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Silicon Intellectual Property



Providing high-speed wired and wireless connectivity cores for SOC solutions

ANALOG INTEGRATED ELECTRONIC SYSTEMS

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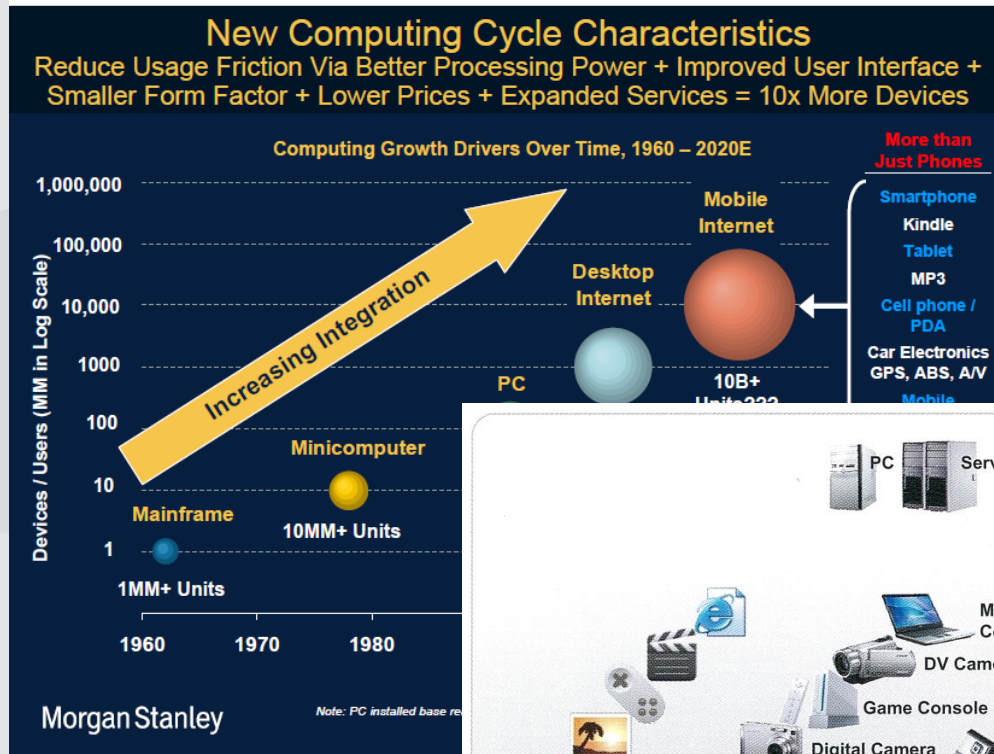
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Overview

- Development and provision of high-speed wired and wireless connectivity intellectual property cores
- To serve fabless IC, IDMs, OEMs, ODMs designing SOCs that require high speed connectivity
- SOC developers have to cope with shrinking Time to Market windows, difficult to develop connectivity IP, elevated risk of failure
- We work to offer silicon proven, high speed interface cores, tailored to customer needs, providing time to market and risk mitigation
- Memory interface (DDR2/3), Wired (USB3) and Wireless (PLL), FEC (LDPC) IP cores - two alpha customer engagements
- To provide Per Use License IP, Design Service and IP Derivatives, direct in US and EU, via reps in Japan/APAC
- Strong management team, talented development team, experienced BoD
- Financially stable: founded 2006, has seed and startup capital of 1,85 m€ provided by the founders and a private equity firm – funds complimented by 2,36m€ of EU and Greek state grants - break even expected in 2013
- Working to establish its position into the silicon intellectual property market



Market Drivers



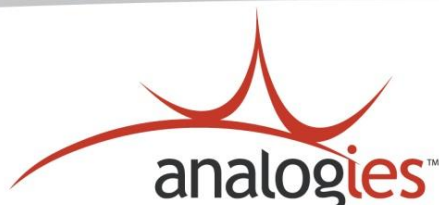
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Next billion \$ opportunities

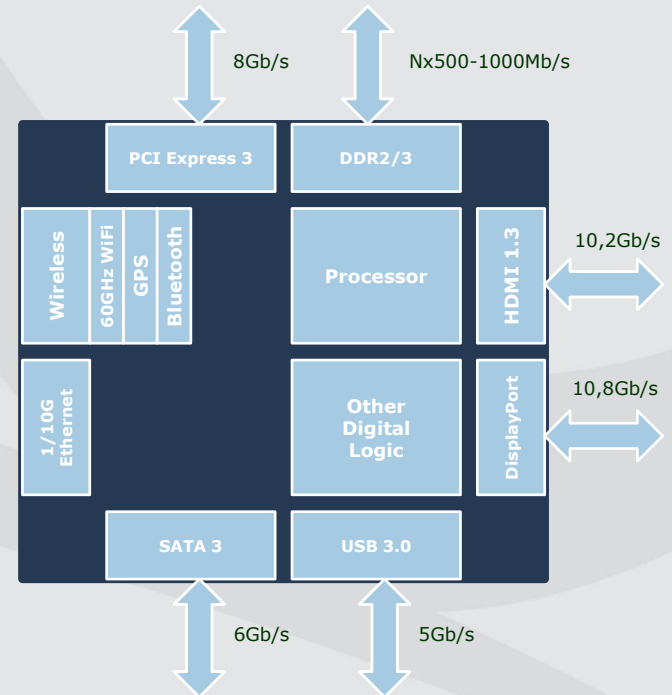
Proliferation of digital content and mobility

- Increasing bandwidth requirements drive need for high speed data transport interfaces
- Low standby and operating power at optimized performance



The Pain

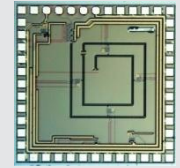
- SOCs increasing in complexity and cost
 - Difficult to develop all IP blocks
 - Shrinking time to market window
 - Continued integration critical
- Growing Demand for Reusable & Proven IP
 - Difficult and costly to develop in-house
 - 2008: AVG SOC revenue 9.1m \$, 12m window, a 6 months slip costs 4,5m \$ revenue*
 - IP licensing speeds time to market, reduces overall development expense, minimizes risk
- New Gigabit High Speed Interfaces
 - Far from trivial, require cross functional expertise to develop
 - High performance **and** low power



Products

- **Very high speed PLL/VCO IPs, incl. patented distributed differential architecture**

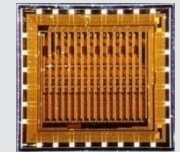
Working towards a 60GHz PLL, 14GHz DDVCO prototype available
Technology applicable in 60GHz UWB/WirelessHD RF applications, as well as 77/79GHz Automotive Radar and Ultra High Speed Interfaces (40/100Gbit/s Ethernet)



DDVCO

- **Direct implementation of computational intensive signal processing functions for advanced iterative turbo-like forward error correction (FEC)**

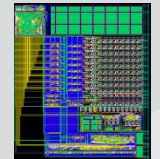
Currently as Analog SISO decoder prototype (ASISOD)
In development of digital soft IP high throughput TURBO/LDPC codec, suitable for LTE backhaul, Mobile WiMAX, P1901 BPL, DVB-S2/RCS applications



ASISOD

- **High Speed DDR2 SDRAM PHY with DFI compliant interface to memory controller, capable of up to 533MHz operating frequency**

B0 prototype with interface to DFI Memory Controller consisting of soft and hard IP blocks, in TSMC 90nm available



DDR2PHY_B0

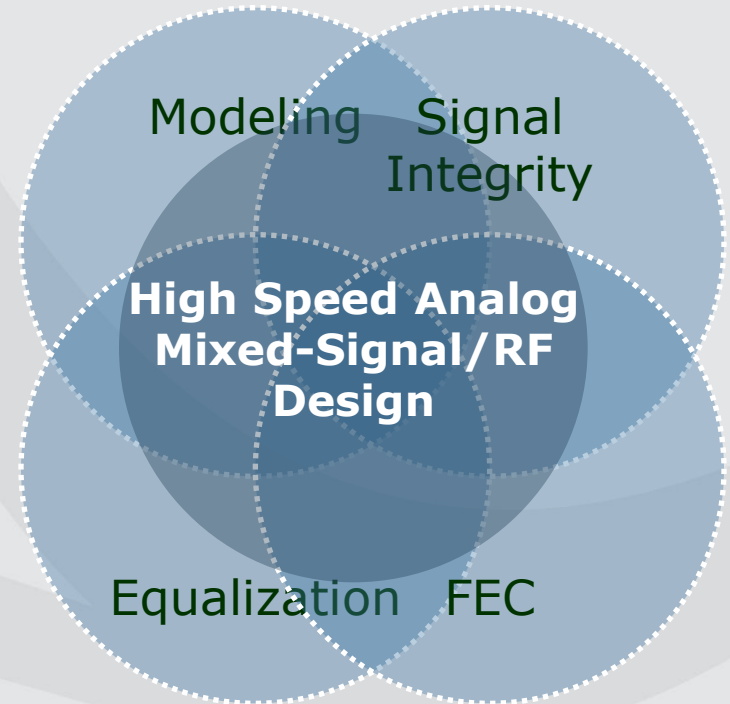
- **Superspeed USB3.0 PHY**

Currently in early development phase for A0 prototype, to include soft and hard IP blocks, 8-16bit PIPE interface, in TSMC 65nm LP



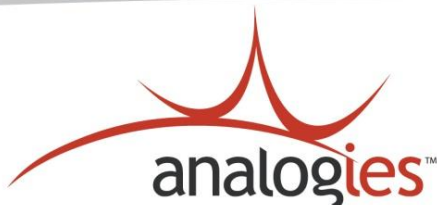
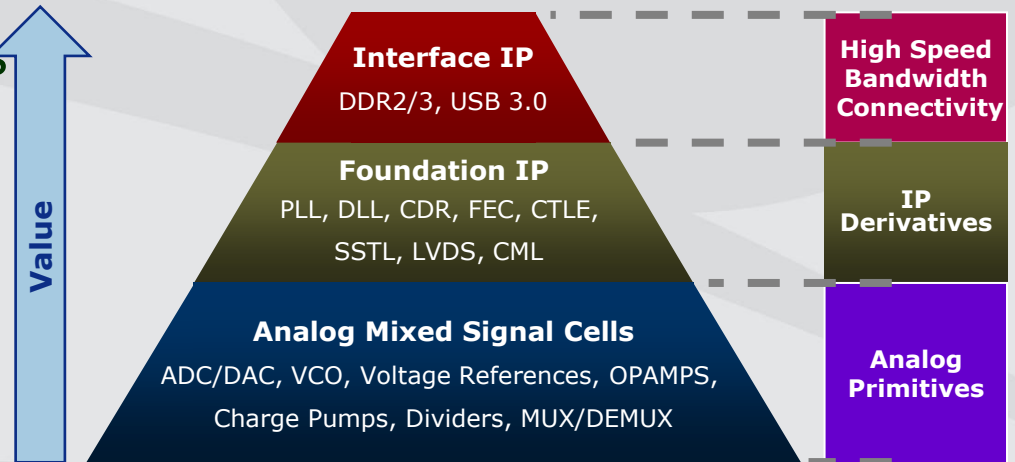
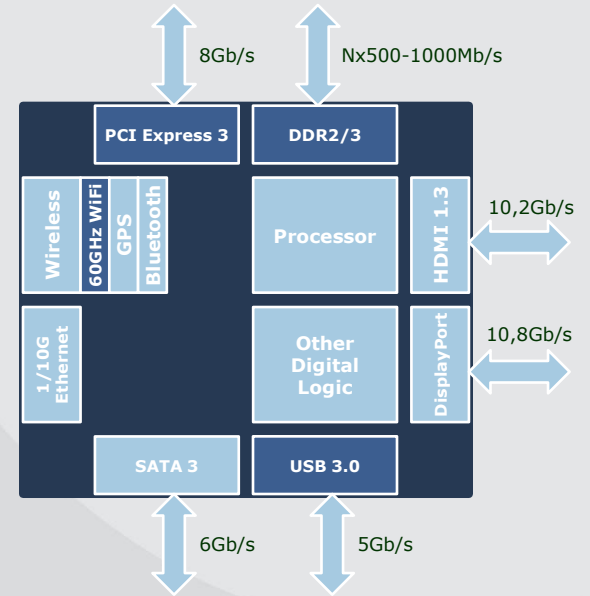
Technology

- Unique mix of algorithm modeling, signal integrity, equalization and forward error correction know how
- Advanced analog mixed-signal/RF design expertise
- Differentiated patent protected analog building cells (VCO, ADC, VREF, CP, FEC)
- High Performance **and** Low Power

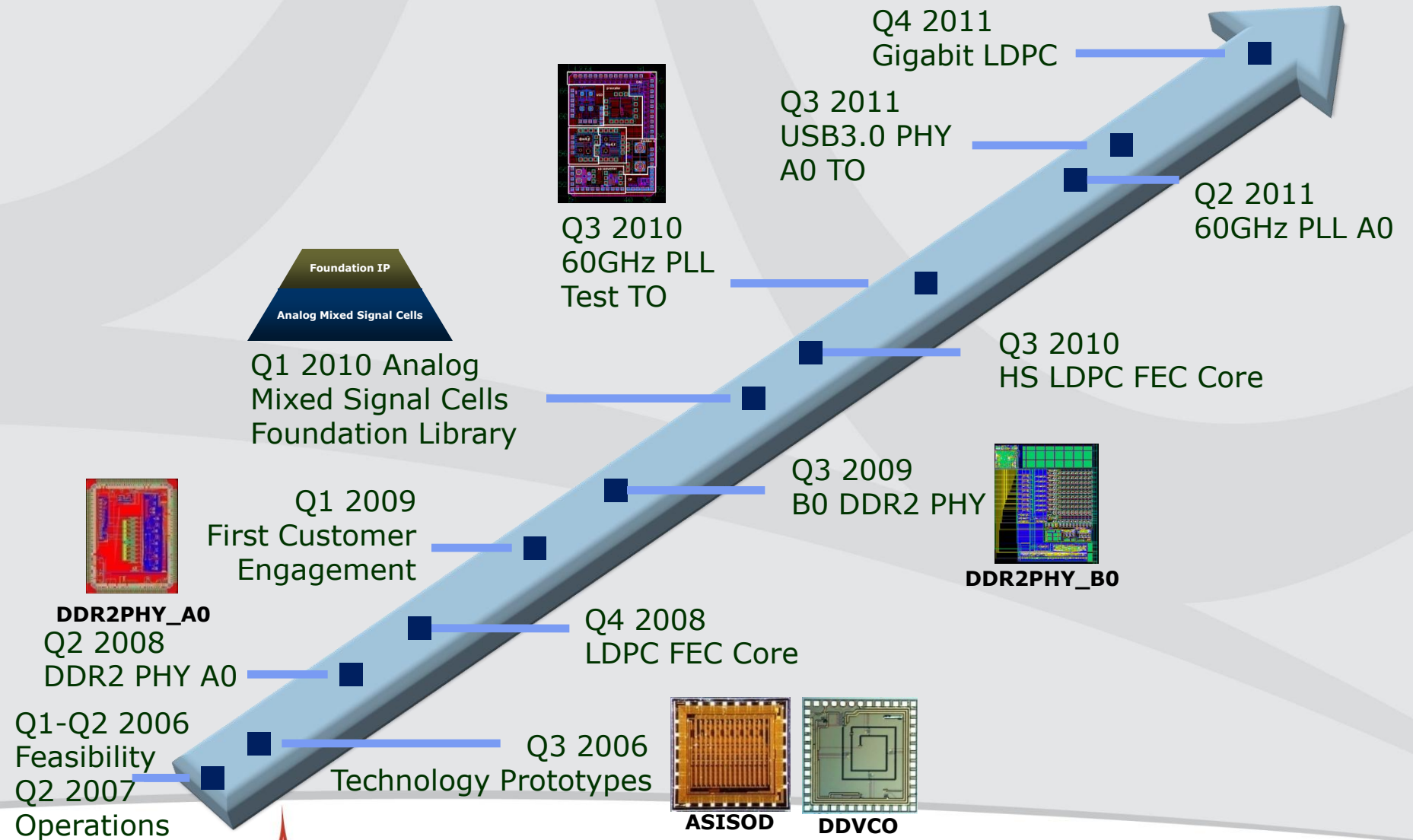


Development Method

- Analog mixed-signal/RF High Speed Intellectual Property (IP) Interface Cores
 - Silicon proven for risk mitigation and time to market
 - Built from scratch for 90nm and less
 - Protected by patents
- Analog/mixed signal/RF integration design services
 - Customization to customer requirements
 - Derivative designs

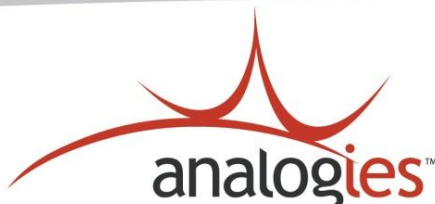


Timeline



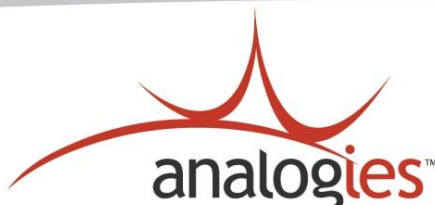
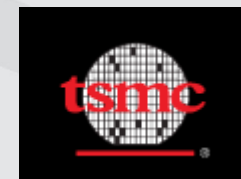
Advanced Design Tools & Infrastructure

- **Rich Analog/Mixed-signal (AMS) Design Flow Environment**
 - **Cadence Virtuoso Custom Design Platform** for analog/mixed-signal (AMS) design flow at **XL-level** including **Virtuoso Digital Implementation Option**
 - **Mentor Graphics'** AMS Unified SoC flow incl. **Calibre** for DRC/LVS
 - **Synopsys** digital implementation flow including back-end, consisting of VHDL and Verilog HDL, Power & DFT, PrimeRail & Formality, IC Compiler, DC Ultra and DesignWare Library
 - **Advanced RF and Microwave IC design** through **Ansoft's Designer, HFSS, Nexxim** and **Ansoftlinks** tools
 - **Mathworks Matlab and Ansoft Designer** for algorithmic/system modelling
- **BERTScope S 12500B 0.1–12.5 Gbps Signal Integrity Analyzer with Stressed Eye™** from Tektronix (former Synthesys Research)
- **Strong IT Infrastructure**
 - **2 CAE/Compute Servers**
IBM System x3650, Dual Intel Xeon Quad Core E5420
IBM System x3650, Dual Intel Xeon Dual Core 5140
 - **2 Workflow/Workgroup Servers**
IBM System x3650s, Dual Core Intel Xeon 5140, running Microsoft Windows Server 2003 R2, Sharepoint Services & Exchange 2007



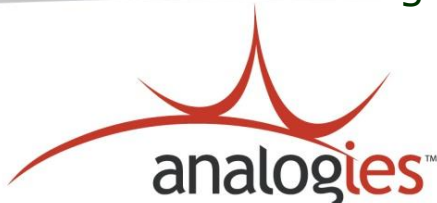
Partnerships/Memberships

- **Hellenic Semiconductor Industry Association** member
 - <http://www.hellenic-sia.org>
- **Mi-cluster:** member to the **Corallia supported microelectronics cluster program**
 - <http://www.corallia.org>
- **Former IEEE P1901 Broadband over Powerline** working group member
 - <http://grouper.ieee.org/groups/1901>
- **Cadence Startup Accelerator Program** member
 - http://www.cadence.com/services/Pages/startup_accel.aspx
- **TSMC Europe Emerging Business Program (EBP)** member
- **IBM** Foundry Access through MOSIS



Why Analogies?

- Provides leading **analog/mixed-signal RF silicon Intellectual Property (IP) & design services**
 - Positioned in the Analog Mixed Signal, PHY & Physical IP market segments which are high demand and growth areas
- **High Speed analog/mixed-signal RF and FEC silicon design is still an art**
 - Analog IP blocks require tailored functionality, are not easily repeatable or programmable – FEC requires strong mathematical foundation and algorithmic understanding as well as HW implementation tradeoffs
 - Very **high speed analog PHY/RF** design remains **far from trivial**
- Analogies' **Intellectual Property (IP) and personnel's expertise** are its **key differentiators**
 - Based on innovative technologies that provide sustainable competitive advantage
 - Existing IP and team expertise an ideal fit for very high speed wireline & wireless RF interfaces, data communication and data storage applications, all deemed high growth markets



Thank you!

Welcome to the European Bay Area in the forming! *



* Actual photo taken from the Analogies premises in Rio, Patras



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