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# Isilon Corporate Fact Sheet

Clustered Storage With the Power To Transform Data Into Information — and Information Into Breakthroughs.

## Overview

Isilon® Systems is the leading provider of clustered storage systems for unstructured data and digital content. Isilon's award-winning family of Isilon IQ products combine an intelligent distributed file system with modular, enterprise-class, industry standard hardware to deliver unmatched simplicity and scalability. Isilon IQ products were designed specifically to enable enterprises to derive business value from their rapidly-growing stores of digital content by transforming data into information and information into breakthroughs.

Companies turn to Isilon because their digital content—audio, video, images, reference information and other unstructured data—has requirements that traditional storage systems were simply not designed for. Digital content consumes large amounts of storage capacity, grows much faster than traditional data stores, and often requires high throughput and high concurrency. Isilon's family of award-winning clustered storage products—powered by Isilon's OneFS® operating system software—speeds access to customers' digital content and unstructured data, while dramatically reducing the cost and complexity of storing it.

## Products

The Isilon IQ clustered storage product line addresses enterprises' full spectrum of storage needs—from the highest performance tier-1 applications to tier-2 enterprise archive, disk-to-disk backup and disaster recovery. Powered by OneFS, the Isilon IQ family of products creates a single pool of expandable storage that is easy to install, manage and grow. Once racked, a 10, 50 or 100+ terabyte cluster takes less than 10 minutes to configure and set up, and capacity can be added in less than 60 seconds—with no downtime. The Isilon product line is comprised of the IQ 200, 1920, 3000, 6000, 9000 and 12000 platform nodes, the EX 6000, EX 9000, EX 12000 and IQ Accelerator extension nodes, and licensable software applications such as SyncIQ™, flexible product line SnapShotIQ™, MigrationIQ™, SmartConnect™, and SmartQuotas™ and Aspera for Isilon IQ. This satisfies customers' varying capacity and performance needs for all unstructured data and enterprise file-based information. In addition, Isilon's unique TrueScale™ technology enables customers to scale both performance and capacity linearly or independently based on application or workflow needs.

## Customers

World-class companies in the areas of media and entertainment, Internet services, cable and telecommunications, oil and gas, life sciences, manufacturing and government are using Isilon's products to streamline their workflows, increase productivity and significantly improve their bottom lines.

A select list of Isilon's publicly announced customers can be found at: <http://www.isilon.com/customers>

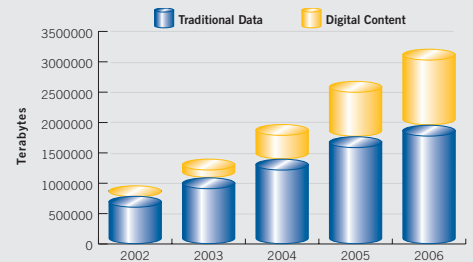
**NBC Sports** chose Isilon IQ for its unprecedented coverage of the Summer Olympic Games in Athens.

**Cedars-Sinai Medical Center's** Louis Warschaw Prostate Cancer Center uses Isilon to store and analyze its clinical research data.

**MySpace** needs to modularly add capacity and performance with simple plug-and-play installation. Isilon IQ is a perfect fit.

*"Isilon IQ has that 'Aha Factor!' It is so much better than previous generations of storage products that it has the potential to become pervasive, much like when CD's made records obsolete."*

— Tony Asaro, Senior Analyst and Lab Director, Enterprise Strategy Group



Storage required for digital content will grow 7-fold between 2003 and 2006 to more than 1.2 exabytes (1.2 million terabytes). Source: Yankee Group

*"The use of clustered storage produces meaningful improvements in our jet engine testing. Isilon IQ has enabled us to streamline our testing analysis and appreciably reduce costs while maintaining our uncompromising commitment to safety and quality."*

— Dr. Zbigniew Grabowski, Engineering Information Technology Program Manager for Pratt & Whitney



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