Unpacking, Installation, and Customization

NetShelter WX Cabinet

AR100 AR100HD

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Unpacking

Unpack the cabinet

WARNING

HEAVY EQUIPMENT HAZARD

At least two (2) people are required to move and unpack this equipment. Failure to follow these instructions can result in death, or serious injury.

- 1. Move the shipping pallet to a firm, level surface. Inspect the packaging for signs of shipping damage. If you detect any shipping damage, contact Customer Support at **www.apc.com**.
- 2. Open the cardboard box and remove the four foam corner protectors.
- 3. With one person on each side of the cabinet, carefully lift the cabinet assembly out of the box and set it on the floor.

NOTE: Save the packaging if you intend to re-ship the cabinet.

Please Recycle



The shipping materials are recyclable. Save them for later use, or dispose of them appropriately.

Description

APC by Schneider Electric NetShelter[™] Wall-mount cabinets provide storage for industry-standard (EIA/ECA-310) 482 mm (19 in) rack-mount hardware, including voice, data, networking, and inter-networking equipment.

NetShelter WX Cabinet

Model	Rack Mounting Height	Rack Mounting Width	External cabinet Width	Description
AR100	13 U [†]	482 mm (19 in) 584.2 mm (23 in	584.2 mm (23 in)	Cabinet with glass door and M6 tapped mounting rails
AR100HD			304.2 mm (23 m)	Cabinet with vented door and M6 tapped mounting rails
[†] One U= 44	1.45 mm (1.7	75 in)		

This fully reversible unit has the following features:

- Storage height for 482 mm (19 in) rack-mount equipment
- Smoked, tempered glass front door (AR100) or fully vented front door (AR100HD)
- · Solid rear door with keyholes for wall-mounting
- · Locks on front and back doors
- · Double hinge design provides front and rear access to installed equipment
- · Adjustable front mounting rails with #12-24 tapped holes or square cage nut holes
- · Fixed rear mounting rails with square cage nut holes
- Perforated side panel for side-to-side air flow.

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Inventory

Verify the inventory

Unpack the cabinet. Verify that all required components and hardware have been shipped.

NOTE: If any items are missing, contact the shipper to file a report. Then contact APC by Schneider Electric Customer Support at **www.apc.com**.

Component Identification

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Cage nut tool



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Bear door

Configuration

Before installing your cabinet, plan the location and arrangement of components within the cabinet based on the available space.

Door locks

The front and back doors of the unit have locks. The front door uses a key lock ①, and the back door uses two locking rods ② that are accessible from the front of the unit. Use a small flat tip screwdriver to remove each locking rod.



Cable access

The back door of the cabinet has eight (8) openings for cable access: three (3) in the top of the door ①, one (1) in either side of the door ②, and three (3) in the bottom of the door ③. Each opening has an adjustable plastic cap for cable access.



For unrestricted access to the back of the cabinet when the standard openings are insufficient, remove the six (6) screws securing the access plate to the bottom of the rear door.



Reversing the cabinet

You can reverse the cabinet to accommodate various configurations. Turn it over so that the doors open in the opposite direction.



Mounting rails

This cabinet has square holes for using cage nuts and round #12-24 tapped holes for screws. You can reverse the front mounting rails to use either set of holes. You can also adjust the depth of the front rails to accommodate your equipment.

See "Reverse the mounting rails" on page 6 and "Adjust the depth of the front mounting rails" on page 7.



Reverse the mounting rails

To reverse the front mounting rails, you must remove the locking rods, which are threaded through the upper and lower holes in the rail on the lock side of the cabinet, as shown.

- 1. Each rod is held in place by a locking nut at the back of the cabinet. Use a 10 mm wrench to hold the nuts while you use a small flat tip screwdriver to remove the locking rods.
- 2. Remove the rods from the cabinet.

- 3. Use a Phillips head screwdriver to remove the screws at the top and bottom of both rails.
- 4. Turn the rails over so that the upper and lower holes are facing the front of the cabinet.
- 5. Adjust the depth of the rails as required. See step 2 and step 3 of "Adjust the depth of the front mounting rails" on page 7.
- 6. Re-insert the locking rod through the holes at the top and bottom of the rail. Use the nuts to secure the locking rods in place. Use a small flat tip screwdriver to lock the rear door.



Adjust the depth of the front mounting rails

- 1. Use a Phillips head screwdriver to remove the screws in the front mounting rail.
- 2. Reposition the mounting rail to the front or back of the cabinet in one of the seven available positions.
- 3. Replace and tighten the screws in the highest and lowest holes.



Assemble the Cabinet

WARNING

TIP HAZARD

To prevent the unit from tipping or becoming unstable, install the rubber feet or securely mount it to the wall before installing any components.

Failure to follow these instructions can result in death, serious injury, or equipment damage.

Attach the rubber feet

- 1. Move the cabinet to a level location.
- 2. Close the back door 1.
- Using a flat tip screwdriver, turn the locking rods clockwise to lock the back door 2.
- 4. Close the front door and secure it by turning the handle clockwise.



- 5. Lay the cabinet on its side.
- 6. Attach the rubber feet with the supplied screws.
- 7. Set the cabinet upright.



Mount the Cabinet to a Wall

There are four keyhole cutouts on the back door that will accommodate up to a 0.953 mm (3/8 in) bolt. The holes are on standard 406.4 mm (16 in) centers horizontally, and 533 mm (21 in) centers vertically. Use the included template with a level to position the cabinet properly.

Use appropriate fasteners to secure the cabinet to the wall. For the weight of the cabinet and its maximum weight capacity, see "Specifications" on page 11.



Place Equipment in the Cabinet

For specific information on how to mount rack equipment in the cabinet, see the installation instructions supplied with the equipment.

NOTE: APC by Schneider Electric Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS) products should be mounted in the bottom of the cabinet. The UPS products will rest on the bottom cross-members of the cabinet.

Identifying one U-space

To install most equipment, you must locate the top and bottom of a U-space on the mounting rails. This cabinet has square holes for using cage nuts and round #12-24 tapped holes for screws. For the cage nuts and the tapped holes, the narrower space above and below each set of the three mounting holes indicates the top and bottom of a U-space.



Installing equipment

- 1. Review the equipment manufacturer's installation instructions.
- 2. Locate the top and bottom U-space on the mounting rails.
- 3. Install the cage nuts on the interior of the mounting rails, unless you are using the tapped holes. Then install the equipment.

Cage nuts



To install a cage nut:

- 1. From the inside of the enclosure insert the cage nut into the square hole by hooking a tab from one side of the cage nut onto one side of the opening.
- 2. Place the cage nut tool onto the tab on the opposite side of the cage nut and pull to snap it into position.

To remove a cage nut: Squeeze the tabs together to release.



Specifications

Item	Measurement
Height	662 mm (26.07 in)
Width	584 mm (23.00 in)
Depth	631 mm (24.86 in)
Maximum equipment depth	482.60 mm (19.00 in)
Net weight	42.73 kg (94.00 lb)
Equipment weight capacity	90.9 kg (200.00 lb)
Ventilation (front door)	143 870.70 mm ² (223.00 in ²)
Ventilation (side panel)	170 772 mm ² (264.6971 in ²) of perforated area X ~45.22% open = 77 222.37 mm ² (119.695in ²)
Ventilation (glass front door)	15 483.84 mm ² (24.00 in ²)
Mounting space (without fan tray installed)	13 U or 577.85 mm (22.75 in)

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