

# ELEVATE 2018

## CIS Application Overview



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## Key Skills

- Sybase, Oracle, PowerBuilder, Java J2EE, C#
- Agile Scrum Master and Lead Architect

## Recent Projects

- 2018 – Currently building a large scale solution for a multi year Federal Government Contract valued at \$13B over 10 years.
- 2018 – State of California CIS Expansion to expand contract services for the states 88,000 agencies.

# Agenda



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- CIS Summary
- Why PB and Appeon
- Key Volume Metrics
- Key Functionality
- Architecture
- Technology Profile

## Client Invoice Services (CIS)

- Client Invoice Services (CIS) is a **mobile enabled**, global application with servers in the US and England.
- Manages clients' expenses through validation against thresholds, contracts and inventory and applies payments of vendor invoices in country in currency for consolidated billing.
- Stores granular invoice detail and dynamic client specific information, and exports appropriate data to accounts payable and/or billing systems.
- Uses a Business Objects reporting server and a flexible report writer for ad hoc extracts.
- Is front ended by our EDI gateway that enables automated importing and exporting of vendor electronic data files, including EDI, CABS, XML and other delimited files.
- Processes approximately 300K invoices per month with 94% automation in support of AT&T large business customers.

# Why PowerBuilder and Appeon?

AT&T has invested millions of dollars into this large scale application. It has been kept current with versions, infrastructure and needed a mobile facelift.

It would have been too costly to rewrite our client/server app and we needed a ipad, iphone mobile enabled.

With support from Appeon and their partners, we made some minor changes across the app and delivered a mobile enabled version within a few months.

Since this time, another large scale app called the Integrated Billing System has decided to move forward with the same approach for their PB app.

# CIS Key Volume Metrics

Average Annual Revenue Supported	\$X.XB
% Automation	94%
Active Clients	350+
Active Vendors	4,000+
Active Accounts	450,000+
Average Number of Invoices Per Month	300,000+ (Some invoices have 30000+ circuits)
Invoice Detail Lines Per Month	10,000,000+
Call Detail Records Per Month	25,000,000+

**CIS manages large volumes of granular invoice detail data to meet custom requirements for large mega deals.**

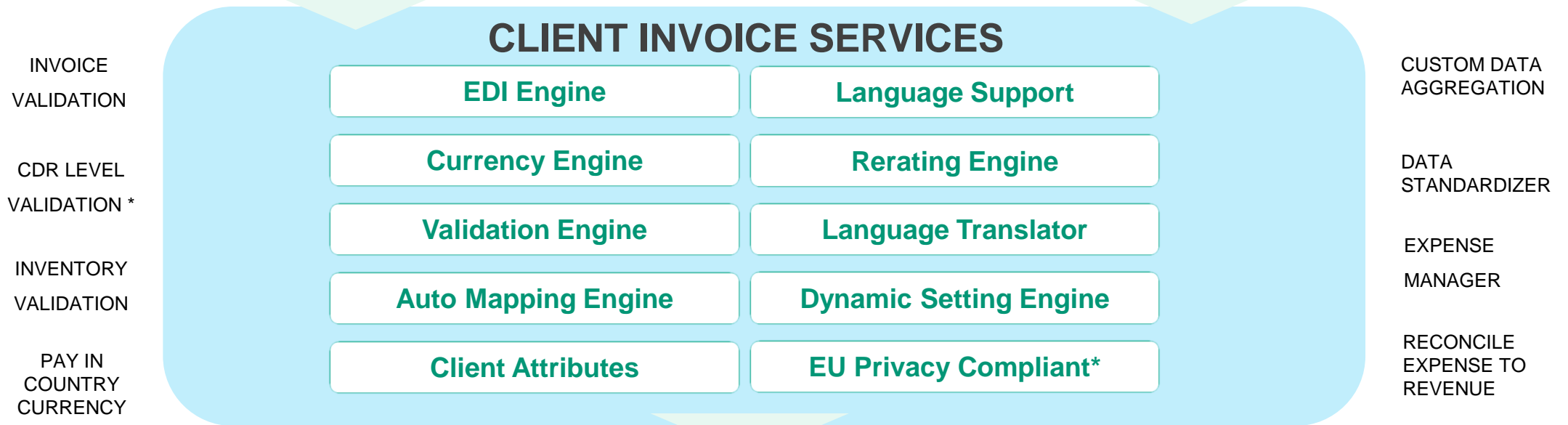
# CIS Key Functionality

## External Suppliers

Vodafone, Telus, Optus, Allstream, Verizon, Frontier, Qwest, Granite, Telco Malaysia, Singtel, BT, COLT, CZTel, EIRCOM, EMC, GTS, SWISCOM...

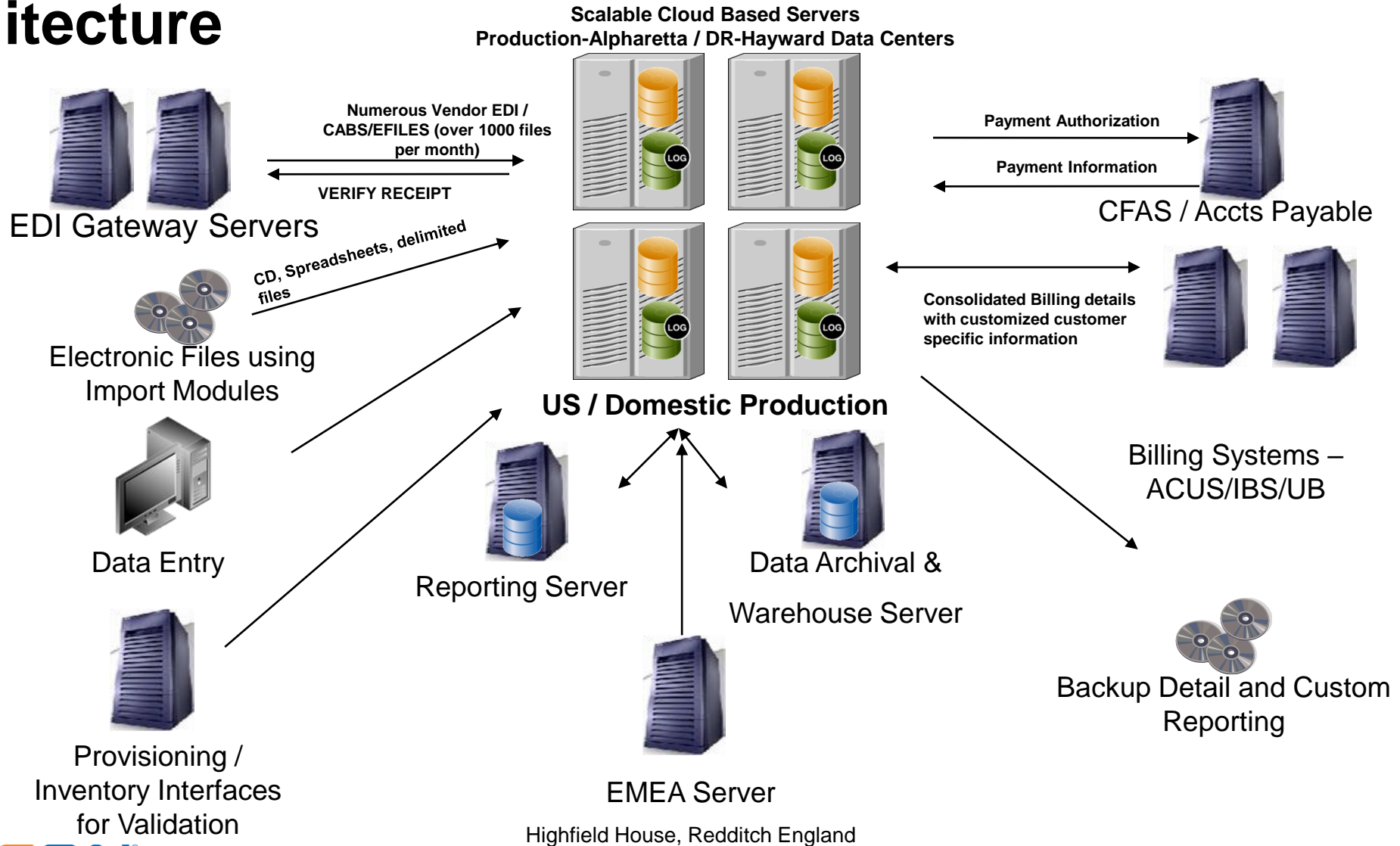
## Internal Billers

Onenet, CRIS, VTNS, DCS, Execubill, UB, GBP, ABOM, CABS, COBRA, OPUS, DPSS, UCC, Ccard..



**Target Architecture Global Invoice Payment, Validation & Consolidation system delivering a single, custom, consolidated global bill to the customer for all their Worldwide Telco Services!**

# CIS System Architecture





# Technology Profile

## System Technology

- High End Cloud Based Solution
- HP DL580 G3 Windows Servers
- HP-UX 11i OS and Windows Server 2012 servers
- Oracle 12G
- Appeon Mobile Enablement
- PowerBuilder Enterprise 12.5 IDE
- Microsoft ASP.NET Integration
- EDI Server – EC Gateway, EC Real Time Processor & EC Mapping Development software (comparable to Sterling Gentran)
- SVN Source Code management

## Required Personnel Skill sets

- Senior PowerBuilder / .NET Developers / Appeon
- Linux Cron / Shell scripter experts
- EDI Mapping Specialists / Connect Direct specialists
- SQL Programmers – extensive T-SQL Stored procedure/trigger developers
- Data Modeling / Design Experts using PowerDesigner
- Oracle 12G DBAs with knowledge of PL – SQL and Administration
- System Architects dealing with extensive knowledge of large scale systems