

Cisco HyperFlex HX240 M6 Edge All Flash and Hybrid Server Nodes

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OVERVIEW

Cisco HyperFlex Edge Systems are optimized for remote sites, branch offices, and edge environments. As a smaller form factor of Cisco HyperFlex, Cisco HyperFlex Edge keeps the full power of a next generation hyperconverged platform even without connecting to Cisco UCS Fabric Interconnects. Cisco HyperFlex Edge Systems support a variable configuration of 2, 3, or 4 HX converged nodes and supports the scale up of CPU, memory, and storage capacity (hot-add additional capacity drives).

NOTE: HX 240 Edge (short depth and full depth) requires Intersight for cluster deployment and ongoing management.

The Cisco HyperFlex Edge operates using existing top of rack 1GE or 10/25GE switching with options for both single and dual switch configurations. HyperFlex Edge is typically deployed in environments with a minimal infrastructure footprint, hence the use of UCS compute-only nodes is not supported.

The HyperFlex HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes extends the capabilities of Cisco's HyperFlex portfolio in a 2U form factor with the addition of the 3rd Gen Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processors (Ice Lake), 16 DIMM slots per CPU for 3200-MHz DDR4 DIMMs with DIMM capacity points up to 256 GB. The maximum memory capacity for 2 CPUs is listed here:

- 8 TB (32 x 256 GB DDR4 DIMMs¹)

There are two options to choose from:

- **HXAF-E-240-M6SX (All Flash)** (see [Figure 1 on page 5](#)):
 - Up to 24 front SFF SAS/SATA SSDs only.
 - PCIe centric option provides up to 8 PCIe slots using all three rear risers.
 - Storage-centric option provides 3 PCIe slots using slots in one of the rear risers and two rear risers with a total of up to 4 SFF drives.
- **HX-E-240-M6SX (Hybrid)** (see [Figure 1 on page 5](#)):
 - Up to 24 front SFF SAS/SATA HDDs and SSDs.
 - PCIe centric option provides up to 8 PCIe slots using all three rear risers.
 - Storage-centric option provides 3 PCIe slots using slots in one of the rear risers and two rear risers with a total of up to 4 SFF drives.

The server provides one or two internal slots (depending on the server type) for the following:

- Two slots for Cisco 12G SAS pass-through HBAs. Each HBA controls up to 16 SAS/SATA drives.



NOTE: PCIe drives are controlled directly from the CPUs.

The HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes has two LOM ports (10Gbase-T LOM) and a single 1 GbE management port. A modular LAN on motherboard (mLOM) module provides up to two 100 GbE ports. A connector on the front of the chassis provides KVM functionality.

See [Figure 1 on page 4](#) for front and rear views of all the configurations of the HyperFlex HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes.

Notes:

1. Target timeframe for supporting 256 GB DIMMs is Q4CY2021.

Figure 1 Cisco UCS HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes

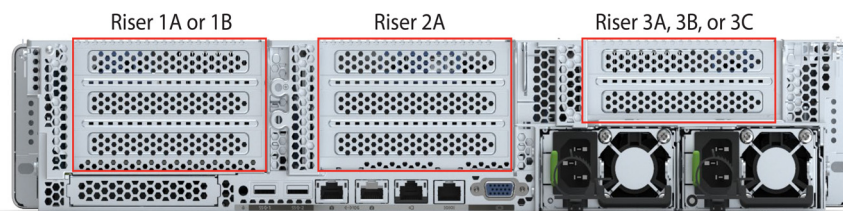
HXAF-E-240-M6SX (All Flash)

24 Front drives are SAS/SATA solid state drives (SSDs) and optionally 4 SAS/SATA rear drives

Front View see [Figure 2 on page 5](#) for details



Rear View (all slots shown unpopulated - see [Figure 3 on page 6](#) for details)



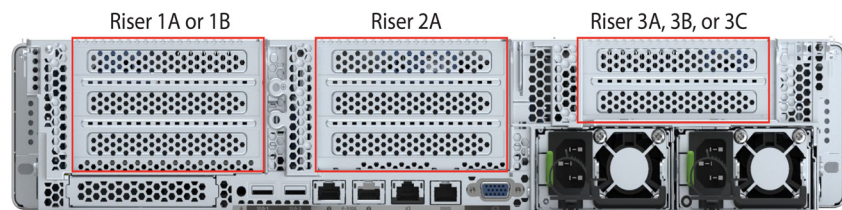
HX-E-240-M6SX (Hybrid)

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Front View see [Figure 4 on page 9](#) for details



Rear View (all slots shown unpopulated - see [Figure 5 on page 10](#) for details)

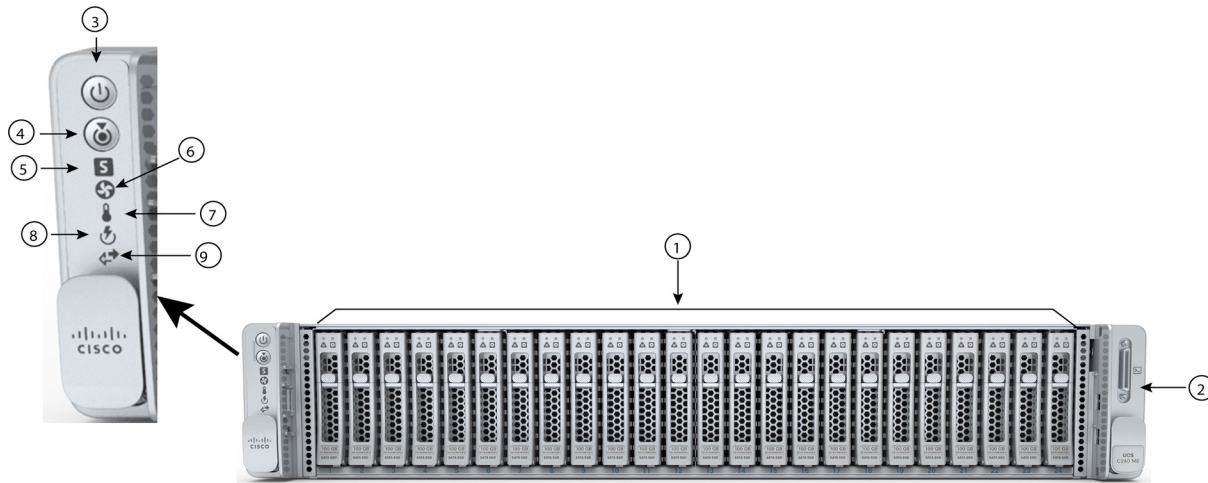


DETAILED VIEWS

Chassis Front View - HXAF-E-240-M6SX (All Flash)

Figure 2 shows the front View of the HXAF-E-240-M6SX (All Flash) Server Node configured with 24 front SAS/SATA drives. and optionally 4 SAS/SATA rear drives.

Figure 2 Chassis Front View

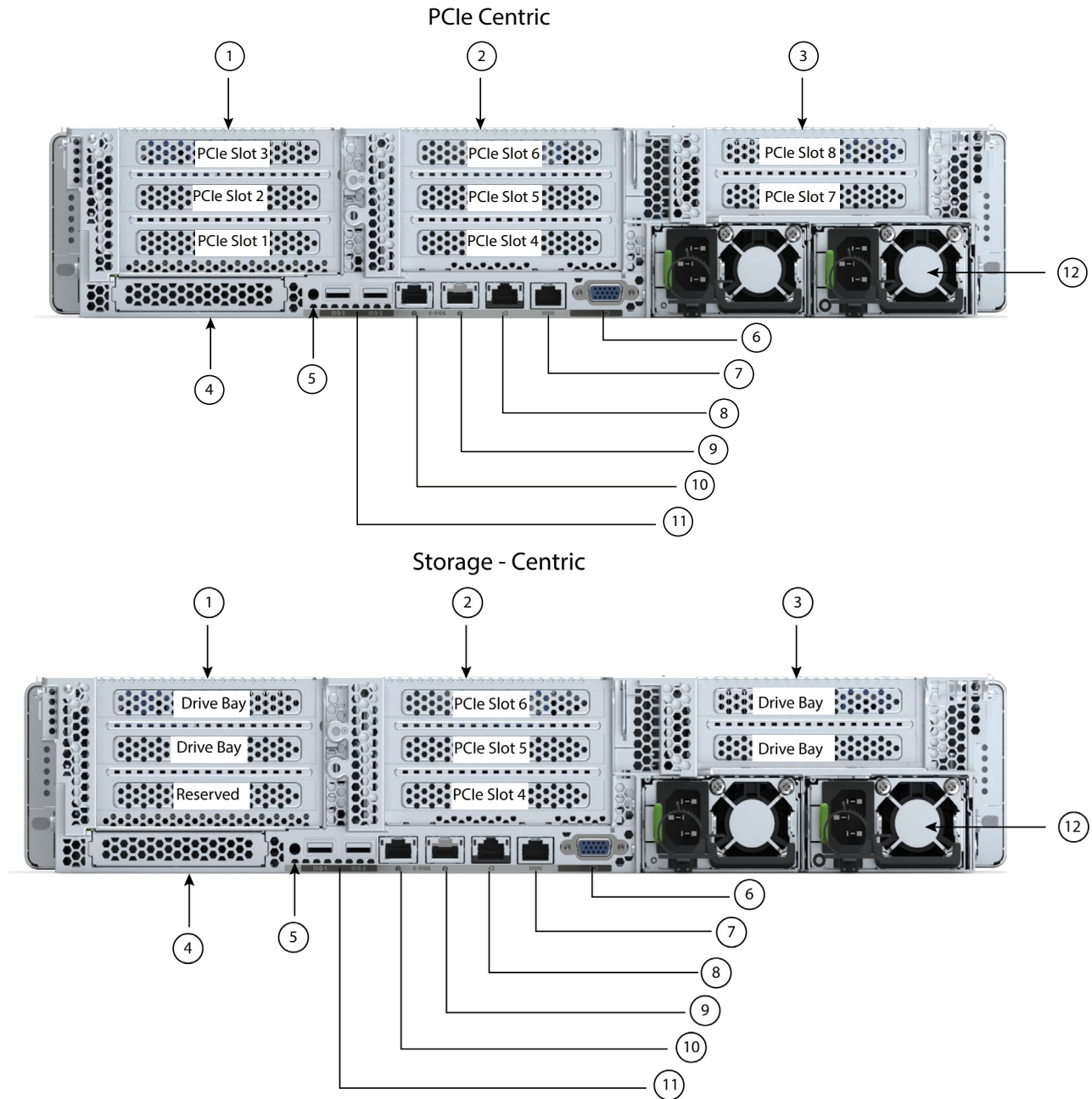


1	Drive bays 1 - 24 support SAS/SATA solid state drives (SSDs) NOTE: NVMe drives are not supported on HyperFlex All flash Edge nodes	6	Fan status LED
2	KVM connector (used with KVM cable that provides two USB 2.0, one VGA, and one serial connector)	7	Temperature status LED
3	Power button/Power status LED	8	Power supply status LED
4	Unit Identification button/LED	9	Network link activity LED
5	System status LED	-	-

Chassis Rear View - HXAF-E-240-M6SX (All Flash)

Figure 3 shows the external features of the rear panel. The PCIe centric version shows all PCIe slots. The storage centric version shows a combination of PCIe risers and storage bays.

Figure 3 Chassis Rear View



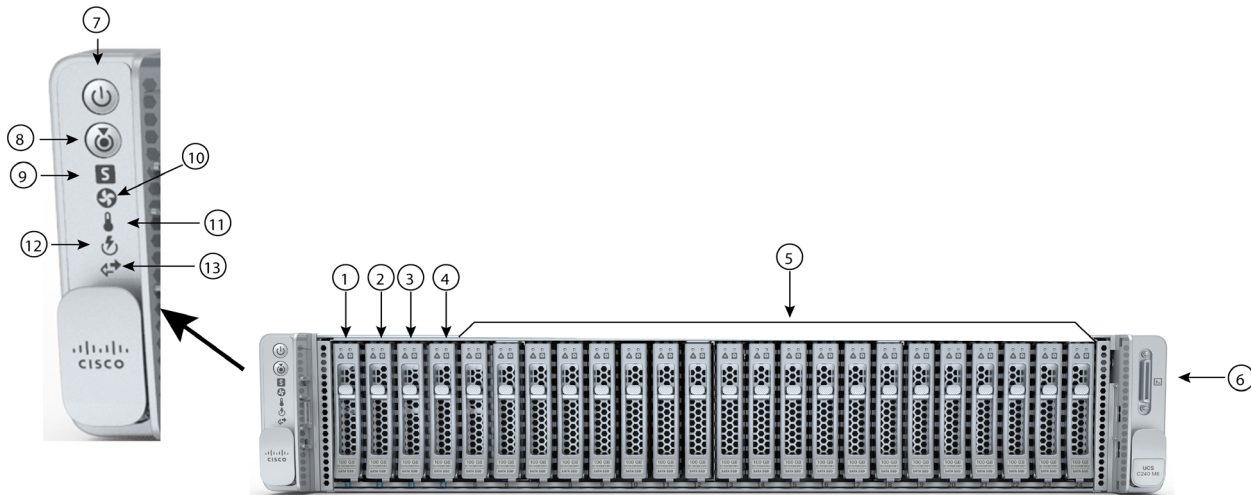
<p>1</p>	<p>There are two Riser 1 options:</p> <p>Riser 1A (PCIe centric, CPU1 control)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Supports three PCIe slots: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slot 1 is full-height, 3/4 length, x8, NCSI • Slot 2 is full-height, full-length, x16, NCSI • Slot 3 is full-height, full-length, x8, no NCSI <p>Riser 1B (storage-centric)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Supports two SFF drives (SAS/SATA) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slot 1 is reserved • Slot 2 (drive bay 102), x4 (CPU2 control) • Slot 3 (drive bay 101), x4 (CPU2 control) • When using a hardware drive controller card (SAS HBA) in the server, SAS/SATA SSDs are supported in the rear bays. <p>See Riser Card Configuration and Options, page 68 for details.</p> <p>NOTE: NVMe drives are not supported on HyperFlex Edge nodes</p>	<p>7</p>	<p>COM port (RJ45 connector)</p>
<p>2</p>	<p>Riser 2A (always PCIe centric, CPU2 control)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Supports three PCIe slots: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slot 4 is full-height, 3/4 length, x8 • Slot 5 is full-height, full-length, x16 • Slot 6 is full-height, full length, x8 <p>See Riser Card Configuration and Options, page 68 for details.</p>	<p>8</p>	<p>1 GbE dedicated Ethernet management port</p>

<p>3</p>	<p>There are two Riser 3 options:</p> <p>Riser 3A (PCIe centric, CPU2 control)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Supports two PCIe slots: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slot 7 is full-height, full-length, x8, no NCSI • Slot 8 is full-height, full-length, x8, no NCSI <p>Riser 3B (storage-centric, CPU2 control)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Supports two SFF drives (SAS/SATA) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slot 7 (drive bay 104), x4 • Slot 8 (drive bay 103), x4 • When using a hardware drive controller card (SAS HBA) in the server, SAS/SATA SSDs are supported in the rear bays. <p>Riser 3C (for GPU, CPU2 control)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Supports one full-height, full-length, double-wide GPU (PCIe slot 7 only), x16 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slot 8 is blocked by double-wide GPU <p>See Riser Card Configuration and Options, page 68 for details.</p>	<p>9 -10</p>	<p>Dual 1/10 GbE Ethernet ports (LAN1, LAN2)</p> <p>LAN1 is left connector, LAN2 is right connector</p>
<p>4</p>	<p>Modular LAN-on-motherboard (mLOM) card slot (x16)</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>USB 3.0 ports (two)</p>
<p>5</p>	<p>System ID pushbutton/LED</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>Power supplies (two)</p>
<p>6</p>	<p>VGA display port (DB15 connector)</p>	<p>-</p>	<p>-</p>

Chassis Front View - HX-E-240-M6SX (Hybrid)

Figure 2 shows the front View of the HX-E-240-M6SX (Hybrid) Server Node configured with 24 front SAS/SATA drives. and optionally 4 SAS/SATA rear drives.

Figure 4 Chassis Front View

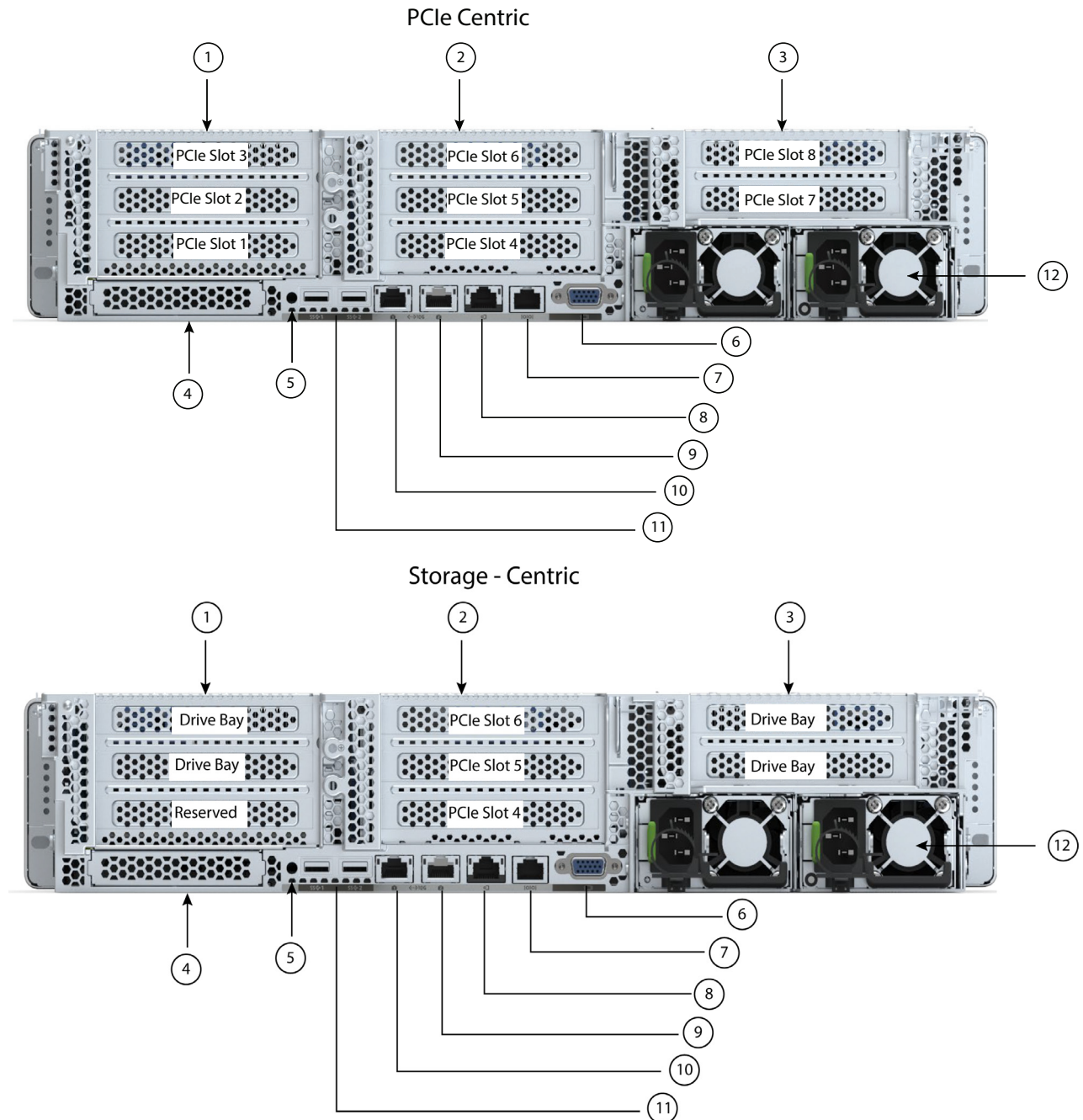


1 - 4	Drive bays 1 - 4 support SAS/SATA hard drives (HDDs) and solid state drives (SSDs) NOTE: NVMe drives are not supported on HyperFlex Edge nodes	9	System status LED
5	Drive bays 5 - 24 support SAS/SATA hard drives (HDDs) only.	10	Fan status LED
6	KVM connector (used with KVM cable that provides two USB 2.0, one VGA, and one serial connector)	11	Temperature status LED
7	Power button/Power status LED	12	Power supply status LED
8	Unit Identification button/LED	13	Network link activity LED

Chassis Rear View - HX-E-240-M6SX (Hybrid)

Figure 3 shows the external features of the rear panel. The PCIe centric version shows all PCIe slots. The storage centric version shows a combination of PCIe risers and storage bays.

Figure 5 Chassis Rear View



<p>1</p>	<p>There are two Riser 1 options:</p> <p>Riser 1A (PCIe centric, CPU1 control)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Supports three PCIe slots: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slot 1 is full-height, 3/4 length, x8, NCSI • Slot 2 is full-height, full-length, x16, NCSI • Slot 3 is full-height, full-length, x8, no NCSI <p>Riser 1B (storage-centric)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Supports two SFF drives (SAS/SATA) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slot 1 is reserved • Slot 2 (drive bay 102), x4 (CPU2 control) • Slot 3 (drive bay 101), x4 (CPU2 control) • When using a hardware drive controller card (SAS HBA) in the server, SAS/SATA HDDs are supported in the rear bays. <p>See Riser Card Configuration and Options, page 68 for details.</p> <p>NOTE: NVMe drives are not supported on HyperFlex Edge nodes</p>	<p>7</p>	<p>COM port (RJ45 connector)</p>
<p>2</p>	<p>Riser 2A (always PCIe centric, CPU2 control)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Supports three PCIe slots: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slot 4 is full-height, 3/4 length, x8 • Slot 5 is full-height, full-length, x16 • Slot 6 is full-height, full length, x8 <p>See Riser Card Configuration and Options, page 68 for details.</p>	<p>8</p>	<p>1 GbE dedicated Ethernet management port</p>

<p>3</p>	<p>There are two Riser 3 options:</p> <p>Riser 3A (PCIe centric, CPU2 control)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Supports two PCIe slots: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slot 7 is full-height, full-length, x8, no NCSI • Slot 8 is full-height, full-length, x8, no NCSI <p>Riser 3B (storage-centric, CPU2 control)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Supports two SFF drives (SAS/SATA) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slot 7 (drive bay 104), x4 • Slot 8 (drive bay 103), x4 • When using a hardware drive controller card (SAS HBA) in the server, SAS/SATA HDDs are supported in the rear bays. <p>Riser 3C (for GPU, CPU2 control)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Supports one full-height, full-length, double-wide GPU (PCIe slot 7 only), x16 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slot 8 is blocked by double-wide GPU <p>See Riser Card Configuration and Options, page 68 for details.</p>	<p>9 -10</p>	<p>Dual 1/10 GbE Ethernet ports (LAN1, LAN2)</p> <p>LAN1 is left connector, LAN2 is right connector</p>
<p>4</p>	<p>Modular LAN-on-motherboard (mLOM) card slot (x16)</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>USB 3.0 ports (two)</p>
<p>5</p>	<p>System ID pushbutton/LED</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>Power supplies (two)</p>
<p>6</p>	<p>VGA display port (DB15 connector)</p>	<p>-</p>	<p>-</p>




NOTE: For GPU support on a particular riser slot, see [Table 16 on page 40](#)

BASE SERVER NODE STANDARD CAPABILITIES and FEATURES

Table 1 lists the capabilities and features of the base server. Details about how to configure the server for a particular feature or capability (for example, number of processors, disk drives, or amount of memory) are provided in *CONFIGURING the SERVER, page 16*.

Table 1 Capabilities and Features

Capability/Feature	Description
Chassis	Two rack unit (2RU) chassis
CPU	One or two 3rd Gen Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processors (Ice Lake)
Chipset	Intel® C621 series chipset
Memory	32 slots for registered DIMMs (RDIMMs) or load-reduced DIMMs (LRDIMMs)
Multi-bit Error Protection	This server supports multi-bit error protection.
Video	<p>The Cisco Integrated Management Controller (CIMC) provides video using the Matrox G200e video/graphics controller:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Integrated 2D graphics core with hardware acceleration ■ Embedded DDR memory interface supports up to 512 MB of addressable memory (8 MB is allocated by default to video memory) ■ Supports display resolutions up to 1920 x 1200 16bpp @ 60Hz ■ High-speed integrated 24-bit RAMDAC ■ Single lane PCI-Express host interface running at Gen 1 speed
Power subsystem	<p>Up to two of the following hot-swappable power supplies:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 1050 W (AC) ■ 1050 W (DC) ■ 1600 W (AC) ■ 2300 W (AC) <p>One power supply is mandatory; one more can be added for 1 + 1 redundancy.</p>
Front Panel	A front panel controller provides status indications and control buttons.
ACPI	This server supports the advanced configuration and power interface (ACPI) 4.0 standard.
Fans	Six hot-swappable fans for front-to-rear cooling
Expansion slots	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Riser 1A (3 PCIe slots) ■ Riser 1B (2 drive bays) ■ Riser 2A (3 PCIe slots) ■ Riser 3A (2 PCIe slots) ■ Riser 3B (2 drive bays) ■ Riser 3C (1 full-length, double-wide GPU) <p> Note: Not all risers are available in every server configuration option.</p> <p>For more details on the variations of riser 1, riser 2, and riser 3, see Riser Card Configuration and Options, page 68.</p>

Capability/ Feature	Description
Interfaces	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Rear panel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One 1Gbase-T RJ-45 management port • Two 10Gbase-T LOM ports • One RS-232 serial port (RJ45 connector) • One DB15 VGA connector • Two USB 3.0 port connectors • One flexible modular LAN on motherboard (mLOM) slot that can accommodate various interface cards ■ Front panel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One KVM console connector (supplies two USB 2.0 connectors, one VGA DB15 video connector, and one serial port (RS232) RJ45 connector)
Internal storage devices	<p><u>Drive storage:</u></p> <p>The server is orderable in two different nodes:</p> <p>HXAF-E-240-M6SX (All Flash):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Up to 24 front SFF solid state drives (SSDs). 24 Drives are used as below: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Three to twenty-two SAS/SATA SSD (for capacity) • One SAS/SATA SSD (for caching) • One SAS/SATA SSD (system drive for HXDP operations) ■ Up to 4 SFF rear-facing SAS/SATA drives (Optional) <p>HX-E-240-M6SX (Hybrid):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Up to 24 front SFF hard drives (HDDs) and solid state drives (SSDs). 24 Drives are used as below: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Three to twenty-two SAS HDD (for capacity) • One SAS/SATA SSD (for caching) • One SAS/SATA SSD (system drive for HXDP operations) ■ Up to 4 SFF rear-facing SAS/SATA drives (Optional) <p><u>Other storage:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ A mini-storage module connector on the motherboard supports a boot-optimized RAID controller carrier that holds two SATA M.2 SSDs. Mixing different capacity SATA M.2 SSDs is not supported. This mini storage module for following usage: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ESXi hypervisor boot and HyperFlex storage controller VM
Integrated management processor	<p>Baseboard Management Controller (BMC) running Cisco Integrated Management Controller (CIMC) firmware.</p> <p>Depending on your CIMC settings, the CIMC can be accessed through the 1GE dedicated management port, the 1GE/10GE LOM ports, or a Cisco virtual interface card (VIC).</p> <p>CIMC manages certain components within the server, such as the Cisco 12G SAS HBA.</p>

Capability/Feature	Description
Storage controllers	<p>One or two 12G SAS HBAs plug into a dedicated slot.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Cisco M6 12G SAS HBA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No RAID support • JBOD/Pass-through Mode support • Each HBA supports up to 16 SAS/SATA internal drives
Modular LAN on Motherboard (mLOM) slot	<p>The dedicated mLOM slot on the motherboard can flexibly accommodate the following cards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Cisco Virtual Interface Cards
Intersight	Intersight provides server management capabilities
CIMC	Cisco Integrated Management Controller 4.2(1) or later

CONFIGURING the SERVER

Follow these steps to configure the Cisco UCS HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes:

- *STEP 1 VERIFY SERVER SKU, page 17*
- *STEP 2 SELECT RISER CARDS (REQUIRED), page 18*
- *STEP 3 SELECT CPU(s), page 19*
- *STEP 4 SELECT MEMORY, page 23*
- *STEP 5 SELECT DRIVE CONTROLLERS, page 29*
- *STEP 6 SELECT DRIVES, page 30*
- *STEP 7 SELECT OPTION CARD(s), page 34*
- *STEP 8 ORDER OPTIONAL PCIe OPTION CARD ACCESSORIES, page 36*
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- *STEP 18 CISCO INTERSIGHT, page 51*
- *STEP 19 SELECT INSTALLATION SERVICE, page 52*
- *SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIAL, page 53*

STEP 1 VERIFY SERVER SKU

Select one server product ID (PID) from [Table 2](#).

Table 2 PID of the HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Base Server Nodes

Product ID (PID)	Description
HX-M6-MLB	HX/HXAF/EDG M6 MLB
HXAF-E-240-M6SX1 (All Flash)	<p>Cisco HyperFlex HX240 All Flash Edge sever has Small form-factor (SFF) drives, with 24-drive backplane.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Front-loading drive bays 1–24 support 2.5-inch SAS/SATA drives. ■ Optionally, 4 rear facing SAS/SATA drives ■ No CPU, memory, drives, PCIe cards, or power supply included
HX-E-240-M6SX1 (Hybrid)	<p>Cisco HyperFlex HX240 Hybrid Edge sever has Small form-factor (SFF) drives, with 24-drive backplane.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Front-loading drive bays 1–24 support 2.5-inch SAS/SATA drives. ■ Optionally, 4 rear facing SAS/SATA drives ■ No CPU, memory, drives, PCIe cards, or power supply included

Notes:

1. This product may not be purchased outside of the approved bundles (must be ordered under the MLB)

The HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Base Server Nodes do not include power supplies, CPUs, DIMM, hard disk drives (HDDs), solid-state drives (SSDs) riser 1, riser 2, riser 3, tool-less rail kit, or option cards.

HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Clusters:

- HyperFlex Edge clusters can be configured in 2, 3 or 4 node configurations. Single node clusters and clusters larger than 4 nodes are not supported with HyperFlex Edge.
- HyperFlex Data Platform software is required to install Edge 240 clusters.



NOTE: Use the steps on the following pages to configure the server with the components that you want to include.

STEP 2 SELECT RISER CARDS (REQUIRED)

Select risers from [Table 3](#).

Table 3 PIDs of the Risers

Product ID (PID)	Description
UCSC-RIS1A-240M6 (default riser)	C240 M6 Riser1A (controlled with CPU1) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ PCIe Slot 1 (bottom slot): full height, 3/4 length, x8, NCSI ■ PCIe Slot 2 (middle slot): full height, full length (GPU Card), x16, NCSI ■ PCIe Slot 3 (top slot): full height, full length, x8
HX-RIS1B-240M6 (storage riser)	C240 M6 Riser1B (controlled with CPU1) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Slot 1 is reserved ■ Slot 2 (middle slot, 2.5" drive bay 102), x4 ■ Slot 3 (top slot, 2.5" drive bay 101), x4
UCSC-RIS2A-240M6 (default riser)	C240 M6 Riser2A (controlled with CPU2) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Slot 4 (bottom slot): full height, 3/4 length, x8, NCSI ■ Slot 5 (middle slot): full height, full length (GPU Card), x16, NCSI ■ Slot 6 (top slot): full height, full length, x8
UCSC-RIS3A-240M6 (default riser)	C240 M6 Riser3A (controlled with CPU2) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Slot 7 (bottom slot): full height, full length (GPU Card), x8 ■ Slot 8 (top slot): full height, full length (GPU Card), x4
HX-RIS3B-240M6 (storage riser)	C240 M6 Riser 3B (controlled with CPU2) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Slot 7 (bottom slot, 2.5" drive bay 104), x4 ■ Slot 8 (top slot, 2.5" drive bay 103), x4
HX-RIS3C-240M6 (GPU riser)	C240 M6 Riser 3C (controlled with CPU2) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Slot 7 supports one full-height, full-length, double-wide GPU (PCIe slot 7 only), x16 ■ Slot 8 blocked by double-wide GPU



NOTE:

If there is any PCIe slot that does not have a card installed, you must order a blanking panel for that slot (UCSC-FBRS2-C240M6 = for riser 2 and UCSC-FBRS3-C240M6= for riser 3).

For additional details, see [Riser Card Configuration and Options, page 68](#).

STEP 3 SELECT CPU(s)

The standard CPU features are:

- 3rd Gen Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processors (Ice Lake)
- Intel® C621 series chipset
- Cache size of up to 60 MB
- Up to 40 cores

Select CPUs

The available CPUs are listed in [Table 4](#).

Table 4 Available CPUs

Product ID (PID)	Clock Freq (GHz)	Power (W)	Cache Size (MB)	Cores	UPI ¹ Links (GT/s)	Highest DDR4 DIMM Clock Support (MHz) ²
8000 Series Processors						
HX-CPU-I8380	2.3	270	60	40	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I8368	2.4	270	57	38	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I8360Y	2.4	250	54	36	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I8358P	2.6	240	48	32	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I8358	2.6	250	48	32	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I8352Y	2.2	205	48	32	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I8352V	2.1	195	54	36	3 at 11.2	2933
HX-CPU-I8352S	2.2	205	48	32	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I8351N ³	2.4	225	54	36	0	2933
6000 Series Processors						
HX-CPU-I6354	3.0	205	39	18	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I6348	2.6	235	42	28	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I6346	3.1	205	36	16	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I6342	2.8	230	36	24	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I6338N	2.2	185	48	32	3 at 11.2	2666
HX-CPU-I6338T	2.1	165	36	24	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I6338	2.0	205	48	32	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I6336Y	2.4	185	36	24	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I6334	3.6	165	18	8	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I6330N	2.2	165	42	28	3 at 11.2	2666
HX-CPU-I6330	2.0	205	42	28	3 at 11.2	2933
HX-CPU-I6326	2.9	185	24	16	3 at 11.2	3200
HX-CPU-I6314U ⁴	2.3	205	48	32	0	3200

Table 4 Available CPUs

Product ID (PID)	Clock Freq (GHz)	Power (W)	Cache Size (MB)	Cores	UPI ¹ Links (GT/s)	Highest DDR4 DIMM Clock Support (MHz) ²
HX-CPU-I6312U ⁵	2.4	185	36	24	0	3200
5000 Series Processors						
HX-CPU-I5320T	2.3	150	30	20	3 at 11.2	2933
HX-CPU-I5320	2.2	185	39	26	3 at 11.2	2933
HX-CPU-I5318N	2.1	150	36	24	3 at 11.2	2666
HX-CPU-I5318S	2.1	165	36	24	3 at 11.2	2933
HX-CPU-I5318Y	2.1	165	36	24	3 at 11.2	2933
HX-CPU-I5317	3.0	150	18	12	3 at 11.2	2933
HX-CPU-I5315Y	3.2	150	12	8	3 at 11.2	2933
4000 Series Processors						
HX-CPU-I4316	2.3	150	30	20	2 at 10.4	2666
HX-CPU-I4314	2.4	135	24	16	2 at 10.4	2666
HX-CPU-I4310T	2.3	105	15	10	2 at 10.4	2666
HX-CPU-I4310	2.1	120	18	12	2 at 10.4	2666
HX-CPU-I4309Y	2.8	105	12	8	2 at 10.4	2666

Notes:

1. UPI = Ultra Path Interconnect.
2. If higher or lower speed DIMMs are selected than what is shown in [Table 6 on page 24](#) for a given CPU speed, the DIMMs will be clocked at the lowest common denominator of CPU clock and DIMM clock.
3. The maximum number of HX-CPU-I8351N CPUs is one
4. The maximum number of HX-CPU-I6314U CPUs is one
5. The maximum number of HX-CPU-I6312U CPUs is one



CAUTION: For systems configured with 3rd Gen Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processors (Ice Lake) operating above 28° C [82.4° F], a fan fault or executing workloads with extensive use of heavy instructions sets such as Intel® Advanced Vector Extensions 512 (Intel® AVX-512), may assert thermal and/or performance faults with an associated event recorded in the System Event Log (SEL).

If an NVIDIA A10 or A100 GPUs is installed or rear HDDs are installed, the 28° C [82.4° F] restriction changes to 25° C [77° F].

Table 5 CPU Suffixes

CPU Suffix	Description	Features
N	Networking Optimized	Optimized for use in networking applications like L3 forwarding, 5G UPF, OVS DPDK, VPP FIB router, VPP IPsec, web server/NGINX, vEPC, vBNG, and vCMTS. SKUs have higher base frequency with lower TDPs to enable best performance/Watt
P	Cloud Optimized	SKU specifically designed for cloud IaaS environments to deliver higher frequencies at constrained TDPs
V	Cloud Optimized	SKUs specifically designed for cloud environments to deliver high rack density and maximize VM/cores per TCO\$
T	High T case	SKUs designed for Network Environment-Building System (NEBS) environments
U	1-socket Optimized	Optimized for targeted platforms adequately served by the cores, memory bandwidth and IO capacity available from a single processor
S	Max SGX enclave size	Supports Max SGX enclave size (512GB) to enhance and protect the most sensitive portions of a workload or service
M	Media and AI optimized	Media, AI and HPC Segment Optimized for lower TDP & higher frequencies delivering better perf/w
Y	Speed Select - Performance Profile	Intel® Speed Select Technology provides the ability to set a guaranteed base frequency for a specific number of cores, and assign this performance profile to a specific application/workload to guarantee performance requirements. It also provides the ability to configure settings during runtime and provide additional frequency profile configuration opportunities.

Supported Configurations

(1) DIMMs only configurations:

- Select one or two identical CPUs listed in [Table 4 Available CPUs, page 19](#)

(2) One-CPU Configuration

- Choose one CPU from any one of the rows of [Table 4 Available CPUs, page 19](#)

(3) Two-CPU Configuration

- Choose two identical CPUs from any one of the rows of [Table 4 Available CPUs, page 19](#)



NOTE:

- You cannot have two I8351N or two I6314U or I6312U CPUs in a two-CPU configuration.
 - If you configure a server with one I8351N CPU or one I6314U CPU or one I6312U CPU you cannot later upgrade to a 2-CPU system with two of these CPUs.
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Caveats

- The selection of 1 or 2 CPUs depends on the desired server functionality. See the following sections:
 - [STEP 4 SELECT MEMORY, page 23](#)
 - [STEP 5 SELECT DRIVE CONTROLLERS, page 29](#)
 - [STEP 6 SELECT DRIVES, page 30](#)
 - [STEP 7 SELECT OPTION CARD\(s\), page 34](#)

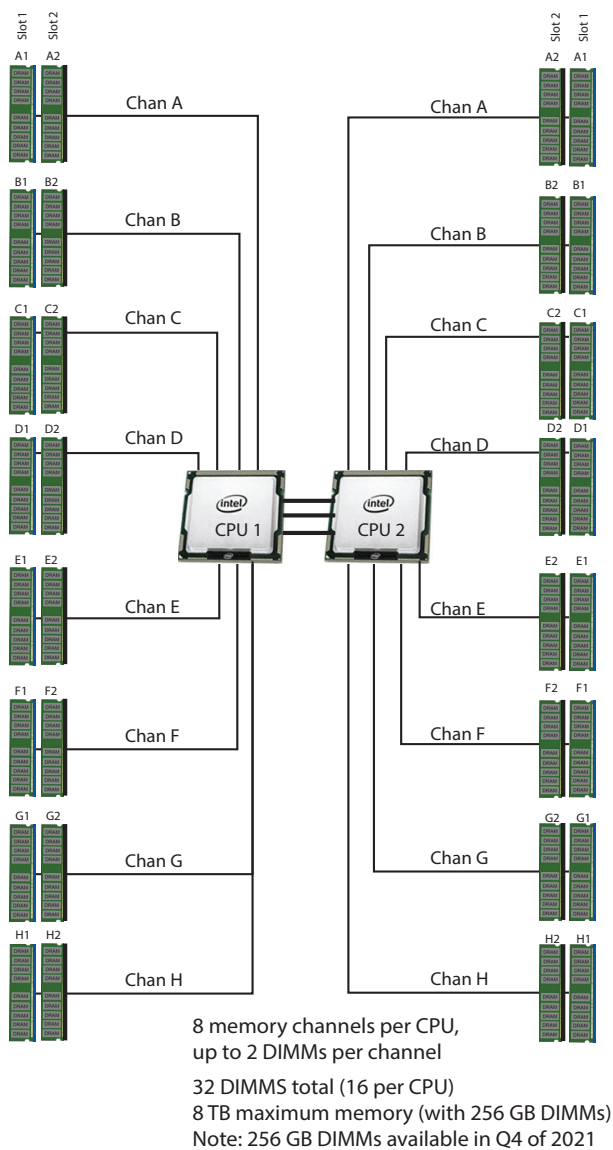
STEP 4 SELECT MEMORY

The available memory for the HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes is as follows:

- Clock speed: 3200 MHz
- Ranks per DIMM: 1, 2, 4, or 8
- Operational voltage: 1.2 V
- Registered ECC DDR4 DIMMS (RDIMMs), Load-reduced DIMMs (LRDIMMs)

Memory is organized with eight memory channels per CPU, with up to two DIMMs per channel, as shown in [Figure 6](#).

Figure 6 HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes Memory Organization



Select DIMMs

The supported memory DIMMs are listed in [Table 6](#).

Table 6 Available DDR4 DIMMs

Product ID (PID)	PID Description	Voltage	Ranks /DIMM
3200-MHz DIMMs			
HX-MR-X16G1RW	16 GB RDIMM SRx4 3200 (8Gb)	1.2 V	1
HX-MR-X32G2RW	32 GB RDIMM DRx4 3200 (8Gb)	1.2 V	2
HX-MR-X64G2RW	64 GB RDIMM DRx4 3200 (16Gb)	1.2 V	2
HX-ML-128G4RW	128 GB LRDIMM QRx4 3200 (16Gb) (non-3DS)	1.2 V	4
HX-ML-256G8RW ¹	256 GB LRDIMM 8Rx4 3200 (16Gb) (3DS)	1.2 V	8
DIMM Blank²			
UCS-DIMM-BLK	UCS DIMM Blank		

Notes:

1. 256 GB LRDIMMs are three-dimensional stacking (3DS) technology and Target timeframe for supporting this DIMM is Q4CY2021.
2. Any empty DIMM slot must be populated with a DIMM blank to maintain proper cooling airflow.



NOTE:

- System performance is optimized when the DIMM type and quantity are equal for both CPUs, and when all channels are filled equally across the CPUs in the server.
- The selected DIMMs must be all of same type and number of DIMMs must be equal for both CPUs
- HyperFlex Data Platform reserves memory for each controller VM. Refer to the [<Install Guide>](#) for reservation details.
- The memory mirroring feature is not supported with HyperFlex nodes.

Memory Configurations, Features

System speed is dependent on the CPU DIMM speed support. Refer to [Available CPUs, page 19](#) for DIMM speeds.

- The server supports the following memory reliability, availability, and serviceability (RAS) BIOS options (only one option can be chosen):
 - Adaptive Double Device Data Correction (ADDDC) (default)
 - Maximum performance
- For best performance, observe the following:
 - When one DIMM is used, it must be populated in DIMM slot 1 (farthest away from the CPU) of a given channel.
 - When single- or dual-rank DIMMs are populated in two DIMMs per channel (2DPC) configurations, always populate the higher number rank DIMM first (starting from the farthest slot). For a 2DPC example, first populate with dual-rank DIMMs in DIMM slot 1. Then populate single-rank DIMMs in DIMM 2 slot.
- DIMMs for CPU 1 and CPU 2 (when populated) must always be configured identically.
- Cisco memory from previous generation servers (DDR3 and DDR4) is not compatible with the server.
- Memory can be configured in any number of DIMMs as pairs, although for optimal performance, see the following document

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(1) 1-CPU configuration:

- Select from 1 to 16 DIMMs
 - 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, or 16 DIMMs allowed
 - 3, 5, 7, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15 DIMMs not allowed
 - DIMMs for both CPUs must be configured identically.

The DIMMs will be placed by the factory as shown in the following tables.

#DIMMs	CPU 1 DIMM Placement in Channels (for identically ranked DIMMs)
1	(A1)
2	(A1, E1)
4	(A1, C1); (E1, G1)
6	(A1, C1); (D1, E1); (G1, H1)
8	(A1, C1); (D1, E1); (G1, H1); (B1, F1)
12	(A1, C1); (D1, E1); (G1, H1); (A2, C2); (D2, E2); (G2, H2)
16	(A1, B1); (C1, D1); (E1, F1); (G1, H1); (A2, B2); (C2, D2); (E2, F2); (G2, H2)

(2) 2-CPU configuration:

- Select from 1 to 16 DIMMs per CPU
 - 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, or 16 DIMMs allowed
 - 3, 5, 7, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15 DIMMs not allowed
 - DIMMs for both CPUs must be configured identically.

The DIMMs will be placed by the factory as shown in the following tables.

#DIMMs	CPU 1 DIMM Placement in Channels (for identically ranked DIMMs)	CPU 2 DIMM Placement in Channels (for identically ranked DIMMs)
1	(A1)	(A1)
2	(A1, E1)	(A1, E1)
4	(A1, C1); (E1, G1)	(A1, C1); (E1, G1)
6	(A1, C1); (D1, E1); (G1, H1)	(A1, C1); (D1, E1); (G1, H1)
8	(A1, C1); (D1, E1); (G1, H1); (B1, F1)	(A1, C1); (D1, E1); (G1, H1); (B1, F1)
12	(A1, C1); (D1, E1); (G1, H1); (A2, C2); (D2, E2); (G2, H2)	(A1, C1); (D1, E1); (G1, H1); (A2, C2); (D2, E2); (G2, H2)
16	(A1, B1); (C1, D1); (E1, F1); (G1, H1); (A2, B2); (C2, D2); (E2, F2); (G2, H2)	(A1, B1); (C1, D1); (E1, F1); (G1, H1); (A2, B2); (C2, D2); (E2, F2); (G2, H2)



NOTE: System performance is optimized when the DIMM type and quantity are equal for both CPUs, and when all channels are filled equally across the CPUs in the server.

Table 7 3200-MHz DIMM Memory Speeds with Different Intel® Xeon® Ice Lake® Processors

DIMM and CPU Frequencies (MHz)	DPC	LRDIMM (8Rx4)-256 GB (MHz)	LRDIMM (4Rx4)-128 GB (MHz)	LRDIMM (4Rx4) - 64 GB (MHz)	RDIMM (2Rx4) - 64 GB (MHz)	RDIMM (2Rx4) - 32 GB (MHz)	RDIMM (1Rx4) - 16 GB (MHz)
		1.2 V	1.2 V	1.2 V	1.2 V	1.2 V	1.2 V
DIMM = 3200 CPU = 3200	1DPC	3200	3200	3200	3200	3200	3200
	2DPC	3200	3200	3200	3200	3200	3200
DIMM = 3200 CPU = 2933	1DPC	2933	2933	2933	2933	2933	2933
	2DPC	2933	2933	2933	2933	2933	2933
DIMM = 3200 CPU = 2666	1DPC	2666	2666	2666	2666	2666	2666
	2DPC	2666	2666	2666	2666	2666	2666

DIMM Rules

- Allowed DIMM count for 1 CPU:
 - Minimum DIMM count = 1; Maximum DIMM count = 16
 - 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, or 16 DIMMs allowed
 - 3, 5, 7, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, or 15 DIMMs not allowed.
- Allowed DIMM count for 2 CPUs
 - Minimum DIMM count = 2; Maximum DIMM count = 32
 - 2, 4, 8, 12, 16, 24, or 32 DIMMs allowed
 - 6, 10, 14, 18, 20, 22, 26, 28, or 30 DIMMs not allowed.
- DIMM Mixing:
 - LRDIMMs cannot be mixed with RDIMMs.
 - RDIMMs can be mixed with RDIMMs, and LRDIMMs can be mixed with LRDIMMs, but mixing of non-3DS and 3DS LRDIMMs is not allowed in the same channel, across different channels, or across different sockets.



NOTE: The 128 GB LRDIMM is non-3DS and the 256GB LRDIMM is 3DS so these two LRDIMMs cannot be mixed.

- Allowed mixing has be in pairs of similar quantities (for example, 8x32GB and 8x64GB, 8x16GB and 8x64GB, 8x32GB and 8x64GB, or 8x16GB and 8x32GB). Mixing of 10x32GB and 6x64GB, for example, is not allowed.

For detailed DIMM information, refer to

[Cisco C220/C240/B200 M6 Memory Guide](#)

STEP 5 SELECT DRIVE CONTROLLERS

The following list summarizes how drives are controlled on the server:

- SAS/SATA drives are controlled through one or two Cisco 12G SAS pass-through HBAs
- PCIe drives are controlled directly from the CPUs

Cisco 12G SAS HBA

This HBA supports up to 16 SAS or SATA drives (HX-E-240-M6SX and HXAF-E-240-M6SX server has 24 front drives and 2 or 4 rear drives) operating at 3 Gbs, 6 Gbs, and 12Gbs. It supports JBOD or pass-through mode (not RAID) and plugs directly into the drive backplane. Two of these controllers are required to control 24 front drives and 2 or 4 rear drives.

Select Drive Controller Options

Select the following:

- Cisco 12G SAS HBA (see [Table 8](#))

Table 8 Hardware Controller Options

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
Controllers for Internal Drives	
Note that if a Cisco 12G SAS HBA is selected, it is factory-installed in the drive backplane connector.	
HX-SAS-240M6	Cisco 12G SAS HBA ¹ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Supports up to 16 internal SAS HDDs and SAS/SATA SSDs ■ Supports JBOD or pass-through mode

Notes:

1. Two of these controllers are required to control 24 front drives and four rear drives.

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- The Cisco 12 Gbps Modular SAS HBA supports up to 26 internal drives with non-RAID support.

STEP 6 SELECT DRIVES

The standard disk drive features are:

- 2.5-inch small form factor
- Hot-pluggable
- Drives come mounted in sleds

Select Drives - [HXAF-E-240-M6SX \(All Flash\)](#)

The available drives are listed in [Table 9](#)

Table 9 Available Hot-Pluggable Sled-Mounted Drives

Product ID (PID)	PID Description	Drive Type	Capacity
Front Capacity Drive			
HX-SD960G61X-EV	960GB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD	SATA	960 GB
HX-SD19T61X-EV	1.9TB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD	SATA	1.9 TB
HX-SD38T61X-EV	3.8TB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD	SATA	3.8 TB
HX-SD76T61X-EV	7.6TB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD	SATA	7.6 TB
Rear Capacity Drive			
HX-SD960G61X-EV	960GB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD	SATA	960 GB
HX-SD19T61X-EV	1.9TB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD	SATA	1.9 TB
HX-SD38T61X-EV	3.8TB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD	SATA	3.8 TB
HX-SD76T61X-EV	7.6TB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD	SATA	7.6 TB
Front Cache Drive			
HX-SD800GK3X-EP	800GB 2.5in Enterprise Performance 12G SAS SSD(3X endurance)	SAS	800 GB
Front System Drive			
HX-SD240GM1X-EV	240 GB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD	SATA	240 GB
Boot Drive			
HX-M2-240GB	240GB SATA M.2	SATA	240 GB
HX-M2-HWRAID	Cisco Boot optimized M.2 Raid controller		
<p>NOTE: Cisco uses solid state drives (SSDs) from a number of vendors. All solid state drives (SSDs) are subject to physical write limits and have varying maximum usage limitation specifications set by the manufacturer. Cisco will not replace any solid state drives (SSDs) that have exceeded any maximum usage specifications set by Cisco or the manufacturer, as determined solely by Cisco.</p>			

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Select the following drives:

- Three to twenty-two Capacity drives



NOTE:

- A minimum of 3 capacity drives is supported for HX Edge configuration.
 - For cluster scale related information please see the product [release notes](#)
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- One cache drive
- One system drive
- One boot drive



NOTE:

- Order two identical M.2 SATA SSDs for the boot-optimized RAID controller. You cannot mix M.2 SATA SSD capacities. It is recommended that M.2 SATA SSDs be used as boot-only devices.
 - It is recommended that M.2 SATA SSDs be used as boot-only devices.
 - The Boot-Optimized RAID controller supports VMWare, Windows and Linux Operating Systems.
 - CIMC/UCSM is supported for configuring of volumes and monitoring of the controller and installed SATA M.2 drives.
 - The minimum version of Cisco IMC and Cisco UCS Manager that supports this controller is 4.2(1) and later. The name of the controller in the software is MSTOR-RAID
 - The SATA M.2 drives can boot in UEFI mode only. Legacy boot mode is not supported.
 - Hot-plug replacement is not supported. The server must be powered off.
 - The boot-optimized RAID controller is not supported when the server is used as a compute node in HyperFlex configurations.
 - See [Figure 17 on page 64](#) for the location of the module connector on the motherboard. This connector accepts the boot-optimized RAID controller.
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Caveats

- NVMe drives and Self Encrypting Drives (SEDs) are not supported for HX Edge configurations.

Select Drives - HX-E-240-M6SX (Hybrid)

The available drives are listed in [Table 10](#)

Table 10 Available Hot-Pluggable Sled-Mounted Drives

Product ID (PID)	PID Description	Drive Type	Capacity
Front Capacity Drive			
HX-HD12TB10K12N	1.2 TB 12G SAS 10K RPM SFF HDD	SAS	1.2 TB
HX-HD18TB10K4KN	1.8TB 12G SAS 10K RPM SFF HDD (4K)	SAS	1.8 TB
HX-HD24TB10K4KN	2.4 TB 12G SAS 10K RPM SFF HDD (4K)	SAS	2.4 TB
Rear Capacity Drive			
HX-HD12TB10K12N	1.2 TB 12G SAS 10K RPM SFF HDD	SAS	1.2 TB
HX-HD18TB10K4KN	1.8TB 12G SAS 10K RPM SFF HDD (4K)	SAS	1.8 TB
HX-HD24TB10K4KN	2.4 TB 12G SAS 10K RPM SFF HDD (4K)	SAS	2.4 TB
Front Cache Drive			
HX-SD16TK3X-EP	1.6TB 2.5in Enterprise Performance 12G SAS SSD(3X endurance)	SAS	1.6 TB
Front System Drive			
HX-SD240GM1X-EV	240GB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD	SATA	240 GB
Boot Drive			
HX-M2-240GB	240GB SATA M.2	SATA	240 GB
HX-M2-HWRAID	Cisco Boot optimized M.2 Raid controller		
<p>NOTE: Cisco uses solid state drives (SSDs) from a number of vendors. All solid state drives (SSDs) are subject to physical write limits and have varying maximum usage limitation specifications set by the manufacturer. Cisco will not replace any solid state drives (SSDs) that have exceeded any maximum usage specifications set by Cisco or the manufacturer, as determined solely by Cisco.</p>			

Approved Configurations

Select the following drives:

- Three to twenty-two Capacity drives

**NOTE:**

- A minimum of 3 capacity drives is supported for HX Edge configuration.
 - For cluster scale related information please see the product [release notes](#)
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- One cache drive
- One system drive
- One boot drive

**NOTE:**

- Order two identical M.2 SATA SSDs for the boot-optimized RAID controller. You cannot mix M.2 SATA SSD capacities. It is recommended that M.2 SATA SSDs be used as boot-only devices.
 - The Boot-Optimized RAID controller supports VMWare, Windows and Linux Operating Systems.
 - CIMC/UCSM is supported for configuring of volumes and monitoring of the controller and installed SATA M.2 drives.
 - The minimum version of Cisco IMC and Cisco UCS Manager that supports this controller is 4.2(1) and later. The name of the controller in the software is MSTOR-RAID
 - The SATA M.2 drives can boot in UEFI mode only. Legacy boot mode is not supported.
 - Hot-plug replacement is not supported. The server must be powered off.
 - The boot-optimized RAID controller is not supported when the server is used as a compute node in HyperFlex configurations.
 - See [Figure 17 on page 64](#) for the location of the module connector on the motherboard. This connector accepts the boot-optimized RAID controller.
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Caveats

- NVMe drives and Self Encrypting Drives (SEDs) are not supported for HX Edge configurations.

STEP 7 SELECT OPTION CARD(s)

The standard PCIe card offerings are:

- Modular LAN on Motherboard (mLOM)
- Network Interface Cards (NICs)

Select Option Cards

The available option cards are listed in [Table 11](#).

Table 11 Available PCIe Option Cards

Product ID (PID)	PID Description	Location	Card Size ¹
Modular LAN on Motherboard (mLOM)			
HX-M-V25-04 ²	Cisco UCS VIC 1467 quad port 10/25G SFP28 mLOM	mLOM	HHHL, SS
Network Interface Cards (NICs)			
1 Gb NICs			
HX-PCIE-IRJ45	Intel i350 quad-port 1G copper PCIe	Riser 1, 2, or 3	HHHL, SS
10 Gb NICs			
HX-PCIE-ID10GF	Intel X710-DA2 Dual Port 10Gb SFP+ NIC	Riser 1, 2, or 3	HHHL, SS
HX-PCIE-IQ10GF	Intel X710 quad-port 10G SFP+ NIC	Riser 1, 2, or 3	HHHL, SS
HX-P-ID10GC	Cisco-Intel X710T2LG 2x10 GbE RJ45 PCIe NIC	Riser 1, 2, or 3	HHHL, SS
25 Gb NICs			
HX-P-I8D25GF	Cisco-Intel E810XXVDA2 2x25/10 GbE SFP28 PCIe NIC	Riser 1, 2, or 3	HHHL, SS
HX-P-I8Q25GF	Cisco-Intel E810XXVDA4L 4x25/10 GbE SFP28 PCIe NIC	Riser 1 or 2	HHHL, SS

Notes:

1. HHHL = half-height, half-length; SS = single-slot; DS = double-slot
2. This PID is auto included with the selection of TOPO 4.

Caveats

- For 1-CPU systems:
 - Only PCIe slots 1, 2, and 3 on PCIe riser 1A are available for a 1-CPU system.
 - The PCIe slots on riser 2 are not supported on 1-CPU systems. The riser 2 slots are full-height PCIe slots 4, 5, and 6 (see [Figure 3 on page 6](#)). These are the slots in the middle when looking at the rear of the server. Slot 4 is the bottom slot.
 - The PCIe slots on riser 3 are not supported on 1-CPU systems. The riser 3 slots are full-height PCIe slots 7 and 8 (see [Figure 3 on page 6](#)). These are the slots on the right when looking at the rear of the server. Slot 7 is the bottom slot.
- For 2-CPU systems:
 - The following PCIe slots are available:
 - Three on PCIe riser 1A (PCIe slots 1, 2, and 3),
 - Three on PCIe riser 2A (PCIe slots 4, 5, and 6),
 - Two on PCIe riser 3A (PCIe slots 7 and 8).
- To help ensure that your operating system is compatible with the card you have selected, or to see additional cards that have been qualified to work with the server, but are not sold on the Cisco price list, check the Hardware Compatibility List at this URL:
http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/ps10477/prod_technical_reference_list.html

STEP 8 ORDER OPTIONAL PCIe OPTION CARD ACCESSORIES

- For list of supported optics and cables for VIC 1467, refer to the VIC 1400 series data sheets at the following links:
 - <https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/products/servers-unified-computing/HX-b-series-blade-servers/datasheet-listing.html>

Select

- NIC Interoperability with Cisco Cables/Optics (*Table 12 & Table 13 on page 37*).
- NIC Interoperability with Intel Cables/Optics (*Table 14 on page 38*).

Table 12 10G NIC Interoperability with Cisco Cables/Optics

Cisco Product ID (PID)	HX- PCIE-ID10GF	HX- PCIE-IQ10GF	HX-P-ID10GC
Cisco Direct Attach Cables (DAC)			
SFP-H10GB-CU1M	✓	✓	
SFP-H10GB-CU3M	✓	✓	
SFP-H10GB-CU5M	✓	✓	
SFP-H10GB-ACU7M	✓	✓	
SFP-H10GB-ACU10M	✓	✓	
SFP-10G-AOC1M	✓	✓	
SFP-10G-AOC2M	✓	✓	
SFP-10G-AOC3M	✓	✓	
SFP-10G-AOC5M	✓	✓	
SFP-10G-AOC7M	✓	✓	
SFP-10G-AOC10M	✓	✓	
UTP/RJ45			✓
Cisco Optical Transceivers			
SFP-10G-SR	✓	✓	
SFP-10G-SR-S	✓	✓	
SFP-10G-LR	✓	✓	
SFP-10G-LR-S	✓	✓	
GLC-SX-MMD	✓	✓	

Table 13 25G NIC Interoperability with Cisco Cables/Optics

Cisco Product ID (PID)	HX-P-I8Q25GF	HX-P-I8D25GF
Cisco Direct Attach Cables (DAC)		
SFP-H10GB-CU1M	✓	✓
SFP-H10GB-CU3M	✓	✓
SFP-H10GB-CU4M		
SFP-H10GB-CU5M	✓	✓
SFP-H10GB-ACU7M		
SFP-H10GB-ACU10M		
SFP-10G-AOC7M	✓	✓
SFP-10G-AOC10M		
SFP-H25G-AOC10M	✓	✓
SFP-25G-AOC5M		
SFP-25G-AOC7M		
QSFP-4SFP25G-CU2M	✓	✓
SFP-H25G-CU1M	✓	✓
SFP-H25G-CU2M	✓	✓
SFP-H25G-CU2.5M		
SFP-H25G-CU3M	✓	✓
SFP-H25G-CU4M		
SFP-H25G-CU5M	✓	✓
Cisco Optical Transceivers		
SFP-10G-SR	✓	✓
SFP-10G-SR-S	✓	✓
SFP-10G-LR	✓	✓
SFP-25G-SR-S	✓	✓
SFP-10/25G-LR-S	✓	✓
SFP-10/25G-CSR-S	✓	✓

Table 14 NIC Interoperability with Intel Cables/Optics

Intel Product ID (PID)	HX-PCIE-ID10GF	HX-PCIE-IQ10GF
Intel Direct Attach Cables (DACs)		
XDACBL1M	✓	✓
XDACBL3M	✓	✓
XDACBL5M	✓	✓
Intel Optical Transceivers		
E10GSFPSR	✓	✓
E10GSFPLR	✓	✓

The information in the preceding tables was compiled from testing conducted by Cisco Transceiver Module Group (TMG) and vendors. The latest compatibility with optical modules and DACs can be found at <https://tmgmatrix.cisco.com/>.

Refer to the these links for additional connectivity options:

Intel:	Marvell/Qlogic:	Mellanox:
Product Guide	41000 series Interoperability Matrix	Firmware Release Notes
Speed White Paper	45000 series Interoperability Matrix	

STEP 9 SELECT HYPERFLEX EDGE NETWORK TOPOLOGY

HyperFlex Edge utilizes the existing top of rack (ToR) switches available in the customer environment.

Many topologies are supported to ensure the right fit for many environments. HyperFlex Edge supports single and dual switch topologies, depending on the level of high availability required. See the [SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIAL, page 53](#) for more details on each topology option.

Select one network topology from the options listed in [Table 15](#).

Table 15 Edge Network Category

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
HX-E-TOPO4	10/25 GbE Single or Dual Switch (2, 3, or 4 node)
HX-E-TOPO3	1GbE Single Switch (3 or 4 node only)
HX-E-TOPO2	1GbE Dual Switch (3 or 4 node), 1GbE Dual or Single (2 node)



NOTE:

- A topology selection is required. Intel NIC adapters in [STEP 7](#) are used by guest VMs/applications only. These adapters may not be substituted for the adapters automatically included when selecting a topology.
- Selecting **HX-E-TOPO4** will include the Cisco UCS 1467 quad port 10/25G SFP28 mLOM card (**HX-M-V25-04**) for 10/25GE topologies. Two ports on the 10GE are used for HyperFlex functions. The remaining two ports may be used by applications after the HyperFlex deployment is completed.
- Selecting **HX-E-TOPO2** will include the Intel i350 quad port PCIe NIC for 1GE topologies. Two ports on the NIC are used for HyperFlex functions. The remaining two ports may be used by applications after the HyperFlex deployment is completed.
- Cisco strongly recommends **HX-E-TOPO4** for all new deployments for the following reasons:
 - Higher storage performance
 - Expansion ready - Ability to support node expansion in a future HyperFlex Data Platform software release.
 - Investment protection provides up to 100GE of theoretical throughput per server.
 - Leaves PCIe slots free for accessories
- For full details see the [HyperFlex Networking Topologies Tech Note](#).

STEP 10 ORDER GPU CARDS (OPTIONAL)

Select GPU Options

The available GPU PCIe options and their riser slot compatibilities are listed in [Table 16](#).

Table 16 Available PCIe GPU Cards¹

GPU Product ID (PID)	PID Description	Card Size	Max GPU per Node	Riser Slot Compatibility					
				Riser 1A (Gen 4)	Riser 1B ²	Riser 2 (Gen 4)	Riser 3A Gen 4)	Riser 3B ³	Riser 3C
HX-GPU-A10 ⁴	TESLA A10, PASSIVE, 150W, 24GB	Single-wide	5	Slot 2&3	N/A	Slot 5&6	N/A	N/A	Slot 7
HX-GPU-A100 ^{4,5}	TESLA A100, PASSIVE, 250W, 40GB	Double-wide	3	Slot 2	N/A	Slot 5	N/A	N/A	Slot 7

Notes:

1. Refer to https://www.cisco.com/content/en/us/td/docs/unified_computing/ucs/c/hw/c240m/install/c240m6.html for more details.
2. Riser 1B does not accept GPUs.
3. Riser 3B does not accept GPUs.
4. Target timeframe for supporting A10 & A100 GPUs is Q4CY2021.
5. This GPU needs x16 support.



NOTE:

- All GPU cards must be procured from Cisco as there is a unique SBIOS ID required by CIMC and UCSM.
- Target timeframe for supporting A10 & A100 GPUs is Q4CY2021.

Caveats

- GPUs cannot be mixed.

STEP 11 ORDER POWER SUPPLY

Power supplies share a common electrical and physical design that allows for hot-plug and tool-less installation into M6 HX-Series servers. Each power supply is certified for high-efficiency operation and offer multiple power output options. This allows users to “right-size” based on server configuration, which improves power efficiency, lower overall energy costs and avoid stranded capacity in the data center. Use the power calculator at the following link to determine the needed power based on the options chosen (CPUs, drives, memory, and so on):

<http://ucspowercalc.cisco.com>

Table 17 Power Supply

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
HX-PSU1-1050W	1050W AC power supply for C-Series servers
HX-PSUV2-1050DC	1050W DC power supply for C-Series servers
HX-PSU1-1600W	1600W AC power supply for C-Series servers
HX-PSU-2300W ¹	2300W Power supply for C-series servers

Notes:

1. The 2300 W power supply uses a different power connector than the rest of the power supplies, so you must use different power cables to connect it. See [Table 18 on page 42](#) and [Table 19 on page 45](#).



NOTE: In a server with two power supplies, both power supplies must be identical.

STEP 12 SELECT INPUT POWER CORD(S)

Using [Table 18](#) and [Table 19](#), select the appropriate AC power cords. You can select a minimum of no power cords and a maximum of two. If you select the option R2XX-DMYMPWRCORD, no power cord is shipped with the server.



NOTE: [Table 18](#) lists the power cords for servers that use power supplies less than 2300 W. [Table 19](#) lists the power cords for servers that use 2300 W power supplies. Note that the power cords for 2300 W power supplies use a C19 connector so they only fit the 2300 W power supply connector.

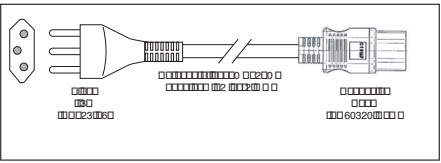
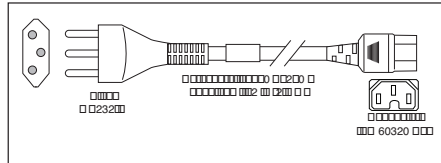
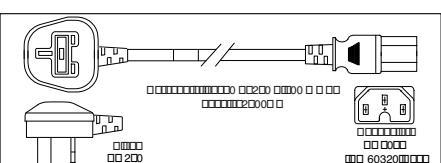
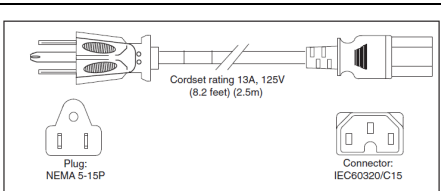
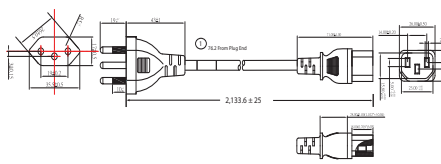
Table 18 Available Power Cords (for server PSUs less than 2300 W)

Product ID (PID)	PID Description	Images
R2XX-DMYMPWRCORD	No power cord (dummy PID to allow for a no power cord option)	Not applicable
CAB-48DC-40A-8AWG	C-Series -48VDC PSU Power Cord, 3.5M, 3 Wire, 8AWG, 40A	<p>Figure 1-3 CAB-48DC-40A-8AWG, DC Power Cord (3.5 m)</p>
CAB-N5K6A-NA	Power Cord, 200/240V 6A, North America	
CAB-AC-L620-C13	AC Power Cord, NEMA L6-20 - C13, 2M/6.5ft	
CAB-C13-CBN	CABASY,WIRE,JUMPER CORD, 27" L, C13/C14, 10A/250V	
CAB-C13-C14-2M	CABASY,WIRE,JUMPER CORD, PWR, 2 Meter, C13/C14,10A/250V	

Table 18 Available Power Cords (for server PSUs less than 2300 W)

Product ID (PID)	PID Description	Images
CAB-C13-C14-AC	CORD,PWR,JMP,IEC60320/C14,IEC60320/C13, 3.0M	
CAB-250V-10A-AR	Power Cord, 250V, 10A, Argentina	
CAB-9K10A-AU	Power Cord, 250VAC 10A 3112 Plug, Australia	
CAB-250V-10A-CN	AC Power Cord - 250V, 10A - PRC	
CAB-9K10A-EU	Power Cord, 250VAC 10A CEE 7/7 Plug, EU	
CAB-250V-10A-ID	Power Cord, 250V, 10A, India	
CAB-C13-C14-3M-IN	Power Cord Jumper, C13-C14 Connectors, 3 Meter Length, India	Image not available
CAB-C13-C14-IN	Power Cord Jumper,C13-C14 Connectors,1.4 Meter Length, India	Image not available
CAB-250V-10A-IS	Power Cord, SFS, 250V, 10A, Israel	

Table 18 Available Power Cords (for server PSUs less than 2300 W)

Product ID (PID)	PID Description	Images
CAB-9K10A-IT	Power Cord, 250VAC 10A CEI 23-16/VII Plug, Italy	
CAB-9K10A-SW	Power Cord, 250VAC 10A MP232 Plug, Switzerland	
CAB-9K10A-UK	Power Cord, 250VAC 10A BS1363 Plug (13 A fuse), UK	
CAB-9K12A-NA ¹	Power Cord, 125VAC 13A NEMA 5-15 Plug, North America	
CAB-250V-10A-BR	Power Cord - 250V, 10A - Brazil	
CAB-C13-C14-2M-JP	Power Cord C13-C14, 2M/6.5ft Japan PSE mark	Image not available
CAB-9K10A-KOR ¹	Power Cord, 125VAC 13A KSC8305 Plug, Korea	Image not available
CAB-ACTW	AC Power Cord (Taiwan), C13, EL 302, 2.3M	Image not available
CAB-JPN-3PIN	Japan, 90-125VAC 12A NEMA 5-15 Plug, 2.4m	Image not available

Notes:

1. This power cord is rated to 125V and only supported for PSU rated at 1050W or less.

Table 19 Available Power Cords (for servers with 2300 W PSUs)

Product ID (PID)	PID Description	Images
CAB-C19-CBN	Cabinet Jumper Power Cord, 250 VAC 16A, C20-C19 Connectors	Not applicable
CAB-S132-C19-ISRL	S132 to IEC-C19 14ft Israeli	Image not available
CAB-IR2073-C19-AR	IRSM 2073 to IEC-C19 14ft Argen	Image not available
CAB-BS1363-C19-UK	BS-1363 to IEC-C19 14ft UK	Image not available
CAB-SABS-C19-IND	SABS 164-1 to IEC-C19 India	Image not available
CAB-C2316-C19-IT	CEI 23-16 to IEC-C19 14ft Italy	Image not available
CAB-L520P-C19-US	NEMA L5-20 to IEC-C19 6ft US	Image not available
CAB-US515P-C19-US	NEMA 5-15 to IEC-C19 13ft US	Image not available
CAB-US520-C19-US	NEMA 5-20 to IEC-C19 14ft US	Image not available
CAB-US620P-C19-US	NEMA 6-20 to IEC-C19 13ft US	Image not available
CAB-C19-C20-IND	Power Cord C19-C20 India	Image not available
UCSB-CABL-C19-BRZ	NBR 14136 to C19 AC 14FT POWER CORD, BRAZIL	Image not available
CAB-9K16A-BRZ	Power Cord 250VAC 16A, Brazil, Src Plug EL224-C19	Image not available
CAB-ACS-16	AC Power Cord (Swiss) 16A	Image not available
CAB-AC-16A-AUS	Power Cord, 250VAC, 16A, Australia C19	Image not available
CAB-C19-C20-3M-JP	Power Cord C19-C20, 3M/10ft Japan PSE mark	Image not available
CAB-AC-C19-TW	Power Cord, 250 V, 16A, C19, Taiwan	Image not available
CAB-AC-C6K-TWLK	Power Cord, 250Vac 16A, twist lock NEMA L6-20 plug, US	Image not available
CAB-AC-2500W-EU	Power Cord, 250Vac 16A, Europe	Image not available
CAB-AC-2500W-INTL	Power Cord, 250Vac 16A, INTL	Image not available
CAB-9K16A-KOR	Power Cord 250VAC 16A, Korea, Src Plug	Image not available
CAB-AC-2500W-ISRL	Power Cord,250VAC,16A,Israel	Image not available
CAB-AC16A-CH	16A AC Power Cord For China	Image not available
R2XX-DMYPWRCORD	No power cord option	Image not available

STEP 13 ORDER TOOL-LESS RAIL KIT AND OPTIONAL REVERSIBLE CABLE MANAGEMENT ARM

Select a Tool-less Rail Kit

Select a tool-less rail kit (or no rail kit) from [Table 20](#).

Table 20 Tool-less Rail Kit Options

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
HX-RAIL-M6	Ball Bearing Rail Kit for C220 & C240 M6 rack servers
HX-RAIL-NONE	No rail kit option

Select an Optional Reversible Cable Management Arm

The reversible cable management arm mounts on either the right or left slide rails at the rear of the server and is used for cable management. Use [Table 21](#) to order a cable management arm.

Table 21 Cable Management Arm

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
HX-CMA-C240M6	Reversible CMA for C240 M6 ball bearing rail kit

For more information about the tool-less rail kit and cable management arm, see the Cisco server Installation and Service Guide at this URL:

https://www.cisco.com/content/en/us/td/docs/unified_computing/ucs/c/hw/c240m6/install/c240m6.html



NOTE: If you plan to rackmount your HyperFlex HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes, you must order a tool-less rail kit. The same rail kits and CMAs are used for M5 and M6 servers.

STEP 14 ORDER SECURITY DEVICES (OPTIONAL)

A Trusted Platform Module (TPM) is a computer chip (microcontroller) that can securely store artifacts used to authenticate the platform (server). These artifacts can include passwords, certificates, or encryption keys. A TPM can also be used to store platform measurements that help ensure that the platform remains trustworthy. Authentication (ensuring that the platform can prove that it is what it claims to be) and attestation (a process helping to prove that a platform is trustworthy and has not been breached) are necessary steps to ensure safer computing in all environments.

A chassis intrusion switch gives a notification of any unauthorized mechanical access into the server.

The security device ordering information is listed in [Table 22](#).

Table 22 Security Devices

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
HX-TPM-002C	TPM 2.0, TCG, FIPS140-2, CC EAL4+ Certified, for M6 servers
HX-INT-SW02	C220 and C240 M6 Chassis Intrusion Switch
UCSX-TPM-OPT-OUT	OPT OUT, TPM 2.0, TCG, FIPS140-2, CC EAL4+ Certified ¹

Notes:

1. Please note that Microsoft certification requires a TPM 2.0 for bare-metal or guest VM deployments. Opt-out of the TPM 2.0 voids the Microsoft certification



NOTE:

- The TPM module used in this system conforms to TPM 2.0, as defined by the Trusted Computing Group (TCG). It is also SPI-based.
- TPM installation is supported after-factory. However, a TPM installs with a one-way screw and cannot be replaced, upgraded, or moved to another server. If a server with a TPM is returned, the replacement server must be ordered with a new TPM.

STEP 15 SELECT LOCKING SECURITY BEZEL (OPTIONAL)

An optional locking bezel can be mounted to the front of the chassis to prevent unauthorized access to the drives.

Select the locking bezel from [Table 23](#).

Table 23 Locking Bezel Option

Product ID (PID)	Description
HXAF240C-BZL-M5SX	HXAF240c M5 Security Bezel
HX240C-BZL-M5S	HX240c M5 Security Bezel

STEP 16 SELECT HYPERVISOR / HOST OPERATING SYSTEM

Cisco Hypervisor/Operating systems options are available as follows. Select either VMware ESXi or Microsoft Windows Server as desired from [Table 24](#).

Table 24 Hypervisor/Host Operation System

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
ESXi Options	
VMware¹	
HX-VSP-6-7-FNDR-D	Factory Installed vSphere 6.7 1-CPU Enduser provides License
HX-VSP-6-7-FNDR2-D	Factory Installed vSphere 6.7 2-CPU Enduser provides License
HX-VSP-7-0-FND-D	Factory Installed vSphere SW 7.0 1-CPU Enduser provides License
HX-VSP-7-0-FND2-D	Factory Installed vSphere SW 7.0 2-CPU Enduser provides License
VMware PAC Licenses²	
HX-VSP-EPL-1A	VMware vSphere 7.x Ent Plus (1 CPU), 1-yr, Support Required
HX-VSP-EPL-3A	VMware vSphere 7.x Ent Plus (1 CPU), 3-yr, Support Required
HX-VSP-EPL-5A	VMware vSphere 7.x Ent Plus (1 CPU), 5-yr, Support Required
HX-VSP-STD-1A	VMware vSphere 7.x Standard (1 CPU), 1-yr, Support Required
HX-VSP-STD-3A	VMware vSphere 7.x Standard (1 CPU), 3-yr, Support Required
HX-VSP-STD-5A	VMware vSphere 7.x Standard (1 CPU), 5-yr, Support Required
Operating system³	
Microsoft Options	
MSWS-19-DC16C-NS	Windows Server 2019 Data Center (16 Cores/Unlimited VMs) - No Cisco SVC
MSWS-19-ST16C-NS	Windows Server 2019 Standard (16 Cores/2 VMs) - No Cisco SVC
HX-MSWS-19-DC16C	Windows Server 2019 Data Center (16 Cores/Unlimited VMs)
HX-MSWS-19-ST16C	Windows Server 2019 Standard (16 Cores/2 VMs)

Notes:

1. Refer to <https://kb.vmware.com/s/article/82794> link for more details.
2. Choose quantity of two when choosing PAC licensing for dual CPU systems.
3. Optional guest OS licenses that may be purchased to run on top of the hypervisor

STEP 17 SELECT HYPERFLEX DATA PLATFORM (HXDP) SOFTWARE

HyperFlex Data Platform Edition & Subscription Period options are available as follows. Select as desired from [Table 25](#).

Table 25 HX Data Platform Software

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
Cisco HyperFlex Data Platform Software	
HXDP-E-AD	HyperFlex Data Platform Edge Advantage (1 to 5) Yr
HXDP-E-PR	HyperFlex Data Platform Edge Premier (1 to 5) Yr
Cisco HyperFlex Data Platform Software - SLR	
HXDP-E-AD-SLR	HyperFlex Data Platform Edge Advantage SLR (1 to 5) Yr
HXDP-E-PR-SLR	HyperFlex Data Platform Edge Premier SLR (1 to 5) Yr
Cisco HyperFlex Data Platform Software Support	
SVS-DCM-SUPT-BAS	Basic Support for DCM
SVS-SSTCS-DCMGMT	Solution Support for DC Mgmt

STEP 18 CISCO INTERSIGHT

Cisco Intersight™ is a Software-as-a-Service (SaaS) hybrid cloud operations platform which delivers intelligent automation, observability, and optimization to customers for traditional and cloud-native applications and infrastructure. Select as desired from [Table 26](#).

Table 26 Cisco Intersight

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
Cisco Intersight - SaaS	
DC-MGT-SAAS-EST-C	Cisco Intersight SaaS - Essentials (1 to 5) Yr
DC-MGT-SAAS-AD-C	Cisco Intersight SaaS - Advantage (new) (1 to 5) Yr
DC-MGT-SAAS-PR-C	Cisco Intersight SaaS - Premier (1 to 5) Yr
Cisco Intersight - Connected Virtual Appliance	
DC-MGT-ONPREM-EST	Cisco Intersight Connected Virtual Appliance - Essentials (1 to 5) Yr
DC-MGT-VAPP-AD	Cisco Intersight Connected Virtual Appliance - Advantage (1 to 5) Yr
DC-MGT-VAPP-PR	Cisco Intersight Connected Virtual Appliance - Premier (1 to 5) Yr
Cisco Intersight - Private Virtual Appliance	
DC-MGT-PVAPP-EST	Cisco Intersight Private Virtual Appliance - Essentials (1 to 5) Yr
DC-MGT-PVAPP-AD	Cisco Intersight Private Virtual Appliance - Advantage (1 to 5) Yr
DC-MGT-PVAPP-PR	Cisco Intersight Private Virtual Appliance - Premier (1 to 5) Yr
Cisco Intersight Support	
SVS-DCM-SUPT-BAS	Basic Support for DCM
SVS-SSTCS-DCMGMT	Solution Support for DC Mgmt

STEP 19 SELECT INSTALLATION SERVICE

Customers can purchase Cisco Advanced Services (AS). Select as desired from [Table 27](#)

Table 27 Installation services

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
Cisco Advanced Services	
ASF-ULT2-HPF-QSS	Quick Start Services - 1 Week
ASF-ULT2-HPF-ADS	Accelerated Deployment Services - 2 Weeks
AS-DCN-CNSLT	Advanced Services Consulting

SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIAL

Supported Network Topologies for HyperFlex Edge 2 Node Deployments

Cisco HyperFlex Edge offers both 1 Gigabit Ethernet (GE) and 10/25 Gigabit Ethernet (GE) installation option. Both topologies support single top-of-rack (ToR) and dual ToR switch options for ultimate network flexibility and redundancy.

Consider the following when determining the best topology for your cluster:

- Cisco highly recommends the 10/25GE topology for higher performance and future node expansion capabilities.
- The 1GE for clusters that will never require node expansion, and instances where the ToR switch does not have 10/25GE ports available.



NOTE: A network topology is chosen during initial deployment and cannot be changed or upgraded without a full reinstallation. Choose your network topology carefully and with future needs in mind.

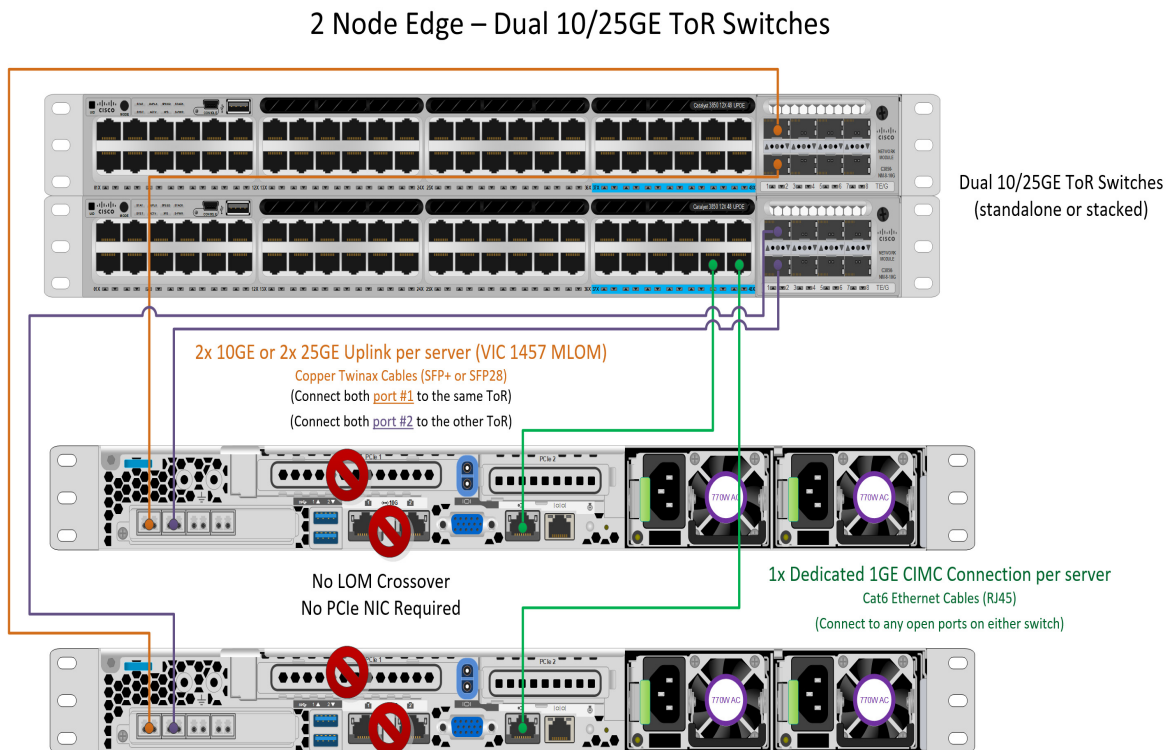
Below is a summary of the supported topologies, refer to the [Cisco HyperFlex Edge Deployment Guide, Pre-installation Checklist chapter](#), for full details.

10 or 25 Gigabit Ethernet Dual Switch Topology

Dual switch configuration provides a slightly more complex topology with full redundancy that protects against: switch failure, link failure, and port failure. It requires two switches that may be standalone or stacked, and two 10/25GE ports, one 1GE port for CIMC management, and one Cisco VIC 1467 per server. Trunk ports are the only supported network port configuration. refer [10/25 Gigabit Ethernet Switch Configuration Guidelines](#) for more information.

To deploy this topology, select HX-E-TOPO4 from [STEP 9](#)

Figure 7 Physical cabling for the 10/25GE Dual Switch Topology. Detailed diagrams for network topologies can be found in the [pre-installation checklist](#).

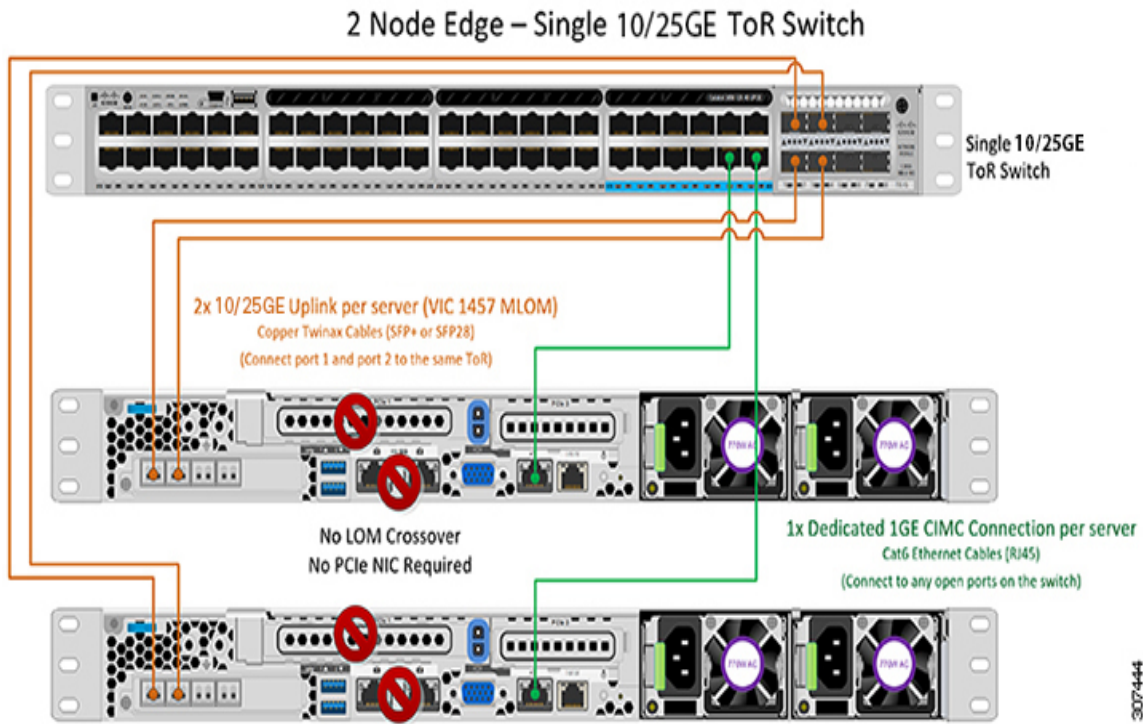


10 or 25 Gigabit Ethernet Single Switch Topology

Single switch configuration provides a simple topology requiring only a single switch, and two 10/25GE ports, one 1GE port for CIMC management, and one Cisco VIC 1467 per server. Switch level redundancy is not provided, however all links/ports and associated network services are fully redundant and can tolerate failures. refer [10/25 Gigabit Ethernet Switch Configuration Guidelines](#) for more information.

To deploy this topology, select HX-E-TOPO4 from [STEP 9](#)

Figure 8 Physical cabling for the 10/25GE Single Switch Topology. Detailed diagrams for network topologies can be found in the [pre-installation checklist](#).

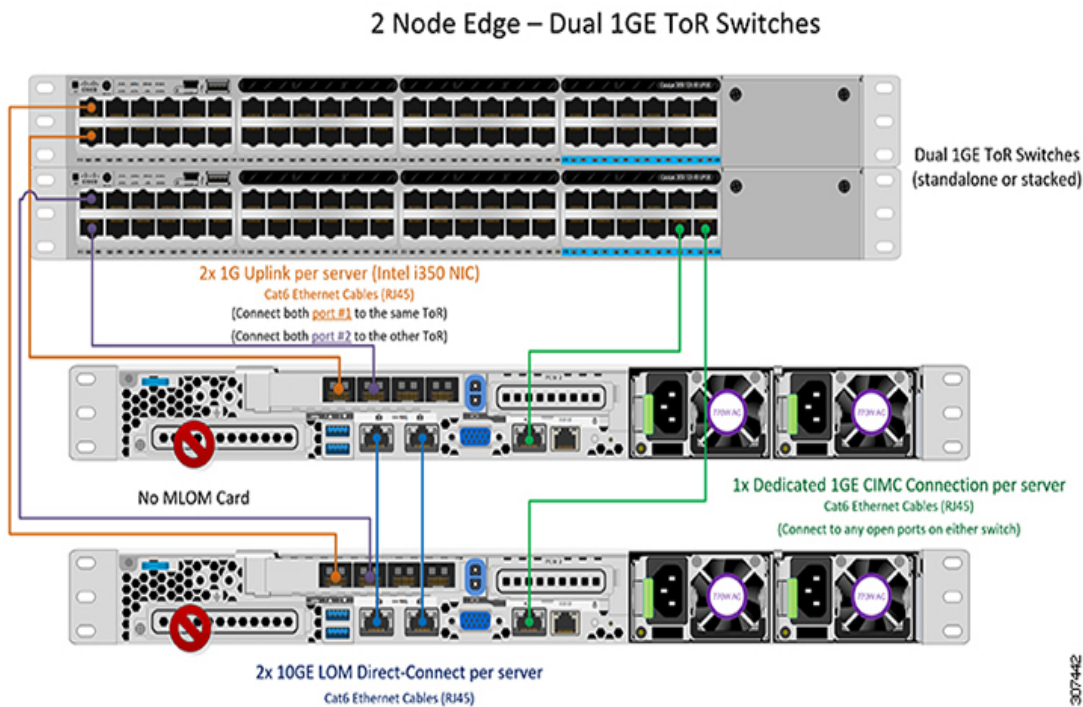


1 Gigabit Ethernet Dual Switch Topology

Dual switch cabling provides a slightly more complex topology with full redundancy that protects against: switch failure, link failure, switch port failure, and LOM/PCIe NIC HW failures. It requires two switches that may be standalone or stacked, and four 1GE ports for cluster and VM traffic, one 1GE port for CIMC management, and one Intel i350 PCIe NIC per server. Trunk ports are the only supported network port configuration. refer [1 Gigabit Ethernet Switch Configuration Guidelines](#) for more information

To deploy this topology, select HX-E-TOPO2 from [STEP 9](#)

Figure 9 Physical cabling for the 1GE Dual Switch Topology. Detailed diagrams for network topologies can be found in the [pre-installation checklist](#).

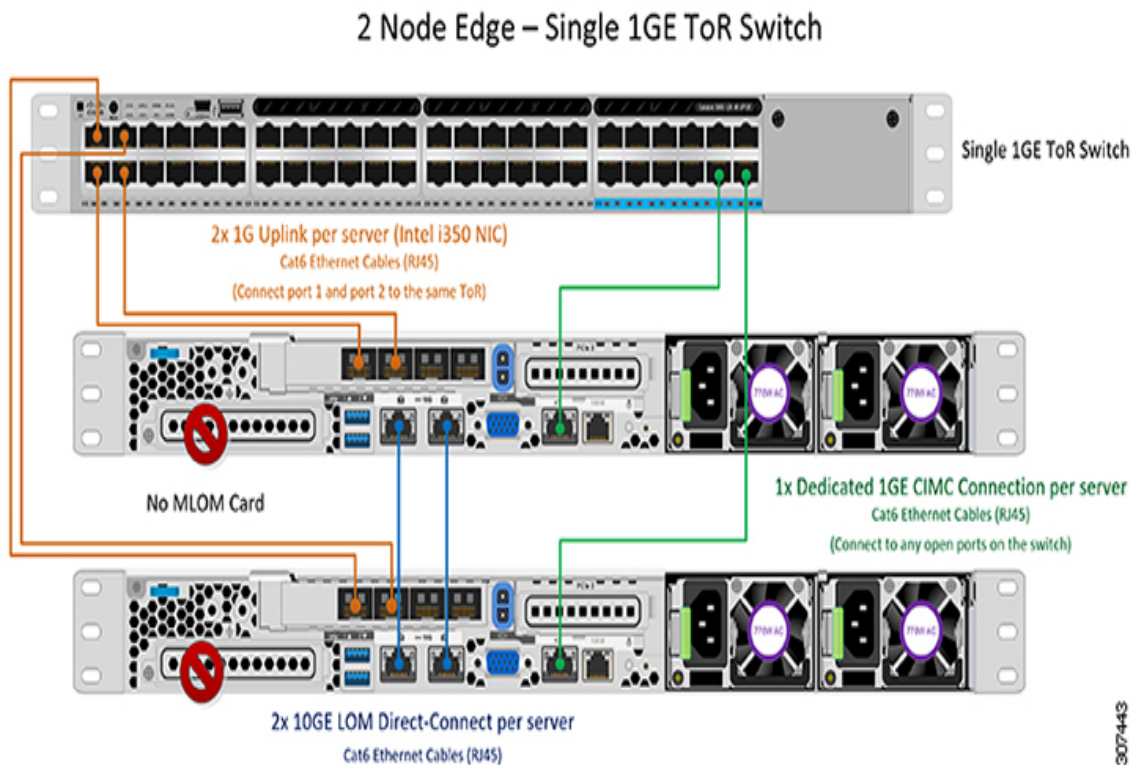


1 Gigabit Ethernet Single Switch Topology

Single switch configuration provides a simple topology requiring only a single switch, two 1GE ports for cluster and VM traffic, one 1GE port for CIMC management, and no additional PCIe NICs. Link or switch redundancy is not provided. Access ports and trunk ports are the two supported network port configurations. refer [1 Gigabit Ethernet Switch Configuration Guidelines](#) for more information

To deploy this topology, select HX-E-TOPO2 from [STEP 9](#)

Figure 10 Physical cabling for the 1GE Single Switch Topology. Detailed diagrams for network topologies can be found in the [pre-installation checklist](#).



Supported Network Topologies for HyperFlex Edge 3 and 4 Node Deployments

Cisco HyperFlex Edge 3-Node and 4-Node clusters may be deployed either through Cisco Intersight, or an on-premises installer VM. Cisco Intersight provides advanced multi-cluster monitoring and management capabilities; the Cisco Intersight HyperFlex Installer is the recommended installer, and should be used whenever possible.

Cisco HyperFlex Edge offers both 1 Gigabit Ethernet (GE) and 10/25 Gigabit Ethernet (GE) installation option. Both topologies support single top-of-rack (ToR) and dual ToR switch options for ultimate network flexibility and redundancy.

Consider the following when determining the best topology for your cluster:

- Cisco highly recommends the 10/25GE topology for higher performance and future node expansion capabilities.
- The 1GE topology is reserved for clusters that will never require node expansion, and instances where the ToR switch does not have 10/25GE ports available.



NOTE: A network topology is chosen during initial deployment and cannot be changed or upgraded without a full reinstallation. Choose your network topology carefully and with future needs in mind.

Below is a summary of the supported topologies, refer to the [Cisco HyperFlex Edge Deployment Guide, Pre-installation Checklist chapter](#), for full details.

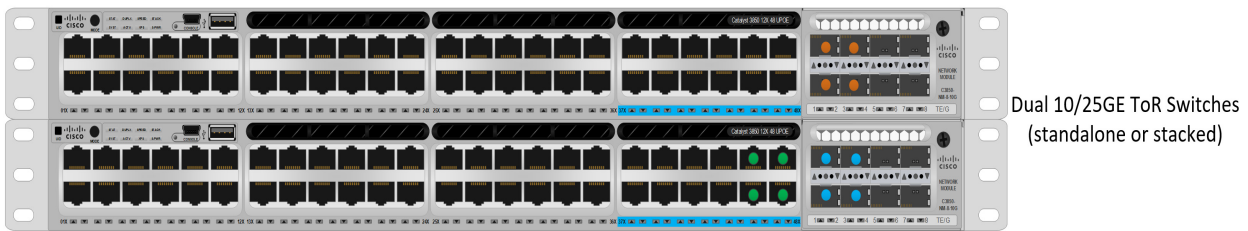
10 or 25 Gigabit Ethernet Dual Switch Topology

Dual switch configuration provides a slightly more complex topology with full redundancy that protects against: switch failure, link failure, and port failure. It requires two switches that may be standalone or stacked, and two 10/25GE ports, one 1GE port for CIMC management, and one Cisco VIC 1467 per server. Trunk ports are the only supported network port configuration. refer [10/25 Gigabit Ethernet Switch Configuration Guidelines](#) for more information.

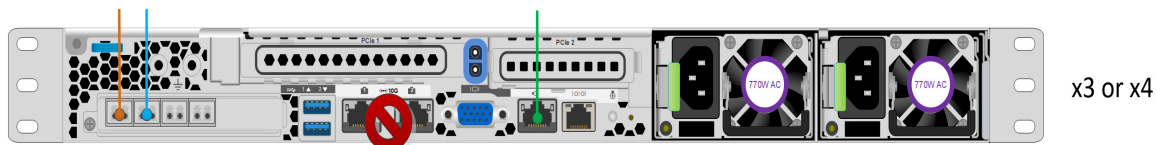
To deploy this topology, select HX-E-TOP04 from [STEP 9](#)

Figure 11 Physical cabling for the 10/25GE Dual Switch Topology. Detailed diagrams for network topologies can be found in the [pre-installation checklist](#).

3 & 4 Node Edge – Dual 10/25GE ToR Switches



2x 10GE or 2x 25GE Uplink per server (VIC 1457 MLOM)
Copper Twinax Cables (SFP+ or SFP28)
(Connect all [port #1](#) to the same ToR)
(Connect all [port #2](#) to the other ToR)



1x Dedicated 1GE CIMC Connection per server
Cat6 Ethernet Cables (RJ45)
(Connect to any open port on either switch)

10 or 25 Gigabit Ethernet Single Switch Topology

Single switch configuration provides a simple topology requiring only a single switch, and two 10/25GE ports, one 1GE port for CIMC management, and one Cisco VIC 1467 per server. Switch level redundancy is not provided, however all links/ports and associated network services are fully redundant and can tolerate failures. refer [10/25 Gigabit Ethernet Switch Configuration Guidelines](#) for more information.

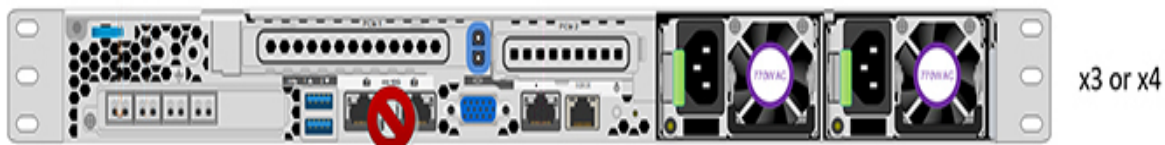
To deploy this topology, select HX-E-TOPO4 from [STEP 9](#)

Figure 12 Physical cabling for the 10/25GE Single Switch Topology. Detailed diagrams for network topologies can be found in the [pre-installation checklist](#).

3 & 4 Node Edge – Single 10/25GE ToR Switch



2x 10/25GE Uplink per server (VIC 1457 MLOM)
Copper Twinax Cables (SFP+ or SFP28)
(Connect all ports to the same ToR)



1x Dedicated 1GE CIMC Connection per server
Cat6 Ethernet Cables (RJ45)
(Connect to any open port)

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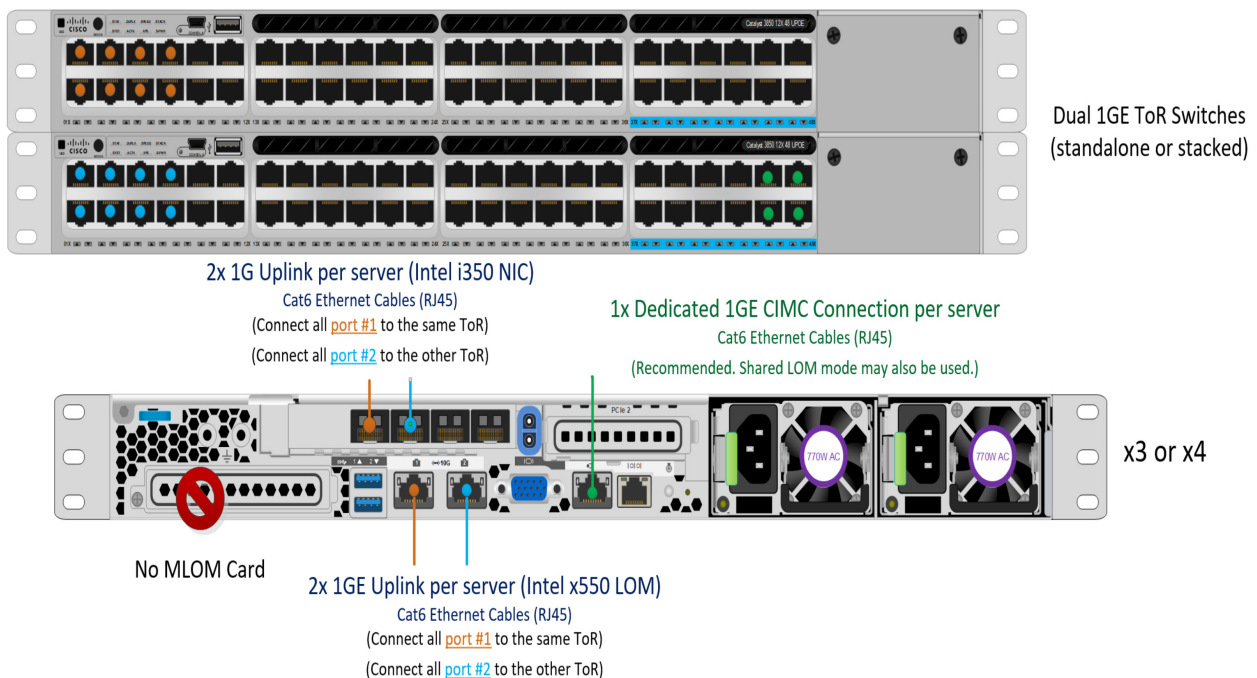
1 Gigabit Ethernet Dual Switch Topology

Dual switch cabling provides a slightly more complex topology with full redundancy that protects against: switch failure, link failure, switch port failure, and LOM/PCIe NIC HW failures. It requires two switches that may be standalone or stacked, and four 1GE ports for cluster and VM traffic, one 1GE port for CIMC management, and one Intel i350 PCIe NIC per server. Trunk ports are the only supported network port configuration. refer [1 Gigabit Ethernet Switch Configuration Guidelines](#) for more information.

To deploy this topology, select HX-E-TOPO2 from [STEP 9](#)

Figure 13 Physical cabling for the 1GE Dual Switch Topology. Detailed diagrams for network topologies can be found in the [pre-installation checklist](#).

3 & 4 Node Edge – Dual 1GE ToR Switches



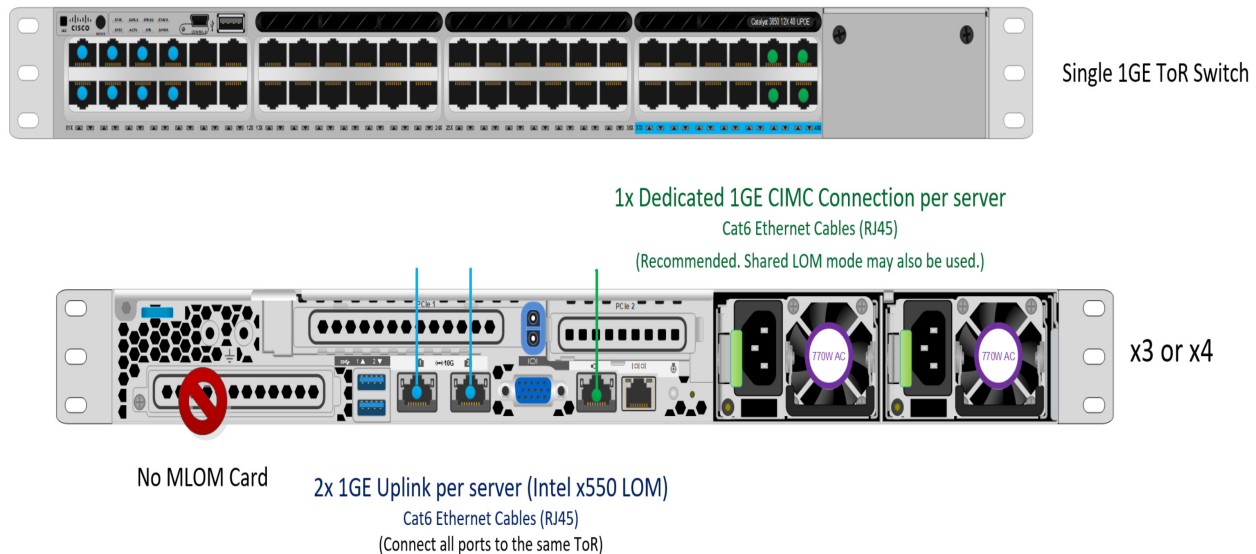
1 Gigabit Ethernet Single Switch Topology

Single switch configuration provides a simple topology requiring only a single switch, two 1GE ports for cluster and VM traffic, one 1GE port for CIMC management, and no additional PCIe NICs. Link or switch redundancy is not provided. Access ports and trunk ports are the two supported network port configurations. refer [1 Gigabit Ethernet Switch Configuration Guidelines](#) for more information.

To deploy this topology, select HX-E-TOPO3 from [STEP 9](#)

Figure 14 Physical cabling for the 1GE Single Switch Topology. Detailed diagrams for network topologies can be found in the [pre-installation checklist](#).

3 & 4 Node Edge – Single 1GE ToR Switch

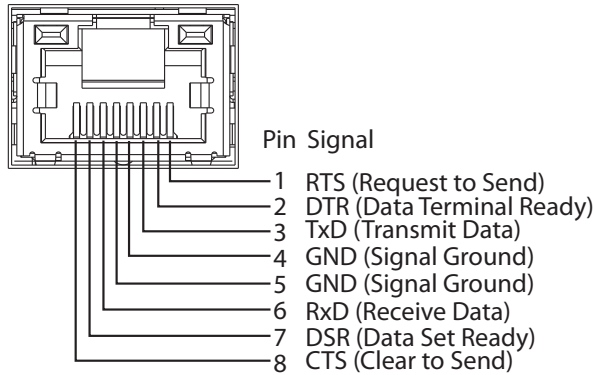


Serial Port Details

The pinout details of the rear RJ-45 serial port connector are shown in [Figure 15](#).

Figure 15 Serial Port (Female RJ-45 Connector) Pinout

Serial Port (RJ-45 Female Connector)



KVM Cable

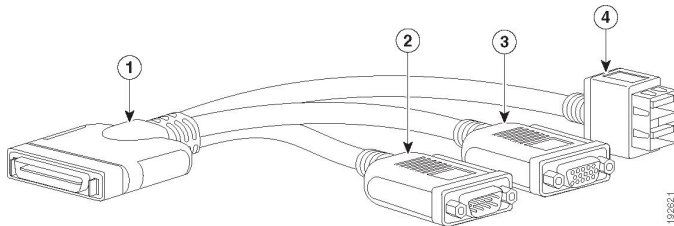
The KVM cable provides a connection into the server, providing a DB9 serial connector, a VGA connector for a monitor, and dual USB 2.0 ports for a keyboard and mouse. With this cable, you can create a direct connection to the operating system and the BIOS running on the server.

The KVM cable ordering information is listed in [Table 28](#).

Table 28 KVM Cable

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
N20-BKVM	KVM local IO cable for UCS servers console port

Figure 16 KVM Cable

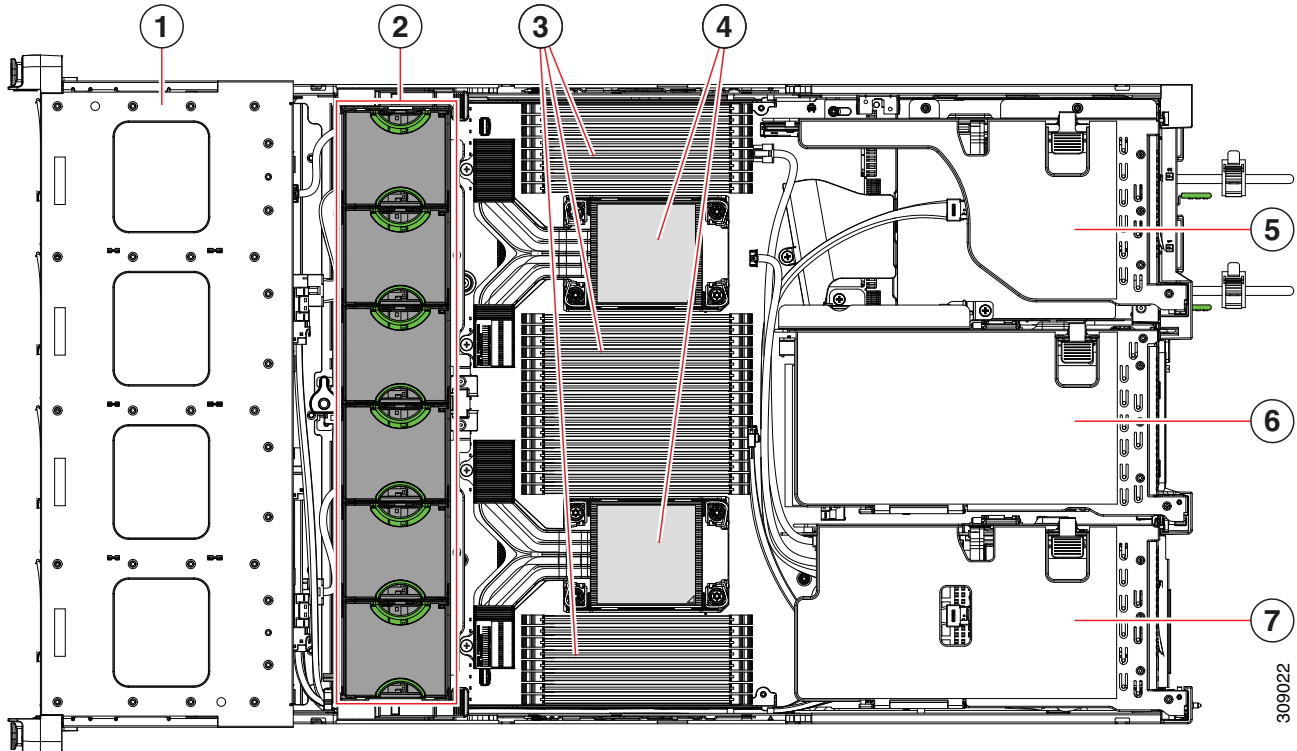


1	Connector (to server front panel)	3	VGA connector (for a monitor)
2	DB-9 serial connector	4	Two-port USB 2.0 connector (for a mouse and keyboard)

Chassis

An internal view of the HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes chassis with the top cover removed is shown in [Figure 17](#).

Figure 17 HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes With Top Cover Off



1	Front-loading drive bays.	2	Cooling fan modules (six, hot-swappable)
3	DIMM sockets on motherboard (16 per CPU) An air baffle rests on top of the DIMMs and CPUs when the server is operating. The air baffle is not displayed in this illustration.	4	CPU sockets CPU 2 is at the top and CPU 1 is at the bottom.
5	PCIe riser 3 (PCIe slots 7 and 8 numbered from bottom to top), with the following options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 3A (Default Option)—Slots 7 (x24 mechanical, x8 electrical), and 8 (x24 mechanical, x4 electrical). Both slots can accept a full height, full length GPU card. ■ 3B (Storage Option)—Slots 7 (x24 mechanical, x4 electrical) and 8 (x24 mechanical, x4 electrical). Both slots can accept 2.5-inch SFF universal HDDs. ■ 3C (GPU Option)—Slots 7 (x24 mechanical, x16 electrical) and 8 empty (NCSI support limited to one slot at a time). Slot 7 can support a full height, full length, double-wide GPU card. 	6	PCIe riser 2 (PCIe slots 4, 5, 6 numbered from bottom to top), with the following options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 2A (Default Option)—Slot 4 (x24 mechanical, x8 electrical) supports full height, ¾ length card; Slot 5 (x24 mechanical, x16 electrical) supports full height, full length GPU card; Slot 6 (x24 mechanical, x8 electrical) supports full height, full length card.

<p>7</p>	<p>PCIe riser 1 (PCIe slot 1, 2, 3 numbered bottom to top), with the following options:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ 1A (Default Option)—Slot 1 (x24 mechanical, x8 electrical) supports full height, ¾ length card; Slot 2 (x24 mechanical, x16 electrical) supports full height, full length GPU card; Slot 3 (x24 mechanical, x8 electrical) supports full height, full length card. ■ 1B (Storage Option)—Slot 1 is reserved; Slot 2 (x4 electrical), supports 2.5-inch SFF universal HDD; Slot 3 (x4 electrical), supports 2.5-inch SFF universal HDD 	<p>-</p>	
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Risers

Figure 18 shows the locations of the PCIe riser connectors on the HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes motherboard.

Figure 18 HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes Riser Connector Locations

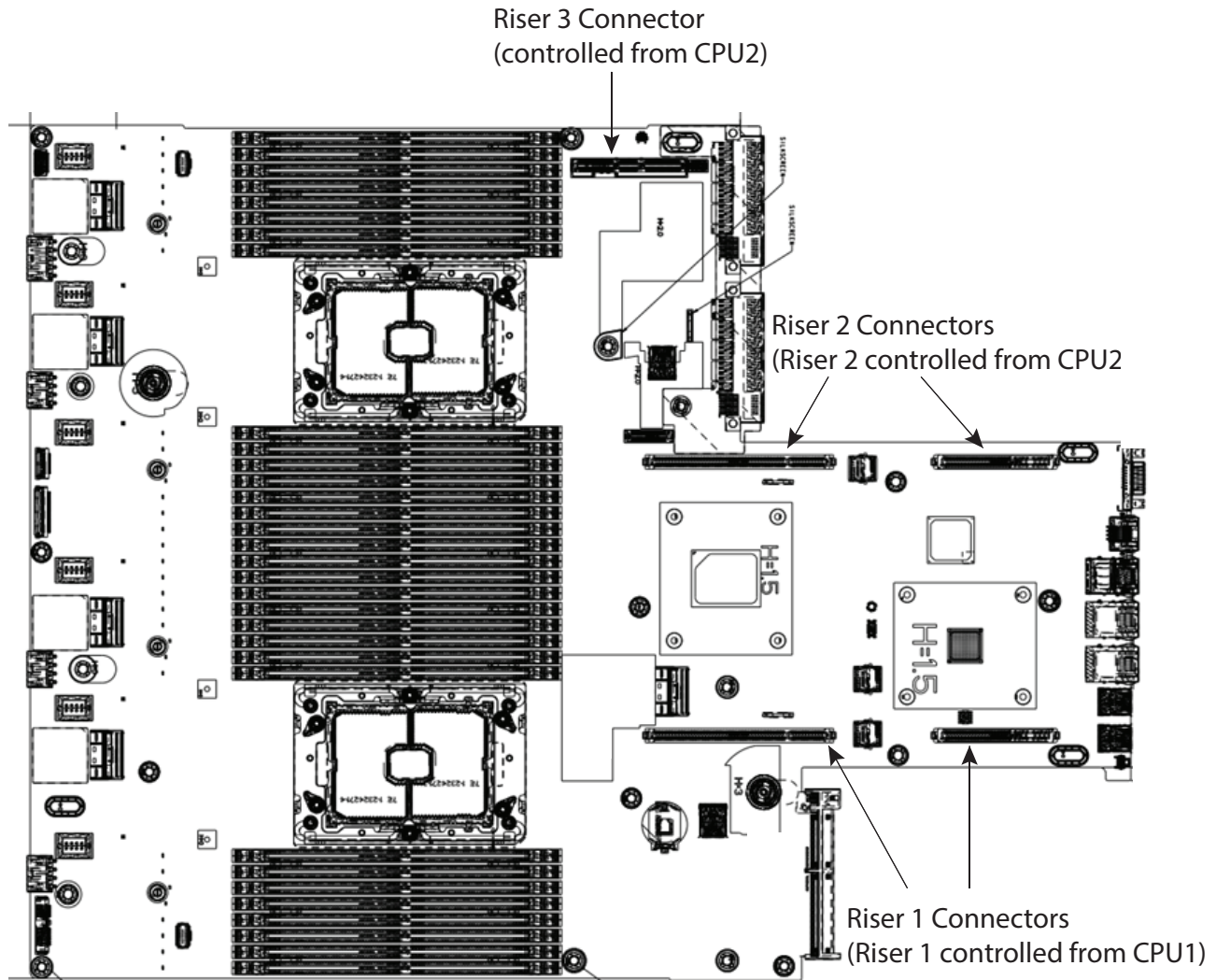
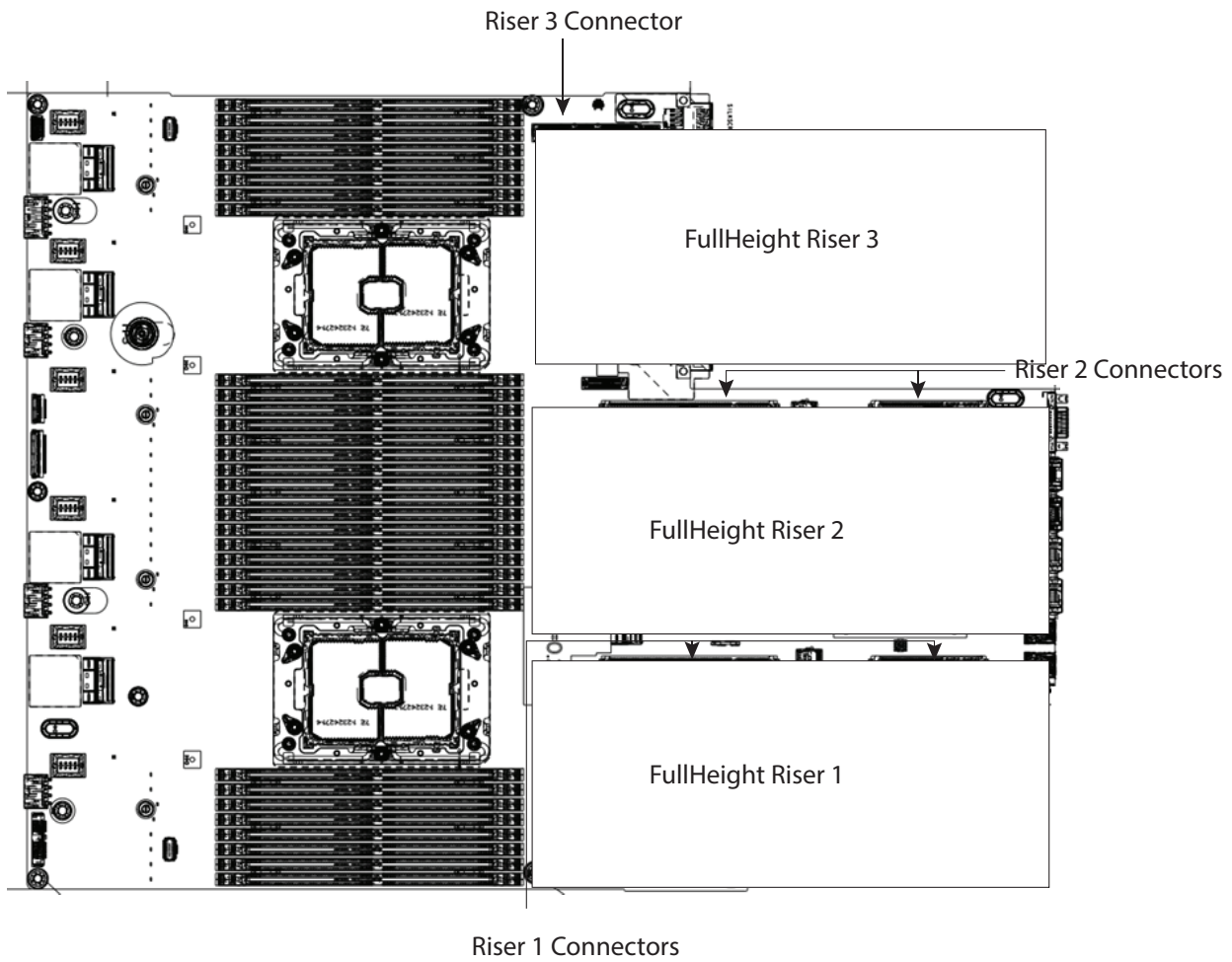


Figure 19 shows the locations of the PCIe riser connectors on the HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes motherboard.

Figure 19 HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes Riser Connector Locations



Riser Card Configuration and Options

The riser card locations are shown in [Figure 20](#).

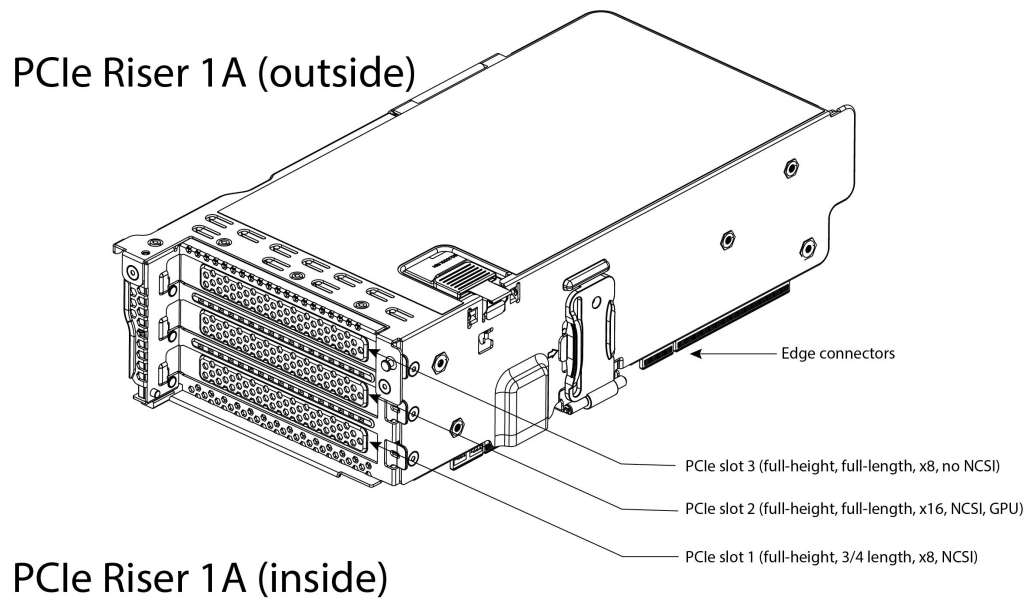
Figure 20 Riser Card Locations



Riser 1A

Riser 1A mechanical information is shown in [Figure 21](#).

Figure 21 Riser Card 1A

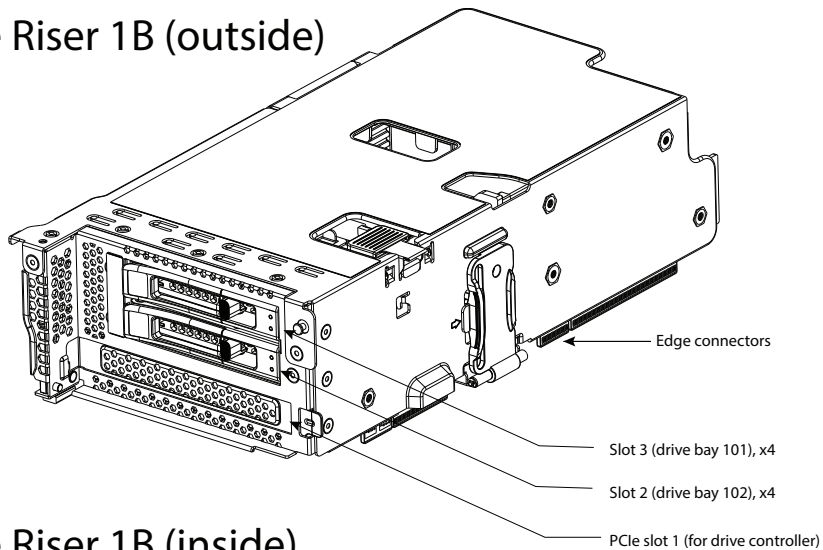


Riser 1B

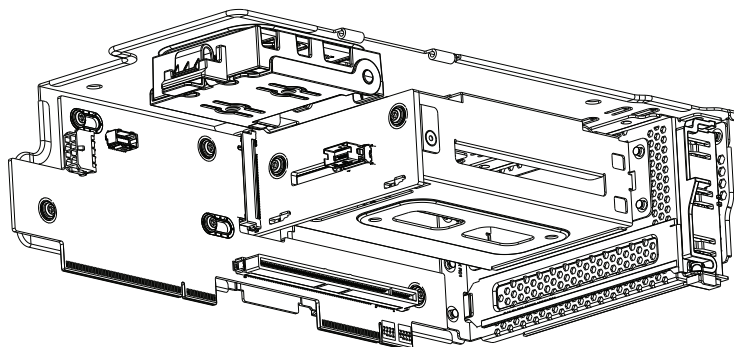
Riser 1B mechanical information is shown in [Figure 22](#).

Figure 22 Riser Card 1B

PCIe Riser 1B (outside)



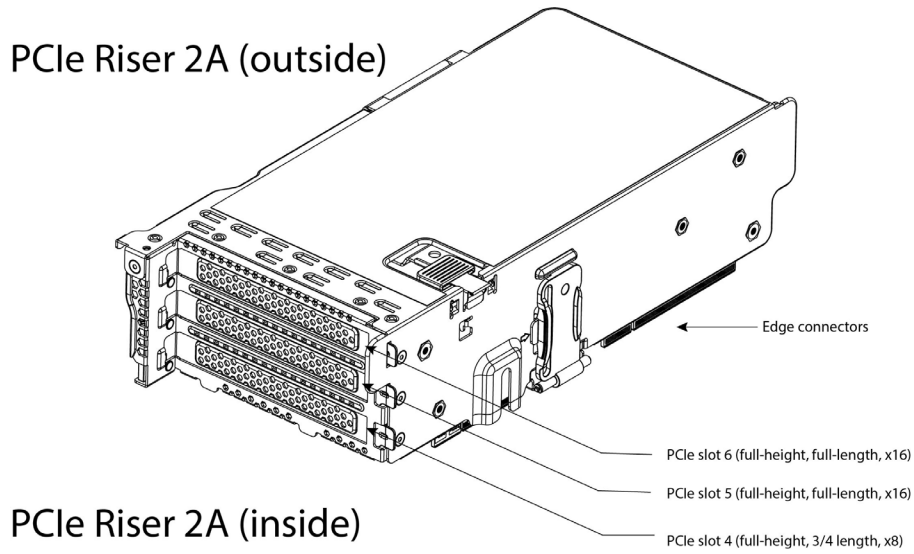
PCIe Riser 1B (inside)



Riser 2A

Riser 2A mechanical information is shown in [Figure 23](#).

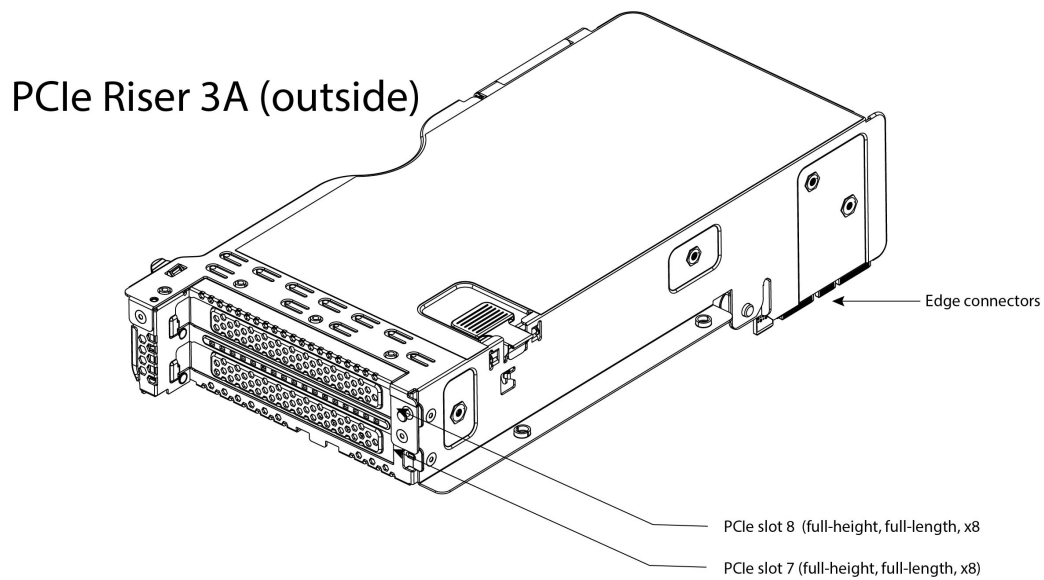
Figure 23 Riser Card 2A



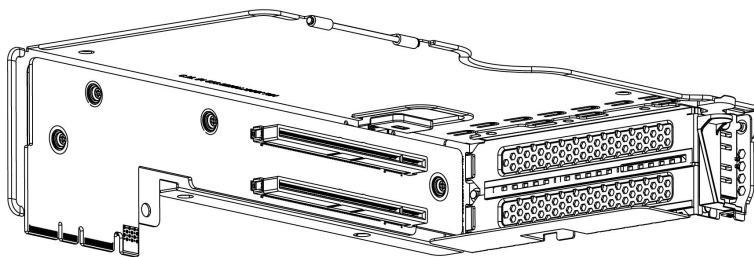
Riser 3A

Riser 3A mechanical information is shown in [Figure 24](#).

Figure 24 Riser Card 3A



PCIe Riser 3A (inside)

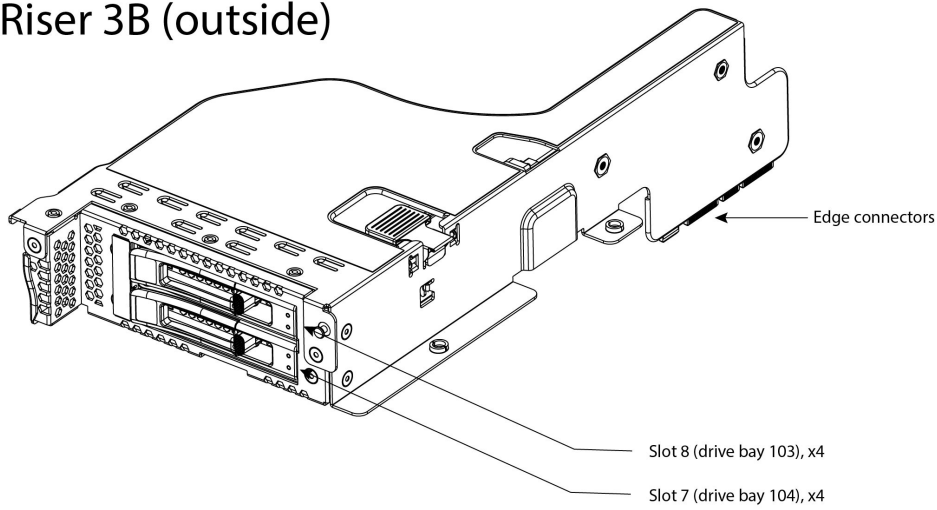


Riser 3B

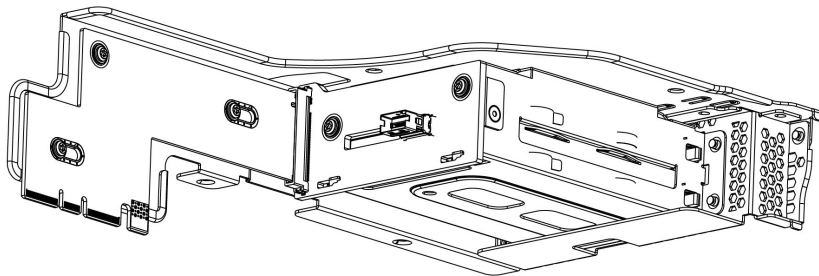
Riser 3B mechanical information is shown in [Figure 25](#).

Figure 25 Riser Card 3B

PCIe Riser 3B (outside)



PCIe Riser 3B (inside)

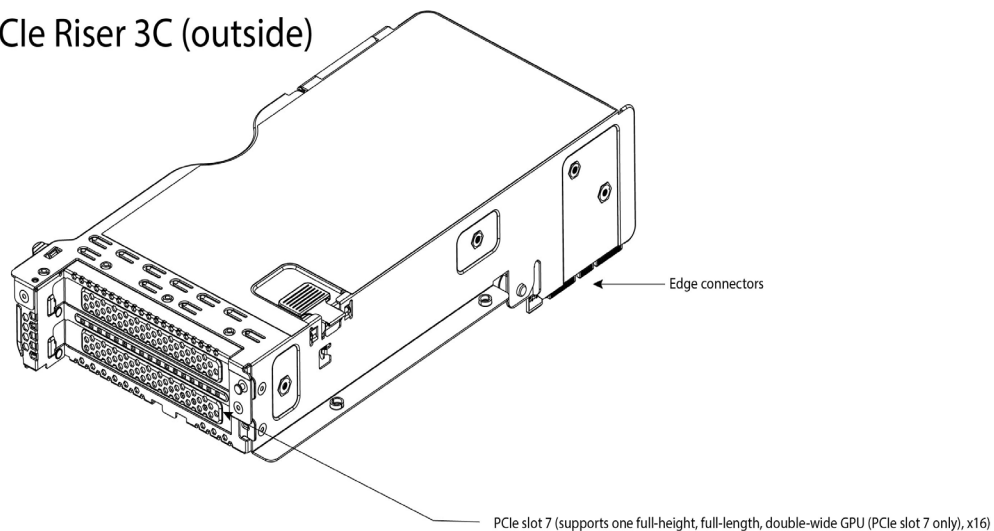


Riser 3C

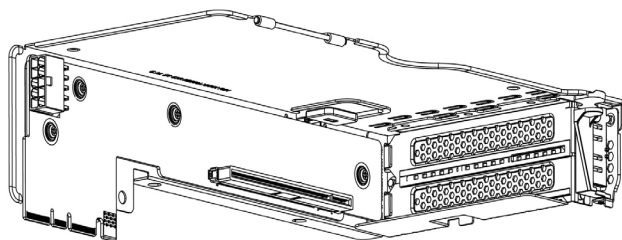
Riser 3C mechanical information is shown in [Figure 26](#).

Figure 26 Riser Card 3C

PCIe Riser 3C (outside)



PCIe Riser 3C (inside)



SPARE PARTS

This section lists the upgrade and service-related parts for the HyperFlex HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes. Some of these parts are configured with every server.



NOTE: Some spare parts you order may also require accessories for full functionality. For example, drives or Drive controllers may need accompanying cables. CPUs may need heatsinks, thermal paste, and installation tools. The spares and their accessory parts are listed in [Table 29](#).

Table 29 Spare Parts

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
KVM Cable	
N20-BKVM=	KVM local IO cable for UCS servers console port
Risers	
UCSC-RIS1A-240M6=	C240 M6 Riser1A; (x8;x16x, x8); StBkt; (CPU1)
HX-RIS1B-240M6=	C240 M6 Riser1B; 2xHDD; x16; StBkt; (CPU1)
UCSC-RIS2A-240M6=	C240 M6 Riser2A; (x8;x16;x8);StBkt; (CPU2)
UCSC-RIS3A-240M6=	C240 M6 Riser3A (x8;x8); StBkt; (CPU2)
HX-RIS3B-240M6=	C240 M6 Riser 3B; 2xHDD; StBkt; (CPU2)
HX-RIS3C-240M6=	C240 M6 Riser 3C
UCSC-FBRS2-C240M6=	C240M6 2U Riser2 Filler Blank
UCSC-FBRS3-C240M6=	C240M6 2U Riser3 Filler Blank
CPUs	
<p>Note: If you are ordering a second CPU, see the CPU Accessories section in this table for additional parts you may need to order for the second CPU.</p>	
8000 Series Processors	
HX-CPU-I8380=	Intel 8380 2.3GHz/270W 40C/60MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I8368=	Intel 8368 2.4GHz/270W 38C/57MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I8360Y=	Intel 8360Y 2.4GHz/250W 36C/54MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I8358P=	Intel 8358P 2.6GHz/240W 32C/48MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I8358=	Intel 8358 2.6GHz/250W 32C/48MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I8352Y=	Intel 8352Y 2.2GHz/205W 32C/48MB DDR4 3200MHz

Table 29 Spare Parts (continued)

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
HX-CPU-I8352V=	Intel 8352V 2.1GHz/195W 36C/54MB DDR4 2933MHz
HX-CPU-I8352S=	Intel 8352S 2.2GHz/205W 32C/48MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I8351N=	Intel 8351N 2.4GHz/225W 36C/54MB DDR4 2933MHz
6000 Series Processors	
HX-CPU-I6354=	Intel 6354 3.0GHz/205W 18C/39MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I6348=	Intel 6348 2.6GHz/235W 28C/42MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I6346=	Intel 6346 3.1GHz/205W 16C/36MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I6342=	Intel 6342 2.8GHz/230W 24C/36MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I6338N=	Intel 6338T 2.1GHz/165W 24C/36MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I6338T=	Intel 6338N 2.2GHz/185W 32C/48MB DDR4 2667MHz
HX-CPU-I6338=	Intel 6338 2.0GHz/205W 32C/48MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I6336Y=	Intel 6336Y 2.4GHz/185W 24C/36MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I6334=	Intel 6334 3.6GHz/165W 8C/18MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I6330N=	Intel 6330N 2.2GHz/165W 28C/42MB DDR4 2667MHz
HX-CPU-I6330=	Intel 6330 2.0GHz/205W 28C/42MB DDR4 2933MHz
HX-CPU-I6326=	Intel 6326 2.9GHz/185W 16C/24MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I6314U=	Intel 6314U 2.3GHz/205W 32C/48MB DDR4 3200MHz
HX-CPU-I6312U=	Intel 6312U 2.4GHz/185W 24C/36MB DDR4 3200MHz
5000 Series Processors	
HX-CPU-I5320T=	Intel 5320T 2.3GHz/150W 20C/30MB DDR4 2933MHz
HX-CPU-I5320=	Intel 5320 2.2GHz/185W 26C/39MB DDR4 2933MHz
HX-CPU-I5318N=	Intel 5318Y 2.1GHz/165W 24C/36MB DDR4 2933MHz
HX-CPU-I5318S=	Intel 5318S 2.1GHz/165W 24C/36MB DDR4 2933MHz
HX-CPU-I5318Y=	Intel 5318N 2.1GHz/150W 24C/36MB DDR4 2667MHz
HX-CPU-I5317=	Intel 5317 3.0GHz/150W 12C/18MB DDR4 2933MHz
HX-CPU-I5315Y=	Intel 5315Y 3.2GHz/150W 8C/12MB DDR4 2933MHz
4000 Series Processors	
HX-CPU-I4316=	Intel 4316 2.3GHz/150W 20C/30MB DDR4 2667MHz
HX-CPU-I4314=	Intel 4314 2.4GHz/135W 16C/24MB DDR4 2667MHz

Table 29 Spare Parts (continued)


Product ID (PID)	PID Description
HX-CPU-I4310T=	Intel 4310T 2.3GHz/105W 10C/15MB DDR4 2667MHz
HX-CPU-I4310=	Intel 4310 2.1GHz/120W 12C/18MB DDR4 2667MHz
HX-CPU-I4309Y=	Intel 4309Y 2.8GHz/105W 8C/12MB DDR4 2667MHz
CPU Accessories	
UCSC-HSHP-240M6=	Heatsink for 2U SFF M6 PCIe SKU
UCSC-HSLP-M6=	Heatsink for 1U/2U LFF/SFF GPU SKU
UCS-CPU-TIM=	Single CPU thermal interface material syringe for M5 server HS seal ¹
UCS-M6-CPU-CAR=	Spare CPU Carrier for M6
UCSX-HSCK=	UCS CPU/Heatsink Cleaning Kit, for up to 4 CPU/heatsink sets
UCS-CPUAT=	CPU Assembly Tool for Servers
3200-MHz DIMMs	
HX-MR-X16G1RW=	16 GB RDIMM SRx4 3200 (8Gb)
HX-MR-X32G2RW=	32 GB RDIMM DRx4 3200 (8Gb)
HX-MR-X64G2RW=	64 GB RDIMM DRx4 3200 (16Gb)
HX-ML-128G4RW=	128 GB LRDIMM QRx4 3200 (16Gb)
HX-ML-256G8RW= ²	256 GB LRDIMM 8Rx4 3200 (16Gb) (3DS)
DIMM Blank	
UCS-DIMM-BLK=	UCS DIMM Blank
HDDs	
 <p>Note: When ordering additional SAS/SATA front or rear drives, you may need to order a cable to connect from the drive to the motherboard. See the Drive Cables section in this table.</p>	
HXAF-E-240-M6SX (All Flash)	
Front Capacity Drive	
HX-SD960G61X-EV=	960GB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD
HX-SD19T61X-EV=	1.9TB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD
HX-SD38T61X-EV=	3.8TB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD
HX-SD76T61X-EV=	7.6TB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD
Rear Capacity Drive	

Table 29 Spare Parts (continued)

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
HX-SD960G61X-EV=	960GB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD
HX-SD19T61X-EV=	1.9TB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD
HX-SD38T61X-EV=	3.8TB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD
HX-SD76T61X-EV=	7.6TB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD
Front Cache Drive	
HX-SD800GK3X-EP=	800GB 2.5in Enterprise Performance 12G SAS SSD(3X endurance)
Front System Drive	
HX-SD240GM1X-EV=	240 GB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD
Boot Drive	
HX-M2-240GB=	240GB SATA M.2
HX-M2-HWRAID=	Cisco Boot optimized M.2 Raid controller
HX-E-240-M6SX (Hybrid)	
Front Capacity Drive	
HX-HD12TB10K12N=	1.2 TB 12G SAS 10K RPM SFF HDD
HX-HD18TB10K4KN=	1.8TB 12G SAS 10K RPM SFF HDD (4K)
HX-HD24TB10K4KN=	2.4 TB 12G SAS 10K RPM SFF HDD (4K)
Rear Capacity Drive	
HX-HD12TB10K12N=	1.2 TB 12G SAS 10K RPM SFF HDD
HX-HD18TB10K4KN=	1.8TB 12G SAS 10K RPM SFF HDD (4K)
HX-HD24TB10K4KN=	2.4 TB 12G SAS 10K RPM SFF HDD (4K)
Front Cache Drive	
HX-SD16TK3X-EP=	1.6TB 2.5in Enterprise Performance 12G SAS SSD(3X endurance)
Front System Drive	
HX-SD240GM1X-EV=	240 GB 2.5 inch Enterprise Value 6G SATA SSD
Boot Drive	
HX-M2-240GB=	240GB SATA M.2
HX-M2-HWRAID=	Cisco Boot optimized M.2 Raid controller
Extender Board³	
UCSC-M2EXT-240M6=	C240M6 2U M.2 Extender board

Table 29 Spare Parts (continued)






Product ID (PID)	PID Description
Drive Cables	
CBL-SATA-C240M6=  Note: Order this cable if you are adding a front SAS/SATA drive to server nodes.	SATA cable C240M6 (2U)
CBL-RSASR1B-240M6=  Note: Order this cable if you order riser PID HX-RIS3B-240M6 and HX-SAS-240M6 for servers node	C240M6 2U x2 Rear SAS/SATA cable; (Riser1B)
CBL-RSASR3B-240M6=  Note: Order this cable if you order riser PID HX-RIS3B-240M6 and SAS/SATA rear drive and HX-SAS-240M6	C240M6 2U x2 Rear SAS/SATA cable; (Riser3B)
Drive Blanking Panel	
UCSC-BBLKD-S2	C-Series M5 SFF drive blanking panel
Drive Controllers	
 Note: If you are ordering a HX-SAS-240M6 you might need to order SAS cables. See the Drive Controller Cables section of this table.	
HX-SAS-240M6=	Cisco 12G SAS HBA
Drive Controller Cables	
CBL-SAS12-240M6=  Note: Order this cable if you are ordering either of the following RAID PIDs: HX-SAS-240M6	C240M6 SAS cable 12 (2U)

Table 29 Spare Parts (continued)




Product ID (PID)	PID Description
CBL-SAS24-240M6=  Note: Order this cable if you are ordering two of HX-SAS-240M6	C240M6 SAS cable 24 (2U)
PCI cards	
Modular LAN on Motherboard (mLOM)	
HX-M-V25-04=	Cisco UCS VIC 1467 quad port 10/25G SFP28 mLOM
Network Interface Cards (NICs)	
1 Gb NICs	
HX-PCIE-IRJ45=	Intel i350 quad-port 1G copper PCIe
10 Gb NICs	
HX-PCIE-ID10GF=	Intel X710-DA2 Dual Port 10Gb SFP+ NIC
HX-PCIE-IQ10GF=	Intel X710 quad-port 10G SFP+ NIC
HX-P-ID10GC=	Cisco-Intel X710T2LG 2x10 GbE RJ45 PCIe NIC
25 Gb NICs	
HX-P-I8D25GF=	Cisco-Intel E810XXVDA2 2x25/10 GbE SFP28 PCIe NIC
HX-P-I8Q25GF=	Cisco-Intel E810XXVDA4L 4x25/10 GbE SFP28 PCIe NIC
GPU PCIe Cards	
 Note: If you are adding a GPU, you may need to add cables for the GPU. See the GPU Cables section of this table.	
HX-GPU-A10=4	TESLA A10, PASSIVE, 150W, 24GB
HX-GPU-A100=4	TESLA A100, PASSIVE, 250W, 40GB
GPU Cables	
UCS-M10CBL-C240M5=  Note: Order this cable if you are adding an A10V or A10 GPU	C240M5 NVIDIA A10 Cable

Table 29 Spare Parts (continued)


Product ID (PID)	PID Description
UCS-P100CBL-240M5  Note: Order this cable if you are adding an A100 GPU	C240M5 NVIDIA A100 Cable
Power Supply	
HX-PSU1-1050W=	1050W AC power supply for C-Series servers
HX-PSUV2-1050DC=	1050W DC power supply for C-Series servers
HX-PSU1-1600W=	1600W AC power supply for C-Series servers
HX-PSU-2300W	2300W Power supply for C-series servers
UCSC-PSU-M5BLK=	Power Supply Blanking Panel for M5 servers
Power Cables	
CAB-48DC-40A-8AWG=	C-Series -48VDC PSU Power Cord, 3.5M, 3 Wire, 8AWG, 40A
CAB-N5K6A-NA=	Power Cord, 200/240V 6A, North America
CAB-AC-L620-C13=	AC Power Cord, NEMA L6-20 - C13, 2M/6.5ft
CAB-C13-CBN=	CABASY,WIRE,JUMPER CORD, 27" L, C13/C14, 10A/250V
CAB-C13-C14-2M=	CABASY,WIRE,JUMPER CORD, PWR, 2 Meter, C13/C14,10A/250V
CAB-C13-C14-AC=	CORD,PWR,JMP,IEC60320/C14,IEC6 0320/C13, 3.0M
CAB-250V-10A-AR=	Power Cord, 250V, 10A, Argentina
CAB-9K10A-AU=	Power Cord, 250VAC 10A 3112 Plug, Australia
CAB-250V-10A-CN=	AC Power Cord - 250V, 10A - PRC
CAB-9K10A-EU=	Power Cord, 250VAC 10A CEE 7/7 Plug, EU
CAB-250V-10A-ID=	Power Cord, SFS, 250V, 10A, India
CAB-250V-10A-IS=	Power Cord, SFS, 250V, 10A, Israel
CAB-9K10A-IT=	Power Cord, 250VAC 10A CEI 23-16/VII Plug, Italy
CAB-9K10A-SW=	Power Cord, 250VAC 10A MP232 Plug, Switzerland
CAB-9K10A-UK=	Power Cord, 250VAC 10A BS1363 Plug (13 A fuse), UK
CAB-9K12A-NA=	Power Cord, 125VAC 13A NEMA 5-15 Plug, North America
CAB-250V-10A-BR=	Power Cord - 250V, 10A - Brazil
CAB-C13-C14-2M-JP=	Power Cord C13-C14, 2M/6.5ft Japan PSE mark

Table 29 Spare Parts (continued)

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
CAB-9K10A-KOR=	Power Cord, 125VAC 13A KSC8305 Plug, Korea
CAB-ACTW=	AC Power Cord (Taiwan), C13, EL 302, 2.3M
CAB-JPN-3PIN=	Japan, 90-125VAC 12A NEMA 5-15 Plug, 2.4m
Rail Kit	
HX-RAIL-M6=	Ball Bearing Rail Kit for C220 & C240 M6 rack servers
CMA	
HX-CMA-240M6=	Reversible CMA for C240 M6 ball bearing rail kit
Security	
HX-TPM-002C=	TPM 2.0, TCG, FIPS140-2, CC EAL4+ Certified, for M6 servers
HX-INT-SW02=	C220 and C240 M6 Chassis Intrusion Switch
Bezel	
HXAF240C-BZL-M5SX=	HXAF240c M5 Security Bezel
HX240C-BZL-M5S=	HX240c M5 Security Bezel
Select Hypervisor / Host Operating System	
ESXi Options	
VMware	
HX-VSP-6-7-FNDR-D=	Factory Installed vSphere 6.7 1-CPU Enduser provides License
HX-VSP-6-7-FNDR2-D=	Factory Installed vSphere 6.7 2-CPU Enduser provides License
HX-VSP-7-0-FND-D=	Factory Installed vSphere SW 7.0 1-CPU Enduser provides License
HX-VSP-7-0-FND2-D=	Factory Installed vSphere SW 7.0 2-CPU Enduser provides License
VMware PAC Licenses	
HX-VSP-EPL-1A=	VMware vSphere 7.x Ent Plus (1 CPU), 1-yr, Support Required
HX-VSP-EPL-3A=	VMware vSphere 7.x Ent Plus (1 CPU), 3-yr, Support Required
HX-VSP-EPL-5A=	VMware vSphere 7.x Ent Plus (1 CPU), 5-yr, Support Required
HX-VSP-STD-1A=	VMware vSphere 7.x Standard (1 CPU), 1-yr, Support Required
HX-VSP-STD-3A=	VMware vSphere 7.x Standard (1 CPU), 3-yr, Support Required
HX-VSP-STD-5A=	VMware vSphere 7.x Standard (1 CPU), 5-yr, Support Required
Operating system	
Microsoft Options	

Table 29 Spare Parts (continued)

Product ID (PID)	PID Description
MSWS-19-DC16C-NS=	Windows Server 2019 Data Center (16 Cores/Unlimited VMs) - No Cisco SVC
MSWS-19-ST16C-NS=	Windows Server 2019 Standard (16 Cores/2 VMs) - No Cisco SVC
HX-MSWS-19-DC16C=	Windows Server 2019 Data Center (16 Cores/Unlimited VMs)
HX-MSWS-19-ST16C=	Windows Server 2019 Standard (16 Cores/2 VMs)

Notes:

1. This part is included with the purchase of option or spare CPU or CPU processor kits.
2. Target timeframe for supporting 256 GB DIMMs is Q4CY2021.
3. Order an extender board and two matching M.2 SATA SSDs along with a boot-optimized RAID controller (see [STEP 6 SELECT DRIVES](#)). See [Figure 17 on page 64](#) for the location of the extender board connector on the motherboard. The motherboard extender board connector accepts the extender board and the extender board accepts the boot-optimized RAID controller.
4. Target timeframe for supporting A10 & A100 GPUs is Q4CY2021.

UPGRADING or REPLACING CPUs



NOTE: Before servicing any CPU, do the following:

- Decommission and power off the server.
- Slide the HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes out from the rack.
- Remove the top cover.

To replace an existing CPU, follow these steps:

(1) Have the following tools and materials available for the procedure:

- T-30 Torx driver—Supplied with replacement CPU.
- #1 flat-head screwdriver—Supplied with replacement CPU.
- CPU assembly tool—Supplied with replacement CPU. Can be ordered separately as Cisco PID UCS-CPUAT=.
- Heatsink cleaning kit—Supplied with replacement CPU. Can be ordered separately as Cisco PID UCSX-HSCK=.
- Thermal interface material (TIM)—Syringe supplied with replacement CPU. Can be ordered separately as Cisco PID UCS-CPU-TIM=.

(2) Order the appropriate replacement CPU from [Table 4 on page 19](#):

Carefully remove and replace the CPU and heatsink in accordance with the instructions found in “Cisco M5 server Installation and Service Guide” found at:

https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/td/docs/unified_computing/ucs/c/hw/C240M5/install/C240M5/C240M5_chapter_010.html?bookSearch=true#concept_bfk_kwp_hz

To add a new CPU, follow these steps:

(1) Have the following tools and materials available for the procedure:

- T-30 Torx driver—Supplied with new CPU.
- #1 flat-head screwdriver—Supplied with new CPU
- CPU assembly tool—Supplied with new CPU. Can be ordered separately as Cisco PID UCS-CPUAT=
- Thermal interface material (TIM)—Syringe supplied with replacement CPU. Can be ordered separately as Cisco PID UCS-CPU-TIM=

(2) Order the appropriate new CPU from [Table 4 on page 19](#)

(3) Order one heat sink for each new CPU. Order PID UCSC-HSHP-240M6= for servers with no GPU. Order PID UCSC-HSLP-M6= for servers with GPUs.

Carefully install the CPU and heatsink in accordance with the instructions found in “Cisco M5 server Installation and Service Guide,” found at:

https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/td/docs/unified_computing/ucs/c/hw/C240M5/install/C240M5/C240M5_chapter_010.html?bookSearch=true#concept_bfk_kwp_hz

UPGRADING or REPLACING MEMORY



NOTE: Before servicing any DIMM do the following:

- Decommission and power off the server.
- Remove the top cover from the server
- Slide the server out the front of the chassis.

To add or replace DIMMs follow these steps:

Step 1 Open both DIMM connector latches.

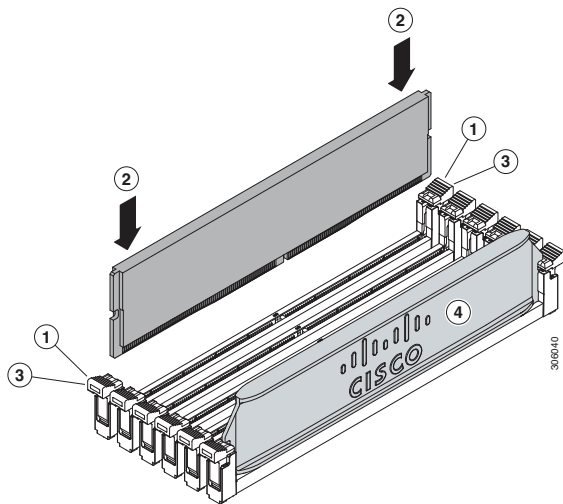
Step 2 Press evenly on both ends of the DIMM until it clicks into place in its slot

Note: Ensure that the notch in the DIMM aligns with the slot. If the notch is misaligned, it is possible to damage the DIMM, the slot, or both.

Step 3 Press the DIMM connector latches inward slightly to seat them fully.

Step 4 Populate all slots with a DIMM or DIMM blank. A slot cannot be empty.

Figure 27 Replacing Memory



For additional details on replacing or upgrading DIMMs, see “Cisco M5 Server Installation and Service Guide” found at this link:

https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/td/docs/unified_computing/ucs/c/hw/C240M5/install/C240M5/C240M5_chapter_010.html?bookSearch=true#concept_c53_tbp_hz

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Dimensions and Weight

Table 30 HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes Dimensions and Weight

Parameter	Value
Height	3.42 in. (8.7 cm)
Width (including slam latches)	16.9 in. (42.9 cm)
Depth	30 in. (76.2 cm)
Front Clearance	3 in. (76 mm)
Side Clearance	1 in. (25 mm)
Rear Clearance	6 in. (152 mm)
Weight	
Weight with following options and no rail kit: 0 HDD, 0 CPU, 0 DIMM, and 1 2300 W power supply	35.7 lbs (16.2 kg)
Weight with following options and including rail kit: 0 HDD, 0 CPU, 0 DIMM, and 1 2300 W power supply	44 lbs (20 kg)
Weight with following options and no rail kit: 1 HDD, 1 CPU, 1 DIMM, and 1 2300 W power supply	37.6 lbs (17 kg)
Weight with following options and including rail kit: 1 HDD, 1 CPU, 1 DIMM, and 1 2300 W power supply	45.9 lbs (20.8 kg)
Weight with following options and no rail kit: 8 HDDs, 2 CPUs, 32 DIMMs, and 2 2300 W power supplies	44.71 lbs (20.28 kg)
Weight with following options and including rail kit: 8 HDDs, 2 CPUs, 32 DIMMs, and 2 2300 W power supplies	49.2 lbs (22.32 kg)
Weight with following options and no rail kit: 0 HDD, 0 CPU, 0 DIMM, and 1 2300 W power supply	33.14 lbs (15 kg)
Weight with following options and including rail kit: 0 HDD, 0 CPU, 0 DIMM, and 1 2300 W power supply	41.45 lbs (18.8 kg)
Weight with following options and no rail kit: 1 HDD, 1 CPU, 1 DIMM, and 1 2300 W power supply	40.55 lbs (18.4kg)
Weight with following options and including rail kit: 1 HDD, 1 CPU, 1 DIMM, and 1 2300 W power supply	48.86 lbs (22.2 kg)
Weight with following options and no rail kit: 24 HDDs, 2 CPUs, 32 DIMMs, and 2 2300 W power supplies	58.8 lbs (26.7 kg)
Weight with following options and including rail kit: 24 HDDs, 2 CPUs, 32 DIMMs, and 2 2300 W power supplies	61.7 lbs (28 kg)

Power Specifications

The server is available with the following types of power supplies:

- 1050 W (AC) power supply (see [Table 31](#)).
- 1050 W V2 (DC) power supply (see [Table 32](#))
- 1600 W (AC) power supply (see [Table 33](#))
- 2300 W (AC) power supply (see [Table 34](#))

Table 31 HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes Power Specifications (1050 W AC power supply)

Parameter	Specification			
Input Connector	IEC320 C14			
Input Voltage Range (V rms)	100 to 240			
Maximum Allowable Input Voltage Range (V rms)	90 to 264			
Frequency Range (Hz)	50 to 60			
Maximum Allowable Frequency Range (Hz)	47 to 63			
Maximum Rated Output (W) ¹	800		1050	
Maximum Rated Standby Output (W)	36			
Nominal Input Voltage (V rms)	100	120	208	230
Nominal Input Current (A rms)	9.2	7.6	5.8	5.2
Maximum Input at Nominal Input Voltage (W)	889	889	1167	1154
Maximum Input at Nominal Input Voltage (VA)	916	916	1203	1190
Minimum Rated Efficiency (%) ²	90	90	90	91
Minimum Rated Power Factor ²	0.97	0.97	0.97	0.97
Maximum Inrush Current (A peak)	15			
Maximum Inrush Current (ms)	0.2			
Minimum Ride-Through Time (ms) ³	12			

Notes:

1. Maximum rated output is limited to 800W when operating at low-line input voltage (100-127V)
2. This is the minimum rating required to achieve 80 PLUS Platinum certification, see test reports published at <http://www.80plus.org/> for certified values
3. Time output voltage remains within regulation limits at 100% load, during input voltage dropout

Table 32 HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes Power Specifications (1050 W V2 DC power supply)

Parameter	Specification
Input Connector	Molex 42820
Input Voltage Range (V rms)	-48
Maximum Allowable Input Voltage Range (V rms)	-40 to -72
Frequency Range (Hz)	NA
Maximum Allowable Frequency Range (Hz)	NA
Maximum Rated Output (W)	1050
Maximum Rated Standby Output (W)	36
Nominal Input Voltage (V rms)	-48
Nominal Input Current (A rms)	24
Maximum Input at Nominal Input Voltage (W)	1154
Maximum Input at Nominal Input Voltage (VA)	1154
Minimum Rated Efficiency (%) ¹	91
Minimum Rated Power Factor ¹	NA
Maximum Inrush Current (A peak)	15
Maximum Inrush Current (ms)	0.2
Minimum Ride-Through Time (ms) ²	5

Notes:

1. This is the minimum rating required to achieve 80 PLUS Platinum certification, see test reports published at <http://www.80plus.org/> for certified values
2. Time output voltage remains within regulation limits at 100% load, during input voltage dropout

Table 33 HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes 1600 W (AC) Power Supply Specifications

Parameter	Specification			
Input Connector	IEC320 C14			
Input Voltage Range (V rms)	200 to 240			
Maximum Allowable Input Voltage Range (V rms)	180 to 264			
Frequency Range (Hz)	50 to 60			
Maximum Allowable Frequency Range (Hz)	47 to 63			
Maximum Rated Output (W) ¹	1600			
Maximum Rated Standby Output (W)	36			
Nominal Input Voltage (V rms)	100	120	208	230
Nominal Input Current (A rms)	NA	NA	8.8	7.9
Maximum Input at Nominal Input Voltage (W)	NA	NA	1778	1758
Maximum Input at Nominal Input Voltage (VA)	NA	NA	1833	1813
Minimum Rated Efficiency (%) ²	NA	NA	90	91
Minimum Rated Power Factor ²	NA	NA	0.97	0.97
Maximum Inrush Current (A peak)	30			
Maximum Inrush Current (ms)	0.2			
Minimum Ride-Through Time (ms) ³	12			

Notes:

1. Maximum rated output is limited to 800W when operating at low-line input voltage (100-127V)
2. This is the minimum rating required to achieve 80 PLUS Platinum certification, see test reports published at <http://www.80plus.org/> for certified values
3. Time output voltage remains within regulation limits at 100% load, during input voltage dropout

Table 34 HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes 2300 W (AC) Power Supply Specifications

Parameter	Specification			
Input Connector	IEC320 C20			
Input Voltage Range (Vrms)	100 to 240			
Maximum Allowable Input Voltage Range (Vrms)	90 to 264			
Frequency Range (Hz)	50 to 60			
Maximum Allowable Frequency Range (Hz)	47 to 63			
Maximum Rated Output (W) ¹	2300			
Maximum Rated Standby Output (W)	36			
Nominal Input Voltage (Vrms)	100	120	208	230
Nominal Input Current (Arms)	13	11	12	10.8
Maximum Input at Nominal Input Voltage (W)	1338	1330	2490	2480
Maximum Input at Nominal Input Voltage (VA)	1351	1343	2515	2505
Minimum Rated Efficiency (%) ²	92	92	93	93
Minimum Rated Power Factor ²	0.99	0.99	0.97	0.97
Maximum Inrush Current (A peak)	30			
Maximum Inrush Current (ms)	0.2			
Minimum Ride-Through Time (ms) ³	12			

Notes:

1. Maximum rated output is limited to 1200W when operating at low-line input voltage (100-127V)
2. This is the minimum rating required to achieve 80 PLUS Titanium certification, see test reports published at <http://www.80plus.org/> for certified values
3. Time output voltage remains within regulation limits at 100% load, during input voltage dropout

For configuration-specific power specifications, use the Cisco UCS Power Calculator at this URL:

<http://ucspowercalc.cisco.com>

Environmental Specifications

The environmental specifications for the HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes are listed in [Table 35](#).

Table 35 HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes Environmental Specifications

Parameter	Minimum
Operating Temperature	<p>10° C to 35° C (50° F to 95° F) with no direct sunlight (if any A10, A100, or rear HDDs are installed, the 35° C (50° F) restriction changes to 30° C (86° F))</p> <p>Maximum allowable operating temperature derated 1° C/300 m (1° F/547 ft) above 950 m (3117 ft)</p>
Non-Operating Temperature	<p>Below -40° C or above 65° C (below -40° F or above 149° F)</p> <p>Maximum rate of change (operating and non-operating) 20° C/hr (36° F/hr)</p>
Extended Operating Temperature	<p>5° C to 40° C (41° F to 104° F) with no direct sunlight</p> <p>Maximum allowable operating temperature de-rated 1° C/175 m (1° F/319 ft) above 950 m (3117 ft)</p> <p>5° C to 45° C (41° F to 113° F) with no direct sunlight</p> <p>Maximum allowable operating temperature de-rated 1° C/125 m (1° F/228 ft) above 950 m (3117 ft)</p> <p>System performance may be impacted when operating in the extended operating temperature range.</p> <p>Operation above 40° C is limited to less than 1% of annual operating hours.</p> <p>Hardware configuration limits apply to extended operating temperature range.</p>
Operating Relative Humidity	8% to 90% and 24° C (75° F) maximum dew-point temperature, non-condensing environment
Non-Operating Relative Humidity	Below 5% or above 95% and 33° C (91° F) maximum dew-point temperature, non-condensing environment
Operating Altitude	0 m to 3050 m (10,000 ft)
Non-Operating Altitude	Below 0 m or above 12,000 m (39,370 ft)
Sound Power level, Measure A-weighted per ISO7779 LWAd (Bels) Operation at 73° F (23° C)	5.8
Sound Pressure level, Measure A-weighted per ISO7779 LpAm (dBA) Operation at 73° F (23° C)	43

Extended Operating Temperature Hardware Configuration Limits

Table 36 HX240 M6 Edge All Flash/Hybrid Server Nodes Extended Operating Temperature Hardware Configuration Limits

Platform ¹	ASHRAE A3 (5°C to 40°C) ²	ASHRAE A4 (5°C to 45°C) ³
Processors:	155W+	155W+ and 105W+ (4 or 6 Cores)
Memory:	LRDIMMs	LRDIMMs
Storage:	M.2 SATA SSDs	M.2 SATA SSDs HDDs or SSDs (Rear Bays)
Peripherals:	GPUs	GPUs VICs (Slots 1 and 4) NICs (Slots 1 and 4) HBAs (Slots 1 and 4)

Notes:

1. Two PSUs are required and PSU failure is not supported
2. Non-Cisco UCS qualified peripherals and/or peripherals that consume more than 25W are not supported
3. High power or maximum power fan control policy must be applied

Compliance Requirements

The regulatory compliance requirements for HX-Series servers are listed in [Table 37](#).

Table 37 UCS HX-Series Regulatory Compliance Requirements

Parameter	Description
Regulatory Compliance	Products should comply with CE Markings per directives 2014/30/EU and 2014/35/EU
Safety	UL 60950-1 Second Edition CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 60950-1 Second Edition EN 60950-1 Second Edition IEC 60950-1 Second Edition AS/NZS 60950-1 GB4943 2001
EMC - Emissions	47CFR Part 15 (CFR 47) Class A AS/NZS CISPR32 Class A CISPR32 Class A EN55032 Class A ICES003 Class A VCCI Class A EN61000-3-2 EN61000-3-3 KN32 Class A CNS13438 Class A
EMC - Immunity	EN55024 CISPR24 EN300386 KN35



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