

Disk Inventory Functions

You can keep track of the disks being used in your servers with the Inventory features:

- **For each volume:** The Disk Info editor has been enhanced to a list of all disks used to create the WHS 2011 volume. For example, you can specify that you have 2 x 2TB as a RAID 1, or 5 x 1TB in a RAID 5, etc. You can also specify the total GB available in the volume, the assigned drive letter and the free space in GB. All of this information is saved across sessions, as well as with the saved plans, in the Pro version. (Side note: you can even keep track of WHS V1 drives this way – just define a volume such as “DE Pool”, and list the type and number of all drives used, the total / free space available!).

Enter information about the logical volumes on your WHS 2011 Server. This information is saved with the plan. The physical drives that actually make up the logical drive (e.g., 4 physical drives might make up a RAID 5 volume), when collected together, make up the Physical Disk Inventory .

Logical Drive Letter: T: Drive Type: Local Disk

Volume Name: SansDigB

Volume Size (GB): 5586 Notes: 5 Drives Spanned, 3 x 1 TB + 2 x 1.5 TB = 6TB = 6 x 931 = 5586

Free Space (GB): 5586

Physical Drive Components:

	Drive Type	Actual Size (GB)	Number	Comment
▶	GB1000	931	3	SW Spanned
	GB1500	1,397	2	SW Spanned
*		0	0	

OK Cancel

- **For the entire Plan:** From the View menu, you can select a function to edit the consolidated disk inventory across the whole plan. You can enter this information manually, or click the Refresh From Plan button, and the data you entered for the individual volumes will be consolidated. You can also keep track of available disks, for example, you might have 5 2TB drives available, but the plan may be only using 3 of them at the moment. This will be visible in the consolidated inventory. As with the volume inventory, this information is saved across sessions, and with saved plans in the Pro version.

ViewInventory

Keep track of all your physical hard drives by entering the data here. Alternatively, you can press "Refresh from Plan", and the drives will be collected from the drive specifications you entered for each disk on the Target Server.

	Drive Type	Number Available	Number In Use	Total Size In Use (GB)
▶	GB500	0	3	1,398
	GB1000	0	3	2,793
	GB1500	0	2	2,794
	GB2000	0	7	13,041
*		0	0	0

Reset Refresh from Plan OK Cancel