

Server Consolidation

“The BladeCenter Server Consolidation was one of the smoothest migrations I have ever done. Dynamix Group and MLBA did an amazing job handling the migration – I was comfortable with the team from the beginning.”

- Director of IT, Premier Resort in Florida

SUCCESS STORY

Leading Edge Technology with a BladeCenter Server Consolidation at one of Florida’s premier resorts.

CLIENT NEED

A Florida resort was looking to consolidate its servers and needed a self contained unit with portability. Something they could literally unplug and roll out in case of a disaster.

DYNAMIX GROUP SOLUTION

With the implementation of a BladeCenter, the resort has the ability to take its system off-site quickly and can be up and running from another location in a matter of minutes. From 22 servers to 9, the resort also saw an immediate reduction in monthly maintenance costs. Instead of purchasing stand-alone servers, each with its own internal storage, the BladeCenter system's builtin iSCSI capabilities allows each diskless blade to store its data on the System i platform. A leading edge technology that not only simplifies storage and server configuration but saves the resort money in multiple ways – technology simplified in a Blade Center.

THE RESULT

Nothing but positive, and the organization saved 9 percent in total cost of ownership over a revamped, external-only PC-server environment.

PRODUCTS/SERVICES

- IBM System i520 (with IBM iSCSI Attachment)
- IBM BladeCenter
- IBM System Storage Ultrium 3 Tape Drive
- Dynamix Group Technical Services
- MLB Consulting Services