



Electrical Cards

This chapter describes Cisco ONS 15454 electrical card features and functions. For installation and card turn-up procedures, refer to the *Cisco ONS 15454 Procedure Guide*. For information on the electrical interface assemblies (EIAs), see the “[1.5 Electrical Interface Assemblies](#)” section on page 1-14.

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3.1 Electrical Card Warnings



Warning

Do not directly touch the backplane with your hand or any metal tool, or you could shock yourself.



Caution

When working with cards, wear the supplied ESD wristband to avoid ESD damage to the card. Plug the wristband cable into the ESD jack located on the lower-right outside edge of the shelf assembly.



Note

Each card is marked with a symbol that corresponds to a slot (or slots) on the ONS 15454 shelf assembly. The cards are then installed into slots displaying the same symbols. See the “[1.13.1 Card Slot Requirements](#)” section on page 1-38 for a list of slots and symbols.

3.2 EC1-12 Card

The EC1-12 card provides 12 Telcordia-compliant, GR-253 STS-1 electrical ports per card. Each port operates at 51.840 Mbps over a single 75 ohm 728A or equivalent coaxial span.

STS path selection for UNEQ-P, AIS-P, and bit error rate (BER) thresholds is done on the SONET ring interfaces (optical cards) in conjunction with the STS cross-connect. The EC1-12 terminates but does not select the 12 working STS-1 signals from the backplane. The EC1-12 maps each of the 12 received EC1 signals into 12 STS-1s with visibility into the SONET path overhead.

An EC1-12 card can be 1:1 protected with another EC1-12 card but cannot protect more than one EC1-12 card. You must install the EC1-12 in an even-numbered slot to serve as a working card and in an odd-numbered slot to serve as a protect card.

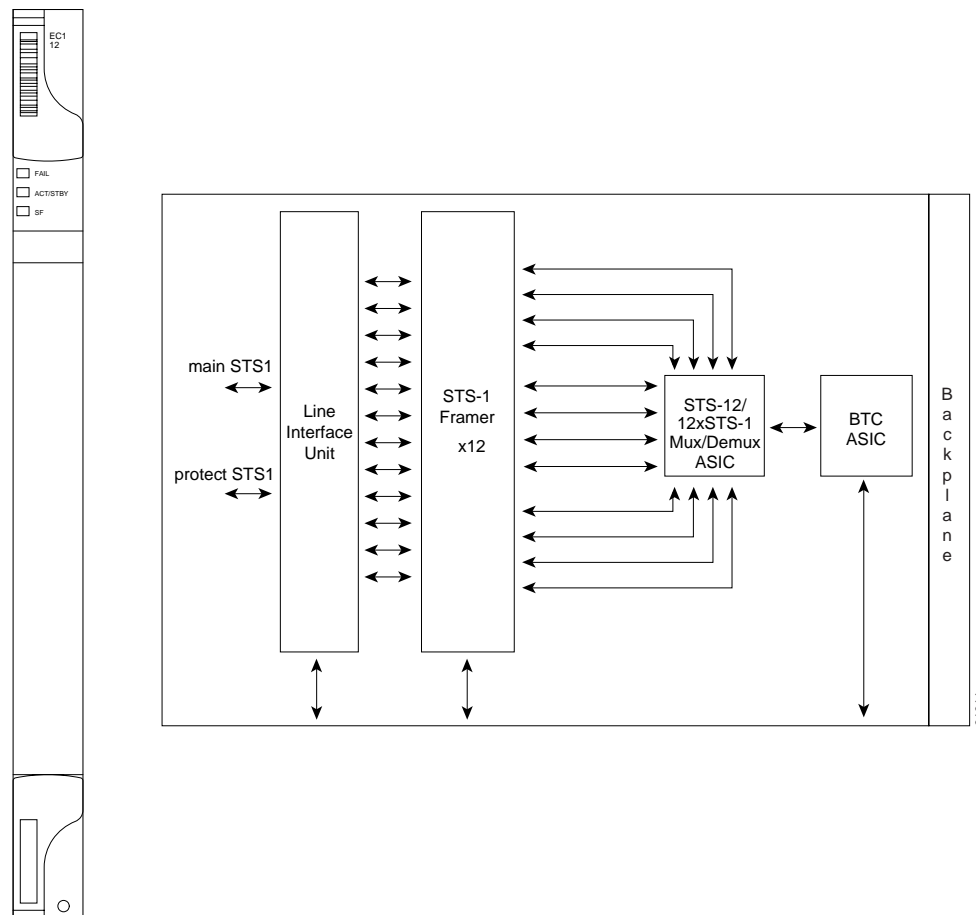
3.2.1 EC1-12 Slots and Connectors

You can install the EC1-12 card in Slots 1 to 6 or 12 to 17 (multispeed or high-speed card slot) on the ONS 15454. Each EC1-12 interface features DSX-level (digital signal cross-connect frame) outputs supporting distances up to 450 feet (137 meters) depending on facility conditions.

3.2.2 EC1-12 Faceplate and Block Diagram

Figure 3-1 shows the EC1-12 faceplate and a block diagram of the card.

Figure 3-1 EC1-12 Faceplate and Block Diagram



3.2.3 EC1-12 Hosted by XC, XCVT, or XC10G

All 12 STS-1 payloads from an EC1-12 card are carried to the XC, XCVT, or XC10G card where the payload is further aggregated for efficient transport. XC and XCVT cards can host a maximum of 288 bidirectional STS-1s. XC10G can host up to 1152 bidirectional STS-1s.

3.2.4 EC1-12 Card-Level Indicators

The EC1-12 card faceplate has three card-level LEDs, see [Table 3-1](#).

Table 3-1 EC1-12 Card-Level Indicators

Card-Level Indicators	Description
Red FAIL LED	The red FAIL LED signifies that the EC1-12 card's processor is not ready. Replace the unit if the FAIL LED persists.
Green ACT LED	The green ACT LED indicates that the EC1-12 card is operational and ready to carry traffic.
Amber SF LED	The amber SF LED indicates a signal failure or condition such as loss of signal (LOS), loss of frame (LOF) or high bit error rate (BER) on one or more of the card's ports.

3.2.5 EC1-12 Port-Level Indicators

You can obtain the status of the EC1-12 card ports using the LCD screen on the ONS 15454 fan-tray. Use the LCD to view the status of any port or card slot; the screen displays the number and severity of alarms for a given port or slot.

3.2.6 EC1-12 Specifications

The EC1-12 card specifications are shown in [Table 3-2 on page 3-4](#).

Table 3-2 EC1-12 Card Specifications

Specification Type	Description
EC1-12 Input	Bit Rate: 51.84 Mbps +/- 20 ppm Frame Format: SONET Line Code: B3ZS Termination: Unbalanced coaxial cable Input Impedance: 75 ohms +/-5% Cable Loss: Max 450 ft. 734A, RG-59, 728A/Max 79 ft. RG-179 AIS: TR-TSY-000191-compliant
EC1-12 Output	Bit Rate: 51.84 Mbps +/- 20 ppm Frame Format: SONET Line Code: B3ZS Termination: Unbalanced coaxial cable Input Impedance: 75 ohms +/-5% Cable Loss: Max 450 ft. 734A, RG-59, 728A/Max 79 ft. RG-179 AIS: TR-TSY-000191-compliant Power Level: -1.8 - +5.7 dBm Pulse Shape: ANSI T1.102-1988 Figure 8 Pulse Amplitude: 0.36 - 0.85 V peak to peak Loopback Modes: Terminal and Facility Line Build Out: 0-225 ft.; 226-450 ft.
EC1-12 Electrical Interface	Connectors: BNC or SMB
Operating Temperature	C-Temp (15454-EC1-12): 0 to +55 degrees Celsius I-Temp (15454-EC1-12-T): -40 to +65 degrees Celsius Note The I-Temp symbol is displayed on the faceplate of an I-Temp compliant card. A card without this symbol is C-Temp compliant.
Operating Humidity	5 - 95%, non-condensing
Power Consumption	36.60 W, 0.76 amps, 124.97 BTU/Hr.
Dimensions	Height: 12.650 in. Width: 0.716 in. Depth: 9.000 in. Card Weight: 2.0 lbs, 0.9 kg
Compliance	ONS 15454 cards, when installed in a system, comply with these standards: Safety: UL 1950, CSA C22.2 No. 950, EN 60950, IEC 60950

3.3 DS1-14 and DS1N-14 Cards

The ONS 15454 DS1-14 card provides 14 Telcordia-compliant, GR-499 DS-1 ports. Each port operates at 1.544 Mbps over a 100 ohm twisted-pair copper cable. The DS1-14 card can function as a working or protect card in 1:1 protection schemes and as a working card in 1:N protection schemes.

The DS1-14 card supports 1:1 protection. The DS1-14 can be a working card in a 1:N protection scheme with the proper backplane EIA and wire-wrap or AMP Champ connectors. You can also provision the DS1-14 to monitor for line and frame errors in both directions.

You can group and map DS1-14 card traffic in STS-1 increments to any other card in an ONS 15454 except DS-3 cards. Each DS-1 is asynchronously mapped into a SONET VT1.5 payload and the card carries a DS-1 payload intact in a VT1.5. For performance monitoring purposes, you can gather bidirectional DS-1 frame-level information (loss of frame, parity errors, cyclic redundancy check [CRC] errors, etc.).

3.3.1 DS1N-14 Features and Functions

The DS1N-14 card supports the same features as the DS1-14 card in addition to enhanced protection schemes. The DS1N-14 is capable of 1:N ($N \leq 5$) protection with the proper backplane EIA and wire-wrap or AMP Champ connectors. The DS1N-14 card can function as a working or protect card in 1:1 or 1:N protection schemes.

3.3.2 DS1-14 and DS1N-14 Slots and Connectors

- DS1-14

You can install the DS1-14 card in Slots 1 to 6 or 12 to 17 on the ONS 15454. Each DS1-14 port has DSX-level (digital signal cross-connect frame) outputs supporting distances up to 655 feet.

- DS1N-14

If you use the DS1N-14 as a standard DS-1 card in a 1:1 protection group, you can install the DS1N-14 card in Slots 1 to 6 or 12 to 17 on the ONS 15454. If you use the card's 1:N functionality, you must install a DS1N-14 card in Slots 3 and 15. Each DS1N-14 port features DSX-level outputs supporting distances up to 655 feet depending on facility conditions.

3.3.3 DS1-14 and DS1N-14 Faceplate and Block Diagram

[Figure 3-2 on page 3-6](#) shows the DS1-14 faceplate and the block diagram of the card.

Figure 3-2 DS1-14 Faceplate and Block Diagram

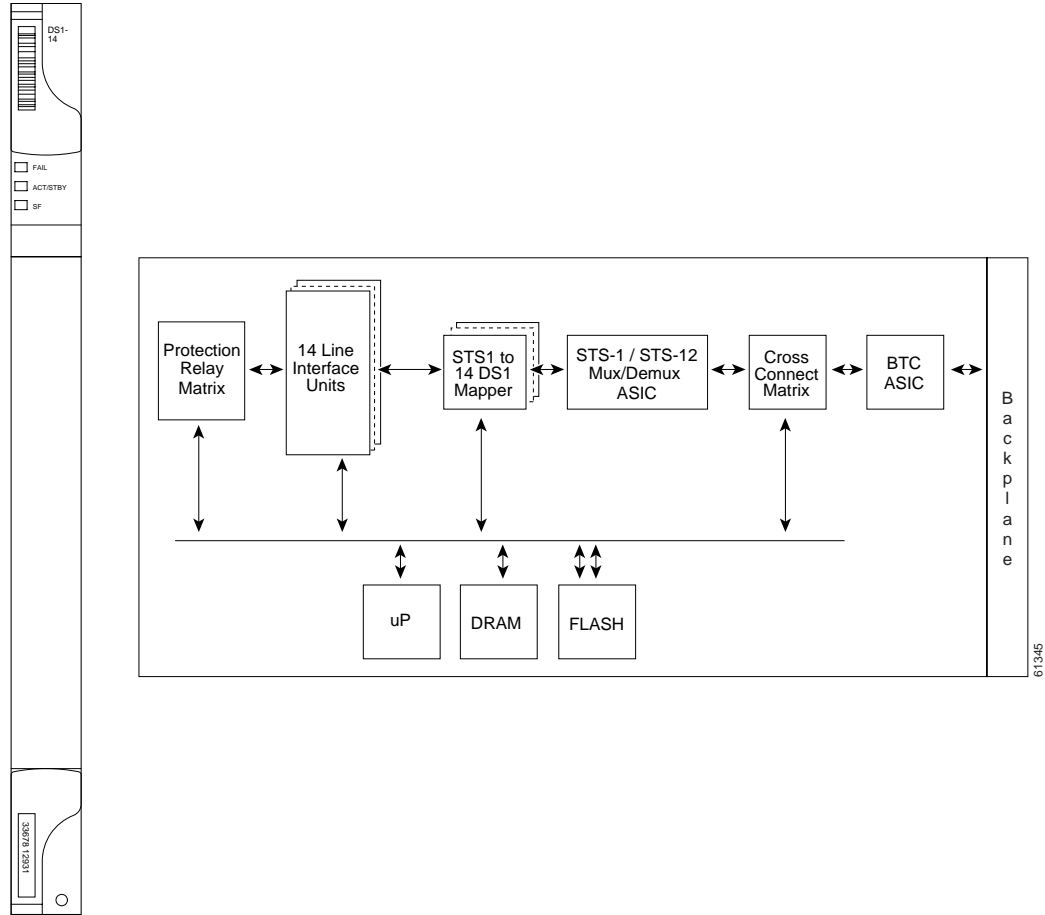
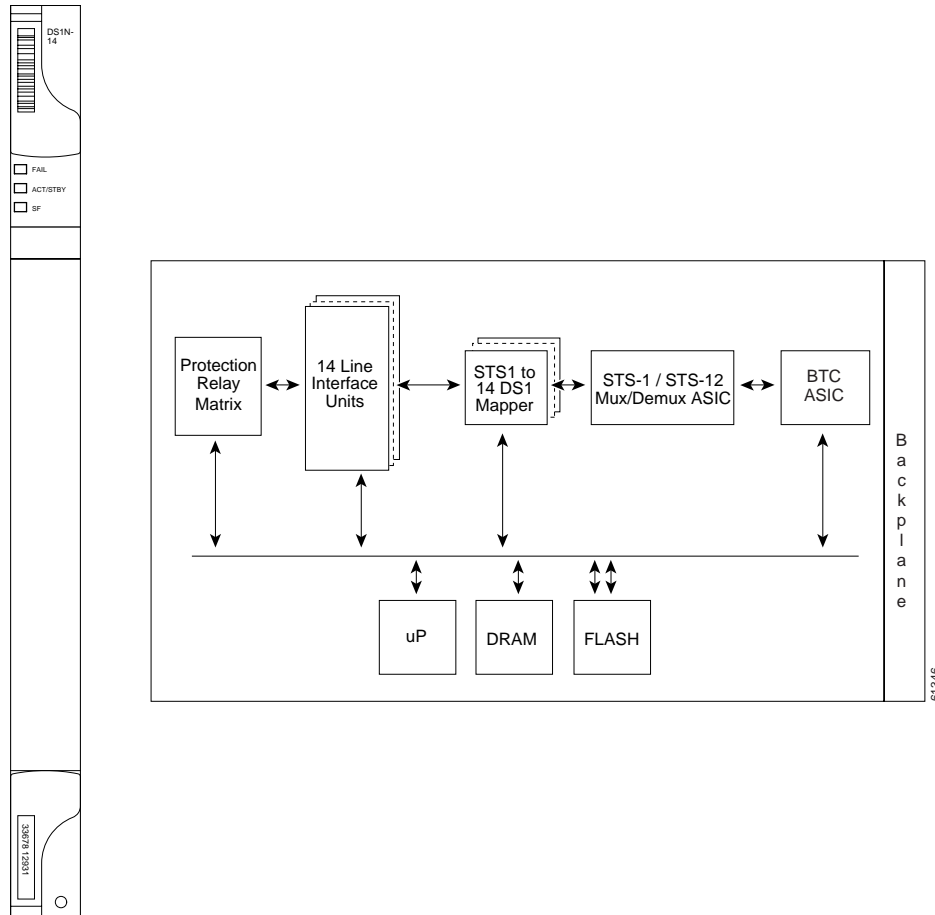


Figure 3-3 on page 3-7 shows the DS1N-14 faceplate and a block diagram of the card.

Figure 3-3 DS1N-14 Faceplate and Block Diagram



3.3.4 DS1-14 and DS1N-14 Hosted by the Cross-Connect

All 14 VT1.5 payloads from DS1-14 and DS1N-14 cards are carried in a single STS-1 to the XCVT or XC10G card where the payload is further aggregated for efficient STS-1 transport. The XC10G and XCVT cards manage up to 336 bidirectional VT1.5 ports.

3.3.5 DS1-14 and DS1N-14 Card-Level Indicators

The DS1-14 and DS1N-14 card faceplate has three LEDs shown in [Table 3-3 on page 3-8](#).

Table 3-3 DS1-14 and DS1N-14 Card-Level Indicators

Card-Level Indicators	Description
Red FAIL LED	The red FAIL LED indicates that the card's processor is not ready. Replace the card if the red FAIL LED persists.
ACT/STBY LED Green (Active) Amber (Standby)	The green/amber ACT/STBY LED indicates whether the DS1-14 card is operational and ready to carry traffic (green) or in standby mode (amber).
Amber SF LED	The amber SF LED indicates a signal failure or condition such as LOS, LOF or high BERs on one or more of the card's ports.

3.3.6 DS1-14 and DS1N-14 Port-Level Indicators

You can obtain the status of the DS1-14 and DS1N-14 card ports using the LCD screen on the ONS 15454 fan-tray assembly. Use the LCD to view the status of any port or card slot; the screen displays the number and severity of alarms for a given port or slot.

3.3.7 DS1-14 and DS1N-14 Specifications

[Table 3-4 on page 3-9](#) shows the DS1-14 and DS1N-14 card specifications.

Table 3-4 DS1-14 and DS1N-14 Card Specifications

Specification Type	Description
DS1-14/DS1N-14 Input	<p>Bit Rate: 1.544 Mbps +/- 32 ppm</p> <p>Frame Format: Off, SF (D4), ESF</p> <p>Line Code: AMI, B8ZS</p> <p>Termination: Wire-wrap, AMP Champ</p> <p>Input Impedance: 100 ohms</p> <p>Cable Loss: Max 655 ft. ABAM #22 AWG</p> <p>AIS: TR-TSY-000191-compliant</p>
DS1-14/DS1N-14 Output	<p>Bit Rate: 1.544 Mbps +/- 32 ppm</p> <p>Frame Format: Off, SF (D4), ESF</p> <p>Line Code: AMI, B8ZS</p> <p>Termination: Wire-wrap, AMP Champ</p> <p>Input Impedance: 100 ohms</p> <p>Cable Loss: Max 655 ft. ABAM #22 AWG</p> <p>AIS: TR-TSY-000191-compliant</p> <p>Power Level: 12.5 to 17.9 dBm centered @ 772 KHz, -16.4 to -11.1 dBm centered at 1544 KHz</p> <p>Pulse Shape: GR-499-CORE Figure 9-5</p> <p>Pulse Amplitude: 2.4- 3.6 V peak-to-peak</p> <p>Loopback Modes: Terminal and Facility</p>
DS1-14/DS1N-14 Electrical Interface	Connectors: BNC or SMB
Surge Protection	GR-1089
Operating Temperature	<p>C-Temp (15454-DS1-14 and 15454-DS1N-14): 0 to +55 degrees Celsius</p> <p>I-Temp (15454-DS1-14-T and 15454-DS1N-14-T): -40 to +65 degrees Celsius</p> <p>Note The I-Temp symbol is displayed on the faceplate of an I-Temp compliant card. A card without this symbol is C-Temp compliant.</p>
Operating Humidity	5 - 95%, non-condensing
Power Consumption	12.60 W, 0.26 amps, 43.02 BTU/Hr.
Dimensions	<p>Height: 12.650 in.</p> <p>Width: 0.716 in.</p> <p>Depth: 9.000 in.</p> <p>Card Weight: 1.8 lbs, 0.8 kg</p>
Compliance	<p>ONS 15454 cards, when installed in a system, comply with these standards:</p> <p>Safety: UL 1950, CSA C22.2 No. 950, EN 60950, IEC 60950</p>

3.4 DS3-12 and DS3N-12 Cards

The ONS 15454 DS3-12 card provides 12 Telcordia-compliant, GR-499 DS-3 ports per card. Each port operates at 44.736 Mbps over a single 75 ohm 728A or equivalent coaxial span. The DS3-12 card operates as a working or protect card in 1:1 protection schemes and as a working card in 1:N protection schemes.

The DS3-12 card supports 1:1 protection with the proper backplane EIA. EIAs are available with BNC or SMB connectors.

**Caution**

When a protection switch moves traffic from the DS3-12 working/active card to the DS3-12 protect/standby card, ports on the now active/standby card cannot be taken out of service. Lost traffic can result if you take a port out of service even if the DS3-12 standby card no longer carries traffic.

3.4.1 DS3N-12 Features and Functions

Other than the protection capabilities, the DS3-12 and DS3N-12 cards are identical. The DS3N-12 can operate as the protect card in a 1:N ($N \leq 5$) DS-3 protection group. It has additional circuitry not present on the basic DS3-12 card that allows it to protect up to five working DS3-12 cards. The basic DS3-12 card can only function as the protect card for one other DS3-12 card.

3.4.2 DS3-12 and DS3N-12 Slots and Connectors

You can install the DS3-12 or DS3N-12 card in Slots 1 to 6 or 12 to 17 on the ONS 15454. Each DS3-12 or DS3N-12 card port features DSX-level outputs supporting distances up to 450 feet (137 meters) depending on facility conditions. With the proper backplane EIA, the card supports BNC or SMB connectors.

3.4.3 DS3-12 and DS3N-12 Faceplate and Block Diagram

[Figure 3-4 on page 3-11](#) shows the DS3-12 faceplate and a block diagram of the card.

Figure 3-4 DS3-12 Faceplate and Block Diagram

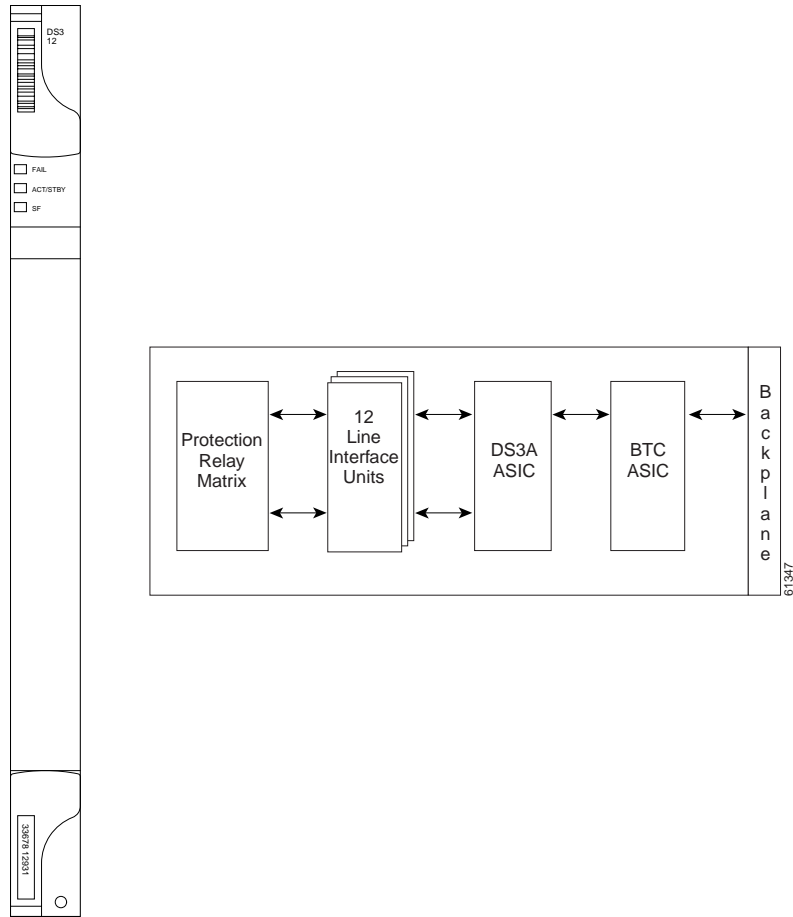
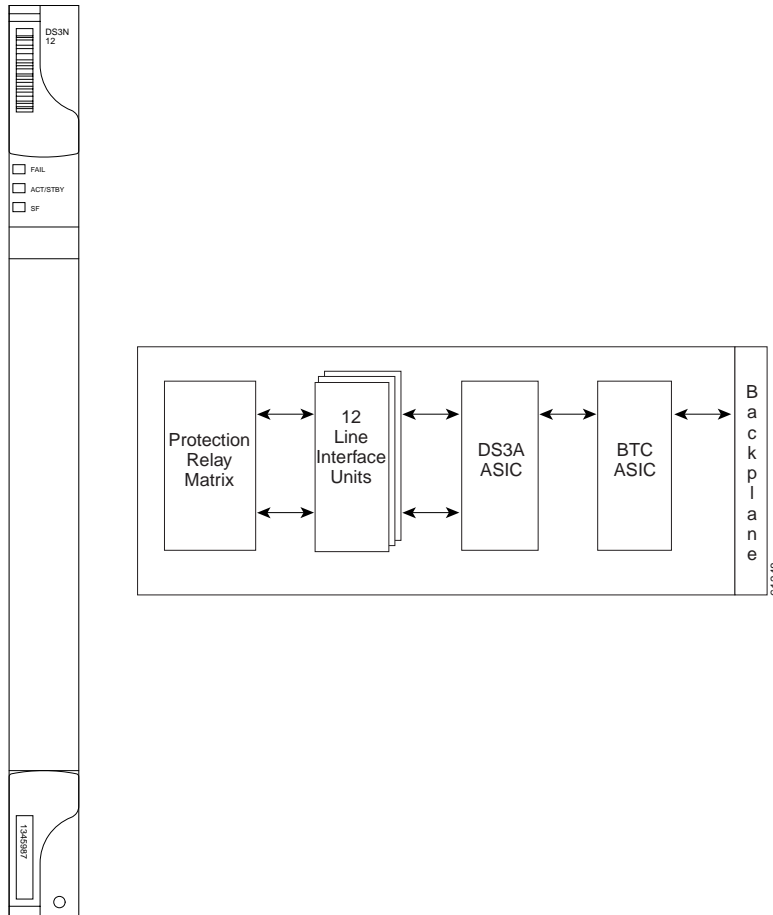


Figure 3-5 on page 3-12 shows the DS3N-12 faceplate and a diagram of the card.

Figure 3-5 DS3N-12 Faceplate and Block Diagram



3.4.4 DS3-12 and DS3N-12 Card-Level Indicators

The DS3-12 and DS3N-12 card faceplates have three LEDs shown in [Table 3-5](#).

Table 3-5 DS3-12 and DS3N-12 Card-Level Indicators

Card-Level Indicators	Description
Red FAIL LED	The red FAIL LED indicates that the card's processor is not ready. Replace the card if the red FAIL LED persists.
ACT/STBY LED Green (Active) Amber (Standby)	When the ACTV/STBY LED is green, the DS3-12 card is operational and ready to carry traffic. When the ACTV/STBY LED is amber, the DS3-12 card is operational and in standby (protect) mode.
Amber SF LED	The amber SF LED indicates a signal failure or condition such as port LOS.

3.4.5 DS3-12 and DS3N-12 Port-Level Indicators

You can find the status of the 12 DS3-12 and 12 DS3N-12 card ports using the LCD screen on the ONS 15454 fan-tray assembly. Use the LCD to view the status of any port or card slot; the screen displays the number and severity of alarms for a given port or slot.

3.4.6 DS3-12 and DS3N-12 Specifications

Table 3-6 shows the DS3-12 and DS3N-12 card specifications.

Table 3-6 DS3-12 and DS3N-12 Card Specifications

Specification Type	Description
DS3-12/DS3N-12 Input	Bit Rate: 44.736 Mbps +/- 20 ppm Frame Format: DS-3 ANSI T1.107-1988 Line Code: B3ZS Termination: Unbalanced coaxial cable Input Impedance: 75 ohms +/-5% Cable Loss: Max 450 ft. 734A, RG-59, 728A/Max 79 ft. RG-179 AIS: TR-TSY-000191-compliant
DS3-12/DS3N-12 Output	Bit Rate: 44.736 Mbps +/- 20 ppm Frame Format: DS-3 ANSI T1.107-1988 Line Code: B3ZS Termination: Unbalanced coaxial cable Input Impedance: 75 ohms +/-5% Cable Loss: Max 450 ft. 734A, RG-59, 728A/Max 79 ft. RG-179 AIS: TR-TSY-000191-compliant Power Level: -1.8 - +5.7 dBm Pulse Shape: ANSI T1.102-1988 Figure 8 Pulse Amplitude: 0.36 - 0.85 V peak-to-peak Loopback Modes: Terminal and Facility Line Build Out: 0-225 ft.; 226-450 ft.
DS3-12/DS3N-12 Electrical Interface	Connectors: BNC or SMB
Surge Protection	GR-1089
Operating Temperature	C-Temp (15454-DS3-12 and 15454-DS3N-12): 0 to +55 degrees Celsius I-Temp (15454-DS3-12-T and 15454-DS3N-12-T): -40 to +65 degrees Celsius Note The I-Temp symbol is displayed on the faceplate of an I-Temp compliant card. A card without this symbol is C-Temp compliant.
Operating Humidity	5 - 95%, non-condensing

Table 3-6 DS3-12 and DS3N-12 Card Specifications (continued)

Specification Type	Description
Power Consumption	38.20 W, 0.79 amps, 130.43 BTU/Hr.
Dimensions	Height: 12.650 in. Width: 0.716 in. Depth: 9.000 in. DS3-12: Card Weight: 1.7 lbs, 0.7 kg DS3N-12: Card Weight: 1.8 lbs, 0.8 kg
Compliance	ONS 15454 cards, when installed in a system, comply with these standards: Safety: UL 1950, CSA C22.2 No. 950, EN 60950, IEC 60950

3.5 DS3-12E and DS3N-12E Cards

The ONS 15454 DS3-12E card provides 12 Telcordia-compliant ports per card. Each port operates at 44.736 Mbps over a single 75 ohm 728A or equivalent coaxial span. The DS3-12E card provides enhanced performance monitoring functions. The DS3-12E can detect several different errored logic bits within a DS-3 frame. This function allows the ONS 15454 to identify a degrading DS-3 facility caused by upstream electronics (DS-3 Framer). In addition, DS3 frame format auto detection and J1 path trace are supported. By monitoring additional overhead in the DS-3 frame, subtle network degradations can be detected.

The following list summarizes DS3-12E card features:

- Provisionable framing format M23, C-bit or unframed
- Autorecognition and provisioning of incoming framing
- P-bit monitoring
- C-bit parity monitoring
- X-bit monitoring
- M-bit monitoring
- F-bit monitoring
- Far-end block errors (FEBE) monitoring
- Far-end alarm and control (FEAC) status and loop code detection
- Path trace byte support with TIM-P alarm generation

The DS3-12E supports a 1:1 protection scheme, meaning it can operate as the protect card for one other DS3-12E card.

3.5.1 DS3N-12E Features and Functions

The DS3N-12E can operate as the protect card in a 1:N ($N \leq 5$) DS-3 protection group. It has additional circuitry not present on the basic DS3-12E card that allows it to protect up to five working DS3-12E cards. The basic DS3-12E card can only function as the protect card for one other DS3-12E card.

3.5.2 DS3-12E and DS3N-12E Slots and Connectors

You can install the DS3-12E and DS3N-12E cards in Slots 1 to 6 or 12 to 17 on the ONS 15454. Each DS3-12E and DS3N-12E port features DSX-level outputs supporting distances up to 450 feet (137 meters). With the proper backplane EIA, the card supports BNC or SMB connectors.

3.5.3 DS3-12E Faceplate and Block Diagram

Figure 3-6 shows the DS3-12E faceplate and a diagram of the card.

Figure 3-6 DS3-12E Faceplate and Block Diagram

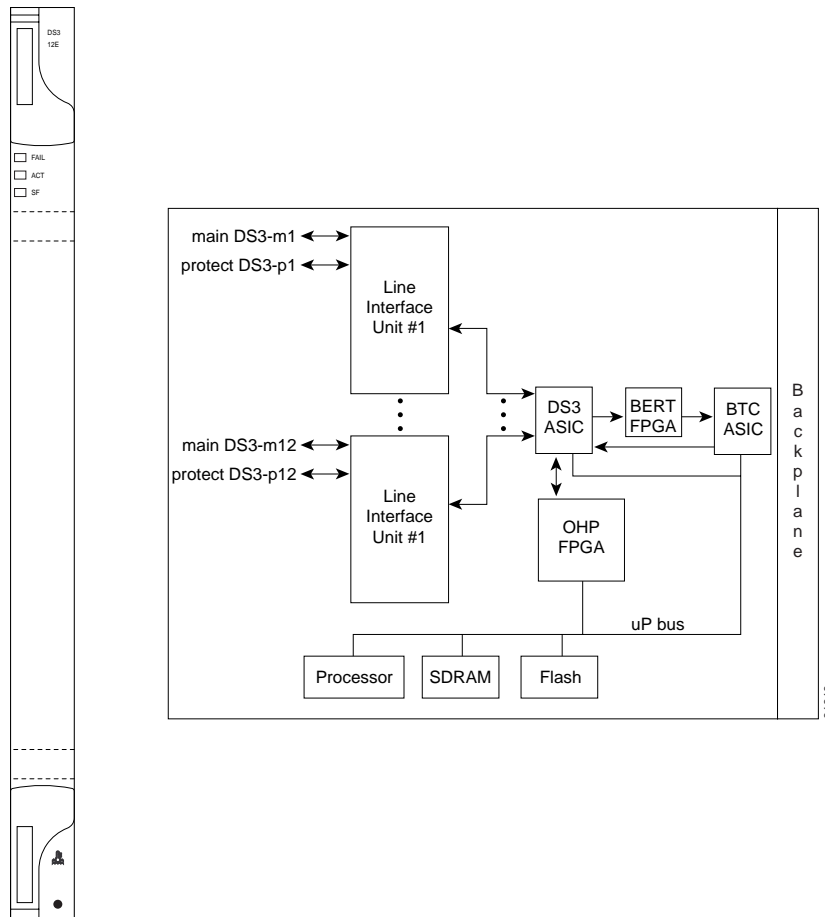
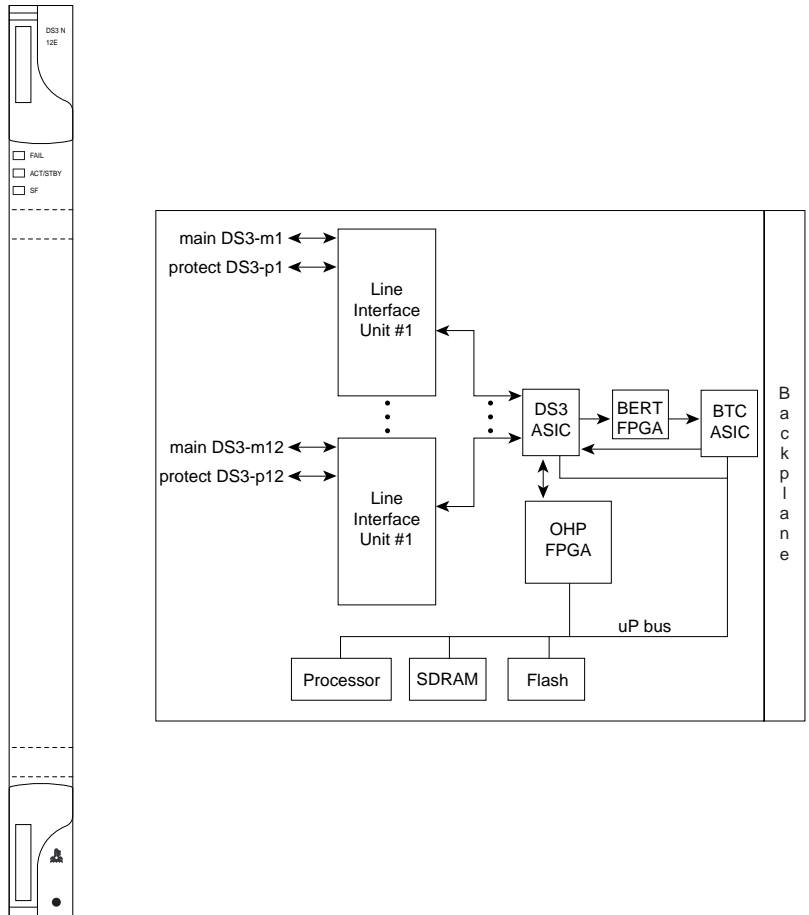


Figure 3-7 on page 3-16 shows the DS3N-12E faceplate and a diagram of the card.

Figure 3-7 DS3N-12E Faceplate and Block Diagram



3.5.4 DS3-12E and DS3N-12E Card-Level Indicators

The DS3-12E and DS3N-12E card faceplate has three LEDs shown in [Table 3-7](#).

Table 3-7 DS3-12E and DS3N-12E Card-Level Indicators

Card-Level Indicators	Description
Red FAIL LED	The red FAIL LED indicates that the card's processor is not ready. Replace the card if the red FAIL LED persists.
ACT/STBY LED Green (Active) Amber (Standby)	When the ACTV/STBY LED is green, the DS3-12E card is operational and ready to carry traffic. When the ACTV/STBY LED is amber, the DS3-12E card is operational and in standby (protect) mode.
Amber SF LED	The amber SF LED indicates a signal failure or condition such as port LOS, AIS, etc.

3.5.5 DS3-12E and DS3N-12E Port-Level Indicators

You can find the status of the DS3-12E and DS3N-12E card ports using the LCD screen on the ONS 15454 fan-tray assembly. Use the LCD to quickly view the status of any port or card slot; the screen displays the number and severity of alarms for a given port or slot.

3.5.6 DS3-12E and DS3N-12E Specifications

The DS3-12E and DS3N-12E card specifications are shown in [Table 3-8](#).

Table 3-8 DS3-12E and DS3N-12E Card Specifications

Specification Type	Description
DS3-12E/DS3N-12E Input	Bit Rate: 44.736 Mbps +/- 20 ppm Frame Format: DS-3 ANSI T1.107-1988 Line Code: B3ZS Termination: Unbalanced coaxial cable Input Impedance: 75 ohms +/-5% Cable Loss: Max 450 ft. 734A, RG-59, 728A/Max 79 ft. RG-179 AIS: TR-TSY-000191-compliant
DS3-12E/DS3N-12E Output	Bit Rate: 44.736 Mbps +/- 20 ppm Frame Format: DS-3 ANSI T1.107-1988 Line Code: B3ZS Termination: Unbalanced coaxial cable Input Impedance: 75 ohms +/-5% Cable Loss: Max 450 ft. 734A, RG-59, 728A/Max 79 ft. RG-179 AIS: TR-TSY-000191-compliant Power Level: -1.8 - +5.7 dBm (The power level is for a signal of all ones and is measured at a center frequency of 22.368 MHz (+/-KHz) bandwidth.) Pulse Shape: ANSI T1.102-1988 Figure 8 Pulse Amplitude: 0.36 - 0.85 V peak-to-peak Loopback Modes: Terminal and Facility Line Build Out: 0-225 ft.; 226-450 ft.
DS3-12E/DS3N-12E Electrical Interface	Connectors: BNC or SMB
Surge Protection	GR-1089
Operating Temperature	I-Temp (15454-DS3-12E-T and 15454-DS3N-12E-T): -40 to +65 degrees Celsius Note The I-Temp symbol is displayed on the faceplate of an I-Temp compliant card. A card without this symbol is C-Temp compliant.
Operating Humidity	5 - 95%, non-condensing

Table 3-8 DS3-12E and DS3N-12E Card Specifications (continued)

Specification Type	Description
Power Consumption	26.80 W, 0.56 amps, 91.51 BTU/Hr.
Dimensions	Height: 12.650 in. Width: 0.716 in. Depth: 9.000 in. Depth with backplane connector: 9.250 in. DS3-12E Card Weight: 1.8 lbs, 0.8 kg DS3N-12E Card Weight: 1.9 lbs, 0.8 kg
Compliance	ONS 15454 cards, when installed in a system, comply with these standards: Safety: UL 1950, CSA C22.2 No. 950, EN 60950, IEC 60950

3.6 DS3XM-6 Card

The DS3XM-6 card, commonly referred to as a transmux card, provides six Telcordia-compliant, GR-499-CORE M13 multiplexing functions. The DS3XM-6 converts six framed DS-3 network connections to 28x6 or 168 VT1.5s. You cannot create circuits from a DS3XM-6 card to a DS-3 card. DS3XM-6 cards operate at the VT1.5 level.

3.6.1 DS3XM-6 Slots and Connectors

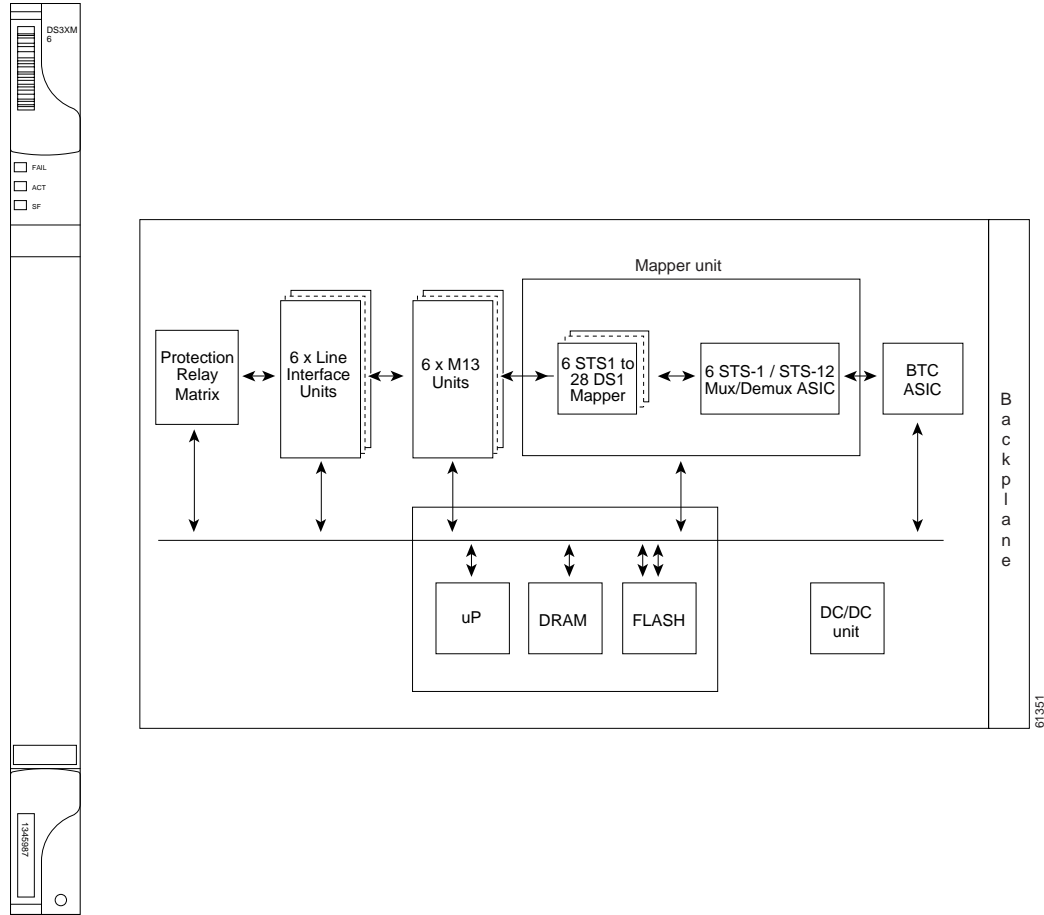
The DS3XM-6 card supports 1:1 protection with the proper backplane EIA. EIAs are available with BNC or SMB connectors.

You can install the DS3XM-6 in Slots 1 to 6 or 12 to 17. Each DS3XM-6 port features DSX-level outputs supporting distances up to 450 feet (137 meters) depending on facility conditions.

3.6.2 DS3XM-6 Faceplate and Block Diagram

[Figure 3-8 on page 3-19](#) shows the DS3XM-6 faceplate and a block diagram of the card.

Figure 3-8 DS3XM-6 Faceplate and Block Diagram



3.6.3 DS3XM-6 Hosted By XCVT

The DS3XM-6 card works in conjunction with the XCVT card. A single DS3XM-6 can demultiplex (map down to a lower rate) six DS-3 signals into 168 VT1.5s that the XCVT card then manages and cross connects. XCVT cards host a maximum of 336 bidirectional VT1.5s or two DS3XM-6 cards. In most network configurations two DS3XM-6 cards are paired together as working and protect cards.

3.6.4 DS3XM-6 Card-Level Indicators

The DS3XM-6 card faceplate has three LEDs, see [Table 3-9](#).

Table 3-9 DS3XM-6 Card-Level Indicators

Card-Level Indicators	Description
Red FAIL LED	The red FAIL LED indicates that the card's processor is not ready. Replace the card if the red FAIL LED persists.
ACT/STBY LED Green (Active) Amber (Standby)	When the ACTV/STBY LED is green, the DS3XM-6 card is operational and ready to carry traffic. When the ACTV/STBY LED is amber, the DS3XM-6 card is operational and in standby in a 1:1 protection group.
Amber SF LED	The amber SF LED indicates a signal failure or condition such as LOS, LOF, or high BER on one or more of the card's ports.

3.6.5 DS3XM-6 Port-Level Indicators

You can find the status of the six DS3XM-6 card ports using the LCD screen on the ONS 15454 fan-tray assembly. Use the LCD to quickly view the status of any port or card slot; the screen displays the number and severity of alarms for a given port or slot.

3.6.6 DS3XM-6 Specifications

The DS3XM-6 card specifications are shown in [Table 3-10 on page 3-21](#).

Table 3-10 DS3XM-6 Card Specifications

Specification Type	Description
DS3XM-6 Input	Bit Rate: 44.736 Mbps +/- 20 ppm Frame Format: DS-3 ANSI T1.107-1988 Line Code: B3ZS Termination: Unbalanced coaxial cable Input Impedance: 75 ohms +/-5% Cable Loss: Max 450 ft. 734A, RG-59, 728A/Max 79 ft. RG-179 AIS: TR-TSY-000191-compliant
DS3XM-6 Output	Bit Rate: 44.736 Mbps +/- 20 ppm Frame Format: DS-3 ANSI T1.107-1988 Line Code: B3ZS Termination: Unbalanced coaxial cable Input Impedance: 75 ohms +/-5% Cable Loss: Max 450 ft. 734A, RG-59, 728A/Max 79 ft. RG-179 AIS: TR-TSY-000191-compliant Power Level: -1.8 - +5.7 dBm Pulse Shape: ANSI T1.102-1988 Figure 8 Pulse Amplitude: 0.36 - 0.85 V peak-to-peak Loopback Modes: Terminal and Facility Line Build Out: 0-225 ft.; 226-450 ft.
DS3XM-6 Electrical Interface	Connectors: BNC or SMB
Surge Protection	GR-1089
Operating Temperature	C-Temp (15454-DS3XM-6): 0 to +55 degrees Celsius I-Temp (15454-DS3XM-6-T): -40 to +65 degrees Celsius Note The I-Temp symbol is displayed on the faceplate of an I-Temp compliant card. A card without this symbol is C-Temp compliant.
Operating Humidity	5 - 95%, non-condensing
Power Consumption	20 W, 0.42 amps, 68 BTU/Hr.
Dimensions	Height: 12.650 in. Width: 0.716 in. Depth: 9.000 in. Card Weight: 1.8 lbs, 0.8 kg
Compliance	ONS 15454 cards, when installed in a system, comply with these standards: Safety: UL 1950, CSA C22.2 No. 950, EN 60950, IEC 60950

3.7 Electrical Card Comparisons

Table 3-11 shows the power requirements of the electrical cards.

Table 3-11 Electrical Card Power Requirements

Card Type	Card Name	Watts	Amps	BTU/Hr.
Electrical Cards	EC1-12	36.60	0.76	124.97
	DS1-14	12.60	0.26	43.02
	DS1N-14	12.60	0.26	43.02
	DS3-12	38.20	0.79	130.43
	DS3N-12	38.20	0.79	130.43
	DS3-12E	26.80	0.56	91.51
	DS3N-12E	26.80	0.56	91.51
	DS3XM-6 Transmux *	20	0.42	68

Table 3-12 shows the temperature ranges of the electrical cards.

Table 3-12 Electrical Card Temperature Ranges

Card	C-Temp Product Name (0 to +55 degrees Celsius)	I-Temp Product Name (-40 to +65 degrees Celsius)
EC1-12	15454-EC1-12	15454-EC1-12-T
DS1-14	15454-DS1-14	15454-DS1-14-T
DS1N-14	15454-DS1N-14	15454-DS1N-14-T
DS3-12	15454-DS3-12	15454-DS3-12-T
DS3N-12	15454-DS3N-12	15454-DS3N-12-T
DS3-12E	—	15454-DS3-12E-T
DS3N-12E	—	15454-DS3N-12E-T
DS3XM-6 (Transmux)	15454-DS3XM-6	15454-DS3XM-6-T