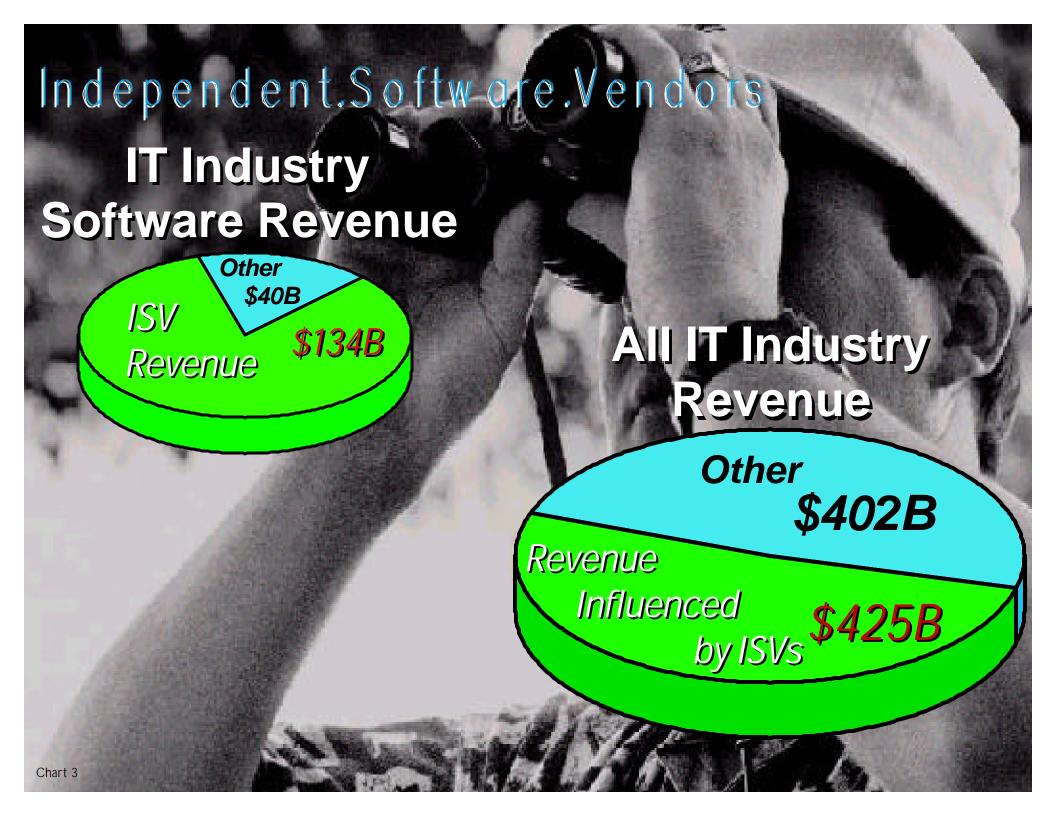




Accelerate Your Startup with IBM

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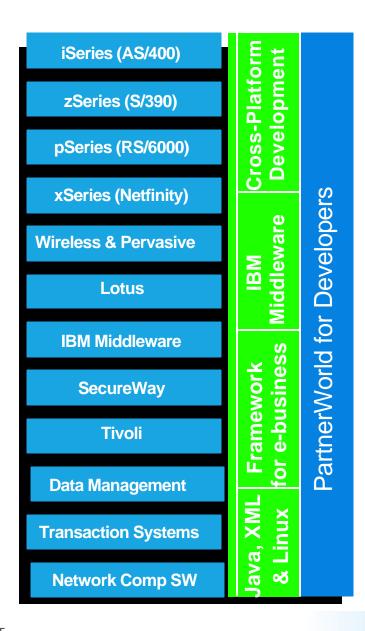


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- Enablement and porting
- Technical support
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- Go-to-Market in partnership

Developer Charter

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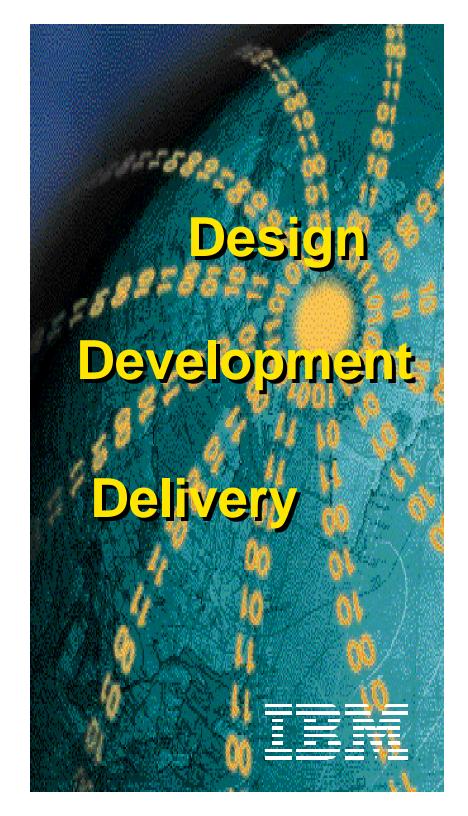


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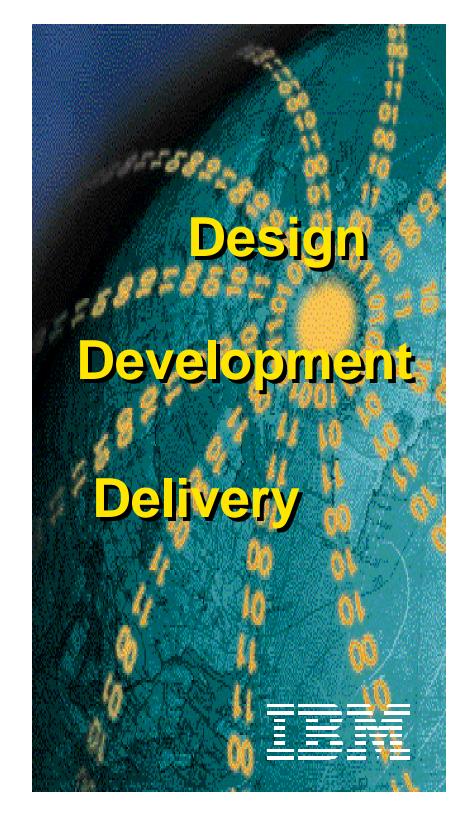
Startup Initiative for Developers

 Provides entrepreneurs with convenient access to industry services, support and resources to jump start a new commercial software venture

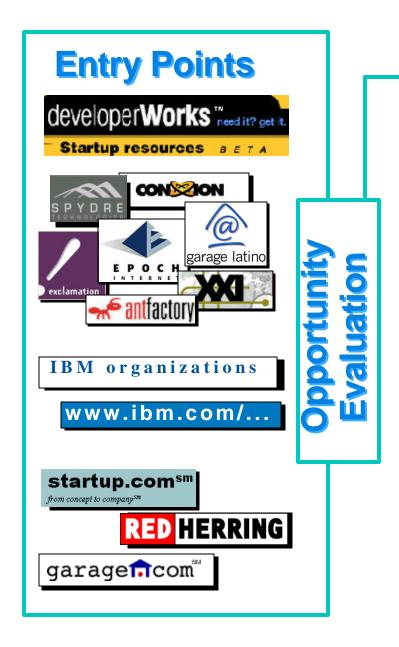


Startup Initiative for Developers

- developerWorksStartup Resources
- IBM Startup Studios for Developers
- IBM TechTalk for Developers
- A network of industry and IBM support, resources and services



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Partner Resources for Developers

- PartnerWorldMembership
- Startup Seminars
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- Startup Initiative for Developers
 - Overall program for entrepreneurs starting a commercial software venture. Includes:
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 - IBM Startup Studios
 - IBM TechTalk for Developers
 - Convenient linkages to IBM and industry resources
- IBM Incubator Partnerships
 - Incubators linking with IBM to provide Internet solutions that help startups go to market quickly

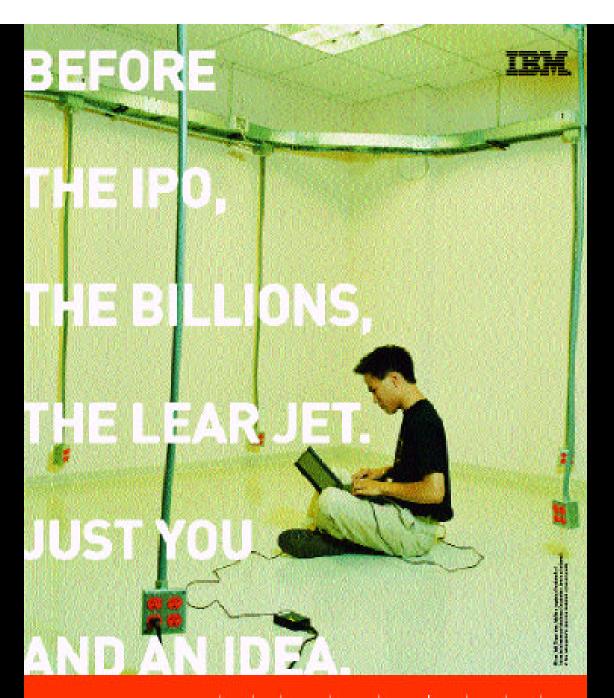
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