



HPE Synergy

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WHAT IS MOST VALUABLE?

The density and the flexibility that it provides are the most valuable features. In the C7000, there was a memory density issue per blade that was solved in Synergy's platform. On top of that, I value the composability of it. In other words, being able to create hyper-converged systems within the frame, rather than having to resort to rack mounts.

HOW HAS IT HELPED MY ORGANIZATION?

A great benefit is being able to create different solutions that aren't available in the traditional C7000 platform.

WHAT NEEDS IMPROVEMENT?

It's a lot more about some of the speeds and feeds, such as the 25, 50, 100 GB virtual connections. In addition, I would like to see improvement in the 32 GB fiber channel connection at the end of it.

WHAT DO I THINK ABOUT THE STABILITY OF THE SOLUTION?

We have no issues with stability.

HOW ARE CUSTOMER SERVICE AND TECHNICAL SUPPORT?

I have not used technical support.

WHICH SOLUTION DID I USE PREVIOUSLY AND WHY DID I SWITCH?

It's just one of those products that as a partner, we have always tried to stay on top of. Previously, we had the C7000, plus other competing products, in our lab. When selecting a vendor, I look at how well things integrate together, as well as the ease of management.

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HOW WAS THE INITIAL SETUP?

I was not involved in the initial setup.

WHICH OTHER SOLUTIONS DID I EVALUATE?

We didn't look at any competitor's solutions.

WHAT OTHER ADVICE DO I HAVE?

Look at the flexibility of the platform, as far as being able to have that storage drive to be able to do hyper-converge. It should not block your architecture. As you scale it out, you don't have choke points on the network side, like you do in other platforms.

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