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## **Blue to the bones**

I write my opinion about the new Exadata machine a little bit later, but i found another interestin thing about TheRegisters Timothy Prickett Morgan while scanning news about the Exadata stuff. He writes in Oracle, Sun speed-launch Exadata V2:

If Oracle is trying to convince Sun customers that it is committed to the Sparc platform, perhaps it is not trying hard enough. A few moments later i've read in Oracle, Sun Show Off Super-Fast, Flash-based OLTP Server: Bernie Spang, IBM's Director of Data Management Product Strategy ... It was "interesting that this is an x86-based system after they [Oracle] ran full-page ads attempting to calm fears regarding commitment to Sun's SPARC," Spang said. Draw your own conclusions. At least I don't try to make the impression that i'm not partisan ....

Posted by Joerg Moellenkamp in English, The IT Business at 06:54

I have a question because I'm not altogether certain, which is the operating system of this new machine, Linux?

Thxs,

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Anonymous on Sep 16 2009, 09:11

Yes ... the Exadata Storage Software just supports Linux at the moment ... but i assume this will change after the merger goes through the regulation hurdles ...

Anonymous on Sep 16 2009, 09:45