

9000 Series Rack Stabilizer Option Kit

Installation Instructions



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Compaq 9000 Series Rack Stabilizer Option Kit

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About this Device

The Stabilizer Rack Option Kit allows you to stabilize 9000 series racks to prevent tipping.

Kit Contents

The items and quantities required for installation:

- Side feet (2)
- Front foot (1)
- U Bracket (1)
- Self-retaining cage nuts (4)
- Thread-forming screws (13)
- Modified side feet (2)

This kit may contain extra pieces of hardware for your convenience.

Additional Equipment

- Adjustable wrench

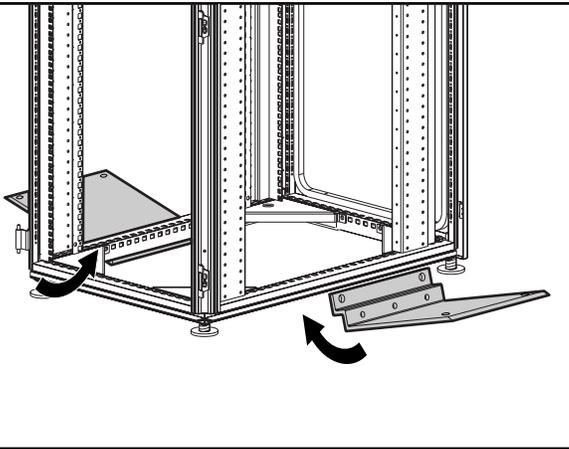
Rack Considerations

Before beginning these procedures, make sure you understand and follow these precautions:



WARNING: To reduce the risk of personal injury or damage to the equipment, be sure that:

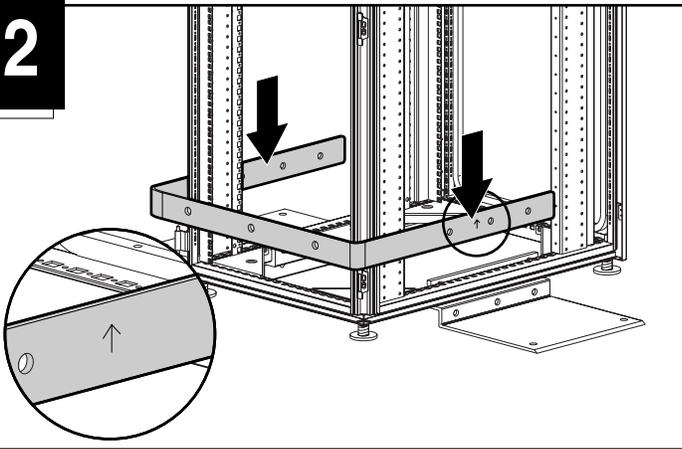
- The leveling jacks are extended to the floor.
- The full weight of the rack rests on the leveling jacks.
- The stabilizing feet are attached to the rack, if it is a single-rack installation.
- The racks are coupled in multiple-rack installations.
- Only one component is extended at a time. (A rack may become unstable if more than one component is extended for any reason.)

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Installation

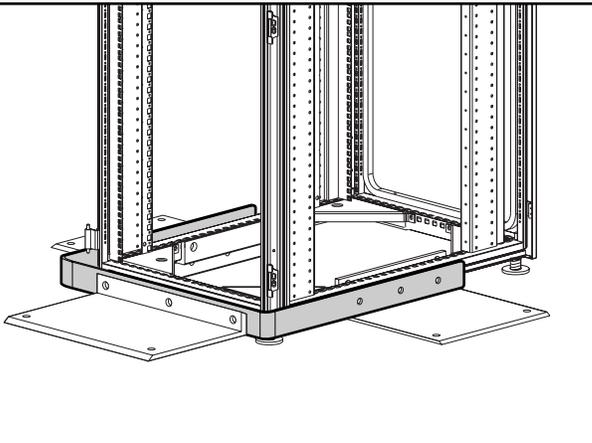
Step 1

Tilt the side feet up and slide them under the bottom of the rack on each side.

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Step 2

Slide the U bracket around the bottom front of the rack, aligning the side screw holes. Be sure that the image of the arrow on the U bracket is pointing up. Insert and partially tighten the screws.

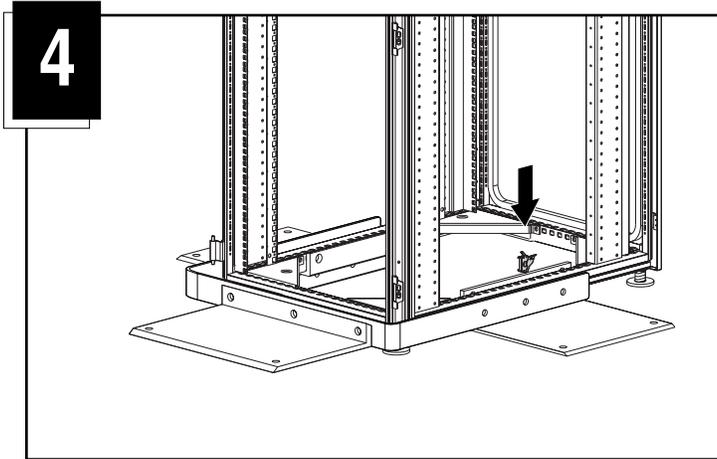
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Step 3

Place the front stabilizer foot against the U bracket.

Step 4

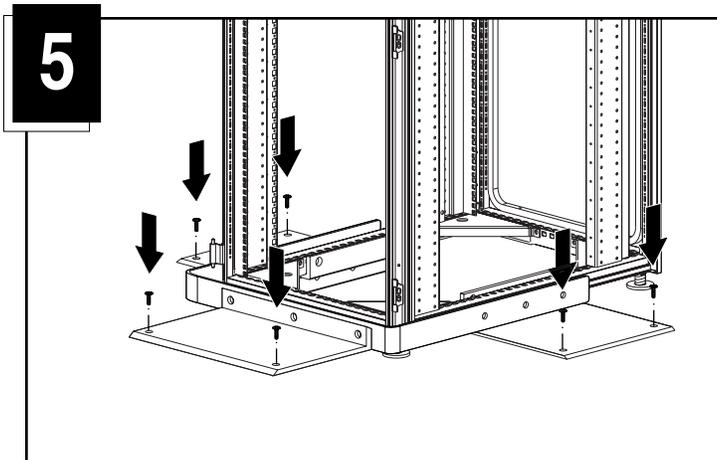
Insert self-retaining cage nuts and align with side panel holes.
Insert and tighten screws.



Step 5

Tighten the front stabilizer foot screws. Reinstall any rack components.

Holes are available in the front and the side stabilizer feet to mount the rack to the floor.



Optional Installation Only, As Noted Below:

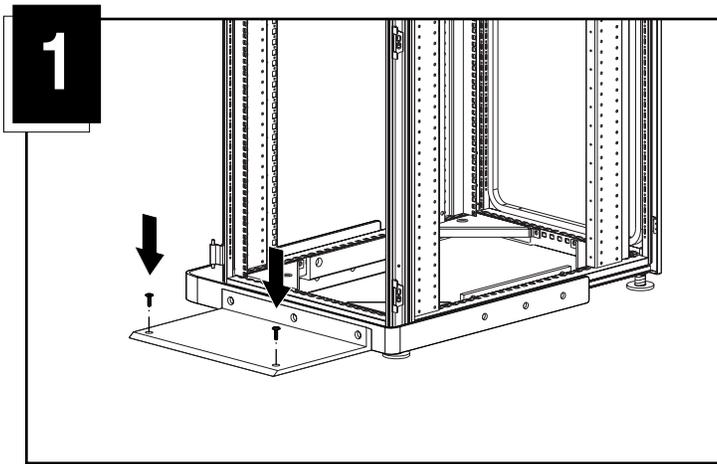
The modified side feet are provided with the Stabilizer Option Kit to allow you to stabilize a 9000 Series rack from the front, when the 9000 Series rack is placed between non-9000 series racks.

The installation sequence for the modified side feet is identical to the standard installation (as illustrated in steps 1-5 above).



WARNING: This feature is NOT for stand alone 9000 series racks, as it will only stabilize the rack from the front. The rack **MUST** be placed between racks that are secured by baying kits or individual stabilizer feet from the manufacturer.

Holes are available in the front stabilizer foot to mount the rack to the floor.



Installation is complete.