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## TruCluster™ Available Server Software Version 1.5

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### Dear TruCluster Available Server Software Customer:

Thank you for your interest in TruCluster Available Server Software Version 1.5 for DIGITAL™ UNIX®.

TruCluster Available Server Software Version 1.5 for DIGITAL UNIX is part of the DIGITAL UNIX TruCluster product suite. TruCluster Available Server Software is a high availability solution that significantly reduces down time due to hardware and software failures. Installed in an environment consisting of an integrated organization of systems and external disks connected to shared SCSI buses, TruCluster Available Server Software provides highly available services and disk data to client systems.

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### Hardware and Software Requirements

This TruCluster Software Products kit consists of the TruCluster Available Server Software. To use the TruCluster Available Server Software, please note that the following products are required:

- The DIGITAL UNIX Version 4.0D operating system software and the documentation CD-ROMs.
- The TruCluster Available Server Software Version 1.5 and its documentation are located on the Associated Products Volume 2 CD-ROM in this kit.

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TruCluster Available Server Software Version 1.5 adds the following new features. The following table lists each feature and points to the specific TruCluster documentation providing more information about that feature:

<b>Feature</b>	<b>For More Information:</b>
Support for AlphaServer 1200 systems.	<i>Hardware Configuration</i>
Support for the HSZ70 RAID controller.*	<i>Hardware Configuration</i>
Support for tape devices on a shared SCSI bus with server failover for the POLYCENTER NetWorker Save and Restore product. This allows a system administrator to configure a single, highly available backup service for each ASE.	<i>Hardware Configuration, Administration</i>
Support for ATM as a primary, backup, and client network in an Available Server configuration.	<i>Hardware Configuration, Administration</i>
Extensions to the <code>asemgr</code> utility to display service and member information from the ASE database.	<i>Administration, asemgr(8)</i>
Ability to update a service's LSM or AdvFS storage configuration, as well as other service information in the ASE database without interrupting a service's availability to its clients.	<i>Administration</i>
Extensions to Cluster Monitor.	<i>Administration, Cluster Monitor online help</i>
Year 2000 compliance.	The DIGITAL UNIX Year 2000 <i>Readiness</i> white paper (in HTML format), which is on the DIGITAL UNIX Documentation Volume 1 CD-ROM

\*The HSZ70 controller is only supported for use with a KZPSA adapter.

Please review the TruCluster Software Products *Release Notes* for more information about this release.

## Documentation

TruCluster Available Server Software Version 1.5 documentation is available in both hardcopy and online versions. If you wish to have hardcopy documentation with this software and you did not receive it with your kit, you can order it separately with part number QA-05SAA-GZ. The online documentation is also available on line in HTML format on the Associated Products Volume 2 CD-ROM. The following books are in the documentation set:

- TruCluster Available Server Software *Read This First* (this document)

- TruCluster Software Products *Release Notes*
- TruCluster Software Products *Hardware Configuration*
- TruCluster Software Products *Software Installation*
- TruCluster Software Products *Administration*

PostScript® and HTML versions of these and additional documents are provided in the following directories on the Associated Products Volume 2 CD-ROM:

- /TCR/doc/ps
- /TCR/doc/html

## **Service and Support**

If you have any questions about the installation or operation of TruCluster Available Server Software, please contact your local DIGITAL sales support office.

Again, thank you for your interest in TruCluster Available Server Software. We hope to continue providing quality software products that contribute to the success of your business.

**TruCluster Software Products for DIGITAL UNIX Product Team**