

# MeetingServer



## The award-winning web conferencing solution for Service Providers

**MeetingServer** is a high-function, widely deployed web conferencing solution for Service Providers and large enterprises that want to manage their own web conferencing service, whether as a new offering or as a replacement for an existing out-sourced service.

- MeetingServer incorporates all of the essential web conferencing features - whiteboarding, presentations, application sharing, text chat, voting, web video, file sharing - in an **attractive and easy-to-use interface**.
- MeetingServer provides **high performance and seamless operation**. Slide transitions during a presentation are instantaneous. The server incorporates adaptive bandwidth management and automatic background reconnection to optimize the use of all types and qualities of network connection.
- Presenters can **record the audio, video and web** portions of a conference. Recordings can be managed, annotated and published.
- The **reservationless scheduling model** makes it simple to start a conference. MeetingServer can be **tightly integrated with audio/video hardware** to present a roster combining audio and web status and control.
- MeetingServer enables **simple rebranding and integration** with existing Service Provider systems, such as billing and authentication. Metaswitch's Professional Services team is available to assist with this integration and deployment.
- The **scalable server-farm architecture** allows for rapid hardware expansion without downtime as the service grows, along with high availability through redundancy.

The screenshot displays the MeetingServer interface with three main windows:

- Video Window:** Shows a video feed of Sunny Carter, who is on a phone call. The name 'Sunny Carter' is visible below the video.
- Discussion Window:** Contains a 'Discussion area' with the text: 'MeetingServer: Conference started at 12:11:10 on May 18, 2004' and 'Sunny Carter: OK, let's start with looking at our recent results'. There is a 'Say:' input field and a 'To:' dropdown menu set to 'All Users'.
- Workspace Window:** Displays a Microsoft Excel spreadsheet titled 'Projected Results.xls'. A line chart is embedded in the spreadsheet, titled 'Results vs Projection'. The chart compares 'Projection' (a dashed pink line) and 'Results' (a solid blue line with diamond markers) over time from 01/01/2004 to 22/04/2004. The Y-axis ranges from 0 to 70. The 'Results' line is consistently above the 'Projection' line, indicating better performance than expected. A yellow oval highlights the chart title.

Date	Projection	Results
01/01/2004	20	20
15/01/2004	25	25
29/01/2004	30	30
12/02/2004	35	38
26/02/2004	40	45
11/03/2004	45	50
25/03/2004	50	55
08/04/2004	55	60
22/04/2004	60	65

## Conferencing features

### Whiteboard

- Highlighting, text, arrows, etc.
- Annotation objects can be selected and moved, modified or deleted

### Application sharing

- Share applications or desktop
- Annotations and snapshots
- Full screen display

### Web video

- Webcam feed from multiple presenters

### Discussion

- Multi-party text chat
- Private and public messages

### Participants

- Roster of presenters and attendees
- Integration with audio conferencing hardware
- Color-coding for annotations
- Control participant web and audio status

### Slide show

- Show PowerPoint and JPEGs
- Create new slides from whiteboard, applications or annotated slides
- Download and save slides locally
- Slide sorter for Moderator

### File sharing

- Presenters can upload files for download by participants
- Download using standard browser mechanism

### Polling/voting

- Create single or multiple response voting slides
- Moderator sees participant responses instantly

### Recording

- Record web and audio/video conferences
- Securely publish recordings in Windows Media Format

### Reservationless conference model

- Meeting IDs
- Presenter and attendee security codes for login
- Instantly invite participants

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## Integration and deployment

### Integration options

- Brandable user interface
- Integration with third-party audio equipment
- Launch audio bridge web console
- Integration with external provisioning database
- SQL database for billing integration
- Runs on commodity hardware

### Professional Services

- Training, integration and deployment
- Support including 24x7

## Implementation and architecture

### Firewall and PC-friendly

- Zero-install
- Thin Java client plus JavaScript-only version
- HTTP and (secure) HTTPS conferences

### Server-farm architecture

- Scalable to thousands of concurrent clients
- Resilient to component failure

### Platforms

- Server: Windows 2003 (Intel servers)
- Clients: Windows, Mac OS X, Unix
- Browsers: IE, Firefox, Safari, Chrome

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## About Us

Metaswitch Networks is the leading independent developer and supplier of Conferencing, Messaging, Directory and Network Protocol products.

Metaswitch is headquartered in London UK, with US offices in Reston, VA and Alameda, CA. It has over 280 employees, and is independently owned and entirely self-funding.

Metaswitch's operating margin has exceeded 20% of revenue each year since it was founded in 1981. Last year sales exceeded \$118 million, of which 90% were outside the UK, mostly in the US.

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