



TIME NAVIGATOR

Hardware Compatibility Guide
for Time Navigator
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Automated Library Management

Drive Support ¹

This guide shows library and drive support with Time Navigator 4.6.6 (unless specified otherwise).

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	= available (certified)
	= available (supported)

¹ WORM technology is not supported except those indicated in the Worm table

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Drive Support

Technology				HP UX	IBM AIX	SUN Solaris	Linux ²	Windows
Disk Drive	Model	Connection	Worm					
Disk Drive	Atempo Disk Drive	SCSI FC		●	●	●	●	●
StorageTek	9840A	SCSI		●	●	●	●	●
	9840B	FC		●	●	●	●	●
	9840C, 9840D	FC		●	●	●	●	●
	9940A	SCSI		●	●	●		●
	9940B	FC		●	●	●	●	●
	T10000-C	FC		○	○	○	○	●
	T10000-D	FC		○	○	●	●	●
IBM	IBM 3590 B1A and E1A	SCSI			●			
	IBM 3592 J1A	FC	●	●	●	●	●	●
	IBM TS1150	FC	●	○	○	○	●	●
LTO HPE	HP LTO-6 Ultrium 6250, 6650	SAS	●	○	○	○	●	●
		FC	●	●	●	●	●	●
	HPE LTO-7 Ultrium 15750, 15000	SAS	●	●	●	●	●	●
		FC	●	●	●	●	●	●
	HPE LTO-8	SAS	●	●	●	●	●	●
		FC	●	●	●	●	●	●
LTO IBM	IBM LTO-6 HH / FH IBM LTO-7 Ultrium	SAS	●	○	○	○	●	●
		FC	●	○	○	○	●	●
	IBM LTO-8 Ultrium	SAS	●	○	○	○	●	●
		FC	●	○	○	○	●	●
LTO Quantum	Quantum LTO-6	FC	●	○	○	○	●	●
		SAS	●	○	○	○	○	○
	Quantum LTO-7	SAS	●	○	○	○	●	●
		FC	●	○	○	○	●	●
	Quantum LTO-8	SAS	●	○	○	○	●	●
		FC	●	○	○	○	●	●

² IBM drivers for Linux not supported

Technology	Model	Connection	Worm	HP UX	IBM AIX	SUN Solaris	Linux ³	Windows
LTO Tandberg	Tandberg LTO-6, 7, 8	SAS	●	○	○	○	●	●
		FC	●	●	●	●	●	

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Manufacturer	Model	HP UX	IBM AIX ^{4 5}	SUN Solaris	Linux	Windows
Dell	120T, 122T, 124T, 128T	●	●	●	●	●
	130T, 132T, 136T, 160T	●	●	●	●	●
	ML6000 Series, ML3	●	●	●	●	●
	TL2000, TL 4000	●	●	●	●	●
Fujitsu	ETERNUS LT 20/40/60 S2 Series	●	●	●	●	●
	LT60, 160, 260	●	●	●	●	●
	FibreCAT TX24, TX48	●	●	●	●	●
HPE	EML/ESL E-Series	●	●	●	●	●
	ESL G3 Series	●	●	●	●	●
	MSL 2024/3040/4048/8048/8096, 5000, 6000, MSL 6480	●	●	●	●	●
IBM	TS2900, TS3100, TS3200, TS3310, TS3500, TS4500	●	●	●	●	●
	3581, 3582, 3583, 3584, 3600 R20, 3623LX, 4560	●	●	●	●	●
NEC	T40A / T40A2 T16A / T16A2	●	●	●	●	●
	LL009F	●	●	●	●	●

⁴ SAS connection is not supported on IBM AIX

⁵ AIX platform supports up to 8 library devices

		HP UX	IBM AIX ^{6,7}	SUN Solaris	Linux	Windows
Manufacturer	Model					
Overland Tandberg	NEOs 200s, 400s NEOs 2000, 4000, 8000 NEOs 2000e, 4000e, 8000e NEOs T24, T48, NEOs StorageLoader NEOxl 60, 80	●	●	●	●	●
Qualstar	RLS 8350, 8500, 8560, 85120 TLS XLS 8161100 Q24, Q40, Q80	●	●	●	●	●
Quantum	Scalar i3, i6, , i40 /i80, i500, i2000, i6000, Scalar 50, 10K	●	●	●	●	●
Sony	Petasite	●	●	●	●	●
SpectraLogic ⁸	Spectra T24/ T50 / T50e	●	●	●	●	●
	Spectra T120, T200, T380, T680, T950, T-Finity	●	●	●	●	●
	Stack	●	●	●	●	●
Oracle StorageTek	9310 ACSLS required					
	9730, 9738	●	●	●	●	●
	L5500 ACSLS required					
	SL150, SL50, SL3000, SL4000 ⁹	●	●	●	●	●
	SL8500 ACSLS required					

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⁸ Library Partition SpectraLogic feature is not supported with 20k and 64K libraries.

⁹ Supports ADI bridging.

Virtual Tape Library / Disk Storage Array

Manufacturer	Model	HP UX	IBM AIX	SUN Solaris	Linux	Windows	macOS
Amazon	AWS Storage Gateway				○	○	
ADIC	Pathlight VX	●	●	●	●	●	
Copan	Revolution 220	●	●	●	●	●	●
Dell	DR4000				●	●	
Diligent Technologies	ProtectTIER & VTF Open					●	
EMC	DL210		●	●	●	●	●
	DL300 & 700 Series	●		●		●	
	DL1500 / DL3000	●	●	●	●	●	●
	DL4000, DL6000 Series	●	●	●	●	●	
EMC Data Domain	DD160 / DD160 / DD2500 / DD4200 / DD4500 / DD500 DD600 / DD800 / DD990 / DD7200	●	●	●	●	●	●
ExaGrid					○	○	
ExaStore	Exanet				●	●	
FalconStor	VTL	●	●	●	●	●	●
Fujitsu	ETERNUS CS High End <i>(formerly CentricStor)</i>	●	●	●	●	●	
	ETERNUS CS800	●	●	●	●	●	●
Hitachi Data Systems	HDS ProtecTIER, HDS ProtecTIER VTL 500M / 1000E / 1000L					●	
	HDS VTF Open					●	
HPE	HP D2D	●	●	●	●	●	●
	StoreOnce VSA (Gen 4) StoreOnce 3620, StoreOnce 3640 StoreOnce 5200/5250, StoreOnce 5650				○	●	
	HP VLS 6000 / 9000	●	●	●	●	●	●
IBM	TS7650 ProtecTIER	●	●	●	●	●	
NetApp	Cloud Backup (formerly AltaVault)				○	○	
NEC	HYDRAsstor				●	●	
Network Appliance	NearStore VTL	●	●	●	●	●	●
	VTL 300, 700, 1400	●	●	●	●	●	●
Nexsan	SataBeast				●	●	

Manufacturer	Model	HP UX	IBM AIX	SUN Solaris	Linux	Windows	macOS
Overland Tandberg ¹⁰	RDX QuikStation				●	●	
Oracle StorageTek	VTL Plus	●	●	●	●	●	●
	VTL Prime	●	●	●	●	●	●
Quadstor ¹¹	VTL				●	●	
Quantum	DX30 / DX100	●	●	●	●	●	
	DX3000, DX5000	●	●	●	●	●	●
	DXi4700 DXi2500/3500/ DXi4800 DXi5500/6500/7500 DXi6700/6701/6702 DXi6802 DXi6900 DXi8500 2TB DXi9000	●	●	●	●	●	
	Sepaton	S2100	●	●	●	●	●
	SGI/Copan	Revolution 220	●	●	●	●	●
300M, 400M Native MAID		●	●	●	●	●	●
300T, 400T TX VTL		●	●	●	●	●	●
Spectra Logic	v80, v160, v320, vX (nTier 500, 700)	●	●	●	●	●	●

¹⁰ Requires Full Barcode reinitialization after library reboot.

¹¹ SIDF format is supported with VTL deduplication

Silo Support, Library Manager

		HP UX	IBM AIX	SUN Solaris	Linux	Windows
Manufacturer	Model					
Oracle StorageTek	ACSL 7.1, 7.2, 8.0	●	●	●	●	●
	ACSL 7.3, 8.1	○	○	○	○	○
	ACSL 8.2			●	●	●
	ACSL 8.3, ACSL 8.4		●		●	●
	Library Station (LS)	●	●	●	●	
	Lib-Attach 1.4.2, 1.4.3	○	○	○		○

Content Address Storage

		HP UX	IBM AIX	SUN Solaris	Linux	Windows
Manufacturer	Model					
EMC	Centera	●	●	●	●	●