

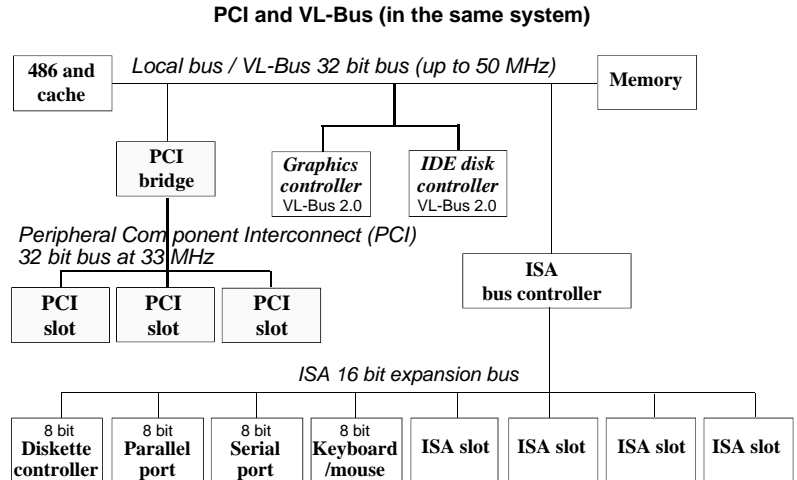
Local Bus Architectures

A single system can have multiple buses in the same unit, including both VL-Bus and PCI.

The picture to the right represents the IBM® ValuePoint™ Performance Series. This system comes standard with VL-Bus graphics and VL-Bus IDE controllers on all systems. There is a choice of models with a riser card with either VL-Bus and ISA expansion slots or PCI and ISA expansion slots.

In addition, a user can swap either a VL-Bus/ISA or a PCI/ISA riser card at any time, so can switch local bus architectures for the expansion slots.

The ability to switch local bus expansion slots is called SelectaBus™ and is implemented by a \$115 riser card.



Another example of how VL-Bus and PCI could be in the same system.

