Data Systems

The Past Issues

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Future Vision
EDI Usage

- Fortune 500 & Government
- Companies mandated
- Only 100,000 out of 6 million in NA
EDI Issues

- Cost
- Complexity
- Inflexible (not extensible)
- Trading Partner agreements required
XML Usage

- Low Cost of Entry
- Simple to Use & Easy to Learn
- Extensible (flexible)
- Vendor & Platform Neutral
- Designed for the Internet
- Universal in Scope
XML Issues

- Large Footprint
- Namespace (recognition & collision)
- Languages from Schemas
- Non-support of Float Point Formats
- Scalability (Element order & Construct)
Open Site Architecture Key Issues

- Exposes Data to All Authorized
- Supports Legacy Systems
- Neutral Set of API’s
- No Single Point of Failure
- Minimizes Duplicate Processors
- Supports Scalability of Site Network
- Supports Multiple Devices & Network
- Provides Performance & Cost Benefit
Open Site Architecture

Additional Requirements

- Multi-platform Support
- Multi-version Support
- Application Independence
Suggested solution

- Web Services using LDAP
- Universal Plug’n Play
- Message Broker
- JXTA
Web Service Issues

- Not Design for Devices
- High Overhead for Devices
- LDAP Potential Single Point of Failure
- Requires Services (DHCP,UDDI)
- Requires Upfront Configuration
- Requires Powerful Processors
Message Broker Issues

- Vendor Compatibility
- Requires Guidelines & Best Practices
- Authentication Complexity
- Performance Questions
UPnP Issues

- Designed for Small Networks
- Security Not Addressed
- Question of Extensibility (flexibility)
- Ability to Keep Connection Alive


JXTA Issues

- Large Code Base
- Address not TCP/IP Based
- Non-deterministic Communications
- Applications are Hard to Build etc.
Basic Component diagram
Data Center Architecture

- An Supports Web Services & Grid Computing (Realm Server)
- Extensible Neural Network
- Supports JavaScript AJAX Browsers
- Supports Application Oriented Network - Readers & Routers (AON)
- Supports Wireless VPN & Mesh Net
- Supports Resource Description Framework (RDF) – Web Metadata
M Language

- Adaptable to Existing Standards
- Harmonize Vocabularies (ISO 19762)
- Normalization of Schemas (Less)
- Data 3D & Modeling (Semantic Web)
- Not a Complex Ontology
RDF

Grand Organized Directorate

- Resource - Supports a URI
- Property – Supports Name Property
- Statement- Resource-Property-Value
  (Subject, Predicate, Object)
MIT Data Center’s Role

- Work Standards Bodies (Verticals)
- Leverage Existing Standards
- Provide Expertise to Practical Issues
- Provide Universal Translate Ontology
- Provide Conformance
- Provide Performance
- Provide Lab & RA Support
MIT Data Center Vision

- Low or No Cost of Entry (W3C)
- Real Time Communication & Interaction of:
  - People, Objects, Devices
- Control, Ownership, Personalization and Security of “all” data Globally
Vision

- A world where...
  - ...bits and atoms are merged
  - ...physical objects communicate in real time all the time
  - ...the Internet extends into everyday products
  - ...everything is connected
The Scenario of the Future
Example Applications

What can you do with this technology?

- Supply chain benefits
  - Reduce out of stocks, reduce inventory, speed up delivery, check freshness, track and trace, produce to demand, identify sources of diversion, identify counterfeiting, theft prediction, faster recalls

- Consumer benefits
  - Direct order from home, smart appliances, (e.g. microwave, washing machine, refrigerator), smart healthcare, assisted living

- New and less expected benefits
  - Customized products, smart recycling, checkout-less stores
Technology

- computers that can make decisions on their own

- TELEMETRY
- ID DATA
- DECISIONS
- PREDICTIONS
- HISTORICAL DATA
- OTHER DATA
- INFERENCES
Global Technology for Our Home & Neighborhood

Customer Profitability

Merchandise Forecasting & Replenishment

High Performance Merchandising & Marketing

Merchandise Supply Chain

Local Assortments

Customer Loyalty

Customer Touch Points

Transforming Transactions into Relationships

Consumer Demand

Product Information

Sales Information

Customer Interactions
Consumer Benefits
Inside the Home

- Multiple Points of Access
- Open Dialog with Surroundings
Authorization Technology

- Iris Scan, Finger Scan, Hand Geometry, Voice Verification, and Dynamic Signature Verification
- Iris Scan System only Unobtrusive Biometric ID Method

Benefits:
- Secure Credit Transactions
- Minimize Drive-Offs
- ID Regular Customers
Marketing in the New Millennium

- Localized marketing becomes personalized in the new millennium.
- A knowledge base is the catalyst that facilitates personalized marketing.
- “And/or” philosophy.
A Semantic World

- New products
- New methods of delivery
- New rewards
- New Application of technology
- Don’t compete... change the rules