



# xSeries Sales V2

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## **Question No:1**

A customer named Your Company has invited competitive vendors to discuss a new

server farm for an expanding area of theirbusiness. The customer is considering a

variety of server types. Including multiple processor and blade servers. In addition,

the new server farm will consist of NAS servers, fiber-based storage and fiber-based

tape devices. Which TWO of the following arereasons for choosing an IBM solution

over the competitors' solutions?

**A.** Light based diagnostics on servers is exclusive to IBM.

B. IBM is the only vendor that provides Systems Management.

**C.** Different Service Level Agreements are an exclusive offeringfrom IBM.

**D.** The IBM Totalstorage portfolio includes NAS, SAN storage and SAN networking products.

**E.** The IBM server portfolio consists of multiple processor options in tower and rack form factors.

## Answer: D,E

## Question No : 2

An xSeries Sales specialist has engaged in a new customer opportunity for IBM

eServer xSeries servers and will soon be meeting with the customer. The customer

has a large number of non-IBM servers installed and has expressed a desire to

consolidate their servers. In order to prepare a proposal, which TWO of the

following QUESTION NO:s would be the most appropriate to ask the customer?

- A. Are you interested in 64 bit servers?
- **B.** What do you like best about your current vendor?
- C. How many intel servers do you currently have installed?
- **D.** What types of applications are running on their servers?
- E. Do they currently buy direct from the vendor or through a channel partner?

Answer: C,D

## **Question No:3**

A customer has a three-year old database server. The server does not have

fault-tolerant protection against power and network card failures. Which are

problems . The customer has encountered in the past. In addition, the server requires

additional processing power to meet the current requirements. The customer does

not want to introduce any new software into their environment at point. Which of

the following would be an appropriate solution to address the customer's issue?

**A.** Install a new server that has options for fault-tolerant power supplies and network cards.

**B.** Install new LAN switch withbuilt-in network redundancy and a UPS to protect against power failure

**C.** Install a new server that will cluster with the existing server to provide backup facilities to the existing server

**D.** Upgrade the current server with new network cards, which support fault-tolerant features

## Answer: A

## Question No: 4

A customer named Your Company uses BMC Patrol to manage all the servers in

their data center. They have approached the xSeries Sales Specialist about

purchasing some IBM eServer xSeries servers for anew project. The customer has

heard about the IBM Director, but is concerned that this will produce additional

administrative overhead. Which of the following statements will be most useful in

addressing the customer's concern?

- A. BMC Patrol is an IBM ServerProven product.
- **B.** A bmc Patrol module is available for IBM Director.
- C. The IBM Director Console can be run on the BMC Patrol Server.
- **D.** An upward integration module for BMC Patol is available with IBM Director

#### Answer: D



## Question No : 5

A customer namedYour Company is looking for a new 4-way server with 875 GB

internal storage to run Oracle 91. A competitor presented the customer with a

solution that includes Dell PowerEdge 6650. The xSeries Sales Specialist presented

the customer with the IBM Eserver x365. Which of the following should the xSeries

Sales Specialist emphasize as an advantage over the competitor's solution?

- A. Easy deployment tools
- B. Support for internal tape drive
- C. Chipkill memory and Hot Spare Memory
- D. Ability to hold six internal hard drives

#### Answer: D

## Question No : 6

A customer named Your Company is reluctant to pursue a 16-way IBM eServer x445

solution because the server does not look like a "mainframe" The Xseries Sales

Specialist believes the customer may be entertaing anothervendor. Who among the following could that competitor be?

- A. HPQ
- B. Sun
- C. Dell
- D. Unisys

Answer: D

### **Question No:7**

A petroleum industry customer needs a High Performance Computing Linux-based

cluster for conducting seismic analysis. Which of the followingIBM Servers Should

the Xseries Sales Specialist recommend and why?

A. IBM Eserver x445, Linux scales well above eight processors

B. IBM eServer x450, 64-bit performance an absolute "MUST" for High Performance Computing, and most customers prefer 4-way server for their performance advantages
C. IBM eServer BladeCenter, IBM eServer x335, or IBM eServer 325, cost and maximum performance per rack density are the customer's primary considerations
D. IBM Eserver pSeries, the IBM eServer xSeries family will notcompete well in High Performance Computing environments

## Answer: C

## **Question No:8**

A retail customer informs the xSeries Sales Specialist that they are interested in

learning more about how IBM can help them reduce IT costs. They ask for details

on products that can reduce the time involved in server administration. They also

indicate that they plan to add ten new stores requiring servers over the next twelve

months. Which of the following statements represents the customer's compelling

reason to act?

- **A.** Theyare on the verge of bankruptcy.
- **B.** They are positioning themselves to be acquired.
- C. They have just experienced a significant cut in IT staff.
- **D.** They have experienced a server failure requiring on-site repair in recent weeks.

### Answer: C

### **Question No:9**

Acustomer named Your Company is focused on keeping their applications and data

up and running for end users in the event of scheduled maintenance or a hardware operating system, middleware or application component failure. Which of the

following clusteringsolutions also addresses disaster protection?

## A. SteelEye

#### B. IBM eServer 1350

- C. Microsoft Windows Server 2003 Datacenter Edition
- D. PolyServer with FAStT Remote Mirroring

### Answer: D

## **Question No: 10**

A customer named Your Company used to purchase Sequent server and add quad

processor units as their processing requirements grew. The customer approached

their xSeries Sales Specialist to discuss their business strategy and how it can be

addressed. Which of the following IBM eServer xSeries server features should the

Sales Specialist promote?

- A. "Pay as you Grow" scalability of the IBM eServer x445
- B. Low cost of Xseries servers makes scaling out an option
- C. IBM migration tools to make the transition from Sequent to xSeries
- D. Integration of xSeries server with the existing Sequent servers using an interconnect

### Answer: A

### Question No : 11

A customer named Your Company is very pleased with the systems management capability provided by their current servers. This includes the ability for remote control and inventorygathering. The customer would like to have the same capability on their non-IBM desktops and IBM ThinkPads, but they do not want to purchase and learn yet another application. The customer is considering the IBM eServer xSeries server but as not famillar with the IBM Director. Which of the following features of the IBM Director would best address the customer's requirements?

A. Remote session, software inventory, file transfer, event log

B. Hardware inventory, software remote control and management of non-IBM intel-based systems
C. FRU number reporting, management of non-IBM Intel-based system, calendar-based task scheduling
D. Software Rejuvenation, Capacity Manager, Rack Manager, System Availability, ActivePCI Manager

**Answer: B** 

Question No : 12

A customernamed Your Company currently buys HP ProLiant server and EMC

storage, and has encountered various problems wherein they could not get certain

servers working with their storage. Which of the following arguments can the

Xseries Sales Specialist present to best position IBM?

A. IBM sells other vendor's products and will test compatibility with customers' products.
B. IBM's server division regularly tests their products with other vendors' storage products.

**C.** IBM's storage division regularly tests theirproducts with other vendors' server products.

**D.** IBM has server and storage divisions that focus on compatibility o their products.

Answer: D

### Question No : 13

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- The customer is primarily a Microsoft shop, with the majority of servers being intel-based. These range from old uni-processor x86 servers to 4-way Pentium class servers. Applications runing on the Intel servers include Cloprint Exchange IS and SOL Server

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- Managing all the servers is become increasingly burdensome
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- Monitoring and tracking all the servers is a big challenge (i.e., they usually do not know when a server is down until a user calls the help desk)
- They believe they have a lot of data Duplication and Nlands of automation\*

The customer is just starting the solution design process and does not have an idea, at this point, what the solution will look like. In addition to addressing the above challenges, the primary drivers for this project are to reduce their ongoing

A customer named Your Company decides to implement an IBM Server

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Consolidationsolution consisting of IBM eServer x445s and VMware software. The

customer would like to have the hardware begin arriving next week. Which of the

following should be Xseries Sales Specialist's next step?

A. Update the IBM opportunity management record to 'Win'

- **B.** Meet with the customer to discuss installation activities
- C. Coordinate the IBM Technical team to double check the configuration
- D. Verify delivery commitment can be met and if needed, reset customer expectations

Answer: D

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## the adds of winning?