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Data Standards: A Strategic Lever for Boeing Commercial Airplanes

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### History

#### The first 100 years











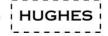
Boeing Airplane Co. 1916

Douglas Aircraft Co. 1921 Stearman Aircraft Co. 1927

North American Aviation, Inc. 1935

Piasecki Helicopter 1940











McDonnell Aircraft Corp. 1945

Communications 1948

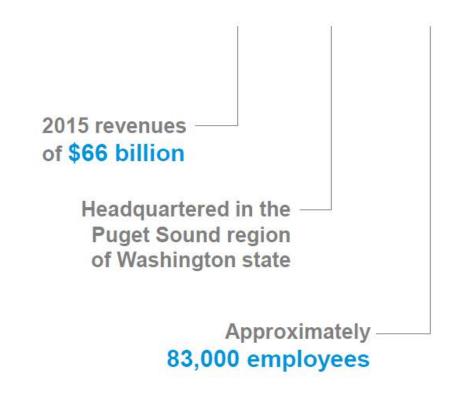
McDonnell Douglas Corp. 1967

Rockwell International 1968

The Boeing Company today

A heritage that mirrors the history of flight

# Commercial Airplanes



Offers a family of airplanes and a broad portfolio of aviation services for passenger and cargo carriers worldwide

- Boeing airplanes represent about half of the world's fleet, with more than 10,000 jetliners in service
- About 70 percent of Commercial Airplane sales (by value) go to customers outside the United States











The industry's source for customer-focused solutions

# Defense, Space & Security

Designs, builds and supports net-enabled platforms and systems for government and commercial customers

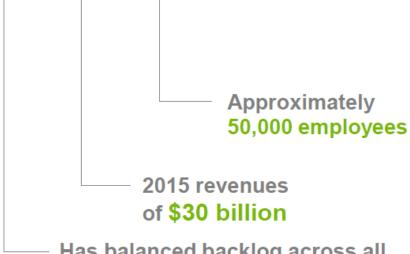
Formed in 2000 to integrate Boeing's defense, space, intelligence and communications capabilities

Headquartered in St. Louis, Mo., with global operations in three countries and 26 states









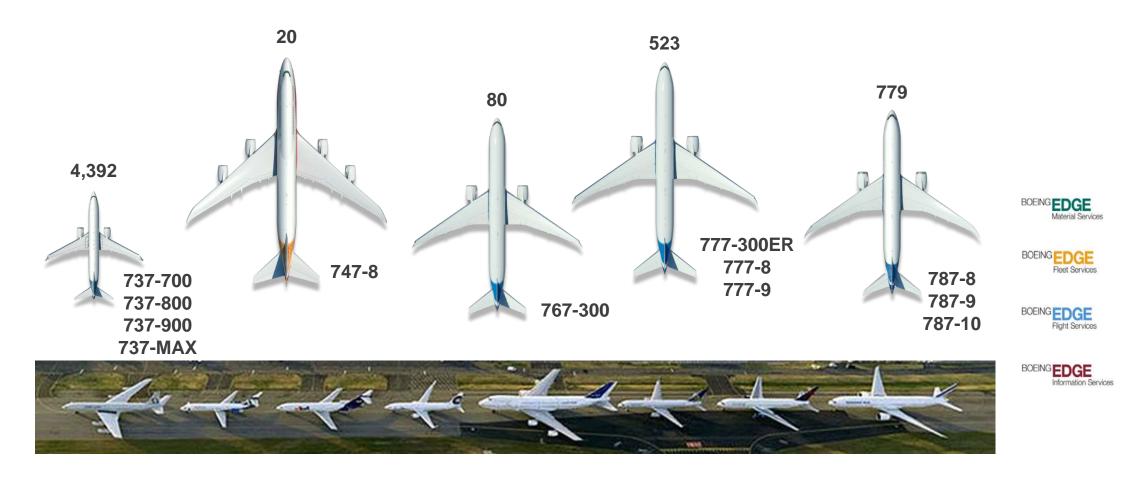
Has balanced backlog across all markets including a strong mix of development, production and support contracts





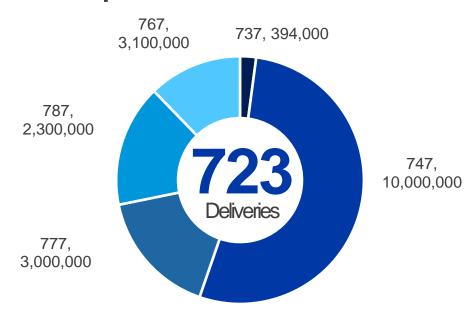
# **Boeing Commercial Airplanes**

Rich History with a Strong Lineup for 2<sup>nd</sup> Century

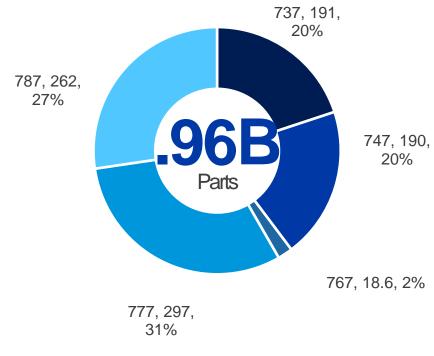


#### **Production at Scale**

#### Parts / Airplane



#### **Volume in Millions / Year**



#### 8.7 Billion Records in ERP



# PLM Evolution at Boeing Commercial Airplanes

	1960 - 1990	1990 - Now	2005 - Now
Design	2D Drawings	3D Model + 2D Drawings	3D Model Based Definition
Change	Paper	Textual based, Boeing built	Textual based, Boeing built
Validation	Physical Mockup	Spatial Pre Assembly	Spatial, Functional, Build & Support Pre-assembly
Bill of Material	Paper / Forms on Mainframe	Teamcenter Enterprise + Specialty PDMs	ENOVIA LCA / Teamcenter Enterprise + Specialty PDMs
Configuration	Explicit airplane effectivity	Option driven quantity based	Option driven instance based
Applications	Boeing Computing Services	Customized COTS + Boeing IT	Customized COTS + Boeing IT
Technology	Mainframe	Unix + Windows, Thick & Thin	Windows, Thick & Thin

#### As-Is Architecture

A System of Systems at incredible scale

#### **Comprised of**

~ 2,500 Applications

#### On

~5,000 Servers

#### **Affected by**

~ 900 changes annually

#### **Impacting**

~ 40,000 Users

#### With

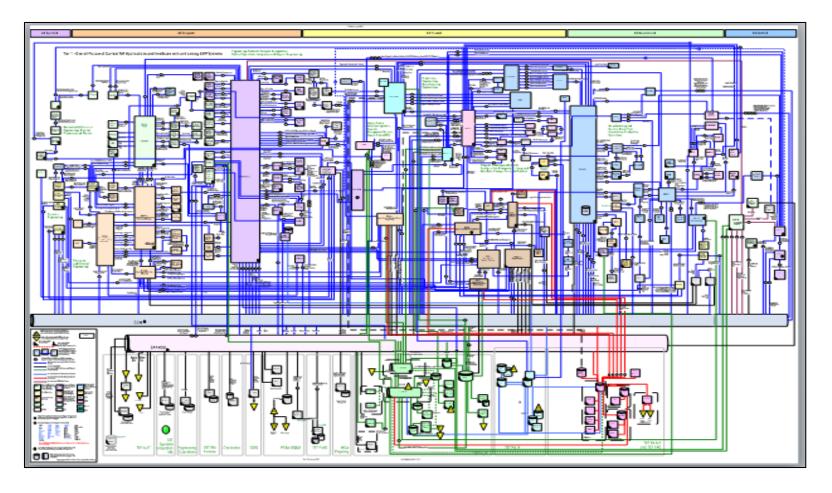
~ 12 copies of the data

#### **And maintaining**

~ 9.1 PB of data

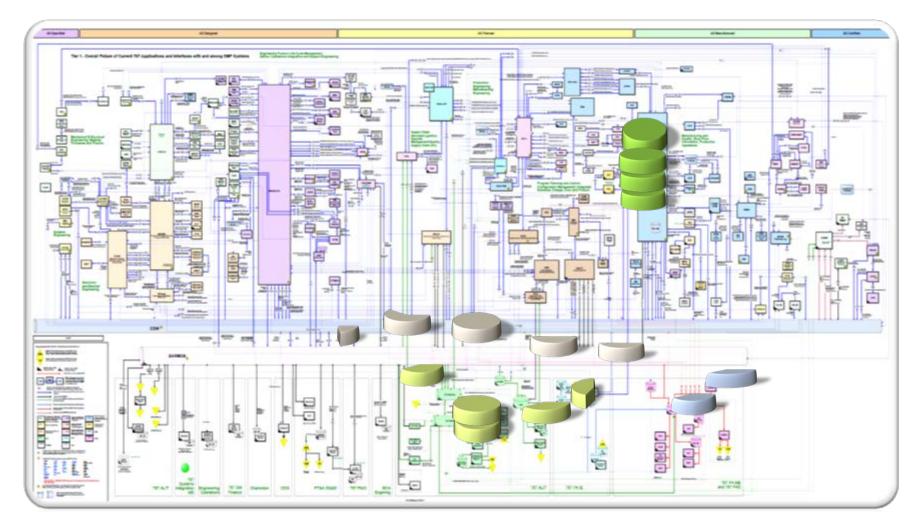
#### **Across**

7 Countries



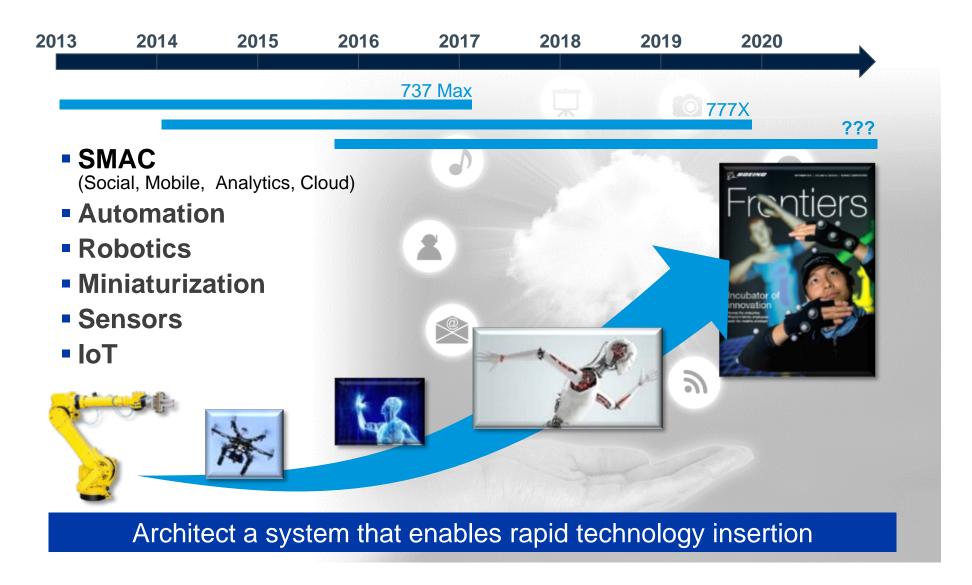
# Data Replication: An Increasing Burden

12 copies when 2 or 3 will do





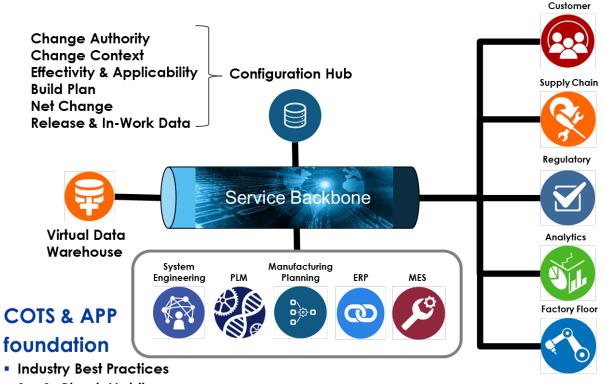
# Technology Convergence – Our Challenge



#### Future Architecture Solution Concept

#### **Key Requirements**

- **Smart User Interface**
- **Information Centric**
- Obsolescence resilient
- **Analytics Driven**
- **Incrementally Deployed**
- **Standards Compliant**
- **Globally Available**
- Technology enabling



#### **Industry Standard Interfaces**

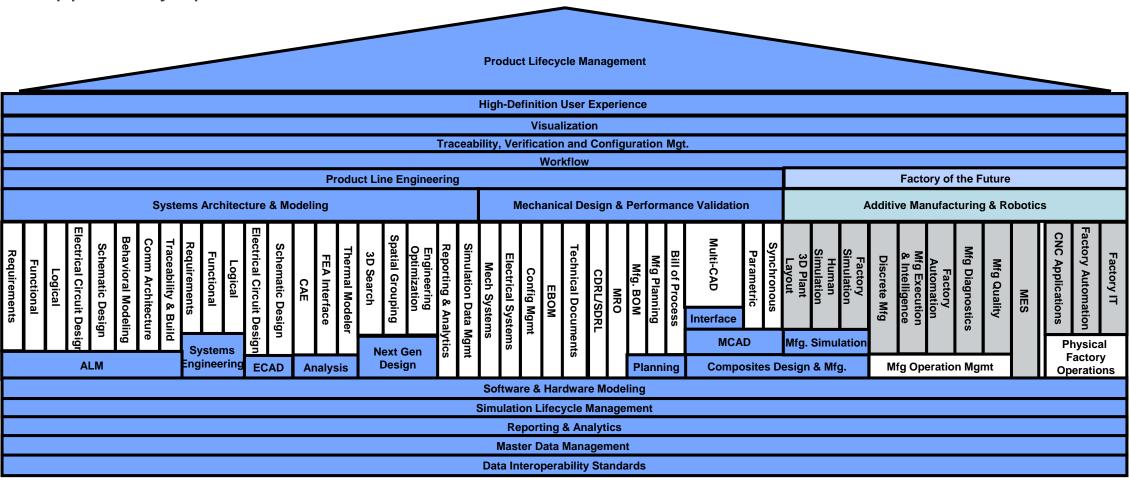
Innovate with velocity while maintaining continuity

SaaS, Cloud, Mobile



# Product Lifecycle Management

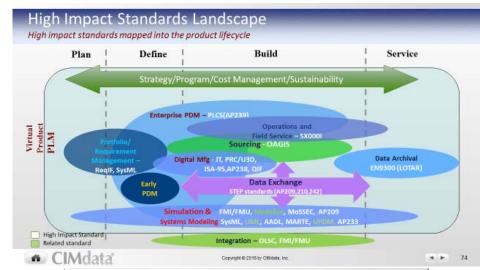
An opportunity space for standards

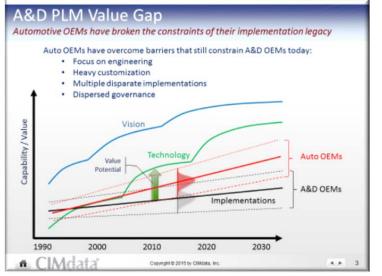


#### **Standards**

A Study in Challenge

- > 200 Standards Exist; ~20 High Importance
- Segment duplicity dilutes value
- Alignment spawns velocity
- Companies pull, vendors deliver





#### The Value of Standards

One example illustrating the opportunity

- Minimize customized applications and maximize COTS capabilities
- Break the obsolescence cycle
- Minimize cost of integration and data migration
- Enable future technologies





#### **Position Statement**

- Single set of interoperable standards
- Fully open
- Minimum redundancy
- Support harmonization
- Become a contractual requirement
- Adopt interim standards to fill gaps
- Lead development and adoption

#### Position Statement

Global Product Data Interoperability Summit | 2015

- BCArequires a harmonized suite of data standards that covers the Product lifecycle. The data standards are the basis of a stable, vendor independent, interoperable data exchange interface between applications and organizations across Boeing, the A&D industry and essential for LOTAR.
- The suite should minimize redundant data definitions across standards, i.e. there
  is a single consistent standard representation for data content but allowing for
  multiple implementation techniques.
- Boeing will proactively support efforts to harmonize standards that provide strategic value.
- The suite of standards will be based on the ISO STEP standards (ISO 10303) augmented by other fully open (IP owned by a standards organization, no IP limitations, level playing field) standards.
- It is the intent of BCAto add contractual requirements to contracts with Software vendors. The language will require that vendors support the entire suite of A&D data standards with the same level of fidelity as their own proprietary formats.
- Boeing may adopt or define an interim standard where an industry standard is unavailable. It is the intent to adopt the industry data standard when available, mature and affordable.
- Bo eing will be an Industry Leader in information standards development and adoption.

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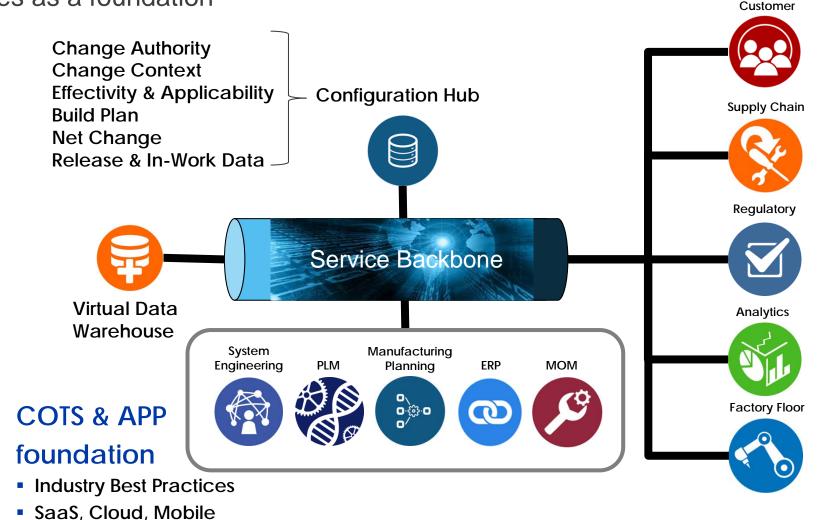
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Charter members



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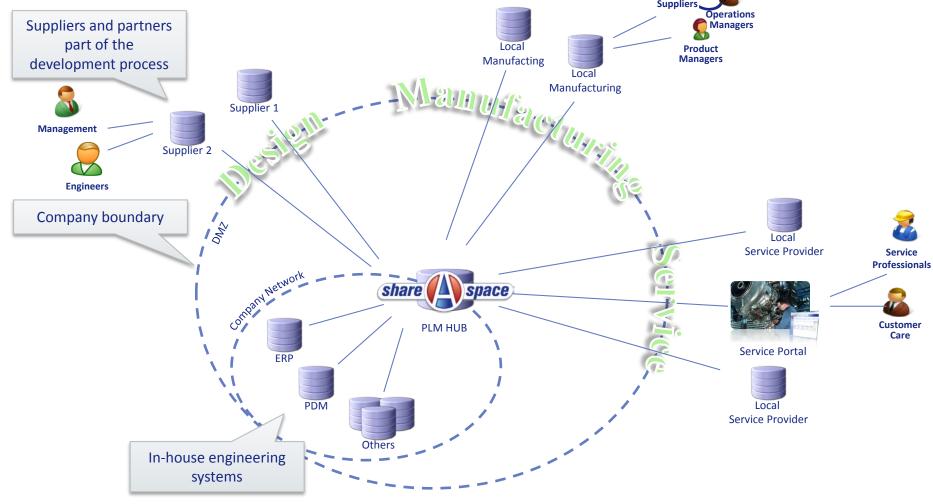
Services as a foundation



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# External communication using a HUB

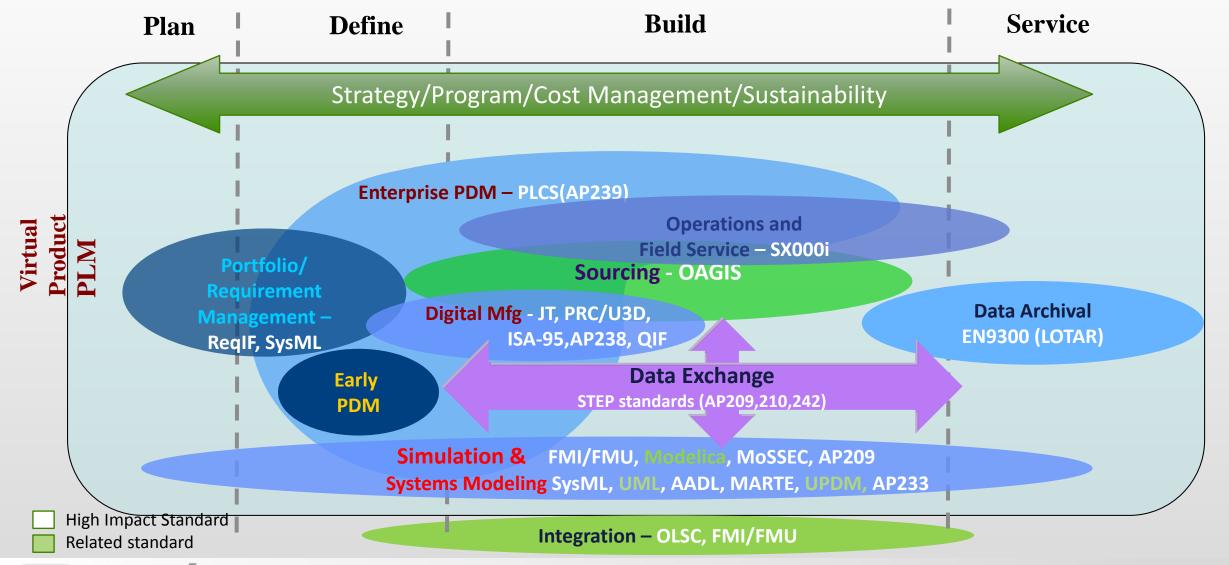






# High Impact Standards Landscape

High impact standards mapped into the product lifecycle





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