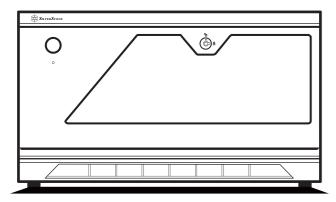


# Case Storage Series

8-bay hot-swappable high performance NAS chassis



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### **Specifications**

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Limitation of CPU cooler 59mm***	Limitation of CPU cooler	59mm***					
Limitation of PSU depth 200mm	Limitation of PSU depth	200mm					
Dimension 400mm (W) x 225mm (H) x 232mm (D)	Dimension	400mm (W) x 225mm (H) x 232mm (D)					
Net Weight 7 KG	Net Weight						
Other Kensington lock		Kensington lock					

- Please note the directionality of MINI SAS cables used, cables such as CPS05-RE is recommended for use with SATA ports on motherboard.
   \*\* MINI SAS HD ports on backplane are not compatible with U.2 ports on
- \*\*\* If CPU cooler used has top-down airflow direction, then the maximum recommended height limit is 49mm, this is to account for at least 10mm of clearance above the CPU fan for sufficient air intake.

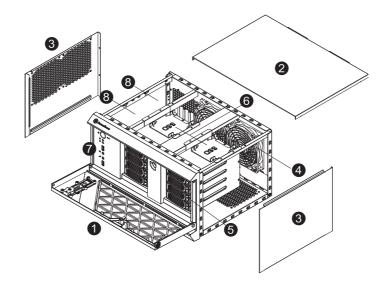
1 Front door 5 3.5" / 2.5" hot-swappable trays

2 Top cover 6 2.5" drive cage

3 Side panels 7 Front panel I/O and indicators

4 120mm fans 8 Left brace mounting holes

for 2.5" drive x 2 or 120mm fan x 2 or 80mm fan x 3



# Front panel IO and indicators

1 Power on switch

4 Power on LED

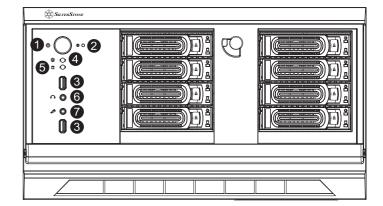
6 HDD activity LED

2 System reset switch

6 Audio

Mic

3 USB-A 3.1 Gen 1



# **Accessories Content**

1 PCIe 8Pin To 6Pin x2 cable

**5** Foot Pad

2 #632 Screw

6 Fan Filter

3 M3 Screw

Manual

4 Ø5x10mm Fan Screw

8 Key

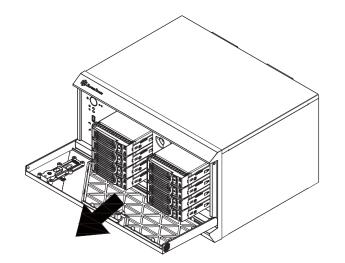
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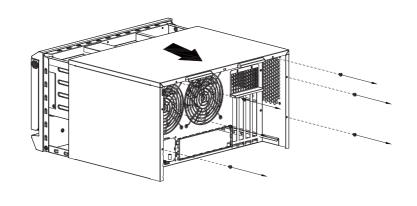
Step 1

Open front door, take all hot-swappable drive trays out

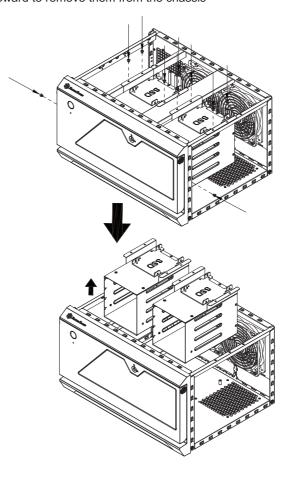


Remove screws from top cover and side panels to remove them

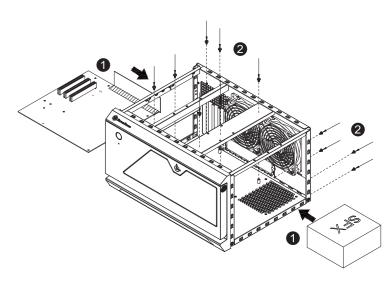




Step 3 Remove screws on hot-swappable drive cages, then pull them upward to remove them from the chassis



Step 4 install SFX power supply and motherboard



Connect all required cables for the motherboard

\*CS381 includes a PCle 8pin to dual PCle 6pin adapter cable for use with the included hot-swappable backplane, which has circuitry to convert +12V power down to +5V for powering hot-swappable drives and requires two PCIe 6pin connectors.

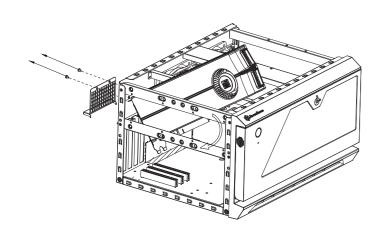
This is designed to mitigate the need for choosing power supplies with large +5V capacity in order to support potentially high amount of drives that the CS381 can support.

\*Please remove Mini SAS HD dust proof cover

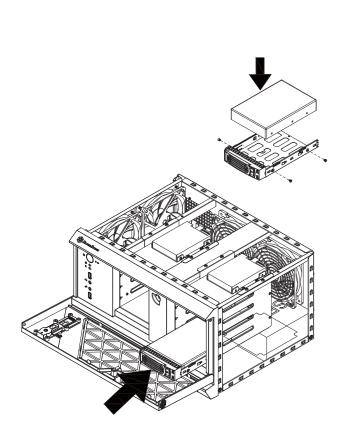
### Step 6

Install graphics cards or expansion cards. If your card exceeds 9.6", we recommend installing from above the chassis at an angle.

- \*\*Expansion card length and width limit and left brace support for components:
- 1. Nothing installed on left brace All expansion slots can support up to 10.5" (266.7mm) long and 4.4" (111mm) wide cards or 9.6" (244mm) long and 7.9" (200mm) wide cards. 2. 120mm fans installed on left brace – Expansion slot 3 & 4 can
- only support up to 3" (77mm) wide cards. (Low profile card recommended)
- 3. 80mm fans installed on left brace Expansion slots 3 & 4 can only support up to 4" (102mm) wide cards. (Low profile card recommended)
- 4. 2.5" drives installed on left brace Expansion slot 4 can only support up to 4.4" (112mm) wide cards. (Low profile card recommended)

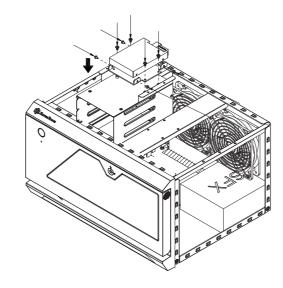


Install 2.5" / 3.5" drives into hot-swappable trays, secure with screws and reinsert the assembled drive tray back into the chassis.

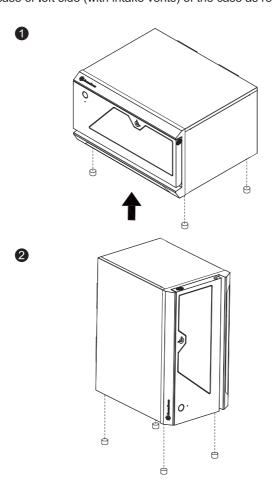


Step 7

Remove 2.5" drive trays, install drives into them and secure with screws. Then reinstall the assembled 2.5" drive trays back onto the hot-swappable drive cages.



Step 12 Finish the installation by sticking the included feet onto the bottom of the case or left side (with intake vents) of the case as required.



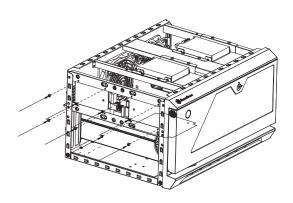
### Step 8

Step 9

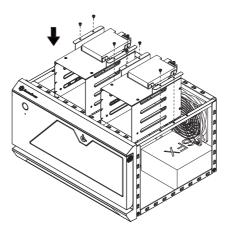
Place hot-swappable drive cages on top of the case first, connect all cables to the backplane, including data cable, power cable, and system fan cables.

## Step 10

(1) Install 2.5" drive, then secure with screws

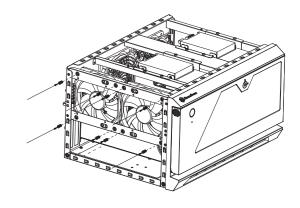


(2) If you need to install 80mm or 120mm fans, please move the lower brace into proper position to install them. Then reinstall side panel back onto the chassis.



Please carefully install the hot-swappable drive cages back into

chassis and be mindful of all the connected cables.



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  (ii) You shall bear the cost of shipping (or otherwise transporting) the product to SilverStone authorized distributors. SilverStone authorized distributors will bear the cost of shipping (or otherwise transporting) the product back to you after completing the warranty service
- (iii) Before you send the product, you must be issued a Return Merchandise Authorization ("RMA") number from SilverStone. Updated warranty information will be posted on SilverStone's official website. Please visit http://www.silverstonetek.com for the latest updates.

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印刷电路板组件	0	0	0	0	0	0
线缆/ 连接器	0	0	0	0	0	0
金属结构件	0	0	0	0	0	0
塑料结构件	0	0	0	0	0	0
风扇	-	0	0	0	0	0
其它	0	0	0	0	0	0
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