
Mobile Connectivity Architectures and Design Alternatives for System z



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The business environment is shifting...



...and a new era of computing is emerging

Mobile is Changing Conventions for Industries

Healthcare

From:
Traditional health institution

To:
Seamless interactions among physicians and providers, improving quality of care, patient safety and efficiency improving patient experience



Financial Institutions

From:
Traditional ATMs

To:
Mobile payment opportunity



Government

From:
Sitting in traffic jams

To:
Real-time re-direction to optimal routes using mobile info



[Community with Customer Apps on Worklight](#)

Mobile is Changing Interactions and How Work Gets Done



IBM positioning to solve the Mobilizing challenges

MobileFirst Platform – An Enterprise Blueprint

A rich portfolio for Mobile industry solutions and strategy



What about the mainframe?

The mainframe...

- Home to business critical applications and data
- How do we bridge the gap?



IBM MobileFirst Platform and System z

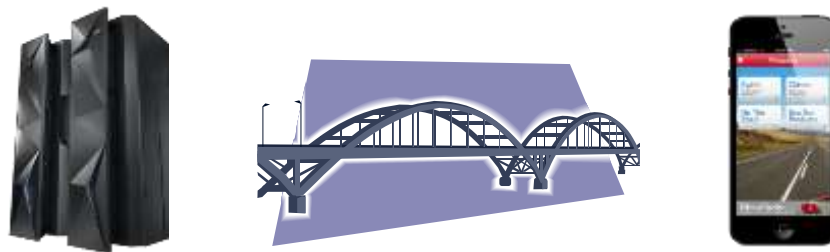
Infrastructure matters:

Scaling to meet mobile,
Availability and Reliability



Integrating Mobile:

What's old gets new interface



Security:

Mobile is different

End-to-end security for every transaction



Public Exposure:

Introducing your new services and a
new business model

Mobile Consumer



System z - Bridge Systems of Record and Systems of Engagement

Systems of Engagement

Systems of Engagement are cloud-based, decentralized, support rapid app development



Existing Web Apps

Linux on z

z/OS,
z/VSE, z/TPF



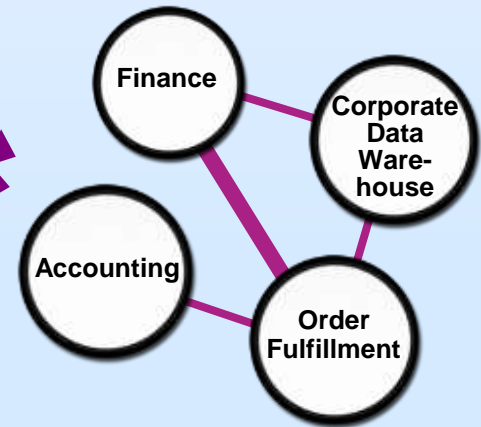
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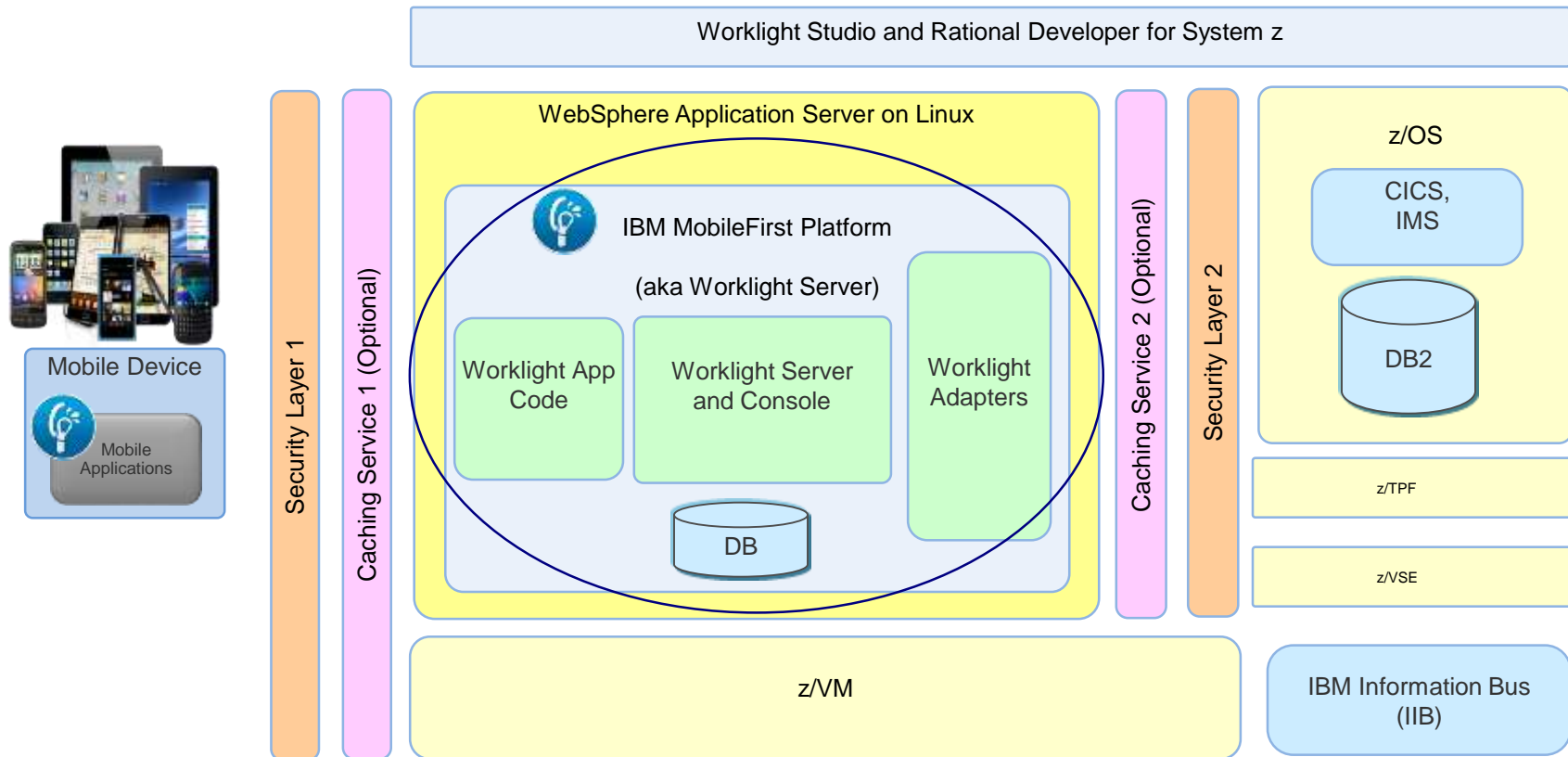
Mobile Apps

Systems of Record

Systems of Record are well integrated, trusted repositories



Mobile Reference Architecture Overview for System z



IBM MobileFirst Platform

A rich portfolio for mobile industry solutions and strategy

New Product Release and Rebranding Announced 11.11.2014

Announced Availability:

- December 5, 2014: Available for download
- December 12, 2014: General availability

MobileFirst Platform - formerly *IBM Worklight* includes following components:

- MobileFirst Platform Foundation
- MobileFirst Platform Quality Assurance
- MobileFirst Platform Application Scanning

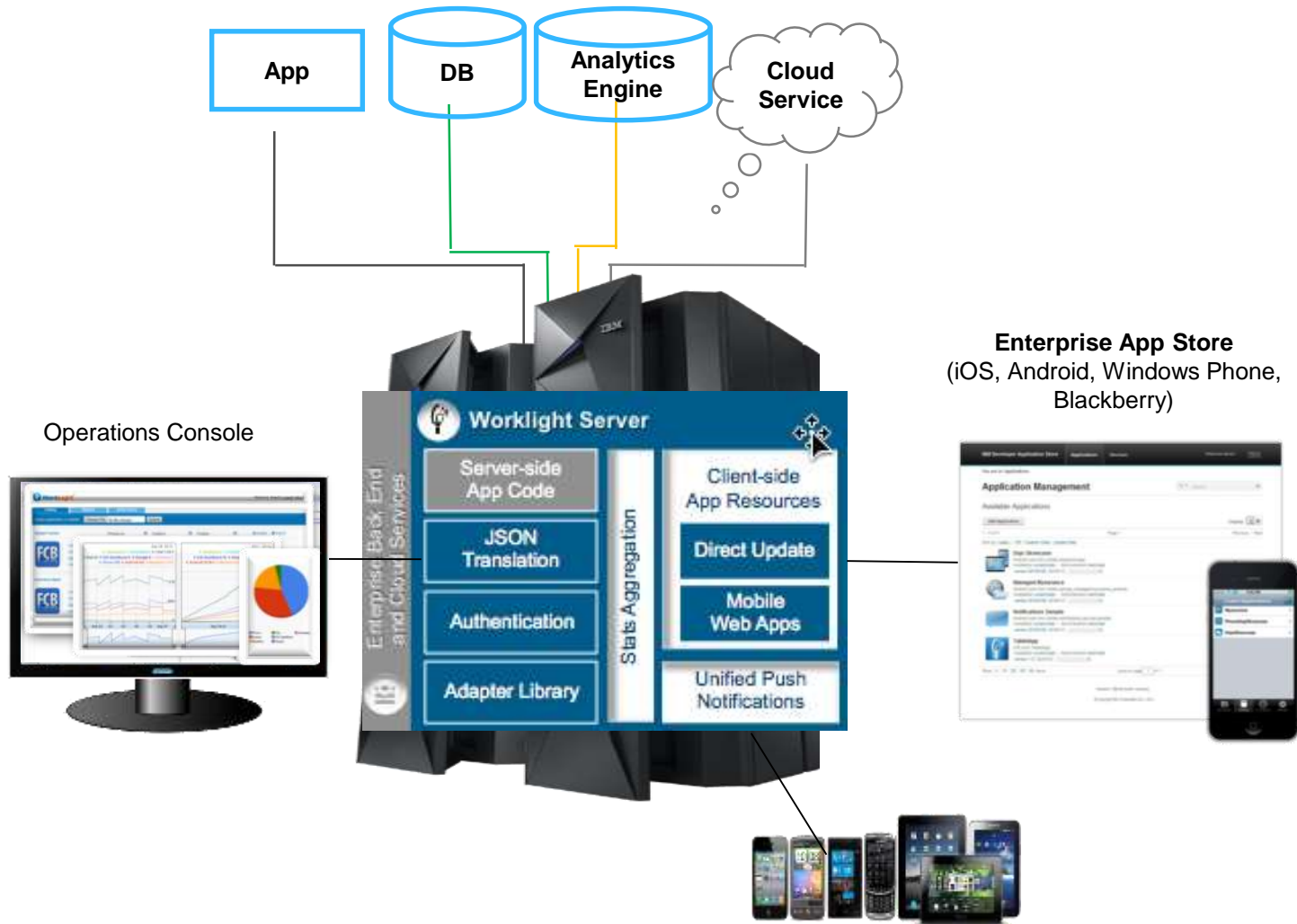
The core capabilities of the MobileFirst Platform Foundation are also available on SoftLayer through the MobileFirst Platform Foundation Private Cloud. **IBM MobileFirst Platform**

MobileFirst Platform Foundation for iOS

An objective of the Apple and IBM partnership is to transform enterprise mobility through MobileFirst for iOS solutions


IBM MobileFirst Platform, the control point for mobile access to enterprise transactional and data services

Caching, authentication, mobile application management and push notifications



IBM MobileFirst Platform on System z

Mobile Devices



- iOS
- Android
- Blackberry
- Windows Phone

Systems of Engagement




MobileFirst Platform
Worklight

Mobile Enterprise Application Platform (MEAP)

- Push updates
- Security
- Back-end connectivity
- Mobile Analytics
- App Center

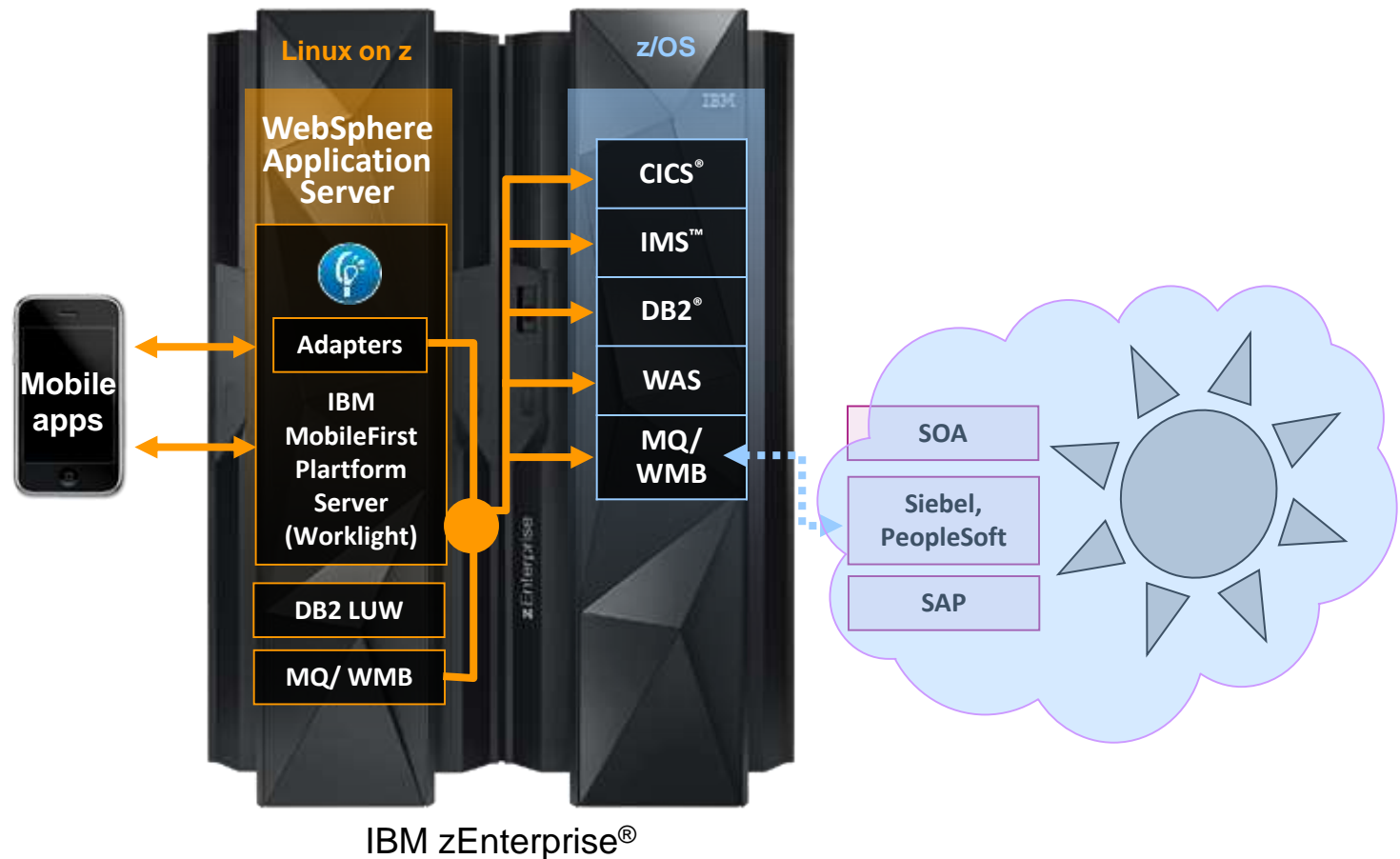
Systems of Record



- CICS
- DL/I IMS
- SOA / WMQ
- DB2

Analytics

Mobile Environment on zEnterprise connecting to core Systems

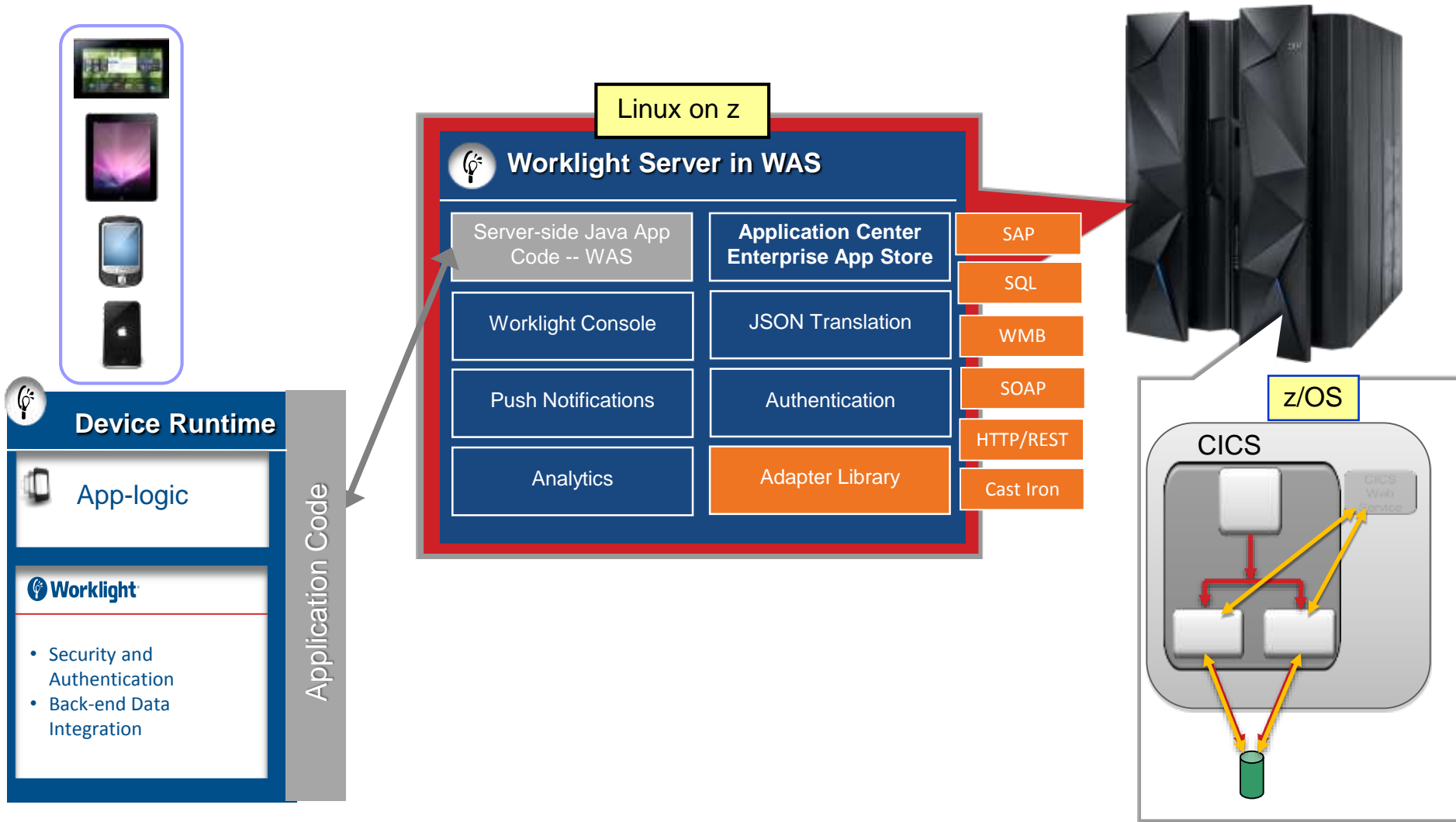


- **Server side software components and adapters for channeling System z to mobile devices with IBM Worklight Server**

- **Mobile application support with WebSphere Application Server on System z**

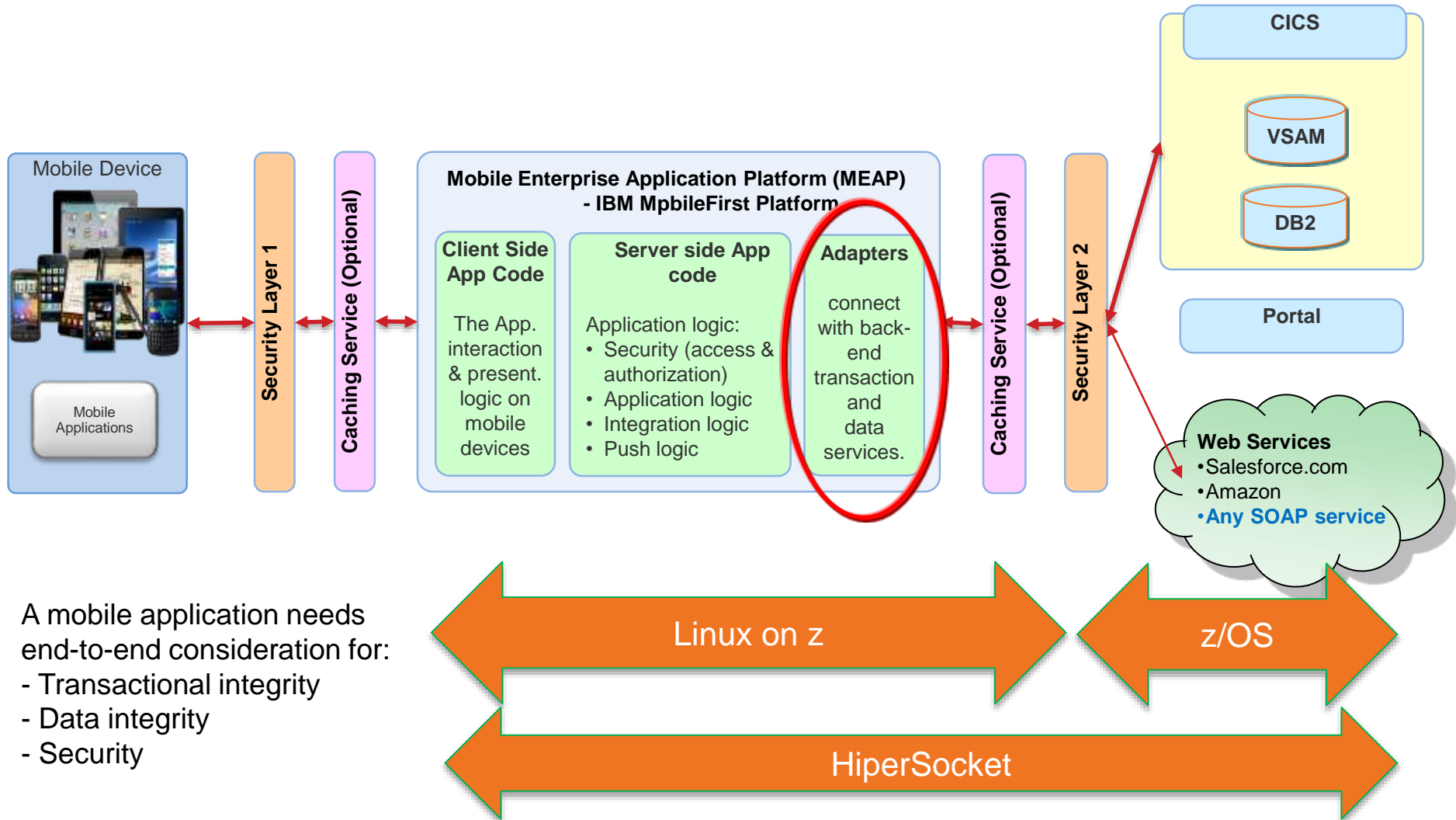
- **Mobile protocol connectivity with core System z applications including CICS, IMS, TPF, MQ, WMB and DB2**

IBM MobileFirst Platform Server in WebSphere



Worklight Video: http://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=player_embedded&v=zHnFw70XXXo

Mobile application overview diagram

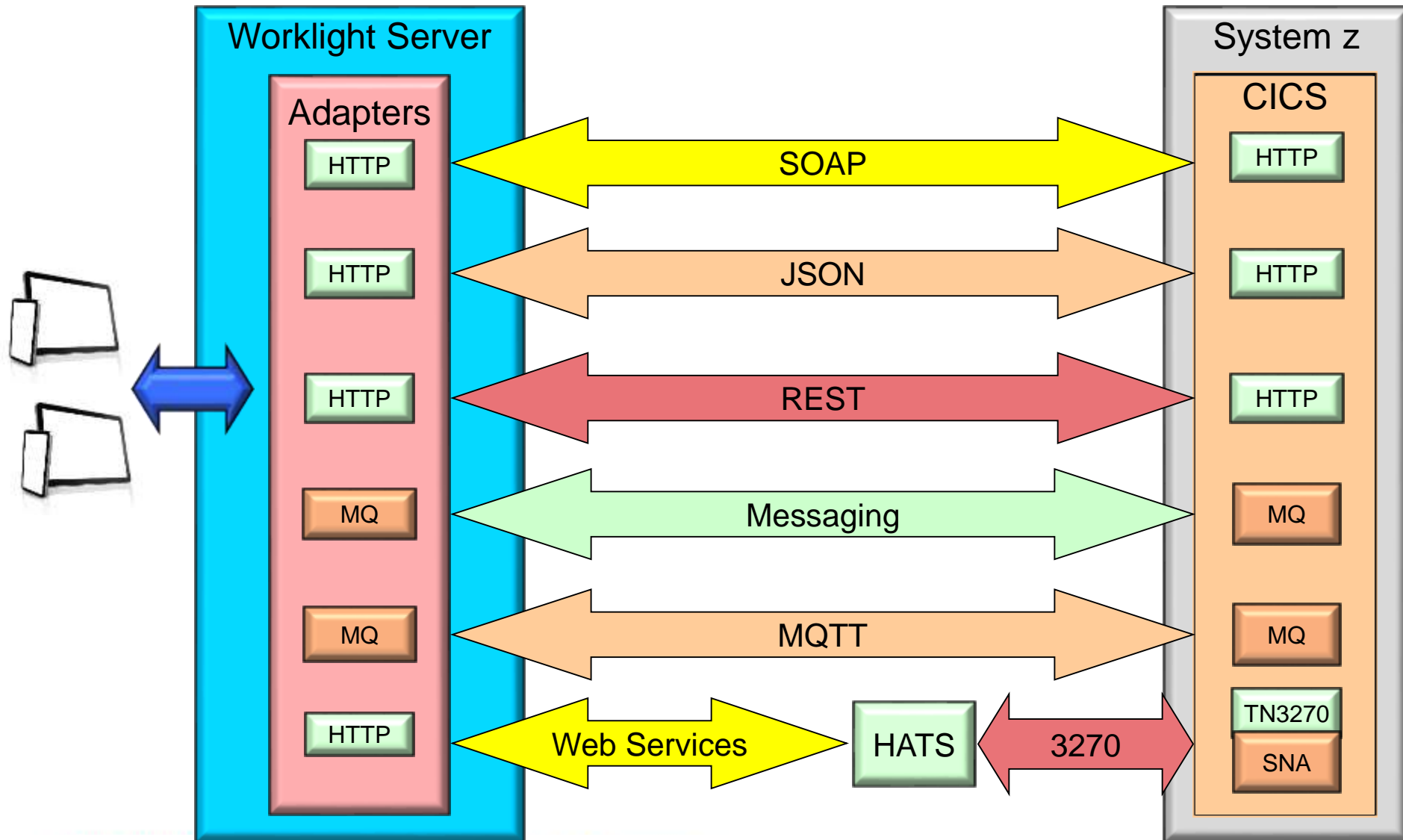


A mobile application needs end-to-end consideration for:

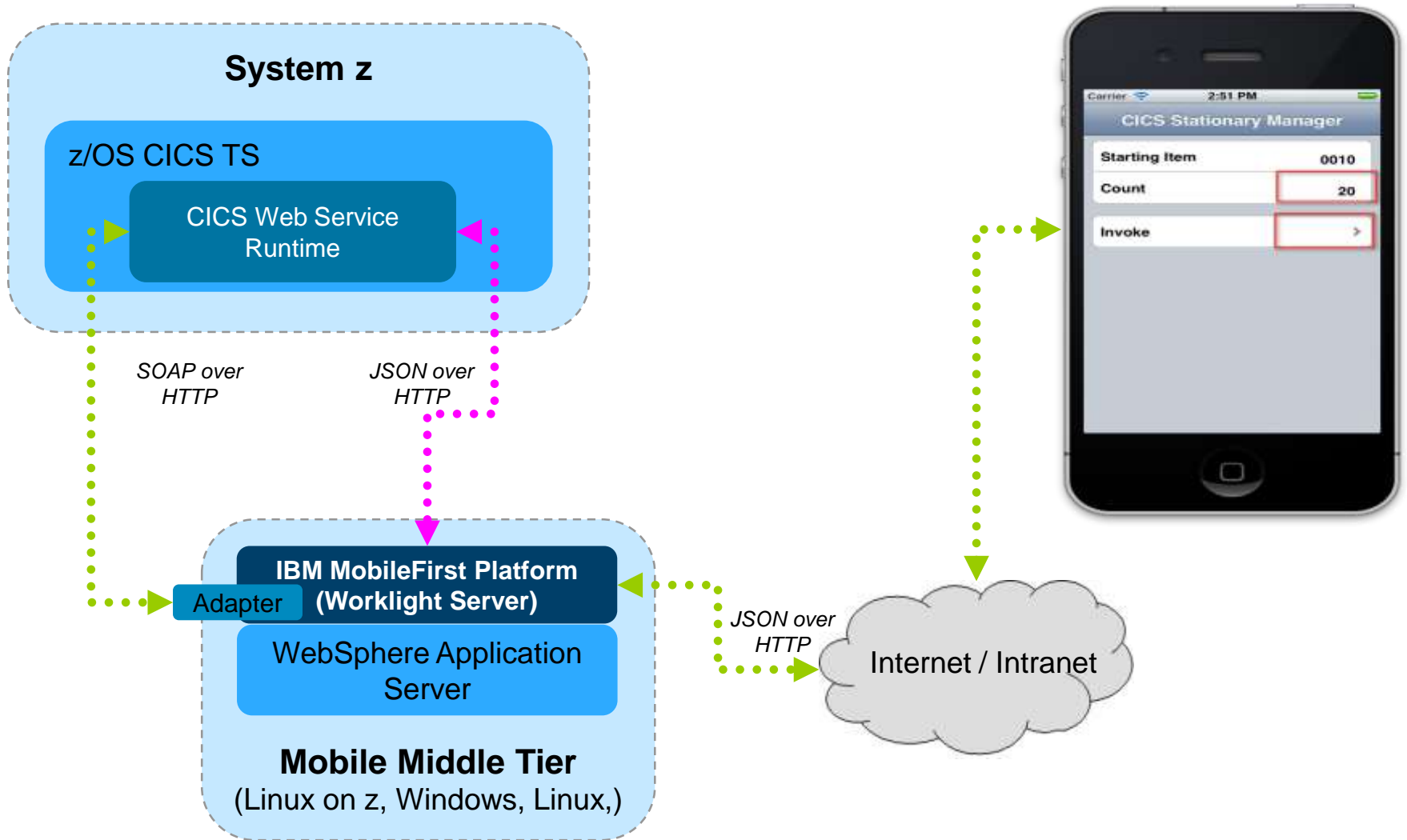
- Transactional integrity
- Data integrity
- Security

Mobile application integration is realized with Worklight Adapters

CICS Connectivity Options with IBM MobileFirst Platform



CICS TS – Easier Communication via JSON (JavaScript Object Notation)

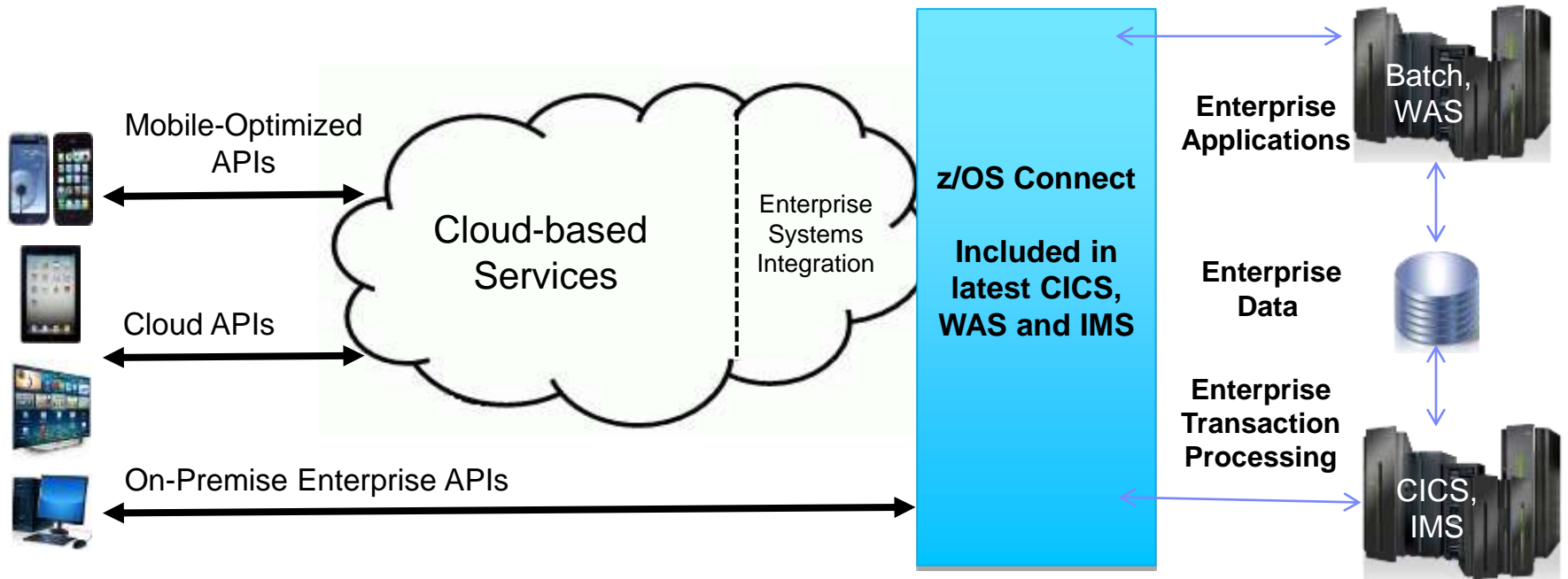




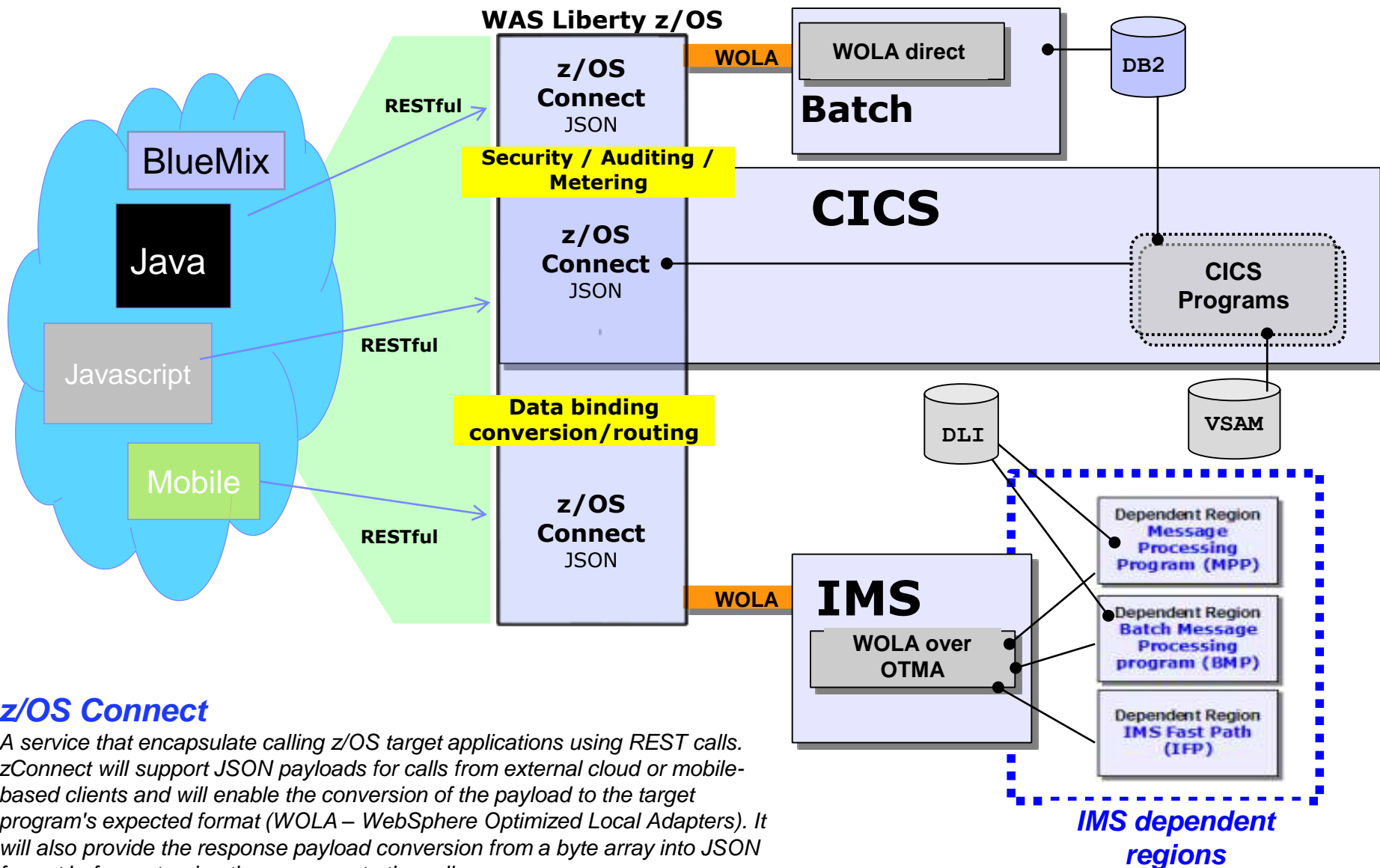
New

IBM WebSphere Liberty z/OS Connect

- **A unified, shared component shipping with the latest levels of WAS, CICS and IMS**
- **Suitable for both on-premise and off-premise access**
- **Hides complexities for connecting with z/OS applications and data using REST services.**
- **Integrates tightly with z/OS qualities of service – Security, Auditing, Chargeback, Metering, Workload balancing.**



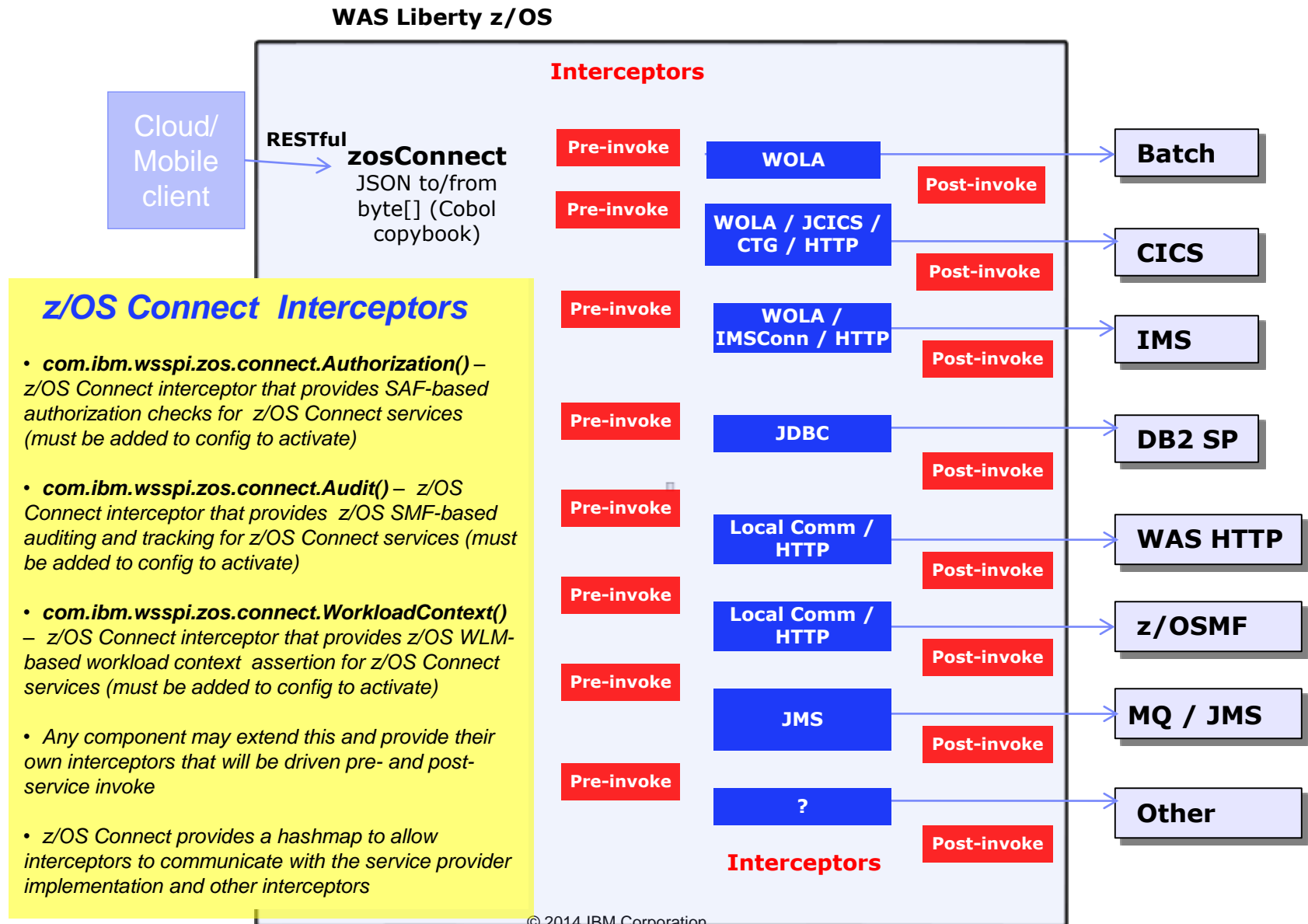
Access to z/OS via z/OS Connect with increased security



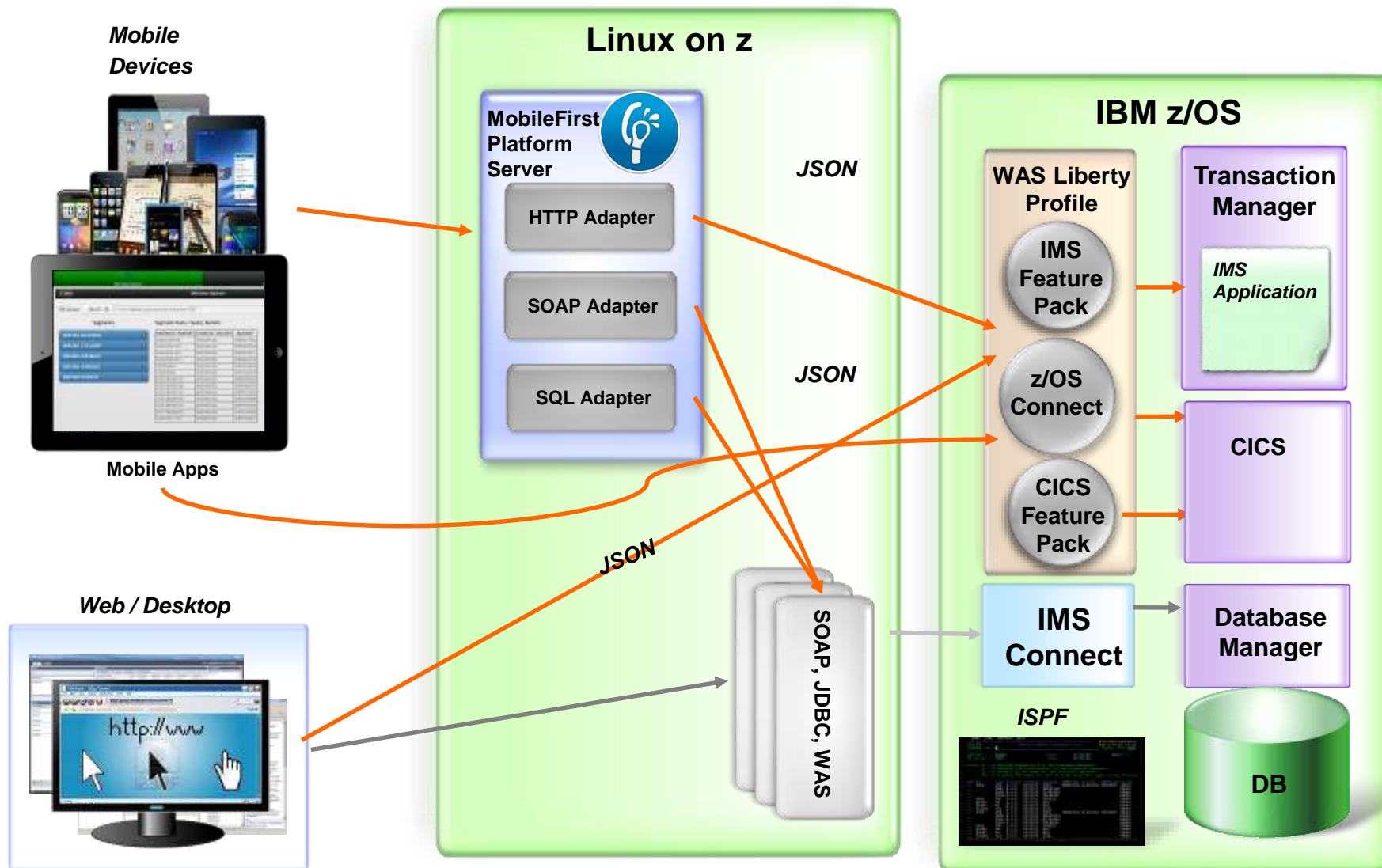
z/OS Connect

A service that encapsulate calling z/OS target applications using REST calls. zConnect will support JSON payloads for calls from external cloud or mobile-based clients and will enable the conversion of the payload to the target program's expected format (WOLA – WebSphere Optimized Local Adapters). It will also provide the response payload conversion from a byte array into JSON format before returning the response to the caller.

z/OS Connect - Security Interceptors

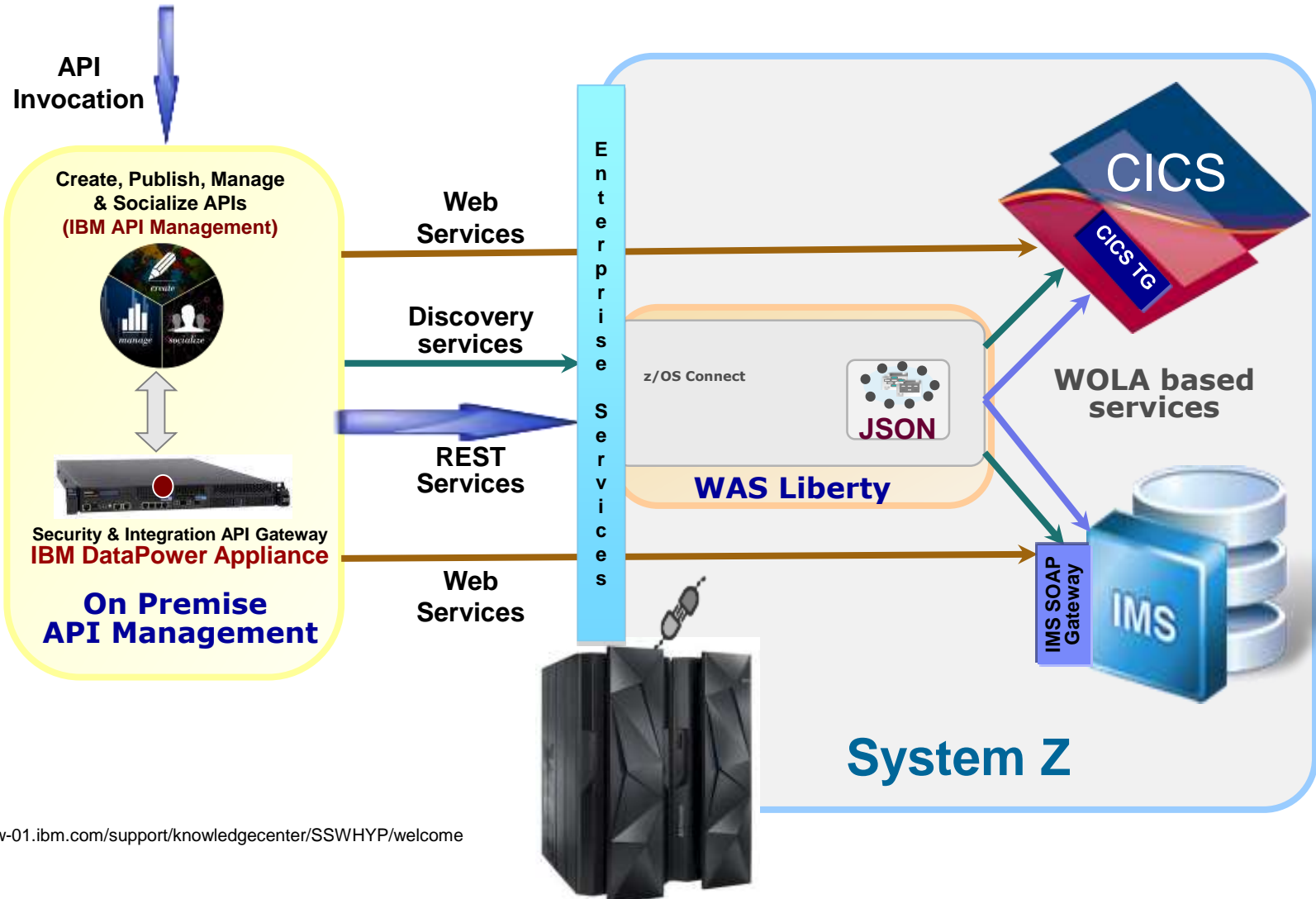


Mobile Enablement with z/OS Connect and Feature Packs



IBM API Management

Discovery and invocation of System z based Services



IBM End-to-End Security capabilities for the mobile enterprise

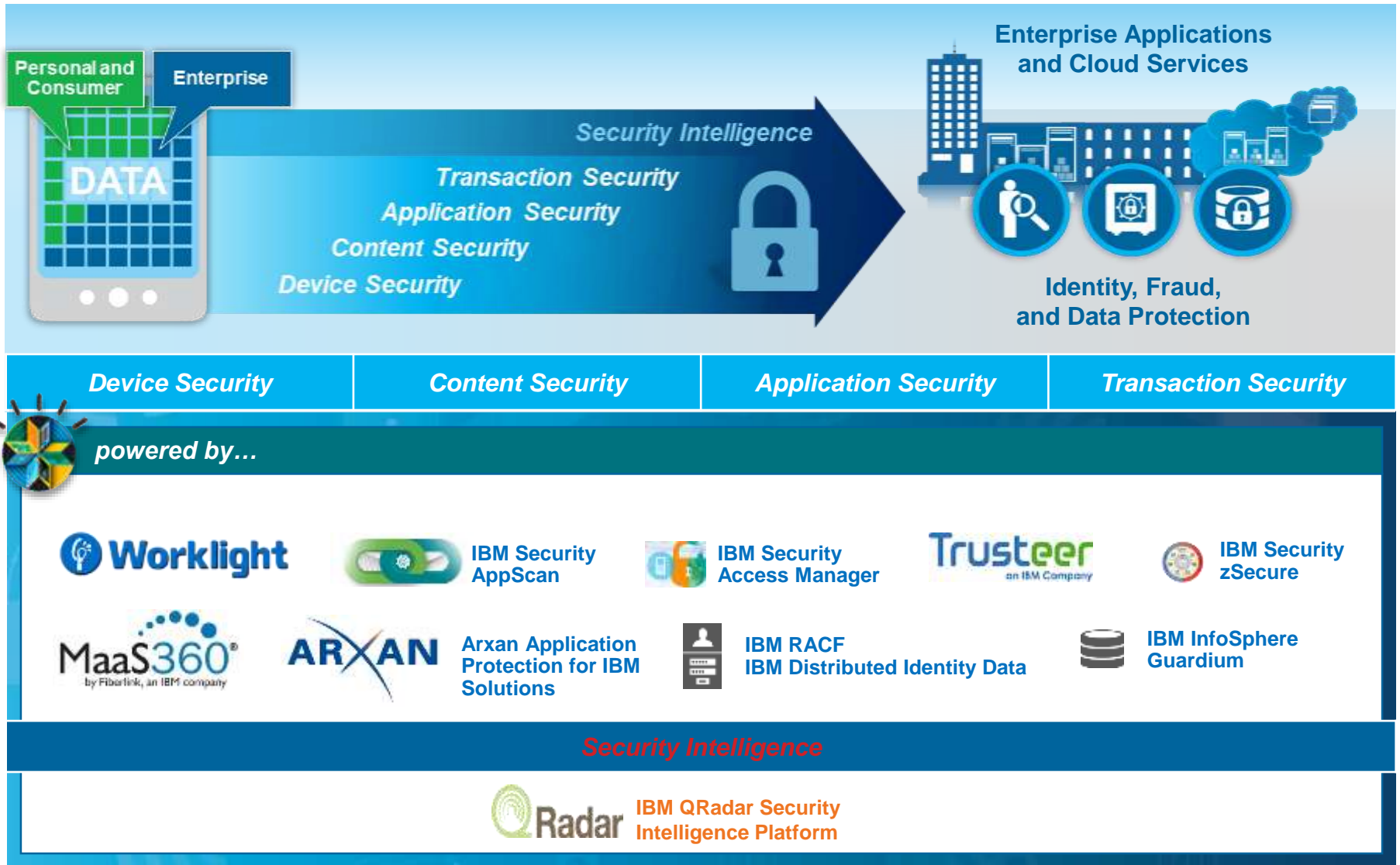


<i>Device Security</i>	<i>Content Security</i>	<i>Application Security</i>	<i>Transaction Security</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Solutions to manage a diverse set of mobile devices from corporate owned assets to BYOD, all from the cloud 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Solutions to help secure file and document sharing across devices and SharePoint 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Solutions to develop applications with security by design Protect enterprise data in both the applications you build and the applications you buy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Solutions to help protect mobile transactions with customers, business partners and temporary workers that are not part of your enterprise mobile

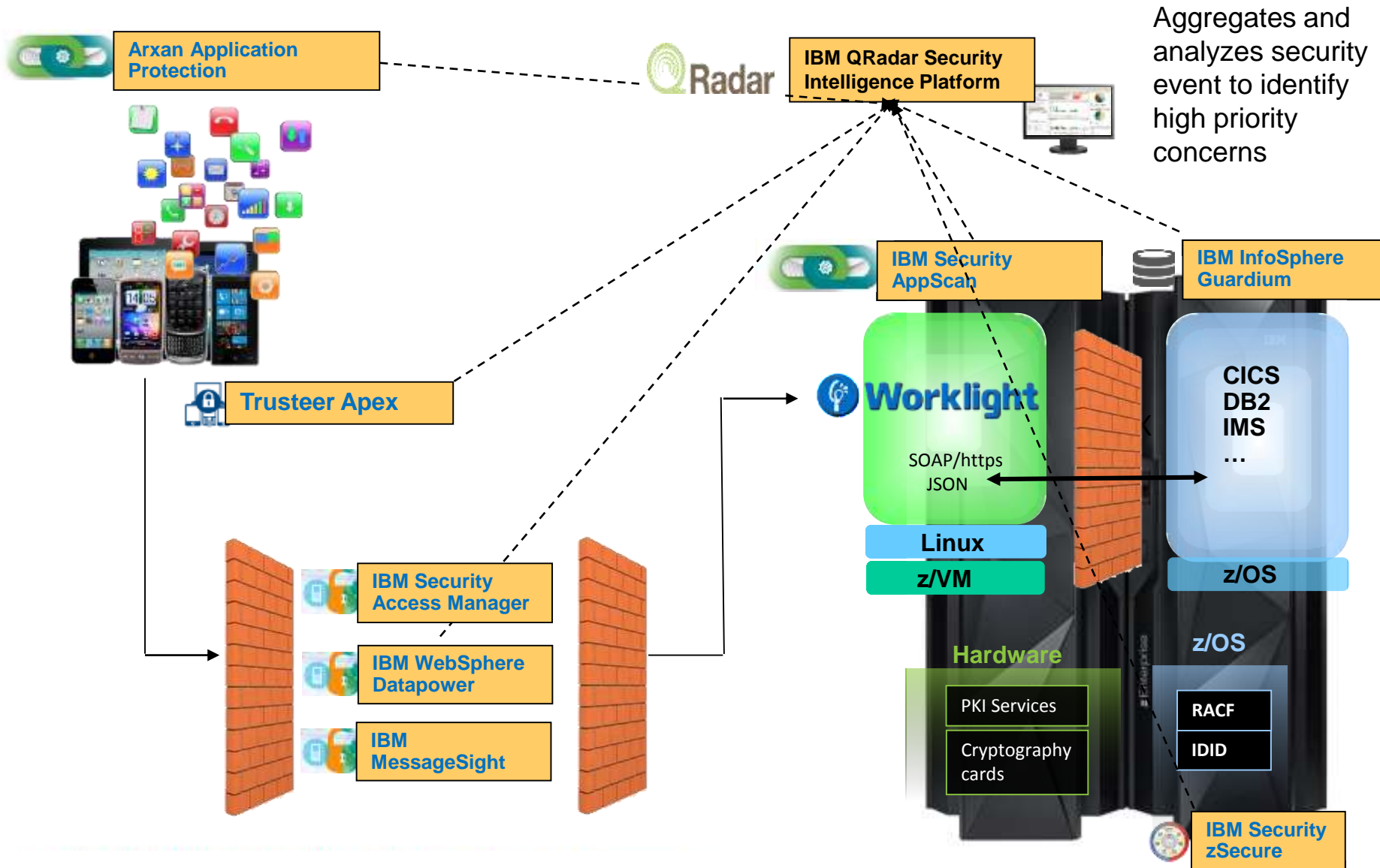
Security Intelligence

A unified architecture for integrating mobile security information and event management (SIEM), log management, anomaly detection, and configuration and vulnerability management

End-to-end Security for enterprise mobile workloads

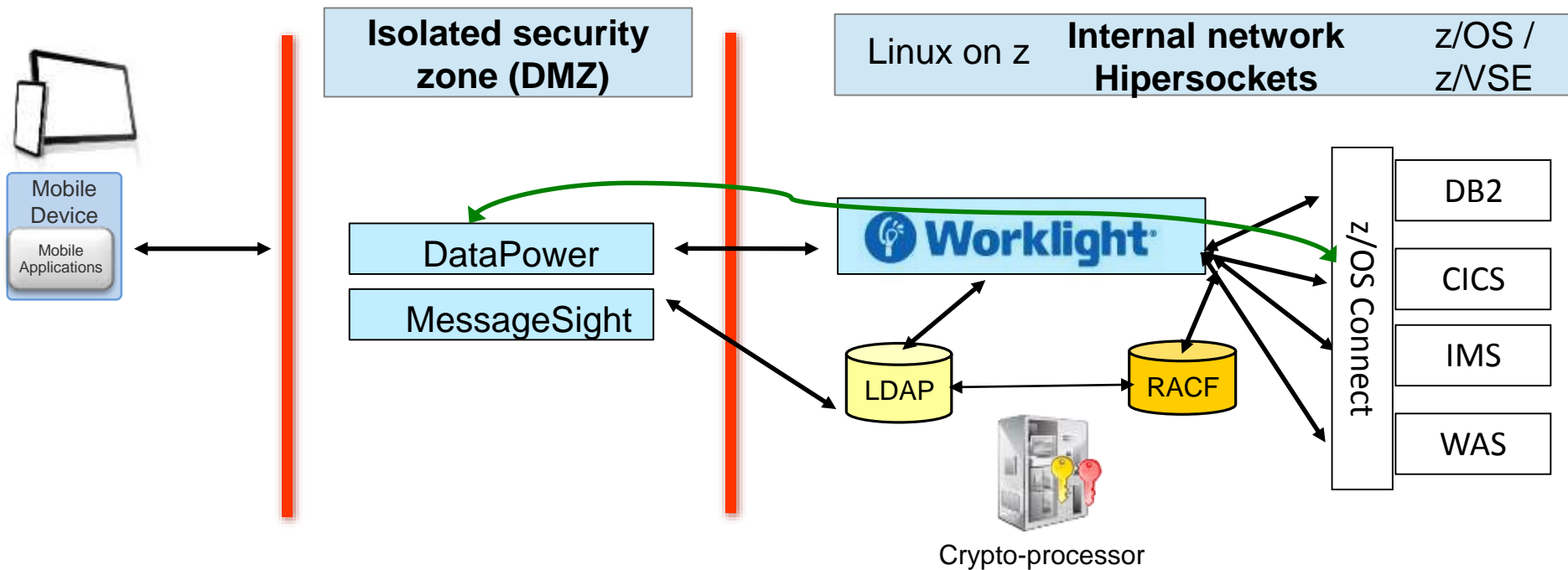


Real-time security intelligence for the Mobile Enterprise



Topology – DataPower as a reverse proxy for MobileFirst Platform

Capabilities	Deployment scenarios	System z benefits
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Combined capabilities of Worklight and DataPower • Datapower in an isolated secured network zone DMZ – DeMilitarized Zone 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • When hybrid mobile apps use a combination of web and Restful interactions • High volume or internet mobile access 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additional benefits of DataPower as a mobile security gateway for Worklight on zLinux • LDAP user registry shared between DataPower and Worklight



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Mobile banking apps recover from glitches



The mobile banking apps of several big banks have been affected by glitches.

RBS, Barclays and Santander all acknowledged problems after complaints by their customers.

RBS, which includes NatWest, said the problems with the apps were due to too many people trying to check their accounts to see how much they had been paid by their employers.

All three banks apologised but said their mobile services were now working as normal.

RBS explained via its Twitter feed that "high traffic" had been responsible for the logjam.

"We are currently experiencing record usage of our mobile banking app. Over 5,500 customers are logging on every minute," it explained.

NatWest told customers: "If you're having difficulty with our mobile app, online banking, telephone banking and ATMs are all working normally."

Santander said its mobile banking app had stalled but was now back to normal: "We apologise for any inconvenience caused while we worked as fast possible to fix the problem."

Personal Banking

The emergence of the counter-free bank branch

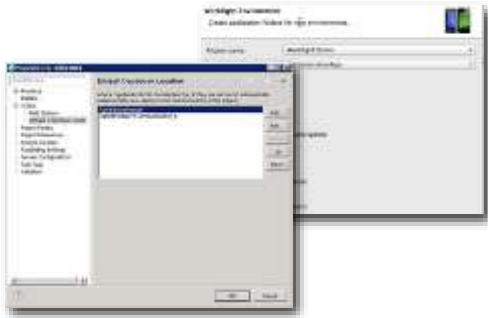
Can supermarkets take on big banks?

What the new TSB means for customers

Q&A: Switching bank accounts

**Scalability
and
security is
crucial !!!**

Cloud based Mobile solution with zEnterprise



System z applications

Core CICS, IMS, DB2 and other applications and databases cloud and mobile ready



Mobile Devices

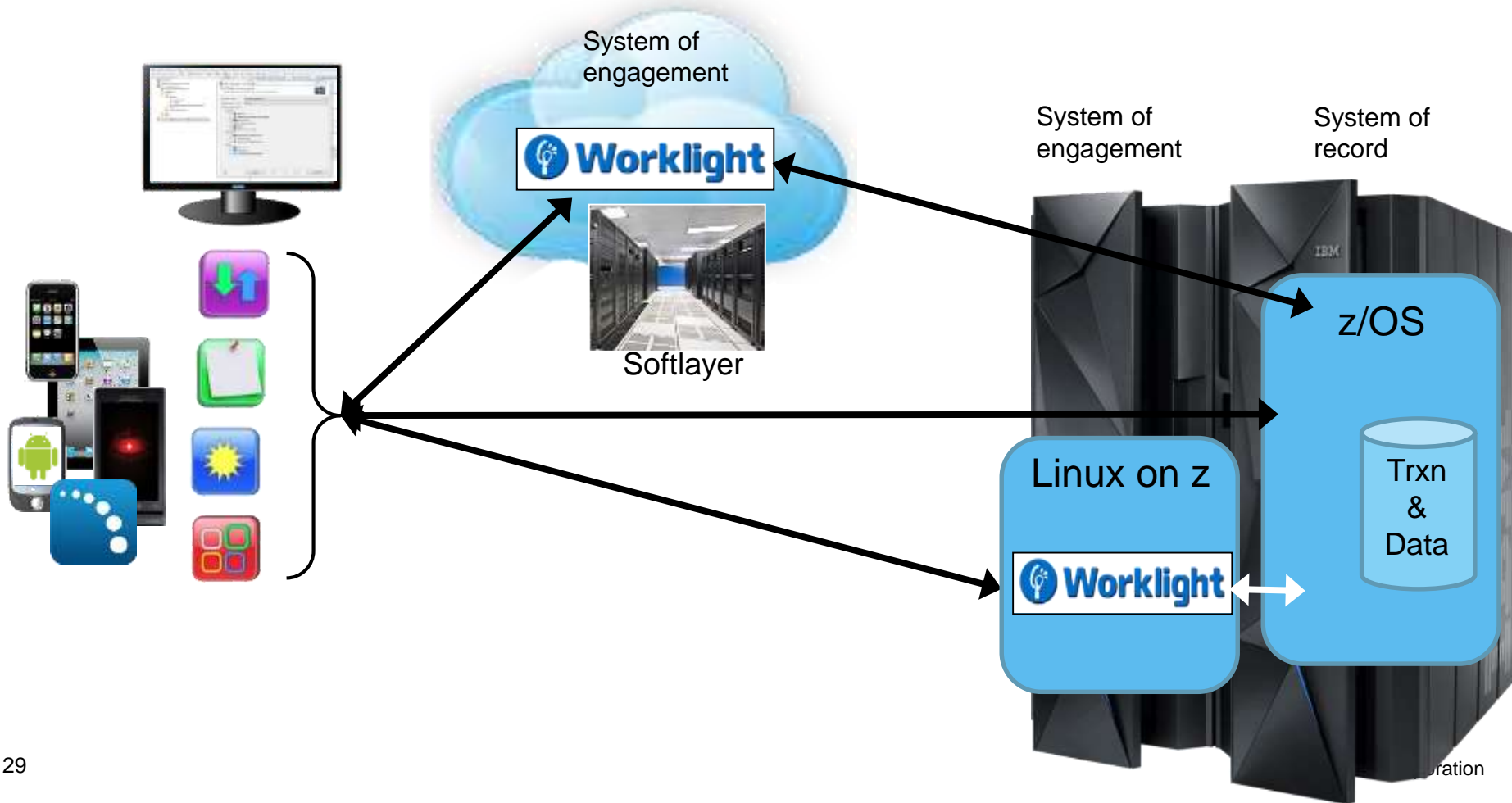
developed for the Cloud through web-based shared apps using Worklight

Infrastructure

Cloud orchestration, provisioning and automation with IBM solutions

Key Mobile Solution scenarios

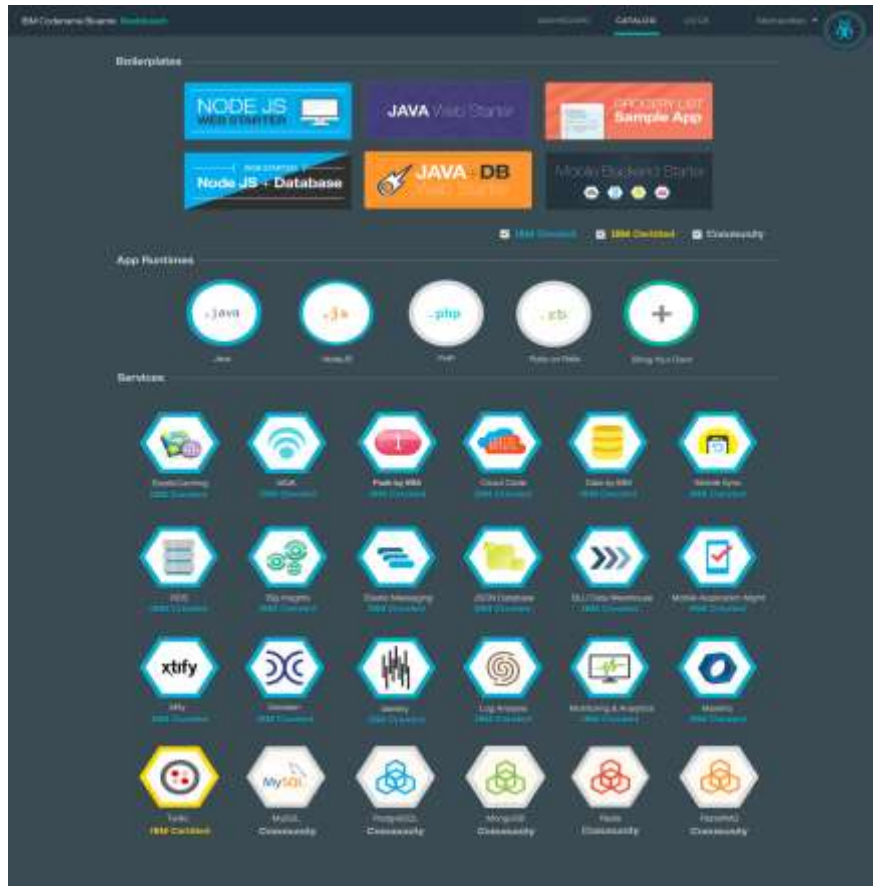
- on premise – with the System of engagement on System z
- off premise – with the System of engagement offsite – i.e. in IBM Softlayer



BlueMix Development environment in Softlayer

Delivering a Composable Services development environment including Mobile

- Softlayer – the off premise distributed cloud platform with secured access to System z resources
- BlueMix – development environment for new applications using composable services



API Catalog

A catalog of developer friendly APIs (IBM & third party) with mobile SDKs, that can be composed into new and existing mobile apps. Configure and manage through the BlueMix portal.

Run Code

The developer can chose from multiple language runtimes or bring their own. Just upload your code and go.

Store Data

The developer can store data in the cloud as a service easily without needing to administer the databases.

Cloud Integration

Build hybrid environments. Connect to on-premises systems of record plus other public and private clouds. Expose your own APIs to your developers.

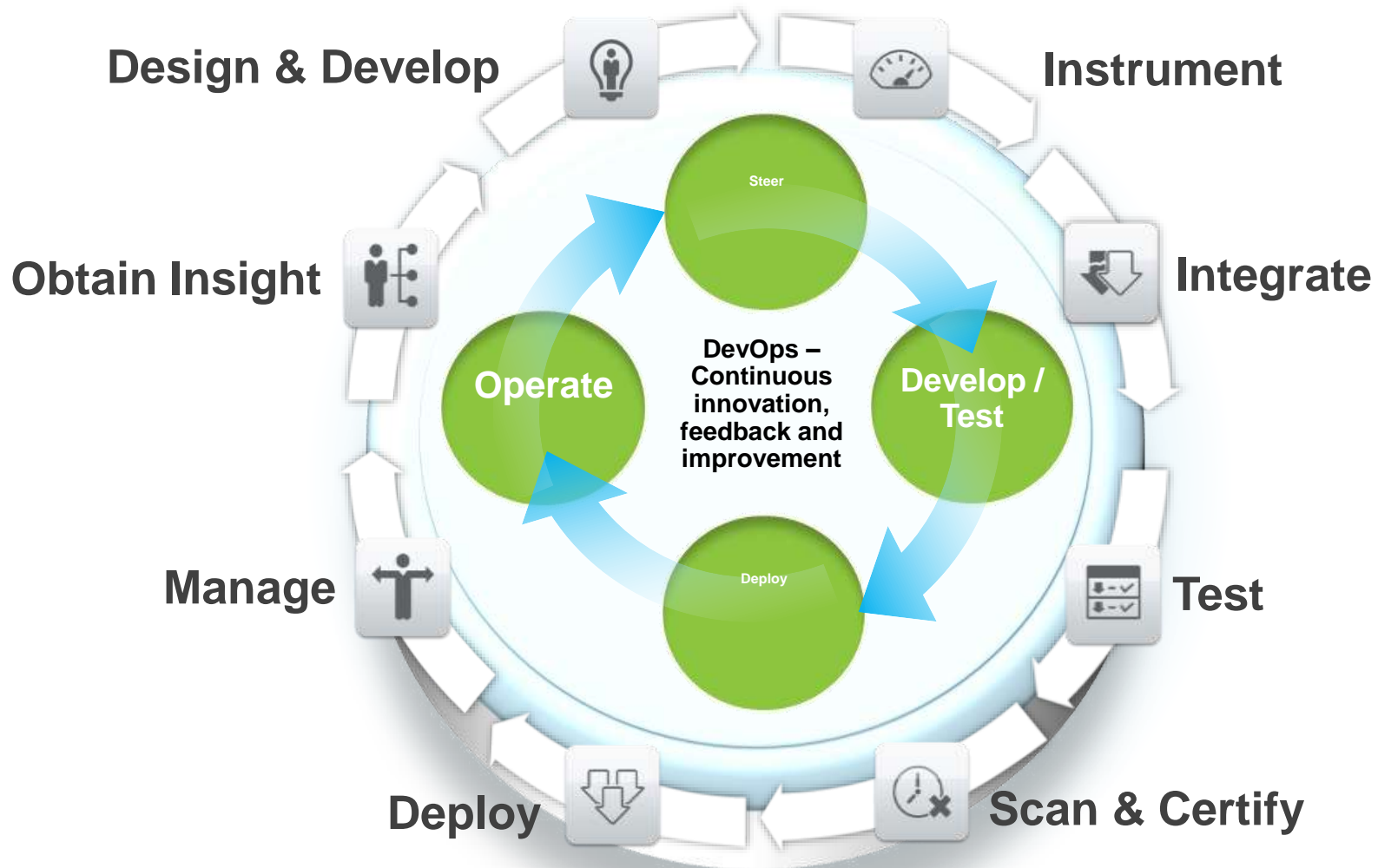
Built on IBM SoftLayer

Runs on top of IBM's leading infrastructure as a service.

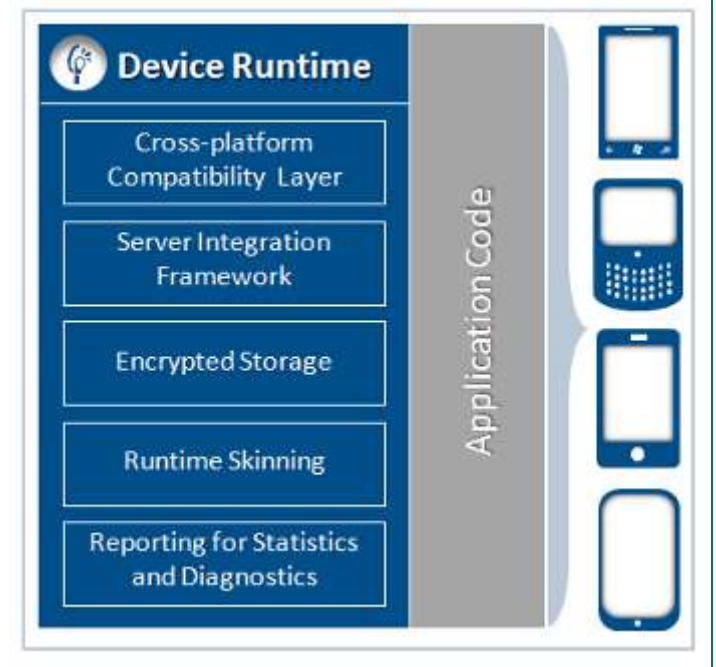
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Enterprise Mobile Development Lifecycle



IBM Worklight Studio & Device Runtime

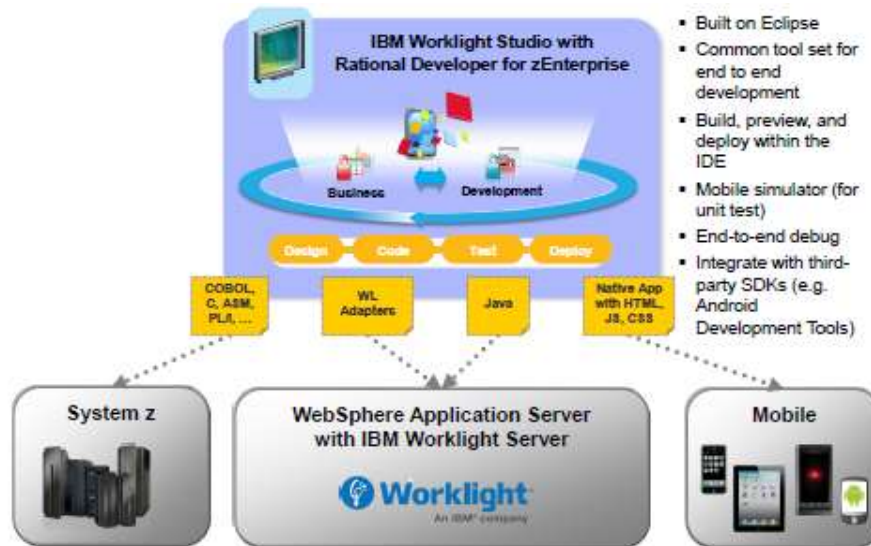


Eclipse based mobile **Integrated Development Environment (IDE)**



Worklight Studio with RDz a complete set of System z and Mobile Development capabilities

Access to typical System z sub-system functionality in z/OS, z/VSE, CICS, IMS, DB2, WAS



- Built on Eclipse
- Common tool set for end to end development
- Build, preview, and deploy within the IDE
- Mobile simulator (for unit test)
- End-to-end debug
- Integrate with third-party SDKs (e.g. Android Development Tools)



Integration for flexible access to System z environment (i.e. COBOL, JCL...)

Robust Mobile Development in conjunction with Worklight

2nd Largest Retailer Worldwide



Worklight environment deployed on zLinux in 7 days

- 2 day software Installation on site
- 5 day Worklight App development (2 days) and integration with CICS (3 days)

Application is currently deployed on a test Linux on z server on z/VM

Case Studies Showcasing IBM client stories >

Banca Carige

Providing superior customer service by launching innovative mobile services on a secure platform

Success Starts Here

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Published on 4 Apr 2014

“Running our mobile banking service on Linux on zEnterprise is another step forward in our continual evolution on the mainframe. The key value for our business is that the most important services can be managed together on a consistent, stable and highly secure platform that offers enormous scalability and performance.”

Daniele Cericola, ICT Governance Manager, Banca Carige

Customer

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Enabling 50,000 students, 5,400 faculty members and staff access to online features anytime, anywhere

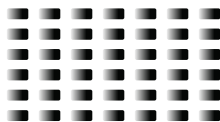
Data provided to students real time

Mobile formatted information of class schedules, textbooks, academic dates, grades, emergency information and campus map

IBM Solution

Accessing CICS with System z information via smartphones

Up to **1M** transactions/day



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Gartner has recognized IBM as a leader in the Magic Quadrant for Mobile Application Development Platforms

Magic Quadrant for Mobile Application Development Platforms

Ian Finley, Van L. Baker, Ken Parmelee, David Mitchell Smith, Ray Valdes, Gordon Van Huizen

Aug 7, 2013

“As unprecedented numbers of enterprises build mobile applications, the mobile application development platform market continues to grow and evolve rapidly.”

This Magic Quadrant graphic was published by Gartner, Inc. as part of a larger research note and should be evaluated in the context of the entire report. The full report is available at <http://ibm.co/13TU2Dm>

Figure 1. Magic Quadrant for Mobile Application Development Platforms



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Travel and transportation



Air Canada

New mobile travel services cut processing transactions 80 percent

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Insurance

American National Insurance

Saving time in the field with rapid, highly secure access to data from mobile devices

[Read the case study \(562 KB\)](#)

Telecommunications

Avea

Cutting deployment problems almost 30 percent and reducing deployment time for middleware services from four hours to ten minutes

[Read the case study \(659 KB\)](#)

Technology

Cincom Systems

Projecting a 20 percent reduction in

Technology

CenterBeam

Delivering 98 percent policy

<http://www.ibm.com/mobilefirst/us/en/see-it-in-action/>

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Strategic Alliances



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IBM – Deutsche Telekom

IBM and Apple cooperation announced 07/2014





Mobile First for iOS



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Developer Garden powered IBM Worklight - Develop and manage your cross-platform applications.

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Developer Garden powered IBM Worklight is a powerful, cloud-based platform to efficiently build, deploy and manage cross-platform applications that your customers will love. This feature-rich and standard-based mobile middleware system supports web, hybrid as well as native apps and provides integration, authentication, security and management capabilities. Develop and run mobile application for all kinds of smart phones and tablets without the need to convert code or to use proprietary languages. Start instantly without installation as we host the app backend for you in Deutsche Telekom's secure data centers in Germany.

Key Features



ECLIPSE BASED IDE

Develop conveniently! The Integrated Development Environment (IDE) is Eclipse-based and makes coding and integration of fully operational applications very pleasant. It supports



GRAPHICAL MONITORING & ADMINISTRATION

Get insights! The web-based administrative graphical user interface (GUI) supports the ongoing monitoring and administration of the

SERVICE INFORMATION

- [Documentation](#)
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HOW DOES IT WORK?

1. Register at [developergarden.com](#) and activate the service
2. Follow the link to the Installation Instructions
3. Download and install the Eclipse-based Integrated Development Environment with Worklight Studio plug-in
4. Create your Worklight application and test it in the development environment
5. Publish the client-side application in the private Worklight app store or the public app store and deploy the server-side

IBM & Twitter

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SAN FRANCISCO and ARMONK, NY - 29 Oct 2014: Twitter and IBM (NYSE: [IBM](#)) today announced a [landmark partnership](#) that will help transform how businesses and institutions understand their customers, markets and trends – and inform every business decision. The alliance brings together Twitter data that distinctively represents the public pulse of the planet with IBM's industry-leading cloud-based analytics, customer engagement platforms, and consulting services.



The collaboration will focus on three areas:

Integration of Twitter data with IBM analytics services on the cloud: IBM plans to offer Twitter data as part of select cloud-based services, including IBM Watson Analytics, a new cognitive service in the palm of your hand that brings intuitive visualization and predictive capabilities to business users; and a cloud-based data refinery service that enables application developers to embed data services in applications. Entrepreneurs and software developers will also be able to integrate Twitter data into new cloud services they are building with IBM's Watson Developer Cloud or IBM Bluemix platform-as-a-service.

New data-intensive capabilities for the enterprise: IBM and Twitter will deliver a set of enterprise applications to help improve business decisions across industries and professions. The first joint solution will integrate Twitter data with IBM ExperienceOne customer engagement solutions, allowing sales, marketing, and customer service professionals to map sentiment and behavior to better engage and support their customers.



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for IBM System z

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New Quick Reference for IBM System z mobile app



Access critical System z information — from the convenience of your Smartphone

The free Quick Reference for IBM System z mobile app, now available for Android, BlackBerry and iPhone, provides quick and easy access to the latest System z product information, success stories, social networks, and z experts.

Key features

- Latest product highlights, descriptions, and specifications
- Client success stories
- Automatic content updates
- Core product content available without connectivity
- Access to relevant social networks, venues, and z experts
- One-touch communication with IBM
- Links to more System z information on the Web
- Sign-up options for additional exciting updates via e-mail or SMS

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Mobilize the Mainframe

Take advantage of unique Characteristics

- Massive scalability in a single footprint, to handle the workload of millions of devices and sensors
- Workload Management to provide a quick reaction to sharp spikes in demand
- High Availability with Worklight and WebSphere Clusters in a highly virtualised Linux on System z environment
- Co-location of the Worklight server application with data and transactions on z/VSE and z/OS reduces the latency of access to System z data.
- Hipersockets provides the best communication between Worklight apps and System of Record.
- Hardware encryption speeds SSL applications
- Business Resiliency for critical mobile apps

Infrastructure matters for mobile applications. The System z platform's scalability, security, and resilience can enhance critical mobile applications.



Interested in mobile and System z ? Next steps...

- **Boeblingen is European Center of Competence (CoC) for Mobile**
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System z in a Mobile World

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By Nigel Williams, Certified IT Specialist, and Frank van der Wal, Certified IT Specialist

Mobile from an enterprise perspective

As organizations engage with customers, partners, and employees who are increasingly using mobile as their primary general-purpose computing platform, these organizations have tremendous opportunity to transact—everything from exchanging information to exchanging goods and services, from employee self-service to customer service. This mobile engagement allows you to build new insight into your customer's behavior so that you can anticipate their needs and gain a competitive advantage by offering new services.

Becoming a mobile enterprise is about re-imagining your business around constantly connected customers and employees. The speed of mobile adoption dictates transformational innovation rather than incremental innovation. Mobile really is a "disrupt or be disrupted" technology.

This brings some specific challenges:

- ▶ Reacting to a new set of user expectations about the way they interact with your company
- ▶ Delivering high-quality mobile applications quickly and efficiently
- ▶ Coping with sudden unexpected increases in mobile-initiated transactions, for example when a new sales offer becomes available
- ▶ Managing a wide range of different devices and adapting the existing enterprise security framework to the unique security challenges of a mobile environment

Business benefits of mobility

Mobile solutions are pushing companies to rethink the user experience, from the presentation of data to the interaction patterns that are required to integrate new and existing business services. This change in the way that you interact with customers can improve service and enable new business opportunities.

Figure 1 on page 2 shows how mobile enablement can be used to improve customer service in banking. It shows the following scenarios:

1. When a large or unusual payment is captured, the client is asked to authorize the transaction using a mobile device (for example, by using a biometric authentication). This type of solution improves fraud detection and, therefore, potentially saves the bank money.
2. If the client's credit card is not returned by an ATM, a message can be sent informing the client of the location of the nearest branch. This solution limits the risk of customer dissatisfaction.

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Technology Preview App: z/OS Event and Performance Management

- Access to z/OS performance data from mobile devices
- Receive push notifications from z/OS on mobile devices
- Single point of control for the enterprise
- Developed with IBM Worklight Studio
- Prototype operational for Android OS
- Current availability target is 1Q 2015
- Supported Monitoring Facilities:
 - RMF Performance Data Portal
 - z/OSMF Resource Monitoring

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z/OS Performance Management

Development



IBM System z in a Mobile World

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■ Understanding the business context in a mobile world

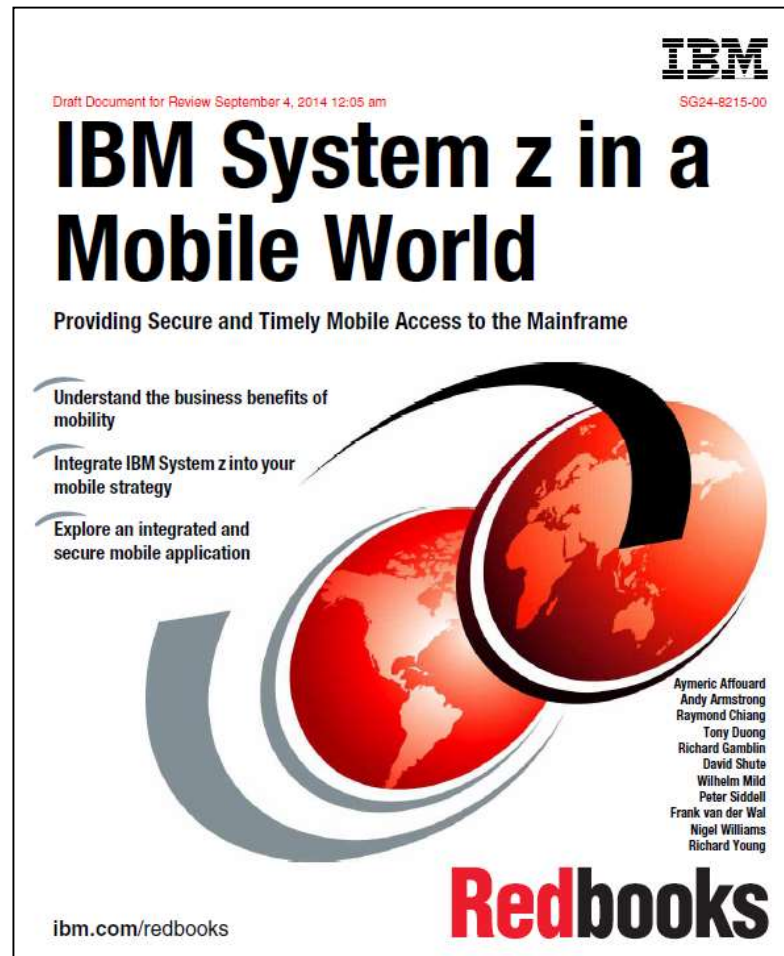
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■ Architecting and planning the solution

6. Deployment models
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8. Designing for resilience
9. Designing for security

■ Customer scenario

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11. Agile approach to deliver applications
12. Deploying to a HA infrastructure
13. Enabling E2E security
14. Mobile analytics



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Additional information in Mobile Redbooks

- [*Transform Your Organization into a Mobile Enterprise with IBM Worklight*](#), *Solution Guide*, published 9 October 2013
- [*Extending Your Business to Mobile Devices with IBM Worklight*](#), SG24-8117-00 *Redbooks*, published 12 August 2013
- [*IBM MobileFirst Strategy Software Approach*](#), SG24-8191-00 *Draft Redbooks*, 5 December 2013
- [*IBM System z in a Mobile World*](#), *Solution Guide*, published 21 February 2014
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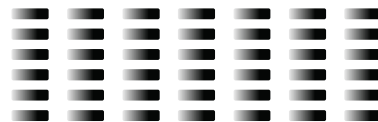


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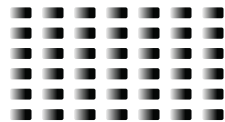


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