

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

FPGA-based SmartNIC Hardware for Capture, Inline, Virtualization and Programmable.



SOLUTIONS

Cybersecurity Monitoring Infrastructure Cloud and Edge Mobile Financial

PLATFORMS

Link[™] Capture Software Link[™] Inline Software Link[™] Virtualization Software Link[™] Programmable SmartNICs FPGA Cloud Crypto

APPLICATION

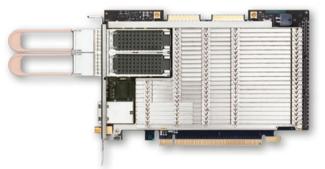
PERFORMANCE Suricata Bro Snort n2disk Wireshark TRex + More

SERVICES

Professional Services Custom Development



NT200A02-SCC



NT200A02-NEBS

FPGA-based SmartNIC Hardware

In a world of reconfigurable computing, it is the software that defines the use case functionality. However, the wrong choice of hardware can severely downgrade the overall value and reliability of the solution.

Napatech SmartNICs are designed to meet the standards of modern servers, with the rapidly changing world of data center and hyperscale deployments in mind.

Industry-Leading Reliability

When selecting a hardware solution, reliability is of the utmost importance. Software can be patched if faulty, but hardware needs a physical replacement, which is costly and complex.

For all Napatech designs, performance and reliability are unconditional tenets. With ~300,000 hours of mean time between failures (MTBF), our hardware ensures uninterrupted, error-free operation for many years ahead – as validated by our long-term loyal customer base.

Superior Thermal Design

The power of FPGA technology is only of value if it can be harnessed – and that requires cooling. An efficient cooling solution allows you to fit more compute power into your rack space, which translates into substantial TCO benefits.

Napatech SmartNICs are designed with active and passive cooling. The active solution provides 100% self-contained cooling with no requirements for a specific server airflow. This solution exhales most of the dissipated energy outside the server through front plate cutouts, which gives customers the freedom to choose server designs without worrying about cooling capacity.

To meet telco requirements, the passively cooled solutions are NEBS-compliant. A proprietary full body heatsink has been developed securing optimal cooling performance in the challenging NEBS applications for all critical components in the SmartNIC.

Hardware Resilience

Modern servers have quick-release PCI fastening mechanisms that allow for easy card replacement. Some of these designs, however, expose the card to vibration during transportation. Napatech SmartNICs are designed specifically to ensure hardware resilience in this environment.

Standards of Excellence

Network appliances often require exceptions and compromises to fit a certain form factor or price point. In complex data center environments, it is therefore extremely beneficial if the hardware adheres to established industry standards, as this will make it easier for customers to integrate it in their solution.

As a certified PCI-SIG member, Napatech has completed the meticulous compliance test, which demonstrates our high standards of excellence.

Typical Applications

Napatech offers a range of FPGA software options for the SmartNIC hardware, addressing use cases within:

- Cybersecurity
- Network quality of experience assurance
- Network & security forensics
- Application performance management
- Network test & measurement
- Cyber defense
- vSwitch acceleration
- Virtual network monitoring

SmartNIC Hardware for COTS Servers	NT20E3-2- SCC	NT40E3-4/ NT40A01- SCC	NT50B01	NT100A01	NT200A02- SCC	NT200D01- SCC		
							General Hardware Specifications	
Height	Full	Full	Half	Full	Full	Full		
Length	Half	Half	Half	Half	Half	Half		
FPGA technology	XC7VX330T	XC7VX330T	XCKU15P	XCVU5P	XCVU5P XCVU7P ^[1] XCVU9P ^[1]	S10 GX 2800		
SDRAM	DDR3	DDR3	DDR4	DDR4	DDR4	DDR4		
- Density	4 GB	4 GB	10 GB 20 GB ^[1]	8 GB 16 GB ^[1]	12 GB 24 GB ^[1]	12 GB 24 GB ^[1]		
- Bandwidth	120 Gbps	120 Gbps	427 Gbps	341 Gbps	512 Gbps	512 Gbps		
- Number of memory controllers	1	1	2	2	3	3		
QSPI Flash memory	2 × 128 Mbit	2 × 128 Mbit	2 × 512 Mbit	2 × 512 Mbit	2 × 512 Mbit	2×1 Gbit		
PCIe Gen 3 configuration @ 8 GT/s	8 lanes	8 lanes	16 lanes	16 lanes	16 lanes	16 lanes		
Network Ports and Link Speeds								
Network ports	2 × SFP+	4 × SFP+	2 × SFP28	4 × SFP28	2 × QSFP28	2 × QSFP28		
1G ^[2]	√	√	\checkmark	√	√ [3	√ [3]		
10G ^[2]	√	√	\checkmark	√	√ [3	√ [3]		
25G ^[2]			√	√	√ [3	√ [3]		
40G ^[2]					√	√		
50G ^[2]					√ [4	√ [4]		
100G ^[2]					√	√		
Time Synchronization Ports ^[2]						· · ·		
Tyco Mini female for RJ45-F/ SMA-F adapter (on PCI bracket)	√	√						
2 x internal MCX-F for PPS and NT-TS	√	√		√	√	√		
RJ45-F for 100/1000BASE-T IEEE1588 PTP (on PCI bracket)	· ·			√	√	√		
SMA-F for PPS (on PCI bracket)			√ [1]	√	√	√		
Time Synchronization Support			•	v	v	v		
Stratum 3 compliant TCX0	√ [6]	√ [6]	√ [1] [6]	√ [6]	√ [6]	√ [6]		
SyncE frequency synch support on RJ45 port ^[2]	√	√	•	•	v √	√		
High-Speed Interconnect Port ^[2]	· ·	v			v	V		
Maximum bidirectional bandwidth	180 Gbps	180 Gbps	900 Gbps	900 Gbps	900 Gbps			
Hardware Board Monitoring	100 Guhs	Too Gups	900 Gbbs	900 Gbps	900 Gbps	-		
FPGA temperature	√	√	√	√	√	√		
Pluggable module temperature	√	√	 √	v √	v 	√		
	√	√	 √	v √	v √			
Ambient temperature						√		
Power sensors	√	√ /	√	√	√ /	√		
Fan	√	√		√	√	√		
Power and Cooling	A 11	A 11		A 11	A 11	A 11		
Cooling solution	Active	Active	Passive	Active	Active	Active		
Max. power dissipation [5]	45 W	45 W	55 W	75 W	95 W	105 W		
Idle power dissipation [5]	10 W	10 W	10 W	15 W	15 W	15 W		
Airflow requirement	None	None	>= 2.5 m/s	None	None	None		
General Hardware Properties								
Operating temperature	0 °C to 45 °C (32 °F to 113 °F)							
Operating humidity	20% to 80%							
MTBF (hours)	297,993	297,993	991,182	317,821	317,821	-		
Weight	260 g	260 g	350 g	355 g	355 g	-		
Regulatory compliance (common)					, ICES, VCCI, RCM			
Regulatory compliance (product-specific)	KCC	KCC	KCC ^[1]	KCC ^[1]	KCC [1]	KCC ^[1]		

^[1] On demand
^[2] Features depend on software support, please refer to product briefs for Link™ Software
^[3] Breakout or QSFP28 to SFP28 adapter
^[4] Breakout
^[5] The power dissipation values indicate the capabilities of the hardware platform; the actual power consumption is dependent on the FPGA software payload
^[6] Stratum 3E compliant TCXO is available on demand

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General Hardware Properties								
Operating temperature			−5 °C to 55 °	C (23 °F to 131 °F)				
Operating humidity			5%	6 to 85%				
MTBF (hours)	367,807	367,807	991,182	398,565	398,565	-		
Weight	285 g	285 g	350 g	350 g	350 g	-		
Regulatory compliance (common)	PCI-SIG®, NEBS level 3, CE, CB, ROHS, REACH, CURus (UL), FCC, ICES, VCCI, RCM							
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We enhance open and standard virtualized servers to boost innovation and release valuable computing resources that improve services and increase revenue.

Our Reconfigurable Computing Platform[™] is based on a broad set of FPGA software for leading IT compute, network and security applications that are supported on a wide array of FPGA hardware designs.

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