

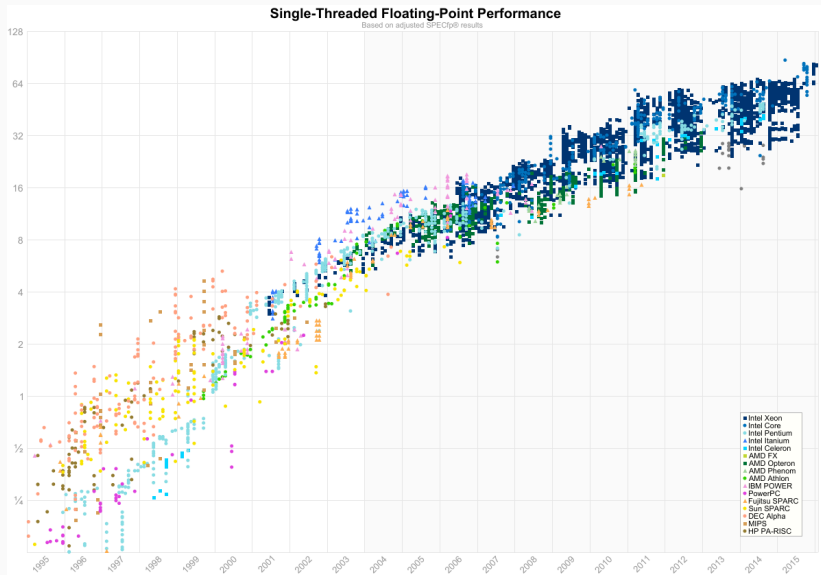
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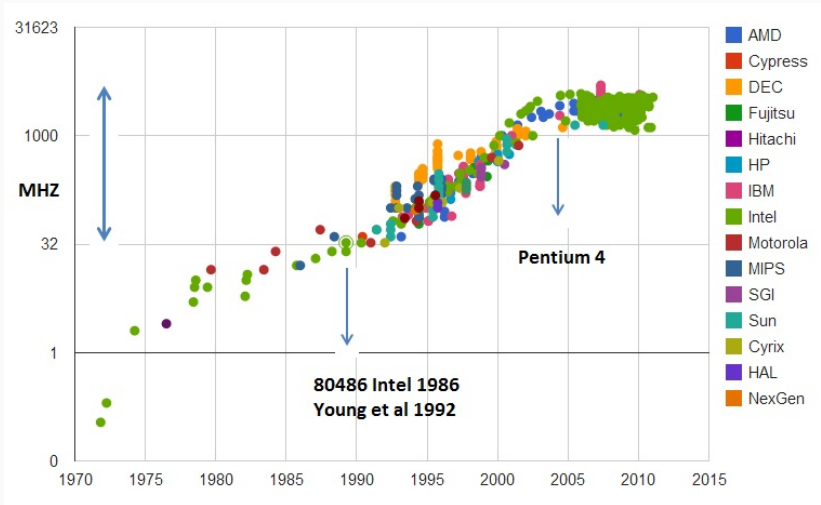
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# cpu performance

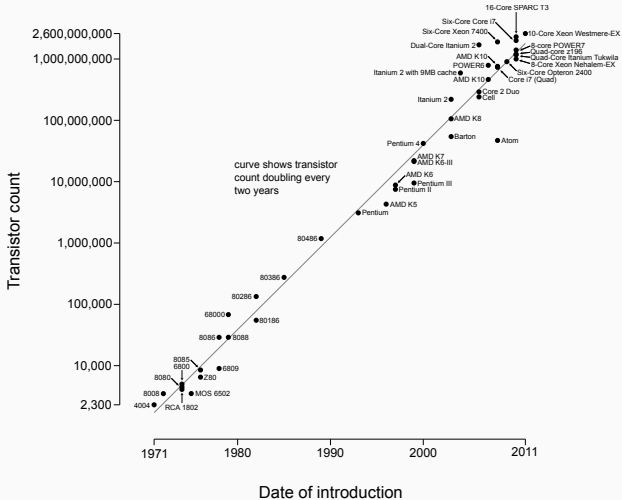


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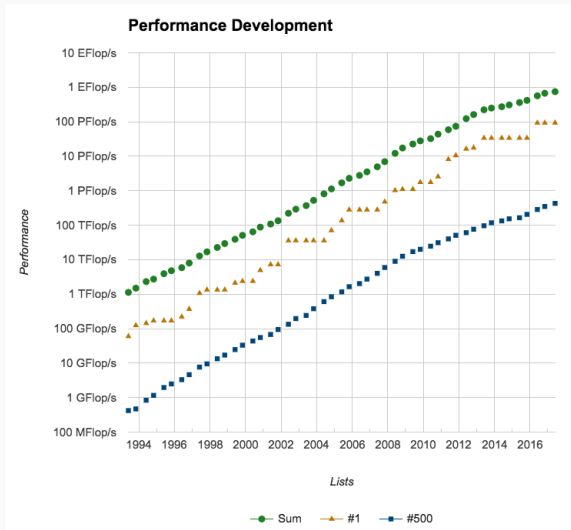
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## transistor count



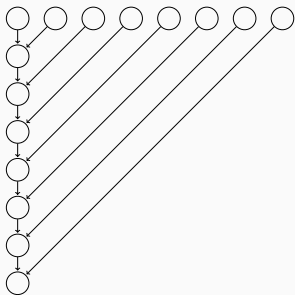
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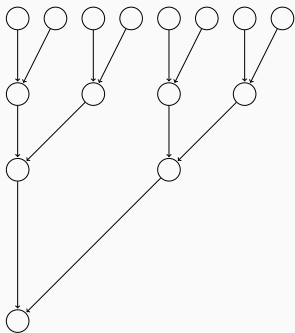
# supercomputer performance



Graph courtesy of The Top 500 List.

what are the challenges of parallel computing?









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