200G-DR2

Broad Market Potential

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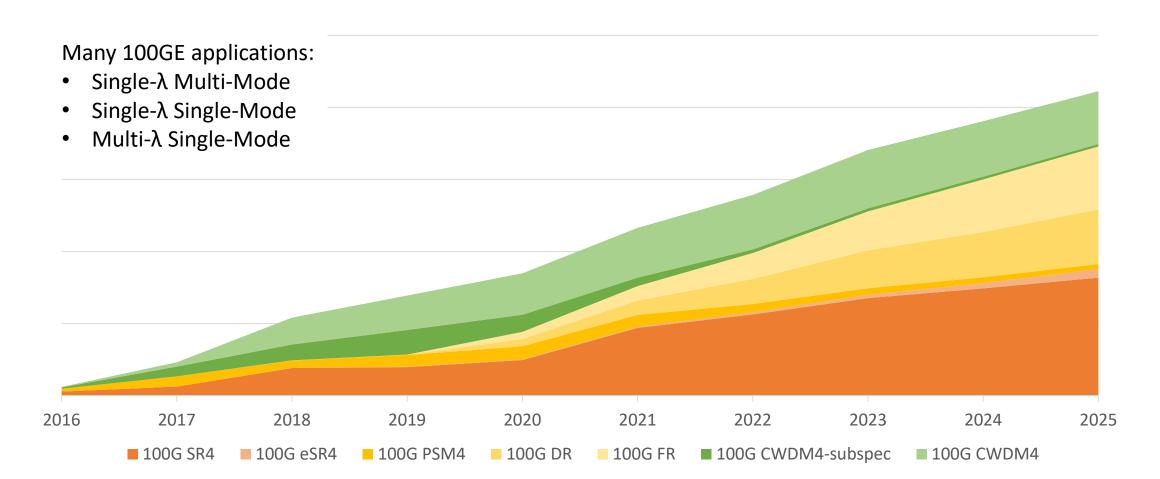
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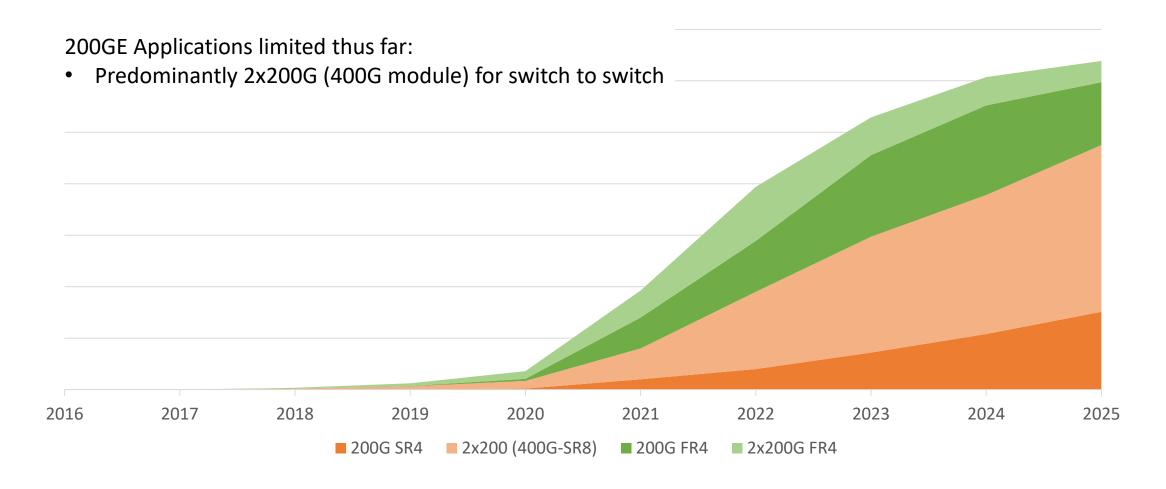
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- (Relative) Market Sizes (≤ 2km)
 - 100G, 200G, 400G
- Potential Applications
 - TOR Uplinks
 - Server I/O

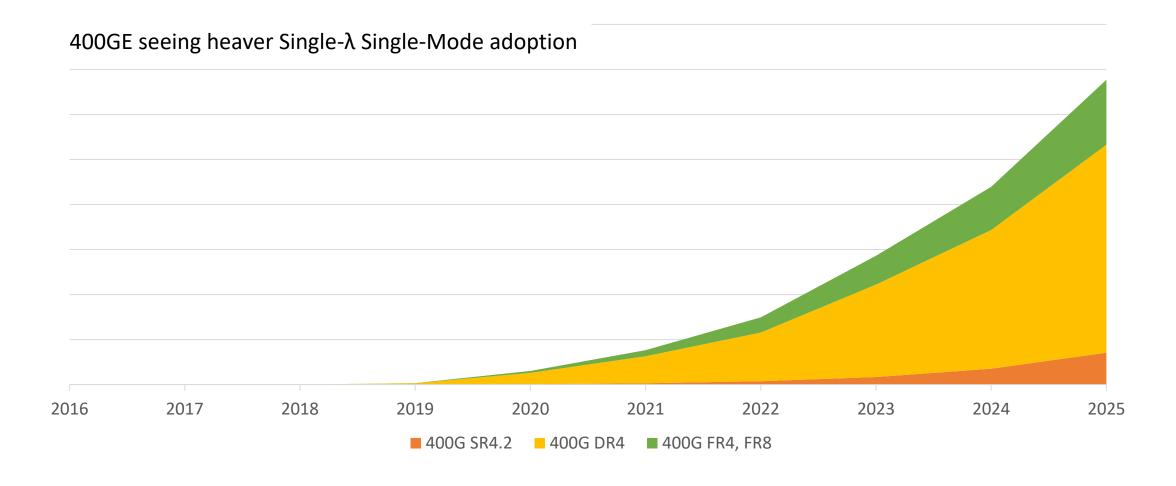
100G Market Sizes



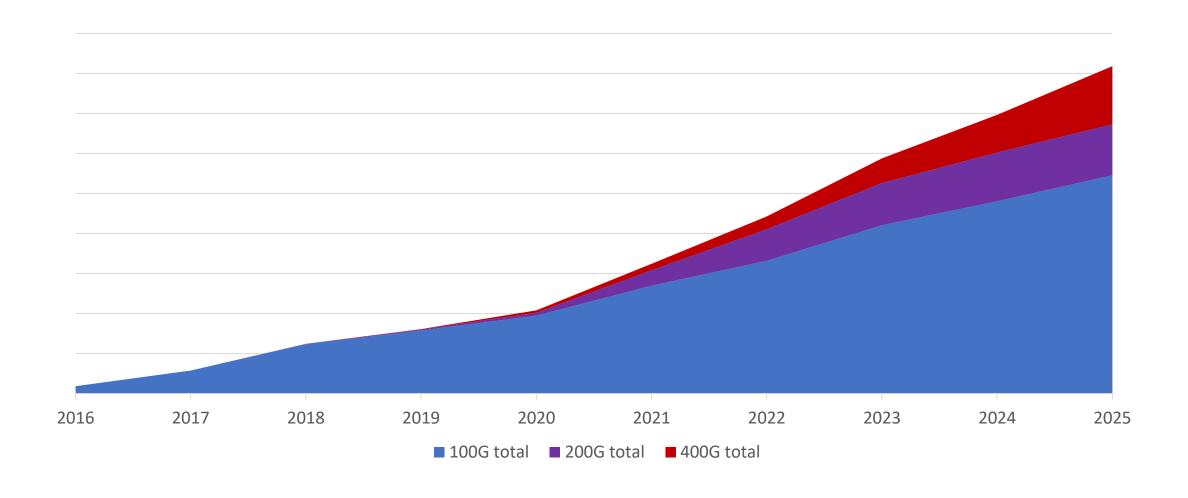
200G Market Sizes



400G Market Sizes



Ethernet Sizes (all reaches)



Potential 200G-DR2 Applications

TOR Uplinks

- Several contemporary DC architectures using a 3.2Tbps TOR to uplink to a 12.8T TIER1 switch
- Interconnect is 100G-DR/FR at TOR (QSFP28) to 400G-DR4/DR4+ breakout (QSFP-DD) at TIER1 switch
- Next generation may move to 6.4Tbps TOR, favoring a 200GE port
- Potential application is 1x200GE or 2x200GE TOR uplink to TIER1 switch (with 400G-DR4 breakout)
- 200GE provides more radix options

Server Uplinks

 200GE NICs may favor TOR free architecture, with 200G-DR2 uplink directly to the TIER1 switch