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Example	Emphasized words or expressions.
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EXAMPLE	Keys on the keyboard, for example, F2 or ENTER.

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1 Introduction

The SAP HANA database for SAP Business One products (SAP Business One, version for SAP HANA and SAP Business One analytics powered by SAP HANA) runs on SUSE Linux Enterprise Server (SLES). The following vendors are certified to provide server hardware for SLES:

- Lenovo (formerly IBM)
- HP
- Dell
- Fujitsu
- Huawei

When configuring your hardware platform, you can refer to the instructions in the section corresponding to your hardware vendor.

1 Note

Instructions on Huawei servers are not provided. If you are using a Huawei server, refer to Huawei documentation for configuration guidance.

2 Lenovo (Formerly IBM) Server

2.1 Obtaining or Changing the Network Settings for Web Interface Access

To access the Web interface and use the remote presence feature, you need the network settings for the Web interface. Depending on the server, different Web interface entry points are provided.

2.1.1 Lenovo ThinkServer Server Management (TSM)

You use the TSM (ThinkServer Server Management) to manage Lenovo ThinkServer. You can obtain or configure the TSM IP address through the Setup utility, as follows:

- 1. Turn on the server, and when the prompt $\langle F1 \rangle$ Setup is displayed, press F1.
- 2. From the main menu, on the *TSM Settings* tab, select *TSM Network Settings* and ensure that the value of *Configuration Address source* is set correctly.
- 3. Obtain or change the network settings (IP address, hostname, subnet mask, and gateway).
- 4. Choose *ESC* twice to return to the main menu.
- 5. From the main menu, choose Save & Exit.
- 6. Save the settings and confirm to restart the server.

2.1.2 System x Integrated Management Module (IMM)

You use the IMM (Integrated Management Module) to manage System x. You can obtain or configure the IMM IP address through the Setup utility, as follows:

- 1. Turn on the server, and when the prompt $\langle F1 \rangle$ Setup is displayed, press F1.
- 2. From the Setup utility main menu, choose System Settings.
- 3. In the next window, select Integrated Management Module.
- 4. In the next window, select Network Configuration.
- 5. Obtain or change the network settings (IP address, hostname, subnet mask, and gateway).
- 6. Save the network settings and confirm to restart IMM.
- 7. Choose ESC to return to the main menu.

2.1.2.1 Disabling IMM USB Interface

- 1. In the UEFI/BIOS, select System Settings.
- 2. Select Integrated Management Module.
- 3. Select Commands on USB Interface and set it to **Disabled**.
- 4. Choose ESC to return to the main menu.

1 Note

To avoid interference from the USB network interface, you need to keep this feature disabled until you have finished installing SAP software.

2.2 Optimizing Server Performance

Follow the procedure below to optimize the server performance:

- 1. In the UEFI/BIOS, select System Settings.
- 2. Select Operating Modes.
- 3. Choose Operating Mode: Maximum Performance.
- 4. Choose ESC to return to the settings menu.
- 5. Select Memory.
- 6. Select Patrol Scrub: Enable.

Patrol Scrub is required for memory error detection by the SAP HANA database. In case of uncorrectable memory errors, the CPU sends a signal to the HANA application, which can then handle the error condition without crashing or losing data.

7. Choose *ESC* to return to the main menu.

2.3 Configuring Storage



Proper RAID configuration with two virtual drives is vital for successful SAP software installations.

System x3650 M4 is equipped with 120-GB or 240-GB SSD drives.

System x3650 M5 based on Intel[®] Xeon[®] V3 family of processors, Lenovo ThinkServer RD550 and Lenovo ThinkServer RD650 are equipped with a minimum of 4 x 300-GB HDD drives. The storage can be increased to a maximum of 8 x 300-GB HDD drives or replaced entirely with 4 x 1.2-TB HDD drives, depending on the size and growth expectations of the SAP HANA installation.

The **System x3850 X6 based on Intel® Xeon® V2 and V3** families of processors is equipped with a minimum of 4 x 1.2 TB HDD drives. The storage can be increased to a maximum of 8 x 1.2-TB HDD drives, depending on the size and growth expectations of the SAP HANA installation.

These internal SSDs or HDDs will store both the SAP HANA log and the data.

There is no external storage.

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Once the system is installed, there is a hardware-based RAID with two virtual disks for the operating system and for SAP HANA.

virtual drive 0 drive 1 HW-RAID5								
SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	

Configuration for x3500 M4 / x3550 M4, 128-GB memory, 8× 120 GB SSDs

Configuration for x3500 M4 / x3550 M4, 256-GB memory, 8 × 240 GB SSDs

virtual drive 0 HW-RAID5								
SSD 240G	SSD 240G	SSD 2408G	SSD 240G					

Configuration for x3500 M4 / x3550 M4, 256-GB memory, 13 × 120 GB SSDs

virtual drive 0	virtual drive 0 drive 1 HW-RAID5											
SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G	SSD 120G



Configuration for System x3650 M5 and Lenovo ThinkServer RD550/RD650, 4-8 × 300 GB HDDs

Configuration for System x3850 X6, 4-8 × 1.2 TB HDDs



2.3.1 System x3650, x3550 M4 and x3500 M4

To configure the RAID settings of the M5110 RAID controller, proceed as follows:

- 1. In the UEFI/BIOS, select System Settings.
- 2. Select Adapters and UEFI Drivers.
- 3. Select LSI EFI SAS Driver in the list.
- 4. Select WebBIOS.
- 5. One RAID controller has already been selected. Keep the selection and choose Start.
- 6. Select Configuration Wizard.
- 7. Select New Configuration.
- 8. Select Yes to clear the existing configuration.
- 9. Select Manual Configuration.
- 10. Select Redundancy when possible.

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- 11. Select Drive Security Method: No Encryption.
- 12. Select Data Protection: Disabled.
- 13. For the IBM x3500 M4 / x3550 M4 model with 128-GB RAM, select all 8 drives (slots 0-7), and then select Add to Array.

For the IBM x3500 M4 / x3550 M4 model with 256-GB RAM, select all 13 128-GB drives (slots 0-12) or all 8 240-GB drives (slots 0-7), and then select *Add to Array*.

- 14. Select Accept DG.
- 15. Select Next.
- 16. Select Add to Span.
- 17. Select Next.
- 18. Specify the capacity (**53 GB**) for the first virtual drive. This drive will be used for the operating system and swap space.
- 19. Select Accept.
- 20. Select Yes for Write Back with BBU mode.
- 21. Select *Back* to configure the next virtual drive.
- 22. Select Add to Span.
- 23. Select Next.
- 24. Select Update Size.
- 25. Allocate the remaining capacity to the second virtual drive. This drive will be used for storing the SAP application data.
- 26. Select Accept.
- 27. Select Yes for Write Back with BBU mode.
- 28. Select Next.
- 29. Select Accept.
- 30. Select Yes to save the configuration.
- 31. Select Cancel for SSD Caching.
- 32. Select Yes to initialize the virtual drives.
- 33. Make sure that the following properties are selected for the virtual drives:
 - o RAID Level:5
 - о Stripe Size: **128 кв**
 - o Access: RW
 - o Read: Always Read Ahead
 - Default Write: Write Back with BBU
 - o Disable BGI: No
 - o 1/0:Direct
 - o Disk Cache: Unchanged
 - Advanced Properties, SSD Cache: Disable
- 34. While the virtual drives are being initialized in the background, the installation can proceed.
- 35. Exit WebBIOS.
- 36. Exit UEFI/BIOS with "Y" to save, and continue with booting the server.

2.3.2 Other System x and Lenovo ThinkServer Models

To configure the RAID settings of the ServeRAID M5210 and AnyRAID 720i(x) RAID controllers, proceed as follows:

- 1. In the UEFI/BIOS, select depending on the model:
 - o System x 3650 M5: System Settings
 - o System x 3850 X6: System Settings
 - ThinkServer: *Boot Manager*
- 2. Choose Adapters and UEFI Drivers.
 - o System x 3850 X6: Select LSI EFI SAS Driver
 - ThinkServer: Select LSI MegaRAID
 - o System x 3850 X6: Select Main Menu
- 3. Select Configuration Management.
- 4. Select Create Virtual Drive.
- 5. M5 Series: Select Advanced.
- 6. Select RAID Level: RAID5.
- 7. Select Drives From: Unconfigured Capacity.
- 8. Choose Drives.
 - o System x 3650 M5: Scroll down and select all drives displayed.
 - o System x 3850 X6: Select Check All
 - o ThinkServer: Select Check All
- 9. Choose Apply Changes.
- 10. To confirm your selection, choose OK.
- 11. Specify the capacity (53 GB) for the first virtual drive. This drive will be used for the operating system and swap space.
- 12. Make sure that the following properties are selected for the virtual drives:
 - o Virtual Drive Size: **53 GB**
 - о Stripe Size: 256 кв
 - o Read Policy: Read Ahead
 - Write Policy: Write Back
 - o I/O Policy: Cached
 - Access Policy: Read/Write
 - o Drive Cache: Enable
 - Disable Background: No
- 13. Choose Save Configuration and then Confirm [X].
- 14. Choose Yes and then OK.
- 15. To add another virtual drive, choose Create Virtual Drive.
- 16. M5 Series: Select Advanced.
- 17. Select RAID Level: RAID5.
- 18. Select Drives From: Free Capacity.
 - System x 3650 M5: Select Drive Group 0: RAID5 [X].

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- System x 3850 X6: Select Drive Group 0: RAID5 [X].
- ThinkServer: Select Drive Group 0: RAID5 [Enabled].
- 19. Allocate the remaining capacity to the second virtual drive. This drive will be used for storing the SAP application data.
- 20. Choose Apply Changes and then OK.
- 21. Choose Save Configuration.
 - System x 3650 M5: Select Confirm [X].
 - System x 3850 X5: Select Confirm [X].
 - ThinkServer: Select Confirm [Enabled], then Yes, then OK.
- 22. While the virtual drives are being initialized in the background, the installation can proceed.
- 23. Exit the configuration management.
- 24. Exit UEFI/BIOS with " \mathbf{y} " to save, and continue with booting the server.

3 HP Server

3.1 Defining BIOS Settings

- 1. Disable ASR by choosing Server Availability \rightarrow ASR Status \rightarrow Disabled.
- 2. Set the power profile to maximum performance by choosing *Power Management Options* → *HP Power Profile* → *Maximum Performance*.

3.2 Configuring Storage



Proper RAID configuration with two virtual drives is vital for successful SAP software installations.

The ProLiant ML350p Gen8 model for SAP HANA is equipped with a Smart Array P420 RAID controller and 8 x 300 GB HDDs, which store both the SAP HANA log and the data.

The ProLiant DL360/DL380/ML350 Gen9 model for SAP HANA is equipped with a Smart Array P440ar RAID controller and 8 x 600 GB HDDs, which store both the SAP HANA log and the data.

There is no external storage.

Once the system is installed, there is a hardware-based RAID50 with two virtual disks for the operating system and for SAP HANA.

virtual drive 0 drive 1 HW-RAID50								
HDD 300G 10k	HDD 300G 10k	HDD 300G 10k	HDD 300G 10k	HDD 300G 10k	HDD 300G 10k	HDD 300G 10k	HDD 300G 10k	

Configuration for ProLiant ML350p Gen8, 300-GB memory, 8 HDDs

Configuration for ProLiant DL360/DL380/ML350 Gen9, 600-GB memory, 8 HDDs

virtual drive 0		virtual drive 1								
HW-RAID50										
HDD 600G 10k	HDD 600G 10k	HDD 600G 10k	HDD 600G 10k	HDD 600G 10k	HDD 600G 10k	HDD 600G 10k	HDD 600G 10k			

To configure the Smart Array P420 (or P440ar) RAID controller, proceed as follows:

- 1. Boot the machine.
- 2. During the boot process, press F5 to enter the Array Configuration Utility (ACU).
- 3. Select *Smart Array P420* in slot *x*.
- 4. Select Create Array.
- 5. Select all 8 drives.
- 6. Select OK.
- 7. Select Create Logical Drive (or Create Array).
- 8. Specify the properties as follows:
 - Fault Tolerance (or RAID Level):RAID50
 - NPG:2
 - о Stripe Size:256 кв
 - Sectors/Tracks:32
 - \circ Size: Other (Or Custom Size) \rightarrow 53 GB
 - Caching: Enabled
- 9. Select Save (or Create Logical Drive). This drive will be used for the operating system and swap space.
- 10. Create a second drive by repeating steps 6 to 8 and choosing **Max Size** for *Size*. This drive will be used for the SAP application data.
- 11. Select Exit ACU (or Finish).
- 12. Reboot the machine.

4 Dell Server

4.1 Defining BIOS Settings

Dell PowerEdge R620 and T620

- 1. Boot the machine.
- 2. During the boot process, press $\mathbb{F2}$ to enter the system setup.
- 3. In the main menu, choose *System BIOS* and then choose *Integrated Devices*.
- 4. Choose *Disable* for the internal SD card port.

1 Note

This option is available only if IDSDM (Internal Dual SD Module) is installed on the system board.

- 5. Choose *Back* and then *Finish*.
- 6. To save your changes, choose Yes.
- 7. Choose Finish.
- 8. To confirm to leave the system setup, choose Yes.

Dell PowerEdge R910 and R920

Keep the default BIOS settings.

4.2 Configuring Storage

The DELL PowerEdge R620 and T620 models for SAP HANA are each equipped with an H710P RAID controller and 8 300-GB disks. The DELL PowerEdge R910model for SAP HANA is equipped with an H710P RAID controller and 14 300-GB disks. The operating system and the SAP HANA data require separate RAID configurations from the SAP HANA log on each model. On each model, RAID configurations for the operating system and the SAP HANA data must be different from the RAID configurations for the SAP HANA log.

The DELL PowerEdge R920 model for SAP HANA is equipped with an H730P RAID controller and 10 900-GB disks.

The DELL PowerEdge R630, T630, R730, T730 models for SAP HANA are equipped with an H730P RAID controller and 8 600-GB disks.

There is no external storage.



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PowerEdge R620 and T620

Dell PowerEdge R620 and T620 require the following configuration:

- Hardware-based RAID5 with 6 disks for the operating system and for the SAP HANA data
- Hardware-based RAIDO for each individual disk of the 2 virtual drives for the SAP HANA log

Configuration for R620/T620, 8HDDs



PowerEdge R910

Dell PowerEdge R910 requires the following configuration:

- Hardware-based RAID6 with 10 disks for the operating system and the SAP HANA data
- Hardware-based RAIDO for each individual disk of the 4 virtual drives for the SAP HANA log

Configuration for PowerEdge R910, 512-GB memory, 14 HDDs

virtual drive 0	rtual virtual ive 0 drive 1 HW-RAID6							virtual drive2 HW RAID0	virtual drive3 HW RAID0	virtual drive 4 HW R AID 0	virtual drive5 HW RAID0		
HDD 300G 15k	HDD 300G 15k	HDD 300G 15k	HDD 300G 15k	HDD 300G 15k	HDD 300G 15k	HDD 300G 15k	HDD 300G 15k	HDD 300G 15k	HDD 300G 15k	HDD 300G 15k	HDD 300G 15k	HDD 300G 15k	HDD 300G 15k

PowerEdge R920

Dell PowerEdge R920 requires the following configuration: hardware-based RAID5 with 10 disks for the operating system, the SAP HANA data, and the SAP HANA log.

virtual drive 0		virtual drive 1								
	HW-RAID5									
HDD 900G 10k	HDD 900G 10k	HDD 900G 10k	HDD 900G 10k	HDD 900G 10k	HDD 900G 10k	HDD 900G 10k	HDD 900G 10k	HDD 900G 10k	HDD 900G 10k	

Configuration for PowerEdge R920, 1 TB memory, 10 HDDs

PowerEdge R630, T630, R730, T730

Depending on the main memory, these models can have the following configuration:

• 7 disks (for the operating system, the SAP HAAN data, and the SAP HANA log) as RAID5 and 1 disk as a hot spare

Virtual driv	ve 0			Virtual d	rive 1					
Hot Spare		HW-RAID5								
HDD 600 GB 10k										

• 4 disks as RAID5 (no hot spare)

Virtual drive 0	al Virtual 0 drive 1								
	HW-	RAID5							
HHD 600 GB 10k	HHD 600 GB 10k	HHD 600 GB 10k	HHD 600 GB 10k						

• 6 disks as RAID5 (no hot spare)

Virtual drive 0	Virtual drive 1						
		HW-R	AID5				
HDD 600 GB 10k	HDD 600 GB 10k	HDD 600 GB 10k	HDD 600 GB 10k	HHD 600 GB 10k	HHD 600 GB 10k		

To configure the RAID settings of the H710P or H730P RAID controller, proceed as follows:

- 1. Boot the machine.
- 2. When prompted, press CTRL + R to enter the RAID adapter configuration utility.
- 3. If there are configured RAID arrays and virtual drives that do not conform to the certified storage layout as described below, you must delete them as follows:
 - 1. Select PERC H710P Adapter.
 - 2. Press F2.
 - 3. Select Clear Config.
 - 4. Select YES.
- 4. Select PERC H710P Adapter.
- 5. Press F2.
- 6. Select Create New VD.
- 7. Select *RAID Level* and press Enter.
- R620/T620/R920/R630/T630/R730/T730: Select *RAID-5*.
 R910: Select *RAID-6*.
- 9. Press Enter.
- 10. R620/T620: Mark the first 6 disks as part of the RAID 5 array by selecting a disk and pressing Space; repeat the action for all 6 disks.
 - R910: Mark the first 10 disks as part of the RAID 6 array.
 - R920: Mark the first 9 disks as part of the RAID 5 array.

R630/T630/R730/T730: Mark the first 7 disks as part of the RAID 5 array.

- 11. Select VD Size: 53 GB.
- 12. R620/T620/R910: Select Advanced Settings \rightarrow Initialize and press <u>space</u> to mark the drive for initialization. R920/R630/T630/R730/T730: Select Configure Hot Spare.
- 13. Select OK to confirm initialization.
- 14. Select OK to create a53-GB virtual drive. This drive will be used for the Linux root file system and swap space.
- 15. R920/R630/T630/R730/T730: In the *Dedicated Hot Spare for Disk Group 0* window, press **Space** to mark the disk and select *OK*.
- 16. Select *OK* to confirm completion.
- 17. Select *Disk Group 0* and press \mathbb{F}^2 to create another virtual drive on this disk group.
- 18. Select Add New VD.

The remaining disk size is displayed; do not change the value.

- 19. R620/T620/R910: Select Advanced Settings \rightarrow Initialize and press <u>Space</u> to mark the drive for initialization. R920/R630/T630/R730/T730: Select Configure Hot Spare.
- 20. R920/R630/T630/R730/T730: In the *Dedicated Hot Spare for Disk Group 0* window, press Space to mark the disk and select *OK*.
- 21. R620/T620/R910: Select *OK* to confirm initialization.

R920/R630/T630/R730/T730: The RAID configuration is now finished and you can exit the configuration utility. The final RAID configuration for R920 is 1 disk group with 2 virtual drives.

Note that the remaining steps are only for R620, T620, and R910.

- 22. Select *OK* to create the larger virtual drive. This drive will be used for the SAP HANA log. Select *OK* to confirm completion.
- 23. Create 2 or 4 RAID-0 drives by repeating the following steps twice (R620 and T620) or four times (R910).
 - 1. Select PERC H710P Adapter.
 - 2. Press F2.
 - 3. Select Create New VD.
 - 4. Select RAID Level, press Enter, select RAID-O, and then press Enter.
 - 5. Select and mark one of the remaining disks as part of the RAID 0 array. Do not change the VD size.
 - 6. Select Advanced Settings \rightarrow Initialize and press [Space] to mark the drive for initialization.
 - 7. Select *OK* to confirm initialization.

The final RAID configuration should be as follows:

- o R620/T620: 3 disk groups with 4 virtual drives
- o R910: 5 disk groups with 6 virtual drives
- 24. Press ESC and select *OK* to exit the RAID configuration utility.
- 25. Press CTRL + ALT + DEL to reboot the machine.

5 Fujitsu Server

5.1 Defining BIOS Settings

The following requirements have been met:

- The BIOS boot sequence is set and RAID LUN is at first place "(Bus 01 Dev 00) PCI RAID Adapter".
- The hardware clock is set to the correct time in the UTC-time zone.
- The IPMI IP address for remote management is set. The chosen address is unique in this network segment.

5.2 Configuring Storage

The Fujitsu Server TX300 S6 is equipped with a RAID controller with BBU and 6 x 146 GB 15k disks (internal). There is no external storage.

The Fujitsu Servers TX300 S7/S8 and RX350 S7/S8 are equipped with a RAID controller with BBU and 8x 300 GB 10k disks (internal). There is no external storage.

The Fujitsu Servers RX2540 M1, RX2560 M1 and TX2560 M1are equipped with a PRAID EP400i controller with BBU and, depending on the memory size, 4x 600 or 6x600 GB 10k disks (internal). There is no external storage.

Once the system is installed, there is a hardware-based RAID 5with two virtual disks for the operating system and for SAP HANA.

Fujitsu Primergy TX300 S6, TX300 S7/S8, RX350 S7/S8

These servers require the following configuration: hardware-based RAID5 with 6 or 8 disks for the operating system, the SAP HANA data, and the SAP HANA log.

Virtual drive 0	Virtual drive 1					
		HW-R	AID5			
HDD 146 GB 15k	HDD 146 GB 15k	HDD 146 GB 15k	HDD 146 GB 15k	HHD 146 GB 15k	HHD 146 GB 15k	

Configuration for TX300 S6, 6 HDDs

Configuration for TX300 S7/8, RX350 S7/8, 8HDDs

Virtual drive 0 HW-RAID5					/irtual Irive 1		
HDD 300 GB 10k	HDD 300 GB 10k	HDD 300 GB 10k	HDD 300 GB 10k	HDD 300 GB 10k	HDD 300 GB 10k	HDD 300 GB 10k	HDD 300 GB 10k

To configure the RAID settings of the RAID controller, proceed as follows:

- 1. In the UEFI/BIOS, select System Settings.
- 2. Select Adapters and UEFI Drivers.
- 3. From the list, select LSI EFI SAS Driver.
- 4. Select WebBIOS.
- 5. One RAID controller has already been selected. Keep the selection and choose Start.
- 6. Select Configuration Wizard.
- 7. Select New Configuration.
- 8. Select Yes to clear the existing configuration.
- 9. Select Manual Configuration.
- 10. Select Redundancy when possible.
- 11. Select Drive Security Method: No Encryption.
- 12. Select Data Protection: Disabled.
- 13. Select all 8 drives (slots 0-7), and then select Add to Array.
- 14. Select Accept DG.
- 15. Select Next.
- 16. Select Add to Span.
- 17. Select Next.
- 18. Specify the capacity (53GB) for the first virtual drive. This drive will be used for the operating system and swap space.
- 19. Select Accept.
- 20. Select Yes for Write Back with BBU mode.
- 21. To configure the next virtual drive, select *Back*.
- 22. Select Add to Span.
- 23. Select Next.
- 24. Select Update Size.
- 25. Allocate the remaining capacity to the second virtual drive. This drive will be used for storing the SAP application data.
- 26. Select Accept.

- 27. Select Yes for Write Back with BBU mode.
- 28. Select Next.
- 29. Select Accept.
- 30. Select Yes to save the configuration.
- 31. Select Cancel for SSD Caching.
- 32. Select Yes to initialize the virtual drives.
- 33. Make sure that the following properties are selected for the virtual drives:
 - o RAID Level:5
 - о Stripe Size: **256 кв**
 - o Access: RW
 - Read: Normal
 - Default Write: Write Back with BBU
 - Disable BGI: No
 - o 1/0: Cached
 - Disk Cache: Disable
 - Advanced Properties, SSD Cache: **Disable**

While the virtual drives are being initialized in the background, the installation can proceed.

- 34. Exit WebBIOS.
- 35. Exit UEFI/BIOS with "Y" to save the settings, and continue with booting the server.

Fujitsu Primergy RX2540 M1, RX2560 M1, TX2560 M1

These servers require the following configuration: hardware-based RAID5 with 4 or 6 disks for the operating system, the SAP HANA data, and the SAP HANA log.

Configuration for RX2540 M1, RX2560 M1, TX2560 M1 with 4 or 6 disks

virtual drive 0	vi dr	ive 1	
DD 600G 10k	DD 600G 10k	DD 600G 10k	DD 600G 10k

virtual drive 0	virtual drive 1					
	H	W-R	AID5	;		
HDD 600G 10k	HDD 600G 10k	HDD 600G 10k	HDD 600G 10k	HDD 600G 10k	HDD 600G 10k	

To configure the RAID settings of the RAID controller, proceed as follows:

- 1. Boot the machine.
- 2. When prompted, press CTRL + R to enter the RAID adapter configuration utility.
- 3. If there are configured RAID arrays and virtual drives that do not conform to the certified storage layout as described below, you must delete them as follows:
 - 1. Select PRAID EP240i.
 - 2. Press F2.
 - 3. Select Clear Config.
 - 4. Select YES.
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- 4. Select PRAID EP240i.
- 5. Press F2.
- 6. Select Create New VD.
- Select RAID Level and press Enter. Select RAID-5.
- 8. Press Enter.
- 9. Mark each disk as part of the RAID 5 array by selecting the disk and pressing Space; repeat the action for all disks.
- 10. Select Size: 53 GB.
- 11. Select OK to confirm initialization.
- 12. A 53-GB virtual drive is now created. This drive will be used for the Linux root file system and swap space.
- 13. Select *Disk Group 0* and press **F**2 to create another virtual drive on this disk group.
- 14. Select Add New VD.

The remaining disk size is displayed; do not change the value.

- 15. Select OK.
- 16. Select *OK* to confirm initialization.
- 17. The RAID configuration is now finished; press *ESC* to exit the configuration utility and then reboot the machine.

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