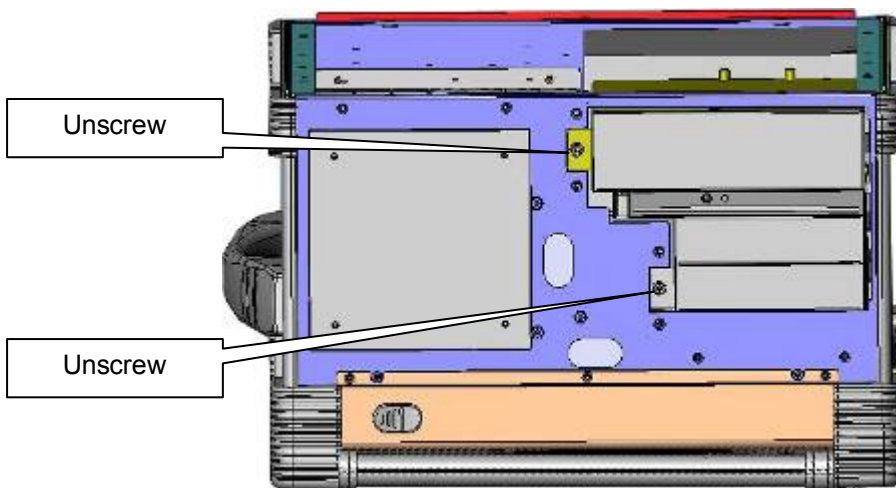


### 3. Remove the drive bay

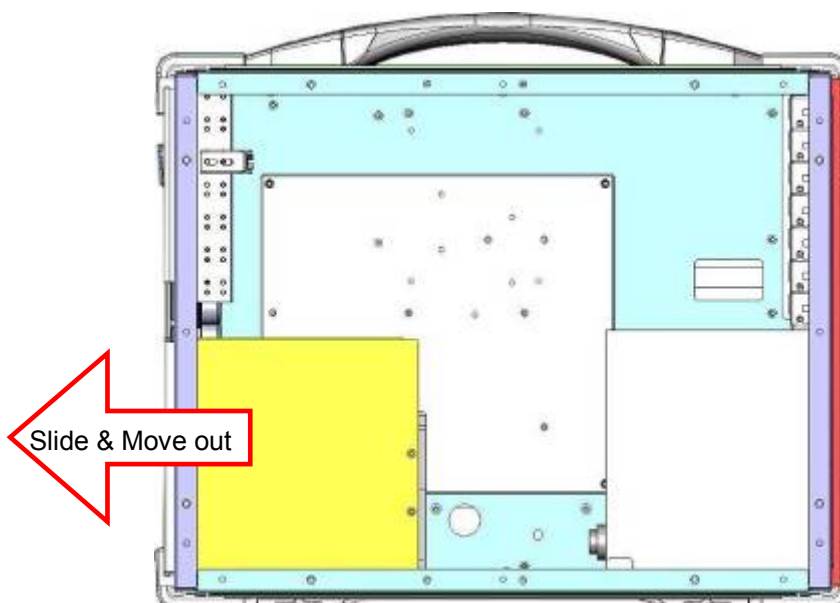
#### 3.1 Remove the right side cover



#### 3.2 Remove the drive bay

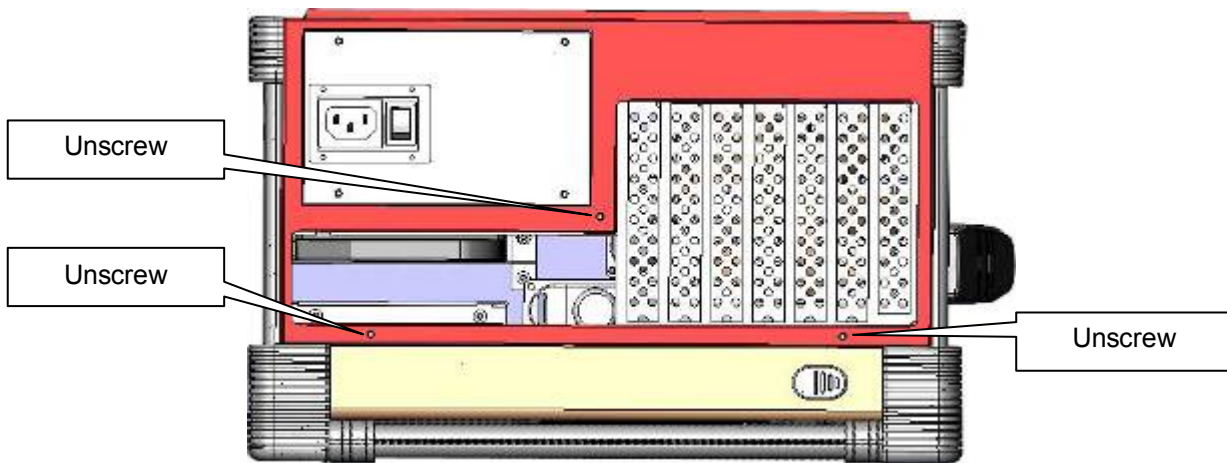


#### 3.3 Slide and move out the drive bay slowly

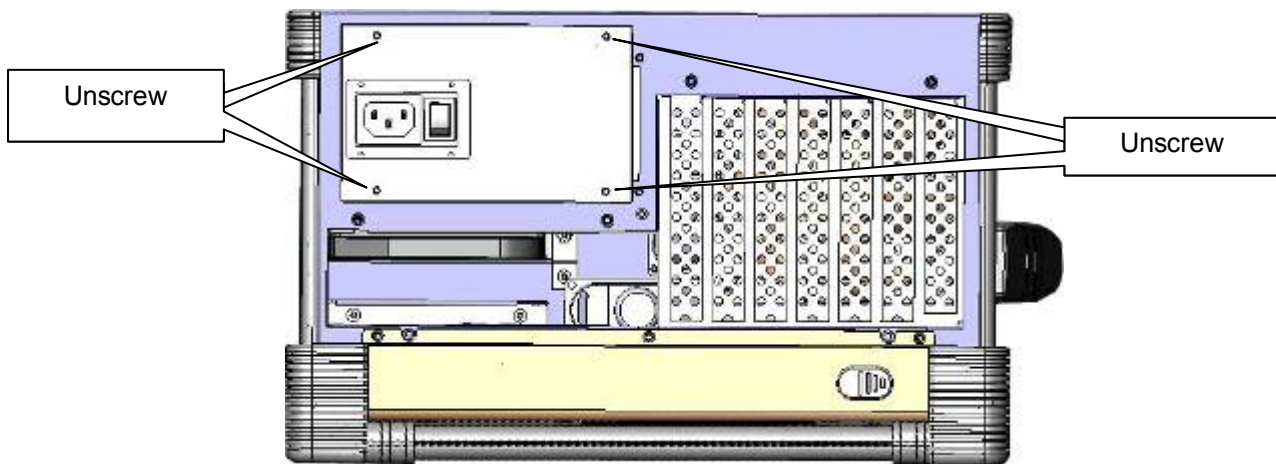


## 4. Remove The Power Supply

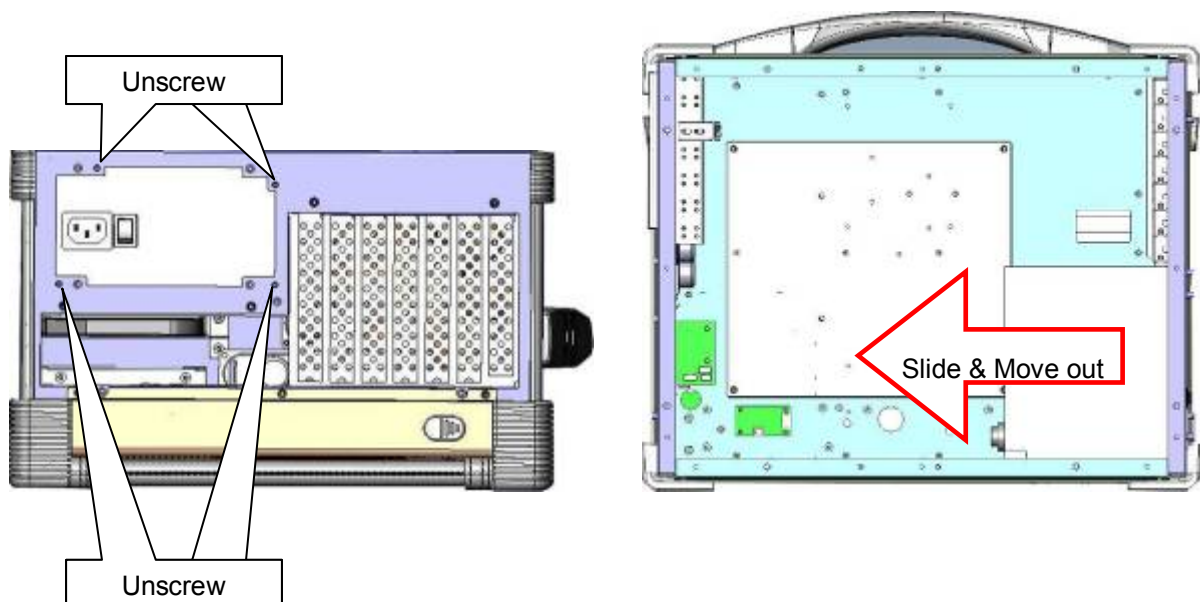
### 4.1 Remove the left side cover



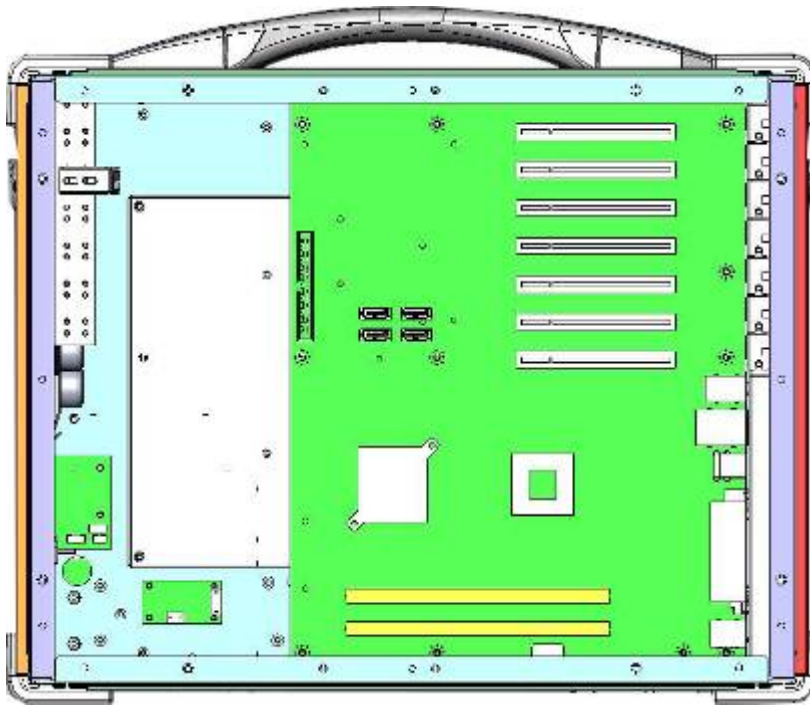
### 4.2 Remove the fan filter



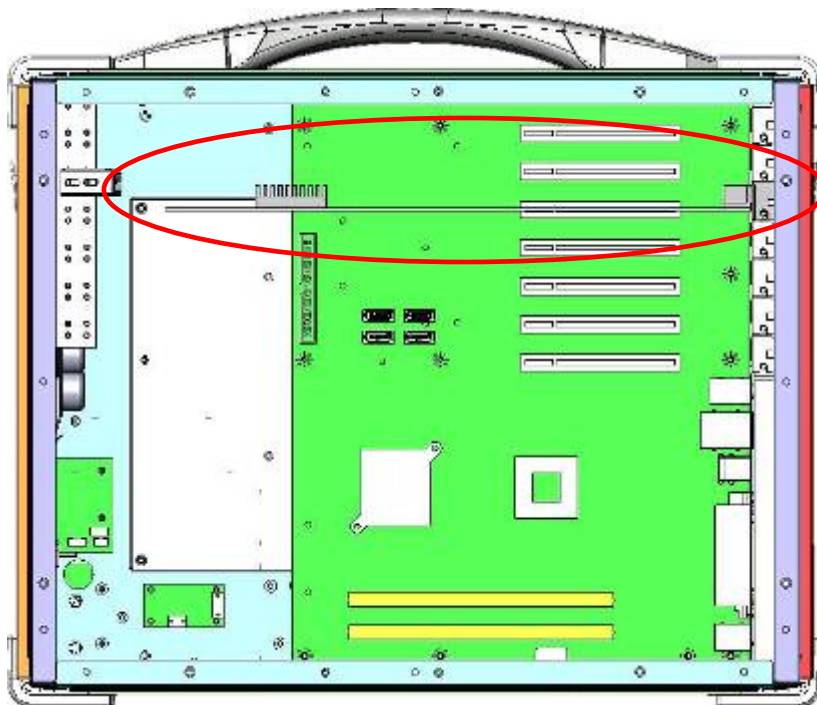
### 4.3 Slide and move out the PSU slowly



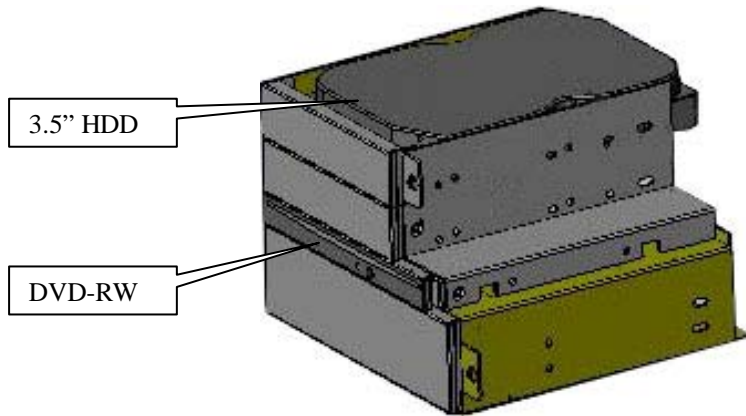
5. Install the proper stand-off matching the standard ATX Motherboard into the chassis and correct I/O plate supplied by board manufacturer and secure it the motherboard onto chassis.



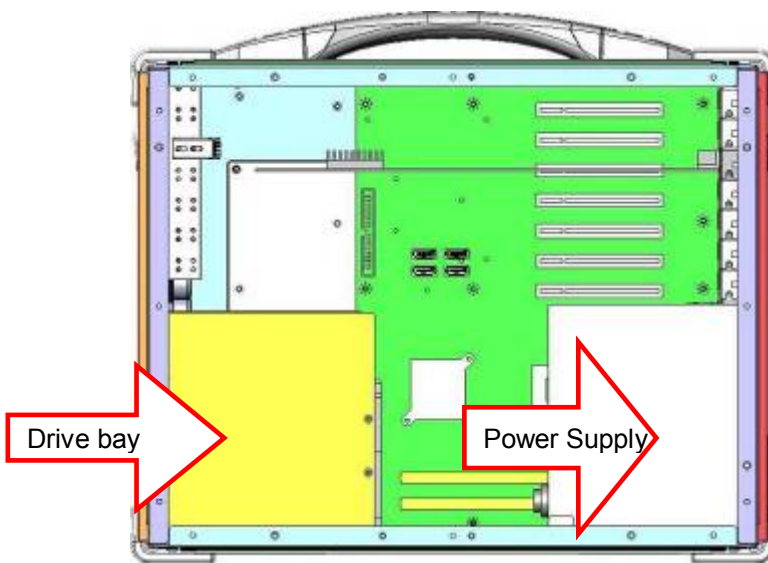
6. Install your add-in card into the appropriate slot



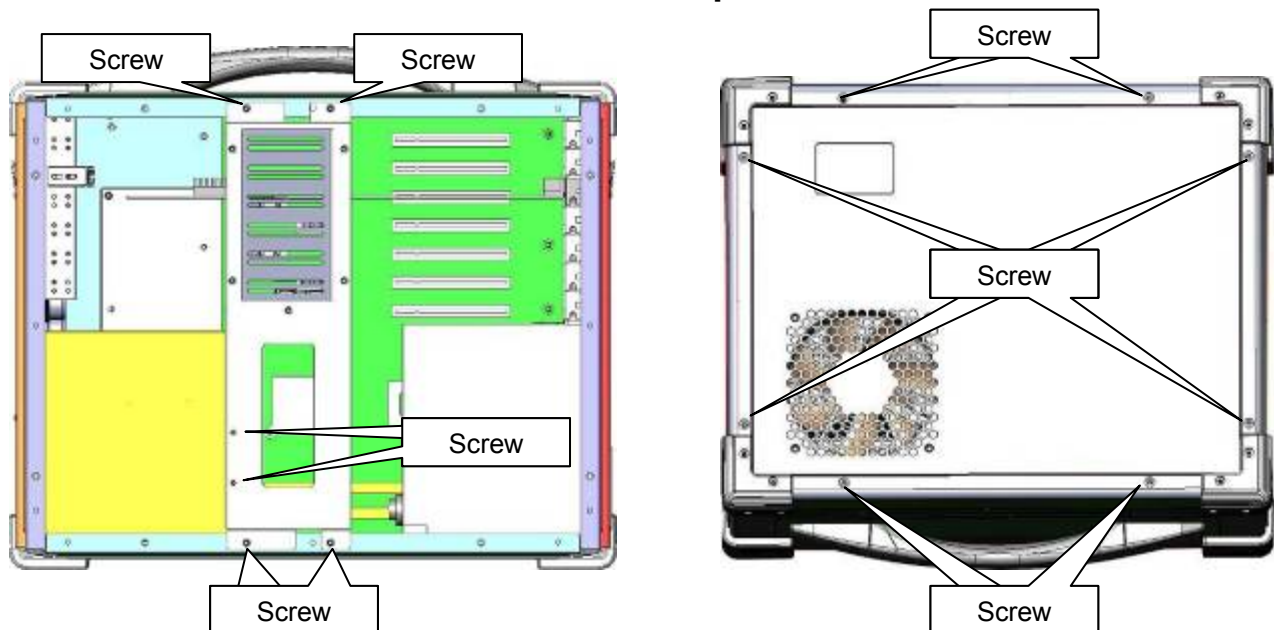
**7. Install the 3.5" device and slim DVD-RW into drive bay housing**



**8. Install the drive bay and power supply into chassis**



**9. Remount the card stabilizer bar and put the rear cover back**



## 4.0 Software Installation

You can use the built-in DVD-RW to load operating system and additional applications software into the system. Available medium from USB or download can also be possible.

**DOS Boot up:** DOS boot up requires you to have a version of the DOS installed on hard disk drive or floppy. Depending on the execution sequence you have set in the batch file, you will usually get a DOS prompt after loading.

**Window Boot up:** Windows boot up requires you to have Windows installed in the hard disk drive. During Windows boot up, you will see a sequence of access to your hard disk drive which will eventually take you into a graphical user interface environment.

**Other O/S description:** Many other operating systems are available in the market, such as Linux, Windows, Solaris and DOS. These operating systems will behave differently and you should react accordingly.

## 5.0 Troubleshooting

### 1. Installation problem:

1. Normally problem with a fail start up is due to installation problem.
2. Double check all the peripheral cards or items you have added to the ARP.
3. Are all the items seated properly?
4. Are all the cables connected back to its original or correct position?
5. Are the items you have added compatible?
6. Before you check for these, turn the computer off and unplug the power cord.
7. Check for 1 thru 5 and then re-power up the computer.
8. Remove all items that were added and re-try system power up.
9. If the system starts now, try inserting 1 new item in at a time and try powering up.
10. Repeat this step until you get the desired result.

### 2. BIOS Beep Code:

The BIOS beep code indicates error in system initialization. The BIOS of the system board will associate with video and memory error. Please check your video card is properly seated and your memory is installed properly.

### 3. System Fails to power up:

1. Check you power connection first.
2. Check the main power switch is in the ON positions (I) \*If cold switch is available.
3. Press the power button located on the machine.

### 4. No display (LCD):

1. Check all the proper power up procedure has been taken.
2. Hook up an external LCD to the VGA port, to check if video is present.
3. If video is present on external LCD, check the internal LCD cable connection.
4. Or check your VGA setting to make sure LCD video is enabled.
5. If there is no video on external, check your system to make sure everything is seated properly.
6. If everything is seated properly and still no video, call us for further assistance.

### 5. External LCD no display:

1. Check to see if you have internal LCD video.
2. Check if your LCD is functioning properly.
3. Check your VGA setting to make sure external video is enabled.

### 6. Keyboard fails:

1. Make sure the keyboard plug is inserted completely into the portable.
2. Make sure you do not have another keyboard connected to the side I/O PS/2 port.

### 7. TOUCHPAD fails:

1. Make sure the keyboard plug is inserted completely into the portable.
2. If you have an external PS/2 mouse hook up on the side I/O PS/2 port, the touch pad will not function simultaneously.
3. If your operating system requires and does not load the mouse driver automatically, make sure you have the proper mouse driver loaded.

### 8. DVD-RW fails:

1. Make sure the CD/DVD is readable.
2. If DVD-RW fails to be recognized during POST, check internal cable fit.