

# 力旺電子Briefing ■

**ememory**

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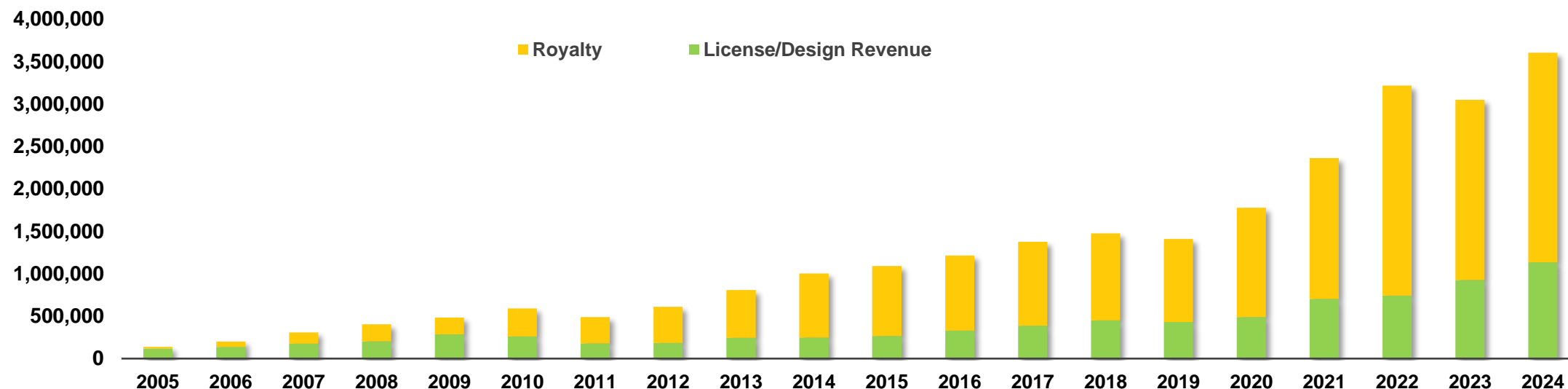
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# 公司介紹

- eMemory is the global leader of embedded non-volatile memory IP

## Revenue Trend

(Unit: NT\$ 1,000)



**Founded**  
In 2000

Based in Hsinchu, Taiwan.  
IPO in 2011. Over 65M wafers shipped.

**1260+**  
Patents Issued

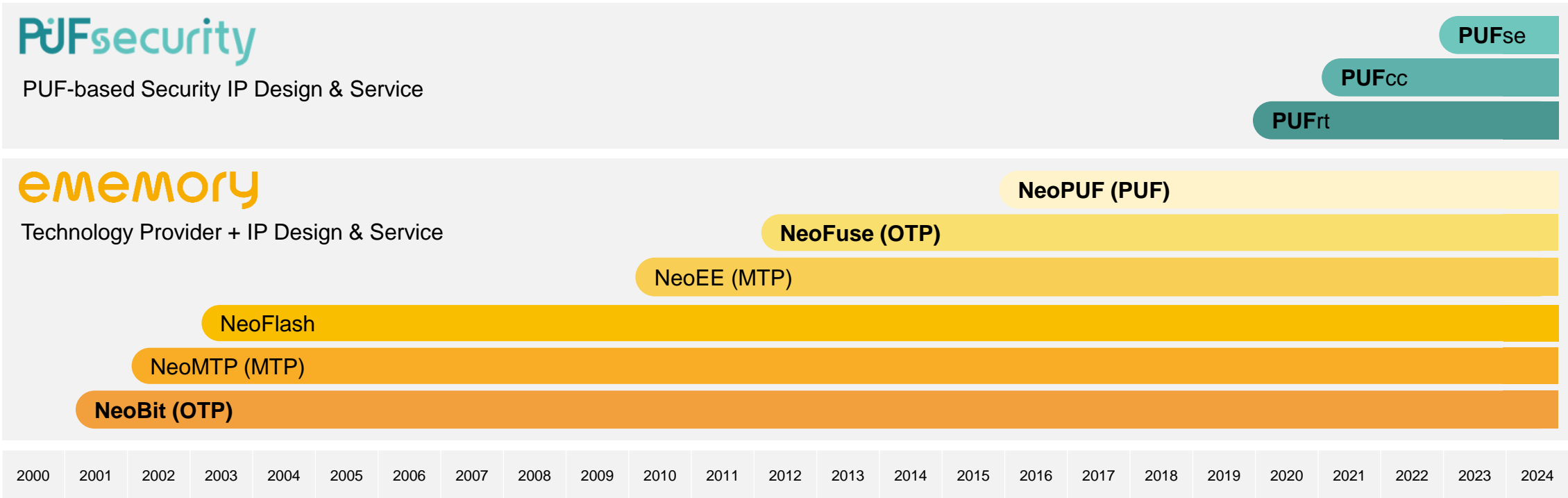
203 pending patents. 360 employees with 68% R&D personnel.

**Best IP Partner**  
With TSMC

TSMC Best IP Partner Award since 2010.

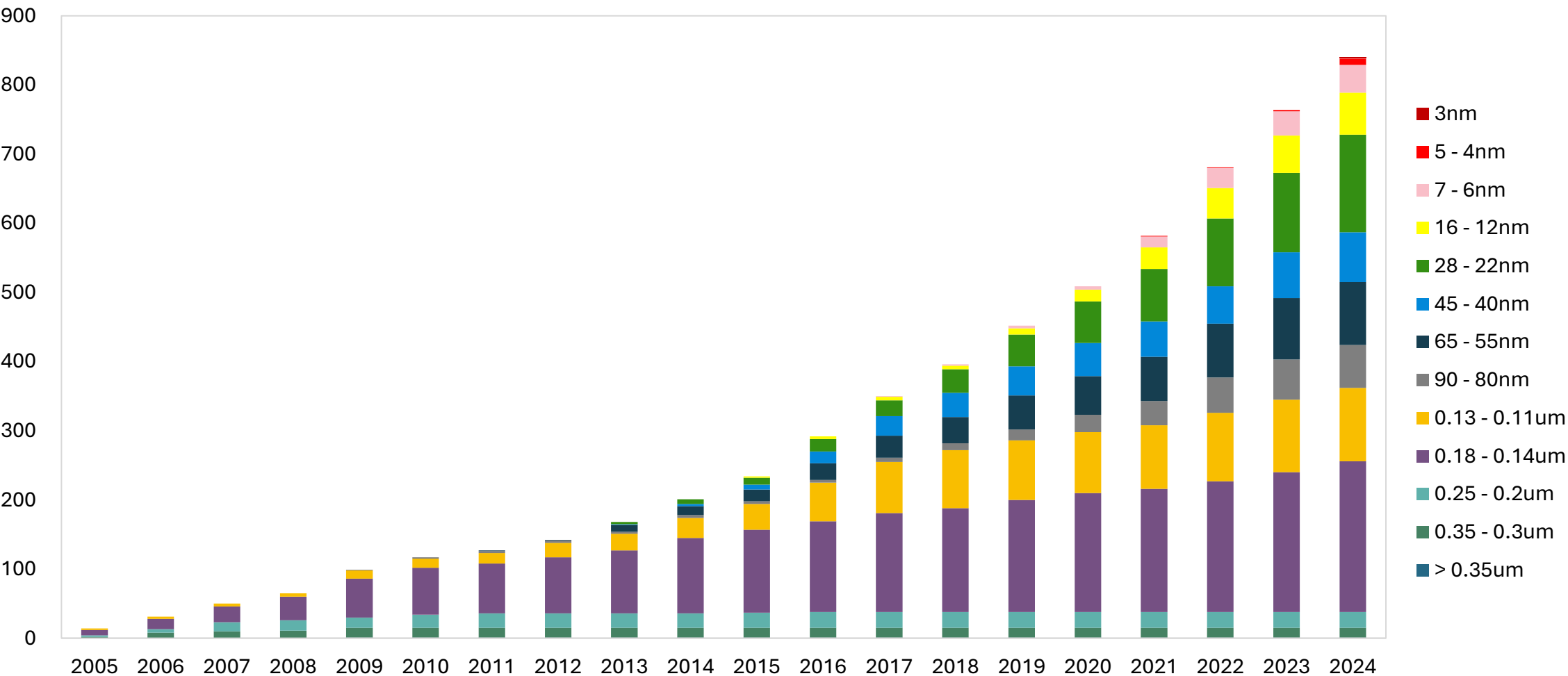


With access to eMemory’s widely verified IP process platform, PUFsecurity is uniquely positioned to provide **OTP and PUF-based** Security IP Solutions with **extensive availability** across various foundries and process nodes.



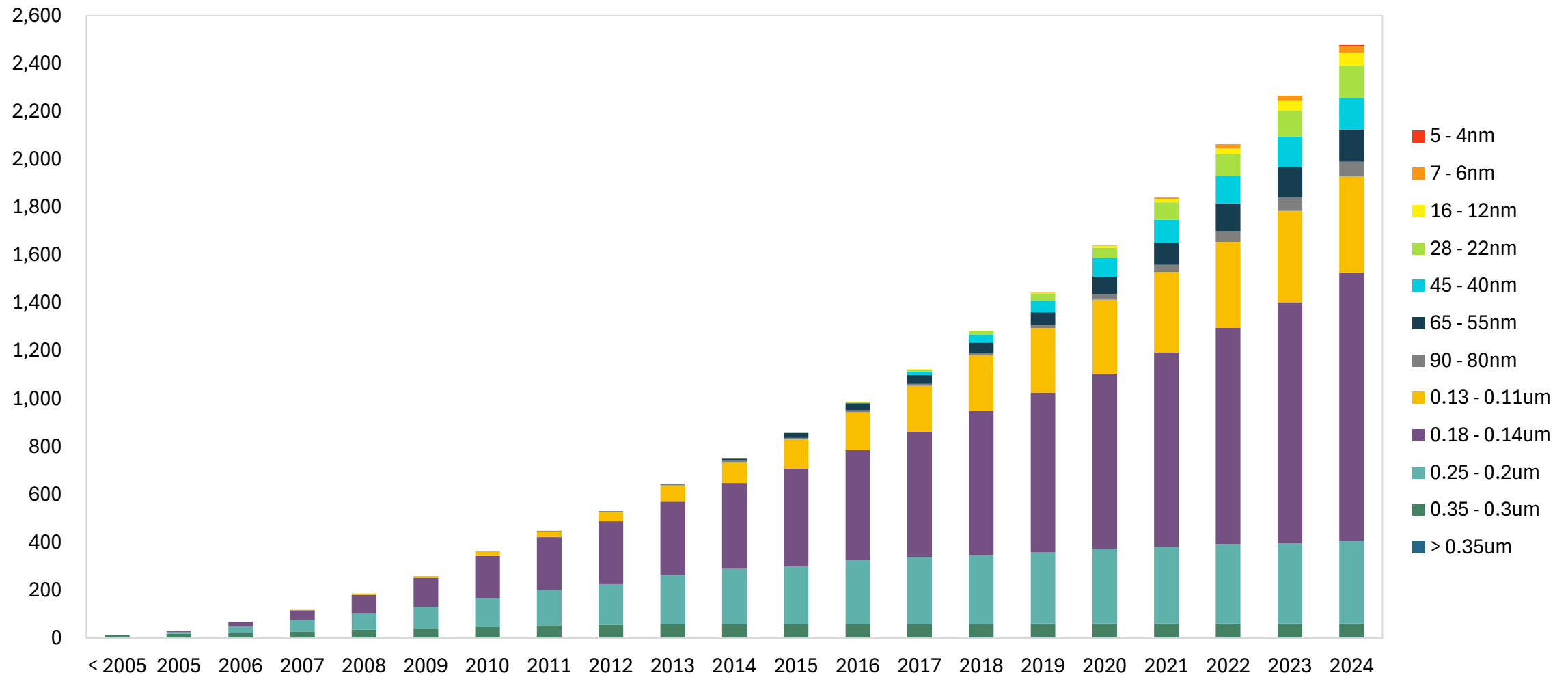
# Registered IPs at TSMC

## Registered IP > 750



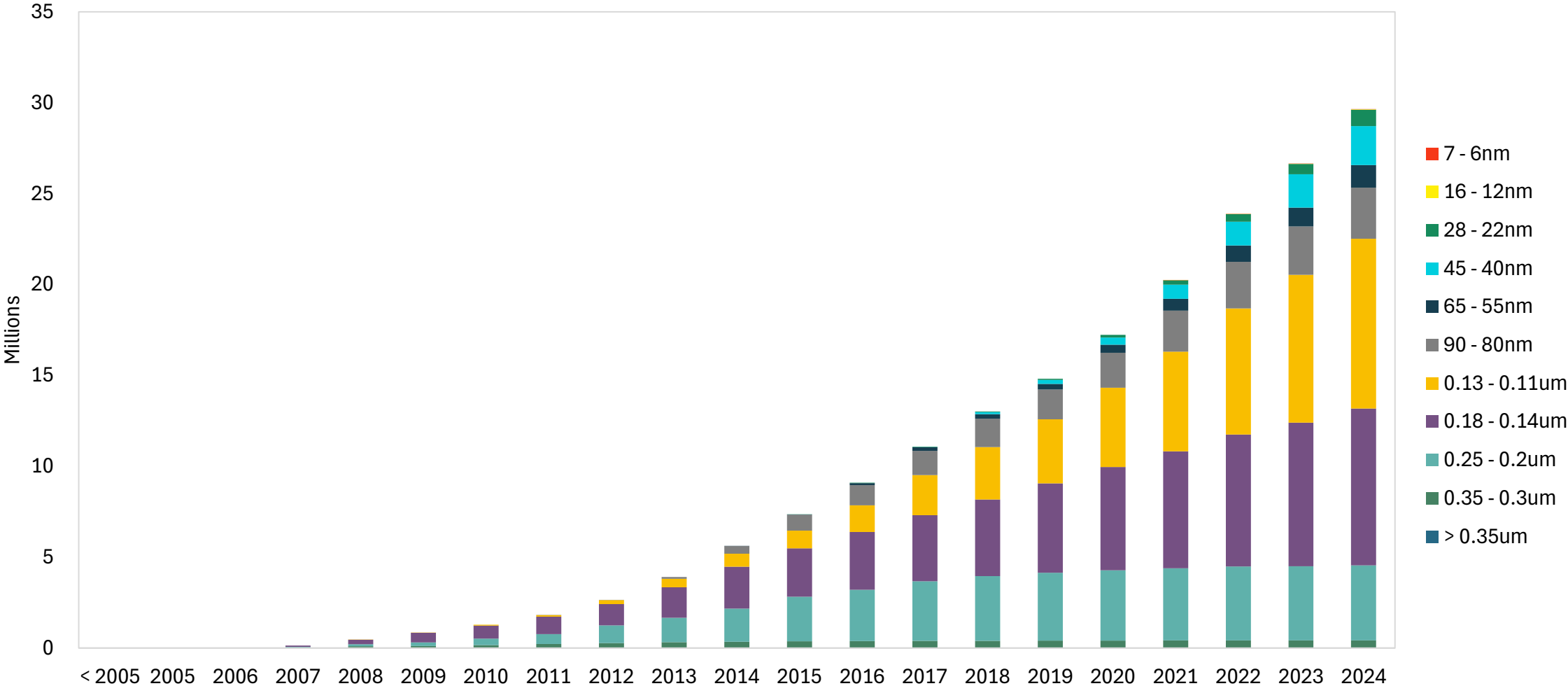
# NTOs at TSMC

## New Tape Out Contribution > 2400



# Wafer Contribution at TSMC

## 8" Wafer Contribution > 25M



# Revenue and Tape-out by Technology

Year	NTO		Revenue (USD)		
	NeoBit	NeoFuse	NeoBit	NeoFuse	PUF-based
2002	3				
2003	29				
2004	40				
2005	68		\$ 4,217,380		
2006	133		\$ 6,202,270		
2007	220		\$ 9,402,479		
2008	253		\$ 12,896,211		
2009	268		\$ 11,695,587		
2010	284		\$ 15,873,331		
2011	254		\$ 15,399,098		
2012	270		\$ 19,620,768		
2013	363	1	\$ 25,436,669	\$ 382,084	
2014	371	3	\$ 31,831,985	\$ 328,787	
2015	311	11	\$ 30,943,426	\$ 1,080,373	
2016	270	28	\$ 30,247,340	\$ 3,636,142	
2017	257	61	\$ 34,619,653	\$ 5,238,351	
2018	253	86	\$ 31,834,860	\$ 10,773,223	\$ 85,000
2019	226	109	\$ 27,602,332	\$ 14,466,279	\$ 195,000
2020	248	182	\$ 30,378,346	\$ 26,437,660	\$ 434,998
2021	252	259	\$ 32,367,560	\$ 44,011,223	\$ 1,160,702
2022	264	231	\$ 35,327,060	\$ 63,762,480	\$ 4,207,209
2023	226	241	\$ 23,251,721	\$ 64,276,058	\$ 4,375,409
2024	266	270	\$ 25,952,137	\$ 71,649,123	\$ 5,279,985
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,129</b>	<b>1,482</b>	<b>\$ 455,100,213</b>	<b>\$ 306,041,783</b>	<b>\$ 15,738,303</b>

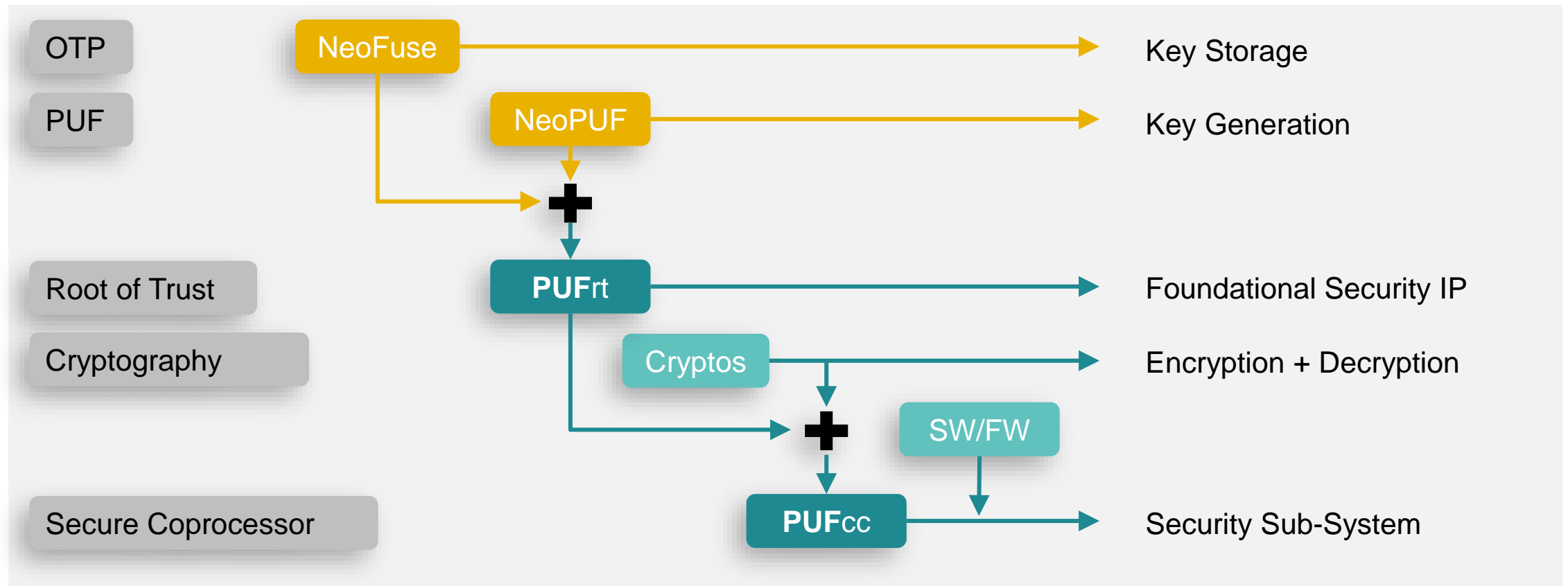
\*NTO stands for **New Tape-Out**

\* Revenue includes both **licensing** and **royalty**



# PUF-based Security Solutions

- Based on OTP Technologies, many different security functions IPs have evolved
- Regulations, such as TPM 2.0, now require Hardware Root of Trust



# Standards Drive Hardware-Based Security .



**Driving an open standard for silicon root of trust**



**Using asymmetric public/private key encryption technology and device ID to achieve fast and secure access to the network**



**Data Center**

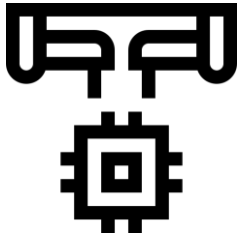


**IoT**

# Security Business Development ■

- As eMemory is an established IP company, there are different **platforms** that we can leverage for sales in security IPs and sub-systems

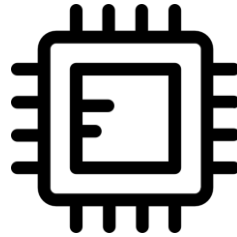
## Foundry Platforms



TSMC, Intel, UMC, GF, etc.

- Licensed our security technology to major foundries
- Co-promotional activities

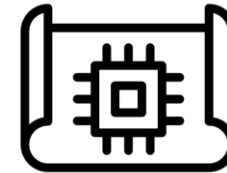
## CPU Partners



Arm, RISC-V, Cadence, etc.

- SoC customers looking for both CPU and security subsystems

## CSP



More to come

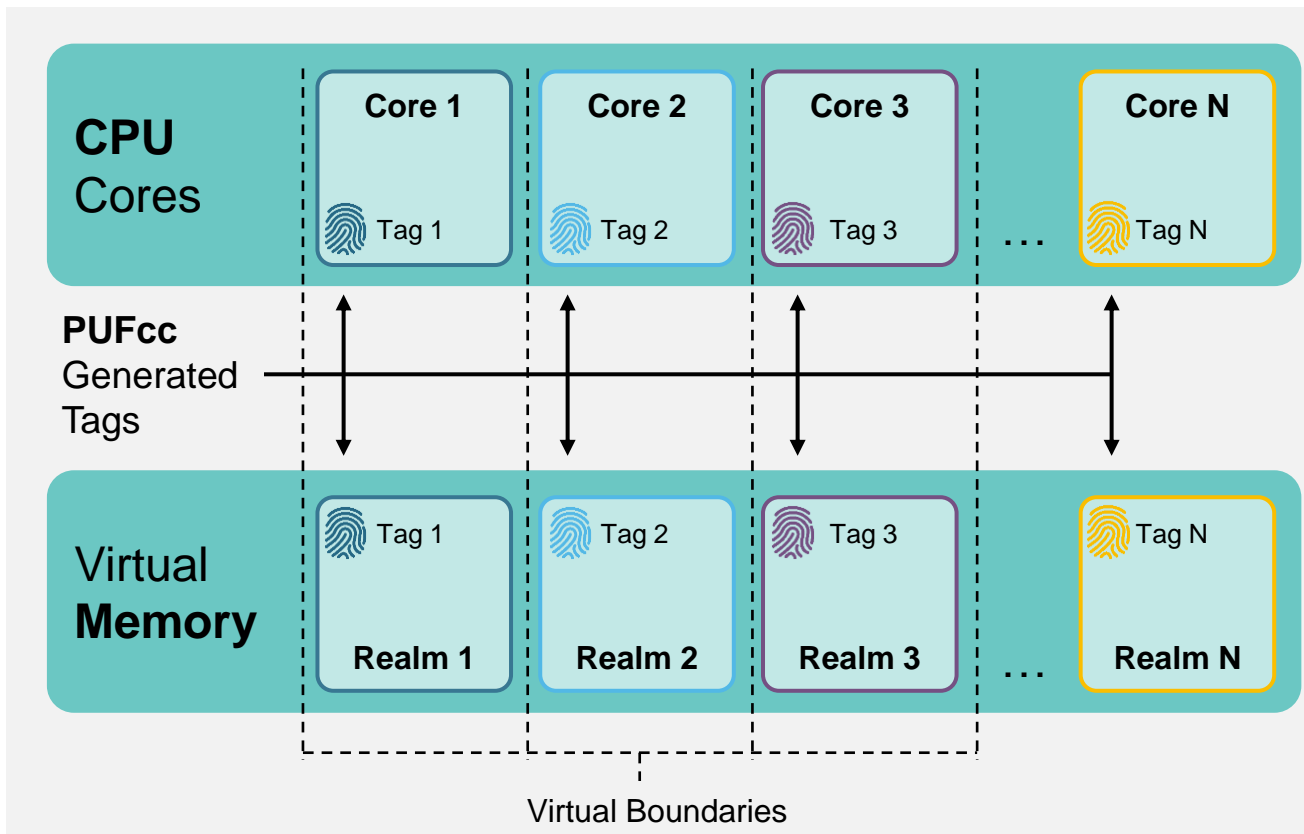
- Work with CSP and system companies for embedded security on a chip level

# Market Application ■

- Customers with many different applications will begin to adopt **PUF-based Security Solutions**

CPU	AI	SSD
DPU	DTV/STB	Wi-Fi
FPGA	ISP	And More.

# Next Computing: Confidential Computing

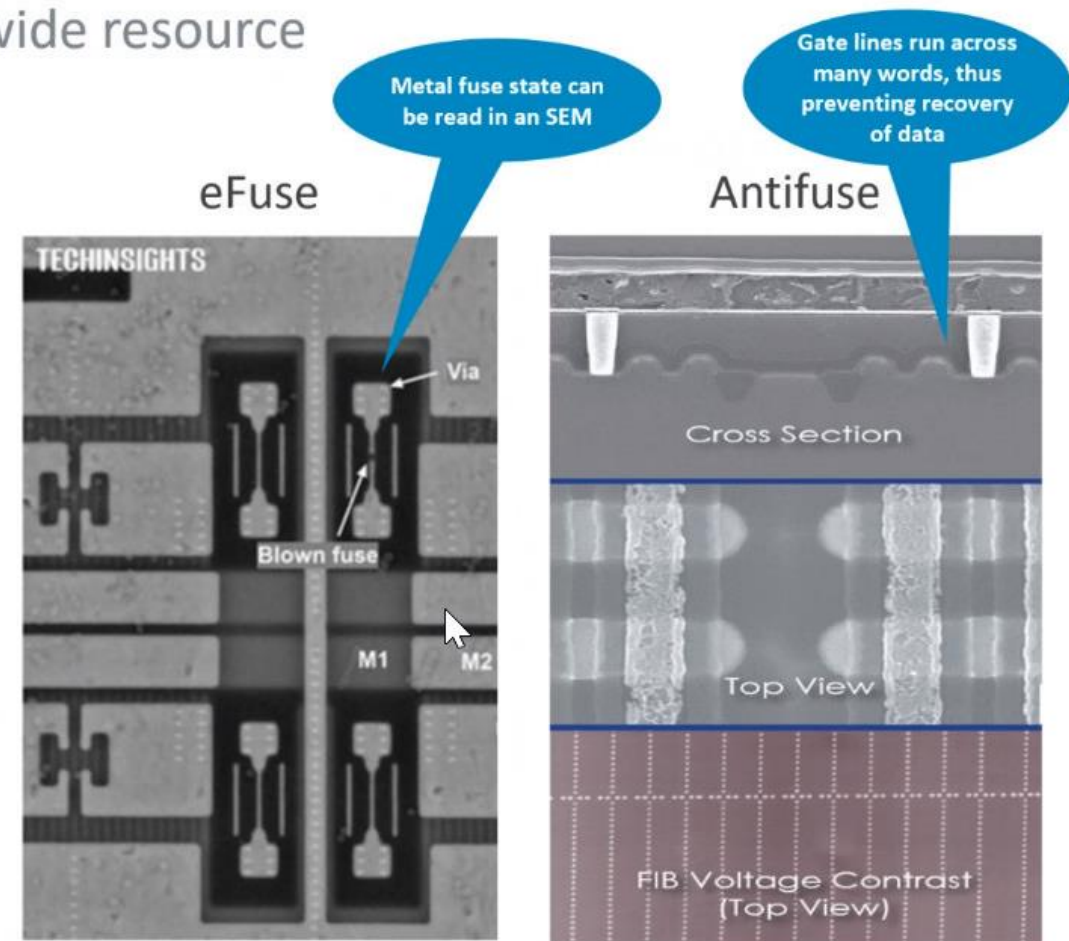


- **Protect data** in the Virtual Memory of Multi-Core CPUs
- CPU Cores and Virtual Memory have unique corresponding **tag numbers**
- Tag numbers are internally **randomly generated** by **PUFcc** (Crypto Coprocessor IP)

# AntiFuse OTP vs. eFuse

One Time Programmable (OTP) memory is a SoC-wide resource

- RSS supports OTP as field-programmable to store confidential code and data
- eFuse:
  - Area efficient for smaller arrays
  - Typically not field programmable
  - Can be easily read by delayering SoC (a few \$k cost)
    - The secure channel key can be compromised
    - The device can then be cloned
- Antifuse OTP:
  - Cannot be read using a scanning electron microscope
  - Dense bit cells, efficient for large arrays
    - Macro periphery is large versus eFuse
  - Integrated charge pump enables field programming
  - PUF can be included for a small additional area
    - ~0.04mm<sup>2</sup> on 7nm for 128x32 bit PUF

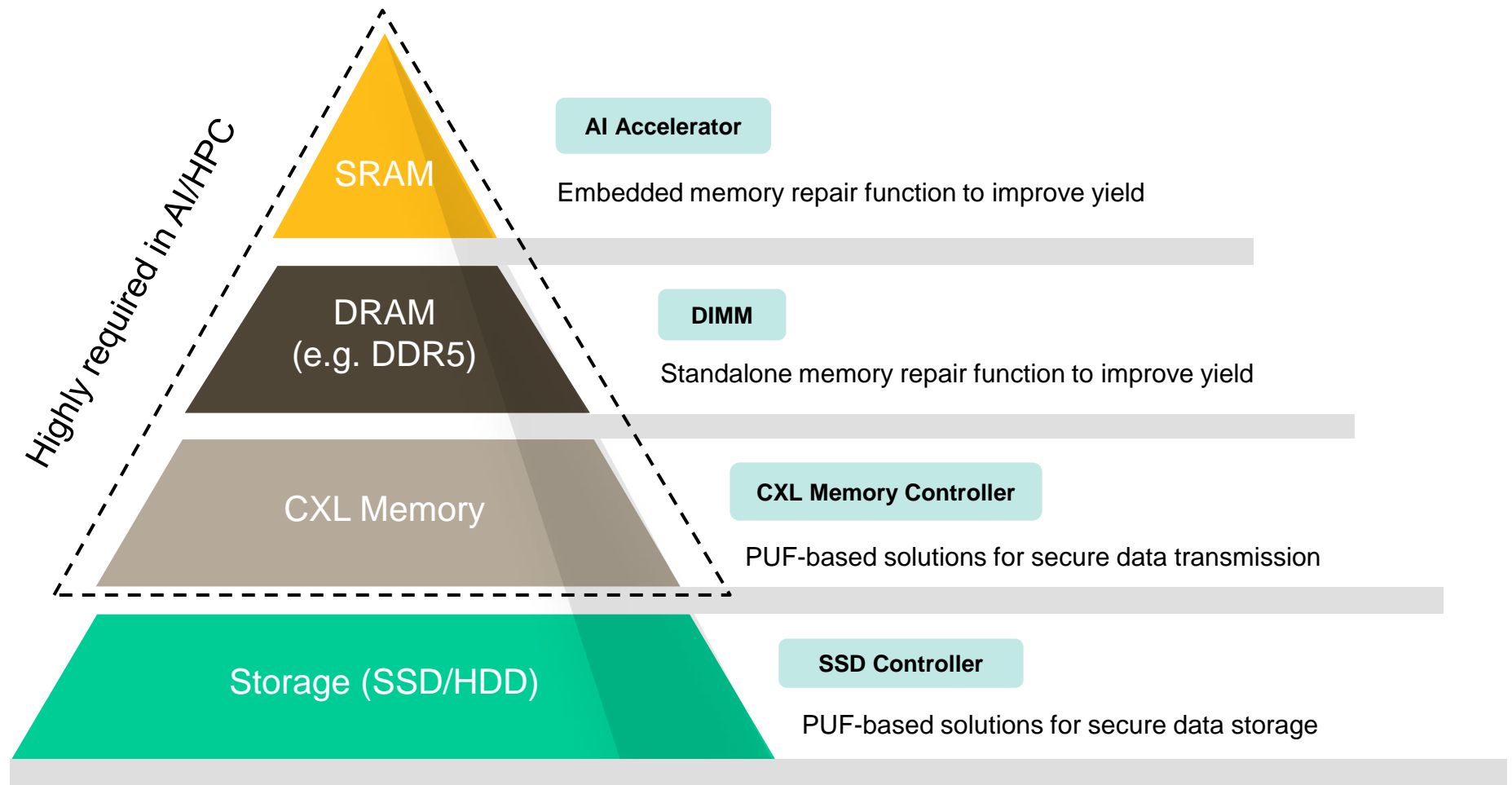


<https://semiengineering.com/the-benefits-of-antifuse-otp/>

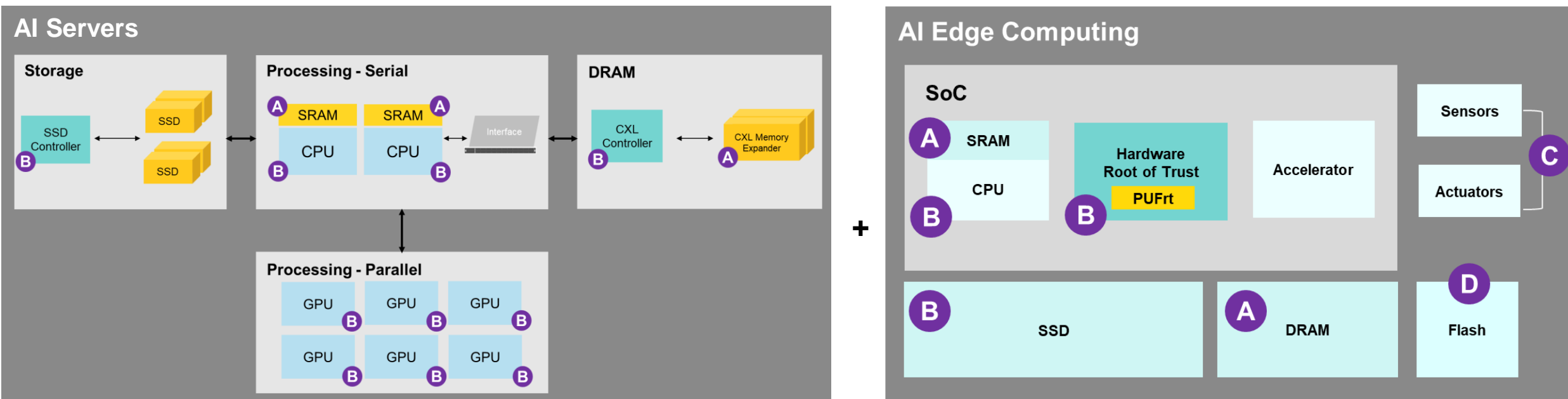
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# Example: eMemory Helps Memory.

- eMemory's security IP and OTP/MTP IP 1) ensure data security and 2) improve yield for SRAM and DRAM.



# eMemory for AI Servers and Edge Devices



**A Memory Repair**

**B Root of Trust** provides:

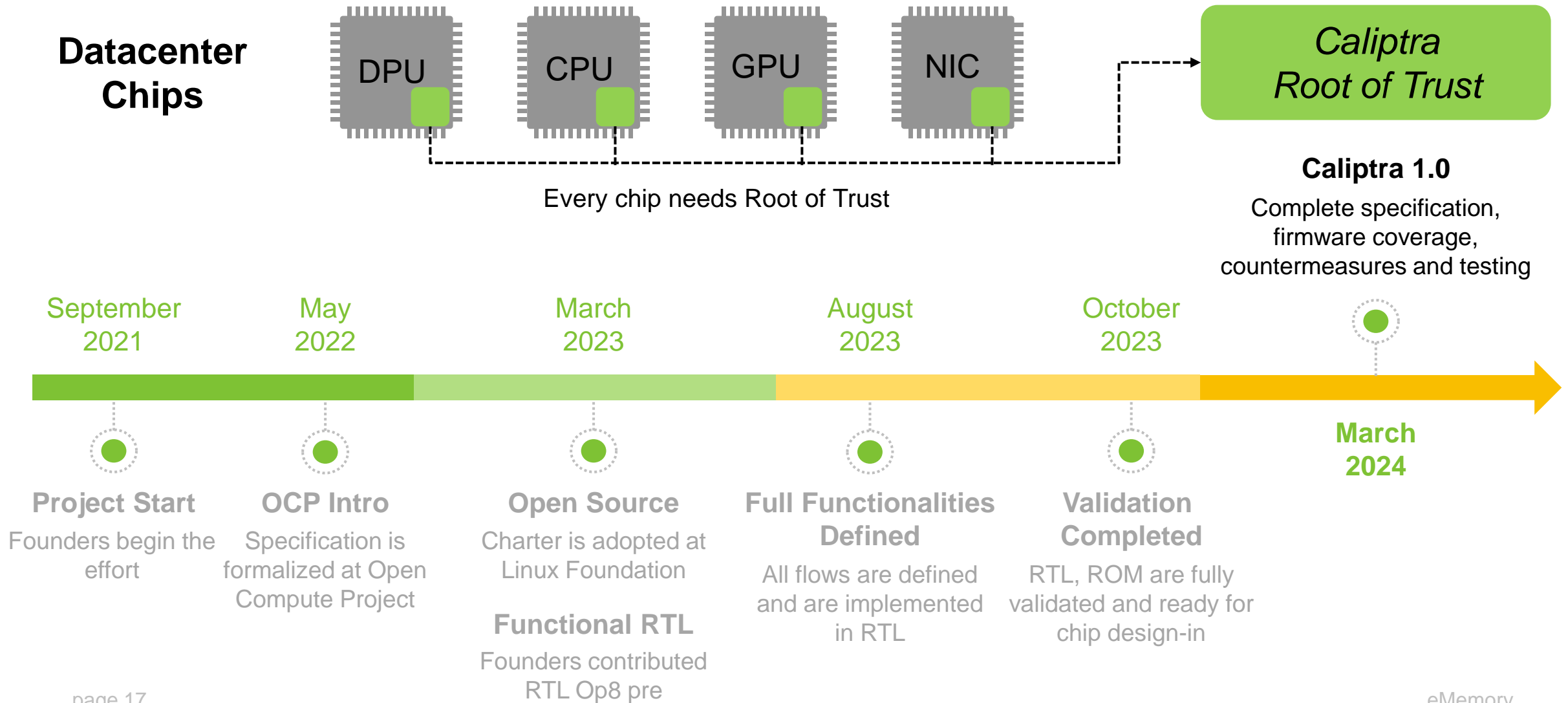
1. Key storage/generation
2. Cryptographic processing to protect AI models, input data and output results
3. Confidential Computing

**C OTP** needed for trimming analog circuits in Sensors and Actuators

**D NeoFlash** to replace conventional eFlash for a much lower cost

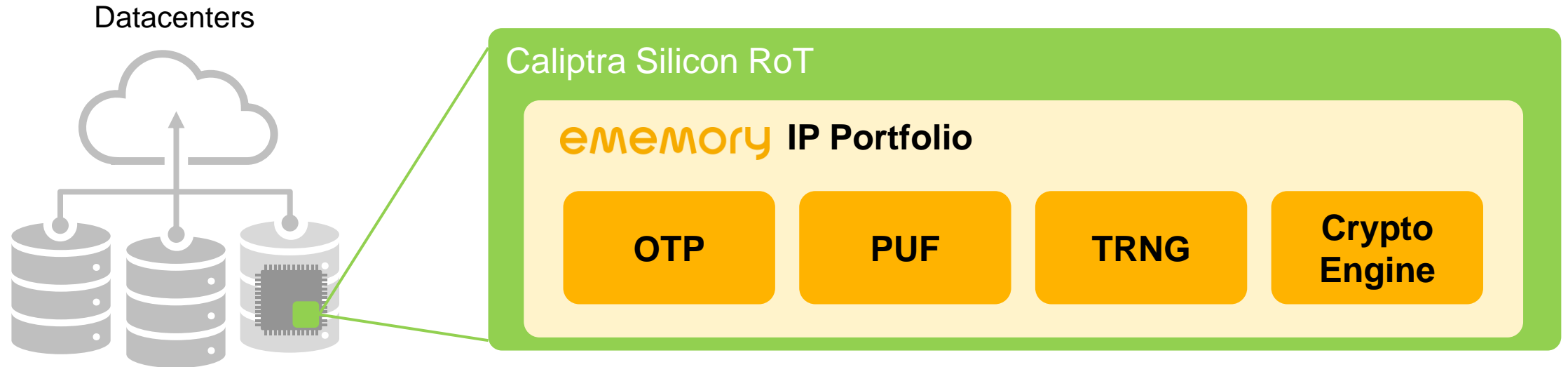


# Why is Caliptra so Important? ■



# What is the Important Role of eMemory in Caliptra?

- eMemory's root of trust IP is ready to meet Caliptra's requirements.



## Unique Chip Identity



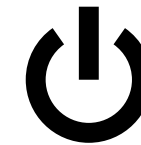
Chip Fingerprint

## Secure Attestation



Device Certificate

## Secure Boot



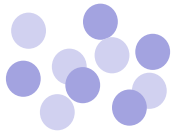
Boot into Trusted Operating System

# PUFtrng: 100 Times Faster than Conventional TRNG

- PUF-based conditioning algorithm provides high-throughput and high entropy quality

*Similar to...*

## Conventional TRNG



Dynamic Entropy  
(ROSC)

Post-processing

Conventional  
TRNG

Slower



Classic Cars

## PUFtrng



Static Entropy  
PUF  
(Chip Fingerprint)

+



Entropy Refine Engine



PUFtrng

100x Faster



New Energy Cars

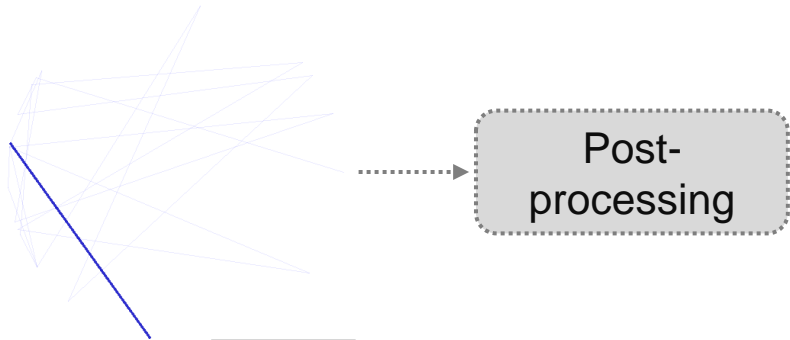
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Dynamic Entropy



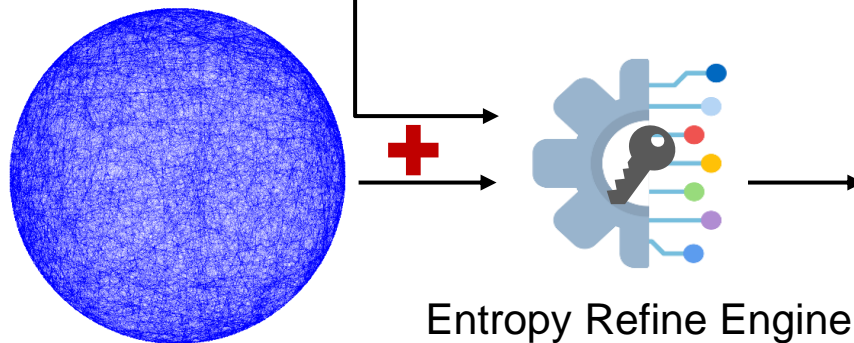
**Figure 2:**  
Conventional TRNG  
→ Low throughput random bits  
→ Slower



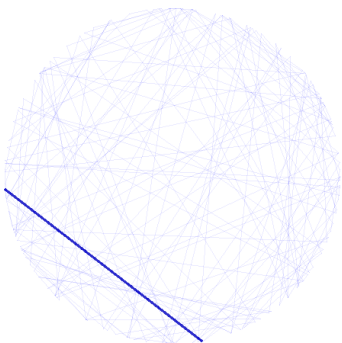
Classic Cars

## PUFtrng

**Figure 3:**  
Static Entropy  
→ **PUF**  
(chip fingerprint)



**Figure 4:**  
**PUFtrng**  
→ **High** throughput random bits  
→ **100x Faster**



New Energy Cars

# Why is **High-Density SRAM** needed in **AI**? ■

- To increase the speed of AI accelerators, **high-density SRAM** is needed for use in:

Buffer Memory	AI Model Training	Computing in Memory (CIM) for Inference
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• High-density SRAM helps improve data transfer speed and reduce energy costs by acting as a fast <b>intermediate storage</b> between different processing stages.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• High-density SRAM helps <b>store</b> vast amounts of data for AI accelerators to access quickly to speed up training.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• High-density SRAM enables <b>in-memory computation</b> by storing large datasets and performing computations on them without transferring data to separate processors.</li></ul>

# eMemory enables High-Yielding SRAM

- SRAM yield decreases as technology is scaled due to smaller dimensions. To **increase yield**, **eMemory's OTP** is required.

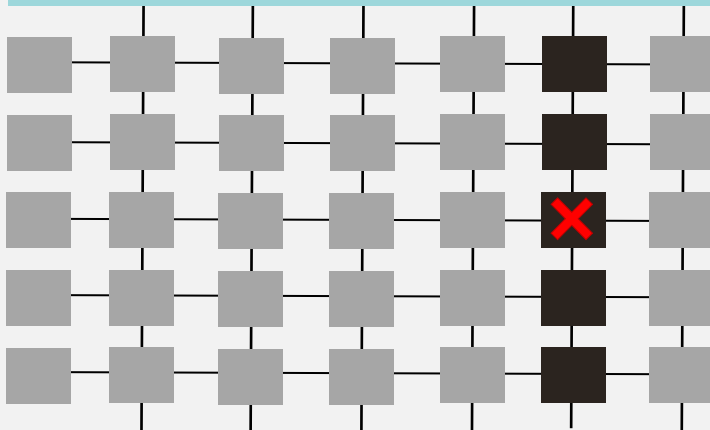
① Obtains location of bad memory cell

② Stores location of bad memory cell

Stored in **eMemory OTP** /  
eFuse

③ Takes redundant memory column  
to replace column with bad cell

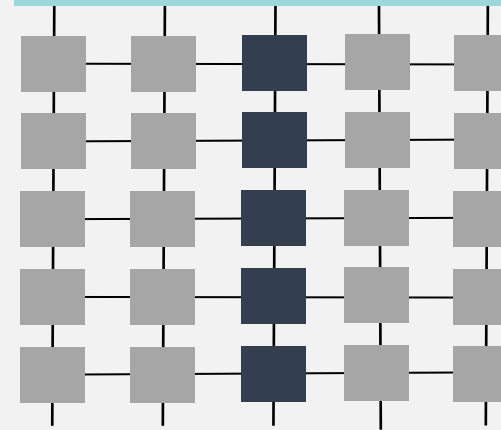
Memory Array



**X** : Bad Cell

④ Replace and "switch"  
with bad memory cell

Redundant Array



**Smaller OTP size**  
compared to eFuse:

eFuse

4Kb

<0.1mm<sup>2</sup>

64Kb

>1mm<sup>2</sup>

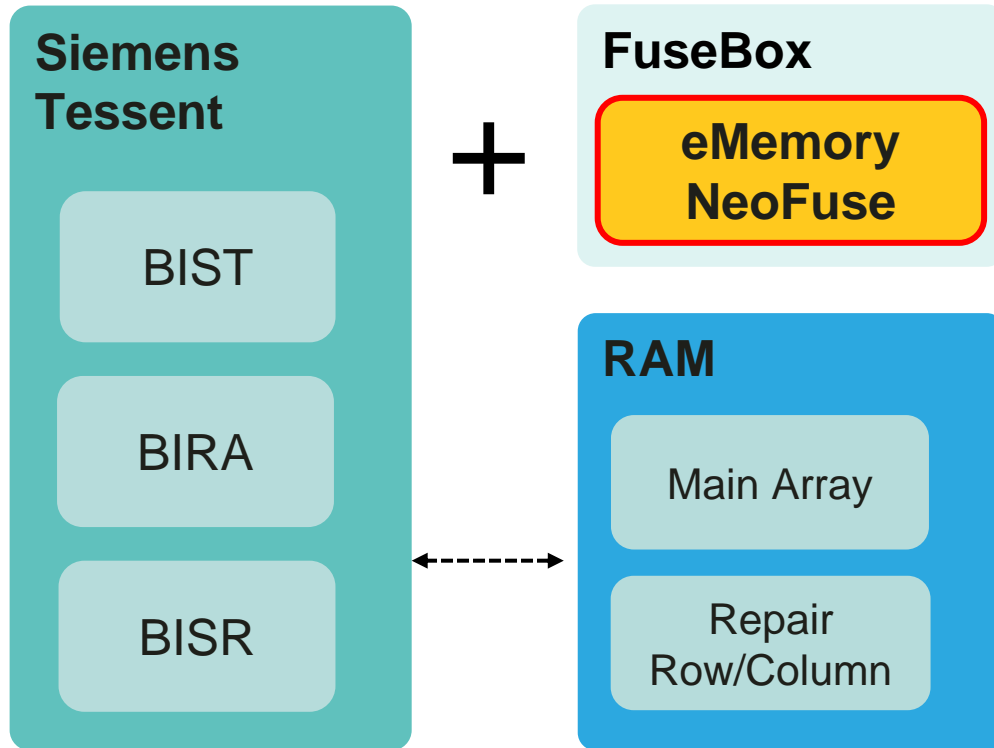
  
**NeoFuse**

64Kb

~0.1mm<sup>2</sup>

Repair needs **16~256Kb OTP!**

# Partnering for Success: eMemory and Siemens



*BIST = Built-in Self Test*

*BIRA = Built-In Redundancy Analysis*

*BISR = Memory Built-in Self Repair*

eMemory provides OTP with interface for Siemens MBIST:

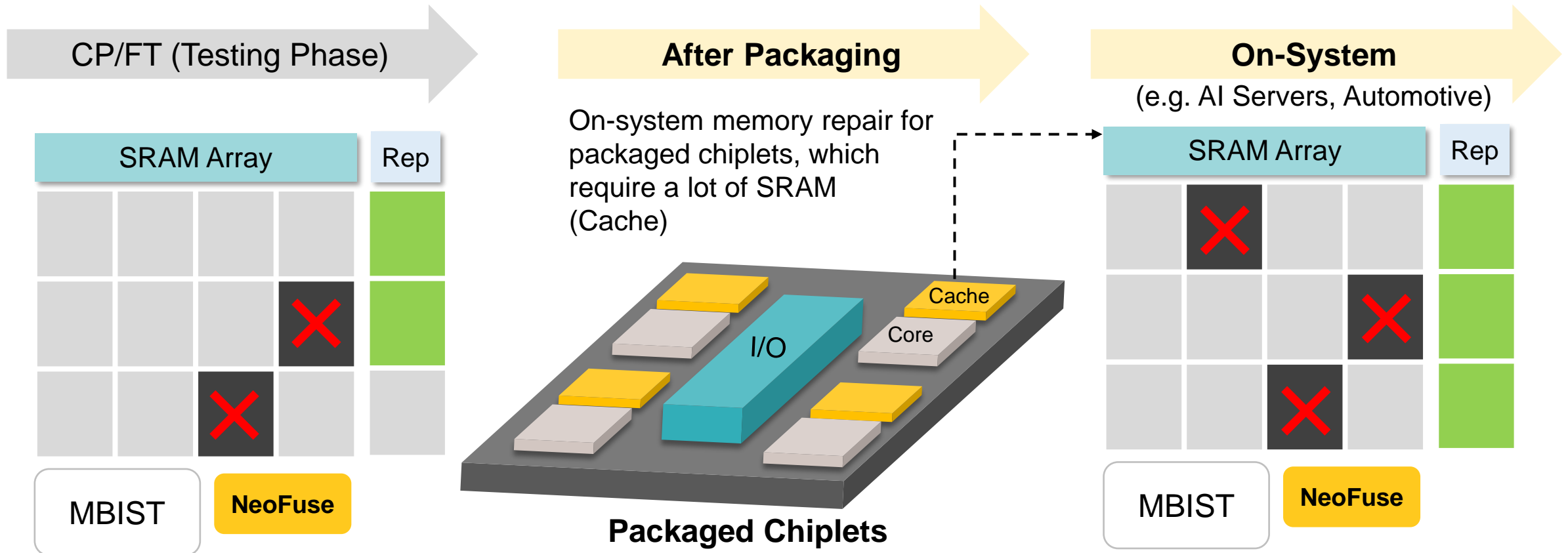
- **Tessent** provides memory BISR functions with BIST and BIRA
- **NeoFuse OTP** provides defect-free OTP using BIRA, BISR and adapter to Tessent
- **New MBISR**: Tessent MBISR + NeoFuse, scanning defective SRAM by word/column and logging to the OTP



1. **Compact**
2. **Flexible**
3. **Robust**

# On-System Repair for AI Accelerators

- Memory Built-in Self-Test (MBIST) offers **on-system repair** capabilities, which are essential for high-speed high-reliability applications and chiplet **architecture** or **after system** packaging.



Made possible with MBIST

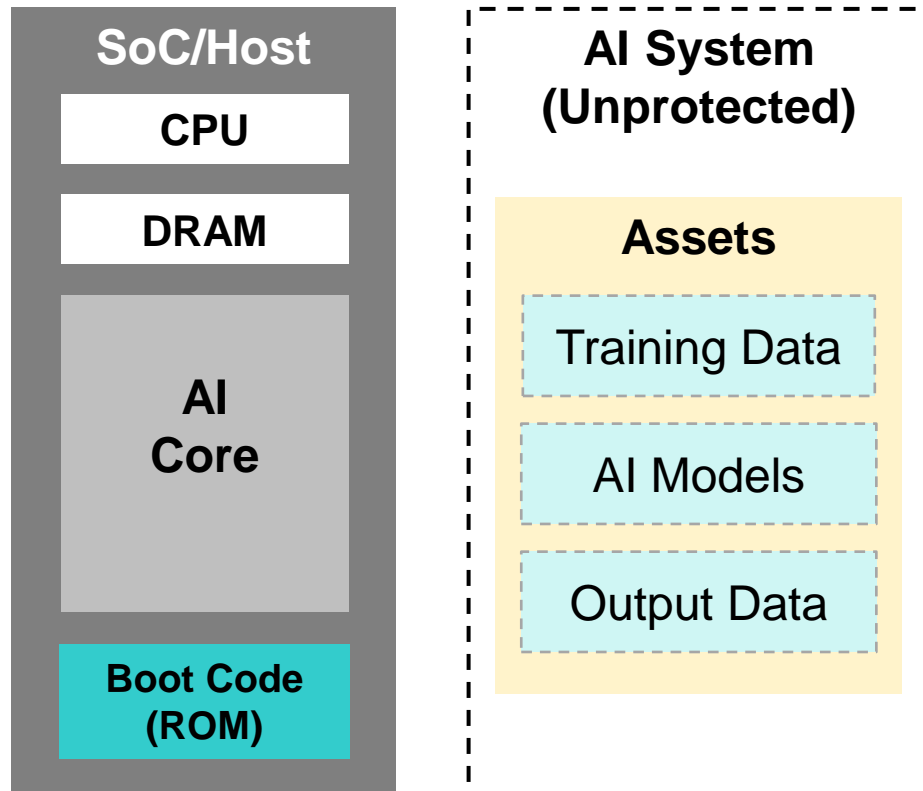
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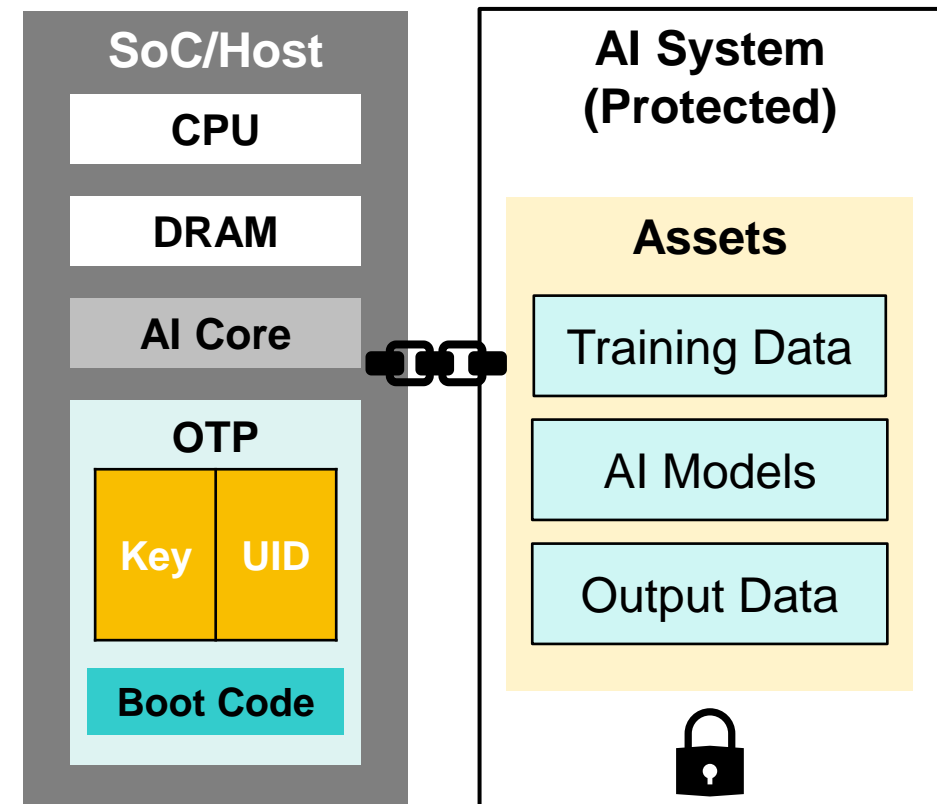
# eMemory enables HPC in **AI Applications**

- **eMemory's OTPs** can also **store boot codes, root key** and **unique ID** for the root of trust in **AI systems**.

**Without eMemory OTP**



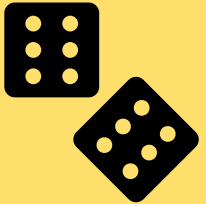
**With eMemory OTP**



# Why **PQC** Needs **PUF**? ■



**PUF** can **efficiently generate keys with long length**, which is needed for PQC.



**PUF** can **efficiently provide random numbers**, which are needed for **anti-tampering** in PQC.

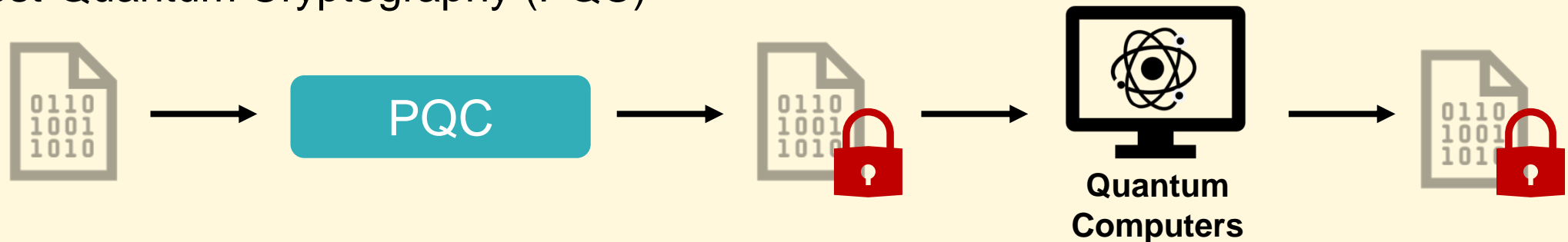
# What is PQC? .

- PQC aims to create cryptographic systems that can withstand attacks from quantum computers.

## Traditional Encryption Algorithms



## Post-Quantum Cryptography (PQC)



# Why is PQC Needed? ■

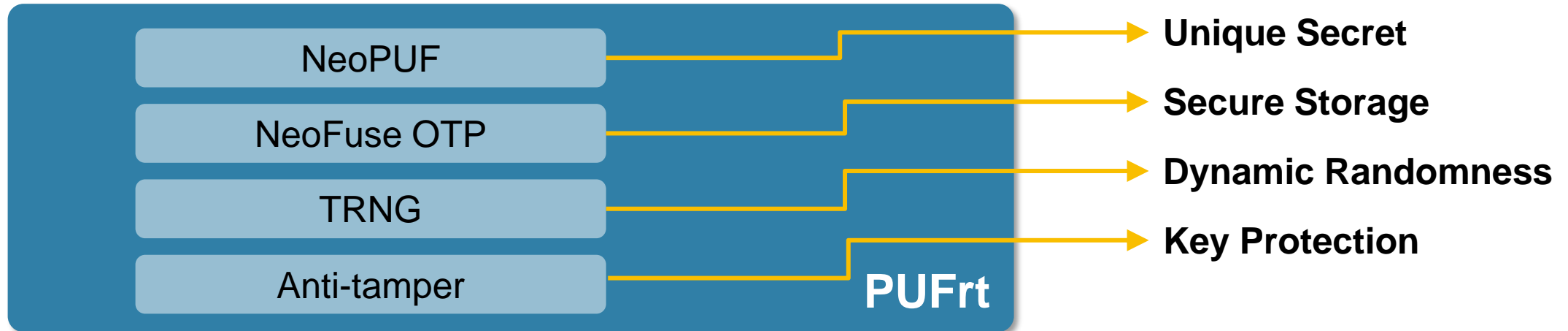
- As quantum computing progresses, the demand for encryption capable of resisting quantum attacks becomes critical.
- The sooner we implement PQC, the sooner we can guarantee the security of our data in a quantum future.



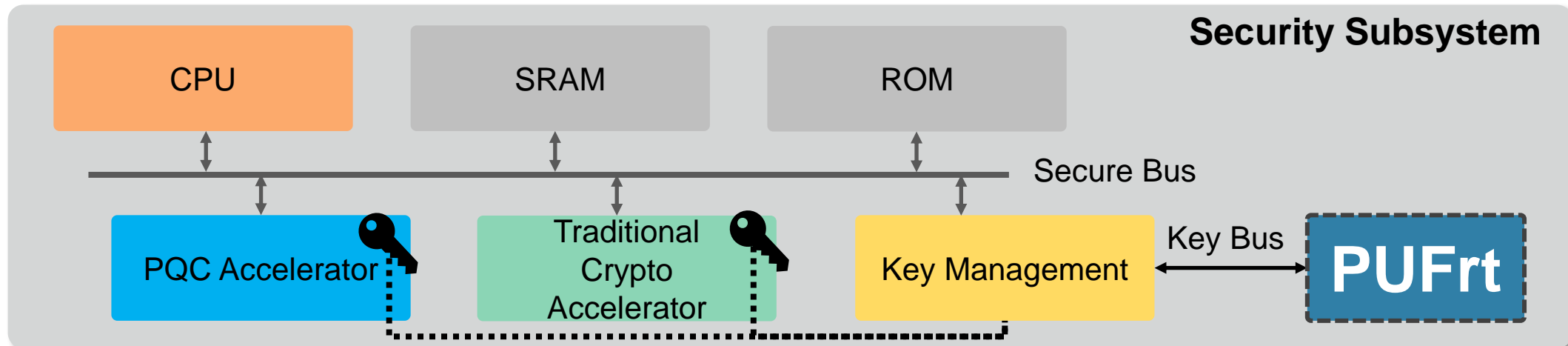
- In 2024, NIST officially announced three standards for PQC:
  - FIPS 203, Module-Lattice-Based Key-Encapsulation Mechanism Standard
  - FIPS 204, Module-Lattice-Based Digital Signature Standard
  - FIPS 205, Hash-Based Digital Signature Standard

# How PUF-based Solutions Help PQC? ■

- Our PUF-based Root of Trust (PUFrt) can help PQC:



- By integrating the PUFrt into the security subsystem, it can effectively manage the long and complex keys required for PQC algorithms.



# Thank You for your time ■

**For more information, please visit:**

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