



Hitachi Unified Compute Platform (UCP) Supporting Partner Quotes

Arrow:

“Arrow has been a long-time value-added distributor of Hitachi Data Systems and we look forward to supporting the new UCP solutions. Arrow ECS has a dedicated team of Hitachi Data Systems resources to enable solution providers and integrators to successfully introduce the new UCP solutions to their customers.”

– *Joe Burke, vice president, North American storage, security, virtualization and networking group, enterprise computing solutions segment of Arrow Electronics*

Avnet:

“As the leading Hitachi Data Systems distribution partner, Avnet Technology Solutions is positioned perfectly to support Hitachi Data Systems in bringing these exciting UCP offerings to market. Avnet’s full service integration capabilities and converged solutions expertise help solution providers solve the integration, install and customer support services needed to reduce end-customer implementation time and maximize their technology investment. The combination of the new Hitachi UCP and Avnet’s end-to-end support gives solution providers a route to new markets with a complete converged solution that delivers minimal customer adoption time and maximum business results.”

– *Mike Hurst, vice president global supplier business executive, Avnet Technology Solutions for Hitachi Data Systems*

Brocade:

“Brocade was selected as a valued component of the Hitachi Unified Compute Platform family of solutions based on our proven track record for delivering networking solutions with unprecedented simplicity and automation, massive scalability and reliability for consolidating business-critical enterprise applications. The portfolio of UCP integrated and pre-validated reference solutions features a choice of Hitachi storage and server options with Brocade networking switches, and is a foundation to support major hypervisor, database and application environments. Customers can simply select the infrastructure options that meet their needs, with the assurance of built-in flexibility and interoperability to scale the architecture as business needs change.”

– *Jason Nolet, vice president, Data Center and Enterprise Networking, Brocade*

Intel:

“Hitachi Unified Compute Platform (UCP) solutions, powered by Intel Xeon processors, speed deployment of private cloud infrastructure for mission-critical applications, while simplifying operational management. Together, Intel and Hitachi Data Systems enable the intelligent data center, helping IT to reduce deployment and operational costs with the integration of leading software vendor applications and the energy-efficient performance, data protection and scalability of the Intel Xeon processors.”

– Patrick Buddenbaum, director of Intel’s Mission Critical Computing segment

ViON:

“ViON is extremely impressed with the new Hitachi Unified Compute Platform (UCP). As a close partner of Hitachi Data Systems, we have been evaluating the new UCP for some time, and have found the orchestration capabilities of UCP Pro and the flexibility of UCP Select with its choice of networking and server options to be unparalleled in the industry. Having multiple UCP offerings all backed by the high reliability and performance of HDS storage makes this new UCP portfolio a true next-generation converged infrastructure solution.”

– Tom Frana, president and CEO, ViON Corporation