

Windows 2000 for Service Providers



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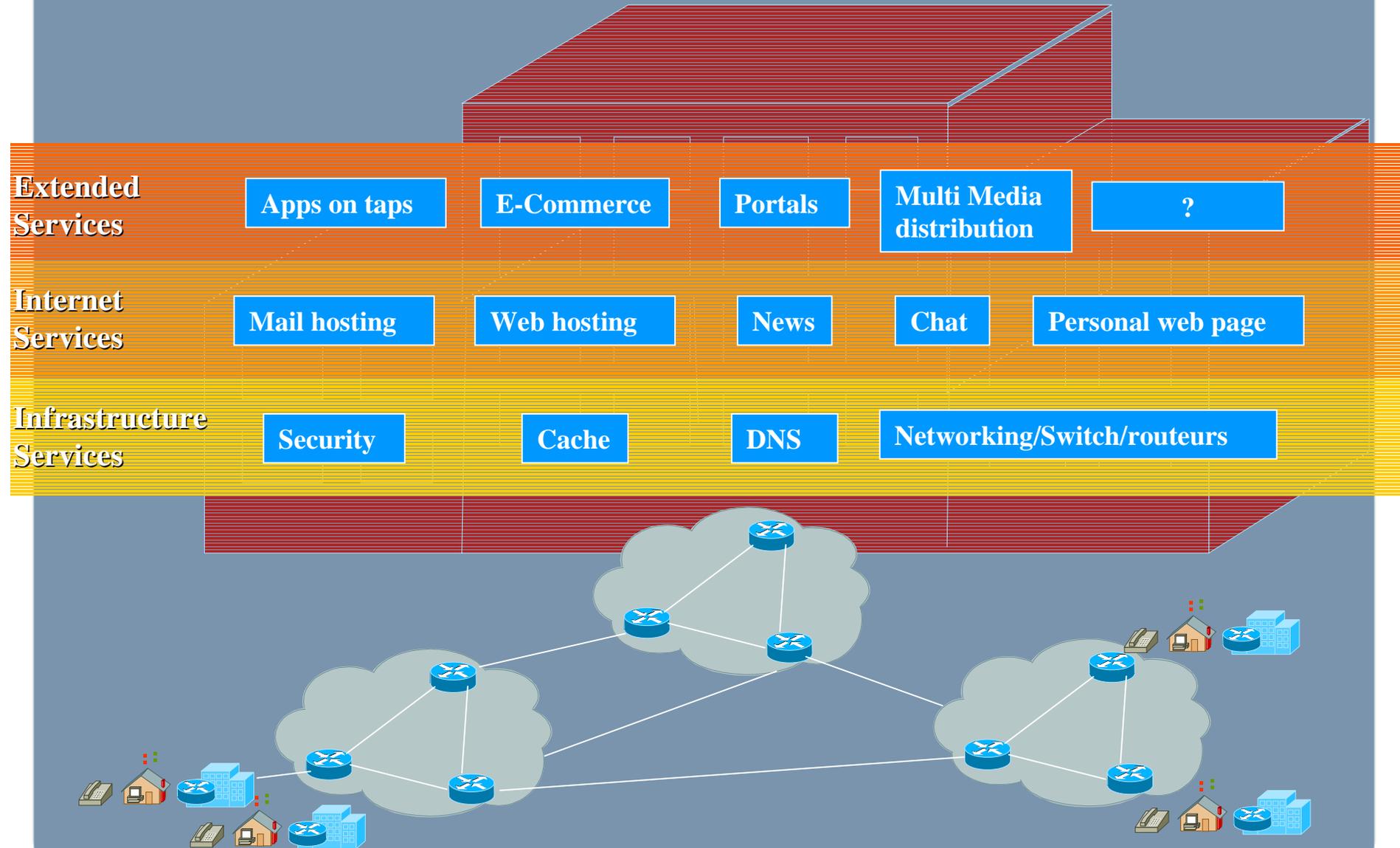
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xSP Data Center

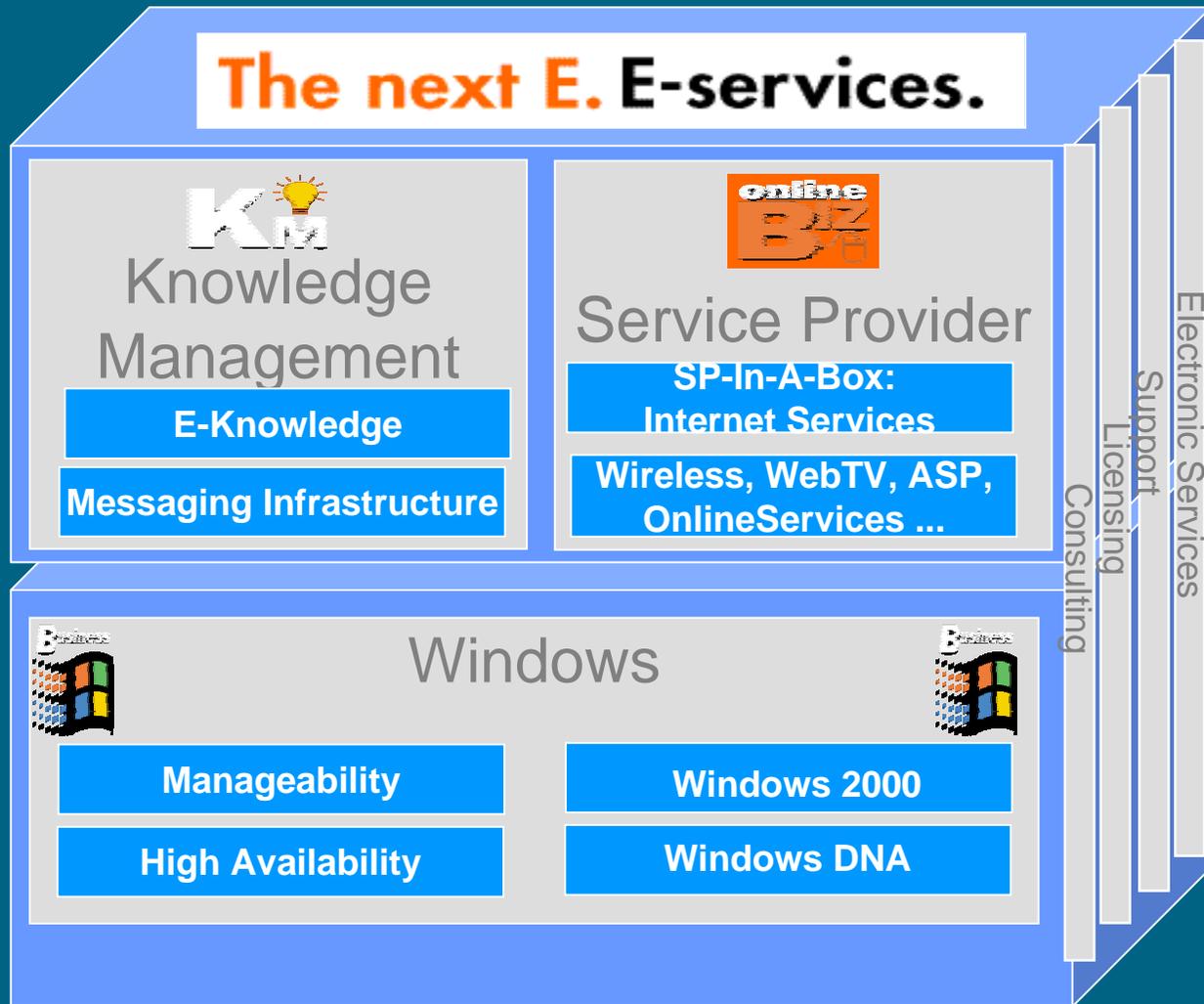


Service Provider Challenges

Respond quickly and cost-efficiently to changing business needs and growth opportunities.

- Increase revenues
- Gain/retain customers
- Reduce costs (TCO)
- Add new services quickly
- Handle new devices, new transports
- Scalable, flexible, secure architecture
- Alternate business models
- Mission critical support
- Manageability
- End-to-end quality of service
- Usage metering (flexible billing)

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SP-In-A-Box

Business Support System

Operations Support System

Internet/Extended Services

Consumer/residential

Internet Svc

- ✓ Email (POP3/IMAP4/WebMail)
- ✓ News
- ✓ Chat
- ✓ Multimedia Content
- ✓ PVP
- ✓ Instant Mess.

Wireless Access

Portals CONS E-Com

Game...

Corporate/SME services

Communication & Collaboration

- ✓ wireline/wireless
- ✓ UM
- ✓ Multimedia Content (E-beam)

E-Commerce

- ✓ B2B,
- ✓ B2C,
- ✓ B2E

Managed applications

Apps on Tap

Core services VPN...

Customer Care, Service & Support

Billing & Subscriber Mgt

IP/Apps Metering Svc

Svc Provisioning Insurance

Svc mgt

Network & System Mgt

Infrastructure services

Cache

DNS/
Directory

WebQOS/
SLA

E-service
Broker

Wireless

Windows NT / Windows 2K

Servers & Storage

Network

Security

Management

Load balancing
High Availability

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Real Time No Limits

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Portal/Infranet

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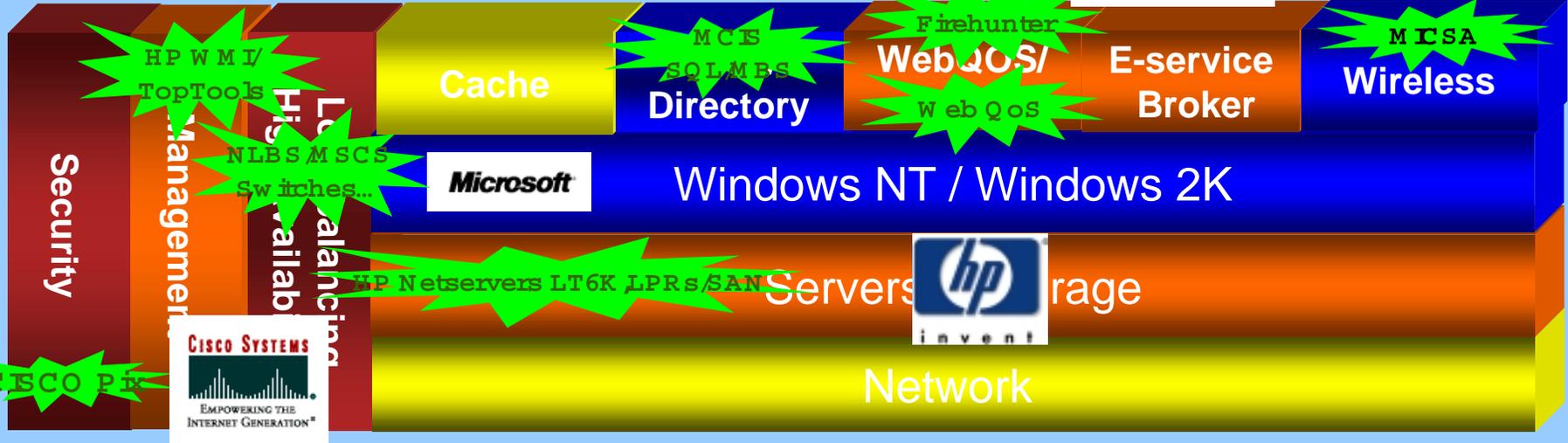
Svc Provisioning Insurance

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Network & Svc

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Infrastructure services



Service Provider In its Boundaries

Time to implement

Scalability

Stability

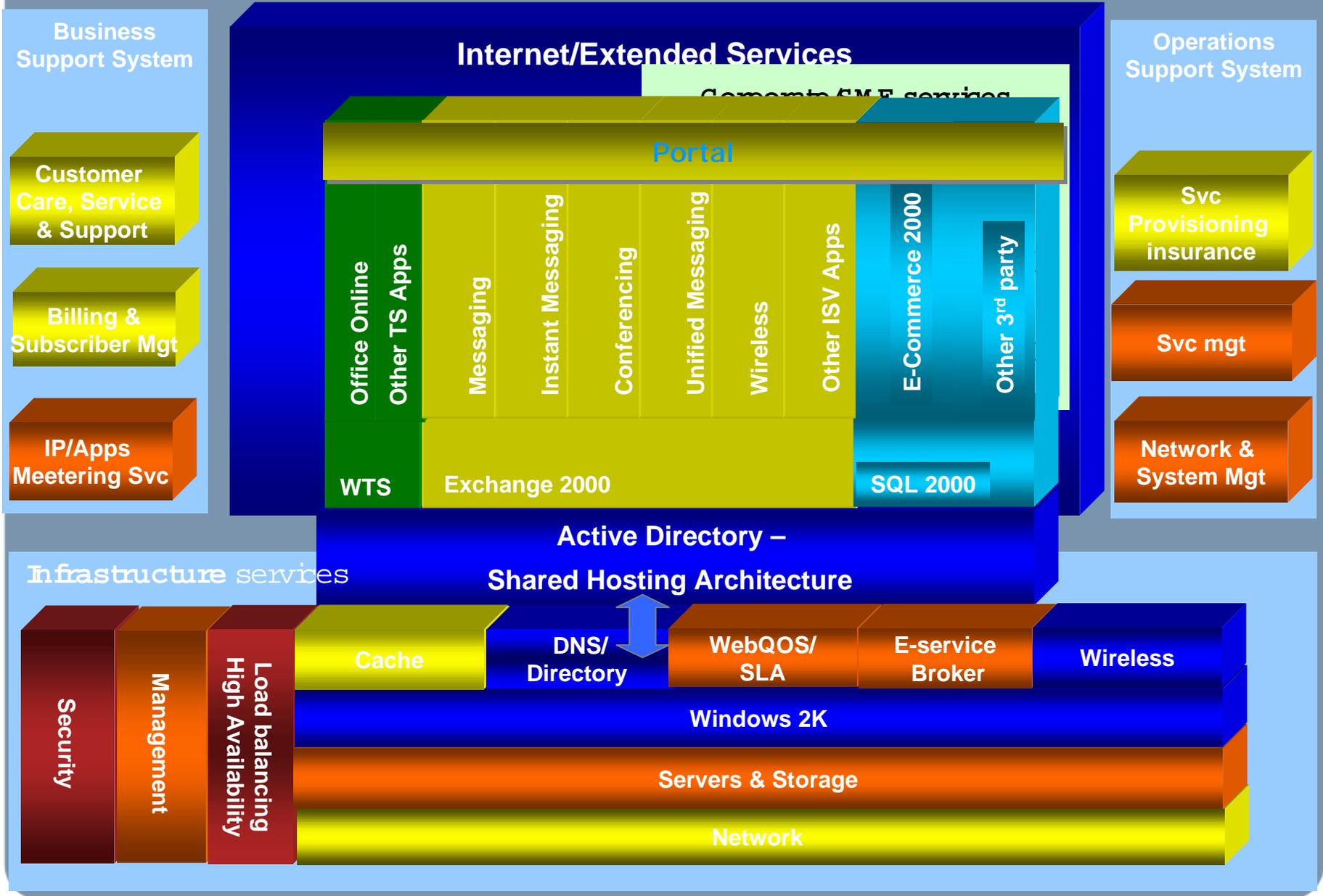
Dynam icity

- Time to implement -> # reboot
- Support of new hardware (Netserver/SAN)
- Security
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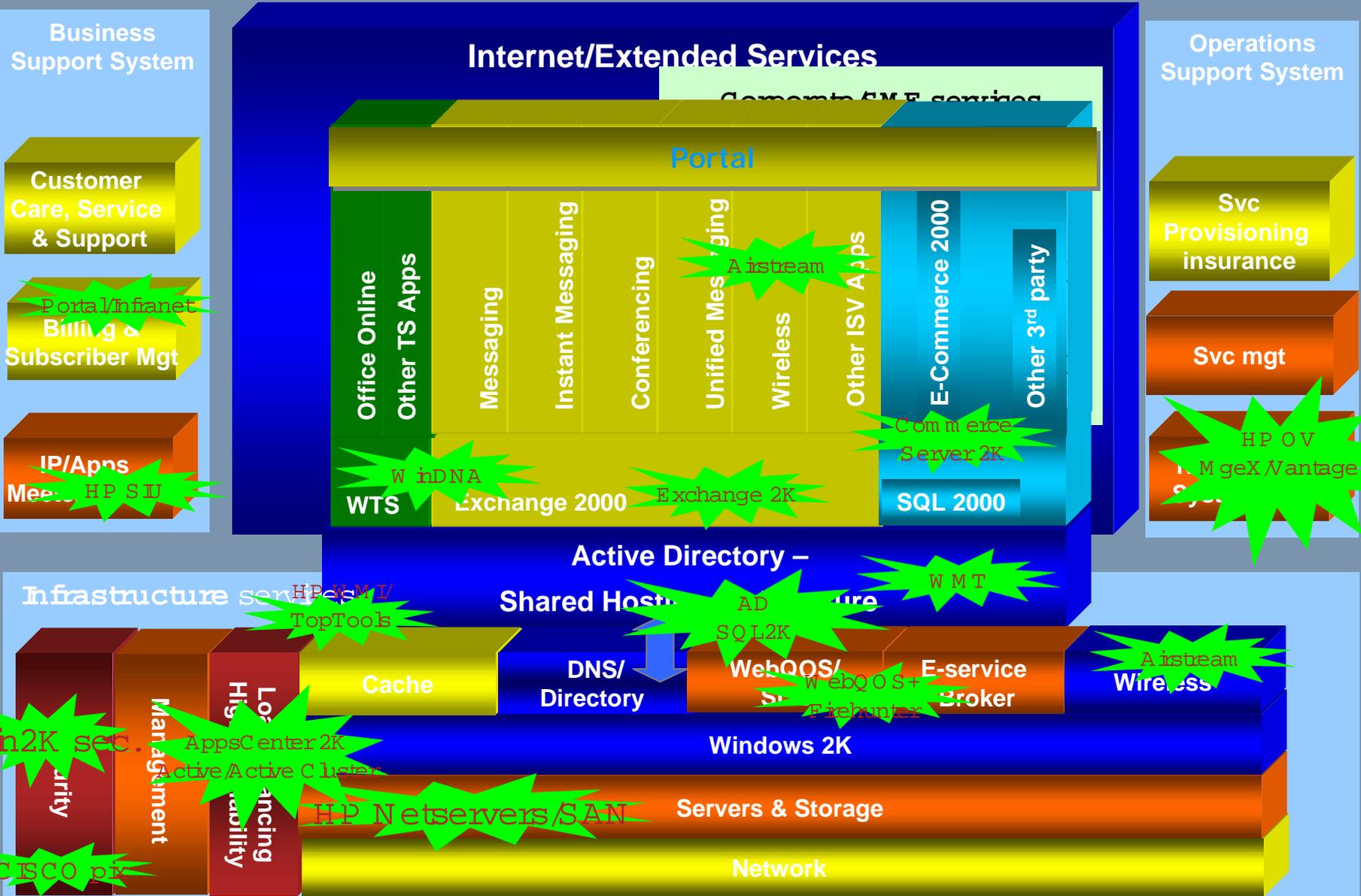


SP-in-a-Box 2000
Based on Windows 2000
& Exchange 2000
(to be announced Mid
July)

SP-In-A-Box 2000



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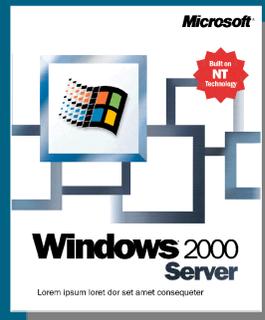
Windows 2000 Server Products



Datacenter Server
Up to 32-way SMP
Up to 64GB memory
4 node clustering
Process Control Manage



Advanced Server
8-way SMP
8 GB RAM
2-node clustering
Load balancing



Server
4-way SMP
4 GB RAM
IIS CPU & bandwidth throttling

Windows 2000 Future Directions

Scaling up and out

Scale Up

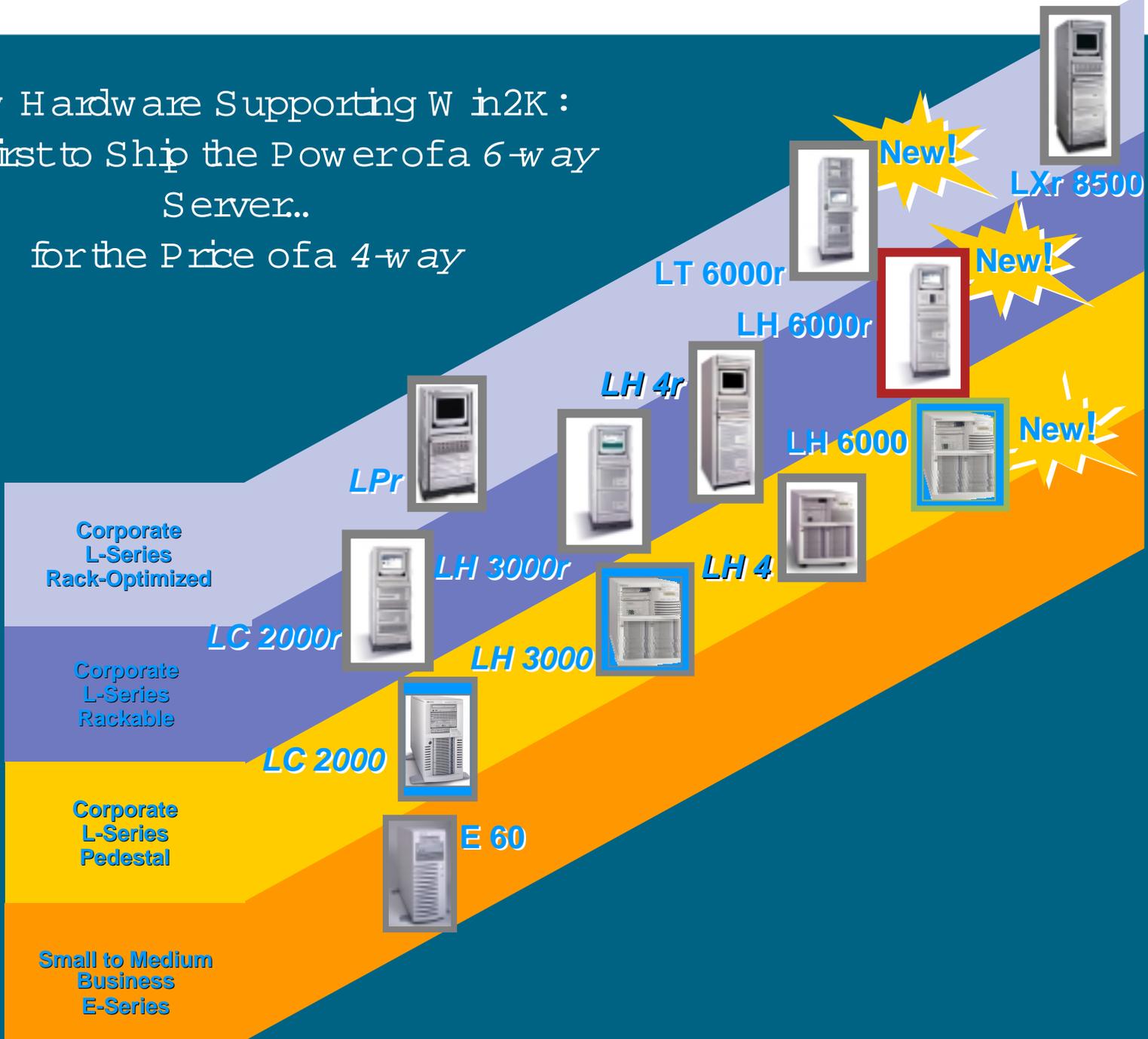


Scalable clusters

Scale Out

- ✓ Windows 2000 Server – for businesses of all sizes
- ✓ Windows 2000 Advanced Server – e-Commerce, LOB
- ✓ Windows 2000 Datacenter Server – highest scalability
- ✓ Automatic Optimizations
- ✓ Cost-effective Growth
- ✓ Investment Protection

New Hardware Supporting Win2K :
 HP First to Ship the Power of a 6-way
 Server..
 for the Price of a 4-way

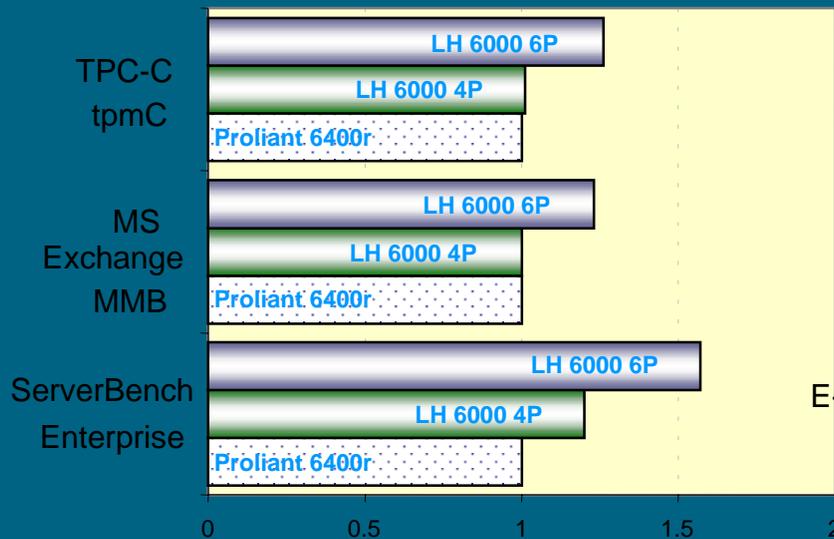


Faster than a Proliant 6400

More Powerful than a Sun E 450

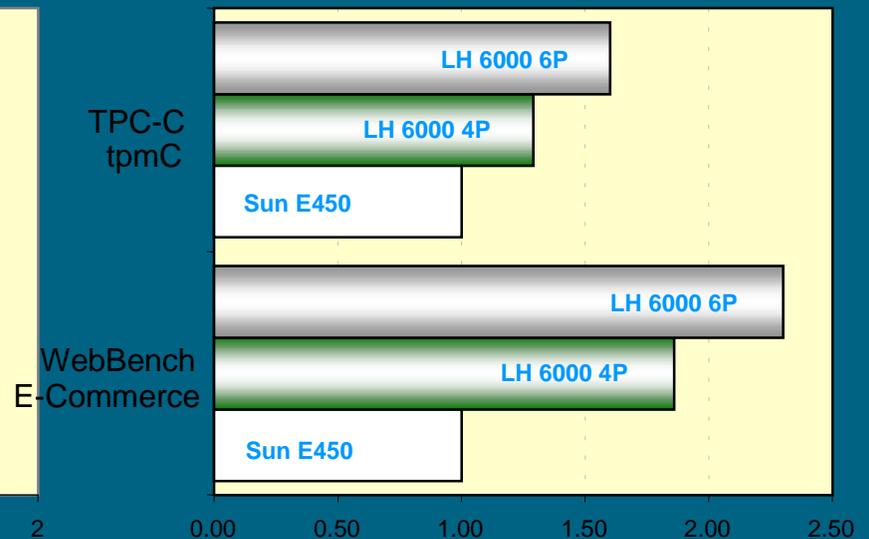
ZD Labs Test Results

LH 6000 Performance Relative to Compaq ProLiant 6400r



Compaq Proliant 6400r 4-way,
Pentium III Xeon 550MHz 1MB L2 cache,
1 GB RAM, 10 9GB disks

LH 6000 Performance Relative to Sun Enterprise 450



Sun Enterprise 450 4-way,
Ultra SPARC II 400MHz 4MB L2 cache,
4 GB RAM, 10 9GB disks

HP NetServer LH 6000 and LT 6000r

Highlights

HP NetServer LH 6000

HP NetServer LT 6000r

Number of Processors	Up to 6 Intel PIII Xeon Processors	
Memory Type	PC-133 SDRAM	
Maximum Memory	8 GB	
Bus Speed	100MHz	
I/O Slots	All 64-bit Slots; Two 66MHz Slots	
Network Interface Card	Integrated 10/100TX	
Hot Swap Internal Storage	216 GB (6x36GB)	72 GB (4x18GB)
Number of Hot Swap Hard Drive Bays	12 Front Accessible	4 Front Accessible
Number of I/O Slots	8 PCI (4 Hot-Plug PCI)	6 PCI (Hot-Plug PCI)
NetRAID Controller	Integrated dual channel, 64-bit wide Ultra2 SCSI expandable to 128MB	Integrated dual channel, 64-bit wide Ultra2 SCSI expandable to 128MB
Rack Density	8U	4U (60 processors in 2 meter (40U) rack)

Customer Choice

Why Qwest chose the
6-way HP NetServer System

Similar profile to the HP NetServer LH 6000 customer but . . .

- **Space is a major concern**
 - Data center environments where space is expensive and limited
 - Rack density is a critical factor
- **Bullets on customer environment and how server met those challenges**
- **Customer Quote**

HP NetServers Innovation

Enabling External Storage



NEW!!

Storage Area Networks

- HP SAN Manager Software for Storage Management
- **HP SureStore Tape Backup Solutions**
- HP SureStore E Disk Array XP 256 for Server/Storage Consolidation
- Disk Arrays at Lower Price Points to be Supported in H2-2000
- **HP SureStore E Disk Array FC 60 for Mainstream SAN Configurations***

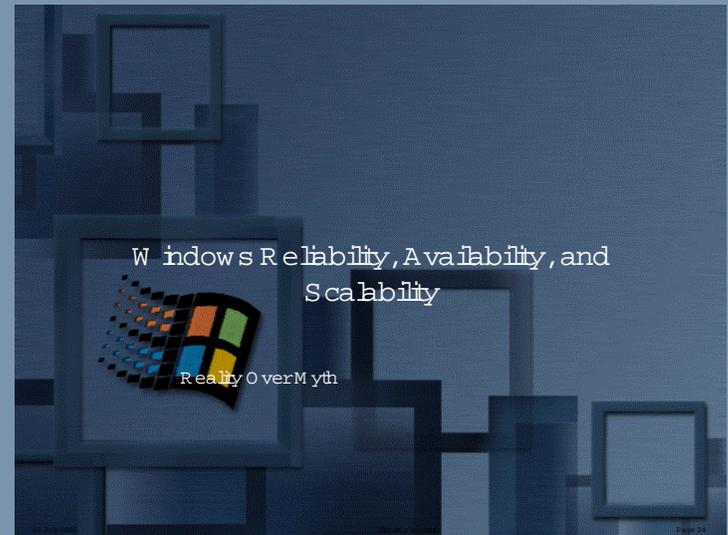
HP NetRAID 4M

- **High-Performance, Maximum Availability RAID Controller for Critical Enterprise Applications**
- **4-Channels, Wide Ultra3 SCSI, 64-128MB Cache**

*HP SureStore E Disk Array FC 60 available in May 2000

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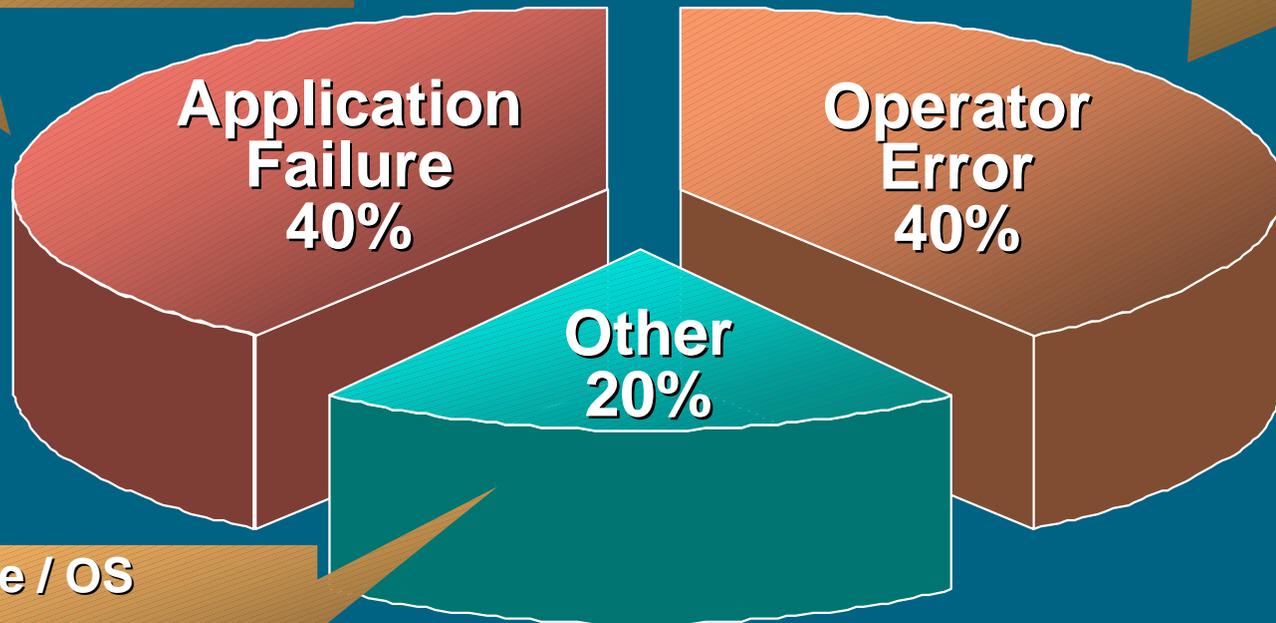
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Causes of Downtime

- Untested
- Change Management
- Overloaded
- Weak Problem Detection

- Forget Something
- Lack of Procedures
- Backup Errors / Security



- Hardware / OS
- Network
- Power and Disaster

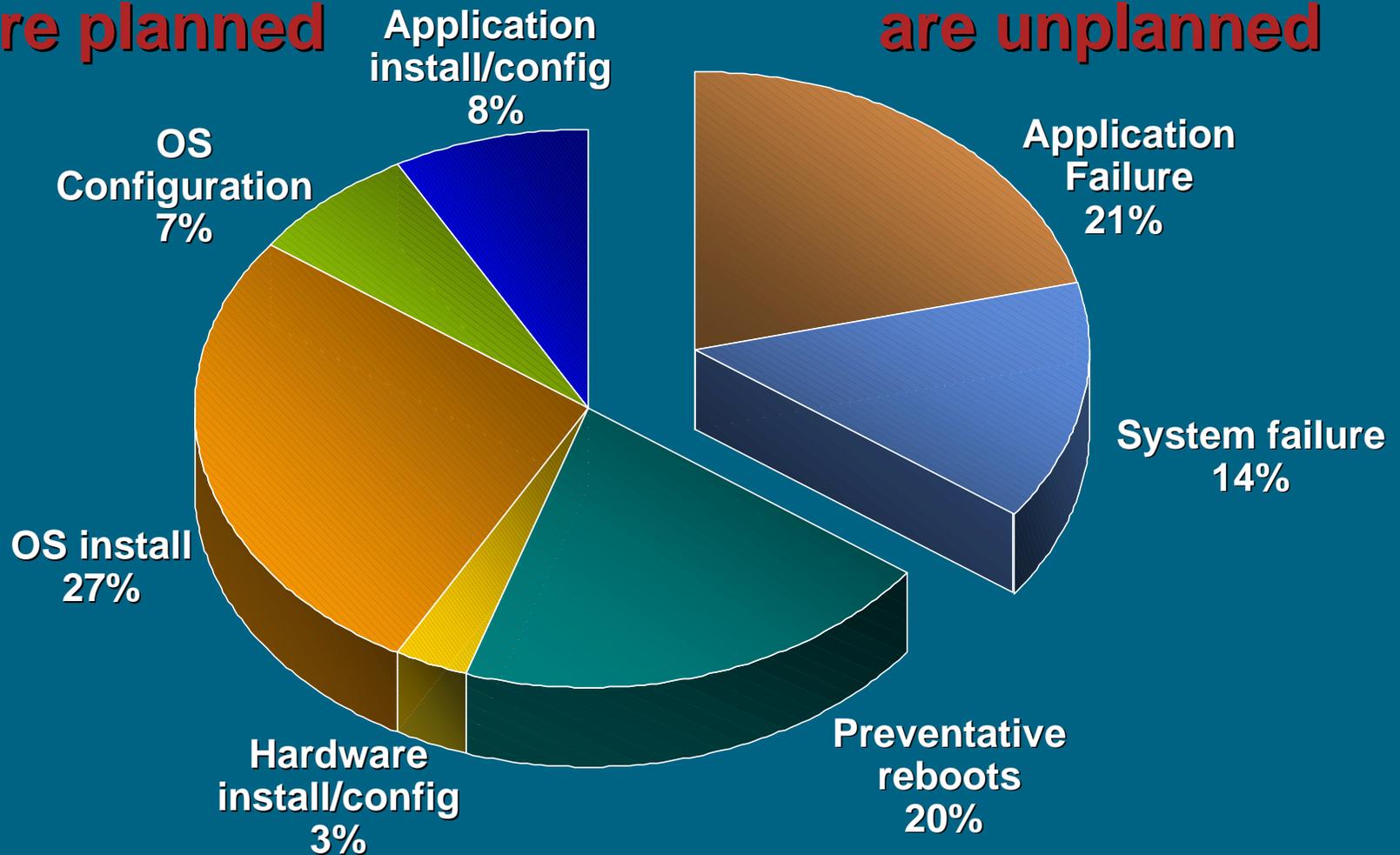
Gartner Group, 1998

Delivering high availability takes people, process, and technology

NT4 Server Reboot Causes

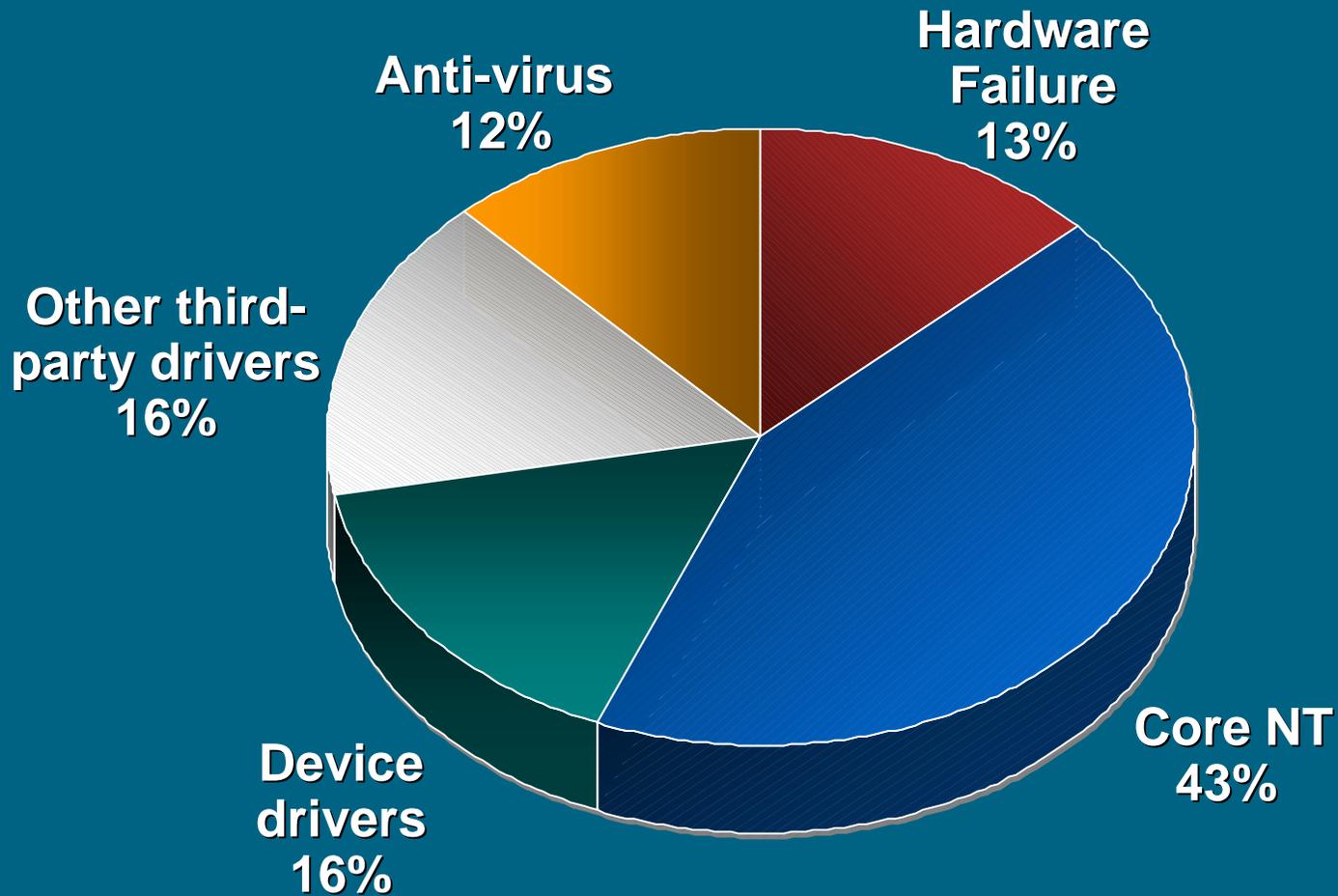
65% of outages are planned

35% of outages are unplanned



Source: One site, 1,180 servers, 9/1/98-5/7/99, SP3/SP4

NT4 System Failure Causes



Source: Sample from PSS Incidents: NT Server 4.0 8/5/96-4/7/98

Evaluating High Availability

Can Compare

- Mean Time to Failure (MTTF)
 - Reduce by design & test of hardware & software
- Mean Time to Recover (MTTR)
 - Reduce by using failover mechanisms (e.g., clustering)

Can't Compare

- Hardware vs. Application availability
 - Switch hardware fails too, but redundancy ensures non-stop operation
- Desktop environment vs. Datacenter environment
 - Windows NT prevalent in BOTH

HP Critical Systems Support for Windows Servers

Reactive Services: "Fix it fast"

Hardware Call to Repair

- Ensures hardware repair completion (not just response commitment) within 6 hours.
- Coverage for HP, Compaq and Dell PC servers
- Immediate engagement of an HP engineer with hardware, software, and network expertise, immediate response from a certified resolution engineer
- Specialized parts inventory
- Up-front server audit to obtain key system information and inventory

Priority Software Recovery

- 24x7 software support, unlimited calls
- BackOffice support is now included
- Immediate access to highest-level software engineers
- End-to-end problem ownership
- Priority Escalation to Microsoft with time based commitments for workarounds, hot fixes and permanent patches
- Access to HP/Microsoft virtual lab: HP Support staff onsite at Microsoft

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Proactive Services: "Keep it running"

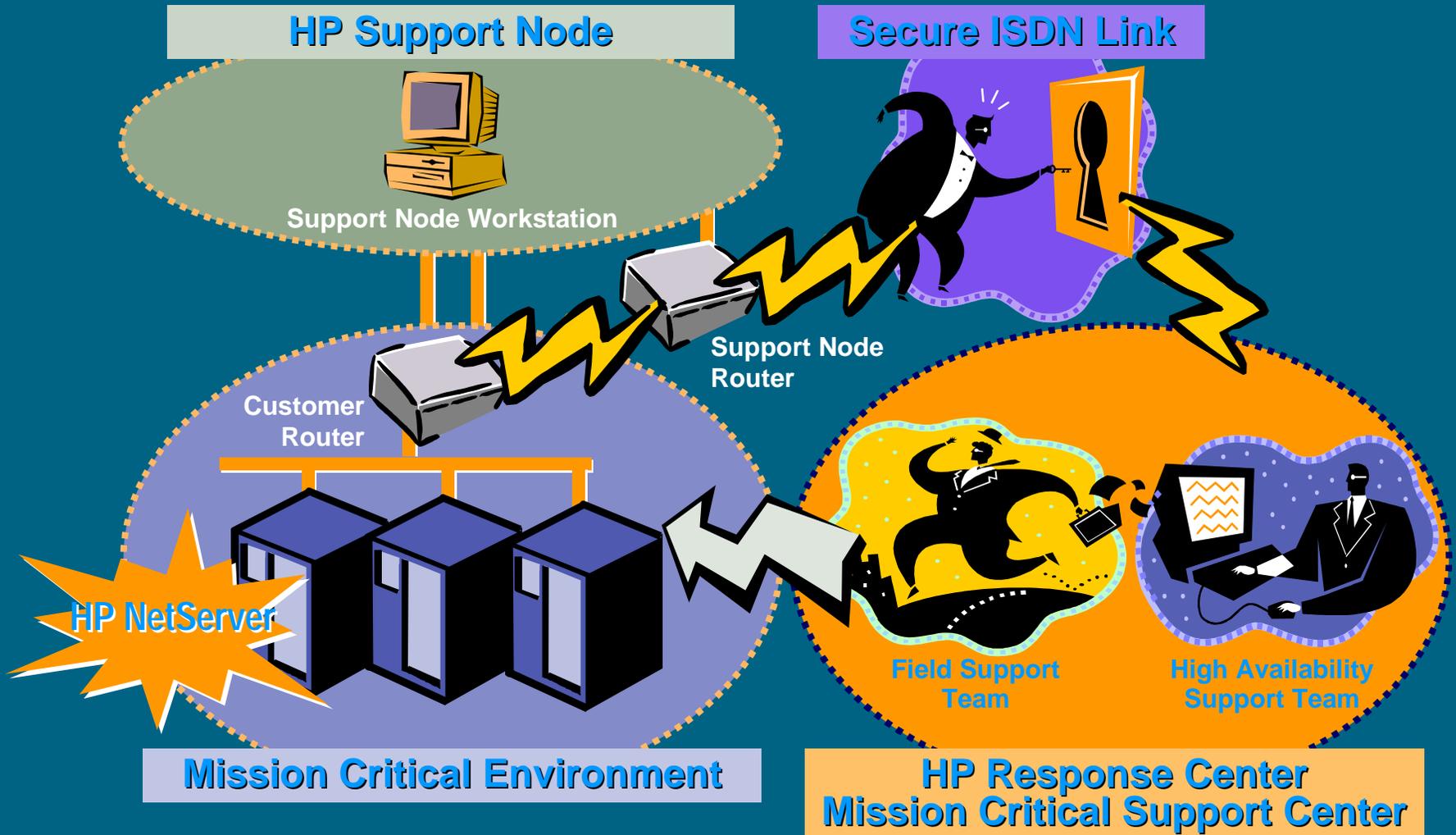
Priority Management

- Assigned Account Support team -- Account Support Plan
- Quarterly availability reviews with recommendations—including three months of problem analysis, availability tracking, and reporting
- Anticipatory problem monitoring, detection, and notification
- Proactive patching and proactive notification of critical problems
- Detailed, documented ServicePack briefings on Windows and BackOffice
- ServicePack recommendations unique to your environment

Operations Check-up

Assessment of availability readiness and identification of downtime risks
Evaluates technology, operations processes, staffing, and physical environment
Recommendations for readiness improvements, best practices and service offerings

HP High Availability Observatory



Hardware and O/S MCSS

- Hardware: 99.9% up to 99.999%
- <http://www.hp.com/go/AssuredAvailability>
- urlCSSG

Hardware and Software

- Windows System Family Reliability Support Features
 - ✓ Microsoft Cluster Services
 - ✓ Load Balancing Services (W LBS)
- Windows 2000 Enhanced Reliability
 - ✓ Dependability Enhancements
 - ✓ Windows 2000 Advanced and Datacenter Server
 - ✓ Plans to extend Windows 2000 Datacenter server to Support 64-bit Addressing.

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Factors affecting Scalability / Reliability / Availability

- Public Perception
- Hardware and Operating System
- Application Solution / Architecture
- Operational Procedures

Factors affecting Availability

- Architecture

- Scalability and Availability are inter-related
 - Architecture decisions affect availability of system (scale up vs. scale out)
- System Design and Operation
- Development environment
 - Visual Studio tools are tuned for Rapid Application Development (RAD)
 - Defaults must be overridden by skilled developer to leverage high availability features

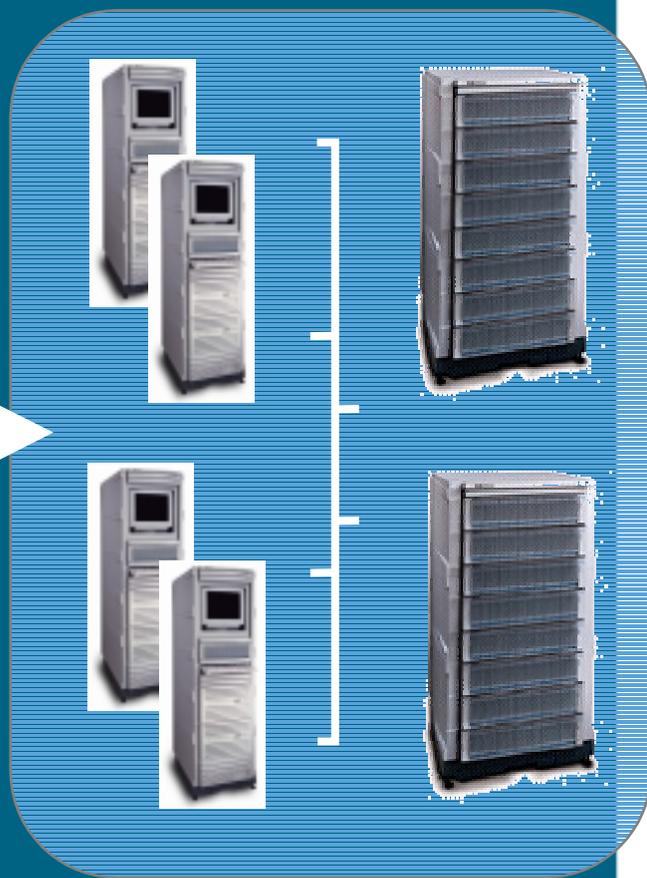
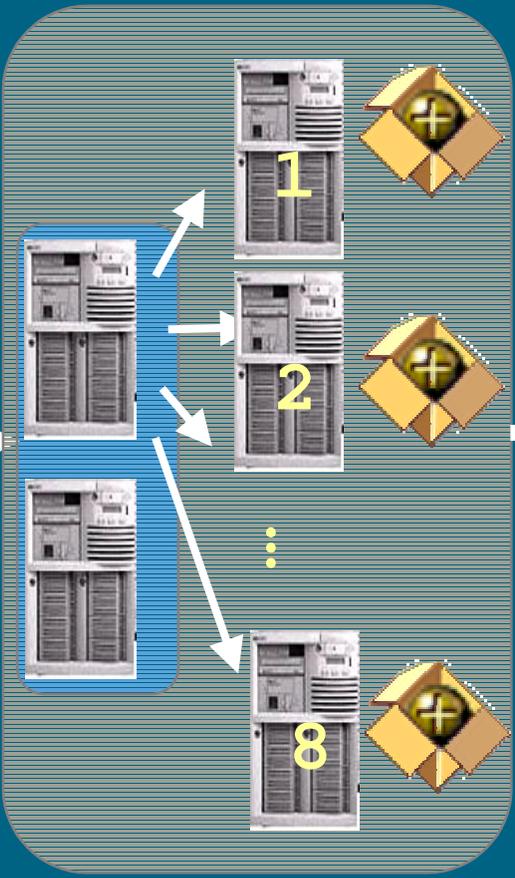
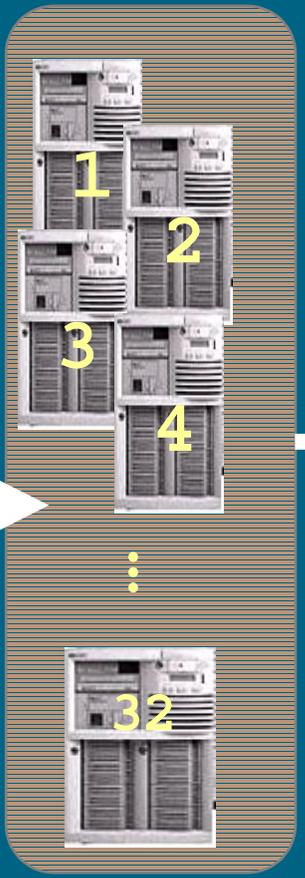
Scaling "out"

Clients

Network Load Balancing

Component Load Balancing (COM+)

Cluster & Storage Service

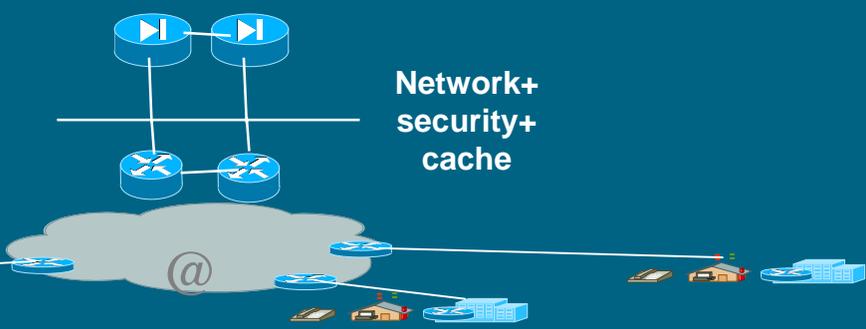
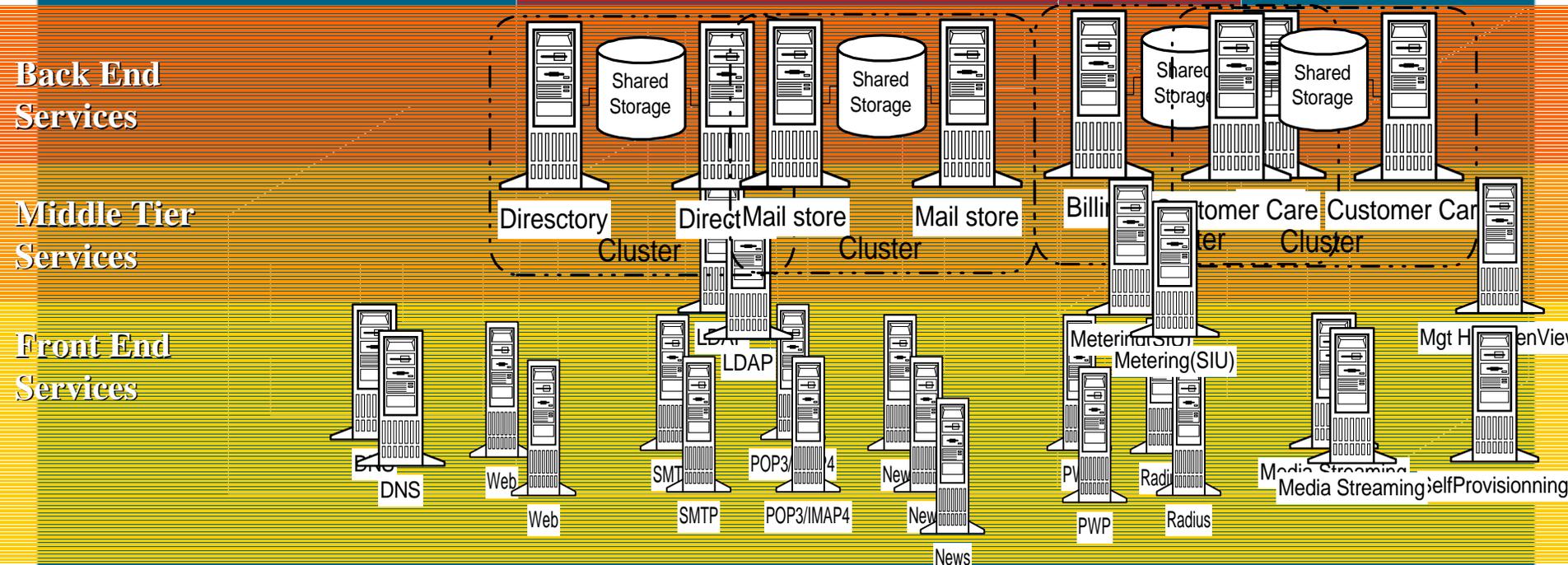


IS Web Server
or other IP based services

COM+ Components
Application Servers

Data Servers
SQL, Exchange, File

xSP dataCenter Physical Architecture

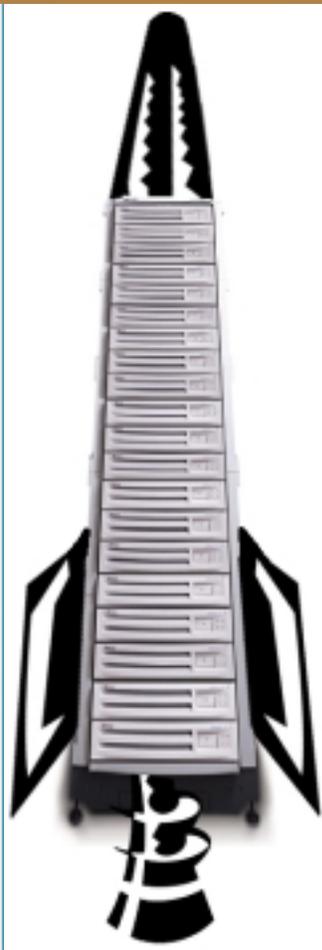


Smart Design and Operation

- Design for needs of Business Application
 - Redundant hardware
 - Redundant data
 - Use queues for inter-server communication
- Proactive Management and Monitoring Infrastructure
- Investigate Failures and Perform Root Cause Analysis

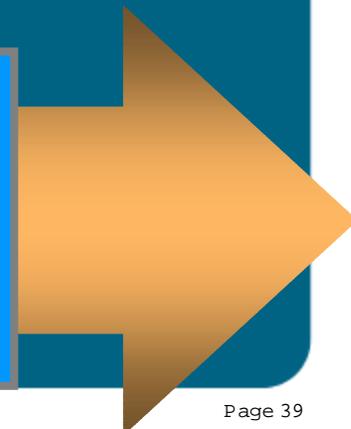
Achieving Internet Scale

Two Complementary Approaches



**Scale Out via
“farms” of servers**

**Scale Up
via bigger
individual
servers**



Windows 2000 Reliability Improvements

- Eliminated most configuration reboots. 25 reboot classes have been eliminated
- Driver Verifier and Driver Improvements reduces the potential source of failures
- File System Enhancements and File Protection
- Faster Problem Recovery
- High Availability White Papers
 - <http://www.microsoft.com/ISN/hottopic/highavailability.asp>
 - <http://www.microsoft.com/windows2000/library/howitworks/management/reliability.asp>

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Management Challenges

Customers

Description

Desktop Management

- ◆ User focused
- ◆ Goal: Reduce desktop visits,
- ◆ Barriers: user control, mixed environments

Network Management

- ◆ Device focused
- ◆ Goal: Reduce wiring closet visits
- ◆ Barriers: multiple points of failure, no end-to-end view of network

Data center Management

- ◆ Data focused
- ◆ Goal: Reduce server visits
- ◆ Barriers: distributed data and servers

Windows Administration

- Easy Yet Powerful Management Capabilities Built into Windows NT Server 4.0
- Broad Industry Support for Add-on Management Applications for the Windows Platform
- Windows 2000 Server and AppCenter Enhance Management
- Vantage Point for SP

Windows NT Server 4.0

- Microsoft Management Console
- Microsoft Instrumentation (WMI)
- Management Task Automation Through Scripting
- Group Policy Management

Common Instrumentation

- Windows Management Instrumentation
 - Common access and control mechanism
 - Maps all standard and proprietary management protocols into a single scheme
 - Remote interface for centralized management
 - Simple instrumentation model for application developers
 - Instrumentation modeled in Common Schema (DMTF CIM v2.0)

Presentation: Comm on UI

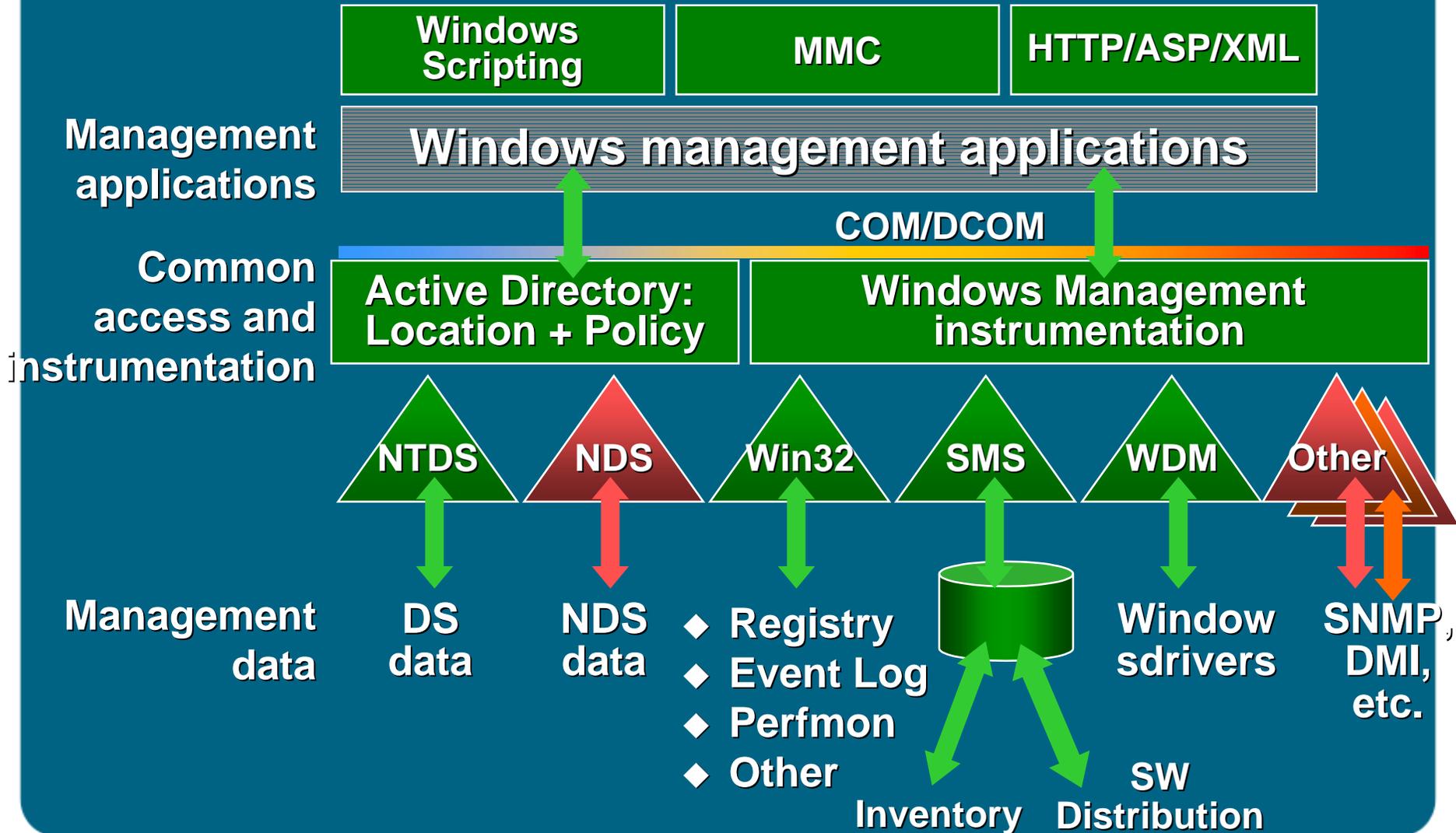
- Microsoft Management Console
 - MMC is a comm on console for NT5 and SMS adm inistration
 - MMC supports Win32 Snap-ins and web pages
 - MMC should be used to provide an interface for the adm inistrator to m anagem ent functions
 - The heavy lifting form anagem ent should be done by the Standard M anagem ent Tools and Comm on Services
- XML
 - XML should be used to provide web-based adm inistration tools

Presentation : Scripting

Windows Scripting Host

- Scripting has been problematic in the past
 - Batch commands too limited
- Pick your scripting language :
 - VBScript
 - JavaScript
 - PERL
 - Others (that support Windows Scripting Host)
- Windows 2000 and NT offer script management that customers need today

Windows 2000 Management



Introducing AppCenter

- New products as part of Windows DNA services for middle-tier applications
- Full management of applications on the middle tier
 - Management framework for the many parts of today's web applications from business logic to web server config
 - Availability through monitored applications and services on redundant arrays of servers
 - Scalability through component load balancing, and management of http-based load balancing on arrays of servers
 - Controlled deployment from the development workstation through stages, to the production environment and across arrays of servers
 - Application load testing tools for functional and load verification testing
 - Analysis tools for capacity, business flow, application usage, and performance

Why Appcenter?

- Difficult to manage applications, which are comprised of many different pieces
- Difficult to bring application from development to production
- Difficult to monitor applications for proactive management
- Difficult to scaling applications beyond a single machine
- Difficult to test applications as would consumers of that application

AppCenter – 1.0

- Single Application Image
 - Ability to manage all parts of a Windows 2000 web-based application as a single unit (IIS 5/COM +1 applications)
- Deployment
 - Replication moves applications from development and staging to production and across an array of servers
- Monitoring
 - Using WMI and HealthMon 2.1, applications and services can be monitored for proactive fault detection and automated recovery
- Availability
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