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Demartek Sees Increased Interest In VDI Performance With Boot Storm

Demartek released an evaluation of VDI storage performance during boot storm in the summer of 2013. Since then we have noticed an increased interest in the comparison of VM boot times, server load, and disk throughput performance metrics. Take a peek at our report and see for yourself how easy it can be to boost performance with boot storm.

It takes more than great work to make a great business.

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Get To Know Demartek Better With Our Newest Video

Staying organized, understanding risk and reward, and providing great, consistent service are all traits that define a good business. But take it one step further and we find that there are people behind these actions and traits. That's nothing new and every great business knows this. We're no different. In the upcoming months we hope to shine light on the people working at Demartek and we hope you enjoy

getting to know us a little better.

Events and Speaking

Dennis Martin, President of Demartek, will present at the **Data Storage Innovation (DSI) Conference** in Santa Clara, CA next month. This event is owned and produced by the Storage Networking Industry Association (SNIA). It is designed for IT decision-makers, technology implementers, and those expected to influence, implement and support data storage innovation as actual production solutions. The sessions include:

- April 7, 8:30am: **Next Generation Storage Networking for Next Generation Data Centers**
- April 8, 4:10pm: **Storage Systems Can Now Get ENERGY STAR Labels and Why You Should Care**

To get all the info, and register for this event, visit the **SNIA Data Storage Innovation Conference** website.

Top Ten Demartek Pages and Reports

We list the top ten most popular pages and reports for the last four weeks, updating every Monday morning. Here's how it looked on our website on March 16th:

1. **Demartek Storage Networking Interface Comparison**
2. **Demartek News and Reports**
3. **Demartek Presents Robocopy at March 2011 RMWTUG Meeting**
4. **Demartek Monthly Browser Usage Statistics**
5. **Demartek Presents at Data Storage Innovation Conference April 2015**
6. **DemartekEvaluation of HP OneView Management Software**
7. **Demartek Lab Validation and Testing**
8. **Demartek Identity Theft Prevention Tips and Commentary**
9. **Demartek Evaluation of Emulex and Intel 10GbE and 40GbE Adapters**
10. **Demartek Evaluation of HP 20GbE Adapters and Cisco 40GbE Adapters**

Be sure to check back every Monday to see which reports have made the Top Ten List. The **current top ten list** can also be viewed on the Demartek website.

Word from the President

We continue to test a variety of technologies, including 40GbE and some very fast flash storage systems. Look for results with these technologies coming soon.

Although we enjoy the testing work that we do, and the work that goes into the technical reports and videos we create, we also want you to know us a bit as people with a life beyond the lab. That's why we've begun a new series of videos, described earlier in this newsletter.

In honor of St. Patrick's Day, I pass along this Irish saying for you: May your home always be too small to hold all of your friends.

Dennis Martin, President, Demartek

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