
RISC Decommissioning

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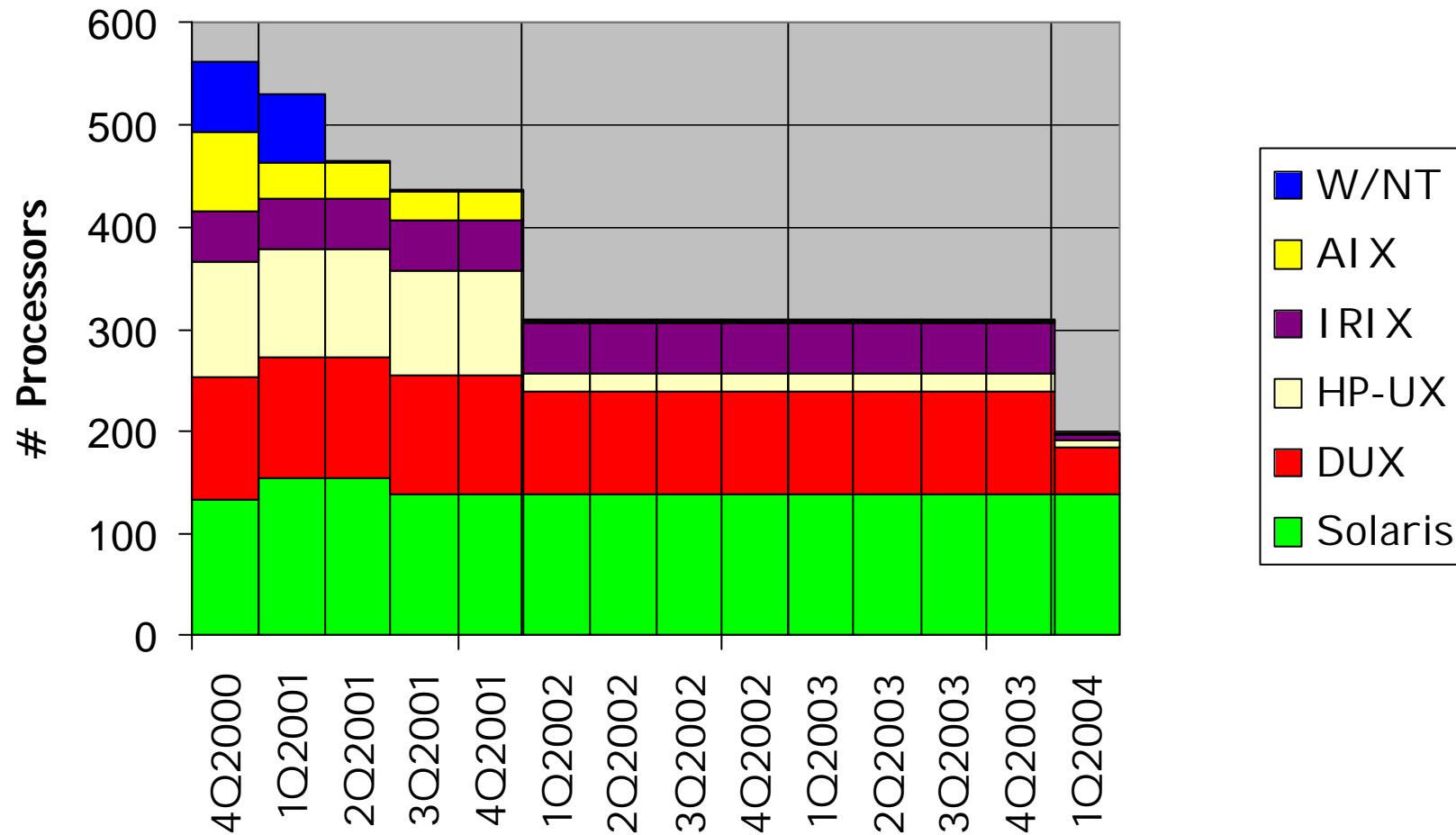
Essence of Original Proposals

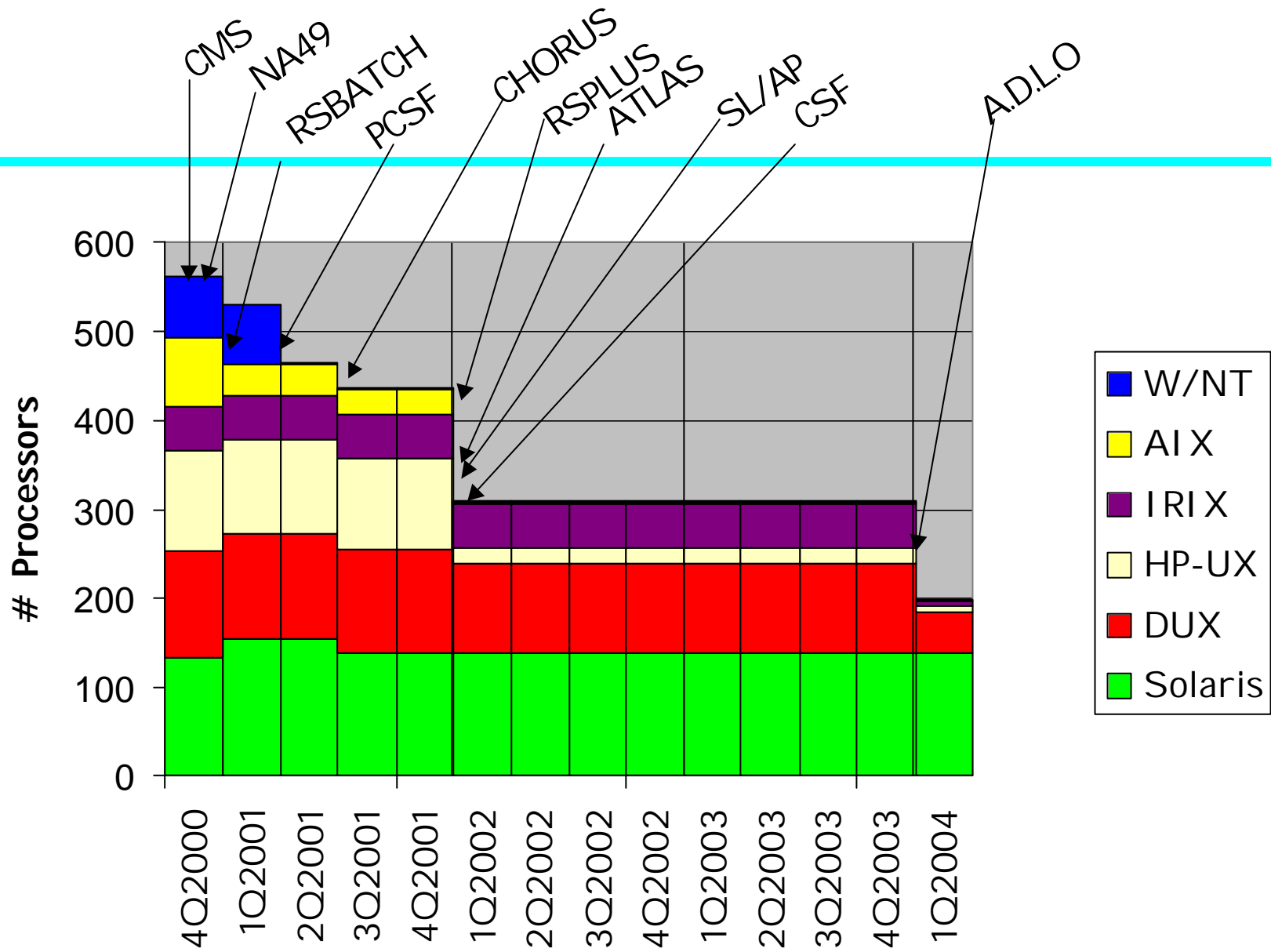
- Non-LEP : transition to Linux/Solaris asap
 - Implement SUNDEV
- LEP : leave until 2003 but freeze earlier
 - Alternative hardware / software for long term LEP analysis

Developments

- Non-LEP
 - COCOTIME success (big thanks to expts)
 - Replacement hardware + phase out plans
 - SUNDEV
- LEP
 - Alternate disk server hardware plans
 - Targeted at existing; tests for future
 - Recent SGI security incident has shown that freezing an OS is not practical
 - Support to the end
 - Switch off at proposed freezing points

Currently Negotiated





Public Services Update / Issues

- Split registration groups PLUS, RSPLUS, ...
 - Generating passwd files for Christmas
 - For example: on RSPLUS keep
 - non-physics codes
 - Group admins (xuserreg ... Oracle forms on Linux)
 - FrameMaker on Linux
- SUNDEV negotiations
 - Experiments and SUN
 - Fast processors VS Fast procurement
 - 10 Dual processors