

Title (en)
SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR FLEXIBLE PHYSICAL-TO-LOGICAL MAPPING IN RAID ARRAYS

Title (de)
SYSTEM UND VERFAHREN ZUR FLEXIBLEN ABBILDUNG VON PHYSIKALISCH AUF LOGISCH AUF RAID-ARRAYS

Title (fr)
SYSTEME ET PROCEDE DE MISE EN CORRESPONDANCE DES STRUCTURES PHYSIQUES ET LOGIQUES DANS LES ENSEMBLES RAID

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