

EtherWORKS PCMCIA Turbo and Turbo Plus Adapter PC Network Interface Cards (NICs)

Linking Your Portable PCs to the Ethernet

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The fastest growing segment of personal computing today is the portable PC. Laptops and notebook PCs boost productivity by letting your workforce tap into the network — wherever they happen to be working.

Until recently, however, docking stations or external network adapters were the only way to connect portable PCs to a local area network. Both docking stations and external network adapters have drawbacks in terms of cost, size, and data transfer rate.

Digital's EtherWORKS PCMCIA Turbo and Turbo Plus Adapter PC Network Interface Cards are designed to link your portable PCs to the Ethernet — easily and affordably.

Highlights

- Ethernet adapter card with a PCMCIA form factor for laptop and notebook personal computers
- Cost-effective alternative to docking stations and external adapters
- EtherWORKS Turbo for cable connections for twisted pair; EtherWORKS Turbo Plus for connections to ThinWire and/or twisted pair
- Very high performance — outperforming other NICs through parallel processing, transmitting and receiving packets simultaneously.
- Ready for fast, easy installation
- Hot swap capability — once the drivers are loaded in the system, the adapter can be hot swapped without reloading the drivers
- Designed and built by Digital to meet exacting standards of quality and reliability

Eliminates the Need for a Docking Station

Digital's EtherWORKS PCMCIA Turbo and Turbo Plus adapters let you connect portable or personal computers with a PCMCIA Type II slot directly to the LAN. The beauty of these credit card-sized adapter cards is that they eliminate the need for a docking station. As a result, you save equipment costs — as well as desktop space. Where data rates faster than external adapters are required, the EtherWORKS PCMCIA Turbo or Turbo Plus will transfer data on IEEE 802.3-compliant networks up to 10 Mbits per second.

Includes Software Drivers

Software drivers for connecting PATHWORKS, Novell® NetWare®, LAN Manager, Windows™ for Workgroups, and VINES® (client) are included with the adapter. Once the drivers are loaded in the system, the adapter can be “hot swapped” — without re-loading the drivers.

Part of a Comprehensive Family

The EtherWORKS PCMCIA Turbo and Turbo Plus adapters are part of Digital's family of EtherWORKS NICs. This wide range of products supports a variety of requirements, including 16-bit ISA and EISA, 32-bit EISA, and parallel ports. Each adapter offers high performance at a low cost — enabling PCs operating on a variety of platforms to reach services on Digital and multivendor Ethernet networks — quickly and affordably.

Like all Digital products, the EtherWORKS PCMCIA Turbo and Turbo Plus adapters are backed by Digital's world-class, worldwide service.

Ordering Information

Part No.	Description
DEPCM-AA	EtherWORKS PCMCIA Turbo Adapter PC NIC
DEPCM-BA	EtherWORKS PCMCIA and Turbo Plus Adapter PC NIC

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