Fast track to Windows Server HCI

PRIMEFLEX for Microsoft Storage Spaces Direct

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The cloud-ready operating system that boosts
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Hyper-converged infrastructures (HCI) are transforming the economics of IT. Unlike traditional infrastructures, HCI is software-defined, creating a next generation data center foundation that's even more cost-efficient, resilient, and adaptable to changing business scenarios.

Fujitsu Integrated System PRIMEFLEX for Microsoft Storage Spaces Direct is a pre-configured and pre-tested integrated system, providing IT organizations with the easiest way to deploy a hyper-converged IT infrastructure based on software-defined server and storage technology (Hyper-V and Storage Spaces Direct) integrated in Windows Server 2022. In combination with a standardized implementation and infrastructure solution support service, PRIMEFLEX for Microsoft Storage Space Direct dramatically simplifies the complete life cycle experience of a Windows Server-based hyper-converged IT infrastructure – from deployment, to operation and maintenance. With Azure hybrid services integrated in Windows Admin Center, organizations easily connect their on-premises deployment to the cloud.

Your advantages:

- Achieve 150k+ IOPS per server with sub-millisecond latency
- Scale from 2 to 16 servers and up to 4 PB of raw storage
- Get 10x more usable storage for free with deduplication and compression
- Reduce storage TCO by up to 50%
- Simplify path to hybrid IT

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If your organization is making the move to HCI, PRIMEFLEX for Microsoft Storage Spaces Direct will make it a success:

Need for speed?
Set up a high-performance, responsive virtual IT infrastructure that provides consistent IOPS with sub-millisecond response times. In all-flash or hybrid disk configurations, Storage Spaces Direct easily exceeds 150,000 IO operations (IOPS) per server.

Protect your business
Built-in resiliency handles drive, server, or component failures – delivering continuous availability, even in smaller ROBO or edge environments.

Dynamically adapt resources to business needs
Scale-out or scale-in seamlessly as the needs of your organizations change. Windows Server 2019 now supports clusters with up to 16 server nodes and 4 PB of storage, which is great for media, backup, and archival use cases.

Increase operational efficiency
Manage and monitor your Microsoft HCI environment with the new purpose-built management tool for Windows Server – Windows Admin Center. No specialized skill or expensive training is required – perfect for environments such as edge, remote or branch office locations with limited IT staff.

Improve storage efficiency
Get up to 10 times more usable storage for free with deduplication and compression support in Windows Server 2022. Enjoy 2 times better performance in mirror-accelerated parity, a storage configuration to get the best of both – fast write performance and better capacity efficiency than mirroring alone.

Reduce costs
PRIMEFLEX for Microsoft Storage Spaces Direct uses local storage only. This reduces storage TCO by up to 50% and eliminates the need for extra tools and training for managing complex external SAN infrastructures.

Reduce virtualization software licence costs
The Windows Server 2022 Datacenter licence that comes with PRIMEFLEX for Microsoft Storage Spaces Direct already includes all rights to use the integrated server and storage virtualization functionality. There is no need to acquired additional licences for compute and storage virtualization software.

Save floor space, power and cooling
The convergence of compute and storage resources in an industry-standard server reduces your infrastructure footprint, saves floor space, power and cooling expenses.

Simplify path to hybrid IT
Seamlessly connect to Azure cloud to extend your on-premises deployment to a hybrid cloud solution.

Enjoy best-in-class life cycle management
Get best deployment and support experience with standardized implementation and infrastructure support services providing a single point of contact for support for the complete technology stack.

PRIMEFLEX for Microsoft Storage Spaces Direct is powered by Fujitsu PRIMERGY servers, providing the industry's most complete x86-based server portfolio.

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