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CS 310 OPERATING SYSTEMS

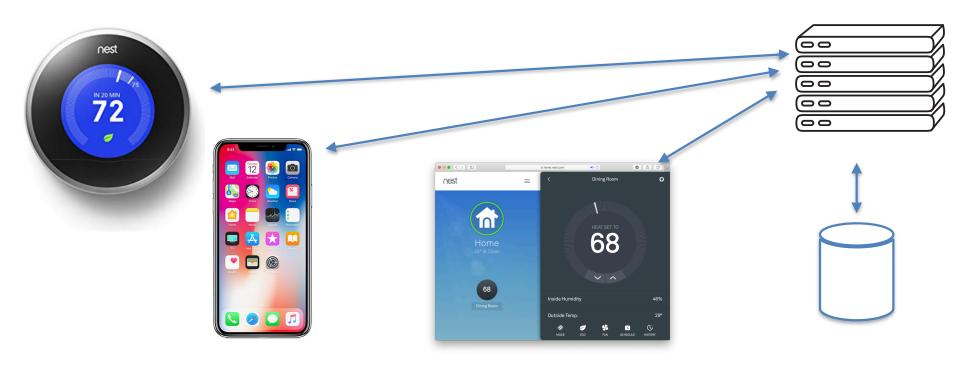
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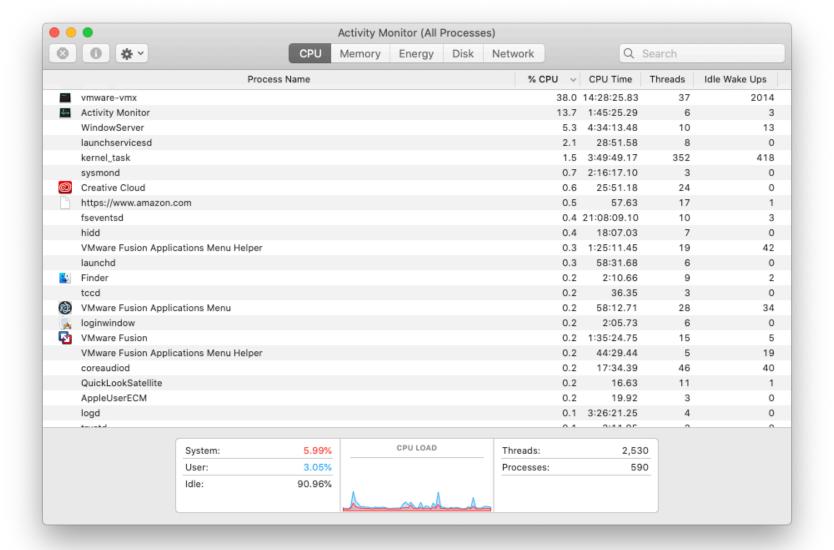
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- Computers are changing: parallelism is much more important today than it was in the 90s.
- Stuff you learn here will be used in security, OS, etc.





What is an Operating System?



Referee

- Manage sharing of resources, Protection, Isolation
 - » Resource allocation, isolation, communication

Illusionist



- Provide clean, easy to use abstractions of physical resources
 - » Infinite memory, dedicated machine
 - » Higher level objects: files, users, messages
 - » Masking limitations, virtualization

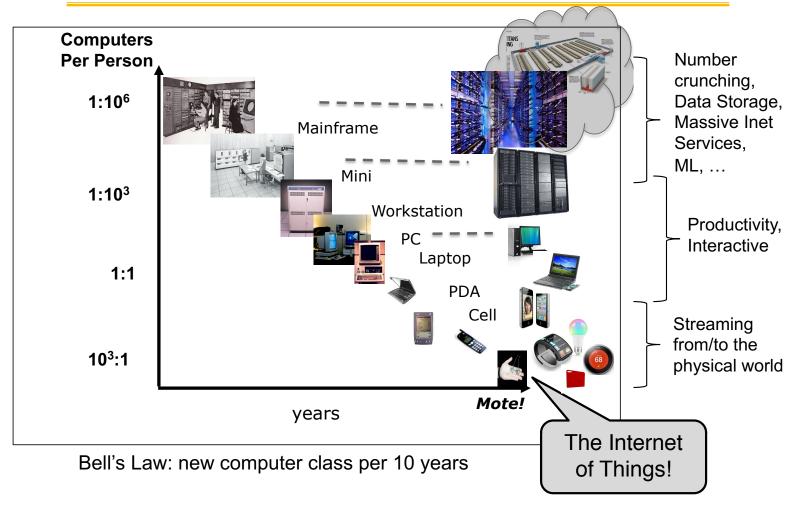
Glue



- Common services
 - » Storage, Window system, Networking
 - » Sharing, Authorization
 - » Look and feel



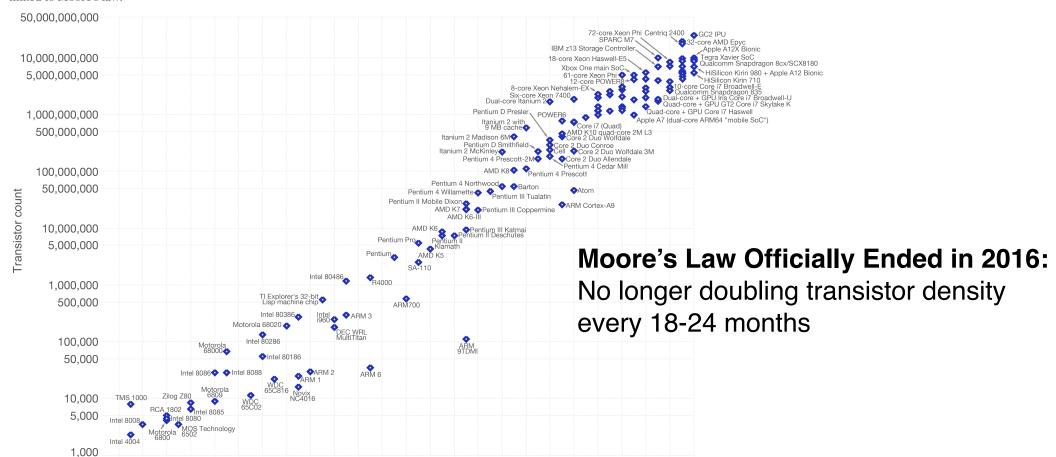




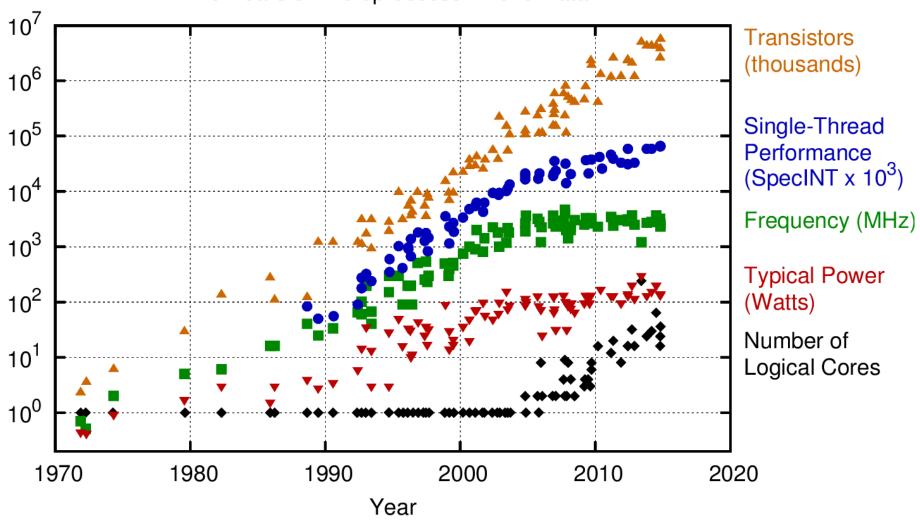
Moore's Law – The number of transistors on integrated circuit chips (1971-2018)



Moore's law describes the empirical regularity that the number of transistors on integrated circuits doubles approximately every two years. This advancement is important as other aspects of technological progress – such as processing speed or the price of electronic products – are linked to Moore's law.











• In 2011, smartphone shipments exceeded PC shipments 1.53B in 2017



- 4 billion phones in the world → smartphones over next few years
- Then...



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Scalable, Reliable, Secure Services

Databases
Information Collection
Remote Storage
Online Games
Commerce

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TURNING IN ASSIGNMENTS:

We will use GitHub Classroom. See course webpage for link.

CODING GUIDELINES:

- Make sure you test code a bit at a time—split into functions.
- Build pieces one at a time.
- Plan first.

LABS:

- 2 hour lab session in Doyle 314 from 4-6PM Thursdays.
- Get help with homework.

READING GROUP:

- Grad students have required weekly reading assignments posted on the course webpage.
- Reading and reviewing papers is extra credit for undergrads.
- Extra credit reading group discussion at 4PM Thursdays at the beginning of lab.

PAPER REVIEWS:

- Email to Neil the night before class.
- Format:
 - 1. 3-4 sentence summary of paper, including problem it's trying to solve, objectives, assumptions.
 - 2. Feedback for authors: shortcomings, etc.

GRADING

- No quizzes or exams. Your whole grade is based on homework and final project.
- No partial credit for code that doesn't compile.
- Start homework on Tuesday/ Wednesday so you can get help on Thursday in lab if you get stuck.

Category	Weight
Homework	30%
Participation	10%
Progress	10%
Final Project	40%

PROJECT

- You will work in teams of 3-4 for your final project
- Everyone should do work and have clear responsibilities.
- You will evaluate your team mates at the end of the project.
- Communicate with TA/instructor:
 - What is the team's plan?
 - What is each team member's responsibility?
 - Short progress reports are required.