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2010- 2011 TeleBriefing Schedule >

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Date	Topic	Description
26-Aug-2010	Microsoft Business Overview	Matt Rosoff lays out Microsoft's major business priorities through June 2011.
30-Sep-2010	Windows 7 Licensing Strategies	Paul DeGroot outlines strategies for licensing upgrades to the latest version of the Windows desktop OS.
28-Oct-2010	Windows Roadmap	Michael Cherry outlines upcoming Windows releases and likely future directions for the OS.
18-Nov-2010	System Center Review	Don Retallack reviews the updated System Center product lineup.
27-Jan-2011	Windows Azure Update	Rob Sanfilippo provides an update and roadmap for the Windows Azure hosting platform as it enters its second year.
24-Feb-2011	Enterprise Software Roadmap 2011	Rob Helm summarizes the most important upcoming releases and retirements of 2011 and what they say about longer-term plans.
31-Mar-2011	Management and Security Licensing	Rob Horwitz presents the basics of security and systems management product licensing.
28-Apr-2011	SQL Server Roadmap	Rob Helm previews SQL Server 2011 and likely priorities for future releases.
26-May-2011	Client Management Strategy	Don Retallack summarizes Microsoft's current and future technology for managing PCs and other client devices, including Configuration Manager and the Windows Intune service.
30-Jun-2011	Application Integration Roadmap	Rob Sanfilippo explains the likely evolution of Microsoft's messaging, workflow, and application integration technologies, including BizTalk Server and the AppFabric components of Windows Azure and Windows Server.
28-Jul-2011	Understanding Microsoft Virtualization	Michael Cherry reviews Microsoft's virtualization technology and management products and their likely roadmap.
25-Aug-2011	Client License Suites	Paul DeGroot explains the suites that deliver client access and management licenses and summarizes the most important factors in their purchase.