

NF-A15 PWM

Noctua NF-A15 PWM Premium Fan



The NF-A15 is a premium quality quiet 140mm fan with a round frame that complies with Noctua's AAO (Advanced Acoustic Optimisation) standard. The NF-A15's frame features 120mm mounting holes (105mm spacing) and has been enlarged to 150mm width in order to provide superior performance on today's high-end CPU coolers. Featuring sophisticated aerodynamic design measures such as Flow Acceleration Channels, the NF-A15 further improves the renowned quiet cooling performance of the award-winning NF-P14. Noctua's custom designed PWM IC for fully automatic speed control and reference class SSO2 bearings guarantee superb running smoothness and excellent long-term stability. Topped off with modular cabling, a Low-Noise Adaptor and 6 years manufacturer's warranty, the NF-A15 is a premium choice for the highest demands.

Round 140mm frame with 150mm width

The NF-A15 is tailor-made for use on today's high-end CPU coolers: While its 150mm width matches those of most high-end heatsinks, its 140mm height doesn't make it extend on top and thus ensures best case compatibility. The NF-A15's standard 120mm mounting holes (105mm spacing) also make it an ideal performance upgrade for 120mm case or CPU fans.

Flow Acceleration Channels

The NF-A15 impeller features suction side Flow Acceleration Channels. By speeding up the airflow at the crucial outer blade regions, this measure reduces suction side flow separation and thus leads to better efficiency and lower vortex noise.

AAO Frame

Noctua's AAO (Advanced Acoustic Optimisation) frames feature integrated anti-vibration pads as well as Noctua's proprietary Stepped Inlet Design and Inner Surface Microstructures, both of which further refine the fan's performance/noise efficiency.

Stepped Inlet Design

Noctua's Stepped Inlet Design adds turbulence to the influx in order to facilitate the transition from laminar flow to turbulent flow, which reduces tonal intake noise, improves flow attachment and increases suction capacity, especially in space restricted environments.

Inner Surface Microstructures

With the tips of the fan blades ploughing through the boundary layer created by the Inner Surface Microstructures, flow separation from the suction side of the blades is significantly suppressed, which results in reduced blade passing noise and improved airflow and pressure efficiency.

SSO2 Bearing

The NF-A15 features the further optimised second generation of Noctua's renowned, time-tested SSO bearing. With SSO2, the rear magnet is placed closer to the axis to provide even better stabilisation, precision and durability.

Integrated Anti-Vibration Pads

Integrated Anti-Vibration Pads made from extra-soft silicone minimise the transmission of minute vibrations while maintaining full compatibility with all standard screws and other mounting systems.

Custom designed PWM IC with SCD

Supporting fully automatic PWM speed control, the NF-A15 PWM uses Noctua's novel, custom designed NE-FD1 PWM IC that integrates Smooth Commutation Drive (SCD) technology. By providing smoother torque impulses, SCD suppresses PWM switching noises and thus makes the fan quieter at low speeds.

Low-Noise Adaptor

The NF-A15 PWM is supplied with a Low-Noise Adaptor (L.N.A.) that reduces the maximum fan speed from 1200 to 900rpm. The L.N.A. can be used either to run the fan at a fixed speed of 900rpm or to cap the maximum speed when using automatic PWM control.

Extensive cabling options

The fan's short 20cm primary cable minimises cable clutter in typical applications while the supplied 30cm extension provides extended reach when necessary. Both cables are fully sleeved and the supplied 3:4 pin adaptor allows to connect the fan directly to the power supply.

6 years manufacturer's warranty

Noctua fans are renowned for their impeccable quality and outstanding longevity. Like all Noctua fans, the NF-A15 features an MTBF of more than 150.000 hours rating and comes with a full 6 years manufacturer's warranty.

LOGISTIC DATA

Product Name	Noctua NF-A15 PWM
EAN-No.	471612331480-6
UPC-No.	84243101419-1
Dimensions (HxWxD)	242 x 174 x 37 mm
Weight	340 gr
Warranty	6 years
MSPR	21.90 EUR
Packaging Unit	40 Pcs.
Dimensions / Unit (HxWxD)	440 x 400 x 390 mm
Weight / Unit	11.4 kg

SCOPE OF DELIVERY

NF-A15 PWM 140mm Premium Fan
Low-Noise Adaptor (L.N.A.)
4 Pin Y-Cable
30cm Extension Cable
4 Vibration-Compensators
4 Fan Screws

SPECIFICATIONS

Size	140 x 150 x 25 mm	
Bearing	SSO2-Bearing	
Blade Geometry	A-Series with Flow Acceleration Channels	
Max. Input Power//Operating Voltage	0.96 W/12V	
MTBF	> 150.000 h	
NF-A15 PWM	w/o Adaptor	with L.N.A.
Max. Rotational Speed (+/-10%)	1200 RPM	900 RPM
Max. Airflow	115.5 m³/h	88.7 m³/h
Max. Acoustical Noise	19.2 dB(A)	13.8 dB(A)
Max. Static Pressure	1.51 mmH2O	0.89 mmH2O