



DAOS & DATA SERVICES BOF

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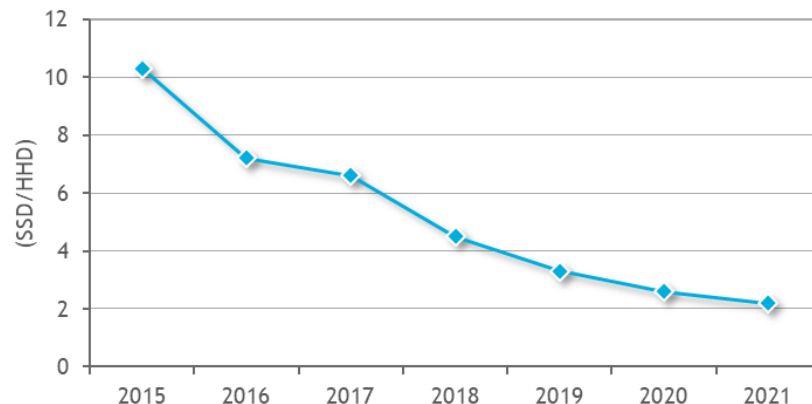
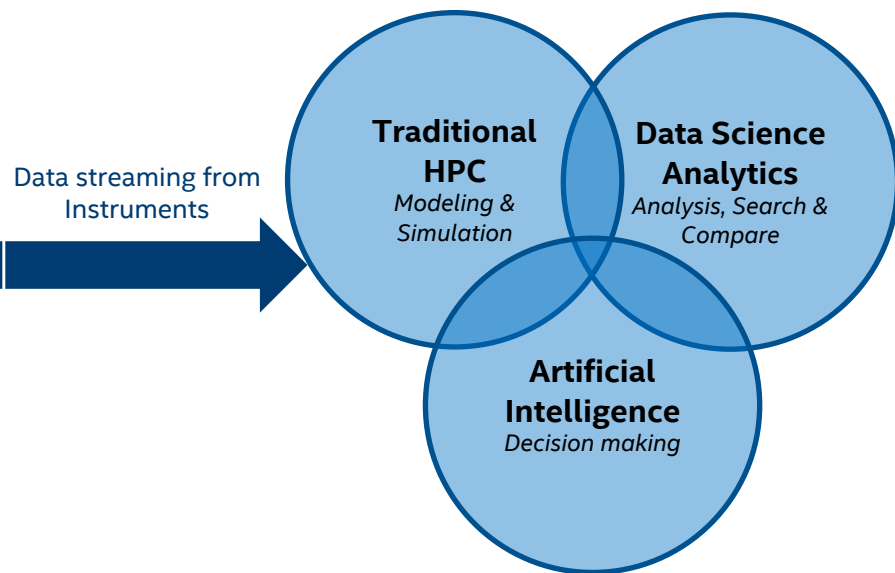
Extreme Storage Architecture & Development (ESAD)

- Part of Extreme Computing Organization (ECO)
- Formerly called High Performance Data Division (HPDD)
- New storage semantics for Exascale HPC, Big Data & AI
- Open-source userspace I/O
 - Distributed Asynchronous Object Storage (DAOS)
 - I/O Forwarding (IOF)

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- Lead ESAD architect
- Previously worked on Lustre (CFS, Sun, Oracle, Whamcloud & Intel)

NEXTGEN STORAGE SYSTEMS



SSD vs HDD Pricing (per-GB ratio)
Source: Hyperion Resources, IDC, Stifel 2018

DAOS PROJECT HISTORY

2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
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Fast Forward Storage & I/O

Extreme Scale Storage & I/O

Stabilization & new features for Exascale

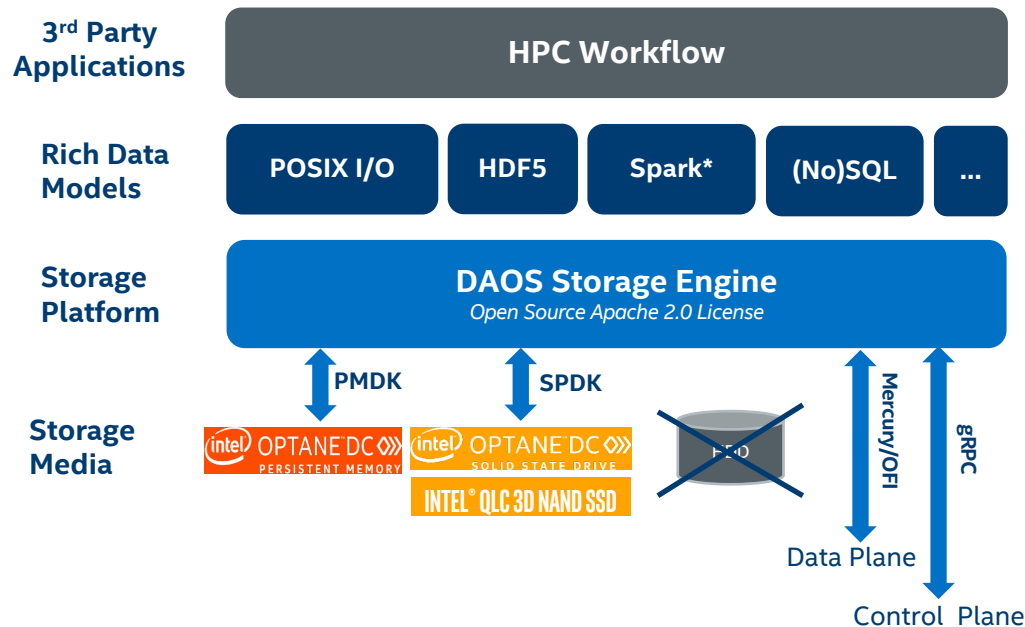
Dual tier prototype based on Lustre* & PLFS

Standalone DAOS prototype

DAOS productization for Exascale deployment

*Other names and brands may be claimed as the property of others.

DISTRIBUTED ASYNCHRONOUS OBJECT STORAGE



Benefits

- Built natively over **new userspace** PMEM/NVMe software stack
- **Rich** storage semantics
- **Non-blocking**
- High **throughput/IOPS @arbitrary** alignment/size
- **Ultra-fine grained** I/O
- **Scalable** communications & I/Os
- **Software-managed redundancy**
- **Open source**

DAOS MICROSERVICE ARCHITECTURE

Storage Pool

Container

Object

Record

Collection of Microservices

Control Plane

Self-healing

Pool

Concurrency
Control

Container

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Object

Infrastructure

RPC
Mercury & OFI

Common
Data Structures

Collectives
CaRT

Security

Persistent Storage
PMDK & SPDK

Logging/Debugging

Thread Model
Argobots

Offload/Accelerator

