# Hardware and Software

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**Engineered to Work Together** 

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#### Oracle Exalogic An Engineered Systems Approach

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#### The Value of Not Doing It Yourself





If an activity does not add value over and above what is available at the same or lower cost in the market, it should be perceived as adding negative value.

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If an activity does not help an organisation differentiate itself, it adds no value at best and negative value at worst.

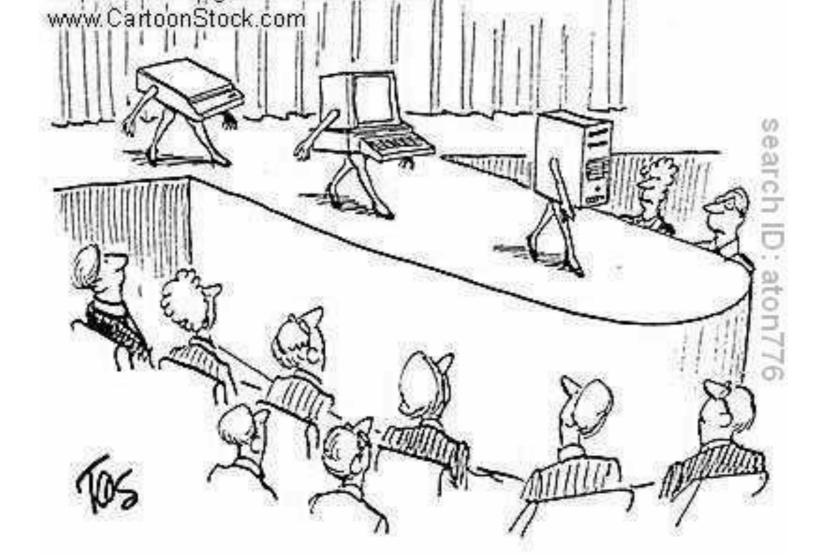
#### The Value of Not Doing It Yourself





- What is the opportunity cost in engaging in the activities described above. What else could you be doing?
- What is your competition doing while you are doing the 'heavy lifting' that could be done by someone else...better and at lower cost

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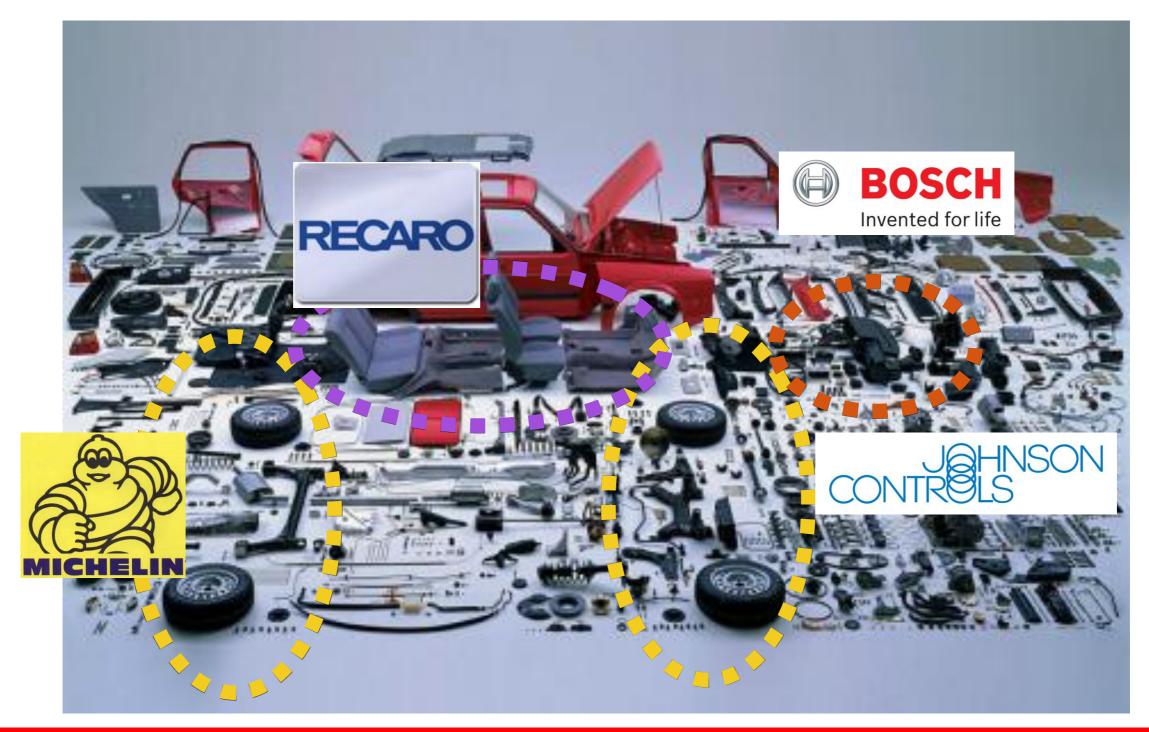


- You need a new system for application X
- You want to take as little risk as possible
- You know that initial costs are the smallest part of the TCO
- You want to protect future investment
- You want to do this quickly

#### Is this how we buy cars?



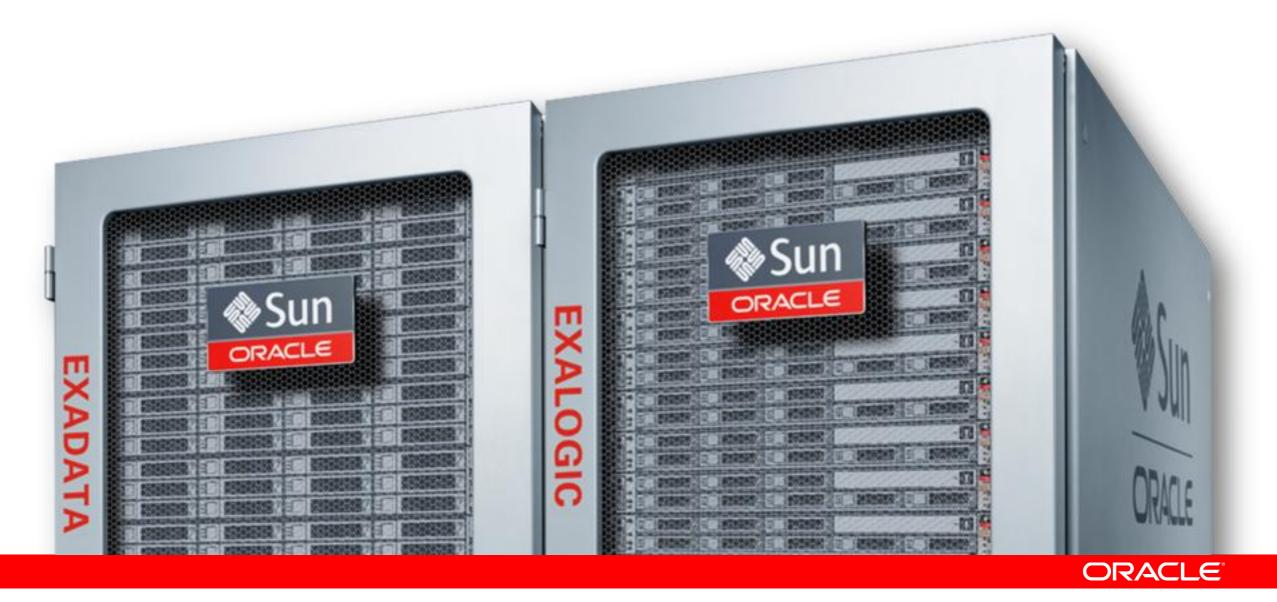
#### Why buy IT systems like this?



#### **Oracle Exalogic Elastic Cloud**

Software. Hardware. Complete.

#### **Building the 21st Century Datacenter**



#### **Characteristics of Engineered Systems**

Hardware and software working in harmony

- State-of-the-art hardware components
- Tuned and optimized software
- High-performance networking
- Dense compute clusters
- Efficient storage
- Balanced system design



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# What Type of Private Platform and (IOUG) ResearchWire My Infrastructure Cloud Services Is Your Company Providing?

*	Application server platform as a service	24.7%	
*	Database platform as a service	21.4%	PaaS
	Identity as a service	4.7%	
	Compute as a service	10.2%	
	Storage as a service	18.1%	laaS
	Software development and test as a service	14.9%	
	Don't know/unsure	20.5%	
	None	37.2%	

\* Most popular:
Application Server as a service
Database as a service

#### **Engineered Systems**

**Driving trend in IT for the next decade** 



#### **Oracle Exalogic Elastic Cloud**

One platform for the whole enterprise

#### **x86 Compute Nodes**

- 30 compute servers
- 360 2.93 GHz Xeon cores
- 2.8 TB DRAM
- 960 GB mirrored solid-state disk

or

#### **SPARC Compute Nodes**

- 30 compute servers
- 480 1.6 GHz high-efficiency cores
- 3.8 TB DRAM
- 960 GB mirrored solid-state disk



#### **Integrated Storage**

- Central storage for system images
- Clustered for HA
- 40 TB SAS disk
- 4 TB read cache
- 72 GB write cache

#### **InfiniBand Interconnect**

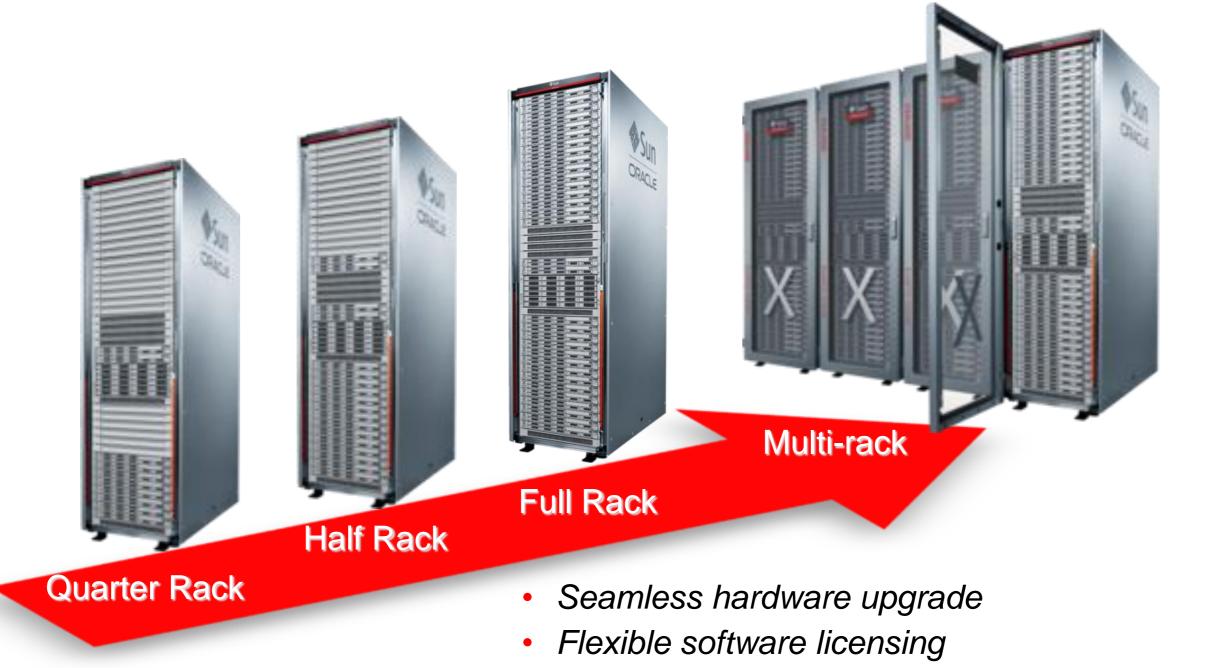
- 40 Gb/sec
- 1.2 microsecond latency
- 10 Gigabit Ethernet connectivity to datacenter

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#### Scale from One Application to Cloud

Start small and grow



#### One Platform for the Whole Enterprise

Performance, reliability and simplicity



#### Fastest Java Performance

Application performance improved up to 10X

#### Foundation for Mission Critical Cloud

- Best for application consolidation
- Best for elastic capacity on demand

#### Engineered System

- Lowest cost to deploy and operate
- Fastest path to production

#### **Balanced and Optimized**



- Custom systems do not achieve full performance
  - Component imbalance, mis-configuration, bottleneck
- Exalogic is engineered and optimized end-to-end
  - Double-digit GB/sec transfers of data
    - Disk, flash, controller, bus, HBA, network, CPUs, etc
  - Software optimized with firmware, drivers, OS, network
  - Years of tuning
  - No bottleneck

Optimized End-to-End

- Move I/T talent to higher value business needs
  - Not designing, tuning, maintaining hardware configs

#### **Engineered System**

#### One standard platform for all workloads

- 100+ person years of Oracle system engineering investment
  - Built in and available on day one
- Engineered system
  - Java Middleware stack
  - Device firmware
  - Drivers
  - OS kernel modifications
  - IO configuration
- Move enterprise IT talent to higher value work



#### **Standardized**

#### One standard platform for all workloads

#### Every unit is identical

- Pre-built, tested, standard, supportable configuration
- Identical to configurations used by Oracle Software Engineering

#### Runs existing applications

- Entire Fusion Middleware portfolio
- Any Linux 5 or Solaris 11 application
- No Exalogic certification required

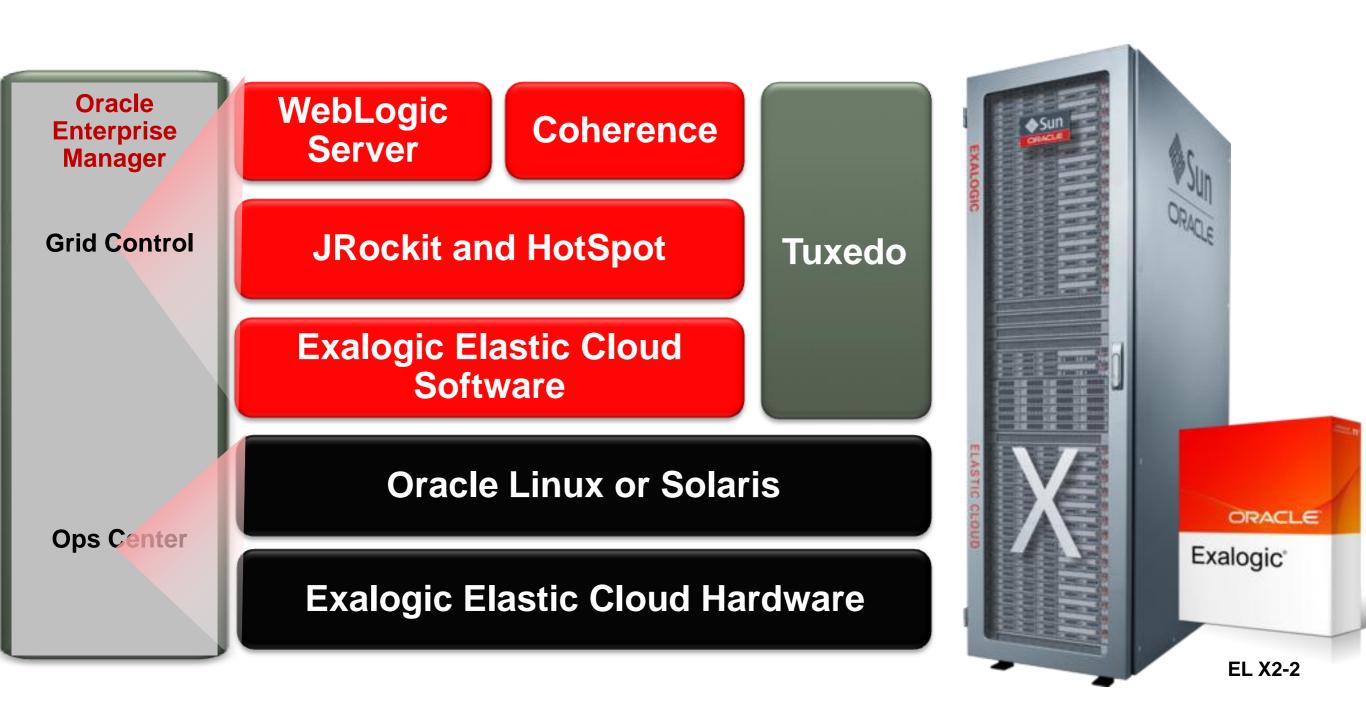
#### Leverages Oracle ecosystem

Skills, knowledge base, people, partners



#### **Oracle's Elastic Cloud Foundation**

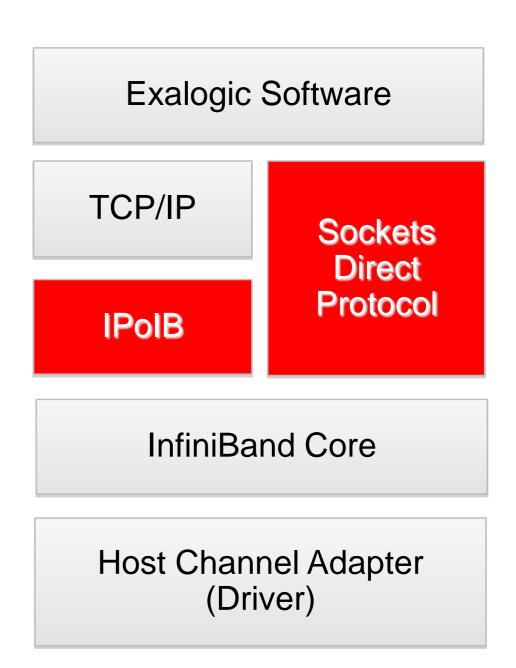
Application Grid, OS, Enterprise Manager and hardware



#### **InfiniBand Performance Advantage**

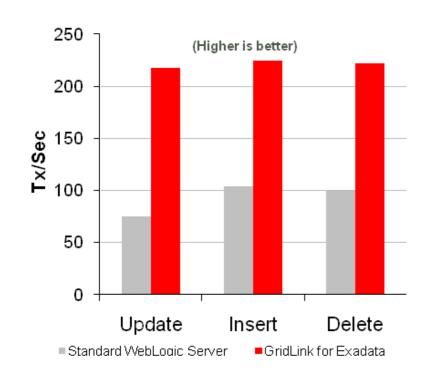
**Up to 12x Performance** 

- Network IO is critical
  - #1 limiting factor for application performance and scale
- Eliminate buffer copies
  - From four to zero
- Use larger packet size to reduce network overhead
  - 64K instead of 4K packets
- Optimized for InfiniBand
  - 3x throughput over 10 GbE
  - 50% less latency via native SDP

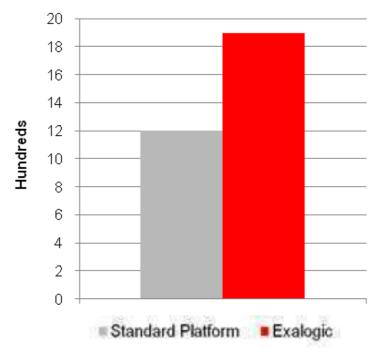


#### **Extreme Java**

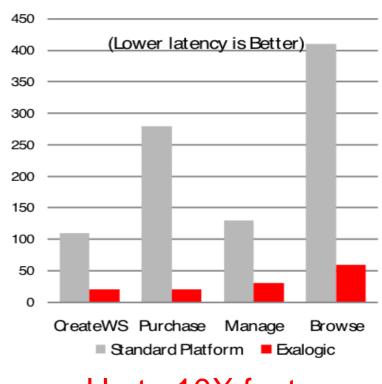
#### The power of the Oracle Exalogic Elastic Cloud Software



2-3X improvement in Database OLTP



60% more Java Operations/sec.



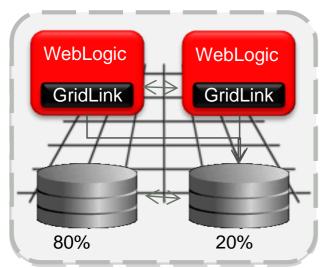
Up to 10X faster response time

- balancing
- JDBC over SDP
- Run-time connection load Enhanced buffer handling-Cluster IPC for InfiniBand multiplexing over SDP
  - Optimized multi-core scheduler
- -Scatter-gather IO

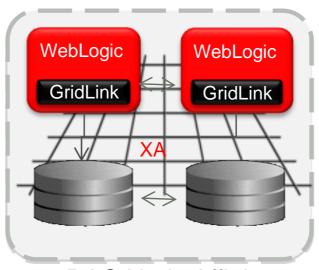
#### **Exalogic GridLink for Exadata**

#### Unique Oracle RAC integration and OLTP fault tolerance

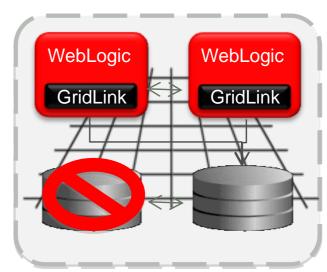
- Integrated Exalogic and Exadata clusters
- Dynamic load balancing of requests to RAC nodes
- RAC node transaction affinity for data locality
- Maximum JDBC performance with SQLNet over native InfiniBand protocol (SDP)
- Instant load balancing and failover with RAC changes



RAC Node Load Aware Connection Requests



RAC Node Affinity For Transactions



Continuous Connections Even with RAC Changes

#### **Application Support and Certification**

Optimized for enterprise Java, ready for everything

Runs 1000's of existing applications

Extreme Performance

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**FUSION MIDDLEWARE** 

No Certification Required

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Oracle Exalogic Elastic Cloud

#### **Enterprise Application Consolidation**

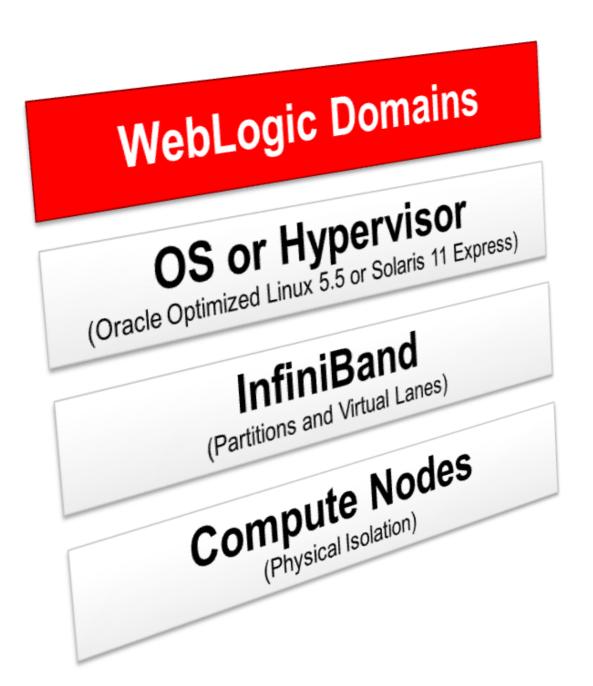
#### One platform engineered for the whole enterprise

- Cost containment and IT agility
  - One system to buy, deploy and maintain
  - Increase velocity and flexibility
- The path to mission critical cloud
  - Open platform
  - Support varied workloads
  - Application isolation
  - Scalability and elasticity



#### **Essential Application Multi-tenancy**

Maximum security and fine-grained resource allocation



### Multi-level application isolation

- Balance performance, availability, security and density per Application or Line of Business as required
- Security and resource allocation aligned, separable
  - Seamless integration with existing processes and organization

#### **Complete and Integrated Management**

One button patching from application to disk

#### Maintain

Remote Management

- Telemetry

**Phone Home** 

- Proactive Support

My Oracle Support Integration

#### Manage

**End-to-End Diagnostics** 

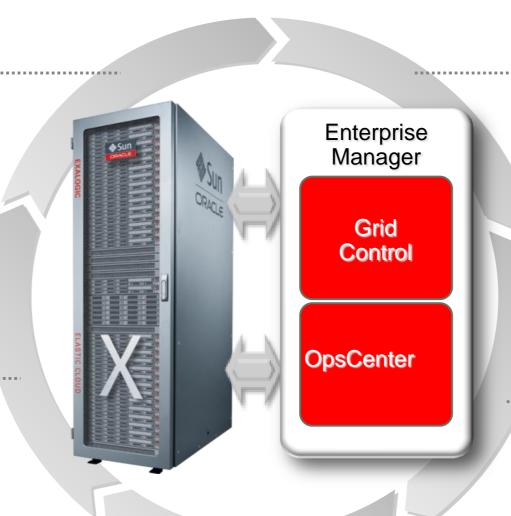
- Service Levels
- Root Cause

**Configuration Mgmt** 

- Change Tracking

Patch Automation

- Firmware, OS



#### **Deploy**

Provisioning of Firmware, OS, Middelware, and Applications Clone and Scale-out

#### Test

Functional Testing Load Testing Test Management

#### **Monitor**

Application-to-Disk, Heat and Power Exalogic Monitoring Integration

- System, Compute Nodes, Switch, Storage

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#### Things to Remember

Extreme performance, high availability for varied workloads

- Hardware designed to run our software, software optimised to run on our hardware
- Huge savings by deploying engineered systems
- Reduced ongoing costs by collective experience of all deployed systems
- Extreme performance achievable through enhancements through entire App Grid stack



#### **Oracle Exalogic Elastic Cloud**

#### Delivering real business value



Extreme Java Performance

Improved up to

12X

Mission Critical Cloud

Operational Cost Reduced up to

60%

Integrated System

Time to Deploy Reduced

90%

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- www.oracle.com/exalogic
- www.oracle.com/exadata

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