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Computer Architecture Independent Adaptive Geometric
Multigrid Solver for AMR-PIC

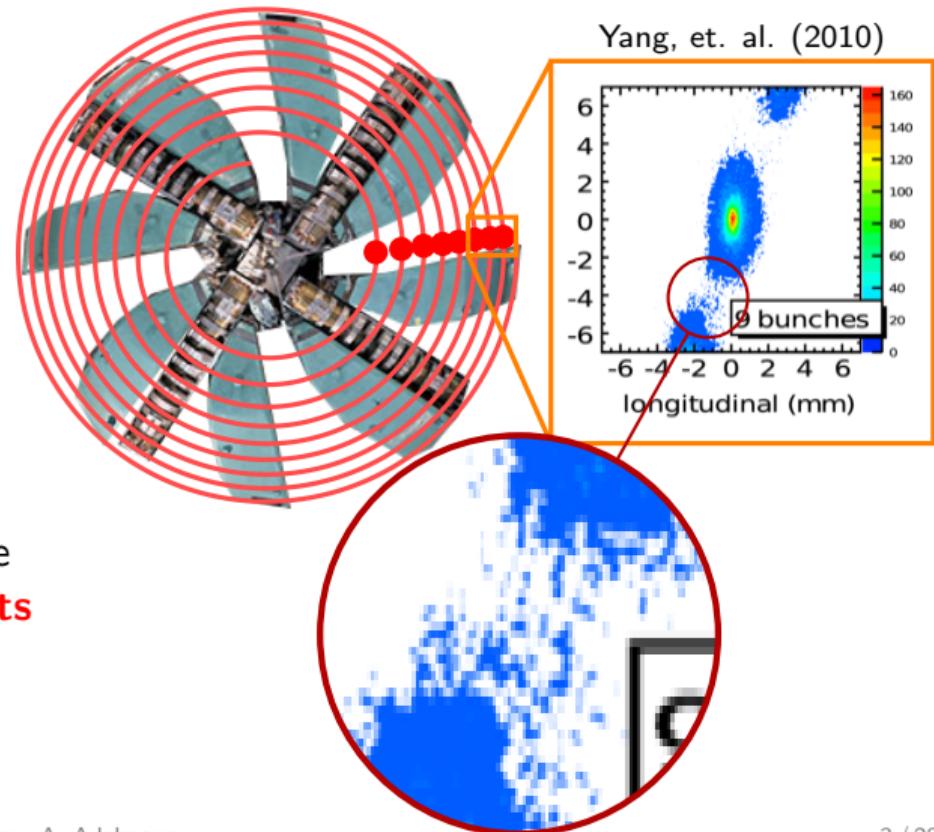
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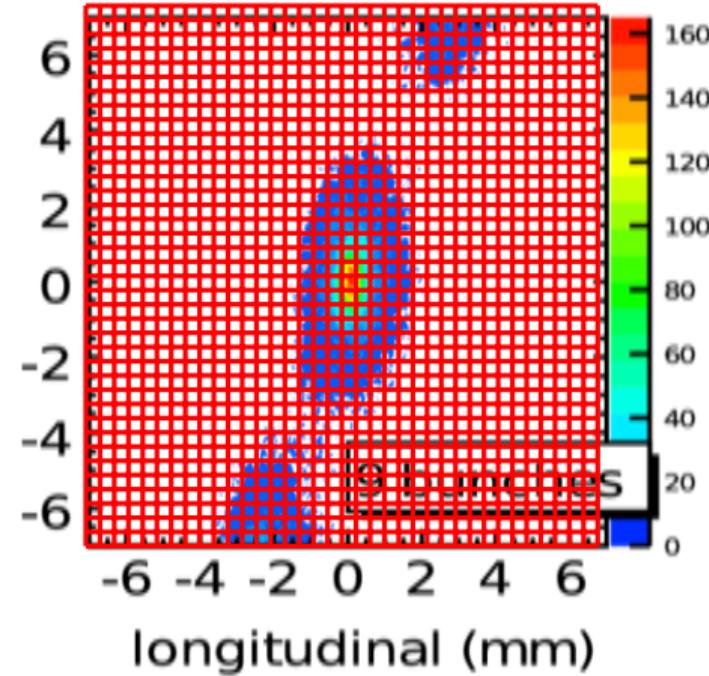
- Motivation
- Adaptive Geometric Multigrid
- Benchmarks
- Conclusion

Goal: Understand Halo Creation and Evolution

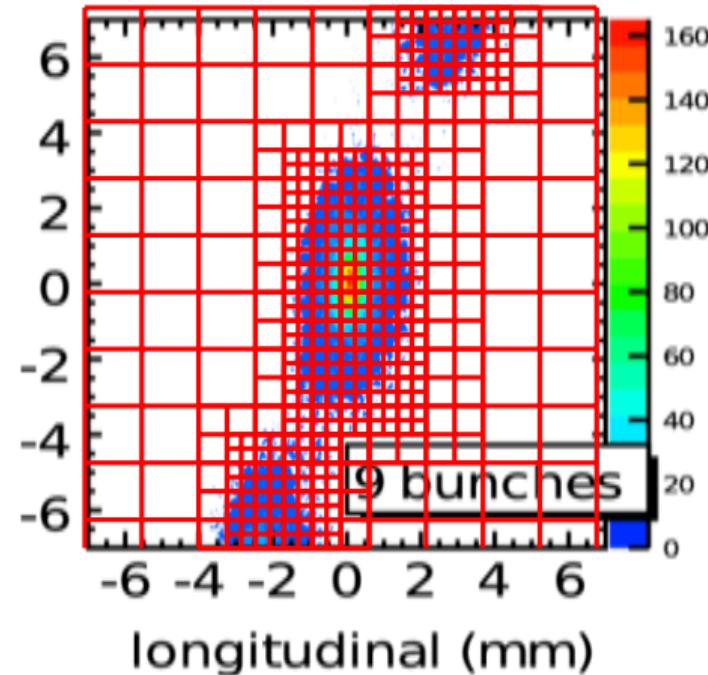
- Halo particles become losses
 - ⇒ machine activation
 - ⇒ machine intensity limitation
- Large scale N -body problems of $\mathcal{O}(10^9 \dots 10^{10})$ particles coupled with Maxwell's equations
- Particle-In-Cell (PIC) models fine mesh of $\mathcal{O}(10^8 \dots 10^9)$ grid points



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- **Adaptive Meshing:**
 - Save memory
 - Save computational effort
 - Used in CFD, astrophysics, etc.
- **Issue of state-of-the-art solvers:**
Implementation is hardware specific
(e.g. CPU, GPU)



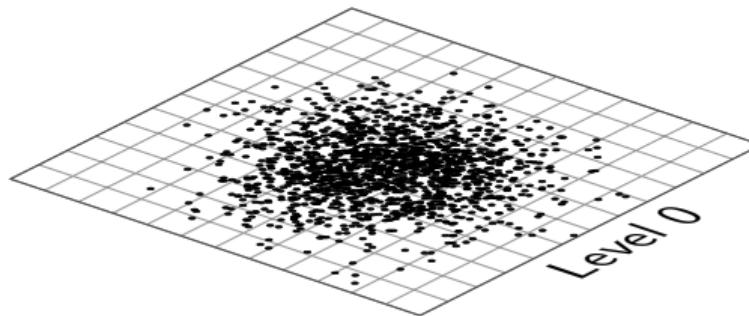
- **OPAL:** physics (<https://gitlab.psi.ch/OPAL/src/wikis/home>)
- **AMReX:** grids, formerly: BoxLib (<https://ccse.lbl.gov/AMReX>)
- **Trilinos:** Amesos2, Belos, Ifpack2, MueLu, Tpetra
(<https://trilinos.org/>)

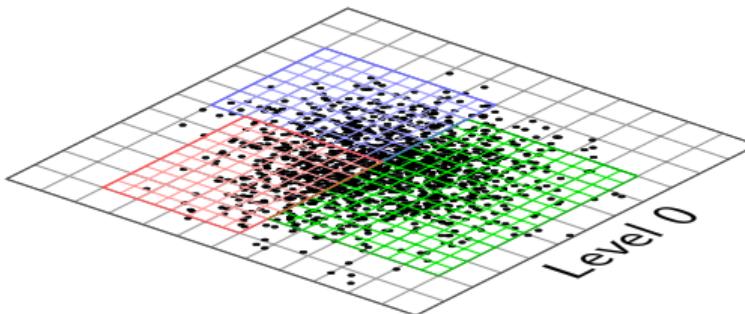


Piz Daint at CSCS

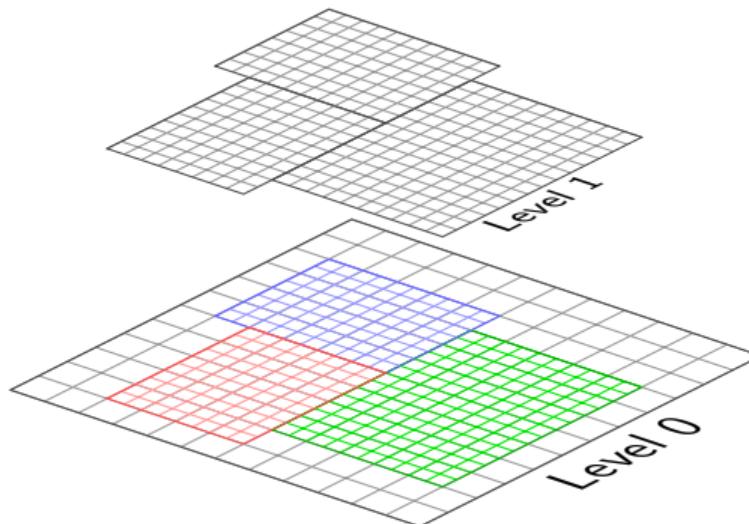
Taken from <https://www.cscs.ch/computers/piz-daint/>

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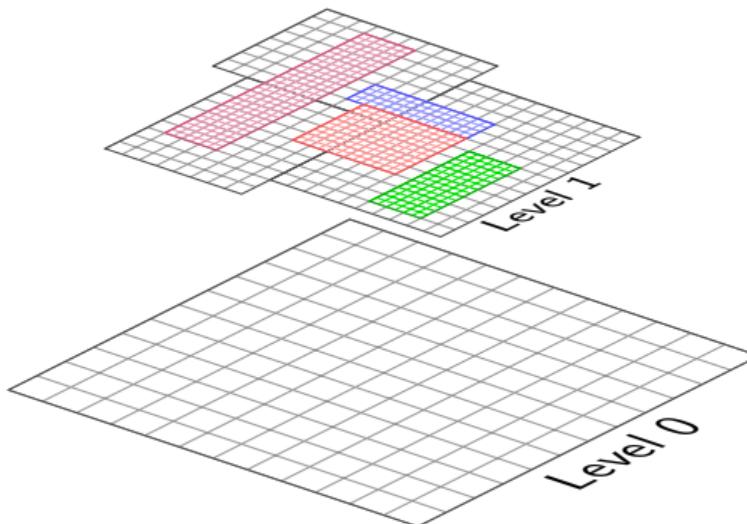




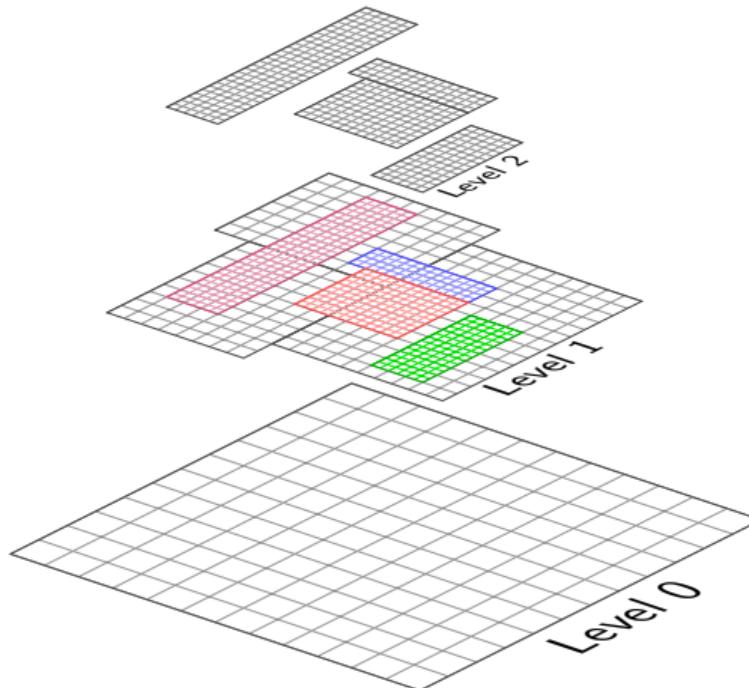
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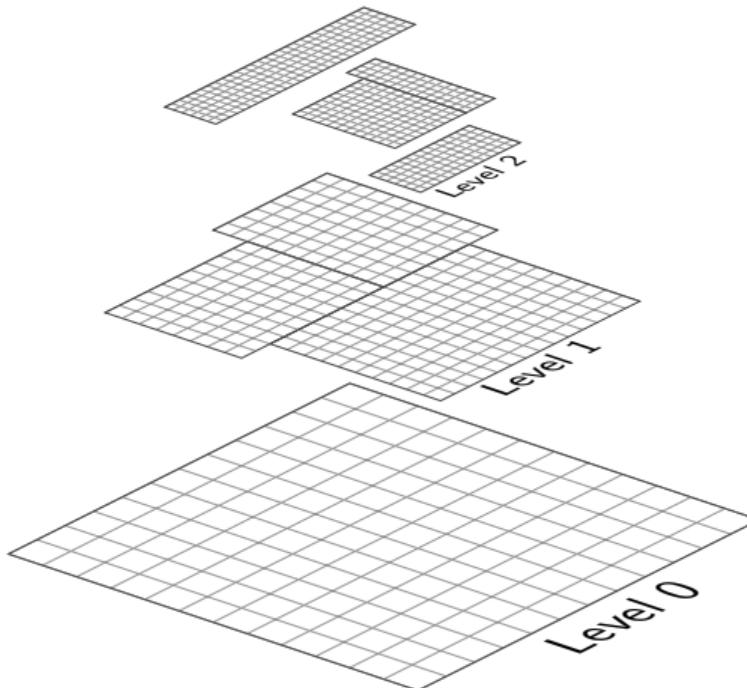
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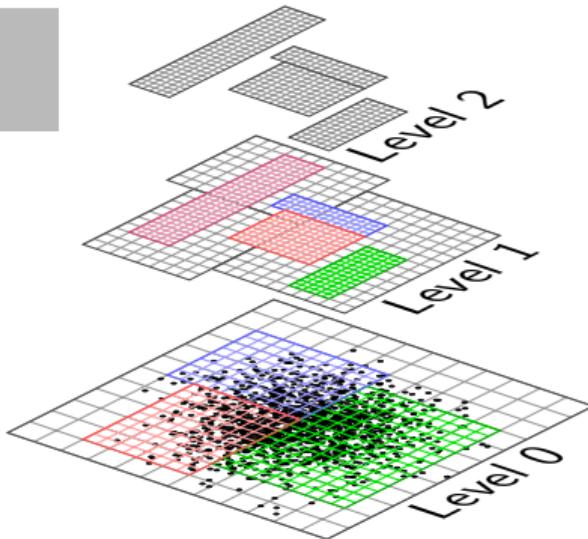


- Generate level 2



- Generate level 2
- Maximum level reached (user-defined)

How to solve Poisson's Equation with AMR?



Dan F. Martin and Keith L. Cartwright. Solving
poisson's equation using adaptive mesh refinement.
Technical Report UCB/ERL M96/66, Univ. Calif.
Berkeley, 1996.

- **Poisson's equation:**

$$\Delta\phi(x, y, z) = -\frac{\rho}{\varepsilon_0}$$
$$\phi(\infty) = 0$$

with charge density ρ , vacuum permittivity ε_0 and potential ϕ .

- **Difficulty:** Continuity conservation of ϕ !
- **Solution:** elliptic matching condition, i.e.
Dirichlet + Neumann condition at coarse-fine
interfaces

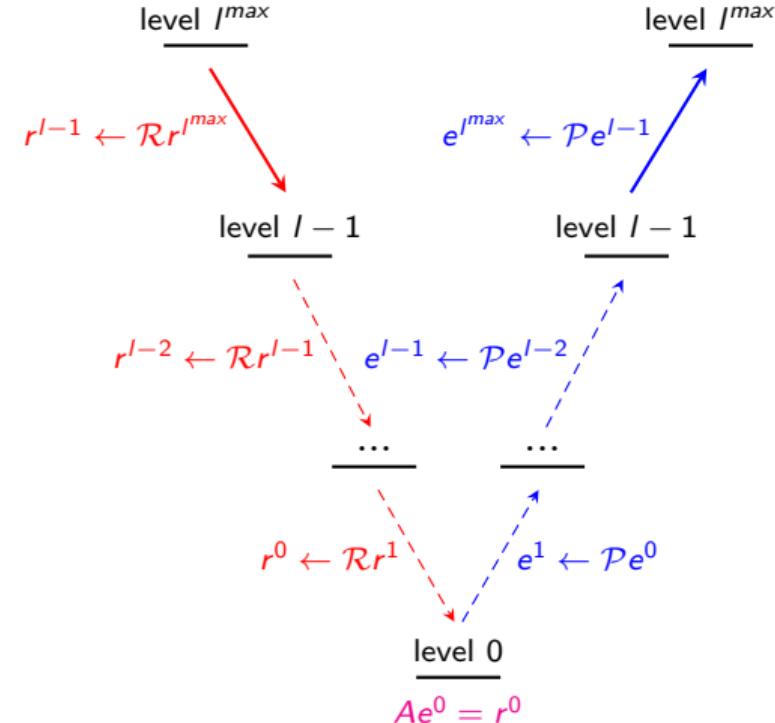
AMR Multigrid Poisson Solver

V-cycle (residual correction formulation) Algorithm

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1: function RELAX( $l$ )
2:   if  $l = l^{\max}$  then
3:      $r^l \leftarrow \rho^l - \mathcal{L}\phi^l$  ( $\mathcal{L}$ : Laplace operator)
4:   end if
5:   if  $l > 0$  then
6:      $\phi^{l,\text{save}} \leftarrow \phi^l$ 
7:      $e^{l-1} \leftarrow 0$ 
8:     SMOOTH( $e^l, r^l$ )
9:      $\phi^l \leftarrow \phi^l + e^l$ 
10:     $r^{l-1} \leftarrow \mathcal{R}r^l$             $\triangleright$  restrict residual
11:    RELAX( $l - 1$ )
12:     $e^l \leftarrow \mathcal{P}e^{l-1}$         $\triangleright$  prolongate error
13:     $r^l \leftarrow r^l - \mathcal{L}e^l$ 
14:     $\delta e^l \leftarrow 0$ 
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17:     $\phi^l \leftarrow \phi^{l,\text{save}} + e^l$ 
18:   else
19:     solve  $Ae^0 = r^0$ 
20:      $\phi^0 \leftarrow \phi^0 + e^0$ 
21:   end if
22: end function

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- Kokkos allows **portable code** between hardware architectures **without changing your code!**
 - GPU
 - OpenMP / PThreads / serial

- **8 CRS-matrices**

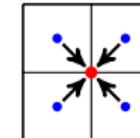
(prolongation, restriction, (composite) Poisson, boundaries, ...)

- **4 vectors**

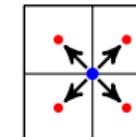
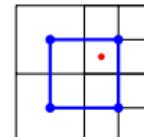
(RHS, LHS, residual, error)

- **Restriction:** simple averaging ($N = 4$ in 2D, $N = 8$ in 3D)

$$\phi^c = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} \phi_i^f,$$

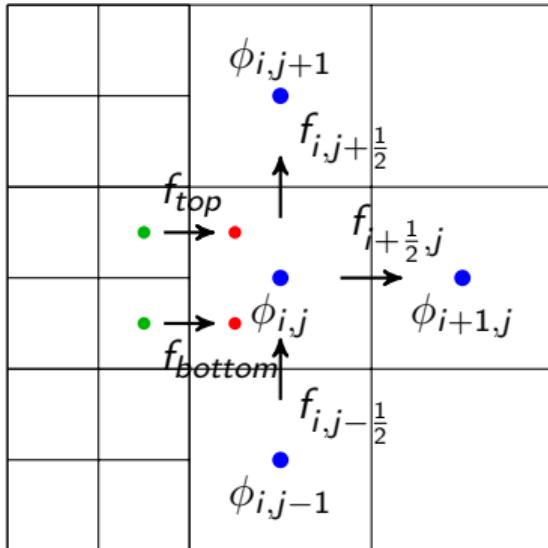


- **Prolongation:** Trilinear interp. or piecewise const. interp



Coarse-Fine-Interface

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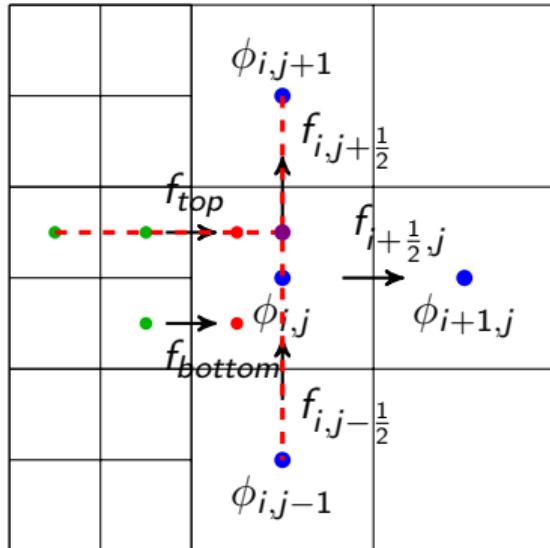
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\implies Lagrange interpolation

2nd Order Lagrange Interpolation in 2D

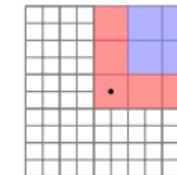
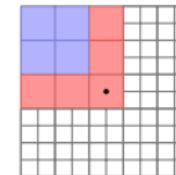
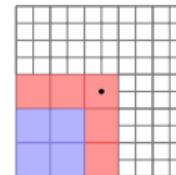
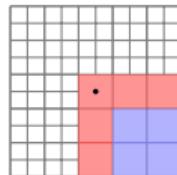
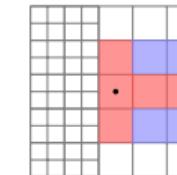
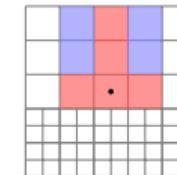
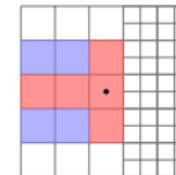
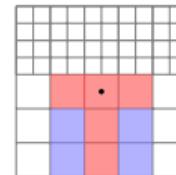
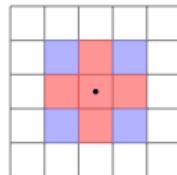
In 3D → 2D interface normal to boundary

$$g(u, v) = \sum_{i,j=0}^2 f(u_i, v_j) L_i(u) L_j(v)$$

with

$$L_i(x) = \frac{(x - x_k)(x - x_l)}{(x_i - x_k)(x_i - x_l)} \quad (l \neq i \neq k \neq l)$$

Cells need to be uncovered! \Rightarrow 9 possible configurations



2nd Order Lagrange Interpolation

Bit pattern

20	21	22	23	24
15	16	17	18	19
10	11	12	13	14
5	6	7	8	9
0	1	2	3	4

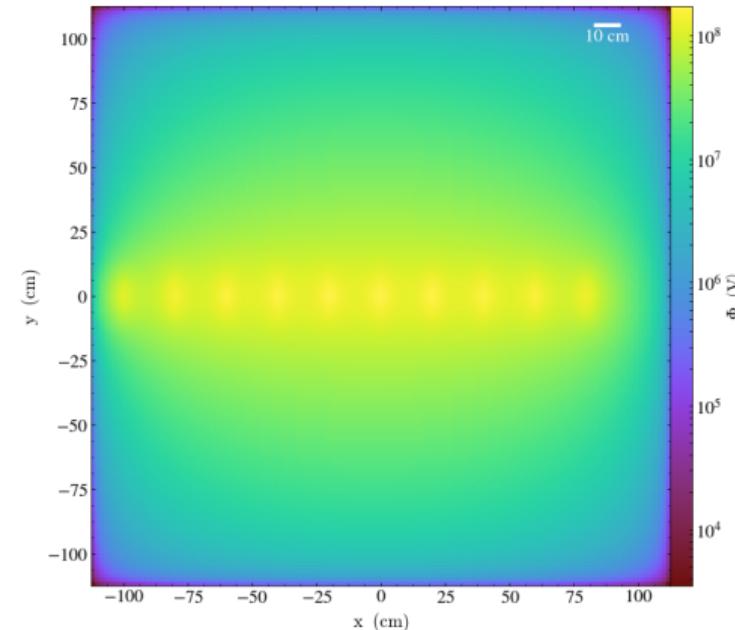
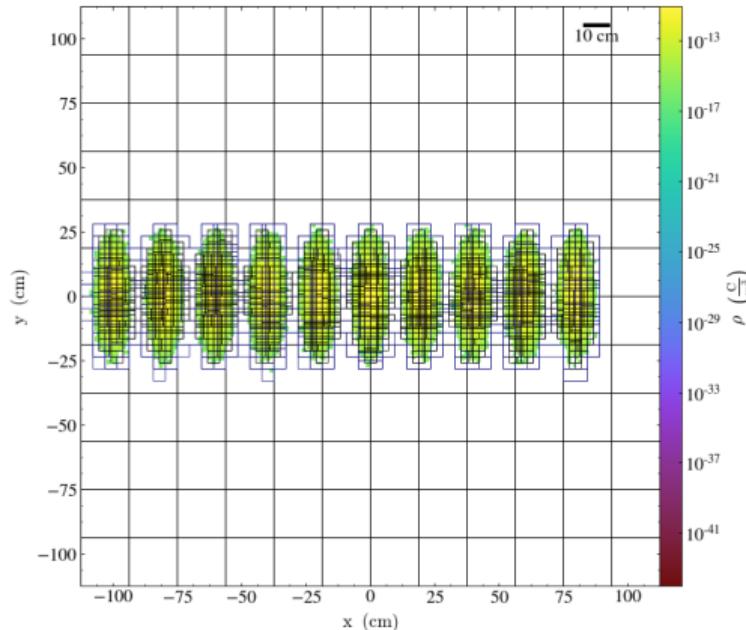
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unsigned long case

0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	473'536	0
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0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0	236'768	2
0 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	15'153'152	3
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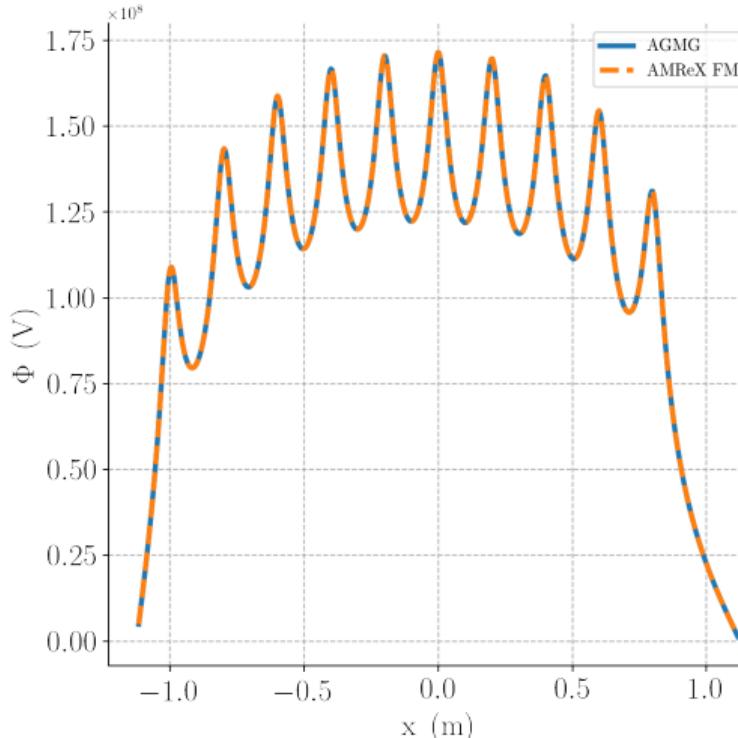
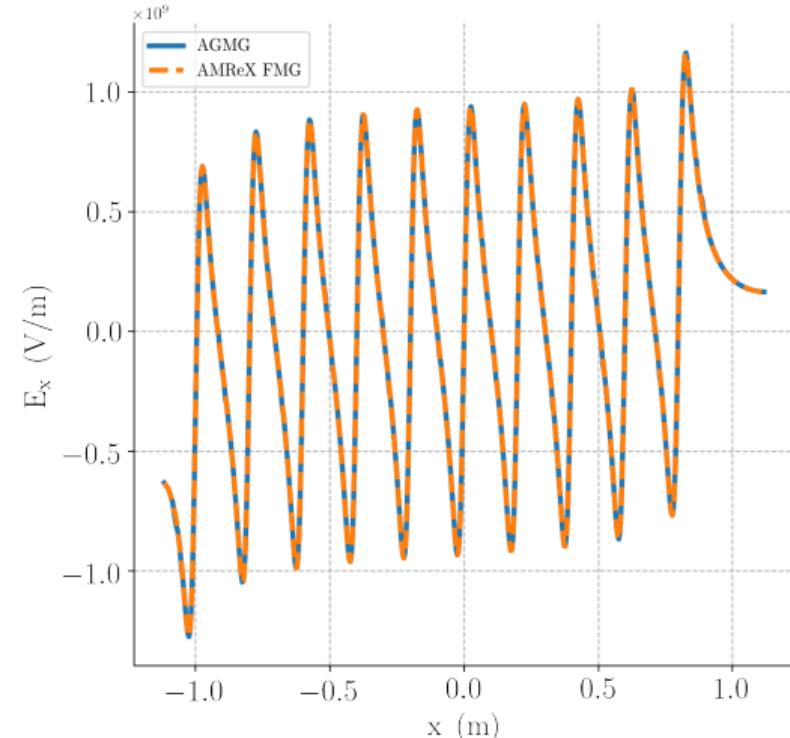
Benchmark - Projection-Plots (axis z)



M. J. Turk, B. D. Smith, J. S. Oishi, S. Skory, S. W. Skillman, T. Abel, M. L. Norman, yt: A Multi-code Analysis Toolkit for Astrophysical Simulation Data, *Astrophysical Journal, Supplement* 192 (2011) 9.

Benchmark - Lineplots AMReX FMG vs. AGMG

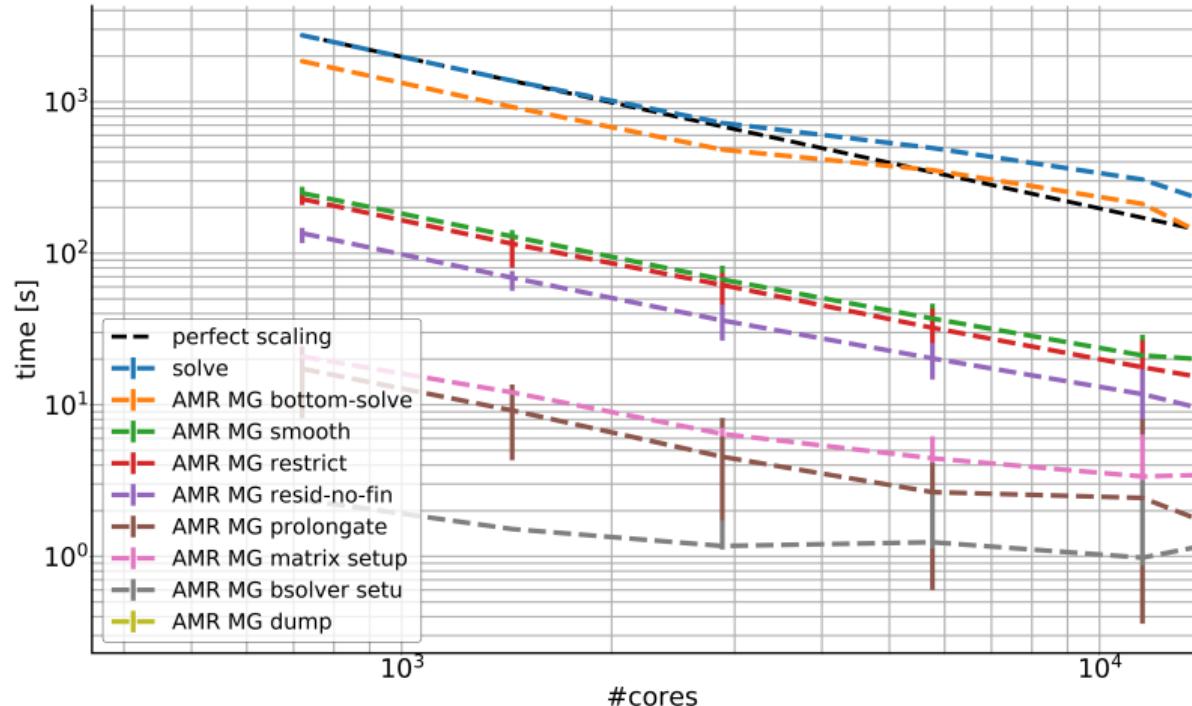
Electrostatic Potential

Electric field in x 

- 10 bunches (each $\approx 3 \cdot 10^8$ particles)
- base grid: 576^3
- max. grid: 24
(\rightarrow max. 13'824 cores on base level)
- #level of refinement: 2
- 100 solves
(move each particle randomly within $[-0.001, 0.001]$ after every solve)

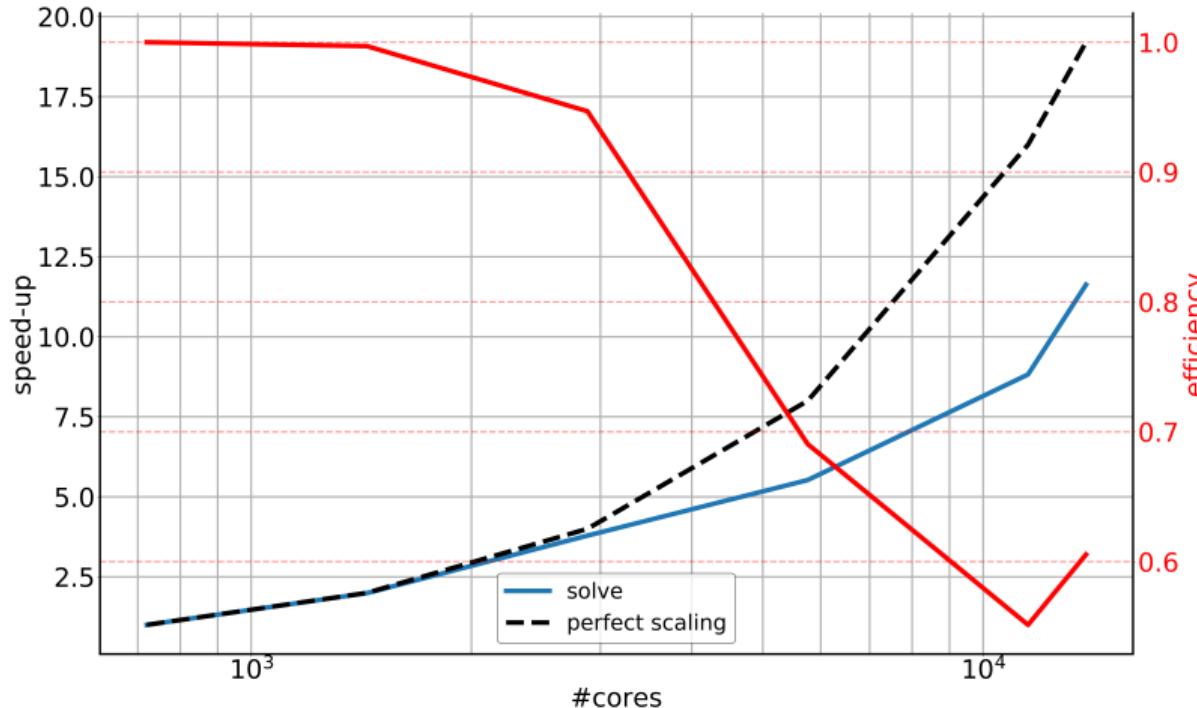
Strong Scaling

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Parallel Efficiency

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Solver ...

- works and gives **good scalability** (CPUs)
- **runs on GPUs** (EuroHack18: GPU Programming Hackathon)
- is hardware **architecture independent**
- is part of open-source beam dynamics code **OPAL**
- uses **structured aggregation** for bottom level linear system of equations solve (Sandia visit: 15th - 19th Oct. 2018)

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