

Architectural Convergence of Big Data and Extreme-Scale Computing: Marriage of Convenience or Conviction

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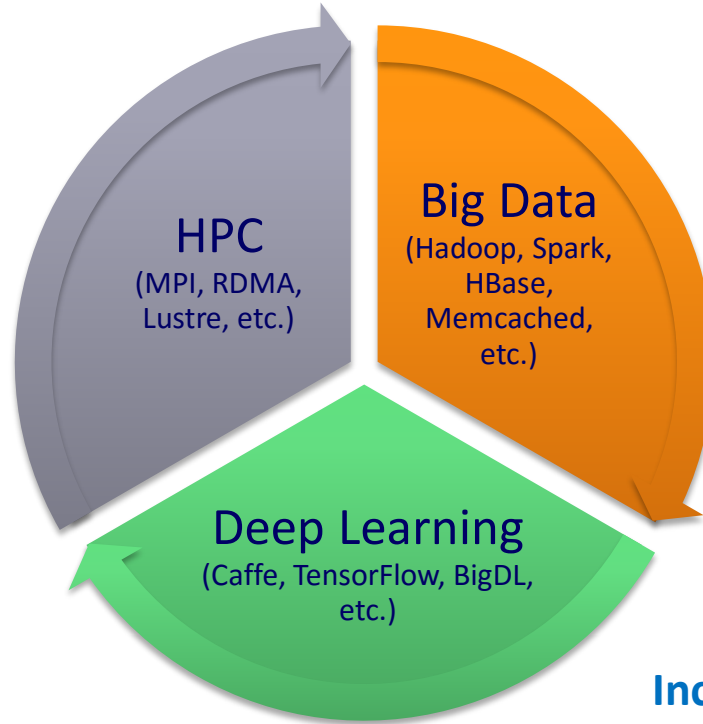
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My Answer

Conviction

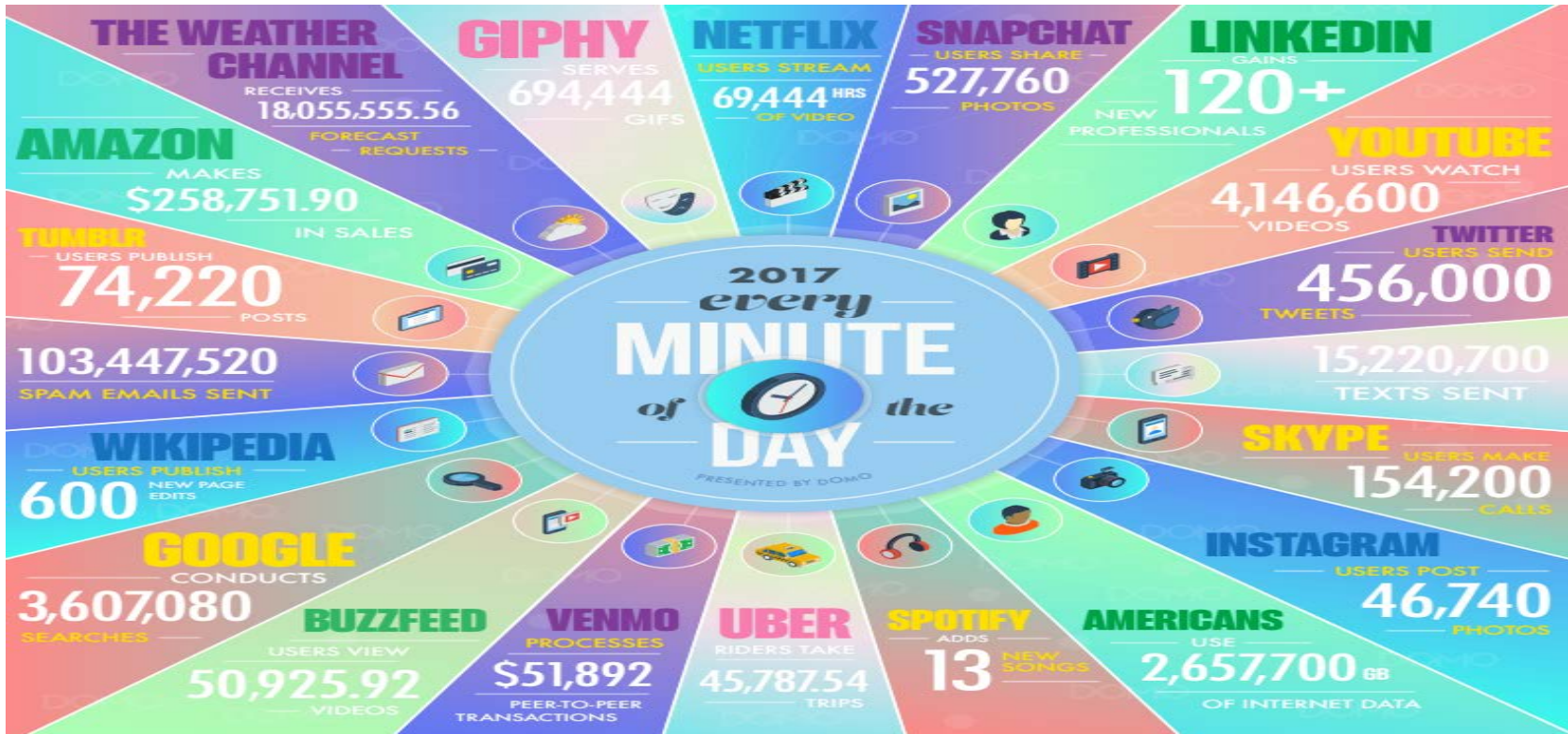
Increasing Usage of HPC, Big Data and Deep Learning



Convergence of HPC, Big Data, and Deep Learning!

Increasing Need to Run these applications on the Cloud!!

Big Velocity – How Much Data Is Generated Every Minute on the Internet?

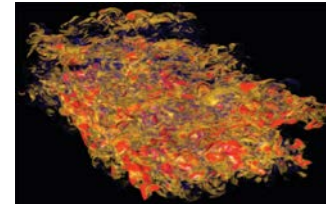
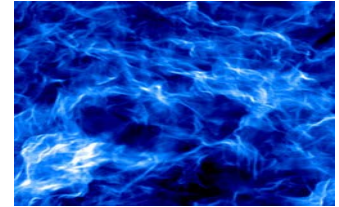
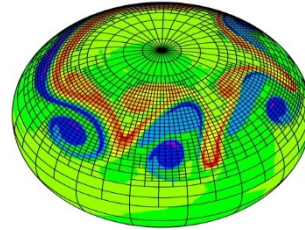


The global Internet population grew 7.5% from 2016 and now represents **3.7 Billion People.**

Courtesy: <https://www.domo.com/blog/data-never-sleeps-5/>

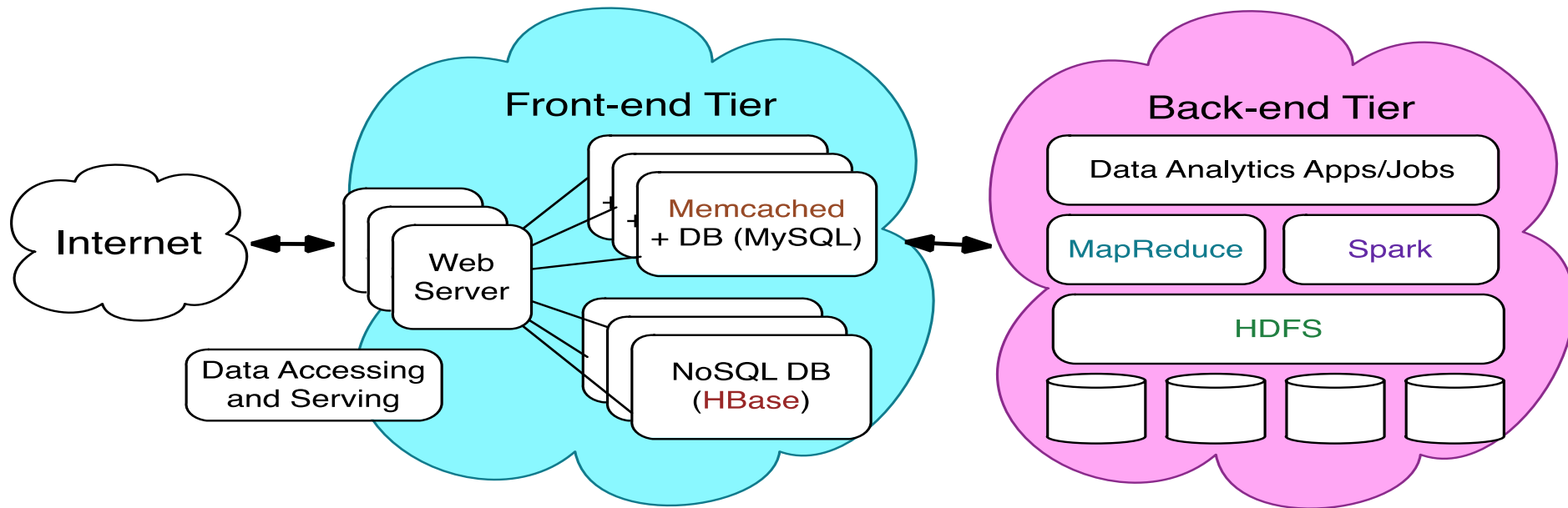
Not Only in Internet Services - Big Data in Scientific Domains

- Scientific Data Management, Analysis, and Visualization
- Applications examples
 - Climate modeling
 - Combustion
 - Fusion
 - Astrophysics
 - Bioinformatics
- Data Intensive Tasks
 - Runs large-scale simulations on supercomputers
 - Dump data on parallel storage systems
 - Collect experimental / observational data
 - Move experimental / observational data to analysis sites
 - Visual analytics – help understand data visually



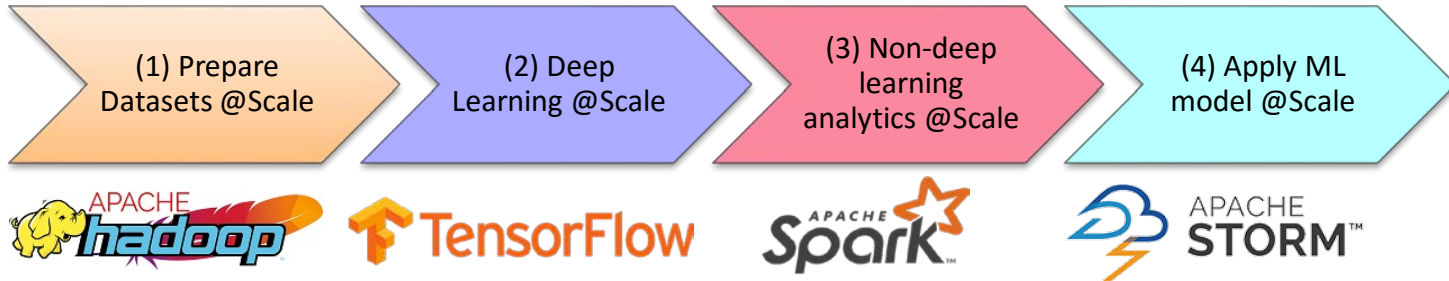
Big Data Management and Processing on Modern Clusters

- Substantial impact on designing and utilizing data management and processing systems in multiple tiers
 - Front-end data accessing and serving (Online)
 - Memcached + DB (e.g. MySQL), HBase
 - Back-end data analytics (Offline)
 - HDFS, MapReduce, Spark



Deep Learning over Big Data (DLoBD)

- Deep Learning over Big Data (**DLoBD**) is one of the most efficient analyzing paradigms
- More and more deep learning tools or libraries (e.g., Caffe, TensorFlow) start running over big data stacks, such as Apache Hadoop and Spark
- **Benefits** of the DLoBD approach
 - Easily build a powerful data analytics **pipeline**
 - E.g., Flickr DL/ML Pipeline, “How Deep Learning Powers Flickr”, <http://bit.ly/1KIDfof>



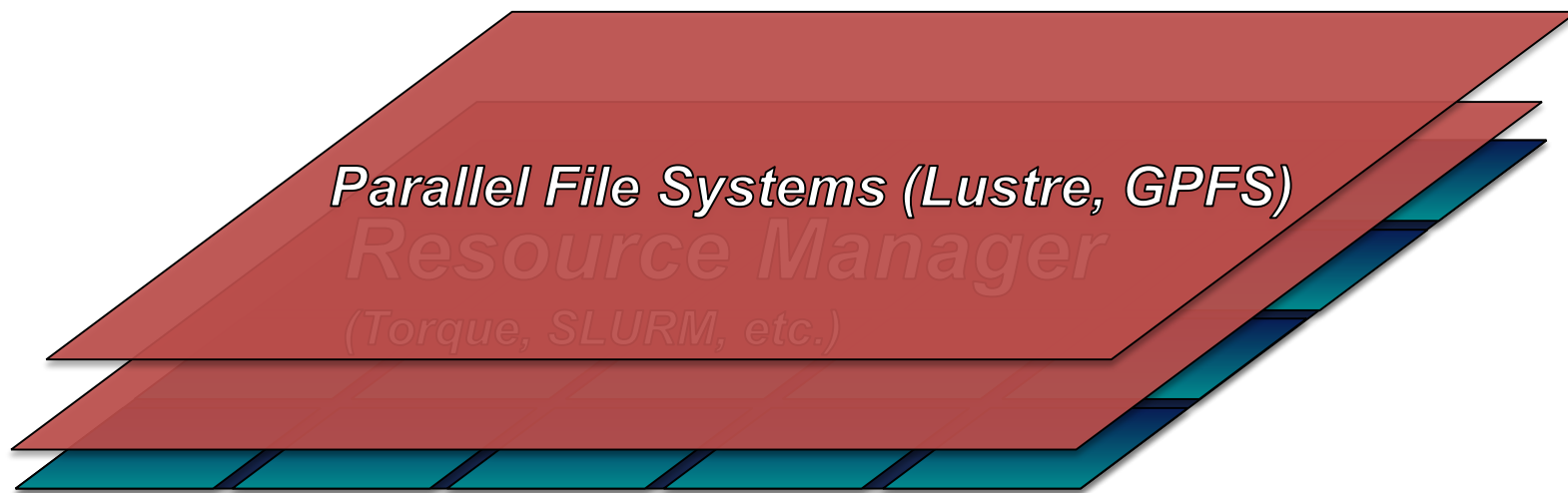
- Better data **locality**
- Efficient resource sharing and **cost effective**

Need to Run Big Data and Deep Learning Jobs on Existing HPC Infrastructure?

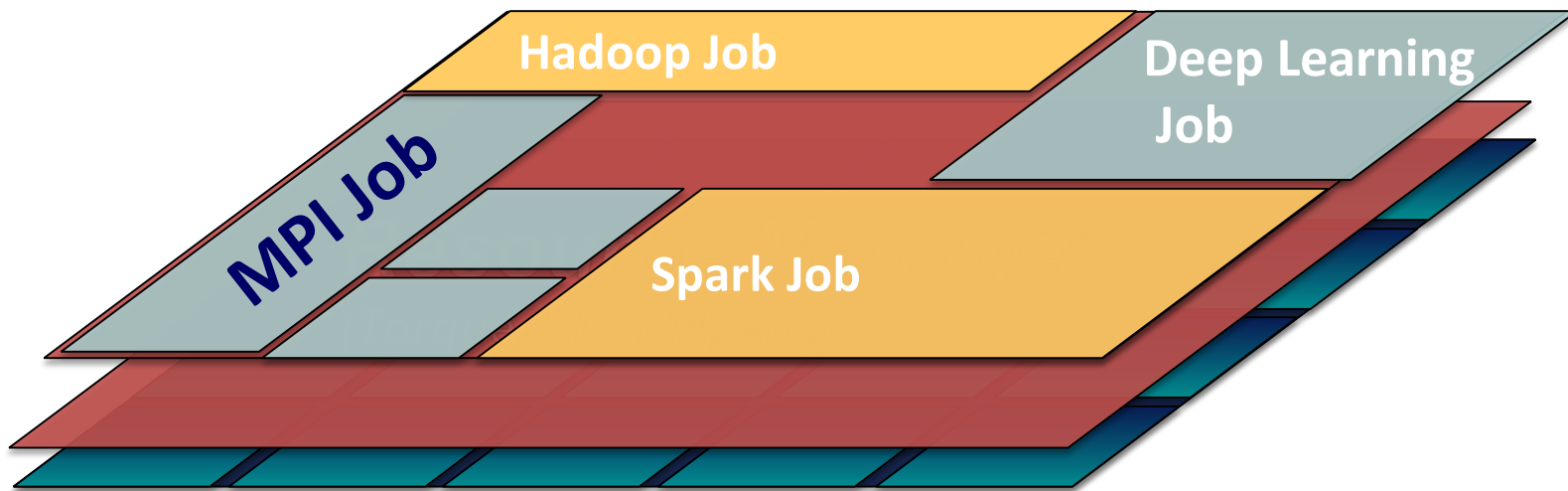


Resource Manager
(Torque, SLURM, etc.)

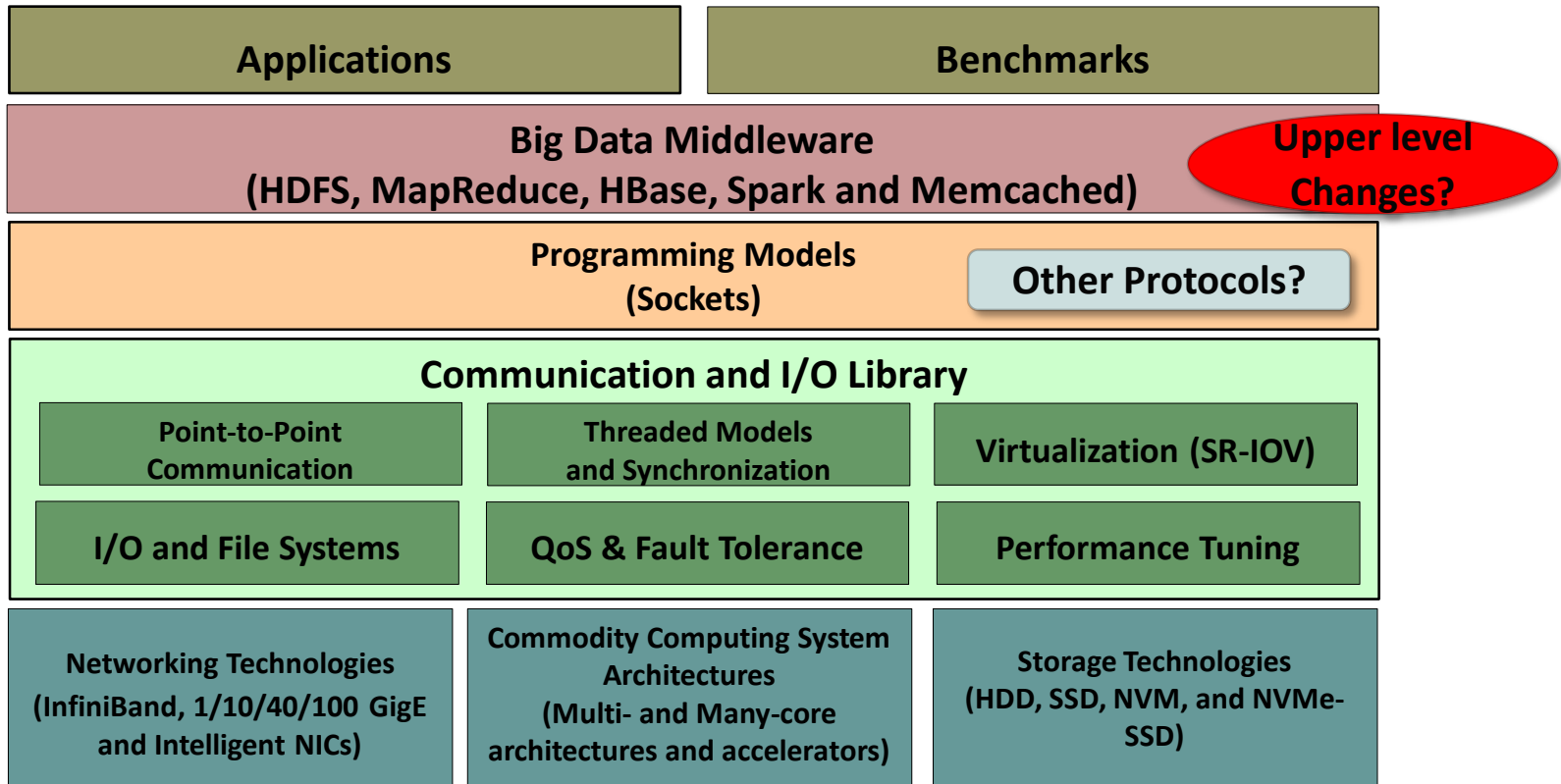
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Designing Communication and I/O Libraries for Big Data Systems: Challenges



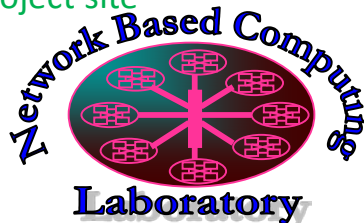
The High-Performance Big Data (HiBD) Project

- RDMA for Apache Spark
- RDMA for Apache Hadoop 2.x (RDMA-Hadoop-2.x)
 - Plugins for Apache, Hortonworks (HDP) and Cloudera (CDH) Hadoop distributions
- RDMA for Apache HBase
- RDMA for Memcached (RDMA-Memcached)
- RDMA for Apache Hadoop 1.x (RDMA-Hadoop)
- OSU HiBD-Benchmarks (OHB)
 - HDFS, Memcached, HBase, and Spark Micro-benchmarks
- <http://hibd.cse.ohio-state.edu>
- Users Base: 280 organizations from 34 countries
- More than 25,750 downloads from the project site

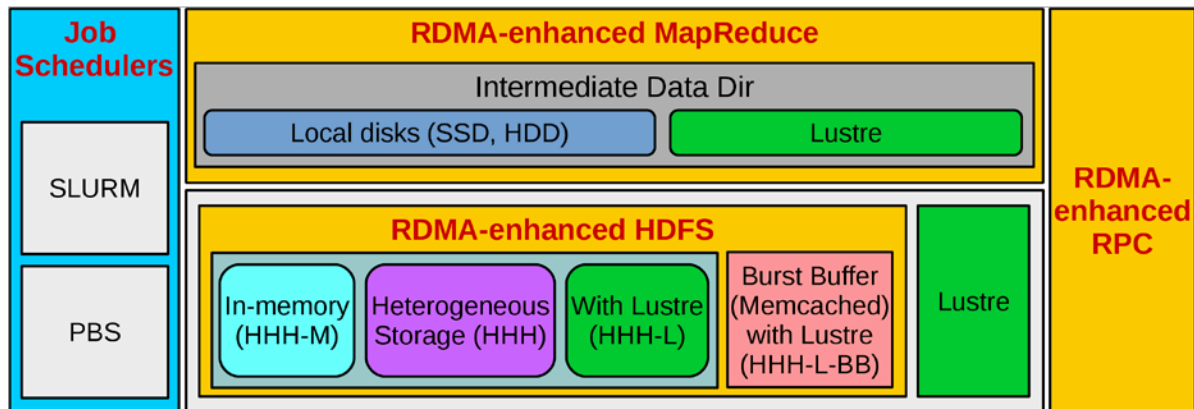
Available for InfiniBand and RoCE
Also run on Ethernet

Available for x86 and OpenPOWER

Upcoming Release will have support
For Singularity and Docker



Different Modes of RDMA for Apache Hadoop 2.x

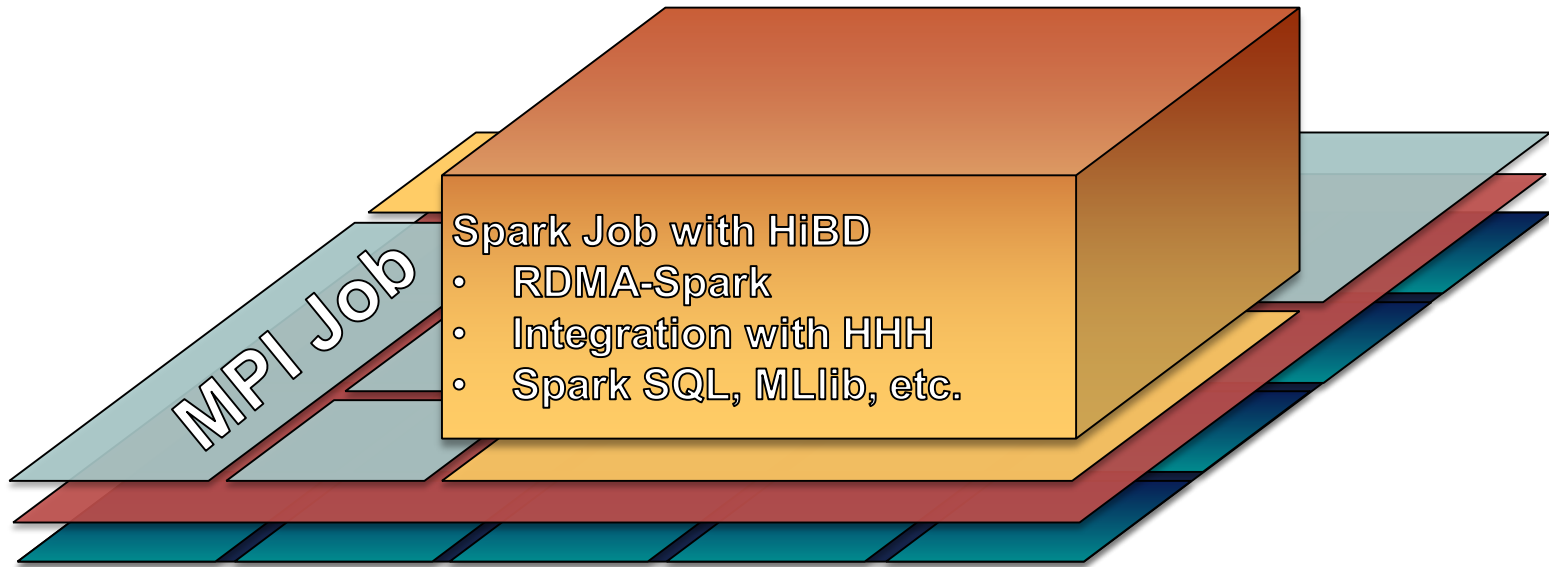


- **HHH:** Heterogeneous storage devices with hybrid replication schemes are supported in this mode of operation to have better fault-tolerance as well as performance. This mode is enabled by **default** in the package.
- **HHH-M:** A high-performance in-memory based setup has been introduced in this package that can be utilized to perform all I/O operations in-memory and obtain as much performance benefit as possible.
- **HHH-L:** With parallel file systems integrated, HHH-L mode can take advantage of the Lustre available in the cluster.
- **HHH-L-BB:** This mode deploys a Memcached-based burst buffer system to reduce the bandwidth bottleneck of shared file system access. The burst buffer design is hosted by Memcached servers, each of which has a local SSD.
- **MapReduce over Lustre, with/without local disks:** Besides, HDFS based solutions, this package also provides support to run MapReduce jobs on top of Lustre alone. Here, two different modes are introduced: with local disks and without local disks.
- **Running with Slurm and PBS:** Supports deploying RDMA for Apache Hadoop 2.x with Slurm and PBS in different running modes (HHH, HHH-M, HHH-L, and MapReduce over Lustre).

Using HiBD Packages on Existing HPC Infrastructure



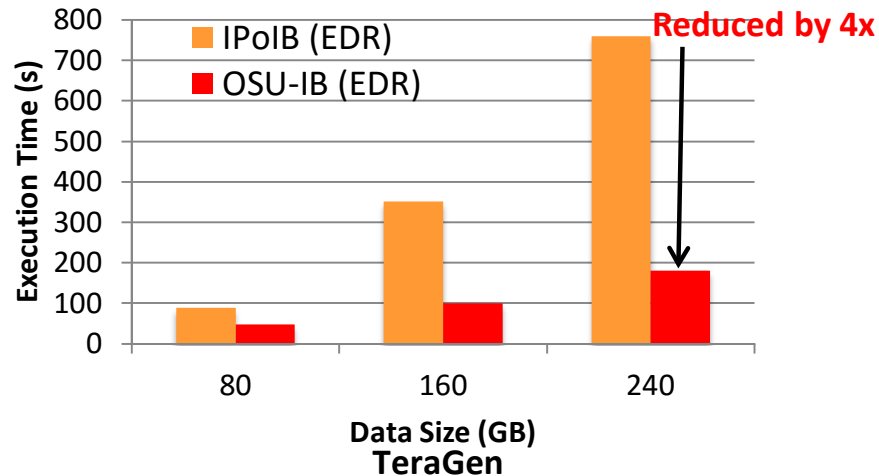
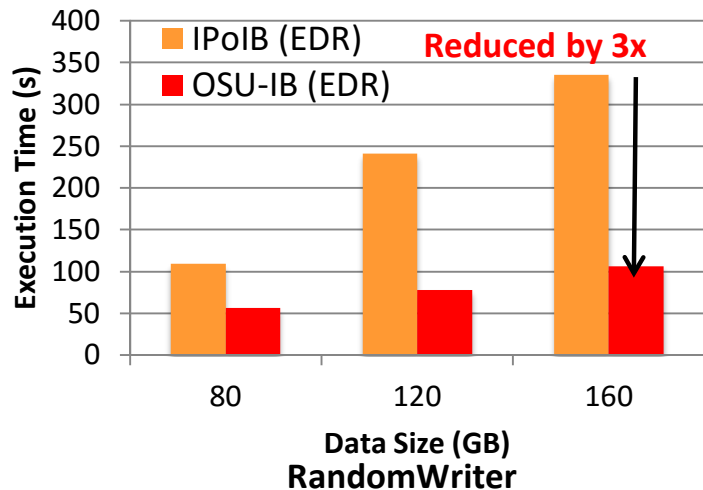
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HiBD Packages on SDSC Comet and Chameleon Cloud

- RDMA for Apache Hadoop 2.x and RDMA for Apache Spark are installed and available on SDSC Comet.
 - Examples for various modes of usage are available in:
 - RDMA for Apache Hadoop 2.x: /share/apps/examples/HADOOP
 - RDMA for Apache Spark: /share/apps/examples/SPARK/
 - Please email help@xsede.org (reference Comet as the machine, and SDSC as the site) if you have any further questions about usage and configuration.
- RDMA for Apache Hadoop is also available on Chameleon Cloud as an appliance
 - <https://www.chameleoncloud.org/appliances/17/>

Performance Numbers of RDMA for Apache Hadoop 2.x – RandomWriter & TeraGen in OSU-RI2 (EDR)



Cluster with 8 Nodes with a total of 64 maps

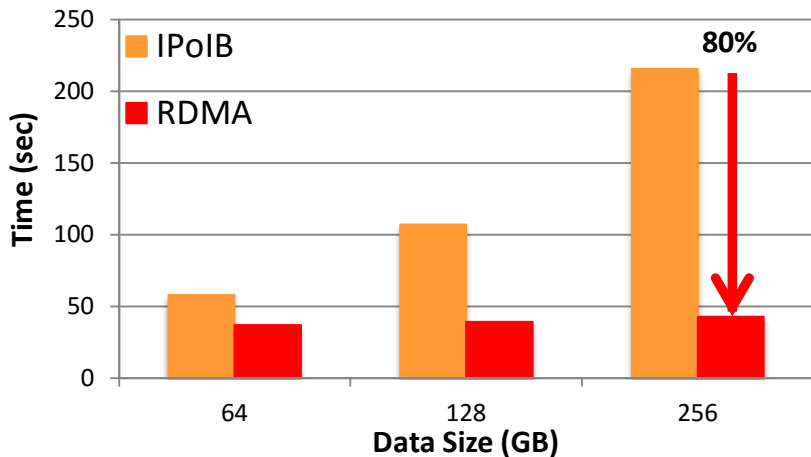
- RandomWriter

- **3x** improvement over IPoIB for 80-160 GB file size

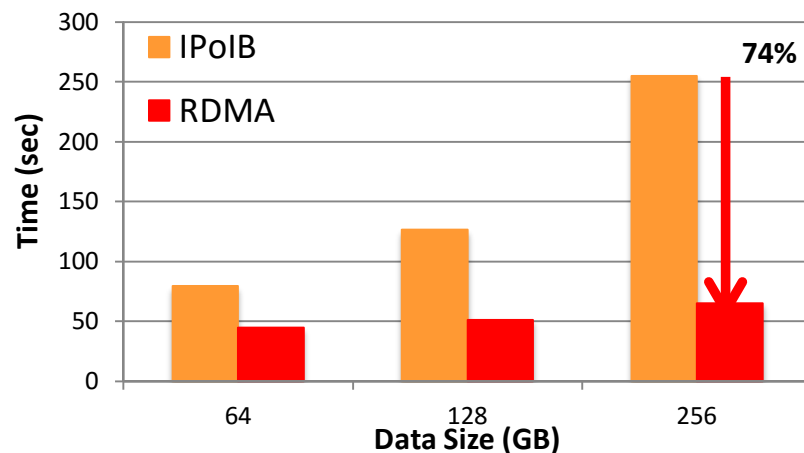
- TeraGen

- **4x** improvement over IPoIB for 80-240 GB file size

Performance Evaluation of RDMA-Spark on SDSC Comet – SortBy/GroupBy



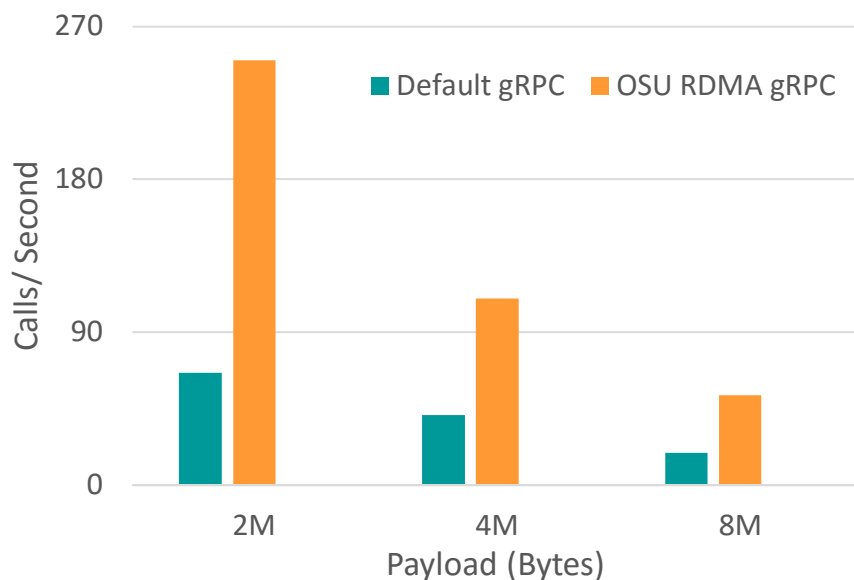
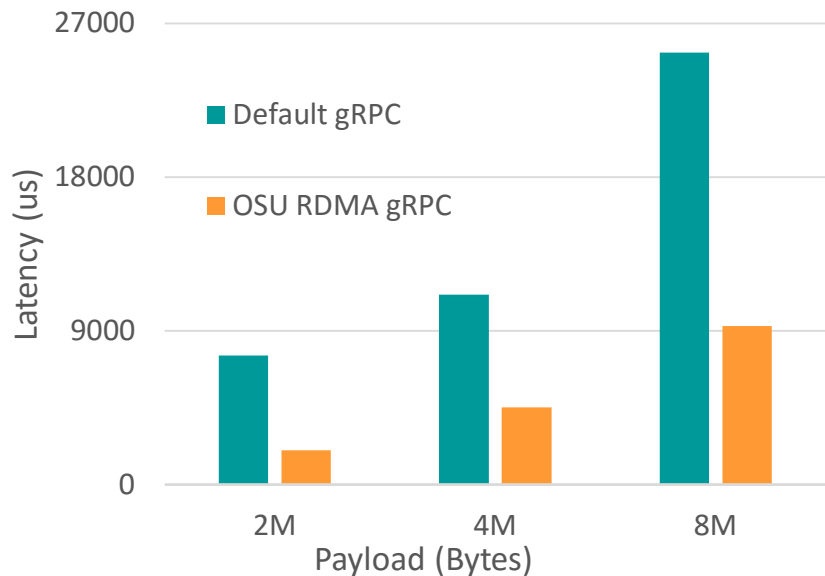
64 Worker Nodes, 1536 cores, **SortByTest** Total Time



64 Worker Nodes, 1536 cores, **GroupByTest** Total Time

- InfiniBand FDR, SSD, 64 Worker Nodes, 1536 Cores, (1536M 1536R)
- RDMA vs. IPoIB with 1536 concurrent tasks, single SSD per node.
 - SortBy: Total time reduced by up to **80%** over IPoIB (56Gbps)
 - GroupBy: Total time reduced by up to **74%** over IPoIB (56Gbps)

Performance Benefits for RDMA-gRPC with TensorFlow Communication Mimic Benchmark

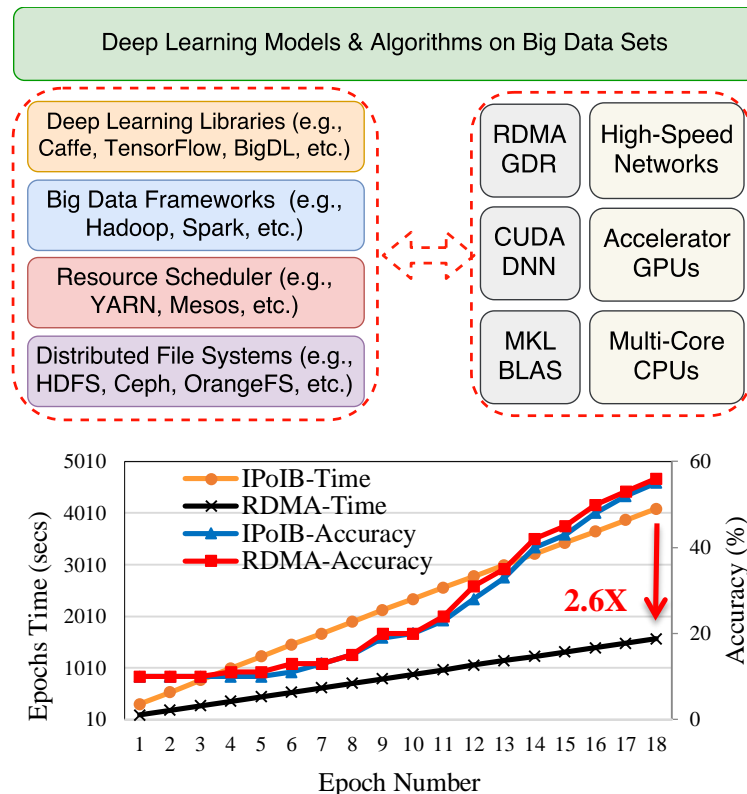


TensorFlow communication Pattern mimic benchmark

- **TensorFlow communication pattern mimic on SDSC-Comet-FDR**
 - Single process spawns both gRPC server and gRPC client
 - **Up to 3.6x** performance speedup over IPOIB for Latency
 - **Up to 3.7x** throughput improvement over IPOIB

High-Performance Deep Learning over Big Data (DLoBD) Stacks

- **Benefits** of Deep Learning over Big Data (DLoBD)
 - Easily integrate deep learning components into Big Data processing workflow
 - Easily access the stored data in Big Data systems
 - No need to set up new dedicated deep learning clusters; Reuse existing big data analytics clusters
- **Challenges**
 - Can **RDMA**-based designs in DLoBD stacks improve performance, scalability, and resource utilization on high-performance interconnects, GPUs, and multi-core CPUs?
 - What are the **performance characteristics** of representative DLoBD stacks on RDMA networks?
- **Characterization** on DLoBD Stacks
 - CaffeOnSpark, TensorFlowOnSpark, and BigDL
 - IPoIB vs. RDMA; In-band communication vs. Out-of-band communication; CPU vs. GPU; etc.
 - Performance, accuracy, scalability, and resource utilization
 - RDMA-based DLoBD stacks (e.g., **BigDL over RDMA-Spark**) can achieve **2.6x** speedup compared to the IPoIB based scheme, while maintain similar accuracy



X. Lu, H. Shi, M. H. Javed, R. Biswas, and D. K. Panda, Characterizing Deep Learning over Big Data (DLoBD) Stacks on RDMA-capable Networks, HotI 2017.

Concluding Remarks

- Software architecture convergence between HPC and BigData is already happening
- Next Phase: Convergence between

HPC +Big Data + Deep Learning

The 4th International Workshop on High-Performance Big Data Computing (HPBDC)

**HPBDC 2018 will be held with IEEE International Parallel and Distributed Processing
Symposium (IPDPS 2018), Vancouver, British Columbia CANADA, May, 2018**

Workshop Date: May 21st, 2018

Keynote Talk: Prof. Geoffrey Fox, *Twister2: A High-Performance Big Data Programming Environment*

Six Regular Research Papers and Two Short Research Papers

Panel Topic: *Which Framework is the Best for High-Performance Deep Learning:*

Big Data Framework or HPC Framework?

<http://web.cse.ohio-state.edu/~luxi/hpbdc2018>

HPBDC 2017 was held in conjunction with IPDPS'17

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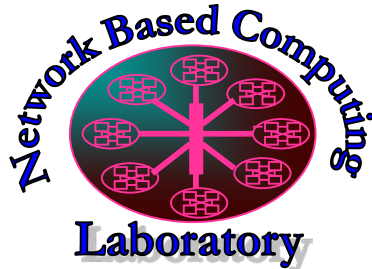
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