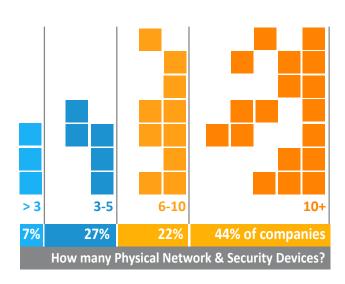
## **SD-WAN** for Addressing **Branch Network Complexity**

**GLOBAL SURVEY of Network Professionals** 

In a typical branch location, how many physical network and security devices are used? !!



2/3



of Companies Manage More than 6 Physical **Network & Security Devices** at Each Branch

In your experience, what are the most challenging aspects of managing your company's WAN? "



97% of Companies State
Numerous Challenges
to Managing the WAN



52% of companies MANAGING NETWORK & SECURITY DEVICES at branch locations

50% MITIGATING INFORMATION SECURITY RISKS at the branch locations

**DEPLOYING NEW NETWORK & SECURITY SOLUTIONS** at branch locations

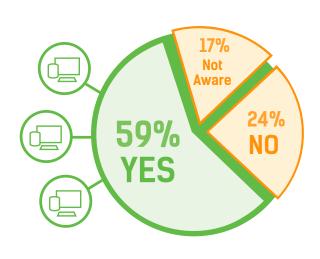
INCREASING COSTS due to the growing traffic volume over our MPLS network 31% AMOUNT OF TIME it takes to bring up a new branch location

25% PROVIDING FAST ACCESS to cloud applications (SaaS)

**OTHER** 

3% THERE ARE NO CHALLENGES to managing the WAN

44 Would your company consider a managed SD-WAN 



## Nearly 6 in 10 Companies



**Would Consider a Managed SD-WAN** 

**11** What **BENEFITS** would you expect **from SD-WAN** as a managed service? "

## Numerous **Benefits**

from a Managed **SD-WAN** Service

44% of companies

41%

SERVICE PROVIDER ACCOUNTABLE for issues and trouble shooting

**SAVING RESOURCES** 

by not directly managing the WAN

38% LEVERAGING EXPERTISE of the service provider

37% PROVIDER MANAGES BRANCH SECURITY

required with direct Internet access

32% PROVIDER MANAGES ISPS/BROADBAND associated with SD-WAN

3% **OTHER** 



