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### **Intended Readers**

This guide is intended for use by qualified personnel in charge of setting up and starting NovaScale 5xx5 Servers for the first time.

It will also prove useful to qualified personnel in charge of setting up and starting Bull NovaScale 7000 Series and Bull NovaScale 9000 Series servers for the first time.

Chapter 1. Delivery

describes server features and explains delivery unpacking and inspection procedures.

Chapter 2. Setup Procedure

explains the procedures required to set up and start the server for the first time.

Appendix A. Specifications

Appendix B. Conversion Tables

### Highlighting, Abbreviations and Acronyms

The following highlighting conventions are used in this guide:

**Bold** Identifies predefined commands, subroutines, keywords, files,

structures, buttons, labels, and icons.

Identifies referenced publications, chapters, sections, figures,

and tables.

< > Identifies parameters to be supplied by the user.

Abbreviations, acronyms and concepts are documented in the Glossary.

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### **Related Publications**

Site Preparation Guide, 86 A1 87EF

explains how to prepare a Data Processing Center for Bull NovaScale Servers, in compliance with the standards in force. This guide is intended for use by all personnel and trade representatives involved in the site preparation process.

User's Guide, 86 A1 41EM

explains how to use NovaScale 5xx5 Servers. This guide is intended for use by Customer Administrators and Operators.

Maintenance and Service Guide, 86 A7 42EM

explains how to maintain, service, and upgrade NovaScale 5xx5 Servers. This guide is intended for use by qualified support personnel.

Troubleshooting Guide, 86 A7 91EF

explains how to diagnose and solve any problems occurring during Bull NovaScale Server operation. This guide is intended for use by qualified support personnel.

PAM Help Message Guide, 86 A7 32ER

provides the complete collection of PAM Help Messages containing valuable troubleshooting information. This guide is intended for use by qualified support personnel.

Praxidiag Diagnostics Guide, 86 A7 33ER

provides the complete collection solutions to known problems extracted from the Praxidiag database. This guide is intended for use by qualified support personnel.

Cabling Guide, 86 A192ER describes server cabling.

Bull 1300H/L & 1100H/L Cabinets, 86 A1 91EM

explains how to install and fit out rack cabinets for Bull NovaScale Servers and peripheral devices.

Bull NovaScale Series Documentation Overview, 86 A2 27EM describes the hardware, software and online documentation available for Bull NovaScale Servers, related Operating Systems, and licensed programs.

### Mote:

According to server configuration and version, certain features and functions described in this guide may not be accessible. Please contact your Bull Sales Representative for sales information.

### **Regulatory Specifications and Disclaimers**

### **Declaration of the Manufacturer or Importer**

We hereby certify that this product is in compliance with European Union EMC Directive 89/336/EEC, using standards EN55022 (Class A) and EN55024 and Low Voltage Directive 73/23/EEC, using standard EN60950. The product has been marked with the CE Mark to illustrate its compliance.

### **Safety Compliance Statement**

- UL 60950 (USA)
- IEC 60950 (International)
- CSA 60950 (Canada)

### **European Community (EC) Council Directives**

This product is in conformity with the protection requirements of the following EC Council Directives:

### **Electromagnetic Compatibility**

• 89/336/EEC

#### **Low Voltage**

• 73/23/EEC

#### **EC Conformity**

• 93/68/EEC

### **Telecommunications Terminal Equipment**

• 1999/5/EC

Neither the provider nor the manufacturer can accept responsibility for any failure to satisfy the protection requirements resulting from a non-recommended modification of the product.

Compliance with these directives requires:

- an EC declaration of conformity from the manufacturer
- an EC label on the product
- technical documentation

### Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Statement

### ☑ Note

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

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Any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the grantee of this device could void the user's authority to operate the equipment. The customer is responsible for ensuring compliance of the modified product.

### **FCC Declaration of Conformity**

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

### **Canadian Compliance Statement (Industry Canada)**

This Class A digital apparatus meets all requirements of the Canadian Interference Causing Equipment Regulations.

Cet appareil numérique de la classe A est conforme à la norme NMB-003 du Canada.

This product is in conformity with the protection requirements of the following standards:

#### **Electromagnetic Compatibility**

- ICES-003
- NMB-003

### **Laser Compliance Notice**

This product that uses laser technology complies with Class 1 laser requirements.

A CLASS 1 LASER PRODUCT label is located on the laser device.

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### **Definition of Safety Notices**



#### DANGER

A Danger notice indicates the presence of a hazard that has the potential of causing death or serious personal injury.



### **CAUTION:**

A Caution notice indicates the presence of a hazard that has the potential of causing moderate or minor personal injury.



### Warning:

A Warning notice indicates an action that could cause damage to a program, device, system, or data.

### **Electrical Safety**

The following safety instructions shall be observed when connecting or disconnecting devices to the system.



#### DANGER

The Customer is responsible for ensuring that the AC electricity supply is compliant with national and local recommendations, regulations, standards and codes of practice. An incorrectly wired and grounded electrical outlet may place hazardous voltage on metal parts of the system or the devices that attach to the system and result in an electrical shock. It is mandatory to remove power cables from electrical outlets before relocating the system.



#### CAUTION:

This unit has more than one power supply cable. Follow procedures for removal of power from the system when directed.

### **Laser Safety Information**

The optical drive in this system unit is classified as a Class 1 level Laser product. The optical drive has a label that identifies its classification.

The optical drive in this system unit is certified in the U.S. to conform to the requirements of the Department of Health and Human Services 21 Code of Federal Regulations (DHHS 21 CFR) Subchapter J for Class 1 laser products. Elsewhere, the drive is certified to conform to the requirements of the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) 60825-1: 2001 and CENELEC EN 60825-1: 1994 for Class 1 laser products.



#### CAUTION:

Invisible laser radiation when open. Do not stare into beam or view directly with optical instruments.

Class 1 Laser products are not considered to be hazardous. The optical drive contains internally a Class 3B gallium-arsenide laser that is nominally 30 milliwatts at 830 nanometers. The design incorporates a combination of enclosures, electronics, and redundant interlocks such that there is no exposure to laser radiation above a Class 1 level during normal operation, user maintenance, or servicing conditions.

### **Data Integrity and Verification**



#### Warning:

Bull NovaScale Servers are designed to reduce the risk of undetected data corruption or loss. However, if unplanned outages or system failures occur, users are strongly advised to check the accuracy of the operations performed and the data saved or transmitted by the system at the time of outage or failure.

### Waste Management

This product has been built to comply with the Restriction of Certain Hazardous Substances (RoHS) Directive 2002/95/EC.

This product has been built to comply with the Waste Electrical and Electronic (WEEE) Directive 2002/96/EC.

### **Environmental Standards**

### **Climatic and Atmospheric Specifications**

The servers comply with standards:

• IEC 60068.2.1 IEC 60068.2.2 IEC 60068.2.78 IEC 60529 IEC 60950 ISO 7779

### **Electrical Specifications**

The servers comply with standards:

• IEC 60038 IEC 60059 IEC 60196 IEC 60364 IEC 61689

#### **Mains Source Power**

 207-244 VAC, 49 - 61 Hz (single phase Ph / N + PE or Ph / Ph + PE), 20/32/64A per PDU (see model specifications)

#### **Voltage Sag**

• 20 ms (IEC 1000-4-11)

### **Electromagnetic Compatibility**

The servers comply with standards:

Europe:	EMC Directive, 89/336/EEC
	EN55022, Class A Limit, Radiated & Conducted Emissions
	EN55024, ITE Specific Immunity Standard
	EN61000-4-2, ESD Immunity (Level 2 Contact Discharge, Level 3 Air Discharge)
	EN61000-4-3, Radiated Immunity (Level 2)
	EN61000-4-4, Electrical Fast Transient (Level 2)
	• EN61000-4-5, AC Surge
	• EN61000-4-6, Conducted RF
	EN61000-4-8, Power Frequency Magnetic Fields
	EN61000-4-11, Voltage Dips and Interrupts
	EN61000-3-2, Limit for Harmonic Current Emissions
	EN61000-3-3, Voltage Flicker
North America	FCC Part 15 Class A
	ICES-003 Issue 3 Class A

### Bull NovaScale Blade servers also comply with standards:

Japan: IEC 1000-3-2
Australia / New Zealand: IEC 60950
Taiwan: BSMI Approval
Korea: RRL Approval
Russia: GOST Approved
International: CISPR, Class A Limit

### **Protection against Electrostatic Discharges**

CMOS (Complementary Metal Oxide Semiconductor) technology is highly sensitive to electrostatic discharges. The use of conductive antistatic flooring is strongly recommended.

Maintenance personnel must wear wrist-straps before handling electronic equipment. A ground socket is provided in each cabinet.

### **Shocks and Vibrations**

The servers comply with standards:

IEC 60068-1 IEC 60068-2-6 IEC 60068-2-27 IEC 60068-2-31 IEC 60068-2-47 IEC 60068-2-64 IEC 60050 ISO 2041 ISO 5348 ISO 5344 ISO 8626

#### **Operating Mode (on levelers)**

Sinusoidal vibrations:

- Duration: 1 sweep, 1 octave/mn - 5 - 16 Hz range: 0.25 mm peak 16 -200 Hz range: 0.25 g peak

• Random excitation:

- Duration: 15 mn

Frequency: 5 - 200 Hz

Spectral density: 1.5x10<sup>-4</sup> g<sup>2</sup>/Hz

Root mean square acceleration: 0.17g RMS

### Non-operating Mode (on castors)

• Sweep sine:

- Duration: 1 sweep, 1 octave/mn - 5 - 16 Hz range: 0.25 mm peak 16 - 200 Hz range: 0.25 g peak

Random excitation:

- Duration: 15 mn

Frequency: 5 - 200 Hz

Spectral density: 1.5x10<sup>-3</sup> g<sup>2</sup>/Hz

Root mean square acceleration: 0.54g RMS

### **Shock Tests:**

 Duration: 11 ms Form: 1/2 sinusoidal Amplitude: 15 g

### **Pollution Limits**

The servers comply with standard:

• NFX44-101, Class 4 000 000

### **Audio-Noise Limits**

The servers comply with standards:

- ISO 7779
- ISO 11201
- ISO 7574
- ISO 4871
- ISO 9295
- ISO 9296
- IEC 61260
- IEC 60651 (Bull NovaScale 5xx5 Series & Bull NovaScale 5xx5 Series)
- IEC 61672-1 (Bull NovaScale 4000 Series)
- IEC 61672-2 (Bull NovaScale 4000 Series)

### **Operating LwAd Acoustical Power**

• 7.4 Bel

### **Operating Lpa Acoustical Pressure**

• 60 dBA

### **Safety Specifications**

The servers comply with national and international standards:

- IEC 60950
- EN 60950
- UL 60950
- CAN/CSA C22-2 N° 60950-00

### **Installation Flowchart**

This flowchart summarizes main installation and setup procedures.

Unpacking the Server	
Step	OK
Inspect server packing	
Remove server packing	
• Inspect the server	
<ul> <li>Unload the server cabinet(s) and accessories</li> </ul>	
Store packing items	
Installing and Securing the Cabinet	
Step Insidiling and Seconing the Cabiner	OK
Position the cabinet(s)	П

• Secure the cabinet(s) into place

• Remove shipping brackets

Inspecting the Server		
Step	OK	
<ul> <li>Check that the server is not damaged and is compliant with the Purchase Order</li> </ul>		
Inspect internal components and cabling		



Connecting Inter-Cabinet Cables	
Step	OK
Connect server inter-cabinet data cables.	



Connecting the Server to the Power Supply		
Step	OK	
Mount power supply cable sockets		
Connect the server power cables to the dedicated power supply		



Powering up the Server		
Step	OK	
Power on the server to the standby mode		
Launch PAM software		
Check server status		
Test CSS module ring connexions		
<ul> <li>Power up / down the server domain(s)</li> </ul>		
Shut down / restart the server		



Completing PAP Unit Configuration and Operating System Setup		
Step	OK	
Change the PAP unit default name		
Launch the PAP Configuration Setup wizard		
Configure Customer information		
Configure Autocalls		
Connect the PAP unit to the Enterprise LAN		
Complete Operating System setup for the server domain(s)		
Initializing the PAP Unit Backup Disk		



Connecting the Server to the Enterprise LAN and Connecting External Devices		
Step	OK	
Connect the server to the Enterprise LAN		
Connect external peripherals (storage, modem,)		



Confirming Correct Installation		
Step	OK	
Test network connections		
Test Autocalls		
Record site data		
Send the Intervention Report		

## Chapter 1. Delivery

This chapter explains delivery unpacking and inspection procedures. It includes the following topics:

- Overview, on page 1-2
- General Recommendations, on page 1-7
- Unpacking the Server Cabinet, on page 1-8
- Inspecting the Server before Unloading the Cabinet, on page 1-8
- Inspecting Internal Components and Cabling, on page 1-11
- Getting to know the Server, on page 1-12

### **Bull NovaScale Server Overview**

Bull NovaScale Servers for business and scientific applications are based upon the FAME architecture (Flexible Architecture for Multiple Environments), leveraging the latest generation of Intel® Itanium® 2 processors.

Servers are designed to operate as one to eight hardware-independent SMP systems or domains, each running an Operating System instance and a specific set of applications.

According to version, servers are delivered rack-mounted and ready-to-use in high or low cabinets.



Figure 1. Bull NovaScale Server cabinets

### **Dynamic Partitioning**

Bull NovaScale Servers can be dynamically partitioned into physically independent ccNUMA (Cache Coherent Non Uniform Memory Access) SMP systems or domains, each running an Operating System instance and a specific set of applications.

### **Extended Configurations**

Several Bull NovaScale Servers may be administered through a single instance of PAM software.

### **Cluster Configurations**

Several Bull NovaScale Servers may be grouped to act like a single system, enabling high availability, load balancing and parallel processing.

### **Server Features**

The main features of Bull NovaScale Servers are:

#### Intel® Itanium® Processor Family architecture:

- Modularity, predictable performance and growth

#### High availability:

- Component redundancy
- Capacity to isolate or replace a faulty component without service disruption
- Global and unified system visibility
- Round-the-clock operation

#### **Scalability:**

- Dynamic partitioning
- Power on demand: capacity to dynamically adapt resources to load requirement

### Simultaneous support of multiple environments:

- Microsoft® Windows® Server
- Linux®

### High performance computing capabilites:

- Technical and scientific applications:
  - . High Performance Computing (HPC)
- Business Intelligence:
  - . Datawarehousing
  - . Datamining
- Large enterprise applications:
  - . ERP
  - . CRM
  - . SCM ...
- Large database applications for Internet transactions.
- Large business sector applications:
  - . Online billing
  - . Online reservations
  - Online banking ...

#### Built-in Platform Administration and Maintenance (PAM) software suite:

- Proactive administration
- Optimization of resources
- Automatic generation of corrective actions and calls to support centers
- Dynamic configuration

### Bull NovaScale Master System Management (NSM) software suite:

- Windows, Linux, and Platform management
- Monitoring, Information, Control, and Event Handling
- Client / Server / Agent architecture
- WEB standard OpenSource solutions

### Server Hardware



Abbreviations and acronyms are documented in the Glossary.

Main server hardware components are:

### Central SubSystem Module (CSS Module)

Main server hardware components are housed in the CSS Module. For easy access and servicing, the CSS Module is composed of three interconnected units:

Front Unit	Core Unit	Rear Unit
1 or 2QBBs	1 MQB	1 or 2 IOCs
1 or 2 Internal Peripheral Drawers	1 MIO	1 or 2 IOLs
	2 MSXs	1 PMB
	1 MFL	2 or 4 DPS Units
	8 Fanboxes	

### Motes:

- The CSS Module can be logically divided into two **Cells**, each with one QBB and one IOC, to allow dynamic partitioning.
- According to version, servers are equipped with one, two, three, or four interconnected CSS modules.

### **Front Unit**

#### **Quad Brick Block (QBB)**

The QBB is equipped with 2 to 4 Itanium<sup>®</sup> 2 processors and 16 DDR DIMMs. The QBB communicates with the rest of the system the high-speed bidirectional link **Scalability Port Switches (SPS)** located on the MSX.

#### Internal Peripheral Drawer (IPD)

The Internal Peripheral Drawer is equipped with a DVD/CD ROM drive and a USB port. The Internal Peripheral Drawer is connected to the MQB in the Core Unit via a **Device Interface Board (DIB)**.

Optionally:

- the Internal Peripheral Drawer can house 2 SCSI Disks for OS partitions or storage,
- two Internal Peripheral Drawers, in the same CSS module, can be connected together to house 4 SCSI Disks for OS partitions or storage (Chained DIBs).

#### **Core Unit**

### Midplane QBB Board (MQB)

The QBBs and the Internal Peripheral Drawers are connected to the MQB.

### Midplane IO Board (MIO)

The IOCs and the PMB are connected to the MIO.

### Midplane SPS & XPS Board (MSX)

Each MSX houses 1 high-speed directional link **Scalability Port Switch (SPS)** and is connected to both the MIO and the MQB. Each QBB and IOC communicates with the rest of the system through the SPS.

### Midplane Fan & Logistics Board (MFL)

16 Fans and various logistics components are implemented on the MFL. The MFL is connected to both the MIO and the MQB.

#### **Fanboxes**

8 Fanboxes, each housing 2 fans, provide redundant cooling.

#### **Rear Unit**

### IO board Compact (IOC)

The IOC provides 4 x PCI -X and 2 x PCI-Express buses and a PCI Hot Plug Board (HPB). The IOC communicates with the rest of the system through the high-speed bidirectional link **Scalability Port Switches (SPS)** located on the MSX.

#### IO board Legacy (IOL)

The IOL is an IOC daughter board providing legacy IO connections: 2 USB ports, 1 LAN port, 2 serial ports, and 1 video port.

#### Platform Maintenance Board (PMB)

The PMB concentrates logistics access and links the platform to the Platform Administration Processor (PAP Unit) running Platform Administration and Maintenance (PAM) software.

### **Distributed Power Supply (DPS) Unit**

Each DPS Unit supplies 48V AC/DC power to the server. The server is equipped with 2 or 4 DPS units for full redundancy.

### Platform Administration Processor (PAP) Unit

The PAP Unit hosts all server administration software, in particular Platform Administration and Maintenance (PAM) software.

#### KVM Switch

The KVM Switch allows the use of a single keyboard, monitor and mouse for the local server domains and the local PAM console.

#### Console

The Console contains the keyboard, monitor and touch pad / mouse used for local access to the server domains and to the PAP Unit.

### **Disk Subsystem**

If the disk slots in the Internal Peripheral Drawer are not used for OS disk partitions, a SCSI RAID or FC disk subsystem is required.

### **Additional Peripherals**

Additional peripherals such as disk subsystems, storage area networks, communication networks, archiving peripherals etc. can be connected to the server via PCI adapters located in the IOCs. Such peripherals may either be rack-mounted in the server cabinet (if free space is available) or in external cabinets.

### Server Firmware and Software

#### **Operating Systems (OS)**

The server is certified for the following Operating Systems:

- Windows Server 2003, Enterprise Edition
- Windows Server 2003, Datacenter Edition
- Linux Red Hat Enterprise Linux Advanced Server
- Novell SUSE SLES 9

#### **BIOS**

The BIOS controls the server startup process, dynamic resource allocation (Domain reconfiguration, hot-plugging), and error handling. The BIOS also includes:

- The Extended Firmware Interface (EFI), which provides the OS with system services.
- The EFI Shell, an autonomous environment used to run Off-line Test & Diagnostic suites.

### Platform Administration and Maintenance (PAM) suite

The PAM Web-based software suite is used to operate, monitor, and configure the server. PAM can be accessed locally or remotely through Microsoft Internet Explorer or Mozilla browsers, under the protection of appropriate access rights. PAM provides the administration functions needed to manage and maintain the server:

- Domain configuration and resource allocation
- Alert or maintenance requests to the Customer Service Center
- Error logging ...

### **Test & Diagnostics suites**

The server is delivered with the following T & D suites:

- Online Test & Diagnostic suite
- Offline Test & Diagnostic suite
- Power-On Self-Test suite

#### NovaScale Master (NSM) Management suite

The NSM software suite allows you to monitor and manage NovaScale Windows and Linux systems.

### **Conformance to Standards**

#### Intel

Bull NovaScale Servers conform to all Intel platform standards:

- ACPI (Advanced Configuration and Power Interface)
- IPMI (Intelligent Platform Management Interface)
- EFI (Extended Firmware Interface)
- SMBIOS (System Management BIOS)
- DIG64 (Developer Interface Guide for Intel® Itanium® Architecture)

#### Windows

Bull NovaScale Servers conform to the standards set out in the Windows Hardware Design Guide.

### **General Recommendations**

Bull NovaScale Servers are delivered rack-mounted and pre-cabled in one or more high or low cabinets, according to the version chosen.

Site preparation must be completed by the pre-arranged delivery date. Any delay due to non-completion of the site by the pre-arranged date will be considered as the Customer's responsibility.

The server is delivered 24 hours in advance of the scheduled installation date. On arrival, it must be placed, in its packing, in the Computer Room so that it reaches room temperature before powering up (optimum operating temperature =  $22^{\circ}$  C  $\pm$   $3^{\circ}$  C, hygrometry =  $50\% \pm 5\%$ ).



#### CAUTION:

It is mandatory for the server to be transported vertically. Servers are extremely heavy and require the use of an elevator. The Data Processing Site manager must allocate enough personnel to ensure safe handling.

Use the Packing Slip to check the number and condition of the shipping boxes prior to unpacking.

The server is delivered with a box labeled *Open Me First* containing all the data and items required for installation.



#### Warning:

To avoid condensation and incorrect handling, the server must be removed from its packing by authorized Service personnel ONLY, on the scheduled installation date.

### **Unpacking the Server Cabinet**

Instructions on how to unpack cabinets for Bull NovaScale Servers and peripheral devices are set out in document Bull 1300H/L & 1100H/L Cabinets, 86 A1 91EM.



### Warning:

The server must not be unpacked before it has reached room temperature (24 hours in the Computer Room).



Server cabinets are extremely heavy. Authorized Service personnel ONLY may unpack and physically install cabinets. The instructions set out below are to be strictly complied with to avoid serious personal injury.

### Inspecting the Server before Unloading the Cabinet

Once the server cabinet has been unpacked, you must perform a preliminary visual inspection before unloading the cabinet.



Server components and configuration may differ according to the version chosen.



#### CAUTION:

If the inspection indicates an unacceptable safety condition, the condition must be corrected before powering up the server.

- 1. Check that the server delivered is compliant with the Purchase Order.
- 2. Check covers and doors for sharp edges, damage or alterations.
- 3. Check the correct fit of covers and doors.
- 4. Open the front and rear doors.

### Mote:

Unlock the front door with the key, pull the handle forwards and upwards to disengage the

- 5. Check for internal damage, alterations and obvious safety hazards such as broken wires, sharp edges, or broken insulation.
- 6. Check internal cables for damage.
- 7. Check for dirt, water, and any other form of contamination inside the cabinet.
- 8. Check the voltage label on the back of the cabinet to ensure that it matches the voltage at the power outlet.
- 9. Check external power cables for damage.
- 10. Check correct closure of front and rear doors.

### **Removing CSS Module Brackets and Installing Stoppers**

Each Bull NovaScale Server CSS module is equipped with two yellow shipping brackets at the front and two yellow shipping brackets at the rear of the cabinet. Once the server has been installed and correctly secured, you must remove all shipping brackets and install the stoppers supplied in the **Open Me First** box.

### **Removing CSS Module Shipping Brackets**

11. From the front of the cabinet, loosen and remove the 2 shipping brackets on either side of the CSS module / cabinet with the 8 mm hex wrench.



Figure 2. Removing front shipping brackets

12. From the rear of the cabinet, loosen and remove the 2 shipping brackets on either side of the CSS module / cabinet with the 8 mm hex wrench.

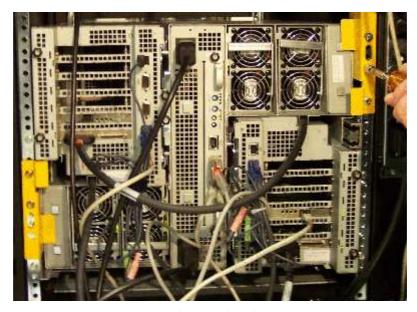


Figure 3. Removing rear shipping brackets.

Repeat Steps 11 and 12 for each CSS module in the cabinet.



Important:

Take care to store shipping brackets and fittings with other packing items.

### **Installing Stoppers**

Four stoppers, complete with captive screws, are supplied with each CSS module and must be installed once shipping brackets have been removed.

The two narrow stoppers are installed on the front cabinet frame and the two deep stoppers are installed on the rear cabinet frame.

1. From the front of the cabinet, align the 2 narrow stoppers (A) with the front of the frame and tighten into place.



Figure 4. Installing front stoppers

2. From the rear of the cabinet, align the 2 deep stoppers (B) with the front of the frame and tighten into place.

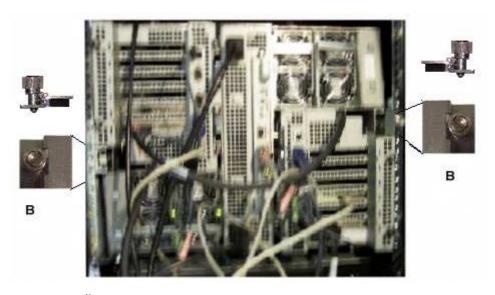


Figure 5. Installing rear stoppers.

Repeat Steps 1 and 2 for each CSS module in the cabinet.

## **Inspecting Internal Components and Cabling**

A thorough visual inspection of internal components and cabling should now be carried out before powering up the server.



If the inspection indicates an unacceptable safety condition, the condition must be corrected before powering up the server.

- 1. Visually check internal cables for damage.
- 2. Visually check system components for damage.
- 3. Manually check internal cable connections.
- 4. Visually check external power cables for damage.

### Note:

If you need to check CSS Module components, refer to the Maintenance and Service Guide. For guidance with cabling, see Cabling Guide, 86 A192ER.

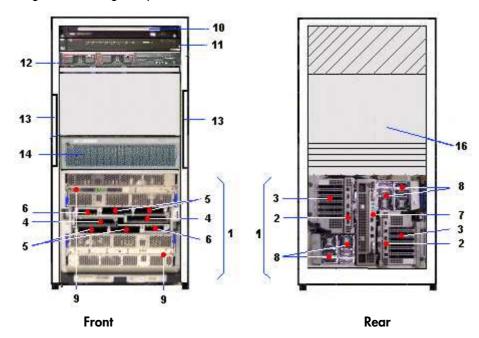
# Getting to Know the Server

### NovaScale 5085 Partitioned Server

### Mote:

Server components and configuration may differ according to the version chosen.

The server is delivered rack-mounted and pre-cabled in a low or high cabinet, typically containing the following components: 1



1	CSS module with core unit, power supply a	nd AC	power cable, including:	8 U	
	2xIO Boxes (IOC) each with:	2	IOL board - legacy ports		
		3	4xPCI-X & 2x PCI-Express slots		
	2xInternal Peripheral Drawers each with:	4	DVD-ROM drive		
		5	2xInternal SCSI RAID disks		
		6	USB port		
	PMB board 7				
	2 or 4 DPS units 8				
	2xQBB subsets (1 to 4 CPUs each) *Multicore CPU = Socket	9			
10*	Slideaway console with monitor and keyboard				
11	8-ports KVM switch				
12	PAP unit with CD-ROM writer, FDD and 2 disks				
13*	1 or 2 PDU(s) with AC power cable				
14	1 optional FC disk 3 U			3 U	
16	16 Free space for additional components			4 U	
	* Slideaway console. For an external console, use a KVM extender kit (150m max.). ** Redundant servers are connected to 2 PDUs and have 4 DPS units.				

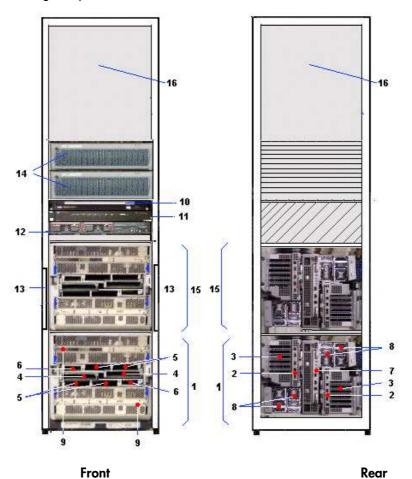
Figure 6. NovaScale 5085 Partitioned Server components - example

### NovaScale 5165 Partitioned Server

## Mote:

Server components and configuration may differ according to the version chosen.

The server is delivered rack-mounted and pre-cabled in a high cabinet, typically containing the following components:



	HOIII		Neui			
1,	CSS module with core unit, power supply	and A	C power cable, including:	8 U x		
15	IO Box (IOC) with:	2	IOL board - legacy ports	2		
		3	4xPCI-X & 2x PCI-Express slots			
	Internal Peripheral Drawer with:	4	DVD-ROM drive			
		5	2xInternal SCSI RAID disks			
		6	USB port			
	PMB board	7				
	2 or 4 DPS units	8	1			
	2xQBB subsets (1 to 4 CPUs each)	9	1			
	*Multicore CPU = Socket					
10*	Slideaway console with monitor and keybo	pard		1 U		
11	8-ports KVM switch			1 U		
12	PAP unit with CD-ROM writer, FDD and 2 of	disks		1 U		
13**	1 or 2 PDU(s) with AC power cable					
14	2 FC disks (optional)			3 U x		
				2		
16	Free space for additional components (SCSI or FC disks)					
	* Slideaway console. For an external console, use a KVM extender kit (150m max.).					
	** Redundant servers are connected to 2 PDUs and have 4 DPS units.					

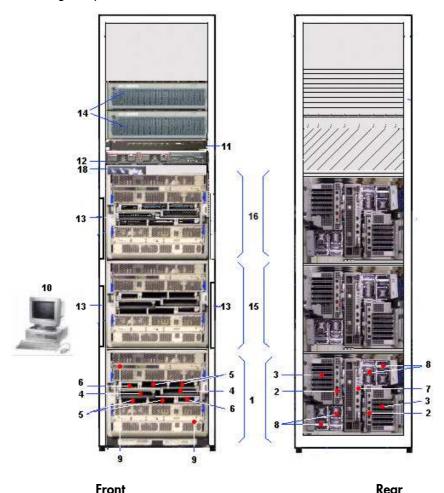
Figure 7. NovaScale 5165 Partitioned Server components - example

### NovaScale 5245 Partitioned Server

## Mote:

Server components and configuration may differ according to the version chosen.

The server is delivered rack-mounted and pre-cabled in a high cabinet, typically containing the following components:



	Front		Rear			
1,	1, CSS module with core unit, power supply and AC power cable, including:					
15,	IO Box (IOC) with:	2	IOL board - legacy ports	3		
16		3	4xPCI-X & 2x PCI-Express slots			
	Internal Peripheral Drawer with:	4	DVD-ROM drive			
		5	2xInternal SCSI RAID disks	7		
		6	USB port			
	PMB board	7				
	2 or 4 DPS units	8				
	2xQBB subsets (1 to 4 CPUs each)	9				
	*Multicore CPU = Socket					
10*	External console with monitor and keyboard					
11						
12	PAP unit with CD-ROM writer, FDD and 2 c	lisks		1 U		
13**	1 or 2 PDU(s) with AC power cable					
14	2 FC disks			3 U x2		
16	Free space for additional components (SCSI or FC disks)					
18	KVM extender 1 U					
	<ul> <li>External console, use a KVM extender k</li> <li>Redundant servers are connected to 2 P</li> </ul>	it (150 DUs a	Om max.). nd have 4 DPS units.	•		

Figure 8. NovaScale 5245 Partitioned Server components - example

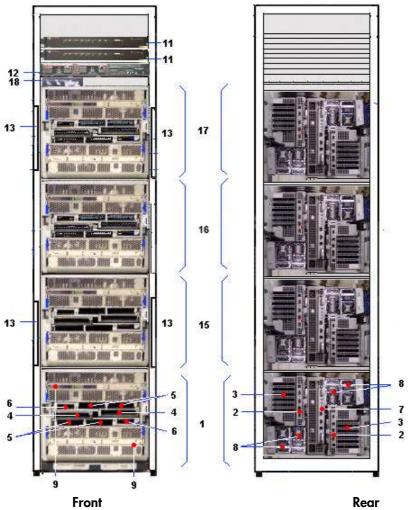
### NovaScale 5325 Partitioned Server

## Note:

Server components and configuration may differ according to the version chosen.

The server is delivered rack-mounted and pre-cabled in two high cabinets, typically containing the following components:

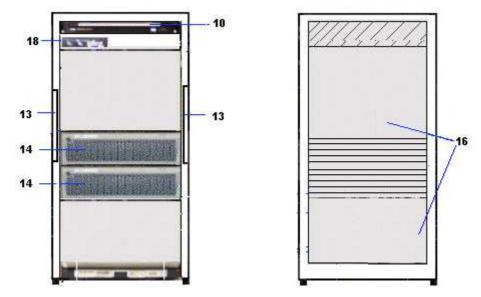
#### **Main Cabinet**



1,	CSS module with core unit, power supply o	and AC	power cable, including:	8 U x	
15,	IO Box (IOC) with:	2	IOL board - legacy ports	4	
16, 1 <i>7</i>		3	4xPCI-X & 2x PCI-Express slots		
''	Internal Peripheral Drawer with:	4	DVD-ROM drive		
		5	2xInternal SCSI RAID disks		
		6	USB port		
	PMB board	7			
	2 or 4 DPS units	8			
	2xQBB subsets (1 to 4 CPUs each) *Multicore CPU = Socket	9			
11	2 x 8-ports KVM switch			1 U x	
13*	2 or 4 PDU(s) with AC power cable				
18	KVM extender (local)				
	* Redundant servers are connected to 2 PDUs and have 4 DPS units.				

Figure 9. NovaScale 5325 Partitioned Servers components - example

### I/O Cabinet



10	PAP unit with CD-ROM writer, FDD and 2 disks		
13	2 PDU(s) with AC power cable		
14	2 FC disks	3x2 U	
18	KVM extender (remote)	1 U	

Figure 10. NovaScale 5325 Partitioned Servers components - example

## **Server Components**

### Mote:

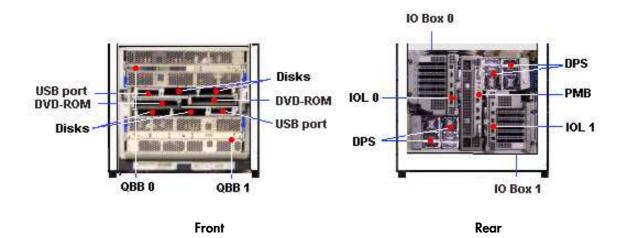
Server components and configuration may differ according to the version chosen.

The server includes the following components:

- CSS module, on page 1-18
- Integrated console, on page 1-20
- Integrated Platform Administration Processor (PAP) unit, on page 1-19
- Keyboard / Video / Mouse (KVM) switch, on page 1-21
- Fibre Channel (FC) disks, on page 1-22
- Ethernet hub, on page 1-24
- USB modem, on page 1-24
- NPort server, on page 1-24
- Power Distribution Unit (PDU), on page 0

## Central Subsystem (CSS) Module

The CSS module houses main hardware components:



Front	1 or 2 QBB (Quad Brick Board) subset(s):
	Each QBB subset houses:
	• 1 mother board
	• 2 memory boards
	• 1 to 4 processors
	• 16 DIMMs
	1 or 2 Internal Peripheral Drawer(s):
	Each drawer houses:
	2 internal SCSI RAID system disks
	• 1 DVD-ROM drive
	• 1 USB port
	Chaine d DIBs:
	Two Internal Peripheral Drawers can be inter-connected to house:
	<ul> <li>4 SCSI RAID disks, 1 DVD-ROM drive, 1 USB port</li> </ul>
Rear	1 or 2 IO Box(es) (Input / Output Board Compact):
	Each IO Box can house:
	1 HPB (PCI Hot Plug Board)
	<ul> <li>6 hot-plug 133 MHz PCI-X and PCI Xpress slots (2 long, 4 short)</li> </ul>
	• 1 IOL (Input / Output board Legacy):
	- 2 A-type USB ports
	- 1 RJ45 10/100/1000 Mbps Ethernet port
	- 2 DB9-M RS232 serial ports
	- 1 HD15-F VGA port
	1 PMB (Platform Management Board):
	This active board links the server to the Platform Administration Processor (PAP) Unit
	(via an Ethernet link).
Core	1 Core unit
	This set of 5 active boards is used to interconnect the QBBs, IOCs, DIBs and the
	PMB.

Figure 11. CSS module features (full CSS module example)

### Integrated Platform Administration Processor (PAP) Unit

The PAP unit is linked to the server via the Platform Management Board (PMB). It hosts Platform Administration Software (PAM). According to version, the PAP unit is located in the center of a high cabinet or at the top of a low cabinet.



#### PAP Unit 1U

- 1 P4C / 3 GHz PC
  - 1 GB RAM
  - 2 x 80 GB SATA disks (RAID1)
  - 1 CD/DVD-ROM drive
  - 11FDD
  - 2 serial ports
  - 1 parallel port
  - 3 PCI slots
  - 2 Gigabit Ethernet ports (1 free)
  - 3 USB 2.0 ports (1 front + 2 rear)
  - 1 SVGA video port
  - 2 PS/2 ports
    - Microsoft Windows operating system
    - Internet Explorer software
    - PAM software
    - 1 power cable

Figure 12. PAP unit

### **Integrated Console**

According to version, the console is located in the center of a high cabinet or at the top of a low cabinet.

The inegrated console contains the keyboard, monitor and touch pad used for local access to the server and to the Platform Administration Processor (PAP) Unit.



or



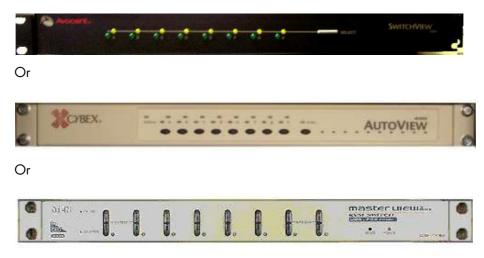
- 1 monitor
- 1 QWERTY keyboard and touch pad
- 1 power cable

Figure 13. Integrated console features

### Keyboard / Video / Mouse (KVM) Switch

The KVM Switch allows the use of the integrated console for the local server and the local Platform Administration and Maintenance console.

#### 8-Port KVM Switch



- 8 ports
- 1 power cable

Figure 14. 8-port KVM switch features

#### 16-Port KVM Switch



- 16 ports
- 1 power cable

Figure 15. 16-port KVM switch features

#### **KVM Extender**



Figure 16. KVM extender (local & remote) 300m maxi.

### FDA 1x00 FC Disk Rack

Optionally, the FDA 1x00 FC Disk Rack is delivered with pre-installed system disks (two RAID#1 and one spare disk per domain). Empty slots can be used for data disks. According to version, the Disk Rack is located in the main or I/O cabinet.

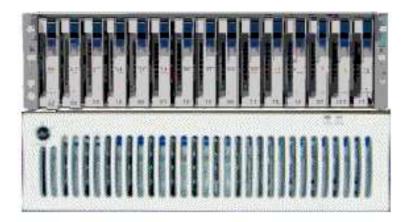


- 15 slots
- 2 FC RAID controller cards, 1 FC port per controller
- 3 disks per domain (2 RAID#1 + 1 spare)
- 2 power cables (redundant power supply)

Figure 17. FDA 1x00 FC disk rack features

#### FDA 2x00 FC Disk Rack

Optionally, the FDA 2x00 FC Disk Rack is delivered with pre-installed system disks (two RAID#1 and one spare disk per domain). Empty slots can be used for data disks. According to version, the Disk Rack is located in the main or I/O cabinet.



- 1 controller unit & 1 disk unit
- 15 slots
- 2 FC RAID controller cards, 2 FC ports per controller
- 3 disks per domain (2 RAID#1 + 1 spare)
- 2 power cables (redundant power supply)

Figure 18. FDA 2x00 FC disk rack features

### FDA 1x00 FC Extension Disk Rack

The FDA 1x00 FC Extension Disk Rack offers15 empty slots for data disks. According to version, the Disk Rack is located in the main or I/O cabinet.



- 15 slots
- 2 power cables (redundant power supply)

Figure 19. FDA 1x00 FC extension disk rack features

#### **Ethernet Hub**

The optional Maintenance LAN Ethernet Hub is used to connect PMB, PAP Unit and external FDA FC Disk Rack Ethernet ports.



Ethernet Hub	-	8 ports
	-	1 power cable
	-	1 power bar

Figure 20. Ethernet hub features

### **USB Modem**

The optional USB modem is used to transmit Autocalls to the Remote Maintenance Center, if the Customer's maintenance contract includes the Autocall feature.



USB Modem	- 1 USB cable
	- 1 RJ11 cable

Figure 21. USB modem features

### **NPort Server**

The Nport Server is used connect the administration port of the SR-0812 SCSI RAID disk rack to the PAP Unit.



NPort Server	-	2 DB9 to Jack cable
	-	1 RJ45 - RJ45 Ethernet cable

Figure 22. NPort Server features

## **Chapter 2. Setup Procedure**



#### Important:

Certain features described in this chapter are reserved for partitioned servers and extended systems and/or to systems connected to a Storage Area Network (SAN).

This chapter explains the procedures required to set up and start the server for the first time. It includes the following topics:

- Accessing Server Components, on page 2-2
- Checking PMB Code Wheel Settings, on page 2-4
- Checking Server Cabling, on page 2-4
- Connecting the Server to the Site Power Supply, on page 2-5
- Launching PAM Software, on page 2-6
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- Completing PAP Unit Configuration, on page 2-24
- Configuring Customer Information, on page 2-29
- Configuring Autocalls, on page 2-30
- Connecting the PAP Unit to the Customer's Enterprise LAN, on page 2-32
- Connecting to the PAM Web Site from a Remote Computer/Workstation, on page 2-33
- Enabling Remote Access to iSM on the Client Computer, on page 2-33
- Completing Operating System Setup, on page 2-35
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- Connecting the USB Modem and External Devices, on page 2-45
- Testing Network Connections, on page 2-46
- Testing Autocalls, on page 2-46
- Completing the PAM Installation Intervention Report, on page 2-46
- Renaming the Central Subsystem, on page 2-47
- Setting up PAP Unit Users, on page 2-49
- Initializing the PAP Unit Backup Disk, on page 2-51
- Backing Up / Restoring PAM Configuration Data, on page 2-54



### Motes:

For an overall summary of installation and setup procedures, see Installation Flowchart, on page xxi.

If a problem arises during the setup procedure, refer to Troubleshooting Guide, 86 A7 91EF and Praxidiag Diagnostics Guide, 86 A7 33ER.

## **Accessing Server Components**

## **Opening the Front Door**

#### **Tools Required:**

• Cabinet key

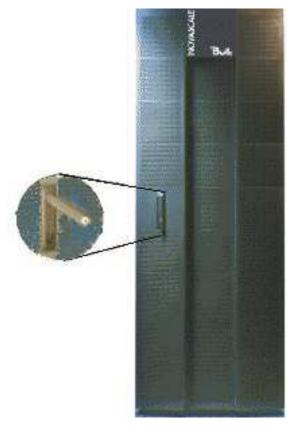


Figure 23. Opening the front door

- 1. Unlock the front door with the key.
- 2. Pull out the locking mechanism and turn to open.
- 3. Open the door as required.

## **Closing the Front Door**

- 1. Close the door.
- 2. Turn the locking mechanism to close and push back into place.
- 3. Lock the front door with the key.

### Opening / Closing the Integrated Console

The server is equipped with an integrated console for local administration and maintenance operations.



Figure 24. Integrated console example

To open the integrated console:

- 1. Slide the console forward until it clicks into place.
- 2. Use the front bar to lift the screen panel into position.

To close the integrated console:

- 1. Press the 2 buttons marked PUSH on either side of the keyboard panel to release the console.
- 2. Lower the front bar to close the screen panel.
- 3. Slide the console back into the cabinet.

## **Checking PMB Code Wheel Settings**

Up to 16 Central Subsystems can be linked, via Platform Management Boards (PMBs) to a single PAP unit, to provide a single point of administration and maintenance.

Each PMB is equipped with two code wheels used to identify each Central Subsystem and each CSS module in your configuration. These code wheels are set prior to shipping (factory default setting), according to configuration.

Each PMB is equipped with two code wheels used to identify each Central Subsystem and each CSS module in the Customer's configuration. These code wheels are set prior to shipping (factory default setting), according to configuration.

CSS	CSS PMB Code Wheel	PAM CSS HW Identifier	CSS Module PMB Code Wheel		
	FMD Code Wileel	C33 HVV Identifier	CSS Module 0	CSS Module 1	
1 st	0	00	0	1	
2nd	1	01	0	1	
3rd	2	02	0	1	
4th	3	03	0	1	
5th	4	04	0	1	
6th	5	05	0	1	
7th	6	06	0	1	
8th	7	07	0	1	
9th	8	08	0	1	
10th	9	09	0	1	
11th	А	10	0	1	
12th	В	11	0	1	
13th	С	12	0	1	
14th	D	13	0	1	
15th	E	14	0	1	
16th	F	15	0	1	

Figure 25. PMB code wheel settings

## **Checking Server Cabling**



#### Important:

Cables to external peripherals must NOT be connected before powering up the server for the first time.

These cables must only be connected once server operation has been checked.

All internal cabinet cables are pre-connected before shipping. However, cables may become loose during shipping and you are advised to check for loose cables before powering up the server. Refer to the *Cabling Guide*, 86 A192ER for details.

## Connecting the Server to the Site Power Supply

The Customer is responsible for ensuring that the electrical network is compliant with the standards set out in the Site Preparation Guide, 86 A1 87EF.



#### **CAUTION:**

Only duly certified electricians may connect the server to the power supply, under the Customer's responsibility. The server is NOT equipped with a circuit breaker. The circuit breakers referred to in this section are the SITE circuit breakers supplied by the Customer.

### **Safety Recommendations**



#### DANGER

An electrical outlet that is not correctly wired could place hazardous voltage on metal parts of the server or the devices that attach to the server. It is the Customer's responsibility to ensure that the outlet is correctly wired and grounded to prevent an electrical shock. Use one hand, when possible, to connect or disconnect signal cables to prevent a possible shock from touching two surfaces with different electrical potentials.



#### **CAUTION:**

The server is equipped with three-wire (phase/phase/ground) power cables for user safety. Use these power cables with properly grounded electrical outlets to avoid electrical shock.

- 1. The server has more than one power supply cable. Follow procedures for removal of power from the server when directed.
- 2. Energy hazard, remove all jewelry before servicing.
- 3. Check that the dedicated power supply circuit breakers are OFF.

## Powering Up the Server to the Standby Mode

Once the PDU cables have been connected to the power outlets at the base of the cabinet, request the Customer to turn the site power supply circuit breakers ON.

The Platform Management Board (PMB) in each CSS module automatically powers up to the standby mode (48V) and the Platform Administration Processor (PAP) unit automatically boots Microsoft Windows software. Server operation can now be checked.



It may take several seconds for something to be displayed on the monitor. If the server does not initialize to standby (48V) or if an incident occrus, refer to *Troubleshooting Guide*, 86 A7 91EF and *Praxidiag Diagnostics Guide*, 86 A7 33ER.

## **Checking Server Operation**

Once the server has been installed and powered up, correct operation must be checked.



#### Important:

The server must be fully checked with factory default data.

See the *Read Me First* booklet delivered with the system 24 hours before the scheduled installation date for factory default data.

### **Launching PAM Software**

The server is equipped with an integrated Platform Administration and Maintenance software package, otherwise known as PAM software.

One part of PAM software is an embedded application (MAESTRO) running on the Platform Management Boards (PMB) and the other is an external application running on the Platform Administration Processor (PAP) unit under Microsoft Windows.

You will use the secured PAM Web-based interface to operate, monitor, and configure the server.

Once the Microsoft Windows software on the PAP unit has been booted, you will be requested to supply a User Name and Password to open a Windows® session. The session MUST be started for the first time with the following factory default User Name and Password:

User Name	Administrator	
Password	administrator	



#### Important:

The factory default User Name and Password are used by the authorized Customer Service Engineer during the setup procedure ONLY.

Factory default data must be replaced by Customer data once the system check has been successfully completed. See *Completing PAP Unit Configuration* on page 2-24.

To complete installation, you need to open a Customer Administrator and a Support Administrator PAM session.

#### To open a **Customer Administrator** PAM session:

- 1. From the Microsoft Windows desktop, double-click the Internet Explorer icon (http://localhost/PAM).
- 2. When prompted, request the Customer Administrator to enter the default User Name and Password:

Customer Administrator				
User Name Administrator				
Password administrator				

The PAM home page appears.

### Mote:

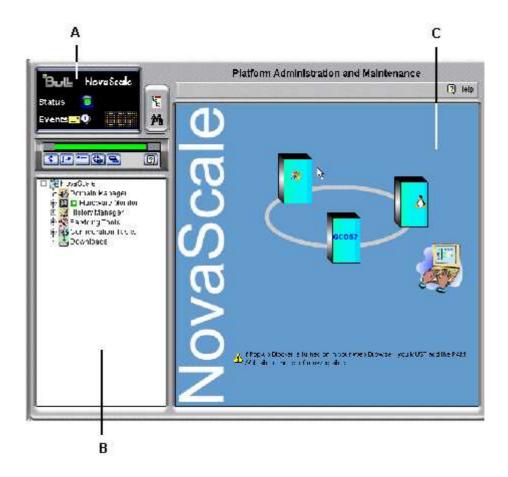
The PAM tree building process may take one to two minutes.

To open a **Support Administrator** PAM session:

- 1. From the Microsoft Windows desktop, double-click the Internet Explorer icon (http://localhost//PAM).
- 2. When prompted, enter the predefined User Name and Password. The PAM Home Page appears.

## **PAM User Interface**

The PAM user interface is divided into three areas in the browser window: a **Status** pane, a **PAM Tree** pane, and a **Control** pane.



	Status pane, on page 2-9	
В	PAM Tree pane, on page 2-10	
С	Control pane, on page 2-9	

Figure 26. PAM user interface

### Note:

For further details about the PAM user interface, please consult the User's Guide.

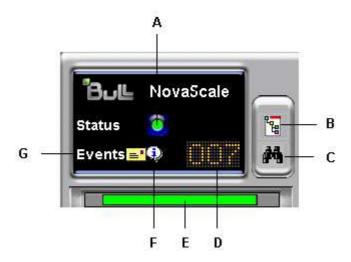
## **Checking Server Status via PAM**

The PAM user interface allows you to check system status at a glance. If the **Functional Status** icon in the **Status** pane and the **CSS Availability Status** bar are green, the server is ready to be powered up.

### **PAM Status Pane**

The **Status** pane, which is automatically refreshed every few seconds, provides quick access to the following synthetic information:

- Functional Status: if the system is operating correctly, the status icon is green,
- Event Messages: shows the number and maximum severity of pending event messages,
- CSS Availability Status: if the CSS Module PMB is detected as present, is configured correctly, and is ready to operate, the status bar is green.



A	System Functional Status icon	Ε	CSS Availability Status icon
В	Presence/Functional Status toggle button	F	Event Message Severity icon
С	Event Message Viewer	G	New Event Message icon
D	Pending Event Message icon		

Figure 27. Status pane

#### **PAM Control Pane**

When an item is selected in the **PAM Tree** pane, details and related commands are displayed in the **Control** pane, which is automatically refreshed at one minute intervals.

### **CSS Availability Status Bar**

The CSS availability status bar reflects the operational status of the data link(s) between the Platform Management Board (PMB) embedded in each CSS Module and the PAP Unit. Each CSS module is represented by a zone in the status bar.

- When a CSS Module PMB is detected as PRESENT, the corresponding zone in the status bar is **GREEN**.
- When a CSS Module PMB is detected as ABSENT, the corresponding zone in the status bar is **RED**.
- When you hover the mouse over the status bar, an Infotip displays the presence status of CSS Module PMB - PAP Unit data links.

The following figure represents the status bar for a bi-module server. One CSS Module PMB is detected as PRESENT and the other is detected as ABSENT.



A: Bar red (CSS Module\_0 not available)

Figure 28. CSS Module availability status bar (bi-module server)

### **PAM Tree Pane**



The PAM tree builiding process may take one to two minutes. The PAM tree pane is refreshed on request.

The **PAM Tree** pane provides access to server administration and maintenance features:

Tree Nodes	Function
Domain Manager	to power on / off and manage domains.
Hardware Monitor	to display the status of hardware components and assemblies.
History Manager	to view logs and manage archives.
Servicing Tools	to install, maintain, and update the server.
Configuration Tasks	to customize server features.

Table 1. PAM Tree nodes

#### **PAM Tree Toolbar**

The PAM Tree toolbar, located at the top of the PAM Tree, is used to refresh, expand, or collapse the tree display.



Toolbar Buttons	Explanation
<b>\$</b>	Refresh /rebuild the PAM Tree to view changes.
<b>FE</b>	Expand the complete tree.
<b>↑</b>	Collapse the complete tree.
♣	Expand selected node.
=	Collapse selected node.
2	View the related <b>Help</b> topic.

Figure 29. PAM Tree toolbar

## Toggling the Local / Integrated Console Display

During the powering up / down sequences, you will be requested to toggle the local / integrated console from the PAP unit display to the server domain display, or vice versa, as explained below.



#### CAUTION:

Access to the local / integrated console should be restricted to Customer / Support Administrators and Operators ONLY to avoid inadvertent damage to software and/or hardware components.

The KVM Switch allows the integrated console to be used as the local server domain and local PAP unit console. KVM ports are configured as shown in Table 2.

#### NovaScale 5xx5 SMP Server

8-port KVM Switch	Console Display	Domain
Port 1	PAP Unit	N/A
Port 2	Server Domain	N/A

#### NovaScale 5xx5 Partitioned Server

16-port KVM Switch	Console Display	Domain
Port 1	PAP Unit	N/A
Port 2	CSS0-Mod0-100	MyOperations-xx-1
Port 3	CSS0-Mod0-IO1	MyOperations-xx-2
Port 4	CSS0-Mod1-IO0	MyOperations-xx-3
Port 5	CSS0-Mod1-IO1	MyOperations-xx-4
Port 6	CSS0-Mod2-IO0	MyOperations-xx-5
Port 7	CSS0-Mod2-IO1	MyOperations-xx-6
Port 8	CSS0-Mod3-IO0	MyOperations-xx-7
Port 9	CSS0-Mod1-IO1	MyOperations-xx-8

Table 2. KVM port configuration

You can easily toggle from the server domain display to the PAP unit display, or vice versa:

- 1. From the keyboard, press the Control key twice to display the KVM Switch Command Menu.
- Select the required port with the ↑↓ keys and press Enter.
- 3. The selected display appears on the Console monitor.

## **Testing CSS Module Ring Connections**

If the server is equipped with more than one CSS module, you are advised to perform a Ring Test to check CSS module ring connections (clocks, XSP links, sidebands) before proceeding to power up server domains.



#### Important:

- CSS Module Ring Connection testing is reserved for Customer Service Engineers. A Customer Administrator and a Support Administrator PAM session must be opened to perform the ring test.
- This test can only be performed on a mono-domain scheme containing ALL server resources (e.g. the default factory scheme).
- This test does NOT check XSP data link functional status. XSP data link functional status is checked during the Power-on sequence (Step 19: Global XSP links test).
- This test cannot be performed on mono-module servers.

#### To perform a ring test:

- 1. Display hardware functional status by pressing the Presence / Functional Status toggle button in the PAM Status Pane. See Chapter 4. Monitoring the Server, in the User's Guide for details.
- 2. From the Customer Administrator PAM Tree, click Domain Manager to open the Control pane. A dialog box invites you to load the server domain.
- 3. Click Schemes. The Schemes List dialog opens displaying the pre-configured default scheme.
- 4. Select the default scheme and click **Apply**.

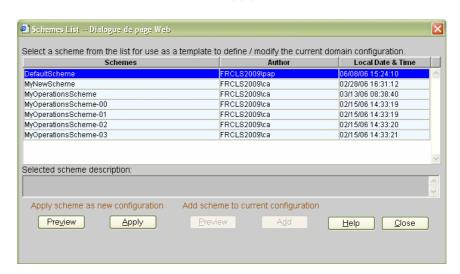


Figure 30. Domain schemes list dialog

5. When requested, click Yes to confirm. The default domain is loaded in the Control pane.

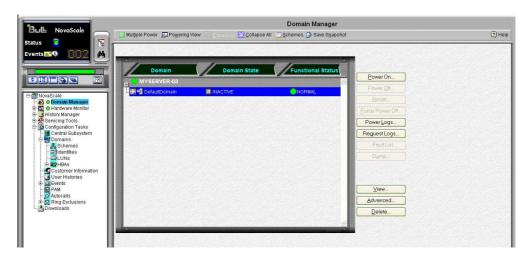


Figure 31. Default domain loaded

- 6. From the Support Administrator PAM Tree, click **Domain Manager** to open the **Control** pane.
- 7. Select the default domain and click **Advanced** to open the **Advanced Properties** dialog.

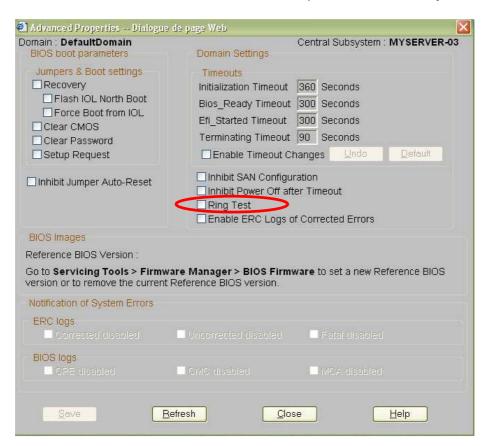


Figure 32. Advanced properties dialog

- 8. Select the **Ring Test** check box and click **Save**. An information message informs you that settings have been saved and will be applied at the next domain power-on.
- 9. From the Customer Administrator **Domain Manager** Control pane, select the default domain. If the domain is ready to be powered up, **INACTIVE** is displayed in the **Domain State** box and the **Power On** button is accessible.

10.Click **Power On** to power up the server domain and associated hardware components. When prompted, select **View Power-On Logs** to monitor test progress.

The following message is displayed in the **Domain State** field:

#### Powering on (test)

The test takes 2 to 3 minutes to complete. The last message (Step 99) in the **Power-On Logs** information box indicates test result status:

- if all tested ring connections are correct, **OK** is displayed,
- if at least one tested ring connection is incorrect, **KO** is displayed. The system functional status icon turns **RED**:
  - open the Domain Fault List for details,
  - click the Refresh Tree button in the PAM Tree toolbar to refresh the PAM Tree and update hardware functional status. Open the corresponding Hardware Fault List for further details.

### Note:

If **Power-On** is refused, a mandatory resource is missing and the ring test cannot be performed. Open the **PAMHistory** file (**History Manager**  $\rightarrow$  **System**  $\rightarrow$  **PAMHistory**) for details about the missing resource.

## Powering Up / Down Server Domains

When server status has been checked - system functional status icon and CSS availability status bar green in the Status pane - the server can be powered up.

To power up / down the server, see:

Powering Up / Down the NovaScale 5xx5 Partitioned Server Domains, on page 2-18

### Powering Up the NovaScale 5xx5 SMP Server Domain

NovaScale 5xx5 SMP Servers are designed to operate as single SMP systems and are delivered with one pre-configured domain.

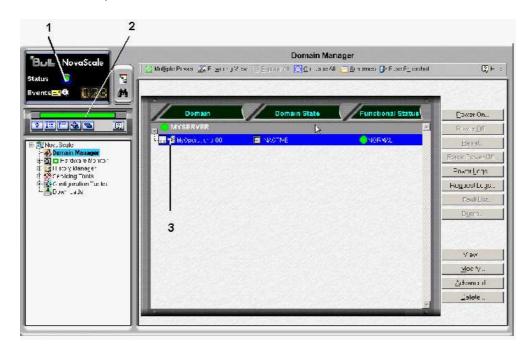
When server status has been checked - functional status icon and CSS availability status bar green in the Status pane - the server domain can be powered up.

### Mote:

If an error dialog box appears during these sequences, see *Managing Domains* in the User's

To power up / down server domains:

- 1. From the Customer Administrator / Operator PAM Tree, click **Domain Manager** to open the **Control** pane. A dialog box invites you to load the server domain.
- 2. Click **OK** to confirm. The domain appears in the Control pane. If the domain is ready to be powered up, INACTIVE is displayed in the Domain State box and the Power On button is accessible.
- 3. Select the domain and click **Power On** to power up the server domain and associated hardware components.



1	Functional status icon
2	CSS availability status indicator (GREEN)
3	Operating system type

Figure 33. Domain Manager Control pane

4. Follow the power-on steps displayed in the Domain State box, until RUNNING is displayed.

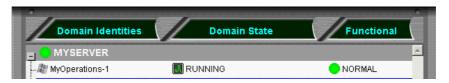


Figure 34. Domain state

- 5. Toggle the local / integrated console from the PAP unit display to the server display. See Toggling the Local / Integrated Console Display, on page 2-12.
- 6. Wait for the Operating System to load completely. The domain is now fully functional.
- 7. Check the Operating System environment pre-installed on the domain.
- 8. Shut down the Operating System to power down the domain to the stand-by mode.
- 9. Toggle the local / integrated console to the PAP unit display. INACTIVE is displayed in the Domain State box and the Power ON button is accessible.

#### Notes:

- If the same PAP unit administers more than one server, all servers can be powered on simultaneously as follows:
  - a. Click Multiple Power. The Multiple Power Domains On/Off dialog opens.
  - b. Click **Power On All** → **Execute** to power on the servers and associated hardware components.
- For further details about the Power ON / OFF sequences, see Powering ON a Domain and Powering OFF a Domain in the User's Guide.

### Shutting Down / Restarting the Server

- 1. From the PAM home page, click **File**  $\rightarrow$  **Close** to return to the Microsoft Windows desktop.
- 2. Shut down the PAP unit by selecting the **Shut Down** command in the Start Menu.
- 3. Request the Customer to turn the power supply circuit breakers OFF.
- 4. Request the Customer to turn the power supply circuit breakers ON.

The Platform Management Board (PMB) in each CSS module automatically powers up to the standby mode (48V) and the Platform Administration Processor (PAP) unit automatically boots Microsoft Windows software. Server operation can now be checked.

### Powering Up NovaScale 5xx5 Partitioned Server Domains

According to version, NovaScale 5xx5 Partitioned Servers are designed to operate as up to eight hardware-independent SMP systems, or domains.

For easy configuration and optimum use of the physical and logical resources required for simultaneous operation, domains are defined via the **PAM Domain Scheme** wizard. For further details about domain configuration, see *Configuring Domains*, in the *User's Guide*.

The server is delivered with a default scheme, or configuration file, called **MyOperationsScheme-xx**, containing up to eight domains:

- MyOperations-xx-1
- MyOperations-xx-2
- MyOperations-xx-3
- MyOperations-xx-4
- MyOperations-xx-5
- MyOperations-xx6
- MyOperations-xx7
- MyOperations-xx-8

This default scheme allows you to simultaneously boot all domains.

According to Customer requirements, identical or different Operating System instances may be pre-installed on each domain boot disk (EFI LUN).

### Notes:

- xx in the default scheme and domain names represents the Central Subsystem HW
  identifier (from 00 to 15). For further details, refer to
  For further details, refer to Checking PMB Code Wheel Settings, on page 2-4.
- Operating System type is indicated by the Microsoft Windows or Linux logo in the **Domain Identities** box.
- A Scheme comprising 4 domains is used to illustrate the following example.

To power up / down server domains:

#### Mote:

If an error dialog box appears during these sequences, see Managing Domains in the User's

- 1. From the Customer Administrator PAM Tree, click **Domain Manager** to open the **Control** pane. You are invited to load a Domain Scheme.
- 2. Click **Schemes**. The **Schemes List** dialog opens displaying the pre-configured scheme.
- 3. Select MyOperationsScheme and click Apply.

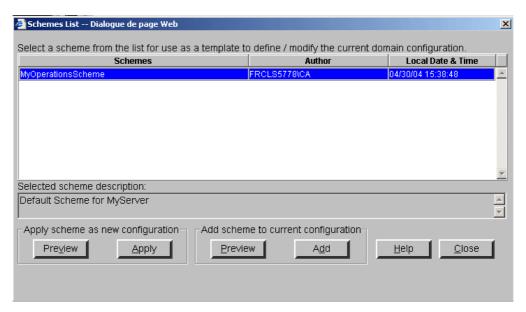


Figure 35. Domain schemes list dialog

4. When requested, click Yes to confirm. The default domains are loaded in the Control pane.

If the domains are ready to be powered up, INACTIVE is displayed in the Domain State boxes and the **Power On** button is accessible for each domain.



Ī	1	Functional status icon
	2	CSS availability status indicator (GREEN)
Ī	3	Operating system type

Figure 36. Domain Manager Control pane - example with 4 domains

- 5. Click Multiple Power. The Multiple Power Domains On/Off dialog opens.
- Click Power On All → Execute to simultaneously power on the domains and associated hardware components.

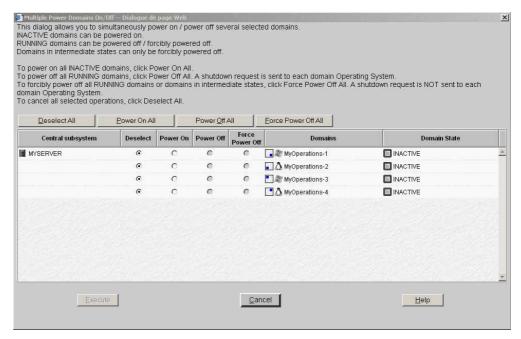


Figure 37. Multiple power dialog - example with 4 domains

#### Mote:

Domains can also be powered on sequentially from the **Control** pane:

- Select a domain in the **Control** pane and click **Power On** to power up the domain and associated hardware components. Repeat this step for each domain in the **Control** pane.
- 7. Follow the power-on steps displayed in the **Domain State** boxes, until **RUNNING** is displayed in all **Domain State** boxes.



Figure 38. Domain state - example with 4 domains

- 8. Toggle the local / integrated console from the PAP unit display to the first domain display. See Toggling the Local / Integrated Console Display, on page 2-12.
- 9. Wait for the Operating System to load completely. The domain is now fully functional.
- 10.Toggle the local / integrated console from this domain display to the next domain display.
- 11. Wait for the Operating System to load completely. The domain is now fully functional.

- 12.Repeat Steps 10 and 11 for each domain.
- 13. Check the Operating System environment pre-installed on each domain.
- 14. Shut down each Operating System to power down the corresponding domain to the stand-by mode.
- 15. Toggle the local / integrated console to the PAP unit display. INACTIVE is displayed in the Domain State boxes and the Power ON button is accessible for each domain.

## P Note:

For further details about the Power ON / OFF sequences, see Powering ON a Domain and Powering OFF a Domain in the User's Guide.

# Shutting Down / Restarting the Server

- 1. From the PAM home page, click **File**  $\rightarrow$  **Close** to return to the Microsoft Windows desktop.
- 2. Shut down the PAP unit by selecting the **Shut Down** command in the Start Menu.
- 3. Request the Customer to turn the power supply circuit breakers OFF.
- 4. Request the Customer to turn the power supply circuit breakers ON.

The Platform Management Board (PMB) in each CSS module automatically powers up to the standby mode (48V) and the Platform Administration Processor (PAP) unit automatically boots Microsoft Windows software.

# Changing the iStorage Manager User Name and Password

FDA 1x00 FC and FDA 2x00 FC subsystems are delivered with iStorage Manager (iSM) software for integrated monitoring and centralized management.

The iSM Server / Client utility is installed on the PAP Unit desktop. The Customer can install iSM Client on any standard PC running under Microsoft Windows (2000 or later).

Before using iSM, the Customer is advised to replace the factory default User Name and Password.

To change the iStorage Manager User Name and Password:

- 1. From the PAP Unit Microsoft Windows desktop, click: Start  $\rightarrow$  Programs  $\rightarrow$  NEC Storage Manager Server  $\rightarrow$  Setting Utility.
- 2. Select the **Users** tab. The default User Name and User Level is displayed in the User List.

Default User Name	Administrator
Default User Level	L3
Default Password	administrator

- 3. Select Administrator from the User List and click Edit to open the User Edit dialog box.
- 4. Change the User Name and Password and check that the L3 radio button is highlighted.
- 5. Click OK.
- 6. A dialog box requests you to restart iSM to apply changes. Click Yes.
- 7. From the PAP Unit Microsoft Windows desktop, click:  $\textbf{Start} \rightarrow \textbf{Programs} \rightarrow \textbf{Administrative Tools} \rightarrow \textbf{Services}.$
- 8. Select **NEC Storage Manager**  $\rightarrow$  **Action**  $\rightarrow$  **Stop** to stop iSM.
- 9. Click **Action** → **Start** to restart iSM. Changes are applied.

# P Note:

Please refer to the iSM documentation delivered with the server for further details.

# Changing the S@N.IT Password

FDA 1x00 FC and FDA 2x00 FC subsystems are delivered with S@N.IT software for integrated monitoring and centralized management.

The S@N.IT Server / Client utility is installed on the PAP Unit desktop. The Customer can install S@N.IT Client on any standard PC running under Microsoft Windows (2000 or later).

Before using S@N.IT, the Customer is advised to replace the factory default sanadmin User Password.

### Mote:

The default sanadmin User Name CANNOT be changed.

To change the S@N.IT sanadmin User Password:

- 1. From the PAP Unit Microsoft Windows desktop, click:  $\textbf{Start} \rightarrow \textbf{Programs} \rightarrow \textbf{S@N.IT}.$
- 2. Enter the Configuration  $\rightarrow$  Set Password menu.
- 3. Select the sanadmin user.
- 4. Type your new password in the **New Password** field.
- 5. Confirm your new password by retyping it in the Confirm Password field.
- 6. Click **OK** to save changes.

### Mote:

Please refer to the S@N.IT documentation delivered with the server for further details.

# **Completing PAP Unit Configuration**



#### Important:

Before proceeding to complete PAP Unit configuration:

- Refer to the PAM Writing Rules, on page B-4
- Check Regional, Date/Time, and Time Zone settings

# Changing the Default PAP Unit Name

Request the Customer to change the default PAP unit name <*PAP*> from the Microsoft Windows Network configuration utility.

To change the default PAP unit name:

- From the Microsoft Windows desktop, select:
   MyComputer → Properties → Network Identification → Properties.
- 8. Complete the fields as required.

# Launching the PAP Configuration Setup Wizard

To complete PAP unit configuration:

- 1. Request the Customer to provide the *Installation Setup Data* listed in the *Read Me First* booklet enclosed in the *Open Me First* kit.
- 2. Open a new Microsoft Windows session with the predefined User Name and Password.

User Name	Administrator
Password	administrator

3. From the Microsoft Windows desktop, click:

Start  $\rightarrow$  Program Files  $\rightarrow$  Platform Administration and Maintenance  $\rightarrow$  PAP Configuration to launch the PAP configuration setup wizard which guides you through the PAP Unit configuration procedure (approximately 10 minutes).

The PAP configuration setup wizard dialog opens.

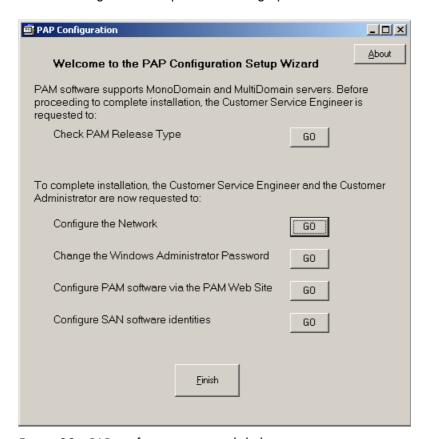


Figure 39. PAP configuration wizard dialog

4. Click the Check PAM Release Type button. The Release Type dialog opens.

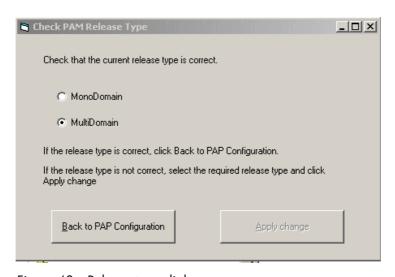


Figure 40. Release type dialog

5. Check that the release type is correct:

NovaScale 5xx5 Servers

The MonoDomain radio button must be highlighted.

NovaScale 5xx5 Partitioned Servers

The **MultiDomain** radio button must be highlighted.



If the release type is not correct, select the required release type and click **Apply change**.

a. Click the **Configure the Network** button to configure Customer Enterprise LAN settings and to change the default factory PAP unit network setting.

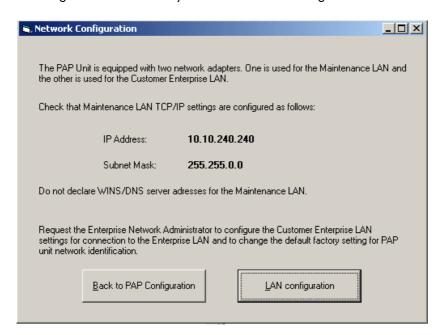


Figure 41. Network configuration dialog

b. Click the **Change Windows Administrator Password** button to change the PAP unit Customer Administrator password.

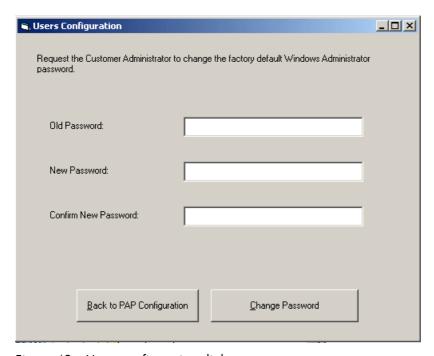


Figure 42. Users configuration dialog

c. Click the Configure PAM Software via the PAM Web Site button to open a Support Administrator PAM session to complete Customer Information, Autocalls and Central Subsystem configuration.

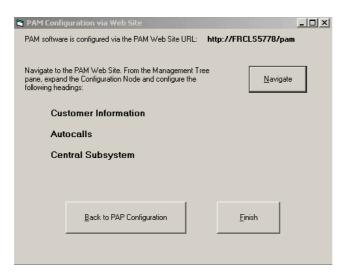


Figure 43. PAM configuration via Web site dialog

d. Click the Configure SAN Software Identities button to change the default S@N.IT password and the **ISM** user name and password.

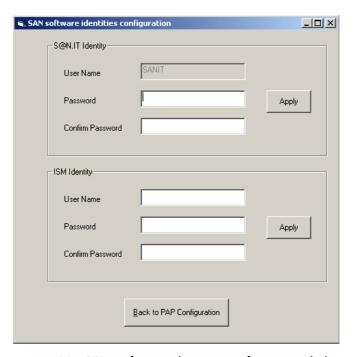


Figure 44. SAN software identities configuration dialog



#### Important:

You MUST enter the new S@N.IT and iSM user names and/or passwords previously set by the Customer. See:

- Changing the iStorage Manager User Name and Password, on page 2-22
- Changing the S@N.IT Password, on page 2-23



Changes to Central Subsystem configuration are hazardous and must not be performed until the server has been fully tested.

If the Customer wants to rename the Central Subsystem, this entails removing the existing Central Subsystem and adding a new Central Subsystem with the required name. See Configuring the Central Subsystem, on page 2-47.

# **Configuring Customer Information**

Customer information is used by PAM software:

- for the PAM Tree display: the name entered in the Site name field will be used for the PAM tree root node - the default name is **NovaScale**..
- to complete Customer Service Engineer Intervention Reports,
- to configure the Email server used to send messages via the e-mail channel. See Creating an E-mail Server, in the User's Guide.

To configure Customer information:

- 1. From the PAM Tree, click Configuration Tasks → Customer Information. The Customer **Information** configuration page opens.
- 2. Enter Customer data and click Save to confirm changes.



Figure 45. Customer Information configuration page

# **Configuring Autocalls**

The **Autocall** feature is part of the BULL Remote Maintenance contract. It is used to automatically route system events to the Remote Maintenance Center. Full details are given in the BULL *Remote Maintenance Guide*.

If the Customer's maintenance contract includes the Autocall feature, configure Autocall parameters as follows:

1. Click **Configuration Tasks** → **Autocalls**. The **Autocalls** configuration page opens.

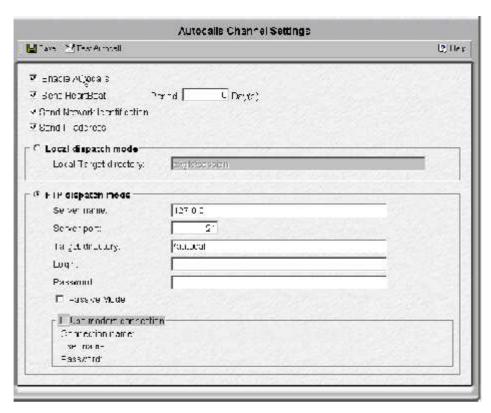


Figure 46. Autocalls Channel Settings control pane

- 2. Select the Enable Autocalls checkbox.
- 3. Select the **Send Heartbeat** checkbox and enter a value in days" for the autocall channel control in the **Period** box. Recommended value = 1.
- 4. Select the autocall dispatch mode:
  - Local dispatch mode (default mode) sends autocalls to the local target directory indicated under Local Settings,
  - FTP dispatch mode sends autocalls to the server indicated under FTP Settings.
- 5. If Local dispatch mode (default mode) is selected, complete the Local Settings field with the following information:

Field	Explanation	Value
Local target directory	Default GTS directory used to store autocalls.	c:\gts\session

6. If FTP dispatch mode is selected, complete the FTP Settings fields with the following information:

Field	Explanation	Value
Server name	Remote Maintenance Center server IP address	127.0.0.1
Server port	Default server port	21
Target directory	Default server directory	/autocall
Login	Declared authorized user name	Х
Password	Declared authorized user password	Х
Passive mode	FTP connection mode	check box

- 7. If a modem connection is to be used:
  - a. From the PAP Unit Microsoft Windows desktop, configure the dial-up connection (Control Panel  $\rightarrow$  Phone and Modem Options).
  - b. From the PAM Autocalls Control Pane, select the Use modem connection checkbox.
  - c. Use the Connection name drop-down menu to select the required modem connection.
  - d. Complete the User name and Password fields with the declared authorized user name and user password.
- 8. Return to the PAP Unit Microsoft Windows desktop to complete remote maintenance setup as explained in the BULL Remote Maintenance Guide.

## Note:

Connection of the USB modem required for the Autocall feature is explained in Connecting the USB Modem and External Devices, on page 2-45.

# Connecting the PAP Unit to the Customer's Enterprise LAN



#### **CAUTION:**

Remote access via the Web is a potential security hazard. Customers are strongly advised to protect their systems with up-to-date protection devices such as virus-prevention programs and firewalls, and to maintain a detailed record of authorized users.

Once PAP unit configuration is complete, it can be connected to the Customer's Enterprise LAN.

The PAP unit provides two RJ45 Ethernet ports. The first is used for the internal server network and the second for connection to the Customer's Enterprise LAN for remote platform administration and maintenance.

- 1. Open the rear door and remove the left side cover.
- 2. Guide the Enterprise network cable supplied by the Customer through the cable cut-out at the base of the cabinet and up through the free space on the left side of the cabinet.
- 3. Access the PAP unit RJ45 Ethernet ports from the rear of the cabinet.

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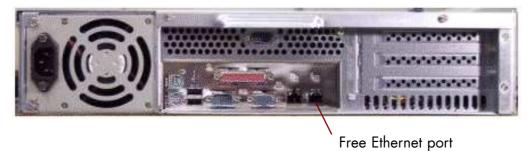


Figure 47. PAP unit free Ethernet port

- 4. Secure the Enterprise network cable to the left flange of the cabinet with the velcro fasteners supplied in the Open Me First kit.
- 5. Close the rear door and refit the left side cover.



### Important:

If the PAP unit is not connected to the Customer's Enterprise LAN, the remote maintenance autocall and certain event messaging options will not be enabled.

# Connecting to the PAM Web Site from a Remote Computer/Workstation



#### Important:

For optimum security, before connecting to PAM from a remote computer, you are advised to disconnect from your local Windows session on the PAP unit by clicking Start  $\rightarrow$  Log Off.

The PAM Software utility can be accessed from any PC running Microsoft Windows with the Internet Explorer (6 or later) browser installed and/or from any workstation running Linux with the Mozilla (1.6 or later) browser installed.

# **Enabling Remote Access to the PAM Web Site with Internet Explorer**

- 1. From the remote computer, configure Internet Explorer to connect directly to the PAM Web
  - a. From the Internet Explorer main menu bar, select **Tools**  $\rightarrow$  **Internet Options**  $\rightarrow$  **Home**
  - b. Type the PAM Web site URL defined during the PAP installation procedure in the home page address field: http://<PAPname>/pam (where **<PAPname>** is the name allocated to PAP unit during setup).
  - c. Save your changes and close Internet Explorer.
- Launch Internet Explorer to connect directly to the PAM web site.
- 3. When prompted, enter the appropriate Administrator or Operator User Name and **Password**. The PAM home page appears.

# Enabling Remote Access to the PAM Web Site with Mozilla

- 1. From the remote computer, configure Mozilla to connect directly to the PAM Web site:
  - a. From the Mozilla main menu bar, select **Edit**  $\rightarrow$  **Preferences**  $\rightarrow$  **Navigator**.
  - b. Check the Home Page box and enter the PAM Web site URL defined during the PAP installation procedure in the location field:

http://<PAPname>/pam

(where **<PAPname>** is the name allocated to PAP unit during setup).

- c. Save your changes and close Mozilla.
- 2. Launch Mozilla to connect directly to the PAM web site.
- 3. When prompted, enter the appropriate Administrator or Operator User Name and **Password**. The PAM home page appears.

# **Enabling Remote Access to iSM on the Client Computer**

FDA 1x00 FC and FDA 2x00 FC subsystems are delivered with iStorage Manager (iSM) for integrated monitoring and centralized management.

The iSM Server / Client utility is installed on the PAP Unit desktop. The Customer can install iSM Client on any standard PC running under Microsoft Windows (2000 or later).

To enable remote access to iSM:

- 1. Insert the iSM Client setup CD-Rom in the client computer.
- 2. Run the CLIENT\2000\ISMCE211.EXE program to launch the setup wizard which guides you through the iSM Client configuration procedure.
- 3. When you are requested to select **Setup Type**, click **basic + extended function**  $\rightarrow$  **Next**.
- 4. Once setup is complete, launch iSM Client to connect to iSM Server. A dialog box appears requesting you to set the environment for iSM Client.
- From the iSM Client menu, click File → Environment Settings to open the Server Settings
- 6. In the IP Address field, enter the PAP unit IP address allocated during the PAP unit setup process. See Completing PAP Unit Configuration, on page 2-24.
- 7. Click **OK** to establish the connection.
- 8. When requested enter the User Name and Password and click OK. See Changing the iStorage Manager User Name and Password, on page 2-22.

# **Completing Operating System Setup**

A list of the Customer data required to complete setup is given in the Read Me First booklet delivered with the system 24 hours before the scheduled installation date.

For further information about the server booting environment, see Using EFI Utilities in the User's Guide.

To complete Operating System setup, see:

- NovaScale 5xx5 SMP Servers Operating System Setup, on page 2-36
- NovaScale 5xx5 Partitioned Server Operating System Setup, on page 2-40

# NovaScale 5xx5 SMP Servers - Operating System Setup

An Operating System instance is pre-installed on the domain boot disk:

OLUO = LUN device located in ModuleO DIBO or connected to ModuleO IOCO

Before proceeding to complete setup on the domain:

1. From the Customer Administrator PAM Tree, click **Domain Manager**. MyOperations-1 domain is displayed in the Control pane.

2. Check Operating System type:

Microsoft Windows or Linux logo in the **Domain Identities** box.

3. Locate the DVD-Rom drive:

MyOperations-1: ModuleO, IPDO

4. Note the KVM port for the domain:

MyOperations-1: CSSO-Mod0-IO0

5. Check that the Customer has supplied the System and Networking data required to complete setup and customize the system. See the Installation Setup Data tables in the Read Me First document supplied on delivery.

To complete Operating System setup, see:

- Microsoft Windows Setup, on page 2-37
- Linux Redhat Setup, on page 2-38
- Novell SuSe Setup, on page 2-39

### **Microsoft Windows Setup**



Warning:

Most of the options selected and validated during the setup sequence can be modified. However, special attention is to be paid when selecting and validating the Licensing Mode (Per Seat / Per Server). If selected and validated, the Per Server" Licensing Mode option CAN be modified. If selected and validated, the Per Seat" Licensing Mode CANNOT be modified.

- 1. Check that the Microsoft Windows CD-Rom labeled TO BE COMPLETED" is ready for use and that the yellow sticker with the 25-character Microsoft Windows Product Key required to complete setup is clearly visible inside the cabinet.
- 2. Select the Microsoft Windows domain in the Control pane and click Power On to power up the domain and associated hardware components.
- 3. Toggle the local / integrated console from the PAP unit display to the domain display. See Toggling the Local / Integrated Console Display, on page 2-12.
- 4. Check Regional, Date/Time, and Time Zone settings under EFI.
- 5. The setup wizard is launched automatically and guides the Customer and the Customer Service Engineer through the setup completion procedure (approximately 30 minutes).

Once setup is complete, Microsoft Windows shuts down, the system domain is rebooted and the server configuration wizard is launched automatically.

### Mote:

Server configuration is a Customer-specific task and is not performed by the Customer Service Engineer during installation. Once the system has been fully installed, the Customer Administrator may launch this wizard to configure and manage Server Roles.

- 6. Close the server configuration wizard.
- 7. Shut down the domain and associated hardware components by selecting the Shut Down command in the Start Menu.
- 8. Toggle the local / integrated console from the domain display to the PAP unit display. See Toggling the Local / Integrated Console Display, on page 2-12.

#### **Linux RedHat Setup**

- 1. Select the Linux RedHat domain in the **Control** pane scheme and click **Power On** to power up the domain and associated hardware components.
- 2. Toggle the local / integrated console from the PAP unit display to the domain display. See Toggling the Local / Integrated Console Display, on page 2-12.
- 3. Check Regional, Date/Time, and Time Zone settings.
- 4. Place the Linux RedHat CD-Rom in the drive. Setup is completed via the Webmin administration tool:
  - a. Enter the Webmin URL: http://<localhost>:10000. The Login to Webmin dialog box opens.
  - b. Enter the default User Name and Password, followed by **Enter**. The Webmin home page opens.

User Name	root
Password	root

- c. Click the **Networking** icon to open the Networking main page.
- d. Click Network Configuration → Network Interfaces. In the Interfaces Activated at Boot Time field, click Add a new interface to open the Create Bootup Interface configuration page. Complete the required fields with the data supplied by the Customer and click Create.
- e. From the Interfaces Activated at Boot Time field, select the new interface. The Edit **Bootup Interface** page opens. Check settings and click **Save and Apply**  $\rightarrow$  **Return to** network configuration.
- f. Click Routing and Gateways to open the Routing and Gateways configuration page. Complete the required fields with the data supplied by the Customer and click **Save**  $\rightarrow$ Return to network configuration.
- g. Click DNS Client to open the DNS Client Options configuration page. Complete the required fields with the data supplied by the Customer and click **Save**  $\rightarrow$  **Return to** network configuration.
- h. Click Host Addresses → Add a new host address to open the Host and Addresses configuration box. Complete the required fields with the data supplied by the Customer and click Create → Return to host addresses list → Return to network configuration → Return to index → System → Bootup and Shutdown to create a new bootup and shutdown action.
- i. From the action list, select **Network** to display the **Edit Action** page and click  $\rightarrow$  **Restart** Now  $\rightarrow$  Return to action  $\rightarrow$  Return to bootup and shutdown actions  $\rightarrow$  Return to index → Log Out to exit Webmin. Once setup is complete, the network is activated.
- Shut down the domain and associated hardware components by selecting the Shut Down command in the Start Menu.
- Toggle the local / integrated console from the domain display to the PAP unit display. See Toggling the Local / Integrated Console Display, on page 2-12.

### **Novell SuSe Setup**

- 1. Select the Linux SuSe domain in the **Control** pane scheme and click **Power On** to power up the domain and associated hardware components.
- 2. Toggle the local / integrated console from the PAP unit display to the domain display. See Toggling the Local / Integrated Console Display, on page 2-12.
- 3. Check Regional, Date/Time, and Time Zone settings.
- 4. Place the Linux SuSe CD-Rom in the drive. Setup is completed via the Yast Control Center administration tool:
  - a. Type the default User Name and Password, followed by Enter.

User Name	root
Password	root

b. Enter yast2 (graphical mode) or yast (non-graphical mode) to open the Yast Control Center main page.

### Mote:

Use the **<Tab>** and **<Arrow>** keys to navigate through the menus.

- c. Click Network/Basic → Network Card Configuration.
- d. Select the required network card and click **Configure**.
- e. From the Network Address Setup page, select the setup method and complete the required fields with the data supplied by the Customer.
- f. From the Details settings area, click Host name and name server. Complete the required fields and click Next.
- g. From the Details settings area, click Routing. Complete the required fields and click Next to return to the Network Card Configuration page. Your network card is displayed in the Already configured devices area.
- h. Click **Close** to exit Yast Control Center. Once setup is complete, the network is activated.
- 5. Shut down the domain and associated hardware components by selecting the Shut Down command in the Start Menu.
- 6. Toggle the local / integrated console from the domain display to the PAP unit display. See Togaling the Local / Integrated Console Display, on page 2-12.

# NovaScale 5xx5 Partitioned Server - Operating System Setup

An Operating System instance is pre-installed on each domain boot disk (EFI LUN):

```
OLUO = LUN device located in ModuleO_DIBO or connected to ModuleO_IOCO
OLU1 = LUN device located in ModuleO_DIB1 or connected to ModuleO_IOC1
OLU2 = LUN device located in Module1_DIBO or connected to Module1_IOCO
OLU3 = LUN device located in Module1_DIB1 or connected to Module1_IOC1
OLU4 = LUN device located in Module2_DIBO or connected to Module2_IOCO
OLU5 = LUN device located in Module2_DIB1 or connected to Module2_IOC1
OLU6 = LUN device located in Module3_DIBO or connected to Module3_IOCO
OLU7 = LUN device located in Module3_DIB1 or connected to Module3_IOC1
```

According to Customer requirements, identical or different Operating System instances may be pre-installed on each EFI LUN. Operating System setup must be completed for each Operating System instance.

Before proceeding to complete setup on each domain:

- From the Customer Administrator PAM Tree, click **Domain Manager**. The pre-installed domains are displayed in the **Control** pane.
- 2. Check Operating System type for each domain:

```
Microsoft Windows or Linux logo in the Domain Identities box.
```

3. Locate the corresponding CD-Rom drive:

```
MyOperations-1: Module0, DIB0
MyOperations-2: Module0, DIB1
MyOperations-3: Module1, DIB0
MyOperations-4: Module1, DIB1
MyOperations-5: Module2, DIB0
MyOperations-6: Module2, DIB1
MyOperations-7: Module3, DIB0
MyOperations-8: Module3, DIB1
```

4. Note KVM ports for each domain:

```
MyOperations-1: CSS0_Mod0_IO0
MyOperations-2: CSS0_Mod0_IO1
MyOperations-3: CSS0_Mod1_IO0
MyOperations-4: CSS0_Mod1_IO1
MyOperations-5: CSS0_Mod2_IO0
MyOperations-6: CSS0_Mod2_IO1
MyOperations-7: CSS0_Mod3_IO0
MyOperations-8: CSS0_Mod3_IO1
```

5. Check that the Customer has supplied the System and Networking data required to complete setup and customize the system. See the *Installation Setup Data* tables in the *Read Me First* document supplied on delivery.

To complete Operating System setup, see:

- Microsoft Windows Setup, on page 2-41
- Linux Redhat Setup, on page 2-42
- Novell SuSe Setup, on page 2-43

### Microsoft Windows Setup



Most of the options selected and validated during the setup sequence can be modified. However, special attention is to be paid when selecting and validating the Licensing Mode (Per Seat / Per Server). If selected and validated, the Per Server" Licensing Mode option CAN be modified. If selected and validated, the Per Seat" Licensing Mode CANNOT be modified.

- 1. Check that the Microsoft Windows CD-Rom labeled TO BE COMPLETED" is ready for use and that the yellow sticker with the 25-character Microsoft Windows Product Key required to complete setup is clearly visible inside the cabinet.
- 2. Select the first Microsoft Windows domain in the Control pane and click Power On to power up the domain and associated hardware components.
- 3. Toggle the local / integrated console from the PAP unit display to MyOperations-1 or MyOperations-2 or MyOperations-3 or MyOperations-4 display, as required. See Toggling the Local / Integrated Console Display, on page 2-12.
- 4. Check Regional, Date/Time, and Time Zone settings under EFI.
- 5. The setup wizard is launched automatically and guides the Customer and the Customer Service Engineer through the setup completion procedure (approximately 30 minutes).

Once setup is complete, Microsoft Windows shuts down, the system domain is rebooted and the server configuration wizard is launched automatically.

### Mote:

Server configuration is a Customer-specific task and is not performed by the Customer Service Engineer during installation. Once the system has been fully installed, the Customer Administrator may launch this wizard to configure and manage Server Roles.

- 6. Close the server configuration wizard.
- Shut down the domain and associated hardware components by selecting the Shut Down command in the Start Menu.
- 8. Toggle the local / integrated console from the domain display to the PAP unit display. See Toggling the Local / Integrated Console Display, on page 2-12.
- 9. Update Domain Identity Management Parameters:
  - a. From the Customer Administrator PAM Tree, click **Domains**  $\rightarrow$  **Identities**.
  - b. Select the corresponding **Domain Identity** and click **Edit**. The **Edit Identity** dialog
  - c. Complete the Network Name, IP Address, and URL fields with the data entered during the setup completion procedure.
- 10. Repeat steps 1 to 9 for each pre-installed Microsoft Windows instance.

#### **Linux RedHat Setup**

- 1. Select the first Linux RedHat domain in the Control pane scheme and click Power On to power up the domain and associated hardware components.
- 2. Toggle the local / integrated console from the PAP unit display to MyOperations-1 or MyOperations-2 or MyOperations-3 or MyOperations-4 display, as required. See Toggling the Local / Integrated Console Display, on page 2-12.
- 3. Check Regional, Date/Time, and Time Zone settings.
- 4. Place the Linux RedHat CD-Rom in the corresponding drive. Setup is completed via the Webmin administration tool:
  - a. Enter the Webmin URL: http://<localhost>:10000. The Login to Webmin dialog box opens.
  - Enter the default User Name and Password, followed by Enter. The Webmin home page opens.

User Name	root
Password	root

- c. Click the **Networking** icon to open the Networking main page.
- d. Click Network Configuration 

  Network Interfaces. In the Interfaces Activated at Boot Time field, click Add a new interface to open the Create Bootup Interface configuration page. Complete the required fields with the data supplied by the Customer and click Create.
- e. From the Interfaces Activated at Boot Time field, select the new interface. The Edit Bootup Interface page opens. Check settings and click Save and Apply → Return to network configuration.
- f. Click Routing and Gateways to open the Routing and Gateways configuration page. Complete the required fields with the data supplied by the Customer and click **Save**  $\rightarrow$ Return to network configuration.
- g. Click DNS Client to open the DNS Client Options configuration page. Complete the required fields with the data supplied by the Customer and click **Save**  $\rightarrow$  **Return to** network configuration.
- h. Click Host Addresses → Add a new host address to open the Host and Addresses configuration box. Complete the required fields with the data supplied by the Customer and click Create → Return to host addresses list → Return to network configuration  $\rightarrow$  Return to index  $\rightarrow$  System  $\rightarrow$  Bootup and Shutdown to create a new bootup and shutdown action.
- i. From the action list, select **Network** to display the **Edit Action** page and click  $\rightarrow$  **Restart** Now  $\rightarrow$  Return to action  $\rightarrow$  Return to bootup and shutdown actions  $\rightarrow$  Return to index → Log Out to exit Webmin. Once setup is complete, the network is activated.
- 5. Shut down the domain and associated hardware components by selecting the Shut Down command in the Start Menu.
- 6. Toggle the local / integrated console from the domain display to the PAP unit display. See Toggling the Local / Integrated Console Display, on page 2-12.
- 7. Update **Domain Identity Management Parameters**:
  - a. From the Customer Administrator PAM Tree, click **Domains**  $\rightarrow$  **Identities**.
  - b. Select the corresponding **Domain Identity** and click **Edit**. The **Edit Identity** dialog
  - c. Complete the Network Name, IP Address, and URL fields with the data entered during the setup completion procedure.
- 8. Repeat steps 1 to 7 for each pre-installed Linux Redhat instance.

### **Novell SuSe Setup**

- 1. Select the first Linux SuSe domain in the **Control** pane scheme and click **Power On** to power up the domain and associated hardware components.
- 2. Toggle the local / integrated console from the PAP unit display to MyOperations-1 or MyOperations-2 or MyOperations-3 or MyOperations-4 display, as required. See Togaling the Local / Integrated Console Display, on page 2-12.
- 3. Check Regional, Date/Time, and Time Zone settings.
- 4. Place the Linux SuSe CD-Rom in the corresponding drive. Setup is completed via the Yast Control Center administration tool:
  - a. Type the default User Name and Password, followed by Enter.

User Name	root
Password	root

b. Enter yast2 (graphical mode) or yast (non-graphical mode) to open the Yast Control Center main page.

### Mote:

Use the <Tab> and <Arrow> keys to navigate through the menus.

- c. Click Network/Basic → Network Card Configuration.
- d. Select the required network card and click Configure.
- e. From the Network Address Setup page, select the setup method and complete the required fields with the data supplied by the Customer.
- f. From the Details settings area, click Host name and name server. Complete the required fields and click Next.
- g. From the Details settings area, click Routing. Complete the required fields and click Next to return to the Network Card Configuration page. Your network card is displayed in the Already configured devices area.
- h. Click Close to exit Yast Control Center. Once setup is complete, the network is activated.
- 5. Shut down the domain and associated hardware components by selecting the Shut Down command in the Start Menu.
- 6. Toggle the local / integrated console from the domain display to the PAP unit display. See Toggling the Local / Integrated Console Display, on page 2-12.
- 7. Update **Domain Identity Management Parameters**:
  - a. From the Customer Administrator PAM Tree, click **Domains**  $\rightarrow$  **Identities**.
  - b. Select the corresponding **Domain Identity** and click **Edit**. The **Edit Identity** dialog
  - c. Complete the Network Name, IP Address, and URL fields with the data entered during the setup completion procedure.
- 8. Repeat steps 1 to 7 for each pre-installed Linux SuSE instance.

# Connecting the Server to the Enterprise LAN



#### Important:

Extra cable lengths of 1.5 meters are required for maintenance. These extra cable lengths must be absorbed in the plenum space under the cabinet.

At the Customer's request, server domains can be connected to the Enterprise LAN via the IOL board for remote operation.



Figure 48. 10/100/1000 Mb/s LAN port

To connect server domain(s) to the Enterprise LAN:

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9. Locate the corresponding IOL board:

MyOperations-1: Module0, IOC0, IOL0

MyOperations-2: Module0, IOC1, IOL1

MyOperations-3: Module 1, IOC0, IOL0

MyOperations-4: Module 1, IOC 1, IOL 1

MyOperations-5: Module2, IOC0, IOL0

MyOperations-6: Module2, IOC1, IOL1

MyOperations-7: Module3, IOC0, IOL0

MyOperations-8: Module3, IOC1, IOL1

- 10.Locate the Ethernet 10/100/1000 Mb/s LAN RJ45 ports on each IOL board.
- 11.Connect the network cables equipped with an RJ45 connector to the IOL board LAN ports. Network connections are detected automatically.
- 12. Carefully route network cables through the cable inlet at the base of the cabinet.

# **Connecting the USB Modem and External Devices**

# Connecting the USB Modem

If the Customer's maintenance contract includes the Autocall feature, connect the USB modem

- 1. Connect the modem cable equipped with a USB connector to the USB port on the rear of the PAP unit.
- 2. Route the line modem cable equipped with an RJ11 connector through the cable cut-out at the base of the cabinet.
- 3. Connect the modem cable to the line port on the rear of the USB modem. See the Cabling Guide, 86 A192ER.

Modem cable connectors differ from country to country. Customers are to provide the RJ11 adapter required to comply with national standards.

# **Connecting External Storage Peripherals**

The Customer may now proceed to connect any external storage peripherals (tape libraries, external disk subsystems, ...) required for use with the server.

# **Testing Network Connections**

Network connections to the PAP unit and to server domains can be tested from a remote workstation connected to the same network by launching a PING command.

### Mote:

PAP unit setup is described in Completing PAP Unit Configuration, on page 2-24.

#### Windows® Workstation

- 1. Click Start → Run and enter cmd.
- 2. Enter **ping <IP\_address>**, (where <IP\_address> is the IP address allocated to the PAP unit or server domain during setup).

#### **Linux® Workstation**

- Open a Shell command window.
- 2. Enter **ping <IP\_address>**, (where <IP\_address> is the IP address allocated to the PAP unit or server domain during setup).

### Mote:

If the PAP unit or server domain does not reply to the PING command, check network connections and configuration:

- IP address,
- DHCP,
- Network mask,
- Network card driver.

# **Testing Autocalls**

If the Customer's maintenance contract includes the Autocall feature, check the connection between the PAP unit and the Remote Maintenance Center Server as follows:

- 1. From the PAM home page, click **Configuration Tasks** → **Autocalls**.
- Click the Test Autocall button in the toolbar. A dialog appears to confirm that the autocall has been sent to the Remote Maintenance Center.

# **Completing the PAM Installation Intervention Report**

Once system operation has been checked, an **Installation Intervention Report** must be completed. If the Customer's maintenance contract includes the Autocall feature, this report will be automatically transferred to the Remote Maintenance Center.

#### ☑ Note

If the Customer's maintenance contract does not include the Autocall feature, manually complete the **Installation Work Order** provided in the **Open Me First** box. The intervention report is sent as an event message and stored in the PAM History directory. See the *User's Guide*.

- 1. From the PAM home page, click **Servicing Tools** → **Intervention Report**.
- 2. Complete the Intervention Report.
- 3. Click **Send**. If the Customer's maintenance contract includes the Autocall feature, the report is automatically transferred to the Remote Maintenance Center. If the Customer's maintenance contract does not include the Autocall feature, the report is sent as an event message and stored in the PAM History directory.

# Renaming a Central Subsystem

### Mote:

Central Subsystem configuration is reserved for Customer Service Engineers.

The Central Subsystem may be renamed to suit Customer requirements. Changes to Central Subsystem configuration entail removing the existing Central Subsystem from the configuration and adding a new Central Subsystem to the configuration with the name chosen by the Customer.

### Removing / Adding a Central Subsystem

- 1. From the Support Administrator PAM Tree, click **Domain Manager** to check that all domains are INACTIVE. If a domain is ACTIVE, request the Customer to power down the domain. See Powering Up / Down Server Domains, on page 2-16.
- 2. Click **Configuration Tasks** → **Central Subsystem**. The Central Subsystem control pane
- 3. Select the Central Subsystem and click **Remove**. A dialog opens requesting you to confirm
- 4. Click **OK** to remove the Central Subsystem.
- 5. Click New. The Add Central Subsystem dialog appears.

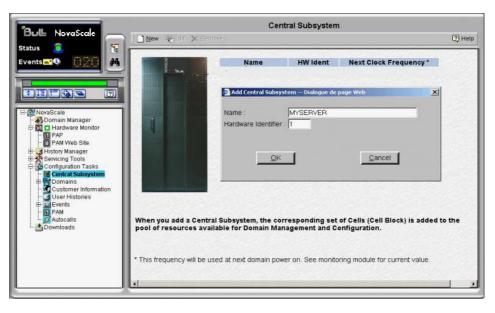


Figure 49. Central Subsystem control pane

6. Enter the Central Subsystem name supplied by the Customer and the hardware hexadecimal identifier (between 0 and F as indicated on the PMB CSS code wheel).

# P Note:

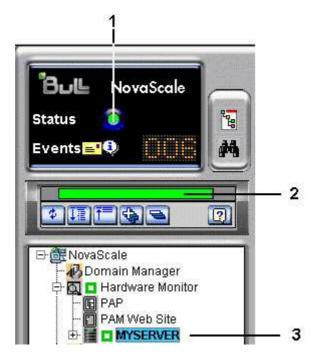
Up to 16 CSS modules can be linked, via a PMB to the PAP unit. PMB code wheels allow the identification of each cabinet and each CSS module in the Customer's configuration.

Example of PMB code wheel settings for a system with 3 cabinets, each containing 2 modules:

	Cabinet 1	Cabinet 2	Cabinet 3
Cabinet Hexadecimal Code (0 to F)	0	1	2
CSS Module_0 Hexadecimal Code (0 to F)	0	0	0
CSS Module_1 Hexadecimal Code (0 to F)	1	1	1

Table 3. PMB code wheel settings - multiple server configuration example

- 7. Click **OK**. You are requested to update the PAM tree.
- 8. Click the PAM tree Refresh button. The new Central Subsystem is added to the pool of resources available for domain management and configuration and appears in the PAM tree under the Hardware Monitor node.



1	Functional status icon
2	CSS availability status bar
3	Central Subsystem

Figure 50. Central Subsystem node

9. Check server status - system functional status icon and CSS availability status bar green in the Status pane. See Figure 27.Status pane, on page 2-9.

### Mote:

PAM software allocates a PUID (PAM Universal / Unique Identifier) to each hardware / software object to guarantee unambiguous identification.

The PUID for a Central Subsystem is:

PAM:/CELLSBLOCK\_<NAME>,

where <NAME> is the name allocated by the Customer when the Central Subsystem is declared.

The PUID for the Central Subsystem in the example shown above is:

PAM:/CELLSBLOCK\_MYSERVER

This PUID is used for the creation of Domain Schemes.

# **Setting up PAP Unit Users**

The Customer Administrator should now set up at least one Customer Administrator and one Customer Operator user account to ensure controlled access to the PAP unit.

The Microsoft Windows operating system pre-installed on the PAP unit provides standard security features for controlling access to applications and resources. PAM software security is based on Windows® user management and you are advised to give Windows® administrator rights to at least one member of the PAP Customer Administrator user group. For further details about user management, refer to the Microsoft Windows documentation on the Bull NovaScale Server System Resource CD.

### Mote:

You are advised to change the temporary Administrator password (administrator) used for setup purposes and to maintain a detailed record of authorized users.

# **Predefined PAP User Groups**

For optimum security and flexibility, the Microsoft Windows software environment is delivered with two predefined Customer user groups:

#### Pap\_Customer\_Administrators Group (CA)

This group is designed for customer representatives responsible for the overall management, configuration, and operation of the system. Members of the Customer Administrator group are allowed to configure and administrate the server and have full access to the PAM Domain Manager, Hardware Monitor, History Manager and Configuration Tasks menus, as shown in Table 4.

#### Pap\_Customer\_Operators (CO)

This group is designed for customer representatives responsible for the daily operation of the system. Members of the Customer Operator group are allowed to operate the server and have partial access to the **Domain Manager** and **History Manager** menus, as shown in Table

### Motes:

- Group membership also conditions which Event Messages a user will receive via the PAM Web interface. See Setting up Event Subscriptions, in the User's Guide.
- The predefined Customer user groups have been designed to suit the needs of most Administrator and Operators. Contact your Customer Service Engineer if you require a customized user group.



The two predefined Support user groups:

- Pap Support Administrators
- Pap\_Support\_Operators

are reserved EXCLUSIVELY for authorized Customer Service Engineers in charge of monitoring, servicing, and upgrading the system.

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CA = Customer Administrator / CO = Customer Operator

Table 4. User access to PAM features

# Initializing the PAP Unit Backup Disk

The PAP Unit is delivered with two RAID 1 (hard mirror) disks installed and a third spare disk.

Now that the server has been installed and is operational and the PAP Unit and PAM software have been customized, you should now initialize the backup disk.

In the event of disk failure or logical data corruption, the backup disk can be easily used to repair the disk hard mirror.

The Adaptec Storage Manager utility is used to configure and monitor PAP Unit disks.

1. From the PAP Unit desktop, launch Adaptec Storage Manager, as shown in the following figure.



Figure 51. Launching Adaptec Storage Manager

2. Display PAP Unit disk configuration.

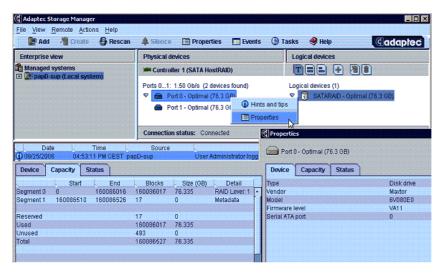


Figure 52. Displaying PAP Unit disk configuration

- 3. Check that backup disk configuration is the same as that of the two original disks installed in the PAP Unit.
- 4. Flush caches by powering down the PAP Unit.
- 5. Complete the **Comment** box with the reason for rebooting the PAP Unit, as shown in the following figure (A).



Figure 53. Rebooting the PAP Unit

6. Remove the right disk and store in a safe place. This disk is now the backup disk.

#### P Note:

Whenever the backup disk needs to be updated, it is exchanged with the **right** disk which, in turn, becomes the backup disk.



Figure 54. Removing the right disk

- 7. Reboot the PAP Unit by pressing the Power On switch (A) in the above figure.
- 8. Wait for Windows ready and launch Adaptec Storage Manager.
- 9. Insert the blank (third) disk and monitor the building process.

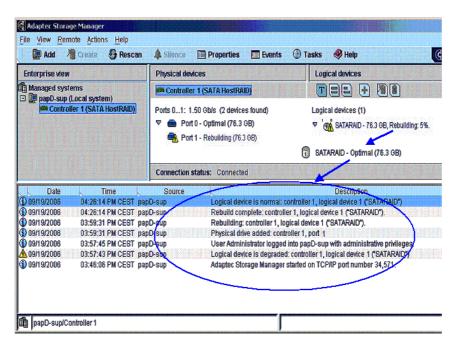


Figure 55. Blank disk building process

# **Backing Up and Restoring PAM Configuration Files**

The Customer Administrator should now set up an automatic backup task via the Microsoft Windows **Task Scheduler** to save PAM configuration data to a removable media or to a network directory for rapid restoration in the event of a PAP unit failure.

To ensure carefree, reliable and regular configuration data backup, the Bull NovaScale Server Resource CD contains two scripts, **PamBackupData.js** and **PamRestoreData.js**, that can be scheduled to run via the Microsoft Windows **Task Scheduler** to save and restore PAM configuration data.

### Notes:

- PAM configuration data is automatically saved to the default PAM Site Data directory on the PAP unit:
  - <WinDrive>:\Program Files\BULL\PAM\PAMSiteData\<DataCompatibilityRelease>
- The PamBackupData.js and PamRestoreData.js scripts are stored in the PAM Site Data directory on the PAP unit:
  - <WinDrive>:\Program Files\BULL\PAM\PAMSiteData\ReleaseData\Utilities

# **Backing Up PAM Configuration Files**

To create a Microsoft Windows automatic backup task:

- Select or create the local or network directory to be used for saving configuration data, e.g.
- Create a local directory for the PamBackupData.js and PamRestoreData.js script files, e.g. < MyPamBackupTools>.
- Copy the PamBackupData.js and PamRestoreData.js script files into the AMyPamBackupTools> directory.
- 4. Create a Text File and enter the following command line:

#### Cscript PamBackupData.js < MyPamBackupDirectory>

- 5. Save the Text File as a batch file with a **.BAT** extension, e.g. < MyPamBackupCommand>.bat.
- Click Control Panel → Scheduled Tasks → Add Scheduled Task to open the Task Scheduler wizard and follow the instructions. PAM configuration data will be automatically saved at the interval indicated in the wizard.

# **Restoring PAM Configuration Data**



The same PAM software release must be deployed on the PAP unit and on the backup PC to allow data restoration.

PAM releases use the same data directory to ensure configuration consistency. Before activating / re-activating a PAM Version, ensure that the <DataCompatibilityRelease> level of deployed releases is compatible.

To restore PAM configuration data:

- 1. If required, install the same PAM software release on the backup PC as on the PAP unit. See Deploying a New PAM Release and Activating a PAM Version in the User's Guide.
- 1. From the Microsoft Windows desktop, open a command window. Browse to the <MyPamBackupTools> directory containing the script files and enter the following command line:

Cscript PamRestoreBackupData.js < MyPamBackupDirectory>

Saved PAM configuration data is restored.

## Appendix A. Specifications

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## NovaScale 5085 Server Specifications

NovaScale 5085 Servers are delivered rack-mounted in 40U or 19U cabinets.

Cabinet Dimensions / Weight			
Unpacked Packed			
1300H	1300H		
Height: 195.5 cm (77.0 in)	Height: 200.0 cm (78.7 in)		
Width: 60.0 cm (23.6 in)	Width: 80.0 cm (31.5 in)		
Depth: 129.5 cm (51.0 in)	Depth: 140.0 cm (55.1 in)		
Weight (max): 340 kg (725 lb)	Weight (max): 370 kg (790 lb)		
1300L	1300L		
Height: 103.5 cm (40.7 in)	Height: 108.0 cm (42.5in)		
Width: 60.0 cm (23.6 in)	Width: 80.0 cm (31.5 in)		
Depth: 129.5 cm (51.0 in)	Depth: 140.0 cm (55.1 in)		
Weight (max.): 290 kg (618 lb)	Weight (max.): 320 kg (682 lb)		
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Front	150 cm		
Rear	100 cm		
Side (free side)	100 cm		
Operating Limits			
Dry bulb temperature range	+15°C to +30°C (+59°F to +86°F)		
	Gradient 5°C/h (41°F/h)		
Relative humidity (non-condensing)	35 to 60% (Gradient 5%/h)		
Max. wet bulb temperature	+24°C (+75.2°F)		
Moisture content	0.019 kg water/kg dry air		
Pressure / Elevation	Sea level <u>&lt;</u> 2500 m		
Optimum Opero	tional Reliability		
Temperature	+ 22°C ( <u>+</u> 3°C) (+ 72°F ( <u>+</u> 5°F)		
Hygrometry	50% (± 5%)		
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Dry bulb temperature range	+5°C to +50°C (+41°F to +122°F)		
	Gradient 25°C/h (77°F/h)		
Relative humidity (non-condensing)	5 to 95% (Gradient 30%)		
Max. wet bulb temperature	+28°C (+82.4°F)		
Moisture content	0.024 kg water/kg dry air		
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Dry bulb temperature range	-35°C to +65°C (-31°F to +149°F)		
	Gradient 25°C/h (77°F/h)		
Relative humidity (non-condensing)	5 to 95% Gradient 30%/h		
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equency	$60~{ m Hz}\pm0.3\%$	
Jap	oan	
ominal voltage	200 VAC (Phase / Neutral)	
ltage range	188 - 212 VAC	
equency	60 Hz ± 0.2%	
Brazil		
ominal voltage	220 VAC (Phase / Neutral)	
ltage range	212 - 231 VAC	
equency	60 Hz $\pm$ 2%	
Breaker Protection (Mains Power)		
U-2-4-M-32A	32A Curve C	
aximum inrush current	210A / per quarter period	

Table 5. NovaScale 5085 Server specifications

## NovaScale 5165 Server Specifications

NovaScale 5165 Servers are delivered rack-mounted in 40U or 19U cabinets.

Cabinet Dimensions / Weight		
Unpacked	Packed	
1300H	1300H	
Height: 195.5 cm (77.0 in)	Height: 200.0 cm (78.7 in)	
Width: 60.0 cm (23.6 in)	Width: 80.0 cm (31.5 in)	
Depth: 129.5 cm (51.0 in)	Depth: 140.0 cm (55.1 in)	
Weight (max): 450 kg (959 lb)	Weight (max): 480 kg (1022 lb)	
1300L	1300L	
Height: 103.5 cm (40.7 in)	Height: 108.0 cm (42.5in)	
Width: 60.0 cm (23.6 in)	Width: 80.0 cm (31.5 in)	
Depth: 129.5 cm (51.0 in)	Depth: 140.0 cm (55.1 in)	
Weight (max.): 400 kg (852 lb)	Weight (max.): 430 kg (915 lb)	
Service C	learance	
Front	150 cm	
Rear	100 cm	
Side (free side)	100 cm	
Operating Limits		
Dry bulb temperature range	+15°C to +30°C (+59°F to +86°F)	
	Gradient 5°C/h (41°F/h)	
Relative humidity (non-condensing)	35 to 60% (Gradient 5%/h)	
Max. wet bulb temperature	+24°C (+75.2°F)	
Moisture content	0.019 kg water/kg dry air	
Pressure / Elevation	Sea level ≤ 2500 m	
Optimum Operational Reliability		
Temperature	+ 22°C ( <u>+</u> 3°C) (+ 72°F ( <u>+</u> 5°F)	
Hygrometry	50% (± 5%)	
Non-Operating Limits		
Dry bulb temperature range	+5°C to +50°C (+41°F to +122°F)	
	Gradient 25°C/h (77°F/h)	
Relative humidity (non-condensing)	5 to 95% (Gradient 30%)	
Max. wet bulb temperature	+28°C (+82.4°F)	
Moisture content	0.024 kg water/kg dry air	
Shippin	g Limits	
Dry bulb temperature range	-35°C to +65°C (-31°F to +149°F)	
	Gradient 25°C/h (77°F/h)	
Relative humidity (non-condensing)	5 to 95% Gradient 30%/h	

Acoustic Power at Room Temperature +20° C (+68° F)		
System Running System Idle		
Lw(A) 6.3 Bels	Lw(A) 6.1 Bels	
Power	Cables	
PDU-2-4-M-32A		
AC (32A)	1 per PDU	
Cable type	3 x AWG10 (3 x 6 mm <sup>2</sup> / #10US)	
Connector type	IEC60309-32A	
It is mandatory for power lines and terminal boxes to be located within the immediate vicinity of the system and to be easily accessible. Each power line must be connected to a separate, independent electrical panel and bipolar circuit breaker.  PDUs require an extra cable length of 1.5 meters for connection inside the cabinet.		
Electrical Specifications (power supplies are auto-sensing and auto-ranging)		
Current draw	11 A max. at 200 VAC input	
Power consumption	2400 VA per full CSS module	
Thermal dissipation	2400 W / 8190 BTU per full CSS module	
Eur	rope	
Nominal voltage	230 VAC (Phase / Neutral)	
Voltage range	207 - 244 VAC	
Frequency	50 Hz $\pm$ 1%	
United State	es of America	
Nominal voltage	208 VAC (Phase / Neutral)	
Voltage range	182 - 229 VAC	
Frequency	60 Hz $\pm$ 0.3%	
Ja	pan	
Nominal voltage	200 VAC (Phase / Neutral)	
Voltage range	188 - 212 VAC	
Frequency	60 Hz $\pm$ 0.2%	
Brazil		
Nominal voltage	220 VAC (Phase / Neutral)	
Voltage range	212 - 231 VAC	
Frequency	60 Hz $\pm$ 2%	
Breaker Protecti	on (Mains Power)	
PDU-2-4-M-32A	32A Curve C	
Maximum inrush current	210A / per quarter period	

Table 6. NovaScale 5165 Server specifications

## NovaScale 5245 Server Specifications

NovaScale 5245 Servers are delivered rack-mounted in 40U cabinets.

Cabinet Dimensions / Weight		
Unpacked	Packed	
1300H	1300H	
Height: 195.5 cm (77.0 in)	Height: 200.0 cm (78.7 in)	
Width: 60.0 cm (23.6 in)	Width: 80.0 cm (31.5 in)	
Depth: 129.5 cm (51.0 in)	Depth: 140.0 cm (55.1 in)	
Weight (max): 560 kg (1193 lb)	Weight (max): 590 kg (1257 lb)	
Servic	e Clearance	
Front	150 cm	
Rear	100 cm	
Side (free side)	100 cm	
Oper	ating Limits	
Dry bulb temperature range	+15°C to +30°C (+59°F to +86°F)	
	Gradient 5°C/h (41°F/h)	
Relative humidity (non-condensing)	35 to 60% (Gradient 5%/h)	
Max. wet bulb temperature	+24°C (+75.2°F)	
Moisture content	0.019 kg water/kg dry air	
Pressure / Elevation	Sea level ≤ 2500 m	
Optimum Operational Reliability		
Temperature $+ 22^{\circ}\text{C} (\pm 3^{\circ}\text{C}) (+ 72^{\circ}\text{F} (\pm 5^{\circ}\text{F})$		
Hygrometry	50% ( <u>±</u> 5%)	
Non-Op	erating Limits	
Dry bulb temperature range	+5°C to +50°C (+41°F to +122°F)	
	Gradient 25°C/h (77°F/h)	
Relative humidity (non-condensing)	5 to 95% (Gradient 30%)	
Max. wet bulb temperature +28°C (+82.4°F)		
Moisture content	0.024 kg water/kg dry air	
Shipping Limits		
Dry bulb temperature range	-35°C to +65°C (-31°F to +149°F)	
	Gradient 25°C/h (77°F/h)	
Relative humidity (non-condensing)	5 to 95% Gradient 30%/h	
Acoustic Power at Room	Temperature +20° C (+68° F)	
System Running	System Idle	
Lw(A) 6.3 Bels	Lw(A) 6.1 Bels	

Power Cables		
PDU-2-4-M-32A		
AC (32A)	1 per PDU	
Cable type	3 x AWG10 (3 x 6 mm <sup>2</sup> / #10US)	
Connector type	IEC60309-32A	
It is mandatory for power lines and terminal boxes to be located within the immediate vicinity of the system and to be easily accessible. Each power line must be connected to a separate, independent electrical panel and bipolar circuit breaker.  PDUs require an extra cable length of 1.5 meters for connection inside the cabinet.		
Electrical Specifications (power supplies are auto-sensing and auto-ranging)		
Current draw	11 A max. at 200 VAC input	
Power consumption	2400 VA per full CSS module	
Thermal dissipation	2400 W / 8190 BTU per full CSS module	
Europe		
Nominal voltage	230 VAC (Phase / Neutral)	
Voltage range	207 - 244 VAC	
Frequency	50 Hz $\pm$ 1%	
United States	s of America	
Nominal voltage	208 VAC (Phase / Neutral)	
Voltage range	182 - 229 VAC	
Frequency	60 Hz $\pm$ 0.3%	
Jap	oan	
Nominal voltage	200 VAC (Phase / Neutral)	
Voltage range	188 - 212 VAC	
Frequency	60 Hz $\pm$ 0.2%	
Brazil		
Nominal voltage	220 VAC (Phase / Neutral)	
Voltage range	212 - 231 VAC	
Frequency	60 Hz $\pm$ 2%	
Breaker Protection (Mains Power)		
PDU-2-4-M-32A	32A Curve C	
Maximum inrush current	210A / per quarter period	

Table 7. NovaScale 5245 Server specifications

## NovaScale 5325 Server Specifications

NovaScale 5325 Servers are delivered rack-mounted in 40U cabinets.

Cabinet Dimensions / Weight			
l	Jnpacked	Packed	
1300H		1300H	
Height:	195.5 cm (77.0 in)	Height:	200.0 cm (78.7 in)
Width:	60.0 cm (23.6 in)	Width:	80.0 cm (31.5 in)
Depth:	129.5 cm (51.0 in)	Depth:	140.0 cm (55.1 in)
Weight (max):	670 kg (1427 lb)	Weight (max):	700 kg (1491 lb)
	Service (	Clearance	
Front		150 cm	
Rear		100 cm	
Side (free side)		100 cm	
	Operati	ng Limits	
Dry bulb temperat	ure range	+15°C to +30°C	(+59°F to +86°F)
B L L		Gradient 5°C/h (4	1°F/h)
Relative humidity (non-condensing)		35 to 60% (Gradie	ent 5%/h)
Max. wet bulb temperature		+24°C (+75.2°F)	
Moisture content		0.019 kg water/kg dry air	
Pressure / Elevation		Sea level <u>&lt;</u> 2500 m	n
	Optimum Operational Reliability		
Temperature + 22°C (± 3°C) (+ 72°F (± 5°F)		72°F ( <u>+</u> 5°F)	
Hygrometry		50% (± 5%)	
	Non-Oper	ating Limits	
Dry bulb temperat	ure range	+5°C to +50°C	(+41°F to +122°F)
		Gradient 25°C/h	(77°F/h)
Relative humidity (	non-condensing)	5 to 95% (Gradient 30%)	
Max. wet bulb temperature +28°C (+82.4°F)			
Moisture content	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		dry air
Shipping Limits			
Dry bulb temperat	ure range	-35°C to +65°C (	
		Gradient 25°C/h	(77°F/h)
Relative humidity (	non-condensing)	5 to 95% Gradient	30%/h
	Acoustic Power at Room Te	mperature +20° C (+	-68° F)
Syst	tem Running	Sy	stem Idle
Lw(A) 6.3 Bels		Lw(A) 6.1 Bels	

1 OWEL CUDIES			
PDU-2-	PDU-2-4-M-32A		
AC (32A)	1 per PDU		
Cable type	3 x AWG10 (3 x 6 mm <sup>2</sup> / #10US)		
Connector type	IEC60309-32A		
It is mandatory for power lines and terminal nity of the system and to be easily accessible parate, independent electrical panel and bipe PDUs require an extra cable length of 1.5 me	boxes to be located within the immediate vici- Each power line must be connected to a se- plar circuit breaker. Eters for connection inside the cabinet.		
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	o-sensing and auto-ranging)		
Current draw	11 A max. at 200 VAC input		
Power consumption	2400 VA per full CSS module		
Thermal dissipation	2400 W / 8190 BTU per full CSS module		
Europe			
Nominal voltage	230 VAC (Phase / Neutral)		
Voltage range	207 - 244 VAC		
Frequency	$50~\mathrm{Hz}\pm1\%$		
United State	es of America		
Nominal voltage	208 VAC (Phase / Neutral)		
Voltage range	182 - 229 VAC		
Frequency	$60~{ m Hz}\pm0.3\%$		
Japan			
Nominal voltage	200 VAC (Phase / Neutral)		
Voltage range	188 - 212 VAC		
Frequency	$60~\mathrm{Hz}\pm0.2\%$		
Brazil			
Nominal voltage	220 VAC (Phase / Neutral)		
Voltage range	212 - 231 VAC		
Frequency	60 Hz $\pm$ 2%		
Breaker Protect	ion (Mains Power)		
PDU-2-4-M-32A	32A Curve C		
Maximum inrush current	210A / per quarter period		
T     0	<u> </u>		

**Power Cables** 

Table 8. NovaScale 5325 Server specifications

## Appendix B. Conversion, Keyboard, and Writing Tables

#### Imperial to Metric

1 inch (")	2.54 cm (centimeters)
1 foot (') (12 inches)	30.48 cm
1 yards (yd) (3 feet)	0.91 m (meters)
1 mile (mi) (1760 yards)	1.6093 km (kilometers)
1 pound (avdp) (lb)	0.5 kg (kilograms)
1 ounce (avdp) (oz)	28.4 g (grams)
1 square foot (ft <sup>2</sup> )	0.093 m <sup>2</sup> (square meters)
1 square inch (in <sup>2</sup> )	6.5 cm <sup>2</sup> (square centimeters)
1 square yard (yd <sup>2</sup> )	0.8 m <sup>2</sup> (square meters)
1 acre	0.4 ha (hectares)
1 cubic foot (ft <sup>3</sup> )	0.03 m <sup>3</sup> (cubic meters)
1 horsepower (hp)	0.7 kw (kilowatts)
1 lb/ft <sup>2</sup>	4.88 kg/m <sup>2</sup>
1 Btu	0.2929 w hour

Table 9. Imperial to metric conversion table

#### **Metric to Imperial**

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Table 10. Metric to imperial conversion table

#### **Celsius to Fahrenheit Conversion**

Multiply the temperature in Celsius by 9, divide by 5 and add 32:  $(C^{\circ} \times 9/5) + 32 = F^{\circ}$ 

#### **Fahrenheit to Celsius Conversion**

Subtract 32 degrees from the temperature in Fahrenheit, multiply by 5 and divide by 9: (F° - 32) x 5/9 = C°

## AZERTY/QWERTY Keyboard Lookup Table

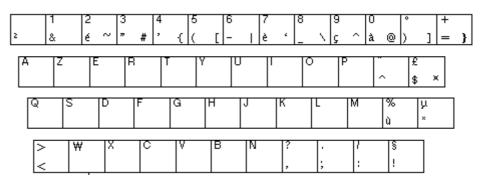


Figure 56. AZERTY keyboard

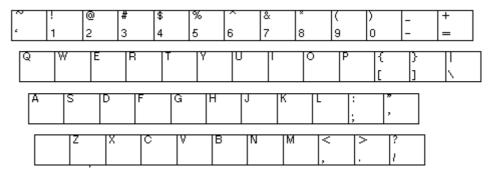


Figure 57. QWERTY keyboard

## **PAM Writing Rules**

### **Illegal Characters**

The following table lists the illegal characters that must not be used in PAM identifiers.

	Illegal Characters
à, é, è, ù, ^, "	Accentuated letters
/	Slash
\	Backslash
	Double quote
1	Simple quote
`	Inverted comma
&	Ampersand
+	Plus
*	Asterisk
%	Percent
=	Equal sign
<	Less-than sign
>	Greater-than sign
:	Colon
· ·	Exclamation mark
Ś	Question mark
;	Semi-colon
,	Comma
~	Tilde
I	Pipe operator
	Space. Use - (dash) or _ (underscore)

Table 11. PAM illegal characters

#### **String Lengths**

The following table lists authorized string lengths.

String Type	Length
CellBlock / System Name	16
Scheme Name	32
History Name	64
Archive Name	75 (History Name: + 11 (_JJMMAA_nnn)
LUN Name	32
Switch Name	32
Event Name	32
Description	256 (Scheme: unlimited)
Domain Identity Name	16

Table 12. String length rules

#### **Registry Keys**

PAM obtains file paths via 2 registry keys:

#### • ReleaseRoot:

Contains PAP application file paths (DLL, WEB pages, models,...). Two versions of PAM software can be installed and used indifferently on the same machine: each new version is installed in a new directory.

#### • SiteRoot:

Contains site data file paths.

Site data remains valid when the PAM software version changes.

Registry keys are generally stored under: HKEY\_LOCAL\_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\BULL\PAM

## Glossary

#### A

**AC:** Alternating Current generated by the power supply. See DC.

**ACPI:** Advanced **C**onfiguration and **P**ower Interface. An industry specification for the efficient handling of power consumption in desktop and mobile computers. ACPI specifies how a computer's BIOS, operating system, and peripheral devices communicate with each other about power usage.

**Address:** A label, name or number that identifies a location in a computer memory.

AMI: American Megatrends Incorporated.

ANSI: American National Standards Institute.

**API:** Application **P**rogram Interface. The specific method prescribed by a computer operating system or by an application program by which a programmer writing an application program can make requests of the operating system or another application.

**Archive:** (Archive file). A file that is a copy of a history file. When a history file is archived, all messages are removed from the history file.

**ASCII:** American National Standard Code for Information Interchange. A standard number assigned to each of the alphanumeric characters and keyboard control code keys to enable the transfer of information between different types of computers and peripherals.

#### B

**Backup:** A copy of data for safe-keeping. The data is copied form computer memory or disk to a floppy disk, magnetic tape or other media.

**Backup battery:** The battery in a computer that maintains real-time clock and configuration data when power is removed.

**Baud rate:** The speed at which data is transmitted during serial communication.

**BERR:** Bus Error signal pin used to signal a global machine check abort condition.

**BINIT:** Bus Initialization signal pin used to signal a global fatal machine check condition.

**BIOS:** Basic Input / Output System. A program stored in flash EPROM or ROM that controls the system startup process.

BIST: Built-In Self-Test. See POST.

**Bit:** Derived from **BI**nary digi**T**. A bit is the smallest unit of information a computer handles.

BTU: British Thermal Unit.

**Byte:** A group of eight binary digits (bit) long that represents a letter, number, or typographic symbol.

#### C

**Cache Memory:** A very fast, limited portion of RAM set aside for temporary storage of data for direct access by the microprocessor.

**CD-ROM:** Compact **D**isK **R**ead **O**nly **M**emory. High-capacity read only memory in the form of an optically readable compact disk.

**Cell:** The smallest set of hardware components allocated to a single OS. A cell is functionally defined by:

- the number of available processors
- memory capacity
- I/O channel capacity.

**CellBlock:** A group of interconnected cells within a single domain. See Central Subsystem.

**Central Subsystem:** A group of interconnected cells gathered within a single domain. See CellBlock.

**Chained DIBs:** Two DIBs can be inter-connected to house 4 SCSI RAID disks, 1 DVD-ROM drive, 1 USB port. See DIB and IPD.

**Chip:** Synonym for integrated circuit. See IC.

Clipping: A PAM Event filter criterion. Clipping is defined on a Count / Time basis aimed at routing a pre-defined number of messages only. Identical messages are counted and when the number of messages indicated in the Count field is reached within the period of time indicated in the Time field, no other messages will be selected for routing.

**CMC:** Corrected Memory Check condition is signaled when a hardware corrects a machine check error or when a MCA condition is corrected by firmware.

CMCI: Corrected Memory Check Interrupt.

CMCV: Corrected Memory Check Vector.

**CMOS:** Complementary **M**etal **O**xide **S**emiconductor. A type of low-power integrated circuits. System startup parameters are stored in CMOS memory. They can be changed via the system setup utility.

**COM:** Component Object Model. Microsoft technology for component based application development under Windows.

**COM +: C**omponent **O**bject **M**odel +. Microsoft technology for component based application development under Windows. The external part of the PAM software package is a COM+ application.

**COM1 or COM2:** The name assigned to a serial port to set or change its address. See Serial Port.

**Command:** An instruction that directs the computer to perform a specific operation.

**Configuration:** The way in which a computer is set up to operate. Configurable options include CPU speed, serial port designation, memory allocation,

**Configuration Tasks:** A PAM feature used to configure and customize the server.

**Control Pane:** One of the three areas of the PAM web page. When an item is selected in the **PAM Tree** pane, details and related commands are displayed in the **Control** pane. See PAM Tree pane and Status pane.

**Core Unit:** A main CSS module unit interconnecting the MIO, MQB, MSX and MFL boards. See MIO, MQB, MSX, MFL.

COS: Cluster Operating System.

CPE: Corrected Platform Error.

CPEI: Corrected Platform Error Interrupt.

**CPU:** Central **Processing Unit**. See Microprocessor and Socket.

CSE: Customer Service Engineer.

CSS: Central Sub-System. See CellBlock.

**CSS Module:** A MidPlane with all its connected components (QBBs, IO boards, PMB) and utility devices. See Module.

D

D2D: DC to DC converter.

**DC:** Direct Current generated by the power supply. See AC.

**Default Setting:** The factory setting your server uses unless instructed otherwise.

**Density:** The capacity of information (bytes) that can be packed into a storage device.

**Device Driver:** A software program used by a computer to recognize and operate hardware.

**DIB:** Device Interface Board. The DIB provides the necessary electronics for the Internal Peripheral Drawer. See IPD and Chained DIBs.

**DIG64:** Developer Interface Guide for IA64.

**DIM Code: D**evice Initialization **M**anager. Initializes different BUSes during the BIOS POST.

**DIMM:** Dual In line Memory Module - the smallest system memory component.

**Disk Drive:** A device that stores data on a hard or floppy disk. A floppy disk drive requires a floppy disk to be inserted. A hard disk drive has a permanently encased hard disk.

**DMA:** Direct Memory Access. Allows data to be sent directly from a component (e.g. disk drive) to the memory on the motherboard). The microprocessor does not take part in data transfer enhanced system performance.

**DMI:** Desktop Management Interface. An industry framework for managing and keeping track of hardware and software components in a system of personal computers from a central location.

**DNS:** Domain Name Server. A server that retains the addresses and routing information for TCP/IP LAN users.

**Domain:** is the coherent set of resources allocated to run a customer activity, i.e. the association -at boot time- of a Partition, an OS instance (including applications) and associated LUNs and an execution context including execution modes and persistent information (e.g. time, date of the OS instance). Domain definitions and initializations are performed via PAM. A Domain can be modified to run the same OS instance on a different Partition. When a Domain is running, its resources are neither visible nor accessible to other running Domains.

**Domain Identity:** a PAM Domain management logical resource. This resource contains context information related to the Customer activity running in a domain. The most visible attribute of this resource is the name that the Customer gives to the activity. For each domain created, the Domain management feature allows the operator to define a new activity or choose an activity from the list of existing activities. See Domain.

**Domain Manager:** A PAM feature used to power on / off and manage server domains. See Domain.

DPS: Distributed Power Supply.

**DRAM:** Dynamic Random Access Memory is the most common type of random access memory (RAM).

#### E

ECC: Error Correcting Code.

**EEPROM:** Electrically Erasable Programmable Read Only Memory. A type of memory device that stores password and configuration data. See also EPROM.

EFI: Extensible Firmware Interface.

**EFIMTA: EFI Modular Test Architecture.** 

**EFI Shell:** The EFI (Extensible Firmware Interface) Shell is a simple, interactive user interface that allows EFI device drivers to be loaded, EFI applications to be launched, and operating systems to be booted. In addition, the EFI Shell provides a set of basic commands used to manage files and the system environment variables. See Shell.

EMI: Electro-Magnetic Interference.

**EPROM:** Erasable Programmable Read Only Memory. A type of memory device that is used to store the system BIOS code. This code is not lost when the computer is powered off.

**ERC:** Error and **R**eset **C**ontroller. This controller allows PAM software to control error detection and reset propagation within each pre-defined CSS partition. The ERC is initialized by PAM software to ensure a partition-contained distribution of the reset, error, interrupt and event signals; and to contribute to error signaling and localization at platform level.

**ERP:** Error Recovery Procedure.

**ESD:** ElectroStatic Discharge. An undesirable discharge of static electricity that can damage equipment and degrade electrical circuitry.

**Event:** The generation of a message (event message) by a software component and that is directed to the Event Manager.

**Event address:** Defines the destination for a message sent over a specified event channel. An address is one of: the name of a history file (for the HISTORY channel), an e-mail address (for the EMAIL channel), the name of a user group (for the WEB channel), the SNMP Manager IP address (for the SNMP channel).

**Event channel:** Defines how the Event Manager sends an event message. An event channel is one of: HISTORY (the message is logged in a history file), EMAIL (the message is sent to an e-mail address), WEB (the message is stored for analysis from the PAM web user interface), SNMP (the message is sent as an SNMP trap to the selected SNMP application).

**Event filter:** A list of selected messages among all possible event messages. If an event message is not included in the filter, the Event Manager discards the message.

**Event Manager:** A PAM feature used to forward event messages over a configured event channel. See Event.

**Event message:** A message sent by a software component to the Event Manager for routing to a destination that is configured by an administrator.

**Event subscription:** An object that defines the event channel, address, and filter for sending an event message. If no such object is defined, the event message is discarded.

**Exclusion:** Logical removal of a redundant faulty hardware element until it has been repaired or replaced. The hardware element remains physically present in the configuration, but is no longer detected by PAM software and can no longer be used by a domain.

**External Disk Subsystem:** Disk subsystem housed inside the NovaScale cabinet.

#### F

**Fail-over:** Failover is a backup operational mode in which the functions of a system component (such as a processor, server, network, or database, for example) are assumed by secondary system components when the primary component becomes unavailable through either failure or scheduled down time.

**FAME:** Flexible Architecture for **M**ultiple **Environments**.

**FAST WIDE:** A standard 16-bit SCSI interface providing synchronous data transfers of up to 10 MHz, with a transfer speed of 20M bytes per second.

FC: Fibre Channel.

FCAL: Fibre Channel Arbitrated Loop.

FCA: Fibre Channel Adapter.

FCBQ: Fan Control Board for QBB.

FCBS: Fan Control Board for SPS.

FDA: Fibre Disk Array.

FDD: Floppy Disk Drive.

**Flash EPROM:** Flash Erasable Programmable Read Only Memory. A type of memory device that is used to store the the system firmware code. This code can be replaced by an updated code from a floppy disk, but is not lost when the computer is powered off.

**Firewall:** A set of related programs, located at a network gateway server, that protects the resources of a private network from users from other networks.

**Firmware:** an ordered set of instructions and data stored to be functionally independent of main storage.

**Format:** The process used to organize a hard or floppy disk into sectors so that it can accept data. Formatting destroys all previous data on the disk.

**FPB: F**AME **P**ower **B**oard (FAME: Flexible Architecture for Multiple Environments).

**FPGA:** Field **P**rogrammable **G**ate **A**rray. A gate array that can reprogrammed at run time.

**FRB:** Fault Resilient Boot. A server management feature. FRB attempts to boot a system using the alternate processor or DIMM.

**FRU:** Field **R**eplaceable **U**nit. A component that is replaced or added by Customer Service Engineers as a single entity.

**FSS: F**AME **S**calability **S**witch. Each CSS Module is equipped with 2 Scalability Port Switches providing high speed bi-directional links between server components. See SPS.

FTP: File Transfer Protocol. A standard Internet protocol: the simplest way of exchanging files between computers on the Internet. FTP is an application protocol that uses Internet TCP/IP protocols. FTP is commonly used to transfer Web page files from their creator to the computer that acts as their server for everyone on the Internet. It is also commonly used to download programs and other files from other servers.

FWH: FirmWare Hub.

G

**GB:** GigaByte: 1,073,741,824 bytes. See Byte.

**Global MCA:** Machine Check Abort is visible to all processors, in a multiprocessor system and will force all of them to enter machine check abort.

**GUI:** Graphical User Interface.

GTS: Global Telecontrol Server.

Н

**HA:** High Availability. Refers to a system or component that is continuously operational for a desirably long length of time.

HAL: Hardware Abstraction Layer.

HA CMP: High Availability Clustered MultiProcessina.

Hard Disk Drive: HDD. See Disk Drive.

**Hardware:** The physical parts of a system, including the keyboard, monitor, disk drives, cables and circuit cards.

**Hardware Monitor:** A PAM feature used to supervise server operation.

HBA: Host Bus Adapter.

HDD: Hard Disk Drive. See Disk Drive.

**History File:** A file in which the History Manager logs informative messages or error messages relating to system activity. Messages are sent from source components to target components.

**History Manager:** The component running on the PAP Windows operating system that logs messages to history files.

HMMIO Space: High Memory IO Space.

**HPB:** Hot Plug Board. This board provides an interlock switch on each IO Box PCI slot for hotswapping PCI boards. See P-HPB.

**HPC:** High Performance Computing.

**Hot plugging:** The operation of adding a component without interrupting system activity.

**Hot swapping:** The operation of removing and replacing a faulty component without interrupting system activity.

**HTTP:** HyperText Transfer Protocol. In the World Wide Web, a protocol that facilitates the transfer of hypertext-based files between local and remote systems.

**HW Identifier:** Number (0 - F) used to identify Cellblock components. This number is identical to PMB code-wheel position.

**12C:** Intra Integrated Circuit. The 12C (Inter-IC) bus is a bi-directional two-wire serial bus that provides a communication link between integrated circuits (ICs).

The I2C bus supports 7-bit and 10-bit address space devices and devices that operate under different voltages.

**IA64:** is a **64**-bit Intel processor **A**rchitecture based on Explicitly Parallel Instruction Computing (EPIC). The Itanium processor is the first in the Intel line of IA-64 processors.

IB: Infini Band.

**IC:** Integrated **C**ircuit. An electronic device that contains miniaturized circuitry. See Chip.

ICH2: I/O Controller Hub 2, component that contains the fundamental I/O interfaces required by the system. Flash memory, Keyboard, USB and IDE device interface.

ICH4: I/O Controller Hub 4.

ICMB: Intelligent Chassis Management Bus.

**ID:** A number which uniquely identifies a device on a bus.

**IDE:** Integrated **D**rive **E**lectronics. A type of hard disk drive with the control circuitry located inside the disk drive rather than on a drive controller card.

**Identity:** See Domain Identity.

**IIS:** Internet Information **S**erver. A group of Internet servers (including a Web or HTTP server and a FTP server) with additional capabilities for Microsoft® Windows® NT and Microsoft Windows (and later) operating systems.

I/O: Input /Output. Describes any operation, program, or device that transfers data to or from a computer.

**Interface:** A connection between a computer and a peripheral device enabling the exchange of data. See Parallel Port and Serial Port.

**Internal Disk Subsystem:** Disk subsystem housed inside the NovaScale Internal Peripheral Drawer (IPD).

IOB: Input / Output Board. The IOB connects up to 11 PCI-X boards.

**IOC:** Input / **O**utput Board **C**ompact. The IOC connects up to 6 PCI-X boards.

IOL: I/O Board Legacy. The IOL provides:

- I/O controller Hub
- USB ports
- 10/100/1000 Ethernet controller
- Video controller
- Serial / debug port

IOR: I/O Board Riser. The IOR provides:

- I/O controller Hub
- USB ports
- 10/100/1000 Ethernet controller
- Video controller
- Serial / debug port

**IP:** Internet **P**rotocol. The protocol by which data is sent from one computer to another via the Internet. Each computer (known as a host) on the Internet has at least one IP address that uniquely identifies it from all other computers on the Internet.

**IPD:** Internal **P**eripheral **D**rawer. The IPD houses legacy peripherals (DVD-Rom drive, USB port) and SCSI system disks. See DIB and Chained DIBs.

IPF: Itanium Processor Family.

**IPL:** Initial **P**rogram Load. It defines the firmware functional phases during the system initialization.

IPMB: Intelligent Platform Management Bus.

**IPMI:** Intelligent **Platform Management Interface**.

**ISA:** Industry **S**tandard **A**rchitecture. An industry standard for computers and circuit cards that transfer 16 bits of data at a time.

**Jumper:** A small electrical connector used for configuration on computer hardware.

#### K

KVM: Keyboard Video Monitor.

**KVM switch:** the **K**eyboard **V**ideo **M**onitor switch allows the use of a single keyboard, monitor and mouse for more than one module.

#### L

**LAN:** Local **A**rea **N**etwork. A group of computers linked together within a limited area to exchange data.

**LD:** Logical **D**isk. A Storeway FDA 1x00/2x00 logical disk (or LUN) is visible to the OS as a Disk. See LUN and PD (Physical Disk).

**LED:** Light Emitting **D**iode. A small electronic device that glows when current flows through it.

**Legacy Application:** An application in which a company or organization has already invested considerable time and money. Typically, legacy applications are database management systems (DBMSs) running on mainframes or minicomputers.

Licensing Number: When you install an application protected by a system serial number, you are requested to supply this serial number. For optimum flexibility, PAM software allows you to replace the physical serial number by a logical licensing number so that you can run the application on any physical partition and, in the case of extended systems, on any of the Central Subsystems within the extended configuration.

**LID:** Local Interrupt Identifier (CPU).

**Local Disk Subsystem:** Disk subsystem housed inside the NovaScale cabinet and not connected to a SAN.

**Local MCA:** Machine Check Abort is detected and handled by a single processor and is invisible to the other processor.

**Locking:** Means of functionally limiting access to certain hardware elements. Locked hardware elements can no longer be accessed by the current domain, but are still physically available for use by other domains. Previously locked elements can be unlocked so that they can be accessed by the domain

**LPT1 or LPT2:** The name assigned to a parallel port to specify its address. See Parallel Port.

**LS240:** Laser **S**ervo super diskette holding up to 240 Mb.

**LUN:** Logical **U**nit **N**umber. Term used to designate Logical Storage Units (logical disks) defined through the configuration of physical disks stored in a mass storage cabinet.

LVDS: Low Voltage Differential SCSI.

#### M

**MAESTRO:** Machine Administration Embedded Software Real Time Oriented. Part of the PAM software package embedded on the PMB board.

MCA: Machine Check Abort. See also Local MCA and Global MCA.

**Memory:** Computer circuitry that stores data and programs. See RAM and ROM.

**Memory bank:** The minimum quantity of memory used by the system. It physically consists of four memory DIMMs.

**MFL:** Midplane Fan & Logistics board. The MFL houses the Fan Boxes and is connected to the MIO and MQB. See MIO, MQB.

**Microprocessor:** An integrated circuit that processes data and controls basic computer functions.

**Midplane:** Mid-Plane. All system hardware components are connected to the Midplane.

MIMD: Multiple Instruction Multiple Data

**MIO:** Midplane Input / Output board. The MIO connects one or two IOC boards and the PMB. See Core Unit.

**Mirrored volumes:** A mirrored volume is a fault-tolerant volume that duplicates your data on two physical disks. If one of the physical disks fails, the data on the failed disk becomes unavailable, but the system continues to operate using the unaffected disk.

**Module:** a Midplane Board with all its connected components and utility devices. See CSS Module and MP.

**MQB:** Midplane **QBB** board. The MQB connects one or two QBBs and one or two IPDs. See QBB and IPD.

MSX: Midplane SPS & XPS board. The MSX houses a B-SPS switch and is connected to the MIO and the MQB. There are two MSX boards in a CSS module. All SP connections between a QBB and an IOC use an MSX. See B-SPS, MIO, MQB.

MTBF: Mean Time Between Failure. An indicator of expected system reliability calculated on a statistical basis from the known failure rates of various components of the system. Note: MTBF is usually expressed in hours.

**Multicore:** Presence of two or more processors on a single chip.

**Multimedia:** Information presented through more than one type of media. On computer systems, this media includes sound, graphics, animation and text.

**Multitasking:** The ability to perform several tasks simultaneously. Multitasking allows you to run multiple applications at the same time and exchange information among them. See Task.

**Multithreading:** The ability of a processor core to execute more than one independent instruction thread simultaneously. As the core comprises two complete context registers, it is able to switch rapidly from one instruction thread to another.

#### Ν

**NFS:** Network **F**ile **S**ystem. A proprietary distributed file system that is widely used by TCP/IP vendors. Note: NFS allows different computer systems to share files, and uses user datagram protocol (UDP) for data transfer.

NMI: Non-Maskable Interrupt.

**NUMA:** Non Uniform Memory Access. A method of configuring a cluster of microprocessors in a multiprocessing system so that they can share memory locally, improving performance and the ability of the system to be expanded.

**nsh:** nsh stands for **n**ew **sh**ell. See Shell and EFI Shell.

**NVRAM:** Non Volatile Random Access Memory. A type of RAM that retains its contents even when the computer is powered off. See RAM and SRAM.

#### O

**OF:** Open Firmware. Firmware controlling a computer prior to the Operating System.

Operating System: See OS.

**OS:** Operating System. The software which manages computer resources and provides the operating environment for application programs.

#### P

**PAL:** Processor Abstraction Layer: processor firmware that abstracts processor implementation differences. See also SAL.

PAM: Platform Administration & Maintenance.

**PAM** software: Platform Administration & Maintenance software. One part (PAP application and the PamSite WEB site) runs on the PAP unit. The other part (MAESTRO) is embedded on the PMB board.

**PAM Tree pane:** One of the three areas of the PAM web page. Server hardware presence and functional status are displayed in the PAM Tree pane. See Status pane and Control pane.

**PAP unit:** Platform Administration Processor unit. The PC hosting all server administration software.

**PAP application:** Platform Administration Processor application. Part of PAM software, PAP application is a Windows COM+ application running on PAP unit

**Parallel Port:** Connector allowing the transfer of data between the computer and a parallel device.

**PARM request:** the PARM application is designed to handle Requests issued by the CSE (Customer Service Engineer)

**Partition:** Division of storage space on a hard disk into separate areas so that the operating system treats them as separate disk drives.

**Password:** A security feature that prevents an unauthorized user from operating the system.

**PCI:** Peripheral Component Interconnect. Bus architecture supporting high-performance peripherals.

**PD: P**hysical **D**isk. A Storeway FDA 1300/2300 physical disk is not visible to the OS. See LD.

**PDU:** Power **D**istribution **U**nit. Power bus used for the connection of peripheral system components.

**Permanence:** Property of a history file that determines whether or not the history file can be modified or deleted from the PAM user interface. Permanence is either *Static* (cannot be modified) or *Dynamic* (can be modified).

**P-HPB: PCI** Hot **P**lug **B**oard. This board provides an interlock switch on each IO Box PCI slot for hot-swapping PCI boards. See HPB.

PIC: Platform Instrumentation Control.

**ping:** A basic Internet program that lets you verify that a particular IP address exists and can accept requests. The verb to ping" means the act of using the ping utility or command.

**PIROM:** Processor Information **ROM**. Processor Information ROM (PIROM) contains information about the specific processor in which it resides. This information includes robust addressing headers to allow for flexible programming and forward compatibility, core and L2 cache electrical specifications, processor part and S-spec numbers, and a 64-bit processor number.

**PMB:** Platform Management Board. Links the server to the PAP unit.

**PNP:** Plug aNd Play. The ability to plug a device into a computer and have the computer recognize that the device is there.

**POST:** Power **On S**elf **T**est. When power is turned on, POST (Power-On Self-Test) is the diagnostic testing sequence (or starting program") that a computer runs to determine if hardware is working correctly.

PROM: Programmable Read Only Memory.

**PUID:** PAM Universal/Unique IDentifier. PAM software allocates a PUID (PAM Universal / Unique Identifier) to each hardware / software object to guarantee unambiguous identification. The PUID for each hardware element can be obtained by hovering the mouse over the corresponding element in the PAM tree, e.g.: PAM:/CELLSBLOCK\_<NAME>/MODULE\_x/QBB\_y/CPU\_y.



QBB: Quad Brick Board. The QBB is the heart of the Bull NovaScale Server, housing 4 Itanium ® 2 processors and 16 DIMMs. Each QBB communicates with other CSS Module components via 2 high-speed bidirectional Scalability Port Switches.

See SPS or FSS.

#### R

**RAID:** Redundant Array of Independent Disks. A method of combining hard disk drives into one logical storage unit for disk-fault tolerance.

**RAM:** Random Access Memory. A temporary storage area for data and programs. This type of memory must be periodically refreshed to maintain valid data and is lost when the computer is powered off. See NVRAM and SRAM.

RAS: Reliability, Availability, Serviceability.

**Real-time clock:** The Integrated Circuit in a computer that maintains the time and date.

RFI: Radio Frequency Interference.

**Ring:** The CSS module interconnection ring comprises the cables used to interconnect two, three or four CSS modules.

RJ45: 8-contact regular jack.

RMC: Remote Maintenance Console.

**ROM:** Read Only Memory. A type of memory device that is used to store the system BIOS code. This code cannot be altered and is not lost when the computer is powered off. See BIOS, EPROM and Flash EPROM.

**RS-232 Port:** An industry standard serial port. See Serial Port.

RSF: Remote Service Facilities.

RTC: Real Time Clock.



**S@N.IT:** SAN Administration Tool.

**SAL:** System Abstraction Layer. Firmware that abstract system implementation differences in IA-64 platform. See also PAL.

**SAN:** Storage Area Network. A high-speed special-purpose network that interconnects different kinds of data storage devices with associated data servers on behalf of a larger network of users.

**SAPIC:** Streamlined Advanced Programmable Interrupt Controller message.

SBE: Single Bit Error.

**Scheme:** Configuration file ensuring optimum use and compatibility of the physical and logical resources used to simultaneously run multiple domains.

SCI: Scalable Coherent Interface.

**SCSI:** Small Computer System Interface. An input and output bus that provides a standard interface used to connect peripherals such as disks or tape drives in a daisy chain.

SDR: Sensor Data Record.

**SDRAM:** Synchronous **D**ynamic **R**andom **A**ccess **M**emory. A type of DRAM that runs at faster clock speeds than conventional memory. See DRAM.

**SEL:** System Event Log. A record of system management events. The information stored includes the name of the event, the date and time the event occurred and event data. Event data may include POST error codes that reflect hardware errors or software conflicts within the system.

**Serial Communication:** Data sent sequentially, one bit at a time.

**Serial Port:** Connector that allows the transfer of data between the computer and a serial device. See COM1 or COM 2. Shell is a Unix term for the interactive user interface with an operating system.

SIO: Server I/O / Super I/O.

**Shell:** The Shell is the layer of programming that understands and executes the commands a user enters. As the outer layer of an operating system, the Shell can be contrasted with the kernel, the inmost layer or core of services of an operating system. See EFI Shell.

**SIOH:** Server I/O Hub. This component provides a connection point between various I/O bridge components and the Intel 870 chipset.

**Sideband:** This part of the CSS module inter-connection ring comprises logistic cables (errors, commands, resets). See Ring.

**SMBIOS:** System Management **BIOS**.

**SM-BUS:** System Management Bus.

**SMIC:** Server Management Interface Chip.

**SMP:** Symmetrical **M**ulti **P**rocessor. The processing of programs by multiple processors that share a common operating system and memory.

**SNC:** Scalable **N**ode **C**ontroller. The processor system bus interface and memory controller for the Intel870 chipset. The SNC supports both the Itanium2 processors, DDR SDRAM main memory, a Firmware Hub Interface to support multiple Firmware hubs, and two scalability ports for access to I/O and coherent memory on other nodes, through the FSS.

SNM: System Network Module.

**SNMP:** Simple Network Management Protocol. The protocol governing network management and the monitoring of network devices and their functions.

**Socket:** Central Processing Unit multicore interface. Each socket can house 1 or 2 processor cores. See Microprocessor and CPU.

**Source:** Each message refers to a source (the resource that generated the message) and a target (the component referred to in the message). This feature can be allows messages to be filtered according to one or more **Source** string(s) and is particularly useful for debugging and troubleshooting. See Target.

**SPD: S**erial **P**resence **D**etect. DIMM PROM.

**SPS:** Scalability **P**ort Switch. Each CSS Module is equipped with 2 Scalability Port Switches providing high speed bi-directional links between system components. See FSS.

**SRAM:** Static **RAM**. A temporary storage area for data and programs. This type of memory does not need to be refreshed, but is lost when the system is powered off. See NVRAM and RAM.

**SSI:** Server System Infrastructure.

**Status Pane:** One of the three areas of the PAM web page. Provides quick access to CSS Module availability status, server functional status, and pending event message information. See also Control pane and PAM Tree pane.

SVGA: Super Video Graphics Array.

#### Т

Target: Each message refers to a target (the component referred to in the message), identified by its PUID, and a source (the component that generated the message). This feature allows messages to be filtered according to one or more Target string(s) and is particularly useful for debugging and troubleshooting. See Source and PUID.

**Task:** Each message refers to a target (the component referred to in the message), identified by its PUID, and a source (the component that generated the message). This feature allows messages to be filtered according to one or more **Target** string(s) and is particularly useful for debugging and troubleshooting. See Source and PUID.

**TCP:** Transmission **C**ontrol **P**rotocol. A set of rules (protocol) used along with the Internet Protocol (IP) to send data in the form of message units between computers over the Internet.

**TCP/IP:** Transmission Control Protocol / Internet Protocol. The basic communication language or protocol of the Internet.

**T&D:** Tests and Diagnostics.

Thresholding: A PAM Event filter criterion. Thresholding is defined on a Count / Time basis aimed at routing significant messages only. Identical messages are counted and when the number of messages indicated in the Count field is reached within the period of time indicated in the Time field, this message is selected for routing.

#### U

**UART:** a **U**niversal **A**synchronous **R**eceiver **T**ransmitter. The microchip with programming that controls a computer interface to its attached serial devices.

**ULTRA SCSI:** An enhanced standard 16-bit SCSI interface providing synchronous data transfers of up to 20 MHz, with a transfer speed of 40M bytes per second. It is also called Fast-20 SCSI.

**UML:** Unified Modeling Language. A standard notation for the modeling of real-world objects as a first step in developing an object-oriented design methodology.

**UPS:** Uninterruptible **P**ower **S**upply. A device that allows uninterrupted operation if the primary power source is lost. It also provides protection from power surges.

**URL:** Uniform / Universal Resource Locator. The address of a file (resource) accessible on the Internet.

**USB:** Universal **S**erial **B**us. A plug-and-play interface between a computer and add-on devices. The USB interface allows a new device to be added to your computer without having to add an adapter card or even having to turn the computer off.



VCC: Voltage Continuous Current.

VGA: Video Graphics Array.

VI: Virtual Interface.

**Visibility:** A property of a history file. Visibility is either *System* (the history file is predefined by the PAM software and is visible only to an administrator) or *User* (the history file is created by an administrator and is visible to both an administrator and an operator).

**VLAN:** Virtual Local Area Network. A local area network with a definition that maps workstations on some other basis than geographic location (for example, by department, type of user, or primary application).

**VxWORKS:** Platform Management Board Operating System.



**WAN:** Wide Area Network. Geographically dispersed telecommunications network. The term distinguishes a broader telecommunication structure from a local area network (LAN).

WBEM: Web Based Enterprise Management.

WMI: Windows Management Interface.

**WOL:** A feature that provides the ability to remotely power on a system through a network connection.



**XML:** eXtended MarkUp Language. A flexible way to create common information formats and share both the format and the data on the World Wide Web, intranets, and elsewhere.

XSP: eXtended Scalable Port.



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