

Netstor 3U 16 bays Rackmount

Quick Installation Guide

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1. Overview

Netstor 3U 16 bays SAS/SATA desktop storage solution provides a best performance and most easy way to expand external storage capacity through the high bandwidth miniSAS interface architecture. With the IPC-grade Power Supply and No-noise cooling design allows Studio usage in long period Video/Audio Editing and close-proximity application.

2. Package Checklist

Before installing this unit, verify that package contains the following items.

Enclosure x 1

HDD Tray x 16

Power Cord x 1

CD-User Manual x 1

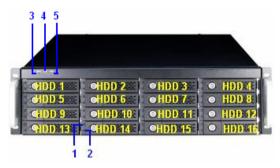
Hard Drive Mounting Screw x 64

Key for HDD tray x 2

miniSAS to miniSAS cable x 4 (Optional)

Notify your sales representative if any of the above items are missing or damaged.

3. Product Description Panel Layout



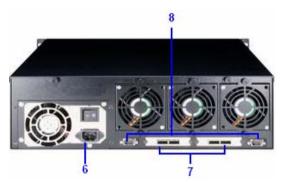
- 1. HDD Power LED
- 2. HDD Status LED
- Mute Button Reset for Buzzer Beeping
- 4. Fan Status LED

Normal – Green;

Fail – Red (too slow rpm or stop)

5. Temperature LED

Normal – Green; Over 55°C – Red



- 6. Power Cord Receptacle
- 7. miniSAS (SFF8088) connector for connection with Host system.
- DB9 connector Connecting SGPIO singal for HDD fail display

4. Product Connection

4.1 Connecting the Host Channel 1~4 to the miniSAS connector marked With no. 1 and Channel 5~8 to miniSAS connector Marked with no. 2 etc...

The following connection only for using Areca's SATA card of ARC-1231ML, ARC-1261ML and ARC-1281ML.

4.2 This enclosure particularly supports Areca's SATA card of ARC-1231ML, ARC-1261ML and ARC-1281ML with SGPIO signal for enclosure management of HDD fail display. Please purchase Netstor's optional converter kits of NS970S-SGPIO package then you will have an extra RS-232 cable(s) for connection between Host (on NS970S) and this Chassis.

5. Optinal Accessories

Cable:



AAMMM1- Length: 1m

External miniSAS (SFF8088) to miniSAS(SFF8088) cable

Converter:



NS970S-

Quad Internal miniSAS(SFF8087) to Quad External miniSAS (SFF8088)

NS970S-SGPIO Package



Quad Internal miniSAS(SFF8087) to Quad External miniSAS (SFF8088), With RS-232 cable for External SGPIO connection.