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UDMA

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- Hardware/Software architecture
 - Unified Model
 - UDMA instruction
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 - Communication packet
- Single SoC-FPGA based system
 - Test Application

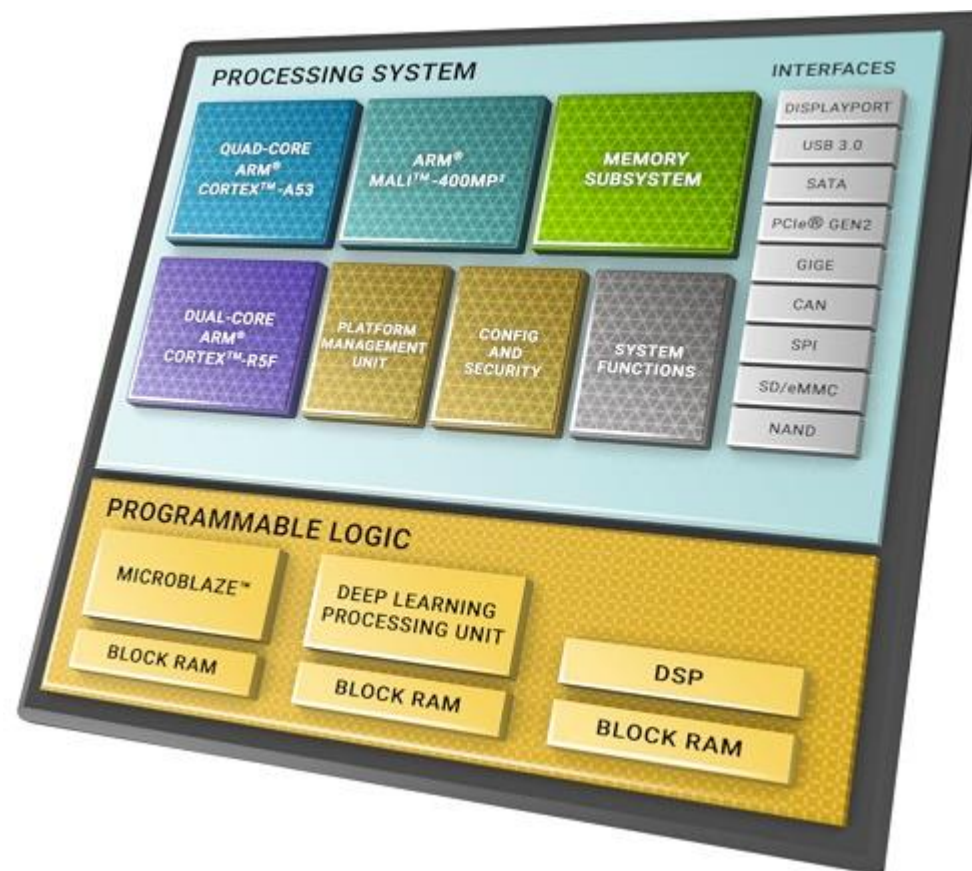
Introduction

SoC-FPGA

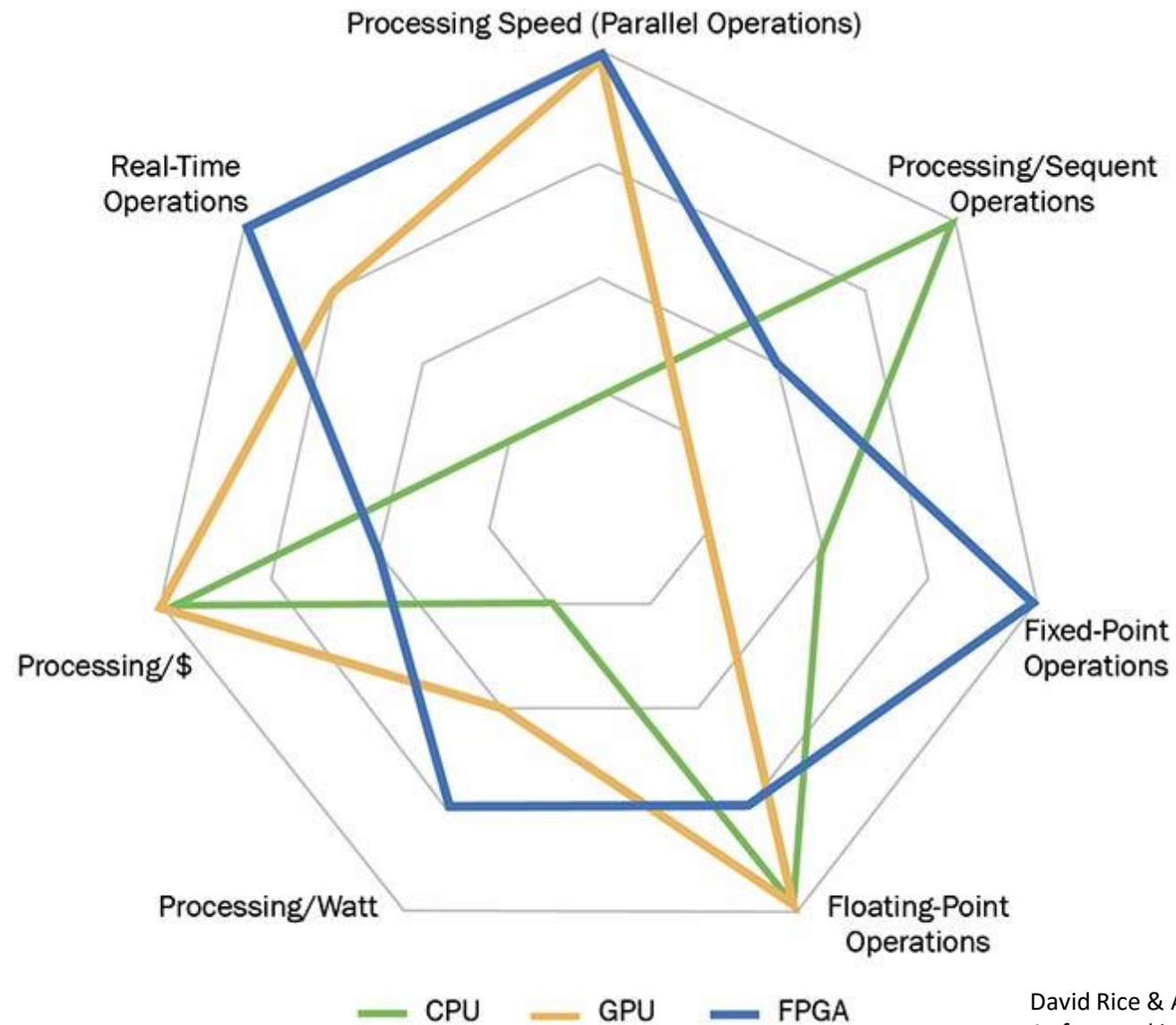
- Multi-core processors
- DSPs
- FPGA fabric
- GPU

High level of complexity and integration

Great computational potential

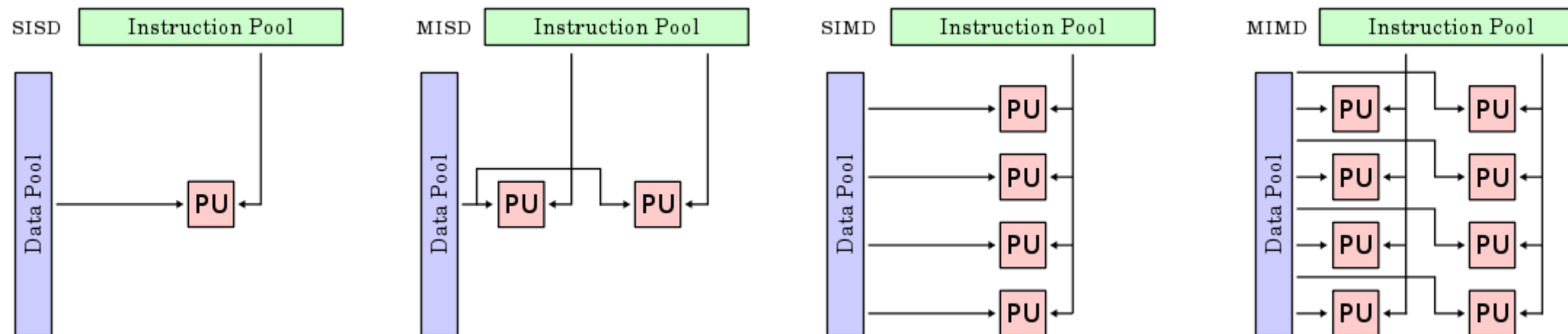


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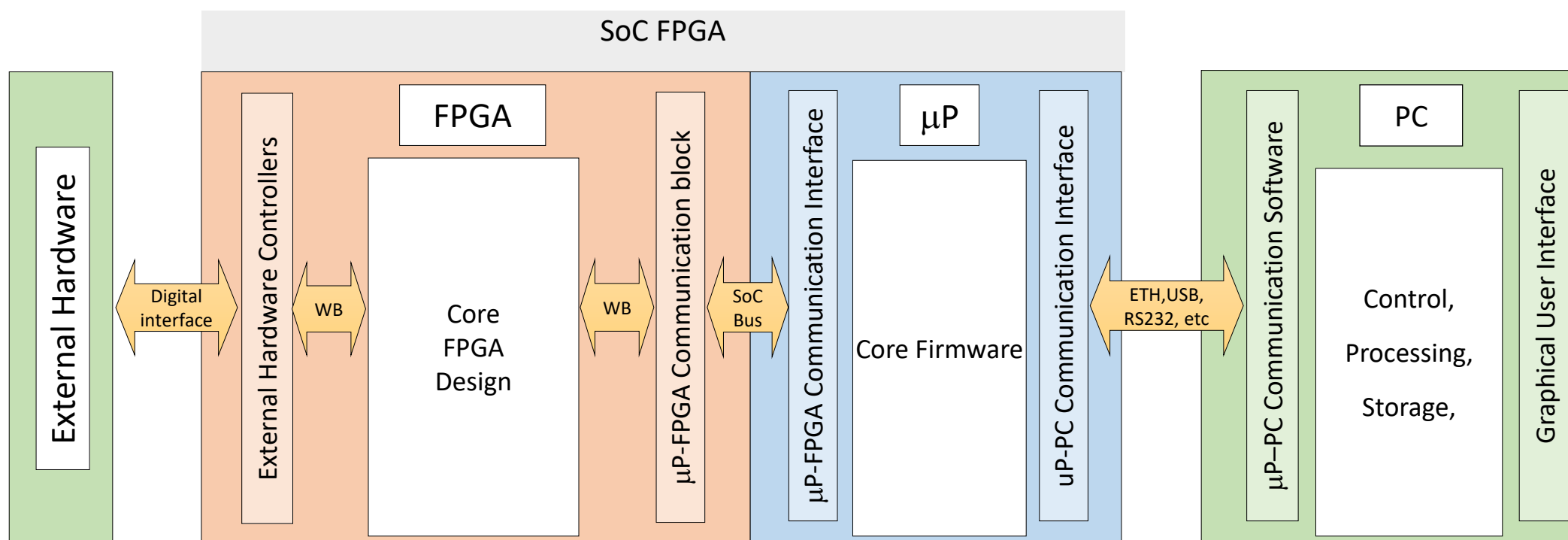


David Rice & Amber Thousand, Critical Link
As featured in the July 2019 issue of Photonics Spectra magazine.

Architecture Categorization



Unified Model



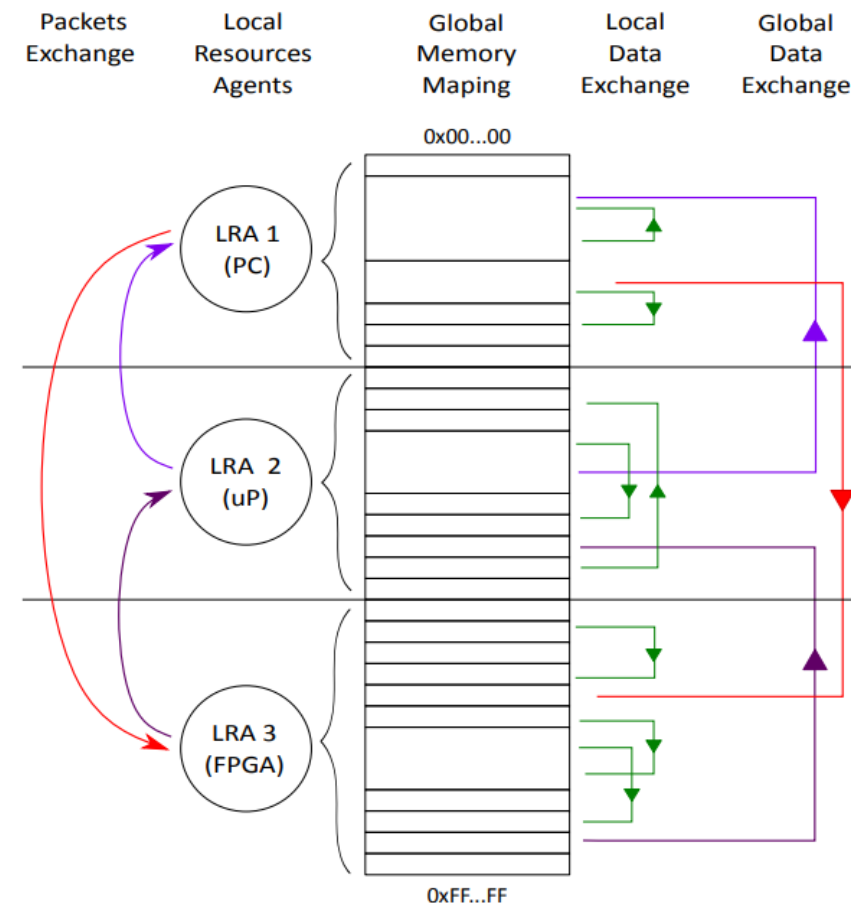
UDMA Instruction

- Describes the movement of data from one place to another of the global system

$$\textit{udma} \quad \langle \textit{source address} \rangle \langle \textit{destination address} \rangle \\ \langle \textit{src.inc.} \rangle \langle \textit{dst.inc} \rangle N$$

Local Resource Agent

- Global memory map beyond a single device
- Direct and exclusive access to one memory domain
- Exchange data among them by means of packets

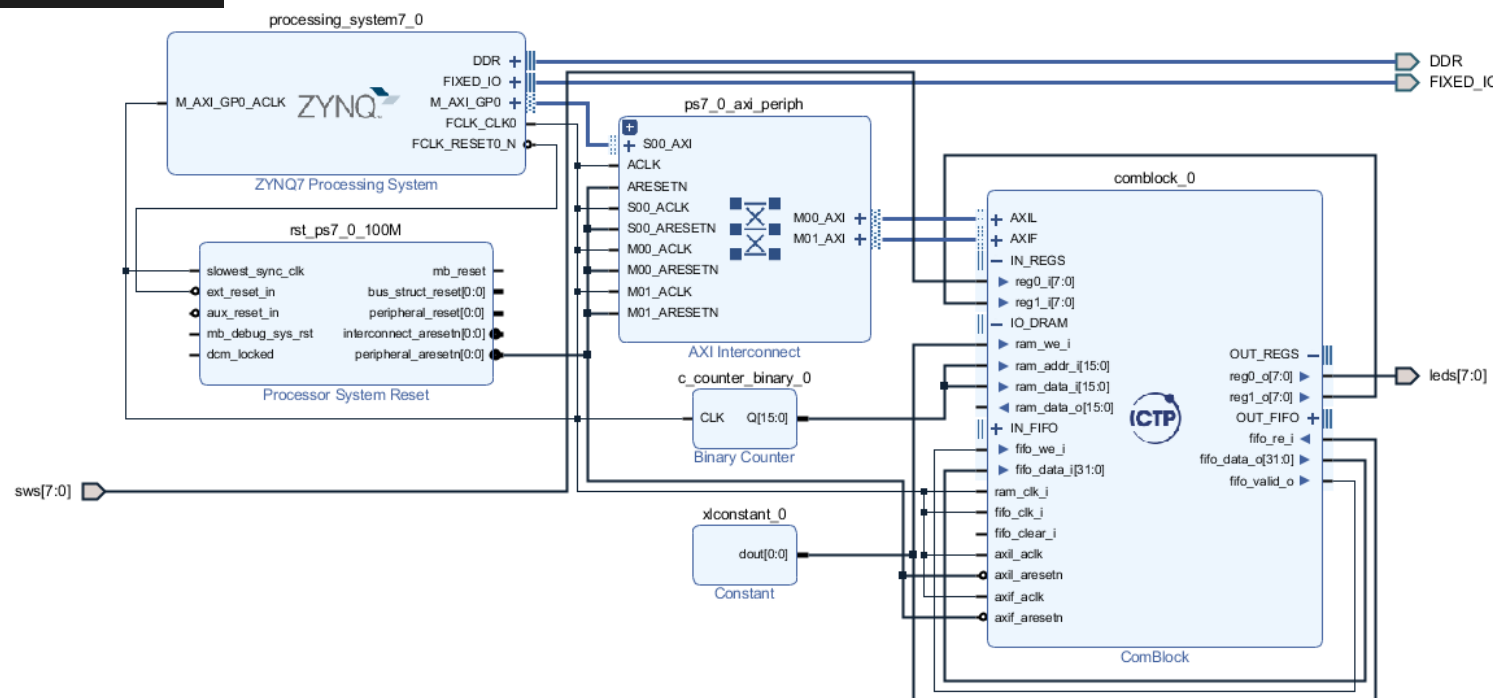


Test Application

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This CLI application is the first edition of the UDMA on Cmd2.
Use -h or --help for more information.
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Writing data in the ComBlock from
PC using Python UDMA CLI





Thanks for your attention

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