

# DX8000-256RAM

# **Installation Manual**

DX8000 Digital Video Recorder



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### Introduction

The following instructions serve as a guide for the installation of the DX8000-256RAM memory expansion module.

### **PARTS LIST**

#### **Qty Description**

- 1 256 MB double data rate (DDR) dual inline memory module (DIMM)
- 1 Adhesive-backed upgrade part label

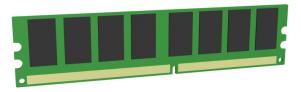


Figure 1. 256 MB DIMM Module

### **TOOLS NEEDED**

- 1 Phillips-head screwdriver #1 (nonmagnetic)
- 1 Properly grounded ESD wrist strap and mat
- 4 Small containers for storing screws (optional)

## **Getting Ready**

- 1. Familiarize yourself with the instructions throughout this manual.
- 2. Check that you have all the necessary parts and tools. Refer to the *Parts List* and *Tools Needed* sections.
- 3. Shut down the DX8000 Series DVR unit. Refer to DX8000 Installation Manual or Operations and Programming Manual for instructions on shutting down your unit.
- 4. Unplug the power cord from the wall socket and then from the rear of the DVR.



**WARNING:** For safety reasons, you must remove the power cord because current continues to flow through the DX8000 even when the unit is off. Remove the power cord from the wall socket first and then from the rear of the DVR. It is critical that the unit be unplugged for your safety.

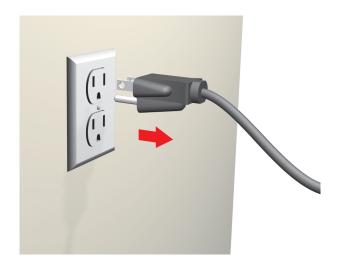


Figure 2. Removing Power Cord from Wall



Figure 3. Removing Power Cord from Unit

5. Ensure that the DX8000 Series DVR and all of its components are protected against electrostatic discharge (ESD). Before handling any electronic components, you should take steps to ground yourself properly so that any built-up static electric charges are dissipated away from the unit. The most effective method for combating ESD is to use a properly grounded wrist strap.



**NOTE:** If you do not have access to a grounded wrist strap, you can discharge any built-up static by periodically touching an unpainted section of the chassis.

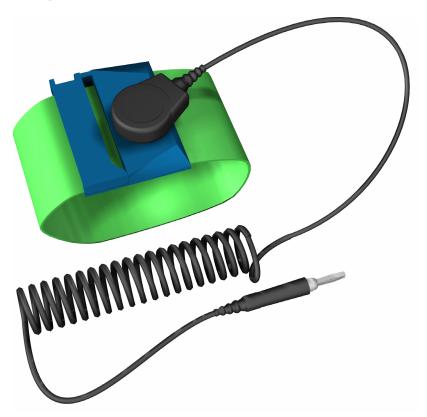


Figure 4. ESD Protection

### **Prepare Unit for RAM Installation**

#### **OPEN THE UNIT CHASSIS**



**WARNING:** The chassis assembly includes parts with sharp edges. To avoid injury, use caution when working in and around the DX8000's chassis and components.

- If the DX8000 is mounted in a rack, remove it and transport it to an area that will provide full access to the unit chassis:
  - a. Disconnect any cables or connections that might restrict access to or the removal of the unit.
  - b. Unscrew the fasteners that are securing the unit in the rack.
  - c. Carefully lift the unit out of the rack.



**NOTE:** Removing the DX8000 from a rack may require more than one person. Refer to the DX8000 Installation Manual for rack mounting information.

2. Place the DX8000 on a flat surface with ample workspace.

3. Using a Phillips-head screwdriver, remove the chassis cover:



**WARNING:** Make sure unit is turned off and you are wearing a properly grounded ESD wrist strap before attempting to open the DX8000 chassis cover. Refer to the *Getting Ready* section.

- a. Remove the two top-most screws on the left and right side panels of the DX8000. Refer to Figure 5.
- b. Remove the four silver screws fastening the cover to the rear of the unit. These screws are the ones closest to the top of the unit. Refer to Figure 5.
- c. Carefully remove the chassis cover by sliding it back and up. Set aside the cover. Figure 6 illustrates the interior of the DX8000.

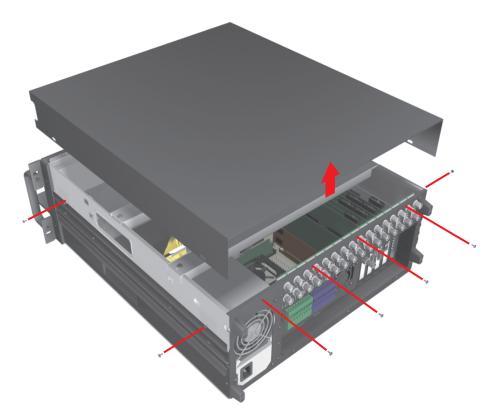


Figure 5. Removing Chassis Cover

### **COMPONENT LAYOUT**

Figure 6 shows the location of your DX8000 Series DVR's major components. Certain cables and components have been omitted from the illustrations in this manual for the purpose of clarity.

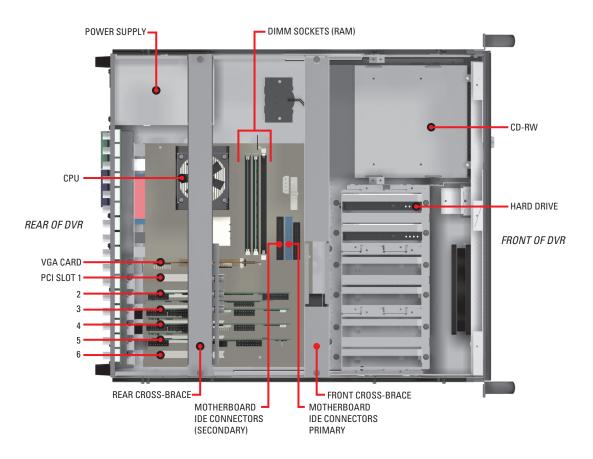


Figure 6. DX8000 Interior

## Install the DX8000-256RAM Memory Module

- 1. Carefully remove the DX8000-256RAM DIMM module from its static-safe packaging. Handle the DIMM by its edges and avoid contact with the module's chips or conductive leads.
- Locate the first empty DIMM socket. This socket is directly adjacent to the socket containing the existing DIMM module. Refer to Figure 7.

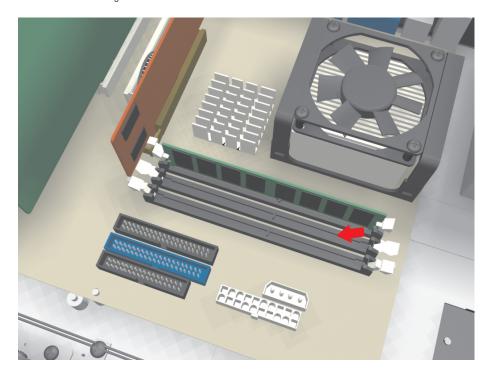


Figure 7. First Empty DIMM Socket

- 3. Align the DIMM module with the socket so that the notch in the module lines up properly with the break in the DIMM socket. Refer to Figure 8.
- 4. Make sure that the white retaining clips are not in the locked position by pressing outward and down on each clip. Refer to Figure 8.

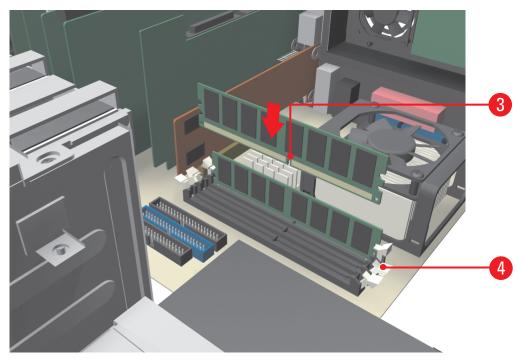


Figure 8. DIMM Module and DIMM Socket Alignment

5. Carefully, but firmly, push the DIMM module into the empty socket until it is properly seated. The module is properly seated when the retaining clips snap back into place as in Figure 9.



**NOTE:** When inserting the DIMM module into the socket, use enough pressure to ensure that the retaining clips snap back into place. Be careful, however, not to use excessive force that might damage the DIMM module or surrounding components.

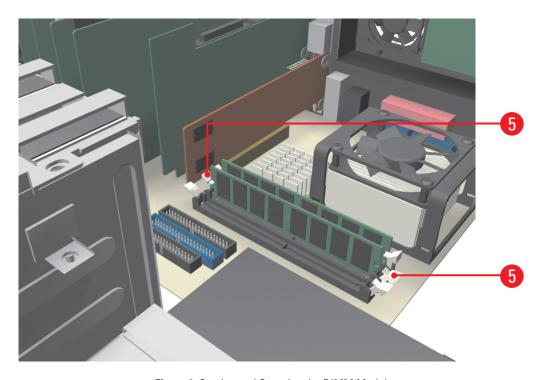


Figure 9. Seating and Securing the DIMM Module

### **Reassemble the Unit**

1. Replace the chassis cover using the same screws you removed from the side and rear of the unit. Refer to Figure 10.

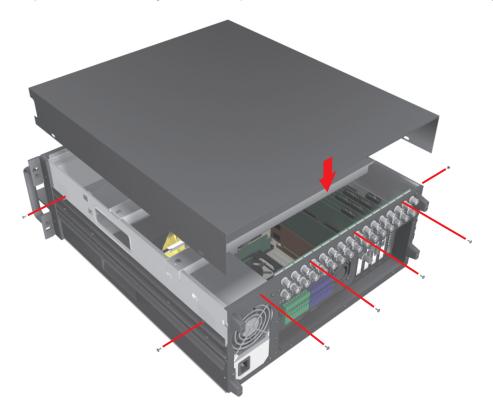


Figure 10. Replacing Chassis Cover

- 2. Attach the silver part label that came in your upgrade kit to the inside of your DVR's front door.
  - a. Remove the paper backing from the part label.
  - b. Carefully place the label, adhesive-side down, on a free section of the inside of the door.
  - c. Press down firmly to ensure that the label properly adheres to the inside of the door.



**NOTE:** In the event that your unit or its components require service, part labels must be present and appropriately affixed to the unit's door. Pelco product support personnel use these labels to identify the exact components installed in your system. A separate part label is required for each upgrade component installed on the DX8000.



Figure 11. Product Label

- 3. Reinstall the unit in a rack enclosure if necessary, and reconnect all cables and peripheral equipment that you removed earlier.
- 4. Plug the power cord back into the power supply and then into the wall.
- 5. Turn on the power switch and allow the unit to start up and find the new memory. This may take several minutes.

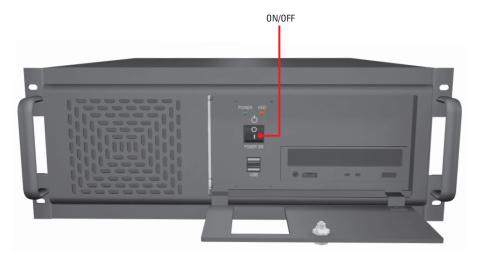


Figure 12. Restarting the Unit

### **Verify Installation of New RAM**

- After the DX8000 application starts, log in as an administrator level user and exit to the Windows® operating system. Refer to the Installation or Operations and Programming manuals that came with your unit for instructions.
- 2. Go to Start > Settings > Control Panel. The Control Panel window appears.

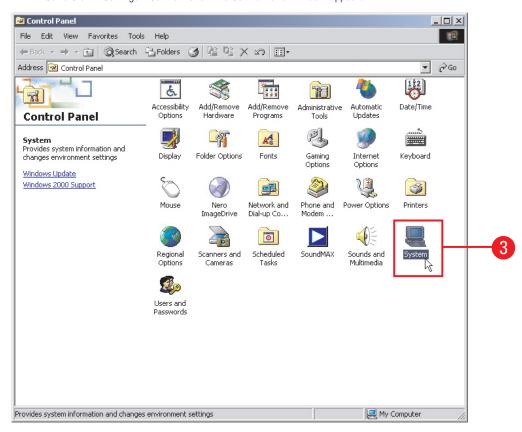


Figure 13. Windows 2000 Control Panel

3. Double-click the System icon.



Figure 14. System Icon

4. Verify that the amount of RAM is now 512 MB. Refer to Figure 15.

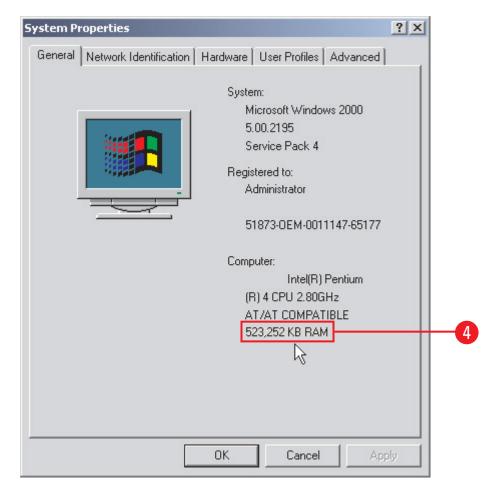


Figure 15. System Properties Dialog Box

- 5. Click OK to exit the System Properties dialog box.
- 6. Go to Start > Programs > DX8000 to start the DX8000 application and return the unit to service.

## **Notes**

#### PRODUCT WARRANTY AND RETURN INFORMATION

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