

IBM System z9 Enterprise Class and Business Class servers

VSE supports key features mentioned in the latest IBM System z9 Enterprise Class and Business Class announcements. For example:

z/VSE V4.1 support includes:

- z/Architecture mode
- Processor storage up to 8 GB
- Point-to-point connection for FCP-attached SCSI disk (eliminating the cost of an external switch)

z/VSE V3.1 (and later - including z/VSE V4.1) support includes:

- CP Assist for Cryptographic Function (CPACF)
- configurable CryptoExpress2 (select either accelerator or coprocessor mode)
- N_Port ID Virtualization for more flexibility in attaching SCSI disks
- 31-bit ACF/VTAM buffers

VSE/ESA V2.7 (and later - including z/VSE V3.1 and V4.1) support includes:

- FICON Express4 for additional bandwidth
- OSA Express2 1000BASE-T Ethernet for more connectivity options
- up to 60 LPARS for more flexibility

Please see the z/VSE V4.1 Preview and the IBM System z9 announcements for additional detail