



Cisco Unified Data Center

Business Transformation with Cisco UCS

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“A good hockey player plays where the puck is. A great hockey player plays where the puck is going to be.”

Wayne Gretzky – One of Hockey’s greatest

Focus on Top 5 Cisco Priorities



Core
routing, switching,
services, including
security & mobility



Collaboration



**Data Center/
Virtualization
and Cloud**



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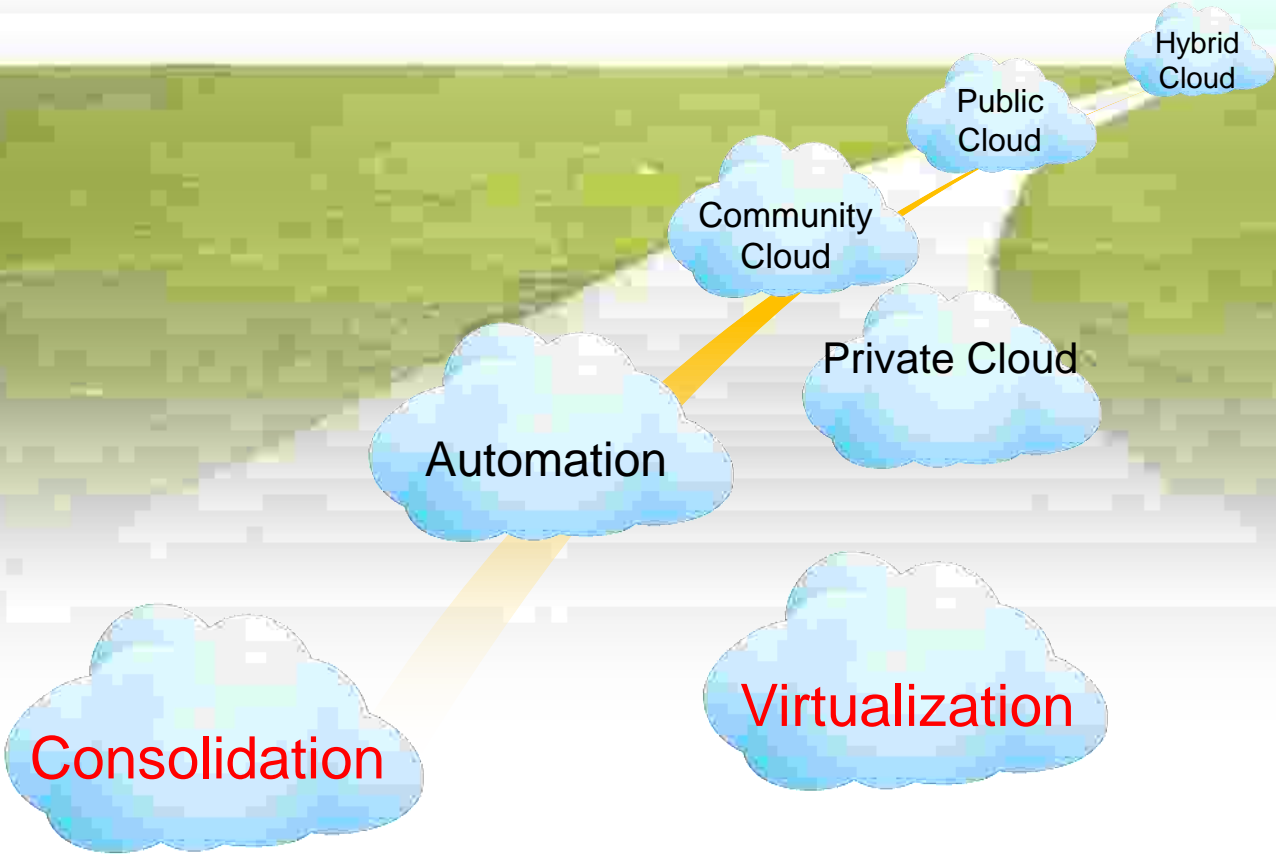
**Architectures
for Business
Transformation**



Today's Business Drivers.....

- Reduce CapEx / OpEx:
 - Reduce Hardware Costs**
 - Lower Management cost**
- Increase Profitability
- Improve Service Delivery
- Mitigate Risks:
 - Eliminate Unplanned Downtimes**
 - Meet Compliance Standards**
 - Prevent Data Loses**

Enabling The Cloud Computing Journey



Virtualization Benefits

- Some key benefits:
 - Maximizes utilisation of resources**
 - Elasticity and Faster provisioning**
 - High Availability and Failover capabilities**
 - Server portability**
- Virtualization is **not** limited to servers and OS
 - Network virtualization (VLANs, VPNs, MPLS)**
 - Storage virtualization (VSAN, LUNs ..etc)**
 - Application virtualization (Streaming)**
 - Desktop virtualization**

Virtualization Challenges

LAN/SAN Dependency

- **Server Virtualization is Highly Dependent on the Network**
“LAN and SAN”
- **Workload mobility (i.e. Vmotion) requires All servers to have SAN connectivity**
- **Workload mobility requires High Performance LAN access layer**
- **Workload mobility required Scalable L2 Domains**
- **The Virtual Networking Challenge : `who owns the virtual Network**

Our Solution : Cisco's Unified Data Center

The Platform for Delivering IT as a Service



UNIFIED COMPUTING

Modular, Stateless
Computing Elements



UNIFIED FABRIC

Highly Scalable,
Secure Network Fabric



UNIFIED MANAGEMENT

Automated
Resource Management
(Physical and Virtual)

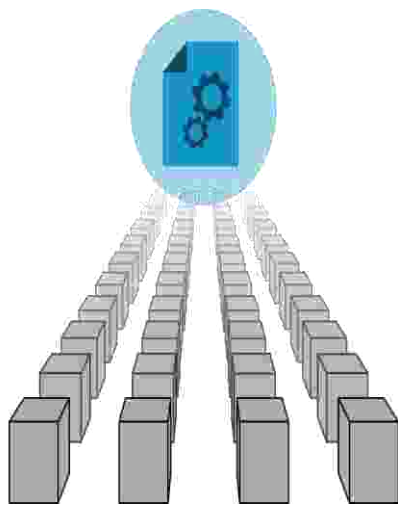
FLEXIBLE

RESILIENT

SECURE

SCALABLE

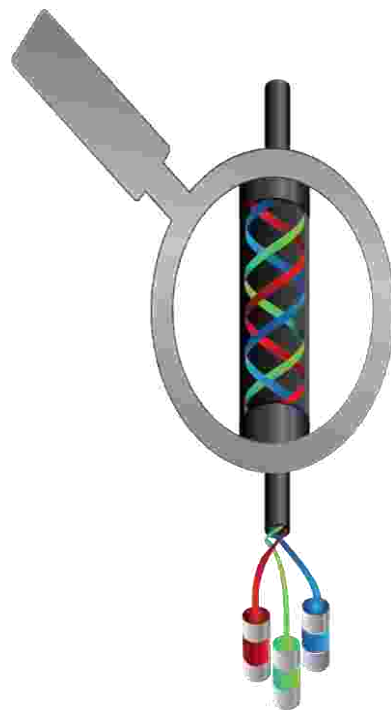
Unique Design of Cisco UCS Automates and Reduces Complexity



APPLICATION CENTRIC

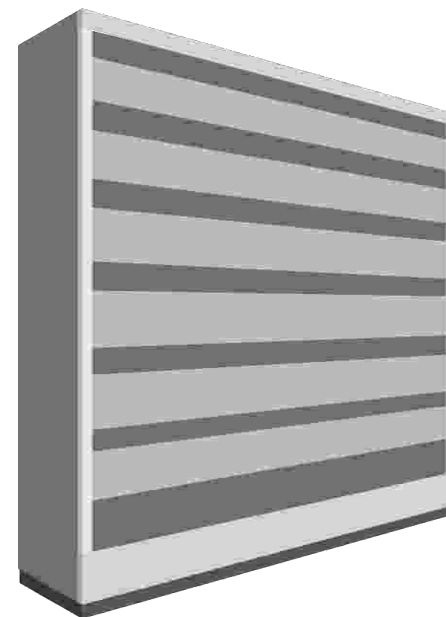
UCS Manager Service Profiles define server identity for rapid deployment.

Treat hardware like software



CISCO SINGLECONNECT TECHNOLOGY

One connection for LAN, SAN, and management.
Physical and Virtual Rack and Blade



SINGLE UNIFIED SYSTEM

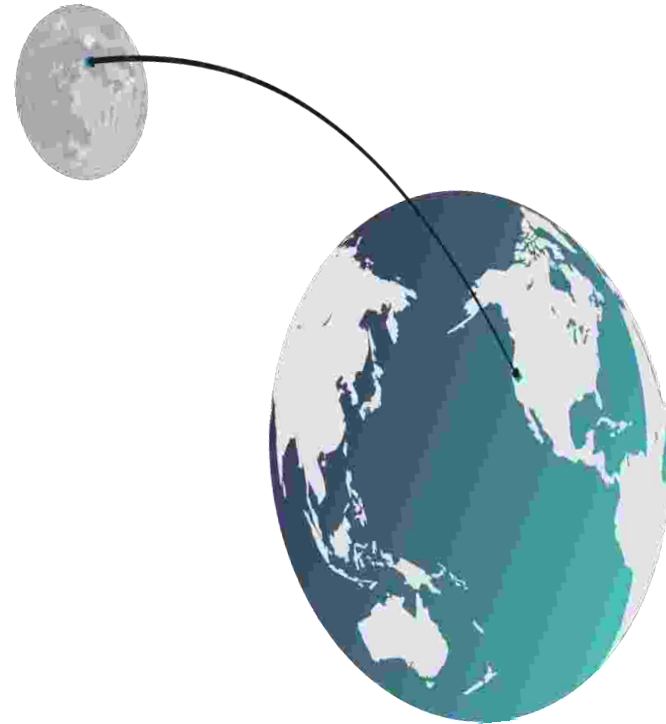
Designed from the ground up to integrate computing, networking, storage access and virtualization for greater operational simplicity

If Cisco UCS Had Been Deployed in Every Data Center Over the Last 5 Years



**221 Years of Admin
Time**

could have been saved by
deploying UCS blade servers

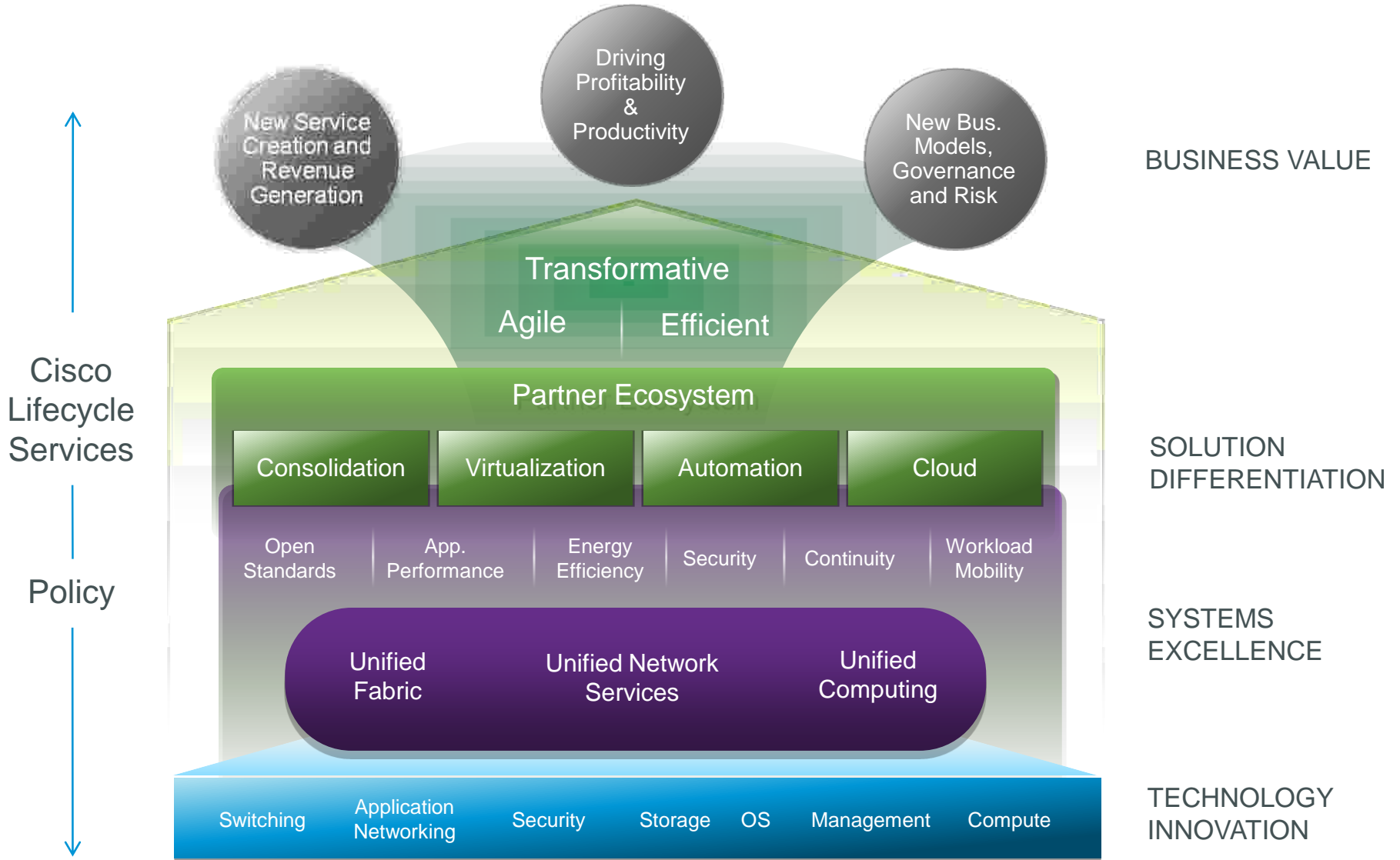


238,900 Miles

of cables could have been
saved by deploying UCS
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SingleConnect

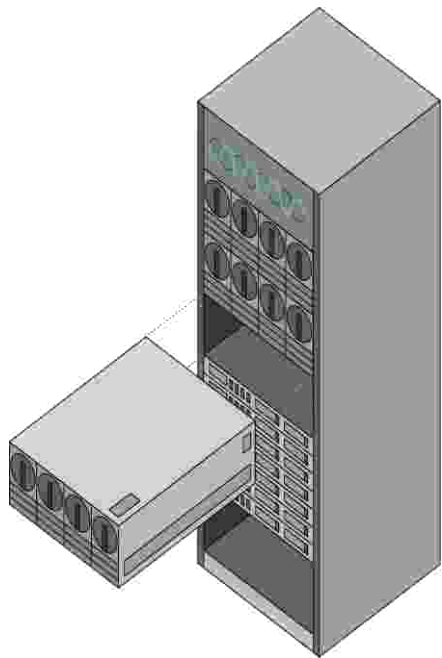
Data Center Business Advantage

Application | Network | Security | Storage | OS | Management | Compute



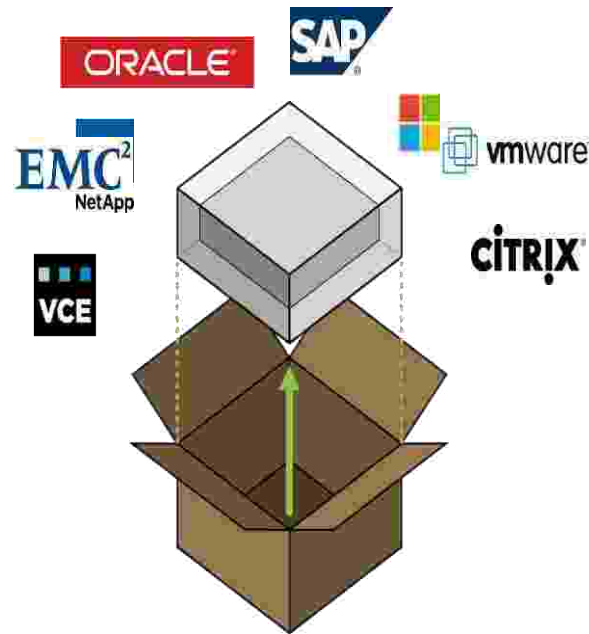
Cisco UCS – Evolutionary and Revolutionary

Operational Simplicity



GROWS WITH YOUR APPLICATIONS

Single point of management eliminates complexity as you add capacity



VALIDATED INTEGRATED SOLUTIONS

Speeds your deployment and reduces risk

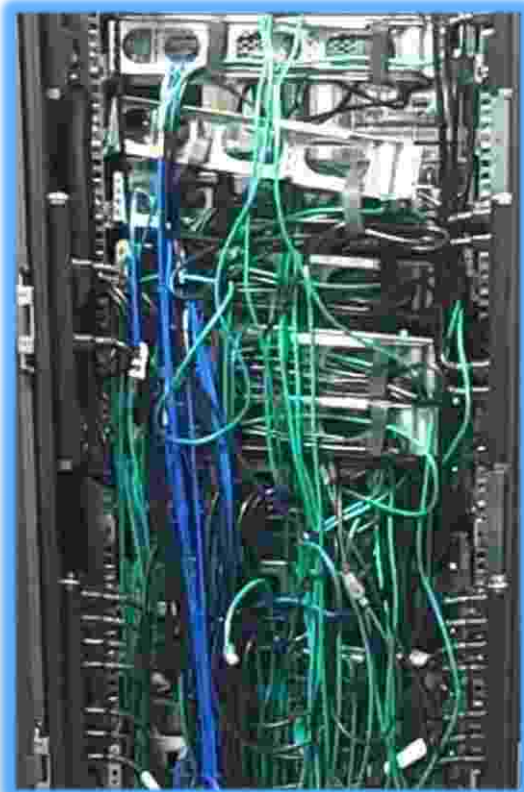


OPEN API

Automation ready for Virtualization and Cloud, deep integration with industry-standard tools

From Cabling to Your Data Center Organization – UCS Simplifies

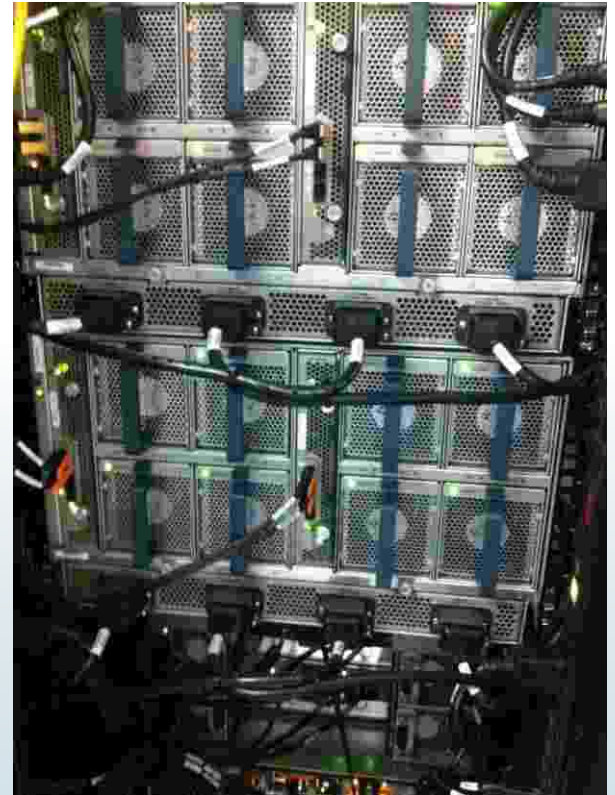
What does your data center organization look like?



From ad hoc and inconsistent...



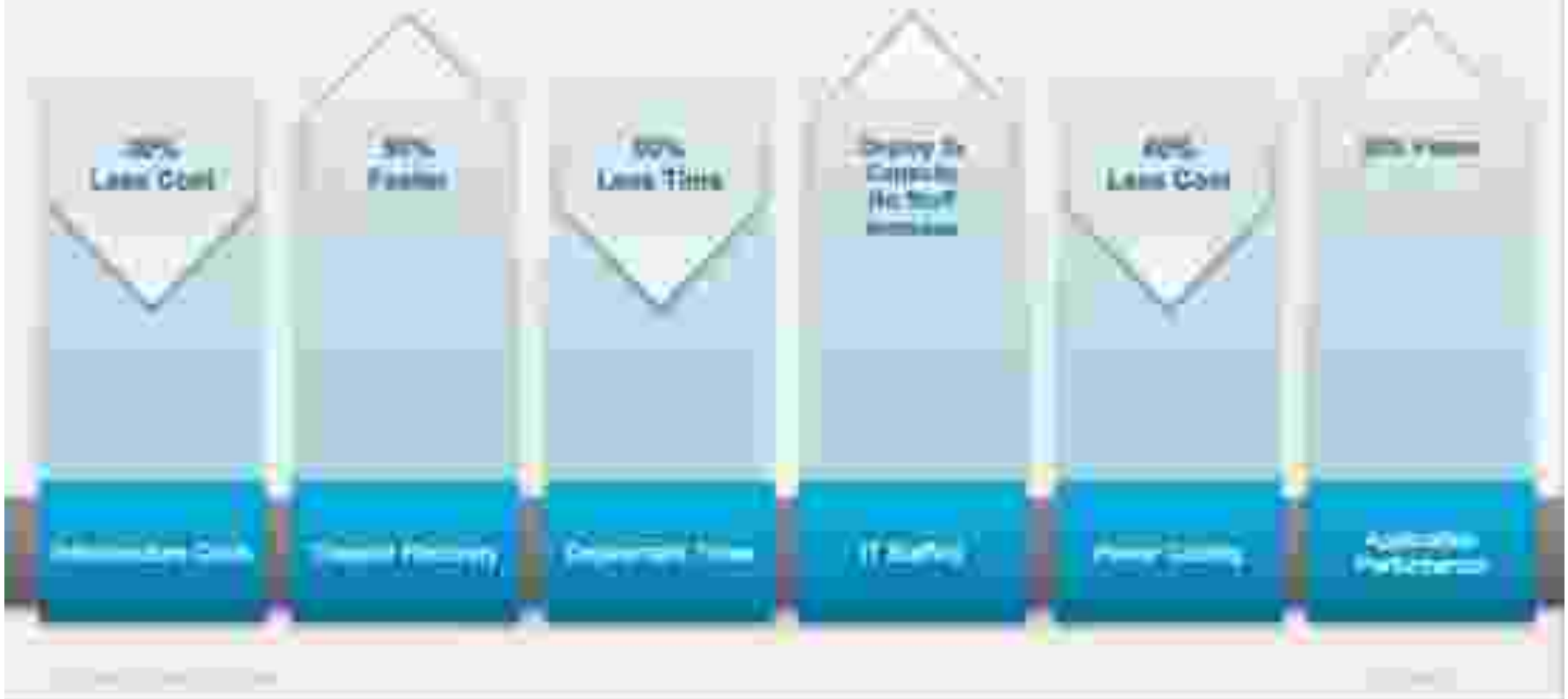
...to structured, but siloed, complicated and costly...



...to simple, optimized and automated

Cisco Unified Data Center

Changing the Economics of the Data Center





UCS Success Story.....

Cisco UCS - A Market Leader in Just 5 Years



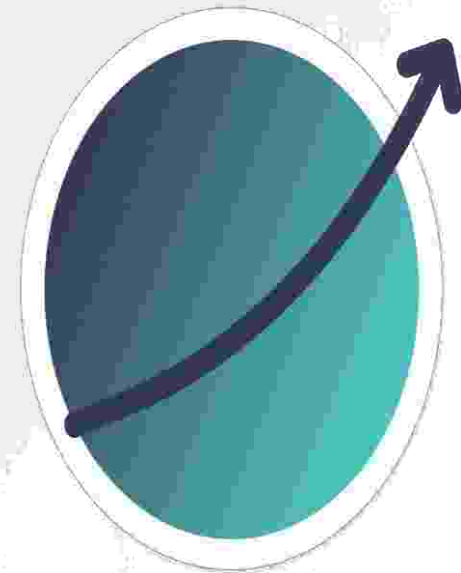
45,000 Cisco UCS Customers, 85% of Fortune 500 Customers



120 Industry Performance Records Achieved¹



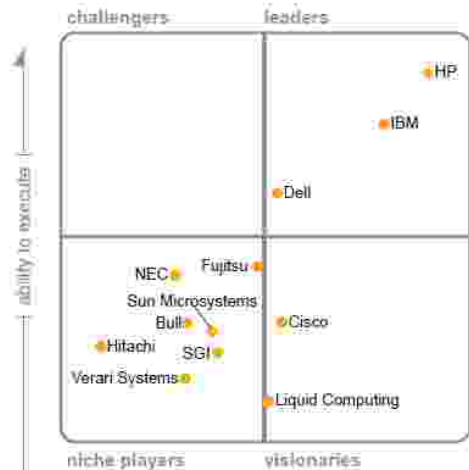
From Unknown to Universal



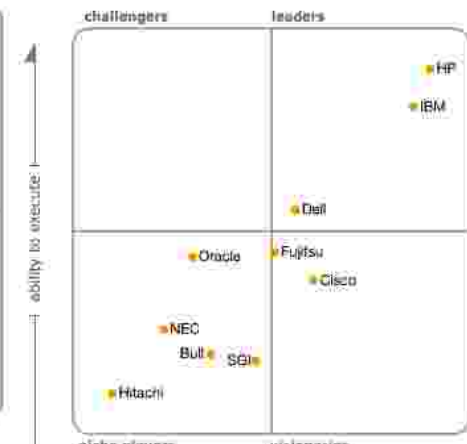
#2 Worldwide in the Blade Server Market, Leader in Gartner Magic Quadrant¹

Gartner Magic Quadrant – Blade Servers Market Cisco UCS Evolution

2009



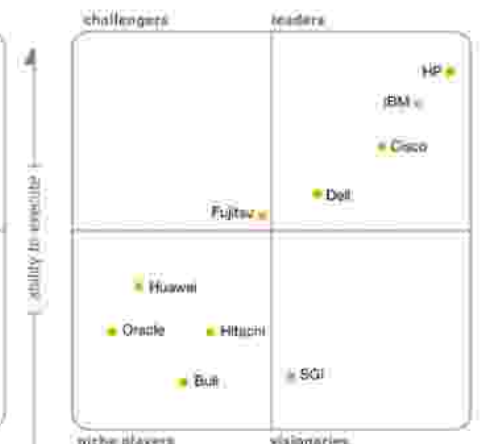
2011



2012



2013



Source: Gartner (October 2009)

Source: Gartner (January 2011)

As of January 2011

As of March 2012

As of April 2013

Overview GARTNER 2013

Gartner has published the 2013 Blade Server Magic Quadrant. **Cisco UCS is in the Leader quadrant for the second consecutive year and has dramatically risen in that category. In 2012 UCS was just over the Leader line and in 2013 the Cisco dot has been placed nearly half way up the Leader Quadrant significantly closing the gap between established leaders HP and IBM.** HP dropped down in the Quadrant and IBM did slightly move up on HP...more likely because HP dropped rather than any market disruptive moves by IBM.

Cisco Unified Computing System

Fastest Growing Product in the Market

#1 Americas revenue market share in x86 blades ¹

43,800+ UNIQUE UCS CUSTOMERS ²

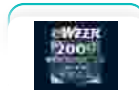
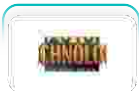
Top 5 Server Vendor ¹

\$3B+ Data Center Annualized Revenue Run Rate ²

More than **85%** of all **Fortune 500** customers have invested in UCS

3,770+ UCS CHANNEL PARTNERS

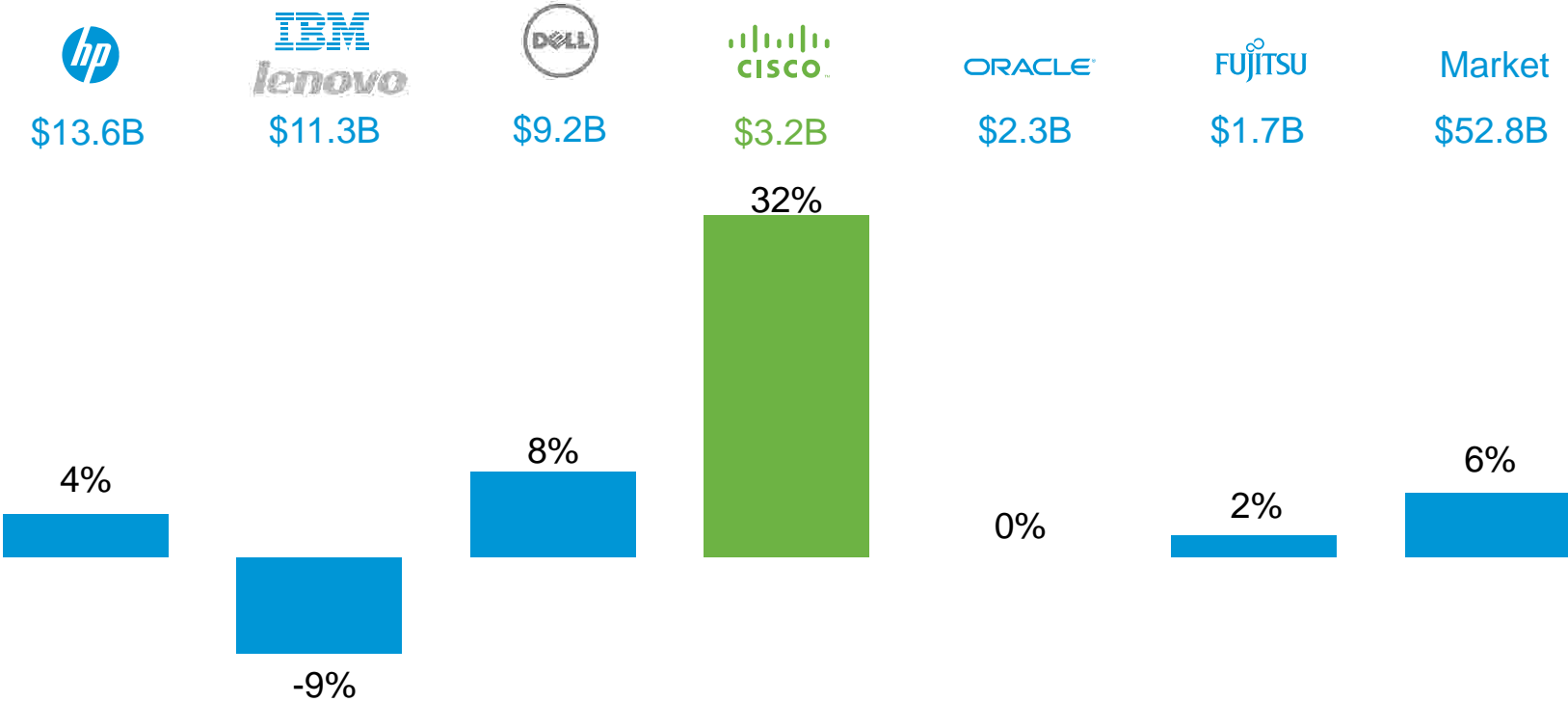
120 world record performance benchmarks to date



Source: 1 IDC Worldwide Quarterly Server Tracker, 2014Q4, March 2015, Vendor Revenue Share
Source: 2 As of Cisco Q4FY14 earnings results Data Center Revenue is defined as Cisco UCS and Nexus 1000V

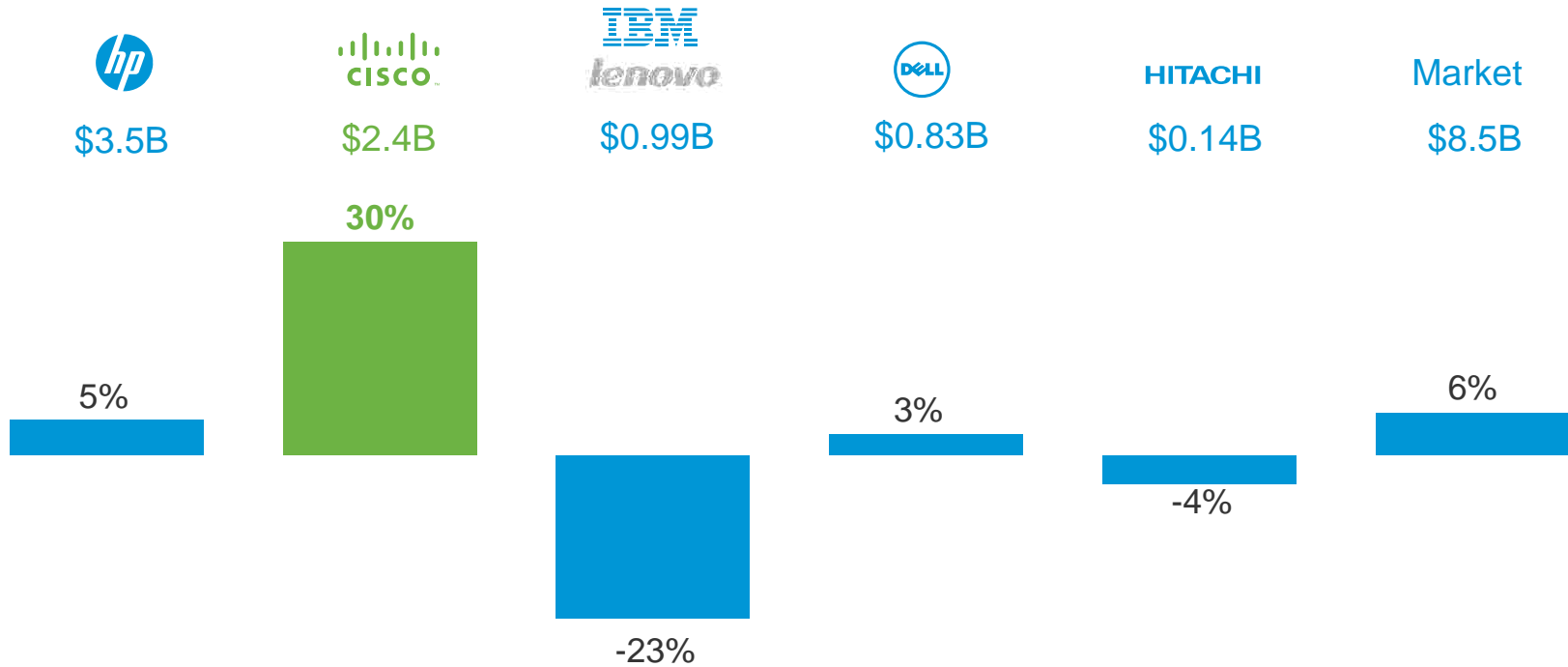


Cisco UCS Leading Overall Server Growth (Y/Y)



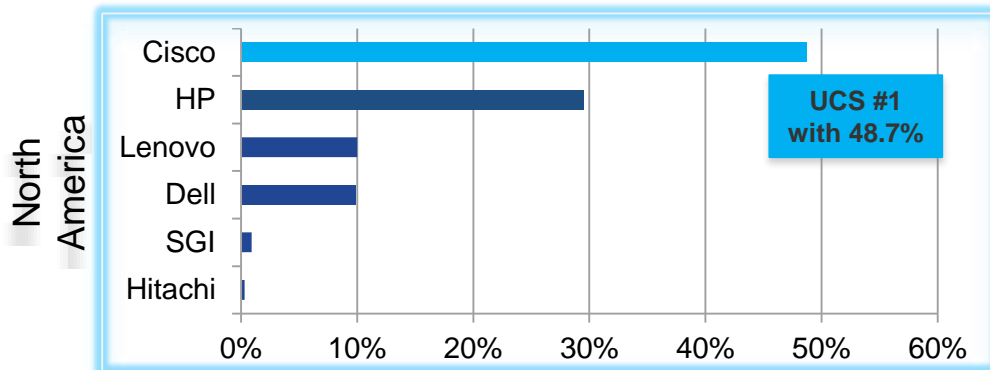
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Cisco UCS Leading X86 Blade Server Growth (Y/Y)



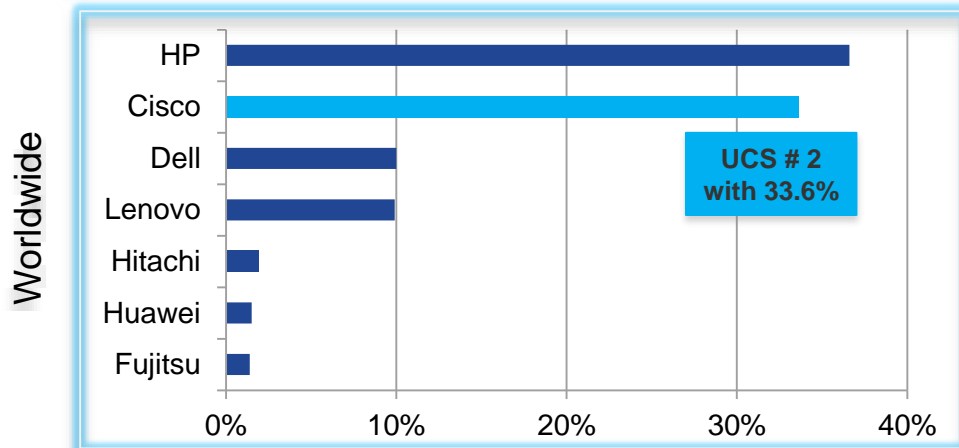
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X86 Server Blade Market Share CY 2015 Q1



#1 in North America for CY15Q1 (48.7%), growing revenue 47% YoY1

#2 Worldwide for CY15Q1 (33.6%)¹ growing revenue 41% YoY1



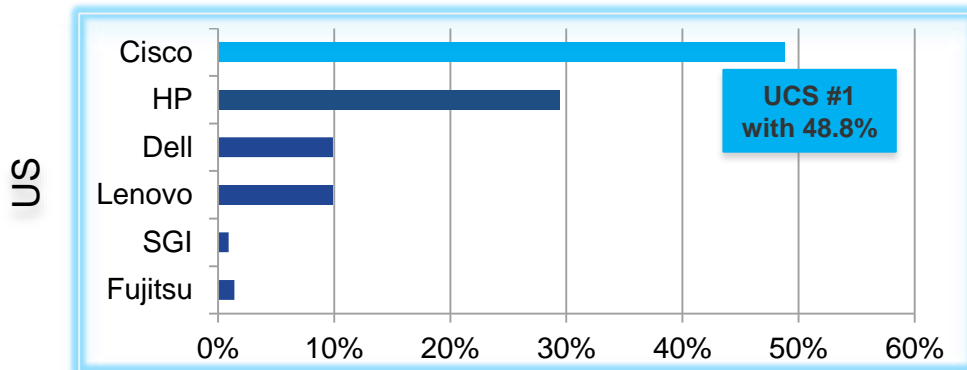
UCS momentum

43,800+ Unique Customers

20,800+ Repeat Customers

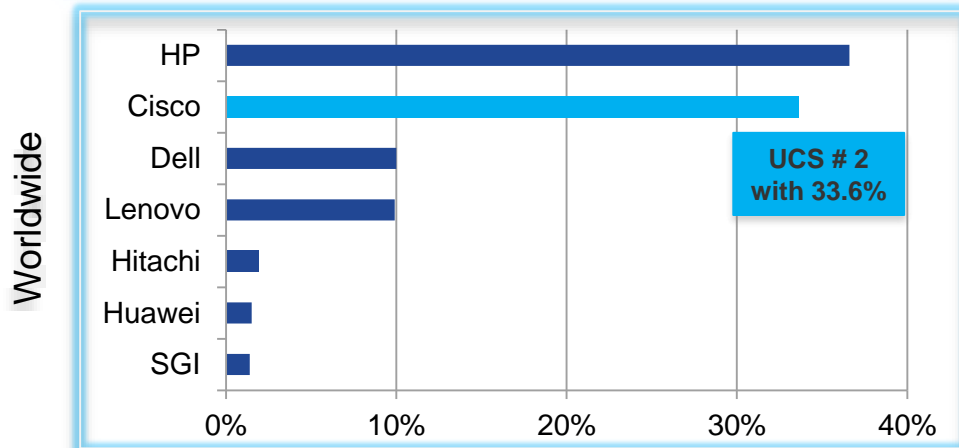
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X86 Server Blade Market Share CY 2015 Q1



#1 in US for CY15Q1 (48.8%), growing revenue 49% YoY1

#2 Worldwide for CY14Q1 (33.6%)
growing revenue 41% YoY1



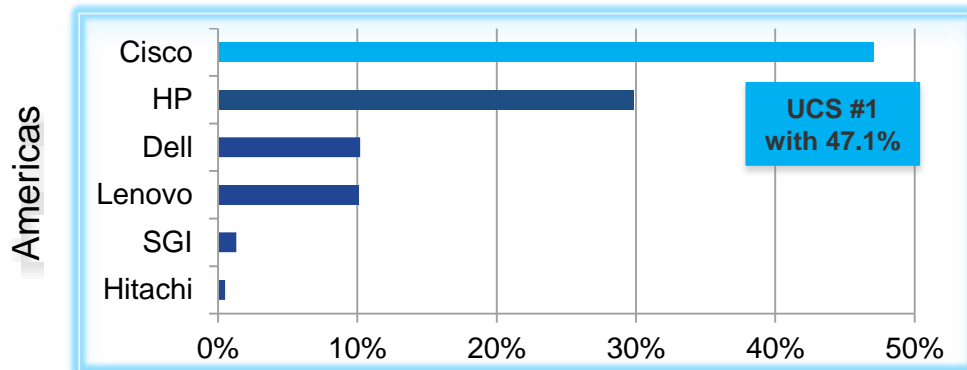
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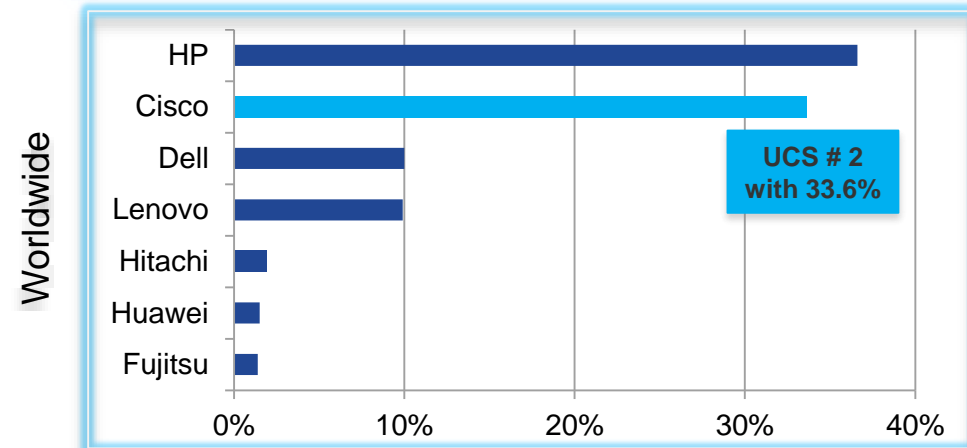
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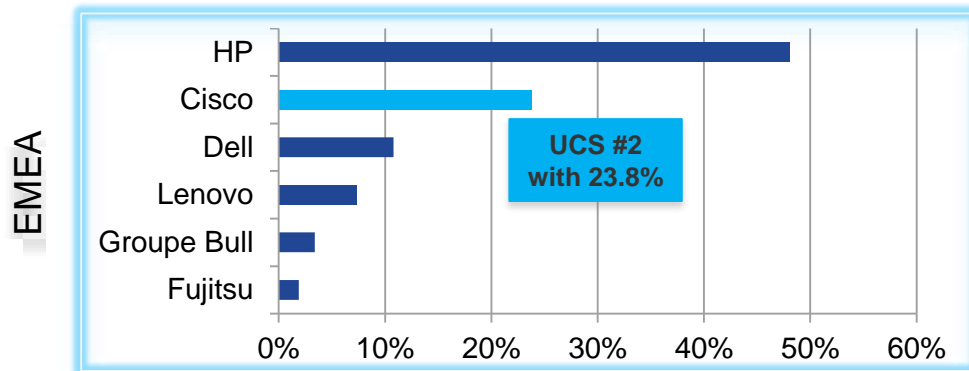
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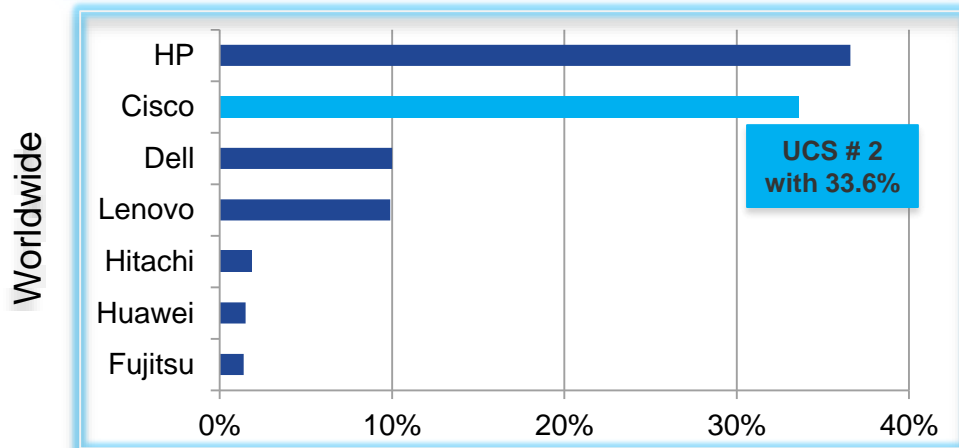
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X86 Server Blade Market Share CY2015 Q1



#2 in EMEA for CY15 Q1 (23.8%),
growing revenue 38% YoY1

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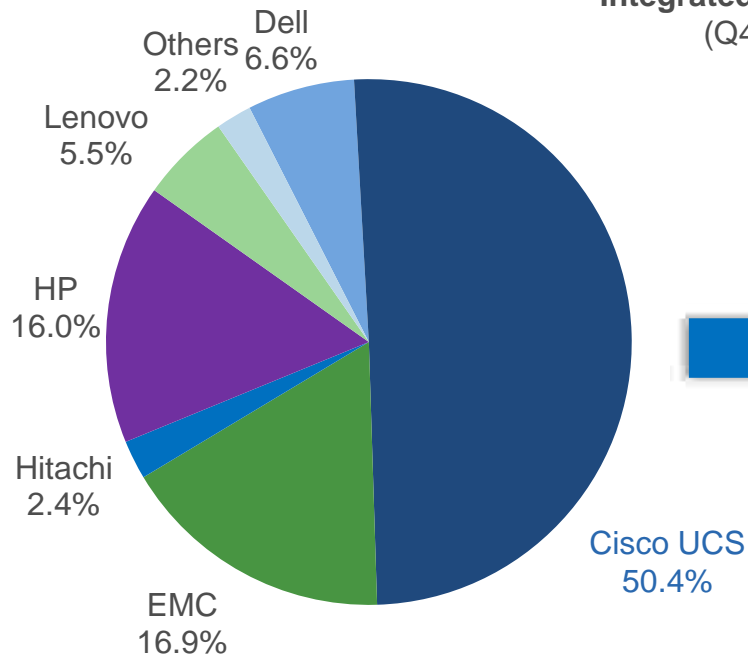
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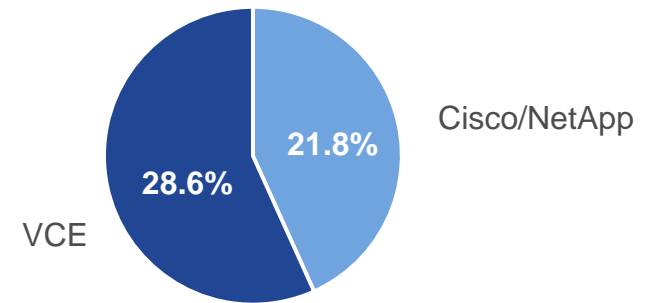
Cisco UCS: Foundation for Integrated Infrastructure

Cisco is #1 and a Partner in ~50% of All Integrated Infrastructure Solutions

Integrated Infrastructure Market Share
(Q4 2014 vendor revenue)



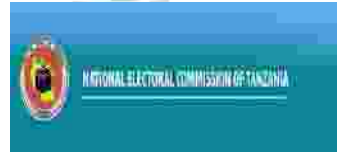
With Cisco UCS



Cisco is exclusive in the top 2 solutions – Vblock and FlexPod

Source: IDC Worldwide Integrated Infrastructure & Platforms Tracker Q4 2014 Vendor Revenue

UCS Customers in Africa



Looking after your interest!





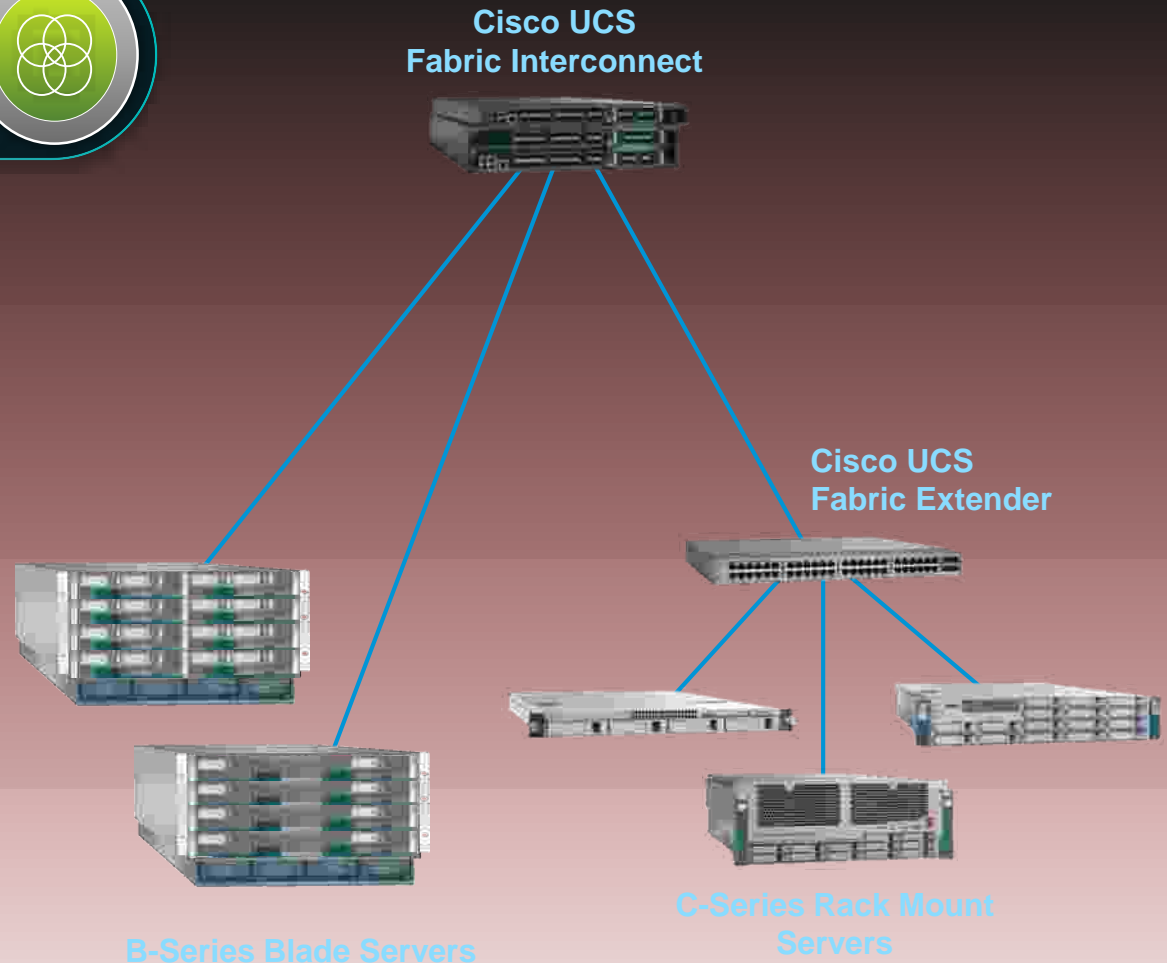
UCS Portfolio.....

Many Form Factors, One system

Single Unified System



- Rack and Blade form factors in a common resource pool
- Self Integrating System
- Add capacity without complexity



UCS Building Blocks

UCS Manager
Embedded in FI (B-Series Servers) or
Within C-Series Server



CIMC

UCS Fabric Interconnect
UCS 6200 48/96 Unified Ports

UCS 6248/6296



UCS Fabric Extender
4-Port and 8-Port 10Gb FCoE

UCS 2204



UCS 2208



**Nexus
2xxx**



UCS Blade Server Chassis
Flexible bay configurations

UCS 5108



UCS Blade or Rack Server
Industry-standard architecture

UCS B-Series Blade Servers



UCS C-Series Rack Servers



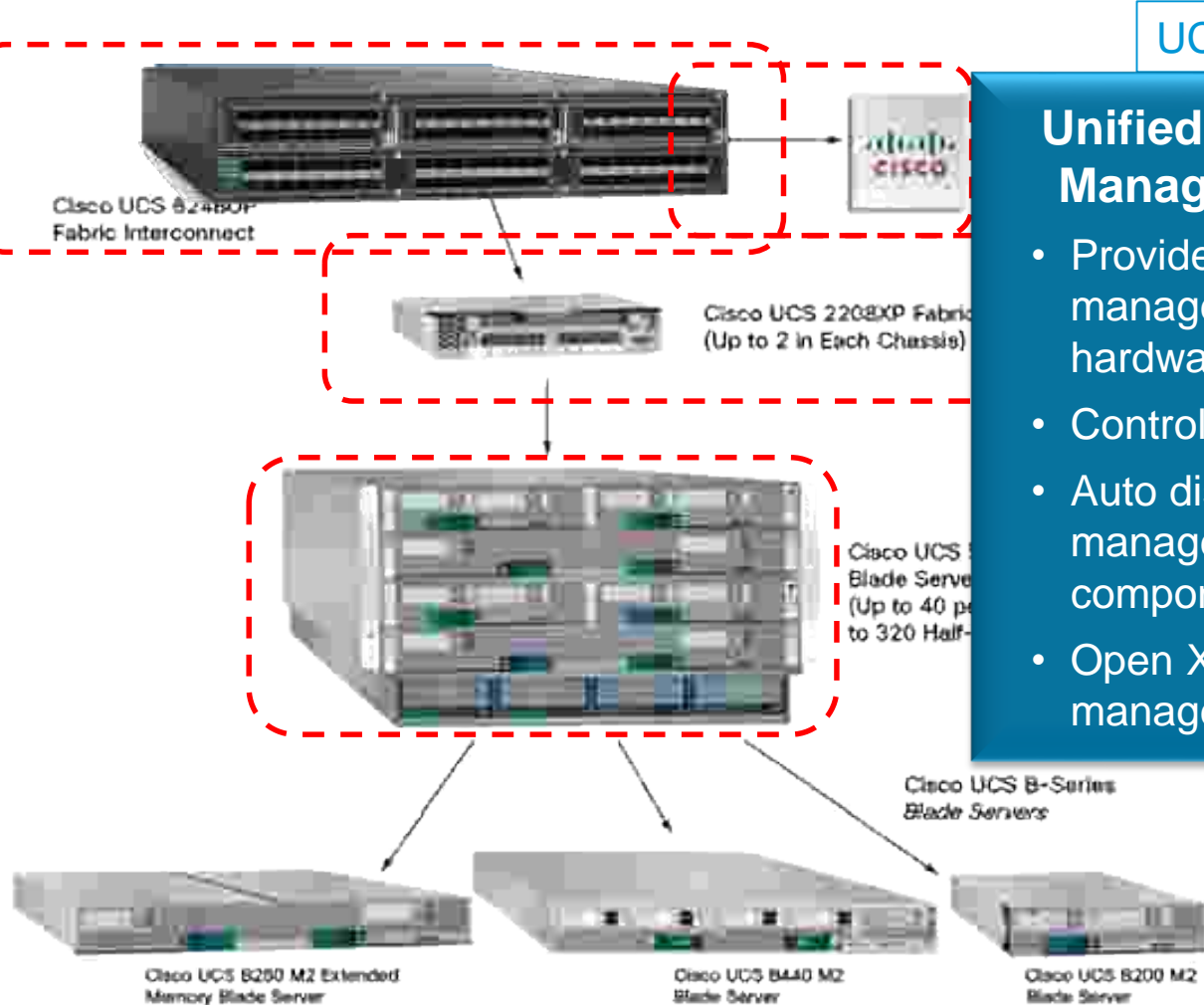
UCS Virtual Interface Card
Choice of multiple adapters

**UCS M72KR-Q
UCS M72KR-E
UCS M81KR VIC**



**UCS 1240 VIC
UCS 1280 VIC
UCS P81E VIC**

UCS Components



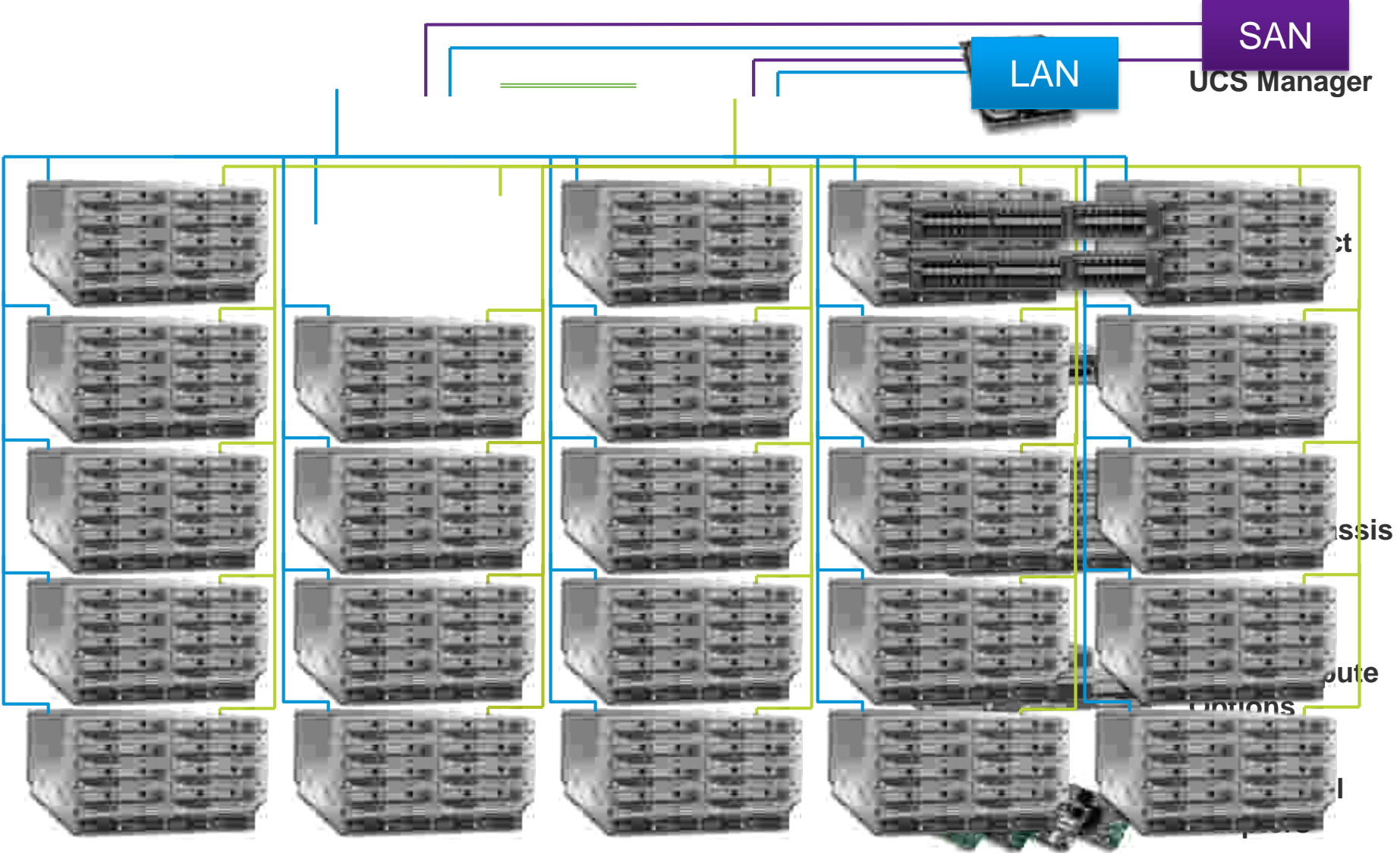
UCS 2208



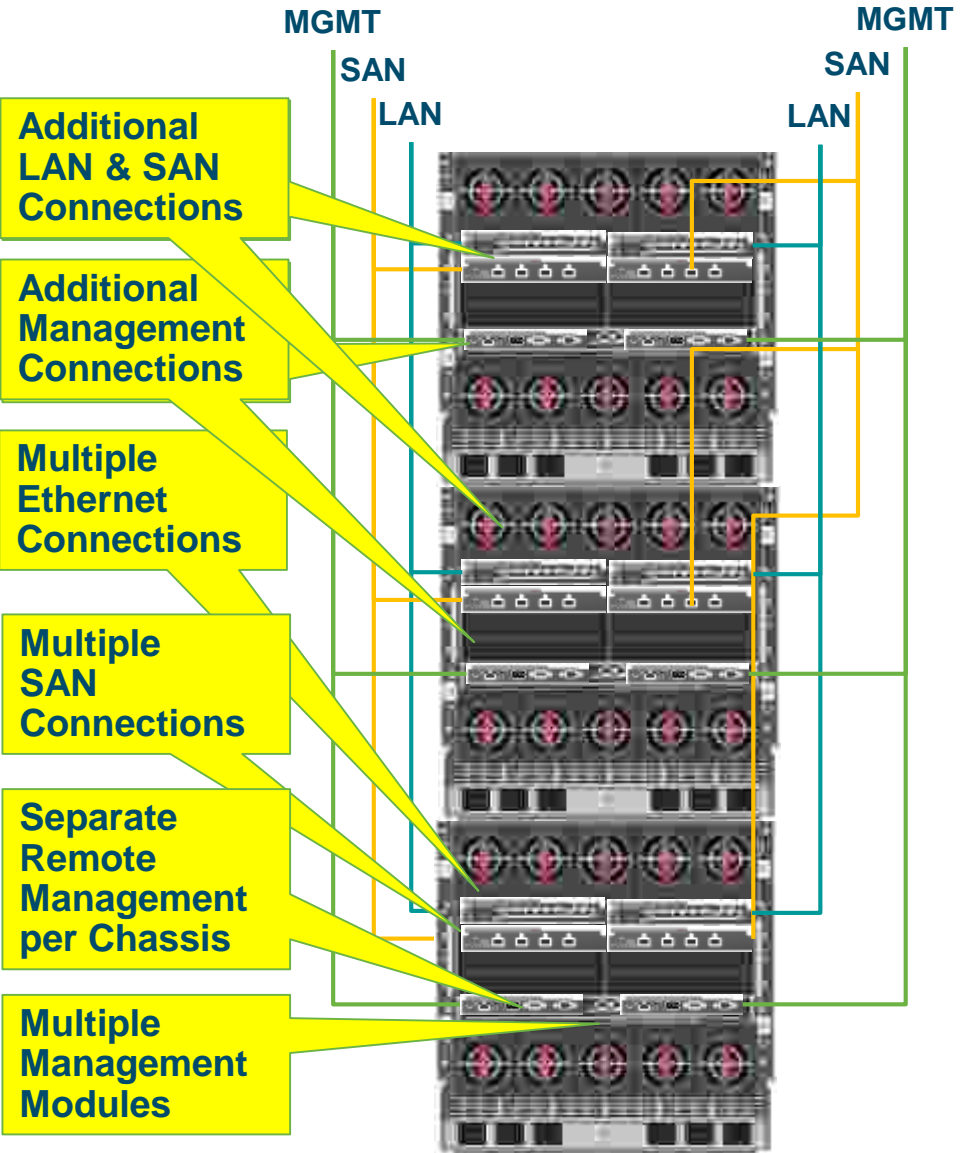
Unified Computing System (UCS) Manager – Single Pane of Glass

- Provides unified, embedded management of all software and hardware components in the UCS
- Controls multiple chassis
- Auto discovery to detect, inventory, manage, and provision system components that are added or changed
- Open XML API integrates with third-party management tools

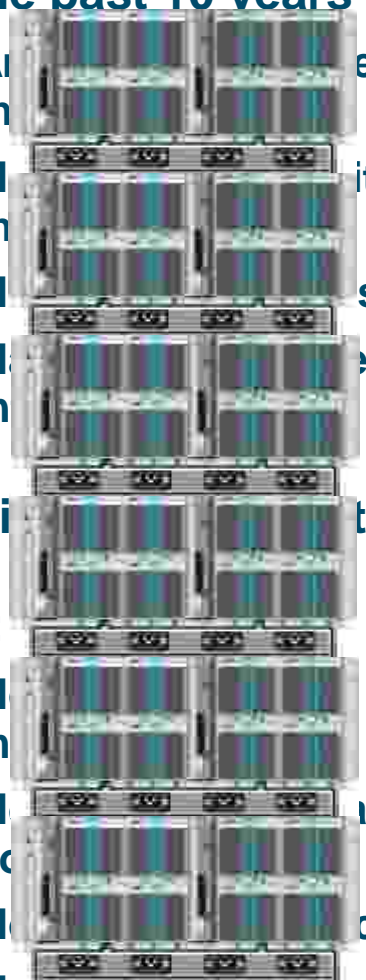
Putting UCS Technologies Together



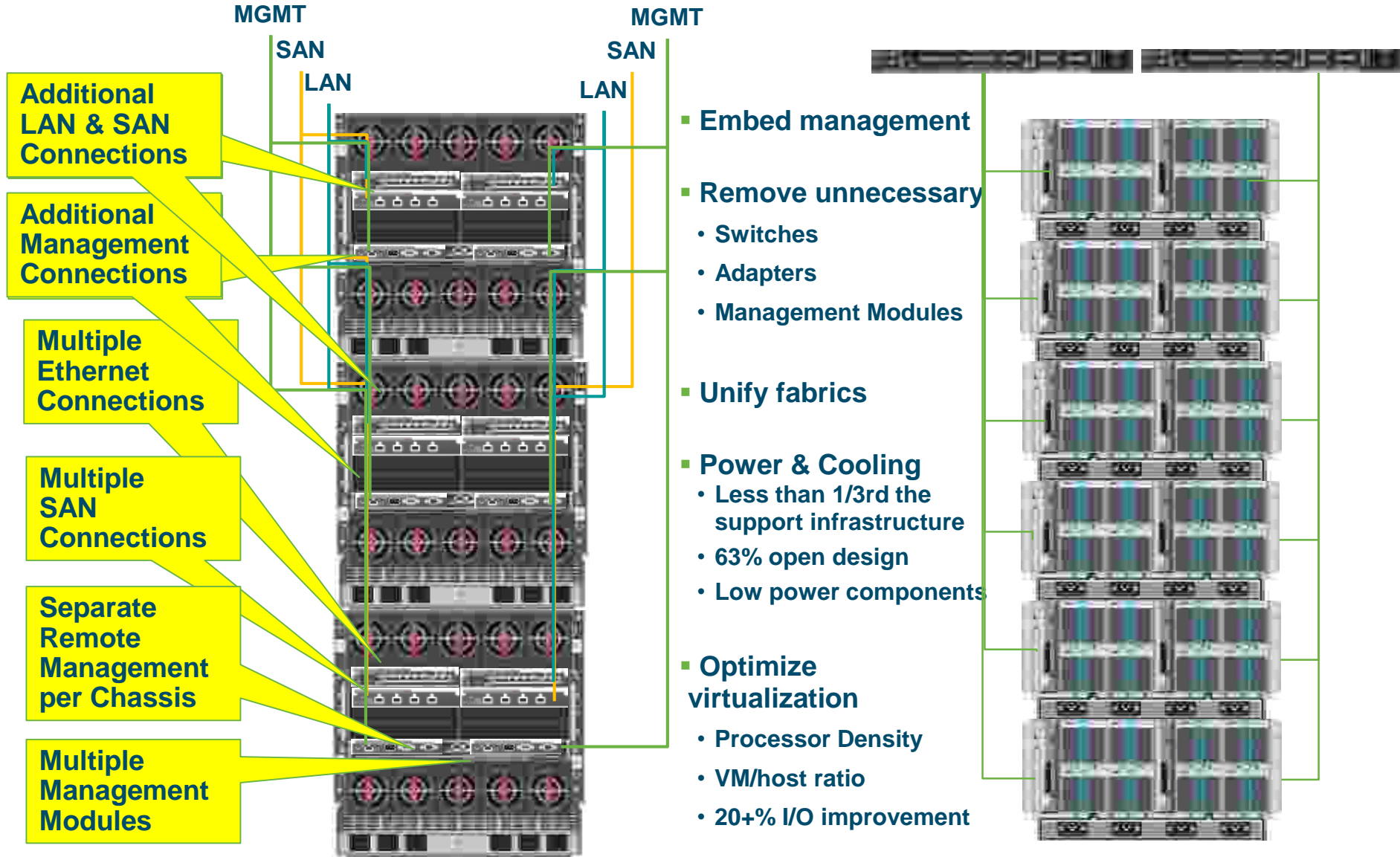
Legacy Blade Architecture



- Over the past 10 years
 - An increase in server density, not
 - More switches
 - More server
 - More blades, not
- An accidental architecture
- Result:
 - More management
 - More difficult to maintain
 - More complex
 - More difficult to cure
 - More difficult to scale



Cisco UCS – Reducing Complexity



Additional LAN & SAN Connections

Additional Management Connections

Multiple Ethernet Connections

Multiple SAN Connections

Separate Remote Management per Chassis

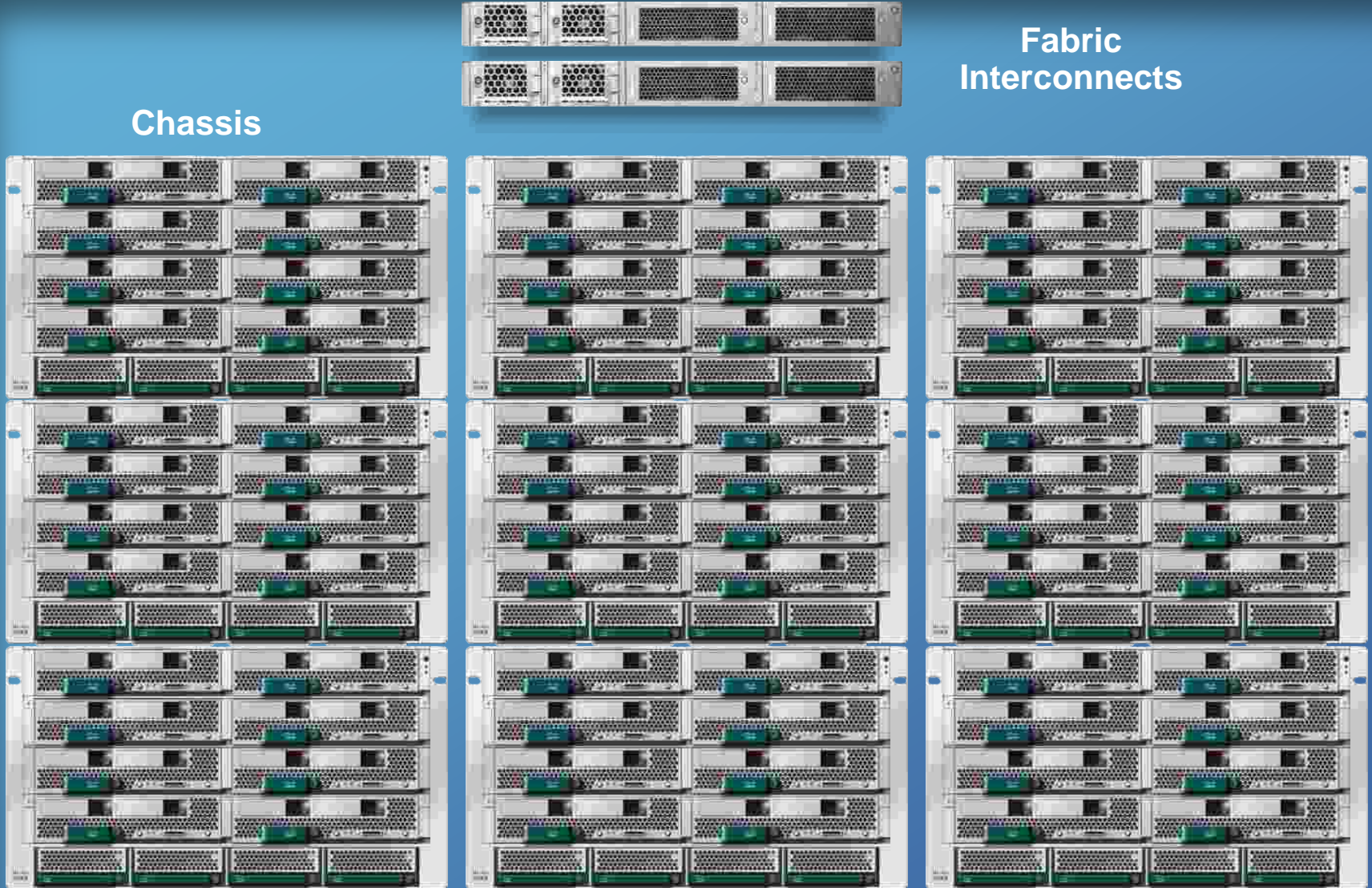
Multiple Management Modules

- Embed management
- Remove unnecessary
 - Switches
 - Adapters
 - Management Modules
- Unify fabrics
- Power & Cooling
 - Less than 1/3rd the support infrastructure
 - 63% open design
 - Low power components
- Optimize virtualization
 - Processor Density
 - VM/host ratio
 - 20+% I/O improvement

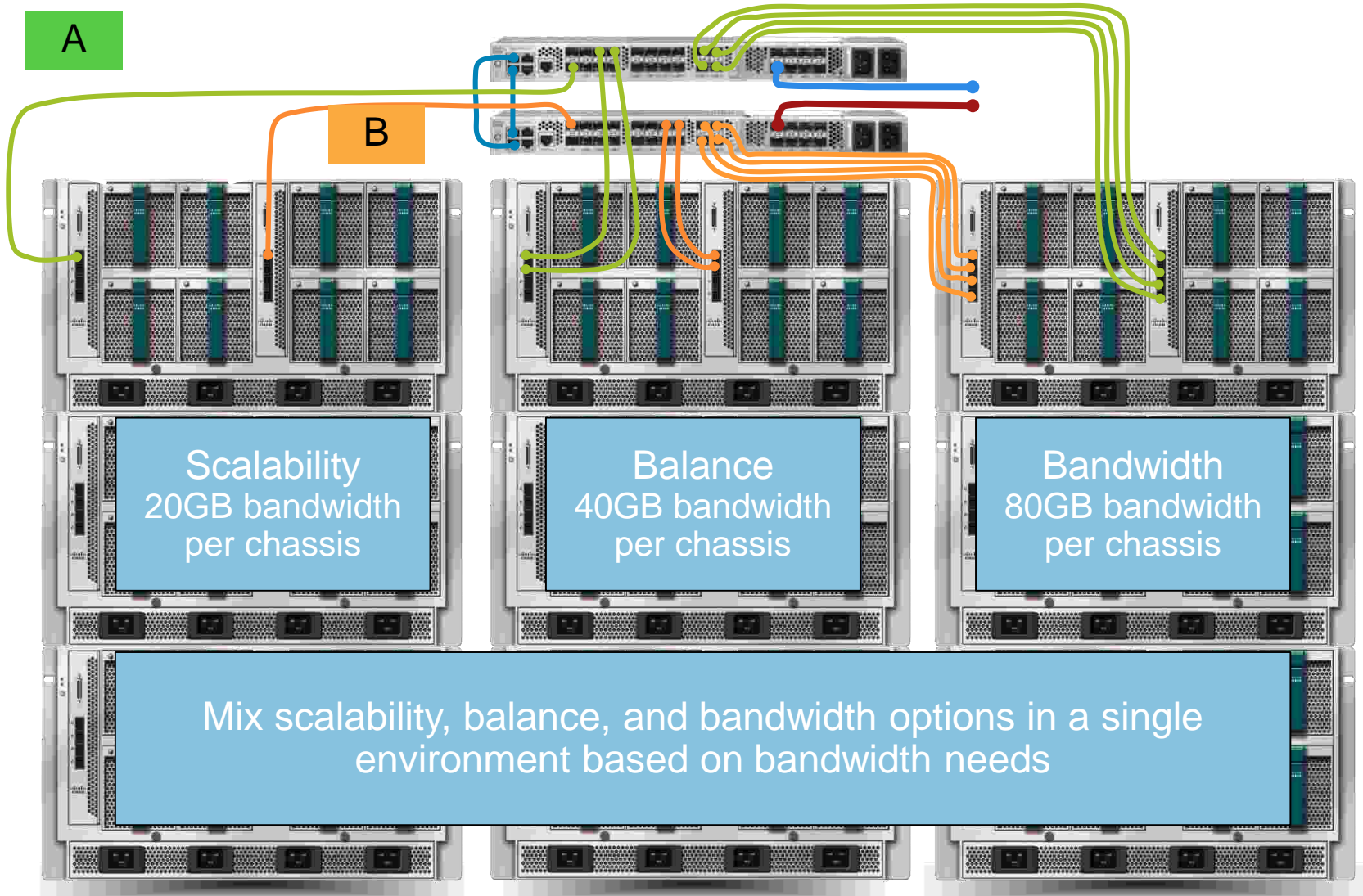
Overall System (Front)

Chassis

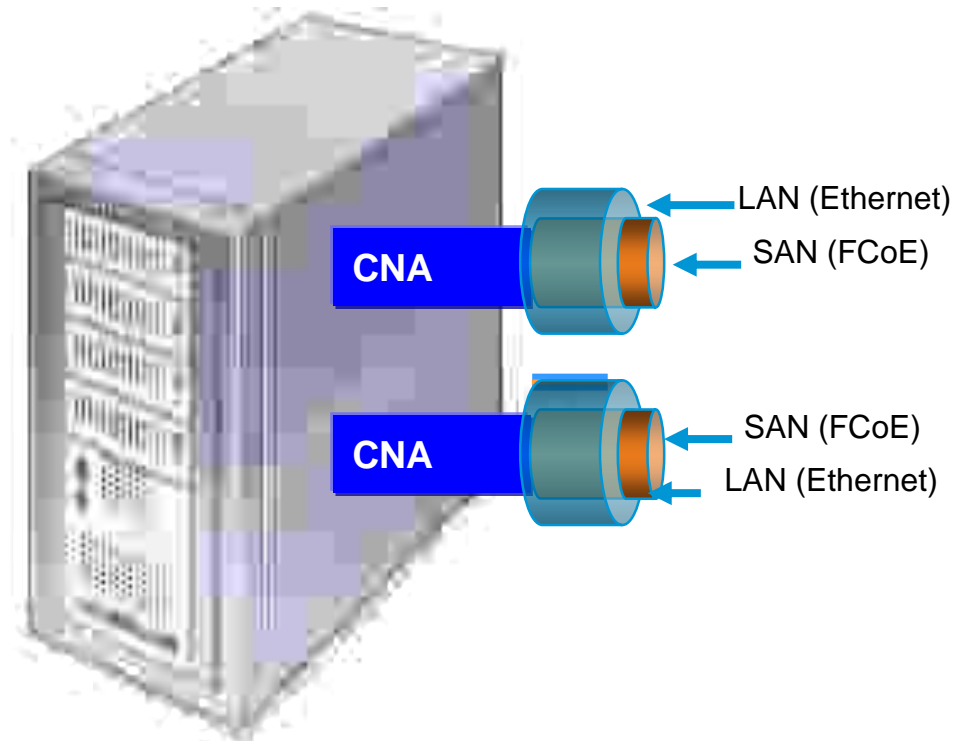
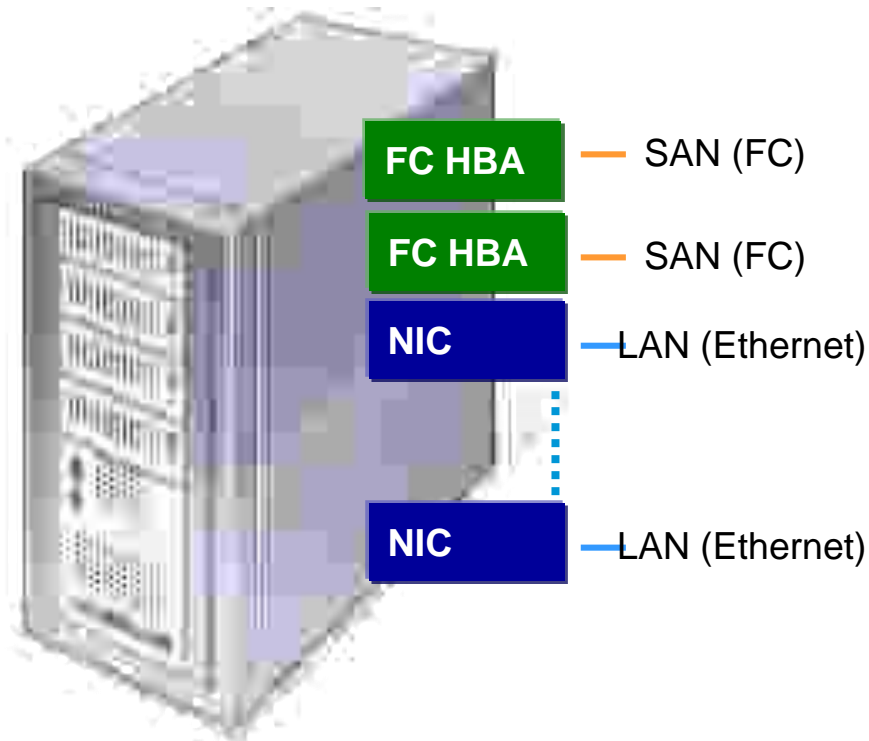
Fabric Interconnects



Fabric Interconnect Cabling Options



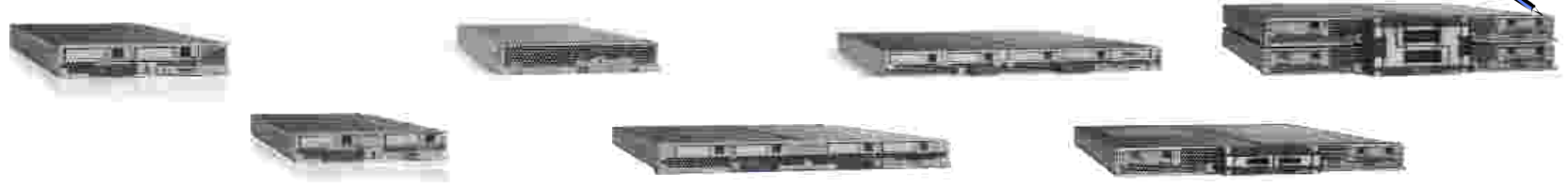
Virtualization Driving the need to for Unified Fabrics



CNA = Converged Network Adapter

UCS Components

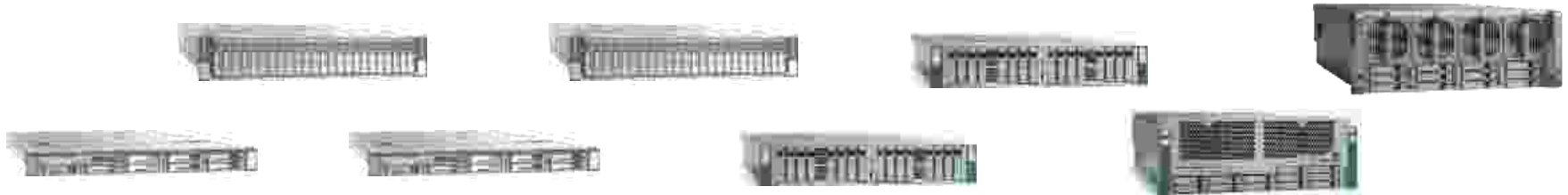
UCS Blade Servers



	B22 M3	B200 M3	B200 M4	B230 M2	B420 M3	B440 M2	B260 M4	B460 M4
Blade Size	Half-Width	Half-Width	Half-Width	Half-Width	Full-Width	Full-Width	Full-Width	Double-High, Full-Width
CPU	E5-2400 v2 and E5-2400	E5-2600 v2 and E5-2600	E5-2600v3	E7-2800/8800	E5-4600 v2 and E5-4600	E7-4800/8800	E7-2800/4800/8800 v2	E7-4800/8800 v2
Max Cores	20	24	36	20	48	40	30	60
DIMM slots	12 DDR3	24 DDR3	24 DDR4	32 DDR3	48 DDR3	32 DDR3	48	96
Max memory	384 GB*	768 GB	768GB	512 GB	1.5 TB	1 TB	1.5 TB (32 GB) 3 TB (64 GB)*	3 TB (32 GB) 6 TB (64 GB)*
Local disk	2 x 2.5"	2 x 2.5"	2 x 2.5"	2 x SSD	4 x 2.5"	4 x 2.5"	2 x 2.5"	4 x 2.5"
IO throughput	Dual 40Gb/s	Dual 40Gb/s	Dual 40Gb/s	Dual 40Gb/s	Dual 80Gb/s	Dual 80Gb/s	Dual 80Gb/s	Dual 160Gb/s
Mezz slots	2	2	2	1	3	2	3	6

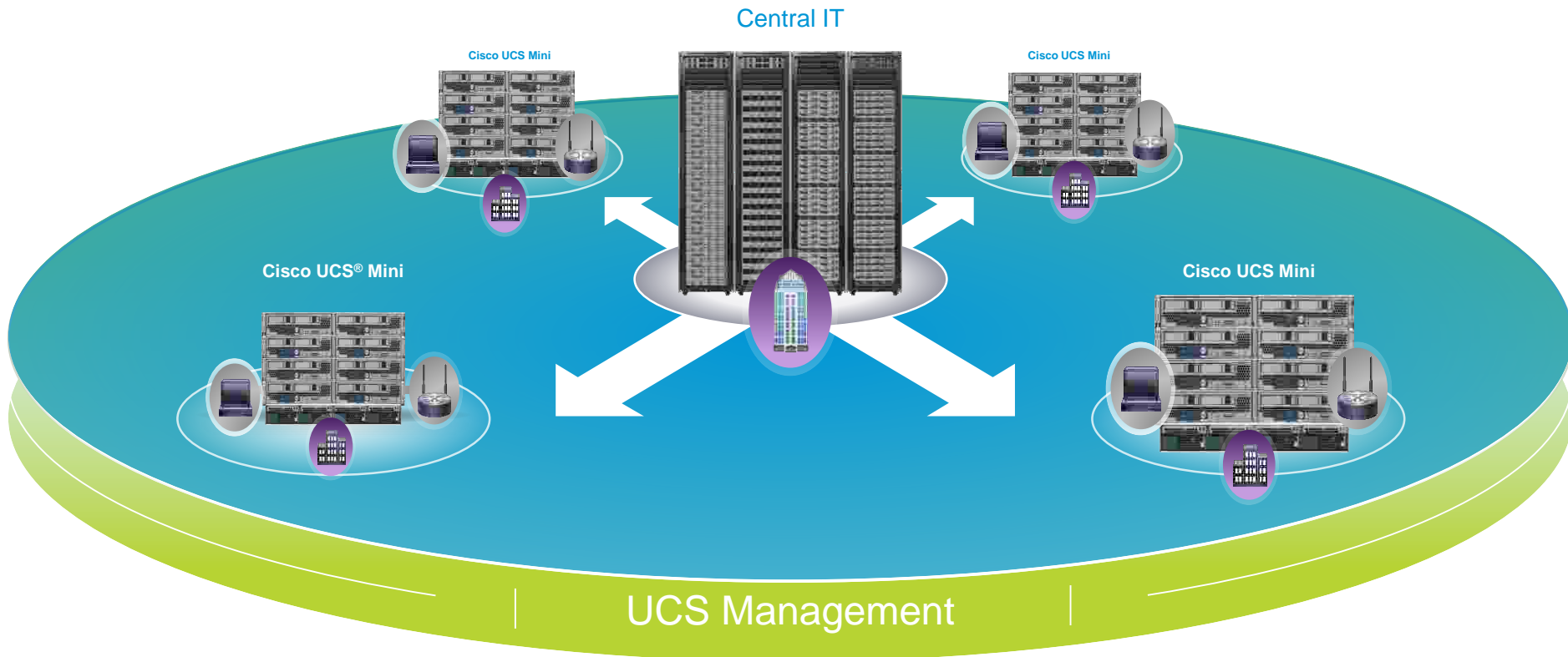
UCS Components

UCS Rack Servers



	C22 M3	C24 M3	C220 M3	C220 M4	C240 M3	C240 M4	C260 M2	C420 M3	C460 M2	C460 M4
RU	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	2	4	4
CPU	E5-2400 v2 and E5-2400	E5-2400 v2 and E5-2400	E5-2600 v2 and E5-2600	E5-2600v3	E5-2600 v2 and E5-2600	E5-2600v3	E7-2800/8800	E5-4600	E7-4800/8800	E7-4800/8800 v2
Max Cores	20	20	24	36	24	36	20	32	40	60
DIMMs	12	12	16	24 DDR4	24	24 DDR4	32	48	64	96
Max GB	384 GB*	384 GB*	512 GB	512GB	768 GB	768GB	1 TB	1.5 TB	2 TB	3 TB (32 GB) 6 TB (64 GB)*
Disk	8 x 2.5" or 4 x 3.5"	24 x 2.5" or 12 x 3.5"	8 x 2.5" or 4 x 3.5"	8 SFF or 4 LFF	24 x 2.5" or 12 x 3.5"	26 SFF or 14 LFF	16 x 2.5" or 32 x SSD	16 x 2.5"	12 x 2.5"	12 x 2.5"
LoM	2 x 1Gb	2 x 1Gb	2 x 1Gb	2 x 1Gb	4 x 1Gb	2 x 1Gb	2 x 1Gb + 2 x 10Gb	2 x 10Gb	2 x 1Gb + 2 x 10Gb	2 x 1Gb + 2 x 10Gb
PCIe Slots	2 x PCIe 3.0	5 x PCIe 3.0	2 x PCIe 3.0	2 x PCIe 3.0	5 x PCIe 3.0	6 x PCIe 3.0	5 x PCIe 2.0	7 x PCIe 3.0	10 x PCIe 2.0	10 x PCIe 3.0

Cisco UCS Mini: At the Edge of Large IT Configurations



Cisco UCS Mini: Delivering the Power of Unified Computing at the Edge

› Simple

- Allows for consolidation of multiple servers in a single managed solution
- All hardware is managed from a single interface
- Cisco UCS® Central Software manages data centers and remote sites as one

› Efficient

- Unified systems management
- Highly-availability system for the most uptime
- Reduced capital and operational expenses with consolidation and virtualization

› Expandable

- Extensive scalability within a stable platform
- Support for future Cisco UCS blades



Cisco UCS Mini: Enterprise Capabilities at the Edge

› Computing and storage integration

- 6RU rack-mount chassis
- Up to 16 blade servers
- Up to 4 rack servers

› Integrated networking

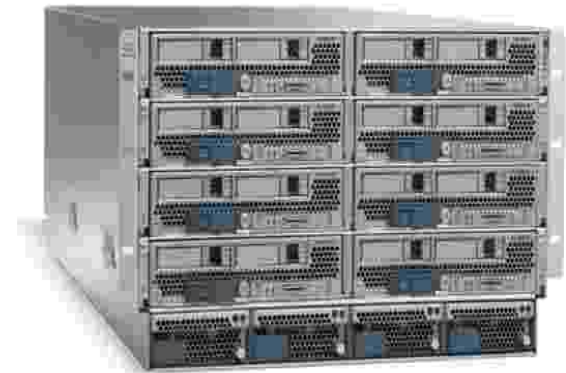
- SFP+ for 1- or 10-Gbps connectivity

› High availability

- Hot-pluggable redundant power (N+N, N+1, and N support)
- 100 to 120V, 200 to 240V, -48V support
- Redundant network connectivity
- Redundant fans

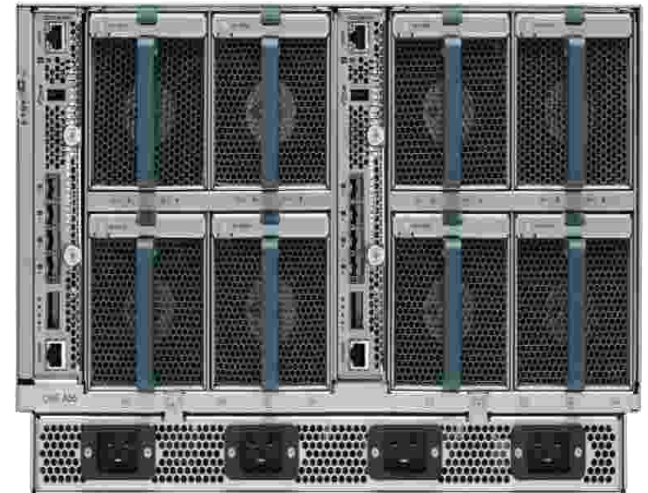
› Full systems management capabilities

- Full-featured Cisco UCS[®] Manager
- Cisco UCS Central Software for remote management



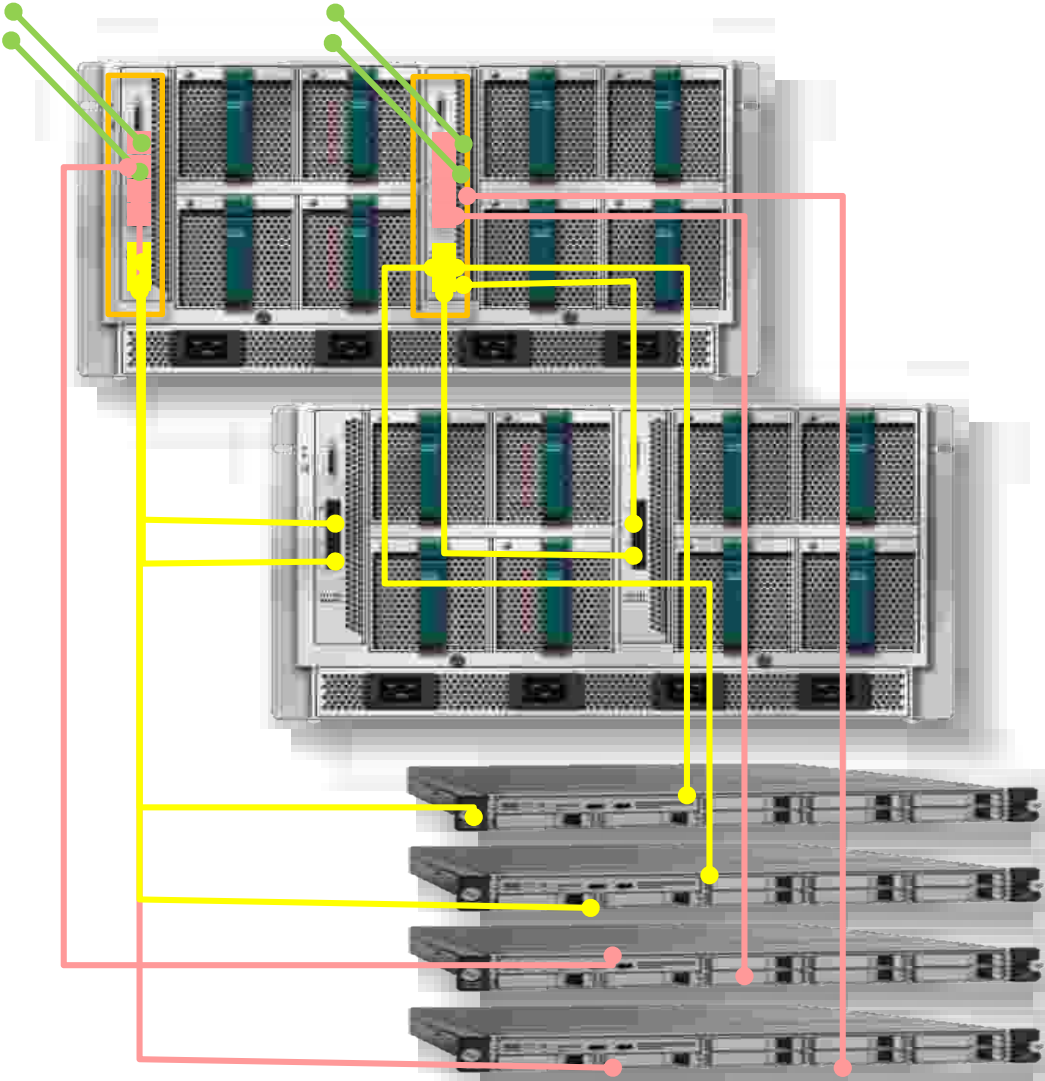
Cisco UCS Mini: Simplified Networking Support

- › Easily connect to upstream networks with end-host mode
- › SFP+ supports 1 and 10 Gigabit Ethernet for future proofing
- › Redundant networking capability built in
- › Simple expansion for additional computing power



Max Scale Supported

**Connect up to 20
servers**
*16 blades + 4 rack mount
servers*

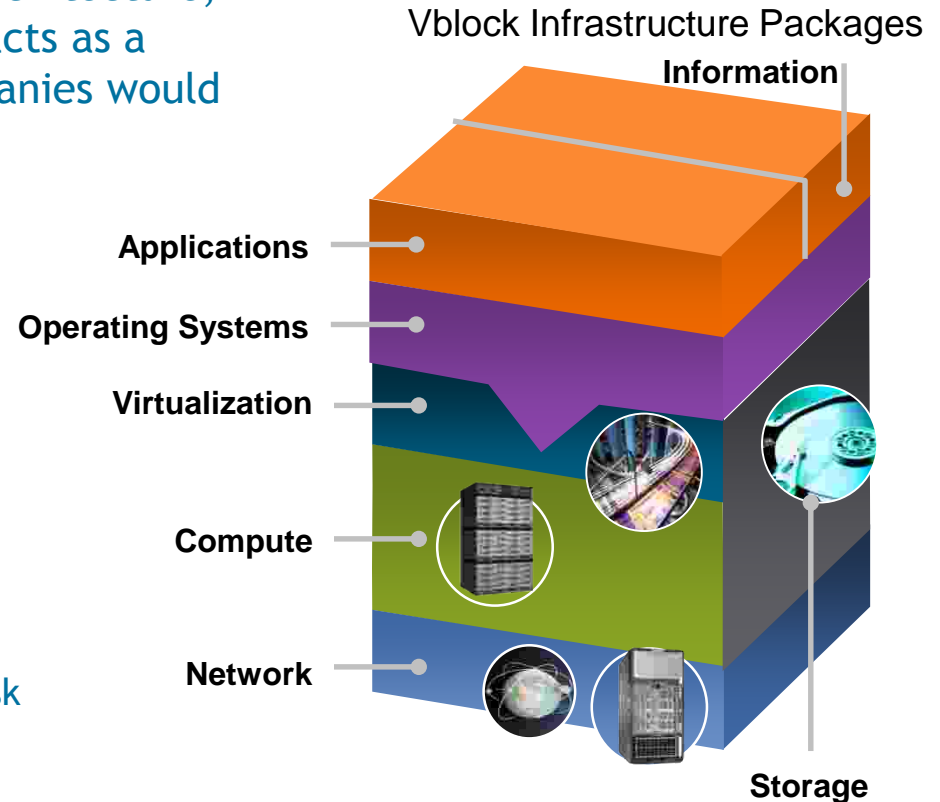


UCS and vBlock



vBlock is defined as a reference architecture, from VMware, Cisco and EMC and acts as a foundation for Cloud that all companies would market and sell together

- Rapid deployment model for virtualized infrastructure
- Pre-integrated and validated solutions reduce total cost of ownership
- Service-level driven through predictable performance & operational characteristics
- Improved compliance/security and reduced risk



Accelerate Time to Results – Reduce TCO

UCS and vSpex

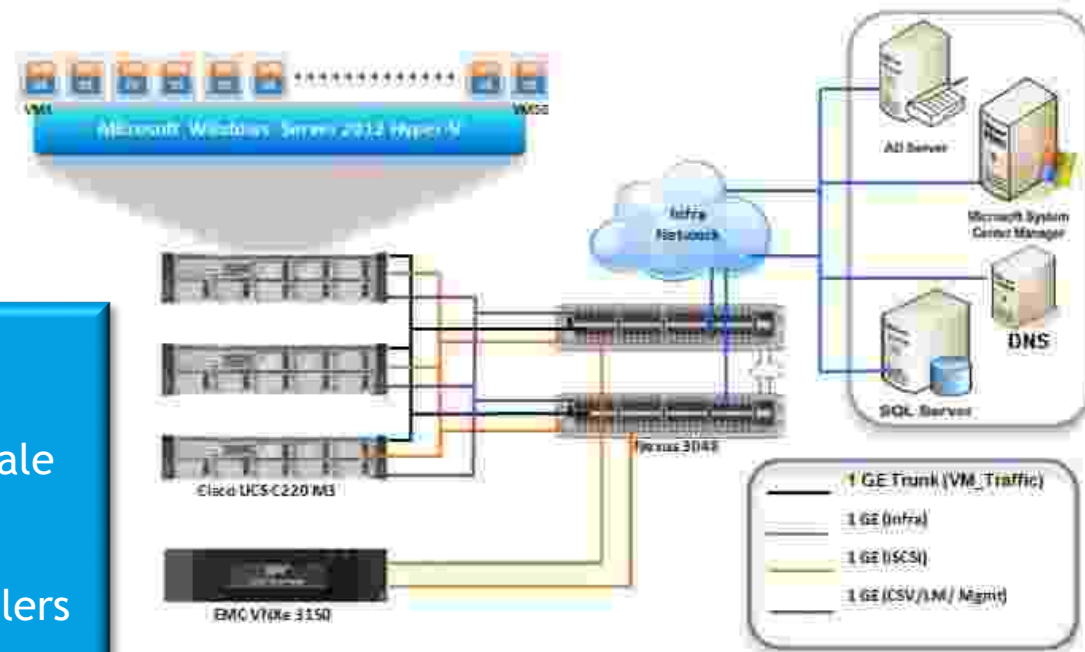
Range of Cisco Validated Architectures, based around C-Series or B-Series servers and EMC VNX or VNXe storage controllers

Small architecture (50 VMs) utilises:

- 3x UCS C200 C-servers
- 2x Nexus 3048 switches
- EMC VNXe 3150 storage controller

Large architecture (800 VMs) utilises:

- 5x UCS C200 B-Servers
- 2x Nexus 2232PP Fabric Extenders
- 2x Nexus 6248UP Fabric Interconnects
- 2x Nexus 5548UP switches
- EMC VNX 5300 storage controller



- Validated design ensures low risk
- Multiple architectures that can scale
- Targeted at specific applications
- Based around EMC storage controllers

UCS and FlexPod

- CVD Reference architecture:

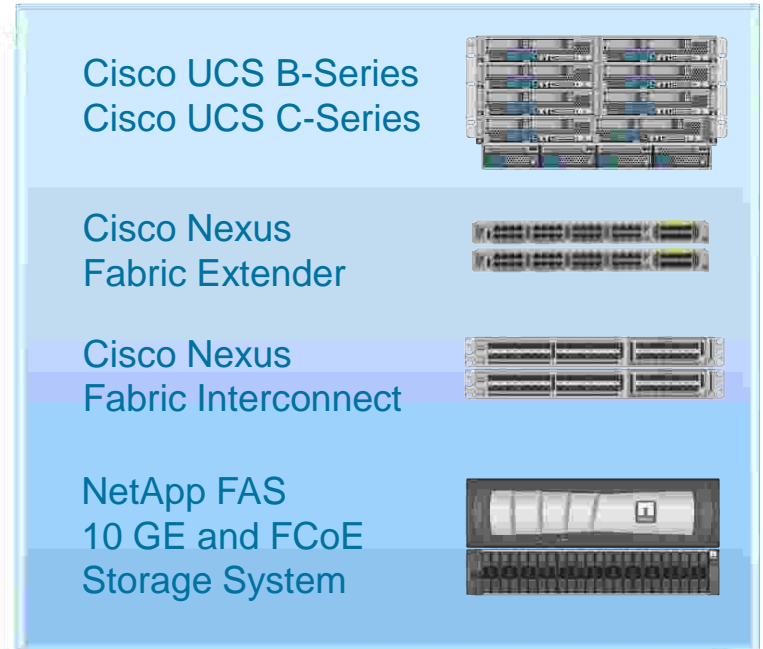
Flexibility and scalability within a single rack and multiple racks

Low-risk deployment of a standardized shared infrastructure

Step-by-step deployment guides

Solution guides for multiple workloads

Centralized management of pooled compute, network and storage resources



Shared infrastructure for wide range of environments and applications:

- IaaS, PaaS and SaaS cloud platforms
- Secure Multi Tenancy
- VMware vSphere deployments
- VMware View
- Microsoft Private Cloud
- Microsoft Exchange
- Citrix Xen Desktop
- SAP / Oracle RAC

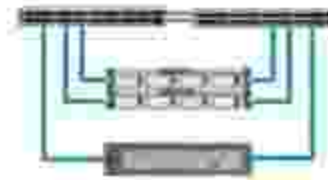
- Validated design ensures low risk
- Highly scalable architectures
- Based around NetApp storage controllers

UCS and ExpressPod

- Two preconfigured architectures designed for SMB (less than 500 employees)
- Built around C-Series servers and NetApp FAS storage controllers
- Managed by Cisco Cloupla Unified Infrastructure Controller
- Can scale to 20x C-series servers

- Delivered as configured system
- Scalable architectures
- Based around NetApp storage controllers

ExpressPod Small (2x C-series Servers, 7.2 TB storage)

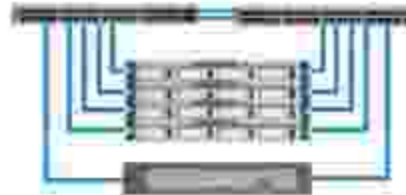


Cisco Nexus 3048 Switch

Cisco UCS C220 M3 Server

NetApp FAS2220 Storage

ExpressPod Medium (4x C-series Servers, 14.4 TB storage)



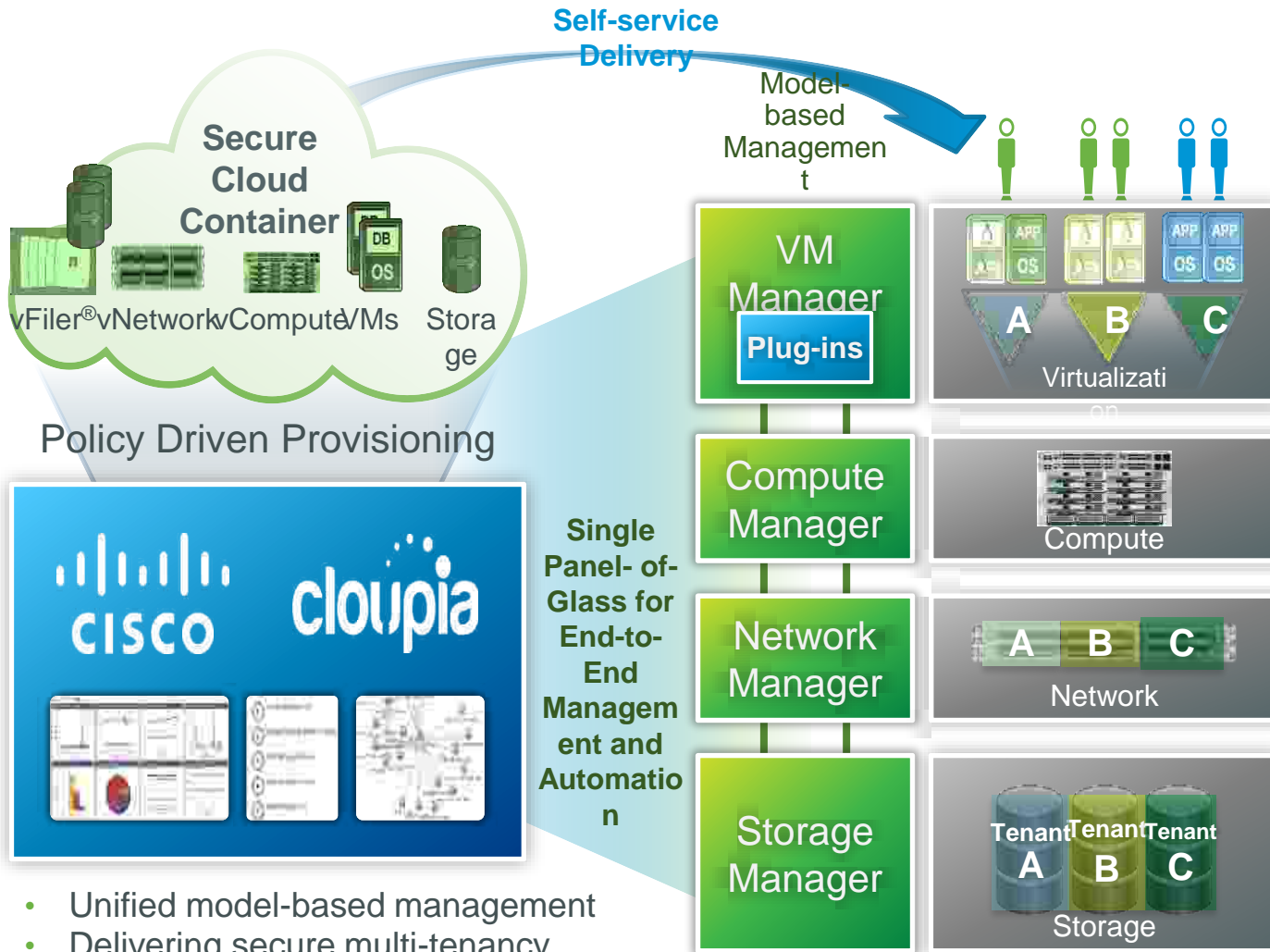
Cisco Nexus 3048 Switch

Cisco UCS C220 M3 Server

NetApp FAS2240 Storage

Cisco UCS Director

Validated Management Solution for FlexPod



- Unified model-based management
- Delivering secure multi-tenancy

Cisco UCS Director Differentiators

Simple and Easy to Deploy

- A single, integrated, out-of-the-box solution
- Install in the morning, provision in the afternoon

Flexibility

- Model-based orchestration eliminates need for scripting

Integrated Compute Stacks

- FlexPod™
- Vblock
- VSPEX

End-to-End Functionality

- Support for both virtual and physical infrastructures
- Multi-vendor public cloud support
- Hypervisor agnostic
- Single pane of glass management, automation and orchestration
- Self-service, integrated monitoring and chargeback
- Includes task library with over 400+ tasks for easy drag and drop workflow creation



Recapturing.....

Why Cisco Unified Computing System?

Business Value

Improve Business Agility

Extend Business Asset Life

Reduce the Time to Deploy New Applications

Ensure Compliance

Operational Efficiency

Technical Differentiation

Unified Fabric

Unified Management

Service Profile with Hardware Abstraction

Virtual Interfaces

Patented Memory Extension Technology

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Cisco Unified Computing System

Simplified Architecture



- Networking with fewer components
- Lower cost and easier scaling
- Fewer management touch points
- Stateless: any resource, any time
- Better TCO/ROI

Unified Management



- Faster deploy/provision
- Unification leads to reduced complexity
- Management via a single interface

Higher Performance



- Brings out the best of x86 architecture
- Optimized resource utilization for compute, networking, and management

Scale



- Ultimate Scalability
- Enhanced design capability
- Designed for the future, today

*“If you don’t like change,
you’re going to like
irrelevance even less.”*

General Eric Shinseki - United States Army

Thank you.

