Dell PowerEdge M520 Systems Owner's Manual



Notes, Cautions, and Warnings



NOTE: A NOTE indicates important information that helps you make better use of your computer.



CAUTION: A CAUTION indicates either potential damage to hardware or loss of data and tells you how to avoid the problem.



WARNING: A WARNING indicates a potential for property damage, personal injury, or death.

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About your system

Front-Panel Features And Indicators

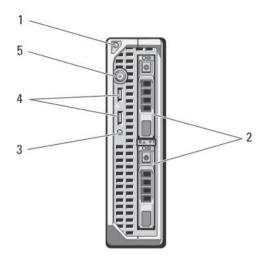


Figure 1. Front-Panel Features and Indicators

- 1. blade handle release button
- 3. status/identification indicator
- 5. blade power button

- 2. hard drives/SSDs (2)
- 4. USB connectors (2)

Using USB Diskette or USB DVD/CD Drives

The blade has USB ports on the front which allow you to connect a USB diskette drive, USB flash drive, USB DVD/CD drive, keyboard, or mouse. The USB drives can be used to configure the blade.

- **NOTE:** Your blade supports only Dell-branded USB 2.0 drives. Use the optional external drive storage tray to support the drive while in use.
- **NOTE:** If the drive must be designated as the boot drive, connect the USB drive, restart the system, then enter the System Setup and set the drive as first in the boot sequence. The USB device is displayed in the boot order setup screen only if it is attached to the system before you run the System Setup. You can also select the boot device by pressing <F11> during system start-up and selecting a boot device for the current boot sequence.

Hard-Drive/SSD indicator patterns

The hard-drive/SSD indicators display different patterns as drive events occur in the system.



NOTE: The blade must have a hard drive/SSD or a hard-drive blank installed in each drive bay.



Figure 2. Hard-Drive/SSD Indicators

drive activity indicator (green)

drive status indicator (green and amber)



NOTE: If the drive is in Advanced Host Controller Interface (AHCI) mode, the status LED (on the right side) does not function and remains off.

Drive-Status Indicator Pattern	Condition
Blinks green two times per second	Identifying drive or preparing for removal
Off	Drive ready for insertion or removal
	NOTE: The drive status indicator remains off until all drives are initialized after system power is applied. Drives are not ready for insertion or removal during this time.
Blinks green, amber, and turns	Drive predicted failure

off

Blinks amber four times per second

Drive failed

Blinks green slowly Drive rebuilding

Steady green

Drive online

Blinks green three seconds, amber

Rebuild aborted

Drive-Status Condition Indicator Pattern three seconds, and turns off six seconds

Other Information You May Need



MARNING: See the safety and regulatory information that shipped with your system. Warranty information may be included within this document or as a separate document.

- The Getting Started Guide provides an overview of system features, setting up your system, and technical specifications.
- The Rack Installation Instructions included with your rack solution describes how to install your system into a rack.
- The Dell PowerEdge M1000e Enclosure Owner's Manual provides information about enclosure features and describes how to troubleshoot the enclosure and install or replace the enclosure's components.
- The Dell Chassis Management Controller User's Guide provides information on installing, configuring and using the Chassis Management Controller (CMC).
- For the full name of an abbreviation or acronym used in this document, see the Glossary at www.dell.com/support/home.
- Dell systems management application documentation provides information about installing and using the systems management software.
- Any media that ships with your system that provides documentation and tools for configuring and managing your system, including those pertaining to the operating system, system management software, system updates, and system components that you purchased with your system.



NOTE: Always check for updates on www.dell.com/support/home and read the updates first because they often supersede information in other documents.

Using the System Setup and boot manager

System Setup enables you to manage your system hardware and specify BIOS-level options.

The following keystrokes provide access to system features during startup:

Table 1. System setup keystrokes

Keystroke	Description
<f2></f2>	Opens the System Setup page.
<f10></f10>	Opens System Services and starts Lifecycle Controller, which supports systems management features such as operating system deployment, hardware diagnostics, firmware updates, and platform configuration, using a GUI. The feature set available in Lifecycle Controller is determined by the iDRAC license installed.
<f11></f11>	Opens the BIOS Boot Manager or the Unified Extensible Firmware Interface (UEFI) Boot Manager, depending on the boot configuration of the system.
<f12></f12>	Starts Preboot Execution Environment (PXE) boot.

From System Setup, you can:

- Change the NVRAM settings after you add or remove hardware
- View the system hardware configuration
- Enable or disable integrated devices
- Set performance and power management thresholds
- · Manage system security

You can access System Setup using the:

- Standard graphical browser, which is enabled by default
- Text browser, which is enabled using Console Redirection

To enable Console Redirection, in System Setup, select System BIOS → Serial Communication screen → Serial Communication, select On with Console Redirection.



NOTE: By default, help text for the selected field is displayed in the graphical browser. To view the help text in the text browser, press **<F1>**.

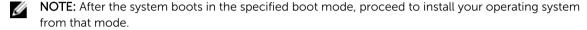
Choosing the system boot mode

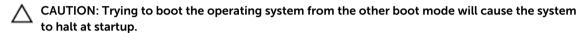
System Setup enables you to specify the boot mode for installing your operating system:

- BIOS boot mode (the default) is the standard BIOS-level boot interface.
- UEFI boot mode is an enhanced 64-bit boot interface based on Unified Extensible Firmware Interface (UEFI) specifications that overlays the system BIOS.

To choose the system **Boot Mode**:

- In System Setup click Boot Settings and select Boot Mode.
- 2. Select the **Boot Mode** you want the system to boot into.







NOTE: For the latest information on supported operating systems, go to dell.com/ossupport.

Entering System Setup

- 1. Turn on or restart your system.
- 2. Press <F2> immediately after you see the following message:

<F2> = System Setup

If your operating system begins to load before you press <F2>, allow the system to finish booting, and then restart your system and try again.

Responding to error messages

If an error message is displayed while the system is booting, make a note of the message. For more information, see System Error Messages.



NOTE: After installing a memory upgrade, it is normal for your system to display a message the first time you start your system.

Using the system setup navigation keys

Keys Action

Up arrow Moves to the previous field.

Down arrow Moves to the next field.

<Enter> Allows you to type in a value in the selected field (if applicable) or follow the link in

the field.

Spacebar Expands or collapses a drop-down menu, if applicable.

<Tab> Moves to the next focus area.

NOTE: For the standard graphics browser only.

<Esc> Moves to the previous page till you view the main screen. Pressing **<Esc>** in the

main screen displays a message that prompts you to save any unsaved changes and

restarts the system.

<F1> Displays the System Setup help file.

NOTE: For most of the options, any changes that you make are recorded but do not take effect until you restart the system.

System setup options

System Setup Main screen

NOTE: Press <Alt><F> to reset the BIOS or UEFI settings to their default settings.

Menu Item	Description
System BIOS	This option is used to view and configure BIOS settings.
iDRAC Settings	This option is used to view and configure iDRAC settings.
Device Settings	This option is used to view and configure device settings.

System BIOS Screen

NOTE: The options for System Setup change based on the system configuration.

NOTE: System Setup defaults are listed under their respective options in the following sections, where applicable.

Menu Item	Description
iDRAC Settings	This option is used to view and configure iDRAC settings.
Device Settings	This option is used to view and configure device settings.
System Information	Displays information about the system such as the system model name, BIOS version, Service Tag, and so on.
Memory Settings	Displays information and options related to installed memory.
Processor Settings	Displays information and options related to the processor such as speed, cache size, and so on.
SATA Settings	Displays options to enable or disable the integrated SATA controller and ports.

Menu Item Description

Boot Settings Displays options to specify the boot mode (BIOS or UEFI). Enables you to modify

UEFI and BIOS boot settings.

Integrated Devices Displays options to enable or disable integrated device controllers and ports, and to

specify related features and options.

Serial Displays options to enable or disable the serial ports and specify related features

Communication and options.

System Profile Settings

Displays options to change the processor power management settings, memory

frequency, and so on.

System Security Displays options to configure the system security settings like, system password,

setup password, TPM security, and so on. It also enables or disables support for

local BIOS update and the power button on the system.

Miscellaneous

Settings

Displays options to change the system date, time, and so on.

System information screen

Menu Item Description

System Model

Displays the system model name.

Name

System BIOS Displays the BIOS version installed on the system.

Version

System Service Tag Displays the system Service Tag.

System

Manufacturer

Displays the name of the system manufacturer.

System Displays the contact information of the system manufacturer.

Manufacturer Contact Information

Memory Settings screen

Menu Item Description

System Memory

Displays the amount of memory installed in the system.

Size

Displays the type of memory installed in the system. System Memory

Type

System Memory

Displays the system memory speed.

Speed

Voltage

System Memory

Displays the system memory voltage.

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Menu Item Description

Video Memory Displays the amount of video memory.

System Memory

Testing

Specifies whether system memory tests are run during system boot. Options are Enabled and Disabled. By default, the System Memory Testing option is set to Disabled.

Mode

Memory Operating Specifies the memory operating mode. The options available are Optimizer Mode, Advanced ECC Mode, Mirror Mode, Spare Mode, Spare with Advanced ECC Mode, and Dell Fault Resilient Mode. By default, the Memory Operating Mode option is set to Optimizer Mode.



NOTE: The Memory Operating Mode can have different defaults and available options based on the memory configuration of your system.



NOTE: The Dell Fault Resilient Mode establishes an area of memory that is fault resilient. This mode can be used by an operating system that supports the feature to load critical applications or enables the operating system kernel to maximize system availability.

Node Interleaving

If this field is **Enabled**, memory interleaving is supported if a symmetric memory configuration is installed. If **Disabled**, the system supports Non-Uniform Memory architecture (NUMA) (asymmetric) memory configurations. By default, Node Interleaving option is set to Disabled.

Serial Debug Output

By default, it is set to disabled.

Processor Settings screen

Menu Item	Description
Logical Processor	Allows you to enable or disable logical processors and display the number of logical processors. If the Logical Processor option is set to Enabled , the BIOS displays all the logical processors. If this option is set to Disabled , the BIOS only displays one logical processor per core. By default, the Logical Processor option is set to Enabled .
QPI Speed	Allows you to set the QuickPath Interconnect data rate settings. By default, the QPI Speed option is set to Maximum data rate .
	NOTE: The QPI Speed option is displayed only when both the processors are installed.

Alternate RTID (Requestor Transaction ID) Setting

Allows you to allocate more RTIDs to the remote socket increasing cache performance between the sockets or work in normal mode for NUMA. By default, the Alternate RTID (Requestor Transaction ID) Setting is set to Disabled.

Virtualization Technology

Allows you enable or disable the additional hardware capabilities provided for virtualization. By default, the Virtualization Technology option is set to Enabled.

Adjacent Cache Line Prefetch

Allows you to optimize the system for applications that require high utilization of sequential memory access. By default, the Adjacent Cache Line Prefetch option is Menu Item Description

set to **Enabled**. You can disable this option for applications that require high

utilization of random memory access.

Hardware Prefetcher Allows you to enable or disable hardware prefetcher. By default, the **Hardware**

Prefetcher option is set to Enabled.

DCU Streamer Prefetcher Allows you to enable or disable DCU streamer prefetcher. By default, the **DCU**

Streamer Prefetcher option is set to Enabled.

DCU IP Prefetcher Allows you to enable or disable DCU IP prefetcher. By default, the DCU IP

Prefetcher option is set to Enabled.

Execute Disable Allows you enable or disable execute disable memory protection technology. By

default, the Execute Disable option is set to Enabled.

Number of Cores per Processor

Allows you to control the number of enabled cores in each processor. By default,

the Number of Cores per Processor option is set to All.

Processor 64-bit Support Specifies if the processor(s) support 64-bit extensions.

Processor Core Speed

Displays the maximum core frequency of the processor.

Processor Bus Speed

Stepping

Displays the bus speed of the processors.

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NOTE: The processor bus speed option is displayed only when both the processors are installed.

Processor *X*Family- Model-

Displays the family and model number of each processor. A submenu displays the core speed, the amount of cache memory, and the number of cores of the

processor(s).

SATA Settings screen

Menu Item Description

Embedded SATA Allows the embedded SATA to be set to Off, ATA, AHCI, or RAID modes. By default,

Embedded SATA is set to AHCI.

Port A Auto enables BIOS support for the device attached to SATA port A. Off disables

BIOS support for the device. By default, Port A is set to Auto.

Port B Auto enables BIOS support for the device attached to SATA port B. Off disables

BIOS support for the device. By default, Port B is set to Auto.

Boot Settings screen

Menu Item Description

Boot Mode Allows you to set the boot mode of the system.

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CAUTION: Switching the boot mode may prevent the system from booting if the operating system is not installed in the same boot mode.

Menu Item Description

If the operating system supports UEFI, you can set this option to UEFI. Setting this field to BIOS allows compatibility with non-UEFI operating systems. By default, the Boot Mode option is set to BIOS.



NOTE: Setting this field to UEFI disables BIOS Boot Settings menu. Setting this field to BIOS disables the UEFI Boot Settings menu.

Boot Sequence Retry

Allows you to enable or disable the boot sequence retry feature. If this field is enabled and the system fails to boot, the system reattempts the boot sequence after 30 seconds. By default, the **Boot Sequence Retry** option is set to **Disabled**.

BIOS Boot Settings Allows you to enable or disable BIOS Boot options.



NOTE: This option is enabled only if the boot mode is BIOS.

UEFI Boot Settings Allows you to enable or disable UEFI Boot options. The Boot options include IPv4 PXE and IPv6 PXE. By default, the UEFI PXE boot protocol is set to IPv4.



NOTE: This option is enabled only if the boot mode is UEFI.

One-Time Boot

Allows you to enable or disable a one-time boot from a selected device.

Integrated devices screen

Menu Item	Description
Integrated RAID Controller	Allows you to enable or disable the integrated RAID controller. By default, the Integrated RAID Controller option is set to Enabled .
User Accessible USB Ports	Allows you enable or disable the user accessible USB ports. Selecting Only Back Ports On disables the front USB ports and selecting All Ports Off disables both front and back USB ports. By default, the User Accessible USB Ports option is set to All Ports On .
Internal USB Port	Allows you to enable or disable the internal USB port. By default, the Internal USB Port option is set to On .
Internal SD Card Port	Enables or disables the system's internal SD card port. By default, the Internal SD Card Port option is set to On .
	NOTE: This option is displayed only if IDSDM is installed on the system board.
Internal SD Card Redundancy	If set to Mirror mode, data is written on both SD cards. If any one of the SD card fails, data is written to the active SD card. Data from this card is copied to the replacement SD card at the next boot. By default, Internal SD Card Redundancy option is set to Mirror .
	NOTE: This option is displayed only if IDSDM is installed on the system board.
Integrated Network Card 1	Allows you to enable or disable the integrated network card 1. By default, the Integrated Network Card 1 option is set to Enabled .

Menu Item Description OS Watchdog Allows you to enable or disable the OS watchdog timer. When this field is enabled, Timer the operating system initializes the timer and the OS watchdog timer helps in recovering the operating system. By default, the OS Watchdog Timer option is set to Disabled. Embedded Video Allows you to enable or disable the **Embedded Video Controller**. By default, the Controller embedded video controller is set to **Enabled**. SR-IOV Global Allows you to enable or disable the BIOS configuration of Single Root I/O Enable Virtualization (SR-IOV) devices. By default, the SR-IOV Global Enable option is set to Disabled. Memory Mapped Allows you to enable support for PCIe devices that require large amounts of I/O above 4GB memory. By default, the option is set to **Enabled**. Slot Disablement Allows you to enable or disable available PCIe slots on your system. The **Slot**

Disablement feature controls the configuration of PCIe cards installed in the specified slot.



↑ CAUTION: Slot disablement must be used only when the installed peripheral card is preventing booting into the Operating System or causing delays in system startup. If the slot is disabled, both the Option ROM and UEFI driver are disabled.

Serial Communications screen

Menu Item	Description
Serial Communication	Allows you to enable the COM port or Console Redirection options.
Serial Port Address	Allows you to set the port address for serial devices. By default, the Serial Port Address option is set to COM1 .
	NOTE: Only Serial Device 2 can be used for Serial Over LAN (SOL). To use console redirection by SOL, configure the same port address for console redirection and the serial device.
Failsafe Baud Rate	Displays the failsafe baud rate for console redirection. The BIOS attempts to determine the baud rate automatically. This failsafe baud rate is used only if the attempt fails and the value must not be changed. By default, the Failsafe Baud Rate option is set to 11520 .
Remote Terminal Type	Allows you to set the remote console terminal type. By default, the Remote Terminal Type option is set to VT 100/VT220 .
Redirection After Boot	Allows you to enable or disable to the BIOS console redirection when the operating system is loaded. By default, the Redirection After Boot option is set to Enabled .

System profile settings screen

Menu Item	Description
System Profile	Allows you to set the system profile. If you set the System Profile option to a mode other than Custom , the BIOS automatically sets the rest of the options. You can only change the rest of the options if the mode is set to Custom . By default, the System Profile option is set to Performance Per Watt Optimized (DAPC) . DAPC is Dell Active Power Controller.
	NOTE: The following parameters are available only when the System Profile is set to Custom .
CPU Power Management	Allows you to set the CPU power management. By default, the CPU Power Management option is set to System DBPM (DAPC) . DBPM is Demand-Based Power Management.
Memory Frequency	Allows you to set the memory frequency. By default, the Memory Frequency option is set to Maximum Performance .
Turbo Boost	Allows you to enable or disable the processor to operate in turbo boost mode. By default, the Turbo Boost option is set to Enabled .
C1E	Allows you to enable or disable the processor to switch to a minimum performance state when it is idle. By default, the C1E option is set to Enabled .
C States	Allows you to enable or disable the processor to operate in all available power states. By default, the C States option is set to Enabled .
Monitor/Mwait	Allows you to enable Monitor/Mwait instructions in the processor. By default, the Monitor/Mwait option is set to Enabled for all system profiles, except Custom .
	NOTE: This option can be disabled only if the C States option in Custom mode is disabled.
	NOTE: When C States is enabled in Custom mode, changing the Monitor/ Mwait setting does not impact system power/performance.
Memory Patrol Scrub	Allows you to set the memory patrol scrub frequency. By default, the Memory Patrol Scrub option is set to Standard .
Memory Refresh Rate	Allows you to set the memory refresh rate. By default, the Memory Refresh Rate option is set to $\mathbf{1x}$.
Memory Operating Voltage	Allows you to set the DIMM voltage selection. When set to Auto , the system automatically sets the system voltage to the optimal setting based on the DIMM capacity and the number of DIMMs installed. By default, the Memory Operating Voltage option is set to Auto .
Collaborative CPU Performance Control	When set to Enabled , the CPU power management is controlled by the OS DBPM and the System DBPM (DAPC). By default, the option is set to Disabled .

System Security screen

Menu Item	Description
Intel AES-NI	The Intel AES-In option improves the speed of applications by performing encryption and decryption using the Advanced Encryption Standard set and is set to Enabled by default.
System Password	Allows you to set the system password. This option is read-only if the password jumper is not installed in the system.
Setup Password	Allows you to set the setup password. This option is read-only if the password jumper is not installed in the system.
Password Status	Allows you to lock the system password. By default, the Password Status option is set to Unlocked .
TPM Security	Allows you to control the reporting mode of the Trusted Platform Module (TPM). By default, the TPM Security option is set to Off . You can only modify the TPM Status, TPM Activation , and Intel TXT fields if the TPM Status field is set to either On with Pre-boot Measurements or On without Pre-boot Measurements .
TPM Activation	Allows you to change the operational state of the TPM. By default, the TPM Activation option is set to No Change .
TPM Status	Displays the TPM status.
TPM Clear	CAUTION: Clearing the TPM results in loss of all keys in the TPM. The loss of TPM keys may affect booting to the operating system.
	Allows you to clear all the contents of the TPM. By default, the \ensuremath{TPM} \ensuremath{Clear} option is set to $\ensuremath{No}.$
Intel TXT	Allows you enable or disable Intel Trusted Execution Technology. To enable Intel TXT, Virtualization Technology must be enabled and TPM Security must be enabled with Pre-boot measurements. By default, the Intel TXT option is set to Off .
BIOS Update Control	Allows you to update the BIOS using either DOS or UEFI shell-based flash utilities. For environments that do not require local BIOS updates, it is recommended to set this field to Limited . By default, the Local BIOS Update Support option is set to Unlocked .
	NOTE: BIOS updates using Dell Update Package is not affected by this option.

Allows you to enable or disable the power button on the front of the system. By

Allows you to set how the system reacts after AC power is restored to the system.

default, the **Power Button** option is set to **Enabled**.

By default, the **AC Power Recovery** option is set to **Last**.

Miscellaneous settings

Power Button

AC Power

Recovery

Menu Item	Description			
System Time	Allows you to set the time on the system.			

Menu Item Description

System Date Allows you to set the date on the system.

Asset Tag Displays the asset tag and allows you to modify it for security and tracking

purposes.

Keyboard Allows you to set whether the system boots with the NumLock enabled or

NumLock disabled. By default the **Keyboard NumLock** is set to **On**.

NOTE: This option does not apply to 84-key keyboards.

Report Keyboard Allows you

Errors

Allows you to set whether keyboard-related error messages are reported during system boot. By default, the **Report Keyboard Errors** option is set to **Report**.

F1/F2 Prompt on

Allows you to enable or disable the F1/F2 prompt on error. By default, **F1/F2 Prompt on Error** is set to **Enabled**.

Error In-System

This option enables or disables In-System Characterization. By default, In-System

Characterization Characterization is set to Enabled.

System and setup password features

You can create a system password and a setup password to secure your system. To enable creation of the system and setup password, the password jumper must be set to enabled. For more information on the password jumper settings, see System Board Jumper Settings.

System This is the password that you must enter before you can boot your system. password

Setup This is the password that you must enter to access and make changes to the BIOS password or UEFI settings of your system.



CAUTION: Avoid leaving your system running and unattended. Enabling the password feature provides a basic level of security for the data on your system.



NOTE: Your system is shipped with the system and setup password feature disabled.

Assigning a system and/or setup password



NOTE: The password jumper enables or disables the System Password and Setup Password features. For more information on the password jumper settings, see "System board jumper settings".

You can assign a new **System Password** and/or **Setup Password** or change an existing **System Password** and/or **Setup Password** only when the password jumper setting is enabled and **Password Status** is **Unlocked**. If the Password Status is **Locked**, you cannot change the System Password and/or Setup Password.

If the password jumper setting is disabled, the existing System Password and Setup Password is deleted and you need not provide the system password to boot the system.

- **1.** To enter System Setup, press <F2> immediately after a power-on or reboot.
- 2. In the System Setup Main Menu, select System BIOS and press <Enter>. The System BIOS screen is displayed.

- 3. In the **System BIOS** screen, select **System Security** and press <Enter>.
 - The **System Security** screen is displayed.
- 4. In the System Security screen, verify that Password Status is Unlocked.
- 5. Select System Password, enter your system password, and press <Enter> or <Tab>.

Use the following guidelines to assign the system password:

- A password can have up to 32 characters.
- The password can contain the numbers 0 through 9.
- Only the following special characters are allowed: space, ("), (+), (,), (-), (,), (/), (;), ([), (\), ()), (`).

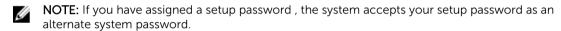
A message prompts you to re-enter the system password.

- **6.** Re-enter the system password that you entered earlier and click **OK**.
- 7. Select **Setup Password**, enter your system password and press <Enter> or <Tab>.

A message prompts you to re-enter the setup password.

- **8.** Re-enter the setup password that you entered earlier and click **OK**.
- **9.** Press <Esc> to return to the System BIOS screen. Press <Esc> again, and a message prompts you to save the changes.
 - **NOTE:** Password protection does not take effect until the system reboots.

Using your system password to secure your system



- **1.** Turn on or reboot your system by pressing <Ctrl<Alt><Delete>.
- 2. Type your password and press <Enter>.

When Password Status is Locked, you must type the password and press <Enter> when prompted at reboot.

If an incorrect system password is entered, the system displays a message and prompts you to re-enter your password. You have three attempts to enter the correct password. After the third unsuccessful attempt, the system displays an error message that the system has halted and will shut down.

Even after you shut down and restart the system, the error message continues to be displayed until the correct password is entered.



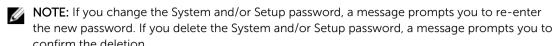
NOTE: You can use the Password Status option in conjunction with the System Password and Setup Password options to protect your system from unauthorized changes.

Deleting or changing an existing system and/or setup password

Ensure that the Password jumper is set to enabled and the **Password Status** is set to **Unlocked** before attempting to delete or change the existing System and/or Setup password. You cannot delete or change an existing System or Setup password if the **Password Status** is **Locked**.

- **1.** To enter System Setup, press **<F2>** immediately after a power-on or restart.
- 2. In the System Setup Main Menu, select System BIOS and press <Enter>. The System BIOS screen is displayed.
- **3.** In the **System BIOS Screen**, select **System Security** and press **<Enter>**. The **System Security** screen is displayed.

- 4. In the System Security screen, verify that Password Status is set to Unlocked.
- 5. Select System Password, alter or delete the existing system password and press <Enter> or <Tab>.
- 6. Select Setup Password, alter or delete the existing setup password and press <Enter> or <Tab>.



7. Press **<Esc>** to return to the System BIOS screen. Press **<Esc>** again, and a message prompts you to save the changes.

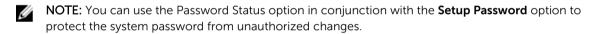
Operating with a setup password enabled

If **Setup Password** is **Enabled**, enter the correct setup password before modifying most of the System Setup options.

If you do not enter the correct password in three attempts, the system displays the message Invalid Password! Number of unsuccessful password attempts: <x> System Halted! Must power down.

Even after you shut down and restart the system, the error message is displayed until the correct password is entered. The following options are exceptions:

- If **System Password** is not **Enabled** and is not locked through the **Password Status** option, you can assign a system password.
- You cannot disable or change an existing system password.



Entering the UEFI boot manager

NOTE: Operating systems must be 64-bit UEFI-compatible (for example, Microsoft Windows Server 2008 x64 version) to be installed from the UEFI boot mode. DOS and 32-bit operating systems can only be installed from the BIOS boot mode.

To enter the Boot Manager:

- **1.** Turn on or restart your system.
- 2. Press <F11> after you see the following message:

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<F11> = UEFI Boot Manager
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If your operating system begins to load before you press **<F11>**, allow the system to finish booting, and then restart your system and try again.

Using the boot manager navigation keys

Key	Description
Up arrow	Moves to the previous field.
Down arrow	Moves to the next field.
<enter></enter>	Allows you to type in a value in the selected field (if applicable) or follow the link in the field.

Key	Description
Spacebar	Expands or collapses a drop-down list, if applicable.
<tab></tab>	Moves to the next focus area.
	NOTE: For the standard graphics browser only.
<esc></esc>	Moves to the previous page till you view the main screen. Pressing <esc> in the main screen exits the Boot Manager and proceeds with system boot.</esc>
<f1></f1>	Displays the System Setup help file.



NOTE: For most of the options, any changes that you make are recorded but do not take effect until you restart the system.

Boot Manager screen

Menu Item	Description
Continue Normal Boot	The system attempts to boot to devices starting with the first item in the boot order. If the boot attempt fails, the system continues with the next item in the boot order until the boot is successful or no more boot options are found.
BIOS Boot Menu	Displays the list of available BIOS boot options (marked with asterisks). Select the boot option you wish to use and press <enter>.</enter>
UEFI Boot Menu	Displays the list of available UEFI boot options (marked with asterisks). Select the boot option you wish to use and press <enter>. The UEFI Boot Menu enables you to Add Boot Option, Delete Boot Option, or Boot From File.</enter>
Driver Health Menu	Displays a list of the drivers installed on the system and their health status.
Launch System Setup	Enables you to access the System Setup.
System Utilities	Enables you to access the BIOS Update File Explorer, run the Dell Diagnostics program, and reboot the system.

UEFI Boot menu

Menu Item	Description
Select UEFI Boot Option	Displays the list of available UEFI boot options (marked with asterisks), select the boot option you wish to use and press <enter>.</enter>
Add Boot Option	Adds a new boot option.
Delete Boot Option	Deletes an existing boot option.
Boot From File	Sets a one-time boot option not included in the boot option list.

Embedded system management

The Dell Lifecycle Controller provides advanced embedded systems management throughout the server's lifecycle. The Lifecycle Controller can be started during the boot sequence and can function independently of the operating system.



NOTE: Certain platform configurations may not support the full set of features provided by the Lifecycle Controller.

For more information about setting up the Lifecycle Controller, configuring hardware and firmware, and deploying the operating system, see the Lifecycle Controller documentation at **dell.com/support/home**.

iDRAC Settings utility

The iDRAC Settings utility is an interface to set up and configure the iDRAC parameters using UEFI. You can enable or disable various iDRAC parameters using the iDRAC Settings Utility.



NOTE: Accessing some of the features on the iDRAC Settings utility requires the iDRAC Enterprise License upgrade.

For more information on using iDRAC, see the iDRAC User's Guide at dell.com/esmmanuals.

Entering the iDRAC Settings utility

- 1. Turn on or restart the managed system.
- 2. Press <F2> during Power-on Self-test (POST).
- **3.** In the System Setup Main Menu page, click **iDRAC Settings**. The iDRAC Settings screen is displayed.

Installing Blade Components

Recommended tools

You may need the following items to perform the procedures in this section:

- #1 and #2 Phillips screwdrivers
- T8 and T10 Torx drivers
- Wrist grounding strap

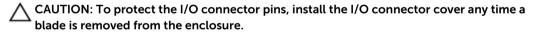
Removing And Installing A Blade



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Removing The Blade

- 1. Turn off the blade using OS commands or the CMC, and ensure that the blade's power is off. When a blade is powered off, its front-panel power indicator is off.
- Before removing half-height blades 11 or 12, rotate the LCD panel to the storage position to prevent accidental damage to the LCD screen.
- **3.** Press the release button on the handle.
- **4.** Pull out the handle to unlock the blade from the enclosure.
- 5. Slide the blade out of the enclosure.



6. Install the I/O connector cover over the I/O connector.



CAUTION: If you are permanently removing the blade, install a blade blank. Operating the system for extended periods of time without a blade blank installed can cause the enclosure to overheat.

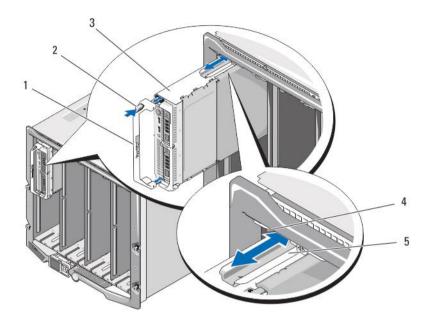


Figure 3. Removing or Installing the Blade

- 1. blade handle
- 3. blade
- 5. guide rail on blade (or blade blank)
- 2. release button
- 4. guide rail on enclosure

Installing The Blade

- 1. If you are installing a new blade, remove the plastic cover from the I/O connector(s) and save for future use.
- 2. Orient the blade so that the handle is on the left side of the blade.
- **3.** If you are installing a half-height blade in bays 11 or 12, rotate the LCD module to the horizontal storage position to prevent accidental damage to the LCD screen.
- **4.** If you are installing a half-height blade in one of the eight upper bays, align the guide rail on the upper edge of the blade so that the rail fits between the plastic guides on the enclosure.
 - If you are installing a half-height blade in one of the eight lower bays, align the edge of the blade with the guide rail on the floor of the M1000e enclosure.
- 5. Slide the blade into the enclosure until the handle engages and locks the blade in place.

Opening And Closing The Blade

Opening The Blade

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NOTE: It is recommended that you always use a static mat and static strap while working on components inside the system.

- 1. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 2. Install the I/O connector cover.
- 3. Press the release button and slide the cover toward the back of the blade.
- **4.** Lift the cover away from the blade.

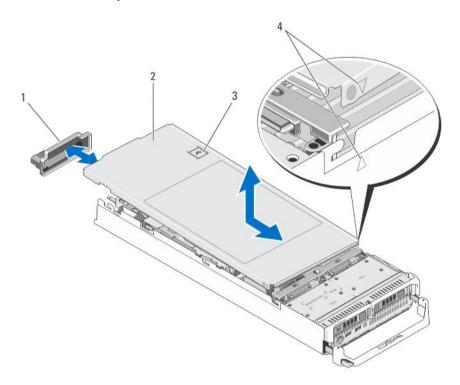


Figure 4. Opening and Closing the Blade

- 1. I/O connector cover
- 3. release button

- 2. blade cover
- 4. cover alignment pins and notches

Closing The Blade

- **1.** Ensure that no tools or parts are left inside the blade.
- 2. Align the notches in the edges of the chassis with the cover alignment pins on the inner sides of the cover.
- 3. Lower the cover onto the chassis.
- 4. Slide the cover until it clicks into position. A properly seated cover is flush with the surface of the chassis.

Inside The Blade

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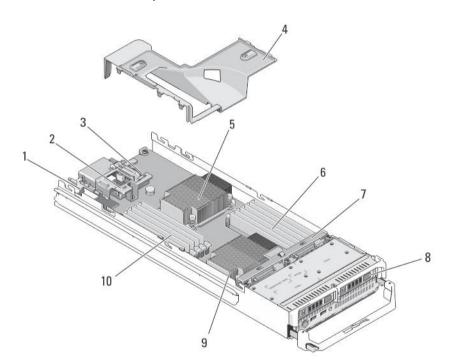


Figure 5. Inside the Blade

- 1. management riser card
- 3. optional mezzanine card 2 - Fabric B
- 5. processor 1 and heat sink
- 7. hard-drive/SSD backplane
- 9. processor 2 and heat sink

- 2. optional mezzanine card 1 - Fabric C
- 4. cooling shroud
- 6. memory modules (B1 - B6)
- 8. hard drives/SSDs (2)
- 10. memory modules (A1 - A6)

Cooling shroud

Removing The Cooling Shroud

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CAUTION: Never operate your system with the cooling shroud removed. The system may get overheated quickly, resulting in shutdown and loss of data.

- 1. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 2. Open the blade.
- 3. Hold the cooling shroud at both ends near the blade chassis and lift it up and away from the blade.

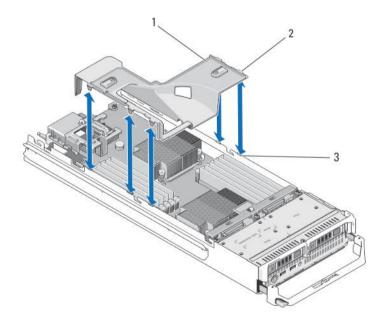


Figure 6. Removing and Installing a Cooling Shroud

1. cooling shroud

2. tabs (5)

3. slots on the chassis (5)

Installing The Cooling Shroud



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- 1. Align the tabs on the cooling shroud with the slots on the chassis.
- 2. Lower the cooling shroud into the system until the tabs seat securely on the slots on the blade chassis.
- **3.** Close the blade.
- 4. Install the blade in the enclosure.

System memory

Your system supports DDR3 unbuffered ECC DIMMs (UDIMM ECC) and registered DIMMs (RDIMMs). It supports DDR3 and DDR3L voltage specifications.



NOTE: MT/s indicates DIMM speed in MegaTransfers per second.

Memory bus operating frequency can be 1600 MT/s, 1333 MT/s, 1066 MT/s, or 800 MT/s depending on:

- DIMM type (UDIMM or RDIMM)
- DIMM configuration (number of ranks)
- · maximum frequency of the DIMMs
- number of DIMMs populated per channel
- DIMM operating voltage
- system profile selected (for example, Performance Optimized, Custom, or Dense Configuration Optimized)
- maximum supported DIMM frequency of the processors

The following table shows the memory populations and operating frequencies for the supported configurations.

Processo r Family	DIMM Type	DIMMs Populated/ Channel	Operating Frequency (in MT/s)		Maximum DIMM Rank/Channel
			1.5 V	1.35 V	
	UDIMM ECC	1	1333, 1066, and 800	1333, 1066, and 800	Dual rank
Intel Xeon		2	1333, 1066, and 800	1333, 1066, and 800	Dual rank
Processo	RDIMM	1	1600, 1333, 1066 and 800	1333, 1066 and 800	Dual rank
E5-2400			1333	1066	Quad rank
		2	1600, 1333, and 1066	1333 and 1066	Dual rank

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Intel		2	1600, 1333, and 1066	1600, 1333, and 1066	Dual rank
Xeon Processo	RDIMM	1	1600, 1333, and 1066	1600, 1333, and 1066	Dual rank
r E5-2400			1333	1066	Quad rank
v2		2	1600, 1333, and 1066	1600, 1333, and 1066	Dual rank
			1066	1066	Quad rank

The system contains 12 memory sockets split into two sets of six sockets, one set per processor. Each six-socket set is organized into three channels. In each channel, the release levers of the first socket is marked white and the second black.



NOTE: DIMMs in sockets A1 to A6 are assigned to processor 1 and DIMMs in sockets B1 to B6 are assigned to processor 2.

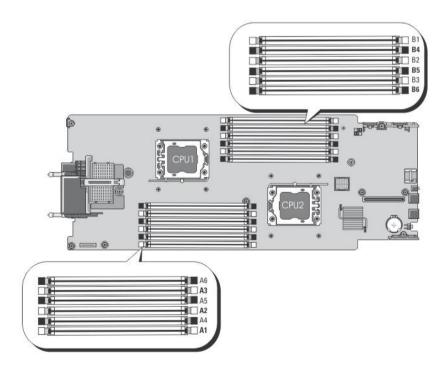


Figure 7. Memory socket locations

Memory channels are organized as follows:

Processor 1 channel 1: memory sockets A1 and A4

channel 2: memory sockets A2 and A5

channel 3: memory sockets A3 and A6

Processor 2 channel 1: memory sockets B1 and B4

channel 2: memory sockets B2 and B5 channel 3: memory sockets B3 and B6

General memory module installation guidelines

This system supports Flexible Memory Configuration, enabling the system to be configured and run in any valid chipset architectural configuration. The following are the recommended guidelines for best performance:

- UDIMMs and RDIMMs must not be mixed.
- x4 and x8 DRAM based DIMMs can be mixed. For more information, see Mode-specific quidelines.
- A maximum of two UDIMMs can be populated in a channel.
- A maximum of two quad-rank RDIMMs can be populated in a channel.
- A maximum of two single- or dual-rank RDIMMs can be populated in a channel.
- One guad-rank RDIMM and one single- or dual-rank RDIMM can be populated per channel.
- Populate DIMM sockets only if a processor is installed. For single-processor systems, sockets A1 to A6 are available. For dual-processor systems, sockets A1 to A6 and sockets B1 to B6 are available.
- Populate all sockets with white release tabs first and then black.
- Populate the sockets by highest rank count in the following order first in sockets with white release levers and then black. For example, if you want to mix quad-rank and dual-rank DIMMs, populate quad-rank DIMMs in the sockets with white release tabs and dual-rank DIMMs in the sockets with black release tabs.
- In a dual-processor configuration, the memory configuration for each processor must be identical. For example, if you populate socket A1 for processor 1, then populate socket B1 for processor 2, and so on
- Memory modules of different sizes can be mixed provided that other memory population rules are followed (for example, 2 GB and 4 GB memory modules can be mixed).
- Depending on mode-specific guidelines, populate two or three DIMMs per processor (one DIMM per channel) at a time to maximize performance. For more information, see <u>Mode-specific guidelines</u>.
- If memory modules with different speeds are installed, they will operate at the speed of the slowest installed memory module(s) or slower depending on system DIMM configuration.

Mode-specific guidelines

Three memory channels are allocated to each processor. The allowable configurations depend on the memory mode selected.



NOTE: x4 and x8 DRAM based DIMMs can be mixed providing support for (Reliability, Availability, and Serviceability) RAS features. However, all guidelines for specific RAS features must be followed. x4 DRAM based DIMMs retain Single Device Data Correction (SDDC) in either memory optimized (independent channel) or Advanced ECC modes. x8 DRAM based DIMMs require Advanced ECC mode to gain SDDC.

The following sections provide additional slot population guidelines for each mode.

Advanced ECC (lockstep)

Advanced ECC mode extends SDDC from x4 DRAM based DIMMs to both x4 and x8 DRAMs. This protects against single DRAM chip failures during normal operation.

Memory installation guidelines:

- Memory sockets A1, A4, B1, and B4 are disabled and do not supported Advanced ECC mode.
- DIMMs must be installed in matched pairs DIMMs installed in memory sockets (A2, B2) must match DIMMs installed in memory sockets (A3, B3) and DIMMs installed in memory sockets (A5, B5) must match DIMMs installed in memory sockets (A6, B6).



NOTE: Advanced ECC with mirroring is not supported.

Memory optimized (independent channel) mode

This mode supports SDDC only for memory modules that use x4 device width and does not impose any specific slot population requirements.

Memory sparing



NOTE: To use memory sparing, this feature must be enabled in the System Setup.

In this mode, one rank per channel is reserved as a spare. If persistent correctable errors are detected on a rank, the data from this rank is copied to the spare rank and the failed rank is disabled.

With memory sparing enabled, the system memory available to the operating system is reduced by one rank per channel. For example, in a system with three 8 GB dual-rank DIMMs, the available system memory is: 1/2 (ranks/channel) \times 3 (DIMMs) \times 8 GB = 12 GB, and not 3 (DIMMs) \times 8 GB = 24 GB.



NOTE: Memory sparing does not offer protection against a multi-bit uncorrectable error.



NOTE: Both Advanced ECC/Lockstep and Optimizer modes support Memory Sparing.

Memory mirroring

Memory Mirroring offers the strongest DIMM reliability mode compared to all other modes, providing improved uncorrectable multi-bit failure protection. In a mirrored configuration, the total available system memory is one half of the total installed physical memory. Half of the installed memory is used to mirror the active DIMMs. In the event of an uncorrectable error, the system will switch over to the mirrored copy. This ensures SDDC and multi-bit protection.

Memory installation guidelines:



NOTE: The first memory channel for each processor (Channel 1) is disabled and not available for Memory Mirroring.

- Memory channels 2 and 3 must be populated.
- Memory modules must be identical in size, speed, and technology.
- DIMMs installed in memory sockets with white release tabs must be identical and similar rule applies
 for sockets with black release tabs. For example, DIMMs installed in sockets A2 and A3 must be
 identical.

Sample memory configurations

The following tables show sample memory configurations that follow the appropriate memory guidelines stated in this section.



NOTE: 16 GB quad-rank RDIMMs are not supported.



NOTE: 1R, 2R, and 4R in the following tables indicate single-, dual-, and quad-rank DIMMs respectively.

Table 2. Memory configurations — single processor

System Capacity (in GB)	DIMM Size (in GB)	Number of DIMMs	Organization and Speed	DIMM Slot Population
2	2	1	1R x8, 1333 MT/s	A1
			1R x8, 1600 MT/s	
4	2	2	1R x8, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2
			1R x8, 1600 MT/s	
10	2	5	1R x8, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5
			1R x8, 1600 MT/s	
12	4	3	1R x8, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2, A3
			1R x8, 1600 MT/s	
20	4	5	1R x8, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5
			1R x8, 1600 MT/s	
24	8	3	2R x4, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2, A3
			2R x4, 1600 MT/s	
32	8	4	2R x4, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2, A3, A4
			2R x4, 1600 MT/s	
48	16	3	2R x4, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2, A3
			2R x4, 1600 MT/s	
96	16	6	2R x4, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6
			2R x4, 1600 MT/s	
128	32	4	4R x4, 1066 MT/s	A1, A2, A3, A4
192	32	6	4R x4, 1066 MT/s	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6

Table 3. Memory configurations — two processors

System Capacity (in GB)	DIMM Size (in GB)	Number of DIMMs	Organization and Speed	DIMM Slot Population	
4	2	2	1R x8, 1333 MT/s	A1, B1	
			1R x8, 1600 MT/s		
8	2	4	1R x8, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2, B1, B2	
			1R x8, 1600 MT/s		
12	2	6	1R x8, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2, A3, B1, B2, B3	
			1R x8, 1600 MT/s		
24	4	6	2R x8, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2, A3, B1, B2, B3	
			2R x8, 1600 MT/s		
48	8	6	2R x4, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2, A3, B1, B2, B3	
			2R x4, 1600 MT/s		
96	16	6	2R x4, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2, A3, B1, B2, B3	
			2R x4, 1600 MT/s		
128	16	8	2R x4, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2, A3, A4, B1, B2, B3,	
			2R x4, 1600 MT/s	B4	
160	16	10	2R x4, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, B1, B2, B3, B4, B5	
			2R x4, 1600 MT/s		
192	16	12	2R x4, 1333 MT/s	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, B1,	
			2R x4, 1600 MT/s	B2, B3, B4, B5, B6	
256	32	8	4R x4, 1066 MT/s	A1, A2, A3, A4, B1, B2, B3, B4	
384	32	12	4R x4, 1066 MT/s	A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6, B1, B2, B3, B4, B5, B6	

Removing Memory Modules



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CAUTION: If you are permanently removing a processor, you must install a socket protective cap and a processor/DIMM blank in the vacant socket to ensure proper system cooling. The processor/DIMM blank covers the vacant sockets for the DIMMs and the processor.

- 1. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 2. Open the blade.
- **3.** Remove the cooling shroud.
- 4. Locate the memory module socket(s).

CAUTION: Handle each memory module only by the card edges, making sure not to touch the middle of the memory module or metallic contacts.

- 5. Press down and out on the ejectors on each end of the socket until the memory module pops out of the socket.
- **6.** Install the cooling shroud.
- 7. Close the blade.
- 8. Install the blade in the enclosure.

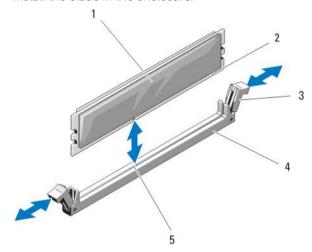


Figure 8. Installing and Removing a Memory Module or Memory Module Blank

- 1. memory module or memory blank
- 3. ejectors (2)
- 5. alignment key

- 2. edge connector
- 4. socket

Installing Memory Modules



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- 2. Open the blade.
- **3.** Remove the cooling shroud.
- **4.** Locate the appropriate memory module socket(s).
- 5. Press the ejectors on the memory module socket down and out to allow the memory module to be inserted into the socket.

If a memory module blank is installed in the socket, remove it. Retain removed memory-module blank(s) for future use.



CAUTION: Handle each memory module only on either card edge, making sure not to touch the middle of the memory module.

6. Align the memory module's edge connector with the alignment key on the memory module socket, and insert the memory module in the socket.



NOTE: The memory module socket has an alignment key that allows you to install the memory module in the socket in only one way.

- 7. Press down on the memory module with your thumbs to lock the memory module into the socket. When the memory module is properly seated in the socket, the ejectors on the memory module socket align with the ejectors on the other sockets that have memory modules installed.
- **8.** Repeat step 5 through step 7 of this procedure to install the remaining memory modules.
- 9. Install the cooling shroud.
- 10. Close the blade.
- **11.** Install the blade in the enclosure.
- 12. (Optional) Press <F2> to enter the System Setup, and check the System Memory setting. The system should have already changed the value to reflect the newly installed memory.
- 13. If the value is incorrect, one or more of the memory modules may not be installed properly. Check to ensure that the memory modules are firmly seated in their sockets.
- 14. Run the system memory test in the system diagnostics.

I/O Module Mezzanine Cards

The blade supports a variety of optional mezzanine cards. If installed, the mezzanine card(s) must be used in conjunction with a matching I/O module(s).

For more information on I/O modules, see "Guidelines for Installing I/O Modules" in the *M1000e Enclosure Owner's Manual* at **support.dell.com/manuals**.

Mezzanine card installation guidelines

The blade supports two mezzanine cards:

- Mezzanine card slot C supports Fabric C. This card must match the fabric type of I/O modules installed in I/O module bays C1 and C2.
- Mezzanine card slot B supports Fabric B. This card must match the fabric type of I/O modules installed in I/O module bays B1 and B2.

The blade supports SFF mezzanine cards. x8 PCIe Gen 3 cards are supported.

Removing A Mezzanine Card



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- 1. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 2. Open the blade.
- **3.** Open the mezzanine card latch by pressing the ridged area on the latch with your thumb, and lifting the end of the latch.
 - **NOTE:** Hold the mezzanine card by its edges only.
- **4.** Lift the mezzanine card up and away from the system board.
- 5. Close the retention latch.
- 6. Close the blade.
- 7. Install the blade in the enclosure.

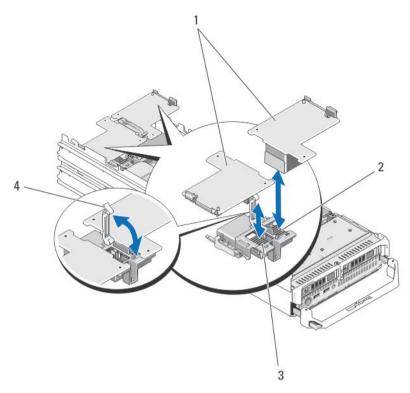


Figure 9. Removing and Installing a Mezzanine Card

- 1. mezzanine cards (2)
- 3. Fabric C mezzanine card slot
- 2. Fabric B mezzanine card slot
- 4. retention latch

Installing A Mezzanine Card

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- 1. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 2. Open the blade.
- **3.** Open the retention latch by pressing the ridged area on the latch with your thumb and lifting the end of the latch.
- **4.** If present, remove the connector cover from the mezzanine card bay.
 - **NOTE:** Hold the mezzanine card by its edges only.
 - **NOTE:** Mezzanine cards are designed to fit in either card slot.
- **5.** Rotate the card to align the connector on the bottom of the mezzanine card with the corresponding socket on the system board.
- **6.** Lower the card into place until it is fully seated and the plastic clip on the outer edge of the card fits over the side of the blade chassis.
- 7. Close the retention latch to secure the mezzanine card.

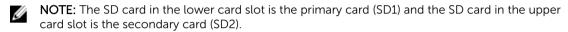
- 8. Close the blade.
- **9.** Install the blade in the enclosure

Management riser card

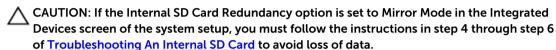
The management riser card provides two SD card slots and a USB interface dedicated for the embedded hypervisor. This card offers the following features:

- Internal Dual SD interface maintains a mirrored configuration using SD cards in both slots and provides redundancy.
- Single card operation single card operation is supported, but without redundancy.

Replacing The SD Card



1. Enter the System Setup and ensure that the Internal SD Card Port is enabled.





- 2. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- If the Internal SD Card Redundancy option is set to Disabled, replace the failed SD card with a new SD card.
- 4. Install the blade in the enclosure.
- 5. Enter the System Setup and ensure that the **Internal SD Card Port** and **Internal SD Card Redundancy** mode is enabled.
- **6.** Check if the new SD card is functioning properly. If the problem persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.

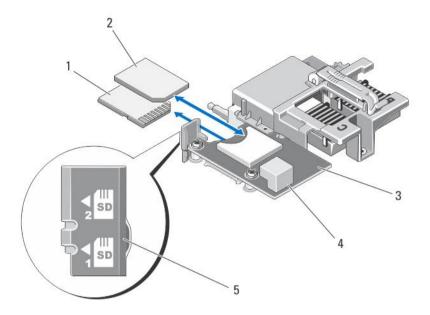


Figure 10. Replacing the SD Card

- 1. SD card 1
- 3. management riser card
- 5. SD card slot identification label
- 2. SD card 2
- 4. USB connector

Internal USB key

The blade provides an internal USB connector for a USB flash memory key. The USB memory key can be used as a boot device, security key, or mass storage device. To use the internal USB connector, the **Internal USB Port** option must be enabled in the **Integrated Devices** screen of the System Setup.

To boot from the USB memory key, you must configure the USB memory key with a boot image, and then specify the USB memory key in the boot sequence in the System Setup. For information on creating a bootable file on the USB memory key, see the user documentation that accompanied the USB memory key.

Replacing The Internal USB Key



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CAUTION: To avoid interference with other components in the blade, the maximum allowable



- 1. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 2. Open the blade.
- 3. Locate the USB connector / USB key.
- **4.** If installed, remove the USB key.

- 5. Insert the new USB memory key into the USB connector.
- 6. Close the blade.
- 7. Install the blade in the enclosure.
- **8.** Enter the System Setup and verify that the USB key is detected by the system.

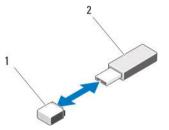


Figure 11. Replacing the USB Memory Key

1. USB memory key connector

2. USB memory key

SD vFlash card

Replacing The SD vFlash Card

- 1. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 2. If installed, remove the SD vFlash card from the card slot.
 - **NOTE:** The SD vFlash card slot is located underneath the system board at the back of the blade and can be identified by the SD vFlash card slot identification label.
- **3.** To install the SD vFlash card, insert the contact-pin end of the SD card into the card slot on the vFlash media unit with the card label side facing up.
 - **NOTE:** The slot is keyed to ensure correct insertion of the card.
- **4.** Press inward on the card to lock it into the slot.
- 5. Install the blade in the enclosure.

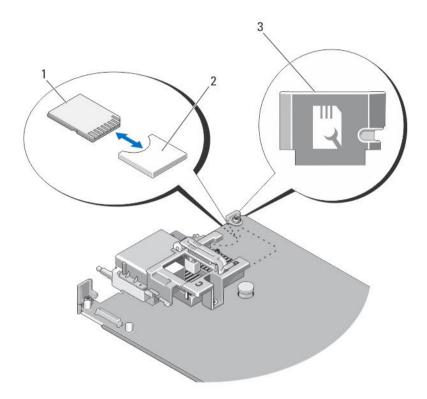


Figure 12. Replacing the SD vFlash Card

- 1. SD vFlash card
- 3. SD vFlash card slot identification label
- 2. SD vFlash card slot

Processors

Use the following procedure when:

- Installing an additional processor
- Replacing a processor

Removing A Processor



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- 1. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 2. Open the blade.
 - MARNING: The processor and heat sink can become extremely hot. Be sure the processor has had sufficient time to cool before handling.
- **3.** If required, remove the cooling shroud.

CAUTION: Never remove the heat sink from a processor unless you intend to remove the processor. The heat sink is necessary to maintain proper thermal conditions.

- **4.** Loosen the retention sockets that secure the heat sink to the blade system board.
- 5. Remove the heat sink.

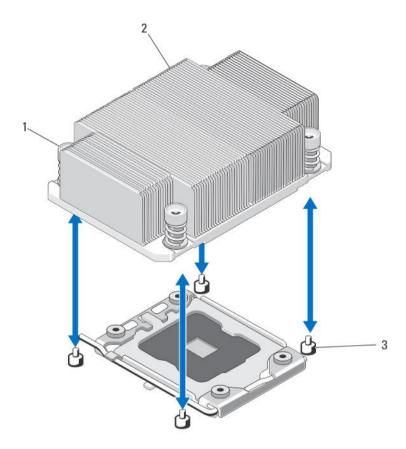


Figure 13. Removing and Installing a Heat Sink

1. retention sockets (4)

2. heat sink

- 3. retention screws (4)
- 6. Use a clean, lint-free cloth to remove any thermal grease from the surface of the processor shield.

CAUTION: The processor is held in its socket under strong pressure. Be aware that the release lever can spring up suddenly if not firmly grasped.

- 7. Position your thumb firmly over the processor socket-release lever and release the lever from the locked position. Rotate the lever 90 degrees upward until the processor is released from the socket.
- **8.** Hold the tab on the processor shield and rotate it upward and out of the way.
- **9.** If applicable, remove the socket protective cap from the processor shield. To remove the socket protective cap, push the cap from the inside of the processor shield and move it away from the socket pins.
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NOTE: It is recommended that you install/remove the socket protective cap from the processor shield with the processor shield in the open position.

- CAUTION: The socket pins are fragile and can be permanently damaged. Be careful not to bend the pins in the socket when removing the processor out of the socket.
- **10.** Lift the processor out of the socket and leave the release lever up so that the socket is ready for the new processor.
 - CAUTION: If you are permanently removing a processor, you must install a socket protective cap and a processor/DIMM blank in the vacant socket to ensure proper system cooling. The processor/DIMM blank covers the vacant sockets for the DIMMs and the processor.

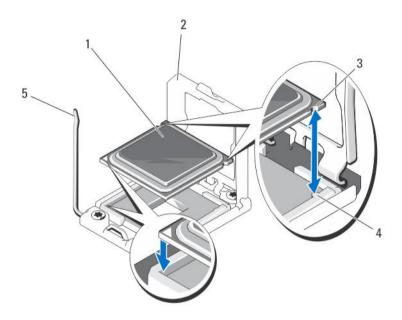


Figure 14. Removing and Installing a Processor

- 1. processor
- 3. notches in processor (2)
- 5. socket-release lever

- 2. processor shield
- 4. socket keys (2)

Installing A Processor



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NOTE: If you are installing just one processor, it must be installed in socket CPU1.

- 1. If applicable, remove the processor/DIMM blank.
- 2. Unlatch and rotate the socket-release lever 90 degrees upward and ensure that the socket-release lever is fully open.
- **3.** Use the tab on the processor shield to rotate the processor shield upward and out of the way.

4. If applicable, remove the socket protective cap from the processor shield. To remove the socket protective cap, push the cap from the inside of the processor shield and move it away from the socket pins.



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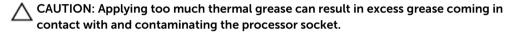
CAUTION: Positioning the processor incorrectly can permanently damage the system board or the processor. Be careful not to bend the pins in the socket.

CAUTION: Do not use force to seat the processor. When the processor is positioned correctly, it engages easily into the socket.

- **5.** Install the processor in the socket:
 - a. Align the processor with the socket keys on the ZIF socket.
 - b. Set the processor lightly in the socket.

Because the system uses a ZIF processor socket, do not use force. When the processor is positioned correctly, it drops down into the socket with minimal pressure.

- c. Close the processor shield.
- d. Rotate the socket release lever down until it is locked in position.



6. Install the heat sink:

If you are:

Reinstalling a Use a clean, lint-free cloth to remove the existing thermal grease from the heat sink If a new heat sink was supplied with the processor, install it. Upgrading a processor Clean any remnants of thermal grease from the processor. Reinstalling a

processor

- a. Open the grease applicator included with your processor kit and apply all of the thermal grease in the applicator to the center of the topside of the new processor.
- b. Place the heat sink on the processor.
- c. Tighten the four retention sockets to secure the heat sink to the blade system board.



NOTE: Do not over-tighten the heat sink retention screws when installing the heat sink. To prevent over-tightening, tighten the retention screw until resistance is felt, and stop once the screw is seated. The screw tension should be no more than 6 in-lb (6.9 kg-cm).

- 7. If applicable, install the cooling shroud.
- 8. Close the blade.
- 9. Install the blade in the enclosure.

As the system boots, it detects the presence of the new processor and automatically changes the system configuration information in the System Setup.

- 10. Press <F2> to enter the System Setup and check that the processor information matches the new system configuration.
- 11. Run the system diagnostics to verify that the new processor operates correctly.
- 12. Update the system BIOS.

Hard Drives/SSDs

- The system supports up to two 2.5 inch SSD, SAS, or SATA hard drives.
- All drives connect to the blade system board through the SAS/SATA/SSD backplane board.
- Hard drives/SSDs are supplied in special hot-swappable drive carriers that fit in the drive bays.
- SSD/SAS/SATA hard drives cannot be mixed within a blade.

Hard drive/SSD installation guidelines

For single hard drive configuration, a hard-drive blank must be installed in the other drive bay to maintain proper cooling airflow.

Removing A Hard Drive/SSD



NOTE: Not all operating systems support hot-swappable drive installation. See the documentation supplied with your operating system.

- 1. Take the hard drive/SSD offline and wait until the hard-drive/SSD indicator codes on the drive carrier signal that the drive may be removed safely.
 - When all indicators are off, the drive is ready for removal.
 - See your operating system documentation for more information on taking the drive offline.
- 2. Open the hard-drive/SSD carrier handle to release the drive.
- **3.** Slide the hard drive/SSD out until it is free of the drive bay. If you are permanently removing the hard drive/SSD, install a drive blank.

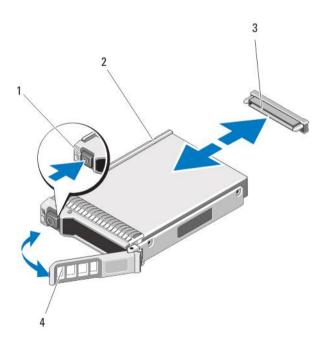


Figure 15. Removing and Installing a Hard Drive/SSD

1. release button

2. hard drive/SSD

Installing A Hard Drive/SSD



CAUTION: When a replacement hot-swappable hard drive/SSD is installed and the blade is powered on, the drive automatically begins to rebuild. Make absolutely sure that the replacement hard drive/SSD is blank or contains data that you wish to have over-written. Any data on the replacement hard drive/SSD is immediately lost after the drive is installed.



NOTE: Not all operating systems support hot-swappable drive installation. See the documentation supplied with your operating system.

- 1. Open the hard-drive/SSD carrier handle.
- 2. Insert the hard-drive/SSD carrier into the drive bay. Carefully align the channel on the hard-drive/SSD carrier with the appropriate drive slot on the blade.
- 3. Push the drive carrier into the slot until the handle makes contact with the blade.
- **4.** Rotate the carrier handle to the closed position while pushing the carrier into the slot until it locks into place.

The status LED indicator displays a steady green light if the drive is installed correctly. The drive carrier LED green indicator flashes as the drive rebuilds.

Shutdown procedure for servicing a hard drive/SSD



NOTE: This section applies only to situations where the blade must be powered down to service a hard drive/SSD. In many situations, the hard drive/SSD can be serviced while the blade is powered on



CAUTION: If you need to power off the blade to service a hard drive/SSD, wait 30 seconds after the blade's power indicator turns off before removing the hard drive/SSD. Otherwise, the hard drive/SSD may not be recognized after it is reinstalled and the blade is powered on again.

Configuring the boot drive

The drive or device from which the system boots is determined by the boot order specified in the System Setup.

Removing a hard drive/SSD from a hard-drive/SSD carrier

- 1. Remove the four screws from the slide rails on the hard-drive/SSD carrier.
- 2. Lift the hard drive/SSD out of the hard-drive/SSD carrier.

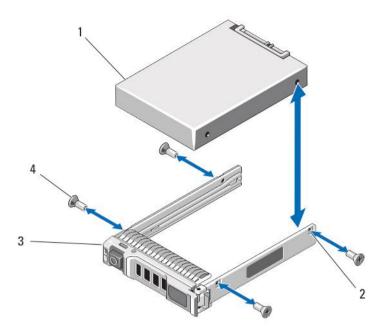


Figure 16. Removing and installing a hard drive/SSD in a hard-drive/SSD carrier

1. hard drive/SSD

2. screw holes (4)

3. hard-drive/SSD carrier

4. screws (4)

Installing a hard drive/SSD in a hard-drive/SSD carrier

- Insert the hard drive/SSD into the hard-drive/SSD carrier with the connector end of the drive at the back of the carrier.
- 2. From the back of the carrier, slide the drive into the carrier.
- 3. Align the screw holes on the hard drive/SSD with the holes on the hard-drive/SSD carrier.
 - CAUTION: To avoid damaging the drive or the carrier, do not overtighten the screws.
- **4.** Attach the four screws to secure the hard drive/SSD to the hard-drive/SSD carrier.

Hard-drive/SSD backplane

Removing The Hard-Drive/SSD Backplane



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- 1. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 2. Open the blade.
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CAUTION: You must note the number of each hard drive/SSD and temporarily label them before removal so that you can replace them in the same locations.

CAUTION: To prevent damage to the hard drives/SSDs and the hard-drive/SSD backplane, you must remove the hard drives/SSDs from the blade before removing the hard-drive/SSD backplane.

- 3. Remove the hard drive(s)/SSD(s).
- **4.** Hold the edges of the hard-drive/SSD backplane and lift the backplane from the blade.

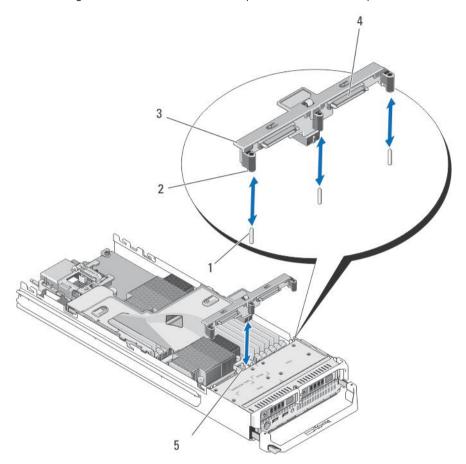


Figure 17. Removing and Installing the Hard-Drive/SSD Backplane

- 1. guide pins (3)
- 3. hard-drive/SSD backplane
- 5. hard-drive backplane/SSD connector
- 2. guides (3)
- 4. hard-drive/SSD connectors (2)

Installing The Hard-Drive/SSD Backplane

- 1. Open the blade.
- 2. Align the guides on the hard-drive/SSD backplane with the guide pins on the system board.
- **3.** Press down the backplane until the connectors on the backplane and the system board are fully engaged.
- **4.** Install the hard drives/SSDs in their original locations.
- 5. Close the blade.
- 6. Install the blade in the enclosure.

System board

Removing The System Board



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- 1. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 2. Open the blade.
- 3. Install an I/O connector cover on the I/O connector(s) at the back of the board.



WARNING: The processor and heat sink can become extremely hot. Be sure the processor has had sufficient time to cool before handling.



WARNING: The memory modules are hot to the touch for some time after the system has been powered down. Allow time for the memory modules to cool before handling them. Handle the memory modules by the card edges and avoid touching the components.



NOTE: If you are removing more than one hard drive/SSD, label them so you can replace them in their original locations.

- 4. Remove the hard drives/SSDs.
- 5. Remove the hard-drive/SSD backplane.
- **6.** Remove the cooling shroud.
- 7. If present, remove both mezzanine cards.



CAUTION: Do not lift the system board assembly by holding a memory module, processor, or other components.

- 8. Lift the system board release pin, and slide the system board toward the back of the chassis, then lift the system board out of the chassis.
- 9. Ensure that the I/O connector cover is still in place on the I/O connector at the back of the board.
- 10. Remove the memory modules and memory module blanks.
- 11. Remove the processor(s).
- 12. Remove the storage controller card.

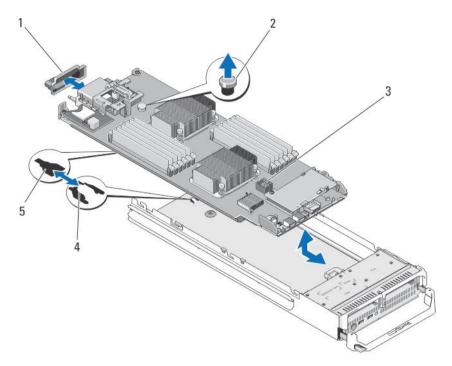


Figure 18. Removing and Installing the System Board

- 1. I/O connector cover
- 3. system board
- 5. slots in system board tray

- 2. release pin
- 4. tabs on system chassis

Installing The System Board

- 1. Transfer the following components to the new system board:
 - a. internal USB key
 - b. storage controller card
 - c. SD vFlash card
 - d. memory modules and memory module blanks
 - e. processor(s) and heat sink(s), or processor filler blank

CAUTION: Ensure that the system board plate is parallel with the chassis.

- 2. Slide the new system board into the open end of the blade chassis until the retention latch engages. When the board assembly is installed correctly, the tabs on the system board pan snap into the corresponding openings in the floor of the blade chassis.
- **3.** Replace the mezzanine card(s) in their original locations.
- 4. Reinstall the hard-drive/SSD backplane.
- **5.** Replace the hard drive(s)/SSD(s). If there are two drives, ensure that you reinstall them in their original locations.
- **6.** Reinstall the cooling shroud.
- 7. Close the blade.

- **8.** Remove the plastic I/O connector covers from the back of the blade.
- **9.** Install the blade in the enclosure
- 10. Import your new or existing iDRAC Enterprise license. For more information, see the iDRAC7 User's Guide, at dell.com/support/home.

NVRAM backup battery

Replacing The NVRAM Backup Battery



WARNING: There is a danger of a new battery exploding if it is incorrectly installed. Replace the battery only with the same or equivalent type recommended by the manufacturer. Discard used batteries according to the manufacturer's instructions. See the safety instructions that came with your system for additional information.



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- 1. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 2. Open the blade.
- 3. Remove the system board to access the battery.
- **4.** To remove the battery, press down firmly on the positive side of the connector and lift the battery out of the securing tabs at the negative side of the connector.
- **5.** To install a new system battery:
 - a. Support the battery connector by pressing down firmly on the positive side of the connector.
 - b. Hold the battery with the "+" facing up and slide it under the securing tabs at the positive side of the connector.
- 6. Press the battery straight down into the connector until it snaps into place.
- 7. Reinstall the system board.
- 8. Close the blade.
- **9.** Install the blade in the enclosure.
- **10.** Enter the System Setup to confirm that the battery is operating properly.
- 11. Enter the correct time and date in the System Setup's **Time** and **Date** fields.
- 12. Exit the System Setup.
- 13. To test the newly installed battery, remove the blade for at least an hour.
- 14. After an hour, reinstall the blade.
- 15. Enter the System Setup and if the time and date are still incorrect, see Getting Help.

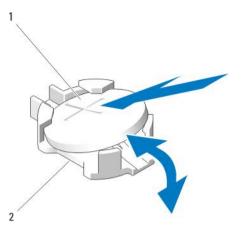


Figure 19. Replacing the NVRAM Backup Battery

1. positive side of battery

2. negative side of battery connector

Storage Controller Card

Your system includes a dedicated expansion-card slot on the blade system board for the storage controller card that provides the integrated storage subsystem for your system's hard drives. The storage controller card supports SAS and SATA hard drives.



NOTE: The storage controller card is located underneath the drive bays.

Removing The Storage Controller Card



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CAUTION: To ensure proper system cooling, a storage controller blank must be installed on the storage controller card connector that is not occupied. Remove the storage controller blank only if you intend to install a storage controller card.

- 1. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 2. Open the blade.
- **3.** Remove the blade system board and place it on the work surface.
- **4.** Remove the two screws from the storage controller card.
- **5.** Lift the storage controller card from the connector on the system board.

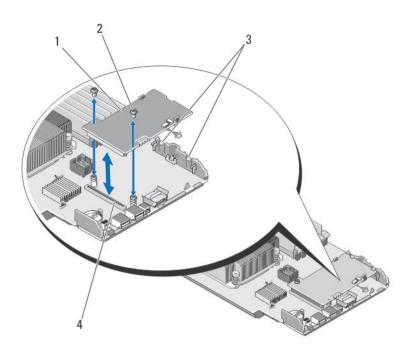


Figure 20. Removing and Installing a Storage Controller Card

- 1. storage controller card
- 3. tabs (2)

- 2. screws (2)
- 4. connector

Installing The Storage Controller Card

- **1.** If installed, remove the storage controller blank.
- 2. Holding by its edges, position the storage controller card so that the card-connector aligns with the system board connector.
- **3.** Adjust the other end of the card so that the card edge is secured under the two tabs on the plastic bracket
- **4.** Insert the controller card-connector firmly into the system board connector until the card is fully seated.
- **5.** Install the two screws to secure the storage controller card to the blade system board.
- **6.** Reinstall the system board.
- 7. Install the blade in the enclosure.

Troubleshooting your system

Safety first—for you and your system



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NOTE: For troubleshooting information on the M1000e enclosure components, see "Troubleshooting The Enclosure" in the Dell PowerEdge M1000e Enclosure Owner's Manual at dell.com/support/home.

Troubleshooting System Memory

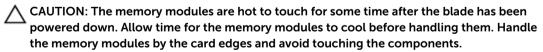


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NOTE: Before performing the following procedure, ensure that you have installed the memory modules according to the memory installation guidelines for the blade.

- Restart the blade:
 - a. Press the power button once to turn off the blade
 - b. Press the power button again to apply power to the blade. If no error messages appear, go to step 8.
- **2.** Enter the System Setup and check the system memory setting. If the amount of memory installed matches the system memory setting, go to step 8.
- Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 4. Open the blade.



- 5. Reseat the memory modules in their sockets.
- 6. Close the blade.
- 7. Install the blade in the enclosure.
- 8. Run the appropriate diagnostic test. For more information, see Using System Diagnostics. If the test fails, see Getting Help.

Troubleshooting hard drives

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CAUTION: This troubleshooting procedure can destroy data stored on the hard drive. Before you proceed, back up all the files on the hard drive, if possible.

- 1. Run the appropriate controllers test and the hard drive tests in system diagnostics. If the tests fail, go to step 3.
- 2. Take the hard drive offline and wait until the hard-drive indicator codes on the drive carrier signal that the drive may be removed safely, then remove and reseat the drive carrier in the blade.
- 3. Restart the blade, enter the System Setup and confirm that the drive controller is enabled.
- **4.** Ensure that any required device drivers are installed and are configured correctly.
 - NOTE: Installing a hard drive into another bay may break the mirror if the mirror state is optimal.
- 5. Remove the hard drive and install it in the other drive bay.
- **6.** If the problem is resolved, reinstall the hard drive in the original bay. If the hard drive functions properly in the original bay, the drive carrier could have intermittent problems. Replace the drive carrier.
- 7. If the hard drive is the boot drive, ensure that the drive is configured and connected properly.
- 8. Partition and logically format the hard drive.
- **9.** If possible, restore the files to the drive. If the problem persists, see <u>Getting Help.</u>

Troubleshooting USB devices



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- 1. Ensure that the blade is turned on.
- 2. Check the USB device connection to the blade.
- 3. Swap the USB device with a known-working USB device.
- **4.** Connect the USB devices to the blade using a powered USB hub.
- **5.** If another blade is installed, connect the USB device to that blade. If the USB device works with a different blade, the first blade may be faulty. See <u>Getting Help</u>.

Troubleshooting An Internal SD Card

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- 1. Enter the System Setup and ensure that the Internal SD Card Port is enabled.
- 2. Note the Internal SD Card Redundancy option enabled in the Integrated Devices screen of the System Setup (Mirror or Disabled).
- **3.** Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- **4.** If the **Internal SD Card Redundancy** option in the **Integrated Devices** screen of the System Setup is set to Mirror mode and SD card 1 has failed:
 - a. Remove the SD card from SD card slot 1.
 - b. Remove the SD card present in SD card slot 2 and insert it into SD card slot 1.
 - c. Install a new SD card in slot 2.
- 5. If the Internal SD Card Redundancy option in the Integrated Devices screen of the System Setup is set to Mirror mode and SD card 2 has failed, insert the new SD card into SD card slot 2.
- **6.** If the **Internal SD Card Redundancy** option in **Integrated Devices** screen of the System Setup is set to Disabled, replace the failed SD card with a new SD card.
- 7. Install the blade in the enclosure
- **8.** Enter the System Setup and ensure that the **Internal SD Card Port** option is enabled and **Internal SD Card Redundancy** option is set to Mirror mode.
- **9.** Check if the SD card is functioning properly. If the problem persists, see Getting Help.

Troubleshooting processors

- 1. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 2. Open the blade.
- **3.** Ensure that the processor(s) and heat sink(s) are properly installed.
- **4.** If your system only has one processor installed, ensure that it is installed in the primary processor socket (CPU1).
- 5. Close the blade.
- 6. Install the blade in the enclosure.
- **7.** Run the appropriate diagnostic test. For more information, see Using System Diagnostics. If the problem persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.

Troubleshooting the blade system board



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- 1. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 2. Open the blade.
- **3.** Clear the blade NVRAM.
- 4. If there is a still a problem with the blade, remove and reinstall the blade in the enclosure.
- **5.** Turn on the blade.
- **6.** Run the appropriate diagnostic test. For more information, see Using system diagnostics. If the tests fail, see Getting Help.

Troubleshooting the NVRAM backup battery



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The battery maintains the blade configuration, date, and time information in the NVRAM when the blade is turned off. You may need to replace the battery if an incorrect time or date is displayed during the boot routine.

You can operate the blade without a battery; however, the blade configuration information maintained by the battery in NVRAM is erased each time you remove power from the blade. Therefore, you must reenter the system configuration information and reset the options each time the blade boots until you replace the battery.

- 1. Re-enter the time and date through the System Setup.
- 2. Remove the blade from the enclosure for at least one hour.
- 3. Install the blade in the enclosure
- 4. Enter the System Setup.

If the date and time are not correct in the System Setup, replace the battery. If the problem is not resolved by replacing the battery, see Getting Help.



NOTE: If the blade is turned off for long periods of time (for weeks or months), the NVRAM may lose its system configuration information. This situation is caused by a defective battery.



NOTE: Some software may cause the blade's time to speed up or slow down. If the blade operates normally except for the time maintained by the System Setup, the problem may be caused by a software rather than by a defective battery.

Using system diagnostics

If you experience a problem with your system, run the system diagnostics before contacting Dell for technical assistance. The purpose of running system diagnostics is to test your system hardware without requiring additional equipment or risking data loss. If you are unable to fix the problem yourself, service and support personnel can use the diagnostics results to help you solve the problem.

Dell Embedded System Diagnostics



NOTE: The Dell Embedded System Diagnostics is also known as Enhanced Pre-boot System Assessment (ePSA) diagnostics.

The embedded system diagnostics provides a set of options for particular device groups or devices allowing you to:

- Run tests automatically or in an interactive mode
- Repeat tests
- Display or save test results
- Run thorough tests to introduce additional test options to provide extra information about the failed device(s)
- View status messages that inform you if tests are completed successfully
- View error messages that inform you of problems encountered during testing

When to use the Embedded System Diagnostics

If a major component or device in the system does not operate properly, running the embedded system diagnostics may indicate component failure.

Running the Embedded System Diagnostics

The embedded system diagnostics program is run from the Dell Lifecycle Controller.



CAUTION: Use the embedded system diagnostics to test only your system. Using this program with other systems may cause invalid results or error messages.

- 1. As the system boots, press <F11>.
- Use the up and down arrow keys to select System Utilities → Launch Dell Diagnostics.
 The ePSA Pre-boot System Assessment window is displayed, listing all devices detected in the system. The diagnostics starts executing the tests on all the detected devices.

System diagnostic controls

Menu	Description	
Configuration	Displays the configuration and status information of all detected devices.	
Results	Displays the results of all tests that are executed.	
System health	Provides the current overview of the system performance.	
Event log	Displays a time-stamped log of the results of all tests run on the system. This is displayed if at least one event description is recorded.	

For information about embedded system diagnostics, see the ePSA Diagnostics Guide (Notebooks, Desktops and Servers) at dell.com/support/home.

Jumpers and connectors

System board jumper settings



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For information on resetting the password jumper to disable a password, see <u>Disabling A Forgotten</u> Password.

Table 4. System board jumper settings

Jumper	Setting	Description
PWRD_EN	(default)	The password feature is enabled.
	0.	The password feature is disabled.
NVRAM_CLR	(default)	The configuration settings are retained at system boot.
		The configuration settings are cleared at the next system boot. (If the configuration settings become corrupted to the point where the system does not boot, install the jumper and boot the system. Remove the jumper before restoring the configuration information.)

System Board Connectors

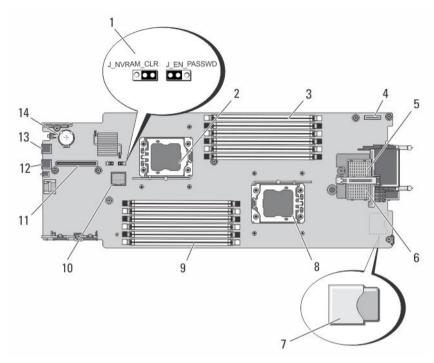


Figure 21. System Board Connectors

Table 5. System Board Connectors

Item	Connector	Description	
1	PWRD_EN, NVRAM_CLR	System configuration jumpers	
2	CPU2	Processor socket 2	
3	A1, A4, A2, A5, A3, A6	Memory module sockets (for processor 1)	
4	MANAGEMENT RISER	Management riser card connector	
5	MEZZ1_FAB_C	Mezzanine card connector for Fabric C	
6	MEZZ2_FAB_B	Mezzanine card connector for Fabric B	
7	-	SD vFlash card connector	
		NOTE: The SD vFlash card connector is located underneath the system board.	
8	CPU1	Processor socket 1	
9	B1, B4, B2, B5, B3, B6	Memory module sockets (for processor 2)	
10	HD_BP	Hard-drive backplane connector	
11	STORAGE	storage controller card connector	

Item	Connector	Description
12	USB2	USB connector
13	USB1	USB connector
14	BATTERY	Connector for the 3.0 V coin cell battery

Disabling A Forgotten Password

The software security features of the Blade include a system password and a setup password. The password jumper enables these password features or disables them, and clears any password(s) currently in use.



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- 1. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 2. Open the blade.
- **3.** Remove the system board to gain access to the jumpers.
- **4.** Relocate the jumper plug to disable the password feature.
- **5.** Reinstall the system board.
- 6. Close the blade.
- 7. Install the blade in the enclosure.

When the blade is on, the power-on indicator is solid green. Allow the blade to finish booting. The existing passwords are not disabled (erased) until the system boots with the password removed. However, before you assign a new system and/or setup password, you must reinstall the password jumper.



NOTE: If you assign a new system and/or setup password with the jumper removed, the system disables the new password(s) the next time it boots.

- 8. Remove the blade from the enclosure.
- 9. Open the blade.
- 10. Remove the system board to gain access to the jumpers.
- 11. Relocate the jumper plug to enable the password feature.
- 12. Reinstall the system board.
- 13. Close the blade.
- 14. Install the blade in the enclosure.
- 15. Assign a new system and/or setup password.

Technical Specifications

Processor	
	One or two Intel Xeon processor E5-2400 product family
Processor type	One or two Intel Xeon processor E5-2400v2 product family
Memory	
Architecture	1600 MT/s, 1333 MT/s, 1066 MT/s, or 800 MT/s DDR3 and LV-DDR3 DIMMs
Memory module sockets	Twelve 240-pin
Memory module capacities	
RDIMMs	2 GB (single-rank), 4 GB (single- and dual-rank), 8 GB (dual-rank), 16 GB (dual-rank), and 32 GB (quad-rank)
UDIMMs	2 GB (single-rank) and 4 GB (dual-rank)
Minimum RAM	2 GB (single processor configuration)
Maximum RAM	384 GB
Drives	
Hard drives	Up to two 2.5-inch, hot-pluggable SSD/SAS/SATA hard drives
Optical drive	External optional USB DVD
	NOTE: DVD devices are data only.
Flash drive	Internal optional USB
	Internal optional SD card
	Optional vFlash card (with integrated iDRAC7 Enterprise)
Connectors	
Front	
USB	Two 4-pin, USB 2.0-compliant

Connectors	
Internal	
SD	Two internal SD cards dedicated for the hypervisor
	One dedicated for future vFlash support
Mezzanine Cards	
Mezzanine slots	Two mezzanine PCIe x8 Gen 3 slots supporting dual-port Gb Ethernet, 10 Gb Ethernet, FC8 Fibre Channel, or Infiniband mezzanine cards
Video	
Video type	Matrox G200 integrated with iDRAC
Video memory	8 MB shared with iDRAC application memory
Battery	
NVRAM backup battery	CR 2032 3.0 V Lithium coin cell
Environmental	
NOTE: For additional information about enviconfigurations, see dell.com/environmenta	ironmental measurements for specific system l_datasheets .
Storage temperature	$-40~^{\circ}\text{C}$ to 65 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ ($-40~^{\circ}\text{F}$ to 149 $^{\circ}\text{F}$) with a maximum temperature gradation of 20 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ per hour.
Standard operating temperature	Continuous operation: 10 °C to 35 °C at 10% to 80% relative humidity (RH), with 26 °C max dew point. De-rate maximum allowable dry bulb temperature at 1 °C per 300 m above 900 m (1 °F per 550 ft).
Expanded operating temperature	
	NOTE: When operating in the expanded temperature range, system performance may be impacted.
	NOTE: When operating in the expanded temperature range, ambient temperature warnings may be reported on the LCD and in the System Event Log.

point.

≤ 10% of annual operating hours

5 °C to 40 °C at 5% to 85% RH with 26 °C dew

Environmental



NOTE: Outside the standard operating temperature (10 °C to 35 °C), the system can operate down to 5 °C or up to 40 °C for a maximum of 10% of its annual operating hours.

For temperatures between 35 °C and 40 °C, derate maximum allowable dry bulb temperature by 1 °C per 175 m above 950 m (1 °F per 319 ft).

≤ 1% of annual operating hours

 $-5\,^{\circ}\text{C}$ to 45 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ at 5% to 90% RH with 26 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ dew point.



NOTE: Outside the standard operating temperature (10 °C to 35 °C), the system can operate down to -5 °C or up to 45 °C for a maximum of 1% of its annual operating hours.

For temperatures between 40 °C and 45 °C, derate maximum allowable dry bulb temperature by 1 °C per 125 m above 950 m (1 °F per 228 ft).

System messages

LCD status messages

The LCD messages consist of brief text messages that refer to events recorded in the System Event Log (SEL). For information on the SEL and configuring system management settings, see the systems management software documentation.

Viewing LCD messages

If a system error occurs, the LCD screen will turn amber. Press the **Select** button to view the list of errors or status messages. Use the left and right buttons to highlight an error number, and press **Select** to view the error.

Removing LCD messages

For faults associated with sensors, such as temperature, voltage, fans, and so on, the LCD message is automatically removed when that sensor returns to a normal state. For other faults, you must take action to remove the message from the display:

- Clear the SEL You can perform this task remotely, but you will lose the event history for the system.
- Power cycle Turn off the system and disconnect it from the electrical outlet; wait approximately 10 seconds, reconnect the power cable, and restart the system.

System Error Messages

System messages appear on the monitor to notify you of a possible problem with the system. These messages refer to events recorded in the System Event Log (SEL). For information on the SEL and configuring system management settings, see the systems management software documentation. Some messages are also displayed in abbreviated form on the system's LCD, if the system includes that feature.

- **NOTE:** The LCD error messages listed here are displayed in the simple format. See Setup Menu to select the format in which the messages are displayed.
- **NOTE:** If you receive a system message not listed here, check the documentation for the application that was running when the message was displayed or the operating system's documentation for an explanation of the message and recommended action.
- NOTE: In some messages, a particular system component is identified by name ("<name>"), component number ("<number>"), or location ("bay").

Error Code	Message Informat	ion
AMP0300	Message	The system board <name> current is less than the lower warning threshold.</name>
	Details	System board < name > current is outside of the optimum range.
	Action	 Review system power policy. Check system logs for power related failures. Review system configuration changes. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.
AMP0301	Message	The system board <i><name></name></i> current is less than the lower warning threshold.
	LCD Message	System board < name > current is outside of range.
	Details	System board < name > current is outside of the optimum range.
	Action	 Review system power policy. Check system logs for power related failures. Review system configuration changes. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.
AMP0302	Message	The system board <name> current is greater than the upper warning threshold.</name>
	Details	System board < name > current is outside of the optimum range.
	Action	 Review system power policy. Check system logs for power related failures. Review system configuration changes. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.
AMP0303	Message	The system board <i><name></name></i> current is greater than the upper critical threshold.
	LCD Message	System board < name > current is outside of range.
	Details	System board <name> current is outside of the optimum</name>

range.

1. Review system power policy.

Action

Error Code	Message Informatio	n
		2. Check system logs for power related failures.
		3. Review system configuration changes.
		4. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u> .
AMP0304	Message	The system board <name> current is outside of range.</name>
	LCD Message	System board <name> current is outside of range.</name>
	Details	System board <name> current is outside of the optimum range.</name>
	Action	Review system power policy.
		 Check system logs for power related failures.
		3. Review system configuration changes.
		4. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u> .
AMP0306	Message	Disk drive bay <name> current is less than the lower warning threshold.</name>
	Details	Disk drive bay <name> current is outside of the optimum range.</name>
	Action	Review system power policy.
		 Check system logs for power related failures.
		3. Review system configuration changes.
		4. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u> .
AMP0307	Message	Disk drive bay <name> current is less than the lower critical threshold.</name>
	LCD Message	Disk drive bay <name> current is outside of range.</name>
	Details	Disk drive bay <name> current is outside of the optimum range.</name>
	Action	Review system power policy.
		 Check system logs for power related failures.
		 Review system configuration changes.
		4. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u> .
AMP0308	Message	Disk drive bay <name> current is greater than the upper</name>

warning threshold.

Error Code	Message Informat	ion
	Details	Disk drive bay <name> current is outside of the optimum range.</name>
	Action	 Review system power policy. Check system logs for power related failures.
		3. Review system configuration changes.4. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.
AMP0309	Message	Disk drive bay <name> current is greater than the upper critical threshold.</name>
	LCD Message	Disk drive bay <name> current is outside of range.</name>
	Details	Disk drive bay <name> current is outside of the optimum range.</name>
	Action	 Review system power policy. Check system logs for power related failures. Review system configuration changes. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.
AMP0310	Message	Disk drive bay <name> current is outside of range.</name>
	LCD Message Details	Disk drive bay <name> current is outside of range. Disk drive bay <name> current is outside of the optimum range.</name></name>
	Action	 Review system power policy. Check system logs for power related failures. Review system configuration changes. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.
AMP0312	Message	System level current is less than the lower warning threshold

MessageSystem level current is less than the lower warning threshold.DetailsSystem level current is outside of the optimum range.Action

- 1. Review system power policy.
- 2. Check system logs for power related failures.
- 3. Review system configuration changes.
- 4. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

Error Code	Message Information		
AMP0313	Message	System level current is less than the lower warning threshold.	
	LCD Message	System level current is outside of range.	
	Details	System level current is outside of the optimum range.	
	Action	 Review system power policy. Check system logs for power related failures. Review system configuration changes. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>. 	
AMP0314	Message	System level current is greater than the upper warning threshold.	
	Details	System level current is outside of the optimum range.	
	Action	 Review system power policy. Check system logs for power related failures. Review system configuration changes. If the issue persists, see Getting Help. 	
AMP0315	Message	System level current is greater than the upper critical threshold.	
	LCD Message	System level current is outside of range.	
	Details	System level current is outside of the optimum range.	
	Action	 Review system power policy. Check system logs for power related failures. Review system configuration changes. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>. 	
AMP0316	Message	System level current is outside of range.	
	LCD Message	System level current is outside of range.	
	Details	System level current is outside of the optimum range.	
	Action	1. Review system power policy. 2. Chask system logs for power related failures.	

Check system logs for power related failures.
 Review system configuration changes.
 If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.

Error Code	Message Information	ormation	
AMP0318	Message	Chassis power level current is less than the lower warning threshold.	
	Details	Chassis power level current is outside of the optimum range.	
	Action	 Review system power policy. Check system logs for power related failures. Review system configuration changes. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>. 	
AMP0319	Message	Chassis power level current is less than the lower critical threshold	
	Details	Chassis power level current is outside of the optimum range.	
	Action	 Review system power policy. Check system logs for power related failures. Review system configuration changes. If the issue persists, see Getting Help. 	
AMP0320	Message	Chassis power level current is greater than the upper warning threshold.	
	Details	Chassis power level current is outside of the optimum range.	
	Action	 Review system power policy. Check system logs for power related failures. Review system configuration changes. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>. 	
AMP0321	Message	Chassis power level current is greater than the upper critical threshold.	
	Details	Chassis power level current is outside of the optimum range.	
	Action	 Review system power policy. Check system logs for power related failures. Review system configuration changes. If the issue persists, see Getting Help. 	
AMP0322	Message	Chassis power level current is outside of range.	

Error Code Message Information **Details** Chassis power level current is outside of the optimum range. Action 1. Review system power policy. 2. Check system logs for power related failures. 3. Review system configuration changes. 4 If the issue persists, see Getting Help. ASR0000 Message The watchdog timer expired. **Details** The operating system or an application failed to communicate within the time-out period. Action Check the operating system, application, hardware, and system event log for exception events. ASR0001 Message The watchdog timer reset the system. **Details** The operating system or an application failed to communicate within the time-out period. The system was reset. Action Check the operating system, application, hardware, and system event log for exception events. ASR0002 Message The watchdog timer powered off the system. **Details** The operating system or an application failed to communicate within the time-out period. The system was shut down. Action Check the operating system, application, hardware, and system event log for exception events. ASR0003 Message The watchdog timer power cycled the system. **Details** The operating system or an application failed to communicate within the time-out period. The system was power-cycled. Action Check the operating system, application, hardware, and system event log for exception events.

Message The watchdog timer interrupt was initiated.

Details The operating system or an application failed to

communicate within the time-out period. No action was

taken.

ASR0008

Action Check the operating system, application, hardware, and

system event log for exception events.

ASR0100

Message The BIOS watchdog timer reset the system.

Details The operating system or an application failed to

communicate within the time-out period. The system was

reset.

Action Check the operating system, application, hardware, and

system event log for exception events.

ASR0101

Message The OS watchdog timer reset the system.

Details The operating system or an application failed to

communicate within the time-out period. The system was

reset.

Action Check the operating system, application, hardware, and

system event log for exception events.

ASR0102

Message The OS watchdog timer shutdown the system.

Details The operating system or an application failed to

communicate within the time-out period. The system was

shutdown.

Action Check the operating system, application, hardware, and

system event log for exception events.

ASR0103

Message The OS watchdog timer powered down the system.

Details The operating system or an application failed to

communicate within the time-out period. The system was

powered down.

Action Check the operating system, application, hardware, and

system event log for exception events.

ASR0104

Message The OS watchdog timer power-cycled the system.

Details The operating system or an application failed to

communicate within the time-out period. The system was

power-cycled.

Action Check the operating system, application, hardware, and

system event log for exception events.

ASR0105

Message The operating system watchdog timer powered off the

system.

Details The operating system or an application failed to

communicate within the time-out period. The system was

powered off.

Action Check the operating system, application, hardware, and

system event log for exception events.

ASR0106

Message The watchdog timer expired.

Details The operating system or an application failed to

communicate within the time-out period.

Action Check the operating system, application, hardware, and

system event log for exception events.

ASR0107

Message The watchdog timer pre-timeout interrupt was initiated.

Details The operating system or an application failed to

communicate within the time-out period.

Action Check the operating system, application, hardware, and

system event log for exception events.

BAT0000

Message The system board battery is low.

Details The system board battery is either missing, bad, or unable to

charge due to thermal issues.

Action Check system fans. Replace the system board battery.

BAT0002

Message The system board battery has failed.

LCD Message The system board battery has failed. Check battery.

Details The system board battery is either missing or bad.

Action See <u>Getting Help</u>.

BAT0004

Message The system board battery is absent.

LCD Message The system board battery is absent. Check battery.

Action Reinstall the system board battery.

BAT0005

Message The storage battery is low.

Details System has to remain powered on to charge the battery.

Action Allow the battery to charge. If the issue persists, see Getting

Help.

BAT0007

Message The storage battery has failed.

LCD Message The storage battery has failed. Check battery.

Details Verify the cable connection between the storage battery and

the controller.

Action Verify the storage battery installation.

BAT0010

Message The storage battery for disk drive bay *<bay>* is low.

Details System has to remain powered on to charge the storage

battery.

Action Allow the storage battery to charge. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

BAT0012

Message The storage battery for disk drive bay *<bay>* has failed.

LCD Message Battery for disk drive bay *<bay>* has failed. Check battery.

Details Verify the cable connection between the storage battery and

the controller.

Action Verify the storage battery installation.

BAT0014

Message The storage battery for disk drive bay *<bay>* is absent.

LCD Message Battery for disk drive bay *<bay>* is absent. Check battery.

Details Verify the cable connection between the storage battery and

the controller.

Action Verify the storage battery installation.

BAT0015

Message The <name> battery is low.

Details The low <*name*> battery may impact system performance

negatively.

Action Recharge the <name> battery if possible. If the problem

continues replace the <name> battery.

BAT0017

Message The <name> battery has failed.

LCD Message The <name> battery has failed. Check battery.

Details The <name> battery is either missing, bad, or unable to

charge due to thermal issues.

Action Check system fans. Replace the *<name>* battery.

BAT0019

Message The <name> battery is absent.

LCD Message The <name> battery is absent. Check battery.

Details The failed or missing *<name>* battery may reduce system

performance.

Action Check system fans. Replace the <name> battery.

CBL0006

Message Multiple storage controllers are incorrectly connected to the

same backplane <Bay ID>.

Details Unsupported backplane configuration.

Action Check backplane configuration. Reconnect cable. If the issue

persists, see Getting Help.

CPU0000

Message CPU < number > has an internal error (IERR).

LCD Message CPU < number > has an internal error (IERR).

Details System event log and OS logs may indicate that the

exception is external to the processor.

Action Review System Event Log and Operating System Logs. If the

issue persists, see Getting Help.

CPU0001

Message CPU <number> has a thermal trip (over-temperature) event.

LCD Message CPU < number > has a thermal trip. Check CPU heat sink.

Details The processor temperature increased beyond the

operational range.

Action Review logs for fan failures, replace failed fans. If no fan

failures are detected, check inlet temperature (if available)

and reinstall processor heat-sink.

CPU0002

Message CPU < number > has failed the built-in self-test (BIST).

Action

1. Turn system off and remove input power for one minute. Reapply input power and turn system on.

2. Make sure the processor is seated correctly.

3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

Error Code	Message Informatio	n
CPU0003	Message	CPU <number> is stuck in POST.</number>
	Action	Turn system off and remove input power for one minute. Reapply input power and turn system on.
		2. Reduce system configuration to minimum memory and remove all PCI devices. If system completes POST, update system BIOS. reinstall memory and PCI one component at a time to meet the original configuration.
		3. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u> .
CPU0004	Message	CPU <number> failed to initialize.</number>
	Action	
		 Turn system off and remove input power for one minute. Reapply input power and turn system on.
		2. Make sure the processor is seated correctly.
		3. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u> .
CPU0005	Message	CPU < number > configuration is unsupported.
	LCD Message	CPU < <i>number></i> configuration is unsupported. Check CPU or BIOS revision.
	Details	System is unable to boot or may run in a degraded state.
	Action	Review the technical specifications for supported processor types.
CPU0006	Message	Unrecoverable CPU complex error detected on CPU <number>.</number>
	Details	System is unable to boot or may run in a degraded state.
	Action	
		 Turn system off and remove input power for one minute. Reapply input power and turn system on.
		2. Make sure the processor is seated correctly.
		3. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u> .
CDUIDOOC		
CPU0008	Message	CPU <number> is disabled.</number>
	Details	System is unable to boot or may run in a degraded state.

configuration.

If unexpected, check presence, and system setup (BIOS)

Action

Error Code Message Information CPU0010 CPU < number > is throttled. Message **Details** The CPU is throttled due to thermal or power conditions. Action Review system logs for power or thermal exceptions. CPU0023 Message CPU < number > is absent. LCD Message CPU < number > is absent. Check CPU. Action Verify processor installation. If present, re-seat the processor. CPU0100 Message CPU < number > temperature is less than the lower warning threshold. **Details** System performance may be degraded. Action Check system operating environment. CPU0101 Message CPU < number > temperature is less than the lower critical threshold. LCD Message CPU < number > temperature is outside of range. Details System performance may be degraded. Action Check system operating environment, fans, and heat-sinks. CPU0102 Message CPU < number > temperature is greater than the upper warning threshold. **Details** System performance may be degraded. Action Check system operating environment, fans, and heat-sinks. CPU0103 Message CPU <number> temperature is greater than the upper critical

threshold.

LCD Message CPU < number > temperature is outside of range. Check fans.

Details System performance may be degraded.

Action Check system operating environment, fans, and heat-sinks.

CPU0104

Message CPU < number > temperature is outside of range.

LCD Message CPU < number > temperature is outside of range. Check fans.

Details System performance may be degraded.

Error Code	Message Informatio	on
	Action	Check system operating environment, fans, and heat-sinks.
CPU0200	Message	CPU <number> <name> voltage is less than the lower warning threshold.</name></number>
	Details	Low voltages may be the result of a problem with the voltage regulator or a problem with the processor. The low voltage may cause the processor to fail to operate.
	Action	 Turn system off and remove input power for one minute. Reapply input power and turn system on. Ensure the processor is seated correctly. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.
CPU0201	Message	CPU <number> <name> voltage is less than the lower critical threshold.</name></number>
	LCD Message	CPU <i><number> <name></name></number></i> voltage is outside of range. Re-seat CPU.
	Details	Low voltages may be the result of a problem with the voltage regulator or a problem with the processor. When the critical threshold is crossed, the processor will fail to operate. The system may power down.
	Action	Turn system off and remove input power for one minute.
		2. Reapply input power and turn system on.
		 Ensure the processor is seated correctly. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.
CPU0202	Message	CPU <number> <name> voltage is greater than the upper warning threshold.</name></number>
	Details	High voltages may be the result of problem with the voltage regulator or a problem with the processor. Elevated voltages may result in damage to the processor or other electronic

components in side the system.

Action

- Turn system off and remove input power for one
- 2. Reapply input power and turn system on.
- 3. Ensure the processor is seated correctly.

4. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

CPU0203

Message CPU <number> <name> voltage is greater than the upper

critical threshold.

LCD Message CPU <number> <name> voltage is outside of range. Re-seat

CPU.

Details High voltages may be the result of problem with the voltage

regulator or a problem with the processor. Elevated voltages may result in damage to the processor or other system electrical components. The system may power down.

Action

1. Turn system off and remove input power for one minute.

Reapply input power and turn system on.

3. Ensure the processor is seated correctly.

4. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

CPU0204

Message CPU <number> <name> voltage is outside of range.

LCD Message CPU < number> < name> voltage is outside of range. Re-seat

CPU.

2.

Details Voltages outside the allowable range may damage electrical

components or may cause the system to shutdown.

Action

1. Turn system off and remove input power for one

minute.

2. Ensure the processor is seated correctly.

3. Reapply input power and turn system on.

4. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

CPU0700

Message CPU < number > initialization error detected.

LCD Message CPU < number > initialization error detected. Power cycle

system.

Details System BIOS was unable to initialize the processor.

Action

1. Turn system off and remove input power for one minute.

2. Ensure the processor is seated correctly.

3. Reapply input power and turn system on.

4. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

CPU0701

Message CPU < number > protocol error detected.

LCD Message CPU <number> protocol error detected. Power cycle

system.

Details System event log and operating system logs may indicate

that the exception is external to the processor.

Action

1. Check system and operating system logs for exceptions. If no exceptions are found, continue.

Turn system off and remove input power for one minute.

3. Ensure the processor is seated correctly.

4. Reapply input power and turn system on.

5. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

CPU0702

Message CPU bus parity error detected.

LCD Message CPU bus parity error detected. Power cycle system.

Details System event log and operating system logs may indicate

that the exception is external to the processor.

Action

1. Check system and operating system logs for exceptions. If no exceptions are found, continue.

2. Turn system off and remove input power for one minute.

3. Ensure the processor is seated correctly.

4. Reapply input power and turn system on.

5. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

CPU0703

Message CPU bus initialization error detected.

LCD Message CPU bus initialization error detected. Power cycle system.

Details System event log and operating system logs may indicate

that the exception is external to the processor.

Action

1. Check system and operating system logs for exceptions. If no exceptions are found, continue.

Turn system off and remove input power for one minute.

3. Ensure the processor is seated correctly.

4. Reapply input power and turn system on.

5. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

CPU0704

Message CPU < number > machine check error detected.

LCD Message CPU < number > machine check error detected. Power cycle

system.

Details System event log and operating system logs may indicate

that the exception is external to the processor.

Action

1. Check system and operating system logs for exceptions. If no exceptions are found, continue.

Turn system off and remove input power for one minute.

3. Ensure the processor is seated correctly.

4. Reapply input power and turn system on.

5. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

CPU0801

Message CPU < number > voltage regulator module failed.

LCD Message CPU < number > voltage regulator module failed. Re-seat

module.

Details System performance may be degraded or the system may

fail to operate.

Action

1. Turn system off and remove input power for one

minute.

2. Reapply input power and turn system on.

3. Ensure the processor is seated correctly.

4. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.

CPU0802

Message A predictive failure detected on CPU < number > voltage

regulator module.

Details System performance may be degraded or the system may

fail to operate.

Action

1. Turn system off and remove input power for one

minute.

2. Reapply input power and turn system on.

3. Ensure the processor is seated correctly.

4. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

Error Code	Message Information		
CPU0803	Message	The power input for CPU < number > voltage regulator module is lost.	
	LCD Message	Lost power input for CPU < number > voltage regulator module. Re-seat module.	
	Details	System performance may be degraded or the system may fail to operate.	
	Action	 Turn system off and remove input power for one minute. Reapply input power and turn system on. Ensure the processor is seated correctly. 	
		 If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>. 	
CPU0804	Message	The power input for CPU < number > voltage regulator module is outside of range.	
	LCD Message	The power input for CPU < number > voltage regulator module is outside of range. Re-seat module.	
	Details	System performance may be degraded or the system may fail to operate.	
	Action	Turn system off and remove input power for one minute.	
		2. Reapply input power and turn system on.	
		3. Ensure the processor is seated correctly.	
		4. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u> .	
CPU0805			
CI 00003	Message	The power input for CPU < number > voltage regulator module is outside of range, but it is attached to the system.	
	Details	System performance may be degraded or the system may fail to operate.	
	Action	Turn system off and remove input power for one minute.	
		2. Reapply input power and turn system on.	
		3. Ensure the processor is seated correctly.	
		4. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u> .	
CPU0806			
C1 00000	Message	CPU < number > voltage regulator module is incorrectly	

configured.

CPU < number > voltage regulator module is incorrectly

Message

LCD Message CPU < number > voltage regulator module incorrectly

configured. Check configuration.

Details System performance may be degraded or the system may

fail to operate.

Action Review this manual for proper configuration and installation

procedures.

CPU0816

Message CPU < number > voltage regulator module is absent.

LCD Message CPU < number > voltage regulator module absent. Check

module.

Details System performance may be degraded or the system may

fail to operate.

Action If removal was unintended, check presence and reinstall.

HWC1001

Message The <name> is absent.

LCD Message The *<name>* is absent. Check hardware.

Details The absent device may be necessary for proper operation.

System functionality may be degraded.

Action Reinstall or reconnect the hardware.

HWC1002

Message The <name> is disabled.

Action If device disabled unexpectedly, re-enable device.

HWC1005

Message The storage adapter is absent.

LCD Message The storage adapter is absent. Check hardware.

Details The storage adapter may be necessary for proper operation.

System functionality may be degraded.

Action Install storage adapter.

HWC1006

Message The storage adapter is disabled.

Action If adapter disabled unexpectedly, re-enable the storage

adapter.

HWC1009

Message The backplane is absent.

LCD Message The backplane is absent. Check hardware.

Details The backplane may be necessary for proper operation.

System functionality may be degraded.

Action If removal was unintended, check presence, then reinstall or

reconnect.

HWC1010

Message The backplane is disabled.

Action If disabled unexpectedly, re-enable backplane.

HWC1015

Message The mezzanine card < number > is absent.

Details The mezzanine card may be necessary for proper operation.

System functionality may be degraded.

Action If removal was unintended, check presence, then reinstall or

reconnect.

HWC2006

Message The <name> is not installed correctly.

LCD Message The <*name*> is not installed correctly. Check connection.

Details The device may be necessary for proper operation. System

functionality may be degraded.

Action Check presence, then re-install or reconnect.

HWC2008

Message A fabric mismatch detected between IOM and mezzanine

card <number>.

Details The fabric type for the IOM and mezzanine cards must

match.

Action Check chassis fabric type in CMC GUI and compare to the

type of IOM or mezzanine card.

HWC2011

Message The riser board cable or interconnect is not connected, or is

improperly connected.

LCD Message Riser board cable or interconnect failure. Check connection.

Details The riser blade cable may be necessary for proper operation.

System functionality may be degraded.

Action Check the riser board or interconnect presence, then

reinstall or reconnect.

HWC3000

Message The <name> is removed.

Details The removed device may be necessary for proper operation.

System functionality may be degraded.

Action If removal was unintended, check presence of the removed

device, then reinstall or reconnect

HWC3002

Message Server < number> is removed.

Action If removal was unintended, check presence of the server,

then reinsert.

HWC3004

Message IO module < number > is removed.

Action If removal was unintended, check presence of the IO

module, then reinsert.

HWC4000

Message A hardware incompatibility detected between BMC/iDRAC

firmware and CPU.

LCD Message Incompatibility between BMC/iDRAC firmware and CPU.

Update firmware.

Details A hardware incompatibility was detected between BMC/

iDRAC firmware and Processor(s). An iDRAC or BMC

firmware update is needed.

Action Update the BMC/iDRAC firmware. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

HWC4002

Message A hardware incompatibility detected between BMC/iDRAC

firmware and other hardware

Details A hardware incompatibility was detected between BMC/

iDRAC firmware and other hardware. An iDRAC or BMC

firmware update is needed.

Action Update the BMC/iDRAC firmware. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

HWC4011

Message Hardware unsuccessfully updated for mezzanine card

<number>.

Action Check presence of the hardware, reinstall or reconnect, then

reattempt the update. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

HWC4013

Message Hardware unsuccessfully updated for embedded NIC.

Action Check presence, reinstall or reconnect, then reattempt the

update. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

HWC4015

Message Link Tuning error detected.

Details CMC has old firmware. After updating the firmware the CMC

will recognize the device.

Action Update the CMC firmware. If the issue persists, see Getting

Help.

HWC5001

Message < name > is offline.

Action If unexpected, check presence, then reinstall or reconnect.

HWC5002

Message A fabric mismatch detected on < name >.

Details The fabric type for the IOM and mezzanine cards must

match.

Action Check chassis fabric type in CMC GUI and compare to the

type of IOM or mezzanine card.

HWC5004

Message A link tuning failure detected on < name >.

Details CMC has old firmware. After updating the firmware the CMC

will recognize the device.

Action Update the CMC firmware. If the issue persists, see Getting

Help.

HWC5006

Message A failure is detected on <name>.

Action If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.

HWC5008

Message Console is not available for the <name>.

Action If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.

HWC5010

Message < name > cannot detect any hosts.

Action If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.

HWC5014

Message < name> is not functional and is powered off.

Action If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.

HWC5031

Message IO module < number > is offline.

Details The CMC has powered off the IOM.

Action If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.

HWC5032

Message A fabric mismatch detected on IO module <*number*>.

Details The fabric type for IOM's on the same chassis fabric must

match.

Action Check chassis fabric type in CMC GUI and compare to the

type of both IOM's.

HWC5034

Message A link tuning failure detected on IO module <*number*>.

Details Link tuning table not supported for this IO modular.

Action Update the CMC firmware. If the issue persists, see Getting

Help.

HWC5036

Message A failure is detected on IO module < number>.

Details The IOM module performance may be impacted.

Action If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.

HWC6000

Message The <name> controller is offline.

Details Information and status from the controller is unavailable.

Remove and reapply input power. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

HWC6002

Action

Message The *<name>* controller is stuck in boot mode.

Details Information and status from the controller is unavailable.

Action Remove and reapply input power. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

HWC6003

Message The <name> controller is booting.

HWC6004

Message Cannot communicate with <name> controller.

Details Information and status from the controller is unavailable.

Action Remove and reapply input power. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

HWC7002

Message Server < number > health changed to a warning state from a

normal state.

Details Server < number > health changed to a warning state from a

normal state.

Action Review System Log or front panel for additional information.

HWC7004

Message Server < number > health changed to a critical state from

either a normal or warning state.

Details Server < number > health changed to a warning state from a

normal state.

Action Review System Log or front panel for additional information.

HWC7006

Message Server < number > health changed to a nonrecoverable state

from a less severe state.

Details Server < number > health changed to a warning state from a

normal state.

Action Review System Log or front panel for additional information.

HWC7008

Message Server < number > health changed to a warning state from

more severe state. Server < number > health changed to a

critical state from a non-recoverable state.

Details Server < number> health changed to a warning state from a

normal state.

Action Review System Log or front panel for additional information.

HWC7010

Message Server < number > health changed to a critical state from a

nonrecoverable state.

Details Server < number > health changed to a warning state from a

normal state.

Action Review System Log or front panel for additional information.

HWC7012

Message Server < number > health changed to a nonrecoverable state.

Details Server < number > health changed to a warning state from a

normal state.

Action Review System Log or front panel for additional information.

LNK2700

Message The <name> LAN heartbeat is lost.

Details CMC has lost network connection.

Action Check network cable and network connections.

MEM0000

Message Persistent correctable memory errors detected on a memory

device at location(s) < location>.

Details This is an early indicator of a possible future uncorrectable

error.

Action Re-seat the memory modules. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

MEM0001

Message Multi-bit memory errors detected on a memory device at

location(s) < location>.

LCD Message Multi-bit memory error on <location>. Re-seat memory.

Details The memory module has encountered a uncorrectable error.

System performance may be degraded. The operating

system and/or applications may fail as a result.

Action Re-seat the memory modules. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

MEM0002

Message Parity memory errors detected on a memory device at

location < location >.

Details The memory is operational. This an early indicator of a

possible future uncorrectable error.

Action Re-seat the memory modules. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

MEM0003

Message Stuck bit memory error detected on a memory device at

location < location >.

Details This is an early indicator of a possible future uncorrectable

error.

Action Re-seat the memory modules. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

MEM0004

Message Memory device at location < location > is disabled.

Details The memory may not be seated correctly, misconfigured, or

has failed. Memory size is reduced.

Action Re-seat the memory modules. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

MEM0005

Message Persistent correctable memory error limit reached for a

memory device at location(s) < location>.

LCD Message Persistent correctable memory error limit reached for

<location>. Re-seat memory.

Details The memory is operational. This an early indicator of a

possible future uncorrectable error.

Action Re-seat the memory modules. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

MEM0007

Message Unsupported memory configuration; check memory device

at location < location >.

LCD Message Unsupported memory configuration. Check memory

<location>.

Details The memory may not be seated correctly, misconfigured, or

has failed. Memory size is reduced.

Action Check the memory configuration. Re-seat the memory

modules. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

MEM0009

Message Memory device at location *<location>* is throttled.

Details System performance is degraded.

Action If unexpected, review system logs for power or thermal

exceptions.

MEM0010

Message Memory device at location < location > is over heating.

LCD Message Memory device < location > is over heating. Check fans.

Details System performance is degraded.

Action If unexpected, review system logs for power or thermal

exceptions.

MEM0022

Message Memory device at location *<location>* is absent.

Details The memory may not be seated correctly, misconfigured, or

has failed. Memory size is reduced.

Action Re-seat the memory modules. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

MEM0701

Message Correctable memory error rate exceeded for *<location>*.

Details The memory may not be operational. This an early indicator

of a possible future uncorrectable error.

Action Re-seat the memory modules. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

MEM0702

Message Correctable memory error rate exceeded for *<location>*.

LCD Message Correctable memory error rate exceeded for <location>. Re-

seat memory.

Details The memory may not be operational. This an early indicator

of a possible future uncorrectable error.

Action Re-seat the memory modules. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

MEM1001

Message Memory device at location < location > failed to transition to a

running state.

LCD Message Memory device < location > failed to transition to a running

state. Re-seat memory

Details The memory may not be operational. This an early indicator

of a possible future uncorrectable error.

Action Re-seat the memory modules. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

MEM1003

Message Memory device at location < location > failed to transition to

in test.

Details The memory may not be operational. This an early indicator

of a possible future uncorrectable error.

Action Re-seat the memory modules. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

MEM1012

Message Memory device at location < location > is in a degraded state.

Details The memory may not be operational. This an early indicator

of a possible future uncorrectable error.

Action Re-seat the memory modules. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

MEM1016

Message Memory device at location < location > is not installed

correctly.

LCD Message Memory < location > is not installed correctly. Reinstall.

Details The memory may not be seated correctly, misconfigured, or

has failed. Memory size is reduced.

Action Check the memory configuration. Re-seat the memory

modules. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

MEM1205

Message Memory mirror redundancy is lost. Check memory device at

location(s) < location>.

LCD Message Memory mirror lost on *<location>*. Power cycle system.

Details The memory may not be seated correctly, misconfigured, or

has failed.

Action Check the memory configuration. Re-seat the memory

modules. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

MEM1206

Message Memory mirror redundancy is degraded. Check memory

device at location < location >.

Details The memory may not be seated correctly, misconfigured, or

has failed.

Action Check the memory configuration. Re-seat the memory

modules. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

MEM1208

Message Memory spare redundancy is lost. Check memory device at

location < location >.

LCD Message Memory spare lost on < location >. Power cycle system.

Details Memory sparing is no longer available.

Action Re-seat the memory modules. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

MEM1212

Message Memory redundancy is lost.

Details The memory may not be seated correctly, misconfigured, or

has failed.

Action Review system logs for memory exceptions. reinstall

memory at location < location>

MEM1214

Message Memory redundancy is degraded.

Details The memory may not be seated correctly, misconfigured, or

has failed.

Action Check the memory configuration. Re-seat the memory

modules. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

MEM7002

Message A hardware mismatch detected for memory riser.

LCD Message Memory riser mismatch detected. Check memory riser.

Details Memory riser is installed incorrectly, or failed.

Action Check that the memory riser is installed correctly. If the issue

persists, see Getting Help.

MEM8000

Message Correctable memory error logging disabled for a memory

device at location < location >.

LCD Message SBE log disabled on <*location>*. Re-seat memory.

Details Errors are being corrected but no longer logged.

Action Review system logs for memory exceptions. reinstall

memory at location < location >.

OSE0000

Message A critical stop occurred during OS load.

Details The system halted due to an exception during operating

system load or operating system initialization.

Action Review operating system logs and system video for

additional information.

OSE0001

Message A runtime critical stop occurred.

Details The system halted due to an exception while the operating

system was running. This is a kernel panic or bug check

event.

Action Review operating system logs and system video for

additional information.

OSE0004

Message A soft shut-down initiated by platform event filter.

Details A separate exception or status condition shutdown the

operating system. (IPMI sensor type 20h - offset 04h).

Action Review system event log for platform events capable of

shutting the system down.

OSE0005

Message Agent is not responding.

Details Graceful shutdown request to an agent via the BMC did not

occur due to a system hardware or software exception.

Action Review operating system logs and system video for

additional information.

OSE1001

Message Failed to boot from A.

Action Review system boot configuration and boot media. Verify the

media in a: is bootable. See system video for additional

information.

OSE1003

Message Failed to boot from C.

Action Review system boot configuration and boot media. Verify the

media in C: is bootable. See system video for additional

information.

OSE1005

Message PXE boot failed.

Action Review system boot configuration, local PXE configuration,

and PXE server configuration.

OSE1007

Message Diagnostic boot failed.

Action Review system boot configuration and boot media. See

system video for additional information.

OSE1009

Message Failed to boot from CD-ROM.

Action Review system boot configuration and boot media. Verify the

media in the CDROM is bootable. See system video for

additional information.

OSE1011

Message Failed to boot from ROM.

Action Check system event logs for additional exception

information. Power down the system and attempt to boot

again.

OSE1013

Message Failed to boot.

Action Review system boot configuration and boot media. See

system video for additional information.

Error Code Message Information PCI1302 Message A bus time-out was detected on a component at bus <bus>device<device>function <func>. Details System performance may be degraded. The device has failed to respond to a transaction. Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is removable, reinstall the device. PCI1304 An I/O channel check error was detected. Message LCD Message I/O channel check error detected. Power cycle system. Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is removable, reinstall the device. PCI1306 Message A software error was detected on a component at bus <bus>device<device>function <func>. Action Reboot the system and update the component drivers. PCI1308 Message A PCI parity error was detected on a component at bus <bus>device<device>function <func>. PCI parity error on bus <bus> device <device> function LCD Message <func>. Power cycle system. **Details** System performance may be degraded, PCI device may fail to operate, or system may fail to operate. Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is removable, reinstall the device. PCI1310 Message A PCI system error was detected on a component at bus <bus>device<device>function <func>. LCD Message PCI system error on bus <bus> device <device> function <func>. Power cycle system. **Details** System performance may be degraded, or system may fail to operate. Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is removable, reinstall the device. PCI1314 Message A bus correctable error was detected on a component at bus <bus>device<device>function <func>.

System performance may be degraded.

Details

Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is

removable reinstall the device at the next scheduled service

time.

PCI1316

Message A bus uncorrectable error was detected on a component at

bus <bus>device<device>function <func>.

Details System performance may be degraded, or system may fail to

operate.

Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is

removable, reinstall the device.

PCI1318

Message A fatal error was detected on a component at bus

<bus>device<device>function <func>.

LCD Message Fatal error on bus *<bus>* device *<device>* function *<func>*.

Power cycle system.

Details System performance may be degraded, or system may fail to

operate.

Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is

removable, reinstall the device.

PCI1320

Message A bus fatal error was detected on a component at bus

<bus>device<device>function <func>.

LCD Message Bus fatal error on bus <bus> device <device> function

<func>. Power cycle system.

Details System performance may be degraded, or system may fail to

operate.

Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is

removable, reinstall the device.

PCI1322

Message Bus performance degraded for a component at bus

<bus>device<device>function <func>.

Details System performance may be degraded. The bus is not

operating at maximum speed or width.

Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is

removable, reinstall the device.

PCI1342

Message A bus time-out was detected on a component at slot

<number>.

Details System performance may be degraded, or system may fail to

operate.

Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is

removable, reinstall the device.

PCI1344

Message An I/O channel check error was detected.

LCD Message An I/O channel check error was detected. Power cycle

system.

Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is

removable, reinstall the device.

PCI1346

Message A software error was detected on a component at slot

<number>.

Action Reboot the system and update the component drivers.

PCI1348

Message A PCI parity error was detected on a component at slot

<number>.

LCD Message PCI parity error on slot <number>. Re-seat PCI card.

Details System performance may be degraded, or system may fail to

operate.

Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is

removable, reinstall the device.

PCI1350

Message A PCI system error was detected on a component at slot

<number>.

LCD Message PCI parity error on slot < number >. Re-seat PCI card.

Details System performance may be degraded, or system may fail to

operate.

Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is

removable, reinstall the device.

PCI1354

Message A bus correctable error was detected on a component at slot

<number>.

Details System performance may be degraded.

Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, remove and

reinstall the device at the next scheduled service time.

Error Code Message Information PCI1356 Message A bus uncorrectable error was detected on a component at slot <number>. Details System performance may be degraded, or system may fail to operate. Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is removable, reinstall the device. PCI1358 Message A fatal error was detected on a component at slot < number >. LCD Message Fatal error on slot < number >. Re-seat PCI card. **Details** System performance may be degraded, or system may fail to operate. Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is removable, reinstall the device. PCI1360 Message A bus fatal error was detected on a component at slot <number>. LCD Message Bus fatal error on slot < number >. Re-seat PCI card. **Details** System performance may be degraded, or system may fail to operate. Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, if device is removable, reinstall the device. PCI1362 Message Bus performance degraded for a component at slot <number>. **Details** System performance may be degraded. The bus is not operating at maximum speed or width. Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, remove and reinstall the device at the next scheduled service time. PCI2000 Message A fatal IO error detected on a component at bus <bus>device<device>function <func>. LCD Message Fatal IO error on bus <bus> device <device> function <func>. **Details** System performance may be degraded, or system may fail to

operate.

reinstall the device.

Action

Cycle input power, update component drivers, remove and

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Error Code Message Information PCI2002 Message A fatal IO error detected on a component at slot < number >. LCD Message Fatal IO error on slot < number>. **Details** System performance may be degraded, or system may fail to operate. Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, remove and reinstall the device. PCI3000 Message Device option ROM on embedded NIC failed to support Link Tuning or FlexAddress. **Details** Either the BIOS, BMC/iDRAC, or LOM firmware is out of date and does not support FlexAddress. Action Update BIOS, BMC/iDRAC, and LOM firmware. If the issue persists, see Getting Help. PCI3002 Message Failed to program virtual MAC address on a component at bus <bus>device<device>function <func>. **Details** Either the BIOS, BMC/iDRAC, LOM, or NIC firmware is out of date and does not support FlexAddress. Action Update BIOS, BMC/iDRAC, LOM, and mezzanine card firmware. If the issue persists, see Getting Help. PCI3004 Device option ROM on mezzanine card < number > failed to Message

Message Device option ROM on mezzanine card < num support Link Tuning or FlexAddress.

Details Either the BIOS, BMC/iDRAC, or mezzanine card firmware is

out of date and does not support FlexAddress.

Action Update BIOS, BMC/iDRAC, and mezzanine card firmware. If

the issue persists, see **Getting Help**.

PCI3006

Message Failed to get Link Tuning or FlexAddress data from iDRAC.

Details Either the BIOS or BMC/iDRAC firmware is out of date and

does not support FlexAddress.

Action Update BIOS, and BMC/iDRAC firmware. If the issue persists,

see <u>Getting Help</u>.

PCI3008

Message A non-fatal PCIe error detected on a component at bus

<bus>device<device>function <func>.

Details System performance may be degraded.

Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, remove and

reinstall the device at the next service window.

PCI3010

Message A non-fatal IO error detected on a component at bus

<bus>device<device>function <func>.

Details System performance may be degraded.

Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, remove and

reinstall the device at the next service window.

PCI3012

Message The QuickPath Interconnect (QPI) width degraded.

Details System performance may be degraded. The bus is not

operating at maximum speed or width.

Action Reset the system, if the problem persists reinstall processors.

PCI3014

Message A non-fatal PCIe error detected on a component at slot

<number>.

Details System performance may be degraded.

Action Cycle input power, update component drivers, remove and

reinstall the device at the next scheduled service time.

PDR0001

Message Fault detected on drive < number>.

LCD Message Fault detected on drive < number >. Check drive.

Details The controller detected a failure on the disk and has taken

the disk offline.

Action Remove and re-seat the failed disk. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

PDR0002

Message A predictive failure detected on drive <*number*>.

Details The controller received a SMART error from the drive. The

drive is operational but needs replacement.

Action The drive will need replacement at the next service window.

PDR0016

Message Drive <*number>* is removed.

LCD Message Drive <*number>* is removed. Check drive.

Details The controller detected a drive removal.

Action If unintended, verify drive installation. Remove and re-seat

the indicated disk. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

PDR1001

Message Fault detected on drive <*number*> in disk drive bay <*bay*>.

LCD Message Fault detected on drive <*number>* in disk drive bay <*bay>*.

Check drive.

Details The controller detected a failure on the disk and has taken

the disk offline.

Action Re-seat the failed drive. If the issue persists, see Getting

Help.

PDR1002

Message A predictive failure detected on drive <*number*> in disk drive

bay
bay>.

Details The controller received a SMART error from the drive. The

drive is operational but needs replacement.

Action The drive will need replacement at the next service window.

PDR1016

Message Drive < number> is removed from disk drive bay < bay>.

LCD Message Drive < number > removed from disk drive bay < bay >. Check

drive.

Details The controller detected that the drive was removed.

Action Verify drive installation. Re-seat the failed drive. If the issue

persists, see Getting Help.

PDR1024

Message Drive mismatch detected for drive <number> in disk drive

bay <bay>.

LCD Message Drive mismatch detected for drive <*number>* in bay <*bay>*.

Install correct drive type.

Details The installed disk does not meet the array requirements, for

example a SATA disk may not operate in an array containing

SAS drives.

Action Verify that the disk meets the array requirements.

PST0128

Message No memory is detected.

LCD Message No memory is detected. Inspect memory devices.

Details System BIOS was unable to detect memory in the system.

Action Re-seat the memory modules. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

PST0129

Message Memory is detected, but is not configurable.

LCD Message Memory is detected, but is not configurable. Check memory

devices.

Details System BIOS detected memory, but was unable to configure

the memory for system operation.

Action Compare system memory installation to supported system

memory configurations.

PST0130

Message Memory is configured, but not usable.

LCD Message Memory is configured, but not usable. Check memory

devices

Details The system BIOS encountered device failures or speed

configurations that resulted in unused memory.

Action Re-seat the memory modules. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

PST0131

Message System BIOS shadow failed.

LCD Message System BIOS shadow failed. Check memory devices.

Details Memory errors occurred copying BIOS image into system

memory.

Action Remove input power. Reduce system memory to minimum

configuration and apply input power.

PST0132

Message CMOS failed.

LCD Message CMOS failed. Power cycle system.

Details System BIOS detected a failure with CMOS memory during

system POST.

Action Check system event log for CMOS battery exceptions.

Remove and reapply input power. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

PST0133

Message DMA controller failed.

LCD Message DMA controller failed. Power cycle system.

> System BIOS detected a failure with the DMA controller **Details**

> > during system POST.

Action Remove and reapply input power.

PST0134

Message Interrupt controller failed.

LCD Message Interrupt controller failed. Power cycle system.

Details System BIOS detected a failure with the interrupt controller

during system POST.

Action Remove and reapply input power. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

PST0135

Message Timer refresh failed.

LCD Message Timer refresh failed. Power cycle system..

Details System BIOS detected a timer refresh failure during system

POST.

Action Remove and reapply input power. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

PST0136

Message Programmable interval timer error.

LCD Message Programmable interval timer error. Power cycle system. **Details** System BIOS detected an failure with the programmable

interval timer during POST.

Action Remove and reapply input power. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

PST0137

Message Parity error.

LCD Message Parity error. Power cycle system.

Details System BIOS detected a parity error during post.

Action Remove and reapply input power. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

PST0138

SuperIO failed. Message

LCD Message SuperIO failure. Power cycle system.

Details System BIOS detected a failure with the SIO.

Action Remove and reapply input power. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

PST0139

Message Keyboard controller failed.

LCD Message Keyboard controller failed. Power cycle system.

Details System BIOS detected a failure with the Keyboard Controller.

Action Remove and reapply input power. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

PST0140

Message System management interrupt initialization failed.

LCD Message SMI initialization failed. Power cycle system.

Details System BIOS failed to initialize the system management

interrupt.

Action Remove and reapply input power. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

PST0141

Message QuickPath Interconnect (QPI) fatal error.

LCD Message QuickPath Interconnect (QPI) fatal error.

Details Quick Path Interconnect failed during system POST.

Action Reboot the system. If problem persists, remove input power

and re-seat processors.

PST0142

Message MRC fatal error.

LCD Message Memory initialization error.

Details BIOS Memory testing failed.

Action Compare system memory installation to supported system

memory configurations. Reduce system configuration to

minimum memory configuration.

PST0143

Message Intel Trusted Execution Technology (TXT) fatal error.

LCD Message Intel Trusted Execution Technology (TXT) fatal error.

Details TXT boot failed. This could be related to memory errors or

an error with the system TXT configuration. A socketed TPM $\,$

module may have been removed.

Action Check TPM presence. Remove and reapply input power. If

the issue persists, see Getting Help.

PST0192

Message Shut-down test failed.

LCD Message Shut-down test failed. Power cycle system.

Details System BIOS shutdown test failed during POST.

Action Check system event log for CMOS battery exceptions.

Remove and reapply input power. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

PST0193

Message BIOS POST memory test failed.

LCD Message BIOS POST memory test failed. Check memory devices.

Details System BIOS POST memory test failed.

Action Compare system memory installation to supported system

memory configurations. Reduce system configuration to

minimum memory configuration.

PST0194

Message Remote access controller configuration failed.

LCD Message Remote access controller configuration failed. Check screen

message.

Details System BIOS could not configure the Remote Access

controller.

Action Cycle input power and power on the system. If the issue

persists, see Getting Help.

PST0195

Message CPU configuration failed.

LCD Message CPU configuration failed. Check screen message.

Details The current processor configuration is unsupported or

encountered a fatal exception during POST.

Action Review system processor configuration and reduce the

system to the minimum configuration.

PST0196

Message Incorrect memory configuration.

LCD Message Incorrect memory configuration. Review User Guide.

Details System BIOS detected an invalid memory population.

Action Reinstall memory to match supported memory

configuration.

PST0254

Message General failure after video.

LCD Message General failure after video. Check screen message.

Details System BIOS detected a functional or configuration issue

during system POST.

Action Check system video and review event log for additional

information.

PST0256

Message POST fatal error detected.

LCD Message POST fatal error detected.

Details System BIOS detected a functional or configuration issue

during system POST.

Action Check system video and review event log for additional

information.

PSU0001

Message Power supply <number> failed.

LCD Message PSU < number > failed. Check PSU.

Action Remove and reinstall the power supply. If the issue persists,

see Getting Help.

PSU0002

Message A predictive failure detected on power supply <*number>*.

LCD Message Predictive failure on PSU < number>. Check PSU.

Details System performance and power redundancy may be

degraded or lost.

Action Remove and reinstall the power supply at the next service

window. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

PSU0003

Message The power input for power supply *<number>* is lost.

LCD Message Power input for PSU < number> is lost. Check PSU cables.

Details The power supply is installed correctly but an input source is

not connected or is not functional.

Action Verify the input source is attached to the power supply.

Verify the input power is within the operating requirements

for the power supply.

PSU0004

Message The power input for power supply < number > is outside of

the allowable range.

LCD Message Power input for PSU < number > is outside of range. Check

PSU cables.

Details The operating requirements for the power supply may be

found in this manual or on the power supply itself.

Action Verify the input source is attached to the power supply.

Verify the input power is within the operating requirements

for the power supply.

PSU0005

Message The power input for power supply < number > is outside of

the allowable range, but it is attached to the system.

Details The operating requirements for the power supply may be

found in this manual or on the power supply itself.

Action Verify the input power is within the operating requirements

for the power supply.

PSU0006

Message Power supply <*number>* type mismatch.

LCD Message Power supply <*number>* is incorrectly configured. Check

PSU.

Details Power supplies should be of the same input type and power

rating.

Action Install matched power supplies and review proper

configuration in this manual.

PSU0007

Message Power supply < number > is operating at 110 volts, and could

cause a circuit breaker fault.

Details A power supply that is designed to operate at 220V, but is

connected to a 110V power source requires additional current for operation. The additional current may trip circuit-breakers or cause other electrical issues with the input

source.

Action Check input power source and cabling. Use recommended

input power. Review this Manual. If the issue persists, see

Getting Help.

PSU0008

Message Power supply <number> voltage rating does not match the

system's requirements.

Details The system does not support mixed voltage power supplies.

Action Install a power supply with the correct voltage rating.

PSU0016

Message Power supply <*number*> is absent.

LCD Message PSU < number > is absent. Check PSU.

Details The supply has been removed or has failed.

Action

1. Remove and reinstall the power supply.

2. Check cables and subsystem components in the system

for damage.

3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

PSU0031

Message Cannot communicate with power supply <*number*>.

LCD Message Cannot communicate with PSU <*number>*. Re-seat PSU.

Details The power supply may operate, however power supply

monitoring will be degraded. System performance may be

degraded.

Action Remove and reinstall the power supply. If the issue persists,

see Getting Help.

PSU1201

Message Power supply redundancy is lost.

Details The power supply will try to operate in a degraded state.

System Performance and power redundancy may be

degraded or lost.

Action Check input power. Reinstall the power supply. If the issue

persists, see Getting Help.

PSU1202

Message Power supply redundancy is degraded.

Details The power supply will try to operate in a degraded state.

System Performance and power redundancy may be

degraded or lost.

Action Remove input power and reinstall supply at the next service

window.

PSU1203

Message The power supplies are not redundant.

LOST PSU redundancy. Check PSU cables.

Details The current power operational mode is non-redundant

because of a power supply exception, a power supply inventory change, or a system power inventory change.

Action Check the event log for power supply failures. Review

system configuration and power consumption.

PSU1204

Message The power supplies are not redundant. Insufficient resources

to maintain normal operations.

LCD Message PSU redundancy degraded. Check PSU cables.

Details The current power operational mode is non-redundant

because of a power supply exception, a power supply inventory change, or a system power inventory change.

Action Check the event log for power supply failures. Review

system configuration and power consumption.

PWR1001

Message The system performance was degraded.

LCD Message System performance degraded. Check PSUs and system

configuration.

Details To avoid shutdown, system performance has been degraded.

Action Review system configuration and system logs for thermal or

environmental failures and warnings.

PWR1002

Message The system performance degraded because of thermal

protection.

Details To avoid shutdown, system performance has been degraded.

Action Review system configuration and system logs for thermal or

environmental failures and warnings.

PWR1003

Message The system performance degraded because cooling capacity

has changed.

Details The current power supply configuration does not meet the

platform requirements to enable redundancy. If a power

supply fails the system may shutdown.

Action If unintended, review system configuration and power

consumption and install power supplies accordingly. Check

power supply status for failures.

PWR1004

Message The system performance degraded because power capacity

has changed.

Details The system may power down or operate in a performance

degraded state.

Action Check the event log for power supply failures. Review

system configuration and power consumption and upgrade

or install power supplies accordingly.

PWR1005

Message The system performance degraded because the user-

defined power capacity has changed.

Details The user-defined power settings have affected system

operation.

Action If unintended, review system configuration changes and

power policy.

PWR1006

Message The system halted because system power exceeds capacity.

LCD Message System power demand exceeds capacity. System halted.

Details The system halted because system power exceeds capacity.

Action Review system configuration, upgrade power supplies or

reduce system power consumption.

PWR1007

Message The system performance degraded because power exceeds

capacity.

LCD Message System power exceeds capacity. Performance degraded.

Check PSU configuration.

Details The system is currently operating in a performance degraded

state to attempt protect from a power shutdown.

Action Review system configuration, upgrade power supplies or

reduce system power consumption.

PWR1008

Message The system performance degraded because power draw

exceeds the power threshold.

LCD Message System power exceeds threshold. Performance degraded.

Check PSU configuration.

Details The power threshold is configured by the user or

automatically by software based on system configuration.

Action Review system configuration, upgrade power supplies or

reduce system power consumption.

RFM1003

Message Removable Flash Media < name > is not IPMI-function ready.

Details The removable flash media is installed but improperly

configured or failed to initialize.

Action If unintended, reinstall the flash media and module.

RFM1005

Message Removable Flash Media *<name>* is not ready.

Details The media is being prepared or is under maintenance. If the

problem persists, reinstall the card.

Action Wait for the media to be ready.

RFM1006

Message Removable Flash Media < name > is offline.

Details At boot, the Card Identification (CID) signature of the card is

different from the Non-volatile (NV) storage value or the card is the destination of a copy operation that is in-progress.

Action If unintended, reinstall the flash media.

RFM1008

Message Failure detected on Removable Flash Media <name>.

LCD Message Removable Flash Media < name > failed. Check SD Card.

Details An error was reported during a SD card read or write.

Action Reseat the flash media, if the issue persists replace the

media.

RFM1014

Message Removable Flash Media < name > is write protected.

LCD Message Removable Flash Media < name > is write protected. Check

SD Card.

Details The card is write-protected by the physical latch on the SD

card. A write-protected card cannot be used.

Action If unintended, remove the media and disable write

protection.

RFM1016

Message Media not present for Removable Flash Media < name>.

Details The SD card is not detected or not installed.

Action If unintended, reinstall the flash media.

RFM1021

Message Removable Flash Media is not IPMI-function ready.

Details The removable flash media is installed but improperly

configured or failed to initialize.

Action If unintended, reinstall the flash media.

RFM1022

Message Removable Flash Media is ready.

Action If unintended, reinstall the flash media.

RFM1023

Message Removable Flash Media is not ready.

Details The media is being prepared or is under maintenance. If the

problem persists, reinstall the card.

Action If unintended, reinstall the flash media.

RFM1024

Message Removable Flash Media is offline.

Details At boot, the Card Identification (CID) signature of the card is

different from the Non-volatile (NV) storage value or the card is the destination of a copy operation that is in-progress.

Action If unintended, reinstall the flash media.

RFM1026

Message Failure detected on Removable Flash Media.

Details An error is reported during a SD card read or write.

Action Reinstall the flash media, if the issue persists replace the

media.

RFM1032

Message Removable Flash Media is write protected.

Details The card is write-protected by the physical latch on the SD

card. IDSDM cannot use a write-protected card.

Action If unintended, remove the media and disable write

protection.

RFM1034

Message Media not present for Removable Flash Media.

Details The SD card is not detected or not installed.

Action If unintended, reinstall the flash media.

RFM1201

Message Internal Dual SD Module redundancy is lost.

LCD Message Internal Dual SD Module redundancy is lost. Check SD Card.

Details Either one of the SD card or both the SD cards are not

functioning properly.

Action Replace the failed SD card.

RFM1202

Message Internal Dual SD Module redundancy is degraded.

Details Either one of the SD card or both the SD cards are not

functioning properly.

Action Replace the failed SD card.

RFM1203

Message Internal Dual SD Module is not redundant.

Details Internal Dual SD Module is not redundant.

Action Install additional SD card and configure for redundancy if

redundancy is desired.

RFM1205

Message Internal Dual SD Module is not redundant. Insufficient

resources to maintain normal operations.

LCD Message Internal Dual SD Module is not redundant. Insufficient

resources. Check SD Card.

Details The current operating configuration cannot maintain

redundancy. The unit may operate in a degraded state.

Action Review this manual and SD card configuration.

RFM2001

Message Internal Dual SD Module < name > is absent.

LCD Message Internal Dual SD Module < name > is absent. Check SD Card.

Details The SD card module is not detected or not installed.

Action If unintended, reinstall the SD module.

RFM2002

Message Internal Dual SD Module < name > is offline.

Details The SD card module is installed but may be improperly

installed or configured incorrectly.

Action Reinstall the SD module.

RFM2004

Message Failure detected on Internal Dual SD Module <name>.

LCD Message Internal Dual SD Module < name > failed. Check SD Card.

Details The SD card module is installed but improperly configured or

failed to initialize.

Action Reinstall the SD module and remove and reinstall SD cards.

RFM2006

Message Internal Dual SD Module < name > is write protected.

Details The module is write-protected. Changes may not be written

to the media.

Action If unintended, remove the media and disable write

protection.

Message The chassis is open.

LCD Message Intrusion detected. Check chassis cover.

Details The chassis is open. System performance may be degraded,

and security may be compromised.

Action Close the chassis. Check system logs.

SEC0001

Message The drive bay is open.

Details The drive bay is open. A drive may be added or removed.

System performance may be degraded.

Action Close the drive bay. Check system logs.

SEC0002

Message The I/O card area is open.

Details The I/O card area is open. I/O cards may be added or

removed. System performance may be degraded.

Action Close the I/O card area. Check system logs.

SEC0003

Message The processor area is open.

Details The processor area is open. A drive may be added or

removed. System performance may be degraded.

Action Close the processor area. Check system logs.

SEC0004

Message The LAN is disconnected.

Details The LAN is disconnected. Network performance may be

degraded.

Action If unintentional, connect network cable.

SEC0005

Message Unauthorized docking is detected.

Details A removable component may have been tampered with, or

installed incorrectly, or does not meet system requirements.

Action Check removable hardware components for correct

installation. Review installation documentation.

SEC0006

Message The fan area is open.

Details The fan area is open. System performance may be degraded.

Action Close the fan area. Check system logs.

SEC0031

Message The chassis is open while the power is on.

LCD Message Intrusion detected. Check chassis cover.

Details The chassis is open. System performance may be degraded,

and security may be compromised.

Action Close the chassis. Check system logs.

SEC0033

Message The chassis is open while the power is off.

LCD Message Intrusion detected. Check chassis cover.

Details The chassis was opened while the power was off. System

security may have been comprised.

Action Close the chassis and verify hardware inventory. Check

system logs.

SEC0040

Message A critical stop occurred during OS load.

Details Operating system generated critical stop IPMI event. (Sensor

type code = 20H)

Action Check video and operating system logs for additional

information

SEC0041

Message BIOS detected an error configuring the Intel Trusted

Execution Technology (TXT).

LCD Message BIOS detected an error configuring TXT. Check system

configuration.

Details TXT initialization failure. System configuration may have

changed.

Action Check system hardware inventory and software

configuration.

SEC0042

Message Processor detected an error while performing an Intel

Trusted Execution Technology (TXT) operation.

LCD Message CPU detected an error while performing a TXT operation.

Check system configuration.

Details TXT CPU microcode boot failure. System configuration may

have changed.

Action Check system hardware inventory and software

configuration.

Error Code Message Information SEC0043 BIOS Authenticated Code Module detected an Intel Trusted Message Execution Technology (TXT) error during POST. BIOS detected a TXT error during POST. Check system LCD Message configuration. **Details** TXT Post failure. System configuration may have changed. Action Check system hardware inventory and software configuration. SEC0044 Message SINIT Authenticated Code Module detected an Intel Trusted Execution Technology (TXT) error at boot. LCD Message SINIT detected a TXT error at boot. Check system configuration. **Details** TXT initialization failure. System configuration may have changed. Action Check system hardware inventory and software configuration. SEC0600 Message A secure mode violation detected. **Details** This may apply to a physical or remote access attempt. Action Check system logs for intrusion attempts, and ensure strong password policies. SEC0602 Message User password violation detected. **Details** This may apply to a physical or remote access attempt. Action Check system logs for intrusion attempts, and ensure strong password policies. SEC0604 Message A setup password violation detected.

Details This may apply to a physical or remote access attempt.

Action Check system logs for intrusion attempts, and ensure strong

password policies.

SEC0606

Message The network boot password violation detected.

Details This may apply to a physical or remote access attempt.

Action Check system logs for intrusion attempts, and ensure strong

password policies.

SEC0608

Message A password violation detected.

Details This may apply to a physical or remote access attempt.

Action Check system logs for intrusion attempts, and ensure strong

password policies.

SEC0610

Message An Out-of-band password violation detected.

Details This may apply to a remote access attempt.

Action Check system logs for intrusion attempts, and ensure strong

password policies.

SEL0002

Message Logging is disabled.

Details This message is displayed when event logging of a specific

type is disabled by the user.

Action If unintended, re-enable logging.

SEL0006

Message All event logging is disabled.

Details This message is displayed when all event logging has been

disabled by the user.

Action If unintended, re-enable logging.

SEL0008

Message Log is full.

Details When the event log is full, additional events are not written

to the log. Older events may be overwritten and lost. This message may also appear if the user disabled event logging.

Action Backup and clear log.

SEL0010

Message Log is almost full.

Details When the event log is full, additional events are not written

to the log. Older events may be overwritten and lost.

Action Backup and clear log at the next maintained time.

SEL0012

Message Could not create or initialize the system event log.

Details If the system event log fails to initialize, platform status and

failure events are not captured. Some management software

do not report platform exceptions.

Action Reboot the management controller or iDRAC. Cycle system

input power. If problem persists call support.

SEL1204

Message An unknown system hardware failure detected.

LCD Message Unknown system hardware failure.

Details If the system event log failed to initialize platform status and

failure events are not captured. Some management software

will not report platform exceptions.

Action Re-configure system to minimum supported configuration. If

issues persists, contact support.

SEL1209

Message The platform event filter action failed.

Details System policies or permissions may prevent the action from

executing. If configured, the system does not execute the action on a platform event (such as power down, cycle,

interrupt, and send alert).

Action Review platform event configuration.

SEL1211

Message The time-stamp clock could not be synchronized.

Details The time stamp on system event log events may not

correlate to the system time.

Action Cycle system input power. If problem persists, contact

support.

SEL1300

Message No bootable media found.

Details System setup displays the system boot order. The local video

screen may also show additional information. (IPMI sensor

type code 1eh - offset 00h).

Action Check system boot settings. Check if mass storage controller

configuration settings are applicable.

SEL1302

Message Non-bootable diskette detected.

Details The disk in the drive is not formatted correctly or does not

contain the necessary operating system files.

Action Replace diskette with a bootable disk.

SEL1304

Message The PXE server not found.

Error Code Message Information

Details PXE is one way to boot a system from the network.

Action Check the network and PXE server configuration.

Message

Details The disk in the drive is not formatted correctly or does not

Invalid boot sector found.

contain the necessary operating system files.

Action Replace diskette with a bootable disk.

SEL1308

SEL1306

Message A time-out occurred while waiting for user to select a boot

source.

Details The system has failed to boot to an operating system and

needs the user to select a boot source.

Action Select boot source within the time allowed.

SEL1501

Message Chassis management controller (CMC) redundancy is lost.

Details An action or failure has taken place that breaks CMC

redundancy.

Action Check the CMC network cables and network connections.

Check that CMC firmware versions match.

SEL1502

Message Chassis management controller (CMC) redundancy is

degraded.

Details An action or failure has taken place that breaks CMC

redundancy.

Action Check the CMC network cables and network connections.

Check that CMC firmware versions match.

SEL1504

Message The chassis management controller (CMC) is not redundant.

Insufficient resources to maintain normal operations.

Details There is not enough available power for two CMC's to

operate.

Action Check the overall power consumption and power status.

SEL1506

Message Lost communications with Chassis Group Member

<number>.

Details The primary CMC has lost communication with the indicated

member CMC.

Error Code Message Information Check the network cable and network connections. Action SEL1508 Message Member < number > could not join the Chassis Group. **Details** The indicated member CMC is a leader of a different CMC stacking group. Action Check if member CMC is a leader of a different chassis group. SEL1510 An authentication error detected for Chassis Group Member Message <number>. Details Group master CMC could not log into the group member CMC. Action Check the login credentials of CMC. SEL9900 Message An unsupported event occurred. Details The current software version cannot decode this event. You may need to review this event using a tool which displays raw data such as Ipmitool with the -vvv option or Racadm with the -E option. Upgrade the management software. Action SWC4004 Message A firmware or software incompatibility detected between iDRAC in slot < number > and CMC. **Details** FlexAddress is not implemented in one of the versions of firmware. Action Check the firmware versions of iDRAC and CMC. Update with the latest version. SWC4006 A firmware or software incompatibility detected between Message system BIOS in slot < number > and CMC. **Details** FlexAddress is not implemented in one of the versions of firmware. Action Check the firmware versions of BIOS and CMC. Update with the latest version.

CMC 1 and CMC 2.

A firmware or software incompatibility detected between

SWC4008

Message

Details FlexAddress is not implemented in one of the versions of

firmware. Please update the firmware.

Action Check firmware versions. Update CMC 1 and CMC 2

firmware to match.

SWC5001

Message < name > upgrade failed.

Action Reboot the system and attempt the upgrade again.

TMP0100

Message The system board <name> temperature is less than the lower

warning threshold.

LCD Message System board <name> temperature is outside of range.

Details Ambient air temperature is too cool.

Action Check the system operating environment.

TMP0101

Message The system board <name> temperature is less than the lower

critical threshold.

LCD Message System board <*name>* temperature is outside of range.

Details Ambient air temperature is too cool.

Action Check the system operating environment.

TMP0102

Message The system board <name> temperature is greater than the

upper warning threshold

LCD Message System board <*name>* temperature is outside of range.

Details Ambient air temperature is too warm or one or more fans

may have failed.

Action The system board <*name>* temperature is outside of the

optimum range. Check the fans.

TMP0103

Message The system board <name> temperature is greater than the

upper critical threshold.

LCD Message System board <*name>* temperature is outside of range.

Details Ambient air temperature is too warm or one or more fans

may have failed.

Action The system board <name> temperature is outside of the

optimum range. Check the fans.

Error Code Message Information TMP0104 Message The system board < name > temperature is outside of range. LCD Message System board <name> temperature is outside of range. Details Ambient air temperature is too warm or cool. Action The system board <name> temperature is outside of the optimum range. Check Fans. TMP0106 Message The memory module < number > temperature is less than the lower warning threshold. LCD Message Memory module < number > temperature is outside of range. **Details** Ambient air temperature is too cool. Action Check the system operating environment. TMP0107 The memory module < number > temperature is less than the Message lower critical threshold. LCD Message Memory module < number > temperature is outside of range. **Details** Ambient air temperature is too cool. Action Check the system operating environment. TMP0108 Message The memory module <*number*> temperature is greater than the upper warning threshold. LCD Message Memory module < number > temperature is outside of range. Check Fans. **Details** Ambient air temperature is too warm or one or more fans may have failed. Action The system board <name> temperature is outside of the optimum range. Check Fans. TMP0109 Message The memory module *<number>* temperature is greater than the upper critical threshold. LCD Message Memory module < number > temperature is outside of range. Check Fans.

Details

Ambient air temperature is too warm or one or more fans

may have failed.

Action The system board <*name*> temperature is outside of the

optimum range. Check Fans.

Error Code Message Information TMP0110 Message The memory module <number> temperature is outside of range. LCD Message Memory module < number > temperature is outside of range. Check Fans. **Details** Ambient air temperature is too warm or cool. Action Check the system operating environment. TMP0112 Message The <name> temperature is less than the lower warning threshold. LCD Message The <name> temperature is outside of range. **Details** Ambient air temperature is too cool. Action Check the system operating environment. TMP0113 Message The <name> temperature is less than the lower critical threshold. LCD Message The <name> temperature is outside of range. **Details** Ambient air temperature is too cool. Action Check the system operating environment. TMP0114 Message The <name> temperature is greater than the upper warning threshold. LCD Message The <name> temperature is outside of range. Check Fans Ambient air temperature is too warm or one or more fans Details may have failed. Action Check the system operating environment and review event log for fan failures. TMP0115 Message The <name> temperature is greater than the upper critical threshold. LCD Message The <name> temperature is outside of range. Check Fans **Details** Ambient air temperature is too warm or one or more fans may have failed. Action Check the system operating environment and review event log for fan failures.

The <name> temperature is outside of range.

TMP0116

Message

LCD Message The <*name*> temperature is outside of range. Check Fans

Action Check the system operating environment and review event

log for fan failures.

TMP0118

Message The system inlet temperature is less than the lower warning

threshold.

LCD Message System inlet temperature is outside of range.

Details Ambient air temperature is too cool.

Action Check the system operating environment.

TMP0119

Message The system inlet temperature is less than the lower critical

threshold.

LCD Message System inlet temperature is outside of range.

Details Ambient air temperature is too cool.

Action Check the system operating environment.

TMP0120

Message The system inlet temperature is greater than the upper

warning threshold.

LCD Message System inlet temperature is outside of range.

Details Ambient air temperature is too warm or one or more fans

may have failed.

Action Check the system operating environment and review event

log for fan failures.

TMP0121

Message The system inlet temperature is greater than the upper

critical threshold.

LCD Message System inlet <*name>* temperature is outside of range. Check

Fans.

Details Ambient air temperature is too warm or one or more fans

may have failed.

Action Check the system operating environment and review event

log for fan failures.

TMP0122

Message The system inlet temperature is outside of range.

LCD Message System inlet <*name>* temperature is outside of range. Check

Fans.

Details Ambient air temperature is too warm or cool.

Action Check the system operating environment and review event

log for fan failures.

TMP0100

Message Disk drive bay temperature is less than the lower warning

threshold.

Details Ambient air temperature is too cool.

Action Check the system operating environment.

TMP0104

Message Disk drive bay temperature is less than the lower critical

threshold.

LCD Message Disk drive bay temperature is outside of range. Check Fans.

Details Ambient air temperature is too cool.

Action Check the system operating environment.

TMP0126

Message Disk drive bay temperature is greater than the upper warning

threshold.

LCD Message Disk drive bay temperature is outside of range. Check Fans.

Details Ambient air temperature is too warm or one or more fans

may have failed.

Action Check the system operating environment and review event

log for fan failures.

TMP0128

Message Disk drive bay temperature is outside of the allowable range.

LCD Message Disk drive bay temperature is outside of range. Check Fans.

Details Ambient air temperature is too warm or cool.

Action Check the system operating environment and review event

log for fan failures.

TMP0130

Message The control panel temperature is less than the lower warning

threshold.

LCD Message Control panel temperature is outside of range.

Details Ambient air temperature is too cool.

Action Check the system operating environment.

TMP0132

Message The control panel temperature is greater than the upper

warning threshold.

Error Code Message Information LCD Message Control panel temperature is outside of range. **Details** Ambient air temperature is too warm or one or more fans may have failed. Action Check the system operating environment and review event log for fan failures. TMP0134 Message The control panel temperature is outside of the allowable range. LCD Message Control panel temperature is outside of range. **Details** Ambient air temperature is too warm or cool. Action Check the system operating environment and review event log for fan failures. **VLT0100** Message Processor module <name> voltage is less than the lower warning threshold. LCD Message Processor module <name> voltage is outside of range. **Details** System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage condition. If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the system may power down in fail-safe mode. Action 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

- 2. Remove the processor module. Inspect processor socket for bent pins.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0101

Message Processor module *<name>* voltage is less than the lower

critical threshold.

LCD Message Processor module *<name>* voltage is outside of range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

2. Remove the processor module. Inspect processor socket for bent pins.

3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

Error Code Message Information VLT0102 Message Processor module <name> voltage is greater than the upper warning threshold. LCD Message Processor module <name> voltage is outside of range. Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage condition. If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the system may power down in fail-safe mode. Action 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions. 2. Remove the processor module. Inspect processor socket for bent pins. 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help. VLT0103 Message Processor module <name> voltage is greater than the upper critical threshold. LCD Message Processor module <name> voltage is outside of range. **Details** System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage condition. If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the system may power down in fail-safe mode. Action 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions. 2. Remove the processor module. Inspect processor socket for bent pins. If the issue persists, see Getting Help. VLT0104 Message Processor module <name> voltage is outside of the allowable range. LCD Message Processor module <name> voltage is outside of range. **Details** System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

- 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.
- Remove the processor module. Inspect processor 2. socket for bent pins.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

Message The system board <name> voltage is less than the lower

critical threshold.

LCD Message System board voltage is outside of range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

2. Remove the processor module. Inspect processor

socket for bent pins.

3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0201

Message The system board <name> voltage is less than the lower

warning threshold.

LCD Message System board voltage is outside of range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration,

inspect and reinstall system cables.

3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0202

Message The system board <*name*> voltage is greater than the upper

warning threshold.

LCD Message System board voltage is outside of range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.

3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

Error Code Message Information VLT0203 Message LCD Message

System board voltage is outside of range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition

critical threshold.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

The system board <name> voltage is greater than the upper

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration,

inspect and reinstall system cables.

3. If the issue persists, see <u>Getting Help</u>.

VLT0204

Message The system board <*name*> voltage is outside of the allowable

range.

LCD Message System board voltage is outside of range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration,

inspect and reinstall system cables.

3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0206

Message The memory module <*number*> <*name*> voltage is less than

the lower warning threshold.

LCD Message Memory module <number> <name> voltage is outside of

range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.

inspect and remstall system cables.

3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0207

Message The memory module <number> <name> voltage is less than

the lower critical threshold.

LCD Message Memory module <number> <name> voltage is outside of

range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration,

inspect and reinstall system cables.

3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0208

Message The memory module <number> <name> voltage is greater

than the upper warning threshold.

LCD Message Memory module < number> < name> voltage is outside of

range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration,

inspect and reinstall system cables.

3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0209

Message The memory module *<number> <name>* voltage is greater

than the upper critical threshold.

LCD Message Memory module <number> <name> voltage is outside of

range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

- 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.
- 2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0210

Message The memory module <number> <name> voltage is outside

of range.

LCD Message Memory module <number> <name> voltage is outside of

range

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration,

inspect and reinstall system cables.

3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0212

Message The disk drive bay <name> voltage is less than the lower

warning threshold.

LCD Message The disk drive bay <*name>* voltage is outside of range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.

3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0213

Message The disk drive bay <name> voltage is less than the lower

critical threshold.

LCD Message The disk drive bay <name> voltage is outside of range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

- 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.
- 2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0214

Message The disk drive bay <name> voltage is greater than the upper

critical threshold.

LCD Message The disk drive bay <name> voltage is outside of range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage condition.

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Action

- 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.
- 2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0215

Message The disk drive bay <name> voltage is greater than the upper

critical threshold.

LCD Message The disk drive bay <*name>* voltage is outside of range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

- 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.
- 2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0216

Message The *<name>* voltage is outside of range.

LCD Message The *<name>* voltage is outside of range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

- 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.
- 2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0218

Message The <name> voltage is less than the lower warning

threshold.

LCD Message The <name> voltage is outside of range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

- 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.
- 2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0219

Message The <name> voltage is less than the lower critical threshold.

LCD Message

The <name> voltage is outside of range.

Details

System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

- 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.
- 2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0220

Message The <name> voltage is greater than the upper warning

threshold.

LCD Message The *<name>* voltage is outside of range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

- 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.
- 2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0221

Message The <name> voltage is greater than the upper critical

threshold.

LCD Message The <name> voltage is outside of range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

- 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.
- 2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0222

Message The *<name>* voltage is outside of range.

LCD Message The <name> voltage is outside of range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

- 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.
- 2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0224

Message The memory module *<name>* voltage is less than the lower

warning threshold.

LCD Message Memory module <number> <name> voltage is outside of

range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

- 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.
- 2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0225

Message The memory module <name> voltage is less than the lower

critical threshold.

LCD Message Memory module <number> <name> voltage is outside of

range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

- 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.
- 2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0226

Message The memory module <*name*> voltage is greater than the

upper warning threshold.

LCD Message Memory module <number> <name> voltage is outside of

range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

- 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.
- 2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0227

Message The memory module <name> voltage is greater than the

upper critical threshold.

Error Code Message Information LCD Message Memory module <number> <name> voltage is outside of range. **Details** System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage condition. If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the system may power down in fail-safe mode. Action Review system logs for power supply exceptions. 1. 2. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration, inspect and reinstall system cables. 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help. VLT0228 Message The memory module <name> voltage is outside of range. LCD Message Memory module <number> <name> voltage is outside of range. **Details** System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage condition. If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the system may power down in fail-safe mode. Action 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions. Re-configure the system to minimum configuration. inspect and reinstall system cables. 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help. VLT0230 Message The mezzanine card <number> <name> voltage is less than the lower warning threshold. Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage condition. If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

Message

- 1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.
- 2. Re-seat the mezzanine card.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0231

The mezzanine card <number> <name> voltage is less than

the lower critical threshold

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

2. Re-seat the mezzanine card.

3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0232

Message The mezzanine card <number> <name> voltage is greater

than the upper warning threshold.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

2. Re-seat the mezzanine card.

3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0233

Message The mezzanine card <number> <name> voltage is greater

than the upper critical threshold.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

2. Re-seat the mezzanine card.

3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

VLT0234

Message The mezzanine card <number> <name> voltage is outside of

range.

Details System hardware detected an over voltage or under voltage

condition.

If multiple voltage exceptions occur consecutively the

system may power down in fail-safe mode.

Action

1. Review system logs for power supply exceptions.

- 2. Re-seat the mezzanine card.
- 3. If the issue persists, see Getting Help.

Warning messages

A warning message alerts you to a possible problem and prompts you to respond before the system continues a task. For example, before you format a hard drive, a message warns you that you may lose all data on the hard drive. Warning messages usually interrupt the task and require you to respond by typing y (yes) or n (no).



NOTE: Warning messages are generated by either the application or the operating system. For more information, see the documentation that accompanied the operating system or application.

Diagnostic messages

The system diagnostic utilities may issue messages if you run diagnostic tests on your system. See <u>Running The Embedded System Diagnostics</u> for more information about system diagnostics.

Alert messages

Systems management software generates alert messages for your system. Alert messages include information, status, warning, and failure messages for drive, temperature, fan, and power conditions. For more information, see the systems management software documentation.

Getting help

Contacting Dell

NOTE: If you do not have an active Internet connection, you can find contact information on your purchase invoice, packing slip, bill, or Dell product catalog.

Dell provides several online and telephone-based support and service options. Availability varies by country and product, and some services may not be available in your area. To contact Dell for sales, technical support, or customer service issues:

- 1. Go to dell.com/support.
- 2. Select your support category.
- **3.** Verify your country or region in the **Choose a Country/Region** drop-down list at the bottom of the page.
- **4.** Select the appropriate service or support link based on your need.