


# Disk Transfers Per Second alert

Comprised of both Disk Reads/sec and Disk Writes/sec, the Disk Transfers Per Second alert provides the rate of transfer operations on the disk and helps to determine if a drive does not have enough supporting disks. Note that this alert is disk specific.

A large increase in disk transfers per second may signal a change in workload or a developing I/O or memory pressure issue.

This alert is raised based on the diagnostic data collection interval specified in [Server Properties](#). Note that you need to enable this alert first in the Alert Configuration window to rise.

 For additional information on the Disk Transfers/sec counter, see [Monitoring Disk Usage](#)

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