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# IBM Smarter Commerce *for Business Partners*



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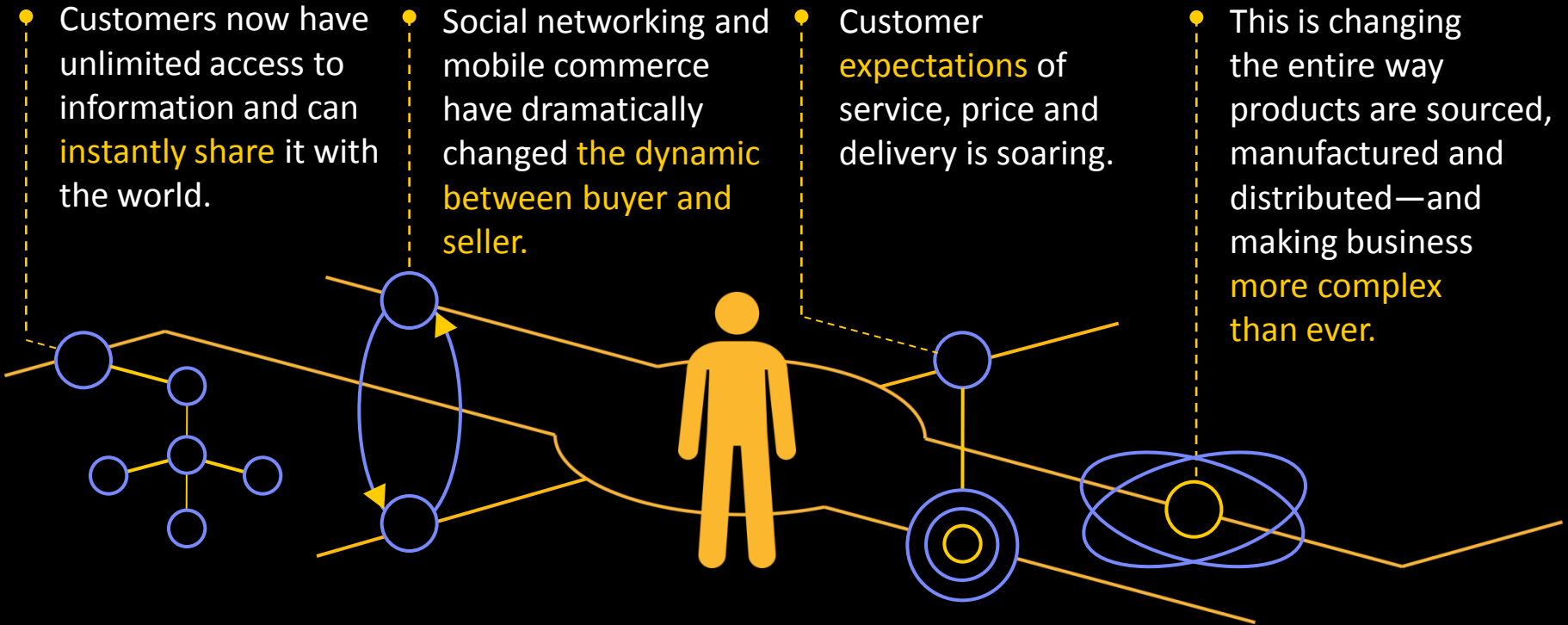
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- IBM Smarter Commerce presents a tremendous growth opportunity for IBM and our Business Partners
- Two new ways for Business Partners to capitalize on this new IBM growth initiative
- Business Partner momentum continues and investment grows

# The Client Story

# We have entered the age of the empowered customer



**155M**

Number of tweets sent via Twitter each day

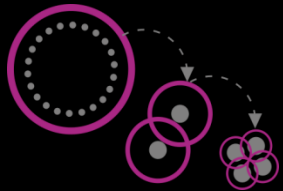
**75%**

Percentage of people who believe companies don't tell the truth in advertisements

**\$93 billion**

Amount in sales missed due to out of stock inventory

# These disruptive forces ripple from the customer through the enterprise and across entire industries



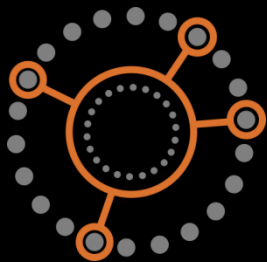
## Individuals

- The connected consumer
- The networked workforce
- The empowered citizen



*"The consumer is using new channels to perceive value, and associated pricing implications."*

Consumer Products CEO, United States



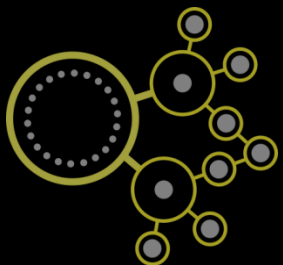
## Enterprises

- Evolved business models
- Optimized digital operations
- Connected enterprise



*"Profits will shift away from analog distribution to digital distribution; we will see increased margins in digital distribution and increased international distribution."*

Media and Entertainment CEO, United States



## Industries

- Value migration
- Value chain redefinition
- Fragmentation



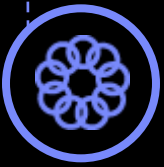
*"Disintermediation of clients by smaller niche players (such as mobile players) is cause for concern."*

Financial Markets CEO, Canada

# Power has shifted to the customer — compressing margins and changing paradigms

## *In this new era, businesses need to:*

• Understand and anticipate customer behavior and needs based on customer insights across all channels



• Adapt sourcing and procurement based on customer demand and optimize supplier interactions across extended value chains



• Market, sell and fulfill the right product and service at the right price, time and place



• Service customers flawlessly, predict and drive customer loyalty



# Successful companies are staying competitive by transforming their approach to commerce



**95%**

Amount a major transportation company reduced partner integration time\*.



**41%**

Amount a retail pet company increased sales per unique web visitor. Also increased open and click-through rates to five times the industry average\*.



**50%**

Amount a leading provider of teaching, learning and research solutions grew direct-to-consumer commerce revenues year over year\*.

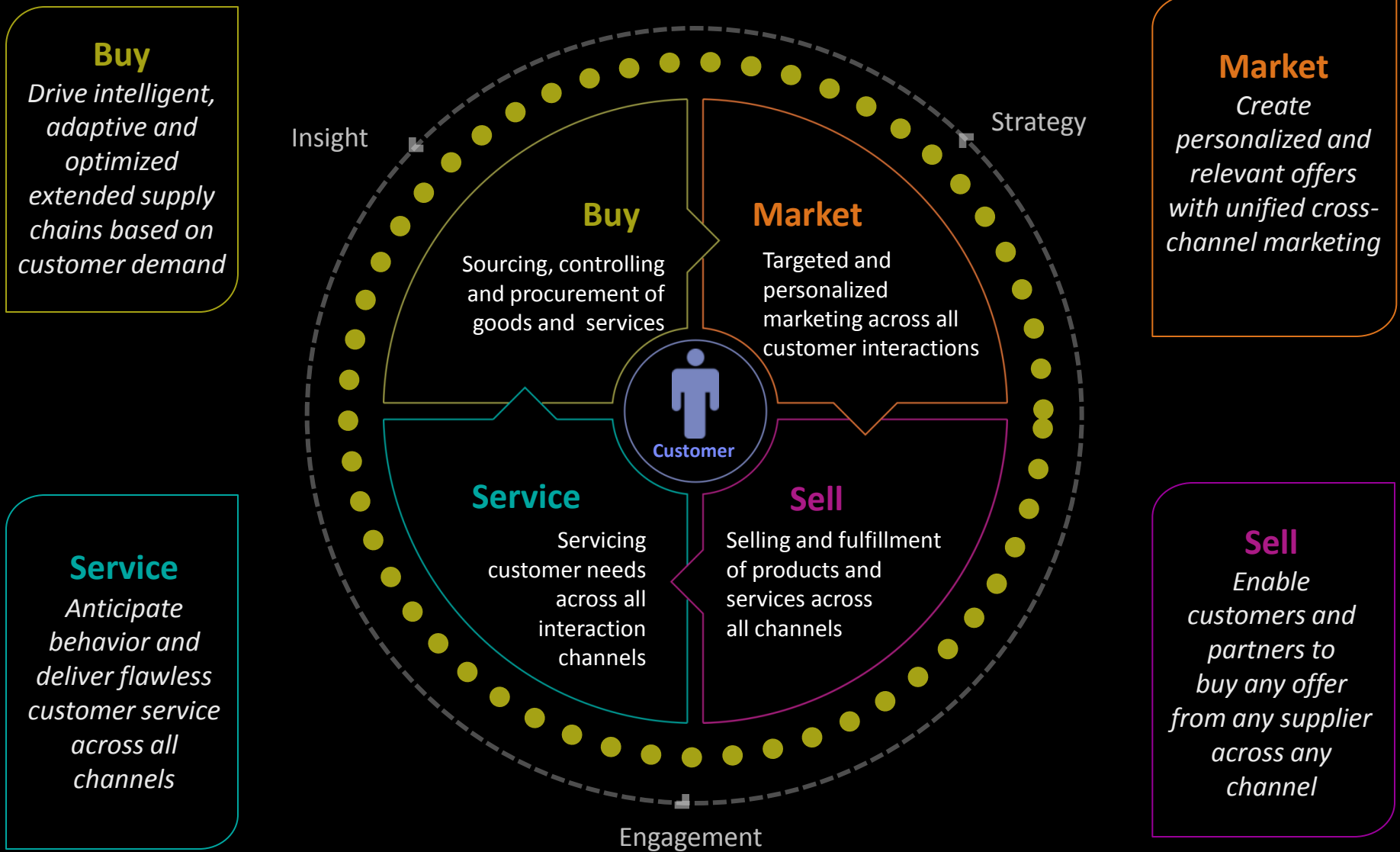


**376%**

Amount a US-based national communications service provider boosted ROI by reducing customer churn.



# Smarter Commerce can help transform every phase of the commerce cycle



## CORE BUSINESS SOLUTIONS

### Core Business Processes

#### Buy

- Supplier Connectivity & Integration
- Supplier Management
- Supply Chain Optimization
- Logistics Management
- Payment and Settlement

#### Market

- Customer Awareness/Analytics
- Social Analytics
- Brand / Web Experience
- Multi-channel Campaign Mgmt
- Search Optimization, Ad Targeting
- Marketing Resource Mgmt

#### Sell

- B2B / B2C Multi-channel Selling
- Distributed Order Management
- Customer Connectivity & Integration
- Fulfillment
- Store Solutions

#### Service

- Delivery, Service, & Support
- Customer Self-Service
- Reverse Logistics
- Case Management

### Advanced Analytics

Store analytics | Purchase analytics | Consumer loyalty | Predictive and prescriptive | Social Analytics | Master data management

### Workload Optimized Systems

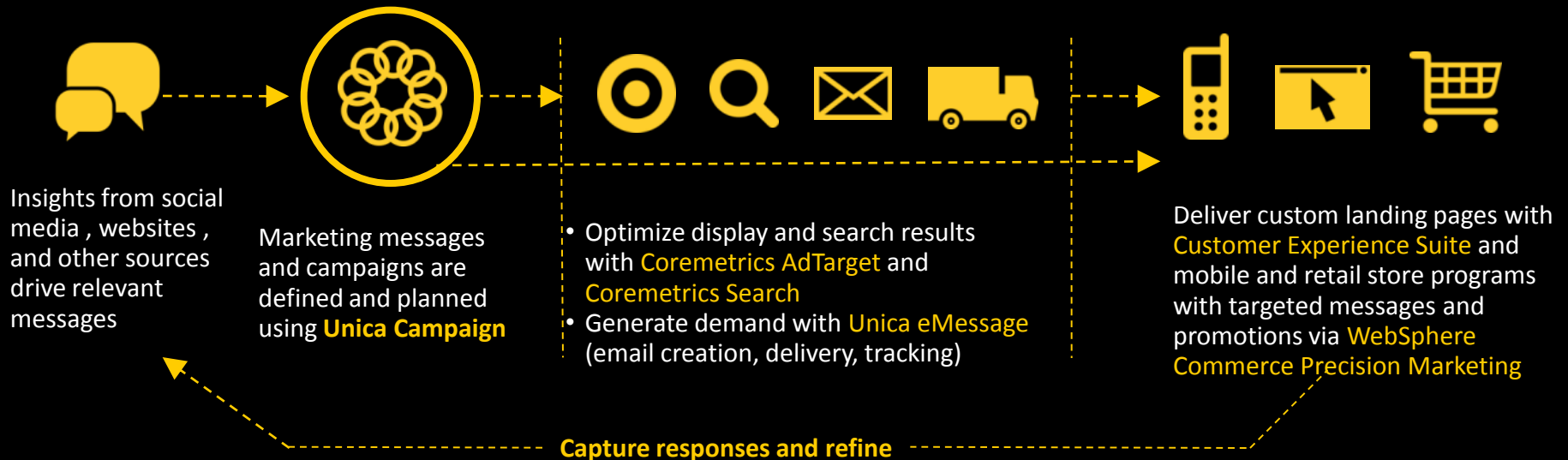
(Z-Enterprise, Power, X, Storage and Systems Software)

focused on agility, integration and automation to drive relevant business outcomes

## Planning, coordinating & executing marketing campaigns to stimulate commerce demand

### Manage marketing across multiple interaction channels

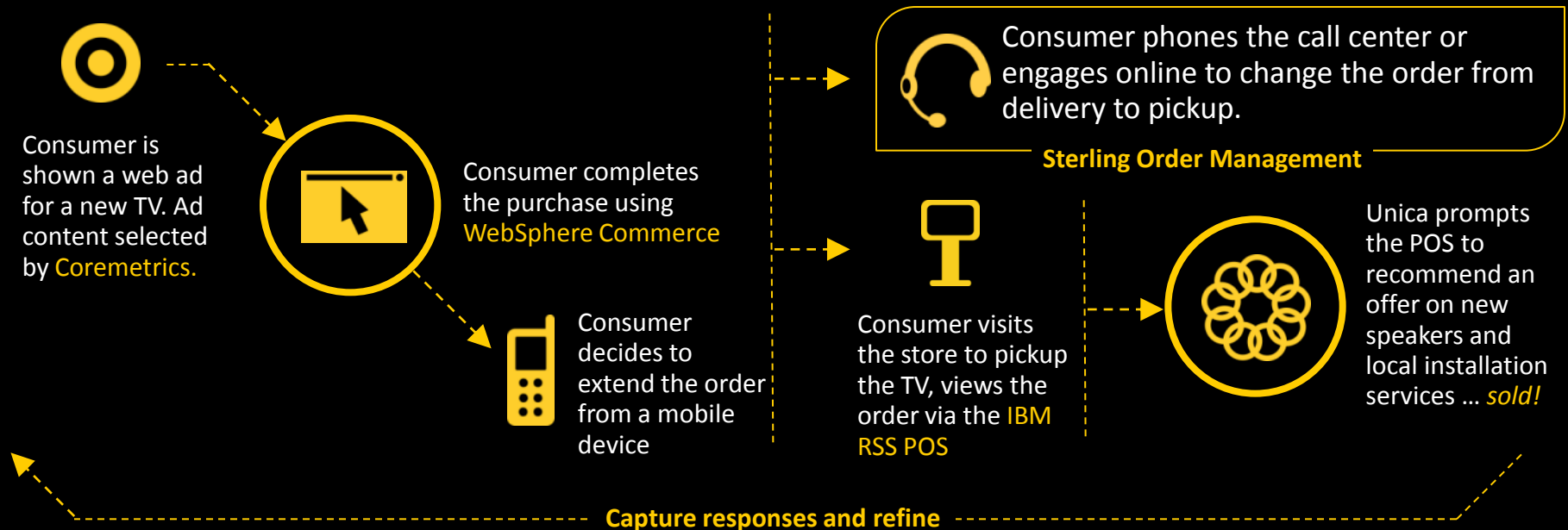
- Cross-channel marketing strategy is defined and planned using **Unica**
- **Coremetrics** is used to track consumer actions, and make relevant recommendations
- The e-commerce web site and order capture is provided by **WebSphere Commerce**
- Customer experience is created with **IBM Customer Experience Suite** and responsive interaction is guaranteed by **workload optimized systems**



## A unified, cross-channel shopping experience

### Take action based on a consistent view of a consumer's order across multiple channels

- **Coremetrics** is used to track consumer actions, and make relevant recommendations
- The e-commerce web site and order capture is provided by **WebSphere Commerce**
- **Sterling Order Management** maintains a consistent view of the consumer's order
- The POS from **Retail Store Solutions** integrates with the entire system to maximize POS sales



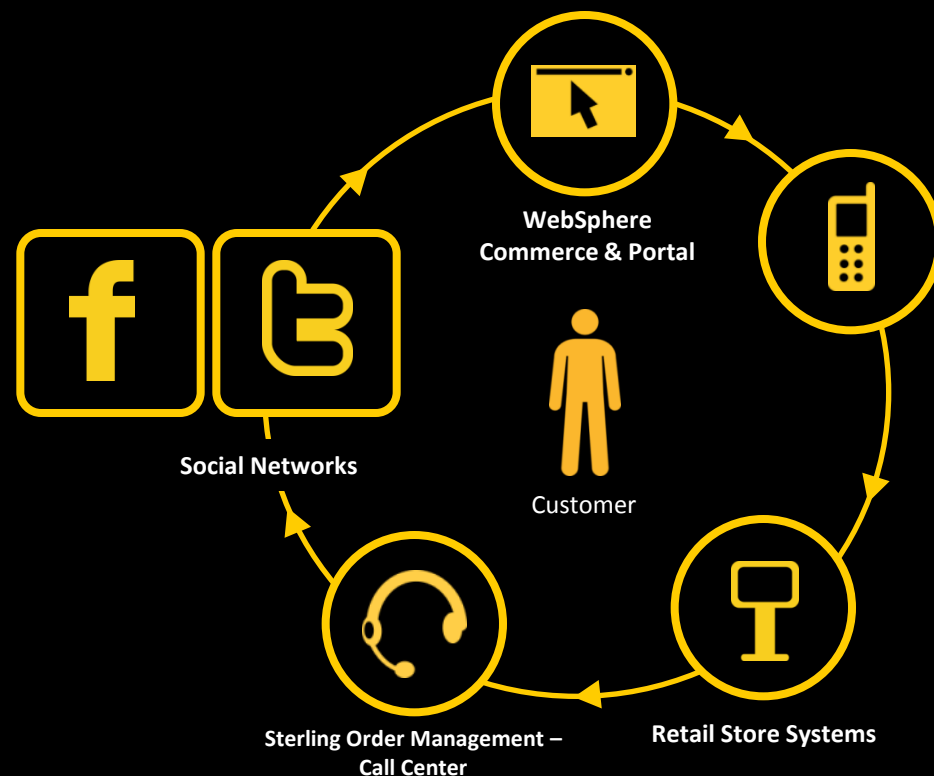
## Delivering Unparalleled Customer Experience via Human, Digital, Mobile & Social Interactions

### Relevant and compelling messages and content

- Insight (Coremetrics Web Analytics, SPPS, Cognos)
- Messaging (Unica Campaign Mgt and Interact)

### Seamless Customer Experience across multiple Interaction Channels

- Web (WebSphere Commerce & Portal)
- Mobile (WebSphere Commerce Mobile Store)
- In Store POS & Kiosks (Retail Store Solutions)
- Call center (Sterling Order Mgt – Call Center)
- Social Media (Unica and Coremetrics)
- Ad and Search media (Coremetrics)

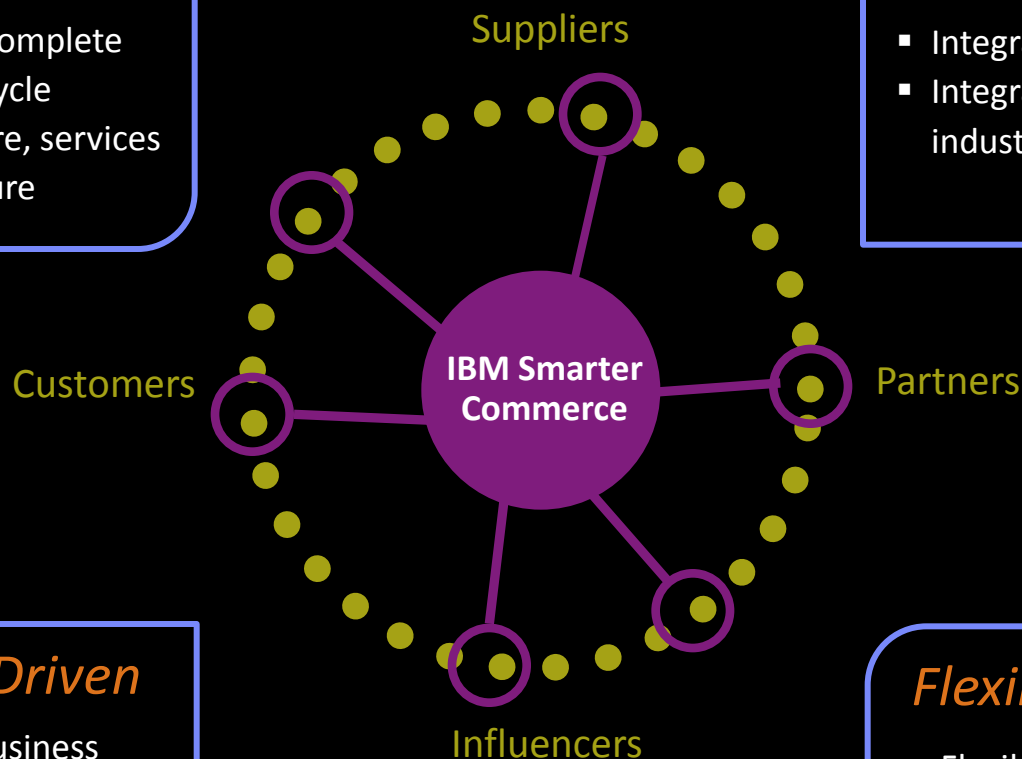


## *Comprehensive*

- Optimizes the complete commerce lifecycle
- Leading software, services and infrastructure

## *Integrated*

- Integrated analytics
- Integrated focused industry solutions



## *Outcome Driven*



- Measureable business outcomes
- Outcomes tailored to business domains

## *Flexible and Open*

- Flexible deployment
- Modular offerings and flexible consumption




## INVESTMENT

-  **Software:** \$2.5+ billion investment in best of breed buy-market-sell –service software since 2010
-  **Services:** Global Business Services expanding its consulting and solutions capabilities for commerce with a new practice





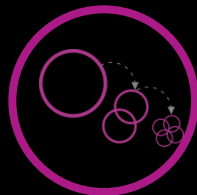
## RESEARCH

-  **IBM Research Innovation:** 3000 researchers, including in the areas of customer insight, financial management, social business and supply chain




## INNOVATION

-  **Business Analytics & Optimization:** \$14 billion in analytics focused acquisitions. The BAO practice has 8,000+ dedicated business consultants with industry expertise
-  **Smarter Computing:** Over 25,000 hardware and 35,000 software developers. IBM is investing in Workload Optimized Systems to help companies manage the needs driven by commerce applications



## EDUCATION

-  **Enabling our Ecosystem:** An IBM Smarter Commerce University dedicated to on-ramping Business Partners, new hires and consultants

IBM has invested over \$2.5B in 2010 alone. Business Partners play a key role in delivering integrated solutions to clients.

## CORE BUSINESS SOLUTIONS

### Buy



**Sterling  
Commerce**

### Market



An IBM Company

**WebSphere  
Commerce**



**Coremetrics**  
An IBM Company

### Sell

**Sterling  
Commerce**



An IBM Company

**WebSphere  
Commerce**



**Retail Store  
Solutions**

### Service

**Sterling  
Commerce**



An IBM Company

**IBM Case  
Manager**



**IBM Customer  
Experience Suite**



**Workload  
Optimized  
Systems**

Take advantage of the enablement available at the [Smarter Commerce University](#) for Business Partners



What Are We Announcing



***Software Value Plus (SVP)  
Authorized Smarter  
Commerce Capability***

For skilled business partners that are interested in extending their solution and earning greater profits when they sell the IBM SWG Smarter Commerce Portfolio with their commerce solution

For partners that are interested in working with IBM to grow skills in the Smarter Commerce Marketplace (open to GBS, SWG, STG, IDR partners)

***Smarter Commerce  
Solutions Development  
Initiative***



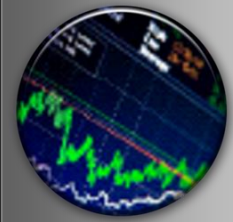
## ***ENABLE***

- Product Education Sales & Technical
- SVP Authorized Smarter Commerce Capability
- Smarter Commerce University for Business Partners



## ***ENGAGE***

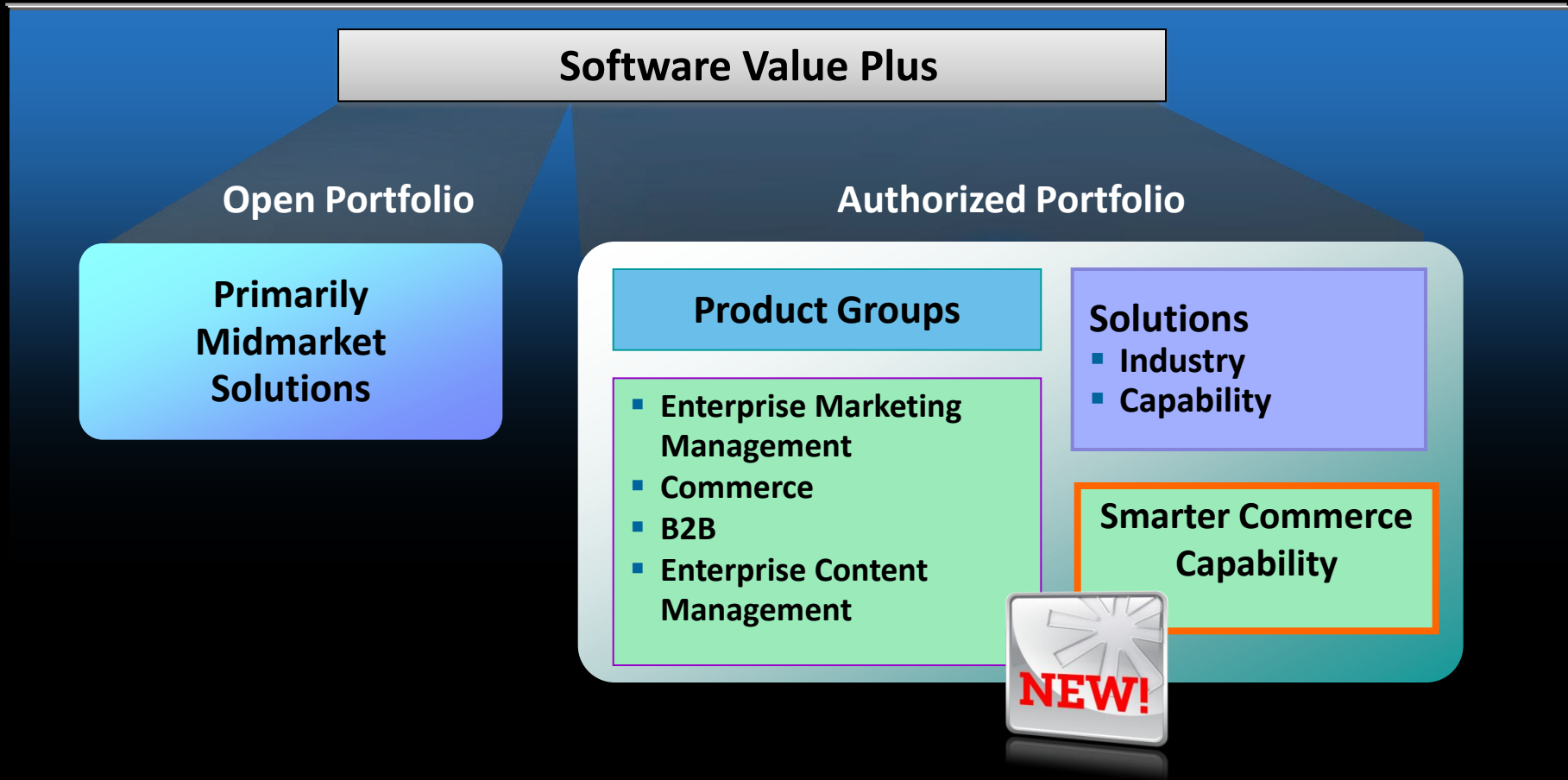
- Smarter Commerce Solution Development
- IBM Smarter Commerce Client Road shows



## ***EARN***

- Special IGF Terms for Smarter Commerce
- SVI and SVP Authorized Capability Incentives

# IBM Software Group's Business Partner Program



*\* New Product Groups for Industry Solutions. Integrating Acquired products into SVP*

# Software Value Plus – Authorized Distribution Industry Solutions Product Family

- **Enterprise Content Management (ECM):**  
Filenet, Content Collector, Datacap, Content Analytics
- **Enterprise Market Management (EMM):**  
Coremetrics, Unica
- **Commerce:**  
Websphere Commerce Server, Order Management, Supply Chain Management, Optimization
- **B2B:**  
B2B Services Managed File Transfer, DOM, Warehouse Management, Supply Chain

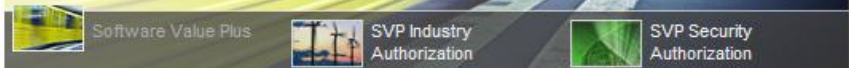
## Authorization Requirements

- For each Product Group, the Business Partner should join either:
  - Software Value Incentive, or
  - Value Advantage Plus

## IBM Software Value Plus

### Software Value Plus

Maximizing your profits by reselling  
IBM Software



# Smarter Commerce Mastery and Certifications: Availability

Sales and Technical Sales Mastery Tests with Preparation Material available July, 2011 on the IBM Certification Website: <http://www-03.ibm.com/certify/certs/index.shtml>

Smarter Commerce Product Group	Sales Mastery (July, 2011)	Technical Mastery (July, 2011)	Product Certification (Today)
Over-arching Sales Message	Smarter Commerce		
B2B Services, B2B Services Managed File Transfer	Business Solutions	B2B Services B2B Integration Managed File Transfer	WebSphere Transformation Extender + 2 Certifications in Development*
Selling, Order Management, Supply Chain Management, Optimization Solutions, Supply Chain Optimization	Selling & Order Management Supply Chain Management Optimization Solutions	Selling Order Management Supply Chain Management Optimization Supply Chain Optimization	IBM WebSphere Commerce + 5 Certifications in Development*
Coremetrics, Unica	Enterprise Marketing Management	Coremetrics Unica Campaign Unica Marketing Operations	+ 2 Certifications in Development*
Brand Experience	Web Experience	WebSphere Portal	WebSphere Portal (Available today)
Retail Store	Retail Store Solutions		Retail Store Solutions (2 Certifications)
Workload Optimized Systems	Power Systems	Power7	Power Systems Sales and Technical Sales (2 Certifications)

\* 9 Additional Technical Product Certifications are currently being developed for Q4, 2011 and 2012

# SVP Authorized: Smarter Commerce Capability



Software Value Plus

Sales and Technical Certifications

Core Solution Areas

Client Reference

## To Qualify

- SVP Authorized Business Partner
- Skills: Sales Mastery + 3 Technical Certifications
- Solution spanning 2+ Core Solutions
- References 2+

## Benefits

- SVP Smarter Commerce mark
- SVI Solution incentive
- Solution Visibility

## Financial Incentive

- 20% - 30% of IBM Smarter Commerce software

## Add-on Products

- IBM Case Manager
- Cognos, SPSS, WebSphere Portal

# Building the Partner Ecosystem Smarter Commerce Solution Development Initiative



## Smarter Commerce Solution Development:

- Expand your skills in new products
- Build your Commerce Solutions
- Leverage Proof of Concepts and Demos
- Expand your Partnering relationship
- Grow your go to market with IBM



- Collaborate with you to enhance, extend, and re-define the clients approach to a smarter business
- Help you leverage and extend your existing technology and investments

*...increasing the value you generate for your customers in a rapidly changing digital world.*





# Smarter Commerce Solution Development Initiative

## Business Partner Benefit

### Develop

- Training - Sales & Technical Certifications
- Solution Development
- Sales & Technical Support
- Smarter Commerce University for Business Partners

### Engage

- Leverage IBM Events & Tactics
- Develop BP Events & Tactics
- Identify Target Markets & Customers
- Monthly Sales Reviews with Action Plans

### Showcase

- IBM Solutions Directory
- Innovation Centers
- Client Events - Summits
- Reference and Case Studies

# Smarter Commerce Solution Development Initiative

## Criteria for Partner Engagement

### Smarter Commerce Solution Development Initiative

#### ▪ Qualifications:

- PartnerWorld member or higher - Regional Integrators, ISVs, Marketing Service Providers and Solution Providers
  - Certification in 1 area
  - Client References (2) in the one or multiple Core Solution areas
  - Solid track record of selling/influencing IBM products (including acquired products)
  - Willing to invest to ensure skills across multiple products or Industries
  - Business Partner's profile fills products or coverage gap in the IBM coverage

*This program is selective and will be managed by IBM Industry Solutions Channel Sales & Smarter Commerce Geography Sales*

*Send enquiries to : [ibmswbp@us.ibm.com](mailto:ibmswbp@us.ibm.com)*

# Incentive for Skilled Software Resellers & Integrators

## SVP Software Value Incentive

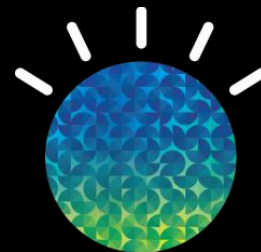
### When identifying & selling

- Enterprise Accounts
  - Approved for ID & Sell: 10%
  - Approved for Sell Only: 5%
- General Business Account
  - Approved for ID & Sell: 20%
  - Approved for Sell Only: 10%

## SVP Authorized Smarter Commerce Capability

### When delivering your solution

- Enterprise Accounts: 20%
- General Business Large Ent: 25%
- General Business Mid-Market: 30%
- Can add to Software Value Incentive Identify reward




# Incentives


## ➔ Up to Double (2X) SVI Competitive Incentive WebSphere Commerce is now eligible\*




WebSphere Commerce **with IBM's integrated portfolio** for Smarter Commerce delivers more integrated, more optimized, and cost effective solution than the competition

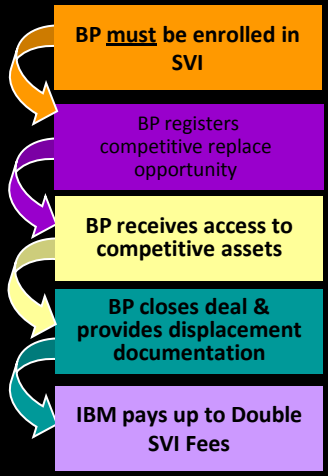
### IBM Software Competitive Sales Plays

**Enable** Business Partners to take the winning vision of Smarter Commerce to competitive accounts 

**Engage** Business Partners with sales plays and tools to win new business and replace the competition 

**Reward** Business Partners who displace competitive software with eligible IBM software products 

#### SVI Competitive Incentive: Five Steps



#### 3%-20% Incremental Payout Opportunity for Approved Deals!

Fees increase based on partner participation in sales process

- Greater rewards for
- Sales to general business users
  - Opportunity Identification & selling
  - Sales with customer references

Partner is not required to fulfill but direct proposal cannot use competitive trade up part numbers

**WIN** with Expanded IBM Software Competitive Sales and Marketing Plays 

# IBM Global Financing 0% terms for the Smarter Commerce portfolio



- Clients can acquire IBM software without paying the full price at the time of installation
- Simple math – just take the total IBM software price and divide by 12 for their monthly payments – it's that easy! (quarterly payments, divide by 4)
- Attractive rates for longer terms available

## With 0% software financing you can help your Client:

- ✓ Accelerate the acquisition of the Smarter Commerce software
- ✓ Preserve cash for more strategic business needs and investments
- ✓ Obtain a payment plan structure to better align the cash flow to anticipated project benefits

## Value to you as a Business Partner Seller:

- ✓ Close deals faster by overcoming budget issues
- ✓ Decrease discounting by making payments more affordable
- ✓ Differentiates your solutions from the competition
- ✓ IGF Fee Program

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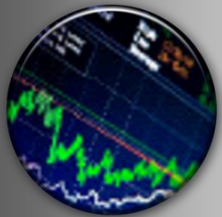
## ***ENABLE***

- Best Products
- Skills Development
- Comprehensive Sales Plays



## ***ENGAGE***

- Access to Experts
- Increased Lead Passing
- Deployment Support



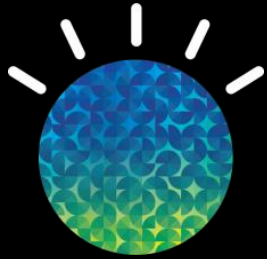
## ***EARN***

- More Incentives
- Multiple Options
- Simplified Processes

# **Business Partners**

# Market Momentum

# Join IBM In This Tremendous Opportunity



- IBM Smarter Commerce represents a \$20B software opportunity and 2x/3x that in services and systems for Business Partners.
- IBM has the vision, strategy, positioning and delivery capability.
- IBM can create, define and make this market; a key component in IBM's global revenue growth objectives.

## Smarter Commerce presents a tremendous opportunity for partners

### Our investment can grow your business:

- ✓ *Strategic acquisitions – over \$2.5B since 2010*
- ✓ *Enablement and technical resources*
- ✓ *Marketing and demand generation*
- ✓ *Business Partner Program to enhance margin*





# Smarter Commerce Press & Analyst Highlights

## SMARTER COMMERCE SENDS IBM TO \$185 FOR STARTERS. – Forbes.com



*IBM is making a big push into commerce similar to what it did for analytics.*



*Smarter Commerce Sends IBM To \$185 For Starters*



*IBM Unveils "Smarter Commerce" Initiative for Marketers Seeking Their Own Watson Program*



*Big Blue's New Social Network and Mobile Tutors*



*IBM Targets Digital Marketplace With New Launches*



*IBM is working with more than 2,000 global brands clients to ensure they are marketing to the right audience at the right time; engaging buyers seamlessly..*



*The bigger trend that is evident in this new initiative is how IBM is applying its strength in data analysis to define markets.*



*IBM is reaping the benefits of recent research and development on its WebSphere Commerce platform and \$2.5 billion invested software.*



*IBM's "Smarter Commerce" initiative ties together a number of customized IBM software products and associated services..*



*IBM launched a consulting practice on March 14 to help clients automate marketing, selling and fulfillment and create global brand presences.*

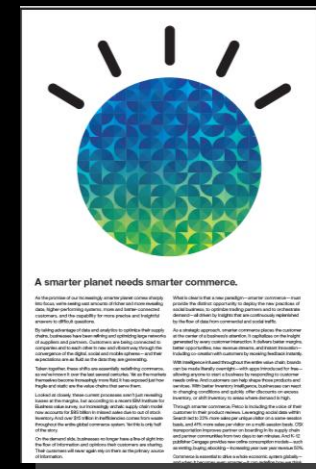


**IDC Report:** IDC believes that **IBM Smarter Commerce offers a compelling combination** of social business, ecommerce, and order fulfillment software and services to help customer and prospects deploy Commerce 2.0 systems and embrace the profound shift in the way consumers research, shop for and purchase goods and services.

# Smarter Commerce Marketing Momentum



- Banner advertisements running now on major online media
- Upcoming print & television advertising
- YouTube Smarter Commerce channel
- Smarter Commerce web, blog and social media
- Smarter Commerce Executive Series Events – London June 14, Paris June 21, New York July 14
- Smarter Commerce Global Summit 2011 - September 19-21



*“Smarter Commerce is a massive step forward, It's great to see that IBM's acquisition strategy has delivered clear market leadership in the Multi Channel space.”*

Robert Jackson  
Sales Director  
CSI Limited



*“I’ve been convinced for many years that the market needs a more interlaced initiative across solution borders that tie up sellers and buyers for even more effective business on the net. Now IBM Smarter Commerce will be there. Never before has IBM’s solutions for smart commerce been as attractive and forthcoming as through this unified campaign for us partners - but most important of all - for our customers.”*

Ralf Seimertz  
CEO, President  
Fiwe System



*“Thunderhead’s NOW offering facilitates the “last mile” of interactive customer communications, adding value across the IBM Smarter Commerce spectrum, with a focus on the Service and Market domains to enable excellence in servicing and retaining customers. Thunderhead’s multi-channel communications management solution works with Unica, Coremetrics and Sterling Commerce and helps clients streamline processes, create relevant and personal interactions creating richer relationships with customers. Thunderhead is excited about IBM’s Smarter Commerce initiative. We welcome the opportunity to support our mutual customers’ evolution and response to new market demands..”*

Stephen Leightell  
Managing Director  
Thunderhead



*“The fact that Smarter Commerce touches on key areas like analytics and cloud computing in addition to the core commerce solutions for B2B integration, marketing and selling gives us a tremendous spectrum of potential value we can add to the customer experience associated with commerce, and that is a huge positive for both IBM and Cincom.”*

Dave Wood  
Managing Director of Customer  
Experience Management Solutions  
Cincom Systems



- ✓ **Capitalize** on IBM's investments by increasing capabilities in the Smarter Commerce portfolio
- ✓ **Leverage** Smarter Commerce Global Marketing
- ✓ **Achieve** competitive differentiation and increased follow on business
- ✓ **Increase** IBM engagement - Smarter Commerce Events and Teaming



**Business Partners play a key role in delivering integrated solutions to clients.**  
Team with IBM and redefine the value chain in the age of the customer.

