

## **SOLUTIONS BRIEF**

# Use Raritan's Intelligent Rack PDUs to Efficiently Power Cisco's Nexus 7710

Cisco Nexus® 7700 Series Switches combine high levels of scalability with operational flexibility. The Cisco Nexus 7710 is an 10-slot chassis with 10 front-accessible horizontal module slots and front-to-back airflow and an integrated cable management system.

## Cisco's Nexus 7710 Power Supply Options

You can install up to eight power supplies in each Cisco Nexus 7710 Series chassis. If you leave any power supply slots empty, you must install a blank filler plate in those slots to maintain the designed airflow. For the Nexus 7710, up to (8) 3kW power supplies can be installed.

The 3.0-kW AC power supply module (Figure 1) for the Cisco Nexus 7700 Switches is a single 20A AC input power supply with 1 x C20 input connector. When the input is at high line nominal voltage (220 VAC), the power output is 3000W. You will need to order appropriate power cords depending on the type of intelligent rack power unit you want to connect to. In most cases, it will either be Cabinet Jumper Power Cord, 250V AC, C20-C19 connector (Cisco p/n CAB-C19-CBN) or a Power Cord, 250VAC, 16A, twist lock NEMA L6-20 plug, United States (Cisco p/n CAB-AC-C6K-TWLK).

The smaller power supply configuration provides more flexibility and greater control in power provisioning. The 8 power supply bays are designed for future growth, and most common configurations do not require the use of all power supply units for redundant power configurations.





Figure 1 Cisco Nexus 7700 3.0-kW AC Power Supply Module

The Cisco Nexus 7700 chassis supports multiple load-sharing, fault-tolerant, and hot-swappable power supplies. As few as just one power supply can be used to operate a switch chassis. Use of multiple power supplies provides additional power capacity and resilience after failure of the power supply, the generating supply itself, or a facility component such as an uninterruptible power supply (UPS) or a circuit breaker.

For more information on power supply redundancy, please visit:

http://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/products/collateral/switches/nexus-7000-series-switches/data sheet c78-728187.html

http://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/products/collateral/switches/nexus-7000-series-switches/data sheet c78-729141.html

## Cisco's Nexus 7710 With 8 3.0 KW Power Supplies

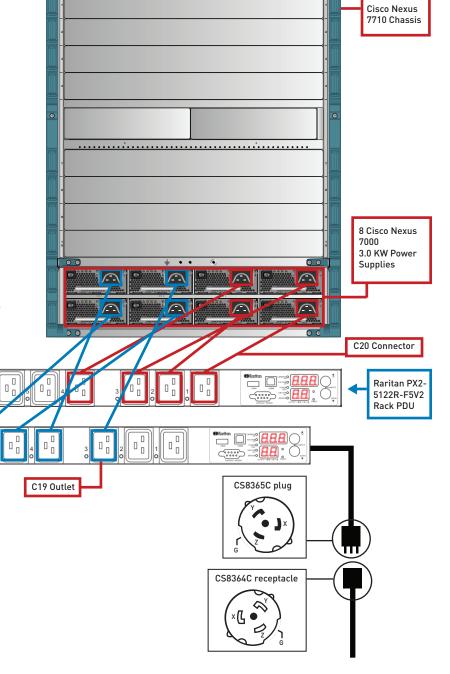
#### 208V Setup Details

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See the diagram for more details on wiring the chassis power supplies to the rack PDU.

#### What to Tell Your Electrician

The Raritan PX2-5122R-F5V2 intelligent rack PDU has a 208V 3 phase input feed with a CS8365C plug. Please tell your electrician to provide 2 circuits or power feeds with CS8364C receptacle at the location where you will install the Cisco Nexus 7710 chassis along with the Raritan intelligent rack PDU.



#### Sources:

 $http://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/td/docs/switches/datacenter/hw/nexus7000/installation/guide/b\_n7718\_hardware\_install\_guide.pdf$ 

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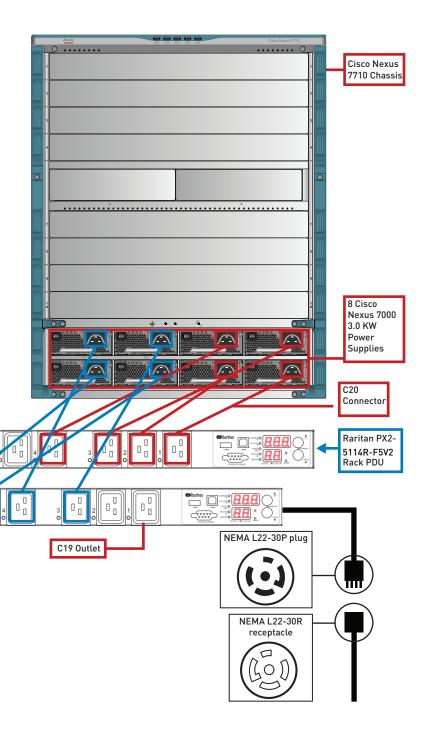
#### 400V Setup Details

The Cisco Nexus 7010 chassis supports multiple load-sharing, fault-tolerant, and hot-swappable power supplies. As few as just one power supply can be used to operate a switch chassis. Use of multiple power supplies provides additional power capacity and resilience after failure of the power supply, the generating supply itself, or a facility component such as an uninterruptible power supply (UPS) or a circuit breaker. For the 7710 with 8 x 3kW power supplies, Raritan recommends Qty 2 PX2-5114R-F5V2 intelligent rack PDU's with 30A 400V 3 phase input feeds. Each rack PDU should get a separate dedicated feed to provide redundancy in case of circuit failure. Each rack PDU will provide 6 x C19 receptacles for your Cisco 3.0kW power supplies.

See the diagram for more details on wiring the chassis power supplies to the rack PDU.

#### What to Tell Your Electrician

The Raritan PX2-5114R-F5V2 intelligent rack PDU has a 400V 3 phase input feed with a 30A NEMA L22-30P plug. Please tell your electrician to provide 2 circuits or power feeds with NEMA L22-30R receptacles at the location where you will install the Cisco Nexus 7710 chassis along with the Raritan intelligent rack PDU.



#### Tip:

Use Raritan's un-balanced load feature in our intelligent rack PDU's to help with load balancing your 3 phase lines. Also consider Power IQ DCIM Monitoring software for power trending, energy management, and event management/alerts.

### **A List of Raritan Products**

Raritan Rack PDU Part Number	Remote Outlet Switching	Form Factor	Input Voltage	Input Current per Phase	Input Phase	Input Plug Type	Outlet Count	Outlet Type	Output Voltage	KVA
PX2-5122R-F5V2	Yes	1U	208 - 240	35	3	CS8365C	6	C 19 (6)	208 - 240	12.6
PX2-5114R-F5V2	Yes	1U	208 - 240	24	3	NEMA L22-30P	6	C19 (6)	208 - 240	8.6



#### **Powerful Smart Controller**

Built-in connectivity for environment sensors, serial, KVM, USB, wired or wireless network, and asset management tagging makes this the smartest iPDU controller available today.



#### High Power & 60C Models

400V 3 phase high power models supporting up to 55kW per rack PDU, plus 60C for high-heat environments such as hot aisle containment and blade racks



#### **Receive Advanced Alerts**

Users can define thresholds and receive alerts via SNMP, email, and syslog when thresholds are crossed for both power and environmental events.



#### Easy Power Cord Dressing

Special V2 3-phase models with sequenced line pairs of outlets simplify load balancing and dramatically improves cord management.



#### Secure and Encrypted

Directory services support providing advanced authorization options, including permissions, LDAP/S, RADIUS and Active Directory®. 256-bit AES encryption and strong passwords keep you safe



#### SecureLock Outlets and Cables

Ensure that IEC power cords don't accidentally come unplugged from servers when technicians are working on racks.



#### Accurate Rack Metering

Check power on PDUs, lines, circuit breakers and individual outlets and make informed capacity planning decisions and efficiently utilize power resources with 1% billing grade accuracy.



#### **Circuit Breaker Monitoring**

Monitor voltage and current of breakers within the PDU to understand status (open or closed) and real-time loads to improve uptime and capacity planning.



#### **Sensors to Optimize Your Equipment**

Optional sensor ports for plug-and-play environmental sensors that allow you to monitor temperature, humidity, airflow and other environmental conditions.



#### **Certified and UL Listed**

Certifications include FCC Part 15, A; UL Listed and cUL, CE, PSE, SAA, RoHS/WEEE compliant.



#### **Choice of iPDU Colors**

Available in eleven colors that help reduce errors and make it easier to identify power feeds, and perform troubleshooting to minimize downtime.



#### **Industry's Most Flexible USB Port**

The PX series comes equipped with USB ports to support Wi-Fi networking, PDU to PDU cascading, webcams, quick setup and iPad integration.

Ready to find out more? Contact Raritan today. Call 1.800.724.8090 or visit www.raritan.com

