OPTIMIZING NVIDIA VIRTUAL GPU FOR THE BEST VDI USER EXPERIENCE

NVIDIA VIRTUAL GPU PRODUCT POSITIONING

NVIDIA GRID vPC/vApps



NVIDIA QUADRO Virtual Data Center Workstation



Designers

Tesla M10

Tesla P4*

* Exception High End and Ultra High-End Use Cases

GRID vPC and Quadro vDWS

Understanding the workflow to define scale

NVIDIA GRID vPC/vApps

Scale determined by <u>Framebuffer Size*</u>

All Maxwell and Pascal based Tesla boards provide sufficient 3D Performance for typical GRID vPC workloads NVIDIA QUADRO Virtual Data Center Workstation

Scale determined by <u>3D Engine Performance and</u> <u>Framebuffer Size*</u>

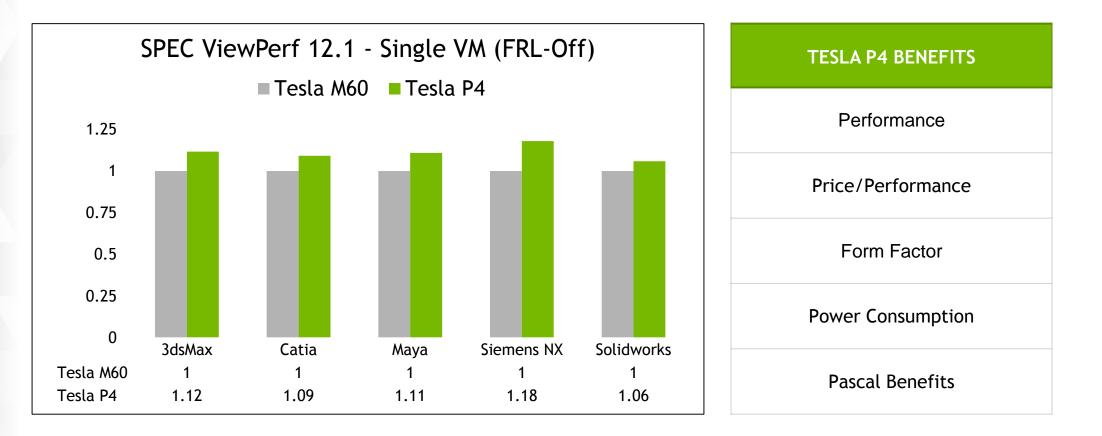
	Tesla M10 (8GB) 8 Users	Tesla P40 (24GB) 24 Users	
End-User Latency	~200ms	~200ms	SPEC ViewF
Frames/User	4000	4000	12.1

	Tesla M10 (8GB) 1 User	Tesla P4 (8GB) 1 User
SPEC ViewPerf 12.1	~25	~80

* Tested with Single Full HD Screen. Subject to change with non Pascal and Volta based GPUs

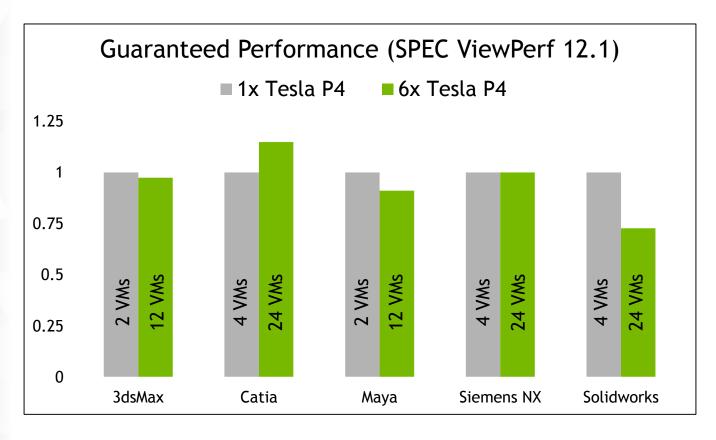
QUADRO Virtual Data Center Workstation

P4 provides 11% more Perf than each M60 GPU





New Intel CPU allows 6x Tesla P4 6x Users @ Comparable Guaranteed Performance

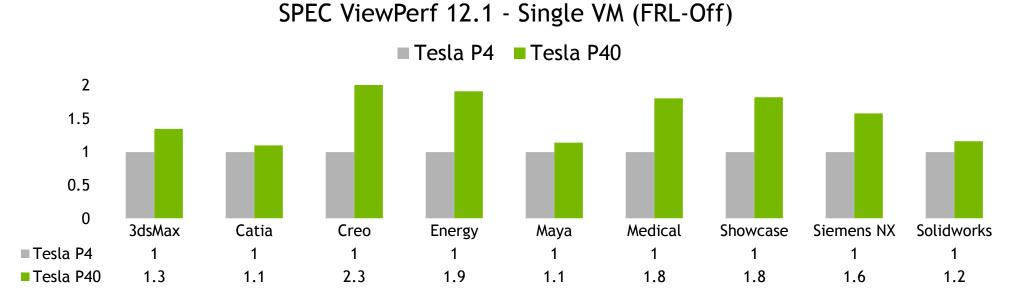


New Intel CPU (3GHz 18c) allows the use of 6x P4s

Guaranteed performance is close to the performance of single P4

* Tested on a Dell R740 with 2x Intel Xeon Gold 6154 CPU @ 3.0 GHz, 18 Cores

P40 provides up to 2.3x more Perf than P4



TESLA P4	TESLA P40
Many Low-Mid End Users	Few Mid-High End Users
Price/Performance	Performance
Form Factor	High Framebuffer Profiles (12GB and 24GB)
Power Consumption	
Multiple Profiles per Server (Many P4s)	

NVIDIA vGPU Scheduling Policies



Enterprise Customers

Best Effort Scheduler

default in Virtual GPU March 2018 Release (6.0)

Reason:

Maximum utilization of GPU cycles

Consider:

Equal Share Scheduler for Compute Workloads Delivering Guaranteed QoS



Cloud Service Providers

Fixed Share Scheduler

Reason:

Guaranteed QoS - Performance GPU resources fenced off per profile

COMPARING THE SCHEDULING MODES

A high level summary cheat sheet

	BEST EFFORT	EQUAL SHARE	FIXED SHARE
Supported HW	Maxwell, Pascal	Pascal	Pascal
Primary Use cases	Enterprise	Enterprise	Cloud
vGPU aware	No	Yes	Yes
Needs mixed compute/graphics	Supported	Recommended	Recommended
Idle cycle redistribution	Yes	No	No
Guaranteed QoS	No	Yes	Yes
Noisy neighbor protection	No	Yes	Yes
FRL required	Yes	No	No

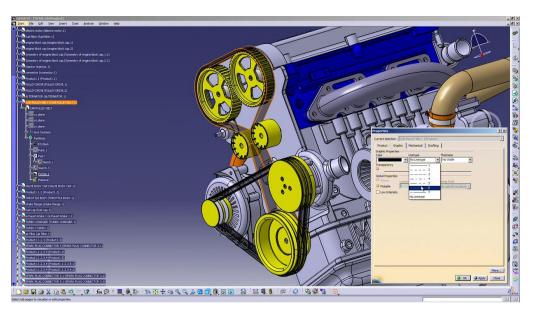
Benchmarking = Guaranteed Performance

Benchmark



Synthetic workload (4x Speed)

Human workflow



Human workflow (4x Speed)

Start with Guaranteed Performance explore individual scale for each customer during a POC Defining Scale by Benchmarking Defining Scale with real End Users

- Same Methodology as Quadro
- Familiar Methodology to the customer
- **Guaranteed Performance**
- **Conservative Recommendation**
- Allows Mapping Quadro boards

- Scale is individual to each customer
- Allows the Effect of time sharing
- Can lead to higher scale
- Performance at higher scale isn't guaranteed
- Leveraging the impact of time sharing requires Best-Effort Scheduling Policy

P1000 Class Catia Users (SPEC ViewPerf 12.1)*

Customer Experience**

4x Tesla P4

8 (4x 2)

~12-16 (4x 3-4)

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Defining User Experience (UX)

Remoted Frames

Describes the number of frames that are sent to the end user.

Functionality

Describes if the remote desktop supports the same range of applications (API Support).

End-User Latency

Describes how remote the session feels or how interactive/laggy the session is.

Image Quality

Describes how much the image was impacted & manipulated by the remote protocol.

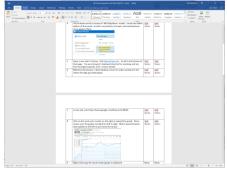
Consistency

Describes how much the user experience varies during the test run.

NVIDIA vPC Benchmark

Modern Apps



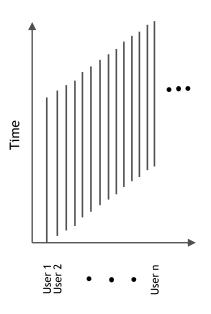


Many User, Many Behaviors

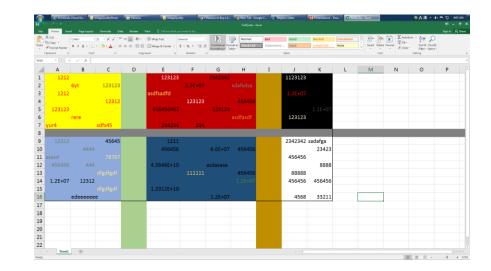
USER #1	USER #2
Google Chrome (Video)	MS Word 2016
Windows Media Player	Microsoft Edge (PDF)
MS Word 2016	MS Excel 2016
Microsoft Edge (PDF)	Google Chrome (Web)
MS Excel 2016	Google Chrome (Video)

USER #3	USER #4	
Windows Media Player	Google Chrome (Web)	
MS Word 2016	Google Chrome (Video)	
Microsoft Edge (PDF)	Windows Media Player	
MS Excel 2016	MS Word 2016	
Google Chrome (Web)	Microsoft Edge (PDF)	

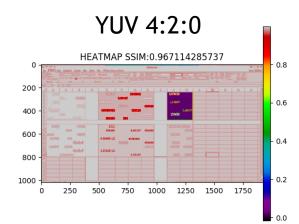
Different Timing

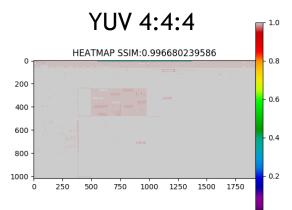


Horizon 7 Image Quality Improvements



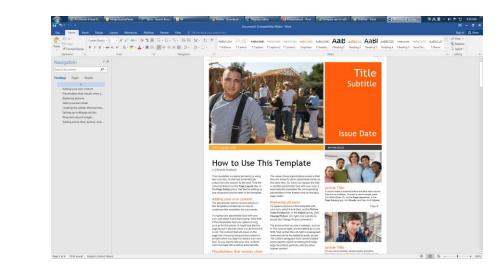
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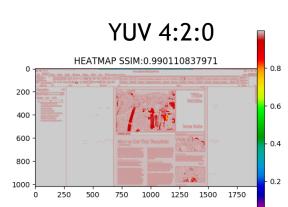


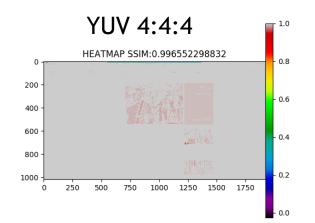
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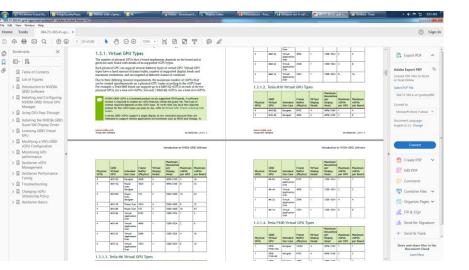


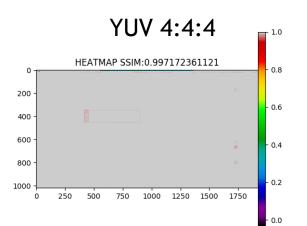


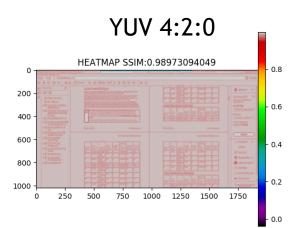


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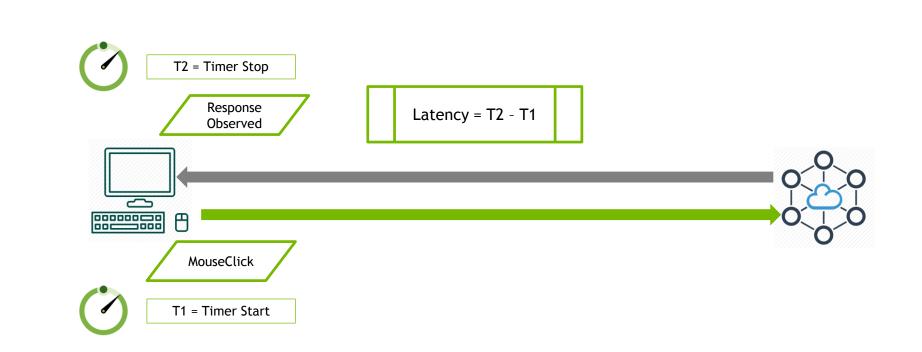






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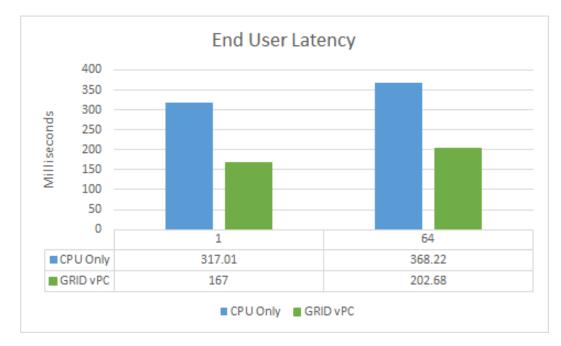
End User Latency (Click-To-Photon)



Best End-User Latency with NVIDIA vPC

Decrease of 140-160ms for best remoted user experience

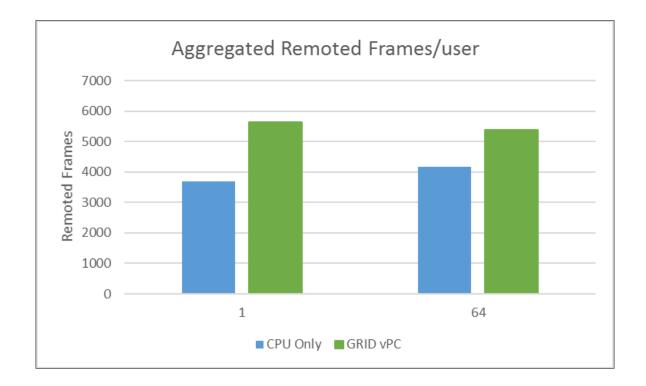
VMware Horizon 7.4 (YUV 4:4:4)



- End-User Latency decrease of <u>140ms</u> with 1VM
- End-User Latency decrease of <u>160ms</u> with 64 VMs

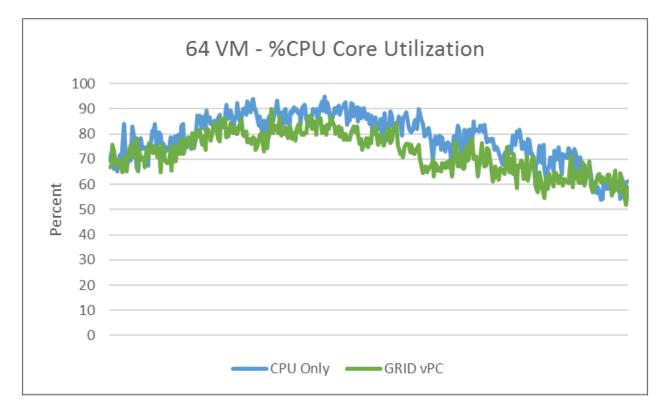
40% More Remoted Frames with GRID vPC

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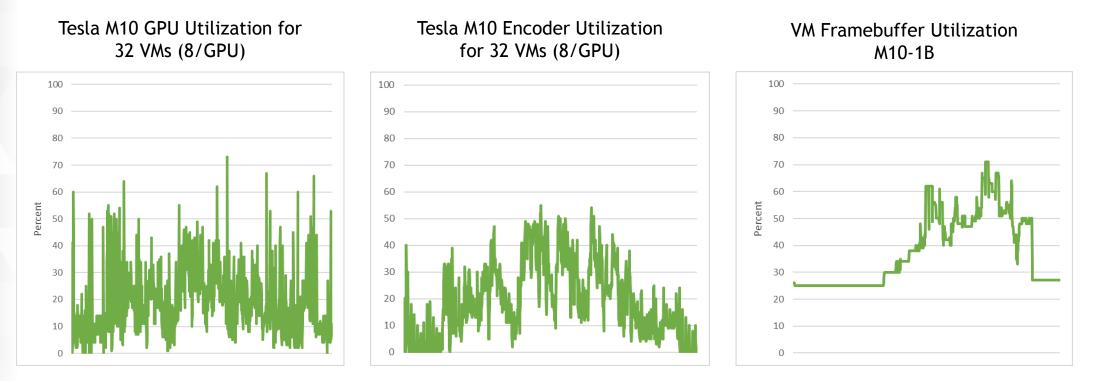
Up to 25% CPU offload for Highest Density

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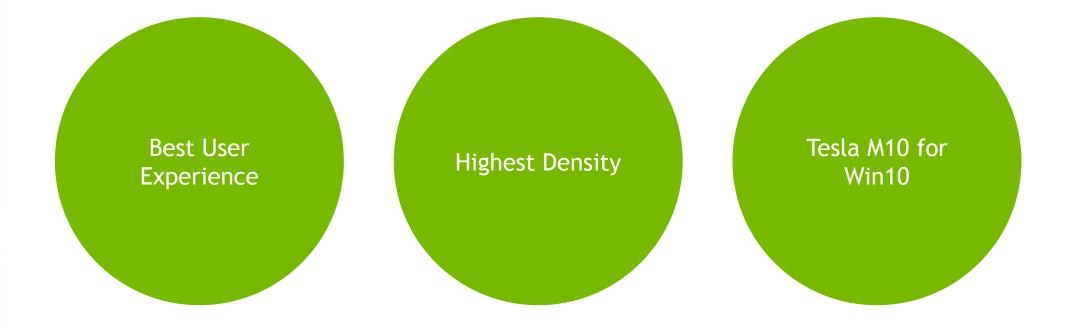
TESLA M10 MEETS THE NEEDS OF KNOWLEDGE WORKERS

Tesla M10 GPU and Encode Engine match the needs of Windows 10



Cirrus Knowledge Worker Workload (Excel, Word, PowerPoint, Chrome, Media Player, PDF) with VMware Horizon 7.4 YUV 4:4:4

NVIDIA GRID VGPU FOR HIGHEST DENSITY AND BEST USER EXPERIENCE



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