NetApp E/EF i FAS storage sistemi

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NetApp E/EF serija



Entry and enterprise-class block storage designed for superior price/performance, storage density, and throughput

Versatile reliable storage

- E2700
- E5600
- EF560

- Easy installation, low maintenance, and affordable
- Modular design: choice of shelves, drives, I/O
- Tunable performance: both IOPS, bandwidth, and latency
- Flash integration: performance and efficiency
- Sustained performance and automated management



E-Series focus on performance

Second Platform Enterprise

Workloads and Applications

- Classic database and OLTP
- Data warehouses/in-memory
- At-scale backup

Third Platform Enterprise

Workloads and Applications

- Hadoop
- NoSQL databases
- Analytics

Dedicated Workloads

Workloads and Applications

- HPC
- Cybersecurity
- Video analytics

NetApp E-Series at a glance

200+

Patents

85,000

Items in current interoperability matrix

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SANtricity® is the #1 SAN OS

Flexible modular system design

SANtricity disk structure

- Volumes are preallocated and statically mapped
- Based on RAID groups or disk pools
- Benefit: architected for performance and simplicity
- Volume groups can include up to 30 drives, except RAID 10 can be all drives; in practice, most groups should not exceed 12 drives
- DDP can use all drives in the system, best performance with 30 to 60 drive pools

SANtricity RAID levels

Block-level striping with a distributed parity

Traditional RAID volumes

- Disk drives organized into volume groups
- Volumes reside across the drives in a volume group
 - Performance is dictated by the number of spindles
- Hot spares sit idle until a drive fails
 - Spare capacity is "stranded"

24-drive system with 2 10-drive groups (8+2) and 4 hot spares

Traditional RAID: drive failure

- Data is reconstructed onto hot spare
 - Single drive responsible for all writes (bottleneck)
 - Reconstruction happens linearly (one stripe at a time)
- Performance for all volumes in that group are significantly affected

24-drive system with 2 10-drive groups (8+2) and 4 hot spares

Dynamic Disk Pools (DDP) stripes

- Each stripe resides on 10 drives within the pool
 - Always 10 drives, regardless of pool size
- Intelligent algorithm defines which drives are used
 - A different set of 10 drives is used for each stripe

24-Drive Pool

Dynamic Disk Pools: disk failure

- For each stripe that has data on a failed disk:
 - Segments on other disks are read to rebalance data
 - A new disk is chosen to rebalance segments from failed disk
- Rebalance operations run in parallel across all drives

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SANtricity OS features

Encryption requires additional feature key; all others bundled with SANtricity

NetApp FAS – Clustered Data ONTAP

HA pair of FAS controllers

HA pairs may reside in the same chassis

Provides redundancy

- Has an interconnect to mirror writes to partner's nonvolatile RAM (NVRAM)
- Each controller has connections to its partner's disks
- Provides redundant network connections

= 7-mode Data ONTAP

Aggregates and RAID groups

- Data is protected using NetApp®
 RAID DP® or RAID-4
- RAID DP can survive two simultaneous disk failures per RAID group
- One or more RAID groups form an aggregate
- An aggregate can consist of SSDs, spinning media, or both
- Aggregates provide physical storage for one or more flexible volumes

Logical interfaces (LIFs)

- Provide client and host connectivity to storage
 - NAS LIFs have an IP address
 - SAN LIFs have a WWPN
- LIFs use a network port for physical connectivity
- NAS LIFs can nondisruptively move to another network port
 - Client I/O continues uninterrupted
- SAN LIFs do not need to move
 - Paths to a LUN can be added or removed
 - The host's ALUA MPIO stack will switch to the most direct path nondisruptively

Cluster overview

- Nodes are paired for high availability
- Consists of 1 to 24 nodes

- Up to 103PB in a single system
- Is connected with a dedicated, dualfabric 10GbE interconnect

Cluster overview

- Set of connected storage nodes that work together as a single system
- Infrastructure changes do not affect user data access

The host and client view of a cluster

Storage Virtual Machines (SVMs)

- Virtual storage systems
- Define storage services available to tenants or applications
- Required for data access
- Serve SAN, NAS, or both
- Include FlexVol® volumes and LUNs
 - Can use physical storage on any cluster node
- Include logical interfaces (LIFs); a LIF may have an IP address or a WWPN
 - Can have LIFs on any cluster node

The host and client view of a cluster

Storage virtual machines decouple storage services from physical hardware

- A cluster can act as many virtual storage systems
 - Enabling multi-tenancy
- A cluster can act as one virtual storage system
 - Enables scale-out

Nondisruptive operations

- Move flexible volumes, LUNs, and LIFs while data is accessed
- The client or host view remains the same as data and network access changes

Storage Virtual Machine (SVM) 1 Storage Virtual Machine (SVM) 2 Storage Virtual Machine (SVM) 3

Backup, recovery, and business continuity

Data protection and DR between sites

NetApp® SnapMirror® software

- Asynchronous mirroring to the same or a different cluster
- Can become the writable primary copy during a DR event
- Can resync with the original source when primary site comes online
- NetApp SnapVault® software
 - Long-term NetApp Snapshot® archive in the same or a different cluster
- NetApp MetroCluster[™] software
 - Synchronous mirroring between two 2-node clusters up to 200km apart
 - Simple failover procedure

Quality of Service (QoS)

- Measure and control I/O
- Policy-based
- Limit I/O operations per second (IOPS) or raw throughput
- Use on SVMs, flexible volumes, data files, compute virtual machine disks, or LUNs
- Control bully workloads
- Manage tenant expectations

Proven efficiency

- Deduplication
- Compression
- NetApp® FlexVol® cloning
- LUN cloning
- File cloning
- Thin provisioning
- Virtual storage tiering
- Use individually or in combination

Proven efficiency

- A single resource pool
- Unified SAN and NAS
- On-demand performance and capacity optimization
- NetApp® AutoSupport[™] system
- Single system to manage
- Leverage third-party storage arrays with NetApp FlexArray[™] software

 Import third-party LUNs with Foreign LUN Import

Seamless scalability

Scale out to meet tenancy and application requirements

- Scales to 24 NAS-enabled nodes
 - Clients can access NAS volumes in a single namespace
 - Up to 103PB maximum capacity
- Scales to 8 SAN-enabled nodes
 - 96,000 LUNs per cluster

Scalable storage solution portfolio on a single architecture

Targeted solutions from FAS storage to third-party storage to the cloud

NetApp All Flash FAS

The next big wave in flash

Flash is better than high-performance disk in every way—including cost and capacity

How is AFF Different From FAS?

- Same Controller
 - AFF8000 only
- Same DataONTAP
 - 8.3.x required for AFF
- Same SSDs
 - FAS support HDD as well

- AFF Specific Features
 - Storage efficiencies are enabled by default
 - DOT loads Flash Optimized code paths when booting on an AFF system.
 - Optimized SCSI drivers
 - Read Path Optimizations
 - Thresholds lowered to take advantage of SSD
 - Advanced Drive Partitioning
 - Increases usable capacity by up to 17%

All Flash FAS runs Data ONTAP 8.3.x

Protocols			
FC			IR
FCoE			
iSCSI			
NFS/pNFS			
CIFS/SMB			
	All Flash	All Flash and Hybrid Flash/ HDD	

Unified Management

- Scale-out and non-disruptive operations
- Data Mobility within a cluster
- Integrated data protection (Snapshots, SnapMirror, SnapVault)
- Storage efficiencies (RAID-DP, Thin Provisioning, FlexClone, Dedupe, Inline Compression)
- Advanced application integration
- Secure multi-tenancy, QOS, add without re-architecting

Multiple Deployment Options

All Flash FAS HA Pair

Performance for dedicated workload

All-Flash FAS cluster

Scale-out performance and capacity

• Up to 24 nodes and nearly 5PB (NAS)

AFF w/Hybrid and HDD only FAS nodes in DataONTAP cluster

- Leverage AFF nodes for high-performance apps
- Transparently balance workloads between all three tiers within the cluster

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Data ONTAP 8.3.1 AFF Read Optimizations

Data ONTAP 8.2.x vs 8.3 vs 8.3.1

- Read Fast Path to Storage optimizations streamline read responses and requests
- Cumulative random read latency reduction of ~1 ms with Data ONTAP 8.3.1

Inline (Zero) Deduplication

- All data entering the system is hashed and compared
- Data that is similar is marked for deeper bit for bit inspection
- Zeros are immediately detected and eliminated with Inline Deduplication

Inline 8KB Compression

- Compresses 8KB aligned I/O 'segments' into a 4KB WAFL block
 - Optimized for database applications
 - Maximum space savings is 50%, if all 8KB segments are compressible
 - Larger I/Os require multiple compression operations e.g. 4 ops for 32KB
- On by default for new AFF volumes created with 8.3.1
 - Can be enabled on pre-existing volumes only new writes are compressed
 - Optional policy for Flash Pool aggregate volumes
- Protocol and application independent algorithm
- Quick assessment reduces CPU consumed on incompressible I/O
- Predetermine savings with NetApp Space Savings Estimation Tool

Always-On Deduplication

Storage efficiency with consistent latency!

- Aggressive deduplication schedule running every minute!
- Provides consistent latencies
- Client work takes precedence over background operations!
- All Flash FAS only
- Virtual Desktop environments ONLY!

1	Add Efficiency Policy		×		
	A storage efficiency policy runs deduplication based on a job schedule or a threshold value for modified data.				
	Policy Name:	Always-On Deduplication			
	Policy Run By:	Schedule ChangeLog Threshold			
Schedule Name: Always-On Deduplication					
	Maximum Runtime:	hours			
	Schedule Details:	Advance cron - {Minute: 0,1,2,3,4,5,6			
	 Set QoS policy to background Running deduplication in background reduces the performance impact on client operations. Tell me more about efficiency policies 				
		Add Cancel			

Storage Efficiency – Reducing Data Footprint, Lowering Costs

- AFF efficiency features
 - Inline 8KB Compression
 - Default in 8.3.1 for AFF
 - Inline Zero Deduplication
 - Always-On Deduplication
 - Optimized for VDI
 - Advanced Drive Partitioning

- Data ONTAP efficiency features
 - Snapshots
 - FlexClones
 - Thin provisioning
 - FlexVol and LUN
 - Space efficient replication
 - Only consumed space replicated

6.4:1 observed savings among install base (ASUP data)

NetApp All Flash portfolio

NetApp offers the broadest all-flash portfolio in the industry

	EF-Series	SolidFire	All Flash FAS
Lead Differentiation:	Speed/lowest latency	Scale	Data services
Buyer/Influencer:	 Infrastructure buyer, application owner 	Cloud architect	 Infrastructure architect
Deployment Model:	 Standalone apps/database acceleration 	 Cloudlike infrastructure 	 Virtual infrastructure Image: Construct of the pair of the pair

NetApp Flash Leadership

Metrics through January 2015 (Q4 FY15)

Positioning AFF and EF

All Flash FAS | Data ONTAP®

EF560 | SANtricity®

Performance and versatility

Fast and single purpose

When to deploy

	FAS	E-Series	EF-Series
Protocol	 Unified and file 	 Block 	 Block
Data Management	Needed in the storage layer	 Advanced management provided up-stack (app, OS, or file system)¹ 	 Advanced management provided up-stack (app, OS, or file system)¹
Workload Characteristics	Shared, concurrentTransactional	Dedicated, sequentialIOP-intensive random IO	Extreme low-latency
Performance Requirements	Mixed I/OScale-out IOPS	BandwidthScale-up IOPS	 Consistent ultralow latency
Capacity	Scale-out to 65PB	Scale-up to 3PB	Up to 192TB raw
Data Protection	Integrated	 Application-driven 	 Application-driven
Efficiencies	DedupeCompression	Capacity/UPerformance/U	Performance/U
Flash	 Hybrid cache tier (read or read/write) Persistent storage 	 Hybrid cache tier (read only) Persistent storage 	 Persistent storage

1. SANtricity® provides value-add on-box management features and application integration plug-ins for enhanced application-based management.

Hvala na pažnji!

