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ODSA Proof of Concept (POC)

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Big Picture

- **Vision:** ODSA success is an open marketplace where people offer their chiplets, and those chiplets have common interfaces to interoperate
- **Mission:** ODSA's role is to define and prove several aspects of the concept to enable companies to be willing to make investments for future multi-party chiplet products with common interfaces
- **Actions:** ODSA's POCs is to kick start the process
 - Tackle the chicken-and-egg problem by showing companies willing to make incrementally larger investments towards interoperable parts
 - Generate proof points to reduce resistance to making first real products (Making commercial products is beyond the scope of ODSA)



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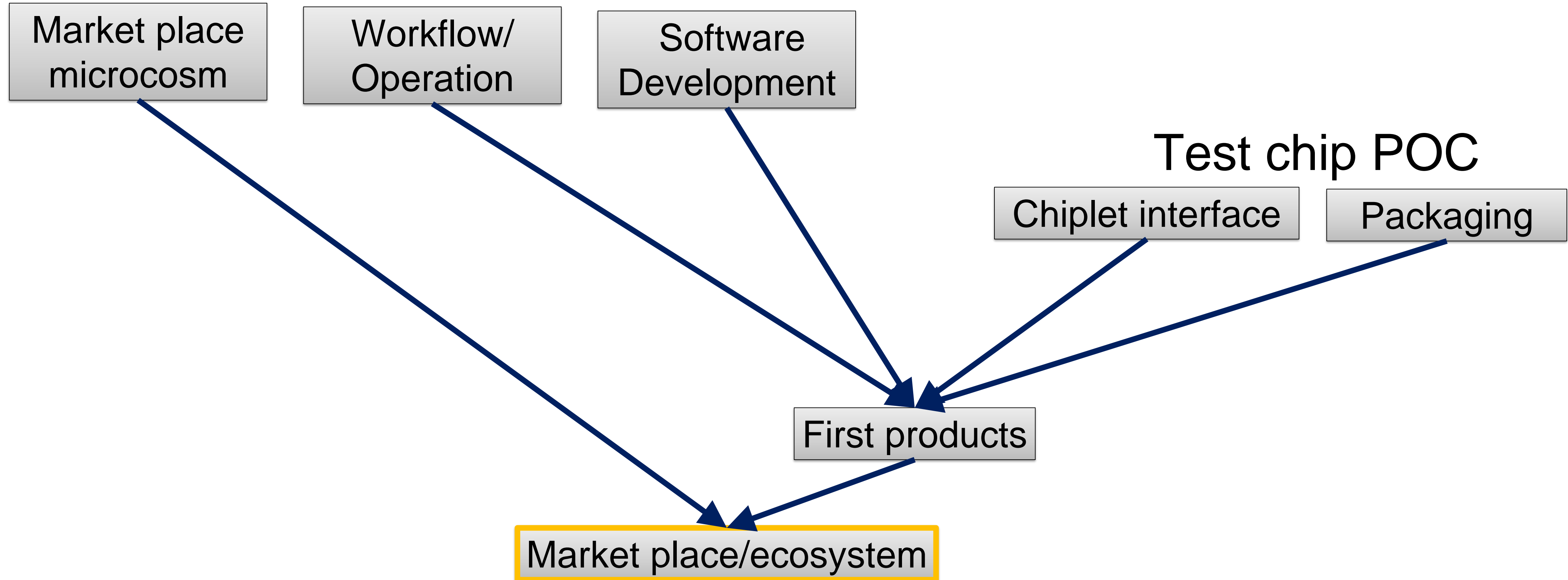
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Multiple dimensions of POC effort

- Operations
 - Force information sharing at a bare die-level
 - Exposing issues of sharing sensitive business metrics
 - Validate risk and value sharing models
- Architectural
 - Validate interfaces protocols
 - Evaluate performance issues
 - Develop software programming models
- Work flow
 - Yield and cost modeling
 - Explore chiplet integration and packaging
 - Validate power distribution
 - Develop high-speed I/O solutions

POC has multiple steps

Workflow/Software Dev POC



Objectives of Workflow POC

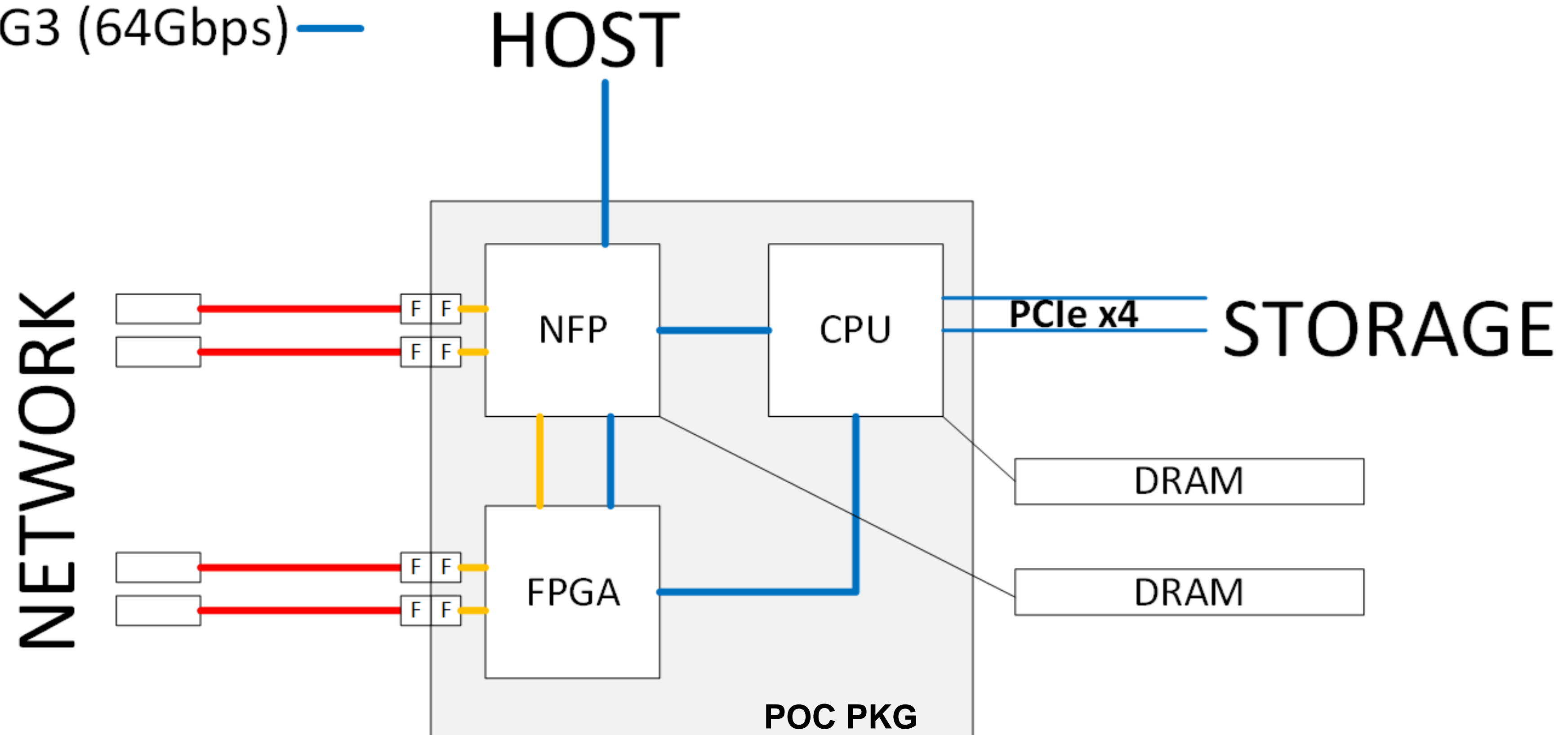
- Pathfinding with example workflow across companies and model for market place
 - Reusable cross-company workflow
 - Faster path in future for someone to build a domain-specific multi-chiplet solution
- Bootstrapping the system by building something tangible
 - Demonstrate commitment from all partners
 - Demonstrate credibility as a group
- Inspire by building accelerator (HW+SW) with contemporary performance
 - Need to attract end users
 - Show a path to real product

Workflow POC First Thought

40G Ethernet copper —

40G Ethernet optical —

X8 PCIe G3 (64Gbps) —



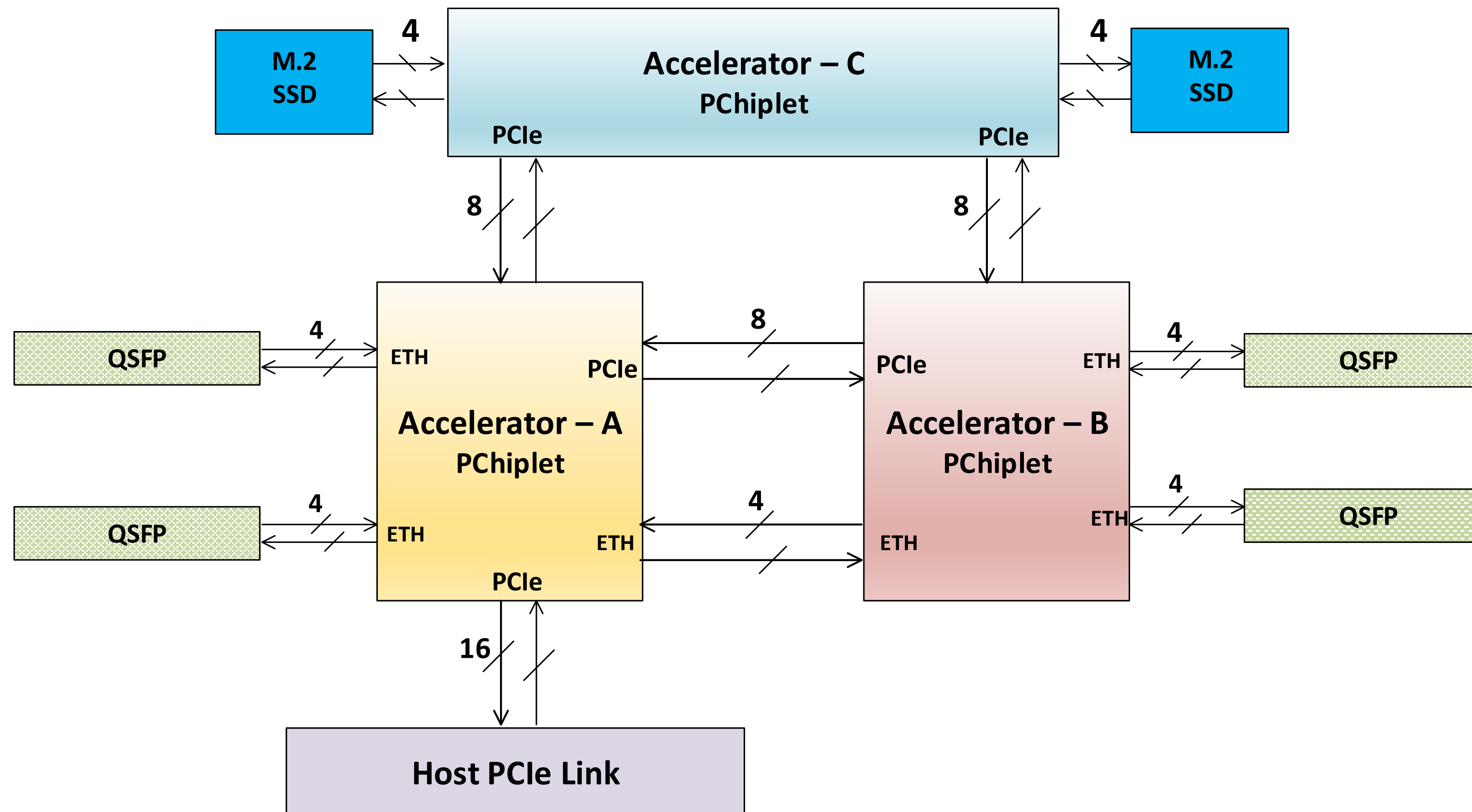
Working with legacy chips/interfaces

- Explore Operations
 - Working together
 - Sharing information
- Building Something
 - Making it real
 - Credible
- Create a microcosm for a chiplet market place
 - “Chiplet” suppliers
 - “Chiplet” integrators
 - Software suppliers
 - System builders
- Engineering challenges **NOT** addressed by first POC (will be addressed with future test chips)
 - Validate new interface for chiplets
 - Packaging and board challenges of new generation of chiplets

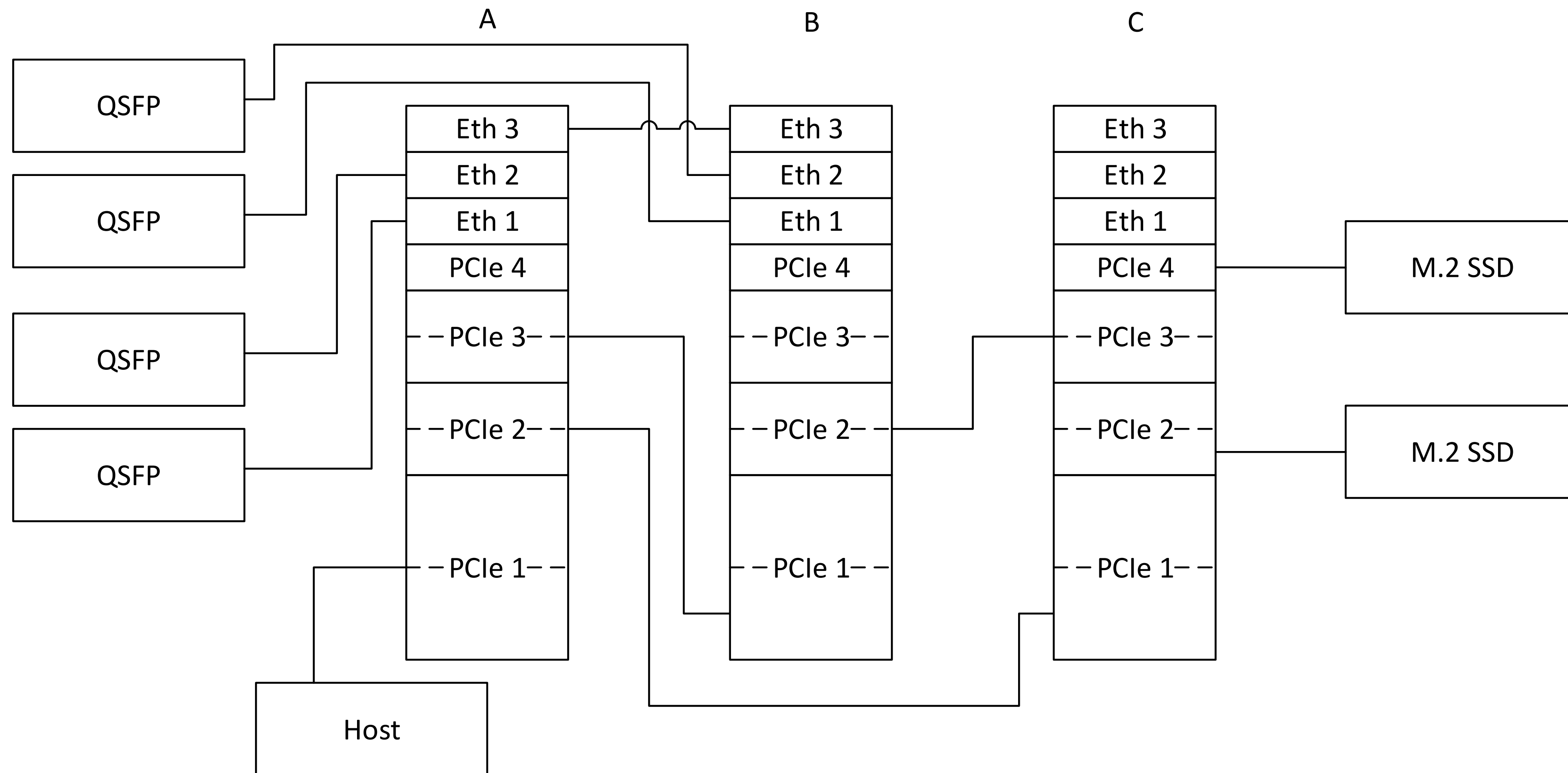
PChiplet (pronounced “Pichlet”)

- Innovative way to take a first step
- A small PCB analogy of a chiplet
- A large PCB analogy of a substrate and package



Workflow POC Platform Architecture



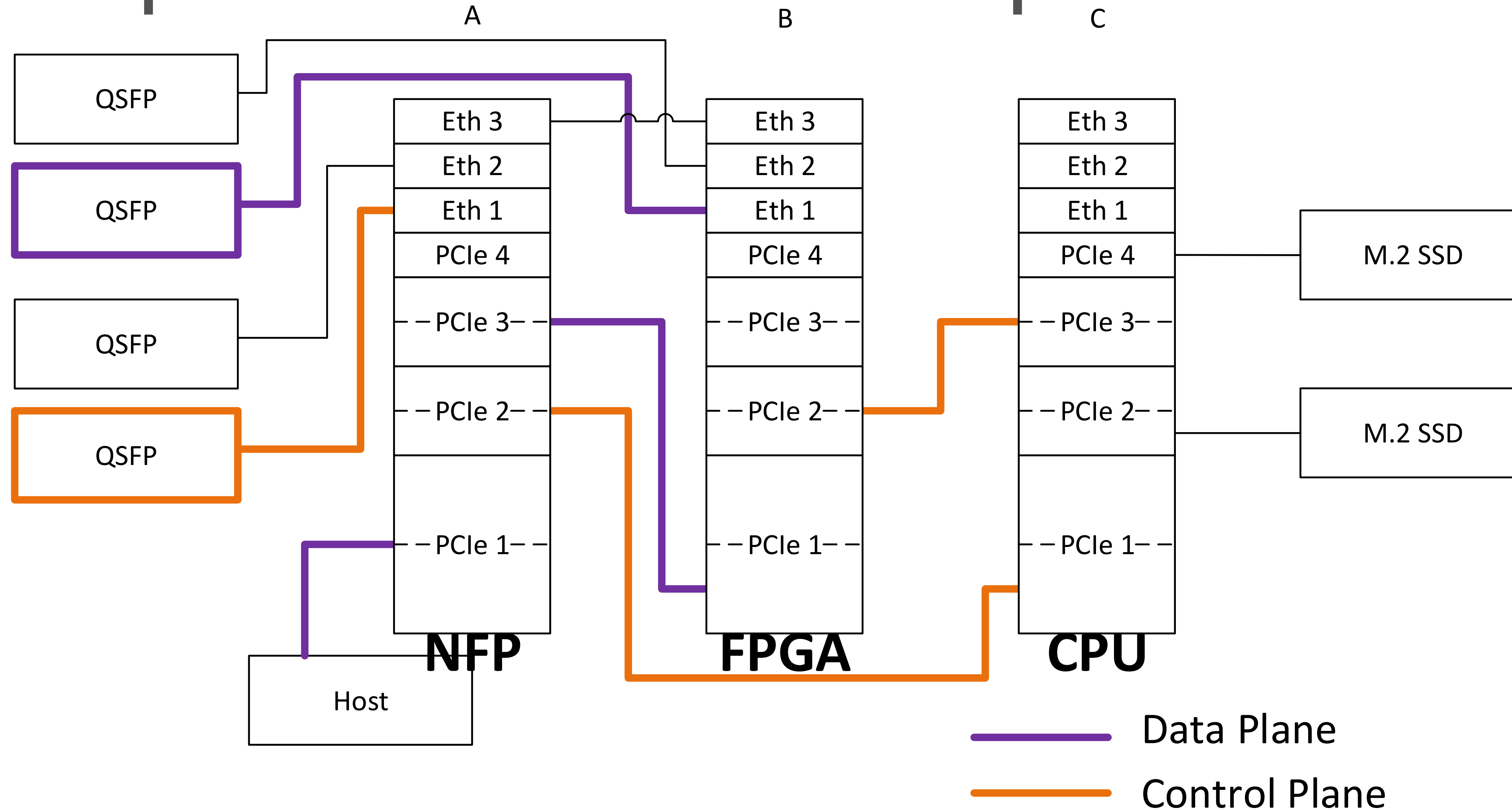
Supports multiple configurations



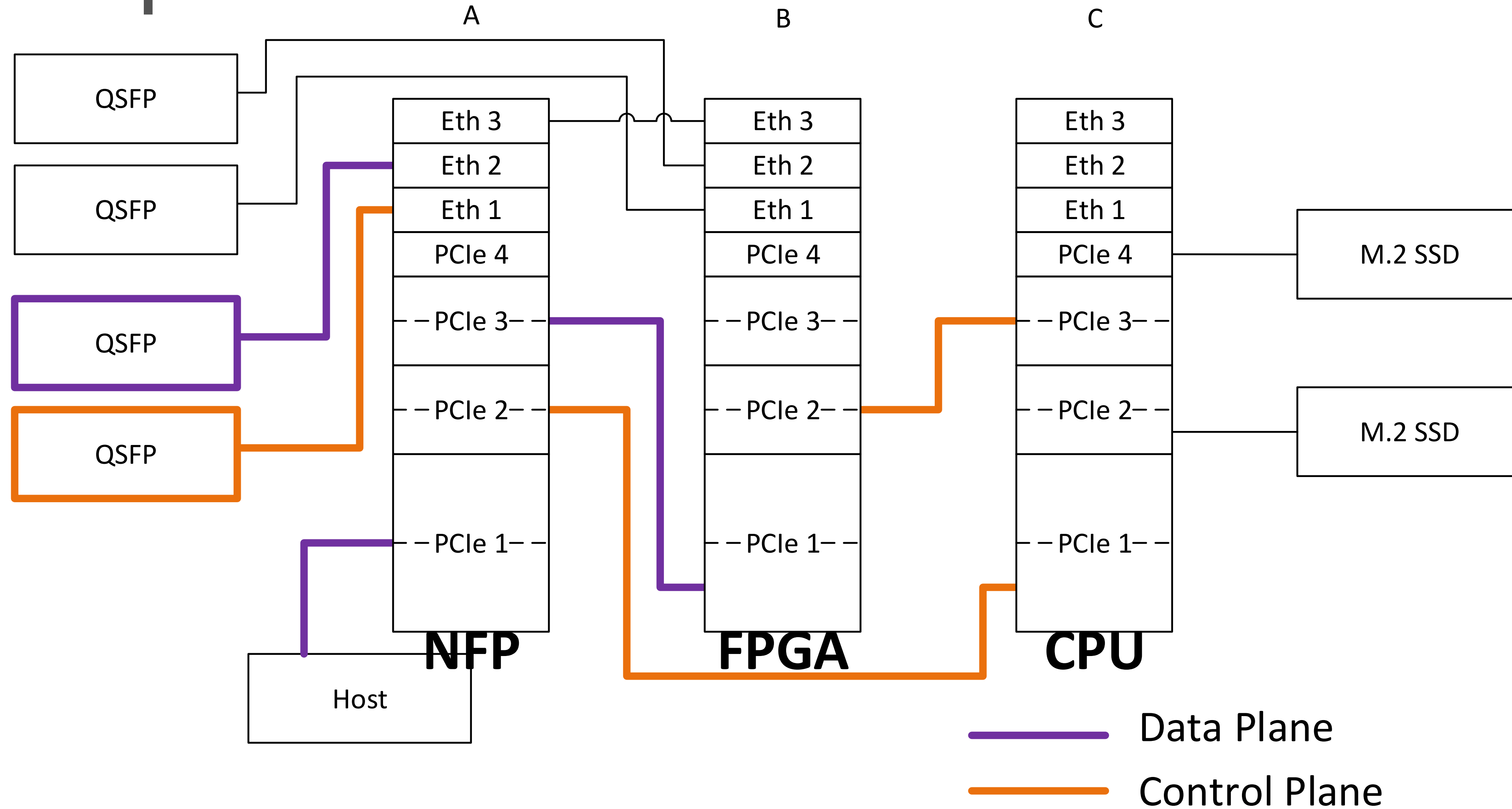
First PChipelets

Port	Netronome NFP	Achronix FPGA	NXP CPU	SSD Jumper
Ethernet 3	YES	YES	NO	
Ethernet 2	YES	YES	NO	
Ethernet 1	YES	YES	YES	
PCle 4 x4	NO	NO	YES x4	Jumper 
PCle 3 x8	YES x8	NO	YES x4 only	
PCle 2 x8	YES x8	YES x8	YES x4 only	Jumper 
PCle 1 x16	YES x8 only	YES x8 only	YES x8	

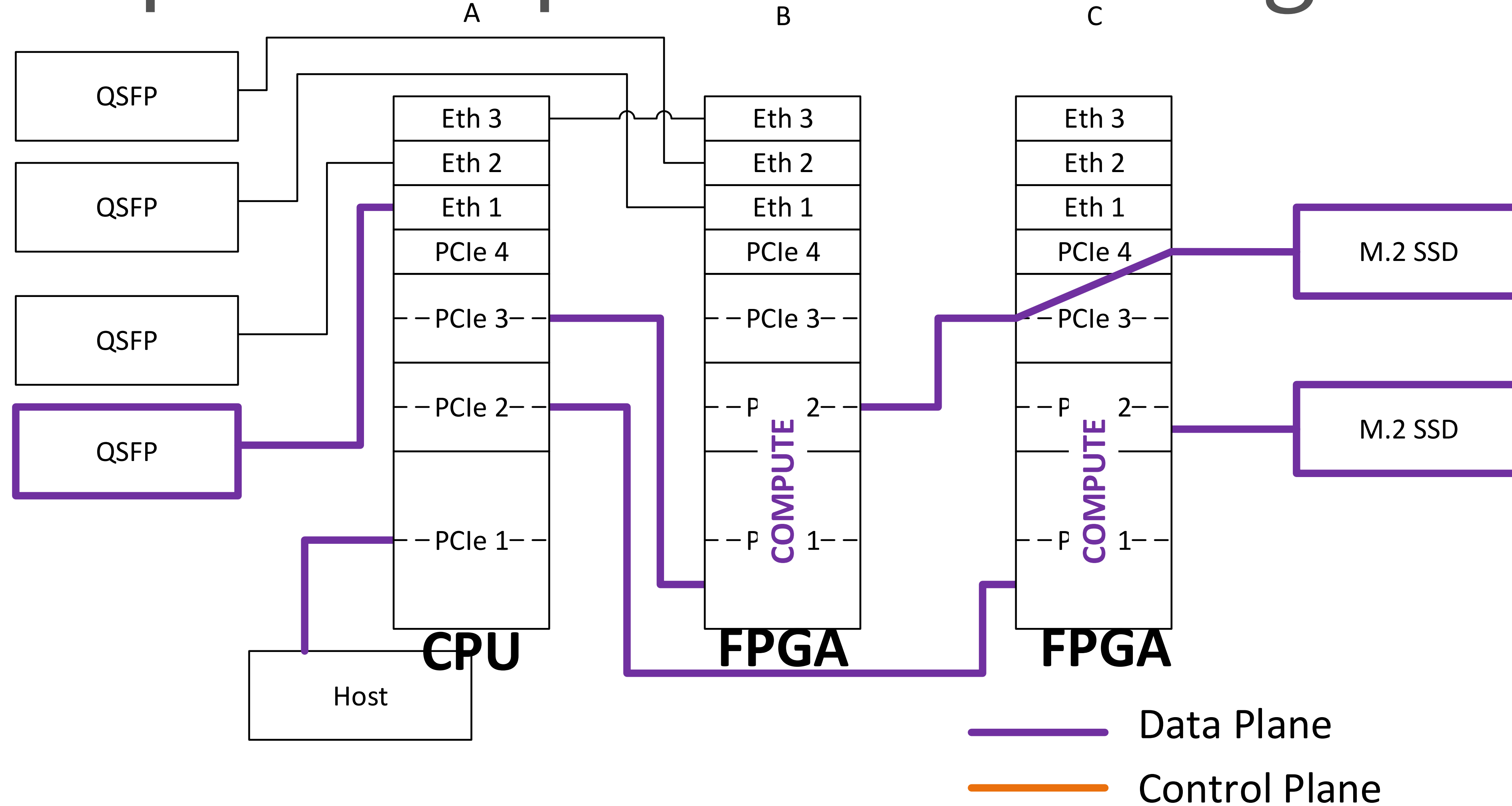
Example: Smart NIC bump-in-wire



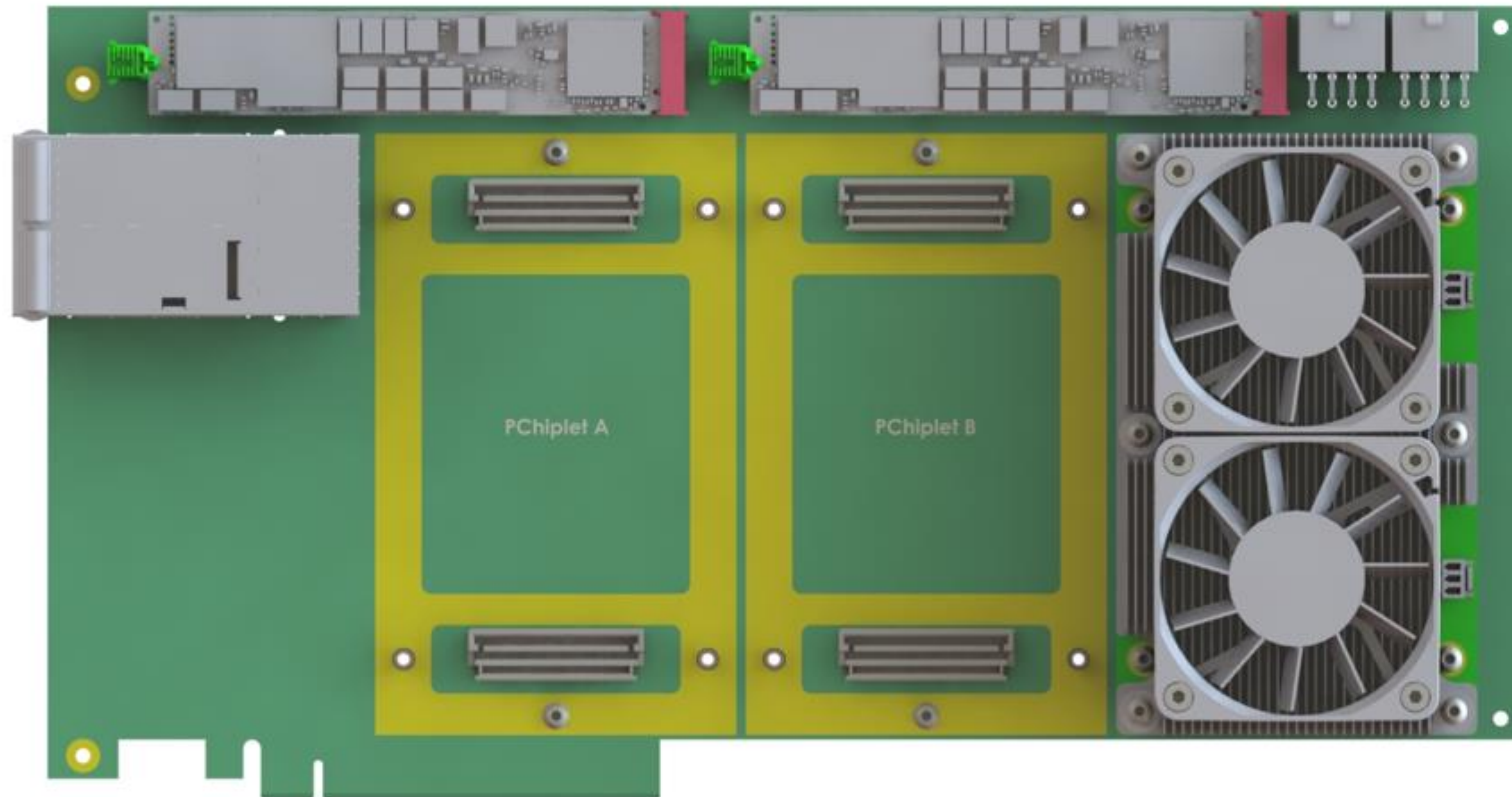
Example: Smart NIC Side-car



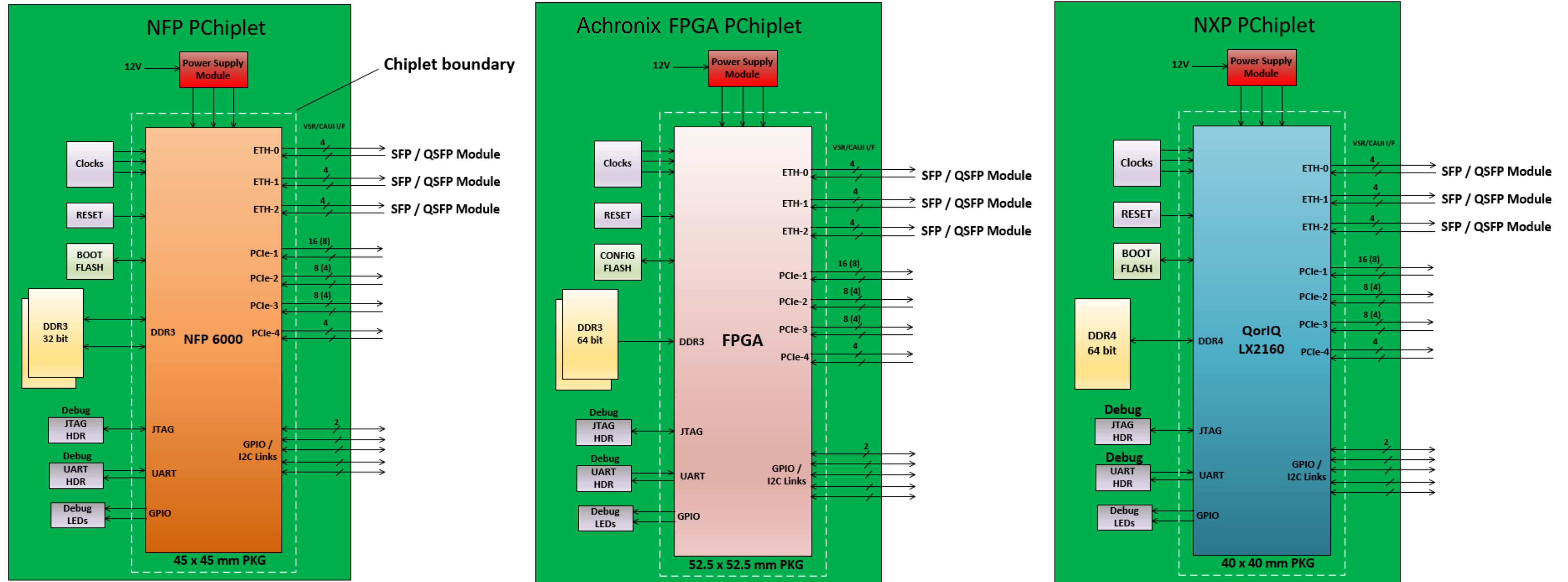
Example: Computational Storage



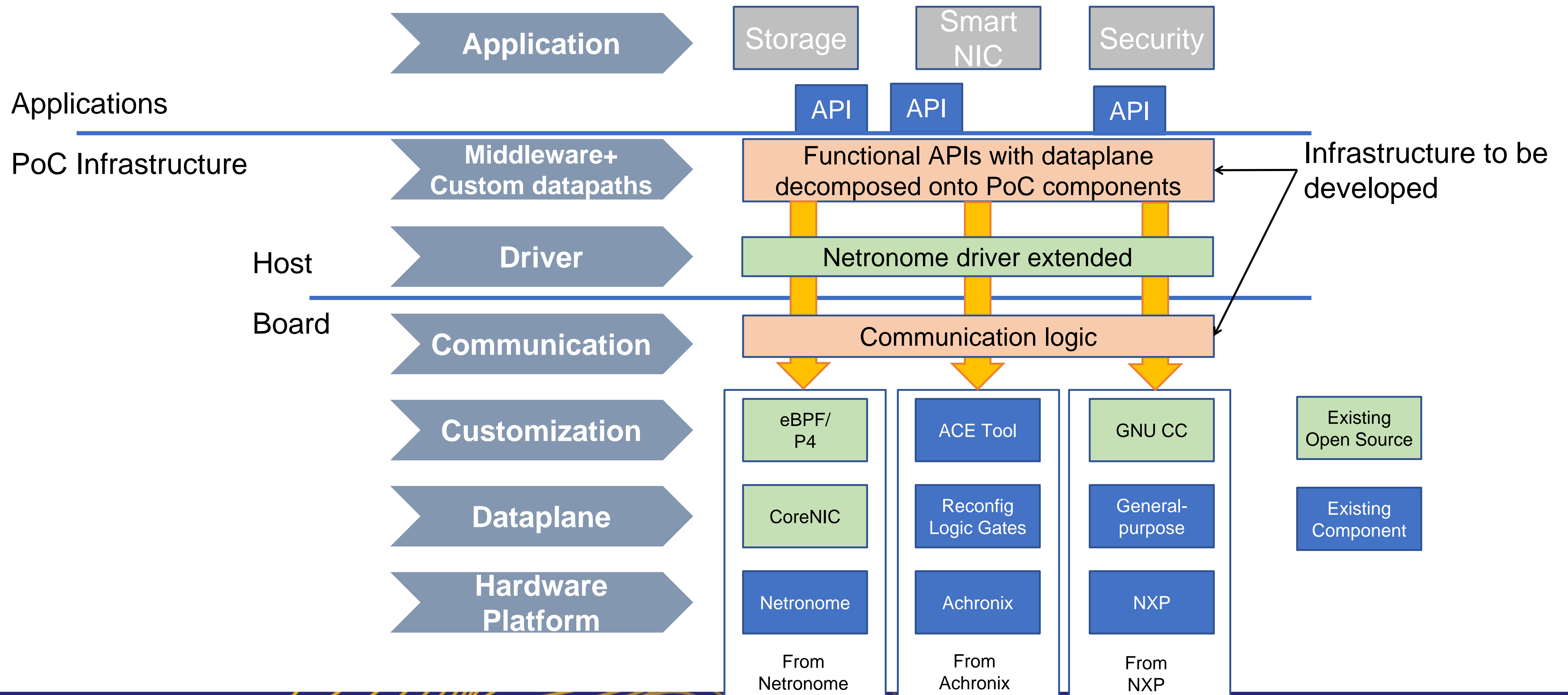
Workflow POC physical implementation



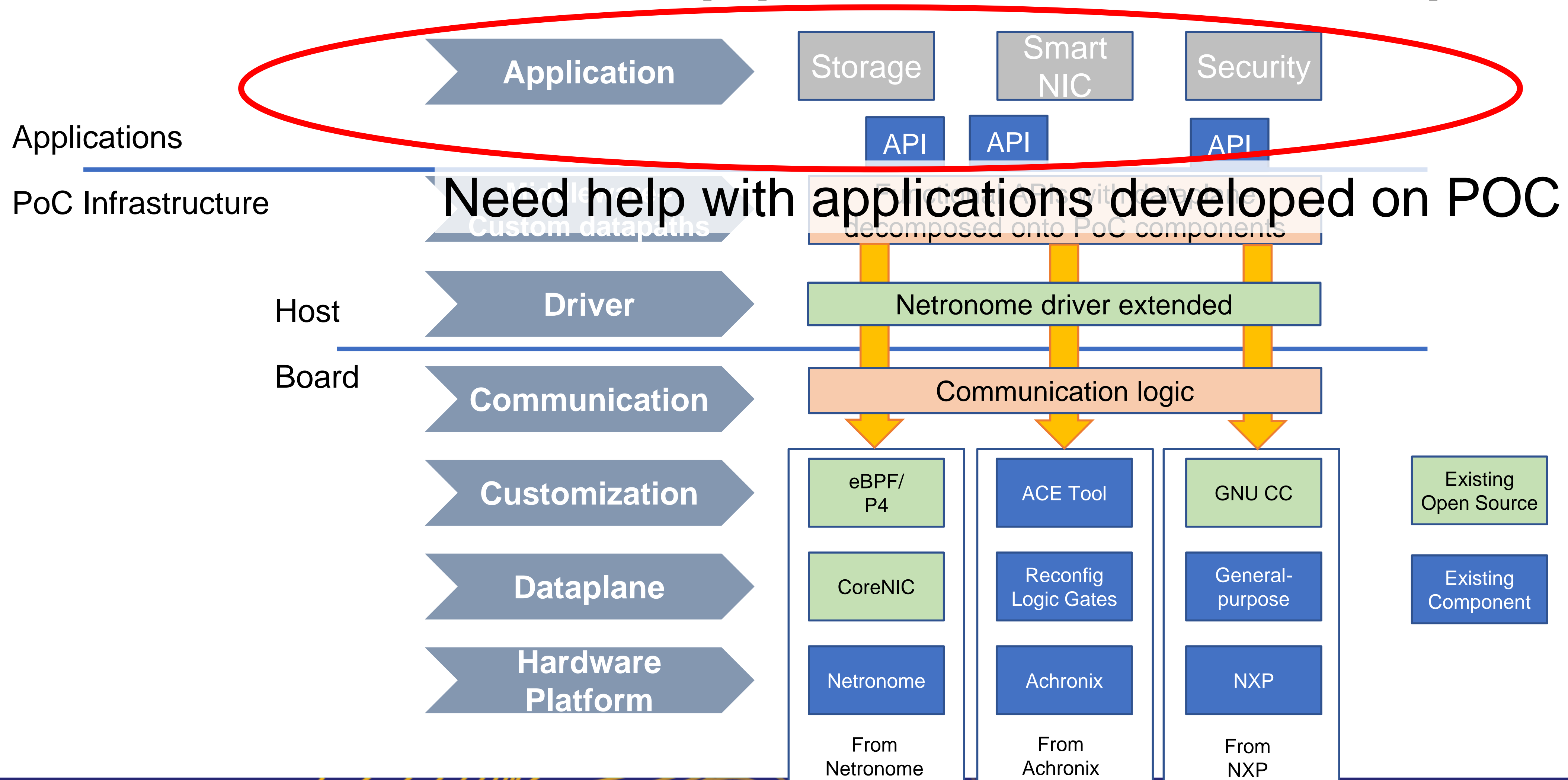
Workflow POC Pchipllets



Software and Application Development



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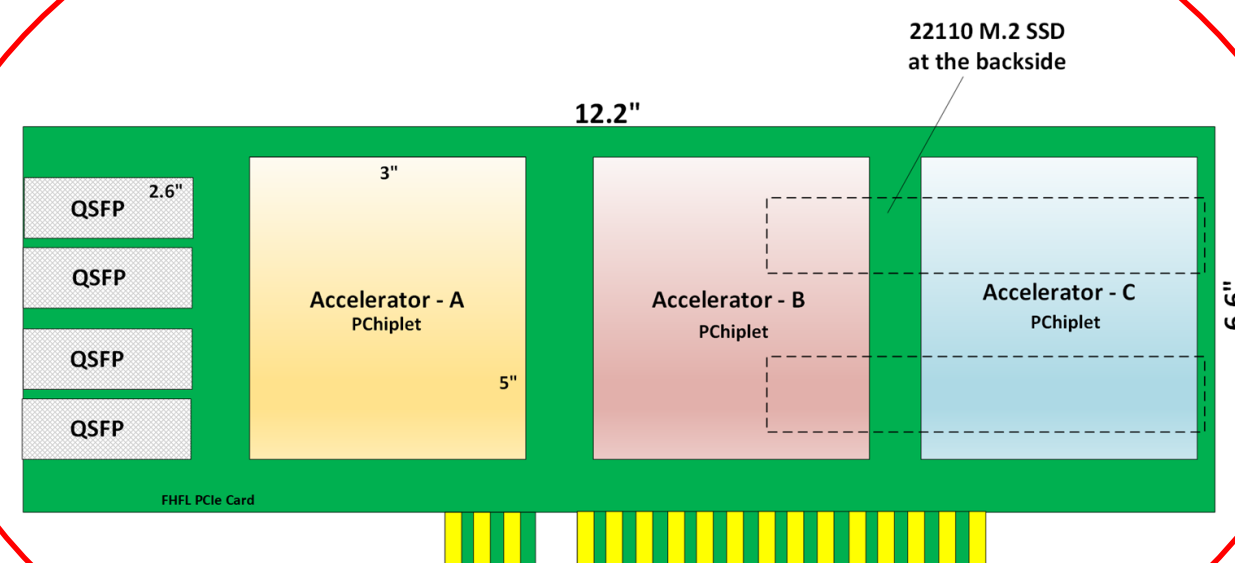


POC Schedule

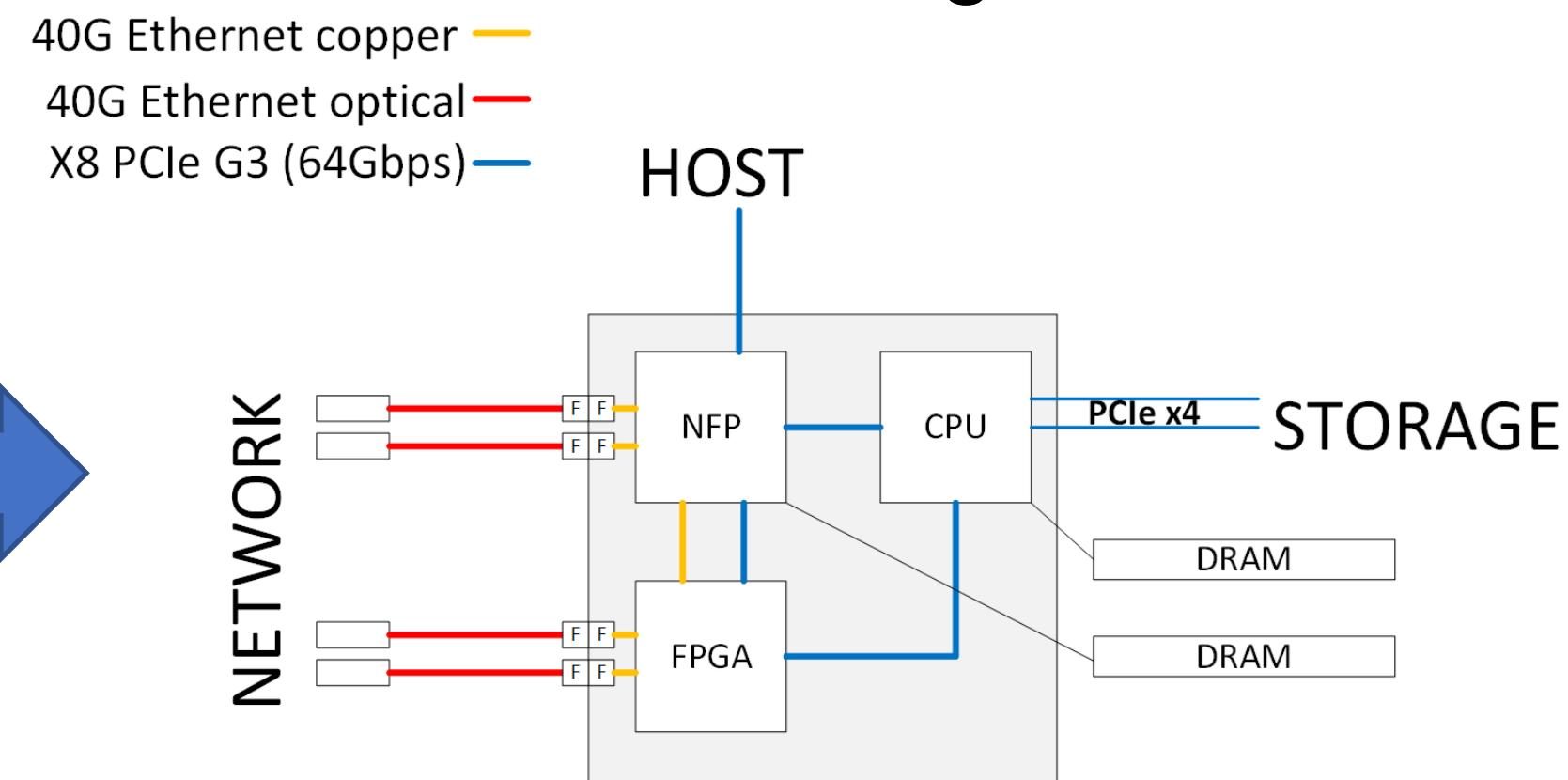
	2019										2020		
Tasks	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
<u>Architecture and Overall</u>	Component Selection, Arch												
<u>PoC SDV Design</u>				Schematics	Layout	Mfg	Bring Up						
<u>PoC Package Design</u>					Design								
<u>Packge Manufacturing</u>										Mfg			
<u>Software/Firmware (Bring UP and demo)</u>											Bring UP		

Raising additional funds for POC

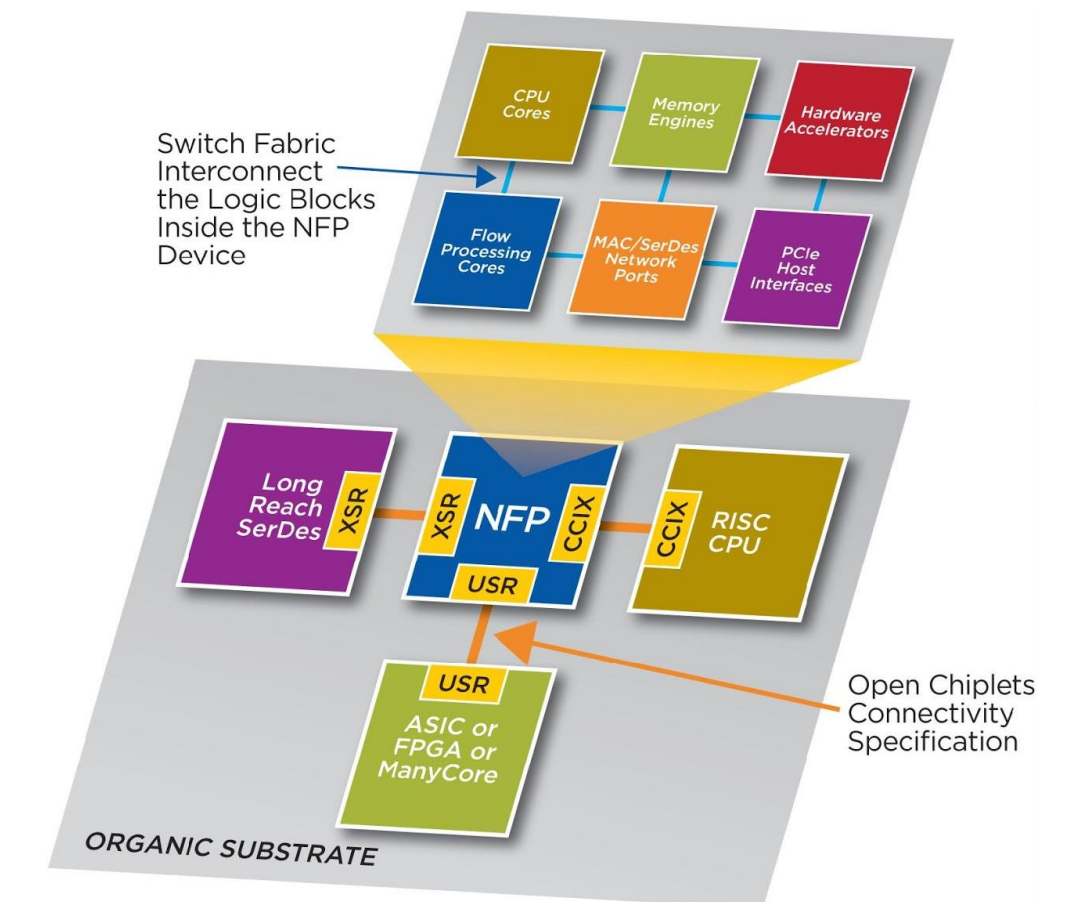
Workflow POC



Test Package



Test Chips



Made a lot of progress and partners are making substantial contributions
Need additional funding to complete POC projects
Priority today is funds to complete Workflow POC
Funding partners will get early access to PoC development platform (first hardware)

Please Join Us

We are looking for fellow travelers for all areas

- Specification Write Ups
- System Netlist Verification
- Board Design
- Software Development
- Application Porting
- Board Bring Up
- Package Design
- System Level Test Development
- Sponsor Board Manufacturing
- Sponsor Package Manufacturing

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