

# Technical Note

**TITLE:** IDE Devices on the Tecra Series/DeskStation V+

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Accessory

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## INFORMATION:

Subject: IDE devices on the Tecra Series/DeskStation V+

If an EIDE HDD is being installed in the DSV+ , the CD-ROM cannot be in the SelectBay of the DSV+.

If there is an IDE device in the SelectBay of the docking station, the IDE device in the 5.25" drive bay is not functional. When trying to use the factory CD-ROM, a floppy, a HDD in the 5.25" bay, the CD-ROM must be in the SelectBay of the Notebook.

Although there are 3 locations to install HDD's, (Internal, SelectBay in the Notebook, SelectBay/5.25"Bay in DSV+) it is not possible to have 3 hard drives working simultaneously. The one installed in the 5.25" drive bay will not be functional.

In short: Only 1 IDE CD-ROM will work at any given time.

Only 1 floppy drive will work at any given time. No more than 2 HDD's will work simultaneously.

A maximum of 3 IDE devices(2 in the PC, 1 in the DSV+) will work together although there are 4 places to install IDE devices.

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