

Overview

HPE StoreFabric SN1600 32Gb Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapter

The HPE StoreFabric 32Gb Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapters are designed to support ProLiant Servers with PCI-Express I/O slots to connect to Hewlett Packard Enterprise Storage Arrays using the 32/16/8 Gb Fibre Channel protocol.

The HPE 32GFC Host Bus Adapters bring datacenter infrastructure components to a higher level of performance and efficiency with the ability to deliver twice the bandwidth performance of 16Gb HBAs at lower latency. A 32GFC HBA purchased today is backward compatible with 16Gb and 8Gb storage networks and will protect future investments. When using storage intensive applications, such as backup/restore, database transactions, virtualization, and rich media, the increased performance of the 32GFC infrastructure enables rapid storage and retrieval of critical information. Designed for environments with greater virtual machine density and bandwidth requirements, the 32GFC HBAs enable more applications and VMs to run on a single host server and Fibre Channel port, resulting in reduced cabling and a higher return on IT investment. Enhanced diagnostics and orchestration capabilities make 32Gb Fibre Channel adapters well suited for to deliver on SLA requirements and application performance.

What's New

- HPE ProLiant Gen10 Servers support

Key Features and Benefits

Performance

Up to two ports of Gen6 FC delivers 1.6 million¹ IOPS and 12,800MBps bandwidth across two 32GFC ports. Enhanced reliability, diagnostics, and accelerated deployment powered by Gen 6 Fibre Channel ASIC.

Advanced integration with HPE StoreFabric B-series Gen 5 and Gen 6 fabrics to speed SAN deployment and configuration, speed and simplify SAN diagnostics, improve SAN resiliency and Quality of Service.

Best combination of Fibre Channel IOPS, latency and throughput performance enables increased application and database transactions per second, enables faster large block transfers and increases the number of VMs that can be supported per server.

Support for greater Server Virtualization

Higher bandwidth and ability to virtualize physical ports with QoS in the adapter, make these adapters ideal for high density server virtualization environments for increased scalability. Enables more applications and VMs to run on a single server and Fibre Channel port, resulting in reduced cabling and a higher return on IT investment.

Connectivity to HPE Server and Storage

Provides an HPE-branded HBA solution which has undergone extensive HPE interoperability testing for connecting HPE ProLiant servers into HPE Storage and networking environments.

NOTE: The HPE SN1600E delivers 1.6 million IOPS on a single port or in aggregate across both ports.

LUN Prioritization and QoS

HPE 32Gb FC HBAs support Class Specific Control (CS_CTL) which allows prioritization and bandwidth allocation at the LUN level. In addition, the SN1600Q adapters support Virtual Machine ID (VM-ID) which further enhances prioritization and monitoring to the virtual machine within the SAN, providing a VM-aware storage network. These features are managed using the management software, downloadable from [HPE Software Downloads](#).

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Models	Description	Part Number
Single Port		
SN1600Q Single Port	HPE StoreFabric SN1600Q 32Gb Single Port Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapter	P9M75A
SN1600E Single Port	HPE StoreFabric SN1600E 32Gb Single Port Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapter	Q0L11A
Dual Port		
SN1600Q Dual Port	HPE StoreFabric SN1600Q 32Gb Dual Port Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapter	P9M76A
SN1600E Dual Port	HPE StoreFabric SN1600E 32Gb Dual Port Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapter	Q0L12A

Standard Features

FC-NVMe Ready

HPE 32Gb Fibre Channel Host Bus Adapters are NVMe-enabled to support emerging NVM Express (NVMe) over Fibre Channel storage networks.

Active Health System

All HPE 32GFC adapters support HPE ProLiant Active Health System integration. This helps administrators accurately troubleshoot and resolves problem within the server faster.

Smart SAN support

Smart SAN is a protocol agnostic application embedded in SAN components that enables the 3PAR to orchestrate configuration, settings and policies in a SAN. HPE Smart SAN's Target Driven Zoning enables you to configure zones accurately in minutes and not in hours and its automatic discovery mechanism creates a powerful platform which would enable real-time diagnostics with self-healing in the near future.

Secure Firmware download

The SN1600E delivers enhanced security via the new secure firmware update feature which protects and ensures the authenticity of device firmware.

T10 Protection Information (T10-PI)

HPE 32GFC adapters support T10-PI for enhanced data integrity when connected to T10-PI enabled arrays like HPE 3PAR StoreServ.

Forward error correction (FEC)

FEC is enabled and improved at 32GFC as required by the FC Specification, automatically correcting transmission errors and improving network performance and resiliency.

Class-specific Control (CS_CTL)

QoS capability that enables administrators to prioritize storage traffic to meet the needs of critical VM workloads.

Link cable beaconing (LCB)

LED beaconing for ports on both ends of a physical link simplifies cable identification and management.

D-Port Diagnostics

Quickly run automated diagnostic tests in a single step, across multiple adapters, servers, and fabric components to assess connectivity. Optics and cable problems are identified and resolved.

FDMI,FC Ping, FC Trace Route

Quickly check connectivity to SAN devices and query the switch management server for in-depth details on connected devices. Trace Route capability supported on SN1600Q.

Read Diagnostic Parameters (RDP)

Identify the source of network and media errors like cyclic redundancy check (CRC) and loss of sync (LOS) by remotely accessing diagnostic information from anywhere in the fabric.

Standard Features

Fabric-assigned Port Worldwide Name (FA_WWN)

Administrators can preconfigure WWN settings at the switch port allowing Fibre Channel adapter to acquire port WWN address from the Gen 5 16Gb or Gen 6 32GFCfabric. This allows SAN administrator to configure SAN zoning without need for servers to be present.

Fabric-based Boot LUN (F_BLD)

Allows Boot-LUN information directly from 16Gb or 32GFCswitch, speeding up deployment of new servers in a SAN environment.

Service and Support

HPE Support Services and Warranty Information

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Recommended Services

Support for this adapter is at the level of server it is a part of. Please check the quick specs of the server.

Parts and Materials

HPE will provide HPE-supported replacement parts and materials necessary to maintain the covered hardware product in operating condition, including parts and materials for available and recommended engineering improvements.

Parts and components that have reached their maximum supported lifetime and/or the maximum usage limitations as set forth in the manufacturer's operating manual, product quick-specs, or the technical product data sheet will not be provided, repaired, or replaced as part of these services.

The defective media retention service feature option applies only to Disk or eligible SSD/Flash Drives replaced by HPE due to malfunction.

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Warranty

3-0-0 Three-year parts exchange warranty. Additional warranty protection can be purchased.

HPE Global Services provides a three-year, limited warranty, fully supported by a worldwide network of resellers and service providers and toll-free 7 x 24 hardware technical phone support for the duration of the warranty. In addition, available service offerings include a full range of HPE Pointnext operational packaged hardware and software services.

NOTE: Certain restrictions and exclusions apply. Consult the HPE Customer Support Center for details.

Technical Specifications

	P9M75A	P9M76A	Q0L11A	Q0L12A
Number of channels	Single	Dual	Single	Dual
Port Speed	32GFC	32GFC	32GFC	32GFC
OS Supported	<p>NOTE: Always refer to the HPE Single Point of Connectivity Knowledge for HPE Storage Products at: http://www.hpe.com/storage/spock for specific product support information and specific OS versions supported.</p>			
Microsoft Windows Server 2016/2012/2012 R2 & HyperV	x64	x64	x64	x64
RHEL 7.x, 6.x	x64	x64	x64	x64
VMware ESX/ESXi 6.5, 6.0	x64	x64	x64	x64
SLES 12.x, 11.x	x64	x64	x64	x64
Servers Supported	Select HPE ProLiant Gen10 & Gen9 servers			
	<p>NOTE: Refer to server Quick Specs for details regarding supported options.</p>			
Array Platforms Supported	Refer to http://www.hpe.com/storage/spock for specific product support information			
What's Included in the Box?	32 Gbps HBA with standard bracket, one 32 Gbps SFP+ transceiver, low-profile bracket, documentation	32 Gbps HBA with standard bracket, two 32 Gbps SFP+ transceiver, low-profile bracket, documentation	32 Gbps HBA with standard bracket, one 32 Gbps SFP+ transceiver, low-profile bracket, documentation	32 Gbps HBA with standard bracket, two 32 Gbps SFP+ transceiver, low-profile bracket, documentation
Environmental - Operating Temperature	32° F to 131° F 0° C to 55° C 110 LFPM at 55° C		32 F to 131° F 0° C to 55° C	
Environmental - Storage Temperature	-4° F to 158° F (-20° C to 70° C)		-4° F to 185° F (-20° C to 85° C)	
Environmental - Relative Humidity - Operating	10% to 90% RH at 40° C (non-condensing)		10% to 90% RH at 40° C (non-condensing)	
Product Dimensions (W x D x H)	6.59 x 0.49 x 4.38 in (12.34x167.51x111.25mm)		6.6 x 0.69 x 2.71 in (167.6 x 17.5 x 68.9 mm)	
Media	Multi-mode Optic (SFP+)		Multi-mode Optic (SFP+)	
Connector	Short wave laser with LC type connector		Short wave laser with LC type connector	
PCIe Connector	PCIe 3.0 x8			
Auto-negotiation	32/16/8 Gbps			

Summary of Changes

Date	Version History	Action	Description of Change
07-Jan-2019	Version 7	Changed	Feature information edited with latest information Overview and Service and Support sections were updated
18-Dec-2017	From Version 5 to 6	Changed	Overview section was revised.
07-Aug-2017	From Version 4 to 5	Changed	Added Gen10 server support
08-May-2017	From Version 3 to 4	Changed	Changes made throughout the document
24-Feb-2017	From Version 2 to 3	Changed	Feature and table of specifications are cleaned up with latest information
28-Nov-2016	From Version 1 to 2	Changed	32Gb SN1600E Single Port and Dual Port adapters added
26-Sept-2016	Version 1	New	New QuickSpecs



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