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WebSphere Portal Solutions

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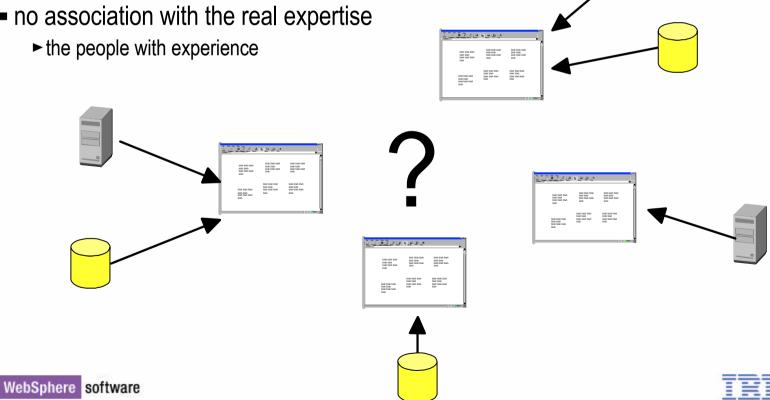
Agenda

- what it is that portals are trying to accomplish
 - ► fixing business problems
- where and how they should be used
 - ► making sure the solution fits the problem
- what our solution is
 - ► product details
- how to make it fit your needs
 - ► services to assist with deployment



The problem

- more and more information
 - ► the amount of information is doubling every three years
- stored in many places
- different, inconsistent interfaces
- no integration or shared context
- no association with the real expertise
 - ► the people with experience



What a portal is

- a targeted web site
 - ► with relevant information
 - ► access to applications
 - ► collaboration services
 - ► all personalized to the user
- makes it easier for the user
 - ► easier to find information
 - ► consistent interface
 - ► single username/password
 - ► applications working together not separately
 - ► people working together not separately

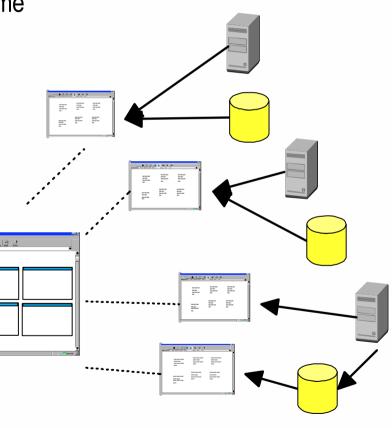
Key portal benefits

- increased efficiency in getting information and acting on it
 - ► higher productivity and lower costs



► more customer loyalty

- competitive advantage
 - ► most commonly intranets (B2E)
 - ► also extranets (B2B) and Internet sites (B2C)
- tangible results visible in a short time
 - ► a basis for incremental growth







When to consider a portal

- when your employee or customer has
 - ► many sources of information
 - ► unclear where to look
 - ► many applications
 - ► different interfaces
 - ► a complex process to follow
- when you have different groups with different needs
 - ► who use the similar sets of information and applications



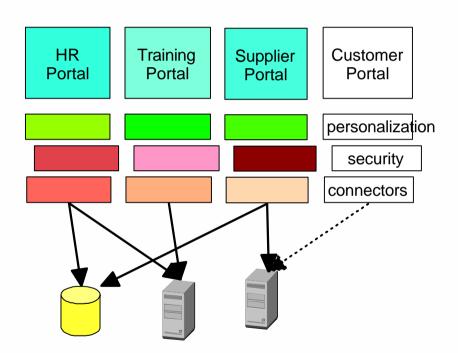
What a portal does not do

- the portal does not replace every interface
 - ► not everything is done through the portal
 - ► though the portal is the intial point of the process
 - ► 80/20 rule
- common tasks enabled through portal
 - ► for some applications this is everything
 - ► for others the portal will have some function and will link to the application interface
- one portal does not always cover everything
 - ► strategy should include more than one

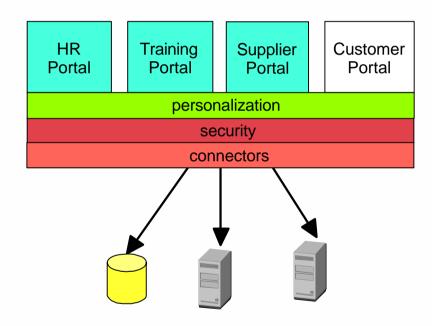


Portal types

- vertical
 - ► by industry or by role



- horizontal
 - ► toolset across industry and role

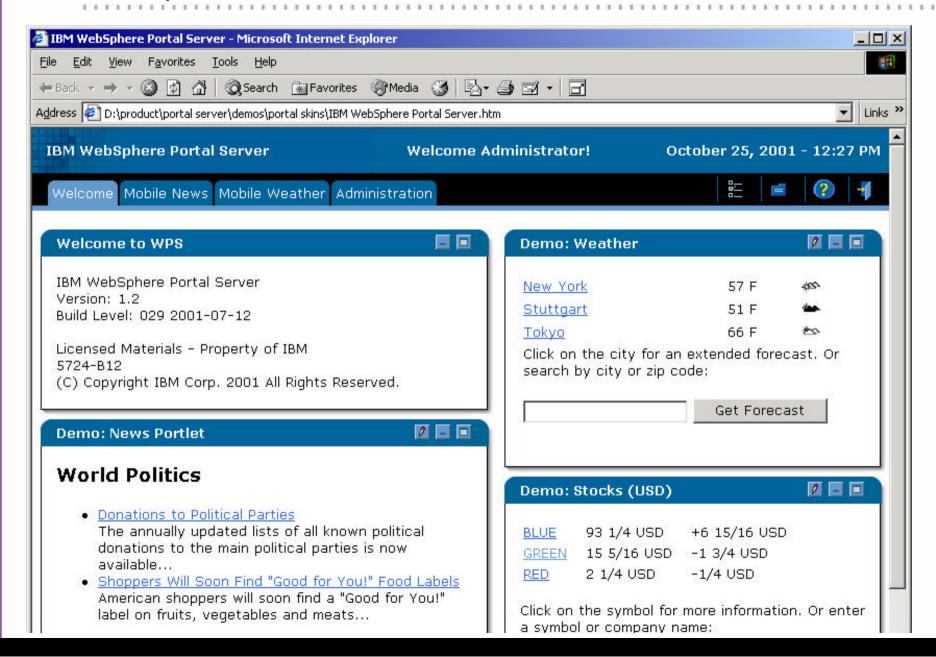


Portals confusion

- there are 'portals' everywhere...
- every product vendor is putting a web interface on their product and calling it a portal
 - ► often with restricted vertical functionality
 - ► not enterprise strength
- a true portal should encapsulate these
 - ► to give one consistent experience



WebSphere Portal Server

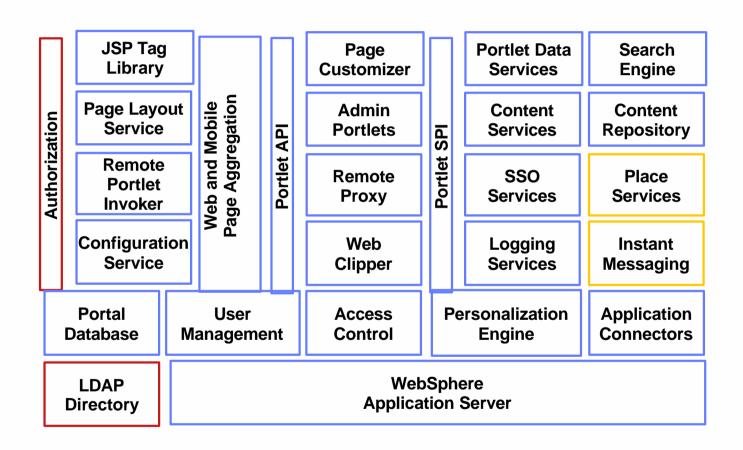


Scalable and relevant technology

- open source / standards based
 - ► portal is a J2EE application
 - ►JSP, servlets, EJBs
 - ► portable skillset not proprietary
- built on an enterprise platform
 - ► scalable, secure, high availability
 - ►#1 Java application server in AP
 - ► over 35,000 customers
 - ► greater than 2/3 of Fortune 500



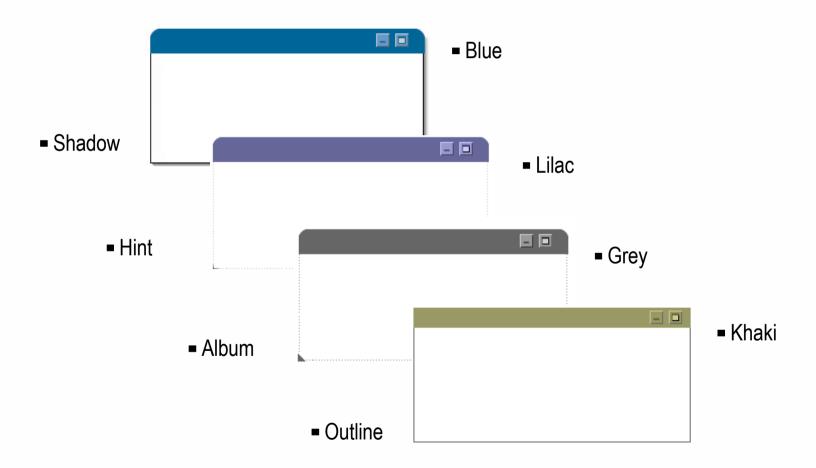
Portal Server Architecture





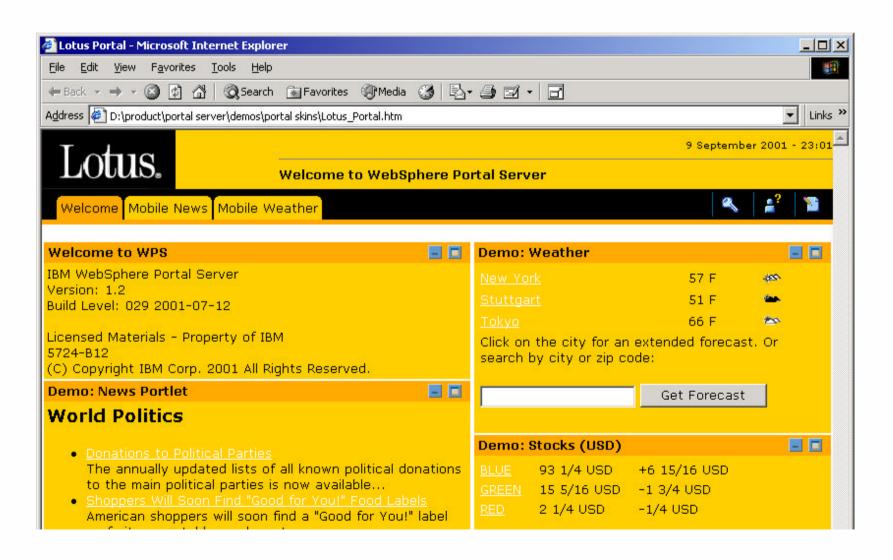
Look and Feel

use templates style sheets and skins and themes



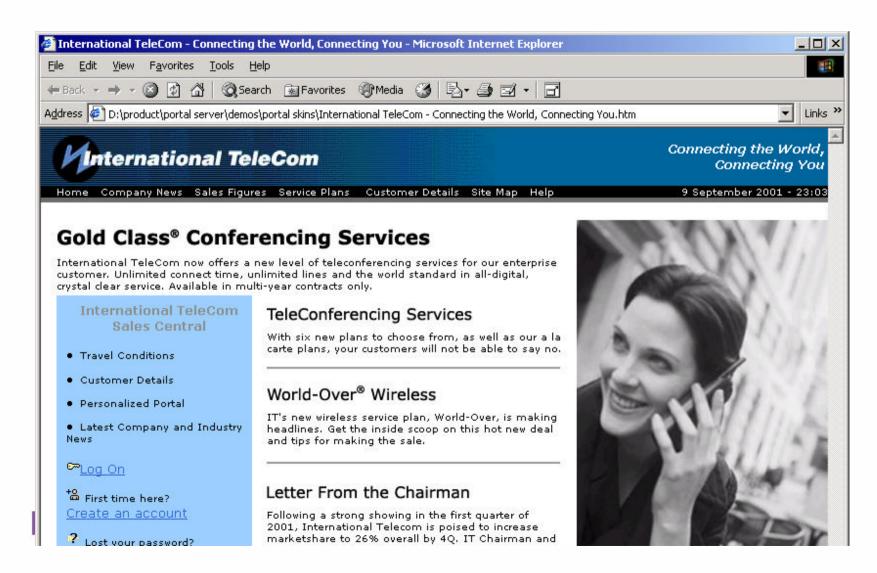
Look and Feel

quick to set to your own corporate identities



Look and Feel

• full control over output format is possible

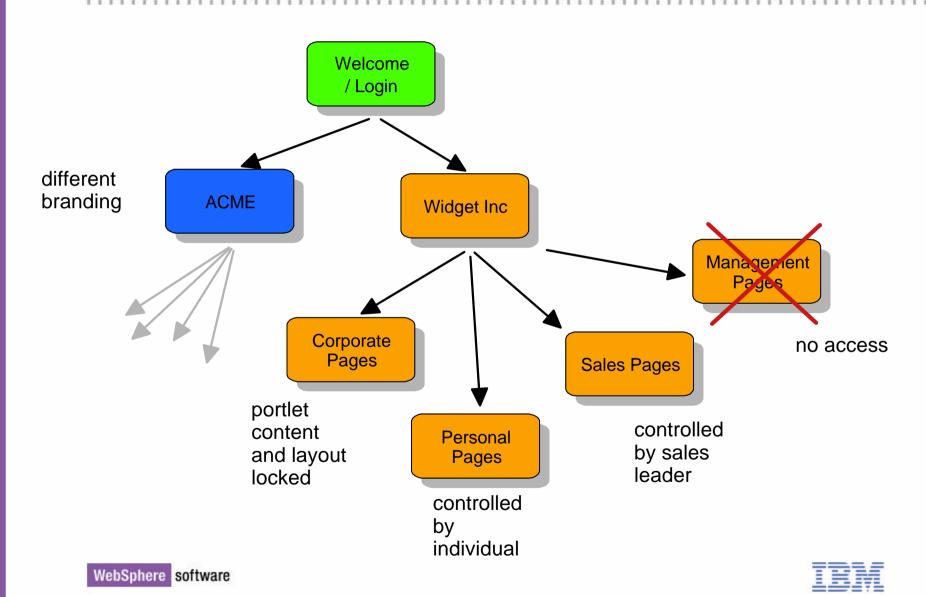


Customization

- administrator and user controlled
- what pages / what portlets / what layout
 - ► who you are determines what you see and do
- administrator determines
 - ► who can create edit and view pages
 - ► who can create edit and view portlets
- delegated management permissions

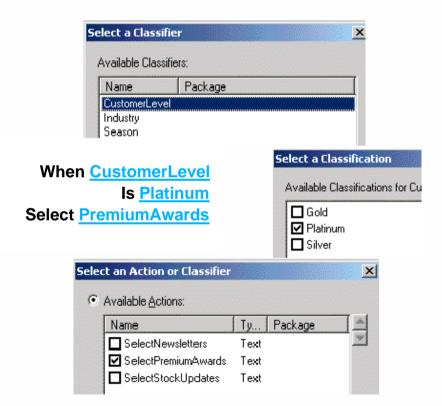


Example Structure



Personalization

- Content of portlets can change in real-time according to
 - ► user preferences
 - ► user behavior click stream
 - ► group behaviour
- Powerful one-on-one interactions
 - ► easily configured through GUI interface





Getting the portlets

- portlet enablement
 - ► 100's available out of the box
 - ► develop from examples
 - -a few days
 - ► develop from scratch
 - about a week
 - like writing a servlet with a few additions
 - submitted for standardization

Samples from portlet list

- Email, groupware
 - ► Lotus Notes
 - -email, calendar, addresses, to-do
 - -iNotes
 - ► MS Exchange
 - -email calendar, contacts, tasks
 - ► Sametime, QuickPlace
- Web sites
 - ► HTML, JSP, XML (XSLT)
- Files
 - ► Text, Word, Excel, PDF, ...
- Databases
 - ► Notes apps, SQL queries

- Search
 - ► IBM Extended Search, EIP
 - ► Lotus Discovery Server
 - ► 3rd party engines
- Syndicated content
 - ► Screaming Media, Hoovers, Factiva, ...
 - ► LexisNexis, MediaApps, NewsEdge, ...
 - ► standard XML formats like RSS, OCS, ...
- Catalogue online



Portal Partners





















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Enterprise Application Portlets

Customer Balances By Fiscal Period

Customer Credit Exposure

Customer Credit Limited Exceeded

Employees Per Pay Area

Expiring Purchasing Contracts

Expiring Sales Contracts

Internal Order by Area

Incomplete Sales Orders

Past Due Sales Items

Planned Order List

Sales Hot List

Employee Get List

Material Availability

Sales Order Per Customer

Vendor Open Items

Shipments Due

Top 10 Back Orders by Customer

Contracts Not Yet Returned Expiring Sales Contracts Goods Waiting for Approval

Top Outstanding Payments

Top Outstanding Receipts

Top Returns From Customer

Top Returns To Supplier

Total Outstanding Receipts

Aging Sales Quotes

Customer Average Arrear Analysis

Exchange Rates

Customer Bank Data

Top Value Returns

Non Invoiced Shipments

My Accounts

Activity Assigned List

SIEBEL

All Activities

All Assets

All Billable Projects

My Opportunities

All Product Defects

All Projects

All Service Orders

Contact List

Critical Service Request

High Severity Product Defects

Incomplete Deliveries

My To Do List

New Product Notification

New Prospective Accounts

Open Sales Orders

Open Service Request

Open Service Request

Opportunities Won

Opportunity Forecast Service Request By Priority

View Expense Report History

Purchase Requisition User Analysis Inventory Availability

Supplier Item Summary

Invoices Received

Overdue Receipts Retired Assets

Open Delivery Schedules

All Assets

Asset Invoices

Delivery Performance

Invoices and Debit by PO Number

Requisition History







Vacation At Limit

401K At Limit

Birthdate

401K Over Limit

Cobra Expirations

Interview Schedule

Class Fill Information

EEO Compliance Monitoring





Web Content Management

- well managed content allows
 - ► efficiently finding information
 - ► effective personalization
- the leading web CM vendors
 - ► are integrated to the WebSphere platform
 - ► displaying content through the portal
 - producing portlets for WPS to perform content management tasks







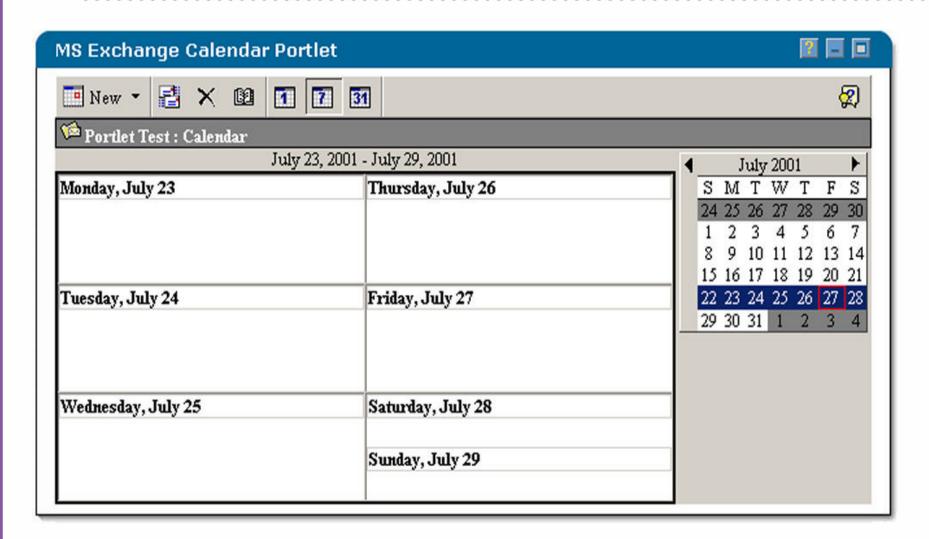


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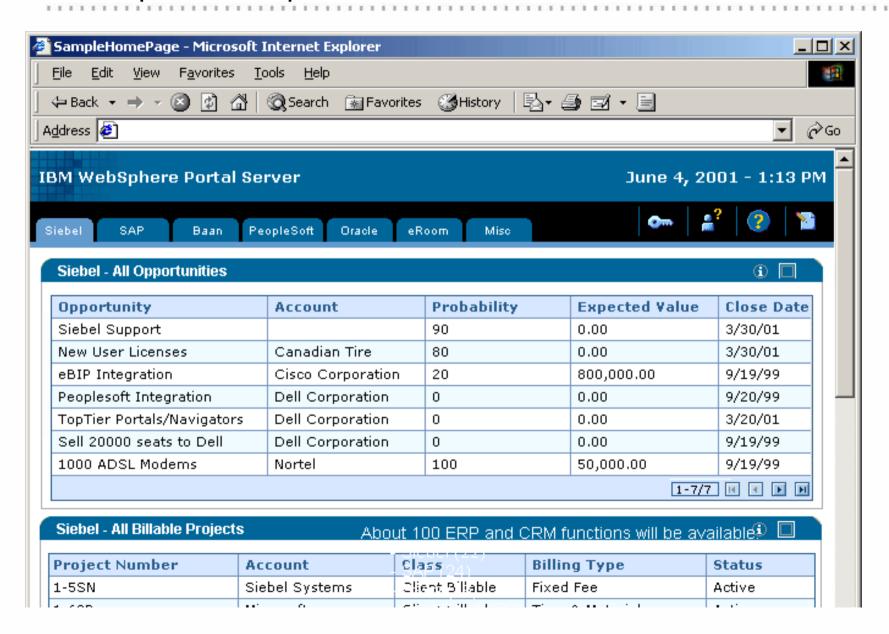
FatWire*



Calendar portlet sample

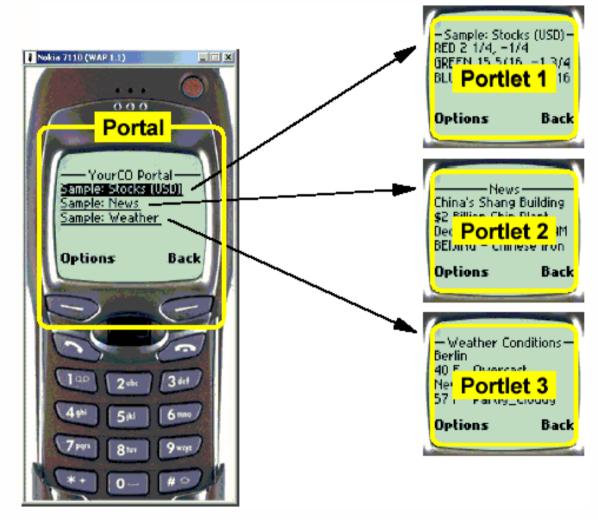


Seibel portlet sample



Pervasive Support

- HTML
- WML
- cHTML (iMode)
- plus
 - ► more coming





Language support

- Provided out of the box
 - ► English, French, German, Italian, Spanish, Brazilian, Portuguese
 - ► Japanese, Korean, Simplified and Traditional Chinese
- IBM provides sample pages and portlets that show
 - ► how to isolate translatable strings
 - ► and set browser encoding correctly
- WebSphere Translation Server can help you translate the content





Security infrastructure

- authentication
 - ► LDAP directory
 - IBM SecureWay
 - Domino directory
 - iPlanet LDAP directory
 - MS Active Directory
 - **►** proxies
 - WebSEAL, SiteMinder
- authorization
 - ► page and portlet access provided by WPS application
- single sign-on
 - ► Java security APIs JAAS



Web Services

- portlets can provide SOAP interface
- portlets can utilize web services via SOAP
- easy integration and extension to base platform

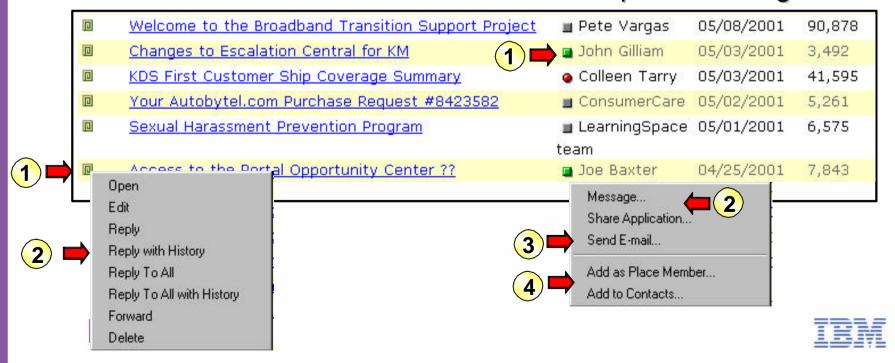


Collaborative Components

- Names
 - ► Sametime Awareness
 - ► Instant Messaging (Chat)
 - ► Send Mail
 - ► Membership Actions

- Documents
 - ► Document Actions
 - ► Document Workflow

Notes Mail Portlet with Collaborative Components Integration



Offering Detail

- 3 solutions around our portal offerings
 - ► basic entry point
 - ► added collaboration
 - ► digital content management and security server

Experience

- Policy Director
- EIP Client Kit
- IBM Content Manager

Extend

- Collaboration
- QuickPlace
- Sametime
- Extended Search
- Site Analyzer

Enable

- Portal Server
- Personalization

WebSphere Portal Enable

- all the components needed to build a basic portal
 - ► WebSphere Portal Server
 - ► WebSphere Personalization*
 - ► WebSphere Application Server*
 - ► IBM Secureway LDAP Directory*
 - ► DB2 Universal Database*
 - ► WebSphere Studio*

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WebSphere Portal Extend

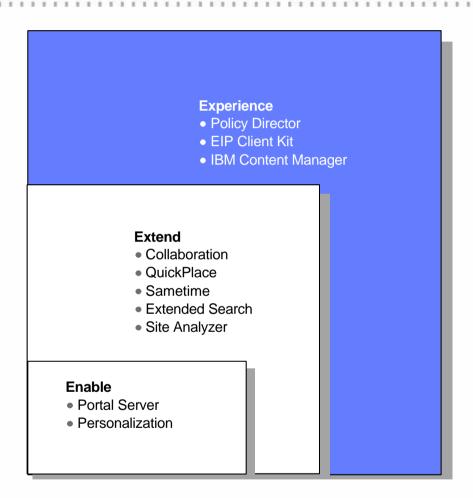
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 - ► K-Station interface option
 - ► Sametime capability
 - ► QuickPlace capability
 - ► Lotus Domino Extended Search*
 - ► WebSphere Site Analyzer*

Experience Policy Director • EIP Client Kit • IBM Content Manager **Extend** Collaboration QuickPlace Sametime Extended Search • Site Analyzer **Enable** Portal Server Personalization

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WebSphere Portal Experience

- all that is in Extend plus
 - ► Tivoli SecureWay Policy Director
 - ► EIP Client Kit
 - ► IBM Content Manager
 - ► Full licences Sametime
 - e-meetings
 - application sharing
 - electronic whiteboarding
 - ► Full licences QuickPlace
 - offline services
 - ► Removed license limitation
 - -WebSphere Application Server
 - WebSphere Personalization





Analyst Views

WebSphere Portal Server is the most advanced Enterprise Portal solution that we have reviewed

(Bloor Research)

excellent position to clean up: its (Portal) product is comprehensive and superior and almost all from one vendor

The net effect is that IBM is in an

(Bloor Research)

Bottom Line: WebSphere Portal Server positions IBM in the select group of long-term enterprise portal players. (Meta Group)

IBM has all the components necessary to build compelling portal solutions, and Butler **Group believes that combined** with the strengths of its Global Services division, the company has the potential to be a major force in the portal market. (Butler Group)

Large industry players that offer strong infrastructure components and models for integration will dominate this space by 2002.

(Giga)

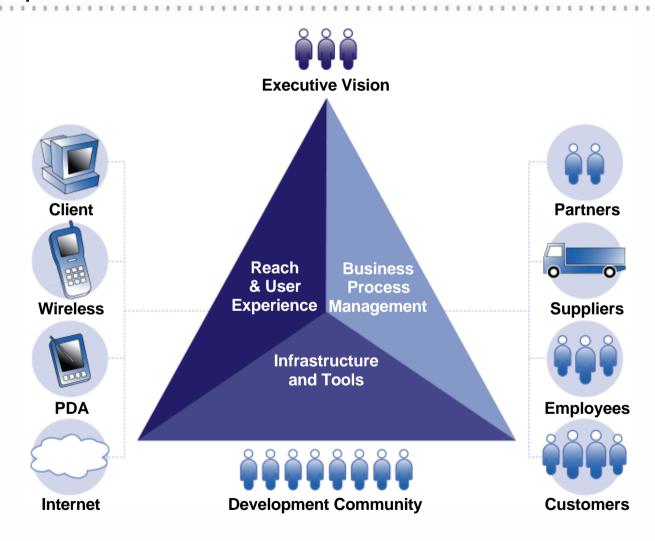
IBM's portal strategy is the most defined.....IBM should be commended for taking the hype out of the portal market and focusing on the infrastructure necessary

(Cutter Information)

IBM is weighing-in by far with the most significant contribution to the exploding corporate portal market

(Delphi Group)

WebSphere Platform







Extensible solution

- grow with pre-integrated components from platform
 - ► WebSphere Commerce Suite
 - ► Pervasive
 - -WebSphere Everyplace Suite
 - Transcoding Publisher
 - ► Translation Server
 - ► Voice Server

Summary

- standards based enterprise platform
 - ► large number and wide variety of portlets
- real collaboration ability
- comprehensive application integration
 - ► leverages existing investments
- investment in ongoing development
- integrated into complementary offerings
- history of success
 - ► built on the leading platform
 - ► using proven components

