



EonStor GS Family

Scale-out High Availability Unified Storage for Enterprise



Highlights

Extreme Performance and Scalability

- Up to 900K end-to-end IOPS to accelerate storage operations
- Massive sequential throughput of up to 11GB/s read and 8GB/s write per GS appliance
- Supports scale-out and scale-up, a single GS cluster can support more than 40PB

Easier to Use and Manage

- Provides a single namespace for easier access and auto-balancing to reduce the burden of IT storage management

Lower Total Cost of Ownership

- Uses SSDs for high-performance IO and NL-SAS/ SATA HDDs for massive data archiving via automated storage tiering
- Uses several SSDs for cache to reach near all-flash system performance; this helps to increase performance not only for database and VDI applications but also for file operation and NAS performance

Introduction

The EonStor GS series forms the backbone of high-performance enterprise storage solution with its powerful performance, flexibility, and high expandability helping to efficiently boost overall productivity. EonStor GS can handle large amounts of I/O and file transfers even under high workloads and is especially suitable for hybrid environments adopting SAN, NAS, and Cloud integration. It is perfect for those who want performance, capacity, and rich I/O options, and at the same time, it is ideal for budget-conscious applications as it can easily meet all general storage needs.

High Performance

EonStor GS series provides both high IOPS and high throughput. Supporting high-speed transmission interfaces and protocols, such as 32Gb/s FC and 40GbE, the series delivers up to 11 GB/s read and 8 GB/s write in throughput and 900K IOPS on a single appliance.

High Scalability when Needed

EonStor GS supports scale-out and scale-up feature to easily expand performance and capacity to more than 40PB.

Through the scale-out expansion, GS can linearly increase performance and capacity for both block-level and file-level data. When one GS is no longer able to provide enough performance or capacity, you can simply add GS appliances to the cluster – with a maximum of 4 GS units.

Through the scale-up expansion, each GS supports JBOD expansion enclosures to add up to 896 hard drives for increasing storage capacity.



Easy Data Access for Users and Simple IT Management

Users can access shared folders in a single root directory under a single namespace, so they don't need to worry about where the data is placed. Auto-balancing is also supported to achieve the benefit of load balancing without the burden of manual IT planning and configuration.

High Efficiency

EonStor GS supports hybrid storage. With the automated storage tiering function, EonStor GS storage can automatically leverage the advantages of SSDs for high-performance IO and HDDs for massive data archiving. It allows users to flexibly assign applications to tiers distinguished by different drive types and RAID levels.

EonStor GS supports SSD cache that leverages high speed and low latency of SSDs for delivering faster performance when accessing frequently demanded vital data. The feature helps users to meet high I/O loads and storage capacity requirements while dramatically boosting performance. It presents advantages for read-intensive SAN environments, such as online transaction processing (OLTP) and email (Microsoft Exchange). It also enhances read and write performance for NAS and improves user experience for file operation when a large number of files are stored in GS.

Complete Data Protection and Backup

EonStor GS offers multiple data protection features to guarantee that data is tightly protected. For solid-state drive, EonStor GS incorporated Infortrend's unique RAID technology which helps the system to run normally while ensuring your data is fully protected even when a disk fails. In terms of local data backup, EonStor GS supports a flexible backup solution – snapshot. Users can back up all the resources within the storage system by schedule, including volumes, shared folder, and fulfill a rollback to a previous snapshot image. As for remote backup, you can use the remote replication feature to back up the data to a remote GS appliance, or even to a public cloud with the EonCloud Gateway feature.

High Reliability

From power supplies, fans, controllers, to host boards, the modular design of all these hardware components lowers maintenance complexity and provides fast and precise technical support and RMA services, allowing EonStor GS to provide continuous services, increase productivity, and gain a competitive edge.

Intelligent Management of SSD Drives

EonStor GS has an intelligent algorithm that arranges data writing in the storage appliance. The algorithm not only reduces the total amount of writes on an SSD to prolong its lifespan but also prevents multiple SSDs from failing at the time and causing data loss. In addition, as EonStor GS monitors SSD status in real time, it can estimate its remaining lifespan and send a notification to remind the administrator to replace the SSD which is about to fail.

Easy Management

With the constant evolution of storage platforms, EonStor GS adopted the EonOne management software to assist customers in improving storage and service efficiency for increasing productivity. Its intuitive interface design enables centralized management of cluster and multiple appliances, monitoring of performance and capacity usage, and completion of all related system configurations.

PHYSICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Product Series		GS 1000 Gen2	GS 2000	GS 3000 Gen2	GS 4000 Gen2
Form Factor & Available Model	2U 12-bay	GS 1012R2CF/S2CF	GS 2012R/S GS 2012RT/ST	GS 3012R2CF/S2CF	GS 4012R2CF/S2CF
	2U 24-bay	GS 1024R2CBF/S2CBF	GS 2024RB/SB GS 2024RTB/STB	-	-
	2U 25-bay	-	-	GS 3025R2CBF/S2CBF	GS 4025R2CBF/S2CBF
	3U 16-bay	GS 1016R2CF/S2CF	GS 2016R/S GS 2016RT/ST	GS 3016R2CF/S2CF	GS 4016R2CF/S2CF
	4U 24-bay	GS 1024R2CF/S2CF	GS 2024R/S GS 2024RT/ST	GS 3024R2CF/S2CF	GS 4024R2CF/S2CF
	4U 60-bay	-	-	GS 3060R2CLF/G2LF	GS 4060R2CLF/G2LF
Note: G: Single controller, not upgradable S: Single controller, upgradable to dual redundant controllers R: Dual redundant controllers 2: Gen2 T: High performance C: Super capacitor B: 2.5" drive L: One drawer F: EonCloud Gateway					
Controller	Dual redundant or single upgradable to dual redundant			Single, dual redundant, or single upgradable to dual redundant	
Cache Backup Technology	Super capacitor + flash module (Only for upgradable to dual redundant controller and dual redundant controllers models)				
CPU	Intel® Atom® 4 Core	Intel® Pentium® 2 or 4 core	Intel® Xeon® D 4 Core	Intel® Xeon® D 8 Core	
Cache Memory (per System)	Single Controller	Default DDR3 8GB Expandable up to 16GB	Default DDR4 8GB Expandable up to 64GB	Default DDR4 8GB, Expandable up to 256GB	
	Redundant Controller	Default DDR3 16GB Expandable up to 32GB	Default DDR4 16GB Expandable up to 128GB	Default DDR4 16GB, Expandable up to 512GB	
Supported Drives	2.5" SAS SSD 2.5" 12Gb/s SAS 10,000 or 15,000 RPM HDD 3.5" 12Gb/s NL-SAS 7,200 RPM HDD 2.5" SATA SSD, 3.5" 6Gb/s SATA 7,200 RPM HDD (G/S model only)				
Note: For the latest compatibility details, refer to our official website for the latest Compatibility Matrix.					
Max. Drive Number	via expansion enclosure, per appliance	448	896	896	896
	via scale-out with other series of appliances, per cluster	3136	3584	3584	3584
Max. SSD Cache Pool (Block-level)	1TB	3.2TB	4TB	4TB	
Onboard SAS Expansion Ports	2	2	4	4	
Onboard 1GbE Ports	8	8	0	0	
Onboard 10GbE Ports (SFP+)	0	0	8	8	
Max. Host Board Slots	2	4	4	4	
Max. Expansion Board	0	2	2	2	
Note: The expansion board can only be installed in the HB2 slot and has 12Gb/s SAS x 2 ports only connectable with expansion enclosures.					
Host Board Options	16Gb/s FC x 4 32Gb/s FC x 2 1GbE (RJ-45) x 4 10GbE (SFP+) x 2 10GbE (RJ-45) x 2 25GbE (SFP28) x 2 40GbE (QSFP+) x 2 12Gb/s SAS x 2			16Gb/s FC x 4 32Gb/s FC x 2 32Gb/s FC x 4 10GbE (SFP+) x 2 10GbE (RJ-45) x 2 25GbE (SFP28) x 2 40GbE (QSFP+) x 2 12Gb/s SAS x 2	
Note: 1. For redundant controller models, identical host boards must be installed in the same order on both controllers. 2. FC connectivity supports DAS (Direct-Attached-Storage) connection via FC HBA cards and switched fabric connection.					
Max. 16Gb/s FC Ports	8	16	16	16	
Max. 32Gb/s FC Ports	4	8	16	16	
Max. 1GbE Ports	16	24	0	0	
Max. 10GbE Ports (RJ-45)	4	8	8	8	
Max. 10GbE Ports (SFP+)	4	8	16	16	
Max. 25GbE Ports (SFP28)	4	8	8	8	
Max. 40GbE Ports (QSFP+)	4	8	8	8	
Max. 12Gb/s SAS Ports	6	10	12	12	
Expansion Enclosures (JBODs)	JB 3012A, JB 3016A, JB 3024BA, JB 3025BA, JB 3060L			JB 3012A, JB 3016A, JB 3025BA, JB 3060L	
Dimensions (Without Chassis Ears and Protrusions) (W x H x D)	2U 12-bay: 449 x 88 x 500 mm 2U 24-bay: 449 x 88 x 500 mm 2U 25-bay: 449 x 88 x 500 mm			3U 16-bay: 449 x 130 x 500 mm 4U 24-bay: 449 x 174.4 x 500 mm 4U 60-bay: 447.6 x 176 x 840.9 mm	
Package Dimensions (W x H x D)	2U 12-bay: 780 x 379 x 588 mm 2U 24-bay: 780 x 338 x 588 mm 2U 25-bay: 780 x 340 x 588 mm			3U 16-bay: 780 x 423 x 588 mm 4U 24-bay: 780 x 465 x 588 mm 4U 60-bay: 620 x 460 x 1140 mm	
Power Supply Unit	Power Supplies (Redundant and Hot-swappable)	460W x 2 (80 PLUS Bronze)		GS 3000/4000: 530W x 2 (80 PLUS Bronze) GS 3060L/4060L: 1200W x 2 (80 PLUS Platinum)	
	AC Voltage	100VAC @8A to 240VAC @4A		GS 3000/4000: 100VAC @10A to 240VAC @5A GS 3060L/4060L: 200-240VAC @7.08A	
	Frequency	50-60 Hz		GS 3000/4000: 47-63 Hz GS 3060L/4060L: 50-60 Hz	
Safety Standards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Electromagnetic Compatibility: CE, BSMI, FCC Safety: UL, BSMI, CB 				

SOFTWARE SPECIFICATIONS

Max. Logical Drives Number	32		
Max. Logical Drives Capacity	512TB		
Configurable Stripe Size	16KB, 32KB, 64KB, 128KB, 256KB, 512KB, or 1024KB per logical drive		
Configurable Writes Policy	Write-Back or Write-Through per logical drive. This policy can be modified.		
Max. Pool Size	2PB		
Max. Pool Number	32		
Max. Volume Size	2PB		
Max. Volume Number (per pool/per system)	1024		
Max. Host LUN Mapping Number	4096		
Max. Reserved Tag Number (per Host-LUN Connection)	256		
Max. iSCSI Initiators (per Controller)	416		
Max. Host Connection Number (per FC)	128		
RAID Options	RAID 0, RAID 1, RAID 3, RAID 5, RAID 6, RAID 10, RAID 30, RAID 50, RAID 60		
Protocol Support	File Level Protocol	CIFS/SMB (Version 2.0/3.0), NFS (Version 2/3/4), AFP (Version 3.1.12), FTP/FXP (vsftp 2.3.4), WebDAV (httpd package 2.4.6) Note: Scale-out requires NFS version 4 or above.	
	Block Level Protocol	FC, iSCSI, SAS	
	Object Level Protocol	RESTful API	
File Level	Max. File System Size	2PB	
	Max. Number of User Accounts	20000	
	Max. Number of User Groups	512	
	Max. Number of Folder Sharing	2048 (NFS/CIFS/FTP) 255 (AFP)	
	Max. Number of Rsync Jobs	1024	
	Max. Number of Rsync Concurrent Processes	64	
Max. Number of Concurrent Connections	NFS/CIFS/AFP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 16 GB memory: 200 • 32 GB memory: 512 • 64 GB memory: 1024 • 128 GB memory: 2048 	
	FTP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • With any memory: 1024 	
Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Web-based EonOne management software • User account management • Group management • Folder management - folder access control 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quota management • Folder encryption with AES • Integration with Microsoft Active Directory (AD) and Linux LDAP • Storage Resource Management to analyze history of resource usage 	
Availability and Reliability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hot-swappable hardware modules • Device mapper • Antivirus • Trunk group 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cache Safe technology • UPS • WORM (file level only) • SMB Multichannel 	
Notification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Email • SNMP traps 		
Applications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • File explorer • Proxy server 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Syslog server • VPN server 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LDAP server • Docker
Cloud Feature	EonCloud Gateway supports integration with following cloud providers: Amazon S3, Microsoft Azure, Alibaba Cloud, OpenStack, Baidu Cloud, Google Cloud, Tencent Cloud, Wasabi Cloud, etc. For complete information about cloud provides support, please refer to EonCloud Gateway webpage https://www.infortrend.com/global/solutions/eoncloud		
Supported OS	Microsoft Windows Server ,Red Hat Enterprise Linux, Mac OS X, VMware		
	Note: For the latest compatibility details, refer to our official website for the latest Compatibility Matrix.		

DATA SERVICES

Self-encrypting Drives	Default	Unique encryption mechanisms secure data on drives and make data deletion simple and complete.			
Thin Provisioning	Default	"Just-in-time" capacity allocation optimizes storage utilization and eliminates allocated but unused storage space.			
Local Replication	File level	Optional	Snapshot images per folder: 1024		
	Snapshot	Block level	Default	Snapshot images per source volume: 64	Snapshot images per pool: 128
		Optional	Snapshot images per source volume: 256	Snapshot images per pool: 4096	
	Volume Copy/Mirror	Default	Replication pairs per source volume: 4	Replication pairs per system: 16	
		Optional	Replication pairs per source volume: 8	Replication pairs per system: 256	
Remote Replication	File-level	Default	Support Rsync with 128-bit SSH encryption		
	Block-level	Optional	Replication pairs per source volume: 8	Replication pairs per system: 64	Note: 1. The maximum number of replication pairs per source volume is 8, whether they are remote asynchronous pairs, remote synchronous pairs, or local volume pairs. 2. 16Gb FC x 4, 32Gb FC x 2, and 32Gb FC x 4 host boards do not support Remote Replication.
Automated Storage Tiering	Optional	Storage tiers per pool: 4			
Scale-out	File-level	Default	Appliances per cluster: 1		
		Optional	Appliances per cluster: 4		
	Block-level	Default	Appliances per cluster: 4		
SSD Cache	File-level	Optional	Accelerating file operations and data access performance for both read and write Max. SSD number: 8		
	Block-level	Optional	AAccelerating data access in random read-intensive environments (e.g. OLTP)		
			Max. SSD number: 4		
			Recommended DIMM capacity per controller for SSD Cache pool for GS 1000 Gen2, GS 2000		
			DRAM: 8GB	Max SSD Cache Pool Size: 0.4TB	
			DRAM: 16GB	Max SSD Cache Pool Size: 0.6TB	
			DRAM: 32GB	Max SSD Cache Pool Size: 1TB	
			DRAM: 64GB	Max SSD Cache Pool Size: 1.6TB	
			DRAM: 128GB and up	Max SSD Cache Pool Size: 3.2TB	
			Recommended DIMM capacity per controller for SSD Cache pool for GS 3000/4000 Gen2		
			DRAM: 8GB	Max SSD Cache Pool Size: 0.5TB	
			DRAM: 16GB	Max SSD Cache Pool Size: 1TB	
			DRAM: 32GB	Max SSD Cache Pool Size: 2TB	
DRAM: 64GB and up	Max SSD Cache Pool Size: 4TB				

WARRANTY AND SERVICE

Service and Support	Standard Service	3-year limited hardware warranty and 8x5 phone, web, and email support (batteries are covered under warranty for 2 years)
	Upgrade or Extension Options	Warranty extension: Standard service can be extended up to 5 years. The following service can be upgraded to 5 years. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Upgrade: Replacement part dispatch on the next business day Advanced service: 24x7 phone, web, and email support + onsite diagnostics on the next business day Premium service: 24x7 phone, web, and email support + onsite diagnostics in 4 hours
	Technical Support	Get information on system installation and maintenance, download technical documents and software, or issue a support ticket
	Product Services	Register products, download firmware, apply for licensing services, create product repair tickets, or check product repair status

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