3.4. Cache Performance

L/S Computers

Split cache < data / instructions

Example – 2% L/S insts.

IMR Insts Miss Rate = 8%

dMR data Miss Rate = 10%

Miss Penalty = 25 ns

Clk Rate = 3 GHz

t_{ac} = 1 cc

IC = 1000

a) AMAT = ?

b) CPU_{time} = ?

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a) $AMAT = t_{ac} + Miss\ Rate \times Miss\ Pen$

$CCT = \frac{1}{3 \cdot 10^{9}\ s^{-1}} = \frac{10^{-9}}{3}\ s = 0.333\ ns$

$Miss\ Pen^{CC} = \left\lceil \frac{25\ ns}{0.333\ ns} \right\rceil = 76\ c.c.$

$AMAT = 0.333\ ns + 76\ cc \times 0.333\ ns$

Misses per Insts. $= \underline{1} \times 0.08 + \underline{0.2} \times \underline{0.1}$

need insts to run anything; IMR; L/S insts; Mmp

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Mem. Acc per Insts $= \underline{\underline{0.1}}$

× Miss Rate

$$\text{Miss Rate} = \frac{\text{Miss Per Insts}}{\text{Mem Acc per Insts}} = \frac{0.1}{1 + 0.2} = \underline{\underline{0.083}}$$

Miss Rate = 8,33%

AMAT = 2,434 ns

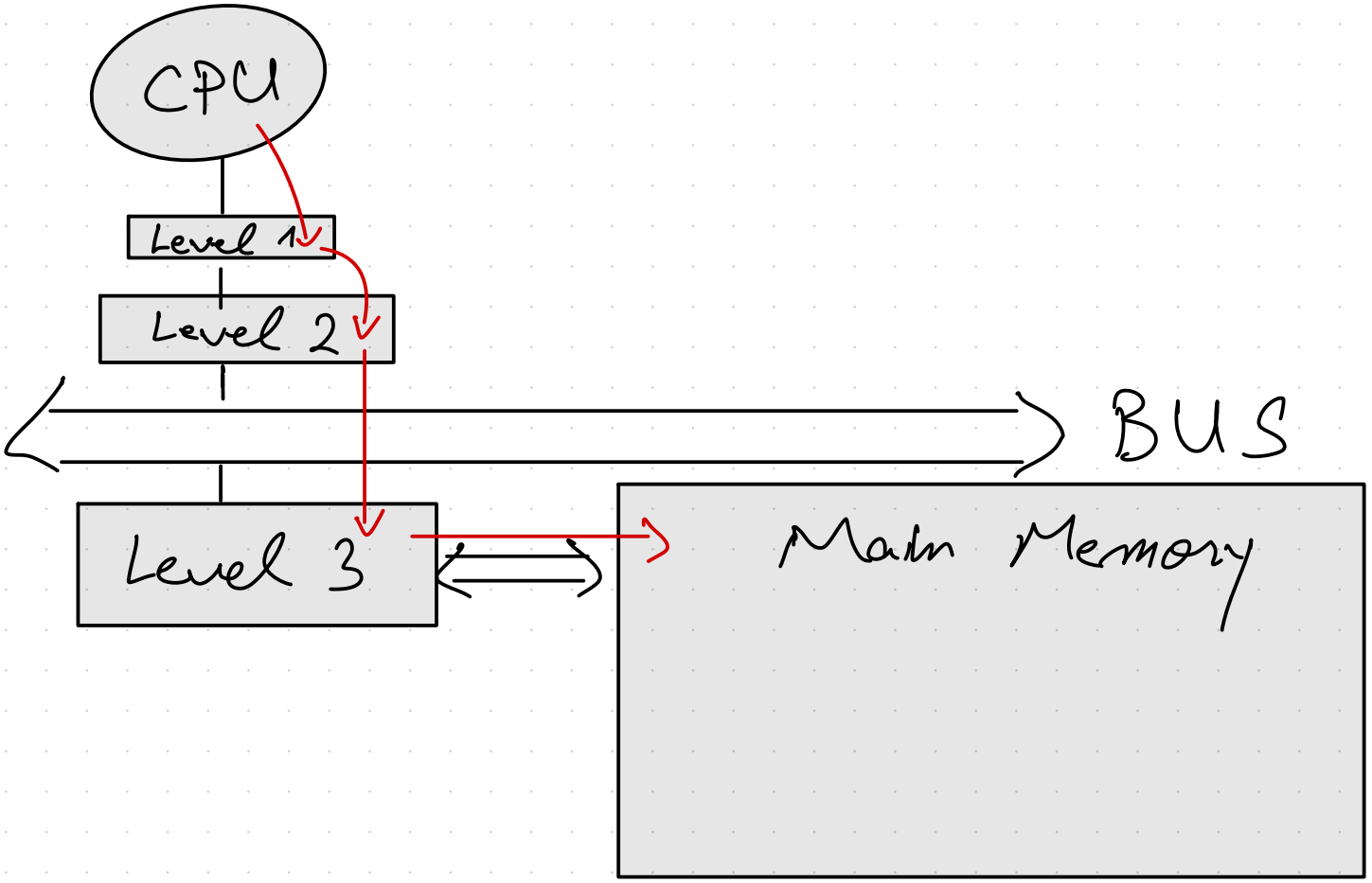
CPI Ideal = 3

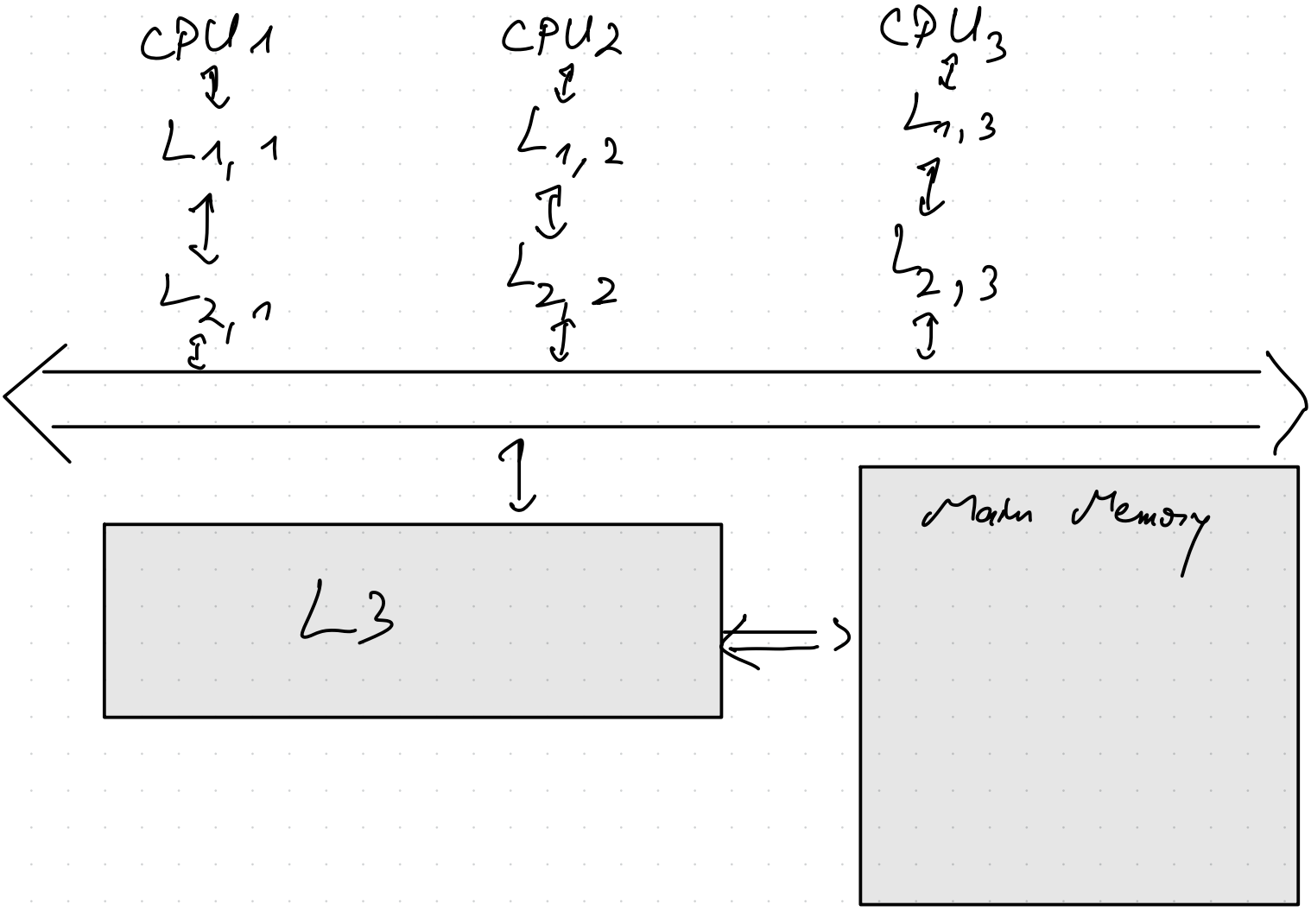
$$CPU_{time} = 1000 \times (3 + 0.1 \times 76) \times 0.333 \text{ ns}$$

IC; CPI Ideal cc; Miss/Insts; Miss Pen cc; CCT

= 3529.8 ns = 3.5298 μs

3.5 Multi-level caches





Example 2

cPI ideal 1 cc

Clk Rate = 4 GHz

Miss Pen. = 100 ns

Miss Rate / Insts = 2% = Mem Acc / Inst × Msg Rate

tac_2 = 5 ns (read / write)

Miss rate / Inst 2 = 0.5%

$$CPU_{time\ 1\text{-}level} = IC \left(1 + 0.02 \times \left\lceil \frac{100\,ns}{0.25\,ns} \right\rceil\right) \times 0.25\,ns$$

(Miss Pen)

$$= IC \times 2.25\,ns$$

$$CPU_{time\ 2\text{-}level} = IC \left(1 + 0.005 \times \left\lceil \frac{100\,ns}{0.25\,ns} \right\rceil + 0.02 \times \left\lceil \frac{5\,ns}{0.25\,ns} \right\rceil\right) \times 0.25\,ns$$

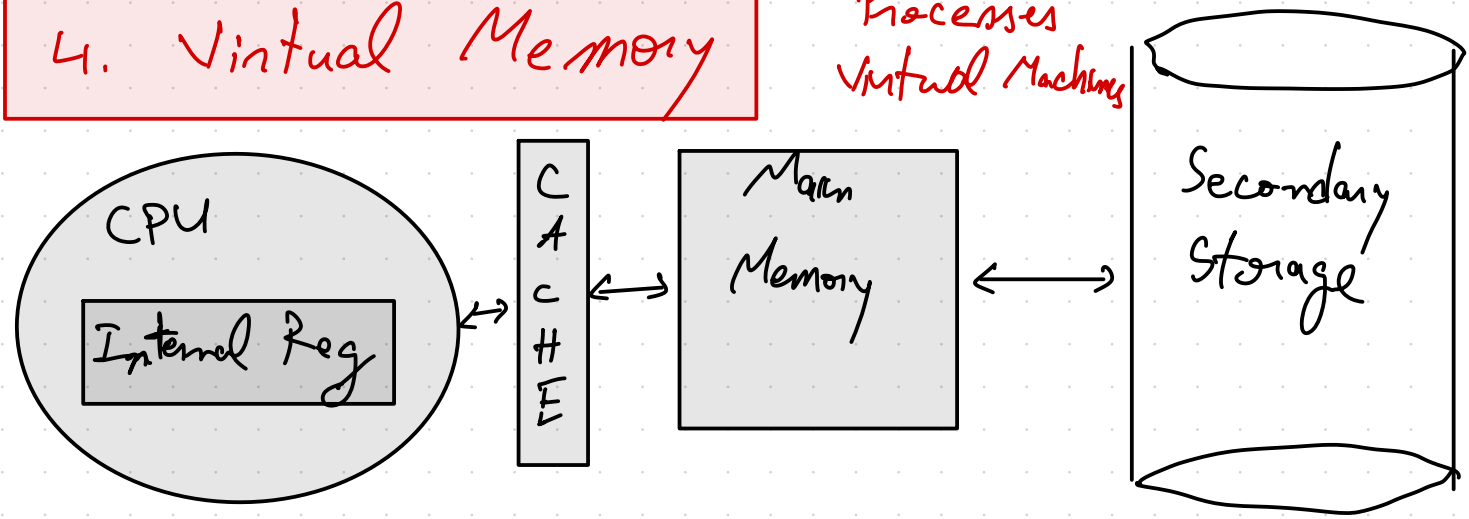
(Miss Pen; tac_2)

$$IC\,(3.4 \times 0.25\,ns)$$

$$\frac{\text{Perf level 1}}{2} = 2.647$$

4. Virtual Memory

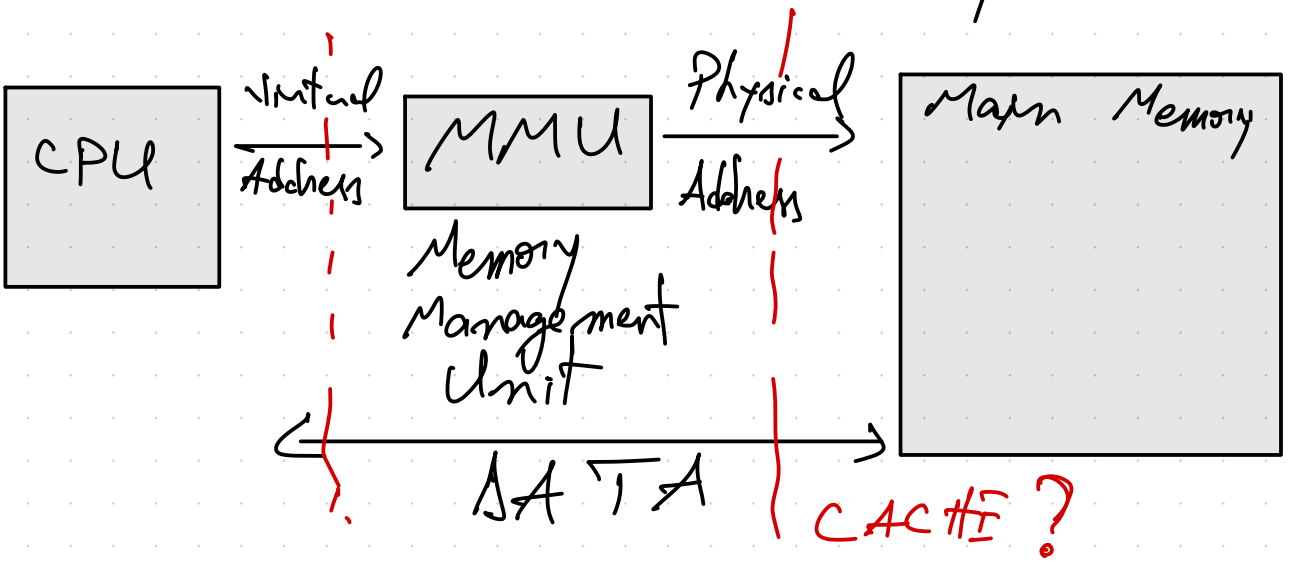
Processes
Virtual Machines



4.1. Motivation

Virtual Memory Space ≥ Physical Mem. Space
(Main Mem.)

Translation
Virtual Address ⟶ Physical Address.



- page (chunk)
- segment

- page → fixed size
- seg. → variable number of pages

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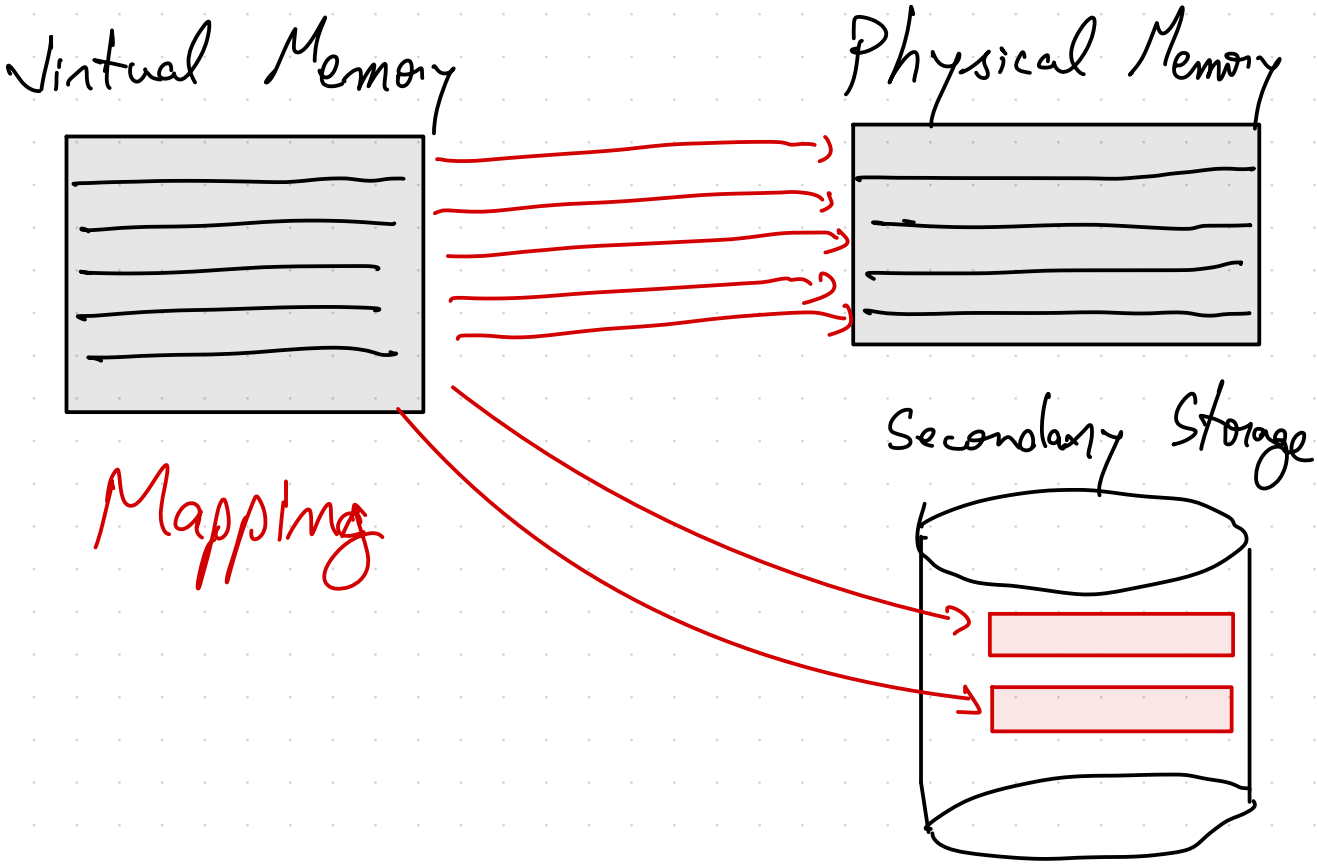
4.2. Address Translation



Huge Miss Penalty -> page fault

-> need for very low miss rate -> full-associative

-> table -> Page Table

-> file cache proces are paging so

-> write through is out of the question

-> write back

→ Replacement → software → treaba SO

Address Mapping → ARM v8

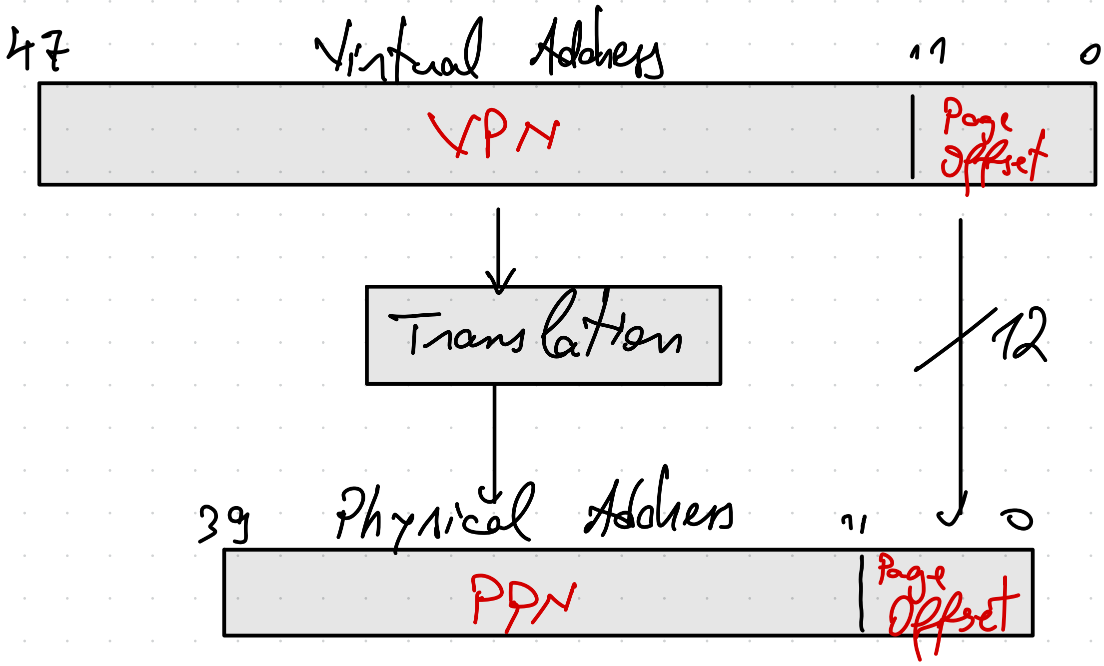
64 bit words

48 pt address

2^{48} bytes $= 2^{8} \times 2^{40}$ B $= 2^{8}$ TiB   256 TiB

2^{40} B $=$ 1 TiB → Real Address

Page Number



Page Size $= 2^{12}$ B $=$ 4 KiB