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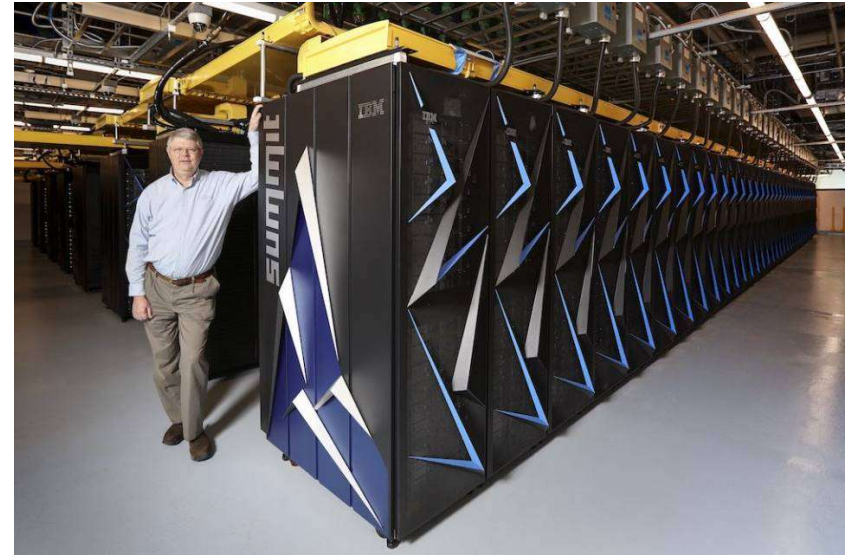
Python on Gbar (HPC)

Summary

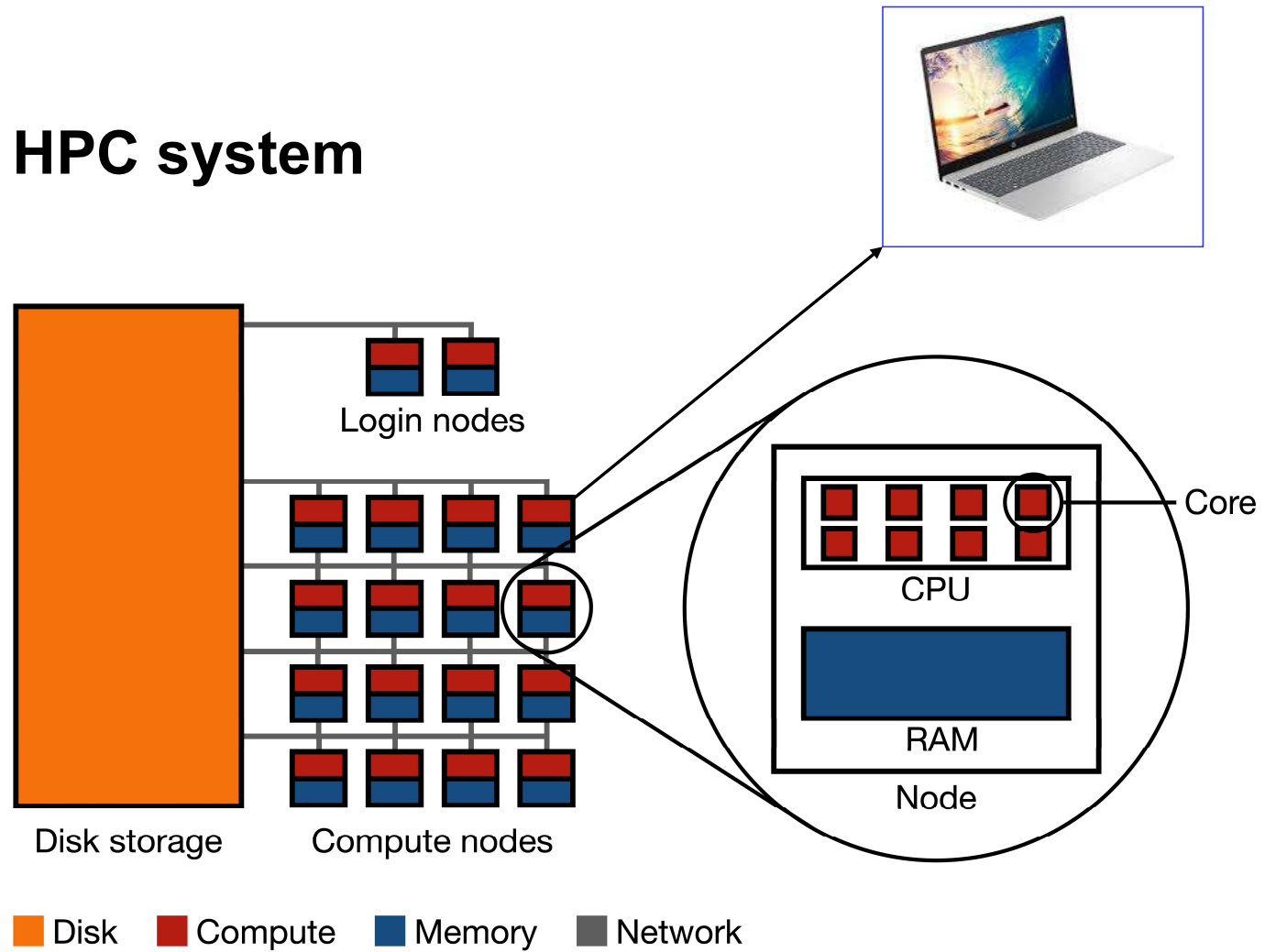
- Introduction to HPC systems
- HPC concepts
- Demo and course evaluation

What is a HPC system?

- High Performance Computing
- The main goal is to run code in parallel for different purposes: Numerical Weather Prediction models, training ML algorithms, etc
- They need a very controlled environment of humidity and temperature and have huge and efficient cooling systems
- New prototypes are tested under special liquids for improving cooling



The HPC system



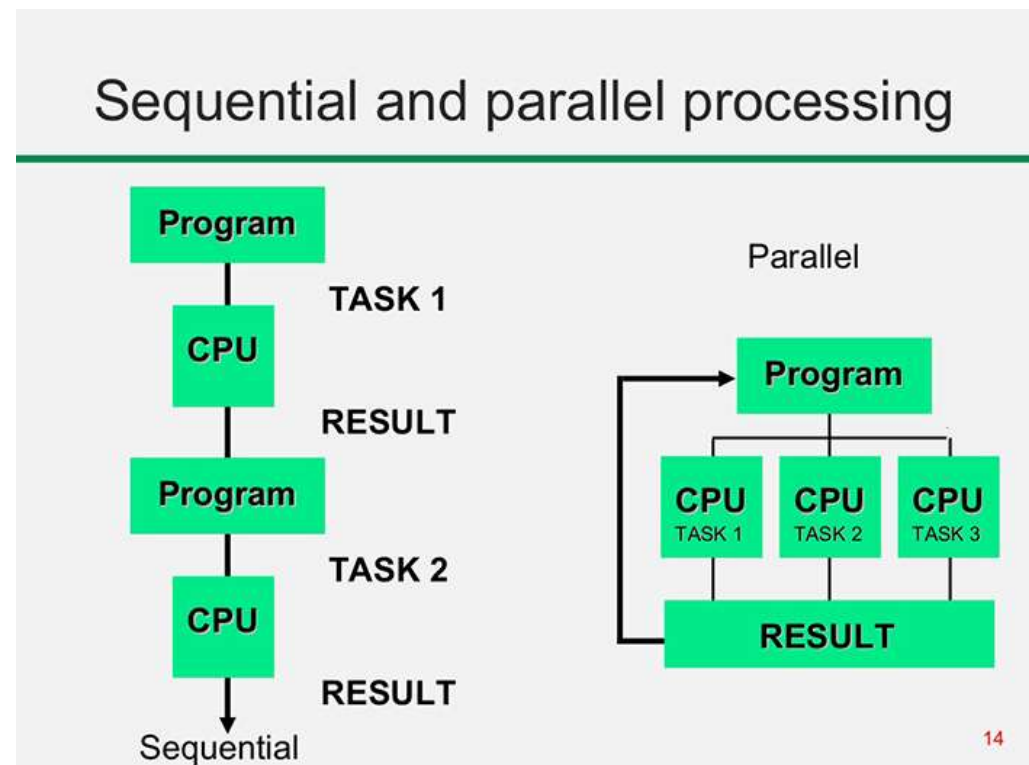
A single HPC node vs my laptop

| | CPU's | RAM |
|------------|-------|------------|
| My laptop | 4 | 16 GB |
| HPC Gbar | 20 | 250 GB |
| HPC Sophia | 32 | 125-250 GB |

| | Total CPU's | Total RAM | HPC total disk |
|------------|-------------|-----------|----------------|
| HPC Gbar | ~7,840 | ~2.8 TB | 2.02 PB |
| HPC Sophia | 16,512 | 69 TB | 6.15 PB |

What's the advantage of a HPC system?

- Is a HPC system always faster than our laptop?: **No**
- Parallel programming is the key



DEMO (all together)

But first let's take 10 minutes and fill out the course evaluation:
<https://evaluating.dtu.dk/>



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