



Lenovo System x3500 M5 Product Guide (withdrawn product)

The Lenovo System x3500 M5 server provides outstanding performance for your business-critical applications. Its energy-efficient design supports more cores, memory, and data capacity in a scalable Tower or 5U Rack package that is easy to service and manage. With more computing power per watt and the latest Intel Xeon E5-2600 v3 processors, you can reduce costs while maintaining speed and availability.

Suggested use: business-critical workloads, cloud computing, virtualization, virtual desktop, big data, analytics, SAP applications, database management, point of sale

Figure 1 shows the System x3500 M5.



Figure 1. The Lenovo System x3500 M5

Did you know?

The x3500 M5 offers a flexible, scalable design and simple upgrade path to 32 HDDs, with up to seven PCIe 3.0 slots and up to 1.5 TB of memory. The onboard Ethernet solution provides four standard integrated Gigabit Ethernet ports without occupying PCIe slots. Comprehensive systems management tools with the next-generation Integrated Management Module II make it easy to deploy, integrate, service, and manage.

Key features

A high-performance dual-socket tower server, the Lenovo System x3500 M5 can deliver the scalability, reliable performance, and optimized efficiency for your business-critical applications. Start with the basics and upgrade as your business changes without jeopardizing existing investments. Virtualizing the PC infrastructure into one server can provide access to a powerful server with abundant storage space, while significantly reducing IT costs.

Scalability and performance

The x3500 M5 offers the following features to boost performance, improve scalability, and reduce costs:

- Improves productivity by offering superior system performance with up to two processors (each with up to 18 cores), up to 45 MB of L3 cache, and up to 9.6 GT/s QPI interconnect links.
- Supports up to two processors, 36 cores, and 72 threads maximize the concurrent execution of multi-threaded applications.
- Intelligent and adaptive system performance with energy efficient Intel Turbo Boost Technology allows CPU cores to run at maximum speeds during peak workloads by temporarily going beyond processor thermal design power (TDP).
- Intel Hyper-Threading Technology boosts performance for multithreaded applications by enabling simultaneous multithreading within each processor core, up to two threads per core.
- Intel Virtualization Technology integrates hardware-level virtualization hooks that allow operating system vendors to better use the hardware for virtualization workloads.
- Intel Advanced Vector Extensions 2.0 (AVX 2.0) enable acceleration of enterprise-class workloads, including databases, and enterprise resource planning.
- Up to 2133 MHz memory speeds with two DIMMs per channel that are running at 2133 MHz to help maximize system performance.
- Up to 1.5 TB of memory capacity with 64 GB load-reduced DIMMs (LRDIMMs)
- The 12 Gbps SAS internal storage connectivity doubles the data transfer rate compared to 6 Gb SAS solutions to maximize performance of storage I/O-intensive applications.
- Up to 32 drive bays with internal backup and optical drive at the same time provide a flexible and scalable all-in-one platform to meet increasing demands.
- Flexible and scalable internal storage configurations provide for up to 122 TB of storage capacity.
- The use of solid-state drives (SSDs) instead of or along with traditional spinning hard disk drives (HDDs) can significantly improve I/O performance. An SSD can support up to 100 times more I/O operations per second (IOPS) than a typical HDD.
- The server has four integrated Gigabit Ethernet ports.
- The server offers up to seven PCI Express (PCIe) 3.0 I/O expansion slots.
- With Intel Integrated I/O Technology, the PCI Express 3.0 controller is integrated into the Intel Xeon processor E5 family. This integration helps to dramatically reduce I/O latency and increase overall system performance.
- Support for up to two NVIDIA Quadro graphics processing units (GPUs) to maximize computing power.

Availability and serviceability

The x3500 M5 provides the following features to simplify serviceability and increase system uptime:

- The server offers Chipkill, memory mirroring, and memory rank sparing for redundancy in the event of a non-correctable memory failure.
- Tool-less cover removal provides easy access to upgrades and serviceable parts, such as CPU, memory, and adapter cards.

- Offers hot-swap drives that support RAID redundancy for data protection and greater system uptime.
- Supports the ability to have redundant hot-swap power supplies and redundant hot-swap fans to provide availability for business-critical applications.
- The optional light path diagnostics panel and individual light path LEDs quickly lead the technician to failed (or failing) components. This feature simplifies servicing, speeds up problem resolution, and helps improve system availability.
- Proactive Platform Alerts (including PFA and SMART alerts): Processors, voltage regulators, memory, internal storage (SAS/SATA HDDs and SSDs), fans, power supplies, RAID controllers, and server ambient and sub-component temperatures. Alerts can be surfaced through the system IMM to managers such as Lenovo XClarity Administrator, VMware vCenter, and Microsoft System Center. These proactive alerts let you take appropriate actions in advance of possible failure, thereby increasing server uptime and application availability.
- SSDs offer significantly better reliability than traditional mechanical HDDs for greater uptime.
- Built-in Integrated Management Module II (IMM2.1) continuously monitors system parameters, triggers alerts, and performs recovery actions if there is a failure to minimize downtime.
- Built-in diagnostics by using Dynamic Systems Analysis (DSA) Preboot speeds up troubleshooting tasks to reduce service time.
- Three-year customer replaceable unit and onsite limited warranty; next business day 9x5. Optional service upgrades available.

Manageability and security

The following powerful systems management features simplify local and remote management of the x3500 M5:

- The server includes an IMM2.1 to monitor server availability and perform remote management.
- Integrated industry-standard Unified Extensible Firmware Interface (UEFI) enables improved setup, configuration, and updates and simplifies error handling.
- An integrated Trusted Platform Module (TPM) enables advanced cryptographic functionality such as digital signatures and remote attestation. TPM 2.0 supported with UEFI 2.21 or later.
- System x Trusted Platform Assurance, an exclusive set of System x security features and practices, establishes a foolproof security foundation for workloads by delivering firmware that is securely built, tested, digitally signed, and verified before running.
- The server offers enterprise-class data protection with optional self-encrypting drives and simple, centralized key management through IBM Security Key Lifecycle Management.
- Industry-standard AES NI support offers faster, stronger encryption.
- IBM Systems Director offers comprehensive systems management tools that help to increase uptime, reduce costs, and improve productivity through advanced server management capabilities.
- Intel Execute Disable Bit functionality can help prevent certain classes of malicious buffer overflow attacks when combined with a supporting operating system.
- Intel Trusted Execution Technology provides enhanced security through hardware-based resistance to malicious software attacks, which allows an application to run in its own isolated space that is protected from all other software running on a system.

Energy efficiency

The x3500 M5 offers the following energy-efficiency features to save energy, reduce operational costs, increase energy availability, and contribute to the green environment:

- Energy-efficient planar components help lower operational costs.
- High-efficiency power supplies with 80 PLUS Platinum and Titanium certifications. Energy Star 2.1

certified.

- Intel Intelligent Power Capability powers individual processor elements on and off as needed to reduce power draw.
- The Intel Xeon processor E5-2600 v3 product families offer significantly better performance over the previous generation while fitting into the same thermal design power (TDP) limits.
- Intel Intelligent Power Capability powers individual processor elements on and off as needed to reduce power draw.
- Low-voltage Intel Xeon processors draw less energy to satisfy demands of power and thermally constrained data centers and telecommunication environments.
- Low-voltage 1.2 V DDR4 memory DIMMs use up to 20% less energy compared to 1.35 V DDR3 DIMMs.
- SSDs use as much as 80% less power than traditional spinning 2.5-inch HDDs.
- The server uses hexagonal ventilation holes, which is a part of Calibrated Vectors Cooling™ technology. Hexagonal holes can be grouped more densely than round holes, which provides more efficient airflow through the system.
- IBM Systems Director Active Energy Manager™ provides advanced data center power notification and management to help achieve lower heat output and reduced cooling needs.

Locations of key components and connectors

The following figure shows the front of the server.

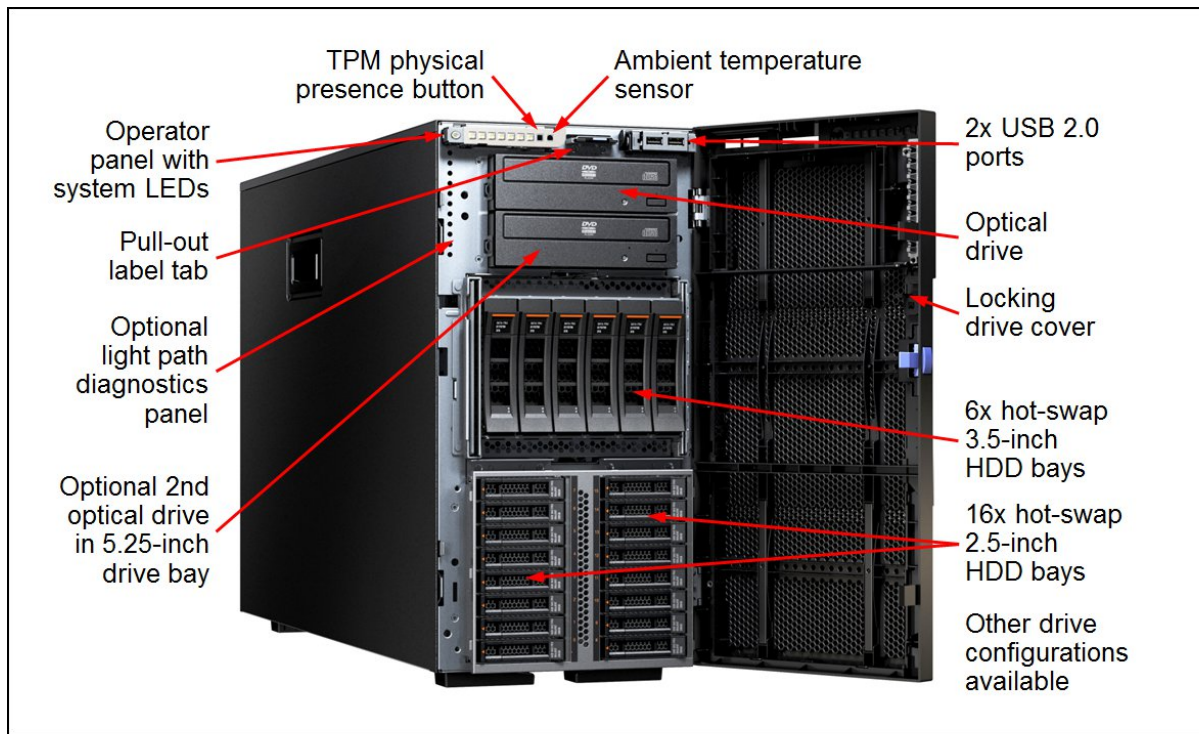


Figure 2. Front view of the System x3500 M5

The following figure shows the rear of the server.

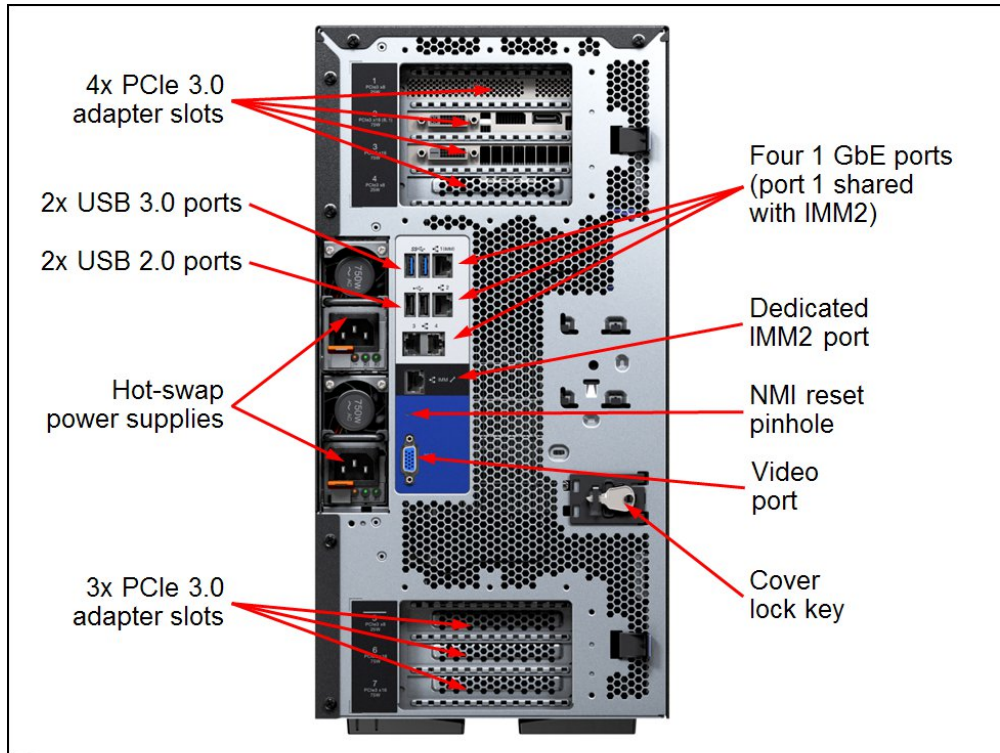


Figure 3. Rear view of the System x3500 M5

The following figure shows the locations of key components inside the server.

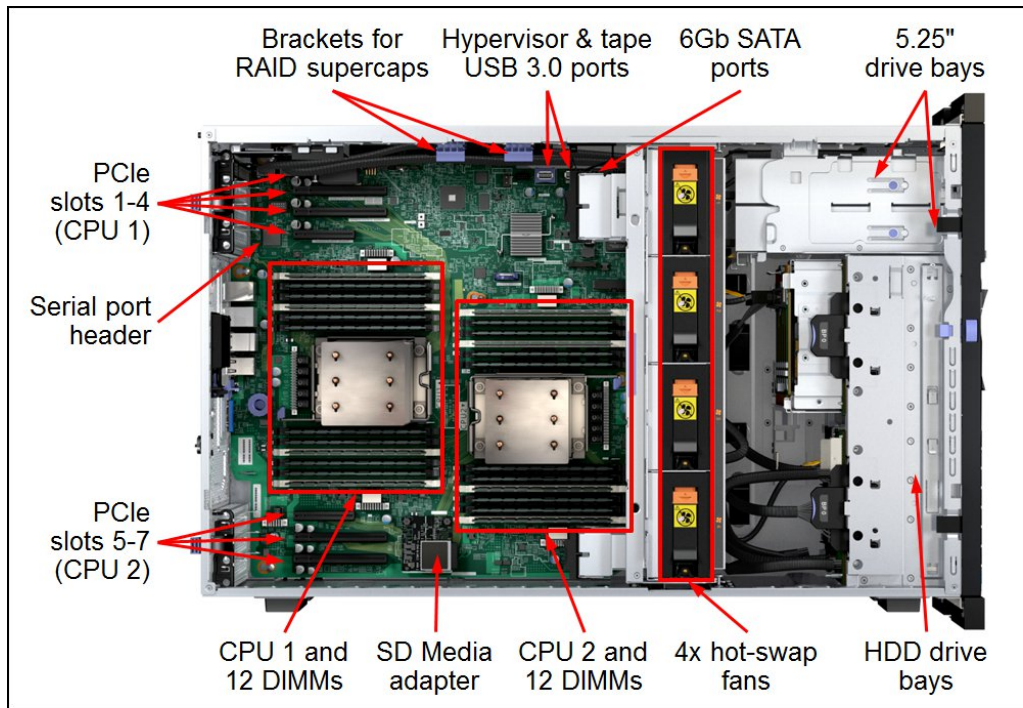


Figure 4. Inside view of the System x3500 M5

Standard specifications

The following table lists the standard specifications.

Table 1. Standard specifications

| Components | Specification |
|--------------------------|--|
| Machine type | 5464 |
| Form factor | Tower or 5U Rack. |
| Processor | Up to two Intel Xeon processor E5-2600 v3 product family CPUs with 18 cores (2.8 GHz core speeds), or 16 cores (2.3 GHz), or 14 cores (2.6 GHz), 12 cores (up to 2.6 GHz), 10 cores (2.3 GHz), 8 cores (up to 3.2 GHz), 6 cores (up to 3.4 GHz), 4 cores (up to 3.5 GHz) Two QPI links up to 9.6 GT/s each. Up to 2133 MHz memory speed. Up to 45 MB L3 cache. |
| Chipset | Intel C612. |
| Memory | Up to 24 DIMM sockets (12 DIMMs per processor). RDIMMs and LRDIMMs are supported. Memory types cannot be intermixed. Memory speed up to 2133 MHz. |
| Memory maximums | With RDIMMs: Up to 768 GB with 24x 32 GB RDIMMs and two processors With LRDIMMs: Up to 1.5 TB with 24x 64 GB LRDIMMs and two processors |
| Memory protection | ECC, Chipkill (for x4-based memory DIMMs), memory mirroring, and memory rank sparing |
| Disk drive bays | Available configurations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Up to 32x 2.5-inch hot-swap SAS/SATA HDDs Up to 12x 3.5-inch hot-swap SAS/SATA HDDs or SSDs Up to 6x 3.5-inch hot-swap HDDs + 16x 2.5-inch hot-swap drives HDDs/SSDs Up to 6x 3.5-inch simple-swap SATA HDDs Additional drive bays for the above configurations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two 5.25-inch drive bays for optical drives |
| Maximum internal storage | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 122.9 TB with 32x 3.84TB 2.5-inch SAS hot-swap SSDs 120 TB with 12x 10TB 3.5-inch NL SAS or NL SATA hot-swap HDDs 38.4 TB with 32x 1.2TB 2.5-inch SAS hot-swap HDDs 36 TB with 6x 6TB 3.5-inch NL SAS or NL SATA simple-swap HDDs Intermix of SAS and SATA is supported. |
| Storage controller | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Onboard 6 Gb SATA: no RAID support 12 Gb SAS/SATA RAID: RAID 0, 1, 10 with M1215 or M5210. Optional upgrade to RAID 5, 50 is available for M1215. Optional upgrade to RAID 5, 50 is available for M5210 (zero-cache; 1 GB non-backed cache; 1 GB, 2 GB or 4 GB flash-backed cache). Optional upgrade to RAID 6, 60 is available for M5210 with memory cache upgrades. 12 Gb SAS/SATA non-RAID: N2215 HBA |
| Optical drive bays | Two half-height 5.25-inch bays for optical or tape drives. Supports DVD-ROM or Multiburner. |
| Tape drive bays | Two half-height 5.25-inch bays for optical or tape drives. Support for one RDX internal USB tape drive. |
| Network interfaces | Four integrated Gigabit Ethernet 1000BASE-T ports (RJ-45) based on Broadcom BCM5719 controller |

| Components | Specification |
|-----------------------------|---|
| PCI Expansion slots | <p>Up to seven slots with two processors and four slots when one CPU is installed. All slots are PCIe 3.0 slots:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slot 1: PCIe 3.0 x8 (x8 wired); full-height, half-length • Slot 2: PCIe 3.0 x16 (x8 wired); full-height, full-length • Slot 3: PCIe 3.0 x16 (x16 wired); full-height, full-length • Slot 4: PCIe 3.0 x8 (x8 wired); full-height, full-length • Slot 5: PCIe 3.0 x8 (x8 wired); full-height, half-length (requires second processor) • Slot 6: PCIe 3.0 x16 (x16 wired); full-height, full-length (requires second processor) • Slot 7: PCIe 3.0 x16 (x16 wired) full-height, full-length (requires second processor) <p>Slots 3 and 6 support double-wide GPUs</p> |
| Ports | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Front: Two USB 2.0 ports • Rear: Four USB ports (two USB 2.0, two USB 3.0), one DB-15 video, one RJ-45 systems management, four RJ-45 GbE network ports, optional serial port. • Internal: Two internal USB 3.0 ports (for embedded hypervisor and internal tape drive). Optional SD Media Adapter. |
| Cooling | Calibrated Vectored Cooling with up to four hot-swap fans (two fans shipped standard on single processor models and four fans shipped on dual processor models). For single-processor models, optional Redundant Cooling Kit provides two extra fans for N+1 redundancy. |
| Power supply | Up to two redundant hot-swap 550 W, 750 W, 900 W or 1500 W High Efficiency Platinum AC power supplies, or 750 W High Efficiency Titanium AC power supplies. |
| Hot-swap parts | Hard drives, power supplies, and fans |
| Systems management | UEFI, IMM2.1 that is based on Renesas SH7758, Predictive Failure Analysis, light path diagnostics panel on the front of the server with optional upgrade kit, Automatic Server Restart, ToolsCenter, Systems Director and Active Energy Manager. Optional IMM Advanced Upgrade software feature for remote presence. |
| Security features | Power-on password, administrator's password, Trusted Platform Module (TPM) 1.2 or 2.0. TPM 2.0 requires UEFI 2.21 or later. Lockable front bezel. |
| Video | Matrox G200eR2 with 16 MB memory integrated into the IMM2.1. Maximum resolution is 1600x1200 at 75 Hz with 16 M colors. |
| Operating systems supported | Microsoft Windows Server, Red Hat Enterprise Linux, SUSE Linux Enterprise Server, VMware ESXi. See the Operating system support section for specifics. |
| Limited warranty | Three-year customer-replaceable unit and onsite limited warranty with 9x5/NBD. |
| Service and support | Optional service upgrades are available through Lenovo: 4-hour or 2-hour response time, 8-hour fix time, 1-year or 2-year warranty extension, remote technical support for Lenovo hardware and selected Lenovo and third-party (Microsoft, Linux, VMware) software. |
| Dimensions | Tower: Width: 218 mm (8.6 in), depth: 720 mm (28.3 in), height: 440 mm (17.25 in). With rack conversion kit: Width: 423 mm (16.6 in), depth: 706 mm (27.8 in), height: 218 mm (8.6 in) |
| Weight | Tower: 45.5 kg (100.3 lb) fully configured, 30.8 kg (67.9 lb) minimum configuration With rack conversion kit: 44.2 kg (97.4 lb) fully configured, 29.5 kg (65 lb) minimum configuration |

The x3500 M5 servers are shipped with the following items:

- Statement of Limited Warranty
- Important Notices
- Registration flyer
- One 2.8 m C13 line cord (country-specific)

Notes:

- Rack models include a rail kit but do not include a cable management arm. Order the CMA separately by using part number 00KC334.
- EMEA models do not contain line cord. It must be purchased separately.

Standard models

The following table lists the standard models.

Table 2. Standard models

| MTM* | Intel Xeon processors† (two maximum) | Memory | RAID | Drive bays (std / max) | Drives | Slots (std / max) | GbE | Optical | Power supply (std / max) |
|---------------------|--|----------|--------------------|---------------------------|--------|----------------------|-----|---------|--------------------------|
| Tower models | | | | | | | | | |
| 5464-A2x | 1x E5-2603 v3 6C 1.6GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | 1x 8 GB | M1215 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | 4 | DVD | 1x 550 W HS / 2 |
| 5464-B2x | 1x E5-2609 v3 6C 1.9GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | 1x 8 GB | M1215 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | 4 | DVD | 1x 550 W HS / 2 |
| 5464-C2x | 1x E5-2620 v3 6C 2.4GHz 15MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 16 GB | M1215 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | 4 | DVD | 1x 550 W HS / 2 |
| 5464-C4x | 1x E5-2620 v3 6C 2.4GHz 15MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 16 GB | M1215 | 6x 3.5-inch HS / 12 | Open | 4 / 7 | 4 | DVD | 1x 550 W HS / 2 |
| 5464-D2x | 1x E5-2630 v3 8C 2.4GHz 20MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 16 GB | M1215 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | 4 | DVD | 1x 550 W HS / 2 |
| 5464-G2x | 1x E5-2650 v3 10C 2.3GHz 25MB 2133MHz 105W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 1GB Flash | 8x 2.-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | 4 | DVD | 1x 750 W HS / 2 |
| 5464-H2x | 1x E5-2670 v3 12C 2.3GHz 30MB 2133MHz 120W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 2GB Flash | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | 4 | DVD | 1x 900 W HS / 2 |
| 5464-J2x | 1x E5-2680 v3 12C 2.5GHz 30MB 2133MHz 120W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 2GB Flash | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | 4 | DVD | 1x 900 W HS / 2 |
| Rack models | | | | | | | | | |
| 5464-C3x | 1x E5-2620 v3 6C 2.4GHz 15MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 16 GB | M1215 | 6x 3.5-inch HS / 12 | Open | 4 / 7 | 4 | DVD | 1x 550 W HS / 2 |
| 5464-G3x | 1x E5-2650 v3 10C 2.3GHz 25MB 2133MHz 105W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 1GB Flash | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | 4 | DVD | 1x 750 W HS / 2 |

* x in the Machine Type Model (MTM) represents a region-specific letter (for example, the EMEA MTM is 7983-A5G, and the US MTM is 7383-A5U). Ask a Lenovo representative for specific information.

† Processor detail: Processor quantity and model, cores, core speed, L3 cache, memory speed, TDP.

Refer to the Specifications section for information about standard features of the server.

TopSeller and Express models

The following table lists the express models.

Table 3. Express models

| MTM** Form factor | Intel Xeon processors† (two maximum) | Memory | RAID | Drive bays (sth / max) | Drives | Slots (sth / max) | Optical | Power supply (2 max) |
|-------------------------------------|--|----------|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|
| United States and Canada | | | | | | | | |
| 5464-EAU Tower | 1x E5-2609 v3 6C 1.9GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | 1x 8 GB | M1215 | 6x 3.5-inch HS / 12 | Open | 4 / 7 | Multi- burner | 1x 550W |
| 5464-EBU Tower | 1x E5-2620 v3 6C 2.4GHz 15MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 | 6x 3.5-inch HS / 12 | Open | 4 / 7 | Multi- burner | 1x 750W |
| 5464-ECU Tower | 1x E5-2640 v3 8C 2.6GHz 20MB 1866MHz 90W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Multi- burner | 1x 750W |
| 5464-EDU Tower | 2x E5-2609 v3 6C 1.9GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | 2x 16 GB | M5210 2GB Flash | 6x 3.5-inch HS / 12 | Open | 4 / 7 | Multi- burner | 2x 550W |
| 5464-EEU Tower | 2x E5-2640 v3 8C 2.6GHz 20MB 1866MHz 90W | 2x 16 GB | M5210 2GB Flash | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Multi- burner | 2x 750W |
| Europe, Middle East & Africa (EMEA) | | | | | | | | |
| 5464-E1G Tower | 1x E5-2603 v3 6C 1.6GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | 1x 4 GB | M1215 + RAID 5/50 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Multi- burner | 1x 550W |
| 5464-E2G Tower | 1x E5-2609 v3 6C 1.9GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | 1x 8 GB | M1215 + RAID 5/50 | 6x 3.5-inch HS / 12 | Open | 4 / 7 | Multi- burner | 1x 550W |
| 5464-E3G Tower | 1x E5-2620 v3 6C 2.4GHz 15MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 8 GB | M5210 1GB No backup | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Multi- burner | 2x 550W |
| 5464-E4G Tower | 1x E5-2620 v3 6C 2.4GHz 15MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 8 GB | M5210 1GB Flash | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | 3x 300GB 10K SAS | 4 / 7 | Multi- burner | 2x 750W |
| 5464-E5G Tower | 1x E5-2640 v3 8C 2.6GHz 20MB 1866MHz 90W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 2GB Flash | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Multi- burner | 2x 750W |
| Latin America & Brazil | | | | | | | | |
| 5464-EFx Tower | 1x E5-2609 v3 6C 1.9GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | 1x 8 GB | M5210 1GB Flash+Cap | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | DVD | 1x 550W |
| 5464-EGx Tower | 1x E5-2620 v3 6C 2.4GHz 15MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 1GB Flash | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | DVD | 1x 550W |
| 5464-EHx Tower | 1x E5-2650 v3 10C 2.3GHz 25MB 2133MHz 105W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 1GB Flash | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | DVD | 1x 750W |
| Japan | | | | | | | | |
| 5464-E6J Tower | 1x E5-2603 v3 6C 1.6GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | 1x 8 GB | M5210 1GB Flash | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | DVD | 1x 550W |
| 5464-E7J Tower | 1x E5-2609 v3 6C 1.9GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | 1x 8 GB | M5210 1GB Flash | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | DVD | 1x 550W |
| Australia & New Zealand | | | | | | | | |
| 5464-EIM Tower | 1x E5-2609 v3 6C 1.9GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | 1x 8 GB | M1215 + RAID 5/50 | 6x 3.5-inch HS / 12 | Open | 4 / 7 | Multi- burner | 1x 550W |
| 5464-EJM Tower | 1x E5-2609 v3 6C 1.9GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | 1x 8 GB | M1215 + RAID 5/50 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Multi- burner | 1x 550W |
| 5464-EKM Tower | 1x E5-2620 v3 6C 2.4GHz 15MB 1866MHz 85W | 2x 8 GB | M5210 1GB Flash+Cap | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Multi- burner | 1x 550W |
| 5464-ELM Tower | 1x E5-2640 v3 8C 2.6GHz 20MB 1866MHz 90W | 2x 8 GB | M5210 1GB Flash+Cap | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Multi- burner | 1x 750W |

** MTM = Machine Type Model

† Processor detail: Processor quantity and model, number of cores, core speed, L3 cache, memory speed, TDP.

Table 4. TopSeller Models

| MTM** Form factor | Intel Xeon processors† (two maximum) | Memory | RAID | Drive bays (std / max) | Drives | Slots (std / max) | Optical | Power supply (2 max) |
|--|---|----------|--------------------|---------------------------|--------|-------------------------|------------------|----------------------------|
| United States and Canada | | | | | | | | |
| 5464-NAY Tower | 1x E5-2603 v3 6C 1.6GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | 1x 8 GB | M1215 | 6x 3.5-inch HS / 12 | Open | 4 / 7 | Open | 1x 550W |
| 5464-NBY Tower | 1x E5-2609 v3 6C 1.9GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | 1x 8 GB | M1215 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Open | 1x 550W |
| 5464-NCY Tower | 1x E5-2620 v3 6C 2.4GHz 15MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 16 GB | M1215 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Open | 1x 550W |
| 5464-NDY Tower | 1x E5-2630 v3 8C 2.4GHz 20MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Open | 1x 550W |
| 5464-NEY Tower | 1x E5-2630 v3 8C 2.4GHz 20MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 | 6x 3.5-inch HS / 12 | Open | 4 / 7 | Open | 1x 550W |
| 5464-NFY Tower | 1x E5-2650 v3 10C 2.3GHz 25MB 2133MHz 105W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Open | 1x 750W |
| Europe, Middle East, and Africa (EMEA) | | | | | | | | |
| 5464-K1G Tower | 1x E5-2620 v3 6C 2.4GHz 15MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 2GB Flash | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Multi- burner | 1x 550W |
| 5464-K2G Tower | 1x E5-2603 v3 6C 1.6GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | 1x 8 GB | M1215 + RAID 5 | 6x 3.5-inch HS / 12 | Open | 4 / 7 | Open | 1x 550W |
| 5464-K3G Tower | 1x E5-2603 v3 6C 1.6GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | 1x 8 GB | M5210 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Open | 1x 550W |
| 5464-K4G Tower | 1x E5-2620 v3 6C 2.4GHz 15MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Open | 1x 550W |
| 5464-K5G Tower | 1x E5-2630 v3 8C 2.4GHz 20MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Open | 1x 750W |
| 5464-K6G Tower | 1x E5-2640 v3 8C 2.6GHz 20MB 1866MHz 90W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Open | 1x 750W |
| 5464-K7G Tower | 1x E5-2620 v3 6C 2.4GHz 15MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 | 6x 3.5-inch HS / 12 | Open | 4 / 7 | Open | 1x 750W |
| 5464-K8G Tower | 1x E5-2620 v3 6C 2.4GHz 15MB 1866MHz 85W | 1x 16 GB | M5210 | 8x 2.5-inch HS / 32 | Open | 4 / 7 | Open | 1x 750W |

Processor options

The x3500 M5 supports the processor options that are listed in the following table. The server supports up to two processors. This table shows which server models feature each processor as standard. If there is no corresponding *where-used* model for a particular processor, this processor is available through CTO only.

Table 5. Processor options

| Part number | Feature codes* | Description | Standard models where used |
|-------------|----------------|--|----------------------------|
| 81Y7113 | A5C8 / A5MP | Intel Xeon E5-2603 v3 6C 1.6GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | A2x |
| 00MW030 | ASU2 / ASUD | Intel Xeon E5-2608L v3 6C 2.0GHz 15MB 1866MHz 52W | - |
| 81Y7114 | A5C9 / A5MQ | Intel Xeon E5-2609 v3 6C 1.9GHz 15MB 1600MHz 85W | B2x |
| 00MW031 | ASU3 / ASUE | Intel Xeon E5-2618L v3 8C 2.3GHz 20MB 1866MHz 75W | - |
| 81Y7115 | A5CA / A5MR | Intel Xeon E5-2620 v3 6C 2.4GHz 15MB 1866MHz 85W | C2x, C3x, C4x |
| 00MU332 | ASLW / ASLZ | Intel Xeon E5-2623 v3 4C 3.0GHz 10MB 1866MHz 105W | - |
| 00MW032 | ASU4 / ASUF | Intel Xeon E5-2628L v3 10C 2.0GHz 25MB 1866MHz 75W | - |
| 81Y7116 | A5CB / A5MS | Intel Xeon E5-2630 v3 8C 2.4GHz 20MB 1866MHz 85W | D2x |
| 00KG052 | ARZK / ARZL | Intel Xeon E5-2630L v3 8C 1.8GHz 20MB 1866MHz 55W | - |
| 00MW028 | ASU0 / ASUB | Intel Xeon E5-2637 v3 4C 3.5GHz 15MB 2133MHz 135W | - |
| 81Y7117 | A5CC / A5MT | Intel Xeon E5-2640 v3 8C 2.6GHz 20MB 1866MHz 90W | - |
| 00MW029 | ASU1 / ASUC | Intel Xeon E5-2643 v3 6C 3.4GHz 20MB 2133MHz 135W | - |
| 00MW033 | ASU5 / ASUG | Intel Xeon E5-2648L v3 12C 1.8GHz 30MB 2133MHz 75W | - |
| 81Y7118 | A5CD / A5MU | Intel Xeon E5-2650 v3 10C 2.3GHz 25MB 2133MHz 105W | G2x, G3x |
| 81Y7121 | A5CG / A5MX | Intel Xeon E5-2650L v3 12C 1.8GHz 30MB 2133MHz 65W | - |
| 00MW034 | ASU6 / ASUH | Intel Xeon E5-2658 v3 12C 2.2GHz 30MB 2133MHz 105W | - |
| 00MU330 | ASLU / ASLX | Intel Xeon E5-2660 v3 12C 2.3GHz 30MB 2133MHz 105W | - |
| 00MU331 | ASLV / ASLY | Intel Xeon E5-2667 v3 8C 3.2GHz 20MB 2133MHz 135W | - |
| 81Y7119 | A5CE / A5MV | Intel Xeon E5-2670 v3 12C 2.3GHz 30MB 2133MHz 120W | H2x |
| 81Y7120 | A5CF / A5MW | Intel Xeon E5-2680 v3 12C 2.5GHz 30MB 2133MHz 120W | J2x |
| 00MW026 | ASTY / ASU9 | Intel Xeon E5-2683 v3 14C 2.0GHz 35MB 2133MHz 120W | - |
| 00MW027 | ASTZ / ASUA | Intel Xeon E5-2685 v3 12C 2.6GHz 30MB 2133MHz 120W | - |
| 00KG038 | ARYU / ARYX | Intel Xeon E5-2690 v3 12C 2.6GHz 30MB 2133MHz 135W | - |
| 00MW025 | ASTX / ASU8 | Intel Xeon E5-2695 v3 14C 2.3GHz 35MB 2133MHz 120W | - |
| 00KG039 | ARYV / ARYY | Intel Xeon E5-2697 v3 14C 2.6GHz 35MB 2133MHz 145W | - |
| 00MW024 | ASTW / ASU7 | Intel Xeon E5-2698 v3 16C 2.3GHz 40MB 2133MHz 135W | - |
| 00KG040 | ARYW / ARYZ | Intel Xeon E5-2699 v3 18C 2.8GHz 45MB 2133MHz 145W | - |

* The first feature code is for the first processor; the second feature code is for the second processor.

Memory options

The System x3500 M5 supports TruDDR4 memory. TruDDR Memory uses the highest quality components that are sourced from Tier 1 DRAM suppliers and only memory that meets our strict requirements is selected. It is compatibility tested and tuned on every System x server to maximize performance and reliability. TruDDR4 Memory has a unique signature programmed into the DIMM that enables System x

servers to verify whether the installed memory is qualified or supported. Because TruDDR4 Memory is authenticated, certain extended memory performance features can be enabled to extend performance over industry standards. From a service and support standpoint, System x memory automatically assumes the system's warranty, and service and support provided worldwide.

The following table lists the available memory options for the x3500 M5 server.

Table 6. Memory options

| Part number | Feature code | Description | Maximum supported | Standard models where used |
|---------------------------|--------------|---|-------------------|----------------------------|
| RDIMMs - 2133 MHz | | | | |
| 46W0784 | A5B6 | 4GB TruDDR4 Memory (1Rx8, 1.2V) PC4-17000 CL15 2133MHz LP RDIMM | 24 (12 per CPU) | - |
| 46W0788 | A5B5 | 8GB TruDDR4 Memory (1Rx4, 1.2V) PC4-17000 CL15 2133MHz LP RDIMM | 24 (12 per CPU) | A2x, B2x |
| 46W0792 | A5B8 | 8GB TruDDR4 Memory (2Rx8, 1.2V) PC4-17000 CL15 2133MHz LP RDIMM | 24 (12 per CPU) | - |
| 46W0796 | A5B7 | 16GB TruDDR4 Memory (2Rx4, 1.2V) PC4-17000 CL15 2133MHz LP RDIMM | 24 (12 per CPU) | All other models |
| 95Y4808 | A5UJ | 32GB TruDDR4 Memory (2Rx4, 1.2V) PC4-17000 CL15 2133MHz LP RDIMM | 24 (12 per CPU) | - |
| LRDIMMs - 2133 MHz | | | | |
| 46W0800* | A5B9 | 32GB TruDDR4 Memory (4Rx4, 1.2V) PC417000 CL15 2133MHz LP LRDIMM | 24 (12 per CPU) | - |
| 95Y4812 | A5UK | 64GB TruDDR4 Memory (4Rx4, 1.2V) PC4-17000 CL15 2133MHz LP LRDIMM | 24 (12 per CPU) | - |

* Withdrawn from marketing

The server supports up to 12 DIMMs when one processor is installed and up to 24 DIMMs when two processors are installed. Each processor has four memory channels; there are three DIMMs per channel.

The following rules apply when the memory configuration is selected:

- The server supports RDIMMs and LRDIMMs.
- Mixing types of memory (RDIMMs and LRDIMMs) is not supported.
- The maximum quantity of DIMMs that can be installed in the server depends on the number of processors.
- All DIMMs in the server operate at the same speed, which is determined as the lowest value of the following factors:
 - Memory speed that is supported by the specific processor.
 - Lowest of maximum operating speeds for selected memory configuration that depends on quantity of DIMMs per channel, as shown under "Maximum operating speed" section in the following table.

The following memory protection technologies are supported:

- ECC
- Chipkill (for x4-based memory DIMMs)
- Memory mirroring
- Memory rank sparing

Chipkill works only in independent channel mode (the default is operational mode) and supports only x4-based memory DIMMs.

If memory mirroring is used, DIMMs must be installed in pairs (a minimum of one pair per each processor). Both DIMMs in a pair must be identical in type and size.

If memory rank sparing is used, a minimum of one quad-rank LRDIMM or two single-rank or dual-rank RDIMMs must be installed per populated channel (the DIMMs do not need to be identical). In rank sparing mode, one rank of a DIMM in each populated channel is reserved as spare memory. The size of a rank varies, depending on the DIMMs installed.

Chipkill, memory mirroring, and memory rank sparing modes are mutually exclusive. Only one operational memory mode can be enabled on a server, and it is a system-wide setting.

The following table shows the characteristics of the supported DIMMs. Tables cells that are highlighted with a gray background indicate when the number of DIMMs per channel still allows the DIMMs to operate at a rated speed.

Table 7. Maximum memory speeds

| DIMM specification | RDIMM | | | LRDIMM |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| | Single rank | Dual rank | | Quad rank |
| Part numbers | 46W0784 (4 GB) 46W0788 (8 GB) | 46W0792 (8 GB) | 46W0796 (16 GB) 95Y4808 (32 GB) | 46W0800 (32 GB) 95Y4812 (64 GB) |
| Rated speed | 2133 MHz | 2133 MHz | 2133 MHz | 2133 MHz |
| Rated voltage | 1.2 V | 1.2 V | 1.2 V | 1.2 V |
| Maximum quantity supported* | 24 | 24 | 24 | 24 |
| Maximum DIMM capacity | 8 GB | 8 GB | 16 GB | 64 GB |
| Maximum memory capacity | 192 GB | 192 GB | 384 GB | 1.5 TB |
| Maximum memory at rated speed | 64 GB | 64 GB | 256 GB | 512 GB |
| Maximum operating speed | | | | |
| 1 DIMM per channel | 2133 MHz | 2133 MHz | 2133 MHz | 2133 MHz |
| 2 DIMMs per channel | 2133 MHz | 2133 MHz | 2133 MHz | 2133 MHz |
| 3 DIMMs per channel | 1600 MHz | 1600 MHz | 1600 MHz | 1866 MHz |

* The maximum quantity that is supported is shown for two processors installed.

Internal storage

The internal drive bays of the x3500 M5 are shown in the following figure.

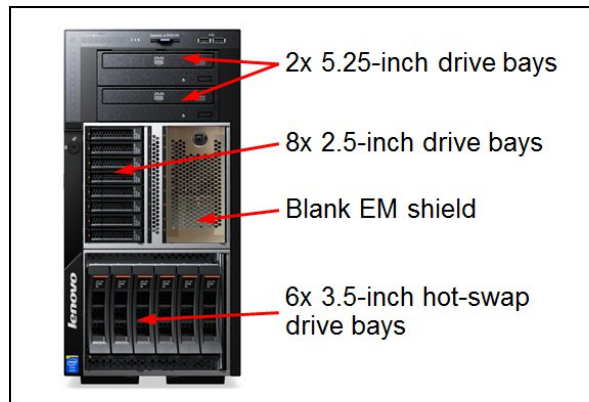


Figure 5. Internal drive bays

The System x3500 M5 server supports the following internal storage configurations:

- Configurations with 2.5-inch hot-swap drives:
 - 8x 2.5-inch hot-swap drives (1 RAID adapter)
 - 16x 2.5-inch hot-swap drives (1 RAID adapter)
 - 16x 2.5-inch hot-swap drives (2 RAID adapters)
 - 24x 2.5-inch hot-swap drives (1 RAID adapter)
 - 24x 2.5-inch hot-swap drives (2 RAID adapters)
 - 32x 2.5-inch hot-swap drives (1 RAID adapter)
 - 32x 2.5-inch hot-swap drives (2 RAID adapters)
- Configurations with 3.5-inch hot-swap drives:
 - 6x 3.5-inch hot-swap hard disk drives (1 RAID adapter)
 - 12x 3.5-inch hot-swap hard disk drives (2 RAID adapters)
- Configurations with 2.5-inch and 3.5-inch hot-swap drives: 6x 3.5-inch hot-swap hard disk drives + 16x 2.5-inch hot-swap drives (2 RAID adapters)
- Configurations with 3.5-inch simple-swap drives:
 - 6x 3.5-inch simple-swap hard disk drives (6 Gb SATA onboard connectors)
 - 6x 3.5-inch simple-swap hard disk drives (1 adapter)

Note: A configuration of 12 simple-swap drives is not supported.

The following drive type mixing rules apply:

- Hot-swap SATA HDDs and hot-swap SAS HDDs can be intermixed on the same backplane , but cannot be intermixed in the same RAID array.
- Hot-swap SATA HDDs and hot-swap SAS HDDs can be intermixed with SSDs on the same backplane, but SAS nor SATA HDDs can be configured with SSDs within the same RAID array.

Backplanes

The following table lists the available backplanes for the x3500 M5. Standard models ship with one 8x 2.5-inch hot-swap backplane or one 6x 3.5-inch hot-swap backplane, as listed.

Table 8. Internal storage backplane (configure to order)

| Feature code | Name | Models where used | Maximum supported |
|--------------|---|---------------------------|-------------------|
| A5D4 | System x3500 M5 2.5-inch Hot Swap SAS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8x 2.5-inch hot-swap drives • Connect to 1 adapter (2 ports) or 2 adapters (1 port each) • Supported by M5210, M1215, or N2215 | All other standard models | 2 |
| A5N5 | System x3500 M5 2.5-inch Hot Swap SAS 8-16: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8x 2.5-inch hot-swap drives • Includes a SAS expander • Connects to backplane A5D4 to support up to 16 drives per port • Supported by M5210, M1215, or N2215 | - | 2 |
| A5D5 | System x3500 M5 3.5-inch Hot Swap SAS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6x 3.5-inch hot-swap drives • Supported by M5210, M1215, or N2215 | C3x, C4x | 2 |
| A5UM | System x3500 M5 3.5-inch Simple Swap: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6x 3.5-inch simple-swap drives • Connections to onboard SATA ports | - | 1 |
| A5D2 | System x3500 M5 3.5-inch Simple Swap: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6x 3.5-inch simple-swap drives • Connections to RAID controller | - | 1 |

The following table list the available hot-swap drive bay upgrades.

Table 9. Drive bay upgrade options

| Option part number | Name |
|--------------------|--|
| 00AL540 | 8x 2.5-inch Hot-Swap SAS/SATA Upgrade Kit for 16 or 24 HDDs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For existing configurations with 8x or 16x 2.5-inch bays • Adds 8x 2.5-inch hot-swap drives • Backplane Includes a SAS expander • Same backplane as feature A5N5 |
| 00AL541 | 8x 2.5-inch Hot-Swap SAS/SATA Upgrade Kit for 32 HDDs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For existing configurations with 24x 2.5-inch bays • Adds 8x 2.5-inch hot-swap drives • Same backplane as feature A5D4 |
| 00AL542 | 6x 3.5-inch Hot-Swap SAS/SATA Upgrade Kit for 12 HDDs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For existing configurations with 6x 3.5-inch drives • Adds 6x 3.5-inch hot-swap drives • Same backplane as feature A5D5 |
| 00AL543 | 6x 3.5-inch Hot-Swap SAS/SATA Upgrade Kit for 22 HDDs (Intermix): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For existing configurations with 16x 2.5-inch drives • Adds 6x 3.5-inch hot-swap drives • Same backplane as feature A5D5 |
| 00AL544 | 8x 2.5-inch Hot-Swap SAS/SATA Upgrade Kit for 14 HDDs (Intermix): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For existing configurations with 6x 3.5-inch drives • Adds 8x 2.5-inch hot-swap drives • Same backplane as feature A5D4 |
| 00KG037 | 8x 2.5-inch Hot-Swap SAS/SATA Upgrade Kit for 22 HDDs (Intermix): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For existing configurations with 6x 3.5-inch and 8x 2.5-inch drives • Adds 8x 2.5-inch hot-swap drives • Same backplane as feature A5N5 |
| 00AL539 | SAS cable option for Dual RAID array (RAID adapter not included): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For configurations with two RAID cards • Only needed when upgrading from 8x 2.5-inch drives to 16, 24 or 32 drives, as shown in Figure 7 below. • Connects second adapter to backplane |

Drive bay configurations

The following figure shows how models with eight 2.5-inch drive bays can be upgraded to a total of 32 drive bays. In such configurations, all drives are connected to one RAID controller. Supported adapters are the ServeRAID M5210, ServeRAID M1215, and N2215 host bus adapter.

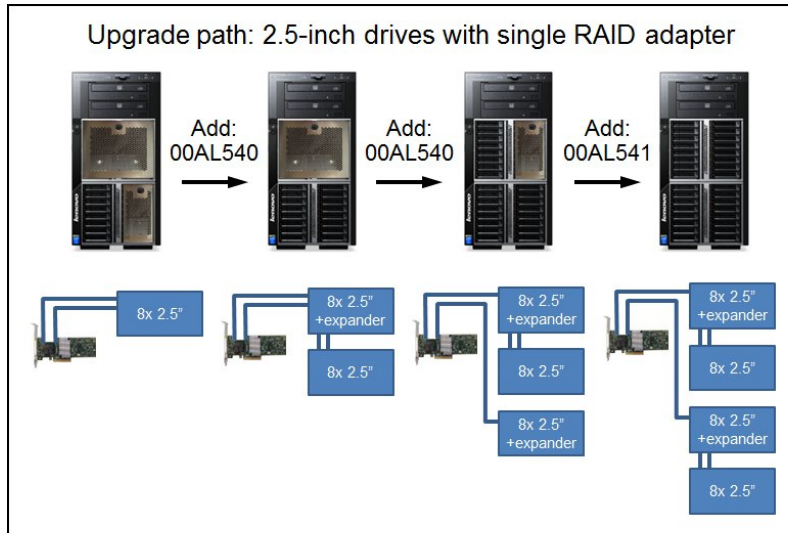


Figure 6. Configurations of 2.5-inch drives with one RAID adapter

The following figure shows how models with eight 2.5-inch drive bays can be upgraded to a total of 32 drive bays that use two RAID controller for added performance. Supported adapters are the ServeRAID M5210, ServeRAID M1215, and N2215 host bus adapter.

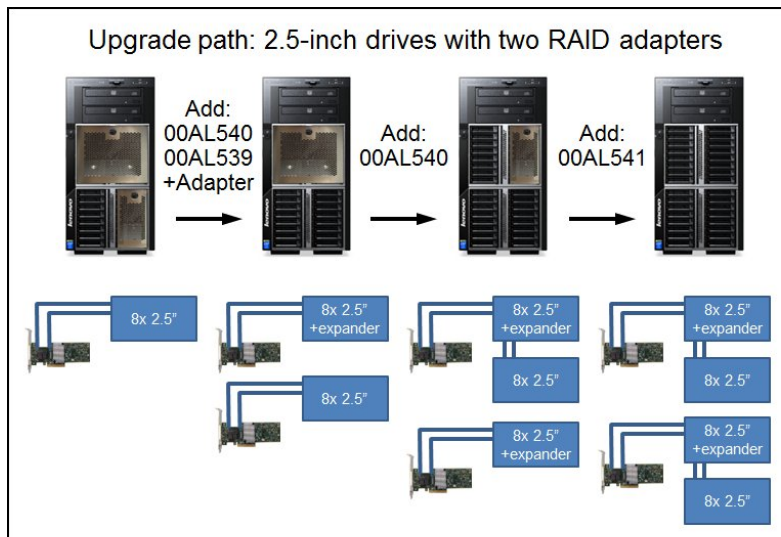


Figure 7. Configurations of 2.5-inch drives with two RAID adapters

The following figure shows how models with six 3.5-inch hot-swap drive bays can be upgraded to 12 drive bays. Such a configuration requires two RAID controllers. Supported adapters are the ServeRAID M5210, ServeRAID M1215, and N2215 host bus adapter.

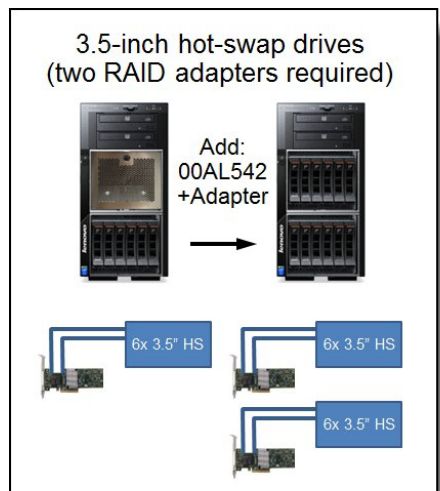


Figure 8. Configurations of 3.5-inch drives

For configure-to-order configurations, the server also supports simple-swap 3.5-inch drives. The simple-swap drives can be connected to the 6 Gb SATA ports on the system board of the server or to a RAID controller. Only six 3.5-inch drives are supported; a configuration of 12 simple-swap drives is not supported.

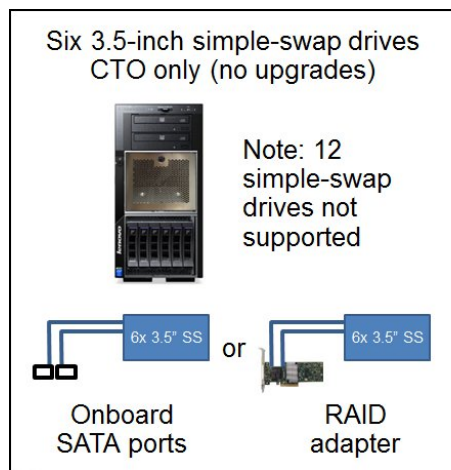


Figure 9. Simple-swap 3.5-inch drives

The server also supports combinations of 2.5-inch drive bays (up to 16) and 3.5-inch drive bays (6 bays). The upgrade path from models with 2.5-inch drives is shown in the following figure. The 3.5-inch drives must be connected to a separate RAID adapter.

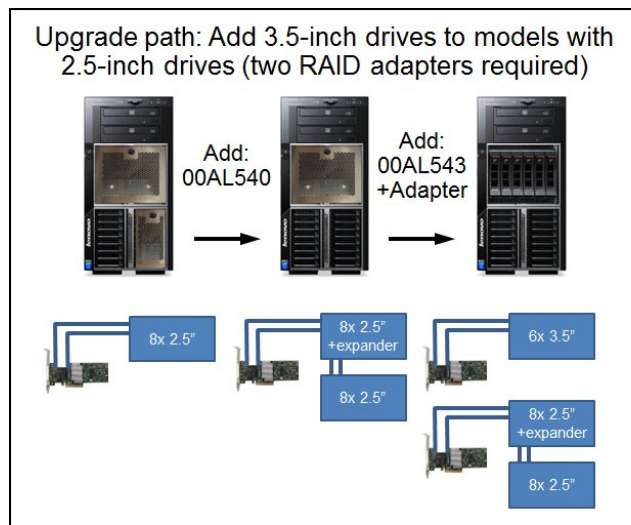


Figure 10. Combinations of 2.5-inch and 3.5-inch drive bays from a 2.5-inch base

The following figure shows the upgrade path from models with 3.5-inch drives.

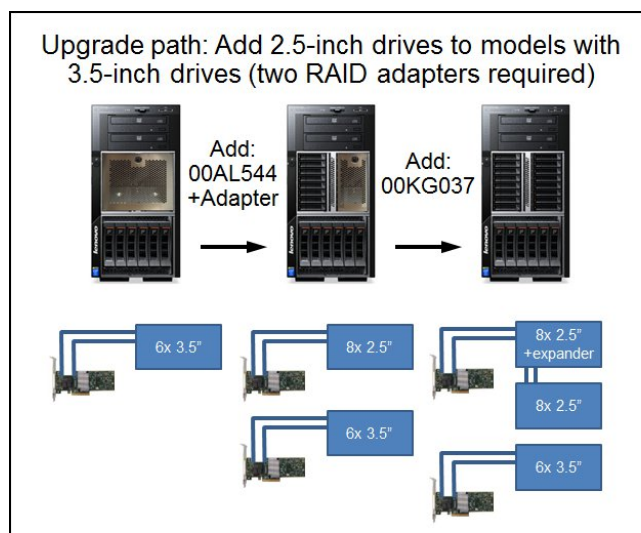


Figure 11. Combinations of 2.5-inch and 3.5-inch drive bays from a 3.5-inch base

Controllers for internal storage

The following table lists the RAID controllers and additional options that are used for internal disk storage of the x3500 M5 server. The maximum supported column indicates which slots each adapter is supported in. For slot locations see the [I/O expansion options](#) section.

Table 10. RAID controllers and HBAs for internal storage

| Part number | Feature code | Description | Maximum supported (slot #) | Standard models where used |
|--|--------------|--|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| 12 Gb Controllers | | | | |
| 46C9114 | A45W | ServeRAID M1215 SAS/SATA Controller | 2 (1, 2) | A2x, B2x, C2x, C3x, C4x, D2x |
| 46C9110 | A3YZ | ServeRAID M5210 SAS/SATA Controller | 2 (1, 2) | G2x, G3x, H2x, J2x |
| 47C8675 | A3YY | N2215 SAS/SATA HBA | 2 (1, 2) | - |
| Hardware upgrades for the M5210 | | | | |
| 47C8656 | A3Z0 | ServeRAID M5200 Series 1GB Cache/RAID 5 Upgrade | 2 | - |
| 47C8660 | A3Z1 | ServeRAID M5200 Series 1GB Flash/RAID 5 Upgrade | 2 | G2x, G3x |
| 47C8664 | A3Z2 | ServeRAID M5200 Series 2GB Flash/RAID 5 Upgrade | 2 | H2x, J2x |
| 47C8668 | A3Z3 | ServeRAID M5200 Series 4GB Flash/RAID 5 Upgrade | 2 | - |
| Feature on Demand upgrades for the M1215† | | | | |
| 00AE930 | A5H5 | ServeRAID M1200 Zero Cache/RAID 5 Upgrade | 1† | - |
| Feature on Demand upgrades for the M5210† | | | | |
| 47C8708 | A3Z6 | ServeRAID M5200 Series Zero Cache/RAID 5 Upgrade | 1† | - |
| 47C8706 | A3Z5 | ServeRAID M5200 Series RAID 6 Upgrade | 1†* | - |
| 47C8710 | A3Z7 | ServeRAID M5200 Series Performance Accelerator | 1†* | - |
| 47C8712 | A3Z8 | ServeRAID M5200 Series SSD Caching Enabler | 1†* | - |

* Requires cache memory upgrade (47C8656, 47C8660, 47C8664 or 47C8668).

† Features on Demand (FoD) upgrades for ServeRAID adapters are applied system-wide; that is, one FoD upgrade is required to activate the feature on all RAID controllers of the same type installed in the server.

The ServeRAID M1215 SAS/SATA Controller has the following specifications:

- Eight internal 12 Gbps SAS/SATA ports
- Up to 12 Gbps throughput per port
- Two internal mini-SAS HD connectors (SFF-8643)
- Supports connections to SAS/SATA HDDs and SSDs
- LSI SAS3008 12 Gbps RAID on Chip (ROC) controller
- Support for RAID levels 0, 1, and 10 standard; support for RAID 5, 50 with optional FoD upgrade
- Zero Controller Cache, no battery/flash backup
- Optional support for self-encrypting drives (SEDs) with MegaRAID SafeStore (with RAID 5 upgrade)
- Fixed stripe size of 64 KB

The ServeRAID M5210 SAS/SATA Controller has the following specifications:

- Eight internal 12 Gbps SAS/SATA ports
- Up to 12 Gbps throughput per port
- Two x4 HD mini-SAS internal connectors (SFF-8643)
- Supports connections to SAS/SATA HDDs and SSDs and SAS Expanders
- Supports RAID 0, 1, and 10
- Supports RAID 5 and 50 with optional M5200 Series RAID 5 upgrades
- Supports RAID 6 and 60 with the optional M5200 Series RAID 6 upgrade
- Optional support for self-encrypting drives (SEDs) with MegaRAID SafeStore (with RAID 5 upgrade)
- Supports 1 GB non-backed cache or 1 GB, 2 GB or 4 GB flash-backed cache
- PCIe 3.0 x8 host interface
- Based on the LSI SAS3108 12 Gbps ROC controller

The N2215 SAS/SATA HBA has the following specifications:

- Eight internal 12 Gbps SAS/SATA ports
- Up to 12 Gbps throughput per port
- Two x4 HD mini-SAS internal connectors (SFF-8643)
- Supports connections to SAS/SATA HDDs and SSDs
- Optimized for SSD performance
- No RAID support
- PCIe 3.0 x8 host interface
- Based on the LSI SAS3008 12 Gbps controller

For more information, see the list of Lenovo Press Product Guides in the RAID adapters category:

<https://lenovopress.com/servers/options/raid>

Internal drive options

The following tables list the hard drive options that are currently available for the server.

- Table 11: [2.5-inch hot-swap 12 Gb SAS/SATA HDDs](#)
- Table 12: [2.5-inch hot-swap 6 Gb SAS/SATA HDDs](#)
- Table 13: [2.5-inch hot-swap 12 Gb SAS/SATA SSDs](#)
- Table 14: [2.5-inch hot-swap 6 Gb SAS/SATA SSDs](#)
- Table 15: [3.5-inch hot-swap 12 Gb SAS/SATA HDDs](#)
- Table 16: [3.5-inch hot-swap 6 Gb SAS/SATA HDDs](#)
- Table 17: [3.5-inch hot-swap 12 Gb SAS/SATA SSDs](#)
- Table 18: [3.5-inch hot-swap 6 Gb SAS/SATA SSDs](#)
- Table 19: [3.5-inch simple-swap 6 Gb SAS/SATA HDDs](#)

Table 11. 2.5-inch hot-swap 12 Gb SAS/SATA HDDs

| Part number | Feature | Description | Maximum supported |
|--|---------|---|-------------------|
| 2.5-inch hot-swap HDDs - 12 Gb SAS 10K | | | |
| 00WG685 | AT89 | 300GB 10K 12Gbps SAS 2.5" G3HS HDD | 32 |
| 00WG690 | AT8A | 600GB 10K 12Gbps SAS 2.5" G3HS HDD | 32 |
| 00WG695 | AT8B | 900GB 10K 12Gbps SAS 2.5" G3HS HDD | 32 |
| 00WG700 | AT8C | 1.2TB 10K 12Gbps SAS 2.5" G3HS HDD | 32 |
| 00NA271 | ASBM | 1.8TB 10K 12Gbps SAS 2.5" G3HS 512e HDD | 32 |
| 2.5-inch hot-swap HDDs - 12 Gb SAS 15K | | | |
| 00WG660 | AT84 | 300GB 15K 12Gbps SAS 2.5" G3HS HDD | 32 |
| 00WG665 | AT85 | 600GB 15K 12Gbps SAS 2.5" G3HS HDD | 32 |
| 2.5-inch hot-swap HDDs - 12 Gb NL SAS | | | |
| 00NA491 | AT7Z | 1TB 7.2K 12Gbps NL SAS 2.5" G3HS HDD | 32 |
| 00NA496 | AT80 | 2TB 7.2K 12Gbps NL SAS 2.5" G3HS 512e HDD | 32 |
| 2.5-inch hot-swap SEDs - 12 Gb SAS 10K | | | |
| 00WG705 | AT8D | 300GB 10K 12Gbps SAS 2.5" G3HS SED | 32 |
| 00WG710 | AT8E | 600GB 10K 12Gbps SAS 2.5" G3HS SED | 32 |
| 00WG715 | AT8F | 900GB 10K 12Gbps SAS 2.5" G3HS SED | 32 |
| 00WG720 | AT8G | 1.2TB 10K 12Gbps SAS 2.5" G3HS SED | 32 |

Table 12. 2.5-inch hot-swap 6 Gb SAS/SATA HDDs

| Part number | Feature | Description | Maximum supported |
|---------------------------------------|---------|---|-------------------|
| 2.5-inch hot-swap HDDs - 6 Gb NL SATA | | | |
| 00AJ141 | A4TX | 1TB 7.2K 6Gbps NL SATA 2.5" G3HS HDD | 32 |
| 00NA526 | AT81 | 2TB 7.2K 6Gbps NL SATA 2.5" G3HS 512e HDD | 32 |

Table 13. 2.5-inch hot-swap 12 Gb SAS/SATA SSDs

| Part number | Feature | Description | Maximum supported |
|--|---------|--|-------------------|
| 2.5-inch hot-swap SSDs - 12 Gb SAS - Enterprise Performance (10+ DWPD) | | | |
| 00FN379 | AS7C | 200GB 12G SAS 2.5" MLC G3HS Enterprise SSD | 32 |
| 00FN389 | AS7E | 400GB 12G SAS 2.5" MLC G3HS Enterprise SSD | 32 |
| 00FN399 | AS7G | 800GB 12G SAS 2.5" MLC G3HS Enterprise SSD | 32 |
| 00FN409 | AS7J | 1.6TB 12G SAS 2.5" MLC G3HS Enterprise SSD | 32 |
| 2.5-inch hot-swap SSDs - 12 Gb SAS - Enterprise Mainstream (3-5 DWPD) | | | |
| 00YC465 | AT9N | 800GB Enterprise Mainstream 12Gb SAS G3HS 2.5" SSD | 32 |

Table 14. 2.5-inch hot-swap 6 Gb SAS/SATA SSDs

| Part number | Feature | Description | Maximum supported |
|--|---------|---|-------------------|
| 2.5-inch hot-swap SSDs - 6 Gb SAS - Enterprise Performance (10+ DWPD) | | | |
| 00AJ222 | A4UD | 1.6TB SAS 2.5" MLC G3HS Enterprise SSD | 32 |
| 2.5-inch hot-swap SSDs - 6 Gb SATA - Enterprise Performance (10+ DWPD) | | | |
| 00YC330 | AT9E | Intel S3710 800GB Enterprise Performance SATA G3HS 2.5" SSD | 32 |
| 2.5-inch hot-swap SSDs - 6 Gb SATA - Enterprise Mainstream (3-5 DWPD) | | | |
| 00YK217 | AU3D | Intel S3610 800GB Enterprise Mainstream SATA G3HS 2.5" SSD | 32 |
| 00YK222 | AU3E | Intel S3610 1.2TB Enterprise Mainstream SATA G3HS 2.5" SSD | 32 |
| 00AJ395 | A577 | 120GB SATA 2.5" MLC G3HS Enterprise Value SSD | 32 |
| 00AJ400 | A578 | 240GB SATA 2.5" MLC G3HS Enterprise Value SSD | 32 |
| 2.5-inch hot-swap SSDs - 6 Gb SATA - Enterprise Entry (<3 DWPD) | | | |
| 00YC385 | AT8R | 120GB Enterprise Entry SATA G3HS 2.5" SSD | 32 |
| 00YC400 | AT8U | 960GB Enterprise Entry SATA G3HS 2.5" SSD | 32 |

Table 15. 3.5-inch hot-swap 12 Gb SAS/SATA HDDs

| Part number | Feature | Description | Maximum supported |
|---------------------------------------|---------|--|-------------------|
| 3.5-inch hot-swap HDDs - 12 Gb NL SAS | | | |
| 00FN188 | A5VP | 2TB 7.2K 12Gbps NL SAS 3.5" G2HS 512e HDD | 12 |
| 00FN228 | A5VR | 6TB 7.2K 12Gbps NL SAS 3.5" G2HS 512e HDD | 12 |
| 00WH121 | ATRS | 8TB 7.2K 12Gbps NL SAS 3.5" G2HS 512e HDD | 12 |
| 00YK336 | AU7R | 10TB 7.2K 12Gbps NL SAS 3.5" G2HS 512e HDD | 12 |
| 00YL702 | ATYM | 1TB 7.2K 12Gbps NL SAS 3.5" G2HS HDD | 12 |
| 00YK000 | ATYL | 2TB 7.2K 12Gbps NL SAS 3.5" G2HS HDD | 12 |
| 00YK005 | ATYN | 4TB 7.2K 12Gbps NL SAS 3.5" G2HS HDD | 12 |

Table 16. 3.5-inch hot-swap 6 Gb SAS/SATA HDDs

| Part number | Feature | Description | Maximum supported |
|---------------------------------------|---------|--|-------------------|
| 3.5-inch hot-swap HDDs - 6 Gb NL SATA | | | |
| 81Y9786 | A22Y | 500GB 7.2K 6Gbps NL SATA 3.5" G2HS HDD | 12 |
| 81Y9790 | A22P | 1TB 7.2K 6Gbps NL SATA 3.5" G2HS HDD | 12 |
| 81Y9794 | A22T | 2TB 7.2K 6Gbps NL SATA 3.5" G2HS HDD | 12 |
| 49Y6002 | A3W9 | 4TB 7.2K 6Gbps NL SATA 3.5" G2HS HDD | 12 |
| 00FN173 | A5VM | 6TB 7.2K 6Gbps NL SATA 3.5" G2HS 512e HDD | 12 |
| 00WH126 | ATRT | 8TB 7.2K 6Gbps NL SATA 3.5" G2HS 512e HDD | 12 |
| 00YK341 | AU7S | 10TB 7.2K 6Gbps NL SATA 3.5" G2HS 512e HDD | 12 |

Table 17. 3.5-inch hot-swap 12 Gb SAS/SATA SSDs

| Part number | Feature | Description | Maximum supported |
|---|---------|------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 3.5-inch hot-swap SSDs - 12 Gb SAS - Enterprise | | | |
| 00WG675 | AT87 | 300GB 15K 12Gbps SAS 3.5" G2HS HDD | 12 |
| 00WG680 | AT88 | 600GB 15K 12Gbps SAS 3.5" G2HS HDD | 12 |

Table 18. 3.5-inch hot-swap 6 Gb SAS/SATA SSDs

| Part number | Feature | Description | Maximum supported |
|--|---------|---|-------------------|
| 3.5-inch hot-swap SSDs - 6 Gb SATA - Enterprise Performance (10+ DWPD) | | | |
| 00YC345 | AT9H | Intel S3710 800GB Enterprise Performance SATA HS 3.5" SSD | 12 |
| 3.5-inch hot-swap SSDs - 6 Gb SATA - Enterprise Mainstream (3-5 DWPD) | | | |
| 00YK242 | AU3J | Intel S3610 800GB Enterprise Mainstream SATA HS 3.5" SSD | 12 |
| 00YK247 | AU3K | Intel S3610 1.2TB Enterprise Mainstream SATA HS 3.5" SSD | 12 |
| 00AJ435 | A57F | 120GB SATA 3.5" MLC HS Enterprise Value SSD | 12 |
| 3.5-inch hot-swap SSDs - 6 Gb SATA - Enterprise Entry (<3 DWPD) | | | |
| 00YC420 | AT8Y | 960GB Enterprise Entry SATA HS 3.5" SSD | 12 |

Table 19. 3.5-inch simple-swap 6 Gb SAS/SATA HDDs

| Part number | Feature | Description | Maximum supported |
|--|---------|---|-------------------|
| 3.5-inch simple-swap HDDs - 6 Gb NL SATA | | | |
| 81Y9802 | A22U | 500GB 7.2K 6Gbps NL SATA 3.5" G2SS HDD | 6 |
| 81Y9806 | A22X | 1TB 7.2K 6Gbps NL SATA 3.5" G2SS HDD | 6 |
| 81Y9810 | A22W | 2TB 7.2K 6Gbps NL SATA 3.5" G2SS HDD | 6 |
| 00FN148 | A5VJ | 4TB 7.2K 6Gbps NL SATA 3.5" G2SS 512e HDD | 6 |

Internal backup units

The server supports the internal backup unit options that are listed in the following table.

Table 20. Internal backup units

| Part number | Feature code | Description | Maximum supported |
|-------------|--------------|--|-------------------|
| Drives | | | |
| 00D2785 | A2U7 | RDX 3 Internal USB Drive (includes USB cable) | 1 |
| 00D2786 | A2VE | RDX Internal USB 3.0 Dock with 320 GB Cartridge (includes USB cable) | 1 |
| 00D2787 | A2VF | RDX Internal USB 3.0 Dock with 500 GB Cartridge (includes USB cable) | 1 |
| 00D2788 | A2VG | RDX Internal USB 3.0 Dock with 1 TB Cartridge (includes USB cable) | 1 |
| 00MW711* | AUBQ | Half High LTO Gen 6 Internal SAS Tape Drive** | 2 |
| Media | | | |
| 00MW719* | AUBR | LTO 6 Media 2.5TB | |
| 46W6589 | A3S6 | LTO Ultrium Gen 6 Single Media (2.6 TB native capacity) | |
| 46C5367 | 5708 | RDX 320GB Cartridge | |
| 46C5368 | 5709 | RDX 500GB Cartridge | |
| 81Y3647 | A1VL | RDX 1TB Cartridge | |

* Withdrawn from marketing

** The LTO5 and LTO6 are supported with addition of the the N2215 SAS/SATA HBA; connectivity is via a 12Gb SAS Cable for LTO Tape drive which is included with the tape drive option part number or available separately as option part number 00MV227.

USB devices are attached to the internal USB connector. For option part number orders, the USB cable is included with the RDX drive. For CTO, use feature code 9266.

For more information, see the Lenovo Press Product Guide, *RDX USB 3.0 Disk Backup Solution*, available from:

<http://lenovopress.com/tips0894>

Optical drives

The server supports the optical drive options that are listed in the following table.

Table 21. Optical drives

| Part number | Feature code | Description | Maximum supported | Standard models where used |
|-------------|--------------|----------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|
| None* | 4154 | Half-High SATA DVD-ROM | 2 | All standard models |
| 81Y6404 | 4155 | Half-High SATA Multiburner | 2 | - |

* This option is available via CTO only or is already installed in standard models.

The two half-high drives in the table can be installed in any open 5.25-inch drive bay.

The Half-High SATA DVD-ROM drive supports the following media and speeds for reading:

- CD-ROM 48X
- CD-DA (DAE) 40X
- CD-R 48X
- CD-RW 40X
- DVD-ROM (single layer) 16X
- DVD-ROM (dual layer) 12X
- DVD-R (4.7 GB) 16X
- DVD-R DL 12X
- DVD+R 16X
- DVD+R DL 12X
- DVD-RW (4.7 GB) 12X
- DVD+RW 12X

The Half-High SATA multiburner drive supports the same media and speeds for reading as HH DVD-ROM. In addition, this drive supports the following media and speeds for writing:

- CD-R 24X
- CD-RW 4X
- High Speed CD-RW 10X
- Ultra Speed CD-RW 16X
- DVD-R 8X
- DVD-R DL 8X
- DVD+R 8X
- DVD+R DL 8X
- DVD-RW 6X
- DVD+RW 8X

I/O expansion options

The server supports up to seven PCIe 3.0 slots: Four slots (1 - 4) when one CPU is installed or seven slots when two CPUs are installed. The following slot form factors are available:

- Slot 1: PCIe 3.0 x8 (x8 wired); full-height, half-length
- Slot 2: PCIe 3.0 x16 (x8 wired); full-height, full-length
- Slot 3: PCIe 3.0 x16 (x16 wired); full-height, full-length
- Slot 4: PCIe 3.0 x8 (x8 wired); full-height, full-length
- Slot 5: PCIe 3.0 x8 (x8 wired); full-height, half-length (requires second processor)
- Slot 6: PCIe 3.0 x16 (x16 wired); full-height, full-length (requires second processor)
- Slot 7: PCIe 3.0 x16 (x16 wired); full-height, full-length (requires second processor)

Slots 3 and 6 support double-wide GPUs

The following figure shows the locations of the PCIe slots.

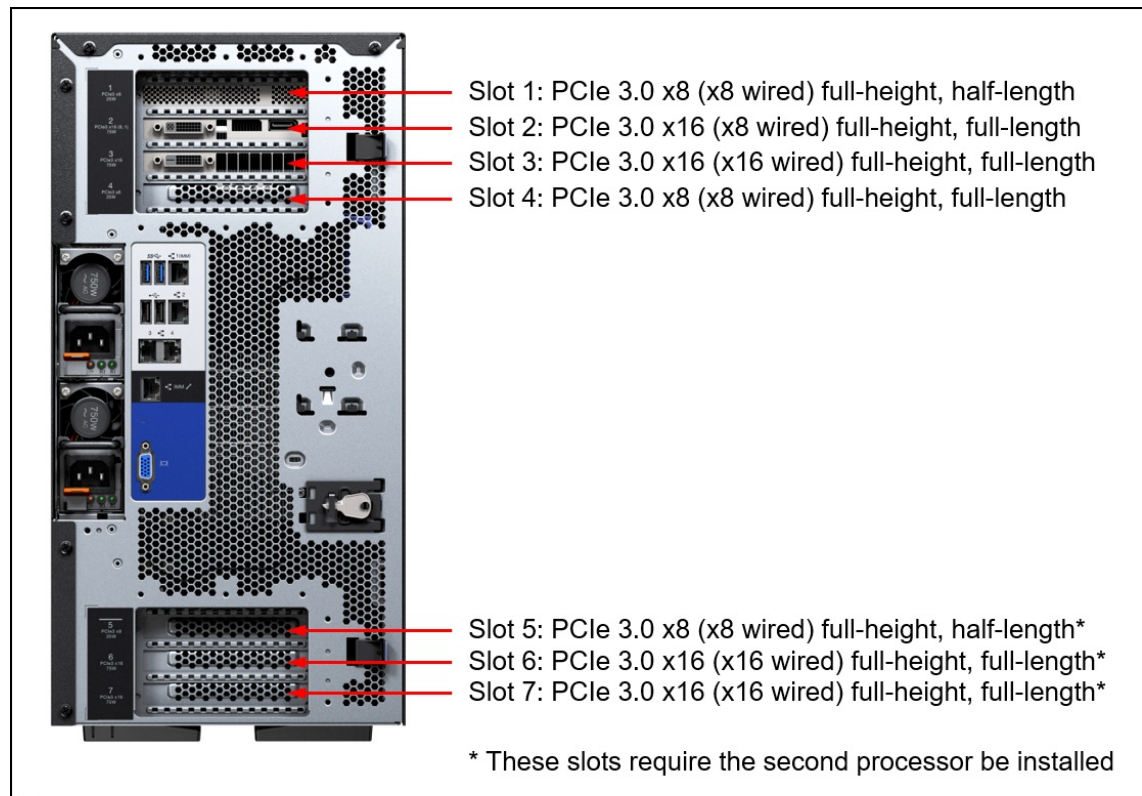


Figure 12. System x3500 M5 PCIe slots

The COM Port Bracket, part number 00KC332, is used for making an external serial port available at the rear of the server. This option includes the bracket and the cable. The COM Port option is mounted in one of the PCIe slots and that PCIe slot cannot be used. The following table lists the PCIe slot options.

Table 22. System x3500 M5 COM Port Kit ordering information

| Part number | Feature code | Description | Maximum supported |
|-------------|--------------|------------------------------|-------------------|
| 00KC332 | ARZ0 | System x3500 M5 COM Port Kit | 1 |

Network adapters

The x3500 M5 supports four integrated Gigabit Ethernet ports with the following features:

- A Broadcom BCM5719 chip
- Four Gigabit Ethernet ports
- NIC Teaming (load balancing and failover)
- Ethernet features:
 - Compliant with 1 Gb Ethernet IEEE 802.3, 802.3u, and 802.3ab PHY specifications
 - Integrated PHY for 10/100/1000 Mbps for multispeed, full, and half-duplex auto-negotiation
 - Automatic MDI crossover
 - IEEE 802.3x-compliant flow control support
 - IEEE 1588 protocol and 802.1AS time synchronization implementation
 - IEEE802.3az - Energy Efficient Ethernet (EEE)
- I/O Virtualization features:
 - I/O Virtualization support for VMware NetQueue and Microsoft virtual machine queue (VMQ)
 - Function Level Reset (FLR)
 - IEEE 802.1q Virtual Local Area Network (VLAN) tagging support
- Stateless offload and performance features:
 - TCP, IP, and User Datagram Protocol (UDP) checksum offload
 - TCP segmentation offload (TCO)
 - Large Send Offload (LSO)
 - Receive Side Scaling (RSS) and Transmit Side Scaling (TSS)
 - Message Signal Interrupt (MSI) and Message Signal Interrupt Extension (MSI-X) support
 - Support for jumbo frames up to 9600 bytes

The following table lists other supported network adapters. The maximum supported column indicates which slots each adapter is supported in. For slot locations see the [I/O expansion options](#) section.

Table 23. Network adapters

| Part number | Feature code | Description | Maximum supported (1 CPU / 2 CPUs) |
|-----------------------|--------------|--|------------------------------------|
| 40 Gb Ethernet | | | |
| 00D9550 | A3PN | Mellanox ConnectX-3 40GbE / FDR IB VPI Adapter* | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 10 Gb Ethernet | | | |
| 44T1370 | A5GZ | Broadcom NetXtreme 2x10GbE BaseT Adapter | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 94Y5180 | A4Z6 | Broadcom NetXtreme Dual Port 10GbE SFP+ Adapter* | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 00AG570 | AT7S | Emulex VFA5.2 2x10 GbE SFP+ PCIe Adapter* | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 00AG580 | AT7T | Emulex VFA5.2 2x10 GbE SFP+ Adapter and FCoE/iSCSI SW* | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| None | AS3M | Emulex VFA5 2x10 GbE SFP+ Integrated Adapter* | 1 / 1 (slot 3) |
| 49Y7960 | A2EC | Intel X520 Dual Port 10GbE SFP+ Adapter* | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 49Y7970 | A2ED | Intel X540-T2 Dual Port 10GBaseT Adapter | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 01DA900 | AU2Y | Intel X710-DA2 2x10GbE SFP+ Adapter | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 00D9690 | A3PM | Mellanox ConnectX-3 10 GbE Adapter* | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 1 Gb Ethernet | | | |
| 42C1780 | 2995 | Broadcom NetXtreme 2xGbE BaseT Adapter | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 90Y9370 | A2V4 | Broadcom NetXtreme I Dual Port GbE Adapter | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 90Y9352 | A2V3 | Broadcom NetXtreme I Quad Port GbE Adapter | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 49Y4230 | 5767 | Intel Ethernet Dual Port Server Adapter I340-T2 | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 49Y4240 | 5768 | Intel Ethernet Quad Port Server Adapter I340-T4 | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 00AG510 | A56L | Intel I350-T2 2xGbE BaseT Adapter | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 00AG520 | A56M | Intel I350-T4 4xGbE BaseT Adapter | 4 / 7 (All slots) |

* Require SFP+ optical transceivers or DAC cables that must be purchased separately. See the following tables.

For more information, see the list of Lenovo Press Product Guides in the Ethernet adapters category:
<https://lenovopress.com/servers/options/ethernet>

The following table lists the supported 10 Gb Ethernet SFP+ optical transceivers and DAC cables. For multi-port adapters, all adapter ports must have the same type of transceiver or DAC cable selected.

Table 24. Supported optical transceivers and DAC cables - 10 Gb Ethernet

| Part number | Feature code | Description |
|---|--------------|--|
| 10 GbE SFP+ LR transceivers (for SFP+ adapters) | | |
| 00FE331 | B0RJ | Lenovo 10GBASE-LR SFP+ Transceiver |
| 90Y9412 | A1PM | Lenovo 10Gb/s LR SFP+ XCVR |
| 10 GbE SFP+ SR transceivers (for SFP+ adapters) | | |
| 46C3447 | 5053 | Lenovo 10GBASE-SR SFP+ Transceiver |
| 49Y4216 | 0069 | Brocade 10Gb SFP+ SR Optical Transceiver |
| 49Y4218 | 0064 | QLogic 10Gb SFP+ SR Optical Transceiver |
| 10 GbE SFP+ DAC cables (for SFP+ adapters) | | |
| 00D6288 | A3RG | Lenovo 0.5m Passive SFP+ DAC Cable |
| 90Y9427 | A1PH | Lenovo 1m Passive SFP+ DAC Cable |
| 00AY764 | A51N | Lenovo 1.5m Passive SFP+ DAC Cable |
| 00AY765 | A51P | Lenovo 2m Passive SFP+ DAC Cable |
| 90Y9430 | A1PJ | Lenovo 3m Passive SFP+ DAC Cable |
| 90Y9433 | A1PK | Lenovo 5m Passive SFP+ DAC Cable |
| 00D6151 | A3RH | Lenovo 7m Passive SFP+ DAC Cable |

The following table lists the optical transceivers and DAC cables that can be used with the supported 40Gb Ethernet adapters listed. For multi-port adapters, all adapter ports must have the same type of transceiver or DAC cable selected.

Table 25. Supported optical transceivers and DAC cables - 40 Gb Ethernet

| Part number | Feature code | Description |
|---|--------------|--------------------------------------|
| 40 GbE QSFP+ transceivers (for 40 GbE QSFP+ adapters) | | |
| 49Y7884 | A1DR | Lenovo 40GBASE-SR4 QSFP+ Transceiver |
| 40 GbE QSFP+ DAC cables (for 40 GbE QSFP+ adapters) | | |
| 49Y7890 | A1DP | Lenovo 1m Passive QSFP+ DAC Cable |
| 49Y7891 | A1DQ | Lenovo 3m Passive QSFP+ DAC Cable |

SAS adapters for external storage

The following table lists the SAS HBAs and RAID adapters suitable for connectivity to external storage. The maximum supported column indicates which slots each adapter is supported in. For slot locations see the [I/O expansion options](#) section.

Table 26. Supported SAS HBAs and RAID adapters

| Part number | Feature code | Description | Maximum supported (1 CPU / 2 CPUs) |
|--|--------------|--|------------------------------------|
| SAS | | | |
| 00AE912 | A5M0 | N2225 SAS/SATA HBA | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 00AE916 | A5M1 | N2226 SAS/SATA HBA | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 12 Gb RAID controllers | | | |
| 00AE938 | A5ND | ServeRAID M5225-2GB SAS/SATA Controller | 3 (1 CPU: 1-4; 2 CPUs: 2-5) |
| Feature on Demand (FoD) upgrades for the M5225 | | | |
| 47C8706 | A3Z5 | ServeRAID M5200 Series RAID 6 Upgrade | 1* |
| 47C8710 | A3Z7 | ServeRAID M5200 Series Performance Accelerator | 1* |
| 47C8712 | A3Z8 | ServeRAID M5200 Series SSD Caching Enabler | 1* |

* One FoD upgrade for the M5225 activates the feature on all M5225 controllers that are installed in a server.

The following table summarizes features of supported adapters.

Table 27. SAS RAID controller and HBA features and specifications summary

| Feature | M5225-2GB | N2226 | N2225 |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Adapter type | RAID adapter | SAS HBA | SAS HBA |
| Part number | 00AE938 | 00AE916 | 00AE912 |
| Form factor | Low profile | Low profile | Low profile |
| Controller chip | LSI SAS3108 | LSI SAS3008 | LSI SAS3008 |
| Host interface | PCIe 3.0 x8 | PCIe 3.0 x8 | PCIe 3.0 x8 |
| Port interface | 12 Gbps SAS | 12 Gbps SAS | 12 Gbps SAS |
| Number of external ports | 8 | 16 | 8 |
| External port connectors | 2x Mini-SAS HD (SFF-8644) | 4x Mini-SAS HD (SFF-8644) | 2x Mini-SAS HD (SFF-8644) |
| Drive interface | SAS, SATA | SAS, SATA | SAS, SATA |
| Drive type | HDD, SED, SSD | HDD, SSD | HDD, SSD |
| Maximum number of devices | 240 | 1024 | 1024 |
| RAID levels | 0/1/10/5/50; Optional 6/60 (47C8706) | None | None |
| JBOD mode | No | Yes | Yes |
| Cache | 2 GB (included) | None | None |
| Cache protection | Flash (included) | None | None |
| Performance Accelerator (FastPath) | Optional (47C8710) | None | None |
| SSD Caching (CacheCade Pro 2.0) | Optional (47C8712) | None | None |

For more information about the ServeRAID M5225-2GB, see the Lenovo Press Product Guide: <http://lenovopress.com/tips1258>

For more information about SAS HBAs, see the list of Product Guides in the Host bus adapters category: <https://lenovopress.com/servers/options/hba>

Fibre Channel host bus adapters

The following table lists Fibre Channel HBAs that are supported by the x3500 M5 server. The maximum supported column indicates which slots each adapter is supported in. For slot locations see the [I/O expansion options](#) section.

Table 28. Storage adapters

| Part number | Feature code | Description | Maximum supported (1 CPU / 2 CPUs) |
|----------------------------|--------------|--|------------------------------------|
| 16 Gb Fibre Channel | | | |
| 01CV830 | ATZU | Emulex 16Gb Gen6 FC Single-port HBA | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 01CV840 | ATZV | Emulex 16Gb Gen6 FC Dual-port HBA | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 01CV750 | ATZB | QLogic 16Gb Enhanced Gen5 FC Single-port HBA | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 01CV760 | ATZC | QLogic 16Gb Enhanced Gen5 FC Dual-port HBA | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 81Y1662 | A2W6 | Emulex 16Gb FC Dual-port HBA | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 81Y1655 | A2W5 | Emulex 16Gb FC Single-port HBA | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 00Y3341 | A3KX | QLogic 16Gb FC Dual-port HBA | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 00Y3337 | A3KW | QLogic 16Gb FC Single-port HBA | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 8 Gb Fibre Channel | | | |
| 42D0494 | 3581 | Emulex 8Gb FC Dual-port HBA | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 42D0485 | 3580 | Emulex 8Gb FC Single-port HBA | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 42D0510 | 3579 | QLogic 8Gb FC Dual-port HBA | 4 / 7 (All slots) |
| 42D0501 | 3578 | QLogic 8Gb FC Single-port HBA | 4 / 7 (All slots) |

For more information, see the list of Lenovo Press Product Guides in the Host bus adapters category: <https://lenovopress.com/servers/options/hba>

Flash Storage adapters

The server currently does not support Flash Storage adapters.

GPU adapters

The x3500 M5 server supports graphics processing units (GPUs) that are listed in the following table. Up to two GPUs are supported, depending on the number of processors that are installed in a server. The maximum supported column indicates which slots each adapter is supported in. For slot locations see the [I/O expansion options](#) section.

Table 29. GPU adapters

| Part number | Feature code | Description | Maximum supported (1 CPU / 2 CPUs) (slot #) |
|-------------|--------------|--|---|
| None** | A3YV | NVIDIA Quadro K6000* | 1 / 2 (1 CPU: 3; 2 CPUs: 3, 6) |
| 00YL371 | ASPP | NVIDIA Quadro K620 | 2 / 4 (1 CPU: 2, 3; 2 CPUs: 2, 3, 6, 7) |
| 00YL377 | ASQL | NVIDIA Tesla M60 GPU, PCIe (active)* | 1 / 2 (1 CPU: 3; 2 CPUs: 3, 6) |
| 00YL378 | ATZF | NVIDIA Quadro M5000 GPU, PCIe (active)* | 1 / 2 (1 CPU: 3; 2 CPUs: 3, 6) |
| 90Y2495 | AU3W | NVidia Quadro M6000 24GB GPU, PCIe (active)* | 1 / 2 (1 CPU: 3; 2 CPUs: 3, 6) |

** Only available via configure-to-order

* Double-width adapter - occupies two slots

The following other rules apply:

- If two GPUs are installed, they must be identical
- The first GPU is installed in slot 3; the second GPU is installed in slot 6 and requires the second processor to be installed.
- The number of GPUs that can be installed depends on the type of power supply that is installed and the type and number of other components that are installed. For more information, see the [Power Supply](#) section.
- If a NVIDIA card is installed, the maximum memory that can be installed is 1 TB.

Power supplies and redundant cooling

The server supports up to two redundant power supplies. Standard models come with one or two power supplies (depending on the model).

The server also comes standard with two (for models with one processor installed) or four (for models with two processors installed) hot-swap cooling fans. For models with only one processor, an optional Redundant Cooling Kit provides N+1 cooling redundancy. The following table lists the power supplies and redundant cooling upgrade options.

Table 30. Power supplies

| Part number | Feature code | Description | Maximum supported | Standard models where used |
|-------------|--------------|--|-------------------|------------------------------|
| 00AL533 | A5MY | System x 550W High Efficiency Platinum AC Power Supply | 2 | A2x, B2x, C2x, C3x, C4x, D2x |
| 00AL534 | A5MZ | System x 750W High Efficiency Platinum AC Power Supply | 2 | G2x, G3x |
| 00AL536 | A5N0 | System x 900W High Efficiency Platinum AC Power Supply | 2 | H2x, J2x |
| 00MW035 | ASUJ | System x 1500W High Efficiency Platinum AC Power Supply | 2 | - |
| 00AL535 | A5N1 | System x 750W High Efficiency Titanium AC Power Supply | 2 | - |
| None* | A5CH | System x 550W High Efficiency Platinum AC Fixed Power Supply | 1 | - |
| 00AL537 | A5D6 | System x3500 M5 Redundant Cooling Kit | 1 | - |

* CTO only

The following two tables show the combinations supported.

Table 31. Supported configurations (550W, 750W and 1500W power supplies)

| Power supply | 550 W (A) | 550 W (B) | 750 W (A) | 750 W (B) | 1500 W |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------|
| Maximum processors | 1 | 2, max 90W | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| Memory maximums (mutually exclusive) | | | | | |
| RDIMMs | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit |
| LRDIMMs | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | No limit |
| Drive maximums (mutually exclusive) | | | | | |
| 3.5-inch drives only | No limit | 6 | No limit | No limit | No limit |
| 2.5-inch drives only | 16 | 8 | 16 | 16 | No limit |
| Intermix 3.5-in and 2.5-in drives | 6x 3.5 + 8x 2.5 | No | 6x 3.5 + 8x 2.5 | 6x 3.5 + 8x 2.5 | No limit |
| PCIe adapters (non-GPU)* | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit |
| Maximum GPUs | 0 | 0 | 2 / 1** | 0 | 4 / 2** |

* GPUs use two PCIe slots; therefore, if a GPU is installed, the number of non-GPU adapters that are installed is reduced by two.

** The first number refers to the maximum quantity of single-width adapters supported and the second number refers to double-wide adapters

Table 32. Supported configurations (900W power supplies)

| Power supply | 900 W (1A) | 900 W (2A) | 900 W (2B) | 900 W (2C) | 900 W (2D) | 900 W (2E) | 900 W (2F) |
|--------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|------------|-----------------|
| Maximum processors | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2, max 135W | 2, max 90W | 2, max 120W |
| Memory maximums (mutually exclusive) | | | | | | | |
| RDIMMs | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit | 12 | 12 |
| LRDIMMs | 0 | 12 | 0 | No limit | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| Drive maximums (mutually exclusive) | | | | | | | |
| 3.5-inch drives only | No limit | No limit | 6 | 6 | No limit | 6 | No limit |
| 2.5-inch drives only | No limit | 24 | 8 | 8 | No limit | 8 | 16 |
| Intermix 3.5-in and 2.5-in drives | No limit | No limit | 0 | 0 | No limit | 0 | 6x 3.5 + 8x 2.5 |
| PCIe adapters (non-GPU)* | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit | No limit | 2 | 4 |
| Maximum GPUs | 2 / 1** | 0 | 2 / 1** | 0 | 0 | 4 / 2** | 1 / 0** |

* GPUs use two PCIe slots; therefore, if a GPU is installed, the number of non-GPU adapters that are installed is reduced by two.

** The first number refers to the maximum quantity of single-width adapters supported and the second number refers to double-wide adapters

AC power supply options ships without a line cord, it must be purchased separately. Line cords and rack cables can be ordered if needed, as listed in the following table.

Table 33. Power cables

| Part number | Feature code | Description |
|-------------------|--------------|---|
| Rack power cables | | |
| 39Y7932 | 6263 | 4.3m, 10A/100-250V, C13 to IEC 320-C14 Rack Power Cable |
| 39Y7937 | 6201 | 1.5m, 10A/100-250V, C13 to IEC 320-C14 Rack Power Cable |
| 39Y7938 | 6204 | IEC309 C20 to C13 rack jumper cable |
| Power cords | | |
| 39Y7917 | 6212 | European 10A line C13 to CEE 7/7 (2.8M) |
| 39Y7918 | 6213 | Denmark 10A line C13 to DK2-5A (2.8M) |
| 39Y7919 | 6216 | Switzerland 10A line C13 to SEV 1011 (2.8M) |
| 39Y7920 | 6218 | Israel 10A line C13 to SI 32 (2.8M) |
| 39Y7921 | 6217 | Italy 10A line C13 to CEE 7/7 (2.8M) |
| 39Y7922 | 6214 | South Africa 10A line C13 to SABS 164/1 (2.8M) |
| 39Y7923 | 6215 | United Kingdom 10A line C13 to BS 1363 (2.8M) |
| 39Y7924 | 6211 | Australia/NZ 10A line C13 to SAA-AS C112 (2.8M) |
| 39Y7925 | 6219 | Korea 7A line C13 to KETI 15A/250V (2.8M) |
| 39Y7927 | 6269 | India 6A line C13 to Fig 68 (2.8M) |
| 39Y7928 | 6210 | China 6A line C13 to GB 2099.1 (2.8M) |
| 39Y7929 | 6223 | Brazil 10A line C13 to NBR 6147 (2.8M) |
| 39Y7930 | 6222 | Argentina 10A line C13 to IRAM 2063 (2.8M) |
| 39Y7931 | 6207 | Power Cable - C13 / NEMA 5-15P 14ft |
| 00CG265 | A53E | Power Cord Taiwan AC plug 10A/250V, 2.8M; OPT |
| 00CG267 | A53F | Power Cord Taiwan AC plug 15A/125V; 2.8M; OPT |
| 46M2592 | A1RF | 10A/250V C13 to NEMA 6-15P 2.8m line cord |
| 46M2593 | A1RE | Japan 12A/125V C13 to JIS C-8303 2.8m line cord |

Integrated virtualization

The server supports the VMware vSphere (ESXi) hypervisor on one or two SD cards with the optional SD Media Adapter for System x. This adapter is in a dedicated connector on the system board.

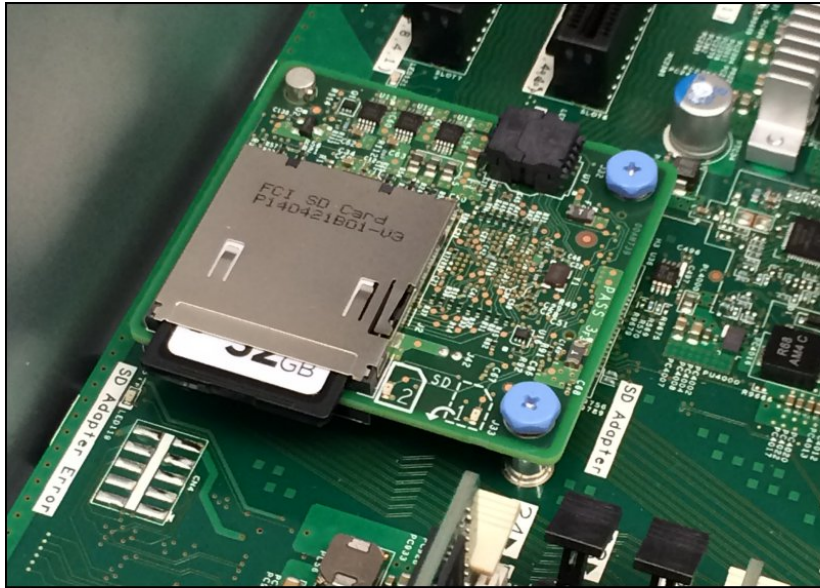


Figure 13. SD Media Adapter with one SD Card installed

When only one SD card is installed in the adapter, you can create up to 16 volumes, each of which is presented to UEFI as a bootable device. When two SD Media cards are inserted, volumes can be mirrored (RAID 1) across both cards, up to a total of eight mirrored volumes. The use of mirrored volumes improves system availability because the server remains operational, even if one SD card fails. The RAID functionality is handled internally by the SD Media Adapter.

The following table shows the available options. The table also indicates whether the option includes the SD Media RAID Adapter and how many SD cards are included.

Table 34. Virtualization options

| Part number | Feature code | Description | Includes Adapter | SD Cards Included |
|-------------|--------------|---|------------------|-------------------|
| 00ML706 | A5TJ | SD Media Adapter for Systems x (Option 00ML706 includes 2 blank 32GB SD cards) | Yes | 2* |
| 00ML700 | AS2V | Blank 32GB SD Media for System x | No | 1 |
| None** | AS4B | RAID Adapter for SD Media w/ VMware ESXi 5.1 U2 (2 SD Media, RAIDed) | Yes | 2 |
| None** | AS4C | RAID Adapter for SD Media w/ VMware ESXi 5.5 U2 (2 SD Media, RAIDed) | Yes | 2 |
| None** | ASCG | RAID Adapter for SD Media w/ VMware ESXi 5.1 U2 (1 SD Media) | Yes | 1 |
| None** | ASCH | RAID Adapter for SD Media w/ VMware ESXi 5.5 U2 (1 SD Media) | Yes | 1 |

* Option 00ML706 includes two 32GB SD cards; however, for CTO orders, feature code A5TJ does not include SD media and the 32GB cards and VMware vSphere preload must be selected separately.

** CTO only.

The server also supports VMware ESXi installed on a USB memory key. The key is installed in a USB socket inside the server. The following table lists the virtualization options.

Table 35. Virtualization options - USB memory keys

| Part number | Feature code | Description | Maximum supported |
|-------------|--------------|---|-------------------|
| 00WH140 | ATRM | Blank USB Memory Key 4G SLC for VMware ESXi Downloads | 1 |
| 41Y8298 | A2G0 | IBM Blank USB Memory Key for VMware ESXi Downloads | 1 |
| 00ML233 | ASN6 | USB Memory Key for VMware ESXi 5.1 Update 2 | 1 |
| 00WH138 | ATRL | USB Memory Key 4G for VMware ESXi 6.0 Update 1A | 1 |

Systems management

The server contains IMM2.1, which provides advanced service-processor control, monitoring, and an alerting function. If an environmental condition exceeds a threshold or if a system component fails, the IMM2.1 lights LEDs to help you diagnose the problem, records the error in the event log, and alerts you to the problem. Optionally, the IMM2.1 also provides a virtual presence capability for remote server management capabilities.

The IMM provides remote server management through the following industry-standard interfaces:

- Intelligent Platform Management Interface (IPMI) Version 2.0
- Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) Version 3
- Common Information Model (CIM)
- Web browser

The optional Integrated Management Module Advanced Upgrade is required for enabling remote presence and blue-screen capture features. The remote presence feature provides the following functions:

- Remotely viewing video with graphics resolutions up to 1600x1200 at 75 Hz with up to 23 bits per pixel colors, regardless of the system state
- Remotely accessing the server by using the keyboard and mouse from a remote client
- Mapping the CD or DVD drive, diskette drive, and USB flash drive on a remote client, and mapping ISO and diskette image files as virtual drives that are available for use by the server
- Uploading a diskette image to the IMM memory and mapping it to the server as a virtual drive

The blue-screen capture feature captures the video display contents before the IMM restarts the server when the IMM detects an operating-system hang condition. A system administrator can use the blue-screen capture to assist in determining the cause of the hang condition. The following table lists the remote management option.

Table 36. Remote management option

| Part number | Feature code | Description | Maximum supported |
|-------------|--------------|---|-------------------|
| 90Y3901 | A1ML | Integrated Management Module Advanced Upgrade | 1 |

All standard models include basic light path diagnostics, which include system LEDs on the front of the server (see the following figure) and LEDs near the monitored components (for example, the DIMM error LED on the system board). The server also offers an optional upgrade to supply another array of light path diagnostic LEDs on the front of the chassis.

The following table lists the ordering information for the light path diagnostics panel upgrade kit.

Table 37. Light path diagnostics option

| Part number | Feature code | Description | Maximum supported |
|-------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 00AL566 | A5N3 | System x3500 M5 Lightpath Upgrade Kit | 1 |

The following figure shows the meaning of each LED.

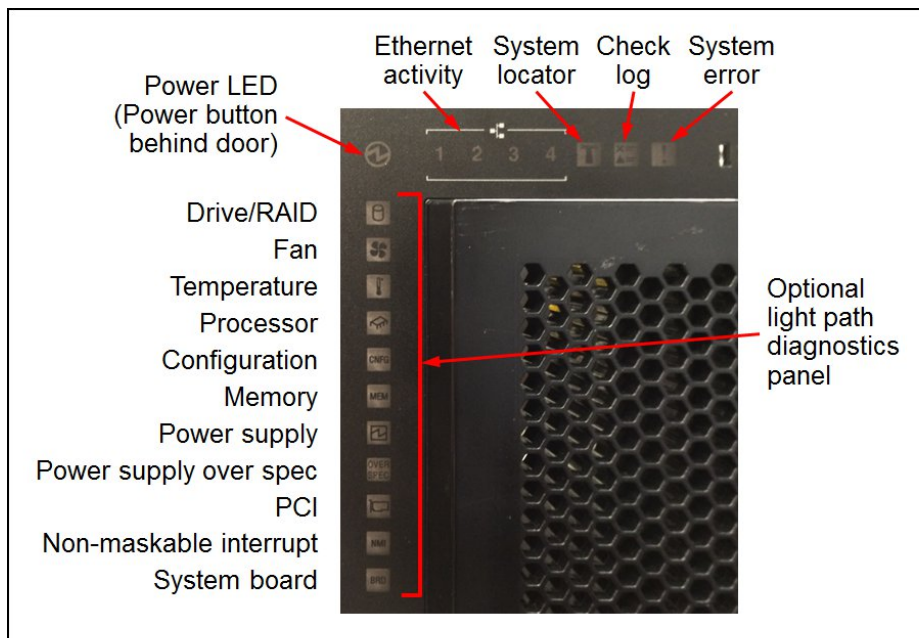


Figure 14. System LEDs and the optional light path diagnostics panel

Note: The light path diagnostics panel upgrade kit supplies the array of LEDs that is mounted in a bracket that is installed inside the server, as shown in the following figure. The light path diagnostics indicators are still visible on the front of the server, even if the upgrade kit is not installed.



Figure 15. System x3500 M5 Lightpath Upgrade Kit

IBM Security Key Lifecycle Manager for System x SEDs - FoD (SKLM - FoD) is an optional feature, which is available in System x environments that centralizes, simplifies, and automates the data encryption key management process to help minimize risk and reduce operational costs. SKLM - FoD offers a simple and robust solution for key storage, key serving, and key lifecycle management for self-encrypting drives (SEDs) in local and distributed System x environments. The FoD upgrade can be configured with the ServeRAID M5210 and M1215 RAID controllers paired with SEDs. The following table lists SKLM-FoD part numbers.

Table 38. Security Key Lifecycle Manager - FoD part numbers

| Part number | Feature code | Description | Maximum supported |
|---|--------------|--|-------------------|
| United States, Canada, Asia Pacific and Japan | | | |
| 00D9998 | A5U1 | IBM SKLM for System x w/SEDs - FoD per Install w/1Yr S&S | 1 |
| 00D9999 | AS6C | IBM SKLM for System x w/SEDs - FoD per Install w/3Yr S&S | 1 |
| Latin America, Europe, Middle East and Africa | | | |
| 00FP648 | A5U1 | IBM SKLM for System x w/SEDs - FoD per Install w/1Yr S&S | 1 |
| 00FP649 | AS6C | IBM SKLM for System x w/SEDs - FoD per Install w/3Yr S&S | 1 |

Keyboards and Mice

The following table lists the supported full-sized USB keyboards and mice available for Lenovo System x servers.

The keyboards have the following features:

- Full-sized 104-key keyboard with 3 special Windows keys
- 3 LEDs for caps lock, scroll lock and num lock
- Wired USB connection with 1.8m cable
- Adjustable feet at the rear of the keyboard

Tip: For keyboards that fit in the rack-mounted console kit, see the [KVM console options](#) section, or the [1U 18.5-inch Standard Media Console](#) product guide.

Table 39. Lenovo Preferred Pro USB Full-sized keyboards - System x

| Part number | Feature code | Description |
|-------------|--------------|--|
| Mice | | |
| 7M57A04698 | B0LN | ThinkSystem Optical Wheel Mouse - USB |
| Keyboards | | |
| 4X37A09180 | B22Q | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Arabic 8827 |
| 4X37A09181 | B22R | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Arabic/French 8827 |
| 4X37A09182 | B22S | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Belgium/French 8827 |
| 4X37A09183 | B22T | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Belgium/UK 8827 |
| 4X37A09184 | B22U | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Brazil/Portuguese 8827 |
| 4X37A09185 | B22V | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Bulgarian 8827 |
| 4X37A09186 | B22W | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Chinese/US 8827 |
| 4X37A09187 | B22X | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Czech 8827 |
| 4X37A09188 | B22Y | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Danish 8827 |
| 4X37A09189 | B22Z | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Dutch 8827 |

| Part number | Feature code | Description |
|--------------------|---------------------|---|
| 4X37A09190 | B230 | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - French 8827 |
| 4X37A09192 | B232 | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - French Canadian French 8827 |
| 4X37A09191 | B231 | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - French Canadian Multilingual 8827 |
| 4X37A09193 | B233 | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - German 8827 |
| 4X37A09194 | B234 | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Greek 8827 |
| 4X37A09195 | B235 | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Hebrew 8827 |
| 4X37A09196 | B236 | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Hungarian 8827 |
| 4X37A09197 | B237 | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Iceland 8827 |
| 4X37A09198 | B238 | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Italy 8827 |
| 4X37A09199 | B239 | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Japanese 8827 |
| 4X37A09200 | B23A | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Korean 8827 |
| 4X37A09201 | B23B | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - LA Spanish 8827 |
| 4X37A09202 | B23C | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Norwegian 8827 |
| 4X37A09203 | B23D | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Polish 8827 |
| 4X37A09204 | B23E | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Portugese 8827 |
| 4X37A09205 | B23F | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Romanian 8827 |
| 4X37A09206 | B23G | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Russian/Cy 8827 |
| 4X37A09207 | B23H | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Serbian/Cyrilic 8827 |
| 4X37A09208 | B23J | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Slovak 8827 |
| 4X37A09217 | B23T | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Slovenian 8827 |
| 4X37A09209 | B23K | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Spanish 8827 |
| 4X37A09210 | B23L | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Swedish/Finn 8827 |
| 4X37A09211 | B23M | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Swiss, F/G 8827 |
| 4X37A09212 | B23N | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Thailand 8827 |
| 4X37A09214 | B23Q | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Turkish 179 8827 |
| 4X37A09213 | B23P | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - Turkish 440 8827 |
| 4X37A09215 | B23R | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - UK English 8827 |
| 4X37A09179 | B22P | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - US English 8827 |
| 4X37A09216 | B23S | Preferred Pro II USB Keyboard - US Euro 8827 |

Rack installation

The x3500 M5 server can be installed in the rack with the Tower to Rack Conversion Kit (00AL538). The resulting server is a 5U rack-mountable server, as shown in the following figure.



Figure 16. The x3500 M5 with the 5U Tower to Rack Conversion Kit (included slide kit shown)

The Tower to Rack Conversion Kit (00AL538) includes a cable management arm; however, standard rack models (for example, 5464-C3x and G3x) do not include a cable management arm. Therefore, the arm must be ordered separately by using part number 00KC334.

The part numbers are summarized in the following table.

Table 40. Rack installation options

| Part number | Feature code | Description |
|-------------|--------------|--|
| 00KC334 | ARZ2 | System x3500 M5 Cable Management Kit |
| 00AL538 | A5N4 | System x3500 M5 Tower to Rack Conversion Kit |

Operating system support

The server supports the following operating systems:

- Microsoft Windows Server 2008 R2 SP1
- Microsoft Windows Server 2012
- Microsoft Windows Server 2012 R2
- Microsoft Windows Server 2016
- Microsoft Windows Server, version 1709
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6.10 x64
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6.5 x64
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6.6 x64
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6.7 x64
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6.8 x64
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7.0
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7.1
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7.2
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7.3
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7.4
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7.5
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7.6
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7.7
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 11 Xen x64 SP3
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 11 Xen x64 SP4
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 11 x64 SP3
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 11 x64 SP4
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 12
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 12 SP1
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 12 SP2
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 12 SP3
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 12 SP4
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 12 Xen
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 12 Xen SP1
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 12 Xen SP2
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 12 Xen SP3
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 12 Xen SP4
- VMware ESXi 5.1 U1
- VMware ESXi 5.1 U2
- VMware ESXi 5.1 U3
- VMware ESXi 5.5 U2
- VMware ESXi 5.5 U3
- VMware ESXi 6.0
- VMware ESXi 6.0 U1
- VMware ESXi 6.0 U2
- VMware ESXi 6.0 U3
- VMware ESXi 6.5
- VMware ESXi 6.5 U1
- VMware ESXi 6.5 U2
- VMware ESXi 6.5 U3
- VMware ESXi 6.7
- VMware ESXi 6.7 U1
- VMware ESXi 6.7 U2
- VMware ESXi 6.7 U3

For a complete list of supported, certified and tested operating systems, plus additional details and links to relevant web sites, see the Operating System Interoperability Guide:

<https://lenovopress.com/osig#servers=x3500-m5-5464>

Physical and electrical specifications

The server features the following dimensions and weight (approximate):

- Tower:
 - Width: 218 mm (8.6 in)
 - Depth: 720 mm (28.3 in)
 - Height: 440 mm (17.25 in)
 - Weight fully configured: 45.5 kg (100.3 lb)
 - Weight minimum configuration: 30.8 kg (67.9 lb)
- With rack conversion kit:
 - Width: 423 mm (16.6 in)
 - Depth: 706 mm (27.8 in)
 - Height: 218 mm (8.6 in)
 - Weight fully configured: 44.2 kg (97.4 lb)
 - Weight minimum configuration: 29.5 kg (65 lb) minimum configuration

The server features the following supported environment:

- Design to ASHRAE Class A3, ambient of 36 °C to 40 °C (96.8 °F to 104 °F), with relaxed support:
 - Supports cloud-like workload with no performance degradation acceptable (Turbo-Off).
 - Under no circumstance can any combination of worst-case workload and configuration result in system shutdown or design exposure at 40 °C.
 - The worst-case workload (like Linpack, Turbo-On) might have performance degradation.
- Air temperature:
 - Server on: 5 - 40 °C (41 to 104 °F); altitude: 0 - 950 m (3,100 ft)
 - Server on: 5 - 28 °C (41 - 82 °F); altitude: 915 m (3,000 ft) - 3050 m (10,000 ft)
 - Server off (with standby power): 5 - 45 °C (41 - 113 °F)
 - Storage: 1 - 60 °C (34 - 140 °F)
 - Shipping: -40 - 60 °C (-40 - 140 °F)
- Humidity: 8 - 85%, Max. Dew Point 24 °C
- Electrical:
 - Models with 1500 W AC power supplies:
 - 200 - 240 (nominal) V ac; 50 Hz or 60 Hz; 8.35 A
 - Input kilovolt-amperes (kVA) (approximately):
 - Minimum configuration: 0.10 kVA
 - Maximum configuration: 1.967 kVA
 - Models with 900 W AC power supplies:
 - 100 - 127 (nominal) V ac; 50 Hz or 60 Hz; 10.3 A
 - 200 - 240 (nominal) V ac; 50 Hz or 60 Hz; 5.0 A
 - Input kilovolt-amperes (kVA) (approximately):
 - Minimum configuration: 0.15 kVA
 - Maximum configuration: 1.194 kVA
 - Models with 750 W Platinum AC power supplies:
 - 100 - 127 (nominal) V ac; 50 Hz or 60 Hz; 8.6 A
 - 200 - 240 (nominal) V ac; 50 Hz or 60 Hz; 4.2 A
 - Input kilovolt-amperes (kVA) (approximately):
 - Minimum configuration: 0.15 kVA
 - Maximum configuration: 1.015 kVA
 - Models with 750 W Titanium AC power supplies:
 - 200 - 240 (nominal) V ac; 50 Hz or 60 Hz; 4.2 A
 - Input kilovolt-amperes (kVA) (approximately):
 - Minimum configuration: 0.15 kVA
 - Maximum configuration: 0.965 kVA

- Models with 550 W AC power supplies:
 - 100 to 127 (nominal) V ac; 50 Hz or 60 Hz; 6.5 A
 - 200 to 240 (nominal) V ac; 50 Hz or 60 Hz; 3.3 A
 - Input kilovolt-amperes (kVA) (approximately):
 - Minimum configuration: 0.16 kVA
 - Maximum configuration: 0.732 kVA
- BTU output:
 - Base configuration: 2931 Btu/hr (859 watts)
 - Maximum configuration: 4043 Btu/hr (1185 watts)
- Acoustical noise emissions:
 - Sound power, idling: 6.0 bels
 - Sound power, operating: 6.0 bels

Warranty options

The system has a three-year warranty with 24x7 standard call center support and 9x5 Next Business Day onsite coverage. Also available are Lenovo Services warranty maintenance upgrades and post-warranty maintenance agreements, with a well-defined scope of services, including service hours, response time, term of service, and service agreement terms and conditions.

Lenovo warranty service upgrade offerings are region-specific. Not all warranty service upgrades are available in every region. For more information about Lenovo warranty service upgrade offerings that are available in your region, go to the Data Center Advisor and Configurator website <http://dcsc.lenovo.com>, then do the following:

1. In the Customize a Model box in the middle of the page, select the **Services** option in the Customization Option dropdown menu
2. Enter in the machine type & model of the system
3. From the search results, you can click either **Deployment Services** or **Support Services** to view the offerings

The following table explains warranty service definitions in more detail.

Table 41. Warranty service definitions

| Term | Description |
|-----------------------|---|
| On-site service | A service technician will arrive at the client's location for equipment service. |
| 24x7x2 hour | A service technician is scheduled to arrive at the client's location within two hours after remote problem determination is completed. Lenovo provides service around the clock, every day, including Lenovo holidays. |
| 24x7x4 hour | A service technician is scheduled to arrive at the client's location within four hours after remote problem determination is completed. Lenovo provides service around the clock, every day, including Lenovo holidays. |
| 9x5x4 hour | A service technician is scheduled to arrive at the client's location within four business hours after remote problem determination is completed. Lenovo provides service 8:00 am - 5:00 pm in the client's local time zone, Monday-Friday, excluding Lenovo holidays. For example, if a customer reports an incident at 3:00 pm on Friday, the technician will arrive by 10:00 am the following Monday. |
| 9x5 next business day | A service technician is scheduled to arrive at the client's location on the business day after remote problem determination is completed. Lenovo provides service 8:00 am - 5:00 pm in the client's local time zone, Monday - Friday, excluding Lenovo holidays. Calls received after 4:00 pm local time require an extra business day for service dispatch. Next business day service is not guaranteed. |
| Committed Repair | Problems receive priority handling so that repairs are completed within the committed time of 6, 8, or 24 hours. Lenovo provides service 24 hours/day, every day, including Lenovo holidays. |

The following Lenovo warranty service upgrades are available:

- Warranty and maintenance service upgrades:
 - Three, four, or five years of 9x5 or 24x7 service coverage
 - Onsite response from next business day to 2 or 4 hours
 - Committed repair service
 - Warranty extension of up to 5 years
 - Post warranty extensions
- Committed Repair Service
Committed Repair Services enhances the level of Warranty Service Upgrade or Post Warranty/Maintenance Service offering associated with the selected systems. Offerings vary and are available in select countries.
 - Priority handling to meet defined time frames to restore the failing machine to good working condition
 - Committed repair service levels are measured within the following coverage hours:
 - 24x7x6: Service performed 24 hours per day, 7 days per week, within 6 hours
 - 24x7x8: Service performed 24 hours per day, 7 days per week, within 8 hours
 - 24x7x24: Service performed 24 hours per day, 7 days per week, within 24 hours
- Hard Disk Drive Retention
Lenovo's Hard Disk Drive Retention (HDDR) service is a multi-drive hard drive retention offering that ensures your data is always under your control, regardless of the number of hard drives that are installed in your Lenovo server. In the unlikely event of a hard drive failure, you retain possession of your hard drive while Lenovo replaces the failed drive part. Your data stays safely on your premises, in your hands. The Hard Drive Retention service can be purchased in convenient bundles with our warranty upgrades and extensions.
- Microcode Support
Keeping microcode current helps prevent hardware failures and security exposure. There are two levels of service: analysis of the installed base and analysis and update where required. Offerings vary by region and can be bundled with other warranty upgrades and extensions.
- Remote Technical Support Services (RTS)
RTS provides comprehensive technical call center support for covered servers, storage, operating systems, and applications. Providing a single source for support of hardware and software issues, RTS can reduce problem resolution time, decreasing the cost to address technical problems and increasing uptime. Offerings are available for Windows, Linux, IBM Systems Director, VMware, Microsoft business applications, and Lenovo System x storage devices, and IBM OEM storage devices.

Regulatory compliance

The server conforms to the following standards:

- Energy Star 2.1
- FCC - Verified to comply with Part 15 of the FCC Rules, Class A
- Canada ICES-003, issue 5, Class A
- UL/IEC 60950-1
- CSA C22.2 No. 60950-1-07
- NOM-019
- Argentina IEC60950-1
- Japan VCCI, Class A
- IEC-60950-1 (CB Certificate and CB Test Report)
- Australia/New Zealand AS/NZS CISPR 22:2006, Class A; AS/NZS 60950.1
- Taiwan BSMI CNS13438, Class A ;CNS14336-1
- GB9254 Class A, GB17625.1
- China CCC GB4943.1
- Korea KN22, Class A; KN24

External drive enclosures

The server supports attachment to external drive enclosures using a RAID controller with external ports or a SAS host bus adapter. Adapters supported by the server are listed in the [SAS adapters for external storage](#) section.

The following table lists the 6 Gbps SAS external drive enclosures that are offered by Lenovo that can be used with the server for storage expansion.

Table 42. E1012 and E1024 external drive enclosure models

| Part number | Description |
|-------------|---|
| 64111B1 | Lenovo Storage E1012 LFF Disk Expansion Single SAS IO Module, Rail Kit, 9x5 NBD |
| 64111B2 | Lenovo Storage E1012 LFF Disk Expansion Dual SAS IO Module, Rail Kit, 9x5 NBD |
| 64111B3 | Lenovo Storage E1024 SFF Disk Expansion Single SAS IO Module, Rail Kit, 9x5 NBD |
| 64111B4 | Lenovo Storage E1024 SFF Disk Expansion Dual SAS IO Module, Rail Kit, 9x5 NBD |

For details about supported drives and cables for the Lenovo Storage E1012 and E1024, see the Lenovo Press Product Guide:

<http://lenovopress.com/lp0043>

The following table lists the 12 Gbps SAS external drive enclosures offered by Lenovo that can be used with the server for storage expansion.

Note: Information provided in this section is for ordering reference purposes only. For the operating system and adapter support details, refer to the interoperability matrix for a particular storage enclosure that can be found on the Lenovo Data Center Support web site:

<http://datacentersupport.lenovo.com>

Table 43. External drive enclosures

| Description | Part number | | |
|--|-------------|---------|---------|
| | Worldwide | Japan | PRC |
| Lenovo Storage D1212 LFF Disk Expansion with Dual SAS IO Modules | 4587A11 | 4587A1J | 4587A1C |
| Lenovo Storage D1224 SFF Disk Expansion with Dual SAS IO Modules | 4587A31 | 4587A3J | 4587A3C |
| Lenovo Storage D3284 4TB x 84 HD Expansion Enclosure | 641311F | | |
| Lenovo Storage D3284 6TB x 84 HD Expansion Enclosure | 641312F | | |
| Lenovo Storage D3284 8TB x 84 HD Expansion Enclosure | 641313F | | |
| Lenovo Storage D3284 10TB x 84 HD Expansion Enclosure | 641314F | | |

For details about supported drives, adapters, and cables, see the following Lenovo Press Product Guides:

- Lenovo Storage D1212 and D1224
<http://lenovopress.com/lp0512>
- Lenovo Storage D3284
<http://lenovopress.com/lp0513>

External storage systems

The following table lists the external storage systems that are currently offered by Lenovo.

Note: Information provided in this section is for ordering reference purposes only. End-to-end storage configuration support *must* be verified through the interoperability matrix for a particular storage system that can be found on the Lenovo Data Center Support web site:
<http://datacentersupport.lenovo.com>

Table 44. External storage systems: DE Series

| Description | Part number | |
|---|-------------|------------|
| | Worldwide | Japan |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE Series Storage (SAS connectivity) | | |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE2000H SAS Hybrid Flash Array LFF | 7Y70A000WW | 7Y701003JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE2000H SAS Hybrid Flash Array SFF | 7Y71A000WW | 7Y711003JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE4000H SAS Hybrid Flash Array 4U60 | 7Y77A002WW | 7Y771000JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE4000H SAS Hybrid Flash Array LFF | 7Y74A000WW | 7Y74A000JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE4000H SAS Hybrid Flash Array SFF | 7Y75A000WW | 7Y75A000JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE4000F SAS All Flash Array SFF | 7Y76A000WW | 7Y76A000JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE6000H SAS Hybrid Flash Array 4U60 | 7Y80A000WW | 7Y801002JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE6000H SAS Hybrid Flash Array SFF | 7Y78A000WW | 7Y781002JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE6000F SAS All Flash Array SFF | 7Y79A000WW | 7Y79A000JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE Series Storage (iSCSI connectivity) | | |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE2000H 10GBASE-T Hybrid Flash Array LFF | 7Y70A003WW | 7Y701001JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE2000H 10GBASE-T Hybrid Flash Array SFF | 7Y71A002WW | 7Y711005JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE2000H iSCSI Hybrid Flash Array LFF | 7Y70A004WW | 7Y701000JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE2000H iSCSI Hybrid Flash Array SFF | 7Y71A003WW | 7Y711006JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE4000H iSCSI Hybrid Flash Array 4U60 | 7Y77A000WW | 7Y771002JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE4000H iSCSI Hybrid Flash Array LFF | 7Y74A002WW | 7Y74A002JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE4000H iSCSI Hybrid Flash Array SFF | 7Y75A001WW | 7Y75A001JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE4000F iSCSI All Flash Array SFF | 7Y76A002WW | 7Y76A002JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE6000H iSCSI Hybrid Flash Array 4U60 | 7Y80A002WW | 7Y801000JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE6000H iSCSI Hybrid Flash Array SFF | 7Y78A002WW | 7Y781000JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE6000F iSCSI All Flash Array SFF | 7Y79A002WW | 7Y79A002JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE Series Storage (FC connectivity) | | |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE2000H FC Hybrid Flash Array LFF | 7Y70A002WW | 7Y701002JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE2000H FC Hybrid Flash Array SFF | 7Y71A001WW | 7Y711004JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE4000H FC Hybrid Flash Array 4U60 | 7Y77A001WW | 7Y771001JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE4000H FC Hybrid Flash Array LFF | 7Y74A001WW | 7Y74A001JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE4000H FC Hybrid Flash Array SFF | 7Y75A002WW | 7Y75A002JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE4000F FC All Flash Array SFF | 7Y76A001WW | 7Y76A001JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE6000H FC Hybrid Flash Array 4U60 | 7Y80A001WW | 7Y801001JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE6000H FC Hybrid Flash Array SFF | 7Y78A001WW | 7Y781001JP |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DE6000F FC All Flash Array SFF | 7Y79A001WW | 7Y79A001JP |

Table 45. External storage systems: DM Series

| Description | Part number |
|---|-------------|
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DM Series Storage (iSCSI or FC connectivity) | |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DM3000H Hybrid Storage Array (2U12 LFF, CTO only) | 7Y42CTO1WW |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DM3000H 48TB (12x 4TB HDDs) (Universal SFP+) | 7Y420001EA* |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DM3000H 48TB (12x 4TB HDDs) (10GBASE-T) | 7Y420002EA* |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DM5000H Hybrid Storage Array (2U24 SFF, CTO only) | 7Y57CTO1WW |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DM5000H 11.5TB (12x 960GB SSDs) (Universal SFP+) | 7Y570001EA* |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DM5000H 11.5TB (12x 960GB SSDs) (10GBASE-T) | 7Y570002EA* |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DM5000H 29TB (24x 1.2TB 10K HDDs) (Universal SFP+) | 7Y570003EA* |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DM5000H 29TB (24x 1.2TB 10K HDDs) (10GBASE-T) | 7Y570004EA* |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DM5000F Flash Storage Array (2U24 SFF, CTO only) | 7Y41CTO1WW |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DM7000H Hybrid Storage Array (3U, CTO only) | 7Y56CTO1WW |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DM7000F Flash Storage Array (3U, CTO only) | 7Y40CTO1WW |

* Available only in EMEA.

Table 46. External storage systems: DS Series

| Description | Part number | | |
|---|-------------|---------|---------|
| | Worldwide | Japan | PRC |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DS Series Storage (SAS connectivity) | | | |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DS2200 LFF SAS Dual Controller Unit | 4599A41 | 4599A4J | 4599A4C |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DS2200 SFF SAS Dual Controller Unit | 4599A21 | 4599A2J | 4599A2C |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DS4200 LFF SAS Dual Controller Unit | 4617A41 | 4617A4J | 4617A4C |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DS4200 SFF SAS Dual Controller Unit | 4617A21 | 4617A2J | 4617A2C |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DS6200 SFF SAS Dual Controller Unit | 4619A21 | 4619A2J | 4619A2C |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DS Series Storage (iSCSI or FC connectivity) | | | |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DS2200 LFF FC/iSCSI Dual Controller Unit | 4599A31 | 4599A3J | 4599A3C |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DS2200 SFF FC/iSCSI Dual Controller Unit | 4599A11 | 4599A1J | 4599A1C |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DS4200 LFF FC/iSCSI Dual Controller Unit | 4617A31 | 4617A3J | 4617A3C |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DS4200 SFF FC/iSCSI Dual Controller Unit | 4617A11 | 4617A1J | 4617A1C |
| Lenovo ThinkSystem DS6200 SFF FC/iSCSI Dual Controller Unit | 4619A11 | 4619A1J | 4619A1C |
| DS6200F 12x 400GB 10DWD SSDs, 1x 8Gb FC SFP, 512 Snapshots, Replication | 4619A1F | 4619J1F | 4619C1F |
| DS6200F 12x 800GB 3DWD SSDs, 1x 8Gb FC SFP, 512 Snapshots, Replication | 4619A2F | 4619J2F | 4619C2F |
| DS6200F 12x 1.6TB 3DWD SSDs, 1x 8Gb FC SFP, 512 Snapshots, Replication | 4619A3F | 4619J3F | 4619C3F |
| DS6200F 12x 3.84TB 1DWD SSDs, 1x 8Gb FC SFP, 512 Snapshots, Replication | 4619A4F | 4619J4F | 4619C4F |

Table 47. External storage systems: V Series and Storwize for Lenovo

| Description | Part number |
|--|-------------|
| Lenovo Storage V Series (SAS [except V7000/V7000F], iSCSI, or FC connectivity) | |
| Lenovo Storage V3700 V2 LFF Control Enclosure | 6535C1D |
| Lenovo Storage V3700 V2 SFF Control Enclosure | 6535C2D |
| Lenovo Storage V3700 V2 XP LFF Control Enclosure | 6535C3D |
| Lenovo Storage V3700 V2 XP SFF Control Enclosure | 6535C4D |
| Lenovo Storage V5030 LFF Control Enclosure 3Yr S&S | 6536C12 |
| Lenovo Storage V5030 LFF Control Enclosure 5Yr S&S | 6536C32 |
| Lenovo Storage V5030 SFF Control Enclosure 3Yr S&S | 6536C22 |
| Lenovo Storage V5030 SFF Control Enclosure 5Yr S&S | 6536C42 |
| Lenovo Storage V5030F SFF Control Enclosure 3Yr S&S | 6536B1F |
| Lenovo Storage V5030F SFF Control Enclosure 5Yr S&S | 6536B2F |
| Lenovo Storage V7000 SFF Control Enclosure 3Yr S&S PRC | 6538R11^ |
| Lenovo Storage V7000 SFF Control Enclosure 5Yr S&S PRC | 6538R21^ |
| Lenovo Storage V7000F SFF Control Enclosure 3Yr S&S PRC | 6538R1G^ |
| Lenovo Storage V7000F SFF Control Enclosure 5Yr S&S PRC | 6538R2G^ |
| IBM Storwize for Lenovo (iSCSI or FC connectivity) | |
| IBM Storwize V7000 SFF Control Enclosure, 3YR SWMA | 6195C32† |
| IBM Storwize V7000 SFF Control Enclosure, 3YR SWMA, LA | 6195C3L‡ |
| IBM Storwize V7000 SFF Control Enclosure, 5YR SWMA | 6195C52† |
| IBM Storwize V7000 SFF Control Enclosure, 5YR SWMA, LA | 6195C5L‡ |

^ Available only in PRC.

† Available worldwide except Latin America.

‡ Available only in Latin America.

For more information, see the list of Product Guides in the following categories:

- Lenovo DE Series, DM Series, DS Series, and V Series storage:
<http://lenovopress.com/storage/san/lenovo#rt=product-guide>
- IBM Storwize for Lenovo storage:
<http://lenovopress.com/storage/san/ibm#rt=product-guide>

External backup units

The following table lists the external backup options that are offered by Lenovo.

Table 48. External backup options

| Part number | Description |
|---|--|
| External RDX USB drives | |
| 362532Y | RDX External USB 3.0 Dock with 320GB Cartridge |
| 362550Y | RDX External USB 3.0 Dock with 500GB Cartridge |
| 36251TY | RDX External USB 3.0 Dock with 1TB Cartridge |
| External RDX USB drives (ThinkServer) | |
| 4XFOG88929 | Lenovo ThinkServer External RDX Tape Drive |
| External SAS tape backup drives | |
| 6160S6E | IBM TS2260 Tape Drive Model H6S |
| 6160S7E | IBM TS2270 Tape Drive Model H7S |
| External SAS tape backup autoloaders | |
| 6171S5R | IBM TS2900 Tape Autoloader w/LTO5 HH SAS |
| 6171S6R | IBM TS2900 Tape Autoloader w/LTO6 HH SAS |
| 6171S7R | IBM TS2900 Tape Autoloader w/LTO7 HH SAS |
| External tape backup libraries | |
| 6741L1U | IBM TS4300 3U Tape Library-Base Unit |
| 6741L3U | IBM TS4300 3U Tape Library-Expansion Unit |
| Full High 8 Gb Fibre Channel for TS4300 | |
| 01KP954 | LTO 8 FH Fibre Channel Drive |
| 01KP938 | LTO 7 FH Fibre Channel Drive |
| 01KP935 | LTO 6 FH Fibre Channel Drive |
| Half High 8 Gb Fibre Channel for TS4300 | |
| 01KP952 | LTO 8 HH Fibre Channel Drive |
| 01KP936 | LTO 7 HH Fibre Channel Drive |
| 01KP933 | LTO 6 HH Fibre Channel Drive |
| Half High 6 Gb SAS for TS4300 | |
| 01KP953 | LTO 8 HH SAS Drive |
| 01KP937 | LTO 7 HH SAS Drive |
| 01KP934 | LTO 6 HH SAS Drive |

For more information, see the list of Product Guides in the Backup units category:

<https://lenovopress.com/servers/options/backup>

Top-of-rack Ethernet switches

The following table lists the Ethernet LAN switches that are offered by Lenovo.

Table 49. Ethernet LAN switches

| Part number | Description |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| 1 Gb Ethernet Rack switches | |
| 7Y810011WW | Lenovo ThinkSystem NE0152T RackSwitch (Rear to Front) |
| 7Z320011WW | Lenovo ThinkSystem NE0152TO RackSwitch (Rear to Front, ONIE) |
| 7159BAX | Lenovo RackSwitch G7028 (Rear to Front) |
| 7159CAX | Lenovo RackSwitch G7052 (Rear to Front) |
| 7159G52 | Lenovo RackSwitch G8052 (Rear to Front) |
| 7165H1X | Juniper EX2300-C PoE Switch |
| 7165H2X | Juniper EX2300-24p PoE Switch |
| 1 Gb Ethernet Campus switches | |
| 7Z340011WW | Lenovo CE0128TB Switch (3-Year Warranty) |
| 7Z360011WW | Lenovo CE0128TB Switch (Limited Lifetime Warranty) |
| 7Z340012WW | Lenovo CE0128PB Switch (3-Year Warranty) |
| 7Z360012WW | Lenovo CE0128PB Switch (Limited Lifetime Warranty) |
| 7Z350021WW | Lenovo CE0152TB Switch (3-Year Warranty) |
| 7Z370021WW | Lenovo CE0152TB Switch (Limited Lifetime Warranty) |
| 7Z350022WW | Lenovo CE0152PB Switch (3-Year Warranty) |
| 7Z370022WW | Lenovo CE0152PB Switch (Limited Lifetime Warranty) |
| 10 Gb Ethernet switches | |
| 7159A1X | Lenovo ThinkSystem NE1032 RackSwitch (Rear to Front) |
| 7159B1X | Lenovo ThinkSystem NE1032T RackSwitch (Rear to Front) |
| 7159C1X | Lenovo ThinkSystem NE1072T RackSwitch (Rear to Front) |
| 7159CRW | Lenovo RackSwitch G8272 (Rear to Front) |
| 7159GR6 | Lenovo RackSwitch G8296 (Rear to Front) |
| 25 Gb Ethernet switches | |
| 7159E1X | Lenovo ThinkSystem NE2572 RackSwitch (Rear to Front) |
| 7Z210021WW | Lenovo ThinkSystem NE2572O RackSwitch (Rear to Front, ONIE) |
| 100 Gb Ethernet switches | |
| 7159D1X | Lenovo ThinkSystem NE10032 RackSwitch (Rear to Front) |
| 7Z210011WW | Lenovo ThinkSystem NE10032O RackSwitch (Rear to Front, ONIE) |

For more information, see the list of Product Guides in the following switch categories:

- 1 Gb Ethernet switches: <http://lenovopress.com/networking/tor/1gb?rt=product-guide>
- 10 Gb Ethernet switches: <http://lenovopress.com/networking/tor/10gb?rt=product-guide>
- 25 Gb Ethernet switches: <http://lenovopress.com/networking/tor/25gb?rt=product-guide>
- 40 Gb Ethernet switches: <http://lenovopress.com/networking/tor/40gb?rt=product-guide>
- 100 Gb Ethernet switches: <https://lenovopress.com/networking/tor/100Gb?rt=product-guide>

Fibre Channel SAN switches

The following table lists the Fibre Channel SAN switches that are offered by Lenovo and can be used with this system.

Table 50. Fibre Channel SAN switches

| Part number | Description |
|-----------------|---|
| 8 Gb FC | |
| 3873AR6 | Lenovo B300, E_Port License, 8 ports licensed, 8x 8Gb SWL SFPs, 1 PS, Rail Kit, 1Yr FW |
| 16 Gb FC | |
| 6559F2A | Lenovo ThinkSystem DB610S, 8 ports licensed, 8x 16Gb SWL SFPs, 1 PS, Rail Kit, 1Yr FW |
| 6559F1A | Lenovo ThinkSystem DB610S, ENT Bundle, 24 ports licensed, 24x 16Gb SWL SFPs, 1 PS, Rail Kit, 1Yr FW |
| 6559D1Y | Lenovo ThinkSystem DB610S, ENT Bundle, 24 ports licensed, 24x 16Gb SWL SFPs, 1 PS, Rail Kit, 3Yr FW |
| 3873ER1 | Lenovo B6505, 12 ports licensed, 12x 16Gb SWL SFPs, 1 PS, Rail Kit, 1Yr FW |
| 3873AR5 | Lenovo B6505, 12 ports licensed, 12x 16Gb SWL SFPs, 1 PS, Rail Kit, 3Yr FW |
| 3873IR1 | Lenovo B6510, 24 ports licensed, 24x 16Gb SWL SFPs, 2 PS, Rail Kit, 1Yr FW |
| 3873BR3 | Lenovo B6510, 24 ports licensed, 24x 16Gb SWL SFPs, 2 PS, Rail Kit, 3Yr FW |
| 32 Gb FC | |
| 6559F3A | Lenovo ThinkSystem DB610S, 8 ports licensed, No SFPs, 1 PS, Rail Kit, 1Yr FW |
| 6559D3Y | Lenovo ThinkSystem DB610S, 8 ports licensed, No SFPs, 1 PS, Rail Kit, 3Yr FW |
| 6415G3A | Lenovo ThinkSystem DB620S, 24 ports licensed, No SFPs, 2 PS, Rail Kit, 1Yr FW |
| 6415H11 | Lenovo ThinkSystem DB620S, 24 ports licensed, 24x 32Gb SWL SFPs, 2 PS, Rail Kit, 1Yr FW |
| 6415G11 | Lenovo ThinkSystem DB620S, 24 ports licensed, 24x 32Gb SWL SFPs, 2 PS, Rail Kit, 3Yr FW |
| 6415H2A | Lenovo ThinkSystem DB620S, ENT Bundle, 48 ports licensed, 48x 32Gb SWL SFPs, 2 PS, Rail Kit, 1Yr FW |
| 7D1SA001WW | Lenovo ThinkSystem DB630S, 48 ports licensed, No SFPs, 2 PS, Rail Kit, 1Yr FW |
| 7D1SA002WW | Lenovo ThinkSystem DB630S, 48 ports licensed, 48x 32Gb SWL SFPs, 2 PS, Rail Kit, 1Yr FW |
| 7D1SA003WW | Lenovo ThinkSystem DB630S, ENT, 96 ports licensed, 96x 32Gb SWL SFPs, 2 PS, Rail Kit, 1Yr FW |
| 6684D2A | Lenovo ThinkSystem DB400D 32Gb FC Director, ENT. Feature set, 4 Blade slots, 8U, 1Yr FW |
| 6684B2A | Lenovo ThinkSystem DB400D 32Gb FC Director, ENT. Feature set, 4 Blade slots, 8U, 3Yr FW |
| 6682D1A | Lenovo ThinkSystem DB800D 32Gb FC Director, ENT. Feature set, 8 Blade slots, 14U, 1Yr FW |

For more information, see the list of Product Guides in the Rack SAN Switches category:

<http://lenovopress.com/storage/switches/rack#rt=product-guide>

Uninterruptible power supply units

The server supports attachments to the uninterruptible power supply (UPS) units that are listed in the following table.

Table 51. Uninterruptible power supply units

| Part number | Description |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Tower UPS units | |
| 55951AX | T1kVA Tower UPS (100-125VAC) |
| 55951KX | T1kVA Tower UPS (200-240VAC) |
| 55952AX | T1.5kVA Tower UPS (100-125VAC) |
| 55952KX | T1.5kVA Tower UPS (200-240VAC) |
| Rack-mounted or tower UPS units | |
| 55941AX | RT1.5kVA 2U Rack or Tower UPS (100-125VAC) |
| 55941KX | RT1.5kVA 2U Rack or Tower UPS (200-240VAC) |
| 55942AX | RT2.2kVA 2U Rack or Tower UPS (100-125VAC) |
| 55942KX | RT2.2kVA 2U Rack or Tower UPS (200-240VAC) |
| 55943AX | RT3kVA 2U Rack or Tower UPS (100-125VAC) |
| 55943KX | RT3kVA 2U Rack or Tower UPS (200-240VAC) |
| 55945KX | RT5kVA 3U Rack or Tower UPS (200-240VAC) |
| 55946KX | RT6kVA 3U Rack or Tower UPS (200-240VAC) |
| 55948KX | RT8kVA 6U Rack or Tower UPS (200-240VAC) |
| 55949KX | RT11kVA 6U Rack or Tower UPS (200-240VAC) |
| 55948PX | RT8kVA 6U 3:1 Phase Rack or Tower UPS (380-415VAC) |
| 55949PX | RT11kVA 6U 3:1 Phase Rack or Tower UPS (380-415VAC) |
| Rack-mounted UPS units | |
| 55943KT† | ThinkSystem RT3kVA 2U Standard UPS (200-230VAC) (2x C13 10A, 2x GB 10A, 1x C19 16A outlets) |
| 55943LT† | ThinkSystem RT3kVA 2U Long Backup UPS (200-230VAC) (2x C13 10A, 2x GB 10A, 1x C19 16A outlets) |
| 55946KT† | ThinkSystem RT6kVA 5U UPS (200-230VAC) (2x C13 10A outlets, 1x Terminal Block output) |
| 5594XKT† | ThinkSystem RT10kVA 5U UPS (200-230VAC) (2x C13 10A outlets, 1x Terminal Block output) |

† Only available in China and countries in the Asia Pacific region.

For more information, see the list of Product Guides in the UPS category:

<https://lenovopress.com/servers/options/ups>

Power distribution units

The following table lists the power distribution units (PDUs) that are offered by Lenovo.

Table 52. Power distribution units

| Part number | Description |
|---------------|---|
| 0U Basic PDUs | |
| 00YJ776 | 0U 36 C13/6 C19 24A/200-240V 1 Phase PDU with NEMA L6-30P line cord |

| Part number | Description |
|--|---|
| 00YJ777 | 0U 36 C13/6 C19 32A/200-240V 1 Phase PDU with IEC60309 332P6 line cord |
| 00YJ778 | 0U 21 C13/12 C19 32A/200-240V/346-415V 3 Phase PDU with IEC60309 532P6 line cord |
| 00YJ779 | 0U 21 C13/12 C19 48A/200-240V 3 Phase PDU with IEC60309 460P9 line cord |
| Switched and Monitored PDUs | |
| 00YJ780 | 0U 20 C13/4 C19 Switched and Monitored 32A/200-240V/1Ph PDU w/ IEC60309 332P6 line cord |
| 00YJ781 | 0U 20 C13/4 C19 Switched and Monitored 24A/200-240V/1Ph PDU w/ NEMA L6-30P line cord |
| 00YJ782 | 0U 18 C13/6 C19 Switched / Monitored 32A/200-240V/346-415V/3Ph PDU w/ IEC60309 532P6 cord |
| 00YJ783 | 0U 12 C13/12 C19 Switched and Monitored 48A/200-240V/3Ph PDU w/ IEC60309 460P9 line cord |
| 46M4002 | 1U 9 C19/3 C13 Switched and Monitored DPI PDU (without line cord) |
| 46M4003 | 1U 9 C19/3 C13 Switched and Monitored 60A 3 Phase PDU with IEC 309 3P+Gnd line cord |
| 46M4004 | 1U 12 C13 Switched and Monitored DPI PDU (without line cord) |
| 46M4005 | 1U 12 C13 Switched and Monitored 60A 3 Phase PDU with IEC 309 3P+Gnd line cord |
| Ultra Density Enterprise PDUs (9x IEC 320 C13 + 3x IEC 320 C19 outlets) | |
| 71762NX | Ultra Density Enterprise C19/C13 PDU Module (without line cord) |
| 71763NU | Ultra Density Enterprise C19/C13 PDU 60A/208V/3ph with IEC 309 3P+Gnd line cord |
| C13 Enterprise PDUs (12x IEC 320 C13 outlets) | |
| 39M2816 | DPI C13 Enterprise PDU+ (without line cord) |
| 39Y8941 | DPI Single Phase C13 Enterprise PDU (without line cord) |
| C19 Enterprise PDUs (6x IEC 320 C19 outlets) | |
| 39Y8948 | DPI Single Phase C19 Enterprise PDU (without line cord) |
| 39Y8923 | DPI 60A 3 Phase C19 Enterprise PDU with IEC 309 3P+G (208 V) fixed line cord |
| Front-end PDUs (3x IEC 320 C19 outlets) | |
| 39Y8938 | DPI 30amp/125V Front-end PDU with NEMA L5-30P line cord |
| 39Y8939 | DPI 30amp/250V Front-end PDU with NEMA L6-30P line cord |
| 39Y8934 | DPI 32amp/250V Front-end PDU with IEC 309 2P+Gnd line cord |
| 39Y8940 | DPI 60amp/250V Front-end PDU with IEC 309 2P+Gnd line cord |
| 39Y8935 | DPI 63amp/250V Front-end PDU with IEC 309 2P+Gnd line cord |
| NEMA PDUs (6x NEMA 5-15R outlets) | |
| 39Y8905 | DPI 100-127V PDU with Fixed NEMA L5-15P line cord |
| Line cords for PDUs that ship without a line cord | |
| 40K9611 | DPI 32a Line Cord (IEC 309 3P+N+G) |
| 40K9612 | DPI 32a Line Cord (IEC 309 P+N+G) |
| 40K9613 | DPI 63a Cord (IEC 309 P+N+G) |
| 40K9614 | DPI 30a Line Cord (NEMA L6-30P) |
| 40K9615 | DPI 60a Cord (IEC 309 2P+G) |
| 40K9617 | DPI Australian/NZ 3112 Line Cord |
| 40K9618 | DPI Korean 8305 Line Cord |

For more information, see the Lenovo Press documents in the PDU category:
<https://lenovopress.com/servers/options/pdu>

Rack cabinets

Supported rack cabinets are listed in the following table.

Table 53. Rack cabinets

| Part number | Description |
|-------------------------------|--|
| Tower to rack conversion kits | |
| 00KC334 | System x3500 M5 Cable Management Kit |
| 00AL538 | System x3500 M5 Tower to Rack Conversion Kit |
| Rack cabinets | |
| 201886X | 11U Office Enablement Kit |
| 93072RX | 25U Standard Rack |
| 93072PX | 25U Static S2 Standard Rack |
| 93634EX | 42U 1100mm Dynamic Expansion Rack |
| 93634PX | 42U 1100mm Dynamic Rack |
| 93604EX | 42U 1200mm Deep Dynamic Expansion Rack |
| 93604PX | 42U 1200mm Deep Dynamic Rack |
| 93614EX | 42U 1200mm Deep Static Expansion Rack |
| 93614PX | 42U 1200mm Deep Static Rack |
| 93084EX | 42U Enterprise Expansion Rack |
| 93084PX | 42U Enterprise Rack |
| 93074RX | 42U Standard Rack |
| 93074XX | 42U Standard Rack Extension |
| 93624EX | 47U 1200mm Deep Static Expansion Rack |
| 93624PX | 47U 1200mm Deep Static Rack |
| 93634BX | PureFlex® System 42U Expansion Rack |
| 93634DX | PureFlex System 42U Expansion Rack |
| 93634AX | PureFlex System 42U Rack |
| 93634CX | PureFlex System 42U Rack |

For more information, see the list of Lenovo Press Product Guides in the Rack Cabinets category: <https://lenovopress.com/servers/options/racks>

KVM console options

The following table lists the supported KVM consoles, keyboards, and KVM switches.

Table 54. Console keyboards

| Part number | Description |
|-------------------|--|
| Consoles | |
| 17238BX | 1U 18.5" Standard Console (without keyboard) |
| Console keyboards | |
| 00MW310 | Lenovo UltraNav Keyboard USB - US Eng |
| 46W6713 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Arabic 253 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6714 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Belg/UK 120 RoHS v2 |

| Part number | Description |
|------------------------------|---|
| 46W6715 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Chinese/US 467 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6716 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Czech 489 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6717 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Danish 159 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6718 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Dutch 143 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6719 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - French 189 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6720 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Fr/Canada 445 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6721 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - German 129 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6722 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Greek 219 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6723 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Hebrew 212 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6724 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Hungarian 208 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6725 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Italian 141 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6726 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Japanese 194 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6727 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Korean 413 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6728 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - LA Span 171 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6729 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Norwegian 155 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6730 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Polish 214 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6731 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Portuguese 163 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6732 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Russian 441 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6733 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Slovak 245 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6734 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Spanish 172 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6735 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Swed/Finn 153 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6736 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Swiss F/G 150 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6737 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Thai 191 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6738 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Turkish 179 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6739 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - UK Eng 166 RoHS v2 |
| 46W6740 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - US Euro 103P RoHS v2 |
| 46W6741 | Keyboard w/ Int. Pointing Device USB - Slovenian 234 RoHS v2 |
| Console switches | |
| 1754D2X | Global 4x2x32 Console Manager (GCM32) |
| 1754D1X | Global 2x2x16 Console Manager (GCM16) |
| 1754A2X | Local 2x16 Console Manager (LCM16) |
| 1754A1X | Local 1x8 Console Manager (LCM8) |
| Console switch cables | |
| 43V6147 | Single Cable USB Conversion Option (UCO) |
| 39M2895 | USB Conversion Option (4 Pack UCO) |
| 46M5383 | Virtual Media Conversion Option Gen2 (VCO2) |
| 46M5382 | Serial Conversion Option (SCO) |

For more information, see the list of Product Guides in the KVM Switches and Consoles category:
<http://lenovopress.com/servers/options/kvm>

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