

R&D Subcommittee

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IT News and Tips



MS released Office 2007 SP2 on 4/28.
SP2 for Vista and WS2K8 R2 released for manufacture.



Cisco to complete in the blade servers market with 8-blade server, data storage and network system

Skype goes Enterprise (Skype for SIP Business Users).
Skype can go from being an ancillary product to one integrated into phone systems.
Business can manage Skype calls, use their existing equipment and software to route calls and buy online numbers.



IBM plans to buy Sun Microsystems for \$5.9B... not
Oracle will acquire it for \$7.4B
Open source, anyone?

General Electric's researchers have achieved a breakthrough in digital storage technology (specifically in Holographic Storage) that will allow standard-size discs to hold the equivalent of 100 DVDs. The process stores 3D images and digital data together, encoding it all



Microsoft says anyone who buys a Vista PC after July 1, 2009 from a manufacturer participating in the software maker's upgrade program will get an upgrade to Windows 7 at no additional cost

Also, buy Windows 7 and you can downgrade to Vista or XP

New products

Cisco boosts telepresence service, aiming at SMBs. System is not reliant on one 65" plasma and runs under slower bandwidth connections, such as T1, at 720p resolution.

Any-to-Any Video Collaboration

Seamless Video Experience Across Platforms

- Standards-based interoperability with HD and SD systems
- Utilize existing resources/maximize value
- Preserve high-quality meeting experience



The diagram illustrates the Cisco TelePresence Interoperability ecosystem. At the center is a virtual meeting room with a large screen and several chairs. Surrounding this central hub are various devices and platforms, each with a blue arrow pointing towards the center, indicating interoperability. The devices include: a Cisco WebEx interface, a Web Cam, a Desktop VC (Video Conferencing) setup with a monitor and camera, an HD VC (High Definition Video Conferencing) monitor, SD Video Conferencing equipment, and a Microsoft Office Communicator interface.

Web Cams Desktop VC HD VC

Cisco WebEx

SD Video Conferencing

Microsoft Office Communicator

Cisco TelePresence Interoperability

New products

**Western Digital debuts first
2TB drive (US\$299):**

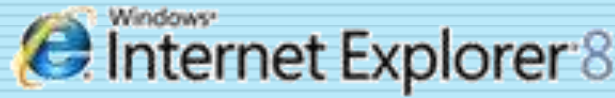


New products

XP-mode in Windows 7



New products



Office 2007 SP2 released 4/28/09

- ✓ Better Outlook responsiveness
 - ✓ More reliable Outlook calendar updates
 - ✓ Search reliability
 - ✓ RSS improvements in Outlook
 - ✓ Better .pdf/.xps output fidelity
 - ✓ Improves the charting mechanism in Excel 2007
 - ✓ Provides faster file resaves in [PowerPoint 2007](#)
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IT News



**Japón tendrá conexión a Internet de 1Gb
KDDI lo ofrecera a partir de Octubre
A un costo de 54 dólares/mes.**



Canonical lanza Ubuntu 9.04 con una versión específica para Netbook.

Esta versión nos trae tiempos de arranque más cortos, mejor gestión energética, recuperaciones inmediatas de estados de hibernación y algún tan útil como una mejor gestión automática de conexiones entre redes 3G y WiFi según van estando disponibles.

Mejor Hardware Según la Revista Digital Hispazone



El Mejor Microprocesador

Intel Core i7 920



La Mejor Placa Base

Gigabyte EP45-UD3P



La Mejor Memoria

OCZ DDR3 PC3-12800 Extreme Core i7



El Mejor Disco Duro

Intel SSD X25-M 80GB



Mejor Hardware Según Hispazone (Cont.)



La Mejor Caja

Lian-Li PC-V1000Z



La Mejor Fuente

PC Power & Cooling Silencer 750



La Mejor Portátil

ASUS G50v



La Mejor Netbook

ASUS Eee PC 10004DN

