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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the office communication mailed August 17, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) A method for data processing in a reconfigurable computing system, the reconfigurable computing system comprising at least one reconfigurable processor, the reconfigurable processor comprising a plurality of functional units, said method comprising:

defining a calculation at the at least one reconfigurable processor for said reconfigurable computing system;

transforming an algorithm into a calculation that is systolically implemented by said reconfigurable computing system at the at least one reconfigurable processor;

instantiating at least two of said functional units at the at least one reconfigurable processor to perform said calculation wherein how many only functional units needed to solve and functional type of each functional unit is based on the calculation are instantiated and wherein each instantiated functional unit at the at least one reconfigurable processor communications interconnects with each other instantiated functional unit at the at least one reconfigurable processor independent of external and internal communication protocols based on reconfigurable routing resources within the at least one reconfigurable processor as established at instantiation, and wherein systolically linked lines of code of said calculation are instantiated as clusters of functional units within the at least one reconfigurable processor;

utilizing a first of said <u>instantiated</u> functional units to operate upon a subsequent data dimension of said calculation <u>forming a first computational loop</u>; and

substantially concurrently utilizing a second of said <u>instantiated</u> functional units to operate upon a previous data dimension of said calculation <u>forming a second computational loop wherein said systolic implementation of said calculation enables said first computational loop and said second computational loop execute <u>concurrently and pass computed data seamlessly between said computational loops</u>.</u>

- 2. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said subsequent and previous data dimensions of said calculation comprise multiple vectors in said calculation.
- (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said subsequent and previous data dimensions of said calculation comprise multiple planes in said calculation.
- (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said subsequent and previous data dimensions of said calculation comprise multiple time steps in said calculation.
- 5. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said subsequent an previous data dimensions of said calculation comprise multiple grid points in said calculation.
- 6. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises a seismic imaging calculation.
- 7. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises a synthetic aperture radar imaging calculation.
- 8. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises a JPEG image compression calculation.

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- (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises an MPEG image compression calculation.
- 10. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises a fluid flow calculation for a reservoir simulation.
- 11. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises a fluid flow calculation for weather prediction.
- 12. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises a fluid flow calculation for automotive applications.
- 13. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises a fluid flow calculation for aerospace applications.
- 14. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises a fluid flow calculation for an injection molding application.
- 15. (previously presented) The method of claim 1 wherein instantiating includes establishing a stream communication connection between functional units.
- 16. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation is comprises a structures calculation for structural analysis.
- 17. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises a search algorithm for an image search.
- 18. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises a search algorithm for data mining.
- 19. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises a financial modeling application.

- 20. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises an encryption algorithm.
- 21. (canceled)
- 22. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises a genetic pattern matching function.
- 23. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises a protein folding function.
- 24. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises an organic structure interaction function.
- 25. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein said calculation comprises a signal filtering application.
- 26. (currently amended) A method for data processing in a reconfigurable computing system, the reconfigurable computing system comprising at least one reconfigurable processor comprising a plurality of functional units, said method comprising:

transforming an algorithm into a calculation that is systolically implemented by said reconfigurable computing system at the at least one reconfigurable processor wherein systolically linked lines of code of said calculation are instantiated as walls of functional units within the at least one reconfigurable processor;

defining a first systolic wall comprising rows of cells forming a subset of said plurality of functional units;

computing at the at least one reconfigurable processor a value at each of said cells in at least a first row of said first systolic wall substantially concurrently; communicating said values between cells in said first row of said cells to

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produce updated values, wherein communicating said values is <u>based on</u>

<u>reconfigurable routing resources within the at least one reconfigurable processor</u>

<u>both internal and external communication protocol independent;</u>

communicating said updated values <u>substantially concurrently</u> to a second row of said first systolic wall, wherein communicating said updated values is <u>both</u> internal and external communication protocol independent <u>based on reconfigurable</u> routing resources within the at least one reconfigurable processor; and

substantially concurrently providing-communicating said updated values substantially concurrently to a first row of a second systolic wall of rows of cells in said subset of said plurality of functional units, wherein communicating said updated values is based on reconfigurable routing resources within the at least one reconfigurable processor and wherein said first systolic wall of rows of cells and said second wall of rows of systolic cells execute substantially concurrently and pass computed data seamlessly between said systolic walls.

- 27. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to vectors in a computation.
- 28. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to planes in a computation.
- 29. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to time steps in a computation.
- 30. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to grid points in a computation.
- 31. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said step of communicating said updated values to a second row of said first systolic wall is carried out without storing said updated values in an extrinsic memory.

- 32. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to a seismic imaging calculation.
- 33. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to a synthetic aperture radar imaging calculation.
- 34. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to a JPEG image compression calculation.
- 35. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to an MPEG image compression calculation.
- 36. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to a fluid flow calculation for a reservoir simulation.
- 37. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to a fluid flow calculation for weather prediction.
- 38. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to a fluid flow calculation for automotive applications.
- 39. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to a fluid flow calculation for aerospace applications.
- 40. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to a fluid flow calculation for an injection molding application.
- 41. (currently amended) The method of claim 26 wherein defining includes establishing a stream communication connection between functional units and wherein how many only functional units and functional type of each functional unit is

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based on a computing algorithm within the reconfigurable computing system_needed to solve the calculations are instantiated.

- 42. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to a structures calculation for structural analysis.
- 43. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to a search algorithm for an image search.
- 44. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to a search algorithm for data mining.
- 45. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to a financial modeling application.
- 46. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to an encryption algorithm.
- 47. (canceled)
- 48. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to a genetic pattern matching function.
- 49. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to a protein folding function.
- 50. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to an organic structure interaction function.
- 51. (original) The method of claim 26 wherein said values correspond to a signal filtering application.

- 52. (canceled)
- 53. (previously presented) The method of claim 26 wherein said reconfigurable computing system comprises at least one microprocessor.
- 54. (currently amended) A method for data processing in a reconfigurable computing system, the reconfigurable computer system comprising at least one reconfigurable processor comprising a plurality of functional units, said method comprising:

transforming an algorithm into a calculation that is systolically implemented by said reconfigurable computing system at the at least one reconfigurable processor wherein systolically linked lines of code of said calculation are instantiated as subsets of said plurality of functional units within the at least one reconfigurable processor forming columns of said calculation;

performing said calculation at the at least one reconfigurable processor by said subsets a subset of said plurality of functional units to produce computed data;

passing exchanging said computed data between [[from]] a first column of said calculation [[to]] and a next column in said calculation, wherein said exchanging passing is based on reconfigurable routing resources within the at least one reconfigurable processor and wherein execution of said subsets of said plurality of function units occurs concurrently and said computed data is seamlessly passed between said first column of said calculation and said second column of said calculation both internal and external communication protocol independent:

evaluating a rate of change in at least one variable for each of said columns in said calculation;

continuing said calculation when said variable does not change for a particular column of said calculation; and

restarting said calculation at said column of said calculation where said variable does change.

- 55. (canceled)
- 56. (currently amended) The method of claim 54 wherein how many functional units comprise the subset and functional type of each functional unit in said subset is based on the calculation and wherein the passing step is external communication protocol independent.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1-20, 22-46, 48-51, 53, 54 and 56 were presented for examination and are pending in this application. In an Official Office Action dated August 17, 2006, claims 1-20, 22-46, 48-51, 53, 54 and 56 were rejected. The Applicant thanks the Examiner for his consideration and addresses the Examiner's comments concerning the claims pending in this application below.

Applicant herein amends claims 1, 26, 41, 54 and 56 and respectfully traverses the Examiner's prior rejections. No claims are presently canceled and no new claims are presently added. These changes are believed not to introduce new matter, and their entry is respectfully requested. The claims have been amended to expedite the prosecution and issuance of the application. In making this amendment, Applicant has not and is not narrowing the scope of the protection to which the Applicant considers the claimed invention to be entitled and does not concede, directly or by implication, that the subject matter of such claims were in fact disclosed or taught by the cited prior art. Rather, Applicant reserves the right to pursue such protection at a later point in time and merely seeks to pursue protection for the subject matter presented in this submission.

Based on the above amendment and the following remarks, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider all outstanding rejections and withdraw them.

Summary of Interview with the Examiner

A telephonic interview was conducted between the Examiner and the Applicant's attorney on October 12, 2006 and on October 24, 2006. During these interviews distinctions between the Applicant's invention and the prior art were

discussed. Specifically, the Applicant discussed the transformation of a serial based algorithm to one that can be systolically implemented in a reconfigurable processor. Additionally, the claims concurrent execution of computation units in such a systolic fashion in comparison to the non concurrent systolic nature of the cited references were discussed. Discussion also centered on the use of the words "protocol independent" to impart the ability of functional units to seamlessly pass computed data between computational loops comprised of functional units. Proposed amendments where discussed although no specific language was agreed upon. The Examiner requested that the Applicant further define the term instantiated and systolic in subsequent communications.

Rejection of the claims under 35 U.S.C. §112

Claims 1-20, 22-46, 48-51, 53, 54, and 56 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112 first paragraph as failing to comply with the written description requirement. The Examiner asserts that the application fails to comply with the written description and enablement requirement with respect to the language of the independent claims stating "wherein each functional unit at the at least one reconfigurable processor communicates with each other functional unit at the at least one reconfigurable processor independent of external and internal communication protocols." The Applicant respectfully disagrees.

The present invention describes and claims methods in a reconfigurable processing system comprising at least one reconfigurable processor. As described in the specification at least in the paragraphs beginning on line 26 of page 10 and on line 3 of page 11, each reconfigurable processor can possess a plurality of functional units. The instantiation of the at least one reconfigurable processor with at least two functional units enables each functional unit to communicate with each other. Certainly communication between other reconfigurable processors within the

system would require communication protocol but communication between functional units within an individual reconfigurable processor is free of such a requirement. To alleviate any confusion, the reference to the term "protocol" has been replaced with an "interconnection" between functional units that is established by reconfigurable routing resources inside each chip.

The Examiner also rejects the aforementioned claims on the grounds that the number of functional units needed to solve a particular problem is not described in the specification. The Applicant refers the Examiner to lines 2-8 of page 3 of the specification. While the Applicant believes the concept of the "type" and "number" of functional unit is implied in the aforementioned portion of the specification, the wording of the claim has been amended to align with the specification, namely that only the functional units needed to solve a particular application are instantiated.

Instantiation is a term well known to one of ordinary skill in the art of reconfigurable processing. A reconfigurable processor is essentially a blank processor that must be configured (instantiated) to conduct a particular task. To instantiate means to create such an instance or configuration by, for example, defining one particular variation of the processor's structure. This involves allocation of a structure with the types specified by a template and the initialization of instance variables with either default values or those provided by a constructor function. In reconfigurable computing a hard macro library file is typically inserted into a design file. A design may include multiple instances of the same library file with each possessing a unique name. Thus in the Applicant's invention the reconfigurable processor is instantiated and designed to perform the defined calculation. Each instantiation for each calculation is unique.

Similarly the term systolic computation is derived from continual and pulsating pumping of the human heart. In computer architecture a systolic array is an

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arrangement of data processing units similar to a central processing unit but without a program counter or clock that drives the movement of data. That is because the operation of the systolic array is transport triggered, i.e. by the arrival of a data object. Data flows across the array between functional units, usually with different data flowing in different directions. David J. Evans in his work, Systolic algorithms. Systolic algorithms, number 3 in Topics in Computer Mathematics, Gordon and Breach, 1991 define a Systolic system as a "network of processors which rhythmically compute an pass data through the system" Thus in the Applicant's invention Systolic implementation will connect computational loops such that data from one compute loop will be passed as input data to a concurrently executing compute loop. In the Applicant's invention data computed by computation units or groups of functional units flows seamlessly and concurrently with data being computed by other groups of functional units. Thus, the process claimed by the Applicant therefore significantly increases the computing processes taking place in a reconfigurable processor.

35 U.S.C. §103(a) Obviousness Rejection of Claims

Claims 1-5, 15, 21, 26-31, 41, 47, 52, 53 and 56 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent No. 5,956,518 ("DeHon") in view of U.S. Patent No. 5,274,832 ("Khan"). Dependent claims 2-14, 16-20, 22-25, 32-40, 42-46, 48-51, and 54 were rejected as being unpatentable over DeHon in view of Khan as applied to the applicable independent claim in further view of various citations of prior art. Applicant respectfully traverses these rejections in view of the following remarks and addresses the rejection of all dependent claims as being based on the rejection of the underlying independent claim.

MPEP §2143 provides:

To establish a *prima facie* case of obviousness, three basic criteria must be met. First, there must be some suggestion or motivation,

either in the references themselves or in the knowledge generally available to one of ordinary skill in the art, to modify the reference or to combine reference teaching. Second, there must be a reasonable expectation of success. Finally, the prior art reference (or references when combined) must teach or suggest all the claim limitations.

The cited references fail to teach or suggest all of the limitations recited in the claims as currently amended. For example, independent claim 1 (and claims 26 and 54 in varying language) recites, among other things, "transforming an algorithm into a calculation that is systolically implemented by said reconfigurable computing system at the at least one reconfigurable processor ... wherein systolically linked lines of code of said calculation are instantiated as clusters of functional units within the at least one reconfigurable processor ... [and] wherein said systolic implementation of said calculation enables said first computational loop and said second computational loop execute concurrently and pass computed data seamlessly between said computational loops."

DeHon and Khan fail to teach or suggest transforming an algorithm that is serial in nature to one that is systolic in nature for implementation on a reconfigurable processor. Converting a serial based algorithm into a calculation that can be implemented on a reconfigurable processor in a systolic fashion is described in detail in the examples provided in the specification. Specifically, Figures 8A-8C and the text beginning on line 8 of page 17 continuing through line 19 of page 20 describe a systolic wave front operation relating to, in this example, bioinformatics.

The Applicant's invention further forms computation units that are executed concurrently in a systolic fashion such that data computed within each computational unit is seamlessly and concurrently passed between the computational units. This transformation of the serial algorithm to one that is

systolic in nature and its implementation on a reconfigurable processor such that the computation units can operate concurrently and share data seamlessly provides considerable computational advantages and resulting efficiencies.

Several examples of this transformation and its implementation are illustrated in the specification and accompanying figures. As mentioned, Figures 8A-8C and the accompanying text beginning on page 17, line 8 convey the transformation of a bioinformatics process into a systolic wave-front operation. This and the other examples described in the specification detail the advantage and utility of the Applicant's invention which is distinguishable from both DeHon and Khan.

In view of all of the above, the claims are now believed to be allowable and the case in condition for allowance which action is respectfully requested. Should the Examiner be of the opinion that a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of this case, the Examiner is requested to contact Applicant's attorney at the telephone number listed below.

No fee is believed due for this submittal. However, any fee deficiency associated with this submittal may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1123.

Respectfully submitted,

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Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 2, with the following amended paragraph:

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By this communication, Applicant hereby notifies the Commissioner of Patents that large entity status is no longer appropriate for the above-identified application, and we assert that Applicant is entitled to small entity status.

A Certification of Small Entity Status, signed by Applicant, is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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SRC001 CON2	01/08/2003	10/339,133	11/01/2005	6,961,841	MULTIPROCESSOR COMPUTER ARCHITECTURE
SRC001 CON3	10/20/2004	10/969,635	06/26/2007	7,237,091	MULTIPROCESSOR COMPUTER ARCHITECTURE
SRC002	01/20/1998	09/008,871			SCALABLE SINGLE SYSTEM IMAGE OPERATING
SRC003	02/03/1998	09/018,032	02/15/2000	6,026,459	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DYNAMIC PRIORITY
SRC004	06/30/1998	09/108,088	09/25/2001	6,295,598	SPLIT DIRECTORY-BASED CACHE COHERENCY
SRC006	07/25/2000	09/624,788	03/12/2002	6,356,983	SYSTEM AND METHOD PROVIDING CACHE
SRC007	08/15/2000	09/638,365	07/15/2003	6,594,736	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SEMAPHORE AND
SRC008	05/03/2000	09/563,561	01/15/2002	6,339,819	MULTIPROCESSOR WITH EACH PROCESSOR
SRC009	11/05/2001	10/008,128	12/28/2004	6,836,823	BANDWIDTH ENHANCEMENT FOR UNCACHED
SRC010	06/22/2001	09/888,276	08/13/2002	6,434,687	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ACCELERATING WEB
SRC011	12/05/2001	10/011,835	12/26/2006	7,155,602	INTERFACE FOR INTEGRATING
SRC011 CON	05/31/2005	11/140,718	01/23/2007	7,167,976	AN INTERFACE FOR INTEGRATING
SRC011 PRO	04/30/2001	60/286,979			DELIVERING ACCELERATION: THE POTENTIAL
SRC012	08/17/2001	09/932,330	05/13/2008	7,373,440	SWITCH/NETWORK ADAPTER PORT FOR
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SRC013	10/23/2002	10/278,345	10/17/2006		SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR EXPLICIT
SRC014	05/09/2002	10/142,045			ADAPTIVE PROCESSOR ARCHITECTURE
SRC014 DIV	05/02/2005	11/119,598		LENE	ADAPTIVE PROCESSOR ARCHITECTURE
SRC014 DIV/CIP	09/08/2005	11/222,417	07/29/2008	7,406,573	RECONFIGURABLE PROCESSOR ELEMENT
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SRC016	10/29/2002	10/282,986	02/21/2006		COMPUTER SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE AND
SRC017	10/31/2002	10/284,994	02/07/2006		SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING AN
SRC017 CON	07/22/2005	11/187,534			SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING AN
SRC018	10/31/2002	10/285,401	09/06/2005	6,941,539	EFFICIENCY OF RECONFIGURABLE HARDWARE
SRC019	10/31/2002	10/285,299	01/03/2006	6,983,456	PROCESS FOR CONVERTING PROGRAMS IN
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SRC020 PRO	10/31/2002	60/422,722			GENERAL PURPOSE RECONFIGURABLE
SRC021	10/31/2002	10/285,399	11/20/2007	7,299,458	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CONVERTING
SRC022	10/31/2002	10/285,298	11/08/2005		SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PARTITIONING
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SRC025	01/14/2003	10/345,082	11/07/2006	7.134.120	MAP COMPILER PIPELINED LOOP STRUCTURE
SRC026		a Carriedos or			HANDLING OF NON-NUMERIC VARIABLES
SRC027	07/11/2003	10/618,041	09/09/2008	7,424,552	SWITCH/NETWORK ADAPTER PORT
SRC027 CIP	06/16/2004	10/869,199	· vigtoria		SWITCH/NETWORK ADAPTER PORT
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SRC028	06/16/2004	10/869,200	12/12/2006	A Arrest Services on	SYSTEM AND METHOD OF ENHANCING
SRC028 PRO	06/18/2003	60/479,339	11160	MARK MIESTING	BANDWIDTH EFFICIENCY AND UTILIZATION
SRC029	10/17/2005	11/252,341	02/15/2011	7,890.686	DYNAMIC PRIORITY CONFLICT RESOLUTION IN A
SRC030	07/10/2006	11/456,466	11/19/2013		ELIMINATION OF STREAM CONSUMER LOOP

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SRC031 PRO	11/05/2010	61/410,676			SNAP INTERFACE USING MEMORY BUFFERS
SRC032 PRO	11/10/2010	61/412,124			COMPUTATIONAL UNIFICATION
SRC033 PRO	12/16/2011	61/576,846			MOBILE DEVICE UTLITIZING RECONFIGURABLE
SRC031	11/01/2011	13/286,996			HETEROGENEOUS COMPUTING SYSTEM
SRC032	11/02/2011	13/287,322	04/29/2014	8,713,518	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COMPUTATIONAL
SRC033	02/02/2012	13/365,090			MOBILE ELECTRONIC DEVICES UTILIZING
SRC036	05/27/2014	14/288,094			SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR RETAINING DRAM
SRC037	05/22/2014	14/284,616			SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR THERMALLY
SRC035	05/28/2013	13/903,720			MULTI-PROCESSOR COMPUTER ARCHITECTURE
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NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF POWER OF ATTORNEY

This is in response to the Power of Attorney filed 03/03/2016.

The Power of Attorney in this application is accepted. Correspondence in this application will be mailed to the above address as provided by 37 CFR 1.33.

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