

# DiskStation

# DS1517



Synology DiskStation DS1517 comes with a quad-core CPU, hardware encryption engine, four built-in Gigabit LAN ports, and is scalable up to 15 drives, providing a cost-effective storage solution for growing businesses. DS1517 is ideal for centralizing data backups, protecting critical assets, and sharing files across different platforms. Synology DS1517 is backed by Synology's 3-year limited warranty.

## Optimal Performance & Price

Synology DS1517 is a 5-bay network attached storage solution equipped with a **quad-core 1.7 GHz** processor, **2GB RAM**, and four Gigabit LAN ports, delivering sequential reading throughput over **436 MB/s** and writing throughput over **449 MB/s** with RAID 5 and all LAN ports link-aggregated<sup>1</sup>. DS1517 is capable of encrypted data throughput up to **334 MB/s** in reading and **269 MB/s** in writing<sup>1</sup>. DS1517 delivers a reliable and cost-effective storage solution suitable for homes and businesses.

## Flexible Scalability

DS1517 can support up to 15 drives with two Synology **DX517**<sup>2</sup> expansion units on-the-fly for up to **150 TB** raw capacity. You can expand your storage capacity according to the needs of your business with minimal effort.

## Comprehensive Business Applications

Powered by the innovative Synology DiskStation Manager (DSM), DS1517 comes fully-equipped with applications and features designed specifically for large-scale businesses:

- **Windows® AD** and **LDAP** support allow easy integration with existing business directory services without recreating user accounts.
- **Windows ACL** support provides fine-grained access control and efficient privilege settings, allowing DS1517 to fit seamlessly into current infrastructure.
- Internet file access is simplified by the encrypted FTP server and the web-based file explorer, Synology **File Station**. HTTPS, firewall, and IP auto-block support ensure file sharing over the Internet is protected with a high level of security.

## Highlights

- Scalable quad-core 5-bay storage solution
- Outstanding reading throughput over 436 MB/s and writing throughput over 449 MB/s<sup>1</sup>
- Encrypted throughput over 334 MB/s in reading and 269 MB/s in writing<sup>1</sup>
- Four Gigabit (RJ-45) ports with failover and Link Aggregation support
- Scalable up to 15 drives with two DX517 expansion units<sup>2</sup>
- Synology High Availability (SHA) allows for uninterrupted services with seamless transitioning between clustered servers

## Effective Sync & Backup Solution

DS1517 can serve as a centralized backup destination, making it easy to create your own private cloud. **Cloud Sync** keeps your Dropbox, Google Drive, Microsoft OneDrive, Baidu, and Box storages in sync with DS1517 at home. **Cloud Station Suite** allows you to sync files among multiple devices, including Windows PC, Mac, Linux, and Android/iOS tablets and phones, effortlessly keeping everything up-to-date.

With block-level incremental backup and cross-version deduplication, Synology **Hyper Backup** provides multi-version backup with optimized storage utilization and allows data backup to multiple destinations—local shared folders, external hard drives, network shared folders, rsync servers, and public cloud services.

## 24/7 Smart Security Solution

Featuring user-friendly video management tools and an intuitive desktop-like interface, **Synology Surveillance Station** is a reliable private-security solution that can support multiple IP cameras connected to DS1517. Surveillance Station features optimized live view together with streamlined real-time monitoring. Its powerful analytics, such as motion detection and alert notification, allows you to stay informed of any suspicious activity with triggers sent via SMS, e-mail, and **DS cam** mobile application.

## Reliability & Availability

DS1517 features failover and **Link Aggregation** support. The built-in four Gigabit LAN ports provide enhanced resiliency against unexpected network or cabling failure. **Hot swappable drives** minimize system downtime by allowing simplified and rapid drive replacement.

Uninterrupted availability is a critical goal for all businesses. **Synology High Availability (SHA)** ensures a seamless transition between clustered servers in the event of unexpected disasters and ensuring your services remain online.

**Optional 5-year warranty<sup>3</sup>** is available in select regions.

## Energy Efficient and Easy Management

Synology DS1517 is designed and developed with energy efficiency in mind. DS1517 consumes only 39.5 W in regular operation. Wake on LAN/WAN and scheduled power on/off can further reduce power consumption and operational cost. With HDD hibernation, hard drives can enter the energy-saving mode automatically when the system has been idle for a specified period of time.



### Effective Sync & Backup Solution

Synology DS1517 can serve as a centralized backup destination, allowing you to back up files from multiple devices via Cloud Station Backup.

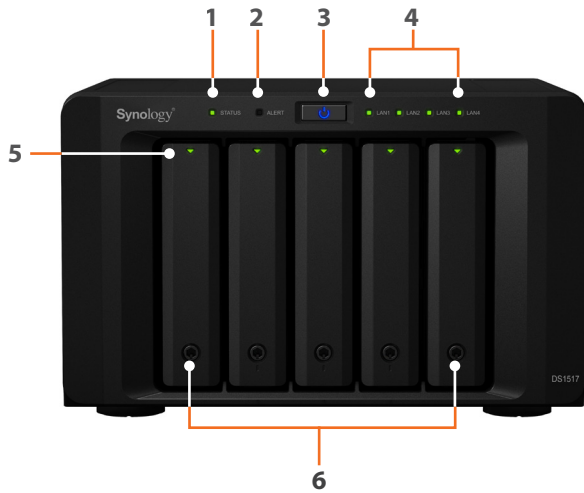


### Reliability, Availability & Disaster Recovery

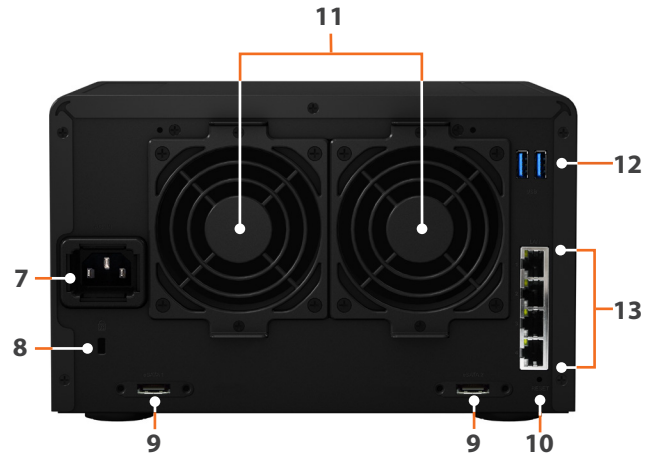
High Availability Manager ensures a seamless transition between clustered servers in the event of server failure with minimal impact on businesses.

# Hardware Overview

Front



Rear



1	Status indicator	2	Alert indicator	3	Power button	4	LAN indicator
5	Drive status indicator	6	Drive tray	7	Power port	8	Kensington Security Slot
9	eSATA port	10	RESET button	11	Fan	12	USB 3.0 port
13	1GbE RJ-45 port						

# Technical Specifications

## Hardware

CPU	Annapurna Labs Alpine AL-314 quad-core 1.7GHz
Hardware encryption engine	Yes
Memory	2 GB DDR3L
Compatible drive type	5 x 3.5" or 2.5" SATA SSD / HDD (drives not included)
External port	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 x USB 3.0 port</li> <li>• 2 x eSATA port</li> </ul>
Size (HxWxD)	157 x 248 x 233 mm
Weight	4.15 kg
LAN	4 x 1GbE (RJ-45)
Wake on LAN/WAN	Yes
Scheduled power on/off	Yes
System fan	2 (80 x 80 x 20 mm)
AC input power voltage	100V to 240V AC
Power frequency	50/60Hz, single phase
Operating temperature	5°C to 40°C (40°F to 104°F)
Storage temperature	-20°C to 60°C (-5°F to 140°F)
Relative humidity	5% to 95% RH
Maximum operating altitude	3,048 m (10,000 ft)

## General DSM Specification

Networking protocol	SMB, AFP, NFS, FTP, WebDAV, CalDAV, iSCSI, Telnet, SSH, SNMP, VPN (PPTP, OpenVPN™, L2TP)
File system	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Internal: ext4</li> <li>External: ext4, ext3, FAT, NTFS, HFS+ (read only), exFAT*</li> </ul>
Supported RAID type	Synology Hybrid RAID (SHR), Basic, JBOD, RAID 0, RAID 1, RAID 5, RAID 6, RAID 10
Storage management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maximum single volume size: 108 TB</li> <li>Maximum internal volume: 256</li> <li>Maximum iSCSI target: 32</li> <li>Maximum iSCSI LUN: 256</li> <li>iSCSI LUN clone/snapshot support</li> </ul>
SSD cache	SSD read-write cache support
File sharing capability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maximum local user account: 2,048</li> <li>Maximum local group: 256</li> <li>Maximum shared folder: 256</li> <li>Maximum concurrent SMB/NFS/AFP/FTP connection: 512</li> </ul>
Privilege	Windows Access Control List (ACL), application privileges
Directory service	Windows® AD integration: Domain users login via SMB/NFS/AFP/FTP/File Station, LDAP integration
Security	Firewall, encryption shared folder, SMB encryption, FTP over SSL/TLS, SFTP, rsync over SSH, login auto block, Let's Encrypt support, HTTPS (customizable cipher suite)
Supported client	Windows 7 onwards, Mac OS X® 10.10 onwards
Supported browser	Chrome®, Firefox®, Internet Explorer® 9 onwards, Safari® 8 onwards; Safari (iOS 7 onwards), Chrome (Android™ 4.0 onwards) on tablets
Interface language	English, Deutsch, Français, Italiano, Español, Dansk, Norsk, Svensk, Nederlands, Русский, Polski, Magyar, Português do Brasil, Português Europeu, Türkçe, Český, 日本語, 한국어, 繁體中文, 简体中文

## Packages and Applications

File Station	Virtual drives, remote folders, Windows ACL editor, compressing/extracting archived files, bandwidth control for specific users/groups, creating sharing links, transfer logs
FTP Server	Bandwidth control for TCP connections, custom FTP passive port range, anonymous FTP, FTP SSL/TLS and SFTP protocol, boot over the network with TFTP and PXE support, transfer logs
Universal Search	Offer global search into applications and files
Hyper Backup	Support local backup, network backup, and data backup to public clouds
Active Backup for Server	Centralize data backup for Windows and Linux servers without client installation
Backup tool	DSM configuration backup, macOS Time Machine support, Cloud Station Backup Shared folder sync - maximum task number: 4
Cloud Station Suite	Sync data between multiple platforms by installing the client utilities on Windows, Mac, Linux, Android and iOS devices, while retaining up to 32 historical versions of files Maximum concurrent file transfer: 512
Cloud Sync	One or two-way synchronization with public cloud storage providers including Amazon Drive, Amazon S3-compatible storage, Baidu cloud, Box, Dropbox, Google Cloud Storage, Google Drive, hubiC, MegaDisk, Microsoft OneDrive, OpenStack Swift-compatible storage, WebDAV servers, Yandex Disk
Surveillance Station	Maximum IP camera: 30 (total of 900 FPS at 720p, H.264) (including two free camera licenses; additional cameras require the purchasing of additional licenses)
High Availability Manager	Reduce service downtime by setting up two identical NAS into one high-availability cluster
VPN Server	Maximum connection: 15, supported VPN protocol: PPTP, OpenVPN™, L2TP/IPSec
Mail Server	Supported Mail Server protocol: POP3, SMTP, IMAP, support LDAP/AD account
Mail Station	Webmail interface for Mail Server to receive emails from multiple POP3 mailboxes, customizable SMTP server
Collaboration Suite	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chat maximum user: 150</li> <li>Office maximum user: 150, maximum simultaneous editing user: 40</li> <li>Calendar: support CalDAV and access via mobile devices</li> </ul>
Note Station	Rich-text note organization and versioning, encryption, sharing, media embedding and attachments
Storage Analyzer	Volume and quota usage, total size of files, volume usage and trends based on past usage, size of shared folders, largest/most/least frequently modified files
Security Advisor	Malware detection/removal, user account/password, network, system-related security scan
Antivirus Essential	Full system scan, scheduled scan, white list customization, virus definition auto update
Download Station	Supported download protocol: BT, HTTP, FTP, NZB, eMule, Thunder, FlashGet, QQDL Maximum concurrent download task: 50
Web Station	Virtual host (up to 30 websites), PHP/MariaDB®, third-party application support
Other package	Video Station, Photo Station, Audio Station, DNS Server, RADIUS Server, iTunes® Server, Log Center, third-party packages available on Package Center
iOS/Android™ application	DS audio, DS cam, DS cloud, DS file, DS finder, DS get, DS note, DS photo, DS video
Windows Phone® application	DS audio, DS file, DS finder, DS get, DS photo, DS video

## Environment and Packaging

Environment safety	RoHS compliant
Package content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• DS1517 main unit x 1</li><li>• Quick Installation Guide x 1</li><li>• Accessory pack x 1</li><li>• AC power cord x 1</li><li>• RJ-45 LAN cable x 2</li></ul>
Optional accessories	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Synology Expansion Unit DX517</li><li>• Synology VS360HD</li><li>• Surveillance Device License Pack</li></ul>
Warranty	3 years

\*Model specifications are subject to change without notice. Please refer to [www.synology.com](http://www.synology.com) for the latest information.

1. Performance figures may vary depending on environment, usage, and configuration.
2. DS1517 supports up to two Synology DX517, sold separately.
3. 5-year warranty is available as an optional bundle with EW201, 2-year Extended Warranty service add-on. Visit [https://www.synology.com/en-global/products/Extended\\_Warranty](https://www.synology.com/en-global/products/Extended_Warranty) for more information on availability.
4. exFAT Access is purchased separately in Package Center.

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Synology is dedicated to taking full advantage of the latest technologies to bring businesses and home users reliable and affordable ways to centralize data storage, simplify data backup, share and sync files across different platforms, and access data on-the-go. Synology aims to deliver products with forward-thinking features and the best in class customer services.

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