

ParaView in a Jupyter notebook

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Foreword

- ParaView is a very mature 3D parallel visualization ecosystem in use at CSCS for many years.
- Usually, users would create a client-server connection from their remote desktop to a set of compute nodes on Piz Daint.
- ParaView uses an efficient and productive interface via Python scripts:
 - The client will read Python commands and the execution takes place [in parallel], on the server side
- A jupyter notebook can execute, stand-alone, or connected to a ParaView parallel server.



Overlook

Analyze data in a familiar, python-driven environment and create 3D interactive visualizations.

No need for a desktop ParaView client, and the [sometimes complicated] connection process in client-server mode.

Access to a GPU if you do not have a powerful desktop.

Outline

- Hello sphere ParaView program
- Hello sphere ParaView program + ipywidgets
- Hello sphere ParaView parallel program
- Local notebook connected to remote ParaView session on Piz Daint
- Numpy-to-Paraview
- Raytracing demo



Pre-requisites

Edit your \$HOME/.jupyterhub.env

module load jupyterlab

module load daint-gpu

module load cray-python PyExtensions h5py/2.8.0-CrayGNU-19.10-python3-serial

module load mdl

export LD_LIBRARY_PATH=\$LD_LIBRARY_PATH:\$EBROOTMDL/linux-x86-64/lib

module load ParaView/5.8.0-CrayGNU-19.10-EGL

See the presentation by Tim Robinson@cscs for all generic details.



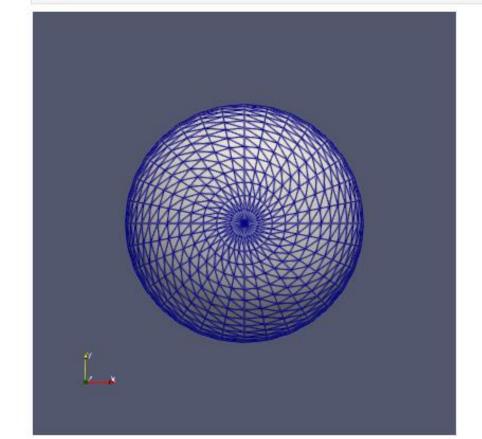
Hello_Sphere-ParaView.0.ipynb

- Standard ParaView Python initialization
- Standard pipeline
 - ParaView Source
 - ParaView Representation
 - Render

PVDisplay widget (contributed by NVIDIA)

ParaView Hello Sphere Test

```
[1]: from paraview.simple import *
[2]: sphere = Sphere(ThetaResolution=32, PhiResolution=32)
     rep = Show()
     rep.Representation = "Surface With Edges"
    from ipyparaview.widgets import PVDisplay
     disp = PVDisplay(GetActiveView())
     w = display(disp)
```





Hello World (Sphere) augmented with ipywidgets

sphere.ListProperties()

Attach PhiResolution and ThetaResolution to an IntSlider

['Center', 'EndPhi', 'EndTheta', 'PhiResolution', 'PointData', 'Radius', 'StartPhi', 'StartTheta', 'ThetaResolution']

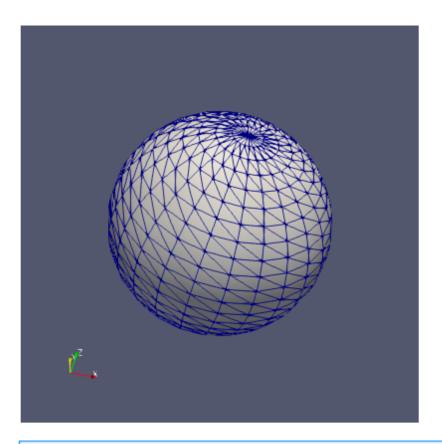


Hello World (Sphere) augmented with ipywidgets

```
sphere.ListProperties()
Attach PhiResolution and ThetaResolution to an IntSlider
from ipywidgets import interact, IntSlider
# automatically triggers a pipeline update, and a render event
def Sphere_resolution(res):
  sphere.ThetaResolution = sphere.PhiResolution = res
  sphere.UpdatePipeline()
i = interact(Sphere_resolution,
           res=IntSlider(min=3, max=48, step=1, value=12)
```

```
['Center',
'EndPhi',
'EndTheta'.
'PhiResolution',
'PointData',
'Radius',
'StartPhi',
'StartTheta',
'ThetaResolution']
```

Hello_Sphere-ParaView.1.ipynb



```
[6]: # Interact from ipywidgets gives us a simple way to interactively control values
# with a callback function
from ipywidgets import interact, IntSlider

# set the Theta and Phi resolution and trigger a pipeline update
def Sphere_resolution(res):
    sphere.ThetaResolution = sphere.PhiResolution = res
    sphere.UpdatePipeline()

i = interact(Sphere_resolution, res=IntSlider(min=3, max=48, step=1, value=12))
```



Caveat

It seems like the regular SaveScreenshot() no longer works

```
def SaveImage(filename):
  from vtk import vtkPNGWriter
  img_writer = vtkPNGWriter()
  img_writer.SetInputConnection(disp.w2i.GetOutputPort())
  img_writer.SetFileName(filename)
  img_writer.Write()
```

SaveImage("/users/jfavre/screenshot.png")







Parallel visualization scenarios

Classic console output for client-server connection

```
Accepting connection(s): rancate:1100
#SBATCH --job-name=pvserver
#SBATCH --nodes=1
#SBATCH --ntasks-per-node=8
#SBATCH --ntasks=8
#SBATCH --time=00:20:00
#SBATCH --partition=debug
#SBATCH --constraint=gpu
```

srun -n 8 -N 1 --cpu_bind=sockets pvserver -rc -ch=daint103.cscs.ch -sp=1100 Submitted batch job 123456789



Hello_Sphere-ParaView-Parallel.ipynb (on-the-node parallelism)

This notebook is useful as a minimal example. It creates a synthetic data source (a sphere), and creates a polygonal display of it. Then, it creates a ParaView display widget showing the primary render view. The notebook further demonstrates how we may use interaction widgets (sliders), to change the resolution of the sphere.

```
[1]: from paraview.simple import *
     from paraview.modules.vtkRemotingCore import vtkProcessModule
[2]: # to run in parallel on-the-allocated node, one would issue an srun command
     # at the terminal:
     # module load ParaView/5.8.0-CrayGNU-19.10-EGL
     # srun -n 8 `which pvserver`
     # followed by a Connect() command
     Connect("localhost")
```

Connection (cs://localhost:11111) [2]

```
[3]: rank = vtkProcessModule.GetProcessModule().GetPartitionId()
     nbprocs = servermanager.ActiveConnection.GetNumberOfDataPartitions()
     info = GetOpenGLInformation(location=servermanager.vtkSMSession.RENDER SERVEF
     print("nbprocs= ",nbprocs)
```

```
nbprocs= 8
```



```
jfavre@nid06882:~> module avail ParaView
-----/apps/daint/UES/jenkins/7.0.UP01/qpu/easybuild/modules/all
ParaView/5.7.0-CrayGNU-19.10-EGL(default) ParaView/5.8.0-CrayGNU-19.10-EGL
ifavre@nid06882:~> module load ParaView/5.8.0-CrayGNU-19.10-EGL
jfavre@nid06882:~>
jfavre@nid06882:~> srun -n 8 pvserver
Waiting for client...
Connection URL: cs://nid06882:11111
Accepting connection(s): nid06882:11111
Client connected.
```

Local jupyter lab (on your desktop) + parallel pv server on Piz Daint

Terminal window 1

from paraview.simple import * ReverseConnect("1100")

N.B. The client is put in wait mode with the call above, **before** issuing the srun command on compute node(s)

- get your userid on Piz Daint (mine is 1100)
- Replace the call Connect("localhost") by a ReverseConnect(port)
- Use id as port number
- ReverseConnect("1100")



Local jupyter lab (on your desktop) + parallel pv server on Piz Daint

Terminal window 1

from paraview.simple import *
ReverseConnect("1100")

Terminal window 2

- open an ssh tunnel on port 1100.
- select one login node. Here we use daint101.cscs.ch

ssh -l jfavre -R 1100:localhost:1100 daint101.cscs.ch

module load daint-gpu module load ParaView/5.8.0-CrayGNU-19.10-EGL

srun -C gpu -p debug -t 00:10:00 -n 8 -N 1 \
pvserver -rc -ch=daint101.cscs.ch -sp=1100



Questions?

Use the chat for Q/A









There's more than "Hello World"

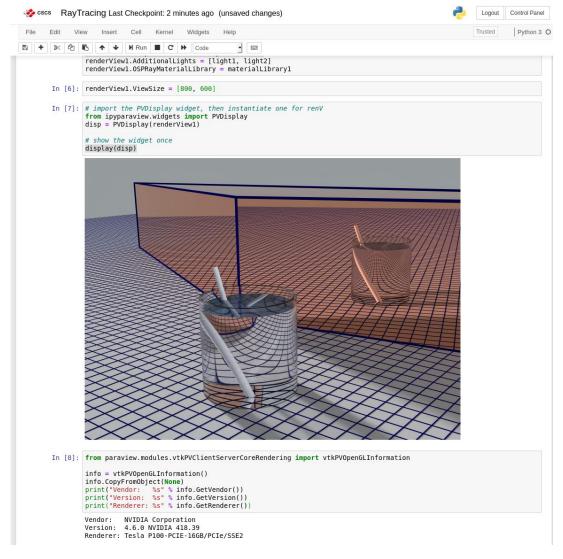
Numpy_to_ParaView.ipynb

- Select a VTK grid type
 - vtklmageData
 - vtkRectilinearGrid
 - vtlStructuredGrid
 - vtkUnstructuredGrid
- Attach the numpy arrays (coordinates, scalar and vector field) to the VTK Object (zeromemory copy)
- Make a ParaView object holding the VTK object
- Render

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```
[ ]: from paraview.simple import *
     import numpy as np
     Make numpy arrays
[ ]: dims = [150, 150, 150]
     np data = np.random.rand(np.prod(dims))
     Make a vtklmageData
    from vtk import vtkImageData
     from paraview import numpy support
     ImageData = vtkImageData()
     ImageData.SetExtent(0, dims[0]-1, 0, dims[1]-1, 0, dims[2]-1)
     vtk data = numpy support.numpy to vtk(np data)
     vtk data.SetName("scalarA")
     ImageData.GetPointData().AddArray(vtk data)
     Make a ParaView object holding the vtkImageData
[]: trivialproducer = PVTrivialProducer()
     obj = trivialproducer.GetClientSideObject()
     obj.SetOutput(ImageData)
[ ]: rep = Show(trivialproducer)
     ColorBy(rep, ("POINTS", "scalarA"))
     rep.Representation= "Surface"
     from ipyparaview.widgets import PVDisplay
     disp = PVDisplay(GetActiveView())
     w = display(disp)
```

Raytracing.ipynb



- Ray-tracing is executed on the GPU renderView1.BackEnd = 'OptiX pathtracer'
- Or runs on all available CPU threads renderView1.BackEnd = 'OSPRay raycaster' renderView1.BackEnd = 'OSPRay pathtracer'



updates

- ParaView v5.8 will become the default at the next maintenance
 - Move to 5.8 ASAP. It's much better anyway
- A 3-day Visualization Class [Instructor: Jean M. Favre]
 - Advanced Visualization
 - ParaView in Jupyter Lab
 - Topics of interest (please send me emails)
 - October 5-7, 2020. Mark your calendar.



Your wish list?

What do you wish to have to improve your experience with ParaView (or 3D visualization) at CSCS?

Send me direct email <u>ifavre@cscs.ch</u> to discuss it further.







