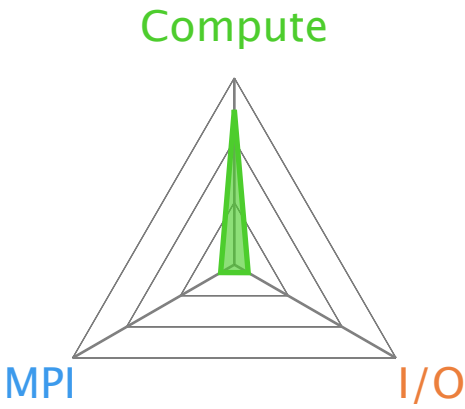


Command: `aprun -b -j 1 -n 16 python DG_advection.py`
Resources: 1 node (64 physical, 256 logical cores per node)
Memory: 252 GiB per node
Tasks: 16 processes
Machine: xcimom
Start time: Sat Aug 7 12:00:19 2021
Total time: 141 seconds (about 2 minutes)
Full path: `/lustre/home/ex-dmacreman/firedrake/firedrake/bin`



Summary: python is Compute-bound in this configuration

Compute	83.0%	<div></div>	Time spent running application code. High values are usually good. This is high ; check the CPU performance section for advice
MPI	8.5%	<div></div>	Time spent in MPI calls. High values are usually bad. This is very low ; this code may benefit from a higher process count
I/O	8.6%	<div></div>	Time spent in filesystem I/O. High values are usually bad. This is low ; check the I/O breakdown section for optimization advice

This application run was **Compute-bound**. A breakdown of this time and advice for investigating further is in the **CPU Metrics** section below.

As very little time is spent in **MPI** calls, this code may also benefit from running at larger scales.

CPU Metrics

Linux perf event metrics:

Cycles per instruction	0.86	<div></div>
L2D cache miss	36.8%	<div></div>
Stalled backend cycles	25.4%	<div></div>
Stalled frontend cycles	15.1%	<div></div>

Cycles per instruction is low, which is good. Vectorization allows multiple instructions per clock cycle.

MPI

A breakdown of the 8.5% MPI time:

Time in collective calls	51.1%	<div></div>
Time in point-to-point calls	48.9%	<div></div>
Effective process collective rate	525 kB/s	<div></div>
Effective process point-to-point rate	1.51 MB/s	<div></div>

Most of the time is spent in **collective calls** with a **very low** transfer rate. This suggests load imbalance is causing synchronization overhead; use an MPI profiler to investigate.

The point-to-point transfer rate is **very low**. This suggests load imbalance is causing synchronization overhead; use an MPI profiler to investigate.

I/O

A breakdown of the 8.6% I/O time:

Time in reads	92.6%	<div></div>
Time in writes	7.4%	<div></div>
Effective process read rate	1.98 MB/s	<div></div>
Effective process write rate	134 kB/s	<div></div>

Most of the time is spent in **read operations** with a **very low** effective transfer rate. This may be caused by contention for the filesystem or inefficient access patterns. Use an I/O profiler to investigate which write calls are affected.

Threads

A breakdown of how multiple threads were used:

Computation	0.0%	<div></div>
Synchronization	0.0%	<div></div>
Physical core utilization	23.0%	<div></div>
System load	23.6%	<div></div>

No measurable time is spent in multithreaded code.

Physical core utilization is low. Try increasing the number of processes to improve performance.

Memory

Per-process memory usage may also affect scaling:

Mean process memory usage	268 MiB	<div></div>
Peak process memory usage	396 MiB	<div></div>
Peak node memory usage	3.0%	<div></div>

The **peak node memory usage** is very low. Running with fewer MPI processes and more data on each process may be more efficient.

Energy

A breakdown of how energy was used:

CPU	not supported %	<div></div>
System	not supported %	<div></div>
Mean node power	not supported W	<div></div>
Peak node power	0.00 W	<div></div>

Energy metrics are not available on this system.