

Protectli Appliance

Protectli Vault V1211

Intel® Celeron® Processor N5105

2x I226-V 2.5G Ports

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Overview

The Protectli Vault V1211 is the highly requested memory variant of the V1210. Like the V1210, the V1211 features the Intel® Celeron® Processor N5105 and 32GB onboard eMMC, but with double the RAM, utilizing 8GB soldered (fixed) DDR4. It includes three additional M.2 slots for optional NVMe SSD storage, WiFi, and LTE modules. The V1211 is equipped with two Intel® I226-V RJ-45 Ethernet ports, supporting up to 2.5 Gigabit ethernet connectivity with backwards compatibility.

Protectli Vaults utilize Intel components ensuring persistent compatibility with a wide range of operating systems (OS) and applications. The "V" series Vaults feature a fanless, all-aluminum chassis design, allowing for efficient heat dissipation from the CPU and other components without any moving parts or additional power requirements.

Technical Specifications

Model	V1211
Description	2x 2.5G Network Port Fanless Appliance
Processor	Intel® Celeron® Processor N5105 (64 Bit, 2.0GHz, Turbo 2.9GHz, 4M L3 Cache)
Processor Cores	4
Processor Threads	4
Processor Capabilities	AES-NI Intel® Vt-x, Vt-d
Network	2x Intel® I226-V 2.5G Ethernet, RJ-45
Video / Graphics	Intel® UHD Graphics, 1x HDMI 2.0
Audio	Audio over HDMI
Memory	1x 8GB LPDDR4-2933, Soldered
Onboard Storage	1x M.2 2280 NVMe, 1x 32G eMMC on board
Optional Additional Storage	Not Supported
External I/O	1x Reset Button (Recessed), ACPI 1x Power Button with LED (Blue) 4x USB 3.2 Gen 1 Type-A ports 1x HDMI 2.0 port 1x 12V DC Power Jack, Threaded 2x RJ-45 Ethernet ports

	1x USB Type-C COM Port
	1x Power LED (Green)
	1x Data Activity LED (Red)
Internal I/O	1x M.2 3052 B-Key USB 3.2 Gen 1 (LTE)
	1x CPU Fan Header (4 pin)
	1x Front Panel Header (2x5 pin, 2.54mm pitch)
	1x CMOS Battery (CR1220, 3V)
	1x Buzzer
	1x SPI Header (2x3 pin, 2.54mm pitch, +3.3V)
	1x M.2 2280 M-Key PCIe 3.0 x1 (NVMe)
	1x M.2 2230 Key E PCIe 3.0 x1 (WiFi)
	1x CMOS Reset (3 pin, 2.54mm pitch)
BIOS	AMI® or coreboot
Indicators	1x LED Power Button (Blue), 1x LED Power Indicator (Green), 1x LED Disk Activity Indicator (Red)
Power	1x Power brick with locking collar (12V DC Input)
Power Usage	Max 24W
Chassis	Fanless, Aluminum, Gray
Chassis Dimensions	w/ feet: 4.6 x 4.4 x 2.1in. (117.0 x 112.3 x 51.5mm) w/o feet: 4.6 x 4.4 x 1.95in. (117.0 x 112.3 x 49.5mm)
Mounting Options	Desktop, Optional VESA Bracket, Optional 1RU Rack Mount
Weight	1lb 12.9oz, 0.82kg
Shipping Weight	3lb 2.9oz, 1.44kg
Operating Temperature	+14° - +122° F, -10° - +50° C
Operating Humidity	0 – 95% relative humidity, non-condensing
Approvals	UL (Power Supply), FCC Part 15 Class B, CE, RoHS
Country of Origin	Made in China, Assembled in USA, Canada, or Germany
Optional Connectivity	1x WiFi, 1x LTE

Included Accessories and Components

48W Power Supply Wall Wart with interchangeable US/CA, UK, EU, and AU/NZ plugs

USB Type-A (with Type-C adapter) to USB Type-C Serial Console Cable

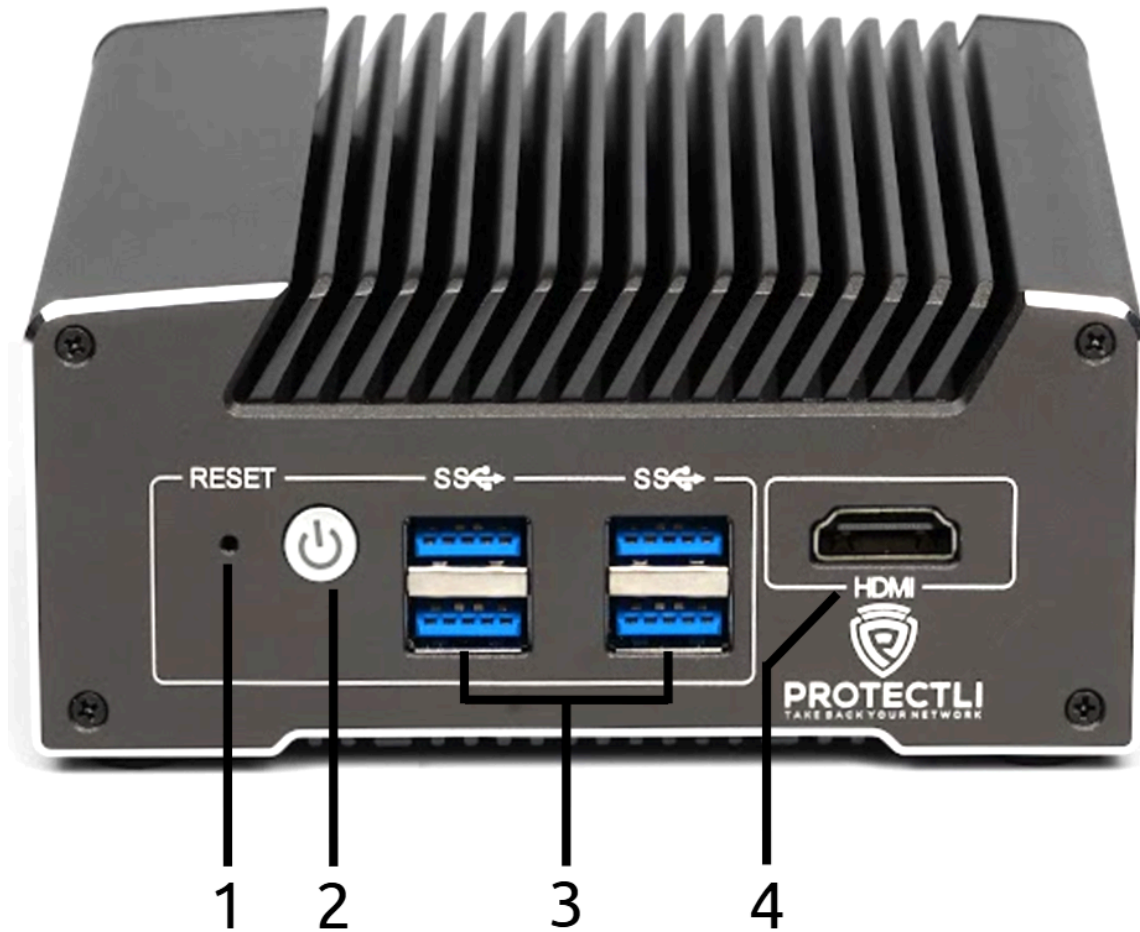
Bag of spare chassis screws

Set of thermal pad(s)



Quick Start Guide

External Interfaces

Front Panel Configuration

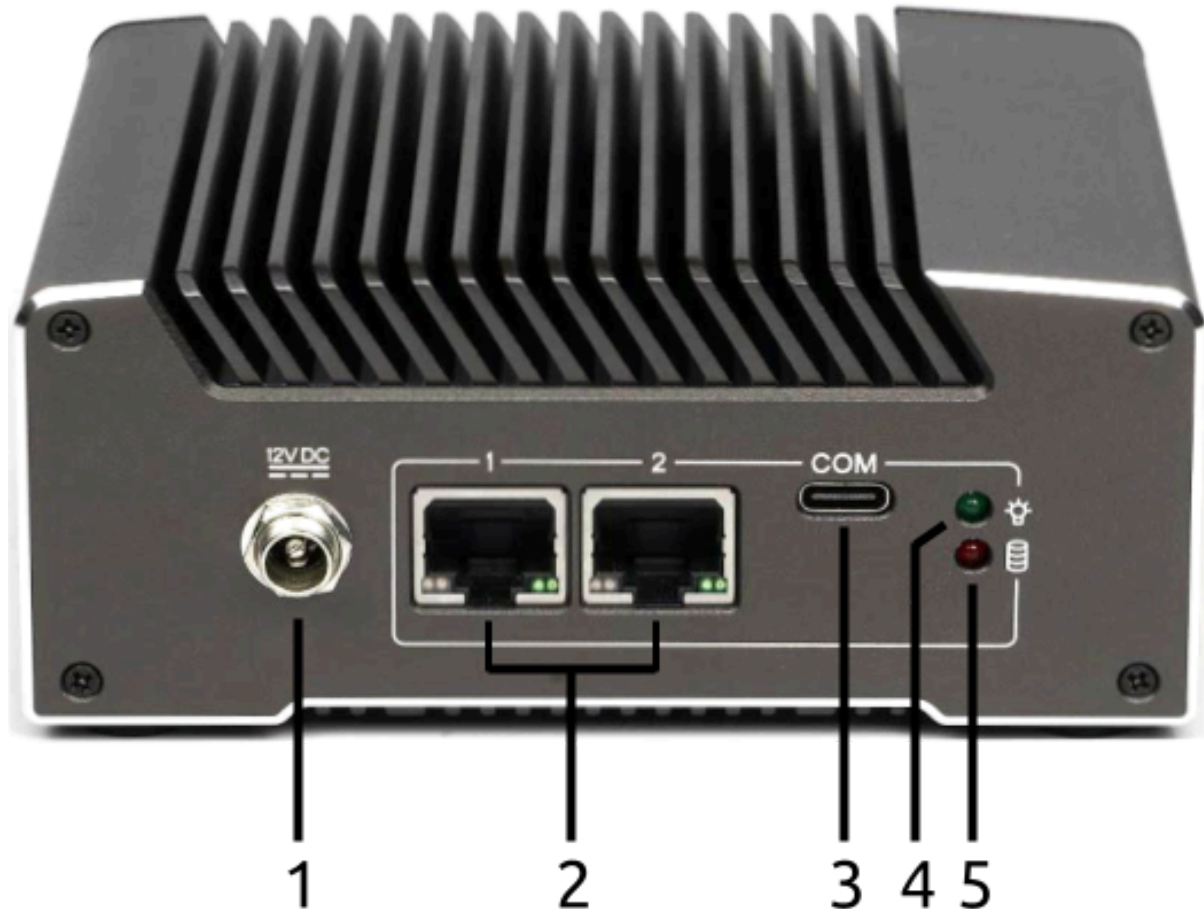


Item #	Object	Label	Description
1	Reset Button (Recessed)	RESET	An ACPI reset button.



2	Power Button		<p>Pressing the Power Button will power the unit on and illuminate with a blue LED.</p> <p><i>In OSes configured to handle ACPI signals, pressing the power button initiates a shutdown.</i></p> <p><i>Pressing and holding the Power Button for 5 seconds will force the unit to power off.</i></p>
3	USB Type-A Ports		Four USB 3.2 Gen 1 [†] Type-A ports. (Maximum theoretical throughput of 5000Mbps [~500MBps])
4	HDMI Port	HDMI	Video and audio output via HDMI 2.0 port.

[†]USB-IF naming standard for USB transfer rates: “USB 3.2 Gen 1” is the equivalent and current name for “USB 3.2 Gen 1”, “USB 3.1 Gen 1”, and “USB 3.0”. Older kernels and operating systems may not report the most recent naming convention. For a full linguistic deep dive, please see 3.1 and 3.2 Specification Language Usage Guidelines from USB-IF. https://www.usb.org/sites/default/files/usb_3_2_language_product_and_packaging_guidelines_final.pdf, https://www.usb.org/sites/default/files/usb_3_1_language_product_and_packaging_guidelines_final_0.pdf

Rear Panel Configuration





Item #	Object	Label	Description
1	Power Supply Connector	<u>12V DC</u> ---	12V DC locking collar connector for the included 48W external power supply. Positive rail is the tip, negative is sleeve. Barrel dimensions: 5.5mm x 2.5mm
2	Ethernet Ports	1, 2	Two (2) 10/100/1000/2500 Mbps Intel® I226-V ethernet ports. The bottom right LED emits solid green when connected at any speed.
3	Type-C Serial Console Port	COM	RS-232 serial communications via FTDI FT232RQ UART, exposed through USB 2.0 Type C connector. Default port settings:

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 115200 baud • No parity • 8 databits • 1 stopbit
4	Power Indicator LED		LED emits solid green when the device is powered on.
5	Data Activity LED		LED emits red when data activity is detected over the NVMe interface.

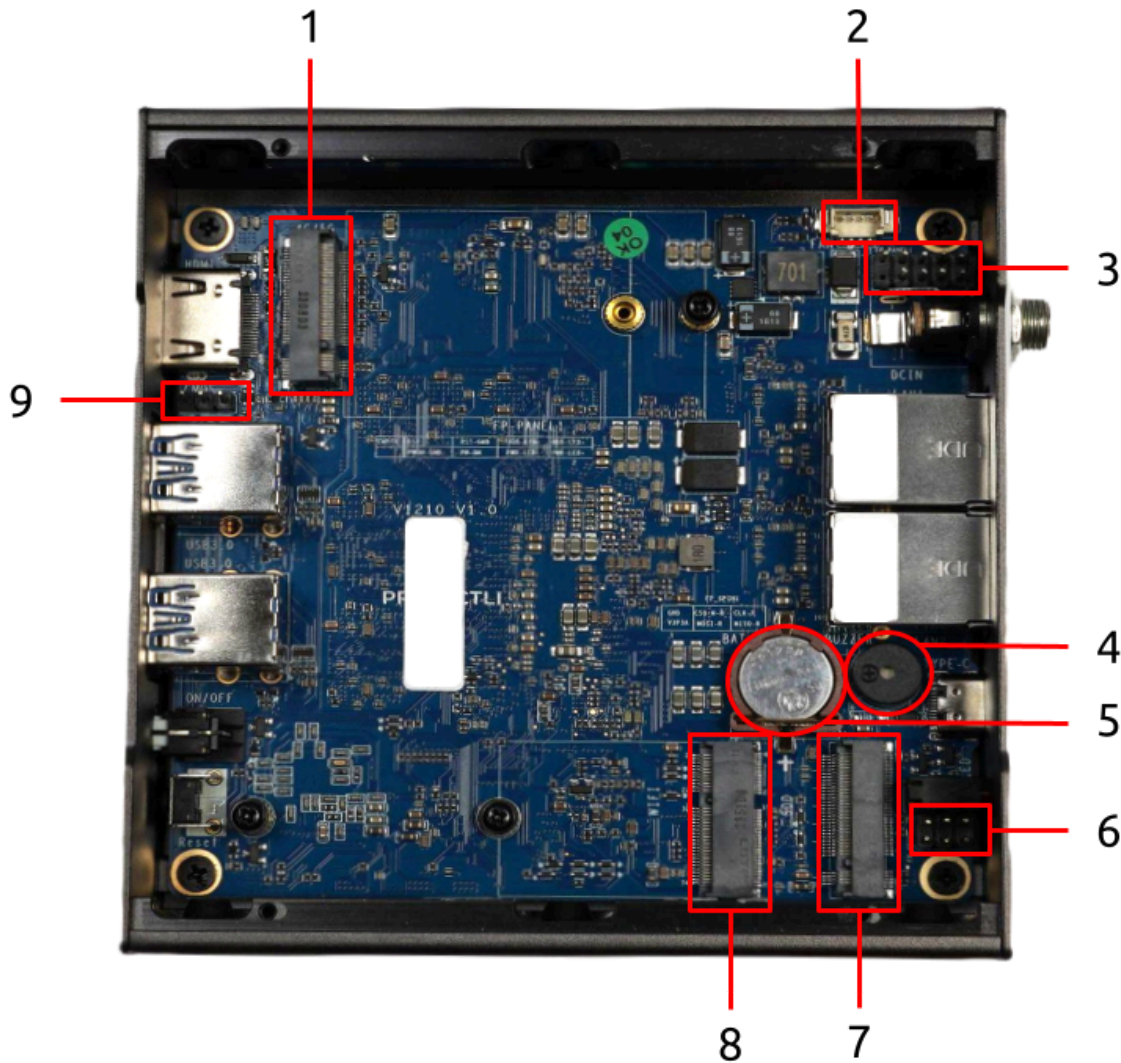
Side Panel Features



Item #	Object	Label	Description
1	Antenna Ports		Six antenna ports, three on the left and three on the right of the unit, for mounting radio antennas (e.g. WiFi, LTE). The ports are covered by plugs while not in use.
2	Kensington Security Slot		A standard anti-theft locking slot, Kensington Security Lock compatible.

Internal Interfaces

Motherboard Layout and Pin Configuration



Item #	Object	Label	Description
1	LTE Expansion Connector	4G/5G	M.2 3052 B-Key connector for a LTE module uses USB 3.2 Gen 1 protocol. It is designed for Protectli LTE modules, but is not limited in its capabilities.
2	CPU Fan Header	FAN	Four-pin (1x4, 1.25mm pitch) Molex PicoBlade-compatible header for an optional fan.

3	Front Panel Header	FP-PANEL1	Front panel header (2x5, 2.54mm pitch) for adding external device controls and indicators featured through the front panel, such as power button, reset button, activity LEDs, etc.										
			Pin numbering oriented to the motherboard image: <div style="text-align: center;"> 9 7 5 3 1 </div>										
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5	Buzzer	BUZZER	A compact PC speaker designed for alerts. Alert types are dependent on the operating system.										
4	CMOS Battery	BATTERY	Small lithium battery that provides backup power to the CMOS chip. Holds a CR1220 3V battery.										
6	SPI Header	FP_6PIN1	SPI header (2x3, 2.54mm pitch, +3.3V) for BIOS programming.										
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7	M.2 NVMe SSD Connector	SDD [‡]	M.2 2280 M-Key connector for a M.2 NVMe SSD uses PCIe 3.0 x1 protocol. It is designed for an NVMe storage device, but is otherwise a functional PCIe port.										
8	WiFi Expansion Connector	WIFI	M.2 2230 Key E connector for a WiFi module uses PCIe 3.0 x1 protocol. It is designed for Protectli WiFi modules, but is not limited in its capabilities.										
9	NVRAM Reset Jumper	RESET	CMOS reset pins (1x3, 2.54mm pitch). Shorting the jumper pins GND and CMOS while the CMOS battery is connected will reset the BIOS NVRAM.										
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[‡] Incorrect motherboard silkscreen; motherboard reads "SDD" but should read "SSD".

Dimension View



Document History

2025-01-22

- Added further information regarding USB speeds
- Added LED behavior for NICs
- Changed pitch of CPU Fan Header to 1.25mm to accurately reflect the pitch

2024-11-20

- Corrected Motherboard Layout and Pin Configuration item 7 from uses 'PCIe 3.0 x2 protocol' to 'uses PCIe 3.0 x1 protocol'

2024-11-19

- Initial document