

PRODUCT SOLUTIONS BRIEF

TRANSITION NETWORKS

DATA CENTRE NETWORK MIGRATION

Through our strong global partnerships and alliances with manufacturers such as Transition Networks, we are able to present you with the following offering to meet your specific data centre requirements.

ION Multi-Service Integration Platform

Transition Networks' ION Multi-Service Integration Platform is an all-new intelligent, high-density, multiprotocol system supporting a variety of network interface devices and media conversion modules. It is designed for both carrier class and enterprise network applications where secure network management of the fibre interface devices is essential. Available as a 19-inch rack mountable chassis, in either a 2U 19-slot or a 1U 6-slot configuration, the ION Platform offers a hot swappable architecture for both the slide-in-modules as well as the redundant power supplies.

CHALLENGE SOLVERS

- Management VLAN, SSL, SSH, 802.1x and SNMPv1, v2 and v3 security features
 allow users to control access to the ION Chassis via the ION Management Module to
 ensure that only authorised personnel are able to view and change the settings to the
 slide-in-modules.
- Network administrators can configure, monitor and troubleshoot ION slide-in-modules remotely via the ION Management Module, which lowers operating expenses by reducing technician dispatches.
- The ION Platform optimises existing equipment and infrastructure to experience the benefits of fibre optic cabling while protecting investments in embedded copper devices with RJ-45 ports.
- The ION Multi-Service Integration Platform supports Fast Ethernet, Gigabit Ethernet, 10 Gigabit Ethernet, T1 and DS3 all in the same chassis.

THE ANIXTER APPROACH

Network flexibility

Apply designs to accommodate your performance requirements and highly scalable network architecture demands.

Cabling topology

Determine the right choice for your computing requirements with careful consideration for end-of-row (EoR), middle-of-row (MoR), top-of-rack (ToR) or centralised cabling structures.

Media selection

Choose the appropriate cabling media from twisted pair, optical fibre and direct attached to address high-speed bandwidth requirements.

Density demands

Deploy scalable designs that accommodate for uncertain density requirements.

THE TRANSITION NETWORKS SOLUTION

SLIDE-IN MODULES

10/100 Ethernet 10/100/1000 Ethernet 10 Gigabit Ethernet T1/E1/J1

STAND-ALONE UNITS

10/100 Ethernet 10/100/1000 Ethernet 10 Gigabit Ethernet T1/E1/J1

CHASSIS

1-Slot and 2-Slot 6-Slot 19-Slot SNMP Management Module

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The ION Multi-Service Integration Platform is a complete media conversion system offering solutions for copper to fibre, MM to SM and TDM over fibre conversion.



WHAT WE HEAR

Data centre stakeholders are dealing with a variety of challenges:



AMORTISATION of cabling investment



Infrastructure **COMPLEXITY**



Restrictions of **LEGACY SYSTEMS**



SPEED of deployment



Pace of **INNOVATION**, adoption

Infrastructure as a Platform by Anixter



Infrastructure as a Platform by Anixter offers a standards-based, physical layer approach that provides a foundation to meet the high-performance computing demands of your data centre.

CONFIGURE

We help you discover and map your specific needs to the best solution.

- Converter type
- · Number of chassis slots
- Protocol
- Types of conversions

BUNDLE

Your validated, preconfigured solutions are packaged and site ready.

- Ethernet switches
- SFP modules
- SNMP modules
- Redundant power supplies

DEPLOY

Controlled, repeatable solutions are delivered on time and under budget.

- · Custom packaging and labelling
- Time-sensitive delivery options
- Staged project shipping
- Tailored last-mile delivery

TRANSITION NETWORKS ION MULTI-SERVICE INTEGRATION PLATFORM FEATURES



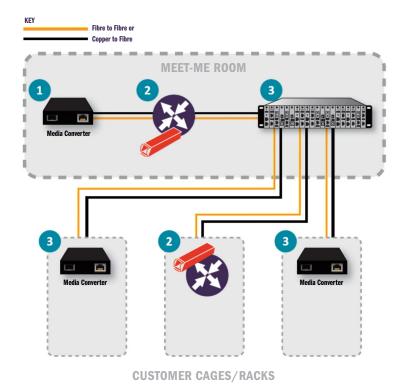
NETWORK FLEXIBILITY

- All ION cards are modular and independent, supporting a mix of various communication protocols within the same chassis.
- Remote management allows for faster mean-time-to-repair by proactively receiving traps and alerts on potential issues.
- Advanced security features ensure only authorised personnel have access to the management system.



DENSITY DEMANDS

- Hot-swappable design allows for the installation of new cards on an as-needed basis, matching the need for fibre integration.
- Efficiently monitor the chassis, modules and power supplies via SNMP through the optional management module.
- Fibre infrastructure reduces the need for future upgrades to the cabling plant while continuous development on new fibre modules will always keep the ION Platform current.





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