

## Add-on/Spare Tape Magazine Instructions

This document describes how to remove and replace a tape magazine in a NEO XL-Series library from Overland Storage.



**WARNING:** To reduce the risk of electric shock or damage to equipment, always remove any power cords while working with the unit.

**WARNUNG:** Um das Risiko eines elektrischen Schlags oder Schäden am Gerät zu vermeiden, ziehen Sie stets den Netzstecker, bevor Sie an der Einheit arbeiten.

**AVERTISSEMENT:** Pour réduire le risque de choc électrique ou endommagement de l'équipement, retirez toujours les cordons électriques en travaillant avec l'appareil.





**CAUTION:** While working with the unit, observe standard Electrostatic Discharge (ESD) precautions to prevent damage to micro-circuitry or static-sensitive devices.

### Install/Replace the Tape Magazine

#### Unlock the Magazine

Unlock the magazine using the OCP or RMI. If these methods fail, or if a magazine needs to be removed when the power to the device is off, you can release the magazine manually. Only one magazine or mailslot can be open at a time.

**NOTE:** As a best practice, perform this procedure while applications are idle. While the magazine is extended, the library robotic assembly cannot move media.

- 1. Open the magazine access door.
- **2.** Log in as an administrator in **OCP** or **RMI**.
- 3. On the Home screen, tap Open Magazine.
- **4.** Tap or select **Unlock** in the left or right magazine column within the module containing the magazine to be replaced.
- **5.** Tap or select **Open**.

A message box indicates when the magazine has been unlocked.

The **Open Magazine** screen shows that the magazine is now unlocked.

**NOTE:** If not removed, the magazine and the mailslot will relock after 30 seconds.









#### Manually Release Magazine

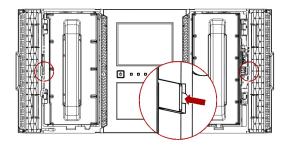
**NOTE:** To simply install a new magazine, proceed to Install the Magazine.

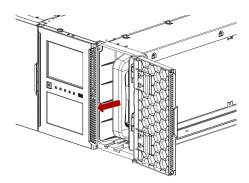
1. Insert a small flat head screwdriver or Torx driver into the appropriate magazine release hole and gently push the tab in.



**CAUTION:** Do not exert force once you encounter resistance. Doing so can damage the device.

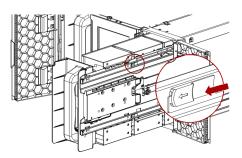
- 2. Slowly pull the magazine free of the latch.
- **3.** Remove the **tape cartridges**, noting their locations within the magazine.

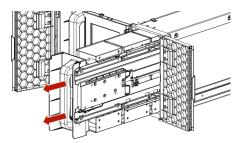




#### Remove the Magazine

- 1. Push the magazine approximately 12 mm (0.5 inches) back into the module to remove the tension from the release mechanism.
- 2. While pushing the two red latches toward the front of the rack, on the back side of the magazine, **slide the** magazine until it clears the release mechanism.
- **3.** While supporting the bottom of the module, use one hand to completely **remove the magazine** from the module.





#### Install the Magazine

- Position the upper and lower magazine rails onto the alignment rails.
- 2. Push in slowly until the magazine rails are properly seated and the magazine is only slightly extended.

**NOTE:** Stop before locking the magazine.

- 3. Pull the magazine back out until fully extended.
- **4.** Load the **tape cartridges** into the new magazine in the same location they were in previously.
- **5.** Push the **magazine handle** slowly until the magazine release latch snaps into place. The magazine locks into place after it is correctly installed.

# Verifying the Magazine Installation and Operation

- 1. Using the OCP or RMI:
  - Verify that the **replaced magazine** is closed.
  - Verify that the cartridges in the replaced magazine are inventoried.
- **2.** If you replaced the **right-side magazine**:
  - Verify that the cartridges in the mailslot are inventoried.
  - Unlock the **mailslot** using the OCP or RMI, pull it out, and push it back in.

#### Return Old Parts to Overland

- 1. Place the **old part** in the anti-static bag and put it in the replacement part's box.
- **2.** Use the existing **packing material** to secure it in the box.
- **3.** Use an RMA to return the part to **Overland Storage**. For return shipping details and RMA number, go to: http://docs.overlandstorage.com/return-instructions.

