

Virtualize your z/VSE and Linux for efficiency and cloud



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Agenda



- z/VSE Modernization Options
- Wrap-up



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Motivation for change / optimization - Server Sprawl Limitations - Architecture diversification - Platform diversification - Operating Systems sprawl Web Servers zEnterprise Security/Directory SSL/XML Servers Appliances Application Servers Routers Switches File/Print Servers **Business Intelligence** Servers DS Servers Caching Firewall Appliances Servers LAN Servers

- How many x86/Unix servers are deployed every month?
- How much data center space is available, or will it become a problem?
- How big is the energy consumption growing?
- How many additional people are required to maintain the constantly growing number of servers?
- How will the software license cost grow, including the virtualization software?
- How can IT availability ensured, what happens in the case of a disaster?

Do you have to re-think your IT server strategy?



z/VSE supports zEnterprise zEC12 and zBC12 from start !

- Availability date of zEC12 September 19, 2012
- z/VSE supports the zEC12 with z/VSE 4.3 and later
 - No PTFs are requried to run z/VSE on zEC12.
 - As always, there will be PTFs for IOCP, EREP, HLASM.
- zEC12 offers the new Crypto Express4s card.
 - A z/VSE PTF toleration PTF is required to use the configurable Crypto Express4s.
 - This PTF will be offered for z/VSE 5.1 only, that is Crypto Express4s can't be used with z/VSE V4.
 - z/VSE 5.1 (with PTF) supports the Crypto Express4s in (CCA) coprocessor and accelerator mode.
 - PKCS #11 (EP11) coprocessor is not supported

z/VSE supports zEC12 with new OSA Express4s 1000BASE-T card

- No z/VSE PTF is required.
- OSA/SF support is already included in existing PTFs.
- z/VSE supports the OSA Express4s 1000BASE-T with existing z/VSE functionality.
- Information will also be available on the z/VSE home page.



zEnterprise Value Through Integration and Optimization





z/VSE positioning among traditional IBM System z Operating Systems

 25% of worldwide System z Servers have VSE* installed



- VSE population is 40% in US, 40% in Europe, 20% other GEOs
- Worldwide 50% run VSE under z/VM, in Europe 90+% are VSE under z/VM
- IFLs play an important role in VSE's strategy
- zIIP/zAAP have no meaning to VSE (not exploited)





^(*) The term "VSE" stands for both, VSE/ESA and z/VSE.



Extending z/VSE with Linux on System z



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Integration of z/VSE using IBM Middleware & Connectors





z/VSE V5.1 SAN integration: SAN Volume Controller (SVC)

- SAN Volume Controller (SVC) creates a single pool of SCSI disk capacity
- Disk storage options include IBM DS8000, DS6000, ESS, DS4000, etc. plus gualified systems from various non-IBM vendors
- SVC *platform* includes both hardware and software components:
 - SVC 'nodes' provide redundant components plus cache
 - Systems Storage Productivity Center (SSPC) software provides administrative and copy services
- z/VSE can be interated in a SAN with native support for Storwise 7000 and XIV
- Benefits include a simpler, more flexible, less costly disk storage infrastructure



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Linux Fast Path in a z/VM-mode LPAR - Supported by z/VSE V4.3 + V5.1 Faster communication between z/VSE and Linux applications under z/VM



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z/VSE z/VM IP Assist (VIA) - Supported by z/VSE V5.1 No Linux on System z is needed to utilize the LFP advantage



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Fast Path to Linux on System z (LFP) in LPAR

- Allows TCP/IP applications to communicate with TCP/IP stack on Linux w/o using a TCP/IP stack on z/VSE
- Provides (for example) fast access to a data base server on Linux
- LFP in a z/VM guest environment available since z/VSE V4.3 – now LPAR support is added with z/VSE V5.1 + PTFs
- LFP in LPAR requires HiperSockets Completion Queue function of zEnterprise





z/VSE Strategy w/ Linux on System z Hybrid Environment leveraging

z/VSE, z/VM, and Linux on System z

Protect existing VSE investments Integrate using middleware and VSE connectors Extend with Linux on IBM System z technology & solutions





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Mixed Workload consolidation on zEnterprise



Linux on z + zEnterprise



For z/VSE customers, zEnterprise opens new horizons:

- Integration of multiple platforms of the Enterprise
- A big variety of standard applications
- The integration of existing applications and data using e-business Connectors
- Modern, scalable new solutions



Global Virtualization – with System z



- Network Virtualization
- Memory Virtualization
- Processor Virtualization
- System Virtualization
- Disk Virtualization



VSE Script Connector





z/VSE controls processes in a heterogeneous IT environment





Linux on System z as Central Access Point

Web enable, improve interface, simplify, extend existing applications





Central Authentication Options – LDAP in Linux or LDAP/RACF in z/VM

Single sign on, Web enable, improve interface, simplify, extend existing applications





z/VSE Security Components



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Web Integration with traditional CICS transactions



- HOD Host OnDemand (Websphere Host Integrator)
- SOAP Simple Object Access Protocol (Web Services based with XML data)



z/VSE support for IBM CICS Explorer – The "new face of CICS Transaction Server for VSE/ESA"

CICS Explorer

- New systems management framework for CICS TS
- Consists of client and server part
- Based on the Eclipse Rich Client Platform (RCP)
- Provides integration platform
- Scalable and intuitive way to monitor CICS systems
- Can be extended via plug-ins
- Client part of CICS Explorer common for z/OS and z/VSE
- Server part requires CICS TS and z/VSE 5.1



Fulfills Statement of Direction:

"IBM intends to provide CICS Explorer capabilities for CICS TS for VSE/ESA, to deliver additional value."



Connectivity to CICS transactions



Qualities of Services will vary.



Integrating Logic in an SOA



Information as a service makes information more accessible, consistent, and flexible

Publishing consistent, reusable services for information that make it easier for processes to get the information they need from across a heterogeneous landscape of application and data.

- Select data from sources
- Run Business logic
- Transform data to target



The Two Models of SOA CICS Integration via Web Services







Integration using an Enterprise Service Bus

What is an Enterprise Service Bus?

An Enterprise Service Bus (ESB) is a flexible Infrastructure for services and application integration

An ESB reduces the number, size and complexity of your interfaces in a SOA solution.

An ESB realizes following tasks between requestor und service

- ROUTING of messages between Services
- CONVERTING the transport protocol between requestor and service
- TRANSFORMING message formats between requestor and service
- HANDLING of business events between different types of services





SOA – it is the implementation phase





Service Oriented Architecture (SOA) – the way to new solutions





Web Services with z/VSE

SOA and XML data interchange with CICS transactions in VSE



Existing VSE Transactions as Web Service

Existing Transactions can call a remote Web Service

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OpenStack and z/VM with cross platform Open source xCAT tool



- OpenStack and z/VM:
 - OpenStack, a Open Source project to provide Multi-platform Infrastructure as a Service mangement
 - Consists of separate projects to handle different types of resources
 - Portions of OpenStack support know z/VM (i.e. code that connects and understands how to talk to z/VM).

Bottom Half of the Solution:

- Rest APIs are used to communicate with the OpenStack code from the top half.
- The xCAT appliance utilizes new and existing Systems Management APIs (SMAPI) to interact with the z/VM system
- SMAPI can interact with additional products or features (e.g. a directory manager).

Product with OpenStack Support

z/VM 6.3 Product

Additional Product or Feature



IBM WAVE - the new IBM tool - visualizes virtual and physical resources

IBM-WAVE provides the graphical interface that simplifies and helps to automate the management of z/VM guests and Linux on System z virtual servers.

- Monitors and manages virtual servers and resources from a single graphical interface
- Simplifies and Automates tasks
- Provisions virtual resources (Guests, Network, Storage)
- Supports advanced z/VM capabilities such as Single System Image and Live Guest Relocation
- Allows delegation of administrative capabilities to the appropriate teams

A simple, intuitive graphical tool providing management, provisioning, and automation for a z/VM environment, supporting Linux virtual servers.





z/VSE V5 Strategy with zEnterprise - More options, highly integrated

Network simplification with zBX or Linux & z/VM Reduce - Routers - Switches - Firewalls Centralize - DNS Server Network filtering Work balancer - Edge Server LDAP security integration Uses the internal IEDN network. >No need for additional DMZ security to z/VSE >use standard Intel based software



Protect existing z/VSE investments

Integrate using middleware and z/VSE connectors

Extend with zBX or with Linux on z to access new applications & solutions



Insurance Company Consolidated 292 Servers to a z10





Data is based on real client opportunity and on internal standardized costing tools and methodologies. Client results will vary by types of workloads, technology level of consolidated servers, utilization factor, and other implementation requirements. Savings will vary by client.



Data Warehouse and BI with Linux on System z

Consolidate, Integrate, Evaluate - DB2 Client, VSAM Redirector



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- (1) Real time access VSAM to relational databases
 - a) synchronization (two phase commit of VSAM and DB2)
 - b) Real time access to DB2 (no VSAM access anymore)
- (2) VSE local data collection for VSAM
 - a) Capture Exit and Incremental Apply processing
 - b) MQ Exit and MQ Series solutions





VSE/VSAM applications, access remote relational databases



Applications on z/VSE access 'any' remote relational databases

- Real time access to Relational databases
 - two different ways from batch and CICS
 - Access based on z/VSE DBCLI interface AND / OR DB2 Client



Java Server





z/VSE database connector for z/VSE applications z/VSE Database Call Level Interface (DBCLI)

- Allows z/VSE applications to access a relational database on any suitable database server
 - IBM DB2, IBM Informix, Oracle, MS SQL Server, MySQL, etc.
 - → The database product must provide a JDBC driver that supports JDBC V3.0 or later
- Utilize advanced database functions and use SQL statements
- Flexibility to use a database server on a platform other than z/VSE
 - for example zBX environment





InfoSphere Federation Server on Linux on System z

- Integrating at the data layer Federation of data
 - Read from and write to federated mainframe data sources using SQL
 - Standards-based access via JDBC, ODBC, or Call Level Interface
 - Including for mainframe VSAM data and flat files
 - Multithreaded with native drivers for scalable performance
 - Metadata-driven means...
 - No mainframe programming required
 - Fast installation & configuration
 - Ease of maintenance
 - Works with existing and new...
 - Mainframe infrastructure
 - Application infrastructure
 - Toolsets





Leverage z/VSE data and resources from Java

Leverage VSE/VSAM data using VSAM Connectors on Linux on System z





Real time access to VSE resources using the Java–Based Connector (feature included in z/VSE)



real time access to VSE resources from remote systemsnew possibilities for leveraging the VSE investment



Multi-tier Mobile Apps – THE Trend in Industry



- Middleware
- Back-end data and services



IBM Worklight Server - Architecture on Linux on System z



Worklight Video: http://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=player_embedded&v=zHnFw70XXXo



z/VSE CICS Connectivity Options with Worklight





Worklight Modernizes the CICS Web Service Enabled App





Implement TSM on Linux on System z as central Backup Hub





Exploitation of IBM System Storage options with z/VSE V5

- Copy Export function of the TS7700 Virtualization Engine Series
 - can be used for disaster recovery purposes
- Multi-Cluster Grid Support of the TS7700 Virtualization Engine Series
 - enables disaster recovery or high availability solutions

FCP-attached SCSI disks can additionally be used with:

- IBM Storwize V7000 Midrange Disk System
- IBM XIV Storage System







Highend 99.999 system with sophistication, complex 3-site copies, ultra-low latency

Storwize V7000



Midrange size system with great highend features

Highend 99.999 system without sophisticated options





z/VSE V5 – System Storage Support – D/R

Virtual Tape Library TS7700

Tape Library :logicalTS7700 Virtualization Engine

Standalone System support only in z/VSE (GRID in z/VSE 5.1)

TS7740 Virtualization Engine (TS3500 can be attached)

- New: z/VSE 5.1 Copy Export support for Real Tape
- Maximum of 256 virtual drives (3490E) and 1,000,000 virtual volumes
- Web-based management tools
- up to 6 TB native tape volume cache
- Supports TS1120 / TS1130 tape drive-based encryption





z/VSE Monitoring possibilities



- Monitoring Agent based on SNMP V1
 - Real time monitoring
 - retrieve z/VSE specific system and performance data
 - Event driven monitoring using SNMP Trap tool and API
 - Helps to automate processes in z/VSE with SNMP traps

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'Common' development Environment...







IBM Rational Developer for system z - the z/VSE Perspective





Development for IBM Worklight on System z



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Summary

The demands placed on the data center have never been greater.

IBM System zEnterprise:

- 1. Enables mixed workload Business Processes to be deployed, and centrally managed
- 2. Allows z/VSE **optimized integration** of data, applications, and web serving with
- 3. Delivers dynamically responsive IT with lower acquisition and operating costs
- 4. Meets the need of heterogeneous data centers



A strategic systems platform....

Helping to free up resources for critical projects and establish a base for the future



More than a decade Linux on System z and z/VSE



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z/VSE customers with Linux on System z, - in a variety of industries

- Fashion
- Financial Institutes / Insurance
- Hotel chain / Vacation clubs
- Health institutes/ Hospitals
- Public Sector / County
- Payroll accounting
- Whole Sale Home Articles, Pharma, Car parts
- Grocery
- Furniture manufacturing
- Horse Racing Bets
- Church administration
- Bakery
- National Sport clubs

Overview - All Tools

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z/VSE Navigator: Windows-like VSE Interface

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