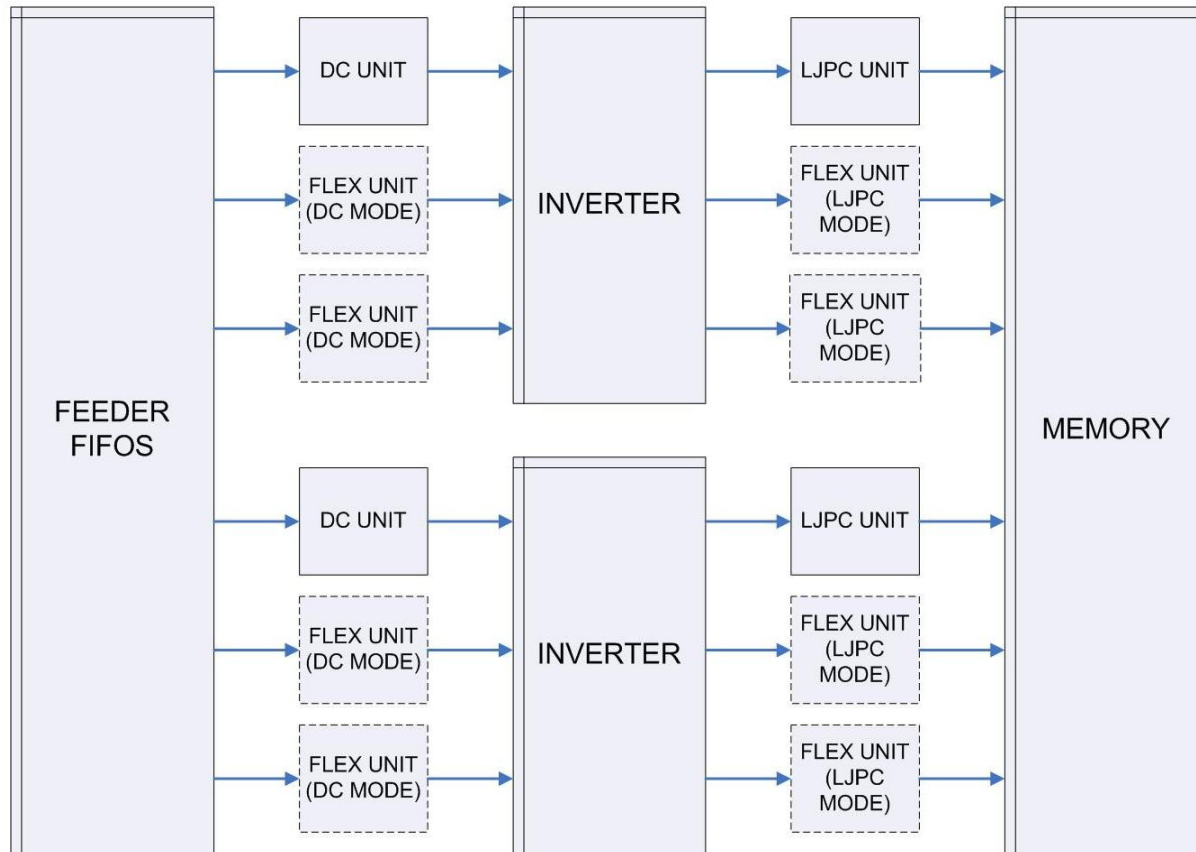


# An **FPGA**-Based Dynamic Load-Balancing Architecture for Solving **N-body Problems**

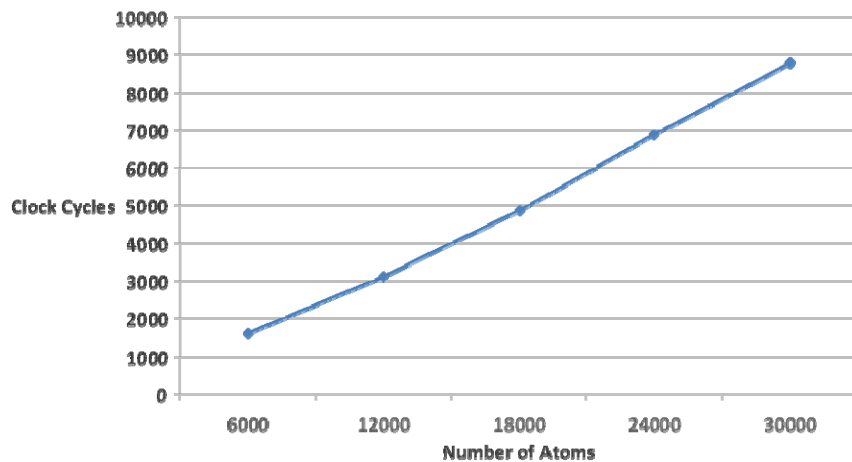


- **Novel high-performance architecture for performing molecular dynamics computations**
- **Dynamic load balancing on the FPGA allows for increased computational throughput**
- **FLEX processors can operate in different modes to increase resource utilization**

# Results

- System calculates Lennard-Jones potential between atom pairs
- FLEX processors can perform either distance calculations or L-J potential calculations

Steps Needed for Various Numbers of Atoms  
Using 30% Within Radius



Percentage of Time Flex Units Spend in LJPC Mode

