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CISCO MDS 9000 SAN INTELLIGENCE SERIES

The Cisco® MDS 9000 SAN Intelligence Series, a set of video-on-demand (VoD) tutorials, help educate users about the intelligence built into all Cisco MDS 9000 multilayer directors and multilayer fabric switches. These tutorials help customers create efficient, cost-effective, and scalable solutions for:

- Storage-area network (SAN) consolidation
- Business continuity and disaster recovery
- SAN security
- Tiered application and service convergence
- SAN management

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Intelligent Multilayer Storage Networking Solutions: Cisco MDS 9000 Overview

This PowerPoint presentation and video education session provides a complete overview of the intelligent and innovative technologies and solutions offered by the Cisco MDS 9000. This VoD is suggested as the first tutorial for users starting this series.

Presenter: Tom Nosella, director of engineering, Cisco Systems, Inc.

VSAN Tutorial

Virtual SANs (VSANs), developed and delivered *only* by Cisco Systems® in its Cisco MDS 9000 multilayer directors and switches, is now a storage-networking industry standard approved and supported by ANSI-T11. This PowerPoint presentation and video tutorial provides a complete overview of VSANs, including the technology itself and its application, with sections including Inter-VSAN Routing (IVR), multiprotocol support, and more.

Presenter: Tom Nosella, director of engineering, Cisco Systems, Inc.

Advanced SAN Security Solutions Using the Cisco MDS 9000

To comply with current regulations, SAN security has never been more critical. This PowerPoint presentation and video tutorial session provide a complete overview of critical, multiprotocol SAN security solutions delivered only in the Cisco MDS 9000. This session is a detailed technology education session.

Presenter: Tom Nosella, director of engineering, Cisco Systems, Inc.

Building iSCSI SAN Solutions Using the Cisco MDS 9000

This PowerPoint presentation and video tutorial provide a complete overview of Cisco MDS 9000 Small Computer System Interface over IP (iSCSI) solutions and how they can serve as an extension to your existing SAN for low-cost connectivity.

Presenter: Tom Nosella, director of engineering, Cisco Systems, Inc.

Network-Hosted Storage Applications for the Cisco MDS 9000

This PowerPoint presentation and video tutorial provide an overview of network-hosted storage virtualization offerings with IBM and Veritas for the Cisco MDS 9000.

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