



Cloud Computing & Big Data

PARALLEL & SCALABLE MACHINE LEARNING & DEEP LEARNING

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Prologue

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Online Lecture



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FACULTY OF INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING,
MECHANICAL ENGINEERING AND COMPUTER SCIENCE



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Projects

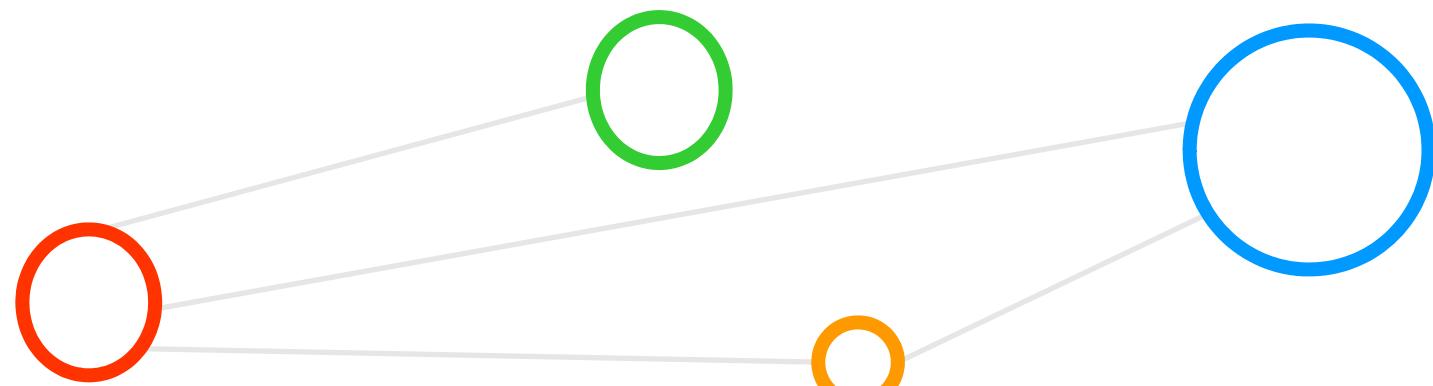
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COOPERATION UNIT

Outline of the Course

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Cloud Computing & Big Data Introduction2. Machine Learning Models in Clouds3. Apache Spark for Cloud Applications4. Virtualization & Data Center Design5. Map-Reduce Computing Paradigm6. Deep Learning driven by Big Data7. Deep Learning Applications in Clouds8. Infrastructure-As-A-Service (IAAS)9. Platform-As-A-Service (PAAS)10. Software-As-A-Service (SAAS) | <ol style="list-style-type: none">11. Big Data Analytics & Cloud Data Mining12. Docker & Container Management13. OpenStack Cloud Operating System14. Online Social Networking & Graph Databases15. Big Data Streaming Tools & Applications16. Epilogue <p>+ additional practical lectures & Webinars for our hands-on assignments in context</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Practical Topics▪ Theoretical / Conceptual Topics |
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Course Motivation & Information



Course Motivation

- Parallel processing and distributed computing have matured (over the past three decades)
 - Both Emerged as a well developed field in computer science
- Course offers a comprehensive approach that integrates...
 - Computing theories and information technologies
 - Design, programming, and application of distributed cloud systems
 - Approaches to solve big data issues
 - Relationships to related topics of High Performance Computing (HPC)
- Course addresses the latest advances...
 - In hardware, software, system architectures & technologies such as Graphical Processing Units (GPUs)
 - Commercial Cloud ecosystems (including costs, speed performance, and energy efficiency)
 - Parallel and scalable machine learning tools & services
 - Deep learning driven by Big Data & Clouds
 - European endeavours such as the European Open Science Cloud (EOSC)



Selected Learning Outcomes

- Students understand...

- Latest developments in parallel processing and distributed computing via cloud systems
- How to create high-performance clusters
- What is scalable machine & deep learning
- Automated computing & big data centers
- High throughput cloud systems & streaming
- Transformations from traditional multiprocessors and multi-computer clusters into Web-scale Clouds
- Technologies of large-scale online social networks & graphs



- Students are able to ...

- Take advantage of innovative machine & deep learning tools in clouds
- Programm and use distributed cloud systems for 'big data mining'
- Work with technologies and approaches to handle big data using clouds



Lecturer Prof. Dr. – Ing. Morris Riedel (since ~2004 in HPC)

- Holds [PhD in Computer Science](#) (from Karlsruhe Institute of Tech.)
 - MSc in data visualization and steering of HPC & Grid applications
- Over the time several Positions at Juelich Supercomputing Centre
 - OS, Grid divisions; later deputy division leader federated systems and data
 - Currently: Research Group Leader – High Productivity Data Processing
- [Selected other recent activities](#)
 - Working with CERN & LHC & Grid/Cloud (Strategic Director of EU Middleware)
 - Architect of Extreme Science and Engineering Discovery Environment XSEDE (US HPC Infrastructure)
 - Co-Design of European Data Infrastructure (EUDAT), Research Data Alliance Big Data (Analytics) Chair, DEEP-EST HPC design, steering group of Helmholtz Artificial Intelligence Initiative
 - European EuroHPC Joint Undertaking Governing Board member for Iceland
- University courses
 - [University of Iceland](#)Courses: HPC A / B, Statistical Data Mining, Cloud Computing & Big Data
 - Slides from previous years available under teaching of instructors personal Web page



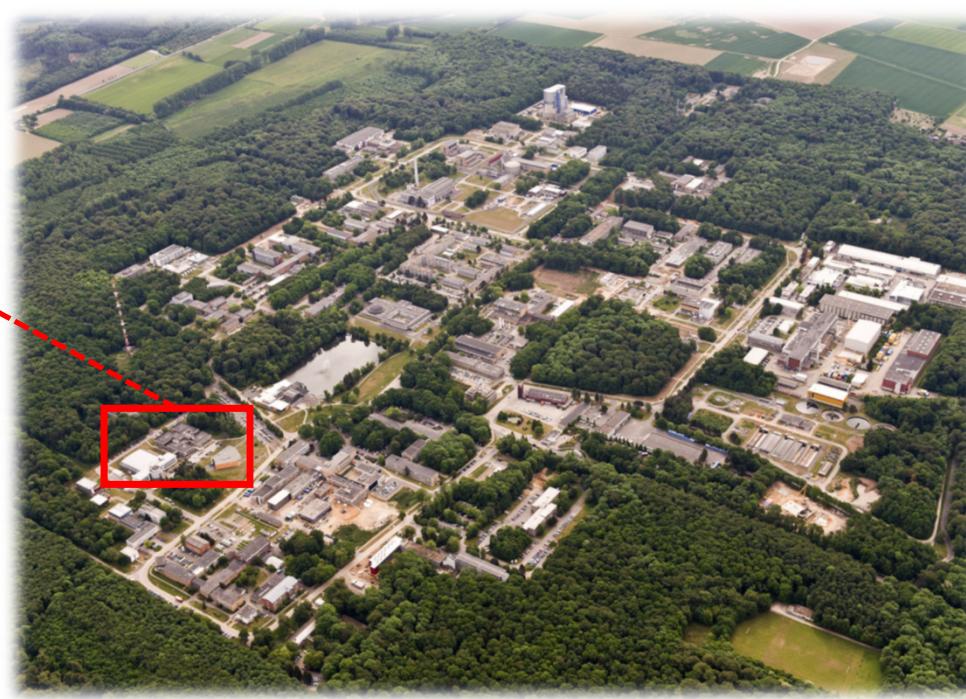
[3] Morris Riedel Web page



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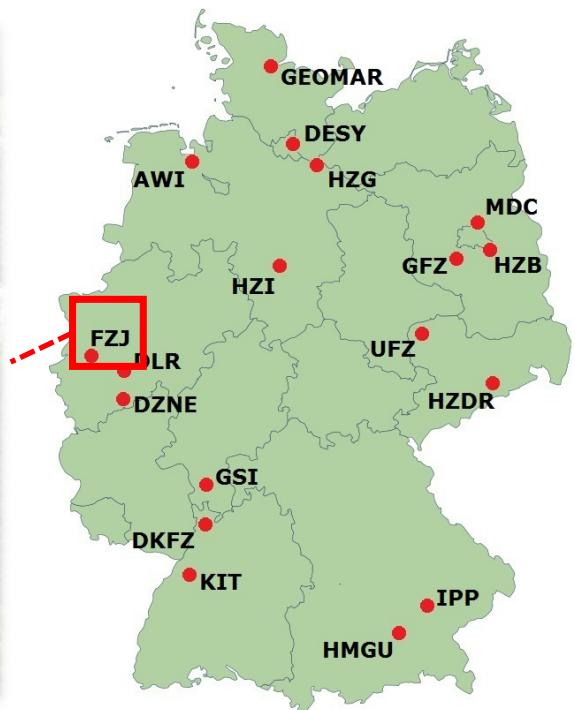


[5] Forschungszentrum Juelich Web page



■ Selected Facts

- One of EU largest inter-disciplinary research centres (~5000 employees)
- Special expertise in physics, materials science, nanotechnology, neuroscience and medicine & information technology (HPC, Clouds & Big Data)



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RESEARCH FOR GRAND CHALLENGES
[4] Helmholtz Association Web Page

University of Iceland – School of Natural Sciences & Engineering (SENS)

■ Selected Facts

- Ranked *among the top 300 universities in the world* (by Times Higher Education)
- Ranked #6 in the field of remote sensing (by Shanghai list)
- ~2900 students at the SENS school
- Long collaboration with Forschungszentrum Juelich
- ~350 MS students & ~150 PhD students
- Many foreign & Erasmus students
- English courses

[6] University of Iceland SENS Web Page



Morris Riedel @MorrisRiedel · Aug 15
The University of Iceland is one of the six best universities in the world in the field of remote sensing!

Háskóli Íslands @Haskoli_Islands · Aug 14
Háskóli Íslands er í 6. setti yfir fremstu háskóla heims á svíði fjarkönnunar samkvæmt hinum virta Shanghai-lista. Skálum er enn fremur í höpi hundræ bestu háskóla innan jarðvísinda. Frábærar fréttir fyrir starfsmenn, stúdента og samflegjó allt!

hi.is/frettir/haskol...



You Retweeted
University of Iceland @uni_iceland · Jun 7
It is extremely inspiring to be among the top 25 performers worldwide in internationally in collaboration with industry and international universities worldwide, according to a new evaluation from U-Multirank.

english.hi.is/news/at_the_fo...

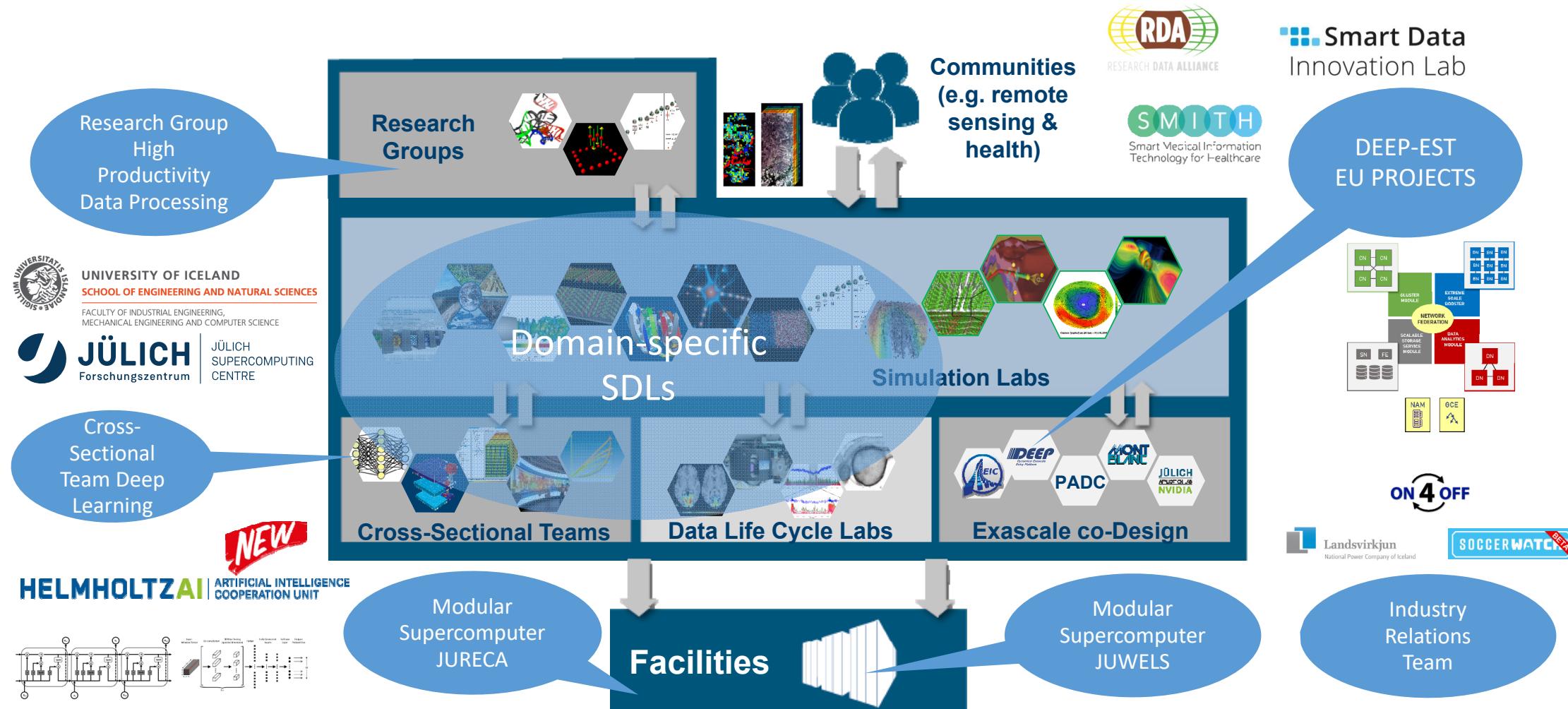


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University of Iceland @uni_iceland · Jun 4
A nasal spray for the acute treatment of seizures, developed by professor Sveinbjörn Gízurason at @uni_iceland, was approved by the United States FDA, recently; the first of its kind for this disease.

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Jülich Supercomputing Centre High Productivity Data Processing Research Group



Intertwined: High Performance Computing & Cloud Computing & Big Data

▪ European EuroHPC Joint Undertaking

- EU EuroCC project in Iceland: user support & structuring of High Performance Computing (HPC) communities & roadmaps
- EU ADMIRE Project: Remote Sensing application co-design of HPC systems



[28] EuroHPC Joint Undertaking

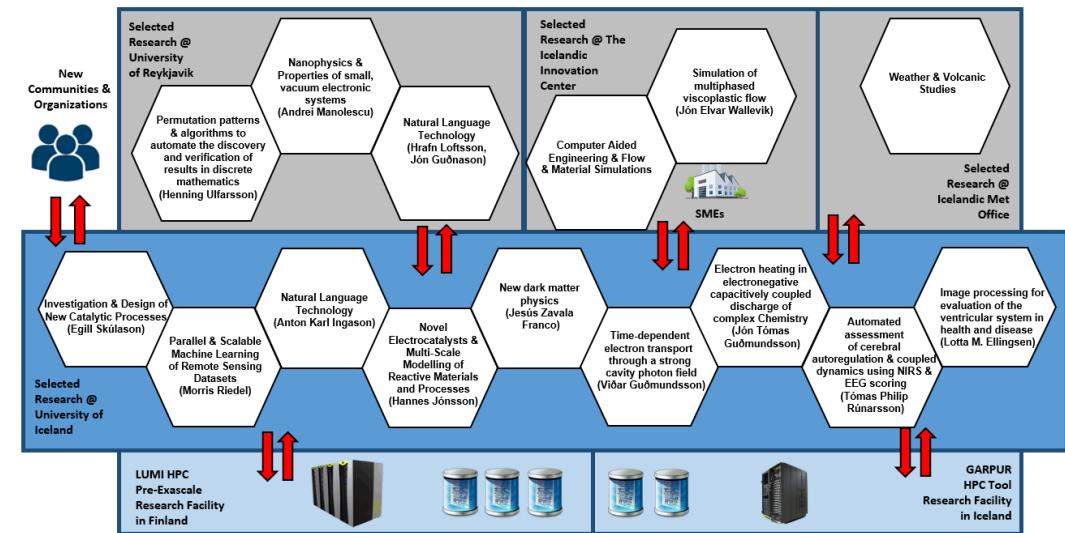
▪ European Open Science Cloud (EOSC)

- Provides services and tools for large-scale datasets (aka 'big data') for EU researchers
- Offers computing capacity for scientists in EU
- EU EOSC-Nordic project in Iceland: provisioning of a couple of data services for selected application communities in Iceland



[29] EOSC Web page

[30] EOSC-Nordic Web page



Icelandic High Performance Computing (IHPC) Expert Network as Iceland Competence Centre

Terminology & Differences between AI, ML & DL



Artificial Intelligence (AI)

A wide area of techniques and tools that enable computers to mimic human behaviour (+ robotics)



Machine Learning (ML)

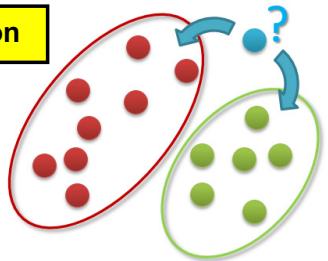
Learning from data without explicitly being programmed with common programming languages



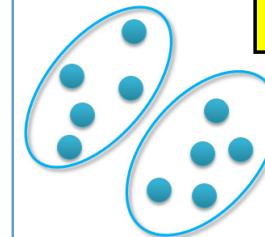
Deep Learning (DL)

Systems with the ability to learn underlying features in data using large neural networks

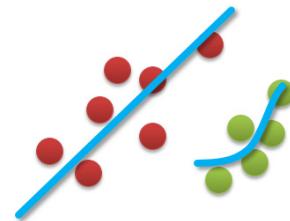
Classification



Clustering



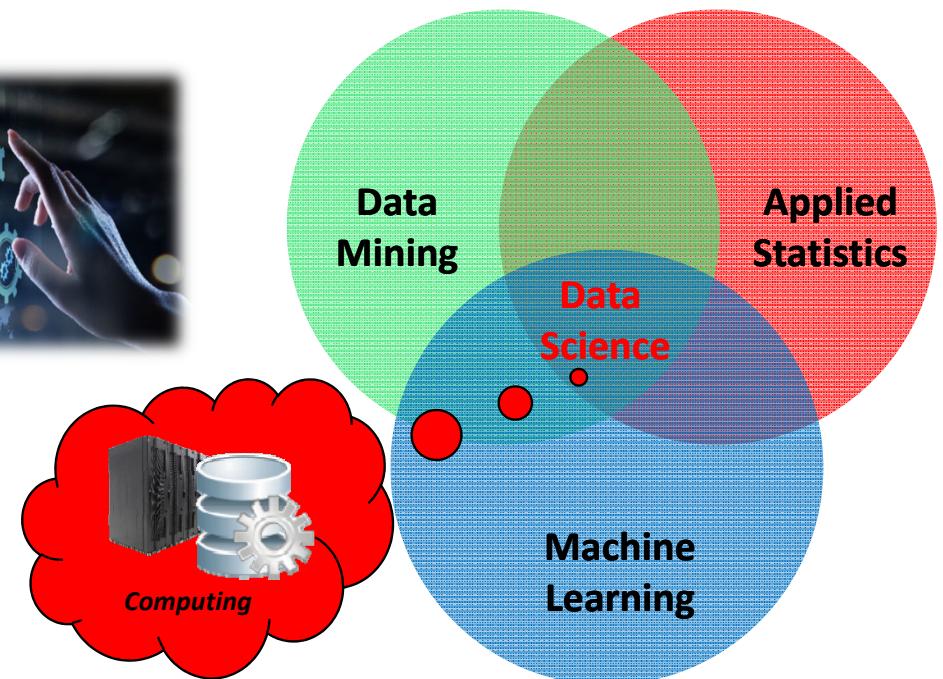
Regression



[9] Helmholtz AI Web page

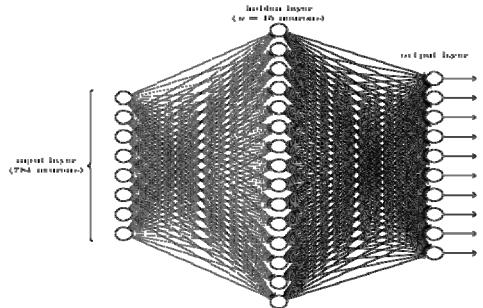
Machine Learning Prerequisites & Computing Challenges

1. Some pattern exists
 2. No exact mathematical formula
 3. Data exists
- Idea ‘Learning from Big Data’
 - Shared with a wide variety of other disciplines
 - E.g. signal processing, big data data mining, etc.
 - Challenges
 - Data is often complex
 - Requires ‘Big Data analytics’
 - Learning from data requires processing time → Clouds or High Performance Computing



- Machine learning is a very broad subject and goes from very abstract theory to extreme practice ('rules of thumb')
- Training machine learning models needs processing time (clouds or high performance computing)
- While data analysis is more describing the process of analysing the data, the term data analytics also includes and the necessary scalable or parallel infrastructure to perform analysis of 'big data'

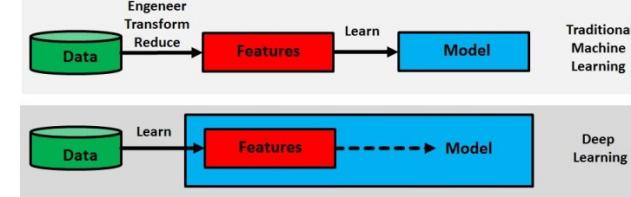
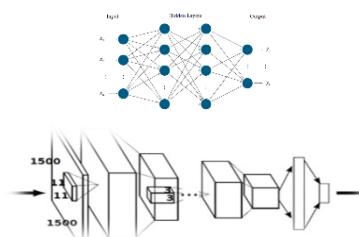
Innovative Deep Learning Techniques



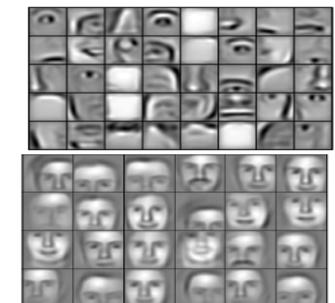
[31] M. Riedel, 'Deep Learning - Using a Convolutional Neural Network', Invited YouTube Lecture, six lectures, University of Ghent, 2017



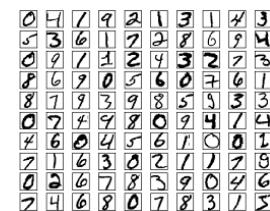
[34] Neural Network 3D Simulation



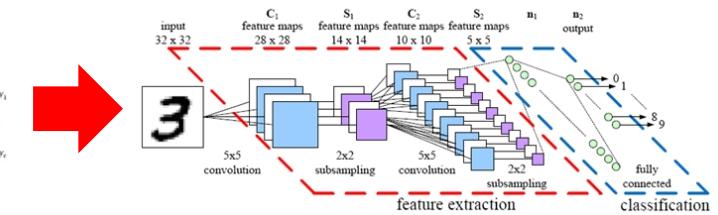
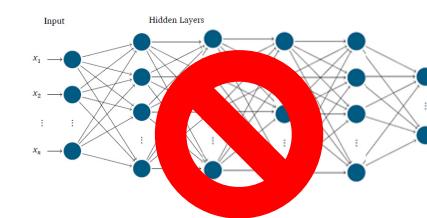
[32] M. Riedel et al., 'Introduction to Deep Learning Models', JSC Tutorial, three days, JSC, 2019



■ Innovation via specific layers and architecture types

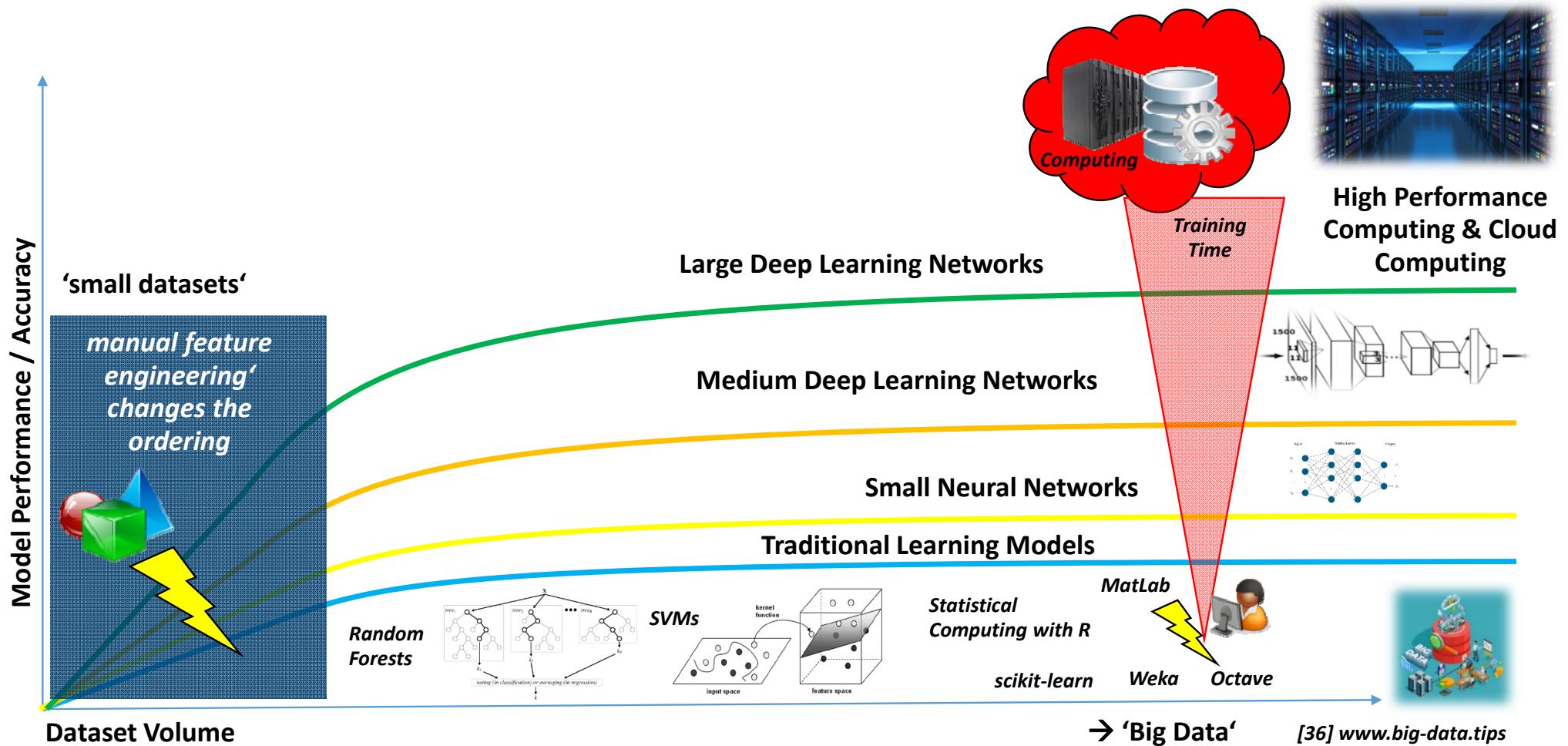


[35] A. Rosebrock



[33] H. Lee et al., 'Convolutional Deep Belief Networks for Scalable Unsupervised Learning of Hierarchical

Complex Relationships: ML & DL vs. HPC/Clouds & Big Data



Understanding Deep Learning & Big Data Momentum & Startup Example

1952

Stochastic Gradient Descent
• Solving optimization problems



1958

Perceptron Learning Model
• Learning weights



1985

'Backpropagation of Error' approach in learning
• Artificial Neural Networks



1995

Deep Convolutional Neural Networks
• Significant improvements in image analysis



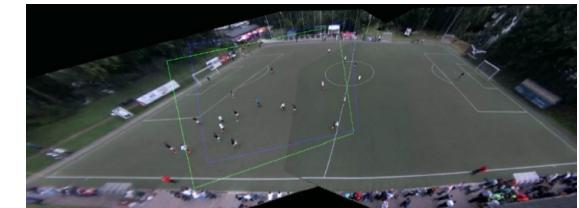
[37] NVIDIA



- Big Data**
- Large datasets
 - Easy access
 - More storage for less cost
- Hardware**
- More memory
 - Graphical Processing Units (GPUs)
 - HPC & parallel systems



- Software**
- Scalable data science tools
 - New learning models
 - Open Source & free software packages



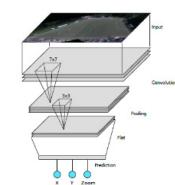
[18] Keras



[19] TensorFlow



Existenzgründungen aus der Wissenschaft



[10] soccerwatch.tv

Combination: Start-up Example of my research group

[8] C. Bodenstein & M. Riedel et al., Automated Soccer Scene Tracking using Deep Neural Networks

DEEP Series of Projects – Modular Supercomputing Architecture Research



- 3 EU Exascale projects
DEEP, DEEP-ER, DEEP-EST
- 27 partners
Coordinated by JSC
- EU-funding: 30 M€
JSC-part > 5,3 M€
- Nov 2011 – Dec 2020

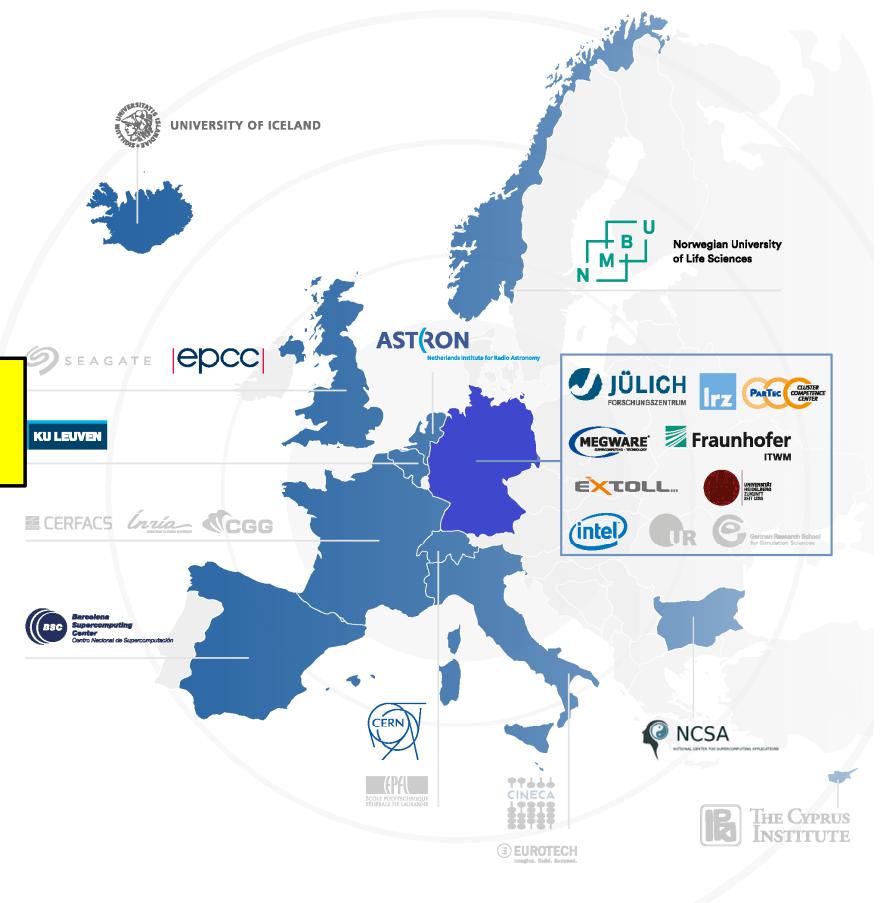


[7] DEEP Projects Web Page

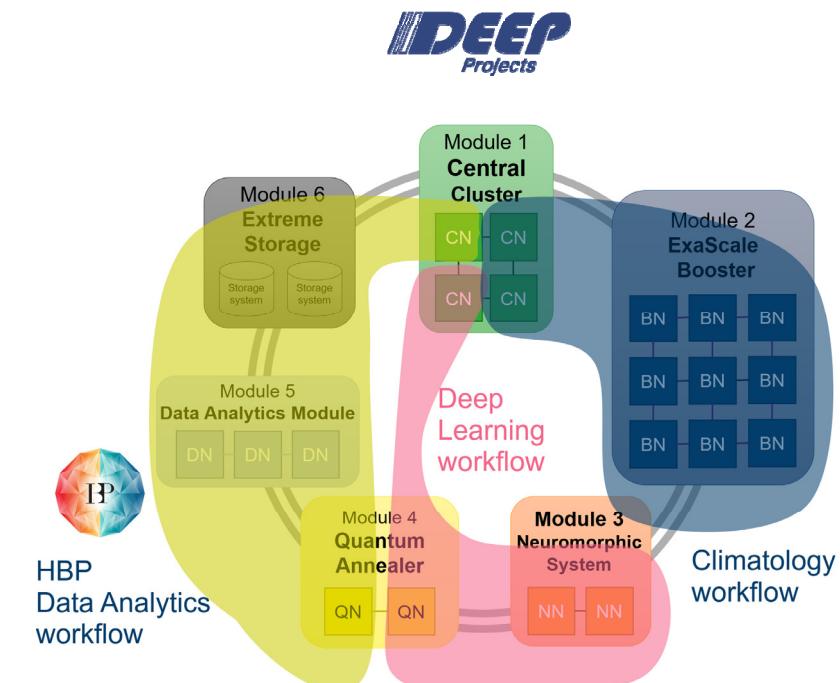
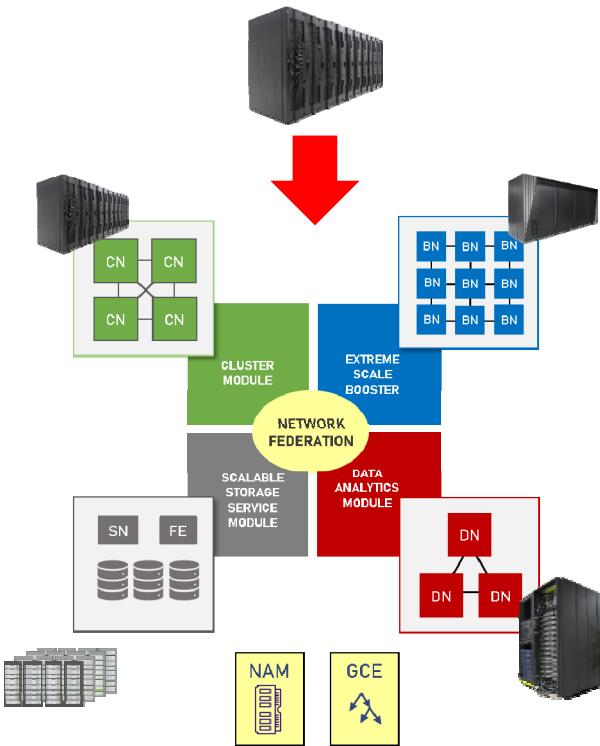
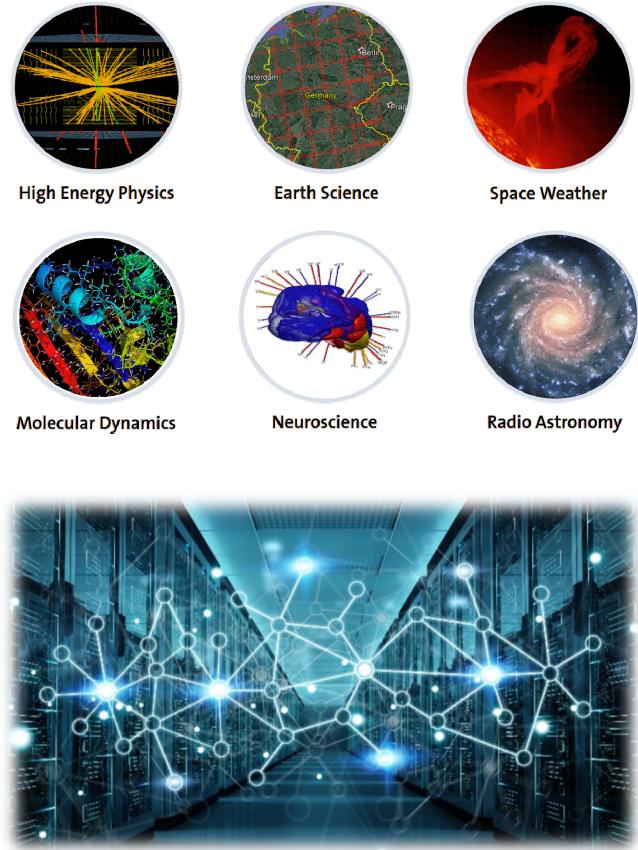
Strong collaboration
with our industry partners
Intel, Extoll & Megware

▪ Strong collaboration with industry
partners Intel, Extoll & Megware

▪ Juelich Supercomputing Centre
implements the DEEP projects
designs in its HPC infrastructure



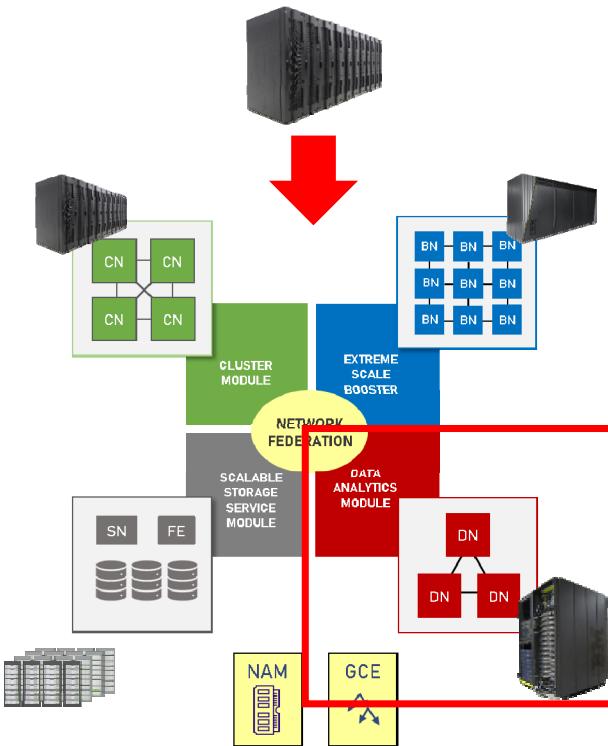
Application Co-Design for Machine & Deep Learning in HPC



- The modular supercomputing architecture (MSA) enables a flexible HPC system design co-designed by the need of different application workloads

[7] DEEP Projects Web Page

Hands-On Training System – Data Analytics Module (DAM)



- **Data Analytics Module (DAM)**
 - Specific requirements for data science & analytics frameworks
 - 16 nodes with 2x Intel Xeon Cascade Lake; 24 cores
 - **1x NVIDIA V100 GPU / node**
 - 1x Intel STRATIX10 FPGA PCIe3 / node
 - 384 GB DDR4 memory / node
 - 2 TB non-volatile memore / node
- **DAM Prototype**
 - 3 x 4 GPUs Tesla Volta V100
 - Slurm scheduling system

JuDoor Your account Mentoring

Project joaiml

Project title Joint Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning Lab
Type Compute project
Principal Investigator Prof. Dr. - Ing. Morris Riedel
Project Admins Dr. Jenia Jitsev, Jay Roloff, Dr. Gabriele Cavallaro
Project Mentor Prof. Dr. - Ing. Morris Riedel
Start date 01.03.2019
End date 31.03.2020
Address Jülich Supercomputing Centre
Wilhelm-Johens-Straße
52428 Jülich
Germany
Group name joaiml

As PI or PA of the project you are obliged to follow data protection regulations, in particular to maintain confidentiality. That means not to communicate or make data accessible to other persons without authorization by the data provider (even after the end of the project).

Active Budgets

Budget joaiml 0

DEEP not accounted 01.03.19-31.03.20

(easy join via JOAIML ab with JuDoor)



[7] DEEP Projects Web Page

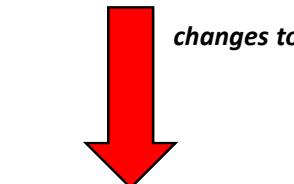
➤ The Data Analytics Module (DAM) will be used for a couple of different machine & deep learning exercises in the context of lectures

Canvas Tool & Office Hours (!)

- Reference course information
 - Cloud Computing & Big Data
 - REI504M, Fall 2020



- Use it for course communication
 - Every course member requires account
 - Contact other students & discuss topics
 - Contact lecturer & access to all materials
- Find course materials
 - Slides of Lectures and Practical Lectures
 - Handouts and Recordings
 - Further reading topics (e.g. papers, etc.)



changes to



- Questions, major difficulties, etc.? → Don't wait long!
 - Use my online office hours, send request email to morris@hi.is



[13] Cloud Computing & Big Data
Course Catalogue Web page

A screenshot of the Canvas Learning Management System. On the left is a sidebar with icons for Account, Dashboard, Courses, Calendar, Inbox, and Commons. The main area shows a "Published Courses (2)" section with cards for "REI504M Skýjaforritun og stórgögn REI504M 2020 Haust" and "Grunnnámskeið í Canvas Grunnnámskeið í Canvas".

Dashboard

Published Courses (2)

REI504M Skýjaforritun og stórgögn
REI504M
2020 Haust

Grunnnámskeið í Canvas
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Overall Course Organization

- 3 Assignments (40% of grade)
 - Guided by **practical lectures in context** with hands-on elements for all
 - Cloud configuration & cloud programming projects
 - Influence in the overall grade
 - **TBD(all): Create Groups of 2-3 and send the group to morris@hi.is**
- Quizzes (10% of grade)
 - Small quiz from time to time (pre-announced) to check understanding
 - Minor influence in the overall grade – good preparation for exam
- Exam (50% of grade)
 - End of the lecture series (~December) – major part of the overall grade
 - **'Not knowing everything is key – but understand the important elements'**
- Invited Lectures
 - A couple of presentations (e.g. companies, interesting projects, PhD students, etc.)

- Each lecture will have these type of yellow blocks
- The most important course material and information is usually summarized in these yellow blocks
- It is essential to know these elements of the course, so pay attention on learning and understanding those
- Knowing the substance of these yellow blocks in context of some associated figures and illustrations fundamentally helps to pass the exam and have good quiz outcomes

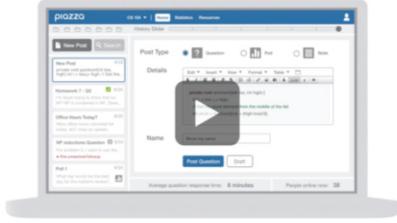
Course @ Q&A Platform Piazza

■ Q&A Platform

- Mixture between a wiki and a forum for students
- Can be used by academic institutions for free
- Idea: come together to share ideas and knowledge
- E.g. ask questions about course assignments / content
- In addition to Canvas although Canvas has also specific discussion threads in context of course

■ Course information

- You will be registered by the course instructor soon
- Name: REI504M Cloud Computing and Big Data
- Semester: Fall 2020
- **TBD (all students): Get familiar with Piazza once registered**



The screenshot shows the Piazza platform's user interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Product, In Professors' Words, Support, About Us, Companies, and a login button. Below the navigation, a banner reads "The incredibly easy, completely free Q&A platform" and "Save time and help students learn using the power of community". To the right of the banner is a list of features:

- Wiki style format enables collaboration in a single space
- Features LaTeX editor, highlighted syntax and code blocking
- Questions and posts needing immediate action are highlighted
- Instructors endorse answers to keep the class on track
- Anonymous posting encourages every student to participate
- Highly customizable online polls
- Integrates with every major LMS

At the bottom of the page are three call-to-action buttons: "Students Get Started" (green), "Professors and TAs Get Started" (blue), and "View a Real Class" (grey).

[1] Piazza Web page

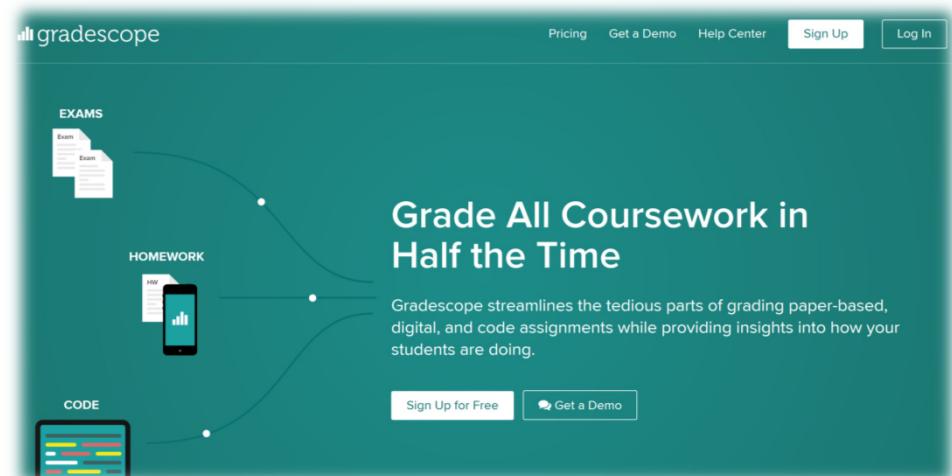
Course @ Gradescope

■ Student Grading Platform

- Grading for quizzes, assignments & exam will be performed
- Can be used by academic institutions for free
- Idea: get faster feedback for course content and a more fair grading process
- E.g. professor does not see the name of students per task
- Canvas integration

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[2] Gradescope Web page

Associated Literature



Cloud Computing for Science and Engineering,

I. Foster & D. B. Gannon

MIT Press Publishers

ISBN 9780262037242, English, ~392 pages, 2017

[14] *Book Cloud Computing for Science and Engineering*



Cloud Computing for Machine Learning and Cognitive Applications,

Kai Hwang

MIT Press Publishers

ISBN 9780262036412, English, ~624 pages, 2017

[23] *Book Cloud Computing for Machine Learning & Cognitive Applications*



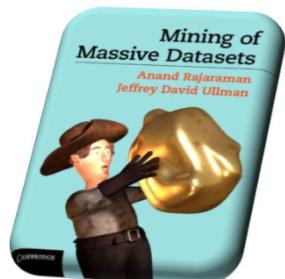
Distributed and Cloud Computing,

K. Hwang, G.C. Fox & J.J. Dongarra,

Morgan Kaufmann Publishers

ISBN 0123858801, English, ~672 pages

[15] *Book Distributed and Cloud Computing*



Mining of Massive Datasets,

Anand Rajaraman, Jure Leskovec & Jeffrey D. Ullman,

available for free download, ~453 pages, 2013

[27] *Book Mining of Massive Datasets Online*

▪ Further bibliography and readings will be provided in context

- E.g. Papers, Web pages, etc.

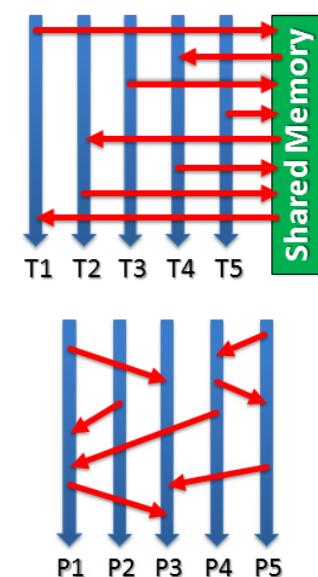
[24] www.big-data.tips

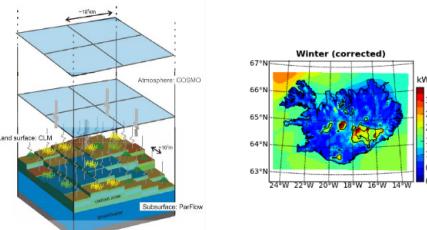
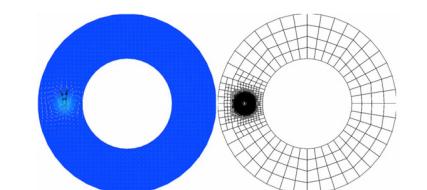
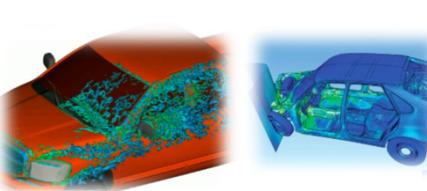
[25] www.datanami.com

[26] www.hpcwire.com

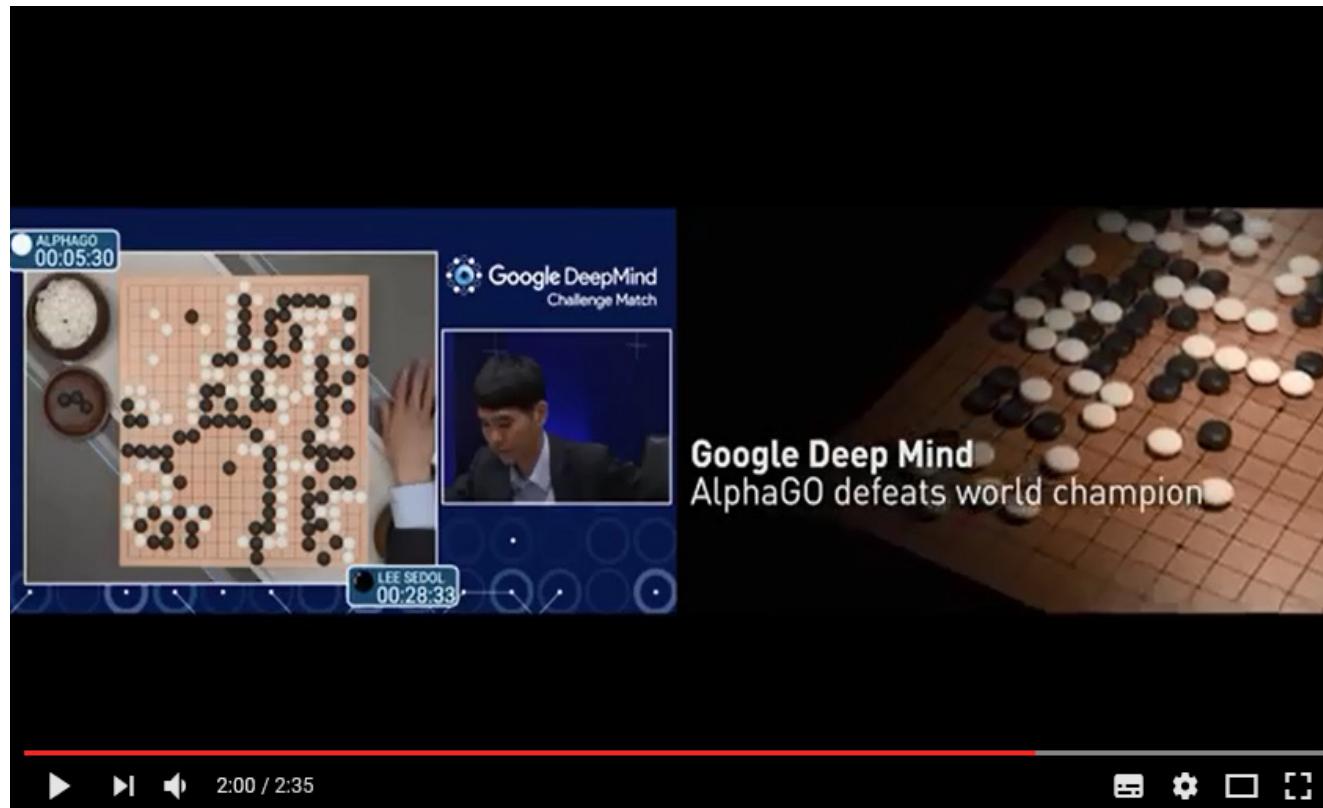
Next Fall 2021: Complementary High Performance Computing (HPC) Course

- Consists of techniques for programming & using large-scale HPC Systems
 - Approach: Get a **broad understanding what HPC is** and what can be done
 - Goal: Train **general HPC techniques and systems** and selected details of **domain-specific applications**



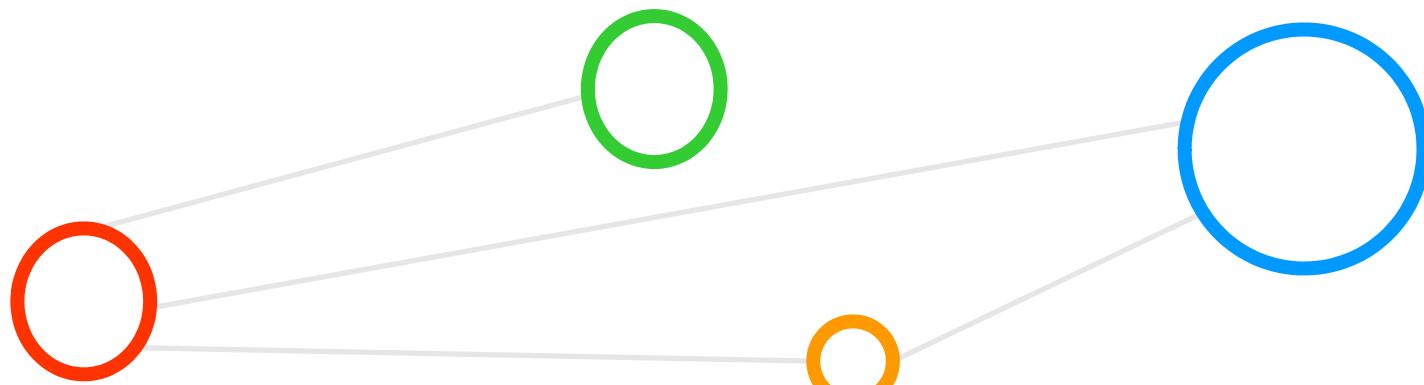
Domain-specific Science & Engineering A	Domain-specific Science & Engineering B	High Performance Computing (a field of constant changes)	Domain-specific Science & Engineering C	Domain-specific Science & Engineering D
		 HPC Course		  

[Video] Deep Learning Applications



[11] *The Deep Learning Revolution*, YouTube

Course Organization & Content



Lecture 1 – Cloud Computing & Big Data Introduction

- Evolutions
 - Clouds come not from nowhere – long history of technologies
 - Evolutions in parallel & distributed computing

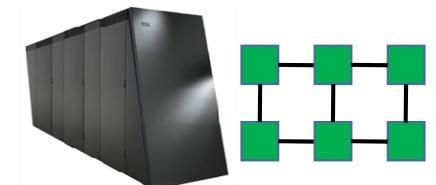


- Internet Cloud Systems – Examples
 - Google App Engine, Amazon Web Services, Facebook, SalesForce, Rackspace, IBM, Enomaly
 - European Open Science Cloud (EOSC) Approach & Services



- Terminologies
 - Parallel Computing, Distributed Computing, Centralized Computing, Cloud Computing

- Technology Foundations
 - Multi-core CPUs & Multi-threading, Many-core GPUs, Processes
 - Memory, Storage, Interconnects, Wide Area Networks



- Big Data Impacts & Big Data Analytics
 - Compute to Data vs. Data to Compute, New Programming Models, 7Vs

Lecture 2 – Machine Learning Models in Clouds

■ Machine Learning Foundations

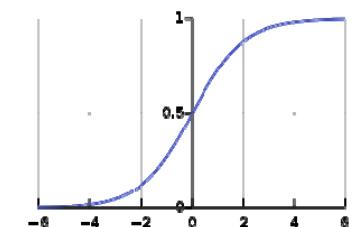
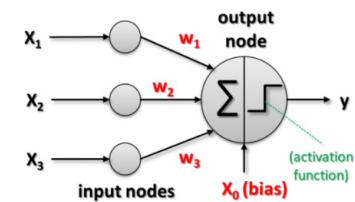
- Machine learning has become central to cloud computing applications
- Role of machine learning models (neural nets, decision trees, regression)
- Phases like training, testing, validation & ‘big data’ challenges in context

■ Selected Machine Learning Models

- Supervised & unsupervised machine learning models
- Overview of various models & selected details
- E.g. linear learning models (e.g. perceptron)
- E.g. Logistic regression for multi-class classification

■ Machine Learning Tools & Cloud Applications

- Role of Jupyter notebooks & Python in accessing Cloud systems
- Microsoft Azure services cloud examples
- Amazon Web services (AWS) cloud examples



Lecture 3 – Apache Spark for Cloud Applications

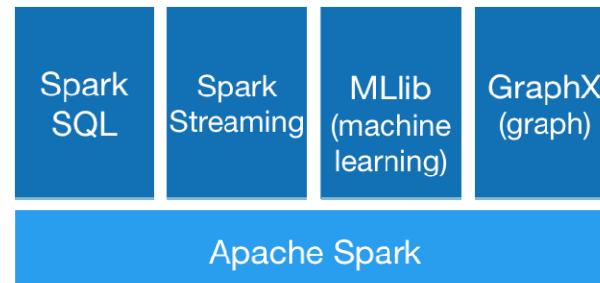
- Apache Spark gets momentum

- Large set of tools and libraries
- Available in many cloud offerings
(e.g., Microsoft Azure, Amazon Web Services)
- Cloud Spark services usage & examples



- Apache Spark Capabilities

- Resilient Distributed Datasets (RDDs)
- Distributed Spark Operations
- Job Execution & Dataflow modeling



[16] [Apache Spark Web page](#)

- Advanced Concepts & Libraries

- Structured Query Language (SQL)
- Streaming Library
- Machine Learning Library (MLlib)
- GraphX Library

Lecture 4 – Virtualization & Data Center Design

- Computer Clusters & Virtualization for Scalable Parallel Computing
 - Application-Driven Requirements, High-Performance Service
 - High Performance Computing, High Throughput Computing
- Clustering for massive parallelism
 - Cluster system interconnects, Cluster design principles: system architectures, nodes, racks
- Computing & Data Centres Operations
 - Data-Center design and interconnection networks
 - Infrastructure costs, water/cooling, energy/power, hardware/network
 - Performance metrics, scalability, fault tolerance, system availability
 - Payment models: pay-per-use, pay-as-you-go vs. cost of ownerships
 - Service Level Agreements, on-demand access, scheduling
- Security and Deployment Issues
 - Access, privacy, confidentiality, integrity, denial of service, trust, etc.
 - Deployment models: Private/Public/Hybrid Clouds



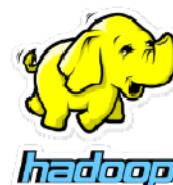
Google Data Centers



Lecture 5 – Map-Reduce Computing Paradigm

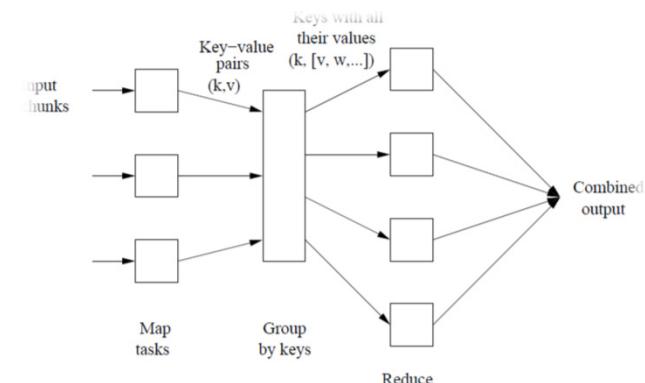
■ Map-Reduce Programming Model

- HPC Complexity & Motivation
- Three ‘phases’ & Communication
- Key-Value Data Structures & Applications
- Map-Reduce Algorithms & Ecosystem
- Scheduling with Yarn
- Apache Hadoop implementation

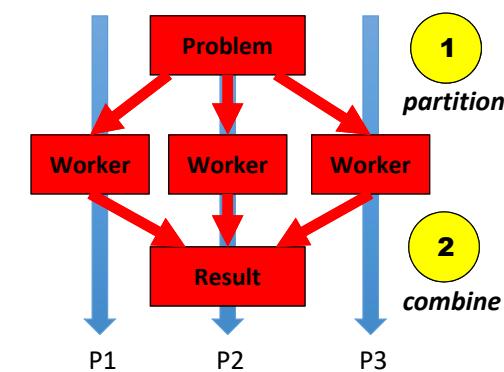


■ Selected Map-Reduce Applications

- Matrix-Matrix/-Vector Calculations
- BLAST Application in Computational Biology
- PageRank Web Application
- Machine Learning Application Performance
- Google flu predictions



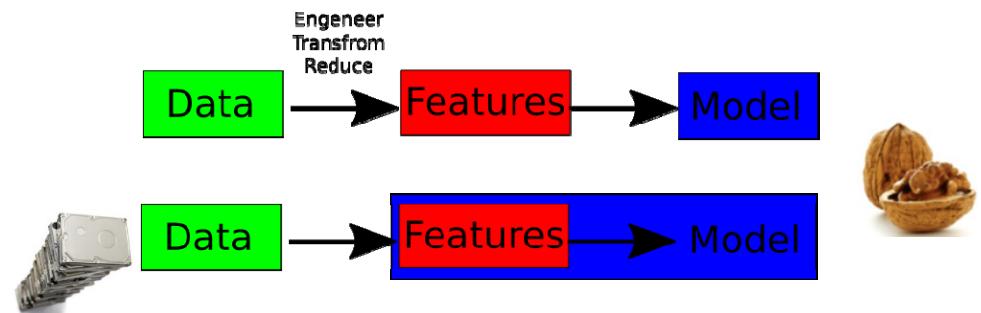
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Lecture 6 – Deep Learning driven by Big Data

■ Deep Learning Fundamentals

- Artificial Neural Networks (ANNs) foundations
- Backpropagation Algorithm
- Role of big data sets
- Feature learning
- Transfer learning



■ Deep Learning Models

- Using Cloud tools with TensorFlow & Keras
- E.g. Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs) models for image data sets
- E.g. Long Short Term Memory (LSTM) models for time series data sets
- Cloud services for deep learning models
- Role of GPUs and scalable cloud data center models

[19] Tensorflow Deep Learning Framework



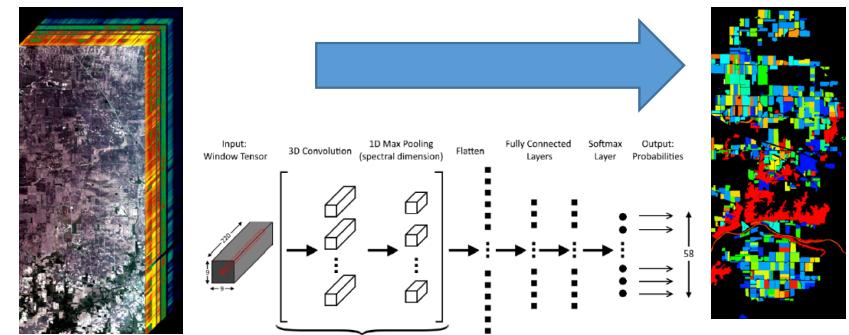
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[18] Keras Python Deep Learning Library

Lecture 7 – Deep Learning Applications in Clouds

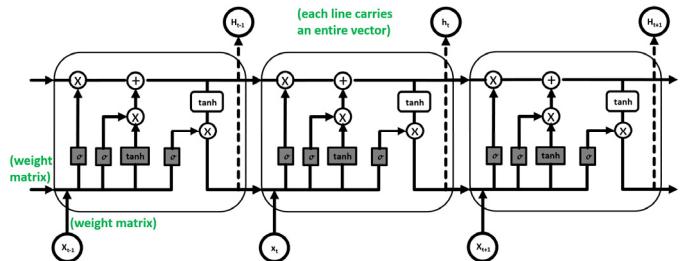
■ Learning Image Data Sets

- Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs) models in Clouds
- Several datasets in examples used in cloud environments
- E.g. hand-written character recognition examples
- E.g. remote sensing data & earth observation data sets



■ Learning Sequence Data Sets

- Recurrent Neural Networks (RNNs)
- Examples of Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) models in Clouds
- Several datasets in examples used in cloud environments
- E.g. Natural Language Processing (NLP) applications & text processing



■ Deep Learning requiring massive Computing Power

- Pretrained Deep Learning Networks & Transfer Learning
- Neural Architecture Search (NAS)

Lecture 8 – Infrastructure-As-A-Service (IAAS)

- IAAS

- Conceptual Ideas, key usage: hosting, bare metal, provisioning
- Based on virtual machines that are used to flexible share computing and storage resources in a scalable and safe manner
- E.g. payments like pay-as-you-go, charging by hour (idle too)



- Understanding Amazon Web Services (AWS)

- Commercial cloud IAAS model, ~70 cloud services
- Elastic Computing Cloud (EC2) offers virtualized platforms to host VMs where cloud applications are running
- Simple Storage Service (S3) offers an object-oriented storage service
- Elastic Block Service (EBS) provides block storage in order to support more traditional applications
- Elastic File System (EFS)



- Other IaaS examples

- E.g., GoGrid/DataPipe, etc.

Lecture 9 – Platform-As-A-Service (PAAS)

■ PAAS

- Conceptual Ideas, key usage: building applications, SDK, APIs, etc.
- Cloud platforms that enables a wide variety of Cloud and Web applications in the context big data
- Application framework similar to ASP, J2EE, or JSP;
- Using Python, Java, others



■ Understanding Google App Engine

- Commercial cloud PAAS model, develop/use scalable/elastic applications
- Leverage powerful Google compute infrastructure with applications
- Take advantage of Google's search engine operations
- Datastore that provides object-oriented, distributed, and structured data storage services, Google Big Table, etc.

■ Other PaaS examples

- Manjrasoft, etc.



Lecture 10 – Software-As-A-Service (SAAS)

■ SAAS

- Conceptual Ideas, key usage: consume applications, avoid installations
- Typically provide specific ‘ready-to-run applications’ that are sometimes also related to geographical locations
- Service application is centrally hosted, user accesses via the Web browser
- Usage model of this cloud computing software is a license
- Licences can be purchased on subscription basis (e.g. daily, monthly, yearly, lifetime, etc.)



■ Understanding concept of a wide variety of SAAS solutions

- E.g. Google Docs, Google gMail
- E.g. Microsoft SharePoint
- E.g. Conga: Online Contract Management Solution
- E.g. Zoho, Salesforce.com: Customer relationship management (CRM)
- Several others...



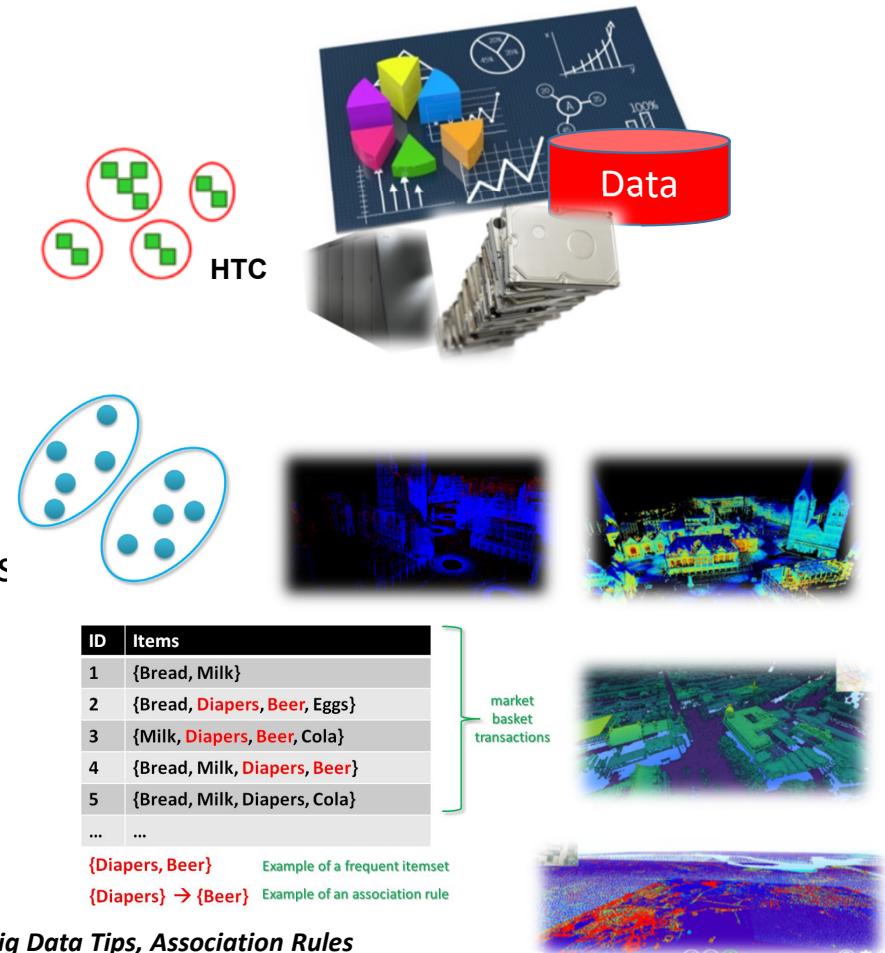
Lecture 11 – Big Data Analytics & Cloud Data Mining

■ Big Data Analytics & Analysis

- Data Mining Applications & Complexity
- Compute to Data vs. Data to Compute
- Data Processing Machinery Requirements
- Failures, Reliability & Scalability Needs
- Two Key Requirements

■ Cloud Data Mining

- Clustering applications of big data sets (e.g. point clouds)
- Association Rule Mining (e.g., APRIORI, FP-GROWTH)
- Alternative Least Squares (ALS)
- Collaborative Filtering
- Cloud services in context in libraries & services



Lecture 12 – Docker & Container Management

- Management of a variety of cloud services and big data tools
 - Local machine vs. Cloud vs. Containers & automated configurations
 - Containers running on a single machine, sharing the same operating system kernel, starting instantly, use less RAM, use images, etc.
 - ‘Contains’ means: wrapping software in a ‘complete filesystem’ that contains everything needed to run the software: code, runtime, system tools, system libraries, third-party libraries, data, etc.
 - Deployments, software stacks, abstracts CPU, memory, storage, and other compute resources away from machines (physical or virtual)
 - Fault-tolerant and elastic distributed systems
 - Open standards of containers & security
- Understand (scalable) tools and techniques
 - E.g. Singularity & Docker: build, ship, run cloud applications, VMs, and services
 - E.g. Apache Mesos: operate a datacenter like a single pool of resources



Lecture 13 – OpenStack Cloud Operating System

- OpenStack: open source cloud computing software
 - Manages large pools of compute, storage, networking resources.
 - Dashboard that provides administrators with a tool to manage all resources via one graphical user interface
- Conceptual services
 - Provide computing and block storage for end users & able to use the provisioned resources via a Web Interface
 - Its marketplace offers an easy way to find related products and services
 - Includes existing distributions, appliances, consultants, and trainings
- Well curated sample configurations
 - Based on real-world reference architectures across industries and workloads
 - Configurations will provide a good way to start and understand which core and optional cloud services are used for different environments
 - Examples are using OpenStack for Web applications, Big Data, eCommerce, Video processing and content delivery, or high throughput computing
- Other Cloud systems:
 - OpenNebula, Nimbus, Eucalyptus



[21] [OpenStack Web page](#)

Lecture 14 – Online Social Networking & Graph Databases

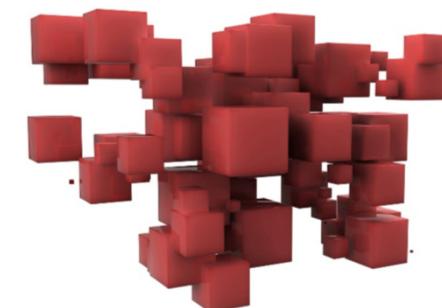


■ Social Networking using Clouds

- Enables many social and professional functions over the Internet
- Transformed the way in which people interact in cyberspace
- ,Big Data': almost 1 billion registered users among the top 15 social networks
(www.ebizmba.com/articles/social-networking-websites)
- Online Social Networking Characteristics, e.g. social graph traversal along specific social links or networks, database requirements, etc.
- Provider revenue from embedded advertisement and access to premium content, e.g. Facebook Ads, Google Adwords/Adsense, etc.
- Application domains, communities, architectures & network impact

■ Understanding key features and techniques of examples

- E.g. Facebook, sharing photos/videos and making friends, share events
- E.g. Twitter, microblogging and exchange of ideas/events/products
- E.g. LinkedIn, professional networkings and job offerings/recruiting



Lecture 15 – Big Data Streaming Tools & Applications

- Apache Flink shows more and more momentum
 - Scalable batch and stream data processing, use of memory
 - Compare to Apache Storm (Flink has much higher throughput)
- Flink/Storm different approach to distributed computing
 - Provides a streaming dataflow engine approach
 - Fast techniques for data distribution, communication, and fault tolerance for distributed computing using data streams
- Discussions of Apache Flink libraries & APIs
 - Datastream API, streams embedded in Java/Scala
 - Dataset API, static data embedded in Java/Scala/Python
 - Complex event processing (CEP) library & Machine Learning Library
- Discussions of Apache Spark libraries & APIs
 - Spark streaming & applications



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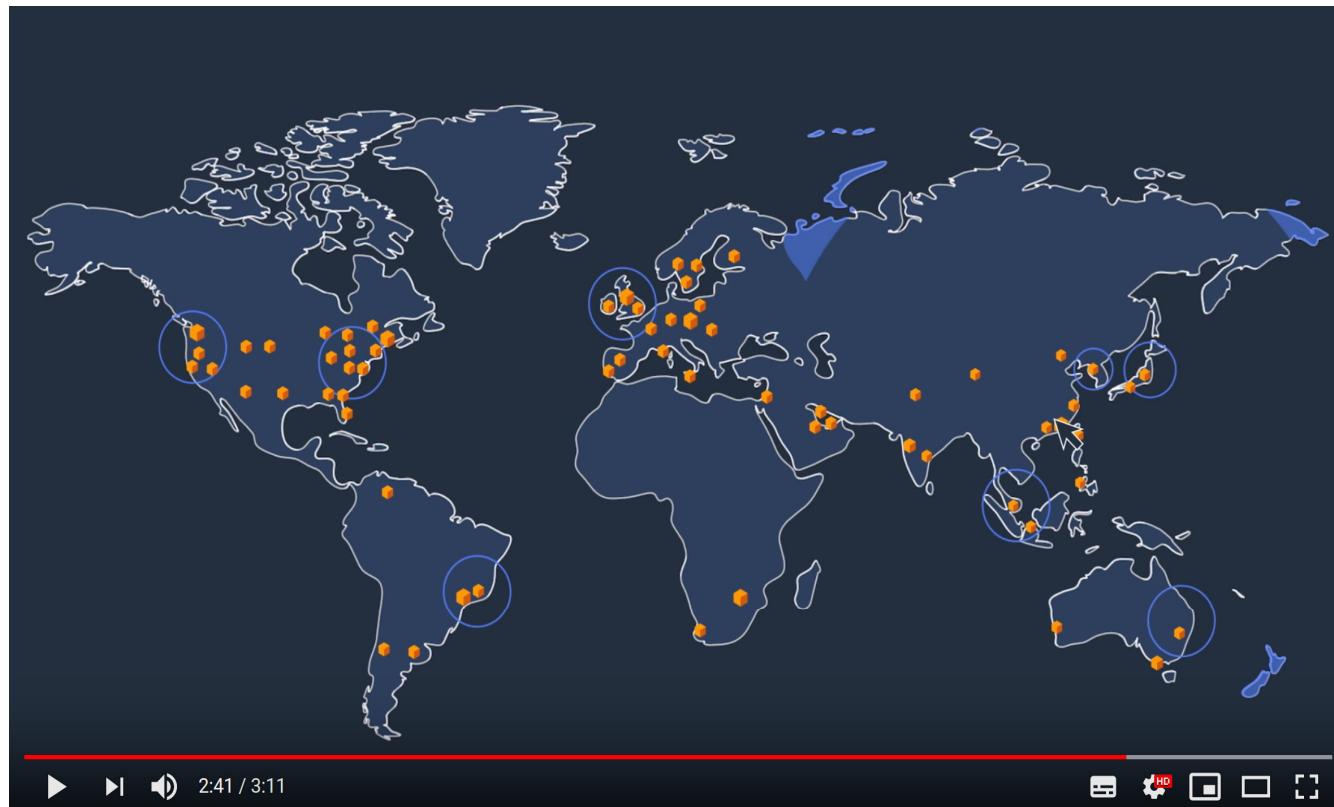


Epilogue

- Informal final lecture
 - Answering remaining questions & guidance to future topics
 - Summary & preparation for final exam and quizzes debrief
- Mindset
 - Discussion of job offers on the market in the light of the course
 - What we have learned & how to turn knowhow into action
- Skillset
 - Knowledge of various Cloud computing & machine learning skills
 - PHD positions & Master Thesis topics in learning from ‘big data’
- Toolset
 - Knowledge of cloud services & machine/deep learning libraries
 - Future Topics to study: Quantum computing, neural networks on the chip, neuromorphic computing, modular supercomputing

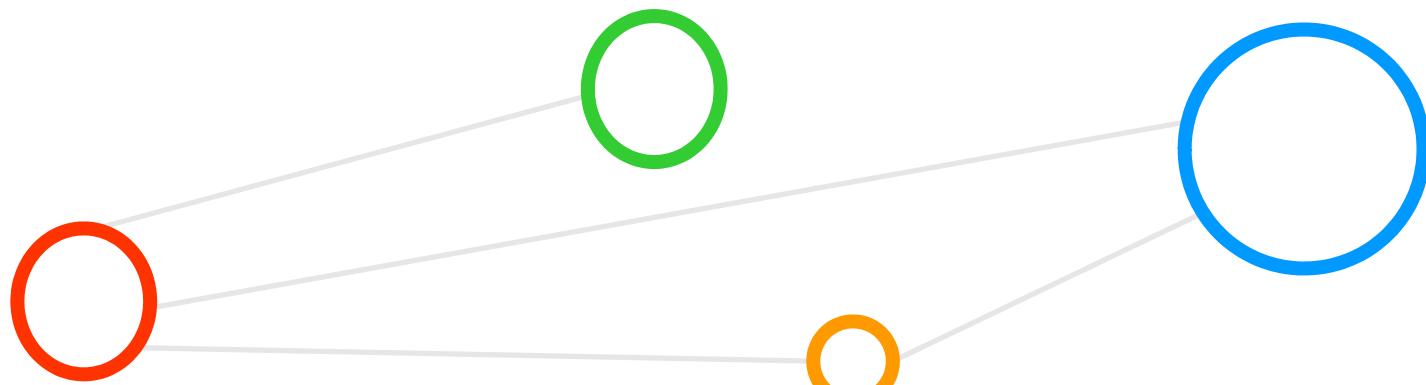


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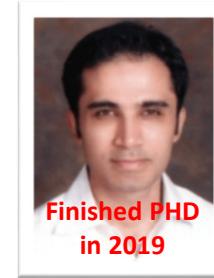
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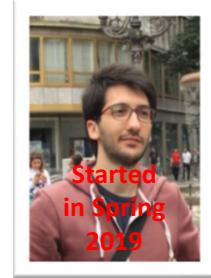
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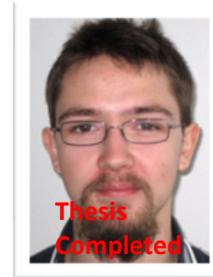


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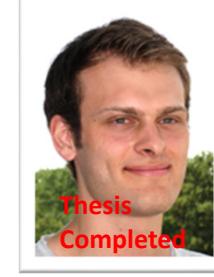
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