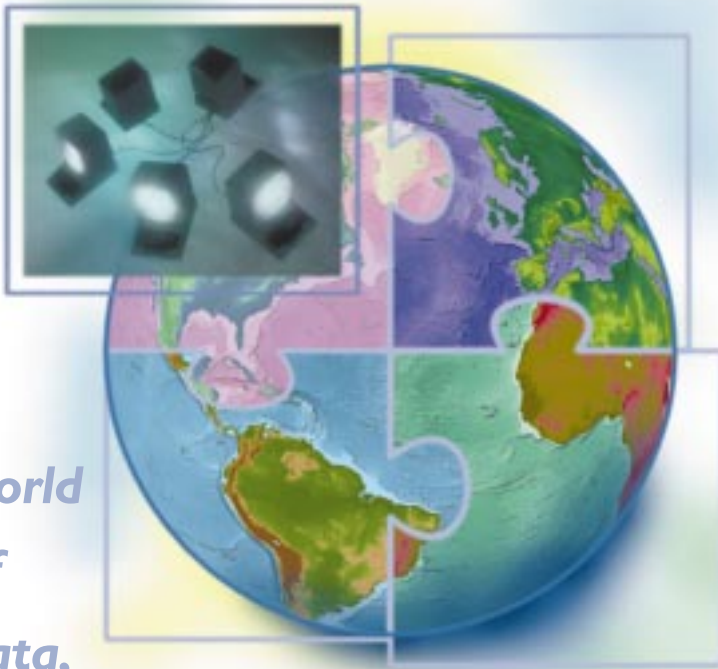


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Adding data capacity to keep pace with your company's burgeoning requirements for data storage can be a lot more involved than merely adding new drives to a RAID array. It can be a highly complex, technically demanding process. And you have a lot riding on doing it right because data storage supports the most strategic areas of your company.

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OSSI's systems integration teams focus on providing the highest quality service and data storage technical expertise available anywhere. Installation services can be bundled into any storage

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■ **HARDWARE**

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OSSI storage experts load, run and verify the operation of the software associated with your data storage equipment installations. We perform test installation of the software and review the results with your technical personnel to verify the installation. This service includes properly configuring the operating system, applications and all available vendor patches.

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You can choose to have us perform either a partial or complete operating system installation. And we can specify your hard drive partitioning requirements. OSSI technical personnel will load recommended system patches, as well as patches requested on your configuration worksheet.

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