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Family-owned global company

Founded 1885 in Ingelheim, Germany

Focus on Human Pharmaceuticals and
Animal Health

Corporation: 41,300 employees

Operating with 138 affiliated companies
in 47 countries

Net sales U.S. 17 billion dollars in 2008

Products marketed in some 152 countries



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Telephony Landscape

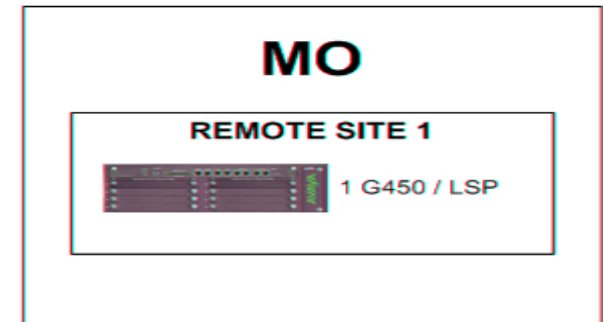
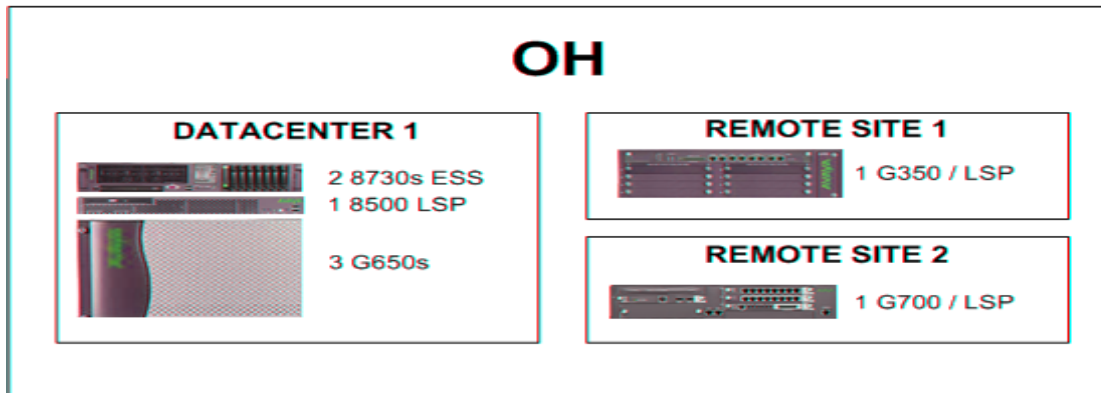
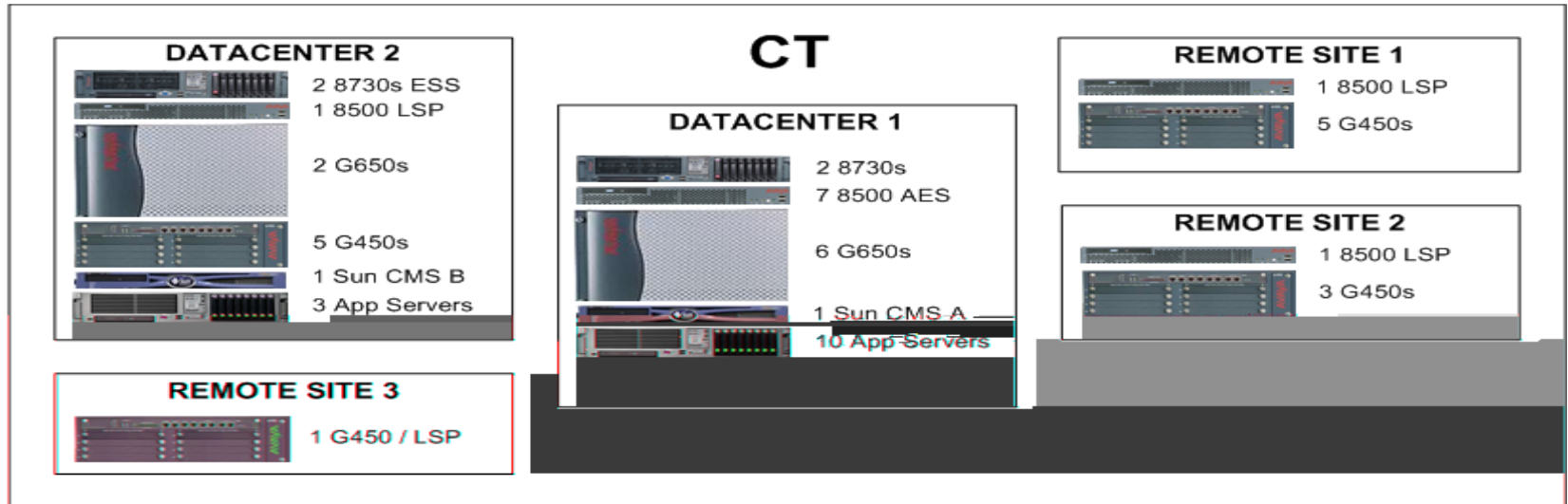
- ▶ Avaya IP PBX at CM 5.x

- ▶ MM 3.1 in a multiple physical S3500 server architecture
 - Two discrete MM systems
 - > One dedicated for corporate subscribers
 - > One dedicated for field sales force subscribers (no phone sets)

- ▶ MM Integration to PBX is E1 QSIG for a total of 144 ports for each MM system (max allowed)

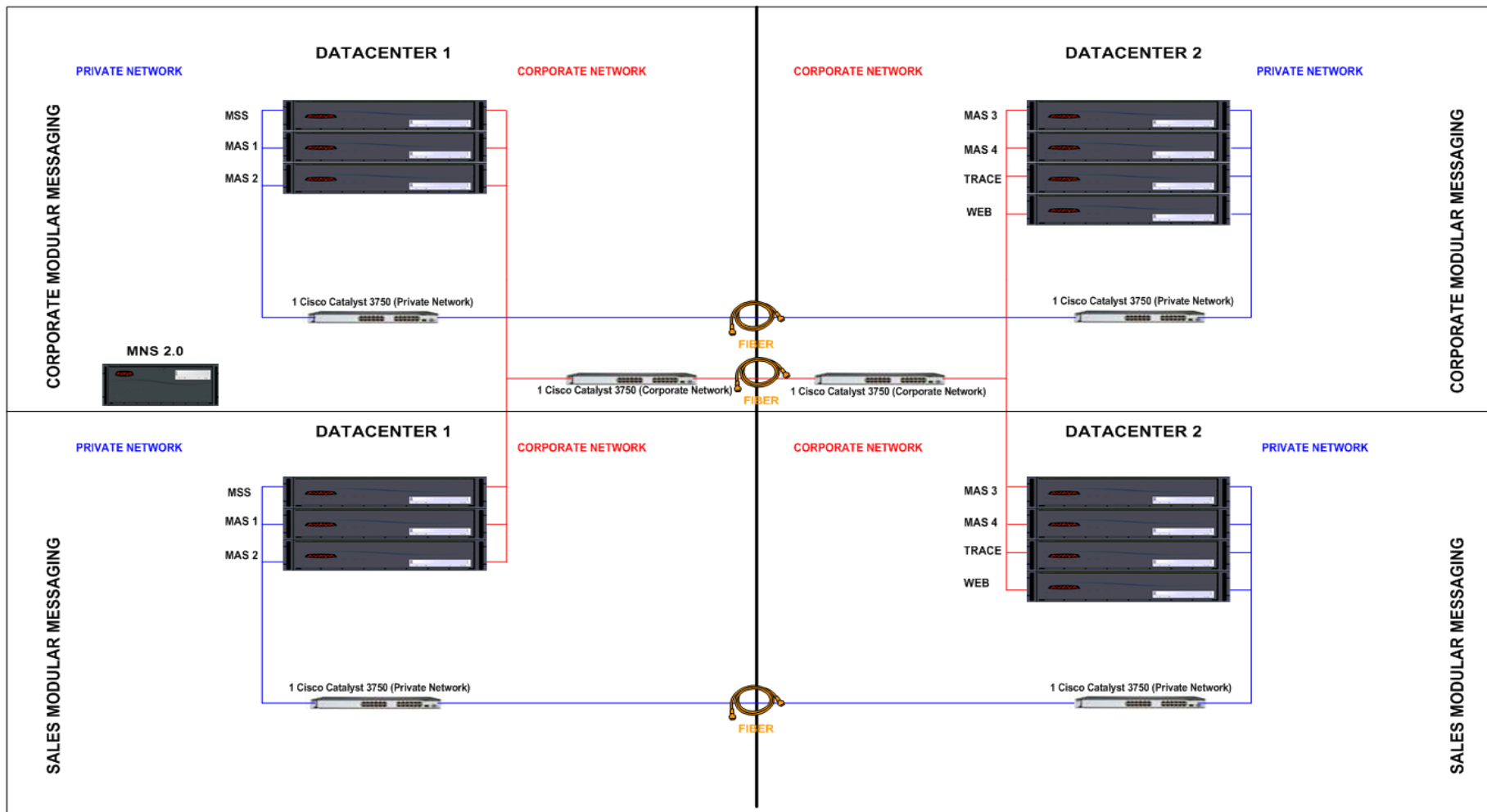
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Avaya IP PBX Architecture



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MM 3.1 Architecture



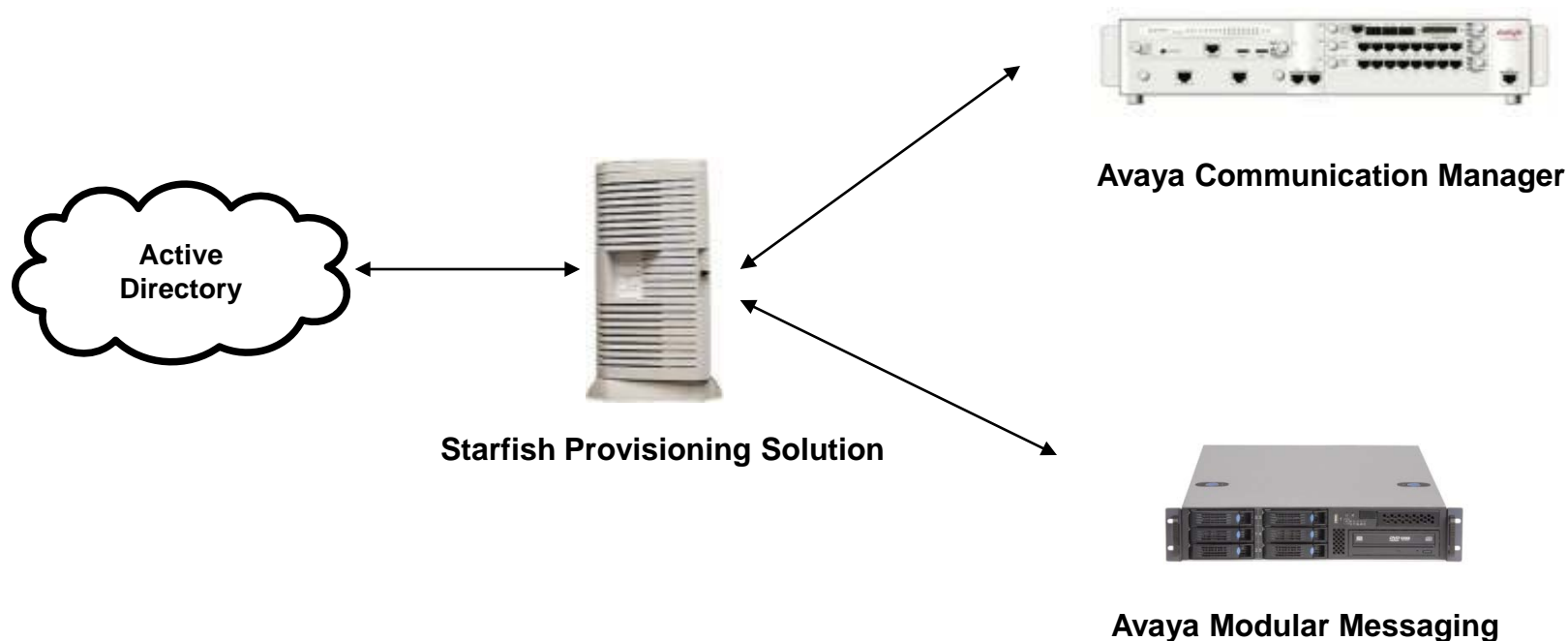
The Challenge...

- ▶ Manual Move Add and Change transactions of phones and voice mailboxes are time consuming and error prone
- ▶ Discrepancies between data in the Enterprise Active Directory and the telecommunication system
- ▶ Manual de-provisioning often leaves telecom resources active after employees are no longer with the organization

Solution: Drive auto-provisioning through active directory

- ▶ Active Directory is monitored by the provisioning service which triggers appropriate transactions on CM and MM whenever an AD user is added modified or deleted
- ▶ The provisioning service keeps data in sync between Active Directory, CM and MM

Auto Provisioning Driven by Active Directory



Use Cases: The provisioning service reacts to AD events

- ▶ Add Active Directory User
 - Create a station
 - Populate station settings (set type, location data) with values taken from AD
 - Populate cost center and user ID in station record to associate the station with the AD user
 - Create an MM mailbox
 - Populate mailbox settings (name, COS, default password)
 - Populate cost center and user ID in subscriber record to associate mailbox with AD User

- ▶ **Modify Active Directory User**
 - If user name was modified
 - Update station display name
 - Update voice mailbox name fields
 - For all other relevant attributes (like cost center) update corresponding attributes in the station and voice mailbox

- ▶ **Delete Active Directory User**
 - Locate corresponding station
 - Locate other users associated with the station. If this is the only user, remove station
 - Re-number the mailbox using a pre-determine range
 - Change password and community ID to pre-determined values

Benefit to the Business

- ▶ Labor – significant workload reduction for our Account Management staff (45% - 75%)
- ▶ Speed – cycle time reduction from new request receipt to client resource delivery (25% - 45%)
- ▶ Accuracy – eliminates PBX, Voice Mail and AD database discrepancies

The Challenge...

- ▶ BI's field sales force reps make extensive use of voicemail distribution lists
 - Primary method of communication within the field
 - MM mailbox is field rep's entire telephony environment
- ▶ There are hundreds of distribution lists which may contain thousands of members
- ▶ Manually maintaining those lists is not practical
- ▶ Voicemail and email distribution lists need to be in sync

Business Relevance...

- ▶ Lists heavily used for primary communication between sales management and field sales reps
- ▶ Reps are remote and required to check voicemail and email multiple times a day
- ▶ Lists extremely dynamic - membership based on rep assignment and geographic location
- ▶ Sales force can modify their hierarchy twice a year – we must modify list structure as a result
- ▶ Process highly visible and must be accurate – perfect candidate for intelligent automation

Process Prior to Intelligent Automation

- ▶ Over 400 MNS 2.0 EDLs ranging from a handful of MM subscribers to several thousand
 - List membership extremely dynamic – members moving in and out frequently
 - Actual lists fully restructured twice a year with possible “one off” changes throughout the year
 - Voice admins need to perform all of these changes manually
- ▶ Lists must be tightly permissioned manually
- ▶ Too many individual subscribers in each MNS EDL could cause an infrequent, yet possible, delivery failure

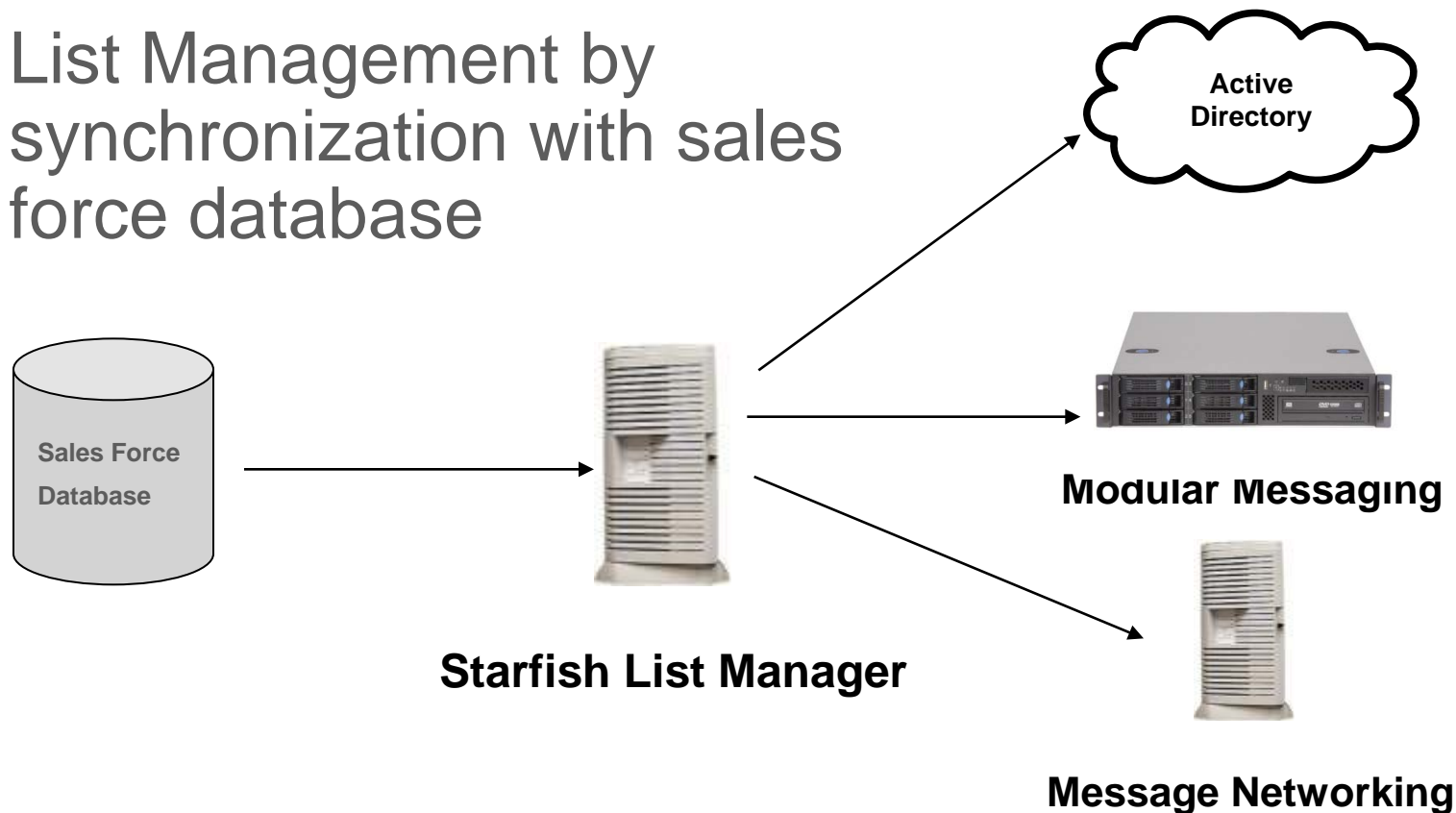
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Solution: Automate management of distribution lists by synchronizing to the sales force database

- ▶ Implement a process that nightly refreshes the membership in voicemail distribution lists based on queries made to the sales force database
- ▶ Create lists as ELAs so that local MSS expands the message to subscribers instead of MNS, reducing risk
- ▶ Nest MM ELAs in MNS EDLs to maintain transparency to users – no change in list ID numbering scheme
- ▶ Mirror ELAs as AD distribution groups
- ▶ The same process manages the members in the email

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List Management by synchronization with sales force database

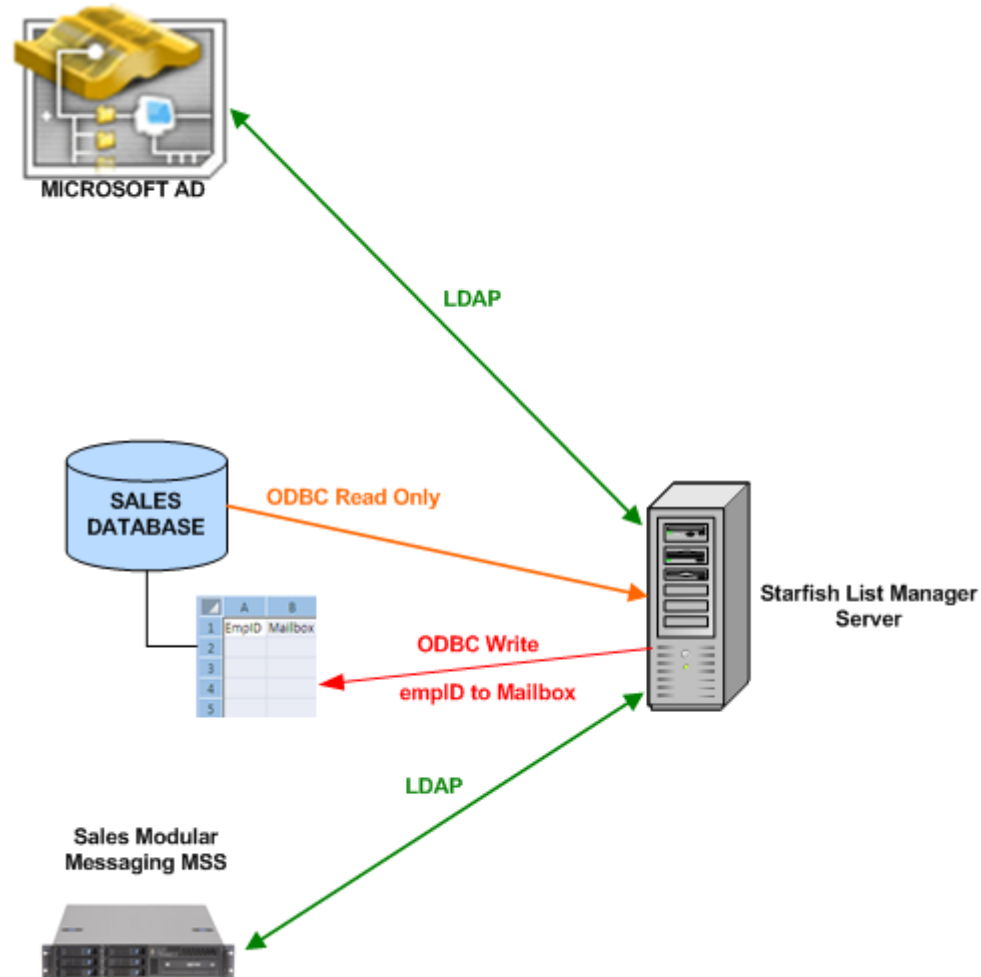


Script Process Description...

- ▶ Starfish List Manager application runs daily at 3:00 AM synchronizing Avaya Modular Messaging and AD with a sales reporting database functioning as an authoritative data store using employee ID as unique attribute
- ▶ Process initiated by a scheduled task on a dedicated application server using a specific voice AD service account for authentication
- ▶ Complete synchronization takes about one hour on average
- ▶ The two components that make up the sync process are DBsync.exe and ADsync.exe
 - **DBsync** reads data from sales reporting DB and then creates, modifies, and deletes MM subscribers. DBsync also modifies membership in Modular Messaging ELA distribution lists.
 - **ADsync** then synchronizes Modular Messaging ELA membership to AD distribution group membership using Microsoft ADAM (Active Directory Application Mode).
- ▶ Full transaction logging performed
- ▶ Employee ID and associated voice mailbox number are written to table in sales DB for consumption into sales organization management systems

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STARFISH LIST MANAGER TOPOLOGY AT BI



Benefit to the Business...

- ▶ Reduce complexity of manual processes freeing up resources to focus on other activities
- ▶ Automate MAC activity by consuming changes daily from an authoritative DB, greatly reducing cycle time
- ▶ Significant reduction in human error
- ▶ Voicemail DL landscape now compliant with Avaya best practices
- ▶ Introduction of single instance storage into the voicemail environment by leveraging MSS ELAs
- ▶ Mirror voicemail DL hierarchy in AD to produce a consistent and managed set of email distribution lists