Application Delivery Controllers for Next-Generation Data Centers

Brocade® ServerIron® intelligent application delivery and traffic management solutions have led the industry for over a decade, helping to mitigate costs and prevent losses by optimizing business-critical enterprise and service provider applications with high availability, security, multisite redundancy, acceleration, and scalability—in more than 3000 of the world’s most demanding organizations.

Brocade has introduced a new generation of Application Delivery Controllers (ADCs) designed to meet growing demand for application connectivity, virtualization, and operating efficiency. These new solutions include:

- ServerIron ADX 1000 Switches
- ServerIron ADX 4000 Switches
- ServerIron ADX 10000 Switches

ServerIron ADX switches provide industry-leading Layer 2 through 7 switching performance, enabling highly secure and scalable application service infrastructures. The switches efficiently distribute unified application services by measuring server utilization and connection load in real time, providing visibility and manageability of application performance, security, and service delivery.

As a result, applications run more efficiently and with higher availability—streamlining operations, increasing business agility, and significantly reducing costs.

**HIGHEST-PERFORMANCE LAYER 4-7 SWITCHING**

ServerIron ADX switches traffic using packet information beyond the traditional Layer 2 and 3 headers, connecting client requests to the most available servers based on the results of a variety of Layer 4 and Layer 7 health checks.

These intelligent Layer 4-7 application switches transparently support any TCP- or UDP-based application by providing specialized acceleration, content caching, load balancing of network infrastructure and services, and host offload features for Web services. ServerIron ADX switches also provide a reliable line of defense by securing servers and applications against many types of intrusion and attack without sacrificing performance.

All ServerIron ADX switches forward traffic flows based on Layer 4-7 definitions, and provide industry-leading performance for higher-layer application switching functions. Superior content switching capabilities include customizable rules, based on URL, HOST, and other HTTP headers, as well as cookies, XML, and application content.

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- Industry-leading price-performance value per rack unit and per watt of power, with up to 70 Gbps of Layer 4-7 throughput, 14 million DNS queries per second, 16 million Layer 4 transactions per second, 224,000 SSL transactions per second, and 120 million SYN/sec of DoS attack protection
- Dedicated custom processors for packet acceleration, IP traffic security/protection, application acceleration, and the separation of data and management operations
- Content switching policies/rules to inspect, transform, and optimize the performance of enterprise applications from Microsoft, SAP, Oracle, and IBM
- Plug-in support for leading infrastructure orchestrators and enterprise application management tools
- Advanced functions such as Global Server Load Balancing, Transparent Cache Switching, Firewall Load Balancing, and multiple high-availability options
- Future-ready chassis features modules that scale to 16*10 Gbps fiber ports, application expansion modules, and the industry’s highest core density with up to 32 dedicated application processor cores
- Industry’s only 1U application delivery controller with upgradable application processors and 10 GbE ports
REduced Ownership Costs

ServerIron ADX switches simplify server farm management and application upgrades by enabling organizations to easily remove resources and insert them into the pool—helping to minimize Total Cost of Ownership (TCO). The switches uniquely provide a single platform that can reduce network load and extend server farm network design and scalability. They accomplish this by combining a high-performance Layer 4-7 packet processing architecture with the highest available throughput via 1 Gigabit Ethernet and 10 Gigabit Ethernet (GbE) connectivity.

In addition, ServerIron ADX switches provide hardware-assisted, standards-based network monitoring for all application traffic flows, improving manageability and security for network and server resources. To enable real-time problem detection, extensive and customizable service health check capabilities monitor Layer 2, 3, 4, and 7 connectivity, along with service availability and server response. If a problem arises, client requests are automatically redistributed to other servers capable of delivering optimum service. This approach helps keep applications up and running smoothly.

To optimize application availability, ServerIron ADX switches support many high-availability options, with real-time session synchronization between two ServerIron ADX switches available to protect against session loss during outages. As one device shuts down, the second device transparently resumes control of client traffic with no loss to existing sessions or connectivity. Organizations can use advanced synchronization capabilities to simplify the management of two ServerIron ADX switches deployed in high-availability mode, minimizing network downtime caused by configuration errors.

ServerIron ADX switches are simple to configure and manage using the Brocade Command Line Interface (CLI) or browser-based Graphical User Interface (GUI). The CLI uses well-known industry-standard syntax for fast, error-free configuration. The switches support Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) to allow device management through applications such as HP OpenView. Moreover, organizations can use Brocade IronView® Network Manager (INM) to monitor traffic, chart traffic, and perform comprehensive configuration management.

Advanced Architecture

Compared to the leading competitive offering, ServerIron ADX switches provide twice the throughput based on an advanced design that features complete physical and logical separation of the application, data, and management planes. In fact, the multichip, multicore, high-density application processing plane is designed for the industry’s highest core density and performance upgradability.

This design utilizes modular hardware to accelerate application processing and to optimize the distribution and flow of internal traffic to a large number of processor cores. The high-speed switching fabric uniquely supports application processing, I/O, and management modules to maximize flexibility. The data plane provides high-density 10 Gbps support with hardware assist for linear session distribution across multiple application cores. In addition, the ADX 4000 and 10000 chassis management modules accept a field-upgradable Application Expansion Module option for Secure Sockets Layer (SSL) acceleration, with additional modules for compression and other functions planned for future release, while the fixed configuration ADX 1000 is available with or without SSL acceleration functionality, and can be upgraded in the field without service disruption.

Configuration Flexibility

Providing the best investment protection, the ServerIron ADX 1000 provides a high-density fixed 1U form factor that shares the full feature set with all ADX switches, and can be ordered in any of four configurations, with optional licensing to expand capacity from entry-level to higher-level configurations when required.

• Eight 1GbE ports with a single application core
• Sixteen 1GbE ports with two application cores
• Sixteen 1GbE ports with four application cores
• Sixteen 1GbE ports with four application cores and two 10 GbE ports, or
• Any combination of the above with SSL, or with SSL and Premium Software

Massive Scalability

However, when large scale chassis reconfiguration or expansion is required, the unique design of the ServerIron ADX 4000 and 10000 provides a dedicated backplane to support application, data, and management functionality through specialized hot-swappable modules. The following model interchangeable Field Replaceable Units (FRUs) are available (see sidebar).
CAPACITY ON DEMAND
All ServerIron ADX switches can be quickly upgraded in the field using software keys, allowing for a full suite of hardware and software options to be enabled when needed, without opening the switch cases or otherwise disrupting service. In particular, the ADX 1000 fixed configuration can be purchased as an entry-level ADX 1008-1, and can then be upgraded to any higher level, including the 1016-2, 1016-4, and 1216-4 fully supporting a ‘pay-as-you-grow’ deployment strategy. The list of performance and capacity upgrades includes hardware features, such as additional processing cores with memory, SSL acceleration, as well as additional 1 GbE and 10 GbE ports, and premium software features such as GSLB, IPv6, and Layer 3 switching.

ADX PLATFORM BENEFITS
ServerIron ADX switches are based on a unique architecture that supports scalability and expansion to meet growing application traffic switching requirements:

- **High-performance, modular design:** A choice of models starting with the compact 1U ServerIron ADX 1000 to the highly scalable ServerIron ADX 4000 and 10000 series with 320 Gbps of switching bandwidth
- **Redundant power supplies:** Support for redundant, hot-swappable power supplies on all models—front-serviceable on the ServerIron ADX 4000 and 10000
- **Hot-swappable modules:** Expansion slots for management, application switching, switch fabric, line interface, and fan modules to increase performance and port density
- **Active/active and active/standby management modules:** Optionally redundant modules for higher availability and performance
- **Upgradable to hardware-assisted SSL acceleration and compression:** Optional mezzanine service modules to add integrated and scalable hardware SSL acceleration
- **Reliability:** A resilient switching and routing foundation with advanced support for RIP 2, OSPF 2 and 3 (IPv6), VRRP, and VRRP-E
- **Flexible connectivity options:** Expansion from 12 to 48 GbE ports in mixed copper/fiber combinations, or up to 16 10 GbE XFP ports

APPLICATION OPTIMIZATION
ServerIron ADX switches support a wide range of IP and Web traffic management applications by providing the following capabilities:

- **Efficient Server Load Balancing (SLB):** Distributes IP-based application flows and transparently balances traffic among multiple servers while continuously monitoring server, application, and content health to increase reliability and availability.
- **Intelligent application content inspection and switching:** ServerIron ADX provides a powerful ability to create rules, policies, and configurations to perform application traffic management operations (at both layer 4 and layer 7) including server and application load balancing, health monitoring, inspection, switching, redirection, persistence and content transformation.
- **Disaster recovery and Global Server Load Balancing (GSLB):** Distributes services transparently across multiple sites and server farm locations, balancing traffic on a global basis while monitoring site, server, and application health. By directing clients to the best site for the fastest content delivery, ServerIron ADX switches increase application availability and reduce bandwidth costs. Moreover, site-level redundancy and fast transparent failover facilitate disaster recovery.
- **Robust application security:** Shields server farms and applications from wire-speed multi-Gigabit-rate Denial of Service (DoS), Distributed DoS (DDoS), virus, and worm attacks while serving legitimate application traffic at peak performance.
- **Application infrastructure agility:** Application Performance Predictive Load Balancing provides an application response time predictor for balancing load, a companion capability to Application Resource Broker
- **Enterprise applications:** Supports enterprise environments running IP- and Web-based and popular applications such as Oracle, BEA Web Logic, IBM WebSphere, PeopleSoft, SAP, Microsoft SharePoint, and Siebel. ServerIron ADX switches enable load balancing and persistence to improve availability, security, and performance.
- **Financial protocols:** FIX (Financial Information eXchange) protocol support provides Layer 7 switching and application delivery services for Financial Services Applications
- **SYN-Guard:** Protects server farms against multiple forms of DoS attacks, such as TCPSYN and ACK attacks, by monitoring and tracking session flows. Only valid connection requests are sent to the server. ServerIron ADX switches are capable of defeating DoS attacks at the industry’s highest rate (up to 120 million SYN/sec).
- **High-availability application switching:** Utilizes active-standby mode, whereby the standby ServerIron ADX switch assumes control and preserves the state of existing sessions in the unlikely event the primary application delivery device fails. In active-active mode, both ServerIron ADX switches work simultaneously and provide a backup for each other while supporting stateful failover.
- **IPv6 Gateway:** IPv6 to IPv4 Gateway for IPv6 clients provides simultaneous support for

![Figure 1](image-url)
both IPv4 and IPv6 real servers behind a single IPv6 VIP, for data center migration

- **HTTP Multiplexing (server connection offload):** Increases server performance, availability, response time, and security by offloading connection management from the servers. Using persistent HTTP 1.0 and 1.1 connections to the server, ServerIron ADX switches stream a large number of client connections to very few server connections. Connection offload enables the servers to dedicate resources for high-performance application content delivery.

- **Application rate limiting:** Protects server farms by controlling the rate of TCP and UDP connections on an application-port basis, thereby guarding against malicious attacks from high-bandwidth users.

- **High-performance access control:** Uses extended Access Control Lists (ACLs) to restrict access to specific applications from a given address or subnet.

- **Application redirection:** Uses HTTP redirect to send traffic to remote servers if the requested service or content is not available on the local server farm.

- **Hardware SSL acceleration:** ADX 4000 and 10000 management modules accept an optional Application Expansion Module upgrade to accelerate SSL transactions, and ADX 1000 is also optionally available with SSL acceleration.

- **Advanced firewall and security device load balancing:** Increases firewall and perimeter security performance by distributing Internet traffic loads across multiple firewalls and other perimeter security appliances. This approach overcomes scalability limitations, increases throughput, and improves resiliency by eliminating perimeter security devices—such as firewalls, anti-virus gateways, VPN devices, and intrusion appliances—as single points of failure.

- **Transparent Cache Switching (TCS):** Balances Web traffic across multiple caches, eliminating the need to configure each client browser, improving Internet response time, decreasing WAN access costs, and increasing overall Web caching solution resiliency. ServerIron ADX switches improve service availability by implementing cache health checking, redirecting client requests to the next available cache server or directly to the origin server in the event of a cache or server farm failure.

### HIGHER INFRASTRUCTURE ROI

With their intelligent application-aware load balancing and content switching capabilities, ServerIron ADX switches significantly improve application and server farm performance while increasing availability, security, scalability, and resource utilization. Key benefits include:

- **Improved infrastructure utilization:** ServerIron ADX switches perform highly customizable real-time health checks, dynamically monitoring the ability of servers to optimize performance and transparently reacting to server farm congestion by distributing client traffic loads to the most available servers. Intelligent content switching maximizes server utilization and performance by eliminating the need to replicate content and application functions on every server.

- **Increased server availability:** ServerIron ADX switches can be deployed in multiple high-availability modes with hitless and stateful session synchronization and failover to extend availability even through switch failures.

- **Robust security:** With built-in intelligence, ServerIron ADX switches detect and discard viruses and worms that spread through application-level messages. The switches load-balance legitimate application traffic while preventing and defeating attacks. Through specialized embedded logic, the switches reliably protect against many forms of DoS and DDoS attacks at industry-leading data rates of up to 32 million attack packets per second.

- **Massive scalability:** ServerIron ADX switches provide virtually unlimited scalability to IP-based applications and server farms in a cost-effective manner. They allow the use of multiple servers with load balancing and failover, eliminating forklift upgrades to server farms and disruption to applications.

- **Faster ROI:** ServerIron ADX switches provide high ROI for application and server infrastructure in a short timeframe, supporting significantly higher application traffic and user loads on existing infrastructure by maximizing server resource utilization. With support for server connection offload, the switches reduce connection management overhead, freeing up resources for application processing and improving overall server farm performance and capacity. On-demand and unlimited virtual server farm scalability eliminates the need for forklift upgrades and dramatically improves server infrastructure ROI.

### SITE REDUNDANCY AND SCALABILITY

ServerIron ADX 1000, 4000, and 10000 series switches can redirect client traffic geographically among multiple sites based on availability, load, and response time. These switches also measure client/server proximity as defined by round-trip delay and geographic location. All these features can work in conjunction with the network’s existing Domain Name Server (DNS) servers, minimizing network disruption when implementing GSLB.

The switches continually monitor multiple sites to detect any changes in servers or services due to varying health and traffic conditions. Configurable site load thresholds enable organizations to align health checking parameters with each site’s server and service capabilities.

In addition, ServerIron ADX switches use geographic site selection to keep requests within continental domains. Continuous application traffic monitoring helps create a dynamic knowledge base that enables more intelligent GSLB methodologies and site selection criteria. ServerIron ADX GSLB provides the following key functions:

- **Acts as a DNS proxy to transparently intercept and modify the DNS responses, thereby directing users to the best site**
- **Leverages existing DNS servers and minimizes disruption to the existing DNS environment**
- **Provides continuous site monitoring to detect changes in site health conditions**
- **Provides configurable settings to fine-tune individual site load thresholds**
- **Monitors and selects sites by measuring site, server, and application responsiveness**
- **Adds an evolutionary knowledge base that enables more intelligent site selection as more clients access the site**

In addition, ServerIron ADX switches provide a unique multisite redundancy solution with Virtual IP (VIP) Route Health Injection. This capability matches VIP and server health with intelligent route propagation to the Internet through standards-based routing protocols. This approach provides business continuity to IP applications that do not rely on DNS for service name resolution.
SIMPLIFIED MANAGEMENT AND CONFIGURATION

Organizations can manage and configure ServerIron ADX switches by using TrafficWorks, which provides two methods for configuration. The first is a flexible, powerful, and industry-standard Command Line Interface (CLI). This is particularly useful for organizations that understand and are comfortable using a CLI. Alternatively, they can use the browser-based enhanced Graphical User Interface (GUI) for device configuration in the following areas:

- Real server creation
- Virtual server creation
- Real-to-virtual server binding management
- Virtual/real server and port management
- Layer 4-7 (CSW) switching support
- SSL acceleration support
- VLAN management and port assignment
- IP address configuration
- Standard ACL support
- ServerIron dashboard and front panel view
- ServerIron statistics
- High-availability configuration
- Server health monitoring

SERVER HEALTH MONITORING

The unique ServerIron ADX architecture includes a dedicated processor for health monitoring and device management. This design significantly increases server reliability and efficiency to improve overall service availability. ServerIron ADX switches provide highly customizable application-specific health monitoring to help organizations quickly determine any degradation or failure of application servers—and to redirect clients to alternative resources. The frequency of health monitoring messages is user-configurable per server and per application port.

In conjunction with Application Resource Broker, ServerIron ADX health monitoring is instrumental in providing the basis for provisioning decisions in enterprise private cloud infrastructures. Fine-grained historical reporting of concurrent connections and response times provides a basis for the decision engine to alert the administrator when limits are exceeded, or to bring up new virtual application instances where logging and trending helps to reduce errors and improve predictability and reliability for truly dynamic cloud services.

APPLICATION RESOURCE BROKER

Working in tandem with ServerIron ADX, Brocade Application Resource Broker is an infrastructure software component for IT operations seeking a simplified solution to enable on-demand application resources within IT datacenters. It ensures application performance by dynamically adding and removing application resources (virtual machines) based on real-time monitoring of application resource responsiveness and traffic load information from ServerIron ADX and infrastructure capacity information from server infrastructures. The programmable decision engine within Application Resource Broker compares this application experience information versus threshold rules that are pre-configured, and when thresholds are exceeded it initiates provisioning actions to ensure necessary and appropriate application resources are available to meet SLAs.

ServerIron ADX with Application Resource Broker also automatically associates various application services to their respective virtual machines, collecting historical application-centric performance statistics to enable true application-level operational visibility. Application Resource Broker directly supports VMware environments through a vSphere Client Plug-in, and can leverage real-time application response monitoring capabilities of any ServerIron ADX in the network to deliver immediate and impactful provisioning adjustments in response to fluctuating demand, ensuring consistent and reliable application responsiveness between end users and the application infrastructure.

This unique Brocade technology helps customers reduce or eliminate the high-cost and inefficiency of provisioning for peak load across multiple applications, simultaneously preventing missed SLAs due to under-provisioning. ARB streamlines management with application-centric views and ensures resiliency in the delivery of those services. Typical accrued savings include reduced cost of intervention to rectify capacity planning and application SLA issues, reduced power, cooling, and space to service existing traffic demands, and a more efficient infrastructure that can absorb the delivery of additional new business projects or increases in traffic without additional capital expense. ServerIron ADX with Application Resource Broker is a key enabler for on-demand virtualized or shared IT infrastructure.

![Figure 2a](image)

**Figure 2a.**

ServerIron ADX with Application Resource Broker (ARB) monitors network and infrastructure resources

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![Figure 2b](image)

**Figure 2b.**

ARB Initiates provisioning and immediate use of additional application resources to meet traffic demand

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Application resources are de-provisioned when traffic demand subsides
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<td>Maximum number of application cores</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>16</td>
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<td>Maximum system memory</td>
<td>8 GB</td>
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<td>DNS queries/sec (fast stateless)</td>
<td>1,750,000</td>
<td>7,000,000</td>
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<td>Layer 4 connections/sec (HTTP 1.0)</td>
<td>200,000</td>
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<td>Layer 4 transactions/sec (HTTP 1.1)</td>
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<td>Layer 7 connections/sec (HTTP 1.0)</td>
<td>90,000</td>
<td>360,000</td>
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<td>Layer 7 transactions/sec (HTTP 1.1)</td>
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<td>Layer 4 aggregate throughput</td>
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<td>Max Gigabit Ethernet ports</td>
<td>16 (CU)</td>
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<td>Max 10 Gigabit Ethernet ports (XFP)</td>
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<td>Hardware-based DDoS protection (packets/sec)</td>
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<td>Maximum number of SSL transactions/sec (TPS)</td>
<td>28,672</td>
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<td>Maximum SSL bulk throughput</td>
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<td>65,536</td>
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<td>Maximum number of real servers</td>
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<td>Maximum number of real server ports</td>
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<td>Layer 3 switching capabilities</td>
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<td>390 Watts</td>
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<td>1-year hardware, 90-day software, upgrades to higher levels available</td>
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³ SSL performance is a function of the number of application cores in the system. However, the maximum SSL performance with a single SSL module, regardless of the number of application cores in the ADX chassis, is 114,688 TPS and 6.9 Gbps of bulk throughput.

² Maximum SSL concurrent connections is based on a maximum of 16,384 SSL connections per application processor core.

APPLICATION DELIVERY INFRASTRUCTURE COMMUNITY

The Brocade Application Delivery Infrastructure Community focuses on the Brocade ServerIron product family and related partner technologies, providing a valuable resource for discussions, solutions, information, and implementation guidance for application delivery challenges.

This one-stop Web 2.0 social networking site contains the latest information and a wide range of use cases, along with configuration scripts and real-world examples. Learn more at http://community.brocade.com/adi.

Figure 3. The Application Delivery Infrastructure Community web site
Load Balancing Methods
Least Connections, Round Robin, Weighted, Enhanced Weighted, Weighted Round Robin, Dynamic Weighted (SNMP based)

Server Health Checks
Layer 2-4 health checks for TCP and UDP ports; Layer 7 health checks for many well-known ports, port profiles, port policies, scripted health checks, health check policies, and REGISTER and OPTIONS health checks for SIP protocol

Layer 2/Layer 3 Capabilities
32,000 MAC addresses, 802.1d Spanning Tree Protocol, 802.1w Rapid Spanning Tree Protocol, IPv4/IPv6: RIP, OSPF, static routing, Trunk (LACP, trunk server/switch), VLANS, VRRP, VRRP-E

Protocol Support
TCP, UDP, HTTP, SSL, Telnet, SSHv2, FTP, TFTP, SNMP v1, 2, and 3, SMTP, IMAP4, POP3, LDAP, DNS, WTS, SIP, NNTP, RADIUS, MMS, RTSP, VRRP, VRRP-E

Standards Compliance
802.3, 10 BaseT, 802.3z 1000 BaseSX, 802.1q VLAN Tagging, 802.3u 100 BaseT, 100 BaseFX, 802.3z 1000 BaseLX, 802.1d Bridging, 802.1w RSTP, 802.1ad Link Aggregation

Network Management
SSHv2, Telnet, SNMP v1, 2, and 3, integrated CLI, Web-based GUI, IronView Network Manager (INM)

Safety Compliance
- EN 60950-1:2001/IEC 60950-1:2001
- EN 60825-1:1994
- CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 60950-1-03
- UL 60950-15% to 95% (relative, non-condensing)
- CE Safety Low Voltage Directive 2006/95/EC

EMI Compliance
- FCC Part 15, Subpart B (Class A)
- EN 55022 (CE mark) (Class A)
- EN 61000-3-2
- EN 61000-3-3
- EN 61000-6-1
- EN55024 (CE mark) (Immunity) Information Technology Equipment
- ICES-003 (Canada) (Class A)
- AS/NZ 55022 (Australia) (Class A)
- VCCI (Japan) (Class A)

Power Supply
ADX 1000 series
- AC input rating: 100 to 240V, 50/60 Hz, 6.0 A max.
- AC operating voltage range: 85 to 264V, 50/60 Hz
- DC input rating: –48V, 15.0 A
- DC operating range: –40 to –60 Vdc

ADX 4000/10000 series
- AC input rating: 100 to 240V, 50/60 Hz, 16.0 A max. per power supply
- AC operating voltage range: 90 to 264V, 50/60 Hz
- DC input rating: –48V, 30.0 A max. per power supply
- DC operating range: –40 to –60 Vdc

Environment
Temperature
- Operating: 0°C/32°F to 40°C/104°F (dry bulb)
- Storage: -25°C/-9°F to 70°C/158°F (dry bulb)

Humidity
- Operating: 5% to 90% (relative, non-condensing)
- Storage: 5% to 95% (relative, non-condensing)

Altitude
- Operating: 0 - 6,600 ft (0 - 2,012 m) maximum
- Storage: 15,000 ft (4,500 m) maximum

Mounting Options
19” Universal EIA (Telco) Rack Tabletop

BROCADE GLOBAL SERVICES
To help organizations get the most value from their technology investments, Brocade Global Services offers a variety of services with comprehensive hardware and 24×7 software support, including software fixes and new releases. Organizations can also utilize Brocade Professional Services to implement and validate the functionality of Brocade products. Leveraging the Brocade Network Monitoring Service (NMS), organizations can maximize the availability and performance of their critical application environments while reducing infrastructure cost and complexity.

MAXIMIZING INVESTMENTS
To help optimize technology investments, Brocade and its partners offer complete solutions that include education, support, and services.

For more information, contact a Brocade sales partner or visit www.brocade.com.
## BROCADE SERVERIRON ADX 1000, 4000, AND 10000 ORDERING INFORMATION

### ADX 1000 Fixed Platform

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### ADX 1000, 4000, and 10000 Options

All ServerIron ADX 1000, 4000, and 10000 chassis-based products can be ordered or upgraded with DC power supplies. Additionally, all ADX products support in-the-field license activation of additional processors, ports, acceleration hardware, and premium software (Layer 3 switching, IPv6 and GSLB). For a complete list of options and upgrades, including available support options, see the Brocade price list.

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