Which is the Best Fit for You: StorageX or OnCommand Insight (OCI)?

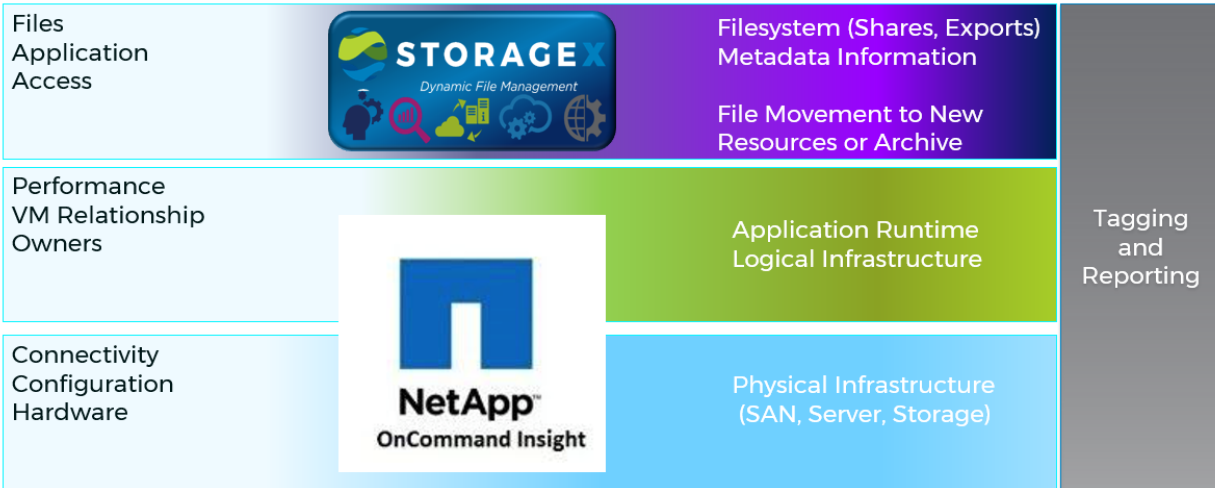Maybe the best answer isn't one solution or the other, but both.

Data Dynamics' StorageX and NetApp's OCI offer insights into different parts of your environment.

StorageX analyzes the files, file metadata, shares, and exports of your filesystem—with the ability to move them to any NAS or to object archive. By contrast, OCI provides analytics on your storage hardware and infrastructure, with alerts for abnormalities, thresholds, and recommendations to improve your tiering strategy.

The answer depends on what you want to do.

Are You Looking to....	StorageX	OCI
Discover file storage resources?	✓	✓
Identify "old" data via file metadata?	✓	
Move files based on policies from primary NAS to object storage?	✓	
Implement workload tiering based on share or export?	✓	
Discover and analyze file metadata?	✓	
Custom tag aspects of your environment?	✓	✓
Custom tag your files, shares, or exports?	✓	
Have your custom tags persist into the object store?	✓	
Manage Your DFS namespace?	✓	
Implement file replication for DR and/or migration?	✓	
Discover SAN devices and block storage resources?		✓
Discover virtual server resources?		✓
Discover and map applications to their storage resources?		✓
Identify greedy or degraded resources, rogue behavior, or network bottlenecks?		✓
Receive alerts on set events and thresholds?		✓
Correlate events to identify issue root causes?		✓
Correlate infrastructure response time to app performance?		✓
Monitor SLAs to ensure workloads are on optimal tier?		✓

StorageX and OCI Areas of Operation

About Data Dynamics

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