

機器學習於材料資訊的應用 Machine Learning on Material Informatics

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NCHC Introduction



Position



The Ministry of Science and Technology (MOST)

is the government ministry of the Republic of China (Taiwan) for the promotion and funding of **academic research**, development of **science** and **technology** and **science parks**.



The National Applied Research Laboratories (NARLabs)

is the institution resulted from the combination of national laboratories into an independent nonprofit institute.

One of 8 national-level research laboratories under NARL



• **NARLabs** 財團法人國家實驗研究院

國家高速網路與計算中心

National Center for High-performance Computing Founded In 1991

National Center for High-performance Computing (NCHC)

Taiwan's only national-level supercomputing center.

The NCHC possesses a large computing and networking platform facilities for use by domestic academia and the general public.

Vision and Mission



**Become a World-Class Supercomputing
and Big Data Center**



**Enable Scientific Discoveries & Technical Innovation
through prospective computing technology and
platform**



World Class AI and Big Data Platform

Vision with Execution in mind: start with a solid platform

NCHC Milestones



A Member of **NARLabs**
National Center for
High-performance Computing

1991
Taiwan's first
national level
supercomputer
center

2003
NPO
under NARLabs

2005
Tainan Office

2011
御風者
WINDRIDER
177 TF ALPS
Supercomputer

2017
1.33 PF Peta scale
HPC
台灣杉
TAIWANIA

2019
AI Platform

TWCC
TAIWAN
COMPUTING
CLOUD



1993
Hsinchu
Headquarters

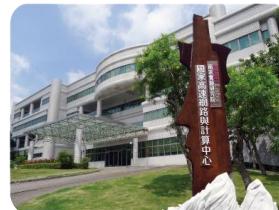
2004
TWAREN
Services 10G

2008
Taichung
Office

2016
100G Network
Backbone

2018
9PF AI-HPC

台灣杉二號
TAIWANIA 2



Hsin Chu
Headquarters



Taichung Office

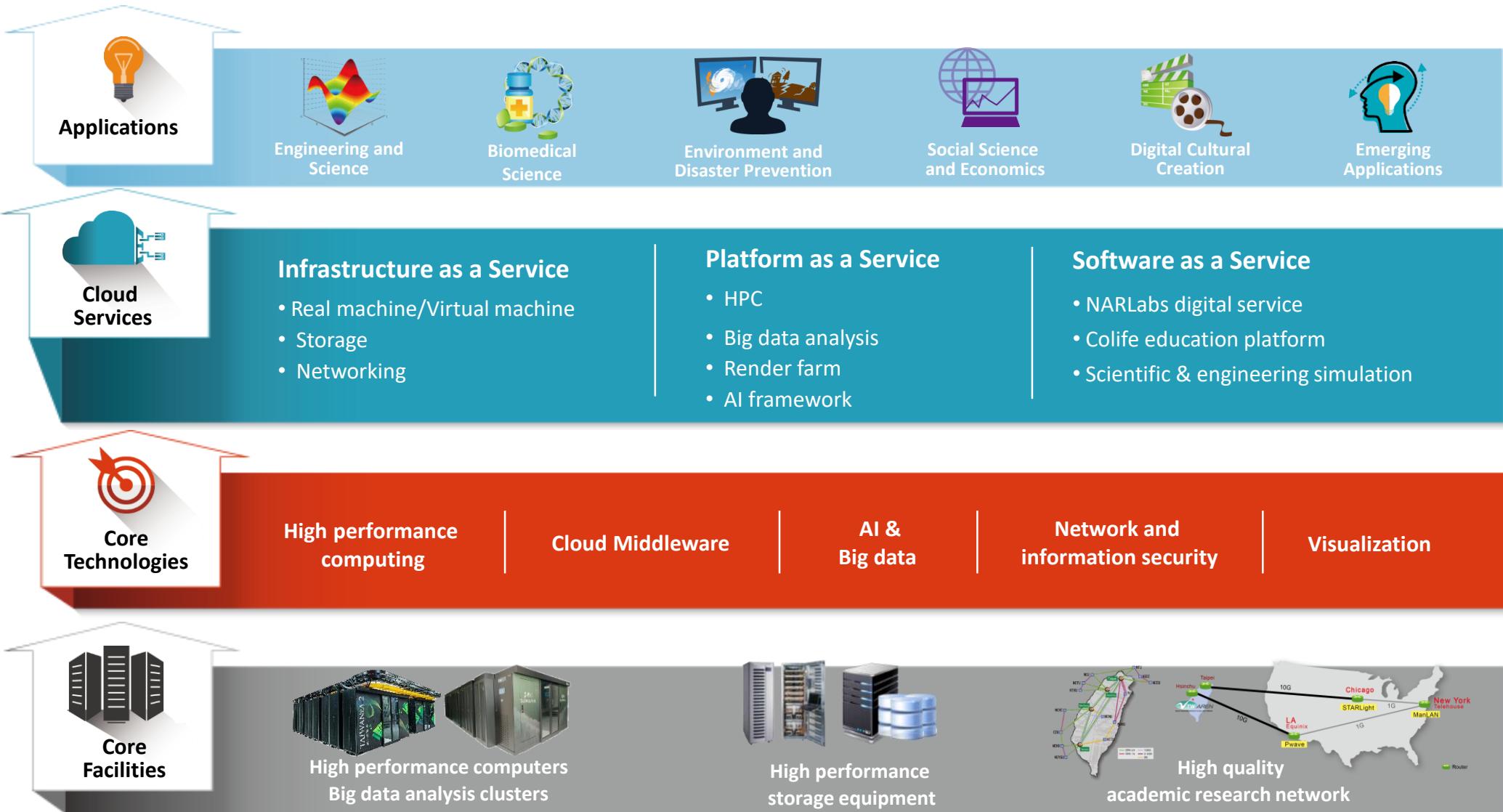


Tainan Office

Certifications

- ✓ ISO 9001 (Plus Award)
- ✓ ISO 27001
- ✓ ISO27018
- ✓ ISO20000
- ✓ CSA STAR Level 2 Gold Award
- ✓ BS 10012

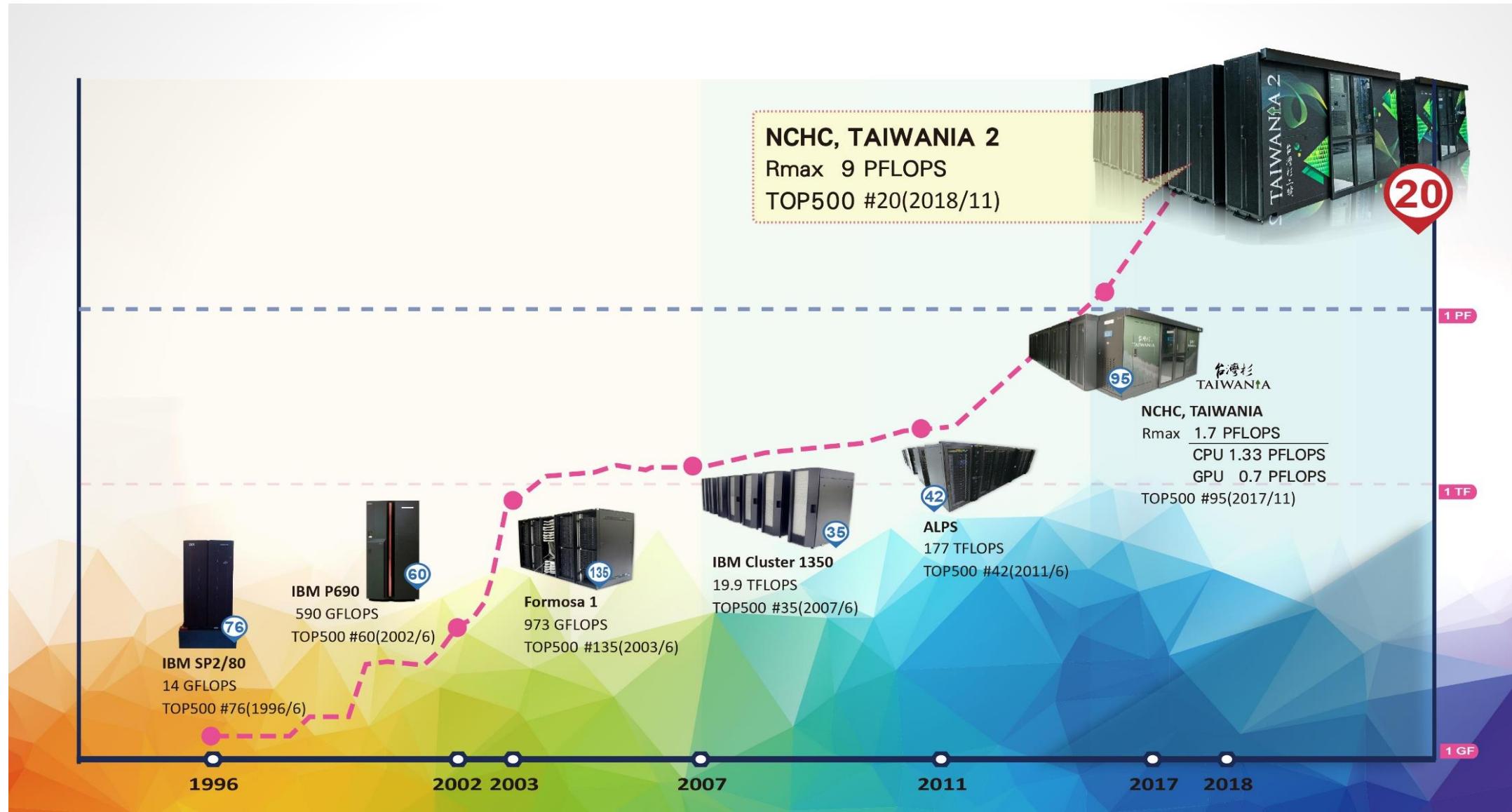
NCHC Development Structure



Infrastructure

- NCHC HPC History
- Taiwania 1 and Taiwania 2
- Research and Education Network and Storage
- Big Data Analysis Platform and Render Farm
- Cyber Security

NCHC HPC History



Taiwania 1



- A general purpose supercomputer with a large number of compute nodes and an independent file system, high security mechanisms
- Supports multiple fields of application, including **physics, chemistry, mathematics, atmospheric, engineering and life sciences.**



425 million computing hours/year



900+ projects/year



4300+ accounts/year



Computing cores:27,760

CPU : 1.33 PF

GPU : 0.4 PF

Storage : 3.4 PB

Networks:100Gbps

Efficiency : 4 GFLOPS/W

PUE< 1.3

Taiwania 2

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TAIWANIA 2

The NCHC is accelerating
AI innovation in Taiwan



Directed by



Specification setting by



Manufactured by Taiwanese companies



20TH
TOP 500
計算能量

10TH
Green 500
能源效率

2018. Nov. ranking



<https://www.top500.org/>

Rank	System	Cores	Rmax (TFlop/s)	Rpeak (TFlop/s)	Power (kW)
19	CINECA Italy	Marconi Intel Xeon Phi - CINECA Cluster, Lenovo SD530/S720AP, Intel Xeon Phi 7250 68C 1.4GHz/Platinum 8160, Intel Omni-Path Lenovo	348,000	10,384.9	18,816.0
20	NVIDIA Corporation United States	DGX SuperPOD - NVIDIA DGX-2H, Xeon Platinum 8174 24C 3.1GHz, NVIDIA Tesla V100, Mellanox InfiniBand EDR Nvidia	127,488	9,444.0	11,209.1
21	National Center for High Performance Computing Taiwan	Taiwania 2 - QCT QuantaGrid D52G-4U/LC, Xeon Gold 6154 18C 3GHz, Mellanox InfiniBand EDR, NVIDIA Tesla V100 SXM2 Quanta Computer / Taiwan Fixed Network / ASUS Cloud	170,352	9,000.0	15,208.2 798
22	DOE/SC/Argonne National Laboratory United States	Mira - BlueGene/Q, Power BQC 16C 1.60GHz, Custom IBM	786,432	8,586.6	10,066.3 3,945
23	GSIC Center, Tokyo Institute of Technology Japan	TSUBAME3.0 - SGI ICE XA, IP139-SXM2, Xeon E5-2680v4 14C 2.4GHz, Intel Omni-Path, NVIDIA Tesla P100 SXM2 HPE	135,828	8,125.0	12,127.1 792



<https://www.isc-hpc.com/>



<http://supercomputing.org/>

台灣杉二號

TAIWANIA 2

Hardware - whole system

- 252 nodes / 9072 CPU cores / 2016 GPUs
- 193.5 TB memory
- 10 PB storage
- EDR InfiniBand 100 Gbps
- 1.2 PUE (Warm Water Cooling)

Software Environment

- Slurm / Kubernetes
- Nvidia NGC Docker
- Ceph
- Spectrum Scale (GPFS)
- CentOS

Hardware - single node

- Intel Xeon Gold CPU x 2
- Nvidia Tesla V100 w/32GB x 8
- 768 GB memory
- 240 GB SSD + 4TB NVMe

AI Framework

- Tensorflow
- Caffé / Caffé 2
- PyTorch / Torch
- and more



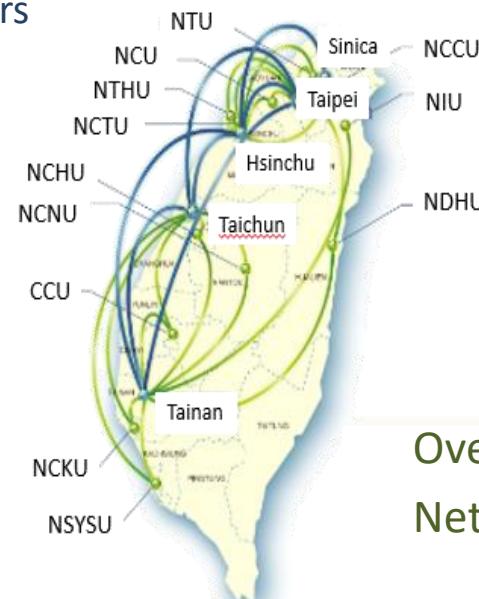
Research and Education Network



TaiWan Advanced Research and Education Network

- **TWAREN** (Optical, dedicated bandwidth)

- ✓ 100G Bandwidth
- ✓ 12 GigaPOPs
- ✓ 94 universities & research institutes
- ✓ 500 K. users



Over 99.99%
Network Availability

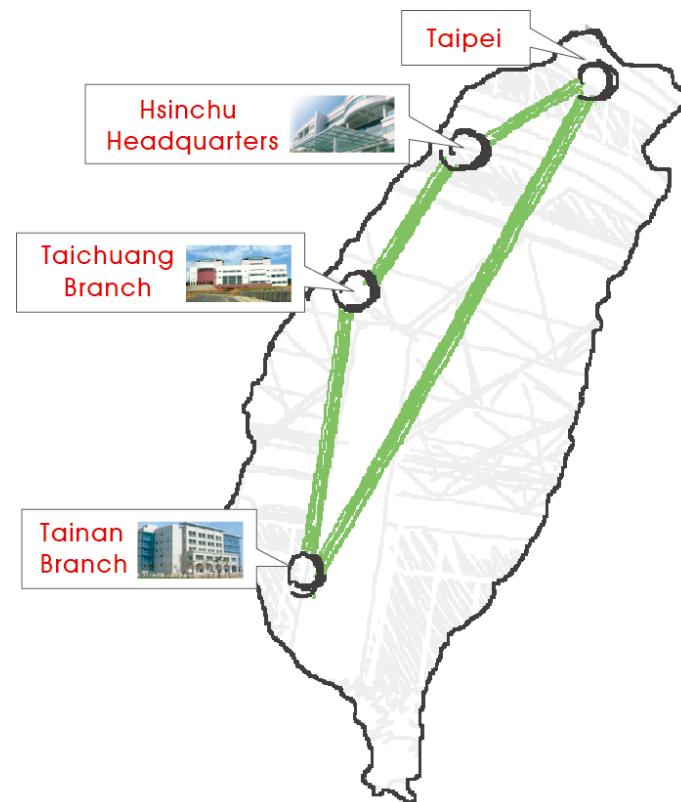
TWAREN Domestic Backbone

- ✓ Sharing underlying optical network with **TANet** (4000 schools, 4.5 M. users)
- ✓ Network Availability: 99.99% ↑
- ✓ **20G International Bandwidth**



TWAREN International Connection

儲存設施服務



- 三地互為備援
- ISO9000、ISO27001雙認證、雙保障
- 以自有技術建置負載平衡、異地備份、高擴充性之雲端儲存服務系統
- 提供資料備份、資料保存、資料備援、雲端儲存、及客製化資料儲存服務

- 建置全國專業領域共用共享大資料儲存資料平台，達到資料共用，研究成果分享之效益
- 每年服務國內腦科學、基因演算、防災、地科、氣候變遷、人文資料庫等30餘重要計畫
- 備份農航所航照圖、太空中心衛星圖、中研院基因體等資料，為國家重要資料提供保障。



- 儲存總容量 50 PB

Big Data Analysis Platform - Braavos



- Launched in January 2016
- 300Nodes, 2PB
- Running Apache Hadoop

7 Functions in Service

- | | |
|-------------|------------|
| ➤ MapReduce | ➤ R-hadoop |
| ➤ Spark | ➤ Mahout |
| ➤ Hive | ➤ Flume |
| ➤ Hbase | |

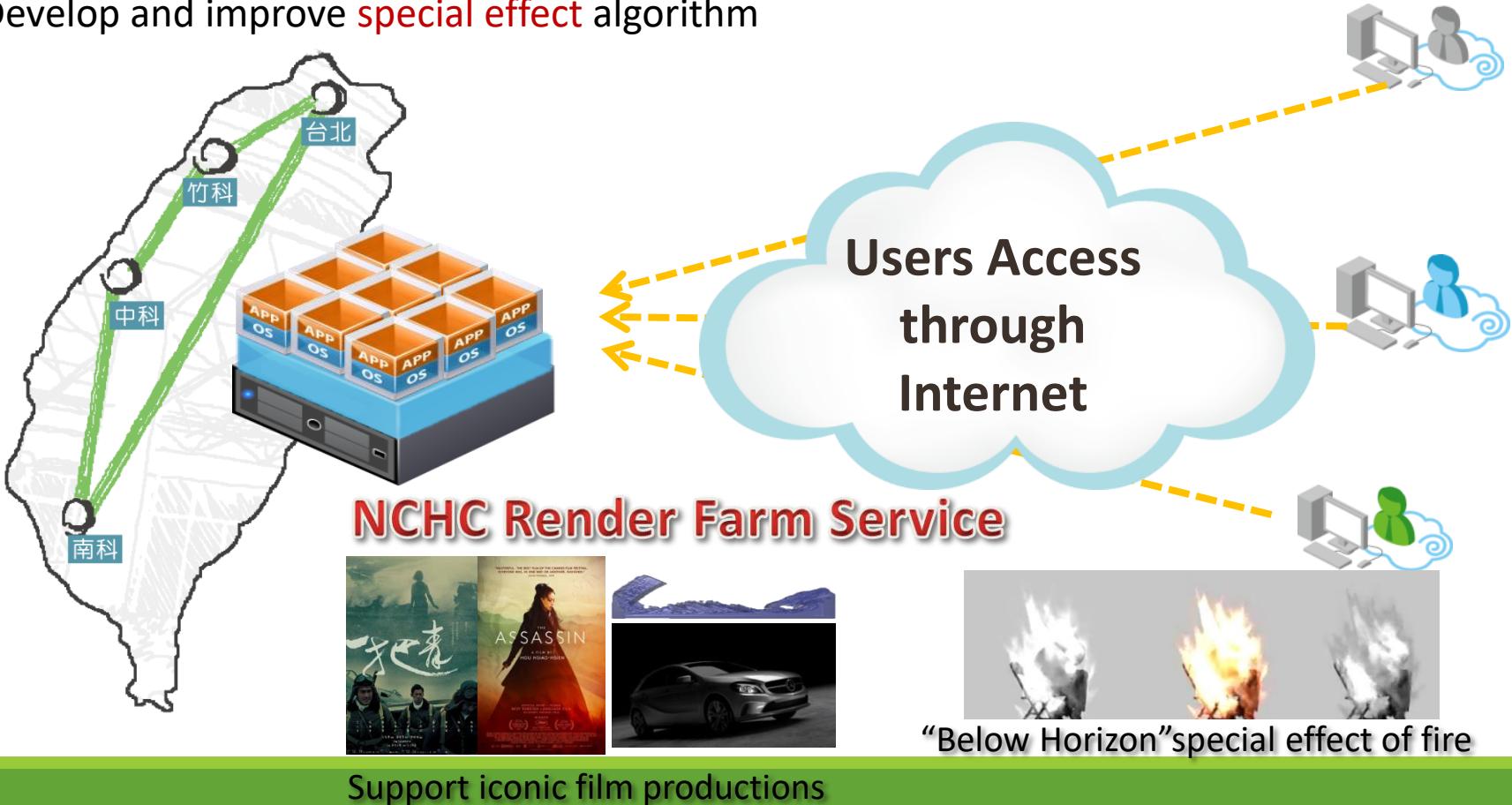
Service Models

- **Time sharing** for research and academia
- **Dedicated** platform for governmental data
 - providing de-identification tools for governmental departments



Render Farm

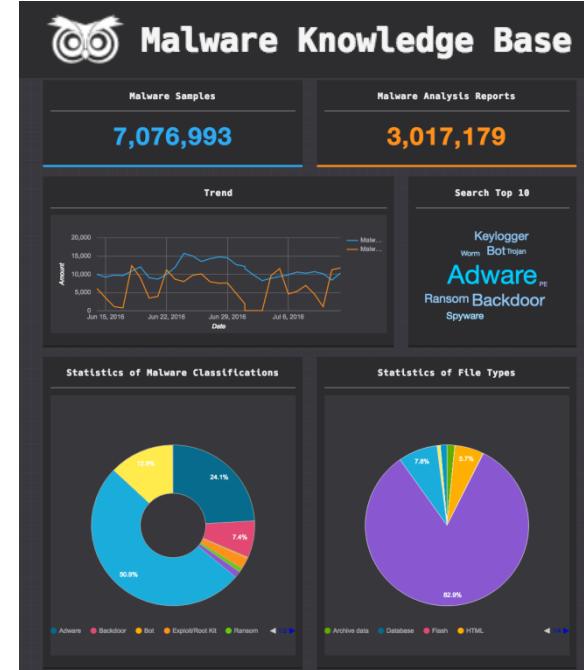
- Launched in 2011 to promote Taiwanese **animation film** industry
- Adopt market-leading rendering engines & management software
- Establish remote desktop using GPU to speed up film production
- Develop and improve **special effect** algorithm



Cyber Security

Malware behavior analysis

- Build the **Malware behavior knowledge database (13+ M malware samples)**, the only one in Taiwan
- Deploy a large-scale Honeynet platform (**6,000+ Honetpot & 65+ GB/Day**)
- Operate **TWCSIRT** (Taiwan Computer Security Incident Response Team) for Intelligence sharing and analysis in the cyberspace
- Organize the **IRCON** (Incident Response Conference) in Taiwan to connect with the other CERT/CC, CSIRT in the global



From HPC to AI

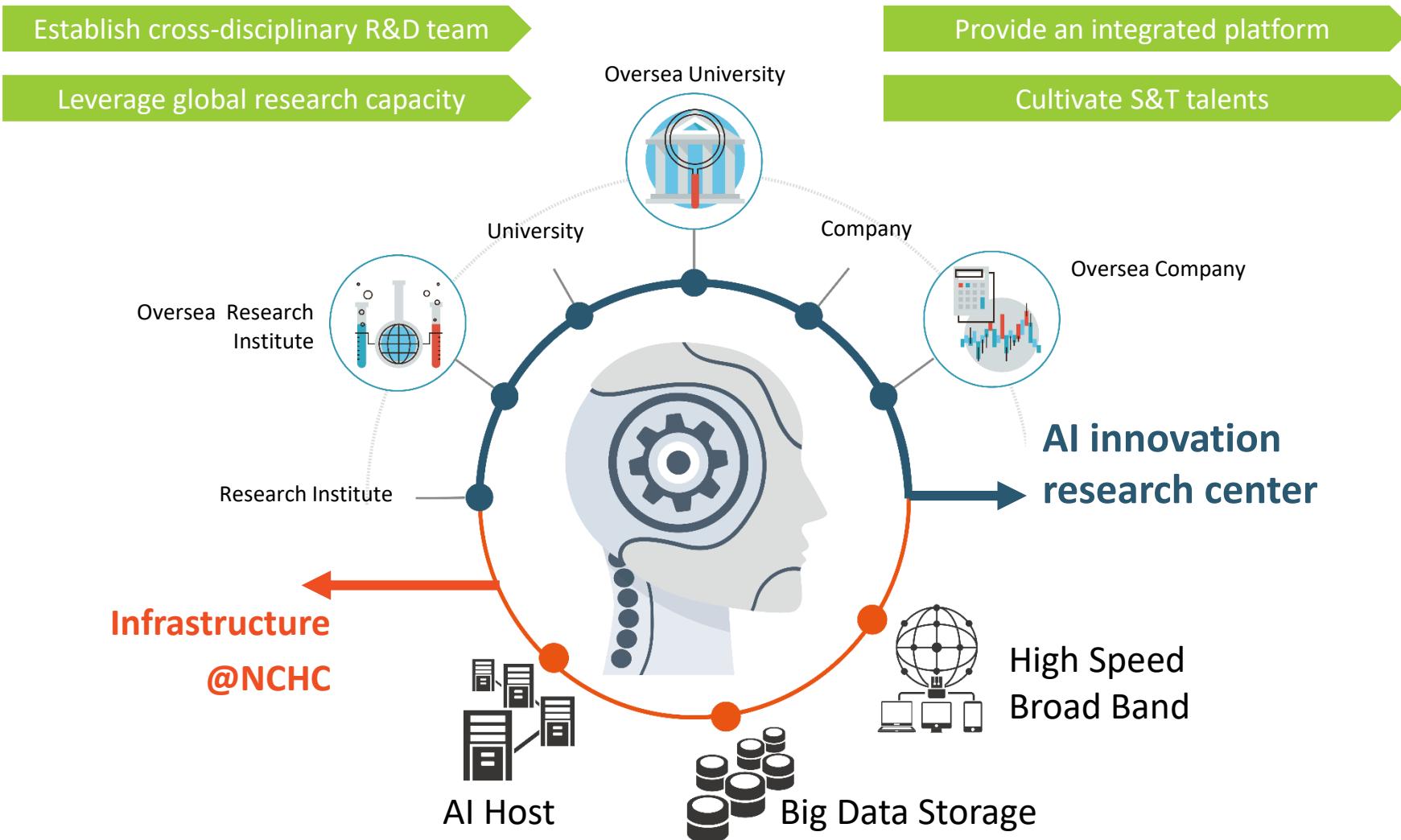
- NCHC AI Cloud
- National R&D Infrastructure for AI
- AI Platform-TWCC
- TWCC Service
- Impact of TWCC

Grand Plan in Taiwan

5 Strategies



NCHC Supporting AI Ecosystem of Taiwan



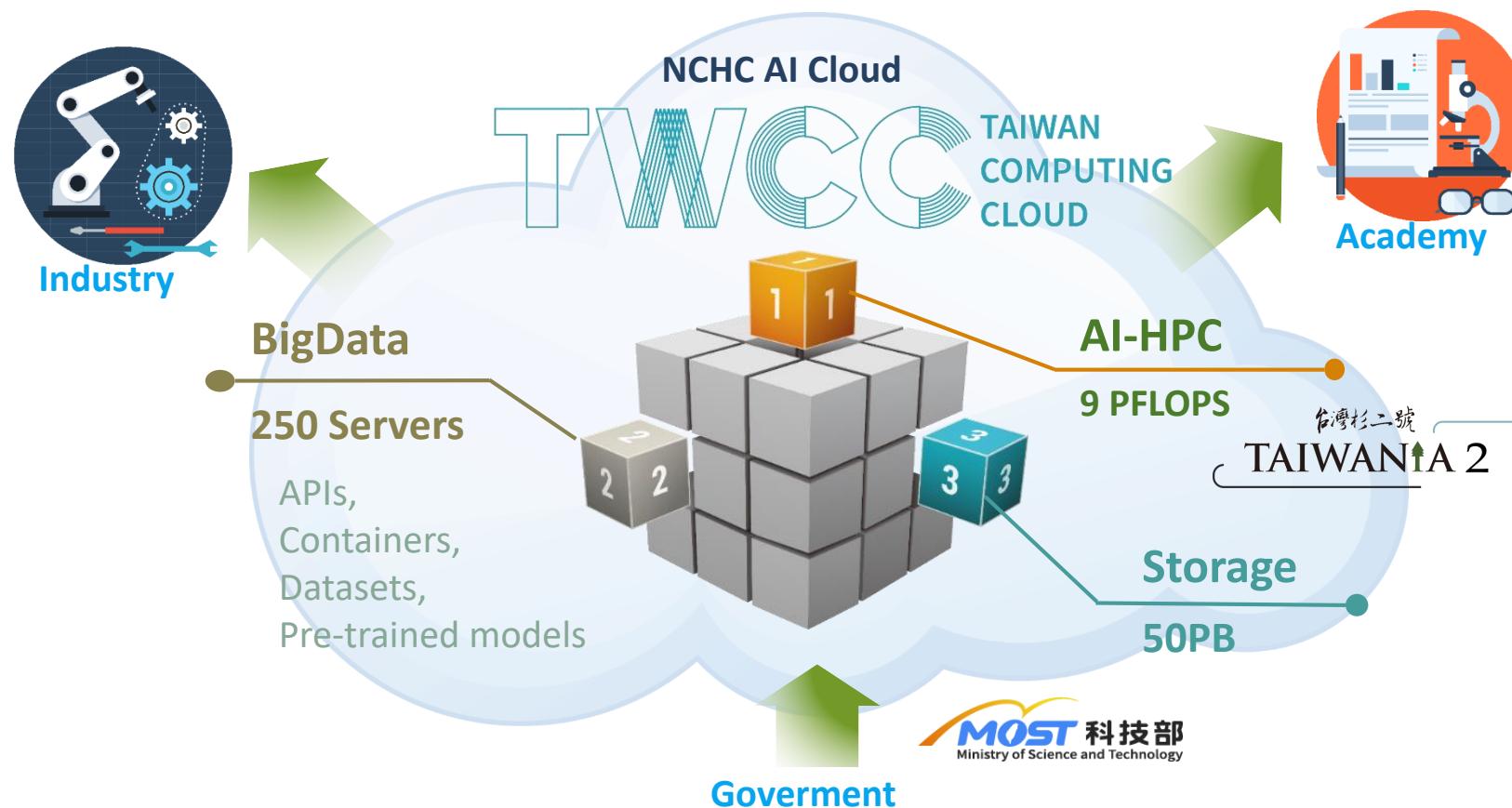
NCHC AI Cloud (4-year National Project)

Target

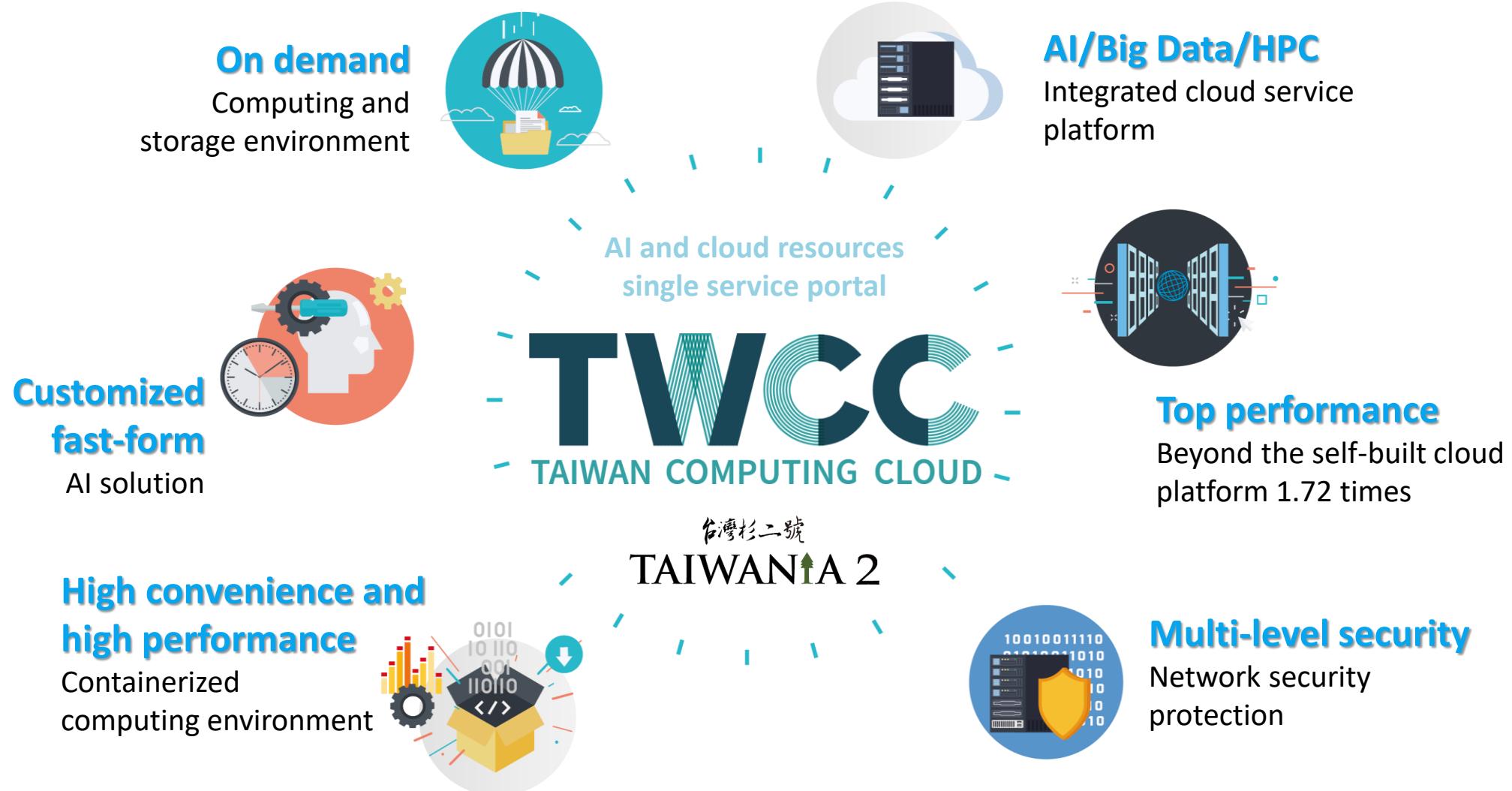
- Support AI Open Innovation Ecosystem in Taiwan
- Accelerate Taiwan's AI research and industry

Approach

- Leverage Taiwan's ICT superiority
- Take advantage of open AI frameworks, open learned models and open data



NCHC AI Platform-TWCC



TWCC Services

Rapid & Lightweight Deployment

Container Compute Service

Container Compute Service provides rapid deployment of GPU working environment and improves work efficiency by 29%.



Effective Command & Control

High-performance Computing

Deploy a multi-node, multi-GPU, distributed high-performance parallel computing environment that produces at least 30% higher efficiency.



Smart & Speedy Computations in One

Virtual Compute Service

Create a safe, secure, and flexible Virtual Compute Service instance in short order.



Secure Data Repository

Data Storage Service

~50 PB Hyper File System storage so far and still being expanded and upgraded .



Application



Smart City



Disaster Mitigation



Industry 4.0



Autonomous Car



Biomedical Science



Robotics

Service



Image Recognition



Text Mining



Natural Language Processing

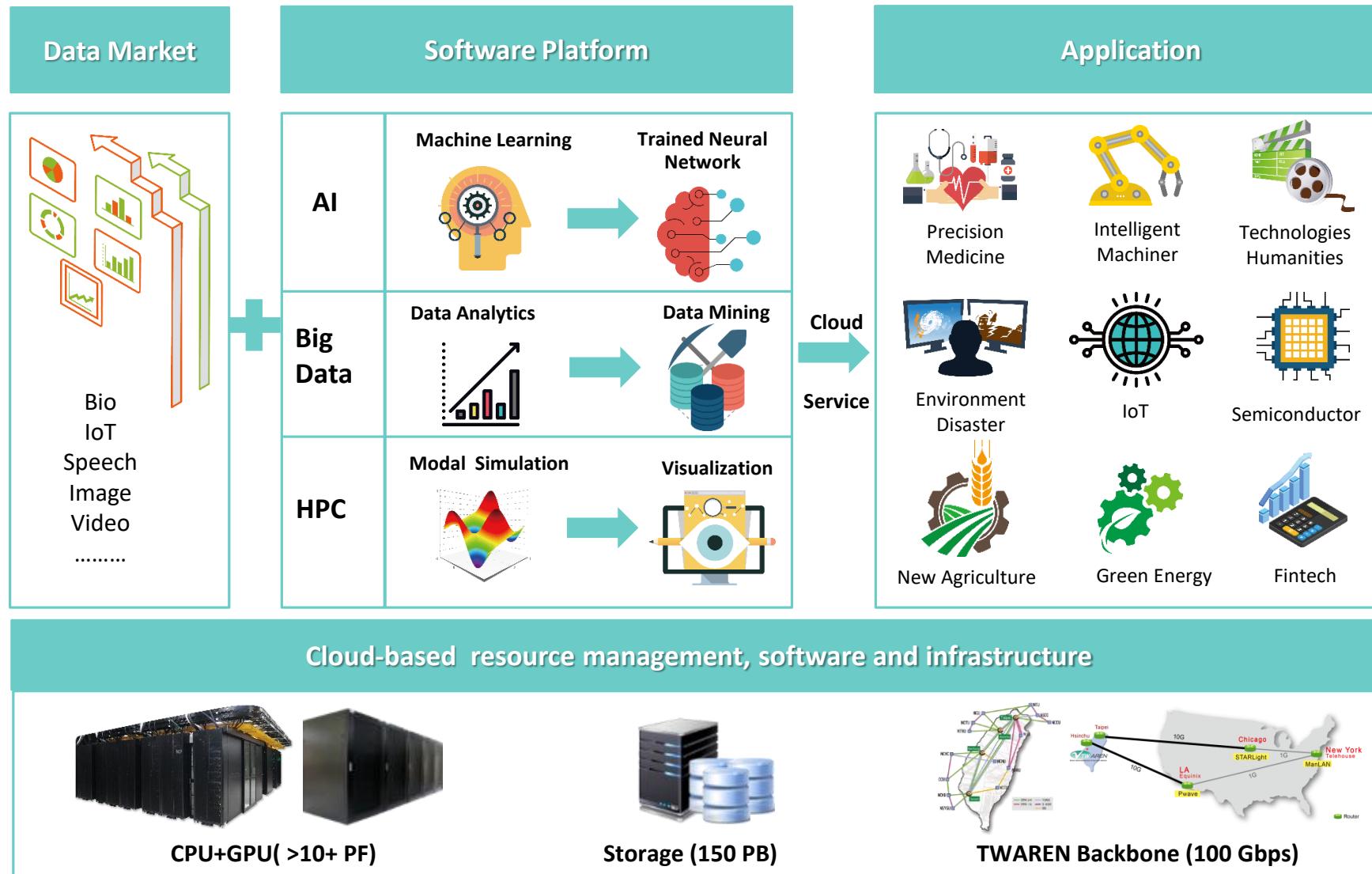


Vehicle Speed Estimation



Bioinformatics Analysis

TWCC (Taiwan Cloud Computing)- National Infrastructure for AI



Impact of TWCC



AI Image training

1.76 million

Sheets
Per second



Pathogen identification

shortened from

7 Days to 5 Hours



Disease detection

shortened from

One week to 12 Hours



Tumor diagnosis

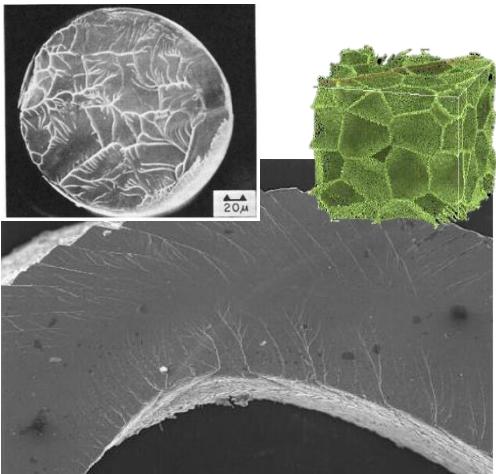
shortened from

48 Hours to 1 Hour

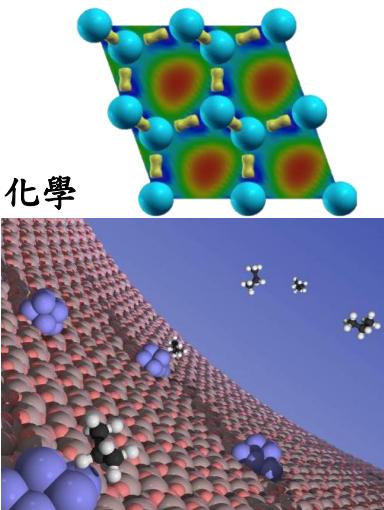
Taiwania2: 16 GPUs*126

材料應用領域

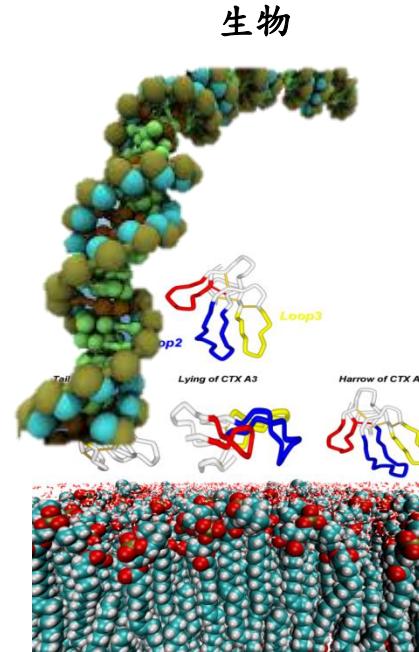
材料



物理

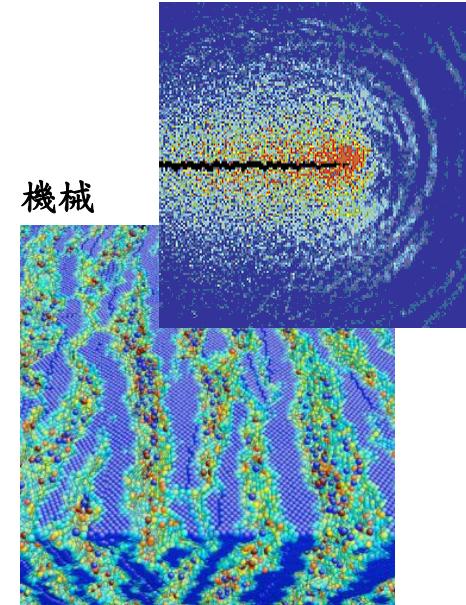


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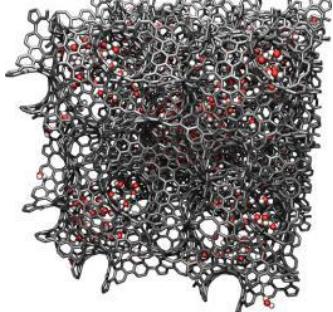
生物

機械



潛力應用: 半導體材料、能源材料、光電磁材料、合金材料...

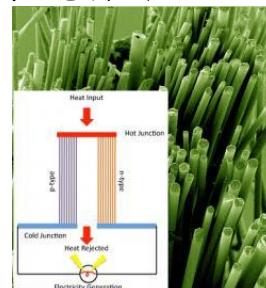
碳複合材料



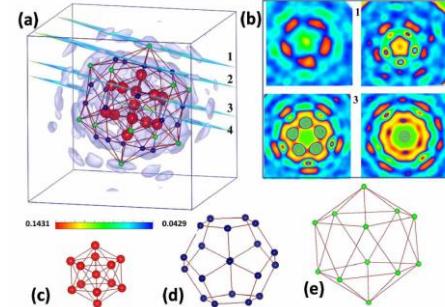
高強度合金



熱電材料



奈米結構



半導體材料

