

Comment réduire et optimiser nos coûts de licences Oracle ?



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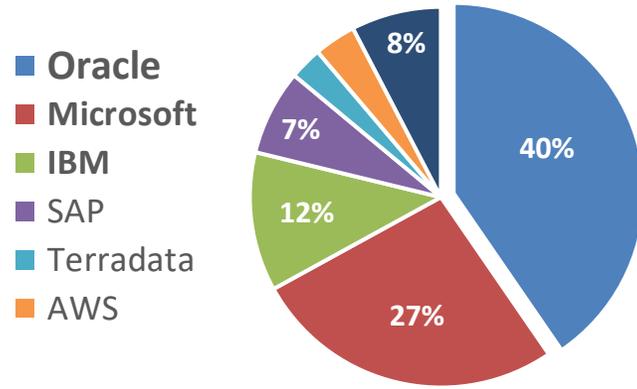
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Francois has over 20 years of experience with Oracle on IBM Power Systems supporting clients worldwide. He helps clients build state-of-the-art, optimized infrastructure with IBM Power Systems for the Oracle software stack, including the database and ISVs applications. He has extensive knowledge of the deep technical as well as high level and financial requirements of Oracle Exadata and SPARC/Solaris options and wants to help you reduce Oracle cost while building a rock-solid infrastructure with IBM Power Systems.



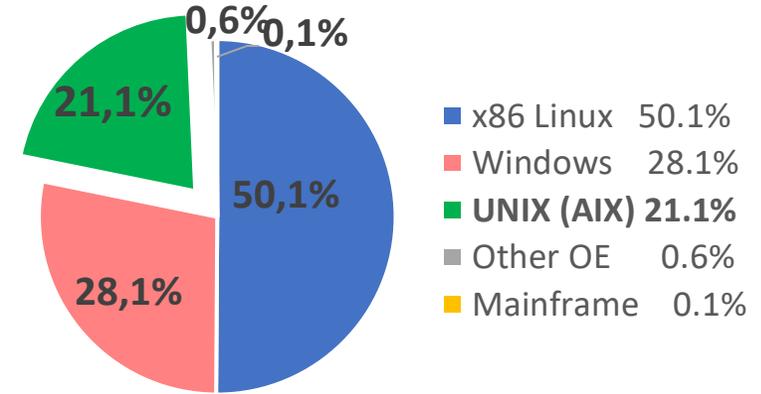
The Oracle landscape

WW Relational Database Software Market Share



Source IDC <https://www.idc.com/getdoc.jsp?containerId=US45376919>

Oracle Market Share per Platform



Source IDC Software tracker Oct 2019

Oracle on AIX/Power Systems is a huge install base and significant market share

- Mature offering optimized for Oracle applications and database
- Tens of thousands of clients trusting and proving this solution, Major Oracle and IBM customers
(Public Client References & Case Studies, Public Performance Proofpoints: Public Scoring Metrics for Sizing)
- Worldwide largest and most critical Oracle Software implementations run on AIX/Power Systems across industries

**The market drives and the clients choose
IBM Power Systems to host Oracle SW for more than 25 Years**

Innovation in every generation

Long-term commitment and secure roadmaps

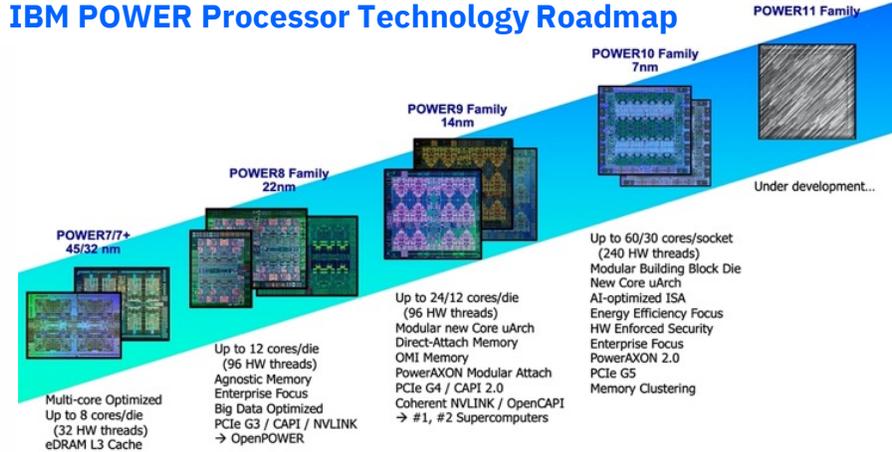
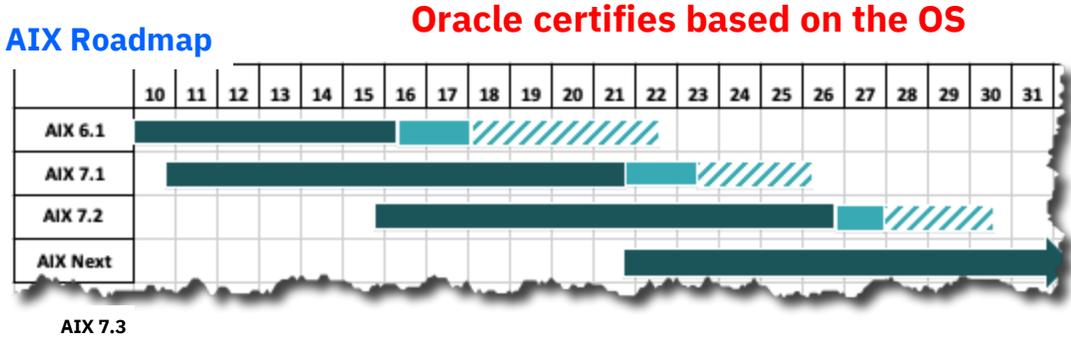
- **AIX** - a modern and flexible OS, Linux-Unix like
- Open-Source Modernization
- Ansible to achieve single pane of glass management
- AIX 7.3 was just announced, Roadmap beyond 2030
- Fewer and higher quality patches
- Check out the AIX Strategy Paper 
- Unique features for Oracle, AIX Live Update Kernel
 - Zero downtime patching

<http://www-03.ibm.com/support/techdocs/atsmastr.nsf/WebIndex/WP102794>

- **POWER10** will be launched later this year, again better performance per core
- Dev team already started to work on POWER11
- Open to innovation
- Check out the Power Systems video

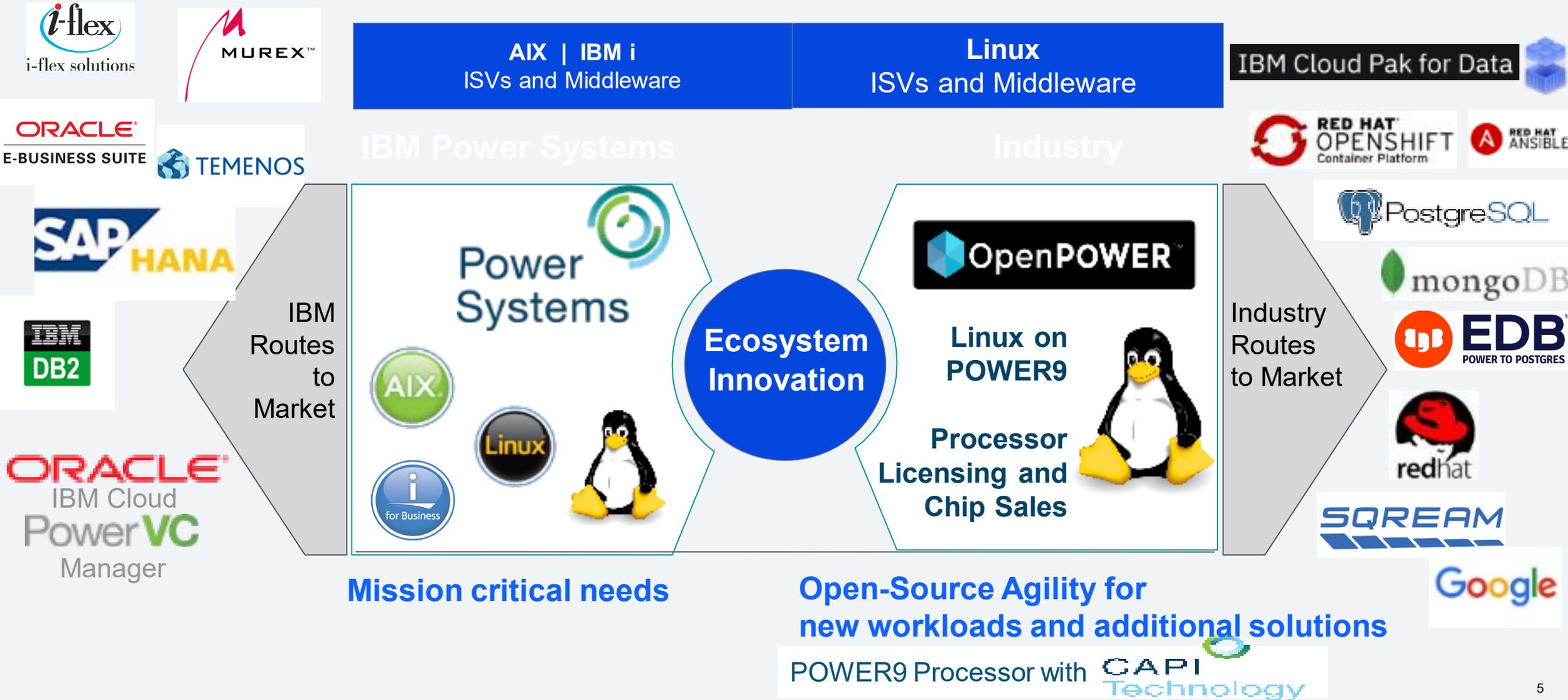


[The Legacy and future of Power Systems YouTube Video](#)



Collocate to Innovate

Power opens to Modernization and new Ecosystems



Oracle traditional database licensing rules

- 1. Contract signed between Oracle and the Client defines the Terms and Conditions on Oracle SW Usage
- 2. Oracle software costs depend on the following criteria: (as per Oracle Documentation for Educational purpose only)

Oracle Pricing Model

- Per Socket
- **Per Core**
- Per Named User Plus (NUP)
- Unlimited License Agreement (ULA)
- Universal Credit (Oracle Cloud only)

Oracle Database Editions

- Standard Edition (SE): per Socket or NUP
- Enterprise Edition (EE): per Core, NUP, ULA, Universal Credit + DB Options (on top of EE license)

Technology Used = Core Factor

- 0.5 on x86 / SPARC
- 1 on POWER Systems / Mainframe
- 1 on AWS / Azure (Authorized Cloud Vendors for Oracle)

Virtualization Technology

Soft-Partitioning – Pay for all physical cores of the server

- VMWare, Hyper-V, KVM, Xen, zVM

Hard-Partitioning – Pay only for cores used by Oracle SW

- PowerVM LPARs, Oracle Trusted Partitions, OVM, KVM (OL)

Architecture Design

Failover – 10 days grace period per Year

Disaster Recovery Solutions – requires Oracle licenses on DR

Backup / Restore – No Impact on Oracle licenses

→ Oracle SW Cost = Oracle License Acquisition + Oracle SW Maintenance (22%) *Every Year*

IT costs lay beneath the surface



- **Oracle Software Acquisition is ~80% of the Total Cost of Acquisition (*)**
 - Infrastructure is ~20%
- **Total Cost of Ownership is much more than TCA**
 - Oracle SWMA is 22% of Acquisition per year (including 1st year) → 110% over 5 years
 - Oracle TCO >2x Oracle TCA**
 - TCO is directly impacted by the number of server cores, as this drives the ongoing, long-term software maintenance/support costs

Invest a few in IBM Power Systems, Save a lot in Oracle costs

Build the best solution for your Oracle workload

What's needed to give you a mission critical advantage?

**Facts and
Proof-points**

No fiction

Economics

Control license costs

Long term commitment & secure roadmaps

RAS, Resilience & Security

Rock solid infrastructure

Security by design

Flexibility

Open to a variety of ecosystem & application options

Cloud Capabilities

Deployment options for wherever you are on your cloud journey

Cloud-like capabilities, even when on-prem

IBM Power Systems has many options

- 
- POWER10 to be launched in 2021
 - Improved per core performance with every generation
 - Outstanding consolidation capabilities
 - TCO optimized

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- Constantly enhanced with each generation with external proof points
- Top on ITIC
 - Outstanding security track record on NVD

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- Includes HW, choice of storage, as well as a wide range of 3rd party products that can be run side-by-side, including SAP HANA, open source databases and more

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- Leverage various cloud options – at your pace!
 - Includes on-prem, off-prem and hybrid multi-cloud – whatever best suits your workload and needs

IBM Power Systems value proposition for Oracle

Oracle cost parameters = licensing core factor, performance per core, Virtualization licenses, server CPU Utilization, efficiency



Highest Performance per Core

x2.2* vs x86

Real Simultaneous Multi threading
SMT8 throughput auto-optimized



Higher Utilization Rate

Hard-Partitioning Virtualization Architecture for Data processing

- Pay only for cores used by Oracle SW
- Unique integration for the CPU, memory, I/O and all components usage



Platform Efficiency

Unique Capabilities for

Flexibility, Agility,
Availability/Robustness, Optimized
infrastructure, scalability

➔ Oracle licensing costs savings

Oracle SW on Power Systems is superior economics and lower TCO than x86 and other servers even if licensing core factor = 1 vs 0.5

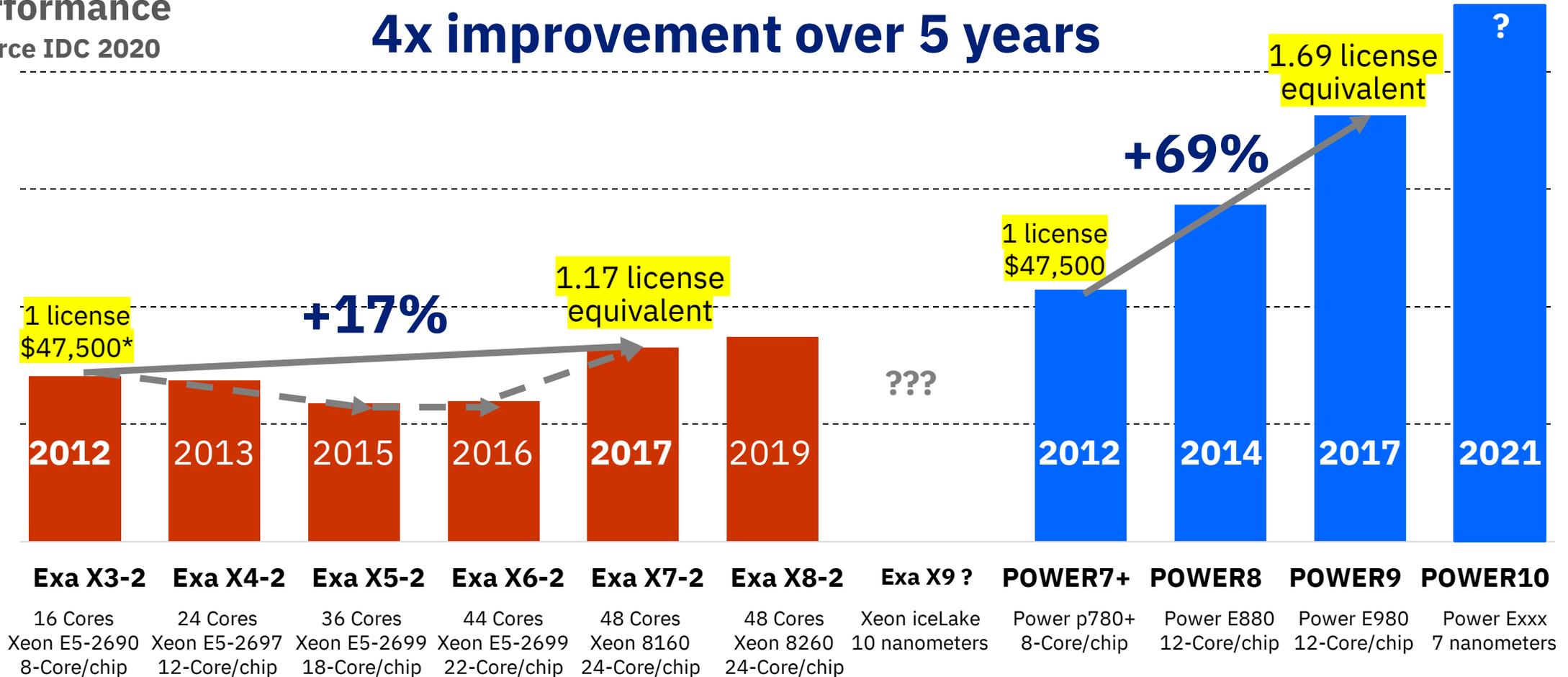
*From proven official Standard Benchmarks representative of ERP/Database workloads

Performance per core, Oracle licensing costs

Performance
source IDC 2020

4x improvement over 5 years

Qualified Performance Index



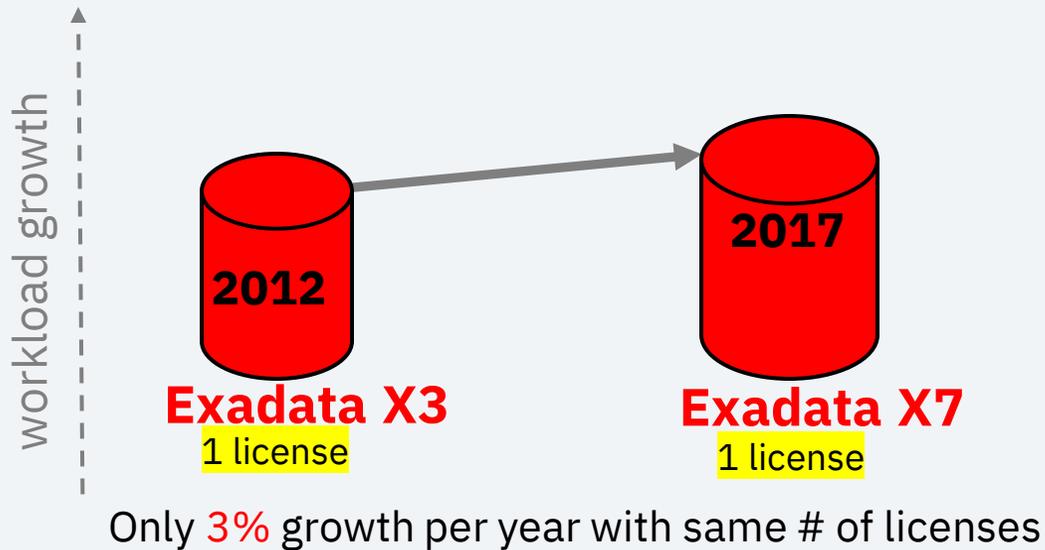
← Continuous improvement →

Similar scenario based on Official & Public SAP S&D benchmarks

Database Growth vs Oracle licensing

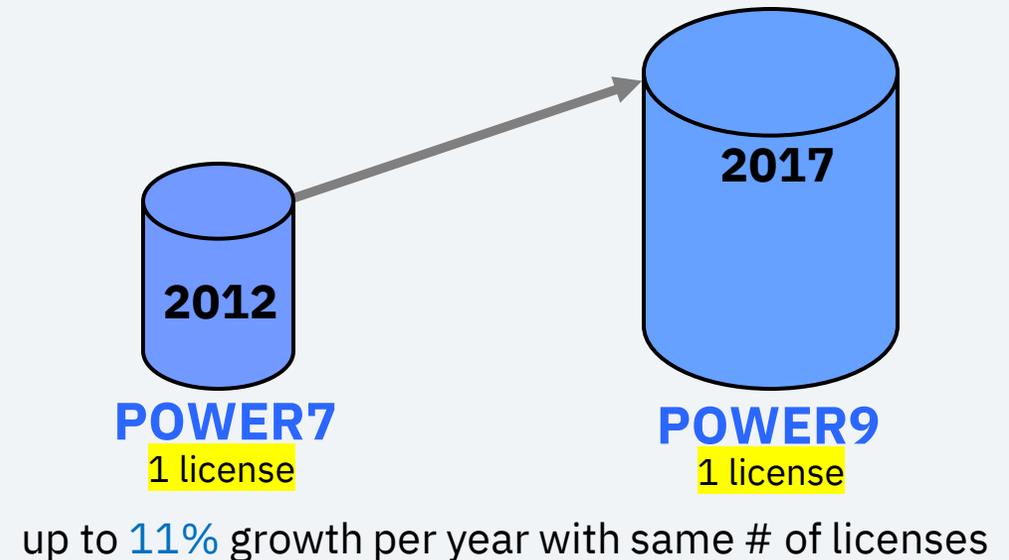
Oracle Exadata

+17% performance over 5 years
= +3.2% per year



IBM Power Systems

+69% performance over 5 years
= +11% per year



Refresh of Exadata requires purchase of additional licenses
More Exadata Hardware, More Oracle Software

Grow on Power Systems without additional licenses

Example of infrastructure refresh for a 10 Oracle licenses Database *

based on public IDC performance metrics and Oracle list price

DB Workload growth	
per year	five years
0%	0%
3.2%	17%
5%	28%
11%	69%

IBM POWER7, refresh to POWER9

+69% CPU capacity over 5 years

delta CPU Utilization	Oracle licenses	Additional licensing	Additional SWMA, 5 years
-69%	-7	\$0	-\$489 720
-52%	-5	\$0	-\$583 000
-41%	-4	\$0	-\$466 400
0%	0	\$0	\$0

Power Systems helps you to grow
without additional Oracle costs
even reduce them

No additional SW with +11% workload per year

Exadata X3, refresh to Exadata X7

+17% CPU capacity over 5 years

delta CPU Utilization	Oracle licenses	Additional licensing	Additional SWMA, 5 years
-17%	-2	\$0	-\$233 200
0%	0	\$0	\$0
+11%	+1	\$106 000	\$116 600
+52%	+5	\$530 000	\$583 000

Exadata limits your growth
refresh requires additional licenses purchase,
increasing SWMA

Additional SW starting at +3% workload per year

Exadata replacement with Power Systems is cheaper than Exadata refresh
Replacement is quick ROI and helps to grow the business



(*) Cost for 10 Oracle Ent Ed Licenses + DB options RAC, Partitioning, Diagnostic and Tuning packs, Active Data Guard
<https://www.oracle.com/assets/technology-price-list-070617.pdf> + 22% SWMA cost per year, including 1st year

Oracle savings, Growth without additional purchase

Refresh from POWER8 to POWER9, quick and easy

Facts from a Client performance test, apples to apples comparison

Saving 30% Oracle licenses while running 23% faster

<http://bit.ly/IBMPOWER9forOracleDB> Results on page 27, summary slide 31

Configuration Forecast

(Processors cores)

26% annual growth
↓

	POWER8	POWER9	Saved licenses
Jan19	199	136	63
Jan20	252	172	80
Jan21	319	218	101
Jan22	404	277	127

POC Outcome

Average CPU Reduction of

31.5%

and **23%** throughput improvement

Oracle savings, Growth without additional purchase

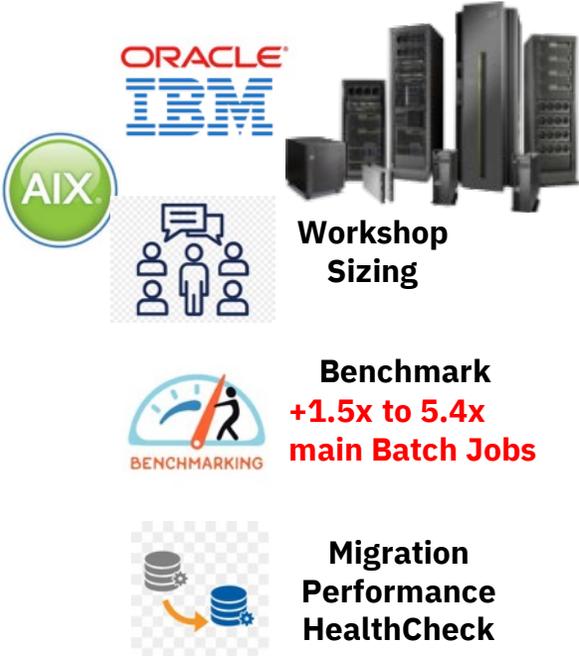
Migrate from Exadata to POWER9, French retailer example

Difficulties / Problems encountered:

- End-of-life infrastructure / Not eligible for old and recent SW release
- Saturated resources (Compute and Storage)
- Expensive Storage Cost (dedicated Database storage)
- Lack of flexibility in the administration and maintenance of the various DBs (no virtualization)
- Complex integration into the customer's IT

Objectives :

- Reduce TCO - Increase performance without increasing Oracle licensing costs
- Gain in Flexibility and Administration of the different DBs (Maintenance, SLAs ...)
- Consolidation and simplification of the architecture
- Manage critical growth in DB server workload



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IvJVWrpUxHo>

Oracle savings, Reduce License usage

Migrate from SPARC/x86/Exadata to POWER9, and free Oracle licenses to:

- Prepare ULA exit
- Reduce SWMA cost
- Expand to off-prem infrastructure

40% Oracle software licensing savings
x86 to POWER9

itelligence Poland

<https://www.ibm.com/case-studies/itelligence-poland-ibm-systems-oracle-paas-iaas>

38% Oracle license cost reduction
Exadata to Power

REJLERS

Presented at AIX Forum, Paris Nov 2019

49% Oracle
License Reduction



<https://www.ibm.com/case-studies/copel-oracle-power>

11x faster processing
From ODA to POWER9

Skagerak Energi

<https://www.ibm.com/case-studies/skagerak-energi-flashsystem-power>

66% faster Oracle eBusiness Suite batch
From SPARC to POWER9

Tamilnadu Newsprint and Papers Limited

<https://www.ibm.com/case-studies/tamilnadu-newsprint-and-papers-limited-systems-hardware-oracle>

Oracle JD Edwards ERP to IBM Power Systems Virtual Server



<https://www.ibm.com/blogs/systems/labeyrie-fine-foods-picks-ibm-power-systems-virtual-server/>

Client References example, Oracle Migration to Power Systems Benefits

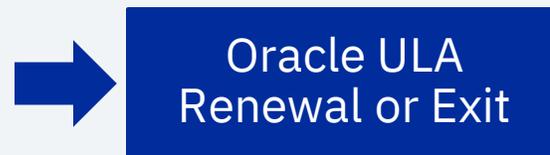
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Oracle License Management Companies and Oracle Traps

Oracle Licensing has become such a complicated thing for customers that there is multiple companies specialized in Oracle Licensing management and Compliance



<https://redresscompliance.com/>



Example with Redress Compliance Videos

- Oracle Licensing and IBM Power Systems Micro Partitioning Video
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SKpk8gynKMo>
- Oracle Licensing and IBM Power Systems LPAR (VMs)
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9KpETLDWWvA>

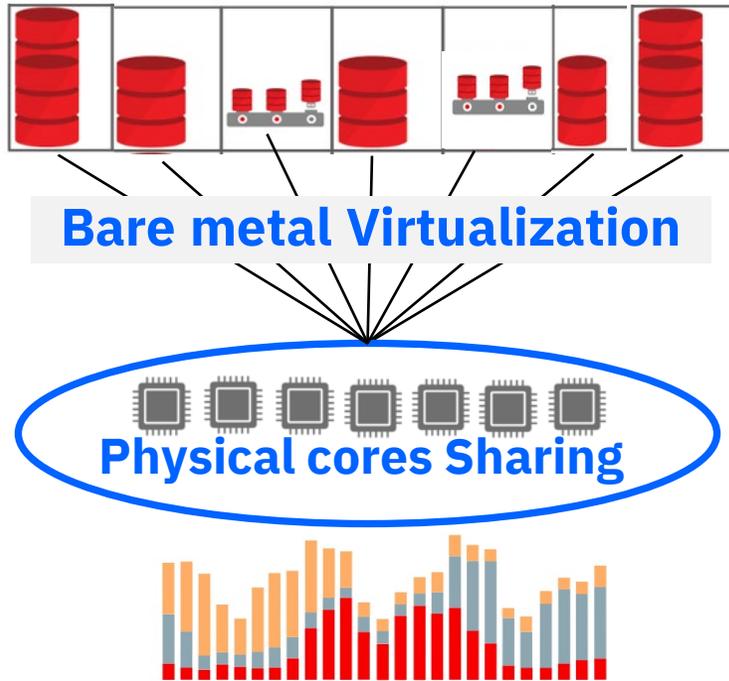
IBM Live Partition Mobility

PowerVM Hard-Partitioning does not apply if **usage** of Live Partition Mobility (LPM)
→ disable LPM at the LPAR (VM) level unless all the server runs Oracle DB

Virtualization, Consolidation, higher Utilization

fewer cores, fewer licenses

Sharing CPU



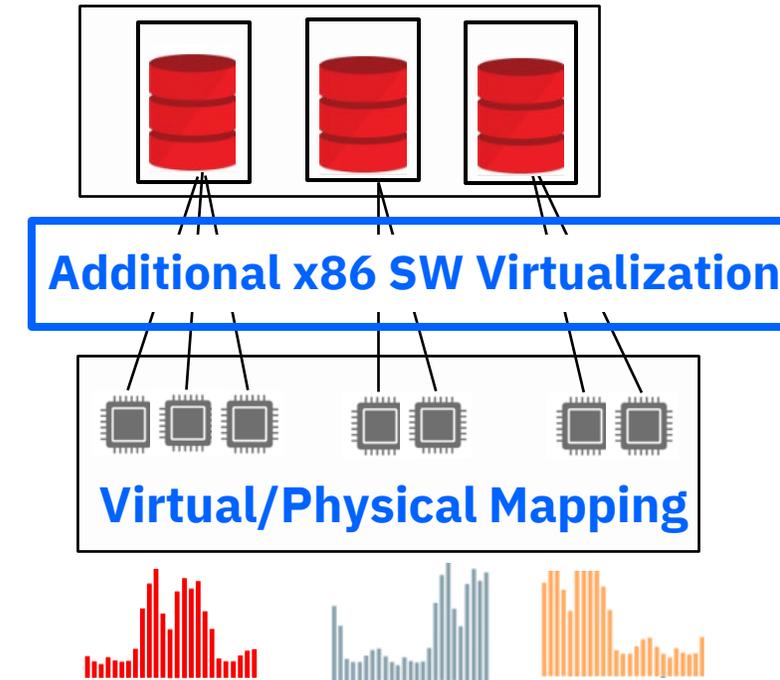
- **2x CPU utilization, less cores/licenses**
- Higher consolidation, less servers
- Mixed environments, Prod, dev,..
- Workloads physical isolation
- Run DBs and Applications
- Flexible, on the fly resource management
- Easier maintenance
- Simple operations
- No overhead, VMs scalability

PowerVM Virtualization is integrated by design

- Optimize CPU utilization, reduce # of cores, Save Oracle costs
- POWER9 Performance Utilization Guarantee

Reduce Oracle cost and Optimize your IT

Mapping CPU



“ CPU over-provisioning is possible, But workload performance conflicts can arise if all guests become fully active ”

<https://docs.oracle.com/en/engineered-systems/exadata-database-machine/books.html>

- 1 Virtual CPU = 1 Physical thread, 1 to 1 Mapping
- **Idle CPU in VMs is wasted**

Security by design, less risk and fewer cost

**as of 02/21*

VULNERABILITIES **SEARCH AND STATISTICS**

Search Parameters:

- Results Type: Overview
- Keyword (text search):
- Search Type: Search All

Oracle VM	→	755
VMware	→	1183
KVM	→	160

Security is critical, risk mitigation is additional complexity and expensive cost.

It is not only about the Database!

VULNERABILITIES **SEARCH AND STATISTICS**

Q Search Results

Search Parameters:

- Results Type: Overview
- Keyword (text search): **PowerVM**
- Search Type: Search All

asic search output is 1 matching record but it is related to Linux on several Virtualizations

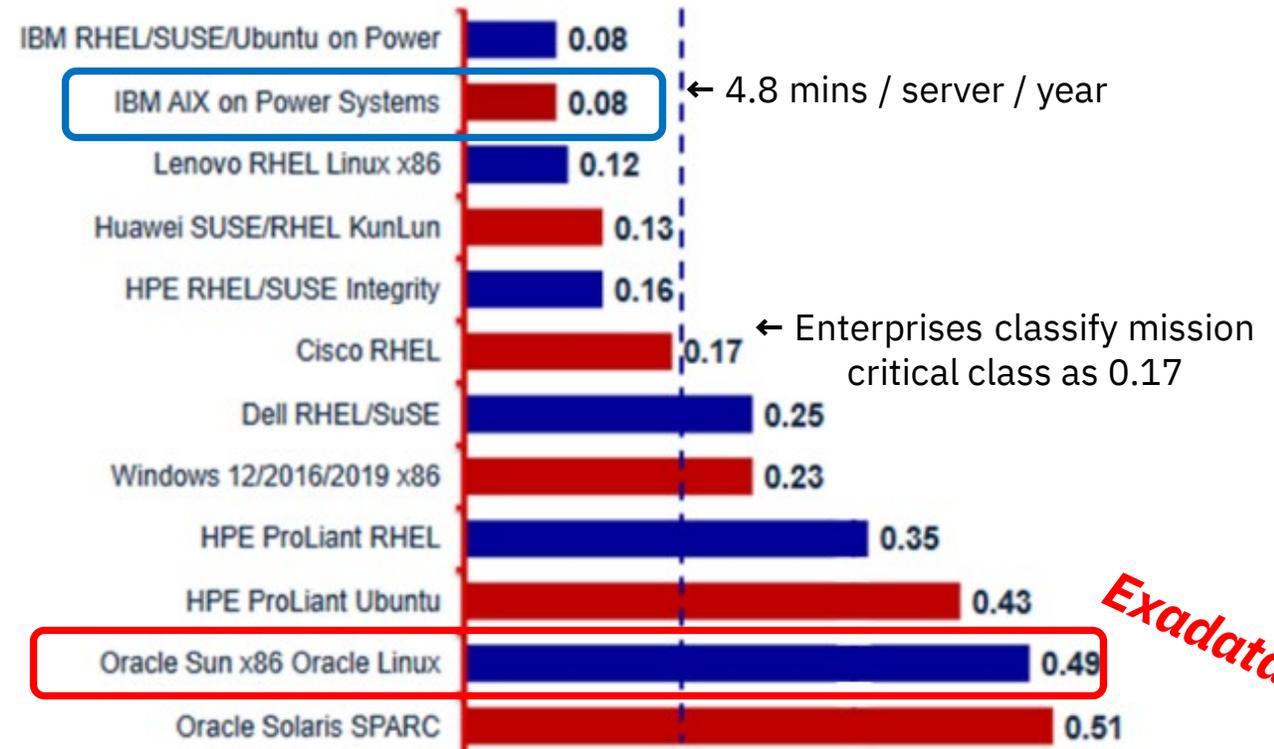
→ **0**

Power Systems is a complete solution design. Security is integrated at all the levels of the technology, from the chip, up to the entire infrastructure.

RAS & Resilience, IBM Power servers Ranked Number #1 by ITIC, 12 years in a row



Enterprise Server OS System Availability & *Unplanned Downtime* in 2020 (Hours per Year)



<https://itic-corp.com/blog/2020/05/itic-2020-reliability-poll-ibm-lenovo-hpe-huawei-mission-critical-servers-deliver-highest-uptime-availability/>

Is RAC cluster DB option required to meet Business Continuity, Uptime SLA ?

NO → Save \$23,000 per license (list price) + 22% SWMA per year

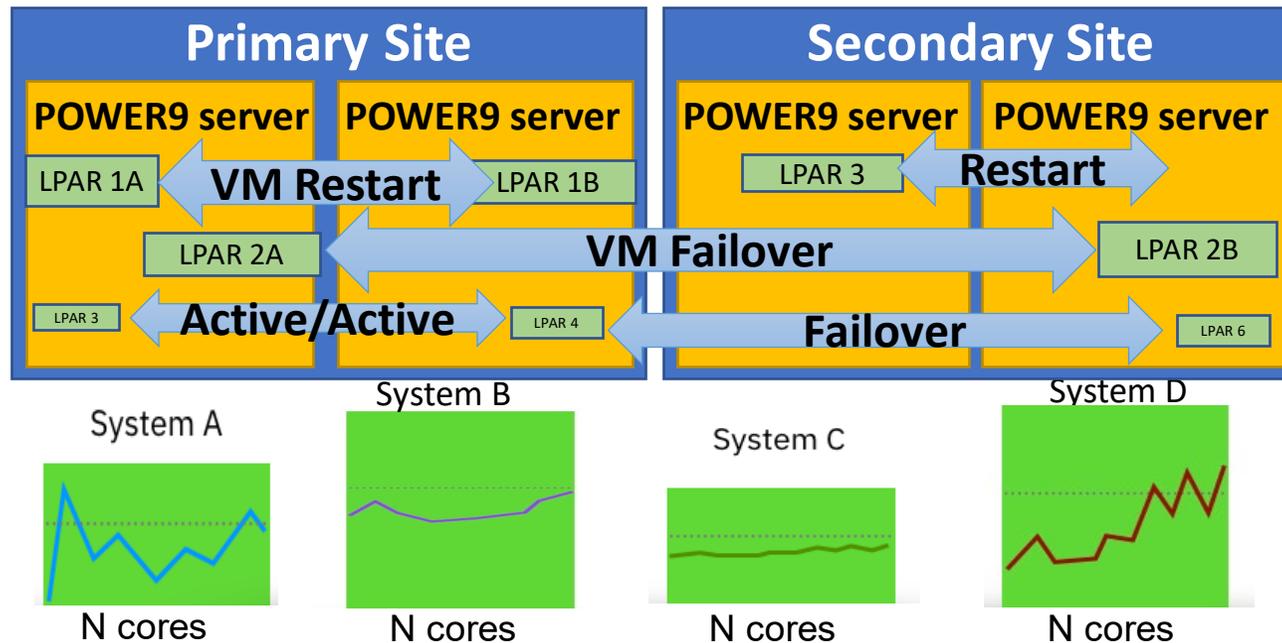
YES → Use RAC on Power Systems as a stretched active/active, it's HA, not just DR

Power Systems has Unique Flexibility to optimize TCA

The business defines the right SLA, not the infrastructure limitations

- Define the right architecture for each workload according the requirements
Active/active cluster, Active/Passive Failover, Remote Restart
- Pay only for what you use via metering by the minute (capacity credits) to handle unexpected peaks beyond base and to enable OpEx models

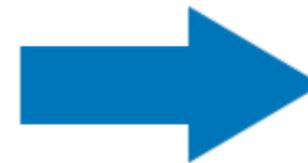
Scenario example



**No impact on Oracle licensing with Shared Processor
Pool Capping or Capped LPARs**

Power Private Cloud with Dynamic Capacity

Pool #1



Share a Pool of resources across servers in an automated way to optimize your infrastructure

Activate in a pool maximum usage resources instead of paying all cores activations

Flexible deployment options

Deploy wherever needed  +  AIX, IBMi / Linux Workloads
Apps and DB Tiers

← **Optimized & Secured Oracle Licenses & Options, Investments across locations** →

Power Server Standalone



Traditional Infrastructure Deployment

Power Private Cloud with Dynamic Capacity



Pay for what you use

Power Virtual Server / MSPs / CSPs



Move all or part of applications out of the data center

**Optimized
Open
Keep Control**

Same Hardware : POWER9
Same Virtualization : PowerVM
Same Operating System
Same Oracle Software
BYOL Model



vmware®  KVM

ORACLE VM 

Bare-Metal Server

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← →

**Different Virtualization
Different Licensing Rules
Different Core Recognition/Factor**

 amazon web services  Azure

 ORACLE CLOUD

**Lock-In
Complex
Closed**

Oracle cost reduction options

Migrate / refresh to POWER9/POWER10 and free up licenses for growth needs

Avoid new licenses acquisition

Save \$47.5k per license (list price)+ DB options + 22% annual SWMA

Configuration Forecast (Processors cores)

	Current P8	P9	Saved licences
Jan19	199	136	63
Jan20	252	172	80
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Release Oracle contracts thanks to savings obtained by infrastructure

Several database and options licenses over multiple contracts

Multiple support renewal and services contracts



IBM Support for Oracle software, DB and apps

With IBM's support for Oracle software, you get highly personalized support for your Oracle estate at a fraction of the cost

50%

Based on cost savings achieved by IBM Services clients

Migrate to or co-exist with alternative databases

Oracle Proprietary database



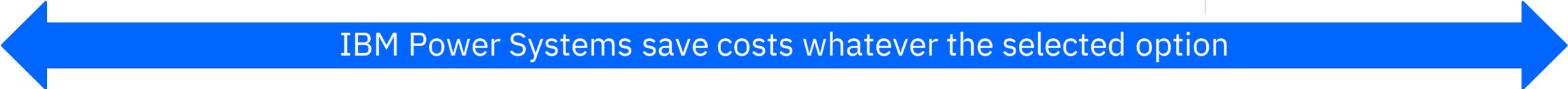
Other DB vendors / Open-source database



PostgreSQL



mongoDB





Power E950

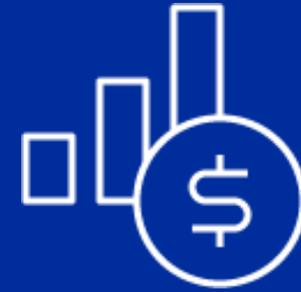


Power S914,
S922 & S924



Power E980

**POWER10 coming soon and protects
your POWER9 investment**



Economics



Flexibility

**IBM Power
Systems**



RAS &
Resilience



Cloud
Capabilities

Q & A



Could you please tell us the information bellow?

- *Date of End of Exadata support ?*
- *Exadata Storage extension required ?*
- *Experience with Exadata, technical issue, business disruptions, maintenance pain points ? Rating: Satisfied / Neutral / Dissatisfied*
- *Opinion about Exadata cost ?*
- *Exadata refresh plan ?*
- *End of Oracle ULA contract, if any ?*
- *Licensing Audit threat ?*
- *Perception about the Oracle sales strategy ?*

Could you please tell us the information bellow?

- *What are the Oracle DB workloads, OLTP, Batch, OLAP/DWH ?*
- *What are the reasons of using Oracle RAC (Scalability or HA)?*
- *What are their policies for Backup / Patching & Upgrades (DB and OS) ?*
- *What is the global HA/DR Strategy (including Apps Tier)*
- *What is Experience with Oracle SW on IBM Power Systems ?*
- *Open-Source DB strategy ? (it could have changed from the last 18 Months)*
- *Running SAP? If yes, what is the plan to move to HANA ?*

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<https://ibm.biz/03-feb-IBM-briefing-replay>

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<https://ibm.biz/power-virtual-briefings>

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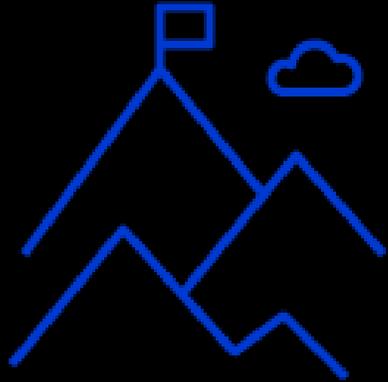
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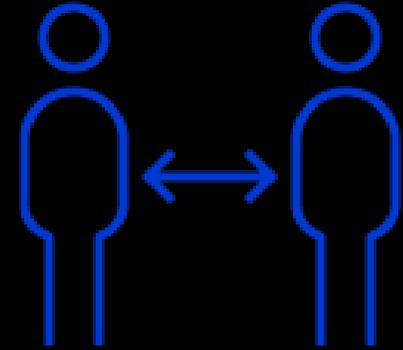
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matters—for our
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Trust and personal
responsibility in all
relationships

