200G/400G FR4 Large-Scale Deployment in Meta's Data Centers

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Agenda

- Meta DC Growth/Monthly Active Users (MAU)
- Mass production: 200G/400G FR4 Optics (lessons learned)
- Fleet Tooling & Performance Monitoring @Meta Data Center
- Long-Term Reliability Plan (Pluggable Optics)
- Global Material Crisis & Risk Mitigation Effort
- Future opportunities & Next Gen



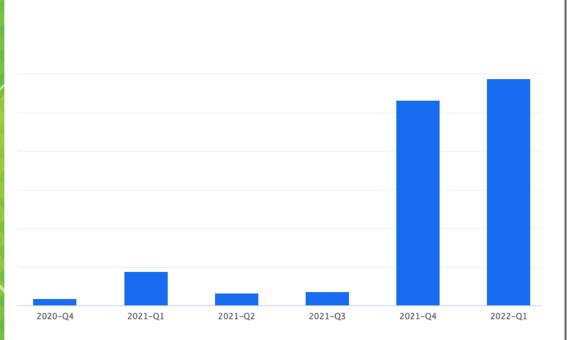
Meta User and DC growth

Family Monthly Active People (MAP) 🔿 Meta In Billions 3.64 3.59 3.58 3.51 3.45 3.30 3.21 3.14 2.99 Q1'20 Q2'20 Q3'20 Q4'20 Q1'21 Q2'21 Q3'21 Q4'21 Q1'22

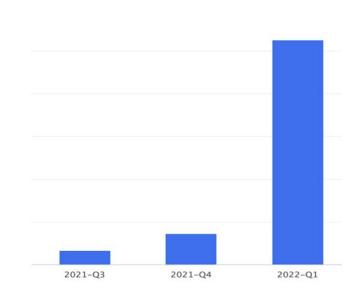




200G/400G Deployment by Quarter



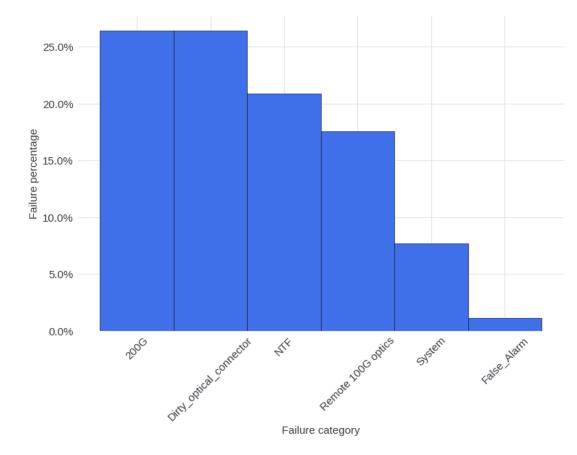
200G FR4 Deployment



400G FR4 Deployment



200G Optics Link Failure Modes



- 26% of the link failures are real 200G optics failures
- 26% of the link failures are caused by dirty fiber connectors
- The 200G optics failure rate is well below our requirement



200G/400G - Lessons Learned

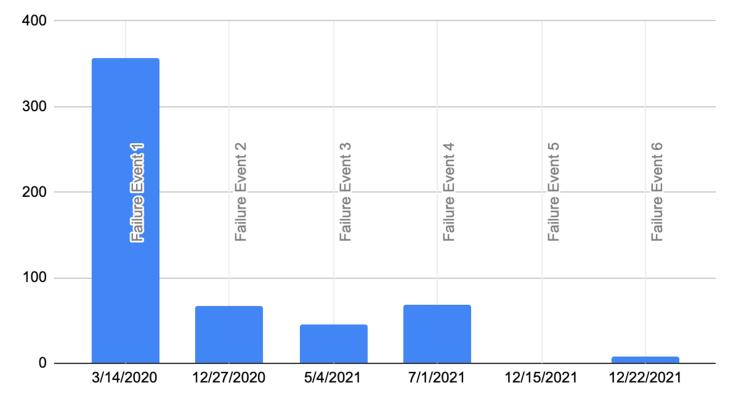


- Solid NPI process helped capture the module failures at early stages No real module performance issue observed in the operation.
- Detailed PRD and validation for both performance and diagnostic support
- Efficient operational tooling and process provided a timely and accurate triaging of link issues
- Need to improve the internal reliability regression testing capability
- Resilience to the "black swan" events (e.g. Covid-19, natural disasters)
- Need to improve suppliers' MFG site monitoring processes



Efficient RCA with Improved Tooling and Processes

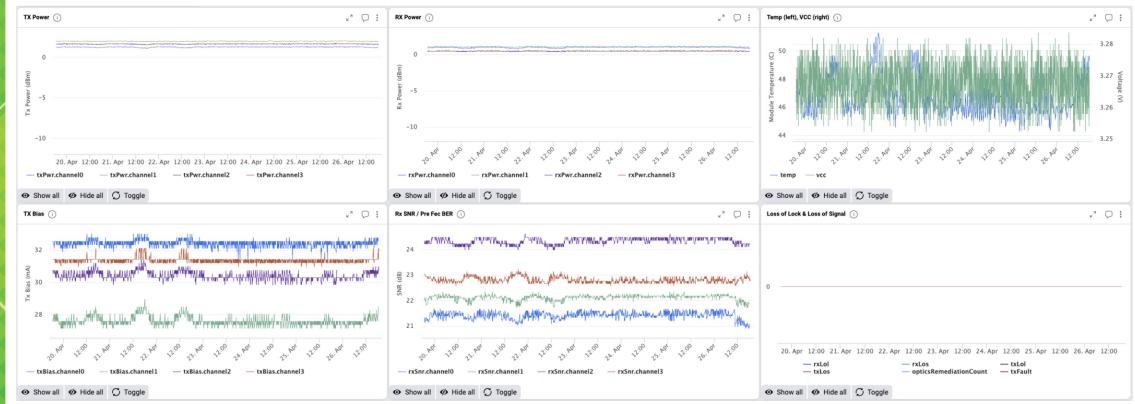
Days to RCA Circuit Optics HW/SW by Description



 We have significantly improved RCA process over the last 2 years on optical and non-optical link failure events



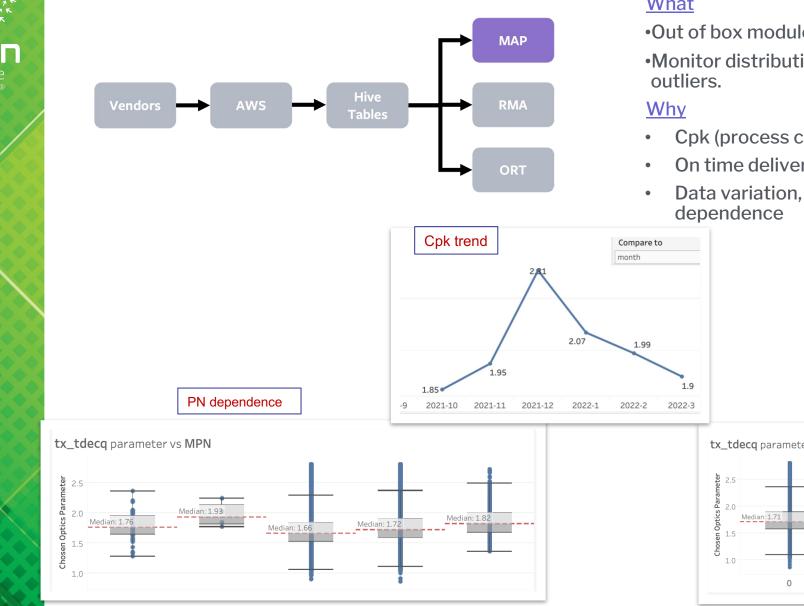
Key Module Performance Monitoring in Operation



- The optical DDM information is monitored in operation and used for link triaging
- Operation tooling such as performance dashboards provides various ways of checking the link performance



Tooling and Performance Monitoring: Meta Defined Supplier Mfg. Test Data



Mfg. Analytic Platform (MAP)

What

Out of box module test data

Monitor distribution of parameter with an eye for

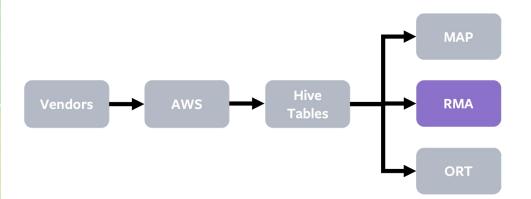
- Cpk (process capability index) trends
- On time delivery
- Data variation, Channel dependence, MPN



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Tooling and Performance Monitoring: RMA



RMA

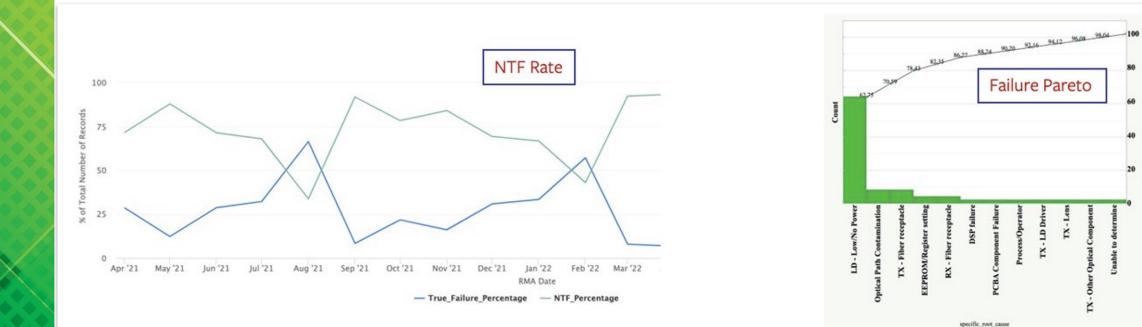
•Track NTF vs Real failures

•DPPM, FIT, Corrective actions

<u>Why</u>

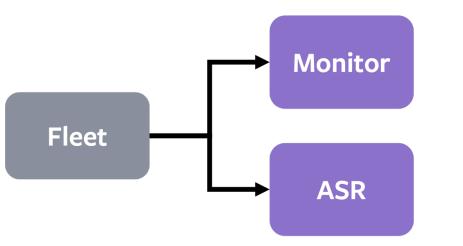
What

- Main failure mode
- Track RMA TAT
- Effectiveness of CA





Tooling and Performance Monitoring: Meta Data Center



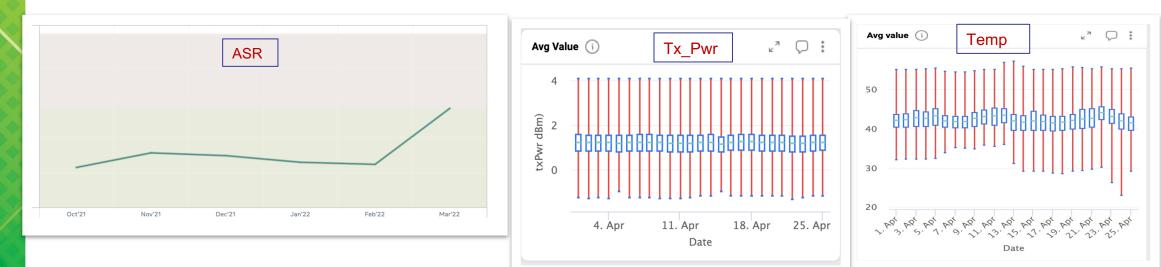
Inline monitor

What

- Module parameter tracking
- Swap rate

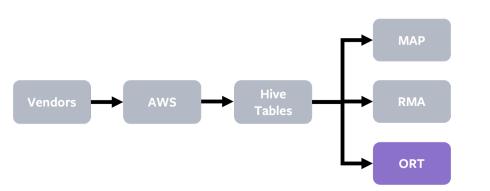
<u>Why</u>

Track fleet health





Tooling and Performance Monitoring: ORT

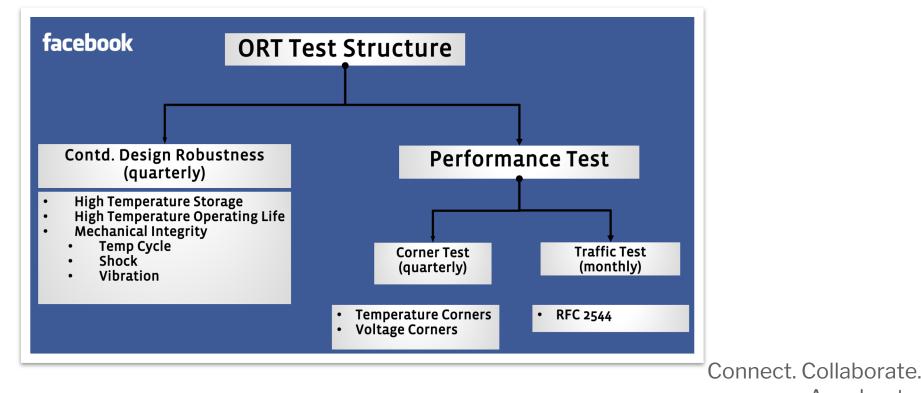


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- What
- **Design robustness and corner tests** ٠
- Performance Test/Traffic

Why

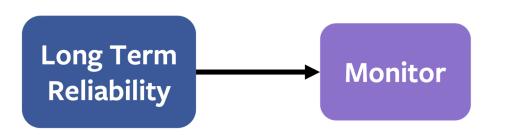
Track vendor ongoing reliability



Accelerate.



Tooling and Performance Monitoring: Reliability



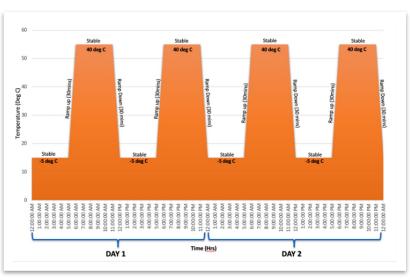
Long Term Reliability

What

Traffic data in oven with temp cycling

<u>Why</u>

Determine long term reliability





Accelerate.



Global Supply Shortage and Mitigation

CONTRACT

Tier 1 (Source) LTA commitments

Tier2 (Source) Sub-comp LTA

POs & Commitments (Global Supply Chain)

Drive PO coverage and commitment review

> Ops Standardize & Forecasting (Global Supply Chain) Standardization & ongoing ramp forecasting & commitment process across Tier1 suppliers

TIER1 (FG)

Operations

Deployment Impact (Global Supply Chain, Planning) Determine impact to deployment in case of delays

TIER 1 (FG)

Quality & Capacity

Mfg. Ramp Enablement (Quality) Mfg. and test capacity ramp analysis, yield improvement, production line throughput and utilization assessment, audits

> **Risk Mitigation (Quality)** Quality control process Milestone review

Tariff Mitigation (Quality, HW Eng, Source) Qualifying non-COO supplier sites

Qual Schedules (Program Mgmt)

Early Deployments Monitoring (HW Eng., Quality)

TIER2 (Sub-components)

Dual Sourcing (HW Eng, Quality, Source) (1) Drive decision (2) Dual source critical components via ECN/PCN

Tier2 Supply Coverage (Global Supply Chain, Source) Open orders, LT, Inventory mgmt

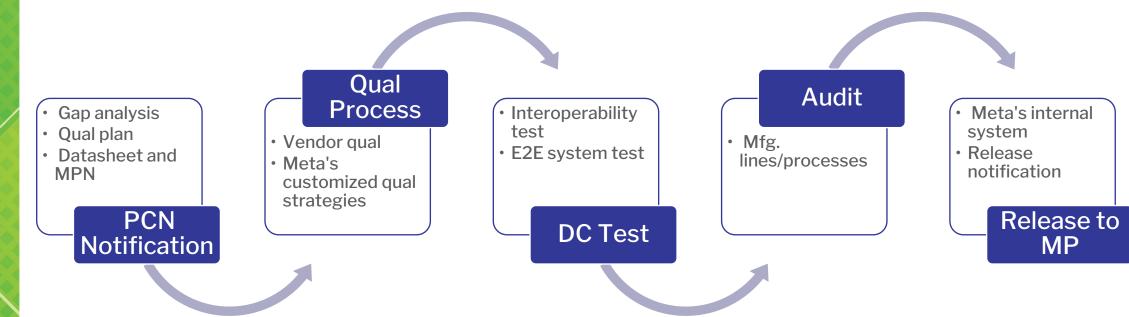
ECN/PCN Roadmap & Qual Schedule (Program Mgmt, HW Eng, Quality) Develop qualification plan with key milestones

Takeaways:

- Cross-functional resources across
 4 workstreams required to
 navigate unprecedented supply
 shortages
- Multi-sourcing strategy expanded to address key sub-components



Global Material Crisis/Meta's PCN Process



- Unprecedented component shortages, de-commits, and potential impact to deployment
 - ~3X-4X additional PCNs in 2021 & 2022
- Unique PCN test structures to optimize Meta's internal qualification time
- Virtual mfg. line audits to improve production throughput and quality control
- New mfg. site qualification strategies in record time



Future Opportunities



Supply Chain Flexibility

Drive dual-qualification of key components during NPI



Continuous Improvement

Leverage PCN process to drive continuous improvement in process and design

Feature rich diagnostics for optics and switch HW



Diversify Manufacturing Footprint

Collaborate with supplier partners and leverage Meta PCN process to qualify manufacturing in multiple geographies



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