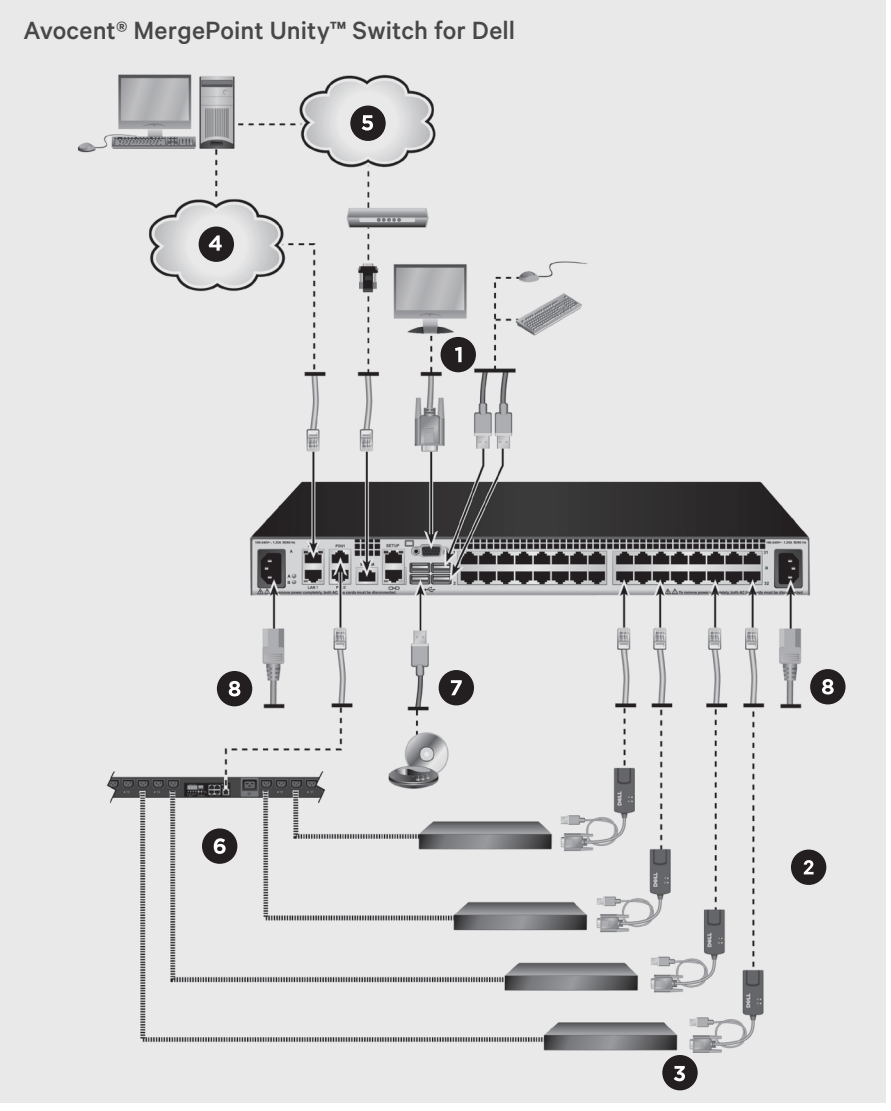
AVOCENT® MERGEPOINT UNITY SWITCH FOR DELL®

Quick Installation Guide

1. **Connecting your peripherals**
   Connect your VGA monitor and USB keyboard and mouse cables to the Vertiv™ Avocent® MergePoint Unity™ KVM over IP and serial console switch system for Dell.
2. **Connecting to a MPUIQ module**
   Connect a user-supplied CAT 5 cable to the switch. Connect the other end to the MPUIQ module.
3. **Connecting the MPUIQ module to a target device**
   Connect the video and either PS/2 or USB cable of the module to the target server. Repeat steps 2 and 3 for all target servers you want to connect.
4. **Connecting to the network**
   Connect network and remote users by connecting a user-supplied CAT 5 cable from the Ethernet network to the LAN1 port on the switch. Connect a second user-supplied CAT 5 cable from the Ethernet network to the LAN2 port on the switch to provide network failover redundant protection.
5. **Connecting a modem**
   (Optional) Connect the switch to an external modem (ITU V.92, V.90 or V.24-compatible) by connecting one end of the supplied CAT 5 cable to the MODEM port on the switch. Connect the other end to the supplied RJ-45 to DB-9 (male) adaptor, which then connects to the modem.
6. **Connecting to a PDU**
   (Optional) Connect a supported Power Distribution Unit (PDU) to the switch by connecting one end of a user-supplied CAT 5 cable to the PDU1 port on the switch. Connect the other end to the PDU. Connect the power cords from the target servers to the PDU. Connect the PDU to a power source. Repeat this procedure for the PDU2 port to connect a second PDU, if desired.
7. **Connecting to Virtual Media or CACs**
   (Optional) Connect the local Virtual Media (VM) or Common Access Card (CAC) reader to the USB ports on the switch.
8. **Connecting to power**
   Turn on each target server, then locate the jumper cord(s) that came with the switch. Connect one end to the switch and connect the other end to a power source. If using a switch equipped with dual power, use the second jumper cord to connect to the second power socket on the rear of the switch. Connect the opposite cord end to a power source.



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