

UCle™ Chiplet Management & Security



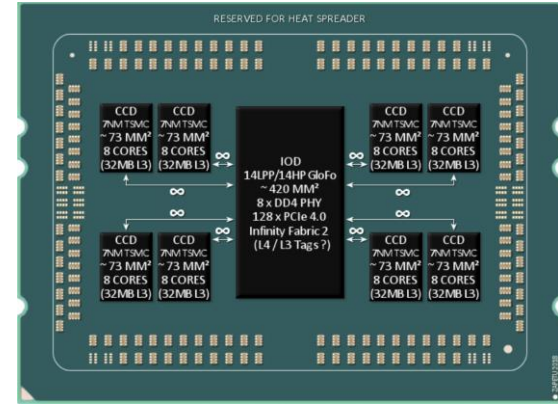
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Why Chiplets?

- Chiplets enable construction of devices that exceed maximum reticle size
- Reuse of chiplets reduces device design time and cost
- Breaking a monolithic device into smaller chiplets improves silicon yield and reduces cost
- Chiplets manufactured using different semiconductor processes reduces device cost and enables greater levels of integration
- Use of chiplets designed by different teams/companies enables innovation to be scaled through specialization



AMD EPYC Rome

Eight compute chiplets in 7

nm

One I/O chiplet in 12 nm

Stage of Chiplet Ecosystem





Monolithic Chip Management & Security

Monolithic Hardware
⇒ Monolithic Software

**Monolithic
Chip
2010**



Monolithic Firmware

Monolithic OS Drivers

Application Ecosystem

Update Hardware
⇒ Patch Software

**Monolithic
Chip
2012**



Monolithic Firmware

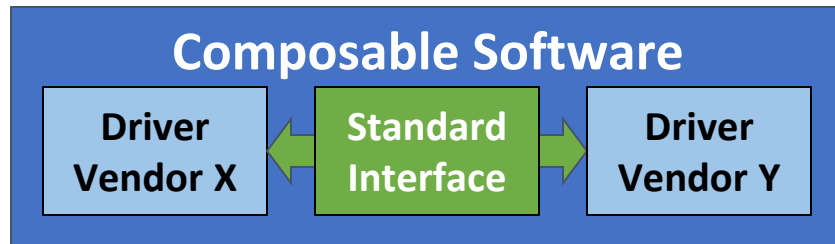
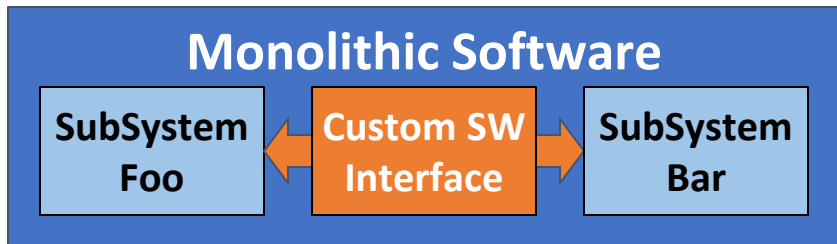
Monolithic OS Drivers

Application Ecosystem



Composable Chip \Rightarrow Composable Software

- Chiplet because we want High Velocity \Rightarrow Need Software Reuse
- Software Reuse \Rightarrow Standardize How to Compose Software
- Standardize at the protocol layer \Rightarrow How Chiplet Communicates
- Leverage existing industry standard such as one from DMTF \Rightarrow TTM

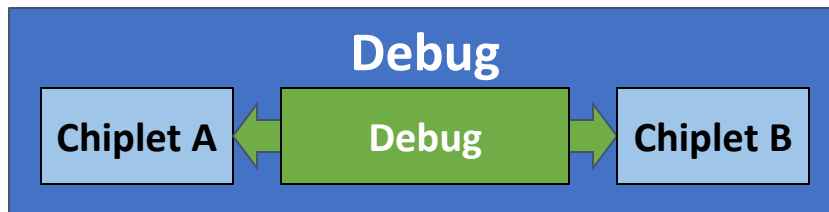


Software Composability at Every Levels

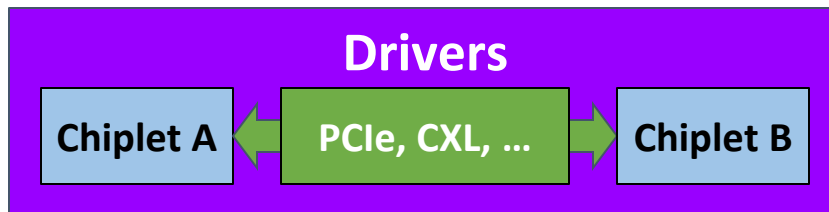
From Firmware
(low level Hardware Management)



Through Debug
(Standard debug interface, ...)



To User facing Software
(Drivers, Frameworks, ...)



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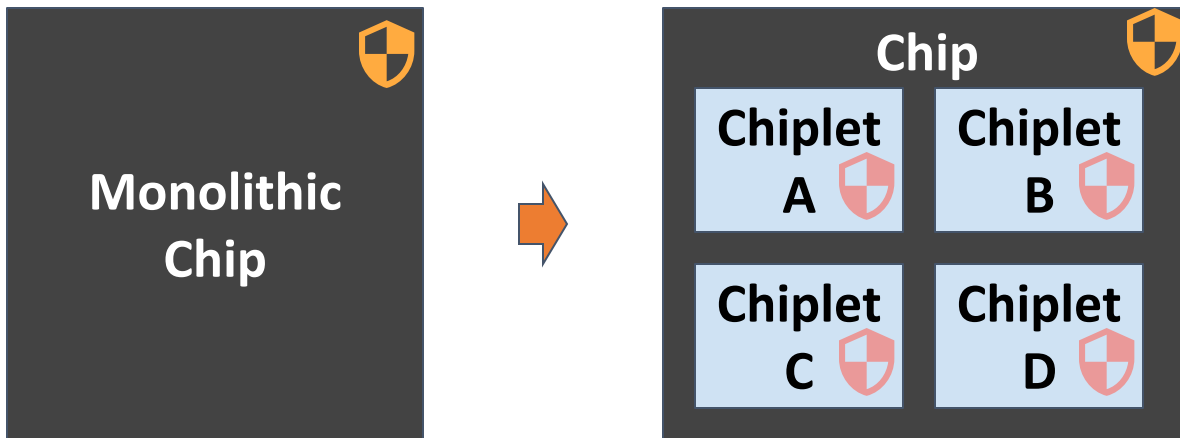
Security: Monolithic to Composable

Proprietary Security do not work and do not interoperate !

Keep Chip secure \Rightarrow Each Chiplet in a package must be Secure

Need to use common standard across Chiplets

(Chiplet Identity Configuration and Debug States)





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