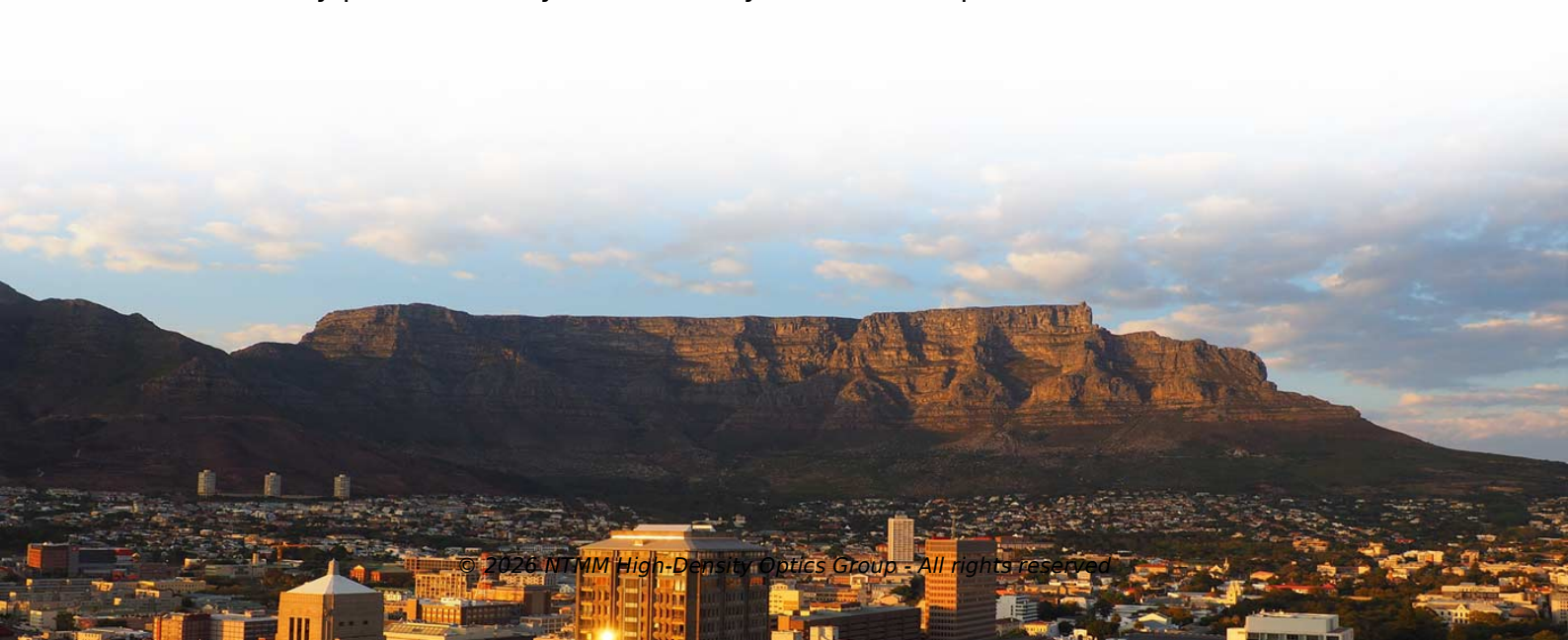


How to solve the problem of excessive shaking in network server racks



Overview

Poor airflow design, inadequate cooling systems, or overcrowded racks can cause this issue. Efficient network rack operation is critical for data center performance, but understanding network rack challenges and how to solve them can feel overwhelming. It can cause microscopic failures in hard drives, accelerate component wear, and, under heavy load, even lead to hardware failure. That's why engineers pay great attention to isolating. While data center managers obsess over temperature, humidity, and airflow, one silent threat often goes unnoticed — vibration. Computing hardware is well-known to be very sensitive to any kind of changes and influences in the environment. Management asked me to find a solution to protect our in-house servers (rack-mounted) from the ongoing vibration from the heavy machinery which is working outside our office. During the extensive digging, the whole building is shaking and vibrating. Is it even worth looking at. There are three main sources of vibration in server racks that lower the performance: Research on vibrations all points to three key points, namely excitation, system, and response.



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