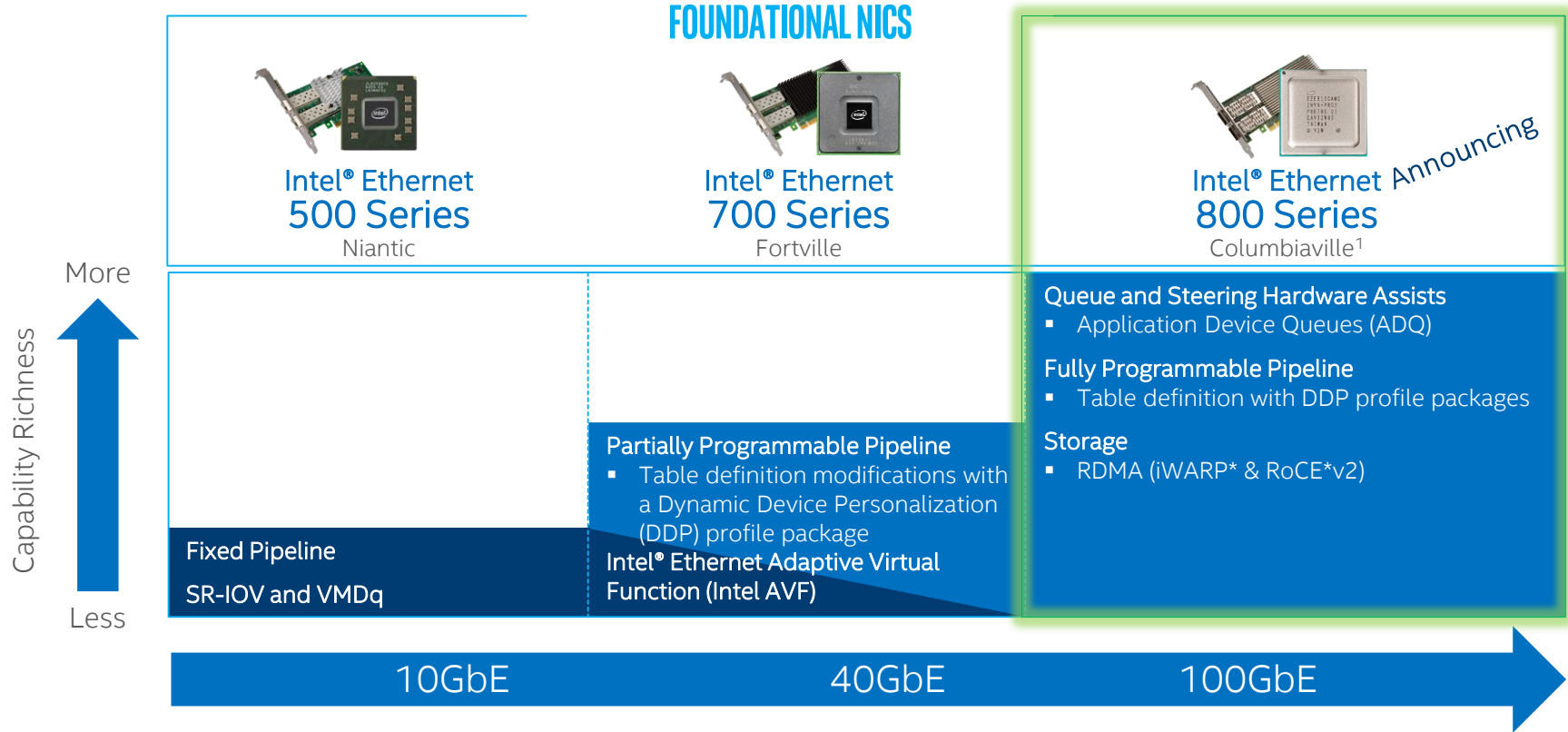


INTEL[®] ETHERNET TECHNOLOGY INNOVATIONS

Intel[®] Ethernet 800 Series with
Application Device Queues (ADQ) &
Dynamic Device Personalization (DDP)

Intel® Ethernet Architecture Evolution



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THE GOAL

**MOVE
DATA FASTER**

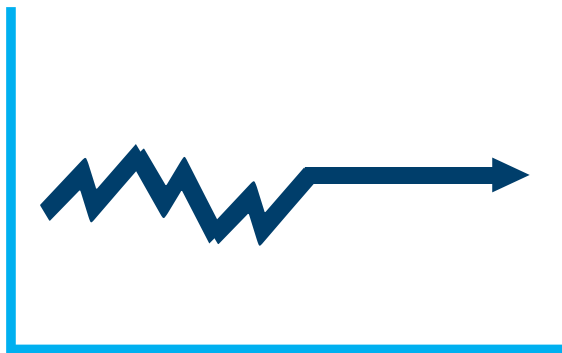
Intel® Ethernet 800 Series Can...

Improve Application Performance
with Application Device Queues (ADQ)

Improve Packet Processing Efficiency
with Dynamic Device Personalization (DDP)

Scale-out Application Performance Parameters

PREDICTABILITY



LATENCY

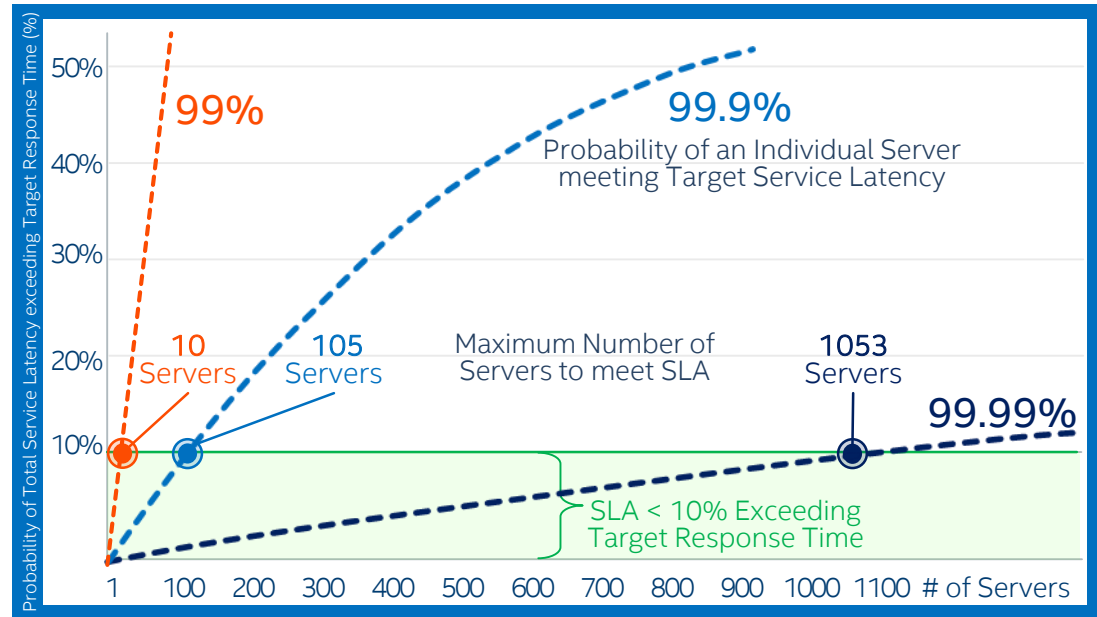


THROUGHPUT



Why Application Response Predictability Matters

Predictability of Data Center Application Performance¹



"The Tail at Scale" – Communications of the ACM. February 2013

Jeffrey Dean – Google Senior Fellow and Luiz André Barroso – Google Fellow / VP of Engineering

<https://cseweb.ucsd.edu/~gmporter/classes/fa17/cse124/post/schedule/p74-dean.pdf>

Meeting the Scale-out Challenge

- Reducing variability in application response time (jitter) improves throughput and reduces latency

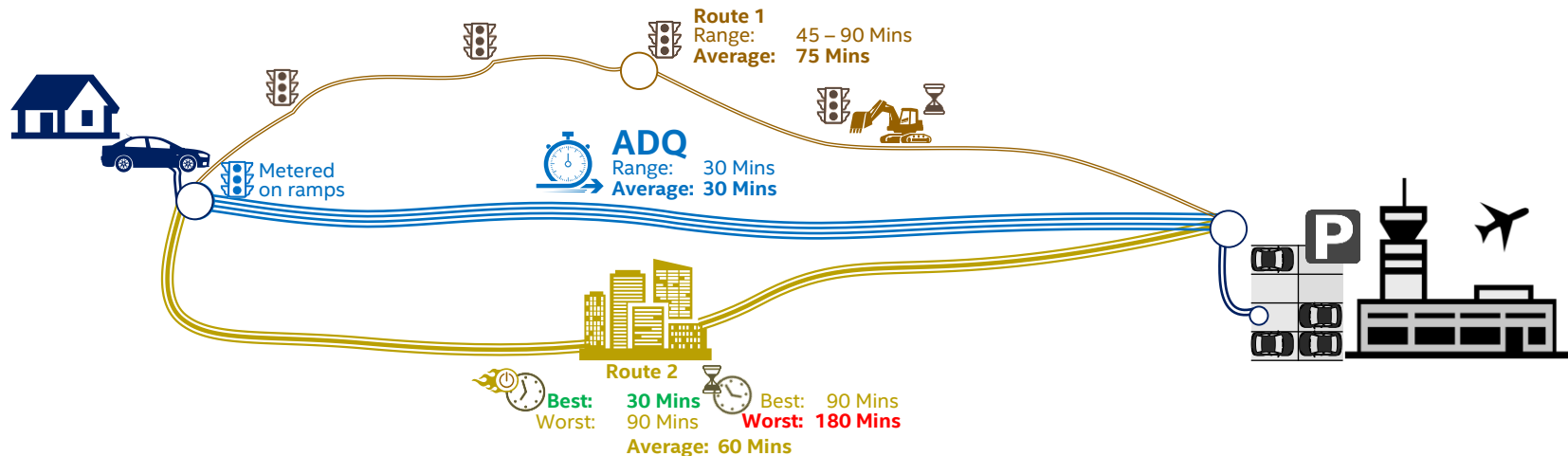
Benefits of Reducing Jitter

- More servers can be added to parallelize task
- Support more end-users with existing hardware

Higher predictability
enables more servers
working in parallel within
a desired response time

How to Improve Predictability

Analogy: Time to Reach Airport for Flight



Application Device Queues (ADQ) Improves Predictability
with Dedicated Lanes and Rate Limiting

Intel® Ethernet 800 Series with Application Device Queues (ADQ)

What is ADQ?

- An application specific queuing and steering technology

How does ADQ work?

- Filters application traffic to a dedicated set of queues
- Application threads of execution are connected to specific queues within the ADQ queue set
- Bandwidth control of application egress (Tx) network traffic

What are the benefits of ADQ?

**INCREASES
APPLICATION
PREDICTABILITY**



**REDUCES
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LATENCY**

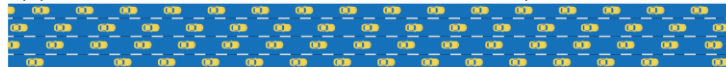


**IMPROVES
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With ADQ

Application traffic to a dedicated set of queues



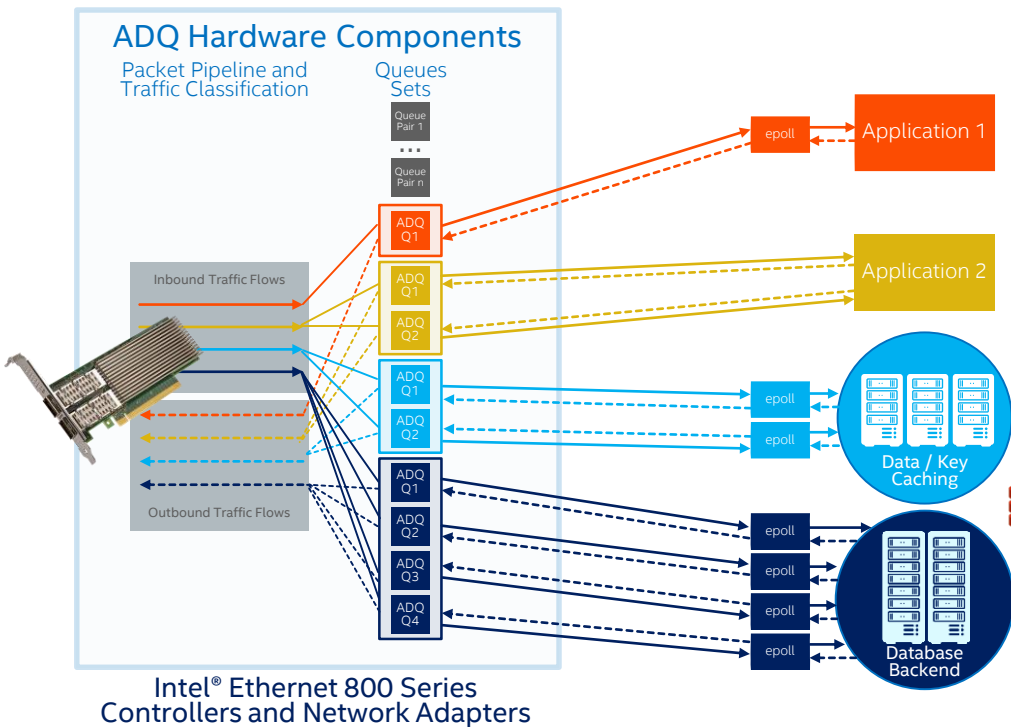
Without ADQ

Application traffic intermixed with other traffic types



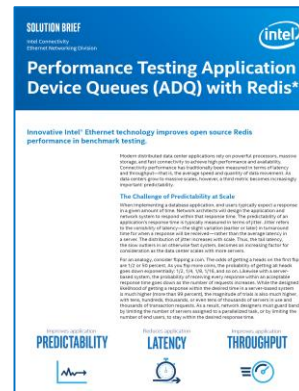
Intel® Ethernet -- Application Device Queues (ADQ)¹

Latest Network Technology Innovation for Intel® Ethernet 800 Series



ADQ Basics

- Filters application traffic to a dedicated set of queues
- Application threads of execution are connected to specific queues within the ADQ queue set
- Rate limits application egress (Tx) network traffic



Intel® Ethernet 800 Series with ADQ on Redis Solution Brief

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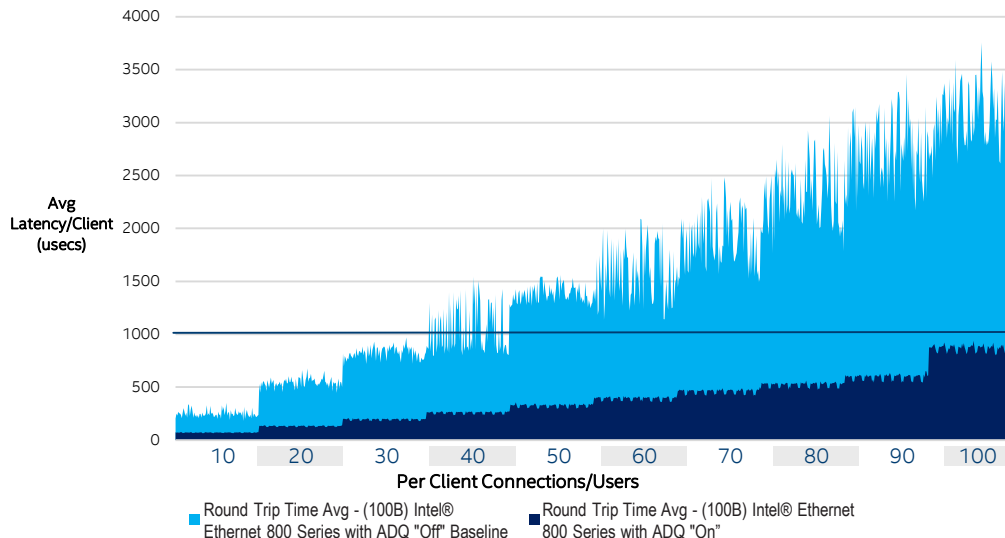
Application Device Queues (ADQ) – Redis* Open Source Database

Performance Results

**INCREASES
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Average Latency Predictability



**>50%
PREDICTABILITY
INCREASE
WITH OPEN SOURCE REDIS**

Lower
is Better

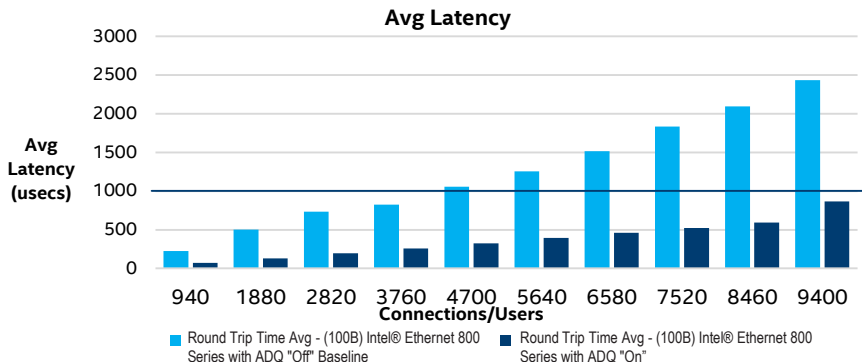


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Performance Results

**REDUCES
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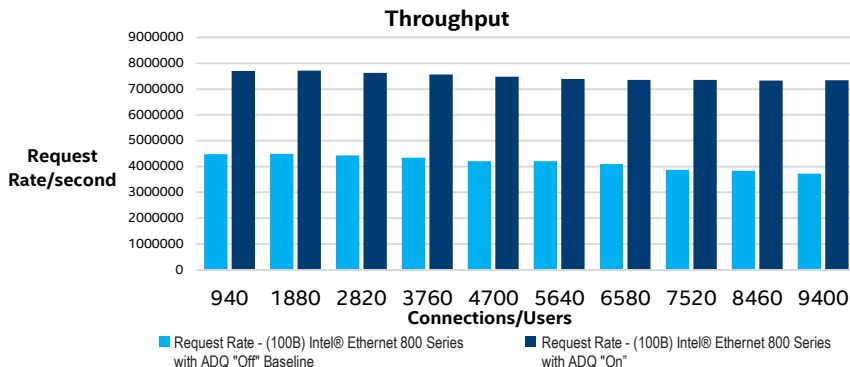


Lower
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**>45%
LATENCY
REDUCTION**
WITH OPEN SOURCE REDIS



**IMPROVES
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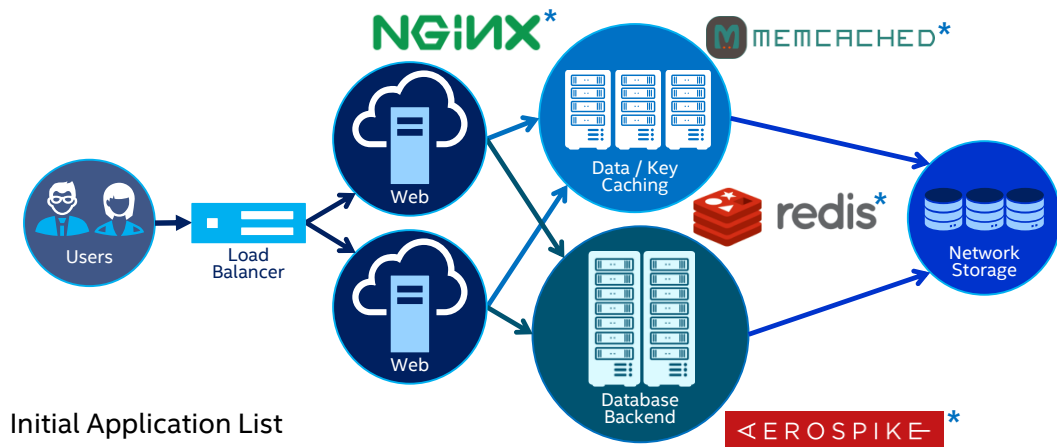
Higher
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**>30%
THROUGHPUT
IMPROVEMENT**
WITH OPEN SOURCE REDIS

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Application Device Queues (ADQ)¹

Performance Improvements across Multiple Tiers



NGINX

"NGINX is excited to collaborate with Intel on delivering a significant reduction in latency. Together we help to scale NGINX based cloud services with the new Intel® Ethernet 800 Series with Application Device Queues"

Christine Puccio VP, Global Strategic Alliances & Partnerships

AEROSPIKE

"Getting useful insights in real-time out of Big Data comes with a set of major challenges such as predictable low latency and maximum throughput at the network layer. Aerospike, as always, is at the forefront of addressing these challenges. We expect the Intel® Ethernet 800 Series with Application Device Queues (ADQ) coupled with Aerospike Enterprise will help get predictable performance, higher data throughput and lower latency. We are pleased to work closely with Intel to bring this exciting new technology to our customers."

Srini Srinivasan, Founder and Chief Product Officer

Significantly Improves Predictability, Latency and Throughput

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Changing Network Landscapes – Changes Protocol Needs

Significant expansion of protocol types that network adapters need to parse



ENTERPRISE

Network Virtualization over Layer 3 (NVO3)

Virtual Extensible LAN (VXLAN) [RFC7348]

Generic Protocol Extension for VXLAN
(VXLAN-GPE)

Network Virtualization using Generic Routing
Encapsulation (NVGRE) [RFC7637]

Generic Network Virtualization Encapsulation
(GENEVE)

Network Service Header (NSH)



SERVICE PROVIDERS

C-VLAN Tag (C-Tag)

Customer VLAN (C-VLAN)

S-VLAN tag (S-Tag)

Service VLAN (S-VLAN)

Customized Protocols



NETWORK EDGE

GPRS Tunneling Protocol (GTP)

Internet Protocol over Ethernet (IPoE)

Layer 2 Tunneling Protocol (L2TP)

Multiprotocol Label Switching (MPLS)

Multi-Service BNG (MS-BNG)

Residential Gateway (RG)

Point to Point Protocol (PPP)

PPP over Ethernet (PPPoE)

Control and Provisioning of Wireless Access
Points (CAPWAP)



SECURITY

Internet Protocol Security (IPsec)

Encapsulating Security Payloads (ESP)

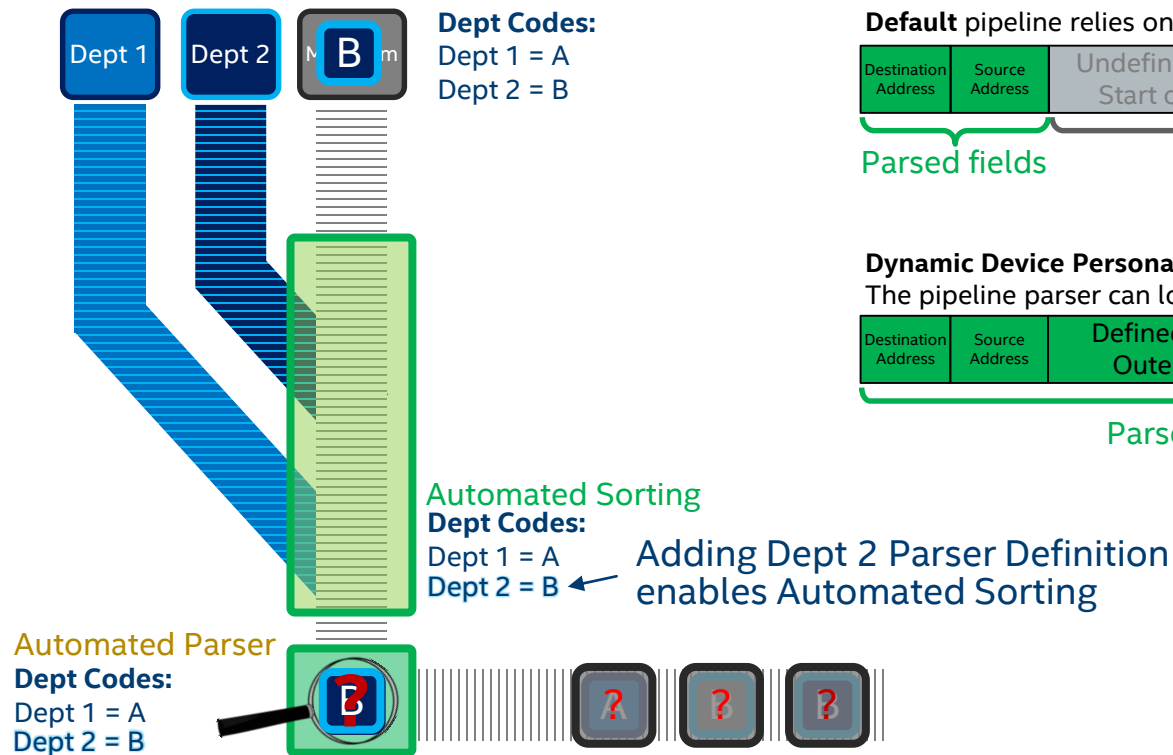
Authentication Headers (AH)

Security Associations (SA)

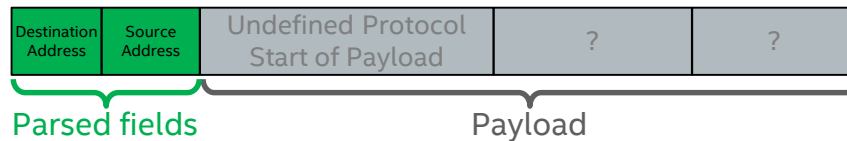
DEFAULT PROTOCOL SUPPORT + PROGRAMMABLE TO MEET SEGMENT NEEDS

Why a Programmable Pipeline Matters

Analogy: Conveyor Belt Package Deliver

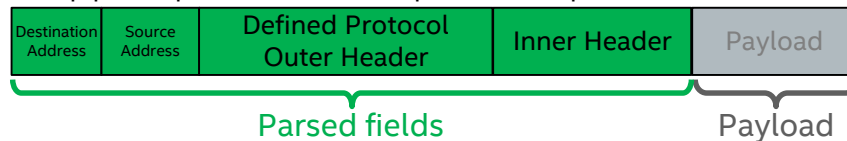


Default pipeline relies on host to parse undefined protocols



Dynamic Device Personalization (DDP) Profile enabled

The pipeline parser can look deeper in to the packets



Dynamic Device Personalization (DDP)

Intel® Ethernet 700 Series and Intel® Ethernet 800 Series¹

RUN-TIME PROGRAMMABILITY

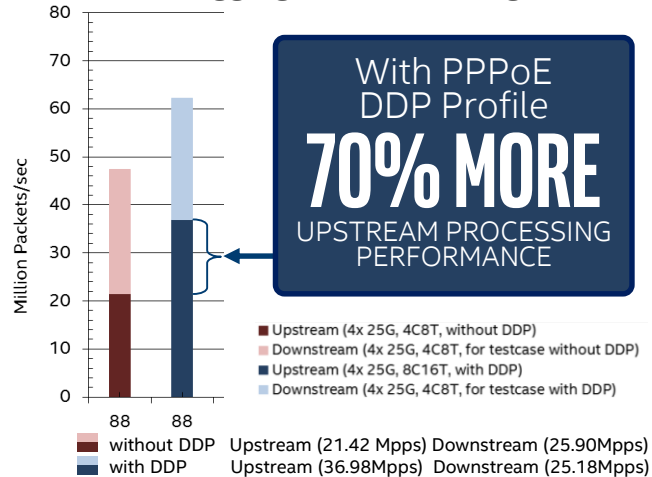
Packet pipeline customization to meet a wide range of customer deployment needs

OPTIMIZE PERFORMANCE

- Lower Latency
- Higher Throughput
- Improved CPU Utilization

Customer Example: http://www.prweb.com/releases/qct_launches_next_generation_central_office_solutions/prweb16053614.htm

Broadband Remote Access Server (BRAS) Aggregated Forwarding Test



AVAILABLE NOW

Intel® Ethernet 700 Series DDP Profiles

Publicly Released: GTPv1, PPPoE

Others: MPLSoGRE/MPLSoUDP, L2TPv3, QUIC, IPv4 Multicast, 4G Fronthaul, eCPRI, VXLAN-GPE, IPsec

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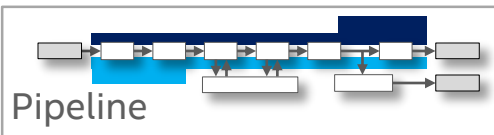
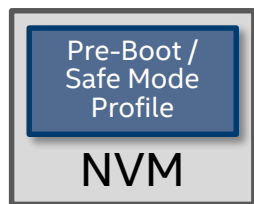
Source: Intel internal testing as of November 2017. ¹ Features & schedule are subject to change. Calculation: Upstream DDP vs w/o DDP ((36.98-21.42)/21.42*100%) = 72.6%

Intel® Ethernet 800 Series with Programmable Pipeline via Dynamic Device Personalization (DDP) Profiles¹

Pre-Boot / Safe Mode

NEW

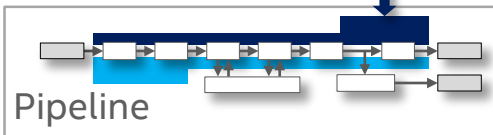
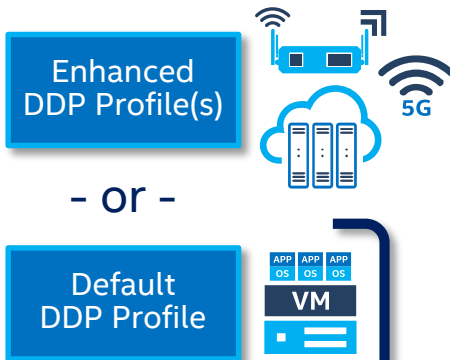
Profile included in NVM
Firmware Controls Configuration



OS Boot

NEW

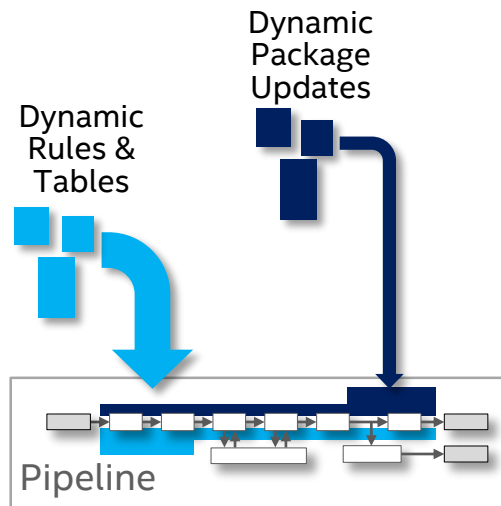
Device Driver Loads and
Controls Configuration



Runtime

IMPROVED

Standard OS or DPDK
Configuration Tools



Improves Packet Processing Efficiency and Dynamic Workload Optimization

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