

HVE ConneXions Launches New "MINI" Server Line

Added to HVE's full line of converged and non-converged solutions, these new MINI appliances offer incredible virtualization opportunities to organizations of <u>any</u> size.

Dallas, TX; July 9, 2015 - HVE ConneXions is proud to announce the release of a new line of next-generation servers based around market demands for lower cost compute and converged storage platforms utilizing current advanced server technology solutions. These platforms are required for the next-generation of virtualization initiatives from Microsoft and VMWare and are ideal for:

- Small to medium size organizations
- Branch offices
- Campus compute
- DR (Disaster Recovery) converged nodes

The new line of HVE STAGE servers, named "Mini," provides next-generation technology supporting features like VMWare Software Defined Networking (NSX) cluster nodes, Hyper-V, and End User Virtual Application Delivery platforms. Our design encompasses a single Haswell CPU with 12 core threads, 64G DDR4 Ram @2133Mhz DDR4, and can function as a compute server with attached shared storage options or HVE's "Business In A Box (BIX)" converged direct attach all SSD storage option with usable space of 1.3TB, 2.3TB, 3.3TB, 6.2TB, and 11.7 TB options.

Benefits:

- 1U Compute Server Low power consumption
- Integrated Dual X540 10G Base T ready ethernet interfaces
- Single socket Intel Haswell delivers outstanding performance and savings on per/socket licenses for software. 12 CPU threads
- 64G 16x4 DDR4 RDIMM
- 128G OS Drive eMLC SSD SATA3
- Pre-installed Windows 2012 R2 Hyper-V Ready or pre-installed vSphere VMWare ESXi (Must specify when order is placed)
- All SSD direct attached converged storage with 6 Gbps backplane (~1.3TB, ~2.3TB, 3.3TB, 6.2TB an 11.7TB Options)
- Excellent for performance for small campus, branch office, or remote virtualization compute
- Perfect entry level server for virtualization or next-generation technology refresh
- Ideal for domain controllers, file/print servers, utility applications, or a small compute cluster farm (VMWare NSX)
- All SSD technology provides 60-95K IOPs (80/20 r/w) performance. No spinning drives.
- 1 year warranty included, up to 5 year warranty available

Dave Harmon, President of HVE ConneXions, said, "HVE is very pleased to announce the GA (General Availability) of our new line of HVE compute servers called the MINI. HVE continues to engineer purpose built servers for virtualization solutions, and this new product line really fills a gap for a cost efficient and high-performance platform to serve small to medium size organizations.

Traditionally, the less expansive compute that is affordable to these organizations has lacked 2 important items found in our higher end compute: horsepower and solid state drives. HVE's Haswell single socket "mini" servers, engineered with all flash SSD direct attached storage options, really bridges the gap in performance and reliability. This line of appliances is a great entry-level option for customers to get into the virtualization arena. Our engineering team has produced an excellent design which provides a very affordable solution to a whole new market for HVE."

HVE ConneXions is one of the fastest growing technology manufacturers of next generation hardware. For more information and technical specifications on the HVE product line, visit <u>http://www.hveconnexions.com</u>