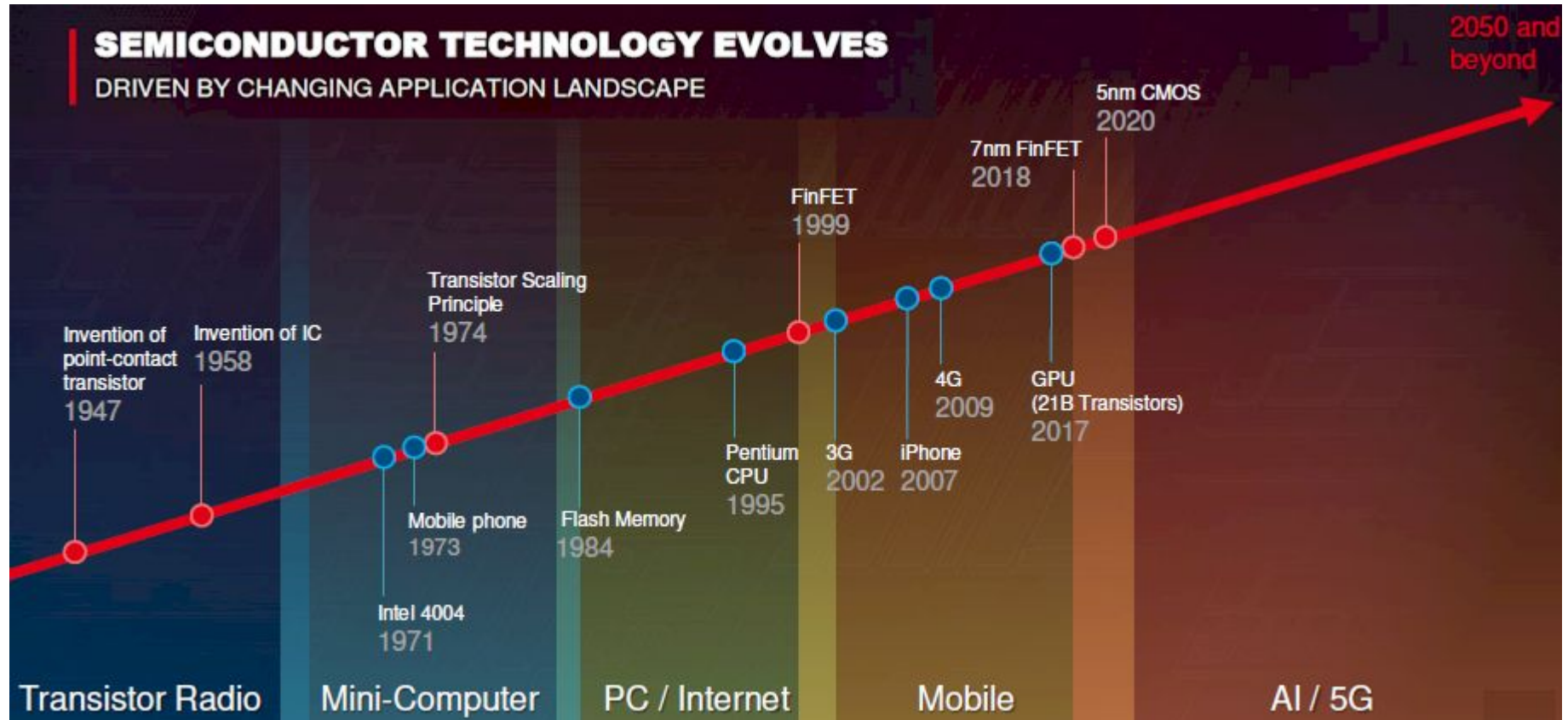


Module 2



Performance Evaluation of Computer Systems

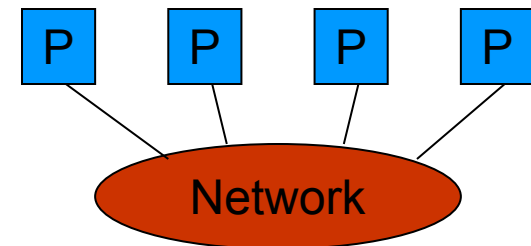
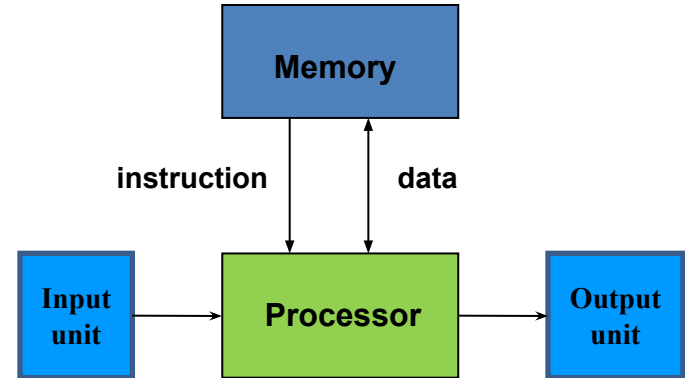
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A Computer System

Computer systems consist of:

- Processor
- Memory
- Input/Output
- Operating system
- Network



Performance Factors

Performance depends on:

- ⇒ Technology
 - Instruction Set Architecture
 - Organization
 - Software

Technology

- In recent years, microprocessors have become **smaller** and **denser**.

Technology

	1945	2020
Computer	ENIAC	Laptop
Devices	18 000	17 000 000 000
Weight (kg)	27 200	1.5
Size (m ³)	68	0.0018
Power (watts)	20 000	5.5
Cost (\$)	4 630 000	1 000
Memory (bytes)	200	160 000 000 000
Performance (Flops/s)	800	3 000 000 000

Performance Units

Speed

1 Mflop/s	1 Megaflop/s	10^6 Flop/second
1 Gflop/s	1 Gigaflop/s	10^9 Flop/second
1 Tflop/s	1 Teraflop/s	10^{12} Flop/second
1 Pflop/s	1 Petaflop/s	10^{15} Flop/second
1 Eflop/s	1 Exaflop/s	10^{18} Flop/second

Storage

1 MB	1 Megabyte	10^6 Bytes
1 GB	1 Gigabyte	10^9 Bytes
1 TB	1 Terabyte	10^{12} Bytes
1 PB	1 Petabyte	10^{15} Bytes

Performance Evaluation of Computer Systems

Performance depends on:

- Technology
- ➔ Instruction Set Architecture
- Organization
- Software

Instruction Set Architecture-ISA

Instruction Set Design:

- RISC / CISC
 - Code density
- Number of operands
 - Stack machines (0-operand)
 - Accumulator machines (1-operand)
 - Register machines (2-operand, 3-operand)

RISC VS CISC

CISC	RISC
CISC architecture gives more importance to hardware	RISC architecture gives more importance to software
Multiple Instruction sizes and formats	Instruction of same size with few formats
Less registers	Uses more registers
More addressing modes	Fewer addressing modes
Extensive use of microprogramming	Complexity in compiler
Instructions take varying amount of cycle time	Instructions take one cycle time
Pipelining is difficult	Pipelining is easy

Performance Evaluation of Computer Systems

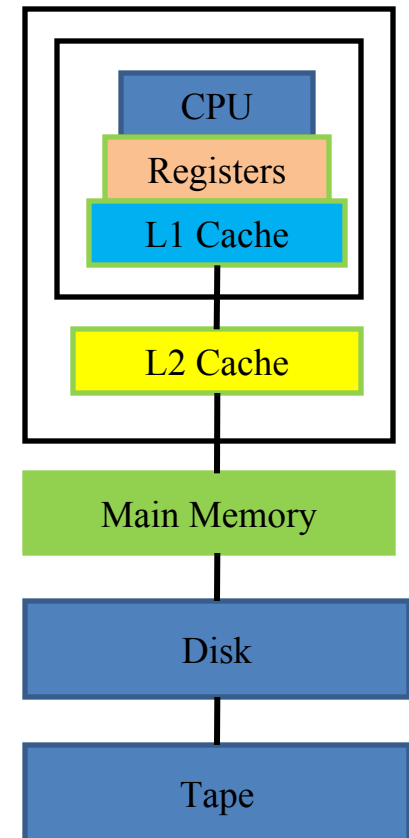
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Organization

Memory Hierarchy

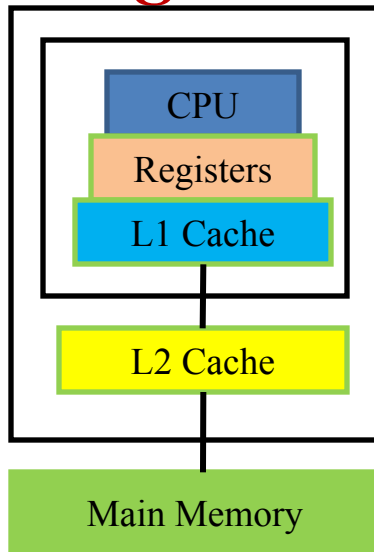
Hierarchy	Speed	Size
Within the processor (CPU-registers-on chip cache)	1 ns	Byte
L2 cache (SRAM)	10 ns	KByte
Main Memory (DRAM)	100 ns	MByte
Secondary storage (Disk)	10 ms	Gbyte
Tertiary Storage (Tape/Disk)	10 s	TByte



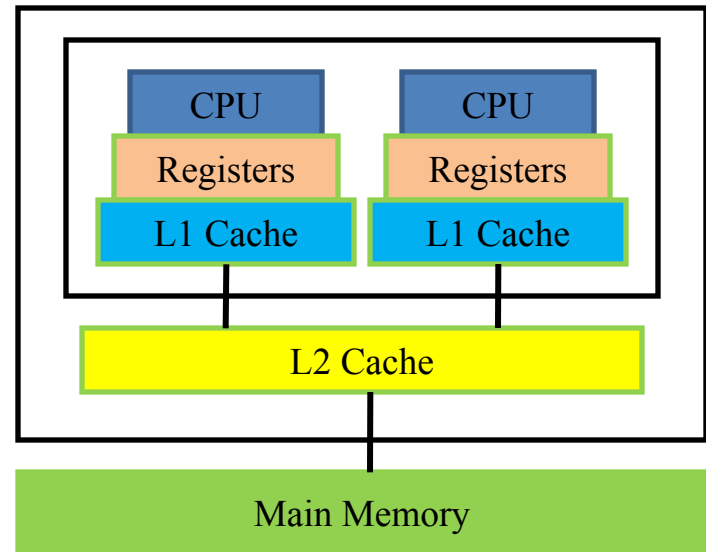
Organization

Multicore Chips

Single-core



Dual-core



Performance Evaluation of Computer Systems

Performance depends on:

- Technology
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- Software

Performance Evaluation of Computer Systems

EVALUATION PARAMETERS [3]

The Questions are..

- How to compare performance of two different machines?
- What factors affect performance?
- How to improve performance?

Defining Performance [4]

- If you were running a program on two different desktop computers, you'd say that the faster one is the desktop computer that gets the job done first.
- If you were running a datacenter that had several servers running jobs submitted by many users, you'd say that the faster computer was the one that completed the most jobs during a day.
- As an individual computer user, you are interested in reducing response time—the time between the start and completion of a task—also referred to as execution time.
- Datacenter managers are often interested in increasing throughput or bandwidth—the total amount of work done in a given time.
- Hence, in most cases, we will need different performance metrics

- **Response Time**
 - the time between the start and completion of a task also referred to as **execution time**.
- **Throughput**
 - The total amount of work done in a given time.
- **Decreasing response time almost always improves throughput.**

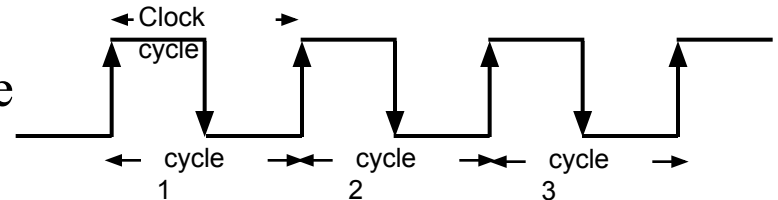
- To maximize performance, we want to minimize response time or execution time for some task. Thus, we can relate performance and execution time for a computer X:
- $\text{Performance}_X = 1 / \text{Execution time}_X$
- This means that for two computers X and Y, if the performance of X is greater than the performance of Y, we have
- $\text{Performance}_X > \text{Performance}_Y$
- $1 / \text{Execution time}_X > 1 / \text{Execution time}_Y$
- $\text{Execution time}_Y > \text{Execution time}_X$
- That is, the execution time on Y is longer than that on X, if X is faster than Y.

- we often want to relate the performance of two different computers quantitatively. We will use the phrase “X is *n times faster than Y*”—or equivalently “X is *n times as fast as Y*”—to mean
- $\text{Performance}_x / \text{Performance}_y = n$
- If X is *n times as fast as Y*, then the execution time on Y is *n times as long as it is*
- on X:
- $\text{Performance}_x / \text{Performance}_y = \text{Execution time}_y / \text{Execution time}_x = n = \text{Speedup}$

- If computer A runs a program in 10 seconds and computer B runs the same program in 15 seconds, how much faster is A than B?
- We know that A is *n times as fast as B* if
- $\text{Performance}_A / \text{Performance}_B = \text{Execution time}_B / \text{Execution time}_A = n$
- Thus the performance ratio is
- $15 / 10 = 1.5$
- A is therefore 1.5 times as fast as B.
- In the above example, we could also say that computer B is 1.5 times *slower than*
- computer A, since
- $\text{Performance}_A / \text{Performance}_B = 1.5$
- $\text{Performance}_A = 1.5 * \text{Performance}_B$

CPU Performance Its Factors[4]

Execution time depends on Clock Cycle time



CPU execution time = CPU clock cycles for a program * Clock cycle Time

- Clock Cycle time = $1 / \text{Clock rate}$,
- So,

CPU execution time for a program = CPU clock cycles for a program / Clock rate

Example :

Our favorite program runs in 10 seconds on computer A, which has a 2 GHz clock. We are trying to help a computer designer build a computer, B, which will run this program in 6 seconds. The designer has determined that a substantial increase in the clock rate is possible, but this increase will affect the rest of the CPU design, causing computer B to require 1.2 times as many clock cycles as computer A for this program. What clock rate should we tell the designer to target?

Solution

- $\text{Clock cycle}_A = \text{Execution Time}_A * \text{Clock Rate}$
- $= 10 \text{ sec} * 2 * 10^9 \text{ cycle/ sec} = 20 * 10^9 \text{ cycle}$
- $\text{Clock Cycle}_B = 1.2 * \text{Clock cycle}_A$
- $= 24 * 10^9 \text{ cycle}$
- $\text{Clock Rate}_B = \text{Clock Cycle}_B / \text{Execution time}_B$
- $= 24 * 10^9 \text{ cycle} / 6 \text{ sec}$
- $= 4 * 10^9 \text{ cycle / sec} = 4\text{GHz}$

The CPU clock cycle required for a program can be define as,

CPU clock cycles for a program= Instructions for a program * Average clock cycles per instruction

Average Clock cycle per Instruction-

Defined as average number of clock taken by each instruction. Which is also known as CPI.

- Different instructions may take different times for execution , the CPI is the average of all instructions executed in the program.

Example

- Suppose we have two implementations of the same instruction set architecture. Computer A has a clock cycle time of 250ps and a CPI of 2.0 for some program, and computer B has a clock cycle time of 500ps and a CPI of 1.2 for the same program. Which computer is faster for this program and by how much?.

- CPU clock cycles_A = I * 2.0
- CPU clock cycle_B = I * 1.2
- CPU time_A = CPU clock cycle_A * Clock cycle time
- $$= I * 2.0 * 250 \text{ ps} = 500 * I \text{ ps}$$
- CPU time_B = I * 1.2 * 500 ps = 600 * I ps
- CPU performance_A / CPU performance_B = Execution time_B / Execution time_A
- $$= 600 * I \text{ ps} / 500 * I \text{ ps} = 1.2$$
- So A is 1.2 times as fast as B .

Now we can write CPU execution time as,

- **CPU time = Instruction count * CPI * Clock cycle time**
- **CPU time = (Instruction count * CPI) / Clock rate**

CPU Execution Time: Example

- A Program is running on a specific machine (CPU) with the following parameters:
 - Total executed instruction count: 10,000,000 instructions
 - Average CPI for the program: 2.5 cycles/instruction.
 - CPU clock rate: 200 MHz.

What is the execution time for this program??

$$\begin{aligned}\text{CPU time} &= \text{Instruction count} \times \text{CPI} \times \text{Clock cycle Time} \\ &= 10,000,000 \times 2.5 \times 1 / \text{clock rate} \\ &= 10,000,000 \times 2.5 \times 5 \times 10^{-9} \\ &= 0.125 \text{ seconds}\end{aligned}$$

$$T = I \times \text{CPI} \times C$$

Aspects of CPU Execution Time

CPU Time = Instruction count executed x CPI x Clock cycle

$$T = I \times \text{CPI} \times C$$

Depends on:
Program Used
Compiler
ISA

Instruction Count I
(executed)

Depends on:
Program Used
Compiler
ISA
CPU
Organization

CPI
(Average
CPI)

Clock
Cycle
 C

Depends on:
CPU Organization
Technology (VLSI)

Factors Affecting CPU Performance

T_x	C	$=$	I	\times	CPI	
			Instruction Count		Cycles per Instruction	Clock Rate (1/C)
	Program					
	Compiler					
	Instruction Set Architecture (ISA)					
	Organization (CPU Design)					
	Technology (VLSI)					

$$T = I \times CPI \times C$$

Performance Comparison: Example

A Program is running on a specific machine (CPU) with the following parameters:

- Total executed instruction count, I: 10,000,000 instructions
- Average CPI for the program: 2.5 cycles/instruction.
- CPU clock rate: 200 MHz. Thus: $C = 1/(200 \times 10^6) = 5 \times 10^{-9}$ seconds
- Using the same program with these changes:
 - A new compiler used: New executed instruction count, I: 9,500,000
New CPI: 3.0
 - Faster CPU implementation: New clock rate = 300 MHz
- What is the speedup with the changes?

$$\text{Speedup} = \frac{\text{Old Execution Time}}{\text{New Execution Time}} = \frac{I_{\text{old}} \times \text{CPI}_{\text{old}} \times \text{Clock cycle}_{\text{old}}}{I_{\text{new}} \times \text{CPI}_{\text{new}} \times \text{Clock Cycle}_{\text{new}}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Speedup} &= (10,000,000 \times 2.5 \times 5 \times 10^{-9}) / (9,500,000 \times 3 \times 3.33 \times 10^{-9}) \\ &= .125 / .095 = 1.32 \\ &\text{or } 32 \% \text{ faster after changes.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Clock Cycle} = C = 1 / \text{Clock Rate}$$

$$T = I \times \text{CPI} \times C$$

Instruction Types & CPI

- Given a program with n types or classes of instructions executed on a given CPU with the following characteristics:

C_i = Count of instructions of type _{i}

CPI_i = Cycles per instruction for type _{i} $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$

Then:

Depends on CPU Design

$$CPI = \text{CPU Clock Cycles} / \text{Instruction Count } I$$

i.e average or effective
CPI

Execute
d

$$CPU \text{ clock cycles} = \sum_{i=1}^n (CPI_i \times C_i)$$

$$\text{Executed Instruction Count } I = \sum C_i$$

$$T = I \times CPI \times C$$

Instruction Types & CPI: An Example

- An instruction set has three instruction classes:

Instruction class	CPI
A	1
B	2
C	3

For a specific
CPU design

- Two code sequences have the following instruction counts:

Code Sequence	Instruction counts for instruction class		
	A	B	C
1	2	1	2
2	4	1	1

- CPU cycles for sequence 1 = $2 \times 1 + 1 \times 2 + 2 \times 3 = 10$ cycles

CPI for sequence 1 = clock cycles / instruction count

$$= 10 / 5 = 2$$

i.e average or effective
CPI

- CPU cycles for sequence 2 = $4 \times 1 + 1 \times 2 + 1 \times 3 = 9$ cycles

CPI for sequence 2 = $9 / 6 = 1.5$

$$CPU \text{ clock cycles} = \sum_{i=1}^n (CPI_i \times C_i)$$

$$CPI = CPU \text{ Cycles} /$$

Instruction Frequency & CPI

- Given a program with n types or classes of instructions with the following characteristics:

- C_i = Count of instructions of type i executed $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$
- CPI_i = Average cycles per instruction of type i
- F_i = Frequency or fraction of instruction type i executed
- $= C_i / \text{total executed instruction count} = C_i / I$

- Then:

Where: Executed Instruction Count $I = \sum C_i$

$$CPI = \sum_{i=1}^n (CPI_i \times F_i)$$

i.e average or effective
CPI

Fraction of total execution time for instructions of type $i = \frac{CPI_i \times F_i}{CPI}$

$$T = I \times CPI \times C$$

Instruction Type Frequency & CPI: A RISC Example

Program Profile or Executed Instructions Mix

Base Machine (Reg / Reg)

Depends on CPU
Design

$$\frac{CPI_i \times F_i}{CPI}$$

Op	Freq, F_i	CPI_i	$CPI_i \times F_i$	% Time
ALU	50%	1	.5	23% = .5/2.2
Load	20%	5	1.0	45% = 1/2.2
Store	10%	3	.3	14% = .3/2.2
Branch	20%	2	.4	18% = .4/2.2

Given

Typical Mix

Sum = 2.2

$$CPI = \sum_{i=1}^n (CPI_i \times F_i)$$

i.e average or effective
CPI

$$CPI = .5 \times 1 + .2 \times 5 + .1 \times 3 + .2 \times 2 = 2.2$$

$$= .5 + 1 + .3 + .4$$

$$T = I \times CPI \times C$$

Computer Performance Measures :

MIPS (Million Instructions Per Second) Rating

- For a specific program running on a specific CPU the MIPS rating is a measure of how many millions of instructions are executed per second:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{MIPS Rating} &= \text{Instruction count} / (\text{Execution Time} \times 10^6) \\ &= \text{Instruction count} / (\text{CPU clocks} \times \text{Cycle time} \times 10^6) \\ &= (\text{Instruction count} \times \text{Clock rate}) / (\text{Instruction count} \times \text{CPI} \times 10^6) \\ &= \text{Clock rate} / (\text{CPI} \times 10^6)\end{aligned}$$

- Major problem with MIPS rating: As shown above the MIPS rating does not account for the count of instructions executed (I).
 - A higher MIPS rating in many cases may not mean higher performance or better execution time. i.e. due to compiler design variations.
- In addition the MIPS rating:
 - Does not account for the instruction set architecture (ISA) used.
 - Thus it cannot be used to compare computers/CPU's with different instruction sets.
 - Easy to abuse: Program used to get the MIPS rating is often omitted.
 - Often the Peak MIPS rating is provided for a given CPU which is obtained using a program comprised entirely of instructions with the lowest CPI for the given CPU design which does not represent real programs.

$$T = I \times \text{CPI} \times C$$

Computer Performance Measures :

MIPS (Million Instructions Per Second) Rating

- Under what conditions can the MIPS rating be used to compare performance of different CPUs?
- The MIPS rating is only valid to compare the performance of different CPUs provided that the following conditions are satisfied:
 - 1 The same program is used
(actually this applies to all performance metrics)
 - 2 The same ISA is used
 - 3 The same compiler is used
- ⇒ (Thus the resulting programs used to run on the CPUs and obtain the MIPS rating are identical at the machine code level including the same instruction count)
(binary)

Compiler Variations, MIPS & Performance: An Example

- For a machine (CPU) with instruction classes:

Instruction class	CPI
A	1
B	2
C	3

- For a given high-level language program, two compilers produced the following executed instruction counts:

Code from:	Instruction counts (in millions) for each instruction class		
	A	B	C
Compiler 1	5	1	1
Compiler 2	10	1	1

- The machine is assumed to run at a clock rate of 100 MHz.

Compiler Variations, MIPS & Performance: An Example (Continued)

$$\text{MIPS} = \text{Clock rate} / (\text{CPI} \times 10^6) = 100 \text{ MHz} / (\text{CPI} \times 10^6)$$

$$\text{CPI} = \text{CPU execution cycles} / \text{Instructions count}$$

$$\text{CPU clock cycles} = \sum_{i=1}^n (\text{CPI}_i \times C_i)$$

$$\text{CPU time} = \text{Instruction count} \times \text{CPI} / \text{Clock rate}$$

- For compiler 1:
 - $\text{CPI}_1 = (5 \times 1 + 1 \times 2 + 1 \times 3) / (5 + 1 + 1) = 10 / 7 = 1.428$
 - $\text{MIPS Rating}_1 = 100 / (1.428 \times 10^6) = 70.0 \text{ MIPS}$
 - $\text{CPU time}_1 = ((5 + 1 + 1) \times 10^6 \times 1.428) / (100 \times 10^6) = 0.10 \text{ seconds}$
- For compiler 2:
 - $\text{CPI}_2 = (10 \times 1 + 1 \times 2 + 1 \times 3) / (10 + 1 + 1) = 15 / 12 = 1.25$
 - $\text{MIPS Rating}_2 = 100 / (1.25 \times 10^6) = 80.0 \text{ MIPS}$
 - $\text{CPU time}_2 = ((10 + 1 + 1) \times 10^6 \times 1.25) / (100 \times 10^6) = 0.15 \text{ seconds}$

MIPS rating indicates that compiler 2 is better
while in reality the code produced by compiler 1 is

faster

Computer Performance Measures :

MFLOPS (Million FLOating-Point Operations Per Second)

- A floating-point operation is an addition, subtraction, multiplication, or division operation applied to numbers represented by a single or a double precision floating-point representation.
- MFLOPS, for a specific program running on a specific computer, is a measure of millions of floating point-operation (megaflops) per second:

$$\text{MFLOPS} = \text{Number of floating-point operations} / (\text{Execution time} \times 10^6)$$

- MFLOPS rating is a better comparison measure between different machines (applies even if ISAs are different) than the MIPS rating.
 - Applicable even if ISAs are different
- Program-dependent: Different programs have different percentages of floating-point operations present. i.e compilers have no floating-point operations and yield a MFLOPS rating of zero.
- Dependent on the type of floating-point operations present in the program.
 - Peak MFLOPS rating for a CPU: Obtained using a program comprised entirely of the simplest floating point instructions (with the lowest CPI) for the given CPU design which does not represent real floating point programs.

Quantitative Principles of Computer Design

- Amdahl's Law:

The performance gain from improving some portion of a computer is calculated by:

i.e using some enhancement

$$\text{Speedup} = \frac{\text{Performance for entire task using the enhancement}}{\text{Performance for the entire task without using the enhancement}}$$

$$\text{or Speedup} = \frac{\text{Execution time without the enhancement}}{\text{Execution time for entire task using the enhancement}}$$

Here: Task =
Program

Recall: Performance = 1 / Execution Time

Performance Enhancement Calculations: Amdahl's Law

- Amdahl's Law:

$$\text{Speedup}(E) = \frac{\text{Execution Time without enhancement}}{\text{Execution Time with enhancement}}$$

- Suppose a program contains s portion of code which requires sequential execution and f portion of code can run in parallel fashion.
- We can write as $s=1-f$
- Suppose T be the execution time of program using single processor
- So, $T = T(1-f) + Tf$
- If n processor will be used,
- So, $T = T(1-f) + Tf / N$

$$\text{Speedup} = \frac{T(1-f) + Tf}{T(1-f) + \frac{Tf}{N}} = \frac{1}{(1-f) + \frac{f}{N}}$$

Pictorial Depiction of Amdahl's Law

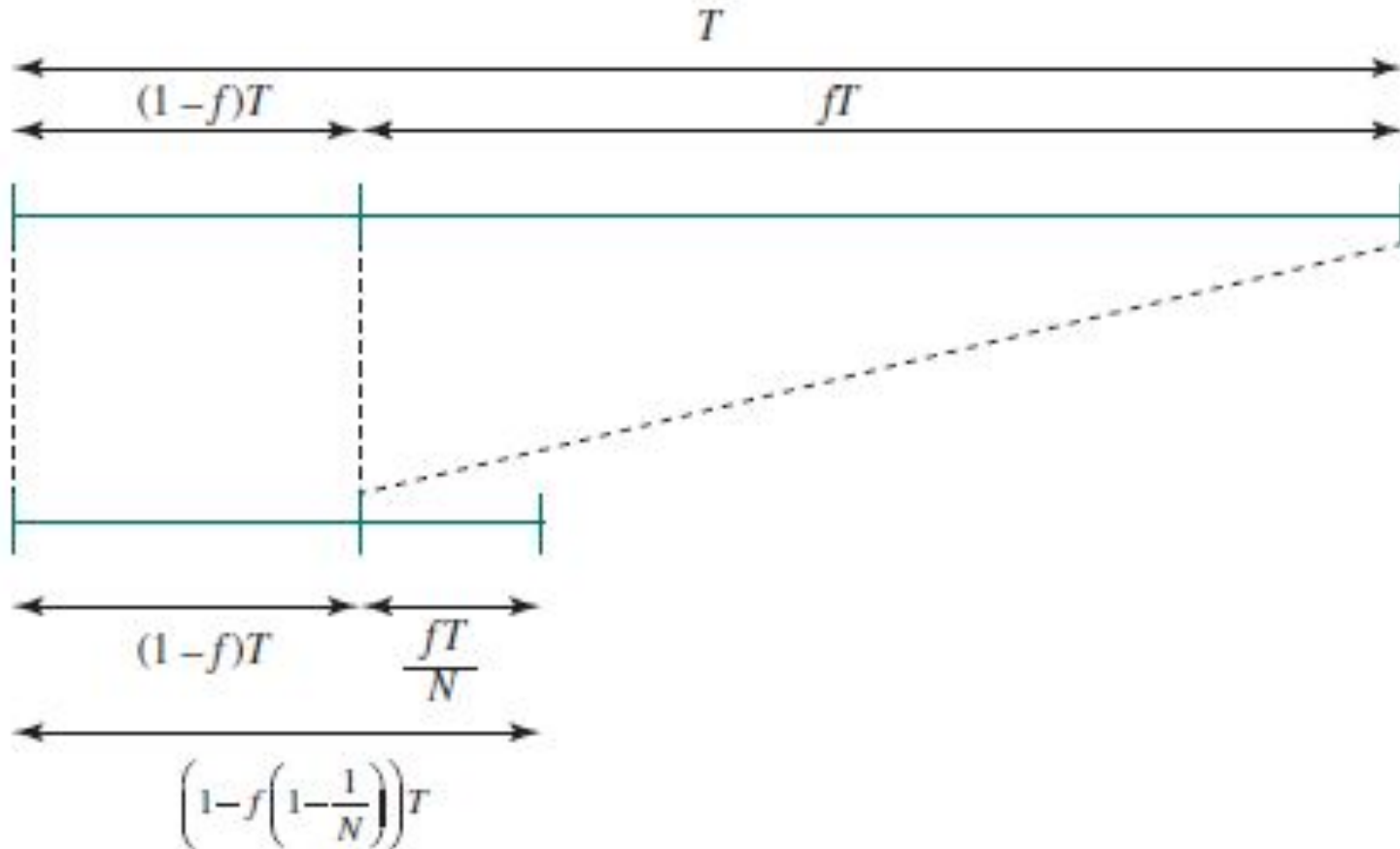
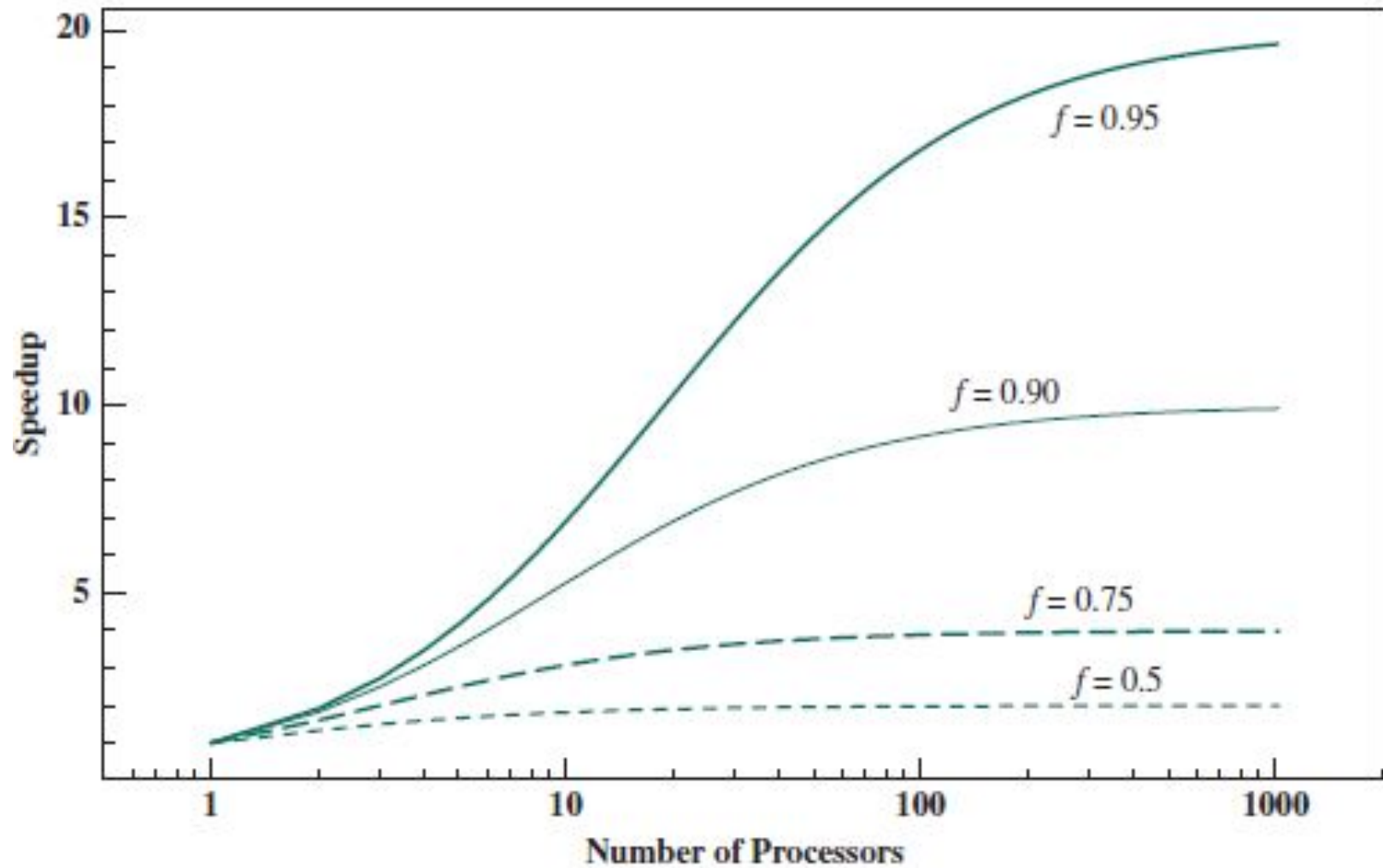


Illustration of Amdahl's Law [5]



Amdahl's Law for Multiprocessors [5]

Example

- Suppose that a task makes extensive use of floating-point operations, with 40% of the time consumed by floating-point operations. With a new hardware design, the floating-point module is speed up by a factor of 4. *Find overall Speedup?*
- *Solution: Floating point operation = 0.4*
- *Non floating point operation = $1 - 0.4 = 0.6$*
- *Speedup = $1 / (0.6 + 0.4/4) = 1.42$*

Performance Enhancement Example

- For the RISC machine with the following instruction mix given earlier:

OP	Freq	Cycles	CPI(i)	% Time	
ALU	50%	1	.5	23%	$\frac{CPI_i \times F_i}{CPI}$
Load	20%	5	1.0	45%	
Store	10%	3	.3	14%	
Branch	20%	2	.4	18%	

CPI = 2.2

- If a CPU design enhancement improves the CPI of load instructions from 5 to 2, what is the resulting performance improvement from this enhancement:

Fraction enhanced = $F = 45\%$ or $.45$

Unaffected fraction = $1 - F = 100\% - 45\% = 55\%$ or $.55$

Factor of enhancement = $S = 5/2 = 2.5$

Using Amdahl's Law:

$$\text{Speedup}(E) = \frac{1}{(1 - F) + F/S} = \frac{1}{.55 + .45/2.5} = 1.37$$

An Alternative Solution Using CPU Equation

Op	Freq	Cycles	CPI(i)	% Time
ALU	50%	1	.5	23%
Load	20%	5	1.0	45%
Store	10%	3	.3	14%
Branch	20%	2	.4	18%

$$\text{CPI} = 2.2$$

- If a CPU design enhancement improves the CPI of load instructions from 5 to 2, what is the resulting performance improvement from this enhancement:

$$\text{Old CPI} = 2.2$$

New CPI of load is now 2 instead of 5

$$\text{New CPI} = .5 \times 1 + .2 \times 2 + .1 \times 3 + .2 \times 2 = 1.6$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Speedup}(E) &= \frac{\text{Original Execution Time}}{\text{New Execution Time}} = \frac{\text{Instruction count} \times \text{old CPI} \times \text{clock cycle}}{\text{Instruction count} \times \text{new CPI} \times \text{clock cycle}} \\ &= \frac{\text{old CPI}}{\text{new CPI}} = \frac{2.2}{1.6} = 1.37 \end{aligned}$$

Which is the same speedup obtained from Amdahl's Law in the first solution.

$$T = I \times \text{CPI} \times C$$

Performance Enhancement Example

- A program runs in 100 seconds on a machine with multiply operations responsible for 80 seconds of this time. By how much must the speed of multiplication be improved to make the program four times faster?

$$\text{Speedup}(E) = \frac{1}{(1 - F) + F/S} = 4 = \frac{1}{(1 - .8) + .8/S} = \frac{1}{.2 + .8/s}$$

Solving for S gives S=

16

Hence multiplication should be 16 times faster to get an overall speedup of 4.

Performance Enhancement Example

- For the previous example with a program running in 100 seconds on a machine with multiply operations responsible for 80 seconds of this time. By how much must the speed of multiplication be improved to make the program five times faster?

$$\text{Speedup} = 1 / (0.2 + (0.8/K))$$

$$5 = 1 / (0.2 + (0.8/K))$$

$$K + 4 = K$$

$$4 = 0$$

No amount of multiplication speed improvement can achieve this.

Extending Amdahl's Law To Multiple Enhancements

n enhancements each affecting a different portion of execution time

- Suppose that enhancement E_i accelerates a fraction F_i of the original execution time by a factor S_i and the remainder of the time is unaffected then:

$i = 1, 2, \dots$

n

$$\text{Speedup} = \frac{\text{Original Execution Time}}{\left((1 - \sum_i F_i) + \sum_i \frac{F_i}{S_i} \right) \times \text{Original Execution Time}}$$

Unaffected
fraction

$$\text{Speedup} = \frac{1}{\left((1 - \sum_i F_i) + \sum_i \frac{F_i}{S_i} \right)}$$

What if the fractions given are after the enhancements were applied?
How would you solve the problem?
(i.e. find expression for speedup)

Note: All fractions F_i refer to original execution time before the enhancements are applied.

Amdahl's Law With Multiple Enhancements: Example

- Three CPU performance enhancements are proposed with the following speedups and percentage of the code execution time affected:

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{Speedup}_1 = S_1 = 10 & \text{Percentage}_1 = F_1 = 20\% \\ \text{Speedup}_2 = S_2 = 15 & \text{Percentage}_2 = F_2 = 15\% \\ \text{Speedup}_3 = S_3 = 30 & \text{Percentage}_3 = F_3 = 10\% \end{array}$$

- While all three enhancements are in place in the new design, each enhancement affects a different portion of the code and only one enhancement can be used at a time.
- What is the resulting overall speedup?

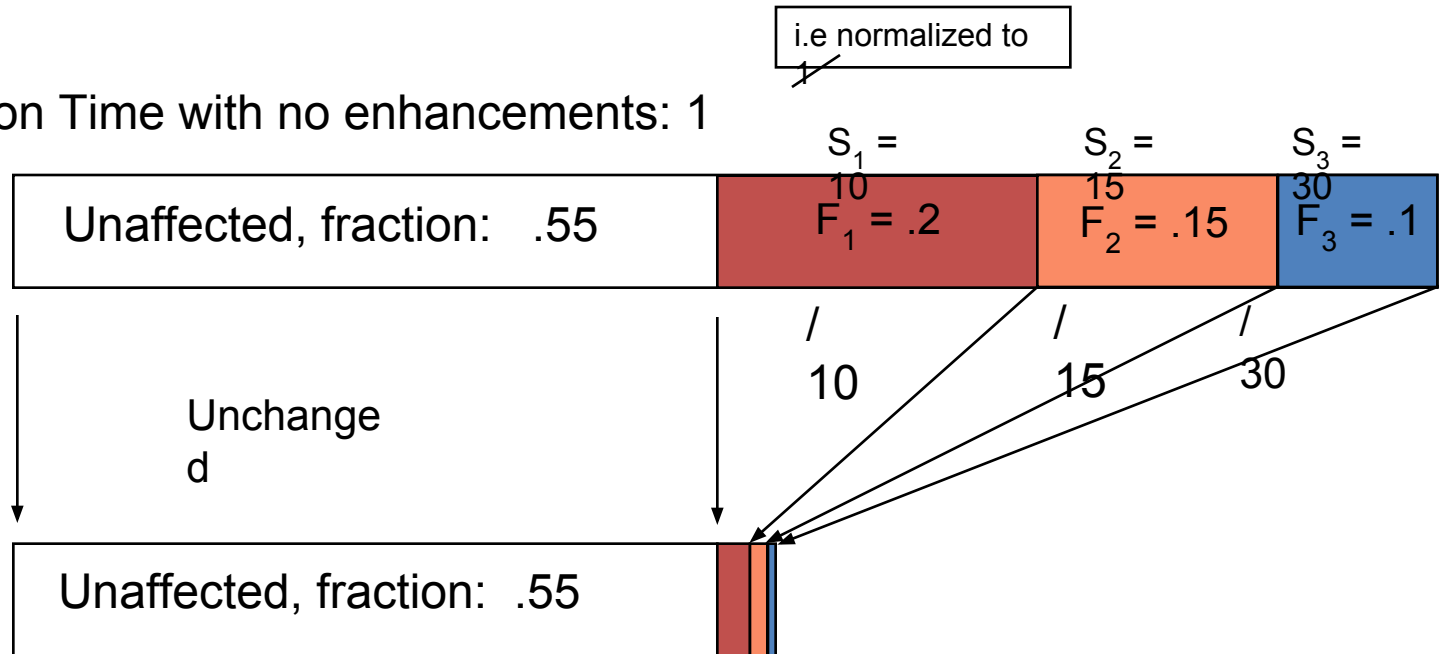
$$\text{Speedup} = \frac{1}{\left((1 - \sum_i F_i) + \sum_i \frac{F_i}{S_i} \right)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Speedup} &= 1 / [(1 - .2 - .15 - .1) + .2/10 + .15/15 + .1/30] \\ &= 1 / [.55 + .0333] \\ &= 1 / .5833 = 1.71 \end{aligned}$$

Pictorial Depiction of Example

Before:

Execution Time with no enhancements: 1



After:

Execution Time with enhancements: $.55 + .02 + .01 + .00333 = .5833$

Speedup = $1 / .5833 = 1.71$

What if the fractions given are after the enhancements were applied?
How would you solve the problem?

Note: All fractions F_i refer to original execution time.

That's all for now...



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