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B2B e-Commerce Enhancements and Futures

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Trends Shaping B2B e-Commerce



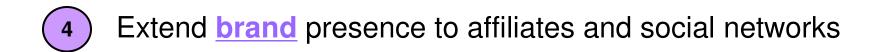
Web as the **foundation** for all customer interactions



Web is not just for efficiency, but also for marketing efforts



Innovate business model and channel strategy





A leading engineering company says...

"The *web is the preferred channel* by customers around the world, as long as it is in their local language, has a fast search, rich content and has tools that make their jobs easier" – *Annual Report 2009*

"Our team of analysts receives data from our global websites which they review and distil and then *make recommendations regarding our offering, pricing and capabilities*, all enhancing the customer experience." – *Annual Report 2009*

"We have designed and developed a *Community that brings engineers together to network, collaborate* and create designs" – *Annual Report* 2009



B2B Marketing Promotions Is REAL!



\$1,000 Off a Microplate Reader Online

iMark™ Microplate Reader with Software - more than \$1,000 Off when you order online



Free Mini-PROTEAN® Tetra Cell and Buffers

Get a free Tetra cell (2 gel system) and buffers, with purchase of 3 boxes of 10-well or 15-well TGX gels.





Take \$500 Off the List Price of the TC10[™] Automated Cell Counter! Dead or Alive? No Guessing! Don't miss this limited time introductory price.

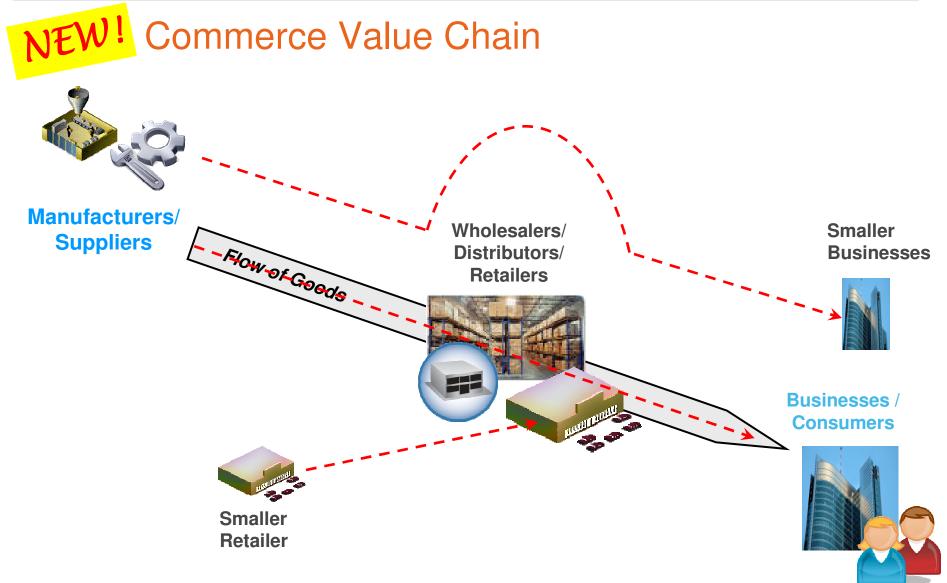


Monthly Web Specials on Protein Research Products

Special discounts are available each month on the Web.

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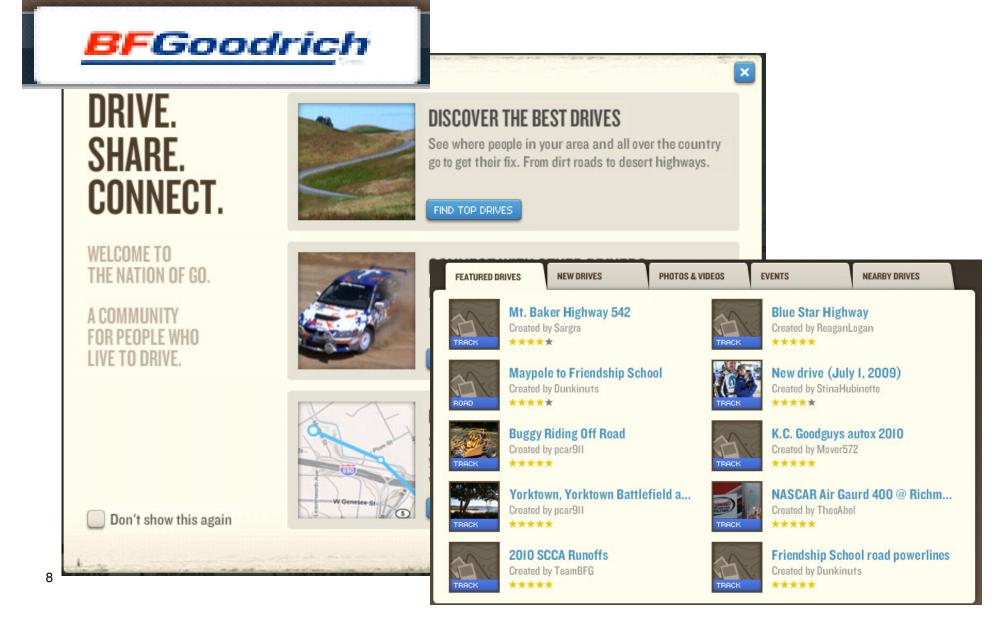
Going direct to serve the long tail

Wholesalers/ **Distributors** Large number of Small number of small customers large customers

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Manufacturers Are Building Social Destination Sites!





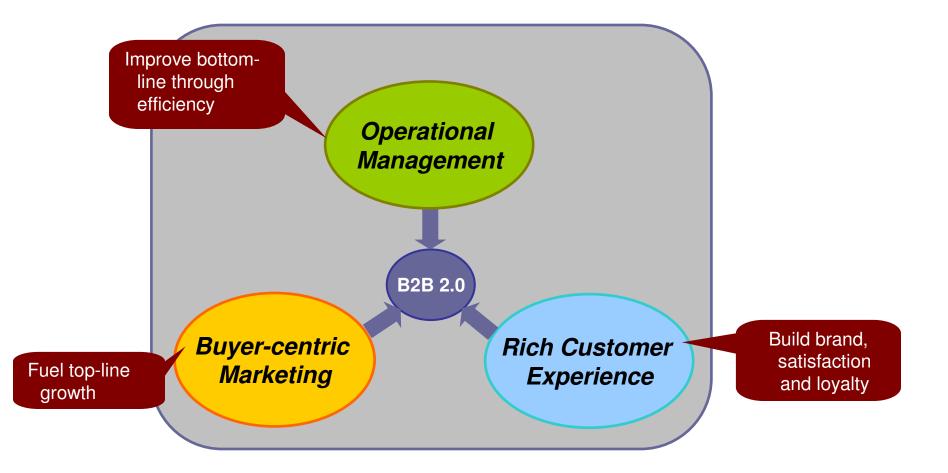
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@TheRealLRaye #B2B is the BEST thing that could have been started! Thankz a Billion!



Next-generation B2B e-Commerce Strategy





Next-generation B2B e-Commerce – WC V7 and FEPs



Buyer-centric Marketing

- Contracts
- Member & Org Mgmt.
- Policies & Approvals
- Price Management*
- ILOG JRules integration*
- Catalog Filters*



- Extended Sites
- Campaigns & Promotions
- Precision Marketing
- Search-driven merchandising*
- Coremetrics CIO integration*

Rich Customer Experience

- B2B Web 2.0 Starter Store
- Management Center
- Community Support
- Site Search*
- Remote Widgets*
- Subscriptions*

*IBM intends to support in future



4 Steps to Next-gen B2B e-Commerce





IBM B2B e-Commerce Investment Areas

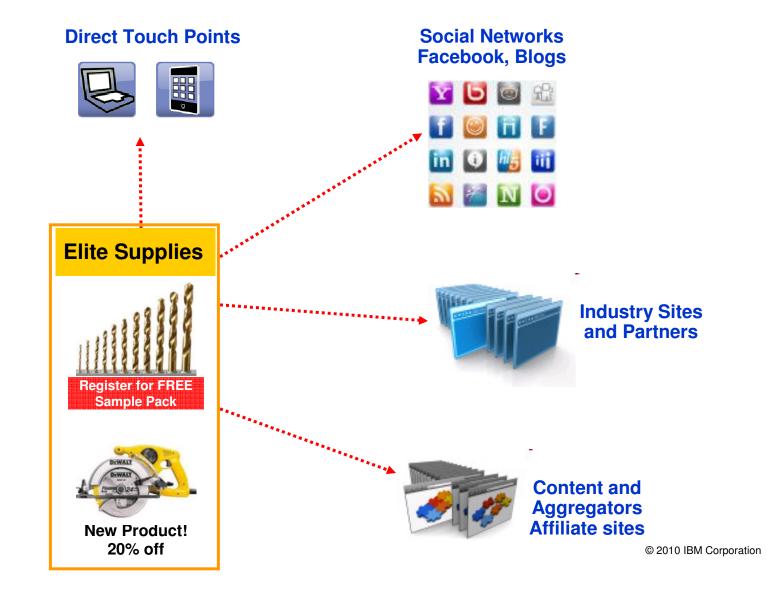


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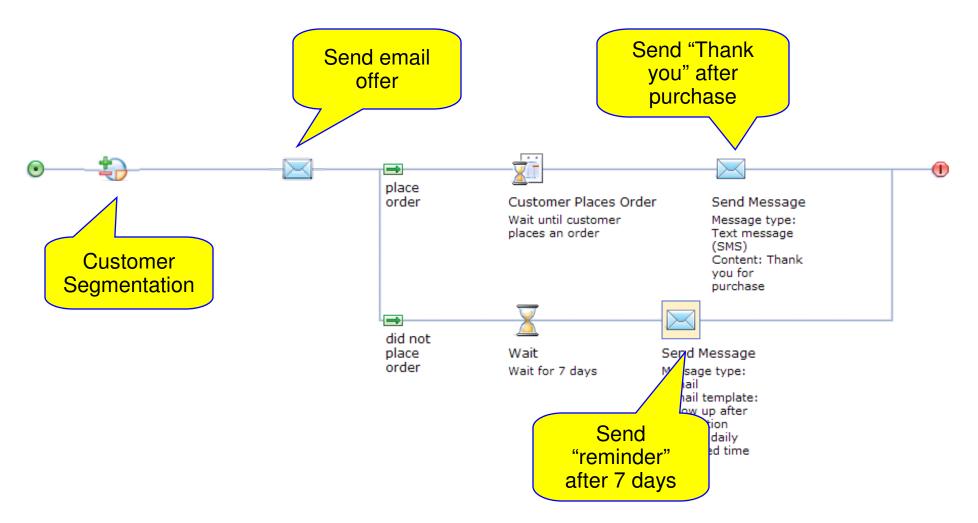
Remote Widgets for Viral and Visibility



Buyer-centric Marketing



B2B Precision Marketing



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Future Plans: Price Management



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Continuous time theory to model of discrete time optimal pricing*

$$p_n^*(t) = \frac{1}{a} + c + v_n(t) - v_{n-1}(t)$$

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*Source: Dynamic Pricing in the Airline Industry



Operational Management

Future Plans: Price Management

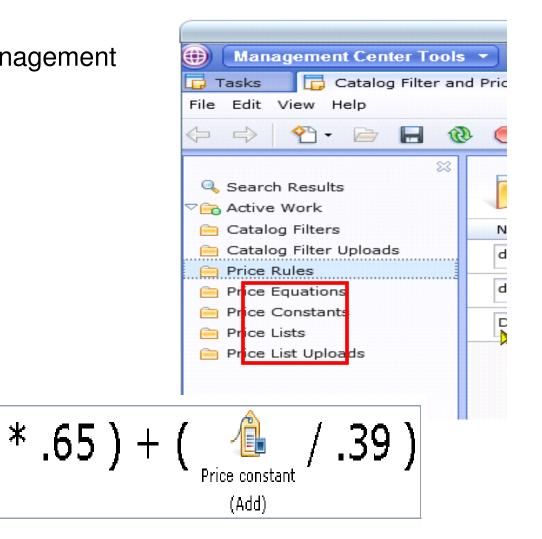
WebSphere Commerce Price Management

Price constant

(Markup For Alaska)

- Price list, rules, equations
- Dynamic pricing scenarios
- Management Center Tools

Input price

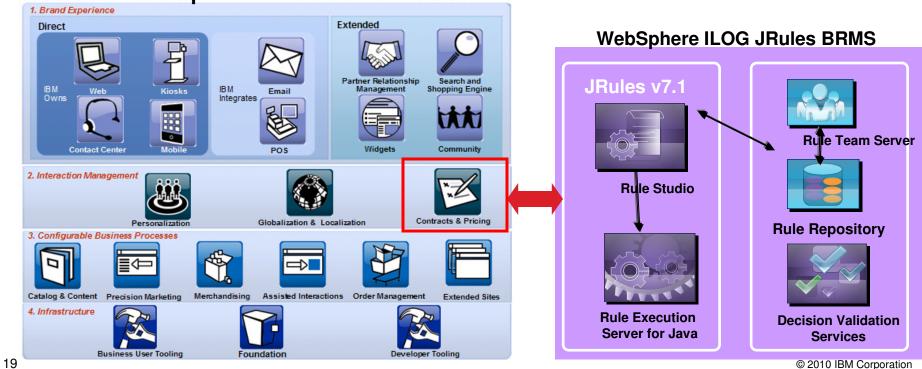


Output Price



Future Plans: Price Management using ILOG **Operational** Management **JRules BRMS**

- ILOG JRules
 - Industry-leading Business Rules Management System
 - Authoring, managing, changing, and governing business rules
 - Central / Shared solution across the enterprise



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