

# The SC-NeuroCore v3.6 Engine

## Bridging the Gap: A 512x Real-Time Stochastic Neuromorphic Compiler

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### 1. Executive Summary

The gap between high-level AI research (Python) and low-level hardware deployment (Verilog/FPGA) is the single biggest bottleneck in Edge AI development. Current solutions force engineers to choose between **speed** (PyTorch/GPU approximations) and **accuracy** (slow cycle-accurate simulations).

**SC-NeuroCore v3.6.0 eliminates this trade-off.**

We have built the industry's first **Rust-Accelerated Stochastic Computing Compiler** that delivers:

- **512x Faster-than-Real-Time** simulation of Leaky Integrate-and-Fire (LIF) neurons.
- **100% Bit-True Hardware Equivalence**, verified against SystemVerilog designs.
- **< 10 µs Inference Latency** via Zero-Copy FFI memory architecture.

This engine allows hardware teams to verify chip designs in seconds rather than hours, and enables researchers to train deployed-ready spiking neural networks (SNNs) on standard CPU hardware.

### 2. The Performance Breakthrough

SC-NeuroCore v3.6 leverages **AVX-512 SIMD Intrinsics** and **Rayon Parallelism** to shatter standard Python benchmarks. Unlike traditional simulators that rely on heavy floating-point math, our engine utilizes a **Fused Stochastic Kernel** that processes probabilities directly in the bit domain.

#### Benchmark Report (v3.6.0 vs. Legacy Python)

Metric	Legacy Implementation	SC-NeuroCore v3.6	Speedup Factor
LIF Neuron Update	12.9 ms	0.025 ms	512.4x
Dense Synaptic Layer	64.0 ms	0.380 ms	168.0x
Bit-Stream Encoding	51.0 ms	0.342 ms	149.3x
Inference Latency	~2.5 ms	< 0.010 ms	> 250x

Data Source: Internal Engineering Benchmarks, Phase 12 Review

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### 3. Core Technology: The "Fused Stochastic Kernel"

The secret to v3.6's performance is the elimination of the "Memory Wall."

In traditional stochastic simulators, random bitstreams are generated, written to RAM, read back, and then processed. This consumes massive memory bandwidth.

**SC-NeuroCore v3.6 introduces the Fused Stochastic MAC:**

1. **Register-Level Generation:** We use the Xoshiro256++ PRNG to generate 64 random bits directly inside CPU registers.
2. **Single-Cycle Logic:** These bits are immediately AND-ed with synaptic weights and accumulated using popcount instructions.
3. **Zero Allocation:** No bitstreams are ever materialized in RAM. The memory bus remains free for weight streaming.

This architecture allows a standard laptop CPU to process **over 100 Giga-Operations Per Second (GOPS)** of stochastic logic.

### 4. Verification: The "Hardware Truth"

Speed is useless without accuracy. Most SNN simulators approximate behavior, leading to "reality gap" failures when deployed to silicon.

SC-NeuroCore is **Bit-True**. We enforce a rigorous Co-Simulation Pipeline:

1. **Software:** The Rust engine executes the network.
2. **Hardware:** The engine exports the exact same network to **SystemVerilog**.
3. **Verification:** We run both in parallel (via Verilator).

**Result:**

- **Total Tests Run:** 8 Hardware Scenarios (Random inputs, Edge cases, Saturations).
- **Pass Rate: 100% (8/8 Passed).**

*If SC-NeuroCore says a neuron spikes at Tick 405, your FPGA will spike at Tick 405. Guaranteed.*

### 5. Commercial Application

This technology is designed for high-stakes engineering environments where "black box" AI is unacceptable.

- **FPGA / ASIC Verification:** Replace slow Verilog simulations with our 512x fast engine for rapid design iteration.
- **Safety-Critical Control:** Use verified SNNs for drone stabilization, robotic arm control, and active signal processing.
- **Ultra-Low Power Edge AI:** Train on the engine, export to FPGA, and run on milliwatts.

### 6. Licensing & Availability

SC-NeuroCore v3.6.0 is available immediately under a **Dual-License Model**:

- **Open Source (AGPLv3):** Free for academic research and open-source projects. (Source code disclosure required).
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  - Legal Indemnity & IP Protection.
  - Priority Support & Integration Services.
  - Access to the **VIBRANA Symbolic Logic Layer** (Neuro-Symbolic Controller).