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GPU Benchmarking for Performance and NetZero at IRIS

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The Case for a GPU Benchmarking Suite at IRIS: Why It's Essential

- Most existing benchmarks are not **open-source or tailored to IRIS**
- **Understand Resource Usage**
- **Evaluate GPU performance** for IRIS workloads
- **To track CO2 emissions**
- **Informed Purchasing**

Project Aims

- **GPU benchmarking suite** tailored to IRIS workloads.
- **To assess different GPU performance and CO2 emissions.**



Accomplishments And Progress

- **Prototype GPU Benchmarking Suite** with integrated Mantid, SciML benchmarks.
- **Performance and CO2 Emission Tracking:** The suite assesses GPU performance (nvidia-smi) and tracks CO2 emissions (NESO API).
- **Grafana Dashboard:** To visualize and analysing benchmark performance data.

GitHub Repo and Documentation

IRIS Bench Repository: Access the benchmark suite.

Documentation: Includes installation, Docker files/Habor, command-line interface, and more.



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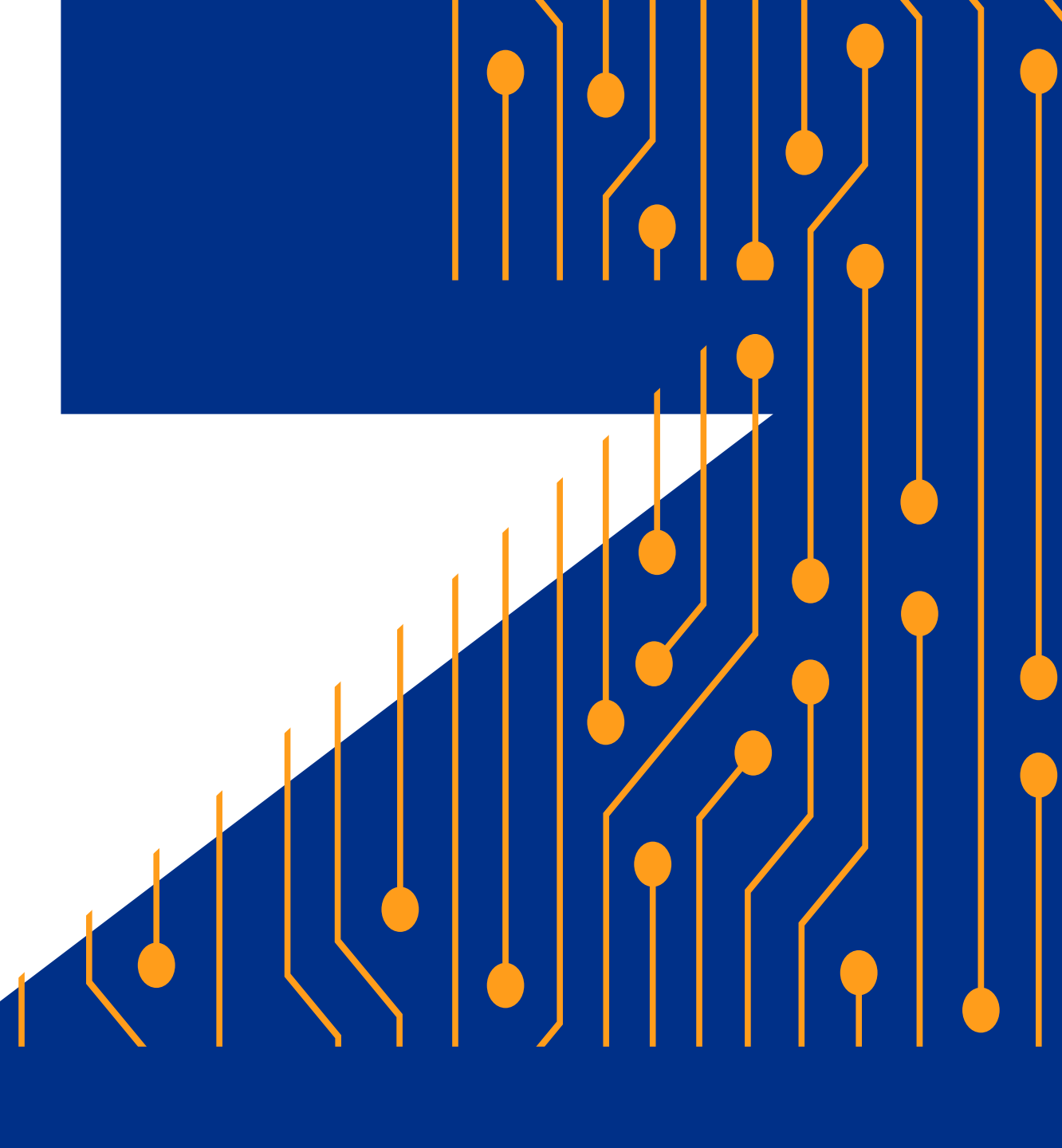
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Collecting Results



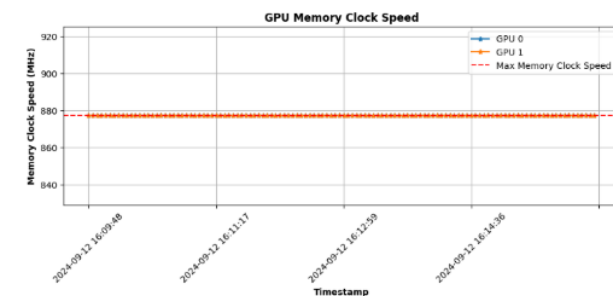
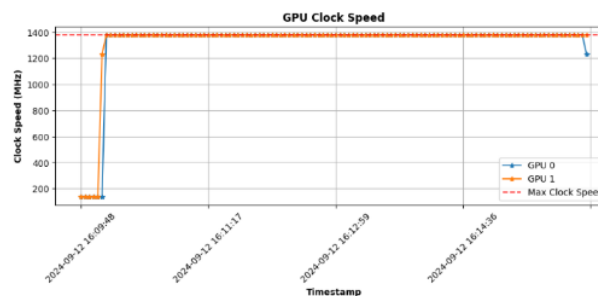
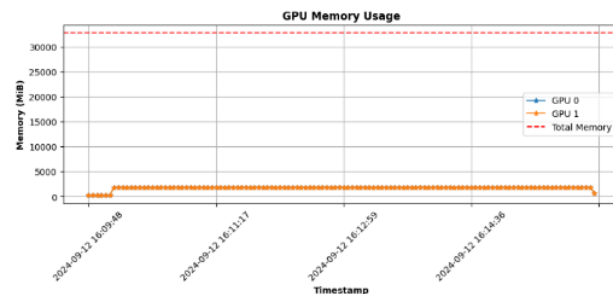
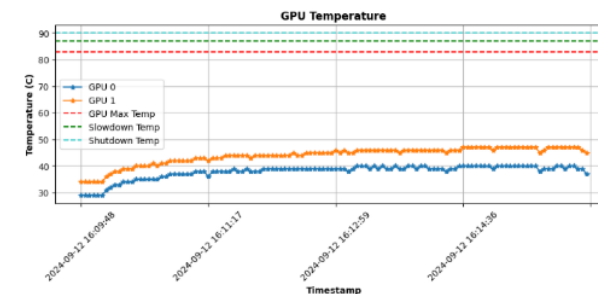
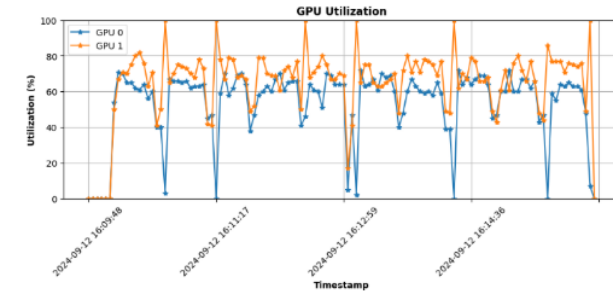
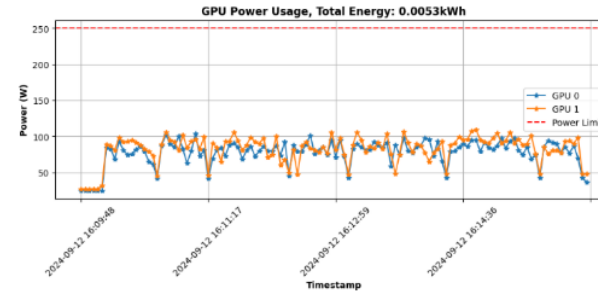
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Running a Benchmark on IRIS Bench

GPU and Carbon Performance Results	
Metric	Value
Benchmark:	stemdl_classification
Benchmark Score (s)	1053.29596
Elapsed Monitor Time (s)	1202.78311
Total GPU Energy Consumed (kWh)	0.00561
Total GPU Carbon Emissions (gCO2)	0.54695
Carbon Information	
Metric	Value
Average Carbon Forecast (gCO2/kWh)	97.5
Carbon Forecast Start Time	2024-09-11 14:25:55
Carbon Forecast End Time	2024-09-11 14:45:58
GPU Information	
Metric	Value
GPU Type	Tesla V100-PCIE-32GB
No. of GPUs	2
Average GPU Utilization (for >0.00% GPU Util.) (%)	43.03604
Average GPU Power (for >0.00% GPU Util.) (W)	65.31081 (Power Limit: 250)
Average GPU Temperature (for >0.00% GPU Util.) (°C)	38.58559
Temperature Threshold - Slowdown (°C)	87.00
Average GPU Memory (for >0.00% GPU Util.) (MiB)	1877.58896 (Total Memory: 32768.0)
Average Clock Speed (MHz)	1340.87 (Max: 1380.00)
Average Memory Clock Speed (MHz)	877.00 (Max: 877.00)



Grafana Dashboard for Performance Analysis and Comparison

Benchmark Results				
Time	GPU Type	Number of GPUs		Benchmark Score
2024-09-11 14:02:30	Quadro_RTX_4000	1		1037.06005
2024-09-11 13:45:00	Tesla_V100-PCIE-32GB	1		
2024-09-11 13:59:00	Tesla_V100-PCIE-32GB	2		812.68094
2024-09-11 13:52:30	NVIDIA_A100_80GB_PCIE	1		444.46629
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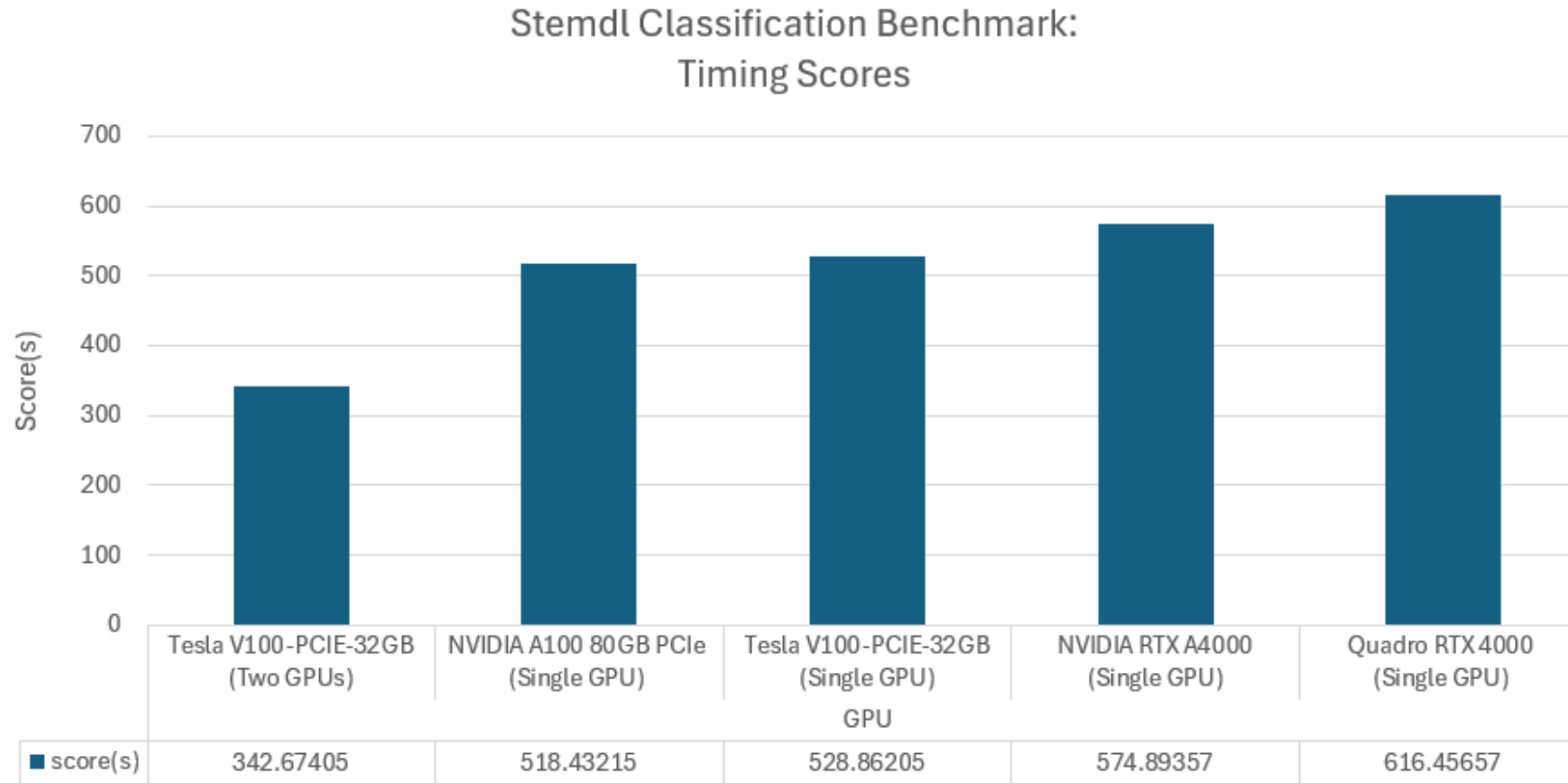
SciML Bench and MANTID Benchmark Results Examples



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SciML Bench - StemdlClassification

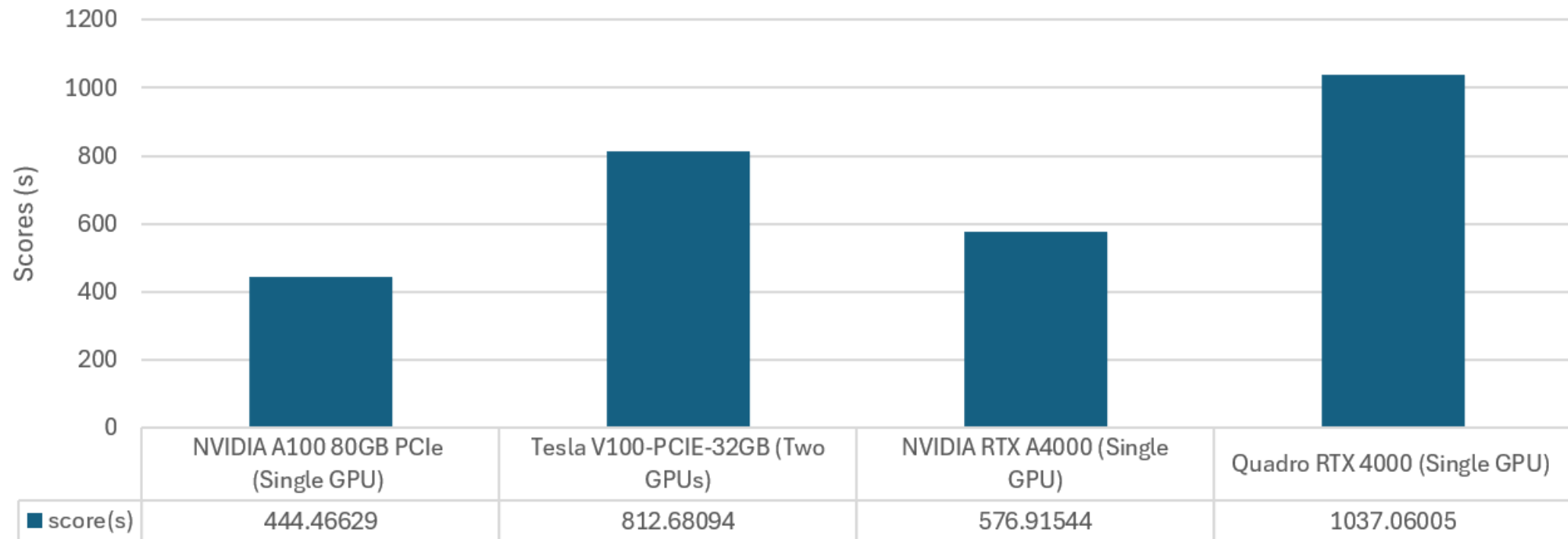


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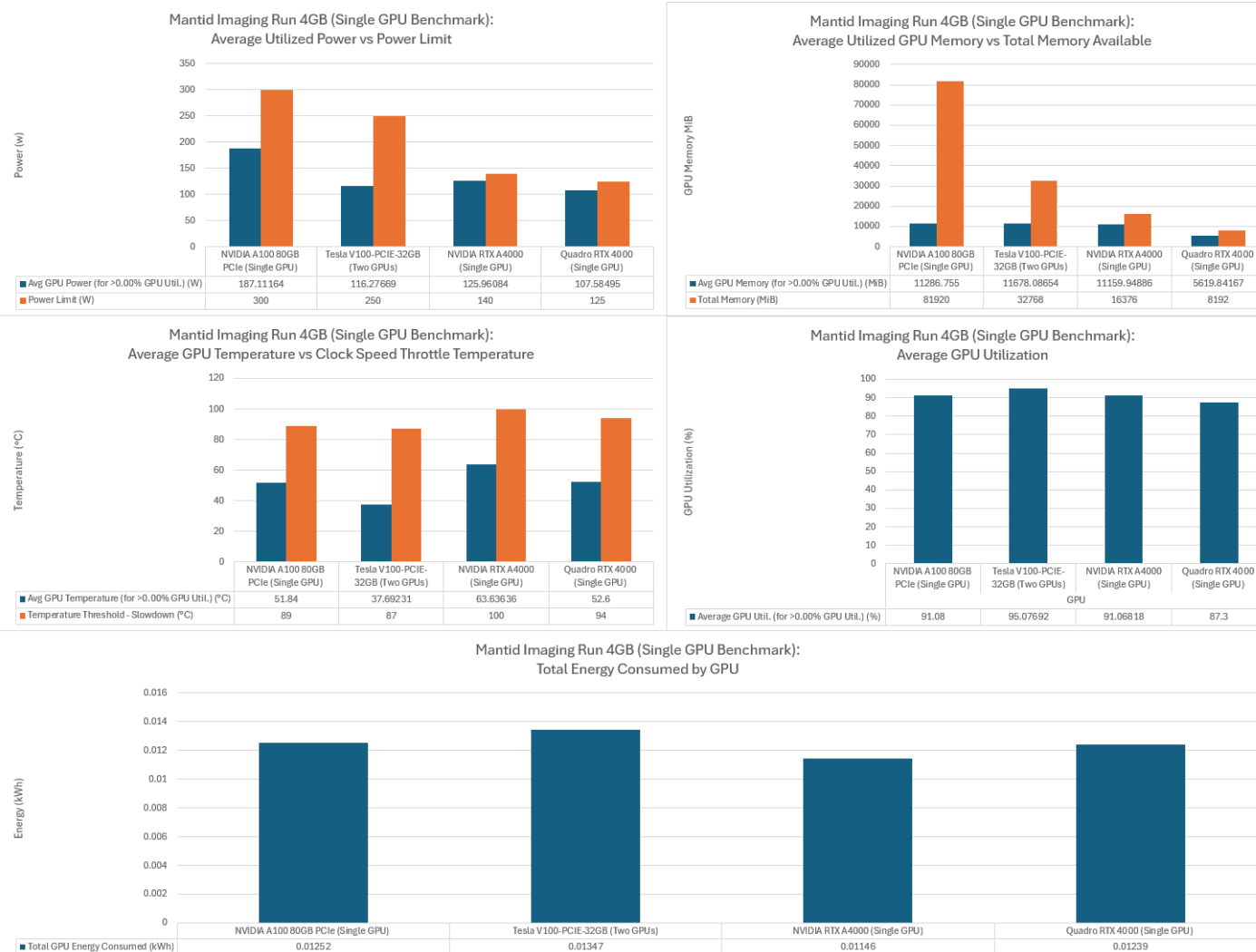


MANTID Imaging Benchmark 4GB Dataset

Mantid Imaging Run 4GB (Single GPU Benchmark):
Timing Scores



MANTID Imaging Benchmark 4GB Dataset





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Future Work: Improvements to the GPU Benchmarking Suite

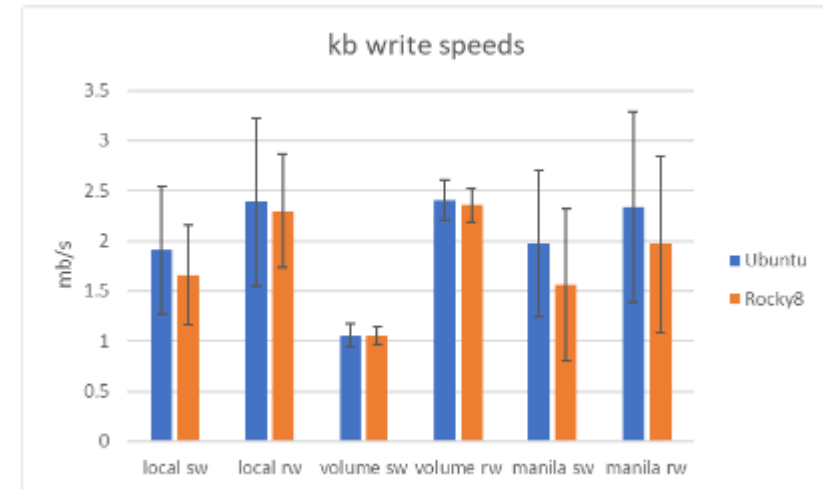


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Improvements to the GPU Benchmarking Suite

- Integrating with [Meerkat](#)
- Work with IRIS users to integrate more of their benchmarks
- Overall Score (Normalize)
- FLOP Estimates (+ Efficiency scores)
- Integrate CPU, Storage and Memory Benchmarks
- Carbon and Cost Forecasting (Next Section)



Meerkat Storage Benchmark by Chris Green
from Cloud Operations Group



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Future Work: Optimizing Energy-Intensive Tasks

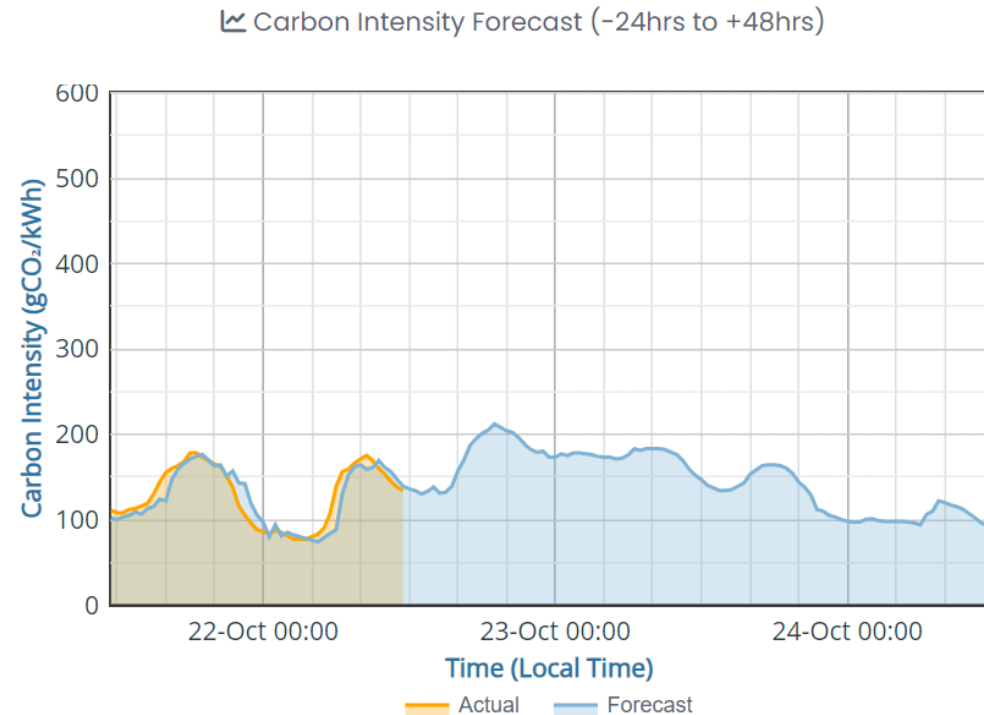


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Carbon Emission per kWh Forecasting

- **NESO API**
- **Regional Optimization:**
Select times with lower carbon intensity
- **Regional Scheduling:**
Select regions with lower carbon intensity (e.g., Daresbury vs. RAL).



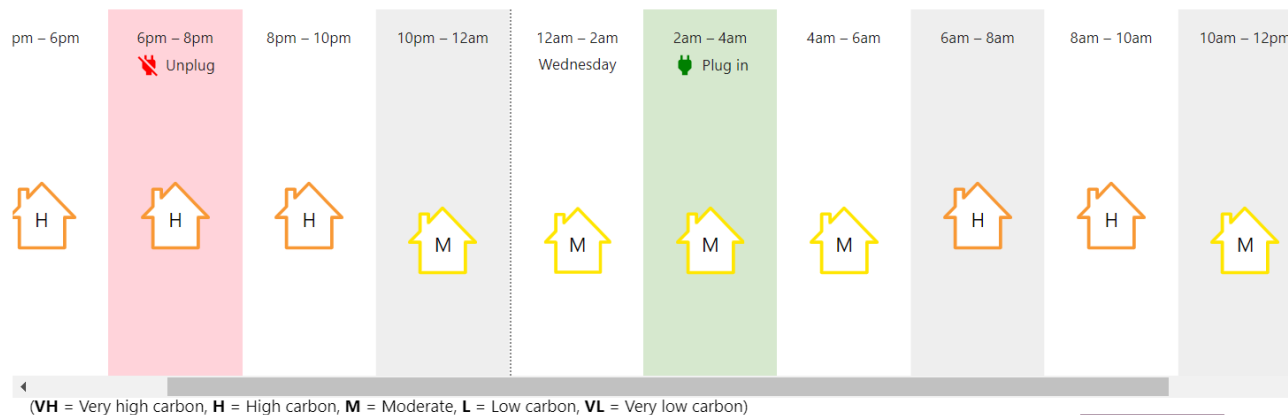
Carbon Intensity Forecast from NESO API

Financial Cost Forecasting

- [Imperial College London API](#): Forecast energy costs (pence/kWh)
- Use forecasts to schedule tasks during low-cost periods.

Combining Carbon and Cost Forecasting with IRIS Bench UI

- Displays **runtime with carbon emissions, costs forecasts** for various times and regions (if possible)
- **GPU options with performance** for similar workloads
- (option for **automated scheduling**)



Additional Carbon, Financial / Ethical Costs (Beyond Power)

- **Fixed Costs:** Includes initial purchase, maintenance, and infrastructure costs, depreciation value
- **Idle Costs:** Value lost when GPUs remain unused but still incur depreciation and infrastructure costs
- **Loss of potential research opportunity** (Idle Cost).
- **Embodied Carbon:** Emissions from GPU manufacturing and delivery.

$$\left(\frac{\text{time used}}{\text{lifetime}} \times \text{total fixed cost of running} \right) - \left(\frac{\text{time idle}}{\text{lifetime}} \times \text{cost of idle time} \right)$$

Want More Information?

- Explore the [repo and documentation](#) for detailed guidance.
- Review the [IRIS Bench Report](#) for more insights into project research, accuracy considerations, carbon and benchmarking considerations.



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Questions?





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