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Microelectronics' Energy Efficiency Scaling for 2 Decades (EES2) Pledge and WG WELCOME

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Economics of Energy Efficiency Scaling—increasing returns!

- Against <u>Un-sustainable</u> Growth –that reaches market dynamics limit.
- Upper EES2 scenario not necessarily "worst case" shows growth PARALLEL to planetary human energy production
- Neither is lower EES2 scenario "worst case" could show an earlier transition to a more distributed nature inspired manufacturing and energy use
- Energy Efficiency leads to "increasing returns" which is a win for all companies and like-minded countries



Source: Based on SRC Decadal Report (2021)

Action Needed NOW Against Unsustainable Energy Use

Urgent Need for Electric Energy Efficiency —climate-driven extreme weather plus decarbonization stresses electricity supply and yet...

- Exascale Supercomputer energy use—how did it get to be the same scale as Accelerator energy Use!!
- Almost none of the "Tech Talk" about Artificial Intelligence (chatGPT etc) mentions its enormous energy use.

Help us spread the word—help with the other parts of the Pledge

Next Steps: Expanded Pledge as our Guide

We the undersigned agree to cooperate

- To <u>document and learn</u> from the extraordinary record of microelectronics', including power electronics', energy efficiency such as increases greater than 1,000,000x in energy efficiency since the invention of the transistor nearly 75 years ago;
- To document and learn from microelectronics' past and forecasted future ability to enable all sectors of the economy to become more energy efficient and sustainable;
- To <u>dentify and publicize</u> problems solved and opportunities offered by microelectronics' Energy Efficiency Scaling over 2 Decades (EES2);
- To participate in the AMMTO-led EES2 2022-2023 R&D roadmapping effort; and
- To explore formation of a partnership, an "EES2 Alliance" that enables the EES2 1000X efficiency increase goal by leading EES2 R&D Roadmapping after 2023 and by catalyzing the deployment of cost-effective technologies, including power electronics, needed to stay on the EES2 path of doubling microelectronics' energy efficiency every two years.

We do this because

 Microelectronics' life-cycle energy use is rapidly becoming unsustainable as microelectronics demand begins to outpace continuing efficiency improvements due to burgeoning computing, communication, and electrification demands

EES2 is a key organizing principle that aims to help meet new energy demands
The EES2 is a technology leadership path that provides economic and other public benefits.

HELP EXPLAIN THIS for Layers of Computing and its Implications



EES2 Working Group Homework: Assign March Leads by 2/16





Thank you

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