

# **IPv6 Solutions**

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# Agenda

- **A10 Networks in a Nutshell!**
- Why is A10 Networks different?
- How can we assist you with the IPv6 migration?



# **A10 Networks Company Overview**



# **A10** Markets and Competitors





## **Sample Customers**





# **Application Performance & Data Center Efficiency**





- **Software is the key differentiator**
- Multi-core CPU, shared memory architecture
- 64-bit scalability
- Efficient design
  - Power, memory, space & resource consumption
- Scalable Symmetrical Multiprocessing (SSMP)
- Flexible and adaptable









# **ACOS Design Highlights**

#### • ACOS on the data plane

- Zero locking
- Zero IPC
- Zero interrupt
- Zero scheduling
- <sup>I</sup> Zero buffer copy for low latency packet processing
- Linux on the control plane
  - Used by Management CPU only
- All application delivery traffic handled by ACOS
- **Efficient use of memory no duplicate data**



# **IPv6** Migration

- A10 solves IPv4 exhaustion, allowing uninterrupted business, eliminating costly IT fire drills and protecting brands
- The AX Series provides advanced solutions for IPv4 preservation, IPv6 access and full IPv6 migration
- A10 leads this market with large deployments worldwide





## **First Live Deployment - NTT Plala, Japan**

The IPv6 network, model for the future?

- Deroject: Hikari-TV, implementation and live in 2008
- Purpose: IPTV broadcasting and video on-demand service (and Karaoke!)
- Network: Native IPv6-based, fiber-to-the-home network
- First large-scale, commercially successful application of IPTV service that runs over a IPv6 network
- "After a comparative test...we selected A10's AX Series..as the high-performance server load balancer platform for 'Hikari-TV'...video distribution" service..."



#### NTT Plala Takes Hold of the Future With Hikari-TV

Hikari-TV service comprises 76 channels, more than 10,000 video on demand titles, and over 13,000 titles in its karaoke service. Network (NGN), a closed end-to-end IPv6 over fiber to the home (FTTH) network. NTT Plala receives live broadcasts from TV stations, and encodes and simultaneously delivers the broad-



Where Will They Go Next? The growing interest in IPTV combines





#### What Does Your Network Look Like?





## **Common IPv6 Migration Techniques**





#### What Does Each Technology Do?



#### What Are the Benefits and Real Use Cases?



# **IPv6 Service Provider Deployment**

#### Major European service provider solves IPv6 connectivity issue

- Background: IPv6 access for all customers and systems, Nov 2011 saw 15,000th IPv6 connection added
- Purpose: IPv6 ready to communication with IPv6 only APAC partners, catalyst being the APNIC address depletion
- Network: Dual-stack IPv4 and IPv6 connectivity
- "By our choice...of A10 load balancers all consumer websites are now accessible via IPv6...in one single action a significant portion of our services over IPv6!"







# **Cellular LSN/CGN Case Study and Implementation**

I Top 4 US wireless carrier needed to expand while facing IPv4 address exhaustion

- D Project: Mobile handset data network expansion
- Purpose: Add IPv4 address capacity for streaming apps to smartphone users
- Network: Legacy IPv4-based, cellular data network
- Fully operational LSN/CGN implementations



# **CGN/LSN for Top US Wireless Carrier**



- **Consolidation of IPv4 address space, 90% IPv4 address reclaimed**
- Feature-rich CGN/LSN capabilities
- High Availability (HA)
- **Significant CAPEX savings**
- Reduced equipment footprint
- Significant scalability for future growth



Customer Driven Innovation

# NAT64/DNS64 for Top US Wireless Carrier



- Offers access to new users over IPv6
- Alternative to dual-stacked host option, simpler to manage
- **NAT64 translates IPv6 packets into IPv4 packets**
- DNS64 translates associated DNS queries on behalf of IPv6 clients
- Provides future proof scalability by allowing IPv6 customers to have access to IPv4-only Internet sites and services



# **Key Product Requirements**



# **High Throughput in 1 Rack Unit**



Customer Driven Innovation

# High Packet Per Second Rates with Hardware Assist



Customer Driven Innovation

# **64-bit SoftAX Virtual Appliances**



### AX Series Models – 64-bit FTA Line-up



#### **Customer Driven Innovation**

#### AX Series Models – 64-bit Non-FTA Line-up



# A10 IPv4-to-IPv6 Migration Advantages

- Industry-leading and mature implementation
- Advanced features and high performance
- Ideal 'green' form factor
- Price/performance advantage











# Thank You



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