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Content Delivery Networks: Building New Value Into Your Network

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Content Delivery Networks

- Important to deliver a complete <u>system</u> for Content Delivery Networks
- Enables Service Providers to build new value into their networks and to deploy highly profitable content delivery services



Value-Add Content Delivery Services The SP's Vision

Grow and maintain brand Applications Streaming equity and customer Value-Add loyalty by improving the **E-commerce Advanced Web** user experience Hosting **Content Delivery** Services **Basic Web** Hosting Internet Access

Time

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Emerging Content Services

Business to Consumer Services

Static Image acceleration (this is the state of CDN's today)

Large Scale On-Demand and Live Streaming Media Delivery and Hosting

Content Rating and Filtering

Distributed Dynamic Content

Personalization (e.g. Ad Insertion)

Business to Business Services

Distributed Web Hosting, Applications Hosting, and E-Commerce

Virtual Private Content Delivery Nets (VPCDN's)

Intranet/Extranet Streaming Media Delivery

Streaming Media Delivery and Hosting

Enterprise Controlled Content Access and Delivery

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Huge Emerging Opportunity

Internet Generation







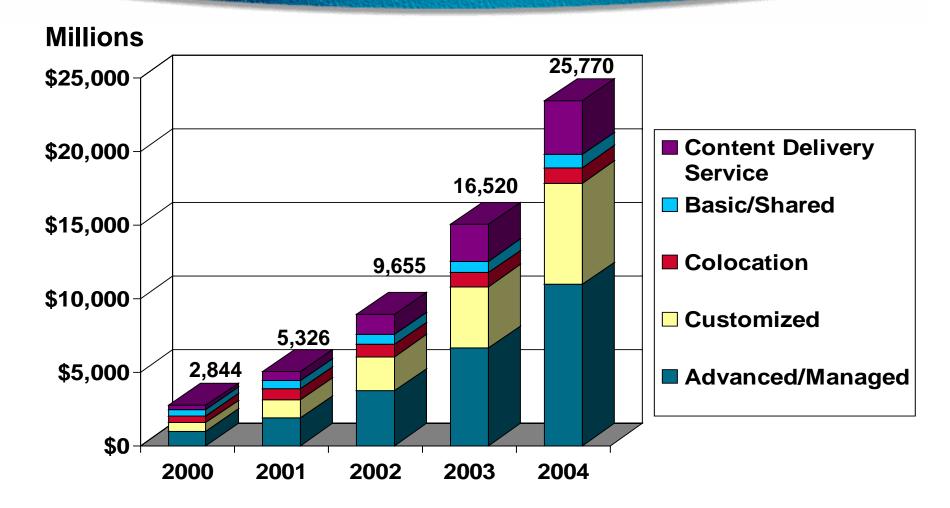


Rich Content and Broadband Access

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Drive need for scalable Content Delivery and New Hosting Services

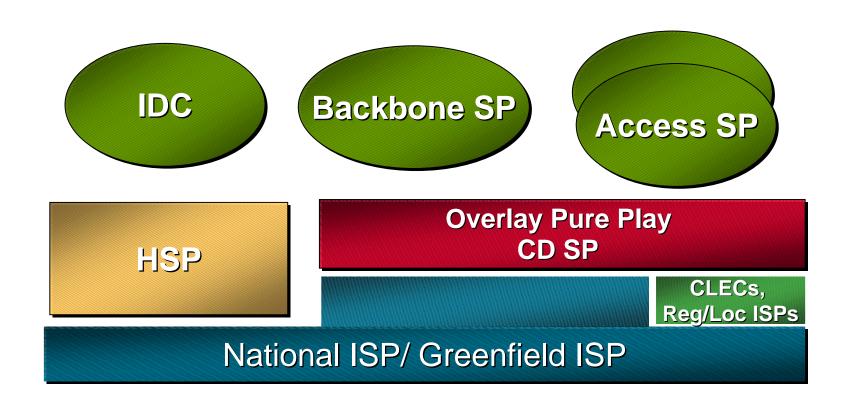
U.S. Web Hosting and Content Delivery Service Revenue: 2000 - 2004



Source: Forrester Research, 2000

Internet Research Group, 2000

CDN Opportunities



Content Delivery Services Challenges to be Solved

The Challenges

- Network bandwidth congestion
- Distance/Speed of Light
- Origin Server Scalability
- Peaks/Flash Crowd dynamic congestion

The Solution

- Distribute content closer to the user while maintaining security and freshness
- Adapt content access to dynamic real world demands



Cisco's Content Delivery System

- Enables New Content Based Services
- Improves end-user experience
- Provides superior scalability and "flash crowd" protection for e-business
- Insures high levels of content availability and security
- Leverages investment in Cisco IP Infrastructure

Enables SPs to build additional value into their networks - value which will translate into higher revenues, better margins, and increased customer loyalty

Content Delivery Networks Required System Building Blocks

Content Delivery Services

Web Hosting

E-Commerce

Streaming

Applications

Content Delivery Networks Content Distribution & Management

Content Routing

Content Switching

Content Edge Delivery

Intelligent Network Services

L2/L3 Networks

Highly available, scalable, performance network at Layer 2/3



Mobile



Fixed Wireless



Cable



DSL

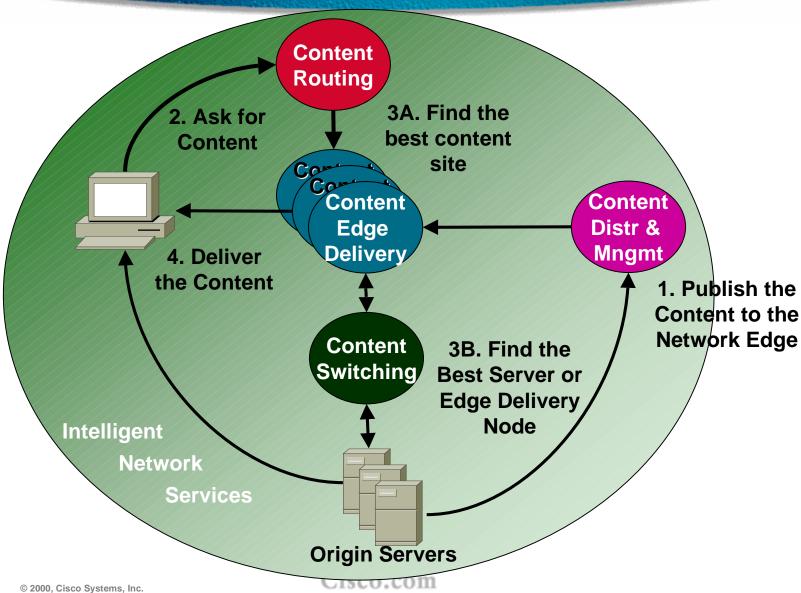


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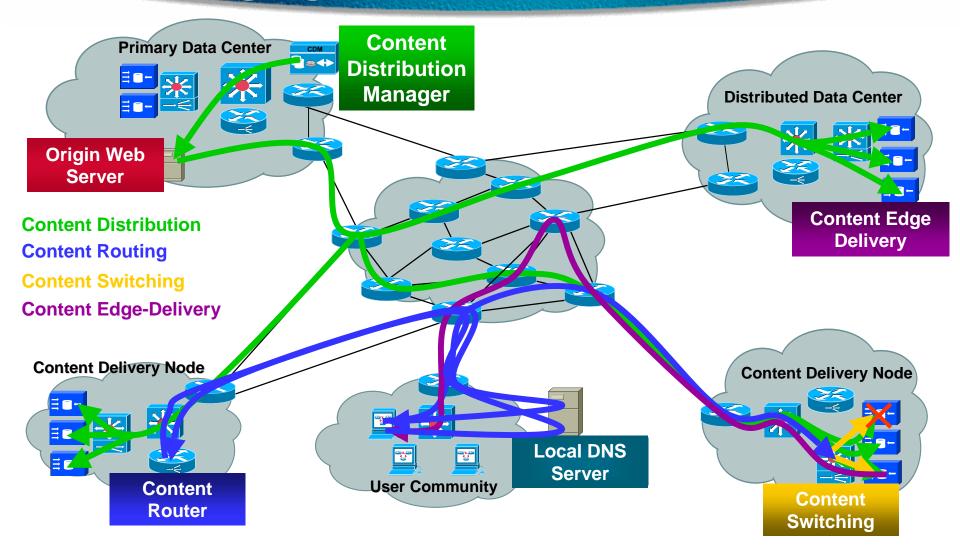
ISDN/Dial

CDN Platform Overview

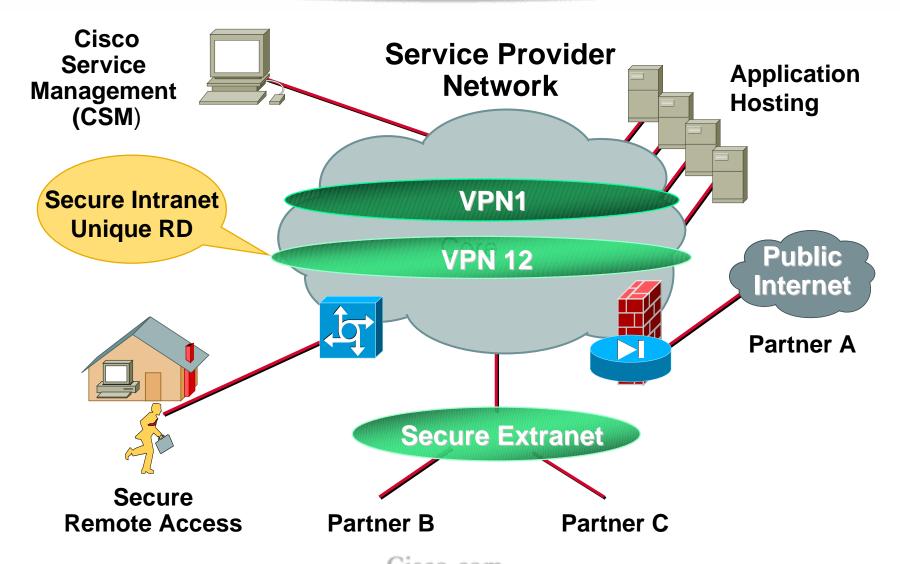


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Content Delivery Networks Bringing Content Closer to Users



Intelligent Network Services Security, QoS, VPNs, and Multicast



Content Switching Shared Infrastructure

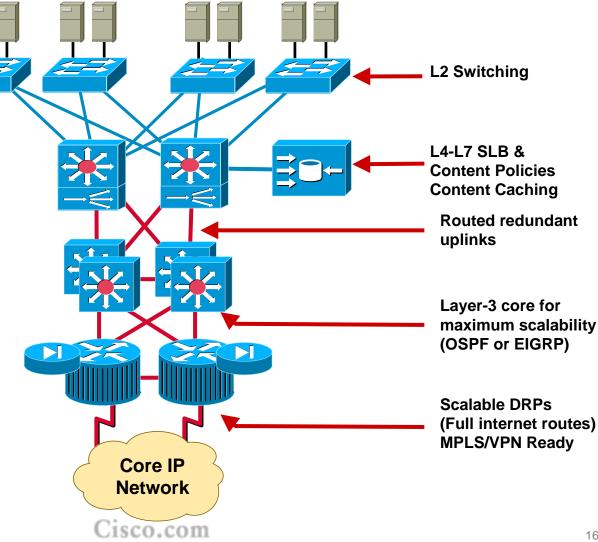
Server Access Layer L2 Switches

Service Aggregation CSS 11150, 11800

Distribution Layer Catalyst 6500

Network Access Layer Cisco 12000 or 75XX

VLAN Trunks Routed Links



SLB vs. Content Switching

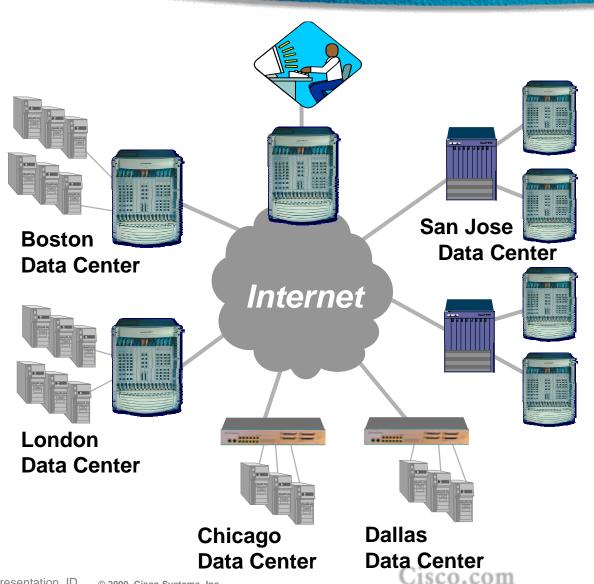
SLB

- <u>Local</u> server load balancing
- Local URL filtering
- Server-specific policies
- Policies local to a switch
- Inbound traffic management
- Standalone switches
- Layer 2,3,4

Content Switching

- Content request routing
- Network-wide content discovery, distribution and synchronization
- Server, user, content, network, application policies
- Content-specific and network-wide policies
- <u>In/outbound</u> application/flow states intelligence
- Switch clustering across network
- Layer 4-7

Web Hosting and ASP Services



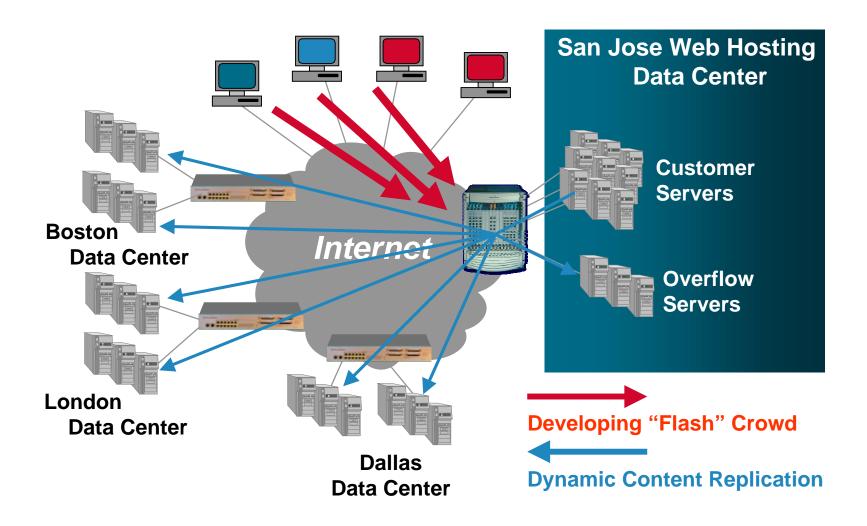


- **ASP/Hosting**
- E-commerce Services
- Distributed Data Centers
- Flash Crowd Insurance
- Content Distribution

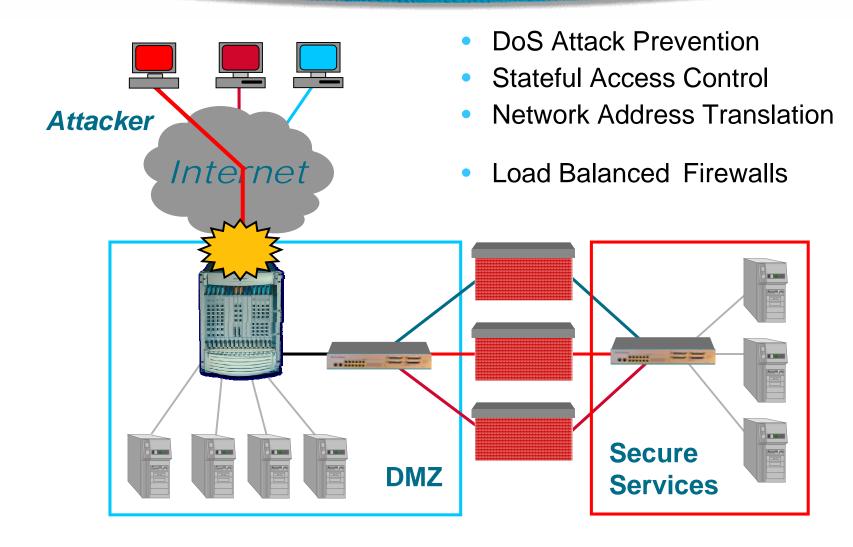




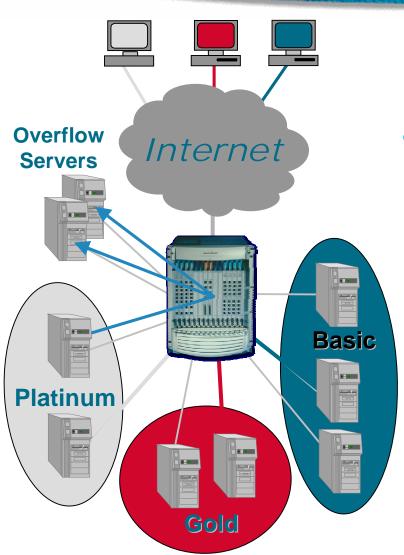
Dynamic Content Replication: Flash Crowd Insurance Services



Web Site Security Services



Premium Services for Users and Transactions



Cookie Switching enables prioritized services for important customers

Route users to specific servers based on user's cookie

Restrict max # of transactions on "Platinum" servers to ensure best performance

ACA selects best server within each group

Provide overflow servers for Gold and Platinum customers

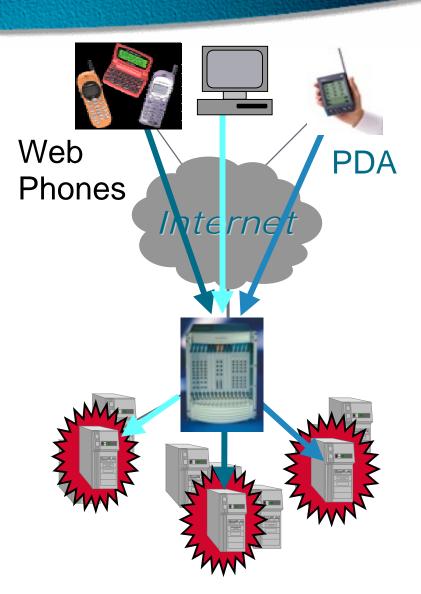
New Web Access Devices

Challenge:

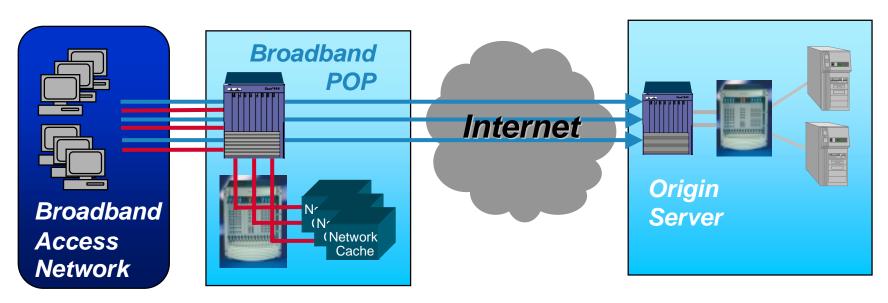
Web sites must deliver content in different formats for different devices: Internet phones, PDAs

Solution:

Content services switch detects browser type in HTTP request and routes to appropriate Web servers or transformation gateways



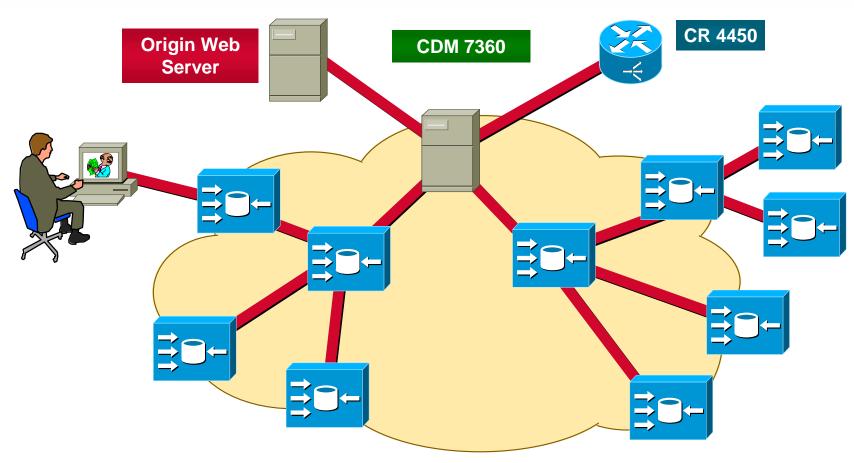
Transparent Caching Services Optimizing Broadband Access



- Transparent no browser configuration required
- Improves performance by bypassing cache for non-cacheable content or cache failures
- Content policy allows include, exclude (bypass), or block actions based on Access Control Lists

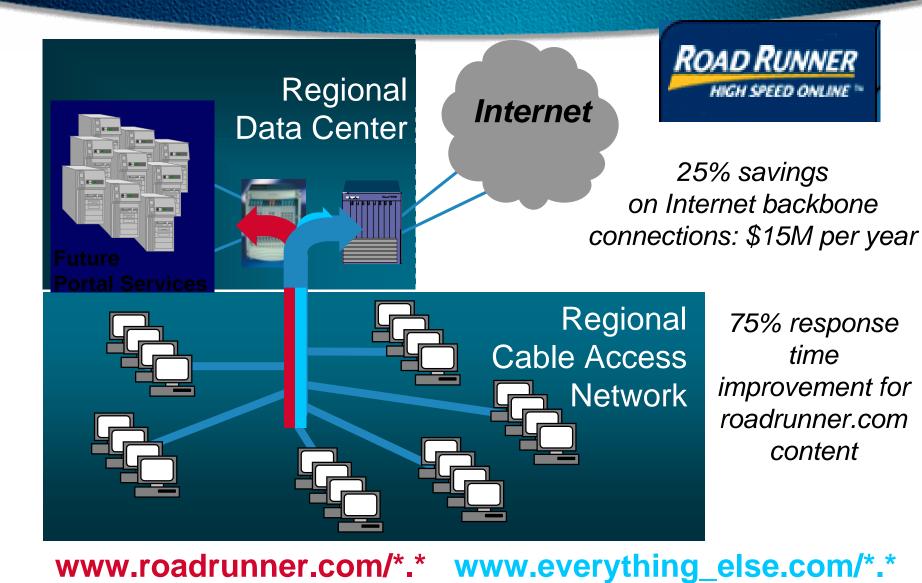
Based on IP address, TCP port or URL

Content Routing Using SODA



- Client is routing to best server using DNS
- Feedback information on the "best" server is stored in the Content Router
- Clients can be routed to the "best" server using policies, such as location of content

Broadband Network Services



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Cisco Forms Content Alliance Accelerate Adoption of CN Services

Objectives of the Content Alliance

Develop and promote open standards for Content Peering

Drive the creation of other standards needed to speed the adoption of Content Networking services

28 Charter Members

ARC, America Online, Inc., Cable & Wireless, Cisco Systems, Digex, Digital Island, Documentum, EMC, Entera, Genuity, Global Center, HelloNetwork.com, Mirror Image Internet, NaviSite, NetSat Express, Network Appliance, OBCTV.com, Primedia Workplace Learning, PSINet, ServInt, SolidSpeed Networks, StorageNetworks, Streampipe.com, Sun Microsystems, Telefónica Data, US Data Authority, Vividon, and Walt Disney Internet Group

CDN Roadmap for Service Providers

B-to-C Services
B-to-B/Ent. Services

Enterprise Controlled Access/Delivery Distributed
Dynamic
Content,
Personalization

Hosting, Intranet/ Extranet Streaming, VPCDN's

Distributed

Large Scale Streaming, Rating/Filtering

Static Image Acceleration

Proprietary CDN's Today

Additional
New Cisco Enabled
Services Today

2001

2002

Content Delivery Networks Delivering the Complete System

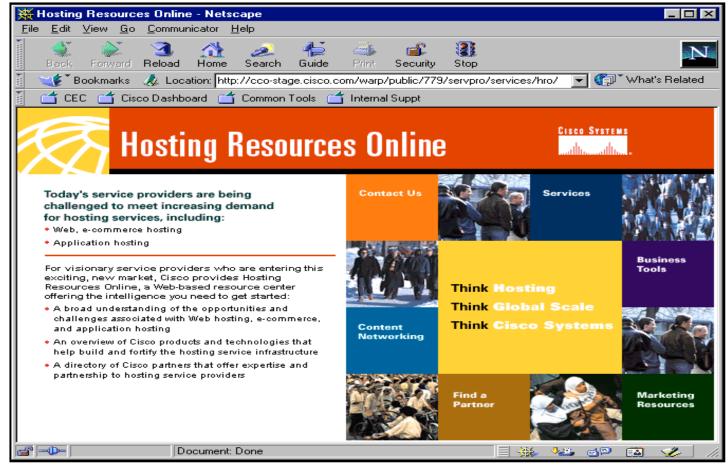
	Content Distribution & Management	Content Routing	Content Switching	Content Edge-Delivery	Intelligent Network Services
Key Features / Benefits	Global / centralized provisioning Real time monitoring Ensuring fresh content Self organizing distribution network	Scalability Routing to best most proximate content Adaptive routing around failures / congestion	Flash crowd protection Optimal handling for non-cacheable content (e-commerce, etc) E-commerce transaction assurance Core distribution capabilities	High-performance content delivery for POPs Integrated caching for transparent insertion into the network Full scalable range product range with common architecture	Leverage existing network infrastructure QoS Security Multicast VPNs
Products	CONTENT DISTRIBUTION MANAGERS • CDM 4670 • CDM 4650 • CDM 4630	CONTENT ROUTERS • CR 4450 • CR 4400 • Distributed Director	CONTENT SWITCHES • CSS 11000 + • Catalyst 6500	CONTENT ENGINES • CE 7320 • CE 507/560/590	NETWORK SERVICES • Cisco IOS

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Hosting Resources Online Centralized Portal for Content/Hosting Info

http://www.cisco.com/go/hosting

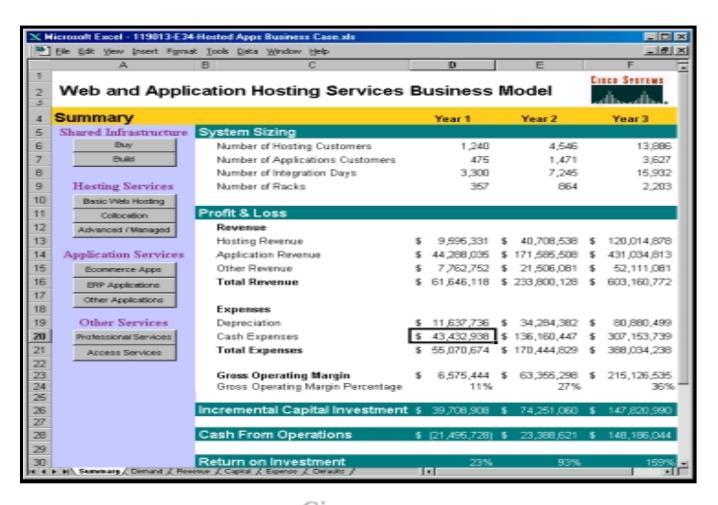


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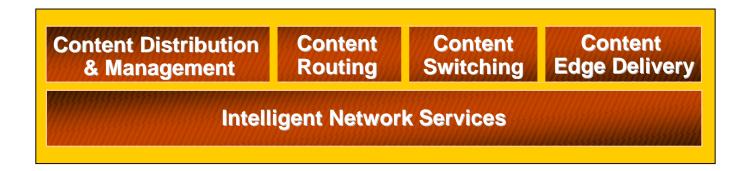
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Hosting Business Model An Interactive Modeling Tool

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