08 infra TI

Introdução IP SAN



Tema opcional. Para maiores detalhes ver o livro referência.

Driver for IP SAN Internetworking

In FC SAN transfer of block level data takes place over Fibre Channel

Emerging technologies provide for the transfer of block-level data over an existing IP network infrastructure

IP is being positioned as a storage transport because:

Easier management

Existing network infrastructure can be leveraged

Reduced cost compared to new SAN hardware and software

Supports multi-vendor interoperability

Many long-distance disaster recovery solutions already leverage IP-based networks

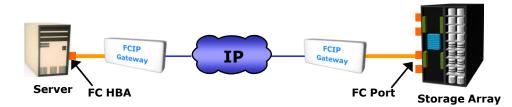
Many robust and mature security options are available for IP networks

Block Storage Over IP – Protocol

iSCSI
SCSI over IP
IP encapsulation
Ethernet NIC card
iSCSI HBA
Hardware-based gateway to Fibre Channel storage
Used to connect servers

FCIP

Fibre Channel-to-IP bridge / tunnel (point to point)
Fibre Channel end points
Used in DR implementations

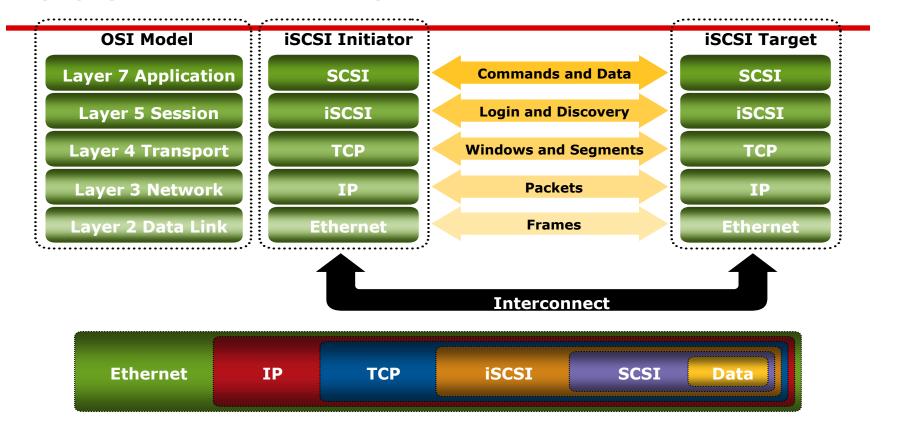


(b) FCIP Implementation

(a) iSCSI Implementation

Storage Array

iSCSI Protocol Stack



Fibre Channel over Ethernet (FCoE)

A new protocol that maps Fibre Channel protocol natively over Ethernet Allows Fibre Channel to use 10 Gigabit Ethernet networks (or higher speeds) while preserving the Fibre Channel protocol

Based on two standards:

FCoE standard, developed by T11 Fibre Channel Interfaces Technical Committee Enhanced Ethernet standard, developed by the Ethernet IEEE Data Center Bridging Task Group

Enables the consolidation of SAN traffic and Ethernet traffic onto a common 10 Gigabit network infrastructure

FCoE: Benefits

Lower capital expenditure

Dramatic reduction in the number of adapters, switch ports and cables required

Reduced power and cooling requirement

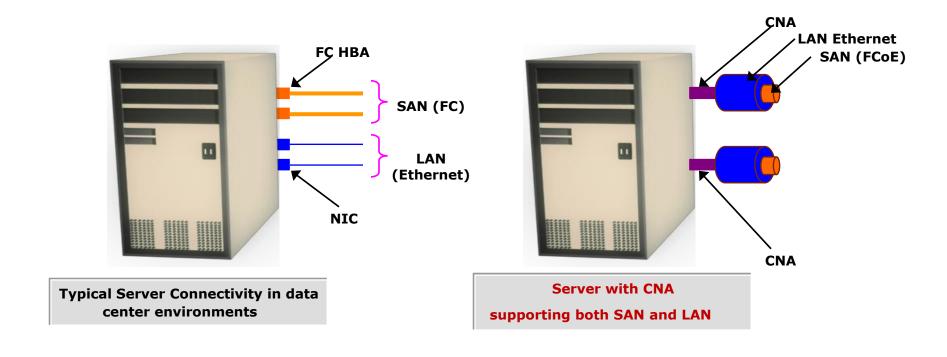
Enabler for consolidated network infrastructure

Potentially lower administration cost, with convergence of LAN and SAN

Effective sharing of high-bandwidth links

Lower Total Cost of Ownership (TCO)

I/O Consolidation with FCoE



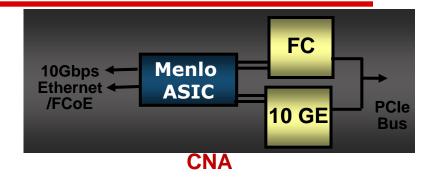
FCoE - Physical Elements

Host Interface: CNA (Converged Network Adapter)
PCIe card on host consolidates NICs and HBAs
Provides a 10 Gigabit Ethernet link that carries
consolidated traffic
10 Gbps connectivity options: Host to FCoE switch

Option1: Copper-based

Cost effective option

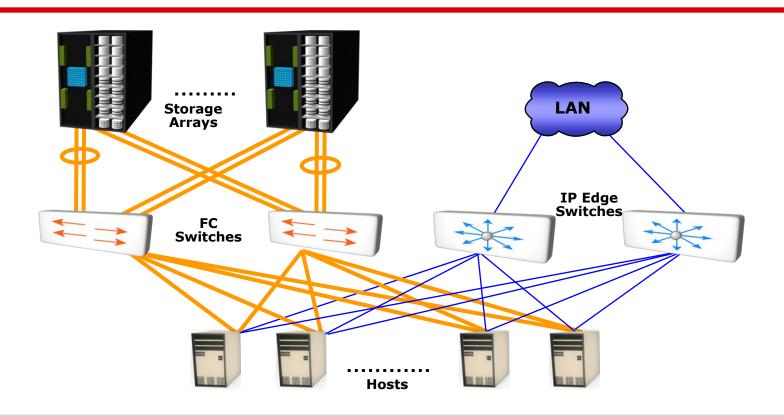
Option2: Standard optical



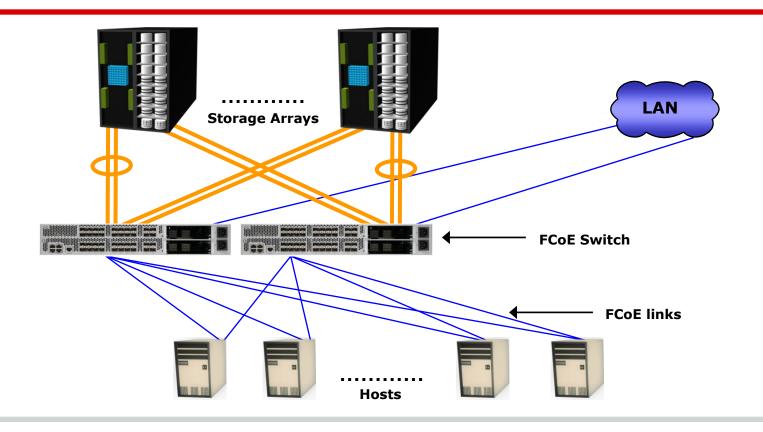


Copper Cable

Infrastructure - Before FCoE



Infrastructure – With FCoE



Discussão e exercícios

Cite ao menos duas vantagens do tráfego da rede de armazenamento (SAN) por IP.

O que uma arquitetura FCoE consolida e simplifica na infra estrutura de um data center ?

Leitura recomendada

Capítulo 8

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