

Overview

HPE Smart Array S100i SR Gen10 Software RAID

HPE Smart Array S100i SR Gen10 Software RAID, supporting 6Gb/s SATA, is an ideal entry-level solution for supporting RAID 0, 1, 5, and 10. Smart Array Software (SW) RAID is a driver based solution that enables RAID on up to 14 SATA drives connected to the embedded SATA ports on the system board. This software RAID solution is available for HPE ProLiant Gen10 servers and HPE Synergy Gen10 compute modules and provides the efficiency needed to address your evolving data storage needs. HPE Smart Array S100i SR Gen10 SW RAID is only supported on Windows.

Key Features

- Storage interface (SATA)
 - Up to 14 SATA lanes
 - 6Gb/s SATA technology
 - RAID 0, 1, 5, and 10
 - UEFI System Utilities (storage configuration)
 - Up to 14 physical drives
 - Up to 14 logical drives
 - Seamless upgrades to HPE Smart Array controllers
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Ports

- Internal: Up to 14 SATA lanes (dependent on server)
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Performance

- 6Gb/s SATA (600 MB/s theoretical bandwidth per physical lane)
 - PCI Express 3.0 x4 link width
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Fault Prevention

The following features offer detection of possible failures before they occur:

- Predictive drive failure detects possible drive failure before it occurs, allowing replacement of the component before failure occurs.
 - Background surface scan checks drives during inactive periods and automatically remaps bad sectors, ensuring data integrity.
 - HPE SmartSSD Wear Gauge reports the amount of lifetime remaining on your SSDs.
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Storage Management Software Suite

HPE Smart Storage Administrator (SSA) GUI
HPE Smart Storage Administrator (SSA) CLI
HPE Smart Storage Administrator (SSA) Scripting
HPE Intelligent Provisioning
UEFI System Utilities (storage configuration)

Notes: For additional information see the [HPE Smart Array SR Gen10 Configuration Guide at: http://www.hpe.com/info/SmartArrayGen10-docs](http://www.hpe.com/info/SmartArrayGen10-docs)

Compatibility

Server Compatibility

HPE Smart Array S100i SR Gen10 Software RAID is offered on all ProLiant Gen10 servers and Synergy Gen10 compute modules. HPE Smart Array S100i SR Gen10 Software RAID is not supported with any MR Storage Controllers.

Operating Systems

Microsoft Windows Server

Microsoft Windows Hyper-V Server

Notes: S100i Software RAID only supports Windows. For Linux users, HPE offers a solution that uses in-distro open-source software to create a two-disk RAID 1 boot volume. For more information visit:

<https://downloads.linux.hpe.com/SDR/project/lsrrb/>

Notes: Customers using Linux and VMware can use the embedded SATA ports in AHCI mode. In AHCI mode S100i Software RAID is not enabled.

Notes: For more information on HPE's server operating systems and virtualization software, please visit:

<http://www.hpe.com/info/ossupport>



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Summary of Changes

Date	Version History	Action	Description of Change
27-May-2025	Version 7	Changed	Server compatibility note was added (page 2)
04-Dec-2023	Version 6	Changed	Service and Support Section was updated
15-Nov-2021	Version 5	Changed	Service and Support Section was updated
07-May-2018	Version 4	Changed	Updated a note in the Operating Systems section
12-Feb-2018	Version 3	Changed	Updated Service and Support; added note on embedded SATA ports being used in AHCI mode
04-Dec-2017	Version 2	Changed	QuickSpecs name updated
17-Jul-2017	Version 1	New	New QuickSpecs.



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