



GigaByte Server

Quick Start Guide

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1 Network Configuration

Before capturing packets, some initial configuration is required.

A VGA display and USB keyboard are necessary at first for locally configuring the network. An Ethernet connection to an onboard gigabit interface is also required.

Note: By default, the management Ethernet port is pre-configured for DHCP. If a static IP is needed, you will need to set this during the quick start process.

1. Provide a network connection for remote access to server

Provide an Ethernet connection to Management Port as shown in figure (a).

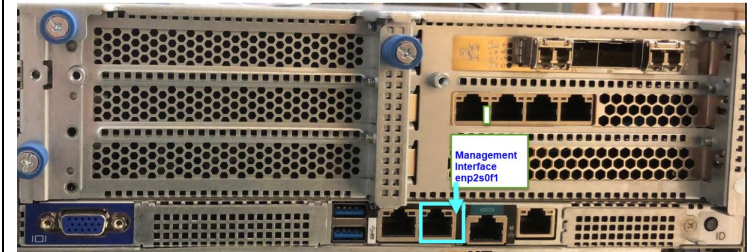

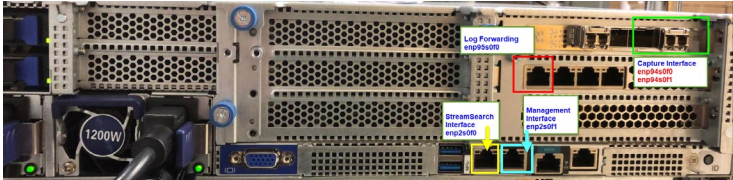


figure (a) Management Port



Back Panel for reference

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| <p>2. Provide network connection(s) for network capture.</p> | <p>Provide 10G network connection to Capture Port as shown in figure (b).</p> <p>Note: Make sure there is traffic being generated over the connections.</p> |  <p>figure (b) Capture Interfaces</p>  <p>Back Panel for reference</p> |
| <p>3. Log in</p> | <p>After booting the system to the OS, login with the following user information: User: <i>continuum</i> Password: Contact Support for password</p> | |
| <p>4. Record the IP Address</p> | <p>Once logged in, open a terminal and enter: #ifconfig This will provide the IP address of the Ethernet port currently connected. Record the IP address. (Note: to set a static IP address, please review the Packet Continuum User Guide.)</p> | <pre>eth0 Link encap:Ethernet HWaddr 00:00:00:00:00:00 inet addr:192.168.1.1 Bcast:192.168.1.255 Mask:255.255.255.0 UP BROADCAST RUNNING MULTICAST MTU:1500 Metric:1 RX packets:276 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 frame:0 TX packets:89 errors:0 dropped:0 overruns:0 carrier:0 collisions:0 txqueuelen:1000 RX bytes:36178 (35.3 KiB) TX bytes:19011 (18.5 KiB)</pre> |
| <p>5. Test connection</p> | <p>To test the connection, ping your internal network or login remotely via SSH on port 22. If there is a successful connection, please go to part 2 of this guide. If not please contact support.</p> | |

2 Start Recording

Now that there is a successful network and/or cluster connection to the system, it's time to begin recording network packets to disk. Using the web interface, the user can begin recording and view statistics about traffic on a network.

1. Start the web interface

Remote Access: On any remote system connected to the network, open a web browser (firefox) and enter the IP address of the system followed by the port# 41390 in the form: <https://<IP Address>:41390>

Local Access: On the VM, click on the Application tab and select internet. Open a web browser (firefox) and enter <https://<localhost>:41390>

2. Log in:

Now you should see the Packet Continuum login screen. By default, a "continuum" account has already been created.

Enter "continuum" for the UserName, and *contact support* for the Password.

