

Installation Guide



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Note:
Before using this information and the product it supports, read the general information in Appendix B, "Warranty information," on page 29 and Appendix C, "Notices," on page 51.

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Safety

Before installing this product, read the Safety Information.

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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)。

安裝本產品之前,請先閱讀「安全資訊」。

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).

לפני שתתקינו מוצר זה, קראו את הוראות הבטיחות.

A termék telepítése előtt olvassa el a Biztonsági előírásokat!

Prima di installare questo prodotto, leggere le Informazioni sulla Sicurezza.

製品の設置の前に、安全情報をお読みください。

본 제품을 설치하기 전에 안전 정보를 읽으십시오.

Пред да се инсталира овој продукт, прочитајте информацијата за безбедност.

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

Przed zainstalowaniem tego produktu, należy zapoznać się z książką "Informacje dotyczące bezpieczeństwa" (Safety Information).

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

Перед установкой продукта прочтите инструкции по технике безопасности.

Pred inštaláciou tohto zariadenia si pečítaje Bezpečnostné predpisy.

Pred namestitvijo tega proizvoda preberite Varnostne informacije.

Antes de instalar este producto, lea la información de seguridad.

Läs säkerhetsinformationen innan du installerar den här produkten.

Important:

All caution and danger statements in this documentation begin with a number. This number is used to cross reference an English caution or danger statement with translated versions of the caution or danger statement in the *IBM Safety Information* book.

For example, if a caution statement begins with a number 1, translations for that caution statement appear in the *IBM Safety Information* book under statement 1.

Be sure to read all caution and danger statements in this documentation before performing the instructions. Read any additional safety information that comes with your server or optional device before you install the device.

Statement 1:





DANGER

Electrical current from power, telephone, and communication cables is hazardous.

To avoid a shock hazard:

- Do not connect or disconnect any cables or perform installation, maintenance, or reconfiguration of this product during an electrical storm.
- Connect all power cords to a properly wired and grounded electrical outlet.
- Connect to properly wired outlets any equipment that will be attached to this product.
- When possible, use one hand only to connect or disconnect signal cables.
- Never turn on any equipment when there is evidence of fire, water, or structural damage.
- Disconnect the attached power cords, telecommunications systems, networks, and modems before you open the device covers, unless instructed otherwise in the installation and configuration procedures.
- Connect and disconnect cables as described in the following table when installing, moving, or opening covers on this product or attached devices.

To Connect:

- 1. Turn everything OFF.
- 2. First, attach all cables to devices.
- 3. Attach signal cables to connectors.
- 4. Attach power cords to outlet.
- 5. Turn device ON.

To Disconnect:

- 1. Turn everything OFF.
- 2. First, remove power cords from outlet.
- 3. Remove signal cables from connectors.
- 4. Remove all cables from devices.

Chapter 1. Introduction

This *Installation Guide* contains information about setting up, installing, and configuring the Intelligent Copper Pass-thru Module (ICPM)for IBM[®] BladeCenter[®].

For installation details, see Chapter 2, "Installing and removing components," on page 7. For additional information, see the instructions in your BladeCenter unit documentation. The Intelligent Copper Pass-thru Module for IBM BladeCenter is also referred to throughout this document as the switch module or I/O module.

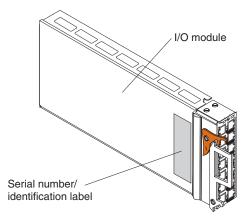
You can obtain up-to-date information about the I/O module at http://www.ibm.com/servers/eserver/support/bladecenter/index.html. You can obtain up-to-date information about other IBM products at http://www.ibm.com/systems/support/.

- Unless otherwise stated, references to the BladeCenter unit apply to all BladeCenter unit types.
- Changes are made periodically to the IBM Web site. Procedures for locating firmware and documentation might vary slightly from what is described in this document.
- · The illustrations in this document might differ slightly from your hardware.
- The sample screens that appear in this document might differ slightly from the screens that are displayed by your system. Screen content varies according to the type of BladeCenter unit and the firmware versions and options that are installed.
- Unless otherwise stated, references to the management module apply to all types of BladeCenter management modules.

Record information about the I/O module in the following table. The product name and serial number are on the identification label on the side of the I/O module. You will need this information when you register the I/O module with IBM. You can register the I/O module at http://www.ibm.com/support/mysupport/.

Product name	Intelligent Copper Pass-thru Module for IBM BladeCenter
Serial number Other identifiers	

The following illustration shows the locations of the identification label and the serial number on the I/O module.



Related documentation

This Installation Guide contains setup, installation, configuration, and troubleshooting instructions for the I/O module. This document also provides general information about the I/O module, including warranty information, and how to get help.

The following related documentation is in Portable Document Format (PDF) on the BladeCenter Documentation CD that comes with your BladeCenter unit:

- Safety Information
 - This document contains translated caution and danger statements. Each caution and danger statement that appears in the documentation has a number that you can use to locate the corresponding statement in your language in the Safety Information document.
- · BladeCenter Management Module User's Guide This document provides general information about the management module for your BladeCenter unit type, including information about features, how to configure the management module, and how to get help.
- BladeCenter Management Command-Line Reference Guide This document provides detailed information about the management module command line interface (CLI) feature.

The most recent versions of this Installation Guide and all other BladeCenter documentation are at http://www.ibm.com/servers/eserver/support/bladecenter/ index.html.

Features and specifications

This section provides a summary of the features and specifications that apply to the intelligent copper pass-thru module (ICPM) for IBM BladeCenter.

- Two independent internal 100 Mbps full-duplex links connected to each of two management modules (jumbo frame support not required on these links).
- Management-module Inter-Integrated Circuit (I2C) interface that provides vital product data (VPD) and register access.
- 14-port Ethernet connections using standard RJ-45 connectors
- Direct one-one mapping
- 100Mbit/1Gbit operation on uplinks
- · Serial over LAN (SOL) support when in bay 1
- Concurrent keyboard/video/mouse (cKVM) support when in bay 1
- · Simple setup and monitoring through advanced management module
- · Form factor compatible with older switches
- · Provides self-test and diagnostics capability

Notices and statements in this document

The caution and danger statements that appear in this document are also in the multilingual Safety Information document, which is on the IBM BladeCenter Documentation CD. Each statement is numbered for reference to the corresponding statement in the Safety Information document.

The following notices and statements are used in this document:

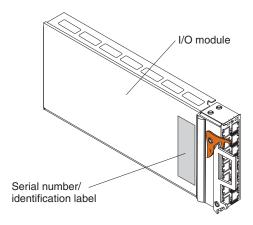
- · Note: These notices provide important tips, guidance, or advice.
- Important: These notices provide information or advice that might help you avoid inconvenient or problem situations.
- Attention: These notices indicate possible damage to programs, devices, or data. An attention notice is placed just before the instruction or situation in which damage could occur.
- Caution: These statements indicate situations that can be potentially hazardous to you. A caution statement is placed just before the description of a potentially hazardous procedure step or situation.
- Danger: These statements indicate situations that can be potentially lethal or extremely hazardous to you. A danger statement is placed just before the description of a potentially lethal or extremely hazardous procedure step or situation.

Major components of the I/O module

Orange on the release latch on the I/O module identifies this device as a hot-swap component. You can install or remove this component while the BladeCenter unit is running. Removing the module will disrupt all network communications through this device.

The following illustration shows the major components of the I/O module.

Note: The illustrations in this document might differ slightly from your hardware.



For more information about the components of the information panel, see Chapter 3, "LEDs, external ports, and cables," on page 13.

Chapter 2. Installing and removing components

See the *Installation and User's Guide* for your BladeCenter unit type for information about the I/O-module bay locations in the BladeCenter unit and specific requirements for installing I/O modules in your BladeCenter unit.

Attention: To maintain proper system cooling, each I/O-module bay must contain either an I/O module or a filler module.

For details about network interface requirements and expansion options, see the following documents:

- · Installation and User's Guide for your BladeCenter unit type
- · Installation and User's Guide for each blade server type

Installation guidelines

Before you begin to install the I/O module in your BladeCenter unit, read the following information:

- Read the safety information that begins on page v and the guidelines in "Handling static-sensitive devices" on page 8, and read the safety statements in the BladeCenter unit publications. This information will help you work safely.
- Observe good housekeeping in the area where you are working. Place removed covers and other parts in a safe place.
- Do not attempt to lift an object that you think is too heavy for you. If you have to lift a heavy object, observe the following precautions:
 - Make sure that you can stand safely without slipping.
 - Distribute the weight of the object equally between your feet.
 - Use a slow lifting force. Never move suddenly or twist when you lift a heavy object.
 - To avoid straining the muscles in your back, lift by standing or by pushing up with your leg muscles.
- Make sure that you have an adequate number of properly grounded electrical outlets for the BladeCenter unit, monitor, and other devices.
- Back up all important data before you make changes to disk drives.
- Have a small flat-blade screwdriver available.
- You do not have to turn off the BladeCenter unit to install or replace any of the hot-swap modules in the BladeCenter unit.
- Orange on the release latch on the I/O module identifies this device as a hot-swap component. You can install or remove this component while the BladeCenter unit is running. See the instructions in this chapter for more information about installing or removing hot-swap or hot-plug components.
- If you plan to install additional I/O modules in the I/O-module bays of your BladeCenter unit, you might also have to install an I/O expansion card in the applicable blade server to support the I/O modules in these bays. For information about the types of compatible I/O expansion cards for the blade servers, contact your IBM authorized reseller. See the I/O expansion card documentation for details about I/O expansion card installation, configuration, and use.
- When you are finished working on the I/O module and all other BladeCenter unit components, reinstall all safety shields, guards, labels, and ground wires.

• For a list of supported options for the I/O module, see http://www.ibm.com/servers/eserver/serverproven/compat/us/.

Handling static-sensitive devices

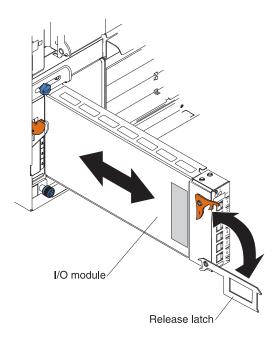
Attention: Static electricity can damage the system and other electronic devices. To avoid damage, keep static-sensitive devices in their static-protective packages until you are ready to install them.

To reduce the possibility of electrostatic discharge, observe the following precautions:

- Limit your movement. Movement can cause static electricity to build up around you.
- · Handle the device carefully, holding it by its edges or its frame.
- · Do not touch solder joints, pins, or exposed circuitry.
- · Do not leave the device where others can handle and damage it.
- While the device is still in its static-protective package, touch it to an unpainted
 metal part of the BladeCenter unit or any unpainted metal surface on any other
 grounded rack component in the rack in which you are installing the device for at
 least 2 seconds. This drains static electricity from the package and from your
 body.
- Remove the device from its package and install it directly into the BladeCenter
 unit without setting down the device. If it is necessary to set down the device, put
 it back into its static-protective package. Do not place the device on the
 BladeCenter chassis or on a metal surface.
- Take additional care when handling devices during cold weather. Heating reduces indoor humidity and increases static electricity.

Installing an I/O module

The following illustration shows how to install an I/O module into a typical BladeCenter unit. The appearance of your BladeCenter unit might be different. For additional information, see the documentation for your BladeCenter unit.



To install an I/O module, complete the following steps.

- 1. Read the safety information that begins on page v and "Installation guidelines" on page 7.
- 2. If an acoustic attenuation module is installed on your BladeCenter unit, remove it. See the documentation for your BladeCenter unit for instructions.
- 3. Select an I/O-module bay in which to install the I/O module.

Note: The BladeCenter S I/O module bays have unique functions, as summarized in the table below. For details about I/O-module bay requirements, see the documentation for your BladeCenter unit and blade servers.

Table 1. BladeCenter S I/O Module Bay Support

	Bay 1	Bay 2	Bay 3	Bay 4
Port 1	Blade 1 NIC A	n/a	Blade 1	n/a
Port 2	Blade 2 NIC A	n/a	Blade 2	n/a
Port 3	Blade 3 NIC A	n/a	Blade 3	n/a
Port 4	Blade 4 NIC A	n/a	Blade 4	n/a
Port 5	Blade 5 NIC A	n/a	Blade 5	n/a
Port 6	Blade 6 NIC A	n/a	Blade 6	n/a
Port 7	Switch Bay 3	n/a	n/a	n/a
Port 8	Blade 1 NIC B	n/a	n/a	Blade 1
Port 9	Blade 2 NIC B	n/a	n/a	Blade 2
Port 10	Blade 3 NIC B	n/a	n/a	Blade 3

Table 1. BladeCenter S I/O Module Bay Support (continued)

	Bay 1	Bay 2	Bay 3	Bay 4
Port 11	Blade 4 NIC B	n/a	n/a	Blade 4
Port 12	Blade 5 NIC B	n/a	n/a	Blade 5
Port 13	Blade 6 NIC B	n/a	n/a	Blade 6
Port 14	Switch bay 4	n/a	n/a	n/a

n/a = not supported at this time.

- 4. Remove the filler from the selected I/O-module bay. Store the filler for future use.
- If you have not already done so, touch the static-protective package that
 contains the I/O module to any unpainted metal surface of the BladeCenter
 unit or any unpainted metal surface on any other grounded rack component for
 at least 2 seconds.
- 6. Remove the I/O module from its static-protective package.
- 7. Make sure that the release latch on the I/O module is in the open position (perpendicular to the module).
- 8. Slide the I/O module into the I/O-module bay until it stops.
- Push the release latch on the front of the I/O module to the closed position.
 After you insert and lock the I/O module in a powered BladeCenter unit, a
 power-on self-test (POST) occurs to verify that the I/O module is operating
 correctly.
- 10. The POST results are displayed by the status LEDs. Make sure that the LEDs on the I/O module indicate that it is operating correctly. Make sure that the power LED on each I/O module is lit. If indications are not as specified, see Chapter 6, "Solving problems," on page 23 for additional information.
- 11. If you have other I/O modules to install, do so now; otherwise, go to step 12.

Note: To make sure that the BladeCenter unit installation complies with EMC product regulations for intra-building lightning surges, you must use shielded LAN cables that are grounded at both ends.

12. Attach any cables or cords that are required by the I/O module.

Note: The ICPM has 14 Ethernet ports located close together. Standard RJ-45 connectors can be easily inserted. Shrouded RJ-45 connectors may not fit as easily.

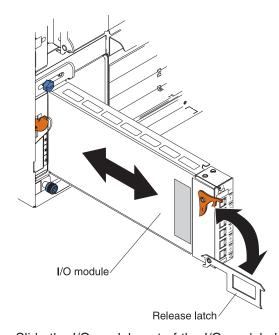
Replace the acoustic attenuation module, if you removed it in step 2 on page
 9.

Removing an I/O module

Attention: To maintain proper cooling and system reliability, each I/O-module bay in the BladeCenter unit must have either an I/O module or filler module installed. If you remove a hot-swap module, you must replace it with another module or filler module within 1 minute of removal.

To remove an I/O module, complete the following steps.

- 1. Read the safety information that begins on page v and "Installation guidelines" on page 7.
- 2. If an acoustic attenuation module is installed on your BladeCenter unit, remove it. See the documentation for your BladeCenter unit for instructions.
- 3. If you are replacing the I/O module:
 - a. Record the locations of the cable connectors on the I/O module. You will need this information when you connect the cables to the new I/O module.
 - b. Disconnect any cables from the I/O module that you are removing.
- 4. Pull the release latch toward the bottom of the I/O module. The module moves out of the I/O-module bay approximately 0.64 cm (0.25 inch).



- 5. Slide the I/O module out of the I/O-module bay and set it aside.
- 6. Place either another I/O module or a filler module in the I/O-module bay within 1 minute.

Chapter 3. LEDs, external ports, and cables

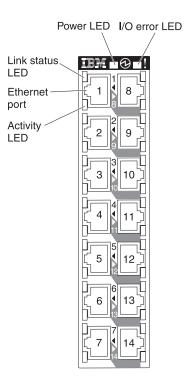
This chapter describes the locations and functions of the LEDs on the ICPM, and offers suggestions on managing the RJ-45 connectors that plug into the external ports.

LEDs and ports

As shown in the following illustration, the face of the I/O module contains the following LEDs and ports:

- 2 LEDs that display the status of the I/O module
- · 28 LEDs that display the status of the network connections
- 14 external 1000BASE-T Ethernet ports for 100/1000 Mbps connections to external Ethernet devices, such as backbones, end stations, and servers

The two LEDs at the top of the I/O module face indicate power and I/O module error (fault) conditions. In addition, each external port on the I/O module contains an Ethernet link LED and an Ethernet Tx/Rx LED. The following illustrations show the LEDs on the ICPM.



Power: This green LED on the left side is lit to indicate that the I/O module has passed the power-on self-test (POST) with no critical faults and is operational. If POST fails this LED will stay lit, unless the I/O module has been instructed to power off by the advanced management module.

I/O module error (fault): This amber LED on the right side is lit to indicate that the I/O module has failed the POST or detected an operational fault.

Note: When the I/O module error LED is lit, the system-error LED on the BladeCenter unit will also be lit.

Ethernet link: The green link status LED is at the top of each external 100/1000 Mbps port. When this LED is solidly lit, it indicates that there is an active connection (or link) to a device using that port.

Ethernet Tx/Rx: The green activity LED is at the bottom of each external 100/1000 Mbps port. When this LED flashes, it indicates that data is being transmitted or received between that port and another device on the network link. The flash frequency is proportional to the amount of traffic on the network link.

Ethernet cables and connectors

The ICPM has 14 Ethernet ports located close together.

- Standard RJ-45 connectors can be easily inserted.
- Shrouded RJ-45 connectors may not fit as easily.
- · You might need to use a tool, such as a small flat-bladed screwdriver, to release the latch on an RJ-45 connector when detaching a single cable.

There is no need to disconnect the cables from the ICPM if you are replacing a midplane. Cables left attached when you remove the ICPM will be in the correct positions when you reinsert the ICPM.

Chapter 4. Managing and configuring the ICPM

The ICPM functions as a nearly transparent link to Ethernet switches located outside of the BladeCenter unit. Therefore, it requires very little management. The I/O module supports one remote-access mode for management through Ethernet connections. The I/O module has an internal Ethernet path to the management module.

Note: If you are using a management module other than the advanced management module, attach the remote-access link to the management console to the Ethernet connector on the management module.

In addition to the documents in this library, be sure to review the following documents for information to help you prepare for system installation and configuration:

- The BladeCenter Management Module User's Guide for your BladeCenter unit type
- The BladeCenter Management Module Installation Guide for your BladeCenter unit type

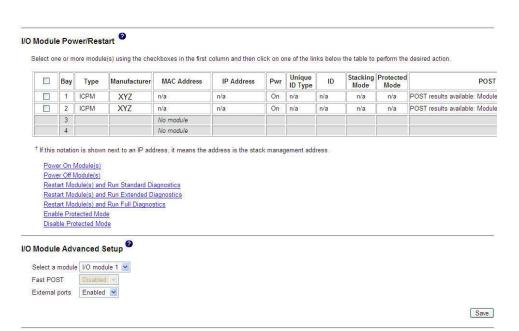
Managing the ICPM

Complete the following steps to establish a TCP/IP session to the switch through the management module.

Access and log in to the management module as described in the BladeCenter Management Module User's Guide. If necessary, obtain the IP address of the management module from your system administrator. The login window opens. If you do not have an assigned user ID and initial password, type the default user ID (USERID) in the User ID field and the default password (PASSWORD) in the Password field (note the number zero, not the letter O, in PASSWORD) and click OK. The main page in the management-module interface opens.

Notes:

- a. The User ID and Password fields are case-sensitive.
- b. To maintain system security, change the password after you log in for the first time.
- Select Admin/Power/Restart under I/O Module Tasks in the navigation pane
 of the BladeCenter Management Module page. The next page displays the I/O
 modules in the I/O-module bays. An ICPM will display the following information
 on this page:
 - Manufacturer
 - · Power status
 - POST results



- 3. Select the choices in the **I/O Module Tasks** section to view the settings or configuration on network-interface I/O modules in the BladeCenter unit. At this point, you can click on the first four text links to perform the following functions:
 - · Power on the selected module
 - · Power off the selected module
 - · Restart the selected module and run standard diagnostics
 - · Restart the selected module and run extended diagnostics

Note: The items marked as n/a do not apply to the ICPM.

 In the I/O Module Advanced Setup section, select an ICPM, and enable or disable its external ports

Configuring the ICPM

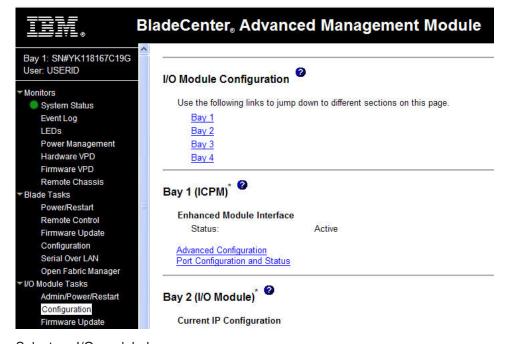
Use this section to view the POST results and to select throughput characteristics for each Ethernet port.

 Access and log in to the management module as described in the BladeCenter Management Module User's Guide. If necessary, obtain the IP address of the management module from your system administrator. The login window opens. Enter your user ID and password.

If you do not have an assigned user ID and initial password, type the default user ID (USERID) in the **User ID** field and the default password (PASSWORD) in the **Password** field (note the number zero, not the letter *O*, in PASSWORD) and click **OK**. The main page in the management-module interface opens.

Notes:

- a. The User ID and Password fields are case-sensitive.
- b. To maintain system security, change the password after you log in for the first time.
- Select Configuration under I/O Module Tasks in the navigation pane of the BladeCenter Management Module page. The I/O Module Configuration window opens.



3. Select an I/O-module bay.

4. Click on the **Advanced Configuration** link to view the POST results.

Advanced Configuration for I/O Module 1

Use the following links to jump down to different sections on this page.

POST Results

POST Results

POST results available: Module completed POST successfully.

5. Click the **Port Configuration and Status** link to view and configure the state of the 14 Ethernet ports supported by the selected ICPM.

I/O Module 1 - ICPM: I/O Port Status

Power: On, Enhanced Module Interface: Active

Bay 1 I/O Module Port Status

Port	Label	Doet Tue -	Link State		Speed, D	uplex
Port	Label	Port Type	Desired	Physical	Desired	Physical
1	External port	External	Up 🗹	Up	100 Mbps, Full 💌	100 Mbps, Ful
2	External port	External	Up 🗆	Down	Auto 💌	n/a
3	External port	External	Up 🗹	Up	100 Mbps, Full 💌	100 Mbps, Full
4	External port	External	Up 🗆	Down	100 Mbps, Full Auto	n/a
5	External port	External	Up 🗆	Down	1000 Mbps, Full	n/a
6	External port	External	Up 🔲	Down	Auto 💌	n/a
7	External port	External	Up □	Down	Auto 💌	n/a
8	External port	External	Up 🗆	Down	Auto 💌	n/a
9	External port	External	Up 🗆	Down	Auto 💌	n/a
10	External port	External	Up 🔲	Down	Auto 💌	n/a
11	External port	External	Up 🗆	Down	Auto 💌	n/a
12	External port	External	Up 🔲	Down	Auto 💌	n/a
13	External port	External	Up 🗆	Down	Auto 💌	n/a
14	External port	External	Up 🔲	Down	Auto 💌	n/a

If an Ethernet port is plugged into an external switch, and if the **Desired** check box is selected, you can assign speeds of 100 Mbps or 1000 Mbps. Select $\bf Auto$ to have the I/O Module negotiate the link speed and mode with the far-end equipment .

Note: Port speeds of 1 Gbps or higher can only be full duplex.

6. Click Save.

Chapter 5. Updating the firmware

This chapter provides information for the following tasks:

- · Determining the level of the firmware installed
- · Obtaining the latest level of firmware for the I/O module
- · Updating the firmware on the I/O module
- · Resetting the I/O module to activate the firmware update

Determining the level of the ICPM firmware

After you install the I/O module in your BladeCenter unit, make sure that the latest I/O module (switch) firmware is installed on the I/O module. To determine the level of the firmware that is installed on the I/O module, complete the following steps.

 Access and log in to the management module as described in the Management Module User's Guide for your BladeCenter unit type. If necessary, obtain the IP address of the management module from your system administrator. The login window opens.

If you do not have an assigned user identifier (ID) and initial password, type the default user ID (USERID) in the **User ID** field and the default password (PASSWORD) in the **Password** field (where the sixth character is the number zero, not the letter *O*) and click **OK**. The main page in the management module opens.

Notes:

- a. The User ID and Password fields are case-sensitive.
- b. To maintain system security, change the password after you log in for the first time.
- Select Firmware VPD from the Monitors menu on the left side of the BladeCenter Management Module window. The Firmware VPD window opens.
- On the Firmware VPD window, locate the I/O Module Firmware VPD heading. Scroll to the number of the I/O-module bay that contains the I/O module that you just installed; then, note the level of the firmware for the I/O module.

Updating the I/O module firmware

To determine the latest level of complete the following steps.

- 1. Go to http://www.ibm.com/servers/eserver/support/bladecenter/index.html; then, click Support & downloads → Downloads → Fixes, updates and drivers.
- 2. Type the I/O module model number in the **Search within Download** field. A window opens, displaying the latest level of available firmware.
- Compare the level of firmware that you noted in the I/O Module Firmware VPD
 section of the Firmware VPD window to the latest level of available firmware. If
 the two firmware levels do not match, download the latest level from the IBM
 web site.
- Install the new firmware following the instructions that are provided with the download.

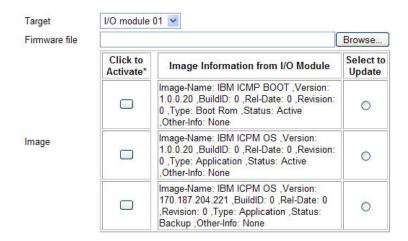
5. Use the *Firmware Management* page selected from the **I/O Module Tasks** navigation pane to select an image to update, activate, or both.

Firmware Management, I/O Modules with Enhanced Module Interface

Use this section to either flash a firmware component, or to make a firmware image active.

To update a firmware component

- · Select a target module
- · Select or enter a firmware file to upload
- Select the target firmware image
- · Click the "Update" button



*To activate a back-up firmware image

- · Click the activate button next to the firmware image.
- The active image is the firmware currently running on the I/O module.
- . Other images are stored on the I/O module, but not currently running
- Note that some firmware images do not have a redundant standby. An activation request on these may fail.

Notes:

- a. The older Copper Pass-thru Module (CPM) does not support the Click to Activate feature.
- b. The BOOT image is the firmware the ICPM will use to load its operating system and run POST.
- c. The ICPM can contain two different firmware operating-system images. Therefore, you can always return to a previous image if the current download process fails.
- 6. Select the image or images to update, and the image to set as the active image, and click **Update**.

Restarting the I/O module

To activate the new image or images, you must restart the I/O module through the management-module interface. To restart the I/O module, complete the following steps.

- 1. Select **Admin/Power/Restart** from the **I/O Module Tasks** section of the navigation pane. The I/O Module Tasks window opens.
- 2. Select the I/O module bay on which the firmware update was just installed.
- From the I/O Module Power/Restart window, select Restart Module(s).

- Make sure that the latest I/O module firmware was correctly installed on the I/O module. Select Firmware VPD from the Monitors choices in the navigation pane. The Firmware VPD window opens.
- 5. On the Firmware VPD window, locate **I/O Module Firmware VPD**. Scroll to the I/O-module bay field that contains the I/O module that you just installed; then, note the level of the firmware for the I/O module.
- 6. Make sure that the latest I/O module firmware was correctly installed on the I/O module.

Note: In order to run the SOL or cKVM options through the ICPM, you will need to establish the physical connection first. After you plug the terminal's RJ-45 connector into the ICPM, you will be able to activate these Advanced Management Module features.

Chapter 6. Solving problems

This section provides basic troubleshooting information to help you solve some problems that might occur. If you cannot locate and correct the problem using the information in this section, see Appendix A, "Getting help and technical assistance," on page 27.

Running POST

To make sure that it is fully operational, the I/O module performs a power-on self-test (POST). This test takes approximately 1 minute to complete. The management module reads the test results and displays them for you. During normal operation, these tests are completed without error, and the green OK LED is lit. However, if POST fails, the amber I/O module error (fault) LED and the system-error LED on the BladeCenter unit will be lit. A management module event is stored in the management module event log. The specific failure is displayed on the **System Status → I/O Module** pane.

Notes:

- For the location and description of the I/O module LEDs, see Chapter 3, "LEDs, external ports, and cables," on page 13.
- See the *BladeCenter Management Module User's Guide* for additional information about system status, event logs, and system errors.

POST errors

There are two types of errors: noncritical and critical.

- A noncritical error is a partial failure that applies to one or more ports, and leaves
 one or more ports on the I/O module operational. You can continue to operate
 the I/O module; however, you must replace it as soon as possible.
- When critical errors occur, the entire I/O module no longer operates.

If a critical error occurs, complete the following steps:

- 1. Open the **I/O Module Configuration** window (see "Configuring the ICPM" on page 17).
- 2. Turn off the I/O module; then, turn it back on.
- After POST is completed, the management-module interface displays the results. If the error remains, the I/O module is defective. Replace the I/O module.

The **I/O Module Configuration** window displays the error code associated with each failure. Note the applicable error code and corresponding failure. You might have to provide this information when you call IBM. For more details, see Appendix A, "Getting help and technical assistance," on page 27.

The following table describes some critical and noncritical failures. This is not an exhaustive list.

Diagnostic indicator (in hex)	Failing functional area	Failure criticality
00 - 7F	Base internal functions	Critical
80 - 9F	Internal interface failures	Noncritical
A0 - AF	External interface errors	Noncritical
B0 - FE	Reserved	Noncritical
FF	I/O module "good" indicator	Operation

Chapter 7. Parts listing

Replaceable components are of three types:

- Tier 1 customer replaceable unit (CRU): Replacement of Tier 1 CRUs is your responsibility. If IBM installs a Tier 1 CRU at your request, you will be charged for the installation.
- Tier 2 customer replaceable unit: You may install a Tier 2 CRU yourself or request IBM to install it, at no additional charge, under the type of warranty service that is designated for your server.
- Field replaceable unit (FRU): FRUs must be installed only by trained service technicians.

For information about the terms of the warranty, see Appendix B, "Warranty information," on page 29.

The following table lists the part information associated with the ICPM.

Name of component	CRU/FRU identifier
Intelligent Copper Pass-thru Module	44R5248 (Tier 1 CRU)

Appendix A. Getting help and technical assistance

If you need help, service, or technical assistance or just want more information about IBM products, you will find a wide variety of sources available from IBM to assist you. This section contains information about where to go for additional information about IBM and IBM products, what to do if you experience a problem with your system, and whom to call for service, if it is necessary.

Before you call

Before you call, make sure that you have taken these steps to try to solve the problem yourself:

- Check all cables to make sure that they are connected.
- Check the power switches to make sure that the system and any optional devices are turned on.
- Use the troubleshooting information in your system documentation, and use the diagnostic tools that come with your system. Information about diagnostic tools is in the *Problem Determination and Service Guide* on the IBM *Documentation* CD that comes with your system.
- Go to the IBM support Web site at http://www.ibm.com/systems/support/ to check for technical information, hints, tips, and new device drivers or to submit a request for information.

You can solve many problems without outside assistance by following the troubleshooting procedures that IBM provides in the online help or in the documentation that is provided with your IBM product. The documentation that comes with IBM systems also describes the diagnostic tests that you can perform. Most systems, operating systems, and programs come with documentation that contains troubleshooting procedures and explanations of error messages and error codes. If you suspect a software problem, see the documentation for the operating system or program.

Using the documentation

Information about your IBM system and preinstalled software, if any, or optional device is available in the documentation that comes with the product. That documentation can include printed documents, online documents, readme files, and help files. See the troubleshooting information in your system documentation for instructions for using the diagnostic programs. The troubleshooting information or the diagnostic programs might tell you that you need additional or updated device drivers or other software. IBM maintains pages on the World Wide Web where you can get the latest technical information and download device drivers and updates. To access these pages, go to http://www.ibm.com/systems/support/ and follow the instructions. Also, some documents are available through the IBM Publications Center at http://www.ibm.com/shop/publications/order/.

Getting help and information from the World Wide Web

On the World Wide Web, the IBM Web site has up-to-date information about IBM systems, optional devices, services, and support. The address for IBM System x[™] and xSeries[®] information is http://www.ibm.com/systems/x/. The address for IBM BladeCenter information is http://www.ibm.com/systems/bladecenter/. The address for IBM IntelliStation[®] information is http://www.ibm.com/intellistation/.

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You can find service information for IBM systems and optional devices at http://www.ibm.com/systems/support/.

Software service and support

Through IBM Support Line, you can get telephone assistance, for a fee, with usage, configuration, and software problems with System x and xSeries servers, BladeCenter products, IntelliStation workstations, and appliances. For information about which products are supported by Support Line in your country or region, see http://www.ibm.com/services/sl/products/.

For more information about Support Line and other IBM services, see http://www.ibm.com/services/, or see http://www.ibm.com/planetwide/ for support telephone numbers. In the U.S. and Canada, call 1-800-IBM-SERV (1-800-426-7378).

Hardware service and support

You can receive hardware service through your IBM reseller or IBM Services. To locate a reseller authorized by IBM to provide warranty service, go to http://www.ibm.com/partnerworld/ and click **Find a Business Partner** on the right side of the page. For IBM support telephone numbers, see http://www.ibm.com/planetwide/. In the U.S. and Canada, call 1-800-IBM-SERV (1-800-426-7378).

In the U.S. and Canada, hardware service and support is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. In the U.K., these services are available Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

IBM Taiwan product service

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IBM Taiwan product service contact information:
IBM Taiwan Corporation
3F, No 7, Song Ren Rd.
Taipei, Taiwan
Telephone: 0800-016-888

Appendix B. Warranty information

IBM provides hardware warranty service for this product equivalent to that described in the IBM Statement of Limited Warranty ("SOLW"), a copy of which is included, notwithstanding the section entitled, "What this Warranty Does not Cover" of the SOLW. All references to "Machine" in the SOLW apply to this product (except for its firmware or accompanying software) for purposes of the warranty. References to "IBM's Official Published Specifications" mean the specifications for the product designated by IBM. Any firmware or software included in or which accompanies this product is subject to the terms and conditions of the manufacturer's end user license agreement.

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Part 1 - General Terms

Part 1 - General Terms

This Statement of Limited Warranty includes Part 1 - General Terms, Part 2 - Country-unique Terms, and Part 3 - Warranty Information. The terms of Part 2 replace or modify those of Part 1. The warranties provided by IBM in this Statement of Limited Warranty apply only to Machines you purchase for your use, and not for resale. The term "Machine" means an IBM machine, its features, conversions, upgrades, elements, or accessories, or any combination of them. The term "Machine" does not include any software programs, whether pre-loaded with the Machine, installed subsequently or otherwise. Nothing in this Statement of Limited Warranty affects any statutory rights of consumers that cannot be waived or limited by contract.

What this Warranty Covers

IBM warrants that each Machine 1) is free from defects in materials and workmanship and 2) conforms to IBM's Official Published Specifications ("Specifications") which are available on request. The warranty period for the Machine starts on the original Date of Installation and is specified in Part 3 - Warranty Information. The date on your invoice or sales receipt is the Date of Installation unless IBM or your reseller informs you otherwise. Many features, conversions, or upgrades involve the removal of parts and their return to IBM. A part that replaces a removed part will assume the warranty service status of the removed part. Unless IBM specifies otherwise, these warranties apply only in the country or region in which you purchased the Machine.

THESE WARRANTIES ARE YOUR EXCLUSIVE WARRANTIES AND REPLACE ALL OTHER WARRANTIES OR CONDITIONS, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE IMPLIED WARRANTIES OR CONDITIONS OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE. SOME STATES OR JURISDICTIONS DO NOT ALLOW THE EXCLUSION OF EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES, SO THE ABOVE EXCLUSION MAY NOT APPLY TO YOU. IN THAT EVENT, SUCH WARRANTIES ARE LIMITED IN DURATION TO THE WARRANTY PERIOD. NO WARRANTIES APPLY AFTER THAT PERIOD. SOME STATES OR JURISDICTIONS DO NOT ALLOW LIMITATIONS ON HOW LONG AN IMPLIED WARRANTY LASTS, SO THE ABOVE LIMITATION MAY NOT APPLY TO YOU.

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What this Warranty Does not Cover

This warranty does not cover the following:

- any software programs, whether pre-loaded or shipped with the Machine, or installed subsequently;
- failure resulting from misuse (including but not limited to use of any Machine capacity or capability, other than that authorized by IBM in writing), accident, modification, unsuitable physical or operating environment, or improper maintenance by you;
- · failure caused by a product for which IBM is not responsible; and
- any non-IBM products, including those that IBM may procure and provide with or integrate into an IBM Machine at your request.

The warranty is voided by removal or alteration of identification labels on the Machine or its parts.

IBM does not warrant uninterrupted or error-free operation of a Machine.

Any technical or other support provided for a Machine under warranty, such as assistance with "how-to" questions and those regarding Machine set-up and installation, is provided **WITHOUT WARRANTIES OF ANY KIND**.

How to Obtain Warranty Service

If the Machine does not function as warranted during the warranty period, contact IBM or your reseller to obtain warranty service. If you do not register the Machine with IBM, you may be required to present proof of purchase as evidence of your entitlement to warranty service.

What IBM Will Do to Correct Problems

When you contact IBM for service, you must follow the problem determination and resolution procedures that IBM specifies. An initial diagnosis of your problem can be made either by a technician over the telephone or electronically by access to an IBM website.

The type of warranty service applicable to your Machine is specified in Part 3 - Warranty Information.

You are responsible for downloading and installing designated Machine Code (microcode, basic input/output system code (called "BIOS"), utility programs, device drivers, and diagnostics delivered with an IBM Machine) and other software updates from an IBM Internet Web site or from other electronic media, and following the instructions that IBM provides.

If your problem can be resolved with a Customer Replaceable Unit ("CRU") (e.g., keyboard, mouse, speaker, memory, hard disk drive), IBM will ship the CRU to you for you to install.

If the Machine does not function as warranted during the warranty period and your problem cannot be resolved over the telephone or electronically, through your application of Machine Code or software updates, or with a CRU, IBM or your reseller, if approved by IBM to provide warranty service, will either, at its discretion, 1) repair it to make it function as warranted, or 2) replace it with one that is at least functionally equivalent. If IBM is unable to do either, you may return the Machine to your place of purchase and your money will be refunded.

IBM or your reseller will also manage and install selected engineering changes that apply to the Machine.

Exchange of a Machine or Part

When the warranty service involves the exchange of a Machine or part, the item IBM or your reseller replaces becomes its property and the replacement becomes yours. You represent that all removed items are genuine and unaltered. The replacement may not be new, but will be in good working order and at least functionally equivalent to the item replaced. The replacement assumes the warranty service status of the replaced item.

Your Additional Responsibilities

Before IBM or your reseller exchanges a Machine or part, you agree to remove all features, parts, options, alterations, and attachments not under warranty service.

You also agree to:

- 1. ensure that the Machine is free of any legal obligations or restrictions that prevent its exchange;
- 2. obtain authorization from the owner to have IBM or your reseller service a Machine that you do not own; and
- 3. where applicable, before service is provided:
 - a. follow the service request procedures that IBM or your reseller provides;
 - b. backup or secure all programs, data, and funds contained in the Machine;
 - c. provide IBM or your reseller with sufficient, free, and safe access to your facilities to permit IBM to fulfill its obligations; and
 - d. inform IBM or your reseller of changes in the Machine's location.
- 4. (a) ensure all information about identified or identifiable individuals (Personal Data) is deleted from the Machine (to the extent technically possible), (b) allow IBM, your reseller or an IBM supplier to process on your behalf any remaining Personal Data as IBM or your reseller considers necessary to fulfill its obligations under this Statement of Limited Warranty (which may include shipping the Machine for such processing to other IBM service locations around the world), and (c) ensure that such processing complies with any laws applicable to such Personal Data.

Limitation of Liability

IBM is responsible for loss of, or damage to, your Machine only while it is 1) in IBM's possession or 2) in transit in those cases where IBM is responsible for the transportation charges.

Neither IBM nor your reseller are responsible for any of your confidential, proprietary or personal information contained in a Machine which you return to IBM for any reason. You should remove all such information from the Machine prior to its return.

Circumstances may arise where, because of a default on IBM's part or other liability, you are entitled to recover damages from IBM. In each such instance, regardless of the basis on which you are entitled to claim damages from IBM (including fundamental breach, negligence, misrepresentation, or other contract or tort claim), except for any liability that cannot be waived or limited by applicable laws. IBM is liable for no more than

- 1. damages for bodily injury (including death) and damage to real property and tangible personal property; and
- the amount of any other actual direct damages, up to the charges (if recurring, 12 months' charges apply) for the Machine that is subject of the claim. For purposes of this item, the term "Machine" includes Machine Code and Licensed Internal Code ("LIC").

This limit also applies to IBM's suppliers and your reseller. It is the maximum for which IBM, its suppliers, and your reseller are collectively responsible.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES IS IBM, ITS SUPPLIERS OR RESELLERS LIABLE FOR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING EVEN IF INFORMED OF THEIR POSSIBILITY: 1) THIRD PARTY CLAIMS AGAINST YOU FOR DAMAGES (OTHER THAN THOSE UNDER THE FIRST ITEM LISTED ABOVE); 2) LOSS OF,

OR DAMAGE TO, DATA; 3) SPECIAL, INCIDENTAL, OR INDIRECT DAMAGES OR FOR ANY ECONOMIC CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES; OR 4) LOST PROFITS, BUSINESS REVENUE, GOODWILL OR ANTICIPATED SAVINGS. SOME STATES OR JURISDICTIONS DO NOT ALLOW THE EXCLUSION OR LIMITATION OF INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES, SO THE ABOVE LIMITATION OR EXCLUSION MAY NOT APPLY TO YOU. SOME STATES OR JURISDICTIONS DO NOT ALLOW LIMITATIONS ON HOW LONG AN IMPLIED WARRANTY LASTS, SO THE ABOVE LIMITATION MAY NOT APPLY TO YOU.

Governing Law

Both you and IBM consent to the application of the laws of the country in which you acquired the Machine to govern, interpret, and enforce all of your and IBM's rights, duties, and obligations arising from, or relating in any manner to, the subject matter of this Statement of Limited Warranty, without regard to conflict of law principles.

THESE WARRANTIES GIVE YOU SPECIFIC LEGAL RIGHTS AND YOU MAY ALSO HAVE OTHER RIGHTS WHICH VARY FROM STATE TO STATE OR JURISDICTION TO JURISDICTION.

Jurisdiction

All of our rights, duties, and obligations are subject to the courts of the country in which you acquired the Machine.

Part 2 - Country-unique Terms

AMERICAS

ARGENTINA

Jurisdiction: The following is added after the first sentence:

Any litigation arising from this Statement of Limited Warranty will be settled exclusively by the Ordinary Commercial Court of the city of Buenos Aires.

BOLIVIA

Jurisdiction: The following is added after the first sentence:

Any litigation arising from this Statement of Limited Warranty will be settled exclusively by the courts of the city of La Paz.

BRAZIL

Jurisdiction: The following is added after the first sentence: Any litigation arising from this Statement of Limited Warranty will be settled exclusively by the court of Rio de Janeiro, RJ.

CHILE

Jurisdiction: The following is added after the first sentence:

Any litigation arising from this Statement of Limited Warranty will be settled exclusively by the Civil Courts of Justice of Santiago.

COLOMBIA

Jurisdiction: The following is added after the first sentence:

Any litigation arising from this Statement of Limited Warranty will be settled exclusively by the Judges of the Republic of Colombia.

EQUADOR

Jurisdiction: The following is added after the first sentence:

Any litigation arising from this Statement of Limited Warranty will be settled exclusively by the Judges of Quito.

MEXICO

Jurisdiction: The following is added after the first sentence:

Any litigation arising from this Statement of Limited Warranty will be settled exclusively by the Federal Courts of Mexico City, Federal District.

PARAGUAY

Jurisdiction: The following is added after the first sentence:

Any litigation arising from this Statement of Limited Warranty will be settled exclusively by the courts of the city of Asuncion.

PERU

Limitation of Liability: The following is added at the end of this section:

In accordance with Article 1328 of the Peruvian Civil Code the limitations and exclusions specified in this section will not apply to damages caused by IBM's willful misconduct ("dolo") or gross negligence ("culpa inexcusable").

URUGUAY

Jurisdiction: The following is added after the first sentence:

Any litigation arising from this Statement of Limited Warranty will be settled exclusively by the City of Montevideo Court's Jurisdiction.

VENEZUELA

Jurisdiction: The following is added after the first sentence:

Any litigation arising from this Statement of Limited Warranty will be settled exclusively by the Courts of the Metropolitan Area Of the City of Caracas.

NORTH AMERICA

How to Obtain Warranty Service: *The following is added to this Section:* To obtain warranty service from IBM in Canada or the United States, call 1-800-IBM-SERV (426-7378).

CANADA

Limitation of Liability: The following replaces item 1 of this section:

1. damages for bodily injury (including death) or physical harm to real property and tangible personal property caused by IBM's negligence; and

Governing Law: The following replaces "laws of the country in which you acquired the Machine" in the first sentence: laws in the Province of Ontario.

UNITED STATES

Governing Law: The following replaces "laws of the country in which you acquired the Machine" in the first sentence: laws of the State of New York.

ASIA PACIFIC

AUSTRALIA

What this Warranty Covers: The following paragraph is added to this section: The warranties specified in this Section are in addition to any rights you may have under the Trade Practices Act 1974 or other similar legislation and are only limited to the extent permitted by the applicable legislation.

Limitation of Liability: The following is added to this section:

Where IBM is in breach of a condition or warranty implied by the Trade Practices Act 1974 or other similar legislation, IBM's liability is limited to the repair or replacement of the goods or the supply of equivalent goods. Where that condition or warranty relates to right to sell, quiet possession or clear title, or the goods are of a kind ordinarily acquired for personal, domestic or household use or consumption, then none of the limitations in this paragraph apply.

Governing Law: The following replaces "laws of the country in which you acquired the Machine" in the first sentence: laws of the State or Territory.

CAMBODIA AND LAOS

Governing Law: The following replaces "laws of the country in which you acquired the Machine" in the first sentence:

laws of the State of New York, United States of America.

CAMBODIA, INDONESIA, AND LAOS

Arbitration: The following is added under this heading:

Disputes arising out of or in connection with this Statement of Limited Warranty shall be finally settled by arbitration which shall be held in Singapore in accordance with the Arbitration Rules of Singapore International Arbitration Center ("SIAC Rules") then in effect. The arbitration award shall be final and binding for the parties without appeal and shall be in writing and set forth the findings of fact and the conclusions of law.

The number of arbitrators shall be three, with each side to the dispute being entitled to appoint one arbitrator. The two arbitrators appointed by the parties shall appoint a third arbitrator who shall act as chairman of the proceedings. Vacancies in the post of chairman shall be filled by the president of the SIAC. Other vacancies shall be filled by the respective nominating party. Proceedings shall continue from the stage they were at when the vacancy occurred.

If one of the parties refuses or otherwise fails to appoint an arbitrator within 30 days of the date the other party appoints its, the first appointed arbitrator shall be the sole arbitrator, provided that the arbitrator was validly and properly appointed.

All proceedings shall be conducted, including all documents presented in such proceedings, in the English language. The English language version of this Statement of Limited Warranty prevails over any other language version.

HONG KONG S.A.R. OF CHINA AND MACAU S.A.R. OF CHINA

Governing Law: The following replaces "laws of the country in which you acquired the Machine" in the first sentence:

laws of Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of China.

INDIA

Limitation of Liability: The following replaces items 1 and 2 of this section:

- 1. liability for bodily injury (including death) or damage to real property and tangible personal property will be limited to that caused by IBM's negligence; and
- as to any other actual damage arising in any situation involving nonperformance by IBM pursuant to, or in any way related to the subject of this Statement of Limited Warranty, the charge paid by you for the individual Machine that is the subject of the claim. For purposes of this item, the term "Machine" includes Machine Code and Licensed Internal Code ("LIC").

Arbitration: The following is added under this heading:

Disputes arising out of or in connection with this Statement of Limited Warranty shall be finally settled by arbitration which shall be held in Bangalore, India in accordance with the laws of India then in effect. The arbitration award shall be final and binding for the parties without appeal and shall be in writing and set forth the findings of fact and the conclusions of law.

The number of arbitrators shall be three, with each side to the dispute being entitled to appoint one arbitrator. The two arbitrators appointed by the parties shall appoint a third arbitrator who shall act as chairman of the proceedings. Vacancies in the post of chairman shall be filled by the president of the Bar Council of India. Other vacancies shall be filled by the respective nominating party. Proceedings shall continue from the stage they were at when the vacancy occurred.

If one of the parties refuses or otherwise fails to appoint an arbitrator within 30 days of the date the other party appoints its, the first appointed arbitrator shall be the sole arbitrator, provided that the arbitrator was validly and properly appointed.

All proceedings shall be conducted, including all documents presented in such proceedings, in the English language. The English language version of this Statement of Limited Warranty prevails over any other language version.

JAPAN

Governing Law: The following sentence is added to this section: Any doubts concerning this Statement of Limited Warranty will be initially resolved between us in good faith and in accordance with the principle of mutual trust.

MALAYSIA

Limitation of Liability: The word "SPECIAL" in item 3 of the fifth paragraph is deleted.

NEW ZEALAND

What this Warranty Covers: The following paragraph is added to this section: The warranties specified in this section are in addition to any rights you may have under the Consumer Guarantees Act 1993 or other legislation which cannot be excluded or limited. The Consumer Guarantees Act 1993 will not apply in respect of any goods which IBM provides, if you require the goods for the purposes of a business as defined in that Act.

Limitation of Liability: The following is added to this section:

Where Machines are not acquired for the purposes of a business as defined in the Consumer Guarantees Act 1993, the limitations in this section are subject to the limitations in that Act.

PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (PRC)

Governing Law: The following replaces "laws of the country in which you acquired the Machine" in the first sentence:

laws of the State of New York, United States of America (except when local law requires otherwise).

PHILIPPINES

Limitation of Liability: Item 3 in the fifth paragraph is replaced by the following:

SPECIAL (INCLUDING NOMINAL AND EXEMPLARY DAMAGES), MORAL, INCIDENTAL, OR INDIRECT DAMAGES FOR ANY ECONOMIC CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES; OR

Arbitration: The following is added under this heading:

Disputes arising out of or in connection with this Statement of Limited Warranty shall be finally settled by arbitration which shall be held in Metro Manila, Philippines in accordance with the laws of the Philippines then in effect. The arbitration award shall be final and binding for the parties without appeal and shall be in writing and set forth the findings of fact and the conclusions of law.

The number of arbitrators shall be three, with each side to the dispute being entitled to appoint one arbitrator. The two arbitrators appointed by the parties shall appoint a third arbitrator who shall act as chairman of the proceedings. Vacancies in the post of chairman shall be filled by the president of the Philippine Dispute Resolution Center, Inc. Other vacancies shall be filled by the respective nominating party. Proceedings shall continue from the stage they were at when the vacancy occurred.

If one of the parties refuses or otherwise fails to appoint an arbitrator within 30 days of the date the other party appoints its, the first appointed arbitrator shall be the sole arbitrator, provided that the arbitrator was validly and properly appointed.

All proceedings shall be conducted, including all documents presented in such proceedings, in the English language. The English language version of this Statement of Limited Warranty prevails over any other language version.

SINGAPORE

Limitation of Liability: The words "SPECIAL" and "ECONOMIC" in item 3 in the fifth paragraph are deleted.

EUROPE, MIDDLE EAST, AFRICA (EMEA)

THE FOLLOWING TERMS APPLY TO ALL EMEA COUNTRIES:

The terms of this Statement of Limited Warranty apply to Machines purchased from IBM or an IBM reseller.

How to Obtain Warranty Service:

Add the following paragraph in **Western Europe** (Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom, Vatican State, and any country subsequently added to the European Union, as from the date of accession):

The warranty for Machines acquired in Western Europe shall be valid and applicable in all Western Europe countries provided the Machines have been announced and made available in such countries.

If you purchase a Machine in one of the Western European countries, as defined above, you may obtain warranty service for that Machine in any of those countries from either (1) an IBM reseller approved to perform warranty service or (2) from IBM, provided the Machine has been announced and made available by IBM in the country in which you wish to obtain service.

If you purchased a Personal Computer Machine in Albania, Armenia, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Georgia, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (FYROM), Moldova, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovak Republic, Slovenia, or Ukraine, you may obtain warranty service for that Machine in any of those countries from either (1) an IBM reseller approved to perform warranty service or (2) from IBM.

If you purchase a Machine in a Middle Eastern or African country, you may obtain warranty service for that Machine from the IBM entity within the country of purchase, if that IBM entity provides warranty service in that country, or from an IBM reseller, approved by IBM to perform warranty service on that Machine in that country. Warranty service in Africa is available within 50 kilometers of an IBM approved service provider. You are responsible for transportation costs for Machines located outside 50 kilometers of an IBM approved service provider.

Governing Law:

The phrase "the laws of the country in which you acquired the Machine" is replaced by:

1) "the laws of Austria" in Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Georgia, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, FYR Macedonia, Moldova, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan, and FR Yugoslavia; 2) "the laws of France" in Algeria, Benin, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo Republic, Djibouti, Democratic Republic of Congo, Equatorial Guinea, French Guiana, French Polynesia, Gabon, Gambia, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Ivory Coast, Lebanon, Madagascar, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mayotte, Morocco, New Caledonia, Niger, Reunion, Senegal, Seychelles, Togo, Tunisia, Vanuatu, and Wallis & Futuna; 3) "the laws of Finland" in Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania; 4) "the laws of England" in Angola, Bahrain, Botswana, Burundi, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Ghana, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Liberia, Malawi, Malta, Mozambique, Nigeria, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Rwanda, Sao Tome, Saudi Arabia, Sierra Leone, Somalia, Tanzania, Uganda, United Arab Emirates, the United Kingdom, West Bank/Gaza, Yemen, Zambia, and Zimbabwe; and 5) "the laws of South Africa" in South Africa, Namibia, Lesotho and Swaziland.

Jurisdiction: The following exceptions are added to this section:

1) In Austria the choice of jurisdiction for all disputes arising out of this Statement of Limited Warranty and relating thereto, including its existence, will be the competent court of law in Vienna, Austria (Inner-City); 2) in Angola, Bahrain, Botswana, Burundi, Egypt, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Ghana, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Liberia, Malawi, Malta, Mozambique, Nigeria, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Rwanda, Sao Tome, Saudi Arabia, Sierra Leone, Somalia, Tanzania, Uganda, United Arab Emirates, West Bank/Gaza, Yemen, Zambia, and Zimbabwe all disputes arising out of this Statement of Limited Warranty or related to its execution, including summary proceedings, will be submitted to the exclusive jurisdiction of the

English courts; 3) in **Belgium** and **Luxembourg**, all disputes arising out of this Statement of Limited Warranty or related to its interpretation or its execution, the law, and the courts of the capital city, of the country of your registered office and/or commercial site location only are competent; 4) in France, Algeria, Benin, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo Republic, Diibouti, Democratic Republic of Congo, Equatorial Guinea, French Guiana, French Polynesia, Gabon, Gambia, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Ivory Coast, Lebanon, Madagascar, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mayotte, Morocco, New Caledonia, Niger, Reunion, Senegal, Seychelles, Togo, Tunisia, Vanuatu, and Wallis & Futuna all disputes arising out of this Statement of Limited Warranty or related to its violation or execution, including summary proceedings, will be settled exclusively by the Commercial Court of Paris; 5) in Russia, all disputes arising out of or in relation to the interpretation, the violation, the termination, the nullity of the execution of this Statement of Limited Warranty shall be settled by Arbitration Court of Moscow; 6) in South Africa, Namibia, Lesotho and Swaziland, both of us agree to submit all disputes relating to this Statement of Limited Warranty to the jurisdiction of the High Court in Johannesburg; 7) in Turkey all disputes arising out of or in connection with this Statement of Limited Warranty shall be resolved by the Istanbul Central (Sultanahmet) Courts and Execution Directorates of Istanbul, the Republic of Turkey; 8) in each of the following specified countries, any legal claim arising out of this Statement of Limited Warranty will be brought before, and settled exclusively by, the competent court of a) Athens for Greece, b) Tel Aviv-Jaffa for Israel, c) Milan for Italy, d) Lisbon for Portugal, and e) Madrid for Spain; and 9) in the United Kingdom, both of us agree to submit all disputes relating to this Statement of Limited Warranty to the jurisdiction of the English courts.

Arbitration: The following is added under this heading:

In Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Georgia, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, FYR Macedonia, Moldova, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan, and FR Yugoslavia all disputes arising out of this Statement of Limited Warranty or related to its violation, termination or nullity will be finally settled under the Rules of Arbitration and Conciliation of the International Arbitral Center of the Federal Economic Chamber in Vienna (Vienna Rules) by three arbitrators appointed in accordance with these rules. The arbitration will be held in Vienna, Austria, and the official language of the proceedings will be English. The decision of the arbitrators will be final and binding upon both parties. Therefore, pursuant to paragraph 598 (2) of the Austrian Code of Civil Procedure, the parties expressly waive the application of paragraph 595 (1) figure 7 of the Code. IBM may, however, institute proceedings in a competent court in the country of installation.

In Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania all disputes arising in connection with this Statement of Limited Warranty will be finally settled in arbitration that will be held in Helsinki, Finland in accordance with the arbitration laws of Finland then in effect. Each party will appoint one arbitrator. The arbitrators will then jointly appoint the chairman. If arbitrators cannot agree on the chairman, then the Central Chamber of Commerce in Helsinki will appoint the chairman.

EUROPEAN UNION (EU)

THE FOLLOWING TERMS APPLY TO ALL EU COUNTRIES:

The warranty for Machines acquired in EU countries is valid and applicable in all EU countries provided the Machines have been announced and made available in such countries.

How to Obtain Warranty Service: The following is added to this section:

To obtain warranty service from IBM in EU countries, see the telephone listing in Part 3 - Warranty Information.

You may contact IBM at the following address:

IBM Warranty & Service Quality Dept.

PO Box 30

Spango Valley

Greenock

Scotland PA16 0AH

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Except as otherwise provided by mandatory law:

- 1. IBM's liability for any damages and losses that may arise as a consequence of the fulfillment of its obligations under or in connection with this Statement of Limited Warranty or due to any other cause related to this Statement of Limited Warranty is limited to the compensation of only those damages and losses proved and actually arising as an immediate and direct consequence of the non-fulfillment of such obligations (if IBM is at fault) or of such cause, for a maximum amount equal to the charges you paid for the Machine. For purposes of this item, the term "Machine" includes Machine Code and Licensed Internal Code ("LIC").
 - The above limitation shall not apply to damages for bodily injuries (including death) and damages to real property and tangible personal property for which IBM is legally liable.
- 2. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES IS IBM, ITS SUPPLIERS OR RESELLERS LIABLE FOR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING, EVEN IF INFORMED OF THEIR POSSIBILITY: 1) LOSS OF, OR DAMAGE TO, DATA; 2) INCIDENTAL OR INDIRECT DAMAGES, OR FOR ANY ECONOMIC CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES; 3) LOST PROFITS, EVEN IF THEY ARISE AS AN IMMEDIATE CONSEQUENCE OF THE EVENT THAT GENERATED THE DAMAGES; OR 4) LOSS OF BUSINESS, REVENUE, GOODWILL, OR ANTICIPATED SAVINGS.

FRANCE AND BELGIUM

Limitation of Liability: The following replaces the terms of this section in its entirety:

Except as otherwise provided by mandatory law:

- 1. IBM's liability for any damages and losses that may arise as a consequence of the fulfillment of its obligations under or in connection with this Statement of Limited Warranty is limited to the compensation of only those damages and losses proved and actually arising as an immediate and direct consequence of the non-fulfillment of such obligations (if IBM is at fault), for a maximum amount equal to the charges you paid for the Machine that has caused the damages. For purposes of this item, the term "Machine" includes Machine Code and Licensed Internal Code ("LIC").
 - The above limitation shall not apply to damages for bodily injuries (including death) and damages to real property and tangible personal property for which IBM is legally liable.
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THE FOLLOWING TERMS APPLY TO THE COUNTRY SPECIFIED:

AUSTRIA

The provisions of this Statement of Limited Warranty replace any applicable statutory warranties.

What this Warranty Covers: The following replaces the first sentence of the first paragraph of this section:

The warranty for an IBM Machine covers the functionality of the Machine for its normal use and the Machine's conformity to its Specifications.

The following paragraphs are added to this section:

The limitation period for consumers in action for breach of warranty is the statutory period as a minimum. In case IBM or your reseller is unable to repair an IBM Machine, you can alternatively ask for a partial refund as far as justified by the reduced value of the unrepaired Machine or ask for a cancellation of the respective agreement for such Machine and get your money refunded.

The second paragraph does not apply.

What IBM Will Do to Correct Problems: The following is added to this section:

During the warranty period, IBM will reimburse you for the transportation charges for the delivery of the failing Machine to IBM.

Limitation of Liability: The following paragraph is added to this section:

The limitations and exclusions specified in the Statement of Limited Warranty will not apply to damages caused by IBM with fraud or gross negligence and for express warranty.

The following sentence is added to the end of item 2:

IBM's liability under this item is limited to the violation of essential contractual terms in cases of ordinary negligence.

EGYPT

Limitation of Liability: The following replaces item 2 in this section: as to any other actual direct damages, IBM's liability will be limited to the total amount you paid for the Machine that is the subject of the claim. For purposes of this item, the term "Machine" includes Machine Code and Licensed Internal Code ("LIC").

Applicability of suppliers and resellers (unchanged).

FRANCE

Limitation of Liability: The following replaces the second sentence of the first paragraph of this section:

In such instances, regardless of the basis on which you are entitled to claim damages from IBM, IBM is liable for no more than: (items 1 and 2 unchanged).

GERMANY

What this Warranty Covers: The following replaces the first sentence of the first paragraph of this section:

The warranty for an IBM Machine covers the functionality of the Machine for its normal use and the Machine's conformity to its Specifications.

The following paragraphs are added to this section:

The minimum warranty period for Machines is twelve months. In case IBM or your reseller is unable to repair an IBM Machine, you can alternatively ask for a partial refund as far as justified by the reduced value of the unrepaired Machine or ask for a cancellation of the respective agreement for such Machine and get your money refunded.

The second paragraph does not apply.

What IBM Will Do to Correct Problems: The following is added to this section:

During the warranty period, transportation for delivery of the failing Machine to IBM will be at IBM's expense.

Limitation of Liability: The following paragraph is added to this section:

The limitations and exclusions specified in the Statement of Limited Warranty will not apply to damages caused by IBM with fraud or gross negligence and for express warranty.

The following sentence is added to the end of item 2:

IBM's liability under this item is limited to the violation of essential contractual terms in cases of ordinary negligence.

HUNGARY

Limitation of Liability: The following is added at the end of this section:

The limitation and exclusion specified herein shall not apply to liability for a breach of contract damaging life, physical well-being, or health that has been caused intentionally, by gross negligence, or by a criminal act.

The parties accept the limitations of liability as valid provisions and state that the Section 314.(2) of the Hungarian Civil Code applies as the acquisition price as well as other advantages arising out of the present Statement of Limited Warranty balance this limitation of liability.

IRELAND

What this Warranty Covers: The following is added to this section:

Except as expressly provided in these terms and conditions, all statutory conditions, including all warranties implied, but without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing all warranties implied by the Sale of Goods Act 1893 or the Sale of Goods and Supply of Services Act 1980 are hereby excluded.

Limitation of Liability: The following replaces the terms of this section in its entirety:

For the purposes of this section, a "Default" means any act, statement, omission, or negligence on the part of IBM in connection with, or in relation to, the subject matter of this Statement of Limited Warranty in respect of which IBM is legally liable to you, whether in contract or tort. A number of Defaults which together result in, or contribute to, substantially the same loss or damage will be treated as one Default occurring on the date of occurrence of the last such Default.

Circumstances may arise where, because of a Default, you are entitled to recover damages from IBM.

This section sets out the extent of IBM's liability and your sole remedy.

- 1. IBM will accept unlimited liability for death or personal injury caused by the negligence of IBM.
- 2. Subject always to the **Items for Which IBM is Not Liable** below, IBM will accept unlimited liability for physical damage to your tangible property resulting from the negligence of IBM.
- 3. Except as provided in items 1 and 2 above, IBM's entire liability for actual damages for any one Default will not in any event exceed the greater of 1) EUR 125,000, or 2) 125% of the amount you paid for the Machine directly relating to the Default.

Items for Which IBM is Not Liable

Save with respect to any liability referred to in item 1 above, under no circumstances is IBM, its suppliers or resellers liable for any of the following, even if IBM or they were informed of the possibility of such losses:

- 1. loss of, or damage to, data;
- 2. special, indirect, or consequential loss; or
- 3. loss of profits, business, revenue, goodwill, or anticipated savings.

SLOVAKIA

Limitation of Liability: The following is added to the end of the last paragraph:

The limitations apply to the extent they are not prohibited under §§ 373-386 of the Slovak Commercial Code.

SOUTH AFRICA, NAMIBIA, BOTSWANA, LESOTHO AND SWAZILAND

Limitation of Liability: The following is added to this section:

IBM's entire liability to you for actual damages arising in all situations involving nonperformance by IBM in respect of the subject matter of this Statement of Warranty will be limited to the charge paid by you for the individual Machine that is the subject of your claim from IBM.

UNITED KINGDOM

Limitation of Liability: The following replaces the terms of this section in its entirety:

For the purposes of this section, a "Default" means any act, statement, omission, or negligence on the part of IBM in connection with, or in relation to, the subject matter of this Statement of Limited Warranty in respect of which IBM is legally liable to you, whether in contract or tort. A number of Defaults which together result in, or contribute to, substantially the same loss or damage will be treated as one Default.

Circumstances may arise where, because of a Default, you are entitled to recover damages from IBM.

This section sets out the extent of IBM's liability and your sole remedy.

- 1. IBM will accept unlimited liability for:
 - a. death or personal injury caused by the negligence of IBM; and
 - any breach of its obligations implied by Section 12 of the Sale of Goods Act 1979 or Section 2 of the Supply of Goods and Services Act 1982, or any statutory modification or re-enactment of either such Section.
- 2. IBM will accept unlimited liability, subject always to the **Items for Which IBM is Not Liable** below, for physical damage to your tangible property resulting from the negligence of IBM.
- 3. IBM's entire liability for actual damages for any one Default will not in any event, except as provided in items 1 and 2 above, exceed the greater of 1) Pounds Sterling 75,000, or 2) 125% of the total purchase price payable or the charges for the Machine directly relating to the Default.

These limits also apply to IBM's suppliers and resellers. They state the maximum for which IBM and such suppliers and resellers are collectively responsible.

Items for Which IBM is Not Liable

Save with respect to any liability referred to in item 1 above, under no circumstances is IBM or any of its suppliers or resellers liable for any of the following, even if IBM or they were informed of the possibility of such losses:

- 1. loss of, or damage to, data;
- 2. special, indirect, or consequential loss; or
- 3. loss of profits, business, revenue, goodwill, or anticipated savings.

Part 3 - Warranty Information

This Part 3 provides information regarding the warranty applicable to your Machine, including the warranty period and type of warranty service IBM provides.

Warranty Period

The warranty period may vary by country or region and is specified in the table

Note: "Region" means either Hong Kong or Macau Special Administrative Region of China.

A warranty period of 3 years on parts and 1 year on labor means that IBM provides warranty service without charge for:

- 1. parts and labor during the first year of the warranty period; and
- 2. parts only, on an exchange basis, in the second and third years of the warranty period. IBM will charge you for any labor provided in performance of the repair or replacement(s) in the second and third year of the warranty period.

Machine - Intelligent Copper Pass-thru Module for IBM BladeCenter

Country or Region of Purchase	Warranty Period	Type of Warranty Service*			
Worldwide	1 year	1			
* See "Types of Warranty Service" for the legend and explanations of warranty-service types.					

Types of Warranty Service

If required, IBM provides repair or exchange the above table and as described below. Warranty service may be provided by your reseller if approved by IBM to perform warranty service. Scheduling of service will depend upon the time of your call and is subject to parts availability. Service levels are response time objectives and are not guaranteed. The specified level of warranty service may not be available in all worldwide locations, additional charges may apply outside IBM's normal service area, contact your local IBM representative or your reseller for country and location specific information.

1. Customer Replaceable Unit ("CRU") Service

IBM provides replacement CRUs to you for you to install. CRU information and replacement instructions are shipped with your Machine and are available from IBM at any time on your request. Installation of Tier 1 CRUs is your responsibility. If IBM installs a Tier 1 CRU at your request, you will be charged for the installation. You may install a Tier 2 CRU yourself or request IBM to install it, at no additional charge, under the type of warranty service designated for your Machine. IBM specifies in the materials shipped with a replacement CRU whether a defective CRU must be returned to IBM. When return is required, 1) return instructions and a container are shipped with the replacement CRU, and 2) you may be charged for the replacement CRU if IBM does not receive the defective CRU within 30 days of your receipt of the replacement.

2. On-site Service

IBM or your reseller will either repair or exchange the failing Machine at your location and verify its operation. You must provide suitable working area to allow disassembly and reassembly of the IBM Machine. The area must be clean, well lit and suitable for the purpose. For some Machines, certain repairs may require sending the Machine to an IBM service center.

3. Courier or Depot Service*

You will disconnect the failing Machine for collection arranged by IBM. IBM will provide you with a shipping container for you to return your Machine to a designated service center. A courier will pick up your Machine and deliver it to the designated service center. Following its repair or exchange, IBM will arrange the return delivery of the Machine to your location. You are responsible for its installation and verification.

4. Customer Carry-In or Mail-In Service

You will deliver or mail as IBM specifies (prepaid unless IBM specifies otherwise) the failing Machine suitably packaged to a location IBM designates. After IBM has repaired or exchanged the Machine, IBM will make it available for your collection or, for Mail-in Service, IBM will return it to you at IBM's expense, unless IBM specifies otherwise. You are responsible for the subsequent installation and verification of the Machine.

5. CRU and On-site Service

This type of Warranty Service is a combination of Type 1 and Type 2 (see above).

6. CRU and Courier or Depot Service

This type of Warranty Service is a combination of Type 1 and Type 3 (see above).

7. CRU and Customer Carry-In or Mail-In Service

This type of Warranty Service is a combination of Type 1 and Type 4 (see above).

When a 5, 6 or 7 type of warranty service is listed, IBM will determine which type of warranty service is appropriate for the repair.

The IBM Machine Warranty World Wide Web site at http://www.ibm.com/servers/support/machine_warranties/ provides a worldwide overview of IBM's Limited Warranty for Machines, a Glossary of IBM definitions, Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) and Support by Product (Machine) with links to Product Support pages. The IBM Statement of Limited Warranty is also available on this site in 29 languages.

To obtain warranty service contact IBM or your IBM reseller. In Canada or the United States, call 1-800-IBM-SERV (426-7378). In the EU countries, see the telephone numbers below.

EU Country Telephone List

Phone numbers are subject to change without notice. For the warranty service contact telephone number in a country subsequently added to the EU and not yet reflected in the list below, contact IBM in that country or visit the website above for a current telephone listing.

Austria +43-1-24592-5901	Latvia +386-61-1796-699		
Belgium +32-70-23-3392	Lithuania +386-61-1796-699		
Cyprus +357-22-841100	Luxembourg +352-298-977-5063		
Czech Republic +420-2-7213-1316	Malta +356-23-4175		
Denmark +45-4520-8200	Netherlands +31-20-514-5770		
Estonia +386-61-1796-699	Poland +48-22-878-6999		
Finland +358-8001-4260	Portugal +351-21-892-7147		
France +33-238-557-450	Slovakia +421-2-4954-1217		
Germany +49-1805-253553	Slovenia +386-1-4796-699		
Greece +30-210-680-1700	Spain +34-91-714-7983		
Hungary +36-1-382-5720	Sweden +46-8-477-4420		
Ireland +353-1-815-4000	United Kingdom +44-0870-550-0900		
Italy +39-800-820-094			

^{*} This type of service is called ThinkPad EasyServ or EasyServ in some countries.

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Battery return program

This product may contain a sealed lead acid, nickel cadmium, nickel metal hydride, lithium, or lithium ion battery. Consult your user manual or service manual for specific battery information. The battery must be recycled or disposed of properly. Recycling facilities may not be available in your area. For information on disposal of batteries outside the United States, go to http://www.ibm.com/ibm/environment/products/index.shtml or contact your local waste disposal facility.

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For the European Union:



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Batteries or packaging for batteries are labeled in accordance with European Directive 2006/66/EC concerning batteries and accumulators and waste batteries and accumulators. The Directive determines the framework for the return and recycling of used batteries and accumulators as applicable throughout the European Union. This label is applied to various batteries to indicate that the battery is not to be thrown away, but rather reclaimed upon end of life per this Directive.

Les batteries ou emballages pour batteries sont étiquetés conformément aux directives européennes 2006/66/EC, norme relative aux batteries et accumulateurs en usage et aux batteries et accumulateurs usés. Les directives déterminent la marche à suivre en vigueur dans l'Union Européenne pour le retour et le recyclage des batteries et accumulateurs usés. Cette étiquette est appliquée sur diverses batteries pour indiquer que la batterie ne doit pas être mise au rebut mais plutôt récupérée en fin de cycle de vie selon cette norme.

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Electronic emission notices

Federal Communications Commission (FCC) statement

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Avis de conformité à la réglementation d'Industrie Canada

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Notice to Customers

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