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# Using This Documentation

- Overview Describes how to troubleshoot and maintain the Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2.
- Audience Technicians, system administrators, authorized service providers, and trained hardware service personnel who have been instructed on the hazards within the equipment and are qualified to remove and replace hardware.
- **Required knowledge** Advanced experience troubleshooting and replacing hardware.

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# 1 About the Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2

These sections describe the controls, connectors, LEDs, system components, and replaceable components of the server:

- Product Description
- Server Physical Specifications
- Front and Back Panel Components
- System Components

### Note:

All system firmware and software for Exadata database servers is automatically maintained by the Exadata update process. Do not manually update firmware or software unless directed by Oracle Support.

# **Product Description**

The Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 is an enterprise-class, two rack unit (2U) server that is available in three configurations: Extreme Flash (EF), High Capacity (HC), and Extended (XT). Each configuration uses the same server but is provisioned differently, as described in the following table.

Components	Descriptions
Processor	<ul> <li>One or two processors:</li> <li>Two Intel Xeon P8352Y, 16-core, 2.2 GHz, 205 W processors (EF and HC only)</li> <li>One Intel Xeon P8352Y, 16-core, 2.2 GHz, 205 W processor in socket P0 (XT only)</li> </ul>
Memory	<ul> <li>Sixteen 16 GB (256 GB) 3200 MT/sec DDR4 DIMMs and twelve 128 GB PMeM DIMMs (six per processor) (EF and HC only)</li> <li>Six 16 GB (96 GB) 3200 MT/sec DDR4 DIMMs (XT only)</li> <li>Eight 16 GB (128 GB) 3200 MT/sec DDR4 DIMMs (zero-data loss recovery HC only)</li> </ul>
PCIe Express 4.0	<ul> <li>Eleven PCIe Gen4 slots, with a combination of the following PCIe cards, based on the system configuration:</li> <li>Oracle Flash Accelerator F640 PCIe cards: 6.4 TB, NVMe PCIe 4.0</li> <li>Oracle Dual Port 100 Gb Ethernet Adapter</li> <li>Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal Card</li> </ul>



Components	Descriptions
Storage device	Twelve storage drive slots
	<ul> <li>Twelve storage drive slot fillers (EF only)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Twelve 3.5-inch 18 TB HDDs (HC and XT only)</li> </ul>
Flash storage	Two internal 240 GB SATA M.2 flash SSDs (used for system boot and rescue functions)
Power supply	Two hot-pluggable, redundant 1200 W power supplies
Service processor	On-board Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (Oracle ILOM) service processor (SP) based on the ASPEED Pilot 4 chip

# **Server Physical Specifications**

The following table lists the physical specifications for the Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 Extreme Flash (EF), High Capacity (HC), and Extended (XT) systems.

Dimension	Server Specification	Measurements	
Width	Server chassis	48.2 cm ( 18.9 inches)	
Depth	Maximum overall	75.9 cm (29.9 inches)	
Height	2-rack unit (2U) nominal	8.69 cm (3.42 inches)	
Weight	Fully populated server	<ul> <li>EF — 22.8 kg (50.2 lbs)</li> <li>HC — 30.5 kg (67.1 lbs)</li> <li>XT — 29.9 kg (66 lbs)</li> </ul>	

# Front and Back Panel Components

The following sections describe the controls, indicators, connectors, and drives located on the front and back panels.

- EF Front Panel Components
- EF Back Panel Components and Cable Connections
- HC and XT Front Panel Components
- HC and XT Back Panel Components and Cable Connections

### **Related Topics**

- System Components
- Illustrated Parts Breakdown
- Troubleshooting Using the Server Front and Back Panel Status Indicators



# EF Front Panel Components



Call Out	Description
1	Product Serial Number (PSN) label and Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) tag
2	Locate Button/LED: white
3	Fault-Service Action Required LED: amber
4	System OK LED: green
5	On/Standby button
6	Fault-Service Required LED: Top: Fan Module (amber)
7	Fault-Service Required LED: Rear: Power Supply (amber)
8	Fault-Service Required LED: Overtemp Icon: System Over Temperature Warning (amber)
9	SP OK LED: green
10	DO NOT SERVICE LED: white

### **Related Topics**

Troubleshooting Using the Server Front and Back Panel Status Indicators



# EF Back Panel Components and Cable Connections



Call Out	Description
1	Power supply (PS 1)
2	Power Supply (PS) 1 status indicators: Fault-Service Required LED: amber; AC OK LED: green
3	Power supply (PS 0)
4	Power Supply (PS) 0 status indicators: Fault-Service Required LED: amber; AC OK LED: green
5	PCIe slot 1 (Nonfunctional in single-processor systems) (Oracle Flash Accelerator F640 PCIe Card)
6	PCIe slot 2 (Nonfunctional in single-processor systems) (Oracle Flash Accelerator F640 PCIe Card)
7	PCIe slot 3 (Nonfunctional in single-processor systems) (Oracle Dual Port 100 Gb Ethernet Adapter)
8	PCIe slot 4 (Nonfunctional in single-processor systems) (Oracle Flash Accelerator F640 PCIe Card)
9	PCIe slot 5 (Nonfunctional in single-processor systems) (Oracle Flash Accelerator F640 PCIe Card)
10	(Oracle internal use only) Dedicated Root-of-Trust (RoT) card slot
11	Serial management (SER MGT) RJ-45 serial port
12	Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) service processor (SP) network management (NET MGT) RJ-45 100/1000BASE-T port
13	Network (NET) 100/1000BASE-T RJ-45 Gigabit Ethernet (GbE) port: NET 0
14	USB 3.0 connector
15	System status LEDs: Locate Button/LED: white; Fault-Service Required: amber; System OK: green
16	PCIe slot 6 (Oracle Flash Accelerator F640 PCIe Card v3)
17	PCIe slot 7 (Oracle Flash Accelerator F640 PCIe Card v3)
18	PCIe slot 8 (Oracle Flash Accelerator F640 PCIe Card v3)
19	PCIe slot 9 (Oracle Flash Accelerator F640 PCIe Card v3)
20	PCIe slot 10 (empty)



# Note: For more information on back panel components and connections, see Back Panel Connector Locations. See also Back Panel Pinhole Switch.

### **Related Topics**

- Troubleshooting Using the Server Front and Back Panel Status Indicators
- Disconnect Cables From the Server
- Reconnect Power and Data Cables
- Identifying the Server Ports

# HC and XT Front Panel Components



Call Out	Description
1	Product Serial Number (PSN) label and Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) tag
2	Locate Button/LED: white
3	Fault-Service Action Required LED: amber
4	System OK LED: green
5	On/Standby button
6	Fault-Service Required LED: Top: Fan Module (amber)
7	Fault-Service Required LED: Rear: Power Supply (amber)
8	Fault-Service Required LED: Overtemp Icon: System Over Temperature Warning (amber)
9	SP OK LED: green
10	DO NOT SERVICE LED: white



Call Out	Description
11	Storage drive 0 18 TB HDD
12	Storage drive 1 18 TB HDD
13	Storage drive 2 18 TB HDD
14	Storage drive 3 18 TB HDD
15	Storage drive 4 18 TB HDD
16	Storage drive 5 18 TB HDD
17	Storage drive 6 18 TB HDD
18	Storage drive 7 18 TB HDD
19	Storage drive 8 18 TB HDD
20	Storage drive 9 18 TB HDD
21	Storage drive 10 18 TB HDD
22	Storage drive 11 18 TB HDD

### **Related Topics**

Troubleshooting Using the Server Front and Back Panel Status Indicators

# HC and XT Back Panel Components and Cable Connections



### Note:

For more information on back panel components and connections, see HC Back Panel Components or XT Back Panel Components. See also Back Panel Pinhole Switch.

### **Related Topics**

- Troubleshooting Using the Server Front and Back Panel Status Indicators
- Disconnect Cables From the Server
- Reconnect Power and Data Cables
- Identifying the Server Ports



# HC Back Panel Components

Call Out	Description
1	Power supply (PS 1)
2	Power Supply (PS) 1 status indicators: Fault-Service Required LED: amber; AC OK LED: green
3	Power supply (PS 0)
4	Power Supply (PS) 0 status indicators: Fault-Service Required LED: amber; AC OK LED: green
5	PCIe slot 1 (Nonfunctional in single-processor systems) (Oracle Flash Accelerator F640 PCIe Card v3)
6	PCIe slot 2 (Nonfunctional in single-processor systems)
7	PCIe slot 3 (Nonfunctional in single-processor systems) (Oracle Dual Port 100 Gb Ethernet Adapter)
8	PCIe slot 4 (Nonfunctional in single-processor systems) (Oracle Flash Accelerator F640 PCIe Card v3)
9	PCIe slot 5 (Nonfunctional in single-processor systems)
10	(Oracle internal use only) Dedicated Root-of-Trust (RoT) card slot
11	Serial management (SER MGT) RJ-45 serial port
12	Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) service processor (SP) network management (NET MGT) RJ-45 100/1000BASE-T port
13	Network (NET) 100/1000BASE-T RJ-45 Gigabit Ethernet (GbE) port: NET 0
14	USB 3.0 connector
15	System status LEDs: Locate Button/LED: white; Fault-Service Required: amber; System OK: green
16	PCIe slot 6 (Oracle Flash Accelerator F640 PCIe Card v3)
17	PCIe slot 7 (empty)
18	PCIe slot 8 (Oracle Flash Accelerator F640 PCIe Card v3)
19	PCIe slot 9 (empty)
20	PCIe slot 10 (Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal: 16 port)

# XT Back Panel Components

Call Out	Description
1	Power supply (PS 1)
2	Power Supply (PS) 1 status indicators: Fault-Service Required LED: amber; AC OK LED: green
3	Power supply (PS 0)
4	Power Supply (PS) 0 status indicators: Fault-Service Required LED: amber; AC OK LED: green
5	PCIe slot 1 (Nonfunctional in single-processor systems)
6	PCIe slot 2 (Nonfunctional in single-processor systems)



Call Out	Description
7	PCIe slot 3 (Nonfunctional in single-processor systems)
8	PCIe slot 4 (Nonfunctional in single-processor systems)
9	PCIe slot 5 (Nonfunctional in single-processor systems)
10	(Oracle internal use only) Dedicated Root-of-Trust (RoT) card slot
11	Serial management (SER MGT) RJ-45 serial port
12	Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) service processor (SP) network management (NET MGT) RJ-45 100/1000BASE-T port
13	Network (NET) 100/1000BASE-T RJ-45 Gigabit Ethernet (GbE) port: NET 0
14	USB 3.0 connector
15	System status LEDs: Locate Button/LED: white; Fault-Service Required: amber; System OK: green
16	PCIe slot 6 (empty)
17	PCIe slot 7 (empty)
18	PCIe slot 8 (empty)
19	PCIe slot 9 (Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal: 16 port)
20	PCIe slot 10 (Oracle Dual Port 100 Gb Ethernet Adapter)

# System Components

These sections describe the components of the server:

- Illustrated Parts Breakdown
- Replaceable Components

# Illustrated Parts Breakdown

The following figure identifies the major components of the server.





Figure Legend	Description
1	Twelve storage drives
2	Disk backplane
3	System chassis
4	Front LED indicator module and temperature sensor
5	Fan modules
6	Fan tray
7	Motherboard assembly
8	Processors and heatsinks (Single-processor systems contain only a single processor in socket P0; socket P1 contains a cover to protect processor socket pins.)
9	Internal M.2 SATA
10	Top cover
11	(Optional) Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal card
12	PCIe cards (PCIe slots 1 through 5 are nonfunctional in single-processor systems.)
13	System battery
14	Power supplies
15	Air baffle
16	DIMMs (Only sixteen DIMMs are supported in single-processor systems and the DIMMs must be installed in P0 DIMM sockets.)

# **Replaceable Components**

The following table lists the replaceable components in the server and directs you to the replacement instructions.



Replaceable Component (Service Level)	Description	Replacement Instructions
Battery (Cold service)	Lithium coin-cell battery that powers the CMOS BIOS and real-time clock.	Servicing the Battery
Air baffle (Cold service)	Aids in the cooling the system components.	Servicing the Air Baffle
DIMMs (Cold service)	Add or replace memory modules in the system.	Servicing the DIMMs
Storage drives (Hot service)	Storage drive configurations can comprise both hard disk drives (HDDs), solid state disk drives (SSDs), or NVMe drives. Configurations include:	Servicing Storage Drives
	<ul> <li>Up to twelve 3.5-inch hot-pluggable SAS3 HDDs/ SSDs</li> <li>Up to twelve 2.5-inch hot-pluggable PCIe-based NVMe SSDs</li> </ul>	
Internal M.2 flash SSDs (Hot service)	Supports up to two hot-pluggable internal M.2 SATA or NVMe flash SSDs.	Servicing the Internal M.2 Flash SSDs
Fan modules (Hot service)	Four fan modules for cooling the server components.	Servicing Fan Modules
PCIe cards (Cold service)	Optional add-on cards that can expand the functionality of the server.	Servicing PCIe Cards
Power supply units (Hot service)	Two fully redundant AC-powered power supplies.	Servicing Power Supplies
Processor and heatsink (Cold service)	The processor that carries out the instructions of the system.	Servicing Processors
Disk backplane (Cold service)	Provides power and communications connectors for storage drives.	Servicing the Disk Backplane
SAS cables (Cold service)	Provides signals between the front disk backplane and the Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal card.	Servicing SAS Cables
NVMe cables (Cold service)	Provides signals between the Oracle Retimer card located in PCIe slot 10 and the disk backplane.	Servicing NVMe Cables
	NVMe cables between the Oracle Retimer card and the storage backplane are required if storage drive slots 8 through 11 contain NVMe SSDs.	

Replaceable Component (Service Level)	Description	Replacement Instructions
Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal card and super capacitor (Cold service)	Located in PCIe slot 10, the Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal card manages SAS storage drives.	Servicing the Internal HBA Card and HBA Super Capacitor
Front LED indicator module (Cold service)	Contains the push-button circuitry and LEDs that are displayed on the front panel.	Servicing the Front LED Indicator Module
Temperature sensor (Cold service)	Provides temperature information for the system.	Servicing the Temperature Sensor
Motherboard assembly (Cold service)	Provides connectors for the DIMMs, processors, PCIe risers, and other components.	Servicing the Motherboard Assembly

### **Related Topics**

• Illustrated Parts Breakdown



# 2 Installation Procedure

This section provides an overview of the installation procedure for Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2. Review the entire installation procedure and find links to more information about each step.

Installation Procedure Overview

#### **Related Installation Documentation**

- Oracle Server Safety and Compliance Guide at: Oracle Safety and Compliance
   Documentation Library
- Important Safety Information for Oracle's Hardware Systems

# Installation Procedure Overview

The following table lists the tasks you need to complete to install Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 Extreme Flash or Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 High Capacity.

Step	Description	Links
1	Review the product notes for any late- breaking information about the server.	Oracel Server X9-2L Documentation
2	<ul> <li>Review the server site requirements, specifications, and components.</li> <li>Familiarize yourself with electrostatic discharge (ESD) and safety precautions.</li> <li>Assemble the required tools and equipment.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Preparing for Server Installation in Oracle Servers X9-2 and X9-2L Installation Guide at: Oracel Server X9-2L Documentation</li> <li>Electrostatic Discharge Safety and Take Antistatic Measures</li> <li>Tools and Equipment in Oracle Servers X9-2 and X9-2L Installation Guide at: Oracel Server X9-2L Documentation</li> </ul>
3	<ul><li> Review the server features.</li><li> Review the server components.</li></ul>	<ul> <li>About the Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2</li> <li>Front and Back Panel Components</li> <li>System Components</li> </ul>
4	Install the server into a rack.	Installing the Server Into a Rack in Oracle Servers X9-2 and X9-2L Installation Guide at: Oracel Server X9-2L Documentation
5	<ul><li>Attach cables and power cords to the server.</li><li>Power on the server.</li></ul>	Connecting Cables and Applying Power in Oracle Servers X9-2 and X9-2L Installation Guide at: Oracel Server X9-2L Documentation
6	Troubleshoot installation issues.	Troubleshooting Installation Issues in Oracle Servers X9-2 and X9-2L Installation Guide at: Oracel Server X9-2L Documentation



# 3 Troubleshooting and Diagnostics

This section includes information about troubleshooting hardware component faults for the Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2. It contains the following topics:

- Troubleshooting Server Component Hardware Faults
- Troubleshooting With Diagnostic Tools
- Attaching Devices to the Server
- Getting Help
- Auto Service Requests

For more information about server troubleshooting and diagnostics, refer to the *Oracle x86* Servers Diagnostics and Troubleshooting Guide at Oracle x86 Servers Administration, Diagnostics, and Applications Documentation.

# Troubleshooting Server Component Hardware Faults

This section contains maintenance-related information and procedures that you can use to troubleshoot and repair server hardware issues. The following topics are covered.

- Troubleshooting Server Hardware Faults
- Troubleshooting and Diagnostic Information
- Troubleshooting Using the Server Front and Back Panel Status Indicators
- Troubleshooting System Cooling Issues
- Troubleshooting Power Issues
- Managing Server Hardware Faults Through the Oracle ILOM Fault Management Shell

# Troubleshooting Server Hardware Faults

When a server hardware fault event occurs, the system lights the Fault-Service Required LED and captures the event in the Oracle ILOM event log. If you set up notifications through Oracle ILOM, you also receive an alert through the notification method you chose. When you become aware of a hardware fault, address it immediately.

To investigate a hardware fault, see the following:

- Basic Troubleshooting Process
- Troubleshoot Hardware Faults Using the Oracle ILOM Web Interface

### **Basic Troubleshooting Process**

Use the following process to address a hardware fault (for the step-by-step procedure, see Troubleshoot Hardware Faults Using the Oracle ILOM Web Interface).

1. Identify the server subsystem containing the fault.



You can use Oracle ILOM to identify the failed component.

#### 2. Review the .

The product notes contain up-to-date information about the server, including hardware-related issues.

#### 3. Prepare the server for service using Oracle ILOM.

If you determined that the hardware fault requires service (physical access to the server), use Oracle ILOM to take the server offline, activate the Locate button/ LED, and if necessary, power off the server.

#### 4. Prepare the service workspace.

Before servicing the server, prepare the workspace, ensuring Electrostatic Discharge Safety (ESD) protection for the server and components.

See Preparing for Service.

#### 5. Service the components.

To service the components, see the removal, installation, and replacement procedures in this document.

#### 6. Clear the fault in Oracle ILOM.

Depending on the component, you might need to clear the fault in Oracle ILOM. Generally, components that have a replaceable component ID clear the fault automatically.

#### **Related Topics**

Troubleshoot Hardware Faults Using the Oracle ILOM Web Interface

### Troubleshoot Hardware Faults Using the Oracle ILOM Web Interface

### Note:

The screens shown in this procedure might differ from those for your server.

This procedure uses the basic troubleshooting steps described in Basic Troubleshooting Process.

Use this procedure to troubleshoot hardware faults using the Oracle ILOM web interface and, if necessary, prepare the server for service.

### Note:

This procedure provides one basic approach to troubleshooting hardware faults. It uses the Oracle ILOM web interface. However, you can perform the procedure using the Oracle ILOM command-line interface (CLI). For more information about the Oracle ILOM web interface and CLI, refer to the Oracle ILOM documentation.

**1.** Log in to the server SP Oracle ILOM web interface.



Open a browser and direct it using the IP address of the server SP. Enter a user name (with administrator privileges) and password at the Login screen. The Summary Information page appears.

The Status section of the Summary Information page provides information about the server subsystems, including:

- Processors
- Memory
- Power
- Cooling
- Storage
- Networking
- PCI Devices
- Firmware
- 2. In the Status section of the Oracle ILOM Summary Information page, identify the server subsystem that requires service.

For example, if a hardware component in the subsystem is in a fault state, the Status column notes the status as Service Required.

3. To identify the faulty component, click the component in the Status section.

The Oracle ILOM page showing the faulty component appears.

4. To get more information, click the Open Problems link.

The Open Problems page provides detailed information, such as the time the event occurred, the component and subsystem name, and a description of the issue. It also includes a link to an Oracle Knowledge Base article.

### **Tip**:

The System Log provides a chronological list of all the system events and faults that occurred since the log was last reset and includes additional information, such as severity levels and error counts. The System Log also includes information on the devices not reported in the Status section. To access the System Log, in the left panel, click System Log.

5. Before going to the server, review the for information related to the issue or the component.

The Product Notes contain up-to-date information about the server, including hardware-related issues.

6. To prepare the server for service, see Preparing for Service.

After servicing the component, you might need to clear the fault in Oracle ILOM. For more information, refer to the service procedure for the component.

7. Service the component.



# Troubleshooting and Diagnostic Information

The following list displays diagnostic and troubleshooting-related procedures and references that can assist you with resolving server issues.

- Oracle x86 Servers Diagnostics and Troubleshooting Guide for Servers With Oracle ILOM at: Oracle x86 Servers Administration, Diagnostics, and Applications Documentation
- Oracle X9 Series Servers Administration Guide at Oracle x86 Servers Administration, Diagnostics, and Applications Documentation
- Troubleshooting Using the Server Front and Back Panel Status Indicators
- Managing Server Hardware Faults Through the Oracle ILOM Fault Management Shell

# Troubleshooting Using the Server Front and Back Panel Status Indicators

These sections describe the status indicators (LEDs) located on the front and back of the server, including those found on components and ports. This section includes the following topics:

- Server Boot Process and Normal Operating State Indicators
- Server System-Level Status Indicators
- Server Fan Status Indicators
- Storage Drive Status Indicators
- Power Supply Status Indicators
- Network Management Port Status Indicators
- Ethernet Port Status Indicators
- Motherboard Status Indicators

### **Related Topics**

- EF Front Panel Components
- EF Back Panel Components and Cable Connections
- HC and XT Front Panel Components
- HC and XT Back Panel Components and Cable Connections

### Server Boot Process and Normal Operating State Indicators

A normal server boot process involves two indicators, the service processor SP OK LED indicator and the System OK LED indicator.

When AC power is connected to the server, the server boots into standby power mode:

1. The SP OK LED blinks slowly (0.5 seconds on, 0.5 seconds off) while the SP is starting, and the System OK LED remains off until the SP is ready.



 After a few minutes, the main System OK LED slowly flashes the standby blink pattern (0.1 seconds on, 2.9 seconds off), indicating that the SP (and Oracle ILOM) is ready for use. In Standby power mode, the server is not initialized or fully powered on at this point.

When powering on the server (either by the On/Standby button or Oracle ILOM), the server boots to full power mode:

- 1. The System OK LED blinks slowly (0.5 seconds on, 0.5 seconds off), and the SP OK LED remains lit (no blinking).
- 2. When the server successfully boots, the System OK LED remains lit. When the System OK LED and the SP OK LED indicators remain lit, the server is in Main power mode.

### Note:

The green System OK LED indicator and the green SP OK indicator remain lit (no blinking) when the server is in a normal operating state.

### Server System-Level Status Indicators

There are seven system-level status indicators (LEDs), some of which are located on both the server front panel and the back panel. For the location of the status indicators, see Front and Back Panel Components. The following table describes these indicators.

Status Indicator Name	lcon	Color	State and Meaning	
Locate Button/LED	۵	White	<ul> <li>Indicates the location of the server.</li> <li>OFF – Server is operating normally.</li> <li>FAST BLINK (250 ms) – Use Oracle ILOM to activate this LED indicator to enable you to locate a particular syste quickly and easily.</li> </ul>	
			<ul> <li>Pressing the Locate button toggles the LED indicator fast blink on or off.</li> </ul>	
Fault-Service Required		Amber	<ul> <li>Indicates the fault state of the server.</li> <li>OFF – The server is operating normally.</li> <li>STEADY ON – A fault is present on the server. This LED indicator lights whenever a fault indicator lights for a replaceable component on the server.</li> <li>Note: When this LED indicator is lit, a system console message might appear that includes a recommended service action.</li> </ul>	



Status Indicator Name	lcon	Color	State and Meaning
System OK	OK	Green	<ul> <li>Indicates the operational state of the chassis.</li> <li>OFF – AC power is not present or the Oracle ILOM boot is not complete.</li> <li>STANDBY BLINK (on for 100 ms, off for 2900 ms) – Standby power is on, but the chassis power is off and the Oracle ILOM SP is running.</li> <li>SLOW BLINK (1000 ms) – Startup sequence was initiated on the host. This pattern begins soon after you power on the server. This status indicates either: power-on self-test (POST) code checkpoint tests are running on the server host system, or the host is transitioning from the powered-on state to the standby state on shutdown.</li> <li>STEADY ON – The server is powered on, and all host POST code checkpoint tests are complete. The server host is booting the operating system (OS), or the server host is running the OS.</li> </ul>
SP OK	SP	Green	<ul> <li>Indicates the state of the service processor.</li> <li>OFF – Service processor (SP) is not running.</li> <li>SLOW BLINK – SP is booting.</li> <li>STEADY ON – SP is fully operational.</li> </ul>
Top Fan	TOP FAN	Amber	<ul> <li>Indicates that one or more of the internal fan modules failed.</li> <li>OFF – Indicates steady state; no service is required.</li> <li>STEADY ON – Indicates service required.</li> </ul>
Back Power Supply Fault	REAR PS	Amber	<ul> <li>Indicates that one of the server power supplies failed.</li> <li>OFF – Indicates steady state; no service is required.</li> <li>STEADY ON – Indicates service required; service the power supply.</li> </ul>
System Over Temperature Warning		Amber	<ul> <li>Indicates a warning for an overtemperature condition.</li> <li>OFF – Normal operation; no service is required.</li> <li>STEADY ON – The system is experiencing an overtemperature warning condition.</li> <li>Note: This is a warning indication, not a fatal overtemperature. Failure to correct this might result in the system overheating and shutting down unexpectedly.</li> </ul>

Status Indicator Name	lcon	Color	State and Meaning
DO NOT SERVICE	DO NOT SERVICE	White	<ul> <li>Indicates that the system is not ready to service.</li> <li>OFF – Normal operation.</li> <li>STEADY ON – The system is not ready for service.</li> <li>Note: The DO NOT SERVICE indicator is application specific. This indicator is only illuminated on demand by the Host application.</li> </ul>

### Server Fan Status Indicators

Each fan module has one status indicator (LED). The LEDs are located on the chassis fan tray adjacent to and aligned with the fan modules and are visible when the server top cover is removed.

Status Indicator Name	Icon	Color	State and Meaning	
Fan Status		Amber	<ul> <li>Off – The fan module is correctly installed and operating within specification.</li> <li>Amber – The fan module is faulty. The front TOP FAN LED and the front and back panel Fault-Service Required LEDs are also lit if the system detects a fan module fault.</li> </ul>	

# Storage Drive Status Indicators

There are three status indicators (LEDs) on each drive.

Status Indicator Name	Icon	Color	State and Meaning
OK/Activity	ОК	Green	<ul> <li>OFF – Power is off or installed drive is not recognized by the system.</li> <li>STEADY ON – The drive is engaged and is receiving power.</li> <li>RANDOM BLINK – There is disk activity. Status indicator LED blinks on and off to indicate activity.</li> </ul>
Fault- Service Required		Amber	<ul> <li>OFF – The storage drive is operating normally.</li> <li>STEADY ON – The system detected a fault with the storage drive.</li> </ul>



Status Indicator Name	Icon	Color	State and Meaning
OK to Remove	4	Blue	<ul> <li>STEADY ON – The storage drive can be removed safely during a hot-plug operation.</li> <li>OFF – The storage drive is not prepared for removal.</li> </ul>

# Power Supply Status Indicators

There are two status indicators (LEDs) on each power supply. These indicators are visible from the back of the server.

Status Indicator Name	Icon	Color	State and Meaning
AC OK/ DC OK	ОК	Green	<ul> <li>OFF – No AC power is present.</li> <li>SLOW BLINK – Normal operation. Input power is within specification. DC output voltage is not enabled.</li> <li>STEADY ON – Normal operation. Input AC power and DC output voltage are within specification.</li> </ul>
Fault- Service Required		Amber	<ul> <li>OFF – Normal operation. No service action is required.</li> <li>STEADY ON – The power supply (PS) detected a PS fan failure, PS overtemperature, PS overcurrent, or PS overvoltage or undervoltage.</li> </ul>

# Network Management Port Status Indicators

The server has one 100/1000BASE-T Ethernet management domain interface, labeled NET MGT. There are two status indicators (LEDs) on this port. These indicators are visible from the back of the server.

Status Indicator Name	Location	Color	State and Meaning
Activity	Top left	Green	<ul> <li>ON – Link up.</li> <li>OFF – No link or down link.</li> <li>BLINKING – Packet activity.</li> </ul>
Link speed	Top right	Green	<ul> <li>ON – 1000BASE- T link.</li> <li>OFF – 100BASE- T link.</li> </ul>



# **Ethernet Port Status Indicators**

The server has one 100/1000BASE-T Gigabit Ethernet port (NET 0). There are two status indicators (LEDs) that are visible from the back of the server.

Status Indicator Name	Location	Color	State and Meaning
Activity	Bottom left	Green	<ul> <li>ON – Link up.</li> <li>OFF– No activity.</li> <li>BLINKING – Packet activity.</li> </ul>
Link speed	Bottom right	Bi-colored: Amber/ Green	<ul> <li>OFF – 100BASE-T link (if link up).</li> <li>Green ON – 1000BASE-T link.</li> </ul>

### Motherboard Status Indicators

The motherboard contains the following status indicators (LEDs).

Status Indicator	Description
DIMM Fault Status Indicators	<ul> <li>Each 32 DIMM slot on the motherboard has an amber fault status indicator (LED) associated with it.</li> <li>If Oracle ILOM determines that a DIMM is faulty, pressing the Fault Remind button on the motherboard I/O card signals the service processor to light the fault LED associated with the failed DIMM.</li> <li>See Servicing the DIMMs.</li> </ul>
Processor Fault Status Indicators	<ul> <li>The motherboard includes a fault status indicator (LED) adjacent to each of the two processor sockets.</li> <li>These LEDs indicate when a processor fails.</li> <li>Pressing the Fault Remind button on the motherboard I/O card signals the service processor to light the fault status indicators associated with the failed processors.</li> <li>See Servicing Processors.</li> </ul>
Fault Remind Status Indicator	<ul> <li>This status indicator (LED) is located next to the Fault Remind button and is powered from the super capacitor that powers the fault LEDs on the motherboard.</li> <li>This LED lights to indicate that the fault remind circuitry is working properly in cases where no components failed and, as a result, none of the component fault LEDs illuminate.</li> <li>See Using the Server Fault Remind Button.</li> </ul>



Status Indicator	Description
STBY PWRGD Status Indicator	<ul> <li>This green status indicator (LED) is labeled STBY PWRGD and is located on the motherboard near the back of the server.</li> <li>This LED lights to inform a service technician that the motherboard is receiving Standby power from at least one of the power supplies.</li> <li>This LED helps prevent service actions on the server internal components while the AC power cords are installed and power is being supplied to the server.</li> </ul>

# Troubleshooting System Cooling Issues

Maintaining the proper internal operating temperature of the server is crucial to the health of the server. To prevent server shutdown and damage to components, you need to address overtemperature and hardware-related issues as soon as they occur. If your server has a temperature-related fault, use the information in the following table to troubleshoot the issue.

Cooling Issue	Description	Action	Prevention
External Ambient Temperature Too High	The server fans pull cool air into the server from its external environment. If the ambient temperature is too high, the internal temperature of the server and its components increases. This can cause poor performance and component failure.	Verify the ambient temperature of the server space against the environmental specifications for the server. If the temperature is not within the required operating range, remedy the situation immediately.	Periodically verify the ambient temperature of the server space to ensure that it is within the required range, especially if you made any changes to the server space (for example, added additional servers). The temperature must be consistent and stable.
Airflow Blockage	The server cooling system uses fans to pull cool air in from the server front intake vents and exhaust warm air out the server back panel vents. If the front or back vents are blocked, the airflow through the server is disrupted and the cooling system fails to function properly causing the server internal temperature to rise.	Inspect the server front and back panel vents for blockage from dust or debris. Inspect the server interior for improperly installed components or cables that can block the flow of air through the server.	Periodically inspect and clean the server vents using an ESD certified vacuum cleaner. Ensure that all components, such as cards, cables, fans, air baffles and dividers are properly installed. Never operate the server without the top cover installed.

Cooling Issue	Description	Action	Prevention
Cooling Areas Compromised	The air baffle, component filler panels, and server top cover maintain and direct the flow of cool air through the server. These server components must be in place for the server to function as a sealed system. If these components are not installed correctly, the airflow inside the server can become chaotic and non- directional, which can cause server components to overheat and fail.	Inspect the server interior to ensure that the air baffle is properly installed. Ensure that all external-facing slots (storage drive, PCIe) are occupied with either a component or a component filler panel. Ensure that the server top cover is in place and sits flat and snug on top of the server.	When servicing the server, ensure that the air baffle is installed correctly and that the server has no unoccupied external- facing slots. Never operate the server without the top cover installed.



Cooling Issue	Description	Action	Prevention
Hardware Component Failure	<ul> <li>Components, such as power supplies and fan modules, are an integral part of the server cooling system. When one of these components fails, the server internal temperature can rise. This rise in temperature can cause other components to enter into an over-temperature state. Some components, such as processors, might overheat when they are failing, which can also generate an over-temperature event.</li> <li>To reduce the risk related to component failure, power supplies and fan modules are installed in pairs to provide redundancy. Redundancy ensures that if one component in the pair fails, the other functioning component can continue to maintain the subsystem.</li> </ul>	Investigate the cause of the overtemperature event, and replace failed components <i>immediately</i> . See Troubleshooting Server Hardware Faults.	Component redundancy is provided to allow for component failure in critical subsystems, such as the cooling subsystem. However, once a component in a redundant system fails, the redundancy no longer exists, and the risk for server shutdown and component failures increases. Therefore, it is important to maintain redundant systems and replace failed components <i>immediately</i> .

# Troubleshooting Power Issues

If your server does not power on, use the information in the following table to troubleshoot the issue.

Power Issue	Description	Action	Prevention
AC Power Connection	The AC power cords are the direct connection between the server power supplies and the power sources. The server power supplies need separate stable AC circuits. Insufficient voltage levels or fluctuations in power can cause server power problems. The power supplies operate at a particular voltage and within an acceptable range of voltage fluctuations. Refer to <i>Electrical Requirements</i> in <i>Oracle Servers X9-2</i> <i>and X9-2L Installation</i> <i>Guide</i> at Oracle Server X9-2L Documentation.	<ul> <li>Verify that both AC power cords are connected to the server</li> <li>Verify that the correct power is present at the outlets and monitor the power to verify that it is within the acceptable range.</li> <li>Verify proper connection and operation by verifying the power supply (PS) indicator panels, which are located at the back of the server on the power supplies. Lit green AC OK indicators indicate a properly functioning power supply. An amber AC OK indicator indicates that the AC power to the power supply is insufficient.</li> </ul>	Use the AC power cord Velcro retaining clips and position the cords to minimize the risk of accidental disconnection. Ensure that the AC circuits that supply power to the server are stable and not overburdened.
Power Issue	Description	Action	Prevention
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Power Supplies (PSUs)	The server power supply units (PSUs) provide the necessary server voltages from the AC power outlets. If the power supplies are inoperable, unplugged, or disengaged from the internal connectors, the server cannot power on. <b>Note:</b> Use the Velcro straps on the back of the server to secure the power cord connectors to the back of the power supplies. The Velcro retaining straps minimize the risk of accidental disconnection.	<ul> <li>Verify that the AC cables are connected to both power supplies.</li> <li>Verify that the power supplies are operational (the PSU indicator panel must have a lit green AC OK indicator). Ensure that the power supply is properly installed. A power supply that is not fully engaged with its internal connector does not have power applied and does not have a lit green AC OK indicator</li> </ul>	When a power supply fails, replace it immediately. To ensure redundancy, the server has two power supplies. This redundant configuration prevents server downtime, or an unexpected shutdown, due to a failed power supply. The redundancy allows the server to continue to operate if one of the power supplies fails. However, when a server is being powered by a single power supply, the redundancy no longer exists, and the risk for downtime or an unexpected shutdown increases. When installing a power supply, ensure that it is fully seated and engaged with its connector inside the drive bay. A properly installed power supply has a lit green AC OK indicator.
ōp Cover	The server top cover maintains the air pressures inside the server, prevents accidental exposure to hazardous voltages, and protects internal components from physical and environmental damage.	Do not operate the server without the top cover installed unless you are hot-plugging a fan module, and then ensure that you complete the operation and replace the cover within 60 seconds. See Servicing Fan Modules and Install the Server Top Cover.	Be careful to avoid bending or otherwise warping the top cover.

## Managing Server Hardware Faults Through the Oracle ILOM Fault Management Shell

The Oracle ILOM Fault Management Shell enables you to view and manage fault activity on managed servers and other types of devices.

For more information about how to use the Oracle ILOM Fault Management Shell, refer to the *Oracle ILOM User's Guide for System Monitoring and Diagnostics Firmware Release 5.1.x* in the Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) 5.1 Documentation Library at Systems Management and Diagnostics Documentation.



## **Troubleshooting With Diagnostic Tools**

The server and its accompanying software and firmware contain diagnostic tools and features that can help you isolate component problems, monitor the status of a functioning system, and exercise one or more subsystem to disclose more subtle or intermittent hardware-related problems.

Each diagnostic tool has its own specific strength and application. Review the tools listed in this section and determine which tool might be best to use for your situation. After you determine the tool to use, you can access it locally, while at the server, or remotely.

- Diagnostic Tools
- Diagnostic Tool Documentation

## **Diagnostic Tools**

The selection of diagnostic tools available for your server range in complexity from a comprehensive validation test suite (Oracle VTS) to a chronological event log (Oracle ILOM event Log). The selection of diagnostic tools also includes standalone software packages, firmware-based tests, and hardware-based LED indicators.

The following table summarizes the diagnostic tools that you can use when troubleshooting or monitoring your server.

Diagnostic Tool	Туре	What It Does	Accessibility	Remote Capability
Oracle ILOM	SP firmware	Monitors environmental condition and component functionality sensors, generates alerts, performs fault isolation, and provides remote access.	Can function in either Standby power mode or Main power mode and is not OS dependent.	Remote and local access.
Hardware-based LED indicators	Hardware and SP firmware	Indicates status of overall system and particular components.	Available when system power is available.	Local, but sensor and indicators are accessible from Oracle ILOM web interface or command-line interface (CLI).
Power-On Self-Test (POST)	Host firmware	Tests core components of system: CPUs, memory, and motherboard I/O bridge integrated circuits.	Runs on startup. Available when the operating system is not running.	Local, but can be accessed through Oracle ILOM Remote System Console Plus.



Diagnostic Tool	Туре	What It Does	Accessibility	Remote Capability
UEFI Diagnostics	SP firmware	Tests and detects problems on all processors, memory, disk drives, and network ports.	Use either the Oracle ILOM web interface or the command-line interface (CLI) to run UEFI diagnostics.	Remote access through Oracle ILOM Remote System Console Plus.
Oracle ILOM SP/ Diag shell	SP firmware	Allows you to run HWdiag commands to check the status of a system and its components, and access HWdiag logs.	Can function on Standby power and when operating system is not running.	Local, but remote serial access is possible if the SP serial port is connected to a network-accessible terminal server.
Oracle Solaris commands	Operating system software	Displays various kinds of system information.	Requires operating system.	Local, and over network.
Oracle Linux commands	Operating system software	Displays various kinds of system information.	Requires operating system.	Local, and over network.
Oracle VTS	Diagnostic tool standalone software	Exercises and stresses the system, running tests in parallel.	Requires the Oracle Solaris operating system. Install Oracle VTS software separately.	View and control over network.

## Diagnostic Tool Documentation

The following table identifies where you can find documentation for more information about diagnostic tools.

Diagnostic Tool	Documentation	Location
Oracle ILOM	Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager 5.1 Documentation	Servers Documentation - Systems Management
UEFI Diagnostics or HWdiag	Oracle x86 Servers Diagnostics and Troubleshooting Guide	Oracle x86 Servers Administration, Diagnostics, and Applications Documentation
System indicators and sensors	This document	Troubleshooting Using the Server Front and Back Panel Status Indicators
Oracle VTS	Oracle VTS software and documentation	Oracle VTS 8.2.0 Documentation Library



## Attaching Devices to the Server

The following sections contain procedures for attaching devices to the server so you can access diagnostic tools when troubleshooting and servicing the server:

- Attach Devices to the Server
- Back Panel Connector Locations
- Configuring Serial Port Sharing
- Server Operating System Names for the NVMe Storage Drives
- Ethernet Device Naming
- MAC Address Mapping to Ethernet Ports
- Back Panel Pinhole Switch

## Attach Devices to the Server

This procedure explains how to connect devices to the server (remotely and locally), so that you can interact with the service processor (SP) and the server console.

1. Connect an Ethernet cable to the Gigabit Ethernet (NET 0) connector as needed for OS support.

See Back Panel Connector Locations.

2. To connect to the service processor's Oracle ILOM over the network, connect an Ethernet cable to the Ethernet port labeled NET MGT.

See Back Panel Connector Locations.

3. To access the system console, connect the RJ-45 cable to a terminal or terminal emulator, log on to Oracle ILOM, and type start /HOST/console.

See Back Panel Connector Locations.

## **Back Panel Connector Locations**

The following illustration shows and describes the locations of the back panel connectors. Use this information to set up the server, so that you can access diagnostic tools and manage the server during service.





No.	Cable Port or Expansion Slot	Description
1	Power supply 0 input power	The server has two power supply connectors, one for each power supply.
	Power supply 1 input power	Do not attach power cables to the power supplies until you finish connecting the data cables to the server. The server goes into Standby power mode, and the Oracle ILOM service processor initializes when the AC power cables are connected to the power source. System messages might be lost after 60 seconds if the server is not connected to a terminal, PC, or workstation.
		<b>Note:</b> Oracle ILOM signals a fault on any installed power supply that is not connected to an AC power source, as it might indicate a loss of redundancy.
2	Network management port (NET MGT)	The service processor NET MGT port is the optional connection to the Oracle ILOM service processor. The NET MGT port is configured by default to use Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP). The service processor NET MGT port uses an RJ-45 cable for a 100/1000BASE-T connection.
3	Ethernet port (NET 0)	The Ethernet port enables you to connect the system to the network. The Ethernet port uses an RJ-45 cable for a 100/1000BASE-T connection.
4	USB port	The USB port supports hot-plugging. You can connect and disconnect a USB cable or a peripheral device while the server is running without affecting system operations.



No.	Cable Port or Expansion Slot	Description
5	Serial management port (SER MGT)	The service processor SER MGT port uses an RJ-45 cable and terminal (or emulator) to provide access to the Oracle ILOM command-line interface (CLI). Using Oracle ILOM, you can configure it to connect to the system console.
		<b>Note:</b> This port does not support network connections.

## Configuring Serial Port Sharing

By default, the service processor (SP) controls the serial management (SER MGT) port and uses it to redirect the host serial console output. Using Oracle ILOM, you can assign the host console (COM1) as owner of the SER MGT port output, which allows the host console to output information directly to the SER MGT port.

Set up the network on the SP before attempting to change the serial port owner to the host server. If the network is not set up first, and you switch the serial port owner to the host server, you cannot connect using the CLI or web interface to change the serial port owner back to the SP. To return the serial port owner setting to the SP, restore access to the serial port on the server. For details, refer to the Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) 5.1 documentation at Servers Documentation - Systems Management.

If you accidentally lose access to Oracle ILOM, contact Oracle Service and follow the process to return the serial port ownership back to the SP.

You can assign serial port output using either the Oracle ILOM CLI interface or web interface, as described in the following sections:

- Assign Serial Port Output Using the Oracle ILOM CLI
- Assign Serial Port Output Using the Oracle ILOM Web Interface

## Assign Serial Port Output Using the Oracle ILOM CLI

1. Open an SSH session, and at the command line, log in to the SP Oracle ILOM CLI.

Log in as a user with root or administrator privileges. For example:

ssh root@ ipaddress

Where ipaddress is the IP address of the server SP.

Refer to Accessing Oracle ILOM in the Oracle X9 Series Servers Administration Guide at Oracle x86 Servers Administration, Diagnostics, and Applications Documentation.

The Oracle ILOM CLI prompt (->) appears.

2. To set the serial port owner, type:

-> set System/SP/serial/portsharing owner=host

#### Note:

The serial port sharing value, by default, is owner=SP.



3. Connect a serial host to the server.

## Assign Serial Port Output Using the Oracle ILOM Web Interface

**1.** Log in to the SP Oracle ILOM web interface.

Open a web browser and direct it using the IP address of the server SP. Log in as root or a user with administrator privileges. Refer to Accessing Oracle ILOM in the Oracle X9 Series Servers Administration Guide at Oracle x86 Servers Administration, Diagnostics, and Applications Documentation.

The Summary Information page appears.

- 2. In the Oracle ILOM web interface, select ILOM Administration  $\rightarrow$  Connectivity from the navigation menu on the left side of the screen.
- 3. Select the Serial Port tab.

The Serial Port Settings page appears.



- 4. On the Serial Port Settings page, select Host Server as the serial port owner.
- 5. Click Save for the changes to take effect.
- 6. Connect a serial host to the server.

## Server Operating System Names for the NVMe Storage Drives

If NVMe storage drives are installed in the server front panel, they are labeled NVMe0 through NVMe11. The server operating systems assign these storage drives different names. For the corresponding names assigned by the operating systems, see the following table. The drive names provided in the table assume that:

- Oracle Retimer card is installed in PCIe slot 10 and the cabling to the disk backplane is correct
- NVMe cabling between the motherboard and the disk backplane is correct

Storage Drive Labels	Names Assigned by the Server Operating Systems
NVMe0	PCIe Slot 100
NVMe1	PCIe Slot 101
NVMe2	PCIe Slot 102
NVMe3	PCIe Slot 103
NVMe4	PCIe Slot 104
NVMe5	PCIe Slot 105
NVMe6	PCIe Slot 106
NVMe7	PCIe Slot 107
NVMe8	PCIe Slot 108



Storage Drive Labels	Names Assigned by the Server Operating Systems
NVMe9	PCIe Slot 109
NVMe10	PCIe Slot 110
NVMe11	PCIe Slot 111

## **Ethernet Device Naming**

This section contains information about the device naming for the one 10-Gigabit Ethernet port (labeled NET 0) on the back panel of the server. See Back Panel Connector Locations.

## Ethernet Port Device Naming

The device naming for the Ethernet interface is reported differently by different interfaces and operating systems. The following table shows the BIOS (physical) and operating system (logical) naming convention for the interface. The device naming convention might vary, depending on the conventions of your operating system and which devices are installed in the server.

### Note:

Naming used by the interfaces might be different from the names in the following table, depending on which devices are installed in the system.

Port	Oracle Solaris	Oracle Linux 7 and 8
Net 0	igb0	eno1

## MAC Address Mapping to Ethernet Ports

A system serial label that displays the MAC ID (and the associated barcode) for the server is attached to the top, front-left side of the Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 server disk cage bezel.

This MAC ID (and barcode) corresponds to a hexadecimal (base 16) MAC address for a sequence of six consecutive MAC addresses. These six MAC addresses correspond to the server network ports, as shown in the following table.

Base MAC Address	Corresponding Ethernet Port
"base" + 0	NET 0
"base" + 1	Unassigned
"base" + 2	Unassigned
"base" + 3	Unassigned
"base" + 4	SP (NET MGT)
"base" + 5	Used only when Network Controller-Sideband Interface (NC-SI) sideband management is configured.



## Back Panel Pinhole Switch

Oracle Service personnel might instruct you to use the back panel pinhole switch to reset the SP, as shown in the following figure.



Callout	Icon	Description
1	SP ->	SP Reset

## **Getting Help**

The following sections describe how to get additional help to resolve server-related problems.

- Contacting Support
- Locating the Chassis Serial Number

## Contacting Support

If the troubleshooting procedures in this chapter do not solve your problem, use the following table to collect information that you might need to communicate to Oracle Support.

System Configuration Information Needed	Your Information
Service contract number	
System model	
Operating environment	



System Configuration Information Needed	Your Information
System serial number	
Peripherals attached to the system	
Email address and phone number for you and a secondary contact	
Street address where the system is located	
Superuser password	
Summary of the problem and the work being done when the problem occurred	
Other Useful Information	
IP address	
Server name (system host name)	
Network or internet domain name	
Proxy server configuration	

#### **Related Topics**

Locating the Chassis Serial Number

## Locating the Chassis Serial Number

You might need your server serial number when you ask for service on your system. Record this number for future use. Use one of the following resources or methods to locate your server serial number.

• The serial number is located on the Radio-frequency Identification (RFID) label on the bottom left side of the front panel bezel, below the general status LEDs.

For illustrations of the server front panel, see Front and Back Panel Components.

- The serial number is recorded on a label that is attached to the top-front surface of the system.
- The serial number is recorded on the yellow Customer Information Sheet (CIS) that is attached to your server packaging.
- Using Oracle ILOM:
  - From the web interface, view the serial number on the System Information screen.
  - From the command-line interface (CLI), type the command: show /System

## Auto Service Requests

Oracle Auto Service Requests (ASR) is a feature available to customers having Oracle Premier Support and is provided to those customers at no additional cost. Oracle ASR is the fastest way to restore system availability if a hardware fault occurs. Oracle ASR software is secure and customer installable, with the software and documentation downloadable from My Oracle Support at My Oracle Support. For instructions on downloading the Oracle ASR software, log in to My Oracle Support, and go to Knowledge Article Document ID 1185493.1, named Oracle Auto Service Request.



When a hardware fault is detected, Oracle ASR opens a service request with Oracle and transfers electronic fault telemetry data to help expedite the diagnostic process. Oracle diagnostics analyze the telemetry data for known issues and delivers immediate corrective actions. For security, the electronic diagnostic data sent to Oracle includes only what is needed to solve the problem. The software does not use any incoming Internet connections and does not include any remote access mechanisms.

For more information about Oracle ASR, go to: Oracle Premier Support.

## 4 Preparing for Service

These sections describe safety considerations and provide prerequisite procedures and information about replacing components within the server:

- Safety Precautions
- Safety Symbols
- Electrostatic Discharge Safety
- Key Identity Properties (KIP) Automated Update
- Required Tools
- Preparing the Server for Component Replacement

#### **Related Topics**

Returning the Server to Operation

## Safety Precautions

For your protection, observe the following safety precautions when setting up your equipment:

- Follow all standard cautions, warnings, and instructions marked on the equipment and described in the Oracle Server Safety and Compliance Guide (located at: Oracle Safety and Compliance Documentation Library) and Important Safety Information for Oracle's Hardware Systems.
- Ensure that the voltage and frequency of your power source match the voltage and frequency inscribed on the equipment electrical rating label.
- Follow the electrostatic discharge safety practices as described in Electrostatic Discharge Safety.
- Disconnect both power supply cords (if necessary) before servicing components.

#### Note:

Power cords must be disconnected when servicing components that require cold service.

#### **Related Topics**

- Safety Symbols
- Electrostatic Discharge Safety

## Safety Symbols

The following symbols might appear in this document. Note their meanings.



#### Caution:

**Risk of personal injury or equipment damage.** To avoid personal injury or equipment damage, follow the instructions.

#### Caution:

**Hot surface.** Avoid contact. Surfaces are hot and might cause personal injury if touched.

#### Caution:

**Hazardous voltages are present.** To reduce the risk of electric shock and danger to personal health, follow the instructions.

#### **Related Topics**

- Safety Precautions
- Electrostatic Discharge Safety

## **Electrostatic Discharge Safety**

Devices that are sensitive to electrostatic discharge (ESD), such as the motherboard, PCIe cards, drives, processors, and memory DIMMs require special handling.

#### Caution:

The boards and drives contain electronic components that are extremely sensitive to static electricity. Ordinary amounts of static electricity from clothing or the work environment can destroy components. Do not touch the components along their connector edges.

Do the following when handling ESD-sensitive components:

• Use an antistatic wrist strap.

Wear an antistatic wrist strap when handling components such as drive assemblies, boards, or cards. When servicing or removing server components, disconnect the power cords from the server and then attach an antistatic strap to your wrist and then to a metal area on the chassis. Following this practice equalizes the electrical potentials between you and the server.



#### Note:

An antistatic wrist strap is not included in the Accessory Kit for the server. However, antistatic wrist straps are included with optional components.

• Use an antistatic mat.

Place ESD-sensitive components such as the motherboard, DIMMS (memory modules), and other printed circuit board (PCB) cards on an antistatic mat. The following items can be used as an antistatic mat:

- An antistatic bag used to wrap an Oracle replacement part
- An Oracle ESD mat (orderable item)
- A disposable ESD mat (shipped with some replacement parts or optional system components)

#### **Related Topics**

- Safety Precautions
- Safety Symbols
- Preparing the Server for Component Replacement
- Returning the Server to Operation

## Key Identity Properties (KIP) Automated Update

Oracle ILOM includes a key identity properties (KIP) auto-update feature that ensures product information that is used for service entitlement and warranty coverage is accurately maintained by the server at all times, including during hardware replacement activities.

The KIP includes the server product name, product part number (PPN), and product serial number (PSN). The KIP is stored in the replaceable unit container of the three server replaceable units that are designated quorum members.

The quorum members include:

- Disk backplane (DBP), designated as a primary quorum member.
- Motherboard (MB), designated as a backup quorum member.
- Power supply (PS), designated as a backup quorum member.

When a server component that contains the KIP is removed and a replacement component is installed, the KIP of the replacement component is programmed by Oracle ILOM to contain the same KIP as the other two components.

#### Note:

Only one of the quorum members can be replaced at a time. Automated updates can only be completed when two of the three quorum members contain matching key identity properties.



#### **Related Topics**

- Servicing Power Supplies
- Servicing the Disk Backplane
- Servicing the Motherboard Assembly

## **Required Tools**

The server can be serviced with the following tools:

- Antistatic wrist strap
- Antistatic mat
- No. 2 Phillips screwdriver
- Torx (6 lobe) T10, T15, T25, and T30 screwdrivers
- 12.0 in-lbs/ft (inch-pounds/foot) torque driver

#### **Related Topics**

Preparing for Service

## Preparing the Server for Component Replacement

#### Note:

When you are replacing the storage drives or power supplies, not all of these procedures are necessary. See the replacement procedures for those components for more information.

Before you can remove and install components that are inside the server, you must perform the procedures in some or all of the following sections:

- Powering Down the Server
- Disconnect Cables From the Server
- Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position
- Remove the Server From the Rack
- Take Antistatic Measures
- Remove the Server Top Cover

#### **Related Topics**

Returning the Server to Operation

## Powering Down the Server

The following sections describe the different methods for powering down the server.



#### Note:

Some server components, such as storage drives, power supplies, fan modules, and M.2 flash SSDs are hot-pluggable. Components that are hot-pluggable do not require the server to be powered down when performing service procedures.

- Power Down the Server for Immediate Shutdown Using the Oracle ILOM CLI
- Power Down the Server for Immediate Shutdown Using the Oracle ILOM Web Interface
- Power Down the Server for Immediate Shutdown Using the On/Standby Button

#### **Related Topics**

Power On the Server

Power Down the Server for Immediate Shutdown Using the Oracle ILOM CLI

#### Caution:

An immediate power-off might corrupt system data, therefore, use this procedure to power down the server only after attempting the graceful power down procedure.

1. Log in to the Oracle ILOM command-line interface (CLI) using an Administrator account.

Oracle ILOM displays the default command prompt (->), indicating that you have successfully logged in to Oracle ILOM.

2. From the CLI prompt, type the following command:

```
-> stop -f /System
```

The server powers down immediately to Standby power mode.

3. Disconnect the power and data cables from the server.

See Disconnect Cables From the Server.

#### Caution:

When you power down the server using Oracle ILOM, the server enters Standby power mode. Power is still directed to the service processor and power supply fans. To completely power off the server, you must disconnect the power cords from the power supplies.

#### **Related Topics:**

- Power Down the Server for Immediate Shutdown Using the On/Standby Button
- Power Down the Server for Immediate Shutdown Using the Oracle ILOM Web Interface
- Power On the Server



Power Down the Server for Immediate Shutdown Using the Oracle ILOM Web Interface

#### Caution:

An immediate power-off might corrupt system data, therefore, use this procedure to power down the server only after attempting the graceful power down procedure.

1. Log in to the Oracle ILOM web interface using an Administrator account.

The Oracle ILOM web interface System Information  $\rightarrow$  Summary Information page appears.

- 2. In the left pane, click Host Management  $\rightarrow$  Power Control, and click Immediate Power Off in the Select Action list.
- 3. Click Save, and then click OK.

The server powers down immediately to Standby power mode.

4. Disconnect the power and data cables from the server.

See Disconnect Cables From the Server.

#### 🔺 Caution:

When you power down the server using Oracle ILOM, the server enters Standby power mode. Power is still directed to the service processor and power supply fans. To completely power off the server, you must disconnect the power cords from the power supplies.

#### **Related Topics:**

- Power Down the Server for Immediate Shutdown Using the On/Standby Button
- Power Down the Server for Immediate Shutdown Using the Oracle ILOM CLI
- Power On the Server

## Power Down the Server for Immediate Shutdown Using the On/Standby Button

### **Caution**:

An immediate power-off might corrupt system data, therefore, use this procedure to power down the server only after attempting the graceful power down procedure.

**1.** Press and hold the On/Standby button for four seconds to force the Main power off and to enter Standby power mode.



When Main power is off, the System OK LED on the front panel begins blinking, indicating that the server is in Standby power mode. See Server System-Level Status Indicators.

2. Disconnect the power cords and data cables from the server.

See Disconnect Cables From the Server.

## Caution:

When you power down the server using the On/Standby button, the server enters Standby power mode. Power is still directed to the service processor and power supply fans. To completely power off the server, you must disconnect the power cords from the power supplies.

#### **Related Topics:**

- Power Down the Server for Immediate Shutdown Using the Oracle ILOM CLI
- · Power Down the Server for Immediate Shutdown Using the Oracle ILOM Web Interface
- Power On the Server

## Disconnect Cables From the Server

#### Caution:

The system supplies Standby power to the circuit boards even when the system is powered off.

- 1. Label all cables connected to the server.
- 2. Power down the server.

See Powering Down the Server.

- 3. Disconnect the power cords from the rear of the server.
- 4. Disconnect all data cables from the rear of the server.
- 5. If your rackmount kit includes a cable management device, remove the cables from it.
- 6. Depending on the components that you are servicing, either extend the server to the maintenance position, or remove the server from the rack.

#### **Related Topics:**

- EF Back Panel Components and Cable Connections
- HC and XT Back Panel Components and Cable Connections
- Powering Down the Server
- Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position
- Remove the Server From the Rack
- Reconnect Power and Data Cables



## Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position

The following components can be serviced with the server in the maintenance position:

- Storage drives
- Fan modules
- Power supplies
- DDR4 DIMMs
- PCIe cards and cables
- SAS cables
- NVMe cables
- M.2 Flash drives
- System battery
- Processors
- Disk backplane
- Front indicator module
- Motherboard

If the server is installed in a rack with extendable slide-rails, use this procedure to extend the server to the maintenance position.

**1.** To prevent the rack from tipping forward when the server is extended, extend all rack anti-tilt mechanisms.

Refer to *Stabilize the Rack* in *Oracle Servers X9-2 and X9-2L Installation Guide* Also refer to the *Oracle Rack Cabinet 1242 User's Guide* at Oracle Rack Cabinet 1242 Documentation Library.

2. Verify that no cables will be damaged or will interfere when the server is extended.

Although the cable management arm (CMA) that is supplied with the server is hinged to accommodate extending the server, you should ensure that all cables and cords are capable of extending.

**3.** From the front of the server, open and hold the left and right release latch covers in the open position.

When in an open position, the release latch covers engage the slide-rail release latches [1].

### Caution:

Deploy any rack anti-tilt mechanism before releasing the slide-rail release latches.





4. While the release latch covers are in the open position, slowly pull the server forward until the slide-rails latch into a locked position [2].

The server is now in the extended maintenance position.

#### **Related Topics:**

- Disconnect Cables From the Server
- Remove the Server From the Rack
- Reinstall the Server Into the Rack

## Remove the Server From the Rack

#### Caution:

The server weighs approximately 73.0 pounds (33.11 kg). Two people are required to unmount and carry the chassis.

- **1**. Disconnect all the cables and power cords from the server.
- 2. Remove the cable management arm (CMA).

Refer to *Remove the Cable Management Arm* in *Oracle Servers X9-2 and X9-2L Installation Guide* at Oracle Server X9-2L Documentation

3. Extend the server to the maintenance position.

See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.

4. From the front of the server, pull the gray slide-rail release tabs toward the front of the server, and pull the server out of the rack until it is free of the rack rails [1 and 2].

A slide-rail release tab is located on each slide-rail.





## Note:

To pull the gray slide-rail release tab, place your finger in the center of the tab, not on the end, and apply pressure as you pull the tab toward the front of the server.

5. Set the server on a sturdy work surface.

#### **Related Topics:**

- Disconnect Cables From the Server
- Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position
- Reinstall the Server Into the Rack

## Take Antistatic Measures

**1**. Prepare an antistatic surface on which to set parts during removal and installation.

Place electrostatic discharge (ESD)-sensitive components on an antistatic mat. The following items can be used as an antistatic mat:

- An antistatic bag used to wrap a replacement part
- An Oracle ESD mat (orderable item)
- A disposable ESD mat (shipped with some replacement parts or optional system components)
- 2. Attach an antistatic wrist strap.

When servicing or removing server components, attach an antistatic strap to your wrist and then to a metal area on the chassis. Then perform procedures for servicing the server.

### Note:

An antistatic wrist strap is not included in the Accessory Kit for the server. However, antistatic wrist straps might be included with options and components.

#### **Related Topics:**

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- Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position
- Remove the Server From the Rack
- Remove the Server Top Cover
- Remove Antistatic Measures

## Remove the Server Top Cover

Servicing some components requires that the top cover be removed.

1. Ensure that AC power cords are disconnected from the server power supplies.

## Note:

Fan modules and M.2 flash SSDs are hot-pluggable and do not require AC power cables to be disconnected from the server power supplies.

2. If the release button latch is in the locked position, use a Torx T15 screwdriver to turn the release button latch clockwise to the unlocked position.



3. Unlatch the top cover [1].

Lift up on the release button on top of the server cover. Lifting the release button causes the server cover to slide toward the rear of the chassis for easy removal.





4. Lift up and remove the top cover [2].

### **Related Topics:**

- Take Antistatic Measures
- Install the Server Top Cover



## 5 Servicing Storage Drives

This section describes how to service storage drives. Storage drives are replaceable components that do not require you to power off the server. For more information about replaceable components, see Illustrated Parts Breakdown and Replaceable Components.

- Storage Drives Hot-Plug Conditions
- Storage Drive Failure and RAID
- Storage Drive Locations and Numbering
- Removing and Replacing a Storage Drive
- Removing and Replacing an NVMe Storage Drive Using Oracle Solaris
- Removing and Replacing an NVMe Storage Drive Using Oracle Linux

#### **Related Topics**

- Servicing SAS Cables
- Servicing NVMe Cables

## Storage Drives Hot-Plug Conditions

The hard-disk drives (HDDs), solid-state drives (SSDs), or NVMe SSD drives that are installed in the server are in most cases hot-pluggable. This capability depends on how the drives are configured and whether the drive is an NVMe device. To hot-plug a drive you must take the drive offline before you can remove it. When you take the drive offline, you prevent any application from accessing the drive and remove the logical software links to the drive. For an NVMe storage drive, you must not only take the drive offline, but also power down the drive slot.

The following conditions inhibit the ability to perform hot-plugging of a drive:

- The drive provides the operating system, and the operating system is not mirrored on another drive.
- The drive cannot be logically isolated from the online operations of the server.
- The operating system does not support hot plug for the drive.

If any of these disk drive conditions are true, then you must shut down the system before you replace the drive. See Powering Down the Server.

#### Note:

Replacing a drive does not require removing the server from a rack.

#### **Related Topics**

Storage Drive Status Indicators



- Removing and Replacing a Storage Drive
- Removing and Replacing an NVMe Storage Drive Using Oracle Solaris
- Removing and Replacing an NVMe Storage Drive Using Oracle Linux

## Storage Drive Failure and RAID

A single storage drive failure does not cause a data failure if the storage drives are configured as a mirrored RAID 1 volume (optional). The storage drive can be removed, and when a new storage drive is inserted, the contents are automatically rebuilt from the rest of the array with no need to reconfigure the RAID parameters. If the replaced storage drive was configured as a hot-spare, the new HDD is automatically configured as a new hot-spare.

For information about the implementation of RAID on this server, refer to *Configuring Storage Devices for Operating System Installation* in *Oracle Servers X9-2 and X9-2L Installation Guide* at Oracle Server X9-2L Documentation.

## Storage Drive Locations and Numbering

The following illustration shows the location of the drives and the internal system software designations for the drives. For information on storage drive status indicators (LEDs), see Storage Drive Status Indicators.



Callout	Description
1	Storage drive 0 HDD/NVMe
2	Storage drive 4 HDD/NVMe
3	Storage drive 8 HDD/NVMe
4	Storage drive 1 HDD/NVMe
5	Storage drive 5 HDD/NVMe
6	Storage drive 9 HDD/NVMe
7	Storage drive 2 HDD/NVMe
8	Storage drive 6 HDD/NVMe
9	Storage drive 10 HDD/NVMe
10	Storage drive 3 HDD/NVMe



Callout	Description
11	Storage drive 7 HDD/NVMe
12	Storage drive 11 HDD/NVMe

#### Note:

The NVMe storage drives are labeled NVMe0 through NVMe11; however, operating systems installed on the server assign different names to the NVMe storage drives. For the corresponding names assigned to the NVMe storage drives by server operating systems, see Server Operating System Names for the NVMe Storage Drives.

## Removing and Replacing a Storage Drive

The following sections describe how to remove and replace an HDD or SSD storage drive.

- Remove a Storage Drive
- Install a Storage Drive

## Remove a Storage Drive

1. Prepare the system for the drive removal.

Refer to Take Antistatic Measures.

2. Identify the location of the drive that you want to remove.

For storage drive locations, see Storage Drive Locations and Numbering.

- 3. Remove the storage drive.
  - If you are removing an HDD or SSD storage drive, type the required operating system commands to stop the server from using the drive; otherwise, proceed to Step 4.

The exact commands required depend on the configuration of your drives. Unmount file systems or issue RAID commands, as needed.

#### Note:

The blue OK to Remove status indicator LED on the drive might not light, as support for this varies depending on the operating system in use. For information on storage drive status indicators (LEDs), see Storage Drive Status Indicators.

 If you are removing an NVMe storage drive, see the procedure for your operating system:



Note:

NVMe storage drives are supported only on servers that are running Oracle Solaris or Oracle Linux.

- Removing and Replacing an NVMe Storage Drive Using Oracle Solaris
- Removing and Replacing an NVMe Storage Drive Using Oracle Linux
- 4. Push the latch release button to open the drive latch [1, 2].



Callout	Description
1	Pressing the latch release button.
2	Opening the latch.

### Caution:

The latch is not an ejector. Do not open the latch too far to the right. Doing so can damage the latch.

5. Grasp the latch and pull the drive out of the drive slot.





- 6. Consider your next steps:
  - If you are replacing the drive, continue to Install a Storage Drive.
  - If you are not replacing the drive, install a filler panel in the empty drive slot to maintain proper airflow and perform administrative tasks to configure the server to operate without the drive.

For information on how to install a storage drive filler panel, see Remove and Install Filler Panels.

#### **Related Topics:**

- Storage Drive Status Indicators
- Storage Drives Hot-Plug Conditions
- Storage Drive Failure and RAID
- Install a Storage Drive

## Install a Storage Drive

- **1.** Remove the replacement drive from its packaging, and place the drive on an antistatic mat.
- 2. If necessary, remove the drive filler panel.

See Remove and Install Filler Panels.

3. Align the replacement drive with the drive slot.

The drive is physically addressed according to the slot in which it is installed. It is important to install a replacement drive in the same slot as the drive that was removed.

4. Slide the drive into the slot until the drive is fully seated.





- 5. Close the drive latch to lock the drive in place.
- 6. Perform administrative procedures to reconfigure the drive.

The procedures that you perform at this point depend on how your data is configured. You might need to partition the drive, create file systems, load data from backups, or have the drive updated from a RAID configuration.

#### **Related Topics:**

- Storage Drive Status Indicators
- Storage Drives Hot-Plug Conditions
- Storage Drive Failure and RAID
- Remove a Storage Drive

# Removing and Replacing an NVMe Storage Drive Using Oracle Solaris

The following sections describe how to remove and replace an NVMe storage drive on a server that is running the Oracle Solaris operating system.

- Unmount an NVMe Storage Drive
- Remove an NVMe Storage Drive
- Verify Removal of an NVMe Storage Drive
- Install an NVMe Storage Drive
- Power On an NVMe Storage Drive and Attach a Device Driver

#### **Related Topics**

- Storage Drive Status Indicators
- Storage Drives Hot-Plug Conditions
- Storage Drive Failure and RAID
- Remove a Storage Drive



## Unmount an NVMe Storage Drive

- 1. Log in to Oracle Solaris that is running on the server.
- 2. To find the NVMe drive slot number, type:

# hotplug list -lc

This command produces output similar to the following for each of the NVMe drives installed in the server:

hotplug list -lc Connection	State	Description Path
Slot0	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@0,0/pci8086,a190@1c
/SYS/DBP/HDD1/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@4,0/pci8086,347a@2
/SYS/DBP/HDD5/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@4,0/pci8086,347b@3
/SYS/DBP/HDD0/NVME	ENABLED	PCIe-Native /pci@4,0/pci8086,347c@4
/SYS/DBP/HDD4/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@4,0/pci8086,347d@5
/SYS/DBP/HDD3/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@b,0/pci8086,347a@2
/SYS/DBP/HDD7/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@b,0/pci8086,347b@3
/SYS/DBP/HDD2/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@b,0/pci8086,347c@4
/SYS/DBP/HDD6/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@b,0/pci8086,347d@5

3. To prepare the NVMe drive for removal, that is, to detach the device driver and power off the drive slot, type the following commands:

```
# hotplug poweroff /SYS/DBP/HDD0/NVME
```

#hotplug list -lc

The following output appears for the NVMe drive that has been unmounted:

<pre># hotplug list -lc Connection</pre>	State	Description Path
Slot0	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@0,0/pci8086,a190@1c
/SYS/DBP/HDD1/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@4,0/pci8086,347a@2
/SYS/DBP/HDD5/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@4,0/pci8086,347b@3
/SYS/DBP/HDD0/NVME	PRESENT	PCIe-Native /pci@4,0/pci8086,347c@4
/SYS/DBP/HDD4/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@4,0/pci8086,347d@5
/SYS/DBP/HDD3/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@b,0/pci8086,347a@2
/SYS/DBP/HDD7/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@b,0/pci8086,347b@3
/SYS/DBP/HDD2/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@b,0/pci8086,347c@4
/SYS/DBP/HDD6/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@b,0/pci8086,347d@5

4. Verify that the OK to Remove indicator (LED) on the NVMe storage drive is lit.

## Remove an NVMe Storage Drive

#

Perform this procedure to physically remove an NVMe storage drive from the server.

**1.** Identify the physical location of the NVMe drive that you want to remove.

For storage drive locations, see Remove a Storage Drive.

- 2. Verify that the OK to Remove indicator (LED) on the NVMe storage drive is lit.
- 3. On the drive that you plan to remove, push the latch release button to open the drive latch.

See Remove a Storage Drive.



- 4. Grasp the latch and pull the drive out of the drive slot.
- 5. Consider your next steps:
  - If you are replacing the drive, continue to Verify Removal of an NVMe Storage Drive, and then Install an NVMe Storage Drive.
  - If you are not replacing the drive, install a filler panel in the empty drive slot to maintain proper airflow and perform administrative tasks to configure the server to operate without the drive.

For information on how to install a storage drive filler panel, see Remove and Install Filler Panels.

## Verify Removal of an NVMe Storage Drive

• To verify that the NVMe drive has been removed, type:

```
# hotplug list -lc
```

The following output appears for the NVMe drive that you removed:

<pre># hotplug list -lc Connection</pre>	State	Description Path
	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@0.0/pci8086.a190@1c
/SYS/DBP/HDD1/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@4,0/pci8086,347a@2
/SYS/DBP/HDD5/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@4,0/pci8086,347b@3
/SYS/DBP/HDD0/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@4,0/pci8086,347c@4
/SYS/DBP/HDD4/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@4,0/pci8086,347d@5
/SYS/DBP/HDD3/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@b,0/pci8086,347a@2
/SYS/DBP/HDD7/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@b,0/pci8086,347b@3
/SYS/DBP/HDD2/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@b,0/pci8086,347c@4
/SYS/DBP/HDD6/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native /pci@b,0/pci8086,347d@5

## Install an NVMe Storage Drive

Perform this procedure to physically install an NVMe storage drive into the server.

#### Note:

After you physically remove an NVMe storage drive from the server, wait at least 10 seconds before installing a replacement drive.

- **1.** Remove the replacement drive from its packaging and place the drive on an antistatic mat.
- 2. If necessary, remove the drive filler panel.
- 3. Align the replacement drive with the drive slot.

The drive is physically addressed according to the slot in which it is installed. It is important to install a replacement drive in the same slot as the drive that was removed.

4. Slide the drive into the slot until the drive is fully seated.

See Install a Storage Drive.



5. Close the drive latch to lock the drive in place.

## Power On an NVMe Storage Drive and Attach a Device Driver

- 1. Type: # hotplug enable /SYS/DBP/HDD0/NVME
- 2. Type: # hotplug list -lc

Type: # hotplug list -lc

#### The following status is displayed for the NVMe storage drive.

<pre># hotplug enable /SYS/DBP/HDD0/NVME hotplug list -lc</pre>			
Connection	State	Description	Path
Slot0	EMPTY	PCIe-Native	/pci@0,0/pci8086,a190@1c
/SYS/DBP/HDD1/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native	/pci@4,0/pci8086,347a@2
/SYS/DBP/HDD5/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native	/pci@4,0/pci8086,347b@3
/SYS/DBP/HDD0/NVME	ENABLED	PCIe-Native	/pci@4,0/pci8086,347c@4
/SYS/DBP/HDD4/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native	/pci@4,0/pci8086,347d@5
/SYS/DBP/HDD3/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native	/pci@b,0/pci8086,347a@2
/SYS/DBP/HDD7/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native	/pci@b,0/pci8086,347b@3
/SYS/DBP/HDD2/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native	/pci@b,0/pci8086,347c@4
/SYS/DBP/HDD6/NVME	EMPTY	PCIe-Native	/pci@b,0/pci8086,347d@5

**3.** To check the NVMe drive health, firmware level, temperature, get error log, SMART data, security erase, low level format, and other data, type:

# nvmeadm --help

# Removing and Replacing an NVMe Storage Drive Using Oracle Linux

The following sections describe how to remove and replace an NVMe storage drive on a server that is running the Oracle Linux operating system.

- Unmount an NVMe Storage Drive
- Remove an NVMe Storage Drive
- Verify Removal of an NVMe Storage Drive
- Install an NVMe Storage Drive
- Power On an NVMe Storage Drive and Attach a Device Driver
- Verify Operation of an NVMe Storage Drive

#### **Related Topics**

- Storage Drive Status Indicators
- Storage Drives Hot-Plug Conditions
- Storage Drive Failure and RAID
- Remove a Storage Drive



## Unmount an NVMe Storage Drive

- **1**. Log in to Oracle Linux that is running on the server.
- 2. Remove the NVMe storage device path.
  - a. To find the PCIe addresses (Bus Device Function), type:

```
#find /sys/devices |egrep `nvme[0-9][0-9]?$'
```

This commands returns output similar to the following:

```
/sys/devices/
pci0000:80/0000:80:03.0/0000:b0:00.0/0000:b1:04.0/0000:b2:00.0/misc/nvme0
/sys/devices/
pci0000:80/0000:80:03.0/0000:b0:00.0/0000:b1:05.0/0000:b4:00.0/misc/nvme1
```

In the above listing, the PCIe addresses are highlighted in bold text.

b. To obtain the slot number (APIC ID) for the bus address, type the following command to list all of the PCIe slot numbers and the corresponding bus addresses:

#egrep -H `.\*' /sys/bus/pci/slots/\*/address

This commands returns output similar to the following:

```
/sys/bus/pci/slots/10/address:0000:b8:00
/sys/bus/pci/slots/11/address:0000:b6:00
/sys/bus/pci/slots/12/address:0000:b2:00 (instance nvme0, pcie slot
12, drive label nvme2)
/sys/bus/pci/slots/13/address:0000:b4:00 (instance nvme1, pcie slot
13, drive label nvme3)
```

In the above output, the bus addresses for the corresponding NVMe instances are highlighted in bold text.

#### Note:

In the above output, notice that the instance names for the NVMe drives do not correspond to the NVMe drive labels on the front of the server, that is, pci/slots/12/address: 0000:b2:00 corresponds to instance nvme0; however, on the front of the server, this drive is labeled NVMe2. For a table that shows the relationship between the pci/slot# and the NVMe storage drive label on the front of the server, see Server Operating System Names for the NVMe Storage Drives.

- c. Disconnect all users of the NVMe drive and back up the NVMe drive data as needed.
  - i. Use the umount command to unmount any file systems that are mounted on the device.
  - ii. Remove the device from any multiple device (md) and Logical Volume Manager (LVM) volume using it.
     If the device is a member of an LVM Volume group, then it might be necessary to move data off the device using the pymove command, then use the vgreduce command to remove the physical volume, and (optionally) pyremove to remove the LVM metadata from the disk.



- iii. If the device uses multipathing, run multipath -I and note all the paths to the device. Then, remove the multipathed device using the multipath -f device command.
- iv. Run the blockdev --flushbufs device command to flush any outstanding I/O to all paths to the device.
- **3.** To prepare the NVMe drive for removal, that is, to detach the NVMe device driver and power off the NVMe drive slot, type:

#echo 0 > /sys/bus/pci/slots/\$slot/power

Where \$slot is the slot number obtained in Step 2.b above.

4. Verify that the OK to Remove indicator (LED) on the NVMe drive is lit.

## Remove an NVMe Storage Drive

Perform this procedure to physically remove an NVMe storage drive from the server.

**1.** Identify the location of the NVMe drive that you want to remove.

For storage drive locations, see Remove a Storage Drive.

- 2. Verify that the OK to Remove indicator (LED) on the NVMe drive is lit.
- On the NVMe drive you plan to remove, push the latch release button to open the drive latch.

See Remove a Storage Drive.

- 4. Grasp the latch and pull the drive out of the drive slot.
- 5. Consider your next steps:
  - If you are replacing the drive, continue to Verify Removal of an NVMe Storage Drive, and then Install an NVMe Storage Drive.
  - If you are not replacing the drive, install a filler panel in the empty drive slot to maintain proper airflow and perform administrative tasks to configure the server to operate without the drive.

For information on how to install a storage drive filler panel, see Remove and Install Filler Panels.

## Verify Removal of an NVMe Storage Drive

1. To check the NVMe drive enumeration to verify that NVMe drive has been removed, type:

#lspci -nnd :0a54

2. View the command output and verify that the entry for the slot number that was disabled no longer appears.

This commands returns output similar to the following:

```
86:00.0 Non-Volatile memory controller [0108]: Intel Corporation Device [8086:0a54]
8d:00.0 Non-Volatile memory controller [0108]: Intel Corporation Device [8086:0a54]
d9:00.0 Non-Volatile memory controller [0108]: Intel Corporation Device [8086:0a54]
e0:00.0 Non-Volatile memory controller [0108]: Intel Corporation Device [8086:0a54]
```



## Install an NVMe Storage Drive

Perform this procedure to physically install an NVMe storage drive into the server.

# Note: After you physically remove an NVMe drive from the server, wait at least 10 seconds before installing a replacement drive. 1. Remove the replacement drive from its packaging and place the drive on an antistatic mat. 2. If necessary, remove the drive filler panel. 3. Align the replacement drive with the drive slot. The drive is physically addressed according to the slot in which it is installed. It is important to install a replacement drive in the same slot as the drive that was removed. 4. Slide the drive into the slot until the drive is fully seated.

See Install a Storage Drive.

**5.** Close the drive latch to lock the drive in place.

## Power On an NVMe Storage Drive and Attach a Device Driver

• To power on the slot and attach the device driver, type:

# echo 1 > /sys/bus/pci/slots/\$slot/power

Where \$slot is the slot number for the NVMe storage drive.

## Verify Operation of an NVMe Storage Drive

- To verify that an NVMe drive is operating properly, do one of the following:
  - Check the /var/log/messages log file.
  - Type:ls -l /dev/nvme\*



## 6 Servicing Fan Modules

This section describes how to service fan modules. Fan modules are replaceable components that do not require you to power off the server. For more information about replaceable components, see Illustrated Parts Breakdown and Replaceable Components.

The fan modules are located in the front of the server. See the following procedures:

- Remove a Fan Module
- Install a Fan Module
- Remove the Fan Tray
- Install the Fan Tray

#### **Related Topics**

Remove the Server Top Cover

## Remove a Fan Module

You do not have to power off the server to service fan modules.

You should not begin this procedure unless you have a replacement fan module and you are ready to install it right away.

#### **Caution**:

When removing and replacing a fan module in the Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2, you must complete the entire procedure within 60 seconds to maintain adequate cooling within the system. Remove and replace only one fan module at a time. Ensure that you have obtained the replacement fan module and that is it is ready for installation before starting the replacement procedure. Each fan module contains two fans, with one fan motor per fan. The two fan motors provide separate tachometer signals so that the fan module reports two tach signals to Oracle ILOM. Even if only one fan motor is faulted within the fan module, the Oracle ILOM service processor detects that two fan motors have failed to spin while the fan module is removed. If the fan module is not replaced within 60 seconds of removal, Oracle ILOM will take the protective action to shut down the system to prevent thermal damage to the system.

**1**. Extend the server to the maintenance position.

See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.

- 2. To access the fan modules, remove the server top cover. See Remove the Server Top Cover.
- 3. Identify the faulty fan module.


Each fan module has a fan status indicator (LED) that is located next to the module. If the LED is amber, the fan has failed. The location of the fan status LED is shown in the following figure.



The front Top Fan LED and the front and back panel Fault-Service Required LEDs will also be lit if the system detectes a fan module fault.

4. Using your forefinger and thumb, lift the fan module straight up and out of the chassis and set it aside on an antistatic mat.



- 5. Consider your next step:
  - If you removed the fan assembly as part of another procedure, return to that procedure.
  - Otherwise, continue to Install a Fan Module.

#### **Related Topic:**

• Install a Fan Module



# Install a Fan Module

- **1.** Remove the replacement fan module from its packaging, and place it on an antistatic mat.
- With the server top cover removed, install the replacement fan module into the server. The fan modules are keyed to ensure that they are installed in the correct orientation.



- 3. Press down on the fan module to fully seat the fan module.
- 4. Verify that the fan module status indicator (LED) on the replacement fan module is not illuminated.
- 5. Install the server top cover.

See Install the Server Top Cover.

6. Verify that the Top Fan Fault LED on the front of the server and the Fault-Service Required LEDs on the front and back of the server are extinguished.

See Server System-Level Status Indicators for more information about identifying and interpreting system status indicators.

- 7. Consider your next step:
  - If you installed the fan module as part of another procedure, return to that procedure.
  - Otherwise, return the server to operation. See Returning the Server to Operation.

#### **Related Topic:**

• Remove a Fan Module

# Remove the Fan Tray

This procedure should be performed only when servicing the following replaceable component:

- Disk backplane
- SAS cables



- NVMe cables
- Temperature sensor
- Motherboard assembly
- **1.** Remove all fan modules from the fan tray.

See Remove a Fan Module.

2. Remove the air baffle.

See Remove the Air Baffle.

**3.** Using a Torx T25 screwdriver, loosen the three spring-mounted screws that secure the fan tray to the server chassis [1].



4. Lift the fan tray from the server [2].

#### Note:

For ease of extraction, disconnect the left side NVMe cables from the motherboard NVMe connectors and move cables aside.

5. Continue with the next step in the service procedure.

- Remove a Fan Module
- Servicing the Disk Backplane
- Servicing SAS Cables
- Servicing NVMe Cables
- Servicing the Motherboard Assembly



## Install the Fan Tray

This procedure should be performed only when servicing the following replaceable component:

- Disk backplane
- SAS cables
- NVMe cables
- Temperature sensor
- Motherboard assembly
- **1.** Lower the fan tray into the server [1].



2. Using a Torx T25 screwdriver, tighten the three spring-mounted screws that secure the fan tray to the server chassis [2].

#### Note:

If you disconnected the NVMe cables from the motherboard, reposition the NVMe cables into the left cable channel and reconnect them to the motherboard NVMe connectors.

3. Install the fan modules into the fan tray.

See Install a Fan Module.

4. Install the air baffle.

See Install the Air Baffle

5. Continue with the next step in the service procedure.



- Install a Fan Module
- Servicing the Disk Backplane
- Servicing SAS Cables
- Servicing NVMe Cables
- Servicing the Motherboard Assembly

# 7 Servicing Power Supplies

This section describes how to service power supplies. Power supplies are replaceable components that do not require you to power off the server. For more information about replaceable components, see Illustrated Parts Breakdown and Replaceable Components.

The power supplies are located at the back of the server. See the following procedures:

- Power Supply Overview
- Remove a Power Supply
- Install a Power Supply

# Power Supply Overview

The server's redundant power supplies support concurrent maintenance, which enables you to remove and replace a power supply without shutting down the server, provided that the other power supply is online and working.

The server supports model A269.2 (1200 watt) power supplies. The A269.2 power supply unit (PSU) provides conversion from the AC lines to the system, accepting ranges from 100-240 volts AC (VAC). These PSUs are designed to be hot-pluggable, and in most cases will provide fully redundant "1+1" power, allowing the system to suffer the loss of a PSU or an AC feed with no loss to system availability.

In maximally configured systems, it is possible that the worst-case power consumption of the system could exceed the capacity of a single PSU. The PSUs provide an over-subscription mode (always enabled), which allows the system to operate with fault-tolerance even with modest excursions beyond the rated capacity of a single PSU. This over-subscription support is accomplished using hardware signaling between the PSU and motherboard circuitry, which can force the system to throttle processor (CPU) and memory power in the event that a PSU is lost. The resulting power savings will be enough to allow the system to continue to run (in a lower-performance state) until the power problem is resolved.

The following status indicators (LEDs) are lit when a power supply fault is detected:

- Front and back Fault-Service Required LEDs
- Amber Fault-Service Required LED on the faulty power supply
- Rear Power Supply Fault-Service Required LED located on the server front panel

For more information, see Power Supply Status Indicators.

If a power supply fails and you do not have a replacement available, leave the failed power supply installed to ensure proper airflow in the server.

#### **Related Topics**

Troubleshooting Using the Server Front and Back Panel Status Indicators



# Remove a Power Supply

- Prepare the system for power supply removal. See Take Antistatic Measures.
- 2. Identify which power supply requires replacement.



Callout	Description
1	Power supply 0
2	Power supply 1

A lit amber Fault-Service Required LED on a power supply indicates that a failure was detected. You can also use the Oracle ILOM show faulty command at the Oracle ILOM command-line prompt (->) to identify a power supply failure.

Alternatively, to list all known faults in the server, log in to the Oracle Solaris OS and issue the fmadm faulty command (Solaris root privileges required), or log in to the Oracle ILOM Fault Management Shell from the Oracle ILOM service processor and issue the fmadm faulty command. For more information about how to use the Oracle ILOM Fault Management Shell and supported commands, refer to the Oracle ILOM User's Guide for System Monitoring and Diagnostics *Firmware Release 5.0.x* in the Oracle Integrated Lights Out Management .

#### Note:

The fans of a failed power supply might still be spinning when the system is powered on. The fans will stop spinning when you disconnect the power cords.

3. Gain access to the rear of the server where the failed power supply is located.

4. If the cable management arm (CMA) is installed, disconnect both CMA left-side connectors and move the CMA out of the way.

Refer to *Remove the Cable Management Arm* in *Oracle Servers X9-2 and X9-2L Installation Guide* at Oracle Server X9-2L Documentation.

#### Caution:

When disconnecting the CMA left-side connectors, be sure to use your arm to support the CMA so that it does not hang down under its own weight and stress the right-side connectors; otherwise, the CMA might be damaged. You must continue to support the CMA until you have reconnected both of the left-side connectors.

- 5. Disconnect the power cord from the failed power supply.
- 6. Grasp the power supply handle and push the power supply latch to the left.



7. Pull the power supply out of the chassis.

#### Caution:

Whenever you remove a power supply, you should replace it with another power supply; otherwise, the server might overheat due to improper airflow.

8. Continue to Install a Power Supply.

- EF Back Panel Components and Cable Connections
- HC and XT Back Panel Components and Cable Connections
- Power Supply Status Indicators
- Install a Power Supply



# Install a Power Supply

#### **Caution**:

Always replace the failed power supply with the same type model of power supply.

- **1.** Remove the replacement power supply from its packaging, and place it on an antistatic mat.
- 2. Align the replacement power supply with the empty power supply slot.
- 3. Slide the power supply into the slot until it is fully seated.

You will hear an audible click when the power supply fully seats.



- 4. Reconnect the power cord to the power supply.
- 5. Verify that the amber Fault-Service Required LED on the replaced power supply and the Fault-Service Required LEDs are not lit on the front and back panels.

#### Note:

After you have replaced Power Supply 0, you might need to reset the Oracle ILOM service processor (SP) to propagate the key identity properties (KIP) data to the new power supply. For instructions on resetting the SP, refer to the Oracle ILOM Administrator's Guide for Configuration and Maintenance Firmware Release 5.1.x at Servers Documentation - Systems Management. Power Supply 1 does not contain KIP data, and therefore does not require an SP reset after replacement.



6. If you disconnected the two CMA left-side connectors, reconnect the connectors.

Refer to Install the Cable Management Arm (Optional) in Oracle Servers X9-2 and X9-2L Installation Guide at Oracle Server X9-2L Documentation

- EF Back Panel Components and Cable Connections
- HC and XT Back Panel Components and Cable Connections
- Power Supply Status Indicators
- Remove a Power Supply



# 8

# Servicing the Internal M.2 Flash SSDs

This section describes how to service M.2 flash solid-state drives (SSDs). M.2 flash SSDs are replaceable components that do not require you to power off the server. For more information about replaceable components, see Illustrated Parts Breakdown and Replaceable Components.

#### Caution:

These procedures require that you handle components that are sensitive to electrostatic discharge. This sensitivity can cause the component to fail. To avoid damage, ensure that you follow antistatic practices as described in Electrostatic Discharge Safety.

#### Caution:

Unless the two M.2 risers are running in a software RAID configuration, removing one might result in a system crash and possible data corruption.

This section covers the following procedures:

- Remove a Flash Riser Board
- Install a Flash Riser Board
- Identify and Remove an M.2 Flash SSD
- Install an M.2 Flash SSD

#### **Related Topics**

Servicing Storage Drives

# Remove a Flash Riser Board

The server can contain up to two hot-pluggable flash riser boards. Each flash riser board can contain either one or two M.2 flash SSDs.

- 1. Prepare the server for service.
  - a. Extend the server into maintenance position.

See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.

- b. Attach an antistatic wrist strap to your wrist, and then to a metal area on the chassis. See Take Antistatic Measures.
- c. Remove the server top cover.



#### See Remove the Server Top Cover.

- 2. To remove the flash riser board, do the following:
  - a. Rotate both riser board socket levers outward as far as they go.

#### Note:

The green Power LED indicator located on the riser board is extinguished when you open the socket levers.

b. Carefully lift the riser board straight up to remove it from the sockets.

Place the riser board on an antistatic mat. If required, perform the procedures for removing the M.2 flash SSD from the flash riser board. See Identify and Remove an M.2 Flash SSD.



#### **Related Topic:**

• Install a Flash Riser Board

# Install a Flash Riser Board

The system motherboard provides two slots (labeled **SSDR 0** and **SSDR 1**) for flash riser boards. When installing flash riser boards, install the first riser board into slot **SSDR 0** and then into **SSDR 1**.

1. Unpack the replacement flash riser board and place it on an antistatic mat.

If required, ensure that you have installed an M.2 flash SSD onto the riser board before installing the riser board into the server. See Install an M.2 Flash SSD.

- 2. Install the flash riser board.
  - a. Ensure that the riser board socket levers are in the open position.
  - **b.** Align the notch in the replacement riser board with the connector key in the connector socket.



The notch ensures that the riser board is oriented correctly.

c. Push the riser board into the connector socket until the riser board is securely seated in the socket.

#### Caution:

If the riser board does not easily seat into the connector socket, verify that the notch in the riser board is aligned with the connector key in the connector socket. If the notch is not aligned, damage to the riser board might occur.



- d. Rotate the riser board socket levers inward until the riser board is secured in place.
- 3. (Optional) Repeat Step 2 to install a second flash riser board into the server.
- 4. Return the server to operation.
  - a. Install the server top cover.

See Install the Server Top Cover.

**b.** Return the server to the normal rack position.

See Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position.

#### **Related Topic:**

Remove a Flash Riser Board

## Identify and Remove an M.2 Flash SSD

In the standard Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 configuration, the flash riser board contains an M.2 flash SSD in socket SSD.

- 1. Prepare the server for service.
  - a. Extend the server into maintenance position.



See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.

**b.** Attach an antistatic wrist strap to your wrist, and then to a metal area on the chassis.

See Take Antistatic Measures.

c. Remove the server top cover.

See Remove the Server Top Cover.

2. Identify and note the location of the failed M.2 flash SSD by pressing the Fault Remind button on the motherboard.

See Using the Server Fault Remind Button.

Failed SSDs are identified with a corresponding amber LED that is lit on the flash riser board.

- If the SSD fault LED is off, then the SSD is operating properly.
- If the SSD fault LED is on (amber), then the SSD is failed and should be replaced [1].

#### Note:

The green Power LED indicator is illuminated when power is being applied to the system. The green Power LED indicator is extinguished when you open the riser board socket levers.





3. Perform Step 2 in Remove a Flash Riser Board to remove the flash riser board from the server.

Place the riser board on an antistatic mat.

- 4. Remove the M.2 flash SSD in socket SSD from the riser board.
  - a. Using your fingers, push the plastic retainer clip through the flash riser board to release the M.2 flash SSD from the riser board [1].



- b. Remove the plastic retainer clip from the M.2 flash SSD [1].
- c. Lift up on the end of the M.2 flash SSD where the plastic retainer clip was removed by one-half to one inch [2].
- d. Gently slide the M.2 flash SSD card back and out of the connector to disengage the SSD contacts from the riser board socket [2].

Place the M.2 flash SSD on an antistatic mat.

#### **Related Topic:**

Install an M.2 Flash SSD

### Install an M.2 Flash SSD

In the standard Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 configuration, the flash riser board contains an M.2 flash SSD in socket SSD.



- **1.** Unpack the replacement M.2 flash SSD and place it on an antistatic mat.
- 2. Install the M.2 flash SSD into socket SSD on the flash riser board.
  - Align and then insert the plastic retainer clip into the slot on the M.2 flash SSD [1].
  - **b.** Hold the M.2 flash SSD so that the end of the card containing the plastic retainer clip is approximately one-half to one inch above the riser board and the other end is adjacent to the riser SSD socket [1].



- c. Gently slide the M.2 flash SSD forward and into the connector to engage the flash SSD contacts with the riser board socket [2].
- d. Using your fingers, push down on the end of the card containing the plastic retainer clip until the M.2 flash SSD snaps into place on the riser board [2].

You will hear an audible click when the M.2 flash SSD is secured to the flash riser board.

3. Perform the steps to install the M.2 flash riser board with the replacement flash SSD into the server.

See Install a Flash Riser Board.

- 4. Return the server to operation.
  - a. Install the server top cover.

See Install the Server Top Cover.

**b.** Return the server to the normal rack position.

See Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position.

#### **Related Topic:**

• Identify and Remove an M.2 Flash SSD



# 9 Servicing the Air Baffle

This section describes how to service the air baffle. The air baffle is a replaceable components that requires you to power off the server. For more information about replaceable components, see Illustrated Parts Breakdown and Replaceable Components.

#### Caution:

To prevent the system from overheating, ensure that the air baffle is correctly installed before powering on the system.

#### Caution:

You must disconnect all power cables from the system before performing these procedures.

This section covers the following procedures:

- Remove the Air Baffle
- Install the Air Baffle

#### **Related Topics**

- Servicing the DIMMs
- Servicing Processors

### Remove the Air Baffle

- **1.** Prepare the server for service.
  - Power off the server, and disconnect the power cords from the server power supplies.
     See Powering Down the Server.
  - **b.** Extend the server into the maintenance position.

See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.

- c. Attach an antistatic wrist strap to your wrist and then to a metal area on the chassis. See Take Antistatic Measures.
- d. Remove the server top cover.

See Remove the Server Top Cover.

2. Release the latch for the host bus adapter (HBA) super capacitor tray and rotate the tray [1] in to the upright position [2].





3. Remove the air baffle by lifting the baffle up and out of the server.



- 4. Set aside the air baffle.
- 5. Consider your next step:
  - If you removed the air baffle as part of another procedure, return to that procedure.
  - Otherwise, continue to Install the Air Baffle.

#### **Related Topic:**

• Install the Air Baffle

# Install the Air Baffle

**1**. Remove the replacement air baffle from its packaging.



2. Install the air baffle by placing it into the server and lowering it to its inserted position.



Rotate the HBA super capacitor tray down and in to its closed position.
 You will hear an audible click when the tray is properly secured to the air baffle.



- 4. Consider your next step:
  - If you removed the air baffle as part of another procedure, return to that procedure.
  - Otherwise, continue to with this procedure.
- 5. Return the server to operation:
  - a. Install the server top cover. See Install the Server Top Cover.
  - **b.** Return the server to the normal rack position.



See Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position.

- c. Reconnect the power cords and data cables to the server. See Reconnect Power and Data Cables.
- d. Power on the server.

See Power On the Server.

e. Verify that the power supply AC OK LED is lit.

#### **Related Topic:**

• Remove the Air Baffle



# 10 Servicing the DIMMs

This section describes how to service memory modules (DIMMs). DIMMs are replaceable components that require you to power off the server. For more information about replaceable components, see Illustrated Parts Breakdown and Replaceable Components.

The Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 EF, HC, and XT support a fixed memory configuration. For more information, see DIMM Population Rules.

#### Caution:

These procedures require that you handle components that are sensitive to electrostatic discharge. This sensitivity can cause the components to fail. To avoid damage, ensure that you follow antistatic practices as described in Electrostatic Discharge Safety.

#### Caution:

Ensure that all power is removed from the server before removing or installing DIMMs, or damage to the DIMMs might occur. You must disconnect all power cables from the system before performing these procedures.

The following topics and procedures provide information to assist you when replacing a DIMM or upgrading DIMMs:

- DIMM Population Scenarios
- DIMM Population Rules
- DIMM Operating Speeds
- DIMM Rank Classification Labels
- Inconsistencies Between DIMM Fault Indicators and the BIOS Isolation of Failed DIMMs
- Using the Server Fault Remind Button
- Identify and Remove a DIMM
- Install a DIMM

#### **Related Topics**

Servicing Processors

# **DIMM Population Scenarios**

There are two scenarios in which you are required to populate DIMMs:

• A DIMM fails and needs to be replaced.



In this scenario, you can use the Fault Remind button to determine the failed DIMM, and remove the failed DIMM and replace it. To ensure that system performance is maintained, you must replace the failed DIMM with a DIMM of the same size (in gigabytes) and type (quad-rank). In this scenario, do not change the DIMM configuration.

 You purchased new DIMMs and you want to use them to upgrade the server's memory.

In this scenario, adhere to the DIMM population rules. See DIMM Population Rules.

#### **Related Topics**

- DIMM Population Rules
- Using the Server Fault Remind Button
- Identify and Remove a DIMM
- Install a DIMM

### **DIMM Population Rules**

The Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 supports a fixed base configuration in processor 0 (P0) and processor 1 (P1). Do not attempt to install any other DIMM sizes or DIMM types in the server.

Each processor, P0 and P1, has sixteen DIMM slots organized into eight memory channels. Each memory channel contains two DIMM slots: a black DIMM slot (channel slot 0) and a white DIMM slot (channel slot 1).

The physical layout of the DIMMs and processor(s) is shown in the following figure (when viewing the server from the front), along with the general DIMM installation order. The installation order specific to your server configuration follows the figure.

Note:

In single processor systems, the DIMM slots associated with processor 1 (P1) are nonfunctional. Do not populate P1 slots with DIMMs in single processor systems.





Call Out	Description
1	DIMM slot numbers and their corresponding Fault LEDs
2	<ul> <li>DIMM installation order (black slots populated first, followed by white slots):</li> <li>Top row - For 16 DIMMs</li> <li>Bottom row - For 12 DIMMs</li> </ul>
	<b>Note:</b> With dual processor systems, always start installing DIMMs in the P0 processor and then alternate between the processors. For example, start with the first DIMM slot in the P0 processor (DIMM slot 0), and then move to the first DIMM slot in the P1 processor (DIMM slot 0). Continue with the second DIMM slot in the P0 processor (DIMM slot 15), followed by the second DIMM slot in the P1 processor (DIMM slot 15), and so on.
3	Memory channels - Eight per processor, each containing a set of two DIMM slots: one black and one white

The population rules for adding DIMMs to the server, based on the server configuration, are as follows:



Server	DIMM Population Rules		
Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 EF and HC	<ul> <li>The server supports a fixed base configuration of sixteen 16 GB DDR4 DIMMs (256 GB), or a configuration that supports twelve 128 GB Persistent Memory (PMeM) DIMMs, per processor, for a maximum of twelve PMeM DIMMs alongside sixteen 16 GB DDR4 DIMMs in the same memory channel.</li> <li>If your memory configuration supports only 16 GB DDR4 DIMMs, populate only the black DIMM slot (channel slot 0) within each memory channel for processors P0 and P1.</li> </ul>		
	PMeM DIMMs and DDR4 DIMMs, populate each processor socket with six 16 GB DDR4 DIMMs and twelve 128 GB PMeM DIMMs. Populate DDR4 DIMMs in each black DIMM slot (channel slot 0) and populate PMeM DIMMs in each white DIMM slot (channel slot 1).		
Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 XT	<ul> <li>The server supports a fixed base configuration of six 16 GB DDR4 DIMMs. Do not attempt to install any other DIMM sizes in the server.</li> <li>Populate only the black DIMM slot (channel slot 0) within each memory channel for processor P0.</li> </ul>		

# **DIMM Operating Speeds**

The maximum supported memory speed is 3200 MT/s. However, not all system configurations will support operation at this speed. The maximum attainable memory speed is limited by the maximum speed supported by the specific type of processor. All memory installed in the system operates at the same speed, or frequency.

# **DIMM Rank Classification Labels**

DIMMs come in a variety of ranks: single, dual, or quad. Each DIMM is shipped with a label identifying its rank classification. The following table identifies the label corresponding to each DIMM rank classification:

Rank Classification	Label
Quad-rank LRDIMM	4Rx4
Dual-rank RDIMM	2Rx4
Single-rank RDIMM	1Rx4

#### Table 10-1 DIMM Rank Classification Labels



# Inconsistencies Between DIMM Fault Indicators and the BIOS Isolation of Failed DIMMs

When a single DIMM is marked as failed by Oracle ILOM (for example,

fault.memory.intel.dimm.training-failed is listed in the service processor Oracle ILOM event log), BIOS might disable the entire memory channel that contains the failed DIMM, up to two DIMMs. As a result, none of the memory installed in the disabled channel will be available to the operating system. However, when the Fault Remind button is pressed, only the fault status indicator (LED) associated with the failed DIMM lights. The fault LEDs for the other DIMMs in the memory channel remain off. Therefore, you can correctly identify the failed DIMM using the lit LED.

# Using the Server Fault Remind Button

When the server Fault Remind button [1] is pressed, an LED located next to the Fault Remind button lights green to indicate that there is sufficient voltage present in the fault remind circuit to light any fault LEDs that were lit due to a component failure. If this LED does not light when you press the Fault Remind button, it is likely that the capacitor powering the fault remind circuit has lost its charge. This can happen if the Fault Remind button is pressed for several minutes with fault LEDs lit or if power has been removed from the server for more than 15 minutes.

The following figure shows the location of the Fault Remind button.



# Identify and Remove a DIMM

- 1. Prepare the server for service.
  - a. (Optional Persistent Memory (PMeM) DIMM only) Determine if the faulty PMeM DIMM(s) can be removed.



#### **Caution**:

Do not attempt to remove a faulty PMeM DIMM when the Do Not Service LED indicator is illuminated, otherwise server performance might be adversely affected. You can remove faulty PMeM DIMMs only when the Do Not Service LED indicator is extinguished and the Service LED indicator is illuminated.

After the Do Not Service LED indicator is extinguished and the Service LED indicator is illuminated, continue with Step 1b.

Identify and note the following errors that might appear:

- Fatal error PMeM DIMM is offline and the Service LED indicator illuminates
- Non-fatal error Exadata software evacuates the PMeM DIMM data before you replace the DIMM. The Do Not Service LED indicator is illuminated during this process. After data evacuation completes, the Do Not Service LED indicator is extinguished and the Service LED indicator illuminates.

You also can identify a faulty PMeM DIMM by running the cellcli -e "list diskmap" command from the console to view the status of the PMeM DIMM. If the status of the physical memory (PMEM) is critical, you can replace the DIMM immediately. If the status is predictive failure, run the cellcli -e "list alerthistory where metricObjectName='PMEM\_n\_n' detail" command to verify the alert history. When alertMessage: PMEM can be replaced now appears, continue with Step 1b.

**b.** Extend the server into the maintenance position.

See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.

**c.** Attach an antistatic wrist strap to your wrist and then to a metal area on the chassis.

See Take Antistatic Measures.

d. Remove the server top cover.

See Remove the Server Top Cover.

e. Remove the air baffle.

See Remove the Air Baffle.

2. Identify and note the location of the failed DIMM by pressing the Fault Remind button on the motherboard.

See Using the Server Fault Remind Button.

Failed DIMMs are identified with a corresponding amber LED on the motherboard.

- If the DIMM Fault LED is off, then the DIMM is operating properly.
- If the DIMM Fault LED is on (amber), then the DIMM is failed and should be replaced [1].





- **3.** To remove the failed DIMM, do the following:
  - a. Rotate both DIMM slot ejectors outward as far as they will go.
     The DIMM is partially ejected from the slot.
  - b. Carefully lift the DIMM straight up to remove it from the slot.



4. Replace each failed DIMM with either another DIMM of the same rank size (quad-rank or dual-rank) or leave the slot empty.

For DIMM replacement instructions, see Install a DIMM.

- DIMM Population Rules
- Install a DIMM



# Install a DIMM

- 1. Unpack the replacement DIMM and place it on an antistatic mat.
- 2. Ensure that the replacement DIMM matches the size, type, and rank of the DIMM it is replacing.

You must not replace a quad-rank DIMM with a dual-rank DIMM and vice versa, or a PMeM DIMM with a DDR4 DIMM. Otherwise, server performance might be adversely affected. For DIMM slot population rules, see DIMM Population Rules.

- 3. Install a DIMM.
  - a. Ensure that the ejector tabs are in the open position.
  - **b.** Align the notch in the replacement DIMM with the connector key in the connector slot.

The notch ensures that the DIMM is oriented correctly.

**c.** Push the DIMM into the connector slot until the ejector tabs lock the DIMM in place.

If the DIMM does not easily seat into the connector slot, verify that the notch in the DIMM is aligned with the connector key in the connector slot. If the notch is not aligned, damage to the DIMM might occur.



- 4. Repeat Step 3 until all replacement DIMMs are installed.
- 5. Return the server to operation:
  - a. Install the air baffle.
     See Install the Air Baffle.
  - Install the server top cover.
     See Install the Server Top Cover.
  - c. Return the server to the normal rack position.

See Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position.



d. Reconnect the power cords and data cables to the server.

See Reconnect Power and Data Cables.

e. Power on the server.

See Power On the Server.

- f. Verify that the power supply AC OK LED is lit.
- 6. (Optional Persistent Memory (PMeM) DIMM only) Verify the status of the PMeM DIMM(s) and that it has been accepted by the Exadata software by running the cellcli -e "list physicaldisk where diskType=PMEM" command from the system console.

Ensure that the status of the PMeM replacement disk (identified by either the DIMM slot or serial number) is normal.

#### Note:

In the following example, the first column contains the disk type (in the format of "PMEM\_\${SOCKET}\_\${DIMM\_SLOT}"), the second column contains the serial number, and the third column contains the status.

```
cellcli -e "list physicaldisk where diskType=PMEM"
```

PMEM_0_1	0x00000b96	normal
PMEM_0_3	0x00001189	normal
PMEM_0_5	0x00000b6c	normal
PMEM_0_6	0x000011ab	normal
PMEM_0_8	0x00009f9	normal
PMEM_0_10	0x00000a37	normal
PMEM_1_1	0x000009d6	normal
PMEM_1_3	0x0000113b	normal
PMEM_1_5	0x000011bd	normal
PMEM_1_6	0x0000118f	normal
PMEM_1_8	0x00000b9e	normal
PMEM 1 10	0x00000ba3	normal

7. (Optional) Use Oracle ILOM to clear server DIMM faults.

DIMM faults are automatically cleared after a new DIMM has been installed. If you need to manually clear DIMM faults, refer to the Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) 5.1 documentation at Servers Documentation - Systems Management.

#### Note:

If you want to move a failed DIMM to a new DIMM slot or re-seat a DIMM for troubleshooting, you must first manually clear the associated DIMM fault. Otherwise, the DIMM fault might follow the DIMM to the new slot location or reoccur on the current slot location, causing a false DIMM fault condition.

- DIMM Population Rules
- Identify and Remove a DIMM



# 11 Servicing PCIe Cards

This section describes how to service PCIe cards. PCIe cards are replaceable components that require you to power off the server. For more information about replaceable components, see Illustrated Parts Breakdown and Replaceable Components.

Refer to your PCIe card documentation for complete software and cabling information about your card.

#### Caution:

Customers must not use the procedures in this section to service the Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal card that is located in PCIe slot 10 or the Oracle Flash Accelerator F640 6.4 TB add-in SSD cards (EF and HC only). These cards must be serviced only by authorized Oracle Service personnel.

#### Caution:

These procedures require that you handle components that are sensitive to electrostatic discharge. This sensitivity can cause the components to fail. To avoid damage, ensure that you follow antistatic practices as described in Electrostatic Discharge Safety.

#### Caution:

The Oracle Dual Port 100 Gb Ethernet Adapter is not hot-pluggable and therefore you need to power off the server and disconnect the power cables from the system before you remove or install the card.

#### Note:

For a complete list of supported PCIe cards, refer to the *Oracle Server X9-2L Product Notes* at Oracle Server X9-2L Documentation.

This section covers the following topics and procedures:

- Remove a PCIe Card
- Install a PCIe Card

- Servicing the Internal HBA Card and HBA Super Capacitor
- EF Back Panel Components and Cable Connections



• HC and XT Back Panel Components and Cable Connections

# Remove a PCIe Card

#### Note:

PCIe slots 1 through 5 are nonfunctional in single-processor systems.

#### Note:

Before replacing or installing a PCIe card, refer to the card documentation for specific installation and cabling instructions.

#### Note:

The Oracle Flash Accelerator F640 PCIe card is hot-pluggable and you do not need to power down the server.

- 1. Prepare the server for service.
  - a. If you are removing an Oracle Dual Port 100 Gb Ethernet Adapter, power off the server, and disconnect the power cords from the server power supplies. Otherwise, skip to Step 1b.

See Powering Down the Server.

**b.** Extend the server to the maintenance position.

See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.

c. Attach an antistatic wrist strap.

See Take Antistatic Measures.

d. Remove the server top cover.

See Remove the Server Top Cover.

#### Caution:

If you are removing a hot-pluggable PCIe card, remove the PCIe card only when the green power LED is off. If you remove a card when the power is on, unexpected system operation can occur.

- 2. Verify that the Do Not Service LED indicator light is off.
- 3. Locate the PCIe card that you want to remove.
- 4. If necessary, record where the PCIe cards are installed.
- 5. Unplug all data cables from the PCIe card [1].

Note the cable connections in order to ease proper reconnection of the cables.



#### Note:

If it is difficult to disconnect the cables from the PCIe card when the card is inserted into the PCIe slot, consider performing the procedure in Step 6 prior to completing this step.

6. Rotate the PCIe card locking mechanism in to an upright position [1], and then lift up on the PCIe card to disengage it from the motherboard connectors [2].



7. Place the PCIe card on an antistatic mat.

#### **Caution**:

If you are not immediately inserting a replacement PCIe card into the empty slot, insert a PCIe filler panel in the slot to reduce the possibility of radiated electromagnetic interference (EMI). See Remove and Install Filler Panels.

- Install a PCIe Card
- EF Back Panel Components and Cable Connections



• HC and XT Back Panel Components and Cable Connections

# Install a PCIe Card

#### Note:

PCIe slots 1 through 5 are nonfunctional in single-processor systems.

- 1. Unpack the replacement PCIe card, and place it on an antistatic mat.
- 2. Locate the proper PCIe slot for the card you are replacing.

To view where supported PCIe cards can be installed, based on your system configuration, see EF Back Panel Components and Cable Connections and HC and XT Back Panel Components and Cable Connections.

#### Note:

PCIe slot 10 is the primary slot for the Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe HBA, Internal card or the Oracle Retimer card. The Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe HBA, Internal card is used to manage SAS storage drives. The Oracle Retimer card is used to manage NVMe storage drives in slots 8 through 11.

3. If necessary, remove the PCIe filler panel from the slot.

#### Note:

Save this filler panel in case you need to remove the PCIe card from the system.

4. Insert the PCIe card into the correct slot [1], and rotate the PCIe locking mechanism downward to secure the PCIe card in place [2].

You will hear an audible click when the PCIe card is secured into the slot.

### Note:

If it is difficult to reconnect the cables to the PCIe card when the card is inserted into the PCIe slot, consider performing the procedure in Step 5 prior to completing this step.





5. Reconnect the cables to the PCIe card that you unplugged during the removal procedure [2].

#### Note:

To ensure proper SAS cable connections for Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe HBA, Internal card, see the SAS cabling reference table in Step 3 in Install SAS Storage Drive Cables. To ensure proper NVMe cable connections for the Oracle Retimer card, see the NVMe cabling reference table in Step 3 in Install NVMe Cables, and perform the procedures in Verify NVMe Cable Connections.

- 6. Return the server to operation.
  - a. Install the top cover.

See Install the Server Top Cover.

**b.** Return the server to the normal rack position.

See Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position.

c. If you installed an Oracle Dual Port 100 Gb Ethernet Adapter, reconnect the power cords and data cables to the server. Proceed to Step 6d. Otherwise, skip to Step 6e.

See Reconnect Power and Data Cables.



d. Connect any required data cables to the PCIe card.

Route data cables through the cable management arm.

e. Reconnect the power cords to the power supplies and power on the server.

See Reconnect Power and Data Cables and Power On the Server.

- f. Verify that the System OK LED is lit.
- 7. Use Oracle ILOM to clear any server PCIe card faults.

If a PCIe card fault message in Oracle ILOM is not cleared under Open Problems, you must manually clear the fault using Oracle ILOM. For instructions for manually clearing a PCIe card fault, see the procedure "Clear Faults for Undetected Replaced or Repaired Hardware Components" in the Oracle ILOM User's Guide for System Monitoring and Diagnostics Firmware Release 5.1.x.x in the Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) 5.0 documentation at Servers Documentation - Systems Management.

8. To determine whether additional steps are required to complete the installation of the PCIe card, refer to the server product notes for the type of PCIe card you installed.

- Remove a PCIe Card
- EF Back Panel Components and Cable Connections
- HC and XT Back Panel Components and Cable Connections



# 12 Servicing the Battery

This section describes how to service the system battery. The system battery is a replaceable components that requires you to power off the server. For more information about replaceable components, see Illustrated Parts Breakdown and Replaceable Components.

The real-time clock (RTC) battery maintains system time when the server is powered off and a time server is unavailable. If the server fails to maintain the proper time when the system is powered off and not connected to a network, replace the battery.

#### Caution:

These procedures require that you handle components that are sensitive to electrostatic discharge. This sensitivity can cause the components to fail. To avoid damage, ensure that you follow antistatic practices as described in Electrostatic Discharge Safety.

#### Caution:

Ensure that all power is removed from the server before removing or installing the battery. You must disconnect the power cables from the system before performing this procedure.

This section covers the following procedures:

- Remove the Battery
- Install the Battery

#### **Related Topics**

- Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position
- Remove the Server Top Cover

### Remove the Battery

- **1.** Prepare the server for service.
  - Power off the server and disconnect the power cords from the server power supplies.
     See Powering Down the Server.
  - Extend the server into the maintenance position.
     See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.
  - c. Attach an antistatic wrist strap to your wrist, and then to a metal area on the chassis. See Take Antistatic Measures.


d. Remove the server top cover.

See Remove the Server Top Cover.

2. To dislodge the battery from its retainer, use your finger to gently push the top edge of the battery away from the retainer.

### Note:

To gain access to the battery, you might need to disconnect and move aside the auxiliary signal cable to the disk backplane and the SAS cables to the Internal HBA. For more information, see Servicing the Disk Backplane and Servicing SAS Cables.



3. Lift the battery up and out of its retainer.

### **Related Topic:**

• Install the Battery

### Install the Battery

- 1. Unpack the replacement battery.
- 2. Press the new battery into the battery retainer.

### Note:

If disconnected during battery removal, reconnect the auxiliary signal cable to the disk backplane and the SAS cables to the Internal HBA. For more information, see Servicing the Disk Backplane and Servicing SAS Cables.

- 3. Return the server to operation.
  - a. Install the server top cover.

See Install the Server Top Cover.

**b.** Return the server to the normal rack position.

See Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position.

- c. Reconnect the power cords to the server power supplies, and power on the server. See Reconnect Power and Data Cables and Power On the Server.
- d. Verify that the System OK LED indicator is lit.

### Note:

If the service processor is configured to synchronize with a network time server using the Network Time Protocol (NTP), the Oracle ILOM SP clock will be reset as soon as the server is powered on and connected to the network; otherwise, proceed to the next step.

- 4. If the service processor is not configured to use NTP, you must do one of the following:
  - Reset the Oracle ILOM SP clock using the Oracle ILOM CLI or the web interface.

Refer to the Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) 5.1 documentation at Servers Documentation - Systems Management.

• Use the BIOS Setup Utility to reprogram the host clock.

Refer to the *Oracle X9 Series Servers Administration Guide* at Oracle x86 Servers Administration, Diagnostics, and Applications Documentation.

#### **Related Topic:**

• Remove the Battery



# 13 Servicing Processors

The following section describes how to service processors. Processors are replaceable components. For more information about replaceable components, see Illustrated Parts Breakdown and Replaceable Components.

### Caution:

Processors must be removed and replaced only by authorized Oracle Service personnel.

### Caution:

Ensure that all power is removed from the server before removing or installing a processor. You must disconnect the power cables from the system before performing these procedures.

### L Caution:

These procedures require that you handle components that are sensitive to electrostatic discharge. This sensitivity can cause the component to fail. To avoid damage, ensure that you follow electrostatic discharge safety measures and antistatic practices. See Electrostatic Discharge Safety.

### Note:

On single-processor systems, processor socket 1 (P1) is shipped without a heatsink and processor filler cover. To protect the delicate processor socket pins, do not remove the processor cover that was installed on the motherboard.

This section covers the following topics:

- Identify and Remove a Processor
- Install a Processor

#### **Related Topics**

Servicing the DIMMs



### Identify and Remove a Processor

### L Caution:

Whenever you remove a processor, replace it with another processor and reinstall the processor heatsink; otherwise, the server might overheat due to improper airflow. See Install a Processor.

• Use an antistatic wrist strap and a work space with an antistatic mat.

See Electrostatic Discharge Safety.

- Use ESD gloves, if possible, when handling the processor (not latex or vinyl).
- Be careful not to touch the processor socket pins.

### Caution:

The processor socket pins are very fragile. A light touch can bend the processor socket pins beyond repair.

- Obtain a medium flat blade screwdriver
- Obtain a T30 Torx driver or bit
- 1. Prepare the server for service.
  - Power off the server and disconnect the power cords from the power supplies.
     See Powering Down the Server.
  - **b.** Attach an antistatic wrist strap to your wrist, and then to a metal area on the chassis.

See Take Antistatic Measures.

c. Extend the server to the maintenance position.

See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.

d. Remove the server top cover.

See Remove the Server Top Cover.

e. Remove the air baffle.

See Remove the Air Baffle.

2. Identify the location of the failed processor by pressing the Fault Remind button on the motherboard I/O card.



### Note:

When you press the Fault Remind button, an LED located next to the Fault Remind button lights green, indicates that there is sufficient voltage in the fault remind circuit to light any fault LEDs that were lit due to a failure. If this LED fails to light when you press the Fault Remind button, it is likely that the capacitor powering the fault remind circuit lost its charge. This can happen if you press the Fault Remind button for a long time with fault LEDs lit, or if power was removed from the server for more than 15 minutes.

The processor fault LED for the failed processor lights. The processor fault LEDs are located next to the processors. See Motherboard Status Indicators.

- If the processor fault LED is off, the processor is operating properly.
- If the processor fault LED is on (amber), the processor is has failed and must be replaced.



Callout	Description
1	Processor 0 fault LED
2	Processor 1 fault LED
3	Fault Remind button
4	Fault Remind Circuit Good LED

3. Using a Torx T30 screwdriver, loosen the four captive load nuts that secure the processor-heatsink module to the socket. The nuts can be loosened in any order.

Do not attempt to remove the processor-heatsink with the anti-tilt wires locked.





4. Pivot the anti-tilt wire around each of the four captive heatsink load nuts to the unlocked position.

Leave the anti-tilt wires in the unlocked position until installation.



5. Then, lift the processor-heatsink module straight up from the socket.

### Note:

Always hold the processor-heatsink module along the axis of the fins to prevent damage.





- 6. Separate the processor from the heatsink.
  - **a.** Flip over the processor-heatsink module, place it on a flat surface and locate the thermal interface material (TIM) breaker slot.



b. While holding down the heatsink by its edges, insert a flat blade screwdriver into the TIM breaker slot. Using a rocking motion, gently pry the corner of the processor carrier away from the heatsink.

### Note:

The blade of the screwdriver should go into the slot between the heatsink and processor carrier, not the processor and processor carrier.





### Caution:

There is a thin layer of thermal grease between the heatsink and the processor. Do not allow the thermal grease to contaminate the work space or other components.

c. Remove the processor carrier (with processor still attached) from the heatsink. The carrier has plastic latch tabs that attach it to the heatsink, pry or pinch the tabs as appropriate to detach the carrier from the heatsink.



7. If you plan on reusing either the heatsink or processor, clean off the thermal interface material (TIM) using the supplied alcohol wipes. If reusing a processor, do not remove it from the processor carrier.





### Caution:

Failure to clean thermal grease from the heatsink could result in the accidental contamination of the processor socket or other components. Also, be careful not to get the grease on your fingers, as this could result in contamination of components.

### **Related Topic:**

Install a Processor

### Install a Processor

- Use an antistatic wrist strap and a work space with an antistatic mat. See Electrostatic Discharge Safety.
- Use ESD gloves, if possible, when handling the processor (not latex or vinyl).
- Be careful not to touch the processor socket pins.

### Caution:

The processor socket pins are very fragile. A light touch can bend the processor socket pins beyond repair.

• Obtain a preset or adjustable torque driver set to 8 in-lbf (inch-pound force) with a T30 Torx bit.



### **Caution**:

Using an incorrect torque setting or driver can damage a processorheatsink module.

- If you are replacing a processor, ensure that the replacement processor is identical to the processor that was removed. For a list of supported processors, see Product Description.
- 1. Use the syringe supplied with the new or replacement processor [1] to apply all of thermal interface material (TIM) in an "X" pattern to the processor contact area of the heatsink [2].



### Note:

Do not distribute the TIM; the pressure of the heatsink will do so for you when you install the heatsink.

- 2. Install the new processor.
  - a. Open the box that contains the new processor but do not remove it from its ESD-safe packaging tray.

### Note:

The processor carrier has latching tabs at each corner that attach to the edge of the heatsink.

**b.** Place the heatsink (TIM adhesive side down) onto the processor carrier until the latch tabs at each corner of the processor carrier attach to the heatsink [1].

### Note:

There is a die-cut triangle in the processor carrier that points to the pin 1 corner of the processor.





c. Lift the assembled processor-heatsink module out of the packaging tray.



d. Align the processor-heatsink module with the processor socket bolster plate on the motherboard by matching up the pin 1 corner of the processor (indicated by a gold triangle on the underside of the processor [2]) with the pin 1 corner (indicated by an etched triangle) of the bolster plate [1].





e. Carefully, place the processor-heatsink module on the socket bolster plate on the motherboard. The bolster plate has four threaded posts at each corner to ensure correct alignment.



f. Pivot the anti-tilt wire around each of the four captive heatsink load nuts to the locked position [1] (away from the heatsink), engaging the wire with the lock tab on the bolster plate [2].



- **g.** Using a torque driver adjusted to 8 in-lbf with a Torx T30 bit, tighten the four processor heatsink captive load nuts. The nuts can be tightened in any order.
- 3. Return the server to operation.
  - a. Install the air baffle.

See Install the Air Baffle.

**b.** Install the server top cover.

See Install the Server Top Cover.

c. Return the server to the normal rack position.

See Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position.

- d. Reconnect the power cords to the power supplies, and power on the server. See Reconnect Power and Data Cables and Power On the Server.
- e. Verify that the power supply AC OK LED is lit.



- 4. Use Oracle ILOM to clear server processor faults.
  - a. To show server faults, log in to Oracle ILOM as root. Using the Oracle ILOM CLI, type the following command to list all known faults on the server:

```
-> show /SP/faultmgmt
```

The server lists all known faults, for example:

```
-> show /SP/faultmgmt
Targets:
shell
0 (/SYS/MB/P0)
Properties:
Commands:
cd
show
```

Alternatively, log in to the Oracle ILOM service processor from the Oracle ILOM Fault Management Shell and issue the fmadm faulty command. For more information about how to use the Oracle ILOM Fault Management Shell and supported commands, see the Oracle ILOM User's Guide for System Monitoring and Diagnostics in the Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) 5.1 documentation at Servers Documentation - Systems Management.

b. To clear the fault, type the following command:

-> set /SYS/MB/PO clear fault action=true

For example:

-> set /SYS/MB/P0 clear\_fault\_action=true Are you sure you want to clear /SYS/MB/P0 (y/n)? y Set `clear\_fault\_action' to `true'

For more information about how to use the Oracle ILOM Fault Management Shell and supported commands, see the Oracle ILOM User's Guide for System Monitoring and Diagnostics in the Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) 5.1 documentation at Servers Documentation - Systems Management.

#### **Related Topic:**

Identify and Remove a Processor



# 14 Servicing the Disk Backplane

The following section describes how to service the disk backplane. The disk backplane is a replaceable component. For more information about replaceable components, see Illustrated Parts Breakdown and Replaceable Components.

### Caution:

The disk backplane should be removed and replaced only by authorized Oracle Service personnel.

### Caution:

Ensure that all power is removed from the server before removing or installing the disk backplane. You must disconnect the power cables before performing this procedure.

### Caution:

These procedures require that you handle components that are sensitive to electrostatic discharge. This sensitivity can cause the component to fail. To avoid damage, ensure that you follow electrostatic discharge safety measures and antistatic practices. See Electrostatic Discharge Safety.

To remove and install the disk backplane, follow these procedures:

- Remove the Disk Backplane
- Install the Disk Backplane

#### **Related Topics**

- Servicing Storage Drives
- Servicing SAS Cables
- Servicing NVMe Cables

### Remove the Disk Backplane

- **1.** Prepare the server for service.
  - Power off the server and disconnect the power cords from the power supplies.
     See Powering Down the Server.
  - b. Extend the server into the maintenance position.



See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.

c. Attach an antistatic wrist strap to your wrist, and then to a metal area on the chassis.

See Take Antistatic Measures.

- Remove the server top cover.
   See Remove the Server Top Cover.
- e. Remove the air baffle.

See Remove the Air Baffle.

- f. Remove the fan modules from the server. See Remove a Fan Module.
- g. Remove the fan tray from the server.

See Remove the Fan Tray.

2. Pull each storage drive out far enough to disengage it from the backplane.

See Remove a Storage Drive.

### Note:

It is not necessary to completely remove the storage drives from the server; simply pull them out far enough to disengage them from the backplane. If you do remove the storage drives from the server, make a note of their locations so that you can reinstall them in the same locations.

- 3. Disconnect the cables from the disk backplane.
  - a. Disconnect the power cable from the disk backplane [1].
  - **b.** Depending on your storage drive configuration, do one of the following:
    - Disconnect the three SAS cables (not shown) from the disk backplane [1]. Press and hold the green button on the connector to disengage the locking mechanism, then gently pull the connector from the disk backplane. Note the cable connections in order to ease proper reconnection of the cables.
    - Disconnect the twelve NVMe cables from the disk backplane [1].

### Note:

Up to twelve NVMe cables are used when storage drive slots 8 through 11 contain NVMe SSDs.

Press and hold the green button on the connector to disengage the locking mechanism, then gently pull the connector from the disk backplane. Note the cable connections in order to ease proper reconnection of the cables.

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- c. Disconnect the temperature sensor cable from the disk backplane [2].
- d. Disconnect the auxiliary signal cable from the disk backplane [2].
- 4. Using a Torx T15 screwdriver, loosen the right-side and left-side spring-mounted screws that secure the disk backplane to the chassis [3].
- 5. Using a Torx T25 screwdriver, loosen the spring-mounted screws that secure the backplane bracket to the chassis, then lift the bracket from the server [4].
- 6. Lift the disk backplane up to release it from the standoff hooks and out of the chassis [5 and 6].
- 7. Place the disk backplane on an antistatic mat.

#### **Related Topic:**

• Install the Disk Backplane

### Install the Disk Backplane

 Lower the disk backplane into the server, and position it to engage the standoff hooks [1 and 2].





- 2. Lower the backplane bracket into the server, then using a Torx T25 screwdriver, tighten the spring-mounted screws to secure the bracket to the chassis [3].
- **3.** Using a Torx T15 screwdriver, tighten the right-side and left-side spring-mounted screws to secure the disk backplane to the chassis [4].
- 4. Reconnect the cables to the disk backplane.
  - a. Reconnect the auxiliary signal cable to the disk backplane [5].
  - b. Reconnect the temperature signal cable to the disk backplane [5].
  - c. Depending on your storage drive configuration, do one of the following:
    - Reconnect the three SAS cables (not shown) to the disk backplane [6]. To ensure proper SAS cable connections, see the SAS cabling reference table in Step 3 in Install SAS Storage Drive Cables.
    - Reconnect the twelve NVMe cables to the disk backplane [6]



### Note:

Up to twelve NVMe cables are used when storage drive slots 8 through 11 contain NVMe SSDs.

To ensure proper NVMe cable connections, see the NVMe cabling reference table in Step 3 in Install NVMe Cables, and perform the procedures in Verify NVMe Cable Connections.

- d. Reconnect the power cable to the disk backplane [6].
- 5. Return the server to operation.
  - a. Install the fan tray.

See Install the Fan Tray.

- Install the fan modules.
   See Install a Fan Module.
- c. Install the air baffle. See Install the Air Baffle.
- Install the server top cover.
   See Install the Server Top Cover.
- e. Install all storage drives into the storage drive cage. See Install a Storage Drive.

f. Return the server to the normal rack position.

See Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position.

g. Reconnect the power cords to the power supplies, and power on the server.

See Reconnect Power and Data Cables and Power On the Server.

h. Verify that the power supply AC OK LED is lit.

### Note:

**IMPORTANT:** When the disk backplane is replaced, the key identity properties (KIP) of the backplane is programmed by Oracle ILOM to contain the same KIP as the other quorum member components. If you have removed other quorum member components, you might need to manually program the product serial number (PSN) into the new backplane. For more information, refer to Key Identity Properties (KIP) Automated Update.

#### **Related Topic:**

Remove the Disk Backplane



# 15 Servicing the Front LED Indicator Module

The following section describes how to service the front LED indicator module. The front LED indicator module is a replaceable component. For more information about replaceable components, see Illustrated Parts Breakdown and Replaceable Components.

### Caution:

The front LED indicator modules should be removed and replaced only by authorized Oracle Service personnel.

### Caution:

Ensure that all power is removed from the server before removing or installing a front LED indicator module. You must disconnect the power cables before performing this procedure.

### **L** Caution:

These procedures require that you handle components that are sensitive to electrostatic discharge. This sensitivity can cause the component to fail. To avoid damage, ensure that you follow electrostatic discharge safety measures and antistatic practices. See Electrostatic Discharge Safety.

This section covers the following procedures:

- Remove the Front LED Indicator Module
- Install the Front LED Indicator Module

#### **Related Topics**

Troubleshooting Using the Server Front and Back Panel Status Indicators

### Remove the Front LED Indicator Module

- 1. Prepare the server for service.
  - Power off the server and disconnect the power cords from the power supplies.
     See Powering Down the Server.
  - Extend the server into the maintenance position.
     See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.
  - c. Attach an antistatic wrist strap to your wrist, and then to a metal area on the chassis.



See Take Antistatic Measures.

d. Remove the server top cover.

See Remove the Server Top Cover.

2. Disconnect the LED indicator module cable from the motherboard.

### Note:

You might need to disconnect the SAS cable connections from the Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal card or the NVMe cable connections from the Oracle Retimer card in PCIe slot 10 to access the LED indicator module motherboard cable connection. To ease removal of the LED indicator module cable, slightly lift the SAS or NVMe cable bundles from the cable trough along the left side of the chassis. See Servicing SAS Cables or Servicing NVMe Cables.



**3.** Remove the three No. 2 Phillips screws that secure the FIM cable and Temperature Sensor Access cover to the chassis [1].





4. Lift up and remove the FIM cable and Temperature Sensor Access cover from the FIM cable and Temperature Sensor Access cover slot [1].

Set aside the FIM cable and Temp Sensor Access cover.

- 5. Remove the front LED indicator module [2].
  - a. Remove the two No. 2 Phillips screws that secure the LED indicator module to the server front panel.
  - b. Remove the LED indicator module and cable from the server front panel.

Remove the LED indicator module cable by carefully pulling the cable through the cable trough along the left side of the chassis.

#### **Related Topics:**

- Server System-Level Status Indicators
- Install the Front LED Indicator Module

### Install the Front LED Indicator Module

- 1. Install the front LED indicator module.
  - a. Push the LED indicator module and cable through the LED housing on the server front panel [1].





**b.** Install the LED indicator module cable by carefully pulling the cable through the cable trough along the left side of the chassis.

### Note:

To ease installation of the LED indicator module cable, slightly lift the SAS or NVMe cable bundles from the cable trough along the left side of the chassis.

### Note:

Cable part number 7315469 is required for the LED indicator module.

- c. Insert and tighten the two No. 2 Phillips screws to secure the LED indicator module to the server front panel [1].
- d. Install the FIM cable and Temperature Sensor Access cover to the chassis by inserting it into the FIM cable and Temperature Sensor Access cover slot [2].

### Caution:

Be careful not to damage the temperature sensor when installing the FIM cable and Temperature Sensor Access cover to the chassis.

- e. Install the three No. 2 Phillips screws to secure the FIM cable and Temperature Sensor Access cover to the chassis [2].
- 2. Reconnect the LED indicator module cable to the motherboard.



### Note:

You might need to disconnect the SAS cable connections from the Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal card or NVMe cable connections from the Oracle Retimer card in PCIe slot 10 to access the LED indicator module motherboard cable connection. See Servicing SAS Cables or Servicing NVMe Cables.



- 3. Return the server to operation.
  - a. Install the server top cover. See Install the Server Top Cover.
  - b. Return the server to the normal rack position.
    - See Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position.
  - c. Reconnect the power cords to the power supplies, and power on the server. See Reconnect Power and Data Cables and Power On the Server.
  - d. Verify that the power supply AC OK LED is lit.

### **Related Topics:**

- Server System-Level Status Indicators
- Remove the Front LED Indicator Module



# 16 Servicing the Temperature Sensor

The following section describes how to service the temperature sensor. The temperature sensor is a replaceable component. For more information about replaceable components, see Illustrated Parts Breakdown and Replaceable Components.

### Caution:

The temperature sensor should be removed and replaced only by authorized Oracle Service personnel.

### Caution:

Ensure that all power is removed from the server before removing or installing the temperature sensor. You must disconnect the power cables before performing this procedure.

### 🔺 Caution:

These procedures require that you handle components that are sensitive to electrostatic discharge. This sensitivity can cause the component to fail. To avoid damage, ensure that you follow electrostatic discharge safety measures and antistatic practices. See Electrostatic Discharge Safety.

This section covers the following procedures:

- Remove the Temperature Sensor
- Install the Temperature Sensor

#### **Related Topics**

Troubleshooting Using the Server Front and Back Panel Status Indicators

### Remove the Temperature Sensor

- 1. Prepare the server for service.
  - Power off the server and disconnect the power cords from the power supplies.
     See Powering Down the Server.
  - **b.** Extend the server into the maintenance position.
    - See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.
  - c. Attach an antistatic wrist strap to your wrist, and then to a metal area on the chassis.



See Take Antistatic Measures.

d. Remove the server top cover.

See Remove the Server Top Cover.

- Remove the fan modules and the fan tray.
   See Remove a Fan Module and Remove the Fan Tray.
- 3. Disconnect the temperature sensor cable from the disk backplane.



4. Remove the three No. 2 Phillips screws that secure the FIM cable and Temp Sensor Access cover to the chassis [1].





5. Lift up and remove the FIM cable and Temp Sensor Access cover from the FIM cable and Temp Sensor Access cover slot [2].

Set aside the FIM cable and Temp Sensor Access cover.

6. Remove the temperature sensor by carefully pulling the sensor cable rearward and through the cable trough along the left side of the chassis. Then lift the temperature sensor from the chassis [3].

#### **Related Topic:**

• Install the Temperature Sensor

### Install the Temperature Sensor

1. Install the temperature sensor by carefully inserting the sensor-end of the cable through the rear opening of the cable trough. Then pull the cable through the opening and install it into the cable trough along the left side of the chassis [1].





- 2. Install the FIM cable and Temp Sensor Access cover to the chassis by inserting it into the FIM cable and Temp Sensor Access cover slot [2].
- **3.** Install the three No. 2 Phillips screws to secure the FIM cable and Temp Sensor Access cover to the chassis [3].
- 4. Reconnect the temperature sensor cable to the disk backplane.



Install the fan tray and fan modules.
 See Install the Fan Tray and Install a Fan Module.



- 6. Return the server to operation.
  - a. Install the server top cover.
     See Install the Server Top Cover.
  - b. Return the server to the normal rack position.
     See Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position.
  - c. Reconnect the power cords to the power supplies, and power on the server. See Reconnect Power and Data Cables and Power On the Server.
  - d. Verify that the power supply AC OK LED is lit.

### **Related Topic:**

Remove the Temperature Sensor



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# Servicing the Internal HBA Card and HBA Super Capacitor

The following section describes how to service and install the Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal card in the HC and XT servers.. The internal HBA card and HBA super capacitor are replaceable components. For more information about replaceable components, see Replaceable Components.

For more information about the internal HBA card, refer to the *Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA Internal: 16 Port and 2 GB Memory Installation Guide For HBA Model* 7116970 at Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal: 16 Port and 2 GB Memory Documentation.

### Caution:

The internal HBA card and HBA super capacitor should be removed and replaced only by authorized Oracle Service personnel.

### Caution:

Ensure that all power is removed from the server before removing or installing the internal HBA card and super capacitor. You must disconnect all power cables from the system before performing these procedures.

### Caution:

These procedures require that you handle components that are sensitive to electrostatic discharge. This sensitivity can cause the component to fail. To avoid damage, ensure that you follow electrostatic discharge safety measures and antistatic practices. See Electrostatic Discharge Safety.

This section covers the following procedures:

- Remove the Internal HBA Card and HBA Super Capacitor
- Install the Internal HBA Card and HBA Super Capacitor

#### **Related Topics**

Servicing SAS Cables

### Remove the Internal HBA Card and HBA Super Capacitor

**1.** Prepare the server for service.



- Power off the server and disconnect the power cords from the power supplies.
   See Powering Down the Server.
- **b.** Extend the server to the maintenance position.

See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.

c. Attach an antistatic wrist strap.

See Take Antistatic Measures.

d. Remove the server top cover.

See Remove the Server Top Cover.

2. Remove the HBA super capacitor from the chassis.

### Note:

If you are removing and replacing only the internal HBA card, you do not need to remove the HBA super capacitor. You can disconnect the HBA super capacitor cable from the internal HBA card and then remove the internal HBA card from the system.

a. Grasp both ends of the cable connector, press in on the release latch, and then unplug the connector [1].

The HBA super capacitor is secured to the HBA super capacitor tray by a recloseable fastener, which allows it to be easily removed and replaced.

**b.** To separate the HBA super capacitor from the tray, place your fingers under the super capacitor and lift up [2].

When removing the super capacitor, by careful not to snag the cable on the tray wire guide. Place the super capacitor on an antistatic mat.





3. Rotate the PCIe card locking mechanism, and then lift up on the PCIe HBA card to disengage it from the motherboard connectors [1].



4. Disconnect the super capacitor cable and the SAS cables from the Oracle Storage 12Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal card [1].

See also Remove SAS Storage Drive Cables.

- 5. Lift and remove the internal HBA card and super capacitor cable from the chassis [2].
- 6. Place the internal HBA card and super capacitor cable on an antistatic mat.

### **Related Topic:**

Install the Internal HBA Card and HBA Super Capacitor

### Install the Internal HBA Card and HBA Super Capacitor

- **1.** Unpack the replacement internal HBA card and super capacitor, and place them on an antistatic mat.
- 2. Insert the internal HBA card into PCIe slot 11, and rotate the PCIe locking mechanism to secure the PCIe HBA card in place [1 and 2].



### Note:

PCIe slot 10 is the primary slot for the internal HBA card. The card is required for controlling and managing the SAS storage drives.



3. Connect the super capacitor cable to the internal HBA card, and then reconnect the SAS cables that you unplugged during the removal procedure [2].

To ensure proper SAS cable connections, see the SAS cabling reference table in Step 3 in Install SAS Storage Drive Cables.

4. Install the HBA super capacitor in the chassis.

### Note:

If you did not remove the HBA super capacitor when removing the internal HBA card, reconnect the HBA super capacitor cable to the internal HBA card.

a. Apply a recloseable fastener to the underside of the super capacitor.



**b.** Align the recloseable fastener on the super capacitor with the recloseable fastener on the HBA super capacitor tray and press down [1].



- c. Route the super capacitor cable through the tray wire guide on the HBA super capacitor tray and then connect the super capacitor cable [2].
- 5. Return the server to operation.
  - a. Install the top cover.

See Install the Server Top Cover.

**b.** Return the server to the normal rack position.

See Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position.

c. Reconnect the power cords to the power supplies and power on the server.

See Reconnect Power and Data Cables and Power On the Server.

- d. Verify that the power supply AC OK LED is lit.
- 6. Use Oracle ILOM to clear any server PCIe card faults.

If a PCIe card fault message in Oracle ILOM is not cleared under Open Problems, you must manually clear the fault using Oracle ILOM. For instructions for manually clearing a PCIe card fault, see the procedure "Clear Faults for Undetected Replaced or Repaired Hardware Components" in the Oracle ILOM User's Guide for System Monitoring and Diagnostics Firmware Release 5.1.x.x in the Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) 5.1 documentation at Servers Documentation - Systems Management.

#### **Related Topic:**

• Remove the Internal HBA Card and HBA Super Capacitor



# 18 Servicing SAS Cables

The following section describes how to service SAS cables. SAS cables are replaceable components. For more information about replaceable components, see Illustrated Parts Breakdown and Replaceable Components.

### Caution:

SAS cables should be removed and replaced only by authorized Oracle Service personnel.

### Caution:

The system supplies power to the cables even when the server is powered off. To avoid personal injury or damage to the server, you must disconnect power cords before servicing the cables.

### Caution:

These procedures require that you handle components that are sensitive to electrostatic discharge. This sensitivity can cause the component to fail. To avoid damage, ensure that you follow electrostatic discharge safety measures and antistatic practices. See Electrostatic Discharge Safety.

This section covers the following procedures:

- Remove SAS Storage Drive Cables
- Install SAS Storage Drive Cables

#### **Related Topics**

- Servicing Storage Drives
- Servicing the Disk Backplane
- Servicing NVMe Cables

### Remove SAS Storage Drive Cables

- **1.** Prepare the server for service.
  - Power off the server and disconnect the power cords from the power supplies.
     See Powering Down the Server.
  - **b.** Extend the server to the maintenance position.



See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.

c. Attach an antistatic wrist strap to your wrist, and then to a metal area on the chassis.

See Take Antistatic Measures.

d. Remove the server top cover.

See Remove the Server Top Cover.

e. Remove the air baffle.

See Remove the Air Baffle.

f. Remove fan modules.

See Remove a Fan Module.

g. Remove the fan tray from the server.

See Remove the Fan Tray.

2. Disconnect the SAS cables from the disk backplane [1].

Press and hold the green button on the connector to disengage the locking mechanism, then gently pull the connector from the disk backplane.



3. Disconnect the SAS cables from the Oracle Storage 12Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal card in PCIe slot 10 [2].

Press each latch, and then pull out to disengage the cable from each connector. See also Remove the Internal HBA Card and HBA Super Capacitor.

4. Remove the SAS cables from the server [3].

Carefully remove the SAS cable bundles from the server. Be careful not to snag the cables on the server components.



### **Related Topics:**

- Remove the Internal HBA Card and HBA Super Capacitor
- Install SAS Storage Drive Cables

### Install SAS Storage Drive Cables

Install the SAS cables between the disk backplane and the rear PCIe slots [1].
 Route the SAS cable bundle through the cable trough along the left side of the chassis.



2. Reconnect the SAS cables to the Oracle Storage 12Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal card in PCIe slot 10 [2].

Plug each cable into its SAS connector until you hear an audible click. To ensure proper SAS cable connections, see the SAS cable connections table in Step 3. See also Install the Internal HBA Card and HBA Super Capacitor.



SAS cable assembly, part number 7315464 is required to connect the HBA card to the disk backplane.

3. Reconnect the SAS cables to the disk backplane [3].

Plug each cable into its SAS connector until you hear an audible click.

When attaching SAS cables, ensure that you match the numbers on the SAS cables with the SAS connectors on the disk backplane and on the HBA card. Use the following table to ensure proper SAS connections between the disk backplane and the HBA card.


HBA Card	PCIe Slot Location	HBA Connector	Disk Backplane Connector	Storage Drives
Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal	10	1	1	0, 1, 2, 3
		2	2	4, 5, 6, 7
		3	3	8, 9, 10, 11

- 4. Return the server to operation.
  - a. Install the fan tray.
     See Install the Fan Tray.
  - Install the fan modules.
     See Install a Fan Module.
  - c. Install the air baffle. See Install the Air Baffle.
  - d. Install the server top cover.

See Install the Server Top Cover.

e. Return the server to the normal rack position.

See Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position.

- f. Reconnect the power cords to the power supplies, and power on the server. See Reconnect Power and Data Cables and Power On the Server.
- g. Verify that the power supply AC OK LED is lit.

## **Related Topics:**

- Install the Internal HBA Card and HBA Super Capacitor
- Remove SAS Storage Drive Cables



# 19 Servicing NVMe Cables

The following section describes how to service NVMe cables. NVMe cables are replaceable components. For more information about replaceable components, see Illustrated Parts Breakdown and Replaceable Components.

## Caution:

NVMe cables should be removed and replaced only by authorized Oracle Service personnel.

## Caution:

The system supplies power to the cables even when the server is powered off. To avoid personal injury or damage to the server, you must disconnect power cords before servicing the cables.

## Caution:

These procedures require that you handle components that are sensitive to electrostatic discharge. This sensitivity can cause the component to fail. To avoid damage, ensure that you follow electrostatic discharge safety measures and antistatic practices. See Electrostatic Discharge Safety.

This section covers the following procedures:

- Remove NVMe Cables
- Install NVMe Cables
- Verify NVMe Cable Connections

### **Related Topics**

- Servicing Storage Drives
- Servicing the Disk Backplane
- Servicing SAS Cables

# **Remove NVMe Cables**

- **1.** Prepare the server for service.
  - Power off the server and disconnect the power cords from the power supplies.
     See Powering Down the Server.



**b.** Extend the server to the maintenance position.

See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.

**c.** Attach an antistatic wrist strap to your wrist, and then to a metal area on the chassis.

See Take Antistatic Measures.

d. Remove the server top cover.

See Remove the Server Top Cover.

e. Remove the air baffle.

See Remove the Air Baffle.

f. Remove the fan modules.

See Remove a Fan Module.

g. Remove the fan tray from the server.

See Remove the Fan Tray.

2. Disconnect the NVMe cables from the disk backplane [1].

Press and hold the green button on each connector to disengage the locking mechanism, then gently pull each connector from the disk backplane.



3. If your storage drive configuration includes NVMe drives in slots 8 through 11, disconnect the NVMe cables from the Oracle Retimer card in PCIe slot 10 [2].

Press and hold the green button on each connector to disengage the locking mechanism, then gently pull each connector to disengage them from the P0 and P1 connectors on the HBA. See also Remove a PCIe Card.

4. Disconnect the NVMe cables from the motherboard NVMe connectors [3].



Press and hold the green button on each connector to disengage the locking mechanism, then gently pull each connector to disengage them from the motherboard connectors.

5. Remove the NVMe cables from the server [3].

Carefully remove the NVMe cable bundles from the center and front left-side cable guides and the left-side cable trough. Be careful not to snag the cables on the server components.

### **Related Topic:**

Install NVMe Cables

# **Install NVMe Cables**

- 1. Install the NVMe cables into the chassis.
  - a. Install the NVMe cables for NVMe storage drives 0 through 7 between the disk backplane and motherboard NVMe connectors [1].
    - Route the NVMe cable bundles for NVMe storage drives 0, 1, 4, and 5 through the front left-side cable guide.
    - Route the NVMe cable bundles for NVMe storage drives 2, 3, 6, and 7 through the center cable guide.



b. If your storage drive configuration includes NVMe drives in slots 8 through 11, install the NVMe cables between the disk backplane and the Oracle Retimer card in PCIe slot 10 [1].

Route the NVMe cable bundles through the cable trough along the left side of the chassis.

2. Reconnect the NVMe cables to the motherboard NVMe connectors, and if configured, the P0 and P1 connectors on the Oracle Retimer card in PCIe slot 10 [2].



Plug each cable into its connector until you hear an audible click. To ensure proper NVMe cable connections, see the NVMe cable connections tables in Step 3. See also Install a PCIe Card.

3. Reconnect the NVMe cables to the disk backplane [3].

Plug each cable into its NVMe connector until you hear an audible click.

Use the following tables to ensure proper NVMe cable connections.

• NVMe storage drives 0 through 7

Motherboard NVMe Connector	Disk Backplane Connector	Physical Storage Drive Slot	Cable Part Number
A/C (Left)	A	0	7363958
	В	4	
В	С	1	8201505
	D	5	
4/C (Right)	E	2	7363958
	F	6	1
)	G	3	8201506
	Н	7	1

NVMe storage drives 8 through 11

Oracle Retimer Card NVMe Connector	Disk Backplane Connector	Physical Storage Drive Slot	Cable Part Number
P0	J	8	8204031
	К	9	
P1	L	10	8204032
	М	11	

- 4. Return the server to operation.
  - a. Install the fan tray.

See Install the Fan Tray.

- Install the fan modules.
   See Install a Fan Module.
- c. Install the air baffle.

See Install the Air Baffle.

d. Install the server top cover.

See Install the Server Top Cover.

- Return the server to the normal rack position.
   See Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position.
- f. Reconnect the power cords to the power supplies, and power on the server.
   See Reconnect Power and Data Cables and Power On the Server.



- g. Verify that the power supply AC OK LED is lit.
- 5. Verify that NVMe cable connections are correct.

See Verify NVMe Cable Connections.

#### **Related Topic:**

Remove NVMe Cables

# Verify NVMe Cable Connections

When NVMe cables are removed or replaced between the disk backplane and NVMe motherboard connectors and/or Oracle Retimer card, you must perform the procedure in this section to confirm that all NVMe cable connections are correct. If NVMe cable connections are not correct, the server operating system should not be allowed to boot, as it could cause a problem with disk drive mapping.

Before beginning this procedure, ensure that the server has been returned to operation. See Step 4 in Install NVMe Cables. This procedure requires access to the Oracle ILOM service processor (SP). The BIOS Setup Utility is used to halt the system so NVMe cable connection tests can be run for NVMe storage drives.

You can access the BIOS Setup Utility screens from the following interfaces:

- Use a terminal (or terminal emulator connected to a computer) through the serial port on the back panel of the server.
- Connect to the server using the Oracle ILOM Remote System Console Plus application.
- **1**. Power on the server.

For example, to power on the server:

- From the local server, press the On/Standby button on the front bezel.
- From the Oracle ILOM web interface, click Host Management → Power Control and select Power On from the Select Action list.
- From the Oracle ILOM CLI, type start /System

The power-on self-test (POST) sequence begins.

2. To enter the BIOS Setup Utility, press the F2 key (Ctrl+E from a serial connection) when prompted and while the BIOS is running the power-on self-tests (POST).

This step halts the system so NVMe cable connection tests can be run for the NVMe storage drives.

- 3. Open a terminal window. Using SSH (secure shell), log in to the Oracle ILOM commandline interface (CLI) on the server SP.
- 4. To access the Oracle ILOM Diagnostic Shell, type the start /sp/diag/shell command, and then click Enter.
- 5. Type y to confirm that you want to start the Oracle ILOM Diagnostic Shell.

The diag> prompt appears.

6. To run the NVMe cable connection tests, type the hwdiag io nvme\_test command, and then click Enter.

Your output should be similar to the following example:



```
diag> hwdiag io nvme test
HWdiag (Diag Shell) - Build Number 120817 (Aug 21 2017, 00:15:43)
        Current Date/Time: Oct 04 2017, 17:19:34
    Checking NVME drive contents...
        checking on drive NVMe 0
                                              OK
        checking on drive NVMe 1
                                              OK
        checking on drive NVMe 2
                                             OK
       checking on drive NVMe 3
                                             OK
       checking on drive NVMe 4
                                             OK
        checking on drive NVMe 5
                                             OK
       checking on drive NVMe 6
                                             OK
       checking on drive NVMe 7
                                             OK
       checking on drive NVMe 8
                                             OK
        checking on drive NVMe 9
                                             OK
        checking on drive NVMe 10
                                             OK
        checking on drive NVMe 11
                                              OK
   NVME drives check:
                                              PASSED
   Checking NVME drive pcie links...
        checking pcie link on drive NVMe 0
                                                  OK
        checking pcie link on drive NVMe 1
                                                  OK
        checking pcie link on drive NVMe 2
                                                  OK
        checking pcie link on drive NVMe 3
                                                  OK
        checking pcie link on drive NVMe 4
                                                  OK
        checking pcie link on drive NVMe 5
                                                  OK
        checking pcie link on drive NVMe 6
                                                  OK
       checking pcie link on drive NVMe 7
                                                  OK
        checking pcie link on drive NVMe 8
                                                  OK
        checking pcie link on drive NVMe 9
                                                  OK
       checking pcie link on drive NVMe 10
                                                  OK
        checking pcie link on drive NVMe 11
                                                 OK
   NVME drives pcie link check:
                                                  PASSED
   Checking NVME drive DSN...
        checking DSN on drive NVMe 0
                                                  OK
        checking DSN on drive NVMe 1
                                                  OK
       checking DSN on drive NVMe 2
                                                  OK
       checking DSN on drive NVMe 3
                                                 OK
       checking DSN on drive NVMe 4
                                                 OK
       checking DSN on drive NVMe 5
                                                 OK
       checking DSN on drive NVMe 6
                                                 OK
       checking DSN on drive NVMe 7
                                                 OK
       checking DSN on drive NVMe 8
                                                 OK
        checking DSN on drive NVMe 9
                                                 OK
        checking DSN on drive NVMe 10
                                                 OK
        checking DSN on drive NVMe 11
                                                 OK
   NVME drives DSN check:
                                                  PASSED
   Checking NVME cabling ...
        Cables associated with Switch Card 0 in PCIe Slot 3 verified
        Cables associated with Switch Card 1 in PCIe Slot 4 verified
        Cables associated with Switch Card 2 in PCIe Slot 8 verified
        Cables associated with Switch Card 3 in PCIe Slot 9 verified
   NVME cable check:
                                                  PASSED
NVME test PASSED
diag>
```

If any of the tests fail, there could be a problem with the cabling. For example:



- If a cable is crossed (plugged into the incorrect port), then the NVMe drive DSN (Drive Serial Number) test should report two drives where the DSN does not match. The cabling for those drives should be inspected to ensure that it is correct.
- If multiple NVMe drive PCIe links are not active, or multiple NVMe drive DSNs are not OK, then check the Port 2 connection on the NVMe switch card. If Port 2 is incorrectly cabled, it could affect all three drives that are connected to that NVMe switch card.
- 7. Once issues are resolved, power cycle the system by removing the power cords from the power supplies, waiting 30 seconds, and then reattaching the power cords.
- 8. Retest the system by repeating Step 1 through Step 6.

Once all NVMe cable connection tests have passed, the server operating system can be booted.



# 20 Servicing the Motherboard Assembly

The following section describes how to service the motherboard assembly. The motherboard assembly is a replaceable components. For more information about replaceable components, see Illustrated Parts Breakdown and Replaceable Components.

## Caution:

The motherboard assembly should be removed and replaced only by authorized Oracle Service personnel.

## Caution:

Ensure that all power is removed from the server before removing or installing the motherboard. You must disconnect the power cables before performing these procedures.

## 🔺 Caution:

These procedures require that you handle components that are sensitive to electrostatic discharge. This sensitivity can cause the component to fail. To avoid damage, ensure that you follow electrostatic discharge safety measures and antistatic practices. See Electrostatic Discharge Safety.

This section covers the following procedures:

- Remove the Motherboard Assembly
- Install the Motherboard Assembly

### **Related Topics**

System Components

# Remove the Motherboard Assembly

- 1. Prepare the server for service.
  - a. (Optional Persistent Memory (PMeM) DIMMs only) If your server is configured with PMeM DIMMs, perform Step 6 in Install a DIMM to collect PMeM DIMM serial numbers and matching DIMM slot numbers. This facilitates placing PMeM DIMMs into their correct DIMM slots during the motherboard replacement procedure.
  - **b.** Power off the server, disconnect the power cords from the power supplies, and label each power cord that you disconnect.



See Powering Down the Server.

c. Extend the server into the maintenance position.

See Extend the Server to the Maintenance Position.

d. Attach an antistatic wrist strap to your wrist, and then to a metal area of the chassis.

See Take Antistatic Measures.

e. Remove the server top cover.

See Remove the Server Top Cover.

2. If present on the HC or XT server, remove the Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal card and its associated super capacitor.

See Remove the Internal HBA Card and HBA Super Capacitor.

## Note:

After you remove the HBA super capacitor, remove the HBA super capacitor tray by squeezing the plastic hinges together and lifting the tray from the chassis.

3. Remove the following reusable components:

## **Caution**:

During the motherboard removal procedure, it is important to label power supplies with the slot numbers from which they were removed (PS0, PS1). This is required because the power supplies must be reinstalled into the slots from which they were removed; otherwise, the server key identity properties (KIP) data might be lost. When a server requires service, the KIP is used by Oracle to verify that the warranty on the server has not expired. For more information on KIP, see Key Identity Properties (KIP) Automated Update.

Fan modules

See Remove a Fan Module.

Fan tray

See Remove the Fan Tray.

• Air baffle

See Remove the Air Baffle.

PCIe cards

See Remove a PCIe Card.

- SAS storage drive cables (if present)
   See Remove SAS Storage Drive Cables.
- NVMe cables (if present)



See Remove NVMe Cables.

- Power supplies
   See Remove a Power Supply.
- 4. Disconnect the following cables from the motherboard:
  - Front LED indicator module ribbon cable

See Servicing the Front LED Indicator Module.

- Disk backplane auxiliary signal cable See Servicing the Disk Backplane.
- Disk backplane power cable

See Servicing the Disk Backplane.

• SER MGT RJ-45 serial cable

Disconnect and remove the SER MGT RJ-45 cable between the motherboard and back panel.



5. Using a Torx T25 screwdriver, loosen the two captive screws that secure the motherboard mid-wall to the chassis [1].





- 6. With the server in the extended maintenance position, remove the motherboard from the server with all reusable components that populate the motherboard in place [2].
  - a. Carefully slide the motherboard forward, and while holding the motherboard mid-wall, lift it out of the chassis.
  - **b.** Place the motherboard assembly on an antistatic mat, and next to the replacement motherboard.
- 7. Remove the following reusable components from the motherboard and install them onto the replacement motherboard.
  - DIMMs

See Identify and Remove a DIMM and Install a DIMM.

## Note:

Install the DIMMs only in the slots (connectors) that correspond to the slots from which they were removed. Performing a one-to-one replacement of the DIMMs significantly reduces the possibility that the DIMMs will be installed in the wrong slots. If you do not reinstall the DIMMs in the same slots, server performance might suffer and some DIMMs might not be used by the server.

## Caution:

Persistent Memory (PMeM) DIMMs must retain their slot locations due to PMeM interleaving.

• M.2 flash riser SSDs



See Remove a Flash Riser Board and Install a Flash Riser Board.

8. Remove the processors from the failed motherboard.

See Identify and Remove a Processor.

- **9.** Remove the processor socket covers from the replacement motherboard and install the processors.
  - a. Grasp the processor socket cover finger grips (labeled REMOVE) and lift the socket cover up and off the processor socket.



**b.** Install a processor into the socket from which you removed the processor socket cover.

See Install a Processor.

- c. Repeat Step 9.a and Step 9.b to remove the second processor socket cover from the replacement motherboard and install the second processor.
- **10.** Install the processor socket covers on the faulty motherboard.

## Caution:

The processor socket covers must be installed on the faulty motherboard; otherwise, damage might result to the processor sockets during handling and shipping.

a. Align the processor socket cover over the processor socket alignment posts. Install the processor socket cover by firmly pressing down on all four corners (labeled INSTALL) on the socket cover.

You will hear an audible click when the processor socket cover is securely attached to the processor socket.





- **b.** Repeat Step 10.a to install the second processor socket cover on the faulty motherboard.
- **11**. Check to see if the replacement motherboard has a locate light pipe installed.
  - If it does, no action is necessary.
  - If it does not, perform the following steps.
  - a. Check to see if the replacement motherboard came with a light pipe. It should be in a separate plastic bag.
    - If you find a replacement light pipe, skip to Step 11.b.
    - If you do not find a replacement light pipe, perform the following steps to remove the light pipe from the faulty motherboard.
    - i. Insert a flat tool such as a screwdriver or penknife blade between the light pipe housing and the light pipe.

## Caution:

Equipment damage. The light pipe is fragile. Handle it carefully.





- ii. Twist the tool back and forth to release the light pipe from the housing.
- iii. Pull the light pipe away from the housing.
- **b.** Install the light pipe on the replacement motherboard.
  - i. Match the rectangular holes on the outside of the light pipe with the retaining clips on the housing.



ii. Push the light pipe onto the housing until the clips latch in the holes.

## **Related Topics:**

- Replaceable Components
- Install the Motherboard Assembly



# Install the Motherboard Assembly

1. Attach an antistatic wrist strap to your wrist, and then to a metal area on the chassis.

See Take Antistatic Measures.

2. Carefully lift and place the motherboard assembly into the chassis [1].

While holding the motherboard mid-wall, tilt the motherboard to the right side to fit it under the power supply assembly, then level the motherboard and place it into the server chassis. Slide the motherboard to the back of the server to engage the raised standoffs.

## Caution:

Be careful not to damage the rear Locate Button/LED when placing the motherboard into the chassis.



- **3.** Using a Torx T25 screwdriver, tighten the two captive screws to secure the motherboard mid-wall to the chassis [2].
- 4. Reconnect the following cables to the motherboard:
  - SER MGT RJ-45 serial cable

Reinstall and reconnect the SER MGT RJ-45 cable between the motherboard and back panel.

• Disk backplane power cable

See Servicing the Disk Backplane.



- Disk backplane auxiliary signal cable See Servicing the Disk Backplane.
- Front LED indicator module ribbon cable
   See Servicing the Front LED Indicator Module.



5. Reinstall the following components:

## Caution:

When reinstalling power supplies, it is important to reinstall them into the slots from which they were removed during the motherboard removal procedure; otherwise, the server key identity properties (KIP) data might be lost. When a server requires service, the KIP is used by Oracle to verify that the warranty on the server has not expired. For more information on KIP, see Key Identity Properties (KIP) Automated Update.

• Power supplies

See Install a Power Supply.



- PCIe cards See Install a PCIe Card.
- NVMe cables (if present)
   See Install NVMe Cables.
- SAS storage drive cables (if present)
   See Install SAS Storage Drive Cables.
- Fan tray

See Install the Fan Tray.

- Fan modules
   See Install a Fan Module.
- Air baffle

See Install the Air Baffle.

6. If present on the HC or XT server, install the Oracle Storage 12 Gb SAS PCIe RAID HBA, Internal card and its associated super capacitor.

See Install the Internal HBA Card and HBA Super Capacitor.

Note:

Before you install the HBA super capacitor, install the HBA super capacitor tray by squeezing the plastic hinges together and inserting the tray into the chassis.

- 7. Return the server to operation.
  - a. Install the server top cover.

See Install the Server Top Cover.

**b.** Return the server to the normal rack position.

See Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position.

 $\ensuremath{\mathbf{c}}.$  Reconnect the power cords to the power supplies, and power on the server.

See Reconnect Power and Data Cables and Power On the Server.

d. Verify that the power supply AC OK LED is lit.

## Note:

**IMPORTANT:** After replacing the motherboard, you might need to manually program the product serial number (PSN) into the new motherboard. This is necessary because the motherboard is a secondary member of a select group (or quorum) of components used for maintaining the PSN for service entitlement, and if you replace more than one of the quorum members during any given service procedure, a secondary quorum member might need to be programmed with the PSN. See Key Identity Properties (KIP) Automated Update.

**Related Topics:** 



- Replaceable Components
- Remove the Motherboard Assembly



# 21 Returning the Server to Operation

After replacing components inside of the server, perform the procedures in the following sections:

- Server Filler Panel Requirements
- Remove and Install Filler Panels
- Install the Server Top Cover
- Remove Antistatic Measures
- Reinstall the Server Into the Rack
- Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position
- Reconnect Power and Data Cables
- Power On the Server

# Server Filler Panel Requirements

The server might be shipped with module-replacement filler panels for storage drives and PCIe cards. These filler panels are installed at the factory and must remain in the server until you replace them with a purchased option.

Before you can install an optional server component into the server, you must remove the filler panel from the location into which you intend to install the component. When you remove a storage drive or a PCIe card from the server, you must install either a replacement for the component removed or a filler panel.

# **Remove and Install Filler Panels**

 See the procedures in the following table to remove and install filler panels for storage drives and PCIe cards.



Filler Panel Type	Removal Procedure	Installation Procedure
Storage drive	<ol> <li>Locate the storage drive filler panel to be removed from the server.</li> <li>To unlatch the storage drive filler panel, pull the release lever, and then tilt the lever out into a fully opened position.</li> <li>To remove the filler panel from the slot, hold the opened release lever, and gently slide the filler panel toward you.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Locate the vacant storage drive module slot in the server, and then ensure that the release lever on the filler panel is fully opened.</li> <li>Slide the filler panel into the vacant slot by pressing the middle of the filler panel faceplate with your thumb or finger.</li> <li>The release lever will close as it makes contact with the chassis. Do not slide the filler panel in all the way. Leave the filler panel out approximately 0.25 to 0.50 inch (6 to 12 mm) from the opening.</li> <li>Using your thumb or finger, press on the middle of the filler panel faceplate until the release lever engages with the chassis.</li> <li>Close the release lever until it clicks into place and is flush with the front of the server</li> </ol>
PCIe slot	1. Remove the server top cover.	1. Remove the server top cover.
	<ol> <li>To remove the PCIe slot filler panel, rotate the PCIe locking mechanism in to an upright position, and then lift and remove the PCIe slot filler panel from the location into which you intend to install the PCIe card.</li> <li>Note: In single-processor systems, PCIe slots 1 through 5 are nonfunctional; therefore, there is no need to remove the filler panels for these slots.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>To install the PCIe slot filler panel, press the PCIe filler panel into the vacant PCIe slot, and then rotate the PCIe locking mechanism downward to secure the PCIe slot filler panel. You will hear an audible click when the PCIe filler panel is secured into the slot.</li> <li>Note: In single-processor systems, PCIe slots 1 through 5 are nonfunctional; therefore, the server ships with these filler panels installed.</li> </ol>

# Install the Server Top Cover

1. Place the top cover on the chassis [1].

Set the cover down so that it hangs over the back of the server by about 1 inch (25 mm) and the side latches align with the cutouts in the chassis.

2. Check both sides of the chassis to ensure that the top cover is fully down and flush with the chassis.

If the cover is not fully down and flush with the chassis, slide the cover towards the back of the chassis to position the cover in the correct position.

3. Gently slide the cover toward the front of the chassis until it latches into place with an audible click [2].

As you slide the cover toward the front of the server, the release button on the top of the server automatically rotates downward to the closed position. Latch the top cover by pushing down on the button until it is flush with the cover and you hear an audible click. An audible click indicates that the cover is latched.



4. Use a Torx T15 screwdriver to turn the release button latch counter-clockwise to the locked position.

### **Related Topic:**

Remove the Server Top Cover

# **Remove Antistatic Measures**

Remove any antistatic straps or conductors from the server chassis.

## **Related Topic:**

Take Antistatic Measures

# Reinstall the Server Into the Rack

After servicing the system, reinstall it into the rack.



## Caution:

Deploy any rack anti-tilt mechanisms before installing the server into the rack.

## Caution:

The server weighs approximately 73.0 pounds (33.11 kg). Two people are required to carry the chassis and install it in the rack.

1. Lift the server from the antistatic mat, and reinstall the server into the rack.

Refer to *Installing the Server Into a Rack* in *Oracle Servers X9-2 and X9-2L Installation Guide* at Oracle Server X9-2L Documentation for the installation instructions specific to your rackmount kit.

 If the cable management arm (CMA) is not installed, that is, you removed it because you removed the server completely out of the rack, install the CMA.

For installation instructions for the CMA, refer to *Install the Cable Management Arm (Optional)* in *Oracle Servers X9-2 and X9-2L Installation Guide* at Oracle Server X9-2L Documentation.

- 3. If the cables are disconnected from the back of the server, that is, you disconnected the cables because you removed the server completely out of the rack, reconnect the cables.
  - For instructions to reconnect cables to the back of the server, see Reconnect Power and Data Cables.
  - To identify the location of cable connectors on the back of the server, refer to Back Panel Connector Locations.

### **Related Topics:**

- Remove the Server From the Rack
- Reconnect Power and Data Cables

# Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position

If the server is in the extended maintenance position, use this procedure to return the server to the normal rack position.

- **1**. Push the server back into the rack, as described in the following steps.
  - a. Simultaneously pull and hold the two green release tabs (one on each side of the slide rails on the server) toward the front of the server while you push the server into the rack.

As you push the server into the rack, verify that the cable management arm (CMA) retracts without binding.



## Note:

To pull the green release tab, place your finger in the center of the tab, not on the end, and apply pressure as you pull the tab toward the front of the server.



**b.** Continue pushing the server into the rack until the slide-rail locks (on the front of the server) engage the slide-rail assemblies.

You will hear an audible click when the server is in the normal rack position.

2. If the CMA is not installed, that is, you removed it because you removed the server completely out of the rack, install the CMA.

For installation instructions for the CMA, refer to *Install the Cable Management Arm* (*Optional*) in *Oracle Servers X9-2 and X9-2L Installation Guide* at Oracle Server X9-2L Documentation.

- 3. If the cables are disconnected from the back of the server, that is, you disconnected the cables because you extended the server out of the rack, reconnect the cables.
  - For instructions to reconnect cables to the back of the server, see Reconnect Power and Data Cables.
  - To identify the location of cable connectors on the back of the server, refer to Back Panel Connector Locations.

## **Related Topic:**

Reconnect Power and Data Cables

# **Reconnect Power and Data Cables**

1. Reconnect the data cables to the back of the server, as appropriate.



If the cable management arm (CMA) is in the way, extend the server approximately 13 cm (5 inches) out of the front of the rack.

- 2. Reconnect the power cables to the power supplies.
- 3. If necessary, reinstall the cables into the cable management arm and secure them with Velcro straps.
- 4. Power on the server.

See Power On the Server.

#### **Related Topics:**

- Disconnect Cables From the Server
- Reinstall the Server Into the Rack
- Return the Server to the Normal Rack Position
- Power On the Server

# Power On the Server

As soon as the power cords are connected, Standby power is applied. In Standby power mode:

- The System OK LED on the server front panel blinks slowly.
- The SP OK LED indicator is steady on.
- The AC power supply LED indicator lights are steady on.

Depending on the firmware configuration, the system might boot. If it does not boot, perform the following procedure.

- Power on the server to Main power mode by performing one of the following actions:
  - Press the On/Standby button on the front bezel.
  - Log in to the Oracle ILOM web interface, click Host Management  $\rightarrow$  Power Control and select Power On from the Select Action list.
  - Log in to the Oracle ILOM command-line interface (CLI), and type the following command at the Oracle ILOM prompt:



When the server is powered on to Main power mode and the power-on selftest (POST) code checkpoint tests have completed, the green System OK LED status indicator on the front panel of the server lights and remains lit.

### **Related Topics:**

- Powering Down the Server
- Reconnect Power and Data Cables



# 22 Identifying the Server Ports

These sections describe the pinouts of the server connectors:

- Gigabit Ethernet Ports
- Network Management Port
- Serial Management Port
- USB Port

## **Related Topics**

About the Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2

# **Gigabit Ethernet Ports**

The Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 supports a base configuration with the following Gigabit Ethernet (GbE) networking ports:

- Network (NET) 100/1000BASE-T RJ-45 Gigabit Ethernet (GbE) port: NET 0
- Interface Card (NIC) with two quad (4-channel) small form-factor pluggable (QSFP) ports (PORT 1 and PORT 2)

As a supplement to the base configuration GbE ports, the Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 also supports a factory configuration with a combination of two additional PCIe networking cards. The following table lists the supported factory PCIe card combinations and their Ethernet port transfer rates.

# Table 22-1Table that lists the supported factory PCIe card combinations and their Ethernet porttransfer rates

Supported PCIe Card Combination	Ethernet Port Transfer Rate
Two Oracle Quad Port 10GBase-T Adapters	Eight RJ-45 port connectors, 10GBASE-T
Two Oracle Dual Port 25 GB Ethernet Adapters	Four small form-factor pluggable (SFP+) port connectors, 10/25Gbe
One Oracle Quad Port 10GBase-T Adapter and one Oracle Dual Port 25 GB Ethernet Adapter	Four RJ-45 port connectors, 10GBASE-T and two SFP+ port connectors, 10/25Gbe

For additional networking capabilities, Oracle Support can add a third PCIe card (Oracle Quad Port 10GBase-T Adapter or Oracle Dual Port 25 GB Ethernet Adapter).

## Note:

Adding a third PCIe card to the server can only be done in the field by Oracle Support. This is not a factory configuration.



## **Related Topics**

- Front and Back Panel Components
- Server System-Level Status Indicators
- Disconnect Cables From the Server
- Reconnect Power and Data Cables

# Network Management Port

The server has one auto-negotiating 100/1000BASE-T Ethernet management domain interface, labeled NET MGT. For information about configuring this port for managing the server with Oracle ILOM, refer to the Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) 5.1 documentation at Servers Documentation - Systems Management.

### **Related Topics**

- EF Back Panel Components and Cable Connections
- HC and XT Back Panel Components and Cable Connections
- Server System-Level Status Indicators
- Disconnect Cables From the Server
- Reconnect Power and Data Cables

# Serial Management Port

The serial management connector, labeled SER MGT, is an RJ-45 connector that can be accessed from the back panel. This port is the default connection to the server Oracle ILOM SP. Use this port *only* for server management.

Table 22-2	Default Serial	Connections	for Serial	Port

Parameter	Setting
Connector	SER MGT
Rate	115200 baud
Parity	None
Stop bits	1
Data bits	8

The following figure and table describe the SER MGT port pin signals.





Pin	Signal Description	Pin	Signal Description
1	Request to Send	5	Ground
2	Data Terminal Ready	6	Receive Data
3	Transmit Data	7	Data Set Ready
4	Ground	8	Clear to Send

Table 22-3	Serial Management Po	rt Signals
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If you need to connect to the SER MGT port using a cable with either a DB-9 or a DB-25 connector, follow the pin descriptions in the tables to create a crossover adapter appropriate for your serial connection.

Serial Port (RJ-45 Connector)	Serial Port (RJ-45 Connector)	DB-9 Adapter	DB-9 Adapter
Pin	Signal Description	Pin	Signal Description
1	RTS	8	CTS
2	DTR	6	DSR
3	ТХD	2	RXD
4	Signal Ground	5	Signal Ground
5	Signal Ground	5	Signal Ground
6	RXD	3	TXD
7	DSR	4	DTR
8	СТЅ	7	RTS

### Table 22-4 RJ-45 to DB-9 Adapter Crossover Wiring Reference

### Table 22-5 RJ-45 to DB-25 Adapter Crossover Wiring Reference

Serial Port (RJ-45 Connector)	Serial Port (RJ-45 Connector)	DB-25 Adapter	DB-25 Adapter
Pin	Signal Description	Pin	Signal Description
1	RTS	5	CTS
2	DTR	6	DSR
3	ТХД	3	RXD
4	Signal Ground	7	Signal Ground
5	Signal Ground	7	Signal Ground
6	RXD	2	TXD
7	DSR	20	DTR
8	стѕ	4	RTS

## **Related Topics**

- EF Back Panel Components and Cable Connections
- HC and XT Back Panel Components and Cable Connections



- Disconnect Cables From the Server
- Reconnect Power and Data Cables

# **USB** Port

The server has a USB port, located on the back panel, for attaching supported USB 3.0–compliant devices.

## **Related Topics**

- EF Back Panel Components and Cable Connections
- HC and XT Back Panel Components and Cable Connections
- Disconnect Cables From the Server
- Reconnect Power and Data Cables



# 23 Setting Up BIOS Configuration Parameters

This section provides an overview of BIOS configuration management, UEFI BIOS, and the BIOS Setup Utility:

- Manage the BIOS Configuration
- Accessing the BIOS Setup Utility
- Using UEFI BIOS
- Common BIOS Setup Utility Tasks

#### **Related Topics**

BIOS Setup Utility Menu Options

# Manage the BIOS Configuration

The BIOS configuration parameters on an Oracle x86 server are manageable from the BIOS Setup Utility and Oracle ILOM. For information about using these tools to manage the BIOS configuration, refer to:

- Oracle ILOM "Maintaining x86 BIOS Configuration Parameters" in the Oracle ILOM Administrator's Guide for Configuration and Maintenance Firmware Release 5.1.x in the Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) 5.1 documentation at Systems Management and Diagnostics Documentation.
- BIOS Setup Utility Common BIOS Setup Utility Tasks

# Accessing the BIOS Setup Utility

The BIOS Setup Utility allows you to view product information, and to configure, enable, and disable, or manage system components.

This section provides the following information:

- BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- BIOS Key Mappings
- Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- Navigate BIOS Setup Utility Menus

## **BIOS Setup Utility Menus**

The following table provides descriptions for the top-level BIOS Setup Utility menus.



Menu	Description
Main	View general BIOS information, including version, build date and time, platform and processor, memory, and system date and time.
Advanced	Configure NVMe, network stack, PCI subsystem, SATA, disk freeze lock, processor, MD SSD ports and USB port, Intel platform, Intel socket, CPU, RAM disk, iSCSI, and driver health.
IO	Configure internal I/O devices, add-in cards, and PCIe connectors.
Security	Configure secure boot.
Boot	Configure the retry boot list, network boot retry, boot option priorities.
Save & Exit	Save changes and exit, discard changes and exit, discard changes, or restore the default BIOS settings.

## **Related Topics**

Navigate BIOS Setup Utility Menus

# **BIOS Key Mappings**

When viewing the BIOS output from a terminal using the serial console redirection feature, some terminals do not support function keys. BIOS supports the mapping of function keys to Control key sequences when serial redirection is enabled. The following table provides a description of the function key to Control key sequence mappings.

Function Key	Control Key Sequence	BIOS Setup Function
F1	Ctrl+Q	Activate the Setup Utility Help menu.
F2	Ctrl+E	Enter BIOS Setup Utility while the system is performing power-on self-test (POST).
F8	Ctrl+P	Activate the BIOS Boot Menu.
F10	Ctrl+S	Save and Exit changes.
F12	Ctrl+N	Activate Network boot.

## **Related Topics**

- Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- Navigate BIOS Setup Utility Menus

# Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus

You can access the BIOS Setup Utility screens from the following interfaces:



- Use a terminal (or terminal emulator connected to a computer) through the serial port on the back panel of the server.
- Connect to the server using the Oracle ILOM Remote System Console Plus application.
- **1.** Reset or power on the server.

For example, to reset the server:

- From the local server, press the On/Standby button on the front panel of the server to power off the server, and then press the On/Standby button again to power on the server.
- From the Oracle ILOM web interface, click Host Management → Power Control and select Reset from the Select Action list. Click Save, and then click OK.
- From the Oracle ILOM CLI, type reset /System
- After the server resets, to enter the BIOS Setup Utility, press the F2 key (Ctrl+E from a serial connection) when prompted and while the BIOS is running the power-on self-tests (POST).

The BIOS Setup Utility Main Menu screen appears.

Aptio Setup – AMI Main Advanced IO Security Boot Save & Exit		
BIOS Information BIOS Vendor Core Version Compliancy Project Version Build Date and Time BIOS Version	American Megatrends 5.20 UEFI 2.8; PI 1.7 OACFD 0.47 x64 10/15/2020 15:05:45 62.00.64.00	
Platform Information Platform Processor PCH RC Revision BIOS ACM SINIT ACM Memory Information Total Memory	Type_X9_2L 606A4 - ICX LO LBG QS/PRQ - C621A - S2 18.D52 1.0.3 1.0.3 2588672 MB	<pre>++: Select Screen 11: Select Item Enter: Select +/-: Change Opt. F1 : General Help F7 : Discard Changes F9 : Optimized Defaults F10: Save &amp; Exit ESC: Exit</pre>
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#### **Related Topics:**

- BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- BIOS Key Mappings
- BIOS Setup Utility Menu Options



# Navigate BIOS Setup Utility Menus

1. In the BIOS Setup Utility, press the left and right arrow keys to select the menu options.

As you select a menu option, the top-level menu for that menu option appears.

2. To navigate options in a top-level menu, press the up and down arrow keys.

Options that you can modify appear highlighted in the menu. User instructions for a selected menu option appear on the upper right side of the screen.

3. Modify an option by pressing the + or - (plus or minus) keys, or by pressing Enter and selecting the option from the menu.

The navigation keys appear on the lower right side of the BIOS screen.

4. Press the Esc key to return from a sub-menu to the previous menu.

Pressing Esc from a top-level menu is equivalent to selecting the Discard Changes and Exit option in the Save Menu.

- 5. Modify parameters, as needed.
- 6. Press the F10 key to save your changes and exit the BIOS Setup Utility.

Alternatively, you can select the Save menu, and select Save Changes and Exit to save your changes and exit the BIOS Setup Utility.

## Note:

After modifying any BIOS settings, the subsequent reboot might take longer than a typical reboot where you did not change any settings. The delay occurs because the changes to the BIOS settings are synchronized with Oracle ILOM.

### **Related Topics:**

- BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- BIOS Key Mappings
- BIOS Setup Utility Menu Options

# **Using UEFI BIOS**

Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 has a Unified Extensible Firmware Interface (UEFI)-compatible BIOS, which runs with all operating systems that are supported on the server. The BIOS firmware controls the system from power-on until an operating system is booted and allows you to configure, enable, disable, or manage system components.

This section includes the following information:

- Configure and Manage BIOS Using Oracle ILOM
- UEFI Secure Boot
- Trusted Execution Technology



# Configure and Manage BIOS Using Oracle ILOM

Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) includes BIOS configuration and management tools. You can perform the following BIOS configuration tasks using Oracle ILOM:

- View the BIOS configuration synchronization status and synchronize the configuration parameters
- Reset the factory defaults for the service processor (SP) and Oracle ILOM BIOS
- Backup or restore the BIOS configuration
- Enable UEFI diagnostics to run at system boot

For more information about Oracle ILOM BIOS configuration and management tools, refer to the Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) 5.1 documentation at: Servers Documentation - Systems Management.

# **UEFI Secure Boot**

Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 UEFI BIOS supports UEFI Secure Boot. UEFI Secure Boot defines how platform firmware can authenticate a digitally signed UEFI image, such as an operating system loader or a UEFI driver.

When enabled, UEFI Secure Boot provides a policy-based invocation of various UEFI executable images, using cryptographic signatures to identify the software publishers. UEFI Secure Boot also requires all third-party UEFI drivers and operating system boot loaders to be signed by Microsoft or with Key Exchange Key (KEK) by using BIOS setup.

UEFI Secure Boot is disabled by default. For configuration information, see Configure UEFI Secure Boot.

# Trusted Execution Technology

Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2 uses Trusted Execution Technology (TXT), which provides authenticity of a platform and its operating system.

When enabled, TXT ensures that the operating system (OS) starts in a trusted environment, and provides the OS with additional security capabilities not available to an untrusted OS. Using cryptographic techniques, TXT provides measurements of software and platform components so that system software as well as local and remote management applications may use those measurements to make trust decisions. Trusted Execution Technology defends against software-based attacks aimed at stealing sensitive information by corrupting system or BIOS code, or modifying a platform's configuration.

Trusted Execution Technology is disabled by default. For configuration information, see Configure Trusted Execution Technology.

# **Common BIOS Setup Utility Tasks**

This section presents the procedures for some of the BIOS setup tasks that you typically perform when setting up and managing the server.

For additional information about BIOS setup tasks, refer to the *Oracle X9 Series Servers Administration Guide* at Oracle x86 Servers Administration, Diagnostics, and Applications Documentation.



- Verify BIOS Factory Default Settings
- Select a Temporary Boot Device
- Configure TPM Support
- Configure UEFI Driver Settings
- Configure I/O Resource Allocation
- Configure UEFI Secure Boot
- Configure Trusted Execution Technology
- Exit BIOS Setup Utility

# Verify BIOS Factory Default Settings

In the BIOS Setup Utility, you can return the BIOS settings to the optimal factory default values, as well as view and edit settings as needed. Any changes that you make in the BIOS Setup Utility (using the F2 key) persist until the next time you change the settings.

- 1. Ensure that a console connection is established to the server.
- 2. Reset or power on the server.

For example, to reset the server:

- From the local server, press the On/Standby button on the front panel of the server to power off the server, and then press the On/Standby button again to power on the server.
- From the Oracle ILOM web interface, click Host Management → Power Control and select Reset from the Select Action list. Click Save, and then click OK.
- From the Oracle ILOM CLI, type reset /System
- **3.** After the server resets and begins the initialization process, when prompted, press the F2 key to access the BIOS Setup Utility.
- 4. To ensure that the factory defaults are set, do the following:
  - a. Press the F9 key to automatically load the optimal factory default settings.
  - b. To confirm, highlight OK, and press Enter.
- 5. Press the F10 key to save the changes and exit the BIOS Setup Utility.

### **Related Topics:**

- Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- BIOS Key Mappings
- Exit BIOS Setup Utility

# Select a Temporary Boot Device

**1.** Reset or power on the server.

For example, to reset the server:



- From the local server, press the On/Standby button on the front panel of the server to power off the server, and then press the On/Standby button again to power on the server.
- From the Oracle ILOM web interface, click Host Management → Power Control and select Reset from the Select Action list. Click Save, and then click OK
- From the Oracle ILOM CLI, type reset /System
- 2. After the server resets and begins the initialization process, press the F8 key (or Ctrl+P from a serial connection) when prompted while the UEFI BIOS is running the power-on self-test (POST) to access the boot device menu.
- 3. In the Please Select Boot Device dialog box, select the boot device according to the operating system you are running, and press Enter.

The boot device you select is in effect only for the current system boot. The permanent boot device specified using the F2 key is in effect after booting from the temporary boot device.

4. Follow the onscreen instructions to install the operating system from the selected boot device.

#### **Related Topics:**

- Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- BIOS Key Mappings
- Exit BIOS Setup Utility

## Configure TPM Support

The TPM feature set is enabled by default. If you want to disable it, or to enable it after it has been disabled, perform the procedure in this section.

If you intend to use the TPM, configure the server to support TPM, which is enabled by default on Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2.

1. Access the BIOS Setup Utility menus.

See Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus.

- 2. Navigate to the Security Menu.
- 3. On the Advanced Menu screen, select Trusted Computing 2.0.
- On the Trusted Computing 2.0 Configuration screen, select Security TPM Device Support and press Enter. Do one of the following:
  - Select Disable to disable Security TPM Device Support.
  - Select Enable to enable Security TPM Device Support.
- 5. On the updated Trusted Computing 2.0 Configuration screen, press the F10 key to save the changes and exit the BIOS Setup Utility.

### **Related Topics:**

- Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- Exit BIOS Setup Utility


### Configure UEFI Driver Settings

1. Access the BIOS Setup Utility menus.

See Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus.

- 2. In the BIOS Setup Utility menus, navigate to the IO Menu.
- 3. On the IO Menu screen, select Internal Devices and press Enter to display the internal device or add-in card slot for which you want to enable or disable the PCI-E UEFI Driver.
- 4. On the Internal Devices screen, select the internal device or add In card slot that you want to configure.
- 5. On the PCI-E UEFI Driver Enable screen, select PCI-E UEFI Driver Enable and press Enter. Do one of the following:
  - Select Enabled to enable the PCI-E UEFI Driver setting.
  - Select Disabled to disable the PCI-E UEFI Driver setting.
- 6. Press the F10 key to save the changes and exit the BIOS Setup Utility.

#### **Related Topics:**

- Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- Exit BIOS Setup Utility

#### Configure I/O Resource Allocation

1. Access the BIOS Setup Utility menus.

See Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus.

- 2. In the BIOS Setup Utility menus, navigate to the IO Menu.
- 3. On the IO Menu screen, select Add In Cards and press Enter to display the add-in card slots.
- 4. On the Add In Cards screen, select the slot in which you want to configure the card and press Enter.
- 5. On the IO resource allocation screen for that card, select IO Enable and press Enter. Do one of the following:
  - Select Enabled to enable I/O resource allocation for the I/O card.
  - Select Disabled to disable I/O resource allocation for the I/O card.
- 6. Press the F10 key to save the changes and exit the BIOS Setup Utility.

#### **Related Topics:**

- Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- Exit BIOS Setup Utility



### Configure UEFI Secure Boot

**1.** Access the BIOS Setup Utility menus.

See Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus.

- 2. On the Main Menu screen, select Security and press Enter.
- 3. On the Security Settings screen, select Secure Boot and press Enter.
- 4. On the Secure Boot screen, select Attempt Secure Boot and press Enter. Do one of the following:
  - Select Enabled to enable UEFI Secure Boot. Continue with Step 5 to manage policy variables.
  - Select Disabled to disable UEFI Secure Boot. Continue with Step 8 to save changes and exit from the BIOS Setup Utility.

When enabled, Secure Boot allows you to manage Secure Boot policy variables.

5. To manage Secure Boot policy variables, select Key Management and press Enter.

The Key Management screen provides options to provision factory default Secure Boot keys or to enroll an Extensible Firmware Interface (EFI) image.

- To provision factory default keys See Step 6.
- To enroll an EFI image See Step 7.
- 6. If you want to provision factory default keys, select Factory Key Provision and press Enter. Do one of the following:
  - Select Enabled to allow the provisioning of factory default Secure Boot keys when the system is in Setup Mode. When enabled, you can select Restore Factory Keys to force the system to User Mode and install all the factory default Secure Boot keys.
  - Select Disabled to disable the provisioning of factory default Secure Boot keys. When disabled, you can select Delete all Secure Boot Variables to remove all Secure Boot keys from the system. Selecting this option also resets the system to Setup Mode.
- 7. If you want to enroll an EFI image, select Enroll Efi Image and press Enter.
  - a. On the Select a File System screen, scroll through the list and select the file system that contains the EFI file, and press Enter.
  - **b.** On the Select File screen, scroll through the list and select the EFI file (or another available file), and press Enter.
  - c. On the next Select File screen, scroll through the list and select the image file that you want to run in Secure Boot mode, and press Enter.
  - d. To save all Secure Boot policy variables, select Save all Secure Boot variables and press Enter.
  - e. On the Select a File System screen, select the file system where you want to save the EFI file, and press Enter.

The Secure Boot policy variables are saved to the root folder in the target file system.

8. Press the F10 key to save the changes and exit the BIOS Setup Utility.

#### **Related Topics:**



- Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- UEFI Secure Boot
- Exit BIOS Setup Utility

### Configure Trusted Execution Technology

- **1.** Verify that TPM is enabled.
- 2. Access the BIOS Setup Utility menus.

See Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus.

- 3. On the Main Menu screen, select Advanced, and press Enter.
- 4. On the Advanced screen, select Intel Socket Configuration, and press Enter.
- 5. On the Intel Socket Configuration screen, select Enable Intel(R) TXT and press Enter. Do one of the following:
  - Select Enabled to enable TXT.
  - Select Disabled to disable TXT.
- 6. Press the F10 key to save the changes and exit the BIOS Setup Utility.

#### **Related Topics:**

- Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- BIOS Setup Utility Menus
- Trusted Execution Technology
- Configure TPM Support
- Exit BIOS Setup Utility

### **Exit BIOS Setup Utility**

- 1. Use the left and right arrow keys to navigate to the top-level Save & Exit Menu.
- 2. Use the up and down arrow keys to select the desired action.
- 3. Press Enter to select the option.
- 4. In the confirmation dialog box, select Yes to proceed and exit the BIOS Setup Utility, or select No to stop the exit process.

#### Note:

After modifying any BIOS settings, the subsequent reboot might take longer than a typical reboot where no settings were modified. The additional delay is required to ensure that changes to the BIOS settings are synchronized with Oracle ILOM.

#### **Related Topics:**

Access BIOS Setup Utility Menus



• BIOS Setup Utility Menus



# 24 BIOS Setup Utility Menu Options

This section includes screens of the main menus in the BIOS Setup Utility for Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2. Following the screen for each menu is a table of the options available from that menu.

- Main Menu
- Advanced Menu
- IO Menu
- Security Menu
- Boot Menu
- Exit Menu

#### **Related Topics:**

- Oracle X9 Series Servers Administration Guide at: Oracle x86 Servers Administration, Diagnostics, and Applications Documentation
- Setting Up BIOS Configuration Parameters

### Main Menu

Main Menu Option	Description
BIOS Information	
BIOS Vendor	American Megatrends
Core Version	Core version number for a specific release. Format is XX.YY, where:
	XX - Core major release.
	• YY - Core minor release.
	Example: 5.20
Compliancy	Compliancy version number for a specific release. Format is UEFI version number and Platform Initialization (PI) version number. Example: UEFI 2.8: PI 1.7
	PIOC preject version number for a specific release
Project Version	Example: 0ACFD 0.47 X64
Build Date and Time	The date and time the build for the BIOS version was created.



Main Menu Option	Description
BIOS Version	BIOS release version. Format is XXYYZZPP, which indicates:
	XX - Unique project/platform code.
	YY - BIOS major release.
	ZZ - BIOS minor release.
	PP - Build number.
	Example: 62.00.64.01
Platform Information	
Diatform	Server platform type.
Plation	Example: X9-2L
Drassaar	Processor type.
Processor	Example: 606A0 – ICX L0
РСИ	Platform Controller Hub.
FCH	Example: LBG QS/PRQ – C621A – S2
PC Pavision	Reference Code revision number.
NC REVISION	Example: 18.D52
BIOS ACM	Authenticated code module number for using Intel Trusted Execution Technology (TXT).
	Example: 1.0.3
SINIT ACM	Authenticated code module number for using Intel Trusted Execution Technology (TXT).
	Example: 1.0.3
Memory Information	
Total Memory	Total amount of memory in megabytes.
Total Memory	Example: 65536 MB
System Date	Allows you to change the current system date.
	Example: Thu 06/20/2021
System Time	Allows you to change the current system time.
	Example: 13:38:27

- Advanced Menu
- IO Menu
- Security Menu
- Boot Menu
- Exit Menu

## Advanced Menu

This section has the following topics:

- Trusted Computing 2.0 Options
- Serial Port Console Redirection



- NVMe Configuration
- Network Stack Configuration
- PCI Subsystem Settings
- SATA Configuration
- Disk Freeze Lock
- Processor Configuration
- Intel Platform Configuration
- Intel Socket Configuration
- MD SSD Ports Configuration
- USB Port
- All CPU Information
- RAM Disk Configuration
- iSCSI Configuration
- Driver Health
- Intel VROC SATA Controller
- Intel Virtual RAID on CPU

- Main Menu
- IO Menu
- Security Menu
- Boot Menu
- Exit Menu

### **Trusted Computing 2.0 Options**

#### Note:

The Trusted Computing 2.0 options are available only when you enable the Security TPM Device Support option.

Setup Options	Description
TPM 2.0 Device Found	Displays the firmware version and vendor for the TPM device.
Security TPM Device Support	Enable (default) or disable Trusted Platform Module (TPM) support. If disabled, the OS will not show TPM. Reset of the platform is required.
Active PCR banks	Displays active Platform Configuration Register (PCR) banks.
Available PCR banks	Displays available Platform PCR banks.
SHA-1 PCR Bank	Displays if the SHA-1 PCR bank is enabled (default) or disabled.
SHA256 Bank	Displays if the SHA256 PCR bank is enabled (default) or disabled.



Setup Options	Description
Pending Operation	Schedule an operation for the security device.
	<b>Note:</b> Your computer reboots during restart to change the state of a security device.
	None (default), TPM Clear
Platform Hierarchy	Enable (default) or disable platform hierarchy.
Storage Hierarchy	Enable (default) or disable storage hierarchy.
Endorsement Hierarchy	Enable (default) or disable endorsement hierarchy.
TPM 2.0 UEFI Spec Version	Displays the TPM 2.0 UEFI spec version.
	Example: TCG_2
Physical Presence Spec Version	Select the physical presence spec version.
	1.2, 1.3 (default)
TPM 20 Interface Type	Displays the TPM 20 interface type.
	Example: TIS
Display Block SID	Enable override to allow SID authentication in TCG storage device. Default is Disable.

### Serial Port Console Redirection

Serial Port Console Redirection Option	Description
COM0 Console Redirection Settings	
Console Redirection EMS	Enable (default) or disable console redirection EMS.
Console Redirection	Enable (default) or disable console redirection.
Terminal Type	VT100, VT100+ (default), VT-UFT8, ANSI
Bits Per Second	9600, 19200, 38400, 57600, 115200 (default)
Data Bits	7, 8 (default)
Parity	None (default), Even, Odd, Mark, Space
Stop Bits	1, 2 (default)
Flow Control	None (default), Hardware, RTS/CTS

## NVMe Configuration

NVMe Configuration Option	Description
NVMe Configuration	Displays the model number, size, vendor ID, device ID, and namespace for the NVMe controller.
NVMe Device Self Test	Allows you to change the type of self test, Short (default) or Extended, change the self test action, Controller Only Test (default) or Controller and Namespace, and run a self test based on the option and action you selected.

## Network Stack Configuration

Network Stack Option	Description
Network Stack	Enables (default) the UEFI network stack and prevents users from performing single-user network boots and network installations. If disabled, the host does not use the network interface.
IPv4 PXE Support	Enables (default) IPv4 PXE Boot support. If disabled, the IPv4 PXE Boot Option is not supported.
IPv4 HTTP Support	Enables IPv4 HTTP Boot support. If disabled (default), the IPv4 HTTP Boot Option is not supported.
IPv6 PXE Support	Enables IPv6 PXE Boot support. If disabled (default), the IPv6 PXE Boot Option is not supported.
IPv6 HTTP Support	Enables IPv6 HTTP Boot support. If disabled (default), the IPv6 HTTP Boot Option is not supported.
PXE Boot Wait Time	Specifies the wait time to press the ESC key to abort the PXE boot. Default is 0.
Media Detect Count	Specifies the number of times the presence of physical storage devices are verified on a system reset or power cycle. Default is 1.

## PCI Subsystem Settings

PCI Subsystem Option	Description
PCI Driver Version	Version number of the PCI driver.
	Example: A5.01.23
PCI Settings Common for All Devices	<b>Caution:</b> If you change the PCI settings common to all devices, there might be unwanted results, such as the system might freeze.
Above 4G Decoding	Enable (default) or disable above 4G decoding.
SR-IOV Support	Enable (default) or disable Single Root I/O Virtualization (SR-IOV) to configure devices into multiple virtual devices that can be used on virtual OS installations. If supported by the hardware and set to enabled, all devices on the system that are SR-IOV capable are configured to support SR-IOV and I/O resources are allocated to the device as normal. If set to disabled, I/O resources are not allocated to the device.
BME DMA Mitigation	Enable or disable (default) Bus Master Attribute that is disabled after PCI enumeration for PCI bridges after SMM is locked.

## SATA Configuration

SATA Configuration Option	Description
SATA Controller	Displays the SATA controller BUS device and function, and installed media devices.

### Disk Freeze Lock

Disk Freeze Lock Settings Option	Description
Disk Freeze Lock Settings	
Disk Freeze Lock	Enables or disables (default) disk freeze lock, which prevents disks from being sanitized. Disk types include NVMe and M.2.

## Processor Configuration

Processor Configuration Option	Description
Active Processor Cores	Number of cores to enable in each processor package. A minimum of one core up to the maximum number of cores are available in the processor package. All (default)

## Intel Platform Configuration

Intel Platform Option	Description
PCH Configuration	
SATA Controller	Enable (default) or disable the SATA controller.
Configure SATA As	Identify the type of SATA controller configuration. RAID, AHCI (default)
Miscellaneous Platform Configuration	
ARI Support	If Alternate Routing ID (ARI) is supported by the hardware and set to enabled (default), devices are permitted to locate virtual functions (VFs) in function numbers 8 to 255 of the captured bus number, instead of normal function numbers 0 to 7.
ARI Forward	Enable (default) or disable ARI forward.
Runtime Error Logging	
Error Injection Settings	Enable or disable (default)

## Intel Socket Configuration

Intel Socket Option	Description
Processor Configuration	
Enable Intel(R) TXT	Enable or disable (default) Intel Trusted Execution Technology (TXT), which ensures that an installed OS is verified and considered secure.
VMX	Enable (default) or disable VMX.
Enable SMX	Enable SMX. Disable is the default.



Intel Socket Option	Description
Hyper-Threading (ALL)	Enable (default) or disable Hyper Threading. When enabled, two threads are available per enabled core. When disabled, only one thread per enabled core is available.
Extended APIC	Enable or disable (default) extended APIC.
Limit CPU PA to 46 Bits	Enable (default) or disable limiting the CPU PA to 46 bits.
Common RefCode Configuration	
NUMA	Enable (default) or disable non-uniform memory access (NUMA) for faster memory access, where memory is local to the processor and not controlled by a different processor.
Total Memory Encryption (TME)	Enable or disable (default) total memory encryption (TME).
UMA-Based Clustering	Disable (All2All), Hemisphere (2-clusters (default)
Mirror Mode	Enable or disable (default) Mirror mode.
Durability Domain	Memory Controller (default), CPU Cache Hierarchy
CPU Flex Ratio Override	Enable or disable (default) CPU flex ratio override.
CPU Core Flex Ratio	Default ratio is 0.
Publish SRAT	Enable (default) or disable publishing SRAT.
Attempt Fast Boot	Enable (default) or disable attempting a fast boot.
Attempt Fast Cold Boot	Enable (default) or disable attempting a fast cold boot.
IIO Configuration	
Intel VT for Directed I/O (VT- d)	Intel Virtualization Technology for directed I/O (VT-d) reports the I/O device assignment to VMM through DMA remapping reporting (DMAR) Advance Configuration Power Interface (ACPI) tables. Yes (default) or No.
Intel VMD technology	Enable or disable (default) Intel Volume Management Device for sockets and IOUs.
EV DFX Features	Enable to expose IIO DFX or other CPU devices such as PMON, or disable (default).
PCIe Max Read Request Size	Set the maximum read request size in Endpoints to Auto (default), 128B, 256B, 512B, 1024B, 2048B, or 4096B.
Memory Configuration	
NGN Configuration	Enable or disable (default) the Next Generation Network factory settings.



Intel Socket Option	Description
Volatile Memory Mode	Select whether 1LM or 2LM memory mode must be enabled for Persistent Memory modules (PMeMs).
	• 1LM
	• 2LM
	Auto (default)
Memory Frequency	Specify the maximum memory frequency as Auto (default), or select a value in MHz based on DIMM support.
Turnaround Time Optimization PMEM	Enable (default) or disable the turnaround time for optimizing PMeM.
Multi-Threaded MRC	Enable (default) or disable multi-threaded Memory Reference Code.
Secure Erase DIMMs	Enable or disable (default) securely erasing the persistent memory region of all PMeM in the system.
200 Series PMEM Average Power Limit (in Mw)	Specify the power limit used for average power in milliwatts (Mw). Starts from 10000 Mw in increments of 250 mw. Default is 15000 Mw.
Advanced Power Management Configuration	
CPU P State Control	Enable (default) or disable Turbo Mode, and set the boot performance for BIOS before handoff to the operating system to Max Performance (default), Max Efficient, or Set by Intel Node Manager.
	<b>Note:</b> When you enable Turbo Mode, you also must enable Enhanced Multi Threaded Thermal Monitoring (EMTTM).
Package C State Control	Specify the Package C-State to C0/C1 state, C2 state, C6 (non Retention) state, Auto (default)
Turbo Ratio Limit <x></x>	Specify the turbo ratio limit MSR 0x1AD for 0-7 limits. Default is 0.
Turbo Ratio Cores <y></y>	Specify the number of cores for the turbo ratio MSR 0x1AE for 0-7 cores. Default is FF.

## MD SSD Ports Configuration

MD SSD Ports Configuration Option	Description
MD SSD Ports Configuration	
Onboard SSD	Enable (default) or disable the onboard MD SSD ports.

### **USB** Port

USB Port Option	Description
Rear Port	Enable (default) or disable the USB rear port.

## All CPU Information

All CPU Information Option	Description
Total CPU Number	Total number of CPUs on the server.
CPU (xxx)	Displays the number of the CPU thread.
CPUID	Displays the CPU ID.
	Example: 000606A0
Stepping	Displays the revision number for the CPU.
Microcode Rev	Displays the revision number for the microcode.
Platform ID	Displays the ID for the platform.
CPU Core Freq (MHz)	Displays the core frequency for the CPU in MHz.
Actual CPU Freq (MHz)	Displays the actual frequency for the CPU in MHz.

## RAM Disk Configuration

RAM Disk Configuration Option	Description
Disk Memory Type	Specifies the type of memory to use from the available memory pool in system to create a disk.
	Boot Service Data (default)
	Reserved
Create raw	Creates a blank RAM disk by allocating a portion of the host memory to appear as a disk, which is a bootable image if the disk contains a valid boot image.
Create from file	Creates a RAM disk from a file you select.
	Select Storage Device
Remove Selected RAM Disk(s)	Removes the selected RAM disk(s).

## iSCSI Configuration

iSCSI Configuration Option	Description
iSCSI Initiator Name	Worldwide unique name of the iSCSI Initiator. Only the iSCSI Qualified Name (IQN) format is accepted.
	None (default)
	NA (must be specified)
Add an Attempt	
iSCSI Attempt Name	Human-readable name for the iSCSI attempt, where the name is an alias that simplifies the boot process.
	None (default)
	NA (must be specified)
iSCSI Mode	Set to Enabled or Enabled for multipath I/O (MPIO). MPIO can boost the performance of an application by load-balancing traffic across multiple ports.
	Disabled (default)/Enabled/Enabled for MPIO

iSCSI Configuration Option	Description
Internet Protocol	Can be set to IP4, IP6, or Autoconfigure. The initiator IP address is assigned by the system to IP6. In Autoconfigure mode, the iSCSI driver attempts to connect to the iSCSI target using the IPv4 stack. If this fails, then the iSCSI driver attempt to connect using the IPv6 stack. IP4 (default)/IP6/Autoconfigure
Connection Retry Count	Count range is 0 (default) to 16. If set to 0, there are no retries. 0 to 16
Connection Establishing Timeout	Timeout value in milliseconds. Minimum is 100 milliseconds and maximum is 20 seconds. NA 1.000 (default)
Configure ISID	iSCSI Session IDentifier (ISID) specifies the iSCSI initiator during login. OUI- format ISID is 6 bytes. Default value is derived from the MAC address. Only the last 3 bytes are configurable. Example: Update 0ABBCCDDEEFF to 0ABBCCF07901 by inputting F07901
Enable DHCP	Enable or disable (default) DHCP.
Initiator IP Address	Set initiator IP address in dotted-decimal notation. 0.0.0.0 (default)
Initiator Subnet Mask	Set initiator subnet mask IP address in dotted-decimal notation. 0.0.0.0 (default)
Gateway	Set initiator gateway IP address in dotted-decimal notation. 0.0.0.0 (default)
Target Name	Worldwide unique name of the target. Only IQN format is accepted.
Target IP Address	Set target IP address in dotted-decimal notation. For example, 0.0.0.0. None (default)
Target Port	Change target port number. 3260 (default)
Boot LUN	Set the hexadecimal representation of the boot logical unit number (LUN). Example: 4752-3A4F-6b7e-2F99 0 (default)
Authentication Type	Define the Challenge-Handshake Authentication Protocol (CHAP). CHAP (default)/None
СНАР Туре	Set CHAP type to either One Way or Mutual. One Way (default)/Mutual
CHAP Name	Set CHAP name. None (default)
CHAP Secret	Set the CHAP secret password. The secret length range is 12 to 16 bytes. None (default)
Delete Attempts	Delete one or more attempts.
Change Attempt Order	Change the order of attempts. Use arrow keys to select the attempt, then press plus or minus (+/-) keys to move the attempt up/down in the attempt order list.

### Driver Health

#### Note:

Depending on the devices that populate the PCIe slots, some devices display their driver health status.

Menu Driver Health Option	Description
Mellanox ConnectX Driver	Displays the health status of Mellanox ConnectX driver. Healthy (default)
Intel PRO/1000 PCI-E	
Broadcom NXE Gigabit Ethernet Driver Health	Displays the health status of the Broadcom NXE gigabit Ethernet driver. Healthy (default)
Intel DCPMM Driver Health	Displays the health status of Intel PMeM driver. Healthy (default)
AVAGO EFI SAS Driver Health	Displays the health status of the AVAGO EFI SAS driver. Healthy (default)

### Intel VROC SATA Controller

Intel VROC SATA Controller Option	Description
Intel VROC SATA Driver	Displays the RAID driver name.
Create RAID Volume	Allows you to create a RAID volume, including a volume name and level. You can assign disks to ports, and specify the stripe size and capacity.
Non-RAID Physical Disks	Allows you to assign non-raid disks to ports.

### Intel Virtual RAID on CPU

Intel Virtual RAID on CPU Option	Description
Intel VROC Managed Controllers	Allows you to manage virtual RAID on the CPU.
All Intel VMD Controllers	Allows you to create a RAID volume and view the non-RAID physical disks.
Create RAID Volume	Allows you to create a RAID volume name, select a RAID stripe level, enable RAID spanned over VMD controllers, and select disks.

## IO Menu

This section contains the following topics:

Internal Devices



- Add-in Cards
- PCIe Connector Configuration Settings

- Main Menu
- Advanced Menu
- Security Menu
- Boot Menu
- Exit Menu

### **Internal Devices**

Internal Devices Option	Description
NET0	Displays and provides options to change the internal device settings.
PCI-E UEFI Driver Enable	Enable (default) or disable PCI-E UEFI Driver. If set to enabled, UEFI Driver for the card executes as normal. If set to disabled, UEFI Driver for the card is not copied into memory and the execution of the UEFI Driver is inhibited.

### Add-in Cards

Add-in Cards Option	Description
Slot 1	Displays and provides options to change the settings of the devices in PCIe slots.
PCIe UEFI Driver Enable	Enable (default) or disable PCI-E UEFI Driver. If set to enabled, UEFI Driver for the card executes as normal. If set to disabled, UEFI Driver for the card is not copied into memory and the execution of the UEFI Driver is inhibited.
Slot 2-Slot 10	See Slot 1 description. <b>Note:</b> For each physical slot, there are two slot numbers available. For example, Slot 1 + Slot 20 = Slot 21. The slot numbers for SSDs on the front panel are numbered Slot 100-Slot 107.

### PCIe Connector Configuration Settings

PCIe Connector	Description
PCIe Connector Configuration	Specify the connector to control PCIe bifurcation and hotplug.

## Security Menu

Security Menu Option	Description
HDD Security Configuration	
Secure Boot	



Security Menu Option	Description		
System Mode	Secure Boot is activated when Platform Key (PK) is enrolled, System mode is User (default) or Deployed, and the Compatibility Support Module (CSM) function is disabled.		
Attempt Secure Boot	When enabled (default), Secure Boot is activated when Platform Key (PK) is enrolled, System mode is User or Deployed, and the Compatibility Support Module (CSM) function is disabled.		
Secure Boot Mode	Specifies Standard or Custom (default) Secure Boot mode.		
Restore Factory Keys	Forces system to User mode. Installs factory default Secure Boot key databases.		
Reset to Setup Mode	Removes platform key and resets system to Setup mode.		
Enter Audit Mode	Resets the system to Audit Mode and erases the PK variable.		
Key Management			
Factory Key Provision	Disables (default) provisioning factory default Secure Boot keys when the system is in Setup Mode.		
Restore Factory Keys	Forces system to User mode. Installs factory default Secure Boot key databases.		
Export Secure Boot variables	Select a file system to copy the NVRAM content of Secure Boot variables to files in a root folder on a file system device.		
Enroll EFI Image	Enrolls an EFI image to run in Secure Boot mode.		
Secure Boot Variable   Size   Keys   Key Source	Displays the size, platform keys, key exchange keys, and signatures.		
Image Execution Policy			
Option ROM	Deny Execute (default), Query User		
Removable Media	Deny Execute (default), Query User		
Fixed Media	Deny Execute (default), Query User		

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## Boot Menu

Boot Menu Option	Description
Retry Boot List	Disable or enable (default) automatic retries of the Boot List when all devices fail.
Network Boot Retry	If enabled (default), BIOS automatically retries the PXE list present in the system when all PXE attempts have failed. If set to disabled, the system halts and displays the error message "Network Boot Failed" when all PXE boots fail. If set to Boot List, fail over to the main Boot Options Priority list.
Boot Option Priorities	Displays and sets the system boot order.

#### **Related Topics**

- Main Menu
- Advanced Menu
- IO Menu
- Security Menu
- Exit Menu

## Exit Menu

Save and Exit Option	Description
Save Changes and Exit	Save changes and exit the BIOS Setup Utility.
Discard Changes and Exit	Exit the BIOS Setup Utility without saving changes.
Discard Changes	Discard any changes made to the setup options.
Restore Defaults	Restore and load the optimal default values for all of the setup options.

#### **Related Topics**

- Main Menu
- Advanced Menu
- IO Menu
- Security Menu
- Boot Menu



# 25 Monitoring Components and Identifying SNMP Messages

This section includes information about monitoring components and identifying SNMP messages for the Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2.

- Monitoring Component Health and Faults Using Oracle ILOM
- Monitoring System Components
- Identifying SNMP Trap Messages
- Environmental Events
- Hard Disk Drive Events
- Power Events
- Fan Events
- Memory Events
- Entity Presence Events

### Monitoring Component Health and Faults Using Oracle ILOM

The Oracle ILOM 5.0 interfaces provide easy-to-view information about the health status of system components. From the Oracle ILOM web interface or in the Oracle ILOM commandline interface (CLI), you can collect system-specific information about the server, determine the health state of discrete components, and view any open problems on the server. Oracle ILOM automatically detects system hardware faults and environmental conditions on the server. If a problem occurs on the server, Oracle ILOM will automatically do the following:

- Illuminate the Fault-Service Required LED status indicator on the server front and back panels. See Troubleshooting Using the Server Front and Back Panel Status Indicators and Monitoring System Components.
- Identify the faulted component in the Open Problems table. Open problems detected on a host server or system chassis are viewable from either the Open Problems web page or the /System/Open\_problems CLI target. Refer to View Open Problems Detected on a Managed Device in the Oracle ILOM User's Guide for System Monitoring and Diagnostics Firmware Release 5.1.x in the Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) 5.1 documentation at Servers Documentation Systems Management.
- Record system information about the faulted component or condition in the Oracle ILOM event log. Refer to Managing ILOM Log Entries in the Oracle ILOM User's Guide for System Monitoring and Diagnostics Firmware Release 5.1.x in the Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) 5.1 documentation at Servers Documentation - Systems Management.

For further information about administering open problems that are detected and reported by Oracle ILOM, refer to "Administering Open Problems" in the Oracle ILOM Administrator's Guide for Configuration and Maintenance Firmware Release 5.1.x in the Oracle Integrated



Lights Out Manager (ILOM) 5.1 documentation at Servers Documentation - Systems Management.

### **Monitoring System Components**

The tables in this section identify the system components and describe the naming conventions applied to the components of Oracle Exadata Storage Server X9-2.

Each section corresponds to an IPMI entity ID and lists sensors, indicators, and replaceable components related to that entity. The tables contain the following fields:

- Component Name Shows the user-visible component name used in management interfaces to refer to a specific sensor, indicator, or replaceable component. The IPMI name is a shortened form of the component name, and is indicated by the **boldface** portion of the component name.
- IPMI Type Indicates the type of sensor, indicator, or replaceable component represented.
- **Description** Describes the particular component name reference.
- **Values** Defines the states of the sensor, indicator, or replaceable component entity, and any specific units or values that are expected, if applicable.

#### Note:

Some component names are hidden in the Oracle ILOM user interfaces. Further, as of Oracle ILOM 3.1, the Oracle ILOM 3.0 legacy targets /SYS and /STORAGE have been replaced by /System. Even though these legacy targets might be hidden, you can still use them to issue commands. For information on legacy targets, see the ILOM 3.1 documentation at Servers Documentation - Legacy Documentation.

This section includes information for the following server components:

- System Chassis Components
- Cooling Unit Components
- Disk Backplane Components
- Memory Device Components
- Power Unit Components
- Processor Components
- System Motherboard Components
- System Firmware Components
- Disk Drive Components

### System Chassis Components

The following table lists the system chassis components.



Component Name (Oracle ILOM CLI Targets)	ІРМІ Туре	Description	Values (if applicable)
/SYS	Replaceable component	Product information only	
/SYS/UUID	Replaceable component	Unique system ID	Derived from host MAC address. Used for PXE boot and licensing.
/SYS/ <b>ACPI</b>	State sensor	Advanced Configuration and Power Interface	01h-ACPI_ON_WORKING 20h-ACPI_SOFT_OFF
/SYS/ <b>VPS</b>	Threshold sensor	Virtual power consumption sensor	Watts
/SYS/ <b>VPS_CPUS</b>	Threshold sensor	Virtual power sensor - CPU power consumption	Watts
/SYS/VPS_MEMORY	Threshold sensor	Virtual power sensor - memory power consumption	Watts
/SYS/ <b>VPS_FANS</b>	Threshold sensor	Virtual power sensor - fan power consumption	Watts
/SYS/T_AMB	Threshold sensor	Ambient temperature on system motherboard	Degrees Celsius
/SYS/TEMP_FAULT	Indicator	Temperature Fault LED	Color: Amber Location: Front panel Off: Normal On: Chassis overtemp fault
/SYS/ <b>OK</b>	Indicator	System OK LED	Color: Green Location: Front and back panels Off: Power is off. Standby blink: Host is off, awaiting Power On. Slow blink: Startup sequence initiated on host. On: Host is booting OS or running the OS.
/SYS/ <b>SERVICE</b>	Indicator	Fault-Service Required LED	Color: Amber Location: Front and back panels Off: Normal On: Server requires service.
/SYS/LOCATE	Indicator	Locate Button/LED	Color: White Location: Front and back panels Off: Normal Fast blink: Locate function is activated; self- extinguishes after 30 minutes.



Component Name (Oracle ILOM CLI Targets)	ІРМІ Туре	Description	Values (if applicable)
/SYS/ <b>PS_FAULT</b>	Indicator	Rear Power Supply Fault LED	Color: Amber Location: Front panel Off: Normal On: General power supply fault
/SYS/FAN_FAULT	Indicator	Top Fan Fault LED	Color: Amber Location: Front panel Off: Normal On: General fan fault
/SYS/DO_NOT_SERVICE	Indicator	Do Not Service LED	Color: White Location: Front panel Off: Normal On: Do not service this cell

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### **Cooling Unit Components**

The system has four 80-mm fan modules with two fans in each module. The following table lists the system cooling unit components.

Component Name (Oracle ILOM CLI Targets)	ІРМІ Туре	Description	Values (if applicable)
/SYS/ <b>MB/FM[0-3]</b>	Replaceable component	Fan module	
/SYS/ <b>MB/FM[0-3]/F[0-</b> x]	Replaceable component	Individual fan	
/SYS/MB/FM[0-3] /PRSNT	Discrete sensor	Fan module is present.	01h-ENTITY_ABSENT
			02h-ENTITY_PRESENT
/SYS/ <b>MB/FM[0-3] /F[0-x]/</b> Tach	Threshold sensor	Fan module fan speed	RPM

Component Name (Oracle ILOM CLI Targets)	ІРМІ Туре	Description	Values (if applicable)
/SYS/ <b>MB/FM[0-3] /</b> Service	Indicator	Fan Fault-Service Required LED	Color: Amber Location: Motherboard Off: Normal On: Fan module was diagnosed as faulty.

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### Disk Backplane Components

The following table lists the disk backplane (DBP) components.

Component Name (Oracle ILOM CLI Targets)	ІРМІ Туре	Description	Values (if applicable)
/SYS/DBP	Replaceable component	Disk backplane	
/SYS/DBP/CPLD	Replaceable component	Disk backplane complex programmable logic device (CPLD)/field programmable gate array (FPGA) firmware	
/SYS/DBP/PRSNT	Discrete sensor	Disk backplane presence (Hidden)	01h-ENTITY_ABSENT 02h-ENTITY_PRESENT
/SYS/DBP/HDD[0-x]	Replaceable component	Hard disk drives (HDD)	
/SYS/ <b>DBP/HDD[0-</b> x ]/ PRSNT	Discrete sensor	Hard disk drive presence <i>(Hidden)</i>	01h-ENTITY_ABSENT 02h-ENTITY_PRESENT
/SYS/DBP/HDD[0- x ]/ STATE	State sensor	Hard disk drive state	01h-FAULT_STATUS 02h-IDENTITY 04h-INSTALLED 20h-SLOT_POWER_OFF



Component Name (Oracle ILOM CLI Targets)	ІРМІ Туре	Description	Values (if applicable)
/SYS/DBP/HDD[0- x ]/ Service	Indicator	Fault-Service Required LED	Color: Amber Location: HDD Off: Normal On: HDD was diagnosed as failed
/SYS/DBP/HDD[0- x ]/ OK2RM	Indicator	Hard disk drive OK to remove	Color: Blue Location: HDD Off: Normal On: HDD is OK to remove
/SYS/DBP/HDD[0- x ]/ NVME	Replaceable component	NVMe drive	
/SYS/ <b>DBP/HDD[0-</b> x ]/ NVME/PRSNT	Discrete sensor	NVMe device presence	01h-ENTITY_ABSENT 02h-ENTITY_PRESENT
/SYS/VREG_DBP_ERR	Discrete sensor	Disk backplane voltage regulator-down (VRD) error ( <i>Hidden</i> )	01h-DEASSERTED 02h-ASSERTED
/SYS/VREG_USB_ERR	Discrete sensor	Universal Serial Bus (USB) VRD error ( <i>Hidden</i> )	01h-DEASSERTED 02h-ASSERTED

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### Memory Device Components

The following table lists the memory device components.

Component Name (Oracle ILOM CLI Targets)	ІРМІ Туре	Description	Values (if applicable)
/SYS/MB/ <b>P[0-</b> x ]/D[0-15]	Replaceable component	Host CPU DIMM	
/SYS/MB/ <b>P[0-1 ]/D[0-15]/</b> PRSNT	Discrete sensor	Host CPU DIMM is present.	01h-ENTITY_ABSENT 02h-ENTITY_PRESENT



Component Name (Oracle ILOM CLI Targets)	ІРМІ Туре	Description	Values (if applicable)
/SYS/MB/P[0- x ]/D[0-15]/ Service	Indicator	Host CPU DIMM Fault- Service Required LED	Color: Amber Location: Motherboard Off: Normal On: DIMM was diagnosed as faulty.
/SYS/ <b>MB/P[0-1]/D[0-15]/</b> TEMP	Discrete sensor	Host CPU DIMM temperature sensor ( <i>Hidden</i> )	

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### Power Unit Components

The following table lists the power unit components.

Component Name (Oracle ILOM CLI Targets)	ІРМІ Туре	Description	Values (if applicable)
/SYS/PDB	Replaceable component	Power distribution board	
/SYS/ <b>PS[0-1]</b>	Replaceable component	Power supply	
/SYS/PS[0-1]/PRSNT	Discrete sensor	Power supply is present.	01h-ENTITY_ABSENT
		(Thaten)	U2n-ENTITY_PRESENT
/SYS/PS[0-1]/STATE	State sensor	Power supply state sensor	Presence detected
		Multistate, power supply sensor type, per IPMI	Failure detected
			Predictive failure
			Power supply input lost
			Power supply input lost or out-of-range
			Power supply input out-of- range
			Configuration error
/SYS/ <b>PS[0-1]/P_IN</b>	Threshold sensor	Input power draw	Watts
/SYS/PS[0-1]/P_OUT	Threshold sensor	Output power	Watts



Component Name (Oracle ILOM CLI Targets)	ІРМІ Туре	Description	Values (if applicable)
/SYS/ <b>PS[0-1]/V_IN</b>	Threshold sensor	Power supply input voltage	Volts
/SYS/ <b>PS[0-1]/V_12V</b>	Threshold sensor	Power supply 12V output voltage	Volts
/SYS/ <b>PS[0-1]/</b> V_12V_STBY	Threshold sensor	Power supply 12V standby output voltage	Volts
/SYS/ <b>PS[0-1]/T_IN</b>	Threshold sensor	PSU input temperature	Degrees Celsius
/SYS/ <b>PS[0-1]/T_OUT</b>	Threshold sensor	PSU output temperature	Degrees Celsius

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### **Processor Components**

The following table lists the processor (CPU) components.

Component Name (Oracle ILOM CLI Targets)	ІРМІ Туре	Description	Values (if applicable)
/SYS/ <b>MB/P[0-</b> x ]	Replaceable component	Host CPU	
/SYS/ <b>MB/P[0-1 ]/PRSNT</b>	Discrete sensor	Host CPU is present.	01h-ENTITY_PRESENT 02h-ENTITY_ABSENT
/SYS/ <b>MB/P[0-</b> x ]/ Service	Indicator	Host CPU Fault-Service Required LED	Color: Amber Location: Motherboard Off: Normal On: Processor was diagnosed as faulty.

#### **Related Topics:**

- System Chassis Components
- Cooling Unit Components
- Disk Backplane Components
- Memory Device Components
- Power Unit Components



- System Motherboard Components
- System Firmware Components
- Disk Drive Components

### System Motherboard Components

The following table lists the system motherboard components.

Component Name (Oracle ILOM CLI Targets)	ІРМІ Туре	Description	Values (if applicable)
/SYS/ <b>MB</b>	Replaceable component	General host system motherboard	
/SYS/ <b>MB/NET[0]</b>	Replaceable component	Host Ethernet	
/SYS/MB/PCIE[1-10]	Replaceable component	PCIe slot	
/SYS/ <b>MB/PCIE[1-10]/</b> Power	Indicator	PCIe slot power indicator	Color: Green Location: Motherboard On: Power is on Off: Power is off
/SYS/ <b>MB/PCIE[1-10]/</b> PRSNT	Discrete	PCIe slot is occupied.	01h-ENTITY_ABSENT 02h-ENTITY_PRESENT
/SYS/ <b>MB/PCIE[1-10]/</b> Service	Indicator	PCIe slot service indicator	Color: Amber Location: Motherboard On: Service required Off: Normal
/SYS/ <b>MB/PCIE10/</b> Retimer	Replaceable component	Optional PCIe retimer in slot 10 (2U only)	
/SYS/ <b>MB/PCIE10/</b> RETIMER/PRSNT	Discrete	Optional PCIe retimer card is present in slot 10 (only supported slot)	01h-ENTITY_ABSENT 02h-ENTITY_PRESENT
/SYS/ <b>MB/RISER[1-3]/</b> PRSNT	Discrete sensor	PCIe slot riser is present	01h-ENTITY_ABSENT 02h-ENTITY_PRESENT
/SYS/MB/ROT	Replaceable component	Root of trust	
/SYS/MB/T_IN_ZONE[0-3]	Threshold sensor	Cooling zone input temperature sensor	Degrees Celsius
/SYS/ <b>MB/</b> T_OUT_ZONE[0-3]	Threshold sensor	Cooling zone output temperature sensor	Degrees Celsius
/SYS/ <b>SP</b>	Replaceable component	Service processor	
/SYS/ <b>SP/OK</b>	Indicator	SP OK LED	Color: Green Location: Front panel On: SP is operating. Off: SP requires service.
/SYS/ <b>SP/NET[0-1]</b>	Replaceable component	SP Ethernet	

#### **Related Topics:**

• System Chassis Components



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### System Firmware Components

The following table lists the system firmware components.

Component Name (Oracle ILOM CLI Target)	ІРМІ Туре	Description
/SYS/MB/BIOS	Replaceable component	BIOS
/SYS/ <b>MB/CPLD</b>	Replaceable component	Motherboard complex programmable logic device (CPLD)/field programmable gate array (FPGA) firmware version

#### **Related Topics:**

- System Chassis Components
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### **Disk Drive Components**

The following table lists the hard disk drive (HDD) and solid state drive (SSD) components.

Component Name (Oracle ILOM CLI Targets)	ІРМІ Туре	Description	Values (if applicable)
/SYS/DBP/HDD[0-x]	Replaceable component	Hard disk drive	From host
/SYS/ <b>DBP/HDD[0-</b> x ] <b>/</b> PRSNT	Discrete sensor	Hard disk drive presence	01h-ENTITY_ABSENT 02h-ENTITY_PRESENT



Component Name (Oracle ILOM CLI Targets)	ІРМІ Туре	Description	Values (if applicable)
/SYS/ <b>DBP/HDD[0-</b> x ]/ STATE	Discrete sensor	Writable multistate, slot/ connector sensor type, per IPMI	01h-FAULT_STATUS 02h-IDENTITY 04h-INSTALLED 20h-SLOT_POWER_OFF
/SYS/ <b>dbp/hdd[0-</b> x ]/ Service	Indicator	Hard disk drive Fault- Service Required LED	Color: Amber Location: HDD Off: Normal On: Hard disk drive was diagnosed as faulty.
/SYS/ <b>DBP/HDD[0-</b> x ]/ OK2RM	Indicator	Hard disk drive OK to Remove LED	Color: Blue Location: HDD Off: Normal On: Drive is ready to remove.
/SYS/DBP/HDD[0- x ]/ NVME	Replaceable component	NVMe drive	
/SYS/DBP/HDD[0- x ]/ NVME/PRSNT	Discrete sensor	NVMe device presence	01h-ENTITY_ABSENT 02h-ENTITY_PRESENT
/SYS/MB/SSDR[0-1]	Replaceable component	Internal SSD riser (1 on 1U, 2 on 2U)	
/SYS/ <b>MB/SSDR[0-1]/</b> PRSNT	Discrete sensor	Solid-state drive (SSD) riser presence (2 risers on 2U)	01h-ENTITY_ABSENT 02h-ENTITY_PRESENT
/SYS/ <b>MB/SSDR[0-1]/</b> SSD[0-1]	Replaceable component	Internal SSD drive	
/SYS/ <b>MB/SSDR[0-1]/</b> SSD[0-1]/PRSNT	Discrete sensor	SSD drive presence (1 SSD per riser on 2U) ( <i>Hidden</i> )	01h-ENTITY_ABSENT 02h-ENTITY_PRESENT
/SYS/ <b>MB/SSDR[0-1]/</b> SSD[0-1]/STATE	State sensor	SSD drive state	04h-INSTALLED 20h-SLOT POWER OFF
/SYS/ <b>MB/SSDR[0-1]/</b> SSD[0-1]/NVME	Replaceable component	Internal SSD that is NVM Express	
/SYS/MB/SSDR[0-1]/ SSD[0-1]/NVME/PRSNT	Discrete sensor	Indicates the SSD is PCIe (NVMExpress)	01h-ENTITY_ABSENT 02h-ENTITY_PRESENT

- System Chassis Components
- Cooling Unit Components
- Disk Backplane Components
- Memory Device Components
- Power Unit Components
- Processor Components



- System Motherboard Components
- System Firmware Components

## Identifying SNMP Trap Messages

It is possible to configure Oracle ILOM to generate Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) traps when hardware problems occur. For information about how to configure SNMP alert rule destinations to start receiving these traps, refer to the Oracle Integrated Lights Out Manager (ILOM) 5.1 documentation at Servers Documentation - Systems Management.

The tables in these sections list the set of SNMP traps that are generated from Oracle ILOM.

- Environmental Events
- Disk Drive Components
- Power Events
- Fan Events
- Memory Events
- Entity Presence Events

## **Environmental Events**

The following table lists environmental events.

Messages and Descriptions	Component Name
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapTempFatalThresholdExceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/T_OUT
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Lower fatal threshold exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/T_IN
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Critical; A temperature sensor has reported that its value has gone above an upper fatal threshold setting or below a lower fatal threshold setting.	/SYS/MB/T_IN_ZONE[0-2] /SYS/MB/T_OUT_ZONE[0-2]
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapTempFatalThresholdDeasserted	/SYS/PS[0-1]/T_OUT
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Lower fatal threshold no longer exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/T_IN
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Informational; A temperature sensor has reported that its value has gone below an upper fatal threshold setting or above a lower fatal threshold setting.	/SYS/MB/T_IN_ZONE[0-2] /SYS/MB/T_OUT_ZONE[0-2]
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapTempCritThresholdExceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/T_OUT
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Upper critical threshold exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/T_IN
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Critical; A temperature sensor has reported that its value has gone above an upper critical threshold setting or below a lower critical threshold setting.	/SYS/MB/T_IN_ZONE[0-2] /SYS/MB/T_OUT_ZONE[0-2]
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	



Messages and Descriptions	Component Name
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapTempCritThresholdDeasserted	/SYS/PS[0-1]/T_OUT
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Upper critical threshold no longer exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/T_IN
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Informational; A temperature sensor has reported that its value has gone below an upper critical threshold setting or above a lower critical threshold setting.	/SYS/MB/T_IN_ZONE[0-2] /SYS/MB/T_OUT_ZONE[0-2]
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapTempFatalThresholdExceeded	/SYS/T_AMB
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Lower fatal threshold exceeded	
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Critical; A temperature sensor has reported that its value has gone above an upper fatal threshold setting or below a lower fatal threshold setting.	
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapTempFatalThresholdDeasserted	/SYS/T_AMB
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Lower fatal threshold no longer exceeded	
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Informational; A temperature sensor has reported that its value has gone below an upper fatal threshold setting or above a lower fatal threshold setting.	
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	

- System Chassis Components
- Cooling Unit Components
- Disk Backplane Components
- Memory Device Components
- Power Unit Components
- Processor Components
- System Motherboard Components
- Disk Drive Components

## Hard Disk Drive Events

The following table lists hard disk drive events.

Messages and Descriptions	Component Name
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapSlotOrConnectorError	/SYS/DBP/HDD[0-x]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Assert	
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Major: A sensor associated with a slot or connector has detected an error.	



Messages and Descriptions	Component Name
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapSlotOrConnectorOk	/SYS/DBP/HDD[0-x]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Deassert	
Severity and Description: Informational; A sensor associated with a slot or connector has returned to its normal state.	

- System Chassis Components
- Cooling Unit Components
- Disk Backplane Components
- Memory Device Components
- Power Unit Components
- Processor Components
- System Motherboard Components
- Disk Drive Components

### **Power Events**

The following table lists power events.

Messages and Descriptions	Component Name
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapPowerSupplyError	/SYS/PS[0-1]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: PS_PRESENCE ASSERT	
Severity and Description: Major; A power supply sensor has detected an error.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapPowerSupplyOk	/SYS/PS[0-1]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: PS_PRESENCE DEASSERT	
Severity and Description: Major; A power supply sensor has detected an error.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapPowerSupplyError	/SYS/PS[0-1]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: PS_FAILURE ASSERT	
Severity and Description: Major; A power supply sensor has detected an error.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapPowerSupplyOk	/SYS/PS[0-1]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: PS_FAILURE DEASSERT	
Severity and Description: Major; A power supply sensor has detected an error.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapPowerSupplyError	/SYS/PS[0-1]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: PS_PREDICTIVE_FAILURE ASSERT	
Severity and Description: Major; A power supply sensor has detected an error.	



Messages and Descriptions	Component Name
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapPowerSupplyOk	/SYS/PS[0-1]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: PS_PREDICTIVE_FAILURE DEASSERT	
Severity and Description: Major; A power supply sensor has detected an error.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapPowerSupplyError	/SYS/PS[0-1]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: PS_INPUT_LOST ASSERT	
Severity and Description: Major; A power supply sensor has detected an error.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapPowerSupplyOk	/SYS/PS[0-1]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: PS_INPUT_LOST DEASSERT	
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Major; A power supply sensor has detected an error.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapPowerSupplyError	/SYS/PS[0-1]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: PS_INPUT_ERROR ASSERT	
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Major; A power supply sensor has detected an error.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapPowerSupplyOk	/SYS/PS[0-1]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: PS_INPUT_ERROR DEASSERT	
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Major; A power supply sensor has detected an error.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapPowerSupplyError	/SYS/PS[0-1]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: PS_INPUT_RANGE_ERROR ASSERT	
Severity and Description: Major; A power supply sensor has detected an error.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapPowerSupplyOk	/SYS/PS[0-1]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: PS_INPUT_RANGE_ERROR DEASSERT	
Severity and Description: Major; A power supply sensor has detected an error.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapPowerSupplyError	/SYS/PS[0-1]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: PS_CONFIG_ERROR ASSERT	
Severity and Description Major; A power supply sensor has detected an error.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapPowerSupplyOk	/SYS/PS[0-1]/STATE
Oracle ILOM Event Message: PS_CONFIG_ERROR DEASSERT	
Severity and Description: Major; A power supply sensor has detected an error.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapSensorNonCritThresholdExceeded	/SYS/VPS
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Upper noncritical threshold exceeded	
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Minor; A sensor has reported that its value has gone above an upper non critical threshold setting or below a lower non critical threshold setting. This generic 'sensor' trap is generated when the SNMP agent does not recognize the component type.	
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	

Messages and Descriptions	Component Name
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapSensorThresholdOk	/SYS/VPS
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Upper noncritical threshold no longer exceeded	
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Informational; A sensor has reported that its value is in the normal operating range. This generic 'sensor' trap is generated when the SNMP agent does not recognize the component type.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapSensorNonCritThresholdExceeded	/SYS/VPS_FANS
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Upper noncritical threshold exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/P_IN
Severity and Description: Minor; A sensor has reported that its value has gone above an upper noncritical threshold setting or below a lower noncritical threshold setting. This generic 'sensor' trap is generated when the SNMP agent does not recognize the component type. The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	/SYS/PS[0-1]/P_OUT
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapSensorThresholdOk	/SYS/VPS FANS
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Upper noncritical threshold no longer exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/P_IN
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Informational; A sensor has reported that its value is in the normal operating range. This generic 'sensor' trap is generated when the SNMP agent does not recognize the component type.	/SYS/PS[0-1]/P_OUT
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapSensorFatalThresholdExceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/P_IN
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Lower fatal threshold exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/P_OUT
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Critical; A power supply sensor has reported that its value has gone above an upper fatal threshold setting or below a lower fatal threshold setting. The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an	
upper or lower threshold.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapSensorFatalThresholdDeasserted	/SYS/PS[0-1]/P_IN
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Lower fatal threshold no longer exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/P_OUT
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Informational; A power supply sensor has reported that its value has gone below an upper fatal threshold setting or above a lower fatal threshold setting.	
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapSensorCritThresholdExceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/P_IN
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Lower critical threshold exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/P_OUT
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Major; A power supply sensor has reported that its value has gone above an upper critical threshold setting or below a lower critical threshold setting.	
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapSensorCritThresholdDeasserted	/SYS/PS[0-1]/P_IN
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Lower critical threshold no longer exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/P_OUT
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Informational; A power supply sensor has reported that its value has gone below an upper critical threshold setting or above a lower critical threshold setting.	
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	

Messages and Descriptions	Component Name
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapVoltageFatalThresholdExceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_12V
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Lower fatal threshold exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_12V_STBY
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Critical; A voltage sensor has reported that its value has gone above an upper fatal threshold setting or below a lower fatal threshold setting.	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_IN
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapVoltageFatalThresholdDeasserted	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_12V
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Lower fatal threshold no longer exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_12V_STBY
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Informational; A voltage sensor has reported that its value has gone below an upper fatal threshold setting or above a lower fatal threshold setting.	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_IN
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapVoltageCritThresholdExceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_12V
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Upper critical threshold exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_12V_STBY
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Critical; A voltage sensor has reported that its value has gone above an upper critical threshold setting or below a lower critical threshold setting.	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_IN
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapVoltageCritThresholdDeasserted	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_12V
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Upper critical threshold no longer exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_12V_STBY
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Informational; A voltage sensor has reported that its value has gone below an upper critical threshold setting or above a lower critical threshold setting.	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_IN
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapVoltageNonCritThresholdExceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_12V
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Upper noncritical threshold exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_12V_STBY
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Minor; A voltage sensor has reported that its value has gone above an upper noncritical threshold setting or below a lower noncritical threshold setting.	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_IN
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapVoltageOk	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_12V
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Upper noncritical threshold no longer exceeded	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_12V_STBY
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Informational; A voltage sensor has reported that its value is in the normal operating range.	/SYS/PS[0-1]/V_IN
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapSensorNonCritThresholdExceeded	/SYS/VPS_CPUS
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Upper noncritical threshold exceeded	/SYS/VPS_MEMORY
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Minor; A sensor has reported that its value has gone above an upper noncritical threshold setting or below a lower noncritical threshold setting. This generic 'sensor' trap is generated when the SNMP agent does not recognize the component type.	
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	

Messages and Descriptions	Component Name
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapSensorThresholdOk	/SYS/VPS_CPUS
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Upper noncritical threshold no longer exceeded	/SYS/VPS_MEMORY
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Informational; A sensor has reported that its value is in the normal operating range. This generic 'sensor' trap is generated when the SNMP agent does not recognize the component type.	

- System Chassis Components
- Cooling Unit Components
- Disk Backplane Components
- Memory Device Components
- Power Unit Components
- Processor Components
- System Motherboard Components
- Disk Drive Components

### Fan Events

The following table lists fan events.

Messages and Descriptions	Component Name
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapFanSpeedCritThresholdExceeded	/SYS/MB/FM[0-3]/F[0-x]/TACH
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Lower critical threshold exceeded	
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Major; A fan speed sensor has reported that its value has gone above an upper critical threshold setting or below a lower critical threshold setting.	
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapFanSpeedCritThresholdDeasserted	/SYS/MB/FM[0-3]/F[0-x]/TACH
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Lower critical threshold no longer exceeded	
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Informational; A fan speed sensor has reported that its value has gone below an upper critical threshold setting or above a lower critical threshold setting.	
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapFanSpeedFatalThresholdExceeded	/SYS/MB/FM[0-3]/F[0-x]/TACH
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Lower fatal threshold exceeded	
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Critical; A fan speed sensor has reported that its value has gone above an upper fatal threshold setting or below a lower fatal threshold setting.	
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	


Messages and Descriptions	Component Name
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapFanSpeedFatalThresholdDeasserted	/SYS/MB/FM[0-3]/F[0-x]/TACH
Oracle ILOM Event Message: Lower fatal threshold no longer exceeded	
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Informational; A fan speed sensor has reported that its value has gone below an upper fatal threshold setting or above a lower fatal threshold setting.	
The sunHwTrapThresholdType object indicates whether the threshold was an upper or lower threshold.	

#### **Related Topics**

- System Chassis Components
- Cooling Unit Components
- Disk Backplane Components
- Memory Device Components
- Power Unit Components
- Processor Components
- System Motherboard Components
- Disk Drive Components

# **Memory Events**

The following table lists memory events.

Messages and Descriptions	Component Name
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapMemoryFault	/SYS/MB
<b>Oracle ILOM Event Message:</b> event fault.cpu.intel.quickpath.link_slow "The Quickpath Interconnect (QPI) link is operating below normal speed."	
Severity and Description: Major; A memory component is suspected of causing a fault.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapMemoryFaultCleared	/SYS/MB
Oracle ILOM Event Message: event fault.cpu.intel.quickpath.link_slow "The Quickpath Interconnect (QPI) link is operating below normal speed."	
Severity and Description: Informational; A memory component fault has been cleared.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapMemoryFault	/SYS/MB
<b>Oracle ILOM Event Message:</b> event fault.cpu.intel.quickpath.unknown-errcode "An unknown error code from the Quickpath Interconnect (QPI) reference code has been detected."	
Severity and Description: Major; A memory component is suspected of causing a fault.	



Messages and Descriptions	Component Name
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapMemoryFaultCleared	/SYS/MB
<b>Oracle ILOM Event Message:</b> event fault.cpu.intel.quickpath.unknown-errcode "An unknown error code from the Quickpath Interconnect (QPI) reference code has been detected."	
Severity and Description: Informational; A memory component fault has been cleared.	

#### **Related Topics**

- System Chassis Components
- Cooling Unit Components
- Disk Backplane Components
- Memory Device Components
- Power Unit Components
- Processor Components
- System Motherboard Components
- Disk Drive Components

## **Entity Presence Events**

The following table lists entity presence events.

Messages and Descriptions	Component Name
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapProcessorError	/SYS/MB/P[0-x]/PRSNT
Oracle ILOM Event Message: ENTITY_PRESENT ASSERT	
Severity and Description: Major; A processor sensor has detected an error. Device absent.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapProcessorOk	/SYS/MB/P[0-x]/PRSNT
Oracle ILOM Event Message: ENTITY_PRESENT DEASSERT	
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Major; A processor sensor has returned to its normal state. Device present.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapProcessorError	/SYS/MB/P[0-x]/PRSNT
Oracle ILOM Event Message: ENTITY_DISABLED ASSERT	
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Major; A processor sensor has detected an error. Device disabled.	
SNMP Trap: sunHwTrapProcessorOk	/SYS/MB/P[0-x]/PRSNT
Oracle ILOM Event Message: ENTITY_DISABLED DEASSERT	
<b>Severity and Description:</b> Major; A processor sensor has returned to its normal state. Device enabled.	

#### **Related Topics**

- System Chassis Components
- Cooling Unit Components
- Disk Backplane Components



- Memory Device Components
- Power Unit Components
- Processor Components
- System Motherboard Components
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