

NEXSAN <u>V-SERIES</u> SUPPORT SERVICES DATASHEET

Choose the Nexsan Support Services that best fits your organization and get the highest performance from your Nexsan system while protecting your storage investment. Nexsan offers Basic, Enhanced, and Premium programs beyond the Standard Warranty to provide a broad selection of service and support features for any sized organization or IT team. Contact your Nexsan sales representative or visit www.nexsan.com to learn more about which support service options best meet your needs.

Support Feature		WARRANTY (1)	BASIC	ENHANCED	PREMIUM	BLACK SITE
Firmware Updates ⁽²⁾ while covered		Minor releases and bug fixes	Minor and Major releases and bug fixes	Minor and Major releases and bug fixes	Minor and Major releases and bug fixes	Minor and Major releases and bug fixes
Initiate service request (Phone, Email)		24 x 7 x 365	24 x 7 x 365	24 x 7 x 365	24 x 7 x 365	24 x 7 x 365
Hours of coverage		Business Hours	Business Hours	24 x 7 x 365	24 x 7 x 365	24 x 7 x 365
Initial response time ⁽³⁾ phone VM	Sev 1 Sev 2 Sev 3 Sev 4	4 Hours NBD 2 Business Days 3 Business Days	1 Hour 4 Hours 2 Business Days 3 Business Days	30 Minutes 2 Hours NBD NBD	30 Minutes 2 Hours NBD NBD	30 Minutes 2 Hours NBD NBD
Initial response time ⁽³⁾ email	Sev 1 Sev 2 Sev 3 Sev 4	4 Hours NBD 2 Business Days 3 Business Days	4 Hours NBD 2 Business Days 3 Business Days	1 Hour 4 Hours NBD NBD	1 Hour 2 Hours 4 Hours NBD	1 Hour 2 Hours 4 Hours NBD
Shipping method ⁽⁵⁾	Sev 1 Sev 2 Sev 3 Sev 4	Standard Overnight 2 nd Business Day 2 nd Business Day 2 nd Business Day	Priority Overnight Standard Overnight Standard Overnight Standard Overnight	Priority Overnight Priority Overnight Standard Overnight Standard Overnight	4 Hour 4 Hour Priority Overnight Priority Overnight	4 Hour 4 Hour Priority Overnight Priority Overnight
Field technician onsite (4)(6)(7)	Sev 1 Sev 2 Sev 3 Sev 4	N/A	N/A	Day part arrives Day part arrives NBD after part arrives NBD after part arrives	4 Hours 4 Hours NBD NBD	N/A

- (1) Standard warranty is 3-years from ship date.
- (2) Unless provided to address a specific higher severity issue, FW updates are considered Sev 4 for the purposes of scheduling and entitlement.
- (3) Phone response time = the time from voicemail to callback.
 - Email response time = the time for a support engineer to review and respond as appropriate.
 - When contacting support, it is imperative to identify the serial number or system id of the unit for which support is being requested. To ensure proper priority, please also identify the contracted service level.
- (4) From the time a HW failure is verified by Nexsan Support and an action plan and site location is confirmed.
- (5) Advanced replacement. Shipping times are for EU, UK, Japan, China, Korea and North America, other locals based on available logistics choices.
- (6) On-site engineer service does not include FW updates as this is handled remotely.
- (7) Specific service appt times will be communicated in a 2-hour window and on best effort basis. We cannot guarantee arrival at an exact time due to various weather and traffic conditions outside the control of Nexsan.

Nexsan is dedicated to providing you world-class products and support to ensure your organization's success. Whether you need technical support or a quick delivery of a replacement part, Nexsan Support Services has you covered. Nexsan Support Service includes a three level support plan, including onsite service, to meet your organization's needs. We provide a comprehensive and holistic offering of hardware and software support services for your Nexsan storage systems.

When contacting Nexsan support you will be working with Certified Engineers. Because your organization never stops running, we are here for you whenever you need us. Choose the Nexsan Support Service that fits your organization's needs and get the highest performance out of your Nexsan storage systems while protecting your investment.



BASIC Service

Nexsan customers requiring only essential business hours support choose Basic service.

Basic service includes local business hours remote technical support (phone/email). If needed, replacement parts are delivered within one business day following hardware fault diagnosis. Firmware upgrades and updates are included

ENHANCED Service

Nexsan customers who require around-the-clock convenience and simplified maintenance choose Enhanced service.

Enhanced service includes 24x7x365 remote technical support (phone/email) and next-business-day on-site hardware replacement following diagnosis of a hardware issue. On-site maintenance options are available by one of our Nexsantrained, world-class services partners. Firmware upgrades and updates are included.

PREMIUM Service

Nexsan customers who require mission critical support for the fastest resolution choose Premium service.

Premium service offers fast 24x7x365 technical support, onsite response for critical issues and priority handling of all cases. Parts replacement and onsite maintenance within 4 hours of hardware fault diagnosis is provided by one of our Nexsan-trained, world-class services partners. Firmware upgrades and updates are included.

BLACK SITE Service

Black Site service includes 24x7x365 remote technical support (phone/email) and next-business-day hardware delivery following diagnosis of a hardware issue. Failed parts with non-volatile memory do not need to be returned to Nexsan. Firmware upgrades and updates are included.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT

The Nexsan-owned support centers are placed strategically worldwide giving you the availability when you need it. Nexsan Engineers provide English language support, available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year (with Enhanced or Premium support). Our globally connected call tracking and communication system ensures the same level of quality worldwide.

SEVERITY LEVEL DEFINITIONS

Severity 1	Production server or mission critical system(s) are down, and no workaround is immediately available. Requires customer to have dedicated resource(s) available to work on the issue on an ongoing basis during contractual hours.	Severity 3	Partial, non-critical loss of functionality or component not functioning correctly with little or no impact to immediate operations. Redundant part failure/replacement needed.
Severity 2	Major functionality is impaired or non- critical system(s) are down. Operations continue but are restricted or performing poorly.	Severity 4	Cosmetic issue, documentation error, setup or use questions. Scheduled maintenance or firmware update request.

CONTACT

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