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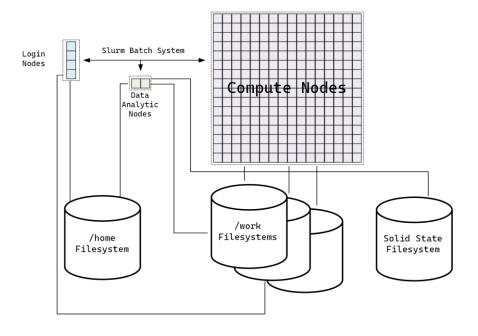




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### Hardware

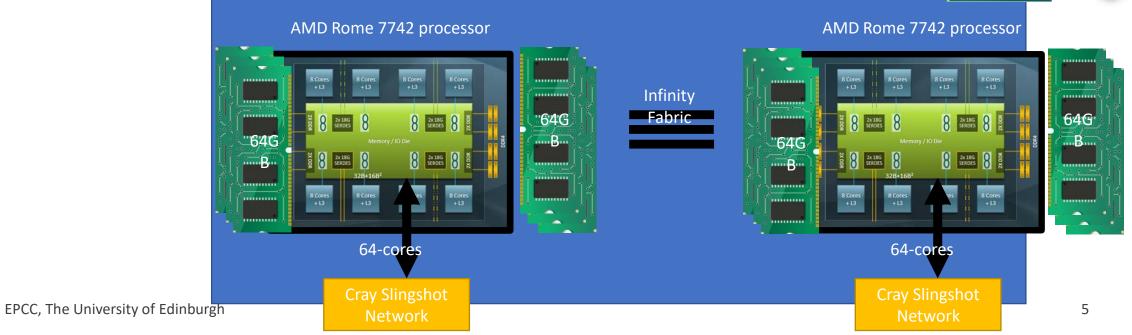
- ARCHER2 is composed of:
  - 5,860 compute nodes
  - High performance network
  - home filesystem
  - work filesystem
  - 4 login nodes
  - 2 data analytics nodes
- Filesystems
  - /home: 1 PB network filesystem
    - Available on login and data analysis nodes
  - /work: 14.5 PB lustre filesystem
    - Available on login, data analysis and compute nodes
  - Solid state storage: 1.1 PB NVMe storage



### Hardware

- Nodes comprise of:
  - 128 processor cores:
    - 2x AMD EPYC Zen2 (Rome) 7742, 2.25 GHz, 64-core
  - 256/512 GB DDR 3200, 8 memory channels
    - 300 high memory nodes (512 GB)





### Software

- Linux operating system
  - HPE Cray Linux Environment (based on SLES 15)
- Slurm scheduler
  - Access compute and data nodes
- Three compilers
  - Cray: crayftn, craycc, crayCC
  - GNU: gfortran, gcc, g++
  - AMD: clang, clang++, flang
- HPE/Cray MPI and communication libraries
- HPE Cray scientific and numerical libraries:
  - HPE Cray LibSci: BLAS, LAPACK, ScaLAPACK
  - FFTW 3
  - NetCDF
  - HDF5
  - etc...
  - cray-python
- Programming tools:
  - gdb4hpc parallel debugger
  - valgrind4hpc parallel memory debugging
  - STAT stack trace analysis tool
  - ATP abnormal program termination analysis tool
  - HPE Cray Performance Analysis Toolkit (CrayPAT)
- https://docs.archer2.ac.uk/

## Usage



- Login nodes for compilation and general development
- Data nodes for longer running data movement/processing tasks (limited amounts of resources)
- Compute nodes for everything else
  - Compute nodes require runtime budget
- Usage of cores is restricted
  - Login nodes have fair share
  - Compute nodes having binding/placement enforcement

# Batch system

- Full configuration details
  - https://docs.archer2.ac.uk/user-guide/scheduler/

```
#!/bin/bash
#SBATCH --job-name=xthi
#SBATCH --nodes=2
#SBATCH --tasks-per-node=128
#SBATCH --partition=standard
#SBATCH --qos=short
#SBATCH --account=z19
srun -n 256 ./xthi
```