

MEDIA ALERT

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InfiniBand Trade Association Announces Growth of Native InfiniBand Storage Market

A report published by The Taneja Group Report highlights sustainable native InfiniBand market growth rate over the next few years

What: The InfiniBand Trade Association (IBTA) will release a report published by the Taneja Group focusing on InfiniBand adoption in the storage market. The report will be released in conjunction with Spring Storage Networking World (SNW)

When: Storage Networking World (SNW) Spring 2008 expo, 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. and 5:40 p.m. to 8:40 p.m. Eastern Tuesday, April 8 and 12:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Eastern Wednesday, April 9.

Where: Storage Networking World (SNW) Spring 2008, The Rosen Shingle Creek Hotel, Orlando, FL.
The report is also available online at www.infinibandta.org/events/SNW.

Key findings to be announced include:

- Native InfiniBand storage market potentially approaching a CAGR of 60% -70% when sampled over the past years
- InfiniBand is simply unmatched for performance today and likely even tomorrow
 - 10Gig Ethernet and FCoE will not match the bandwidth and latency characteristics of InfiniBand
- InfiniBand coupled with modular, scalable storage can build a truly adaptable storage platform that can match even unforeseen future demands

About the InfiniBand Trade Association (IBTA): The InfiniBand Trade Association was founded in 1999 and is chartered with maintaining and furthering the InfiniBand specification. The IBTA is led by a distinguished steering committee that includes Cisco, IBM, Intel, Mellanox, QLogic, Sun and Voltaire. Other members of the IBTA represent leading enterprise IT vendors who are actively contributing to the advancement of the InfiniBand specification. The IBTA actively markets and promotes InfiniBand from an industry perspective through public relations engagements and unites the industry through IBTA-sponsored developer conferences and workshops. For more information on the IBTA, visit: www.infinibandta.org