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NAME OF THE DEPARTMENT: COMPUTER SCIENCE

SUBJECT : COMPUTER ORGANIZATION AND ARCHITECTURE

TOPIC : COMPUTER EVOLUTION

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ENIAC - background

- Electronic Numerical Integrator And Computer
- Eckert and Mauchly
- University of Pennsylvania
- Trajectory tables for weapons
- Started 1943
- Finished 1946
 - Too late for war effort
- Used until 1955

ENIAC - details

- Decimal (not binary)
- 20 accumulators of 10 digits
- Programmed manually by switches
- 18,000 vacuum tubes
- 30 tons
- 15,000 square feet
- 140 kW power consumption
- 5,000 additions per second

Commercial Computers

- 1947 - Eckert-Mauchly Computer Corporation
- UNIVAC I (Universal Automatic Computer)
- US Bureau of Census 1950 calculations
- Became part of Sperry-Rand Corporation
- Late 1950s - UNIVAC II
 - Faster
 - More memory

IBM

- Punched-card processing equipment
- 1953 - the 701
 - IBM's first stored program computer
 - Scientific calculations
- 1955 - the 702
 - Business applications
- Lead to 700/7000 series

Transistor Based Computers

- Second generation machines
- NCR & RCA produced small transistor machines
- IBM 7000
- DEC - 1957
 - Produced PDP-1

Intel

- 1971 - 4004
 - First microprocessor
 - All CPU components on a single chip
 - 4 bit
- Followed in 1972 by 8008
 - 8 bit
 - Both designed for specific applications
- 1974 - 8080
 - Intel's first general purpose microprocessor

Pentium Evolution (1)

- 8080
 - first general purpose microprocessor
 - 8 bit data path
 - Used in first personal computer – Altair
- 8086
 - much more powerful
 - 16 bit
 - instruction cache, prefetch few instructions
 - 8088 (8 bit external bus) used in first IBM PC
- 80286
 - 16 Mbyte memory addressable
 - up from 1Mb
- 80386
 - 32 bit
 - Support for multitasking

Pentium Evolution (2)

- 80486
 - sophisticated powerful cache and instruction pipelining
 - built in maths co-processor
- Pentium
 - Superscalar
 - Multiple instructions executed in parallel
- Pentium Pro
 - Increased superscalar organization
 - Aggressive register renaming
 - branch prediction
 - data flow analysis
 - speculative execution

Pentium Evolution (3)

- Pentium II
 - MMX technology
 - graphics, video & audio processing
- Pentium III
 - Additional floating point instructions for 3D graphics
- Pentium 4
 - Note Arabic rather than Roman numerals
 - Further floating point and multimedia enhancements
- Itanium
 - 64 bit
 - see chapter 15
- Itanium 2
 - Hardware enhancements to increase speed
- See Intel web pages for detailed information on processors

PowerPC

- 1975, 801 minicomputer project (IBM) RISC
- Berkeley RISC I processor
- 1986, IBM commercial RISC workstation product, RT PC.
 - Not commercial success
 - Many rivals with comparable or better performance
- 1990, IBM RISC System/6000
 - RISC-like superscalar machine
 - POWER architecture
- IBM alliance with Motorola (68000 microprocessors), and Apple, (used 68000 in Macintosh)
- Result is PowerPC architecture
 - Derived from the POWER architecture
 - Superscalar RISC
 - Apple Macintosh
 - Embedded chip applications