

# Essentials of Computer Organization and Architecture IN 2300

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## Outline Syllabus

- Evolution of computers
- Machine level representation of data and codes
- Harvard architecture and von Neumann architecture
- Instruction set architecture
- Processor structure and organization
- Input-Output organization
- Memory & storage organization
- Introduction to hierarchical bus interfaces and data flow

# Evolution of Computers

- A history of computers



# Eras of Computer Development

- **Pre-History**
- **Electronics**
- **Mini**
- **Micro**
- **Network**

# Pre History Era

## 4th century B.C. to 1930s

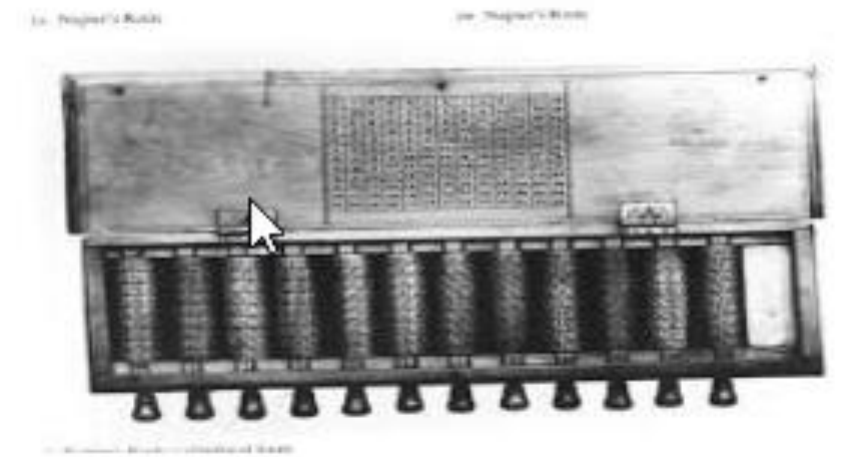
- The abacus is believed to have been invented in 4th century B.C.
- The Antikythera mechanism, a device used for registering and predicting the motion of the stars and planets, is dated to 1st century B.C.
- Arabic numerals were introduced in Europe in the 8th and 9th century A.D. and was used until the 17th century.





## Pre History Era

- John Napier of Scotland invents logs in 1614 to allow multiplication and division to be converted to addition and subtraction.
- Wilhelm Schickard, a professor at the University of Tübingen, Germany builds a mechanical calculator in 1623 with a 6-digit capacity. The machine worked, but it never makes it beyond the prototype stage.



## Pre History Era

- **Leonardo Da Vinci is now given credit for building the first mechanical calculator around 1500. Evidence of Da Vinci's machine was not found until papers were discovered in 1967.**
- **Blaise Pascal builds a mechanical calculator in 1642 with an 8-digit capacity.**
- **Joseph-Marie Jacquard invents an automatic loom controlled by punchcards in the early 1800s.**



# Pre History Era

- Charles Babbage designs a “Difference Engine” in 1820 or 1821 with a massive calculator designed to print astronomical tables. The British government cancelled the project in 1842; Babbage then conceives the “Analytical Engine”, a mechanical computer that can solve any mathematical problem and uses punchcards.
- Augusta Ada Byron, Countess of Lovelace and daughter of English poet Lord Byron, worked with Babbage and created a program for the Analytical Engine. Ada is now credited as being the 1st computer programmer.

# Pre History Era

- Samuel Morse invents the Electric Telegraph in 1837.
- George Boole invents Boolean Algebra in the late 1840s. Boolean Algebra was destined to remain largely unknown and unused for the better part of a century, until a young student called Claude E. Shannon recognized its relevance to electronics design.
- In 1857, only twenty years after the invention of the telegraph, Sir Charles Wheatstone (the inventor of the accordeon) introduced the first application of paper tapes as a medium for the preparation, storage, and transmission of data.



## Pre History Era

- The first practical typewriting machine was conceived by three American inventors and friends, Christopher Latham Sholes, Carlos Glidden, and Samuel W. Soule who spent their evenings tinkering together.
- The friends sold their design to Remington and Sons, who hired William K. Jenne to perfect the prototype, resulting in the release of the first commercial typewriter in 1874.
- Herman Hollerith's Tabulating Machines were used for the 1890 census; the machines used Jacquard's punched cards.

# Electronic Era

## 1900-1964

- In 1926, Dr. Julius Edgar Lilienfeld from New York filed for a patent on a transistor.
- Konrad Zuse, a German engineer, completes the 1<sup>st</sup> general purpose programmable calculator in 1941.
- Colossus, a British computer used for codebreaking, is operational by the end of 1943.
- ENIAC (Electronic Numerical Integrator Analyzer and Computer) is developed by Ballistics Research Lab in Maryland and built by the University of Pennsylvania and completed in 1945.
  - weighed 30 tons, contained 18,000 vacuum tubes, 70,000 registers, 10,000 capacitors and required 150,000 watts of electricity



# Electronic Era

- The transistor is developed by Bell Telephone Laboratories in 1947.
- UNIVAC (Universal Automatic Computer) is developed in 1951 and can store 12,000 digits in random access mercury-delay lines.
- EDVAC (Electronic Discrete Variable Automatic Computer) is completed for the Ordnance Department in 1952.
  - Rapid access to both data and instructions
  - Take logical decisions internally

## Limitations of 1<sup>st</sup> Generation Computers

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**The operating speed was quite slow.**

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**Power consumption was very high.**

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**It required large space for installation.**

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**The programming capability was quite low.**



# Electronic Era

- **Texas Instruments and Fairchild Semiconductor both announce the integrated circuit in 1959.**
- **The IBM 360 is introduced in April of 1964 and quickly becomes the standard institutional mainframe computer. By the mid-80s the 360 and its descendants have generated more than \$100 billion in revenue for IBM.**

## Mini Era (1959-1970)

- The Mini Era began with the development of the integrated circuit in 1959 by Texas Instruments and Fairchild Semiconductor.
- Ivan Sutherland demonstrates a program called Sketchpad (makes engineering drawings with a light pen) on a TX-2 mainframe at MIT's Lincoln Labs in 1962.
- By 1965, an integrated circuit that cost \$1,000 in 1959 now costs less than \$10.



## Mini Era

- Doug Engelbart demonstrates a word processor in 1968.
- Also in 1968, Gordon Moore and Robert Noyce founded a company called Intel.
- Xerox creates its Palo Alto Research Center (Xerox PARC) in 1969.
- Fairchild Semiconductor introduces a 256-bit RAM chip in 1970.
- In late 1970 Intel introduces a 1K RAM chip and the 4004, a 4-bit microprocessor. Two years later comes the 8008, an 8-bit processor.

# Second Generation Computers

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- Transistor replaced the bulky electric tubes in the first generation computer.
  - Smaller than electric tubes and have higher operating speed.
  - No filament and require no heating
  - Manufacturing cost was also very low.
  - Size of the computer got reduced considerably.
- The concept of Central Processing Unit (CPU), memory, programming language and input and output units were developed.
- The programming languages such as COBOL, FORTRAN were developed during this period.
- Some of the computers of the Second Generation were
  - IBM 1620: Its size was smaller as compared to First Generation computers and mostly used for scientific purpose.
  - IBM 1401: Its size was small to medium and used for business applications.
  - CDC 3600: Its size was large and is used for scientific purposes.

# Third Generation Computers

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- The third generation computers were introduced in 1964.
  - Used Integrated Circuits (ICs).
  - A single IC has many transistors, registers and capacitors built on a single thin slice of silicon
  - The size of the computer got further reduced
  - Some of the computers developed during this period were IBM-360, ICL-1900, IBM-370, and VAX-750
  - Higher level language such as BASIC (Beginners All purpose Symbolic Instruction Code) was developed during this period.
- Computers of this generations were small in size, low cost, large memory and processing speed is very high.



## Micro Era (1971-1989)

- **Bill Gates and Paul Allen form Traf-O-Data in 1971 to sell their computer traffic-analysis systems.**
- **Gary Kildall writes PL/M, the first high-level programming language for the Intel Microprocessor.**
- **Steve Jobs and Steve Wozniak are building and selling “blue boxes” in Southern California in 1971.**
- **Intel introduces the 8008, the first 8-bit microprocessor in April of 1972.**

## Micro Era

- Jonathan A. Titus designs the Mark-8 and is featured in the July 1974 Radio Electronics.
- In January 1975 Popular Electronics features the MITS Altair 8800; it is hailed as the first “personal” computer.
- Micro Instrumentation Telemetry Systems
- Intel 8080
- Paul Allen and Bill Gates develop BASIC for the Altair 8800. Microsoft is born!!!

## Micro Era

- Apple is selling its Apple II for \$1,195, including 16K of RAM but no monitor by 1977.
- Software Arts develops the first spreadsheet program, Visicalc by the spring of 1979. 500 copies per month are shipped in 1979 and sales increase to 12,000 per month by 1981.
- By 1980 Apple has captured 50% of the personal computer market.



## Micro Era

- In 1980 Microsoft is approached by IBM to develop BASIC for its personal computer project. The IBM PC is released in August, 1981.
- The Apple Macintosh, featuring a simple graphical interface using the 8-MHz, 32-bit Motorola 68000 CPU and a built-in 9-inch B/W screen, debuts in 1984.
- Microsoft Windows 1.0 ships in November, 1985.
- Microsoft's sales for 1989 reach \$1 billion.

# Fourth Generation Computers

- The fourth generation computers evolved around 1975.
- Uses large scale Integrated Circuits (LSIC) built on a single silicon chip called microprocessors.
- Due to the development of microprocessor it is possible to place computer's central processing unit (CPU) on single chip.
- These computers are called microcomputers
- Later very large scale Integrated Circuits (VLSIC) replaced LSICs.
- Thus the computer which was occupying a very large room in earlier days can now be placed on a table.

# Fifth Generation Computers

- The research and development evolved near 1990s are said to be Fifth Generation computers.
- The speed is extremely high in fifth generation computer.
- Apart from this it can perform parallel processing.
- The concept of Artificial intelligence has been introduced to allow the computer to take its own decision.
- It is still in a Further developmental stage.



## Network Era (Late 50s to present)

- **Timesharing, the concept of linking a large numbers of users to a single computer via remote terminals, is developed at MIT in the late 50s and early 60s.**
- **Paul Baran of RAND develops the idea of distributed, packet-switching networks.**
- **Advanced Research Projects Agency Network (ARPANET) goes online in 1969.**
- **Bob Kahn and Vint Cerf develop the basic ideas of the Internet in 1973.**

# Network Era

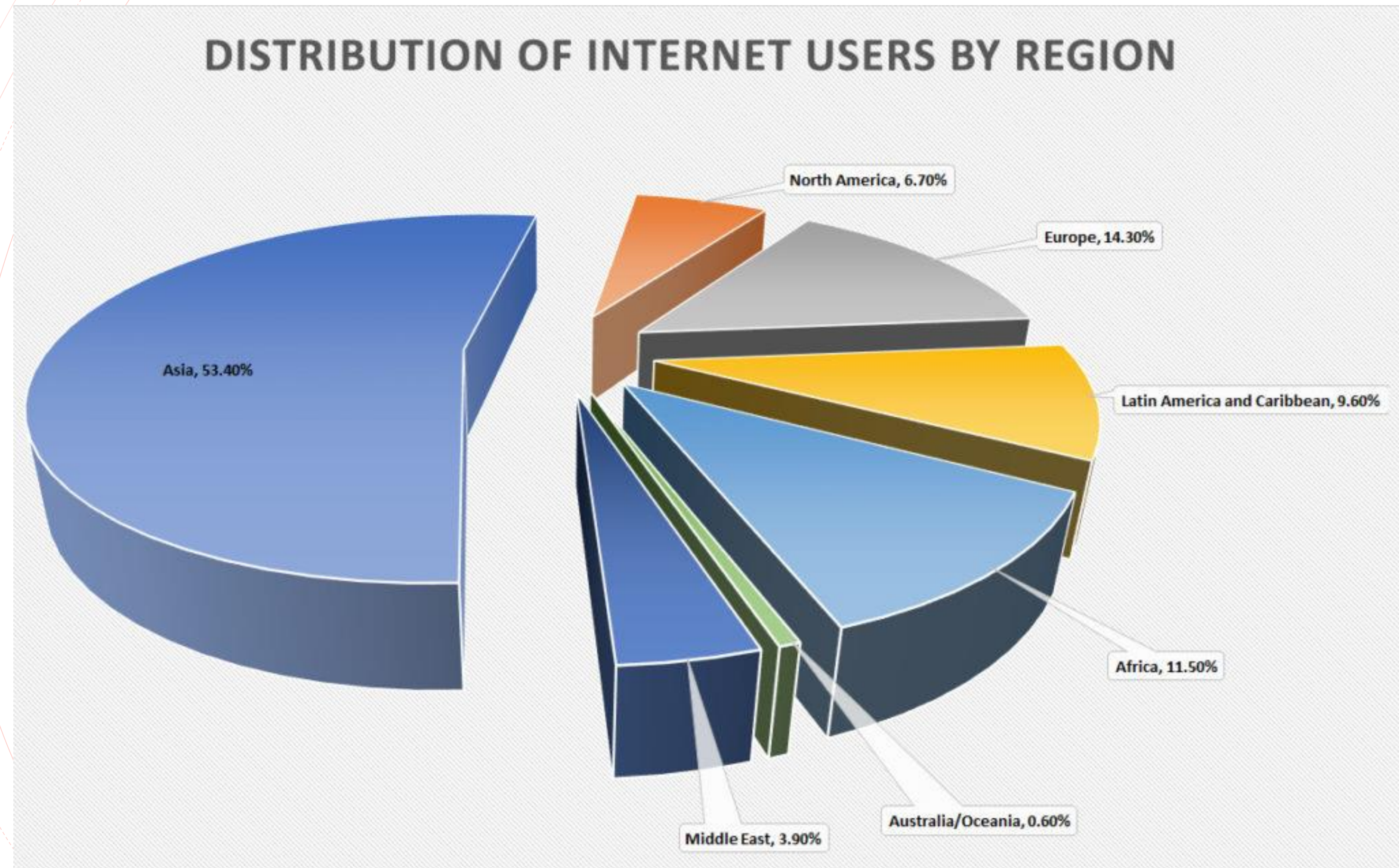
- In 1974 (Bolt, Beranek and Newman)BBN opens the first public packet-switched network –Telenet.
- A UUCP link between the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and Duke University establishes USENET in 1979.
- TCP/IP (Transmission Control Protocol and Internet Protocol) is established as the standard for ARPANET in 1982.

# Network Era

- **The number of network hosts breaks 10,000 in 1987; two years later, the number of hosts breaks 100,000.**
- **Tem Berners-Lee develops the World Wide Web.**
- **Organisation Européenne pour la Recherche Nucléaire (CERN) releases the first Web server in 1991.**
- **By 1992, the number of network hosts breaks 1,000,000.**



# Network Era





## Speed

- Can work very fast - Takes only few seconds for calculations that we take hours to complete
- Can perform millions (1,000,000) of instructions and even more per second. Therefore, we determine the speed of computer in terms of microsecond ( $10^{-6}$  part of a second) or nano-second ( $10^{-9}$  part of a

## Accuracy

- Higherlevel precision can be gained
- Degree of accuracy of computer is very high and every calculation is performed with the same accuracy. The accuracy level is determined on the basis of design of computer.

## Diligence

- Computer is free from tiredness, lack of concentration, fatigue, etc.
- But heat is generated

## Versatility

- Capacity to perform completely different type of work simultaneous

## Power of Remembering

- Computer has the power of storing any amount of information or data
- Information can be stored and recalled as long as you require it

## No Intelligence Quotient

- Computer is a dumb machine and it cannot do any work without instruction
- Performs the instructions at tremendous speed and with accuracy.
- Computer is not an autonomous body



## No Feeling

- Does not have feelings or emotion, taste, knowledge and experience.

## Storage

- Computer has an in-built memory where it can store a large amount of data
- Can store data in secondary storage devices such as floppies, Flash, CD which can be kept outside your computer and can be carried to other computers.

**Questions?**