

Update from Intel[®] : Insights into Intel[®] innovations for HPC and AI

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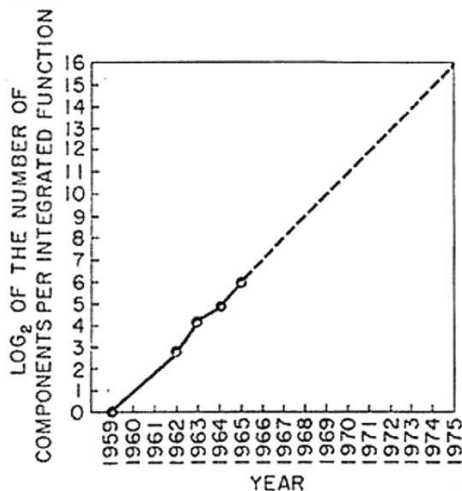
- Introduction: Moore's Law, is it really ending?
- Overview of the latest generation of Intel® Xeon® Processor and roadmap
- Overview of coming technologies: oneAPI, DAOS, CXL, ...
- Performance study of Intel® Xeon® Scalable Processor using mainstream HPC and ESM workloads
- Examples of HPC-AI convergence use cases from our customers

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Moore's Law: 1965

“With unit cost falling as the number of components per circuit rises, by 1975 economics may dictate squeezing as many as 65000 components on a single silicon chip”



Cramming More Components onto Integrated Circuits
Gordon E. Moore,
Electronics, Vol 38, Number 8, April 19, 1965



Fig. 2 Number of components per integrated function for minimum cost per component extrapolated vs time.

Is Moore's Law ending?

"Everything that can be invented has been invented"

Charles H. Duell
US Patent Commissioner

1899

"Moore's Law won't work at feature sizes less than a quarter of a micron"

Erich Bloch
Head of IBM Research, later Chairman of NSF

1988

"There is nothing new to be discovered in physics now"

Lord Kelvin

1900

The End of Moore's Law?

The current economic boom is likely due to increases in computing speed and decreases in price. Now there are some good reasons to think that the party may be ending.

2000

by Charles C. Mann

May 1, 2000

"The End of History"

Francis Fukuyama

1989

Moore Sees 'Moore's Law' Dead in a Decade

By Mark Hachman on September 18, 2007 at 5:12 pm | [1 Comment](#)

2007

In a "fireside chat" with NPR "Tech Nation's" Moira Gunn, Intel co-founder and chairman emeritus Gordon Moore said he sees his famous law expiring in 10 to 15 years.

Moore's Law Is Dead. Now What?

Shrinking transistors have powered 50 years of advances in computing—but now other ways must be found to make computers more capable.

2016

by Tom Simonite

May 13, 2016

Moore's Law limit hit by 2014?

The high cost of semiconductor manufacturing equipment is making continued chipmaking advancements too expensive, threatening Moore's Law, according to iSuppli.

2009

BY BROOKE CROTHERS | JUNE 16, 2009 12:48 PM PDT

NEWS

Death of Moore's Law Will Cause Economic Crisis



By John E Dunn

Techworld.com | MAR 21, 2011 11:28 AM PST

2011

1,901 views | Apr 29, 2010, 01:37pm

Life After Moore's Law



By Bill Dally

2010

Intel's View

Jim Keller, SVP, General Manager, Silicon Engineering Group, Intel
UC Berkeley EECS Colloquium, September 18th, 2019.

Short summary: **Moore's Law will keep proceeding. There is a path to get 50x gate density.**



Link to a talk:

<https://eecs.berkeley.edu/research/colloquium/190918>

The 2nd generation of Intel[®] Xeon[®] Scalable Processor and Overview of Next- Generation Data Center Products

INCREASING THE PACE OF INNOVATION

2014

2015

2016

2017

2018

2019

2020

2021

2022

INTEL® XEON®
PROCESSOR E5 V3
HASWELL

INTEL® XEON®
PROCESSOR E5 V4
BROADWELL

INTEL® XEON®
SCALABLE PROCESSOR
SKYLAKE

2ND GEN INTEL® XEON®
SCALABLE PROCESSOR
CASCADE LAKE

COOPER LAKE
&
ICE LAKE

SAPPHIRE
RAPIDS

NEXT
GEN

DRIVING LEADERSHIP WORKLOAD PERFORMANCE

5_{TO}7
QUARTER CADENCE

MOVING
TO

4_{TO}5
QUARTER CADENCE

AVAILABLE TODAY

2ND GENERATION INTEL® XEON® SCALABLE PROCESSOR



2X

**AVERAGE PERFORMANCE
IMPROVEMENT¹**

COMPARED TO INTEL® XEON®
PLATINUM 8180 PROCESSOR

**UP
TO 30X**

**AI PERFORMANCE WITH
INTEL® DL BOOST²**

COMPARED TO INTEL® XEON®
PLATINUM 8180 PROCESSORS
(JULY 2017)

**UP
TO 5.8X**

**BETTER PERFORMANCE
THAN AMD EPYC* 7601³**

COMPARED TO INTEL® XEON®
PLATINUM 9282 PROCESSOR
RUNNING LINPACK

HIGHEST DDR4

**NATIVE BANDWIDTH OF ANY
INTEL® XEON® PLATFORM**

HIGHEST FLOPS

**PER 2S SYSTEM WITH
INTEL® ARCHITECTURE**

HIGHEST DENSITY

**INTEL® XEON® SCALABLE PROCESSOR
CORES IN A 2S SYSTEM**

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INTEL® OPTANE™ DC PERSISTENT MEMORY

2019

CASCADE LAKE

14NM

NEW AI ACCELERATION (VNNI)
NEW MEMORY STORAGE HIERARCHY

2020

COOPER LAKE

14NM

NEXT GEN INTEL DL BOOST (BFLOAT16)

ICE LAKE

10NM

SHIPPING 1H'20,
SAMPLES SHIPPING NOW

2021

SAPPHIRE RAPIDS

NEXT GENERATION TECHNOLOGIES

ACCELERATING CONVERGENCE

LEADERSHIP PERFORMANCE FOR DATA LEVEL PARALLEL HPC & AI WORKLOADS



7NM PROCESS TECHNOLOGY

EMIB (2D) AND FOVEROS (3D) TECHNOLOGY

POWERING AURORA
DELIVERED IN 2021

ACCELERATING INNOVATIONS FOR CONVERGENCE



**INTEL® XEON® SCALABLE PROCESSOR +
MULTIPLE XE ARCHITECTURE BASED GP-GPU IN EACH NODE**

>10 PETABYTES MEMORY

>230 PETABYTES STORAGE (DAOS), BW >25TB/S

INTEL ONE API

MULTI OS

BETTER ISOLATION USING LIGHT WEIGHT KERNELS

UNIFIED CONTROL SYSTEM

SCALABLE, COHERENT COMPREHENSIVE SYSTEM VIEW

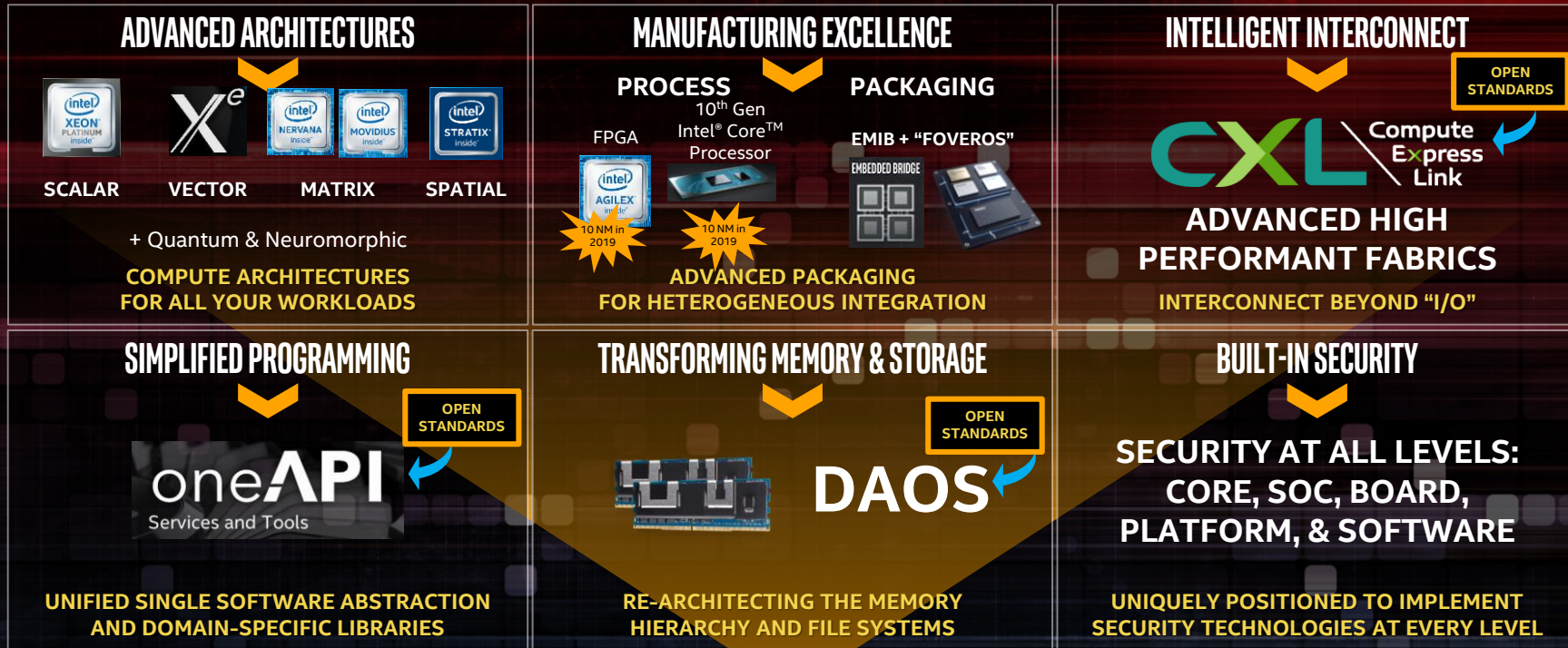
GEOPM

APPLICATION AWARE HOLISTIC POWER MANAGEMENT

PMIX

PROCESS MANAGEMENT WITH "INSTANT ON"

FOCUSED INVESTMENTS TO ACCELERATE HPC & AI



GROWING THE ECOSYSTEM AND ADVANCING HPC & AI THROUGH **OPEN** STANDARDS

INTEL® OPTANE™ DC PERSISTENT MEMORY

CHANGING THE MEMORY AND STORAGE PARADIGM

nextgenio

FUJITSU

epcc



10X HIGHER BANDWIDTH

INTO RESULTS DATABASE
VS. CONVENTIONAL STORAGE SYSTEMS

ACCELERATING GLOBAL
WEATHER FORECASTING ...
WITH FEWER I/O NODES

AROTUR



OpenFOAM

2X SPEED UP

VS. CONVENTIONAL STORAGE SYSTEMS
REDUCING SIGNIFICANT WRITE OVERHEAD INTO FILE SYSTEM

REDUCING OPENFOAM
RUNTIME BY 50%

CASTEP

2X HIGHER THROUGHPUT

ON SAME NUMBER OF NODES
VS. DDR BASED SYSTEMS

ACCELERATING MATERIAL
SCIENCE RESEARCH
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DOMAINS

Generational performance study of Intel[®] Xeon[®] Processor using HPC and ESM workloads

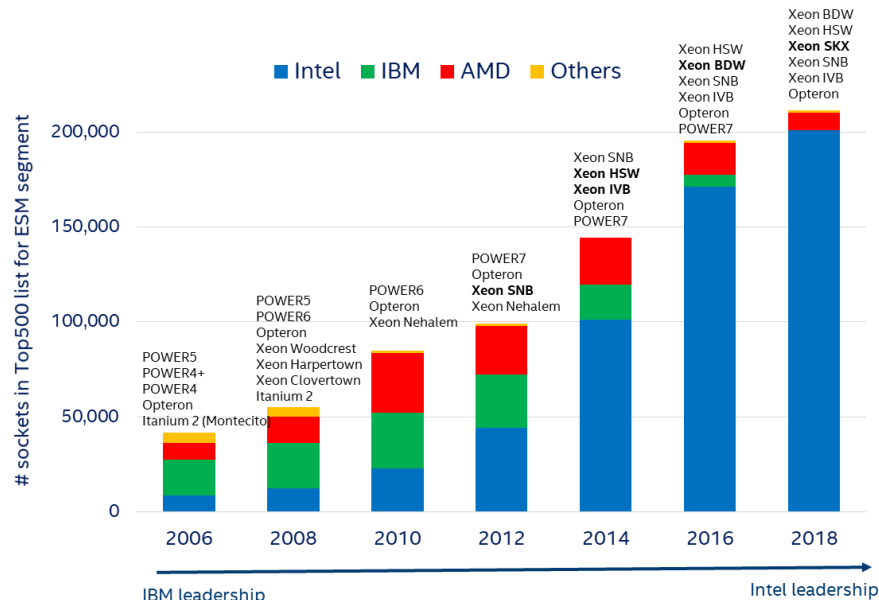
NWP and ESM HPC centers in Top500

From [TOP500 List - June 2018](#)

Rank	Site	System	Cores	Rmax (TFlop/s)	Rpeak (TFlop/s)	Power (kW)
20	United Kingdom Meteorological Office United Kingdom	Cray XC40, Xeon E5-2695v4 18C 2.1GHz, Aries interconnect Cray Inc.	241,920	7,038.9	8,128.5	
25	Japan Meteorological Agency Japan	Cray XC50, Xeon Platinum 8160 24C 2.1GHz, Aries interconnect Cray Inc./Hitachi	135,792	5,730.5	9,125.2	1,354
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31	National Center for Atmospheric Research [NCAR] United States	Cheyenne - SGI ICE XA, Xeon E5- 2697v4 18C 2.3GHz, Infiniband EDR HPE	144,900	4,788.2	5,332.3	1,727
36	ECMWF United Kingdom	Cray XC40, Xeon E5-2695v4 18C 2.1GHz, Aries interconnect Cray Inc.	126,468	3,944.7	4,249.3	1,897
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Arch of ESM HPC centers in 2006-2018

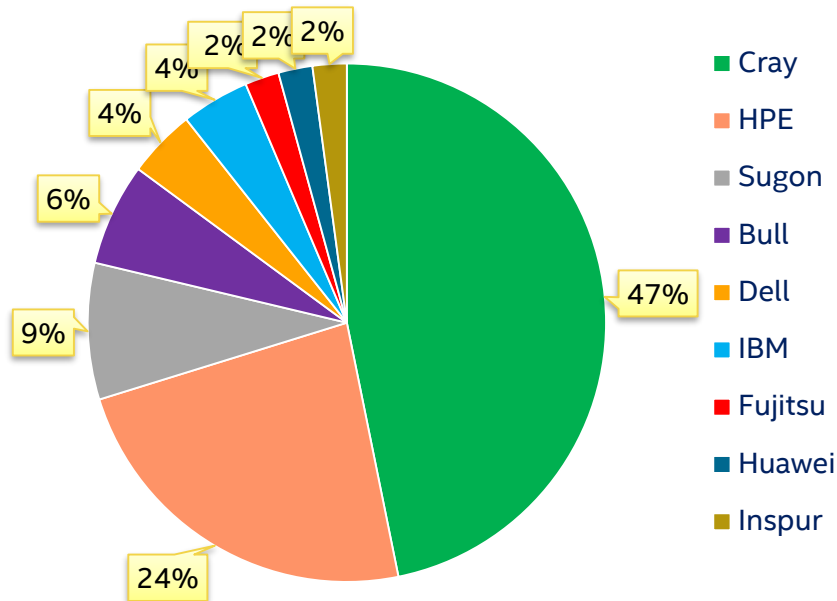


Data represents an architecture view of supercomputing centers from Top500 which are 100% dedicated to weather/climate.

NWP and ESM HPC centers in Top500

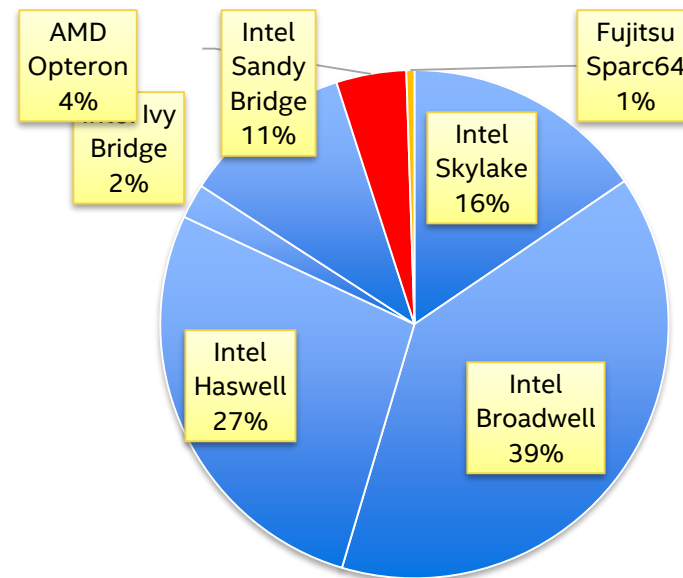
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Distribution by OEM



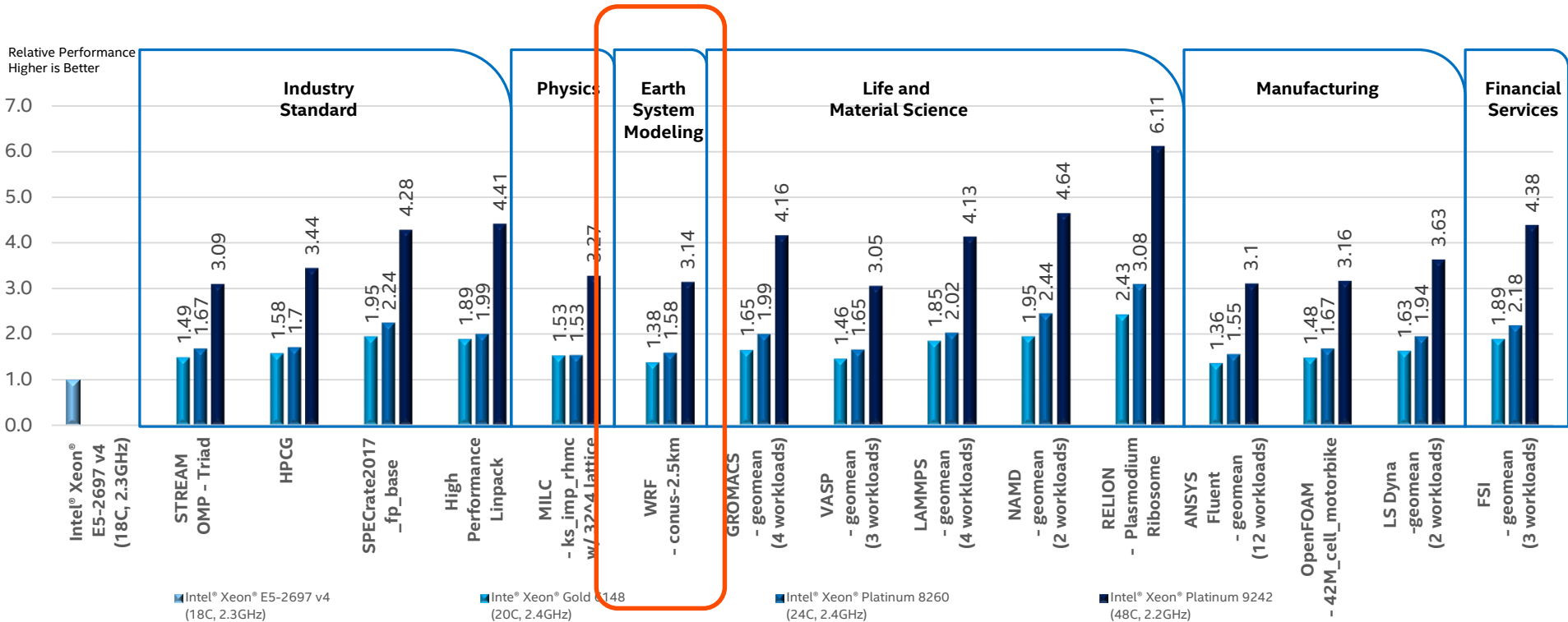
➤ **Cray** covers almost a half of NWP/ESM HPC in Top500

Distribution by arch



➤ **95%** of NWP/ESM HPC runs on Intel architecture

Intel® Xeon® Scalable Generational HPC Performance



Geometric mean of group of workloads, actual individual workload performance may vary. Refer to appropriate application slide for individual workload performance. OpenFOAM Disclaimer: This offering is not approved or endorsed by OpenCFD Limited, producer and distributor of the OpenFOAM software via www.openfoam.com, and owner of the OPENFOAM® and OpenCFD® trademark.

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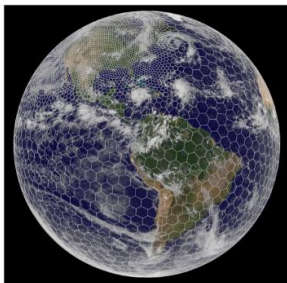
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Selected suite of NWP/ESM workloads



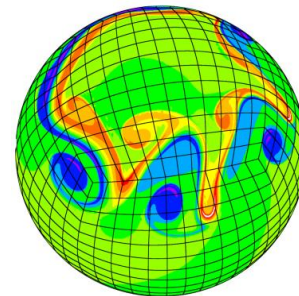
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MPAS-A



NEMO

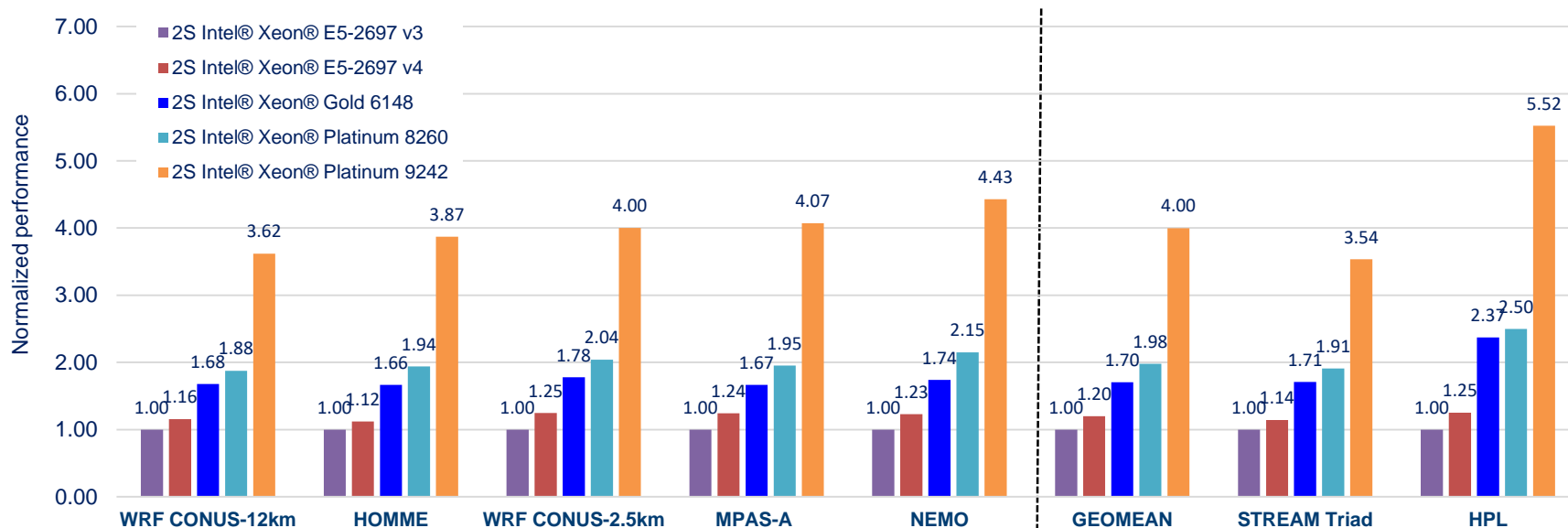


HOMME

Application	Version	Dataset	Compiler/MPI	Run
WRF	3.9.1.1	CONUS-12km, CONUS-2.5km	Intel 2018 update 3	Out-of-the-box
MPAS-A	6.1	120km_L56, dycore+physics	Intel 2018 update 3	Out-of-the-box
NEMO	4.0	ORCA2_ICE_PISCES	Intel 2018 update 3	Out-of-the-box
HOMME	dungeon28	WACCM, NE=8	Intel 2018 update 3	Out-of-the-box

SUMMARY: Single Node Performance

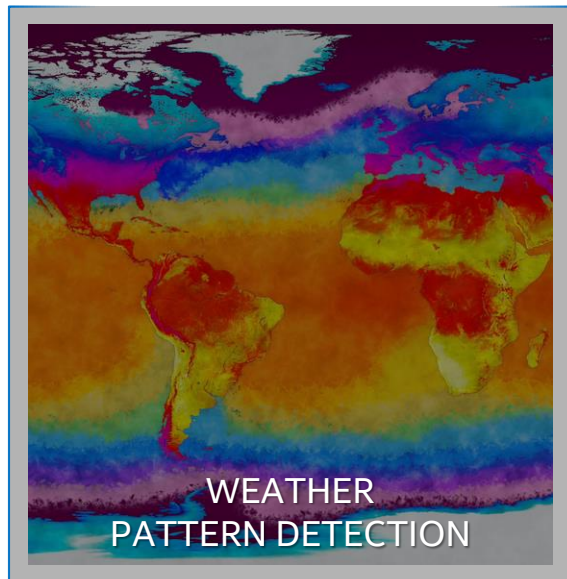
Intel® Xeon® Generational Performance (Single Node)



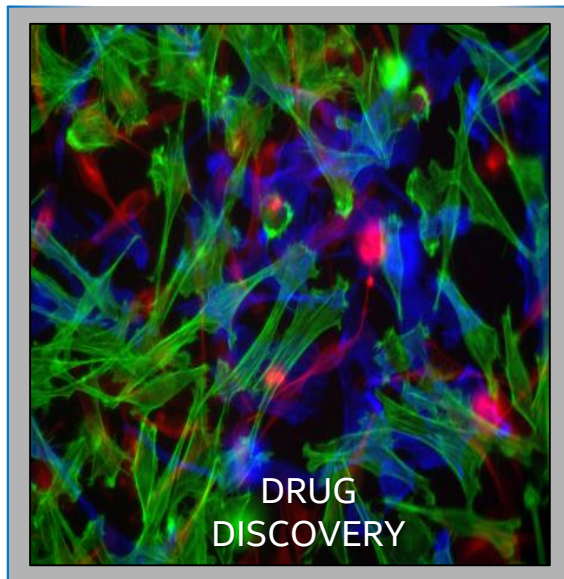
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HPC-AI Convergence: Examples of HPC-AI Use Cases from Our Customers

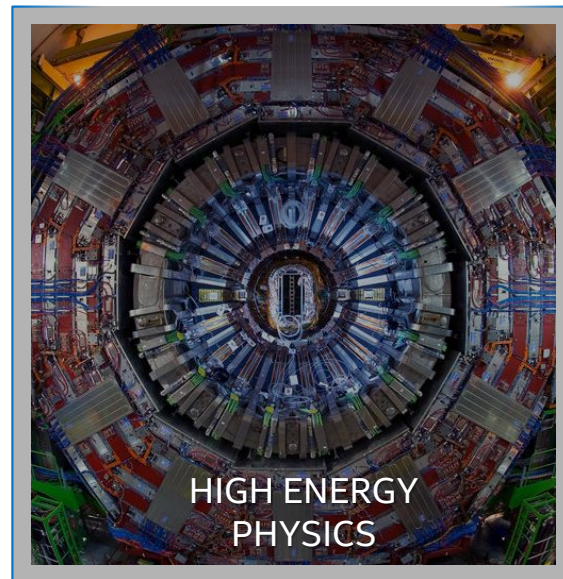
HPC-AI Use Cases with Collaborations



**AI INTEGRATED IN
HPC WORKFLOWS**



**AI ACCELERATING
HPC SIMULATIONS**



**AI REPLACING
HPC SIMULATIONS**

DisCo - Unsupervised Detection of Spatiotemporal Structures

Joint collaboration of Intel, LBNL/NERSC, UC Davis

First distributed-memory implementation of local causal state reconstruction:

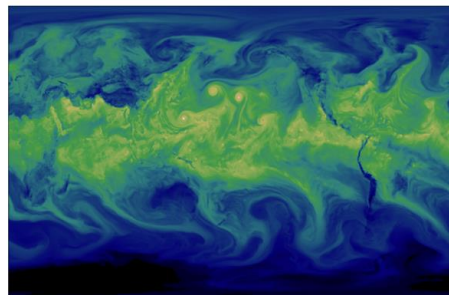
- Outperforms state-of-art methods for complex fluid flows
- Unprecedented data processing capability (**89.5TB** lightcone data in **6.6 minutes** on 1024 nodes)

Distributed implementations of K-Means and DBSCAN for high-dimensional data:

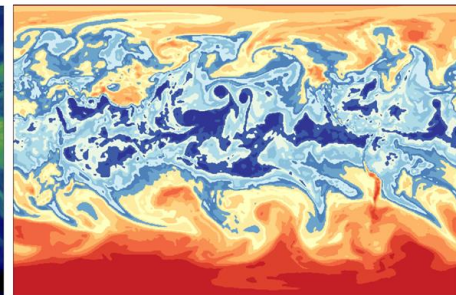
- Using standard scikit-learn like Python APIs in Intel® DAAL and daal4py

Achieved high performance while maintaining developer productivity:

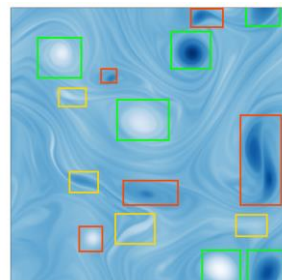
- **30x** 1-node speedup, **91%** weak and **64%** strong scaling efficiency up to 1024 Intel® Haswell nodes



(f) Water vapor field of CAM5.1 climate model simulation



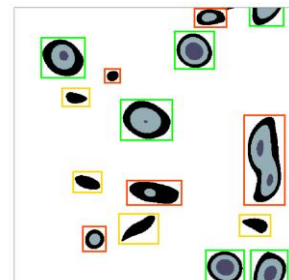
(g) Climate local causal state field



(a) Turbulence vorticity field



(b) Turbulence state field, fine structure



(c) Turbulence state field, coarse structure

<https://www.groundai.com/project/towards-unsupervised-segmentation-of-extreme-weather-events/1>

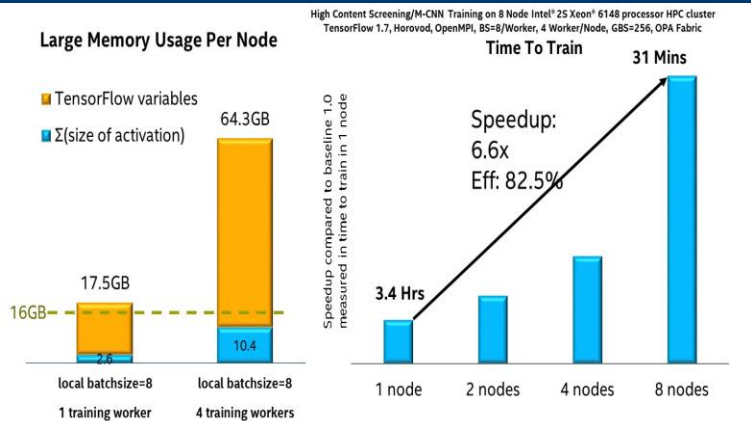
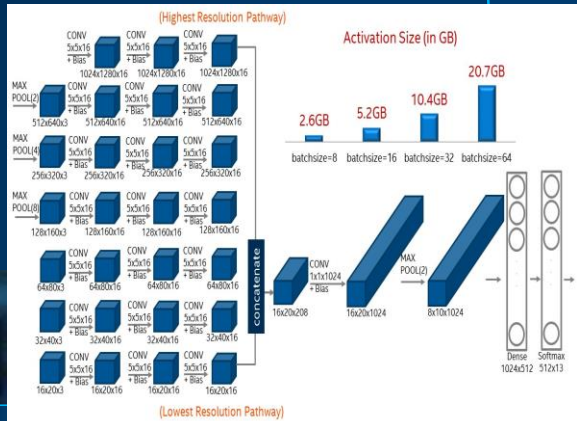
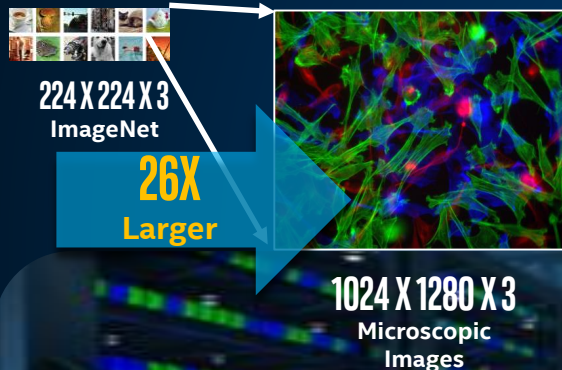
HPC ↔ AI: IMAGE ANALYSIS FOR DRUG DISCOVERY

NOVARTIS

Joint Intel & Novartis collaboration

RESULTS

Processing 1024x1280 large image dataset, reducing the training time to 31 minutes to >99% accuracy on 2S Intel® Xeon® processor based cluster.



Customer:
Novartis Inst. of Biomedical Research (Switzerland) is one of the largest pharmaceutical companies in the world

Challenge: High content screening of cellular phenotypes is a fundamental tool supporting early stage drug discovery. While analyzing whole microscopic images are desirable, these images are 26X larger than benchmark dataset such as ImageNet*-1K. As a result, the high computational workload with high memory requirement would be prohibitive for deep learning model training

Solution: Intel and Novartis teams were able to scale and train the model with 32 TensorFlow* workers in 31 minutes.



<http://aidc.gallery.video/detail/video/5790618241001/deep-learning-based-classification-of-high-content-cellular-images-on-intel-architecture?autoStart=true&q=Datta>

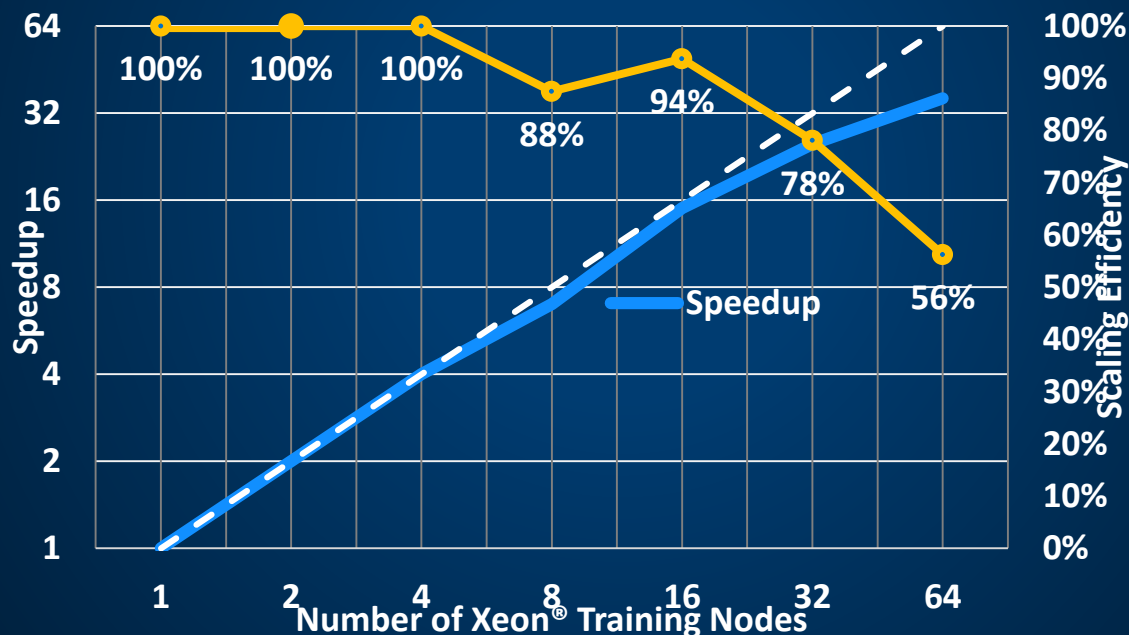
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High Content Screening Training with 313K Images on 64-Node Intel® 2S Xeon® Scalable processor 6148, TensorFlow*, "horovod*", OpenMPI*, Batch Size=32/Node, Intel® Omni-Path™ Fabric

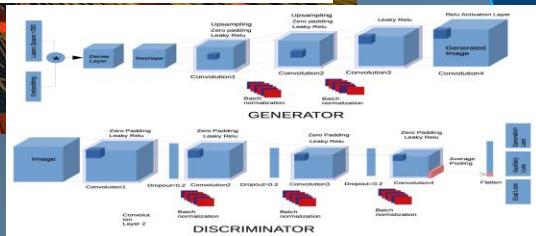
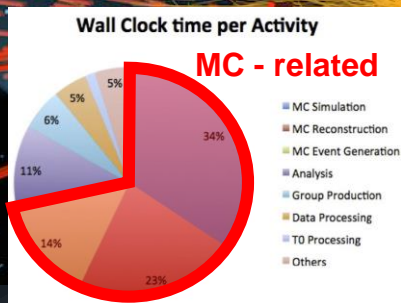


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HPC ↔ AI: DIS/REPLACING MONTE CARLO SIM.

CERN HIGH ENERGY PHYSICS

JOINT COLLABORATION WITH INTEL AND SURFSARA



3D-Generative Adversarial Networks(GANs)

RESULT

94% scaling efficiency up to 128 nodes, with a significant reduction in training time per epoch for 3D-GANs & >2500X Inference

Time to create an electron shower		
Method	Machine	Time/Shower (msec)
Full Simulation (geant4)	2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8180	17000
3D GAN (batch size 128)	2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8180	7

Inference Perf: >2500X

WLCG Wall Clock time for the ATLAS experiment

Customer: CERN, the European Organization for Nuclear Research, which operates the Large Hadron Collider (LHC), the world's largest and most powerful particle accelerator

Challenge: CERN currently uses Monte Carlo simulations for complex physics and geometry modeling, which is a heavy computational load that consumes up to >50% of the Worldwide LHC Computing Grid power for electron shower simulations.

Solution: Distributed training using 128 nodes of the TACC Stampede 2 cluster (Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8160 processor, Intel® OPA) and a **3D Generative Adversarial Network (3D GAN)**. Performance was first optimized on a single node then scaled using TensorFlow* optimized with Intel® MKL-DNN, using 4 workers/node and an optimized number of convolutional filters.



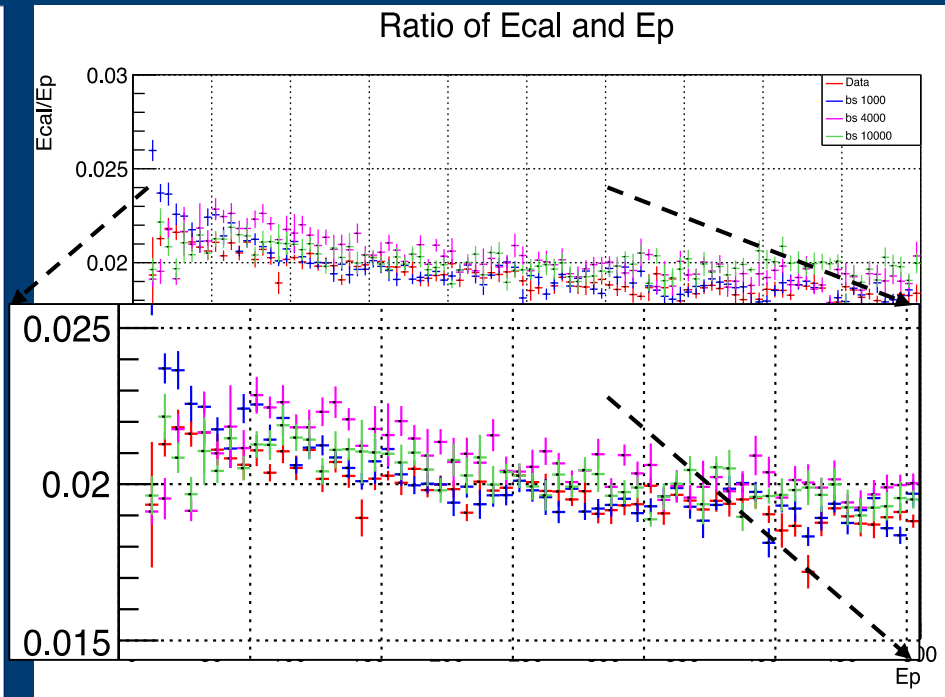
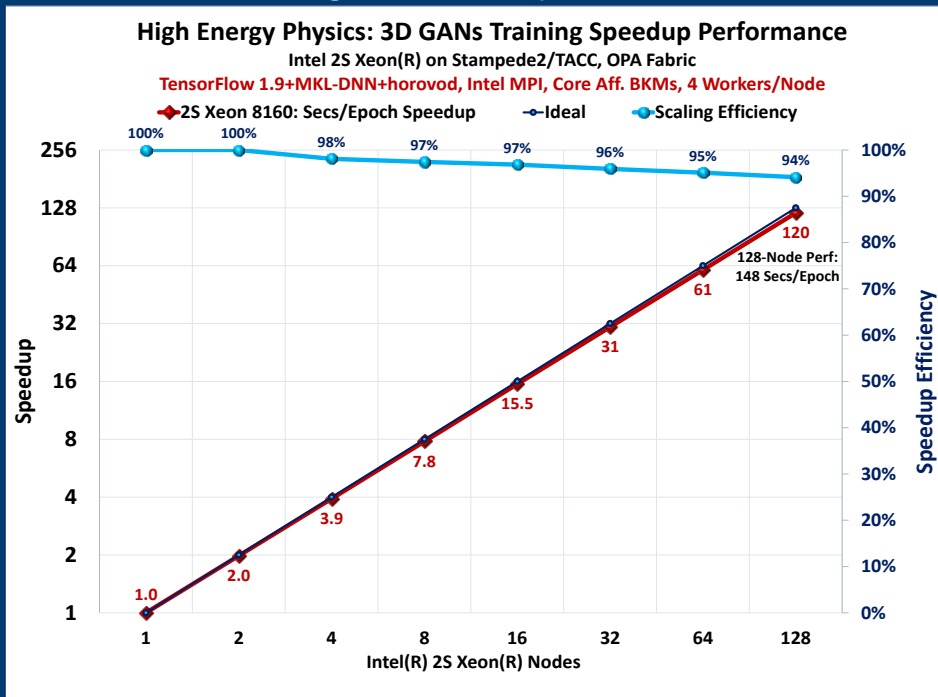
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Multi-Node Training Performance & Accuracy (2018)

Distributed training using data parallelism

94% Scaling efficiency up to 128 nodes



Inference time

2018

Baseline (TF 1.9)

Time to create an Electron shower

Method	Platform	Time/Shower (msecs)	Speedup
Classical Monte Carlo (Geant4)	2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8180	17000	1.0
3D GAN (BS=128) 1-Stream	2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8180	7	2500

*measured on 10000 showers



2019

Further optimization (TF 1.13, MKL-DNN, 3D-Conv)

Time to create an Electron shower

Method	Platform	Time/Shower (msecs)	Speedup
Classical Monte Carlo (Geant4)	2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8180	17000	1.0
3D GAN (BS=128) 1-Stream	2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8160	1.25	13600
3D GAN (BS=128) 2-Stream	2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8160	0.93	18279
3D GAN (BS=128) 4-Stream	2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8160	0.85	20000

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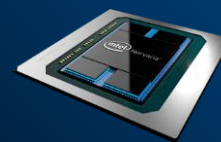


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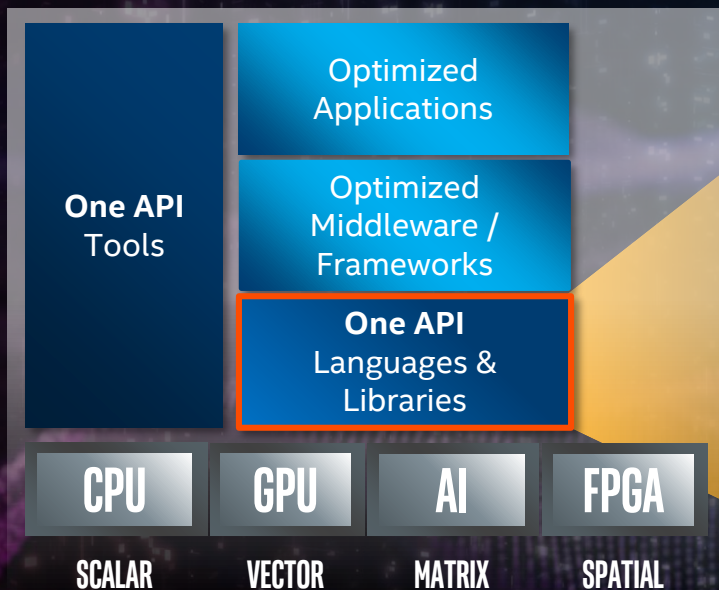
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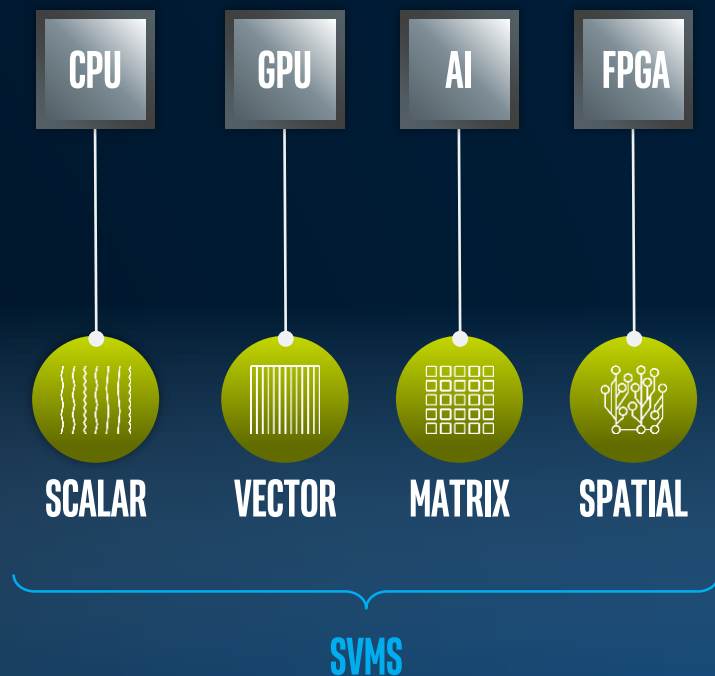
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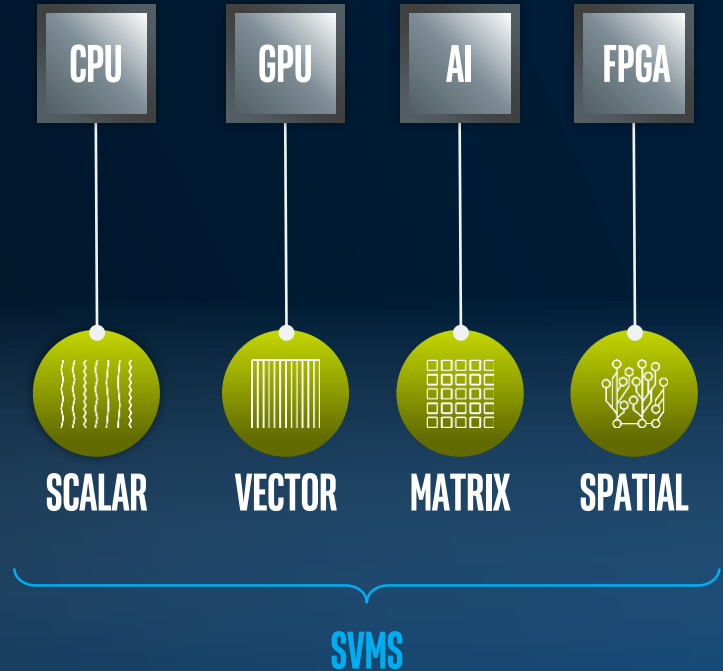
PROGRAMMING CHALLENGE

Diverse set of data-centric hardware

No common programming language or APIs

Inconsistent tool support across platforms

Each platform requires unique software investment



INTEL'S ONEAPI CORE CONCEPT

Project oneAPI delivers a unified programming model to simplify development across diverse architectures

Common developer experience across Scalar, Vector, Matrix and Spatial architectures (CPU, GPU, AI and FPGA)

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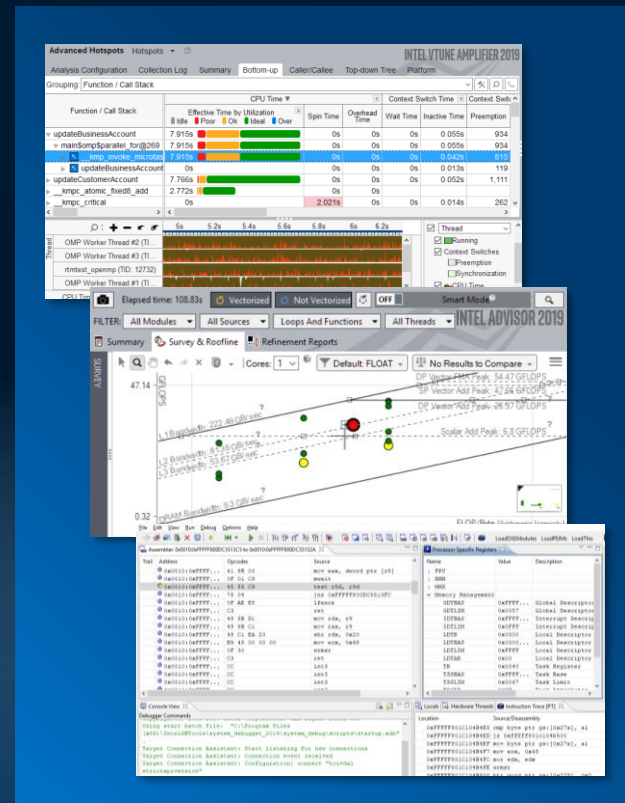
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SUMMARY

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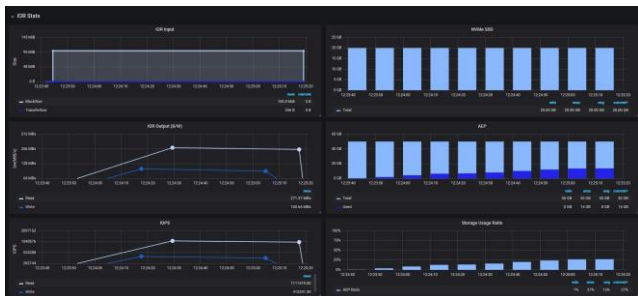
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1 - 2x Average Performance Improvement compared with Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8180 processor. Geomean of est SPECrate2017_int_base, est SPECrate2017_fp_base, Stream Triad, Intel Distribution of Linpack, server side Java. Platinum 92xx vs Platinum 8180: 1-node, 2x Intel® Xeon® Platinum 9282 cpu on Walker Pass with 768 GB (24x 32GB 2933) total memory, ucode 0x400000A on RHEL7.6, 3.10.0-957.el7.x86_65, IC19u1, AVX512, HT on all (off Stream, Linpack), Turbo on all (off Stream, Linpack), result: est int throughput=635, est fp throughput=526, Stream Triad=407, Linpack=6411, server side java=332913, test by Intel on 2/16/2019. vs. 1-node, 2x Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8180 cpu on Wolf Pass with 384 GB (12 X 32GB 2666) total memory, ucode 0x200004D on RHEL7.6, 3.10.0-957.el7.x86_65, IC19u1, AVX512, HT on all (off Stream, Linpack), Turbo on all (off Stream, Linpack), result: est int throughput=307, est fp throughput=251, Stream Triad=204, Linpack=3238, server side java=165724, test by Intel on 1/29/2019.

2 - Up to 30X AI performance with Intel® DL Boost compared to Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8180 processor (July 2017). Tested by Intel as of 2/26/2019. Platform: Dragon rock 2 socket Intel® Xeon® Platinum 9282(56 cores per socket), HT ON, turbo ON, Total Memory 768 GB (24 slots/ 32 GB/ 2933 MHz), BIOS:SE5C620.86B.0D.01.0241.112020180249, Centos 7 Kernel 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.x86_64, Deep Learning Framework: Intel® Optimization for Caffe version: https://github.com/intel/caffe_d554cbf1, ICC 2019.2.187, MKL DNN version: v0.17 (commit hash: 830a10059a018cd2634d94195140cf2d8790a75a), model: https://github.com/intel/caffe/blob/master/models/intel_optimized_models/int8/resnet50_int8_full_conv.prototxt, BS=64, No datalayer DummyData:3x224x224, 56 instance/2 socket, Datatype: INT8 vs Tested by Intel as of July 11th 2017: 2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8180 CPU @ 2.50GHz (28 cores), HT disabled, turbo disabled, scaling governor set to "performance" via intel_pstate driver, 384GB DDR4-2666 ECC RAM. CentOS Linux release 7.3.1611 (Core), Linux kernel 3.10.0-514.10.2.el7.x86_64. SSD: Intel® SSD DC S3700 Series (800GB, 2.5in SATA 6Gb/s, 25nm, MLC). Performance measured with: Environment variables: KMP_AFFINITY='granularity=fine, compact', OMP_NUM_THREADS=56, CPU Freq set with cpupower frequency-set -d 2.5G -u 3.8G -g performance. Caffe: (<http://github.com/intel/caffe/>), revision f96b759f71b2281835f690af267158b82b150b5c. Inference measured with "caffe time --forward_only" command, training measured with "caffe time" command. For "ConvNet" topologies, dummy dataset was used. For other topologies, data was stored on local storage and cached in memory before training. Topology specs from https://github.com/intel/caffe/tree/master/models/intel_optimized_models (ResNet-50), Intel C++ compiler ver. 17.0.2 20170213, Intel MKL small libraries version 2018.0.20170425. Caffe run with "numactl -l".

3 - Up to 5.8X better performance than AMD EPYC 7601 compared to Intel® Xeon® Platinum 9282 processor running LINKPACK. AMD EPYC 7601: Supermicro AS-2023US-TR4 with 2 AMD EPYC 7601 (2.2GHz, 32 core) processors, SMT OFF, Turbo ON, BIOS ver 1.1a, 4/26/2018, microcode: 0x8001227, 16x32GB DDR4-2666, 1 SSD, Ubuntu 18.04.1 LTS (4.17.0-041700-generic Retpoline), High Performance Linpack v2.2, compiled with Intel(R) Parallel Studio XE 2018 for Linux, Intel MPI version 18.0.0.128, AMD BLIS ver 0.4.0, Benchmark Config: Nb=232, N=168960, P=4, Q=4, Score =1095GFs, tested by Intel as of July 31, 2018. vs. 1-node, 2x Intel® Xeon® Platinum 9282 cpu on Walker Pass with 768 GB (24x 32GB 2933) total memory, ucode 0x400000A on RHEL7.6, 3.10.0-957.el7.x86_65, IC19u1, AVX512, HT off, Turbo on, score=6411, test by Intel on 2/16/2019. 1-node, 2x Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8280M cpu on Wolf Pass with 384 GB (12 X 32GB 2933) total memory, ucode 0x400000A on RHEL7.6, 3.10.0-957.el7.x86_65, IC19u1, AVX512, HT off Linpack, Turbo on, score=3462, test by Intel on 1/30/2019.

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System Configuration details as provided by EPCC for performance results on slide 15

34 DP nodes with Cascade Lake 8260M CPUs (A0 stepping), Fujitsu mainboard

96 GByte DDR4 DRAM per socket (6x16 GByte DIMMs, 2666 speed grade), plus 1.5 TByte Intel Optane DC Persistent Memory (6x256 GByte DIMMs, QS)

Dual-Rail Omni-Path networks (2 OPA NICS per node) connected via 2 48-port OPA switches

Two additional Storage server nodes running Lustre

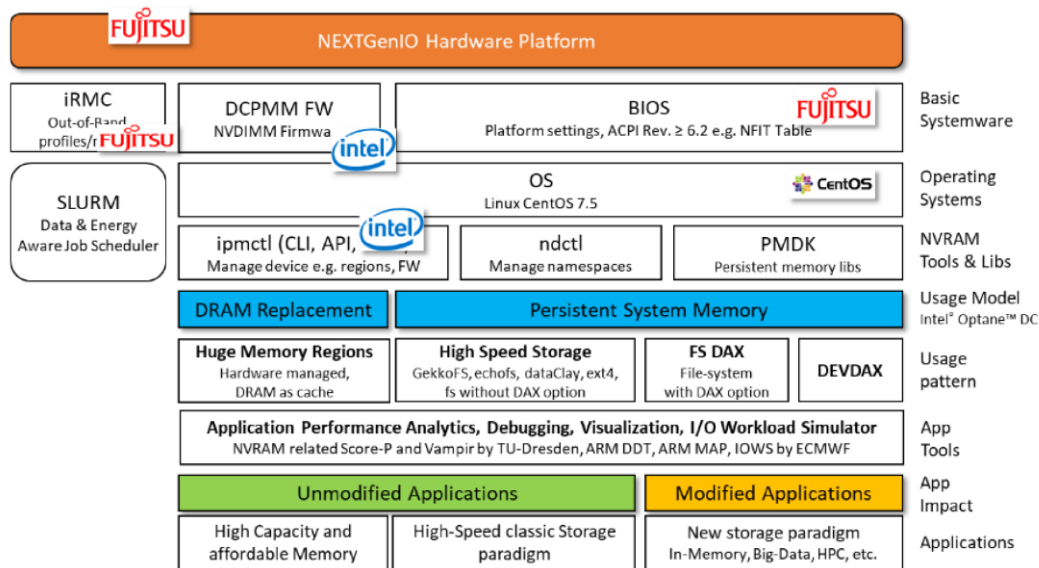


Figure 16: NEXtGenIO Solution Stack

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WRF CONUS-12km (higher is better):

2S Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v3 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v3 processor (2.6GHz, 14C), 8x16GB DDR4-2133, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C610.86B.01.01.0028.121720182203, Microcode: 0x3e, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. WRF version 3.9.1.1, Workload: CONUS-12km, compiled with AVX512, Intel® Parallel Studio XE 2018 Update 3 and Intel MPI 2018 Update 3, Relative performance=1.00, tested by Intel on 04/29/2019.

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2S Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v4 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v4 processor (2.3GHz, 18C), 8x16GB DDR4-2400, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C610.86B.01.01.0028.121720182203, Microcode: 0xb000030, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. NEMO version 4.0, Workload: ORCA2_ICE_PISCES, compiled with AVX512, Intel® Parallel Studio XE 2018 Update 3 and Intel MPI 2018 Update 3, Relative performance=1.23, tested by Intel on 04/25/2019.

2S Intel® Xeon® Gold 6148 processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® Gold 6148 processor (2.4GHz, 20 cores per socket), 12*16GB DDR4-2666, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C620.86B.00.01.0016.020120190930, Microcode ver 0x2000050, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. NEMO version 4.0, Workload: ORCA2_ICE_PISCES, compiled with AVX512, Intel® Parallel Studio XE 2018 Update 3 and Intel MPI 2018 Update 3, Relative performance=1.74, tested by Intel on 04/25/2019.

2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8260 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® 8260 Intel processors (2.4GHz, 24C), 12x16GB DDR4-2933, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C620.86B.02.01.0008.031920191559, Microcode: 0x400001c, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. NEMO version 4.0, Workload: ORCA2_ICE_PISCES, compiled with AVX512, Intel® Parallel Studio XE 2018 Update 3 and Intel MPI 2018 Update 3, Relative performance=2.15, tested by Intel on 04/25/2019.

2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 9242 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® 9242 processors (2.2GHz, 48C), 24x16GB DDR4-2933, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C620.86B.0D.01.0456.033120191654, Microcode: 0x4000021, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. NEMO version 4.0, Workload: ORCA2_ICE_PISCES, compiled with AVX512, Intel® Parallel Studio XE 2018 Update 3 and Intel MPI 2018 Update 3, Relative performance=4.43, tested by Intel on 04/25/2019.

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HOMME (higher is better):

2S Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v3 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v3 processor (2.6GHz, 14C), 8x16GB DDR4-2133, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C610.86B.01.01.0028.121720182203, Microcode: 0x3e, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. HOMME version [dungeon28ps://github.com/homme-dycore](https://github.com/homme-dycore/dungeon28ps), WACCM benchmark, Intel Parallel Studio XE 2018 Update 3, Intel MPI 2018u3, Relative performance=1.00, tested by Intel on 04/29/2019.

2S Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v4 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v4 processor (2.3GHz, 18C), 8x16GB DDR4-2400, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C610.86B.01.01.0028.121720182203, Microcode: 0xb000030, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. HOMME version [dungeon28ps://github.com/homme-dycore](https://github.com/homme-dycore/dungeon28ps), WACCM benchmark, Intel Parallel Studio XE 2018 Update 3, Intel MPI 2018u3, Relative performance=1.12, tested by Intel on 04/29/2019.

2S Intel® Xeon® Gold 6148 processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® Gold 6148 processor (2.4GHz, 20 cores per socket), 12*16GB DDR4-2666, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C620.86B.00.01.0016.020120190930, Microcode ver 0x2000050, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. HOMME version [dungeon28ps://github.com/homme-dycore](https://github.com/homme-dycore/dungeon28ps), WACCM benchmark, Intel Parallel Studio XE 2018 Update 3, Intel MPI 2018u3, Relative performance=1.66, tested by Intel on 04/29/2019.

2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8260 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® 8260 Intel processors (2.4GHz, 24C), 12x16GB DDR4-2933, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C620.86B.02.01.0008.031920191559, Microcode: 0x400001c, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. HOMME version [dungeon28ps://github.com/homme-dycore](https://github.com/homme-dycore/dungeon28ps), WACCM benchmark, Intel Parallel Studio XE 2018 Update 3, Intel MPI 2018u3, Relative performance=1.94, tested by Intel on 04/29/2019.

2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 9242 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® 9242 processors (2.2GHz, 48C), 24x16GB DDR4-2933, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C620.86B.0D.01.0456.033120191654, Microcode: 0x4000021, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. HOMME version [dungeon28ps://github.com/homme-dycore](https://github.com/homme-dycore/dungeon28ps), WACCM benchmark, Intel Parallel Studio XE 2018 Update 3, Intel MPI 2018u3, Relative performance=3.87, tested by Intel on 04/29/2019.

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STREAM Triad (higher is better):

2S Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v3 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v3 processor (2.6GHz, 14C), 8x16GB DDR4-2133, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C610.86B.01.01.0028.121720182203, Microcode: 0x3e, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. Benchmark software: STREAM , Compiler: Intel® Compiler IC19, Optimized libraries: AVX512, Relative performance=1.00, tested by Intel on 02/06/2019.

2S Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v4 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v4 processor (2.3GHz, 18C), 8x16GB DDR4-2400, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C610.86B.01.01.0028.121720182203, Microcode: 0xb000030, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. Benchmark software: STREAM , Compiler: Intel® Compiler IC19, Optimized libraries: AVX512, Relative performance=1.14, tested by Intel on 02/06/2019.

2S Intel® Xeon® Gold 6148 processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® Gold 6148 processor (2.4GHz, 20 cores per socket), 12*16GB DDR4-2666, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C620.86B.00.01.0016.020120190930, Microcode ver 0x2000050, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. Benchmark software: STREAM , Compiler: Intel® Compiler IC19, Optimized libraries: AVX512, Relative performance=1.71, tested by Intel on 02/06/2019.

2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8260 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® 8260 Intel processors (2.4GHz, 24C), 12x16GB DDR4-2933, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C620.86B.02.01.0008.031920191559, Microcode: 0x400001c, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. Benchmark software: STREAM , Compiler: Intel® Compiler IC19, Optimized libraries: AVX512, Relative performance=1.89, tested by Intel on 03/03/2019.

2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 9242 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® 9242 processors (2.2GHz, 48C), 24x16GB DDR4-2933, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C620.86B.0D.01.0456.033120191654, Microcode: 0x4000021, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. Benchmark software: STREAM , Compiler: Intel® Compiler IC19, Optimized libraries: AVX512, Relative performance=3.59, tested by Intel on 02/26/2019.

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HPL (higher is better):

2S Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v3 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v3 processor (2.6GHz, 14C), 8x16GB DDR4-2133, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C610.86B.01.01.0028.121720182203, Microcode: 0x3e, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. High Performance Linpack v2.1, compiled with Intel(R) Parallel Studio XE 2019 for Linux, Intel MPI and MKL Version 19.0.1.144, Relative performance=1.00, tested by Intel on 01/30/2019.

2S Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v4 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® E5-2697 v4 processor (2.3GHz, 18C), 8x16GB DDR4-2400, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C610.86B.01.01.0028.121720182203, Microcode: 0xb000030, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. High Performance Linpack v2.1, compiled with Intel(R) Parallel Studio XE 2019 for Linux, Intel MPI and MKL Version 19.0.1.144, Relative performance=1.25, tested by Intel on 01/30/2019.

2S Intel® Xeon® Gold 6148 processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® Gold 6148 processor (2.4GHz, 20 cores per socket), 12*16GB DDR4-2666, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C620.86B.00.01.0016.020120190930, Microcode ver 0x2000050, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. High Performance Linpack v2.1, compiled with Intel(R) Parallel Studio XE 2018 for Linux, Intel MPI and MKL Version 19.0.1.144, Relative performance=2.37, tested by Intel on 02/06/2019.

2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 8260 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® 8260 Intel processors (2.4GHz, 24C), 12x16GB DDR4-2933, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C620.86B.02.01.0008.031920191559, Microcode: 0x400001c, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. High Performance Linpack v2.1, compiled with Intel(R) Parallel Studio XE 2019 for Linux, Intel MPI and MKL Version 19.0.1.144, Relative performance=2.75, tested by Intel on 03/07/2019.

2S Intel® Xeon® Platinum 9242 Processor: 1-node Intel reference platform, 2x Intel® Xeon® 9242 processors (2.2GHz, 48C), 24x16GB DDR4-2933, HT on (1 thread/core), Turbo on, 1 SSD SATA, BIOS: SE5C620.86B.0D.01.0456.033120191654, Microcode: 0x4000021, Oracle Linux Server release 7.6 (compatible with RHEL 7.6) on a 7.5 kernel using ksplice for security fixes, Kernel: 3.10.0-957.5.1.el7.crt1.x86_64. High Performance Linpack v2.1, compiled with Intel(R) Parallel Studio XE 2019 for Linux, Intel MPI and MKL Version 19.0.1.144, Relative performance=5.52, tested by Intel on 03/05/2019.

