

IBM WebSphere S&S Video As Produced Transcript

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Jagan Karuturi, Product Manager, IBM Application Infrastructure

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Jagan Karuturi: Customers require standards. Customers ask us for developer productivity, operations productivity. So we have been working on a solid foundation that provides those features for the customers.

Sid Bhatia: Several of our customers have told us that they want a quicker way to get going on their SOA journey. They have asked for a prescriptive task-driven approach to guide them without giving them too many choices, and we have actually productized in our latest release of our portfolio.

Jagan Karuturi: We announced three products in the application infrastructure space. One is WAS, WebSphere Application Server Version 8.0. It provides the ability to build robust applications for our customers. It also provides various programming models for developer productivity.

Sid Bhatia: I am also very excited about the availability of our latest version of WebSphere MQ Low Latency Messaging. In Version 2.6, we can handle increased throughput of 98 million messages per second and reduced latency of one microsecond.

Jagan Karuturi: We also announced IBM Workload Deployer. This allows our customers to deploy applications into the private cloud and we provide a lot of enhanced features for performance, scalability, and reliability of the application infrastructure.

Sid Bhatia: A major theme within the WebSphere Connectivity portfolio of products is connecting within the enterprise and beyond the enterprise. For example, internal innovation, Cloud integration as well as business to business.

Jagan Karuturi: With WebSphere Application Server Version 8, we have significantly improved the overall install process. The install program allows our customers to not only install the product when we provide the fixes and enhancements in the future.

Sid Bhatia: If you are an active subscriber of Subscription and Support, you can download all these great enhancements and new products from IBM Passport Advantage Online.

Jagan Karuturi: They can also get enhancements we make through Feature Packs, so that they get access to standards early on before we actually roll it into the product. And we keep the base stable and we deliver these Feature Packs so that developers can use the standards ahead of time.

Sid Bhatia: Subscription and Support protects the investment you made.