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Note

Before using this information and the product it supports, be sure to read the general information in "Notices" on page 155.

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# Safety

Before installing this product, read the Safety information.

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Antes de instalar este produto, leia as Informações de Segurança.

在安装本产品之前,请仔细阅读 Safety Information (安全信息)。

安裝本產品之前,請先閱讀「安全資訊」。

Prije instalacije ovog produkta obavezno pročitajte Sigurnosne Upute.

Před instalací tohoto produktu si přečtěte příručku bezpečnostních instrukcí.

Læs sikkerhedsforskrifterne, før du installerer dette produkt.

Lees voordat u dit product installeert eerst de veiligheidsvoorschriften.

Ennen kuin asennat tämän tuotteen, lue turvaohjeet kohdasta Safety Information.

Avant d'installer ce produit, lisez les consignes de sécurité.

Vor der Installation dieses Produkts die Sicherheitshinweise lesen.

Πριν εγκαταστήσετε το προϊόν αυτό, διαβάστε τις πληροφορίες ασφάλειας (safety information).

לפני שתתקינו מוצר זה, קראו את הוראות הבטיחות.

A termék telepítése előtt olvassa el a Biztonsági előírásokat!

Prima di installare questo prodotto, leggere le Informazioni sulla Sicurezza.

製品の設置の前に、安全情報をお読みください。

본 제품을 설치하기 전에 안전 정보를 읽으십시오.

Пред да се инсталира овој продукт, прочитајте информацијата за безбедност.

Les sikkerhetsinformasjonen (Safety Information) før du installerer dette produktet.

Przed zainstalowaniem tego produktu, należy zapoznać się z książką "Informacje dotyczące bezpieczeństwa" (Safety Information).

Antes de instalar este produto, leia as Informações sobre Segurança.

Перед установкой продукта прочтите инструкции по технике безопасности.

Pred inštaláciou tohto zariadenia si pečítaje Bezpečnostné predpisy.

Pred namestitvijo tega proizvoda preberite Varnostne informacije.

Antes de instalar este producto, lea la información de seguridad.

Läs säkerhetsinformationen innan du installerar den här produkten.

## **Caution notice**

The following Caution notice is printed in English throughout this document. For a translation of this notice, see *IBM*<sup>®</sup> *Safety Information*.

Statement 5:



#### CAUTION:

The power control button on the device and the power switch on the power supply do not turn off the electrical current supplied to the device. The device also might have more than one power cord. To remove all electrical current from the device, ensure that all power cords are disconnected from the power source.



## Safety information

Before you service an IBM computer, you must be familiar with the following safety information.

## **General safety**

Follow these rules to ensure general safety:

- Observe good housekeeping in the area of the machines during and after maintenance.
- When lifting any heavy object:
  - 1. Ensure that you can stand safely without slipping.
  - 2. Distribute the weight of the object equally between your feet.
  - **3**. Use a slow lifting force. Never move suddenly or twist when you attempt to lift.
  - 4. Lift by standing or by pushing up with your leg muscles; this action removes the strain from the muscles in your back. *Do not attempt to lift any objects that weigh more than 16 kg (35 lb) or objects that you think are too heavy for you.*
- Do not perform any action that causes hazards to the customer, or that makes the equipment unsafe.
- Before you start the machine, ensure that other service representatives and the customer's personnel are not in a hazardous position.
- Place removed covers and other parts in a safe place, away from all personnel, while you are servicing the machine.
- Keep your tool case away from walk areas so that other people will not trip over it.
- Do not wear loose clothing that can be trapped in the moving parts of a machine. Ensure that your sleeves are fastened or rolled up above your elbows. If your hair is long, fasten it.

- Insert the ends of your necktie or scarf inside clothing or fasten it with a nonconductive clip, approximately 8 centimeters (3 in.) from the end.
- Do not wear jewelry, chains, metal-frame eyeglasses, or metal fasteners for your clothing. **Remember:** Metal objects are good electrical conductors.
- Wear safety glasses when you are doing any of the following: hammering, drilling soldering, cutting wire, attaching springs, using solvents, or working in any other conditions that might be hazardous to your eyes.
- After service, reinstall all safety shields, guards, labels, and ground wires. Replace any safety device that is worn or defective.
- Reinstall all covers correctly before returning the machine to the customer.

# **Grounding requirements**

Electrical grounding of the computer is required for operator safety and correct system function. Proper grounding of the electrical outlet can be verified by a certified electrician.

# **Electrical safety**

#### Important

Use only approved tools and test equipment. Some hand tools have handles that are covered with a soft material that does not insulate you when working with live electrical currents.

Many customers have, near their equipment, rubber floor mats that contain small conductive fibers to decrease electrostatic discharges. Do not use this type of mat to protect yourself from electrical shock.

Observe the following rules when working on electrical equipment.

- Find the room emergency power-off (EPO) switch, disconnecting switch, or electrical outlet. If an electrical accident occurs, you can then operate the switch or unplug the power cord quickly.
- Do not work alone under hazardous conditions or near equipment that has hazardous voltages.
- Disconnect all power before doing any of the following tasks:
  - Performing a mechanical inspection
  - Working near power supplies
  - Removing or installing main units
- Before you start to work on the machine, unplug the power cord. If you cannot unplug it, ask the customer to power-off the wall box that supplies power to the machine and to lock the wall box in the off position.
- If you need to work on a machine that has *exposed* electrical circuits, observe the following precautions:
  - Ensure that another person, familiar with the power-off controls, is near you.
     Remember: Another person must be there to switch off the power, if necessary.
  - Use only one hand when working with powered-on electrical equipment; keep the other hand in your pocket or behind your back.

**Remember:** There must be a complete circuit to cause electrical shock. By observing the previous rule, you might prevent a current from passing through your body.

- When using testers, set the controls correctly and use the approved probe leads and accessories for that tester.

- Stand on suitable rubber mats (obtained locally, if necessary) to insulate you from grounds such as metal floor strips and machine frames.

Observe the special safety precautions when you work with very high voltages; these instructions are in the safety sections of maintenance information. Use extreme care when measuring high voltages.

- Regularly inspect and maintain your electrical hand tools for safe operational condition.
- Do not use worn or broken tools and testers.
- *Never assume* that power has been disconnected from a circuit. First, *check* that it has been powered-off.
- Always look carefully for possible hazards in your work area. Examples of these hazards are moist floors, nongrounded power extension cables, power surges, and missing safety grounds.
- Do not touch live electrical circuits with the reflective surface of a plastic dental mirror. The surface is conductive and can cause personal injury and machine damage.
- Do not service the following parts (or similar units) *with the power on* when they are removed from their normal operating places in a machine. This practice ensures correct grounding of the units.
  - Power supply units
  - Pumps
  - Blowers and fans
  - Motor generators
- If an electrical accident occurs:
  - Use caution; do not become a victim yourself.
  - Switch off power.
  - Send another person to get medical aid.

## Handling ESD-sensitive devices

Any computer part that contains transistors or integrated circuits (ICs) should be considered sensitive to electrostatic discharge (ESD). ESD damage can occur when there is a difference in charge between objects. Protect against ESD damage by equalizing the charge so that the machine, the part, the work mat, and the person that is handling the part are all at the same charge.

#### Notes:

- 1. Use product-specific ESD procedures when they exceed the requirements noted here.
- 2. Make sure that the ESD protective devices that you use have been certified (ISO 9000) as fully effective.

Use the following precautions when handling ESD-sensitive parts:

- Keep the parts in protective packages until they are inserted into the product.
- Avoid contact with other people.
- Wear a grounded wrist strap against your skin to eliminate static on your body.
- Prevent the part from touching your clothing. Most clothing is insulative and retains a charge even when you are wearing a wrist strap.
- Select a grounding system, such as those listed below, to provide protection that meets the specific service requirement.

**Note:** The use of a grounding system is desirable but not required to protect against ESD damage.

- Attach the ESD ground clip to any frame ground, ground braid, or green-wire ground.
- Use an ESD common ground or reference point when working on a double-insulated or battery-operated system. You can use coax or connector-outside shells on these systems.
- Use the round ground-prong of the ac plug on ac-operated computers.
- Use the black side of a grounded work mat to provide a static-free work surface. The mat is especially useful when handling ESD-sensitive devices.

## Safety inspection procedure

Use this safety inspection procedure to identify potentially unsafe conditions on a product. Each machine, as it was designed and built, had required safety items installed to protect users and service personnel from injury. This procedure addresses only those items. However, good judgment should be used to identify any potential safety hazards due to attachment of non-IBM features or options not covered by this inspection procedure.

If any unsafe conditions are present, you must determine how serious the apparent hazard could be and whether you can continue without first correcting the problem.

Consider these conditions and the safety hazards they present:

- Electrical hazards, especially primary power (primary voltage on the frame can cause serious or fatal electrical shock).
- Explosive hazards, such as a damaged cathode ray tube (CRT) face or bulging capacitor
- Mechanical hazards, such as loose or missing hardware

Complete the following checks with the power off, and with the power cord disconnected.

- 1. Check the exterior covers for damage (loose, broken, or sharp edges).
- 2. Check the power cord for the following conditions:
  - a. A third-wire ground connector in good condition. Use a meter to measure third-wire ground continuity for 0.1 ohm or less between the external ground pin and frame ground.
  - b. The power cord should be the appropriate type as specified in the parts listings.
  - c. Insulation must not be frayed or worn.
- 3. Remove the cover.
- 4. Check for any obvious non-IBM alterations. Use good judgment as to the safety of any non-IBM alterations.
- 5. Check the inside the unit for any obvious unsafe conditions, such as metal filings, contamination, water or other liquids, or signs of fire or smoke damage.
- 6. Check for worn, frayed, or pinched cables.
- 7. Check that the power supply cover fasteners (screws or rivets) have not been removed or tampered with.

# About this document

This document provides information about hardware maintenance for the IBM TotalStorage<sup>®</sup> FAStT product line. Use this document for the following tasks:

- Diagnose and troubleshoot system faults
- · Configure and service hardware
- Determine system specifications
- Interpret system data

## Who should read this document

This document is intended for system operators and service technicians who have extensive knowledge of fibre channel and network technology.

## How this document is organized

The *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Hardware Maintenance Manual* contains basic information, such as specifications and symptom lists, about many of the components of a fibre channel configuration. You can use this information to complete the tasks that are given in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide*, which contains information that you can use to isolate and solve problems that might occur in your fibre channel configurations. It provides problem determination and resolution information for the issues most commonly encountered with IBM fibre channel devices and configurations.

Attention: Beginning with the first edition of this document, the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Hardware Maintenance Manual* and the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* are published as separate documents. In addition, the hardware maintenance information for new IBM FAStT products released with or after this document is included in the Installation, User's, and Maintenance Guide for those products.

As a result, for example, the FAStT100 storage server is not discussed in this document; hardware maintenance information for the FAStT100 is documented in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT100 Storage Server Installation*, *User's*, *and Maintenance Guide*.

This document contains the following chapters:

Chapter 1, "About hardware maintenance," on page 1 provides a brief overview on how to use the hardware maintenance, diagnostic, and test information provided in this document.

Chapter 2, "Type 3523 Fibre Channel Hub and GBIC," on page 3 provides service and diagnostic information for the Type 3523 fibre-channel hub and GBIC.

Chapter 3, "Fibre Channel PCI Adapter," on page 11 provides service and diagnostic information for the fibre-channel adapter (FRU 01K7354).

Chapter 4, "FAStT Host Adapter," on page 13 provides service and diagnostic information for the FAStT host adapter (FRU 09N7292).

Chapter 5, "FAStT FC2-133 and FAStT FC2-133 Dual Port Host Bus Adapters," on page 17 provides service and diagnostic information for both the IBM FAStT FC2-133 (FRU 24P0962) and the IBM FAStT FC2-133 Dual Port (FRU 38P9099) host bus adapters.

Chapter 6, "Type 3526 Fibre Channel RAID Controller," on page 21 provides service and diagnostic information for the Type 3526 fibre-channel RAID controller.

Chapter 7, "FAStT200 Type 3542 and FAStT200 HA Type 3542," on page 35 provides service and diagnostic information for the Type 3542 FAStT200 and Type 3542 FAStT200 HA.

Chapter 8, "Type 3552 FAStT500 RAID Controller," on page 47 provides service and diagnostic information for the Type 3552 FAStT500 RAID controller.

Chapter 9, "Type 1722 FAStT600 Fibre Channel Storage Server," on page 61 provides service and diagnostic information for the Type 1722 FAStT600 RAID controller.

Chapter 10, "Type 1742 FAStT700 Fibre Channel Storage Server," on page 81 provides service and diagnostic information for the Type 1742 FAStT700 fibre channel storage server.

Chapter 11, "Type 1742 FAStT900 Fibre Channel Storage Server," on page 93 provides service and diagnostic information for the Type 1742 FAStT900 fibre channel storage server.

Chapter 12, "IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP15 and EXP200 Storage Expansion Units," on page 105 provides service and diagnostic information for both the EXP15 and EXP200 storage expansion units.

Chapter 13, "IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP500 Storage Expansion Unit," on page 111 provides service and diagnostic information for the EXP500 storage expansion unit.

Chapter 14, "IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP700 Storage Expansion Unit," on page 119 provides service and diagnostic information for the EXP700 storage expansion unit.

Chapter 15, "IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 Storage Expansion Unit," on page 127 provides service and diagnostic information for the EXP100 storage expansion unit.

Chapter 16, "IBM Storage Area Network Data Gateway Router (2108-R03)," on page 137 provides service and diagnostic information for the Storage Area Network Data Gateway Router.

"Power cords," on page 153 lists required power cords for the FAStT storage components discussed in this document by country and region.

## FAStT installation process overview

The following flow chart gives an overview of the FAStT hardware and the FAStT Storage Manager software installation process. Lined arrows in the flow chart indicate consecutive steps in the hardware and software installation process. Labeled arrows indicate which current documents provide detailed information about those steps.



Figure 1. Installation process flow by current publications

# **FAStT Storage Server publications**

The following tables present an overview of the FAStT900, FAStT700, FAStT600, and FAStT100 Fibre Channel Storage Server product libraries, as well as other related documents. Each table lists documents that are included in the libraries and what common tasks they address. Click on active links in the tables to access those documents currently available on the Internet. You can access documentation for the other FAStT products at the following Web site:

www-1.ibm.com/servers/storage/support/fastt/index.html

# FAStT900 Fibre Channel Storage Server library

Table 1 associates each document in the FAStT900 Fibre Channel Storage Server library with its related common user tasks.

Table 1. TotalStorage FAStT900 Fibre Channel Storage Server document titles by user tasks

Title	User Tasks							
	Planning	Hardware Installation	Software Installation	Configuration	Operation and Administration	Diagnosis and Maintenance		
IBM TotalStorage FAStT900 Installation and Support Guide, GC26-7530	~	La .		~				

Table 1. TotalStorage FAStT900 Fibre Channel Storage Server document titles by user tasks (continued)

Title	User Tasks							
	Planning	Hardware Installation	Software Installation	Configuration	Operation and Administration	Diagnosis and Maintenance		
IBM TotalStorage FAStT900 Fibre Channel Cabling Instructions, 24P8135	10							
IBM TotalStorage FAStT900 Storage Server User's Guide, GC26-7534				-	100	~		
IBM TotalStorage FAStT FC2-133 Dual Port Host Bus Adapter Installation and User's Guide, GC26-7532		4			~			
IBM FAStT FC2-133 Host Bus Adapter Installation and User's Guide, 48P9823		~			٢			
IBM TotalStorage FAStT900 Rack Mounting Instructions, 19K0900	~	V						
IBM Fibre Channel Planning and Integration: User's Guide and Service Information, SC23-4329	har	L			~	~		
IBM FAStT Management Suite Java User's Guide, 32P0081					٢	~		
IBM TotalStorage FAStT Fibre Channel Hardware Maintenance Manual,GC26-7640						14		
IBM TotalStorage FAStT Fibre Channel Problem Determination Guide, GC26-7642						-		

# FAStT700 Fibre Channel Storage Server library

Table 2 associates each document in the FAStT700 Fibre Channel Storage Server library with its related common user tasks.

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Title	User Tasks								
	Planning	Hardware Installation	Software Installation	Configuration	Operation and Administration	Diagnosis and Maintenance			
IBM FAStT700 Fibre Channel Cabling Instructions, 32P0343									
IBM FAStT700 Fibre Channel Storage Server User's Guide, 32P0341				100	100	100			
IBM FAStT FC2-133 Dual Port Host Bus Adapter Installation and User's Guide, GC26-7532		~			r				
IBM TotalStorage FAStT FC2-133 Host Bus Adapter Installation and User's Guide, 48P9823		L			~				
IBM FAStT Management Suite Java User's Guide, 32P0081					r	~			
IBM TotalStorage FAStT Fibre Channel Hardware Maintenance Manual,GC26-7640						1			
IBM TotalStorage FAStT Fibre Channel Problem Determination Guide, GC26-7642						-			

# FAStT600 Fibre Channel Storage Server library

Table 3 associates each document in the FAStT600 Fibre Channel Storage Server library with its related common user tasks.

Title	User Tasks							
	Planning	Hardware Installation	Software Installation	Configuration	Operation and Administration	Diagnosis and Maintenance		
IBM TotalStorage FAStT600 Fibre Channel Storage Server Installation and User's Guide, GC26-7531	-	~		M				
IBM TotalStorage FAStT Fibre Channel Hardware Maintenance Manual,GC26-7640						~		
IBM TotalStorage FAStT Fibre Channel Problem Determination Guide, GC26-7642						~		
IBM TotalStorage FAStT FC2-133 Dual Port Host Bus Adapter Installation and User's Guide, GC26-7532		~			٢			
IBM TotalStorage FAStT600 Rack Mounting Instructions, 24P8125	~	~						
IBM TotalStorage FAStT600 Fibre Channel Cabling Instructions, 24P8126	~	~						

Table 3. TotalStorage FAStT600 Fibre Channel Storage Server document titles by user tasks

# FAStT100 Storage Server library

Table 4 associates each document in the FAStT100 Storage Server library with its related common user tasks.

Table 4. TotalStorage FAStT100 Storage Server document titles by user tasks

Title				User Tasks			
	Planning	Hardware Installation	Software Installation	Configuration	Operation and Administration	Diagnosis and Maintenance	
IBM TotalStorage FAStT100 Installation, User's and Maintenance Guide, GC26-7641	-	~		~		~	

Title	User Tasks							
	Planning	Hardware Installation	Software Installation	Configuration	Operation and Administration	Diagnosis and Maintenance		
IBM TotalStorage FAStT100 Cabling Guide, 24P8973	-							
IBM TotalStorage FAStT FC2-133 Dual Port Host Bus Adapter Installation and User's Guide, GC26-7532		L			r			
IBM FAStT FC2-133 Host Bus Adapter Installation and User's Guide, 48P9823		~			~			
IBM TotalStorage FAStT Fibre Channel Hardware Maintenance Manual,GC26-7640						-		
IBM TotalStorage FAStT Fibre Channel Problem Determination Guide, GC26-7642						-		

Table 4. TotalStorage FAStT100 Storage Server document titles by user tasks (continued)

# **FAStT-related hardware publications**

Table 5 associates each of the following documents related to FAStT operations with its related common user tasks.

Table 5. TotalStorage FAStT related document titles by user tasks

Title	User Tasks							
	Planning	Hardware Installation	Software Installation	Configuration	Operation and Administration	Diagnosis and Maintenance		
IBM Safety Information, P48P9741					~			
IBM TotalStorage FAStT Quick Start Guide,, GC26-7662								
IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 Storage Expansion Unit Release Notes, GC26–7619	-	~						
IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 Storage Expansion Unit Installation and Users Guide, GC26–7601	~	Ľ		~	٢	~		
Fibre Channel Solutions - IBM FAStT EXP500 Installation and User's Guide, 59P5637	~	L		~	r	~		
IBM TotalStorage FAStT Hard Drive and Storage Expansion Enclosure Installation and Migration Guide, GC26–7639	~	~						
IBM Netfinity <sup>®</sup> Fibre Channel Cabling Instructions, 19K0906		100						
IBM Fibre Channel SAN Configuration Setup Guide, 25P2509			-	4	1			

# **FAStT Storage Manager Version 9 publications**

Table 6 on page xxiii associates each document in the FAStT Storage Manager library with its related common user tasks.

Table 6. TotalStorage	FAStT	Storage	Manager	Version :	9 titles	by user tasks
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Title	User Tasks							
	Planning	Hardware Installation	Software Installation	Configuration	Operation and Administration	Diagnosis and Maintenance		
IBM TotalStorage FAStT Storage Manager Version 9 Installation and Support Guide for Intel-based Operating System Environments, GC26-7649	~			~				
IBM TotalStorage FAStT Storage Manager Version 9 Installation and Support Guide for AIX, UNIX, Solaris and Linux on Power, GC26-7648	لمع		~	~				
IBM TotalStorage FAStT Storage Manager Version 9 Copy Services User's Guide, GC26-7660	مم		-	~	~			
IBM FAStT Storage Manager Script Commands (see product CD)				-				
IBM TotalStorage FAStT Storage Manager Version 9 Concepts Guide, GC26-7661	~	~	-	-	~	-		

## Notices used in this document

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- Check all cables to make sure that they are connected.
- Check the power switches to make sure that the system is turned on.
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- Check for technical information, hints, tips, and new device drivers at the IBM Support Web site:

www.ibm.com/storage/techsup.htm

• Use an IBM discussion forum on the IBM Web site to ask questions.

You can solve many problems without outside assistance by following the troubleshooting procedures that IBM provides in the online help or in the documents that are provided with your system and software. The information that comes with your system also describes the diagnostic tests that you can perform. Most xSeries and IntelliStation systems, operating systems, and programs come with information that contains troubleshooting procedures and explanations of error messages and error codes. If you suspect a software problem, see the information for the operating system or program.

## Using the documentation

Information about your xSeries or IntelliStation system and preinstalled software, if any, is available in the documents that come with your system. This includes printed documents, online documents, readme files, and help files. See the troubleshooting information in your system documentation for instructions for using the diagnostic programs. The troubleshooting information or the diagnostic programs might tell you that you need additional or updated device drivers or other software.

## Web sites

IBM maintains pages on the World Wide Web where you can get the latest technical information and download device drivers and updates.

• For FAStT information, go to the following Web site: www.ibm.com/storage/techsup.htm

The support page has many sources of information and ways for you to solve problems, including:

- Diagnosing problems, using the IBM Online Assistant
- Downloading the latest device drivers and updates for your products
- Viewing frequently asked questions (FAQ)
- Viewing hints and tips to help you solve problems
- Participating in IBM discussion forums

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  - www.ibm.com/eserver/xseries/
- For the latest information about the IBM IntelliStation information, go to the following Web site: www.ibm.com/pc/intellistation/
- For the latest information about operating system and HBA support, clustering support, SAN fabric support, and Storage Manager feature support, see the TotalStorage FAStT Interoperability Matrix at the following Web site:

www.storage.ibm.com/disk/fastt/supserver.htm

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- www.ibm.com/planetwide/

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# Chapter 1. About hardware maintenance

This hardware maintenance manual contains basic information, such as specifications and symptom lists, about many of the components of a fibre channel configuration. You can use this information to complete the tasks given in the problem determination procedures provided in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide*.

**Note:** Graphics used in this document are for illustrative purposes only. The appearance of actual device may differ from the graphic.

The component information that is provided in the maintenance portion of this document has been extracted from the individual hardware maintenance manuals for each component. Therefore, you might find it helpful to see the individual hardware maintenance manuals for specific components.

**Note:** For information about how to use and troubleshoot problems with the FC 6228 2 gigabit fibre channel adapter in IBM @server pSeries<sup>®</sup> AIX hosts, see *Fibre Channel Planning and Integration: User's Guide and Service Information*, SC23-4329.

## Where to start

Start with the General Checkout sections in each chapter to help you to diagnose problems with the IBM fibre channel products that this document describes.

For error codes and error messages, see the Symptom-to-FRU Index for the server that the fibre-channel hub, adapter, or RAID controller is connected to.

## **Related documents**

For information about managed hubs and switches that can be in your installation, see the following publications:

- IBM 3534 SAN Fibre Channel Managed Hub Installation and Service Guide, SY27-7616
- IBM SAN Fibre Channel Switch 2109 Model S08 Installation and Service Guide, SC26-7350
- IBM SAN Fibre Channel Switch 2109 Model S16 Installation and Service Guide, SC26-7352

This installation and service information can be found at the following Web site:

www.storage.ibm.com/ibmsan/products.htm

# Chapter 2. Type 3523 Fibre Channel Hub and GBIC

**Note:** The problem determination (PD) maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

The type 3523 fibre-channel hub and Gigabit Interface Converter (GBIC) are compatible with the following IBM products:

- Fibre-channel PCI adapter (FRU 01K7354) (see Chapter 3 on page 11)
- IBM FAStT host adapter (FRU 09N7292) (see Chapter 4 on page 13)
- Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller (see Chapter 6 on page 21)

The IBM fibre-channel hub is a 7-port central interconnection for Fibre Channel Arbitrated Loops (FC-AL) that follow the ANSI FC-AL standard. Each fibre-channel hub port receives serial data from an attached node and retransmits the data out of the next hub port to the next node attached in the loop. Each reception includes data regeneration (both signal timing and amplitude) that supports full-distance optical links.

The fibre-channel hub detects any loop node that is missing or is inoperative and automatically routes the data to the next operational port and attached node in the loop. LED indicators provide status information to indicate whether the port is active or bypassed.

Each port requires a GBIC to connect it to each attached node. The fibre-channel hub supports any combination of short-wave or long-wave optical GBICs. The GBICs are *hot-pluggable* into the fibre-channel hub, which means you can add host computers, servers, and storage modules to the arbitrated loop dynamically without powering off the fibre-channel hub or any connected devices. If you remove a GBIC from a fibre-channel hub port, that port is automatically bypassed. The remaining hub ports continue to operate normally with no degradation of system performance. Conversely, if you plug a GBIC into the fibre-channel hub, it is automatically inserted and becomes a node on the loop if valid fibre channel data is received from the device.

Data transfer within the fibre-channel hub is implemented in serial differential Positive Emitter Coupled Logic (PECL) AC coupled logic. Each fibre-channel hub port monitors the serial data input stream as well as the GBIC connected to it.

The following conditions cause the fibre-channel hub to bypass a port:

- TX\_FAULT: Detects a GBIC transmitter fault
- RX\_LOS: Detects a loss of received signal amplitude from the device
- MOD\_DEF: Detects the absence of a GBIC

The fibre-channel hub circuitry detects off-frequency data, excessive jitter, or inadequate edge transition density on a per-port basis. The fibre-channel hub uses the standardized AMP SCA2 20-pin connector to implement hot plugging. Surge currents, caused by hot plugging, are minimized by slow-start circuitry and a pin-sequencing procedure on the GBIC. Electrostatic discharge (ESD) transients are minimized by means of sequenced connector contacts.

The fibre-channel hub includes a universal power supply that can operate from 95 to 250 V ac and from 50 to 60 Hz.

## **General checkout**

Installation and operational problems in an arbitrated loop environment are typically caused by one of the following situations:

- · Faulty cabling or cable connector
- Incorrect cable plugging
- Faulty GBIC
- Faulty hubs
- Invalid fibre channel signaling from the host bus adapter (HBA) or disk array
- · Device driver or microcode conflicts between the HBAs and other devices

The following information will help you to isolate and correct the physical layer problems. For protocol-related problems, such as inoperability between devices, see the documentation that came with the individual devices.

## Port Status LEDs

The hub provides two status LEDs for each port (see Table 7). Use these LEDs to help you quickly diagnose and recover from problems.

The upper, green LED is lit when an operational GBIC is installed. The lower, amber LED is lit when the port is in the bypass mode. In the bypass mode, a port is disabled, which prevents erratic signals or data from disrupting loop activity. The bypass mode could be triggered by the loss of a valid signal or by a GBIC fault. The combination of green and amber LEDs indicates one of the four following states.

Green LED	Amber LED	Port State
Off	Off	No GBIC Installed
On	Off	Operational GBIC; Valid Signal
Off	On	Faulty GBIC; Port Bypassed
On	On	Operational GBIC; No Valid Signal; Port Bypassed

Table 7. Type 3523 fibre-channel hub port status LEDs

## Verifying GBIC and cable signal presence

**Note:** Do *not* look directly into any fiber cable or GBIC optical output. To view an optical signal, use a mirror to view the reflected light.

## Verifying signal presence

In addition to verifying port LED status, you can verify signal presence by using a mirror to look for a reflected light at the fiber-optic cable ends and the GBIC transmitter. To verify signal presence at the hub end of a link, insert a GBIC into the hub and place a mirror at the bottom of the SC connector. If a signal is present, you will see a low intensity red light in the mirror reflecting from the GBIC transmitter. See Figure 2 on page 5.



Figure 2. Verifying signal presence

## Verifying node end

To verify the integrity of the fiber-optic cable at the node end of a link, make sure the cable is attached to the GBIC at the hub and the hub is turned on. Dual SC fiber-optic cable connectors are keyed and will insert into a GBIC in one direction only. Place a mirror at the node end of the link. A low intensity red light is visible in the mirror reflection of one of the SC leads, as shown in Figure 3.



Figure 3. Verifying node end

If a fiber-optic cable has good transmitter output but a broken or degraded receiver lead, the end node might sense a *loop down* state. Because the transmitter is good, the hub responds to the end node valid fibre channel signal and adds the device to the loop. But, because the end node is not receiving fibre channel signals, it will stream loop-down sequences onto the loop. This prevents all data communications among the devices on the loop and will continue to do so until the condition is corrected.

## Verifying hub end

To verify the integrity of the fiber-optic cable at the hub end, make sure the fiber-optic cable is plugged into the host bus adapter at the host or into a disk-array controller and that the device is enabled on the loop. Using a mirror, examine the cable SC leads to verify that a low-intensity red light is visible on the receiver lead.

**Note:** Some fiber-optic cables are marked with an A on the receiver lead and a B on the transmitter lead and are keyed. Some multimode cables plugged into a GBIC, HBA, or disk array controller are key-oriented with the B lead inserted into the device transmitter. Place a mirror on the opposite end of the cable to see the low-intensity red light on the A receiver lead.

## Additional service information

This section contains additional service information for the fibre-channel hub.

# Applications and configurations

The fibre-channel hub modular interface provides flexibility and is upgradable to available short-wave and long-wave optical fibre channel product port interfaces.

Fibre channel products that are commonly interconnected to the fibre-channel hub are fibre channel host bus adapters, FC-AL storage devices, and FC-AL storage arrays. SCSI initiators (workstations and servers) set up and initiate the transfer of data to or from the storage devices. The storage devices that receive the requests made by the SCSI initiators are the SCSI targets. Initiators and targets represent individual nodes that are linked by the shared FC-AL. See Figure 4.



Figure 4. Type 3523 fibre-channel hub

## Power on systems check for the fibre channel hub

Power on the storage modules first, then the controller and the fibre-channel hub, then everything else.

**Note:** Make sure the fibre-channel hub is powered on before the host adapter to insure proper loop initialization.

Perform the following steps to insure proper operation of the fibre channel hub:

1. Connect the power cord to the fibre-channel hub, then to the electrical outlet. See Figure 5.



Power Connector

Figure 5. Type 3523 fibre-channel hub power connector

- 2. Power on the attached FC-AL compatible nodes.
- **3**. Check the Device Active (green) LEDs on the fibre-channel hub ports. See Figure 6 on page 7.



Active On Green LEDs on Top Row

Figure 6. Type 3523 fibre-channel hub active on LEDs

### LED On

This indicates that a GBIC is present and functioning properly.

## LED Off

This indicates a fault condition. Examples of a fault condition include: a GBIC transmitter fault, an improperly seated GBIC, an absent GBIC, or another failed device. The port will be in the bypass state, which precludes the port from participating in the FC-AL. This is the normal status of operation for fibre-channel hub ports in which GBICs are not installed.

- **Note:** FC-AL compatible nodes must perform loop initialization procedures at power on to function properly on the loop. FC-AL nodes also perform loop initialization or reinitialization depending on their prior state of operation.
- 4. Check the Port Bypass (amber) LEDs. See Figure 7.



Figure 7. Type 3523 fibre-channel hub port bypass LEDs

## LED On

If the Active (green) LED of the port is off, the port is nonoperational and the Bypass (amber) LED for the port is on. If a properly functioning port (the Active green LED is on) with a GBIC present also has the Bypass LED on, either the loss of signal or poor signal integrity has caused the port to go into the bypass state. When the port is in this state, it cannot participate in the FC-AL.

The bypass state is also the normal status condition when no GBIC is present in the port, a GBIC is present but not attached to a FC-AL node, or a GBIC is attached to a cable assembly with nothing attached at the opposite end. Replacing such a port (or removing and reinserting the GBIC into the same port twice) is considered to be a loop configuration change that invokes the Loop Initialization Procedure.

## LED Off

This indicates that the fibre-channel hub port and device are fully operational and actively participating in the FC-AL.

5. The FC-AL should be fully operational. Check that proper loop discovery has taken place and all required devices are participating in the loop. Some host bus adapters might provide this level of functionality or it might be resident in the application software on the host operating system.

# Symptom-to-FRU index

The Symptom-to-FRU index (see Table 8) lists symptoms, errors, and the possible causes. The most likely cause is listed first.

The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

#### Note:

- 1. Always start with the "General checkout" on page 4. For IBM devices not supported by this index, see the manual for that device.
- 2. Do *not* look directly into any fiber cable or GBIC optical output. Read "Notices" on page 155. To view an optical signal, use a mirror to view the reflected light.

Table 8. Symptom-to-FRU index for Type 3523 fibre-channel hub and GBIC

Problem	Action/FRU			
GBIC installed in one or more ports but no LED is lit.	<ol> <li>Power cord</li> <li>Power source</li> </ol>			
GBIC installed but only the amber LED is lit.	<ol> <li>Reseat GBIC</li> <li>GBIC</li> </ol>			
GBIC installed and both green and amber LEDs are	The hub is not receiving a valid fibre channel signal from the end node. Perform the following steps:			
lit.	1. Unplug the fiber cable from the node and, using a mirror, verify that an optical signal is present on the cable. If no red light is visible, replace the cable.			
	2. Using a mirror, examine the SC connectors on the HBA or disk controller. If no red light is visible, check the HBA or disk controller.			
	<b>3</b> . If a light is present on both the cable lead and the end node, check the HBA or the disk controller.			
GBIC is installed, only the green LED is lit, but no	The hub is receiving a valid fibre channel signal from the end device, but no <b>upper-level protocols are active.</b> Perform the following steps:			
communication occurs between the devices.	1. Verify that the proper HBA device drivers are loaded for the appropriate operating system and that the host has been configured to recognize the attached disk devices.			
	2. Unplug the fiber cable from the end node and verify that an optical signal is present on the cable lead. If no signal is present, the lead of the cable might be defective. Replace the cable.			
# Parts listing (Type 3523 fibre channel hub and GBIC)

Figure 8 and the following table provide a parts listing for the type 3523 fibre-channel hub and GBIC.



Figure 8. Type 3523 fibre-channel hub parts listing

Index	Fibre-channel hub (Type 3523)	FRU
1	Port Fibre Hub Assembly	01K6738
2	Hub Tray Assembly	10L7042
3	Hub Tray Bezel	10L7041
4	Short-Wave GBIC	03K9206
	Long-Wave GBIC (option)	03K9208
	Misc. Hardware Kit	01K6739

# **Chapter 3. Fibre Channel PCI Adapter**

**Note:** The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

The fibre-channel PCI adapter (FRU 01K7354) is compatible with the following IBM products:

- Type 3523 fibre-channel hub and GBIC (see Chapter 2 on page 3)
- Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller (see Chapter 6 on page 21)
- Type 2109 fibre-channel switch
- Type 3534 managed hub

The *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provides detailed configuration information for advanced users who want to use IBM Fast!UTIL to customize the configuration of the fibre-channel PCI adapter (FRU 01K7354).

#### **General checkout**

The following three basic types of problems can cause the fibre-channel PCI adapter to function incorrectly:

- Hardware problems
- System configuration problems
- Fibre channel problems

#### Hardware problems

The following list will help you determine whether a problem was caused by the hardware:

- Verify that all of the adapters are installed securely.
- Verify that all of the cables are connected securely to the correct connectors. Be sure that the SC connectors that attach from the J1 connector on the fibre-channel PCI adapter to the device are connected correctly.
- Verify that the fibre-channel PCI adapter is installed correctly and seated firmly in the expansion slot.
- Verify that all peripheral devices are properly powered on. See the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* for information about how to use IBM Fast!UTIL to display attached devices.

## System configuration problems

To determine whether a problem was caused by the system configuration, check the system board to make sure it is configured properly (see the appropriate IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide).

## Fibre channel problems

To determine whether a problem was caused by the fibre channel, verify that all of the FC devices were powered on before you powered on the server.

## Additional service information

The following information supports the fibre-channel PCI adapter.

The IBM fibre-channel PCI adapter operating environment and specification information is detailed in Table 9 and Table 10.

Environment	Minimum	Maximum
Operating temperature	0° C (32° F)	55° C (131° F)
Storage temperature	-20° C (-4° F)	70° C (158° F)
Relative humidity (noncondensing)	10%	90%
Storage humidity (noncondensing)	5%	95%

Table 9. Fibre-channel PCI adapter operating environment

Table 10. Fibre-channel PCI adapter specifications

Туре	Specification	
Host bus	Conforms to PCI Local Bus Specification, revision 2.1	
PCI signaling environment	3.3 V and 5.0 V buses supported	
PCI transfer rate	264 MB per second maximum burst rate for 33 MHz operation (ISP2100 chip)	
Fibre channel specifications	Bus type: fiber-optic media (QLA2100F)	
specifications	Bus transfer rate: 100 MB per second maximum	
Central processing unit (CPU)	Single chip design that includes a RISC processor, fibre channel protocol manager, PCI DMA controller, and 1-gigabit transceivers	
Host data transfer	64-bit, bus master DMA data transfers to 264 MB per second	
RAM	128 KB of SRAM	
BIOS ROM	128 KB of flash ROM in two 64-KB, software selectable banks. The flash is field-programmable.	
NVRAM	256 bytes, field-programmable	
Onboard DMA	Three independent DMA channels: two data and one command. Integrated 4-KB frame buffer FIFO for each data channel	
Connectors (external) SC-style connector that supports non-OFC, multimode fiber- cabling using 1x9 fiber-optic transceiver module. Total cable length cannot exceed 500 meters.		
Form factor	17.78 cm x 10.67 cm (7.0 in. x 4.2 in.)	
Operating power	Less than 15 watts	

# Chapter 4. FAStT Host Adapter

**Note:** The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

The IBM FAStT host adapter (FRU 09N7292) is a high-performance, direct memory access (DMA), bus-master host adapter designed for high-end systems. The function and performance are derived from the ISP2200A chip, making this FAStT host adapter a leading-edge host adapter.

The ISP2200A chip combines a powerful RISC processor, a fibre protocol module (FPM) with gigabit transceivers, and a 64-bit peripheral component interconnect (PCI) local bus interface in a single-chip solution. The FAStT host adapter supports all fibre channel peripheral devices that support private-loop direct attach (PLDA) and fabric-loop attach (FLA).

The IBM FAStT host adapter is compatible with the following IBM products:

- Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller (see Chapter 6 on page 21)
- Type 3552 FAStT500 RAID controller (see Chapter 8 on page 47)
- FAStT200 Type 3542 and FAStT200 HA Type 3542 (see Chapter 7 on page 35)
- Type 2109 fibre-channel switch
- Type 3534 managed hub

The *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provides detailed configuration information for advanced users who want to use IBM Fast!UTIL to customize the configuration of the fibre-channel adapter (FRU 09N7292).

## **General checkout**

The following types of problems can cause the adapter to malfunction:

- Hardware problems
- System configuration problems
- Fibre channel problems

#### Hardware problems

The following list will help you determine whether your installation problem is caused by the hardware:

- Verify that all adapters are installed securely.
- Verify that all cables are attached securely to the correct connectors. Be sure that the FC connectors that attach from the J1 connector on the adapter to the device are connected securely.
- Verify that the adapter is installed correctly and fully seated in the expansion slot. Check for interference due to nonstandard PCI connectors.
- Verify that all peripheral devices are turned on. See the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* for information about how to use IBM Fast!UTIL to display attached devices.

## System configuration problems

To determine whether a problem was caused by the system configuration, check the system board to make sure that it was configured properly (see the appropriate IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide).

## Fibre channel problems

To determine whether your installation problem is caused by the fibre channel, verify that all of the fibre channel devices were turned on before you turned on the server. Also, ensure that all cables are connected properly.

The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

## Additional service information

The following information supports the FAStT host adapter.

This section contains the FAStT host adapter operating environment and specification information.

Environment	Minimum	Maximum
Operating temperature	0° C (32° F)	55° C (131° F)
Storage temperature	-20° C (-4° F)	70° C (158° F)
Relative humidity (noncondensing)	10%	90%
Storage humidity (noncondensing)	5%	95%

Table 11. FAStT host adapter operating environment

Table 12.	FAStT	host	adapter	specifications
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Туре	Specification	
Host bus	Conforms to PCI Local Bus Specification, revision 2.2	
PCI signaling environment	3.3 V and 5.0 V buses supported	
PCI transfer rate	• 264 MB per second maximum burst rate for 33 MHz operation (ISP2200A chip)	
	Supports dual address bus cycles	
Fibre channel specifications	<ul> <li>Bus type: fiber-optic media (shortwave 50 micron)</li> <li>Bus transfer rate: 100 MB per second maximum (200 full-duplex)</li> <li>Supports both FCP-SCSI and IP protocols</li> <li>Supports point-to-point fabric connection: F-Port Fabric Login</li> <li>Supports FC-AL public loop profile: FL-Port Login</li> <li>Supports fibre channel services class 2 and 3</li> <li>FCP SCSI initiator and target operation</li> <li>Full-duplex operation</li> </ul>	
Processor	Single chip design that includes a RISC processor, fibre channel protocol manager, PCI DMA controller, and 1-gigabit transceivers	
Host data transfer	64-bit, bus master DMA data transfers to 528 MB per second	
RAM	128 KB of SRAM	

Туре	Specification	
BIOS ROM	128 KB of flash ROM in two 64 KB, software selectable banks. The flash is field-programmable.	
NVRAM	256 bytes, field-programmable	
Onboard DMA	Three independent DMA channels: two data and one command. Integrated 4 KB frame buffer FIFO for each data channel	
Connectors (external)	• SC-style connector that supports non-OFC, multimode fiber-optic cabling using 1x9 fiber-optic transceiver module	
	Total cable length cannot exceed 500 meters	
	• Two three-position, point-to-point cable (internal)	
Form factor	17.8 cm x 10.7 cm (7.0 in. x 4.2 in.)	
Operating power	Less than 15 watts	
Other compliance	<ul> <li>PCI 98, including ACPI</li> <li>Less than 28% processor utilization as measured in a TPCC benchmark</li> <li>Operation system support for Microsoft<sup>®</sup> Windows NT<sup>®</sup> version 4, Windows<sup>®</sup> 2000 version 1, NetWare version 4.x and 5.x, SCO UnixWare version 7.x</li> <li>Worldwide agency compliance as defined for IBM products</li> </ul>	
	• 100% Plug and Play compatibility with our existing fibre channel RAID controller	

Table 12. FAStT host adapter specifications (continued)

# Chapter 5. FAStT FC2-133 and FAStT FC2-133 Dual Port Host Bus Adapters

**Note:** The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

The IBM FAStT FC2-133 host bus adapter (single port model, FRU 24P0962, and dual port model, FRU 38P9099) is a 2 Gbps high-performance, direct memory access (DMA), bus master, fibre channel host adapter designed for high-end systems. The function and performance are derived from the ISP2312/ISP2340 chips, making this IBM FAStT FC2-133 host bus adapter a leading-edge host adapter.

The ISP2312/ISP2340 chips combine a powerful, reduced instruction set computer (RISC) processor, a fibre channel protocol manager (FPM) with one 2 Gbps fibre channel transceiver, and a peripheral component interconnect (PCI) or peripheral component interconnect-extended (PCI-X) local bus interface in a single-chip solution. The IBM FAStT FC2-133 host bus adapter supports all fibre channel (FC) peripheral devices that support private-loop direct attach (PLDA) and fabric-loop attach (FLA).

The *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provides detailed configuration information for advanced users who want to use IBM Fast!UTIL to customize the configuration of the FAStT FC2-133 host bus adapter.

**Note:** For information about how to use and troubleshoot problems with the FC 6228 2 Gigabit fibre channel adapter in pSeries AIX<sup>®</sup> hosts, see *Fibre Channel Planning and Integration: User's Guide and Service Information*, SC23-4329-03.

#### **General checkout**

The following types of installation problems might cause your FAStT FC2-133 host bus adapter to function incorrectly:

- Hardware problems
- System configuration problems
- Fibre channel problems

If you are having problems, use the following information to help you determine the cause of the problem and the action to take.

#### Hardware problems

Take the following actions to determine if your installation problem is caused by the hardware:

- Verify that all adapters are installed securely.
- Verify that all cables are attached securely to the correct connectors. Be sure that one end of the LC-LC fibre channel cable is attached to the optical interface connector (located at J1 on the adapter) and that the other end is connected to the fibre channel device.
- Verify that the FAStT FC2-133 host bus adapter is installed correctly and is fully seated in the expansion slot. Check for interference due to nonstandard PCI connectors.

- Verify that the Fast!UTIL data-rate setting is correct. The Fast!UTIL data-rate setting must match the speed of the device to which you are connected.
- Verify that all peripheral devices are turned on. See the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* for information about how to use Fast!UTIL to display attached fibre channel devices.

## System configuration problems

To verify that your installation problem is caused by the system configuration, check your server to ensure that it is configured properly (see the appropriate IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide).

**Note:** All PCI-compliant and PCI-X-compliant systems automatically detect 32-bit or 64-bit adapters and set the appropriate bus speed (for example, 66 MHz or 133 MHz).

## Fibre channel problems

To determine if your installation problem is caused by an attached fibre channel device, perform the following actions:

- Verify that all of the fibre channel devices were turned on before you turned on the server.
- Ensure that all cables are connected properly.
- Verify that you configured your RAID storage subsystems using the utilities that the manufacturer provided.
- If your fibre-channel switch supports zoning, make sure that your peripheral device is configured to the same switch zone as the FAStT FC2-133 host bus adapter. For more information, see your fibre-channel switch documentation.

## Additional service information

Table 13 and Table 14 contain the FAStT FC2-133 host bus adapter operating environment and specification information.

Environment	Minimum	Maximum	
Operating temperature	0° C (32° F)	55° C (131° F)	
Storage temperature	-20° C (-4° F)	70° C (158° F)	
Relative humidity (noncondensing)	10%	90%	
Storage humidity (noncondensing)	5%	95%	

Table 13. FAStT FC2-133 host bus adapter operating environment

Table 14. FAStT FC2-133 host bus adapter specifications

Туре	Specification
Host bus	Conforms to Intel <sup>™</sup> PCI Local Bus Specification, revision 2.2 and the PCI-X Addendum, revision 1.0.
PCI/PCI-X signaling environment	3.3 V and 5.0 V buses supported

Туре	Specification		
PCI/PCI-X transfer rate	• Support for 32 bit and 64 bit PCI bus at 33 MHz and 64 MHz		
	• Support for 64 bit PCI-X bus at 50 MHz, 100 MHz, and 133 MHz		
	PCI transfer rate 264 MB per second maximum burst rate for 33 MHz operation (ISP2312/ISP2340 chips)		
	Support for dual address bus cycles		
Fibre channel specifications	• Fiber-optic media (shortwave multimode 50 micron cable		
	• Bus transfer rate: 200 MBps maximum at half-duplex and at 400 MBps maximum full-duplex		
	• Interface chip: ISP2312/ISP2340 (PCI-X QLA23xx boards)		
	Support for both FCP-SCSI and IP protocols		
	Support for point-to-point fabric connection: F-port Fabric Login		
	Support for FC-AL public loop profile: FL-port Login		
	• Support for fibre channel services class 2 and 3		
	Support for FCP SCSI initiator and target operation		
	Support for full-duplex operation		
Processor	Single-chip design that includes a RISC processor, fibre channel protocol manager, PCI/PCI-X DMA controller, and integrated serializer/deserializer (SERDES) and electrical transceivers that can auto-negotiate a data rate of 2 Gbps		
Host data transfer	64-bit, bus-master DMA data transfers to 528 MBps		
RAM	256 KB of SRAM supporting parity protection		
BIOS ROM	128 KB of flash ROM in two 64 KB, software selectable banks. The flash is field programmable.		
NVRAM	256 bytes, field-programmable		
Onboard DMA	Five-channel DMA controller: two data, one command, one auto-DMA request, and one auto-DMA response		
Frame buffer FIFO	Integrated 4 KB transmit and 6 KB receive frame buffer first-in first-out (FIFO) for each data channel		
Connectors (external)	• LC-style connector that supports non-OFC, multimode fiber-optic cabling using a small form factor (SFF) fiber-optic transceiver module.		
	• Total cable length cannot exceed 500 m		
Form factor	5.15 cm x 16.75 cm (2.5 in. x 6.7 in.)		
Operating power	Less than 15 watts		

Table 14. FAStT FC2-133 host bus adapter specifications (continued)

# Chapter 6. Type 3526 Fibre Channel RAID Controller

The Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller is compatible with the following IBM products:

- Type 3523 fibre-channel hub and GBIC (see Chapter 2 on page 3)
- Fibre-channel PCI adapter (FRU 01K7354) (see Chapter 3 on page 11)
- IBM FAStT host adapter (FRU 09N7292) (see Chapter 4 on page 13)
- Type 2109 fibre-channel switch
- Type 3534 managed hub

#### **General checkout**

Use the status LEDs, the "Symptom-to-FRU index" on page 32, and the connected server HMM to diagnose problems.

**Note:** The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

The LEDs of the control unit indicate the hardware status:

- Green LED indicates normal operation
- Amber LED indicates a hardware problem

The LEDs on the controller unit indicate the status of the controller unit and its individual components. The green LEDs indicate a normal operating status; amber LEDs indicate a hardware fault. Check all of the LEDs on the front and back of the controller unit when it is powered on.

#### Notes:

- 1. If power was just applied to the controller unit, the green and amber LEDs might turn on and off intermittently. Wait until the controller unit finishes powering up before you begin checking for faults.
- 2. To view the controller Customer Replaceable Unit (CRU) LEDs, the front cover must be removed from the controller unit.

Also use LEDs on the front cover, controller CRUs, and drive units (if applicable) to determine whether the controllers and drives are responding to I/O transmissions from the host.

The following list describes LED activities:

- If a Fast Write Cache operation to the controller unit (or attached drive units), or if other I/O activity is in progress, then you might see several green LEDs blinking, including: the Fast Write Cache LED (on the front cover), controller CRU status LEDs, or applicable drive activity LEDs.
- The green Heartbeat LEDs on the controller CRUs blink continuously. The number and pattern of green status LEDs lit on the controllers depend on how the system is configured. An active controller will not have the same status LEDs lit as a passive controller. See the appropriate IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide.

## Additional service information

This section provides additional service information about the Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller.

#### Powering on the controller

Note: All drive modules must be powered on before you power on the controller.

The controller might take from three to 10 seconds to power on. During this time, the amber and green LEDs on the controller unit flash.

After power on, check all fault LEDs to make sure they are off. If a fault LED is on, see the "Symptom-to-FRU index" on page 32.

#### Recovering from a power supply shutdown

Both power supplies have a built-in temperature sensor designed to prevent the power supplies from overheating. If a temperature sensor detects an over-temperature condition (ambient air temperature of 70°C (158°F) or above), the overheated power supply automatically shuts down. The other power supply remains on as long as its temperature remains below 70°C (158°F). If not, the second power supply shuts down, which turns off all power to the controller unit.

After the air temperature cools to below 70°C (158°F), the power supplies automatically restart. An automatic restart resets the controllers, attempts to spin up the drives (which has no effect on the drives if they are already running), and returns the controller unit to a normal operating state. Typically, you will not need to perform recovery procedures after an automatic power supply shutdown and restart.

After a power supply shutdown, check all controller LEDs.

If the power supply power LED is off, or the amber power supply LED on the front cover is on, go to the "Symptom-to-FRU index" on page 32.

#### **Connectors and host IDs**

The host ID switches and connectors for interface cables are on the connector plate located on the back of the controller unit.

#### Host and drive ID numbers

Each controller must have a unique Fibre Host ID number (see Figure 9 on page 23). The Host ID numbers assigned to each controller are based on two elements:

- Host ID numbers set through hardware switches on the controller unit. Five Host ID switches allow you to set ID numbers 0 through 127 for each controller. The factory default settings are ID #5 for Controller A and ID #4 for controller B.
- Software algorithms that calculate the actual fibre channel address, based on the controller unit's hardware settings and position on the loop or hub
- **Note:** The preferred ID is assigned on the fibre channel loop unless it is already being used. If the ID is already in use, a soft ID is assigned.



Figure 9. Fibre Host ID

## Fibre channel host cable requirements

For the Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller, you must use multi-mode, 50-micrometer fiber-optic cable and a Media Interface Adapter (MIA), shown in Figure 10.



Figure 10. Media Interface Adapter

Table 15 provides specifications for the MIA.

Table 15. Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller MIA specifications

Cable	Media type	Data size	Transfer speed	Range
Fiber-optic (multi-mode, 50-micrometer)	Short-wave laser	100 MBps	1062.5 Mbaud	up to 500 m (1640 ft.)

## LVD-SCSI drive cable requirements

To connect the controller unit to a drive module, you must use 68-pin, VHDCI (very high density cable interface) LVD, Ultra 2 SCSI cables. The controller unit has six drive connectors that support 16-bit interface protocols. Each connector represents a single drive channel that supports up to 10 drives per channel for a total of 60 drives.

# **Specifications**

#### Size

- With front panel:
  - Depth: 610 mm (24 in.)
  - Height: 174 mm (6.8 in.)
  - Width: 482 mm (19 in.)

#### Weight

- Controller unit maximum weight: 34.5 kg (76 lb)
- Controller unit empty: 14.3 kg (31.6 lb)
- Battery: 9.7 kg (21.4 lb)

#### **Electrical Input**

- Sign-wave input (50 to 60 Hz)
  - Low range: Minimum: 90 V ac Maximum: 127 V ac
  - High range: Minimum: 198 V ac Maximum: 257 V ac
- Input Kilovolt-amperes (kVA) approximately:
  - Minimum configuration: 0.06 kVA
  - Maximum configuration: 0.39 kVA

#### Environment

- Air temperature:
  - hub on: 10° to 35°C (50° to 95°F) Altitude: 0 to 914 m (3000 ft.)
  - hub on: 10° to 32°C (50° to 90°F) Altitude: 914 m (3000 ft.) to 2133 m (7000 ft.)
- Humidity:
  - 8% to 80%

#### Heat Output

- Approximate heat output in British Thermal Units (BTU) per hour:
  - Maximum configuration: 731.8 BTU (214 watts)

#### **Acoustical Noise Emissions Values**

- Sound Power (idling and operating):
  - 6.4 bels
- Sound Pressure (idling and operating):
  - 50 dBA

## **Tested configurations**

The following configurations (Figure 11 on page 25 through Figure 22 on page 31) are for the Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller.

# **Basic Configuration**



Note: Basic as shipped, single controller, no hubs or switches

Figure 11. Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller basic configuration



Note 1: Adapters can be in the same or different systems; choice affects total redundancy Note 2: No hubs or switches

Note 3: For max redundancy on the drive side use orthagonal striping (see orthagonal striping chart) Note 4: This config does not provide for "NO single point of failure"

Figure 12. Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller basic dual controller configuration



Figure 13. Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller orthogonal data striping

# Simple Fully Redundant



Note 1: Since disks are seen from multiple places some form of protection such as MSCS, storage partitioning, Sanergy, Oracle etc must be used.

Note 2: For best performance and managibility, a managed hub switch is preferred. Note 3: Always try to keep connections to hub on adjacent ports and unplug all unused GBICs





#### Figure 15. Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller cluster/non-cluster share



Figure 16. Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller multi-MSCS no external hubs



# **Multi-MSCS extended**

- Match performance needs of servers to max I/o available from 60 drives

- You may use some the switch ports to add 3526 units rather than hosts. Extending this to 16 port switches allows more of both

Figure 17. Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller multi-MSCS extended

Cornhusker configuration



Figure 18. Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller cornhusker configuration



## Base Storage Partitions

Figure 19. Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller basic storage partitions



Figure 20. Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller capacity configuration



## **SAN - Using Partitions of Clusters**

Figure 21. Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller SAN - Using partitions of clusters

# Legato HA/Replication for MSCS



Figure 22. Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller Legato HA/replication for MSCS

## Symptom-to-FRU index

The Symptom-to-FRU index (Table 16) lists symptoms and the possible causes. The most likely cause is listed first.

The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* also provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

#### Notes:

- 1. Always start with the "General checkout" on page 21. For IBM devices not supported by this index, see the manual for that device.
- 2. Do *not* look directly into any fiber cable or GBIC optical output. Read "Notices" on page 155. To view an optical signal, use a mirror to view the reflected light.

Table 16. Symptom-to-FRU index for Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller

Problem	Action/FRU
Controller LED (front cover) is on.	<ol> <li>Reseat Controller CRU</li> <li>Place Controller online using SM7 GUI</li> <li>If in passive mode, check Fibre path/GBIC</li> <li>Controller CRU</li> </ol>
Software issued a controller error message.	<ol> <li>Check Controller Fan</li> <li>Controller CRU</li> </ol>
Software errors occur when attempting to access controllers or drives.	<ol> <li>Check appropriate software and documentation to make sure the system is set up correctly and the proper command was run.</li> <li>Power to the Controller</li> <li>Interface cables</li> <li>ID settings</li> <li>Controller</li> <li>Drive</li> <li>Controller backpanel</li> </ol>
Fan LED (front cover) is on.	<ol> <li>Power supply fan CRU</li> <li>Controller fan CRU</li> </ol>
Controller and Fan fault LEDs (front cover) are on.	1. Check both Fan and Controller CRUs for fault LED and replace faulty CRU.
Fault-A or Fault-B LED (battery CRU) is on. <b>Note:</b> The Fault-A or Fault-B LED <i>will</i> be on during battery charging.	1. Battery CRU
Full Charge-A or Full Charge-B LED (battery CRU) is off.	<ol> <li>Power on Controller and allow batteries to charge for 24 hours until the Full Charge LEDs are on.</li> <li>Battery CRU</li> <li>Both power supplies</li> </ol>
No power to controller (all power LEDs off).	<ol> <li>Check power switches and power cords.</li> <li>Power supplies</li> </ol>
Power Supply LED is off.	<ol> <li>Check and reseat power supply.</li> <li>Check for overheating. Wait ten minutes for the power supply CRU to cool down. See "Recovering from a power supply shutdown" on page 22.</li> <li>Power supply CRU</li> </ol>

Table 16. Symptom-to-FRU index for Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller (continued)

Problem	Action/FRU
Power Supply CRU LEDs are on, but all other CRU LEDs are off.	1. DC power harness

# **Parts listing**

Figure 23 and the following table provide a parts listing for the type 3526 fibre-channel RAID controller.



Figure 23. Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller parts list

Index	Fibre channel RAID controller (Type 3526)	FRU
1	350-W Power Supply	01K6743
2	Rear Fan Assembly (Power Supply Fan)	01K6741
3	Optical Cable - 5 Meters (option)	03K9202
3	Optical Cable - 25 Meters (option)	03K9204
4	Media Interface Adapter (MIA)	03K9280
5	Frame Assembly with Midplane	10L6981
6	Controller Assembly with 32 MB memory/128 MB cache	10L6993
7	Battery Backup Assembly	01K6742
8	Bezel Assembly	10L7043
9	Front Fan Assembly (Controller CRU Fan)	01K6740
	128 MB cache module	10L5862
	Battery Cable	03K9285
	Fan Cable	03K9281

Index	Fibre channel RAID controller (Type 3526)	FRU
	Power Cable	03K9284
	Miscellaneous Hardware Kit	01K6739
	Rail Kit	10L6982

"Power cords," on page 153 lists required power cords for the FAStT storage components discussed in this document by country and region.

# Chapter 7. FAStT200 Type 3542 and FAStT200 HA Type 3542

The FAStT200 Type 3542 and FAStT200 HA Type 3542 are compatible with the following IBM products:

- IBM FAStT host adapter (FRU 09N7292) (see Chapter 4 on page 13)
- IBM FAStT EXP500 enclosure (see Chapter 13 on page 111)
- Type 3534 managed hub
- Type 2109 fibre-channel switch

## **General checkout**

Use the status LEDs, symptom-to-FRU list, and the storage management software to diagnose problems. See "Monitoring status through software" on page 40 and "Checking the LEDs" on page 40.

To diagnose a cluster system, use the cluster problem determination procedure in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide*.

- **Note:** If power was just applied to the controller unit, the green and amber LEDs might turn on and off intermittently. Wait until the controller unit finishes powering up before you begin to check for faults.
- **Note:** The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

## **General information**

The IBM FAStT200 storage server is available in two models.

The IBM FAStT200 HA storage server (Model 3542-2RU) comes with two RAID controllers, two power supplies, and two cooling units and provides dual, redundant controllers, redundant cooling, redundant power, and battery backup of the RAID controller cache.

The IBM FAStT200 storage server (Model 3542-1RU) comes with one RAID controller, two power supplies, and two cooling units and provides battery backup of the RAID controller cache. A FAStT200 Redundant RAID controller option is available for purchase. Contact your IBM reseller or IBM marketing representative.

The IBM FAStT200 HA storage server is designed to provide maximum host- and drive-side redundancy. Each RAID controller supports direct attachment of one host that contains one or two host adapters. By using external managed hubs and switches in conjunction with the storage server, you can build even larger configurations. (Throughout this chapter, the use of hub or external hub refers to a managed hub.)

**Note:** Throughout this chapter, the term *storage server* refers to both the IBM FAStT200 storage server (Model 3542-1RU) and the IBM FAStT200 HA storage server (Model 3542-2RU). Model-specific information is noted where applicable.

# Additional service information

This section provides additional service information about the IBM FAStT200 storage server.

## **Operating specifications**

Table 17 summarizes the operating specifications of the controller unit.

Table 17. Model 3542-2RU storage server operating specifications

Size (with front panel and without mounting	Environment	Acoustical noise emissions values
<ul> <li>rails)</li> <li>Depth: 57.5 cm (22.6 in)</li> <li>Height: 13.2 cm (5.2 in)</li> <li>Width: 48 cm (18.9 in)</li> <li>Weight</li> <li>Standard storage server as shipped: 25.74 kg (56.7 lb)</li> <li>Typical storage server fully configured: 37.65 kg (83 lb)</li> <li>Electrical input</li> <li>Sine-wave input (50 to 60 Hz) is required</li> <li>Input voltage: <ul> <li>Low range:</li> <li>Minimum: 90 V ac</li> <li>Maximum: 136 V ac</li> <li>High range:</li> <li>Minimum: 198 V ac</li> <li>Maximum: 264 V ac</li> </ul> </li> <li>Input kilovolt-amperes (kVA) approximately: <ul> <li>Minimum configuration: 0.06 kVA</li> <li>Maximum configuration: 0.37 kVA</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Air temperature:</li> <li>Storage server on: 10° to 35° C (50° to 95° F) Altitude: 0 to 914 m (3000 ft.)</li> <li>Storage server on: 10° to 32° C (50° to 90° F) Altitude: 914 m (3000 ft.) to 2133 m (7000 ft.)</li> <li>Humidity:</li> <li>8% to 80%</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>For open bay (0 drives installed) and typical system configurations (8 hard disk drives installed):</li> <li>Sound power (idling): <ul> <li>6.3 bels (open bay)</li> <li>6.5 bels (typical)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Sound power (operating): <ul> <li>6.3 bels (open bay)</li> <li>6.3 bels (open bay)</li> <li>6.3 bels (open bay)</li> <li>6.8 bels (typical)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Sound pressure (idling): <ul> <li>47 dBA (open bay)</li> <li>65 dBA (typical)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Sound pressure (operating): <ul> <li>47 dBA (open bay)</li> <li>68 dBA (typical)</li> </ul> </li> <li>These levels are measured in controlled acoustical environments according to ISO 7779 and are reported in accordance with ISO 9296. The declared sound power levels indicate an upper limit, below which a large portion of machines operate. Sound pressure levels in your location might exceed the average 1-meter values stated because of room reflections and other nearby noise.</li> </ul>

## Storage server components

The following sections show the components of the storage server.

The hot-swap features of the storage server enable you to remove and replace hard disk drives, power supplies, RAID controllers, and fans without turning off the storage server. Therefore, you can maintain the availability of your system while a hot-swap device is removed, installed, or replaced.

#### Front view

Figure 24 on page 37 shows the components and controls on the front of the server.



Figure 24. FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA storage server front view

#### **Power-on LED**

When on, this green light indicates that the unit has adequate dc power.

#### General-system-error LED

When on, this amber LED indicates that the storage server has a fault, such as in a power supply, fan unit, or hard disk drive.

**Note:** If the General-system-error LED is on continuously (not flashing), there is a problem with the storage server. Use the storage management software to diagnose and repair the problem. For more information, see "Checking the LEDs" on page 40.

#### Hot-swap drive CRU

You can install up to 10 hot-swap drive CRUs in the storage server. Each drive CRU consists of a hard disk drive and tray.

#### Filler panel

The storage server comes without drives installed and contains filler panels in the unused drive bays. Before you install new drives, you must remove the filler panels and save them. Each of the 10 bays must always contain either a filler panel or a drive CRU. Each filler panel contains a filler piece for use with a slim drive.

#### Drive activity LED

Each drive CRU has a green Drive activity LED. When flashing, this green LED indicates drive activity. When on continuously, this green LED indicates that the drive is properly installed.

#### Drive fault LED

Each drive CRU has an amber Drive fault LED. When on, this amber LED indicates a drive failure. When flashing, this amber LED indicates that a drive identify or rebuild process is in progress.

Latch This multipurpose blue latch releases or locks the drive CRU in place.

#### Tray handle

You can use this multipurpose handle to insert and remove a drive CRU in the bay.

For information on how to install and replace drive CRUs, see the appropriate IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide. For more information about the LEDs, see "Checking the LEDs" on page 40.

#### **Back view**

Figure 25 on page 38 shows the components at the back of the storage server.

**Note:** If your storage server is a Model 1RU, there is only one RAID controller. There is a blank panel in the second RAID controller opening. The blank panel must remain in place to maintain proper cooling.



Figure 25. FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA storage server bays (back view)

#### **RAID** controller

The storage server comes with one or two hot-swap RAID controllers. Each RAID controller contains two ports for Gigabit Interface Converters (GBICs) which connect to the fibre channel cables. One GBIC connects to a host system. The other GBIC is used to connect additional expansion units to the storage server.

Each RAID controller also contains a battery to maintain cache data in the event of a power failure. For more information, see the appropriate IBM TotalStorage FAStT Installation and User's Guide.

**Important:** The replacement RAID controller CRU does not come with a RAID controller cache battery installed. You must remove the cache battery that is inside the existing RAID controller that you are replacing, and install that battery inside the replacement RAID controller CRU. For the steps to remove and replace the battery, see the appropriate IBM TotalStorage FAStT Installation and User's Guide.

#### Hot-swap fans

The storage server has two interchangeable hot-swap and redundant fan CRUs. Each fan CRU contains two fans. If one fan CRU fails, the second fan CRU continues to operate. You must install both fan CRUs to maintain proper cooling within your storage server, even if one fan CRU is not operational.

#### Hot-swap power supplies

The storage server comes with two hot-swap power supplies. You must install both power supplies to maintain proper cooling.

## Interface ports and switches

Figure 26 on page 39 shows the ports and switches on the back of the storage server.



Figure 26. FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA storage server interface ports and switches

#### RAID controller

Each RAID controller contains several connectors and LEDs. Each controller has one host port and one expansion port for connecting the storage server to hosts or expansion units. You first insert a GBIC into the port and then connect the fibre channel cables.

#### Host port

The host port is used to connect fibre channel cables from the host systems. You first insert a GBIC into the port and then connect the fibre channel cables.

#### Ethernet port

The Ethernet port is for an RJ-45 10 BASE-T or 100 BASE-T Ethernet connection. Use the Ethernet connection to directly manage storage subsystems.

#### **Expansion port**

The expansion port is used to connect additional expansion units to the RAID controllers. You can connect one expansion unit to each RAID controller. You first insert a GBIC into the port and then connect the fibre channel cables.

#### RS-232 port

The RS-232 port is a TJ-6 modular jack and is used for an RS-232 serial connection. The RS-232 port is used by service personnel to perform diagnostic operations on the RAID controllers. An RS-232 cable comes with the storage server.

## **Diagnostics**

To diagnose fibre channel problems, use FAStT MSJ (see the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide*).

To diagnose the Type 3542 storage system, use the following diagnostic tools:

- Storage management software
- Checking LEDs

## Monitoring status through software

Use the storage management software to monitor the status of the storage server. Run the software constantly, and check it frequently.

The storage management software provides the best way to diagnose and repair storage server failures. The software can help you:

- Determine the nature of the failure
- Locate the failed component
- · Determine the recovery procedures to repair the failure

Although the storage server has fault LEDs, these lights do not necessarily indicate which component failed or needs to be replaced, or which type of recovery procedure that you must perform. In some cases (such as loss of redundancy in various components), the fault LED does not turn on. Only the storage management software can detect the failure.

For example, the recovery procedure for a Predictive Failure Analysis<sup>®</sup> (PFA) flag (impending drive failure) on a drive varies depending on the drive status (hot spare, unassigned, RAID level, current logical drive status, and so on). Depending on the circumstances, a PFA flag on a drive can indicate a high risk of data loss (if the drive is in a RAID 0 volume) or a minimal risk (if the drive is unassigned). Only the storage management software can identify the risk level and provide the necessary recovery procedures.

**Note:** For PFA flags, the General-system-error LED and Drive fault LEDs do not turn on, so checking the LEDs will not notify you of the failure, even if the risk of data loss is high.

Recovering from a storage server failure might require you to perform procedures other than replacing the component (such as backing up the logical drive or failing a drive before removing it). The storage management software gives these procedures.

Attention: Not following the software-recovery procedures can result in data loss.

## Checking the LEDs

The LEDs display the status of the storage server and components. Green LEDs indicate a normal operating status; amber LEDs indicate a possible failure.

It is important to check all the LEDs on the front and back of the storage server when you turn on the power. In addition to checking for faults, you can use the LEDs on the front of the storage server to determine whether the drives are responding to I/O transmissions from the host.

## Storage server LEDs (front)



Drive fault LED

Figure 27. FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA storage server LEDs (front)

LED	Color	Operating states <sup>1</sup>
Drive active	Green	• <b>On</b> - Normal operation
		• Flashing - The drive is reading or writing data.
		• Off - One of the following situations has occurred:
		<ul> <li>The storage server has no power.</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>The storage subsystem has no power.</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>The drive is not properly seated in the storage server.</li> </ul>
		– The drive has not spun up.
Drive fault	Amber	Off - Normal operation
		• <b>Flashing</b> - The storage management software is locating a drive, logical drive, or storage subsystem.
		• <b>On</b> - The drive failed, or a user failed the drive.
Power	Green	• <b>On</b> - Normal operation
		• Off - One of the following situations has occurred:
		<ul> <li>The storage server has no power.</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>The storage subsystem has no power.</li> </ul>
		– The power supply failed.
		– There is an overtemperature condition.
General-	Amber	Off - Normal operation
system-error		• <b>On</b> - A storage server component failed <sup>2</sup> .

Table 18. FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA storage server LEDs (front)

<sup>1</sup> Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.

<sup>2</sup> Not all component failures turn on this LED. For more information, see "Monitoring status through software" on page 40.

## Storage server LEDs (rear)



Figure 28. FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA storage server LEDs (rear)

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Table 19. FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA	SIDIADE SEIVEL HAID CONTONELLEDS

Icon	LED	Color	Operating states <sup>1</sup>
4	Fault	Amber	<ul> <li>Off - Normal operation</li> <li>On - The RAID controller failed.</li> </ul>
ţ	Host loop	Green	<ul> <li>On - Normal operation</li> <li>Off - One of the following situations has occurred: <ul> <li>The host loop is down, not turned on, or not connected.</li> <li>A GBIC failed, or the host port is not occupied.</li> <li>The RAID controller circuitry failed, or the RAID controller has no power.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
0	Cache active	Green	<ul> <li>On - There is data in the RAID controller cache.</li> <li>Off - One of the following situations has occurred: <ul> <li>There is no data in cache.</li> <li>There are no cache options selected for this array.</li> <li>The cache memory failed, or the battery failed.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<del>[+ -</del> ]	Battery	Green	<ul> <li>On - Normal operation</li> <li>Flashing - The battery is recharging or performing a self-test.</li> <li>Off - The battery or battery charger failed.</li> </ul>
3	Expansion port bypass	Amber	<ul> <li>Off - Normal operation</li> <li>On - One of the following situations has occurred: <ul> <li>The expansion port is not occupied.</li> <li>The fibre channel cable is not attached to an expansion unit.</li> <li>The attached expansion unit is not turned on.</li> <li>A GBIC failed, a fibre channel cable failed, or a GBIC failed on the attached expansion unit.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	Expansion loop	Green	<ul> <li>On - Normal operation</li> <li>Off - The RAID controller circuitry failed, or the RAID controller has no power.</li> </ul>

Icon	LED	Color	Operating states <sup>1</sup>
No icon	10BT	Green	• If the Ethernet connection is 10BASE-T: The 10BT LED is on, 100BT LED flashes faintly.
No icon	100BT		• If the Ethernet connection is 100BASE-T: The 10BT LED is off, 100BT LED is on.
			• If there is no Ethernet connection: Both LEDs are off.
<sup>1</sup> Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.			

Table 19. FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA storage server RAID controller LEDs (continued)

## Fan and power supply LEDs



Figure 29. FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA fan and power supply LEDs

Table 20. FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA fan LEDs

LED	Color	Operating states <sup>1</sup>
Fault	Amber	• Off - Normal operation
		• <b>On</b> - The fan CRU failed.
<sup>1</sup> Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.		

Table 21. FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA power supply LEDs

Fault Amber Power Green	<ul> <li>Off - Normal operation</li> <li>On - One of the following situations has occurred: <ul> <li>The power supply failed.</li> <li>An overtemperature condition has occurred.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Power Green	<ul> <li>The power supply is turned off.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>On - Normal operation</li> <li>Off - One of the following situations has occurred: <ul> <li>The power supply is disconnected.</li> <li>The power supply is seated incorrectly.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

Always use the storage management software to identify the failure

## Symptom-to-FRU index

Use the storage management software to diagnose and repair controller unit failures. Use Table 22 also to find solutions to problems that have definite symptoms.

See the PD maps in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* for more detailed procedures for problem isolation.

Table 22. Symptom-to-FRU index for FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA Type 3542 controller

Problem Indicator	Action/FRU
Amber LED on - Drive CRU	1. Replace the drive that failed.
Amber LED on - Fan CRU	1. Replace the fan that failed.
Amber LED on - RAID controller Fault LED	1. If the RAID controller Fault LED is lit, replace the RAID controller.
Amber LED on - Expansion port Bypass LED	<ol> <li>No corrective action needed if system is properly configured and no attached expansion units.</li> <li>Reattach the GBICs and fibre channel cables. Replace input and output GBICs or cables as necessary.</li> <li>Expansion unit</li> </ol>
Amber LED on - Front panel	1. Indicates that a Fault LED somewhere on the storage server has turned on. (Check for amber LEDs on CRUs).
Amber LED on and green LED off - Power supply CRU	<ol> <li>Turn on all power supply power switches.</li> <li>Check ac power.</li> </ol>
Amber and green LEDs on - Power-supply CRU	1. Replace the failed power-supply CRU.
All green LEDs off - All CRUs	<ol> <li>Check that all storage server power cords are plugged in and the power switches are on</li> <li>Check that the main circuit breakers for the rack are turned on.</li> <li>Power supply</li> <li>Midplane</li> </ol>
Amber LED flashing - Drive CRUs	1. No corrective action is needed. (Drive rebuild or identity is in process.)
One or more green LEDs off - Power supply CRUs	1. Make sure that the power cord is plugged in and the power-supply switches are turned on.
One or more green LEDs off - All drive CRUs	1. Midplane
One or more green LEDs off - Front panel	<ol> <li>Make sure that the cords are plugged in and power supplies are turned on.</li> <li>Midplane</li> </ol>
One or more green LEDs off - Battery	1. Battery
One or more green LEDs off - Cache active	<ol> <li>Use the storage management software to enable the cache.</li> <li>RAID controller</li> <li>Battery</li> </ol>
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One or more green LEDs off - Host Loop	<ol> <li>Check if host managed hub or switch is on. Replace attached devices that have failed.</li> <li>Fibre channel cables</li> <li>GBIC</li> <li>RAID controller</li> </ol>
One or more green LEDs off - Expansion Loop	<ol> <li>Ensure drives are properly seated.</li> <li>RAID controller</li> <li>Drive</li> <li>GBIC or fibre channel cable</li> </ol>
Intermittent or sporadic power loss to the storage server - Some or all CRUs	<ol> <li>Check the ac power source.</li> <li>Reseat all installed power cables and power supplies.</li> <li>Replace defective power cords.</li> <li>Check for a Fault LED on the power supply, and replace the failed CRU.</li> <li>Midplane</li> </ol>
Unable to access drives on Drives and fibre channel loop	<ol> <li>Ensure that the fibre channel cables are undamaged and properly connected.</li> <li>RAID controller</li> </ol>
Random errors on Subsystem	1. Midplane
The Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window sees each storage server controller as an independent storage subsystem.	No drives are present in the storage server. Ensure that at least one drive is present in the storage server so that it can be configured properly. One controller was replaced incorrectly. The controller firmware versions probably failed to synchronize correctly.
	To recover, perform the following steps: 1. Remove and reinsert the controller blade.
	<ol> <li>Wait 5 minutes.</li> </ol>
	<ol> <li>Delete the controller entry with the incorrect firmware version from the FAStT Storage Manager Enterprise Management window.</li> </ol>
	4. Add the controller back to the FAStT Storage Manager Enterprise Management window using the <b>Add Device</b> menu option in the Enterprise Management window.
	5. If the Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window still shows each storage server controller as an independent storage subsystem or a partially managed device, repeat this procedure. If the problem still persists, contact IBM support.

Table 22. Symptom-to-FRU index for FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA Type 3542 controller (continued)

Note: If you cannot find the problem in Table 22 on page 44, test the entire system.

# Parts listing

Figure 30 on page 46 and the following table provide a parts listing for the FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA controllers.



Figure 30. FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA controller parts list

This parts listing supports the following models: 1RU, 1RX, 2RU, and 2RX	This parts listing	g supports t	he following	models: 1RU,	1RX, 2RU, and 2RX.
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Index	Type 3542- IBM FAStT200FAStT200 and FAStT200 HA storage servers	FRU No.
1	DASD Bezel Filler Asm (all models)	37L0198
2	Decorative Bezel (all models)	09N7307
3	Power Supply Asm (350 W) (all models)	19K1164
4	Blank, controller (model 1RU, 1RX)	19K1229
5	Blower Asm (all models)	09N7285
6	FC Controller, (all models)	19K1115
7	Rail Kit Left/Right (all models)	37L0067
8	Midplane/Frame (all models)	19K1220
	Misc. Hardware Kit (all models)	09N7288
	Short Wave GBIC (all models)	03K9206
	Long Wave GBIC (all models)	03K9208
	FAStT Storage Manager Software CD (all models)	19K1230
	Cable, 5M Optical (all models)	03K9202
	Cable, 25M Optical (all models)	03K9204
	Cable, Serial (all models)	19K1179
	Cable, 1M Optical (all models)	37L0083
	9' Line Cord (all models)	6952300
	Battery, Cache (all models)	19K1219
	Line Cord Jumper, High Voltage (model 1RX, 2RX)	36L8886

"Power cords," on page 153 lists required power cords for the FAStT storage components discussed in this document by country and region.

# Chapter 8. Type 3552 FAStT500 RAID Controller

The IBM FAStT500 RAID controller is compatible with the following IBM products:

- IBM FAStT host adapter (FRU 09N7292) (see Chapter 4 on page 13)
- IBM FAStT EXP500 enclosure (see Chapter 13 on page 111)
- Type 2109 fibre-channel switch
- Type 3534 managed hub

### **General checkout**

Use the indicator lights, the "Symptom-to-FRU index" on page 57, and the connected server HMM to diagnose problems.

**Note:** The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

## Checking the indicator lights

The controller unit indicator lights (see Figure 31 on page 48) display the status of the controller unit and its components. Green indicator lights mean normal operating status; amber indicator lights mean a possible failure.

It is important that you check all the indicator lights on the front and back of the controller unit when you turn on the power. After you turn on the power, the indicator lights might blink intermittently. Wait until the controller unit completes its power up before checking for faults. It can take up to 15 minutes for the battery to complete its self-test and up to 24 hours to fully charge, particularly after an unexpected power loss of more than a few minutes.

Perform the following steps to check the controller unit indicator lights and operating status.

- 1. To view the indicator lights, remove the controller unit bezel.
- 2. Check the indicator lights on the front of the controller unit.
- 3. Check the indicator lights on the back of the controller unit.
- 4. Check the indicator lights on the mini-hubs.
- 5. If all indicator lights show a normal status, replace the bezel; otherwise, run the storage management software to diagnose and repair the problem.



Figure 31. FAStT500 RAID controller indicator lights (front panel)

Indicator light	Color	Normal Operation	Problem Indicator	Possible conditions suggested by the problem indicator (1)				
Component: con	Component: controller CRU							
Power	Green	On	Off	<ul> <li>No power to controller unit</li> <li>No power to storage subsystem</li> <li>Cables are loose or the switches are off</li> <li>Power supply failed, is missing, or is not fully seated</li> <li>Overtemperature condition</li> </ul>				
Fault	Amber	Off	On	Controller failure; controller fault condition				
Heartbeat	Green	Blinking (2)	Not blinking (2)	No controller activity				
Status (eight lights including Heartbeat)	Green	Various patterns depending on the condition	Various patterns depending on the condition	If the second, third, sixth, and seventh lights are on or if all eight lights are on, there is a memory fault that indicates that the controller CRU failed.				
Component: con	ntroller fan	1						
Power	Green	On	Off	<ul> <li>No power to controller unit</li> <li>No power to storage subsystem</li> <li>Cables are loose or the switches are off</li> <li>Power supply failed, is missing, or is not fully seated in controller unit</li> <li>Overtemperature condition</li> </ul>				
Power supply fault	Amber	Off	On	<ul> <li>Power supply failed</li> <li>Overtemperature</li> <li>Power supply is turned off, disconnected, or not fully seated in controller unit</li> <li>No power to controller unit or storage subsystem (all indicator lights are off)</li> </ul>				

Table 23. FAStT500 RAID controller indicator lights (front panel) (continued)

Indicator light	Color	Normal Operation	Problem Indicator	Possible conditions suggested by the problem indicator (1)
Controller fan	Amber	Off	On	Controller fan failed
fault				• Fan and communications module is missing, unplugged, or failed
				Circuitry failure
				Overtemperature condition
Controller fault	Amber	Off	On	Controller failed; one or more memory modules failed (SIMMs or DIMMs).
Fast write	Green	Steady or	Software	Normal operation is off if:
cache		blinking (3)	dependent (3)	Cache is not enabled.
				• Battery is not ready.
Component: ba	ttery			
Fault-A or	Amber	Off	On	Left or right battery bank failed.
Fault-B				• Battery is either discharged or defective.
Full Charge-A	Green	On (4)	Off	• Left or right battery bank is not fully charged.
or Full Charge-B				• Power has been off for an extended period and has drained battery power.
				Batteries are weak.

1. Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.

2. There are eight status lights (the Heartbeat and seven others) that glow in various patterns, depending on the controller status.

- **3**. The fast write cache indicator light is on when there is data in the cache and it blinks during a fast write operation.
- 4. If either Full Charge-A or Full Charge-B indicator light blink, the battery is in the process of charging.

More indicator lights are located on the back of the controller unit, as shown in Figure 32.



Figure 32. FAStT500 RAID controller indicator lights (back panel)

Table 24 on page 50 describes the back panel FAStT500 RAID controller indicator lights.

Table 24. FAStT500 RAID controller indicator lights (back panel)

Indicator light	Color	Normal Operation	Problem Indicator	Possible conditions suggested by the problem indicator (1)
Fan and communi	cations mo	dule		
Fan and communication fault	Amber	Off	On	<ul><li>Fan and communications module failed or is installed incorrectly</li><li>Overtemperature condition</li></ul>
Power supply	•		·	
Power supply	Green	On	Off	<ul> <li>No power to controller unit</li> <li>No power to storage subsystem</li> <li>Power supply failed</li> <li>Overtemperature condition</li> </ul>

The mini-hub indicator lights on the back of the controller unit are shown in Figure 33.



Figure 33. FAStT500 RAID controller mini-hub indicator lights

Table 25 on page 51 describes the mini-hub indicator lights.

Table 25. FAStT500 RAID	controller mini-hub	indicator lights
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Icon	Indicator light	Color	Normal Operation	Problem Indicator	Possible conditions suggested by the problem indicator
Compone	ent: mini-hub (host-s	side)			
	Fault	Amber	Off	On	Mini-hub or GBIC failed. <b>Note:</b> If a host-side mini-hub is not connected to a controller, this fault light is always on.
#	Bypass (upper port)	Amber	Off	On	<ul> <li>Upper mini-hub port is bypassed.</li> <li>Mini-hub or GBIC failed, is loose, or is missing.</li> <li>Fiber-optic cables are damaged. Note: If the port is unoccupied, the light is on.</li> </ul>
€_, <b>,</b> ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	Loop good	Green	On	Off	<ul> <li>The loop is not operational.</li> <li>Mini-hub failed or a faulty device might be connected to the mini-hub.</li> <li>Controller failed.</li> <li>Note: If a host-side mini-hub is not connected to a controller, the green light is always off and the fault light is always on.</li> </ul>
#	Bypass (lower port)	Amber	Off	On	<ul> <li>Lower mini-hub port is bypassed.</li> <li>Mini-hub or GBIC failed, is loose, or is missing.</li> <li>Fiber-optic cables are damaged. Note: If the port is unoccupied, the light is on.</li> </ul>
Compone	ent: mini-hub (drive-	-side)			
	Fault	Amber	Off	On	Mini-hub or GBIC failed. <b>Note:</b> If a drive-side mini-hub is not connected to a controller, this fault light is always on.
=::::	Bypass (upper port)	Amber	Off	On	<ul> <li>Upper mini-hub port is bypassed.</li> <li>Mini-hub or GBIC failed, is loose, or is missing.</li> <li>Fiber-optic cables are damaged. Note: If the port is unoccupied, the light is on.</li> </ul>
<b>;;</b> ;;	Loop good	Green	On	Off	<ul> <li>The loop is not operational.</li> <li>Mini-hub failed or a faulty device might be connected to the mini-hub.</li> <li>Drive failed.</li> <li>Note: If a drive-side mini-hub is not connected to a controller, the green light is always off and the fault light is always on.</li> </ul>
⊐::	Bypass (lower port)	Amber	Off	On	<ul> <li>Lower mini-hub port is bypassed.</li> <li>Mini-hub or GBIC failed, is loose, or is missing.</li> <li>Fiber-optic cables are damaged. Note: If the port is unoccupied, the light is on.</li> </ul>

# **Tested configurations**

The following configurations (shown in Figure 34 through Figure 44 on page 57) are for the IBM FAStT500 RAID controller.

# **Basic Configuration**



Note1: Adapters can be in the same or different systems

Note 4: For dual redundant loops connect to the optional set of mini-hubs shown as dashed on the drive side

Figure 34. FAStT500 RAID controller basic configuration



# **Simple Fully Redundant**

Figure 35. FAStT500 RAID controller simple fully redundant

Note 2: Redundant drive loops are shown and required Note 3: Mini-hubs in dashes are options

# **Cluster/Non-Cluster Share**



Figure 36. FAStT500 RAID controller cluster/non-cluster share



## **Multi-MSCS No External Hubs**

Figure 37. FAStT500 RAID controller multi-MSCS no external hubs

### **Multi-MSCS** extended







### **Cornhusker configuration**

Figure 39. FAStT500 RAID controller cornhusker configuration

### **Base Storage Partitions**



Figure 40. FAStT500 RAID controller basic storage partitions



### **Capacity Configuration**

Figure 41. FAStT500 RAID controller capacity configuration

## **Capacity Configuration - host detail**



Host-side view

Figure 42. FAStT500 RAID controller capacity configuration host detail



**SAN - Using Partitions of Clusters** 

Figure 43. FAStT500 RAID controller SAN - Using partitions of clusters

# Legato HA/Replication for MSCS



Figure 44. FAStT500 RAID controller Legato HA/replication for MS

# Symptom-to-FRU index

The Symptom-to-FRU index (Table 26) lists symptoms and the possible causes. The most likely cause is listed first.

The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* also provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

- **Note:** Always start with the "General checkout" on page 47. For IBM devices not supported by this index, see the manual for that device.
- **Note:** Do *not* look directly into any fiber cable or GBIC optical output. To view an optical signal, use a mirror to view the reflected light.

Problem	Action/FRU
Controller LED (front cover) is on.	<ol> <li>Reseat Controller CRU.</li> <li>Place Controller online using SM7 GUI.</li> <li>If in passive mode, check Fibre path/GBIC.</li> <li>Controller CRU</li> </ol>
Software issued a controller error message.	<ol> <li>Check Controller Fan</li> <li>Controller CRU</li> </ol>

Table 26. Symptom-to-FRU index for FAStT500 RAID controller

Problem	Action/FRU
Software errors occur when attempting to access controllers or drives.	<ol> <li>Check appropriate software and documentation to make sure the system is set up correctly and the proper command was run.</li> <li>Power to the Controller</li> <li>Interface cables</li> <li>ID settings</li> <li>Controller</li> <li>Drive</li> </ol>
Fan LED (front cover) is on.	<ol> <li>7. Controller backpanel</li> <li>1. Power supply fan CRU</li> <li>2. Controller fan CRU</li> </ol>
Controller and Fan fault LEDs (front cover) are on.	1. Check both Fan and Controller CRUs for fault LED and replace faulty CRU.
Fault-A or Fault-B LED (battery CRU) is on.	1. Battery CRU
Full Charge-A or Full Charge-B LED (battery CRU) is off.	<ol> <li>Power-on Controller and allow batteries to charge for 24 hours until the Full Charge LEDs are on.</li> <li>Battery CRU</li> <li>Both power supplies</li> </ol>
No power to controller (all power LEDs off).	<ol> <li>Check power switches and power cords.</li> <li>Power supplies</li> </ol>
Power Supply LED is off.	<ol> <li>Check and reseat power supply.</li> <li>Check for overheating. Wait ten minutes for the power supply CRU to cool down.</li> <li>Power supply CRU</li> </ol>
Power Supply CRUs LED are on, but all other CRU LEDs are off.	1. DC power harness
The Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window sees each storage server controller as an independent storage subsystem.	<ul> <li>No drives are present in the storage server. Ensure that at least one drive is present in the storage server so that it can be configured properly.</li> <li>One controller was replaced incorrectly. The controller firmware versions probably failed to synchronize correctly. To recover, perform the following steps:</li> <li>1. Remove and reinsert the controller blade.</li> <li>2. Wait 5 minutes.</li> <li>3. Delete the controller entry with the incorrect firmware version from the FAStT Storage Manager Enterprise Management window.</li> <li>4. Add the controller back to the FAStT Storage Manager Enterprise Management window using the Add Device menu option in the Enterprise Management window.</li> <li>5. If the Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window.</li> <li>5. If the Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window.</li> <li>5. If the Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window.</li> <li>5. If the Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window.</li> <li>5. If the Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window.</li> <li>5. If the Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window.</li> <li>5. If the Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window.</li> <li>5. If the Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window.</li> </ul>

Table 26. Symptom-to-FRU index for FAStT500 RAID controller (continued)

# Parts listing

Figure 45 and the following table provide a parts listing for the FAStT500 RAID controller.



Figure 45. FAStT500 RAID controller parts listing

Index	Fibre channel RAID controller (Type 3552)	FRU
1	175-W Power Supply	01K6743
2	Mini Hub Card Assembly	37L0096
3	Optical Cable - 1 Meter	37L0083
3	Optical Cable - 5 Meters	03K9202
3	Optical Cable - 25 Meters	03K9204
4	Short Wave GBIC	03K9206
4	Long Wave GBIC	03K9208
5	Frame Assembly with Midplane	37L0093
6	RAID Controller	37L0098
7	Battery Backup Assembly	24P0953
8	Bezel Assembly	10L7043
9	Front Fan Assembly (Controller CRU Fan)	37L0094
10	Rear Fan Assembly	37L0102
	256 MB DIMM	37L0095
	Battery Cable	03K9285
	Blank Mini Hub Canister	37L0100
	Line Cord Jumper, High Voltage	36L8886
	Power Cable	37L0101

Index	Fibre channel RAID controller (Type 3552)	FRU
	Miscellaneous Hardware Kit	24P0954
	Rail Kit	37L0085
	Line Cord, US	6952300

"Power cords," on page 153 lists required power cords for the FAStT storage components discussed in this document by country and region.

# Chapter 9. Type 1722 FAStT600 Fibre Channel Storage Server

The following chapter covers basic hardware maintenance information for the Type 1722 FAStT600 fibre channel storage server. For more detailed information on the installation and use of the FAStT600 fibre channel storage server, refer to the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT600 Storage Server Installation and User's Guide.* 

**Note:** The problem determination maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

The Type 1722 FAStT600 fibre channel storage servers are compatible with the following IBM products:

• IBM FAStT EXP700 (see Chapter 14 on page 119)

**Note:** There are no expansion ports on the Type 1722 FAStT600 model 6LU and 6LX storage server.

- IBM FAStT EXP100 (see Chapter 15 on page 127)
   Important: Currently you cannot combine Serial ATA and fibre-channel hard drives in the same FAStT storage server configuration.
- IBM FAStT FC2 (FRU 19K1273), IBM FAStT FC2-133 (FRU 24P0962) and IBM FAStT FC2-133 dual port (FRU 38P9099) HBAs (see Chapter 5 on page 17)
- Type 3534-F08 fibre-channel switch
- Type 2109-F16 fibre-channel switch
- Type 2109-F32 fibre-channel switch
- Type 2109-M12 fibre-channel switch

For the latest list of compatible devices, see the ServerProven<sup>®</sup> Web site at: www.pc.ibm.com/us/compat/nos/cert.shtml

### **General checkout**

#### Important:

To ensure proper operation when you connect an EXP100 expansion unit to a FAStT600 storage server, you must perform the required software and firmware support code upgrades to enable FAStT600 support for the EXP100.

- Upgrade the FAStT Storage Manager host software in the host servers and the management station to version 8.41 or later. See the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Storage Manager Installation and Support Guide* for your operating system.
- Upgrade the controller firmware and NVSRAM and the ESM firmware to the required levels. See the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 Storage Expansion Unit Installation and User's Guide* for firmware requirements and instructions on how to perform these upgrades.

**Attention:** Do not upgrade your controller firmware to version 5.41.5x.xx if your storage server is connected to an EXP100 with ESM firmware version 953x or earlier.

When the FAStT600 storage server is connected to a FAStT EXP100, the FAStT600 must not have fibre-channel drives inserted in its slots. All the slots in the FAStT600 storage server must have blank drive trays to ensure proper cooling.

Currently, you cannot combine Serial ATA (such as the EXP100) and fibre-channel (such as the EXP700) hard drives in the same FAStT storage server configuration.

Use the status LEDs, Symptom-to-FRU list, and the storage management software to diagnose problems. See "Monitoring status through software" on page 69 and "Checking the LEDs" on page 70.

To diagnose a cluster system, use the cluster problem determination procedure found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide*.

**Note:** If power was just applied to the controller unit, the green and amber LEDs might turn on and off intermittently. Wait until the controller unit finishes powering up before you begin to check for faults.

### **General information**

There are two types of the FAStT600 storage server, the Type 1722 model 60U and 60X dual-controller storage server and the Type 1722 model 6LU and 6LX single-controller storage server. The following section includes general information on the two types as well as the Turbo option.

#### FAStT600 dual-controller storage server (models 60U and 60X)

The FAStT600 dual-controller storage server (models 60U and 60X) comes with two RAID controllers, two power supplies, and two cooling units and provides dual, redundant controllers, redundant cooling, redundant power, and battery backup of the RAID controller cache.

The FAStT600 model 60U and 60X storage server is designed to provide maximum host- and drive-side redundancy. Each RAID controller supports direct attachment of one host that contains one or two host adapters. By

using external managed hubs and switches in conjunction with the storage server, you can build even larger configurations. (Throughout this document, the use of hub or external hub refers to a managed hub.)

**Note:** You must make fibre-channel connections to both FAStT600 controller blades on the FAStT600 model 60U and 60X to ensure full host-side redundancy.

**FAStT600 dual-controller storage server (models 60U and 60X) with the Turbo option** The Turbo option consists of:

- Two 1-GB cache RAID controllers
- Storage Manager and firmware at 8.4 level
- License for connecting up to seven FAStT EXP700 expansion units

#### FAStT600 single-controller storage server (models 6LU and 6LX)

The FAStT600 fibre channel storage server Type 1722 Models 6LU and 6LX comes with one RAID controller, one power supply, and one cooling unit to provide efficient storage and retrieval capabilities.

FAStT600 supports up to fourteen internal disk drive modules, supporting over 2 TB of storage capacity when using 146-GB drives. You can add additional storage to the FAStT600 with up to seven FAStT EXP700 expansion units using optional EXP700 Attachment features, as described in Table 27.

The following list indicates the number of expansion units that each type of the FAStT600 supports:

#### FAStT600 model 6LU and 6LX

No expansion units

#### FAStT600 model 60U and 60X Three expansion units

# FAStT600 model 60U and 60X Turbo

Seven expansion units

Table 27. Additional storage features available for the FAStT600 storage servers

Expansion units	Number of drives	Feature number	Part number
Two EXP70015 to 42 drivesexpansion units		7360	24P8066
First additional 15 to 28 drives EXP700 expansion unit		7361	24P8169
Second additional EXP700 expansion unit EXP700 expansion 29 to 42 drives, can be purchased only after Feature number 7361		7362	24P8151
Third additional EXP700 expansion unit43 to 56 drives, can be purchased only after Feature number 7362		7363	24P8183
Three EXP70015 to 56 drivesexpansion units		7368	24P8180

Expansion units	Number of drives	Feature number	Part number
Seven EXP700 expansion units Also includes 1-GB cache controller upgrade and Storage Manager 8.4 client and controller firmware.	15 to 112 drives	2000 (for the 1722–60U) or 2010 (for the 1722–60X)	24P8215 (for the 1722–60U) 24P8216 (for the 1722–60X)

Table 27. Additional storage features available for the FAStT600 storage servers (continued)

Utilizing these features and with the 14 internal disk drive modules, up to 112 disk drives can be attached to the FAStT600 Type model 60U and 60X with individual drive module capacities ranging from 36.4 to 146.8 GB.

# Additional service information

This section provides additional service information about the FAStT600 fibre channel storage server.

# **Operating specifications**

Table 28 summarizes the operating specifications of the controller unit.

Table 28. FAStT600 storage server operating specifications

### Storage server components

The following sections show the components of the FAStT600 fibre channel storage server.

**Note:** The graphics used in this document are for illustrative purposes only. The appearance of the actual device may differ from the graphic.

All FAStT600 storage server models support hot-swap fibre-channel hard drive CRUs and cooling fan CRUs, so you can remove and replace these components without turning off the storage server. In addition, the FAStT600 storage server models 60X and 60U support hot-swap power supplies and RAID controller CRUs.

**Note:** The FAStT600 single-controller storage server (model 6LU and 6LX) has one power supply and one controller; therefore, you cannot hot swap these components.

#### Front view

Figure 46 shows the components and controls on the front of the FAStT600 storage server.



Figure 46. FAStT600 storage server front controls and components

**Note:** The graphics used in this document are for illustrative purposes only. The appearance of the actual device may differ from the graphic.

#### **Power-on LED**

When on, this green light indicates that the unit has good dc power.

The FAStT600 single-controller storage server (model 6LU and 6LX) has a single power supply therefore; when the power supply fails, the General-system-error LED and the Power-on LED are not lit.

#### General-system-error LED

When on, this amber LED indicates that the storage server has a fault, such as in a power supply, fan unit, or hard disk drive.

The FAStT600 single-controller storage server (model 6LU and 6LX) has a single power supply therefore; when the power supply fails, the General-system-error LED and the Power-on LED are not lit.

**Note:** If the General-system-error LED is on continuously (not flashing), there is a problem with the storage server. Use the storage

management software to diagnose and repair the problem. For more information, see "Checking the LEDs" on page 70.

#### Locator LED

When on, this blue light indicates the storage management software is locating the server.

#### Hot-swap drive CRU

You can install up to 14 hot-swap drive *customer replaceable units* (CRUs) in the storage server. Each drive CRU consists of a hard disk drive and tray.

#### Filler panel

The storage server comes without drives installed and contains filler panels in the unused drive bays. Before installing new drives, you must remove the filler panels and save them. Each of the 14 bays must always contain either a filler panel or a drive FRU. Each filler panel contains a filler piece for use with a slim drive.

#### Drive activity LED

Each drive CRU has a green Drive activity LED. When flashing, this green LED indicates drive activity. When on continuously, this green LED indicates that the drive is properly installed.

#### Drive fault LED

Each drive CRU has an amber Drive fault LED. When on, this amber LED indicates a drive failure. When flashing, this amber LED indicates that a drive identify is in progress.

Latch This multipurpose blue latch releases or locks the drive CRU in place.

#### Tray handle

You can use this multipurpose handle to insert and remove a drive CRU in the bay.

For information on how to install and replace drive CRUs, see the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT600 Fibre Channel Storage Server Installation and User's Guide*. For more information about the LEDs, see "Checking the LEDs" on page 70.

#### Back view

Figure 47 shows the components at the back of the FAStT600 dual-controller storage server (model 60U and 60X).



Figure 47. FAStT600 dual-controller storage server (model 60U and 60X) back view

Figure 48 shows the components at the back of the FAStT600 single-controller storage server (model 6LU and 6LX).



Figure 48. FAStT600 single-controller storage server (model 6LU and 6LX) back view

**Note:** The graphics used in this document are for illustrative purposes only. The appearance of the actual device may differ from the graphic.

#### **RAID** controller

Each RAID controller contains three ports for SFP modules that connect to the fibre channel cables. Two of the ports, which are labeled Host 1 and Host 2, are used to connect to host servers. The third port, which is labeled Expansion and is available on the FAStT600 model 60U and 60X only, is used to connect additional expansion units to the storage server.

Each RAID controller also contains a battery to maintain cache data in the event of a power failure. For more information, see "Cache memory and RAID controller battery" on page 74.

**Note:** The FAStT600 single-controller storage server (model 6LU and 6LX) contains only one RAID controller.

#### Hot-swap fans

The storage server has two interchangeable hot-swap and redundant fan FRUs. Each fan FRU contains two fans. If one fan FRU fails, the second fan FRU continues to operate. Both fan FRUs must be installed to maintain proper cooling within your storage server, even if one fan FRU is not operational.

**Note:** The FAStT600 single-controller storage server (model 6LU and 6LX) contains only one fan.

#### Hot-swap power supplies

The FAStT600 dual-controller storage server (model 60U and 60X) comes with two hot-swap power supplies. Both power supplies must be installed to maintain proper cooling.

**Note:** The FAStT600 single-controller storage server (model 6LU and 6LX) comes with one power supply. You must keep the second power supply cover on to maintain proper cooling.

### Interface ports and switches

Figure 49 shows the ports and switches on the back of the storage server.



Figure 49. FAStT600 dual-controller storage server (model 60U and 60X) interface ports and switches

For a similar view of the FAStT600 model 6LU and 6LX, see Figure 48 on page 67.

#### **RAID** controller

Each RAID controller contains several connectors and LEDs. Each controller has two host ports and one expansion port for connecting the storage server to hosts or expansion units. You first insert SFPs into the ports and then connect the fibre-channel cables.

**Note:** The FAStT600 single-controller storage server (model 6LU and 6LX) contains only one RAID controller and does not contain any expansion ports.

#### Host ports

The host ports are used to connect a fibre-channel cable from the host systems. You first insert an SFP into the port and then connect a fibre-channel cable. The two host ports in each controller are independent. They are not connected in the controller module as they would be in a hub configuration.

#### Ethernet port

The Ethernet port is for an RJ-45 10BASE-T or 100BASE-T Ethernet connection. Use the Ethernet connection to directly manage storage subsystems.

#### **Expansion port**

The expansion port is used to connect additional expansion units to the RAID controllers. You first insert an SFP into the port and then connect a fibre channel cable.

**Note:** There are no expansion ports on the FAStT600 single-controller storage server (model 6LU and 6LX).

#### Serial port

The serial port is used by service personnel to perform diagnostic operations on the RAID controller or controllers.

### Tray ID switch

The Tray ID switch settings range from 0 through 7, and unique IDs ranging from 00 through 77 can be set.

**Note:** For controller firmware version 05.33.xx.xx, both host and expansion ports operate at 2 Gbps only. For controller firmware version 05.4x.xx.xx, the host ports can operate at either 1 or 2 Gbps (the expansion port speed is still locked at 2 Gbps only).

### Diagnostics

To diagnose fibre-channel problems, use FAStT MSJ (see the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide*).

To diagnose problems on the Type 1722 storage system, use the following diagnostic tools:

- Storage management software
- System LEDs

### Monitoring status through software

Use the storage management software to monitor the status of the storage server. Run the software constantly, and check it frequently.

The storage management software provides the best way to diagnose and repair storage server failures. The software can help you:

- Determine the nature of the failure
- Locate the failed component
- Determine the recovery procedures to repair the failure

Although the storage server has fault LEDs, these lights do not necessarily indicate which component failed or needs to be replaced, or which type of recovery procedure you must perform. In some cases (such as loss of redundancy in various components), the fault LED does not turn on. Only the storage management software can detect the failure.

For example, the recovery procedure for an IBM Predictive Failure Analysis<sup>®</sup> <sup>®</sup> (PFA) flag (impending drive failure) on a drive varies depending on the drive status (hot spare, unassigned, RAID level, current logical drive status, and so on). Depending on the circumstances, a PFA flag on a drive can indicate a high risk of data loss (if the drive is in a RAID 0 volume) or a minimal risk (if the drive is unassigned). Only the storage management software can identify the risk level and provide the necessary recovery procedures.

**Note:** For PFA flags, the General-system-error LED and Drive fault LEDs do not turn on, so checking the LEDs will not notify you of the failure, even if the risk of data loss is high.

Recovering from a storage server failure might require you to perform procedures other than replacing the component (such as backing up the logical drive or failing a drive before you remove it). The storage management software gives these procedures. **Attention:** You might lose data if you do not follow the software recovery procedures.

## Checking the LEDs

The LEDs display the status of the storage server and components. Green LEDs indicate a normal operating status; amber LEDs indicate a possible failure.

It is important to check all the LEDs on the front and back of the storage server when you turn on the power. In addition to checking for faults, you can use the LEDs on the front of the storage server to determine if the drives are responding to I/O transmissions from the host.

For information about the LEDs on the front of the storage server, see:

- Figure 50
- Table 29

For information about the LEDs on the back of the storage server, see:

- Figure 52 on page 73
- Table 30 on page 71
- Table 31 on page 73



Figure 50. FAStT600 storage server LEDs (front)

Table 29. FAStT600	storage	server	LEDs	(front)
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LED	Color	Operating states <sup>1</sup>
Drive active	Green	<ul> <li>On - Normal operation</li> <li>Flashing - The drive is reading or writing data.</li> <li>Flashing every 5 seconds - The drive has not spun up.</li> <li>Off - One of the following situations has occurred: <ul> <li>The storage server has no power.</li> <li>The drive is not properly seated in the storage server.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

LED	Color	Operating states <sup>1</sup>
Drive fault	Amber	<ul> <li>Off - Normal operation</li> <li>Flashing - The storage management software is locating a drive, logical drive, or storage subsystem.</li> <li>On - The drive failed, or a user failed the drive.</li> </ul>
Power	Green	<ul> <li>On - Normal operation</li> <li>Off - One of the following situations has occurred: <ul> <li>The storage server has no power.</li> <li>Both power supplies have failed.</li> <li>There is an overtemperature condition.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
General-system- error	Amber	<ul> <li>Off - Normal operation</li> <li>On - A storage server component failed.<sup>2</sup></li> <li>Note: When the power supply fails on the FAStT600 model 6LU and 6LX storage server, the general-system-error LED (and the Power-on LED) are not lit.</li> </ul>
Locator	Blue	<ul> <li>On - When on, this blue light indicates the storage management software is locating the server.</li> <li>Off - When off, the storage management software is not actively searching for the server.</li> </ul>

Table 29. FAStT600 storage server LEDs (front) (continued)

<sup>1</sup> Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.

<sup>2</sup> Not all component failures cause this LED to turn on.



Figure 51. FAStT600 RAID controller LEDs

Table 30. FAStT600 RAID controller LEDs

Icon	LED	Color	Operating states <sup>1</sup>
ነ	Fault		<ul> <li>Off - Normal operation</li> <li>On - The RAID controller failed.</li> </ul>

Table 30. FAStT600 RAID controller LEDs (continued)

Icon	LED	Color	Operating states <sup>1</sup>
•_•	Host loop	Green	<ul> <li>On - Normal operation</li> <li>Off - One of the following situations has occurred: <ul> <li>The host loop is down, not turned on, or not connected.</li> <li>An SFP failed, or the host port is not occupied.</li> <li>The RAID controller circuitry failed, or the RAID controller has no power.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	Cache active	Green	<ul> <li>On - There is data in the RAID controller cache.</li> <li>Off - One of the following situations has occurred: <ul> <li>There is no data in the cache.</li> <li>There are no cache options selected for this array.</li> <li>The cache memory failed, or the battery failed.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<del>-</del> -	Battery	Green	<ul> <li>On - Normal operation</li> <li>Flashing - The battery is recharging or performing a self-test.</li> <li>Off - The battery or battery charger failed.</li> </ul>
=1	Expansion port bypass	Amber	<ul> <li>Off - Normal operation</li> <li>On - One of the following situations has occurred: <ul> <li>An SFP module is inserted in the drive loop port and the fibre channel cable is not attached to it.</li> <li>The fibre channel cable is not attached to an expansion unit.</li> <li>The attached expansion unit is not turned on.</li> <li>An SFP failed, a fibre channel cable failed, or an SFP failed on the attached expansion unit.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Note: There is no Expansion port bypass LED on the FAStT600 model 6LU and 6LX storage server.</li> </ul>
€ <b>,</b> ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	Loop	Green	<ul> <li>On - Normal operation</li> <li>Off - The RAID controller circuitry failed, or the RAID controller has no power.</li> </ul>
No icon	2 Gbps	Green	<ul> <li>On - Normal operation (host connection is at 2 Gbps)</li> <li>Off - Host connection is at 1 Gbps (which is not supported for controller firmware 05.33.xx.xx).</li> </ul>

Table 30. FAStT600 RAID controller LEDs (continued)

Icon	LED	Color	Operating states <sup>1</sup>
No icon	10BT	Green	• If the Ethernet connection is 10BASE-T: The 10BT LED is on; the 100BT LED flashes faintly.
No icon	100BT	_	• If the Ethernet connection is 100BASE-T: The 10BT LED is off; the 100BT LED is on.
			• If there is no Ethernet connection: Both LEDs are off.



Figure 52. FAStT600 storage server fan and power supply LEDs

Table 31. FAStT600 storage server fan LED

LED	Color	Operating states <sup>1</sup>	
Fault	Amber	Off - Normal operation	
1 . 1		On - The fan FRU failed. ement software to identify the failure.	

Table 32. FAStT600 storage server power supply LEDs

LED	Color	Operating states <sup>1</sup>		
Fault	Amber	<ul> <li>Off - Normal operation</li> <li>On - One of the following situations has occurred: <ul> <li>The power supply failed.</li> <li>An overtemperature condition has occurred.</li> <li>The power supply is turned off.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
Power	Green	<ul> <li>On - Normal operation</li> <li>Off - One of the following situations has occurred: <ul> <li>The power supply is disconnected.</li> <li>The power supply is seated incorrectly.</li> <li>The storage server has no power.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>		
<sup>1</sup> Always use	<sup>1</sup> Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.			

## Cache memory and RAID controller battery

Each RAID controller contains 128 MB of cache data. It also contains a rechargeable battery that maintains data in the cache in the event of a power failure. The following sections describe these features and their associated LEDs.

### Cache memory

Cache memory is memory on the RAID controller that is used for intermediate storage of read and write data. Using cache memory can increase system performance. The data for a read operation from the host might be in the cache memory from a previous operation (thus eliminating the need to access the drive itself), and a write operation is completed when it is written to the cache, rather than to the drives.

See the storage management software documentation for information on how to set cache memory options.

The RAID controller has a Cache active LED that displays the current status of the cache. The LED is on if data is in the cache, and it is off if no data is in the cache.

If caching is enabled and the Cache active LED never comes on during I/O activity, it indicates that the cache memory failed or the battery failed (the green Battery LED will be off).

**Note:** Always use the storage management software to check your cache memory settings before you assume a hardware failure. On the FAStT600 single-controller storage server (model 6LU/6LX), the RAID controller.fs cache memory is used for storing read data only. The controller firmware ignores a "write-cache enabled" setting. This protects data in the event of a controller failure, which would cause the cache to be inaccessible.

Figure 53 shows the location of the Cache active LED on the front of the RAID controller.



Figure 53. FAStT600 storage server cache active LED

#### **RAID** controller cache battery

Each RAID controller contains a sealed, rechargeable 4-volt lead-acid battery. This battery provides cache backup for up to three days in the event of a power loss.

The service life of the battery is three years, after which time the battery must be replaced. See the storage management software for information on how to view and set the battery expiration date.

**Important:** The replacement RAID controller CRU does not come with a RAID controller cache battery installed, nor the mounting hardware that holds the battery in place inside the RAID controller. You must remove the cache battery that is inside the existing RAID controller that you are replacing, and install that battery inside the replacement RAID controller CRU, using the battery unit mounting hardware taken from the existing controller. On the FAStT600 model 6LU/6LX, you will have to stop all I/O to the storage server before you replace the battery. The steps to remove and replace the battery are included in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT600 Storage Server Installation and User's Guide*.

Each RAID controller has a green Battery LED on the back that indicates the following battery statuses:

- The LED is on and remains steady when the battery is fully charged.
- The LED flashes when the battery is charging or performing a self-test.
- The LED is off if the battery or the battery charger failed.

The battery performs a self-test at startup and every 25 hours thereafter (during which time the Battery LED flashes). If necessary, the battery begins recharging at that time. If the battery fails the self-test, the Battery LED turns off, indicating a battery fault.

Data caching starts after the battery completes the startup tests.

Figure 54 shows the location of the Battery LED on the front of the RAID controller.



Figure 54. FAStT600 storage server battery LED

### Using the diagnostic hardware

The FAStT600 storage server comes with an LC wrap-plug adapter and LC-LC coupler. The wrap-plug adapter and LC-LC coupler are used to perform the loopback test and to identify fibre path problems. See the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* for more information.

The loopback test and sendEcho test are described in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide*. In the IBM TotalStorage SAN Integration Server configuration, a loopback adapter (p/n 17P6918) is included to identify path problems on the drive loop when using fibre-channel 1.2-m copper cable (p/n 18P5237).

## Symptom-to-FRU index

Use the storage management software to diagnose and repair controller unit failures. Use Table 33 also to find solutions to problems that have definite symptoms.

**Important:** Before you replace any components, the FAStT600 storage server subsystem profile and Event logs must be saved using the FAStT storage management program. Perform the following steps to save the FAStT600 storage server subsystem profile and Event logs:

- 1. Start the FAStT storage management program and open a Subsystem Management window on the FAStT storage server on which you want to replace the components.
- 2. Click **View** → **Storage Subsystem Profile**. The Subsystem Profile window opens. You will be prompted with a file name. Click **Save As** to save the profile.
- **3**. To save the event logs, click **View** → **Event Log**. When the Event Log window opens, perform the following actions:
  - a. Clear the View Only critical event box.
  - b. Enter 8191 in the Retrieve most recent critical events box.
  - c. Click Update. The window will refresh.
  - d. Click Select All.
  - e. You will be prompted with a file name. Click Save As to save the events.

See the problem determination maps in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* for more detailed procedures for problem isolation.

Table 33. Symptom-to-FRU index for FAStT600 storage server

Problem indicator	Action/FRU	
Amber LED on - Front panel	1. General system error. Indicates that a Fault LED somewhere on the storage server has turned on. (Check for amber LEDs on FRUs). Use Storage Manager Software to help diagnose the problem.	
Drive Fault Amber LED on - Drive FRU	1. Replace the drive that failed.	
Fan Fault Amber LED on - Fan FRU	1. Replace the fan that failed.	
Amber LED on - RAID controller Fault LED	1. If the RAID controller Fault LED is lit, do not replace the RAID controller until proper diagnosis made using FAStT storage management software. The RAID controller Fault LED is lit because:	
	• The controller Battery LED is not lit, the cache battery failed to keep its charge. Replace the battery.	
	• The controller was placed offline. Use the storage management software to bring the controller back online.	
	• The controller is not functional. Replace the controller.	
Amber LED on - RAID controller Expansion port Bypass LED	1. No corrective action is needed if the system is properly configured and there are no attached expansion units.	
	2. Reattach the SFPs and fibre-channel cables. Replace input and output SFPs or cables as necessary.	
	3. Expansion unit is not turned on or has fault.	
	4. Replace RAID controller if previous steps do not resolve the problem.	
	<b>Note:</b> There is no Expansion Port Bypass LED on the FAStT600 model 6LU and 6LX.	

Power Supply Fault Amber LED on and power green LED off - Power supply FRU	<ol> <li>Turn on all power supply power switches.</li> <li>Check ac power.</li> </ol>
Amber and green LEDs on - Power-supply FRU	1. Replace the failed power-supply FRU.
All green LEDs off - All FRUs	<ol> <li>Check that all storage server power cords are plugged in and the power switches are on.</li> <li>Check that the main circuit breakers for the rack are turned on.</li> <li>Power supply</li> <li>Midplane</li> </ol>
Drive Fault Amber LED flashing - Drive FRUs	1. No corrective action is needed. (Drive rebuild or identity is in process.)
One or more green LEDs off - Power supply FRUs	<ol> <li>Make sure that the power cord is plugged in and the power-supply switches are turned on.</li> </ol>
One or more green LEDs off - All drive FRUs	1. Midplane
One or more green LEDs off - Front panel	<ol> <li>Make sure that the cords are plugged in and power supplies are turned on.</li> <li>Midplane</li> </ol>
Green one or more LEDs off - Battery charging	1. Battery or battery charger failed.
One or more green LEDs off - Cache active	<ol> <li>Use the storage management software to enable the cache or there is no data in the cache.</li> <li>RAID controller</li> <li>Battery</li> </ol>
One or more green LEDs off - RAID controller Host Loop	<ol> <li>Check if host managed hub or switch is on. Replace attached devices that failed.</li> <li>Ensure that the server whose HBA ports are directly connected to the FAStT600 server host port are power on and that the HBA driver is installed. Replace the HBA if it failed.</li> <li>Fibre-channel cables</li> <li>SFP</li> <li>RAID controller</li> </ol>
One or more green LEDs off - RAID controller Loop	<ol> <li>RAID controller</li> <li>Drive</li> <li>SFP or fibre-channel cable</li> </ol>
Intermittent or sporadic power loss to the storage server - Some or all FRUs	<ol> <li>Check the ac power source.</li> <li>Reseat all installed power cables and power supplies.</li> <li>Replace defective power cords.</li> <li>Check for a Fault LED on the power supply, and replace the failed FRU.</li> <li>Check to determine if the operating environment temperature is too hot.</li> <li>Midplane</li> </ol>
Unable to access drives on Drives and fibre channel loop	<ol> <li>Indeparte</li> <li>Ensure that the fibre-channel cables are undamaged and properly connected.</li> <li>RAID controller</li> <li>SFPs</li> <li>Drive expansion enclosures are not powered on or are not working.</li> <li>Drives are not functional (for example, the drives are bypassed)</li> </ol>
Random errors on subsystem	1. Midplane

Table 33. Symptom-to-FRU index for FAStT600 storage server (continued)

The Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window sees each storage server controller as an independent storage subsystem.	ent <b>No drives are present in the storage server.</b> Ensure that at least drive is present in the storage server so that it can be configured properly.		
	One controller was replaced incorrectly. The controller firmware versions probably failed to synchronize correctly. To recover, perform the following steps:		
	1. Remove and reinsert the controller blade.		
	2. Wait 5 minutes.		
	<ol> <li>Delete the controller entry with the incorrect firmware version from the FAStT Storage Manager Enterprise Management window.</li> </ol>		
	4. Add the controller back to the FAStT Storage Manager Enterprise Management window using the <b>Add Device</b> menu option in the Enterprise Management window.		
	5. If the Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window still shows each storage server controller as an independent storage subsystem or a partially managed device, repeat this procedure. If the problem still persists, contact IBM support.		

Table 33. Symptom-to-FRU index for FAStT600 storage server (continued)

**Note:** If you cannot find the problem in the Symptom-to-FRU index, test the entire system.

# Parts listing

Figure 55 and the following table provide a parts listing for the FAStT600 storage server.



Figure 55. FAStT600 storage server parts list

Index	Fibre channel RAID controller Type 1722	FRU No.
1	Rail Kit Left/Right	37L0067
2	Blower assembly	19K1293

Index	Fibre channel RAID controller Type 1722	FRU No.
3	Power Supply assembly (400 W)	19K1289
4	FC Controller (no battery)	24P8059
5	Midplane/Frame	24P8129
6	Bezel assembly	24P8058
7	DASD Bezel Filler assembly	19K1291
8	Switch Harness	19K1296
	Miscellaneous Hardware Kit	09N7288
	Short Wave SFP	19K1280
	Long Wave SFP	19K1281
	FAStT Storage Manager Software CD	24P8158
	Cable, 5M Optical	19K1266
	Cable, 25M Optical	19K1267
	Cable, 1M Optical	19K1265
	9' Line Cord	6952300
	Battery, Cache	24P8062
	Line Cord Jumper, High Voltage	36L8886
	Cable, FRU SC-LC Adapter	19K1268
	1.2-m FC copper cable (IBM TotalStorage SAN Integration Server only)	17P7508
	Wrap plug (loopback adapter)	17P6918
	FAStT600 1-GB Controller FRU	24P8225
	FAStT600 model 6LU/6LX controller FRU	24P8961
	FAStT600 model 6LU/6LX midplane/chassis	25R0107

"Power cords," on page 153 lists required power cords for the FAStT storage components discussed in this document by country and region.
# Chapter 10. Type 1742 FAStT700 Fibre Channel Storage Server

The IBM FAStT700 fibre channel storage server provides dual, redundant controllers with fibre channel interfaces to both the host and drive loops. The FAStT700 storage server has redundant cooling, redundant power, and battery backup of the controller cache.

Designed to provide maximum host and drive-side redundancy, the FAStT700 storage server supports direct attachment of up to four hosts that contain two host adapters each. Using external fibre channel managed hubs and switches in conjunction with the FAStT700 storage server, you can attach up to 64 hosts with two adapters each to a FAStT700 storage server.

#### **General checkout**

Use the indicator lights, the Symptom-to-FRU index, and the connected server HMM to diagnose problems.

The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

## Checking the indicator lights

The FAStT700 storage server indicator lights display the status of the FAStT700 storage server and its components. Green indicator lights mean normal operating status; amber indicator lights mean a possible failure.

It is important that you check all the indicator lights on the front and back of the controller unit after you turn on the power. After you turn on the power, the indicator lights might blink intermittently. Wait until the FAStT700 storage server completes its power up before you check for faults. It can take up to 15 minutes for the battery to complete its self-test and up to 24 hours to fully charge, particularly after an unexpected power loss of more than a few minutes.

The indicator lights for the components of the FAStT700 storage server are described in the following sections.

#### Storage server indicator lights

The storage server has five indicator lights, as shown in Figure 56 on page 82. To view the storage server indicator lights, you do not have to remove the FAStT700 storage server bezel.



Figure 56. FAStT700 storage server indicator lights

Table 34 describes the storage server indicator lights.

Table 34. FAStT700 storage server indicator lights

Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible conditions suggested by the problem indicator <sup>1</sup>
Power	Green	On	Off	<ul> <li>No power to FAStT700 storage server</li> <li>No power to storage subsystem</li> <li>Cables are loose or the switches are off</li> <li>Power supply failed, is missing, or is not fully seated in FAStT700 storage server</li> <li>Overtemperature condition</li> </ul>
Power supply fault	Amber	Off	On	<ul> <li>Power supply failed or if the Power supply is turned off, disconnected, or not fully seated in FAStT700 storage server</li> <li>Overtemperature</li> <li>No power to FAStT700 storage server or storage subsystem (all indicator lights are off)</li> </ul>
Storage server fan fault	Amber	Off	On	<ul> <li>Storage server fan failed.</li> <li>Fan and communications module is missing, unplugged, or failed.</li> <li>Circuitry failure</li> <li>Overtemperature condition</li> </ul>
Controller fault	Amber	Off	On	Controller failed; one or more memory modules failed (SIMMs or DIMMs).
Fast write cache	Green	Steady or blinking <sup>2</sup>	Software dependent <sup>1</sup>	<ul><li>Normal operation is off if:</li><li>Cache is not enabled</li><li>Battery is not ready</li></ul>

<sup>1</sup> Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.

<sup>2</sup> The fast write cache indicator light is on when there is data in the cache and it blinks during a fast write operation.

## **RAID** controller indicator lights

Each RAID controller has ten indicator lights: one power, one fault, and eight status lights, as shown in Figure 57.

**Note:** To view the RAID controller indicator lights, remove the FAStT700 storage server bezel.



Figure 57. FAStT700 storage server RAID controller indicator lights

Table 35 describes the RAID controller indicator lights.

Table 35. FAStT700 storage server RAID controller indicator lights

Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible conditions suggested by the problem indicator <sup>1</sup>
Power	Green	On	Off	<ul> <li>No power to storage subsystem</li> <li>Cables are loose or the switches are off</li> <li>Power supply failed, is missing, or is not fully seated</li> <li>Overtemperature condition</li> </ul>
Fault3	Amber	Off	On	Controller failure; controller fault condition
Heartbeat	Green	Blinking	Not blinking	No controller activity
Status3 (seven lights, not including Heartbeat)	Green	Various patterns depending on the condition <sup>2</sup>	Various patterns depending on the condition <sup>2</sup>	If any status indicator lights are lit and the controller is not offline, there is a memory fault that indicates that the controller CRU failed.

Table 35. FAStT700 storage server RAID controller indicator lights (continued)

		Normal	Problem	Possible conditions suggested by the
Indicator light	Color	operation	indicator	problem indicator <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.

<sup>2</sup> There are eight status lights (the Heartbeat and seven others) that glow in various patterns, depending on the controller status.

<sup>3</sup>If the controller is offline, all of the indicator lights will be lit. This does not indicate failure.

#### **Battery indicator lights**

The battery has four indicator lights as shown in Figure 58.

**Note:** To view the battery indicator lights, remove the FAStT700 storage server bezel.



Figure 58. FAStT700 storage server battery indicator lights

Table 36 describes the battery indicator lights.

Table 36. FAStT700 storage server battery indicator lights

Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible conditions suggested by the problem indicator <sup>1</sup>
Fault-A or Fault-B	Amber	Off	On	<ul><li> Left or right battery bank failed</li><li> Battery is either discharged or defective</li></ul>
Full Charge-A or Full Charge-B	Green	On <sup>2</sup>	Off	<ul> <li>Left or right battery bank is not fully charged</li> <li>Power has been off for an extended period and has drained battery power</li> <li>Batteries are weak</li> </ul>

<sup>1</sup> Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.

<sup>2</sup> If either Full Charge-A or Full Charge-B indicator light is blinking, the battery is in the process of charging.

#### Fan and communications module indicator light

The fan and communications module has one indicator light as shown in Figure 59.



Figure 59. FAStT700 storage server fan and communications module indicator light

Table 37 describes the fan and communications module indicator light.

Table 37. FAStT700 storage	server fan and	communications	module	indicator light

Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible conditions suggested by the problem indicator <sup>1</sup>
Fan and communication fault	Amber	Off	On	<ul><li>Fan and communications module failed or is installed incorrectly</li><li>Overtemperature condition</li></ul>

<sup>1</sup> Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.

Problem status: Off

#### Power supply indicator light

The power supply has one indicator light, as shown in Figure 60.



Figure 60. FAStT700 storage server power supply indicator light

Table 38 on page 86 describes the power supply indicator light.

Problem status: Off

Table 38. FAStT700 storage server power supply indicator light

Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible conditions suggested by the problem indicator <sup>1</sup>
Power supply	Green	On	Off	<ul> <li>No power to FAStT700 storage server</li> <li>No power to storage subsystem</li> <li>Power supply failed or is turned off</li> <li>Overtemperature condition</li> </ul>

<sup>1</sup> Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.

#### Mini-hub indicator lights

There are five host-side mini-hub indicator lights and five drive-side mini-hub indicator lights. Figure 61 shows the host-side indicator lights. The drive side indicator lights are the same; however, the possible conditions suggested by the problem indicators (described in Table 39) might be different.



Figure 61. FAStT700 storage server mini-hub indicator lights

Table 39 describes the indicator light status when there are fibre channel connections between host-side and drive-side mini-hubs.

Table 39. FAStT700 storage server host-side and drive-side mini-hub indicator lights

Icon	Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible condition indicated by the problem indicator
	Speed	Green	On for 2 Gb Off for 1 Gb		Light on indicates data transfer rate of 2 Gb per second. Light off indicates data transfer rate of 1 Gb per second.
!	Fault	Amber	Off	On	Mini-hub or SFP module failed <b>Note:</b> If a host-side mini-hub is not connected to a controller, this fault light is always lit.

Icon	Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible condition indicated by the problem indicator
Ŧ	Bypass (upper port)	Amber	Off	On	<ul> <li>Upper mini-hub port is bypassed</li> <li>Mini-hub or SFP module failed, is loose, or is missing</li> <li>Fiber-optic cables are damaged</li> <li>Note: When there are two functioning SFP modules installed into the mini-hub ports and there are no fibre channel cables connected to them, the bypass indicator is lit.</li> <li>If there is only one functioning SFP module installed in a host-side mini-hub port and there are no fibre channel cables connected to it, the indicator light will not be lit.</li> <li>However, the drive-side mini-hub bypass indicator light will be lit when there is one SFP module installed in the mini-hub and the mini-hub has no fibre channel connection.</li> </ul>
	Loop good	Green	On	Off	<ul> <li>The loop is not operational, no devices are connected</li> <li>Mini-hub failed or a faulty device is connected to the mini-hub</li> <li>If there is no SFP module installed, the indicator will be lit</li> <li>If one functioning SFP module is installed in the host-side mini-hub port and there is no fibre channel cable connected to it, the loop good indicator light will not be lit.</li> <li>If one functioning SFP module is installed in the drive-side mini-hub port and there is no fibre channel cable connected to it, the loop good indicator light will not be lit.</li> <li>If one functioning SFP module is installed in the drive-side mini-hub port and there is no fibre channel cable connected to it, the loop good indicator light will be lit.</li> <li>Drive enclosure failed (drive-side mini-hub only)</li> </ul>

Table 39. FAStT700 stora	ne server host-side and	drive-side mini-huh	indicator lights	(continued)
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Icon	Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible condition indicated by the problem indicator
Ŧ	Bypass (lower port)	Amber	Off	On	<ul> <li>Lower mini-hub port is bypassed; there are no devices connected</li> <li>Mini-hub or SFP module failed or is loose</li> <li>Fiber-optic cables are damaged</li> <li>Note: When there are two functioning SFP modules installed into the mini-hub port and there are no fibre channel cables connected to them, the bypass indicator light is lit.</li> <li>If there is only one functioning SFP module installed in a host-side mini-hub and there are no fibre channel cables connected to it, the indicator light is not lit.</li> <li>However, the drive-side mini-hub bypass indicator light will be lit when there is one functioning SFP module installed in the mini-hub port and the mini-hub has no fibre channel cables connected to it.</li> </ul>

#### Table 39. FAStT700 storage server host-side and drive-side mini-hub indicator lights (continued)

## Using the diagnostic hardware

The FAStT700 fibre channel storage server comes with a wrap-plug adapter and LC coupler. The wrap-plug adapter and LC coupler are used to identify Fibre channel path problems. The loopback and sendEcho tests are described in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide*.

## Symptom-to-FRU index

The Symptom-to-FRU index (Table 40) lists symptoms and the possible causes. The most likely cause is listed first.

The problem determination (PD) maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

Problem	Action/FRU
Controller LED (front cover) is on.	<ol> <li>Reseat Controller CRU.</li> <li>Place Controller online using SM7 GUI.</li> <li>If in passive mode, check Fibre path/GBIC.</li> <li>Controller CRU</li> </ol>
Software issued a controller error message.	<ol> <li>Check Controller Fan</li> <li>Controller CRU</li> </ol>

Table 40. Symptom-to-FRU index for FAStT700 storage server RAID controller

Problem	Action/FRU
Software errors occur when attempting to access controllers or drives.	<ol> <li>Check appropriate software and documentation to make sure the system is set up correctly and the proper command was run.</li> </ol>
	2. Power to the Controller
	3. Interface cables
	4. ID settings
	5. Controller
	6. Drive
	7. Controller backpanel
Fan LED (front cover) is on.	<ol> <li>Power supply fan CRU</li> <li>Controller fan CRU</li> </ol>
Controller and Fan fault LEDs (front cover) are on.	1. Check both Fan and Controller CRUs for fault LED and replace faulty CRU.
Fault-A or Fault-B LED (battery CRU) is on.	1. Battery CRU
Full Charge-A or Full Charge-B LED (battery CRU) is off.	<ol> <li>Power-on Controller and allow batteries to charge for 24 hours until the Full Charge LEDs are on.</li> <li>Battery CRU</li> <li>Both power supplies</li> </ol>
No power to controller (all power LEDs off).	<ol> <li>Check power switches and power cords.</li> <li>Power supplies</li> </ol>
Power Supply LED is off.	1. Check and reseat power supply.
	<ol> <li>Check for overheating. Wait ten minutes for the power supply CRU to cool down.</li> </ol>
	3. Power supply CRU
Power Supply CRUs LED are on, but all other CRU LEDs are off.	1. DC power harness
The Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window sees each storage	<b>No drives are present in the storage server.</b> Ensure that at least one drive is present in the storage server so that it can be configured properly.
server controller as an independent storage subsystem.	One controller was replaced incorrectly. The controller firmware versions probably failed to synchronize correctly. To recover, perform the following steps:
	1. Remove and reinsert the controller blade.
	2. Wait 5 minutes.
	<b>3</b> . Delete the controller entry with the incorrect firmware version from the FAStT Storage Manager Enterprise Management window.
	4. Add the controller back to the FAStT Storage Manager Enterprise Management window using the <b>Add Device</b> menu option in the Enterprise Management window.
	5. If the Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window still shows each storage server controller as an independent storage subsystem or a partially managed device, repeat this procedure. If the problem still persists, contact IBM support.

Table 40. Symptom-to-FRU index for FAStT700 storage server RAID controller (continued)

## Parts listing

Figure 62 and the following table provide a parts listing for the type 1742 FAStT700 storage server.



Figure 62. FAStT700 storage server parts listing

Fibre channel RAID controller (Type 1742)	FRU
175-Watt Power Supply	01K6743
Mini-hub Card Assembly	19K1270
Optical Cable - 1 Meter	19K1265
Optical Cable - 5 Meters	19K1266
Optical Cable - 25 Meters	19K1267
LC-SC Adapter Cable	19K1268
Short Wave SFP Module	19K1280
Long Wave SFP Module	19K1281
Frame Assembly with Midplane	19K1277
RAID Card	19K1284
Battery Backup Assembly	24P0953
Bezel Assembly	19K1279
Front Fan Assembly (Controller CRU Fan)	37L0094
Rear Fan Assembly	37L0102
Battery Cable	03K9285
Blank Canister	37L0100
Line Cord Jumper, High Voltage	36L8886
Power Cable	37L0101
Miscellaneous Hardware Kit	24P0954
	175-Watt Power SupplyMini-hub Card AssemblyOptical Cable - 1 MeterOptical Cable - 5 MetersOptical Cable - 25 MetersLC-SC Adapter CableShort Wave SFP ModuleLong Wave SFP ModuleFrame Assembly with MidplaneRAID CardBattery Backup AssemblyBezel AssemblyFront Fan Assembly (Controller CRU Fan)Rear Fan AssemblyBattery CableBlank CanisterLine Cord Jumper, High VoltagePower Cable

Index	Fibre channel RAID controller (Type 1742)	FRU
	Rail Kit	37L0085
	Line Cord, US	6952300
	LC Wrap Plug ASM	24P0950

"Power cords," on page 153 lists required power cords for the FAStT storage components discussed in this document by country and region.

## Chapter 11. Type 1742 FAStT900 Fibre Channel Storage Server

The IBM FAStT900 fibre channel storage server provides dual, redundant controllers with fibre channel interfaces to both the host and drive loops. The FAStT900 storage server has redundant cooling, redundant power, and battery backup of the controller cache.

Designed to provide maximum host and drive-side redundancy, the FAStT900 storage server supports direct attachment of up to four hosts that contain two host adapters each. By using external fibre channel managed hubs and switches in conjunction with the FAStT900 storage server, you can attach up to 64 hosts with two adapters each to a FAStT900 storage server.

The FAStT900 fibre channel storage server is compatible with the following IBM products:

- IBM FAStT EXP700 (see Chapter 14 on page 119)
- IBM FAStT EXP500 (see Chapter 13 on page 111)
- IBM FAStT EXP100 (see Chapter 15 on page 127)
   Important: Currently you cannot combine Serial ATA and fibre-channel hard drives in the same FAStT storage server configuration.
- IBM FAStT FC2 (FRU 19K1273), IBM FAStT FC2-133 (FRU 24P0962) and IBM FAStT FC2-133 dual port (FRU 38P9099) HBAs (see Chapter 5 on page 17)
- Type 3534-F08 fibre-channel switch
- Type 2109-F16 fibre-channel switch
- Type 2109-F32 fibre-channel switch
- Type 2109-M12 fibre-channel switch

For the latest list of compatible devices, see the ServerProven Web site at: www.pc.ibm.com/us/compat/nos/cert.shtml

#### **General checkout**

Use the indicator lights, the Symptom-to-FRU index, and the connected server HMM to diagnose problems.

The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

#### - Important:

To ensure proper operation when you connect an EXP100 expansion unit to a FAStT900 storage server, you must perform the required software and firmware support code upgrades to enable FAStT900 support for the EXP100.

- Upgrade the FAStT Storage Manager host software in the host servers and the management station to version 8.41 or later. See the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Storage Manager Installation and Support Guide* for your operating system.
- Upgrade the controller firmware and NVSRAM and the ESM firmware to the required levels. See the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 Storage Expansion Unit Installation and User's Guide* for firmware requirements and instructions on how to perform these upgrades.

**Attention:** Do not upgrade your controller firmware to version 5.41.5x.xx if your storage server is connected to an EXP100 with ESM firmware version 953x or earlier.

When the FAStT900 storage server is connected to a FAStT EXP100, the FAStT900 must not have fibre-channel drives inserted in its slots. All the slots in the FAStT900 storage server must have blank drive trays to ensure proper cooling.

Currently, you cannot combine Serial ATA (such as the EXP100) and fibre-channel (such as the EXP700) hard drives in the same FAStT storage server configuration.

#### Checking the indicator lights

The FAStT900 storage server indicator lights display the status of the FAStT900 storage server and its components. Green indicator lights mean normal operating status; amber indicator lights mean a possible failure.

It is important that you check all the indicator lights on the front and back of the controller unit after you turn on the power. After you turn on the power, the indicator lights might blink intermittently. Wait until the FAStT900 storage server completes its power up before checking for faults. It can take up to 15 minutes for the battery to complete its self-test and up to 24 hours to fully charge, particularly after an unexpected power loss of more than a few minutes.

The indicator lights for the components of the FAStT900 storage server are described in the following sections.

#### Storage server indicator lights

The storage server has five indicator lights, as shown in Figure 63 on page 95. To view the storage server indicator lights, you do not have to remove the FAStT900 storage server bezel.



Green light indicates data in cache.

Figure 63. FAStT900 storage server indicator lights

Table 41 describes the storage server indicator lights.

Table 41. FAStT900 storage server indicator lights

Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible conditions suggested by the problem indicator <sup>1</sup>
Power	Green	On	Off	<ul> <li>No power to FAStT900 storage server</li> <li>No power to storage subsystem</li> <li>Cables are loose or the switches are off</li> <li>Power supply failed, is missing, or is not fully seated in FAStT900 storage server</li> <li>Overtemperature condition</li> </ul>
Power supply fault	Amber	Off	On	<ul> <li>Power supply failed or if the Power supply is turned off, disconnected, or not fully seated in FAStT900 storage server</li> <li>Overtemperature</li> <li>No power to FAStT900 storage server or storage subsystem (all indicator lights are off)</li> </ul>
Storage server fan fault	Amber	Off	On	<ul> <li>Storage server fan failed</li> <li>Fan and communications module is missing, unplugged, or failed</li> <li>Circuitry failure</li> <li>Overtemperature condition</li> </ul>
Controller fault	Amber	Off	On	Controller failed; one or more memory modules failed (SIMMs or DIMMs)
Fast write cache	Green	Steady or blinking <sup>2</sup>	Software dependent <sup>1</sup>	<ul><li>Normal operation is off if:</li><li>Cache is not enabled</li><li>Battery is not ready</li></ul>

<sup>1</sup> Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.

<sup>2</sup> The fast write cache indicator light is on when there is data in the cache and it blinks during a fast write operation.

## **RAID** controller indicator lights

Each RAID controller has ten indicator lights: one power, one fault, and eight status lights, as shown in Figure 64.

**Note:** To view the RAID controller indicator lights, remove the FAStT900 storage server bezel.



Figure 64. FAStT900 RAID controller indicator lights

Table 42 describes the RAID controller indicator lights.

Table 42. FAStT900 RAID controller indicator lights

Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible conditions suggested by the problem indicator <sup>1</sup>
Power	Green	On	Off	<ul> <li>No power to storage subsystem</li> <li>Cables are loose or the switches are off</li> <li>Power supply failed, is missing, or is not fully seated</li> <li>Overtemperature condition</li> </ul>
Fault <sup>3</sup>	Amber	Off	On	Controller failure; controller fault condition
Heartbeat	Green	Blinking	Not blinking	No controller activity
Status (seven lights, not including Heartbeat)	Green	Various patterns depending on the condition <sup>2</sup>	Various patterns depending on the condition <sup>2</sup>	If any status indicator lights are lit and the controller is not offline, a memory fault indicates that the controller FRU failed.

Table 42. FAStT900 RAID controller indicator lights (continued)

		Normal	Problem	Possible conditions suggested by the
Indicator light	Color	operation	indicator	problem indicator <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.

<sup>2</sup> There are eight status lights (the Heartbeat and seven others) that glow in various patterns, depending on the controller status.

<sup>3</sup>If the controller is offline, all of the indicator lights will be lit. This does not indicate failure.

#### **Battery indicator lights**

The battery has four indicator lights as shown in Figure 66 on page 98.

**Note:** To view the battery indicator lights, remove the FAStT900 storage server bezel.



Figure 65. FAStT900 storage server battery indicator lights

Table 43 describes the battery indicator lights.

Table 43. FAStT900 storage server battery indicator lights

Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible conditions suggested by the problem indicator <sup>1</sup>
Fault-A or Fault-B	Amber	Off	On	<ul><li> Left or right battery bank failed.</li><li> Battery is either discharged or defective.</li></ul>
Full Charge-A or Full Charge-B	Green	On <sup>2</sup>	Off	<ul> <li>Left or right battery bank is not fully charged.</li> <li>Power has been off for an extended period and has drained battery power.</li> <li>Batteries are weak.</li> </ul>

<sup>1</sup> Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.

<sup>2</sup> If either the Full Charge-A or the Full Charge-B indicator light is blinking, the battery is in the process of charging.

#### Fan and communications module indicator light

The fan and communications module has one indicator light as shown in Figure 66.



Figure 66. FAStT900 storage server fan and communications module indicator light

Table 44 describes the fan and communications module indicator light.

Table 44. FAStT900 storag	e server fan and	communications	module	indicator light

Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible conditions suggested by the problem indicator <sup>1</sup>
Fan and communication fault	Amber	Off	On	<ul><li>Fan and communications module failed or is installed incorrectly</li><li>Overtemperature condition</li></ul>

<sup>1</sup> Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.

#### Power supply indicator light

The power supply has one indicator light, as shown in Figure 67.



**Power supply** Green light indicates that the power supply is operating properly. Normal status: On Problem status: Off



Figure 67. FAStT900 storage server power supply indicator light

Table 45 on page 99 describes the power supply indicator light.

Table 45. FAStT900 storage server power supply indicator light

Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible conditions suggested by the problem indicator <sup>1</sup>
Power supply	Green	On	Off	<ul> <li>No power to FAStT900 storage server</li> <li>No power to storage subsystem</li> <li>Power supply failed or is turned off</li> <li>Overtemperature condition</li> </ul>

<sup>1</sup> Always use the storage management software to identify the failure.

#### Mini-hub indicator lights

There are five host-side mini-hub indicator lights and five drive-side mini-hub indicator lights. Figure 68 shows the host-side indicator lights. The drive side indicator lights are the same; however, the possible conditions suggested by the problem indicators (described in Table 39 on page 86) might be different.



Figure 68. FAStT900 storage server mini-hub indicator lights

Table 46 describes the indicator light status when there are fibre channel connections between host-side and drive-side mini-hubs.

Table 46. FAStT900 storage server host-side and drive-side mini-hub indicator lights

Icon	Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible condition indicated by the problem indicator
	Speed	Green	On for 2 Gb Off for 1 Gb		Light on indicates data transfer rate of 2 Gb per second. Light off indicates data transfer rate of 1 Gb per second.
!	Fault	Amber	Off	On	Mini-hub or SFP module failed. <b>Note:</b> If a host-side mini-hub is not connected to a controller, this fault light is always lit.

Icon	Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible condition indicated by the problem indicator
	Bypass (upper port)	Amber	Off	On	<ul> <li>Upper mini-hub port is bypassed.</li> <li>Mini-hub or SFP module failed, is loose, or is missing.</li> <li>Fiber-optic cables are damaged.</li> <li>Note: When two functioning SFP</li> </ul>
					modules are installed into the mini-hub ports and no fibre channel are cables connected to them, the bypass indicator is lit.
					If there is only one functioning SFP module installed in a host-side mini-hub port and there are no fibre channel cables connected to it, the indicator light will not be lit.
					However, the drive-side mini-hub bypass indicator light will be lit when one SFP module is installed in the mini-hub and the mini-hub has no fibre channel connection.
	Loop good	Green	On	Off	<ul> <li>The loop is not operational, no devices are connected.</li> <li>Mini-hub failed or a faulty device is connected to the mini-hub.</li> </ul>
					• If there is no SFP module installed, the indicator will be lit.
					• If one functioning SFP module is installed in the host-side mini-hub port and no fibre channel cable is connected to it, the loop good indicator light will not be lit.
					If one functioning SFP module is installed in the drive-side mini-hub port and no fibre channel cable is connected to it, the loop good indicator light will be lit.
					• Drive enclosure failed (drive-side mini-hub only).

Table 46. FAStT900 storage s	server host-side and drive-side m	nini-hub indicator lights (continued)
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Icon	Indicator light	Color	Normal operation	Problem indicator	Possible condition indicated by the problem indicator
<b>—</b>	Bypass (lower port)	Amber	Off	On	<ul> <li>Lower mini-hub port is bypassed; there are no devices connected.</li> <li>Mini-hub or SFP module failed or is loose.</li> <li>Fiber-optic cables are damaged.</li> <li>Note: When two functioning SFP modules are installed into the mini-hub port and no fibre channel cables are connected to them, the bypass indicator light is lit.</li> <li>If only one functioning SFP module is installed in a host-side mini-hub and no fibre channel cables are connected to it, the indicator light is not lit.</li> <li>However, the drive-side mini-hub bypass indicator light will be lit when one functioning SFP module is installed in the mini-hub port and the mini-hub has no fibre channel cables connected to it.</li> </ul>

Table 46.	FAStT900	storage	server	host-side	and	drive-side	mini-hub	indicator	liahts	(continued)	

## Using the diagnostic hardware

The FAStT900 fibre channel storage server comes with a wrap-plug adapter and LC coupler. The wrap-plug adapter and LC coupler are used to identify fibre path problems. The loopback and sendEcho tests are described in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide*.

## Symptom-to-FRU index

The Symptom-to-FRU index (Table 47) lists symptoms and the possible causes. The most likely cause is listed first.

The problem determination (PD) maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

Problem	Action/FRU
Controller LED (front cover) is on.	<ol> <li>Reseat Controller CRU.</li> <li>Place Controller online using SM7 GUI.</li> <li>If in passive mode, check Fibre path/SFP.</li> <li>Controller CRU</li> </ol>
Software issued a controller error message.	<ol> <li>Check Controller Fan</li> <li>Controller CRU</li> </ol>

Table 47. Symptom-to-FRU index for FAStT900 RAID controller

Problem	Action/FRU
Software errors occur when attempting to access controllers or drives.	1. Check appropriate software and documentation to make sure the system is set up correctly and the proper command was run.
	2. Power to the Controller
	3. Interface cables
	4. ID settings
	5. Controller
	6. Drive
	7. Controller backpanel
Fan LED (front cover) is on.	<ol> <li>Power supply fan CRU</li> <li>Controller fan CRU</li> </ol>
Controller and Fan fault LEDs (front cover) are on.	1. Check both Fan and Controller CRUs for fault LED and replace faulty CRU.
Fault-A or Fault-B LED (battery CRU) is on.	1. Battery CRU
Full Charge-A or Full Charge-B LED (battery CRU) is off.	<ol> <li>Power-on Controller and allow batteries to charge for 24 hours until the Full Charge LEDs are on.</li> <li>Battery CRU</li> <li>Both power supplies</li> </ol>
No power to controller (all power LEDs off).	<ol> <li>Check power switches and power cords.</li> <li>Power supplies</li> </ol>
Power Supply LED is off.	<ol> <li>Check and reseat power supply.</li> <li>Check for overheating. Wait ten minutes for the power supply CRU to cool down.</li> <li>Power supply CRU</li> </ol>
Power Supply CRUs LED are on, but all other CRU LEDs are off.	1. DC power harness
The Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window sees each storage server controller as an	<b>No drives are present in the storage server.</b> Ensure that at least one drive is present in the storage server so that it can be configured properly.
independent storage subsystem.	<ul> <li>One controller was replaced incorrectly. The controller firmware versions probably failed to synchronize correctly. To recover, perform the following steps:</li> <li>1. Remove and reinsert the controller blade.</li> <li>2. Wait 5 minutes.</li> </ul>
	<ol> <li>Delete the controller entry with the incorrect firmware version from the FAStT Storage Manager Enterprise Management window.</li> </ol>
	4. Add the controller back to the FAStT Storage Manager Enterprise Management window using the <b>Add Device</b> menu option in the Enterprise Management window.
	5. If the Storage Manager client Enterprise Management window still shows each storage server controller as an independent storage subsystem or a partially managed device, repeat this procedure. If the problem still persists, contact IBM support.

Table 47. Symptom-to-FRU index for FAStT900 RAID controller (continued)

## Parts listing

Figure 69 and the following table provide a parts listing for the FAStT900 storage server.



Figure 69. FAStT900 storage server parts listing

Index	Fibre channel RAID controller (Type 1742)	FRU
1	175-Watt Power Supply	01K6743
2	Mini-hub Card Assembly	19K1270
3	Optical Cable - 1 Meter	19K1265
3	Optical Cable - 5 Meters	19K1266
3	Optical Cable - 25 Meters	19K1267
	LC-SC Adapter Cable	19K1268
4	Short Wave SFP Module	19K1280
4	Long Wave SFP Module	19K1281
5	Frame Assembly with Midplane	71P8142
6	RAID Card	71P8144
7	Battery Backup Assembly	24P0953
8	Bezel Assembly	71P8141
9	Front Fan Assembly (Controller CRU Fan)	37L0094
10	Rear Fan Assembly	37L0102
	Battery Cable	03K9285
	Blank Mini Hub Canister	37L0100
	Line Cord Jumper, High Voltage	36L8886
	Power Cable	37L0101
	Miscellaneous Hardware Kit	24P0954

Index	Fibre channel RAID controller (Type 1742)	FRU
	Rail Kit	37L0085
	Fibre channel host adapter (Dual Port) (optional)	38P9099
	Line Cord, US	6952300
	LC Wrap Plug ASM	24P0950

"Power cords," on page 153 lists required power cords for the FAStT storage components discussed in this document by country and region.

# Chapter 12. IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP15 and EXP200 Storage Expansion Units

**Note:** The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

The IBM TotalStorage EXP15 and EXP200 enclosures are compatible with the Type 3526 fibre channel RAID controller (see Chapter 6 on page 21).

This chapter contains the information for the EXP15 and EXP200 enclosures. Information that is common to both enclosures is given first. Information that is specific to each enclosure is given second.

## **Diagnostics and test information**

#### Important

The service procedures are designed to help you isolate problems. They are written with the assumption that you have model-specific training on all computers, or that you are familiar with the computers, functions, terminology, and service-related information provided in this manual and the appropriate IBM PC/Netfinity Server Hardware Maintenance Manual.

You can use the following is a list of problems and references to diagnose the IBM EXP15 Type 3520 and IBM EXP200 Type 3530 enclosures.

Problem	Reference
Hard Disk Drive Numbering	See the IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide.
Error Codes/Error Messages	See the Symptom-to-FRU Index for the server that the storage expansion unit you are servicing is connected to.
Expansion Unit Options Switches	See the IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide.
Fan Controls and Indications	See the IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide.
Performing a Shutdown	See "Performing a shutdown" on page 106.
Power Supply Controls and Indicators	See the IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide.
Rear Controls and Indications	See the IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide.
Turning the Power On	See "Turning the power on" on page 106.

## Additional service information

This section provides service information that is common to both the EXP15 and EXP200 enclosures:

- "Performing a shutdown" on page 106
- "Turning the power on" on page 106
- "Specifications" on page 106

## Performing a shutdown

**Note:** If the expansion unit loses power unexpectedly, it might be due to a hardware failure in the power system or midplane (see "Symptom-to-FRU index" on page 108).

Perform the following steps to shut down your expansion unit:

- 1. Make sure that all I/O activity has stopped. If applicable, logically disconnect from the host controller.
- 2. Make sure that all amber Fault LEDs are off. If any Fault LEDs are lit (drives, power supplies, or fans), correct the problem before you turn off the power.
- 3. Turn off *both* power supply switches on the back of the expansion unit.

## Turning the power on

Perform the following steps to power on the EXP15 and EXP200.

- Initial start-up:
  - 1. Verify that all communication and power cables are plugged into the back of the expansion unit.
    - a. All hard disk drives are locked securely in place.
    - b. For EXP15: The option ID switch on the expansion unit is set correctly.
       For EXP200: Option switches 1 through 5 and the tray number switch on the expansion unit are set correctly.
    - **c**. The host controller and other SCSI bus devices are ready for the initial power-up.
    - d. Power on the expansion unit before you power on the server.
  - 2. Turn on the power to each device, based on this power up sequence.
  - 3. Turn on *both* power supply switches on the back of the expansion unit.
  - 4. Only the green LEDs on the front and back should be on. If one or more of the amber Fault LEDs are on, see "Symptom-to-FRU index" on page 108.
- Re-starting:

If you are re-starting after a normal shutdown, wait at least ten seconds before you attempt to turn on *either* power supply switch.

## **Specifications**

Table 48. Specifications	for EXP15 type 3520 and EXP200
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Specification	EXP15 type 3520	EXP200 type 3530	
Size (with front	Depth: 57.9 cm (22.8 in.)	Depth: 56.3 cm (22.2 in.)	
panel)	Height: 13.2 cm (5.2 in.)	Height: 12.8 cm (5 in.)	
	Width: 48.2 mm (18.97 in.)	Width: 44.7 mm (17.6 in.)	
Weight	Typical expansion unit as shipped: 39 kg (86 lb)	Typical expansion unit as shipped: 22.5 kg (49.5 lb)	
Electrical Input:	Sign-wave input (50 to 60 Hz)		
	• Low range: Minimum: 90 V ac / Maximum: 127 V ac		
	• High range: Minimum: 198 V ac / Maximum: 257 V ac		
	Input Kilovolt-amperes (kVA) approximately		
	Minimum configuration: 0.06 kVA		
	• Maximum configuration: 0.39 kVA		

Table 48. Specifications for EXP15 t	type 3520 and EXP200 (continued)
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Specification	EXP15 type 3520	EXP200 type 3530		
Environment	Air Flow: Air flow is from front to back			
	Air temperature:	Air temperature:		
	• Expansion unit on:			
	10° to 35° C (50° to 95° F)			
	Altitude: 0 to 914 m (3000 ft.)			
	• Expansion unit on:			
	10° to 32 °C (50° to 90° F)			
	Altitude: 914 m (3000 ft.) to 2133 m (70	00 ft.)		
	Humidity: 10% to 80%			
Heat Output	Approximate heat output in British Thermal	Units (BTU) per hour:		
	• Minimum configuration: 205.2 BTU (60 wa	tts)		
	• Maximum configuration: 1333.8 BTU (390	watts)		
Acoustical Noise Emissions Values	For open bay (0 hard disk drives installed) a drives installed).	nd typical system configurations (8 hard disk		
	Sound Power (idling):	• Sound Power (idling):		
	– 6.2 bels (open bay)	– 6.3 bels (open bay)		
	– 6.4 bels (typical)	– 6.5 bels (typical)		
	• Sound Power (operating):	• Sound Power (operating):		
	– 6.2 bels (open bay)	– 6.3 bels (open bay)		
	– 6.5 bels (typical)	– 6.6 bels (typical)		
	• Sound Pressure (idling):	• Sound Pressure (idling):		
	– 47 dBA (open bay)	– 47 dBA (open bay)		
	– 49 dBA (typical)	– 49 dBA (typical)		
	• Sound Pressure (operating):	• Sound Pressure (operating):		
	– 47 dBA (open bay)	– 47 dBA (open bay)		
	– 50 dBA (typical)	– 50 dBA (typical)		
	reported in accordance with ISO 9296. The delimit, below which a large portion of machine	stical environments according to ISO 7779 and are eclared sound power levels indicate an upper es operate. Sound pressure levels in your location red because of room reflections and other nearby		

## Symptom-to-FRU index

**Note:** The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

Use Table 49 to find solutions to problems that have definite symptoms.

Table 49. Symptom-to-FRU index for EXP15 and EXP200 storage expansion units

Problem Indicator	Action/FRU	
<b>EXP200 only:</b> Amber LED On (Front Panel)	1. General Machine Fault Check for amber LED on expansion unit	
<b>EXP15 only:</b> Amber and Green LEDs flashing (Drive)	1. Host issued a drive rebuild command	
<b>EXP15 only:</b> Amber and Green LEDs Off (Power supply)	<ol> <li>Reseat hard disk drive</li> <li>Hard disk drive</li> </ol>	
Amber LED On (Drive)	1. Hard Disk Drive	
Amber LED On (Fan)	1. Fan	
Amber LED On (ESM board)	<ol> <li>ESM board</li> <li>Check for fan fault LED</li> <li>Unit is overheating. Check temperature.</li> </ol>	
Amber LED On, Green LED Off (Power supply)	<ol> <li>Turn Power Switch On</li> <li>Power cord</li> <li>Reseat Power Supply</li> <li>Power Supply</li> </ol>	
Amber and Green LEDs On (Power supply)	1. Power Supply	
All Green LEDs Off (Power supply)	<ol> <li>Check AC voltage cabinet AC voltage line inputs</li> <li>Power Supplies</li> <li>Midplane board</li> </ol>	
Intermittent power loss to expansion unit	<ol> <li>Check AC voltage line inputs and cabinet power components</li> <li>Power Supplies</li> <li>Midplane board</li> </ol>	
One or more Green LEDs Off (All)	<ol> <li>Turn Power Switch On</li> <li>Power cord</li> <li>Reseat Power Supply</li> <li>Power Supply</li> </ol>	
One or more Green LEDs Off (Drive)	<ol> <li>No activity to the drive</li> <li>This can be normal activity</li> </ol>	
One or more Green LEDs Off (All Hard Disk Drives or those on one Bus)	<ol> <li>Use SCSI RAID Manager to check drive status</li> <li>SCSI Cables</li> <li>ESM Board</li> <li>Midplane board</li> </ol>	

Problem Indicator	Action/FRU
<b>EXP15 type 3520:</b> Unable to access drives on one or both SCSI buses	<ol> <li>Check SCSI cables and connections</li> <li>Option switch 2 must be set to off</li> <li>ESM board</li> </ol>
<b>EXP200 type 3530:</b> Unable to access drives on one or both SCSI buses	<ol> <li>Check SCSI cables and connections</li> <li>Check the drive SCSI ID setting</li> <li>ESM board</li> <li>Ensure that option switches 1 and 5 are set to the appropriate position (change the switch position only when the expansion unit is powered off).</li> </ol>
Intermittent Power Loss Random errors	<ol> <li>AC power or plug</li> <li>Power supply</li> <li>Midplane</li> <li>Midplane board</li> </ol>
	2. (For EXP15 only) Make sure option switches 1 and 2 are set to Off

Table 49. Symptom-to-FRU index for EXP15 and EXP200 storage expansion units (continued)

**Note:** If you cannot find the problem using this Symptom-to-FRU Index, test the entire system.

"Power cords," on page 153 lists required power cords for the FAStT storage components discussed in this document by country and region.

# Chapter 13. IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP500 Storage Expansion Unit

**Note:** The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

The IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP500 enclosure is compatible with the following IBM products:

- Type 3552 FAStT500 RAID controller (see Chapter 8 on page 47)
- Type 1742 FAStT700 fibre channel storage server (see Chapter 11 on page 93)
- FAStT200 type 3542 and FAStT200 HA type 3542 (see Chapter 7 on page 35)

#### **Diagnostics and test information**

The following list of problems and references is for diagnosing the IBM FAStT EXP500 type 3530.

Problem	Reference
Hard Disk Drive Numbering	IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide
Error Codes/Error Messages	Symptom-to-FRU Index for the server that the storage expansion unit you are servicing is connected to
Expansion Unit Options Switches	IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide
Front Controls and Indications	IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide
Rear Controls and Indications	IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide

## Additional service information

This section provides information on the following topics:

- "Turning the expansion unit on and off"
- "Performing an emergency shutdown" on page 113
- "Restoring power after an emergency" on page 113
- "Clustering support" on page 113
- "Getting help on the World Wide Web" on page 113
- "Specifications" on page 114

#### Turning the expansion unit on and off

This section contains instructions for turning the expansion unit on and off under normal and emergency circumstances.

If you are turning on the expansion unit after an emergency shutdown or power outage, see "Restoring power after an emergency" on page 113.

#### Turning on the expansion unit

Perform the following steps to turn on the power for the initial startup of the expansion unit:

1. Verify that:

- **a**. All communication and power cables are plugged into the back of the expansion unit and an ac power outlet.
- b. All hard disk drives are locked securely in place.
- c. The tray number switches on the expansion unit are set correctly. (See the IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide for more information.)
- 2. Check the system documentation for all the hardware devices you intend to turn on and determine the proper startup sequence.

Note: Be sure to turn on the IBM EXP500 before you turn on the server.

**3**. Turn on the power to each device, based on the startup sequence.

**Attention:** If you are restarting the system after a normal shutdown, wait at least 10 seconds before you turn on the power supply switches.

4. Turn on both power supply switches on the back of the unit.

The expansion unit might take a few seconds to power up. During this time, you might see the amber and green LEDs on the expansion unit turn on and off intermittently. When the startup sequence is complete, only the green LEDs on the front and back and the amber Bypass LEDs for unconnected GBIC ports should remain on. If other amber LEDs remain lit, see "Symptom-to-FRU index" on page 115.

#### Turning off the expansion unit

**Attention:** Except in an emergency, never turn off the power if any Fault LEDs are lit on the expansion unit. Correct the fault before you turn off the power, using the proper troubleshooting or servicing procedure. This action ensures that the expansion unit will power up correctly later. For guidance, see "Symptom-to-FRU index" on page 115.

The expansion unit is designed to run continuously, 24 hours a day. After you turn on the expansion unit, do not turn it off. Turn off the power only when:

- Instructions in a hardware or software procedure require you to turn off the power.
- A service technician tells you to turn off the power.
- A power outage or emergency situation occurs (see "Performing an emergency shutdown" on page 113).

#### CAUTION:

The power control button on the device and the power switch on the power supply do not turn off the electrical current supplied to the device. The device also might have more than one power cord. To remove all electrical current from the device, ensure that all power cords are disconnected from the power source.

Perform the following steps to turn off the power:

- 1. Check the system documentation for all hardware devices you intend to turn off and determine the proper power-down sequence.
- 2. Make sure that all I/O activity has stopped.
- **3.** Make sure that all amber Fault LEDs are off. If any Fault LEDs are lit (drives, power supplies, or fans), correct the problem before you turn off the power. For guidance, see "Symptom-to-FRU index" on page 115.
- 4. Turn off both power supply switches on the back on the expansion unit.

## Performing an emergency shutdown

Attention: Emergency situations might include fire, flood, extreme weather conditions, or other hazardous circumstances. If a power outage or emergency situation occurs, always turn off all power switches on all computing equipment. This action helps safeguard your equipment from potential damage due to electrical surges when power is restored. If the expansion unit loses power unexpectedly, it might be due to a hardware failure in the power system or midplane (see "Symptom-to-FRU index" on page 115).

Perform the following steps to shut down during an emergency:

- 1. If you have time, stop all activity and check the LEDs (front and back). Make note of any Fault LEDs that are lit so that you can correct the problem when you turn on the power again.
- **2**. Turn off all power supply switches; then, unplug the power cords from the expansion unit.

## Restoring power after an emergency

Perform the following steps to restart the expansion unit if you turned off the power supply switches during an emergency shut down, or if a power failure or a power outage occurred:

- 1. After the emergency situation is over or power is restored, check the expansion unit for damage. If there is no visible damage, continue with step 2; otherwise, have your system serviced.
- 2. After you have checked for damage, ensure that the power switches are in the off position; then, plug in the expansion unit power cords.
- **3**. Check the system documentation for the hardware devices you intend to power up and determine the proper startup sequence.

Note: Be sure to turn on the IBM EXP500 before you turn on the server.

- 4. Turn on the power to each device, based on the startup sequence.
- 5. Turn on both power supply switches on the back of the IBM EXP500.
- 6. Only the green LEDs on the front and back and the amber Bypass LEDs for unconnected GBIC ports should remain on. If other amber Fault LEDs are on, see "Symptom-to-FRU index" on page 115 for instructions.
- 7. Use your installed software application as appropriate to check the status of the expansion unit.

## **Clustering support**

Clustering is a means of sharing array groups among controllers to provide redundancy of controllers and servers. This redundancy is important if a hardware component fails. If a hardware component failure occurs after clustering is set up, another server takes ownership of the array group.

Clustering requires additional hardware and specialized software. For more information about clustering, go to the following Web site:

www.ibm.com/pc/us/compat/nos/cert.shtml

## Getting help on the World Wide Web

You can obtain up-to-date information about your IBM EXP500, a complete listing of the options that are supported on your model, and information about other IBM server products at the following Web site:

www.pc.ibm.com/us/compat/

## Specifications

The following gives the operating specifications of the EXP500.

#### Size (with front panel and without mounting rails)

- Depth: 56.3 cm (22.2 in)
- Height: 12.8 cm (5 in)
- Width: 44.7 cm (17.6 in)

#### Weight

- Standard expansion unit as shipped: 25 kg (54.5 lbs)
- Typical expansion unit fully loaded: 35.5 kg (78 lbs)

#### **Electrical input**

- Sine-wave input (50 to 60 Hz) is required
- Input Voltage:
  - Low range:
    - Minimum: 90 V ac
    - Maximum: 127 V ac
  - High range:
    - Minimum: 198 V ac
    - Maximum: 257 V ac
  - Input kilovolt-amperes (kVA) approximately:
    - Minimum configuration: 0.06 kVA
    - Maximum configuration: 0.36 kVA

#### Environment

- Air temperature:
  - Expansion unit on:
    - $10^{\circ}$  to  $35^{\circ}$  C
    - (50° to 95° F)
    - Altitude: 0 to 914 m (3000 ft.)
  - Expansion unit on:
    - $10^{\circ}$  to  $32^{\circ}$  C
      - (50° to 90° F)
      - Altitude: 914 m (3000 ft.) to 2133 m (7000 ft.)
- Humidity:
  - 8% to 80%

#### Acoustical noise emissions values

For open bay (0 drives installed) and typical system configurations (8 hard drives installed).

- Sound Power (idling):
  - 6.3 bels (open bay)
  - 6.5 bels (typical)
- Sound Power (operating):
  - 6.3 bels (open bay)

- 6.6 bels (typical)
- Sound Pressure (idling):
  - 47 dBA (open bay)
  - 49 dBA (typical)
- Sound Pressure (operating):
  - 47 dBA (open bay)
  - 50 dBA (typical)

These levels are measured in controlled acoustical environments according to ISO 7779 and are reported in accordance with ISO 9296. The declared sound power levels indicate an upper limit, below which a large portion of machines operate. Sound pressure levels in your location might exceed the average 1-meter values stated because of room reflections and other nearby noise.

## Symptom-to-FRU index

**Note:** The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

Use Table 50 to find solutions to problems that have definite symptoms.

Table 50. Symptom-to-FRU	l index for FAStT EXP5	00 storage expansion unit
Table 30. Symptom-to-i no		io siolaye expansion unit

Problem Indicator	Action/FRU
Amber LED On (Front Panel)	1. <b>General Machine Fault</b> Check for amber LED on expansion unit. Use the RAID manager software to check the status.
Amber LED On (Hard Disk Drive)	1. Hard Disk Drive
Amber LED On (Fan)	1. Fan
Amber LED On	1. ESM board
Amber LED On, Green LED Off (Power Supply)	<ol> <li>Turn Power Switch On</li> <li>Power cord</li> <li>Reseat Power Supply</li> <li>Power Supply</li> </ol>
Amber and Green LEDs On (Power Supply)	1. Power Supply
All Green LEDs Off	<ol> <li>Check AC voltage cabinet AC voltage line inputs</li> <li>Power Supplies</li> <li>Midplane board</li> </ol>
Intermittent power loss to expansion unit	<ol> <li>Check AC voltage line inputs, and cabinet power components</li> <li>Power Supplies</li> <li>Midplane board</li> </ol>
One or more Green LEDs Off (Power Supply)	<ol> <li>Turn Power Switch On</li> <li>Power cord</li> <li>Reseat Power Supply</li> <li>Power Supply</li> </ol>
One or more Green LEDs On (Drives)	<ol> <li>No activity to the drive</li> <li>This can be normal activity</li> </ol>

Problem Indicator	Action/FRU
Intermittent Power Loss	<ol> <li>AC power or plug</li> <li>Power supply</li> <li>Midplane</li> </ol>
Random errors	1. Midplane board
One or more Green LEDs blinking slowly. (All hard disk drives.)	<ol> <li>Check cabling scheme</li> <li>FC Cable</li> <li>GBIC</li> </ol>
Hard disk drive not visible in RAID management software.	<ol> <li>Hard Disk Drive</li> <li>Midplane Board</li> </ol>
Amber temperature LED enabled in RAID management software. (ESM Board)	<ol> <li>Check for fan fault LED</li> <li>Unit is overheating; check temperature.</li> <li>ESM Board</li> </ol>
Amber conflict LED on. (ESM Board)	1. Tray numbers of ESM boards within a single FAStT EXP500 do not match
GBIC bypass LED.	1. Check ESM fault LED
Note: It is normal for the LED to be on when no GBIC or cable is installed.	<ul><li>2. GBIC does not detect an incoming signal</li><li>a. FC Cable</li><li>b. GBIC or other end on the FC cable</li><li>c. GBIC adjacent to amber LEDC cable</li></ul>

Table 50. Symptom-to-FRU index for FAStT EXP500 storage expansion unit (continued)

**Note:** If you cannot find the problem using this Symptom-to-FRU Index, test the entire system. See the server documentation for detailed information on testing and diagnostic tools.

## Parts listing

Figure 70 on page 117 and the following table provide a parts listing for the FAStT EXP500.


Figure 70. FAStT EXP500 storage expansion unit parts list

Index	System (IBM FAStT EXP500 - Type 3560, Model 1RU)	FRU No.
1	Rail Kit Left/Right (Model 1RU)	37L0067
2	Blower Assembly (Model 1RU)	09N7285
3	350-W Power Supply Assembly (Model 1RU)	37L0059
4	Electronic Module (ESM, LVD/LVD) (Model 1RU)	37L0103
5	Midplane/Frame (Model 1RU) <b>Note:</b> The midplane board and frame are replaced as a unit. If either part is needed, order the above FRU.	37L0104
6	Decorative Bezel (Model 1RU)	37L0074
7	Blank Tray Assembly (Model 1RU)	37L6708
	Miscellaneous Hardware Kit (Model 1RU)	09N7288
	Line Cord, 9 Foot (Model 1RU)	6952300
	Line Cord Jumper, High Voltage (Model 1RU)	36L8886

"Power cords," on page 153 lists required power cords for the FAStT storage components discussed in this document by country and region.

# Chapter 14. IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP700 Storage Expansion Unit

This chapter describes the IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP700 storage expansion unit.

## **General checkout**

Use the indicator lights, the Symptom-to-FRU index, and the connected server HMM to diagnose problems.

The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

## **Operating specifications**

Table 51 provides general information about the FAStT EXP700. All components plug directly into the backplane.

Table 51. T	otalStorage	FAStT EX	P700 storage	expansion	unit specifications

Size	Heat dissipation
<ul> <li>Width: 44.5 cm (17.52 in.)</li> <li>Height: 12.8 cm (5.03 in.)</li> <li>Depth: 56.3 cm (22.17 in.)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Fully configured expansion unit (14 FASt] 2 GB hard disk drives)</li> <li>1221 BTU per hour</li> </ul>
Weight: 30.12 kg (66.4 lb)	Acoustical noise emission values
<ul> <li>Electrical input</li> <li>Sine-wave input (50 to 60 Hz) is required</li> <li>Input voltage low range: <ul> <li>Minimum: 90 V ac</li> <li>Maximum: 127 V ac</li> </ul> </li> <li>Input voltage high range: <ul> <li>Minimum: 198 V ac</li> <li>Maximum: 257 V ac</li> </ul> </li> <li>Input kilovolt-amperes (kVA), approximately: <ul> <li>Minimum configuration: 0.06 kVA</li> <li>Maximum configuration: 0.39 kVA</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>For open-bay (0 drives installed) and typical system configurations (Eight hard disk driver installed):</li> <li>Sound power (idling): <ul> <li>5.9 bel (open bay)</li> <li>6.1 bel (typical)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Sound power (operating): <ul> <li>5.9 bel (open bay)</li> <li>6.2 bel (typical)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Sound pressure (idling): <ul> <li>44 dBA (open bay)</li> <li>46 dBA (typical)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Sound pressure (operating):</li> </ul>
Environment	<ul> <li>44 dBA (open bay)</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Air temperature <ul> <li>Expansion unit on:</li> <li>10° to 35° C (50° to 95° F)</li> <li>Altitude: 0 to 914 m (3000 ft)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Expansion unit off: <ul> <li>100 to 220 C (500 to 900 F)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>47 dBA (typical)</li> <li>These levels are measured in controlled acoustical environments according to ISO 7779 and are reported in accordance with ISO 9296. The declared sound power levels indicate an upper limit, below which a large</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>- 10° to 32° C (50° to 90° F)</li> <li>- Altitude: 914 m (3000 ft) to 2133 m (7000 ft.)</li> <li>• Humidity</li> <li>- 8% to 80%</li> </ul>	portion of machines operate. Sound pressure levels in your location might exceed the average 1-meter values stated because of room reflections and other nearby noise.

## **Diagnostics and test information**

Table 52 contains information to help you solve some of the problems that you might have with the expansion unit. It contains the problem symptoms and error messages along with suggested actions to take to resolve problems.

Problem indicator	Component	Possible cause	Possible solutions
Amber LED is lit	Drive FRU	Drive failure	Replace failed drive.
	Fan FRU	Fan failure	Replace failed fan.
	ESM over-	Subsystem is overheated	Check fans for faults. Replace failed fan if necessary.
	temperature LED	Environment is too hot	Check the ambient temperature around the expansion unit. Cool as necessary.
		Defective LED or hardware failure	If you cannot detect a fan failure or overheating problem, replace the ESM.
	ESM Fault LED	ESM failure	Replace the ESM. See your controller documentation for more information.
	ESM Bypass LED	No incoming signal detected	Reconnect the SFP modules and fibre channel cables. Replace input and output SFP modules or cables as necessary.
		ESM failure	If the ESM Fault LED is lit, replace the ESM.
	Front panel	General machine fault	A Fault LED is lit somewhere on the expansion unit (check for Amber LEDs on FRUs).
		SFP transmit fault	Check that the FRUs are properly installed. If none of the amber LEDs are lit on any of the FRUs, this indicates an SFP module transmission fault in the expansion unit. Replace the failed SFP module. See your storage-manager software documentation for more information.
Amber LED is lit and green LED is off	Power-supply FRU	The power switch is turned off or there is an ac power failure	Turn on all power-supply switches.
Amber and green LEDs are lit	Power-supply FRU	Power-supply failure	Replace the failed power-supply FRU.

Table 52. TotalStorage FAStT EXP700 storage expansion unit diagnostic information

Problem indicator	Component	Possible cause	Possible solutions
All green LEDs are off	All FRUs	Subsystem power is off	Check that all expansion unit power cables are plugged in and the power switches are on. If applicable, check that the main circuit breakers for the rack are powered on.
		AC power failure	Check the main circuit breaker and ac outlet.
		Power-supply failure	Replace the power supply.
		Midplane failure	See "Symptom-to-FRU index" on page 115.
Amber LED is flashing	Drive FRUs	Drive rebuild or identity is in process	No corrective action needed.
One or more green LEDs are off	Power supply FRUs	Power cable is unplugged or switches are turned off	Make sure the power cable is plugged in and the switches are turned on.
	All drive FRUs	Midplane failure	Replace the midplane.
	Several FRUs	Hardware failure	Replace the affected FRUs. If this does not correct the problem, have the ESMs replaced, followed by the midplane.
	Front panel	Power-supply problem	Make sure that the power cables are plugged in and that the power supplies are turned on.
		Hardware failure	If any other LEDs are lit, replace the midplane.
Intermittent or sporadic power loss to the expansion unit	Some or all FRUs	Defective ac power source or improperly connected power cable	Check the ac power source. Reseat all installed power cables and power supplies. If applicable, check the power components (power units or UPS). Replace defective power cables.
		Power-supply failure	Check the power supply Fault LED on the power supply. If the LED is lit, replace the failed FRU
		Midplane failure	Replace the midplane.
Unable to access drives	Drives and fibre channel loop	Incorrect expansion unit ID settings	Ensure that the fibre channel optical cables are undamaged and properly connected. Check the expansion unit ID settings. <b>Note:</b> Change switch position only when your expansion unit is powered off.
		ESM failure	Replace one or both ESMs.
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Table 52. TotalStorage FAStT EXP700 storage expansion unit diagnostic information (continued)

## Symptom-to-FRU index

**Note:** The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

Use Table 53 to find solutions to problems that have definite symptoms.

Table 53. Symptom-to-FRU index for TotalStorage FAStT EXP700 storage expansion unit

Problem Indicator	Action/FRU
Amber LED On (Front Panel)	<ol> <li>General Machine Fault         Check for amber LED on expansion unit. Use the RAID manager software to check the status.     </li> </ol>
Amber LED On (Hard Disk Drive)	1. Hard Disk Drive
Amber LED On (Fan)	1. Fan
Amber LED On	1. ESM board
Amber LED On, Green LED Off (Power Supply)	<ol> <li>Turn Power Switch On</li> <li>Power cord</li> <li>Reseat Power Supply</li> <li>Power Supply</li> </ol>
Amber and Green LEDs On (Power Supply)	1. Power Supply
All Green LEDs Off	<ol> <li>Check AC voltage cabinet AC voltage line inputs</li> <li>Power Supplies</li> <li>Midplane board</li> </ol>
Intermittent power loss to expansion unit	<ol> <li>Check AC voltage line inputs, and cabinet power components</li> <li>Power Supplies</li> <li>Midplane board</li> </ol>
One or more Green LEDs Off (Power Supply)	<ol> <li>Turn Power Switch On</li> <li>Power cord</li> <li>Reseat Power Supply</li> <li>Power Supply</li> </ol>
One or more Green LEDs On (Drives)	<ol> <li>No activity to the drive</li> <li>This can be normal activity</li> </ol>
Intermittent Power Loss	<ol> <li>AC power or plug</li> <li>Power supply</li> <li>Midplane</li> </ol>
Random errors	<ol> <li>SFP</li> <li>Optical board</li> <li>Midplane board</li> <li>switch harness</li> </ol>
One or more Green LEDs blinking slowly. (All hard disk drives.)	1. Replace SFP

Problem Indicator	Action/FRU
Hard disk drive not visible in RAID management software.	1. Hard Disk Drive
software.	2. FC cable
	3. SFP
	4. ESM
	5. Midplane board
Amber temperature LED enabled in RAID management	1. Check for fan fault LED
software. (ESM Board)	2. Unit is overheating; check temperature.
	3. ESM Board
Amber conflict LED on. (ESM Board)	<ol> <li>Tray numbers of switch plate are set to identical values on two or more EXP700s on the same FC loop</li> </ol>
SFP bypass LED.	1. Replace SFP.
Note:	
It is normal for the LED to be on when no SFP or cable is installed.	

Table 53. Symptom-to-FRU index for TotalStorage FAStT EXP700 storage expansion unit (continued)

**Note:** If you cannot find the problem using this Symptom-to-FRU Index, test the entire system. See the server documentation for more detailed information on testing and diagnostic tools.

## **Parts listing**

Figure 71 and the following table provide a parts listing for the FAStT EXP700.



Figure 71. TotalStorage FAStT EXP700 storage expansion unit parts list

Index	FAStT EXP700 storage expansion unit (1740, 1RU/1RX)	FRU P/N
1	rail kit	37L0067
2	blower ASM FRU	19K1293
3	power supply FRU, 400 W	19K1289
4	CDPOP, FC ESM, 2 GB	19K1287
5	Frame, Midplane	19K1288
6	bezel ASM FRU	19K1285
7	tray, blank	19K1291
8	switch, harness	19K1297
	Miscellaneous hardware	09N7288
	cable, FRU-1M	19K1265
	cable, FRU-5M	19K1266
	cable, FRU-25M	19K1267
	cable, FRU Adapter	19K1268
	FRU, SFP LC (shortwave)	19K1280
	FRU, SFP LC (longwave)	19K1281
	power cord, 2.8M	36L8886
	power cord	6952300

Table 54. Parts listing (TotalStorage FAStT EXP700 storage expansion unit)

"Power cords," on page 153 lists required power cords for the FAStT storage components discussed in this document by country and region.

# Chapter 15. IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 Storage Expansion Unit

This chapter describes the IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 storage expansion unit.

#### - Important:

The EXP100 can be connected to the following IBM FAStT storage servers: FAStT100, FAStT600, and FAStT900.

- If you are connecting the EXP100 to a FAStT100 storage server, you must verify that the EXP100 ESM firmware level is at level 9551 or later. If the ESM firmware level is lower than 9551, disconnect the EXP100 and contact IBM support, your IBM reseller, or your IBM representative for assistance. See the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 Expansion Unit Installation and User's Guide* for details on how to determine ESM firmware versions.
- If you are connecting the EXP100 to a FAStT600 or FAStT900 storage server, you must perform the required software and firmware support code upgrades to enable support for the EXP100 to ensure proper operation. For more information about performing these upgrades, refer to the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 Expansion Unit Installation and User's Guide*.
  - Upgrade the FAStT Storage Manager host software in the host servers and the management station to version 8.41 or later. See the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Storage Manager Installation and Support Guide* for your operating system.
  - Upgrade the controller firmware and NVSRAM and the ESM firmware to the required levels. See the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 Storage Expansion Unit Installation and User's Guide* for instructions on how to perform these upgrades.

**Attention:** If you are upgrading the EXP100 ESM firmware to the R2 firmware version (955x or later), you must first upgrade the EXP100 ESM firmware, and then upgrade the storage server controller firmware to the R2 level (version 05.41.5x.xx). Note that this procedure is contrary to the usual FAStT storage server upgrade process, in which the controller firmware is normally updated before the ESM firmware.

In addition, if you are upgrading or replacing EXP100 ESM CRUs, or if you are adding additional FAStT EXP100s to a configured FAStT storage server configuration, you must verify that the ESM firmware version of the new ESM CRU or new EXP100 matches the firmware versions of existing ESM CRUs or EXP100s. If there are firmware version mismatches, you must perform the required upgrades to correct any ESM firmware mismatches. The procedures for resolving ESM firmware mismatches are described in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 Storage Expansion Unit Installation and User's Guide*.

When the FAStT600 or FAStT900 storage server is connected to a FAStT EXP100, the FAStT600 must not have fibre-channel drives inserted in its slots. All the slots in the FAStT600 or FAStT900 storage server must have blank drive trays to ensure proper cooling.

Currently, you cannot combine Serial ATA (such as the EXP100) and fibre-channel (such as the EXP700) hard drives in the same FAStT storage server configuration.

### **General checkout**

Use the indicator lights, the diagnostics and test information, the symptom-to-FRU index, and the connected server HMM to diagnose problems.

## FAStT EXP100 specifications

Table 55 lists the specifications for the FAStT EXP100.

#### Table 55. IBM TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 storage expansion unit specifications

#### Size

- Width: 48.1 cm (18.97 in.)
- Height: 13.2 cm (5.21 in.)
- Depth: 59.7 cm (23.52 in.)

#### Weight

- Drive-ready weight (without disk drive modules installed): 25.9 kg (57 lb)
- Fully configured weight (with 14 disk drives installed): 40.2 kg (88.4 lb)

#### **Electrical input**

- Sine-wave input (50 60 Hz) is required
- Input voltage low range:
  - Minimum: 90 V ac
  - Maximum: 127 V ac
- Input voltage high range:
  - Minimum: 198 V ac
  - Maximum: 257 V ac
- Input kilovolt-amperes (kVA), approximately:
  - Minimum configuration: 0.06 kVA
  - Maximum configuration: 0.39 kVA

#### Environment

- Air temperature
  - Operating:
    - Altitude: 0 914 m (3000 ft): 10° 35° C (50° - 95° F)
    - Altitude: 914 m 2133 m (3000 7000 ft): 10° 32° C (50° 90° F)

**Important:** The recommended operating environment air temperature is 22° C (72° F) or lower.

- Storage:
  - Altitude: 0 914 m (3000 ft): 1° 60° C (33° - 140° F)
- Humidity - 8% - 80%
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#### Heat dissipation

- Fully configured expansion unit (14 1.5 Gbps SATA hard disk drives)
  - 1088 BTU per hour

#### Acoustical noise emission values

For open bay (0 drives installed) and typical system configurations (eight hard disk drives installed):

- Sound power (idling):
  - 5.9 bel (open bay)
  - 6.1 bel (typical)
- Sound power (operating):
- 5.9 bel (open bay)
- 6.2 bel (typical)
- Sound pressure (idling):
  - 44 dBA (open bay)
  - 46 dBA (typical)
- Sound pressure (operating):
  - 44 dBA (open bay)
  - 47 dBA (typical)

These levels are measured in controlled acoustical environments according to ISO 7779 and are reported in accordance with ISO 9296. The declared sound power levels indicate an upper limit, below which a large portion of machines operate. Sound pressure levels in your location might exceed the average 1-meter values stated because of room reflections and other nearby noise.

#### Notes:

1. The nonoperating environment must not exceed the operating environment limits for longer than 60 days.

- 2. The storage environment must not exceed the operating environment limits for longer than 1 year.
- **3**. Substantial deviations from the suggested operating range, in either direction, if sustained for extended periods of time, will expose the unit to greater risk of failure from external causes.

## **Diagnostics and test information**

Table 56 contains information to help you solve some of the problems that you might have with the expansion unit. It contains the problem symptoms and error messages along with suggested actions to take to resolve problems.

Problem indicator	Component	Possible cause	Possible solutions
Amber LED is lit	Drive CRU	Drive failure	Replace the failed drive.
	Fan CRU	Fan failure	Replace the failed fan.
	ESM over-	Subsystem has overheated	Check fans for faults. Replace the failed fan if necessary.
	temperature LED	Environment is too hot	Check the ambient temperature around the expansion unit. Cool as necessary.
		Defective LED or hardware failure	If you cannot detect a fan failure or overheating problem, replace the ESM.
	ESM Fault LED	ESM failure	Replace the ESM. See your controller documentation for more information.
]	ESM Bypass LED	No incoming signal detected	Reconnect the SFP modules and the fibre-channel cables. Replace input and output SFP modules or cables as necessary.
		ESM failure	If the ESM Fault LED is lit, also replace the ESM.
	Front panel	General machine fault	A Fault LED is lit somewhere on the expansion unit (check for Amber LEDs on CRUs).
		Fibre-channel connection failure	Check that the CRUs are properly installed. If none of the amber LEDs are lit on any of the CRUs, this indicates an SFP module transmission fault in the expansion unit. Replace the failed SFP module. See your storage manager software documentation for more information.
	ESM ID conflict	This enclosure has the same ID as one of the other enclosures or storage servers in the drive loops.	Change the enclosure ID switches to set a unique ID for this enclosure.

Table 56. Solving problems

Table 56.	Solving	problems	(continued)

Problem indicator	Component	Possible cause	Possible solutions
Amber LED is lit and green LED is off	Power supply CRU	The power switch is turned off or there is an ac power failure.	Replace the failed power supply or turn on all power supply switches.
Amber and green LEDs are lit	Power supply CRU	Power supply failure	Replace the failed power supply.
All amber and green LEDs are off	All drive CRUs	<ul> <li>Check for and resolve one of the following situations:</li> <li>FAStT EXP100 is turned off</li> <li>FAStT EXP100 is not connected to the FAStT storag server</li> <li>FAStT storage server does not have the correct firmware version</li> </ul>	
All green LEDs are off	All CRUs	Subsystem power is off	Check that all expansion unit power cables are plugged in and the power switches are on. If applicable, check that the main circuit breakers for the rack are powered on.
		AC power failure	Check the main circuit breaker and ac outlet.
		Power supply failure	Replace the power supply.
		Midplane failure	Contact an IBM technical support representative to service the expansion unit.
Amber LED is flashing	Drive CRUs	Drive identity is in process	No corrective action needed.
	ESM port bypass	An FC loop initialization process (LIP) is being generated in the drive loop due to a faulty component.	Use the Read Link Status window in the Storage Manager Client Subsystem Management window and the storage subsystem event logs to isolate the faulty component.

Table 56. Solving problems (continued)

Problem indicator	Component	Possible cause	Possible solutions
One or more green LEDs are off	Power supply CRUs	Power cable is unplugged or switches are turned off	Make sure that the power cable is plugged in and that the switches are turned on.
	All drive CRUs	Midplane failure	Replace the midplane. Contact an IBM technical support representative.
	Several CRUs	Hardware failure	Replace the affected CRUs. If this does not correct the problem, replace the ESMs, followed by the midplane. Contact an IBM technical support representative.
		The FAStT storage server was not powered on, or all fibre-channel connections between the EXP100 and the storage server failed.	<ul><li>Perform one of the following actions:</li><li>Power on the storage server.</li><li>Verify that the fibre-channel connections between the EXP100 and the storage server are made.</li></ul>
	Front panel	Power supply problem	Make sure that the power cables are plugged in and that the power supplies are turned on.
		Hardware failure	If any other LEDs are lit, replace the midplane. Contact an IBM technical support representative.
Intermittent or sporadic power loss to the expansion unit	Some or all CRUs	Defective ac power source or improperly connected power cable	Check the ac power source. Reseat all installed power cables and power supplies. If applicable, check the power components (power units or universal power supply). Replace defective power cables.
		Power supply failure	Check the power supply Fault LED on the power supply. If the LED is lit, replace the failed CRU.
		Midplane failure	Have the midplane replaced. Contact an IBM technical support representative.
Unable to access drives	Drives and fibre-channel loop	Incorrect expansion unit ID settings	Ensure that the fibre-channel optical cables are undamaged and properly connected. Check the expansion unit ID settings. <b>Note:</b> Change the switch position only when your expansion unit is powered off.
		ESM failure	Replace one or both ESMs. Contact an IBM technical support representative.
		Drive or drives failed	Replace failed drive or drives.

Table 56. Solving problems (continued)

Problem indicator	Component	Possible cause	Possible solutions
Random errors	Subsystem	Midplane failure	Have the midplane replaced. Contact an IBM technical support representative.

## Symptom-to-FRU index

**Note:** The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

Use Table 57 to find solutions to problems that have definite symptoms.

Table 57. Symptom-to-FRU index for TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 storage expansion unit

Problem Indicator	Action/FRU
Amber LED On (lower right corner of front panel)	<ol> <li>General Machine Fault         Check for amber LED on expansion unit. Use the RAID manager software to check the status.     </li> </ol>
Amber LED On (on the front panel above the drive CRU)	1. Hard Disk Drive
Amber LED On (on the fan CRU)	1. Fan
Amber LED On (on the ESM board)	<ol> <li>ESM board</li> <li>Failed SFPs or cables</li> <li>Note: Do not power on any other connected EXP100s or the FAStT storage server.</li> </ol>
Amber LED On, Green LED Off (on power supply CRU)	<ol> <li>Turn Power Switch On</li> <li>Power cord</li> <li>Reseat Power Supply</li> <li>Power Supply</li> </ol>
Amber and Green LEDs On (on power supply CRU)	1. Power Supply
All Green Drive Activity LEDs Off (on the front panel above each installed drive CRU)	<ol> <li>The FAStT storage server was not powered on.</li> <li>The FC link between the storage server and the FAStT EXP100 was not made.</li> </ol>
All Green LEDs Off (on both the front and the back panels of the FAStT EXP100)	<ol> <li>Check AC voltage cabinet AC voltage line inputs</li> <li>Power Supplies</li> <li>Midplane board</li> </ol>
All LEDs Off (on both the front and the back panels of the FAStT EXP100)	<ol> <li>Verify that the FAStT EXP100 is not turned off.</li> <li>Verify that the FAStT EXP100 is connected to the FAStT storage server</li> <li>Verify that the FAStT storage server has been upgraded with firmware version 5.41.xx.xx or later.</li> </ol>
Intermittent power loss to expansion unit	<ol> <li>Check AC voltage line inputs, and cabinet power components</li> <li>Power Supplies</li> <li>Midplane board</li> </ol>

Problem Indicator	Action/FRU
One or more Green LEDs Off (on the power supply CRU)	<ol> <li>Turn Power Switch On</li> <li>Power cord</li> <li>Reseat Power Supply</li> <li>Power Supply</li> </ol>
One or more Green LEDs On (on the front panel above the drive CRUs)	<ol> <li>No activity to the drive</li> <li>This can be normal activity</li> </ol>
Intermittent Power Loss	<ol> <li>AC power or plug</li> <li>Power supply</li> <li>Midplane</li> </ol>
Random errors	<ol> <li>SFP</li> <li>Optical board</li> <li>Midplane board</li> <li>Switch harness</li> </ol>
Hard disk drive not visible in RAID management software.	<ol> <li>Hard Disk Drive</li> <li>FC cable</li> <li>SFP</li> <li>ESM</li> <li>Midplane board</li> <li>The drive CRU is not signed correctly. The drive and the interposer card in the drive CRU must be digitally signed together.</li> <li>The controller firmware has not been upgraded to 5.41.xx.xx version or higher. Upgrade the firmware to 5.41.xx.xx version or higher.</li> </ol>
Amber temperature LED On (ESM Board)	<ol> <li>Check for fan fault LED</li> <li>Unit is overheating; check temperature.</li> <li>ESM Board</li> </ol>
Amber LED On (ID conflict)	<ol> <li>This enclosure has been assigned the same enclosure ID as another component in the same drive loop. Make changes to the enclosure switches to give this enclosure a unique ID.</li> </ol>
SFP bypass LED On.	1. Failed SFP or FC cable.
Note:	
It is normal for the LED to be on when no SFP or cable is installed.	

Table 57. Symptom-to-FRU index for TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 storage expansion unit (continued)

**Note:** If you cannot find the problem using this Symptom-to-FRU Index, test the entire system. See the server documentation for more detailed information on testing and diagnostic tools.

## **Parts listing**



Figure 72 and the following table provide a parts listing for the FAStT EXP100.

Figure 72. TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 storage expansion unit parts list

Table 58. Parts listing (TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 storage expansion unit)

Index	FAStT EXP100 storage expansion unit (1710, 10U & 10X)	FRU P/N
1	rail kit	01K6670
2	blower ASM FRU	19K1293
3	power supply FRU, 400 W	19K1289
4	SATA ESM	24P8814
5	SATA Frame, Midplane	24P8815
6	bezel ASM FRU	24P8812
	SATA tray, blank	90P1348
7	SATA 250 GB drive CRU	90P1349
8	switch, harness	19K1297
	miscellaneous hardware kit	24P8813

Index	FAStT EXP100 storage expansion unit (1710, 10U & 10X)	FRU P/N
	cable, FRU-1M	19K1265
	cable, FRU-5M	19K1266
	cable, FRU-25M	19K1267
	FRU, SFP LC (shortwave)	19K1280
	power cord, 2.8M	6952300
	power cord, jumper	36L8886

Table 58. Parts listing (TotalStorage FAStT EXP100 storage expansion unit) (continued)

"Power cords," on page 153 lists required power cords for the FAStT storage components discussed in this document by country and region.

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**Note:** The PD maps found in the *IBM TotalStorage FAStT Problem Determination Guide* provide you with additional diagnostic aids.

## **Service Aids**

The SAN Data Gateway (SDG) Router service capabilities include the following:

- LED indicators
- Power-on-self-test (POST)
- Health Check
- Event Log
- Service Port commands
- Diagnostics

### **LED** indicators

Shown in Figure 73, the LEDs on the front panel provide a visual indication of the status and activity of the SDG and its interfaces. The LEDs are refreshed automatically about 5 times per second.

SAN Connection	SCSI C	hannels	Et	herne	t		Status	;	Ready	
<ul><li>Activity</li><li>Status</li></ul>	Activity O 1	O 2	O Links Tr	<u> </u>	O Collision	Tem O Warnii	rature O Alarm	Power	° ()	IBM
2108-R03 Storage Ar	ea Network Data	I Gateway Ro	outer							

Figure 73. SDG Router front panel LEDs

Table 59 describes the SDG Router LED indicators.

Table 59. SDG Router LED indicators

LEDs (G=Green) (A=Amber)	Function	On	Off	Flash
SAN Connection				
Activity (G)	Link traffic			SAN interface activity
Status (G)	Link status	Link Active	No transmission (Link down)	
SCSI (G)				
Activity (1 and 2)	SCSI Activity	SCSI traffic	No SCSI traffic	SCSI Interface activity
ETHERNET				
Link (G)	Status	Link active	Link down	
Transmit (G)	Status	Transmission in progress		

Table 59. SDG Router LED indicators (continued)

LEDs (G=Green) (A=Amber)	Function	On	Off	Flash
Collision (A)	Status	Collision occurred		
TEMPERATURE				
WARNING (A)	Preventive failure indicator	Temperature Warning	No temperature problem	N/A
Alarm (A)	Information	Temperature exceeded	No temperature problem	N/A
Power Main (G)	Information	Power applied	No power	N/A
Ready (G)	Information	SDG Failure if on for more than 2 sec.	SDG Failure	Flashes during Startup cycle and once every second thereafter (normal)

## POST

POST is divided into two functionally distinct parts: the initial-POST (IPOST) and the secondary-POST (SPOST)

IPOST is the first stage of POST and it thoroughly tests the on-board, dynamic random-access memory (DRAM) arrays. IPOST runs from the on-board flash memory. Upon successful completion, IPOST locates SPOST, copies it to the DRAM, and then transfers program control to SPOST.

SPOST is the second stage of post. SPOST configures the SDG Router's PCI bus. SPOST then locates, loads, and runs the licensed internal code.

## **Health Check**

The health check program queries all subsystems for their operational status. The health check has four levels. A level 1 health check is the most basic, and health check level 4 is the most complete check.

## **Event Log**

The SDG Router maintains an event log within its on-board flash file system. You can query these logs from the SDG Router service port. Event codes and messages that the SDG Router subsystems generate are recorded in this log file.

## **Service Port Commands**

An extensive command set is available to manage the SDG Router, obtain Status, and run Diagnostics. The commands described in Table 60 have been extracted from the *SDG Service Guide*. They provide you with some basic tools to determine the functional status of the SDG Router. See Appendixes A and B of the *SDG Service Guide* for a description of all the commands.

Table 60. SDG Router service port commands

Group	Description	Page
<u> </u>	Used to transition the SDG Router from normal operation to Diagnostic mode (see normalBoot below)	139

Table 60. SDG Router service port commands (continued)

Group	Description	Page
diagHelp	Displays a list of diagnostic commands	140
fcShow	Displays the status of the fibre channel interface	140
fcShowDevs	Displays information about the devices that are accessible from the fibre channel interface	141
fcShowNames	Displays the node and port names (addresses) of the fibre channel	141
hardwareConfig	Diagnostic mode only. Stores FRU VPD information in the SDG non-volatile memory (see sysVpdShow below)	142
help	Displays a list of the commands	142
hlthChkHelp	Displays the list of health check commands	143
hlthChkNow	Initiates the health check for the SDG. Results display.	143
loggerDump	Dumps records from the system event log to the terminal console	144
loggerDumpCurrent	Dumps only the records that were logged since the system was last started.	
macShow	Displays the Media Access Control address for the Ethernet interface	145
mapShowDatabase	Device database listing the connected devices	145
mapShowDevs	Displays the cross-reference map of device addresses	145
normalBoot	ormalBoot Restores the SDG to normal operating conditions. Used only to transition from diagnostic mode to normal mode.	
reboot	Preferred method for restarting the SDG Router	146
scsiRescan	Performs a rescan of the SCSI channel(s) to look for new devices	146
scsiShow	Lists all SCSI channels and the attached devices for each channel	147
showBox	Displays a picture of the SDG that shows the components present	148
sysConfigShow	Displays current parameter settings.	148
sysVpdShow or sysVpdShowAll		
targets	Lists and describes each device currently attached	150
version Lists the firmware version level		150

The following descriptions are from *Storage Area Network Data Gateway Router Installation and User's Guide;* they also are listed in the *Storage Area Network Data Gateway Router Service Guide.* 

#### diagBoot

Use the **diagBoot** command only to transition the SDG Router from normal operation to the special diagnostic mode. The command first ensures that the ffs0:mt directory exists, then it verifies that the files diagnstk.o and diagnstk.rc are in the flash file system. If they are in the root directory, it moves them to the ffs0:mt directory.

The **diagBoot** command copies the existing boot parameters to a file in the ffs0:mt directory on the SDG Router. It then installs the new boot parameters that direct the SDG Router to start using the special diagnostic startup script, ffs0:mt/diagnstk.rc. It renames the persistent map file config/device.map as config/device.bak. Finally, **diagBoot** issues a reboot command to put the changes into effect.

**Note:** Power cycling the SDG Router does not re-instate it to normal mode if previously set to diagnostic mode. Use **normalBoot** command (page 146) to re-initialize the router to normal mode.

#### diagHelp

The **diagHelp** command displays a list of the diagnostic commands.

Router > diagHelp .

The following commands are available in diagnostic mode only.

```
ddfTest: Test DDF Memory
elTest: Test Ethernet port w/loop-back cable
fcSlotTest <portnum> : Test specified fibre channel port w/loop-back cable
hardwareConfig: Re-inventory FRUs and update Vital Product Data
normalBoot: Shutdown and restart in normal mode
scsiChannelTest <x,y>: Test specified SCSI Channels w/loop-back cable
```

#### fcShow

The **fcShow** command displays the channel status for the fibre channel interface.

The following example is for an SDG Router single-port fibre channel PMC card (ISP2200 controller). The firmware state for interfaces that have a live connection to a fibre channel device are shown as Ready. An interface that has no live connection shows as Sync Lost.

```
Router > fcShow
```

```
Fibre Channel Controllers

Ctlr : PCI Addr : ISP : Firmware : FW : Ctrl : Nvram : Loop

Id : Bs Dv Fn : Type : State : Version : Addr : Addr : ID}

1 : 00 06 00 : 2200 : Ready : 2.01.2 : c0d98700 : 90001100 : 2 1

value = 80 = 0x50 = ©P©

Router >
```

The following list describes the example fields:

Ctlr ID The channel number for this interface

**PCI Addr** The PCI address of the interface, showing bus, device ID, and function number

**ISPType** The type of fibre channel controller, ISP2100 or ISP2200

**Firmware State** The current state of the interface as reported by the fibre channel PMC adapter firmware. The firmware states are:

- **Configuration Wait**: Firmware is not initialized.
- Waiting for AL\_PA : Firmware is performing or waiting to perform loop initialization.
- Waiting for login: Firmware is attempting port and process logins with all loop ports.
- **Ready**: Indicates that the interface is connected, operational and ready to process SCSI commands. Any other value indicates intermediate states or interface failure.

- **Sync Lost**: The firmware has detected a loss-of-sync condition and is resynchronizing the serial link receiver. This is the state reported when the fibre channel link does not detect a connection to a fibre channel device.
- Error: The firmware detected an unrecoverable error condition.
- **Nonparticipating**: The firmware is not participating on the loop because it did not acquire an arbitrated loop physical address (AL\_PA) during initialization.
- Failed: The firmware is not responding to commands.

FW Version The version of firmware on the fibre channel PMC adapter

**Ctrl Addr** A pointer to an internal data structure that is used for some diagnostic operations

Nvram Addr The memory address of the parameter RAM for this interface

Loop ID The fibre channel loop ID for this interface

#### fcShowDevs

The **fcShowDevs** command displays information about the devices that are accessible from each fibre channel interface, as the following example shows. The display shows the LUN that the SDG Router has assigned to each device, the SCSI Channel that the device is attached to, the actual SCSI ID and LUN of the device, the vendor, product, revision, and serial number of the device.

```
Router > fcShowDevs
FC 1:
LUN Chan Id Lun Vendor Product Rev SN
_____
0 0 0 0PATHLIGHT SAN Router Local 0252 00000060450d00c0
2 3 4 0IBM 03570c11 5324 00000000260
3 3 4 1IBM 03570c11 5324 00000000260
value = 3 = 0x3
Router > Router > fcShowDevs
FC 1:
LUN Chan Id Lun Vendor Product Rev SN
 _____
0 0 0 0PATHLGHT SAN Router 0339 00000060451600db
1 1 0 0 ATL L500 6320000 001E JF91101163
2 1 1 0QUANTUM DLT7000 2150 CX921S1423
4 1 2 OQUANTUM DLT7000 2150 CX905S4607
6 2 0 OQUANTUM Powerstor L200 001E JW81477118
8 2 1 00UANTUM DLT7000 2150 CX919S5223
LUN Chan Id Lun Vendor Product Rev SN
FC 4:
0 0 0 0PATHLGHT SAN Router 0339 00000060451600db
       _____
1 1 0 0 ATL L500 6320000 001E JF91101163
2 1 1 0QUANTUM DLT7000 2150 CX921S1423
4 1 2 OQUANTUM DLT7000 2150 CX905S4607
6 2 0 0QUANTUM Powerstor L200 001E JW81477118
8 2 1 00UANTUM DLT7000 2150 CX919S5223
value =6 =0x6
Router >
```

fcShowNames

The **fcShowNames** command displays the node and port names (addresses) of the fibre channels.

The following list describes the example fields:

Ctlr id The channel number for the interface

**PCI Addr** The PCI address of the interface, showing bus, device ID, and function number

**ISPType** The type of fibre channel controller, ISP2100 or ISP2200

Node Name The fibre channel node name for the SDG Router

Port Name The fibre channel port name for the interface

#### hardwareConfig

In order to use this command, the SDG Router must be in diagnostic mode. The **hardwareConfig** command records the configurations of installed FRUs by copying them to the nonvolatile vital product data (VPD) stored on the SDG Router base. See the following example.

The fields that are updated are the SCSI channel types and PMC type. The service representative enters the **hardwareConfig** command after replacing any FRUs, which causes the SDG Router to update the VPD.

```
Router> hardwareConfig
==== Recording Hardware Configuration ====
Scanning PMC option slots...
Scanning SCSI IO Modules...
Checking memory sizes...
MemSize PCI-0 is 64 Mbytes ...Done
value = 0 = 0x0
Router >
```

#### help

The **help** command displays a list of the shell commands, as the following example shows.

Router > help help Print this list cleHelp Print Command Log Entry info diagHelp Print Diagnostic Help info hlthChkHelp Print Health Check Help info mapHelp Print Device Map Help info netHelp Print Network Help info snmpHelp Print SNMP Help info userHelp Print User account info cd "path" Set current working path copy ["in"][,"out"] Copy in file to out file (0 = std in/out) h [n] Print (or set) shell history ls ["path"[,long]] List contents of directory 11 ["path"] List contents of directory - long format pwd Print working path rename "old", "new" Change name of file rm ["name"] Remove (delete) a file shellLock Lock or unlock shell command interface version Print Version info whoami Print user name clearReservation [devId] Clear reservation on a target (may reset target) diagBoot Shutdown and restart in diagnostic mode initializeBox Delete all device maps, restore factory defaults, reboot ridTag ["value"] Display and set serial number of replaced base unit disableCC [option] Disable Command and Control Interface option 1 - Report as Invalid (AIX mode) option 2 - Fully disabled enableCC Enable Command and Control Interface scsiRescan [chan] Rescan SCSI Channel (all if chan not specified) scsiShow Display info for SCSI Channels fcShow Display info for fibre channels fcShowDevs Display devices available on each fibre channel fcShowNames Display Node and Port names for fibre channels hostTypeShow Display Default Host Type settings loggerDump [count] Display Logger Dump Records loggerDumpCurrent [level] Display Logger Dump Records for current boot reboot Shut down and restart reset Restart without shut down setFcScsiChanMask [chan],[scsi],[allow] Set Channel Access Control setFcFrameSize [chan],[size] Set FC Frame Size setFcHardId [chan],[id] Set FC Loop ID setHost [chan],["OS"] Set default host type for FC Channel
OS may be "aix", "nt", "solaris", "hpux" setSnaCCLun Set LUN for Controller Device (typically zero) showBox Display graphic of current hardware configuration sysConfigShow Display System Config Parameters sysVpdShow Display Vital Product Data sysVpdShowAll Display Vital Product Data for all subsystems targets List all known target devices uptime Display time since last boot

#### hlthChkHelp

The **hlthChkHelp** command displays a list of the health check commands, as the following example shows.

```
Router > hlthChkHelp
hlthChkIntervalGet - Show Check Interval
hlthChkIntervalSet <interval> - Set Check Interval
hlthChkLevelGet - Show Check Level
hlthChkLevelSet <level> - Set Check Level
hlthChkNow - Run Health Check Now
```

#### hlthChkNow

The command causes the SDG Router to run an immediate, level 4 health check. Results display that indicate which devices or subsystems failed the check.

Router> hlthChkNow

#### loggerDump [number]

The **loggerDump** command dumps records from the system event log to the console. You can use a numeric parameter to indicate the number of events to display. With no parameter specified, all events in the log file display starting with the most recent events, as the following example shows.

```
Router > loggerDump 4
*** Dumping 4 (1018 through 1021) of 1021 records ***
000008 1018 0d:00h:00m:07s:22t -- SCSI 2: Bus RESET
000009 1019 0d:00h:00m:07s:22t -- Target device added: index 0, handle 0xc0ec2600
000010 1020 0d:00h:00m:08s:18t -- Target device added: index 10, handle 0xc0ad2590
000011 1021 0d:00h:00m:08s:28t -- SCSI 2: New Device at Id 6, Lun 0
Router >
```

#### loggerDumpCurrent [level]

The **loggerDumpCurrent** command dumps records from the system event log to the console. Only the records that were logged since the system was last started are dumped. Level specifies the event log level for the events as shown in Table 61.

Level	Name	Explanation
0	Private	Events that are never shown by the remote event viewer but are recorded in the SDG Router event log
1	Notice	Conditions that should always be reported, such as temperature alarms and device removals
2	Warning	Events that might result in a later problem
3	Information	Events that are not errors or warnings

Table 61. SDG Router event log levels

The following example shows a dump after a typical start sequence with four target devices added (one additional device shows, which is the command and control LUN of the SDG Router itself).

```
Router > loggerDumpCurrent 1

*** Dumping 9 (1010 through 1018) current records with level >= 0 ***

000001 0d:00h:00m:05s:56t -- NOTICE: CS and LOGGING STARTED

000002 0d:00h:00m:07s:19t -- FCAL 1: LIP occurred

000003 0d:00h:00m:07s:21t -- FCAL 1: Loop up

000004 0d:00h:00m:07s:22t -- SCSI 1: Bus RESET

000006 0d:00h:00m:07s:22t -- SCSI 2: Bus RESET

000006 0d:00h:00m:07s:22t -- Target device added:index 0, handle 0xc0ec2600

000007 0d:00h:00m:08s:18t -- Target device added: index 9, handle 0xc1f9e090

000008 0d:00h:00m:08s:18t -- Target device added: index 10, handle 0xc0ad2590

000009 0d:00h:00m:08s:28t -- SCSI 2: New Device at Id 6, Lun 0

value = 0 = 0x0

Router >
```

#### macShow

The **macShow** command displays the media access control (MAC) address for the Ethernet interface, as the following example shows.

```
Router > macShow
Enet MAC Address: 0.60.45.d.0.80
value = 33 = 0x21 = ©!©
Router >
```

#### mapShowDatabase

The SDG Router maintains a database of attached devices to ensure that each time a host attaches to the SDG Router, the target devices are seen at a consistent address. The database lists not only the devices presently connected, but also devices that were previously connected. If a previously attached device is later reattached, it is assigned its previous address. Use the **mapShowDatabase** command to display the persistent device map table.

```
Router > mapShowDatabase
devId Type Chan tId tLun UID
_____
                                      --------
000 SNA 127 127 127 00000060:450d00c0
001 SCSI 001 003 000 0000060:450d00c0
002 SCSI 001 002 000 0000060:450d00c0
003 SCSI 001 001 000 00000060:450d00c0
004 SCSI 002 002 000 0000060:450d00c0
005 SCSI 002 000 000 0000060:450d00c0
006 SCSI 002 006 000 0000060:450d00c0
007 SCSI 002 009 000 00000060:450d00c0
008 SCSI 002 002 001 00000060:450d00c0
009 SCSI 002 005 000 0000060:450d00c0
010 SCSI 002 005 001 0000060:450d00c0
011 SCSI 001 000 000 0000060:450d00c0
012 SCSI 001 006 000 0000060:450d00c0
value = 0 = 0x0
Router >
```

The following list describes the example fields:

devId The index of the device in the database

**Type** The type of interface where the device is connected. SNA indicates an internal device. SCSI or fibre channel indicate I/O interfaces.

Chan The channel number of the interface where the device is attached

tId Target ID mapping for SCSI initiators

tLun Target LUN mapping for SCSI initiators

**UID** For a fibre channel interface, the unique ID of the device. For SCSI interface, the unique ID of the SDG Router.

#### mapShowDevs

The SDG Router maintains a cross-reference map of device addresses. You can display Information about the presently attached and available devices in the map by using the **mapShowDevs** command.

The following list describes the example fields:

devId The index of the device in the database

Type The type of interface where the device is attached to the SDG Router

Chan The channel number of the interface

iId For a SCSI interface only, device ID of the device

tLun For a SCSI interface only, the LUN of the device

**UID** For a fibre channel interface, unique ID of the device. For SCSI interface, a constructed unique ID based on the unique ID of SDG Router.

tId Target ID mapping for SCSI initiators

tLun Target LUN mapping for SCSI initiators

Handle An internal pointer used for some diagnostic operations

Itl An internal pointer used for some diagnostic operations

#### normalBoot

Certain commands and tests are only available in diagnostic mode. Switching to diagnostic mode saves all configuration parameters so that they are restored before returning to normal operation. Use the **normalBoot** command to restore the SDG Router to normal operating conditions.

This command is used only to transition a SDG Router from the special diagnostic mode to normal operations. It restores the boot parameters that were copied by **diagBoot**. The new persistent device map is erased, and the original map file is renamed config/device.map restoring it for use when the SDG Router restarts. The **normalBoot** command then restarts the SDG Router.

#### reboot

The **reboot** command requests that the SDG Router shut down existing operations and then restart. This is the preferred method of restarting the SDG Router. There are processes running within the SDG Router that might have writes pending to files within the SDG Router's flash file system. Following a **reboot** command, these processes flush their data to the flash file system, and the flash file system writes all pending data out to the flash memory. The SDG Router starts a reset cycle only after all pending data has been successfully written to the flash file system.

Router > reboot

scsiRescan [channel]

The **scsiRescan** command requests a SCSIrescan to look for new devices. If channel is specified (1 or 2), then only that channel is scanned. If channel is not specified or if channel is 0, then all channels are scanned.

#### Notes:

- 1. Rescanning a SCSI bus can delay I/O commands pending on that bus for several seconds. Do not rescan SCSI buses when this delay cannot be tolerated. If possible, scan only the bus where a new device has been added.
- 2. If a channel is specified, that channel is scanned and the prompt is returned on completion. If no channel is specified (or 0 is specified), SCSI channels 1 and 2 are scanned in sequence and the prompt is returned on completion.
- **3**. When a device is discovered, there can be further device specific initialization that continues after the scan has completed. In this case, the device might not show up immediately when you issue the **fcShowDevs** command. (Tape and changer devices that indicate a ready status are available after the scan is completed.)
- 4. If a SCSI target device requires replacement, remove the old device. Set the new device to the same SCSI bus ID as the old device and attach it to the same channel. Rescan the channel to update the configuration data. The new device should be available to host systems with the same LUN as the old device.

#### scsiShow

The **scsiShow** command lists all SCSI channels and the attached devices for each channel.

The following list describes the example fields:

**ID** The SCSI ID of the target device

LUN The SCSI LUN of the target device

Vendor The content of the Vendor ID field from the SCSI inquiry data

Product The content of the Product ID field from the SCSI inquiry data

Rev The content of the Revision ID field from the SCSI inquiry data

**Sync/Off** The negotiated synchronous transfer period and offset. The period is the negotiated transfer period. Multiply the period times 4 ns. to determine the actual period. However, if the period is negotiated to 12, then 50 ns. is used. The offset indicates the request/acknowledge (REQ/ACK) offset that was negotiated. A zero in these fields indicates that asynchronous transfer is in use.

Width The negotiated transfer width in bits, either 8 or 16

#### showBox

The **showBox** command displays the components currently in the SDG Router using characters to form a picture of the unit, as viewed from the rear. Figure 74 demonstrates how the **showBox** command displays a SDG Router that has a single-port fibre channel PMC installed.

**Note:** For SAN connection port-number assignments, see the *Storage Area Network Data Gateway Router Service Guide*.



Figure 74. SDG Router showBox command output

#### sysConfigShow

The **sysConfigShow** command displays the current system parameter settings.

The display shows whether the SDG Router command and control interface is enabled or disabled. It also shows the LUN that is assigned to it, whether enhanced tape performance features are enabled, the MAC address of the Ethernet port, and the SDG Router fibre channel node address.

```
Router > sysConfigShow
Current System Parameter Settings:
Command and Control Device (CC) : 0 Enabled
LUN : 0
Allow Early Write Status for Tape : 1 Enabled
Allow R/W Acceleration for Tape : 1 Enabled
Enet MAC Address: 0.60.45.16.1.4
FC Node WWN: 10000060.45160104
value =0 =0x0 Router >
```

#### sysVpdShow or sysVpdShowAll

The **sysVpdShow** command displays vital product data (VPD) information. The VPD for the SDG Router includes such items as serial numbers and installed memory sizes.

```
Router > sysVpdShow
====== VPD ======
name SAN Router
uid 00:60:45:16:01:04
s/n 100111
mfg Pathlight Tech
board OntarioII 1.1
" s/n 08357659
flash 2Mbyte
dram 32Mbyte
slot1 10772100 FCOSW
scsi 1: DET 2: DET
EC 0TA08000H
RID Tag
value =0 = 0 \times 0
Router >
```

The following list describes the example fields:

name Product name: up to 16 characters

**uid** Unique Ethernet MAC address of the product: 32 characters displayed as hexadecimal bytes separated by colons

s/n Product serial number: up to 16 characters

mfg Product manufacturer: up to 16 characters

**board** Name of the system board contained in the base unit: up to 16 characters

" s/n System board serial number: up to 16 characters

flash Size of the flash memory on the system board

dram Size of the DRAM on the system board

slot1 Card type installed in SAN connection slot one

**scsi 1** SCSI type for each of the two channels, DET for "differential, terminated" and SET for "single-ended, terminated"

EC Engineering change (EC) level for the system board: up to 16 characters

RID RID tag identifier: up to 16 characters

The **sysVpdShowAll** command shows more information and includes product data for the fibre channel PMC card, as the following example shows.

```
Router > sysVpdShowAll
===[ Vital Product Data ]===
-=[ Base Assembly ]-----
Name SAN Data Gateway Router
Mfg Pathlight Tech
UID 00:60:45:16:01:04
S/N 100111Assy HCO 0TA08000H
Assy HCO OTA08000H
Board OntarioII 1.1
" S/N 08357659
Flash 2 Mbyte
Dram 32 Mbyte
RID Tag 100111
-=[ Slot 1 ]=-----
Type 10772100 FCOSW
S/N 123456
UID 0060.45160065
HC0 SC004120H
value =0 =0x0
Router >
```

#### targets

The SDG Router maintains a list of target devices that are attached to the I/O channels. The **targets** command lists each device that is currently attached and provides a description of each device.

The following list describes the example fields:

Idx Device Index in the target list

Tdev An internal pointer, used for some diagnostic operations

Vendor Content of the Vendor ID field from the SCSI Inquiry Data

Product Content of the Product ID field from the SCSI Inquiry Data

Rev Content of the Revision ID field from the SCSI Inquiry Data

**Type Specific** For each device type, information pertinent to the device

#### version

The SDG Router has software that controls all functions. The **version** command displays the revision of that operating software. The first line displayed is the SDG Router firmware version. The lines that follow pertain to the operating system software version.

```
Router > version
SAN Data Gateway Router Version 0339.11 Built Dec 13 1999, 15:14:14
VxWorks (for Pathlight (i960RD)) version 5.3.1.
Kernel: WIND version 2.5.
value = 26 = 0x1a
Router >|
```

## Diagnostics

The diagnostic suite is a subset of the manufacturing test program. When enabled, the diagnostic suite is capable of performing external loopback testing of all major hardware interfaces (SCSI, fibre channel, and Ethernet).

Toolkit P/N 34L2606 (supplied with the Router) contains the necessary loopback plugs to run the Diagnostics. It includes the following hardware:

- · Service port cable: One RS-232 null-modem cable with 9-pin connectors
- SCSI loopback cable: One short wide-Ultra cable with 68-pin connectors
- Fibre channel: One fibre channel short-wavelength or long-wavelenh fiber-optic loopback plug
- Ethernet: One 10BASE-T Ethernet loopback cable
- Fuses: Two 250 V, 4 A time-lag fuses (type F4AL)

#### **Diagnostic tests**

To verify proper operation of the SDG or whenever a FRU has been replaced, a complete diagnostic check of the router can be performed. It is recommended that you perform these tests prior to returning the SDG Router to the customer.

#### Diagnostic test preparation

Perform the following steps to verify proper operation of the SDG or a replaced FRU:

- 1. Attach the service terminal to the SDG Router.
- 2. Turn on the SDG Router and wait until it has finished the startup cycle.
- 3. From the service terminal, type **diagBoot**.
- 4. Wait until the SDG Router has finished the startup cycle. The Shell prompt should be **diagmode**>.
- 5. From the service terminal, type **showBox**.
- **6**. Verify that the SDG Router is configured according to the customer's requirements:
  - a. If all installed FRUs are shown, go to "Fibre channel tests".
  - b. If all installed FRUs are not shown, see Chapter 3 of the 2108 Model R03 Service Guide (MAP).

#### Fibre channel tests

Perform the following steps to verify proper fibre channel operation:

- 1. Attach the fibre channel loopback plug to the card in PMC slot 1. (You can also use the plug from FAStT MSJ).
  - **Note:** This test works only if the card is an ISP2200. If the card is an ISP 2100, the following error displays: Card in slot 0 is not fibre channel. You can also run FAStT MSJ to verify if the SDG Router is being detected. However, you cannot run the diagnostics (Loopback and Read/Write Buffer test) on the SDG Router.
- 2. From the service terminal, type fcSlotTest 1

- a. If the **fcSlotTest** test completes successfully, remove the loopback plug and go to "SCSI test".
- b. If not, see Chapter 3 of the 2108 Model R03 Service Guide (MAP).

#### SCSI test

Perform the following steps to verify proper SCSI operation:

- 1. If there is only one SCSI interface installed, proceed to "Ethernet Test".
- 2. Attach the SCSI loopback cable to SCSI channels 1 and 2.
- 3. From the service terminal, type scsiChannelTest 1, 2.
  - a. If the test completes successfully, go to step 4.
  - b. If not, see Chapter 3 of the 2108 Model R03 Service Guide (MAP).
- 4. Remove the SCSI loopback cable.
- 5. Proceed to "Ethernet Test".

#### Ethernet test

Perform the following steps to verify proper Ethernet operation:

- 1. Obtain the SDG Router Ethernet network parameters from the customer. Configure the Ethernet port host name, address, routes, and enable the Ethernet. See the IBM TotalStorage FAStT Product Installation Guide.
- 2. Attach the Ethernet loopback plug to the Ethernet port.
- **3**. From the service terminal, type **elTest**.
- 4. If the test completes successfully, go to step 5. If not, see Chapter 3 of the 2108 Model R03 Service Guide (MAP).
- 5. Remove the Ethernet loopback plug.

#### Verifying SDG Router operation

Perform the following steps to verify proper SDG operation:

- 1. From the service terminal, type normalBoot.
- 2. Wait until the SDG Router has finished the startup cycle. The Ready light should be blinking once every second, indicating the SDG Router POST was successful. If the light remains on or is off, see Chapter 3 of the 2108 Model R03 Service Guide (MAP).
#### **Appendix.** Power cords

For your safety, IBM provides a power cord with a grounded attachment plug to use with this IBM product. To avoid electrical shock, always use the power cord and plug with a properly grounded outlet.

IBM power cords used in the United States and Canada are listed by Underwriter's Laboratories (UL) and certified by the Canadian Standards Association (CSA).

For units intended to be operated at 115 volts: Use a UL-listed and CSA-certified cord set consisting of a minimum 18 AWG, Type SVT or SJT, three-conductor cord, a maximum of 15 feet in length and a parallel blade, grounding-type attachment plug rated 15 amperes, 125 volts.

For units intended to be operated at 230 volts (U.S. use): Use a UL-listed and CSA-certified cord set consisting of a minimum 18 AWG, Type SVT or SJT, three-conductor cord, a maximum of 15 feet in length and a tandem blade, grounding-type attachment plug rated 15 amperes, 250 volts.

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IBM power cord part number	Cord specifics	<b>Used in these countries or regions</b> Australia, Fiji, Kiribati, Nauru, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea		
13F9940	250V/10A 2.8M			
13F9979	250V/10A 2.8M	Afghanistan, Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Angola, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Belgium, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cambodia, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo (Democratic Republic of), Congo (Republi of), Cote D'Ivoire (Ivory Coast), Croatia (Republic of), Czech Rep, Dahomey, Djibouti, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Estonia, Ethiopia, Finland, France, French Guyana, French Polynesia, Gabon, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Guadeloupe, Guinea, Guinea Bissau, Hungary, Iceland, Indonesia, Iran, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Laos (Peoples Democratic Republic of), Latvia, Lebanon, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Macedonia (former Yugoslav Republic of), Madagascar, Mali, Martinique, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mayotte, Moldova (Republic of), Monaco, Mongolia, Morocco, Mozambique, Netherlands, New Caledonia, Niger Norway, Poland, Portugal, Reunion, Romania, Russian Federation Rwanda, Sao Tome and Principe, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia (Republic of), Somalia, Spain, Suriname, Sweden, SSyrian Arab Replublic, Tajikistan, Tahiti, Togo, Tunisia, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Upper Volta, Uzbekistan, Vanuatu, Vietnam, Wallis and Futuna, Yugoslavia (Federal Republic of), Zaire		

IBM power cords for a specific country or region are usually available only in that country or region.

IBM power cord part number	Cord specifics	Used in these countries or regions				
13F9997	250V/10A 2.8M	Denmark				
14F0015	250V/10A 2.8M	Bangladesh, Lesotho, Maceo, Maldives, Namibia, Nepal, Pakistan, Samoa, South Africa, Sri Lanka, Swaziland, Uganda				
14F0033	250V/10A 2.8M	Abu Dhabi, Bahrain, Botswana, Brunei Darussalam, Channel Islands, Cyprus, Dominica, Gambia, Ghana, Grenada, Guyana, Hong Kong S.A.R. of China, Iraq, Ireland, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Liberia, Malawi, Malaysia, Malta, Myanmar (Burma), Nigeria, Oman, Qatar, Saint Kitts & Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Sudan, Tanzania (United Republic of), Trinidad & Tobago, United Arab Emirates (Dubai), United Kingdom, Yemen, Zambia, Zimbabwe				
14F0051	250V/10A 2.8M	Liechtenstein, Switzerland				
14F0069	250V/10A 2.8M	Chile, Italy, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya				
14F0087	250V/10A 2.8M	Israel				
1838574	250V/10A 2.8M	Antigua and Barbuda, Aruba, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bermuda, Bolivia, Brazil, Caicos Islands, Canada, Cayman Islands, Costa Rica, Columbia, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guam, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Japan, Mexico, Micronesia (Federal States of), Netherlands Antilles, Nicaragua, Panama, Peru, Philippines, Taiwan, United States, Venezuela				
36L8880	250V/10A 2.8M	Argentina, Paraguay, Uruguay				
02K0546	250V/6A 2.8M	PRC (China)				
6952300	125V/10A 2.8M	Antigua and Barbuda, Aruba, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bermuda, Bolivia, Cayman Islands, Costa Rica, Columbia, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guam,				
6952301	125V/10A 1.8M	<ul> <li>Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Mexico, Micronesia (Federal States of), Netherlands Antilles, Nicaragua, Panama, Peru, Philippines, Saudi Arabia, Taiwan, Thailar Turks and Caicos Islands, United States, Venezuela</li> </ul>				

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#### See also

Refers you to a related term.

**Abstract Windowing Toolkit (AWT).** A Java graphical user interface (GUI).

accelerated graphics port (AGP). A bus specification that gives low-cost 3D graphics cards faster access to main memory on personal computers than the usual peripheral component interconnect (PCI) bus. AGP reduces the overall cost of creating high-end graphics subsystems by using existing system memory.

**access volume.** A special logical drive that allows the host-agent to communicate with the controllers in the storage subsystem.

**adapter.** A printed circuit assembly that transmits user data input/output (I/O) between the internal bus of the host system and the external fibre-channel (FC) link and vice versa. Also called an I/O adapter, host adapter, or FC adapter.

**advanced technology (AT) bus architecture.** A bus standard for IBM compatibles. It extends the XT bus architecture to 16 bits and also allows for bus mastering, although only the first 16 MB of main memory are available for direct access.

**agent.** A server program that receives virtual connections from the network manager (the client program) in a Simple Network Management Protocol-Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol (SNMP-TCP/IP) network-managing environment.

AGP. See accelerated graphics port.

AL\_PA. See arbitrated loop physical address.

**arbitrated loop.** One of three existing fibre-channel topologies, in which 2 - 126 ports are interconnected serially in a single loop circuit. Access to the Fibre Channel-Arbitrated Loop (FC-AL) is controlled by an arbitration scheme. The FC-AL topology supports all classes of service and guarantees in-order delivery of FC frames when the originator and responder are on the same FC-AL. The default topology for the disk array is arbitrated loop. An arbitrated loop is sometimes referred to as a Stealth Mode.

**arbitrated loop physical address (AL\_PA).** An 8-bit value that is used to uniquely identify an individual port within a loop. A loop can have one or more AL\_PAs.

**array.** A set of fibre-channel hard drives that are logically grouped together to form a redundant array of independent disks (RAID) set.

**asynchronous write mode.** In remote mirroring, an option that allows the primary controller to return a write I/O request completion to the host server before data has been successfully written by the secondary controller. See also *synchronous write mode, remote mirroring, Global Copy,Global Mirroring.* 

**AT.** See advanced technology (AT) bus architecture.

ATA. See *AT*-attached.

**AT-attached.** Peripheral devices that are compatible with the original IBM AT computer standard in which signals on a 40-pin AT-attached (ATA) ribbon cable followed the timings and constraints of the Industry

Standard Architecture (ISA) system bus on the IBM PC AT computer. Equivalent to integrated drive electronics (IDE).

#### auto-volume transfer/auto-disk transfer (AVT/ADT).

A function that provides automatic failover in case of controller failure on a storage subsystem.

AVT/ADT. See auto-volume transfer/auto-disk transfer.

AWT. See Abstract Windowing Toolkit.

**basic input/output system (BIOS).** The personal computer code that controls basic hardware operations, such as interactions with diskette drives, hard disk drives, and the keyboard.

**BIOS.** See basic input/output system.

**BOOTP.** See *bootstrap protocol*.

**bootstrap protocol (BOOTP).** In Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) networking, an alternative protocol by which a diskless machine can obtain its Internet Protocol (IP) address and such configuration information as IP addresses of various servers from a BOOTP server.

**bridge.** A storage area network (SAN) device that provides physical and transport conversion, such as fibre channel to small computer system interface (SCSI) bridge.

**bridge group.** A bridge and the collection of devices connected to it.

**broadcast.** The simultaneous transmission of data to more than one destination.

**cathode ray tube (CRT).** A display device in which controlled electron beams are used to display alphanumeric or graphical data on an electroluminescent screen.

**client.** A computer system or process that requests a service of another computer system or process that is typically referred to as a server. Multiple clients can share access to a common server.

**command.** A statement used to initiate an action or start a service. A command consists of the command name abbreviation, and its parameters and flags if applicable. A command can be issued by typing it on a command line or selecting it from a menu.

**community string.** The name of a community contained in each Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) message.

**concurrent download.** A method of downloading and installing firmware that does not require the user to stop I/O to the controllers during the process.

**CRT.** See *cathode ray tube*.

CRU. See customer replaceable unit.

**customer replaceable unit (CRU).** An assembly or part that a customer can replace in its entirety when any of its components fail. Contrast with *field replaceable unit (FRU)*.

**cyclic redundancy check (CRC).** (1) A redundancy check in which the check key is generated by a cyclic algorithm. (2) An error detection technique performed at both the sending and receiving stations.

dac. See disk array controller.

dar. See disk array router.

**DASD.** See direct access storage device.

**default host group.** A logical collection of discovered host ports, defined host computers, and defined host groups in the storage-partition topology that fulfill the following requirements:

- Are not involved in specific logical drive-to-LUN mappings
- Share access to logical drives with default logical drive-to-LUN mappings

**device type.** Identifier used to place devices in the physical map, such as the switch, hub, or storage.

DHCP. See Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol.

direct access storage device (DASD). A device in which access time is effectively independent of the location of the data. Information is entered and retrieved without reference to previously accessed data. (For example, a disk drive is a DASD, in contrast with a tape drive, which stores data as a linear sequence.) DASDs include both fixed and removable storage devices.

**direct memory access (DMA).** The transfer of data between memory and an input/output (I/O) device without processor intervention.

**disk array controller (dac).** A disk array controller device that represents the two controllers of an array. See also *disk array router*.

**disk array router (dar).** A disk array router that represents an entire array, including current and deferred paths to all logical unit numbers (LUNs) (hdisks on AIX). See also *disk array controller*.

DMA. See direct memory access.

**domain.** The most significant byte in the node port (N\_port) identifier for the fibre-channel (FC) device. It is not used in the fibre channel-small computer system

**CRC.** See cyclic redundancy check.

interface (FC-SCSI) hardware path ID. It is required to be the same for all SCSI targets logically connected to an FC adapter.

DRAM. See dynamic random access memory.

**Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP).** A protocol defined by the Internet Engineering Task Force that is used for dynamically assigning Internet Protocol (IP) addresses to computers in a network.

**dynamic random access memory (DRAM).** A storage in which the cells require repetitive application of control signals to retain stored data.

ECC. See error correction coding.

**EEPROM.** See electrically erasable programmable read-only memory.

EISA. See Extended Industry Standard Architecture.

electrically erasable programmable read-only memory (EEPROM). A type of memory chip which can retain its contents without consistent electrical power. Unlike the PROM which can be programmed only once, the EEPROM can be erased electrically. Because it can only be reprogrammed a limited number of times before it wears out, it is appropriate for storing small amounts of data that are changed infrequently.

**electrostatic discharge (ESD).** The flow of current that results when objects that have a static charge come into close enough proximity to discharge.

environmental services monitor (ESM) canister. A component in a drive enclosure that monitors the environmental condition of the components in that enclosure. Not all storage subsystems have ESM canisters.

**E\_port.** See *expansion port*.

**error correction coding (ECC).** A method for encoding data so that transmission errors can be detected and corrected by examining the data on the receiving end. Most ECCs are characterized by the maximum number of errors they can detect and correct.

**ESD.** See *electrostatic discharge*.

**ESM canister.** See *environmental services monitor canister.* 

EXP. See expansion unit.

**expansion port (E\_port).** A port that connects the switches for two fabrics.

**expansion unit (EXP).** A feature that can be connected to a system unit to provide additional storage and processing capacity.

**Extended Industry Standard Architecture (EISA).** A bus standard for IBM compatibles that extends the Industry Standard Architecture (ISA) bus architecture to 32 bits and allows more than one central processing unit (CPU) to share the bus. See also *Industry Standard Architecture*.

**fabric.** A Fibre Channel entity which interconnects and facilitates logins of N\_ports attached to it. The fabric is responsible for routing frames between source and destination N\_ports using address information in the frame header. A fabric can be as simple as a point-to-point channel between two N-ports, or as complex as a frame-routing switch that provides multiple and redundant internal pathways within the fabric between F\_ports.

**fabric port (F\_port).** In a fabric, an access point for connecting a user's N\_port. An F\_port facilitates N\_port logins to the fabric from nodes connected to the fabric. An F\_port is addressable by the N\_port connected to it. See also *fabric*.

FAStT MSJ. See FAStT Management Suite Java.

**FAStT Management Suite Java (FAStT MSJ).** A diagnostic and configuration utility that can be used on Linux, Microsoft Windows, and Novell NetWare host systems. In Linux, it is also used with the QLRemote agent to define preferred and non-preferred paths for logical drives.

FC. See fibre channel.

FC-AL. See arbitrated loop.

**feature enable identifier.** A unique identifier for the storage subsystem, which is used in the process of generating a premium feature key. See also *premium feature key*.

**fibre channel (FC).** A set of standards for a serial input/output (I/O) bus capable of transferring data between two ports at up to 100 Mbps, with standards proposals to go to higher speeds. FC supports point-to-point, arbitrated loop, and switched topologies.

**Fibre Channel-Arbitrated Loop (FC-AL).** See *arbitrated loop*.

Fibre Channel Protocol (FCP) for small computer system interface (SCSI). A high-level fibre-channel mapping layer (FC-4) that uses lower-level fibre-channel (FC-PH) services to transmit SCSI commands, data, and status information between a SCSI initiator and a SCSI target across the FC link by using FC frame and sequence formats.

**field replaceable unit (FRU).** An assembly that is replaced in its entirety when any one of its components fails. In some cases, a field replaceable unit might contain other field replaceable units. Contrast with *customer replaceable unit (CRU)*.

**FlashCopy.** A premium feature for FAStT that can make an instantaneous copy of the data in a volume.

**F\_port.** See *fabric port*.

FRU. See field replaceable unit.

GBIC. See gigabit interface converter

**gigabit interface converter (GBIC).** A transceiver that performs serial, optical-to-electrical, and electrical-to-optical signal conversions for high-speed networking. A GBIC can be hot swapped. See also *small form-factor pluggable*.

**Global Copy.** Refers to a remote logical drive mirror pair that is set up using asynchronous write mode without the write consistency group option. This is also referred to as "Asynchronous Mirroring without Consistency Group." Global Copy does not ensure that write requests to multiple primary logical drives are carried out in the same order on the secondary logical drives as they are on the primary logical drives. If it is critical that writes to the primary logical drives are carried out in the same order in the appropriate secondary logical drives, Global Mirroring should be used instead of Global Copy. See also *asynchronous write mode, Global Mirroring, remote mirroring, Metro Mirroring*.

**Global Mirroring.** Refers to a remote logical drive mirror pair that is set up using asynchronous write mode with the write consistency group option. This is also referred to as "Asynchronous Mirroring with Consistency Group." Global Mirroring ensures that write requests to multiple primary logical drives are carried out in the same order on the secondary logical drives as they are on the primary logical drives, preventing data on the secondary logical drives from becoming inconsistent with the data on the primary logical drives. See also *asynchronous write mode, Global Copy, remote mirroring, Metro Mirroring*.

**graphical user interface (GUI).** A type of computer interface that presents a visual metaphor of a real-world scene, often of a desktop, by combining high-resolution graphics, pointing devices, menu bars and other menus, overlapping windows, icons, and the object-action relationship.

GUI. See graphical user interface.

HBA. See host bus adapter.

hdisk. An AIX term representing a logical unit number (LUN) on an array.

**host.** A system that is directly attached to the storage subsystem through a fibre-channel input/output (I/O) path. This system is used to serve data (typically in the form of files) from the storage subsystem. A system can be both a storage management station and a host simultaneously.

**host bus adapter (HBA).** An interface between the fibre-channel network and a workstation or server.

host computer. See host.

**host group.** An entity in the storage partition topology that defines a logical collection of host computers that require shared access to one or more logical drives.

**host port.** Ports that physically reside on the host adapters and are automatically discovered by the FAStT Storage Manager software. To give a host computer access to a partition, its associated host ports must be defined.

**hot swap.** To replace a hardware component without turning off the system.

**hub.** In a network, a point at which circuits are either connected or switched. For example, in a star network, the hub is the central node; in a star/ring network, it is the location of wiring concentrators.

**IBMSAN driver.** The device driver that is used in a Novell NetWare environment to provide multipath input/output (I/O) support to the storage controller.

IC. See integrated circuit.

**IDE.** See integrated drive electronics.

**in-band.** Transmission of management protocol over the fibre-channel transport.

**Industry Standard Architecture (ISA).** Unofficial name for the bus architecture of the IBM PC/XT personal computer. This bus design included expansion slots for plugging in various adapter boards. Early versions had an 8-bit data path, later expanded to 16 bits. The "Extended Industry Standard Architecture" (EISA) further expanded the data path to 32 bits. See also *Extended Industry Standard Architecture*.

**initial program load (IPL).** The initialization procedure that causes an operating system to commence operation. Also referred to as a system restart, system startup, and boot.

**integrated circuit (IC).** A microelectronic semiconductor device that consists of many interconnected transistors and other components. ICs are constructed on a small rectangle cut from a silicon crystal or other semiconductor material. The small size of these circuits allows high speed, low power dissipation, and reduced manufacturing cost compared with board-level integration. Also known as a *chip*.

**integrated drive electronics (IDE).** A disk drive interface based on the 16-bit IBM personal computer Industry Standard Architecture (ISA) in which the controller electronics reside on the drive itself, eliminating the need for a separate adapter card. Also known as an Advanced Technology Attachment Interface (ATA).

**Internet Protocol (IP).** A protocol that routes data through a network or interconnected networks. IP acts as an intermediary between the higher protocol layers and the physical network.

**Internet Protocol (IP) address.** The unique 32-bit address that specifies the location of each device or workstation on the Internet. For example, 9.67.97.103 is an IP address.

**interrupt request (IRQ).** A type of input found on many processors that causes the processor to suspend normal processing temporarily and start running an interrupt handler routine. Some processors have several interrupt request inputs that allow different priority interrupts.

**IP.** See Internet Protocol.

IPL. See initial program load.

**IRQ.** See *interrupt request*.

**ISA.** See Industry Standard Architecture.

**isolated group.** A collection of isolated devices not connected to the storage area network (SAN) but discovered by the SANavigator tool. The isolated group displays with a gray background near the bottom of the Physical and Data Path maps.

**Java Runtime Environment (JRE).** A subset of the Java Development Kit (JDK) for end users and developers who want to redistribute the Java Runtime Environment (JRE). The JRE consists of the Java virtual machine, the Java Core Classes, and supporting files.

JRE. See Java Runtime Environment.

**label.** A discovered or user entered property value that is displayed underneath each device in the Physical and Data Path maps.

LAN. See local area network.

LBA. See logical block address.

**local area network (LAN).** A computer network located on a user's premises within a limited geographic area.

**logical block address (LBA).** The address of a logical block. Logical block addresses are typically used in hosts' I/O commands. The SCSI disk command protocol, for example, uses logical block addresses.

**logical partition (LPAR).** (1) A subset of a single system that contains resources (processors, memory, and input/output devices). A logical partition operates as an independent system. If hardware requirements

are met, multiple logical partitions can exist within a system. (2) A fixed-size portion of a logical volume. A logical partition is the same size as the physical partitions in its volume group. Unless the logical volume of which it is a part is mirrored, each logical partition corresponds to, and its contents are stored on, a single physical partition. (3) One to three physical partitions (copies). The number of logical partitions within a logical volume is variable.

**logical unit number (LUN).** An identifier used on a small computer system interface (SCSI) bus to distinguish among up to eight devices (logical units) with the same SCSI ID.

**loop address.** The unique ID of a node in fibre-channel loop topology sometimes referred to as a loop ID.

**loop group.** A collection of storage area network (SAN) devices that are interconnected serially in a single loop circuit. Loop groups are discovered by the SANavigator tool and displayed with a gray background on the Physical and Data Path maps.

**loop port.** A node port (N\_port) or fabric port (F\_port) that supports arbitrated loop functions associated with an arbitrated loop topology.

LPAR. See logical partition.

LUN. See logical unit number.

MAC. See *medium access control*.

**management information base (MIB).** The information that is on an agent. It is an abstraction of configuration and status information.

**man pages.** In UNIX-based operating systems, online documentation for operating system commands, subroutines, system calls, file formats, special files, stand-alone utilities, and miscellaneous facilities. Invoked by the **man** command.

MCA. See micro channel architecture.

**media scan.** A media scan is a background process that runs on all logical drives in the storage subsystem for which it has been enabled, providing error detection on the drive media. The media scan process scans all logical drive data to verify that it can be accessed, and optionally scans the logical drive data also.

**medium access control (MAC).** In local area networks (LANs), the sublayer of the data link control layer that supports medium-dependent functions and uses the services of the physical layer to provide services to the logical link control sublayer. The MAC sublayer includes the method of determining when a device has access to the transmission medium.

**Metro Mirroring.** This term is used to refer to a remote logical drive mirror pair which is set up with synchronous write mode. See also *remote mirroring*, *Global Mirroring*.

MIB. See management information base.

**micro channel architecture (MCA).** Hardware that is used for PS/2 Model 50 computers and above to provide better growth potential and performance characteristics when compared with the original personal computer design.

**Microsoft Cluster Server (MSCS).** MSCS, a feature of Windows NT Server (Enterprise Edition), supports the connection of two servers into a cluster for higher availability and easier manageability. MSCS can automatically detect and recover from server or application failures. It can also be used to balance server workload and provide for planned maintenance.

**model.** The model identification that is assigned to a device by its manufacturer.

MSCS. See Microsoft Cluster Server.

**network management station (NMS).** In the Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP), a station that runs management application programs that monitor and control network elements.

**NMI.** See *non-maskable interrupt*.

NMS. See network management station.

**non-maskable interrupt (NMI).** A hardware interrupt that another service request cannot overrule (mask). An NMI bypasses and takes priority over interrupt requests generated by software, the keyboard, and other such devices and is issued to the microprocessor only in disastrous circumstances, such as severe memory errors or impending power failures.

**node.** A physical device that allows for the transmission of data within a network.

**node port (N\_port).** A fibre-channel defined hardware entity that performs data communications over the fibre-channel link. It is identifiable by a unique worldwide name. It can act as an originator or a responder.

**nonvolatile storage (NVS).** A storage device whose contents are not lost when power is cut off.

**N\_port.** See *node port*.

**NVS.** See *nonvolatile storage*.

**NVSRAM.** Nonvolatile storage random access memory. See *nonvolatile storage*.

**Object Data Manager (ODM).** An AIX proprietary storage mechanism for ASCII stanza files that are edited as part of configuring a drive into the kernel.

**ODM.** See Object Data Manager.

**out-of-band.** Transmission of management protocols outside of the fibre-channel network, typically over Ethernet.

partitioning. See storage partition.

**PCI local bus.** See *peripheral component interconnect local bus.* 

**PDF.** See portable document format.

**performance events.** Events related to thresholds set on storage area network (SAN) performance.

peripheral component interconnect local bus (PCI local bus). A local bus for PCs, from Intel, that provides a high-speed data path between the CPU and up to 10 peripherals (video, disk, network, and so on). The PCI bus coexists in the PC with the Industry Standard Architecture (ISA) or Extended Industry Standard Architecture (EISA) bus. ISA and EISA boards plug into an IA or EISA slot, while high-speed PCI controllers plug into a PCI slot. See also *Industry Standard Architecture, Extended Industry Standard Architecture, Extended Industry Standard Architecture, Extended Industry Standard Architecture, Extended Industry Standard Architecture.* 

**polling delay.** The time in seconds between successive discovery processes during which discovery is inactive.

**port.** A part of the system unit or remote controller to which cables for external devices (such as display stations, terminals, printers, switches, or external storage units) are attached. The port is an access point for data entry or exit. A device can contain one or more ports.

**portable document format (PDF).** A standard specified by Adobe Systems, Incorporated, for the electronic distribution of documents. PDF files are compact; can be distributed globally by e-mail, the Web, intranets, or CD-ROM; and can be viewed with the Acrobat Reader, which is software from Adobe Systems that can be downloaded at no cost from the Adobe Systems home page.

**premium feature key.** A file that the storage subsystem controller uses to enable an authorized premium feature. The file contains the feature enable identifier of the storage subsystem for which the premium feature is authorized, and data about the premium feature. See also *feature enable identifier*.

**private loop.** A freestanding arbitrated loop with no fabric attachment. See also *arbitrated loop*.

**program temporary fix (PTF).** A temporary solution or bypass of a problem diagnosed by IBM in a current unaltered release of the program.

**PTF.** See program temporary fix.

RAID. See redundant array of independent disks.

RAM. See random-access memory.

random-access memory (RAM). A temporary storage location in which the central processing unit (CPU) stores and executes its processes. Contrast with *DASD*.

**RDAC.** See *redundant disk array controller*.

**read-only memory (ROM).** Memory in which stored data cannot be changed by the user except under special conditions.

**recoverable virtual shared disk (RVSD).** A virtual shared disk on a server node configured to provide continuous access to data and file systems in a cluster.

**redundant array of independent disks (RAID).** A collection of disk drives that appears as a single volume to the server and are fault tolerant through mirroring or parity checking.

**redundant disk array controller (RDAC).** (1) In hardware, a redundant set of controllers (either active/passive or active/active). (2) In software, a layer that manages the input/output (I/O) through the active controller during normal operation and transparently reroutes I/Os to the other controller in the redundant set if a controller or I/O path fails.

**remote mirroring.** Online, real-time replication of data between storage subsystems that are maintained on separate media. The Enhanced Remote Mirror Option is a FAStT premium feature that provides support for remote mirroring. See also *Global Mirroring*, *Metro Mirroring*.

ROM. See read-only memory.

**router.** A computer that determines the path of network traffic flow. The path selection is made from several paths based on information obtained from specific protocols, algorithms that attempt to identify the shortest or best path, and other criteria such as metrics or protocol-specific destination addresses.

**RVSD.** See recoverable virtual shared disk.

SAI. See Storage Array Identifier.

SA Identifier. See Storage Array Identifier.

**SAN.** See storage area network.

SATA. See serial ATA.

**scope.** Defines a group of controllers by their Internet Protocol (IP) addresses. A scope must be created and defined so that dynamic IP addresses can be assigned to controllers on the network.

**SCSI.** See small computer system interface.

**segmented loop port (SL\_port).** A port that allows division of a fibre-channel private loop into multiple segments. Each segment can pass frames around as an independent loop and can connect through the fabric to other segments of the same loop.

**sense data.** (1) Data sent with a negative response, indicating the reason for the response. (2) Data describing an I/O error. Sense data is presented to a host system in response to a sense request command.

**serial ATA.** The standard for a high-speed alternative to small computer system interface (SCSI) hard drives. The SATA-1 standard is equivalent in performance to a 10 000 RPM SCSI drive.

serial storage architecture (SSA). An interface specification from IBM in which devices are arranged in a ring topology. SSA, which is compatible with small computer system interface (SCSI) devices, allows full-duplex packet multiplexed serial data transfers at rates of 20 Mbps in each direction.

**server.** A functional hardware and software unit that delivers shared resources to workstation client units on a computer network.

**server/device events.** Events that occur on the server or a designated device that meet criteria that the user sets.

SFP. See small form-factor pluggable.

**Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP).** In the Internet suite of protocols, a network management protocol that is used to monitor routers and attached networks. SNMP is an application layer protocol. Information on devices managed is defined and stored in the application's Management Information Base (MIB).

**SL\_port.** See *segmented loop port*.

**SMagent.** The FAStT Storage Manager optional Java-based host-agent software, which can be used on Microsoft Windows, Novell NetWare, HP-UX, and Solaris host systems to manage storage subsystems through the host fibre-channel connection.

**SMclient.** The FAStT Storage Manager client software, which is a Java-based graphical user interface (GUI) that is used to configure, manage, and troubleshoot storage servers and expansion units in a FAStT storage subsystem. SMclient can be used on a host system or on a storage management station.

SMruntime. A Java compiler for the SMclient.

**SMutil.** The FAStT Storage Manager utility software that is used on Microsoft Windows, HP-UX, and Solaris host systems to register and map new logical drives to the operating system. In Microsoft Windows, it also contains a utility to flush the cached data of the operating system for a particular drive before creating a FlashCopy.

**small computer system interface (SCSI).** A standard hardware interface that enables a variety of peripheral devices to communicate with one another.

**small form-factor pluggable (SFP).** An optical transceiver that is used to convert signals between optical fiber cables and switches. An SFP is smaller than a gigabit interface converter (GBIC). See also *gigabit interface converter*.

**SNMP.** See *Simple Network Management Protocol* and *SNMPv1*.

**SNMP time-out.** The maximum amount of time the SANavigator tool will wait for a device to respond to a request. The specified time applies to one retry only.

**SNMP trap event.** (1) (2) An event notification sent by the SNMP agent that identifies conditions, such as thresholds, that exceed a predetermined value. See also *Simple Network Management Protocol.* 

**SNMPv1.** The original standard for SNMP is now referred to as SNMPv1, as opposed to SNMPv2, a revision of SNMP. See also *Simple Network Management Protocol*.

SRAM. See static random access memory.

**SSA.** See serial storage architecture.

static random access memory (SRAM). Random access memory based on the logic circuit know as flip-flop. It is called static because it retains a value as long as power is supplied, unlike dynamic random access memory (DRAM), which must be regularly refreshed. It is however, still volatile, meaning that it can lose its contents when the power is turned off.

**storage area network (SAN).** A dedicated storage network tailored to a specific environment, combining servers, storage products, networking products, software, and services. See also *fabric*.

**Storage Array Identifier (SAI or SA Identifier).** The Storage Array Identifier is the identification value used by the FAStT Storage Manager host software (SMClient) to uniquely identify each managed storage server. The FAStT Storage Manager SMClient program maintains Storage Array Identifier records of previously-discovered storage servers in the host resident file, which allows it to retain discovery information in a persistent fashion. **storage management station.** A system that is used to manage the storage subsystem. A storage management station does not need to be attached to the storage subsystem through the fibre-channel input/output (I/O) path.

**storage partition.** Storage subsystem logical drives that are visible to a host computer or are shared among host computers that are part of a host group.

storage partition topology. In the FAStT Storage Manager client, the Topology view of the Mappings window displays the default host group, the defined host group, the host computer, and host-port nodes. The host port, host computer, and host group topological elements must be defined to grant access to host computers and host groups using logical drive-to-LUN mappings.

**subnet.** An interconnected but independent segment of a network that is identified by its Internet Protocol (IP) address.

**sweep method.** A method of sending Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) requests for information to all the devices on a subnet by sending the request to every device in the network.

**switch.** A fibre-channel device that provides full bandwidth per port and high-speed routing of data by using link-level addressing.

**switch group.** A switch and the collection of devices connected to it that are not in other groups. Switch groups are discovered by the SANavigator tool and displayed with a gray background on the Physical and Data Path maps.

**synchronous write mode.** In remote mirroring, an option that requires the primary controller to wait for the acknowledgment of a write operation from the secondary controller before returning a write I/O request completion to the host. See also *asynchronous write mode, remote mirroring, Metro Mirroring.* 

**system name.** Device name assigned by the vendor's third-party software.

TCP. See Transmission Control Protocol.

**TCP/IP.** See *Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol.* 

**terminate and stay resident program (TSR program).** A program that installs part of itself as an extension of DOS when it is executed.

**topology.** The physical or logical arrangement of devices on a network. The three fibre-channel topologies are fabric, arbitrated loop, and point-to-point. The default topology for the disk array is arbitrated loop.

#### TL\_port. See translated loop port.

**transceiver.** A device that is used to transmit and receive data. Transceiver is an abbreviation of transmitter-receiver.

**translated loop port (TL\_port).** A port that connects to a private loop and allows connectivity between the private loop devices and off loop devices (devices not connected to that particular TL\_port).

#### Transmission Control Protocol (TCP). A

communication protocol used in the Internet and in any network that follows the Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) standards for internetwork protocol. TCP provides a reliable host-to-host protocol between hosts in packed-switched communication networks and in interconnected systems of such networks. It uses the Internet Protocol (IP) as the underlying protocol.

#### Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol

**(TCP/IP).** A set of communication protocols that provide peer-to-peer connectivity functions for both local and wide-area networks.

**trap.** In the Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP), a message sent by a managed node (agent function) to a management station to report an exception condition.

**trap recipient.** Receiver of a forwarded Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) trap. Specifically, a trap receiver is defined by an Internet Protocol (IP) address and port to which traps are sent. Presumably, the actual recipient is a software application running at the IP address and listening to the port.

#### TSR program. See terminate and stay resident program.

**uninterruptible power supply.** A source of power from a battery that is installed between a computer system and its power source. The uninterruptible power supply keeps the system running if a commercial power failure occurs, until an orderly shutdown of the system can be performed.

**user action events.** Actions that the user takes, such as changes in the storage area network (SAN), changed settings, and so on.

**vendor.** Property value that the SANavigator tool uses to launch third-party software. Vendor property might be discovered, but will always remain editable.

**worldwide name (WWN).** A unique identifier for a switch on local and global networks.

WORM. See write-once read-many.

write-once read many (WORM). Any type of storage medium to which data can be written only a single

time, but can be read from any number of times. After the data is recorded, it cannot be altered.

WWN. See worldwide name.

**zoning.** A function that allows segmentation of nodes by address, name, or physical port and is provided by fabric switches or hubs.

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