

# Configuring a zone on a B40 fiber optic switch



## Overview

Click the “New Zone” Button and give it a name like “SAN\_ WWNs\_Zone”. If you have a two port FC card, there should only be two WWN's per switch. Repeat this process on your other switch. More density can be achieved if zone objects with shorter names are defined and if the member list of each zone object is defined efficiently (for example, zoning only those devices together that need to communicate instead of zoning everything together in one large zone). The use of peer zones is is. It describes how to install, service, and use the IBM System Storage™ SAN40B-4 (2498 Models 40B and E40). This document has been created to include information specific to SAN40B-4. The `cfgcreate` command is used to create a new zone configuration on a Brocade switch. A zone configuration is a collection of zones that define access control between devices within a Fibre Channel fabric.

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For instructions about how to configure the switch to operate in a fabric that contains switches from other vendors, refer to the Fabric OS Administrator's Guide.



How to zone Brocade Fiber Switch by port number  
Steps:  
# Connect to brocade switch  
# Goto configure then zone admin  
# Goto zone - create new zone  
# Enter new zone...



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Zone is a standard function on Brocade switches. The Zone function on FC SWITCH is similar to the VLAN function on Ethernet switches. It is a device (host and storage) that will be connected to a SAN ...



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Configuring the switch Once you have set up the SAN48B-5 in a rack or as a standalone switch, it is time to give it power and a basic configuration. If you are going to use the SAN48B-5 in a single ...



This post will describe how to do zoning through any Brocade Fibre Channel Switch. After installing your FC Switch and getting in an IP, Login to it by going to the IP address.



The command builds the specified zone configuration. It checks for undefined zone names, zone alias names, or other inconsistencies, by expanding zone aliases, removing duplicate entries, and then ...



When enabling a new zone configuration, ensure that the size of the defined configuration does not exceed the maximum configuration size supported by all switches in the fabric.



Here I describes the procedure that should be followed to configure zoning on a Brocade switch using the CLI.Follow the below procedure to create zone from CLI 1.

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