What is z/OS?

Z/OS is a operating system for IBM mainframes (a large computer system). It is the successor to OS/390, which in turn followed a string of MVS versions. Z/OS offers the attributes of modern operating systems but also retains much of the functionality originating in the 1960s and each subsequent decade that is still found in daily use. It was first introduced in the October 2000 and the first realise was in April 2001. It is known as very scalable and very save.

Some Facts:

* Z/OS supports 64-bit Java, C, C++ and UNIX APIs and applications.
* Z/OS can communicate directly via TCP/IP, including IPv6, and includes standard HTTP servers along with other common services such as FTP, NFS, and CIFS/SMB.
* Z/OS is available under standard license pricing, pricing starts about 125 dollars per month