

IBM Intros All-Flash DeepFlash 150

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IBM announces DeepFlash 150-- an all-flash array designed for applications involving unstructured data, such as big data analytics, social media and mobile content.

According to Big Blue the array features capabilities not found in standard all-flash storage. Customers can deploy it as either no-frills SAN-like JBOF (Just a Bunch of Flash) or in conjunction with the Spectrum Scale (aka GPFS) parallel file system to provide scale-out NAS file access capability complete with snapshots, replication, compression and encryption.

Nodes are based on a 3U chassis and configurable in capacities ranging from 128 to 512TB. Connectivity comes through four 12Gbps SAS connections, and when used in combination with Spectrum Scale boosts cluster capacities to petabyte-scale.

DeepFlash 150 models are shipping now rack mount rail kit, cable management arm and rack-mount enclosure.

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