



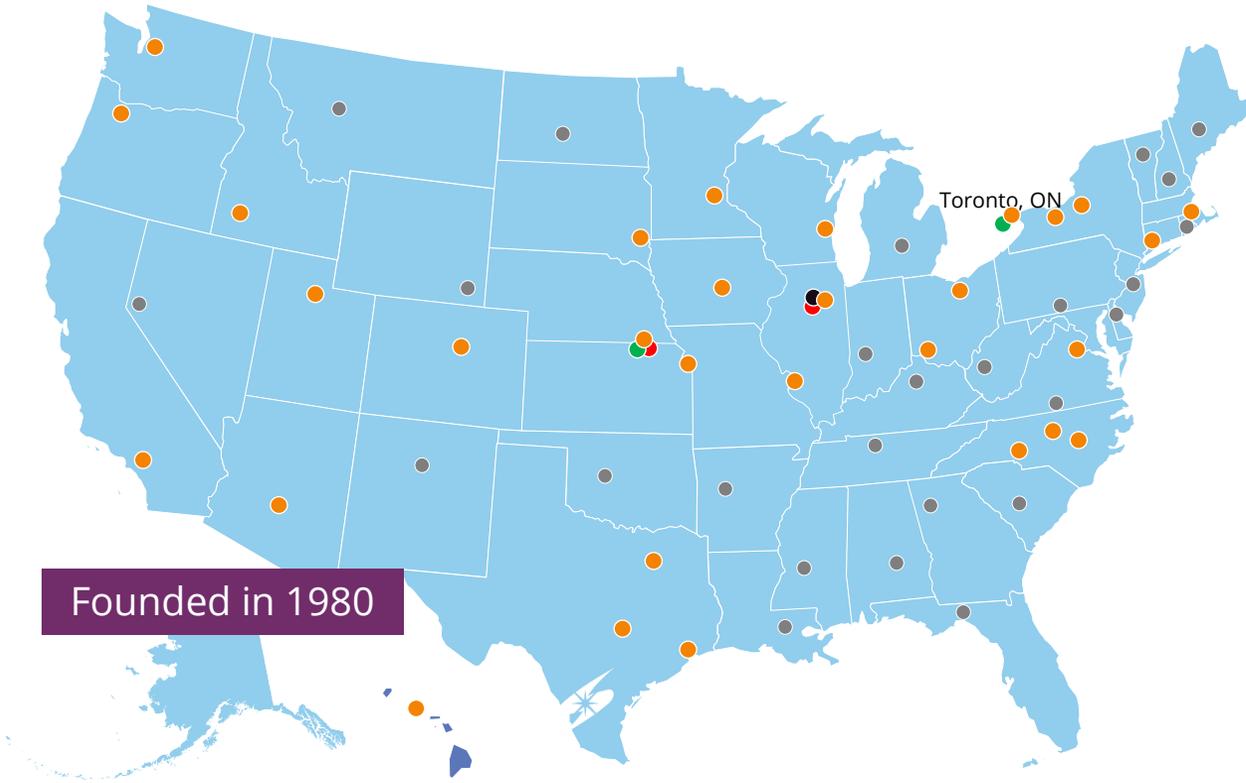
Hybrid Cloud DR for Healthcare

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- Challenges around Disaster Recover (DR) for Healthcare
- Sirius Expertise and Solution Architecture
- Benefits and Considerations around Hybrid DR
- Next Steps

National coverage



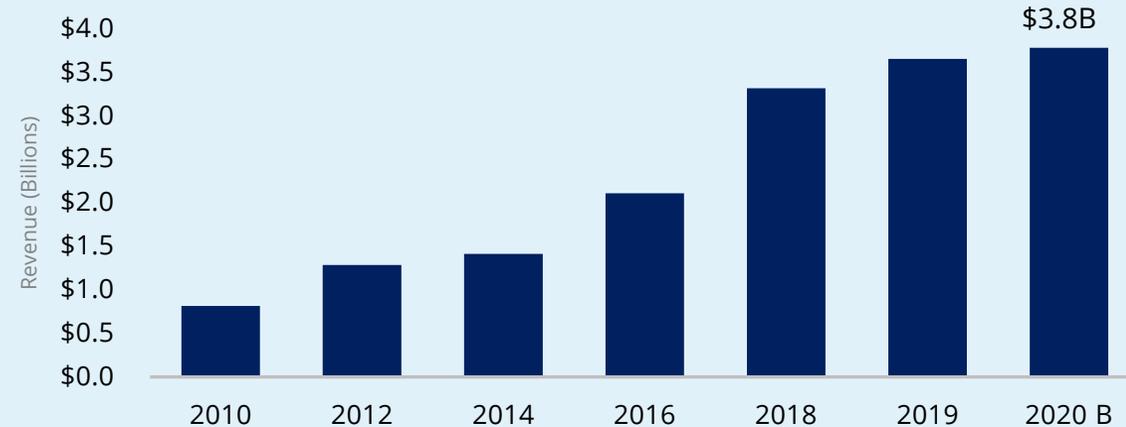
32 offices across the US

-  Sirius Corporate Headquarters
- Regional Offices
- Regional Coverage
- Data Center
- NOC
- SOC

Company overview

- Solutions spanning lines of business and the data center
- Recognized industry leadership
- **450 Healthcare clients | 189 Epic**
- Deep experience and skills
5,500+ sales & technical certifications
2,600+ highly skilled employees
1,500+ technical resources

Sustained financial strength



Based on Sirius financials Gross Revenue. 2019 pre-audited results.



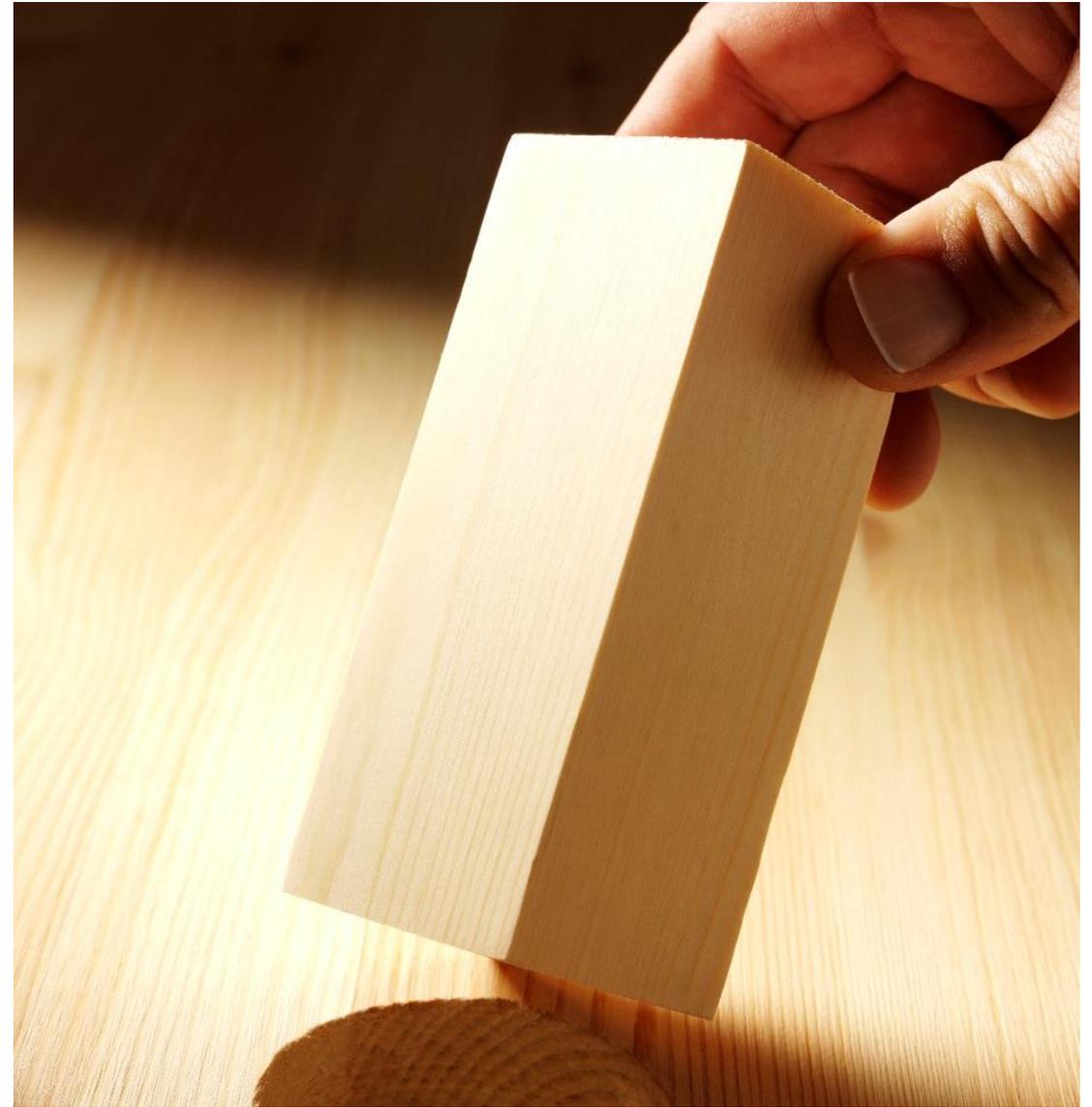
- Patient care depends on response readiness and preparedness
- Disaster Recovery (DR) is paramount to prevent serious harm caused by outages and lost data
- 70% of healthcare organizations say IT industry is destined for the cloud - Reaction Data, May 2019
- Hybrid DR – enabling management of disaster risks/compliance/reduced costs



- Data Back Up is NOT OPTIONAL
- DATA must be RECOVERABLE
- STORE BACKUP COPIES OF ePHI OFF SITE
- BACK UP FREQUENTLY
- Security requirements applied during EMERGENCY MODE
- HITECH says to ENCRYPT OR DESTROY DATA AT REST TO SECURE IT
- Must have WRITTEN PROCEDURES
- TEST your Recovery plan
- Non-compliance penalties are severe

The challenge...

- Legacy applications – can't move fully to the cloud
- Cost pressures and scalability
- Experience and skill set
- EMR platforms and intellectual property

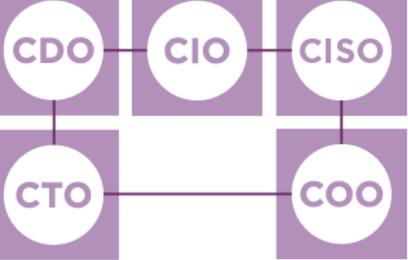


- Cloud scalability while maintaining legacy environment
- Flexible environment allows us to leverage technology refreshes
- Cost savings with pay-as-you-go, on-demand DR spin-up
- Enables out-of-region capabilities



- Cloud, DR and Healthcare expertise
- Trusted partner for enterprise DR/BC
- Dedicated Healthcare practice and Cloud Center for Excellence
- Experienced with the most complex/demanding apps (EHR)
- Collaborative approach:
CLIENTS + APPLICATION VENDORS + CLOUD PARTNERS = CLIENT SUCCESS

Top Integrator COMPRISED OF



Frequent Publication in InfoWorld, TechTarget, CRN



450

Healthcare Clients
(Payors and Providers)



189

Provider Clients
using Epic EHR



Active Contributor to:

Tech Data IoT and AI Advisory Council, CompTIA IoT Advisory Council, CHIME, HIMSS, and Analytics Advisory Council



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 Dedicated Healthcare
INNOVATION CENTERS

250

 Healthcare-trained
PROFESSIONALS

\$650M+

Vertical Inside a
\$3.8B IT Integrator

SIRIUS ITC SERVICES

Cloud Readiness Assessment
Hybrid Cloud Transformation
Data Center Transformation
Business Impact Analysis (BIA)
Application Rationalization

SIRIUS CLOUD PRACTICE

Cloud Assessment(s)
Cloud Delivery Services
Cloud Governance and Planning

SIRIUS PARTNERS

Cloud: Azure and AWS
Continuous Data Protection:
Veritas VRP and Zerto
File Replication: PEER Software
Colocation Facilities:
Sirius DC and Equinix
App/Desktop Delivery: Citrix
Storage: IBM/NetApp/Pure Storage/Dell
Compute: IBM Power/Cisco UCS
Discovery: Flexential

SIRIUS MANAGED SERVICES

Managed DR
Managed Cloud
Aggregation Services (Circuits/colo)

SIRIUS IT STRATEGY

Colocation Infrastructure Design
Network Assessment(s) & Design



No DR/BC technology solution



Infrastructure exists but no plan/ability to execute



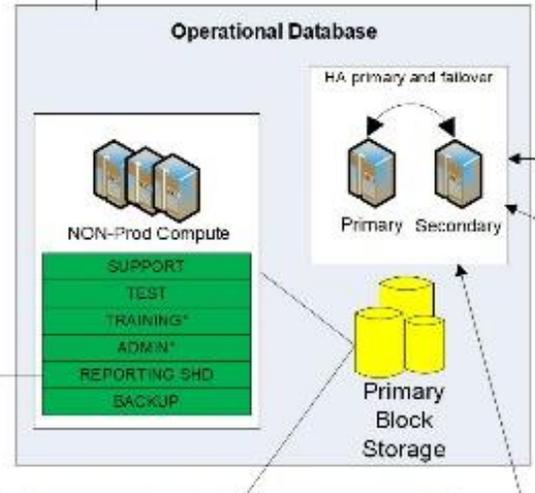
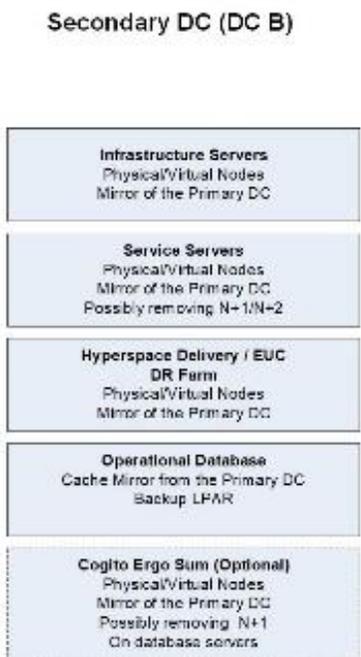
Like-for-Like Active/Passive
(Inclusive/Exclusive of Cogito)

- Switch and stay for ~6 months at a time
- Activate when necessary

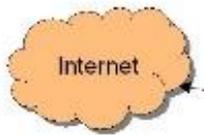
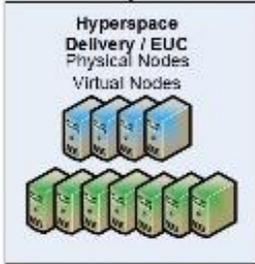
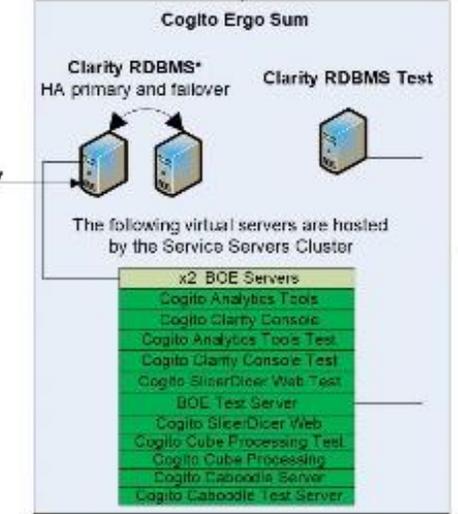
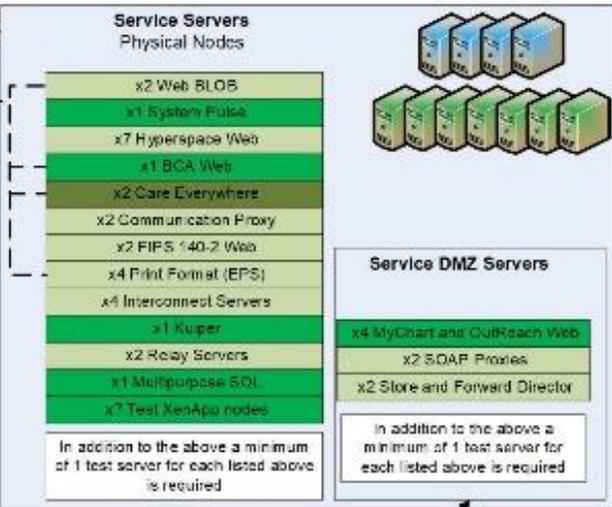
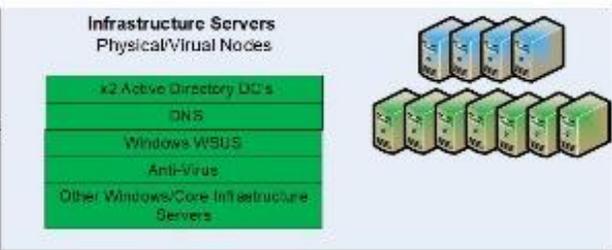


Like-for-Like Active/Active (Inclusive/Exclusive
of Cogito)

- Components capable provide services from both DCs
- Citrix / Service Servers / SQL Always on
- Reduces infrastructure requirement



Primary DC (DC A)



> Best Practice with friend design the systems state and built shut projects limitations

Legend

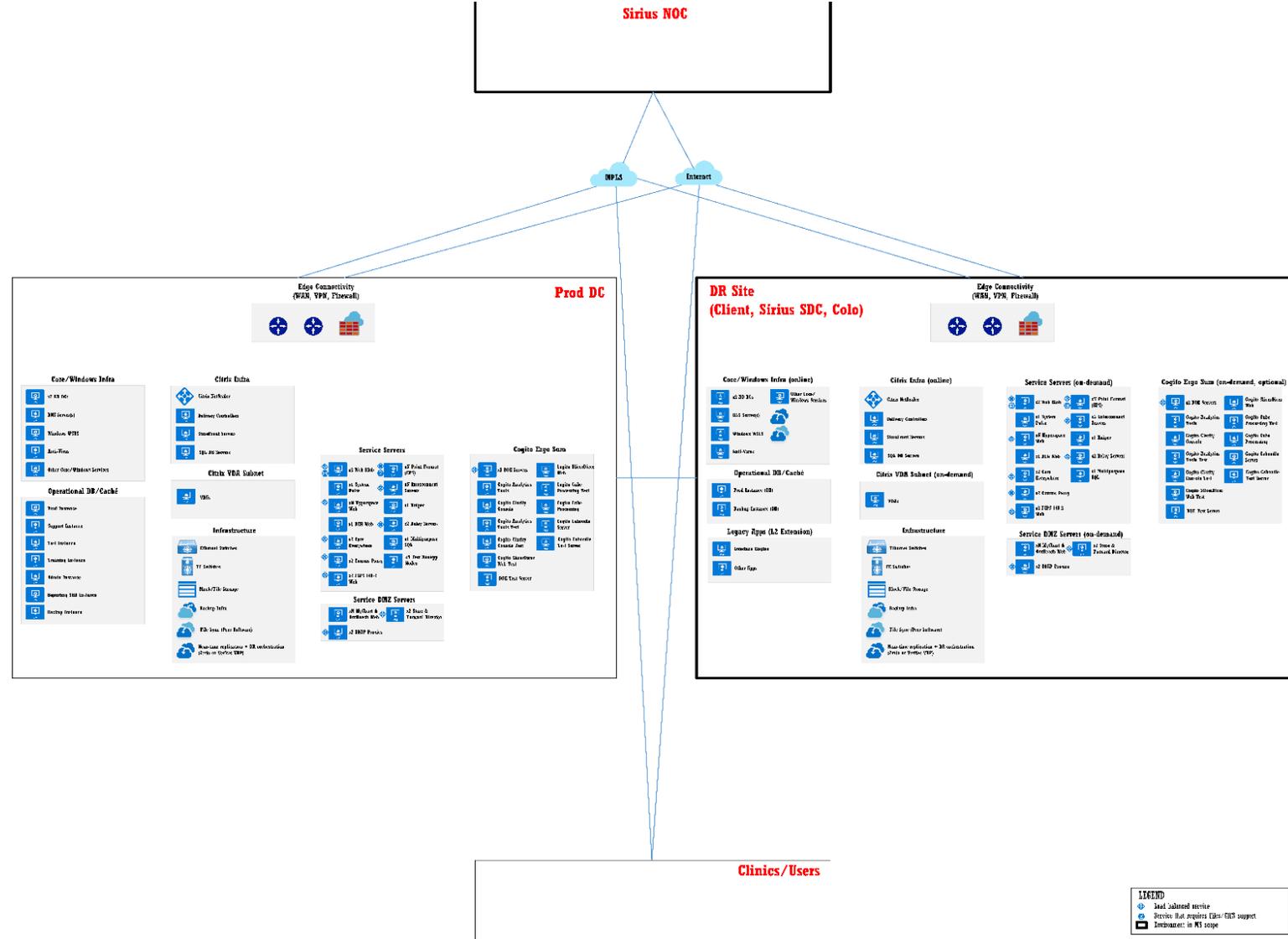
Virtual Server + MS Clustering
Virtual Server + Load Balanced
Virtual Server

Sirius Model

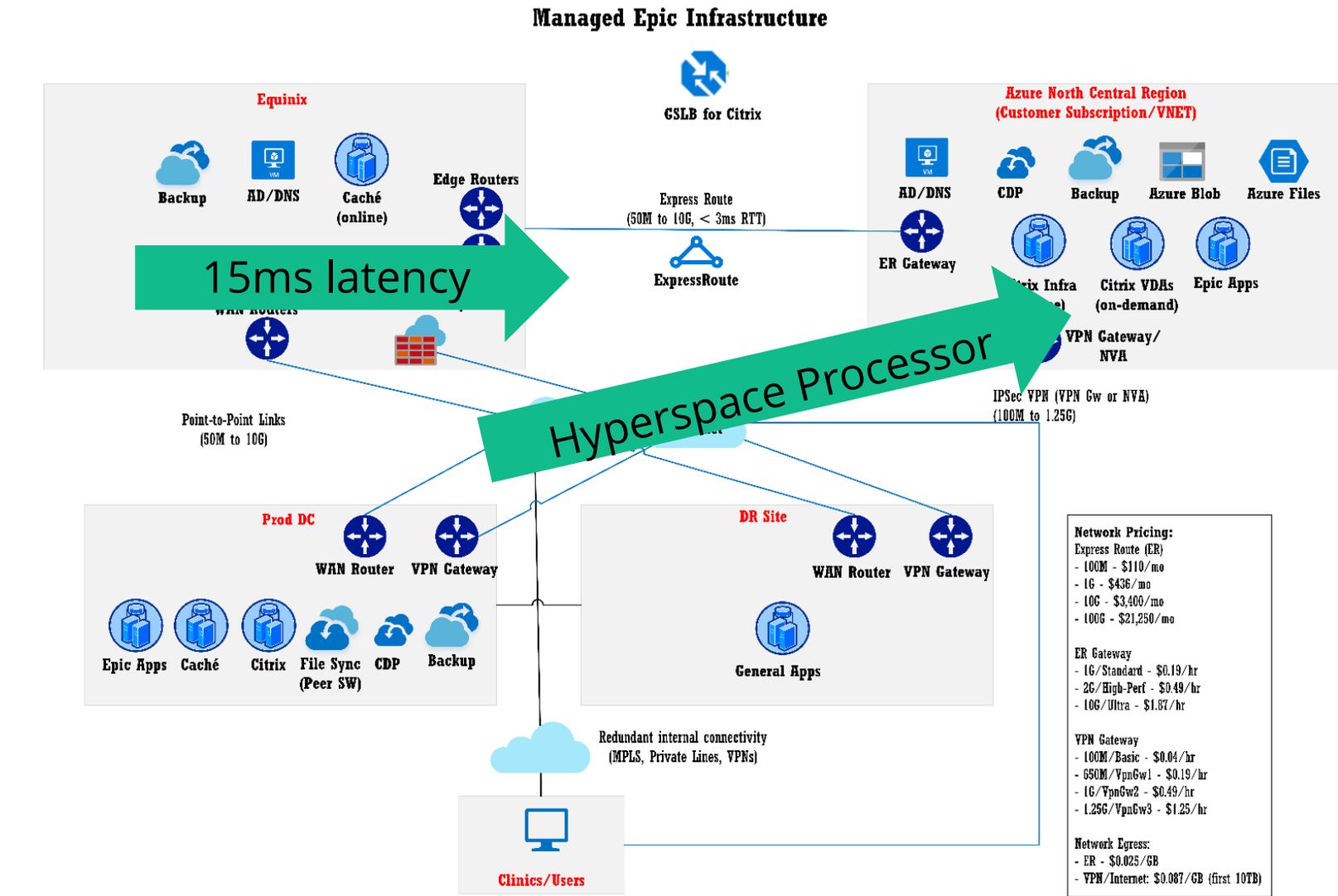
Traditional Reference Architecture



- › 100-130% of infrastructure on both sides
- › Perpetual software licensing wasted as passive site idles
- › Operational overhead with maintaining passive side
- › Most predictable /discrete solution
- › Traditional financial consumption models



- › Significantly less Infrastructure required
- › Reduce Operational overhead of maintaining physical hardware in passive site
- › Hybrid model allows for addressing organizations with applications, size and platform constraints that limit full cloud transition



Managed Epic Infrastructure

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Author: Sirius

Leverage Public Cloud





IaaS SLA and Epic Architecture aren't a great mix - 99.9% uptime

[Azure SLA for Virtual Machines](#)

[Amazon Compute SLA](#)



Epic Architecture and Hyperscaler standards

Latency between regions exceed 15ms

Not all Epic services can take advantage of regional resiliency



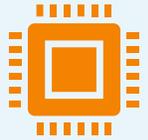
Limits need to be managed



Azure Hybrid Benefit - Not a 1:1 conversion

It's like solving for pi

[Azure Hybrid Benefit](#)



Compute instance choice

ODB memory/core/processor family and storage performance limitations

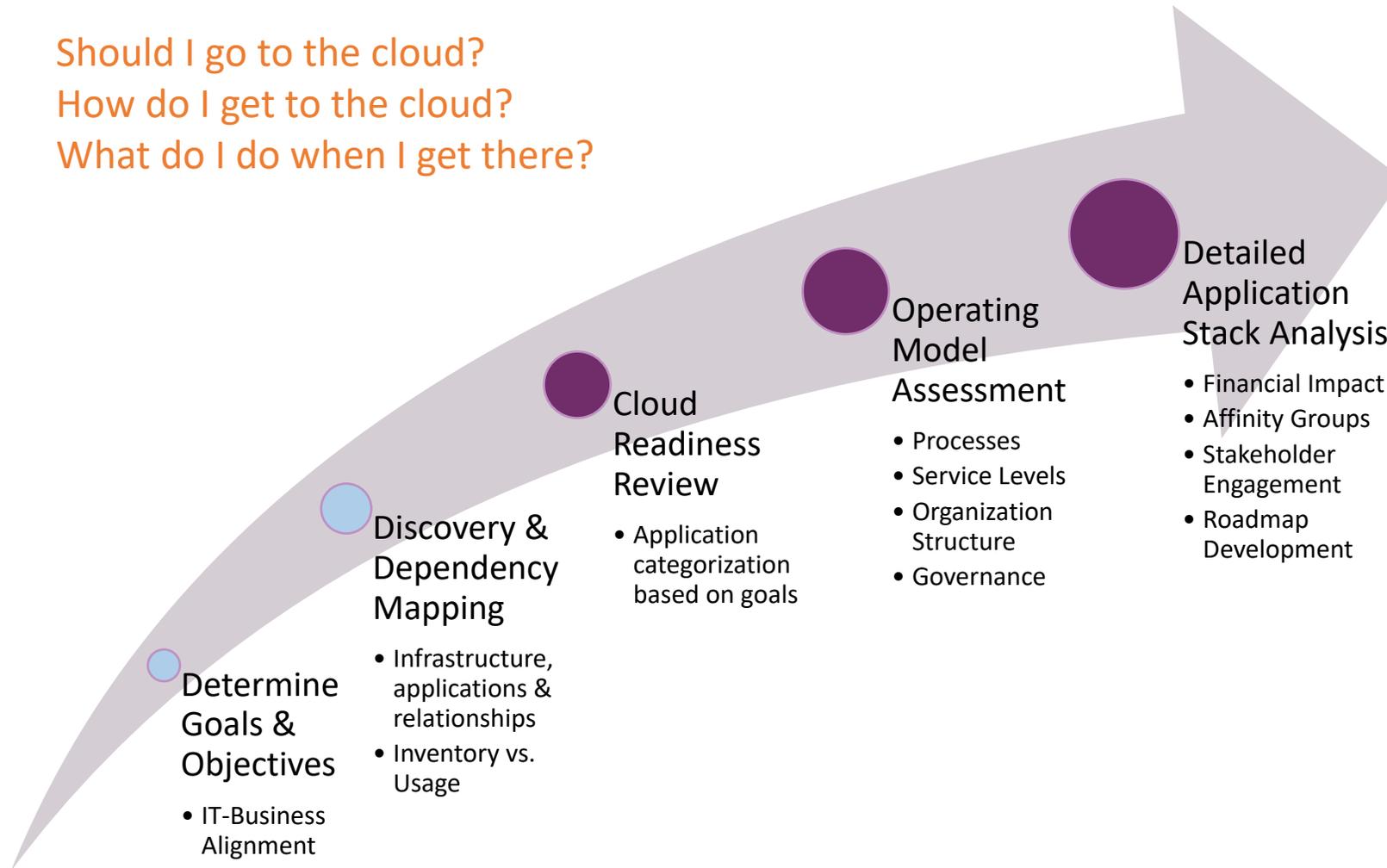
Hyperspace/Presentation layer processor family limitations



Resource exhaustions in a region

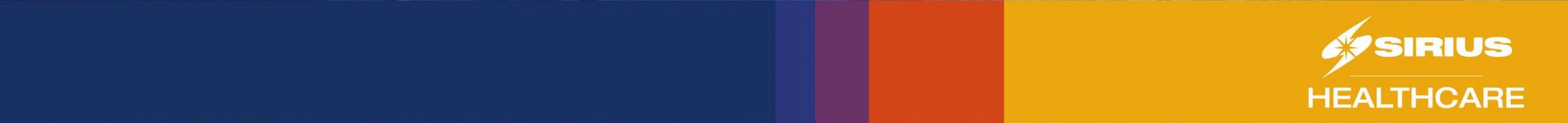
Great! But What Aren't You Telling Me?

Should I go to the cloud?
How do I get to the cloud?
What do I do when I get there?



Potential Next Steps:

- Cloud and/or CoLo provider selection
- Governance (re)structuring
- DR capability enhancement
- Operating Model changes – ITSM & DevOps/Agile
- Network enhancements
- Landing zone development
- Detailed migration planning and execution
- Application rationalization & modernization
- CMDB population



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