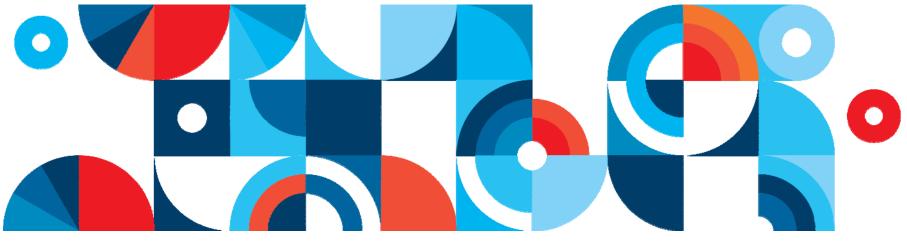


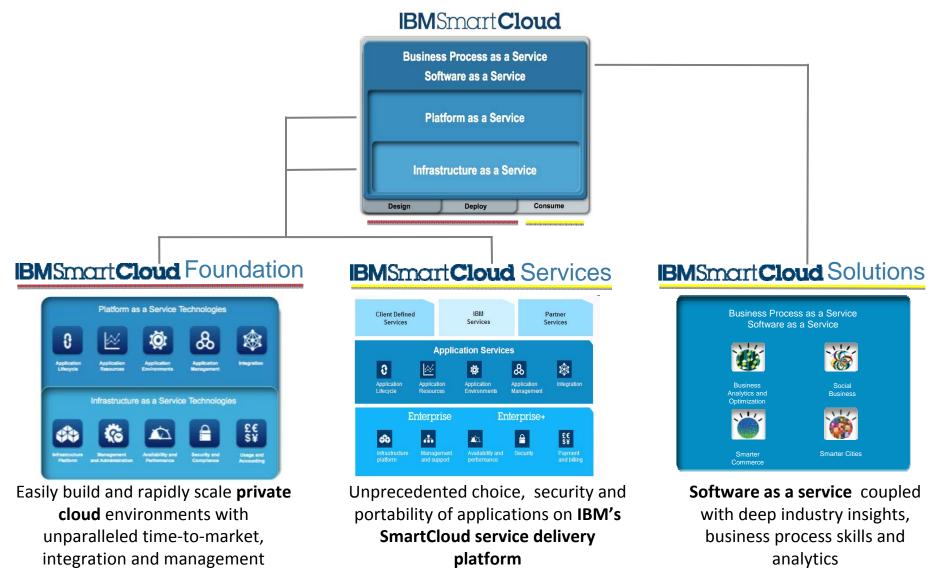
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# IBM SmartCloud Foundation: Moving beyond Virtualization



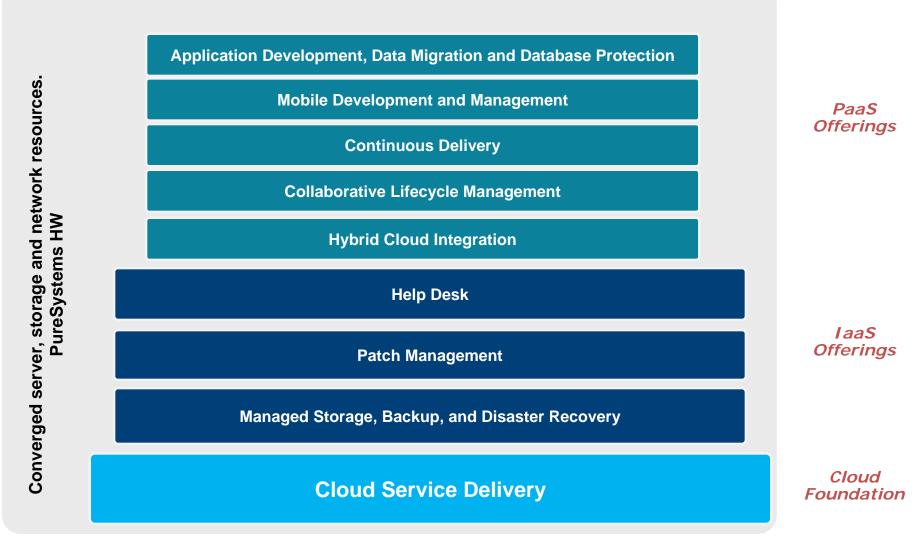
## Introducing new capabilities built on our common cloud architecture



Commitment to open standards and a broad ecosystem

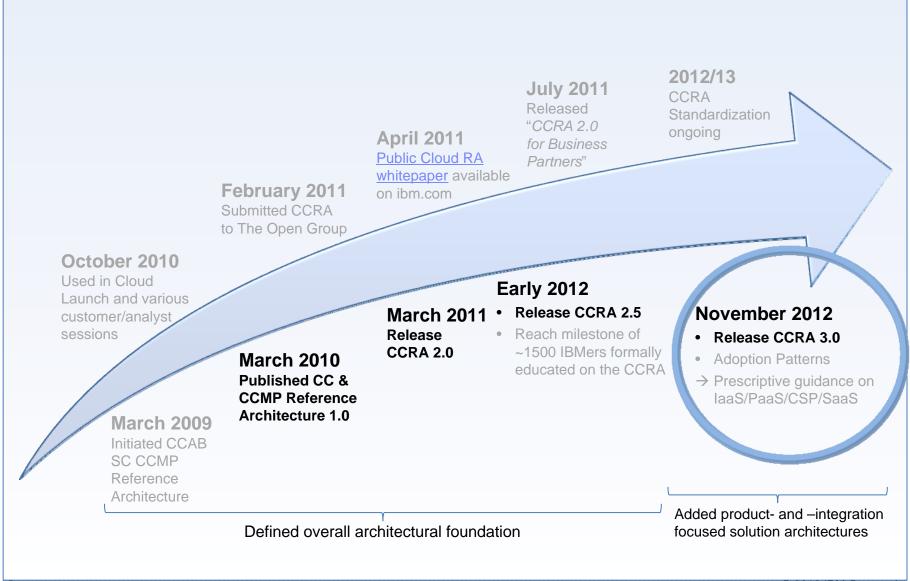


*IBM has "cloud building blocks"* solution based on the *Cloud Computing Reference Architecture* with a lower entry cost point, more flexibility and scalability.



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## Evolution of the Cloud Computing Reference Architecture (CCRA 3.0)



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## The IBM Cloud Computing Reference Architecture (CCRA)

## Represents the aggregate experience from hundreds of cloud client engagements and IBM-hosted cloud implementations

•Based on knowledge of IBM's services, software & system experiences, including IBM Research

Provides prescriptive guidance on how to build IaaS, PaaS, SaaS and service provider clouds using IBM technologies

#### Reflected in the design of

- •Clouds IBM implements for clients
- •IBM-hosted cloud services
- •IBM cloud appliances
- •IBM cloud products

#### Focuses on cloud specifics

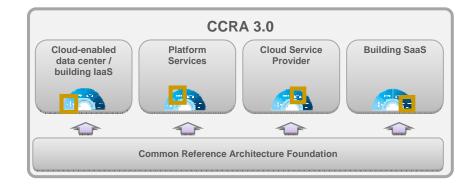
- •Radical cost reduction
- •Achievement of high degrees of security, reliability, scalability and control

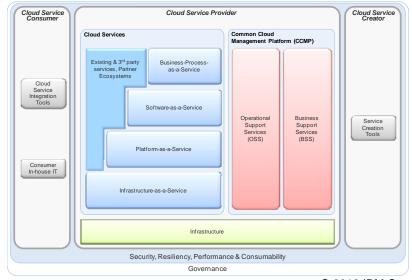
## Consists of multiple detailed documents representing best-of-industry knowledge and insight

•How to architect, design and implement clouds

#### Public Cloud RA whitepaper available on ibm.com:

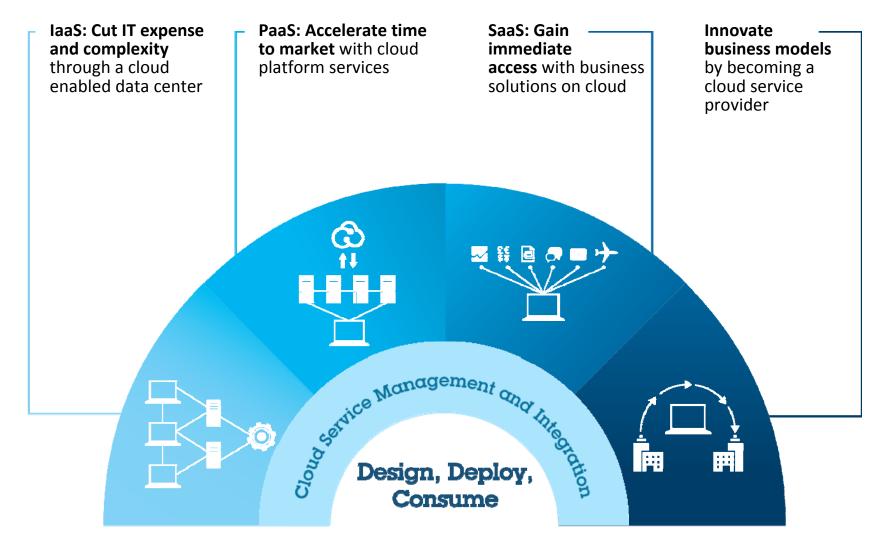
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## Adoption patterns are emerging for successfully beginning and progressing cloud initiatives.



#### **Our Customer's Business**

 Founded in 1983 as a one store provider of personal computers and printers, Logista has grown to be a nationally recognized leader in technology management solutions.

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- Logista is one of the largest technology support providers in the US, providing support solutions that companies need to run their businesses on a daily basis. Trusted by Fortune 1000 corporations and vertical market leaders alike, these organizations rely on Logista for innovative, structured solutions to IT services and systems integration.
- Logista is looking to become a Managed Services Provider building upon its expertise in data centre implementation & design.

#### **Cloud Business Benefits**

- Quick time to market exploiting pre-integrated and pre-built ready to deploy solutions.
- Rapid delivery of rich Cloud services in MSP environment.
- Secure and intelligent SmartCloud systems with high degrees of automation to minimise the administration effort/cost whilst also providing high degrees of service availability.
- Flexible systems that can scale up and down quickly based on existing and new customer business volumes.
- Shifting from individual customer and ad-hoc needs to highly scalable and repeatable patterns of common cloud services.

#### 🎸 The Business Challenges

- Selecting a range of Cloud services for its customers, starting with a range of IaaS offerings, and then building upon them with PaaS capabilities.
- Offering a high service availability is important to be able to differentiate from the commodity IaaS cloud providers.
- Moving the business from large implementation deals to recurring revenue streams based on Cloud services.

#### What Did We Do?

- We helped Logista design a Cloud Enabled Data Centre which exploits the capabilities within SmartCloud Foundation, giving a scalable and progressive Cloud service capability.
- SmartCloud Provisioning was deployed as the automation and provisioning layer for IaaS and PaaS services, integrating with the V7000 storage and integrate network.
- SmartCloud Monitoring implements the service monitoring at the infrastructure, host and cloud service, together with event management, capacity planning and health analytics.
- Smart Cloud Cost Management to provide flexible pricing and detailed reporting
- All built upon IBM's PureFlex system with x86 nodes offering scalable infrastructure with integrated netwo<sup>Pk2012</sup> IBM Corporation





#### Advanced IaaS services integrated with ITIL processes

Allows to completely integrated the cloud world with the remaining part of the enterprise by including the cloud infrastructure and services in the enterprise ITIL processes.

#### Advanced IaaS Services (VMs, Storage, Network or their combinations)

Allows creating a more sophisticated cloud infrastructure for the delivery of more complex and critical IaaS services in highly demanding environments.

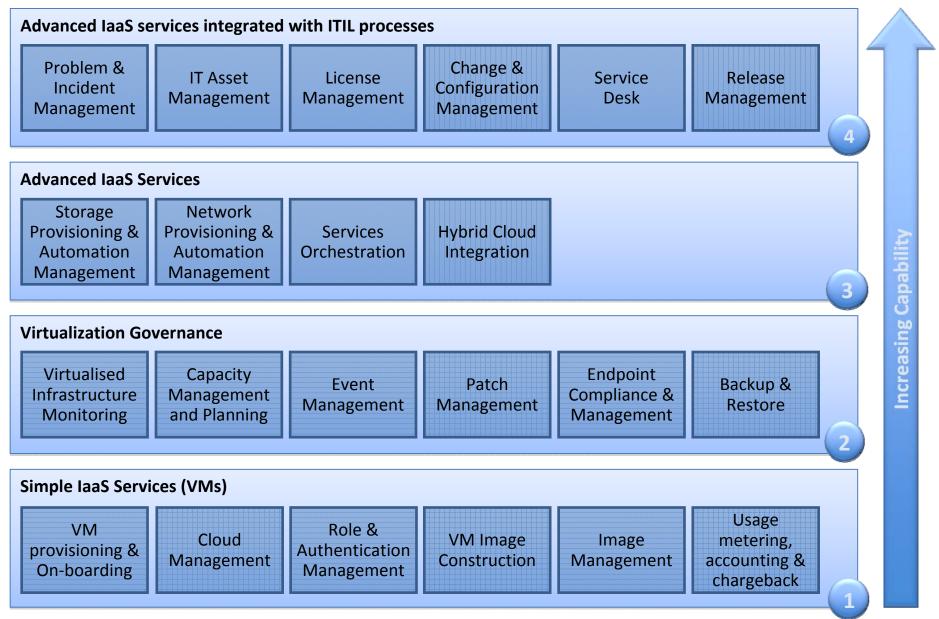
#### Virtualization Governance

Complements the first macro-pattern by adding governance capabilities that allow to effectively manage aspects like SLAs, security, resiliency, capacity planning, etc... for both the virtualized infrastructure that provides the cloud service as well as the cloud service itself.

#### Simple IaaS Services (VMs)

The entry point in the IaaS cloud space since it allows to start building a multi-tenant cloud infrastructure and model for the delivery of simple VMS (configured with the proper network and storage) that covers the 70 % of the requests coming from the different business lines.







#### **Use Cases** •CDC-UC2.1.1 As a Cloud Administrator I need to backup persistent storage volumes •CDC-UC2.1.2 As a Cloud Administrator I need to restore persistent storage volumes Release ervice •CDC-UC2.1.3 As a Cloud Administrator I need to backup virtual machines Desk Management •CDC-UC2.1.4 As a Cloud Administrator I need to restore virtual machines •CDC-UC2.1.5 As a Cloud Administrator I need to see a list of backup of storage volumes and virtual machines that I have taken •CDC-UC2.1.6 As a Cloud Administrator I need to see a list of backup of storage volumes and virtual machines that have been taken by the system •CDC-UC2.1.7 As a Cloud Administrator I need to backup the cloud management infrastructure •CDC-UC2.1.8 As a Cloud Administrator I need to restore the cloud management Capabili infrastructure •CDC-UC2.1.9 As a Cloud Administrator I need to backup my cloud infrastructure comprising of more than one virtual machine and storage volume •CDC-UC2.1.10 As a Cloud Administrator I need to restore my cloud infrastructure Increasing comprising of more than one virtual machine and storage volume Virtualised Capacity Endpoint Event Patch Backup & Infrastructure Management Compliance & Restore Management Management and Planning Management Monitoring Simple IaaS Services (VMs) Usage VM Role & Cloud VM Image Image metering, provisioning & Authentication Management Management Construction accounting & On-boarding Management chargeback

#### Use Cases

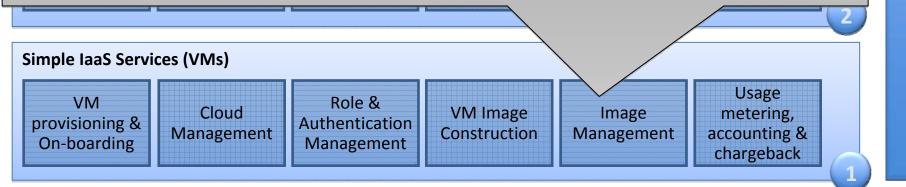
•CDC-UC4.1.1 Image registry/backup: As an image librarian, I want to register a new image with the image library. As an image librarian, I want to un-register an existing image from the image library because it is no longer needed for deployment. As an image librarian, I want to backup an existing image in order to restore from it in case of errors. As an image librarian, I want to register to repair errors. As an image librarian, I want to delete a backed up image. •CDC-UC4.1.2 Image capturing

•CDC-UC4.1.3 Deep image search: In addition to the traditional approach to virtual image search (in which a user can search for a virtual image based on image metadata such as name, time created, and user-created metadata), the Cloud Consumer needs to be able to query the Image Library via a deep image search. Deep image search allows a user to search for a virtual image based on its actual contents, not just metadata created by users for the virtual image, ensuring that search results are accurate and not susceptible to the errors common with user-provided metadata.

•CDC-UC4.1.4 Drift analysis: As soon as a virtual machine is deployed using a virtual image, the content of the virtual machine image will change and "drift" from the original content of the virtual image. Most of this drift is normal, but changes such as applying patches, adding or removing software or upgrading the level of existing software may cause the system to no longer function correctly. When a system no longer functions correctly, the first question you should ask is, "What changed?" Drift analysis answers that question.

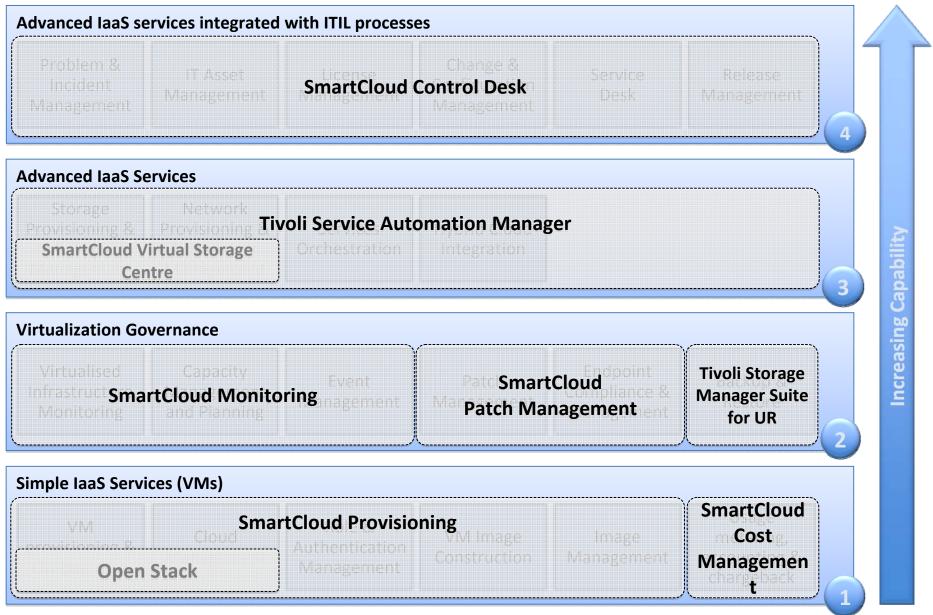
•CDC-UC4.1.5 Controlling image sprawl: The Image Librarian needs to be able to search for images that are similar to a specific image. By taking a standard image that has been published for general use and then searching for all images that are similar to it, the image librarian is able to identify the virtual images that are similar to it.

•CDC-UC0.4.1.6 Version control and tracking of reference images: The Image Librarian needs to be able to retrieve each numbered version of the image. This ability is essentially like a source code control systems for images.



Increasing Capability



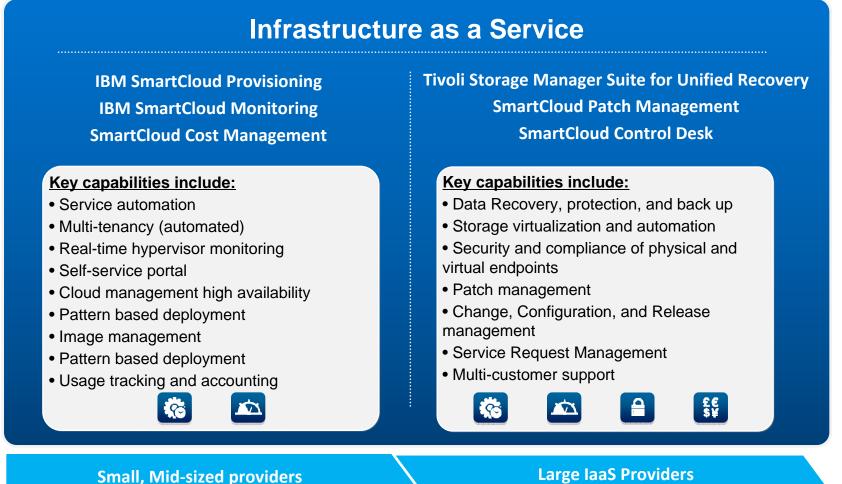


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## Solutions to address IaaS Service needs and pain points....

## **IBM**Smart**Cloud**



Basic cloud services

Large IaaS Providers Advanced cloud service delivery



## SmartCloud Foundation Portfolio

## IBMSmartCloud Foundation

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## SmartCloud Provisioning





Smart Cloud



## **Quick Time to Value**

#### Highly Automated – Optimise your staff costs

Requires less administrators to manage the environment. Designed for low-touch operations and administration – reduces manual effort. Highly automated, self-healing, and instant recovery of the cloud management.

#### **Easy to Deploy – Time to Value**

Can be deployed in just a few hours.

New resources added to the Cloud are automatically configured and ready in under 5 mins.

#### Fast to Learn

Use commodity skills to learn, manage and deploy – get up to speed very quickly.

## **Customer Choice**

#### Hypervisor Agnostic

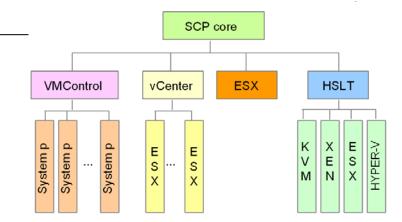
YOUR choice of hypervisor – managed or direct to hypervisor. High scale low touch support for KVM, Xen, ESX, Hyper-V. Managed hypervisor support for vCenter, VMControl. No lock in – easy to move between hypervisors.

#### Hardware Independent

Supports any x86 hardware with VT. Manage PowerVM systems through VMControl. Works with IBM's new PureFlex systems. Simple to integrate with existing storage systems.

#### **Open and Extensible**

Open source based (HBase, ZooKeeper), small footprint. HSLT component being shared with OpenStack community. Easy to integrate with Web Services layer. Extensible : REST APIs, and IaaS API submitted to DMTF







"IBM Joins OpenStack as a Founding Member" - April 2012

## **Non-stop Cloud**

#### **Ultra FAST Provisioning**

Can start a single VM and load OS in under 10 seconds.

Can start 100 VMs in under 3 mins.

Can go from a bare metal server to ready for work in under 5 mins.

Can make an entire IBM blade chassis (BCH 14 blades) ready for cloud in less than 6 mins.

#### **Highly Scalable & Efficient**

Designed with distributed architecture for extreme scalability and parallel operation.

Can scale up to millions+ of VMs using HSLT architecture "High Scale".

Efficient use of images, only storing master copies and the delta changes.

Uses "copy-on-write" technology to move data back & forward (moves only the data you change).

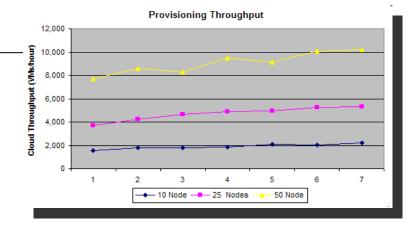
#### **Continuous Operations**

Designed for reliable cloud operations – "Low touch".

Quickly recover from failures dramatically simplifies patch, image and change management.

Can apply updates without taking the Cloud down.

Servers added, removed, updated without taking the environment off-line.



## **Powerful Cloud Automation**

#### **Powerful Pattern Deployment**

Powerful drag-and-drop UI to design e-business patterns. Deployment for complex PaaS environments in just a few clicks. Integrated activation engine image automation.

#### **Multi-Tenancy Support**

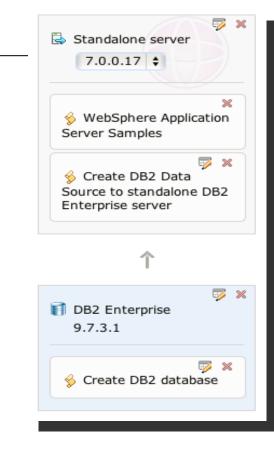
MSP & CSP ready with network and presentation separation. Service catalog for IaaS and PaaS offerings. Quota management for VMs, templates, IP, storage.

#### **Advanced Lifecycle Image Management**

Unique set of image management capabilities to design, build and manage image sprawl. Image conversion capabilities to move between hypervisors and image formats (raw, ovf). Image construction and composition tool (ICCT) to build standardised images. Automated image indexing supporting file/byte comparisons within images.

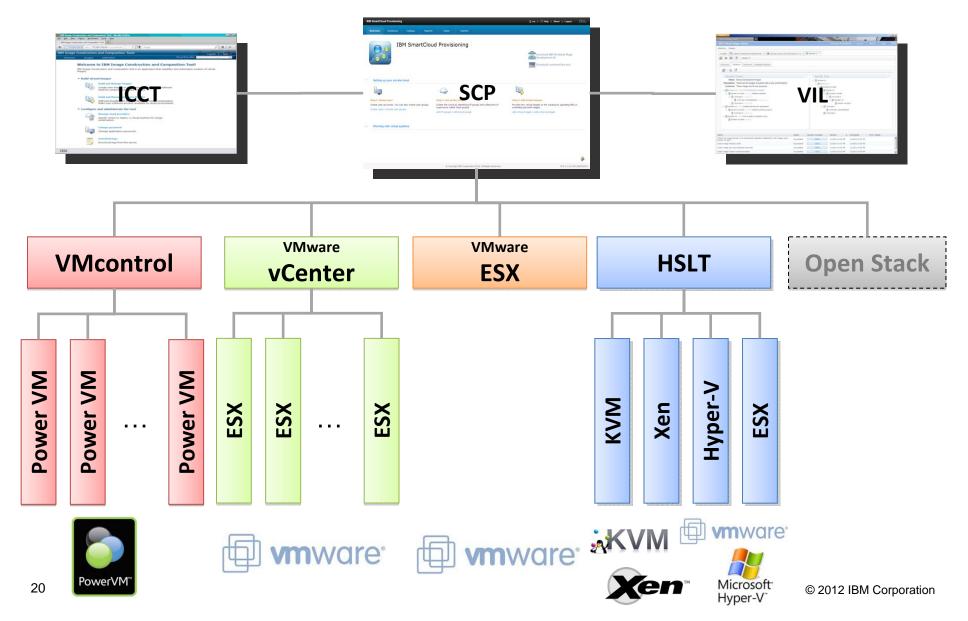
#### Easy to Migrate & On-board

Can easily manage existing VMware deployments by managing through vCenter.



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## SCP architecture – Supported Hypervisors

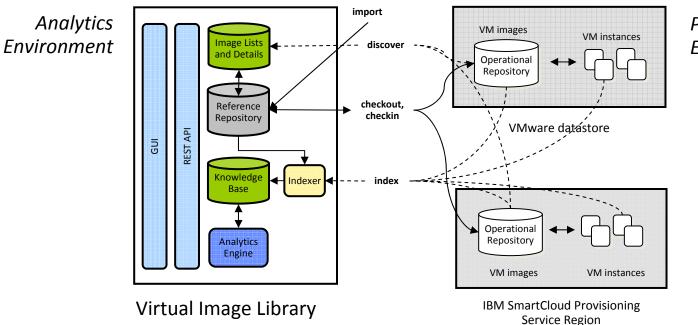




## **Virtual Image Library**

- Image analytics technology to index the contents of images to provide a knowledgebase of software products, patches, and files.
- Comparison of images and deployed VMs to detect differences at the software product and file levels.
- Similarity analysis to identify clusters of alike images.
- Reference repository for storing and assigning version numbers to images in chains.

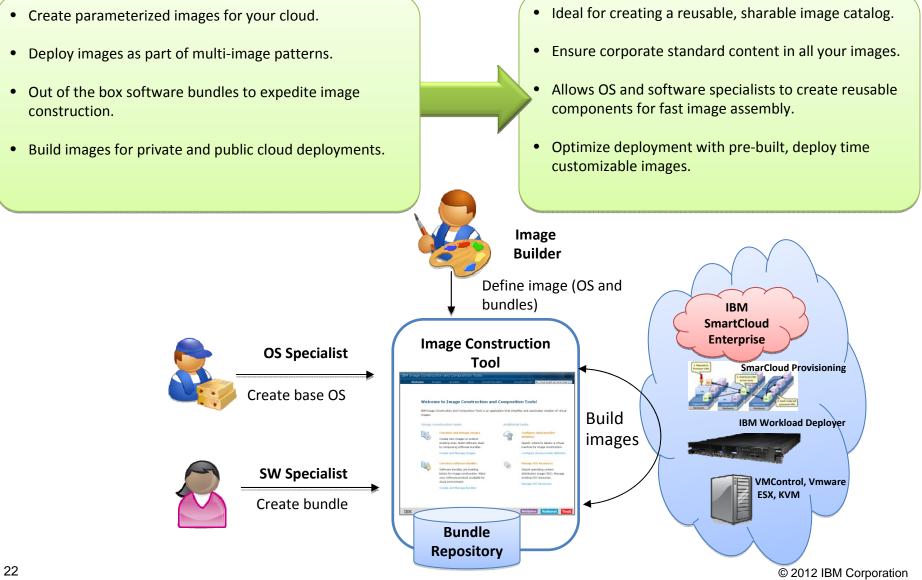
- Powerful search capabilities to find the image you need without the need for agents or for powering on the images.
- Identify "drift" of a virtual machine since its deployment at the product and file levels.
- Helps control image sprawl by finding groups of similar images to be replaced by a standard image.
- A source of standard images identified by version numbers. Deployments are recorded to trace virtual machines back to their origin.

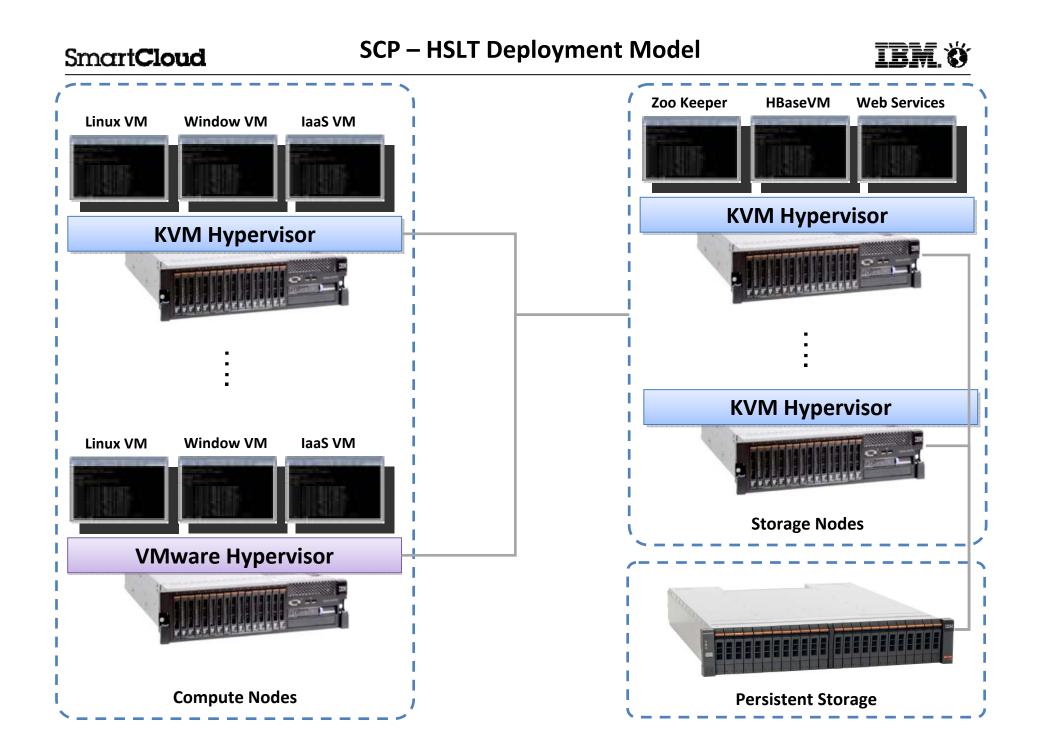


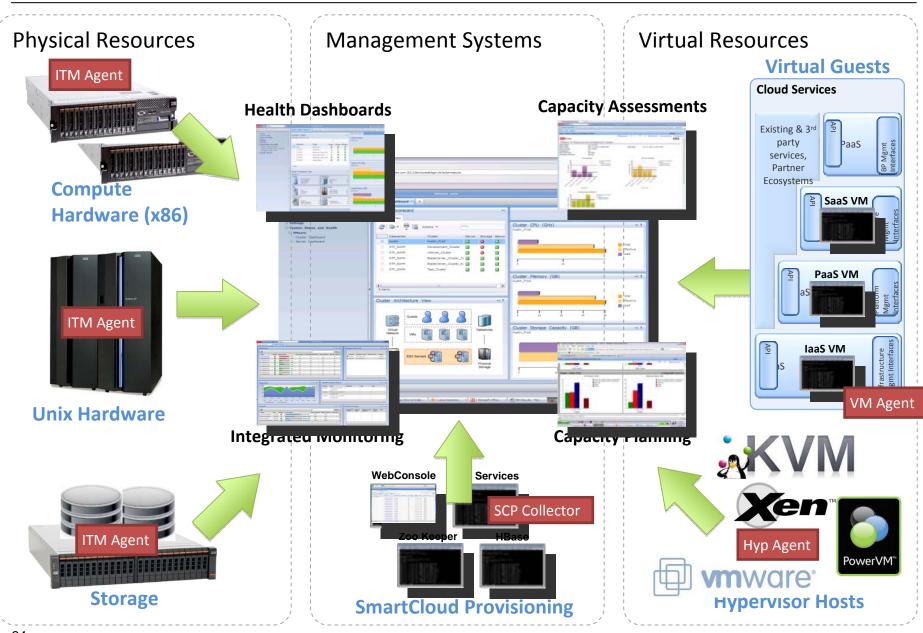
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## Image Creation & Composition Tool (ICCT)



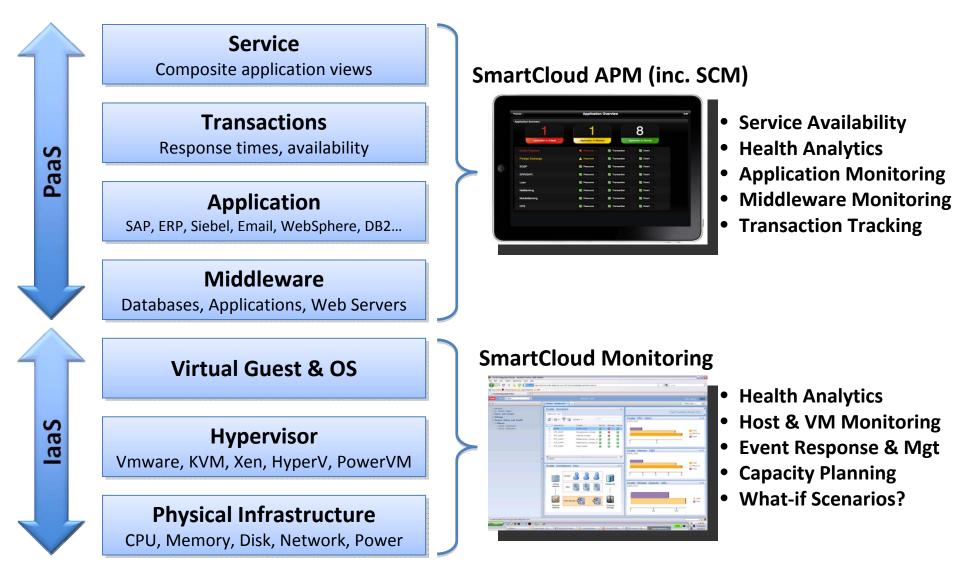




## SmartCloud Monitoring : A single tool for all (physical – Hypervisor – VM

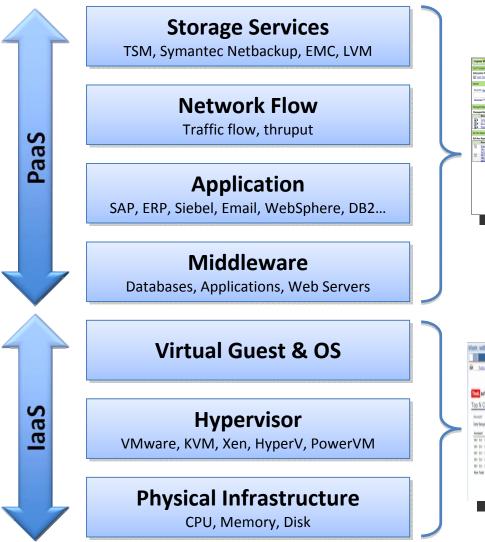


## SmartCloud Monitoring + Application Performance Management

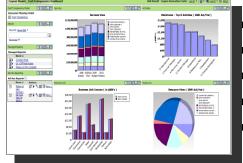




## SmartCloud Cost Management (SCCM) rating metrics



#### **SCCM Enterprise**



- App specific collectors
- Application usage
- Middleware usage
- Storage collectors
- Network flow collector

#### SCCM



- Universal collectors
- Infrastructure collectors
- Virtualisation collectors

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## Sample KVM Report...data collected from SCP implementation

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