

# Energy Aware Simulations

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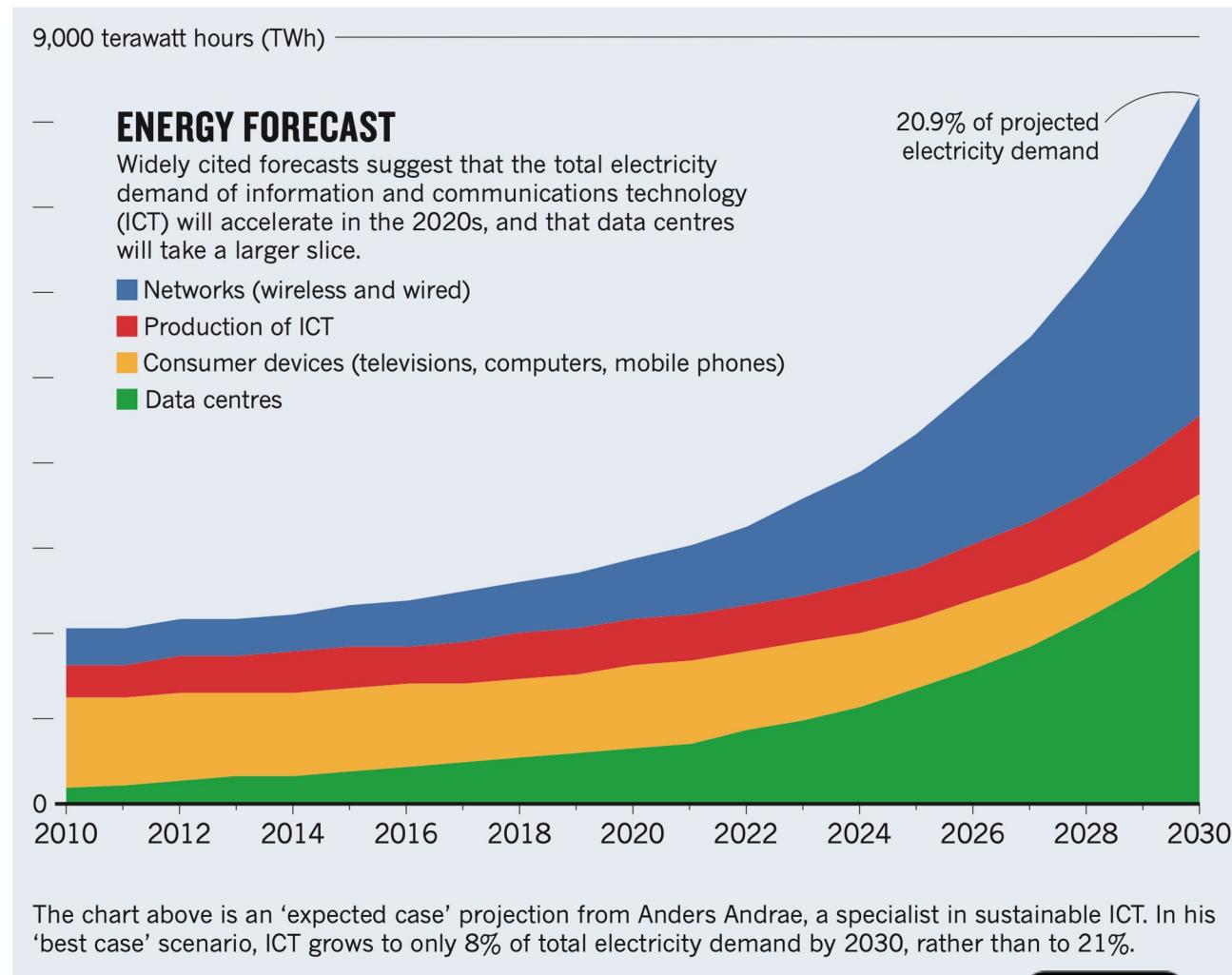
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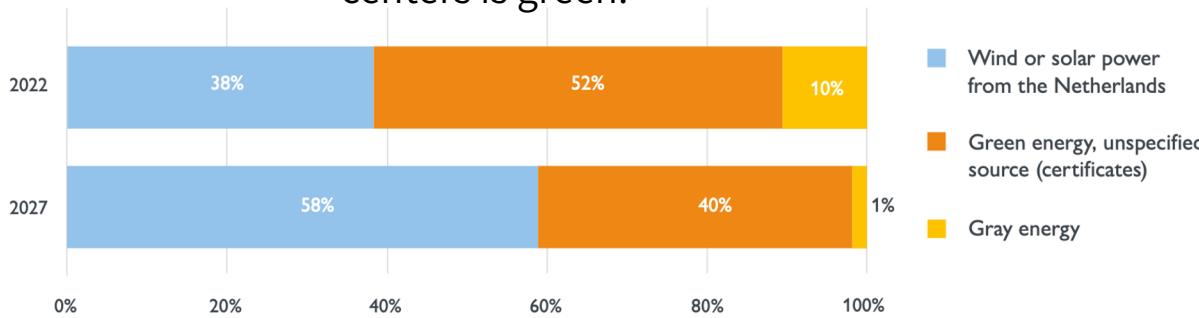
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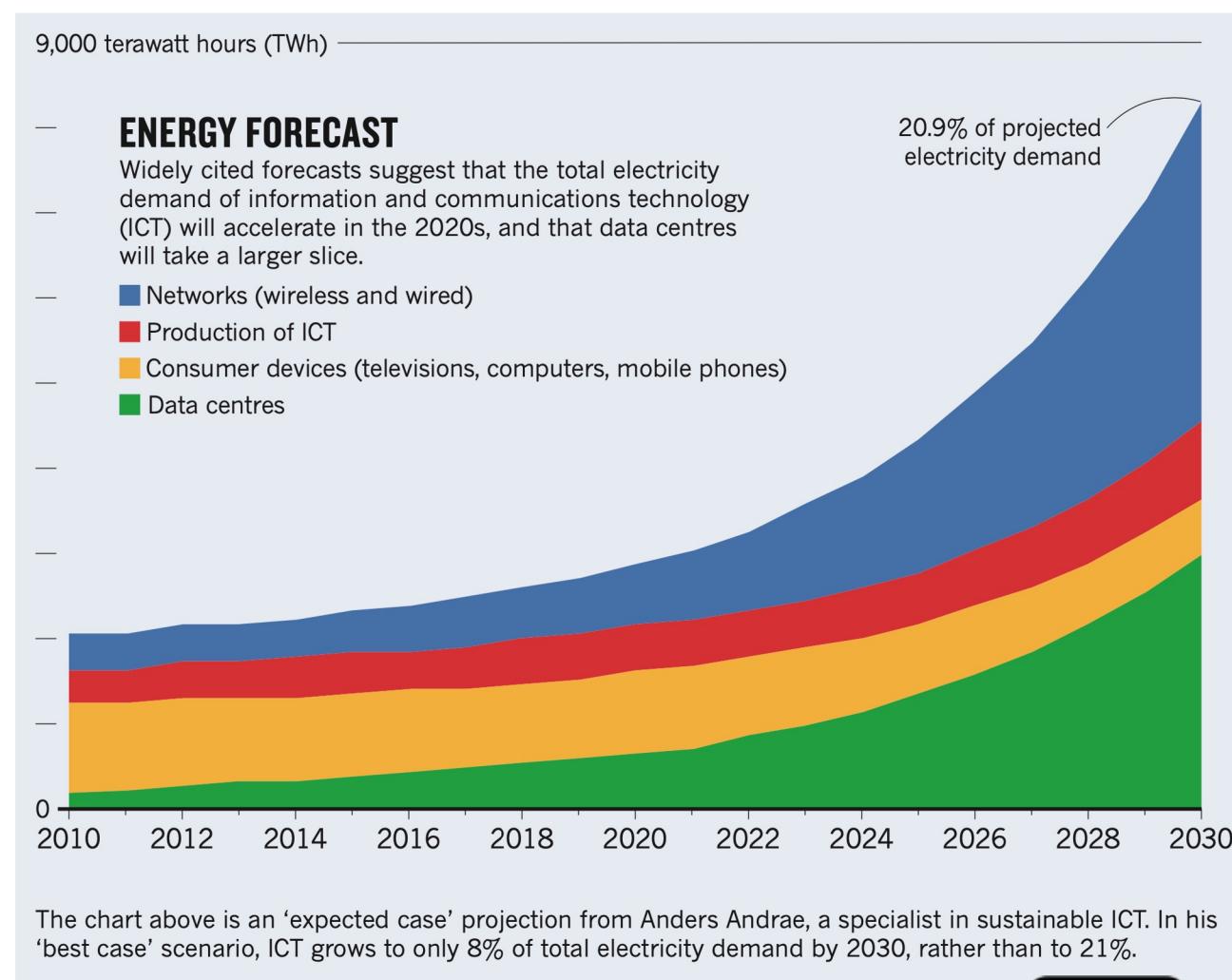
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  - 90% of all energy consumed by colocation data centers is green.



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# Snellius - Dutch National supercomputer

#254 (Phase 1 GPU) in TOP500 list (Nov 2022)

- #36 Green500 (Phase 1 GPU Nov 2022)
- #6 Green500 (Phase 1 GPU Nov 2021)
- CPU partitions (AMD EPYC™ 7H12, 2x 64 cores/socket):
  - 522 thin nodes (256 GiB)
  - 72 Fat nodes (1 TiB)
  - 4 high memory (2x 8 TiB, 2x 4 TiB)
- GPU partition (4x NVIDIA A100 GPUs):
  - 72 GPU (Intel Xeon Platinum 8360Y (2x) hosts)

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# Top 500 (Nov-2022)

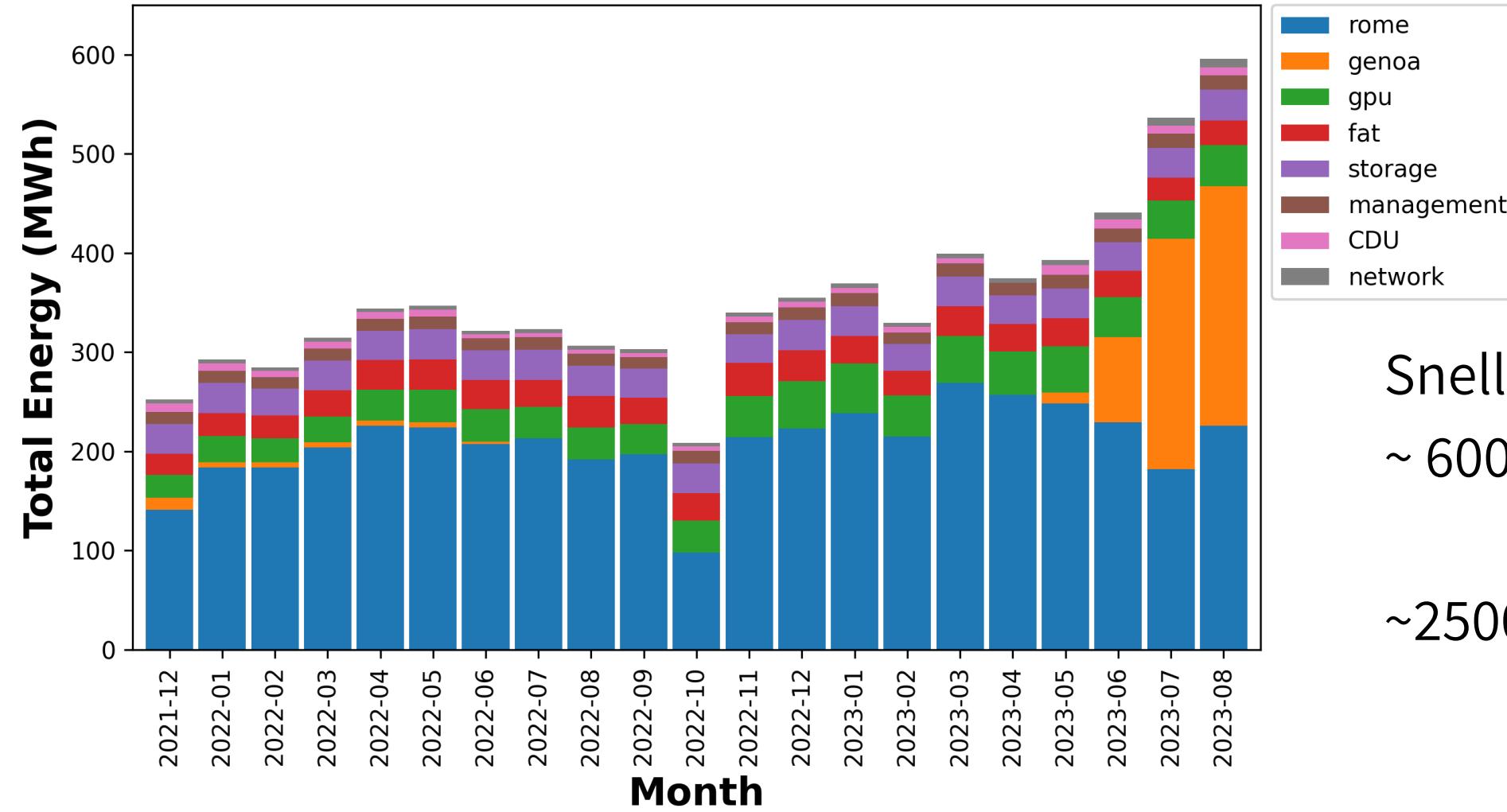
1. **Frontier** (21.1 MW) 1,102.0 PFlop/s
2. **Fugaku** (29.9 MW) 442.01 PFlop/s
3. **LUMI** (6.0 MW) 309 PFlop/s
4. **Leonardo** (5.6 MW) 174 PFlop/s
5. **Summit** (10.1 MW) 148 PFlop/s



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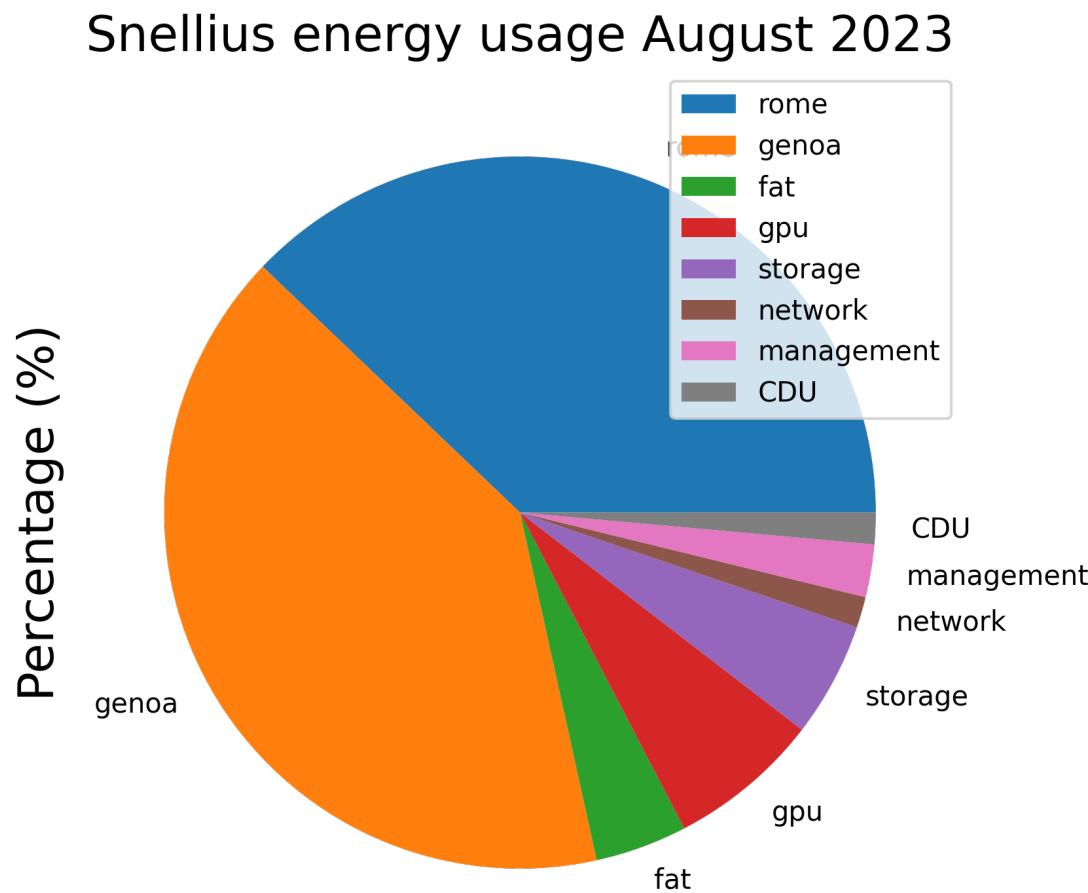
# Snellius - Total Energy Usage



Snellius in August used  
~ 600MWh of energy.

~2500 house holds worth

# Snellius - Energy usage per partition



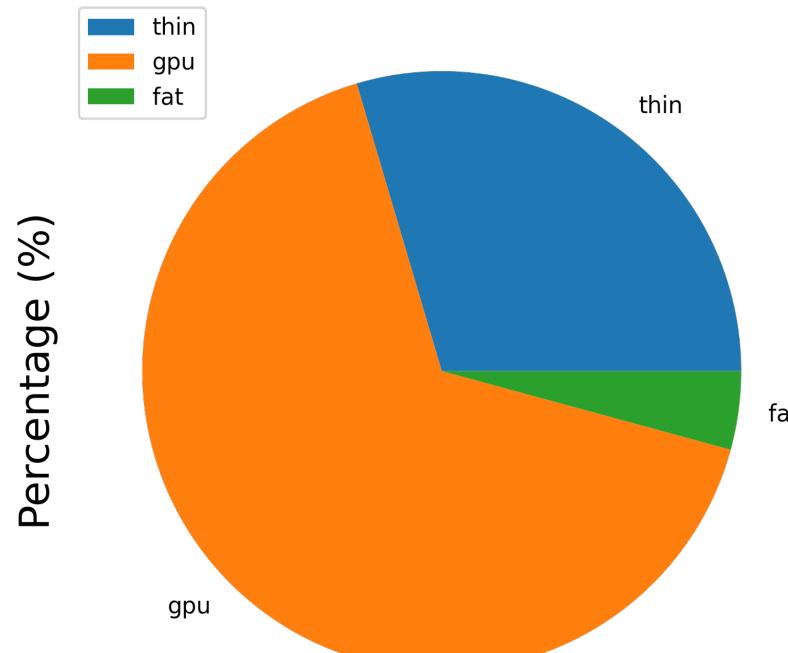
- 90% Compute
  - 80% CPU
    - 39% Rome
    - 41% Genoa
  - 7% Gpu
  - 3% Fat
- 10% Other
  - 5.0% Storage
  - 2.4% Management
  - 1.5% Cooling
  - 1.1% Network

# Performance vs Energy

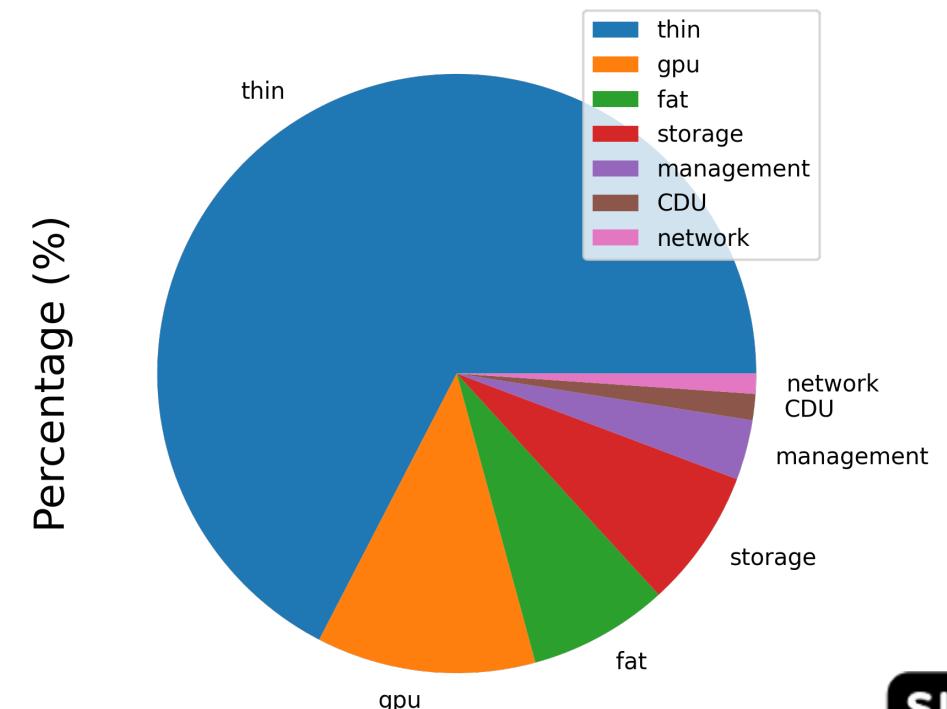
- **Thin (Rpeak) – 2.86 PFlops**
- **Fat (Rpeak) – 0.38 PFlops**
- **GPU (Rpeak) – 6.01 Pflops**

- **Thin – 269 MWh**
- **Fat – 30 MWh**
- **GPU – 47 MWh**

Theoretical Performance (Rpeak PFlop/s)

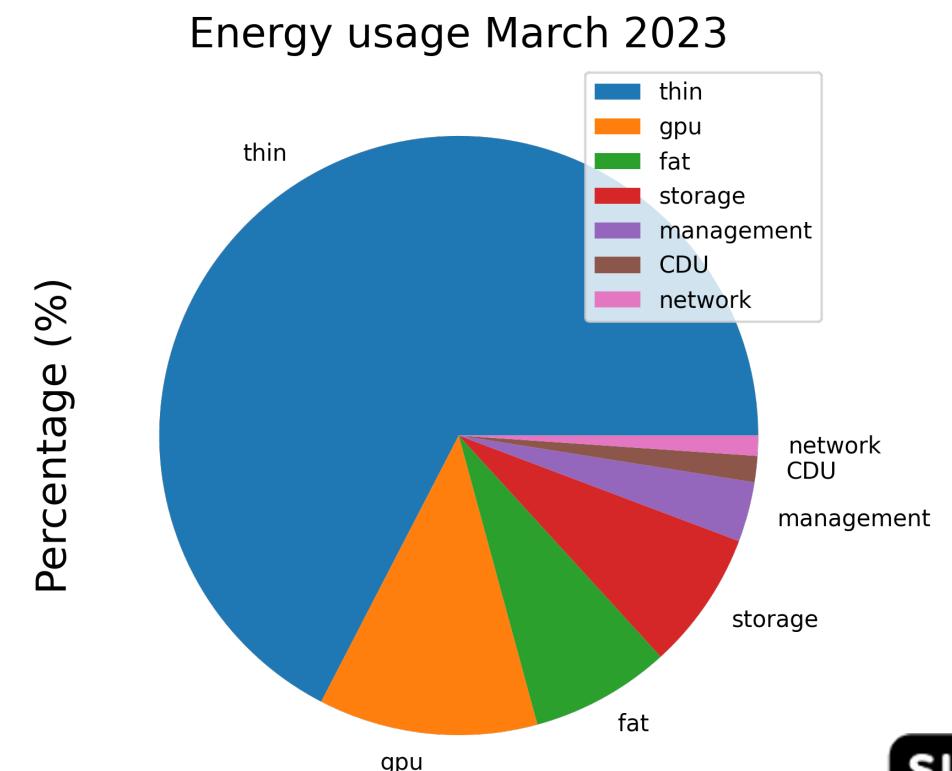
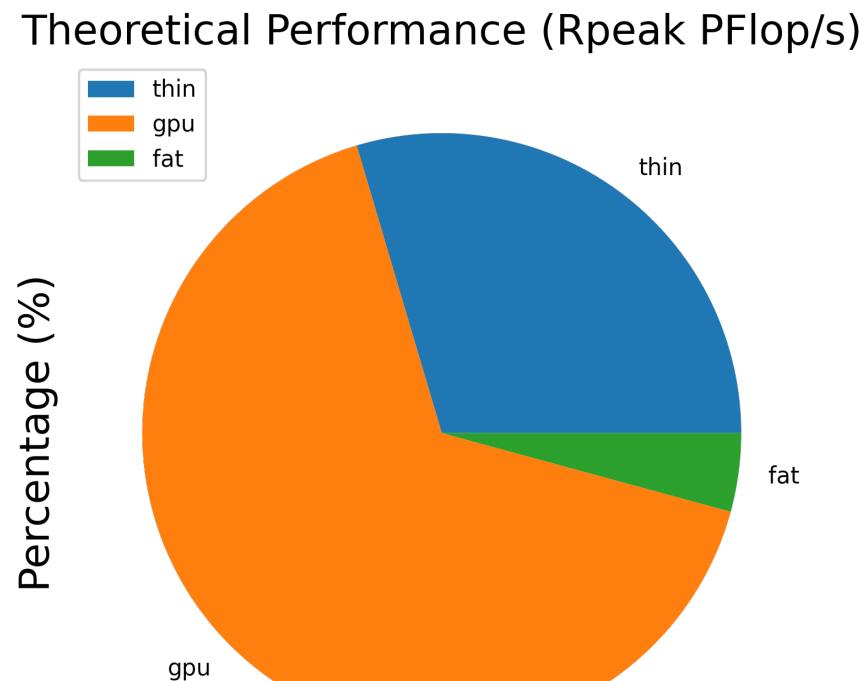


Energy usage March 2023



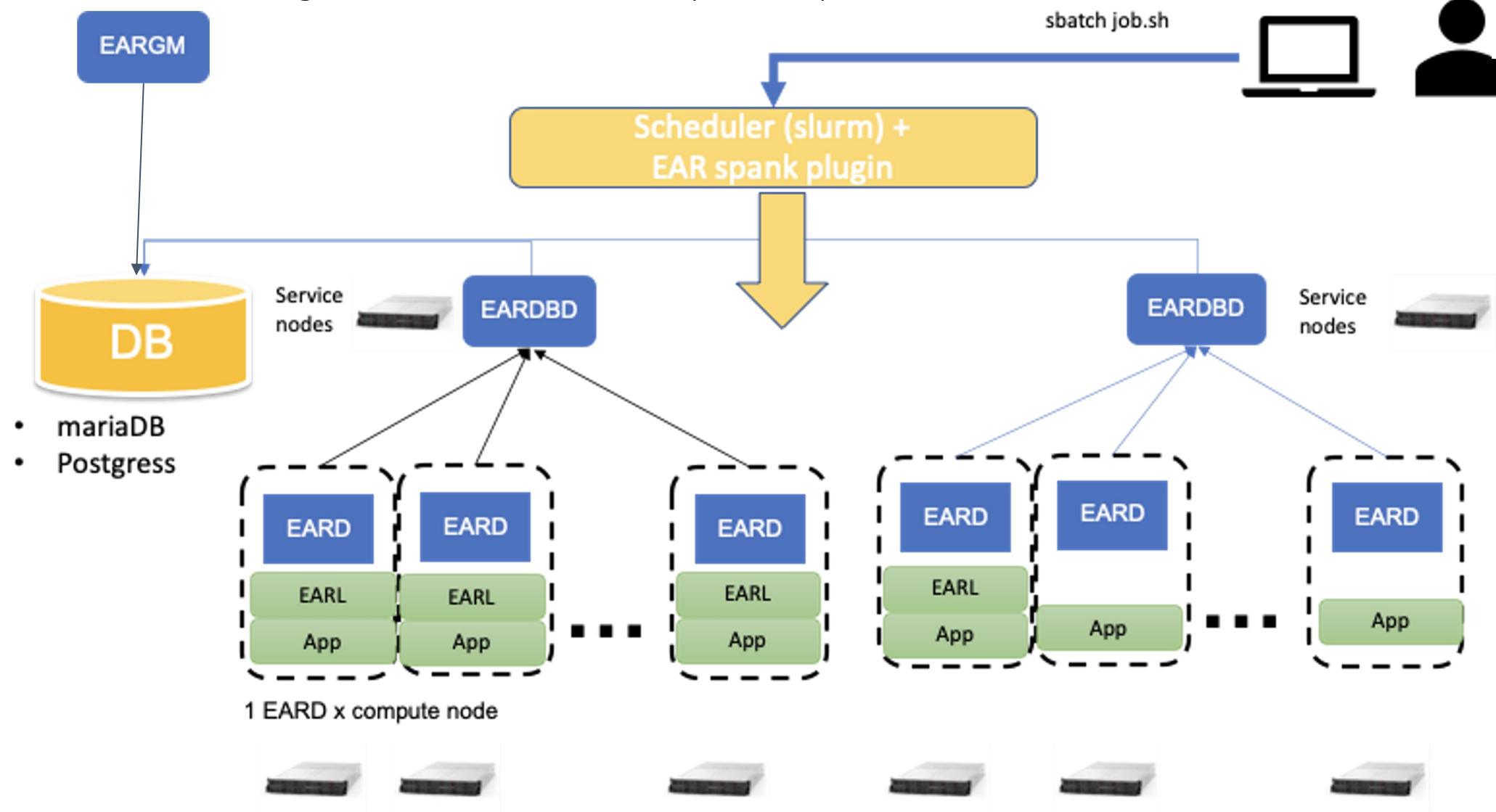
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**GPU ~ same compute for 1/5 the energy (March 2023)**



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- Intercepts the MPI symbols through the PMPI interface to provide “traces” of MPI applications.

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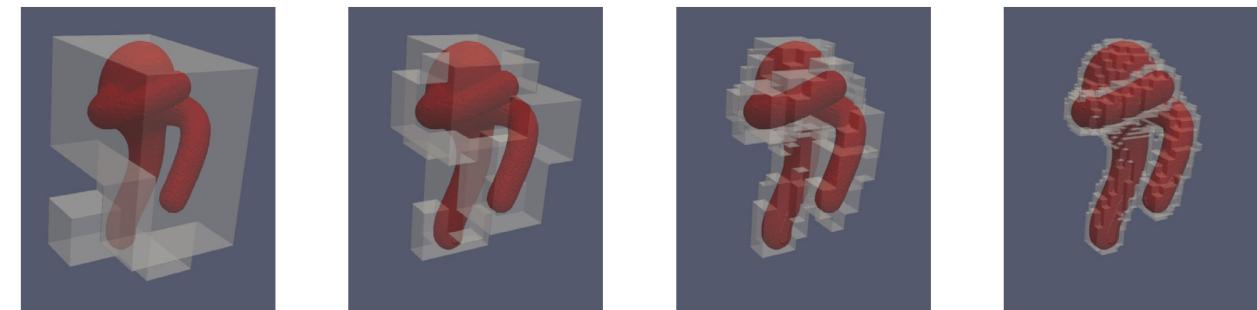
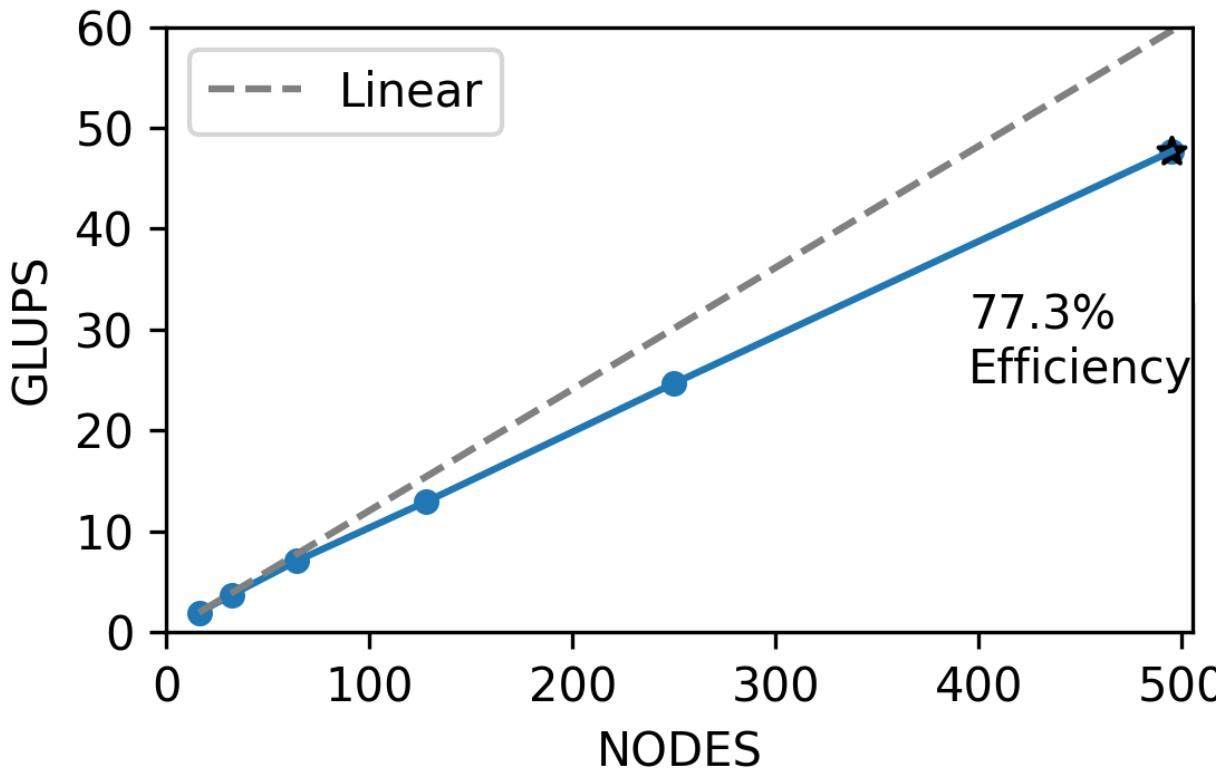
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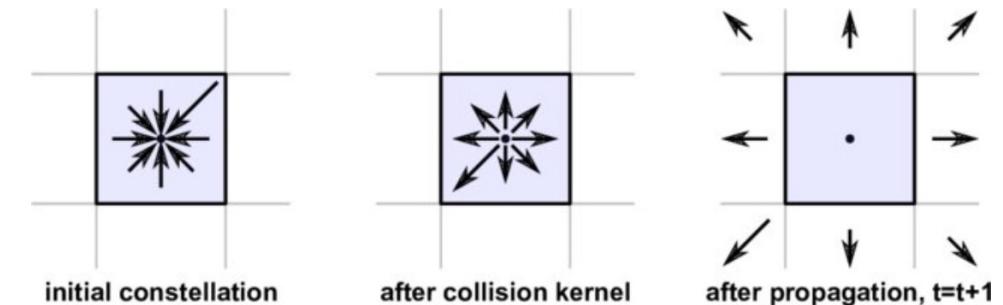
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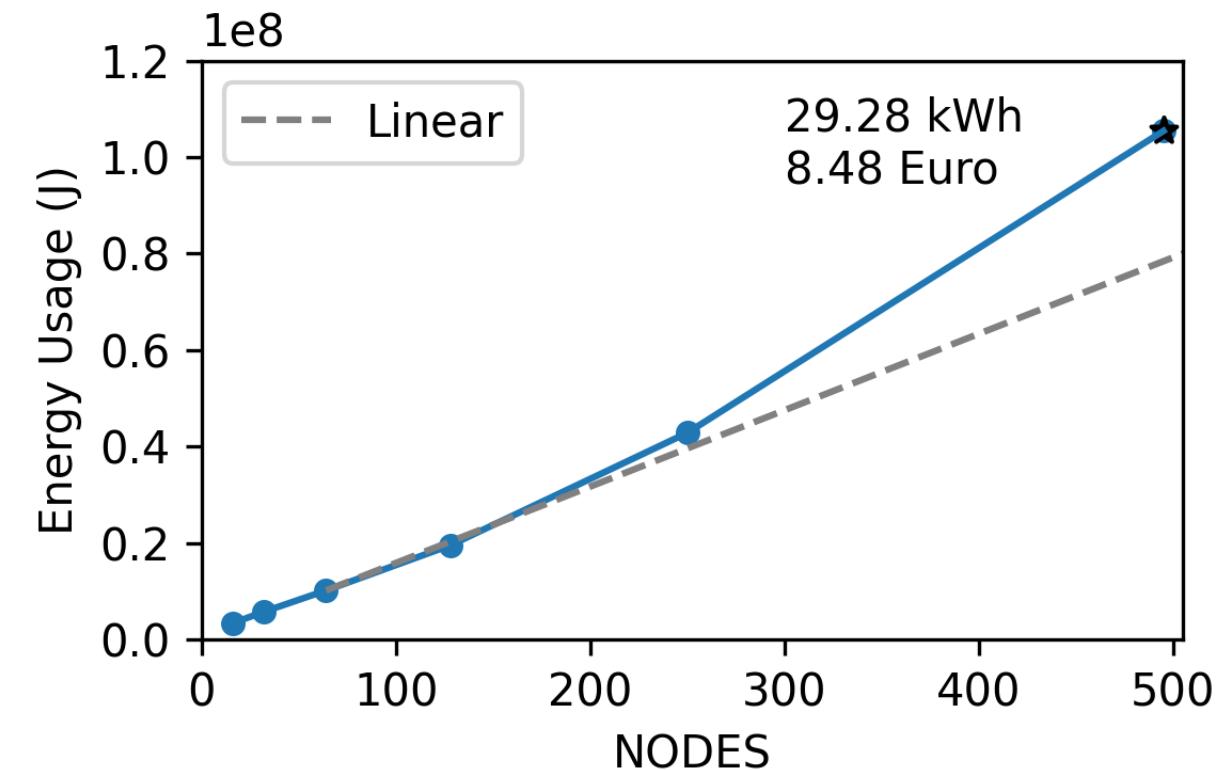
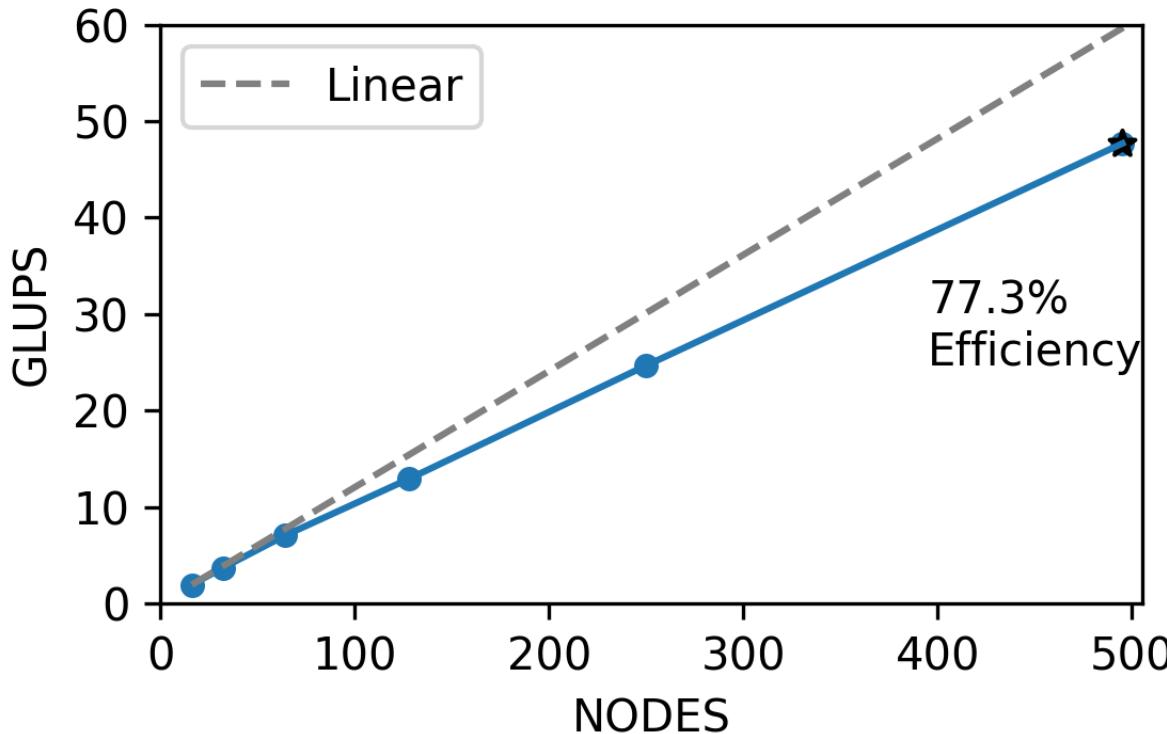


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## Strong Scaling Benchmark



- An average electric car consumes about 0.2 kwh/km
- 495 node case (which ran for 9 minutes) just drove a car to Leeuwarden (149km from SP)!

# Palabos:

## Strong Scaling Benchmark

- Per-node, Per-iteration "traces"
- Node Power
- Avg CPU Freq (node)
- Main memory BW (GB/s)
- CPI (Cycles per instruction)
- MPI% (percentage spent in MPI calls)
- I/O (network communication)

