

Press and Analyst Briefing

Intel[®] Xeon[™] processor MP 3.0 GHz 4M iL3 cache

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Agenda

What's new today

 Intel[®] Xeon[™] processor MP 3GHz with 4M of L3 cache

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 Success with Intel Xeon processor
 MP-based platforms

Summary



Competitive Strategy: Beyond Processors



Intel Platforms: Spanning the Enterprise

WORKSTATION (CLIENT)	S FRONT TIER (EDGE)	MID TIER (ENTERPRISE)	BACK END (DATABASES)	HIGH PERFORMANCE COMPUTING	
		PRO	INTEL ITANIUM [®] 2 PROCESSOR FAMILY		
INTEL [®] XEON PROCESSOR	™ FAMILY	Intel [®] Xeon [™] processor MP 3 GHz/4M		Intel [®] Xeon™ Processor Family	
Attribute	Intel [®] Xeon [™] Processor- Platform	Based Inte	l [®] Itanium [®] 2 Proces tform	sor-Based	
Performance	Optimized for workgroup, workstation, web & IA-32 apps		Optimized for largest enterprise, database & technical computing workloads		
RAS	Reliable data integrit	y RIS	SC / mainframe rep	olacement	
Physical Addressing	Up to 1 Terabyte of a memory	ddressable Up of a	to 1 Petabyte (100 addressable mem	00 Terabytes) ory	
Platform	High performance & balanced platform bandwidth		High bus bandwidths, scalability and platform longevity		

Intel strategy: optimized architectures for server and workstation solutions

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Server Platform Summary: Intel[®] Xeon[™] Processor MP Introducing 3 GHz/4M, 2.7 GHz/2M, 2.2 GHz/2M

- Outstanding performance & price/perf for enterprise application tier
 - Up to 25% perf gain vs. Intel Xeon processor MP 2.8 GHz/2M¹
 - Improved price/performance with same platforms
- Ideal platform for application consolidations
 - Thousands of mid-tier apps for ERP, SCM, Biz Intelligence, & CRM
 - Greater choice of Operating systems vs. RISC
 - Solution breadth enables faster TTM
- Stable, Evolutionary platform
 - Compatible with today's Intel Xeon processor MP-based platforms
 - Leading RAS capabilities on MP platforms
 - Available from leading OEMs and solution providers

1) Intel® Xeon™ processors 2.0GHz with 2/BL3 cache in an Intel® SSH4-based server with 4GB of main memory, Microsoft* .NET Server 2003 Enterprise Edition, Microsoft* SQL Server* 2000 Enterprise Edition.
 2) Intel® Xeon™ processors 2.0GHz with 2/BL3 cache in an Intel® SSH4-based server with 4GB of main memory, Microsoft* Windows* 2000 Datcenter Edition, Microsoft* SQL Server* 2000 Enterprise Edition.
 3) Intel® Xeon™ processors 2.0GHz with 2/BL3 cache in an Intel® SSH4-based server with 4GB of main memory, Microsoft* Windows* 2000 Datcenter Edition, Microsoft* SQL Server* 2000 Enterprise Edition.
 3) Intel® Xeon™ processors 2.0GHz with 2/BL3 cache in an Intel® SSH4-based server with 6GB of main memory, Microsoft* .NET Server 2003 Enterprise Edition, Microsoft* SQL Server* 2000 Enterprise Edition, Pro1000 Intel® Gigabit NIC, 1 QL2200 FiberChannel* disk adapter.

4) Intel® XeonTM processors 2.0GHz with 2MB L3 cache in an Intel® SSH4-based server with 4GB of main memory, Microsoft* .NET Server 2003 Enterprise Edition, JRockit Juno 1447_2002017 Paceliae action princes, Dana paceline planue averantitie Intel® (SSH4-based server with 4GB of main memory, Microsoft*.NET Server 2003 Enterprise Edition, JRockit Juno 1447_2002017

baseline conligurations: Same as each above except with Intel® Xeon*** processor MP 1.6 GHz with The



Source: Intel Corporation (Sep, 2002). Comparisons based on Intel internal measurements w/pre-production hardware

Value of Intel[®] Xeon[™] processor MP investment protection



- Significant platform performance gains over time
- Up to 25% gains over 2.8/2M
- Strong industry support & benchmark publications at launch

Intel[®] Xeon[™] Processor MP Platform Performance Increased Over 2X In 2 Years

Performance tests and ratings are measured using specific computer systems and/or components and reflect the approximate performance of Intel products as measured by those tests. Any difference in system hardware or software design or configuration may affect actual performance. Buyers should consult other sources of information to evaluate the performance of systems or components they are considering purchasing. For more information on performance tests and on the performance of Intel products, visit http://www.intel.com/performance/resources/limits.htm or call (U.S.) 1-800-628-8686 or 1-916-356-3104. 1:2:3:4:5:6 System Configuration Details in Backup

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Enterprise Modular Computing Highlighting the New 4-way Compute Blade

- Foundation architecture for Utility/ Grid /Autonomic computing
 - Strong end-user TCO benefits
 - Robust networking and storage ecosystem offerings



- Intel extending modular blade offerings with new building blocks
 - Intel[®] Server Compute Blade SBX44
 - Accommodates up to 4 Intel[®] Xeon[™] processors MP



Intel driving blades as a key vehicle for delivering new IA platform capabilities



Intel[®] Xeon[™] Processor MP End-User Success

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Replacing RISC & enabling server consolidation... Across Vertical Markets and Geographies



Why Thomson Chose Intel and Unisys

- Thomson Financial performed one of the largest migrations in industry history
 - Grew Thomson ONE Analytics from 500 to 55,000 users in months
 - Transformed static data to integrated workflow
 - Required flawless scalability and reliability
- Intel and Unisys met needs
 - From a business perspective, Intel delivered TCO & agility
 - Technically, we saw Intel as ready for the enterprise
 - Unisys showed sustainable ability to lead on high end Windows
 - Both demonstrated they could be effective business partners





Business Description

ABCD Company. The Group's principal activities are the exploration, development, production and marketing of oil and gas. It operates in three segments: oil and gas operation, marketing and minerals. Oil and Gas segment finds and produces natural gas, crude oil, condensate and natural gas liquids. The Marketing segment is responsible for selling natural gas production as well as purchased volumes of third-party gas and oil. The Minerals segment finds and produces minerals in several coal, industrial minerals and trona (natural soda ash) mines. The Group's major areas of operations are located in the United States, primarily in Texas, Louisiana, the mid-continent and Rocky Mountain regions, Alaska, Gulf of Mexico, Canada, Algeria, Guatemala, Venezuela and other international areas. On 06-Dec-2002, the Group acquired Howell Corporation. Oil and Gas exploration and production accounted for 95% of 2002 revenues; Marketing and Trading, 4%, Minerals, 1% and Other, nominal.





	2001	2002
Sales (Mil)	8,369	3,860
Operating Income (Mil)	2,228	1,478
Net Income (Mil)	-176	831
Total Assets (Mil)	16,771	18,248
Total Liabilities (Mil)	10,406	11,276
EBITDA (Mil)	-298	1,410
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	/25/03 — ABCD Q1 2003 Financial Release	4
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Markets



- "Scale up" approach for consolidation and simplicity
- Web/application tier has 12 servers each with 2 Intel[®] Xeon[™] processors
 - Intel's high clock speeds are a distinct advantage
- Data tier provides near real time response
 - Application is extremely demanding on the databases
 - Cluster of two ES7000 each with 16 Xeon processors MP
 - One ES7000 with 8 Intel Itanium[®] 2 processors for memory-intensive application querying 5 years worth of investment management research





Results

- 100x in users with faster speed while adding features
- 400% faster speed
- 100% uptime

Plans

- T1A: Thomson Financial is planning to deploy the new Intel Xeon processors MP at 3GHz with 4M iL3 cache within 3 months – planning on 20% faster speed
- Portfolio analysis and portfolio management

Results as reported by customer. Intel has not verified these results. Results may not be representative and may vary. Buyers should consult other sources of information to evaluate the performance of systems or components they are considering purchasing.



Summary

- Today, Intel launching new Intel[®] Xeon[™] processor MP 3.0 GHz with 4M of iL3 cache
 - Up to 25+% performance increase
 - -Common platform provides stability to IT

 Thomson Financial very successful with Intel Xeon processor MP-based platforms



Back-up



Pricing/Availability

Intel[®] Xeon[™] processor MP SKUs available March 2, 2004
- 3.0 GHz/4M \$3,692*
- 2.7 GHz/2M \$1,980*
- 2.2 GHz/2M \$1,177*

*Pricing listed when purchased in quantities of 1,000





Thomson Financial Intel[®] Architecture Deployment (background)

- Two clustered 16 way Intel[®] Xeon[™] processor MP-based Unisys ES7000 platforms

 Containing 6 months of historical data
- One 8-way Itanium 2-based Unisys ES7000 platform
 Containing over 5 years of historical data
- Running Thomson ONE Analytics, an integrated research and analytical application that offers world class content for large investment community
- Microsoft SQL, Windows DataCenter 2000



Scalability Advantages of Intel[®] Xeon[™] Processor MP with Sybase* Adaptive Server Enterprise* on Linux

- 50% greater transaction throughput on Intel[®] Xeon[™] processor MP platform
- Sybase ASE on Linux on scales on IA
- The Xeon[™] MP provides additional capacity and headroom

 The Financial Fusion simulated workload is a proprietary application created by Financial Fusion, Inc. for performance testing with database servers. This simulated workload is not commercially available.
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Sybase ASE on Linux Database Scaling



Performance Relative to Xeon DP

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IA-32 Server and Workstation Platform Roadmap '04-'05



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Performance System Configuration Details and Disclaimers



- TPC-C*: Four Intel® Xeon™ processors MP 3.0GHz with 4MB L3 cache in an IBM eServer* xSeries* 365 server with 32GB main memory, Microsoft Windows* Server 2003 Enterprise Edition, Microsoft SQL Server 2000 Enterprise Edition SP3. Referenced as published: 102,667.42 tpmC; \$3.52/tpmC; System available March 31, 2004**
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- SAP R/3*: Eight Intel® Xeon™ processors MP 3.0GHz with 4MB L3 cache in an IBM xSeries 445 Model 8870-42X, 8-way SMP with 16GB main memory, Microsoft Windows* Server 2003 Datacenter, DB2 UDB 8.1. For more information, see www.sap.com/benchmark
 - Baseline: Eight Intel® Xeon[™] processors MP 2.8GHz with 2MB L3 cache in an IBM eServer* xSeries* 445 server with 16GB main memory, Microsoft Windows* Server 2003 Enterprise Edition, DB2 UDB 8.1.
- SPECjbb2000*: Four Intel® Xeon™ processor MP 3.0GHz with 4MB L3 cache in a Dell PowerEdge 6600, 4GB main memory, Microsoft* Windows* 2000 Advanced Server (SP3), BEA Weblogic* JRockit* 1.4.2_03 32-bit JVM
 - Baseline: Four Intel® Xeon[™] processor MP 2.8GHz with 2MB L3 cache in a Dell PowerEdge 6650, 4GB main memory, Microsoft* Windows* 2000 Advanced Server (SP3), BEA WebLogic JRockit 32-bit JVM
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