



# **MLIR-based Data Tiling Design for Ryzen AI**

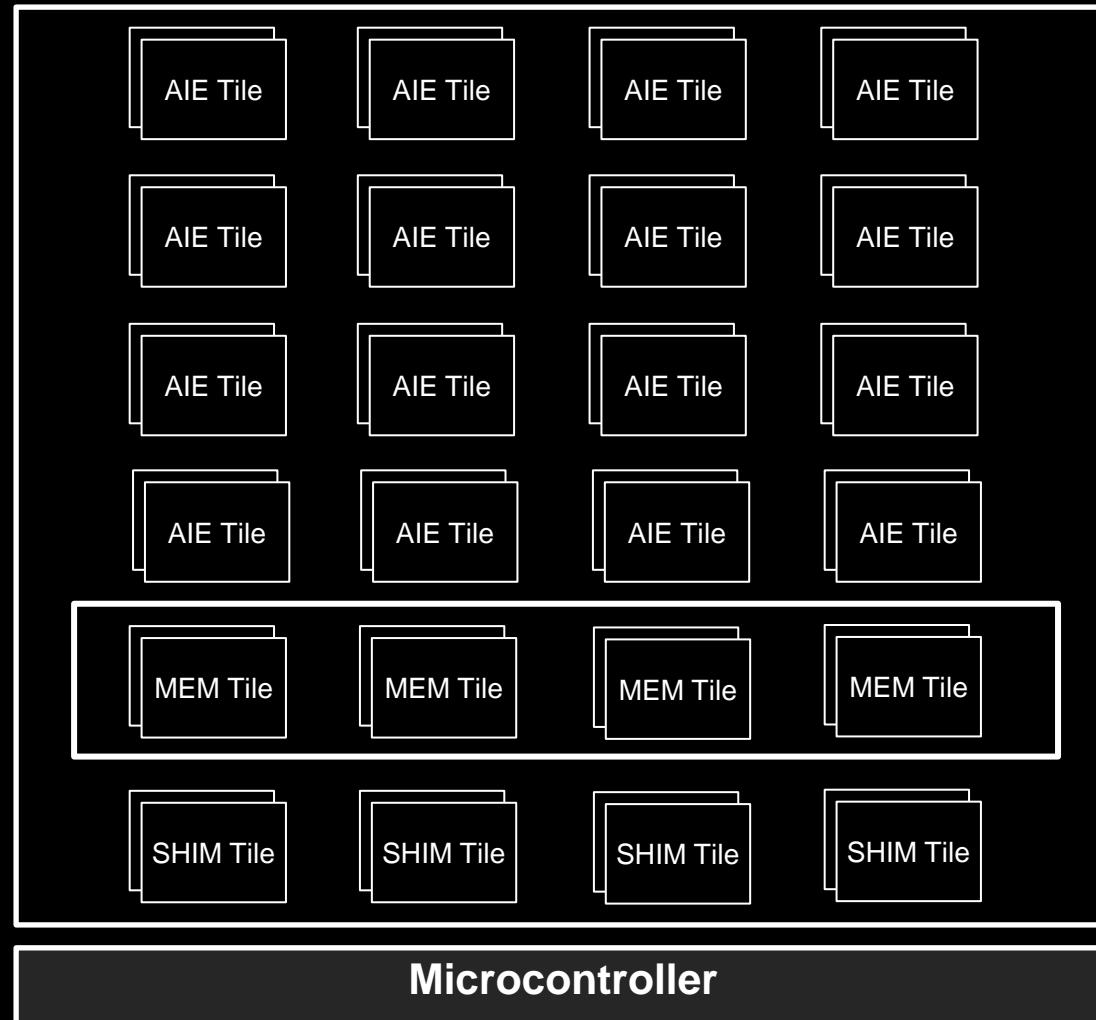
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# MLIR-based Data Tiling Design for AI Engines

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# XDNA AI Engine Overview



An array of VLIW SIMD high-performance processors that deliver up to 8X silicon compute density at 50% the power consumption of traditional programmable logic solutions.

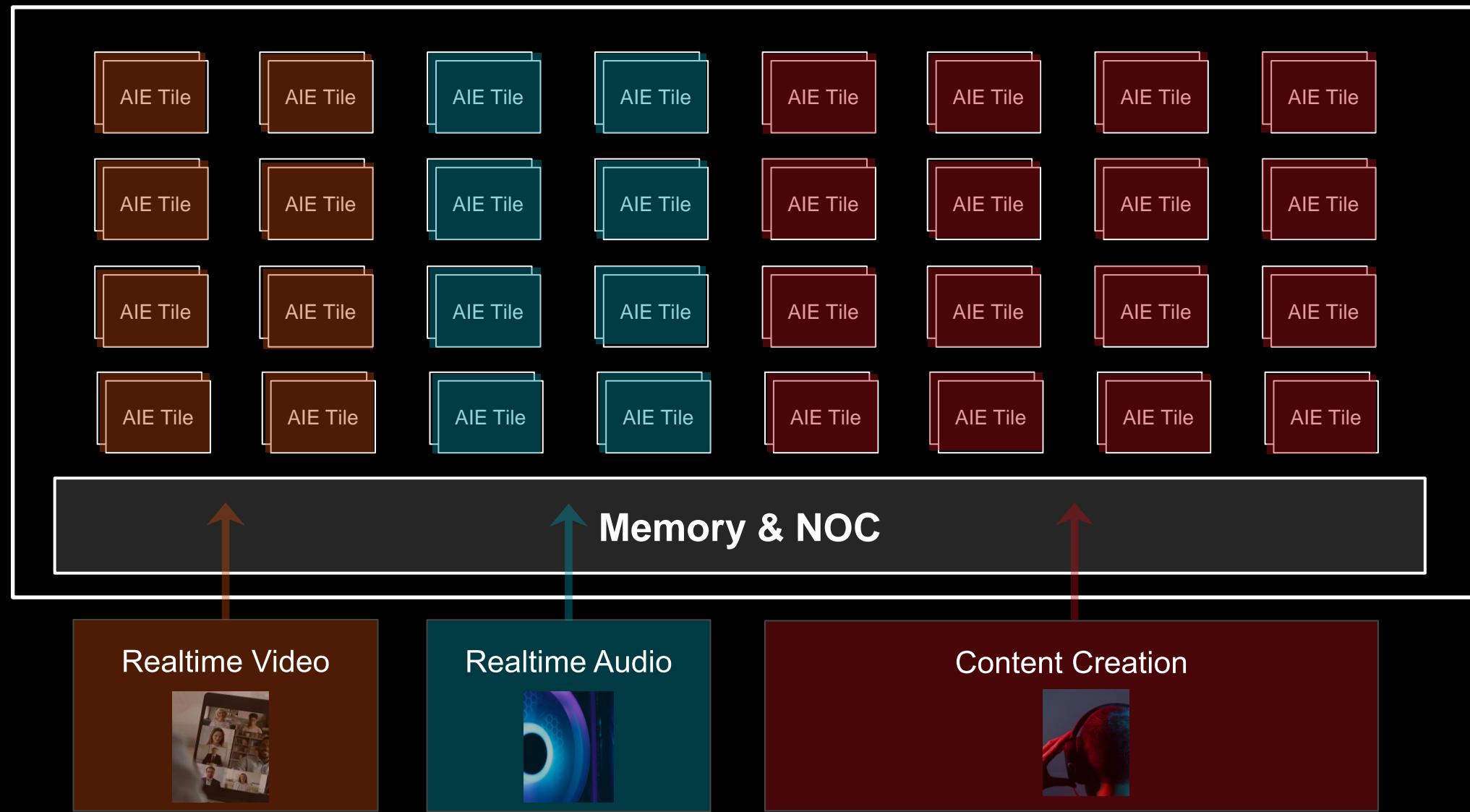
## XDNA 1

- 5x4 array of AIE tiles
- 256 INT8 MACs / AIE tile
- 512 KB / MEM tile
- 10 TOPS on array (INT8, 1 GHz)

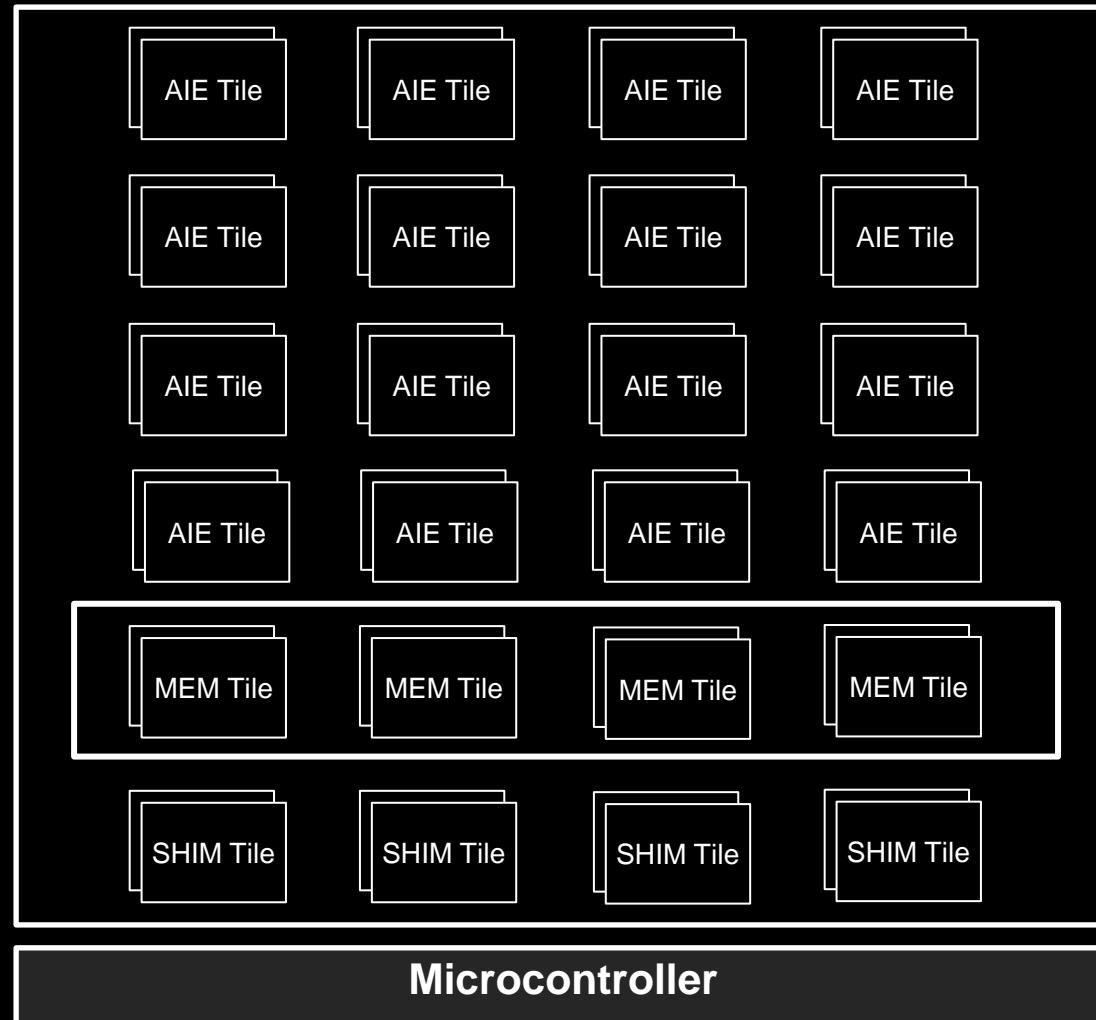
## XDNA 2

- 8x4 array of AIE tiles
- 512 INT8 MACs / AIE tile
- 512 KB / MEM tile
- 32 TOPS on array (INT8, 1 GHz), up to 50+ TOPS

# Partitioning



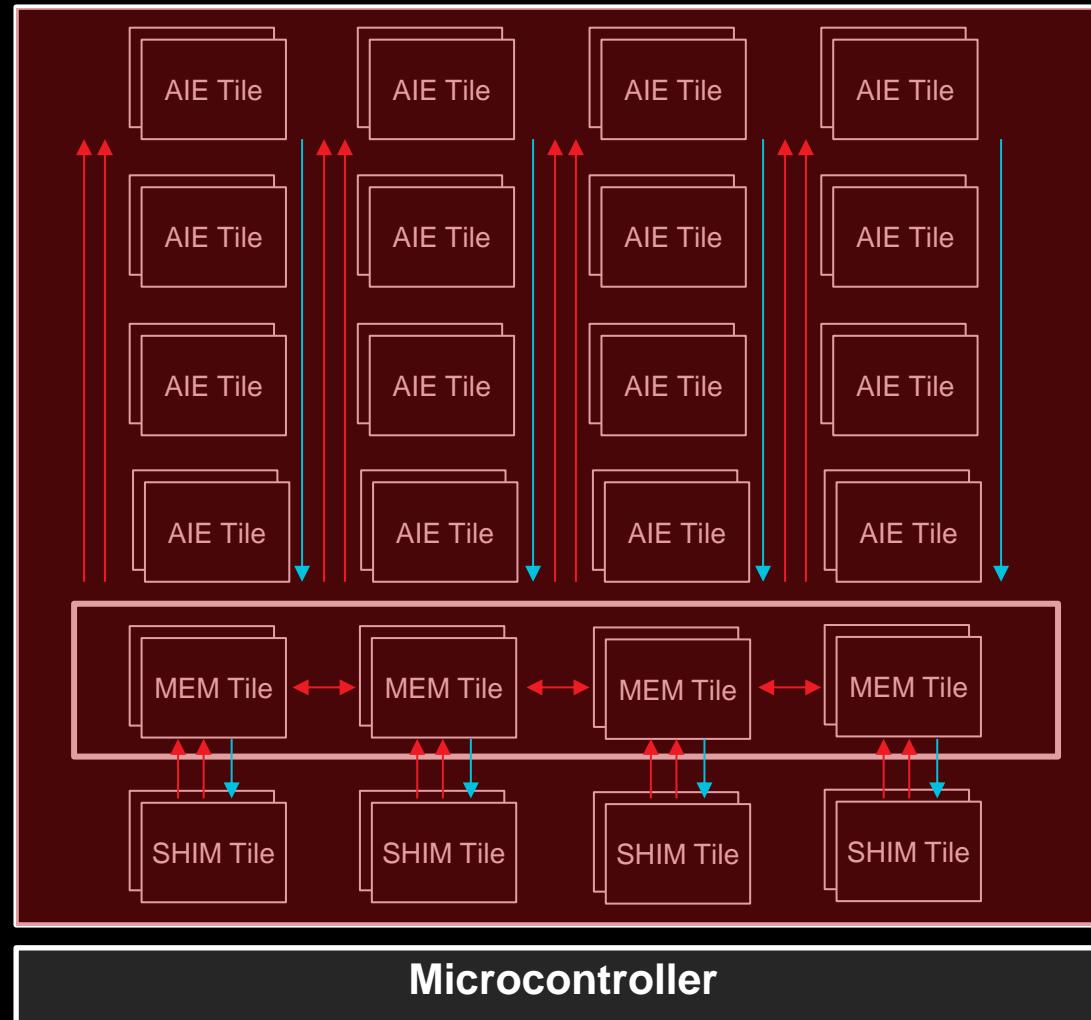
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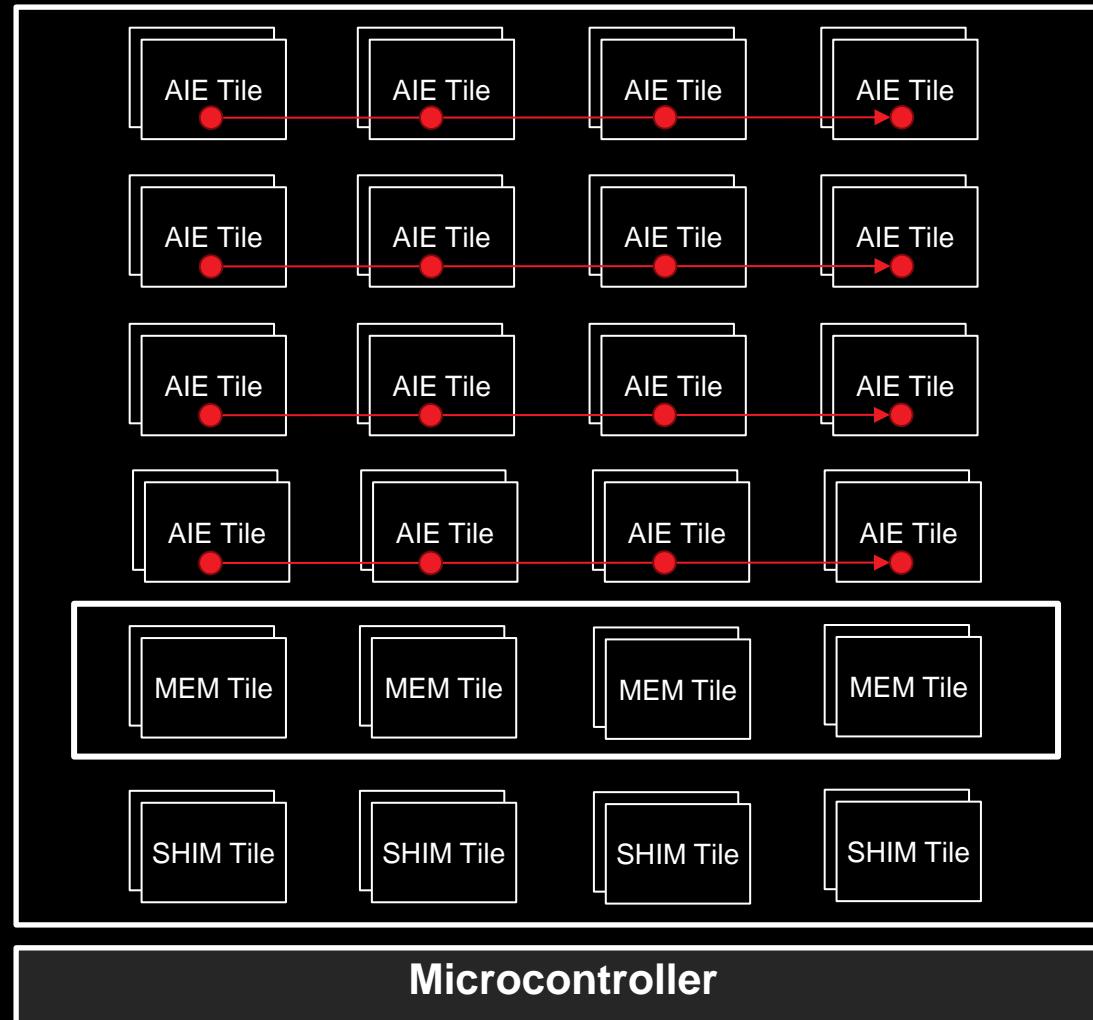
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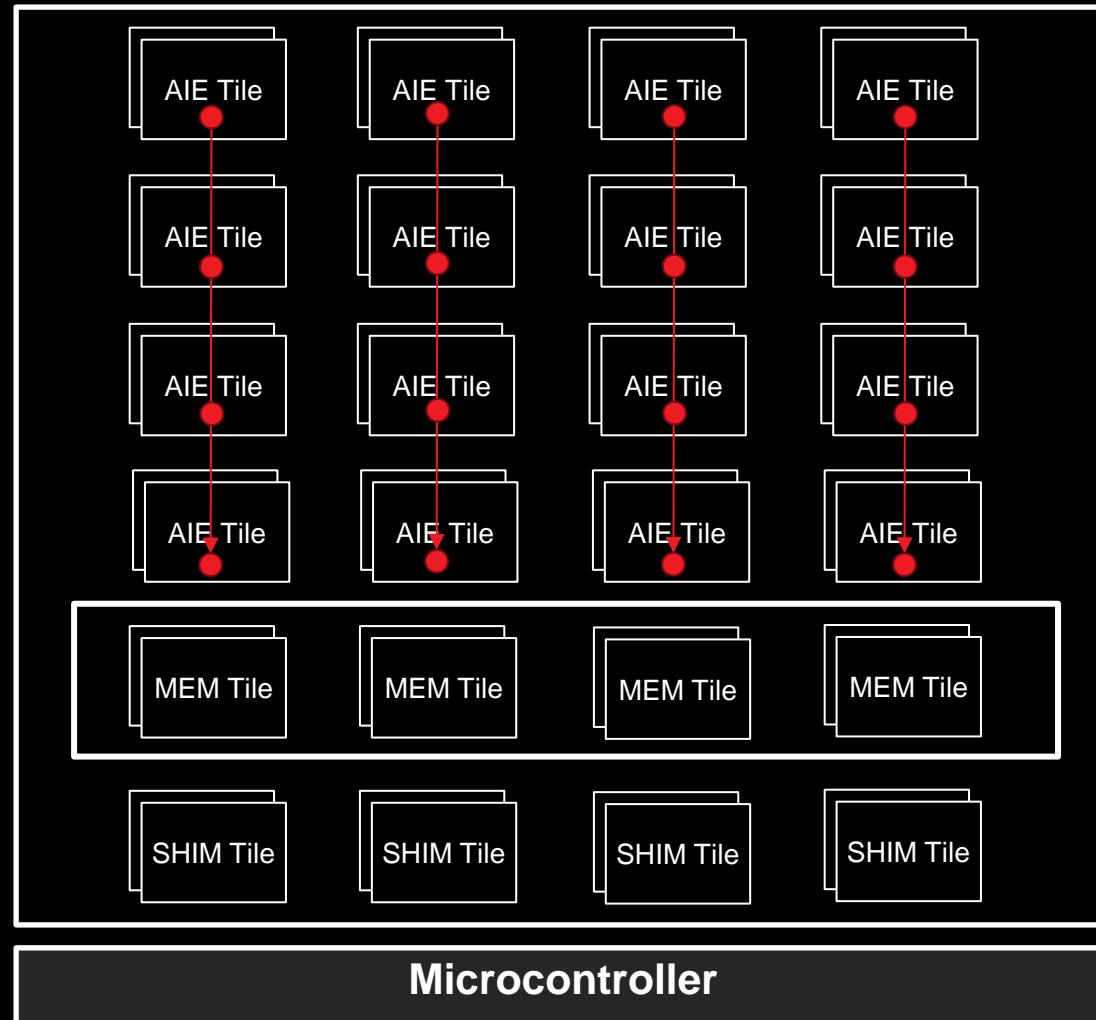
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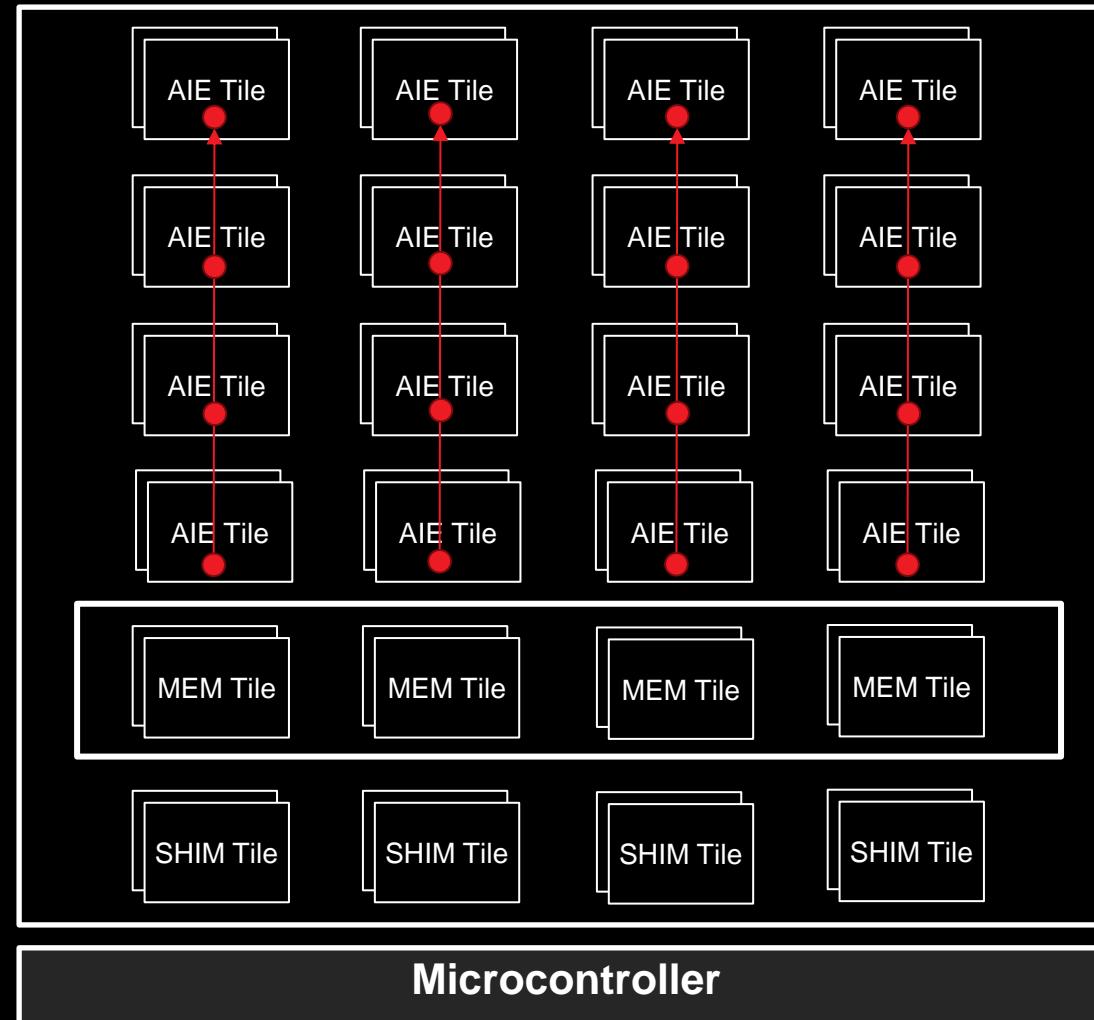
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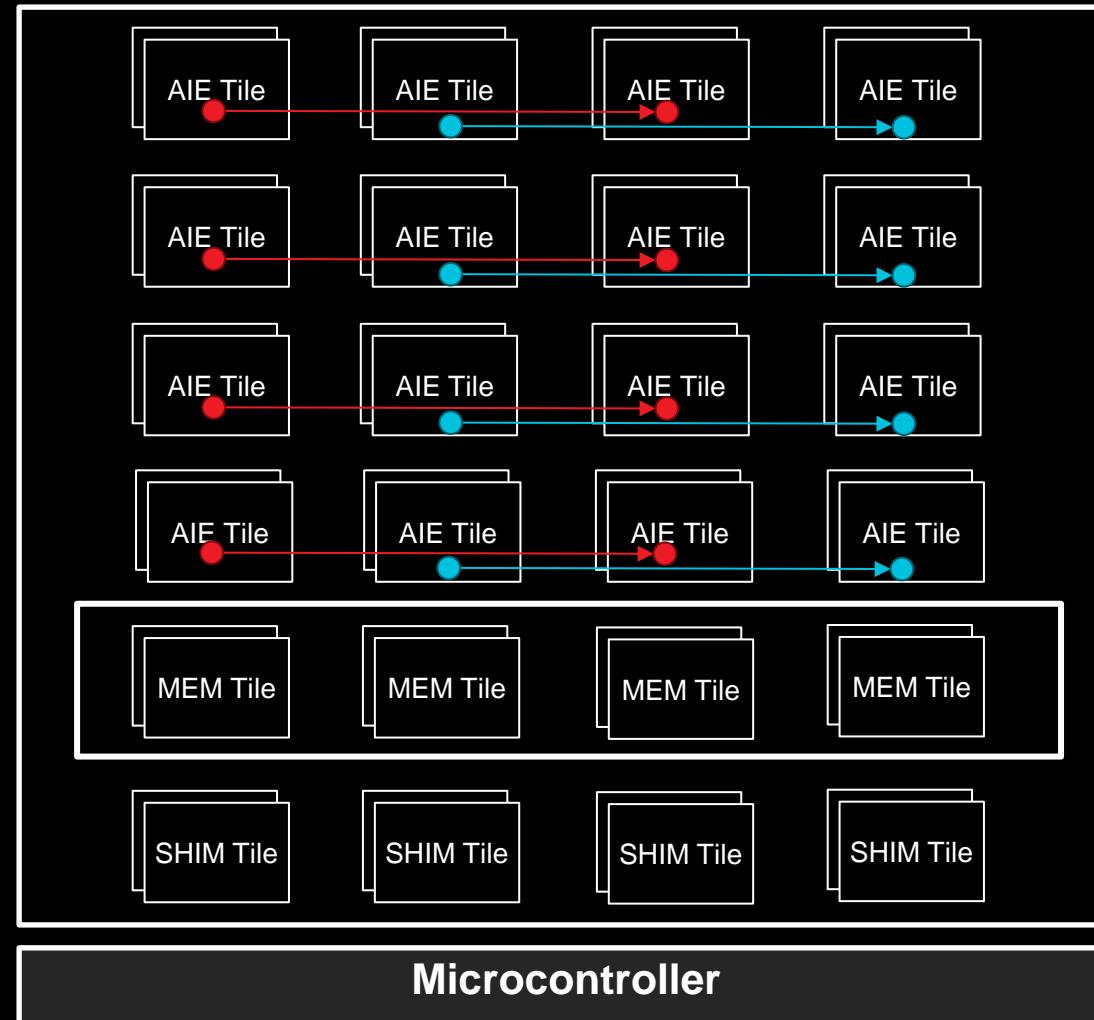
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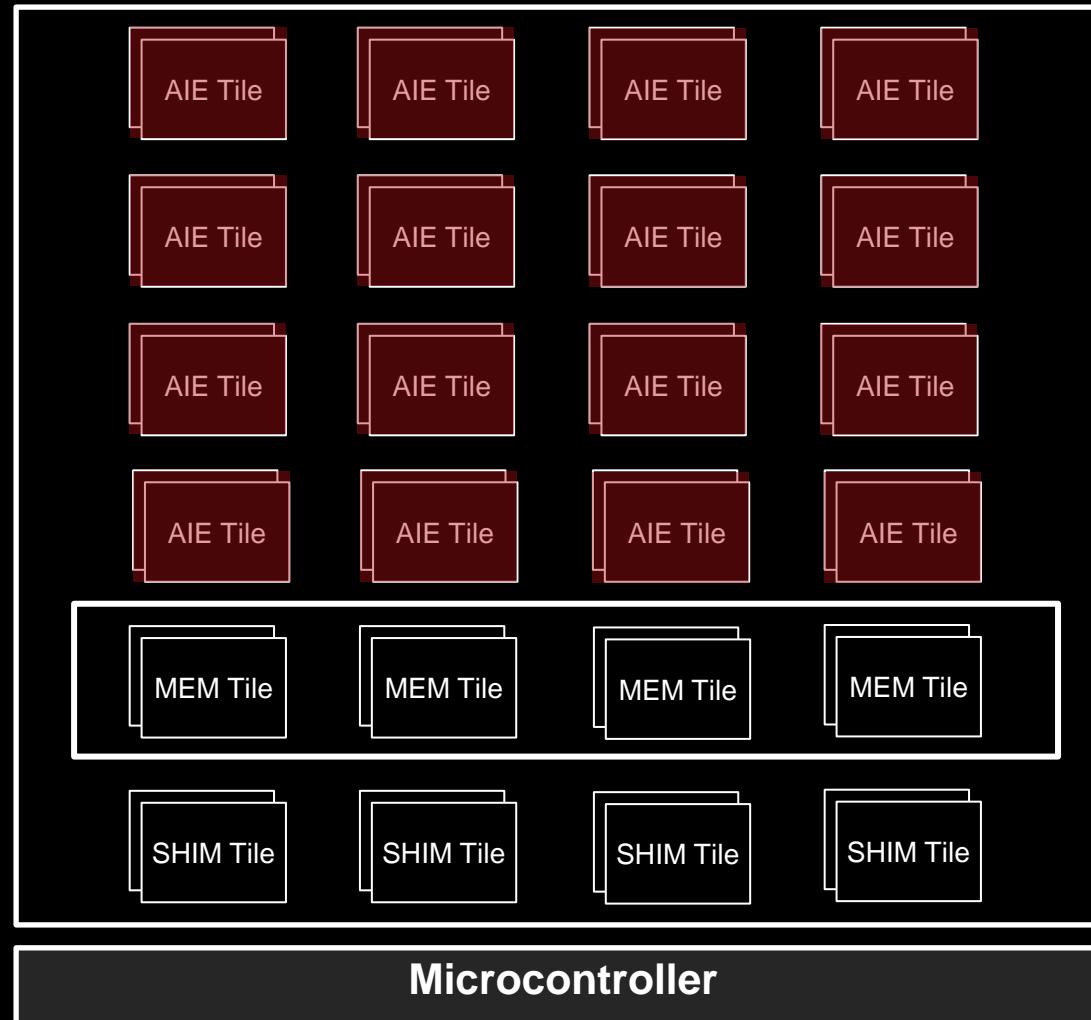
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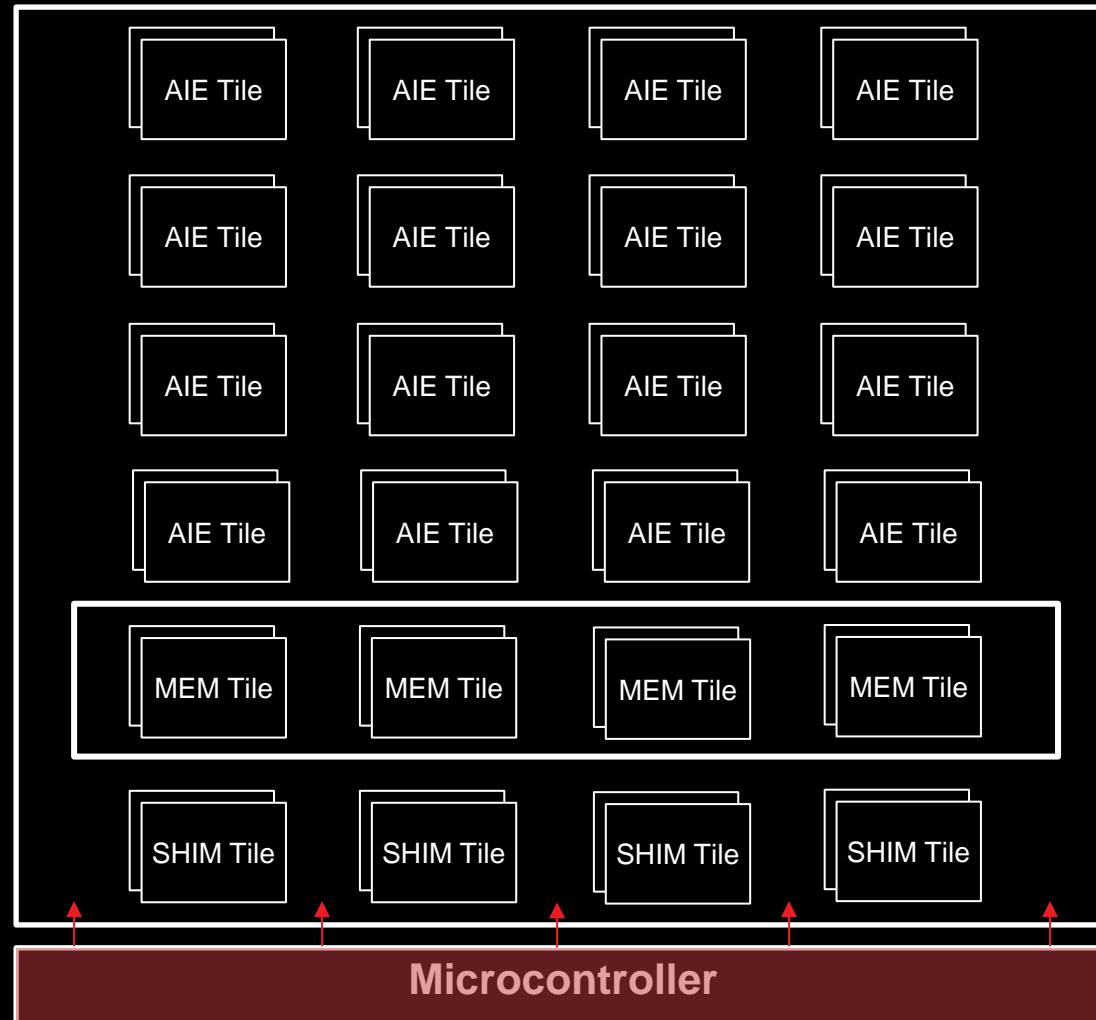
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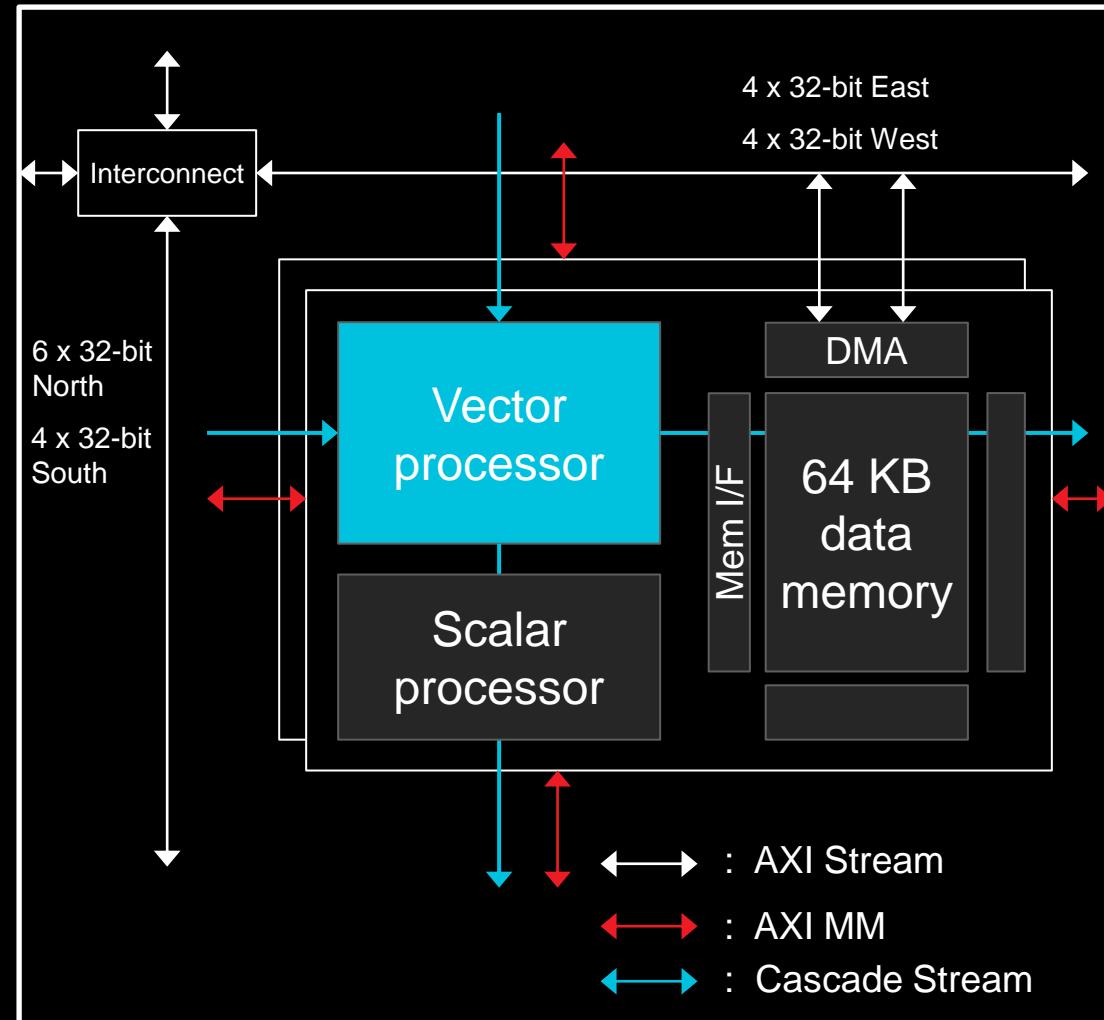
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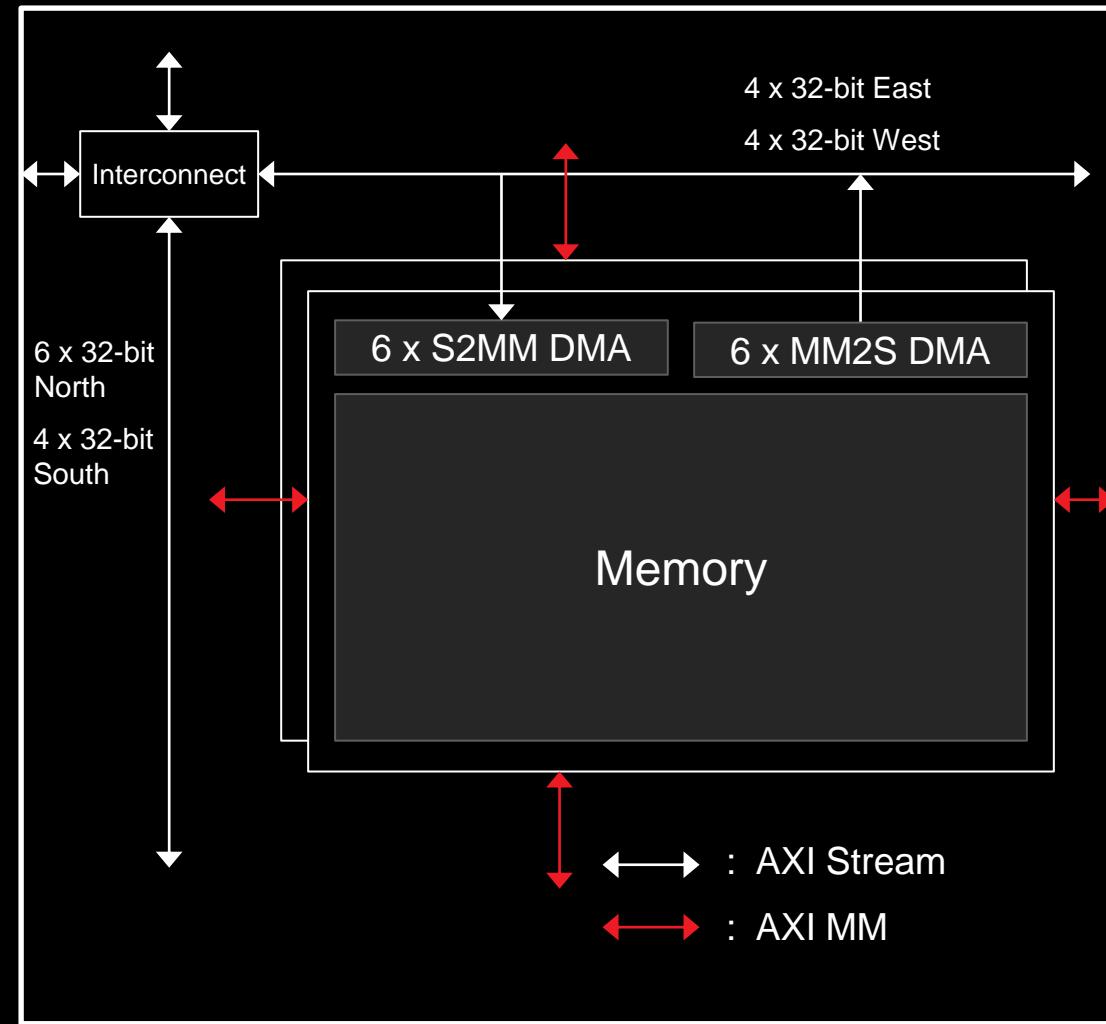
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# AI Engine Core



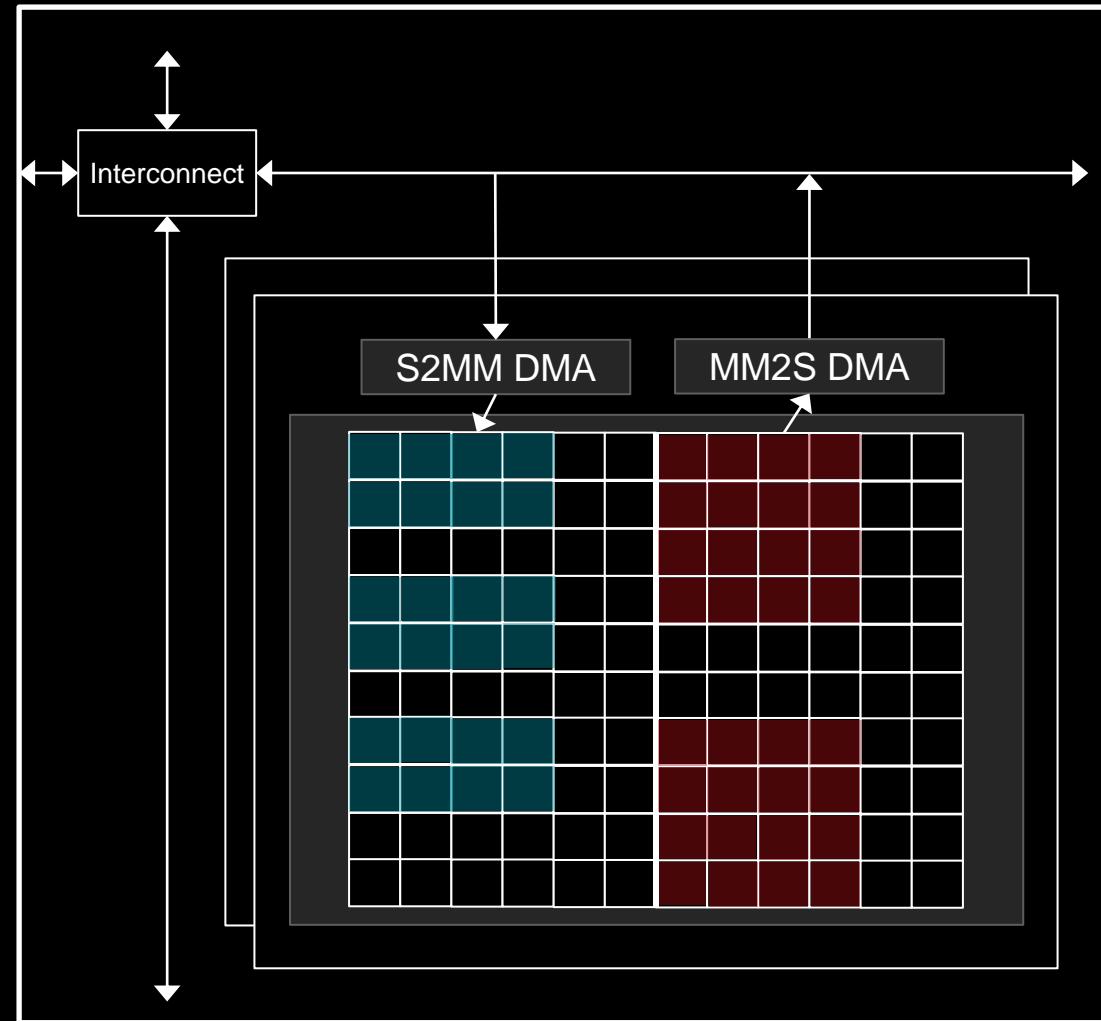
- A VLIW SIMD processor
- A scalar RISC processor
- 64KB of data memory
- 16KB of program memory
- 2 MM2S and 2 S2MM DMAs
- 32-bit stream and memory AXI interconnect
- Stream switches with broadcasting capability

# AI Engine Memory Tile



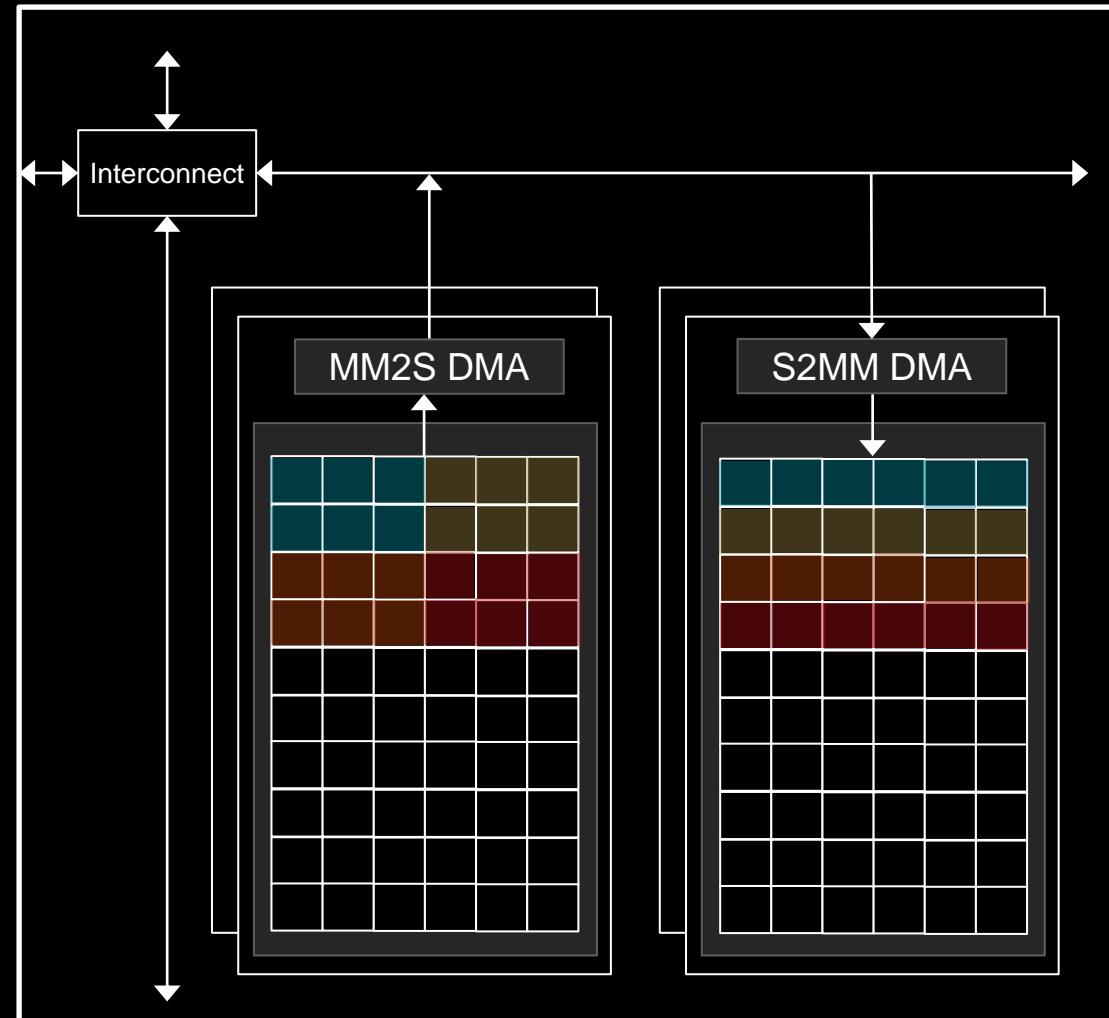
- 512KB data memory
- 6 stream-to-memory and 6 memory-to-stream DMAs
- Each DMA has a 128-bit memory and 32-bit stream interface
- 32-bit stream and memory AXI interconnect

# AI Engine DMA



- Stream to memory and memory to stream
- Usually, 32-bit stream interface and 128-bit memory interface
- Supports multi-dimensional data addressing
- **S2MM Example:**
  - Strides = [18, 6, 1]
  - Sizes = [3, 2, 4]
- **MM2S Example:**
  - Strides = [36, 6, 1]
  - Sizes = [2, 4, 4]

# Data Packing through DMA

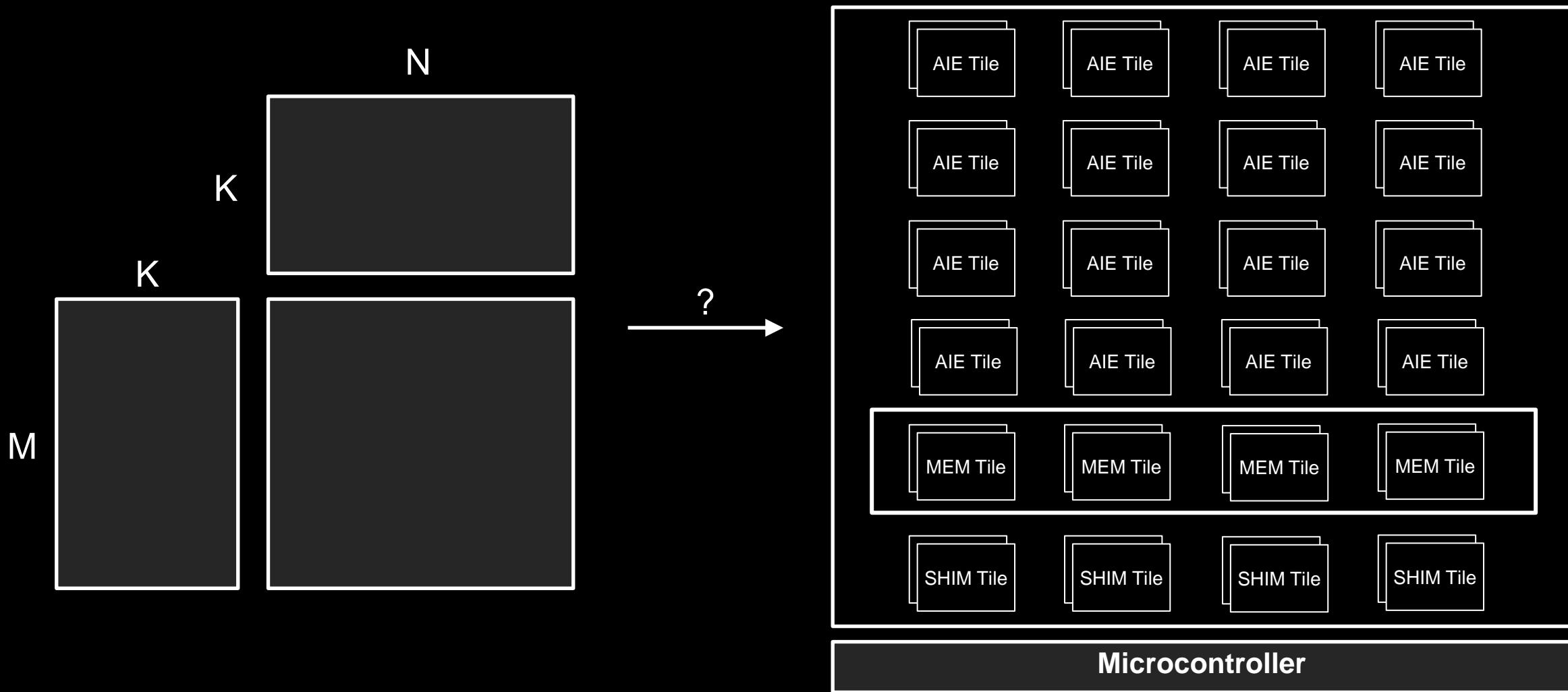


```
%0 = memref.alloc() : memref<4x6xi32>
%1 = memref.alloc() : memref<2x2x2x3xi32, 1>
iree_linalg_ext.pack %0
    inner_dims_pos = [0, 1] inner_tiles = [2, 3]
    into %1 : (memref<4x6xi32, strided<[6, 1>,
offset: ?>> memref<2x2x2x3xi32, 1>)
```

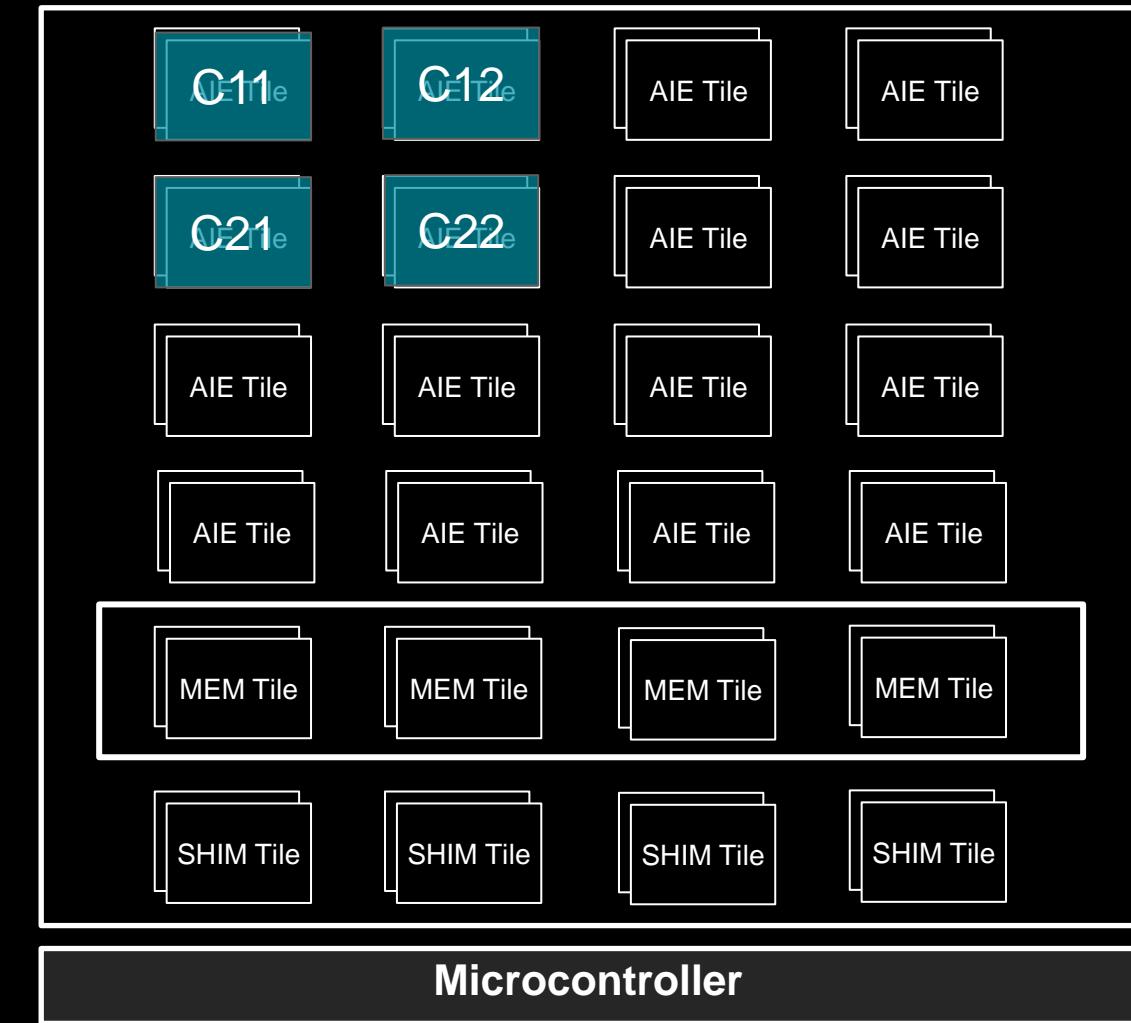
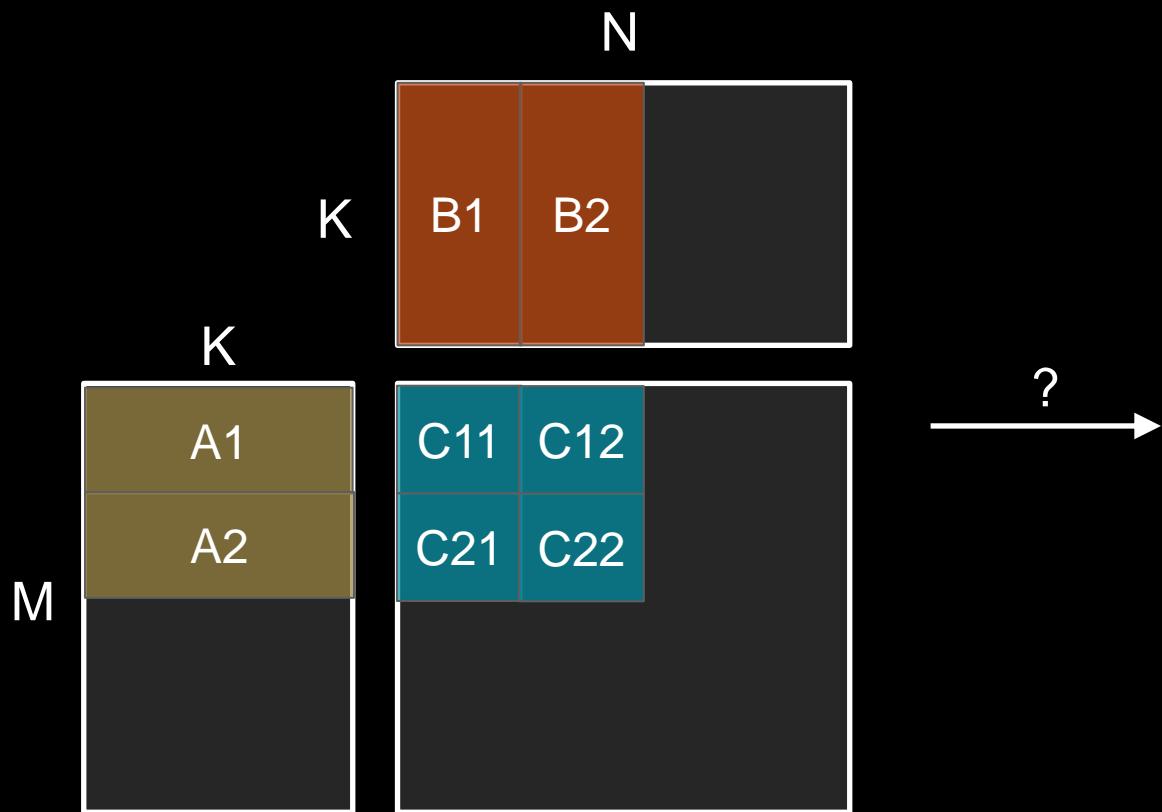
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%0 = memref.alloc() : memref<4x6xi32>
%1 = memref.alloc() : memref<2x2x2x3xi32, 1>
amdaie.dma_cpy_nd(
    %1[0] [24] [1]
    %0[0, 0, 0] [2, 2, 2, 3] [12, 3, 6, 1]
)
```

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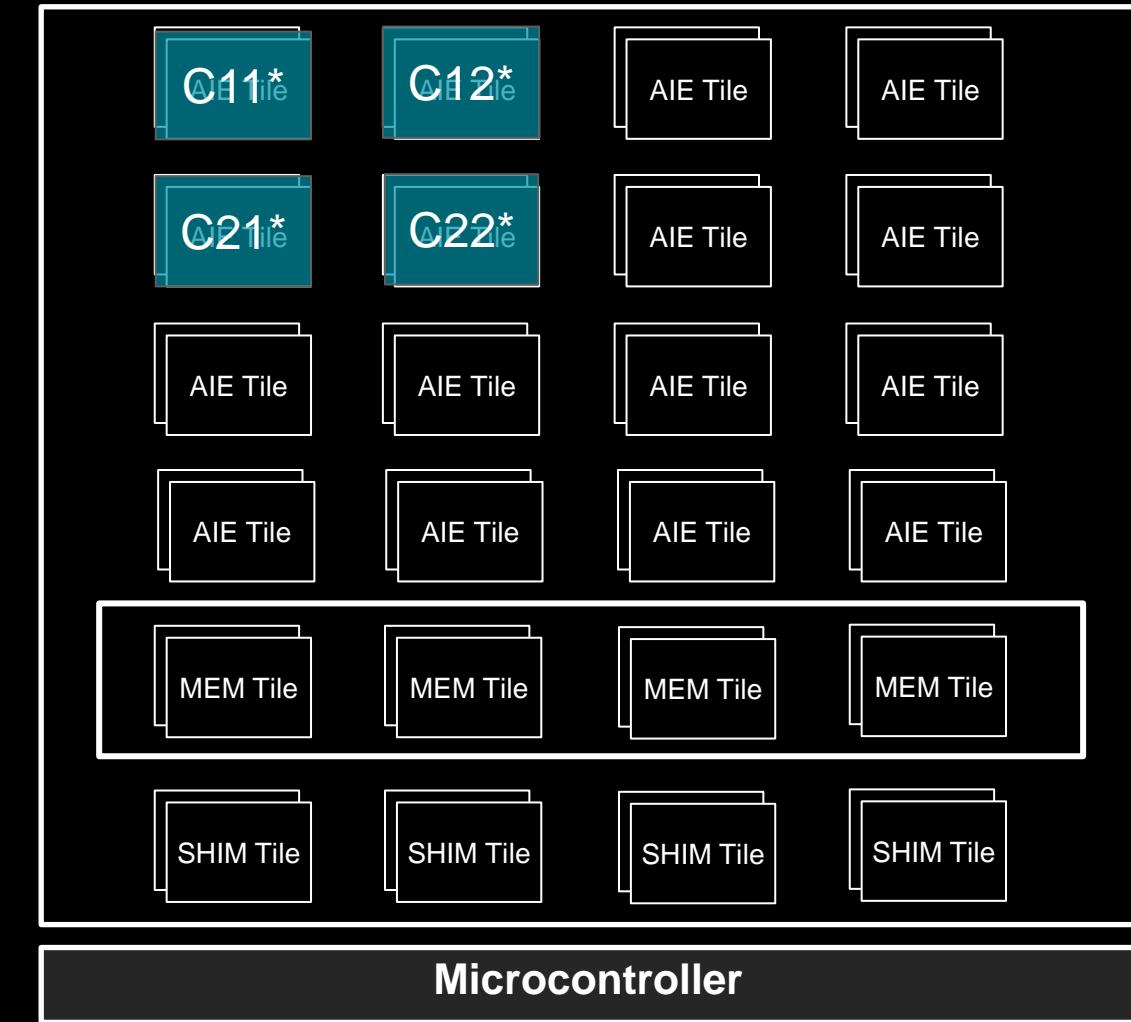
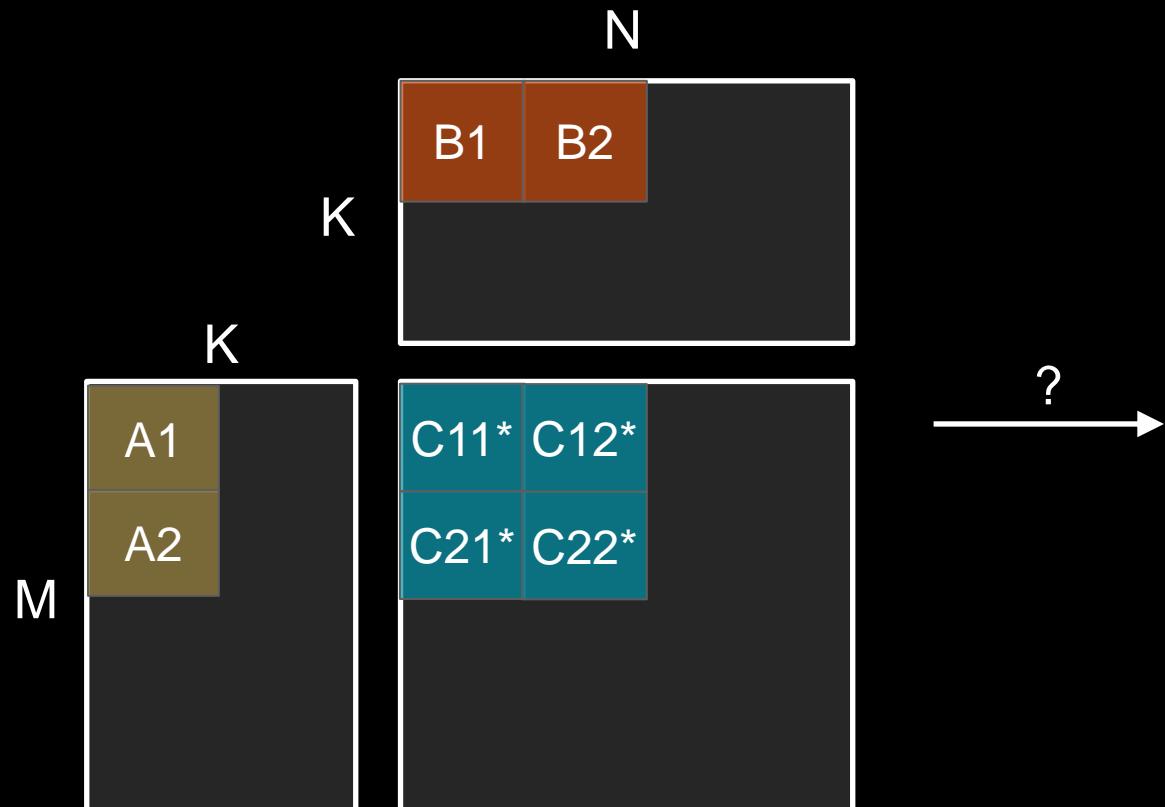
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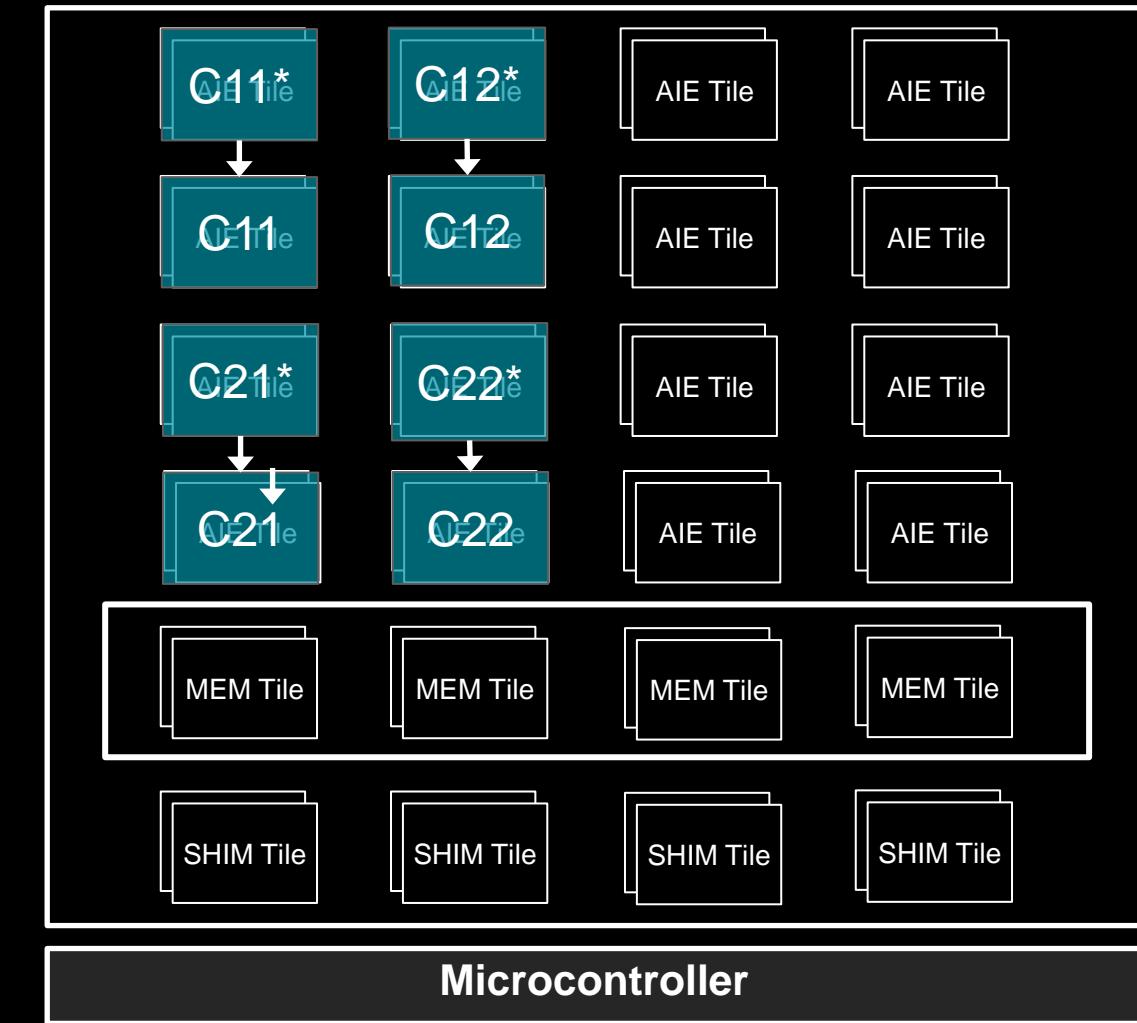
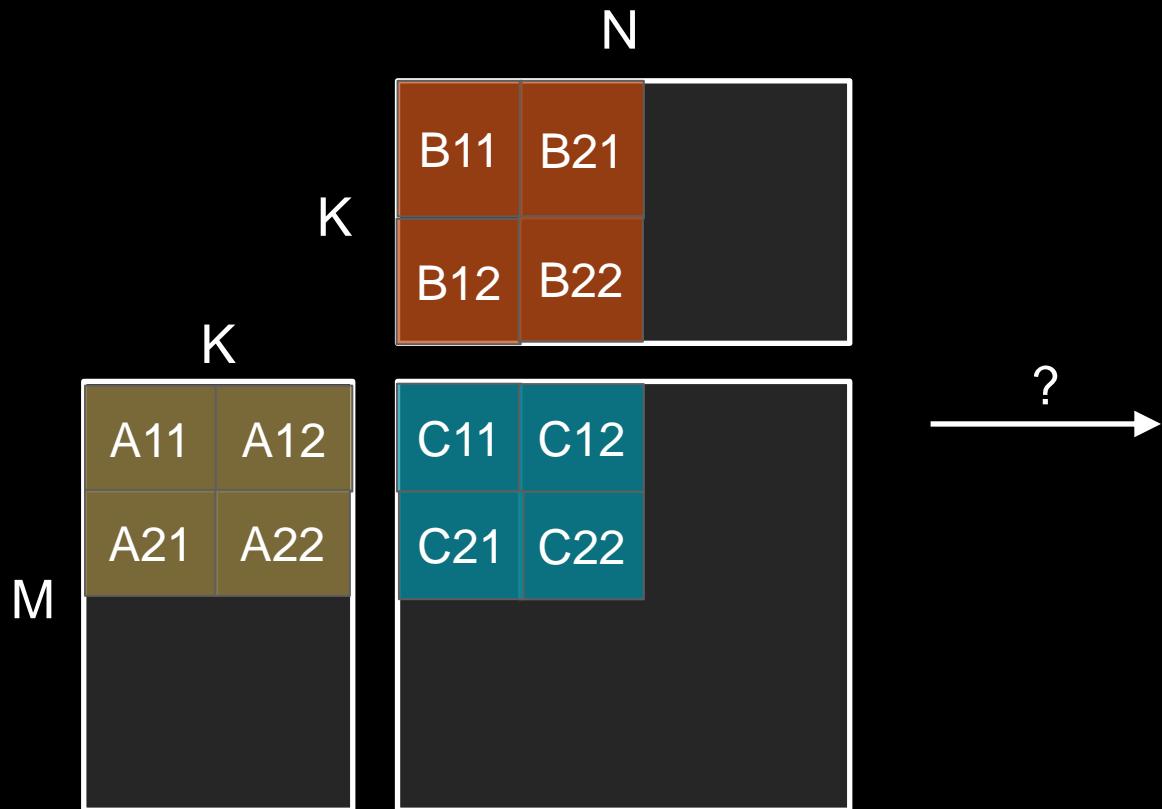
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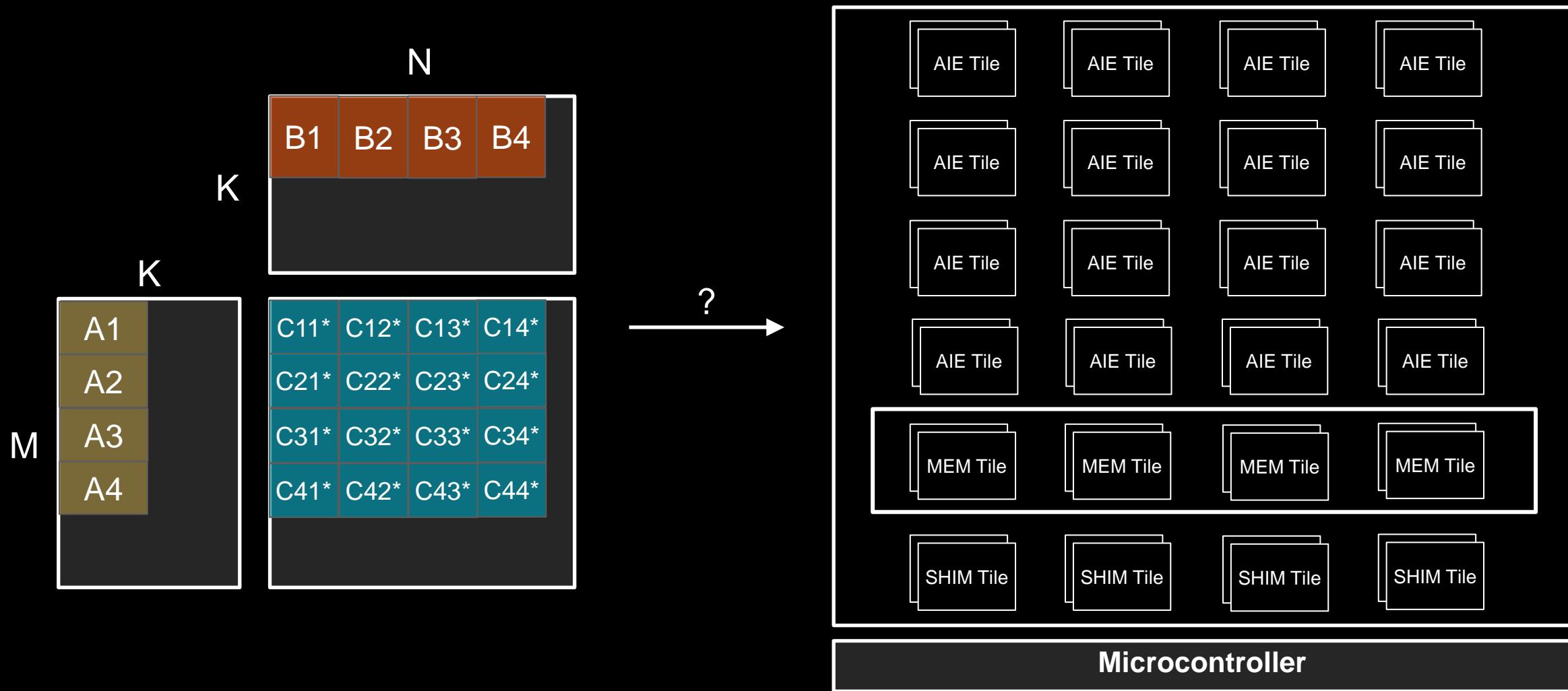
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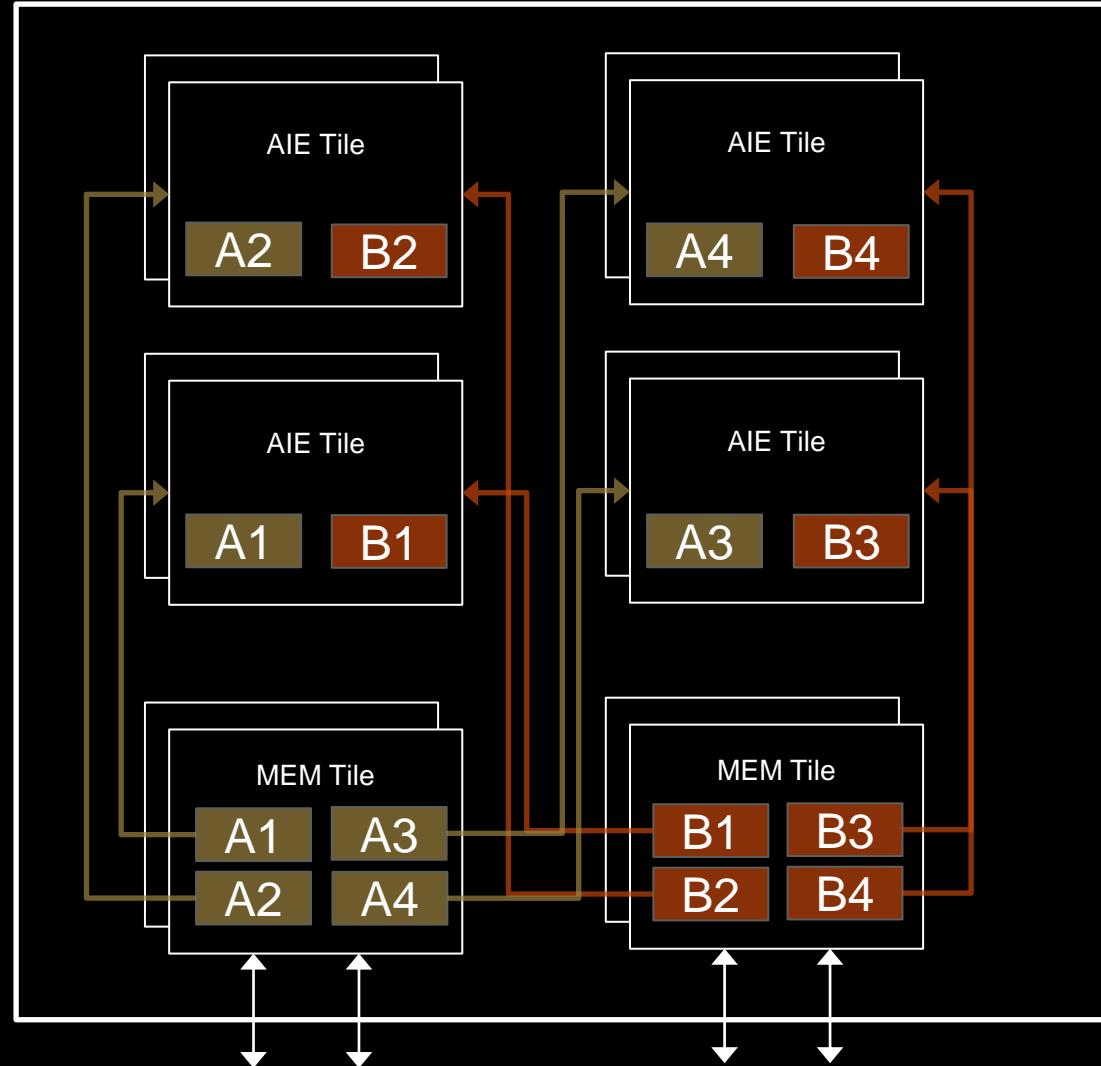
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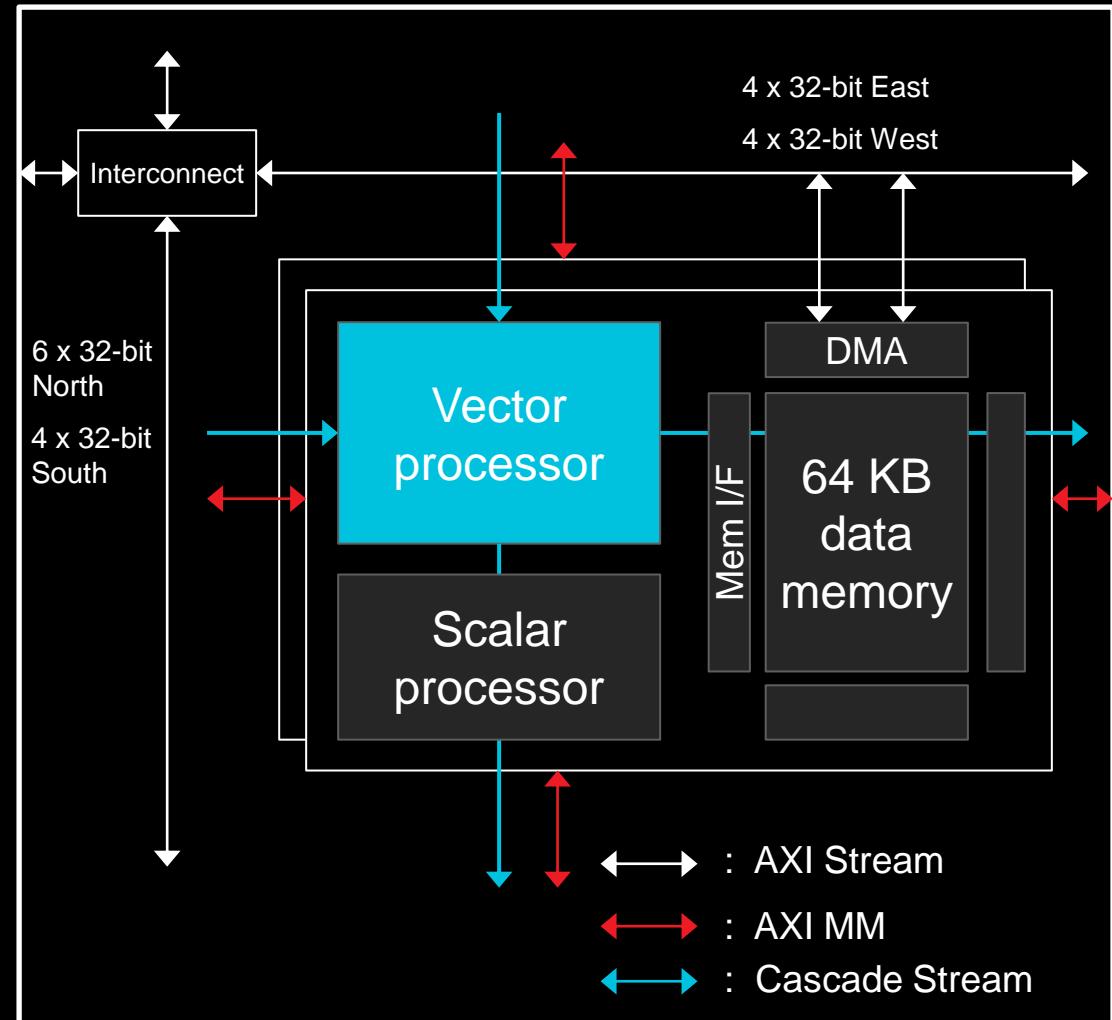
# Parallelization: Matmul Unicast



```
%0 = memref.alloc() : memref<4x1x32x64xi8, 1>
%1 = memref.alloc() : memref<1x4x64x32xi8, 1>
%2 = memref.alloc() : memref<1x1x32x64xi8, 2>
%3 = memref.alloc() : memref<1x1x64x32xi8, 2>
scf.forall (%arg0, %arg1) in (2, 2) {
    %4 = affine.apply affine_map<(d0, d1) ->
    (d0 + 2 * d1)>(%arg0, arg1)
    dma_cpy_nd(%2[0, 0...]..., %0[%4, 0...]...)
    dma_cpy_nd(%3[0, 0...]..., %1[0, %4...])
    linalg.matmul(%2, %3, ...)
} {mapping = [#core<y>, #core<x>]}
```

- 16 GB/s bandwidth needed into each column (1GHz)

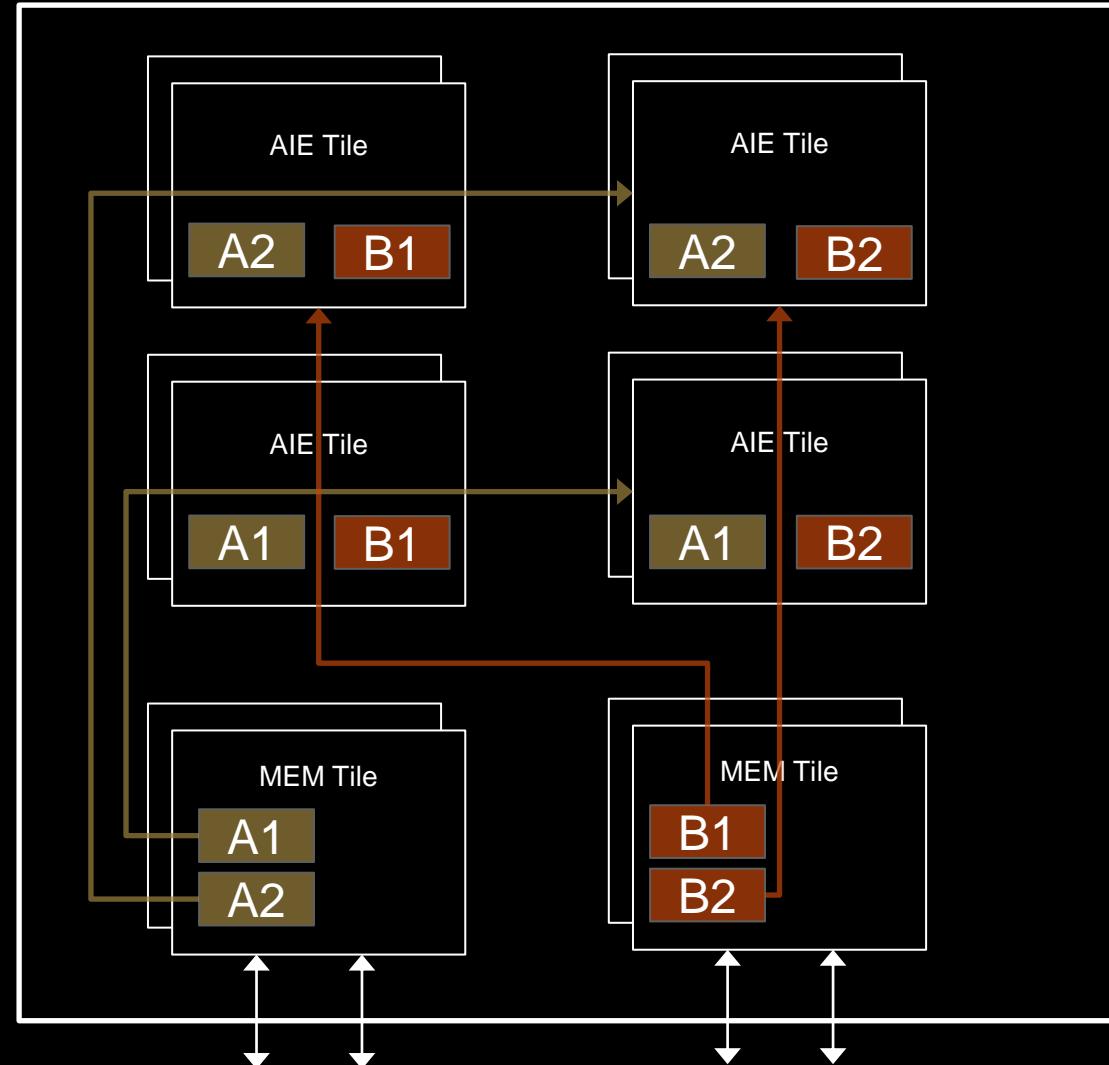
# Remember the bandwidth available:



Assuming 1Ghz:

- 24GB/s North
- 16GB/s South

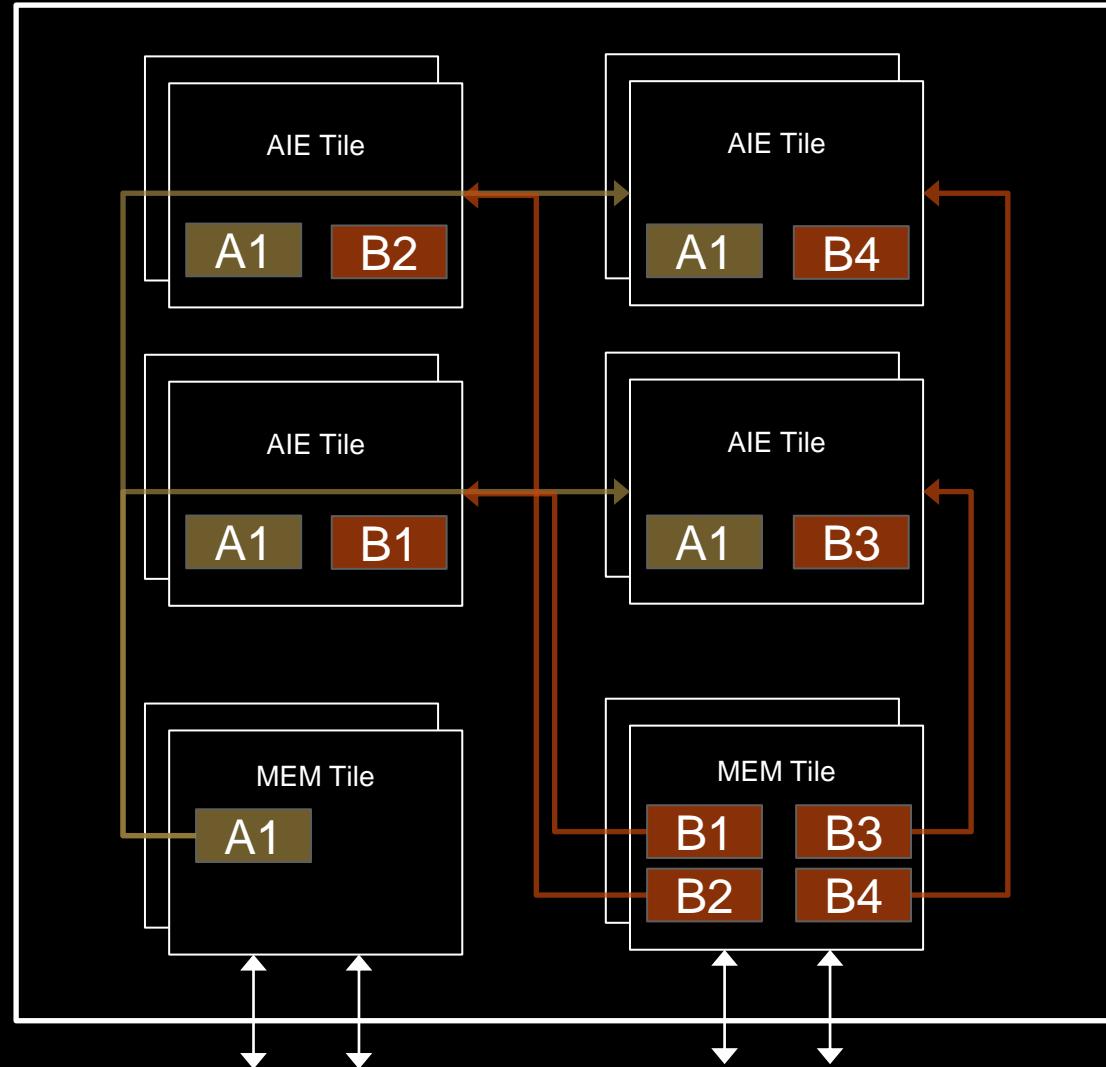
# Parallelization: Matmul Double Broadcast



```
%0 = memref.alloc() : memref<2x1x32x64xi8, 1>
%1 = memref.alloc() : memref<1x2x64x32xi8, 1>
%2 = memref.alloc() : memref<1x1x32x64xi8, 2>
%3 = memref.alloc() : memref<1x1x64x32xi8, >
scf.forall (%arg0, %arg1) in (2, 2) {
    dma_cpy_nd(%2[0, 0...]..., %0[%arg0, 0...]...)
    dma_cpy_nd(%3[0, 0...]..., %1[0, %arg1...])
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} {mapping = [#core<y>, #core<x>] }
```

- 8 GB/s bandwidth needed into each column (1GHz)

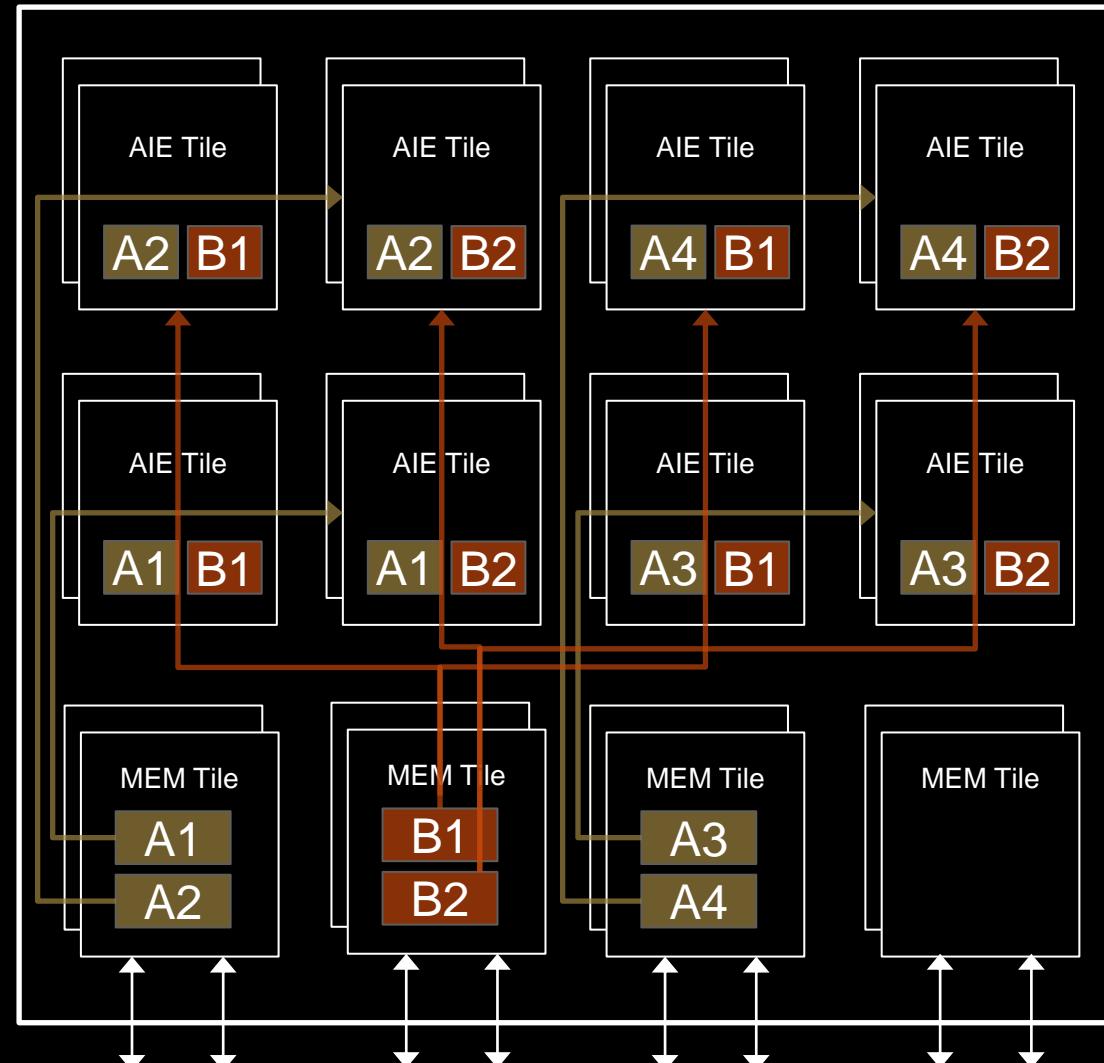
# Parallelization: Matmul Full A Broadcast



```
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    dma_cpy_nd(%2[0, 0...], %0[0, 0...])
    dma_cpy_nd(%3[0, 0...], %1[0, %4...])
    linalg.matmul(%2, %3, ...)
} {mapping = [#core<y>, #core<x>]}
```

- 10 GB/s bandwidth needed into each column on average (1GHz)

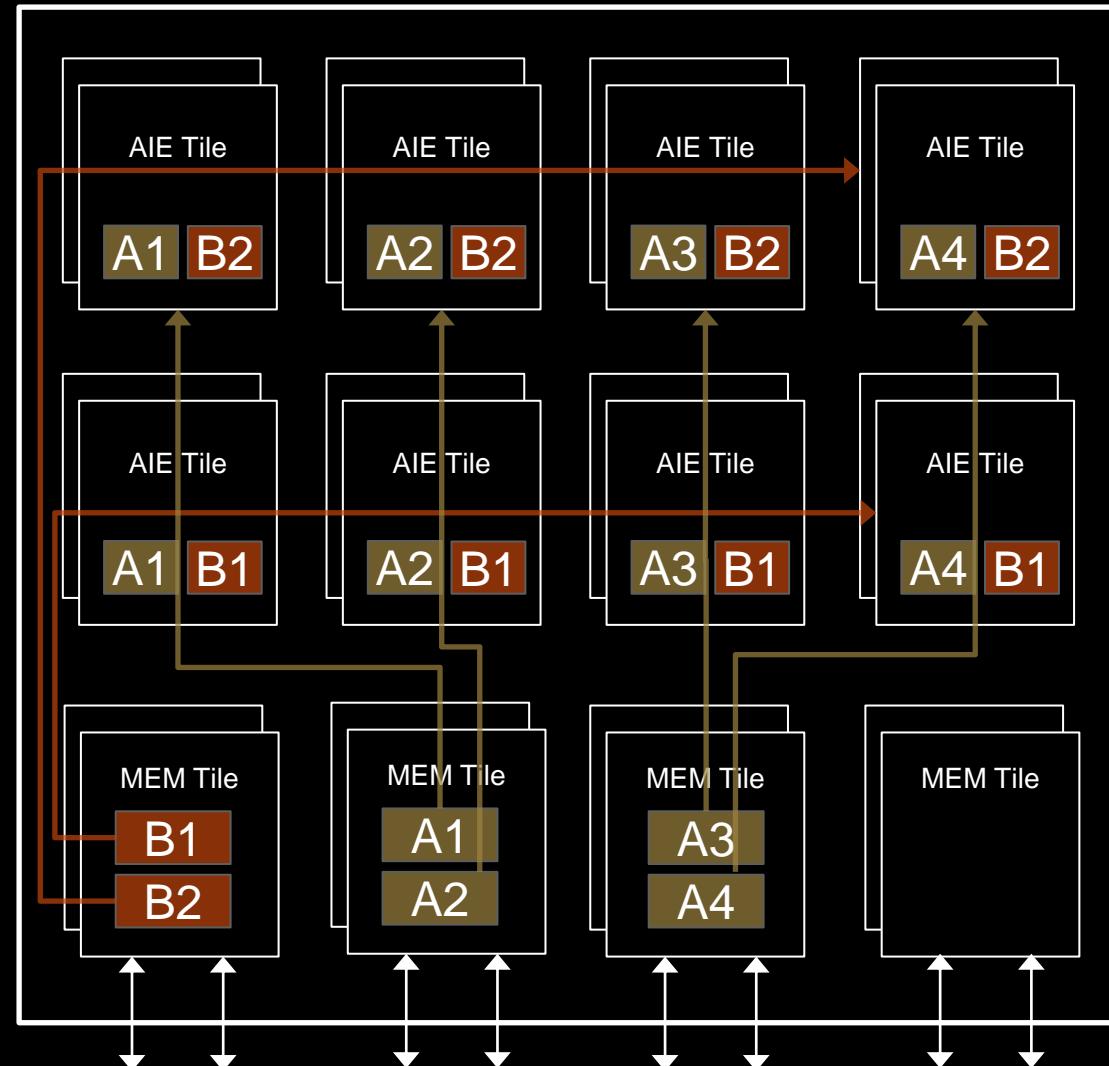
# Adding Dimensions



```
%0 = memref.alloc() : memref<4x1x32x64xi8, 1>
%1 = memref.alloc() : memref<1x2x64x32xi8, 1>
%2 = memref.alloc() : memref<1x1x32x64xi8, 2>
%3 = memref.alloc() : memref<1x1x64x32xi8, 2>
scf.forall (%arg0, %arg1, %arg2) in (2, 2, 2)
{
    %4 = affine.apply affine_map<(d0, d1) -> (2
* d0 + d1)>(%arg0, %arg1)
    dma_cpy_nd(%2[0, 0...]..., %0[%4, 0...]...)
    dma_cpy_nd(%3[0, 0...]..., %1[0, %arg2...]...)
    linalg.matmul(%2, %3, ...)
} {mapping = [#core<y>, #core<x1>,
#core<x2>] }
```

- 6GB/s bandwidth needed into each column on average (1GHz), but higher horizontal bandwidth

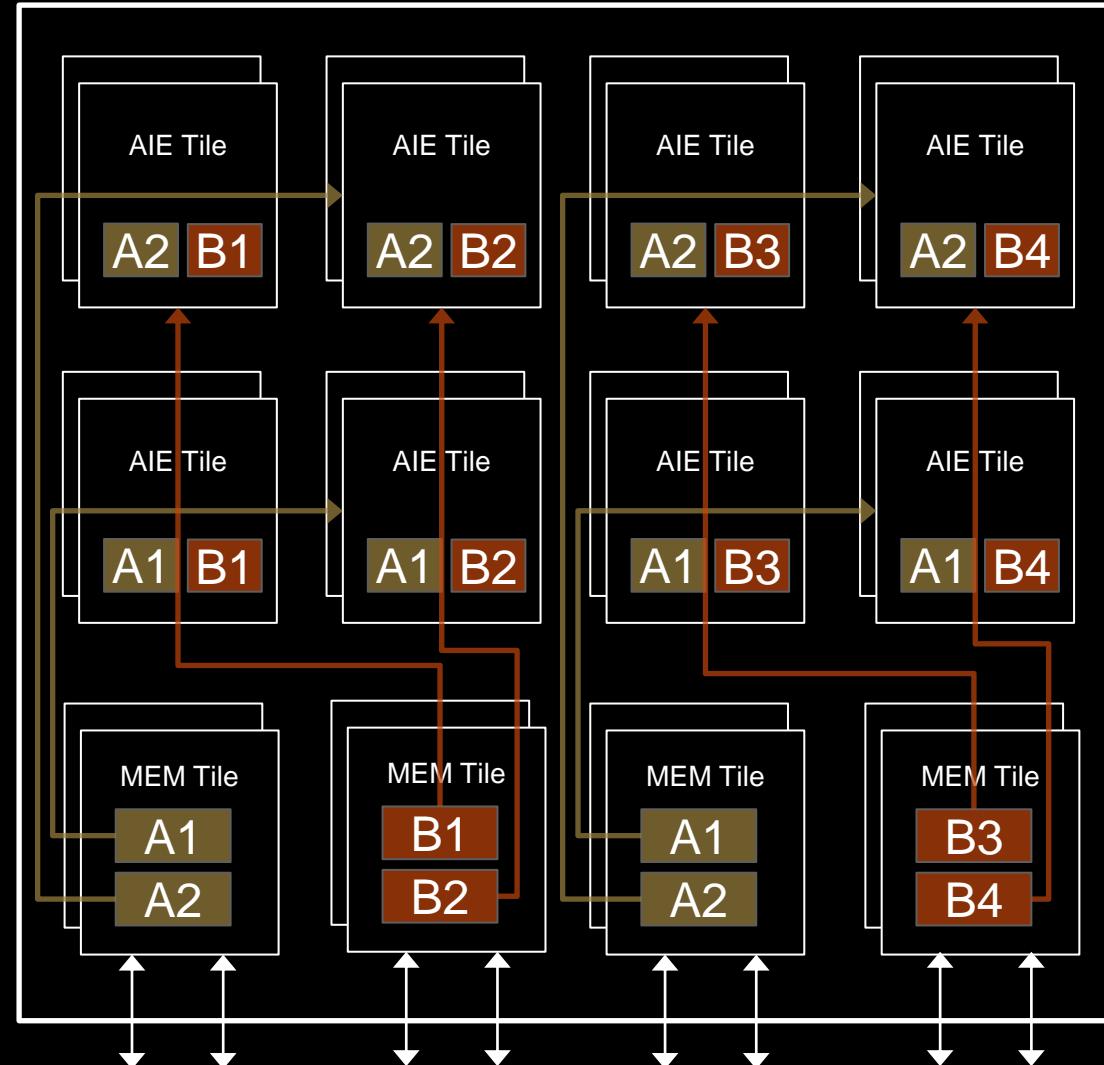
# Achieving the same BW needs without adding Dimensions



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scf.forall (%arg0, %arg1) in (2, 4) {
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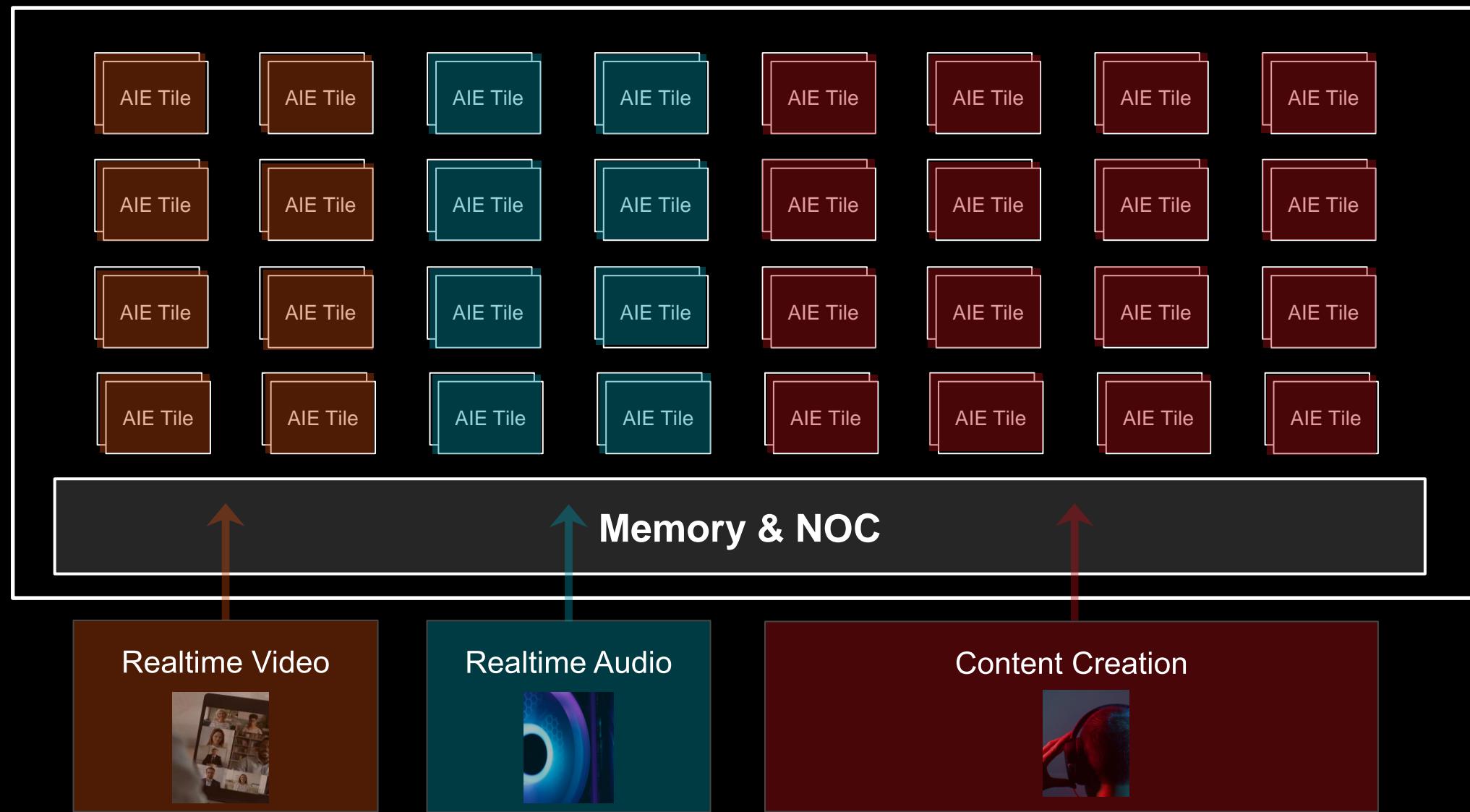
# Parallelization: Adding Blocks



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scf.forall (%arg0) in (2) {
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        dma_cpy_nd(%3[0, 0...]..., %1[0, %4...])
        linalg.matmul(%2, %3, ...)
    } {mapping = [#core<y>, #core<x>] }
} {mapping = [#block<x>]}
```

- 8GB/s bandwidth needed into each column (1GHz)

# Partitioning



# Recap

1. We're targeting an array of VLIW SIMD processors, generating core code, routing and DMA configurations for a (fused) computation.
2. We use `iree\_linalg\_ext.pack` to describe data packing while moving/copying data through DMAs
3. We use 'core' mapping to describe parallelization AND to discover data broadcasting opportunities
4. All open source at: <https://github.com/nod-ai/iree-amd-aie>

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