

# International OpenVMS Forum

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## Agenda

- Company update
  - Reason we exist
  - Value to our customers
  - Capacity to deliver
- Roadmap update
- Questions

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The Reason We Exist

In 2013 HPE announced end of support for OpenVMS

#### Our Start

Why we exist

In 2014, Swedish entrepreneur, Johan Gedda and a group of former HPE/DEC executives founded VSI as part of the Teracloud Group. The objective was to keep the OpenVMS eco-system alive and to <a href="mailto:protect customer and partner investments">protect customer and partner investments</a>.

#### Our Vision

What want to achieve

By linking the past to the future, we help OpenVMS users to protect and realize the **full value of their applications**.

#### Our Mission

What we need to do

We combine leading edge technology and new industry standards with OpenVMS systems to provide our customers and partners with choice and opportunity to profitably prioritize business needs.

Value To Our Customers

# Investments to protect customer investments

Product Development

- Itanium support
- X86 support
- PerfDAT
- Layered products

New Standards & Technologies

- LLVM compilers
- Open source
- ISV support
- Cloud services

Professional services

- Core services
- Migration services
- Application services
- Operational services

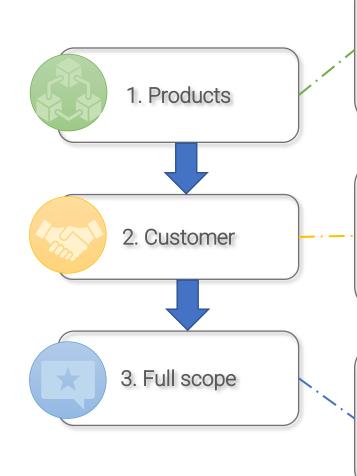
New alternatives & Extended timelines

Customer choice based on business driven decisions



# Evolution to meet customer expectations

Step by step approach to support customer needs and priorities



- Hire the best to re-vitalize and improve current product line
- Fix problems, build new features and adapt to industry standards and enable emerging technologies
- Outline development plan and product roadmap

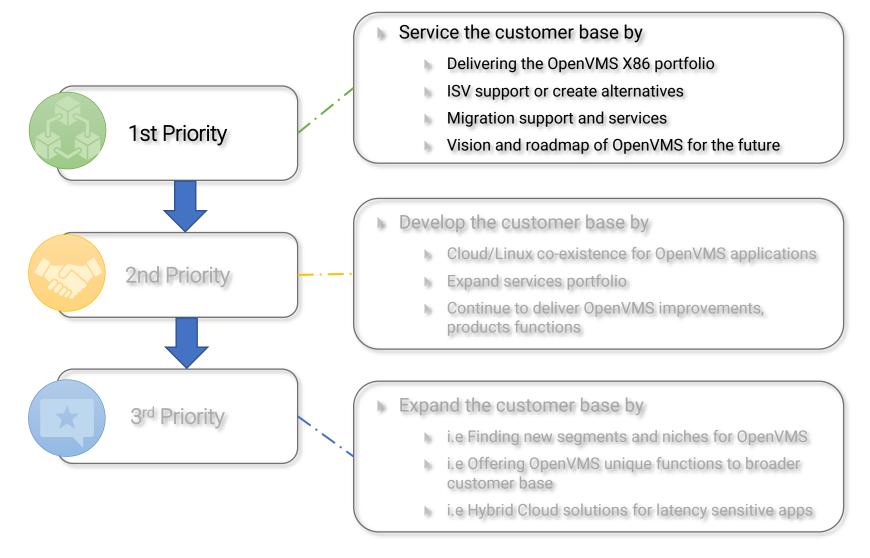
- Engage with key accounts to confirm and drive R&D roadmap.
- Provide first-class technical support offered around the clock.
- Offer training and technical consulting

- Provide services to support customer initiatives and needs
- Expand partnership with ISVs, partners and distributors
- Support customer strategy through understanding of current position, alternatives and business impact



# Priorities to meet customer expectations

Step by step approach to support customer needs and priorities







# Experienced leadership





- 7 years at Teracloud Inc
- 20+ years industry experience with enterprise software at Rocket Software and 21st Century Software

Brett Cameron



Clair Grant



Dave Sweeny



John Ross



Magnusson

Account Management



Danielle

Dickie



Chief Financial Officer

Human Resource

- 6 vears at VSI
  - 25 years with large enterprise HR at Boston Globe Media RSA, AppNeta, and Access Information Management.

- Chief Solutions Officer
- 7 years at VSI
- 20 years distributed systems, transaction processing and SW modernization at HPE and University of Canterbury.
- 7 years at VSI
- 40 years operating system development at DEC, Compag and HPE
- 7 years at VSI
- 25 years software implementation at DEC and HPE.
- 1 years at VSI
- 20+ years of sales. marketing and business development in the software industry

- - 30+ years at sales and marketing positions in the IT industry and at major multinationals

2 years at VSI

- 6 years at VSI
- 20 years financial management in the SW industry at 21st Century Software

- Solid and proven experience of software and operating system development
- Proven ability to recruit and train future specialists and leaders
- Strong project and professional services record
- Used to working internationally and with global customers and deliveries



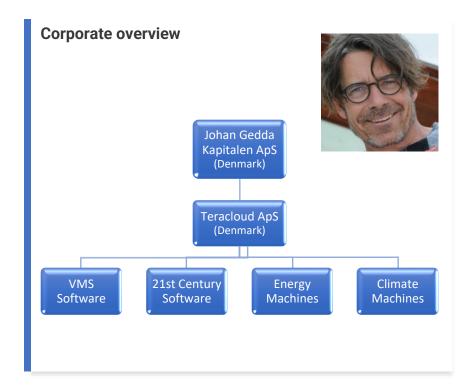
# VMS Software on a solid foundation

#### **Teracloud fundamentals**

- Teracloud was founded in 2013 by serial entrepreneur Johan Gedda with 30+ years in advanced software industry
- Johan Gedda profile
  - ▶ Co-Founder of Rocket Software driving product development and growth in ZOS environment
  - Successfully led Rocket's strategy to a 200 MUSD revenue business.
  - ► Former Director of Paradigm, multi-national software business
  - Swedish national based in Denmark
- Solid balance sheet and healthy financials
- Experienced management team with proven record of operating systems, system software, IS/IT infrastructure, critical systems and professional services.

#### Teracloud strategy

- Combine leading edge technology and proven systems
- Protect customer and partner assets
- Target growth by investments in R&D
- Solve business problems with products and services
- Partnerships model with major OEM HPE, IBM and Dell FMC

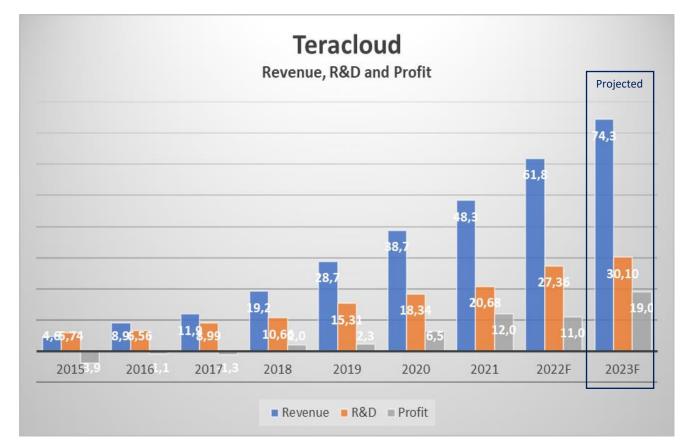


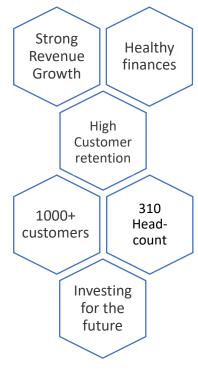
#### **Customer Benefits**

- Protecting investments
- New alternatives and opportunities
- Control of strategy, direction and priorities
- Cost savings potential
- Increased profitability



# Growth, R&D and positive outlook





- Wide customers base with broad industry and geographical coverage
- High customer retention and acceptance of VSI as partner/supplier
- Increasing interaction with V9.2 and native compilers in reach
- Significant business opportunity for profitable growth



### Balance for the future

#### Core OS and layered products

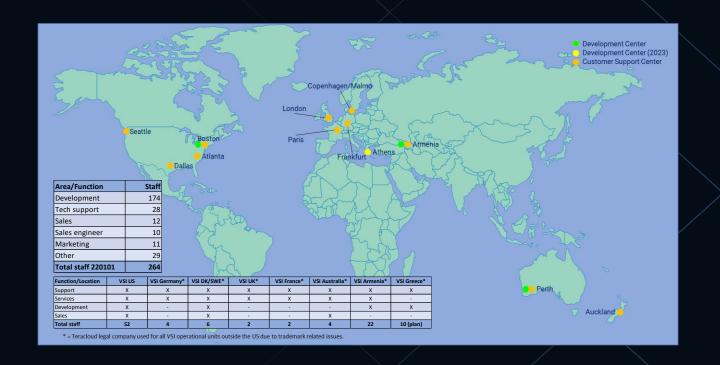
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#### Compilers

- Split between the **US** and **Armenia**.
- Plan to expand team in <u>Armenia</u> to support the top set of compilers

#### Open Source

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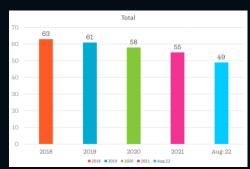
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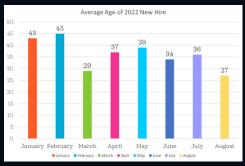
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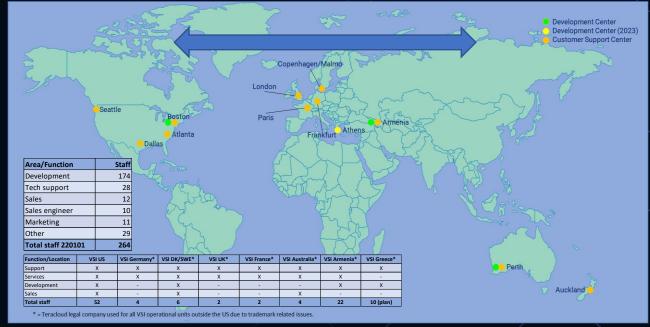
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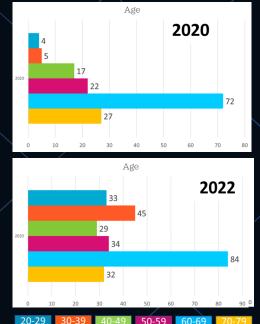
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# Summary

#### **VSI** is not a department – it is a company completely dedicated to:

- Developing outstanding and innovative products and solutions
- Combining proven systems with leading technologies and industry standards
- Providing unique high-level support, training and professional services
- Protecting customers investments

#### **VSI** is a company characterized by:

- Healthy finances, profitability and growth
- High customer retention
- Solid management team and owner
- Growing staff and belief in the future
- Continuous investments to support customer needs

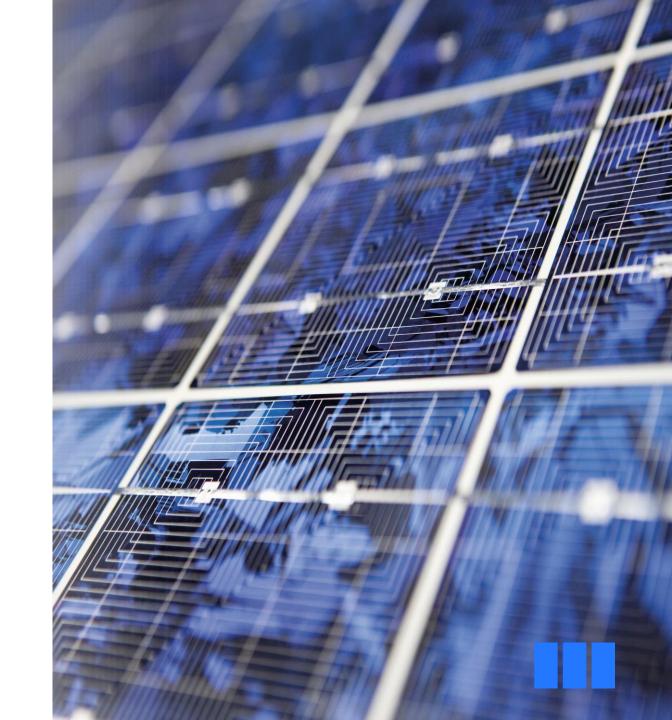




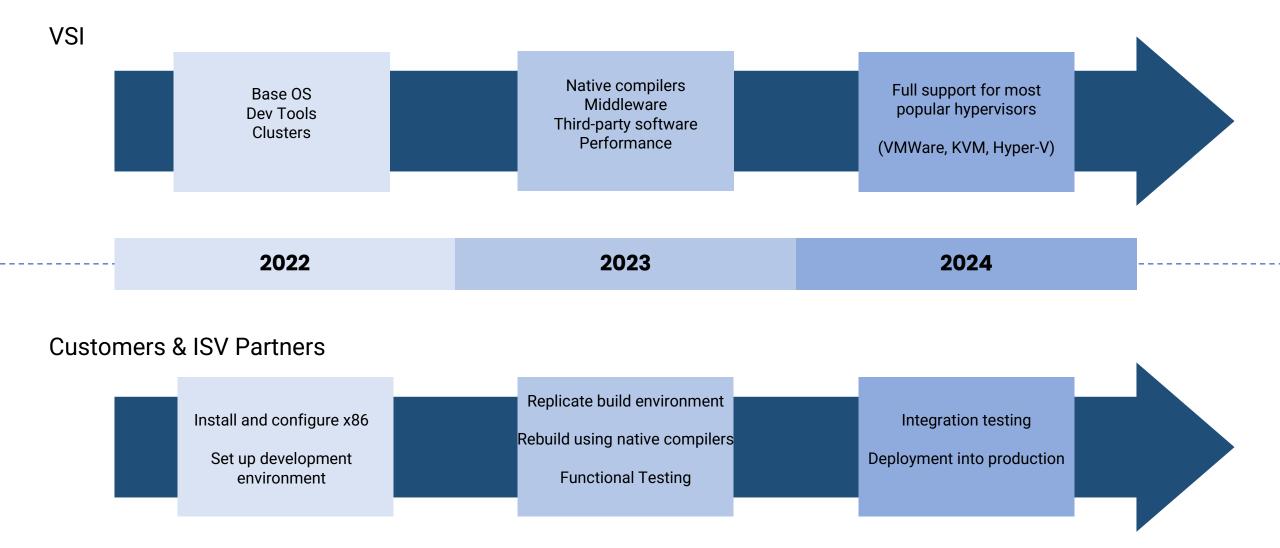
## VSI R&D x86 Objectives

#### To port the **entire OpenVMS ecosystem** to x86

- OpenVMS OS
- Development tools
  - Compilers (C/C++, COBOL, FORTRAN, Pascal, BASIC)
  - OpenJDK
  - DECset
  - Debugger
- Layered Products and Open Source
- Third-party applications (middleware, databases, etc.)
- Customer applications



### x86 Timeline



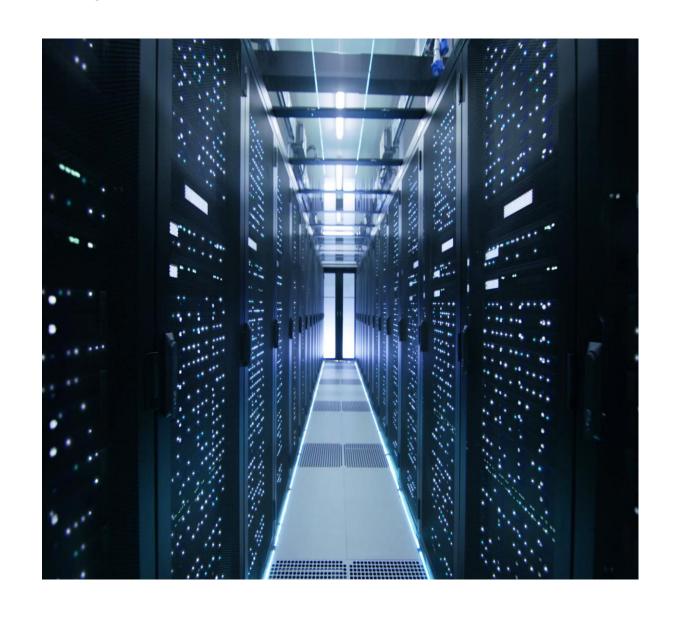
### Current state of OpenVMS Ecosystem

#### OpenVMS

- 9.2 Update 2 is 95% functionally complete
- 9.2-1 Field test ready in March
- One missing component: ACME Agent

#### Layered Products and Open Source

- Most have been ported to x86
- Complete list is available here:
   <a href="https://vmssoftware.com/products/list/">https://vmssoftware.com/products/list/</a>



### Current state of OpenVMS Ecosystem

#### C++

- Internal testing is underway. We use it to build OpenJDK for x86 and other applications written in C++
- Field test is underway. Sign up to participate.

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- Preparing for field test.
- An excessive internal testing is in progress.
- Field test is underway. Sign up to participate.

#### **FORTRAN**

- Have a version that looks very good.
- Will focus on it once C and C++ are out
- Field test is underway. Sign up to participate.

#### Debugger

Under testing. Will be included in 9.2-1

#### Pascal, Cobol and Open JDK

Moving better than plan

OpenVMS is currently built using the cross-compilers. A project is ongoing to build OpenVMS using the native compilers. It is in very early stage.

# Current state of OpenVMS Ecosystem

Third-party applications (middleware, databases etc.)

We are working with ISVs to assist them with porting their software to x86

Some major vendors are already porting

Some vendors do not plan to port their apps to x86

 We will provide alternatives to their software based on customer input



## OpenVMS v9.2-1 (H1 2023)

"First step to achieve the strategic goals. Stable enough to be used by customers and ISVs to port their applications to x86."



Intuitive use



AMD support



Performance



Task-based documentation

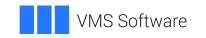


Most popular native compilers



OpenJDK Beta





# Thank you

