

Cisco DC Fabric

Designing next generation DC with Cisco Nexus family switches

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Goal

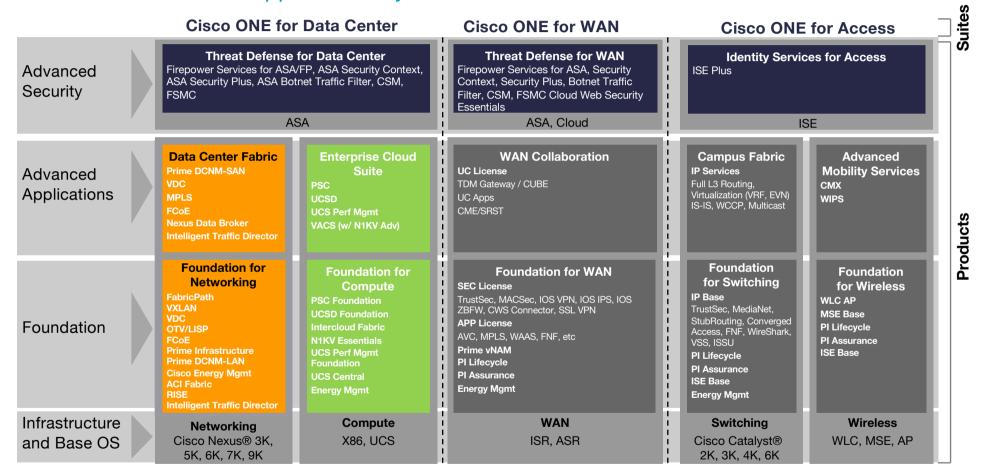
 How to build Balkans size data center networks based on Cisco products, technologies and solutions.

Agenda

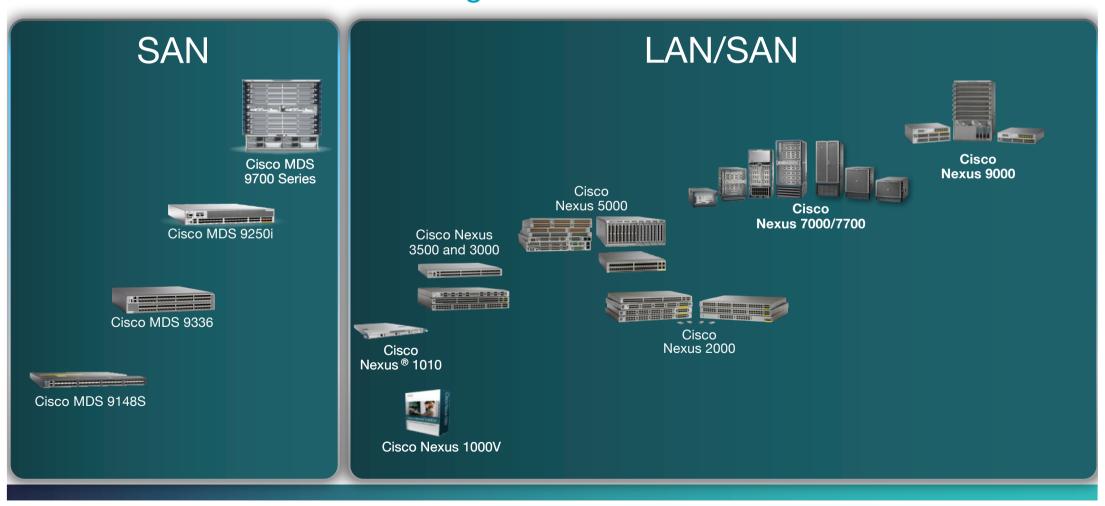
- Cisco ONE
- Brief Nexus portfolio overview
- Step by step product positioning

Cisco ONE Software

Included Licenses and Applications by Suite



N1K – N9K Switching Portfolio Cisco Unified Fabric Switching Innovations



Connectivity and Storage Access

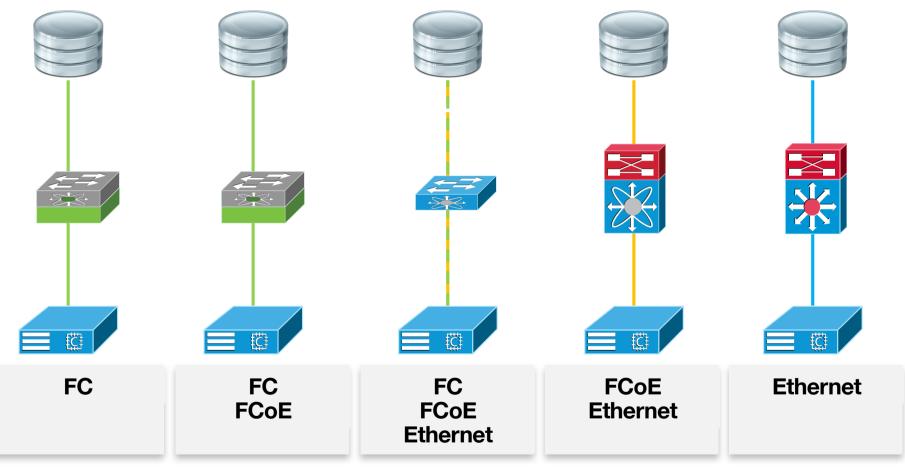




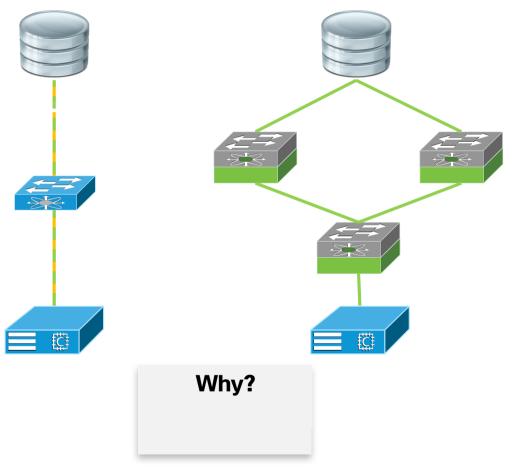


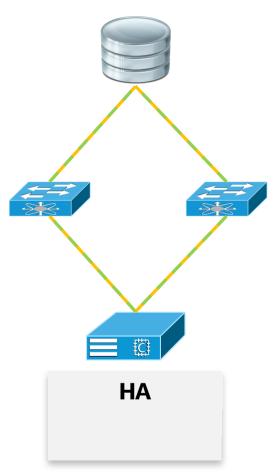
- FC
- FCoE
- IP/Ethernet

FC/FCoE/Ethernet



Redundancy

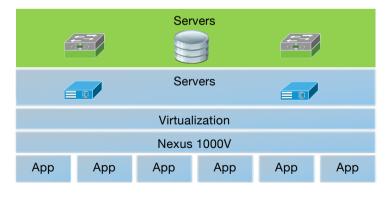




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FC SAN



- Classic
- We are use to it
- Dedicated bandwidth
- Network&App team separation
- Lack of knowledge
- Hard to change
- •

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Cisco MDS



Cisco MDS 9148S

- 48x16Gbit/s FC
- 1RU
- 12 port licensing model

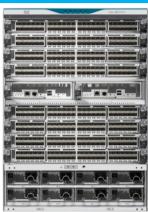


Cisco MDS 9336



Cisco MDS 9250i

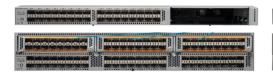
- 96x16Gbit/s FC
- 2RU
- Starts with 48 ports
- 12 port licensing model
- 20x16Gbit/s FC
- 8x10Gbit/s FCoE
- 2x1/10Gbit/s iSCSI/FCIP
- 2RU
- Starts with 20 ports
- 20 port licensing model



Cisco MDS 9700 Series

- 6 and 10 slot chassis
- 48x16Gbit/s FC cards
- 48x10Gbit/s FCoE
- 9/14RU

But what about the Nexus





Nexus 5696Q

Nexus 5500

Nexus 5600

Nexus 2348UP

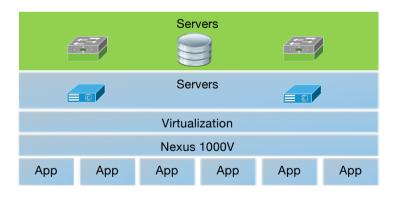
- 5548UP & 5596UP
- · All ports are unified
- All ports FCoE
- 1&2RU
- 8 port licensing model

- 5672UP,56128P,5672UP-16G
- 16 & Modules are unified
- All ports FCoE
- 1&2RU
- 16 port licensing model

- 8 slots chassis
- 0-160 8Gbit/s FC
- All ports FCoE
- 4RÜ
- modul licensing model

- 48 Unified ports
- All ports FCoE
- 1RÜ
- Licensing the parent

FCoE SAN



- Rising star
- It is managed the same way
- Dedicated bandwidth based on protocols
- Network&App team separation
- Lack of knowledge
- Easy to reuse infrastructure

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Nexus







Nexus 5500

Nexus 5600

Nexus 2348UP Nexus 2232P

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Nexus 5600Q

- All ports FCoE
- 4RU
- · modul licensing model

- 48 Unified ports
- All ports FCoE
- 1RU
- Licensing the parent

Nexus & MDS



Cisco MDS 9250i

- 20x16Gbit/s FC
- 8x10Gbit/s FCoE
- 2x1/10Gbit/s iSCSI/FCIP
- 2RU
- Starts with 20 ports
- 20 port licensing model



Cisco MDS 9700 Series

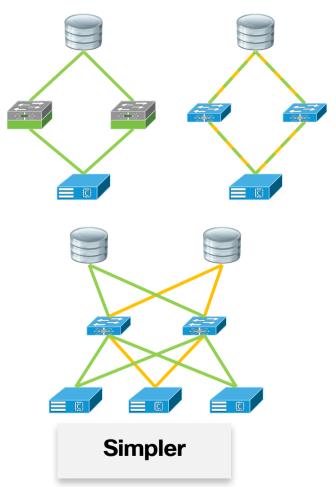
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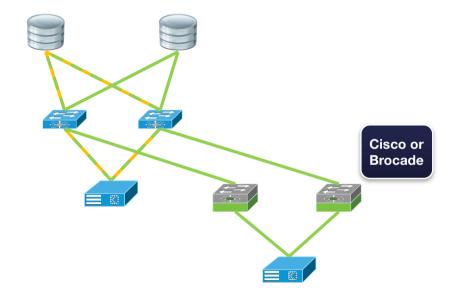


Cisco Nexus 7700 Series

- 2,4,6,10,18 slot chassis
- 48x10Gbit/s FCoE
- 9/14RU

MDS&Nexus Designs

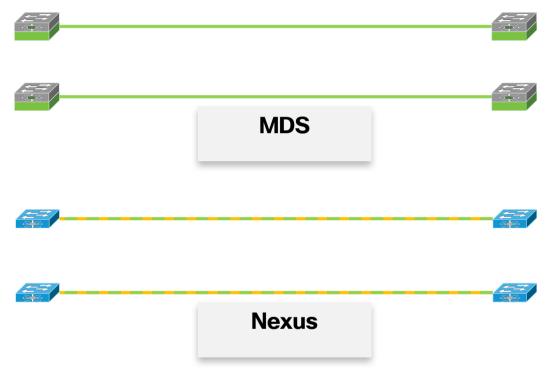




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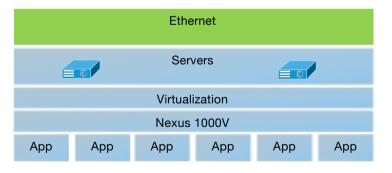
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MDS&Nexus Designs



- Distance meters ... a lot
- Protocol and distance meters ... a lot
- Protocol, distance and platform meters ...a lot.
- MDS&Nexus for FC B2B Credits
- Nexus FCoE every platform is different

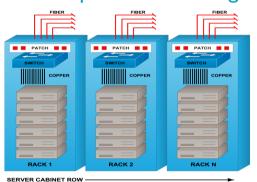
Let talk about Ethernet and IP



- Classic
- Automation & Cloud
 - SDN
 - Programmability

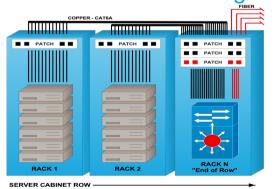
Nexus 2000

Top of Rack Design

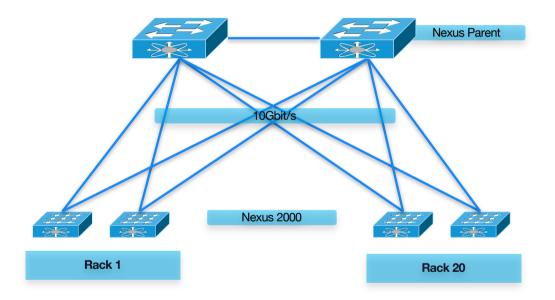




End of Row Design

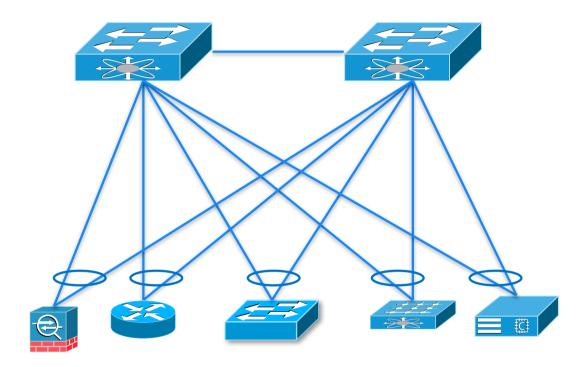






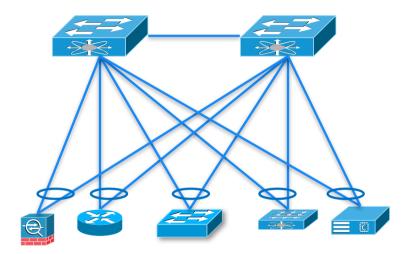
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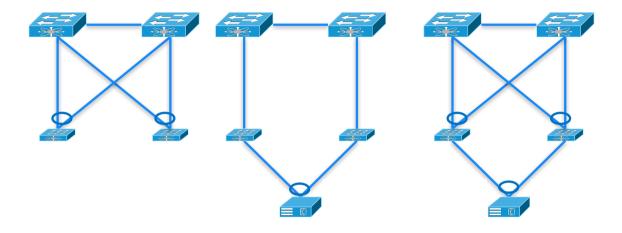
vPC, vPC&FEX, EvPC



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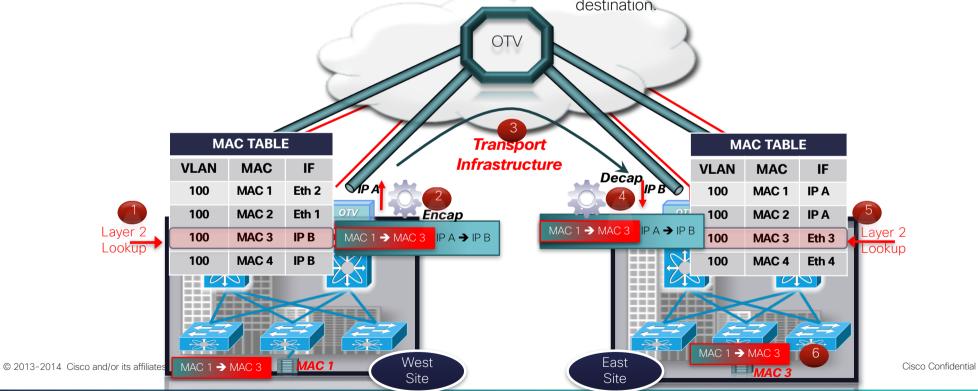


OTV

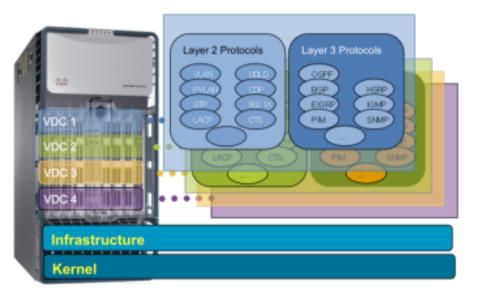
- 1. Layer 2 lookup on the destination MAC. MAC 3 is reachable through IP B.
- 2. The Edge Device encapsulates the frame.
- 3. The transport delivers the packet to the Edge Device on site East.
- 4. The Edge Device on site East receives and decapsulates the packet.
- 5. Layer 2 lookup on the original frame. MAC 3 is a local MAC.

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6. The frame is delivered to the destination.



Virtual Device Context Enabling Device Consolidation



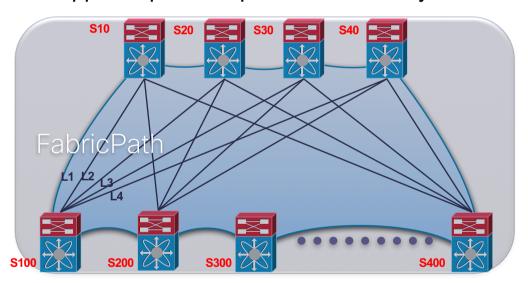
- Consolidate multiple devices into smaller footprint
- Maintain segmentation between different parts of networks
- Increase ROI by saving on power, cooling, management
- 90% of Nexus 7000 Customers leverage this functionality

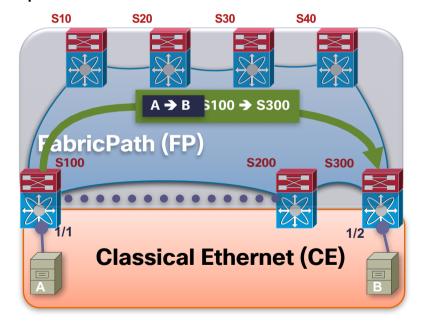
FabricPath

New Control Plane

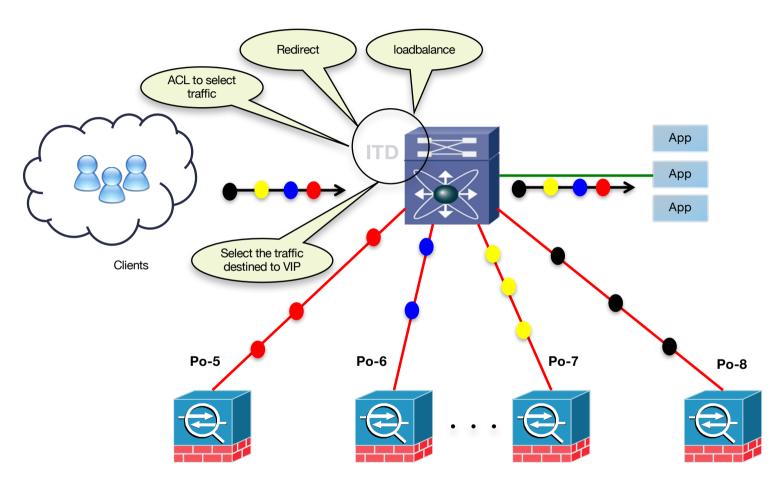
Plug-n-Play L2 IS-IS manages forwarding topology

- IS-IS assigns addresses to all FabricPath switches automatically
- Compute shortest, pair-wise paths
- Support equal-cost paths between any FabricPath switch pairs









Note: the devices don't have to be directly connected to N7k

Cisco Nexus® Unified Fabric

Continued Evolution of Data Center Switching



Python, XML/ Netconf, TCL, EEM, PoAP

PROGRAMMABILITY

JSON/ REST APIs, Linux container, ODL

ORCHESTRATION

OnePK, OpenFlow, Openstack

CTS, WCCP, RISE, ITD

BUSINESS CONTINUITY/ DISASTER LISP, OTV, VPLS

VIRTUALIZATION/ MULTI-TENANCY
MPLS, VxLAN, Enhanced Forwarding, VRF

SPAN, Netflow, NAM, 1588 Timestamping

SECURITY

RBAC, CoPP, DAI, ACL, FHS, uRPF, IPSG

ULTRA HIGH AVAILABILITY

Hitless ISSU, BFD, FastBoot, Patching

HIGH PERFORMANCE FABRIC

40G/100G Density, FabricPath, VxLAN

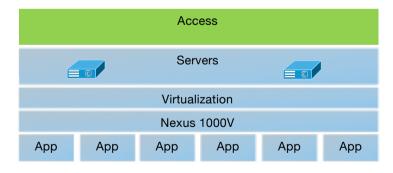
FLEXIBLE ARCHITECTURE

FEX, BiDi, VDC

CONVERGENCE

FC/ FCoE, Unified Port, Director Class

Access Layer



Every Nexus is OK

But the most effective is Nexus 2000

- Flexible connectivity
- Central point of management
- Ethernet,FCoE & FC
- Cost effective
- Scalability
- Not a lot of reasons not to use it.

Nexus 2000 Portfolio



Nexus 2248T

- 48x1Gbit/s BASE-T
- 4x10Gbit/s SFP+ uplinks



Nexus 2232

- 32x1/10Gbit/s BASE T
- 32x1/10Gbit/s SFP+
- 8x10 SFP+ uplinks



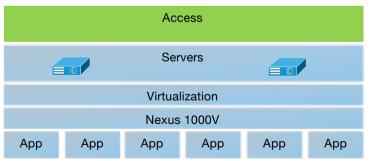
Nexus 2348

- 48x1/10Gbit/s BASE T
- 48x1/10Gbit/s SFP+
- 6x40 QSFP+ uplinks

Access Layer – Nexus 3000

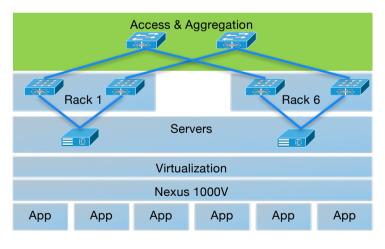






- 10/25/40/50/100Gbit/s
- Low latency
- Programmability
- There are better options

Access&Aggregatio Layer - Nexus 5000



- FEX/Scale
- L2/L3
- Unified port
- FCoE
- 1/10/40Gbit/s
- vPC, EvPC, vPC+
- FabricPath
- Airflow
- Buffers
- ITD

Nexus



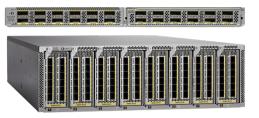
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Nexus 5600Q

All ports FCoE

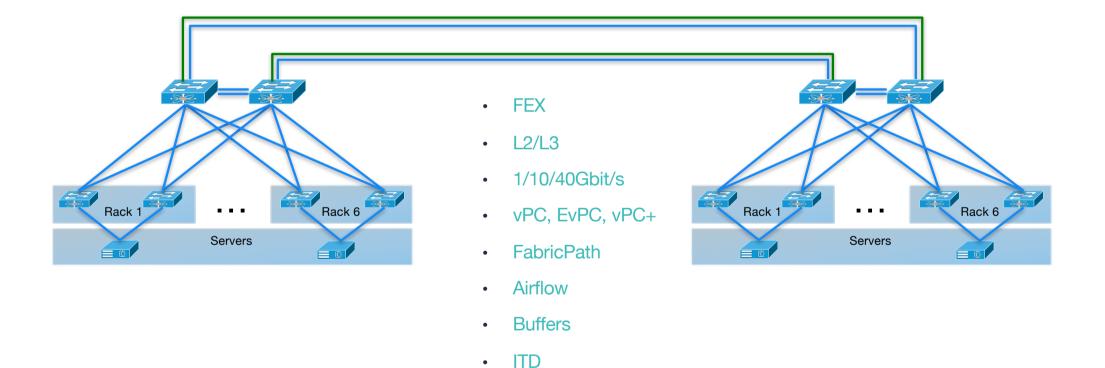
modul licensing model

4RU

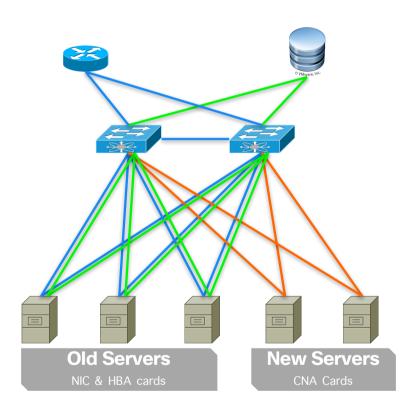
- 98108 & 93180
- 48 10G/25Gbit/s
- 6 40/100Gbit/s
- 1RU
- **Tetration**

- 8 slots chassis
- 0-160 8Gbit/s FC 16 & Modules are unified
- 1&2RU

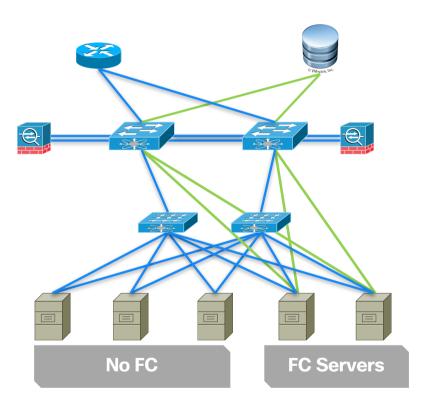
Example - Average Bank and Utility company



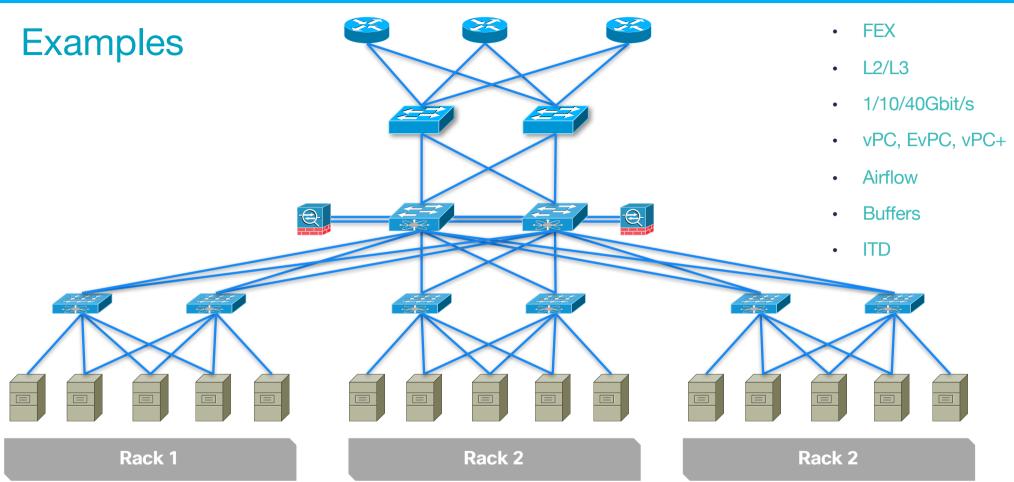
Example - Storage Connectivity



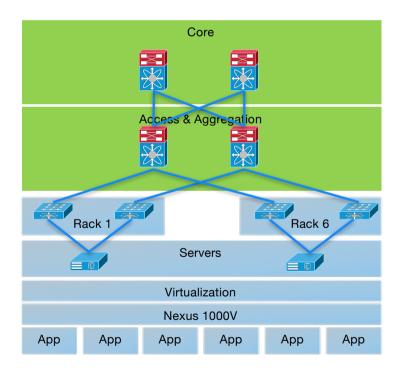
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Access & Aggregatio Layer - Nexus 7000



- Nexus 5000 (-EvPC and few more)
- Modular Life Sup/Fabric/Module
- MACSec
- VDC
- OTV
- ISSU
- Scale/Pefromance
- LISP
- MPLS

Nexus&MDS



- 4,9,10 & 18 slot chassis
- 48x10Gbit/s cards
- 12x40Gbit/s cards
- 6x100Gbit/s cards
- Front-to-back, side-toside



- 2,6,10 and 18 slot chassis
- 48x10Gbit/s cards
- 24x40Gbit/s cards
- 12x100Gbit/s cards
- Front-to-back

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Nexus&MDS

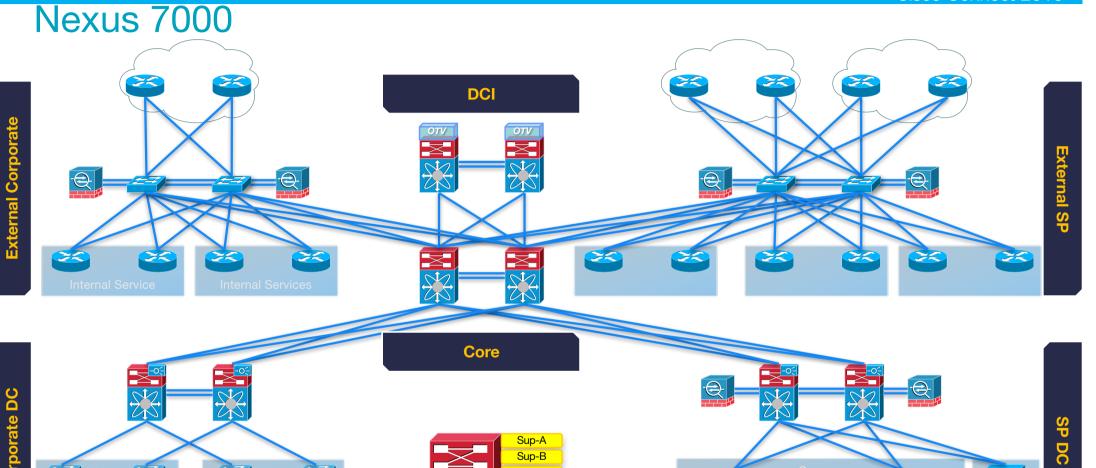




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Sup-A Sup-B F3 Card

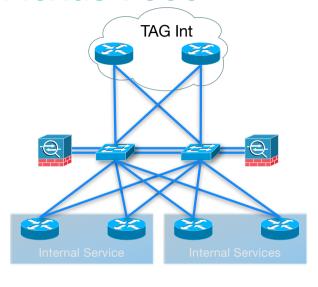
F3 Card Free Slot Free Slot

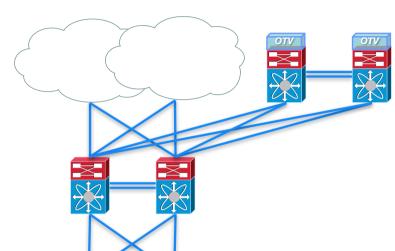
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Nexus 7000

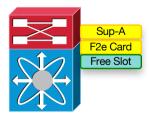


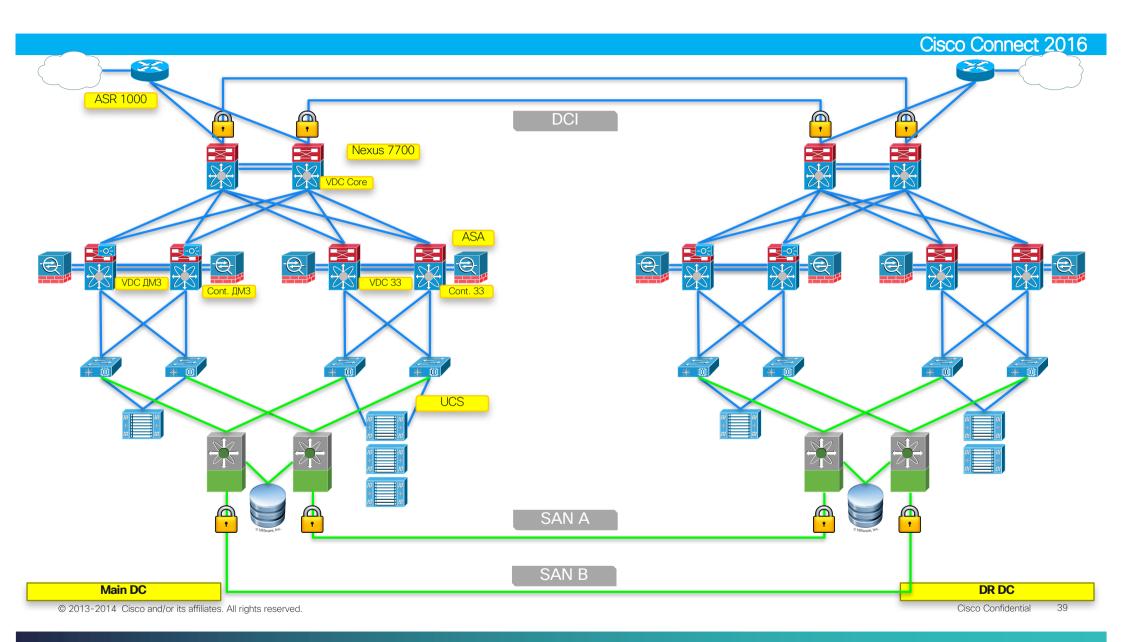


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Core

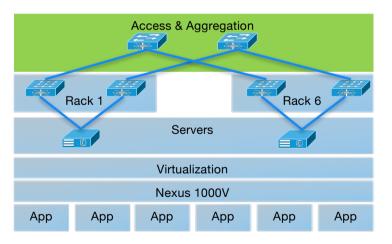
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Access & Aggregatio Layer - Nexus 9000

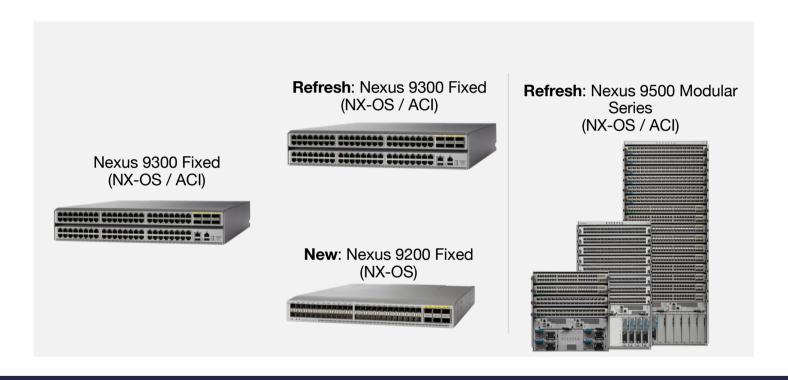




- Overall Cisco Data Center product portfolio
- Price
- Programmability
- Road to ACI
- Modular and fixed
- 1/10/40/100Gbit/s
- Missing some stuff
- UP ports expecting

Leadership with Innovation

Driving 10/25/40/50/100G Across the Entire Portfolio



PRICE
~50% Less Cost
per 100G port

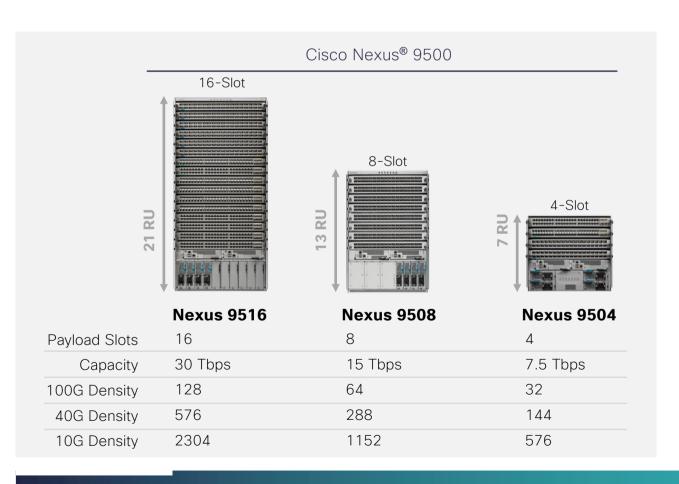
PERFORMANCE 3.6 Tbps / Slot

PORT DENSITY 33% more line rate 100G ports PROGRAMMABILITY
Open NX-OS

~15% less power per 100G port

Cisco Nexus 9500 Platform Switches

Density in DC Optimized Footprint



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Fabric Bandwidth: 1.92 Tbps/ slot

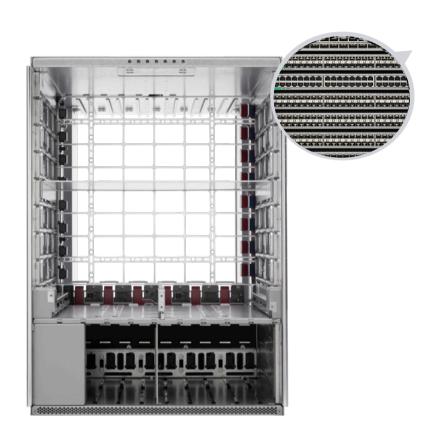
Cloud Deployment Options: ACI, VxLAN, NX-OS

Multi-Generation Investment Protection: No Mid-plane, Power Supply Headroom

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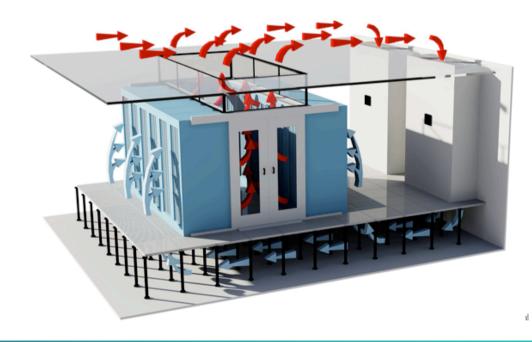
True Front-To-Back Airflow

Streamlined Operations For Next-Generation Data Center Designs



No Mid Plane and Perforated Faceplate for True Front-to-Back Cooling

- Save Cooling and Power
- Same chassis for multiple generations of line cards and fabric modules



Nexus 9300 Fixed Series

ACI Leaf and NX-OS Switches

Integrated Uplink | CY'14-15

Modular Uplink | 2HCY'13

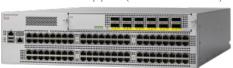
9396 SFP+(48x10+12x40G)



9396 Copper (48x10+12x40G)



93128 Copper (96x10+8x40G)



Available Uplinks

- 12p 40G QSFP+
- 6p 40G QSFP+
- 6p 40G QSFP+ E
- 4p 100G CFP2



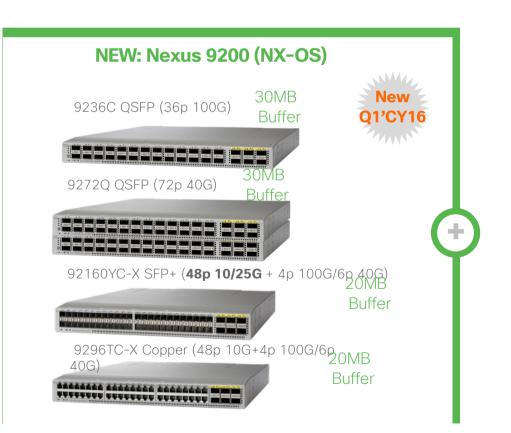


CY13-15

Dual-core CPU 64 GB SSD 16 GB Memory

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Nexus 9200 and 9300 Fixed Series



REFRESH: Nexus 9300 (ACI & NX-OS)

40MB Buffer, Netflow*



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93108TC-EX Copper (48p 10G+ 6p 40/100G)



CY16+

Dual-core CPU 64 GB SSD 16 GB Memory

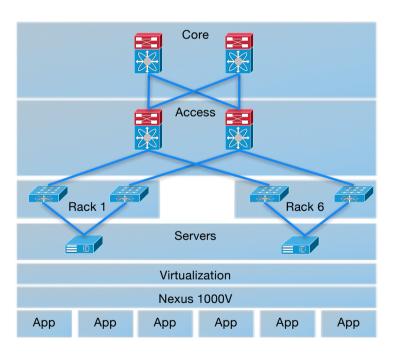
350K I 3 Table

Hybrid 10/25G SFP+ port for flexible access migration

Hybrid 40/100G QSFP+ port for flexible uplink $migrati \stackrel{\text{Cisco }}{on } {}^{\text{Confidential}}$

* Hardware Readiness. Check software roadmap for enablement timelines

SDN/Programability



- Why SDN
- It is faster
- Tasks are repeatable and reusable
- M2M communication
- DC are growing the teams are not
- · Integration with cloud
- Simplify operations
- Increased security
- Policy based network management

Choose one

Application Centric Infrastructure



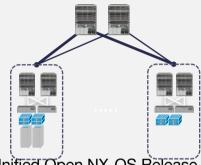
- ACI Fabric
- ACI Policy Model
- APIC (The Controller)
- Hypervisor Integration, VMWare, MSFT and KVM
- Integration and Automation of L4-7 Services
- Nexus 9000

Programmable Fabric VTS 2.0



Virtual Topology System (VTS) for software overlay provisioning and management across for Nexus 2K-9K (2H 2015) • Standards-based fabric support on Nexus 5600/7x00 with VXLAN BGP EVPN (shipping with Nexus 9000 today)

Programmable Network

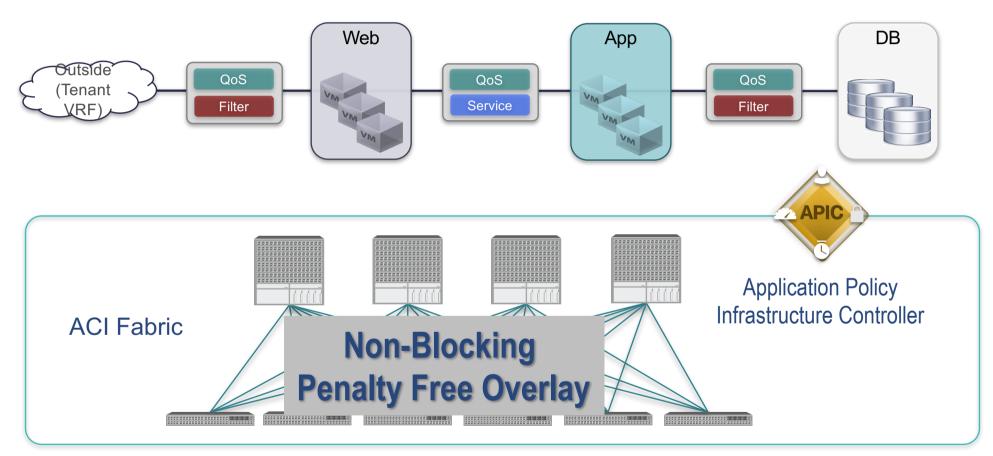


NEW! Unified Open NX-OS Release for Nexus 3000 and Nexus 9000 (Q3 2015) • Enhancements to NX-API – object store and model driven • Native 3rd party RPM applications integration (tcollector, Nagios, Ganglia, Puppet / Chef etc.) • Linux utilities support for seamless tool integration across compute and network • SDK for custom application integration NEW! Common NX-API across N2KN9K

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ACI Fabric

Logical network provisioning of stateless hardware



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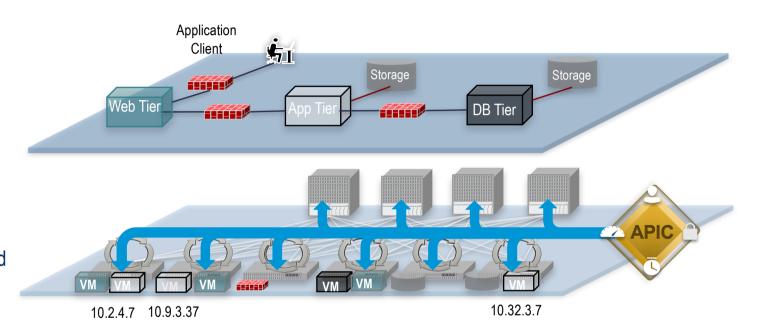
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ACI – 21st Century Distributed Systems in Action

Application Policy Model: Defines the application requirements (Application Network Profile)

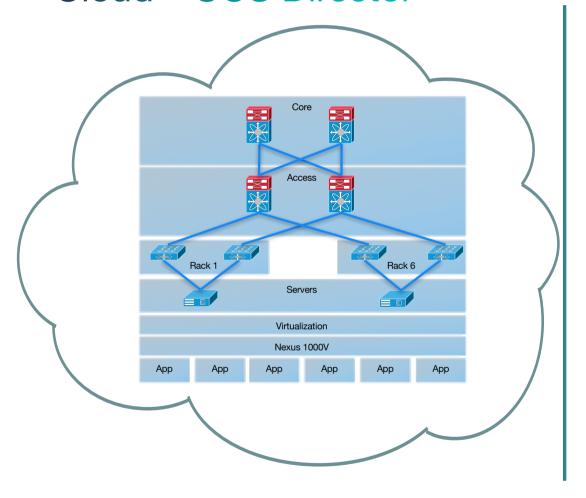


Policy Instantiation: Each device dynamically instantiates the required changes based on the policies



- All forwarding in the fabric is managed via the Application Network Profile
 - IP addresses are fully portable anywhere within the fabric
 - Security & Forwarding are fully decoupled from any physical or virtual network attributes
 - Devices autonomously update the state of the network based on configured policy requirements

Cloud - UCS Director

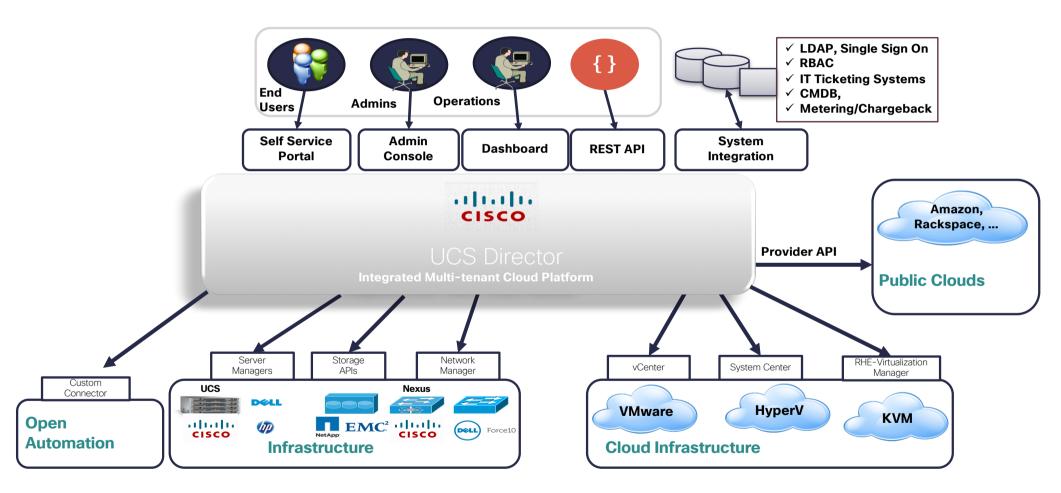


A multi-vendor, multi-tenant, multi-hypervisor provisioning and management solution that provides comprehensive infrastructure control, management and monitoring via a single pane of glass

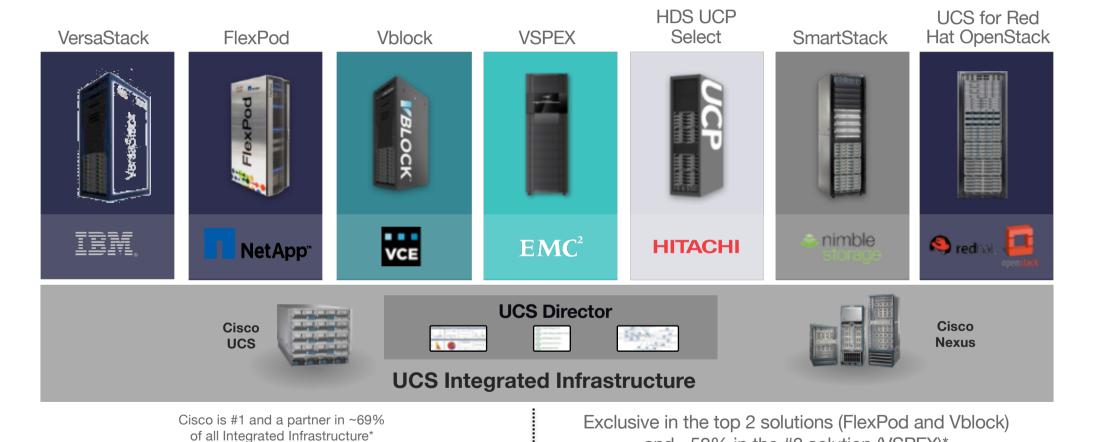
Cisco UCSD automates the provisioning of resource pools across **physical** and **virtual** from a unified centralized management console, reducing time-to-value for both applications and end users.

Cisco UCSD delivers unified management for the industry's leading converged infrastructure solutions, which are based on the Cisco Unified Computing System (UCS) and Nexus platforms.

Cisco UCSD Turn-Key Solution Overview



UCS Integrated Infrastructure



and ~50% in the #3 solution (VSPEX)*

*IDC Worldwide Integrated Infrastructure and Platforms Tracker, April 29, 2014

Thank you.

