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Imagine what can be
Create what will be



FOR DEVELOPERS BY DEVELOPERS

Chalk Talks
Shop Talks

Wednesday Technology Insights

Extracting The Most Out Of Intel's Multi-Core Platforms



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Intel's Next Generation Microarchitecture



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Energy: The Next Frontier



The Classic Tradeoff

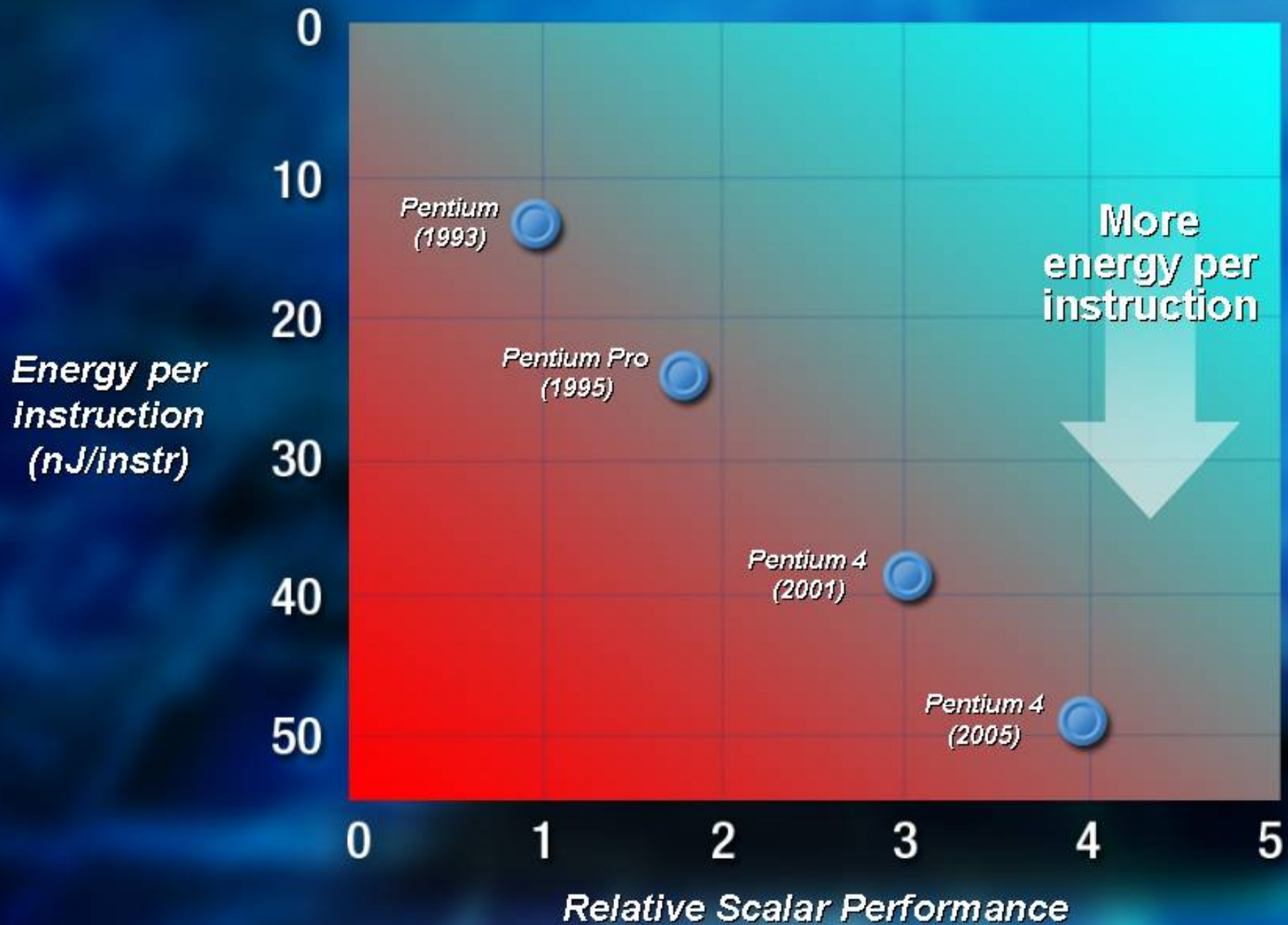
Higher
Top Speed and Acceleration

Increased
Range and Economy

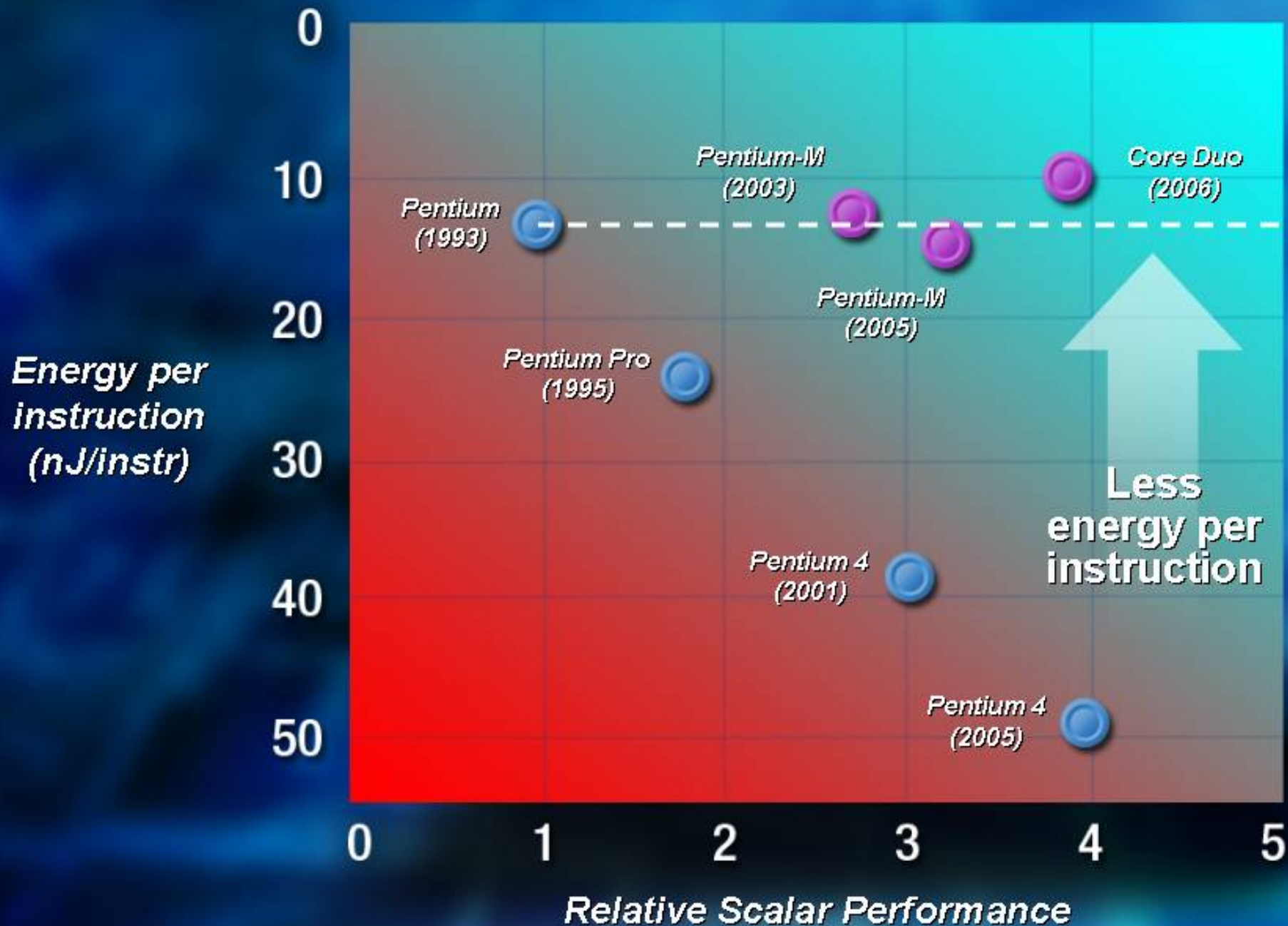
OR



No Way Out?



Breaking Through the Power Wall



The Real Challenge

Capabilities



Performance



Energy-Efficiency



**Energy-Efficient
Performance**



**Critical
Capabilities**

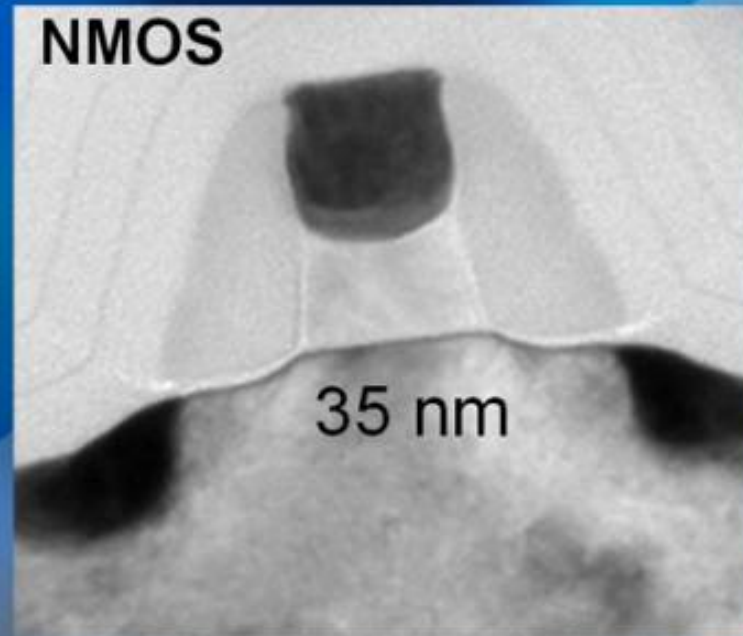
Intel® Core™ Microarchitecture

**Next-Generation Processors
for Mobile, Desktop and Server**

High Volume 65nm

TRANSISTOR
PERFORMANCE

20%



SWITCHING
POWER

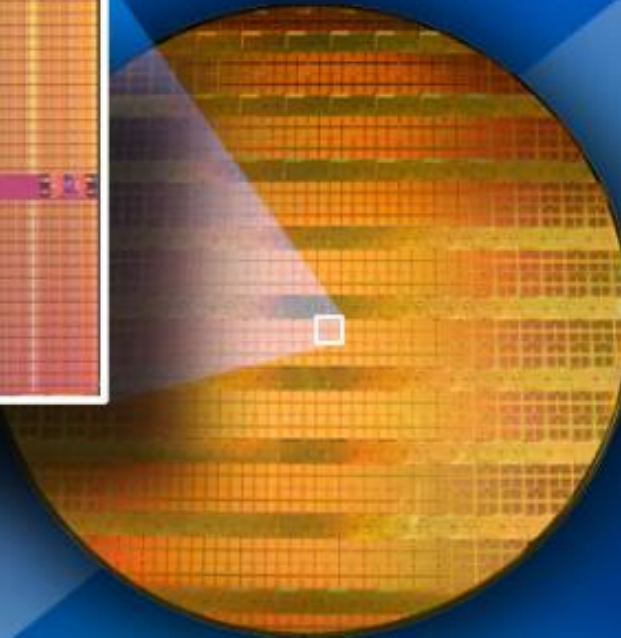
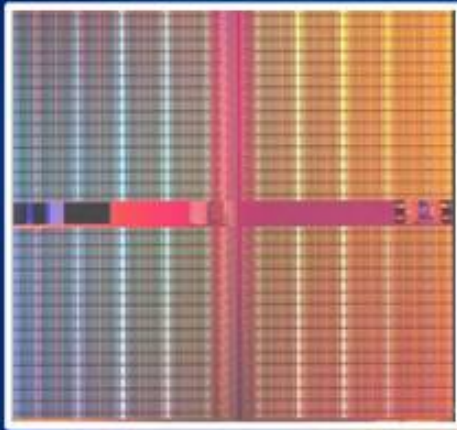
30%

*...relative to
Intel 90nm process*

45nm in 2007

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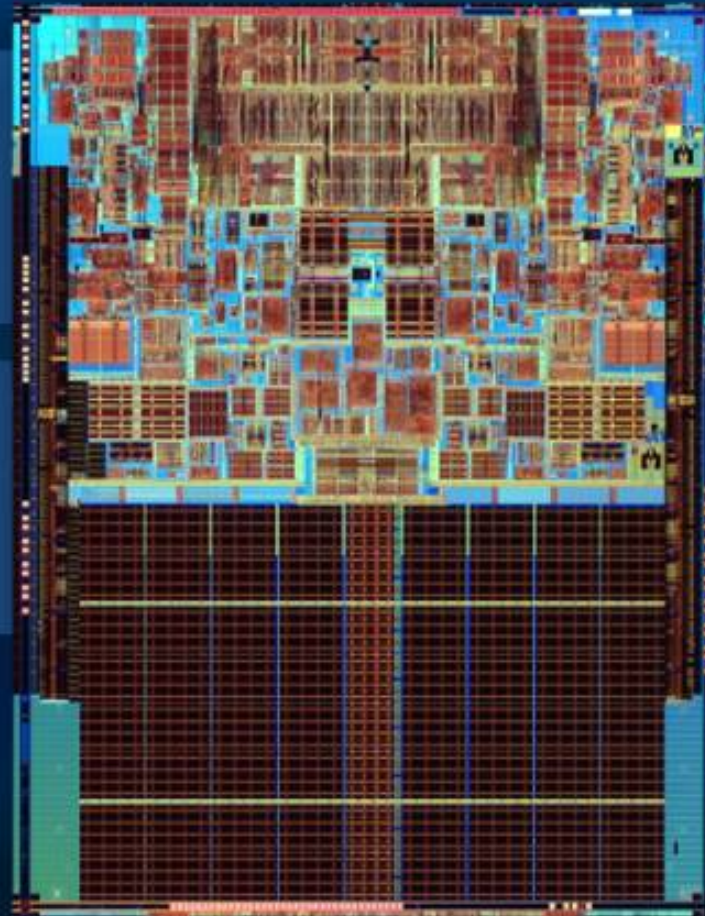
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Five Key Innovations

**Intel® Wide
Dynamic Execution**

**Intel® Advanced
Digital Media Boost**



**Intel® Intelligent
Power Capability**

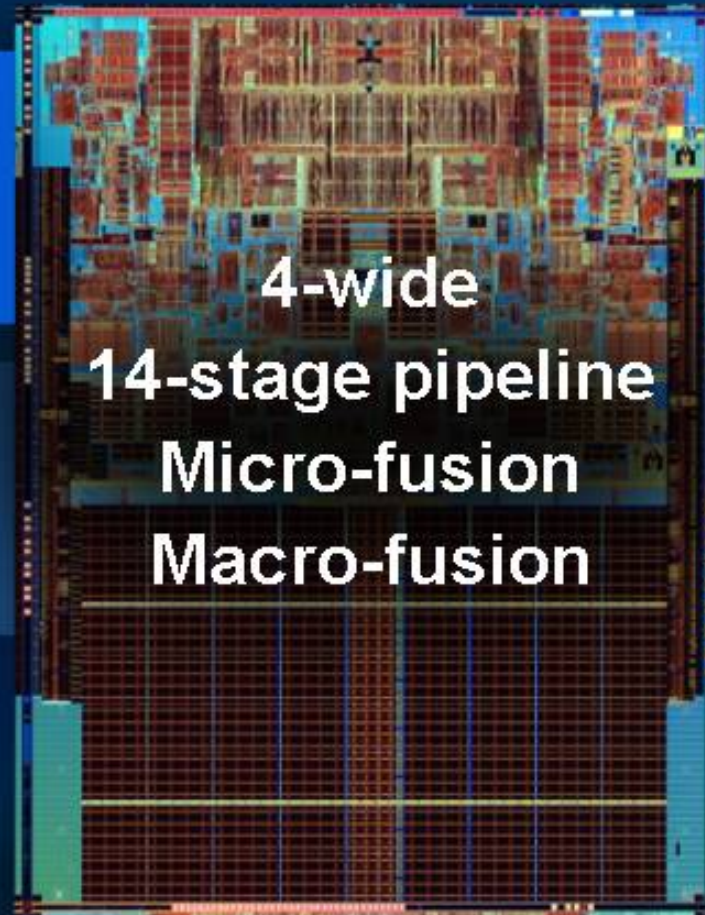
**Intel® Smart
Memory Access**

**Intel® Advanced
Smart Cache**

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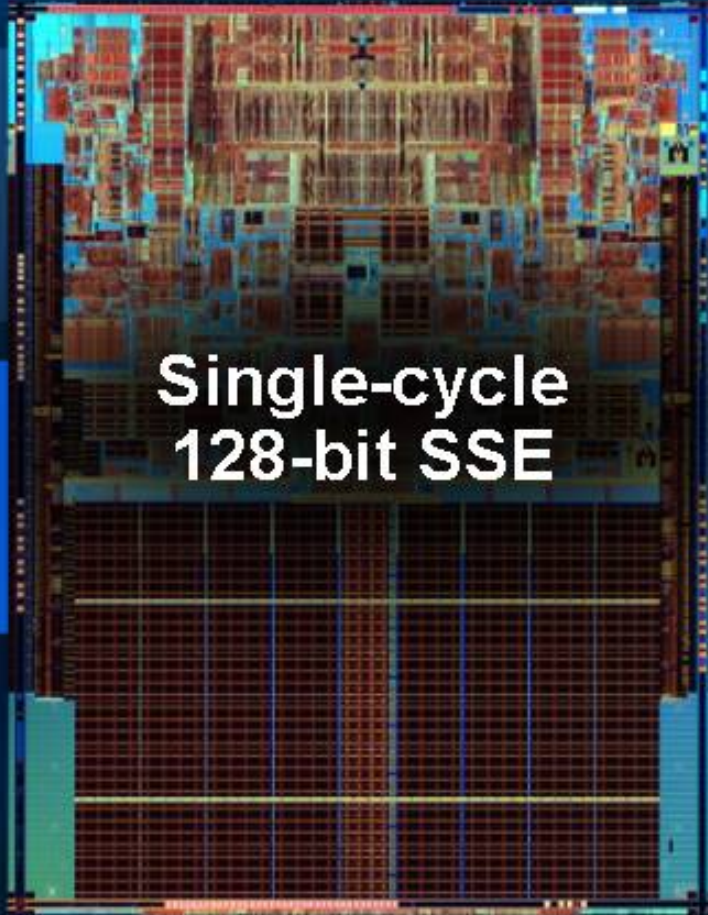
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**Single-cycle
128-bit SSE**

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Smart Cache

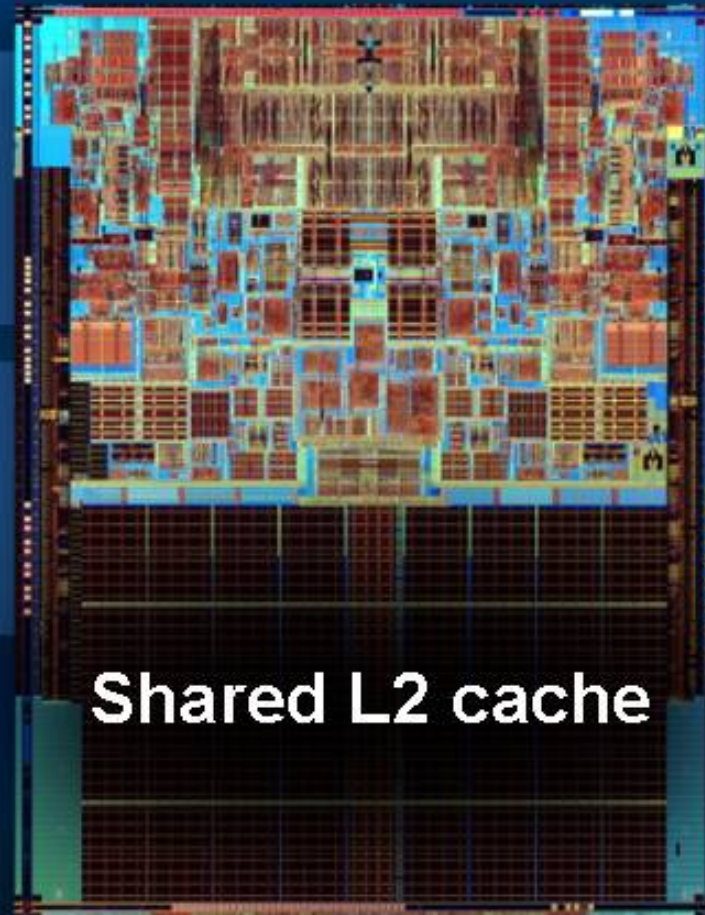
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Shared L2 cache

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Smart Cache

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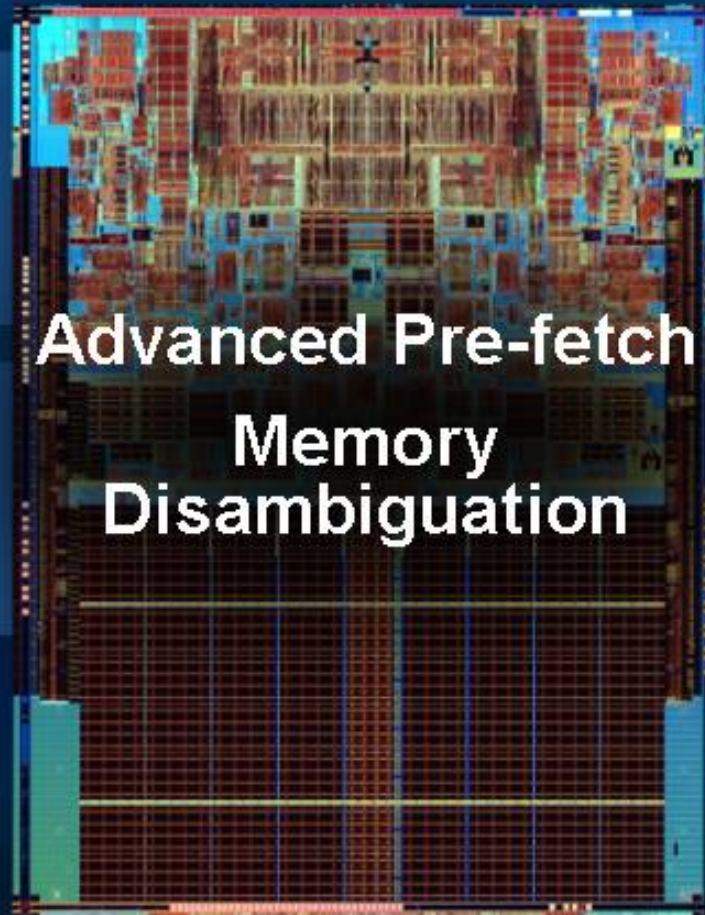
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Memory Access

Advanced Pre-fetch
Memory
Disambiguation

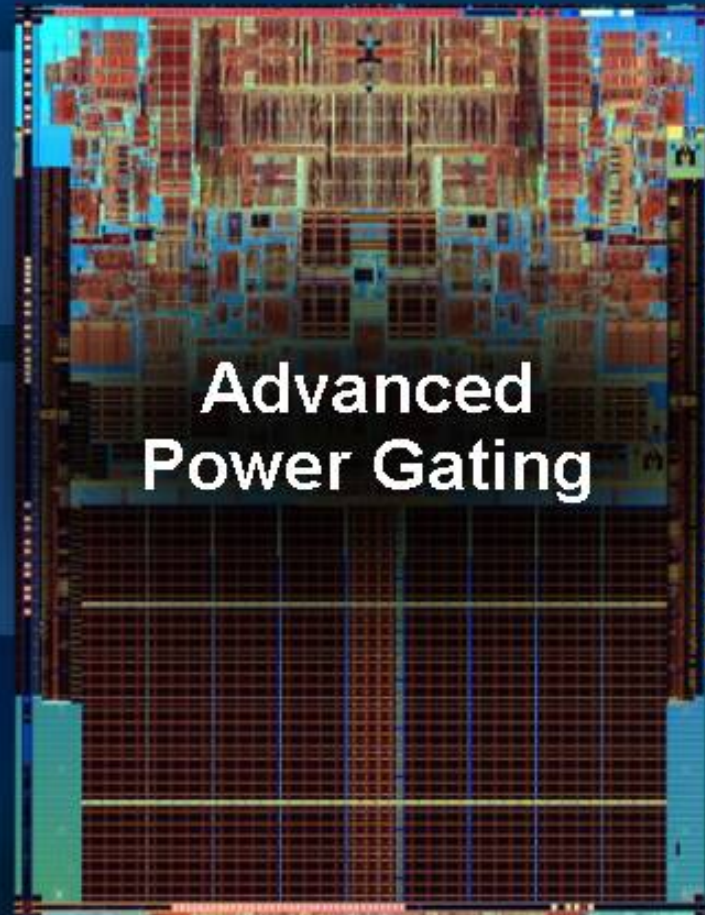
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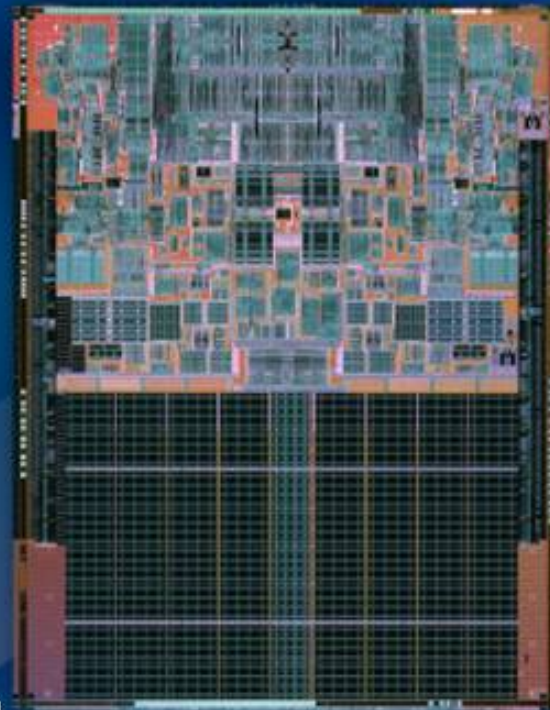
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Merom for Mobile

PERFORMANCE
>20%



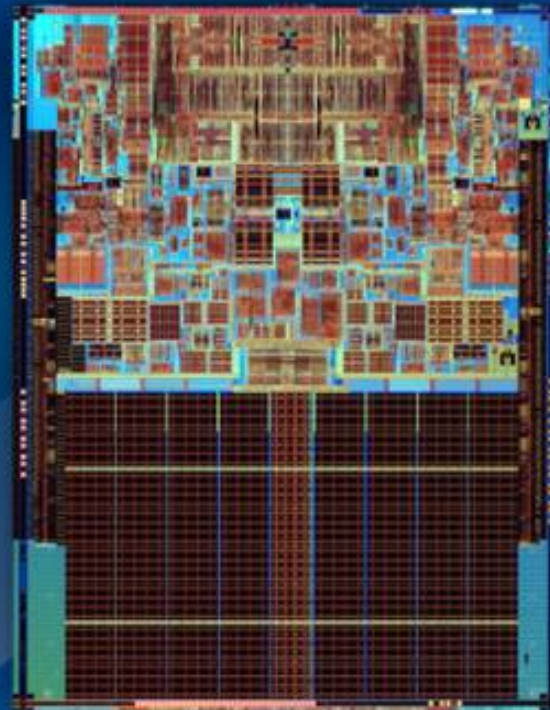
BATTERY LIFE
Constant

*...relative to
Intel® Core Duo™ T2600*

Conroe for the Desktop

PERFORMANCE

40%



POWER
40%

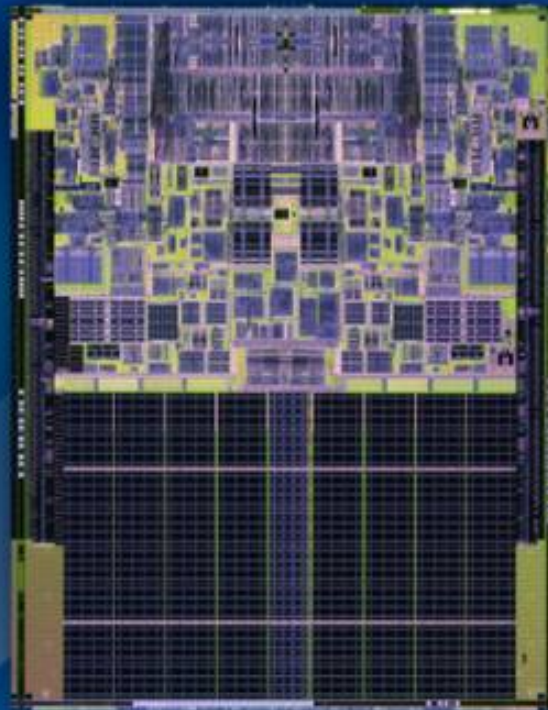
*...relative to
Intel® Pentium® D 950*

Source: Intel based on estimated SPECint*_rate_base2000 and thermal design power

Woodcrest for Servers

PERFORMANCE

80%



POWER
35%

*...relative to
Intel® Xeon® 2.8GHz 2x2MB*

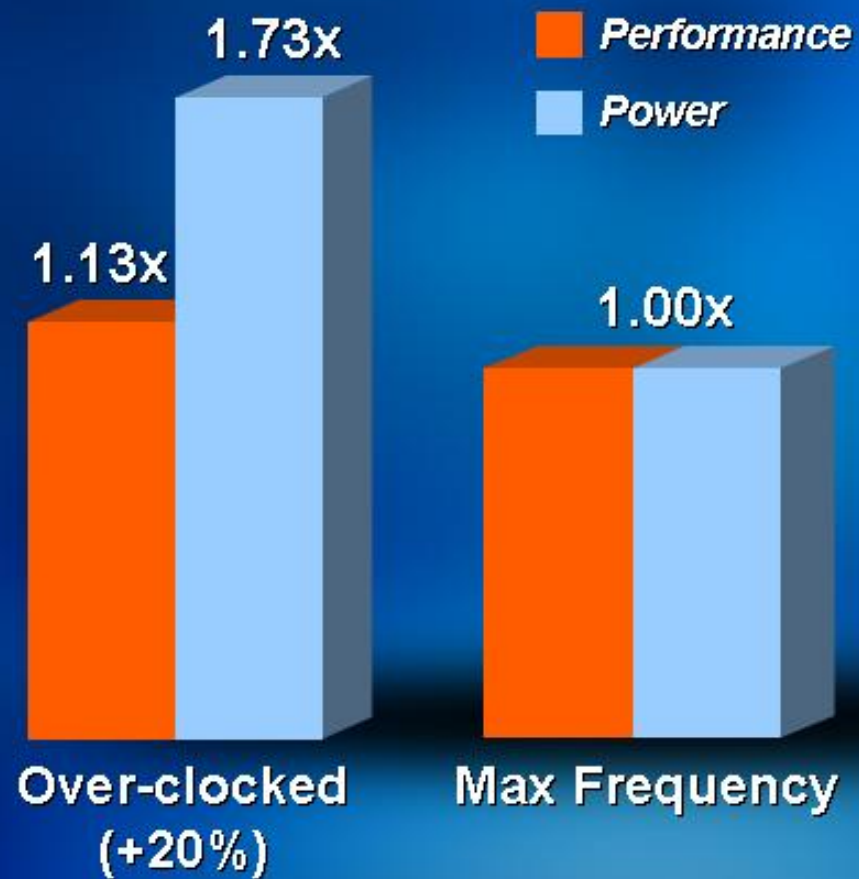
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Why Multi-Core?



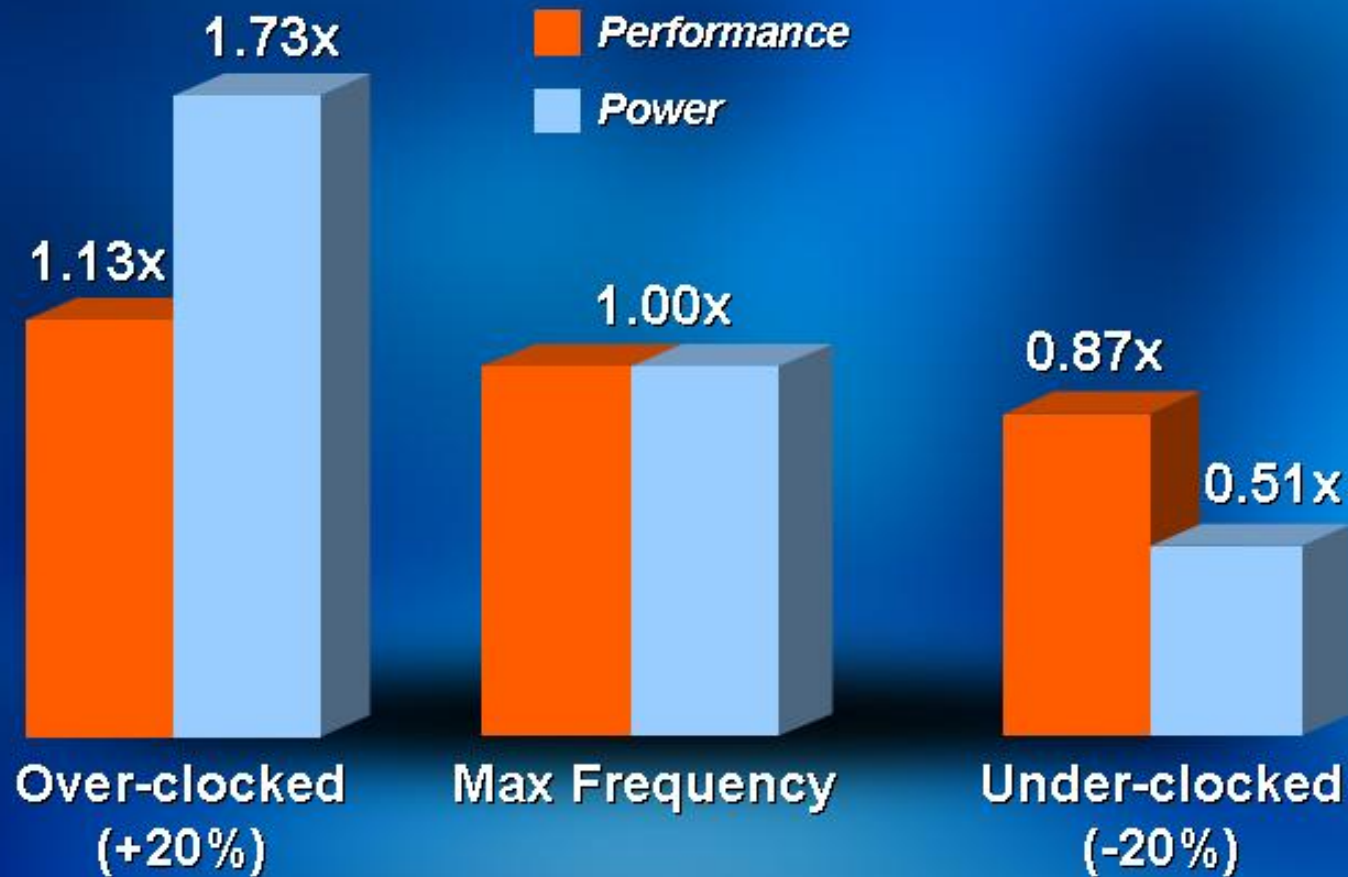
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Over-clocking



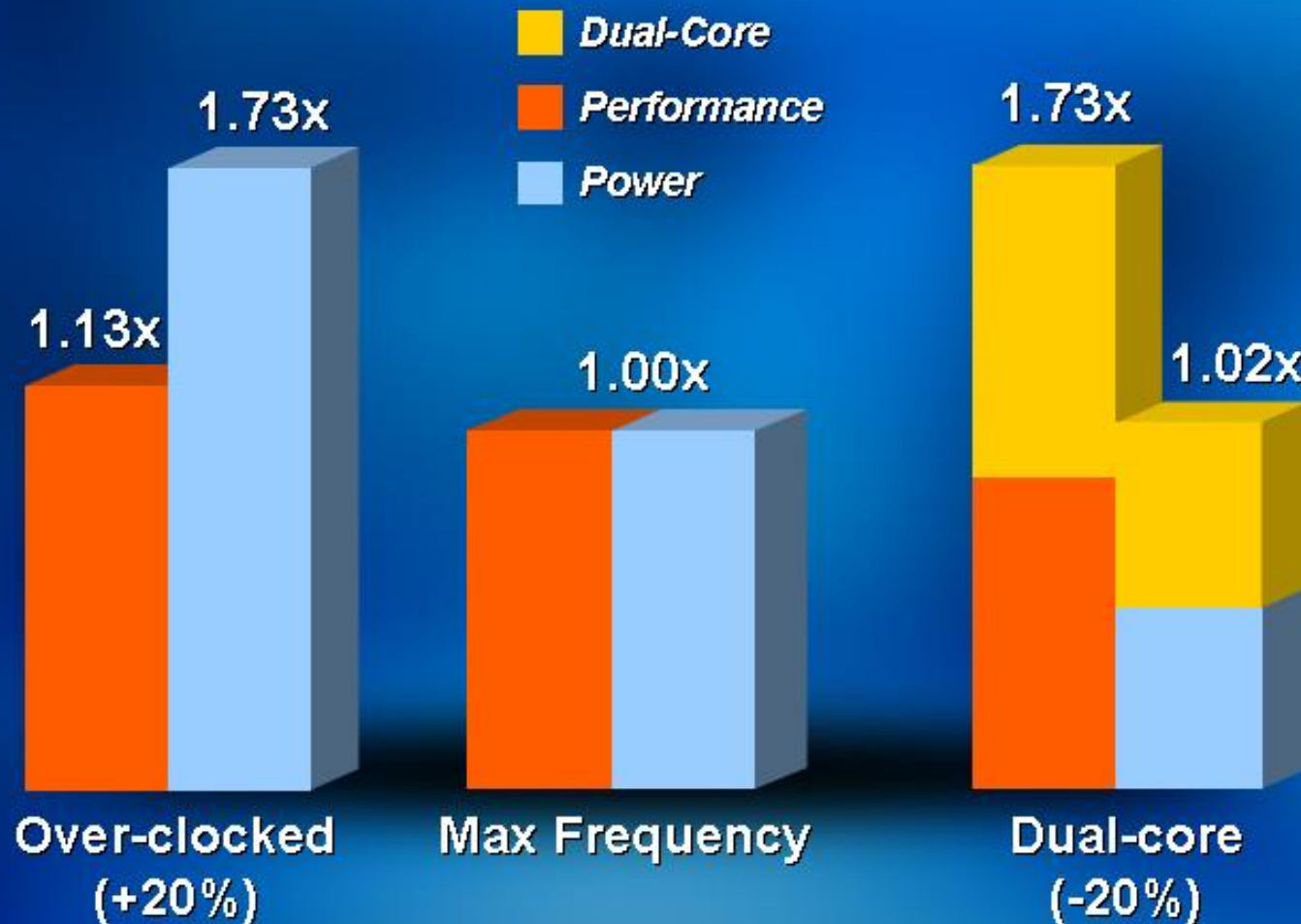
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Under-clocking



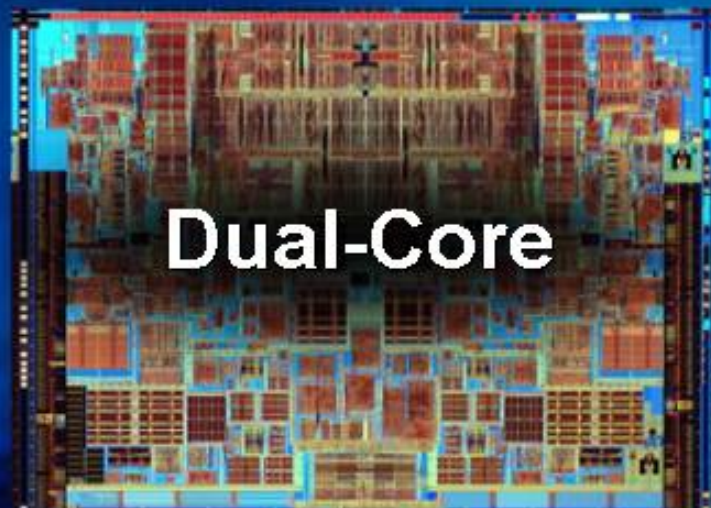
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Multi-Core Energy-Efficient Performance



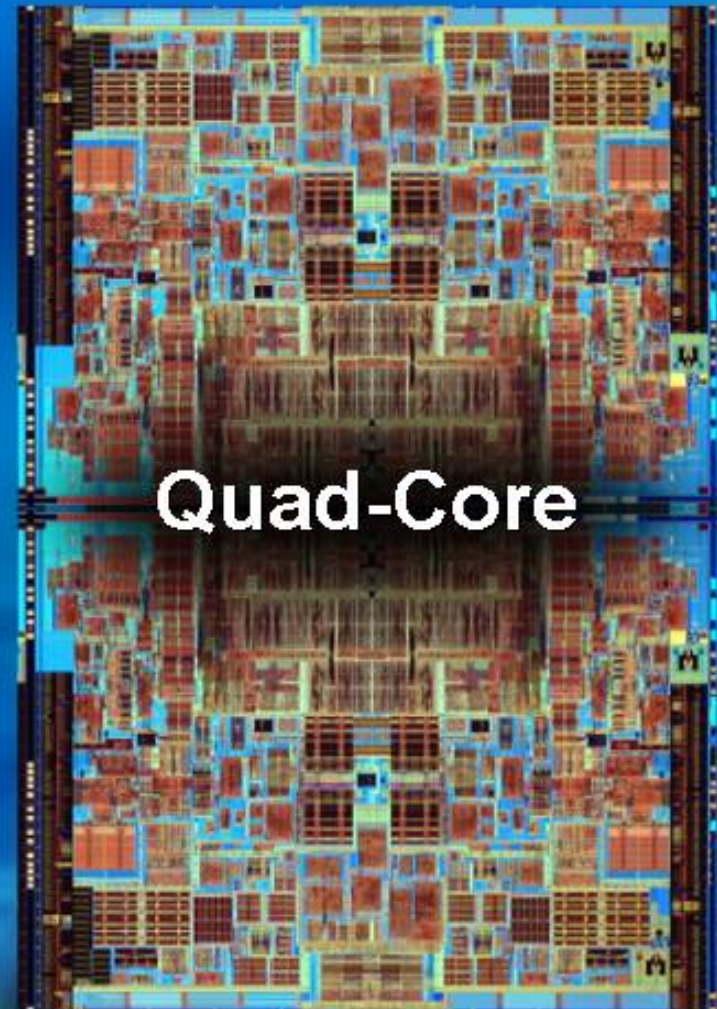
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Multi-Core Trajectory



Dual-Core

2006



Quad-Core

2007

Enabling Multi-Threaded Software

Automatic Loop
Parallelization

Critical Path Analysis
with Thread Profiler

Load Balancing
with VTune™

Optimized
MKL and IPP Libraries



Multi-threading Momentum



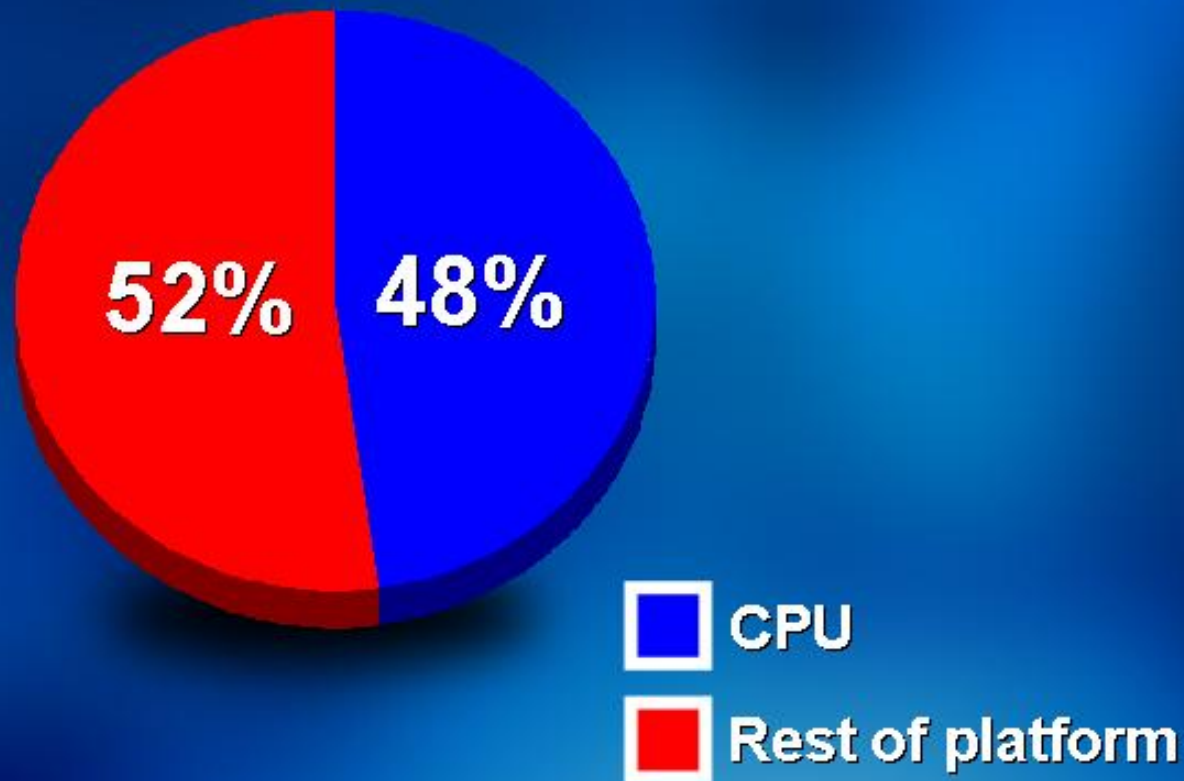
Activision (Ravensoft)	Pinnacle
Adobe	Pixar (Renderman)
Algorithmics	Paradigm
Alias	PTC
Autodesk	Red Hat
Business Objects	SAP
Cakewalk	SAS
CodecPeople	Siebel CRM
Computer Associates	Signet
Corel (WordPerfect)	Skype
Cyberlink	SLB
Discreet	SnapStream
IBM	Sonic (Roxio)
id Software	Sony
Landmark	Steinberg
Macromedia	SunGard
Mainconcept	Sybase
Maxon	Symantec
mental images	Thomson
Microsoft (Office Suite)	THQ
Midway	Ubisoft
MSC	UGS
Novell SUSE	Valve
Oracle	Yahoo (Musicmatch)
Pegasus	

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- A woman with glasses is visible on the left side of the image, looking towards the right. The background is a blue gradient with a faint cityscape. A semi-transparent blue rectangle is tilted and contains a list of three items, each preceded by a white checkmark in a square box.
- ✓ Core™ microarchitecture
 - ✓ Multi-core processors
 - ✓ Multi-threaded software

Are we done?

Today's Platform Even Split

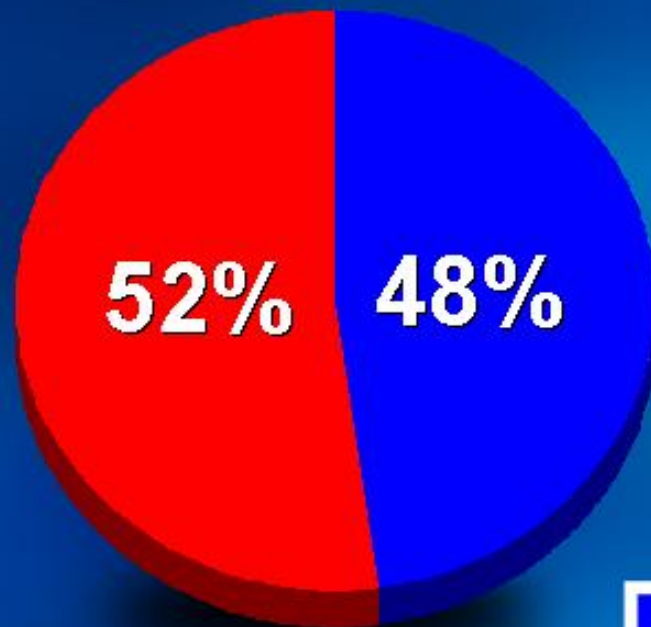
*Today's Typical
Server*



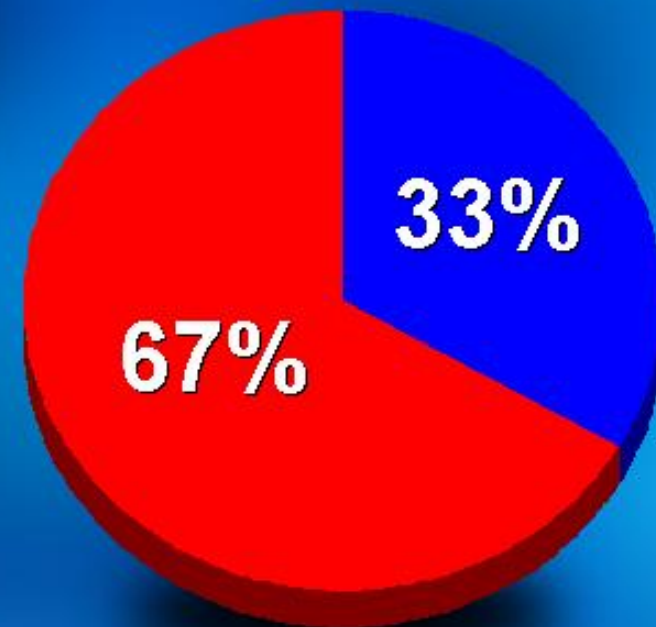
Based on power consumption running SPECint_rate2000

Tomorrow's Platform Demands

Today's Typical Server



Woodcrest Server

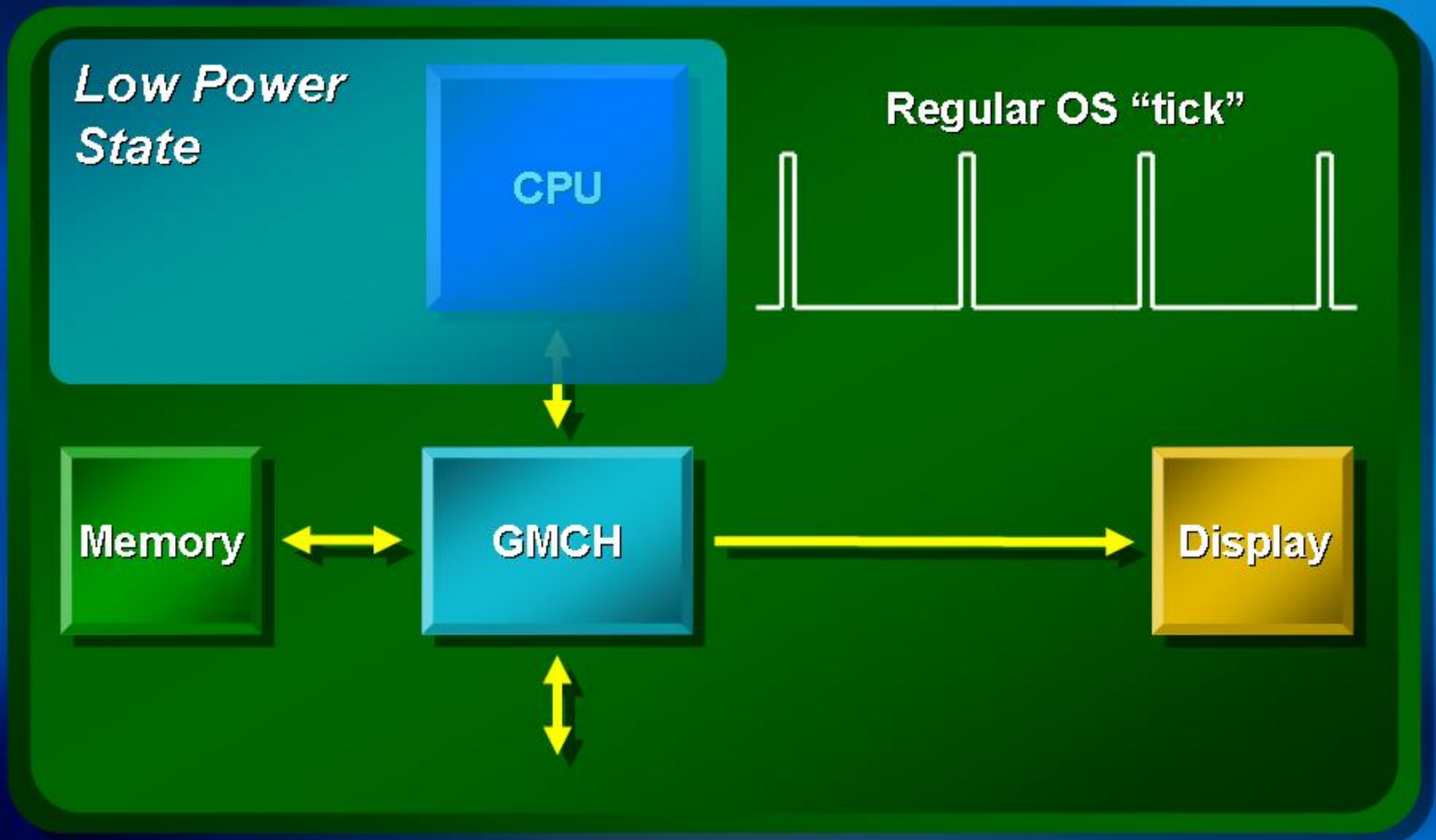


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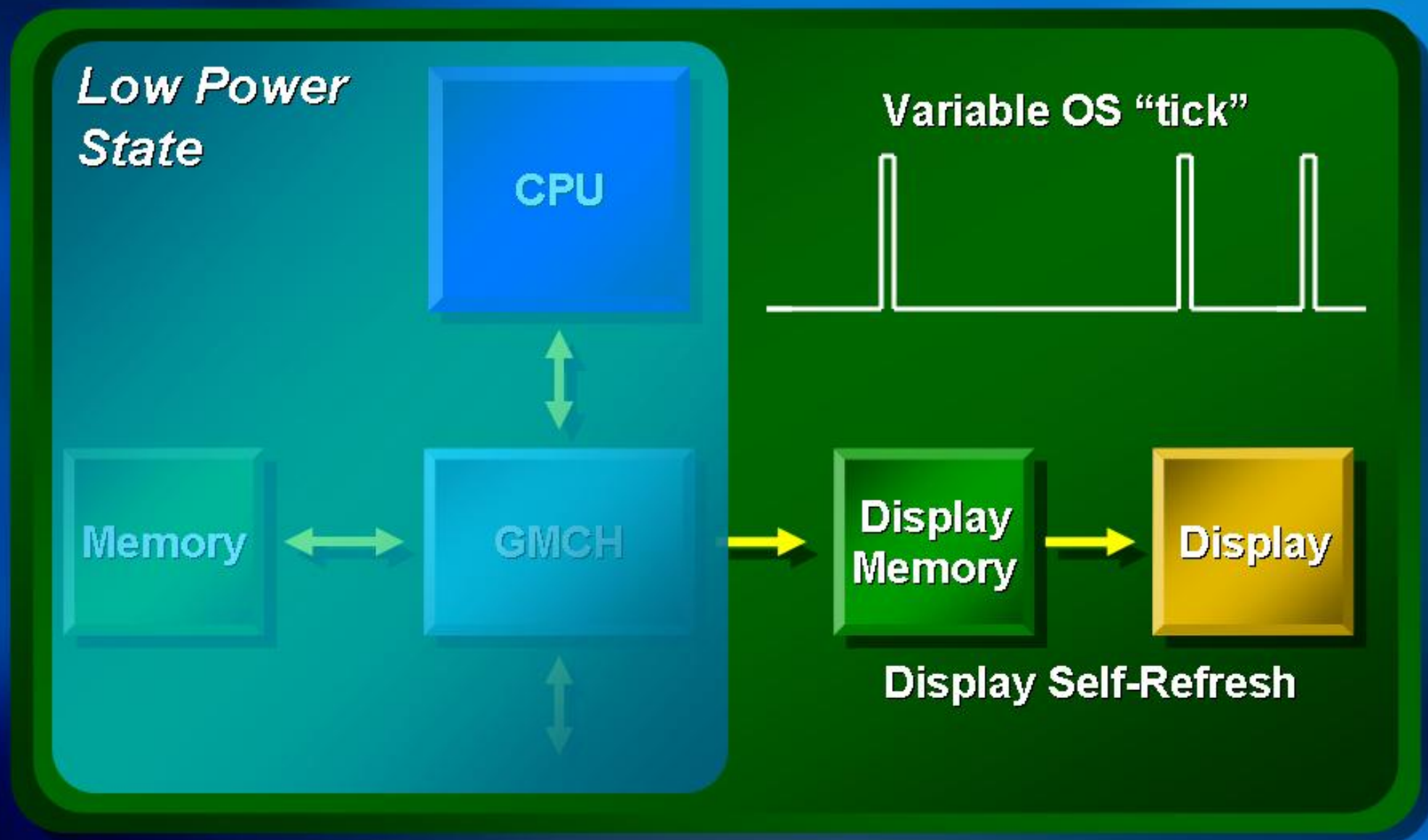
 Rest of platform

Based on power consumption running SPECint_rate2000

Today's Platform at Idle



Improving Platform Idle Efficiency



What Will it Take?

**Operating
System**

**Communication
and Storage**

**Platform
Energy-Efficiency**

Display

Standards



The Dawn of Energy-Efficient Performance

