

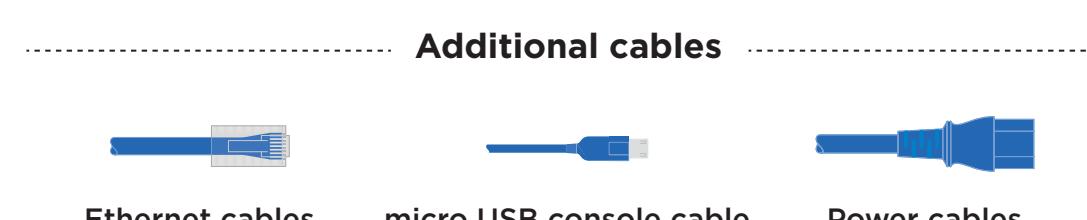
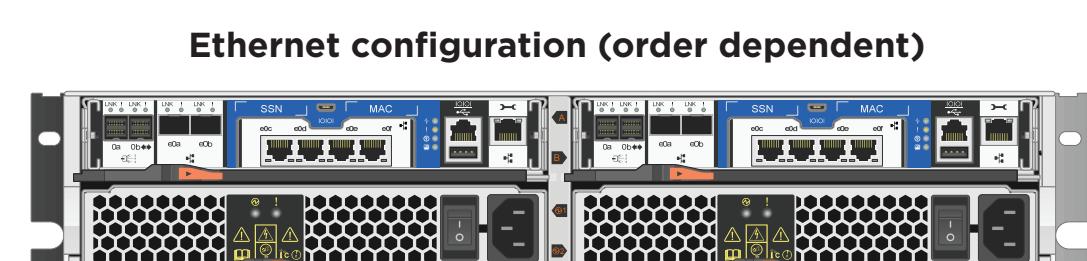
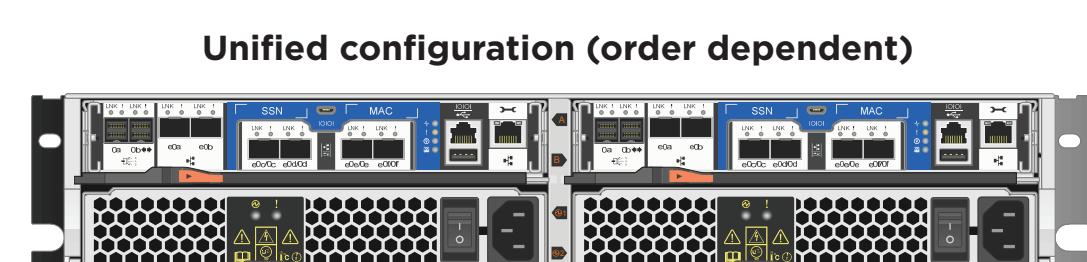
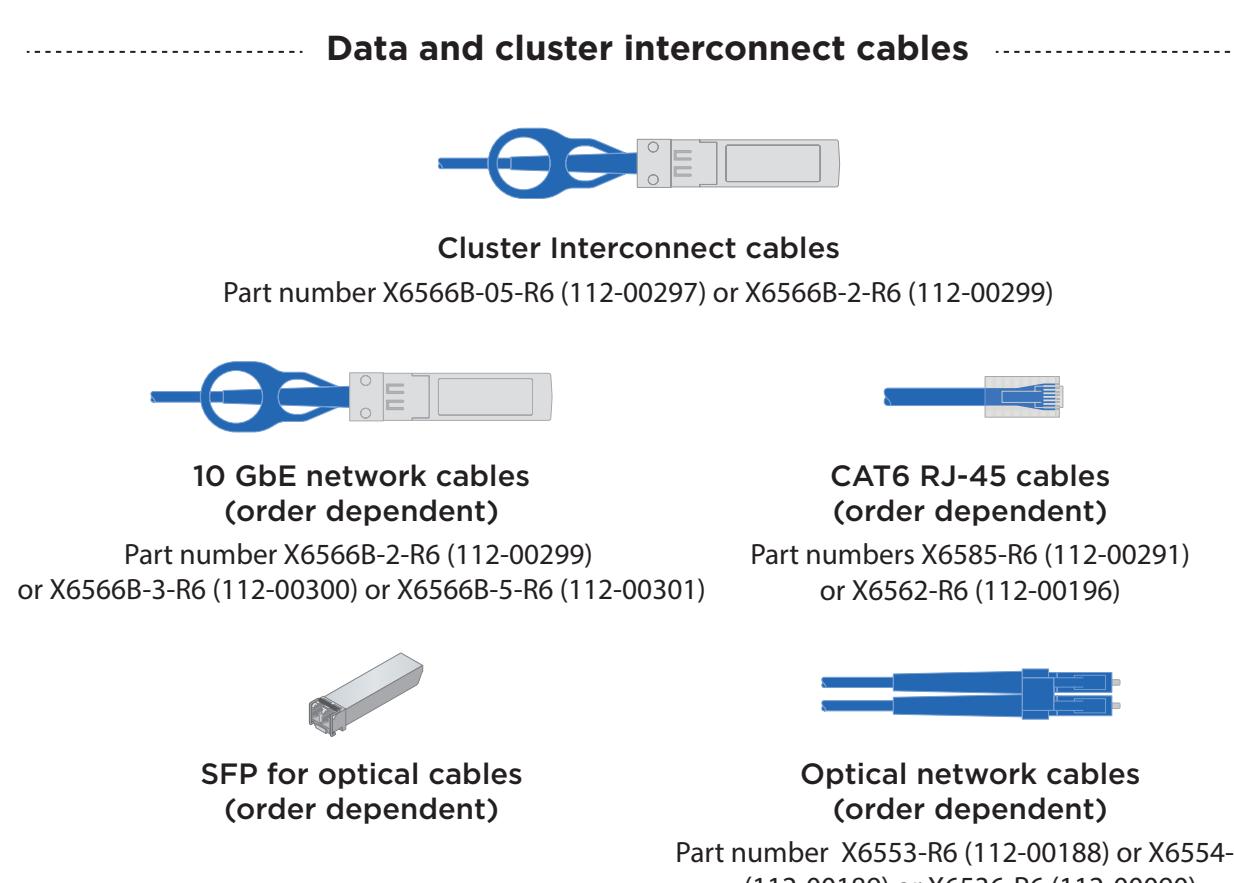
# AFF C190 Systems Installation and Setup Instructions

## Prepare for installation | Stage 1

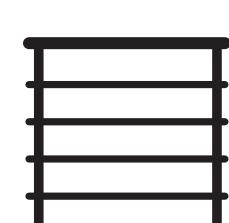
### Pre-setup

1. Unpack all boxes and inventory contents. For more cable information and part numbers, see the [Hardware Universe](#).
2. Go to the [AFF and FAS System Documentation Center](#) and click AFF C190 systems, and then Installation and Setup:
  - Review the [NetApp ONTAP Configuration Guide](#).
  - Watch the videos listed under [Setup videos](#).

### In the box



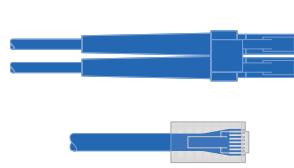
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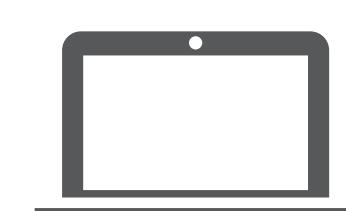
**Rack space  
2U per chassis**



**Screwdriver  
Phillips**



**Additional network cables**  
For connecting your storage system to your network switch and laptop or console



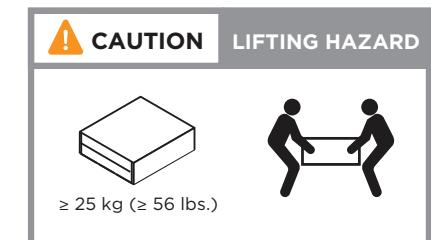
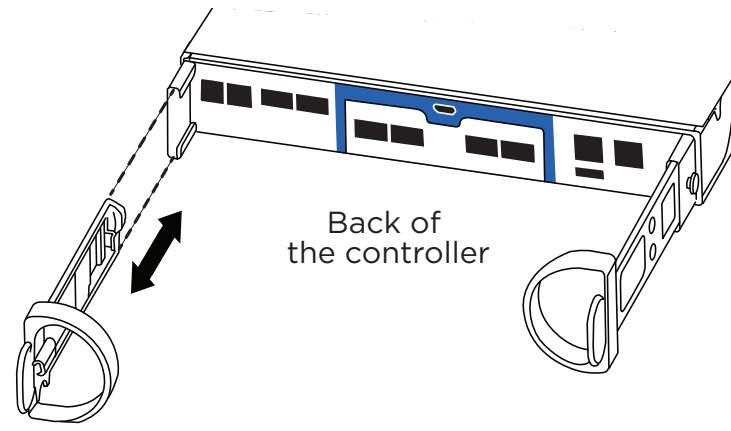
**Laptop**

With a USB/serial connection and access to a Web browser to configure your storage system

# Install hardware | Stage 2

## 1 Install system in a rack or cabinet

- Install the rail or telco tray kits, as needed, and then install and secure your system using the instructions included with the kit.
- Attach cable management devices to the back of each controller (as shown).
- Place the bezel on the front of the system.

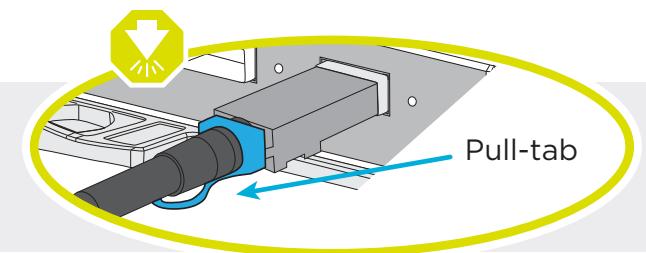


## 2 Cable controller for switchless or switched cluster

See your network administrator for help connecting to your switches.

**Attention:** Be sure to check the illustration arrow for the proper cable connector pull-tab orientation.

**Note:** To unplug a cable, gently pull the tab to release the locking mechanism.



**Note:** The illustrations below show the Unified configuration system. The cluster and management network cabling remain the same for an Ethernet configuration system. You will be using cables with RJ-45 connectors instead to connect to 10GbE switches.



### 1 For switchless cluster

Connect port e0a to port e0a and port e0b to port e0b.

#### For switched cluster

Connect port e0a and port e0b on each controller to the cluster interconnect switches.

### 2 For Unified configuration



Insert the SFPs into ports e0c/0c and e0d/0d OR ports e0e/0e and e0f/0f and cable them to the optical Ethernet or FC switches.



OR for 10GbE switches use this cable.

#### For Ethernet configuration systems



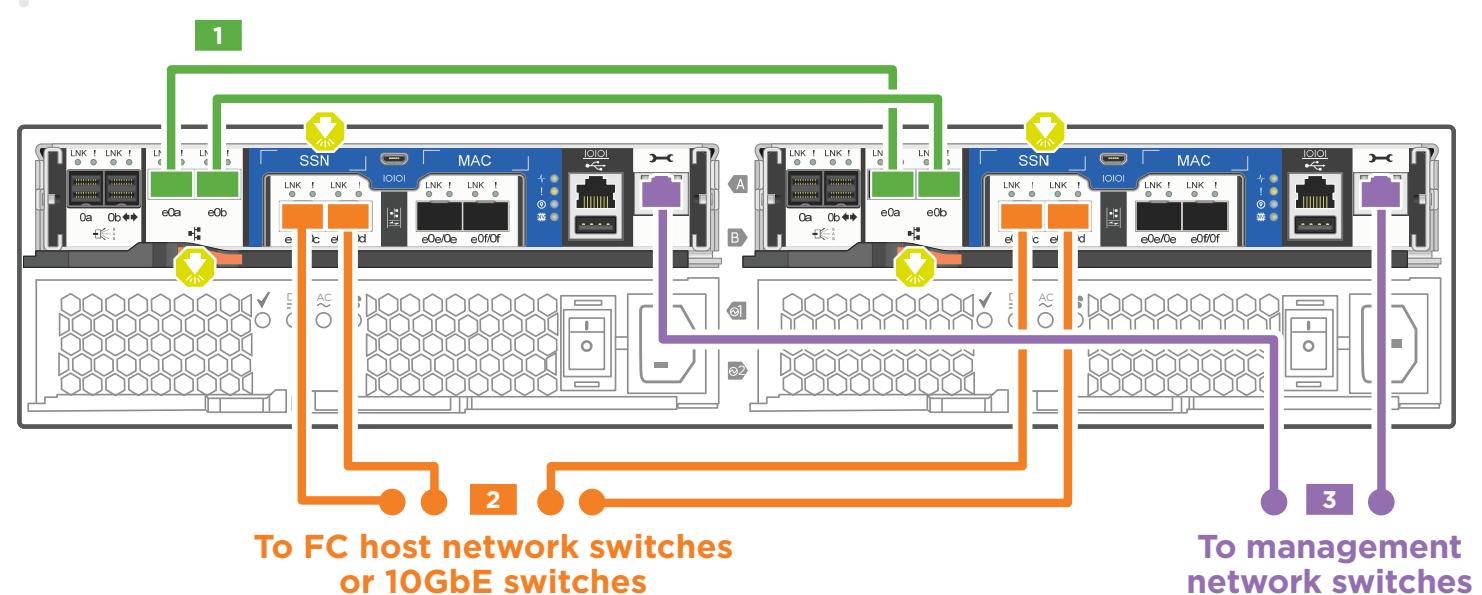
Cable ports e0c through e0f to the 10GbE switches.



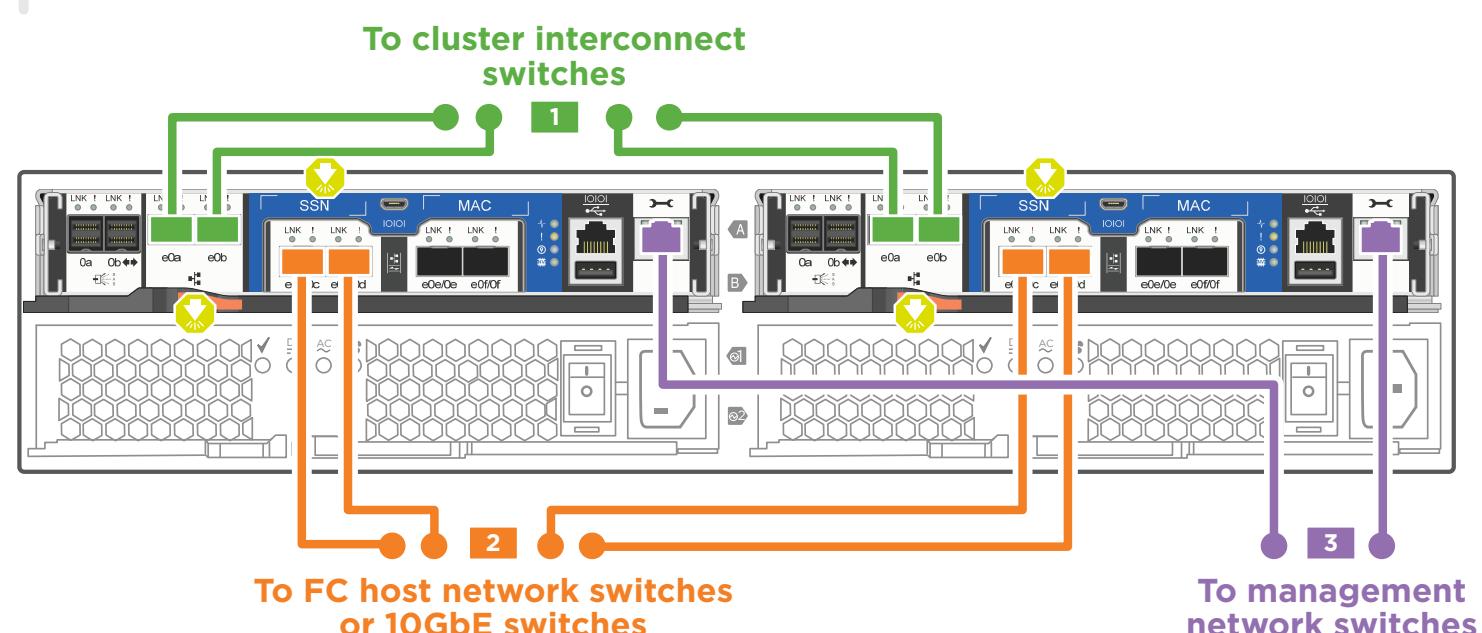
### 3 Connect the wrench port (e0M) on both controller modules to the management subnet switches.

### 4 Strap the cables to the cable management arms. (not shown)

## A Switchless cluster



## B Switched cluster

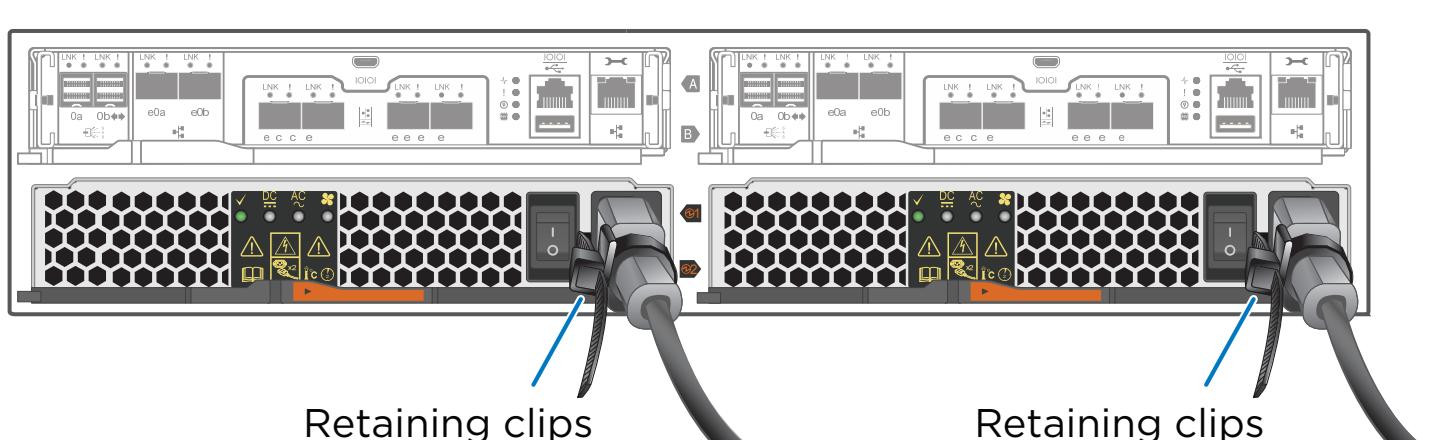


## 3 Connect both power cords



Connect the power cables to both power supplies.

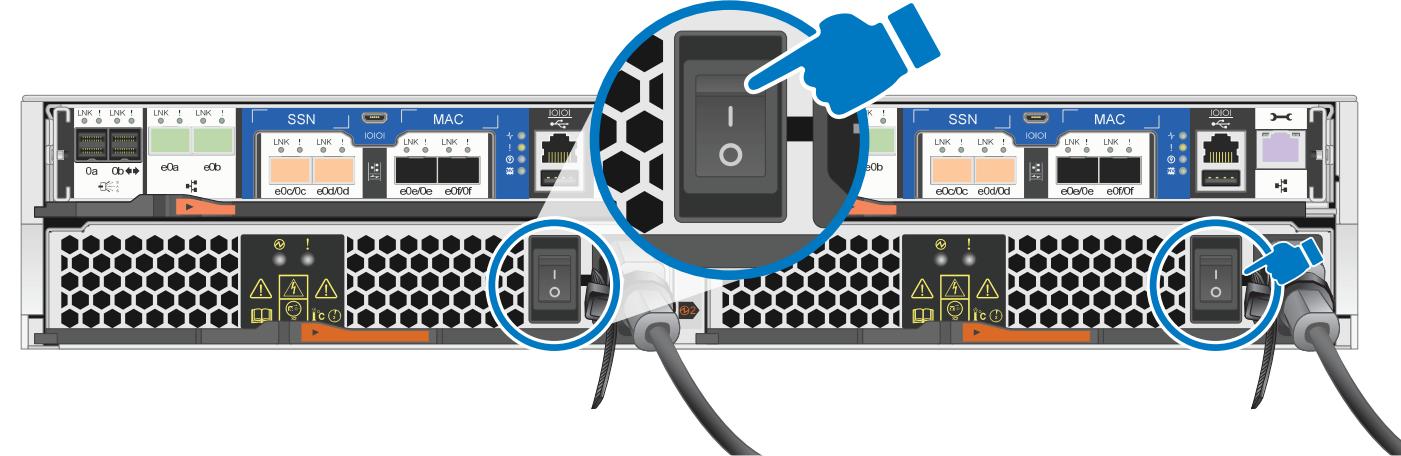
- Use the retaining clips.
- Connect power cables to different power sources.



# Complete system setup and configuration | Stage 3

## 1 Power on

Turn on the power switches to both nodes.

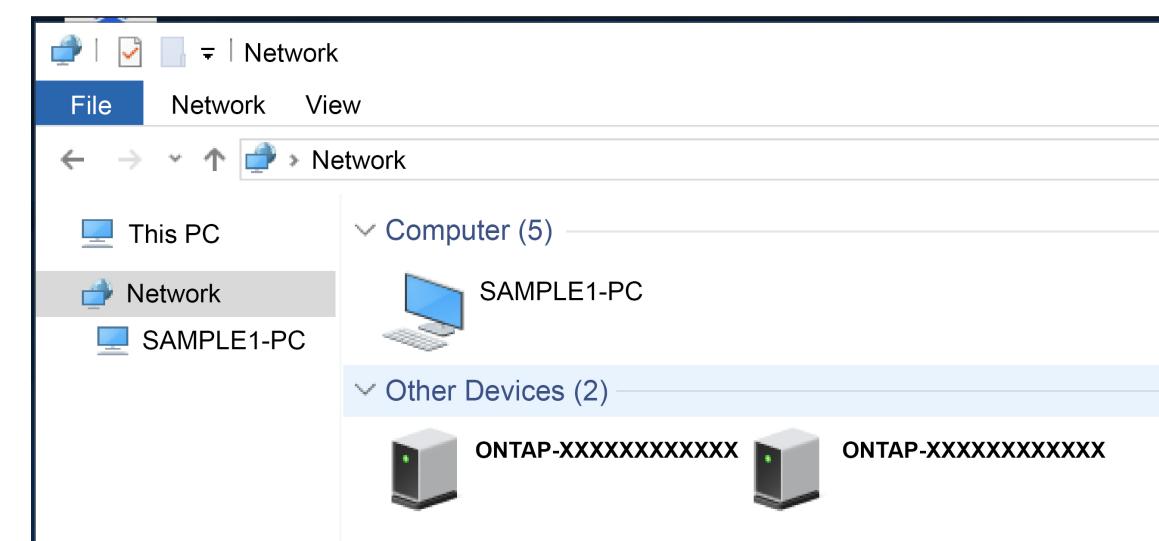
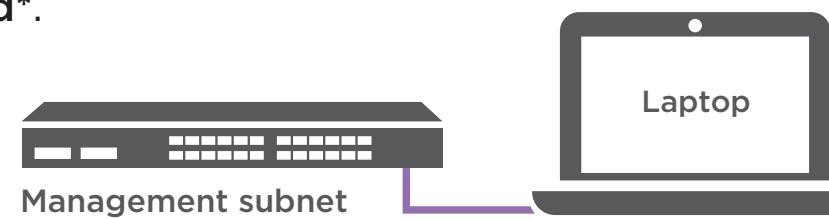


## 2 Complete initial cluster setup:

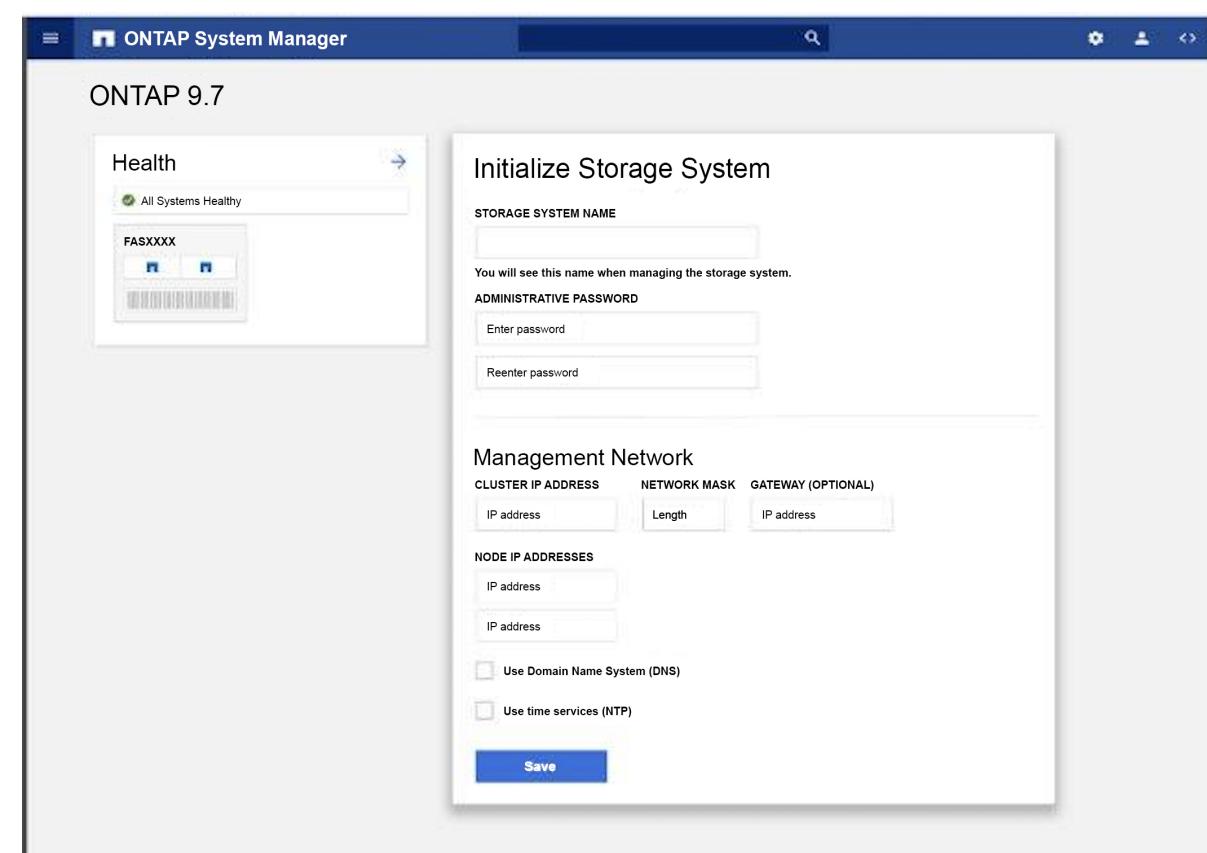
1. Make sure that your laptop has network discovery enabled\*. See your laptop's help for network discovery settings.
2. Connect your laptop to the Management switch.
3. Access the network computers and devices:
  - Open File Explorer
  - Click network in the left pane
  - Right click and select refresh.
4. Double-click either ONTAP icon

**Note:** Accept any certificates displayed on your screen.

\*If your laptop does not support network discovery, see the Installation and setup guide for your model for how to complete initial cluster setup.



## 3 Use System Manager Guided Setup to configure your cluster



## 4 Completing setup

1. Click...
  - [mysupport.netapp.com](https://mysupport.netapp.com)
  - [Create/log in to your account](#)
  - [Download and install Active IQ Config Advisor](#)
  - [Register your system](#)
2. Verify the health of your system by running Config Advisor.
3. After you have completed the initial configuration, go to the [NetApp ONTAP Resources](#) page for information about configuring additional features in ONTAP.

**Note:** The default port configuration for Unified configuration systems is CNA mode; if connecting to an FC host network, you have to modify the ports for FC mode.