

## PCI Express to 2 PCI & 2 PCIe Expansion Enclosure System - Full Length

StarTech ID: PEX2PCIE4L



The PEX2PCIE4L PCI/PCI Express Expansion Chassis provides a quick and simple I/O expansion solution to almost any PCI Express (PCIe) enabled system. Adding PCI/PCIe cards to a server or workstation, or providing a platform to swap cards between a mobile and desktop setup is a cost-effective and time-saving solution for maximizing the I/O capabilities of your system.

The external expansion chassis adds two full-length (38cm) PCI slots (32-bit/33MHz), as well as two PCIe x1 (single-lane) slots to a host computer through a single PCI Express connection. Providing total bandwidth up to 250MBps from the PCIe x1 host controller card allows the computer to function as though the expansion chassis cards were connected directly to the motherboard.

For mobile applications, the Expansion Chassis can be connected to an ExpressCard- enabled laptop using the StarTech.com [ExpressCard connection cable](#) (EC2PCI), eliminating the added expense of purchasing different card adapters for the laptop.

Backed by a StarTech.com 2-year warranty and free lifetime technical support.

### Applications

- Ideal for system testers, and engineers who regularly swap out PCI or PCIe I/O cards
- Expand an existing systems PCI and PCI Express I/O capabilities
- Expand a laptops PCI and PCI Express I/O capabilities by purchasing the optional EC2PCI adapter cable
- Add full-length or full-height cards to a small form factor system
- Provide PCI support to systems with only PCIe slots

## Features

- Expansion bay providing 2 PCI ports (32-bit/33 MHz), and 2 PCIe single-lane ports (250MBps)
- Self-powered PCI/PCIe expansion system with an on/off button
- Rugged steel construction satisfies demands of industrial and server environments
- Support for both 5V and 3.3V add-in full-length cards
- Complies with PCI 2.3 and PCIe 1.1 specifications
- Supports advance error reporting including ECRC support
- Support add-in cards with extended length (38cm)

Technical Specifications

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| Warranty                   | 2 Years   |
| Bus Type                   | PCI Express   |
| Card Type                  | Standard Profile (LP bracket incl.)   |
| Chipset ID                 | Texas Instruments - XIO200A + XIO3130   |
| Interface                  | PCI / PCI-X (5 / 3.3V)  |
| Port Style                 | Integrated on Card  |
| Maximum Data Transfer Rate | 250 MBps  |
| Connector Type(s)          | 1 - PCI Express x1 Male   |
| External Ports             | 2 - PCI / PCI-X (Universal 3.3 & 5V; 32-bit) Slot Female  |
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| OS Compatibility           | OS Independent; No additional drivers or software required  |
| <b>Note</b>                | The Maximum power consumption of the adapter cards used in this expansion box is 36W. Cards might not function if their total power exceeds the maximum power consumption |
| <b>Note</b>                | This product has a compatibility issue with Silicon Image SATA Controllers on an AMD platform   |
| Color                      | Black   |
| Enclosure Type             | Steel   |
| Product Height             | 5.6 in [143 mm]   |
| Product Length             | 15 in [382 mm]  |
| Product Weight             | 4.4 lb [2 kg]   |
| Product Width              | 5.4 in [137 mm]   |
| Center Tip Polarity        | Positive  |
| Input Voltage              | 115 ~ 230 AC  |
| Output Current             | 3A  |
| Output Voltage             | 12 DC   |
| Plug Type                  | M   |
| Power Source               | AC Adapter Included   |
| Humidity                   | 5 to 95% RH   |
| Operating Temperature      | 0°C to 55°C (32°F to 131°F)   |
| Storage                    | -40°C to 75°C (-40° to 167°F)   |

Temperature

Shipping (Package) Weight 4.6 lb [2.1 kg]

Included in Package 1 - PCI Expansion box

Included in Package 1 - PCI Express Card

Included in Package 1 - 3 ft. DVI-D Cable

Included in Package 1 - Low Profile Bracket

Included in Package 1 - Screw Kit

Included in Package 3 - Power Cord (NA/UK/EU)

Included in Package 1 - Power Adapter

Included in Package 1 - Software CD

Included in Package 1 - Instruction Manual

Certifications, Reports and Compatibility

