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# CUBRO SMART NIC - OMNIC



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## DATA SHEET

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## Product Highlights

- Sessionmaster on Omnic
- IPFIX and DPI on Omnic
- Software UPF
- SSL/TLS deciphering to offload capture servers
- Inline monitoring in combination with the EX400 Bypass

## Product Overview

Omnia Smart NIC - **Omnic** - is a 25GE/100GE Ethernet Smart Network Card based on a high-performance 24 Core ARM CPU from Marvell. It supports standard PCIe\*16 Gen3.0/Gen-4.0 interface and can be easily plugged into the PCIe slots of commercial data center servers.

While Cubro provides Omnic hardware, it also provides Linux kernel operating systems and development kits. The customer's various DPDK applications, VPP applications and ordinary Linux driver applications originally running on the x86 server can be quickly transplanted to the Omnic with a simple compilation.

This combination of VPP, DPDK and Linux technologies provides a powerful platform for easy and rapid expansions on new or emerging business applications and hence allows cloud data center administrators to build up their highly-efficient, highly-intelligent and highly-flexible networks operations while at the same time, minimize computing resource consumption in their data center servers and optimize their overall cost of operations.



Omnic

## Key Product Features

- 4 Ports of 25Gbps SFP28 or 2 Ports of 100Gbps QSFP28 Interfaces: With upto 100Gbps processing of network functional services
- High-performance DPU chip, up to 24-core high-performance ARM processor, integrated various hardware acceleration coprocessors (such as hardware encryption and decryption coprocessors, compression and decompression coprocessors, etc.)
- Host Software Supports: DPDK & VPP driver
- SNIC Firmware Supports: Standard Linux kernel & container environment, DPDK and VPP driver
- Large Capacity ACL & Connection Tables: Support over 10 Million concurrent sessions with 64GB internal memory
- SSL Offload Acceleration: With asymmetric & symmetric crypto engines
- Dedicated OOB Port - For independent network management functions
- Cost Efficient: ~1/3 of the cost of comparative-performance FPGA-based NICs
- Rapid CI/CD Supports: With online NIC firmware upgrade through the PCIe interface

## Product Specifications

Category		OMNIC-425-MAU	OMNIC-2100-MAU
Interface	Network Interface	4*25GE SFP28	2*100GE QSFP28
	Host Interface	PCIe*16 Gen3.0/Gen4.0	
	Management Interface	1*Console Micro USB, 1*GE RJ45 OOB Port	
Power & Dimension	Power Consumption	60W	
	Dimension (W*H*D,mm)	111.15mm*21.8mm*167.65mm	111.15mm*21.8mm*184.16mm
	Weight (kg)	0.8	
	Operating Temperature	0~35°C	
	Operating Humidity	10%~90%(non-condensing)	

Core CPU	Architecture	DPU
	Part Number	CN96XX
	Number of Processor Cores	24
	Core Clock Frequency	1.8GHz
	Number of CPU Part	1
	Cache Capacity (MB)	L2 5MB, L3 14MB
Memory & Storage	Memory Capacity	Single memory 8GB, 16GB or 32GB, configurable up to 2
	Memory Type	DDR4 ECC SODIMM
	Memory Capacity Expansion	64GB
	Flash Storage (GB)	32GB/64GB EMMC 5.1

## Application Scenarios

- For Cloud Data Center Applications
  - OVS Offload
  - OVS Offload + 3rd-Party Applications
  - VxLAN (VTEP) Offload
  - ECN/QCN/DCTCP/NVMEoF(TCP) Offload
  - Virtual NPB for VM/Container
  - Virtual Inband Network Telemetry
- For MEC & Gateway Applications
  - 5G UPF Offload
  - eBPF Offload
  - SSL Offload
  - Gateway NFV(vLB/vFW/vR) Offload
  - User-Defined ACL Rules for Enhanced Network Security

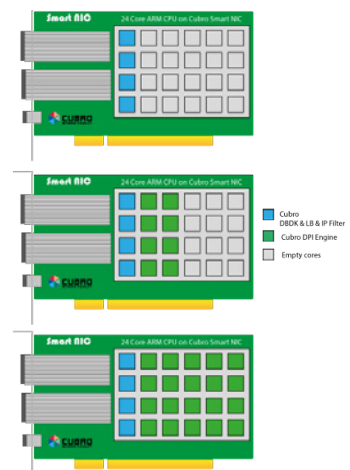


Network Services	Storage Services	Computer Services
Packet Processing  SDN/NFV  	NVMe  Raid/EC  De-Dupe  Key Value Pair   	      

Cubro provides a complete development kits support, customers can flexibly combine functions according to the actual functional requirements of their own networks to meet the deployment needs in different environments, just like people install various APPs on their mobile phones according to their own preferences.

## Cubro DPDK software stack

Cubro offers a DPDK-based software stack that utilizes 24 ARM cores on the CPU for optimal performance. It includes load-balancing capabilities for packet reception and distribution, filtering functionality, and the ability to leverage additional cores for tasks such as DPI metadata extraction. The software stack also supports integration with third-party applications like Zeek and Suricata, although this may require additional development efforts as they are not plug-and-play solutions.

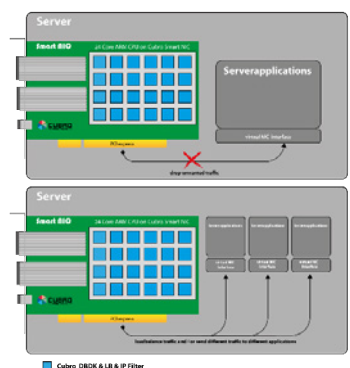


## L4 Filtering on Omnic

The Omnic efficiently filters traffic, ensuring seamless handling by the monitoring software.

The connection to the software is established through a virtual NIC interface, allowing the smart NIC to remain fully transparent to the application.

The user benefits from capabilities such as dropping unwanted traffic, load balancing traffic and sending traffic to different applications.

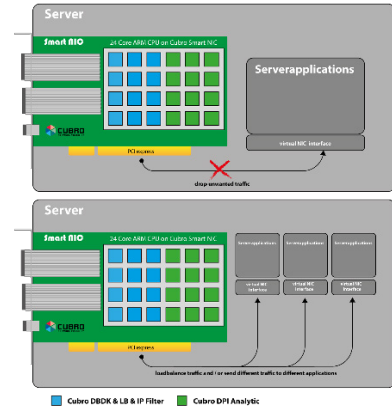


## L7 Application Filtering on Omnic

In this version the DPI engine provides metadata to perform application filtering. (Youtube, Netflix, etc.)

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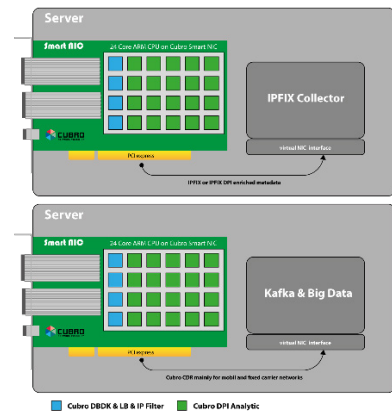


## IPFIX and DPI on Omnic

The Omnic provides DPI enriched IPFIX Metadata. This information is forwarded via a virtual NIC interface to any application running on this server, virtual or non-virtual.

This offloads the server by generating the flows and provides higher performance to the application.

There are two options, internal over the PCI Bus or external over the standard NIC



## Ordering Information

CUB.OMNIC-425-MAU	Omic 425 NIC Card 4x25G including Mobile application User plane license
CUB.OMNIC-425-CU	Omic 425 NIC Card 4x25G including Custos license
CUB.OMNIC-425-IF	Omic 425 NIC Card 4x25G including IPFIX + DPI enriched license
CUB.OMNIC-2100-MAU	Omic 2100 NIC Card 2x100G including Mobile application User plane license
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