

4-DIMM Add-in Card (CXA-4F1W)

For the CXL[®] Standard

SMART's CXA-4F1W is a 4-DIMM AIC, a Type 3 PCIe Gen5 Add-In Card (AIC) utilizing the CXL standard consisting of four DDR5 RDIMMs mounted on a Full Height, Half Length PCIe form factor module. It uses one x16 CXL controller to implement a single x16 CXL port capable of a total bandwidth of 64GB/s.

Each RDIMM socket supports up to 128GB RDIMMs for a maximum memory capacity of 512GB. The CXL Controllers implement "Reliability, Availability, and Serviceability" (RAS) features, advanced analytics, as well as enhanced security features with in-band or side band (SMBus) monitoring capability.

SMART develops CXL Type 3 (CXL.mem) memory products to address the industry's need for more memory per processor core. The CXL interconnect specification allows for a significant expansion of memory form factor options in PCIe or EDSFF form factors.

Key Features

- Host Interface
 - CXL 2.0
 - One x16 ASIC
 - Up to 64GB/s throughput
- Memory Interface
 - 4 x 128GB DDR5 RDIMMs (512GB max)
 - CXL controller supports two channels up to DDR5-4800
 - Each Channel supports 2DPC
- RAS Features
 - End-to-end data path integrity with overlapping parity/ECC
 - SECDED ECC support to DDR
 - Reed–Solomon ECC support to DDR
 - Programmable patrol scrub
 - Secure boot
 - Secure firmware update



- Device personalization/certificates
- Attestation
- Key management
- Firmware encryption
- Firmware Authentication, Integrity Check
- Post-Package Repair (PPR) and on-die Error Check and Scrub (ECS)
- Memory Expansion Applications
 - Accelerated AI and ML Workloads
 - Large In-memory databases
 - Banking, Finance, OLTP
 - Tiered cache for general purpose storage

System Block Diagram



Dimensions

The 4-slot AIC uses Full Height Half Length PCIe form factor.

- Height: 111.15mm
- Length: 167.52mm
- Width: 33.90mm





Preliminary Schedule

ES available in February '24

Ordering Information

4-Socket CXL AIC		
SMART Part Number	Description	Configuration
STXPLXXXGMC4RD5	PCIe x8, FHHL	Single-width AIC without DDR5 RDIMMs
STXPL128GMC4RD5	CXL, PCIe x8, 128GB, FHHL	Single-width AIC with four 32GB DDR5 RDIMMs
STXPL256GMC4RD5	CXL, PCIe x8, 256GB, FHHL	Single-width AIC with four 64GB DDR5 RDIMMs
STXPL512GMC4RD5	CXL, PCIe x8, 512GB, FHHL	Single-width AIC with four 128GB DDR5 RDIMMs

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