

Running Complex Workloads Using On-Demand GPU-Accelerated Spark/RAPIDS Clusters

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- Founded in 2013, created the Data Science Platform category
- Provides Data Science System-of-Record for the Enterprise
- Leader in Forrester's Wave on Notebook-Based ML Solutions
- 200+ employees across SF, NYC, Chicago, London, Bangalore

“Domino successfully enables enterprises in their industrial-strength deployments. The platform truly helps data science teams orchestrate and streamline the ML workflow”

Gartner 2020 Magic Quadrant for Data Science and Machine Learning Platforms

Trusted by 20% of the Fortune 100

2 of largest
global banks

2 of top-5
health insurers

3 of top-5
ratings agencies

4 of top-10
pharma companies



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Unleashing data science
for leading enterprises

Domino is Recognized as a 'Leader' in the Industry

- Domino is the ONLY vendor to repeat as a 'Leader'
- Received the highest score in 'Model operations/ModelOps'
- Received perfect scores (5 out of 5) for:
 - 'Collaboration'
 - 'Platform Infrastructure'
 - 'Solution roadmap'
 - 'Ability to execute'
 - 'Enablement'

A strong vision for what's needed today and in the future, backed by the resources to deliver on our promises and help make our customers successful

“Domino provides an enterprise data science platform that supports the diversity of ML options that users need in today's rapidly expanding PAML ecosystem, with repeatability, discipline and governance”

FORRESTER

The Forrester Wave™: Notebook-Based Predictive Analytics And Machine Learning, Q3 2020

THE FORRESTER WAVE™

Notebook-Based Predictive Analytics And Machine Learning

Q3 2020



*A gray bubble indicates a nonparticipating vendor.

The only *open* data science platform

A single “portal” to all your data science infrastructure, tools and assets

Data Sources



Languages



Tools & IDEs



Packages



Compute



External systems



All tools and any
workload

All DS users
cross-organization



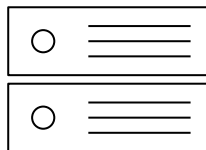
Self-Serve, Scalable
Infrastructure

Reproducibility &
Collaboration

Model Operations
(Deploy, Host, Monitor)

Governance &
Reporting

Traditional
Compute



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Machine Learning on Spark

Distributed Machine Learning

Parallelize compute heavy workloads such as distributed training or hyper-parameter tuning

Take advantage of powerful machine learning algorithms from Spark MLlib

Interactive Exploratory Analysis

Efficiently load large data sets in distributed manner

Explore and understand the data using a familiar interface with Spark SQL

Featurization and Transformation

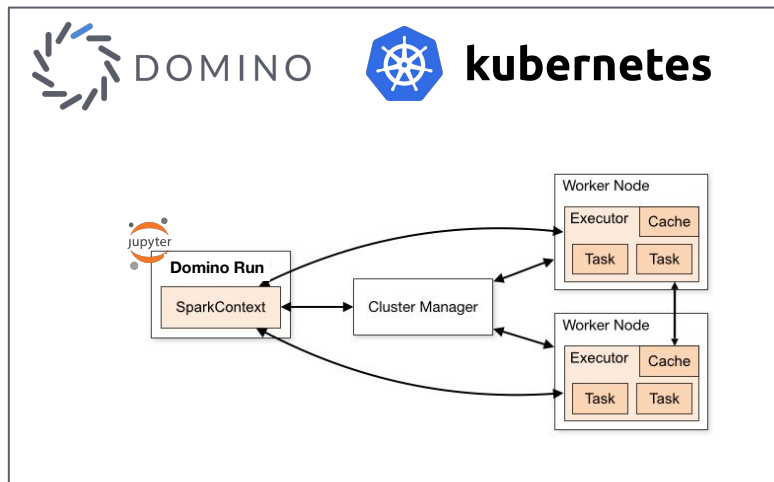
Sample, aggregate, and re-label large data sets

Optimal performance may require a practitioner who is skilled in tuning Spark

Spark on Domino

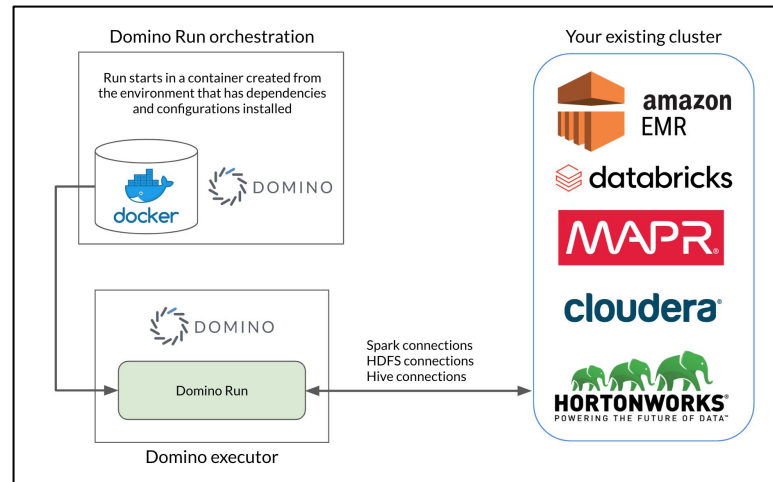
On-Demand Spark

Natively orchestrated directly on Domino controlled infrastructure



External Spark

Leverage existing long-lived Spark deployments in the enterprise





Faster Execution Time

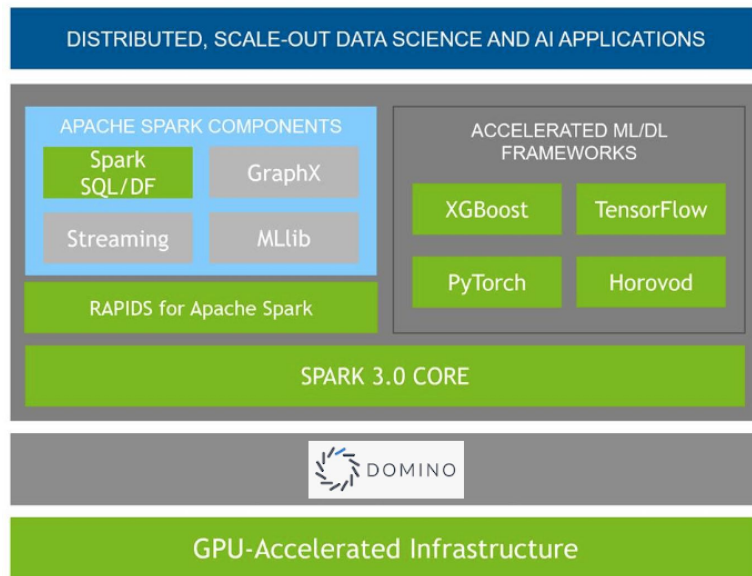


Streamline Analytics to AI



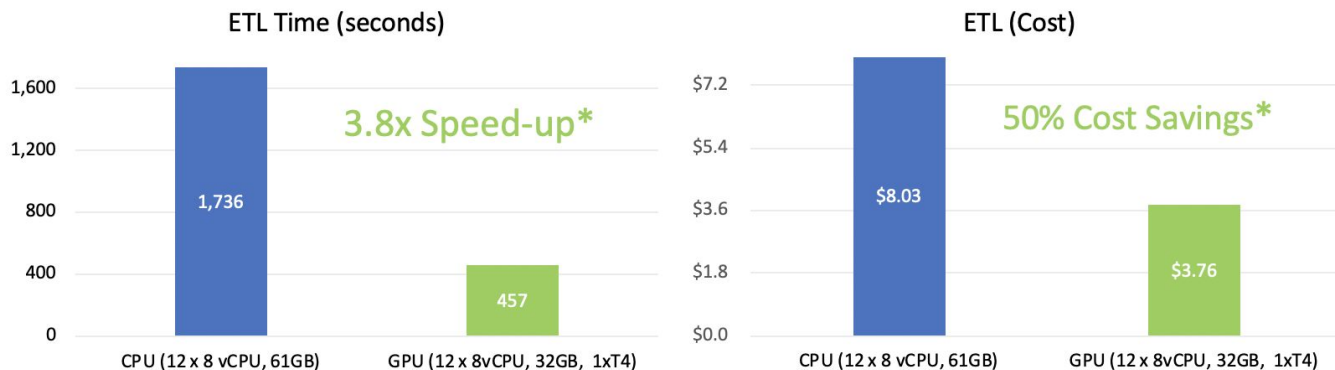
Reduced Infrastructure
Costs

SPARK 3.x



RAPIDS Accelerator for Apache Spark

RAPIDS



RAPIDS - <https://github.com/rapidsai>

RAPIDS Accelerator for Spark - <https://github.com/NVIDIA/spark-rapids>

How does it work

Apache Spark 3.0+ lets users replace the backend for SQL and DataFrame operations

RAPIDS Accelerator for Apache Spark

- replaces SQL operations with GPU accelerated versions
- fall back to Spark CPU
- GPU to GPU transfers (via [UCX](#))

Key configuration parameters

```
spark.executor.resource.gpu.amount=1*  
spark.task.resource.gpu.amount=1
```

```
spark.executor.resource.gpu.discoveryScript=./getGpusResources.sh
```

* set according to `spark.executor.cores`

Prereqs

- Spark 3.0+
- *cudf* compliant GPUs
- one GPU per executor
- *cudf* jar and RAPIDS accelerator jar available on the cluster

How does it work in Domino

We need to configure 2 compute environments

- PySpark Workspace Compute Environment
 - Spark 3.0.0 and Hadoop 3.2.1
 - Dockerfile is available [here](#)
- Spark Executor image
 - Spark 3.0.0
 - Nvidia Cuda drivers / libraries
 - Spark RAPIDS plugin
 - GPU discovery script

GPU specific configuration (spark-defaults.conf)

```
spark.task.cpus=1
spark.task.resource.gpu.amount=0.25 # Set to 1/HW_TIER_CPUS
spark.executor.resource.gpu.amount=1 # Number of GPUs in HW Tier
...
```

How does it work in Domino

Launch New Workspace

1 Environment & Hardware
Spark 3.0.0 GPU... and Small

2 Data

3 Compute Cluster
(optional)

Workspace Name
nikolay_manchev's JupyterLab session

Workspace Environment
Spark 3.0.0 GPU Workspace Py3.6

Workspace IDE
Jupyter JupyterLab
VSCode RStudio

Hardware Tier
Small
1 core · 4 GiB RAM · \$0.0011/min
< 1 MIN

Cancel Next Launch Now

Launch New Workspace

✓ Environment & Hardware
Spark 3.0.0 GPU... and Small

2 Data

3 Compute Cluster
(optional)

Attach Compute Cluster
None Spark

Number of Executors 1 Quota Max: 25

Executor Hardware Tier
GPU (1 V100) - Global
6 cores · 28 GiB RAM · 1 GPU · \$0.051/min
< 7 MIN

Master Hardware Tier
GPU (1 V100) - Global
6 cores · 28 GiB RAM · 1 GPU · \$0.051/min
< 7 MIN

Cluster Compute Environment
Spark 3.0.0 GPU worker

Your workspace environment must have the correct Spark Client libraries to interact with this cluster. [Read more](#)

☒ Dedicated local storage per executor 29 GiB

Back Launch

Demo

MLOPS WITH DOMINO AND NVIDIA DGX SYSTEMS

- Effortless access to compute resources
- Simplified workflow and deployment
- Records of experiments
- Collaboration and sharing
- Model management and version control
- Utilizes GPU-accelerated containers from NVIDIA NGC
- Fully tested and certified on NVIDIA DGX systems as part of the **DGX-Ready Software program**



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Thank You

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