

Installation Instructions NVMe Drives

for HPE ProLiant Gen9 Servers

Overview

This document provides installation and removal instructions for NVMe SSDs.

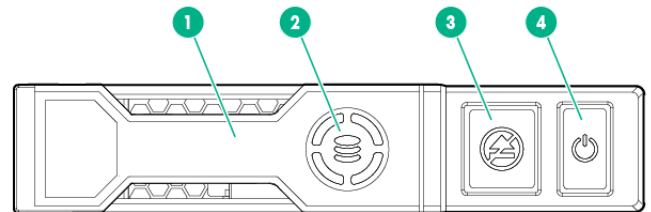
For more information about drives supported on your server, see the product QuickSpecs on the Hewlett Packard Enterprise website (<http://www.hpe.com/info/docs>).

Kit contents

- NVMe drive
- Drive blank
- This document

Drive components

The NVMe SSD is a PCIe BUS device. A device attached to a PCIe bus cannot be removed without allowing the device and bus to complete and cease the signal/traffic flow.



Item	Description
1	Release lever
2	Activity ring
3	Do Not Remove button
4	Power button

Removing the drives

CAUTION: Do not remove an NVMe SSD from the drive bay while the Do Not Remove button LED is flashing. The Do Not Remove button LED flashes to indicate the device is still in use. Removal of the NVMe SSD before the device has completed and ceased signal/traffic flow can cause loss of data.

To remove the component:

1. Press the Power button.

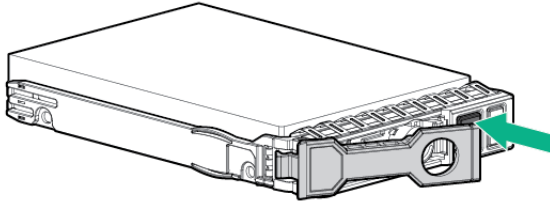
The Do Not Remove button LED illuminates and flashes. Do not press the button while the LED is illuminated.

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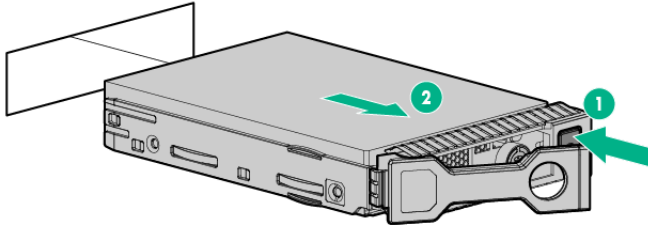
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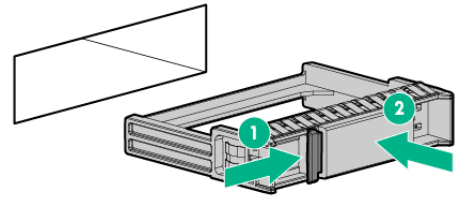
2. When the Do Not Remove button LED is no longer flashing or illuminated, press the Do Not Remove button to open the release lever.



3. Remove the drive.



4. Install the drive blank in any unused drive bays.



The installation is complete.

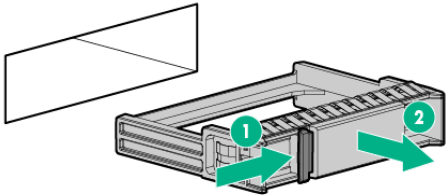
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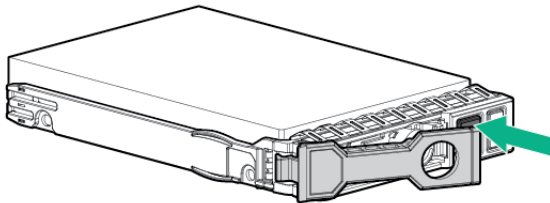
Installing the drives

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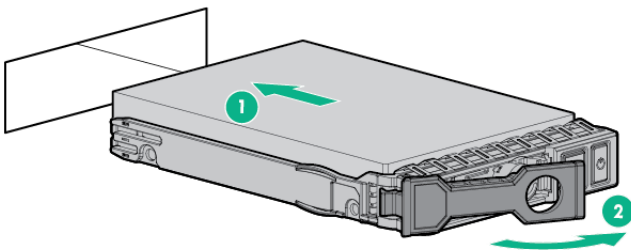
1. Remove the drive blank, if installed.



2. Press the Do Not Remove button to open the release handle.



3. Install the drives.



CAUTION: To prevent improper cooling and thermal damage, do not operate the server unless all bays are populated with either a component or a blank.