

CASE STUDY



Tramada Delivers 60x Faster Business Intelligence with One-Third the Footprint

Solution Focus

- MySQL
- Cloud Computing/SaaS
- Business Intelligence

The SanDisk® Solution

Ensure real-time business intelligence by moving active data off disks in MySQL servers and onto Fusion ioMemory™ ioDrive® devices.

Results

60x faster report times

3:1 consolidation

Reduced energy consumption by 2 kilowatts per rack

The Bottom Line

With the SanDisk solution, Tramada achieved a high-performance system.

- Created a real-time intelligence platform to increase customer insight and productivity
- Heightened concurrency to ensure high service levels under load
- Reduced co-location costs
 - 3:1 footprint consolidation
 - Reduced energy costs

SanDisk Powered Software Stack

Corporate Travel Employees Tramada Next Generation MySQL 5.5 EXT4 Enterprise Linux (various) VSL 3.2.2 Fusion ioMemory - ioDrive2 1.2TB

System Overview

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System Before	System After
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• 6 x 2U servers	Consolidated to 2 x Dell R620 servers

- OS: Enterprise Linux
- Applications: MySQL 5.5
- Hard disks: 6 x 15K RPM SAS disks in RAID 0
- Consolidated to 2 x Dell R620 servers (upgrade), dual 16-core Intel E5-2690 processors @ 2.90GHz 256GB RAM
- Moved active data off hard disks and onto ioDrive2 1.2TB device in servers





Fusion ioMemory™ - ioDrive®2

About Tramada

Tramada Systems is a privately owned independent technology company based in Sydney, Australia. They are a leading provider of technology to the travel industry, delivering innovative operational and reporting solutions for users in Australia & New Zealand.

Tramada is a 'front' and 'mid' office travel management system designed to cater to both the corporate and leisure markets. It is fully integrated, modular and interfaces with the GDS. Its commitment to its clients is to deliver productivity improvements whilst maintaining data integrity. Tramada is a constantly evolving system which is upgraded every month at no additional charge to reflect industry changes and client demands.

"Dell and SanDisk have delivered a simple, elegant, and very effective solution that allows us to deliver real-time intelligence to our customers, even as rapid growth increases data set size and query complexity."

"Now our customers get real-time reporting on travel information for the most complex queries, over the largest data sets, even during peak hours. This improves our end customers' productivity and allows them to gain insights previously not possible."

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