



**D-LINK SHIPS NEXT GENERATION 2-BAY NETWORK
STORAGE WITH BUILT-IN MEDIA SERVER**

DNS-320 Offers Fast and Secure Access to Files Locally and Over the Internet with Central Backup, Streaming Support and D-Link Green™ Technology

SYDNEY, Aust. – January 24, 2011 – D-Link Australia & New Zealand, the end-to-end networking solutions provider for business and consumers, today introduced the next generation DNS-320 ShareCenter™ Pulse 2-Bay Network Attached Storage designed to enhance file sharing, secure data, and stream content to media players.

The new D-Link DNS-320 incorporates a full complement of next-generation technology, including a fast Gigabit Ethernet connection and support for up to two internal 3.5-inch SATA hard drives* – installed by simply sliding them in with no tools or cables needed. Also included are a built-in FTP server for accessing files via the Internet, built-in UPnP AV media server for streaming digital content and RAID 1 technology for backing up and mirroring files.

“The ShareCenter Pulse offers an extremely powerful and flexible solution for storing and sharing digital media across a network or the Internet,” said Maurice Famularo, Marketing Director, D-Link Australia & New Zealand. “It addresses the growing market need to store and share an ever-increasing amount of data, while offering built-in protection to keep valuable data, photos, videos and other important files intact.”

Users can back up digital media files to the ShareCenter Pulse for safekeeping, and then use the built-in UPnP AV media server to stream digital content to compatible media players such as the PlayStation® 3, Microsoft® Xbox 360™, and the DSM-380 Boxee Box by D-Link**.

Users can safeguard information by giving rights to specific users or groups and assigning them to folders with specific read/write permissions. This function is ideal for the home, where children’s access can be restricted to only age-appropriate materials.

The availability of four different hard drive modes (Standard, JBOD, RAID 0, RAID 1***) allows users to choose the configuration best suited to their needs. Standard mode creates two separately accessible hard drives, while JBOD combines both drives to create a single, easy to use volume. RAID 0 combines both drives in a “striped” configuration, which provides the highest performance

when using a Gigabit Ethernet connection. RAID 1 creates a copy of data on both drives, providing maximum protection. If one drive fails while configured as RAID 1, the unaffected drive continues to function as a single drive until the failed drive is replaced. The new drive will then be re-mirrored, allowing the ShareCenter Pulse to return to its full level of protection.

The DNS-320 comes with D-Link's Setup Wizard and Easy Search Utility, which allows users to locate the ShareCenter Pulse anywhere on the network. Once located, this utility can be used to map the hard drive(s) so they will appear in "My Computer" on their PC. Backup software is also included on the CD to facilitate back up of files from a computer to the ShareCenter Pulse manually, according to a schedule, or in real-time. Real-time backups provide a method of safeguarding against unforeseen data loss.

A convenient USB port on the front of the ShareCenter can be used to attach external USB storage drives, USB printers, or an Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS) for monitoring.

For businesses and consumers interested in reducing their energy costs and helping to save the environment, D-Link Green™ products provide eco-friendly alternatives without compromising performance. The ShareCenter Pulse uses hard drive power management and Smart Fan speed control to reduce energy costs, minimise noise and prolong the lifespan of installed hard drives.

Price and Availability

The D-Link® DNS-320 ShareCenter™ Pulse 2-Bay Network Attached Storage is available now with recommended retail prices of AU\$199.95 inc. GST and NZ\$299.99 inc. GST. The DNS-320-1TB, which includes a 1 terabyte hard drive, is also available with recommended retail prices of AU\$299.95 inc. GST and NZ\$399.99 inc. GST.

For more information, see D-Link's websites at www.dlink.com.au and www.dlink.co.nz.

*SATA drives are not included as standard with the ShareCenter Pulse and may be purchased separately.

**D-Link cannot guarantee full compatibility or proper playback with all codecs. Playback capability depends on the codec support of the UPnP AV media player.

***RAID 1 mirroring requires the use of two internal SATA drives. To avoid data incompatibility in RAID 1 operation, use SATA drives from the same manufacturer. Formatted drive capacity for RAID 1 operation is dependent on the drive capacity of the lowest-sized drive. May not work with older generation SATA drives. For a list of SATA drives that have been tested to work with the ShareCenter Pulse, visit D-Link support websites.

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About D-Link

D-Link is the global leader in connectivity for small, medium and large enterprise business networking. The company is an award-winning designer, developer and manufacturer of networking, broadband, digital electronics, voice, data and video communications solutions for the digital home, Small Office/Home Office (SOHO), Small to Medium Business (SMB), and Workgroup to Enterprise environments. With millions of networking and connectivity products manufactured and shipped, D-Link is a dominant market participant and price/performance leader in the networking and communications market.

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