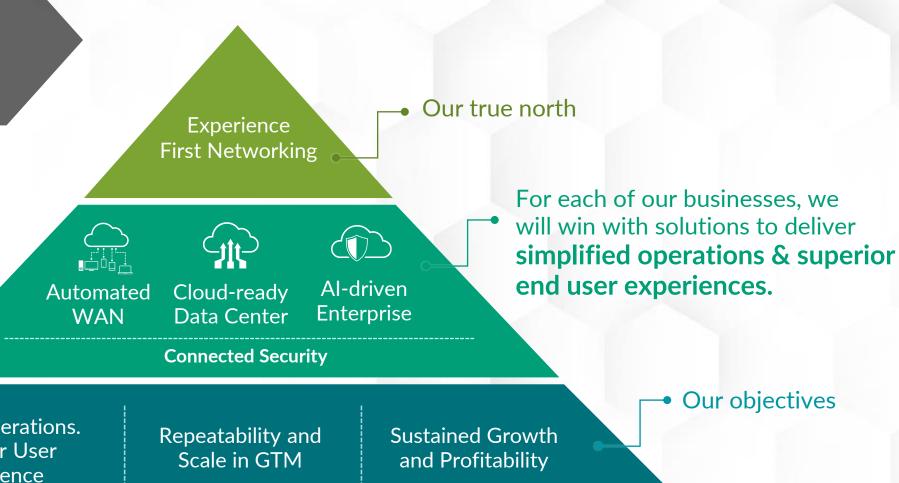


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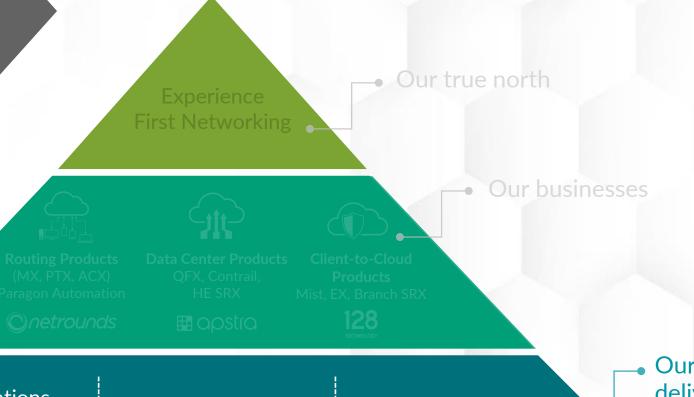


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Repeatability and Scale in GTM

Sustained Growth and Profitability

Our objectives to deliver on our strategy

01

## AUTOMATED WAN



02

## CLOUD-READY DATA CENTER



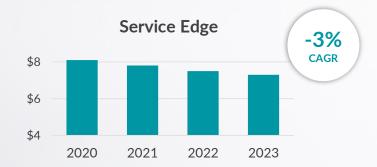
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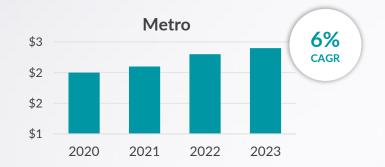
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#### Target Markets – TAM (\$B)

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### Key Market Inflections

- 400G Adoption in Cloud and Service Providers
- 5G and Cloud driving next-gen metro and edge architectures
- Enterprise digitalization
- Focus on Experience and TCO reduction

#### **Product Strategy**

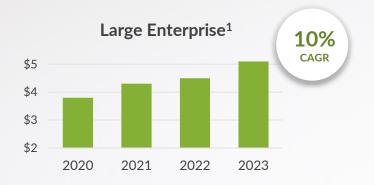
- Win 400G refresh with differentiated portfolio
- Lead with automation and assurance
- Expand into high-growth
   5G-ready Metro market

#### **GTM Strategy**

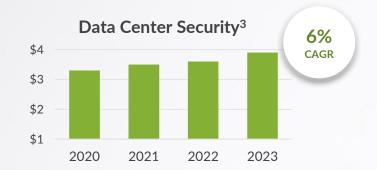
- Continue customer diversification
  - Cloud Majors
  - Tier 2/3 SP
  - High End Enterprise



#### Target Markets - TAM (\$B)







#### **Key Market Inflections**

- Hybrid and multicloud Data Centers
- Hyperscale-like operations
- Automation and AlOps
- 400G adoption and disaggregation in hyperscalers
- Integrated security + networking

#### **Product Strategy**

- Drive adoption of best-in-class 400G & dense 100G DC switches with cloud-optimized OS
- Lead with industry leading Intent-based Fabric Management
- Attach high-end firewall
- Embrace disaggregation at hyperscalers

#### **GTM Strategy**

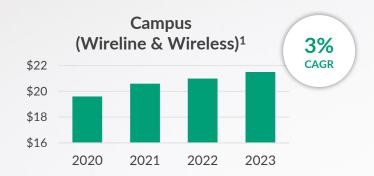
- Scale Sales with Data Center specialists
- Focus on System Integrators
- Drive Apstra-powered turnkey solutions for channel

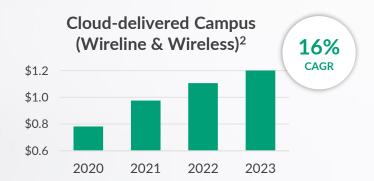
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### Target Markets – TAM (\$B)







#### **Key Market Inflections**

- Wi-Fi 6-led wireless refresh
- · Accelerated shift to cloud
- Evolving workspaces driving the need for automated operations from client-to-cloud
- Network and security convergence

#### **Product Strategy**

- Enhance the lead in cloud-first. assurance-led Mist Wireless + Wireline portfolio
- Bring entire portfolio under common umbrella of Mist Al
- Connected Security from client-to-cloud

#### GTM Strategy

- POC. Sale. Repeat.
- Leverage Gartner MQs
- Scale Enterprise GTM motion
- Upsell the client-to-cloud portfolio: WLAN-LAN-WAN-Security

## **Experience-First Transformation: Common Themes**

01

400G experience driven by best cost/bit and integrated security



02

Self-driving network experience created by automation and Al-driven support



03

Embrace open standards, APIs, and disaggregation



04

Customer diversification and repeatable GTM motion



### **Leadership Positions in Enterprise**

#### **A LEADER**



**Magic Quadrant** 

For wired & wireless LAN access infrastructure

Gartner

**A LEADER** 



**Magic Quadrant** 

For data center & cloud networking

Gartner

**A VISIONARY** 



**Magic Quadrant** 

For WAN edge infrastructure

Gartner

**A CHALLENGER** 



**Magic Quadrant** 

For network firewalls

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Magic Quadrant

For indoor location services, global

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