

Dell 8/4Gbps Fibre Channel Pass-Through

- 16 ports correspond to 16 server blades
- 8, 4, or 2 Gbps connections
- Transparent connection between SAN and server blades
- As an alternative to this FC8 Pass-Through, the [*Dell 8/4Gbps FC SAN Module*](#) (NPIV aggregator) provides the simplicity of a pass-through with the aggregation/redundancy benefits of a switch



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8/4Gb
Fibre
Channel

Mezzanine cards



Combine the FC Pass-Through with the 11G Qlogic QME2572, Emulex LPe1205 or 12G Qlogic QME25722, and Emulex LPe1205-M Mezzanine Card for end-to-end 8Gbps FC connectivity

Mezz Card Fabric B

Mezz Card Fabric C



Transceivers
16 pre-installed 8Gbps SWL SFP+ transceivers (one per port)



*FC4 mezz cards will function with this pass-through. Doing so will cause the pass-through to run at 4Gbps rather than the full-capability 8Gbps