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HP Oracle Exadata Product Overview

HP Oracle Exadata Storage Server

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EXADATA



- Optimized Storage Product for the Oracle Database
- Extreme I/O and SQL Processing performance for data warehousing
- Combination of hardware and software

Hardware by



Software by

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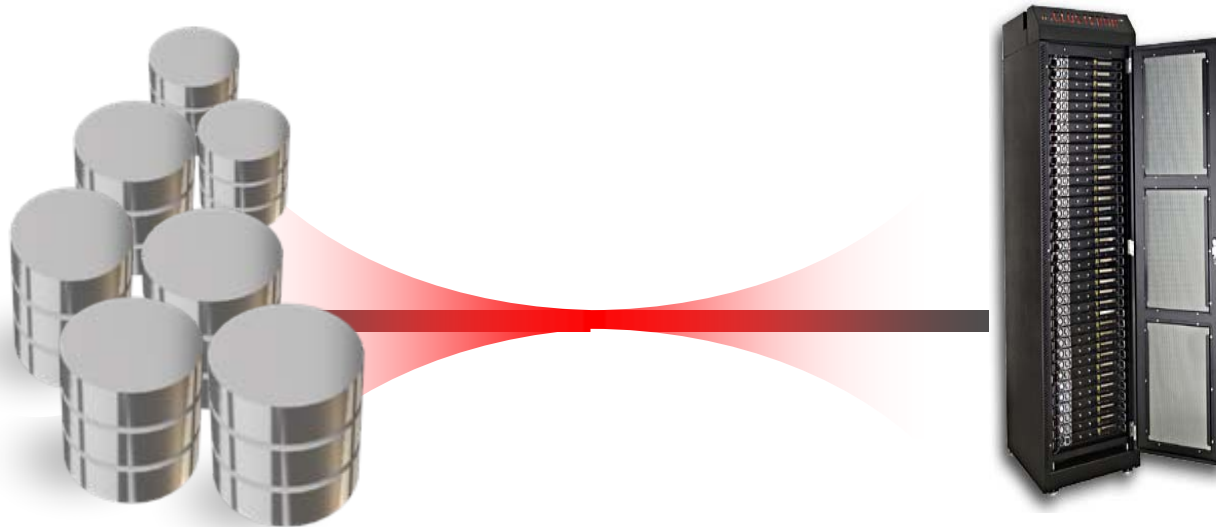
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Exadata Benefits

- Extreme Performance
 - **10X to 100X** speedup for data warehousing
- Database Aware Storage
 - Smart Scans
- Massively Parallel Architecture
 - Dynamically Scalable
 - Unlimited Linear Scaling of Data Bandwidth
 - Transaction/Job level Quality of Service
- Mission Critical Availability and Protection
 - Disaster recovery, backup, point-in-time recovery, data validation, encryption

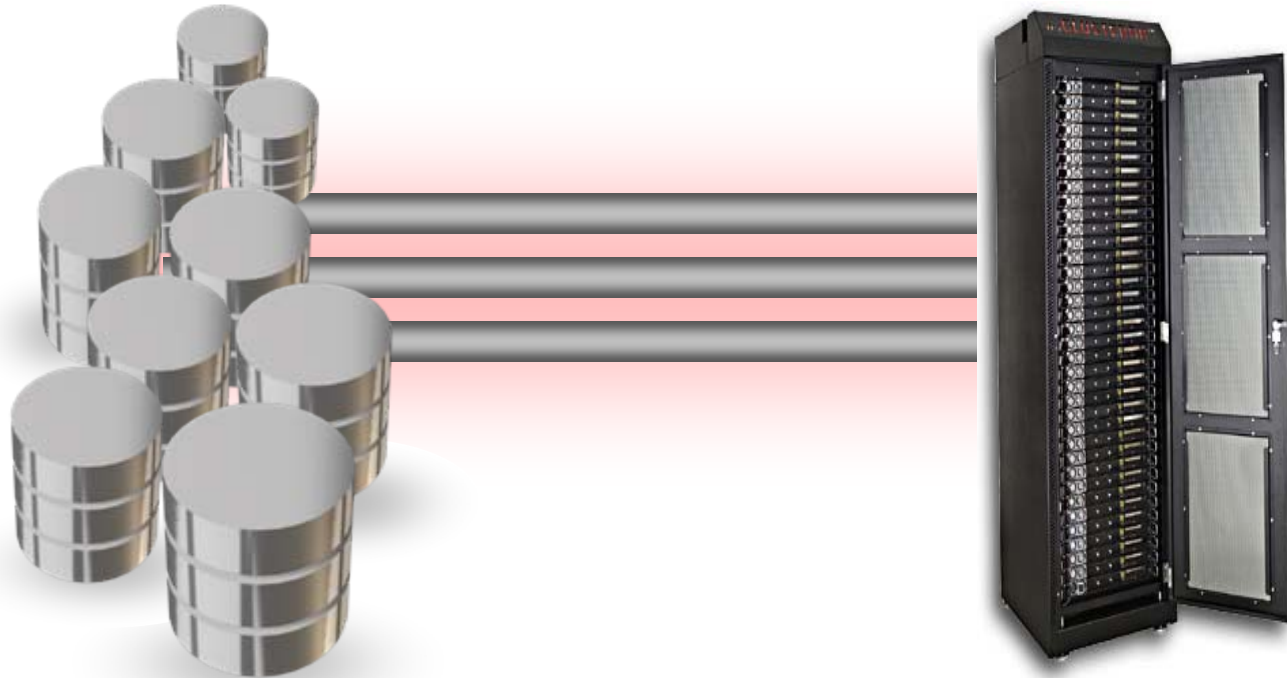
The Performance Challenge

Storage Data Bandwidth Bottleneck



- Current warehouse deployments often have bottlenecks limiting the movement of data from disks to servers
 - Storage Array internal bottlenecks on processors and Fibre Channel Loops
 - Limited Fibre Channel host bus adapters in servers
 - Under configured and complex SANs
- Pipes between disks and servers are 10x to 100x too slow for data size

Solutions To Data Bandwidth Bottleneck



- Add more pipes – **Massively parallel architecture**
- Make the pipes wider – **5X faster than conventional storage**
- Ship less data through the pipes – **Process data in storage**

Exadata – A New Architecture

Breaks Data Bandwidth Bottleneck

- Exadata Ships Less Data Through Pipes
 - Query processing is moved into storage to dramatically reduce data sent to servers while offloading server CPUs
- Exadata has More Pipes
 - Modular storage “cell” building blocks organized into Massively Parallel Grid
 - Bandwidth scales with capacity
- Exadata has Bigger Pipes
 - InfiniBand interconnect transfers data 5x faster than Fibre Channel



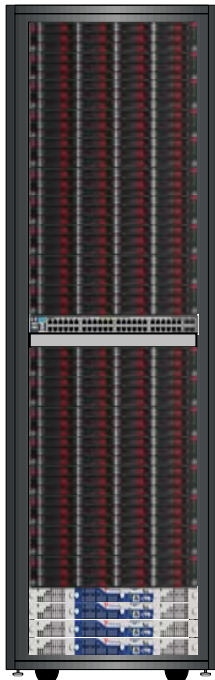
**Exadata Moves a Lot
Less Data a Lot Faster**

HP Exadata Storage Server Hardware

Exadata Storage Server



Racked Exadata Storage Servers



- Building block of massively parallel Exadata Storage Grid
 - Up to 1GB/sec data bandwidth per cell
- HP DL180 G5
 - 2 Intel quad-core processors
 - 8GB RAM
 - Dual-port 4X DDR InfiniBand card
 - 12 SAS or SATA disks
- Software pre-installed
 - Oracle Exadata Storage Server Software
 - Oracle Enterprise Linux
 - HP Management Software
- Hardware Warranty
 - 3 YR Parts/3 YR Labor/3 YR On-site
 - 24X7, 4 Hour response

HP Exadata Storage Server Hardware Details

Redundant 110/220V
Power Supplies

8 GB DRAM

P400 Smart Array Disk
Controller card
- 512M battery backed cache

12 x 3.5" Disk Drives

2 Intel Xeon Quad-core
Processors

InfiniBand DDR
dual port card

LO100c –
Management Card

Included Software:

- Oracle Exadata Storage Server Software
- Oracle Enterprise Linux
- HP Management Software

SAS or SATA Disks in Exadata Servers

- Choice of either
 - 450 GB 15,000 RPM SAS disks
 - 1 TB 7,200 RPM SATA disks
- Choose SAS Based Servers for High Performance

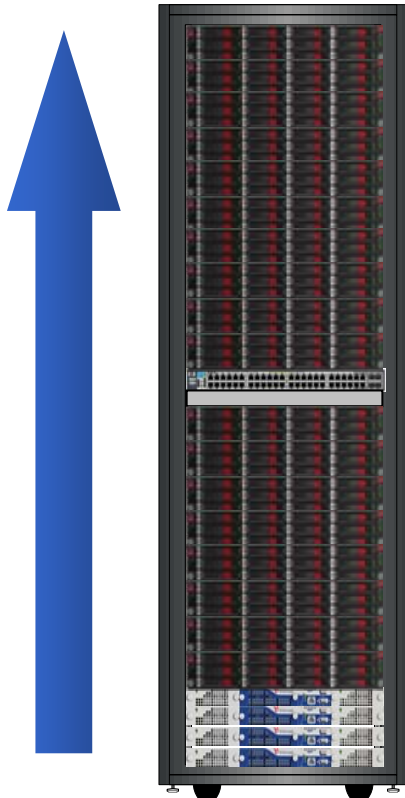
SAS Advantages	SAS	SATA	Advantage
Throughput (MB/s)	1,000	750	1.33X
Average Seek Time (ms)	3.6	7.4	2.05X
Disk level read errors (per year)	6.3	63	10.00X
Years to disk failure	15.2	11.4	1.33X

- Choose SATA Based Servers for High Capacity

SATA Advantages	SAS	SATA	Advantage
Capacity (TB)	5.4	12	2.22X

Scalable

Scale to 18 cells in one rack



Each cell connects
to 2 InfiniBand
switches for
Redundancy

This delivers 4x the
bandwidth

SAS raw capacity per rack: 97TB

SATA raw capacity per rack: 216TB

Peak throughput per rack : >18GB/s

Add racks to scale further



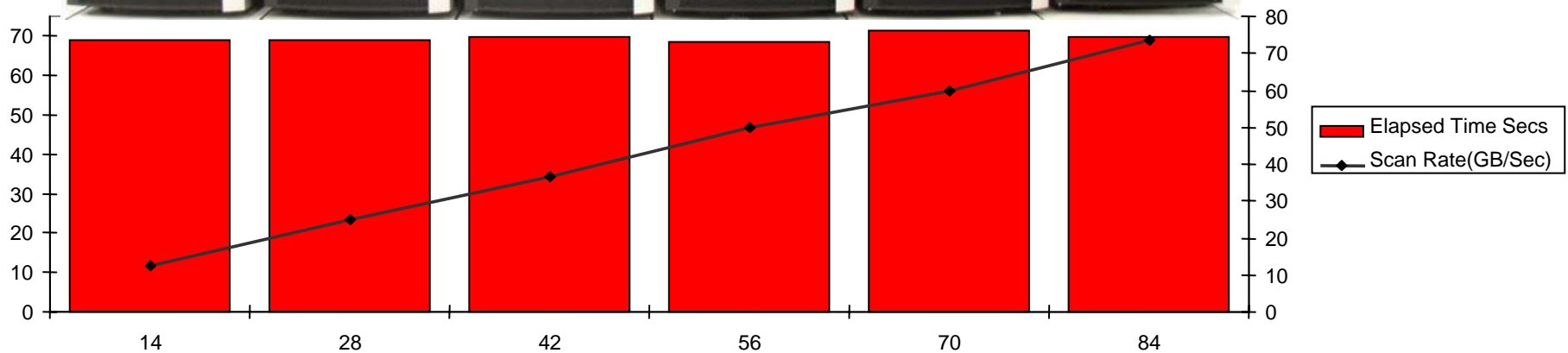
InfiniBand links across
racks for full connectivity

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Extreme Performance in Action



Scan TB of
User Data In
3.5 sec.



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Massively Parallel Storage Grid

- Exadata Storage servers are organized into a massively parallel storage grid

- **Scalable**

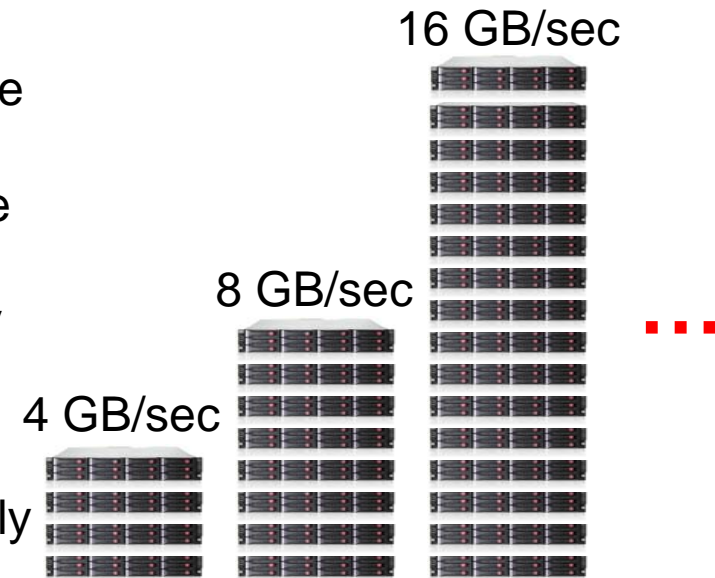
- Scales to hundreds of storage servers
- Data automatically distributed across storage servers by ASM
 - Transparently redistributed when storage servers are added or removed
- Data bandwidth scales linearly with capacity

- **Available**

- Data is mirrored across storage servers
- Failure of disk or storage server transparently tolerated

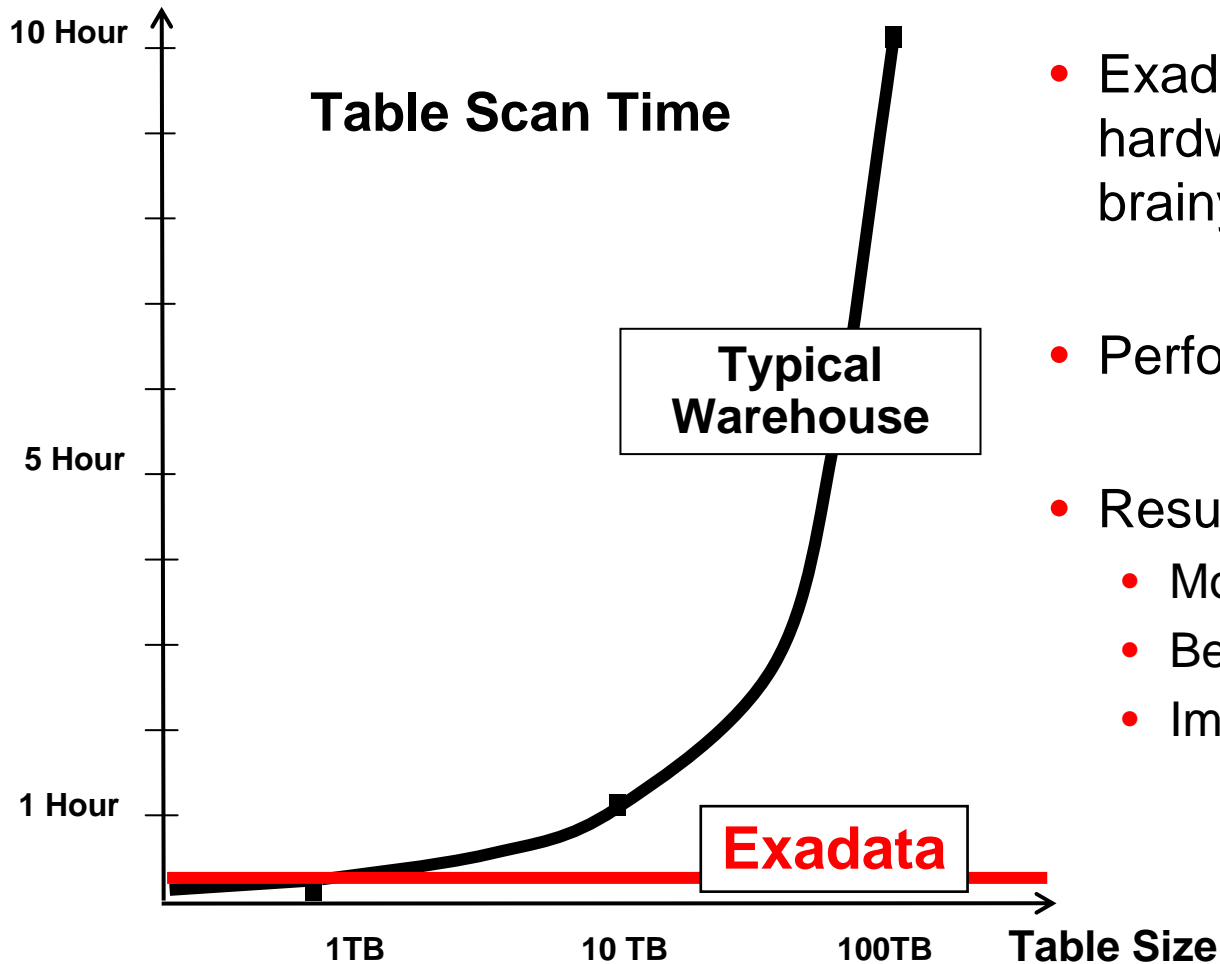
- **Simple**

- Works transparently - no application changes



Exadata bandwidth scales linearly with capacity

Exadata Performance Scales



- Exadata delivers brawny hardware for use by Oracle's brainy software
- Performance scales with size
- Result
 - More business insight
 - Better decisions
 - Improved competitiveness

HP Oracle Database Machine

Pre-Configured High Performance Data Warehouse

- 8 DL360 Oracle Database servers
 - 2 quad-core Intel Xeon, 32GB RAM
 - Oracle Enterprise Linux
 - Oracle RAC
- 14 Exadata Storage Cells (SAS or SATA)
 - Up to 21 TB uncompressed user data (SAS)
 - Up to 46 TB uncompressed user data (SATA)
- 4 InfiniBand switches
- 1 Gigabit Ethernet switch
- Keyboard, Video, Mouse (KVM) hardware
- Hardware Warranty
 - 3 YR Parts/3 YR Labor/3 YR On-site
 - 24X7, 4 Hour response time



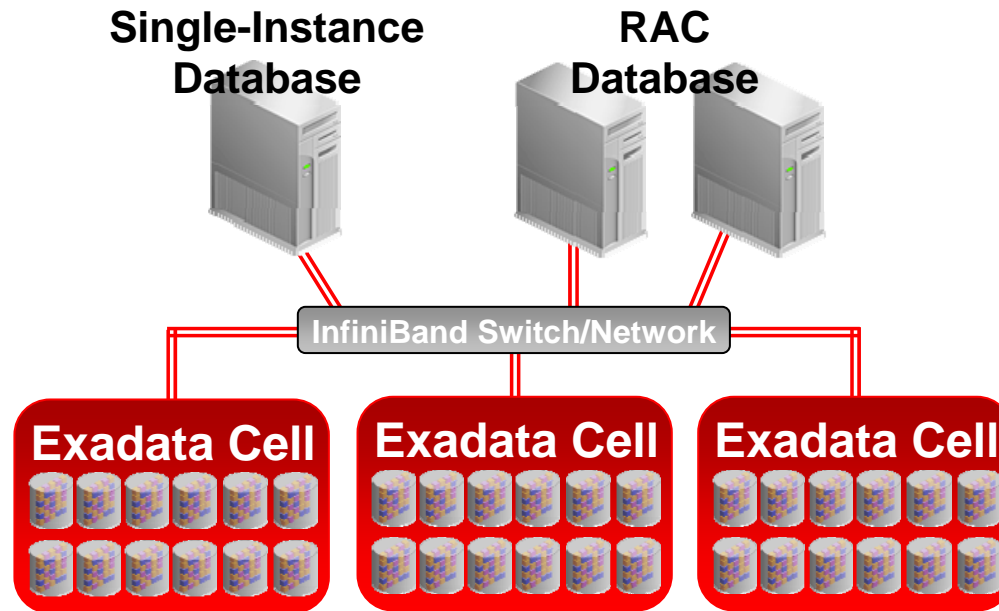
Add more racks for unlimited scalability

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Exadata Product Capacity

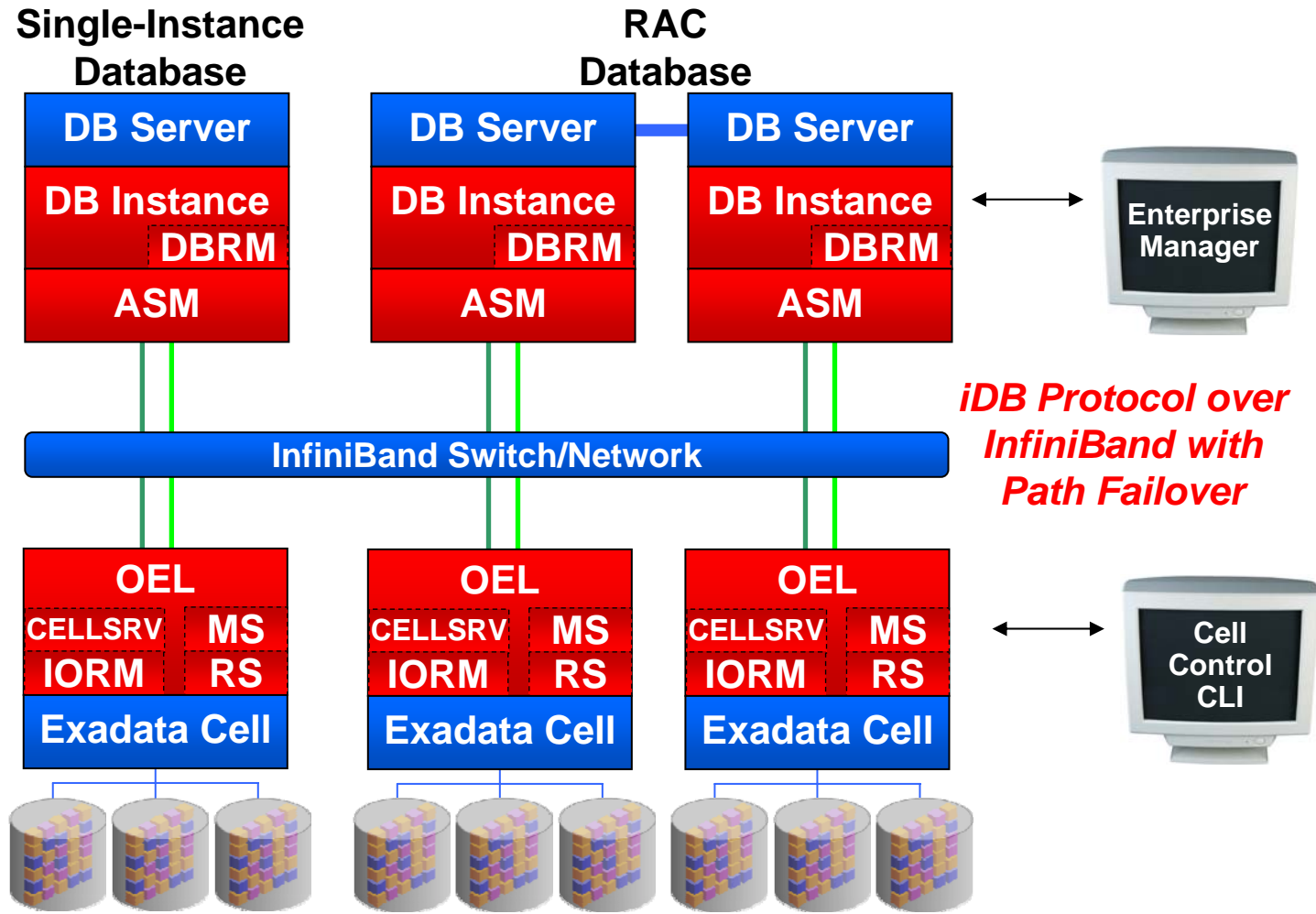
	Raw Storage	User Data	Data Bandwidth
HP Exadata Storage Server Hardware SAS	5.4 TB	1.5 TB	1 GB/s
HP Exadata Storage Server Hardware SATA	12 TB	3.3 TB	0.75 GB/s
HP Oracle Database Machine Hardware SAS	75 TB	21 TB	14 GB/s
HP Oracle Database Machine Hardware SAT	168 TB	46 TB	10.5 GB/s

Exadata Configuration



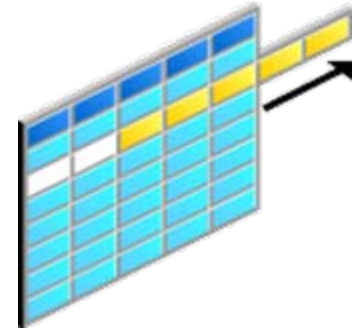
- Each Exadata Cell is a self-contained server which houses disk storage and runs the Exadata software
- Databases are deployed across multiple Exadata Cells
- Database enhanced to work in cooperation with Exadata intelligent storage
- No practical limit to number of Cells that can be in the grid

Exadata Architecture

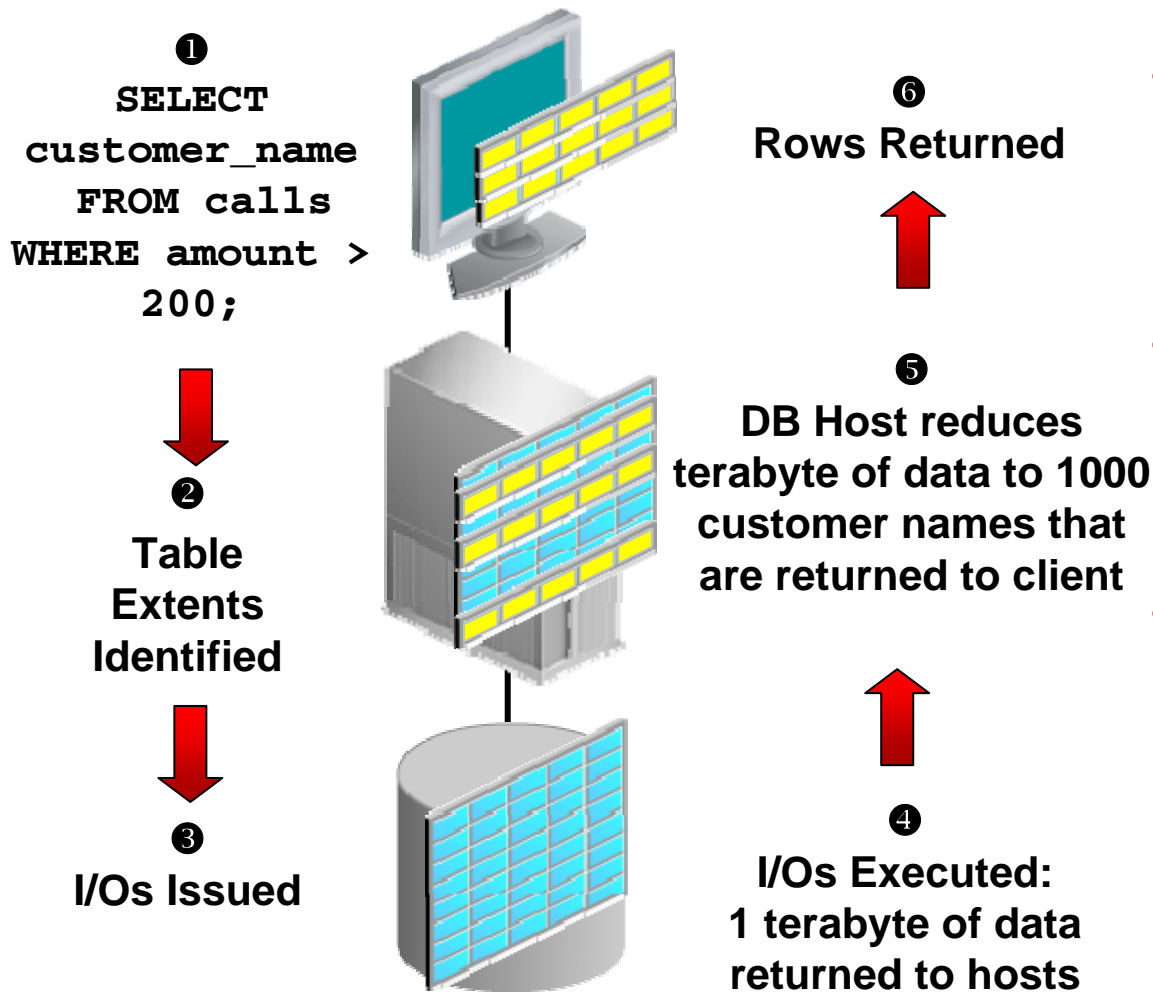


Smart Scan Offload Processing

- Exadata Storage Servers implement smart scans to greatly reduce the data that needs to be processed by database hosts
 - Offload predicate evaluation
 - Only return relevant rows and columns to host
 - Join filtering
- Data reduction is usually very large
 - 10x data reduction is common
- Completely transparent
 - Even if a cell or disk fails during a query
- Smart Scan Example:
 - Telco wants to identify customers that spend more than \$200 on a single phone call
 - The information about these premium customers occupies 2MB in a 1 terabyte table



Traditional Scan Processing



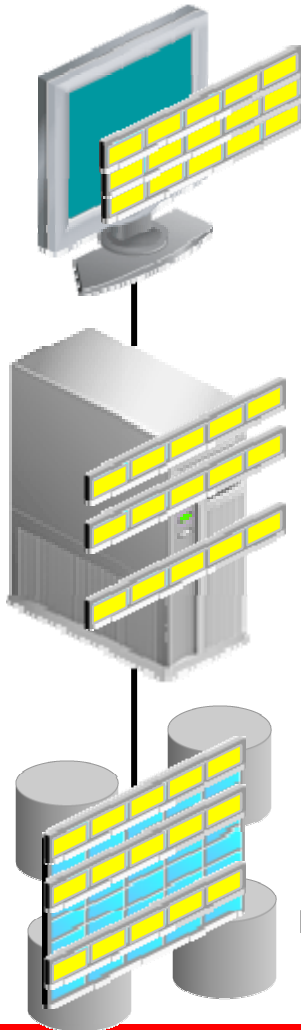
- With traditional storage, all database intelligence resides in the database hosts
- Very large percentage of data returned from storage is discarded by database servers
- Discarded data consumes valuable resources, and impacts the performance of other workloads

Exadata Smart Scan Processing

①
SELECT
customer_name
FROM calls
WHERE amount >
200;

②
Smart Scan
Constructed And
Sent To Cells

③
Smart Scan
identifies rows and
columns within
terabyte table that
match request



⑥
Rows Returned

⑤
Consolidated
Result Set
Built From All
Cells

④
2MB of data
returned to server

- Only the relevant columns
 - customer_name
 - and required rows
 - where amount>200are are returned to hosts
- CPU consumed by predicate evaluation is offloaded
- Moving scan processing off the database host frees host CPU cycles and eliminates massive amounts of unproductive messaging
 - Returns the needle, not the entire hay stack

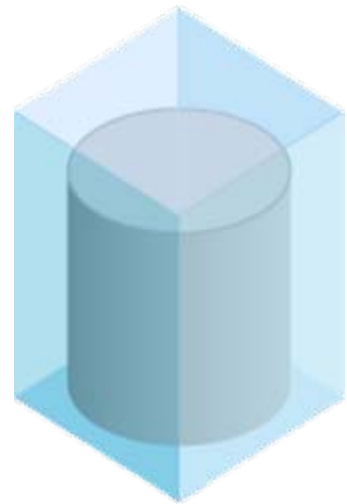
Additional Smart Scan Functionality

- Join filtering
 - Star join filtering is performed within Exadata storage cells
 - Dimension table predicates are transformed into filters that are applied to scan of fact table
- Backups
 - I/O for incremental backups is much more efficient since only changed blocks are returned
- Create Tablespace (file creation)
 - Formatting of tablespace extents eliminates the I/O associated with the creation and writing of tablespace blocks

Smart Scan Transparency



- Smart scans are transparent to the application
 - No application or SQL changes required
 - Returned data is fully consistent and transactional
 - If a cell dies during a smart scan, the uncompleted portions of the smart scan are transparently routed to another cell

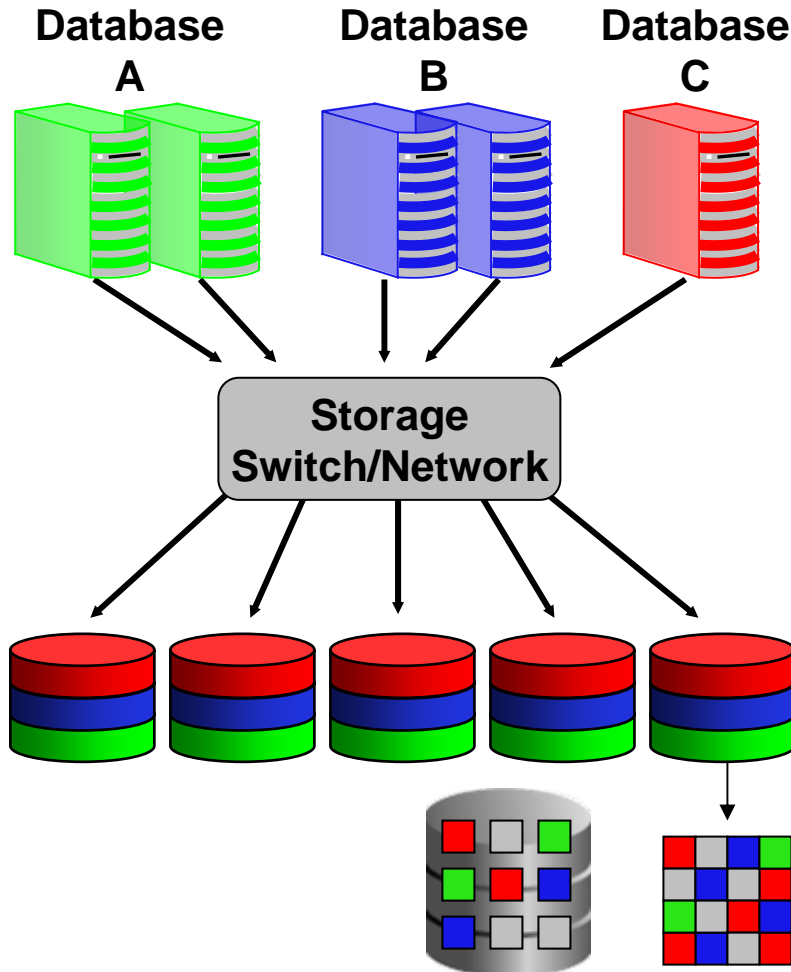


- Smart Scans correctly handle complex cases including
 - Uncommitted data and locked rows
 - Chained rows
 - Compressed tables
 - National Language Processing
 - Date arithmetic
 - Regular expression searches
 - Partitioned tables

High Throughput, Reduced Overhead, No Complex Tuning

Exadata Storage Grid

I/O Resource Management

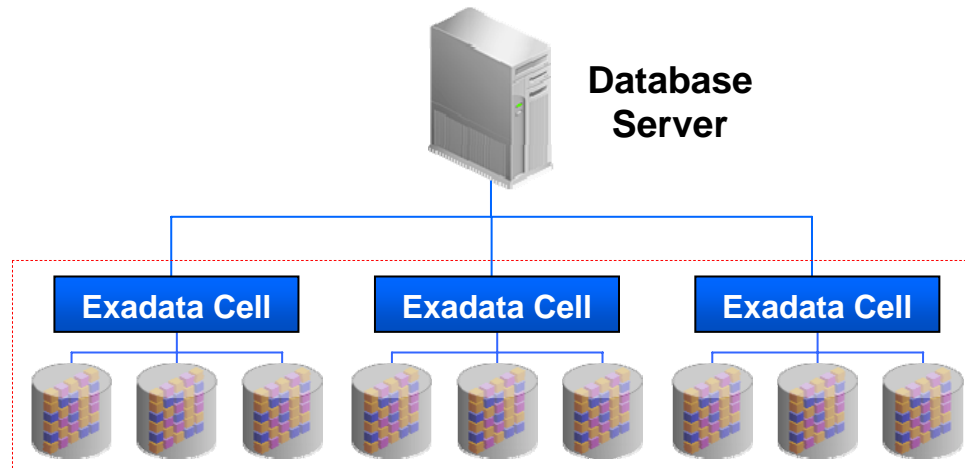


- With traditional storage, creating a managing shared storage is hampered by the inability to balance the work between users on the same database or on multiple databases sharing the storage subsystem
 - Hardware isolation is the approach to ensure separation
- Exadata I/O resource management ensures user defined SLAs are met
 - Coordination and prioritization between different groups/classes of work within a database and between databases

Exadata I/O Resource Management

DW and Mixed Workload Environments

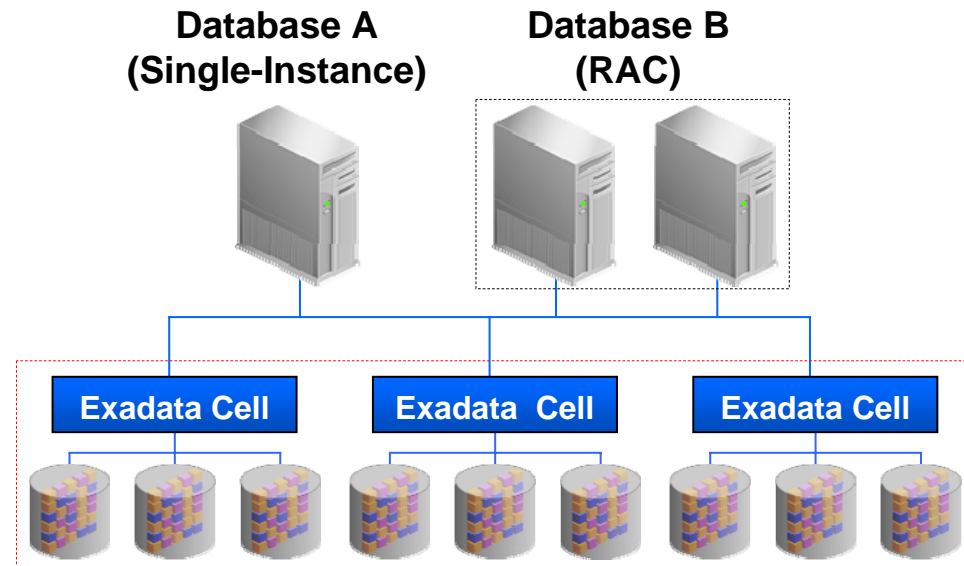
- Ensure different users and tasks within a database are allocated the correct relative amount of I/O resources
- For example:
 - Interactive: 50% of I/O resources
 - Reporting: 30% of I/O resources
 - ETL: 20% of I/O resources



Exadata I/O Resource Management

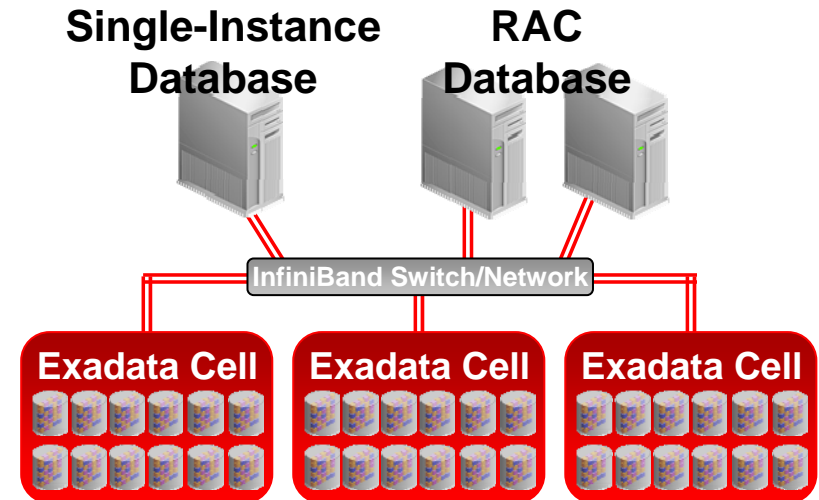
Multi-Database OLTP Environment

- Ensure different databases are allocated the correct relative amount of I/O bandwidth
 - Database A: 33% I/O of resources
 - Database B: 67% I/O of resources
- Ensure different users and tasks within a database are allocated the correct relative amount of I/O bandwidth
 - Database A:
 - Reporting: 60% of I/O resources
 - ETL: 40% of I/O resources
 - Database B:
 - Interactive: 30% of I/O resources
 - Batch: 70% of I/O resources



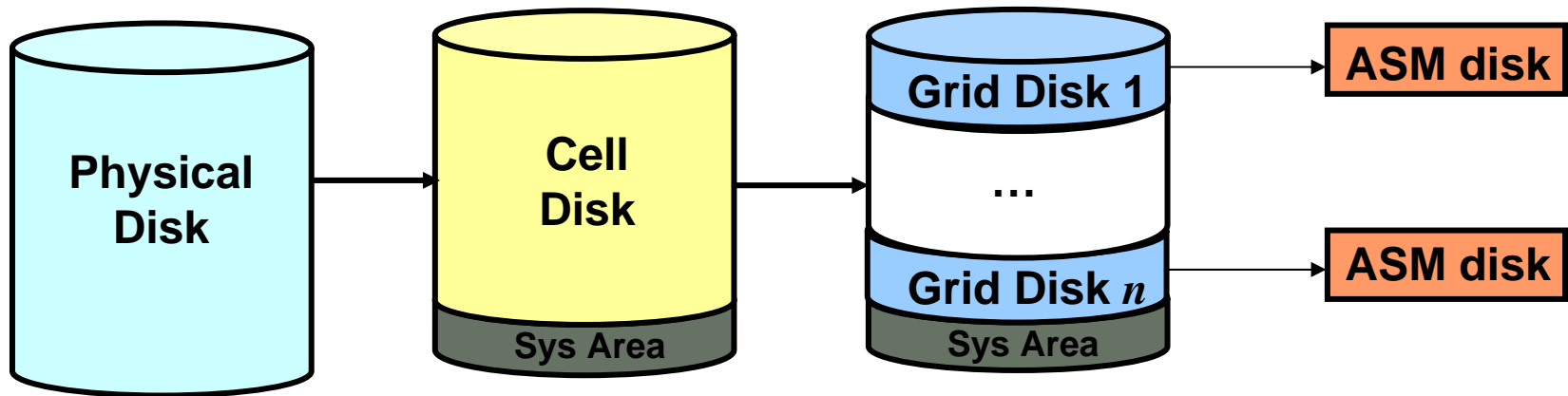
Exadata Scale-Out Storage Grid

- Dynamic virtualized storage resources using Automatic Storage Management (ASM)
 - Simple and non-intrusive resource allocation, and reallocation, enabling true enterprise grid storage
 - Database work spread across storage resources for optimal performance
- Powerful storage allocation options and management
 - Flexible configuration for performance and availability



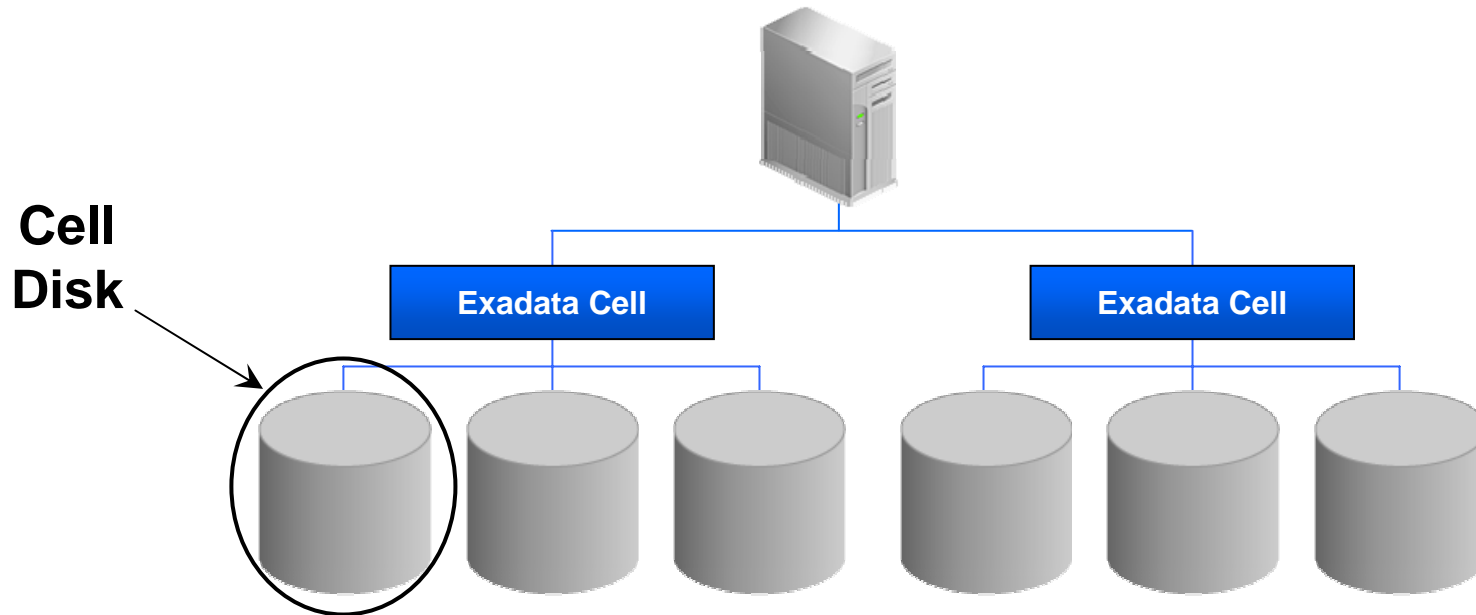
Exadata Storage Layout

- Physical disks map to a Cell Disks
- Cell Disks partitioned into one or multiple Grid Disks
- ASM diskgroups created from Grid Disks
- Transparent above the ASM layer



Exadata Storage Layout Example

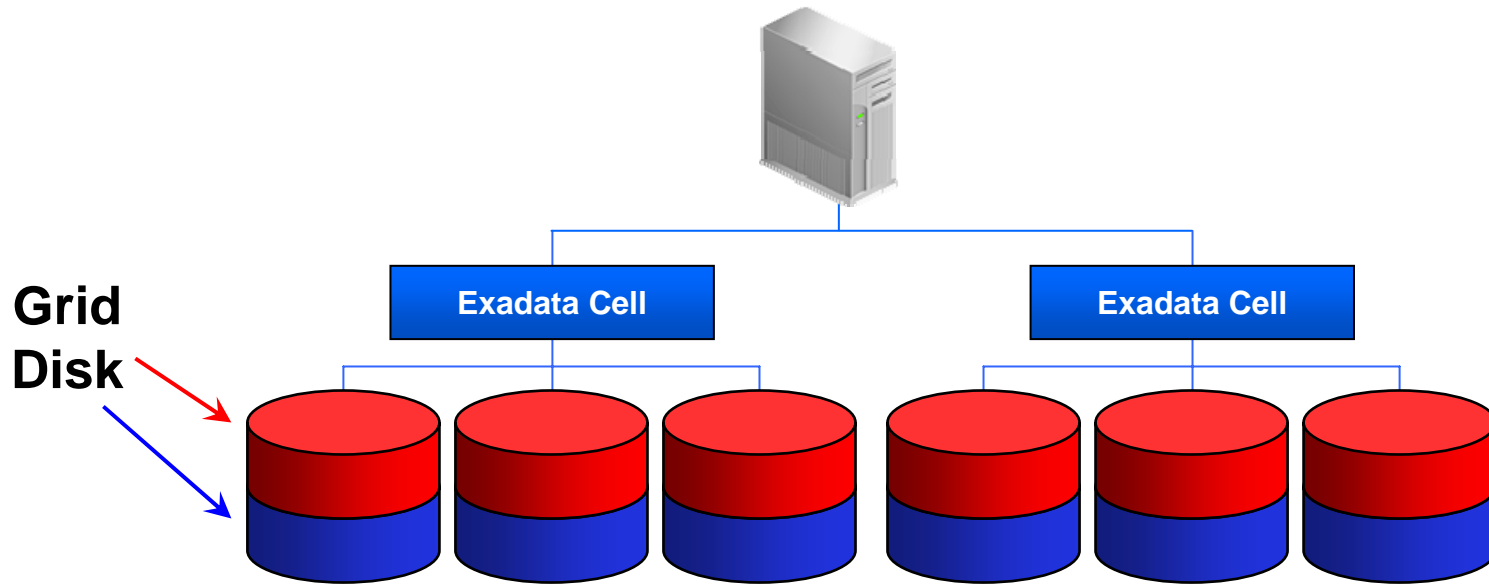
Cell Disks



- Cell Disk is the entity that represents a physical disk residing within a Exadata Storage Cell
 - Automatically discovered and activated

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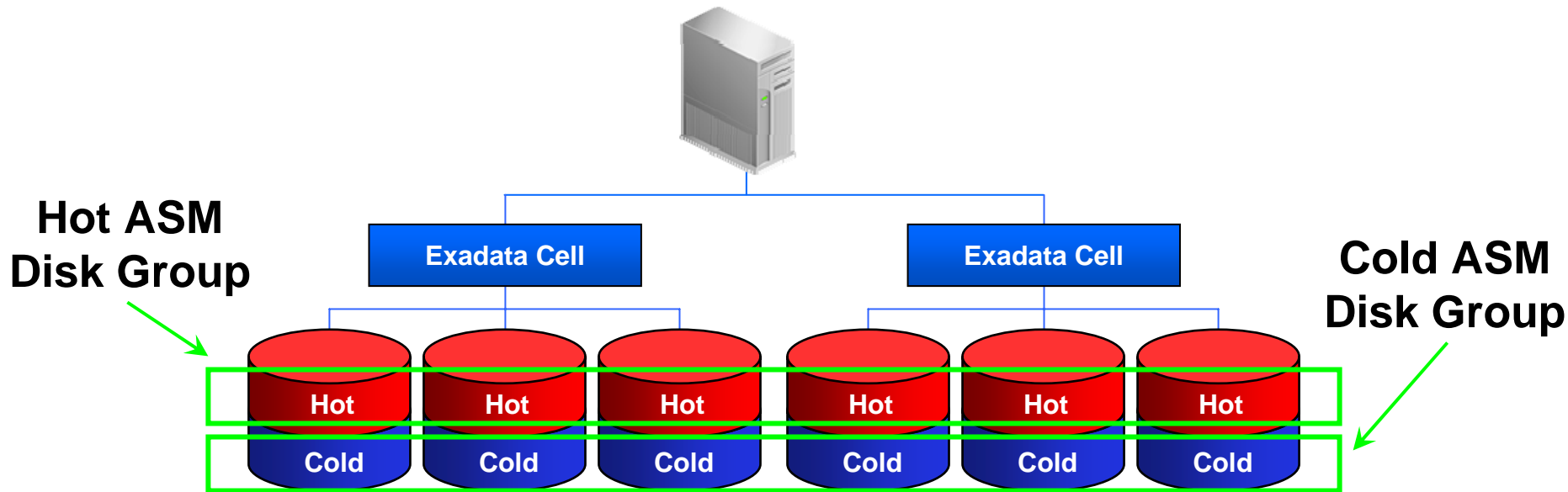
Grid Disks



- Cell Disks are logically partitioned into Grid Disks
 - Grid Disk is the entity allocated to ASM as an ASM disk
 - Minimum of one Grid Disk per Cell Disk
 - Can be used to allocate “hot”, “warm” and “cold” regions of a Cell Disk or to separate databases sharing Exadata Cells

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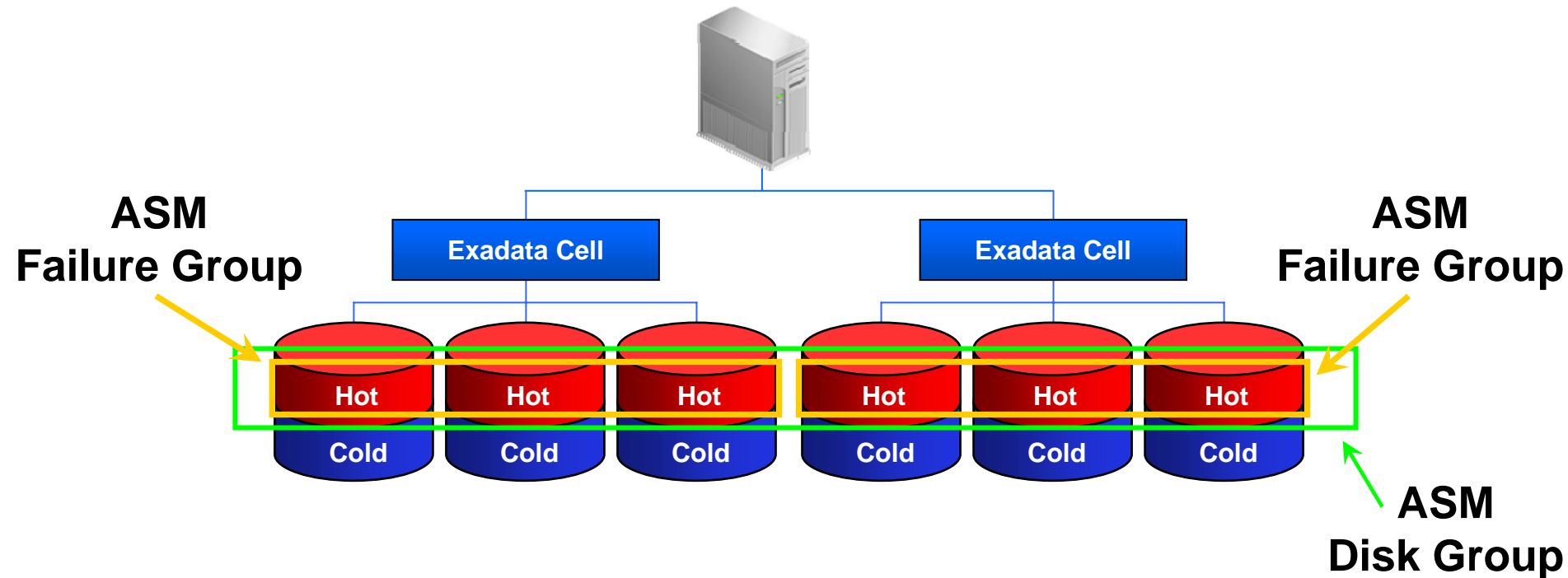
ASM Disk Groups and Mirroring



- Two ASM disk groups defined
 - One for the active, or “hot” portion, of the database and a second for the “cold” or inactive portion
- ASM striping evenly distributes I/O across the disk group
- ASM mirroring is used protect against disk failures
 - Optional for one or both disk groups

Exadata Storage Layout Example

ASM Mirroring and Failure Groups



- ASM mirroring is used protect against disk failures
- ASM failure groups are used to protect against cell failures

Exadata Storage Management & Administration

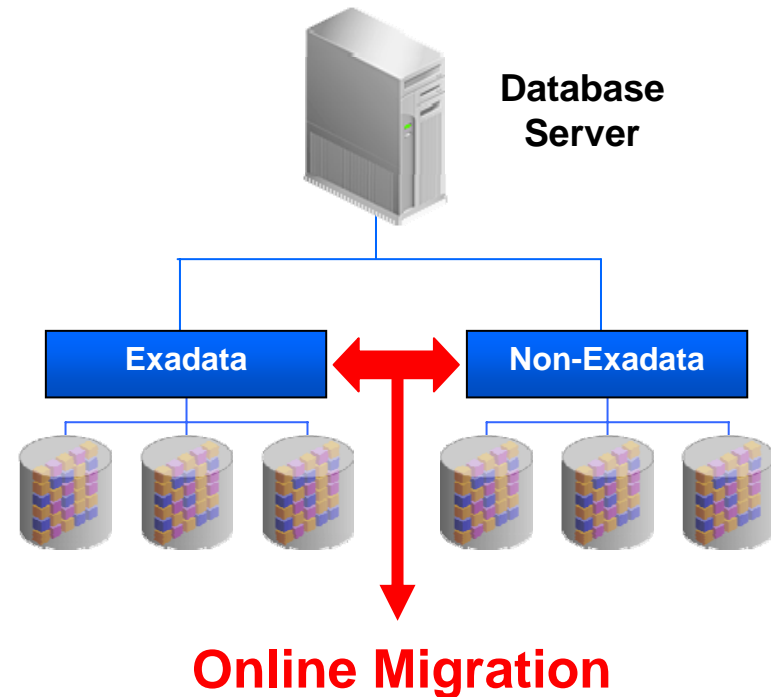
- Enterprise Manager
 - Manage & administer Database and ASM
- Exadata Storage Plug-in
 - Enterprise Manager Grid Control Plug-in to monitor & manage Exadata Storage Cells
- Comprehensive CLI
 - Local Exadata Storage cell management
 - Distributed shell utility to execute CLI across multiple cells
- Lights-out 100
 - Remote management and administration of hardware

Data Protection Solutions

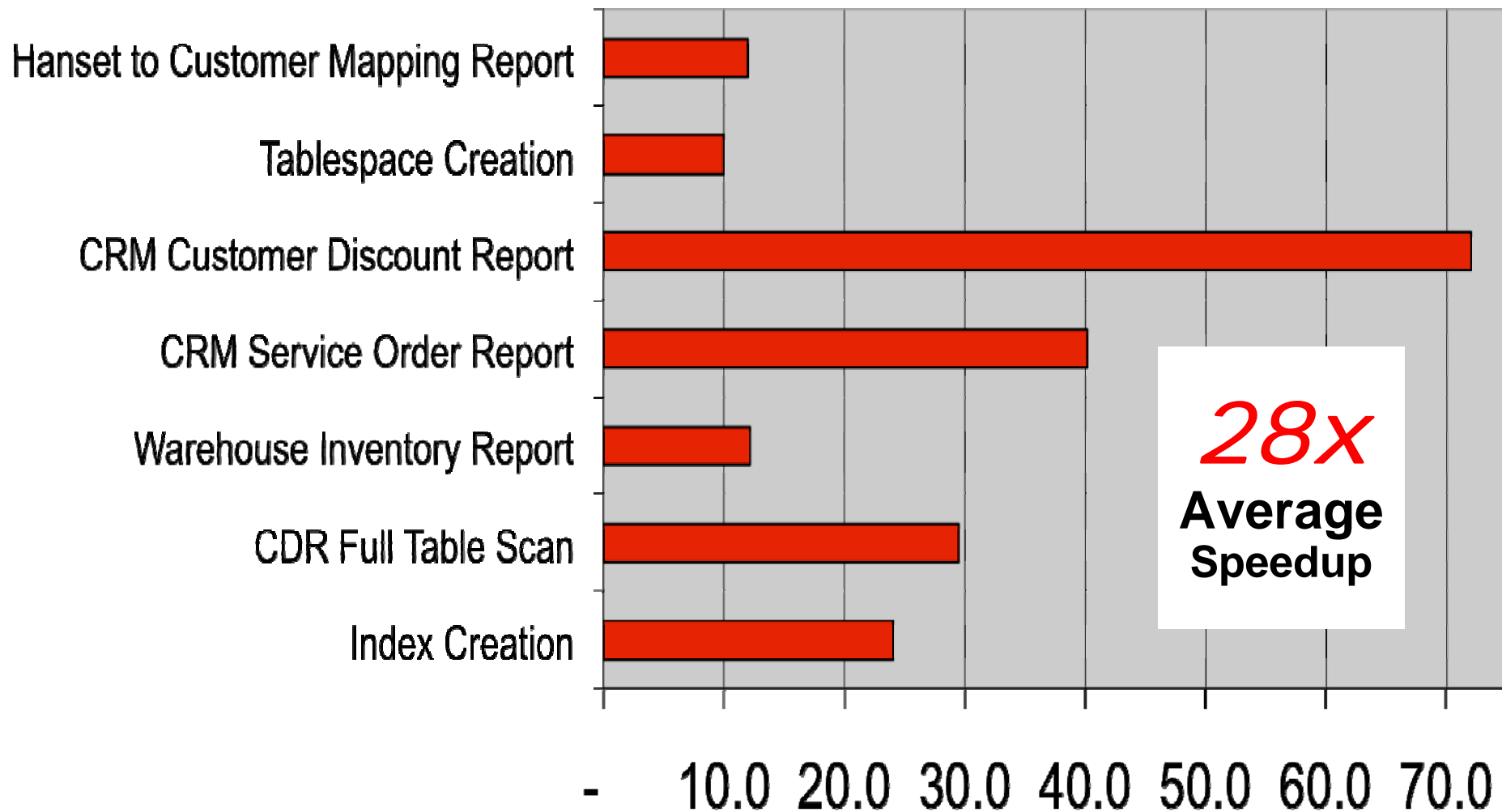
- All single points of failure eliminated by the Exadata Storage architecture
- Hardware Assisted Resilient Data (HARD) built in to Exadata Storage
 - Prevent data corruption before it happens
- Data Guard provides disaster protection and data corruption protection
 - Automatically maintained second copy of database
- Flashback provides human error protection
 - Snapshot-like capabilities to rewind database to before error
- Recovery Manager (RMAN) provide backup to disk
 - Archiving and corruption protection
 - Can be used with Oracle Secure Backup (OSB) or third party tape backup software
- These work just as they do for traditional non-Exadata storage
 - Users and database administrator use familiar tools

Exadata Co-Existence and Migration

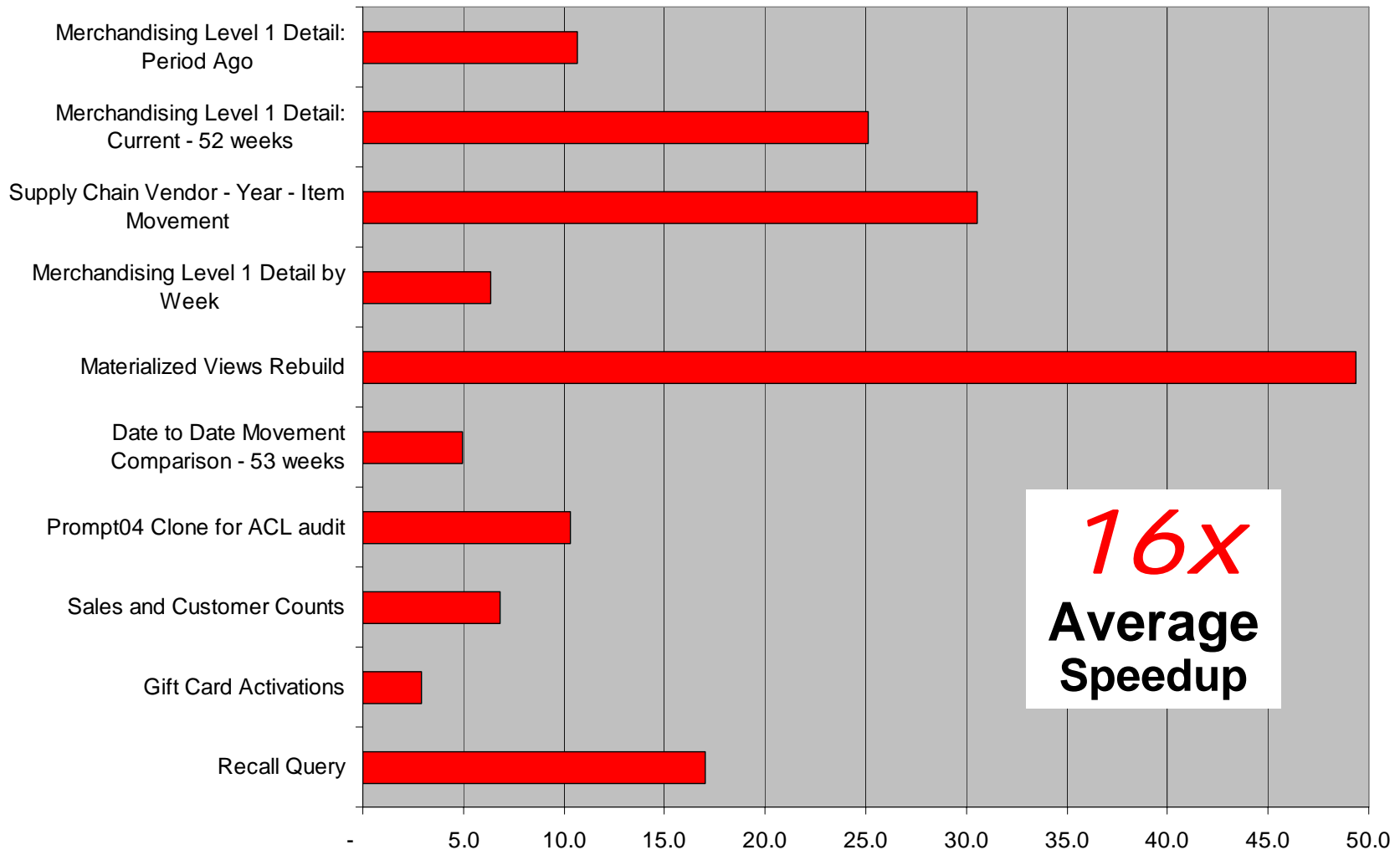
- Databases can be concurrently deployed on Exadata and traditional storage
 - Tablespaces can exist on Exadata storage, traditional storage, or a combination of the two, and is transparent to database applications
 - SQL offload processing requires all pieces of a tablespace reside on Exadata
- Online migration if currently using ASM and ASM redundancy
- Migration can be done using RMAN or Data Guard



Telco Exadata Speedup – 10X to 72X



Retail Exadata Speedup – 3x to 50x



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Resources

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- **Oracle Exadata Technology Portal on OTN:**
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