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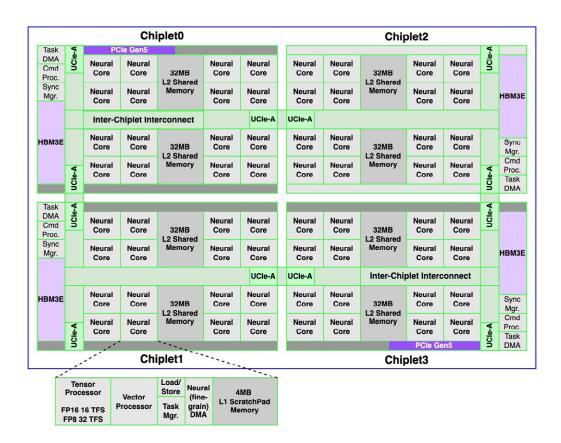
## Peta-Scale SoC for Massive Al Serving: REBEL-Quad

REBEL-Quad is an advanced AI SoC built on a UCle-Advanced chiplet architecture, designed to meet the extreme compute and memory demands of serving frontier LLMs at massive scale for hyperscalers, AI data centers, and enterprises.

It features a unified hardware-software stack that maximizes utilization and delivers exceptional performance-per-watt across both compute-bound prefill and memory-bound decoding phases. The chiplet-based design enables hyper scalability without compromising latency or coherence.



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[Figure 1. Block diagram of REBEL-Quad with four homogeneous chiplets]

### **Solving Challenges of LLM**

REBEL-Q introduces architectural solutions designed for energy-efficient AI inference at massive scale.

# **Unified Mixed Precision Compute Engine**

Combines FP8/FP16/FP32 arithmetic in a single core, boosting compute density by 2.8× and utilization by 16%.

# Predictive DMA & On-Chip Mesh

2.7 TB/s effective bandwidth with software-tuned DMA, backed by a 3.3× faster mesh fabric.

REBEL-Q's exceptional performance-per-watt, starts from its proprietary IP cores. A high-bandwidth on-chip mesh interconnect ensures seamless communication across all cores.

### **Holistic Synchronization**

Hardware-accelerated peer-to-peer and hierarchical communication enabling seamless distributed execution.

#### **Custom Die-to-Die Protocol**

1 TB/s per channel with 11ns inter-chiplet latency, while preserving modularity and enabling various chiplet expansions.

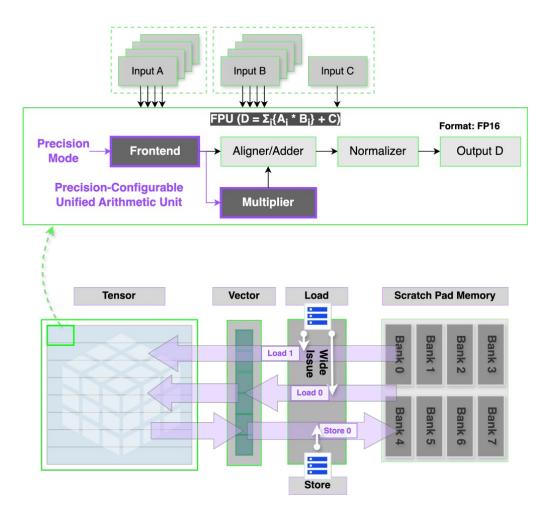
The software stack is tightly coupled to the underlying hardware to enable frictionless scalability to serve frontier models. Backed by a custom die-to-die protocol, REBEL-Q reliably supports the massive inference demands for hyperscalers and Al data centers.

### **Unified Mixed Precision Compute with Chiplet-Scale Scalability**

Traditional NPUs rely on separate arithmetic blocks for different precision formats (e.g., FP8, FP16, BF16), leading to inefficiencies in both area and dataflow scheduling. REBEL-Quad introduces a unified arithmetic engine supporting per-operand configurable precision, eliminating the need for separate functional units.

This design enables:

- · 2.8× higher compute density compared to legacy implementations
- · 16% higher average core utilization
- · Reduced instruction dependency via hardware-managed wide-issue execution



[Figure 2. Unified multi-/mixed-precision arithmetic core]

The wide-issue mechanism balances memory bandwidth across tensor and vector cores, ensuring simultaneous access to registers and scratchpad memory. These improvements are particularly beneficial in compute-heavy stages of LLM inference, where sustained FP8 throughput is essential. REBEL-Quad achieves 2 PFLOPS (FP8) compute within a single-node four-chiplet package, significantly enhancing performance-per-watt.

#### **Predictive DMA and High-Bandwidth Memory Access**

In the decoding phase, token-by-token generation is limited by KV cache memory bandwidth, which scales poorly with longer context windows. To mitigate this, REBEL-Quad implements a predictive, software-configurable DMA engine capable of:

- · 2.8× TB/s effective memory bandwidth
- · Simultaneous local and remote HBM access
- · Multi-path routing for bandwidth interleaving

This DMA is tightly integrated with REBEL-Q's custom on-chip mesh interconnect, providing 3.3× higher per-core bandwidth over previous architectures. The DMA engine also supports per-task QoS, minimizing latency spikes and dependency stalls across long-tail workloads.

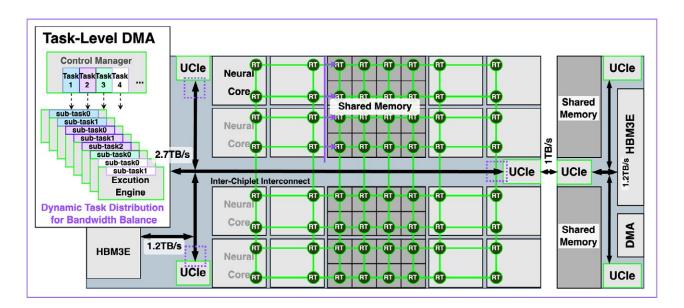
#### **Hierarchical Synchronization and Peer Communication**

To sustain performance across distributed workloads, especially in models with complex attention patterns and long-range dependencies, REBEL-Quad employs a full-chip synchronization and communication mechanism.

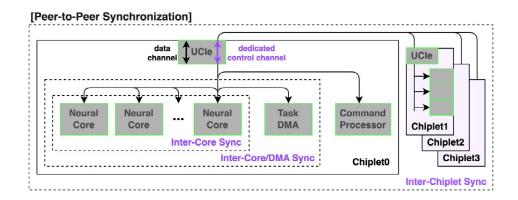
Key mechanisms include:

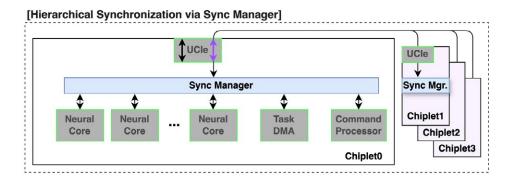
- · A dedicated virtual channel for control signals across the mesh network
- · A centralized synchronization manager that orchestrates execution flow
- · Hardware-accelerated peer-to-peer communication between cores, DMAs, and synchronization units

The hierarchical communication protocol supports both fine-grained intra-chiplet coordination and scalable interchiplet dependency resolution, ensuring maximum utilization across all neural cores during concurrent prefill and decoding. This architecture avoids traditional synchronization bottlenecks and minimizes software overhead, enabling compute-dense execution, high utilization rate, and consequently, maximum performance-per-watt.



[Figure 3. Full-chip data transfer utilizing neural cores and DMA engines]





[Figure 4. Full-chip peer-to-peer and hierarchical synchronization scheme using the per-chiplet centralized sync manager]

#### Scalable Die-to-Die Protocol for Modular Expansion

REBEL-Quad's modular design is enabled by a custom die-to-die protocol based on UCle-Advanced, offering:

- · 1TB/s bi-directional per-channel throughput and 11ns full-path inter-chiplet latency
- · Load-store memory semantics across dies
- · Future-proofed via flexible scale-up and scale-out

This interconnect transforms the multi-chip system into a virtually monolithic unit, while preserving modular scalability for future system expansion. Each chiplet communicates via three UCle channels, with topology-aware die rotation ensuring horizontal mesh continuity. The protocol is paired with a robust switch network and real-time debug mechanisms to support high-reliability, error-free operation, essential for supporting massive Al serving demands of frontier models, especially for hyperscalers, Al data centers, and enterprises. Future extensibility is planned through I/O and memory expander chiplets, enabling even broader system configurations with minimal redesign.

REBEL-Quad delivers the performance, efficiency, and scalability needed to serve next-generation LLMs—without compromise. Its chiplet-based design enables modular upgrades and long-term adaptability, making it an ideal foundation for enterprise-scale Al systems.

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