

# Whamcloud Community Portal

Lustre is a massively parallel filesystem designed for high-performance, large-scale data.

Lustre is mature and open source (GPLv2), running stably in production at many thousands of sites around the world. Over 75% of the top 100 fastest supercomputers in the world rely on Lustre for their storage needs, and have been for over 10 years.

If you need lots of data fast and reliably, value being able to use any vendor's block storage and want to become part of a world-wide open community, then Lustre is a good choice.

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## Lustre Essentials

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## Lustre Support

[Whamcloud](#) provides unparalleled Lustre support. Whamcloud service covers Linux Lustre environments regardless of size, complexity, or type of servers or storage. Specific details are listed in the [Lustre Support Matrix](#).

If you would like to discuss support options, please [contact us](#)

## Lustre Community

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