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Product	StorNext® FX 2.0 and Apple Xsan 2.2
Summary	Validation Announcement
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Announcement

Quantum has completed validation of the StorNext FX 2.0 client software and Apple Xsan version 2.2.

- StorNext FX 2.0 client software has been validated and tested with Apple Xsan 2.2 Metadata Controllers (MDC) and Mac OS X 10.6 (Snow Leopard).

- The validation process included testing in the following areas:

    - General file system usage

    - User and group quotas

    - Windows Security/Mac ACL's compatibility and interoperability, including Active Directory

See the Compatibility Matrices on the following page for details about StorNext and Xsan compatibility.

Compatibility Matrices   The following matrices show compatibility between StorNext and Xsan versions.

Xsan Metadata Controller / StorNext Client Compatibility Matrix		
XSan Metadata Controller Version	StorNext FX Client 1.4	StorNext FX Client 2.0
Xsan 1.4 (Mac OS X v10.4)	✓	
Xsan 2.0 (Mac OS X v10.5)	✓	✓
Xsan 2.1 (Mac OS X v10.5)		✓
Xsan 2.1.1 (Mac OS X v10.5)		✓
Xsan 2.2 (Mac OS x v10.6)		✓

Note: StorNext FX clients are supported in Apple Xsan MDC environments only.

StorNext Metadata Controller / Xsan Client Compatibility Matrix				
StorNext Metadata Controller Version	Xsan 2.0 Client	Xsan 2.1 Client	Xsan 2.1.1 Client	Xsan 2.2 Client
StorNext 3.1.2	✓	✓	✓	
StorNext 3.1.3	✓	✓	✓	
StorNext 3.1.4	✓	✓	✓	
StorNext 3.5	✓	✓	✓	✓
StorNext 3.5.1	✓	✓	✓	✓

Contacting Quantum   More information about StorNext and StorNext FX is available on the Quantum Service and Support website at www.quantum.com/ServiceandSupport. The Quantum Service and Support website contains a collection of information, including answers to frequently asked questions (FAQs). You can also access software, firmware, and drivers through this site.

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