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Open CloudServer – vNext

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Open CloudServer vNext Goals for OCP

Standardization of OCP motherboard

- Reduce fragmentation within OCP community
- Supports side-by-side high-performance CPUs up to 200W
- BOM and Firmware minimization for robust qualification

Flexible, Modular Design for use across OCP

- Adaptable to different server node chassis designs and racks
- Different Data Center environmental and usage models

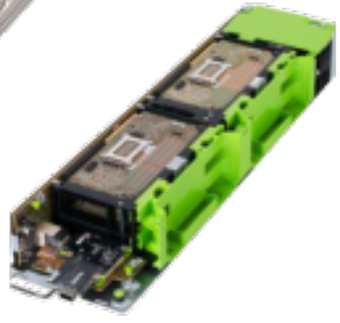
Agility to adapt to new technologies

- Larger form factor, more I/O slots more adaptable

Cost Reduction across full lifecycle

- Lowest bare bones costs for empty chassis cost and transportation
- Lower solution costs

OCP Components



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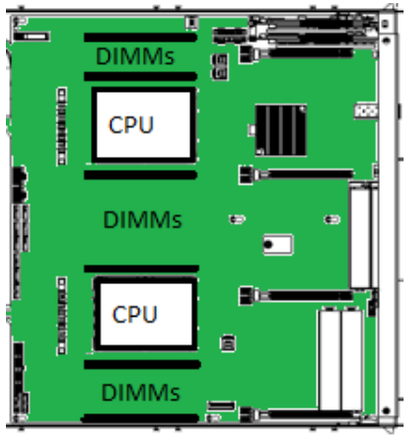
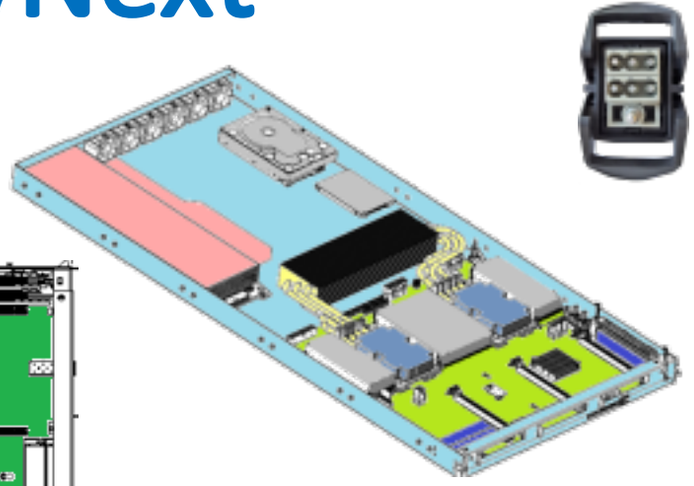
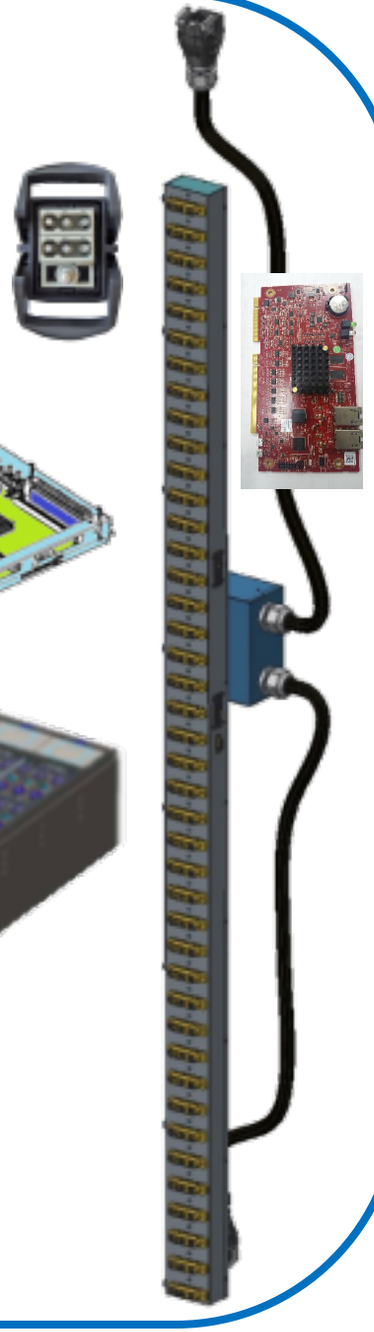
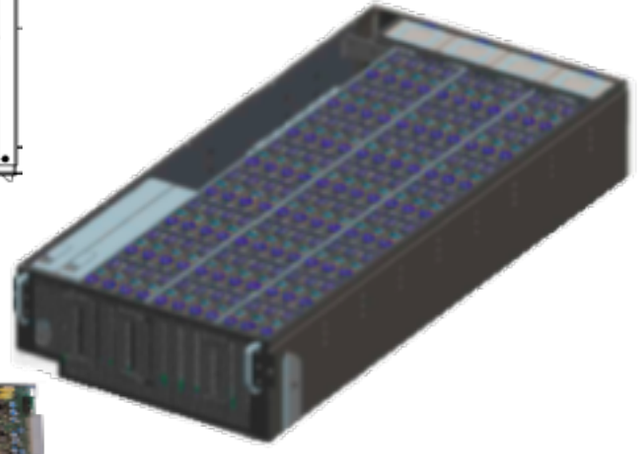


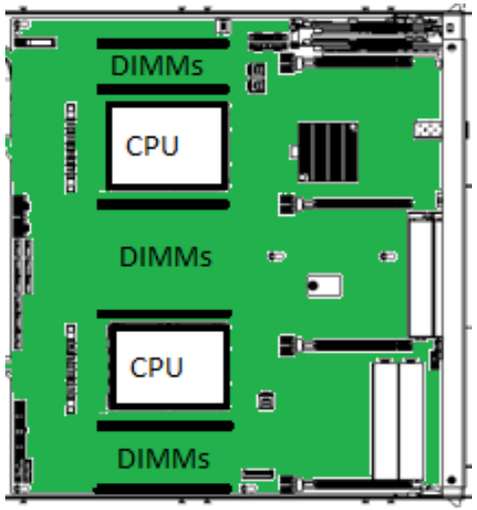






Choose the components you need

Motherboard



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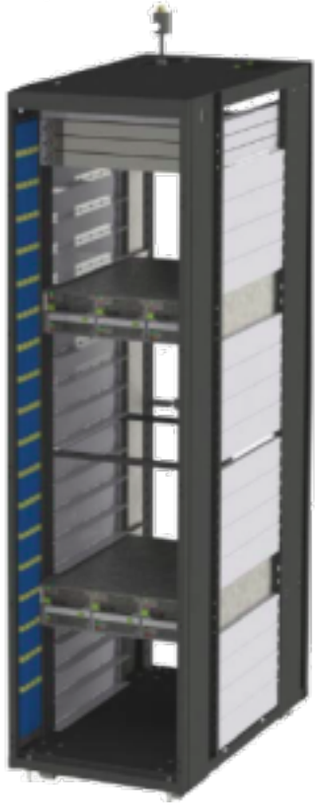
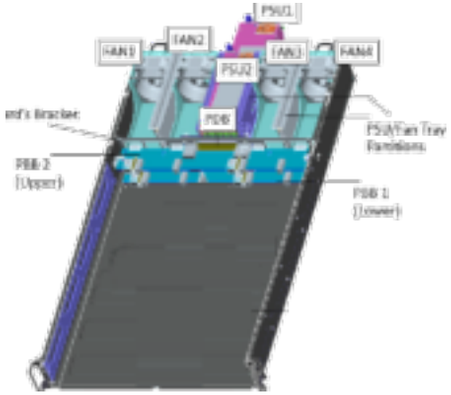
Open Rack



EIA 19”



Other 19”/21”

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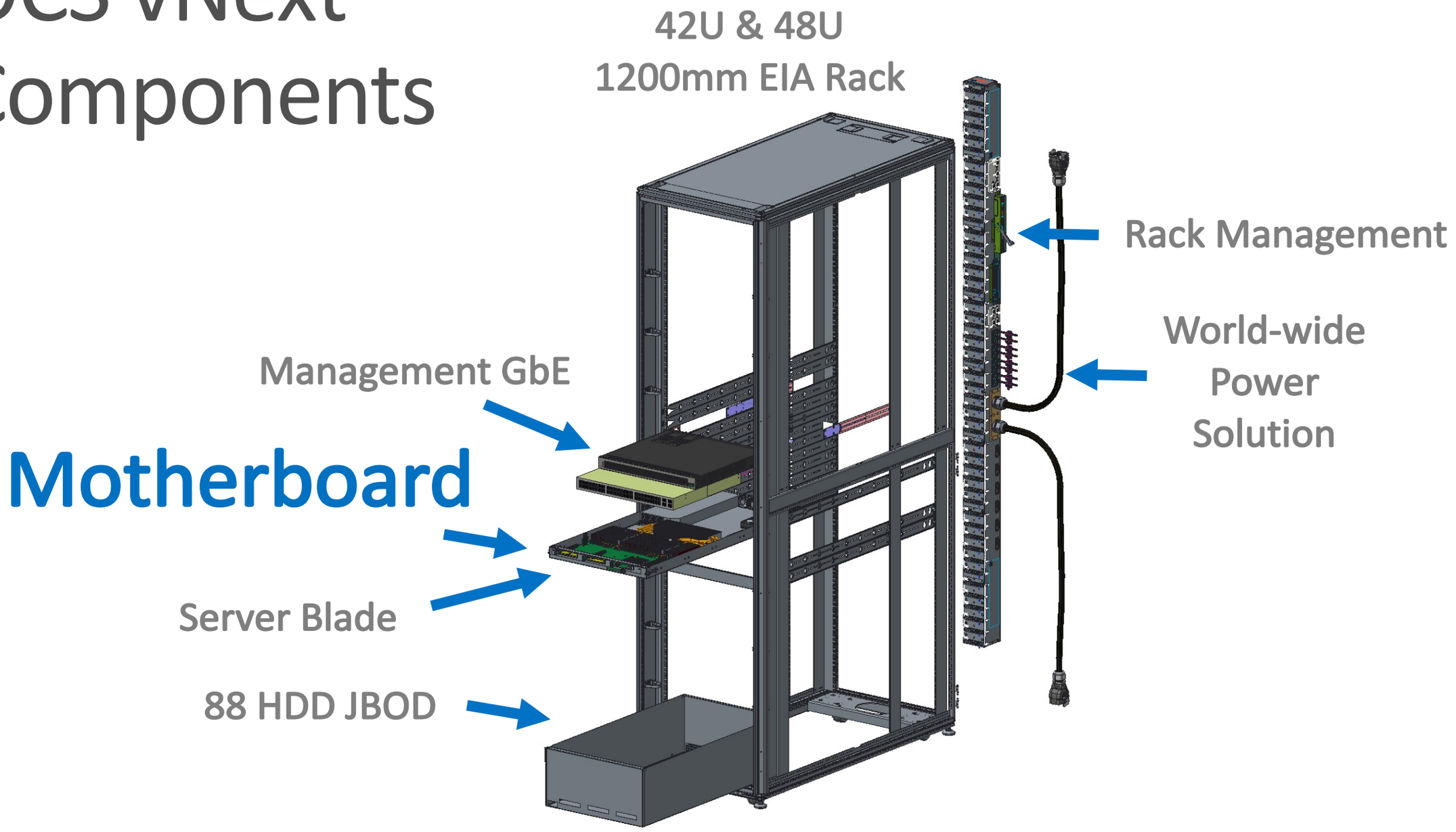


Motherboard

Optimized for Performance, I/O flexibility

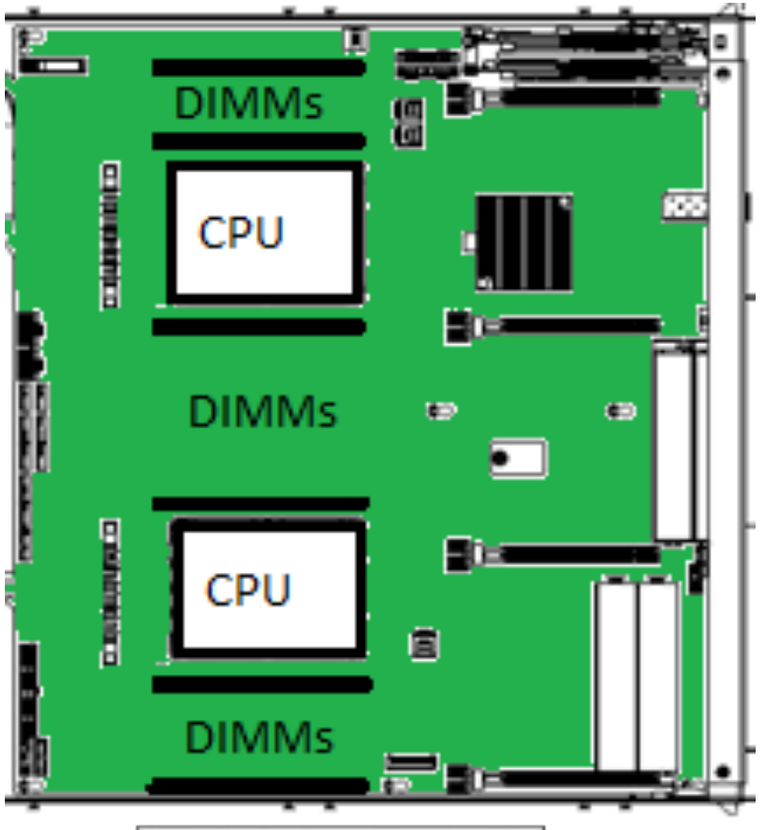
- High-performance CPUs, up to 32 DIMMs
- Three Standard PCI-Express Gen3 slots
  - OCP Mezzanine on card carrier
- Eight to 16 CloudSSD M.2 NVMe Flash cards

Management flexible to meet your needs

- BMC Gigabit Ethernet (Redfish or IPMI)
- NCSI side-band through OCP Mezz
- KVM enabled on motherboard

Power and Thermal

- Cabled power connector adapts to the chassis
- Side-by-side CPUs for lower fan power



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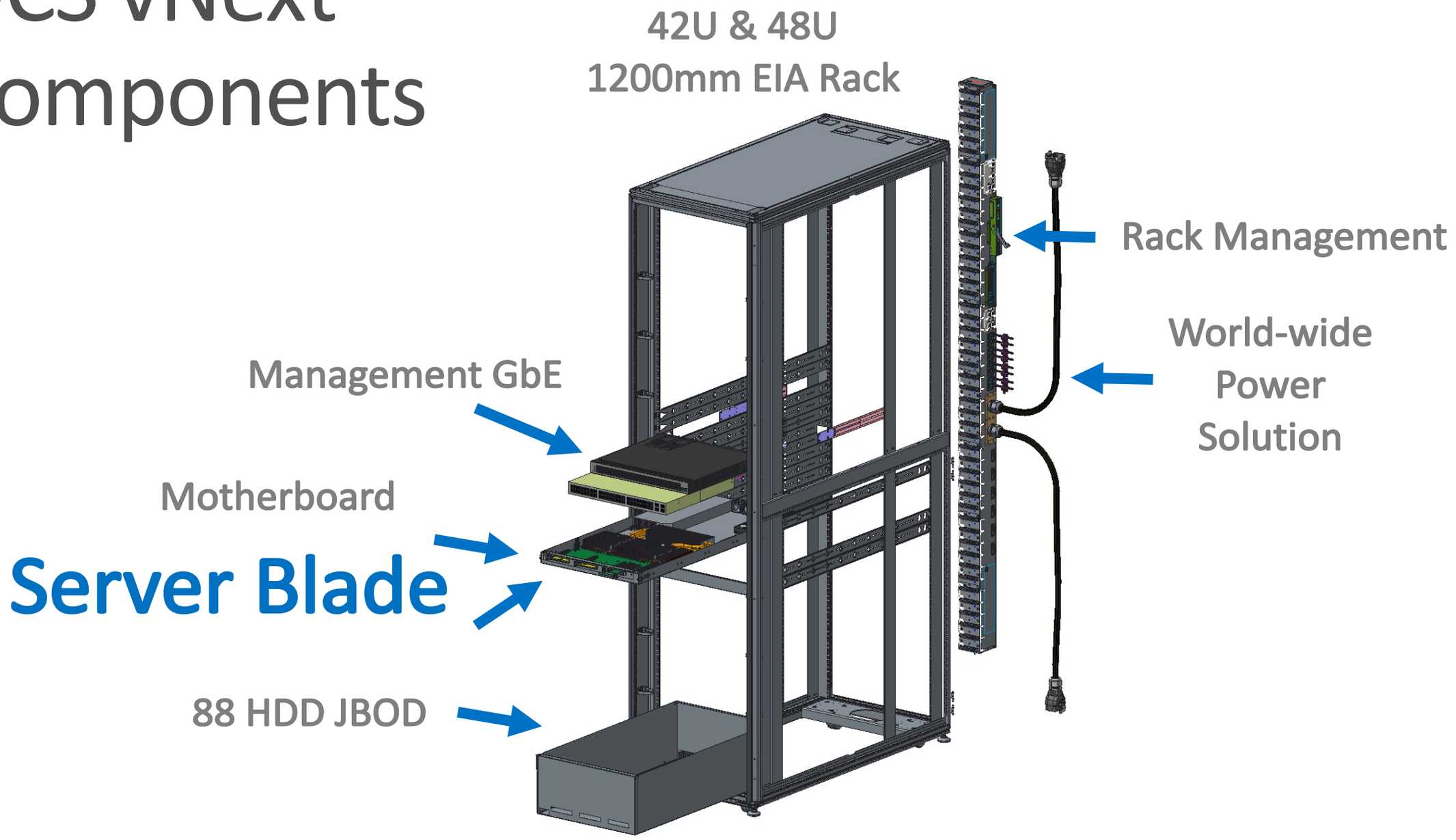
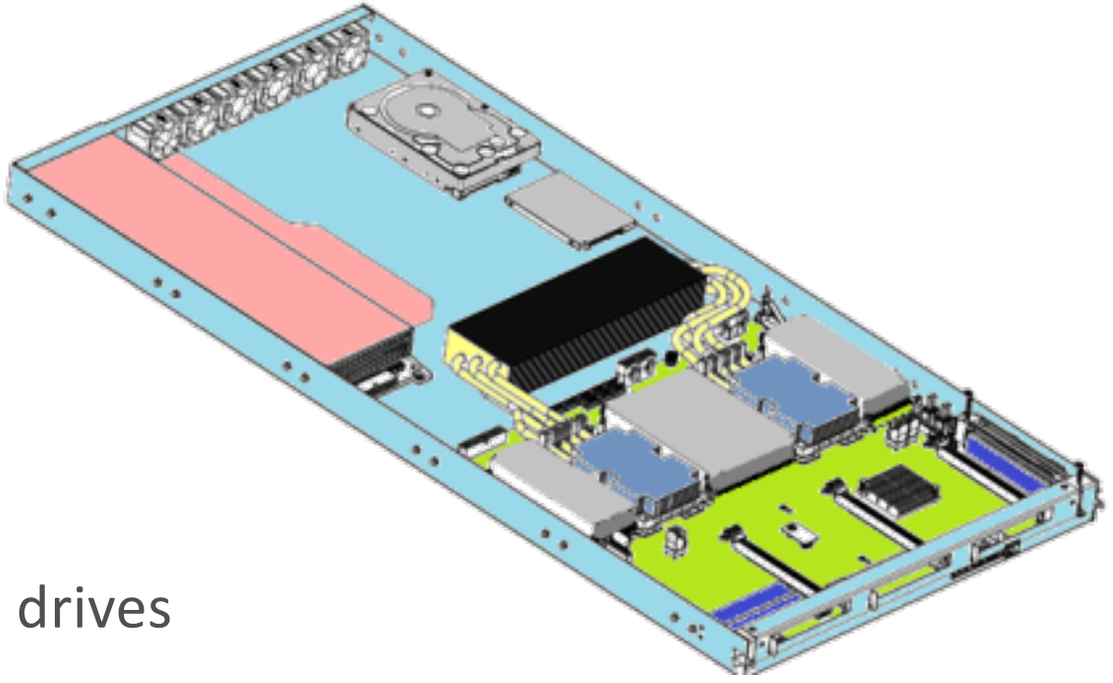


Server Blade

Front Cabled I/O and Cold Aisle Service

- Three PCIe x16 slots
- Blind mate rear power and management
- Latching at the chassis, pull to release



CloudSSD Optimized Storage

- Eight to 16 CloudSSD M.2 NVMe Flash slots
- LFF and SFF slots intended for low-cost boot drives

Embedded PSU and Fans

- 750W PSU: Dual-feed, three-phase, N+1 high availability solution
- Six N+2 fans for high-availability, lower per rack CFM
- Customized high-performance vapor chamber remote heatsink

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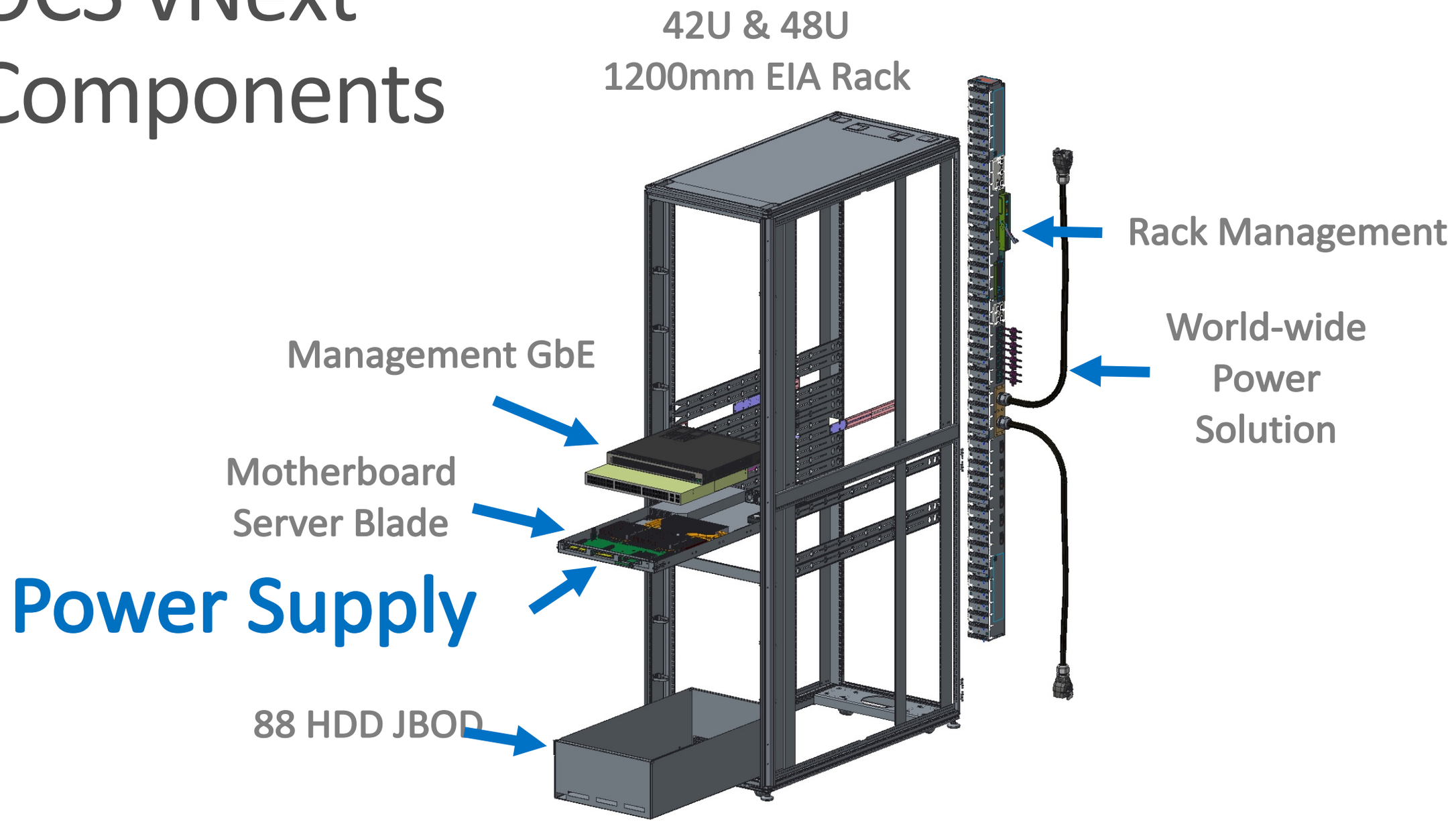
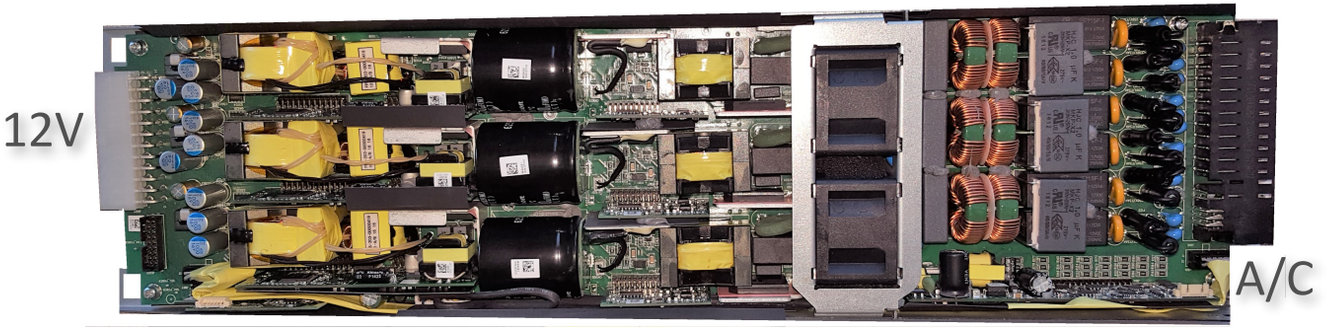


750W High Availability Power Supply

Three x 375 PSUs Fully Integrated

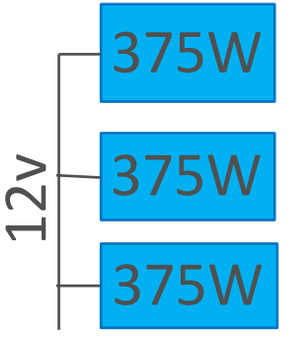
- N+1 HA ➔ no repair on failure
- Dual-feed auto-selection (IVS)
- Three-phase balanced AC power



Fault Mode Resiliency

- AC feed failure, automatic fail over
- PSU failure throttles if necessary
- Double fault will be extremely rare

Normal mode
750W



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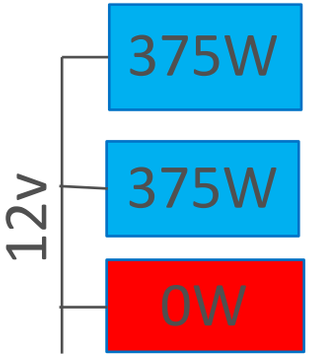

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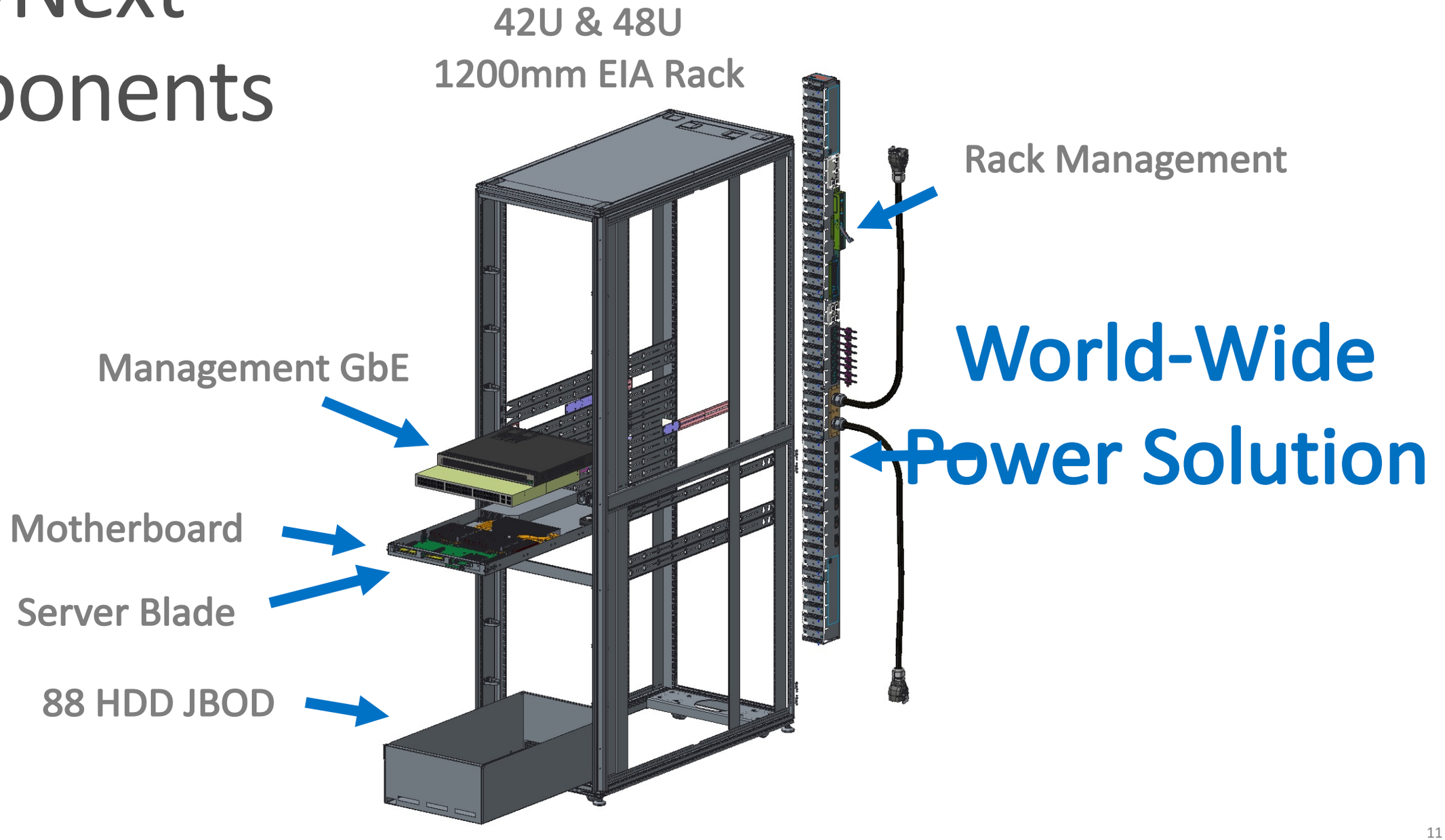


World-Wide Power Solution

Supports high availability data centers

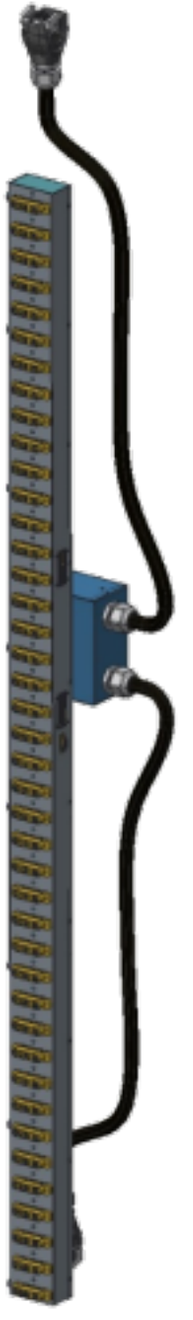
- Dual-feed, three-phase Power to every slot
- Rack power monitoring and throttling

Power and Management Distribution Unit (PMDU)

- Distributes power and management
- Integrated Rack Manager
- Supports blind-mate servers

AC “7-Wire” Adapter for world-wide deployments

- Three phases plus ground return
- Data Center whips under development
  - 208V-50A, 415V-30A, 400V-32A



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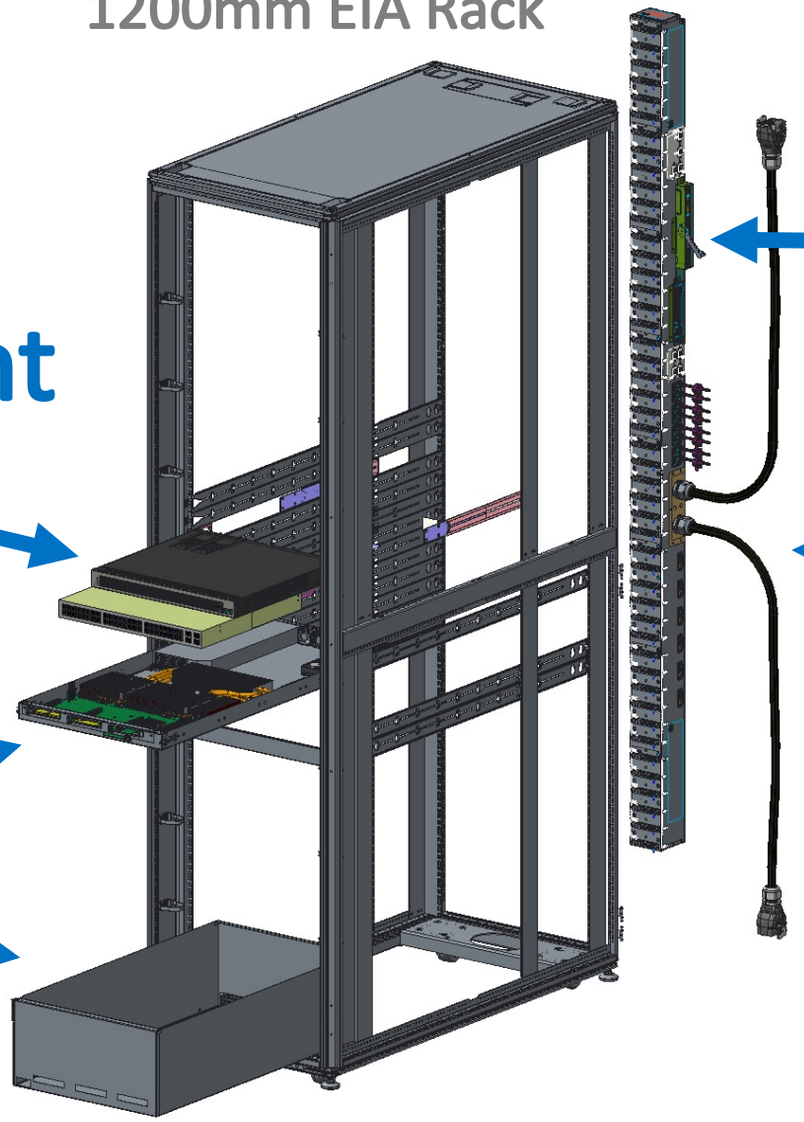
42U & 48U
1200mm EIA Rack



Management GbE

Motherboard

Server Blade

88 HDD JBOD

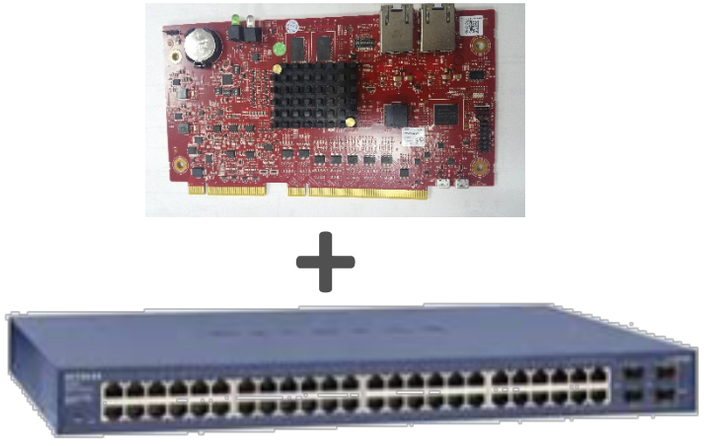
Rack Management

World-wide Power Solution

Management Architecture

Rack Management

- Restful API I/F – i.e. Redfish via external Ethernet
- Rack Manager (RM) ARM CPU running Linux



Blade Management flexible to your needs

- GbE I/F to each blade's BMC
- NCSI enabled on motherboard with cable to OpenRack Mezz Carrier
- KVM enabled on motherboard

Deployments

- Integrated into PMDU for rack scale deployments
- Standalone version for hardware that does not use the PMDU

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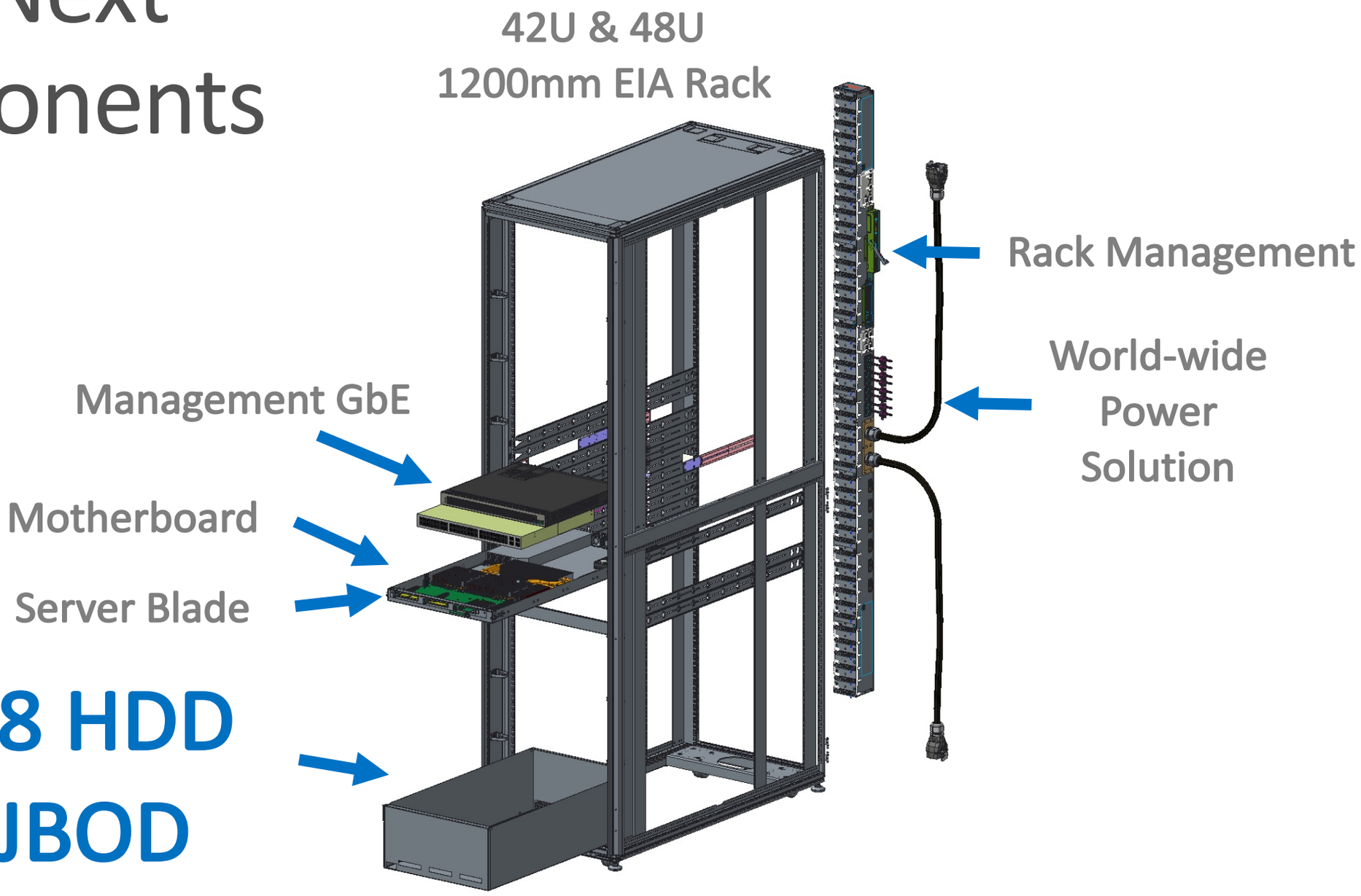


JBOD – High Density Storage

4U JBOD – 88 HDDs / chassis

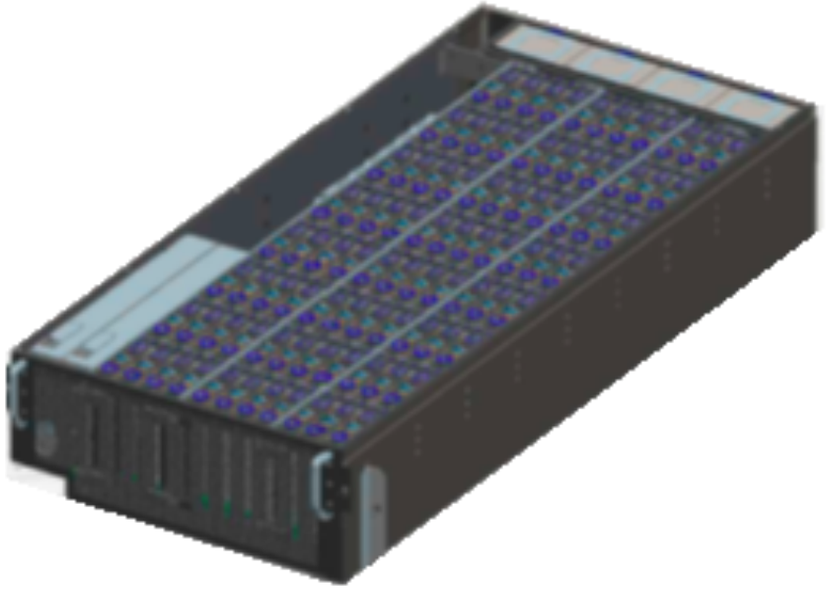
- Drawer design – slide out for repair
- Hot-plug HDDs, front-serviceable expanders
- Front cabled to compute blade head-node

Robust Feature Set

- BMC gathers HDD temps and status info
- Individual HDD on/off to minimize NTF

Configuration

- One OCS vNext head node, 88 HDD each
- Two OCS vNext head nodes, 44 HDD each
- Four OCS vNext head nodes, 22 HDD each



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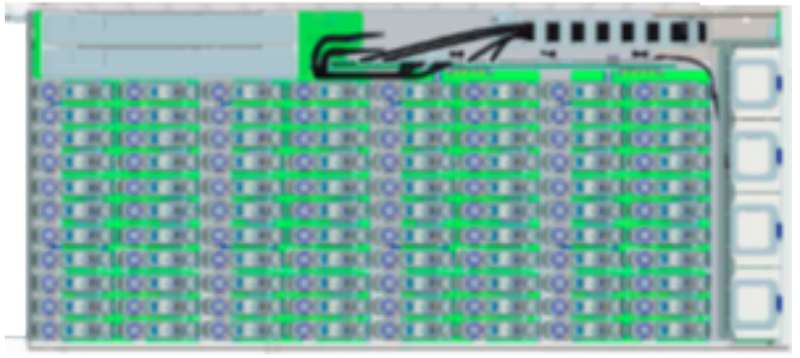

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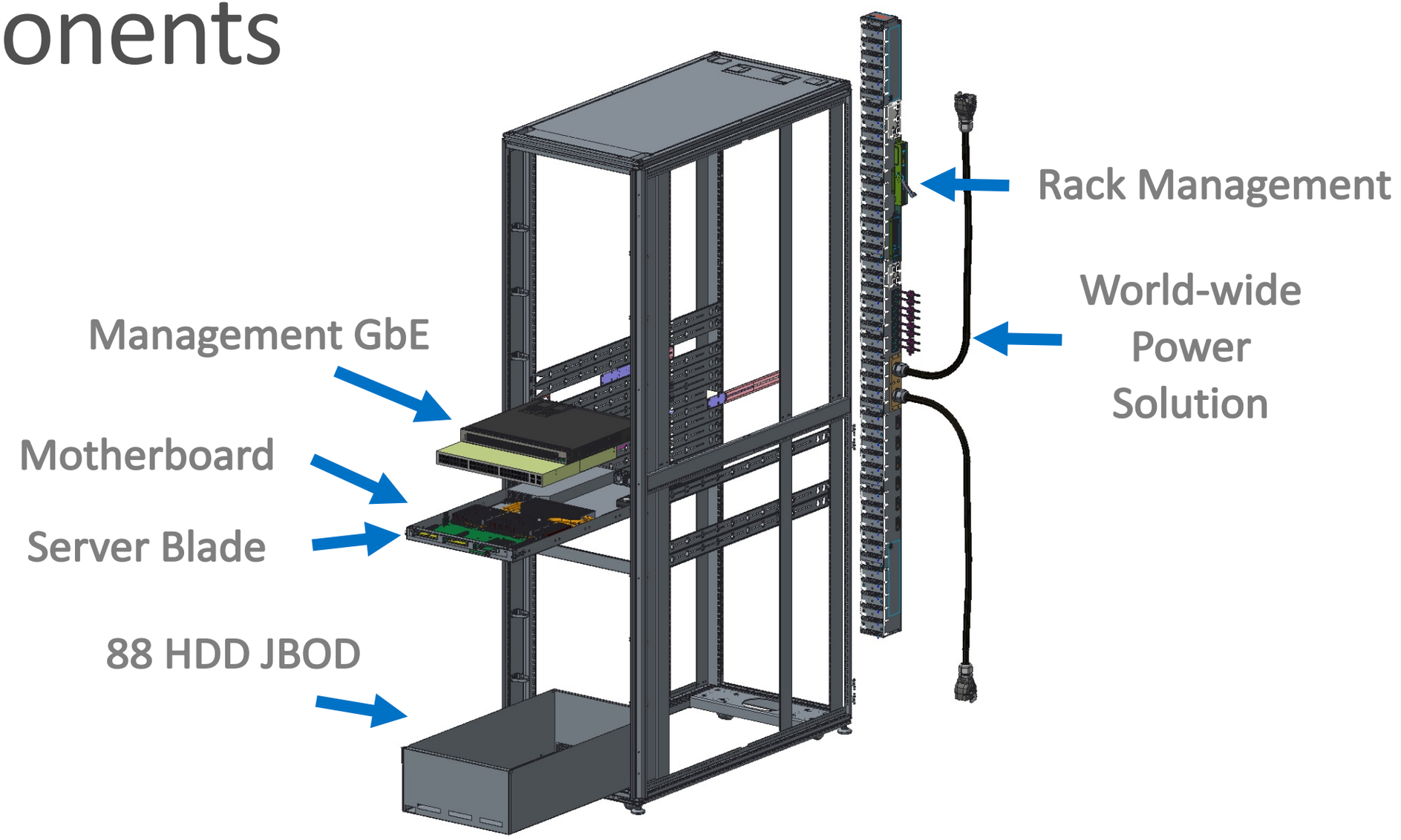
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