

# HPC

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Supercomputer e calcolo parallelo. Come i computer simulano e risolvono i problemi di fluidodinamica, metereologia, prospezioni petrolifere, biologia, crash-test. Appliciamo gli stessi metodi per sfruttare al meglio i nostri computer.

- High Performance Computer : Supercomputer
- High Performance Computing : Parallel
- High Throughput Computing : BOINC (distributed computing)

# Definition

**HPC** High Performance Computing most generally refers to the practice of aggregating computing power in a way that delivers much higher performance than one could get out of a typical desktop computer or workstation in order to solve large problems in science, engineering, or business.



**HPC** Con High Performance Computing (HPC) (in italiano calcolo ad elevate prestazioni), in informatica, ci si riferisce alle tecnologie utilizzate da computer cluster per creare dei sistemi di elaborazione in grado di fornire delle prestazioni molto elevate nell'ordine dei PetaFLOPS, ricorrendo tipicamente al calcolo parallelo.

# FLOPS

- <https://it.wikipedia.org/wiki/FLOPS>
- FLOPS Unit [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Unit\\_prefix](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Unit_prefix)

## Metric prefixes in everyday use

Text	Symbol	Factor	Power
yotta	Y	1000000000000000000000000	10E24
zetta	Z	100000000000000000000000	10E21
exa	E	10000000000000000000000	10E18
peta	P	1000000000000000000 (Summit 143)	10E15
tera	T	1000000000000	10E12
giga	G	1000000000 (PC 60)	10E9
mega	M	1000000	10E6
kilo	k	1000	10E3
hecto	h	100	10E2
deca	da	10	10E1
(none)	(none)	1	10E0

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# Local FLOPS using HPL/Linpack

- Rate Your PC <http://hpl-calculator.sourceforge.net/>

## Netlib Linpack

- 1 Get HPL from Netlib <http://www.netlib.org/benchmark/hpl/>
- 2 Build HPL.dat [https://www.advancedclustering.com/act\\_kb/tune-hpl-dat-file/](https://www.advancedclustering.com/act_kb/tune-hpl-dat-file/)  

```
cd ~/GIT/Polito-HPC/hpl-2.3/testing  
mpirun -np 2 ./xhpl
```

## Intel Linpack

- 1 Download/Extract Intel Linpack <https://tinyurl.com/hsz5btb>  

```
cd ~/GIT/Polito-HPC/l_mklb_p_2018.3.011  
cd benchmarks_2018/linux/mkl/benchmarks/linpack  
./runme_xeon64
```

# TOP\_500

- TOP\_500 <https://www.top500.org/>
- 1-10 LIST
- 1-100



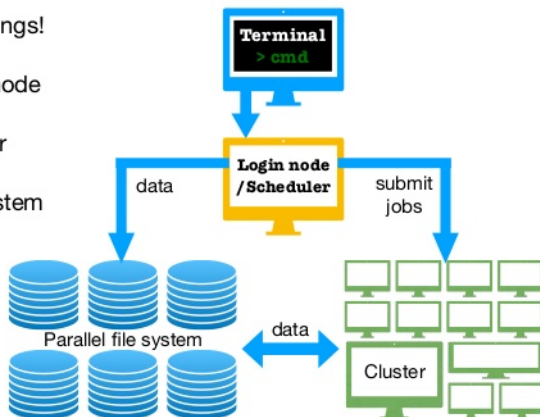


# Hardware components

- Power Supply : 10MW (Medium Town)
- Space and Cooling
- Box: IBM, Cray, Fujitsu, Lenovo, HPE, Bull, Dell
- CPU: IBM, Intel, AMD, ARM, Custom
- GPU: AMD, NVIDIA
- Network
  - Mellanox Infiniband
  - Intel OmniPath
  - Ethernet > 10GBit
- Shared Filesystem
  - NFS (Mostly Read)
  - pNFS
  - Lustre
  - Gluster
  - BeeGFS
  - Ceph
- A Lot of \$\$\$

# Components of HPC cluster

- Just 3 things!
  - Headnode
  - Cluster
  - Filesystem



- Useful Tools to manage / use a HPC Cluster
  - Manage : Ansible
  - Archive : GIT
  - Container: Docker, Singularity, Podman
  - Monitor : Zabbix, Nagios, Ganglia
  - Job Scheduler : Slurm,PBS/Torque,Grid Engine)

# Software Components

- Application Code (rewritten from Serial to Parallel)
- Libraries for IPC
- Libraries to use GPU: CUDA, OpenCL
- IDE
- GUI to High Level Tools (Jupyter Notebook)

# Questions



# IPC - Inter Process Communication

- shared files / memory + semaphores
- pipes (named, unnamed) (link)
- message queues (unidirectional)
- sockets (memory, network) (bi-directional)
- signals (link)
- RPC (link)
  - ONC/RPC, XML-RPC -> SOAP, CORBA, JSON-RPC, gRPC

# Approaches to message passing

**PVM Parallel Virtual Machine** is a software tool for parallel networking of computers. It is designed to allow a network of heterogeneous Unix and/or Windows machines to be used as a single distributed parallel processor. PVM was a step towards modern trends in distributed processing and grid computing but has, since the mid-1990s, largely been supplanted by the much more successful MPI standard

**MPI Message Passing Interface** is a standardized and portable message-passing standard

- Implementations
  - MPICH
  - MVAPICH
  - OpenMPI
  - Commercial : Intel, HP, Microsoft

## MPI - Single Node



# Compile and Run - Hello World

```
int main ( int argc, char *argv[] );  
{  
    printf ( "  Hello, world!\n" );  
  
    return 0;  
}
```

- mpicc -o hello hello.c
- mpirun hello (man mpirun)
- mpirun --use-hwthread-cpus hello
- mpirun --use-hwthread-cpus -np 4 -tag-output hello
- mpirun --use-hwthread-cpus -np 4 --bind-to hwthread  
-report-bindings -tag-output hello

# Compile and Run - hello\_mpi

- hello\_mpi.c (*see on Editor*)
- mpicc -o hello\_mpi hello\_mpi.c
- mpirun hello\_mpi
- mpirun --use-hwthread-cpus -np 4 hello\_mpi
- mpirun --use-hwthread-cpus --bind-to hwthread -np 4  
-report-bindings hello\_mpi

# Output of hello\_mpi

Process 3 says 'Hello, world!'

Process 2 says 'Hello, world!'

Process 1 says 'Hello, world!'

HELLO\_MPI - Master process:

C/MPI version

An MPI example program.

The number of processes is 4.

Process 0 says 'Hello, world!'

Elapsed wall clock time = 0.000342 seconds.

HELLO\_MPI - Master process:

Normal end of execution: 'Goodbye, world!'

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# Compile and Run - ring

- ring\_c.c (*see on Editor*)
- mpicc -o ring\_c ring\_c.c
- mpirun --use-hwthread-cpus --bind-to hwthread -np 4  
-report-bindings ring\_c

# Compile and Run - Search Serial

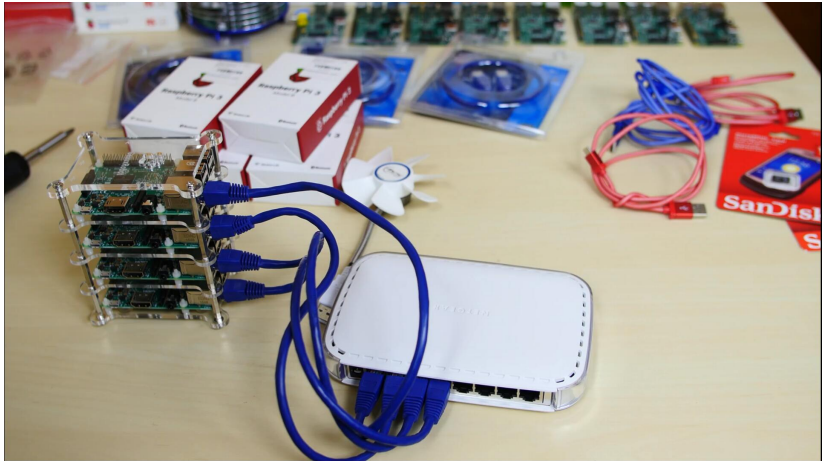
- search\_serial.c (*see on Editor*)
- gcc -Ofast -o search\_serial search\_serial.c
- ./search\_serial
- Elapsed CPU time is 23.3898

# Compile and Run - Search MPI

- `search_mpi.c` (*see on Editor*)
- `mpicc -Ofast -o search_mpi search_mpi.c`
- (*use `nmon` to see CPU load*)
- `mpirun --bind-to hwthread -np 3 search_mpi`
- Elapsed wallclock time is 7 / 15.3633

# MPI - MultiNode

## MPI - Multinode



# HPC Build Your Own

- <http://www.admin-magazine.com/HPC/Articles/Building-an-HPC-Cluster>
- [http://hpc.fs.unilj.si/sites/default/files/HPC\\_for\\_dummies.pdf](http://hpc.fs.unilj.si/sites/default/files/HPC_for_dummies.pdf)
- <https://openhpc.community/downloads/>
- <https://opensource.com/article/18/1/how-build-hpc-system-raspberry-pi-and-openhpc>
- <http://bccd.net/>
- <https://www.rocksclusters.org/>
- <https://pelicanhpc.org/>
- AWS, Azure, GCloud, VMware, IBM, Oracle



PelicanHPC

<https://www.pelicanhpc.org/index.html>



# PelicanHPC over VM

- `cd hpl-2.0`
- `sh SetupForPelican`
- `cd bin/Pelican`
- `mpirun --hostfile /home/user/tmp/bhosts -np 2 xhpl`
- `mpirun --hostfile /home/user/tmp/bhosts -np 4 xhpl`

# MPI on multiple Nodes

- `mpicc -o hello hello.c`
  - `mpirun hello`
- `mpicc -o hello_mpi hello_mpi.c`
  - `mpirun hello_mpi`
- `mpicc -o ring_c ring_c.c`
  - `mpirun --hostfile /home/user/tmp/bhosts -np 4 ring_c`
- `gcc -Ofast -o search_serial search_serial.c`
  - `./search_serial`
- `mpicc -Ofast -o search_mpi search_mpi.c`
  - *(use nmon to see CPU load)*
  - `mpirun -hostfile /home/user/tmp/bhosts -np 3 search_mpi`

# Queuing System

- Rosetta

<https://confluence.desy.de/display/IS/SLURM+Rosetta>

- Job submission
- Job deletion
- Job status

# Submit Job

```
#!/usr/bin/env bash
# My Job Template
# These are Instructions for the Queuing system
#PBS -q my_preferred_queue
#PBS -l place=excl
#PBS -o JobNameResult.out
#PBS -e JobNameResult.err
#PBS -N JobName
#PBS -l select=3:ncpus=16:mem=50gb
# Keep NCPUs aligned with PBS Request ...
NCPU=$(( 3 * 16 ))
# This is the script
echo 'Running Job: $PBS_JOBNAME $PBS_JOBID in $PBS_O_WORKDIR'
cd $PBS_O_WORKDIR
mpirun -np $NCPU -hostfile $PBS_NODEFILE /Path/To/MyProgram
```

- HPC @ Polito <http://hpc.polito.it/>
- <https://openhpc.community>
- <https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikibooks/it/8/83/Supercomputer.pdf>

# Questions



- DoIT - <http://www.doit-systems.it>
- DoIT - Work With US



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- Slides on GIT: <https://github.com/JCN-9000/Polito-HPC>



# Bonus Slides

- <https://github.com/jupyter/jupyter/wiki/A-gallery-of-interesting-Jupyter-Notebooks>

**Tensorflow** `docker run -it --rm -p 8888:8888 --mount  
type=bind,source=/home/avaresio/GIT/Polito-  
HPC/Jupyter,destination=/home/jovyan/work  
jupyter/tensorflow-notebook start.sh jupyter lab`

**DataScience** `docker run -it --rm -p 8888:8888 --mount  
type=bind,source=/home/avaresio/GIT/Polito-  
HPC/Jupyter,destination=/home/jovyan/work  
jupyter/datascience-notebook start.sh jupyter lab`

# Presentation Tools used

## TXT2TAGS(git) + LaTeX Beamer

```
alias S='/home/avaresio/GIT/txt2tags/txt2tags -t txt2t Slides
pandoc -s -t beamer -V theme:Copenhagen -V colortheme:wolverine
sed -i "/^ *:$/" Slides.tex
sed -i "/^ *-$/d" Slides.tex
sed -i "/^ *+$/d" Slides.tex
sed -i "/^ *- - :$/d" Slides.tex
pdflatex Slides.tex > Slides.plog
rm Slides{.out,.vrb,.toc,.snm,.nav,.aux,.log,.plog}'
```

## Impressive

```
alias I='impressive --noquit -f -d 1:30:00 -M -g 1024x768 \
--page-progress --time-display --tracking \
-u 10 Slides.pdf &'
```

# Skip

# PelicanHPC over Virtualbox

- `sudo apt update`
- `sudo apt install libatlas3-base`
- `sudo apt install gpm`