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What the Coherence acquisition means for Oracle

What Oracle Announced

- **Oracle Acquires Tangosol**
  - Transaction closed in April 2007
- **About Tangosol**
  - Leading provider of reliable in-memory data grid technology
  - Headquarters in Somerville, MA
  - 100+ customers globally over 1,500 deployments
- **Accelerates Oracle's Product Strategy**
  - Foundation technology for next generation middleware
    - Reliable in-memory data grid
    - Extreme transaction processing enabler
  - Tangosol is a leading provider of reliable in-memory data grid infrastructure
  - Complements Oracle's middleware, database and applications

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Why Tangosol?

- **Leading Best-of-Breed In-Memory Grid Vendor**
  - Technology highly differentiated with over 5 years of R&D
  - Real time analysis & extreme transaction processing capabilities
  - Brings Java & J2EE to new class of mission-critical applications
  - Further differentiates Oracle's Grid Computing value proposition
  - Successfully deployed at over 1,500 implementations
- **Proven Technology**
  - Adopted widely in tier 1, Global 1000 customer base
  - Mission critical references in financial services, travel, retail insurance, online gaming, government
  - Integrated with Oracle, BEA, IBM, JBoss, open source and .NET
- **Experienced World Class Organization**
  - Highly skilled & experienced product development team
  - Deep domain knowledge in key high end industry verticals
  - Excellent support & adoption by global system integrators

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Strategic Importance to Oracle

- **Extreme Transactions Rapidly Emerging Market**
  - SOA, Web 2.0 and EDA pushing infrastructures to growth limits
  - Traditional approaches unable to cope with processing growth
  - Highly costly for traditional architectures to scale to demands

- **Complements Oracle's Existing Strengths**
  - Oracle already leader in middleware grid technology
  - Extends Oracle Fusion Middleware for reliable in-memory data grid
  - Already integrated with Oracle Application Server and complements key product lines – SOA, EDA, Web Center, TimesTen

- **Why Now?**
  - Organizations reaching limits of growth with current approaches
  - Customers re-thinking architecture in light of SOA, Web 2.0, EDA
  - Differentiates Oracle's Application Server vs. Competitors

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