HOW the RIGHT MANAGED SD-WAN DELIVERS the AGILITY, FLEXIBILITY, and SECURITY NEEDED NOW

KEEP EVERYTHING RUNNING AROUND THE CLOCK, REGARDLESS OF INTERNAL STAFF LEVELS, WITH MANAGED SD-WAN

➤ Dual Network Operation Centers (NOCs) with integrated Security Operation Centers (SOCs) delivering dual-path SD-WAN keep networks safe and operating

➤ The right team with the right skills can deploy critical new apps and tools when and where needed

➤ Lower risk and improve timeliness for deploying and updating apps

24%
Retailers say mobile devices for associates are a top in-store technology investment for 2021[2]

44%
QSRs state partnering with third-party service providers is key to deliver on IT goals[1]

DELIVER NEW CAPABILITIES REQUIRED AMID CHANGING NEEDS

➤ **Continuous access to cloud and data center apps**
Dual path with active traffic routing and shaping ensures connectivity between users and critical resources

➤ **Direct to Internet routing to streamline connectivity and reduce network inefficiencies**
Optimized cloud on-ramps and high-performing last-mile services that use broadband connections to deliver the most efficient routes to critical apps

➤ **Smart and dynamic prioritization and optimization tools to ensure critical apps perform as needed**
FEC, QoS, and policy-based path routing prioritize certain apps over others and deliver superior application performance

TOP 3 STRATEGIC PRIORITIES FOR RETAILERS IN 2020[3]

Personalizing the Customer Experience	Inventory Visibility	Empowering Store Associates
63%	54%	53%

SUPPORT CHANGING WORK AND BUSINESS PRACTICES

➤ **Dynamic scaling to support remote and telework employees**
Scale capacity and users up or down as necessary to delivery needed services, communications, and training to branches and remote users

➤ **Access to data repositories and analytics platforms to drive customer insights**
Allow for critical customer communications based on insights

➤ **Remote network policy deployment and orchestration, allowing for centralized performance management**
Add and remove remote users, alter applications, and more from anywhere through a common management portal
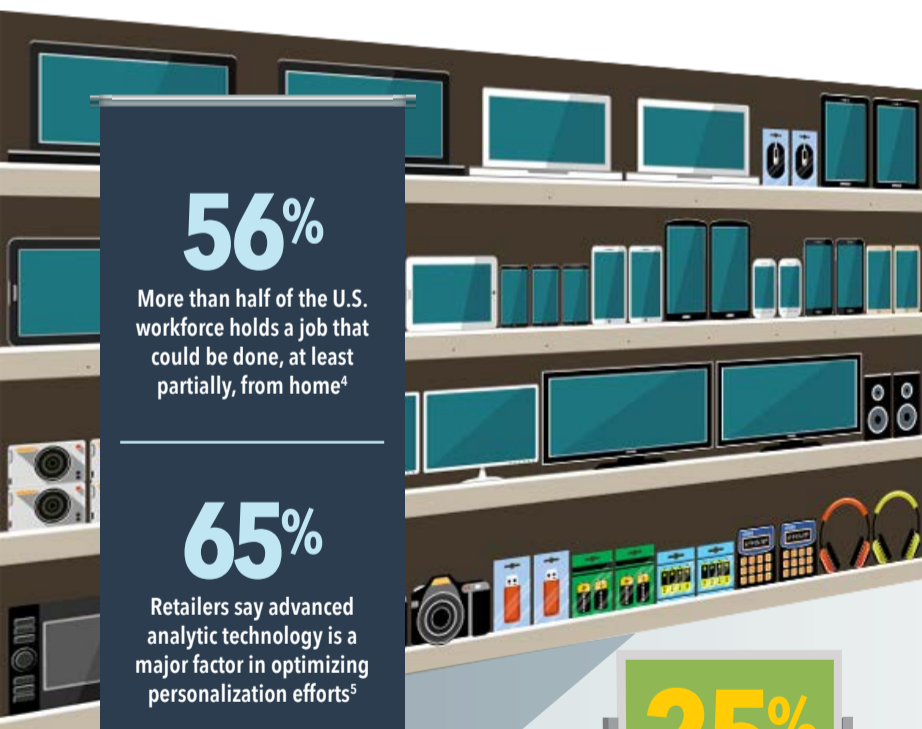
56%
More than half of the U.S. workforce holds a job that could be done, at least partially, from home[4]

65%
Retailers say advanced analytic technology is a major factor in optimizing personalization efforts[5]

25%
Retailers list improving network and IT systems security a top tech-driven strategy[6]

KEEP IT ALL SECURE

➤ Tightly integrated security and network policy is centrally managed and orchestrated

➤ Unified threat management (UTM) and next-gen firewall (NGFW) security features protect not just end devices, but also review all traffic as it enters and exits the enterprise network

➤ 24/7 security team monitors status and provides immediate incident response as needed