



Install Cards and Fiber-Optic Cable

This chapter explains how to install the Cisco ONS 15454 SDH cards and fiber-optic cable (fiber).

Before You Begin

This section lists the chapter procedures (NTPs). Turn to a procedure for applicable tasks (DLPs).

1. [NTP-D15 Install the Common Control Cards, page 2-2](#)—Complete this procedure before installing any other cards.
2. [NTP-D16 Install the STM-N Cards, page 2-7](#)—Complete this procedure as needed.
3. [NTP-D17 Install the Electrical Cards, page 2-9](#)—Complete this procedure as needed.
4. [NTP-D18 Install Ethernet Cards and Connectors, page 2-11](#)—Complete this procedure as needed.
5. [NTP-D286 Install the FC_MR-4 Cards, page 2-12](#)—Complete this procedure as needed.
6. [NTP-D19 Install Fiber-Optic Cables on STM-N Cards, page 2-14](#)—Complete this procedure to install fiber on the optical cards, small form-factor pluggables (SFPs) and Ethernet Gigabit Interface Converters (GBICs), and route the fiber through through the bottom of the shelf.
7. [NTP-D245 Route Fiber-Optic Cables, page 2-16](#)—Complete as needed.
8. [NTP-D227 Remove and Replace a Card, page 2-17](#)—Complete this procedure as needed to remove and replace a card, including deleting the card from Cisco Transport Controller (CTC) and changing an optical card without losing the card's provisioning.
9. [NTP-D20 Replace the Front Door, page 2-18](#)—If the front door was removed, complete this procedure to replace the front door and ground strap after installing cards and fiber.



Warning

Only trained and qualified personnel should be allowed to install, replace, or service this equipment.
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Warning

Blank faceplates and cover panels serve three important functions: they prevent exposure to hazardous voltages and currents inside the chassis; they contain electromagnetic interference (EMI) that might disrupt other equipment; and they direct the flow of cooling air through the chassis. Do not operate the system unless all cards, faceplates, front covers, and rear covers are in place.
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**Caution**

Unused card slots should be filled with a blank faceplate (Cisco P/N 15454E-BLANK). The blank faceplate ensures proper airflow when operating the ONS 15454 SDH without the front door attached, although Cisco recommends that the front door remain attached.

NTP-D15 Install the Common Control Cards

Purpose	This procedure describes how to install the common control cards.
Tools/Equipment	Redundant TCC2/TCC2P cards Redundant XC10G, XC-VXL-10G, or XC-VXL-2.5G (cross-connect) cards AIC-I card (optional)
Prerequisite Procedures	NTP-D13 Perform the Shelf Installation Acceptance Test, page 1-18
Required/As Needed	Required
Onsite/Remote	Onsite
Security Level	Provisioning or higher

**Warning**

During this procedure, wear grounding wrist straps to avoid ESD damage to the card. Do not directly touch the backplane with your hand or any metal tool, or you could shock yourself. Statement 94

**Caution**

Always use the supplied ESD wristband when working with a powered ONS 15454 SDH. Plug the wristband cable into the ESD jack located on the lower-right outside to edge of the shelf assembly.

**Note**

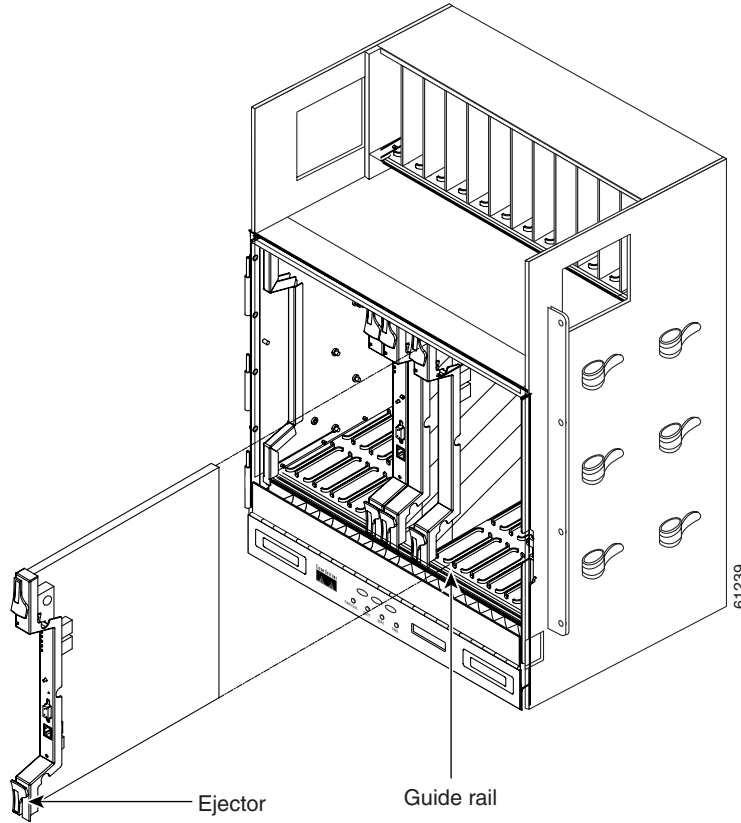
If protective clips are installed on the backplane connectors of the cards, remove the clips before installing the cards.

**Note**

If you install a card incorrectly, the FAIL LED flashes continuously.

- Step 1** If you plan to install XC-VXL-2.5G cards, review [Table 2-1](#) to determine card/slot compatibility. If you plan to install XC10G or XC-VXL-10G cards, review [Table 2-2 on page 2-5](#) to determine card/slot compatibility.
- Step 2** Complete the “[DLP-D332 Install the TCC2/TCC2P Cards](#)” task on page 20-24. [Figure 2-1](#) shows card installation.

Figure 2-1 Installing Cards in the ONS 15454 SDH



Step 3 Complete the “DLP-D333 Install the XC10G, XC-VXL-10G, or XC-VXL-2.5G Cards” task on page 20-27.



Note If you install the wrong card in a slot, see the “NTP-D227 Remove and Replace a Card” procedure on page 2-17.

Step 4 Complete the “DLP-D334 Install the Alarm Interface Controller–International Card” task on page 20-29, if necessary.

In Table 2-1, X indicates that a card is supported in the slot.

Table 2-1 ONS 15454 SDH Card and Slot Compatibility for the XC-VXL-2.5G Cards

Slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Type	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	HS ²	HS ²	TCC2/ TCC2P	XC ³	AIC-I	XC ³	TCC2/ TCC2P	HS ²	HS ²	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹
TCC2/TCC2P							X				X						
XC-VXL-2.5G								X		X							
AIC-I									X								
DS3i-N-12	X	X	X	X	X								X	X	X	X	X
E1N-14	X	X	X	X	X								X	X	X	X	X

Table 2-1 ONS 15454 SDH Card and Slot Compatibility for the XC-VXL-2.5G Cards (continued)

Slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Type	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	HS ²	HS ²	TCC2/ TCC2P	XC ³	AIC-I	XC ³	TCC2/ TCC2P	HS ²	HS ²	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹
E1-42	X	X	X	X										X	X	X	X
E3-12	X	X	X	X	X								X	X	X	X	X
STM1E-12	X	X	X	X										X	X	X	X
E100T-G	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
E1000-2-G	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
G1000-4	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
G1K-4	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
ML100-12	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
ML1000-2	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC3 IR 4/STM1 SH 1310	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC3IR/STM1 SH 1310-8	X	X	X	X	Requires XC10G or XC-VXL-10G cards.									X	X	X	X
OC12 IR/STM4 SH 1310	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC12 LR/STM4 LH 1310	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC12 LR/STM4 LH 1550	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC12 LR/STM4 LH 1310-4	X	X	X	X	Requires XC10G or XC-VXL-10G cards.									X	X	X	X
OC12 LR/STM4 LH 1550	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC48 IR/STM16 SH AS 1310	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC48 LR/STM16 LH AS 1550	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC48 ELR/STM16 EH 100 GHz					X	X						X	X				

Table 2-1 ONS 15454 SDH Card and Slot Compatibility for the XC-VXL-2.5G Cards (continued)

Slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Type	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	HS ²	HS ²	TCC2/ TCC2P	XC ³	AIC-I	XC ³	TCC2/ TCC2P	HS ²	HS ²	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹
OC192 SR/STM64 IO 1310	Not supported with XC-VXL-2.5G cards. Requires XC10G or XC-VXL-10G cards.																
OC192 IR/STM64 SH 1550	Not supported with XC-VXL-2.5G cards. Requires XC10G or XC-VXL-10G cards.																
OC192 LR/STM64 LH 1550	Not supported with XC-VXL-2.5G cards. Requires XC10G or XC-VXL-10G cards.																
OC192 LR/STM64 LH ITU 15xx.xx	Not supported with XC-VXL-2.5G cards. Requires XC10G or XC-VXL-10G cards.																
FC_MR-4	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
Slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17

1. MS identifies slots 1 to 4 and 14 to 17 (“multispeed” slot).
2. HS identifies slots 5, 6, 12, and 13 (“high-speed” slot).
3. The term XC is used generically to mean “cross-connect.”

In [Table 2-2](#), X indicates that a card is supported in the slot.

Table 2-2 Slot Compatibility for the XC10G or XC-VXL-10G Card

Slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Type	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	HS ²	HS ²	TCC2/ TCC2P	XC ^s	AIC-I	XC ^s	TCC2/ TCC2P	HS ²	HS ²	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹
TCC2/TCC2P							X				X						
XC10G								X		X							
XC-VXL-10G								X		X							
AIC-I									X								
DS3i-N-12	X	X	X	X	X								X	X	X	X	X
E1N-14	X	X	X	X	X								X	X	X	X	X
E1-42	X	X	X	X										X	X	X	X
E3-12	X	X	X	X	X								X	X	X	X	X
STM1E-12	X	X	X	X										X	X	X	X
E100T-G	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
E1000-2-G	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
G1000-4	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
G1K-4	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X

Table 2-2 Slot Compatibility for the XC10G or XC-VXL-10G Card (continued)

Slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Type	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	HS ²	HS ²	TCC2/ TCC2P	XC _s	AIC-I	XC _s	TCC2/ TCC2P	HS ²	HS ²	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹
ML100-12	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
ML1000-2	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC3 IR 4/STM1 SH 1310	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC3IR/STM1 SH 1310-8	X	X	X	X										X	X	X	X
OC12 IR/STM4 SH 1310	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC12 LR/STM4 LH 1310	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC12 LR/STM4 LH 1550	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC12 LR/STM4 LH 1310-4	X	X	X	X										X	X	X	X
OC12 LR/STM4 LH 1550	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC48 IR/STM16 SH AS 1310	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC48 LR/STM16 LH AS 1550	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC48 ELR/STM16 EH 100 GHz	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X
OC192 SR/STM64 IO 1310					X	X						X	X				
OC192 IR/STM64 SH 1550					X	X						X	X				
OC192 LR/STM64 LH 1550					X	X						X	X				

Table 2-2 Slot Compatibility for the XC10G or XC-VXL-10G Card (continued)

Slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Type	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	HS ²	HS ²	TCC2/ TCC2P	XC _s	AIC-I	XC _s	TCC2/ TCC2P	HS ²	HS ²	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹	MS ¹
OC192 LR/STM64 LH ITU 15xx.xx					X	X						X	X				
FC_MR-4	X	X	X	X	X	X						X	X	X	X	X	X

1. MS identifies slots 1 to 4 and 14 to 17 (“multispeed” slot).

2. HS identifies slots 5, 6, 12, and 13 (“high-speed” slot).

Step 5 Continue with the following procedures, as needed:

- [NTP-D16 Install the STM-N Cards, page 2-7](#)
- [NTP-D17 Install the Electrical Cards, page 2-9](#)
- [NTP-D18 Install Ethernet Cards and Connectors, page 2-11](#)
- [NTP-D286 Install the FC_MR-4 Cards, page 2-12](#)

Stop. You have completed this procedure.

NTP-D16 Install the STM-N Cards

Purpose	This procedure installs the optical cards (STM-1, STM1-8, STM-4, STM4-4, STM-16, and STM-64). Install according to site plan, if available.
Tools/Equipment	STM-1, STM-4, STM-16, and STM-64 cards (as applicable)
Prerequisite Procedures	NTP-D15 Install the Common Control Cards, page 2-2
Required/As Needed	As needed
Onsite/Remote	Onsite
Security Level	None



Warning

During this procedure, wear grounding wrist straps to avoid ESD damage to the card. Do not directly touch the backplane with your hand or any metal tool, or you could shock yourself. Statement 94



Warning

Use of controls, adjustments, or performing procedures other than those specified may result in hazardous radiation exposure. Statement 1057



Warning

Class I (21 CFR 1040.10 and 1040.11) and Class 1M (IEC 60825-1 2001-01) laser products. Statement 291

**Warning**

Invisible laser radiation may be emitted from the end of the unterminated fiber cable or connector. Do not view directly with optical instruments. Viewing the laser output with certain optical instruments (for example, eye loupes, magnifiers, and microscopes) within a distance of 100 mm may pose an eye hazard. Statement 1056

**Warning**

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**Warning**

On all optical cards except the OC192 LR/STM64 LH 1550 card, the laser is on even when the optical port is not in service. On the OC192 LR/STM64 LH 1550 card, the laser is active when the card is booted and the safety key is in the on position (labeled 1). The laser is off when the safety key is off (labeled 0).

**Caution**

Always use the supplied ESD wristband when working with a powered ONS 15454 SDH. Plug the wristband cable into the ESD jack located on the lower-right outside edge of the shelf assembly.

**Note**

To simplify subnetwork connection protection (SNCP) to multiplex section-shared protection ring (MS-SPRing) conversion and node addition, install optical cards according to a high-speed east (Slots 12 and 13) and west (Slots 5 and 6) configuration. This configuration is not mandatory.

**Note**

If you install a card incorrectly, the FAIL LED flashes continuously.

**Note**

During the boot proces, a Locked-enabled,disabled STM-N port will output AIS-L to any Unlocked-enabled far-end receivers. See the *Cisco ONS 15454 SDH Troubleshooting Guide* for further information about the AIS-L condition.

Step 1

If you installed XC-VXL-2.5G cards, review [Table 2-1 on page 2-3](#) to determine card/slot compatibility. If you installed XC10 or XC-VXL-10G cards, review [Table 2-2 on page 2-5](#) to determine card/slot compatibility.

Install higher-capacity cards first; for example, install an STM-64 card before installing an STM-12 card. Let each card completely boot before installing the next card.

Step 2

Open the card latches/ejectors.

**Warning**

Before installing an OC192 LR/STM64 LH 1550 card, make sure the safety key on the faceplate is in off position (labeled 0). When in the on position (labeled 1), the laser is activated.

Step 3

Use the latches/ejectors to firmly slide the optical card along the guide rails until the card plugs into the receptacle at the back of the slot.

Step 4 Verify that the card is inserted correctly and close the latches/ejectors on the card.



Note It is possible to close the latches/ejectors when the card is not completely plugged into the backplane. Ensure that you cannot insert the card any further.



Note If you install the wrong card in a slot, complete the [“NTP-D227 Remove and Replace a Card” procedure on page 2-17](#).

Step 5 Verify the LED activity:

- The red FAIL LED turns on for 20 to 30 seconds.
- The red FAIL LED blinks for 35 to 45 seconds.
- All LEDs blink once and turn off for 5 to 10 seconds.
- The ACT or ACT/STBY LED turns on. The signal fail (SF) LED can persist until all card ports connect to their far-end counterparts and a signal is present.



Note The booting STM-N card will send AIS-L to the far-end receiver as long as it is Locked-enabled,disabled.

Step 6 If the card does not boot up properly, or the LED activity does not mimic [Step 5](#), check the following:

- When a physical card type does not match the type of card provisioned for that slot in CTC, the card might not boot. If an optical card does not boot, open CTC and verify that the slot is not provisioned for a different card type before assuming the card is faulty.
- If the red FAIL LED does not turn on, check the power.
- If you insert a card into a slot provisioned for a different card, all LEDs turn off.
- If the red FAIL LED is illuminated continuously or the LEDs behave erratically, the card is not installed properly. Remove the card and repeat [Steps 2 to 5](#).

Step 7 Continue with the [“NTP-D19 Install Fiber-Optic Cables on STM-N Cards” procedure on page 2-14](#).

Stop. You have completed this procedure.

NTP-D17 Install the Electrical Cards

Purpose	This procedure installs the electrical cards (DS3i-N-12, E1N-14, E1-42, E3-12, and STM1E-12).
Tools/Equipment	Electrical cards
Prerequisite Procedures	NTP-D220 Install the Power and Signal FMECs, page 1-7 NTP-D15 Install the Common Control Cards, page 2-2
Required/As Needed	As needed
Onsite/Remote	Onsite
Security Level	None

**Warning**

During this procedure, wear grounding wrist straps to avoid ESD damage to the card. Do not directly touch the backplane with your hand or any metal tool, or you could shock yourself. Statement 94

**Note**

The E3-12 card can be deployed in a central office or a carrier's exchange.

**Note**

Install higher-capacity cards first; for example, install an E3-12 card before installing an E1-14 card. Let each card boot completely before installing the next card.

**Note**

Cisco recommends installing STM-N, TXP, and MXP cards before you install electrical cards, as applicable.

Step 1

If you installed XC-VXL-2.5G cards, review [Table 2-1 on page 2-3](#) to determine card/slot compatibility. If you installed XC10 or XC-VXL-10G cards, review [Table 2-2 on page 2-5](#) to determine card/slot compatibility.

Step 2

Open the card latches/ejectors.

Step 3

Use the latches/ejectors to firmly slide the card along the guide rails until the card plugs into the receptacle at the back of the slot.

**Note**

If you install the wrong card in a slot, complete the [“NTP-D227 Remove and Replace a Card” procedure on page 2-17](#).

Step 4

Verify that the card is inserted correctly and close the latches/ejectors on the card.

**Note**

It is possible to close the latches/ejectors when the card is not completely plugged into the backplane. Ensure that you cannot insert the card any further.

Step 5

Verify the LED activity:

- The red FAIL LED turns on for 10 to 15 seconds.
- If the red FAIL LED does not turn on, check the power.
- The red FAIL LED blinks for 30 to 40 seconds.
- All LEDs blink once and turn off for 1 to 5 seconds.
- The ACT or ACT/STBY LED turns on. The SF LED can persist until all card ports connect to their far end counterparts and a signal is present.

**Note**

If you insert a card into a slot provisioned for a different card, all LEDs turn off.

**Note**

If the red FAIL LED is on continuously or the LEDs behave erratically, the card is not installed properly. Remove the card and repeat Steps 2 to 5.

Step 6 Continue with the “[NTP-D18 Install Ethernet Cards and Connectors](#)” procedure on page 2-11 if necessary.

Stop. You have completed this procedure.

NTP-D18 Install Ethernet Cards and Connectors

Purpose	This procedure installs the Ethernet cards (E100T-G, E1000-2-G, G1000-4, G1K4, ML100T-12, and ML1000-2).
Tools/Equipment	Ethernet cards
Prerequisite Procedures	NTP-D15 Install the Common Control Cards, page 2-2
Required/As Needed	As needed
Onsite/Remote	Onsite
Security Level	None



Warning

During this procedure, wear grounding wrist straps to avoid ESD damage to the card. Do not directly touch the backplane with your hand or any metal tool, or you could shock yourself. Statement 94



Warning

Class I (21 CFR 1040.10 and 1040.11) and Class 1M (IEC 60825-1 2001-01) laser products. Statement 291



Warning

Invisible laser radiation may be emitted from the end of the unterminated fiber cable or connector. Do not view directly with optical instruments. Viewing the laser output with certain optical instruments (for example, eye loupes, magnifiers, and microscopes) within a distance of 100 mm may pose an eye hazard. Statement 1056



Warning

Use of controls, adjustments, or performing procedures other than those specified may result in hazardous radiation exposure. Statement 1057



Caution

Always use the supplied ESD wristband when working with a powered ONS 15454 SDH. Plug the wristband cable into the ESD jack located on the lower-right outside edge of the shelf assembly.



Note

Cisco recommends installing TXP, MXP, STM-N, and electrical cards before you install Ethernet cards, as applicable.

Step 1 If you installed XC-VXL-2.5G cards review [Table 2-1 on page 2-3](#) to determine card/slot compatibility. If you installed XC10 or XC-VXL-10G cards, review [Table 2-2 on page 2-5](#) to determine card/slot compatibility.

Step 2 Complete the “[DLP-D39 Install Ethernet Cards](#)” task on page 17-29. Allow each card to boot completely before installing the next card.

- Step 3** Complete the “[DLP-D335 Install GBIC or SFP Connectors](#)” task on page 20-30 if you are using E1000-2-G, G1000-4, G1K-4, or ML1000-2 cards.



Note If you need to remove a GBIC or SFP, complete the “[DLP-D336 Remove GBIC or SFP Connectors](#)” task on page 20-33.

- Step 4** Continue with “[NTP-D286 Install the FC_MR-4 Cards](#)” procedure on page 2-12 if necessary.
Stop. You have completed this procedure.

NTP-D286 Install the FC_MR-4 Cards

Purpose	This procedure installs the FC_MR-4 card, also known as the Fibre Channel card.
Tools/Equipment	FC_MR-4 card(s)
Prerequisite Procedures	NTP-D15 Install the Common Control Cards, page 2-2
Required/As Needed	As needed
Onsite/Remote	Onsite
Security Level	None



Warning

During this procedure, wear grounding wrist straps to avoid ESD damage to the card. Do not directly touch the backplane with your hand or any metal tool, or you could shock yourself. Statement 94



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Caution

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Note

If protective clips are installed on the backplane connectors of the cards, remove the clips before installing the cards.

**Warning**

High-performance devices on this card can get hot during operation. To remove the card, hold it by the faceplate and bottom edge. Allow the card to cool before touching any other part of it or before placing it in an antistatic bag. Statement 201

- Step 1** If you installed XC-VXL-2.5G cards review [Table 2-1 on page 2-3](#) to determine card/slot compatibility. If you installed XC10G or XC-VXL-10G cards, review [Table 2-2 on page 2-5](#) to determine card/slot compatibility.
- Step 2** Open the card latches/ejectors.
- Step 3** Use the latches/ejectors to firmly slide the card along the guide rails until the card plugs into the receptacle at the back of the slot.
- Step 4** Verify that the card is inserted correctly and close the latches/ejectors on the card.



Note It is possible to close the latches/ejectors when the card is not completely plugged into the backplane. Ensure that you cannot insert the card any further.



Note If you install the wrong card in a slot, complete the [“NTP-D227 Remove and Replace a Card” procedure on page 2-17](#) and install the correct card.

- Step 5** Verify the LED activity:
- The red FAIL LED turns on for 20 to 30 seconds. The ACT LED is amber for 3 to 5 seconds.
 - The red FAIL LED blinks for up to 2 minutes.
 - The FAIL and ACT LEDs blink once and turn off for 1 to 5 seconds.
 - The ACT LED illuminates green.



Note If the red FAIL LED does not turn on, check the power.



Note If you insert a card into a slot provisioned for a different card, all LEDs turn off.

- Step 6** Complete the [“DLP-D335 Install GBIC or SFP Connectors” task on page 20-30](#) to install GBICs on the FC_MR-4 card.



Note If you need to remove a GBIC or SFP, complete the [“DLP-D336 Remove GBIC or SFP Connectors” task on page 20-33](#).

- Step 7** Continue with the [“NTP-D19 Install Fiber-Optic Cables on STM-N Cards” procedure on page 2-14](#).
Stop. You have completed this procedure.

NTP-D19 Install Fiber-Optic Cables on STM-N Cards

Purpose	This procedure describes how to install fiber-optic cables on optical cards.
Tools/Equipment	Fiber-optic cables Fiber boot
Prerequisite Procedures	NTP-D16 Install the STM-N Cards, page 2-7
Required/As Needed	As needed
Onsite/Remote	Onsite
Security Level	None


Warning

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Warning

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Warning

Use of controls, adjustments, or performing procedures other than those specified may result in hazardous radiation exposure. Statement 1057


Warning

On all STM-N cards except the OC192 LR/STM64 LH 1550 card, the laser is on even when the optical port is not in service. If an OC192 LR/STM64 LH 1550 card has a safety key, the laser is active when the card is booted and the safety key is in the on position (labeled 1). The laser is off when the safety key is off (labeled 0).


Warning

Laser radiation presents an invisible hazard, so personnel should avoid exposure to the laser beam. Personnel must be qualified in laser safety procedures and must use proper eye protection before working on this equipment. Statement 300


Caution

Do not use fiber loopbacks with the STM64 LH 1550 or STM64 LH ITU 15xx.xx card unless you are using a 20-dB attenuator. Never connect a direct fiber loopback. Using fiber loopbacks causes irreparable damage to the STM64 LH 1550 or STM64 LH ITU 15xx.xx card.


Caution

Do not use fiber loopbacks with the STM64 SH 1550 card unless you are using a 5-dB attenuator. Never connect a direct, unattenuated fiber loopback. Using unattenuated fiber loopbacks causes irreparable damage to the STM64 SH 1550 card.

**Caution**

Always use the supplied ESD wristband when working with a powered ONS 15454 SDH. Plug the wristband cable into the ESD jack located on the lower-right outside edge of the shelf assembly.

**Note**

You can install the fiber immediately after installing the cards, or wait until you are ready to turn up the network. See [Chapter 5, “Turn Up Network.”](#)

- Step 1** Test the optical receive levels for the cards installed and attenuate accordingly. [Table 2-3](#) provides the minimum and maximum levels.

Table 2-3 *Optical Transmit and Receive Levels*

Card	Transmit		Receive	
	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum
OC3 IR 4/STM1 SH 1310	-15 dBm	-8 dBm	-28 dBm	-8 dBm
OC3IR/STM1SH 1310-8	-15 dBm	-8 dBm	-28 dBm	-8 dBm
OC12 IR/STM4 SH 1310	-15 dBm	-8 dBm	-28 dBm	-8 dBm
OC12 LR/STM4 LH 1310	-3 dBm	+2 dBm	-28 dBm	-8 dBm
OC12 LR/STM4 LH 1550	-3 dBm	+2 dBm	-28 dBm	-8 dBm
OC12 IR/STM4 SH 1310-4	-15 dBm	-8 dBm	-30 dBm	-8 dBm
OC48 IR/STM16 SH AS 1310	-5 dBm	0 dBm	-18 dBm	0 dBm
OC48 LR/STM16 LH AS 1550	-2 dBm	+3 dBm	-28 dBm	-8 dBm
OC48 ELR/STM16 EH 100 GHz	-2 dBm	0 dBm	-27 dBm at 1E-12 BER	-9 dBm
OC192 SR/STM64 IO 1310	-6 dBm	-1 dBm	-11 dBm	-1 dBm
OC192 IR/STM64 SH 1550	-1 dBm	+2 dBm	-14 dBm	-1 dBm
OC192 LR/STM64 LH 1550	+7 dBm	+10 dBm	-19 dBm	-10 dBm
OC192 LR/STM64 LH ITU 15xx.xx	+3 dBm	+6 dBm	-22 dBm	-9 dBm

- Step 2** Inspect and clean all fiber connectors thoroughly. See the [“NTP-D112 Clean Fiber Connectors” procedure on page 15-13](#) for instructions. Dust particles can degrade performance. Put caps on any fiber connectors that are not used.

- Step 3** As needed, complete the [“DLP-D42 Install Fiber-Optic Cables on an LGX Interface” task on page 17-32](#).

**Note**

To install fiber-optic cables on Ethernet cards or FC_MR-4 cards, see the [“DLP-D335 Install GBIC or SFP Connectors” task on page 20-30](#).

- Step 4** As needed, complete the [“DLP-D337 Install Fiber-Optic Cables for SNCP Configurations” task on page 20-34](#).
- Step 5** As needed, complete the [“DLP-D338 Install Fiber-Optic Cables for MS-SPRing Configurations” task on page 20-37](#).
- Step 6** As needed, complete the [“DLP-D45 Install the Fiber Boot” task on page 17-34](#).

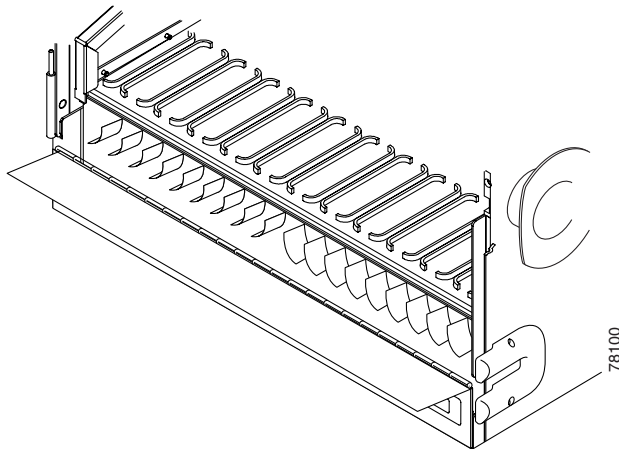
- Step 7** Continue with the “NTP-D245 Route Fiber-Optic Cables” procedure on page 2-16.
Stop. You have completed this procedure.
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NTP-D245 Route Fiber-Optic Cables

Purpose	This procedure routes fiber-optic cables.
Tools/Equipment	None
Prerequisite Procedures	NTP-D19 Install Fiber-Optic Cables on STM-N Cards, page 2-14
Required/As Needed	As needed
Onsite/Remote	Onsite
Security Level	None

- Step 1** Open the fold-down front door on the cable-management tray ([Figure 2-2](#)).

Figure 2-2 Fold-Down Front Door of the Cable-Management Tray

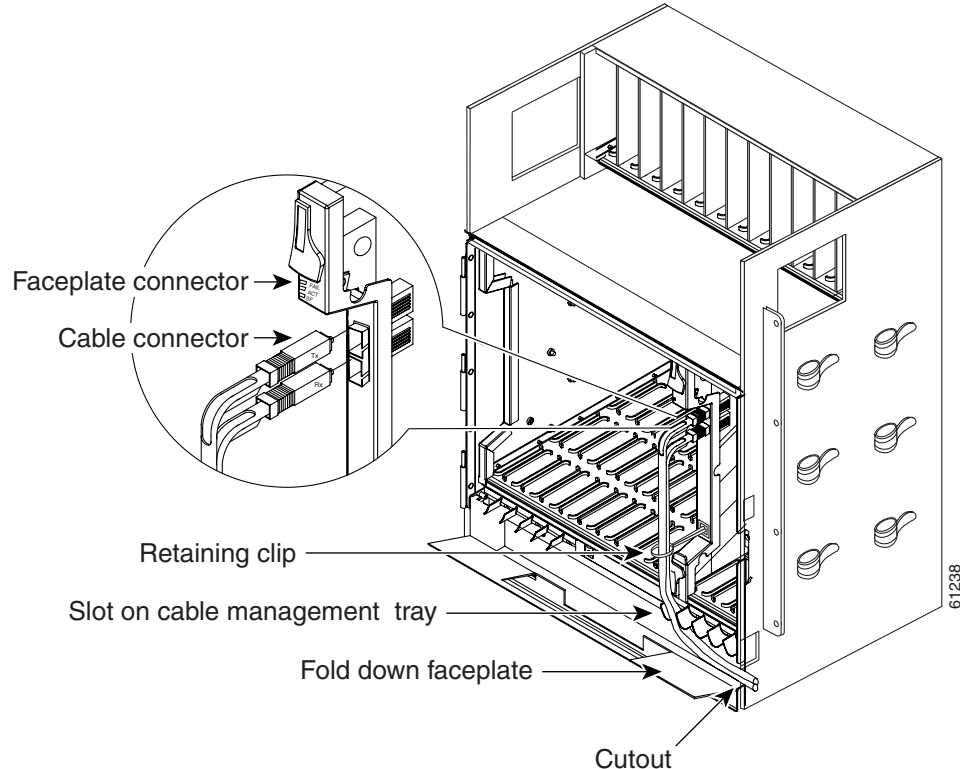


- Step 2** Route the fiber cable on the card faceplate through the fiber clip on the faceplate ([Figure 2-3](#)). Fiber clips are factory-attached to the faceplate of the STM-N cards and some DWDM cards (32MUX-O, 32DMX-O, OSCM, OPT-PRE, and OPT-BST).



Note GBICs and SFPs do not have fiber clips; therefore, if you are routing optical cable from an FC_MR-4, E1000-2-G, G1000-4, G1K-4, or ML1000-2 card, skip to [Step 3](#).

Figure 2-3 Routing Fiber-Optic Cables on the Optical-Card Faceplate



- Step 3** Route the fiber cables into the cable-management tray (Figure 2-3).
- Step 4** Route the fiber cables out either side of the cable-management tray through the cutouts on each side of the shelf assembly. Use the reversible fiber guides to route cables out the desired side.
- Step 5** Close the fold-down front door when all fiber cables in the front compartment are properly routed.
- Stop. You have completed this procedure.**

NTP-D227 Remove and Replace a Card

Purpose	This procedure removes and replaces cards in the ONS 15454 SDH shelf.
Tools/Equipment	None
Prerequisite Procedures	DLP-D60 Log into CTC, page 17-47
Required/As Needed	As needed
Onsite/Remote	Onsite
Security Level	Provisioning or higher

- Step 1** If you are not logged into CTC and you need to remove a card, remove the card as described in [Step 3](#). When you log into CTC, troubleshoot the mismatched equipment alarm (MEA) with the *Cisco ONS 15454 SDH Troubleshooting Guide*.

- Step 2** If you are logged into CTC, complete one of the following:
- Complete the “[DLP-D191 Delete a Card](#)” task on page 18-34 and continue with [Step 3](#).
 - Complete the “[DLP-D247 Change an STM-N Card](#)” task on page 19-29 to delete a card and replace it with a different optical card while maintaining existing provisioning.
- Step 3** Physically remove the card:
- a. Open the card latches/ejectors.
 - b. Use the latches/ejectors to pull the card forward and away from the shelf.
- Step 4** Insert the new card using one of the following procedures as applicable:
- [NTP-D15 Install the Common Control Cards](#), page 2-2
 - [NTP-D16 Install the STM-N Cards](#), page 2-7
 - [NTP-D17 Install the Electrical Cards](#), page 2-9
 - [NTP-D18 Install Ethernet Cards and Connectors](#), page 2-11
 - [NTP-D286 Install the FC_MR-4 Cards](#), page 2-12
- Step 5** As needed, continue with the “[NTP-D19 Install Fiber-Optic Cables on STM-N Cards](#)” procedure on page 2-14.
- Stop. You have completed this procedure.**
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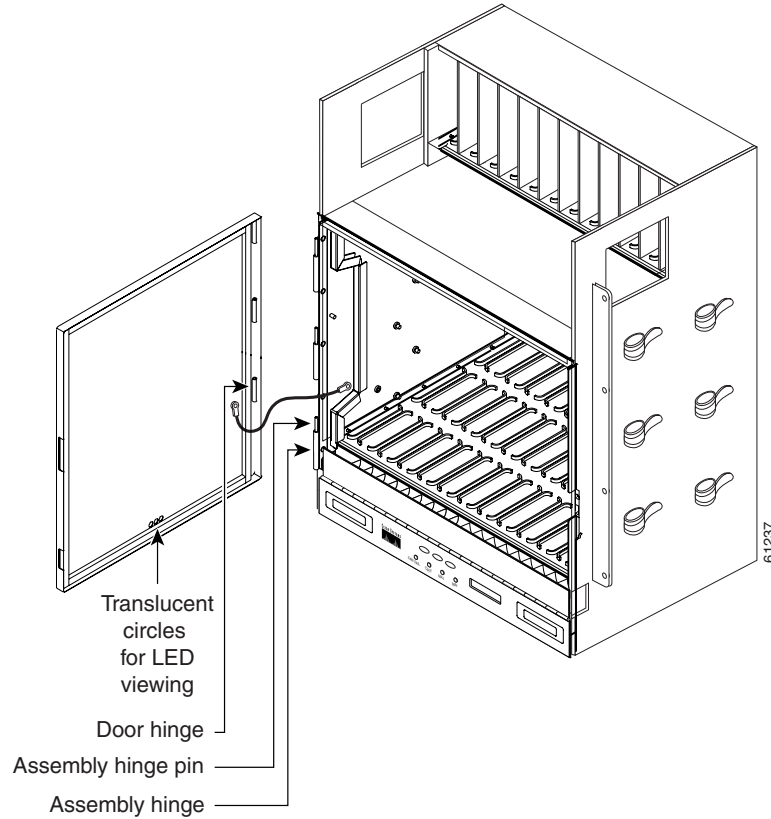
NTP-D20 Replace the Front Door

Purpose	This procedure replaces the front door and door ground strap after installing cards and fiber-optic cables.
Tools/Equipment	Pinned hex key
Prerequisite Procedures	NTP-D3 Open and Remove the Front Door , page 1-6
Required/As Needed	Required
Onsite/Remote	Onsite
Security Level	None



Note Be careful not to crimp any fiber cables that are connected to the STM-N cards or DWDM cards. Some might not have the fiber boot attached.

- Step 1** Insert the front door into the hinges on the shelf assembly.
- Step 2** Attach the pluggable ground wire ([Figure 2-4](#)).

Figure 2-4 ONS 15454 SDH Front Door with Hinges and Ground Wire

Step 3 Swing the door closed.



Note The ONS 15454 SDH comes with a pinned hex key tool for locking and unlocking the front door. Turn the key counterclockwise to unlock the door and clockwise to lock it.

Stop. You have completed this procedure.

