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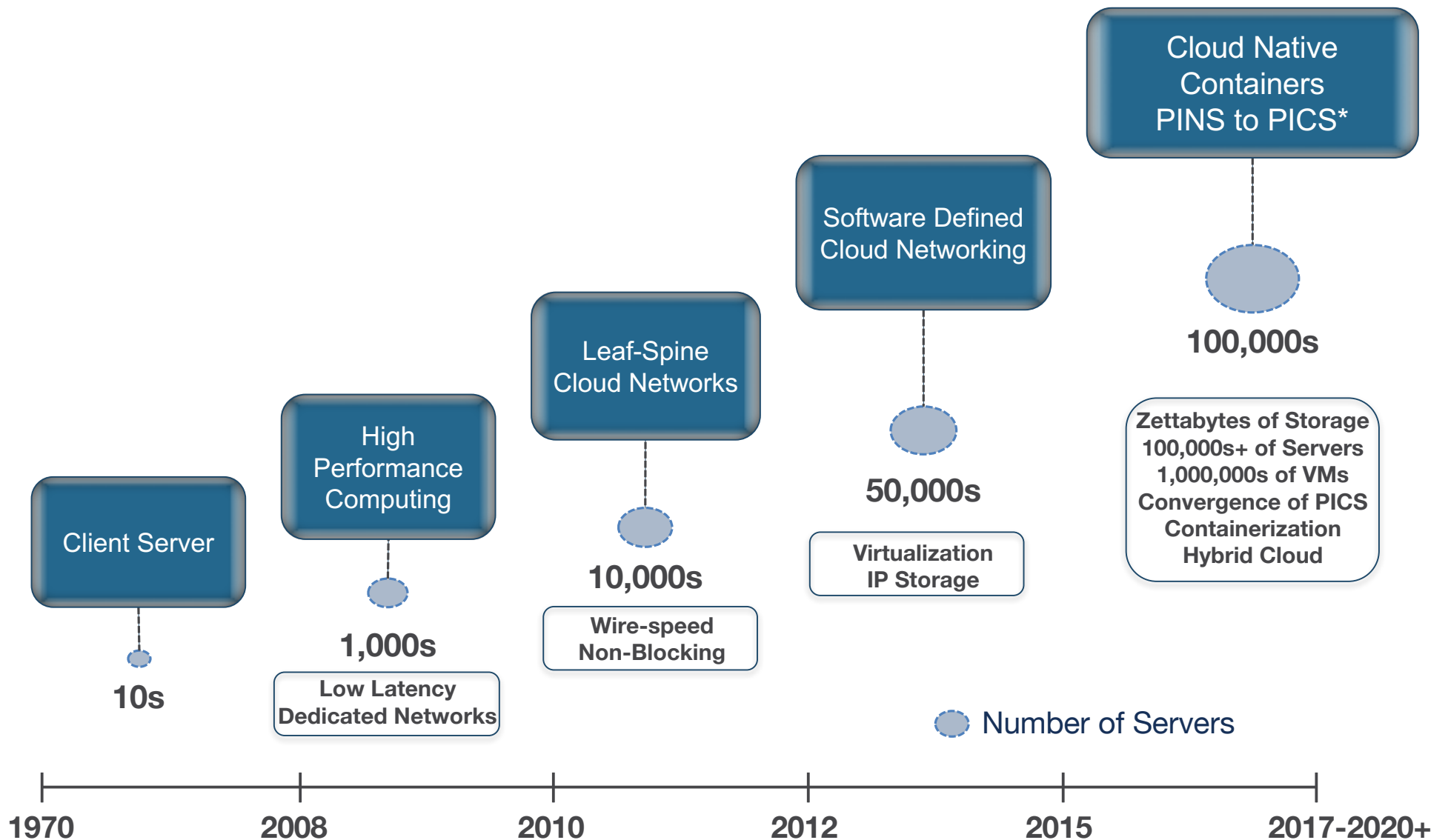
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# Inevitable Shift to Seamless Cloud Networking



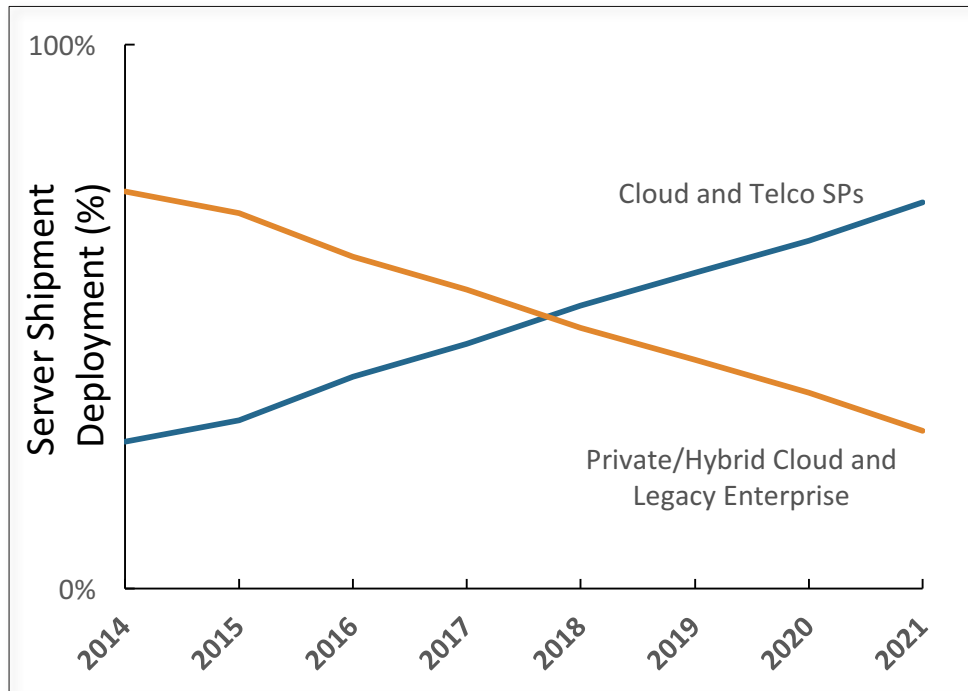
## Cloud vs Traditional Enterprise – They are Different Networks

Traditional Networking (Legacy)	Cloud Networking (Arista)
Serves <100,000 employees	Serves hundreds of millions of users
Expensive to build and scale	10x-40x more cost effective
Minimal API usage	API for programmatic access
Manual management	Automated management
1 Admin: 100 servers	1 Admin: 10K servers
Proprietary lock-in	Open



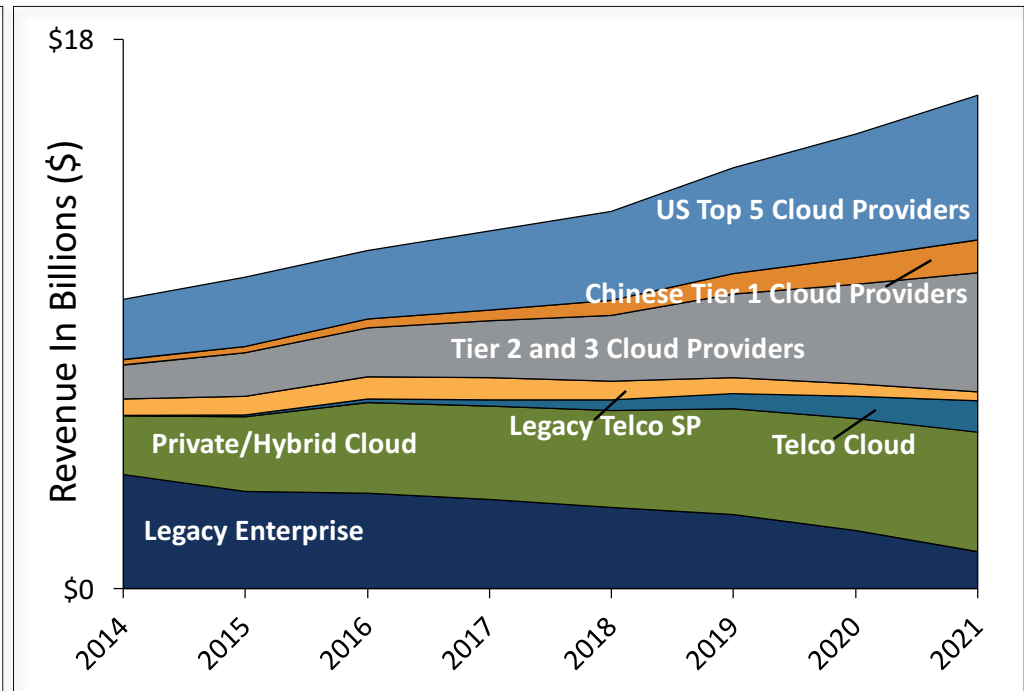
# Arista's Cloud Networking Opportunity

## Server Shipments



**Source:** 650 Group Long Term Server and Compute Infrastructure forecast September 2017

## Data Center Ethernet Switch Revenue



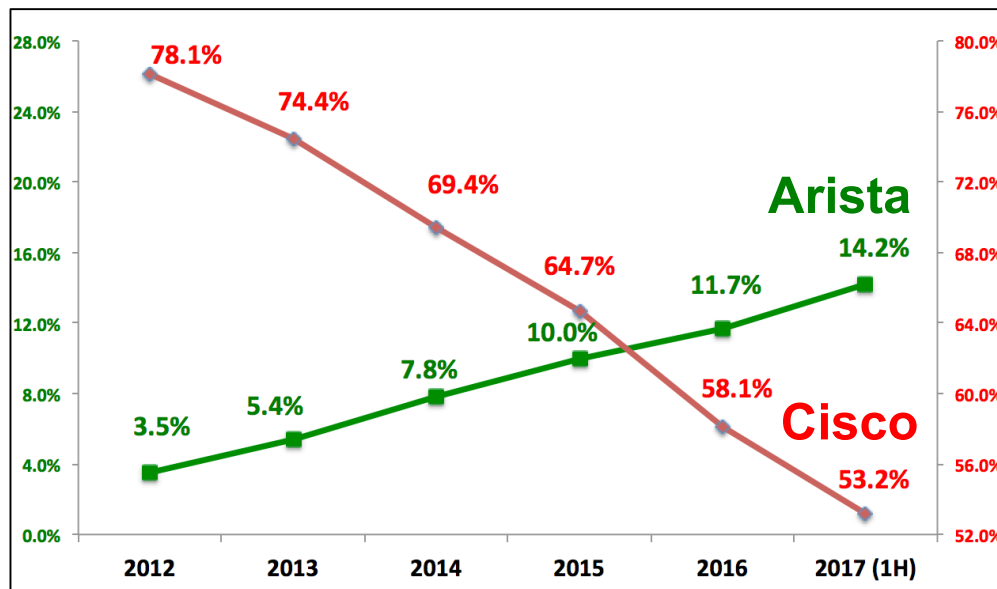
**Source:** 650 Group, Long Term Ethernet Switch forecast June 2017

- Enterprise workloads are migrating to public & hybrid clouds
- Traditional enterprise served <100,000 employees vs. Clouds @ hundreds of millions of users
- The emergence of cloud native apps & containers necessitates a new architecture

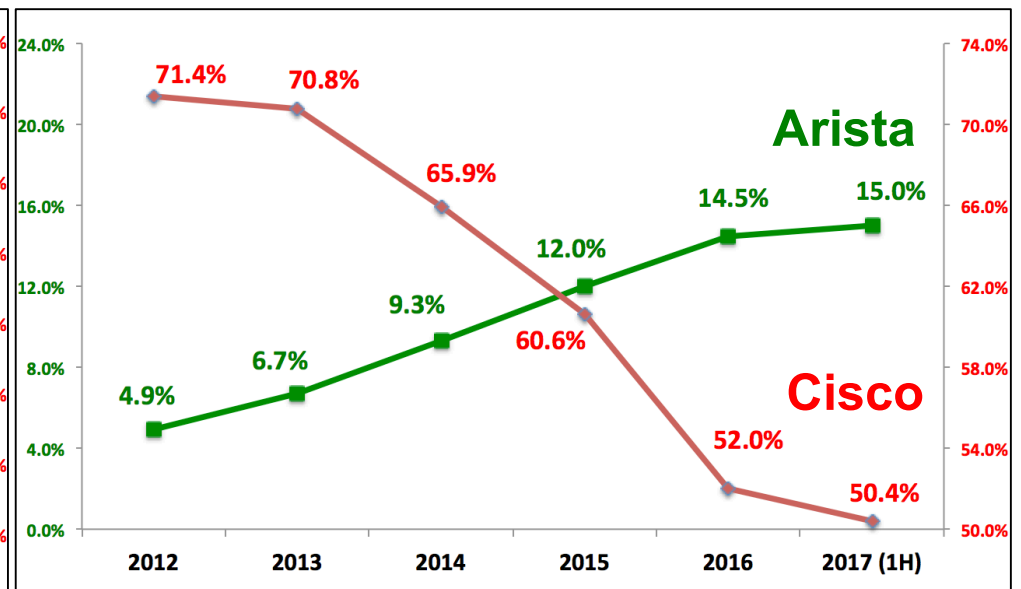
# Arista Market Share vs Cisco

## High Speed Data Center Switching Market

### Share in Dollars



### Share in Ports

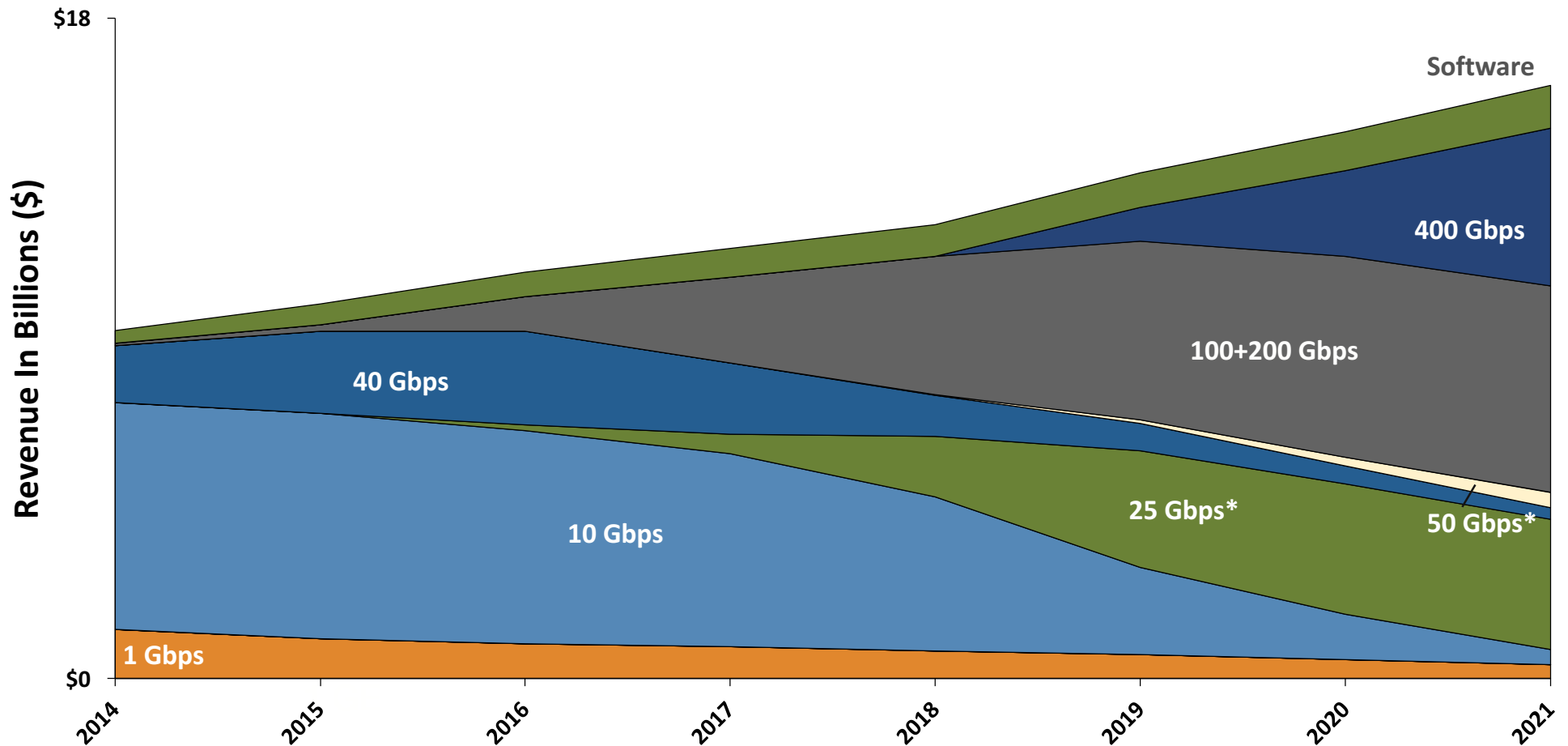


Source: Crehan Research Datacenter Switch Market Share Report Q2'2017

Note: Excludes blade switches

# Market Potential by Speed

Data Center Ethernet Switch Revenue (\$Bn)



\*Shows discrete 25G or 50G ports only. A significant portion of 25/50GE server ports are expected to connect via QSFP-100G break out to 100 GE switch ports at the large Cloud Service Providers.

Source: 650 Group Long Term Ethernet Switch forecast June 2017

# Cloud-Class Market Leadership Platform Portfolio

Single-Image Arista EOS Across All Platforms

Spine/Spine™

7300X Series



7500E/R Series



7050X/7060X Series



Volume

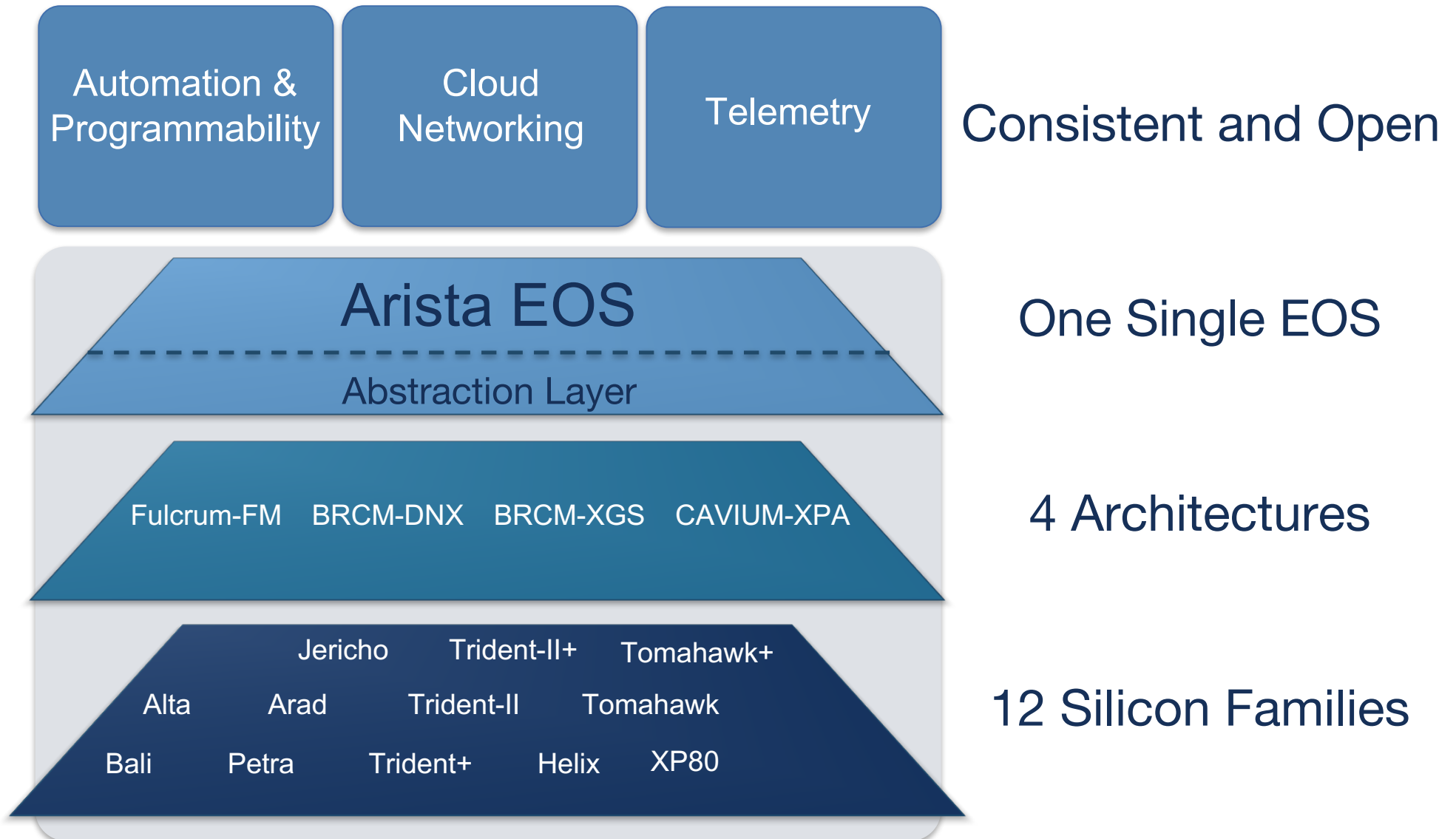
7150, 7160 & 7280R Series



Value

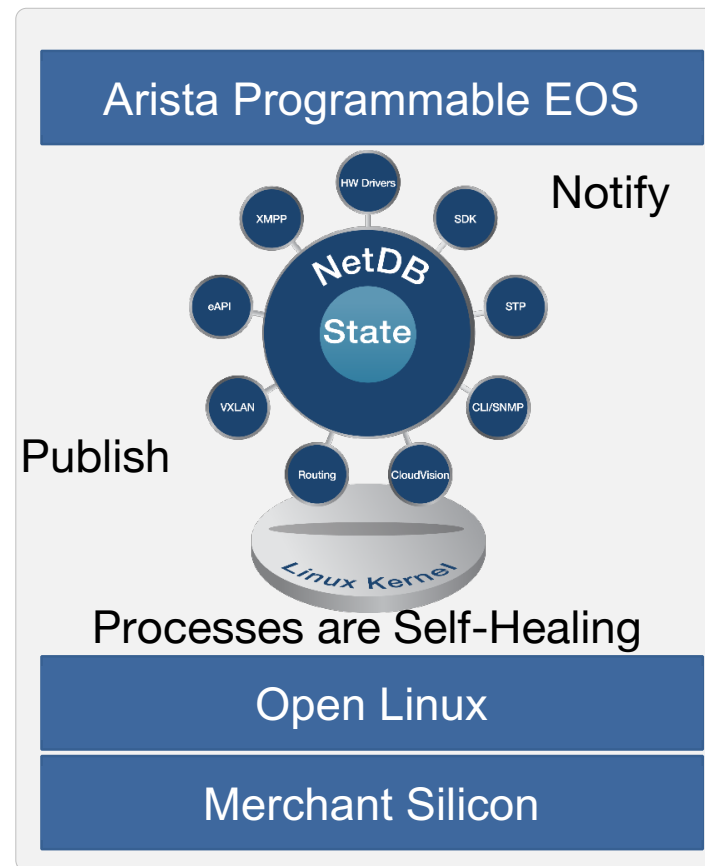
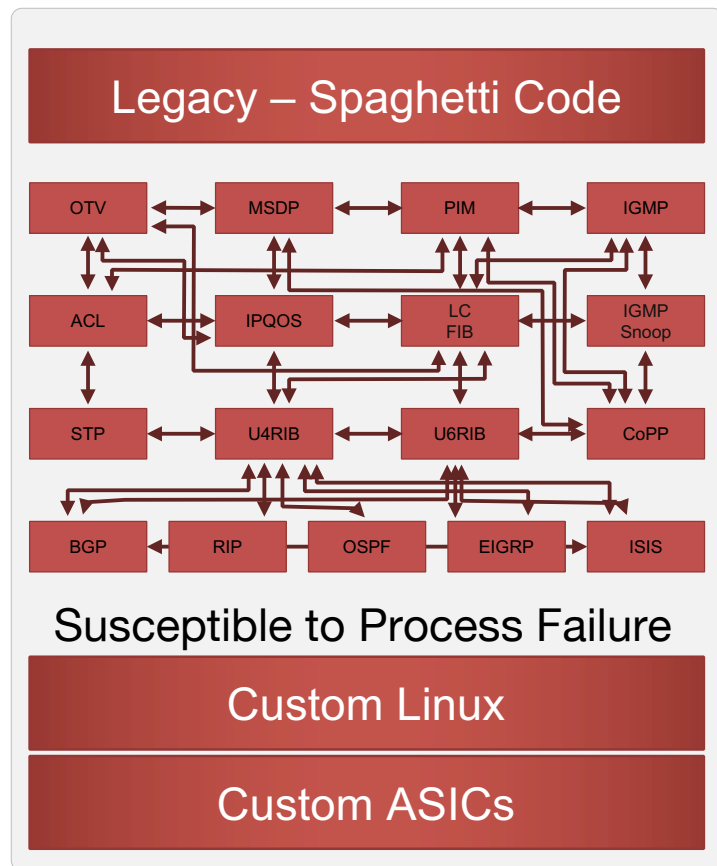
Diverse Merchant Silicon Architectures

## Proven Arista EOS Architecture Flexibility



# Arista's Cloud Scale Software Architecture

- Arista has ONE Operating System, purpose built for the cloud



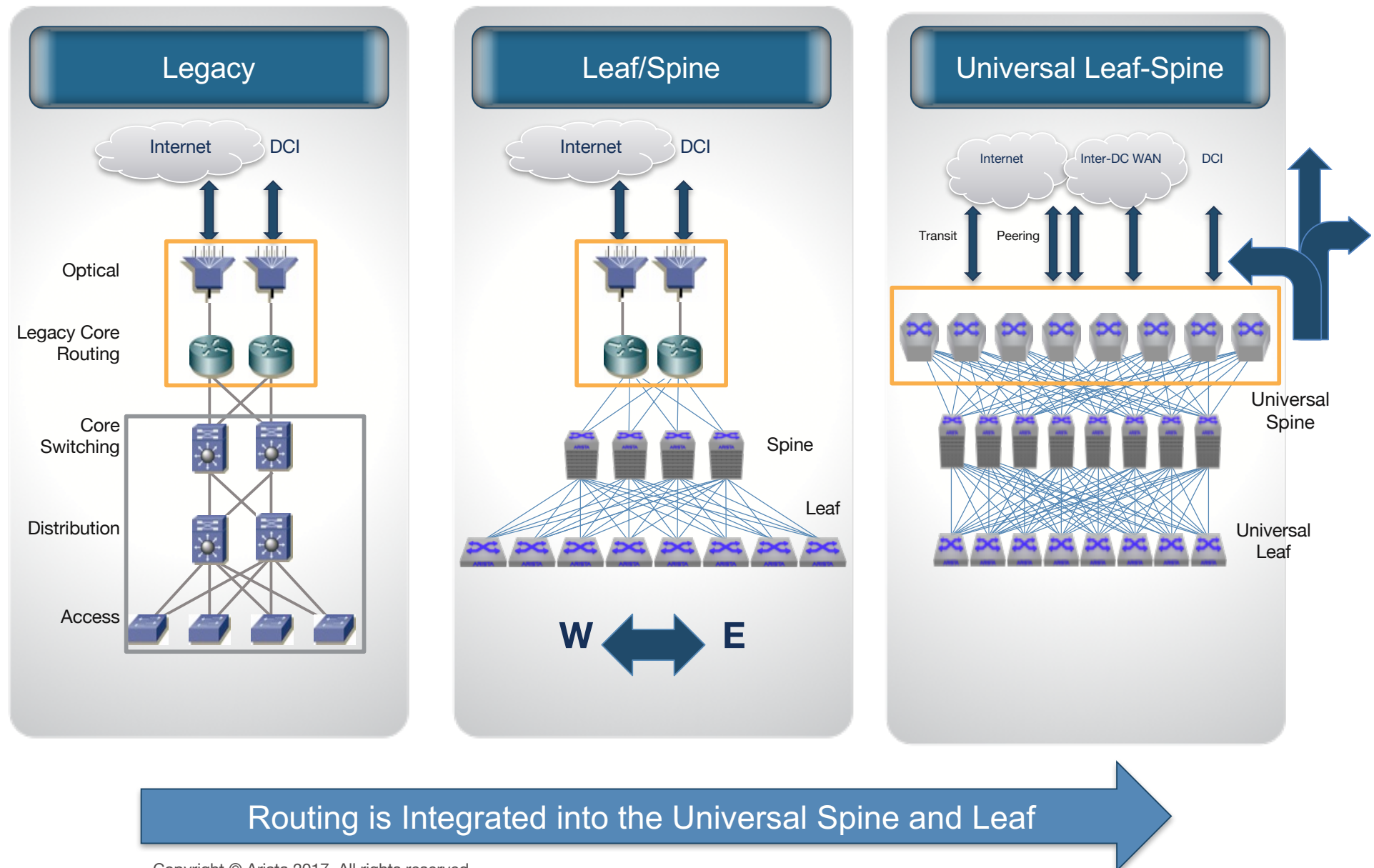
Resilient

Programmable

Scalable



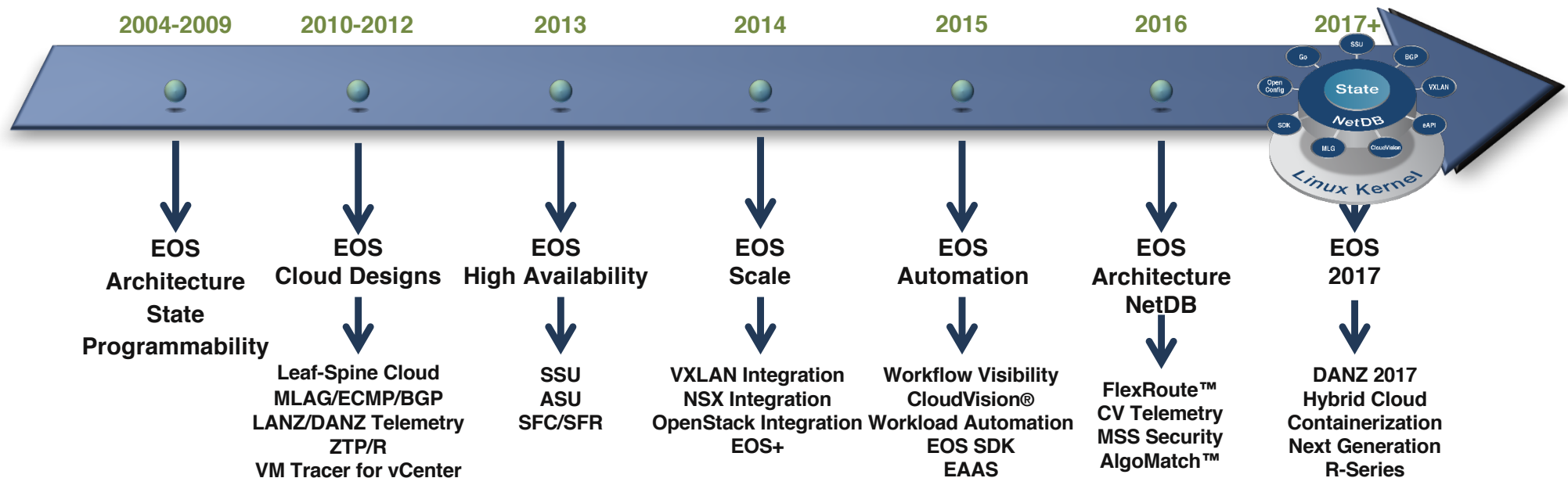
# Evolution of the Universal Cloud Network Architecture





# Arista EOS Evolution

## History of Rich Innovation in Extensible – Open – Scalable



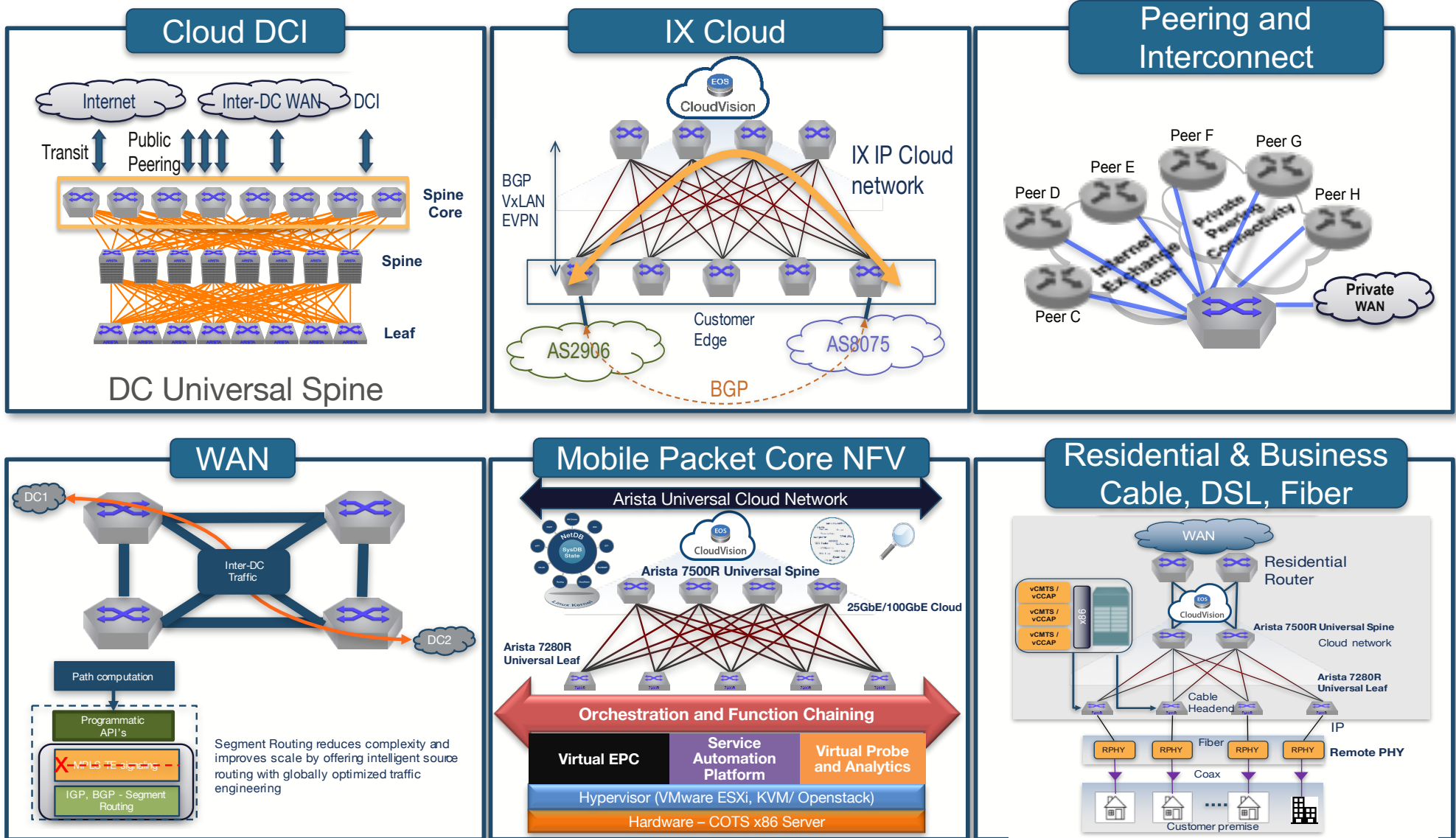
# Disruptive Cloud Economics for Routers

	Traditional Router	Arista 7500R Spine
Interface Types	Legacy & Ethernet	Ethernet
100G Density	~80 Ports	576 Ports
Power (per 100G port)	~200+ watts	23 watts
List Pricing (per 100G port)	\$100,000+	\$3,000
Software Features	Legacy feature sets	Cloud-optimized Routing, FlexRoute Scale, Programmable Traffic Engineering

Arista's Disruptive Economics

7500R disrupting router market w/100GbE routing transition

## Expanding Routing Use Cases- Arista's Universal Leaf & Spine



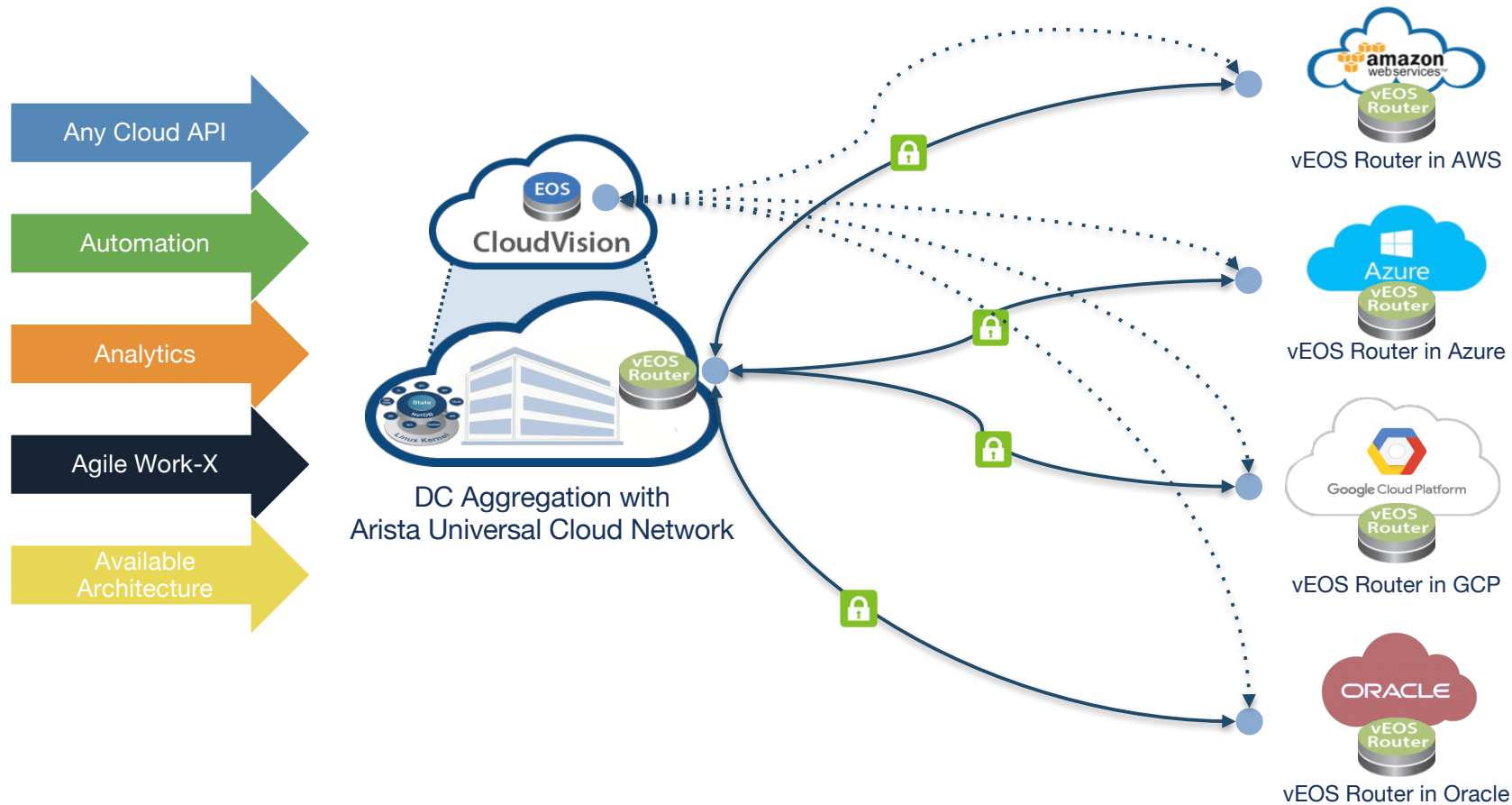
# Arista Any Cloud Platform

## Hybrid Cloud Networking Anywhere



Private Cloud

Public Cloud



## Operational Consistency Across Multiple Clouds

# Scaling up the Cloud

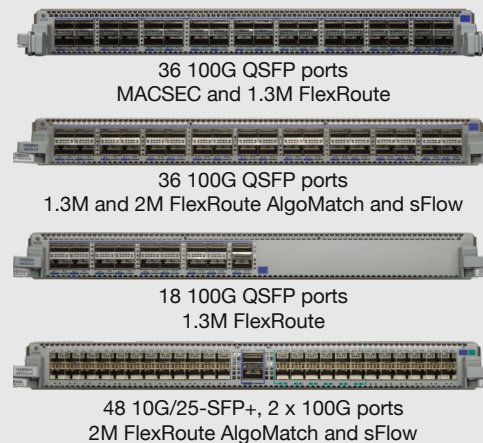
## Next Generation (R2) Universal Spine and Leaf



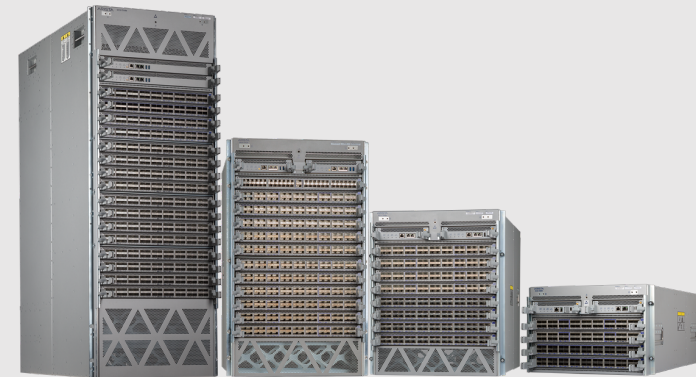
Common single EOS  
image, Deep Buffer,  
Lossless Architecture,  
Large Tables

Choice of form factors,  
density and port speeds  
for varying use cases

Standards based switching  
for reliable deployments



7500R Line Cards



7500R Systems

### 7500R Universal Spine



30 QSFP100  
1.3M and 2M FlexRoute AlgoMatch and sFlow



60 QSFP100  
1.3M and 2M FlexRoute AlgoMatch and sFlow



48 10/25G-SFP / 6 QSFP100  
1.3M FlexRoute AlgoMatch

### 7280R Universal Leaf



# Scaling Up and Scaling Out for the Cloud

Scaling Up



**3x**

Internet Routing  
Table in Hardware



**10x**

Access Control  
Lists

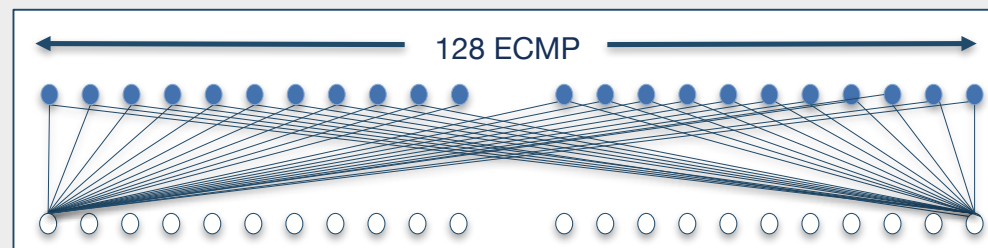


**100x**

High-rate  
sFlow

Scaling Out

Scaling Out  
with Spine/Leaf  
Designs



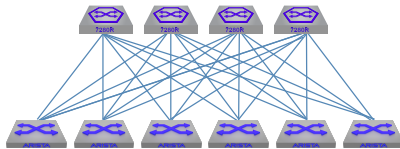
1 Million  
Servers  
10+ Million  
VMs

**World's First 15 Petabits per Second Spine Capacity**

# Cloud Networking is Everywhere: Three Key Markets – One Architecture – One EOS

Arista  
Cloud Converged

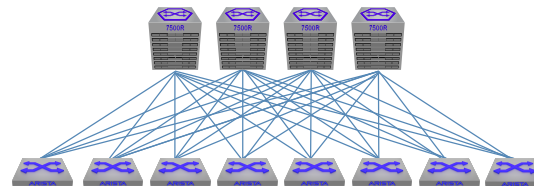
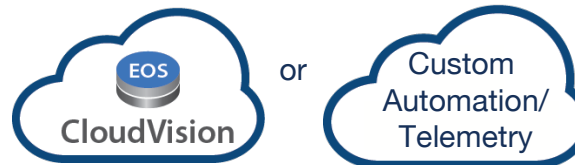
Enterprise



Turnkey  
Driven

Arista  
Cloud Class

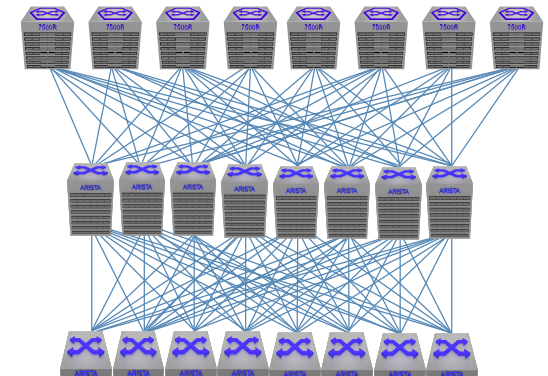
Key Verticals



Best of Breed  
Driven

Arista  
Cloud Scale

Cloud Titans



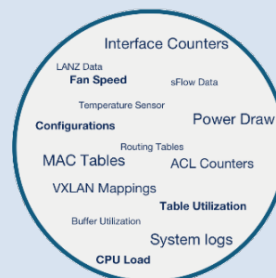
Scale and  
Control  
Driven



# CloudVision: Multi-Function Platform

## Overlay Integration

API's for simplified network integration to a best of breed ecosystem



## Telemetry & Analytics

Real-time state streaming and historical analytics

## Automated Deployments

Initial and ongoing provisioning network-wide



## Macro-Segmentation Services (MSS)

Service insertion for securing today's cloud networks



## Change Controls

Network-wide upgrades, rollback and snapshots. Compliance and Bug Visibility

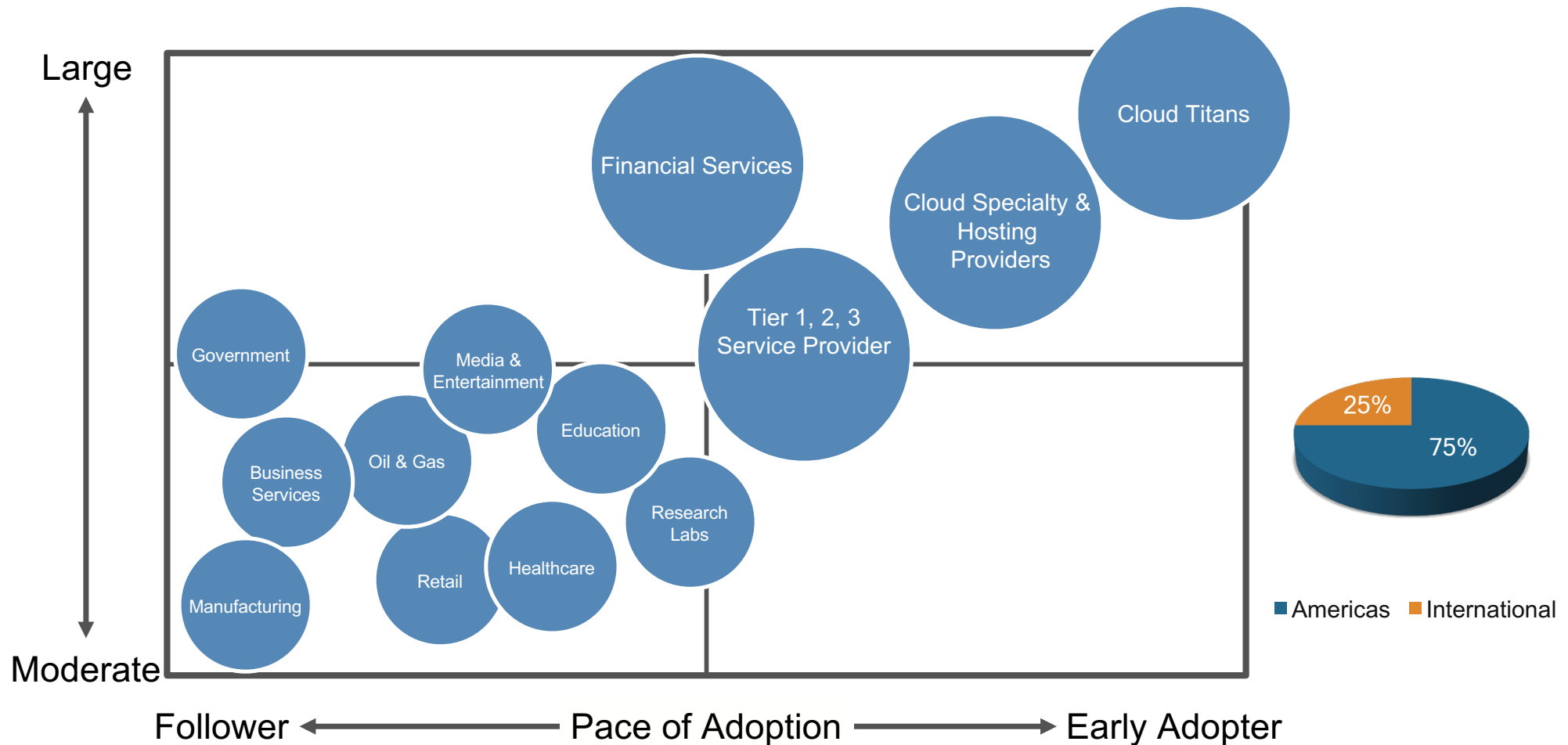


## DANZ TAP Aggregation

Purpose-built to capture traffic at cloud scale and speed



# Major Verticals



Note: By Billings. Only selected verticals shown. Diagram not to scale.

# Foundational Technology Underpins TAM Expansion

- We partner with customers and follow their journey
- EOS software drives repeat purchases, Arista cultivates customer advocacy
- EOS software organically enables additional use cases

Top 15 Customers	Q3 2014	Q4 2014	Q1 2015	Q2 2015	Q3 2015	Q4 2015	Q1 2016	Q2 2016	Q3 2016	Q4 2016	Q1 2017	Q2 2017
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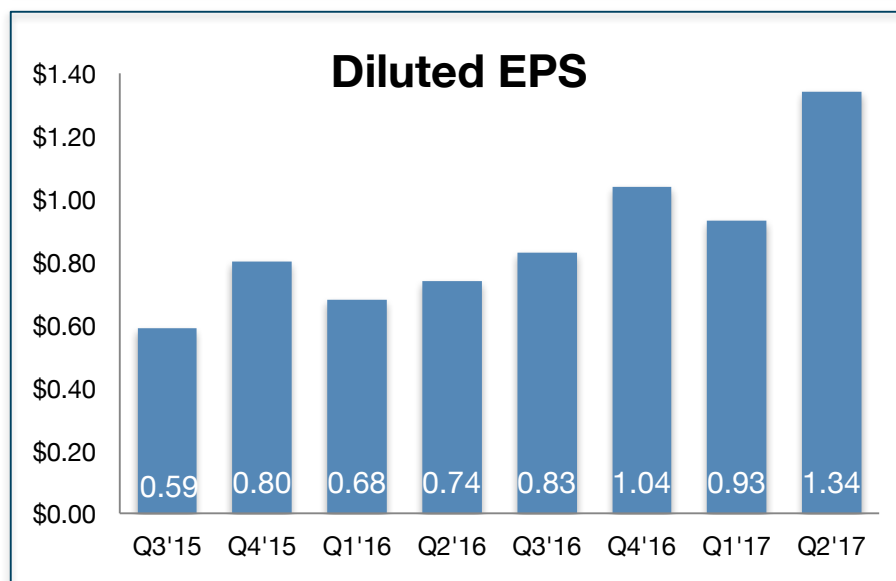
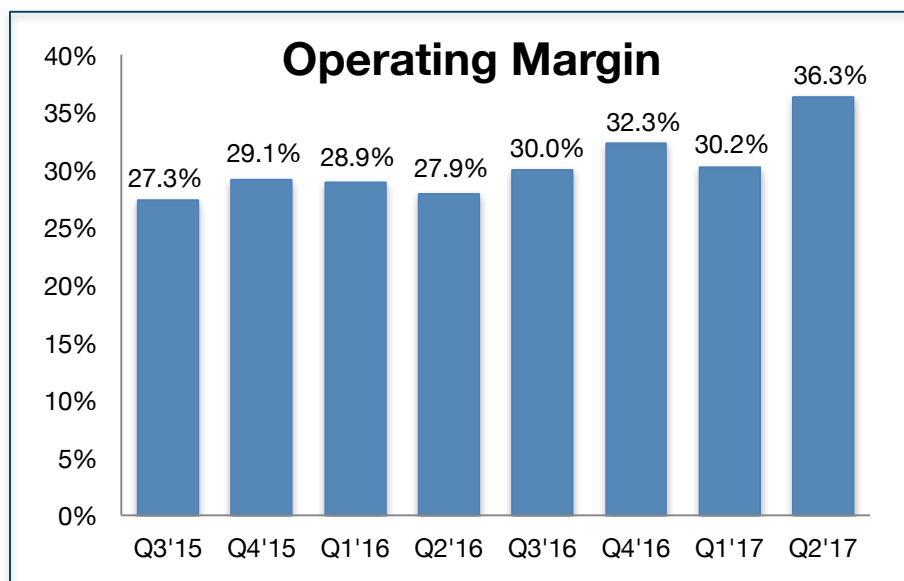
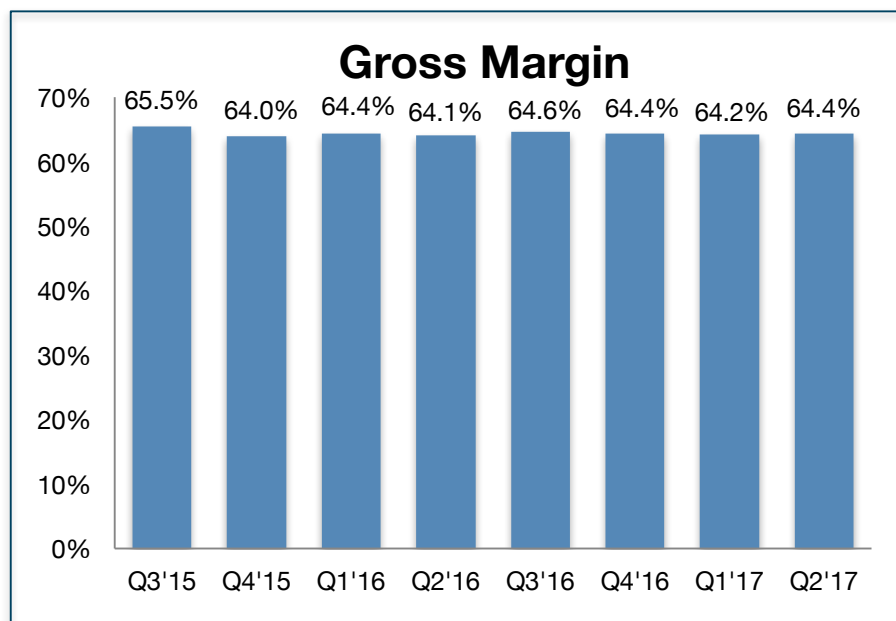
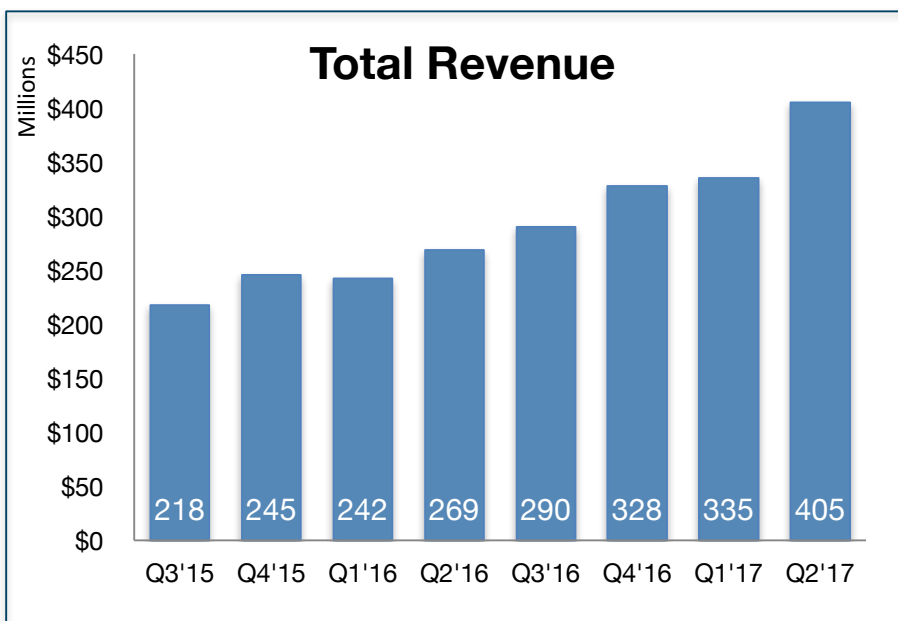
Additional Purchases



Did Not Purchase

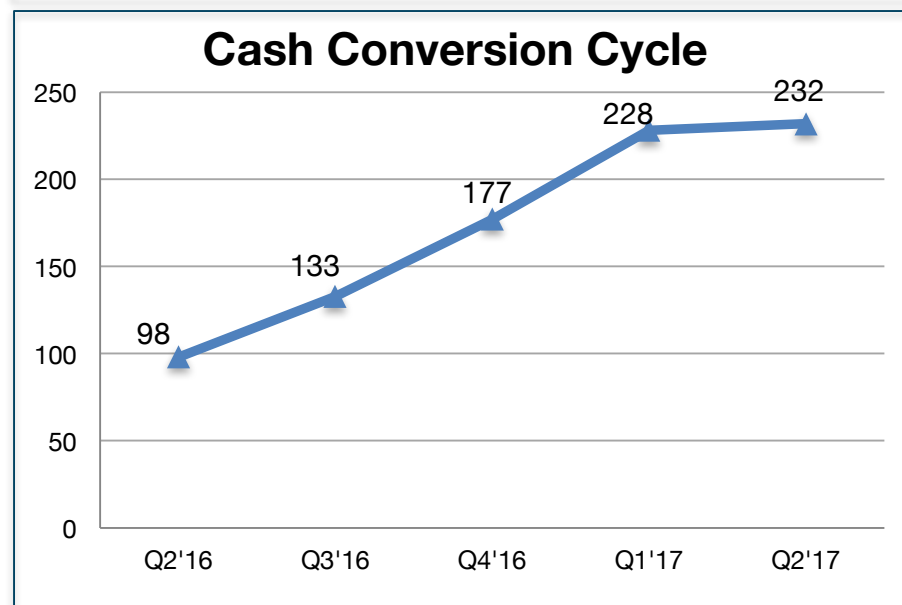
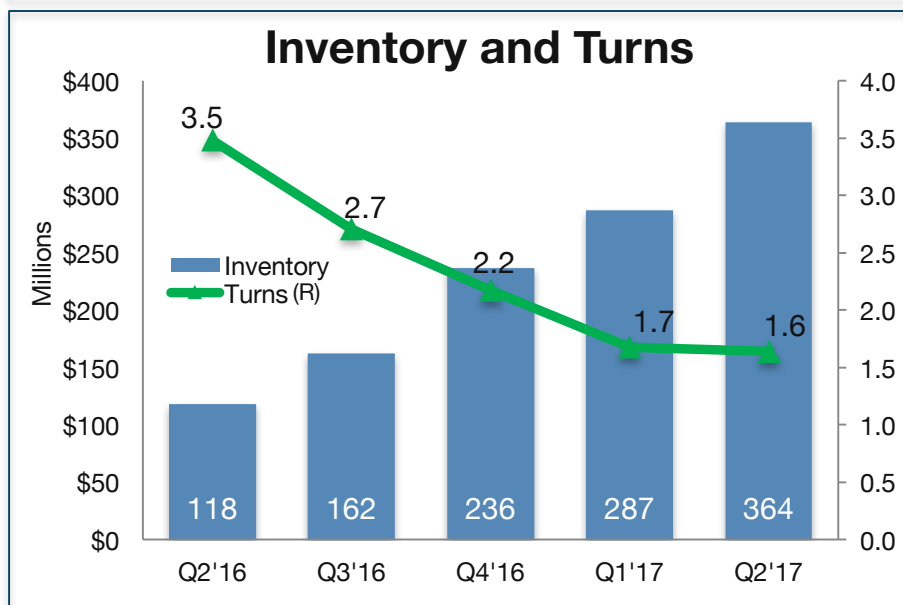
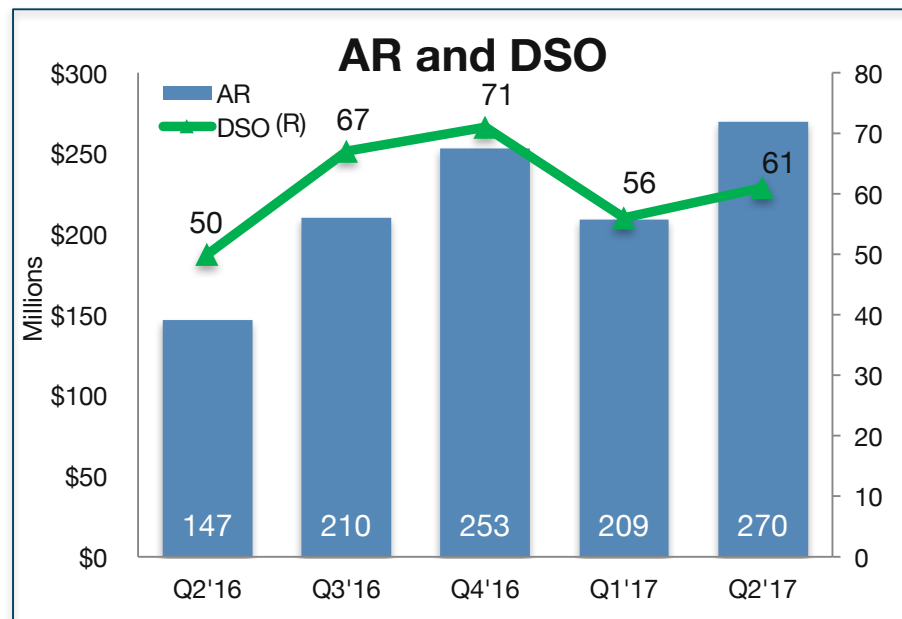
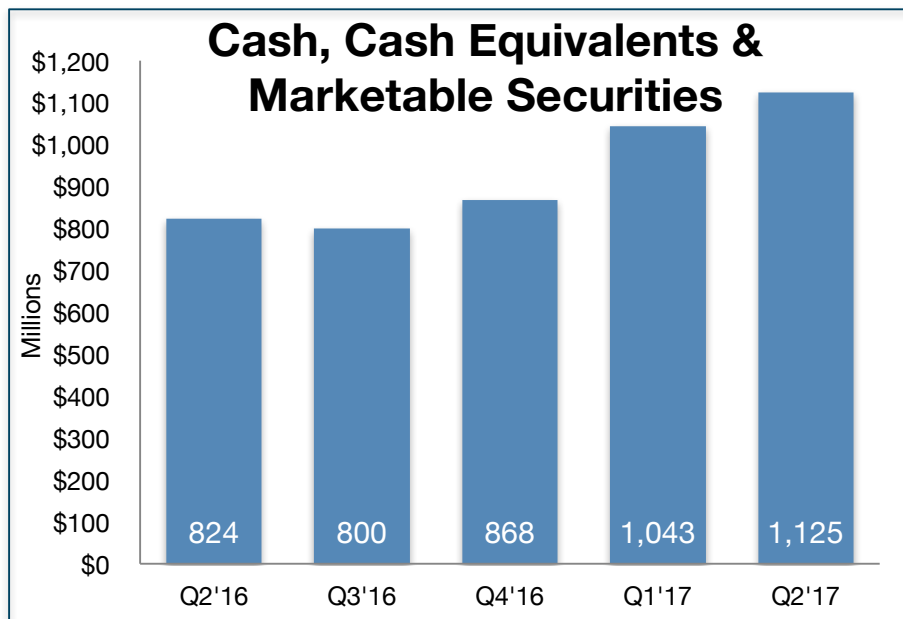
Chart illustrates the top 15 customers based on the last 12 quarters of total product and service billings.

# Financial Highlights<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Amounts are non-GAAP except for Revenue; refer to reconciliation between non-GAAP and GAAP in the appendix.

# Balance Sheet & Cash Conversion Cycle



# Arista in Q2 2017

## Key Highlights

Introduced the [next generation R2 Series](#) platforms based on merchant silicon that is twice the density and half the power of custom router silicon, delivering more than 150 Tbps of capacity for switching and routing powered by Arista's software-driven EOS cloud technology.

This is the third consecutive year Arista has been recognized as a leader and positioned the furthest for Completeness of Vision in the Leaders Quadrant of the [July 2017 Gartner Magic Quadrant for Data Center Networking](#).

Arista awarded a [2017 Top Workplaces honor](#) by the Bay Area News Group.

## Financial Results (non-GAAP)<sup>1</sup>

Q2'17 Revenue: \$405.2M

Q2'17 EPS: \$1.34

Q2'16-Q2'17 YOY Revenue Growth: 50.8%

Q2'17 Gross Margin: 64.4%

Q2'17 Operating Margin: 36.3%

## **Mission:**

Deliver the best cloud networking solutions for private, public and hybrid cloud deployments

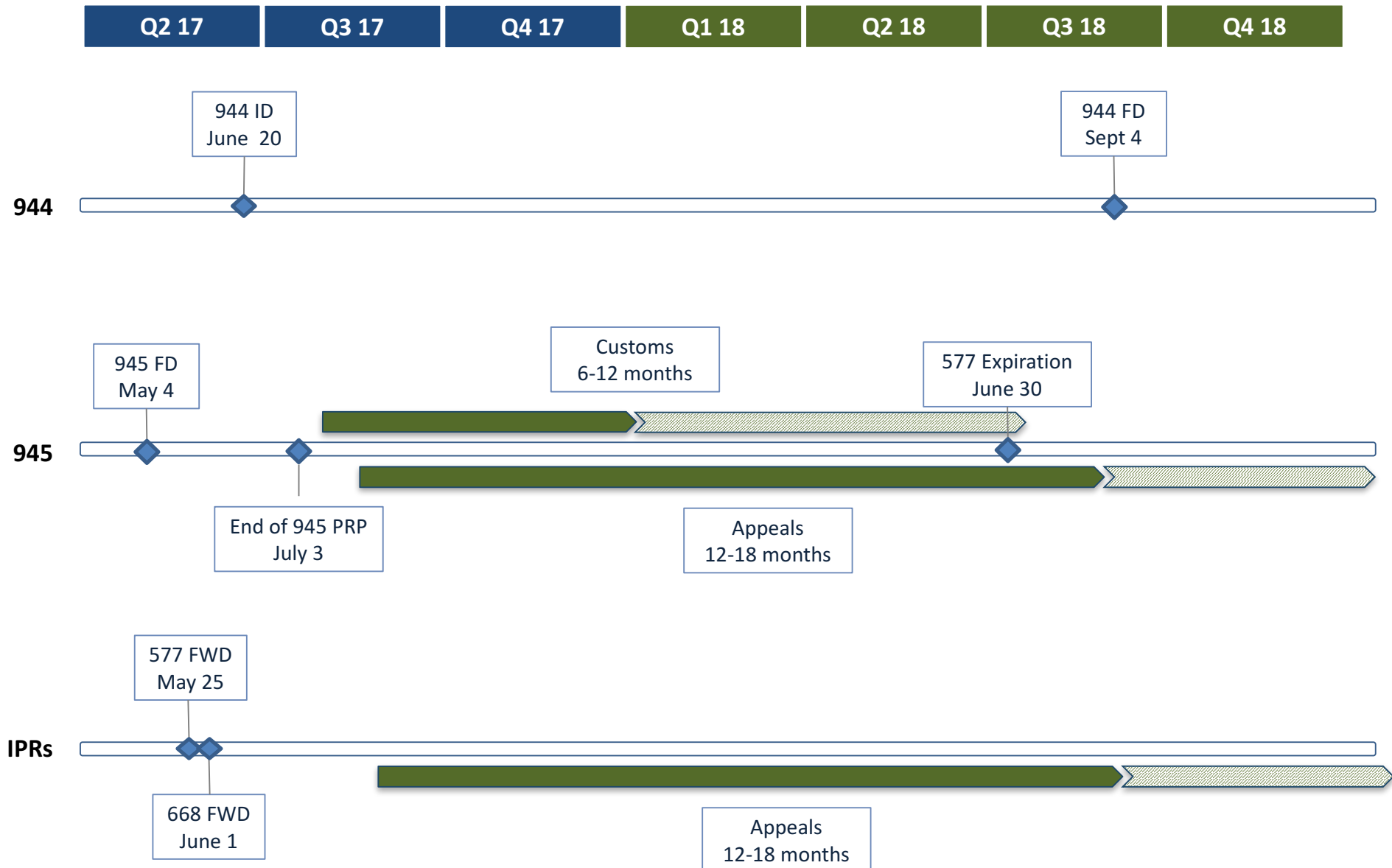
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## Appendix: GAAP to Non-GAAP Reconciliation

In 000's except per share data	Q1'16	Q2'16	Q3'16	Q4'16	Q1'17	Q2'17
GAAP gross profit	\$ 155,090	\$ 171,451	\$ 186,420	\$ 210,155	\$ 214,210	\$ 259,777
GAAP gross margin	64.0%	63.8%	64.2%	64.1%	63.9%	64.1%
Stock-based compensation	793	868	955	1,004	1,024	1,087
Non-GAAP gross profit	\$ 155,883	\$ 172,319	\$ 187,375	\$ 211,159	\$ 215,234	\$ 260,864
Non-GAAP gross margin	64.4%	64.1%	64.6%	64.4%	64.2%	64.4%
GAAP income from operations	\$ 49,735	\$ 53,158	\$ 63,021	\$ 77,495	\$ 73,418	\$ 116,634
GAAP operating margin	20.5%	19.8%	21.7%	23.6%	21.9%	28.8%
Stock-based compensation	13,360	14,232	15,116	16,324	16,439	18,400
Litigation expenses	7,005	7,594	9,025	12,209	11,466	11,957
Non-GAAP income from operations	\$ 70,100	\$ 74,984	\$ 87,162	\$ 106,028	\$ 101,323	\$ 146,991
Non-GAAP operating margin	28.9%	27.9%	30.0%	32.3%	30.2%	36.3%
GAAP diluted net income to common stockholders	\$ 34,941	\$ 38,635	\$ 50,980	\$ 58,542	\$ 82,716	\$ 102,474
Net income attributable to participating securities	304	269	277	241	245	211
Stock-based compensation	13,360	14,232	15,116	16,324	16,439	18,400
Litigation expenses	7,005	7,594	9,025	12,209	11,466	11,957
Excess tax benefits	-	-	-	-	(28,790)	(19,079)
Release of income tax reserves	-	-	(6,293)	-	-	-
Tax effect of non-GAAP exclusions	(6,524)	(7,056)	(7,924)	(9,836)	(10,269)	(8,493)
Non-GAAP net income	\$ 49,086	\$ 53,674	\$ 61,181	\$ 77,480	\$ 71,807	\$ 105,470
GAAP diluted income per share to common stockholders	\$ 0.48	\$ 0.53	\$ 0.69	\$ 0.79	\$ 1.07	\$ 1.30
Non-GAAP adjustments to net income per share	0.20	0.21	0.14	0.25	(0.14)	0.04
Non-GAAP diluted income per share	\$ 0.68	\$ 0.74	\$ 0.83	\$ 1.04	\$ 0.93	\$ 1.34
GAAP and non-GAAP weighted diluted shares	72,214	72,817	73,453	74,384	77,516	78,756



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