



Sun Blade™ 8000 Series Getting Started Guide

Where to Find Sun Blade 8000 Series Documentation

For the latest information about the Sun Blade™ 8000 and Sun Blade 8000 P Modular Systems, see the Product Notes that are available at the Sun documentation web site:

<http://www.sun.com/documentation>

To ensure that you receive the most up-to-date information, Sun has provided the Sun Blade 8000 Series Online Information System in HTML format. All service procedures for customer-replaceable units (CRUs) and some field-replaceable units (FRUs) are included in the Online Information System. You can access the Online Information System at the Sun documentation web site.

The Sun Blade 8000 Series systems ship with the Sun Blade 8000 Series Documentation CD in the chassis ship kit. The Documentation CD also provides the Online Information System in HTML format, as well as related documentation in PDF format.

For critical updates to product documentation, see the most recent version of the document on the web site. To verify whether the document on the web site is more recent than the document that you have, refer to the final two digits of the part number for that document or review the month and year of the document.

Site Planning Requirements

System specifications and site planning requirements that you must meet before you install the Sun Blade 8000 Series are provided in the *Sun Blade 8000 Series Site Planning Guide*. This document is available from the Sun Blade 8000 Series portion of the Sun documentation web site and the Sun Blade 8000 Series Documentation CD.

Quick Start Guide

The *Sun Blade Quick Start Guide* provides concise steps and illustrations for rackmounting the Sun Blade 8000 Series Chassis and installing modules. Use this guide for quick instructions when you are setting up your new Sun Blade 8000 Series systems. This guide is available in print and ships with the chassis.

Rackmounting and Installation Instructions

More in-depth rackmounting procedures; instructions for first-time installation of Sun Blade Server Modules (blades), Network Express Modules, and PCI Express ExpressModules; and instructions on the initial installation and configuration of the operating systems are provided in the *Sun Blade 8000 Series Installation Guide*. This guide is available in print in the ship kit, as a PDF document on the Documentation CD, and in HTML format in the Online Information System.

Locating Sun Blade 8000 Series Documentation

- *Sun Blade 8000 Series Product Notes* (819-5651, PDF and HTML)
 - Late-breaking information about the system
- *Sun Blade 8000 Series Site Planning Guide* (819-5648, PDF and HTML)
 - Data center site requirements for installing the system
- *Sun Blade 8000 Quick Start Guide* (print)
 - Graphical guide to rackmounting and installing modules
- *Sun Blade 8000 Series Installation Guide* (819-5647, print and PDF)
 - In-depth rackmounting instructions
 - Locating chassis components
 - Hardware setup

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- Cabling
 - Power on
 - Management network
 - OS installations
 - *Sun Blade 8000 Series Online Information System* (819-5846, HTML)
 - Product overview
 - OS configurations
 - Service and upgrade procedures
 - System management
 - I/O and interconnectivity
 - Diagnostics
 - Fault management
 - BIOS
 - Hardware specifications
 - *Sun Blade 8000 Series Safety and Compliance Guide* (819-5652, print)
 - Declaration of Conformity and FCC limitations
 - *Important Safety Information for Sun Hardware Systems* (816-7190, print)
 - Safety guidelines for operating Sun equipment

Accessing Sun Documentation

You can view, print, or purchase a broad selection of Sun documentation, including localized versions, at:

<http://www.sun.com/documentation>

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