

## Midframe - A Departmental Mainframe Computer

The Midframe™ departmental computer is designed to provide enterprise computing capabilities at your office or lab. With up to 11 large memory nodes, supporting 2112 cores of compute power, and up to 2 PB of combined flash and hard disk storage; the Midframe matches the capabilities of large mainframe computers costing millions of dollars.

The Midframe is a rack mountable system consisting of 4 to 11 state-of-the-art server blades each with 2 AMD EPYC 9654 processors. The head node contains 3 TB of memory. The worker nodes contain 1.5 TB of local memory. All worker nodes are directly connected to the head node using 200 Gb/s Infiniband/Ethernet. The Midframe includes a fast 4TB NVMe global filesystem and a distributed computing environment with Python servers on each compute node accessible from the head node. With the optional Distributed Symmetric Multiprocessing (DSMP) technology, a six node configuration supports a 1.5TB shared memory across all nodes, along with global Pthreads. DSMP enables 1152 cores to access a single large shared memory, running up to 2304 threads.

With the Midframe, you can host critical database, scientific and enterprise applications for significantly less cost. It is ideal for in-memory database applications. Both multi-threaded shared memory applications and distributed memory applications are supported. Symmetric Computing's Midframe™ delivers mainframe compute performance to business, industry, academia and government at an unprecedented price point.



Features	Benefits
• Powerful Many-Core Computing	✓ <i>Faster projects. Dedicated power when your project needs it.</i>
• Large Memory and Global NVMe file system	✓ <i>Ideal for large memory applications</i>
• Single Software Image	✓ <i>Simple and scalable multi-threaded programming.</i>
• Mainframe Replacement	✓ <i>Save millions of dollars on enterprise computing infrastructure.</i>

- ### System Specifications
- Processors:** AMD EPYC 9654 CPUs (2.4/3.7GHz—96 core) Up to 2112 cores / 4224 threads
  - Memory:** 24 DIMM (4800 MHz DDR5) per node.  
Head node options:
    - Head node: 3TB
    - Worker node: 768GB/1.5TB
  - Storage:** 4TB on-board M.2 NVME SSD each node  
Head node: 4x 3.5" NVMe/SATA, 8x 3.5" SATA  
Worker node: 12x NVMe/SATA
  - Node Interconnect:** 200 Gb/s InfiniBand/Ethernet Dual Port PCIe Gen 4 Host Bus Adapters
  - I/O:** 2x 1 Gb/s LAN ports, 1x management LAN  
2x USB 3.0 Ports  
1 VGA Port
  - Power:** 2x Redundant PS 110/208 VAC, 50-60Hz
    - Head Node: 2000W
    - Worker Node: 1600W
  - Dimensions:** 8U-12U Standard 19 inch Rack Mountable

- ### Software Specifications
- Linux OS (SUSE 15)
  - RPYC Python Distributed Computing environment
  - Pthreads, OpenMP, MPI, POSIX
  - Slurm Workload Manager
- The optional DSMP™ Linux kernel enables Symmetric Multi-Processing on the Midframe with 1.5TB of global shared memory supporting global Pthreads.

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**Gross Weight:** 19.5 Kg (43-lbs) per server blade

