



System z – A Smart System For A Smarter Planet

Virtualization And Consolidation For The
Enterprise

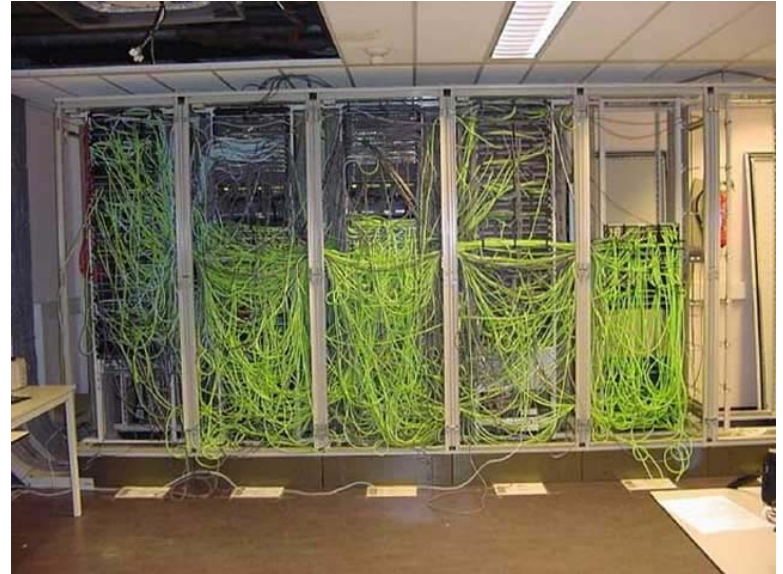
Server Sprawl Creates Complexity

Complexity drives higher costs

- Software Pricing Per Core
- Network Connections
- Data Synchronization Issues
- Labor

*Virtualization and Consolidation
reduces these costs*

*76% of CIOs cited implementing a virtualized
computing environment as part of their
visionary plans to enhance competitiveness*



The Only Question Is...

...what's the best strategy to virtualize and consolidate?



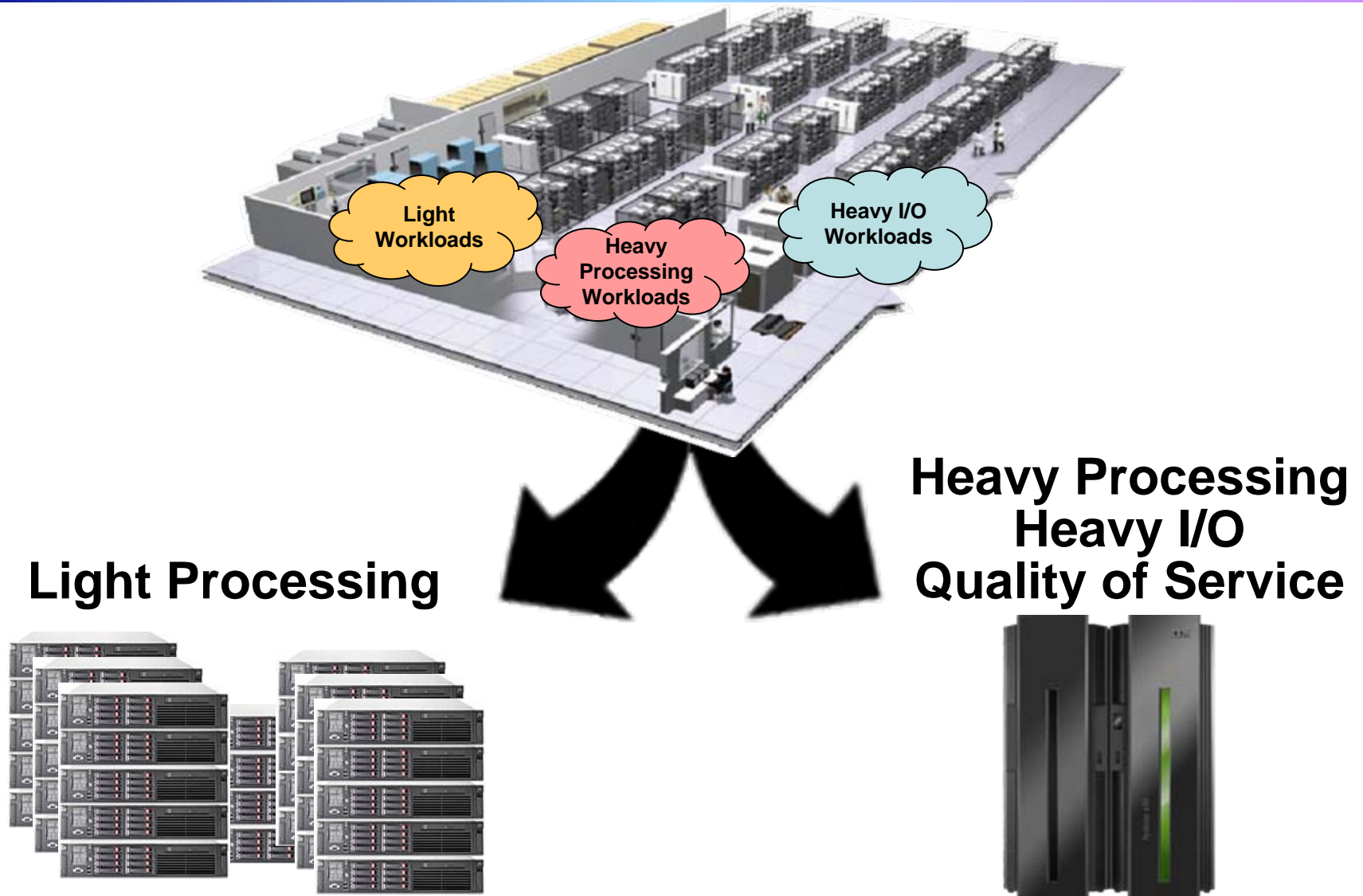
**Service Oriented Finance
CIO**

Linux running on System z should be an important part of your strategy.



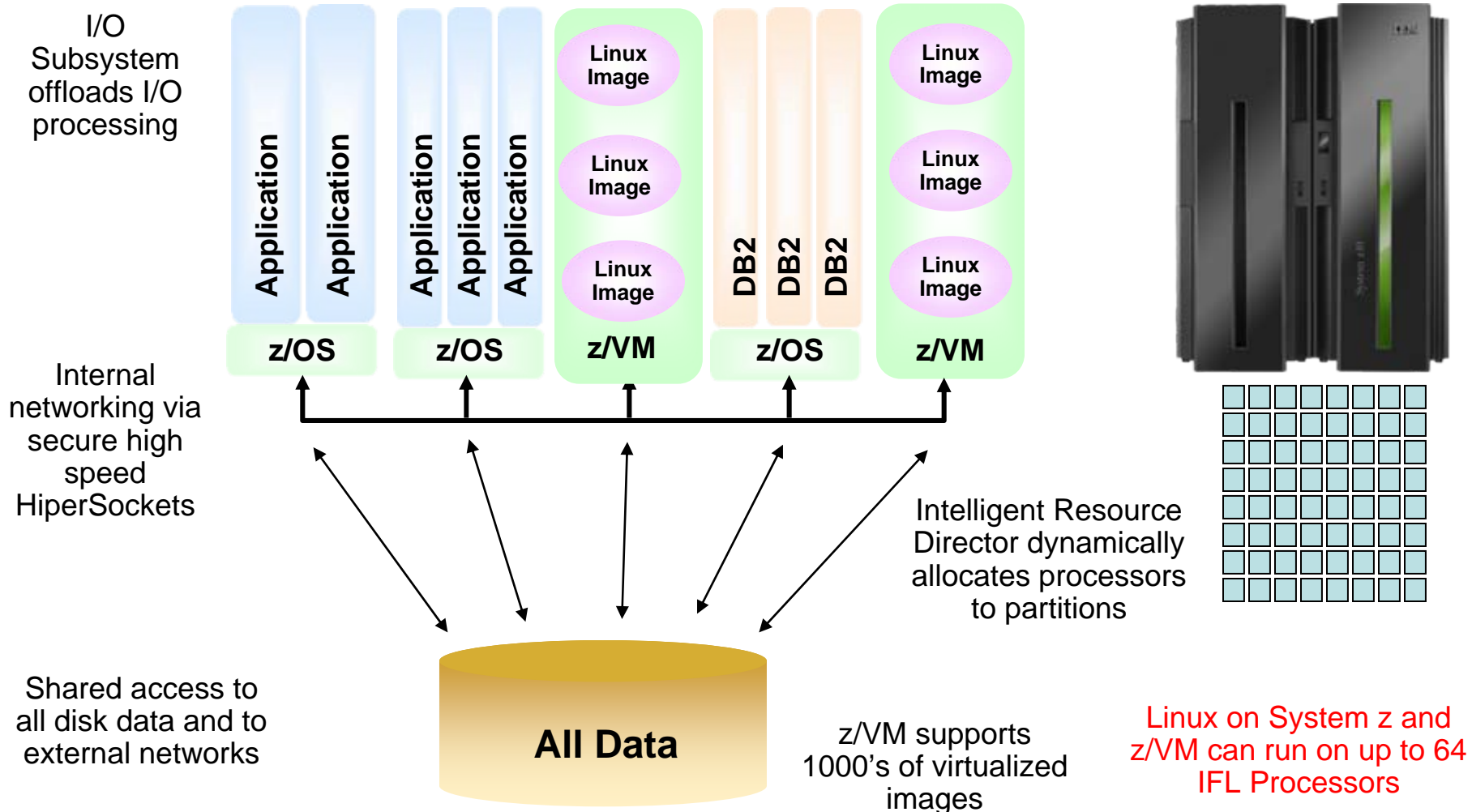
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Fit For Purpose Consolidation Strategy



System z Is Designed For Large Scale Virtualization And Consolidation

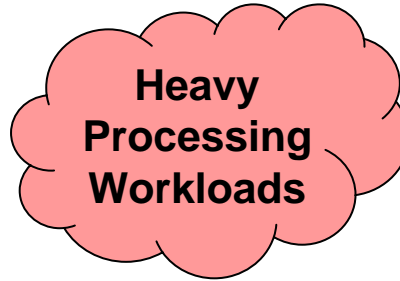
Logical Partitions Share Processors, Common Cache Structures, and I/O



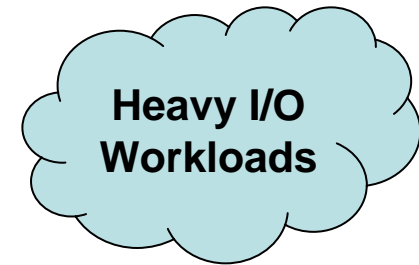
Different Workload Characteristics



- Light processing
- Low I/O bandwidth
- Low quality of service requirements



- Heavy processing intensity



- Heavy processing
- Heavy I/O
- High quality of service requirements

System is fit for purpose to virtualize these workloads and achieve the lowest cost

Enterprise Linux Server – New Lower Price!

The Enterprise Linux Server is a *new* footprint System z10 machine configured to run Linux-only workloads

- System z10 frame (EC or BC)
- IFL specialty processors
 - ▶ 2 to 10 for z10 BC machine
 - ▶ 6 to 64 for z10 EC machine
- 16 GB of memory per IFL
- Configured with 4-Port FICON cards and 4-Port OSA cards
- z/VM: base operating system and all features
- Hardware and software maintenance for three or five years



Note: Participation and pricing may vary by country

System z Solution Edition For Enterprise Linux – Also Great Pricing!

The System z Solution Edition for Enterprise Linux delivers a similar solution stack that users can add to an *existing z10*

- IFL specialty processors
- 16 GB of memory per IFL
- Clients can optionally add more memory or I/O connectivity (OSA and FICON cards)
- z/VM: base operating system and all features
- Hardware and software maintenance for three or five years

Add to
Existing z10



Add an incremental LPAR to run Linux on z/VM

Incremental pricing for Solution Edition for Enterprise Linux is similar to the pricing characteristics of the Enterprise Linux Server

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Compare Options For Deploying Heavy Processing Workloads

Which platform provides the lowest TCO over 3 years?

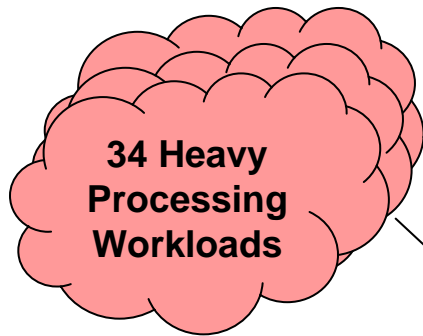


272 cores

Requirements

Buy **34** HP
DL380 G6 8-core
Nehalem servers

TCA: \$6.73M



34 Heavy
Processing
Workloads

IBM WebSphere
Application Server ND
ITCAM

Online banking workloads,
each driving **745**
transactions per second

Deploy with z/VM



64 cores

Consolidate on **1**
z10 EC
Enterprise Linux
Server

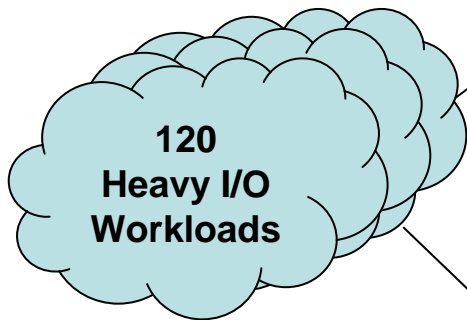
TCA: \$6.38M

Why Linux On System z Achieves Lowest TCA For Heavy Processing Workloads

- Larger scale of shared processor pools (64 cores vs. 8 cores)
- Statistical benefit of sharing a larger pool of processors
- Software priced per core
- Cost benefit of Enterprise Linux Server Solution Edition pricing

Compare Options For Deploying Light Workloads With Heavy I/O Requirements

Which platform provides the lowest TCO over 3 years?



IBM WebSphere
Application Server ND
DB2 ESE
ITCAM

Online banking workloads,
each driving **22** transactions
per second, with 1 MB I/O
load/transaction

Deploy with VMware



88 cores

Deploy with z/VM



28 cores

Requirements

Buy **11** 8-core
Nehalem servers

TCA: \$5.74M

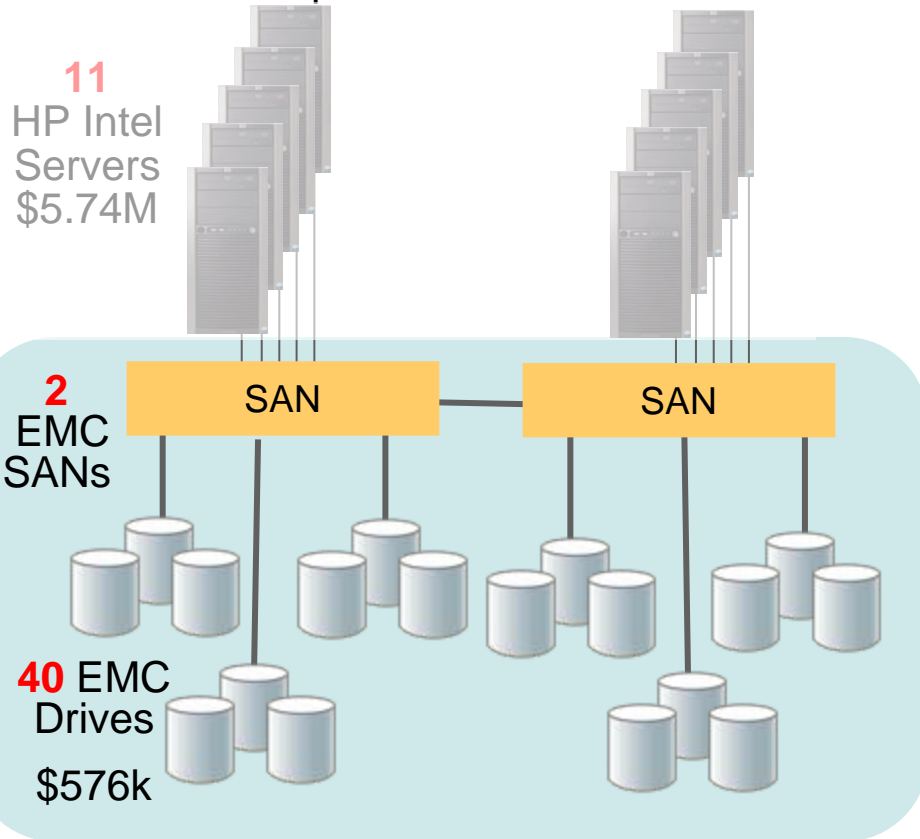
Consolidate on **1**
z10 EC
Enterprise Linux
Server

TCA: \$5.15M

Add Storage To Complete The Picture For Heavy I/O Workloads

Storage Solution with SAN

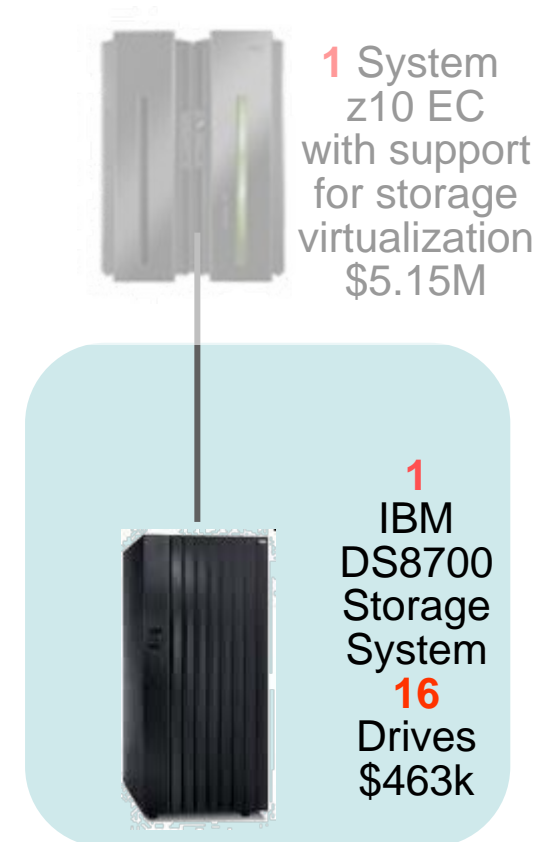
- **\$576K** 3 year TCA
- Less flexible
- More complex



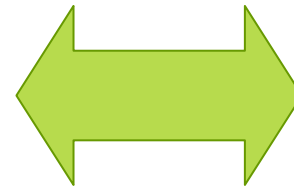
Total \$6.34M

Storage Solution with System z

- **\$463K** 3 year TCA (**20%** Cost Reduction)
- Agile
- Easier to manage



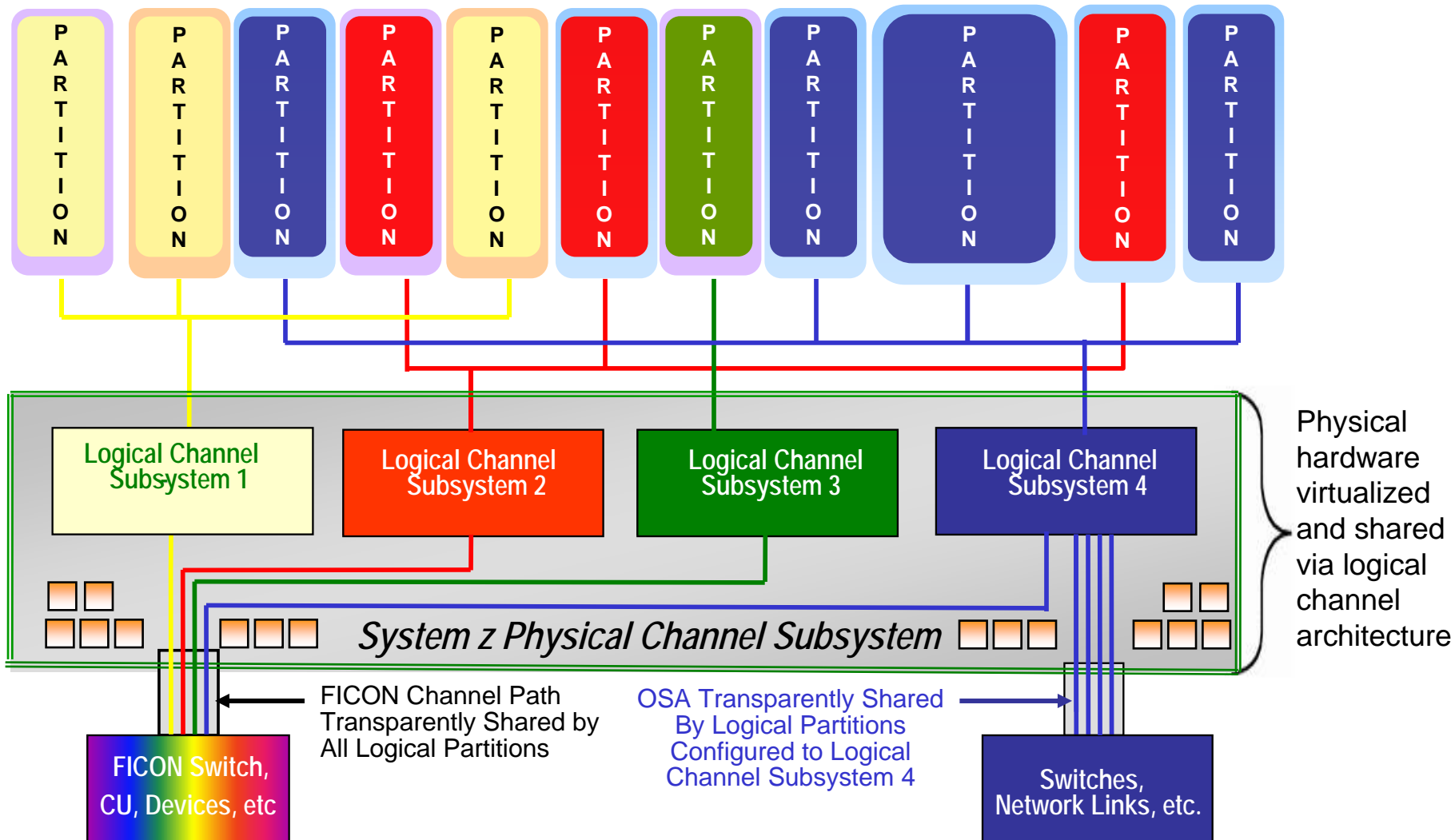
Total \$5.63M



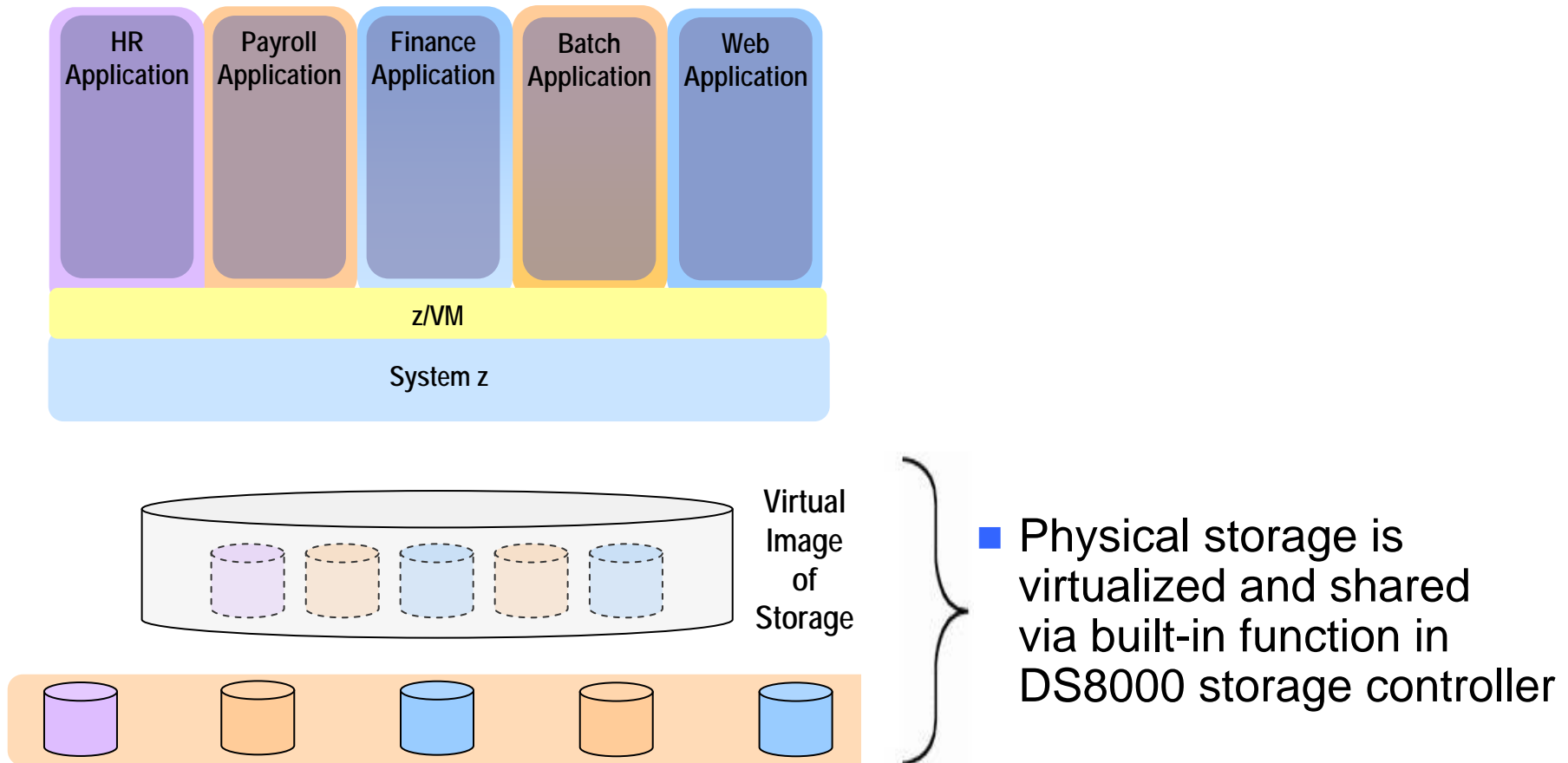
Why Linux On System z Achieves Lowest TCA For Heavy I/O Workloads

- Dedicated I/O Subsystem offloads I/O processing
- Greater I/O bandwidth
- Virtualization of I/O processing resources
- Built-in storage virtualization and switching

Physical I/O Adapters And Channels Are Virtualized And Shared By The Consolidated Workloads



Storage Virtualization And Consolidation

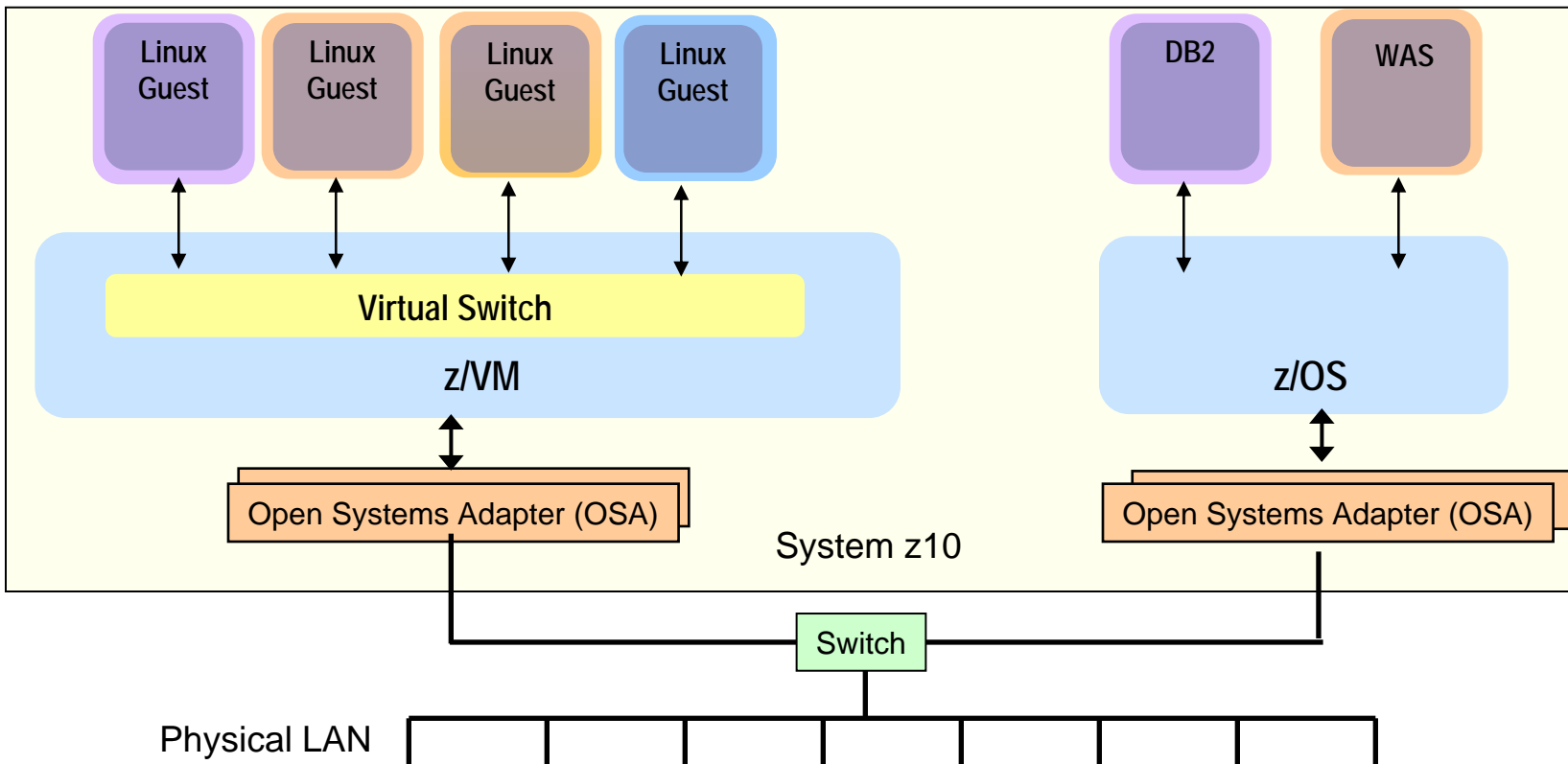


Other System z Benefits For Virtualization

- Network Simplification
- Co-location with existing System z data source
- Security
- Quality of Service

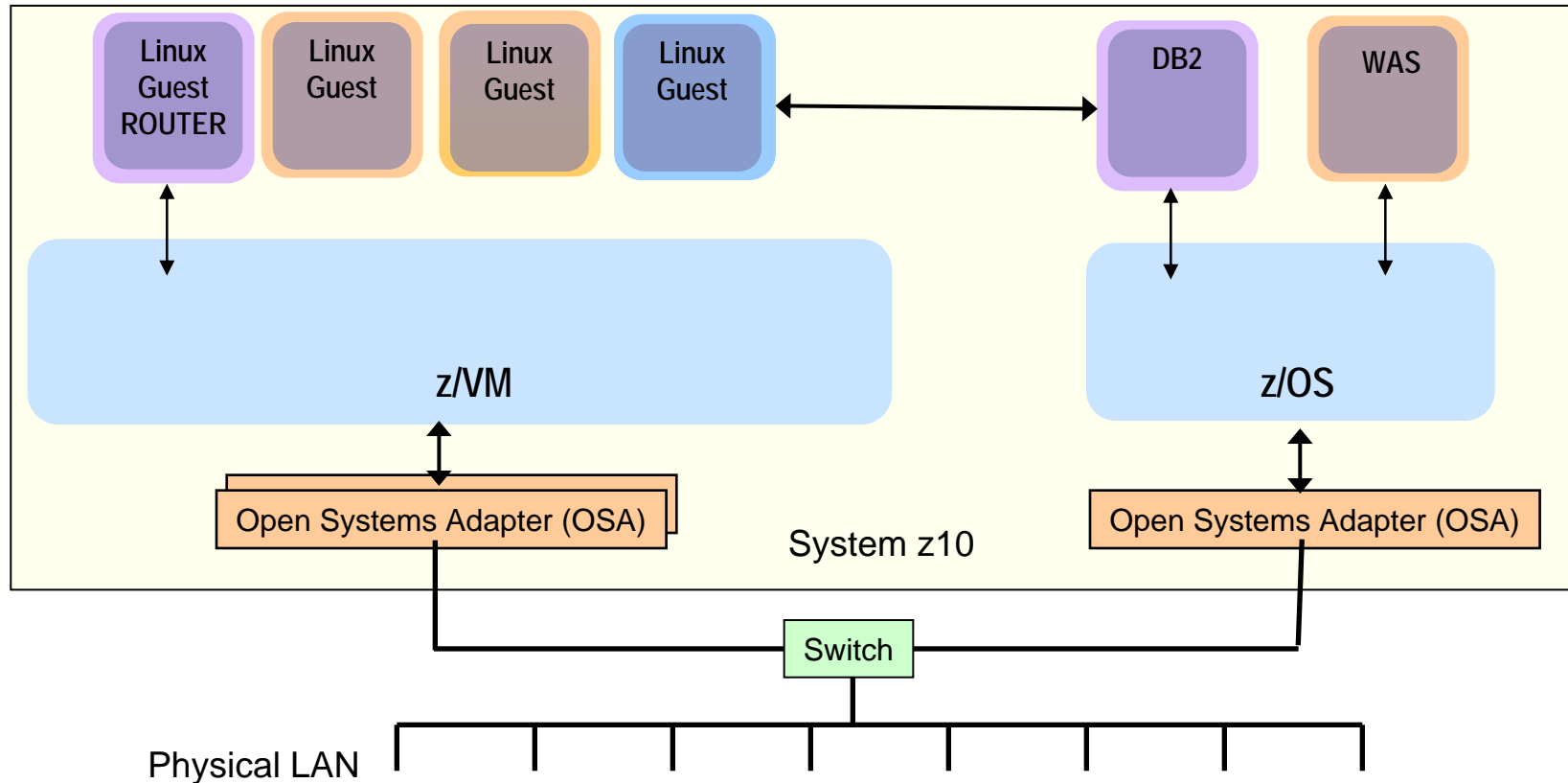
System z Features Enable Network Simplification

– z/VM Virtual Switch



- Linux guests can talk to each other via z/VM virtual switch – memory speed
- Linux guests can talk to outside world via z/VM virtual switch connected to shared OSA adapter
- Attach up to 8 physical OSA ports - redundancy, balancing
- Dynamically add new physical OSA to support Linux workload growth

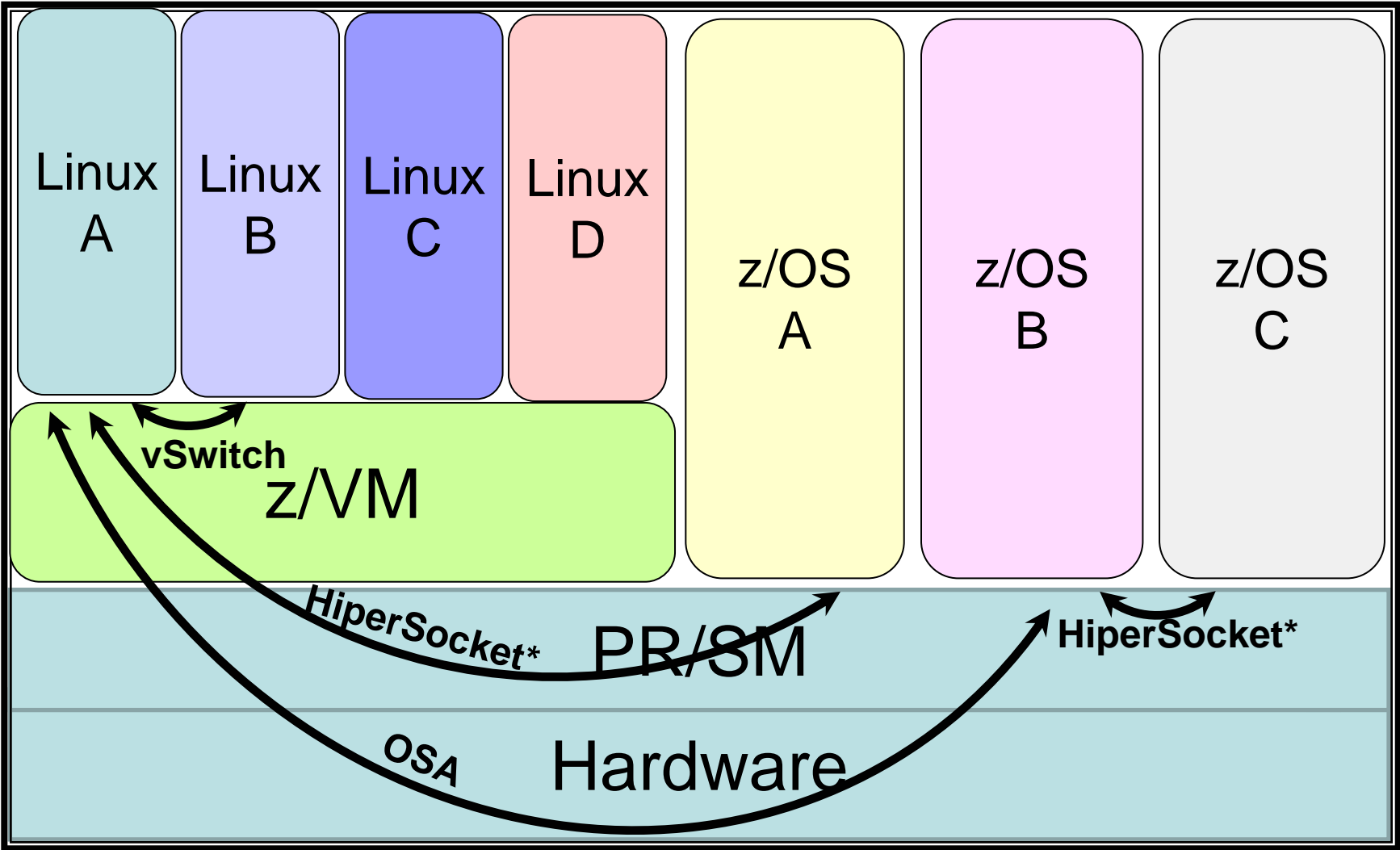
System z Features Enable Network Simplification – HiperSockets



- Linux guests can talk to z/OS applications
- **Secure** IP communication at memory speed

- Close integration of data-intensive applications with database
- Reduces network management and physical assets

Network Simplification Options



*HiperSockets recommended for LPAR to LPAR communications when high bandwidth and low latency are required – take advantage of memory speed

On-line Banking Benchmark Demonstrates Performance Advantages Of Co-location

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Separate Machines

4 CPUs (98% busy)

4 CPUs (10%)

WAS 7
Linux

DB2 9.1
Linux on
System z



Type 4



System p

System z

320 tps

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Separate LPARs

4 CPUs
(98% busy)

4 CPUs
(14% busy)

WAS 7
Linux on
System z

DB2 9.1
Linux on
System z



Type 4
HiperSocket

System z

410 tps

③

Same LPAR

8 CPUs (93%)

WAS 7
DB2 9.1
Linux on
System z



Type 2

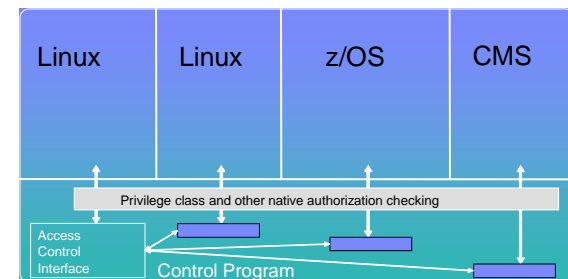
System z

550 tps

34% more throughput with co-located workload

z/VM Security For Virtualization

- Operates without interference/harm from guest virtual machines
- Virtual machines cannot circumvent system security features
- Protects virtual machines from each other
- Ensures that a user only has access to resources specifically permitted
- Tracks who is accessing all system resources
- LPAR certified Common Criteria EAL5
- z/VM certified at Common Criteria EAL4+
- HiperSockets for highly secure internal networking
- Access to System z Crypto features
 - ▶ CPACF, CryptoExpress3

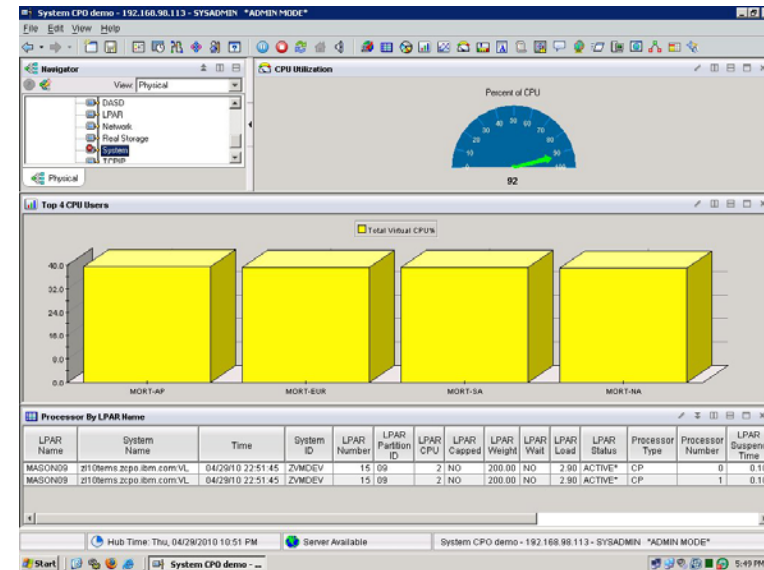


Linux On System z Workloads Inherit System z Qualities Of Service

- Reliability, availability, serviceability characteristics of System z
- Site failover for disaster recovery
- Capacity on demand upgrades
- Add physical processors to Linux environment without disruption

DEMO: Dynamically Add New Processor To z/VM LPAR To Handle Increased Risk Analysis Workload

1. SOF has in-house Risk Analysis program running on Linux on System z
2. Increased workload to all 4 Linux guests is causing z/VM LPAR utilization of 90%+
3. SOF determines this is a long term trend - additional physical capacity needed
4. New capacity made available to LPAR as new Logical CPU, available for work
 - ▶ Without disruption in service

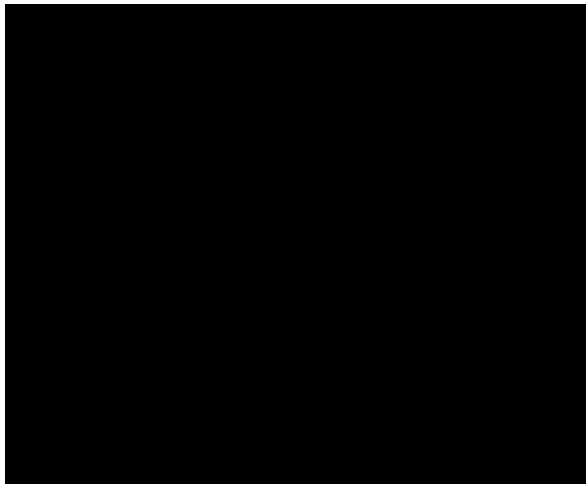


VMware can't recognize and take advantage of additional physical processors without bringing down and rebooting the system

Note: Assumes available processors on installed books

DEMO: How Does Hardware Repair And Upgrade Work?

- Perform a memory upgrade while the system continues to run
- Service engineer dispatched automatically through “phone home”
- Parts already ordered through IBM global parts replacement program
- The book is removed while the system is operational
- Memory cards can be added easily similar to servicing a PC
- Even the service tray is included



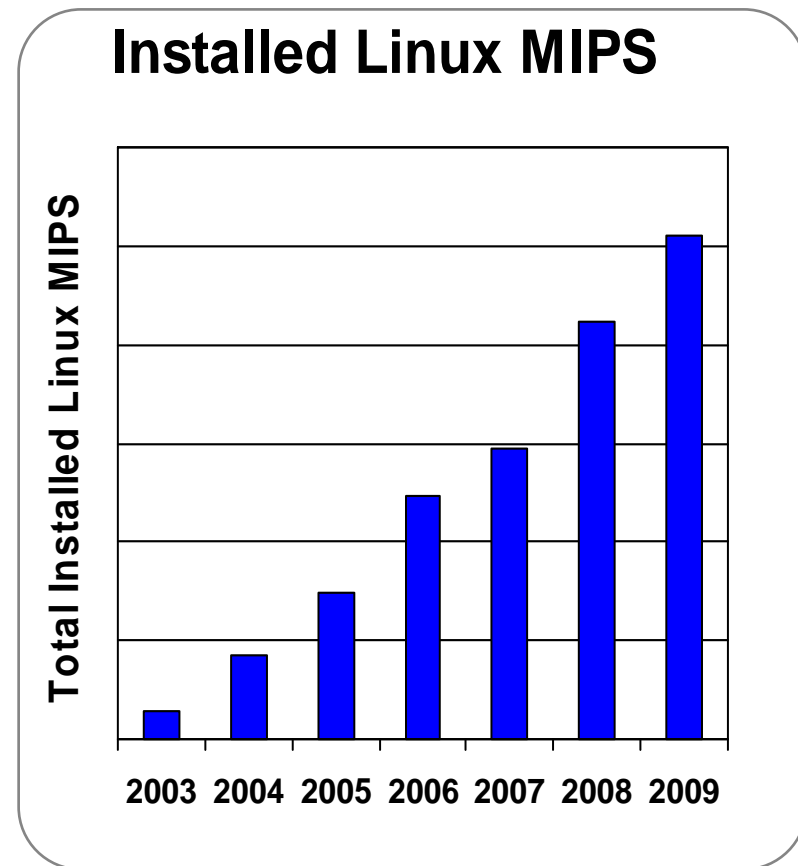
Types of Replacements:

1. In z10 EC, add a single book for processors, memory, and I/O Connections
2. Remove and replace a book
3. Allocate physical resources on other books

Client Adoption Drives Linux Success

*Installed Linux MIPS At 43% CAGR**

- The momentum continues:
 - ▶ **Shipped IFL engine volumes increased 35% from YE07 to YE09**
 - ▶ **Shipped IFL MIPS increased 65% from YE07 to YE09**
- Linux is 16% of the System z customer install base (MIPS)
- 70% of the top 100 System z clients are running Linux on the mainframe
- >3,100 applications available for Linux on System z



* Based on YE 2004 to YE 2009

Summary

Heavy I/O
Workloads

Heavy
Processing
Workloads

System z is fit for purpose to consolidate heavy processing and heavy I/O workloads.



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