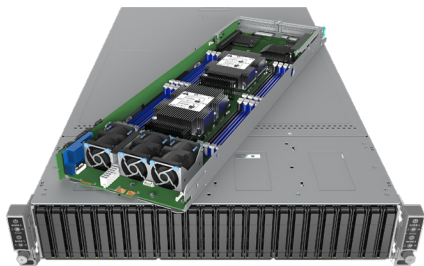




Intel® Data Center Blocks Warranty and Support

Data Center Blocks for HPC, Cloud and Business



Intel® Data Center Blocks make it easier to adopt, qualify and sell the latest Intel technology. These Intel-engineered, fully validated server blocks help reduce development complexity and cost while accelerating time to market with innovative solutions.

- **Fully Validated Server Blocks** save time and money¹, freeing up resources to focus on value-add and competitive differentiation

- **Unbranded Systems** allow resellers to customize and brand to meet end-user requirements

- **Intel Quality & Reliability** with world-class integration, validation, certification, and support

Purchase with Confidence

Intel® Data Center Blocks (DCB) feature multiple Intel technologies, pre-configured and sold as a single product. Components within the DCB are backed by Intel's standard 3-year warranty from the date of purchase, except for Intel® SSDs and Intel® DCPMM which are covered by a 5-year warranty. If any DCB component fails during the standard warranty period, Intel at its option will:

- **REPLACE** the failed field replaceable unit (FRU) within the DCB system, rather than the whole DCB system. The FRU part can be the system board, processor, memory module or power supply that can be removed and replaced without having to send the entire product or system for replacement
- **REPAIR** the product by means of hardware and/or software; OR
- **REFUND** the then-current value of the product at the time of claim for warranty service is made to Intel under this limited warranty. The 3-year standard warranty covers only components originally included in the system as it was shipped from Intel. Any additional components added after shipment are covered by their own warranty. This limited warranty applies only when product is used with Intel microprocessor and does not apply to issues or defects arising from the use of components not validated by Intel for that product.

Advanced Warranty Replacement

An added advantage of purchasing DCBs is that all DCB customers are eligible for Advanced Warranty Replacement (AWR) which provides ship replacement before receipt of a failed part. This is designed to reduce system downtime and speed time to resolution. To receive this level of support, be sure to identify your warranty request as part of your specific DCB offering and provide the system product code and its serial number to the support agent.

Intel has limits on the number of AWRs a customer may have outstanding. If this limit becomes an issue, Intel will address this on a case-by-case basis and adjust as necessary to meet customer needs. Replacement part shipping times adhere to standard AWR process timelines.

Replacement shipping times vary by region and are impacted by factors such as customs clearance, local shipping conditions and/or availability of replacement parts. Once a replacement product has shipped, a tracking number will be sent directly from the carrier shipping the package. Advanced Warranty Replacement (AWR) is only extended to components that are part of the Intel® DCB system's configuration using the [Configure to Order \(CTO\)](#) tool.

Data Center Block Replacement Shipping Target SLA		
Region	Target Minimum SLA	Target Minimum SLA
APAC	2 Days	7 Days
ASMO	2 Days	9 Days
EMEA	2 Days	8 Days

Intel Customer Support

Intel customer support (ICS) technicians are available to provide assistance via the contact options below. Please be prepared to provide a system product code and serial number. Instructions for locating product code and serial number is available at <http://www.intel.com/content/www/us/en/support/server-products/server-systems/000008556.html>. Placing warranty and service requests through ICS enables accurate tracking of issue submission and replacement.

Data Center Block Support - ICS Contact Options	
 Web ticketing	https://supporttickets.intel.com/
 Phone	1-866-655—6565* , available for registered Intel Technology Partners with a valid channel member ID, 24x7, English Only. http://www.intel.com/content/www/us/en/support/contact-support.html , local toll free numbers for all other customers. Available between 8am to 5pm local business time.
 Web page	http://www.intel.com/content/www/us/en/support/services/000021862.html
Community Forum	https://communities.intel.com/community/tech/servers



Intel® Data Center Block Warranty Options

	3-Year Standard	5-Year Option	Details
Intel® Server System	✓	✓	<p>5 years total with extended warranty</p> <p>Intel® Server System comes with standard three-year warranty. The option of 5-year warranty is with a purchase of additional two-year extended warranty for Configured to Order systems. Includes All Server Systems and RAID components. Does not include Processors, Memory, SSD and Networking devices.</p> <p>Please see your Intel approved distributor for more information</p> <p>Note: Intel® Server Component Extended Warranty service must be purchased within 30 days of the purchase of compatible system or product.</p>

Intel® Data Center Block Parts/Components Warranty Coverage

Part	3-Year Standard	5-Year Option	Details
Memory	✓		DIMM modules can be replaced with a “like” DIMM part that meets size, speed, rank type and voltage requirements.
Intel® DC Persistent Memory Module		✓	5-Year Standard Warranty
Intel® Processor	✓		<p>The Finished Process Order (FPO, Batch Number) and Assembly Test Product Order (ATPO, Serial Number) of CPU are required to process warranty requests for processors.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">How to Identify the Intel® Xeon® Processor Markings</p>
Intel® Ethernet Adapters			Limited lifetime warranty in active status, 5-year warranty after EOL
Intel® SSD		✓	5Year Standard Warranty
Intel® Fabric, OPS HFI	✓		

1. Cost reduction scenarios described are intended as examples of how a given Intel-based product, in the specified circumstances and configurations, may affect future costs and provide cost savings. Circumstances will vary. Intel does not guarantee any costs or cost reduction.

2. Intel cannot commit to an exact SLA but expects to be able to meet these targets in most cases.

