High Performance
RAID Storage
for Data Intensive
Applications

SGI® InfiniteStorage 4600-SP



SYSTEM HIGHLIGHTS

Balance Performance

Multi-dimensional Adaptability

Increased Connectivity

Robust Data Protection

High Performance RAID Storage for Data-Intensive Applications and Large Consolidations

Success often depends on the speed at which data can be acquired, processed and retrieved, especially when addressing the needs of core business applications. The flagship of SGI's storage system product line, the SGI InfiniteStorage 4600-SP (IS4600) delivers breakthrough performance, capacity and scalability to support the escalating storage and I/O demands of today's database-driven applications and large-scale consolidation/virtualization environments.

Part of a proven architecture built on more than 25 years of storage expertise, the IS4600-SP is comfortable supporting the most demanding service level agreements (SLA). Its industry-leading performance is equally adept at supporting data-intensive applications and transactional, high I/O workloads. This ability to deliver balanced performance allows the IS4600-SP to easily handle the diverse and concurrent workloads created by consolidation and virtualization implementations.

Flexibility and Efficiency

As data grows and budgets stay flat, IT managers are looking for ways to lower costs and simplify their infrastructure without sacrificing SLAs. To go along with its relentless performance, the IS4600-SP offers a unique combination of flexibility and efficiency to meet those needs. A range of drive types and enclosures ensures data is stored on the technology that best meets performance, protection and cost requirements. The 16-bay drive tray allows high-performance solid state and Fibre Channel drives, and highcapacity SATA drives, to be intermixed in a single enclosure—providing cost-effective storage

tiering and maximum flexibility. And for environments that store vast amounts of data, the 60-bay drive tray offers tremendous storage density and significant operational savings.

Protected and Secure

Architected to provide the highest reliability and availability, the IS4600-SP offers redundant components, automated I/O path failover, and extensive online administration capabilities to ensure your data is available 24x7x365. The IS4600-SP ensures stored data is protected as well. Self-encrypting drives secure data at rest with no performance penalty, Proactive Drive Health Monitoring (PDHM) technology identifies faulty drives before they create problems, RAID 6 technology guards against concurrent drive failures and errors, and persistent cache backup ensures any data in cache is capture and safe in the event of a power outage.

Comprehensive Storage Management

Featuring Java-based enterprise level administration software, IS4600-SP enables enhanced configuration flexibility, custom performance tuning and a variety of replication options. The solution allows continuous access to user data during administrative tasks including expansion and maintenance of the system. Additionally IS4600-SP lowers storage management costs through centralized management of all storage systems, run-anywhere flexibility, a common interface across all operating systems and fully integrated premium features.



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Configuration Specifications

Controller	4600-SP
RAID Controllers	Dual, active
Cache Sizes	8GB (upgrades to 16GB and 32GB available)
Host Interfaces	4Gb FC (16 ports) or 8Gb FC (16 ports), 10Gb iSCSI (8 ports)
Partitions	2 Standard
Current Software Release Level	SANtricity ES Storage Manager 10.77
Controller Features	
RAID Levels	0, 1, 3, 5, 6, 10
Cache backup	Cache destaged to Flash in case of power loss
LUNs	512 LUNs per partition, 2048 total
Global Hot Spare Drives	Unlimited
Power and Cooling	Dual, redundant, hot swappable
Number of Drives Supported	448 in 16-bay Enclosures, 480 in 60-bay Enclosures
Optional Software Features	
Additional Partitions	4, 8, 16, 64, 128, 256, or 512
SnapCopy	4 or 16 Snaps
Volume Copy	Supported
Remote Volume Mirroring	64 or 128 Remote Mirrors
Controller Enclosure Dimensions	
Rack Height	4 U
Height	6.9", 17.5 cm
Width	19", 48.3 cm
Depth	23.5", 59.7 cm
Weight	80.5 lbs., 36.5 kg
16-Bay Drive Enclosure Dimensio	ns
Drive Size	3.5"
Rack Height	3 U
Height	5.3", 31.1 cm
Width	17.6", 44.7 cm
Depth	23.5", 59.7 cm
Max Weight	56.1 lbs., 25.4 kg
60-Bay Drive Enclosure Dimensio	ns
Drive Size	3.5"
Rack Height	4 U
Height	7", 17.78 cm
Width	19", 48.26 cm
Depth	32.5", 82.55 cm
Max Weight	232 lbs., 105.2 kg
Rack Dimensions	
Total U	40
Height	78", 198.1 cm
Width	24", 60.9 cm
Depth	40", 101.6 cm

Drive Options		
SSD	73GB	
FC and Self-encrypting FC	300GB 15K RPM 450GB 15K RPM 600GB 15K RPM	
SATA	1TB 7200 RPM 2TB 7200 RPM	
Supported Operating	ng Systems	
	SLES 10.3, 11.1	
	RHEL 5.6, 6.0	
	VMware 3.5, 4.1	
	Sun Solaris 10	
	HP-UX* 11.31 (FC only)	
	IBM AIX* 6.1, 7.1 (FC only)	
	Windows Server 2003	
	Windows Server 2008	
	Mac® OS X*	
AC Power		
Controller	2.65 max @ 240 VAC (180 to 260 VAC, 50/60 HZ)	
16-bay Enclosure	1.97A max @ 240 VAC (180 to 264 VAC, 50/60 HZ)	
60-bay Enclsoure	7.20A max @ 240 VAC (200 to 240 VAC, 50/60 HZ)	
Environment		
Operating Temperature	32°F to 104°F (10°C to 40°C) for 16 bay enclosure 32°F to 95°F (10°C to 35°C) for 60 bay enclosure	
Relative Humidity	20% to 80% non-condensing	
Altitude	100' below sea level (-30.5m) to 10,000' (3058m)	
Optional Host Softv	vare	
DMF	Data Lifecycle Management (Archive) policy automation software virtualizes storage devices and automates the migration and archive of digital content throughout a virtual tiered storage pool based upon business policies	

^{*}Failover support by third party suppliers

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