

Data centers host many users and applications and have become the competitive advantage for research organizations and manufacturing companies. Keeping the data center intact and healthy is critical—a data center shutdown can mean the loss of millions of dollars. What's more, malicious users often exploit data center access to misuse compute resources such as by running prohibited applications, resulting in higher operating costs.

NVIDIA® UFM® platforms revolutionize InfiniBand network management. By combining enhanced and real-time network telemetry with AI-powered cyber intelligence and analytics, the UFM platforms empower you to discover operation anomalies and predict network failures for preventive maintenance. UFM platforms comprise multiple levels of solutions and capabilities to suit your data center's needs and requirements. At the basic level, the UFM Telemetry platform provides network validation tools, and monitors the network performance and conditions. It captures, for example, rich real-time network telemetry information, and workload usage data and system configuration, and streams it to a defined on-premises or cloud-based database for further analysis.

The mid-tier UFM Enterprise platform adds enhanced network monitoring, management, workload optimizations and periodic configuration checks. In addition to including all of the UFM Telemetry services, it provides network setup, connectivity validation, and secure cable management, automated network discovery and network provisioning, traffic monitoring, and congestion discovery. UFM Enterprise also enables job scheduler provisioning and integration with Slurm and Platform LSF, in addition to network provisioning and integration with OpenStack, Azure Cloud and VMware.

The enhanced UFM Cyber-AI platform includes all of the UFM Telemetry and UFM Enterprise services. The unique advantages of the Cyber-AI platform are based on capturing rich InfiniBand telemetry information over time and utilizing deep learning algorithms. The platform learns the data center's "heartbeat," operation mode, conditions, usage, and workload network signatures. It builds an enhanced database of telemetry information and discovers correlations between events. It detects performance degradations, usage and profile changes over time, and alerts to abnormal system and application behavior, and potential system failures. The Cyber-AI platform can also perform corrective actions.

In addition to detecting past and current events, the Cyber-Al platform can indicate future performance degradations or abnormal usage of the data center computing resources, by translating and correlating changes in the data center heartbeat. Such changes and correlations trigger the performing of predictive analytics, and initiate alerts that indicate abnormal system and application behavior, as well as potential system failures. System administrators can quickly detect and respond to such potential security threats, and address upcoming failures in an efficient manner, saving OPEX and maintaining end-user SLAs. Predictability is optimized over time with the collection of additional system data.





### **NVIDIA UFM Telemetry**

#### Real-Time Monitoring

UFM Telemetry builds a rich database of realtime network telemetry, workloads, system configuration and more.

- > Switches, adapters, cables telemetry
- > System validation
- > Network performance tests
- Streaming telemetry information into on-premises or cloud-based database

## **NVIDIA UFM Enterprise**

#### Fabric Visibility and Control

UFM Enterprise combines the benefits of UFM Telemetry with enhanced network monitoring and management.

- > Automated network discovery and validation
- > Secure cable management
- Congestion tracking identifying traffic bottlenecks
- > Problem identification and resolution
- > Global software updates
- Job scheduler provisioning, integrated with Slurm and Platform LSF
- Advanced reporting and comprehensive REST APIs
- > Rich web-based GUI

## **NVIDIA UFM Cyber-AI**

#### Cyber Intelligence and Analytics

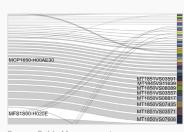
UFM Cyber-AI enhances the benefits of UFM Telemetry and UFM Enterprise, providing scaleout of preventive maintenance supercomputing OPEX.

- > UFM Telemetry and UFM Enterprise inside
- > Detects performance degradations
- > Detects usage profile changes over time
- > Detects abnormal cluster behavior
- Correlation between phenomena (that may seem non-related) powered by Artificial Intelligence
- > Alerts when preventive maintenance is needed
- > Continuous system data collection optimizes predictability

### ROBUST UFM CYBER-AI GRAPHICAL USER INTERFACE



Inventory Mapping



Secure Cable Management



Real-Time Analysis

# **Part Number and Description**

Appliance OPN	Description
MUA9502H-2SF	NVIDIA UFM 2.5 appliance for UFM Telemetry or UFM Enterprise. 1U server with ConnectX-6 200Gb/s InfiniBand adapter. UFM software package sold separately. Contact NVIDIA Networking Support for availability.
MUA9652H-2SF	NVIDIA UFM 4.0 appliance for UFM Cyber-AI, UFM Enterprise, UFM Telemetry, 2U server with 2 ConnectX-6 200Gb/s InfiniBand adapters. UFM software package sold separately. Contact NVIDIA Networking Support for availability.

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