

UFS Helps Solve Mobile Storage Challenges

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High End Mobile Market Commands Premium and Drives Innovation

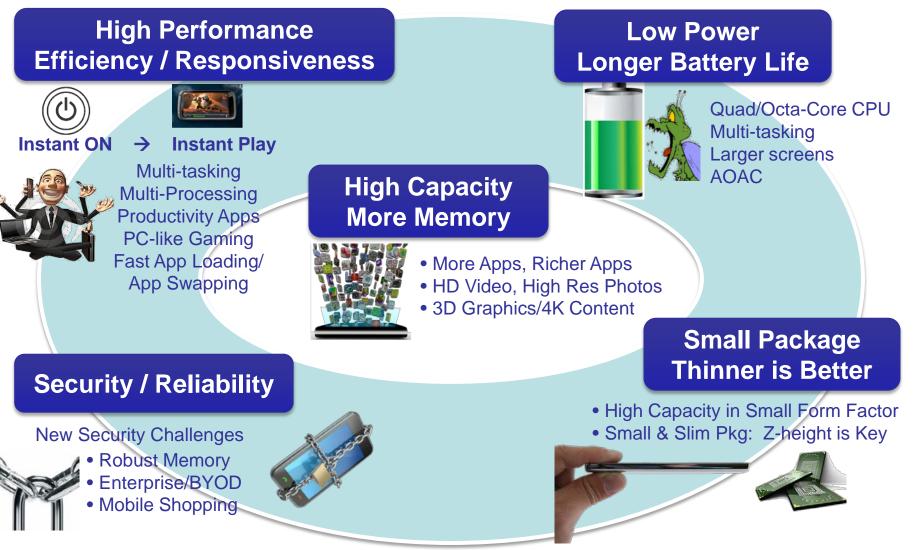
- High end mobile device
 - Feature-rich smartphones, tablets and laptops
 - Multiple image sensors
 - Very high resolution display
- High data traffic to the storage device
 - Data transmission
 - Image, video capture and playback





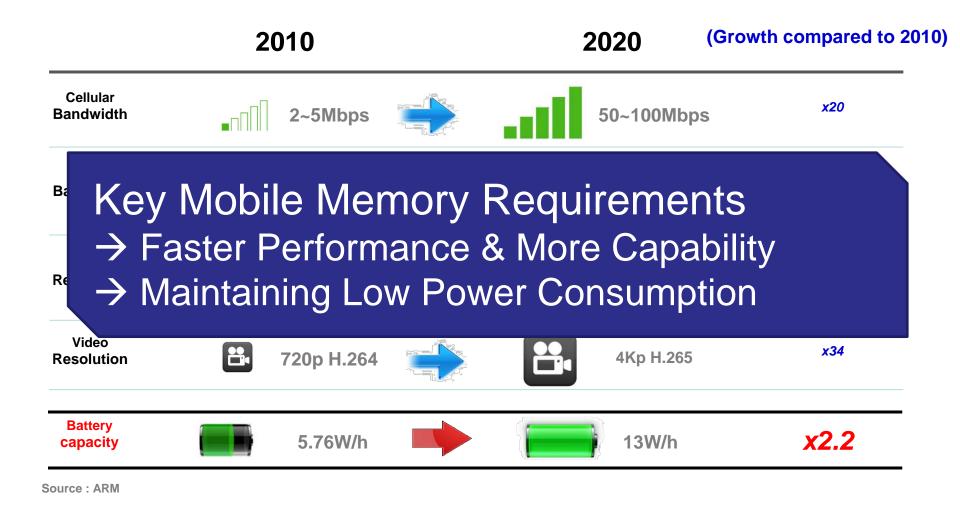


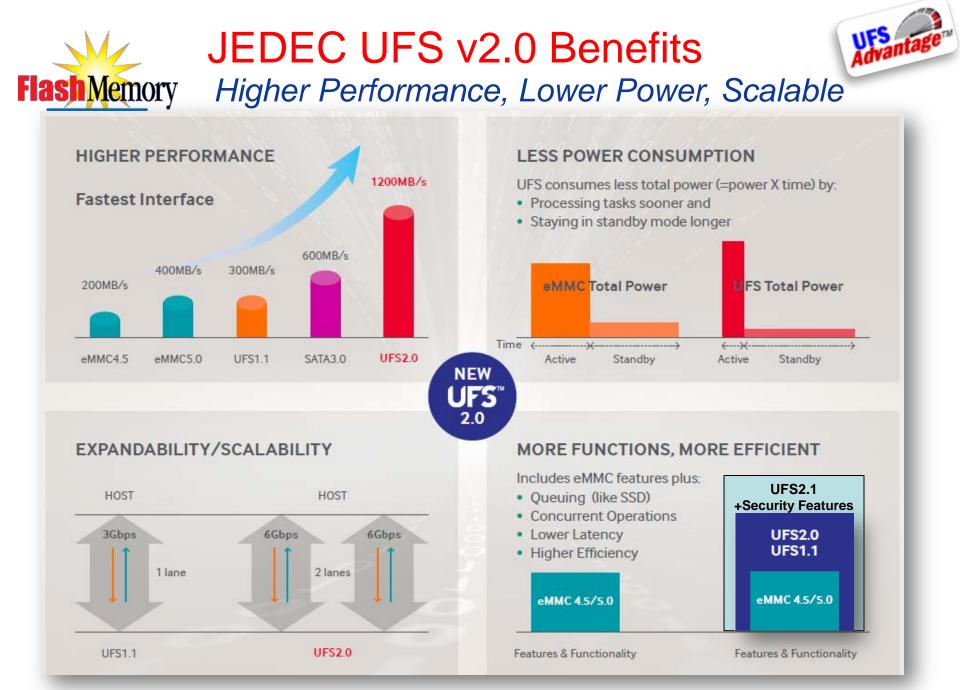
Mobile Storage: Performance, Capacity, Low Power, Small Footprint, Security





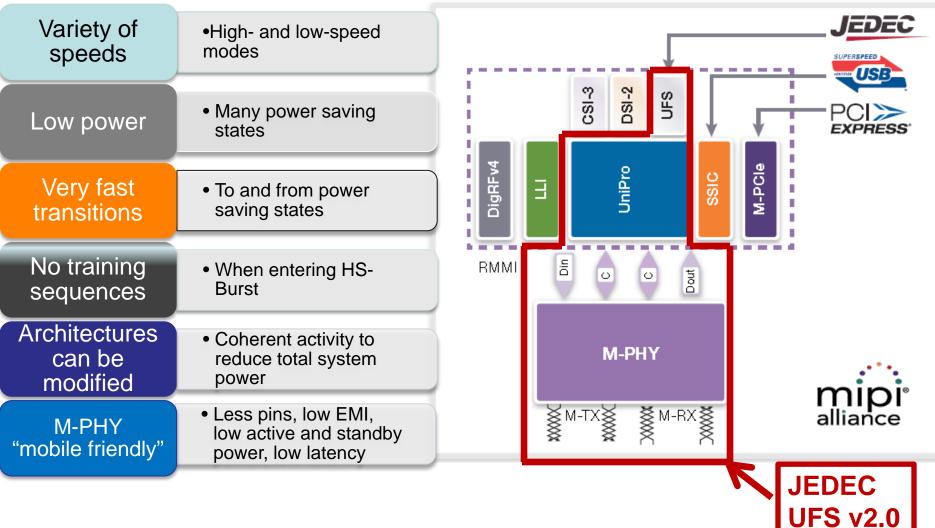
Battery Capacity not Keeping Up with Advanced Performance and Features





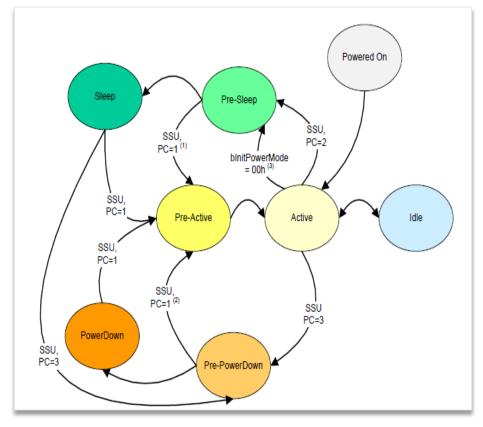


MIPI M-PHY "Mobile Friendly" Reduce Power, Scalable, Multiple Protocols





UFS Power Mode State "Machine"



UFS Power States

MPHY low power states

- HIBERN8
- STALL
- SLEEP

• UniPro low power states

- HIBERN8
- SLEEP

Further hooks

- DEEP SLEEP
- DEEP STALL



Additional Power Savings with Low Power Features and Techniques

Clock Gating at various functional levels

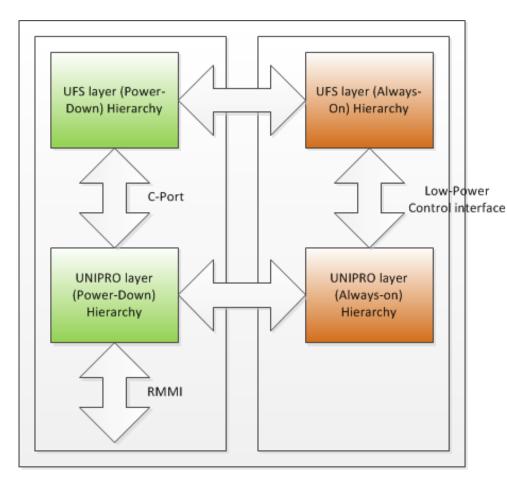
Reduces the dynamic power

Power Gating – Multi power rails

- Reduces the leakage power
- Deep power saving in Hibernate power state
- Only a small portion of the entire UFS Controller hierarchy will be on 'Always-On' Power Domain; Rest of the core can be switched off



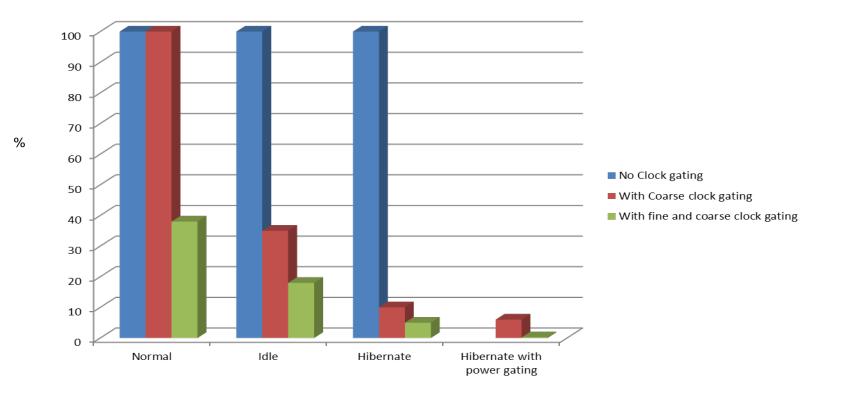
Multi Power Rails Implementation



- Always On Domain: Modules in this power domain are not switched off in Hibernate
- Power-Down Domain: Modules in this power domain can be switched off in Hibernate
- Power Domains are well mated to the UniPro and M-PHY layers



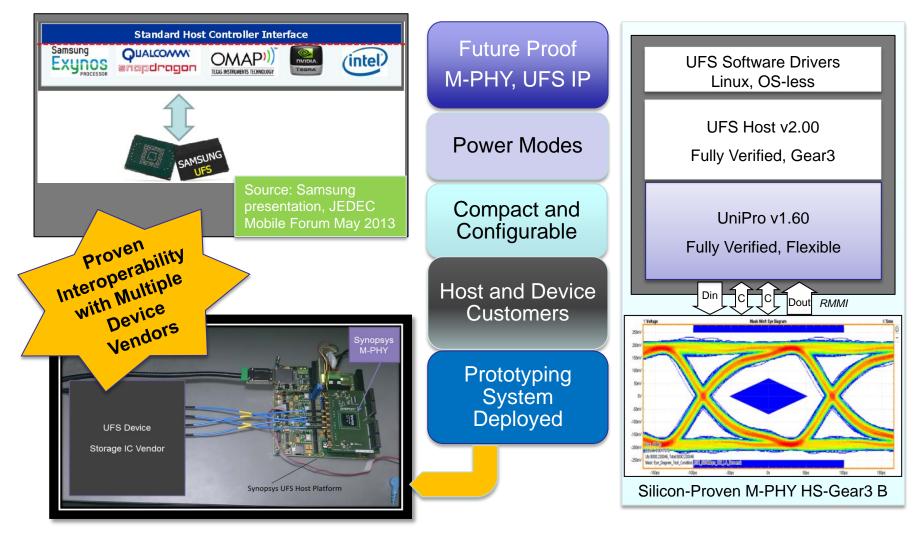
Power Savings Achieved – Few Examples



The numbers are normalized values with respect to Normal mode without any power saving technique applied



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Synopsys UFS Host Solution in Action Reads HD Video Stream from UFS Device and Plays on PC

