

Optimize your enterprise with Future-Ready IT solutions

"Make IT more efficient!"

- Converge to scale up
- Couple applications & infrastructure
- Use proprietary software & hardware

Operational Efficiency

Your applications & infrastructure

**Future-Ready IT solutions** 

IT evolution and scalability on your terms using common infrastructure

- Easy-to-use, **right-sized** platforms
- Modular & flexible approach

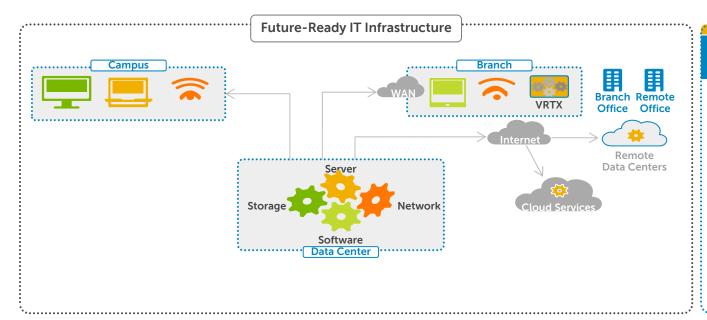
"Make IT more cloud-like!"

- Replicate to scale out
- Configure applications & infrastructure
- Assemble open-source software & commodity hardware

Price/Performance



# Future Ready IT Server Solutions



#### **Dell Servers**

# Computing solutions from your scale to hyperscale

- Power complex workloads
- Improve operational efficiency
- Reduce costs
- Increase productivity
- Adapt easily to rapidly changing business needs



We stand on the cusp of the next technological revolution.

The forces of cloud, big data, mobile and security are changing the way people live, businesses operate and the world works, just as the PC did. Now it's time to do what Dell does best—make these innovations simpler, more affordable and more accessible, putting more power into the hands of more people than ever before.

*Michael Dell September 2013* 



## Traditional server environments have many challenges...

- Rigid and inflexible platforms lead to "rip-and-replace" upgrades
- Time-consuming management processes lead to inefficiency
- Architectural limitations require overprovisioning to meet SLAs during peak activity

# We know.

# One out of every four servers

is manufactured by Dell.



## Server Industry Trends ...

- 1. Accelerating business demands are driving the evolution of workloads, requiring greater infrastructure flexibility
- 2. Growth in non-traditional and cloud deployment models
- 3. Virtualization is pervasive
- 4. Continued challenges with operational and capital cost containment
- 5. Increasing user expectations driven by "always on, instant access" devices
- ...creating opportunities for customer inspired innovation



# Dell continues to evolve server infrastructures based on feedback from you...

#### **Enhanced manageability**

- Improve operations and recover lost time by utilizing pervasive automation and embedded capabilities
- Maximize uptime with simplified interactions and enhanced serviceability

### Improved efficiency

- Reduce resource consumption and enhance performance per watt
- Deploy versatile performance using scalable and agile platforms optimized for specific workloads

General purpose Distributed applications

Design philosophy

- Consistent
- Versatile
- Reliable
- Workload-focused
- Scalable
- Virtualization-optimized

Scale





# Address the widest range of applications with versatile configurations

"The PowerEdge portfolio provides customers with a wide range of choices that reflects the needs of their specific computing environments. Customers shouldn't have to work to fit the computer to their environment – we've done that for them."



## Dell Server strategy

- 1 Maximize operational effectiveness
- Optimize
  flexibility at any scale
- Ensure
  worry-free computing

## Superior customer benefit

- Greater IT efficiency
- Superior IT agility
- Better IT reliability

... delivering results from your scale to hyperscale



Maximize constraint operational effectiveness

by reducing the complexities of infrastructure management and optimizing resource consumption

Optimize on-premises or cloud-enabled IT by controlling operating costs and resource utilization



#### **Automation**

Increase productivity
with replicable
processes that use
fewer manual steps to
perform essential tasks
in less time

- iDRAC8 with Lifecycle Controller technology
- Zero touch deployment



#### **Simplification**

Deliver maximum
uptime and
functionality using
fewer tools
that leverage
embedded, agent-free
management

- OpenManage Mobile
- iDRAC Quick Sync
- iDRAC Direct



# Resource Optimization

Improve resource utilization dramatically with enhanced density, energy and time- saving advantages for unparalleled TCO

- Fresh Air 2.0
- In-system power characterization

Optimize flexibility at any scale

by providing versatile solutions tailored to deliver maximum performance for your environments and workloads

Scale to meet today's "always on, instant access" demands simply and economically



Customize your IT environment for specific workloads with selectable and upgradeable elements

- Flash/Hybrid local storage
- Select Network Adapters
- Express Flash 2.0 SSDs



Deploy and grow at the precise pace your needs dictate with adaptable, scalable infrastructures

- M-Series Blades
- PowerEdge VRTX
- Data Center Solutions



#### Management

Manage your systems using the tools that best fit your individual environment

- OpenManage Essentials
- Integration Suites
- Connections

Ensure worry-free computing

by delivering robust, highlyavailable platforms designed for your specific needs Maximize your uptime to deliver critical results the instant they are needed



#### Resiliency

Get assured uptime for confident computing operations

- Optimized airflow
- Fault Resilient Memory
- Pre-failure notification



#### Redundancy

Ensure hardware remains on-line and available to better support your critical workloads

- Power & cooling
- PERC9 RAID
- Failsafe Virtualization



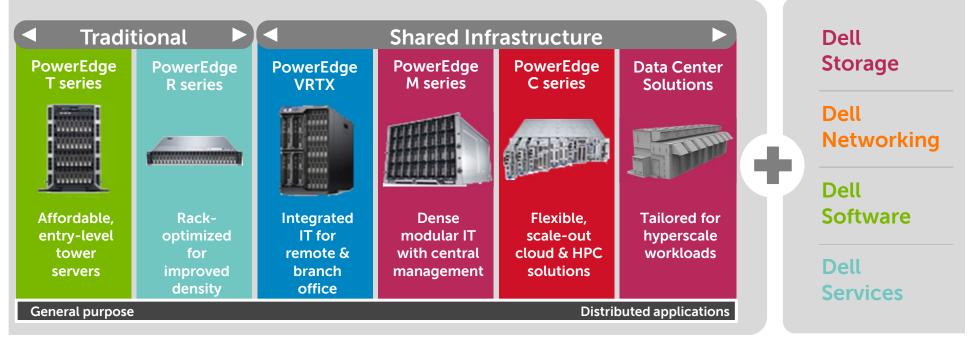
#### Recoverability

Speed your return to productivity with quick and easy interaction

- SupportAssist
- Tech Support Report
- Auto parts replacement

# The Dell Enterprise Server Solutions Portfolio

Workload-optimized solutions for any size enterprise



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# Compute from your scale to hyperscale



- Deliver the precise levels of✓ computational power needed for your complex workloads
- Improve operational efficiencywith agent-free, embedded systems management
- Reduce costs with the world's leading energy efficient platforms
- Increase productivity with industry-leading virtualization
- Adapt to evolving workloads and rapidly changing business needs simply and economically



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