

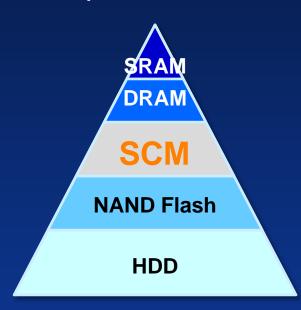
There is no alternative

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What is SCM application

Expected Future



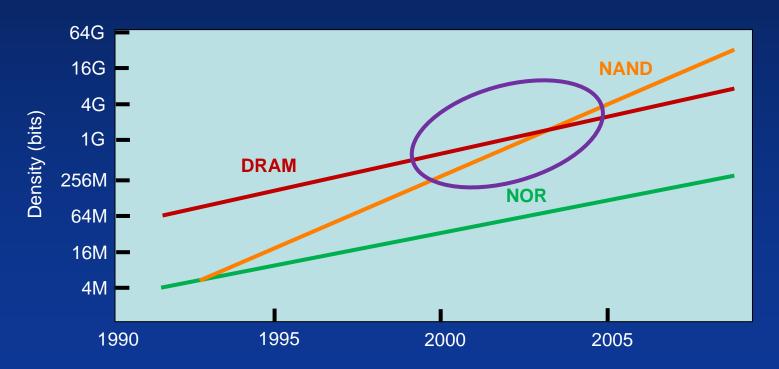
- * Sony and Micron presented the technology in ISSCC2014
- SCM is main application for ReRAM technologies
- SCM Requirement
 - PerformanceBetween DRAM and NAND
 - Density (bit cost)
 Between DRAM and NAND

Success is likely if there is no alternative to realize quite new application



Memory technologies trend

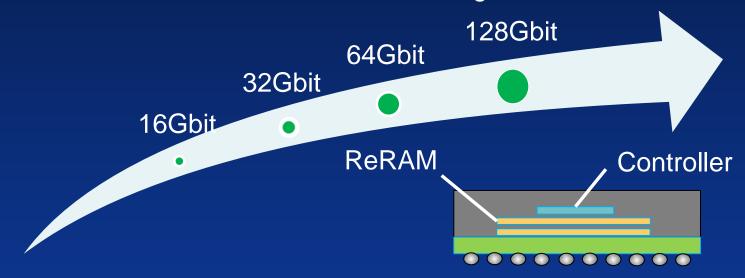
- DRAM use to be the technology driver until early 2000
- In kickoff point, NAND market was very small, but it has been rapidly growing from 2000
- NAND flash card applications were just "there is no alternative"





DRAM I/F or Storage I/F

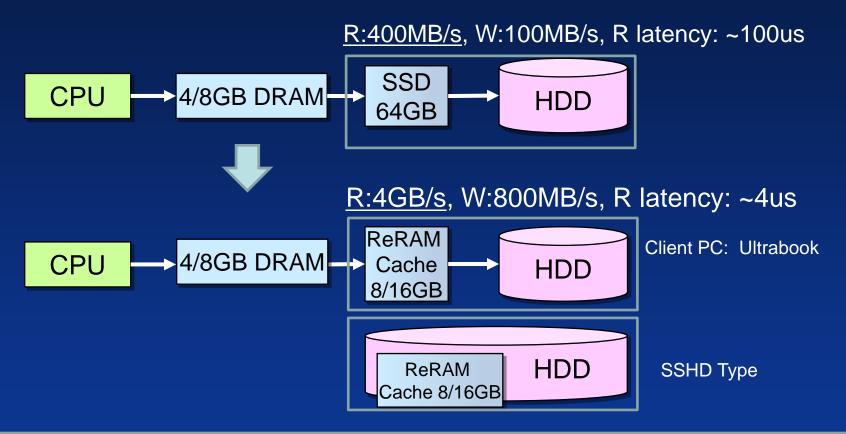
- As assumption, NVM needs controller technology for scaling
- DRAM I/F is deterministic with low latency
- SCM shall not use DRAM I/F, but storage I/F



- ✓ Storage I/F doesn't care for 1us latency
- ✓ SCM application has to differentiate from NAND application through storage I/F



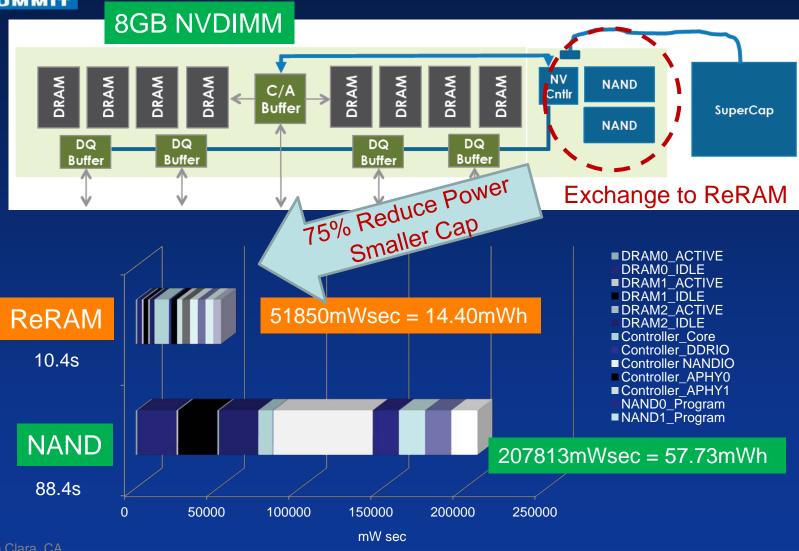
Example (1) Fast Boot for Client



In boot up,
SSD takes 10s and ReRAM cache takes 1s to transfer 4GB data

Flash Memory

Example (2) Fast Boot and Small Size





Thank you!

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