Ausrack® Plus 19” rack cabinets designed to comply with SSI Specifications

The SSI specification is an expansion of the EIA-310-D standard set by the Electronic Industries Association. It is a voluntary specification signed by all major server manufacturers, some of which include Dell®, HP® and IBM®. It defines rack dimensions to which a company can manufacture their equipment. The table and diagram on page 65 outlines the compliance specification in detail and provides a representation of B&R’s Ausrack Plus product offer.

19" Rack Specification

A rack’s mounting fixture consists of two parallel metal strips (referred to as “rails”) standing vertically. The rails are separated by a gap of 450mm (17.72 inch) and are a minimum of 16.7 mm (0.657 inch) wide, giving an overall rack width of 482.6mm or 19”, as the name suggests.

The rails have holes at regular intervals, with both rails matching, so that each hole is part of a horizontal pair with a centre to centre distance of 465mm (18.3 inch). The holes are arranged vertically in repeating sets of three, with centre to centre separations of 12.7 mm (0.5 inch), 15.875mm (0.625 inch) and 15.875mm. The hole pattern repeats every 44.45mm (1.75 inches).

Racks are divided into regions that are 44.45mm in height. Within this region, commonly referred to as an “RU” or “U”, there are three complete hole pairs in a vertically symmetrical pattern that are centred 6.4mm (0.25 inches), 22.2mm (0.875 inches) and 38.1mm (1.5 inches) from the top or bottom of the RU.
### Technical Drawings

**Dimensional Specifications**

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### Technical Drawings

**Front View**

- **Detail A**: EIA Keep Out Dimension ≥ 16.7
- **Detail B**: EIA Keep Out Dimension ≥ 50
- **Detail C**: Front Cabinet Aperture ≥ 450
- **Detail D**: Hole-to-hole Spacing 465 +/- 1.6
- **Detail E**: Panel/Bezel Aperture ≥ 483.4
- **Detail F**: RU Dimension 44.45
- **Detail G**: Mounting Hole Dimension 9.5 +/- 1.0
- **–**: Rail Thickness ≥ 1.9

**Ausrack Plus figures shown are typical**

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