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16. LOGICAL DRIVE

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Abstract

The logical drive is different from physical drive. In actual sense these are drives created from physical drives. The windows operating systems and other facilitate users to perform such a operation if required using given facilities.

16.1 Introduction

Logical drive is part of a physical drive that has been partitioned and allocated as an independent unit, and function as a separate drive altogether. For example, one physical drive can be partitioned into drives X, Y and Z, each representing a separate logical drive, but still part of the one physical drive.

16.2 Create a partition or logical drive

To create a partition or logical drive

- Using the Windows interface
- Using a command line

16.2.1 Using the Windows interface

1. Open Computer Management (Local).
2. In the console tree, click **Computer Management (Local)**, click **Storage**, and then click **Disk Management**.