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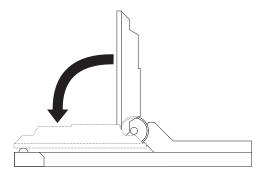
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Introduction and installation overview

With the IBM® Flat Panel Monitor Rack Mount Kit II, you can install an IBM T540, T54, or T55 flat panel monitor inside your rack cabinet. The monitor sits in a compatible keyboard tray, as shown in Figure 7 on page 6, which also stores a space-saver keyboard. You can also mount a console switch above the tray to attach more than one server to the flat panel monitor and keyboard.

Note: There is no room to store a mouse in the keyboard tray after installing the rack mounting kit. Because the space-saver keyboard has a built-in pointing device, a mouse is not required.



The Flat Panel Monitor Rack Mount Kit II comes with the following parts:

- · One base with preinstalled hinge assembly
- · One new hinge cover
- · One power supply spacer
- One monitor mounting hardware package
- Two console server selector switch mounting brackets
- · One switch mounting hardware package
- IBM Flat Panel Monitor Rack Mount Kit II Installation Instructions

You will need a medium flat-blade screwdriver and a number 2 Phillips screwdriver to install the Flat Panel Monitor Rack Mount Kit II. Refer to the documentation that comes with the rack cabinet, keyboard tray, or console server selector switch for further information about those products.

Note: The illustrations in this documentation might be slightly different from your hardware.

The following general steps are required to install the Flat Panel Monitor Rack Mount Kit II. You can skip steps that do not apply or have already been performed.

- 1 Install the keyboard tray according to its installation instructions and ensure 3U of rack mounting space is available for the tray and the Flat Panel Monitor Rack Mount Kit II.
- **2** Remove the existing flat panel monitor stand as shown in "Removing the existing flat panel monitor stand" on page 2.
- 3 Install the Flat Panel Monitor Rack Mount Kit II and flat panel monitor in the keyboard tray. See "Installing the new monitor stand" on page 4 for details on installing the rack mounting kit.
- 4 Install an optional console switch, if necessary, as shown in "Installing an optional console switch" on page 9.

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Removing the existing flat panel monitor stand

Use the following steps to remove the existing flat panel monitor stand from your monitor:

- 1. Unplug the flat panel monitor and disconnect the power cord from the flat panel monitor power supply.
- **2.** Carefully use a flat-blade screwdriver to pry the bottom of the cable cover **1** up and remove it. Save the cable cover for later reinstallation.

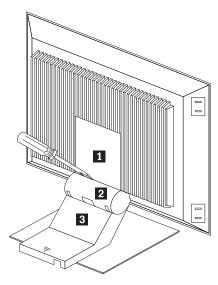


Figure 1. Removing the cable cover, hinge cover, and stand cover

3. Squeeze the sides of the hinge cover 2 and remove it.

Note: Even though this hinge cover is not used with the Flat Panel Monitor Rack Mount Kit II, do not discard it. Store it with the other monitor stand parts you remove for possible future use.

- 4. Gently push the stand cover 3 and slide it backwards until it is completely off the stand.
- **5.** Disconnect the signal cable and power cord from the flat panel monitor. Carefully remove and save the plastic cable clamp to free the power cord.

Note: The plastic cable clamp is reusable and is needed to secure the power cord after installing the Flat Panel Monitor Rack Mount Kit II on the flat panel monitor.

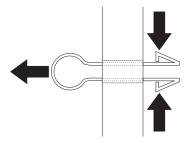


Figure 2. Removing the plastic cable clamp

6. Lay the monitor facedown on a cushioned surface and remove the six screws that secure the hinges to the flat panel monitor.

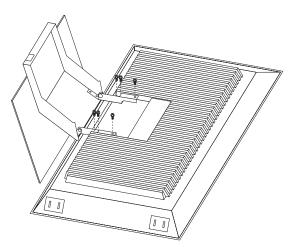


Figure 3. Removing the existing monitor stand from the monitor

7. Lift off the hinge and monitor stand assembly. Store this assembly in a safe place for possible future use.

Installing the new monitor stand

Refer to "Removing the existing flat panel monitor stand" on page 2 for instructions on how to remove the existing stand from the flat panel monitor. Before installing the new stand, install the keyboard tray in the rack cabinet according to the instructions that come with the rack cabinet or the keyboard tray option.

Note: The Flat Panel Monitor Rack Mount Kit II and keyboard tray require 3U of rack mounting space. If the keyboard tray does not have at least 2U of clearance above it, relocate the keyboard tray within the rack cabinet.

Use the following steps to install the Flat Panel Monitor Rack Mount Kit II:

Remove the cable cover from the new monitor stand; then, remove the four screws (two per hinge) that secure the hinges to the stand.

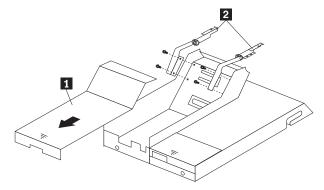


Figure 4. Removing the hinges from the new monitor stand

2. Install the hinges on the flat panel monitor, using the six screws that you removed from the old monitor stand.

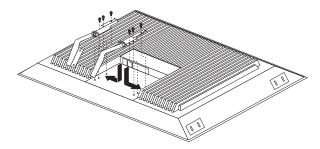


Figure 5. Installing the hinges on the flat panel monitor

Note: Be sure to slide each hinge into place on the back of the monitor and align the holes in the hinges with holes on the monitor.

3. Lower the flat panel monitor onto the new monitor stand, making sure that you align the holes in the stand with holes in the hinges; then, secure the flat panel monitor to the monitor stand with the four screws that you removed earlier.

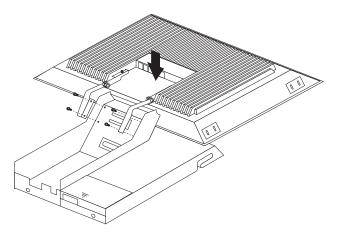


Figure 6. Installing the monitor on the new monitor stand

You have now finished attaching the flat panel monitor to its stand. The rest of the installation process involves preparing the keyboard tray for storage and routing cables.

Notes:

- a. You must remove any keyboard or mouse that is already in the keyboard tray before continuing.
- **b.** You will not be able to store a mouse in the keyboard tray after installing the Flat Panel Monitor Rack Mount Kit II.
- **c.** You can only store a space-saver keyboard in the keyboard tray.

4. Install the mounting studs 2 and bumpers 3 that come in the monitor mounting hardware package.

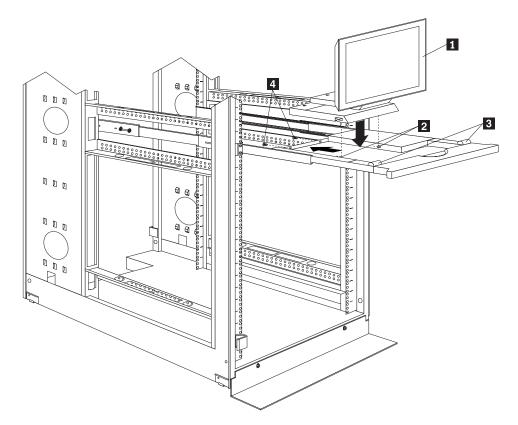


Figure 7. Installing the flat panel monitor in the keyboard tray

Note: Clean the installation area on the keyboard tray with a suitable cleaning agent, such as alcohol, before installing the rubber bumpers on the front of the keyboard tray.

5. Open the flat panel monitor 1 to its full upright position and align the grooves in the stand with the mounting studs 2 in the keyboard tray. When the monitor stand is sitting inside the keyboard tray, slide it towards the back until it stops.

Note: Install or remove the flat panel monitor only when the display is in its upright position.

6. Secure the monitor stand in the back of the keyboard tray with the two provided screws 4.

7. Place the flat panel monitor power supply, which came with your flat panel monitor, inside the monitor stand. If necessary, insert the power supply spacer 3 behind the power supply and over the cable to keep the power supply in place.

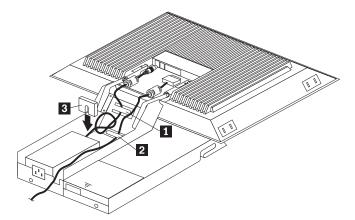


Figure 8. Storing the power supply and routing cables

- 8. Connect the power supply to the monitor and route the cable under the tab near the top of the monitor stand 1; then, secure the power cable with the cable clamp you removed from the original stand and coil excess cable inside the monitor stand.
- 9. Connect the monitor signal cable to the monitor and route it under the tab in the bottom of the monitor stand 2 and out the back of the stand through the hole provided.
- **10.** Replace the monitor stand cover **1**.

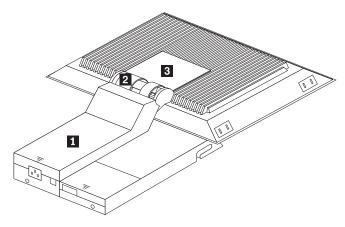


Figure 9. Installing the cable cover, hinge cover, and stand cover

11. Snap the new hinge cover **2** into place over the hinge assembly.

Note: Be sure to use the new hinge cover that comes with the Flat Panel Monitor Rack Mount Kit II because it has deeper grooves to accommodate the new hinge assembly.



Figure 10. Comparing the new hinge cover to the old hinge cover

12. Snap the cable cover **3** into place on the back of the flat panel monitor.

13. Fold the flat panel monitor down until it rests on the rubber bumpers; then, gently push back and remove the small cable exit cover **1** on the monitor stand.

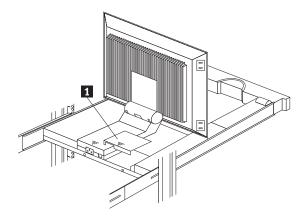


Figure 11. Routing the keyboard cable

- **14.** Route the space-saver keyboard cable through the hole in the front of the base and out the opening in the back where you removed the small cover; then, place the keyboard (with its adjustable feet fully down) inside the keyboard tray.
 - **Note:** You must open the flat panel monitor to its full upright position so that you can install the keyboard and route its cable.
- **15.** Fold the flat panel monitor down again until it rests on the rubber bumpers; then, reinstall the small cable exit cover **1**.
- **16.** Slide the keyboard tray into the rack cabinet; then, neatly route and secure all cables in the rack cabinet using the provided cable straps.
 - You can now connect the power cord to the flat panel monitor and connect the display to a server. If you have an optional console switch, you can install it now as shown in "Installing an optional console switch" on page 9.

Installing an optional console switch

You can use a console switch to attach more than one server to a single monitor and space-saver keyboard. The console switch option is available separately, but additional mounting brackets come with the Flat Panel Monitor Rack Mount Kit II. You can use mounting brackets that come with the console switch to mount it vertically in the rack cabinet. Instructions for vertical mounting come with the console switch.

Installing the console switch above the keyboard tray is an alternative to mounting it vertically inside your rack cabinet. You must use the mounting brackets that come with the Flat Panel Monitor Rack Mount Kit II if you mount the console switch just above the keyboard tray. Enough clearance must exist for the keyboard tray (and attached flat panel monitor) to slide completely into the rack cabinet.

Use the following procedure to install a console switch above the keyboard tray:

1. Secure the two provided brackets to your console switch with two screws per side.

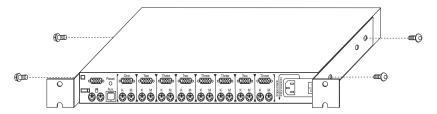


Figure 12. Installing the console switch mounting brackets

Note: There are two sets of mounting holes on the brackets. You can install the console switch even with the back of the rack cabinet or recessed inside, depending on how you install the brackets.

2. Install the console switch 1 above the keyboard tray, securing it with four screws (two per side) in the rear of your rack cabinet.

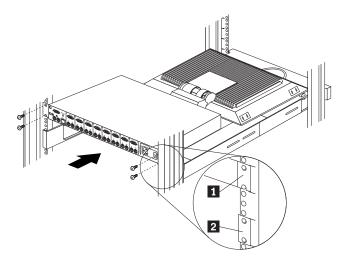


Figure 13. Installing the selector switch in the rack cabinet

Note: Be sure to leave one U between the keyboard tray and the console switch so that the keyboard tray and flat panel monitor **2** can slide fully into the rack cabinet.

3. Neatly route the monitor signal cable and clamp with provided cable straps as necessary.

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- 2. the amount of any other actual direct damages, up to the greater of U.S. \$100,000 (or equivalent in local currency) or the charges (if recurring, 12 months' charges apply) for the Machine that is the subject of the claim.

This limit also applies to IBM's suppliers and your reseller. It is the maximum for which IBM, its suppliers, and your reseller are collectively responsible.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES IS IBM LIABLE FOR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING: 1) THIRD-PARTY CLAIMS AGAINST YOU FOR DAMAGES (OTHER THAN THOSE UNDER THE FIRST ITEM LISTED ABOVE); 2) LOSS OF, OR DAMAGE TO, YOUR RECORDS OR DATA; OR 3) SPECIAL, INCIDENTAL, OR INDIRECT DAMAGES OR FOR ANY ECONOMIC CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES (INCLUDING LOST PROFITS OR SAVINGS), EVEN IF IBM. ITS SUPPLIERS OR YOUR RESELLER IS INFORMED OF THEIR POSSIBILITY. SOME JURISDICTIONS DO NOT ALLOW THE EXCLUSION OR LIMITATION OF INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES, SO THE ABOVE LIMITATION OR EXCLUSION MAY NOT APPLY TO YOU.

Part 2 - Worldwide Country-Unique Terms

ASIA PACIFIC

AUSTRALIA: The IBM Warranty for Machines: The following paragraph is added to this Section:

The warranties specified in this Section are in addition to any rights you may have under the Trade Practices Act 1974 or other legislation and are only limited to the extent permitted by the applicable legislation.

Extent of Warranty: The following replaces the first and second sentences of this Section:

The warranty does not cover the repair or exchange of a Machine resulting from misuse, accident, modification, unsuitable physical or operating environment, operation in other than the Specified Operating Environment, improper maintenance by you, or failure caused by a product for which IBM is not responsible.

Limitation of Liability: The following is added to this Section:

Where IBM is in breach of a condition or warranty implied by the Trade Practices Act 1974, IBM's liability is limited to the repair or replacement of the goods or the supply of equivalent goods. Where that condition or warranty relates to right to sell, quiet possession or clear title, or the goods are of a kind ordinarily acquired for personal, domestic or household use or consumption, then none of the limitations in this paragraph apply.

PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA: Governing Law: The following is added to this Statement:

The laws of the State of New York govern this Statement.

INDIA: Limitation of Liability: The following replaces items 1 and 2 of this Section:

- 1. liability for bodily injury (including death) or damage to real property and tangible personal property will be limited to that caused by IBM's negligence;
- 2. as to any other actual damage arising in any situation involving nonperformance by IBM pursuant to, or in any way related to the subject of this Statement of Warranty, IBM's liability will be limited to the charge paid by you for the individual Machine that is the subject of the claim.

NEW ZEALAND: The IBM Warranty for Machines: The following paragraph is added to this Section:

The warranties specified in this Section are in addition to any rights you may have under the Consumer Guarantees Act 1993 or other legislation which cannot be excluded or limited. The Consumer Guarantees Act 1993 will not apply in respect of any goods which IBM provides, if you require the goods for the purposes of a business as defined in that Act.

Limitation of Liability: The following is added to this Section:

Where Machines are not acquired for the purposes of a business as defined in the Consumer Guarantees Act 1993, the limitations in this Section are subject to the limitations in that Act.

EUROPE, MIDDLE EAST, AFRICA (EMEA)

The following terms apply to all EMEA countries.

The terms of this Statement of Warranty apply to Machines purchased from an IBM reseller. If you purchased this Machine from IBM, the terms and conditions of the applicable IBM agreement prevail over this warranty statement.

Warranty Service

If you purchased an IBM Machine in Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland or United Kingdom, you may obtain warranty service for that Machine in any of those countries from either (1) an IBM reseller approved to perform warranty service or (2) from IBM.

If you purchased an IBM Personal Computer Machine in Albania, Armenia, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Georgia, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Kirghizia, Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (FYROM), Moldova, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovak Republic, Slovenia, or Ukraine, you may obtain warranty service for that Machine in any of those countries from either (1) an IBM reseller approved to perform warranty service or (2) from IBM.

The applicable laws, Country-unique terms and competent court for this Statement are those of the country in which the warranty service is being provided. However, the laws of Austria govern this Statement if the warranty service is provided in Albania, Armenia, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, Georgia, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Kirghizia, Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (FYROM), Moldova, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovak Republic, Slovenia, and Ukraine.

The following terms apply to the country specified:

EGYPT: Limitation of Liability: The following replaces item 2 in this Section:

2. as to any other actual direct damages, IBM's liability will be limited to the total amount you paid for the Machine that is the subject of the claim.

Applicability of suppliers and resellers (unchanged).

FRANCE: Limitation of Liability: The following replaces the second sentence of the first paragraph of this Section: In such instances, regardless of the basis on which you are entitled to claim damages from IBM, IBM is liable for no more than: (items 1 and 2 unchanged).

GERMANY: The IBM Warranty for Machines: The following replaces the first sentence of the first paragraph of this Section: The warranty for an IBM Machine covers the functionality of the Machine for its normal use and the Machine's conformity to its Specifications.

The following paragraphs are added to this Section:

The minimum warranty period for Machines is six months.

In case IBM or your reseller are unable to repair an IBM Machine, you can alternatively ask for a partial refund as far as justified by the reduced value of the unrepaired Machine or ask for a cancellation of the respective agreement for such Machine and get your money refunded.

Extent of Warranty: The second paragraph does not apply.

Warranty Service: The following is added to this Section:

During the warranty period, transportation for delivery of the failing Machine to IBM will be at IBM's expense.

Production Status: The following paragraph replaces this Section:

Each Machine is newly manufactured. It may incorporate in addition to new parts, re-used parts as well.

Limitation of Liability: The following is added to this Section:

The limitations and exclusions specified in the Statement of Warranty will not apply to damages caused by IBM with fraud or gross negligence and for express warranty.

In item 2, replace "U.S. \$100,000" with "1.000.000 DEM."

The following sentence is added to the end of the first paragraph of item 2:

IBM's liability under this item is limited to the violation of essential contractual terms in cases of ordinary negligence.

IRELAND: Extent of Warranty: The following is added to this Section:

Except as expressly provided in these terms and conditions, all statutory conditions, including all warranties implied, but without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing all warranties implied by the Sale of Goods Act 1893 or the Sale of Goods and Supply of Services Act 1980 are hereby excluded.

Limitation of Liability: The following replaces items one and two of the first paragraph of this Section:

1. death or personal injury or physical damage to your real property solely caused by IBM's negligence; and 2. the amount of any other actual direct damages, up to the greater of Irish Pounds 75,000 or 125 percent of the charges (if recurring, the 12 months' charges apply) for the Machine that is the subject of the claim or which otherwise gives rise to the claim.

Applicability of suppliers and resellers (unchanged).

The following paragraph is added at the end of this Section:

IBM's entire liability and your sole remedy, whether in contract or in tort, in respect of any default shall be limited to damages.

ITALY: Limitation of Liability: The following replaces the second sentence in the first paragraph:

In each such instance unless otherwise provided by mandatory law, IBM is liable for no more than: (item 1 unchanged) 2) as to any other actual damage arising in all situations involving non-performance by IBM pursuant to, or in any way related to the subject matter of this Statement of Warranty, IBM's liability, will be limited to the total amount you paid for the Machine that is the subject of the claim.

Applicability of suppliers and resellers (unchanged).

The following replaces the second paragraph of this Section:

Unless otherwise provided by mandatory law, IBM and your reseller are not liable for any of the following: (items 1 and 2 unchanged) 3) indirect damages, even if IBM or your reseller is informed of their possibility.

SOUTH AFRICA, NAMIBIA, BOTSWANA, LESOTHO AND SWAZILAND: Limitation of Liability: The following is added to this Section:

IBM's entire liability to you for actual damages arising in all situations involving nonperformance by IBM in respect of the subject matter of this Statement of Warranty will be limited to the charge paid by you for the individual Machine that is the subject of your claim from IBM.

TURKIYE: Production Status: The following replaces this Section:

IBM fulfils customer orders for IBM Machines as newly manufactured in accordance with IBM's production standards.

UNITED KINGDOM: Limitation of Liability: The following replaces items 1 and 2 of the first paragraph of this Section:

- 1. death or personal injury or physical damage to your real property solely caused by IBM's negligence;
- 2. the amount of any other actual direct damages or loss, up to the greater of Pounds Sterling 150,000 or 125 percent of the charges (if recurring, the 12 months' charges apply) for the Machine that is the subject of the claim or which otherwise gives rise to the claim.

The following item is added to this paragraph:

3. breach of IBM's obligations implied by Section 12 of the Sale of Goods Act 1979 or Section 2 of the Supply of Goods and Services Act 1982.

Applicability of suppliers and resellers (unchanged).

The following is added to the end of this Section:

IBM's entire liability and your sole remedy, whether in contract or in tort, in respect of any default will be limited to damages.

NORTH AMERICA

CANADA: Warranty Service: The following is added to this Section:

To obtain warranty service from IBM, call 1-800-565-3344. In Toronto, call 416-383-3344.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA: Warranty Service: The following is added to this Section:

To obtain warranty service from IBM, call 1-800-772-2227.

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