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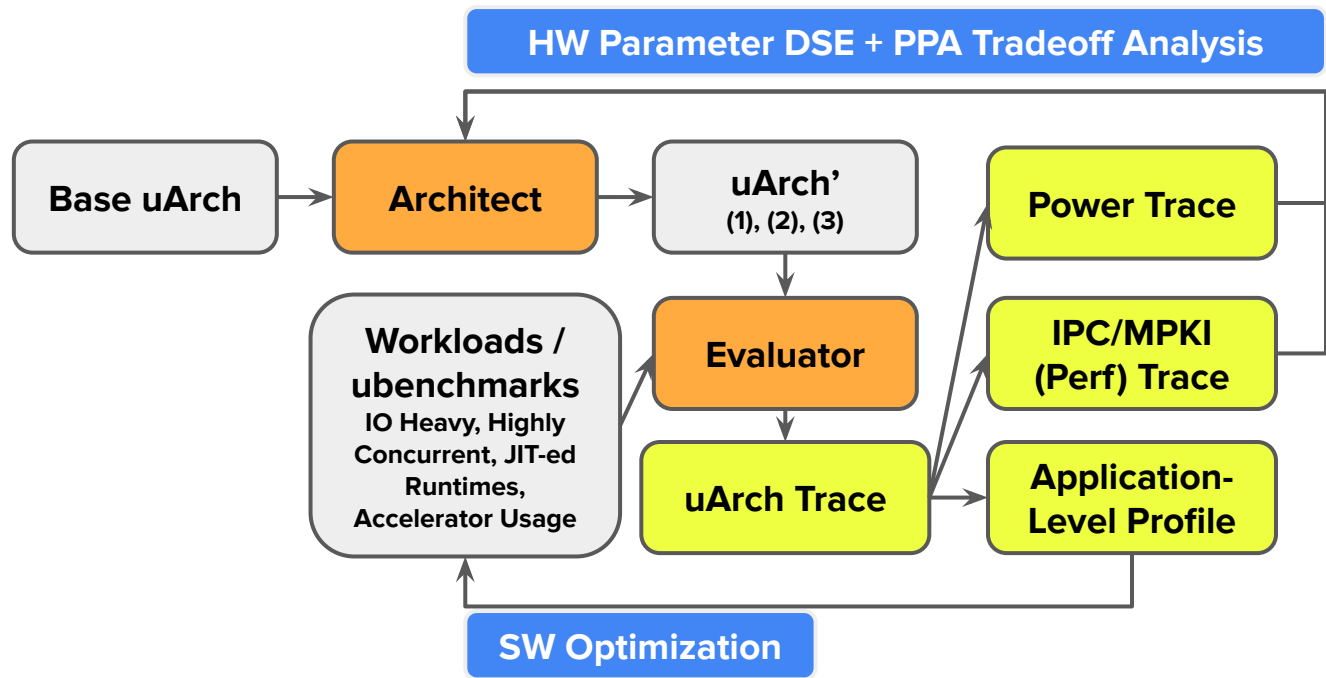
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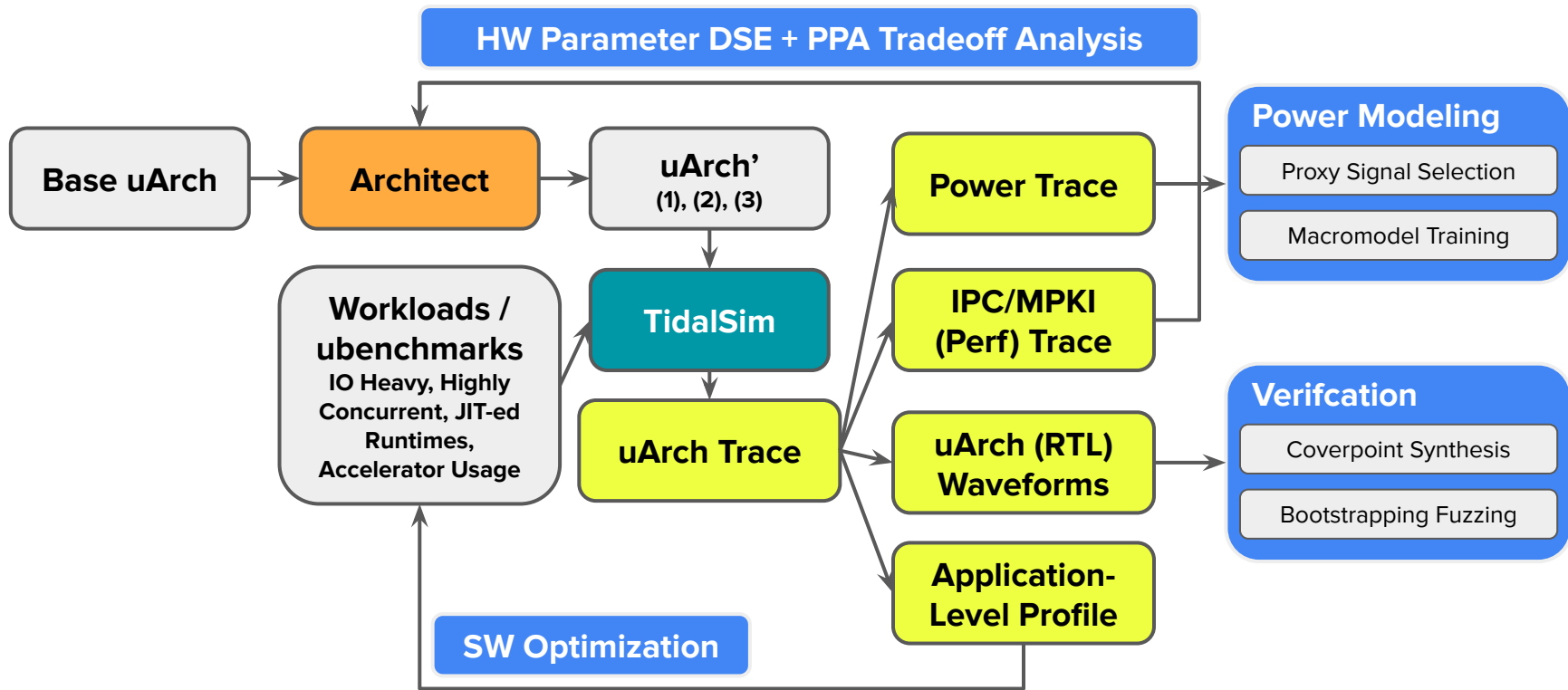


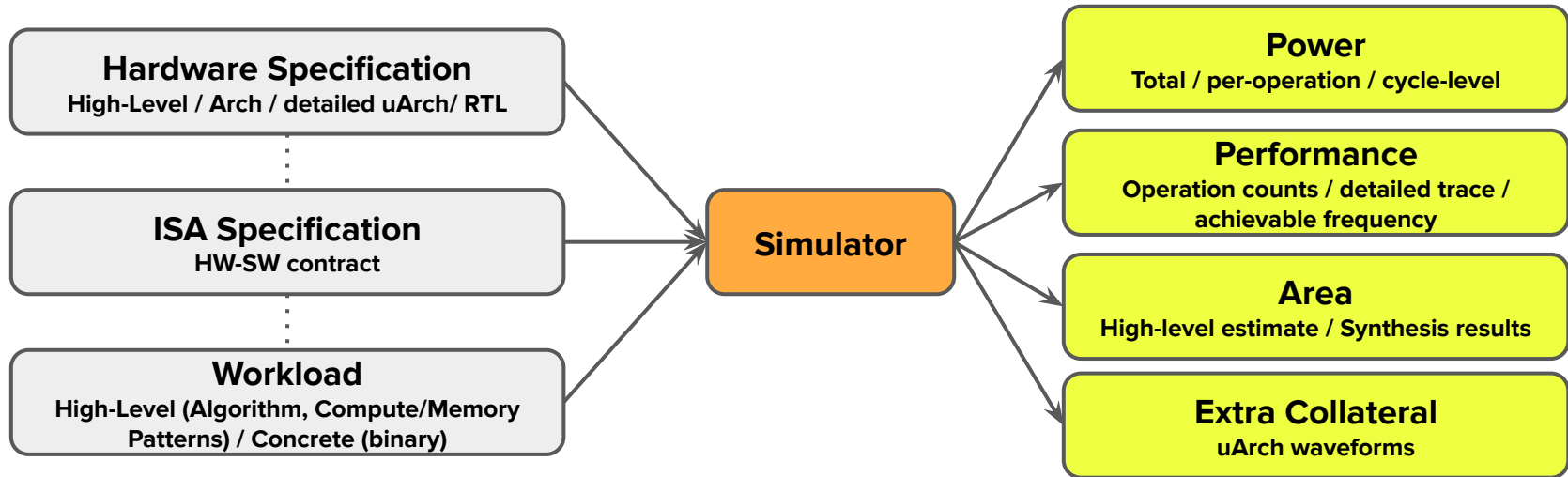
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⋮				

4B cache lines, 2-way set associative, 16 sets, write allocate, LRU eviction

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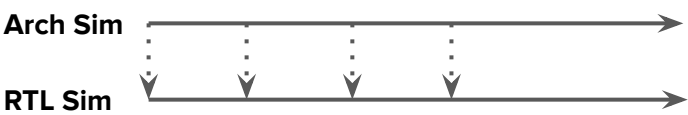




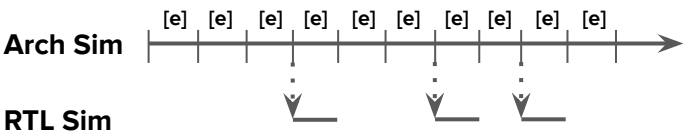




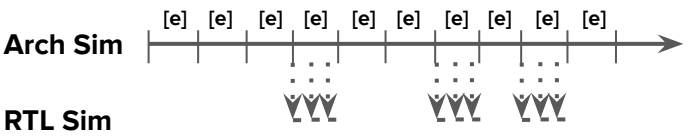
Full RTL Sim



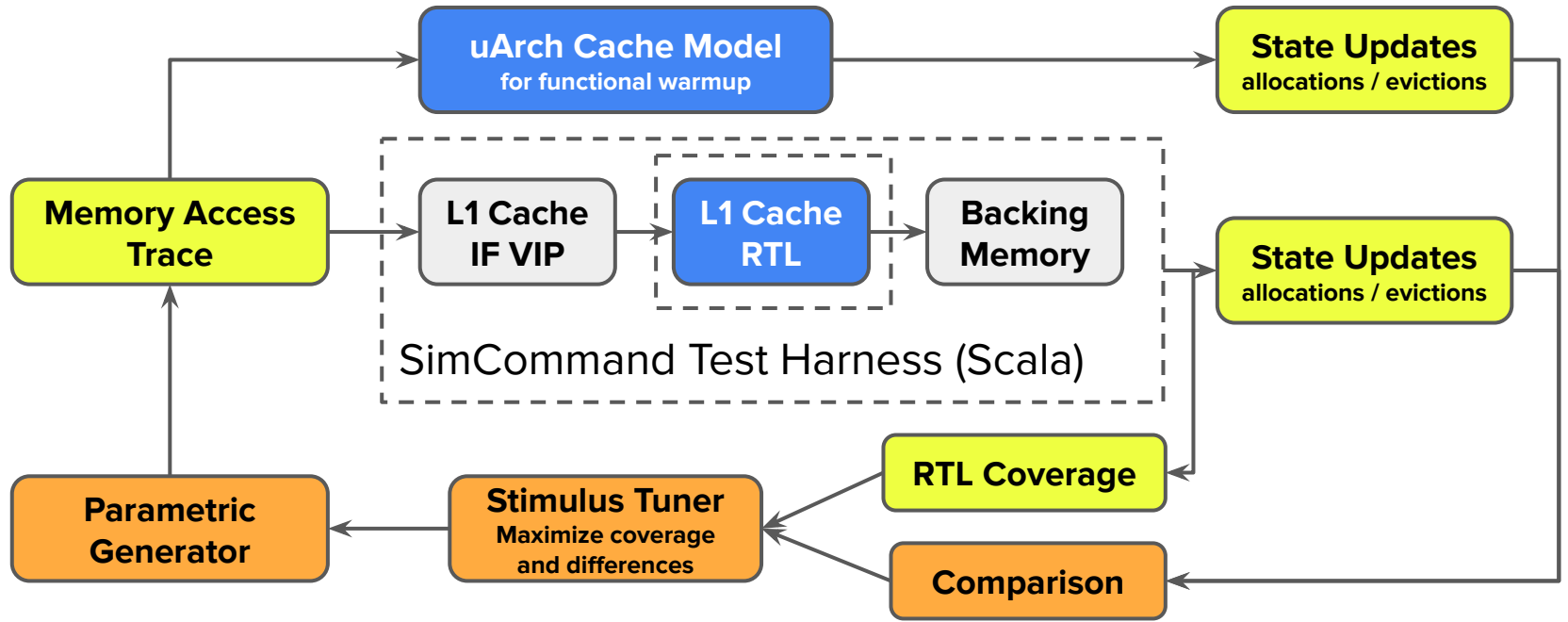
**Parallel RTL Sim Dispatch
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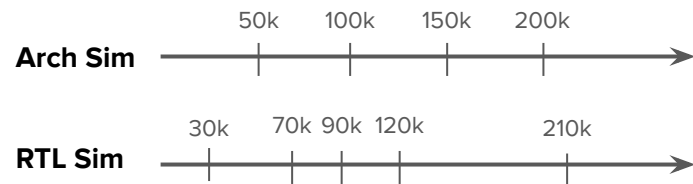
Representative Sampling



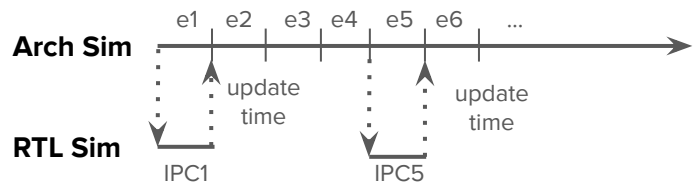
**Representative Sampling
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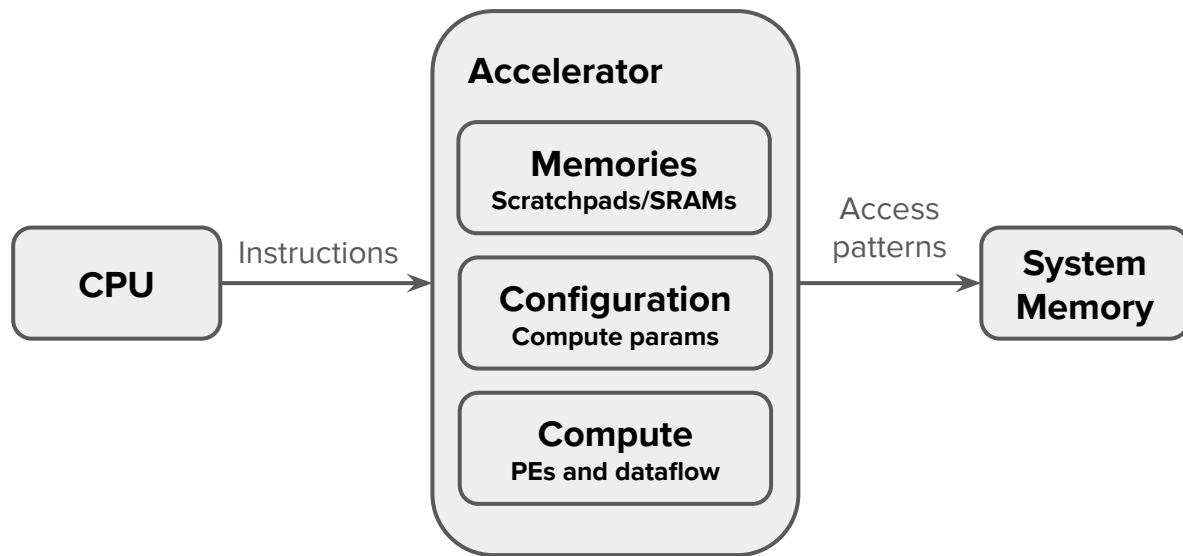
**Timer interrupt points by
dynamic instruction count**



**RTL and Arch sim
increasingly drift out of sync!**



**Use feedback from RTL sim
to arch sim to estimate time
advancement via embedding
similarity**



Architecture Design

Performance Modeling

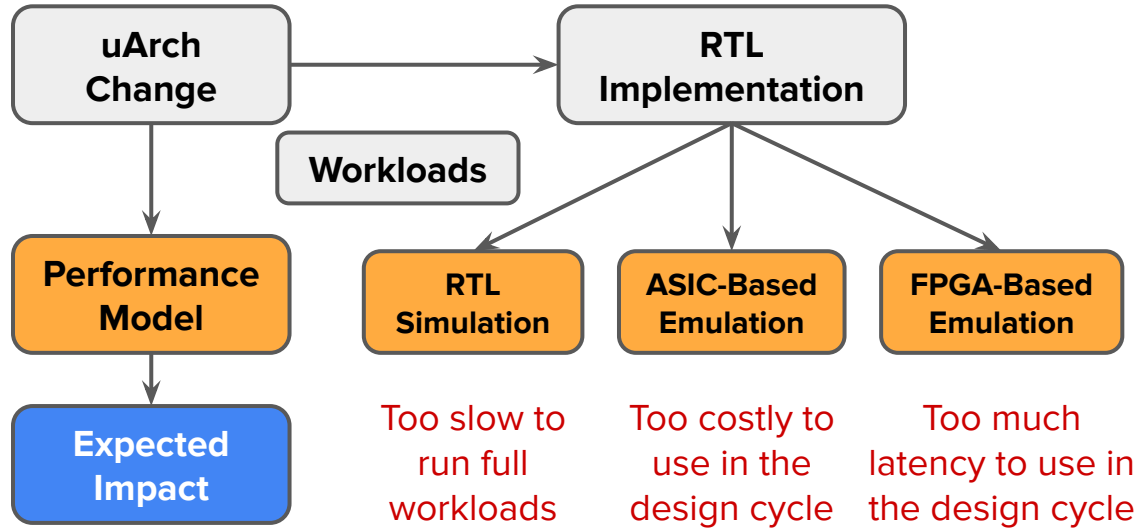
RTL Implementation

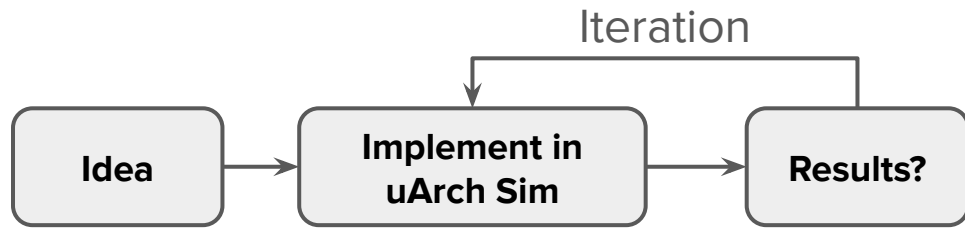
Verification

**Need to validate performance
impact of RTL changes**



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graph TD; AD[Architecture Design] --- PM[Performance Modeling]; PM --- RI[RTL Implementation]; RI --- V[Verification]; RI -- orange arrow --> Note[Need to validate performance impact of RTL changes];
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uArch simulators
are untrustworthy
and have
unbounded
modeling errors



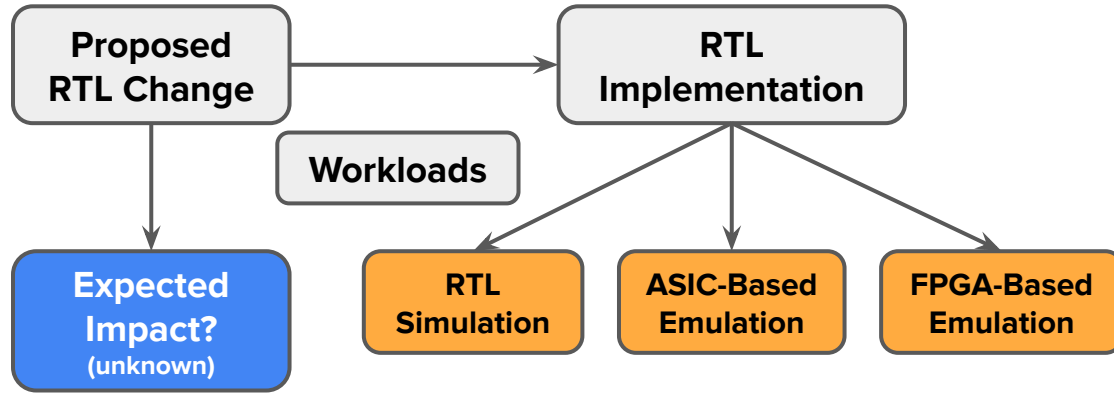
Small teams can't
afford to allocate
people to
performance
modeling

Architecture

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RTL Design

Verification



Too slow to run
full workloads

Cost-constrained teams may
not have these options

