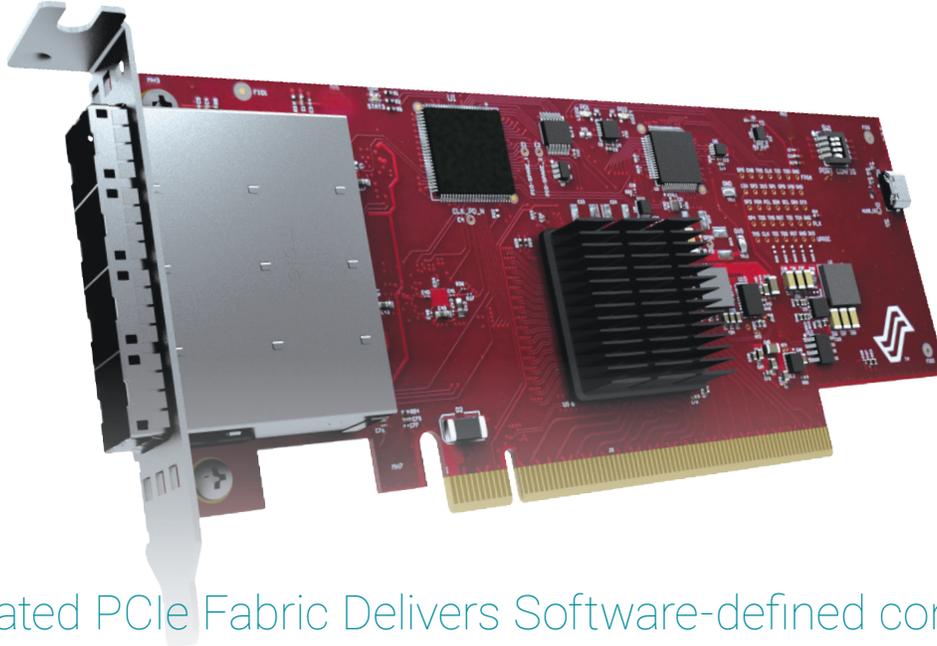




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**LQD1316 Host Bus Adapter (HBA)**  
PCIe x16 Gen 3 Specifications



## Fully integrated PCIe Fabric Delivers Software-defined composability for the most data intensive workloads

The Liquid LQD1316 Host Bus Adapter (HBA) PCIe x16 Gen 3 switch-based cable adapter integrates Broadcom Technologies PEX9733 Capella 2, a fully non-blocking and low-latency PCI Express Gen 3 switch. Liquid's LQD1316 HBA is purpose built for composability, ensuring software-defined composable systems from Liquid perform at the highest levels of efficiency.

Adjusting to real-time business requirements is paramount in the modern data center. Liquid empowers IT administrators to manage, scale, and conjure physical bare-metal server systems in seconds and then reallocate core data center devices on-demand as business needs evolve.

Connect Liquid GRID composable switching technologies and Command Center software to the server motherboard via Gen 3 PCI-Express for unprecedented infrastructure adaptivity. Enable greater hardware disaggregation, integrating off-the-shelf CPU, NVMe storage, and networking in tandem with accelerator technologies such as GPU, FPGA and Intel Optane memory for unprecedented, software-defined, bare metal performance.

With Liquid, these pooled resources can now be dynamically configured and reconfigured on demand to create servers perfectly sized with the exact physical resources required by the application being deployed.

As a core element of the Liquid composable platform, the Liquid LQD1316 HBA is central to enabling IT administrators to deliver adaptive compute infrastructure and scale core resources on demand for the world's most data-intensive workloads.

- > Up to 128Gb/s at PCIe Gen 3 speeds
- > Requires no additional software

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### Key Features

- Half-card form factor
- PCIe Gen3 x16 upstream port
- PCIe Gen3 x16 downstream port
- PCIe Gen3 x8 for two down stream ports
- PCIe Gen3 x4 for four down stream ports



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### Specification

### Model: LQD1316 Host Bus Adapter

### Selection

Form Factor	PCIe x16 half-height, half-length add-in card
Dimensions	6.14" x 2.89" (156mm x 73.4mm)
Power	Maximum 15W
Connectors	SFF-8644 or SFF-8643
Operating Temperature	0C to 50C
Storage Temperature	-40C to 85C
Operating Humidity	10% to 90% relative humidity non-condensing
Storage Humidity	5% to 95% relative humidity non-condensing
PCB	PCI Express add-in card standard  Thickness .063" +/- 0.008" (1.6mm +/- 0.2mm)
PCIe Switch	PLX PEX9733 Capella 2  8.0 GT/s 32-lane PCI Express Gen 3 Switch  DMA Controller  SSC Isolation Support

**L1316-016L04-030**

PCIe x16 Gen 3 Host Bus Adapter (HBA)

Please contact your sales rep for more information and to determine which configuration is best for use. Specification subject to change without notice.

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\*\*Supports surprise hot plug in on downstream ports in both Windows and Linux

\*\*Must have m/b that supports PCIe native mode OS in the Bios and running Server 2012 R2 or higher (no desktop versions)

## About Liquid

A leader in composable infrastructure, Liquid enables users to configure and manage physical, bare-metal server systems in seconds. Storage, compute, networking and graphics processing devices are interconnected over PCI-Express fabric to deliver dynamically configurable bare-metal servers perfectly sized with the exact physical resources required by the application being deployed.