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TruCluster™ Available Server Software Version 1.6

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Dear TruCluster Available Server Software Customer:

Thank you for your interest in TruCluster Available Server Software Version 1.6 for Tru64 UNIX (formerly DIGITAL™ UNIX®).

TruCluster Available Server Software Version 1.6 for Tru64 UNIX is part of the Tru64 UNIX TruCluster product suite. TruCluster Available Server Software is a high availability solution that significantly reduces down time due to hardware and software failures. Installed in an environment consisting of an integrated organization of systems and external disks connected to shared SCSI buses, TruCluster Available Server Software provides highly available services and disk data to client systems.

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Hardware and Software Requirements

This TruCluster Software Products kit consists of the TruCluster Available Server Software. To use the TruCluster Available Server Software, please note that the following products are required:

- The Tru64 UNIX Version 4.0F operating system software and the accompanying documentation CD-ROMs.
- The TruCluster Available Server Software Version 1.6 and its accompanying documentation are located on the Associated Products Volume 2 CD-ROM in this kit.

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TruCluster Available Server Software Version 1.6 adds the following new features. The following table lists key features and points to the specific TruCluster documentation providing more information about that feature:

Feature	For More Information:
Support for Fibre Channel configurations	*Hardware Configuration*
Support for HSG80	*Release Notes*
Support for KGPSA-BC	*Release Notes*
Support for DS-DSGGA-AA/AB 8/16 port Brocade Fibre Channel switch	*Release Notes*
Support for AlphaServer ES40	*Release Notes*
Support for NetRAIN devices as the primary or backup networks and as monitored network interfaces.	Tru64 UNIX Version 4.0F *Release Notes*, Tru64 UNIX *Network Administration*
Support of NFS over TCP as a transport mechanism	*Tru64 UNIX Network Administration*
Ability to for the ASE Manager to define services based on the content of service configuration files	*Administration*
Cluster MIB	*cnxmibd* reference page
Support for enhanced security with distributed authentication	Tru64 UNIX *Security*
Script Toolkit	*Administration*

Please review the TruCluster Software Products *Release Notes* for more information about this release.

Documentation

TruCluster Available Server Software Version 1.6 documentation is available in both hardcopy and online versions. If you wish to have hardcopy documentation with this software and you did not receive it with your kit, you can order it separately with part number QA-05SAA-GZ. The online documentation is also available on line in HTML format on the Associated Products Volume 2 CD-ROM. The following books are in the documentation set:

- TruCluster Available Server Software *Read This First* (this document)
- TruCluster Software Products *Release Notes*
- TruCluster Software Products *Hardware Configuration*
- TruCluster Software Products *Software Installation*

- TruCluster Software Products *Administration*

PDF and HTML versions of these and additional documents are provided in the following directories on the Associated Products Volume 2 CD-ROM:

- `/TCR/doc/pdf`
- `/TCR/doc/html`

Service and Support

If you have any questions about the installation or operation of TruCluster Available Server Software, please contact your local Compaq sales support office.

Again, thank you for your interest in TruCluster Available Server Software. We hope to continue providing quality software products that contribute to the success of your business.

TruCluster Software Products for Tru64 UNIX Product Team