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2008 Office Equipment Mega Trends

- The focus for vendors will shift from "hardware placed" to "pages captured"
- End customers will be looking for tighter control over document output with a desire for balanced deployment, effective device utilization, reduced costs, and a singlesource supplier for their equipment needs
- Vendors introducing flexible pricing programs that are either usage based or coverage based
- Increased penetration of A4-size multifunctional products up and down the market
- Ink-based imaging platforms will further penetrate market segments that have been traditionally dominated by laser technology



2008 Office Equipment Mega Trends

- The market has evolved to a point where hardware and software will reached commodity status—leaving vendors few ways to differentiate their products.
- Color was a brief differentiator but that is no longer the case.
- Solutions are currently a differentiator but they too will be harder to differentiate as vendors partner with similar ISV companies/vendors
- Going forward, the real differentiator will be in the area of services. The converged printer/MFP market provides a wealth of opportunity in potential services revenue to vendors and their channel partners.
- This will range from document assessment programs to developing and deploying output management strategies, and even to fullblown managed service agreements.
- Vendors are expected to introduce a wealth of software/solutions to help customers and dealers manage these opportunities.

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Market Overview: Threats

- · Average selling prices (ASPs) are in decline
- Monochrome placements and revenue are falling
- Products are faster and more complex, but prices are lower
- · Channels have difficulty coping
 - · Retail lacks expertise to sell/support complex products
 - Dealer and Direct channels struggle with lower margins

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Market Overview: Threats

- Printer MFPs are taking a greater share of the imaging market and are moving upmarket in speed
- Inexpensive A4 printer MFPs are challenging more expensive A3 copier MFPs
- New inkjet technologies such as HP's Edgeline are threatening to disrupt the copier market
- Technology such as Xerox's solid ink also has potential to disrupt market

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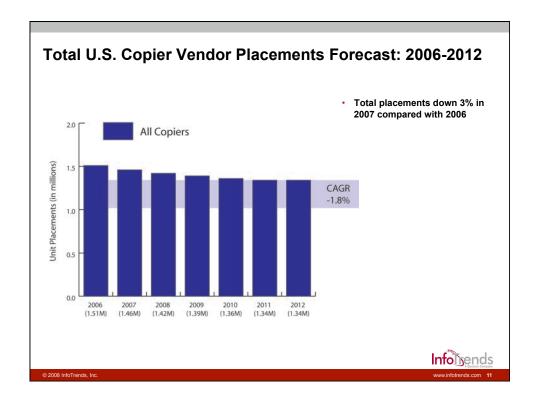
Market Overview: Opportunities

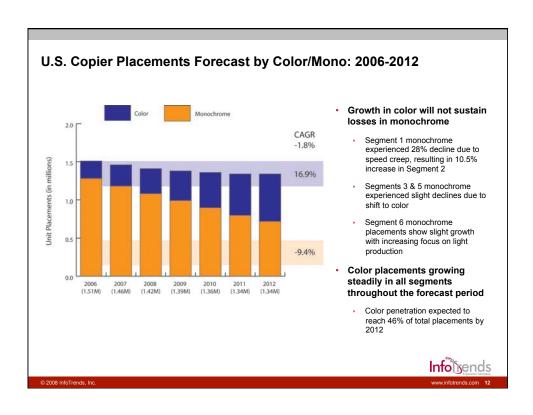
- · Color placements and revenue are growing
- While overall page growth is slow, the growth comes from the most expensive pages – color pages!
- Sales of solutions-enabled devices help slow the decline in ASPs – supplier/customer dialogue based on value, not cost

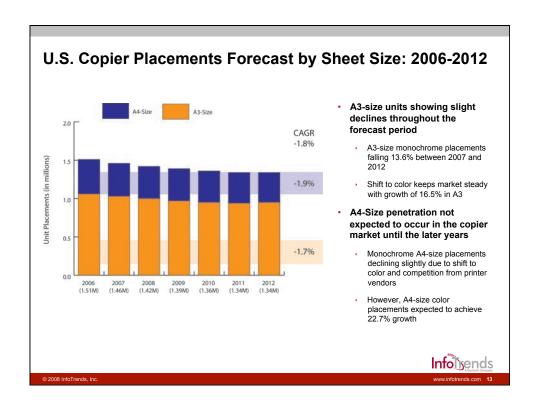


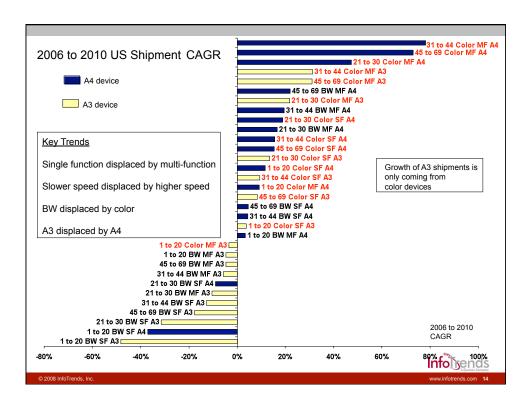
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2008 Document Solutions Mega Trends

- Solutions Platforms Solutions platforms are still emerging and others are gaining strength
 - New entrants from HP (WW) Open Extensibility Platform, Konica Minolta (Europe) Open API & Toshiba (US) eBridge Open Platform



- Xerox and HP are very big on creating these personalized workflows to help customers adopt solutions
- Microsoft Office SharePoint Huge impact on solutions in both the Enterprise and Office workgroup segments
 - Microsoft Office SharePoint Server 2007 (MOSS) delivers many content services at the workgroup level
 - Adoption is substantial \$1 billion in revenues; 100 million licenses are milestones in 2008
- Everyone is Talking about Managed Print Services (MPS) & Document Assessments





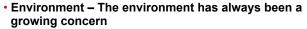




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2008 Outside Driving Forces Affecting Solutions

- Economy The economy is having an affect on our market
 - Customers are looking at ways to improve their return on investment
 - IT spending is being deployed more for improving efficiencies and cost cutting methods



- · Concerns about improving the environment
- Movement for the reduction of physical paper usage and more electronic document management
- Regulatory Compliance Compliance is driving new IT initiatives
 - Documents are at the heart of these risk
 - Electronic document management and workflow solutions address compliance initiatives

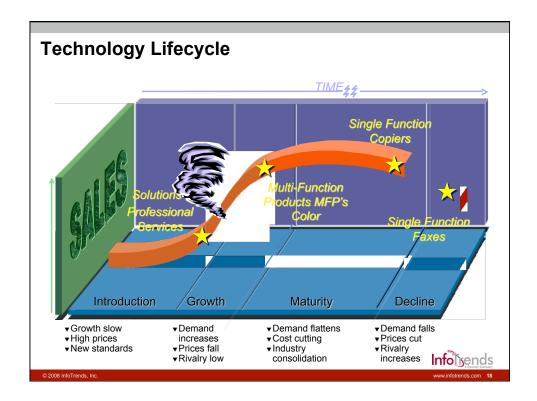


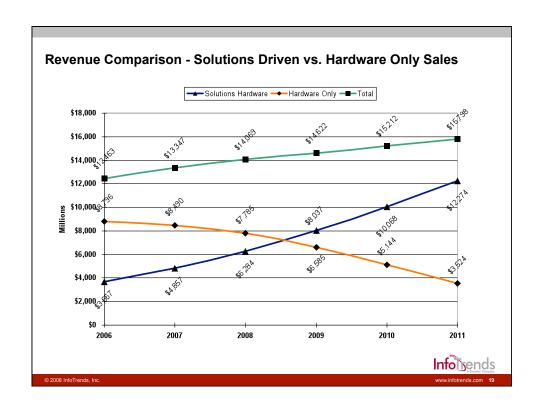


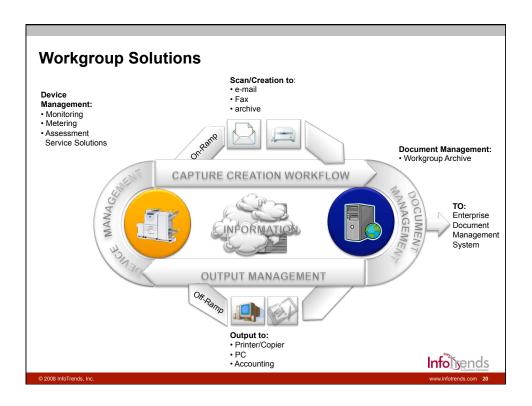


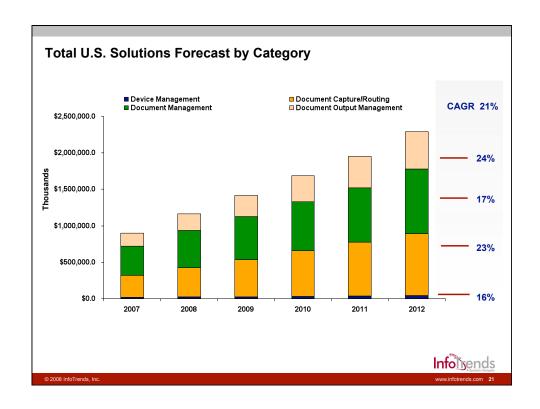
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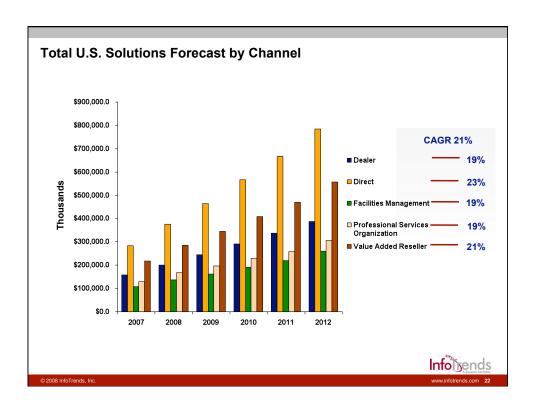
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Five Phases of the Solutions Evolution

- Phase I Build Partnerships & Solutions Portfolio
- Phase II Build and Educate a Solutions Sales Team
- Phase III Build Professional Sales and Support Services
- Phase IV Package Solutions Ecosystems
- Phase V Simplify the Solution & Process



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Successful Solutions Programs

- Software Partnerships The best solutions programs have a good amount of third party partner software and some internally developed software or services for differentiation
- Why have so many partnerships? It allows you to enter into deals that have already been made
 with those same partners that your competitors have already forged or with enterprise incumbent
 software solutions
- Channel Programs & Training The channel needs incentives for solutions as they do for hardware or they will never sell solutions. Also engaging customers in a solutions lead sale or by "Problem Solving" is a different art then taking hardware orders
- Professional Services Solutions also include Services which can be a substantial part of the overall sale, which is another form of reoccurring revenue and your future differentiator – it all comes back to customer intimacy, knowing their business and solving their problems
- Build an Ecosystem around Solutions The best strategies have partnerships, platforms, channel, and professional services and support to drive the solutions ecosystem. The best software solutions are tied together nicely into packages that are integrated and easily executed by professional services.
- A Path that Customers Understand The best solutions strategies and engagements start simple
 and that are engaging to customers (they don't even know your selling solutions) ie: Document
 Assessments they can immediately understand the affects to their bottom line and then lead to
 more complex scanning and archival solutions that also will save a company money

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OEM Platform Initiatives for Independent Software Vendors

- Two basic approaches to foundation platforms today: Web Services or Embedded (Java).
- Provide a core set of SDK's or API's that programmers can use to access the full functionality of Digital MFPs
- ISVs accelerate the time to integrate software by leveraging their core development competencies
- Many ISV applications take the On-ramp and Off-ramp capabilities of the MFP and incorporating it into their current application offerings, ie; capture, workflow, storage, routing, fax, cost accounting, tracking, etc.

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Why Java?

Pro's



- Embedded Java will run independently without a server
 - If the server goes down the copier can still run the application
- · Capability of "Serverless" applications
- There are many Java developers in the market

Con's

- Upgrading of platform or software is cumbersome because each device needs to be updated individually – but many companies are delivering tools to update remotely
- Most applications will run with a server anyway

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Why Web Services?

Pro's

- Many more developers on the market can create a variety of applications quickly
- · Less resource intensive for the MFP
- Easier to upgrade software and platform once on the server
- Web Services is getting the nod from OEM's more frequently vs. Java
- Although platforms are different it is easier to implement web services code from platform to platform in mixed environments

Con's

- · If the server goes down, so does the application
- · May increase Web traffic, more strain on servers



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OEM Platform Foundations – Java Embedded

- Canon "MEAP" (Multifunctional Embedded Application Platform) based around the Java or J2ME platform
- Lexmark "eSF" (Embedded Solutions Framework) built on open standard Java Two Runtime Environment (J2RE)
- Ricoh "ESA" (Embedded Software Architecture) based on embedded Java or J2ME
- Samsung J-Scribe embedded-Java architecture developed by CCP and IBM



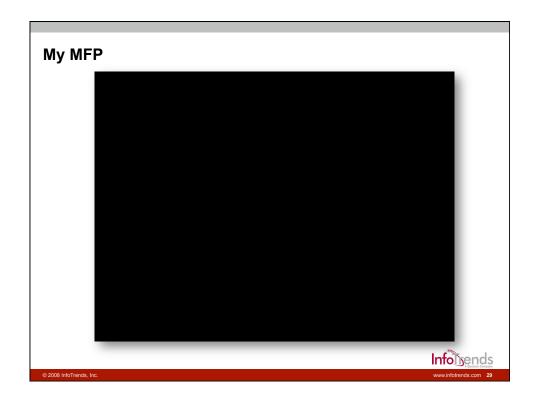








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Office / Enterprise Staffing (1)

- Sales Rep Competencies
 - Articulate the Value Proposition
 - Recognize Opportunity
 - Establish Value
 - Present and Close Solutions Proposals
- Training
 - Vertical Market Issues
 - Software Overview
 - Sales Skills

Darrell Amy, Dealer Marketing Systems



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Office / Enterprise Staffing (1)

- Solutions Specialist Competencies
 - Product Knowledge
 - Hardware/Software
 - Business Process Analysis
 - Print Optimization
 - Workflow Optimization
 - Solution Architecture
 - Project Management
 - Set and Manage Client Expectations
 - Statement of Work
 - Change Orders

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Solutions Selling: Document Professional Services (DPS)

- A value-added strategic framework for competing in the marketplace
- A tactical engagement methodology that:
 - Increases real and perceived value
 - Provides competitive differentiation
 - Increases the cost of separation
 - PS engagement becomes legacy system that outlives the MFP placement/lease
 - MFP upgrade becomes secondary and without competition
 - Own the IP address, own the document workflow
 - Generates richer transactions
- Billable consulting, billable integration, project management, software maintenance, and services maintenance

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Solutions Selling: GTM Strategy

- Explore the opportunities beyond traditional "break/fix"
- Understand your customer's business
- Align your offerings (product, services, software) with your customer's business goals and initiatives
- Make your offerings relevant to their goals, not yours
- Address the pain in how they use documents in their organization
- Compliance explore the impacts (hugely significant), follow the paper, find the pain
- Vendor to partner; commodity to solution
- Move up the value chain

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DPSs are infrequent, technical, or unique functions performed by independent contractors or consultants whose occupation is the rendering of such services. While not limited to licentiates (individuals holding professional licenses), the services are considered "professional" and the contract may run to partnerships, firms, or corporations as well as to individuals. The selection of an independent contractor or consultant providing professional services is usually based on skill, knowledge, reputation, and creativity. Price may be a secondary factor in the

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Solutions Selling: Components of a Successful Strategy

- · Ability to engage in long sales cycles
- Ability to sell to committees and work influencers and decision-makers
- IT competency
- · Vertical market knowledge
 - Reference accounts
- Domain expertise
- Right partners

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A Focus on Document Assessments & MPS

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Market Overview: Challenges for Business Users

- Device proliferation has led to higher output costs and complex fleet management issues
 - 8.6 million copiers and 24.3 million workgroup printers currently installed in U.S. businesses
- · Fragmented purchasing procedures at fault
 - · IT buys printers and purchasing dept. buys copiers?
 - Individual workgroups use their own budgets for "under the radar" purchasing decisions
- · Color offers many benefits, but at what cost?
- Device capabilities have made impressive gains, but much of this potential is left untapped



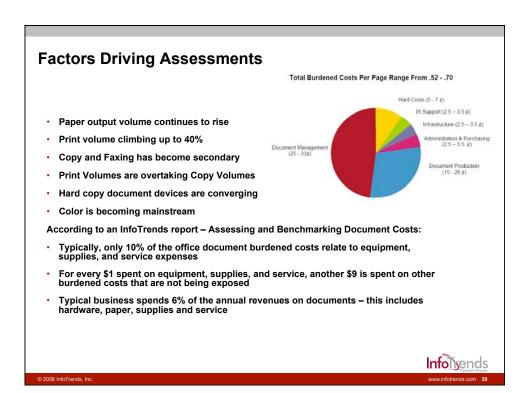
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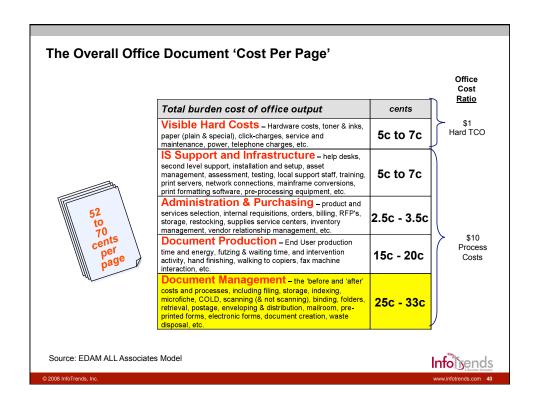
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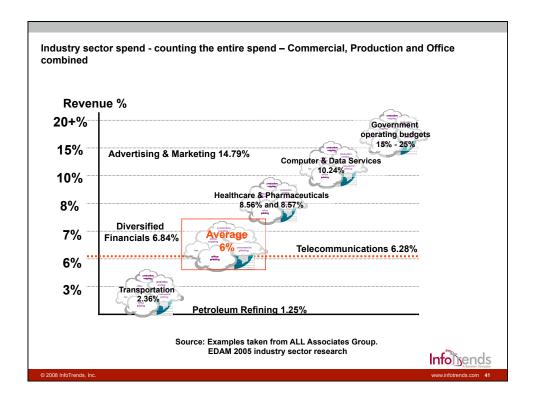
- Over time, businesses can end up with a fragmented approach to buying office equipment and supplies, resulting in increased output costs and difficulty measuring total document costs
- · Here are some tell-tale signs to look for:
 - Lack of equipment/supplier standardization
 - · No tracking of a firm's overall output spending
 - · Supplies purchasing is decentralized and unmanaged
 - Use of personal desktop printers especially ink-based devices – within workgroups
 - Color devices are unregulated no permissions established or limits on run lengths

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Managed Print Services Opportunity



- Move from capturing SOME pages to capturing ALL the pages
- Solutions software automation and assessment tools drive the managed services model – Software Revenue
 - Tools Device Discovery, Device/Driver Management, Meter Reading, DRM Service Solutions (M2M), Assessment Calculators, Rules Based Printing, Cost Accounting
- There are professional services such as consulting and installation potential – Professional Services Revenue
 - Project Consulting, Project Management, Solutions Installation, Fleet optimization consulting, Support/Service, Solutions Maintenance – Complete Managed Services

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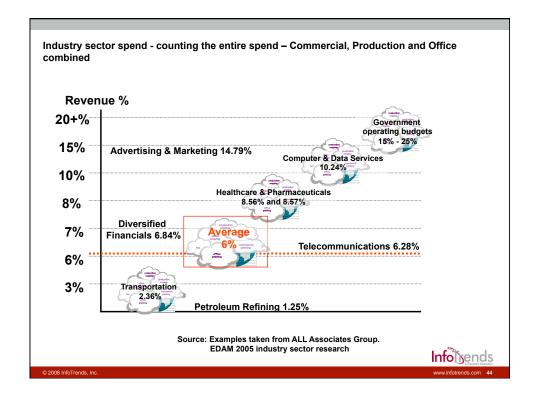
An Perfect Storm is Rising for MPS

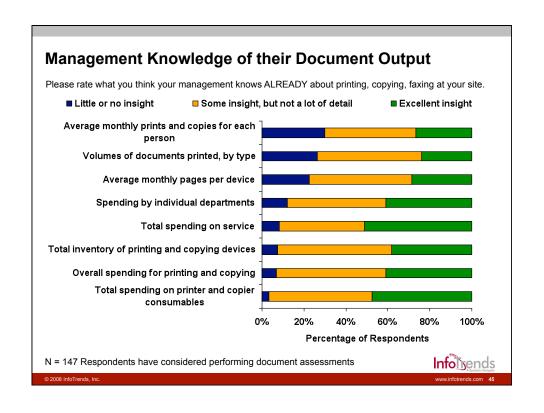


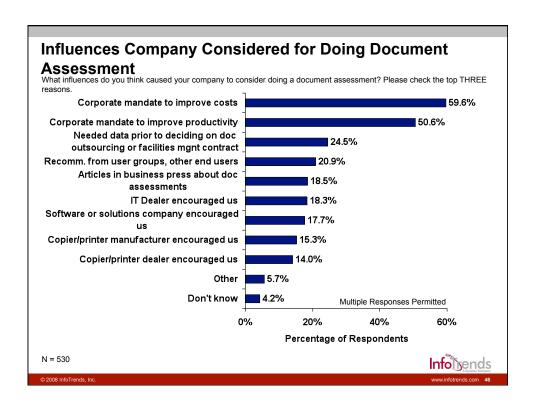
- Copier/A3 vendors are moving into the A4 space by delivering A4 MFP and Printer centric devices
- Printer/A4 vendors are moving into the A3 space by delivering A3 MFP and Printer centric devices
- All vendors want to offer a balanced deployment strategy to be a one stop shop for their customers
- A big threat to A3 manufacturers is from A4 devices capturing A3 pages in a balanced deployment
- Managed Print Services capture all the pages, aftermarket and services for these devices

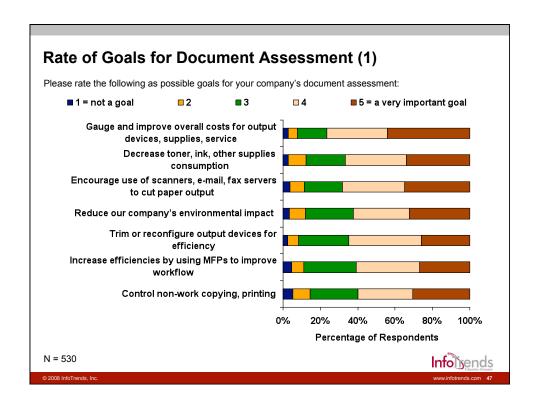
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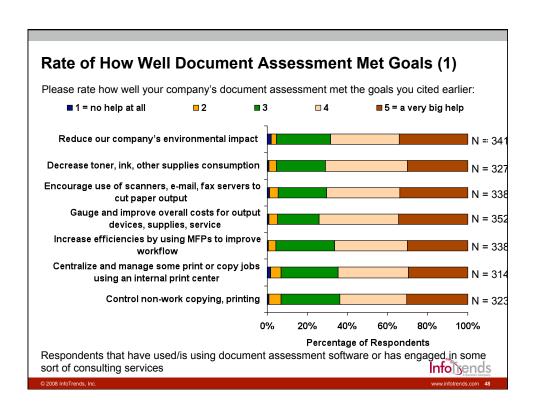
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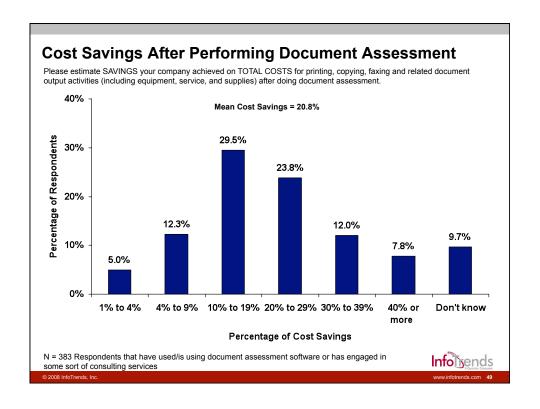


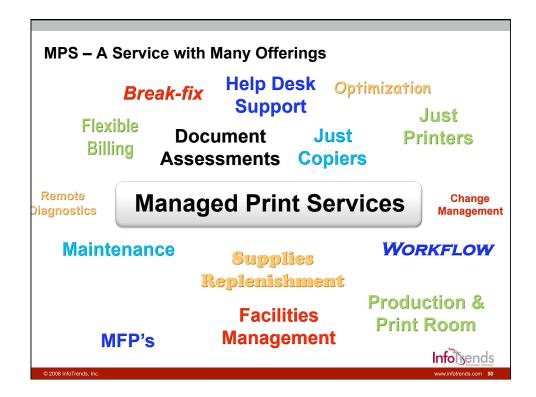












InfoTrends Definition of a TRUE Managed Print Service

- Contracted 3rd party on-going services that promote the uptime, maintenance and support of ALL of an organization's Copy And Print environment
- These services traditionally consist of the management all hardware, software, networking, break fix service, maintenance and supplies, parts and fleet optimization.
- Other services may include Solutions and Workflow Optimization Services as well as complete outsourcing of the copying and print environment
- · These services may be on or off site or a combination of both
- The consolidation of one vendor would allow for the ease of management and billing from ONE provider as well as improved costs from optimizing the infrastructure and administration

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MPS Engagement Components

- Assessment Services
- Optimization Services
- Supplies Replenishment Copiers/Printers and Competitive products
- Help Desk Services
- Multi-vendor Break-fix service
- Flexible Billing Options
- Remote Diagnostics
- Change Management Services
- Environmental Management Services
- Workflow Improvement Services

Optional Services

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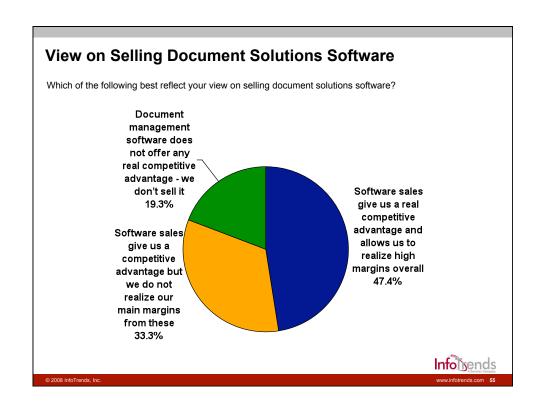
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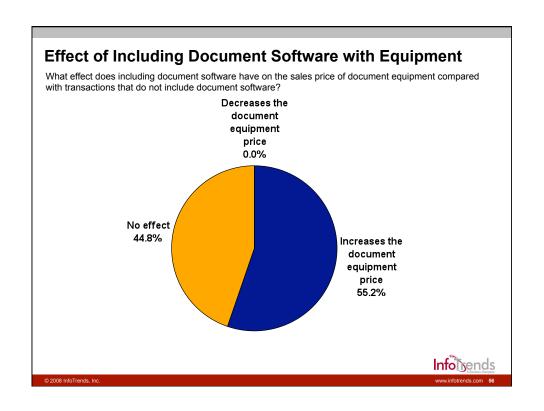
Managed Services Challenges

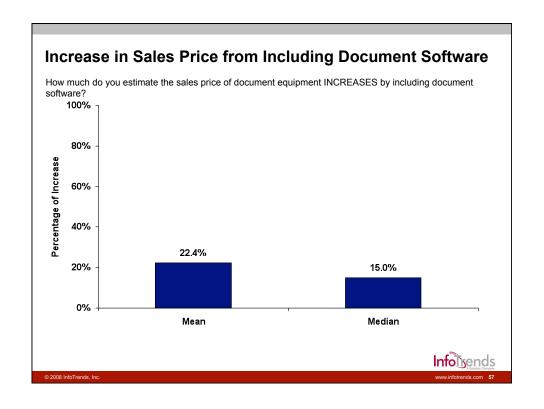
- Many vendors offering a variety of disparate MPS offering
- Service levels and capabilities are also confusing
- Pricing can be deceiving some are included in lease base some are included in click, etc
- Some offer a variety of supplies and products including refurbished products (supplies and hardware) to lower costs
- Variety of vendors offering some type of Managed IT Services or Managed Print Services that complicated and confuse the market
 - · Copier OEM's, Printer OEM's, IT/VAR/SI Resellers, Copier Dealers, 3rd Party Supplies Manufacturers, Computer Superstores, Office Supplies Resellers, Facilities Managers, Consultants, Professional Service Organizations
 - Who is able to address MPS best?

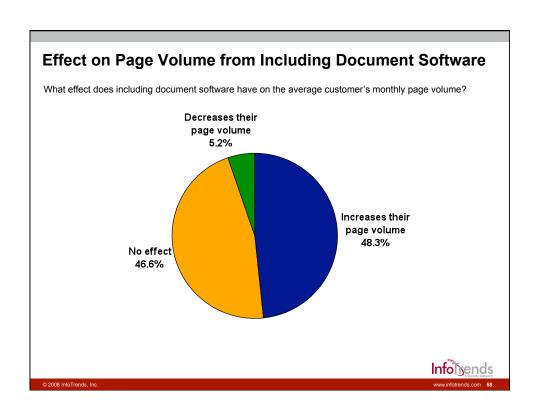


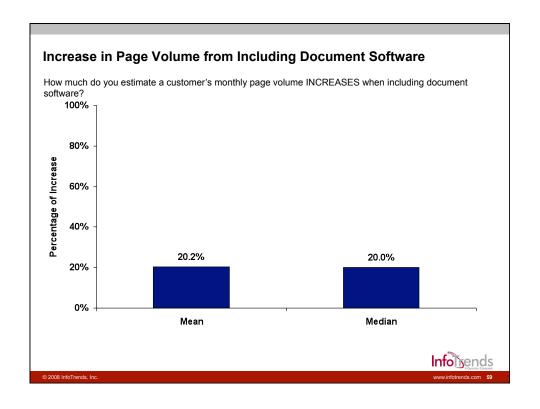
Dealer Channel Survey on Solutions

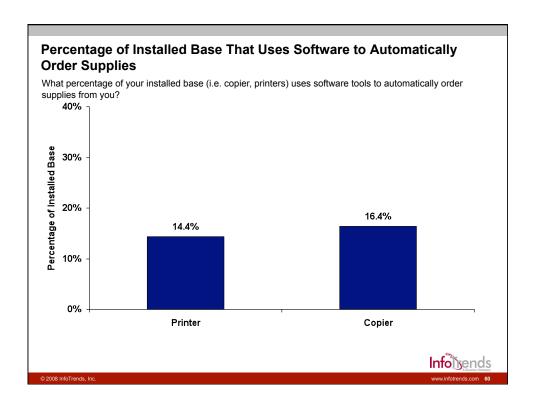












Top Initiatives Company is Pursuing to Grow business?

What are the top initiatives your company is pursuing to grow your business?

- · Software and solutions was the most frequent response by far
 - Document Management Software had highest number of responses
 - Managed Print Services had almost as many responses
 - No clear third choice, remaining responses covered a broad range of strategies



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Conclusions

- The name of the game is capturing more (or all) pages and this can be done by capturing all machines – Greater MIF = Greater Pages
- Solutions & Services have more "Staying Power" within an organization Managed Services & Workflow
 - It is much harder to replace a customized solution than hardware and it also makes it harder for the competition to break into your customers
 - It is about solving customer problems, improving a process or creating new business opportunities for your customers
- MPS & Solutions sales generate or pull significant hardware & supplies revenue
- Building a Solutions Ecosystem is just as important as building your solutions partnerships – Then Execution is Key
- Keep your solutions sales story simple with a path to grow a solutions strategy within a customer's environment – Start with Assessment Services

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"Certainly one of those areas that we think is just huge for you, huge for us is this context of document solutions and services. And everybody talks about solutions. We know that it's a better word, by the way, then commodity or undifferentiated or procurement. So now we just have to make sure that solutions have clout.

And, InfoTrends has a really powerful definition of it, "A solution is a set of software and services often accompanied by hardware that solves a business problem, or improves a process, or creates a new business opportunity for a customer."

I like that... I think that if you solve a problem for me, you make my life easier. If you improve a process, you make it more predictable. And, if you create an opportunity for me, you make my business more profitable;... easier... more predictable... more profitable. I think that's something that customers are willing to pay for. They are a lot more willing to pay for that than they are for speeds and feeds. And I think it is tougher for a competitor to match. So that's why this solutions business, which certainly includes all the service and support that goes along with it, is expected to be about a \$1.4B industry by 2009..."

Anne Mulcahy Xerox Ignite Partner Summit 2007



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