



CHAPTER 1

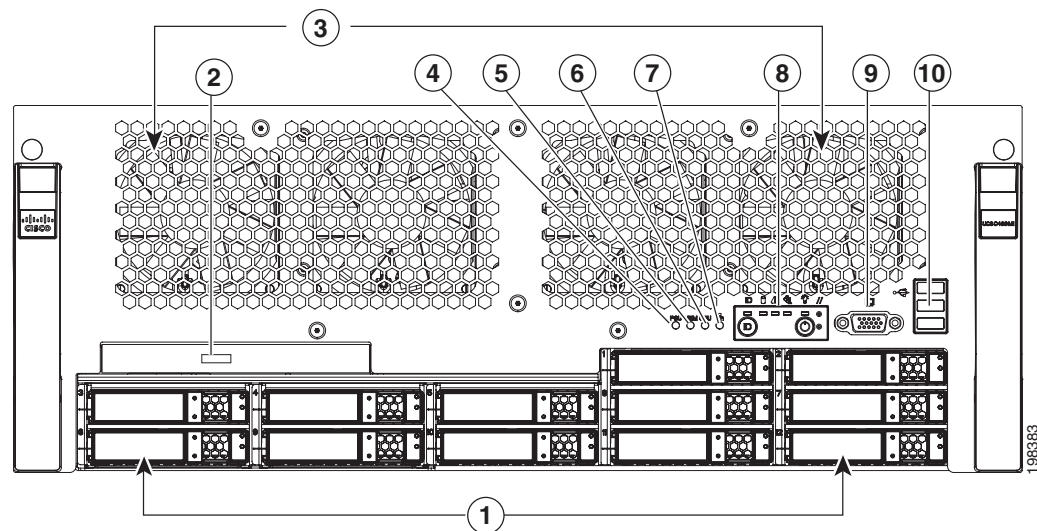
Overview

This chapter provides an overview of the Cisco UCS C460 server features.

The Cisco UCS C460 server is a part of the Cisco UCS C-Series rack-mount server family. It is a high-performance, high-memory-capacity server designed with the performance and reliability to power compute-intensive, enterprise-critical standalone applications and virtualized workloads. It operates in a wide range of data center environments. These environments include the Cisco Unified Computing System, the Cisco Nexus switches, and discrete Ethernet and Fibre Channel switches from Cisco and third parties.

[Figure 1-1](#) shows the front panel features.

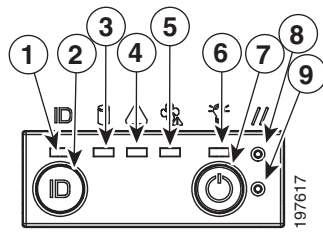
Figure 1-1 Front Panel Features



1	HDDs, up to twelve	2	DVD drive
3	Fans, up to eight	4	Power supply status LED
5	Memory status LED	6	CPU status LED
7	Network activity LED	8	Operations panel (see Figure 1-2 for a detailed view)
9	VGA connector	10	USB ports, three

Figure 1-2 shows the operations panel LEDs and buttons.

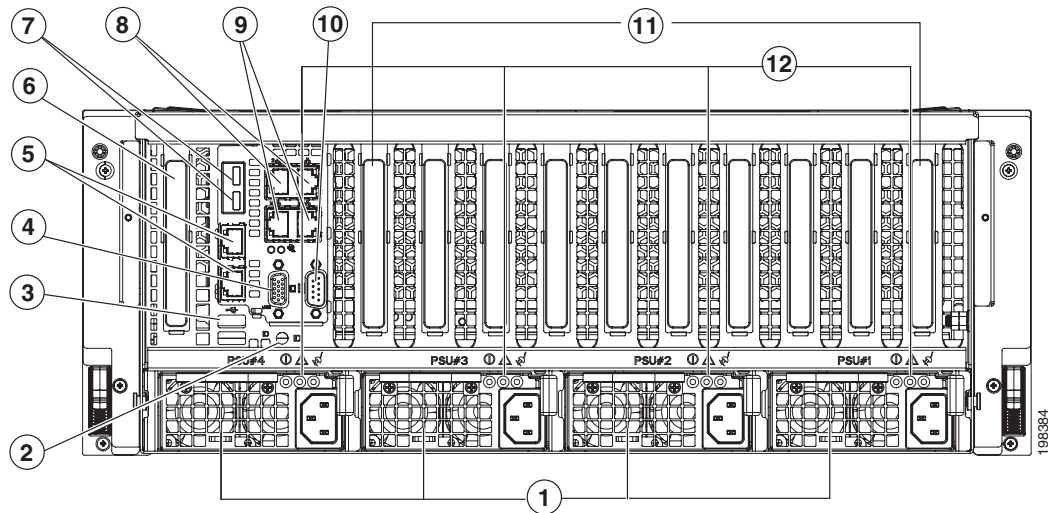
Figure 1-2 Operations Panel LEDs and Buttons



1	ID LED	2	ID button
3	HDD fault LED	4	System health LED
5	Fan fault LED	6	Power status LED
7	Power button	8	Reset button
9	NMI button		

Figure 1-3 shows the rear panel features.

Figure 1-3 Rear Panel Features





1	Power supplies, up to four	2	ID button
3	USB ports, two total	4	VGA connector
5	10GbE SFP+ ports, two total	6	SAS riser slot
7	10G SFP+ ports, two total	8	1G LOM ports, two total
9	10/100 Management ports M1 and M2	10	Serial connector
11	PCIe slots 1 through 10 (left to right as shown)	12	Power supply LEDs

[Table 1-1](#) lists the features of the C460 server.

Table 1-1 Cisco UCS C460 Server Features

Chassis	Four rack-unit (4RU) chassis
Processors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cisco UCS C460 M1 server: Either 2 or 4 Intel Xeon 7500 Series processors. • Cisco UCS C460 M2 server: Either 2 or 4 Intel E7-4800 or E7-8800 Series processors. <p>Two-CPU configurations require 2 power supplies and 4-CPU configurations require 4 power supplies.</p>
Memory	Up to 64 DIMMs ¹ , populated in 8 slots on each of the 8 memory risers. Up to 512 GB of industry-standard DDR3 ² memory.
Multi-bit error protection	This server supports multi-bit error protection.
Storage	Up to twelve, 2.5" SAS ³ or SATA ⁴ hard drives or solid state drives. Up to 6 TB of hot-pluggable storage.
Disk Management	<p>Factory-configured RAID⁵ support options:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RAID 0, 1, and 10 support for up to 8 SAS or SATA drives, with the optional LSI MegaRAID SAS 9240-8i RAID controller • RAID 0, 1, 5, 6, 10, 50, and 60 support for up to 12 SAS or SATA drives, with the optional LSI MegaRAID SAS 9260-8i RAID controller <p>There is a dedicated SAS riser slot for the RAID controller card in the chassis. There is also a mounting point inside the chassis for the optional RAID battery backup unit that is available when using the LSI MegaRAID SAS 9260-8i controller.</p> <p>See RAID Controller Considerations, page C-1 for more information.</p>
PCIe I/O	<p>Ten PCIe⁶ expansion slots, four hot-pluggable.</p> <p>See Replacing a PCIe Card, page 3-38 for details.</p>
InfiniBand	The bus slots in this server support the InfiniBand architecture.

Table 1-1 Cisco UCS C460 Server Features (continued)

Network and management I/O	<p>The server provides these rear-panel connectors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two dedicated 10/100 Ethernet management ports Two 1Gb Ethernet ports <p>These integrated Gigabit ports support the Wake on LAN (WoL) and TCP/IP Offload Engine (TOE) standards.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two 10Gb Base-T Ethernet ports Two 10Gb SFP+ Ethernet ports <p></p> <p>Note See Using the 10 Gb Ports, page 2-12 for more information about the SFP+ and 10GBase-T 10 Gb ports.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One DB9 serial connector. One 15-pin VGA⁷ connector. Two USB⁸ 2.0 connectors. <p>The server provides these front-panel connectors:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One 15-pin VGA connector. Three USB 2.0 connectors.
WoL	The 1-Gb Base-T Ethernet LAN ports support the wake-on-LAN (WoL) standard.
Power	<p>Either 2 or 4 power supplies, 850W each.</p> <p>Hot-swappable, rear-accessible, and redundant as 2+2 or 3+1.</p> <p></p> <p>Note You can use 2 power supplies with a 2-CPU configuration. In this case, 1+1 redundancy is supported only if your server's overall power consumption can be supported by a single 850W power supply during the failure and hot-swap. For more information about your server's power consumption, consult with your Cisco sales representative or use the power calculator accessible at the Unified Computing System Partner Resource Center:</p> <p>http://www.ciscoprc.com/resourcelib.asp?id=937</p>
ACPI	This server supports the advanced configuration and power interface (ACPI) 4.0 standard.
Cooling	<p>Up to 8 fans, hot-swappable, redundant as 7+1, or non-redundant as 4.</p> <p>Also, there are 4 fans in each power supply for lower-section cooling.</p>
Removable media	<p>One DVD drive.</p> <p>The drive supports the following media types: CD-R, CD-ROM, CD-RW, DVD+R, DVD+RW, DVD-R, DVD-ROM, DVD-RW, +R DL</p>

1. DIMM = dual inline memory module
2. DDR = double data rate (transfer mode)
3. SAS = serial attached SCSI
4. SATA = serial advanced technology attachment
5. RAID = redundant array of independent disks
6. PCIe = peripheral component interconnect express
7. VGA = video graphics array
8. USB = universal serial bus