

#### DataFlex in Motion

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- Welcome
- Change, motion...
- $\circ$  Key trends
- $\,\circ\,$  Product position & direction

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#### Change is the law of life. And those who look only to the past or present are certain to miss the future.

• John F. Kennedy



#### In times of rapid change, experience could be your worst enemy.

• J. Paul Getty





Changes driving the future of the business applications business

# **KEY TRENDS...**

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## **User Platform Expansion**

- The world market for PCs will shrink by 6% in 2014
  - 2014 sales forecast is 262M PCs
- The iPad was announced in January 2010
- 2014 tablet sales will increase 38.6% over 2013 to 270M units
  - Gartner March 2014

# An Environment of Diverse Devices

### PCs/Laptops, connected mobile/touch devices

All figures in 1,000's

Device Type	2012	2013	2014	2015	
PC (Desk-Based and Notebook)	341,273	299,342	277,939	268,491	
Tablet (Ultramobile)	119,529	179,531	263,450	324,565	
Mobile Phone	1,746,177	1,804,334	1,893,425	1,964,788	
Other Ultra-mobiles (Hybrids)	9,344	17,195	39,636	63,835	
Total	2,216,322	2,300,402	2,474,451	2,621,678	
Source: Gartner (December 2013)			2.6 <u>Billion</u> Devices next year!		

# Understanding the numbers

#### "Intel gives rosy fourth-quarter revenue forecast as PCs recover"

#### • Reuters 15 October 2105

- Tablet demand being fulfilled; huge new app market created
- Business PC replacements are increasing
  - Multi-device reality for professionals established
  - Role of the business PC remains strong

# Diverse platforms; common expectations

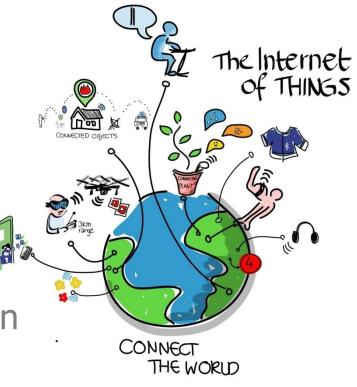
#### ○ User operating platforms

- Windows, Apple (iOS/OS X), Android, Chrome OS
- Available across desktop, tablets, phones
  - Desktop Android, "Chromebook" and "Chromebox" searching for market segments and acceptance
- Users expect cross-device functionality
  - Consumer apps are driving business apps



## ○ The Internet of Things

- Industrial controls
- Appliances
- Medical devices/sensors
- Automobiles
- "Wearables"
- Home control/automation
- Smart Coke machines



# Internet of Things

#### $_{\odot}$ Billions of internet connected devices

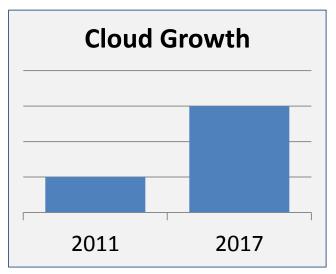
- Gartner estimates 26 <u>Billion</u> wirelessly connected devices by 2025 – only 10 years!
- Each device is a data provider and/or consumer
- $_{\odot}$  "Things" will drive new application requirements
  - Massive "thing" data streams will feed the applications of the future



- The flexible, scalable, pay-as-you-go computing environment of today and tomorrow
- Disrupting conventional business computing
  An essential component of software planning for the future

# Cloud Application Platform Growth

- Cloud computing growth is explosive
- Enterprise spending on cloud-based architecture will triple between 2011 and 2017
  - 2011 \$78 Billion
  - 2017 \$235 Billion



Source: ihs.com – 14 February 2014



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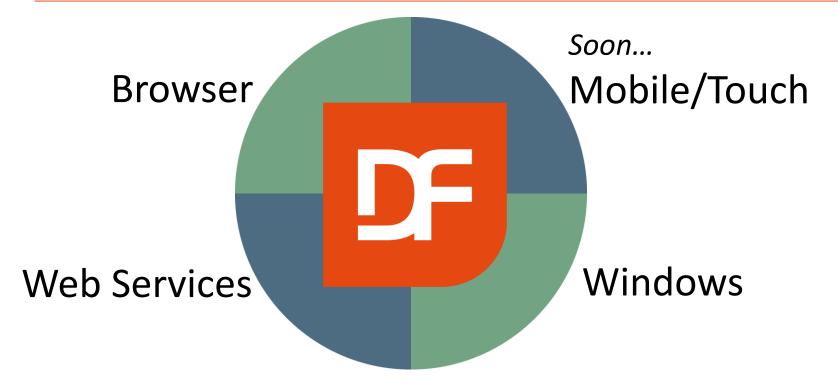
# **PRODUCT POSITION**

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# The Business Applications Business

- $_{\odot}$  Escalating demand for speed and flexibility
- $\circ$  Device & environment independence expected
- Development productivity = competitiveness
- o Commonality & reuse = efficiency
- Frameworks = less new code; more software
- A broad-based, integrated development platform trumps multi-technology solutions
   Cloud ready

## DataFlex – Core and Frameworks



....a comprehensive develop and deploy business software platform

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- A complete software platform for rapidly developing web, Windows and mobile business applications
- Developing business software with DataFlex is faster, more productive and less costly
- One development environment; one language
  - Less to learn & maintain; greater productivity and more production software

# **CLOUD & CLOUD CHANGES...**

Technologies, licensing, services, partnerships, business practices



# We all use the cloud...



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#### Are you deploying applications in the cloud?



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# What is Cloud?

#### • The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST).

- Essential characteristics: On-demand self-services, Broad network access, Resource pooling, Rapid Elasticity, Measured Service.
- Service Models: Software as a Service, Platform as a Service, Infrastructure as a Service
- **Deployment** Models: Private Cloud, Community Cloud, Public Cloud, Hybrid Cloud.

# "The Big Switch" (Nicholas Carr)

#### $\circ$ $\,$ Cloud is like the electricity used in your home

- Purchased from outside provider
- A remote resource that you "plug into" as needed
- Standards based, highly available, secure and scalable
- Pay-as-you-use.... costs are proportional to use/consumption
- Simply: the cloud is "utility computing" sold as a service
- A conventional, premise based server is like operating your own generator for create electricity

# The Cloud Changes Business Models

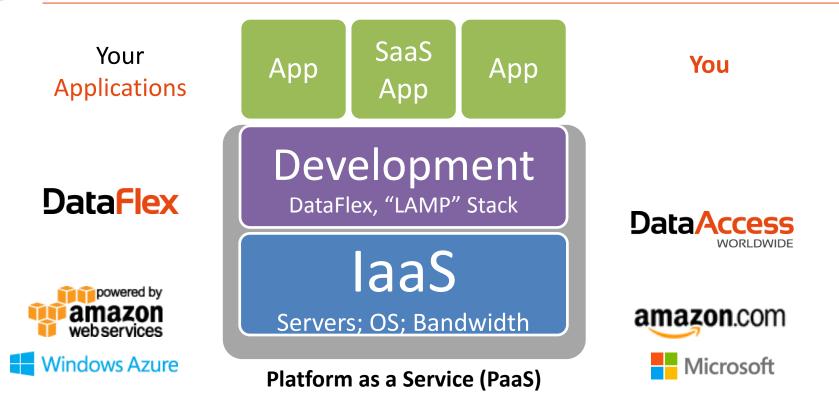
#### • Application "Software as a Service" (SaaS)

- A single fee for an application, support & maintenance
- Payment is hourly or monthly fees
  - Example: Salesforce.com
- Pay-per-item or quantity "value metrics" determine cost...
  - data volume gigabytes, map quadrants
  - A particular service instance (a "for sale" listing or tax calculation)
  - # users or #accounts managed
  - # of applications

# **Cloud Changes for Application Developers**

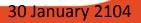
- The cloud dramatically changes application deployment
- With cloud, deployment is faster, easier, cheaper & more scalable than ever before
- Much of the deployment process can be "delegated" to the cloud: servers, operating systems, security, bandwidth
  - Less time spent on managing infrastructure
  - More time for development, marketing and business development

## **Cloud Application Stack**



# Cloud Market Status; DataFlex and the Cloud?

- Cloud is an application deployment option
- DataFlex must expand from premise-only deployment to enable cloud-based deployment



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#### Data Access Worldwide will create competitive cloud offerings to fulfill market needs, expectations and opportunities.

Introducing

# DataFlex CLOUD

# What is DataFlex Cloud?

- Pre-configured, cloud-ready DataFlex software
  - DataFlex WebApp Servers counting Apps or Web Clients
  - DataFlex Windows Clients
  - DataFlex Reports, CKs, Dynamic Al
- It requires cloud Infrastructure as a service (IaaS)
  - Virtual servers w/ Windows OS & database
  - High capacity bandwidth
  - Other deployment resources

# DataFlex Cloud

#### • Commercial terms; licensing...

- No perpetual license to buy
- Subscription vs. license pay-as-you-use
- All software entitlements bundled
  - Usage entitlements
  - New version updates

# DataFlex Cloud Goals

- Make DataFlex applications easy to deploy, manage and scale
- Make adopting cloud computing with DataFlex economical, fast & easy
- Enable developers to focus on developing and selling; not deployment & infrastructure
  - Capitalize on DataFlex's single Studio, single language productivity benefits to build
    great cloud applications
  - Minimize deployment overheads and investments; pay-as-you-use

# DataFlex Cloud Goals

- Create competitive advantage with a <u>complete</u> develop & deploy platform as a service (PaaS, Combined software & infrastructure)
- Create foundation for additional business opportunities (Consulting and managed services, Dynamic AI)
- Help facilitate the transition of customers' premise-based applications to the cloud

## Data Access Worldwide in motion....

- Driving change in technology and business
- Building the business software tools and resources that will provision our future and yours

#### Change before you have to....

Jack Welch Legendary CEO of General Electric



Thank you...

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