



Product Bulletin:

Brocade Data Center Fabric Manager (DCFM)—Enterprise Edition

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1. Summary

This product bulletin announces the availability of Brocade Data Center Fabric Manager—Enterprise Edition for first customer ship.

Brocade Data Center Fabric Manager Enterprise manages and secures the flow of data across multiple fabrics from a central view.

2. What's New?

DCFM Enterprise is part of a common framework designed to manage entire data center fabrics, from the storage ports to the HBAs attached to the physical or virtualized servers. DCFM Enterprise is tightly integrated with and expands on the unique capabilities of Brocade Fabric OS (FOS) using features such as Advanced Performance Monitoring, Fabric Watch, and Adaptive Networking services.

3. Sales Tools (Sales Guides, Training Presentations, SE Presentations)

N/A

4. Customer-Ready Tools (Customer Presentations, Datasheets)

N/A

5. System Requirements

Supported Platforms

The latest Brocade support statements can be found at the Brocade Encryption SalesEdge page.

6. Product Information

DCFM Enterprise empowers IT organizations to achieve their goals related to SLAs, security, and compliance while simultaneously containing operating expenses. In addition, it provides unmatched scalability and performance to help IT organizations manage the unrelenting growth of data moving across today's data center networks.

DCFM Enterprise configures and manages Brocade DCX backbones, directors, switches, and extension solutions, as well as Brocade data-at-rest encryption and HBA products.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Centralizes management of Brocade fabrics within and across data centers, including those with different protocols
- Supports server virtualization, including visualizing and setting QoS levels for applications running on virtual machines
- Reduces expenses and maximizes productivity by automating tasks and providing easy-to-use, wizard-driven operations
- Administers SLAs via industry-leading monitoring, troubleshooting, diagnostics, and event notification capabilities
- Secures data flow from applications to storage across data center fabrics by managing user access controls and providing consistent security settings
- Delivers real-time and historical performance monitoring to enable proactive problem diagnosis, maximize resource utilization, and facilitate capacity planning

Part Number	Description	Discount Category Code
SW-BSW-DCFM-ENT-QS	Brocade DCFM, Enterprise Base	J
SW-BSW-DCFM-ENT-UPG	Brocade DCFM, Enterprise upgrade	J
SW-SSP-BRCD-DCFM-ENT	Brocade DCFM, Enterprise Base, SSP	S
SW-SSP-BRCD-DCFM-ENT-UPG	Brocade DCFM, Enterprise upgrade, SSP	S

Quoting

DCFM Enterprise is a must for BES and FS8-18 encryption products from Brocade. An upgrade license will be available for upgrading from the standard version of DCFM.

Downloading

For downloading software go to [NOW Download Software](#).

Product Availability

DCFM Enterprise will be available to quote from October 16, 2008, on.

7. Regulatory Compliance

Products need to be validated against the NetApp Safety/EMI Regulatory Compliance List prior to order

submission. This is required to ensure that products are being sold only in the countries in which NetApp has received regulatory compliance certification.

8. Warranty and Service

Standard software service will be available for DCFM Enterprise.

9. Additional Information

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