



The Network Matters for IP Storage

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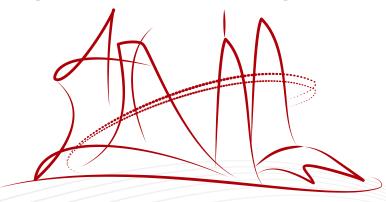
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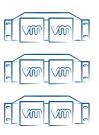
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# Market Context - Storage Networking



# The Trends Driving Storage





Higher SLAs



Storage Will Continue to Grow

TBs to PBs



SSD Changes Everything

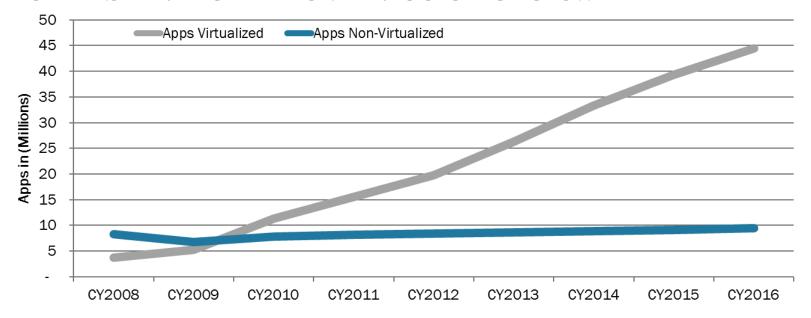
Ultra Low-Latency



Is Your Storage Network Ready?

# Virtualization Is Driving Shared Storage

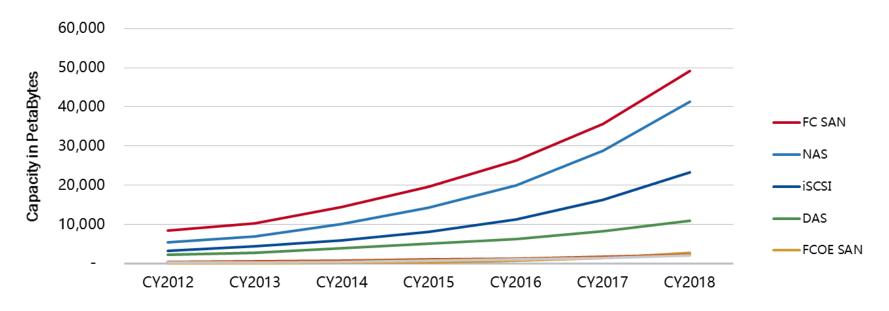
#### HIGH DENSITY VIRTUALIZATION DRIVES STORAGE GROWTH



### 100% of V-Mark Top 20 use Fibre Channel



# Enterprise Storage Capacity Continues Unabated



IDC's FC SAN Storage Forecast = 40% CAGR (2014/2018)

### **Customer Pain Points**

The network matters for storage

### Manage Growth



Growth of storage and business-critical workloads is accelerating

### Mitigate Risk



Requirements for 100% availability and reliability are increasing

#### **Reduce Costs**

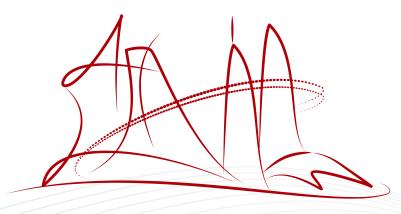


Infrastructure complexity and management costs are growing



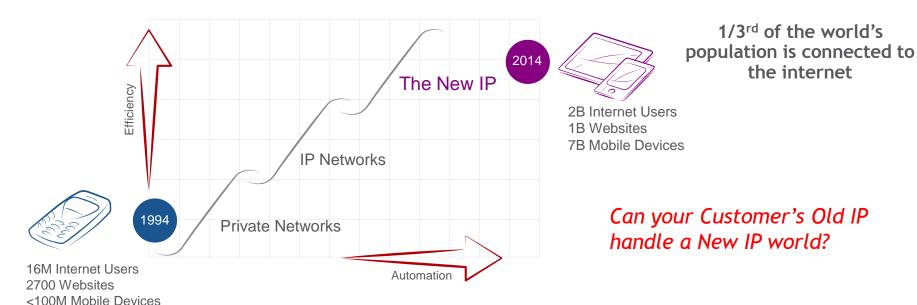


# Market Context - The New IP



### The New IP

#### The Foundation for the Digital Business

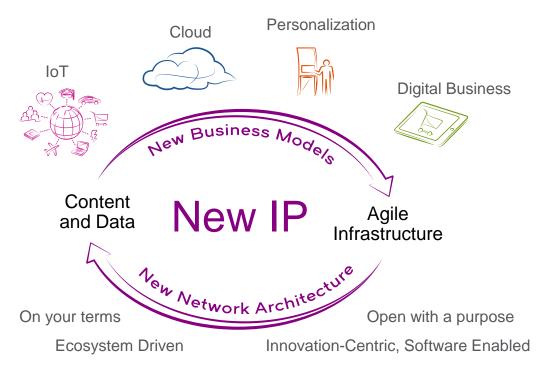


Our industry runs on 20 year innovation cycles, and we are on the forefront of the next wave, now is the time to embrace the new IP in order to improve business agility

# The New IP Accelerates Service Delivery, Data Access, and Innovation

#### From

- Proprietary
- · Hardware Devices
- Manual
- Silo'd Ops
- High Cost
- Slow Innovation

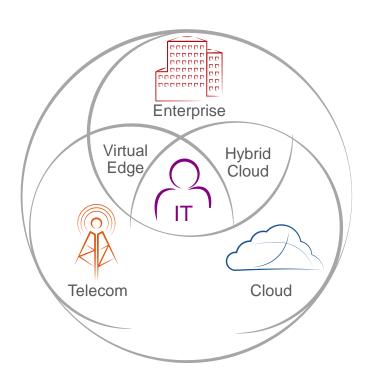


#### To

- Open
- Software-enabled
- Automated
- True Democracy
- Optimized Costs
- Fast Innovation

# The Data Center is Everywhere & Anywhere

Pick where services are hosted based on business rules not vendor limits



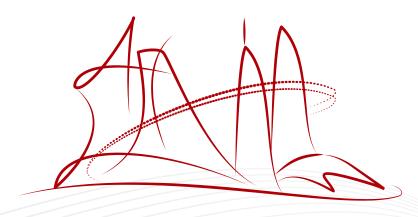
The boundaries of the data center disappear with the New IP, enabling:

- Management and movement of data across public and private cloud resources
- Anytime, anywhere, any device access to your applications and data
- Consistent policy enforcement across federated environments
- User self-service=immediate time to value
- Centralized security control
- Optimized user experience





# Brocade IP



### Brocade ICX Portfolio

Portfolio of stackable switches

#### **Brocade ICX 7750**

Aggregation/Core

#### Brocade ICX 7250 Entry-level+



Brocade ICX 6430/6450 Entry-level+



### Brocade ICX 7450 Midmarket



Switch Port Extender

### Brocade ICX 6610 High-Performance



High-Performance

Mixed Stacking

## Lay New IP Foundation with Ethernet Fabrics

Begin New IP journey with confidence, cut costs, and increase agility

Enable VCS Fabric technology, and move low-priority virtualized workloads and gain confidence in:

Native automation

 Zero-touch provisioning

Deploy VDX SDN-

alongside existing

ready switches

architecture

- Virtual machine awareness
- Centralized management

Deploy all new workloads on VCS Fabrics As legacy equipment retires, replace with VDX/VCS Optional: Deploy Brocade Vyatta controller to begin testing SDN capabilities

#### **Revolutionary Results**

- Sunpower:
  - Deploy apps 92% faster
  - Reduced Capital costs by 50%
- Singing River Healthcare
  - Cut EHR login 50%
  - Improved EHR performance
  - Able to move VMs in minutes vs. days and w/out downtime
- Both:
  - Reduced Operational costs by 50%
  - Teams focus more on strategic projects



# **VDX Product Positioning**

COMPLETE BREADTH OF PORTFOLIO

SPINE

LEAF

VDX 6940





VDX 6740 Family



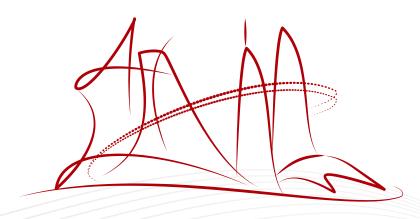
1G/10G/10GBase-T Optimized w/ 40G uplinks 10G/40G Optimized w/ 100G uplinks

10G/10GBase-T/40G/100G optimized modular system





# The Road Ahead



# Advancing the Fibre Channel Industry

Brocade technical leadership drives technology advancements

- Brocade announces commitment to develop new SAN solutions based on Gen 6 Fibre Channel industry standard
  - Gen 6 Fibre Channel standards well underway
- Brocade is leading an industry consortium within the OpenStack community to develop open source software
  - Simplifying the orchestration of Fibre Channel resources in cloud architectures
  - Leading the proposal committee for zone management









### Software-defined Networking in the Data Center

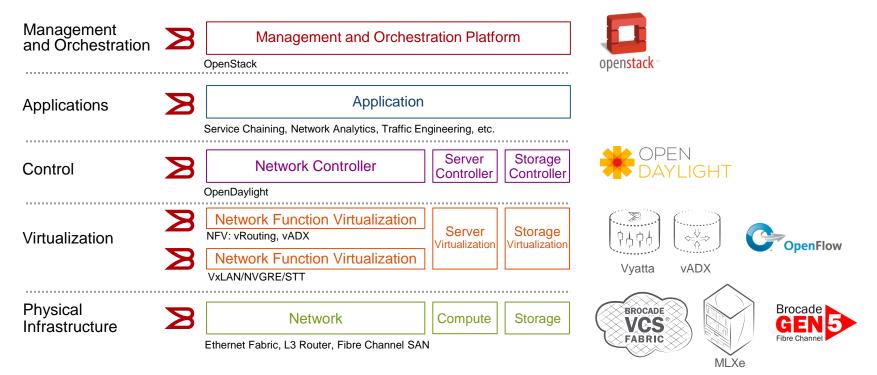
NEW LEVELS OF AUTOMATION, AGILITY AND INNOVATION





### Data Center of the Future

Brocade Strategy: Optimized to Lead the Transformation





**BREAK THE STATUS QUO:** 

# THINK BIG. START NOW.

Brocade and the New IP.



