# Pervasive Big Blue

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### Two Quotes...

I think there is a market for maybe five computers worldwide.

-THOMAS J. WATSON, CHAIRMAN OF IBM, 1943

The second important trend we are preparing for is called "pervasive computing" ... So the networked world ... will extend further to interconnect perhaps a trillion "intelligent" devices.

-Louis V. Gerstner, Jr., Chairman and CEO of IBM, 1998 [?]

### Pervasive? Ubiquitous? Pervasive!

**Ubiquitous:** existing or being everywhere at the same time, constantly encountered [?]

Pervasive: diffusing throughout every part of [?]

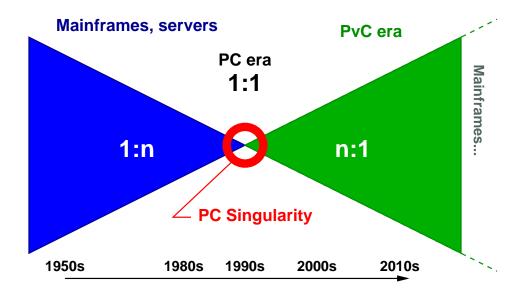
- Ubiquitous is now... Boring!
- Pervasive is not yet... Exciting!

## What is Pervasive Computing?

- The Perfect Funding Tools by definition everything fits into PvC...
- Computers disappear, environment and computing devices blend into one another
- "Age of calm technology"[?]

- Interconnected-ness
- Wide range of fields (networking, UI, OS, distributed systems, security, DB, electrical eng, sociology, psychology, design,...)

## Past the PC Singularity











TJ Watson: multi-modal, web, India: Wirless net modelling & gryphon, voice,...

Almaden: PAN, micro drive, TSpaces, DB, Blue Eyes,...

Austin: PowerPC, web timing,...

Tokyo: WatchPad, GinJo net,

LCD, Dharma

China: M-Commerce, Chinese lang supp,...

analysis,...

Haifa: Palm Pirate, internet telephony,...

Zurich Mobile comp, security service provisioning,...

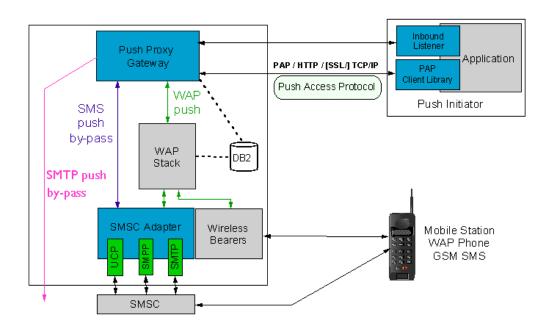
### Coming Up. . .

- Mobile (research) activities
  - Push Proxy GW
  - Intelligent Notification
  - Context Services
  - Multimodal
  - Fluid Communications
  - DAB Datacasting

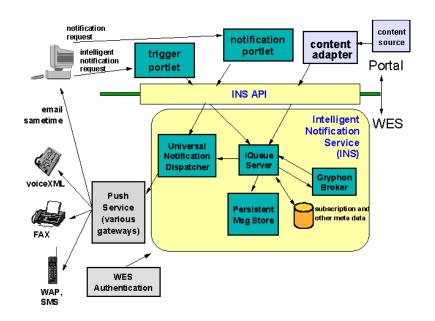
- Secure client: JavaCard
- Devices
  - LinuxWatch/WatchPad
  - Microdrive
  - Direct-to-Digital GPS
  - OLED

A snapshot, really!

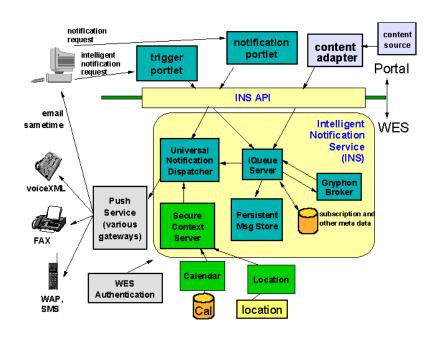
### Zurich: Mobile: Push Proxy Gateway



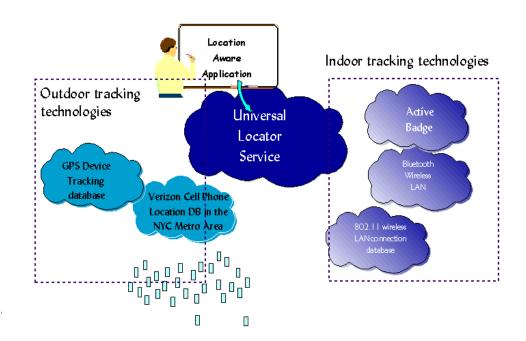
### Zurich: Mobile: Intelligent Notification



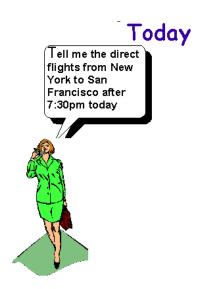
#### Zurich/Watson: Mobile: Context Services



### Challenge: Distributed Location Information

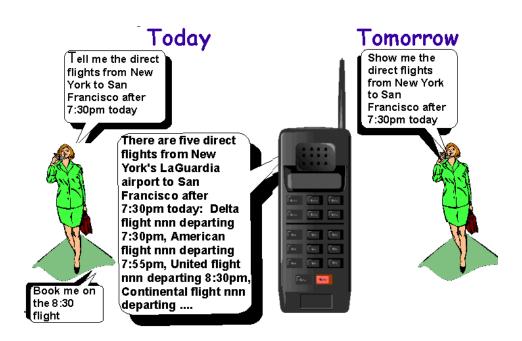


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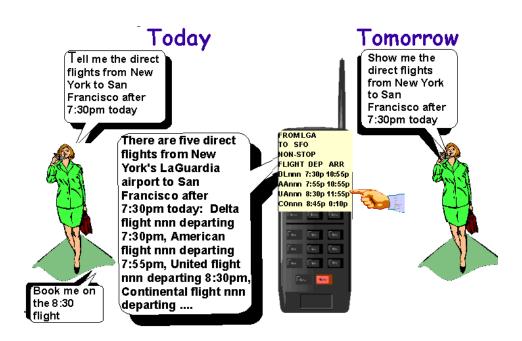






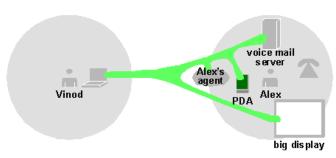


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### Zurich: Mobile: Fluid Communications



 Def. fluid: at any point in time the user can extend a communication session to a new device

- Alex is in "meeting mode"
- Vinod calls Alex
- Call simultaneously on PDA communicator and voice mail
- Server transcribes speech to text



Alex picks up call and extends to big display

### Zurich: Mobile: DAB Datacasting

- How to reach millions of mobile devices? and distribute large content?
- GSM, GPRS: available, low bandwidth
- UMTS: 2003-4, expensive,
   high bandwidth only when stationary
- Digital Audio Broadcast:
   available, high bandwidth downlink (up
   to 1-2Mbit/s), inexpensive, high availability
   (indoors, outdoors, high-speed mobile)
- DAB & Mobile: interesting & attractive platform for mobile services



## Zurich: Mobile: DAB Datacasting

#### DAB CA-PK

- Subscriptions mechanism for content distribution
- Works for both DAB-only and DAB-mobile devices
- No additional hardware required
- Secure solution, consumer part of the protection chain

#### ■ DAB/Mobile

- Combine DAB receiver with mobile (GSM/GPRS/UMTS) component
- DAB: broadband downlink
- GSM: narrow band uplink (e.g., SMS)
- Apps: CD shop, "pump-or-dump", games, voting,...

### Zurich: Secure Clients: JavaCard

- JavaCard game changer for smart card industry
- IBM Research JavaCard state of the art
  - JavaCard + OP (= JCOP)
  - PKI
  - 1024-2048 bit crypto

- 16-32 KBytes free EEPROM
- Signing: 200-400ms
- Onboard key generation:
   6-9s
- Current price point: USD 3.50

It really is a secure, embeddable coprocessor!

### Tokyo/Watson:Devices:Linux Watch



Size:  $65 \text{mm} \times 46 \text{mm} \times 16 \text{mm}$ 

Weight: 43g (w/o band)

CPU: Low power 32-bit,

18-74 Mhz

I/O: Touch panel, stem

switch, buttons

Display: 320x240 B/W LCD

Memory: 8 MB low power DRAM, 16 MB Flash

Comm: Bluetooth, IrDA, serial

Power: Rech. Li-Ion

Speaker, mic,

Other: fingerprint sensor,

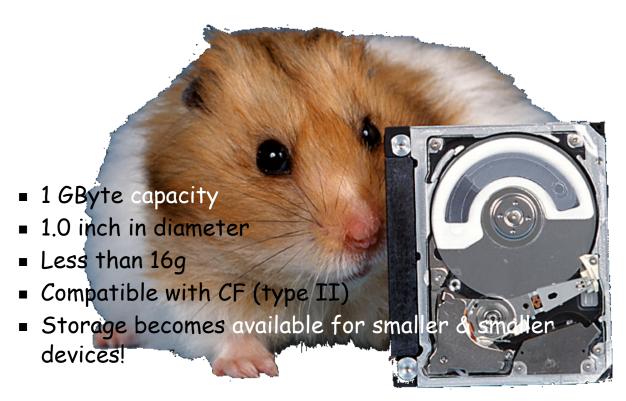
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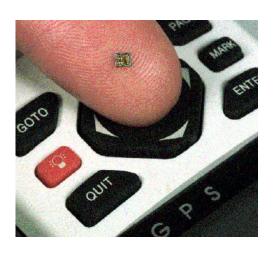
vibrator

OS: Linux 2.4 w/ XFree

#### Almaden: Devices: Microdrive



### Watson: Devices: Direct to Digital GPS



- Direct to digital
- Complete solution
- SiGe radio front end
- 12 channels
- Antenna not included
- Apps: Tracking rail waggons, location aware devices, pervasive peer-to-peer

#### Zurich: Devices: OLED



- Very bright
- Very high resolution
- Very flexible
- Game changer?!
- High quality electronic paper (combine with DAB!), electronic picture frames,...

#### ... And Much More

- Voice recognition: getting smaller and smaller
- Ultra Wide Band RF: pervasive very high bandwidth, pin-pointing location services
- New Web technologies: Freenet, peer-to-peer, ...
- Face & gesture recognition: mood based computing?
- A Web of trillion devices: service discovery, configuration, security, bootstrapping, managing—all in a world of a trillion connected devices?!