



## FAS8300 FC ports repeatedly show No Light and Online, giveback does not complete after takeover

[https://kb.netapp.com/on-prem/ontap/OHW/OHW-KBs/FAS8300\\_FC\\_ports\\_repeatedly\\_show\\_No\\_Light...](https://kb.netapp.com/on-prem/ontap/OHW/OHW-KBs/FAS8300_FC_ports_repeatedly_show_No_Light...)

Updated: Sun, 05 Apr 2026 10:20:24 GMT

### Applies to

- FAS8300
- FC (Fibre Channel) mezzanine card X1162A
- FC ports `0e` and `0f`
- ONTAP 9

### Issue

- The link to the peer ports of FC ports `0e` and `0f` is unstable:
  - Port `0e`: `No_Light`

- Port 0f: Alternates repeatedly between `No_Light` and `Online`
- Takeover operation succeeds, but giveback does not complete and the following message is displayed:

```

::> storage failover show

                                Takeover

Node           Partner           Possible State Description
-----
node-01    node-02    true Connected to node-02. Waiting
                                for cluster applications to come
                                online on the local node. Offline
                                applications: scsi blade.
node-02    node-01    true  Connected to node-01, Partial
                                giveback

2 entries were displayed.

```

- In System Manager, FC ports 0e and 0f on the node are displayed in red.