SGI & MIMOS in High Performance Computing (HPC) Deal

SGI and MIMOS Bhd, a leading Malaysian applied research organization under the Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation (MOSTI), has announced a strategic deal that will enhance the capacity and capability of the Malaysian research community who require HPC capacity-sharing. The contract, worth nearly US$2 million over three years, sees SGI providing MIMOS with a supercomputing infrastructure built around the SGI Altix 4700 , featuring 168-core (or 84 processors) Montecito Intel Itanium 2 processors, 84GB system memory and a 30TB high speed disk subsystem running Information Lifecycle Management (ILM) configuration. The HPC grid is expected to provide the Malaysian high tech research community with a low risk and highly effective throughput HPC solution to accelerate research discoveries done locally.

SGI Altix 4700