

SonicWall® NSa Flexible Storage Module Installation

This document provides instructions for removing and installing the Flexible Storage Module in your NSa appliance. The storage module must be installed in the M1 slot on the back of your NSa appliance. There is no need to power down the appliance.

Rear View Similar to the NSa 2650/3650



M1: FLEXIBLE STORAGE EXPANSION MODULE

Rear View Similar to the NSa 4650-9650



M1: FLEXIBLE STORAGE EXPANSION MODULE

CAUTION: The Flexible Storage Module contains parts and assemblies susceptible to damage by electrostatic discharge (ESD). To prevent damage, handle the module using standard ESD procedures such as storing in an electrostatic bag and handling while grounded.

For more information on safety and regulatory requirements, refer to the *Quick Start Guide* for the product in which the Flexible Storage Module is being installed.

Removing the Cover Plate or Defective Flexible Storage Module

To remove the cover plate or defective Flexible Storage Module from the NSa appliance:

- 1 If there is a cover plate on the M1 slot, but no flexible storage module inside, loosen the thumb screws on the cover plate.
- 2 Grip the thumb screws to remove the cover plate, and set it aside.



- 3 If there is a defective Flexible Storage Module in the slot, loosen the single thumb screw and pull it to slide the storage module out of the appliance.



- NOTE:** The cover plate has two thumbscrews to loosen. The new flexible storage replacement module only has a thumbscrew on the right side. A torx screw fits into the hole on the left side.

Installing the Flexible Storage Module

CAUTION: Do NOT insert anything except the Flexible Storage Module into the slot labeled for the module (M1). The module is not designed to fit in the M0 slot.

To install the new Flexible Storage Module unit in the NSa appliance:

- 1 Remove the new storage module from the shipping package.
- 2 Remove the M1 cover plate or the defective storage module from the appliance. (See previous section.)
- 3 Insert the new storage module into the empty M1 slot, label side up.
- 4 Press the storage module firmly into place to seat the connectors.
- 5 Tighten the thumb screw by pushing in and turning to the right.
- 6 Insert and tighten the torx screw on the module with the torx tool that shipped with the unit.
- 7 Apply the new seal provided so that it covers the left torx screw on the M1 slot where you just installed the new module.

NOTE: Be sure to apply the FIPS sticker properly over the left torx screw to ensure warranty protection for the new Storage Module.

This storage module is for use only with SonicWall appliances indicated below. Use of this storage module with a SonicWall appliance that is not approved voids the warranty for that appliance. Contact SonicWall Support for details at <https://www.sonicwall.com/support/contact-support>.

This storage module, 01-SSC-0027 SONICWALL SATA STORAGE 1TB, is approved for use with:

01-SSC-1936 SONICWALL NSa 2650 APPLIANCE

01-SSC-1937 SONICWALL NSa 3650 APPLIANCE

01-SSC-1938 SONICWALL NSa 4650 APPLIANCE

01-SSC-1939 SONICWALL NSa 5650 APPLIANCE

01-SSC-1940 SONICWALL NSa 6650 APPLIANCE

01-SSC-1941 SONICWALL NSa 9250 APPLIANCE

01-SSC-1942 SONICWALL NSa 9450 APPLIANCE

01-SSC-1943 SONICWALL NSa 9650 APPLIANCE

For information and related documents, see the following web site:

<https://www.sonicwall.com/support>

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