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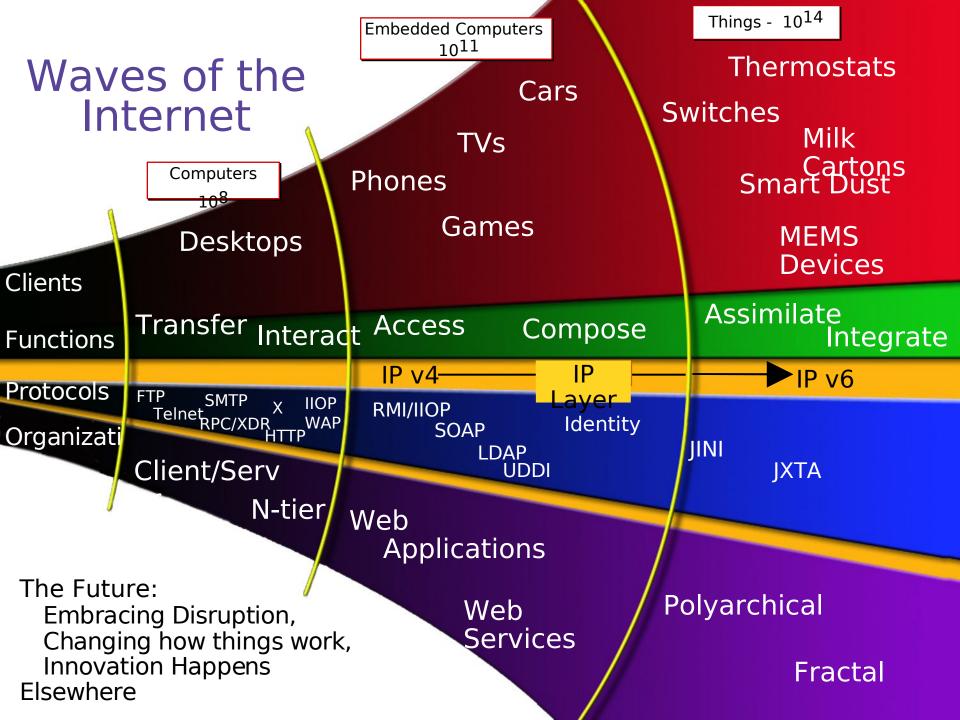
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Sun Contributors

- Danny Cohen Internet protocol design
- Arshan Poursohi Sun SPOTS exploration and integration
- Doug Johnson IO Community development and standards





Sun SPOTS

- Sun SPOTS designed to enable easier wireless sensor and transducer development.
 - > 32-bit ARM CPU, 512K RAM/4M flash
 - > 11-channel, 2.4 Ghz 802.11.15.4 radio
 - J2ME CLDC 1.1 Java VM
- http://www.sunspotworld.com/
- Allows developer to focus on task, not integration
- Key idea being explored is to allow a midlevel, capable platform for interfacing with 10 networks



The Three Revolutions

- Open Standards
 - Mutual corporate self-interest to "level playing fields"
 - > Crisis: ex post IPR bandits
- Open Source
 - > Freedom for developers (not end-users)
 - > But binary distributions still rule
- Network Services
 - > From selling bits to selling their execution



You Can't Create Community without Contribution

OpenSPARC



java.com

opensolaris









Looking Glass









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Internet Zero Community Goals

- Venue for technical exploration
- Development of specifications and standards while recognizing need for openness
- Resource for sharing development and continued work





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