



PRODUCT BRIEF | NVMe over Fabric Enclosure

VDS2249R

High Performance Enterprise Class Storage Using NVMe™ Over Fabrics Technology™

The Viking Enterprise Solutions (VES) VDS2249R Fabric Enclosure offers twenty-four 2.5-inch U.2 (SFF8639) NVMe™ SSDs with six 100 GbE QSFP28 network ports. The enclosure provides access to the high performance of the NVMe drives over the network with virtually no latency or performance penalty.

Two fabric modules are included with the enclosure. Each fabric module has a PCIe switch network and three PCIe add-in card slots that are compatible with a wide range of Ethernet fabric adapter cards (half-height, half-length, up to 70W of power).

The solution utilizes third-party, NVMe-oF bridge add-in cards and offers six 100 GbE QSFP28 network links for NVMe-oF™ access to the drives. All of the NVMe-oF target protocol occurs in hardware without the need for a host CPU. This provides a combination of incredible performance at over 15M IOPs, and extremely low total latency of less than 16µs. This total includes both fabric latency (<8µs) and NVMe drive latency.

FEATURES

- ▶ Full NVMe performance available over the network
- ▶ Operation with either single or dual fabric modules for redundant failover
- ▶ Management interface to control drive access control & provisioning
- ▶ Hot-pluggable fabric modules, power supplies & drives
- ▶ SFF-8639, PCIe Gen 3 NVMe (U.2) drive support (up to 25W per drive)
- ▶ Dual port NVMe drive support
- ▶ Evolves with the market by using standard PCIe add in card adapters for NVMe-oF Ethernet (three x16 Ethernet add-in card slots per fabric module)
- ▶ Accommodates NVMe-oF adapters that are half-height, half-length and up to 70W in power
- ▶ Standard chassis customization & branding available

Management Interface

The VDS2249R has a full featured management interface that provides status and control of the enclosure as well as the fabric. A consolidated web GUI provides enclosure status such as temperatures, voltages, fan speeds, and installed FRUs.

The GUI is also capable of managing the fabric. All fabric management functions are restricted to a secure out-of-band interface between the BMC and the fabric adapters that ensure only permitted hosts have access to specific NVMe subsystems.

Lowest latency NVMe over fabric Ethernet with six 100Gbps network ports.

High bandwidth enclosure that offers twenty-four 2.5" NVMe drives accessible using NVMe over fabric protocol.



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Interfaces

- ▶ Two fabric modules
- ▶ Three x16 PCIe 3.0 card slots per fabric module
- ▶ Each add-in card slot accommodates up to a half-height, half-length PCIe card
- ▶ Up to 70W per add in card
- ▶ Six pin PCIe aux power is available for each slot

Hot-Swappable Components

- ▶ Two fabric modules
- ▶ Two AC to DC power supplies
- ▶ Either 1000W or 1600W of power, dependent on add-in card power requirement
- ▶ Two independent AC power inputs
- ▶ 24 drives in the front of the system

Firmware

- ▶ Allocation, access control, & partitioning provided over 1Gbe management link
- ▶ CLI and GUI control for drive management & status of the enclosure

Drive Partitioning

- ▶ Controlled by the management software through the 1Gbe link

2U Enclosure

- ▶ Dimensions:
3.2 in. H X 17.6 in. W X 27.0 in. D (87 mm H X 448 mm W X 685 mm D)
- ▶ Weight with drives:
56lbs (25.5kg) max
- ▶ Rail kit support for 27" and 37" post depths
- ▶ Mounts industry standard 19" x 1m deep rack

Failure Notifications

- ▶ Status & fault LEDs on the enclosure, fabric modules & drives

Operating Environment

- ▶ Temperature: 5° to 35°C
- ▶ Altitude: -200 ft to 10,000 ft

Non-Operating Environment

- ▶ Temperature: -40° to 60°C
- ▶ Altitude: -200 ft to 40,000 ft

Disk Drives

- ▶ 24 NVMe drives accessible by either fabric module (active/active with dual port drives)
- ▶ Form factor: 2.5" U.2
- ▶ Up to 25W per drive
- ▶ Interface: x4 PCIe 3.0 or dual x2 PCIe 3.0

AC Power

- ▶ Input voltage: 90-264V AC
- ▶ Input frequency: 47-64 Hz
- ▶ Power supplies: 2 (N+1)
- ▶ Input current: 8.5 amps @ 180V AC Inrush current: 40 amps peak per power supply
- ▶ Maximum system continuous DC output power rating: 1600 watts

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Performance

- ▶ Up to 75 Gb/s (reads) over the six 100Gbps ports
- ▶ Up to 15 million IOPs (reads) over the six 100Gbps ports

Safety Standards

- ▶ UL 60950
- ▶ CSA 22.2-950

Quality Standards

- ▶ Manufactured under an ISO 9002 registered quality system

Environment Protection

- ▶ RoHS and WEEE compliant

Electromagnetic Emissions & Immunity Standards

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- ▶ CE Mark
- ▶ EN55022: 2010
- ▶ EN61000 3-2:2014
- ▶ EN61000 3-2:2013
- ▶ FCC Class A
- ▶ Canadian IECS-003

Monitoring & Reporting

- ▶ Monitors for temperature, power, cooling (including fan speed control), disk drives, as well as error rates & quality of service
- ▶ Reporting of all serial number, part number, and revisions of the fabric modules, power supplies, drives & chassis

