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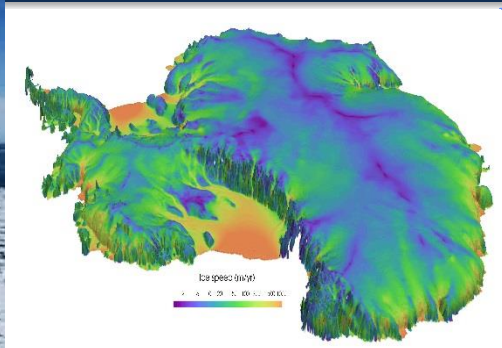
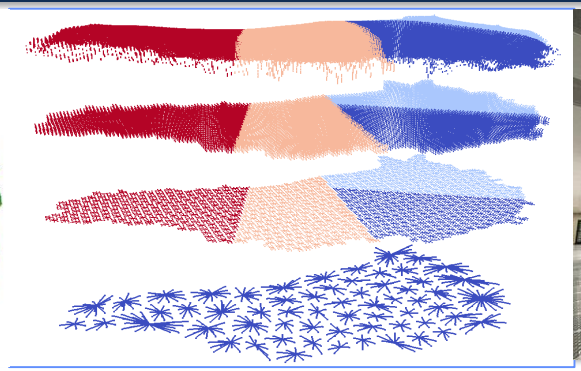


Performance & Performance Portability of the Albany/FELIX Finite Element Land-Ice Solver

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Motivation

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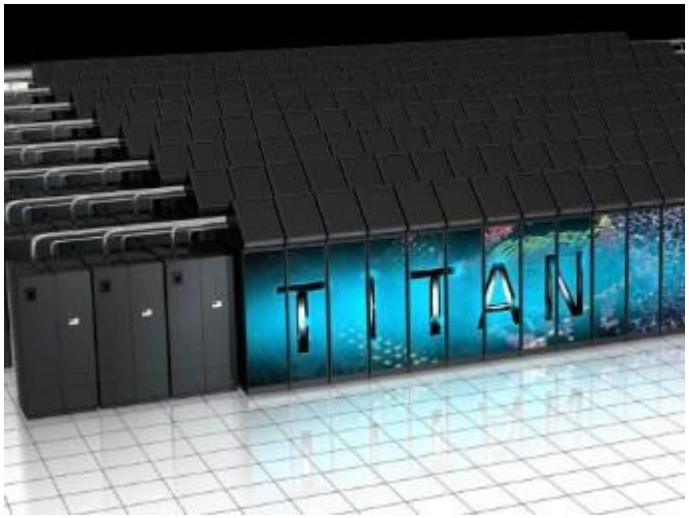
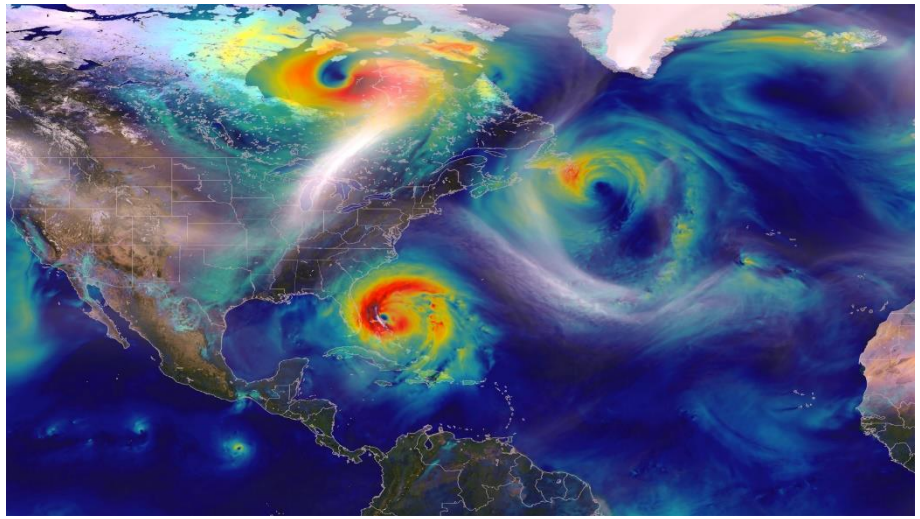
- Scientific models (e.g. climate models) need more ***computational power*** to achieve ***higher resolutions***.
- High performance computing (HPC) architectures are becoming increasingly more ***heterogeneous*** in a move towards ***exascale***.
- Climate models need to adapt to execute ***correctly*** & ***efficiently*** on new HPC architectures with drastically ***different memory models***.





MPI+X Programming Model

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- HPC architectures are rapidly changing, but ***trends*** remain the same.
  - ***Computations*** are ***cheap***, ***memory transfer*** is ***expensive***.
  - ***Single core cycle*** time has improved but stagnated.
  - Increased ***computational power*** achieved through ***manycore architectures***.

→ MPI-only is not enough to exploit emerging massively parallel architectures.

Approach: MPI+X Programming Model

Year	Memory Access Time	Single Core Cycle Time
1980s	~100 ns	~100 ns
Today	~50-100 ns	~1 ns

- MPI: inter-node parallelism.
- X: intra-node parallelism.

→ *Examples:* X = OpenMP, CUDA, Pthreads, etc.

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PISCEES Project for Land-Ice Modeling

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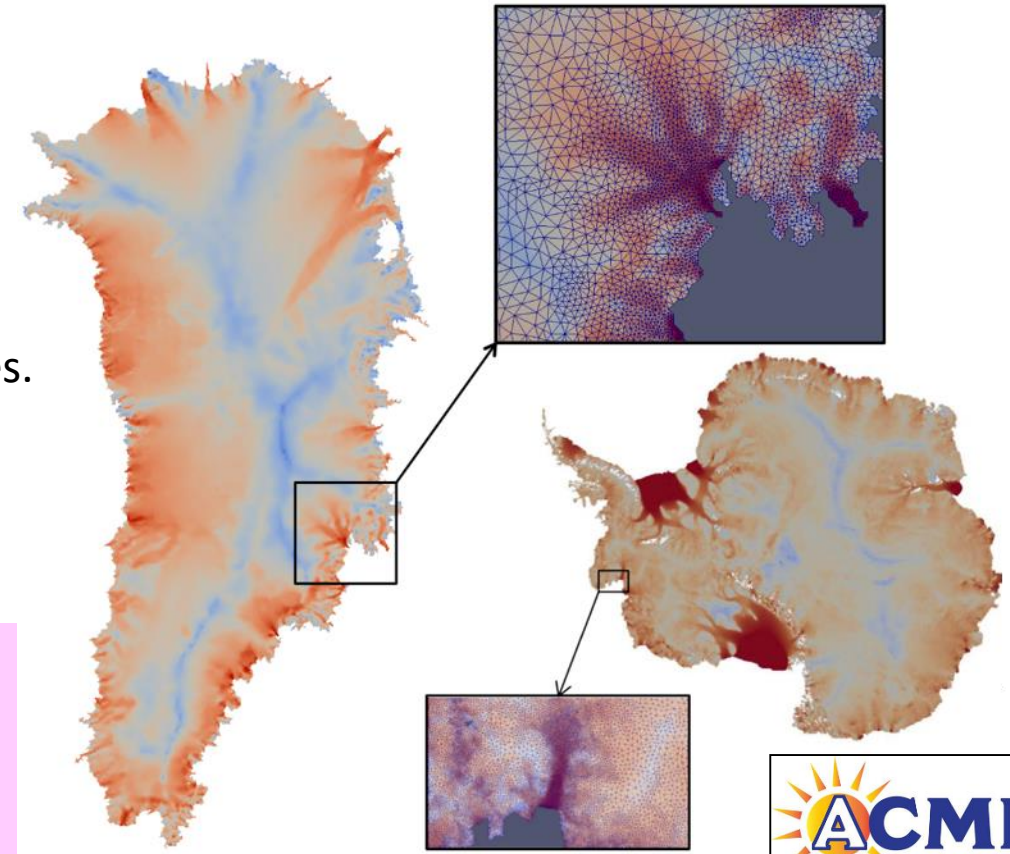
SciDAC Scientific Discovery through Advanced Computing

"PISCEES" = Predicting Ice Sheet Climate Evolution at Extreme Scales
5 year SciDAC3 project (2012-2017).

Sandia's Role in the PISCEES Project: to **develop** and **support** a robust and scalable land ice solver based on the "First-Order" (FO) Stokes equations → *Albany/FELIX**

Requirements for *Albany/FELIX*:

- ***Unstructured grid*** meshes.
- ***Scalable, fast*** and ***robust.***
- ***Verified*** and ***validated.***
- ***Portable*** to new architecture machines.
- ***Advanced analysis*** capabilities: deterministic inversion, calibration, uncertainty quantification.



As part of **ACME *DOE Earth System Model***, solver will provide actionable predictions of 21st century sea-level change (including uncertainty bounds).

ACME Accelerated Climate Model for Energy

* Finite Elements for Land Ice eXperiments

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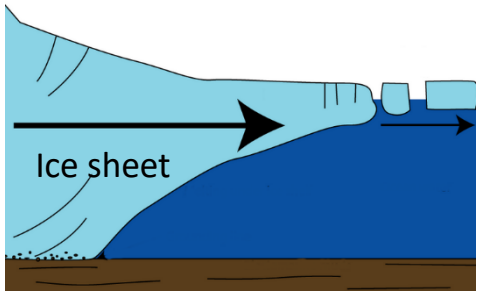

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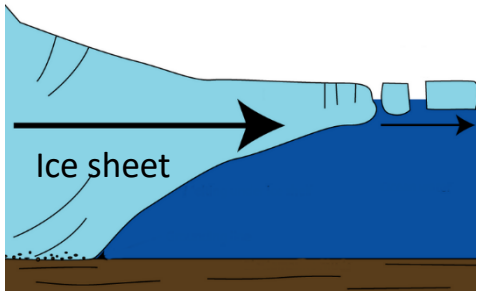

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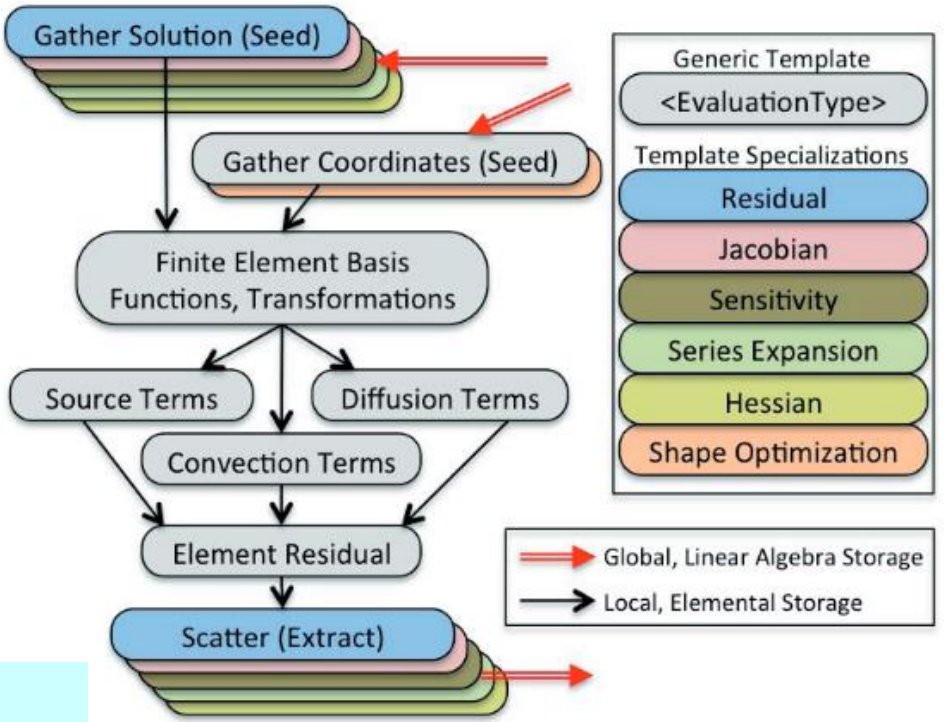

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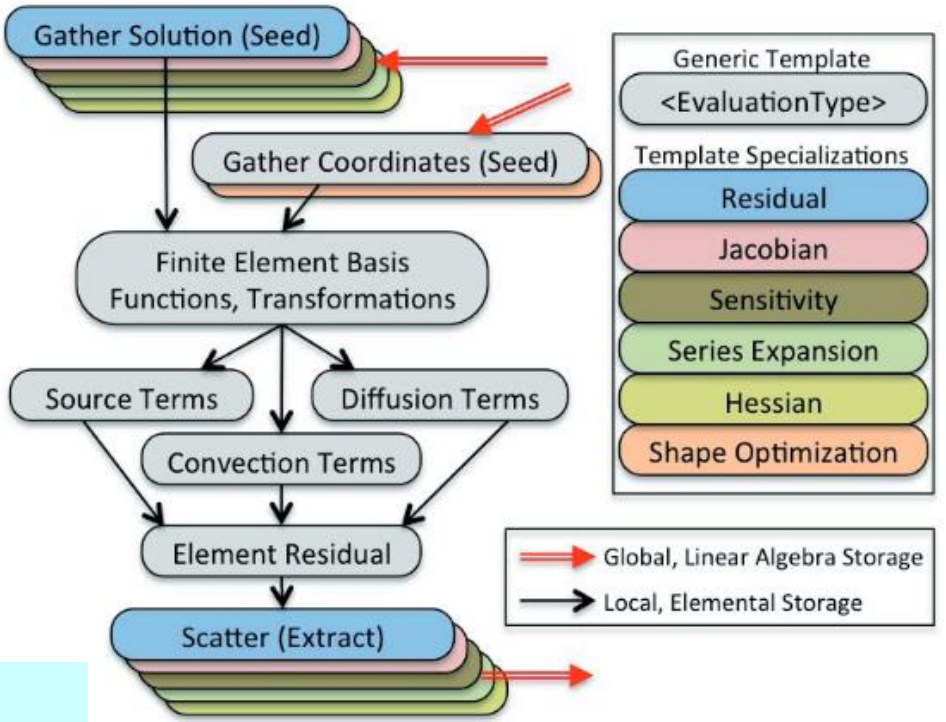

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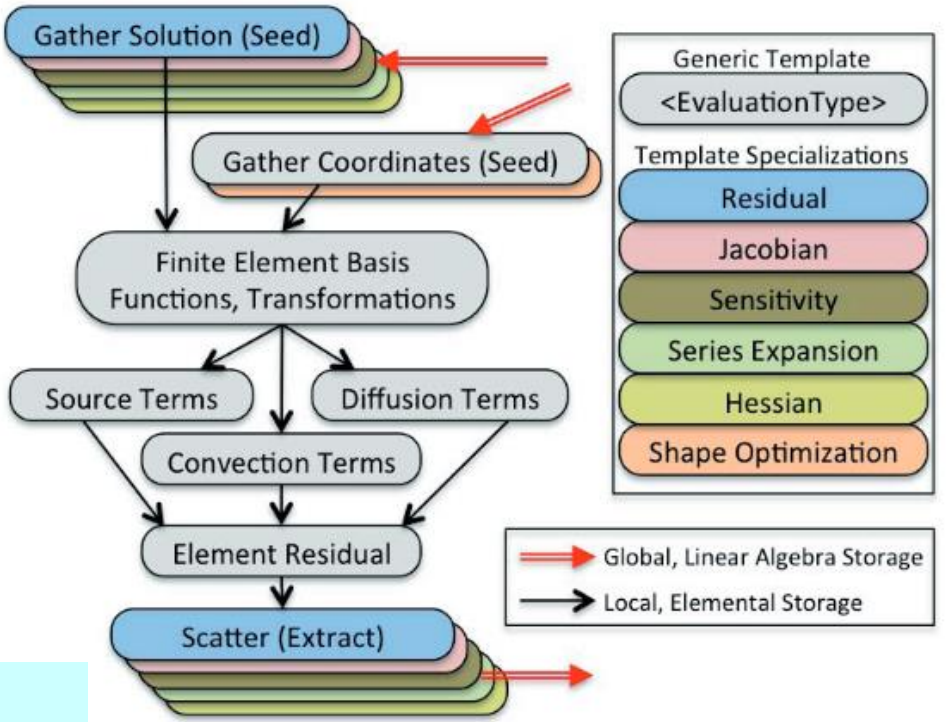

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Performance-portability via *Kokkos*

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We need to be able to run climate models on ***new architecture machines*** (hybrid systems) and ***manycore devices*** (multi-core CPU, NVIDIA GPU, Intel Xeon Phi, etc.) .

- In Albany/FELIX, we achieve performance-portability via ***Kokkos***.
  - ***Kokkos****:* C++ library and programming model that provides performance portability across multiple computing architectures.
    → *Examples:* Multicore CPU, NVIDIA GPU, Intel Xeon Phi, and more.
  - Provides ***automatic access*** to OpenMP, CUDA, Pthreads, etc.
  - Designed to work with the ***MPI+X*** programming model.
  - Abstracts ***data layouts*** for optimal performance ("array of strucs" vs. struct of arrays", locality).

With ***Kokkos***, you write an algorithm once, and just change a template parameter to get the optimal data layout for your hardware.

→ Allows researcher to focus on ***application development*** for large heterogeneous architectures.

MPI+X FEA via *Kokkos*

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- ***MPI-only*** nested for loop:

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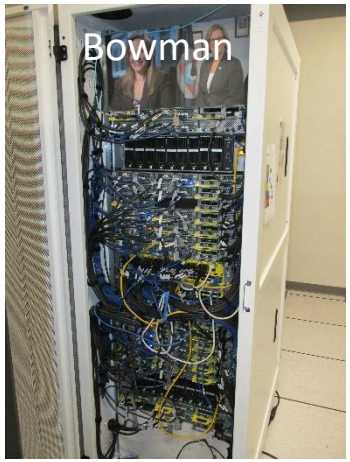

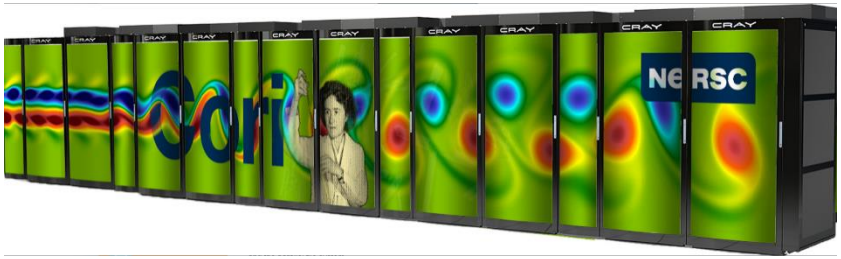

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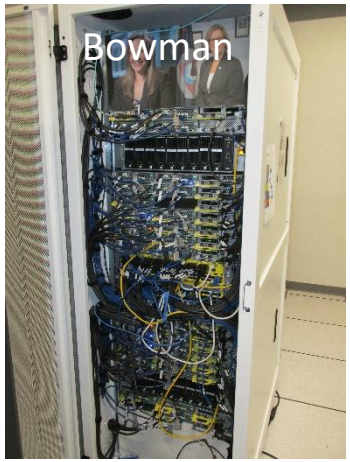
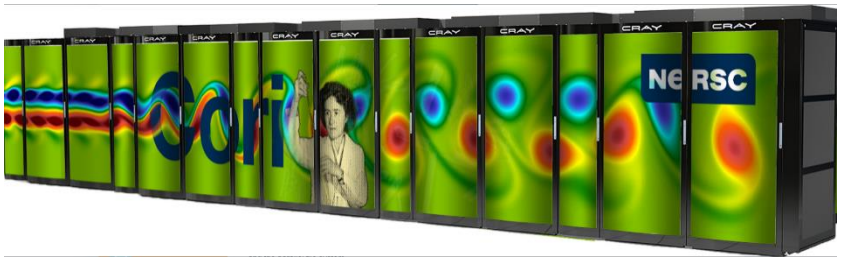
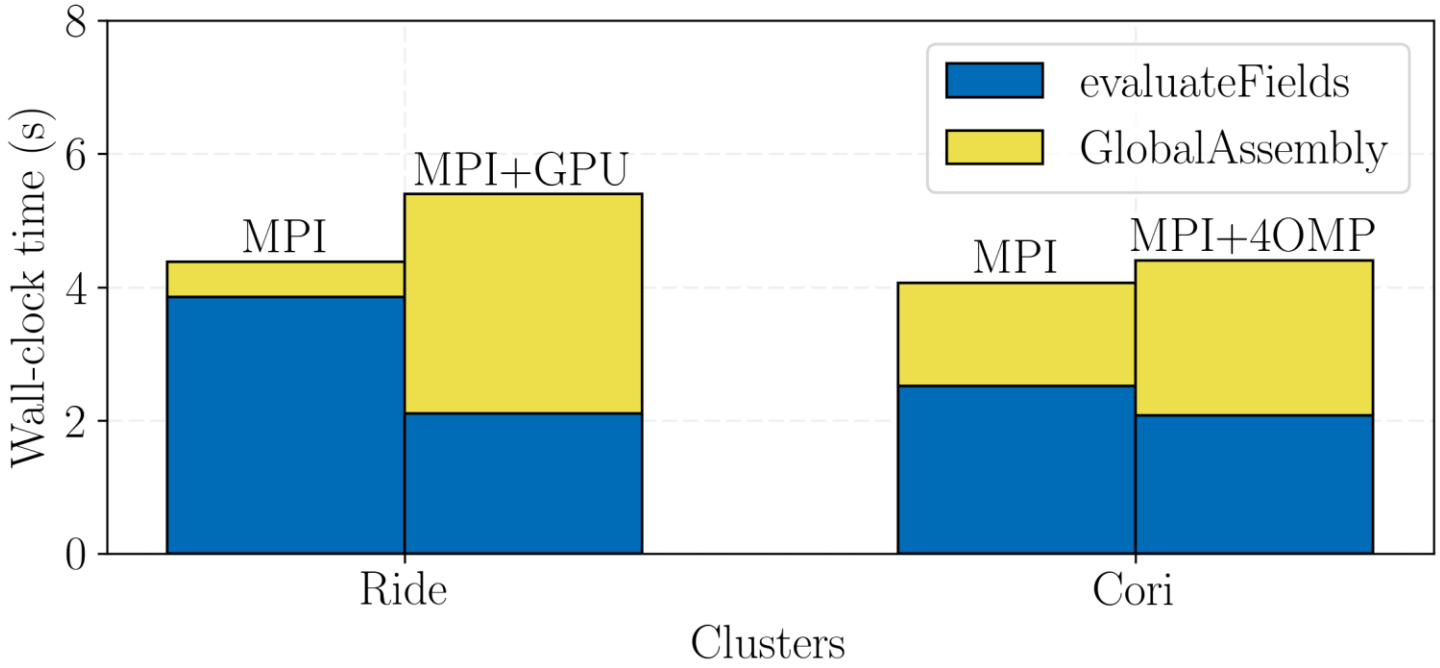




GIS Kokkos Execution Space Comparison



A single node comparison: 16MPI vs. 4(MPI+GPU) [*Left*], 68MPI vs. 68(MPI+4OMP) [*Right*]
(GIS 4km-20km unstructured mesh with 1.51M tet elements)

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GIS Kokkos 16 MPI vs. 4(MPI+GPU) Results

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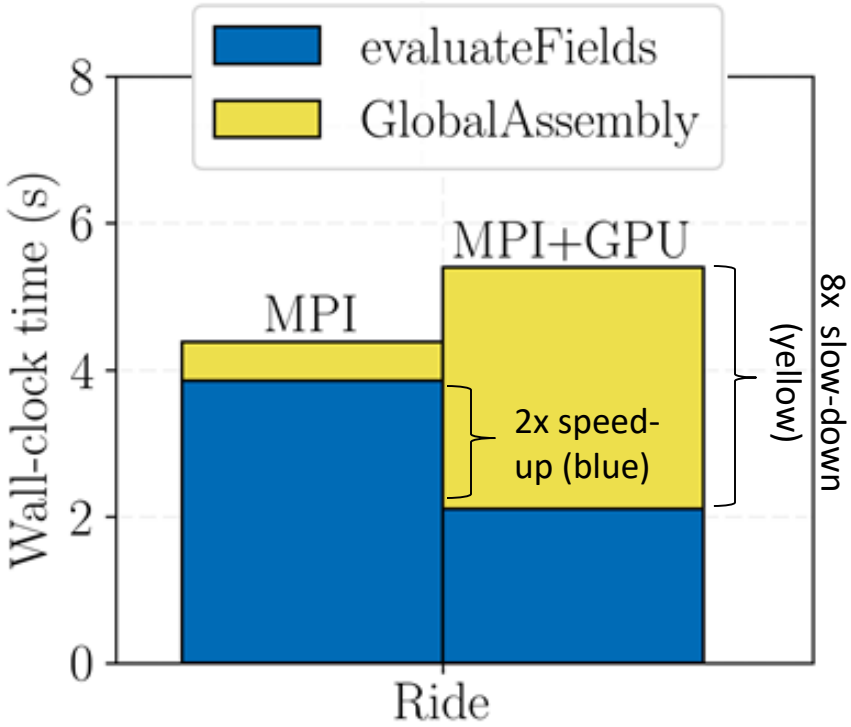

GlobalAssembly (yellow): mostly communication + Trilinos operations

- 8x slow-down is not reasonable.
- Most slow-downs are in Trilinos (Tpetra) → Trilinos packages are currently being reworked using CUDA-aware MPI*.

Summary: speed-ups on GPU are not yet as expected but may be improved by introducing padding, removing CUDA UVM and unnecessary data movement, switching to CUDA-aware MPI.

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- evaluateFields<Jacobian> much faster than evaluateFields<Residual> b/c there is more work in computing Jacobian.
- 2x speedup not much considering 4 GPUs (desirable speedup: 10x or more).
  - Data movement is lagging speedup – can be improved by removing CUDA UVM, data padding to prevent data misalignment.
  - A few kernels still for boundary conditions still need to be ported to Kokkos.

* With CUDA-aware MPI, GPU buffers can be passed directly to MPI w/o staging using cudaMemcpy.

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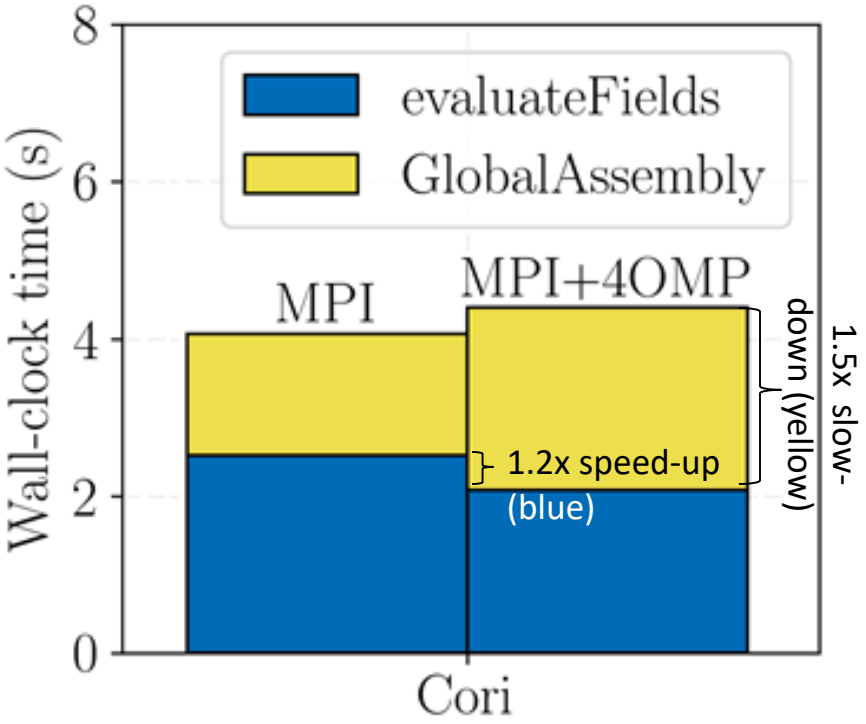

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Summary: besides the global Jacobian assembly, results are promising. More studies are needed once we profile nonlinear/linear solvers.

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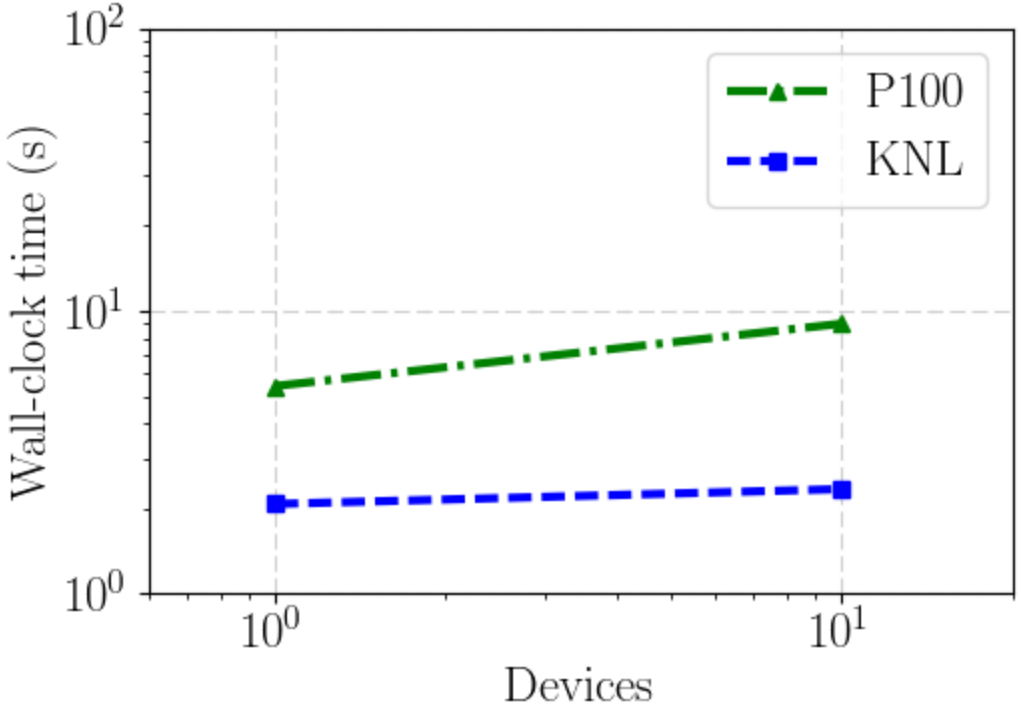
- 1.2x speedup from hardware threads is reasonable (there are 2 VPUs/KNL core, so 2x speedup is ideal but will be limited by L1 cache size in core for bandwidth bound operation)
- Once the nonlinear/linear solver is included, more OpenMP threads will likely be used (e.g. 4(MPI+68OMP)) to improve speedup.
  - More OpenMP threads on cores in FEA reduces performance because it takes away from coarser grain MPI parallelism

GIS MPI+Device Weak Scalability



- Scalability of **GlobalAssembly + evaluateFields** is studied.
- **Weak Scalability** is for GIS 4km-20km and 1km-7km (1.51M and 14.4M elements) tet meshes.
- **Weak scalability** is comparable for P100 and KNL.
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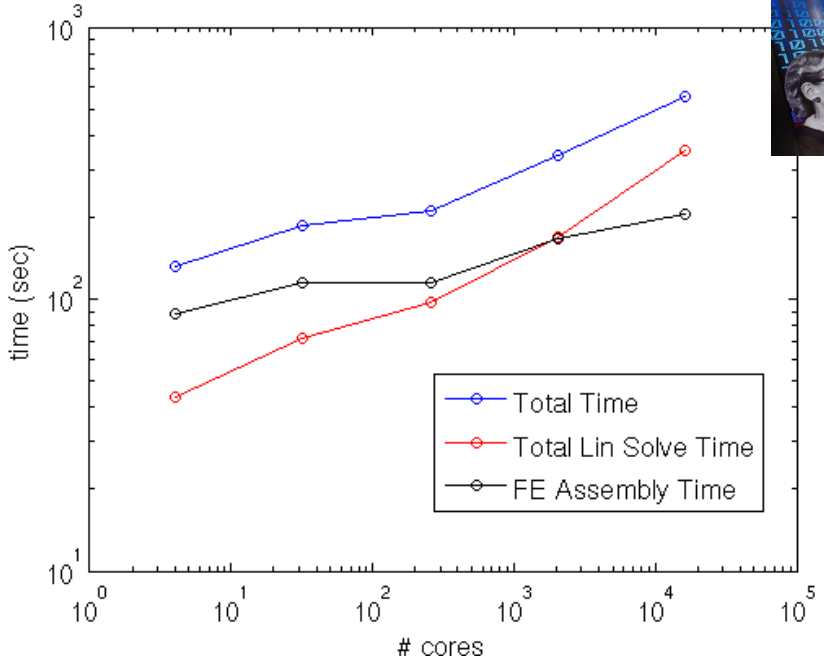

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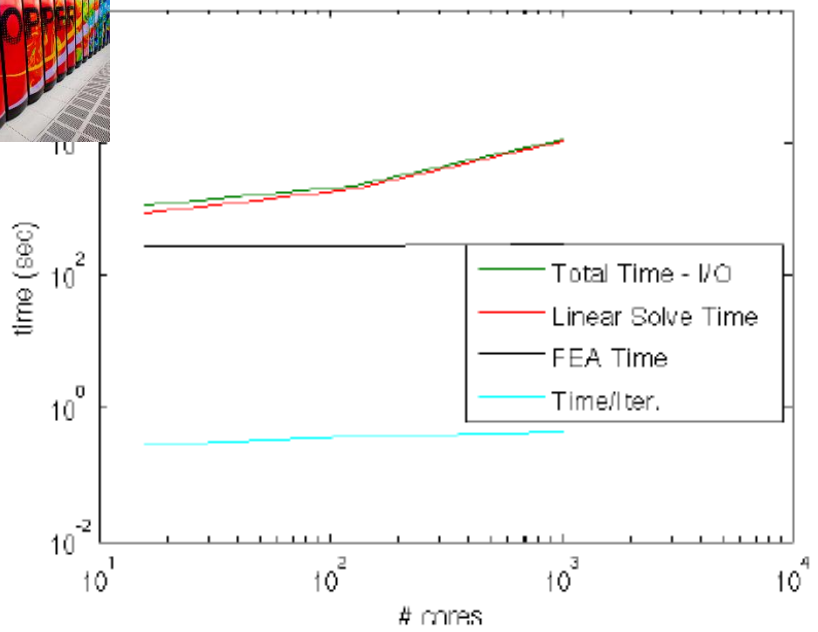

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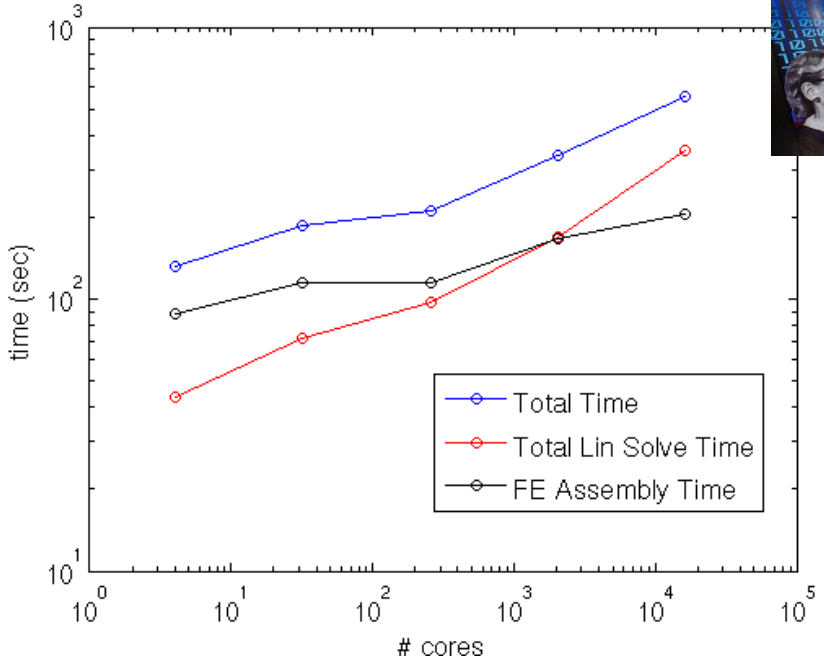

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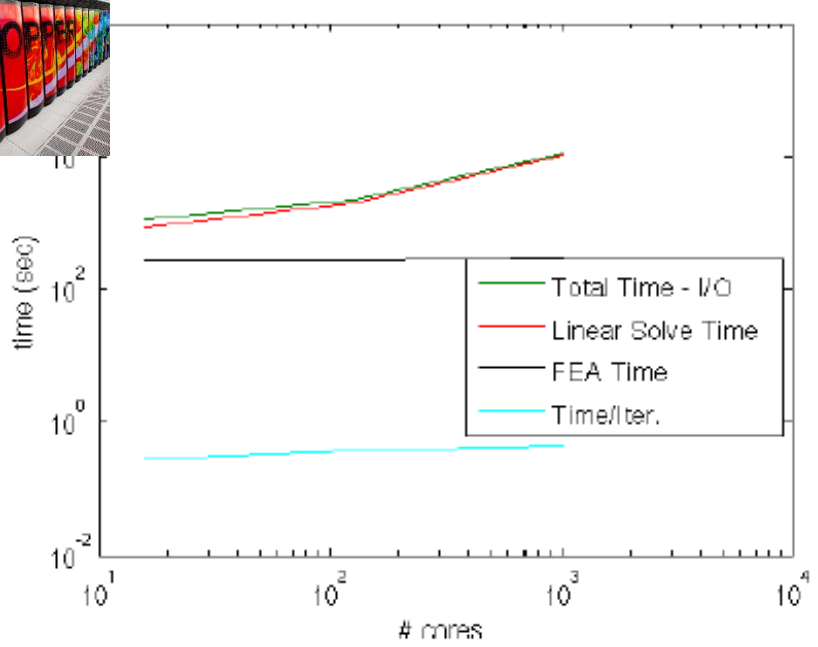

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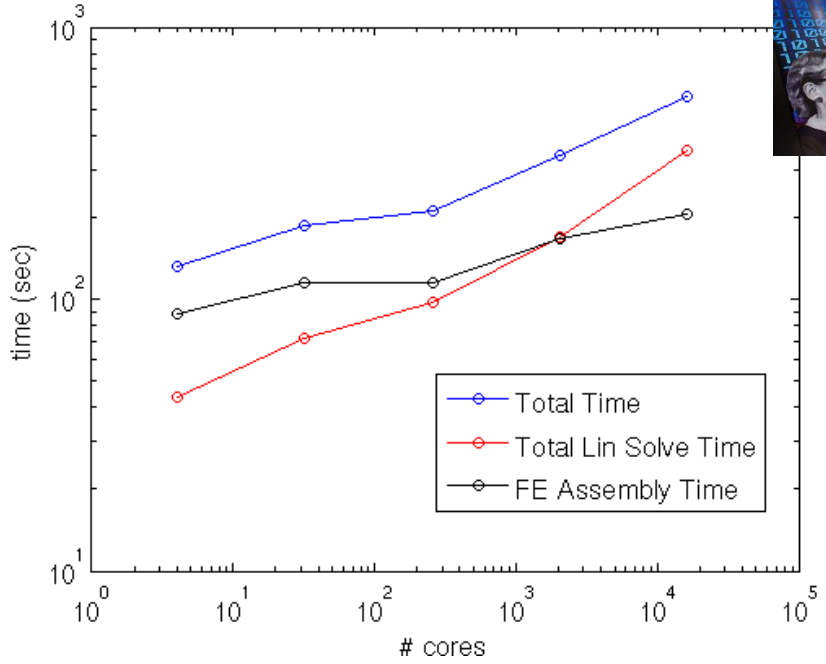

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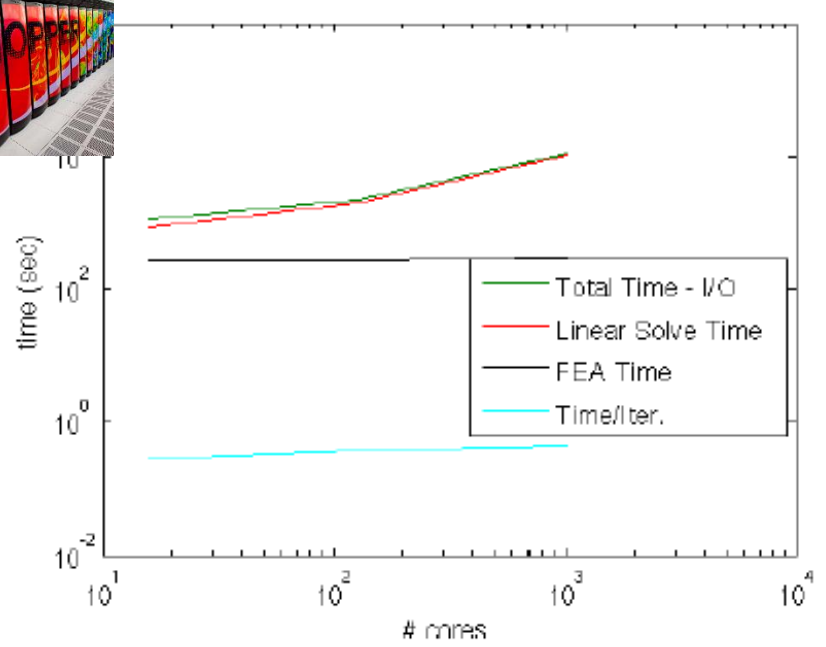

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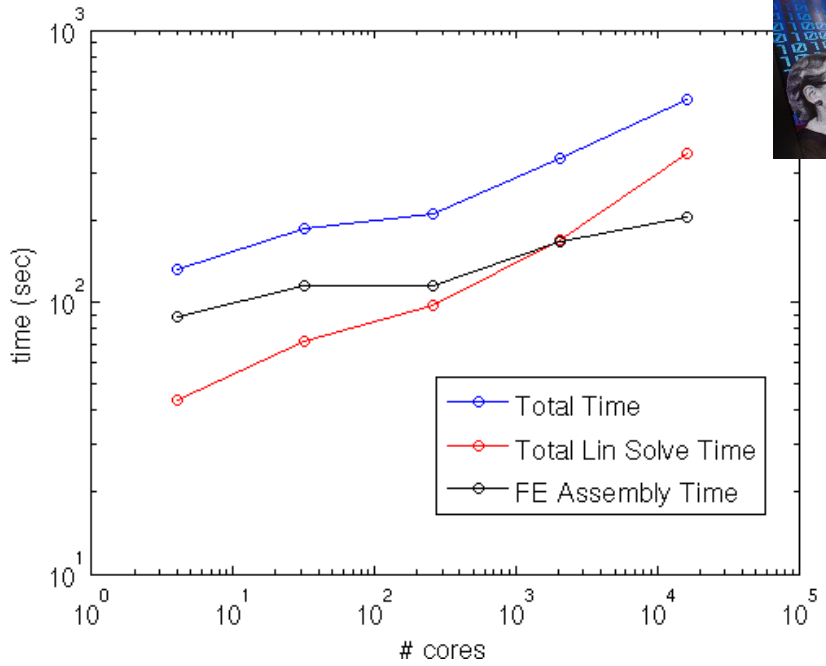

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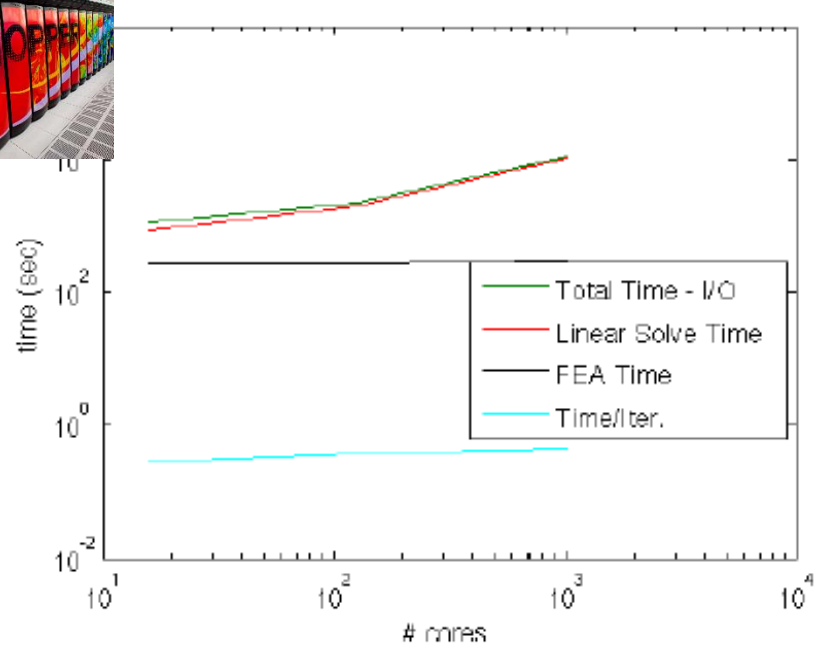

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- *Island/hinge removal algorithm*.

* Algebraic Multi-Grid.

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Scalability via Algebraic Multi-Grid Preconditioning with Semi-Coarsening

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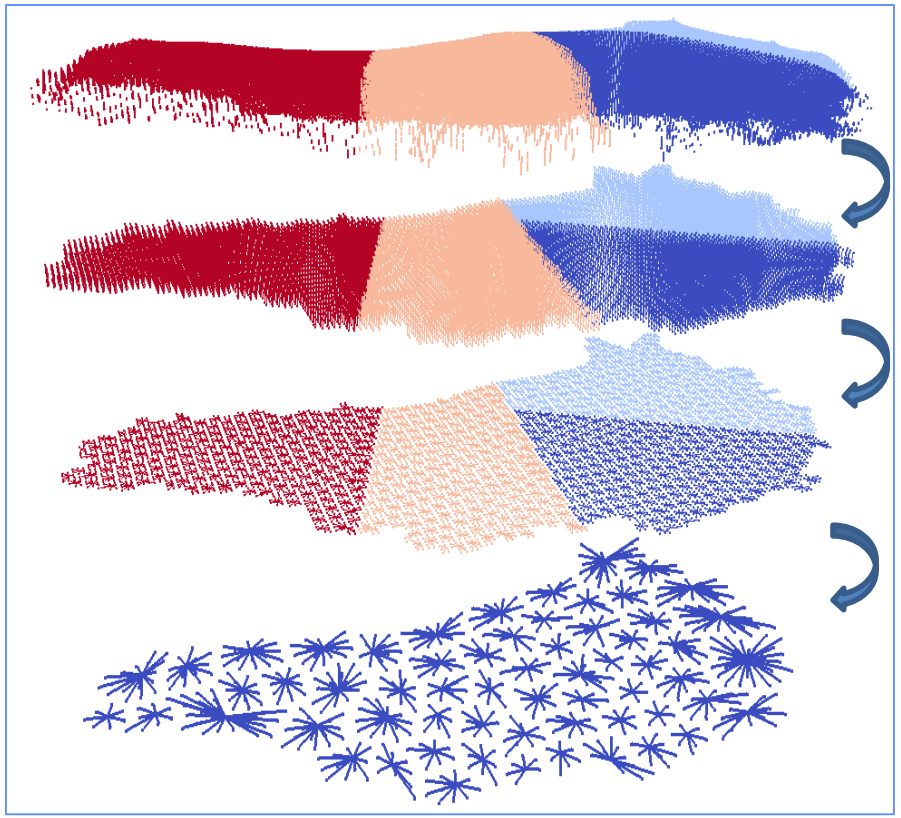
Bad aspect ratios ($dx \gg dz$) ruin classical AMG convergence rates!

- relatively small horizontal coupling terms, hard to smooth horizontal errors

$\Rightarrow$ Solvers (AMG and ILU) must take aspect ratios into account



We developed a **new AMG solver** based on aggressive **semi-coarsening** (available in *ML/MueLu* packages of *Trilinos*)

See (Tezaur *et al.,* 2015), (Tuminaro *et al.,* 2016).

Scaling studies (next slides):
New AMG preconditioner vs. ILU

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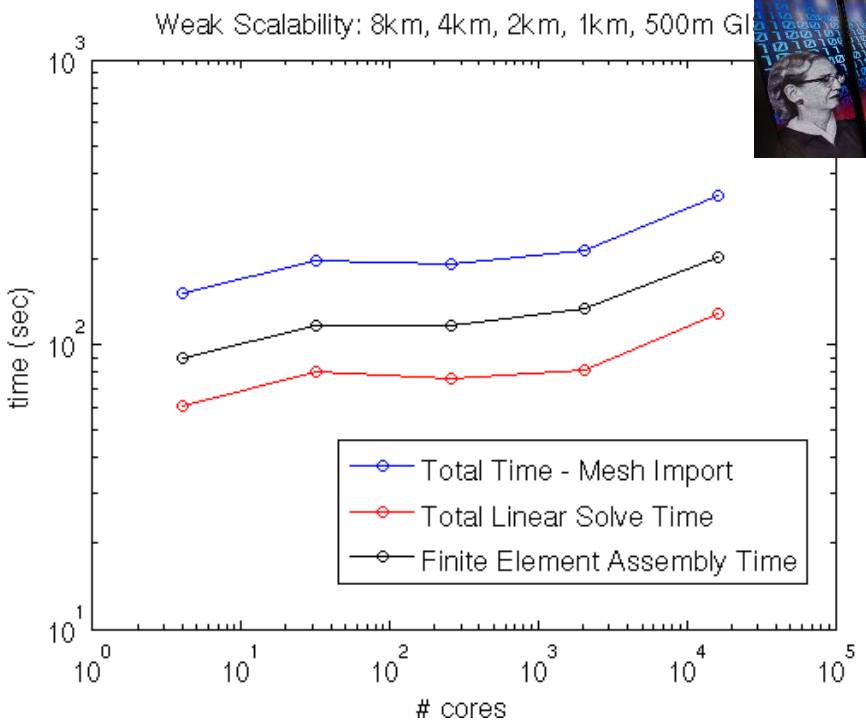

- Weak scaling study with fixed dataset, 4 mesh bisections.
- ~70-80K dofs/core.
- ***Conjugate Gradient (CG) iterative method*** for linear solves (faster convergence than GMRES).
- ***New AMG preconditioner*** developed by R. Tuminaro based on ***semi-coarsening*** (coarsening in z-direction only).
- ***Significant improvement*** in scalability with new AMG preconditioner over ILU preconditioner!

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8 km Greenland,
5 vertical layers

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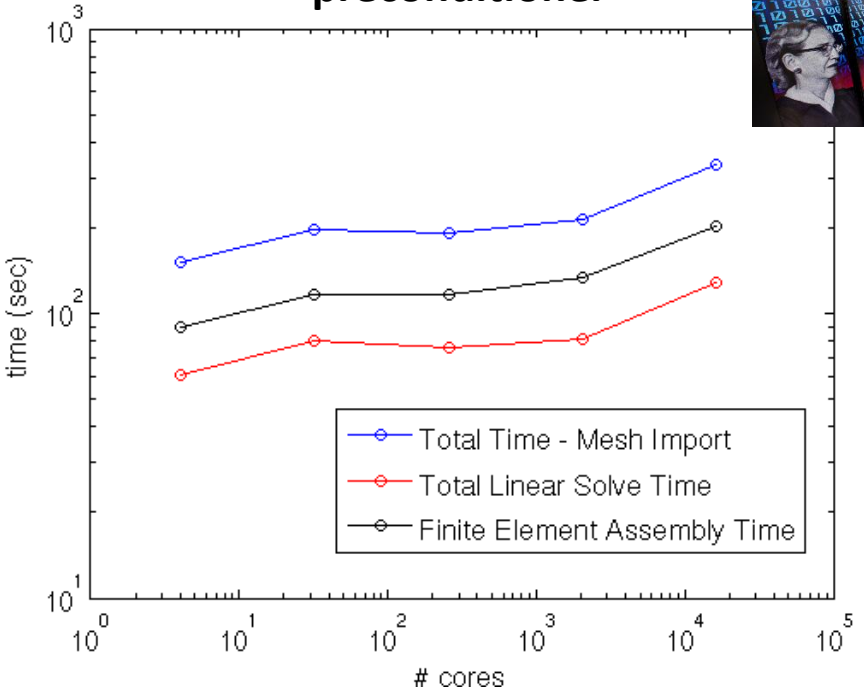
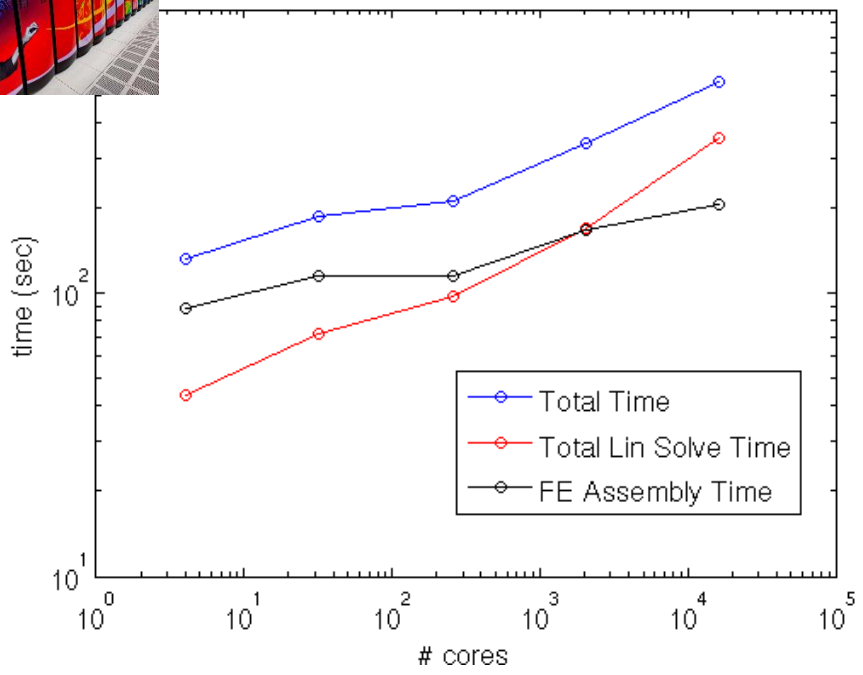


ILU preconditioner



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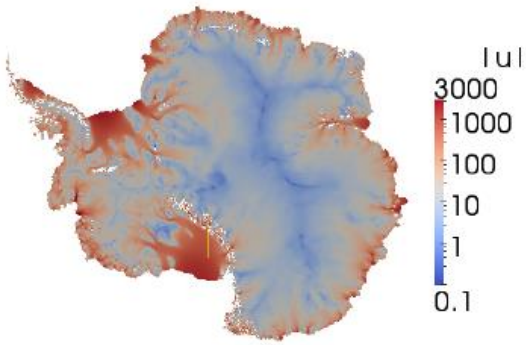
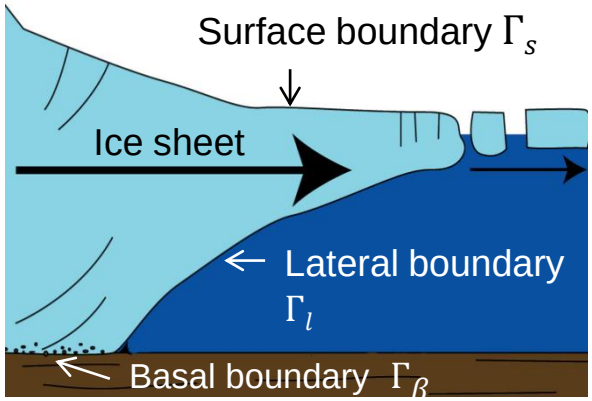


Antarctica is fundamentally different than Greenland:
AIS contains large ice shelves (floating extensions of land ice).

- ***Along ice shelf front:*** open-ocean BC (Neumann).
- ***Along ice shelf base:*** zero traction BC (Neumann).

⇒ For vertical grid lines that lie within ice shelves, top and bottom BCs resemble Neumann BCs so sub-matrix associated with one of these lines is almost* singular.

(vertical > horizontal coupling)
+
Neumann BCs
=
nearly singular submatrix associated with vertical lines



⇒ Ice shelves give rise to severe ill-conditioning of linear systems!

*Completely singular in the presence of islands and some ice tongues.

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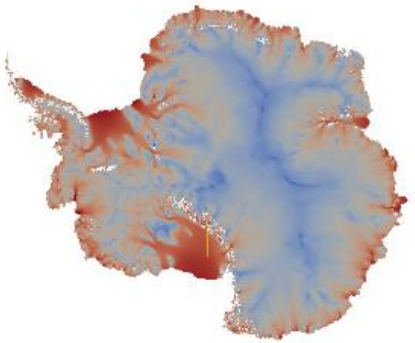
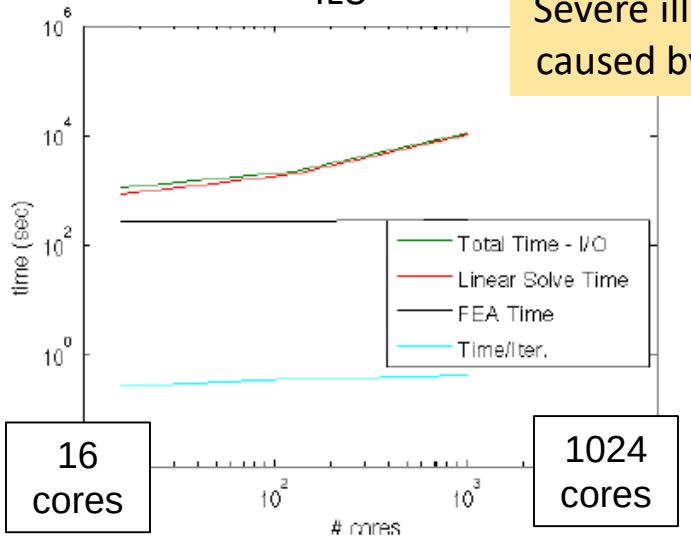


- Weak scaling study on Antarctic problem (8km w/ 5 layers → 2km w/ 20 layers).
- Initialized with realistic basal friction (from deterministic inversion) and temperature field from BEDMAP2.
- **Iterative linear solver**: GMRES.
- **Preconditioner**: ILU vs. new AMG based on aggressive semi-coarsening.

ILU



16 cores → 1024 cores

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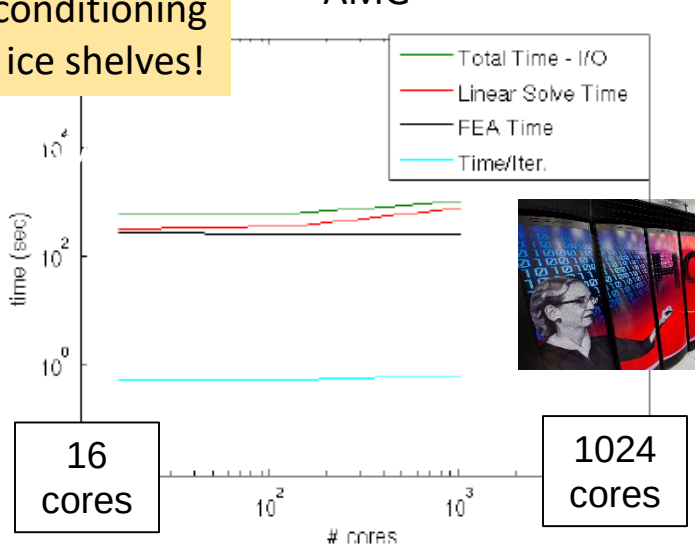
Severe ill-conditioning caused by ice shelves!

AMG



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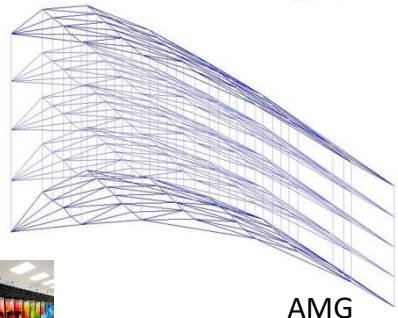

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AMG preconditioner less sensitive than ILU to ill-conditioning (ice shelves → Green's function with modest horizontal decay → ILU is less effective).

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Heterogeneous HPC architectures can now be utilized for land-ice research using Albany/FELIX.

Ongoing/Future Work

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Finite Element Assembly (FEA):

- ***Profiling*** using TAU and nvprof.
- Methods for ***improving performance***:
  - Reduce excess memory usage.
  - Utilize shared memory.
  - Replace CUDA UVM with manual memory transfer.
  - Parallelize over nodes, quad points, levels in addition to cells.
  - Add data padding to prevent misalignment.
  - Switch to CUDA-aware MPI.

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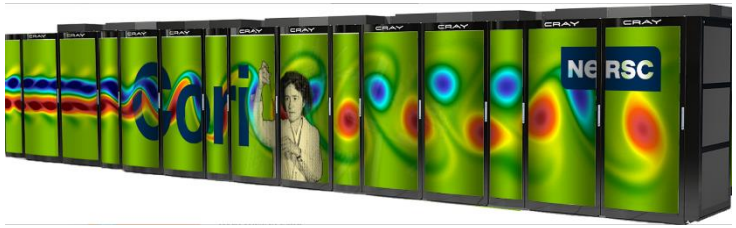
- ***Large-scale*** runs on Cori and Summit.



Linear Solve:

- Performance-portability of ***preconditioned iterative linear solve*** using *Kokkos* for implicit problems in Albany (e.g., FELIX).
  - Finish converting MueLu/Ifpack2 to use Kokkos.
  - Algorithm redesign may be necessary for GPUs.
  - Considering other solvers, e.g., hierarchical solvers, Shylu (FAST-ILU, multi-threaded GS).

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Appendix: Parallelism on Modern Hardware

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Year	Memory Access Time	Single Core Cycle Time
1980s	~100 ns	~100 ns
Today	~50-100 ns	~1 ns

- *Memory access time* has remained the *same*.
- *Single core* performance has *improved* but *stagnated*.
- *Computations* are *cheap*, *memory transfer* is *expensive*.
- *More performance* from *multicore/manycore* processors.

Appendix: FO-Stokes model is implemented within Albany, Sandia open-source* parallel, C++, multi-physics finite element code → *Albany/FELIX***. Multiphysics Code

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Trilinos

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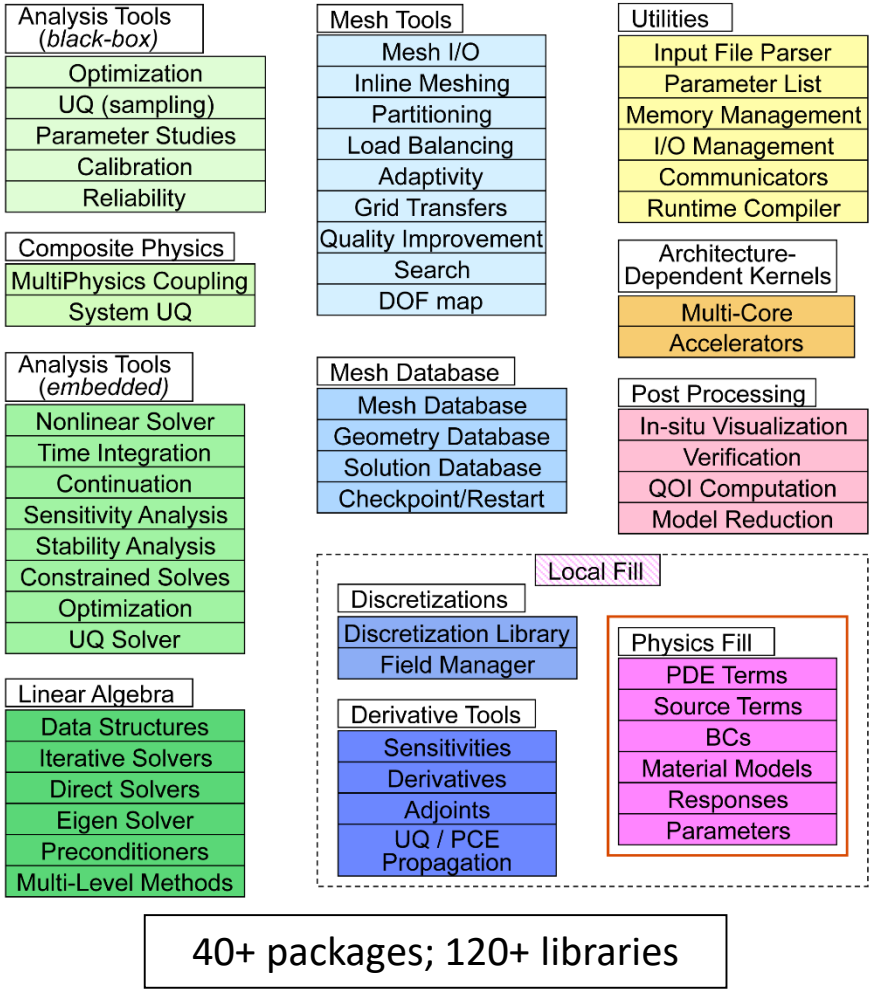
- ***Component-based*** design for rapid development of new physics & capabilities.
- Extensive use of libraries from the open-source ***Trilinos*** project:
  - Automatic differentiation.
  - Discretizations/meshes, mesh adaptivity.
  - Solvers, preconditioners.
  - Performance-portable kernels.
- ***Advanced analysis*** capabilities:
  - Parameter estimation.
  - Uncertainty quantification (DAKOTA).
  - Optimization.
  - Sensitivity analysis.



* https://github.com/gahansen/Albany. **Finite Elements for Land Ice eXperiments

Appendix: First-Order (FO) Stokes Model

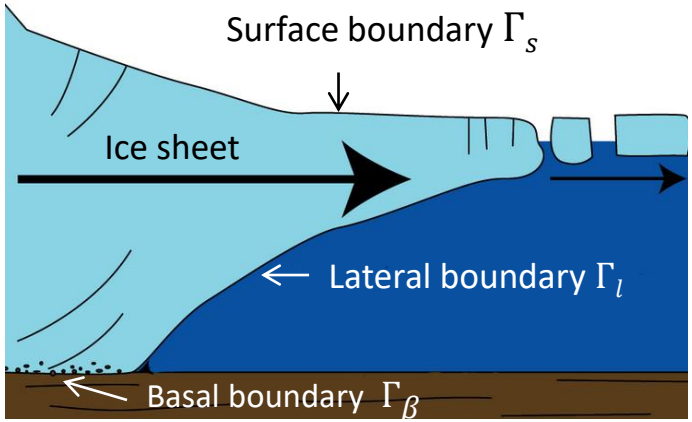
- Ice behaves like a very ***viscous shear-thinning fluid*** (similar to lava flow).
- ***Quasi-static*** model with ***momentum balance*** given by ***"First-Order" Stokes PDEs***: "nice" elliptic approximation* to Stokes' flow equations.

$$\begin{cases} -\nabla \cdot (2\mu\dot{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}}_1) = -\rho g \dfrac{\partial s}{\partial x} \\ -\nabla \cdot (2\mu\dot{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}}_2) = -\rho g \dfrac{\partial s}{\partial y} \end{cases}, \quad \text{in } \Omega$$

$$\dot{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}}_1{}^T = (2\dot{\epsilon}_{11} + \dot{\epsilon}_{22}, \dot{\epsilon}_{12}, \dot{\epsilon}_{13})$$
$$\dot{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}}_2{}^T = (2\dot{\epsilon}_{12}, \dot{\epsilon}_{11} + 2\dot{\epsilon}_{22}, \dot{\epsilon}_{23})$$
$$\dot{\epsilon}_{ij} = \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i}\right)$$

- Viscosity μ is nonlinear function given by "***Glen's law***":

$$\mu = \frac{1}{2} A(T)^{-\frac{1}{n}} \left(\frac{1}{2}\sum_{ij} \dot{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}}_{ij}{}^2\right)^{\left(\frac{1}{2n}-\frac{1}{2}\right)} \qquad (n = 3)$$



- Relevant boundary conditions:
  - ***Stress-free BC:*** $2\mu\dot{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}}_i \cdot \boldsymbol{n} = 0$, on Γ_s
  - ***Floating ice BC:*** $2\mu\dot{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}}_i \cdot \boldsymbol{n} = \begin{cases} \rho g z \boldsymbol{n}, & \text{if } z > 0 \\ 0, & \text{if } z \le 0 \end{cases}$, on Γ_l
  - ***Basal sliding BC:*** $2\mu\dot{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}}_i \cdot \boldsymbol{n} + \beta(x,y)u_i = 0$, on Γ_β

$\beta(x,y) =$ basal sliding coefficient

***Assumption:** aspect ratio δ is small and normals to upper/lower surfaces are almost vertical.

Appendix: *Kokkos*-ification of Finite Element Assembly (Example)

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```
typedef Kokkos::OpenMP ExecutionSpace;
//typedef Kokkos::CUDA ExecutionSpace;
//typedef Kokkos::Serial ExecutionSpace;
template<typename ScalarT>
vectorGrad<ScalarT>::vectorGrad()
{
Kokkos::View<ScalarT****, ExecutionSpace> vecGrad("vecGrad", numCells, numQP, numVec, numDim);
}
**********************************************
template<typename ScalarT>
void vectorGrad<ScalarT>::evaluateFields()
{
  Kokkos::parallel_for<ExecutionSpace> (numCells, *this);
}
**********************************************
template<typename ScalarT>
KOKKOS_INLINE_FUNCTION
void vectorGrad<ScalarT>:: operator() (const int cell) const
{
  for (int cell = 0; cell < numCells; cell++)
  for (int qp = 0; qp < numQP; qp++) {
    for (int dim = 0; dim < numVec; dim++) {
      for (int i = 0; i < numDim; i++) {
        for (int nd = 0; nd < numNode; nd++) {
          vecGrad(cell, qp, dim, i) += val(cell, nd, dim) * basisGrad(nd, qp, i);
} } } } }
```

ExecutionSpace parameter tailors code for device (e.g., OpenMP, CUDA, etc.)

Appendix: Ice Sheet Dynamic Equations

- Model for ***evolution of the boundaries*** (thickness evolution equation):

$$\frac{\partial H}{\partial t} = -\nabla \cdot (\bar{\boldsymbol{u}} H) + \dot{b}$$

where $\bar{\boldsymbol{u}}$ = vertically averaged velocity, $\dot{b}$ = surface mass balance (conservation of mass).

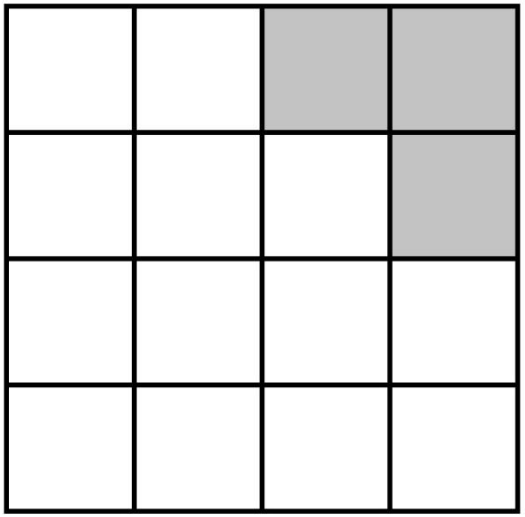
- ***Temperature equation*** (advection-diffusion):

$$\rho c \frac{\partial T}{\partial t} = \nabla \cdot (k \nabla T) - \rho c \boldsymbol{u} \cdot \nabla T + 2\dot{\boldsymbol{\epsilon}}\boldsymbol{\sigma}$$

(energy balance).

- ***Flow factor*** A in Glen's law depends on temperature T: $A = A(T)$.

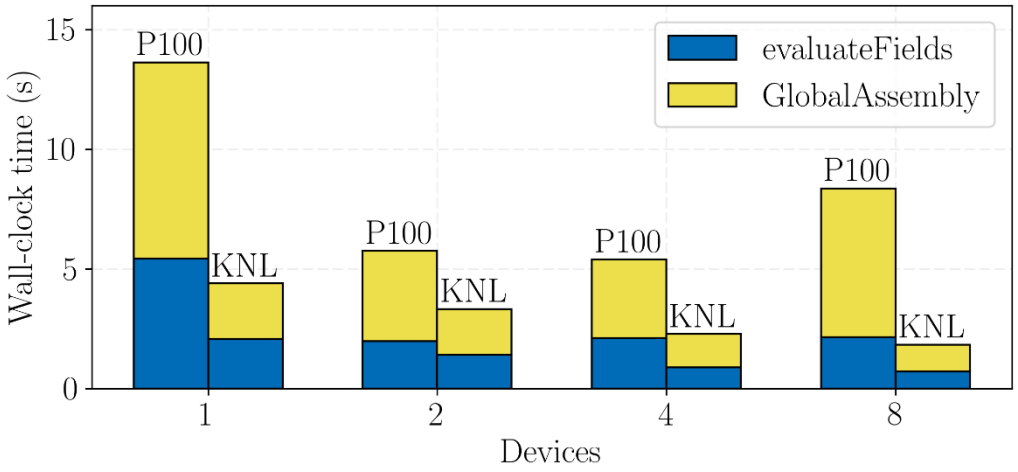
- Ice sheet ***grows/retreats*** depending on thickness H.



Ice-covered ("active") cells shaded in white ($H > H_{min}$)

Appendix: MPI+Device Scalability Study

Strong Scalability



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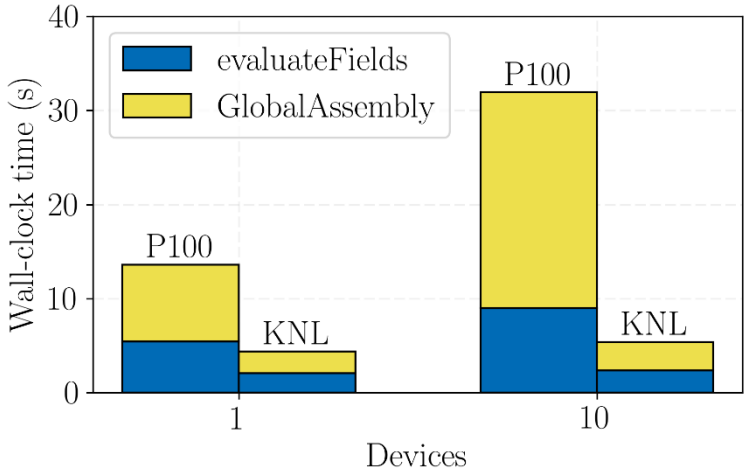

Device Comparison, P100 vs. KNL (GIS 4km-20km mesh)

1. Blue: mostly Residual/Jacobian computation, Yellow: mostly communication.

2. KNL performs better because of heavy use of MPI

3. P100 performance is hindered by communication cost
(worse when scaling because of lack of CUDA aware MPI)

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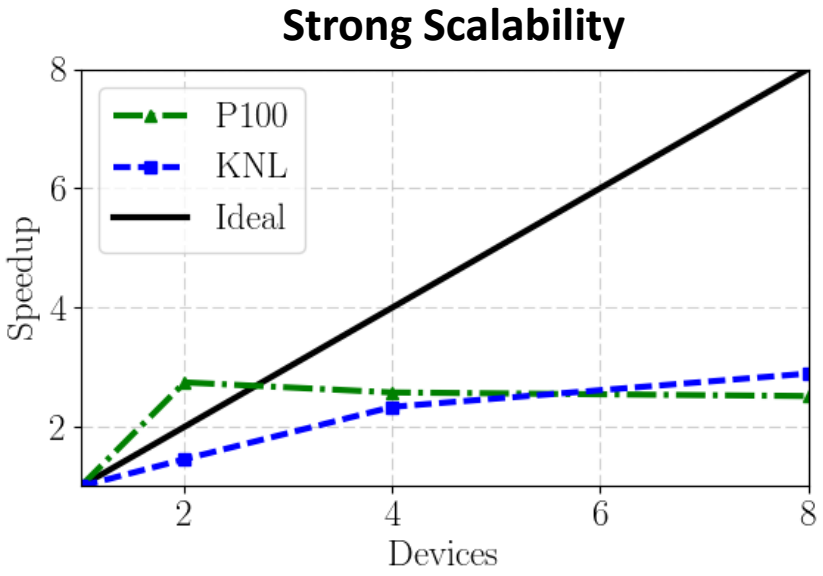

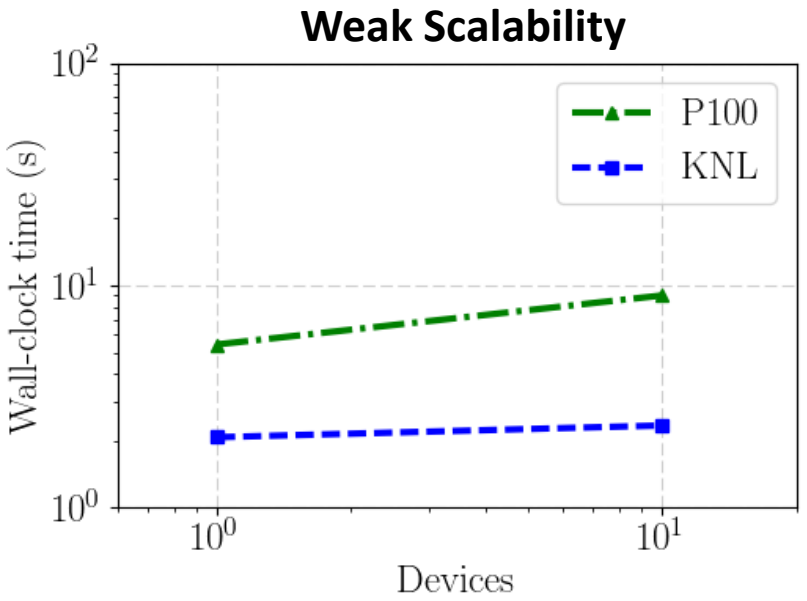

- Scalability of **GlobalAssembly + evaluateFields** is studied.
- **Strong Scalability** is for GIS 4km-20km tet mesh (1.51M elements).
- **Weak Scalability** is for GIS 4km-20km and 1km-7km (1.51M and 14.4M elements) tet meshes.
- KNL strong scaling **under investigation** – requires profiling.
- P100 results hindered by **communication cost** (worse when scaling b/c no CUDA-aware MPI)
  - Scalability can likely be improved by removing CUDA UVM.
- **Weak scaling** is comparable for P100 and KNL.
  - KNL performs **better** because of heavy use of MPI.

Appendix: Greenland Weak Scalability on *Titan*

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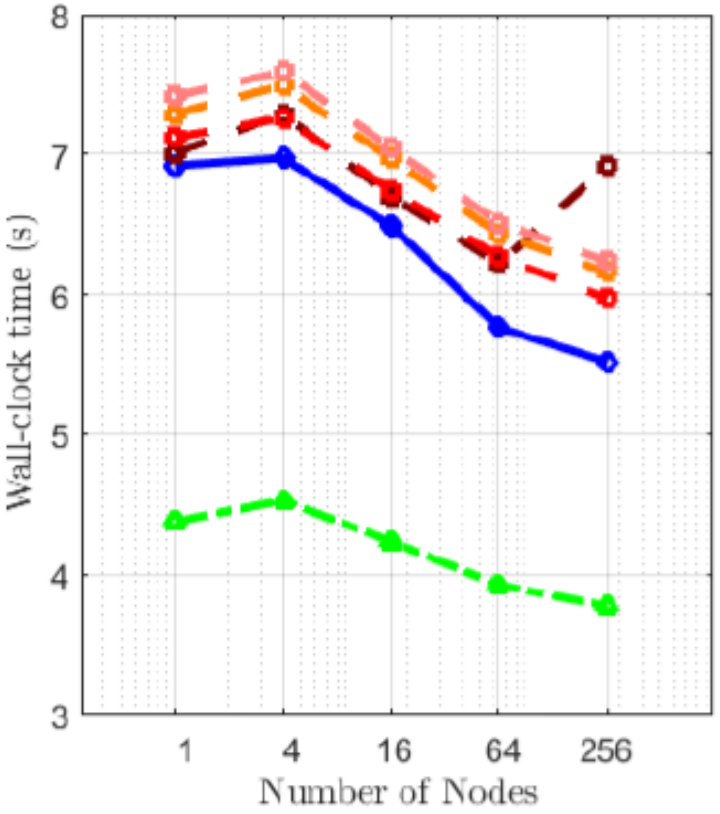
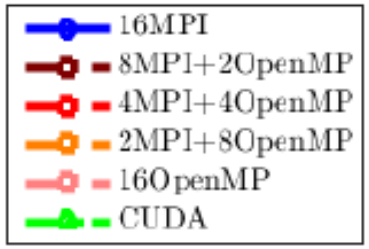
Weak scalability on *Titan* (16km, 8km, 4km, 2km, 1km Greenland)

Wall-clock Time: FEA

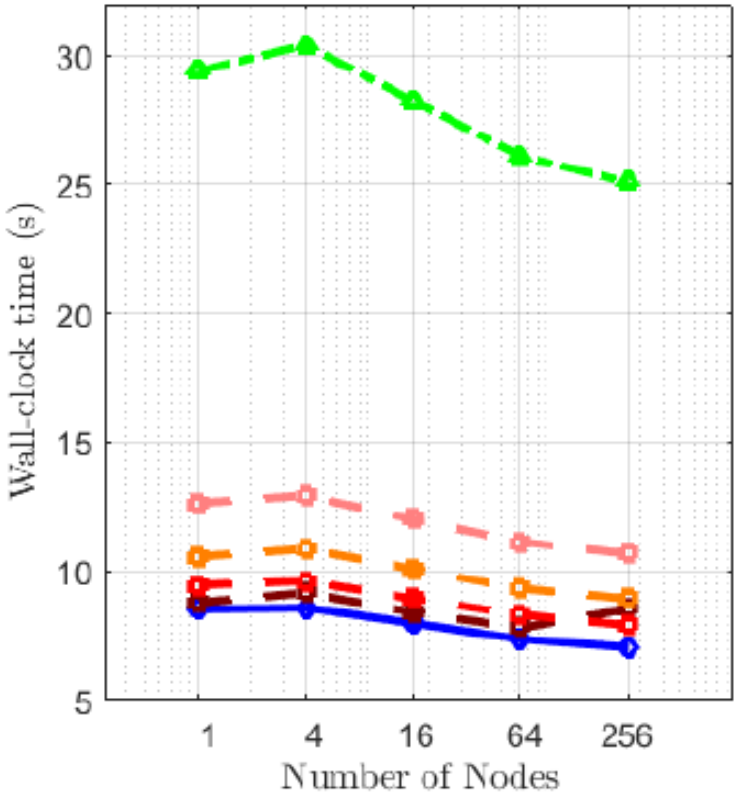




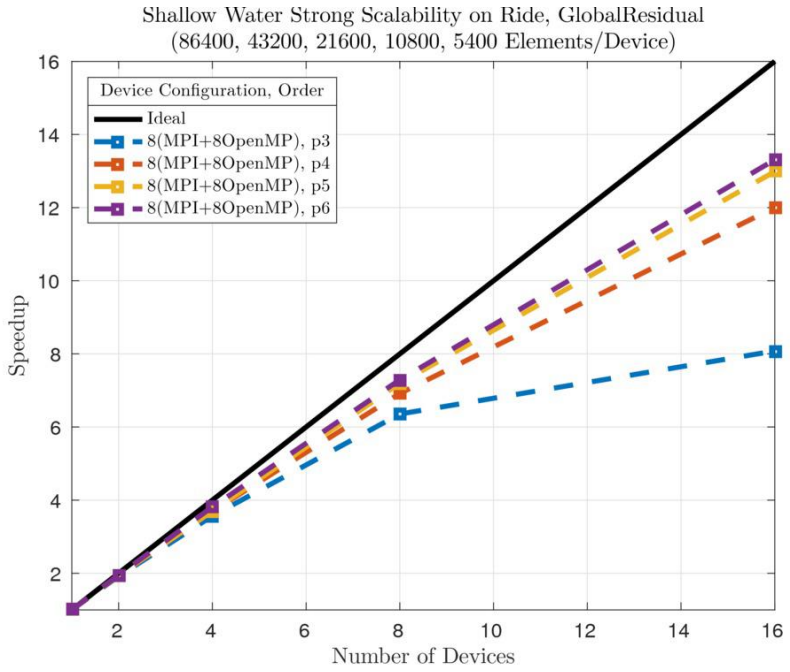
Titan: 18,688 AMD Opteron nodes

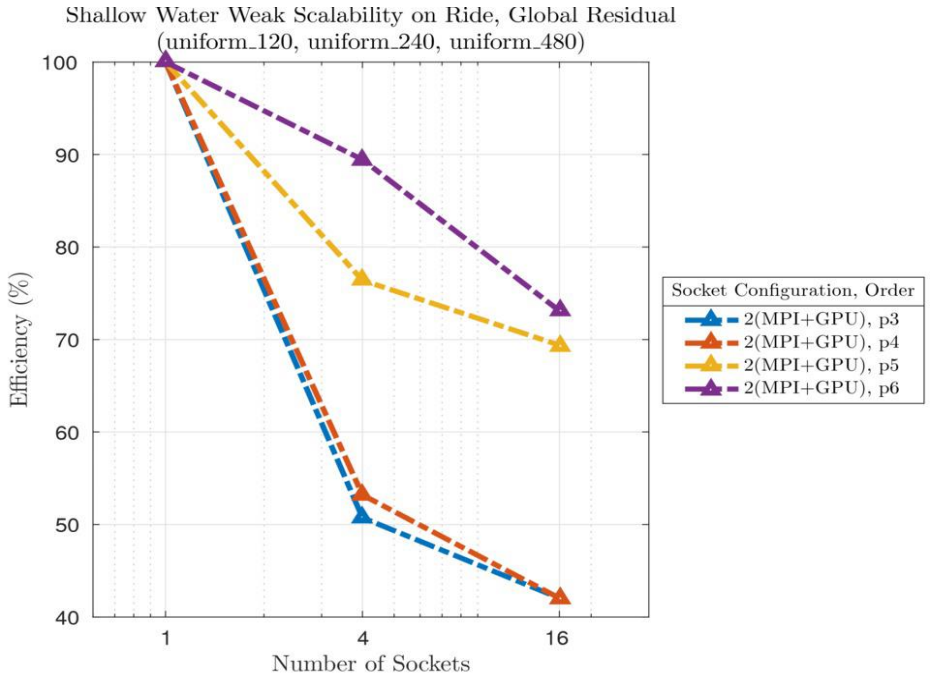
- 16 cores per node
- 1 K20X Kepler GPUs/ node
- 32GB + 6GB memory/ node

Wall-clock Time:
Total Time – Setup Time



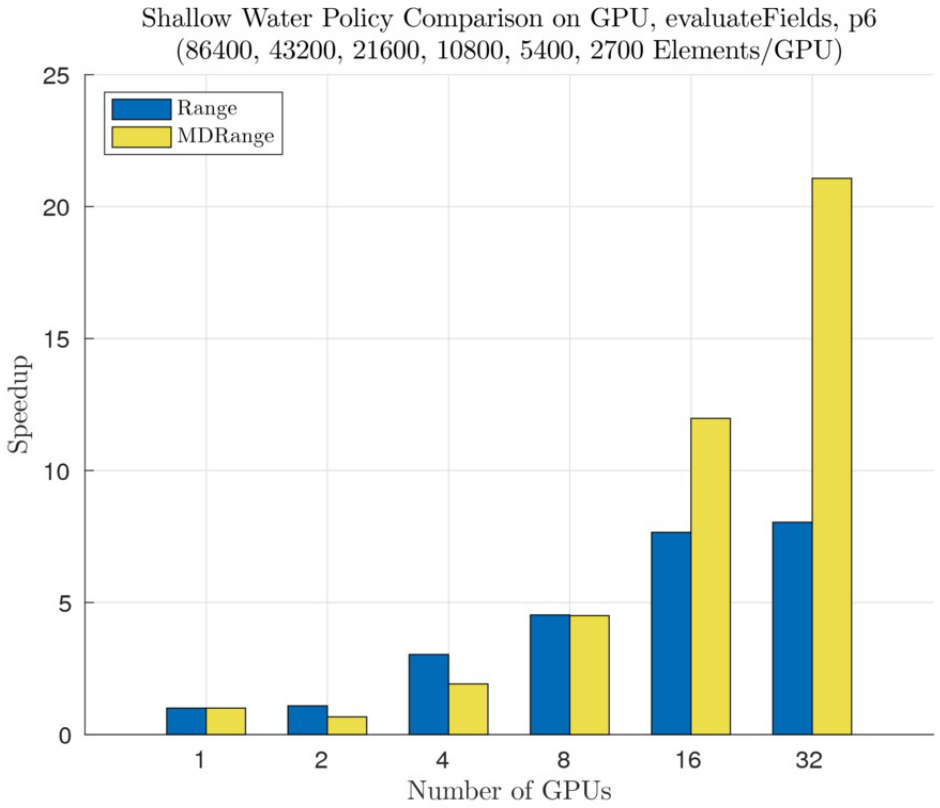
Appendix: Scalability with Increasing Order Elements





- ***Left:*** speedup plot shows benefit of using higher orders to obtain better strong scalability for MPI+OpenMP for Aeras atmosphere dycore shallow water test case.
- ***Right:*** weak scalability for MPI + GPU on the Ride for Aeras atmosphere dycore shallow water test case. Efficiency drops significantly for lower order elements, but GPU is better able to maintain weak scaling for higher order p6 spectral element.

Appendix: Kokkos Range vs. MDRange Policy



- Range vs. MDRange policy for shallow water test case in Aeras atmosphere dycore with p6 spectral element for MPI + GPU.

Appendix: Improved Linear Solver Performance through Hinge Removal

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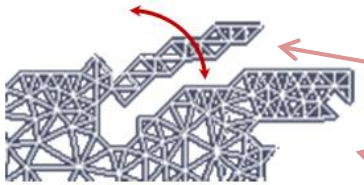
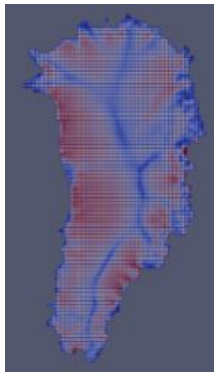
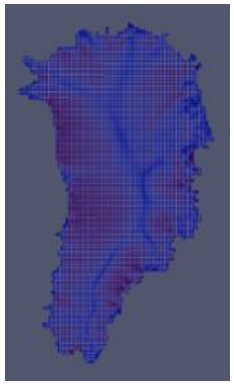
Islands and certain hinged peninsulas lead to **solver failures**



- We have developed an algorithm to detect/remove problematic ***hinged peninsulas*** & ***islands*** based on coloring and repeated use of connected component algorithms (Tuminaro *et al.*, 2016).
- Solves are ***~2x faster*** with hinges removed.
- Current implementation is MATLAB, but working on C++ implementation for integration into dycores.





Greenland Problem

Resolu-tion	ILU – hinges	ILU – no hinges	ML – hinges	ML – no hinges
8km/5 layers	878 sec, 84 iter/solve	693 sec, 71 iter/solve	254 sec, 11 iter/solve	220 sec, 9 iter/solve
4km/10 layers	1953 sec, 160 iter/solve	1969 sec, 160 iter/solve	285 sec, 13 iter/solve	245 sec, 12 iter/solve
2km/20 layers	10942 sec, 710 iter/solve	5576 sec, 426 iter/solve	482 sec, 24 iter/solve	294 sec, 15 iter/solve
1km/40 layers	--	15716 sec, 881 iter/solve	668 sec, 34 iter/solve	378 sec, 20 iter/solve