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8, 12, 16 and 48-Bay NAS w/ iSCSI Unified Storage & Up To 120-Bay Expansion – EliteNAS Windows Storage Server 2008 Series

City of Industry, CA – September 1, 2010 – Sans Digital, a leading provider of high performance storage subsystems, is proud to announce new additions to the EliteNAS series: EN208W+BXE (8-bay), EN212W+BXE (12-bay), EN316W+BXE (16-bay), and EN850W+BXE (48-bay) NAS / iSCSI Microsoft Windows Storage Server 2008 (WSS2008) appliances. Based on the award-winning EliteNAS hardware platforms, the EliteNAS WSS2008 is a feature-rich network storage series with excellent performance. Models 12-bay and above are also equipped with built-in mini-SAS expansion ports for supporting up to 120 drives per channel that help to increase data capacity without the need to purchase a new unit.

Microsoft Windows Storage Server 2008 is built upon an optimized file sharing service of Windows Server 2008 for increased server performance. Advanced storage technologies such as file de-duplication using Single Instance Storage, replication using Distributed File System Replication and snapshot using Volume Shadow Copy Service all come standard without any additional cost. Third party Windows based software, such as anti-virus and backup agent could also be installed to further enhance the features of the storage. iSCSI target software for unified file-based and block-based file sharing are also included. Microsoft Windows 2008 Hyper-V virtualization platform is supported via iSCSI target.

In addition to the high performance and a rich-feature set, the EliteNAS Windows series comes standard with hot-swappable trays, redundant power supplies, as well as hardware RAID controller to provide data protection against hard drive failure. Utilizing SAS expander technology, all models 12-bay and above (optional on 8 bay) are capable for expansion of up to 120 drives per expansion port or 240TB per channel, maximizing your return of investment by expanding storage capacity without the need to purchase a brand new NAS unit. To increase data bandwidth, an optional gigabit or 10 gigabit Ethernet controller could also be added. "Industry proven Microsoft Windows based network attached storage with iSCSI support provides an easy to use platform for IT in unified storage," said Stanley Chan, Director of Business Development of Sans Digital. "Ranging from \$3040 to \$11550, the EliteNAS Windows Storage Server rackmounts are ideal storage solutions for business network." For more information on EliteNAS Windows series, please visit: <http://www.sansdigital.com/elitenas/index.php>.

About Sans Digital

Sans Digital, a leading provider of high performance storage subsystems is devoted to providing the highest quality storage devices with great flexibility, performance, aesthetics and value. Sans Digital offers hot-swappable JBOD and RAID storage products for direct attached storage, network attached storage, and storage area network to customers ranging from SOHO (Small Office, Home Office), SMB (Small, Medium Business) to enterprises worldwide.

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