



Identify system requirements proactively

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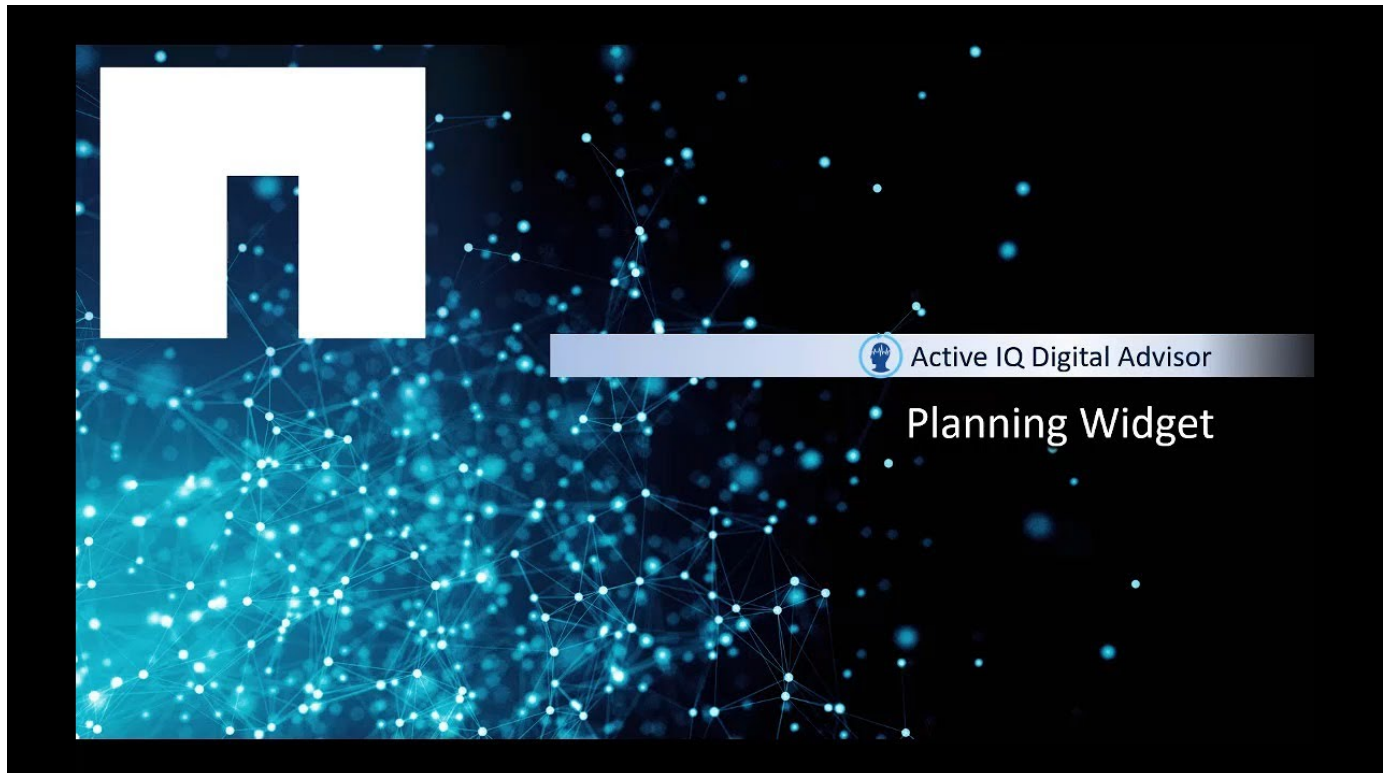
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Identify system requirements proactively

Manage your storage system capacity requirements with Planning widget in Digital Advisor

The **Planning** widget helps customers identify capacity requirements that have exceeded 90% capacity or are nearing 90% capacity and identify the software and hardware that have expired or are near expiration in the next 6 months. You can send a request to increase the capacity of your storage system and to renew the hardware and software.



Identify storage systems nearing capacity limits in Digital Advisor

Proactively identify systems reaching capacity limits and send a request to increase the capacity of your storage system.

For ONTAP, you can view systems that have exceeded 90% capacity or are to exceed 90% capacity in 1, 3, and 6 months. For StorageGRID, you can view systems that have exceeded 70% capacity or are to exceed 70% capacity in 1, 3, and 6 months.

Steps

1. In the **Planning** widget, click **Capacity Additions**.

By default, the ONTAP systems that have exceeded 90% capacity or are nearing 90% capacity are displayed.

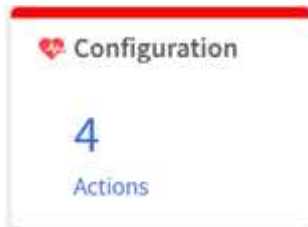
2. Click **StorageGRID** tab to view the StorageGRID systems that have exceeded 70% capacity or are nearing 70% capacity.
3. Select the systems for which you want to increase capacity.
4. Click **View Capacity Forecast** to view the capacity forecast for the next 6 months.
5. Click **Request to Add Capacity**.
6. Optionally, provide any comments.
7. Click **Send** to send the request to the NetApp storage team to assist with the capacity addition for the selected systems.

Manage volume storage capacity thresholds in Digital Advisor

When you log in to Digital Advisor and notice the red badge on the **Configuration** widget. Upon clicking the widget, you see that the volume is 98% full and this might cause an outage. Fixing this issue would avoid a volume filling up, which would make it go read-only resulting in applications accessing it crash and fail.

Steps

1. Log in to Digital Advisor.
2. Click **Actions** in the **Configuration** widget.



3. Click the **Unique Risks** tab. Upon clicking the **Corrective Action** link, you can either change the warning thresholds or allocate more space to the volume.

Risk Summary

Impact: <div>High</div>	Mitigation: Potentially Non-disruptive	Public: Yes
Category: ONTAP	Internal Info: Signature: 5558	Corrective Action: Configure Thresholds How to address FlexVol volume fullness and overallocation alerts

Risk:
This system has at least 1 volume that has crossed the default full threshold of 98%.

Potential Impact:
Volumes that become 100% full can go offline, cause SVM's to go offline (SVM: rootvol), and cause system disruption (vol0).

Details:
Volume vol0radbe02prd_hpdb2_arch02 has reached the full percentage of 98% or greater.

Determine if a technology refresh is recommended for your storage system in Digital Advisor

If you want to identify whether a technology refresh is recommended for your Tech Support contract or hardware, you can use the tech refresh option.

You can access this feature either through Lifecycle planning (**Storage > Lifecycle planning**) or through Digital Advisor (**Dashboard > Planning widget > Tech Refresh**).

For more information about this feature, see [Evaluate a technology refresh](#) in the Console documentation.

Identify software and hardware renewals for your storage system from Digital Advisor

You can proactively identify the software and hardware for your storage system that have expired or are near expiration in the next 6 months, and send a request to renew the hardware and software.

Steps

1. Click **Renewals** from the **Planning** widget.
2. Select the storage systems that you want to renew and click **Renew**.
3. Optionally, provide additional comments.
4. Click **Send**.

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