4. A system of claim **3** wherein a first hinge is used to facilitate said pivotal motion.

5. A system of claim **4** wherein a second hinge is used to facilitate said pivotal motion.

6. A data I/O unit comprising:

a first slider mechanism adapted and configured for cooperation with a 1 U-sized bay in a first rack of industrial personal computers;

said 1 U-sized bay having a front opening and a rear end, said front opening adapted and configured for accepting therethrough a 1 U-sized component;

a display/keyboard unifying mechanism which is pivotally coupled with a display and adapted and configured, via a second slider mechanism, for independent translational motion with a keyboard; and,

said display/keyboard.unifying mechanism is coupled with said first slider mechanism and is adapted and configured for unified translational motion of said display and said keyboard in and out of said 1 U-sized bay in said first rack of industrial personal computers.

7. A system of claim **6** wherein said display is a flat panel display which, when stowed in said 1 U-sized bay, is disposed in front of and closer to said front opening than said keyboard.

8. A system of claim **7** wherein said second slider mechanism and said display/keyboard unifying mechanism are adapted and configured so that said keyboard is selectively deployable, via translational motion, from beneath said display after said display has been pivoted upward with respect to said display keyboard unifying mechanism.

9. A system of claim **8** wherein said display/keyboard unifying mechanism is a mounting carriage coupled to both said display and said second slider mechanism.

10. An apparatus comprising:

a display for displaying graphical information to a viewer;

a data entry device for inputting data into an industrial computer;

means for guiding, in a first direction, a combination of said display and said data entry device into and out of a 1 U-sized slot in a rack of industrial computers;

means for pivoting said display; and,

means for guiding, in said first direction, said data entry device which is located under said display, after said display has been pivoted above said data entry device.

11. An apparatus of claim **10** wherein said means for guiding, in said first direction, said data entry device is a slider mechanism.

12. An apparatus of claim **10** wherein said data entry device is a keypad.

13. An apparatus of claim **12** wherein said display is an LCD display.

14. An apparatus of claim **13** wherein said means for pivoting comprises a hinge coupled to said display.

15. A system comprising:

a first rack of industrial personal computers;

a second rack of industrial personal computers;

an aisle disposed between said first rack of industrial personal computers and said second rack of industrial personal computers;

a 1 U-sized display/keyboard unit disposed in a 1 U-sized slot in said first rack of industrial personal computers;

said 1 U-sized display/keyboard unit comprising an LCD display for displaying graphical information and an alphanumeric keyboard for entering data;

said 1 U-sized display/keyboard unit is adapted and configured to stow said keyboard in a rear portion of said 1 U-sized display/keyboard unit and said display in a forward portion of said 1 U-sized display/keyboard unit;

said LCD display pivotally coupled so that it can be pivoted entirely above said alphanumeric keyboard; and,

said alphanumeric keyboard coupled so as to permit deployment from and retracting under said LCD display.

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