

NEXTSTEP for Intel Processors Release 3.3

Networking Driver Overview

Driver: Cogent EM960 PCI

Driver Overview: NeXTanswer #1777

Last Update: June 24, 1996

Availability Information

A version of this driver is on the CDROM

Newer Released Driver in NeXTanswers*: No, Version 0.00, as NeXTanswer #

Newer Beta Driver in NeXTanswers*: No, Version 0.00, as NeXTanswer #

Driver Name / Installer .pkg: CogentEM960NetworkDriver

Driver Type: Networking

Driver Scope: Product Family

Supported Components: DEC DECchip21040

PC Bus / Interface Supported by Driver:** PCI

General Overview notes: This driver is now obsolete. An updated driver for the EM960 PCI has been made available as 1881_DECchip21040_Network_Driver.pkg.compressed. The readme is 1856_DECchip21040_Network_Driver_Driver_Overview.rtf.

Supported Products / Add-on Adapters:

Cogent EM960C (PCI, Combo)

Cogent EM960TP (PCI, TP Only)

Cogent EM964TP (PCI, TP Only, 4 ports - 1st port only supported)

Supported Products / Systems (ie integrated into PC System):

Special Features of Driver / Driver Notes:

Networking Driver Details

Network Type:** EtherNet

Speed*: 10 Mb/s

Access Mode:** Bus Master DMA

Buffer Size*: N/A

Supported Connectors:** AUI, BNC, UTP

Known Problems

NeXT SQA has not tested the Cogent EM964TP.

Driver Version Notes

Future Planning

Future / Update Planning: Obsolete

Reason for New Driver / Update:

New Driver / Update Timeframe:

New Driver / Update Description:

Note: Information contained in the "Future Planning" section of this document does not constitute a commitment on the part of NeXT to complete the planned development work.

* - Any NeXTanswer number that is blank indicates that a driver will not be released for this version of NEXTSTEP.

** - Indicates information that is inclusive of the entire capability of this driver. Not all devices supported by this driver may include all features listed. Check any available NeXTanswers and the hardware manual for the device for additional information.

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