WebLogic 12c & WebLogic Mgmt Pack

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Questions for audience

- How many of you manage WebLogic?
 - What versions are you running? What JDK and version supports it?
 - How many domains? Number of Managed Servers in domains?
 - Are you using OHS as a proxy/LBR? Versions? Any mod_plsql or APEX?
 - Are you using clustering? Nodemanager?
 - What tools do you manage/monitor with?
- How many of you develop apps for WebLogic?
 - Which IDE, frameworks, and Lifecycle Management tools do you use?
 - What kind of apps are you deploying? Servlet, JSP, JSF, EJB, Messaging, Web Services?
- How many of you do anything with Forms & Reports?
- Use of Management & Monitoring Tools?

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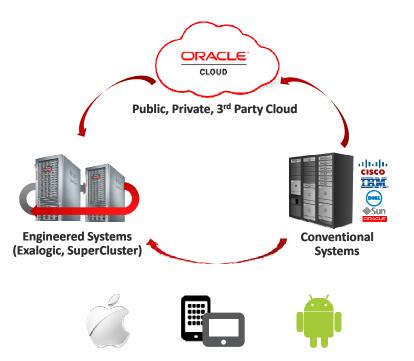
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Why Oracle and WebLogic/FMW?

- Secure
- Reliable, Available, Scalable (RAS)
- Portability
 - No Rewrite, possibly Configuration
- Complete, Integrated, Open Standards
- Total Cost of Ownership & Performance
- Successful/Stable

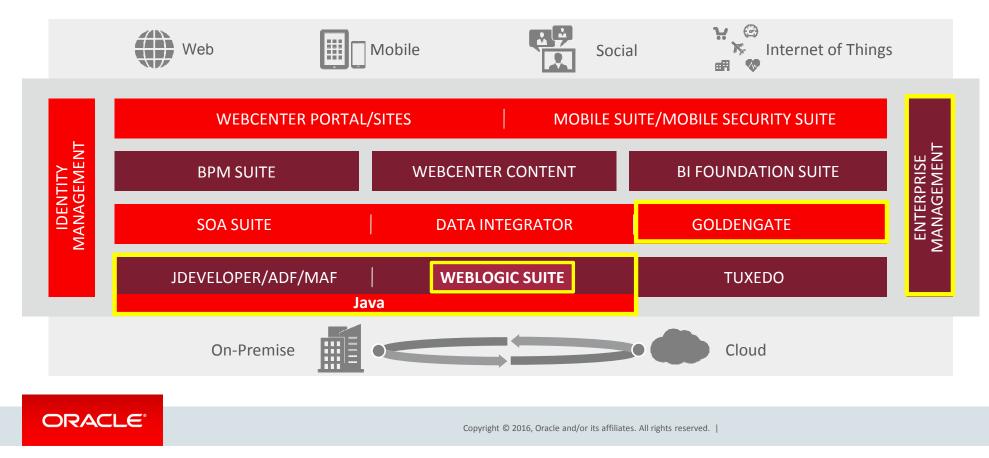




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Oracle Fusion Middleware

The Cloud Platform for Digital Business



Fusion Middleware 11g/12c Support Lifecycle

11g – Extended in 2013 2009.. 2011.. 2015 Extended Premier 12cR1(12.1.X) - 6 years + 2 years from 12.1.1 GA 2011.. 2015 12cR2 (12.2.X) - A new major release 2021-2023 ORACLE Copyright © 2016, Oracle and/or its affiliates. All rights reserved. | Confidential – Oracle Internal/Restricted/Highly Restricted

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WebLogic Suite Components

- Java-Focused
 - FULLY SUPPORTED Oracle JVM (longer)
 - WebLogic Server
 - Coherence
 - JDeveloper & OEPE
 - ADF & TopLink
 - Mgmt/Monitoring
 - Admin Console
 - WLST
 - JMC/JFR
 - Fusion Middleware Control
 - Coherence Mgmt Pack

• Other

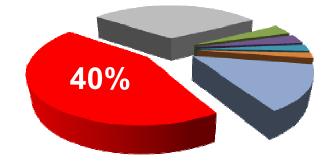
- Oracle HTTP Server (mod_plsql)
- WebCache
- -- Virtual Assembly Builder
- Oracle Single Sign On
- Oracle Internet Directory
- Oracle Directory Services Manager
- Forms
- Reports
- Discoverer



WebLogic Server Similarities to Oracle DB

- Best RASP Enterprise App Server
- Integrated, yet Open
- Lowest Total Cost of Ownership
 - License & Support
 - FREE if installed/deployed by Transcom by 09/30/2017
 - Automation & Productivity
- Easy to Use
 - Admin Console/FMWC
 - WLST

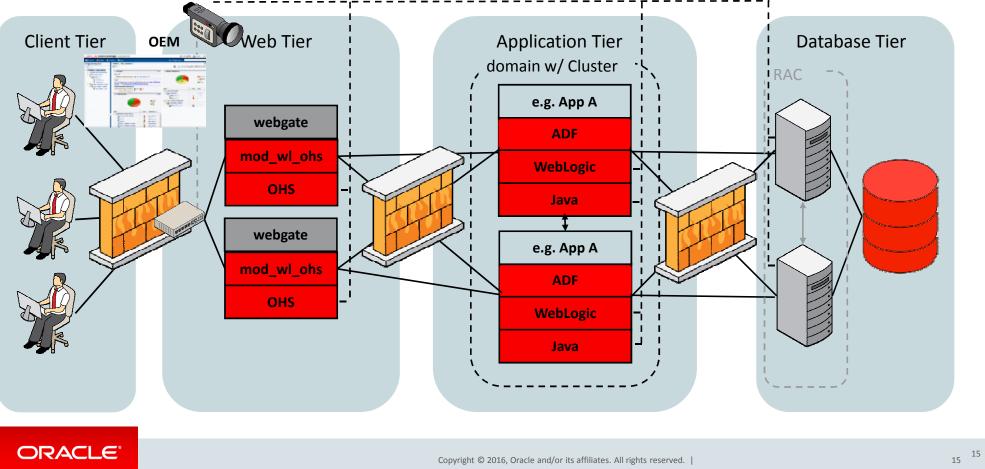
Gartner 2013 Worldwide Application Server Market Share report shows



Source: Gartner, Market Share: All Software Markets, Worldwide – March 2013 – Based on total software revenue



Typical Custom WebLogic Application



WebLogic Features

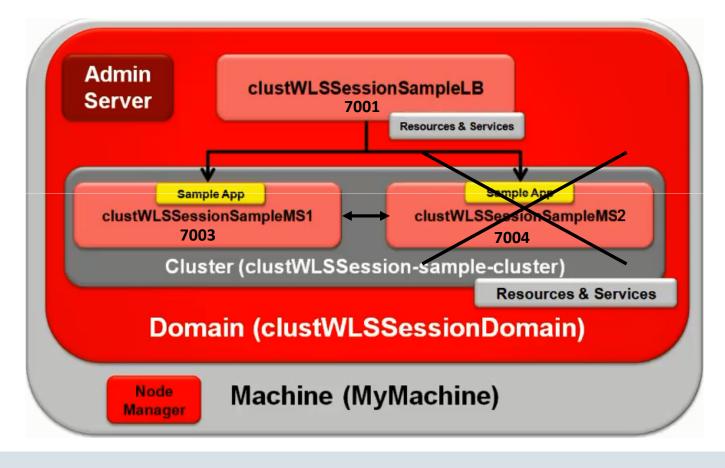
- Clustering
- Dynamic Clustering
- Whole Server Migration
- Service Migration
- Work Managers
- OverLoad Management
- Coherence EE
- Active GridLink for RAC
- Admin Port

- No Licensing Issues
- Meets FMW & WL Option Pre-req Reqmts (e.g. SOA)
- JMC & JFR
- Diagnostics Framework
- Side-by-Side Deployment
- Order of Deployment
- Deployment Plans

- TopLink & ADF
- Java EE 7 APIs
- WebSockets
- FastSwap
- JMS
- Advanced Web Services
- WLST Recording
- Managed Server Cloning

Clustering

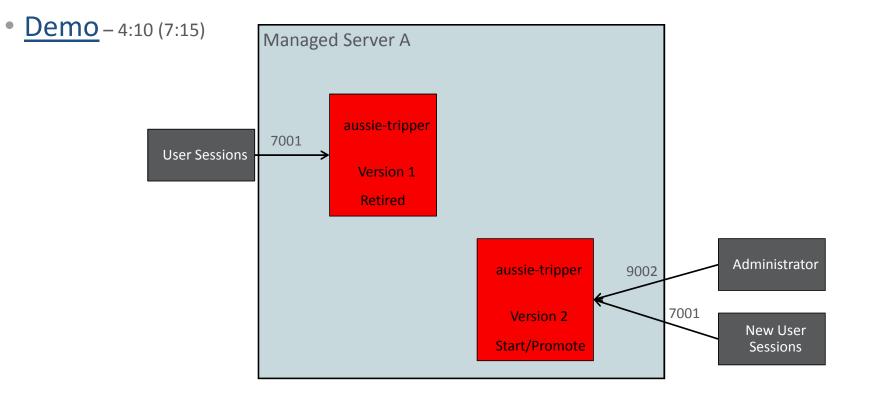
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Admin Port & Side-by-side Deployment

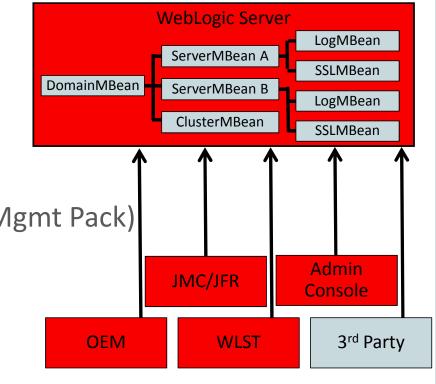




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WebLogic Management Tools

- Java Mission Control & Flight Recorder
- WebLogic Admin Console
- WebLogic Scripting Tool (WLST)
- Fusion Middleware Control
- Oracle Enterprise Manager (i.e. WebLogic Mgmt Pack)



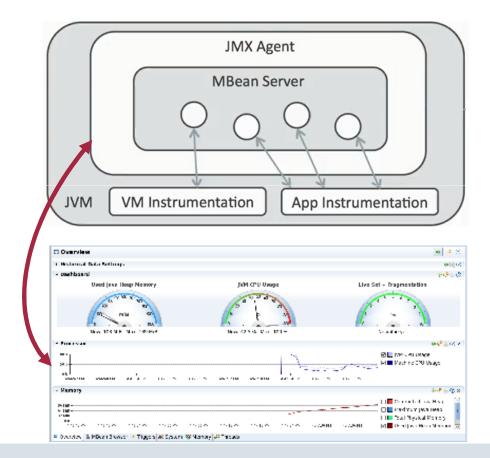


Java Management

- Java SE Support
 - 24x7 Support
 - Security & Fixes (Java 7 EoPU is 04/2015)

Java Mission Control (JMC)

- Desktop & Server
- -JMX Console Real Time
- Java Flight Recorder (JFR) Over Time
 - -XX:+UnlockCommercialFeatures
 - -XX:+FlightRecorder
 - ~1% Performance Impact



Versions, Certifications, & Timelines

- WebLogic 10.3.6/11.1.1.6-9 (12/2018)
 - Fusion Middleware Forms & Reports 11.1.2.x (12/2016)
 - Java SE 6-7
 - -Java EE 5
- WebLogic 12.1.x (12/2017)
 - -Java SE 7-8
 - -Java EE 6
- WebLogic 12.2.x (10/2020)
 - Java SE 8
 - -Java EE 7

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"WebLogic" STIG

Crawl, Walk, Run

- Weblogic vs FMW Infrastructure (ADF/JRF/Upper FMW Stack)
- "Oracle WebLogic Server 12c STIG" (FMW Infrastructure 12.1.3)
 - Published 12/2014
 - Based upon Previous SRG
 - WebLogic 12c STIG Compliance Standard available OEM 13.1+
 - Some Check/Fix in Fusion Middleware Control
- "Oracle WebLogic Server 12c Release 2 (12.2.x) STIG" (WebLogic + Add'l)
 - In-Process, Green Light from DISA
 - Admin Port, Node Mgr, PKI, Auditing, "Securing a Production Environment for OWLS"
 - PM & Development Review

Oracle HTTP Server

- Apache-based (2.2 2.4) Web Server (Static Content & Dynamic Apps)
- Modules
 - Webgate OAM
 - $-mod_ossl-SSL$
 - TLS 1.2 (11.1.1.9 12.2.1)
 - FIPS-140 (12.1.2 12.2.1)
 - mod_wl_ohs Proxy/LBR for WebLogic
 - mod_plsql Custom & APEX Apps (deprecated in 12.1.3)
 - $\operatorname{mod_rewrite}$



Oracle HTTP Server 2 of 2

- Management
 - .conf file configuration
 - Error & Access Logs
 - opmn (11.1.x)
 - WebLogic Management Framework (12.x)
 - Standalone Domain
 - WLST w/ NodeManager
- STIG 12.1.3
- Execution Context ID (ECID)

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OHS STIG

Crawl, Walk, Run

- Stand-alone vs Collocated Domain
- Linux/Unix
- "Oracle HTTP Server 12.1.3 STIG"
 - Published 12/2015
 - Based upon Current SRG
 - STIG Compliance Standard available OEM 13.x??? (Initially just CAT 1)
- "Oracle HTTP Server 12c Release 2 (12.2.x) STIG"
 - Not Yet Submitted



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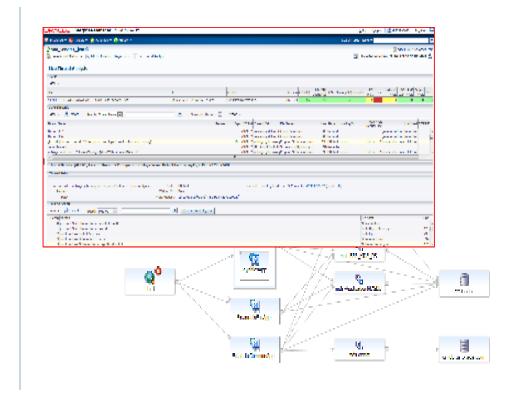
Oracle Enterprise Manager

- Better Service/End-user Productivity
- Reduced Costs/Increased IT Productivity
- Reduced Risk

"What we see in circumstances where clients are applying traditional methodologies to resolve problems is that they typically **burn through** about \$200,000 per incident." MARC RIX, CEO, Bridgescape

Middleware Management

- Single, consistent UI
- Included targets
 - Multiple WebLogic domains w/ JVM
 - Oracle HTTP Server (OHS)
- Status & performance monitoring
- JVM & cross-tier diagnostics
- Provisioning & patch automation
- Config mgmt & STIG compliance
- Service level management

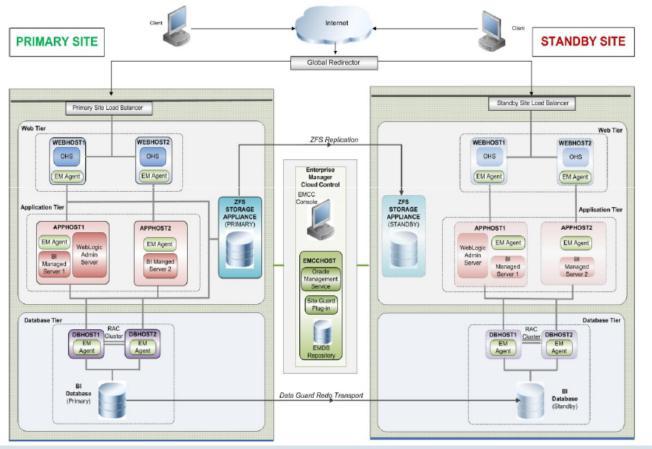


Site Guard

- End-to-End Disaster Recovery Automation
 - Fusion Middleware (Storage Replication) & Database (Data Guard)
 - Switchover (Planned)
 - Failover (Unplanned)
 - Extensible to integrate w/ 3rd party components
- Reduced Risk
 - Reduce possibility of Human Errors
 - Increased confidence (Testing)
- Better availability
 - Minimize MTTR



DR Blueprint with Site Guard



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Fusion Middleware & OEM

Important Documents

- Fusion Middleware Certification Matrices
- Lifetime Support Policy
 - Fusion Middleware
 - Oracle Enterprise Manager
- Securing a Production Environment for Oracle WebLogic Server
- STIGs
 - WebLogic (FMW Infrastructure) 12.1.3
 - -<u>OHS 12.1.3</u>
- Middleware Management Video



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Fusion Middleware A way forward...

- Consolidate, build foundation on WebLogic Suite
- Exploit middleware management solutions
- Prepare for cloud, mobile, and Internet of Things



