

Common Blade Solutions

for the Adaptive Enterprise 2195

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Agenda

- Overview of ProLiant Blade Systems
- Blades within a Multi-tiered Internet Architecture – best practices
- Solution Architectures – typical configurations
- Blade Solutions at HP world

ProLiant BL multi-tiered portfolio

edge server blades

BL e-Class (BL10e)

static web server
infrastructure apps
(firewall, gateway, security, DNS, DHCP)
computational cluster node

2P performance front & mid-tier server blades

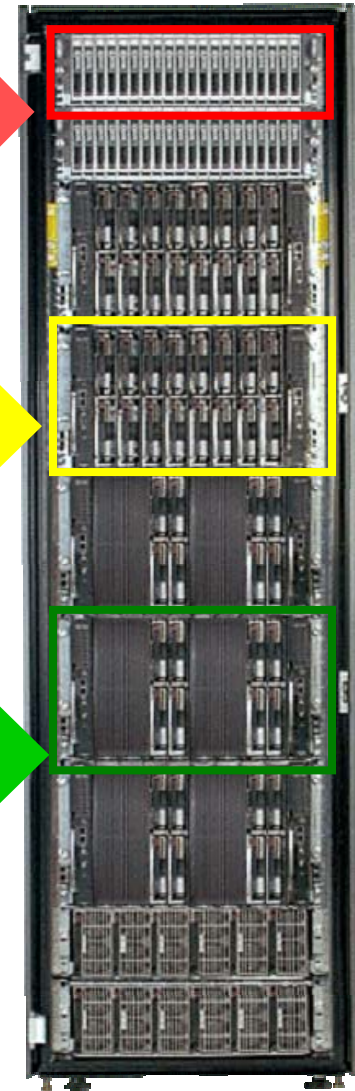
BL p-Class (BL20p, BL20p G2)

dynamic web / ASP hosting
computational cluster node
terminal server farm
AV, media streaming

4P performance back-end server blades

BL p-Class (BL40p)

database server
mail / messaging server
HA failover cluster



Customer needs drive a new server architecture...

- Comprehensive portfolio
 - power-efficient front-end blades
 - mid-tier performance blades
 - high performance back-end blades
- Rapid serviceability and continuous uptime
 - rapid deployment and redeployment tools
 - hardware and software
- Centralized management
 - servers, networking and applications
 - intelligent power and provisioning management
 - Centrally manage your data center 1 blade or '000s ... anywhere...anytime
- Investment protection
 - mix with "legacy" servers and storage
 - longevity of architecture and interconnects
 - rack compatibility: ProLiant, 3rd party, Telco interconnects



TCO impacts across the lifecycle

Lifecycle stage	TCO impact of blades
Acquisition	Pay as you go – adding additional blades is less expensive than adding additional rack mounted servers; upgrade and replacement blades are also less costly
Planning	Blades require upfront planning, but pay off quickly in terms of savings for installing and managing new and redeployed blades
Deployment and provisioning	Hardware deployment is simple – plug blades into enclosure; Software deployment can be automated, image or script-based
Maintenance	Fewer service errors due to more streamlined modular architecture; Higher availability due to fewer components per server (i.e. power)
Upgrades and replacements	With software provisioning tools, upgrades and replacements are simply plug and play (no re-cabling)
Re-provisioning	Re-provisioning is a drag-and-drop event – this saves time and resources while maximizing hardware utilization

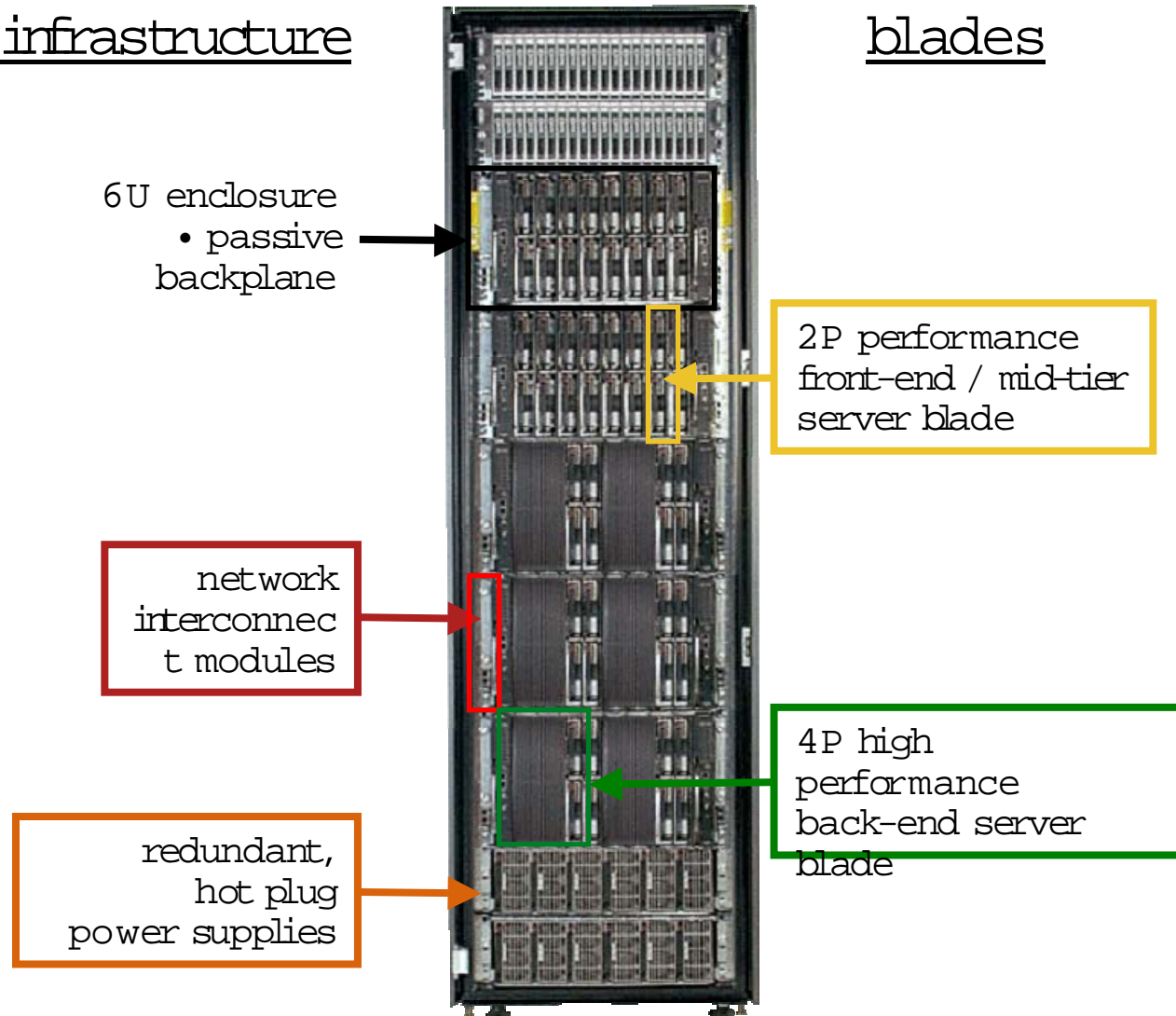
Blades promote standardization of hardware/software building blocks to lower TCO throughout lifecycle

ProLiant BL p-Class

anatomy

infrastructure

blades

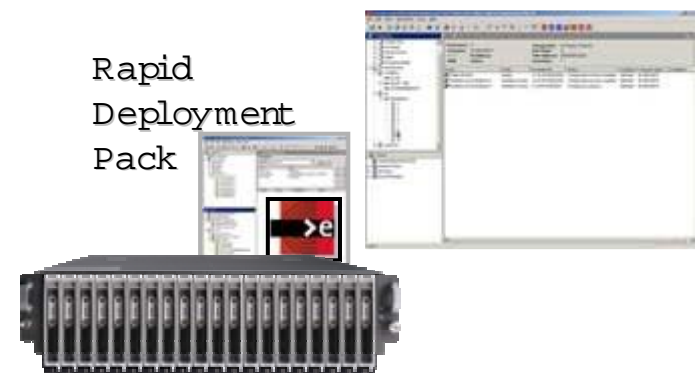


Essential System Software to Provision Blade System Components

Network & Storage Provisioning



Server Deployment & Provisioning



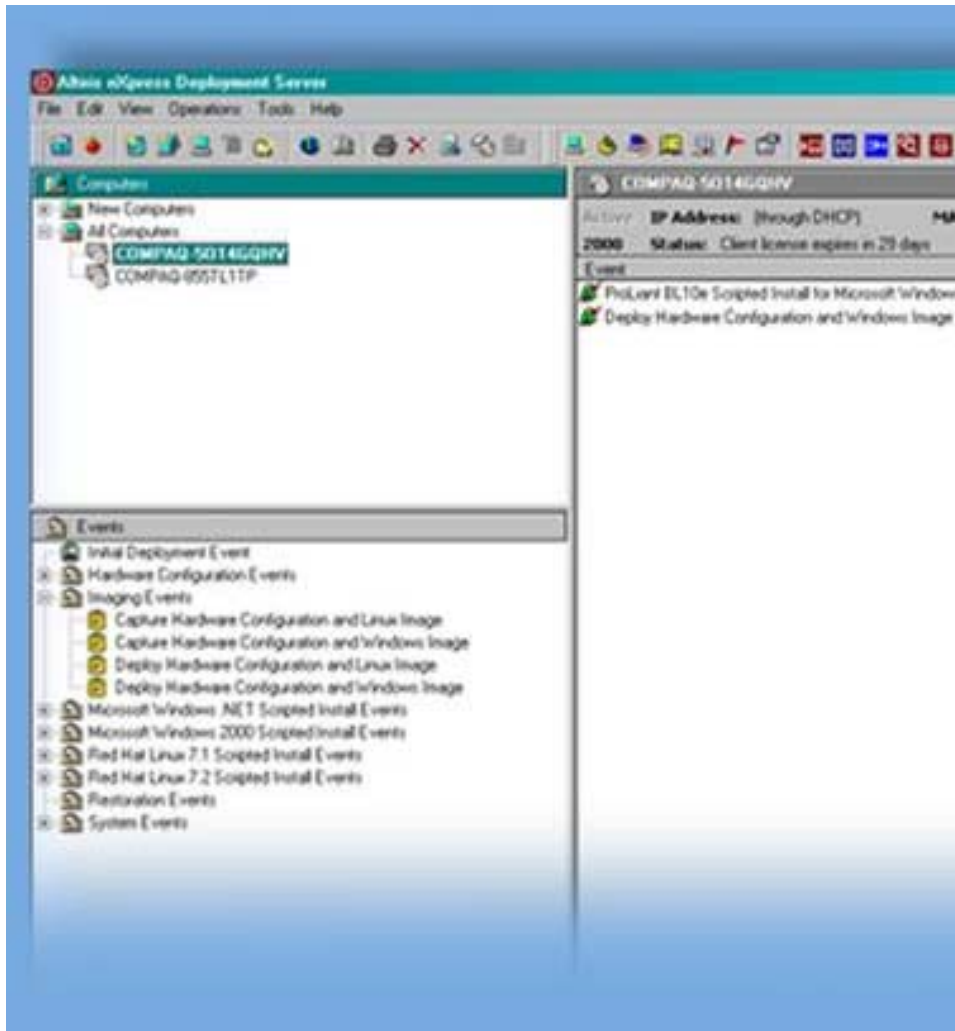
Local and Remote Server Management

Element Management -
Insight
Manager 7



Service Level
Management
- OpenView

ProLiant Essentials Rapid Deployment Pack



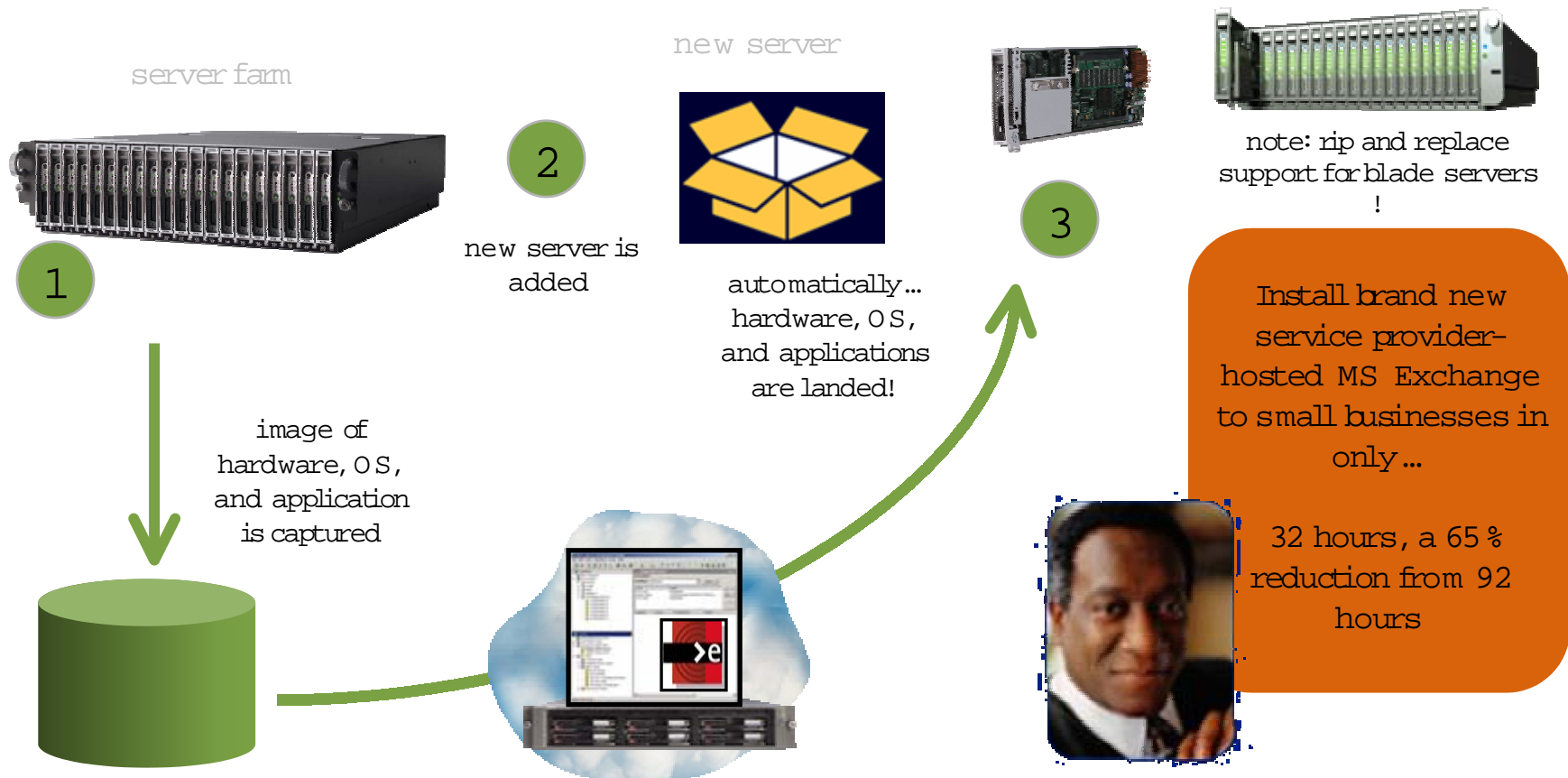
What is Rapid Deployment Pack?

- GUI, console-based deployment server
- **Drag-and-drop** servers into configurations
- Built-in pxe services and pxe image tools
- Network booting for **headless deployment**
- Deploy via **scripting or imaging**
- Built in script generation and editing
- **Remote power control** through wake-on-LAN, nlo or integrated lights-out

Blade Optimizations

- **Rip-and-Replace** for easy serviceability
- **Grouping of blade servers** in the console by physical location of rack/enclosure/bay
- **Advanced automated policies** to preconfigure virtual rack/enclosure/bay (future feature)

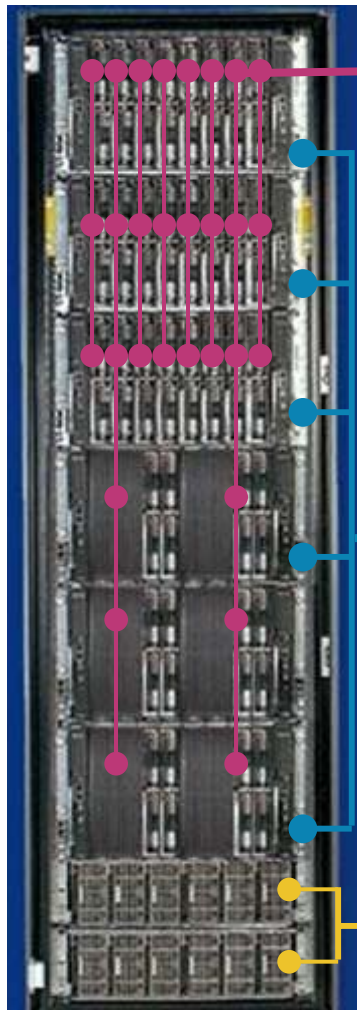
Rapid Deployment Pack



lifecycle deployment solution for multi-server installations
automates resource intensive deployment processes

Intelligent Rack Infrastructure

Integrated Lights-Out Advanced throughout Architecture



p-Class blades

- Remote console & media
- OS independent
- 'always on'
- Secure (SSH) connection

chassis & interconnect

- environmental monitoring
- blade presence
- interconnect activity

power

- management and alerts
- capacity and budgeting

Insight Manager 7 visualization and control

Container Information

Rack Name: [ICERack1](#)
Enclosure Name: [Enclosure1](#)
Slot Number: 7
Server Dimensions: 44mm x 267mm x 711mm

LEGEND:

- Server
- Current server
- Interconnect
- Power supply enclosure

HP Blade Server Alliance Program

enabling the solution ecosystem

Broad ISV interest and support for
ProLiant BL blade systems



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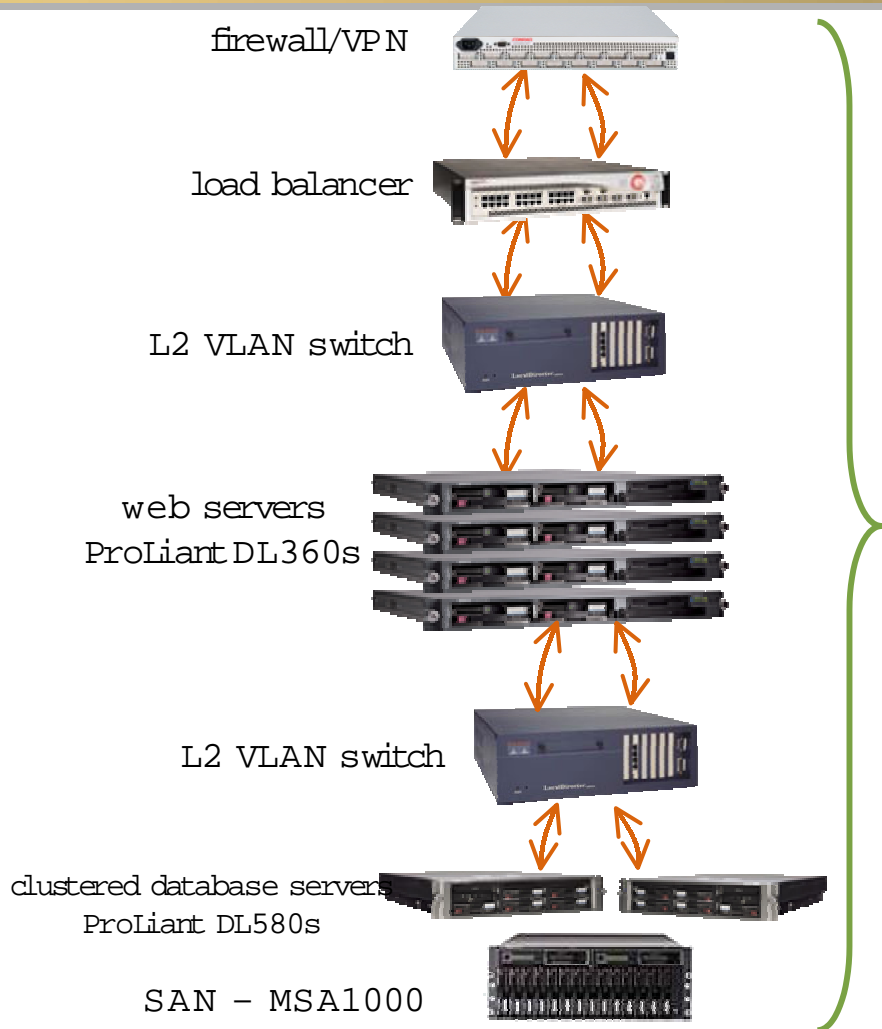
Program elements:

- Tested and verified application configurations
- Opportunities for joint marketing awareness and sales engagement
- Opportunities to integrate with unique HP blade, blade infrastructure and software capabilities (e.g. virtual presence; automated deployment; server, storage and service-level management, etc.)

Blades within a Multi-tiered Internet Architecture



Blade systems: integration of servers, network, and storage



rack-mounted server architecture



- ProLiant BL10e
- L2 VLAN switch
- ProLiant BL20p
ProLiant BL40p
- L2 VLAN switch
- BL p-Class Power
- Management Servers
- SAN MSA1000

blade system architecture

Best Practices

- Use blade disks for O/S, applications, and paging
- Use “shared storage” for user and application data
- Take advantage of the blade management tools (software deployment, monitoring, & provisioning) for maximum ROI & lowest TCO
- Use Blade systems as a “catalyst” for improving datacenter efficiency (*note: a blade TCO model is available from your HP sales representative*)

Usages & Solutions

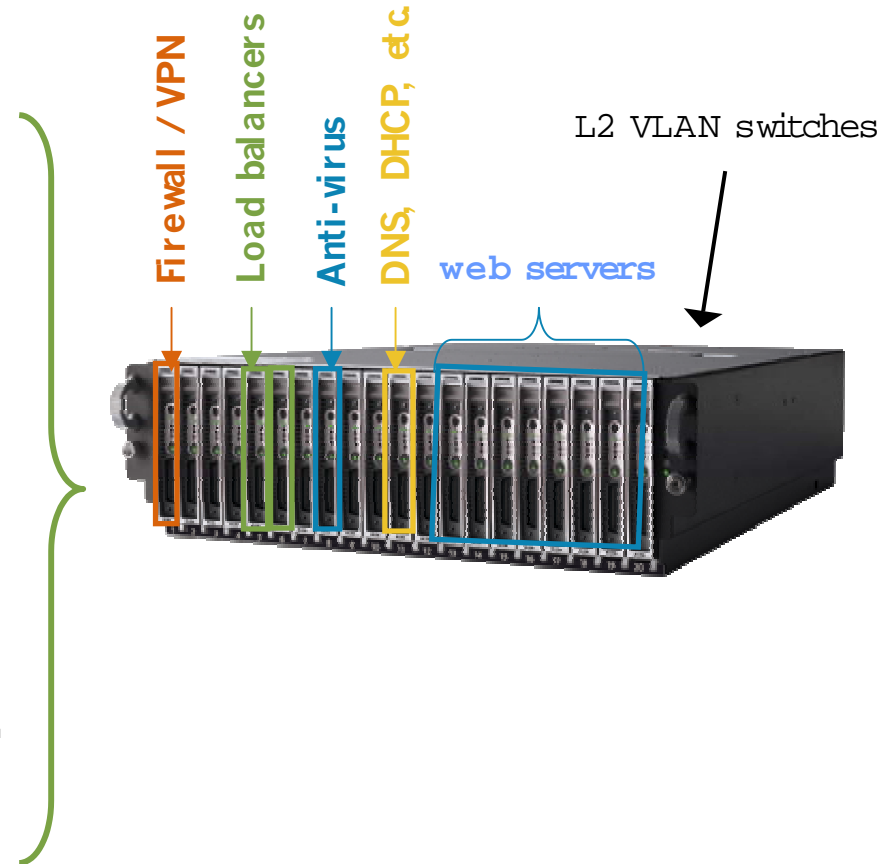
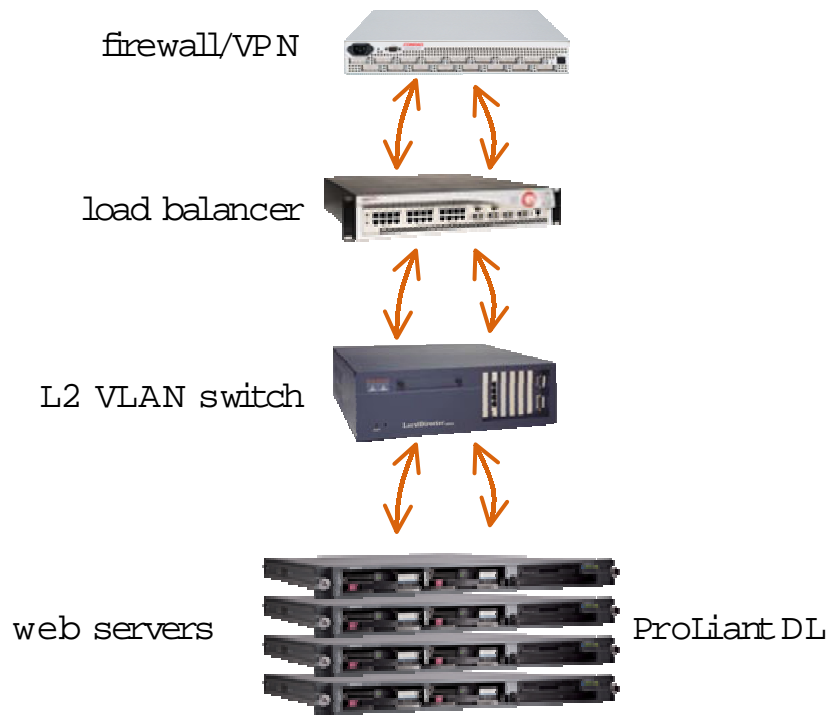
- infrastructure applications
- internet applications
- enterprise applications



Infrastructure Applications

- load balancing (F5 Networks, Zeus)
- traffic management (F5 Networks)
- firewalls (Checkpoint, V-One)
- management & monitoring (Insight Manager, OpenView, Microsoft MOM, NetIQ, etc.)
- VPN (Checkpoint, V-One)
- security (Intrusion detection, anti-virus, etc.)
- provisioning (UDC, Corosoft, Consera, Sychron, etc.)
- software deployment (ProLiant Rapid Deployment Pack)
- wireless mobility (Blackberry, Extended Systems, Microsoft MIS & Windows 2003)
- partitioning (WMP, VMware)
- DNS, DHCP, etc.

Web & Infrastructure Front-Ends: BL e-class



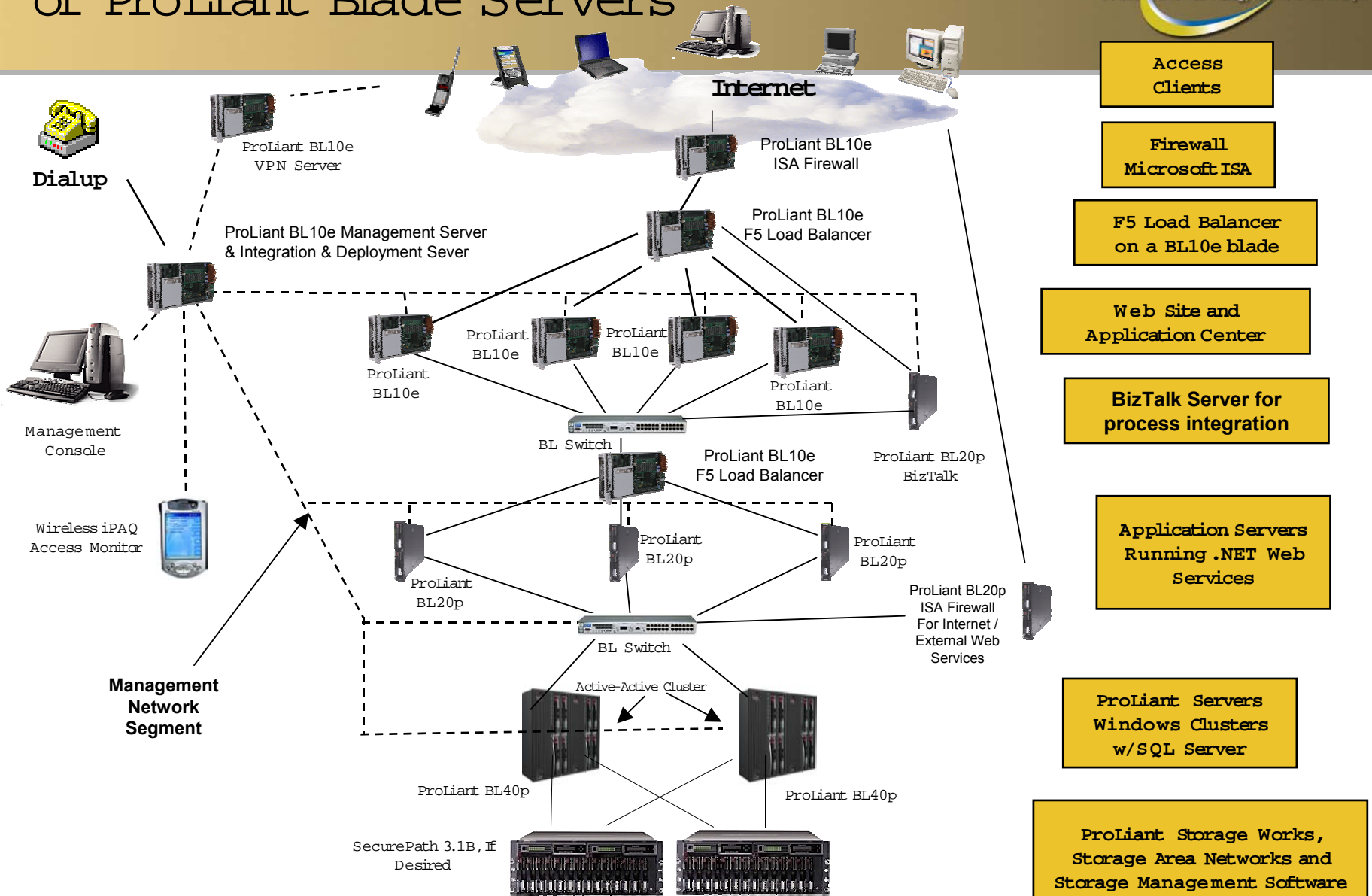
rack-mounted server architecture

blade server enclosure

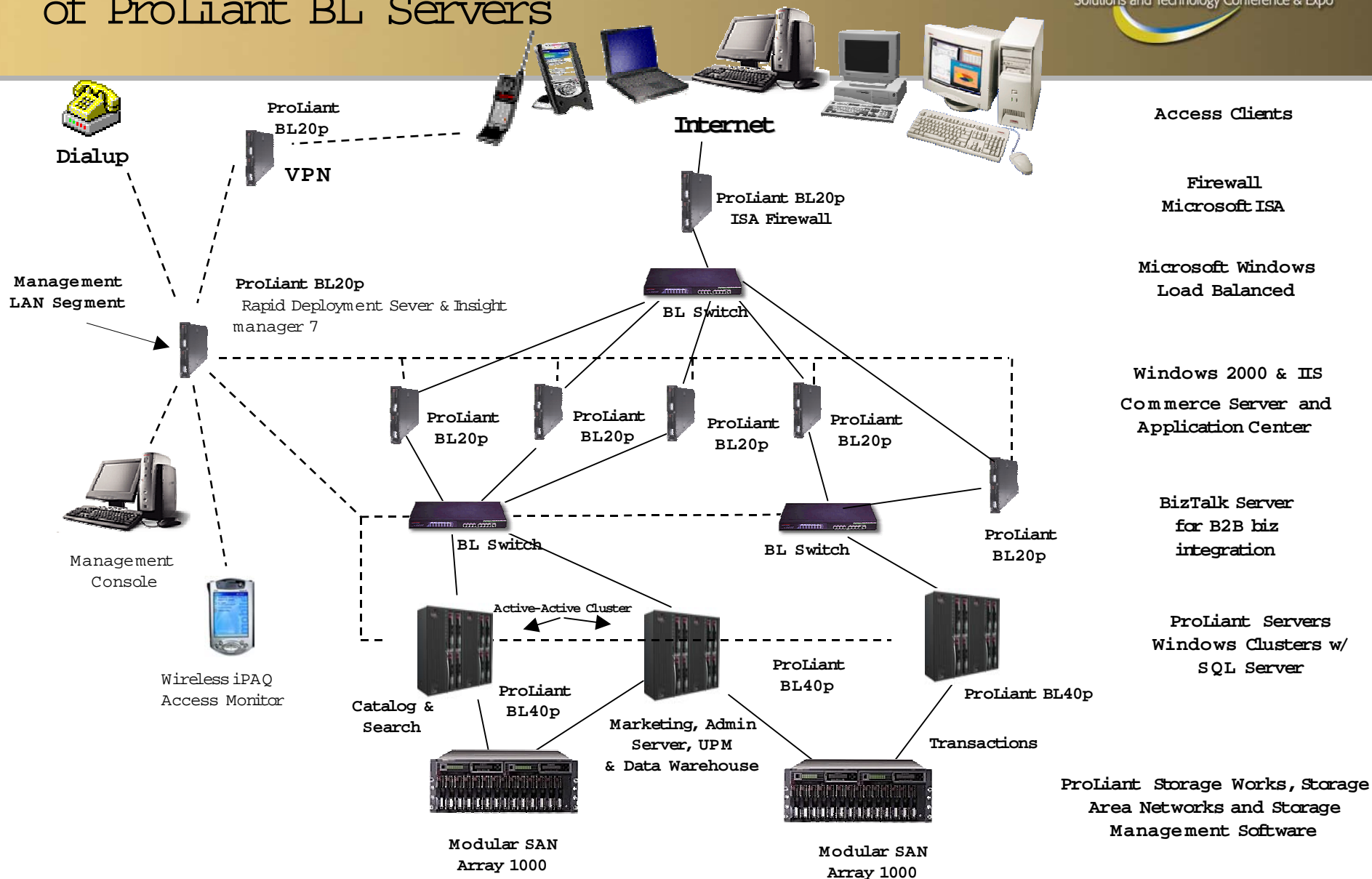
Internet Applications

- Windows web hosting
- Linux web hosting
- Trading partner enablement
- Microsoft solution for Internet business
 - Internet Presence
 - Internet Commerce (B2C, B2B and multi-channel e-commerce)
 - Enterprise Content Portals (intranet and extranet portals)
 - Enterprise Content Management
- Streaming Media
- Linux Sendmail
- Portal solutions

Web Hosting and Web Services Application of ProLiant Blade Servers



E-Commerce Storefront Example Application of ProLiant BL Servers



ProLiant BL10e Servers with Windows Media 4



Internet

Access Clients

Microsoft ISA Firewall

F5 Load Balancer

Windows Media Services for Windows 2000 Server

Media File Storage 500 GB

ProLiant Essentials Deployment Server



ProLiant DL360 G2



Management Console



ProLiant BL Switch

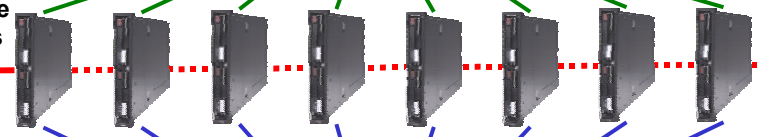


ProLiant BL10e



ProLiant BL10e

ProLiant BL10e Media Servers



10/100 Switch

Management LAN Segment



COMPAQ
iPAQ Pocket PC

Wireless ProLiant Access Monitor



ProLiant BL Switch

StorageWorks NAS b2000



ProLiant BL20p Servers with Windows Media 9



Internet

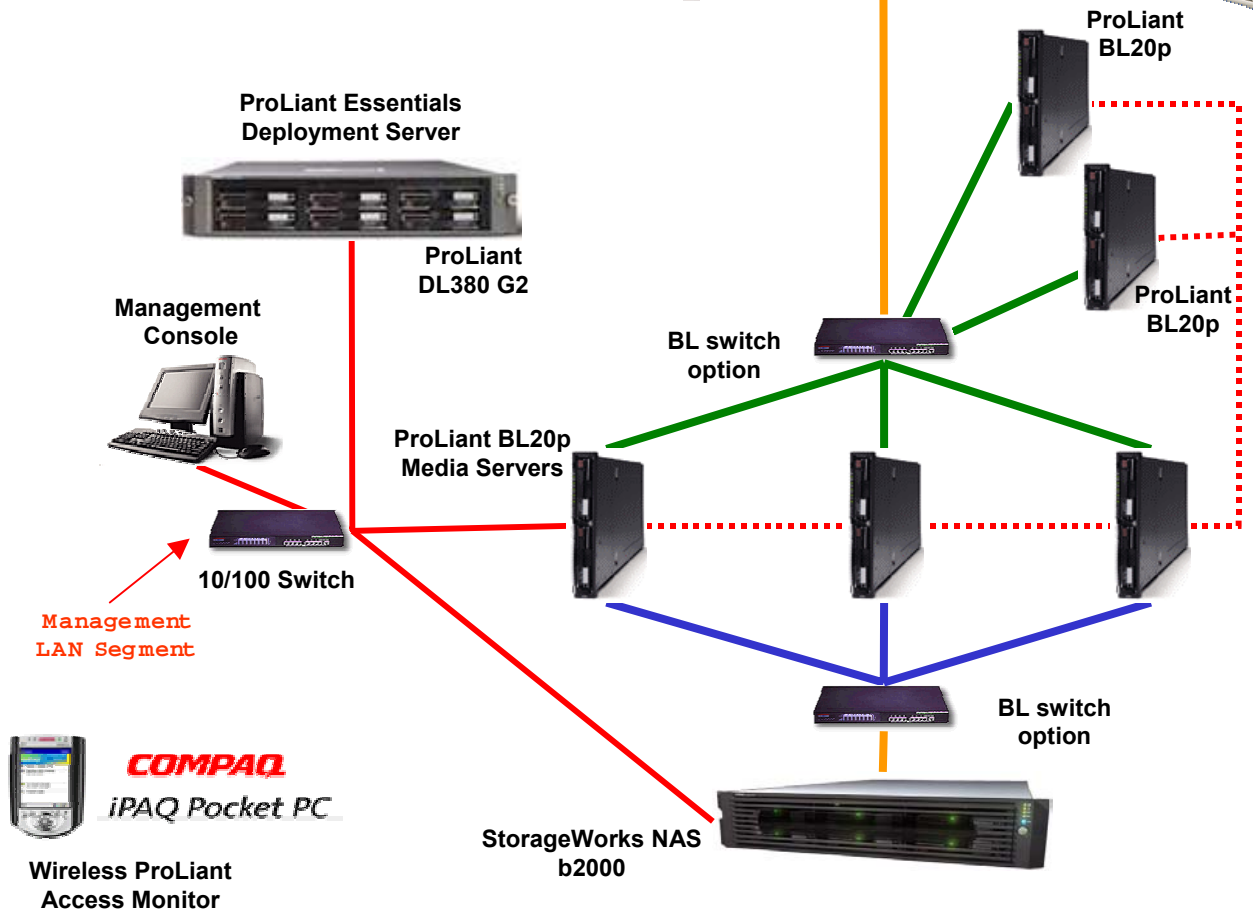
Access Clients

Microsoft ISA Firewall

F5 Load Balancer

Windows Media Services for Windows .NET Server

Media File Storage 500 GB to 9 TB



Enterprise Applications

- enterprise applications
 - SAP
 - Siebel
 - PeopleSoft
 - JD Edwards
 - Microsoft Exchange
 - Lotus Domino
 - Legacy applications

- Citrix thin client solutions

- BEA WebLogic Application Server

- Other industry specific applications (financial, manufacturing, telecommunications, education, distribution, retail, etc.)

Citrix Server-Based Computing Application of ProLiant Blade Servers

Access Clients



Internet

Dialup

Management Console

Wireless iPAQ Access Monitor

Management Network Segment

ProLiant BL20p VPN Server

ProLiant BL20p Management Server & Integration & Deployment Server

DHCP Server

ProLiant BL20p

DNS Server



ProLiant BL10e

BL Switch



ProLiant BL20pG2

BL Switch

ProLiant BL40P



ProLiant BL40P



Modular SAN Array 1000



Modular SAN Array 1000

Firewall, Web Servers, NFUSE Servers, and/or MetaFrame XP Servers (1 to N Servers)

Citrix MetaFrame XP Load Balanced Server Farm (1 to N Servers)

Citrix MetaFrame XP Data Store ProLiant Servers w/SQL Server

ProLiant Storage Works, Storage Area Networks and Storage Management Software

SAP R/3 Sample Blade Configuration using ProLiant Servers

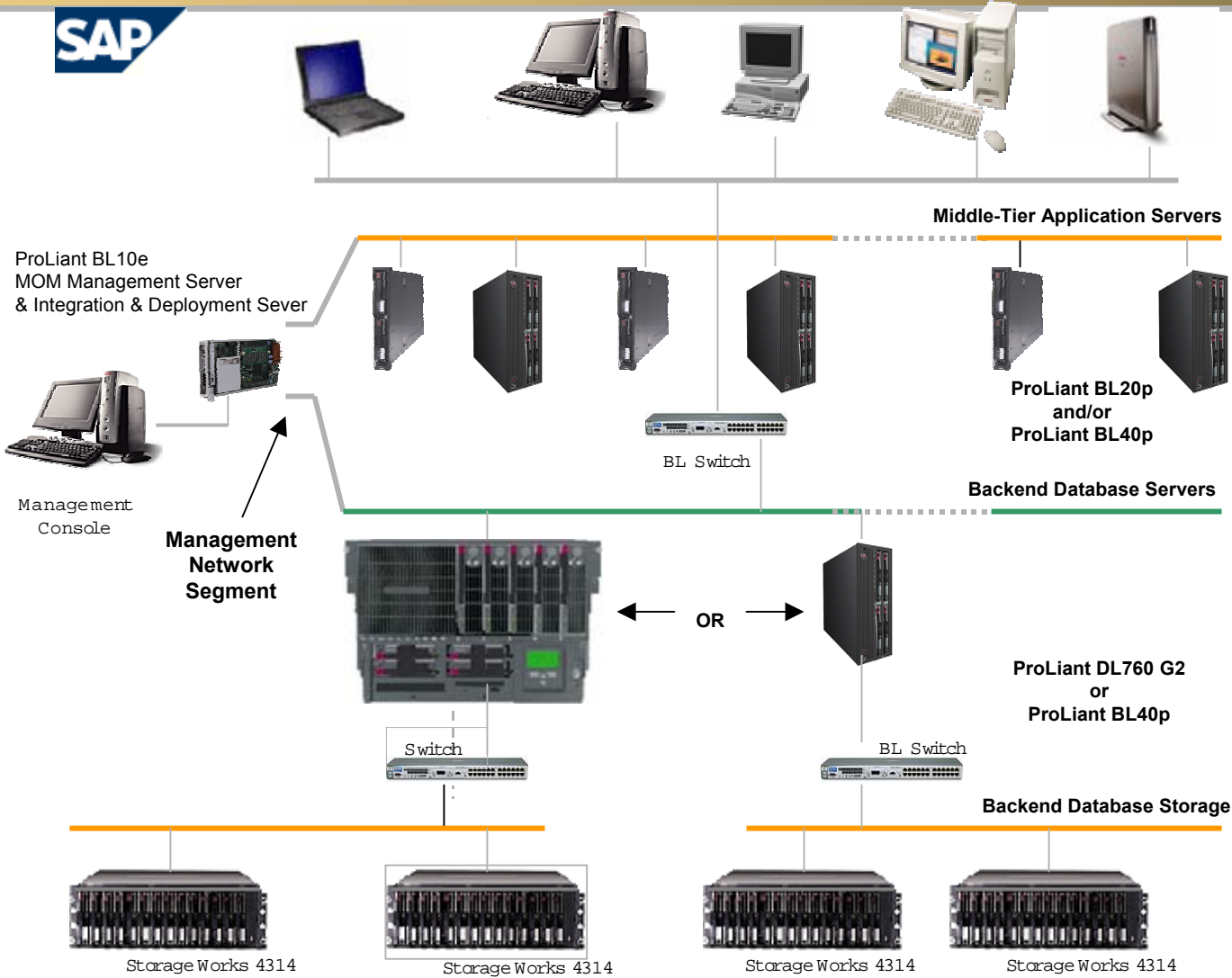


Various SAP Clients

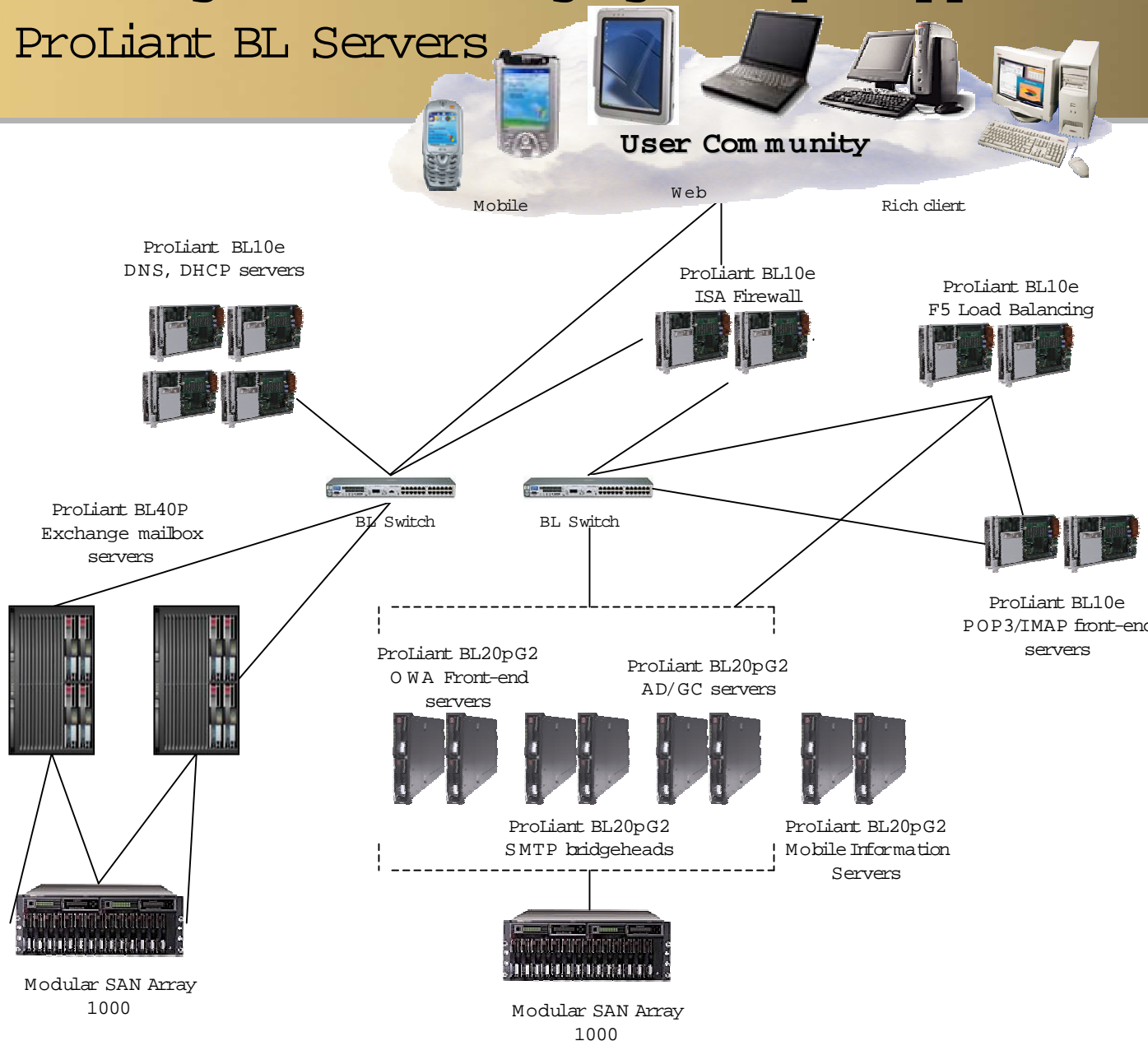
Multiple ProLiant BL20p and/or ProLiant BL40p Servers Provide a Highly Scalable Middle-Tier for SAP Web Application Servers

Backend Database Server using a Single ProLiant DL760 G2 or ProLiant BL40p Server

Easily Expandable Database Storage based on ProLiant StorageWorks



Exchange 2000 Messaging Example Application of ProLiant BL Servers



The Entire Exchange 2000 Messaging Solution (with Mobility)

BL10e Servers

- Load Balancing
- POP3/IMAP FE Servers
- ISA Firewall
- Infrastructure

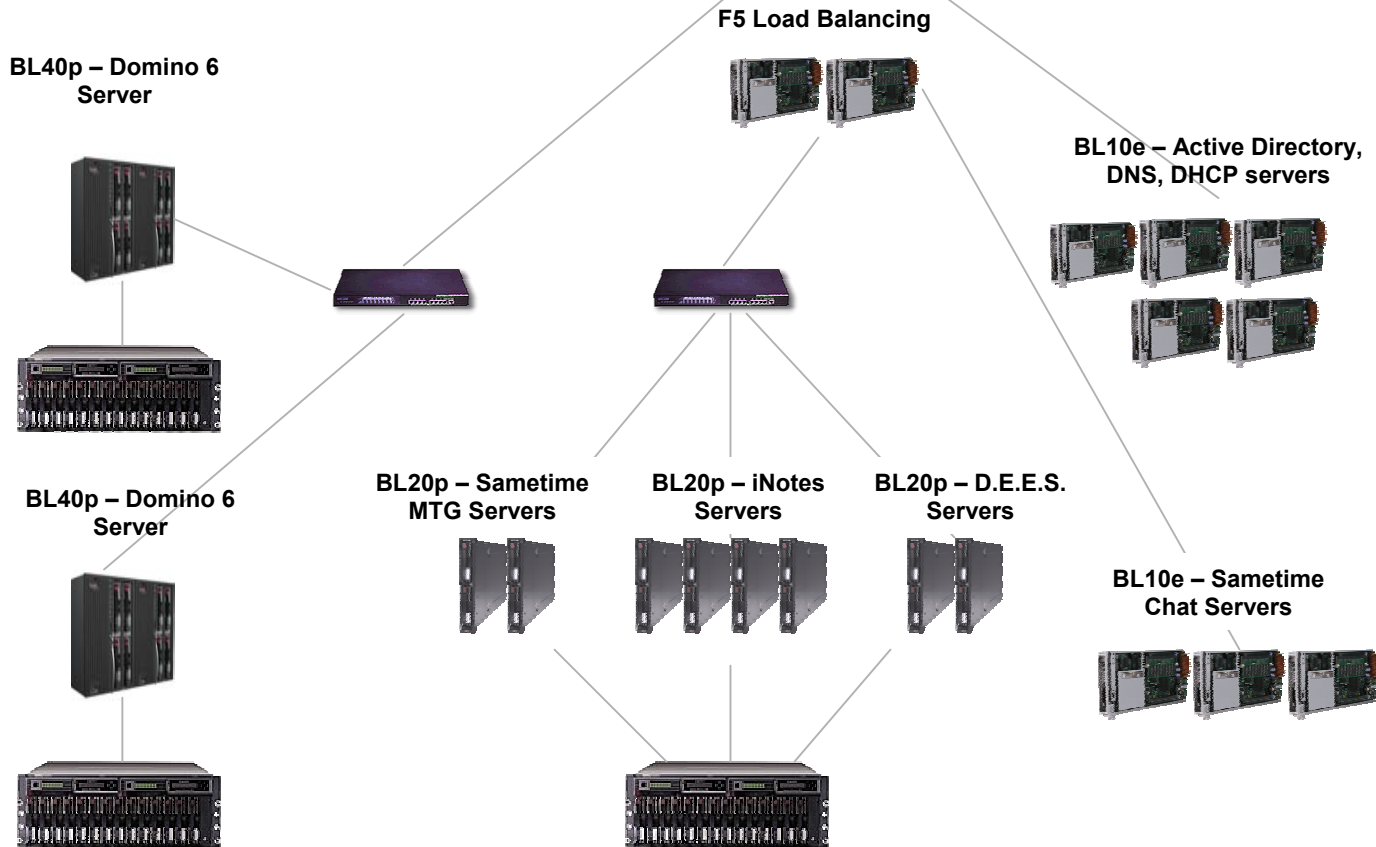
BL20p Servers

- Outlook Web Access
- MMIS mobile access
- SMTP Bridgeheads
- Active Directory / GC

BL40p Servers

- Exchange 2000 mailbox servers

Lotus Messaging Example Application of ProLiant BL Servers



The Entire Lotus Messaging Solution

BL10e Servers

- Load Balancing
- Sametime Chat Servers
- Infrastructure

BL20p Servers

- iNotes Web Access
- Sametime MTG Servers
- D.E.E.S Handheld Access

BL40p Servers

- Domino 6 Full Client Access

Oracle Application Server Sample Configuration using ProLiant Server Blades for Windows and Linux



Various Oracle Clients

Middle-Tier Application servers

ProLiant B20p Servers Provide a Highly Scalable Middle-Tier for Oracle 11i Application Servers

ProLiant BL10e MOM Management Server & Integration & Deployment Server



Management Console

Management Network Segment



BL Switch

ProLiant B20p

Backend Database Servers

Backend Oracle 9i Real Application Clustered Database using 2 or more ProLiant BL40p servers



Fibre Switch

ProLiant BL40p

Backend Database Storage

Easily Expandable Oracle 9i Database Storage based on ProLiant StorageWorks



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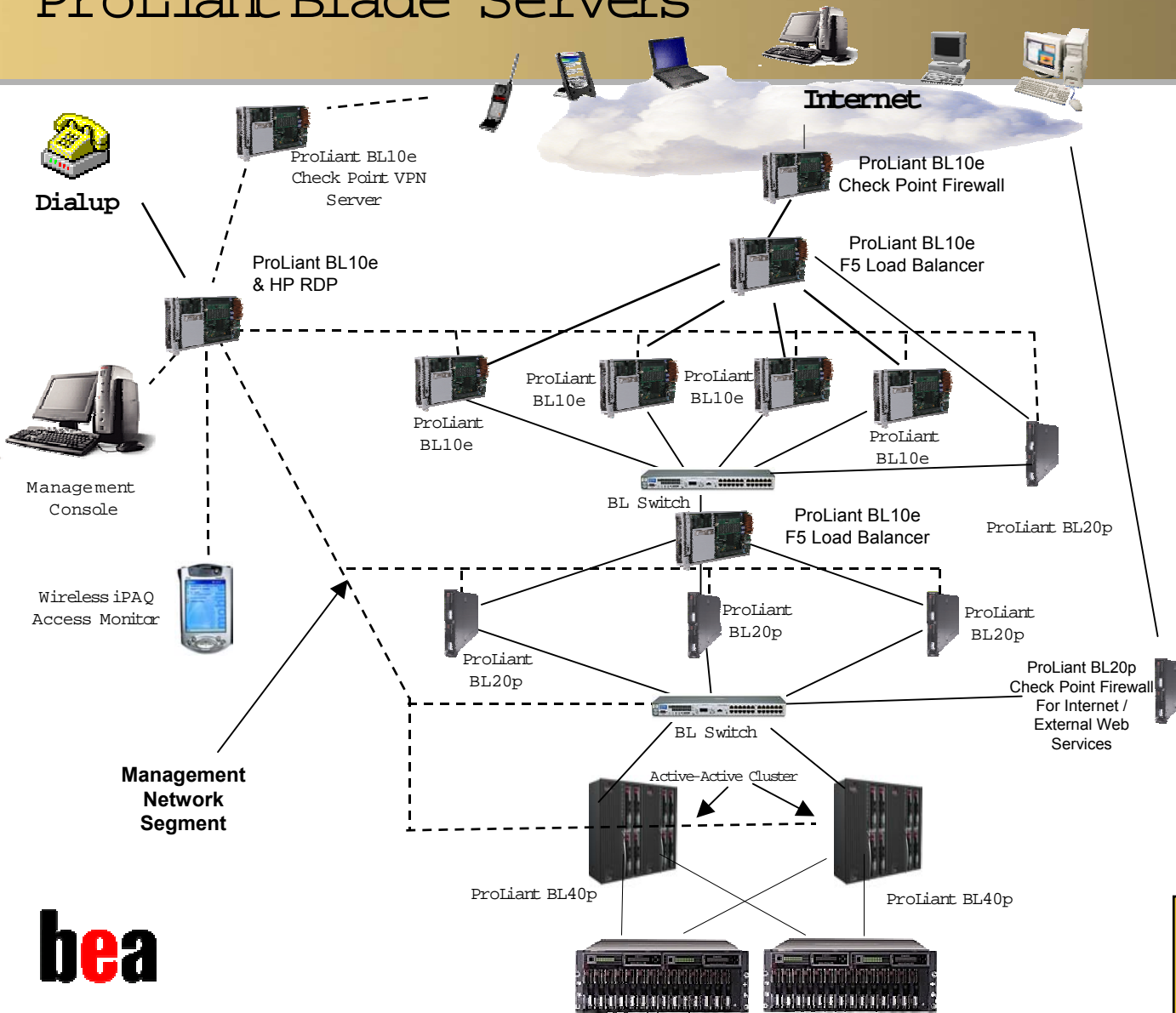


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Modular SAN Array 1000

BEA WebLogic Server Under Linux on ProLiant Blade Servers



Access Clients

Firewall

F5 Load Balancer on a BL10e blade

Covalent Apache Web Servers

Application Servers Running BEA WebLogic Servers

ProLiant Servers w/ Oracle 9i RAC

ProLiant Storage Works, Storage Area Networks and Storage Management Software



Summary

Almost any application for Windows and Linux can be implemented on ProLiant BL Blade systems



ProLiant BL endorsements



"At Starbucks, we have relied on HP ProLiant server technology for more than seven years because it has consistently addressed the rapidly changing needs of our business. Today, HP has done it again with the introduction of the HP ProLiant BL e-Class. The innovative blade design is exactly what we need--it's the right thing at the right time."

---Kenneth Stringer, Vice President, IT Global Shared Services for Starbucks



HP has continued its innovative engineering leadership by delivering the industry-standard performance we rely upon with the optimal power-efficient ProLiant BL10e server blade of the new ProLiant BL e-Class.

---Barry Brazil, Enterprise Architect



By introducing the HP ProLiant BL e-Class into our enterprise data center, we will achieve new levels of efficiencies in power, IT resources, and space that will translate directly into cost-savings and be passed along to our customers' bottom line."

---Todd Preece, Sr. Internet Systems Manager

IT consolidation:

Challenge

New Balance was looking for a server refresh, with maximum ROIT, data center real estate savings and ease-of-deployment capabilities



Solution

HP ProLiant BL20p blade servers and enclosures, which allowed New Balance to deploy in their current ProLiant rack architecture and use the drive compatibility features to save time on data migration.

Results

Decreased the server deployment time from 150 minutes to 15 minutes per server. While compute requirements have grown, the staff required to deploy & manage has stayed the same.

"...I could see lots of possibilities for easy blade upgrades and future technology." – Pierre Baudet, Business Systems Manager, New Balance

Why HP ProLiant blades?

- Comprehensive portfolio, unmatched in the market
- First to market with blades
- Strongest suite of deployment and management tools
- Fully enabled virtual remote management
- Densest blade offering with hot plug SCSI drives (+12%)
- Flexible interconnect options
- Investment protection
- ProLiant advantages (Depth of integration and reliability testing, frontline partnerships, global support)



HP is the best choice for blades!



Blade Applications at HPworld?

- In the HP exhibit area:
 - Microsoft web hosting & automated provisioning using Windows 2003
 - Lotus Notes
 - Sendmail
- In the F5 Networks exhibit area
 - F5 Big-IP Blade Controller software
- In the Microsoft exhibit area:
 - Provisioning blades with Windows tools
- Other sessions & workshops:
 - Quantifying the Value of Blade Systems – 2194
 - Common Blade Solutions for the Adaptive Enterprise - 2195
 - Future Blade System Architectures (NDA) – 2371
 - ProLiant Clusters: deploying Blade Clusters – 2187
 - *Workshop*: Implementing Blade Clusters with MSA1000 – 2274
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