

**Evolving Transit Technology –  
Facilitating Seamless Data  
Integration through GIS Server  
Implementation**

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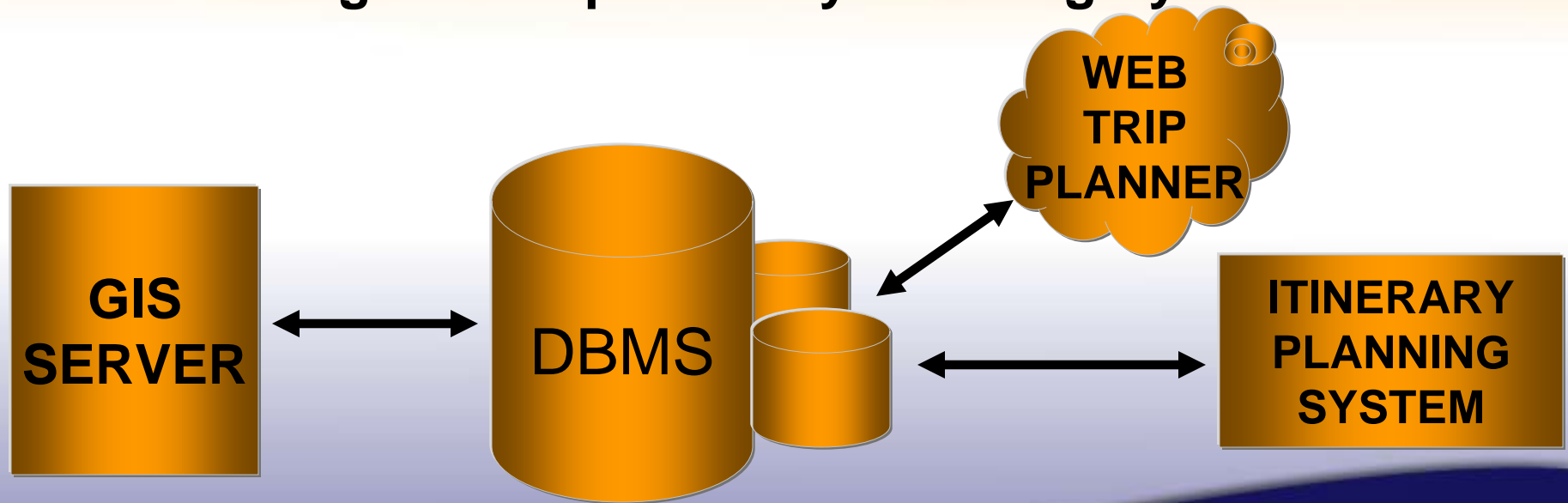
## **MARTA OVERVIEW**

**MARTA Provides The Community With Bus, Rail And Paratransit Services For The Atlanta Metro Area**

- **9th Largest Transit System In North America**
- **4,600+ Employees; 450,000 Daily Passengers**
- **556 Peak Buses On 129 Routes & 200 Paratransit Vans**
- **38 Rail Stations & 338 Rail Cars**
- **Provides Over 90% Of Transit Service In The Region**
- **First 100% Smart Card System In North America**

## OBJECTIVE

Seamless Data Integration To  
Facilitate Regional Trip Itinerary Planning System



## **SERVER POTENTIAL**

- **Server GIS - facilitating data transition across the organization**
- **Improved deployment of Geospatial analytical tools**
- **Improved data management**
- **Access to non-GIS users**

# **TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATIONS IN TRANSIT OPERATIONS**

- **Route Planning and Analysis**
- **Automatic Vehicle Location Systems**
- **Paratransit Analysis and Routing**
- **Bus Stop Management and Facility Inventory**
- **Rail System Facility Management**
- **Optimal Routing Through Demographic Analysis**
- **Transportation Modeling and Data Structures**
- **Ridership Analysis**

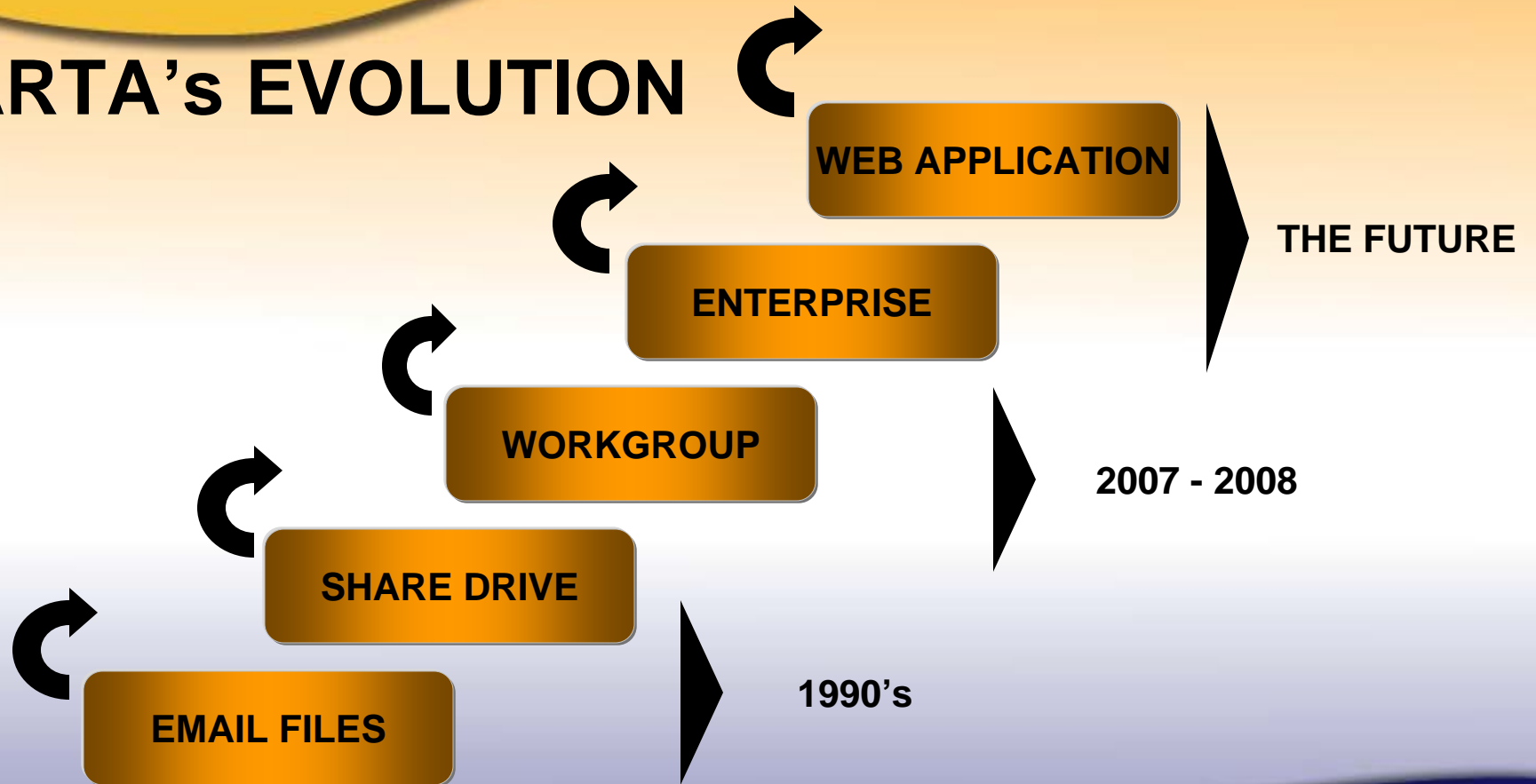
## **THE PAST - HISTORIC**

- **Data Access – Limited Departmental involvement**
- **Disparate Datasets**
- **Shared Drives via Internal Network**
- **Emails**
- **Hard Drives - Imagery Data**
- **Electronic Media**
- **Poor Data Quality**
- **Data Loss**

## **THE FUTURE - EVOLUTION**

- **Data Access/Integration – Seamless**
- **GIS Functionality Direct Access via Internal/External Network**
- **Efficient Data Management**
- **Seamless Data Collection And Reconciliation**
- **Comprehensive Analysis**
- **Custom Web Based Applications**
- **Mobile Systems Support**
- **Increased Productivity**

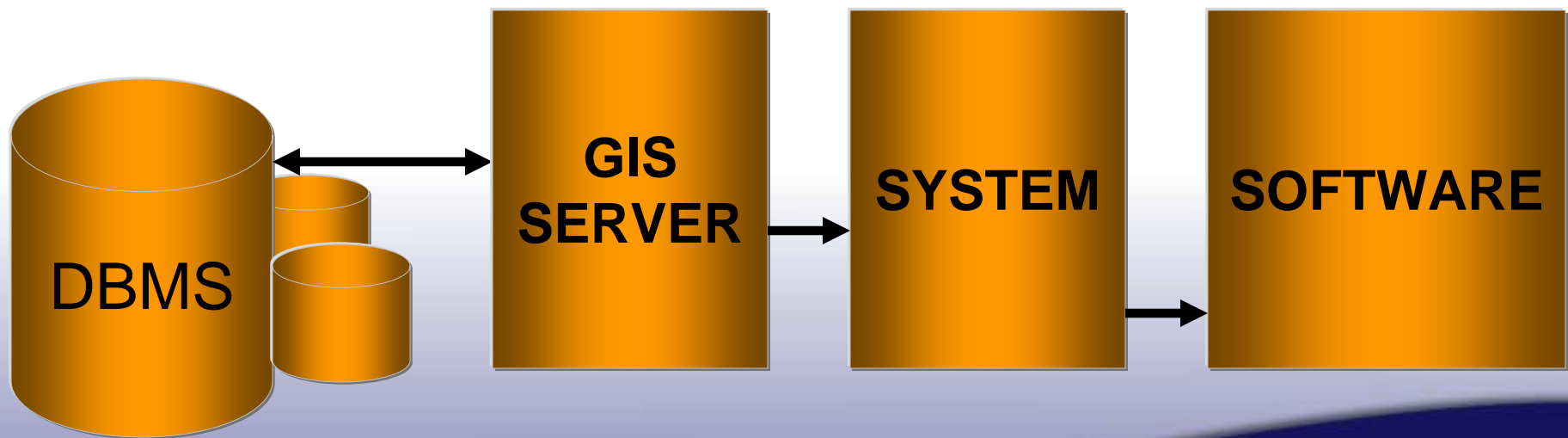
## MARTA'S EVOLUTION





## IMPLEMENTATION STRATEGY

Design and Implement an Integrated  
GIS System Architecture



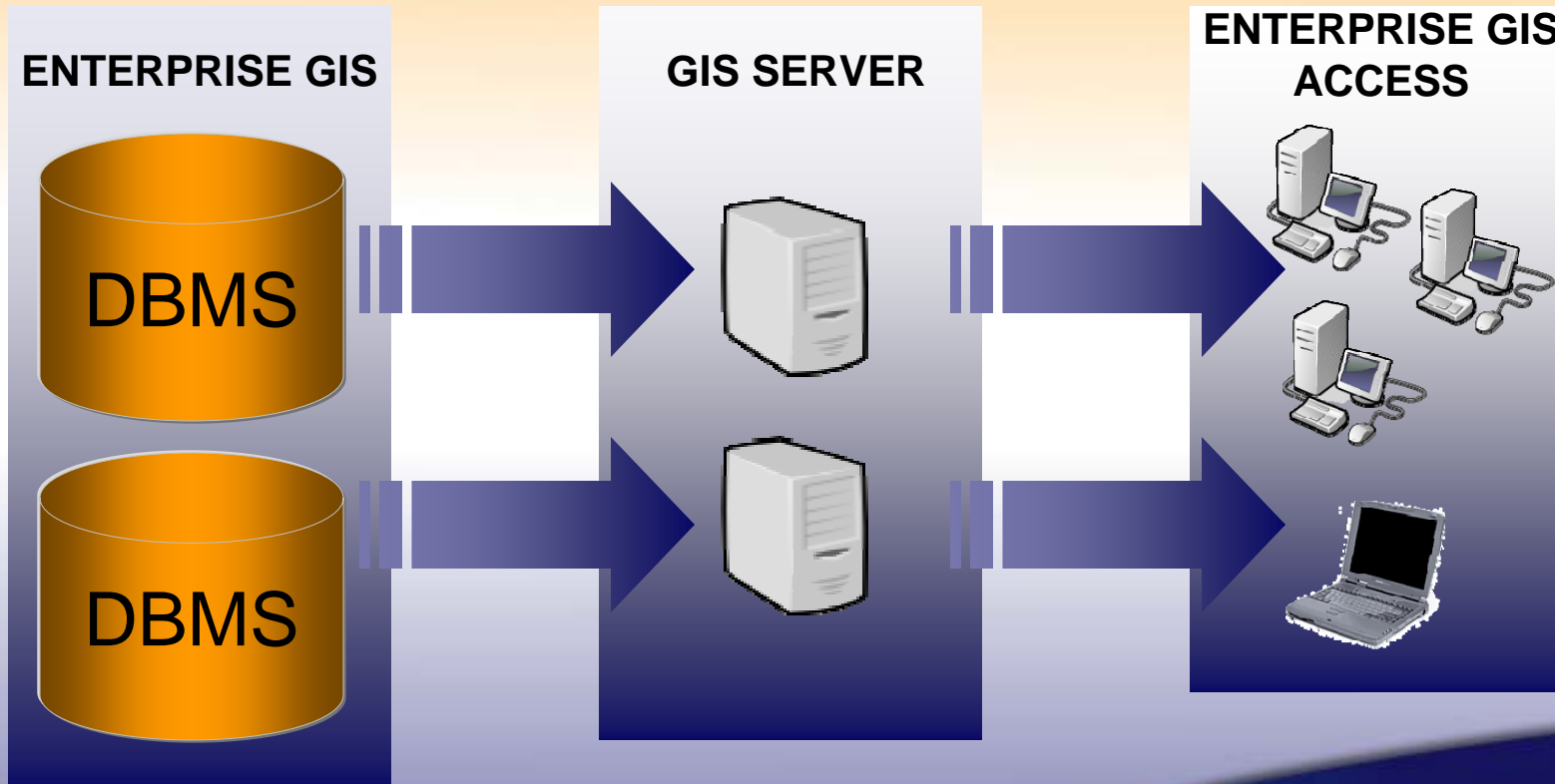
## **CENTRALIZED SYSTEM**

- **Systematic Process**
- **System Administration**
- **Functionality**
- **Data Sharing, Integration and Interoperability**
- **License Consolidation on Central Server**
- **Data Management Structure**
- **Security**
- **Geoprocessing Model Sharing**
- **Network Load**

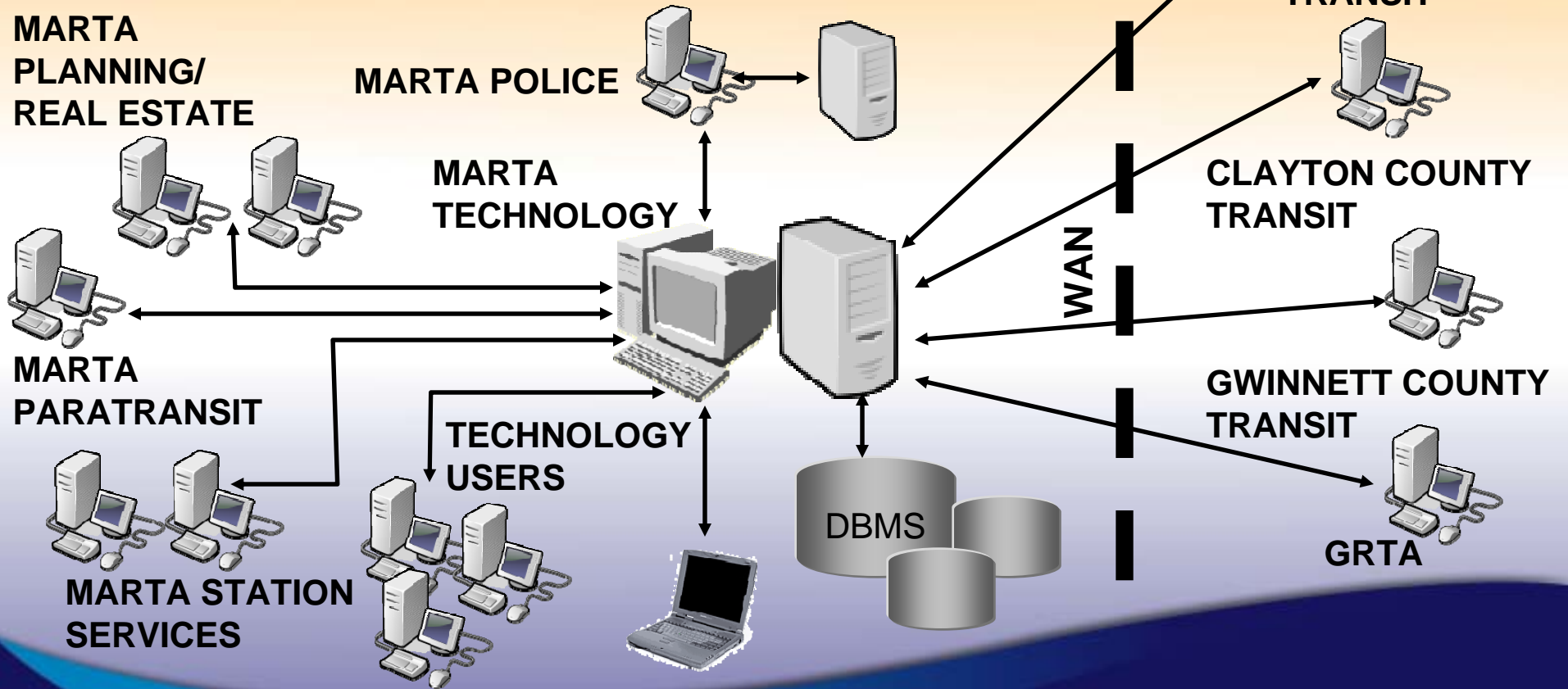
## **ARCHITECTURE**

- **Service Oriented Architecture**
- **System Accessibility**
- **Unified Data Structure**
- **Scalable Architecture**
- **Web-based Services**

## CONCEPTUAL ARCHITECTURE - LOCAL



## ARCHITECTURE - REGIONAL



## **FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS**

- **Unified Framework Architecture**
- **Accommodating Data growth**
- **Integration of Disparate Systems**
- **Facilitating Access**
- **Data interoperability**