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# Opening Doors to Open Source and On Demand

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# Agenda

- **IBM Invests in Linux and Open Source**
- **What is the Value of Open Source?**
- **Moving to On Demand Business**
- **On Demand Business and Grid Computing**
- **The Right Time for On Demand and Open Source**
- **For More Information**

## **IBM invested early in Linux... and continues to invest**

**IBM was the first major IT vendor to embrace Linux, making it an important corporate strategic imperative.**

**We've already dedicated **\$1 billion** to Linux development and will invest more than **\$300 million** in Linux services over the next three years.**

# **The IBM Open Source Differentiator: Technical expertise driving business value**

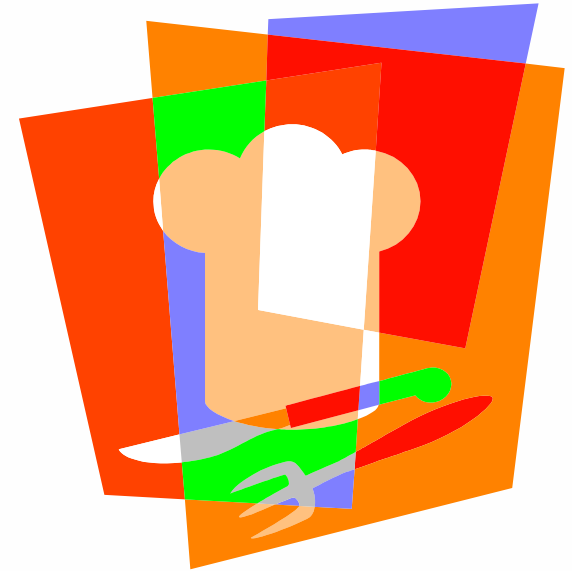
- **IBM Linux Technology Center**
  - 350+ leading developers at vanguard of kernel maturation
  - Application development, Open Source IDE Framework, OSDL, Eclipse
  
- **Linux Porting Centers, Linux Centers of Competence for Finance (NYC, London), Linux for Service Providers Lab, Global e-business Solutions Center, Linux Integration Centers**
  
- **Strategic alliances with Linux Distribution vendors**
  - Red Hat, SuSE, United Linux
  
- **Software, Hardware and Services Support**
  - WebSphere, DB2, Lotus, Tivoli, Rational, all eServers, High Performance Computing, full services portfolio

# **IBM supports the Open Source Community**

- **70+ active Open Source projects**
- **Over 500 engineers: “Making Linux better”**
- **Thousands of Linux-trained consultants/ architects**
- **IBM engineers leading enterprise Linux focus**
- **80% of IBM's contributions are accepted**
- **Deeply involved in V2.5 of Linux kernel development**
- **Defect support for a set of core Linux packages**
- **Led formation of Linux Test Project to validate reliability, robustness, and stability of Linux distributions**
- **Key participant and contributor to "Carrier Grade Linux" project**

# IBM eats its own cooking

- [www.ibm.com](http://www.ibm.com) runs on Linux
- IBM runs Linux on over 1,500 servers, supporting over 300,000 employees
- Deploying Linux to support Lotus Notes infrastructure saves IBM \$10M each year
- IBM Global Services runs most file and print services now using Samba for 165,000 employees
- Over 14,000 IBM employees run a Linux Desktop supported by IBM



## The Value of Open Source: “What If...”

*Your bank could check credit, tax values and liens instantly and set up loan servicing through your processing partner, offering online billing and customer support ...*

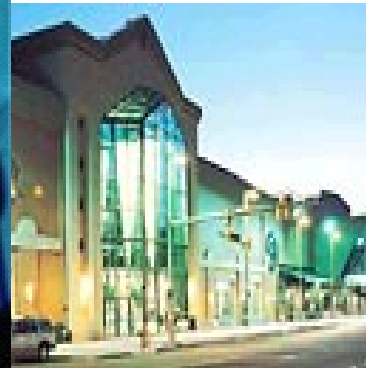
**You could ... cut mortgage processing time to minutes, not days – win new customers, enhance our competitive position, offer new services, open new markets, and save 50% of your costs.**



# The Value of Open Source: “What If...”

*Your retail firm could keep inventory in the warehouse and deliver to the store exactly only what is needed for that day's sales...*

**You could... strip out inventory-carrying costs and be more competitive, leverage your assets over more customers, and reinvest the savings to drive new business opportunities.**

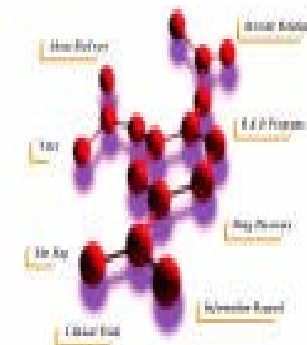




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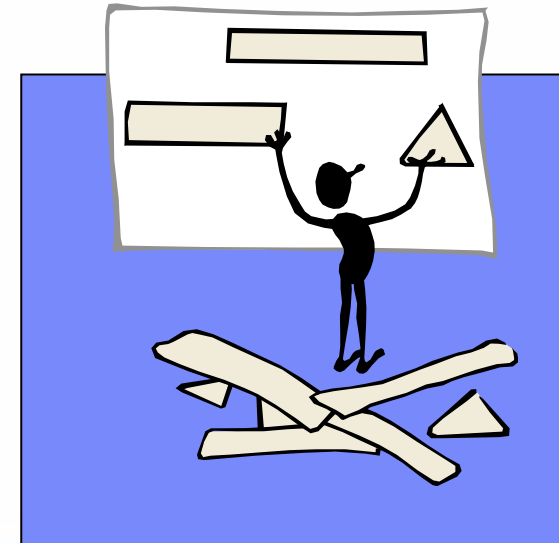
*Your pharmaceutical company could access "integrated patient data" in a secure, reliable real time mode, through in-home diagnostic, monitoring and communications technologies ...*

**You could ... move more of your business to the creation of customized medicines for smaller patient populations, rather than on expensive, high-stakes "blockbuster drugs", make better business decisions, increase speed to market, and establish market leadership.**

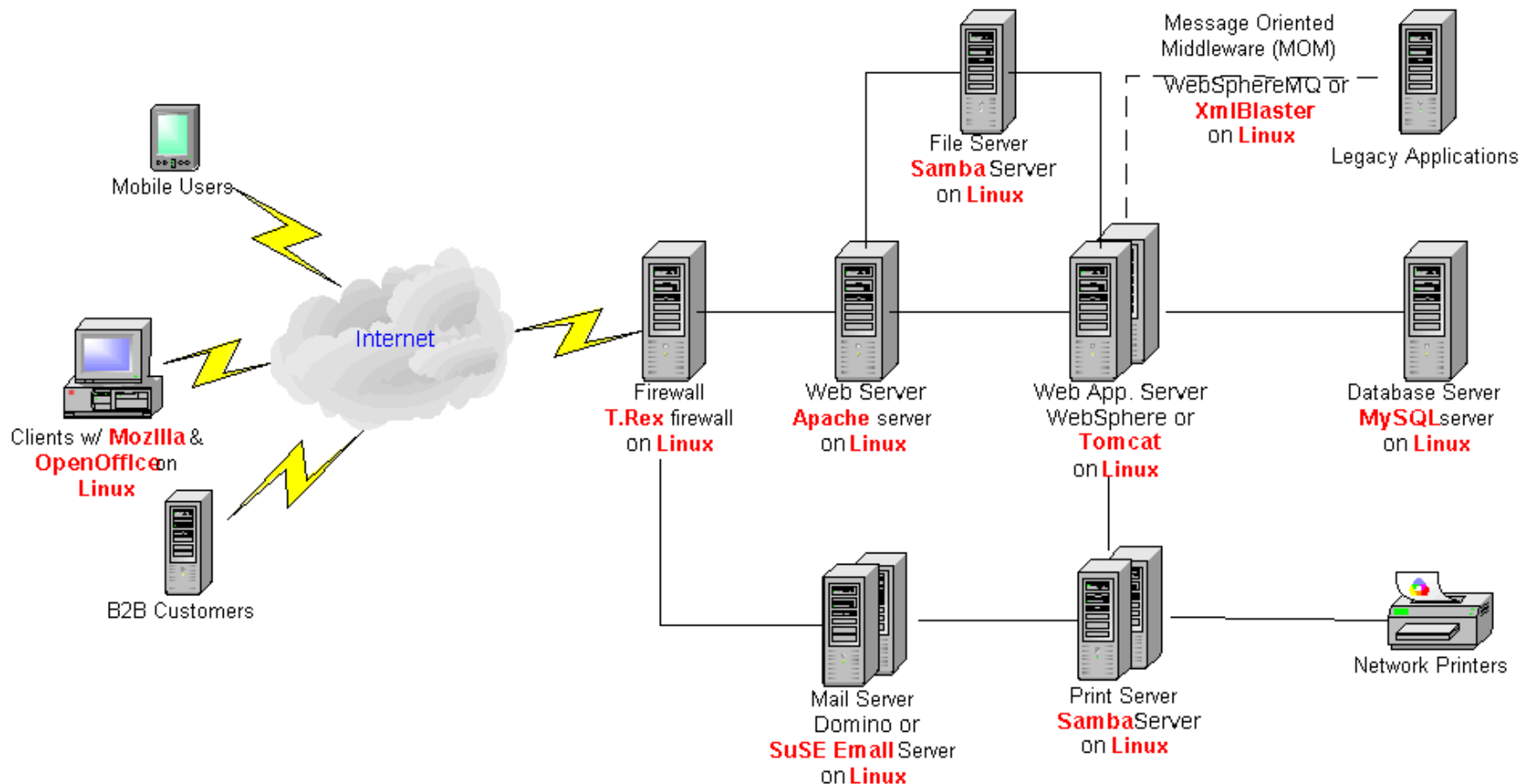



# Linux: Not just another operating system

- **Cost efficiency**
  - Delivers strong price performance value
  - For large deployments, the license savings are huge
- **Complete Control**
  - Implement enhancements as and when you want it, not dependence on proprietary vendors
  - Customize software to suit your business needs
- **Robust Solutions**
  - OSS products undergo the scrutiny of users worldwide
  - Reinvest the savings on license and infrastructure costs
- **Easy Integration**
  - OSS usually adhere to open standards
  - OSS is not an exclusive option and can co-exist with other products.
- **Widely Available Resources**
  - Availability of source, documentation and communities reduces the ramp-up time
  - Straight forward transition from Unix environments

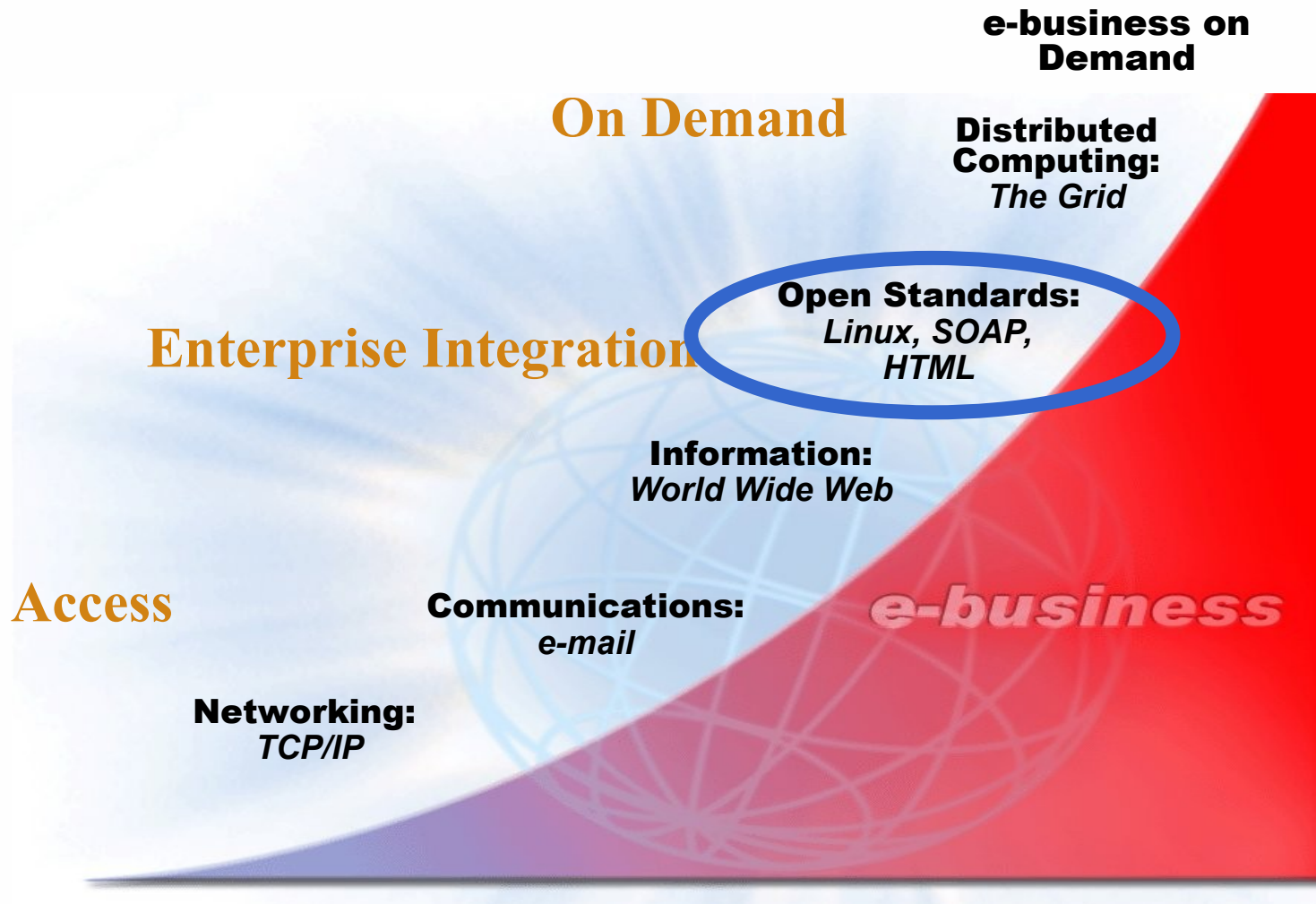


# Linux and OSS: Sample Deployment



 Open Source Software products

# Linux: The Next Step to On Demand



**Internet Evolution – Phases of e-business adoption**

# Change is constant and accelerating...

Productivity

Governance

Economy

Capital and Asset Utilization

Security  
Threats

Pricing  
Pressures

Customer  
Preferences

**business**

**on demand business**

**technology**

Open Movement

Commoditization

Autonomic Computing

Grids

Web Services

Clusters

Blades

Virtualization

Standards

# And companies are increasingly facing challenging and changing environments

## Budget Pressures

- Worldwide economic slowdown causing revenue shortfall
- Significant action required to balance budgets
- Need to fund invest and development of competitive business initiatives

## Increased Collaboration

- Global economy requires increased internal and external collaboration
- Cross-organization integration to increase service delivery efficiency

## Safety, Privacy, Security

- Must balance conflicting demands for safety and privacy
- Funding required for new security initiatives

## Operational Support & Value

- Enhanced operational readiness & support for quick response/deployment
- Interoperability among business units, vendors, and partners
- Implement better accountability for IT spending in support of the business

## Customer & Business Expectations

- Customers expect responsive and available businesses
- Increasing number of customers prefer web access to systems and information
- Limited tolerance for outages and poor performance

# So what is the key imperative to meet these challenges?

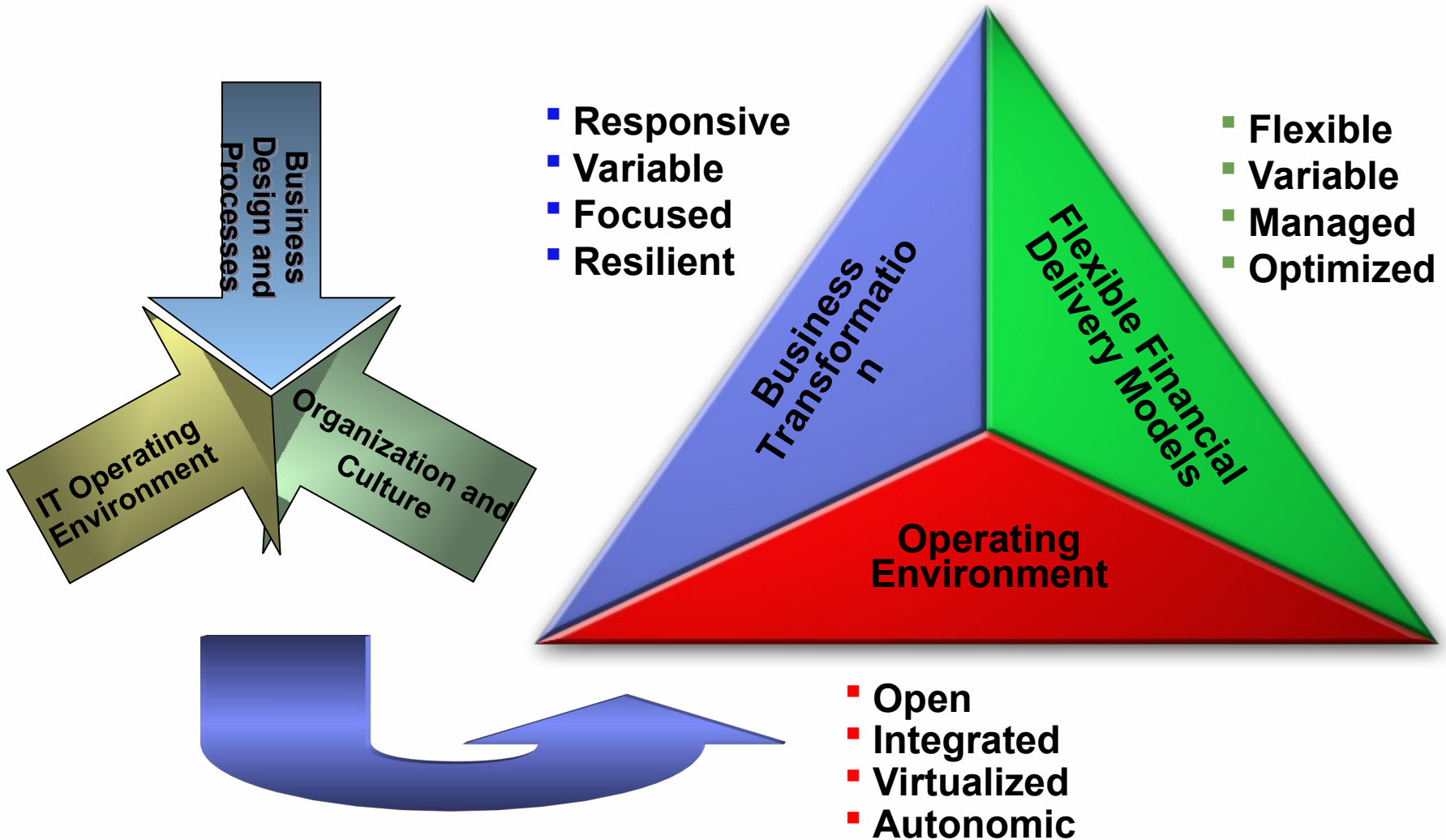
**Transformation to  
an On Demand  
Business**



## Business on Demand

An enterprise whose **business processes - integrated end-to-end** across the company and with key partners, suppliers and customers - can **respond with speed** to any **customer demand, market opportunity** or **external threat**.

# Three Elements: On Demand Business



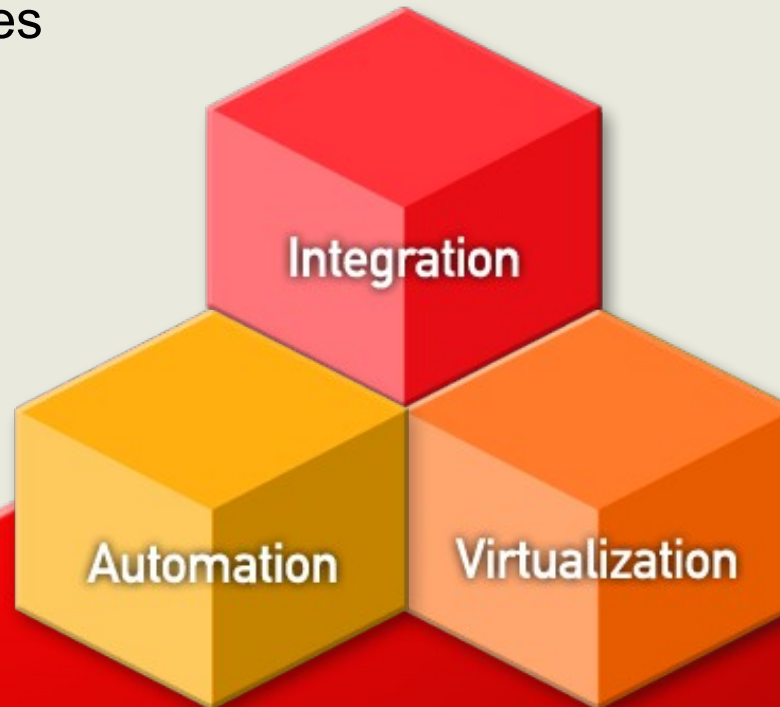


# The On Demand Operating Environment supports the Business Transformation

## Business Transformation

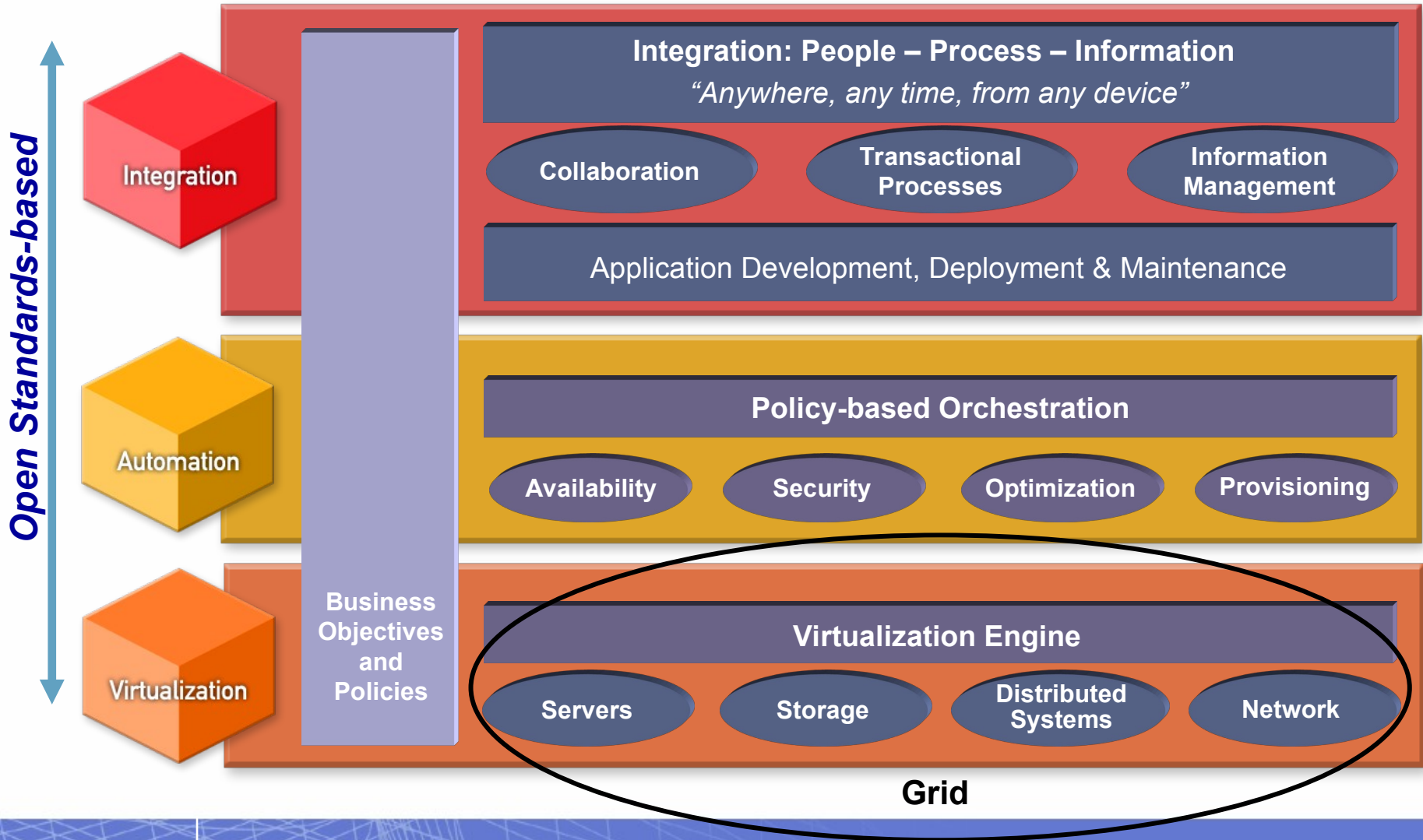
- Align IT processes with business priorities
- Enable business flexibility and responsiveness

- Reduce cost
- Improve asset utilization
- Address new business opportunities

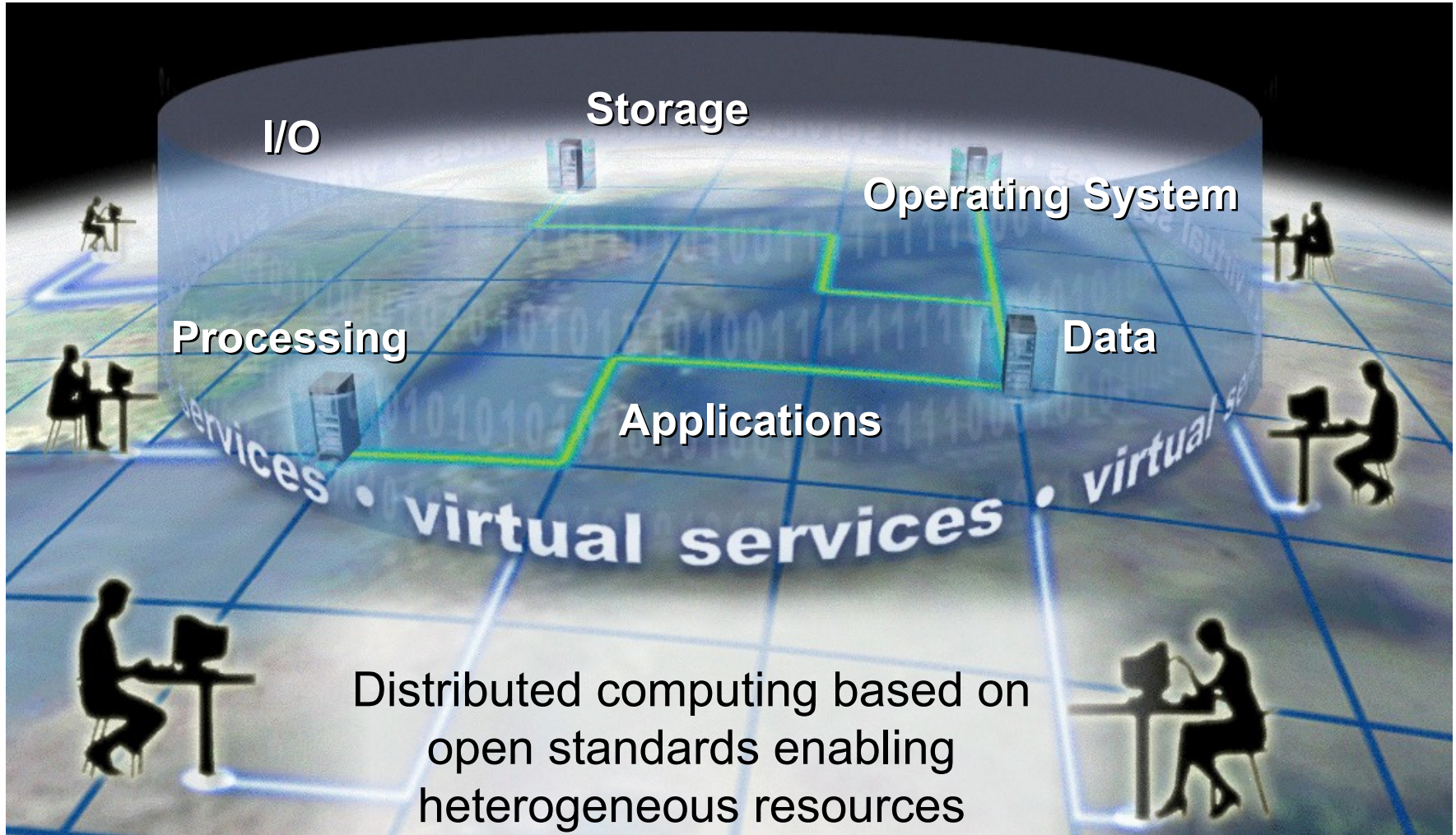


**On Demand Operating Environment**

# On Demand Operating Environment: Open standards and Integrated processes



# Making the Move to Grid Computing



# **Grid Computing: Ready for Implementation**

- **Services-oriented architectural approach using open standards**
- **Enables devices to be virtually shared/managed/accessed**
- **Seamless and uninterrupted access to resources**
- **Resource virtualization results in true business On Demand**
- **Helps promote the efficient technology resource utilization**
- **Fosters the creation of cost-effective, resilient and adaptable IT infrastructures**

# Grid: Providing real business value TODAY

***“With Grid computing we can integrate data on a single customer from dozens, if not hundreds, of applications and platforms. That will allow Schwab to offer better integrated, more targeted service and product offerings to our customers...”***

EVP, Schwab Technology Services

***“Grid will optimize the number of applications I can run on my servers and allow me to reduce my licensing, server, and maintenance costs, translating into at least \$1M savings.”*** CIO, Engineering Professional Services

***“Grid allowed us to marry these technologies (Linux, Mainframe and Blades) in a cooperative model that delivers significant business benefit for Hewitt and our customers.”***

CIO, Hewitt Associates

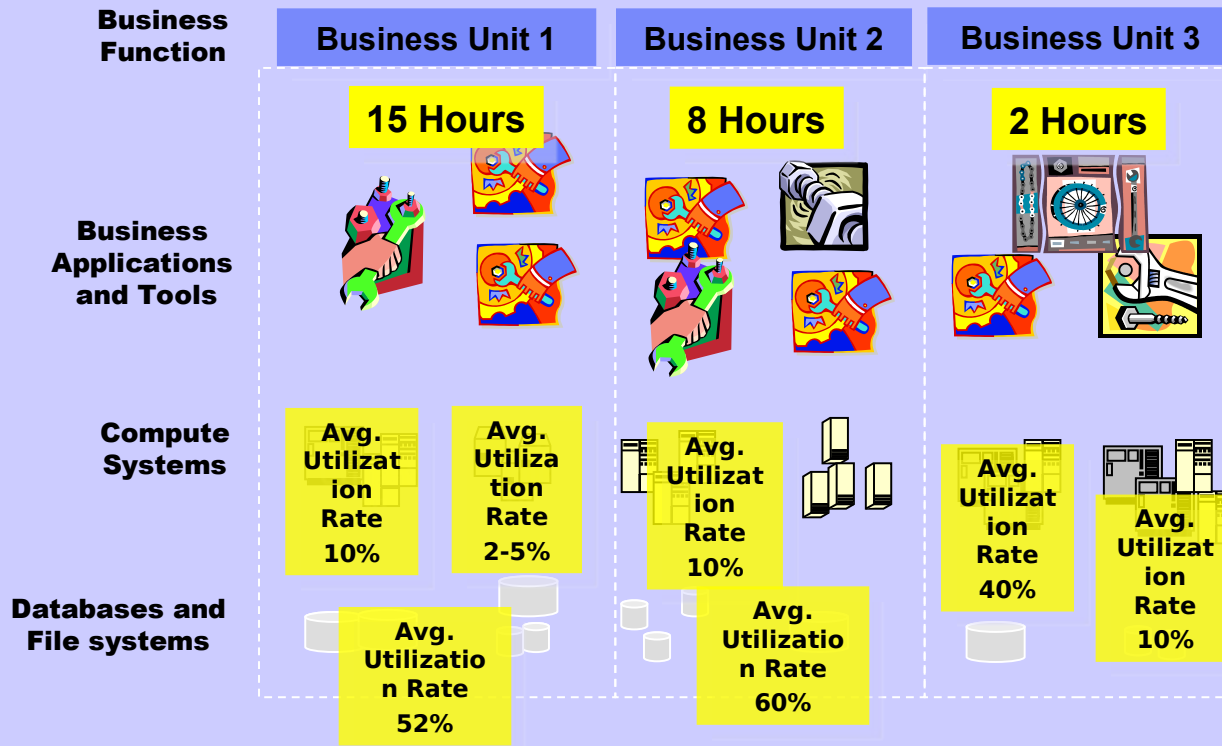
***“Our corporate CIO has been involved to spread Grid to other divisions that have similar compute-intensive simulation environments.”***

LOB IT, Aerospace

***“Grid is about cutting administrative and support costs and enabling a shared IT infrastructure.”***

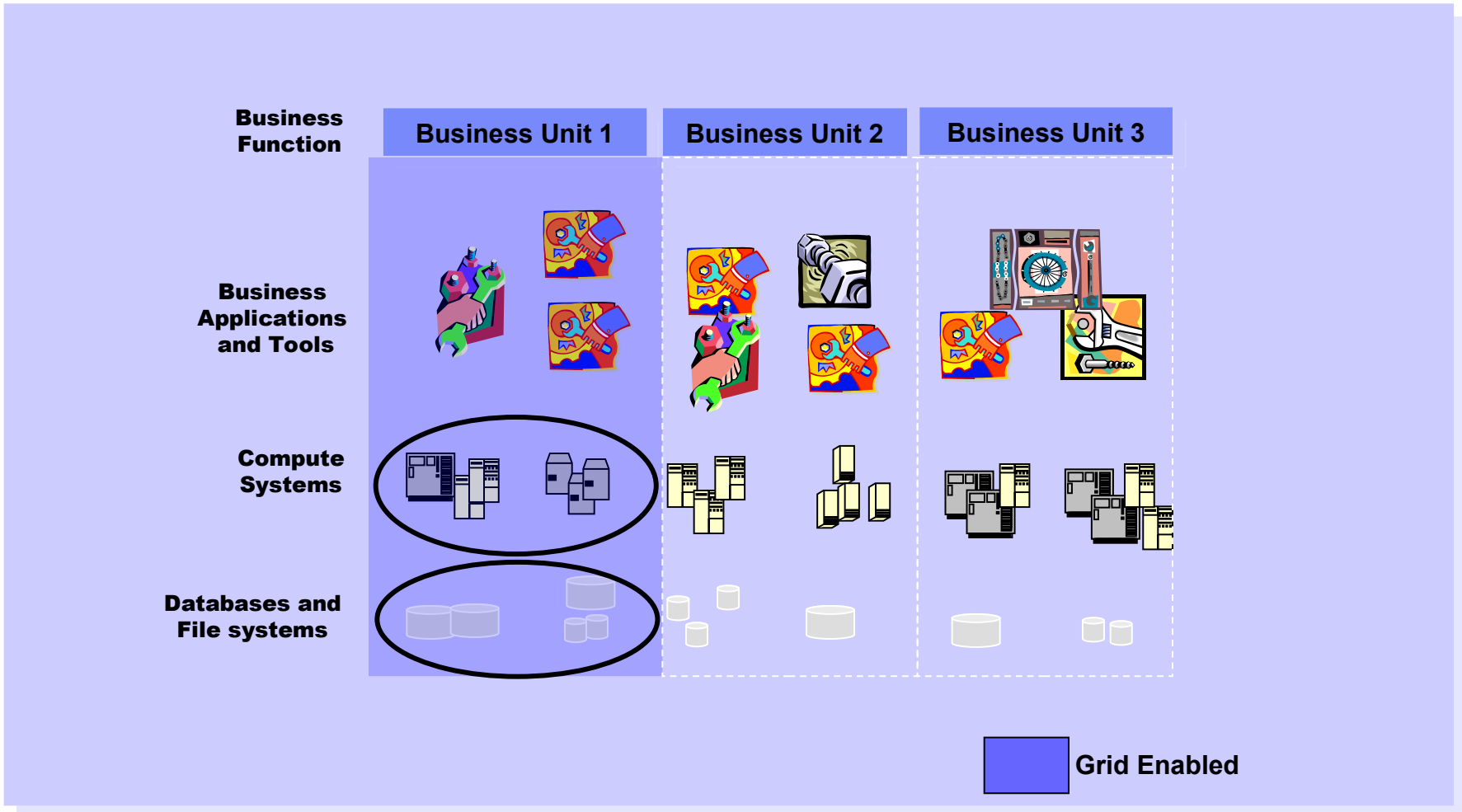
CIO, Financial Services

# Many business units don't share resources

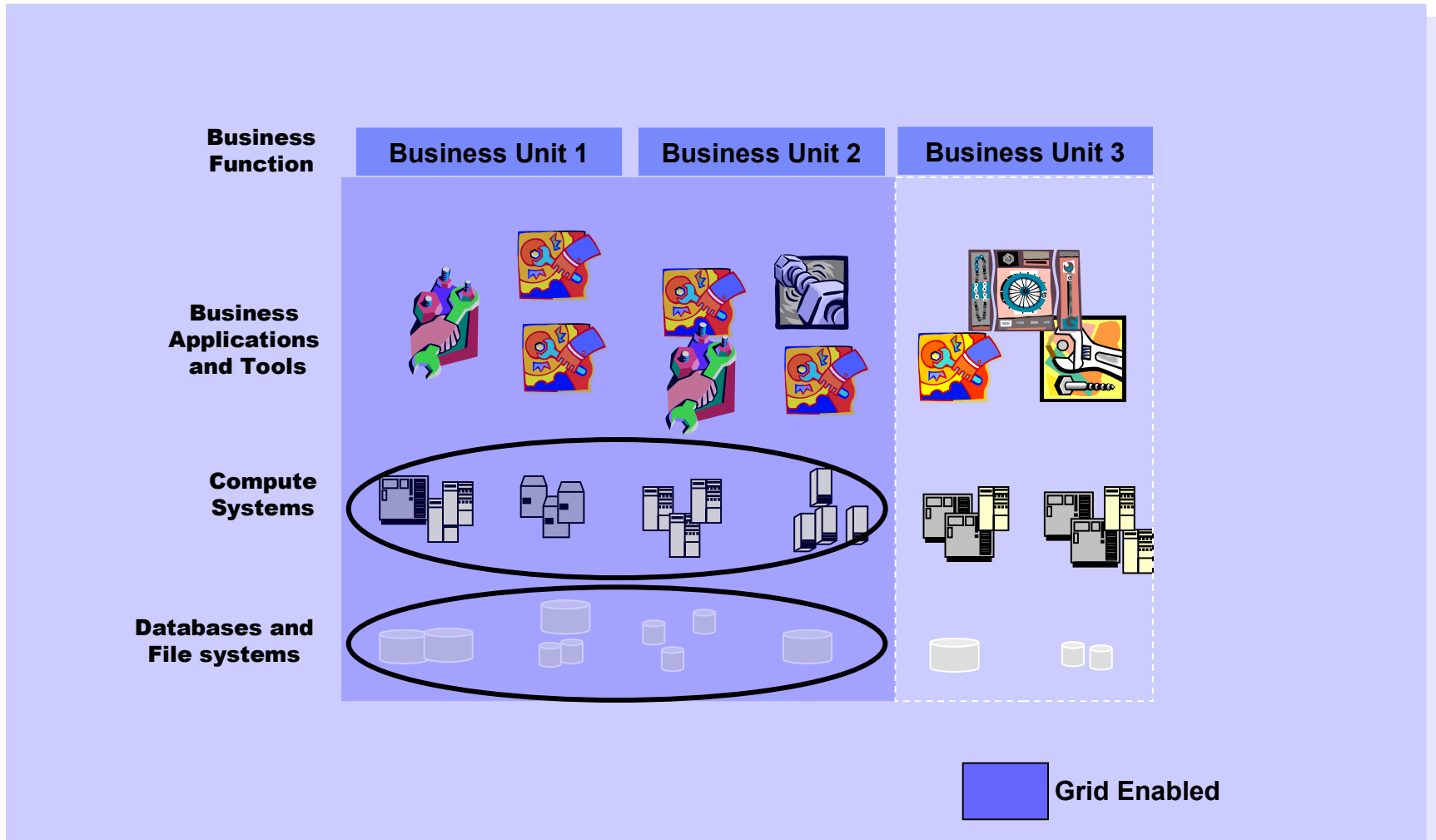


**Legacy Stovepipes**

# With Grid, first start sharing resources within a business unit...

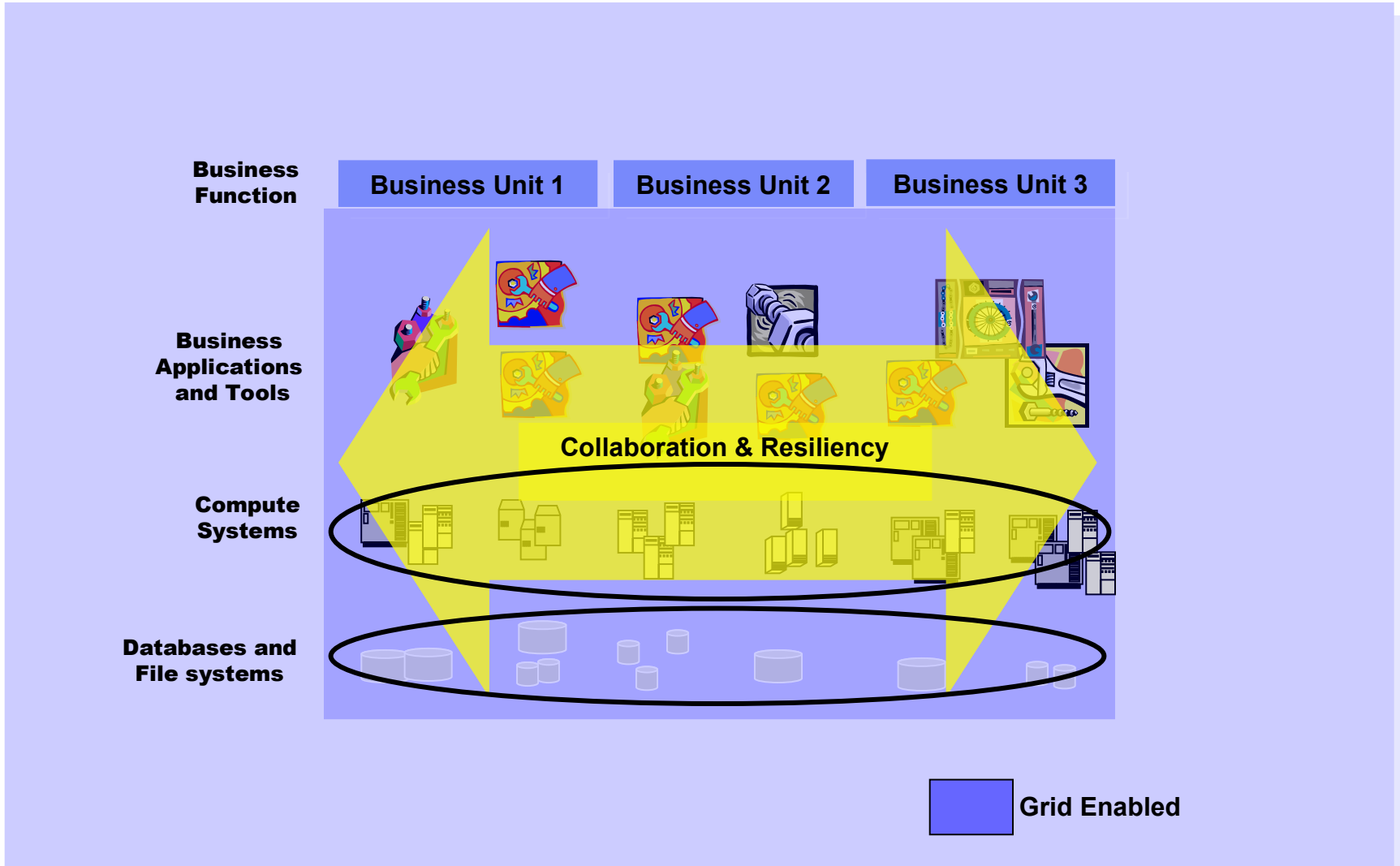


# Then shared services can be expanded...

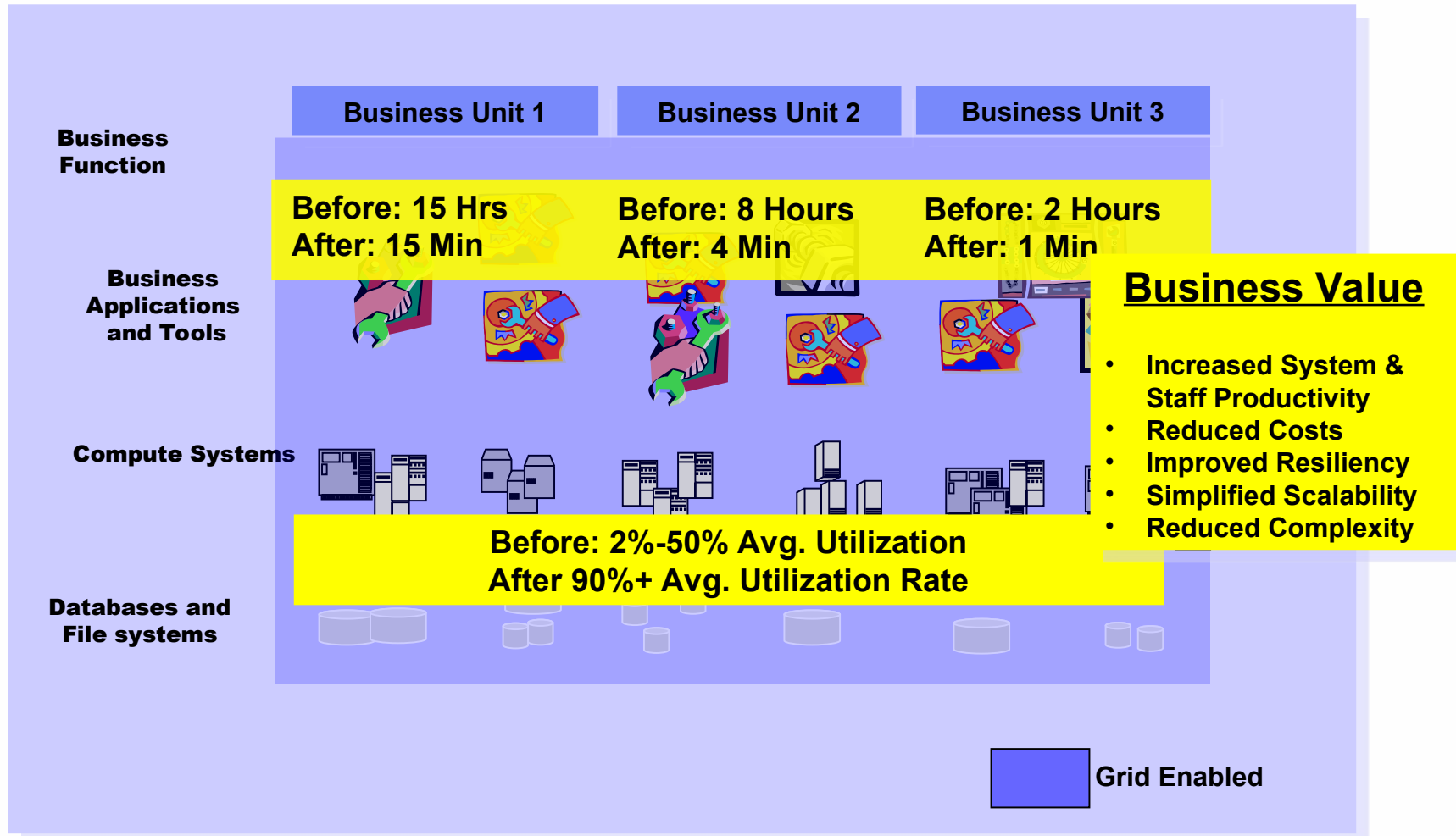




# Until the entire enterprise is Grid enabled!

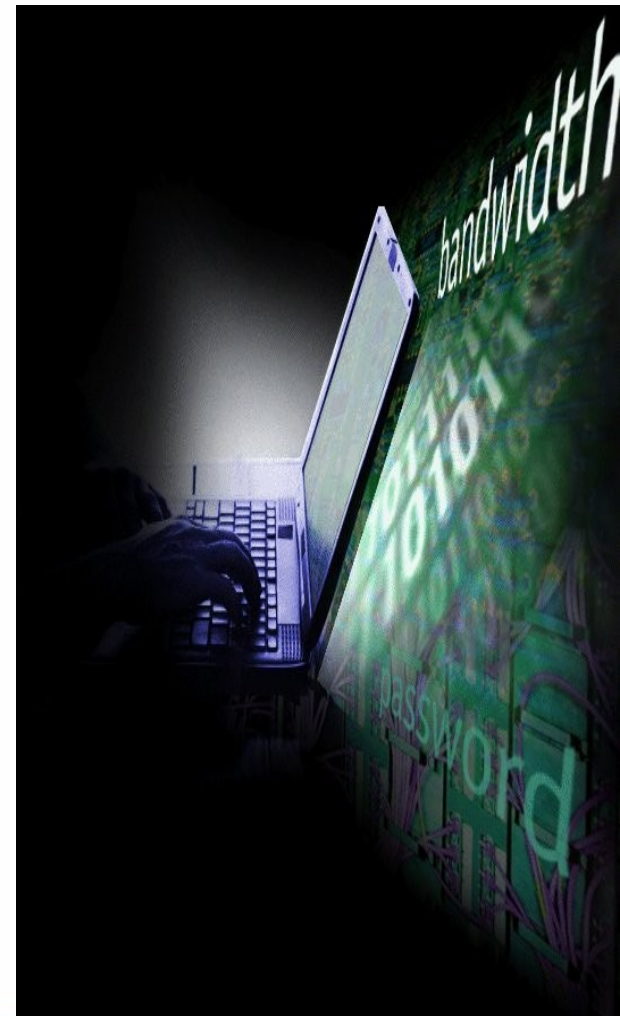


# Result: Increased productivity... lower costs... improved resiliency!



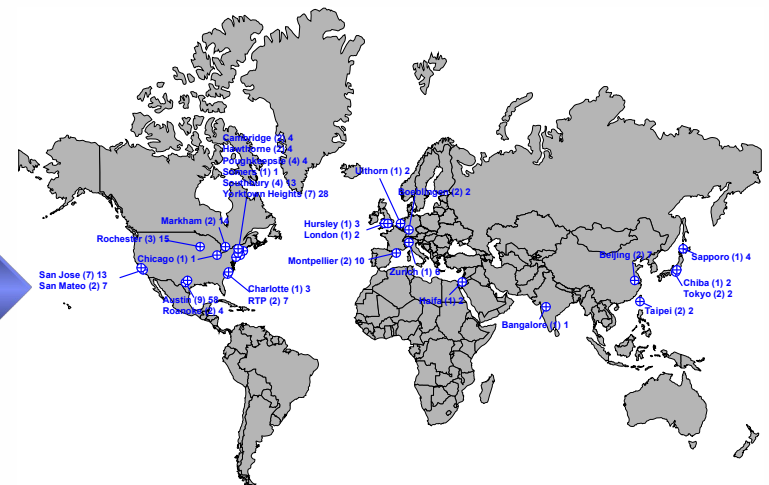
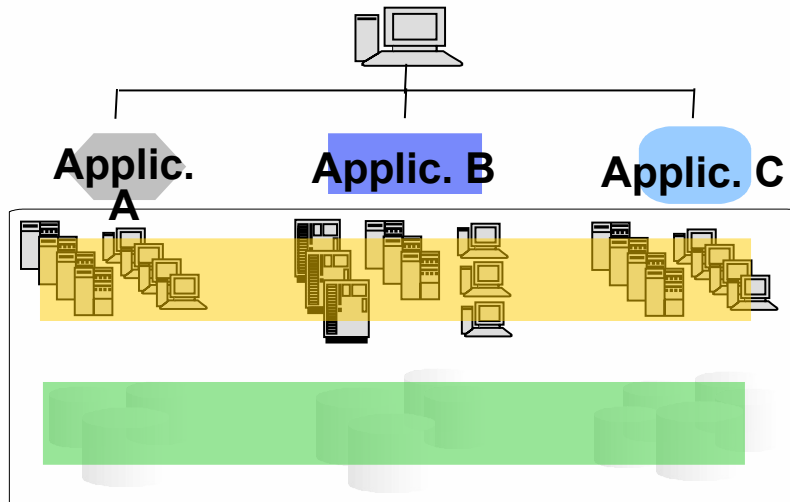
# Grid can enable an On Demand Business

- **Secure, integrate and access information across departments and business units**
- **Ensure that data is accessible on demand, especially for geographically distributed users**
- **Provide business leaders with the capability to dynamically create a virtual organization (VO), as needed**
- **Preempt business security threats**
- **Query non-standard data formats**
- **Access data across global networks**
- **Secure data outside firewalls**

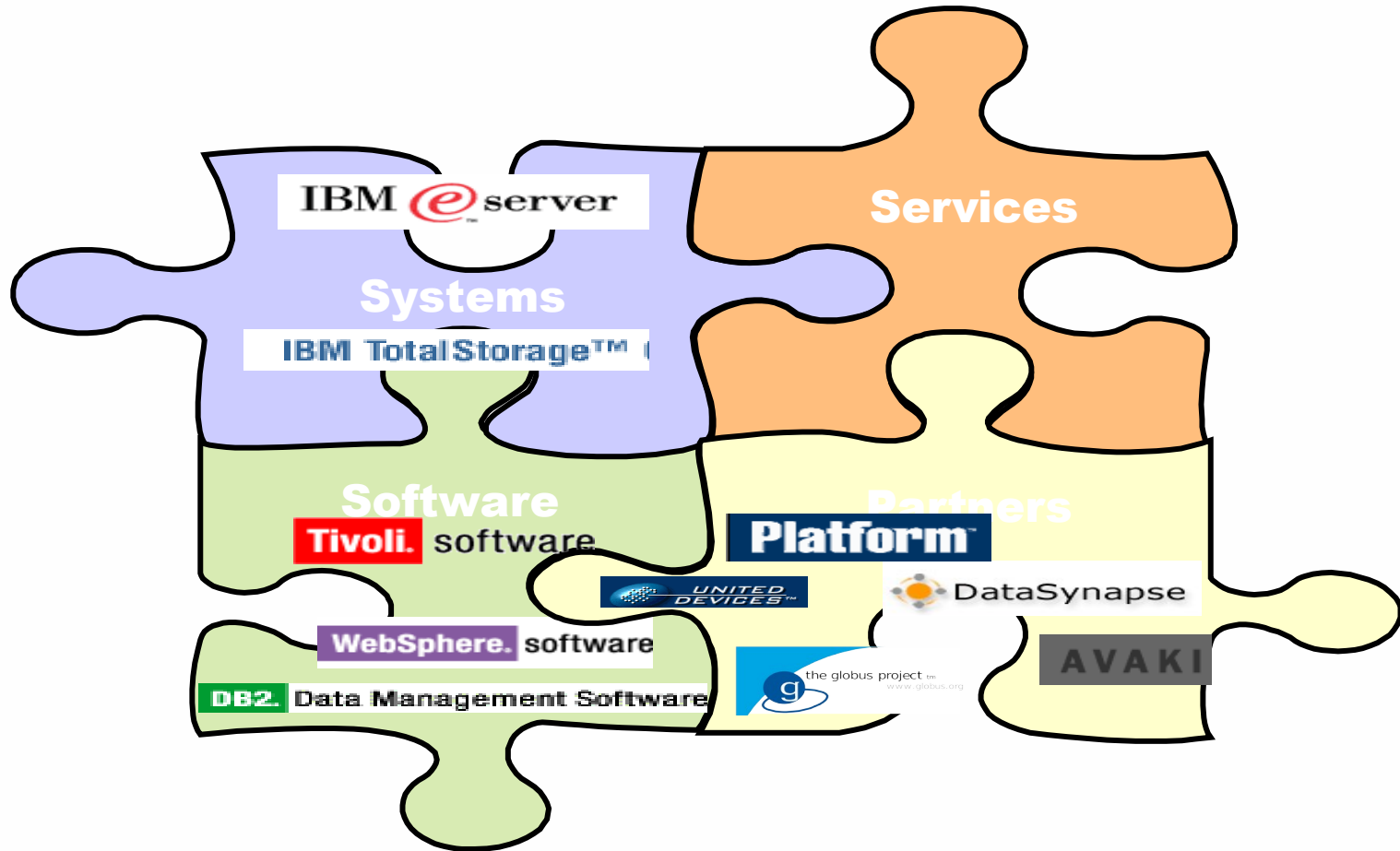


# With Grid Computing, organizations can interconnect geographically dispersed, heterogeneous compute/data resources:

- Unleash idle capacity to accelerate business processes
- Enable new, more innovative and productive applications
- Empower employees to become more innovative and productive with the vast new resources they can tap
- Optimize and improve resiliency of IT infrastructure



# IBM Grid Computing solutions are built on IBM components and third-party products



# The time is **NOW** for **On Demand,** **Open Source and Grid**

- What would the value to your organization be if you could:
  - Be **responsive**, almost intuitive to changes in demand, supply, competition
  - Use **variable** cost structures to reduce risk and do business at high levels of productivity, cost control
  - Stay **focused** on core competencies and differentiating assets
  - Be **resilient**, manage changes and threats with consistent availability and security



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