- VMware je vodeći proizvođač softvera za virtuelizaciju
- Osnovan je 1998. godine
- VMware proizvodi mogu se pokretati na operativnim sistemima Windows, Linux i Mac OS X
- Takođe, dostupan je i korporativni VMware ESX server koji se izvršava direktno na hardveru čime se značajno poboljšavaju performanse
- Virtuelizacija emulira celokupni hardver, tj. mrežne uređaje, video kartice, USB priljučke, itd. VMware Workstation, Server i ESX proizvodi ne prevode mašinske naredbe, odnosno koriste isti skup instrukcija koji koristi stvarni hardver
- To značajno poboljšava performanse sistema, ali može stvarati probleme kod prenošenja virtuelnih mašina na druge fizičke arhitekture
- Na primer, virtuelna mašina se mora zaustaviti pre nego se prebaci na drugi procesor

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Neki od VMware proizvoda su:

- VMware Workstation
- VMware Fusion
- VMware Player
- VMware ESX
- VMware Server
- Vmotion u radnom stanju i bez prekida u radu sa jednog na drugi fizički host
- Drugi VMware alati omogućuju:
 - virtuelizaciju programa/aplikacija (VMware ThinApp)
 - upravljanje ESX/ESXi okolinom (VMware Infrastructure)
 - druge primene



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VMware Inc.

vmware[®]

<u>Type</u>	Public, partial <u>subsidiary</u> of <u>EMC</u> <u>Corporation</u>		
Traded as	<u>NYSE</u> : <u>VMW</u>		
Industry	Computer software		
Founded	Palo Alto, California, USA, 1998		
Headquarters	Palo Alto, California, USA		
Key people	Paul Maritz (President & CEO) Diane Greene Mendel Rosenblum Edouard Bugnion		
Products	vSphere ESX Server ESX Server Workstation Fusion Player Server VMware Service Manager ThinApp View ACE Lab Manager Infrastructure Converter Site Recovery Manager Stage Manager vCenter Orchestrator VMFS		
Revenue	▲US\$ 3.77 <u>billion</u> (2011)		
<u>Operating</u> <u>income</u>	▲US\$ 735 million (2011)		
<u>Net income</u>	▲US\$ 724 million (2011)		
<u>Total assets</u>	▲US\$ 4.51 <u>billion</u> (2011)		
Employees	11,200		
<u>Parent</u>	EMC Corporation		
Website	<u>VMware.com</u>		
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- VMware, Inc. (NYSE: VMW) is a company providing virtualization software, founded in 1998 and based in Palo Alto, California, USA.
- The company was acquired by EMC Corporation in 2004, and operates as a separate software subsidiary.
- VMware's desktop software
 - runs on Microsoft Windows, Linux, and Mac OS X
 - while
- VMware's enterprise software hypervisors for servers,
 - VMware ESX and VMware ESXi,
 - are bare-metal embedded hypervisors
 - that run directly on server hardware
 - without requiring an additional underlying operating system.

- VMware software provides
 - a completely virtualized set of hardware
 - to the guest operating system
- VMware software virtualizes the hardware for:
 - a video adapter
 - a network adapter
 - and hard disk adapters
- The host provides pass-through drivers for
 - guest USB
 - serial and parallel devices
 - In this way,
 - VMware virtual machines become
 - highly portable between computers,
 - because every host looks nearly identical to the guest.

In practice, a system administrator

- can pause operations on a virtual machine guest,
- move or copy that guest to another physical computer,
- And there resume execution exactly at the point of suspension.
- Alternatively,
- for enterprise servers,
- a feature called vMotion
 - allows the migration of operational guest virtual machines between similar
 - but separate hardware hosts sharing the same storage
 - (or, with vMotion Storage, separate storage can be used, too).
- Each of these transitions is completely transparent to any users on the virtual machine at the time it is being migrated

- VMware Workstation, Server, and ESX
- take a more optimized path
- to running target operating systems on the host
- than emulators (such as Bochs)
 - which simulate the function of each CPU instruction
 - on the target machine one-by-one,
 - or dynamic recompilation which compiles blocks of machine-instructions the first time they execute,
 - and then uses the translated code directly
 - when the code runs subsequently
 - (Microsoft Virtual PC for Mac OS X takes this approach)

VMware software

- does not emulate
- an instruction set
- for different hardware not physically present
- This significantly boosts performance,
- but can cause problems
 - when moving virtual machine guests
 - between hardware hosts using different instruction-sets
 - (such as found in 64-bit Intel and AMD CPUs),
 - or between hardware hosts with a differing number of CPUs.

Software that is CPU agnostic can usually survive such a transition,

- unless it is agnostic by forking at startup,
- in which case,
- the software or the guest OS must be stopped before moving it,
- then restarted after the move

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- VMware's products predate
 - the virtualization extensions to the x86 instruction set,
 - 🔶 and
 - do not require virtualization-enabled processors
- On newer processors,
 - the hypervisor is now designed
 - to take advantage of the extensions

- However,
- unlike many other hypervisors,
- VMware still supports older processors.
 - In such cases,
 - it uses the CPU to run code directly
 - whenever possible
 - (as, for example,
 - when running user-mode and virtual 8086 mode code on x86)
 - When direct execution cannot operate,
 - such as with kernel-level and real-mode code,
 - VMware products re-write the code dynamically,
 - a process VMware calls "binary translation" or BT

The translated code gets stored in spare memory,

- typically at the end of the address space,
- which segmentation mechanisms can protect and make invisible.
- For these reasons,
 - VMware operates dramatically faster than emulators,
 - running at more than 80% of the speed
 - that the virtual guest operating-system would run directly on the same hardware.

In one study

- VMware claims a slowdown over native ranging from 0–6 percent
- for the VMware ESX Server

VMware's approach avoids

- some of the difficulties of virtualization
- on x86-based platforms.
- Virtual machines may deal
 - with offending instructions
 - by replacing them,
 - or by simply running kernel-code in user-mode

Replacing instructions

- runs the risk that the code may fail
- to find the expected content if it reads itself;
- one cannot protect code against reading
- while allowing normal execution,
- and replacing in-place becomes complicated

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Running the code unmodified in user-mode will also fail,

- as most instructions which just read the machine-state
- do not cause an exception
- and will betray the real state of the program,
- and certain instructions silently change behavior in user-mode

One must always rewrite;

- performing a simulation of the current program counter
- in the original location when necessary
- and (notably) remapping hardware code breakpoints

Although VMware virtual machines run in user-mode,

- VMware Workstation itself requires
 - the installation of various drivers in the host operating-system,
 - notably to dynamically switch the Global Descriptor Table (GDT)
 - and
 - the Interrupt Descriptor Table (IDT)
 - The VMware product line
 - can also run different operating systems
 - on a dual-boot system simultaneously
 - by booting one partition natively
 - while using the other as a guest within VMware Workstation

VMware -Technology Architecture

VMware ESX Memory Management and Monitoring



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VMware-Technology Architecture

VMware Fault Tolerance



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VMware High Availability



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VMware vNetwork Distributed Switch



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VMware-products-VMware vSphere,holistic view



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		ESX (\$)			
vCenter Server (\$) S		(vMotion, DRS, HA, Storage vMotion)			
	Server	ESXi (freeware)			Guest OS
(license hardware manager)		(ESXi freeware is managed by the Virtual Infrastructure (or vSphere) Client)			Guest OS
		ESXi (\$) (vMotion, DRS, HA, Storage vMotion)			Guest OS
			<u>VMware Server</u> (freeware)		Guest OS
Workstation		Windows or	User	<u>VMware Workstation</u> (\$) <u>VMware Player</u> (freeware)	Guest OS
hardware		Linux OS			OS
				vSphere Client for managing ESX(i) (freeware)	hosts

VMware-Desktop software & End-User Computing

- VMware ThinApp (formerly known as Thinstall), an application virtualization solution designed to accelerate application deployment and simplify application migration.
- VMware ACE (Assured Computing Environment)
- VMware Express (for accessing Windows applications from a Linux desktop)
- VMware Fusion (for Mac Desktops), a solution for Apple users to seamlessly run Windows and Windows applications on an Intel processor-powered Apple OS X Macintosh computer.
- VMware Player, is a free software used to run multiple operating systems at the same time on your PC.
- VMware View (formerly VMware VDM), an enterprise desktop virtualization platform designed to optimize application and desktop management and enable flexibility for endusers.
- VMware Workstation, a solution that enables multiple operating systems to run at the same time on a single endpoint device.
- VMware Zimbra, an enterprise-class, calendar and collaboration platform based on the popular Zimbra open source project.
- SlideRocket, is an online presentation platform that lets users create, manage, share and measure presentations.

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VMware-Server software and datacenter products

- VMware vSphere 5
- VMware vSphere 4 (rebranded version VMware Infastructure)
- VMware Infrastructure 3
- VMware ESXi (formerly VMware ESX Server ESXi edition)
- VMware ESX (formerly VMware ESX Server)
- VMware Server (formerly VMware GSX Server)
- VMware vCenter Application Discovery Manager VMware vCenter AppSpeed
- VMware vCenter Converter (formerly VMware P2V)
- VMware vCenter Lab Manager (formerly VMware Lab Manager)
- VMware vCenter Lifecycle Manager
- VMware vCenter Operations Standard / Advanced / Enterprise
- VMware vCenter Orchestrator
- VMware vCenter Server (formerly VMware VirtualCenter)
- VMware vCenter Server Heartbeat
- VMware vCenter Site Recovery Manager
- VMware vCenter Stage Manager (formerly VMware Stage Manager)
- VMware vCenter Update Manager (ESX/ESXi Host, Guest OS (Windows
 - & Linux) and Virtual Appliance Patch Management)
 - VMware Capacity Planner
 - VMware Data Recovery

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VMware-Cloud Management Software

VMware vCloud

- VMware vCloud Director enables self-service access to logical pools of
- compute, network and storage resources with policy driven controls and service level agreements
- VMware vCloud Request Manager
- VMware vCloud Datacenter Services
- VMware vCloud Express
- VMware vCloud Consulting Services
- VMware vCloud API
- **VMware Go** is a web-based service
- to guide users of any expertise level through the installation and configuration of VMware vSphere Hypervisor

VMware- Application Platform

- VMware vFabric tcServer, an enterprise Tomcat App server.
- VMware vFabric Enterprise Ready, an enterprise Apache Web server.
- VMware vFabric Hyperic provides web and custom application monitoring and performance management for physical, virtual and cloud environments.
- VMware vFabric GemFire enables real-time data distribution, caching and management for modern applications.
- RabbitMQ provides robust and reliable inter-system messaging for modern applications.
- VMware vFabric SQLFire is memory-oriented data management software delivering application data at runtime with horizontal scale and lightning-fast performance while providing developers with the well-known SQL interface and tools.
- VMware vFabric Web Server increases your web tiers performance, scalability and security while reducing deployment times and complexity with VMware vFabric Web Server, the HTTP server and load-balancing component of the vFabric Cloud Platform

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VMware- Backup software

- In April 2011, EMC transferred control of Mozy to VMware, a move which will assist VMware in targeting its increasing number of cloud-based offerings towards small and medium-sized business
- Mozy produces two products: MozyHome and MozyPro
 - MozyHome is the consumer version of the Mozy backup service. It is available to buy on a monthly subscription
 - MozyPro is the business class version of the Mozy backup service. MozyPro requires a separate license for each computer that is being backed up, as well as a server license for any server that is being backed up. Customers then pay per gigabyte of data they have in the data center