



F5 International Technology Centers





Providing visiting customers and partners with an environment to envision, test, and evaluate F5 solutions and partner applications

F5 International Technology Centers (ITC) are state-of-the-art facilities that provide a real-world, comprehensive environment to showcase, evaluate, and test F5 solutions and partner applications in the industry's most comprehensive proof-of-concept lab. The ITC lets you:

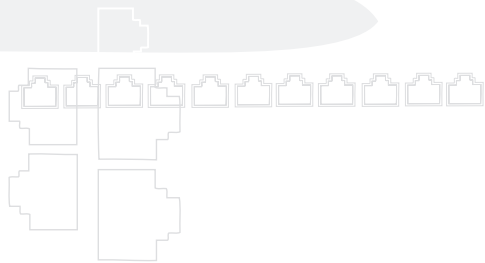
- Demonstrate improved application performance, security, and availability by using F5 technology as well as partner solutions developed specifically for F5 products
- Take part in or observe activities such as proof-of-concept designs, network and application simulations, and performance testing
- Minimize risks associated with actual network and application deployments and develop familiarity with the F5 product line
- Simulate your IT infrastructure, including the network, hardware, and applications you seek to deploy – and work with highly trained F5 solution engineers to demonstrate custom solutions
- View and appraise new and evolving solutions designed to enhance the performance, availability, and security of enterprise applications

Aligning Business and IT Infrastructure

F5 products help organizations solve the IT challenges associated with the growth of Internet traffic and unstructured data, adoption of Web 2.0 and rich multi-media content, proliferation of mobile devices, deployment of virtualization and cloud computing initiatives, and consolidation of data centers. The International Technology Centers give visitors access to experience how F5 products optimize network and application performance and provide secure access to an organization's applications, from any location.

What You'll See and Learn

With a visit to an International Technology Center, F5 solution engineers examine your business objectives and provide powerful demonstrations customized to your specific IT and application environment. Each F5 solution engineer is a highly trained expert with an intimate understanding of F5 products and the solutions of F5 partners. The information and advice you'll receive, along with access to a simulated IT environment, can help you minimize risks and accelerate actual network and application deployments.



Data Center, Executive Briefing Center, Private Suites and More

F5 International Technology Centers provide state-of-the-art technology data centers and world-class executive briefing facilities, complete with telepresence capabilities, where F5 experts and customer technology leadership can engage in product roadmap discussions, perform business analysis of solution needs and opportunities, and review customer-specific plans on how to apply next generation technology to gain significant business advantage.

Private design and development suites are available for use by visiting developers and engineers. The suites are designed to support extended engagements and proof-of-concept efforts.

Envisioning IT Agility

The International Technology Centers have been deliberately built to support the efforts of F5 customers and business partners. By providing direct access to a selection of hardware that can be assembled into a representative configuration of the intended environment, visiting customers' and partners' technical and design staff can mock-up scenarios for their final implementations. In addition to the proof-of-concept designs and network and application simulations, the ITC hosts specialized performance test equipment with the capacity to test the largest F5 products. Finally, F5 ITC provides access to a comprehensive library of certified partner applications for use in proof-of-concept work.

Signing Up Is Easy

Visits and accompanying services to the International Technology Centers are free of charge for qualified candidates. Customers should work with their local sales representatives to schedule a trip to an ITC. F5 Partners should contact their F5 Business Development Manager.





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