

## SAN Manager Software

Network Appliance™  
SAN Manager software  
delivers end-to-end  
management capabilities  
that simplify storage  
management.

### Key Features

- **END-TO-END, SINGLE-CONSOLE MANAGEMENT**  
Centralizes control of the entire SAN within a single, intuitive interface
- **RAPID AUTO-DISCOVERY AND VISUALIZATION**  
Automatically discovers and maps NetApp SAN infrastructures in minutes
- **MULTIVENDOR SUPPORT**  
Monitors a broad spectrum of Fibre Channel devices
- **DETAILED PERFORMANCE MONITORING**  
Identifies performance trends, bottlenecks, and error rates
- **ADVANCED EVENT AUTOMATION TOOLS**  
Reduces manual intervention and increases efficiency

### The Challenge: SANs Are Complex

Today's storage area networks (SANs) are complex, with heterogeneous technologies, applications, and devices residing in the same fabric. Very often, these various components use different architectures and management tools that require separate training. Dealing with this complexity efficiently requires software that enables you to manage your entire SAN infrastructure from a single console.

### The Solution: NetApp SAN Manager Simplifies Management and Lowers Costs

NetApp SAN Manager is a network management application that provides a single point of control for all the devices on your SAN. SAN Manager can help you discover, configure, and monitor both NetApp devices and devices from other vendors and help you plan for and respond to the evolving needs of the enterprise.

NetApp SAN Manager features the industry's leading discovery engine, which automatically identifies all storage network components. All devices—regardless of manufacturer—and their interconnections appear together in a clear, graphical map that simplifies planning and device management. NetApp SAN Manager improves efficiency by enabling you to move quickly from deep device management to broad management of the entire storage network. And you can easily generate reports or export data to other applications for further analysis.

NetApp SAN Manager performance-monitoring, asset management, and network configuration tools enable you to fine-tune SAN performance. Throughput analysis, latency tests, and performance trending help you increase data availability and improve network response time proactively. An event-driven policy engine enables administrators to automate repetitive tasks so that they can spend more time on high-value tasks for the organization.

### Simplified Management and Lower Costs

Through tight integration with NetApp DataFabric® Manager, NetApp SAN Manager provides comprehensive, easy-to-deploy, and easy-to-use enterprise-wide SAN management capabilities. NetApp SAN solutions simplify storage network infrastructure and can reduce deployment costs.

### Greater Operational Efficiency

NetApp SAN Manager provides asset management and performance-monitoring tools that enable you to identify performance and utilization trends in real time. With NetApp SAN Manager, you can increase operational efficiencies by maximizing the capabilities of your existing infrastructure and making the best possible use of your people.

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Network Appliance software solutions are optimized specifically for the job, are easy to use and administer, and deliver the lowest TCO and maximum ROI.

### Reduced Risk

NetApp SAN Manager delivers robust, centralized management and control. It provides greater awareness of events that impact storage network availability, enabling you to identify potential issues and vulnerabilities, increase data availability, and improve network response time. Instant notification of errors and problems helps reduce downtime and improve data availability.

### Unleash the Power of Information

See how NetApp SAN Manager software can help simplify management and reduce overhead costs for your organization. Simply visit [www.netapp.com](http://www.netapp.com) or call (800) 443-4537 and let us show you what "The evolution of storage™" can mean for your organization.

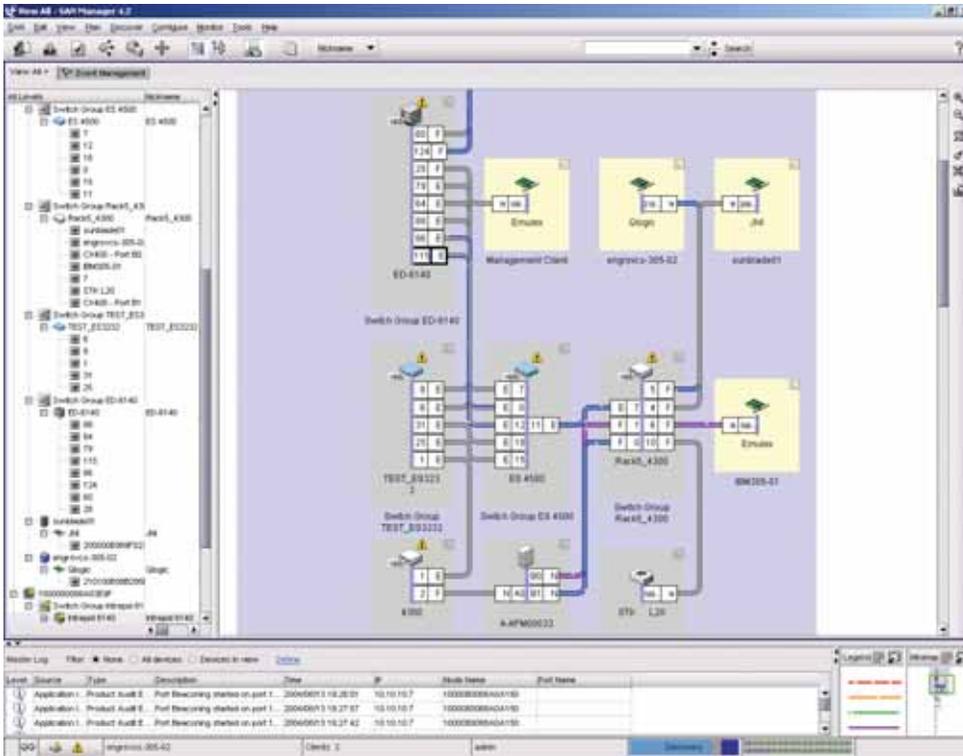


Figure 1) NetApp SAN Manager views the entire SAN.

NetApp SAN Manager presents all components in the storage network within a clear, easy-to-use interface.



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