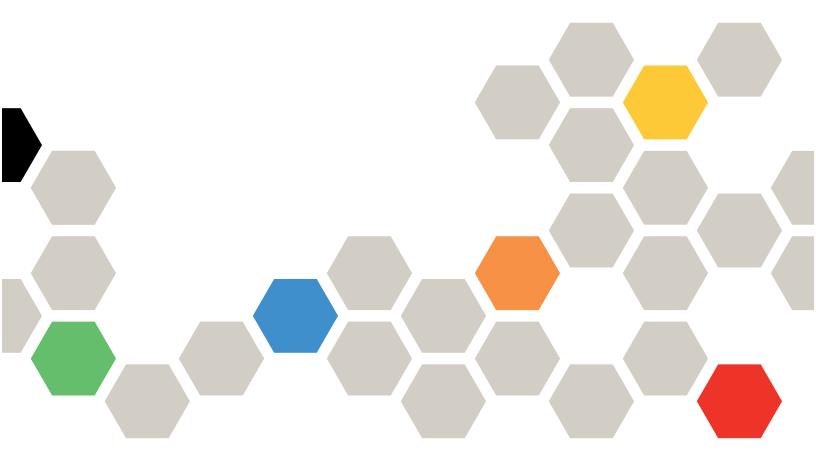
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ThinkSystem SR850 V4 Internal Cable Routing Guide



Machine Type: 7DJT, 7DJS, and 7DJU

Note

Before using this information and the product it supports, be sure to read and understand the safety information and the safety instructions, which are available at: https://pubs.lenovo.com/safety_documentation/

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Safety

Before installing this product, read the Safety Information.

Antes de instalar este produto, leia as Informações de Segurança.

在安装本产品之前,请仔细阅读 Safety Information (安全信息)。

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Prije instalacije ovog produkta obavezno pročitajte Sigurnosne Upute.

Před instalací tohoto produktu si přečtěte příručku bezpečnostních instrukcí.

Læs sikkerhedsforskrifterne, før du installerer dette produkt.

Lees voordat u dit product installeert eerst de veiligheidsvoorschriften.

Ennen kuin asennat tämän tuotteen, lue turvaohjeet kohdasta Safety Information.

Avant d'installer ce produit, lisez les consignes de sécurité.

Vor der Installation dieses Produkts die Sicherheitshinweise lesen.

Πριν εγκαταστήσετε το προϊόν αυτό, διαβάστε τις πληροφορίες ασφάλειας (safety information).

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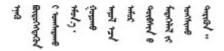
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Les sikkerhetsinformasjonen (Safety Information) før du installerer dette produktet.

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Safety inspection checklist

Use the information in this section to identify potentially unsafe conditions with your server. As each machine was designed and built, required safety items were installed to protect users and service technicians from injury.

Note: The product is not suitable for use at visual display workplaces according to §2 of the Workplace Regulations.

Note: The set-up of the server is made in the server room only.

CAUTION:

This equipment must be installed or serviced by trained personnel, as defined by the NEC, IEC 62368-1 & IEC 60950-1, the standard for Safety of Electronic Equipment within the Field of Audio/Video, Information Technology and Communication Technology. Lenovo assumes you are qualified in the servicing of equipment and trained in recognizing hazards energy levels in products. Access to the equipment is by the use of a tool, lock and key, or other means of security, and is controlled by the authority responsible for the location.

Important: Electrical grounding of the server is required for operator safety and correct system function. Proper grounding of the electrical outlet can be verified by a certified electrician.

Use the following checklist to verify that there are no potentially unsafe conditions:

- 1. Make sure that the power is off and the power cord is disconnected.
- 2. Check the power cord.
 - Make sure that the third-wire ground connector is in good condition. Use a meter to measure third-wire ground continuity for 0.1 ohm or less between the external ground pin and the frame ground.
 - Make sure that the power cord is the correct type.

To view the power cords that are available for the server:

a. Go to:

http://dcsc.lenovo.com/#/

- b. Click Preconfigured Model or Configure to order.
- c. Enter the machine type and model for your server to display the configurator page.
- d. Click **Power → Power Cables** to see all line cords.
- Make sure that the insulation is not frayed or worn.
- 3. Check for any obvious non-Lenovo alterations. Use good judgment as to the safety of any non-Lenovo alterations.
- 4. Check inside the server for any obvious unsafe conditions, such as metal filings, contamination, water or other liquid, or signs of fire or smoke damage.
- 5. Check for worn, frayed, or pinched cables.
- 6. Make sure that the power-supply cover fasteners (screws or rivets) have not been removed or tampered with.

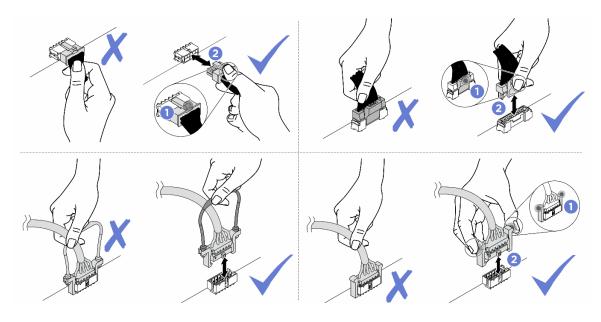
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Internal cable routing

See this section to do cable routing for specific components.

Notes: Follow below guidelines when connecting cables:

- Turn off the server before you connect or disconnect any internal cables.
- See the documentation that comes with any external devices for additional cabling instructions. It might be easier for you to route cables before you connect the devices to the server.
- Cable identifiers of some cables are printed on the cables that come with the server and optional devices.
 Use these identifiers to connect the cables to the correct connectors.
- Ensure that the cable is not pinched and does not cover any connectors or obstruct any components on the system board assembly.
- Ensure that the relevant cables pass through the cable clips.
- Disengage all latches, release tabs, or locks on cable connectors when you disconnect cables from the
 system board assembly. Failing to release them before removing the cables will damage the cable sockets
 on the system board assembly, which are fragile. Any damage to the cable sockets might require
 replacing the system board assembly.
- Remove the cable connectors vertically or horizontally in alignment with the orientations of the corresponding cable sockets, avoiding any tilt.



Identifying connectors

See this section to locate and identify the connectors on the electric boards.

Drive backplane connectors

See this section to locate the connectors on the drive backplanes.

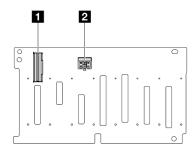
Two types of drive backplanes are supported in this server:

"8 x 2.5-inch SAS/SATA front backplane" on page 2

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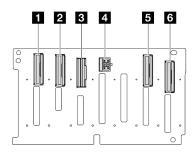
- "8 x 2.5-inch AnyBay front backplane" on page 2
- "E3.S drive backplane" on page 2
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8 x 2.5-inch SAS/SATA front backplane



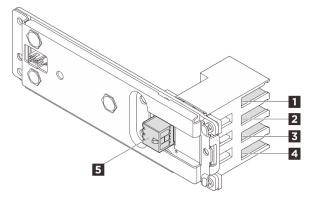
1 SAS connector	2 Power connector
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8 x 2.5-inch AnyBay front backplane



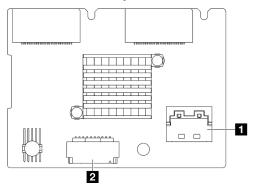
NVMe 6-7 connector	2 NVMe 4-5 connector	
3 SAS connector	4 Power connector	
NVMe 2-3 connector	NVMe 0-1 connector	

E3.S drive backplane



■ Bay 0	2 Bay 1
B Bay 2	4 Bay 3
5 Power connector	

Rear M.2 boot adapter



Signal connector	2 Power connector
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PCIe riser card connectors

See this section to locate the connectors on the PCIe riser card.

Two-slot riser card

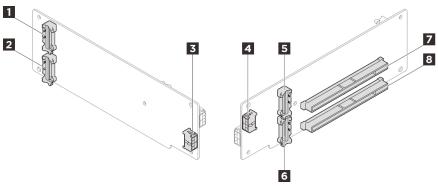


Figure 1. Two-slot riser card connectors

1 R3 connector	2 R1 connector	
Riser power connector	4 GPU power connector	
■ R4 connector	6 R2 connector	
PCle x16 (Gen5 x16) slot	■ PCle x16 (Gen5 x16) slot	

Three-slot riser card (with power connector)

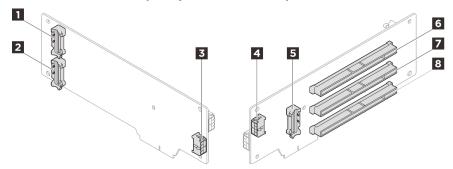


Figure 2. Three-slot riser card connectors (with power connector)

■ R3 connector	2 R1 connector	
3 Riser power connector	4 GPU power connector	
5 R2 connector	5 PCle x16 (Gen5 x8) slot	
PCle x16 (Gen5 x16) slot	PCle x16 (Gen4 x16) slot	

Three-slot riser card (without power connector)

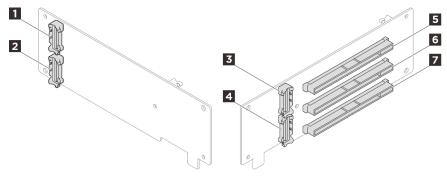


Figure 3. Three-slot riser card (without power connector)

■ R3 connector	2 R1 connector
3 R4 connector	4 R2 connector
FCle x16 (Gen5 x16) slot	PCle x16 (Gen5 x8) slot
PCle x16 (Gen5 x8) slot	

Power distribution board connectors

See this section to locate the connectors on the power distribution board.

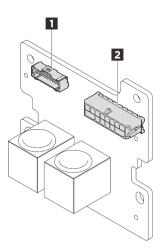
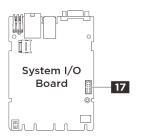


Figure 4. Power distribution board connectors

Power distribution board sideband connector	2 PCle riser power connector
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System-board-assembly connectors for cable routing

The following illustrations show the internal connectors on the system board assembly that are used for internal cable routing.



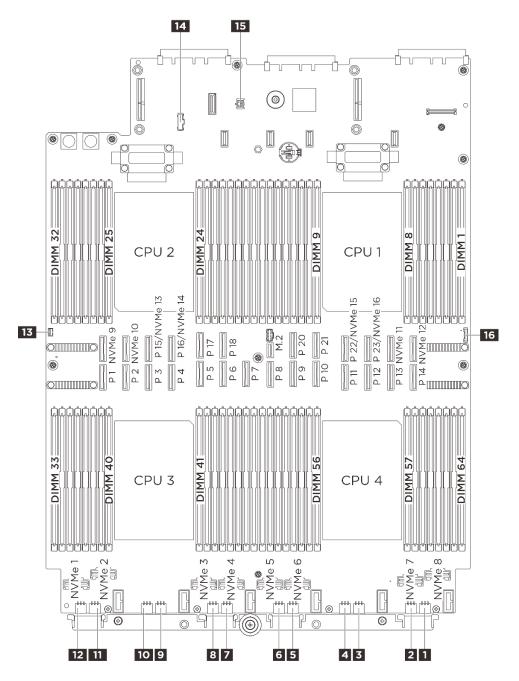


Figure 5. System-board-assembly connectors

Table 1. System-board-assembly connectors

■ Backplane 12 power connector	2 Backplane 11 power connector
■ Backplane 10 power connector	4 Backplane 9 power connector
5 Backplane 8 power connector	Backplane 7 power connector
■ Backplane 6 power connector	Backplane 5 power connector
Backplane 4 power connector	10 Backplane 3 power connector
11 Backplane 2 power connector	12 Backplane 1 power connector
13 Intrusion switch connector	14 Power distribution board sideband connector
15 Leakage sensor connector	16 Front panel USB connector
17 Serial port connector	

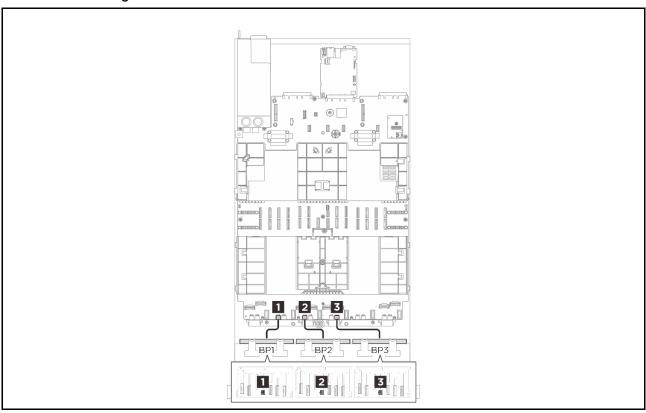
2.5-inch drive backplane cable routing

Use the section to understand the cable routing for the 2.5-inch drive backplane.

Before routing the power or NVMe cables for the 2.5-inch drive backplanes, remove the fans and fan cage. See "Remove a fan" and "Remove the fan cage" in User Guide or Hardware Maintenance Guide.

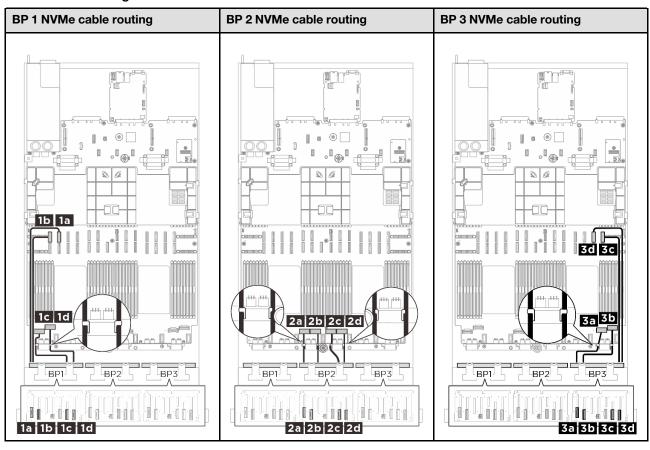
- Connections between connectors; 1 ↔ 1, 2 ↔ 2, 3 ↔ 3, ... n ↔ n
- The Cable PN or FRU PN can be found on the label attached to the cable.
- · When routing the cables, make sure that all cables are routed appropriately through the corresponding cable guides and cable clips.
- The illustrations in this section use the HL PCIe riser as an example for PCIe riser 1 and 3, the routing is the same for the FL PCle riser.
- AnyBay backplanes are used as NVMe backplanes when no RAID/HBA adapters are installed.
- AnyBay backplanes currently support NVMe drives only. Support for SAS/SATA drives or NVMe + SAS/ SATA drives will be enabled via a firmware update in Q4 of 2025.

Power cable routing



From (Backplane)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
1 BP1: PWR	■ BP3 PWR	6P+6S to 6P+6S (150 mm)
2 BP2: PWR	2 BP5 PWR	6P+6S to 6P+6S (150 mm)
3 BP3: PWR	3 BP8 PWR	6P+6S to 6P+6S (150 mm)

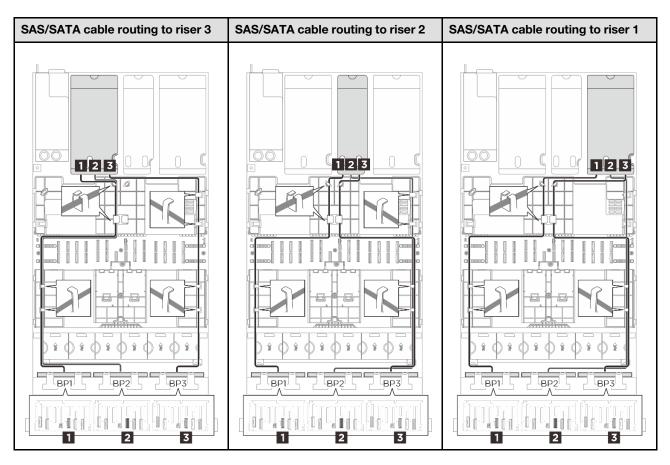
NVMe cable routing



From (Backplane)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
1a BP1: NVMe 0-1	1a NVMe 10	MCIO x8 to MCIO x8 (420 mm)
1b BP1: NVMe 2-3	1b NVMe 9	MCIO x8 to MCIO x8 (420 mm)
1c BP1: NVMe 4-5	1c NVMe 1	Swift x8 to MCIO x8 (150 mm)
1d BP1: NVMe 6-7	1d NVMe 2	Swift x8 to MCIO x8 (150 mm)
2a BP2: NVMe 0-1	2a NVMe 3	Swift x8 to MCIO x8 (150 mm)
2b BP2: NVMe 2-3	2b NVMe 4	Swift x8 to MCIO x8 (150 mm)
2c BP2: NVMe 4-5	2c NVMe 5	Swift x8 to MCIO x8 (150 mm)
2d BP2: NVMe 6-7	2d NVMe 6	Swift x8 to MCIO x8 (150 mm)
3a BP3: NVMe 0-1	3a NVMe 7	Swift x8 to MCIO x8 (150 mm)
3b BP3: NVMe 2-3	3b NVMe 8	Swift x8 to MCIO x8 (150 mm)
3c BP3: NVMe 4-5	3c NVMe 12	MCIO x8 to MCIO x8 (420 mm)
3d BP3: NVMe 6-7	3d NVMe 11	MCIO x8 to MCIO x8 (420 mm)

SAS/SATA cable routing (three risers)

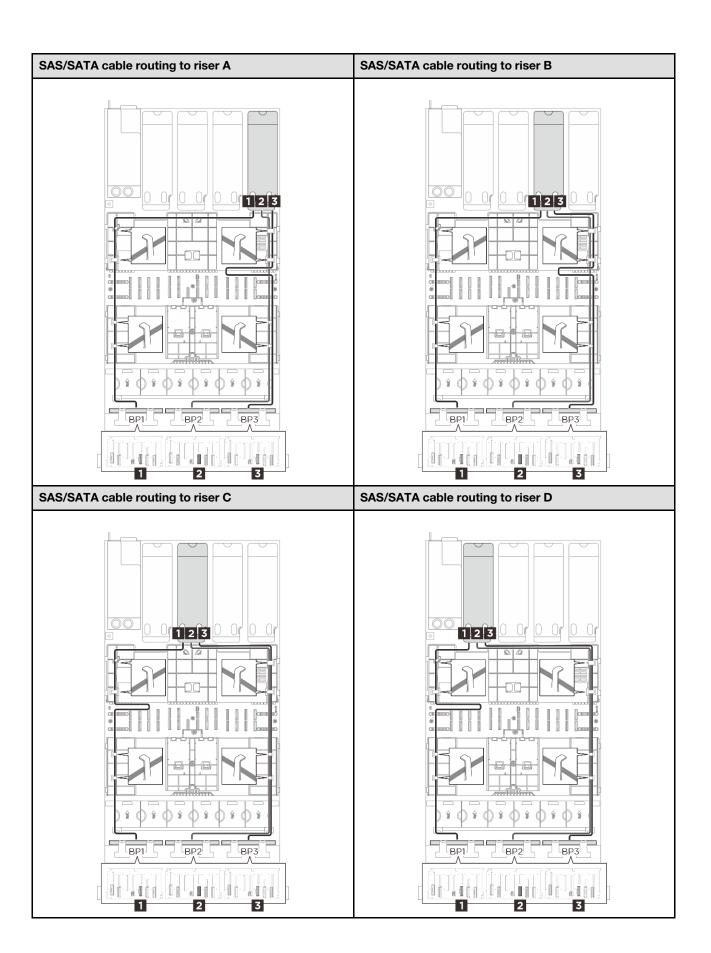
Based on the location of the adapter, select the corresponding routing path for SAS/SATA cable from the following table.



From (Backplane)	To (RAID/HBA adapter)	Cable
■ BP1: SAS	16i Gen 4: C016i Gen 3: C0, C18i Gen 4: C08i Gen 3: C0, C1	SlimSAS x8 to SlimSAS x8 (1020 mm)
2 BP2: SAS	 16i Gen 4: C1 16i Gen 3: C2, C3 8i Gen 4: C0 8i Gen 3: C0, C1 	SlimSAS x8 to SlimSAS x8 (1020 mm)
BBP3: SAS	8i Gen 4: C0 8i Gen 3: C0, C1	SlimSAS x8 to SlimSAS x8 (1020 mm)

SAS/SATA cable routing (four risers)

Based on the location of the adapter, select the corresponding routing path for SAS/SATA cable from the following table.



From (Backplane)	To (RAID/HBA adapter)	Cable
■ BP1: SAS	 16i Gen 4: C0 16i Gen 3: C0, C1 8i Gen 4: C0 8i Gen 3: C0, C1 	SlimSAS x8 to SlimSAS x8 (1020 mm)
2 BP2: SAS	• 16i Gen 4: C1 • 16i Gen 3: C2, C3 • 8i Gen 4: C0 • 8i Gen 3: C0, C1	SlimSAS x8 to SlimSAS x8 (1020 mm)
BBP3: SAS	8i Gen 4: C08i Gen 3: C0, C1	SlimSAS x8 to SlimSAS x8 (1020 mm)

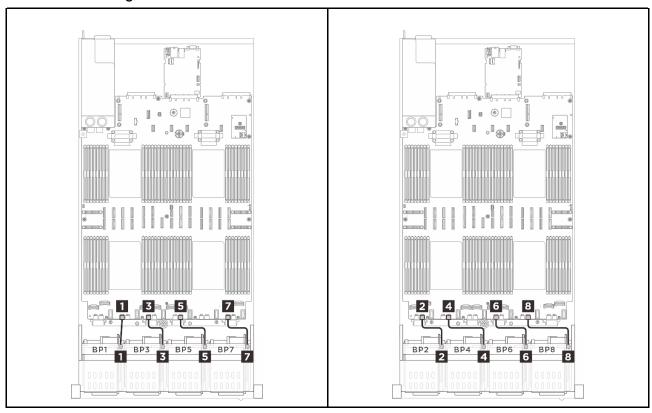
E3.S backplane cable routing

Use the section to understand the cable routing for the E3.S backplane.

Before routing the cables for the E3.S backplanes, remove the fans and fan cage. See "Remove a fan" and "Remove the fan cage" in User Guide or Hardware Maintenance Guide.

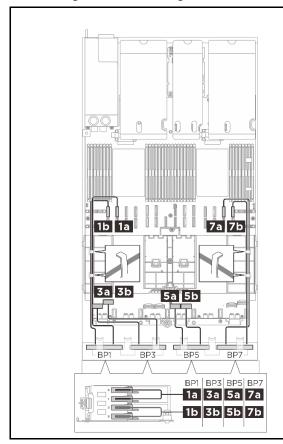
- Connections between connectors; 1 → 1, 2 → 2, 3 → 3, ... n → n
- The Cable PN or FRU PN can be found on the label attached to the cable.
- When routing the cables, make sure that all cables are routed appropriately through the corresponding cable guides and cable clips.

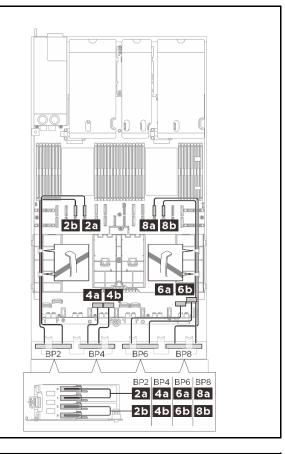
Power cable routing



From (Backplane)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
1 BP1: PWR	■ BP3 PWR	6P+6S to 6P+6S (150 mm)
2 BP2: PWR	2 BP2 PWR	6P+6S to 6P+6S (150 mm)
BP3: PWR	BP5 PWR	6P+6S to 6P+6S (150 mm)
4 BP4: PWR	4 BP4 PWR	6P+6S to 6P+6S (150 mm)
5 BP5: PWR	5 BP8 PWR	6P+6S to 6P+6S (150 mm)
6 BP6: PWR	6 BP7 PWR	6P+6S to 6P+6S (150 mm)
7 BP7: PWR	■ BP11 PWR	6P+6S to 6P+6S (150 mm)
8 BP8: PWR	B BP10 PWR	6P+6S to 6P+6S (150 mm)

E3.S 1T signal cable routing

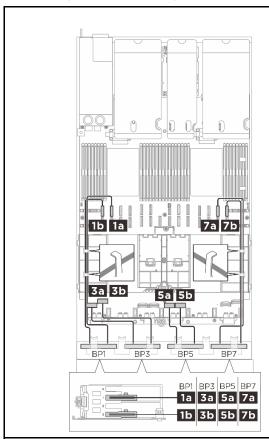


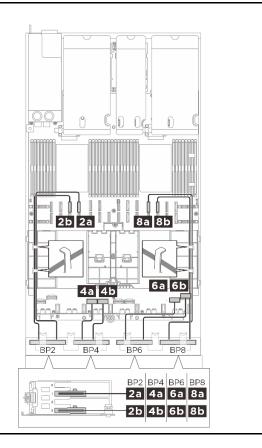


From (Backplane)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
1a BP1: Bay 0, Bay 1	1a NVMe 10	MCIO x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (500 mm)
1b BP1: Bay 2, Bay 3	1b NVMe 9	MCIO x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (500 mm)
2a BP2: Bay 0, Bay 1	2a NVMe 14	MCIO x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (500 mm)
2b BP2: Bay 2, Bay 3	2b NVMe 13	MCIO x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (500 mm)
3a BP3: Bay 0, Bay 1	3a NVMe 1	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)
3b BP3: Bay 2, Bay 3	3b NVMe 2	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)
4a BP4: Bay 0, Bay 1	4a NVMe 3	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)
4b BP4: Bay 2, Bay 3	4b NVMe 4	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)
5a BP5: Bay 0, Bay 1	5a NVMe 5	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)
5b BP5: Bay 2, Bay 3	5b NVMe 6	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)
6a BP6: Bay 0, Bay 1	6a NVMe 7	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)
6b BP6: Bay 2, Bay 3	6b NVMe 8	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)
7a BP7: Bay 0, Bay 1	7a NVMe 11	MCIO x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (500 mm)
7b ВР7: Вау 2, Вау 3	7b NVMe 12	MCIO x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (500 mm)

From (Backplane)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
8a BP8: Bay 0, Bay 1	8a NVMe 15	MCIO x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (500 mm)
8b BP8: Bay 2, Bay 3	8b NVMe 16	MCIO x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (500 mm)

E3.S 2T signal cable routing





From (Backplane)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
1a BP1: Bay 1	1a NVMe 10	MCIO x8 to Z-link 2C (500 mm)
1b BP1: Bay 3	1b NVMe 9	MCIO x8 to Z-link 2C (500 mm)
2a BP2: Bay 1	2a NVMe 14	MCIO x8 to Z-link 2C (500 mm)
2b BP2: Bay 3	2b NVMe 13	MCIO x8 to Z-link 2C (500 mm)
3a BP3: Bay 1	3a NVMe 1	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)
3b ВР3: Вау 3	3b NVMe 2	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)
4a BP4: Bay 1	4a NVMe 3	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)
4b BP4: Bay 3	4b NVMe 4	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)
5a BP5: Bay 1	5a NVMe 5	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)
5b BP5: Bay 3	5b NVMe 6	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)
6a BP6: Bay 1	6a NVMe 7	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)
6b BP6: Bay 3	6b NVMe 8	Swift x8 to Z-link 1C*2 (240 mm)

From (Backplane)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
7a BP7: Bay 1	7a NVMe 11	MCIO x8 to Z-link 2C (500 mm)
7b BP7: Bay 3	7b NVMe 12	MCIO x8 to Z-link 2C (500 mm)
8a BP8: Bay 1	8a NVMe 15	MCIO x8 to Z-link 2C (500 mm)
8b BP8: Bay 3	8b NVMe 16	MCIO x8 to Z-link 2C (500 mm)

Flash power module cable routing

Follow the instructions in this section to learn how to do cable routing for the flash power modules.

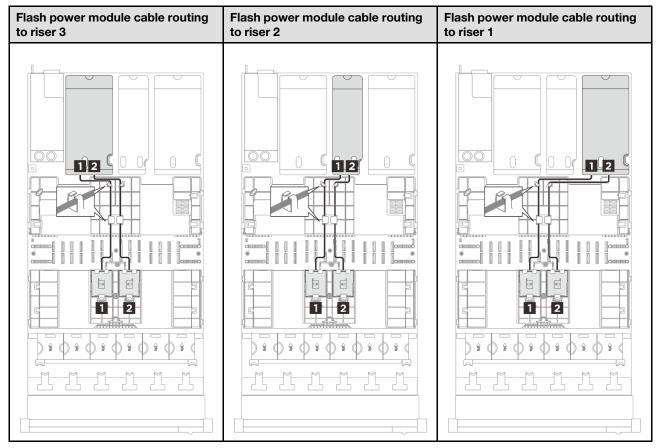
Notes:

- Connections between connectors; 1 ↔ 1, 2 ↔ 2, 3 ↔ 3, ... n ↔ n
- The Cable PN or FRU PN can be found on the label attached to the cable.
- · When routing the cables, make sure that all cables are routed appropriately through the corresponding cable guides and cable clips.

Choose the routing plan according to the server model.

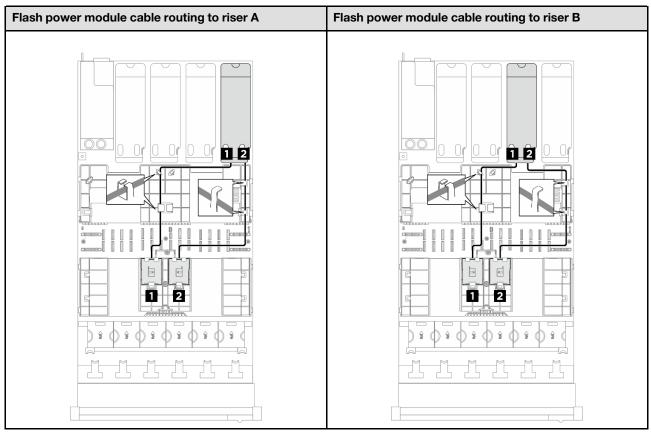
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- "Flash power module cable routing (four risers)" on page 17

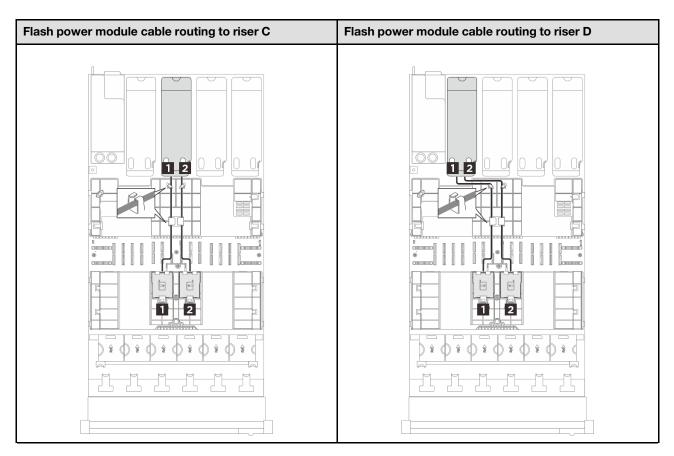
Flash power module cable routing (three risers)



From	То	Cable
1 Flash power module	■ RAID adapter installed on PCIe riser	Gen 4: 2x4p to 1x9p (680 mm)Gen 3: 1x8p to 1x8p (680 mm)
2 Flash power module	RAID adapter installed on PCIe riser	Gen 4: 2x4p to 1x9p (680 mm)Gen 3: 1x8p to 1x8p (680 mm)

Flash power module cable routing (four risers)





From	То	Cable
■ Flash power module	■ RAID adapter installed on PCle riser	Gen 4: 2x4p to 1x9p (680 mm)Gen 3: 1x8p to 1x8p (680 mm)
	RAID adapter installed on PCle riser	 Gen 4: 2x4p to 1x9p (680 mm) Gen 3: 1x8p to 1x8p (680 mm)

Internal M.2 boot adapter cable routing

Follow the instructions in this section to learn how to do cable routing for the internal M.2 boot adapter.

- Connections between connectors; 1 → 1, 2 → 2, 3 → 3, ... n → n
- The Cable PN or FRU PN can be found on the label attached to the cable.
- When routing the cables, make sure that all cables are routed appropriately through the corresponding cable guides and cable clips.

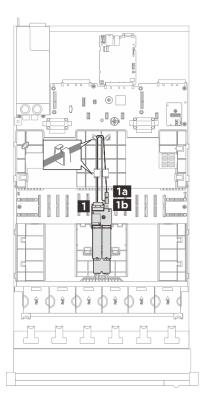


Figure 6. Cable routing for internal M.2 boot adapter

From (M.2 boot adapter)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
M.2 power and signal	1a M.2 power	MCIO x4+2x10p to ULP 82p (300/300
	1b M.2 signal	mm)

PCle riser cable routing (server model with three PCle risers)

Follow the instructions in this section to learn how to do PCIe riser cable routing for the server model with three PCIe risers.

Choose the routing plan according to the PCle riser location.

- "PCle riser 1 cable routing" on page 19
- "PCle riser 2 cable routing" on page 21
- "PCIe riser 3 cable routing" on page 22

PCIe riser 1 cable routing

Follow the instructions in this section to learn how to do cable routing for the PCle riser 1.

- Connections between connectors; 1 → 1, 2 → 2, 3 → 3, ... n → n
- The Cable PN or FRU PN can be found on the label attached to the cable.
- When routing the cables, make sure that all cables are routed appropriately through the corresponding cable guides and cable clips.

· A label on each signal cable indicates the connection source and destination. This information is in the format RY-X and P Z. Where Y indicates the PCle riser number, X indicates the connector on the riser card, and **Z** indicates the connector on the system board assembly.

Choose the routing plan according to the server model.

- "Server model with 2-slot PCle riser 1" on page 20
- "Server model with 3-slot PCIe riser 1" on page 21

Server model with 2-slot PCle riser 1

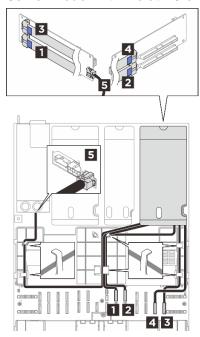


Figure 7. Cable routing for the 2-slot PCIe riser 1

Notes:

- For x8/x8 riser 1 configuration without M.2 drive cage, only connect R1, R3, and Power.
- For x8/x8 riser 1 configuration with M.2 drive cage, only connect R1, R2, and Power.

From (PCIe riser)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
1 R1	1 P20	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (440 mm, flat 140 mm)
2 R2	2 P21	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (360 mm)
3 R3	3 P14	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (580 mm, flat 140 mm)
4 R4	4 P13	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (420 mm)
5 Power	■ PDB: Riser power	 2x8 to 2x4 (660 mm) 2x8 to 2x4*2 (200/660 mm)

Note: For x8/x8 configuration, only connect 1, 1, and 5

Server model with 3-slot PCIe riser 1

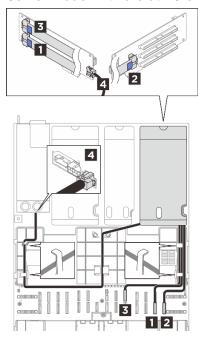


Figure 8. Cable routing for the 3-slot PCIe riser 1

From (PCIe riser)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
■ R1	■ P13	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (540 mm, flat 140 mm)
2 R2	2 P14	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (380 mm)
■ R3	B P21	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (600 mm, flat 140 mm)
4 Power	4 PDB: Riser power	 2x8 to 2x4 (660 mm) 2x8 to 2x4*2 (200/660 mm)

PCle riser 2 cable routing

Follow the instructions in this section to learn how to do cable routing for the PCIe riser 2.

- Connections between connectors; 1→1, 2→2, 3→3, ... □→□
- The Cable PN or FRU PN can be found on the label attached to the cable.
- · When routing the cables, make sure that all cables are routed appropriately through the corresponding cable guides and cable clips.
- A label on each signal cable indicates the connection source and destination. This information is in the format RY-X and P Z. Where Y indicates the PCle riser number, X indicates the connector on the riser card, and **Z** indicates the connector on the system board assembly.

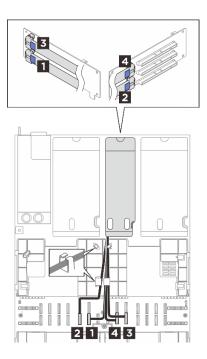


Figure 9. Cable routing for the PCIe riser 2

From (PCIe riser)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
1 R1	1 P6	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (440 mm, flat 140 mm)
2 R2	2 P5	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (360 mm)
3 R3	■ P10	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (440 mm, flat 140 mm)
4 R4	4 P9	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (320 mm)

PCIe riser 3 cable routing

Follow the instructions in this section to learn how to do cable routing for the PCIe riser 3.

Notes:

- Connections between connectors; 1 → 1, 2 → 2, 3 → 3, ... n → n
- The Cable PN or FRU PN can be found on the label attached to the cable.
- When routing the cables, make sure that all cables are routed appropriately through the corresponding cable guides and cable clips.
- A label on each signal cable indicates the connection source and destination. This information is in the format RY-X and P Z. Where Y indicates the PCle riser number, X indicates the connector on the riser card, and **Z** indicates the connector on the system board assembly.

Choose the routing plan according to the server model.

- "Server model with 2-slot PCle riser 3" on page 23
- "Server model with 3-slot PCle riser 3 (2.5-inch bays)" on page 24
- "Server model with 3-slot PCIe riser 3 (2.5-inch bays)" on page 24

Server model with 2-slot PCIe riser 3

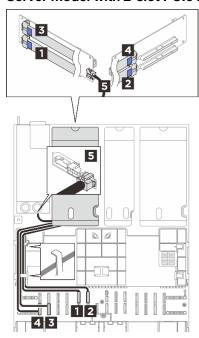


Figure 10. Cable routing for the 2-slot PCIe riser 3

Note: For x8/x8 riser 3 configuration, only connect ■ R1, ■ R3, and ■ Power.

From (PCIe riser)	То	Cable
1 R1	■ System board assembly: P17	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (540 mm, flat 140 mm)
2 R2	2 System board assembly: P18	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (620 mm)
3 R3	■ System board assembly: P2	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (500 mm, flat 140 mm)
4 R4	4 System board assembly: P1	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (500 mm)
5 Power	▶ PDB: Riser power	 2x8 to 2x4 (200 mm) 2x8 to 2x4*2 (200/660 mm)

Note: For x8/x8 configuration, only connect 1, 3, and 5

Server model with 3-slot PCle riser 3 (2.5-inch bays)

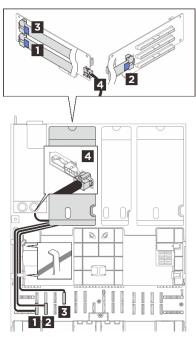


Figure 11. Cable routing for the 3-slot PCle riser 3 (2.5-inch bays)

From (PCIe riser)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
1 R1	1 P1	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (540 mm, flat 140 mm)
2 R2	2 P2	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (420 mm)
3 R3	3 P16	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (540 mm, flat 140 mm)
4 Power	4 PDB: Riser power	 2x8 to 2x4 (200 mm) 2x8 to 2x4*2 (200/660 mm)

Server model with 3-slot PCIe riser 3 (E3.S bays)

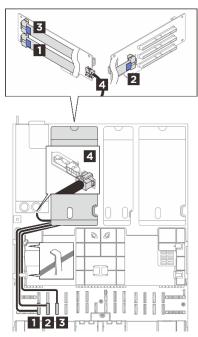


Figure 12. Cable routing for the 3-slot PCIe riser 3 (E3.S server)

From (PCIe riser)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
1 R1	1 P1	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (540 mm, flat 140 mm)
2 R2	2 P2	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (420 mm)
3 R3	3 P3	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (540 mm, flat 140 mm)
4 Power	4 PDB: Riser power	 2x8 to 2x4 (200 mm) 2x8 to 2x4*2 (200/660 mm)

PCIe riser cable routing (server model with four PCIe risers)

Follow the instructions in this section to learn how to do PCIe riser cable routing for the server model with four PCIe risers.

Choose the routing plan according to the PCle riser location.

- "PCle riser A cable routing" on page 25
- "PCIe riser B cable routing" on page 27
- "PCIe riser C cable routing" on page 28
- "PCle riser D cable routing" on page 29

PCIe riser A cable routing

Follow the instructions in this section to learn how to do cable routing for the PCIe riser A.

- Connections between connectors; 1 → 1, 2 → 2, 3 → 3, ... n → n
- The Cable PN or FRU PN can be found on the label attached to the cable.
- When routing the cables, make sure that all cables are routed appropriately through the corresponding cable guides and cable clips.
- · A label on each signal cable indicates the connection source and destination. This information is in the format RY-X and P Z. Where Y indicates the PCle riser number, X indicates the connector on the riser card, and **Z** indicates the connector on the system board assembly.

Choose the routing plan according to the server model.

- "Server model with 2.5-inch bays" on page 26
- "Server model with E3.S bays" on page 27

Server model with 2.5-inch bays

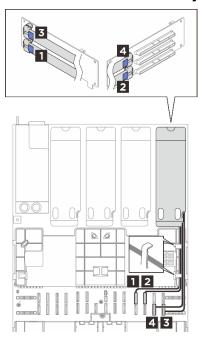


Figure 13. Cable routing for the PCIe riser A (2.5-inch server)

From (PCIe riser)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
1 R1	1 P22	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (580 mm, flat 140 mm)
2 R2	2 P23	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (420 mm)
3 R3	1 P14	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (500 mm, flat 140 mm)
4 R4	4 P13	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (420 mm)

Server model with E3.S bays

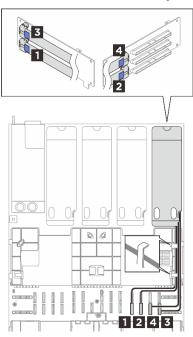


Figure 14. Cable routing for the PCIe riser A (E3.S server)

From (PCIe riser)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
1 R1	1 P11	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (580 mm, flat 140 mm)
2 R2	2 P12	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (420 mm)
3 R3	3 P14	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (500 mm, flat 140 mm)
4 R4	4 P13	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (420 mm)

PCIe riser B cable routing

Follow the instructions in this section to learn how to do cable routing for the PCIe riser B.

- Connections between connectors; 1 → 1, 2 → 2, 3 → 3, ... n → n
- The Cable PN or FRU PN can be found on the label attached to the cable.
- When routing the cables, make sure that all cables are routed appropriately through the corresponding cable guides and cable clips.
- A label on each signal cable indicates the connection source and destination. This information is in the format RY-X and PZ. Where Y indicates the PCle riser number, X indicates the connector on the riser card, and **Z** indicates the connector on the system board assembly.

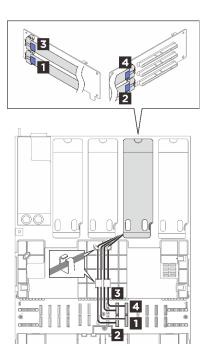


Figure 15. Cable routing for the PCIe riser B

From (PCIe riser)	To (System board assembly)	Cable
1 R1	■ P10	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (500 mm, flat 140 mm)
2 R2	2 P9	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (360 mm)
3 R3	■ P20	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (500 mm, flat 140 mm)
4 R4	4 P21	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (360 mm)

PCIe riser C cable routing

Follow the instructions in this section to learn how to do cable routing for the PCIe riser C.

- Connections between connectors; 1 → 1, 2 → 2, 3 → 3, ... n → n
- The Cable PN or FRU PN can be found on the label attached to the cable.
- When routing the cables, make sure that all cables are routed appropriately through the corresponding cable guides and cable clips.
- A label on each signal cable indicates the connection source and destination. This information is in the format RY-X and P Z. Where Y indicates the PCle riser number, X indicates the connector on the riser card, and **Z** indicates the connector on the system board assembly.

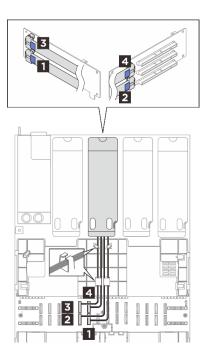


Figure 16. Cable routing for the PCIe riser C

From (PCIe riser)	To (System board assembly)	Cable	
1 R1	1 P6	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (500 mm, flat 140 mm)	
2 R2	2 P5	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (360 mm)	
3 R3	B P17	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (500 mm, flat 140 mm)	
4 R4	4 P18	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (360 mm)	

PCIe riser D cable routing

Follow the instructions in this section to learn how to do cable routing for the PCIe riser D.

Notes:

- Connections between connectors; 1 → 1, 2 → 2, 3 → 3, ... n → n
- The Cable PN or FRU PN can be found on the label attached to the cable.
- · When routing the cables, make sure that all cables are routed appropriately through the corresponding cable guides and cable clips.
- A label on each signal cable indicates the connection source and destination. This information is in the format RY-X and PZ. Where Y indicates the PCle riser number, X indicates the connector on the riser card, and **Z** indicates the connector on the system board assembly.

Choose the routing plan according to the server model.

- "Server model with 2.5-inch bays" on page 30
- "Server model with E3.S bays" on page 31

Server model with 2.5-inch bays

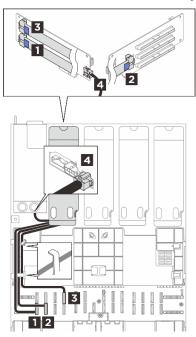


Figure 17. Cable routing for the PCle riser D (2.5-inch server)

From (PCle riser)	То	Cable
1 R1	■ System board assembly: P1	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (500 mm, flat 140 mm)
2 R2	2 System board assembly: P2	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (420 mm)
3 R3	System board assembly: P16	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (500 mm, flat 140 mm)
4 Power	4 PDB: Riser power 2x8 to 2x4 (200 mm)	

Server model with E3.S bays

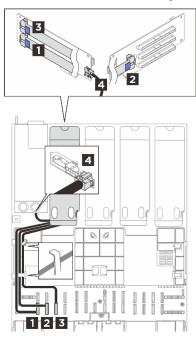


Figure 18. Cable routing for the PCle riser D (E3.S server)

From (PCIe riser)	То	Cable	
1 R1	■ System board assembly: P1	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (500 mm, flat 140 mm)	
2 R2	2 System board assembly: P2	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (420 mm)	
3 R3	System board assembly: P3	MCIO x8 to Swift x8 (500 mm, flat 140 mm)	
4 Power	4 PDB: Riser power	2x8 to 2x4 (200 mm)	

Power distribution board cable routing

Follow the instructions in this section to learn how to do cable routing for the power distribution board.

- Connections between connectors; 1 → 1, 2 → 2, 3 → 3, ... n → n
- The Cable PN or FRU PN can be found on the label attached to the cable.
- When routing the cables, make sure that all cables are routed appropriately through the corresponding cable guides and cable clips.

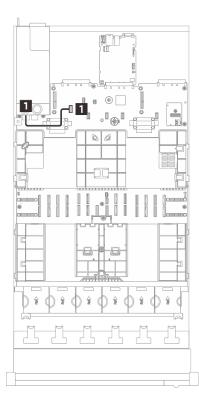


Figure 19. Cable routing for the power distribution board

From	To (System board assembly)	Cable	
1 PDB sideband	■ Sideband power	2x15p to 2x15p (210 mm)	

Rack latch cable routing

Follow the instructions in this section to learn how to do cable routing for rack latches.

- Connections between connectors; 1 ↔ 1, 2 ↔ 2, 3 ↔ 3, ... n ↔ n
- The Cable PN or FRU PN can be found on the label attached to the cable.
- · When routing the cables, make sure that all cables are routed appropriately through the corresponding cable guides and cable clips.

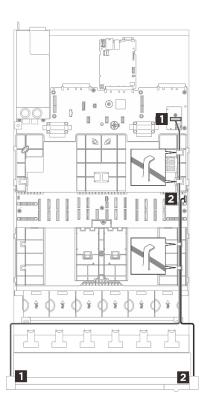


Figure 20. Cable routing for rack latches

From (System board assembly)	То	Cable	
■ USB I/O board	■ Left rack latch	MCIO x8 to USB 2x/Mini HD (1200 mm)	
2 FIO	2 Right rack latch	1x9 to PCBA (550 mm)	

Rear M.2 drive backplane cable routing

Follow the instructions in this section to learn how to do cable routing for the rear M.2 drive backplane.

- Connections between connectors; 1 → 1, 2 → 2, 3 → 3, ... n → n
- The Cable PN or FRU PN can be found on the label attached to the cable.
- When routing the cables, make sure that all cables are routed appropriately through the corresponding cable guides and cable clips.

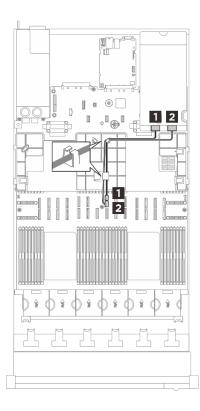


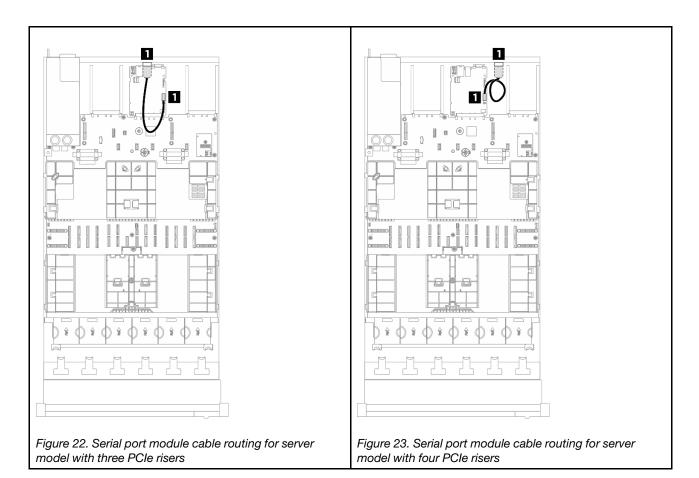
Figure 21. Cable routing for the rear M.2 drive backplane

From (System board assembly)	To (Rear M.2 boot adapter)	Cable	
1 M.2 power	1 M.2 power	2x10p to 2x10p (520 mm)	
2 M.2 signal	2 M.2 signal	MCIO x4 to MCIO x4 (520 mm)	

Serial port cable routing

Follow the instructions in this section to learn how to do cable routing for the serial port module.

- Connections between connectors; 1 ↔ 1, 2 ↔ 2, 3 ↔ 3, ... n ↔ n
- The Cable PN or FRU PN can be found on the label attached to the cable.
- When routing the cables, make sure that all cables are routed appropriately through the corresponding cable guides and cable clips.



From (System board assembly)	То	Cable
■ Serial port connector	Serial port module	2x6p to COM port (220 mm)

Appendix A. Documents and supports

This section provides handy documents, driver and firmware downloads, and support resources.

Documents download

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Documents

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 - System Configuration Guide: Server overview, components identification, system LEDs and diagnostics display, product unboxing, setting up and configuring the server.
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- Cable Routing Guide
 - Cable routing information.
- Messages and Codes Reference
 - XClarity Controller, LXPM, and uEFI events
- UEFI Manual
 - UEFI setting introduction

Support websites

This section provides driver and firmware downloads and support resources.

Support and downloads

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