



INTRODUCTION TO HIGH PERFORMANCE COMPUTING

PARALLEL PROGRAMMING BASICS

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Sequential (serial) programs:

- operate on similar principles everywhere

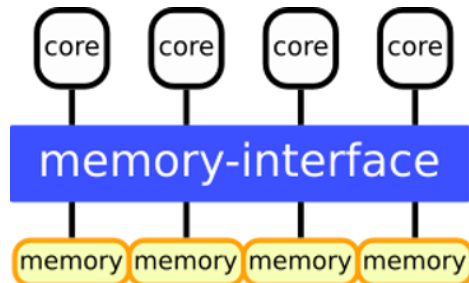
Parallel programs:

- cannot be created just by formal changes of the sequential variant
- can be qualitatively different from the corresponding sequential ones
- dependent on the target parallel architecture
- more difficult to write than sequential ones
 - several new classes of software bugs (e.g., race conditions)
 - difficult debugging
 - issues of scalability...



Multi-processor (socket)

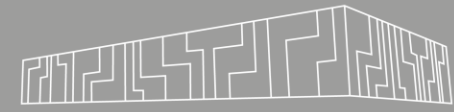
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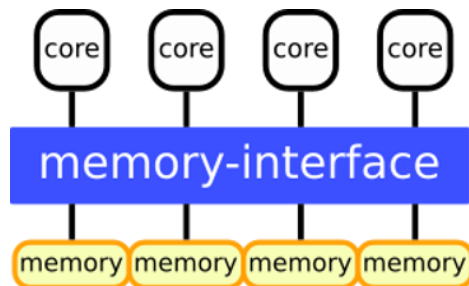
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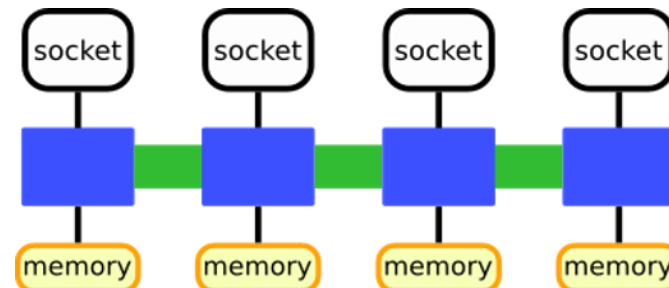
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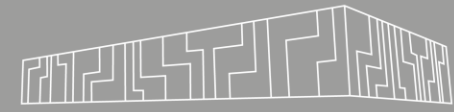
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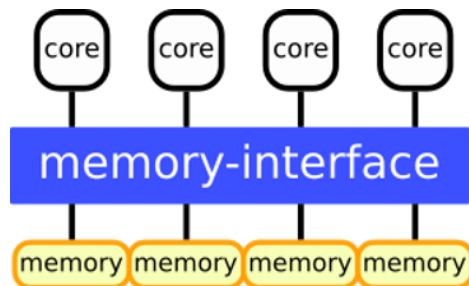
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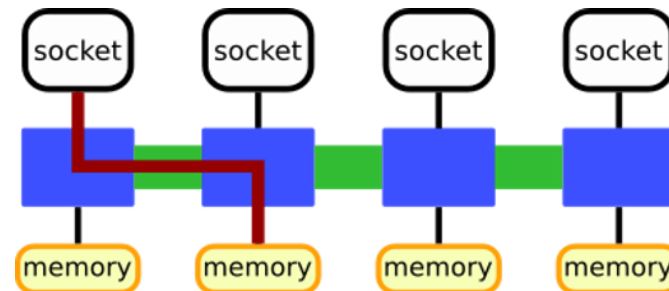
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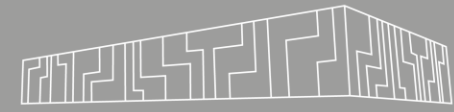
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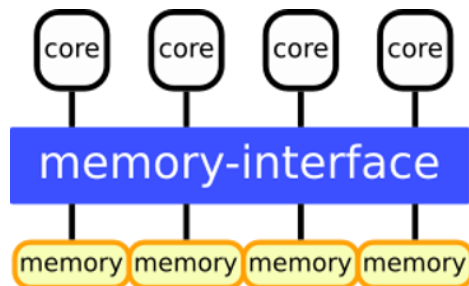
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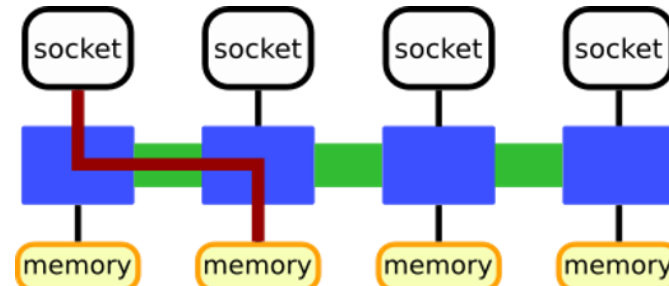
Multi-computers with various architectures (cluster)

- set of nodes interconnected by a network
- each node has separated memory
- slower access to memories of other processors
- accelerated nodes



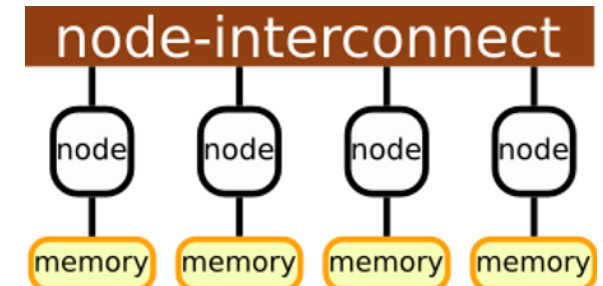
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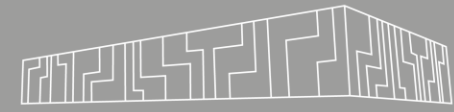
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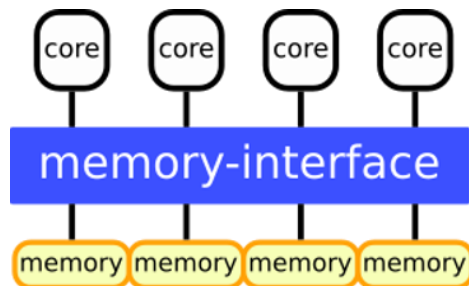
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OpenMP: shared memory (socket, node)

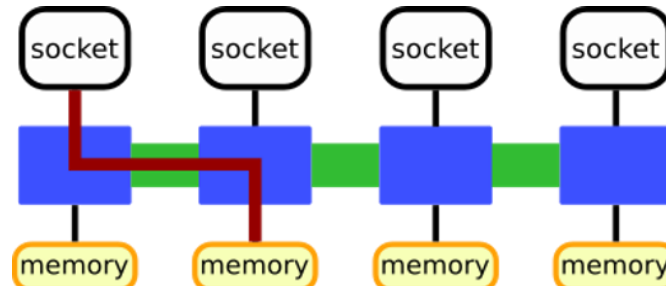
MPI: distributed memory (socket, node, cluster)

CUDA: accelerated nodes



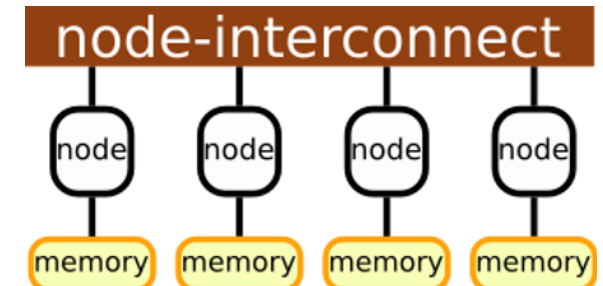
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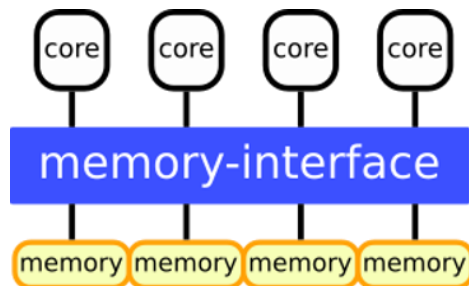
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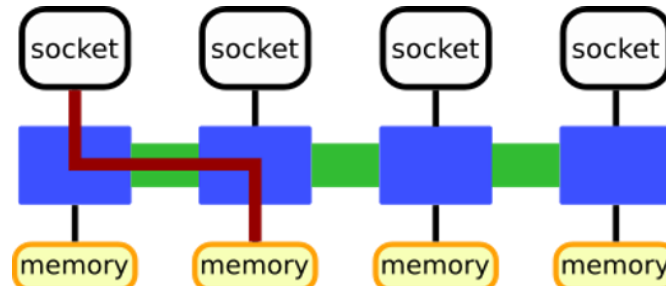
Hybrid approach

- combination of more approaches (OpenMP, MPI, CUDA,...)
- potential to fully utilize current (future) hardware



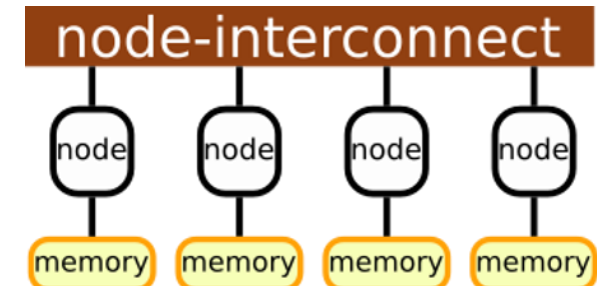
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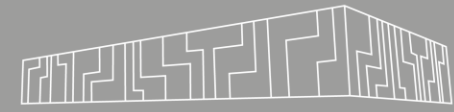
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- **Open Multi-Processing**
 - API for writing portable multi-threaded applications based on the shared variables model with interfaces for Fortran, C, and C++
 - compilers available on most platforms (Unix, Windows, etc.)
- A set of compiler directives, library routines and environment variables
- A standard developed by the OpenMP Architecture Review Board
 - <http://www.openmp.org>
 - first specification in 1997, current version 5.2
- No data distribution, no communication (threads communicate via shared variables)
- Allows incremental parallelization
 - i.e., the sequential program evolves into a parallel program
 - single source code for both the sequential and parallel versions

OPENMP



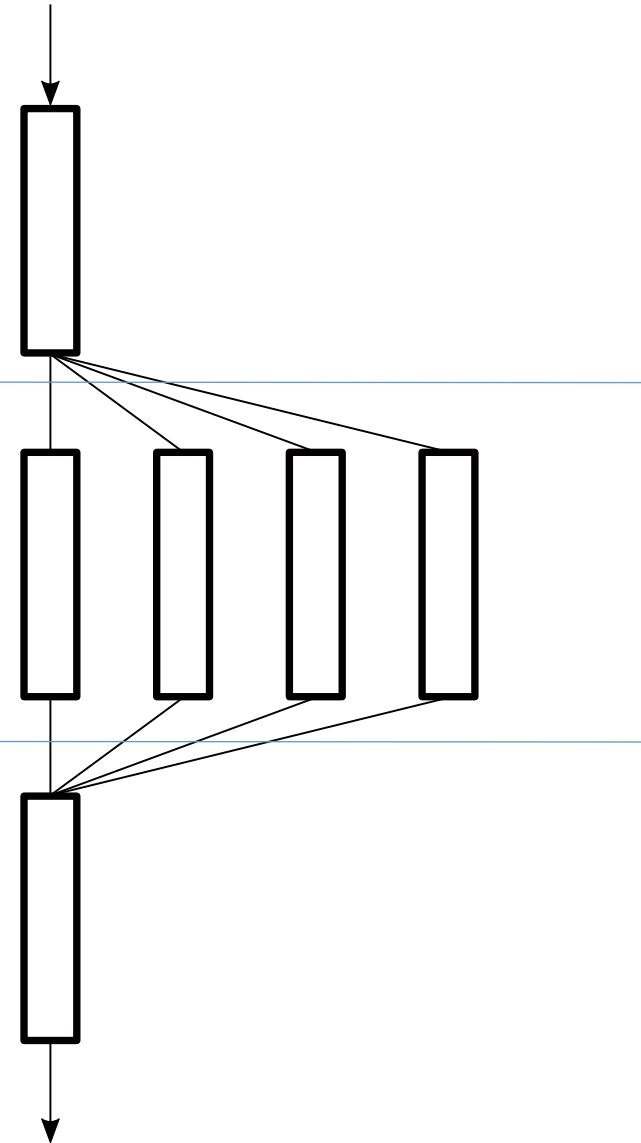
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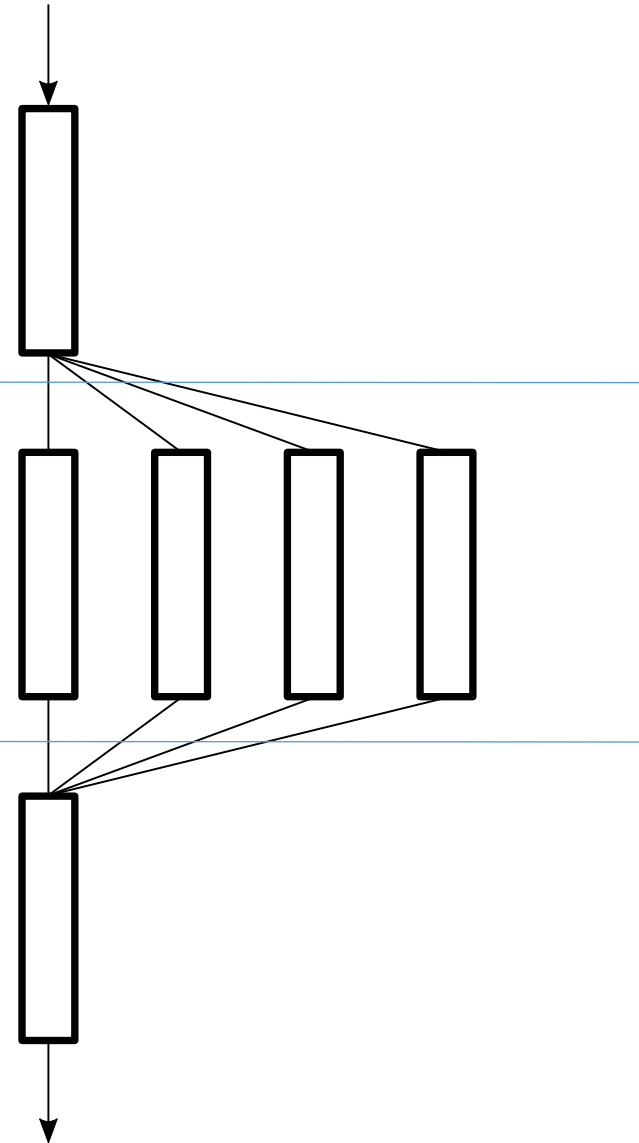
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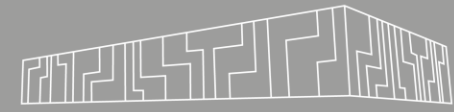
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- Synchronization:
 - master, critical, atomic, barrier
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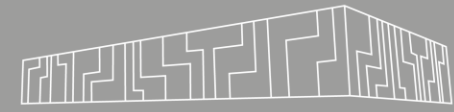
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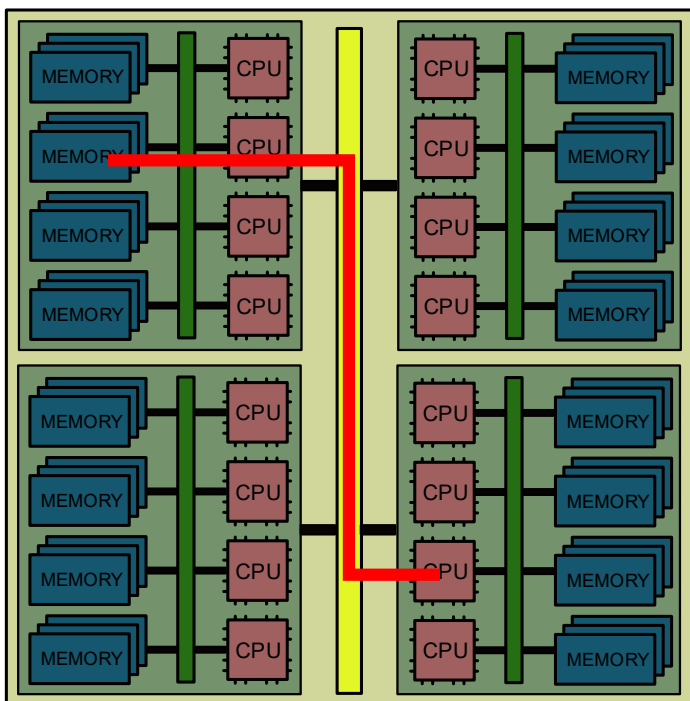
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- Cache coherent distributed memory (ccNUMA)
 - threads requests memory that was firstly touched by a thread from another sockets
 - the same memory should be accessed by the same thread
 - fix threads to a particular CPUs (OMP_PROC_BIND=true ./app)



```
double *vals = new double[rows * cols];

#pragma omp parallel for collapse(2)
for (int r = 0; r < rows; ++r) {
    for (int c = 0; c < cols; ++c) {
        vals[r * cols + c] = 0;
    }
}
```



- **Message Passing Interface:**
 - standard for distributed memory parallelism with passing messages
- MPI is the interface, not a library!
 - many available libraries with an implementation (OpenMPI, mpich, Intel MPI,...)
 - some behavior is dependent on a particular implementation
- A standard developed by the MPI Forum
 - <http://www.mpi-forum.org>
 - first specification in 1994, current version 4.0
- Explicit definition of data distribution and communication
- MPI application is a set of processes that cooperate with each other by sending messages

MPI



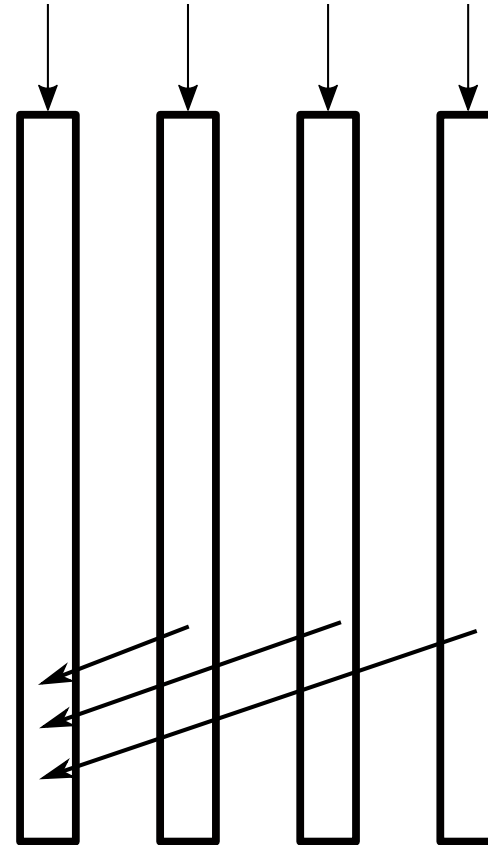
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    MPI_Init(&argc, &argv);
    MPI_Comm_rank(MPI_COMM_WORLD, &rank);
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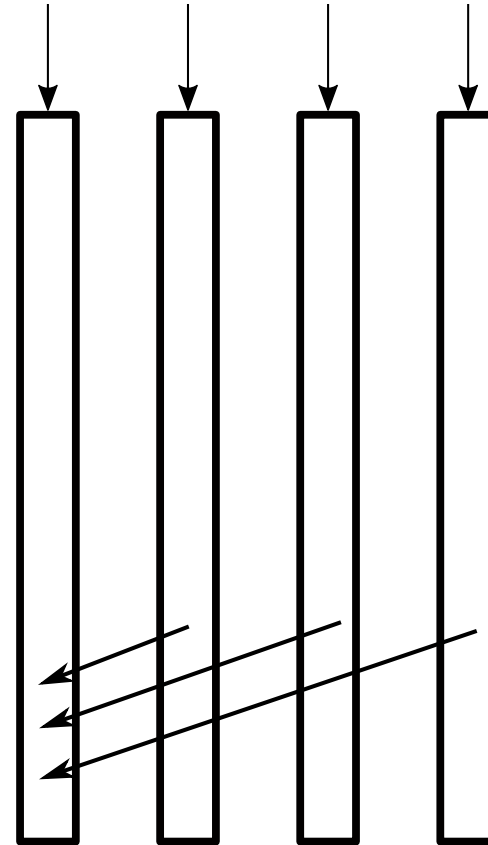
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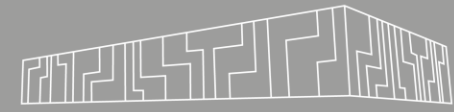
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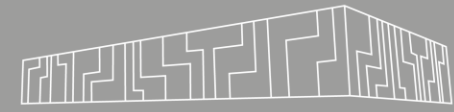
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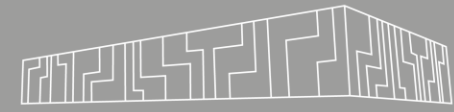


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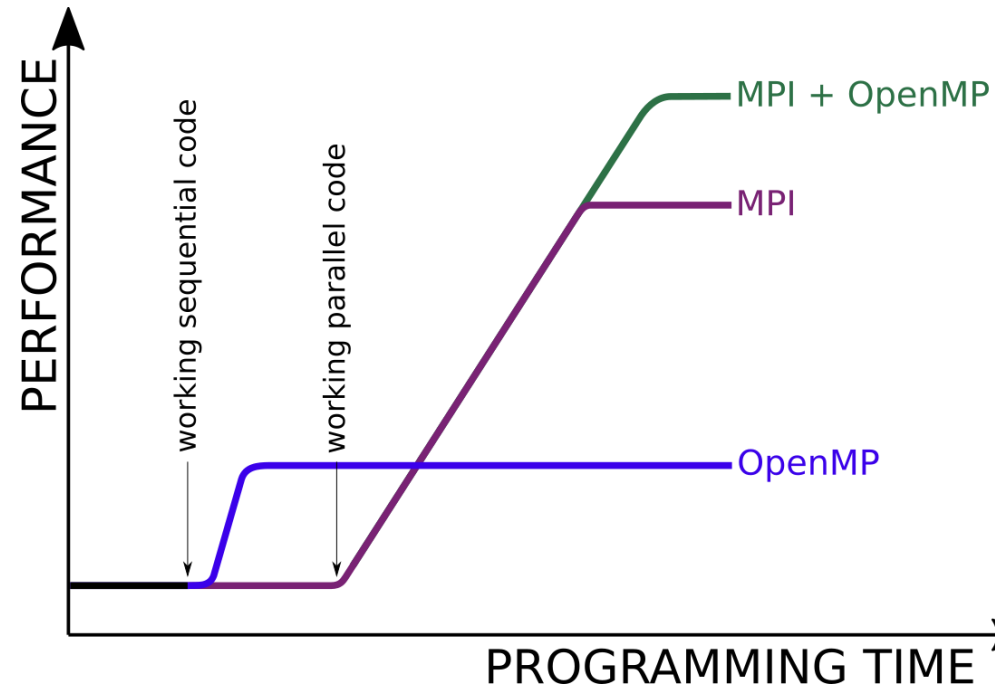


- Non-scalable functions / patterns
 - collectives with input of size $O(\#processes)$
- Serialization:
 - the order of messages serializes the application
 - e.g., each process must wait to a message from the previous process
- Expensive communication
 - exchanging too much of data
- Performance is not portable
 - MPI assures only portable application!

OPENMP VS. MPI



- OpenMP
 - Incremental parallelization
- MPI:
 - usually new application with potential to fully utilize cluster capacities





How to run your parallel application?



- PBS settings
 - <https://docs.it4i.cz/general/job-submission-and-execution/>
 - set correct number of MPI processes and OMP threads
 - `qsub -l select=2:ncpus=128:mpiprocs=8:ompthreads=16`
 - **mpiprocs**: number of MPI processes per node
 - **ompthreads**: number of OMP threads per MPI process

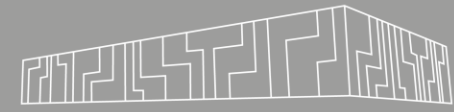
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$ qsub -ADD-22-46 -qpprod -lselect=2:ncpus=128:mpiprocs=2:ompthreads=64 -I
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qsub: job 1219022.infra-pbs ready
```

```
$ echo $PBS_NODEFILE
/var/spool/pbs/aux/1219022.infra-pbs
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$ cat /var/spool/pbs/aux/1219022.infra-pbs
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$ echo $OMP_NUM_THREADS
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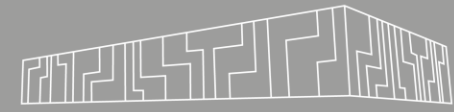


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$ qsub -ADD-22-46 -qgprod -lselect=2:ncpus=128:mpiprocs=2:ompthreads=64 -I  
$ mpirun -n 1 ./threaded
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$ ssh cnXXX  
$ htop -d2
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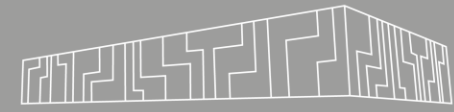
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Uptime: 24 days, 21:09:56
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```

PARALLEL RUN



How are threads pinned?

How will MPI be pinned?

Unfortunately:

- pinning significantly influence performance
- pinning is **highly non-portable**
 - different settings for OpenMPI, Intel
 - dependent on a particular system

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1 [ 0.0%] 33 [ 0.0%] 65 [ 0.0%] 97 [|||||]100.0%
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```




Environment variables

- OMP_NUM_THREADS
- OMP_PLACES=<threads, cores, sockets>
- OMP_PROC_BIND=<true, false, master, close, spread>

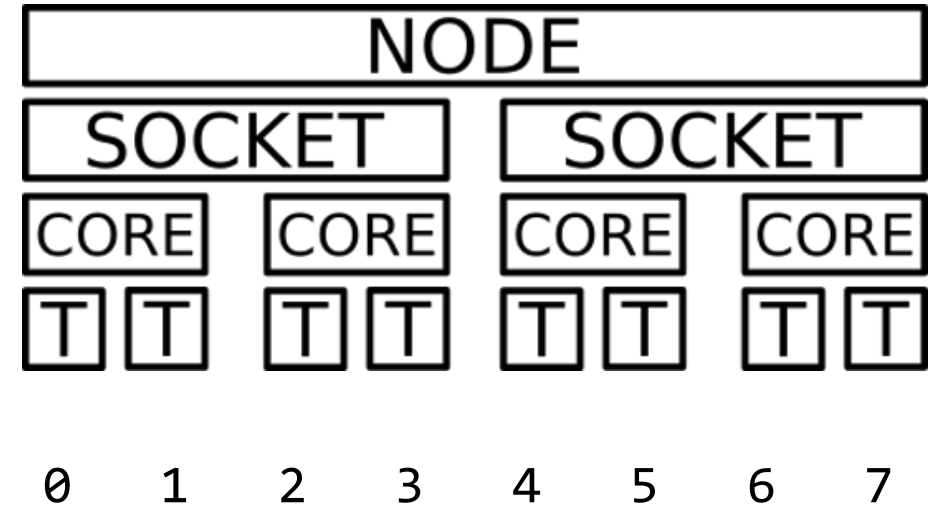
- Intel-MPI
 - KMP_AFFINITY
 - I_MPI_PIN_DOMAIN

- OpenMPI
 - --bind-to <hwthread, core, socket, numa, ...>
 - --map-by <hwthread, core, socket, numa, ...>
 - --report-bindings

PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



OMP_PROC_BIND=close

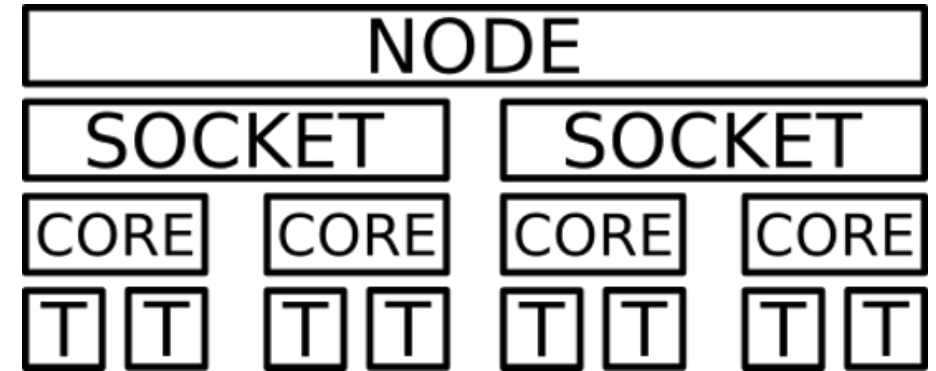


PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



OMP_PROC_BIND=close

OMP_NUM_THREADS=2 OMP_PROC_BIND=spread



0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

0 1

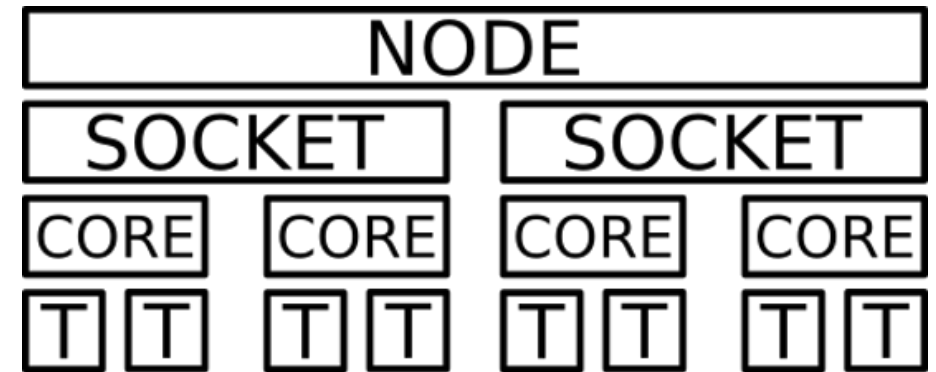
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OMP_PROC_BIND=close

OMP_NUM_THREADS=2 OMP_PROC_BIND=spread

OMP_NUM_THREADS=4 OMP_PROC_BIND=spread

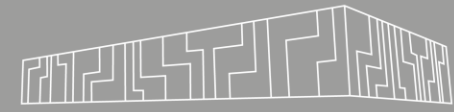


0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

0 1

0 1 2 3

PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



```
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```

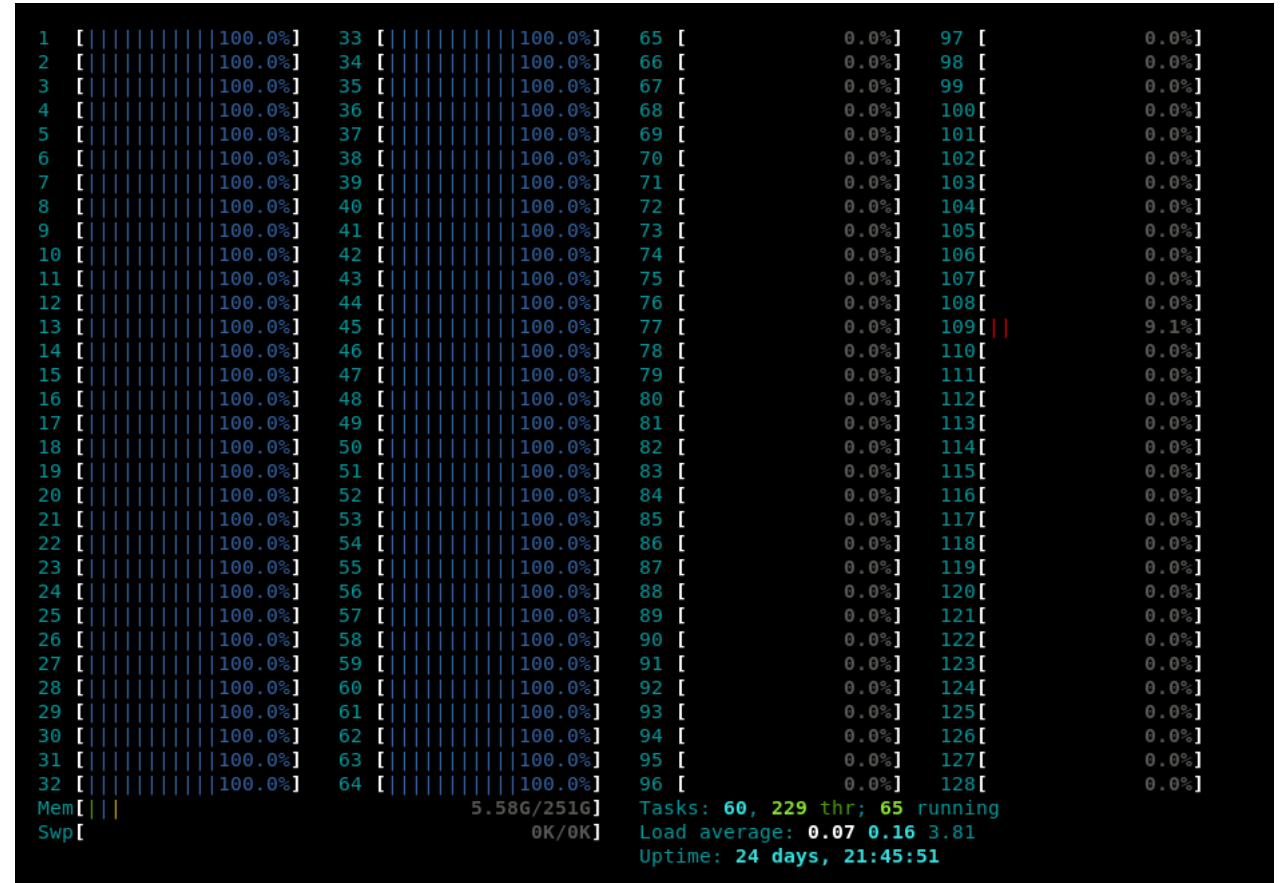
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$ export OMP_PROC_BIND=close
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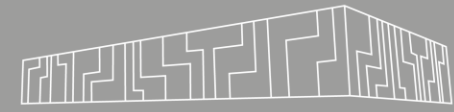
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$ mpirun -n 1 ./threaded
```

my application is 2x faster!

```
$ ssh cnXXX
```

```
$ htop -d2
```





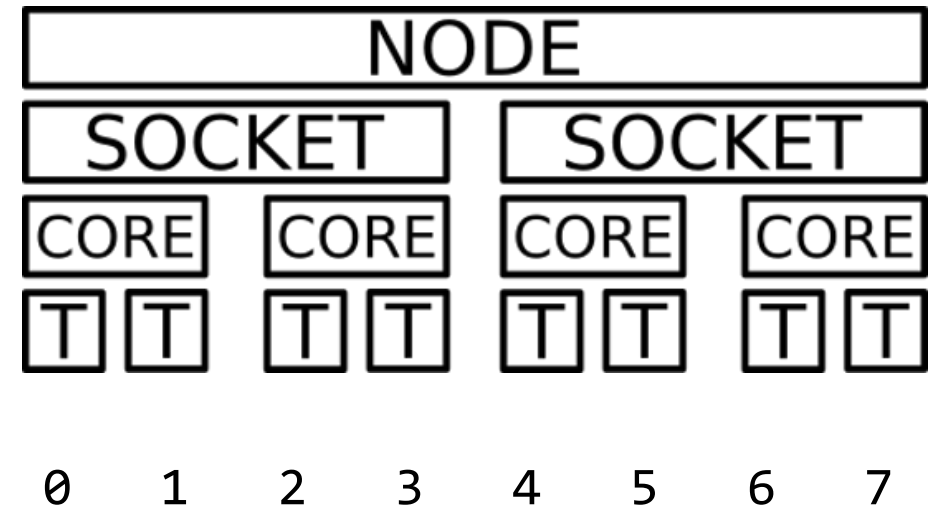
- `KMP_AFFINITY=[<modifier>,...]<type>[,<permute>][, <offset>]`
 - modifier:
 - verbose, warnings, respect
 - granularity= fine, **thread**, core, tile, die, node, group, and socket
 - type:
 - balanced, **compact**, disabled, explicit, none, scatter
 - permute
 - 0 – thread, 1 – core, 2 – socket
 - positive number (default 0)
 - offset
 - position where the first thread is assigned
 - positive number (default 0)

<https://www.intel.com/content/www/us/en/develop/documentation/mpi-developer-reference-linux/top/environment-variable-reference/process-pinning/environment-variables-for-process-pinning.html>

PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



KMP_AFFINITY=granularity=thread,compact

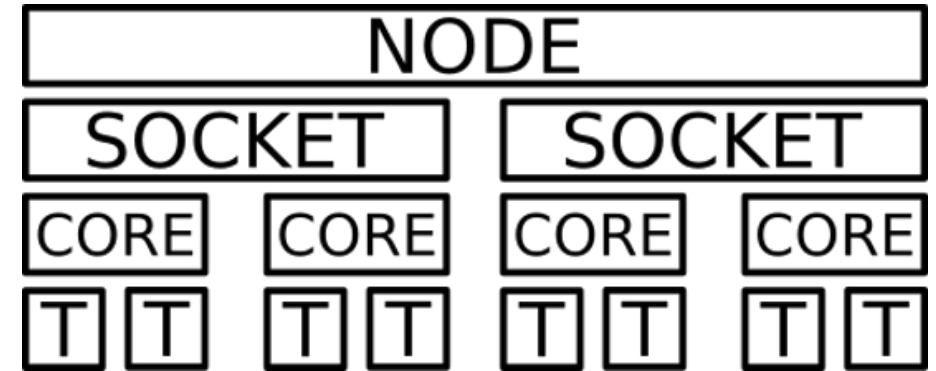


PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



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KMP_AFFINITY=granularity=thread,scatter



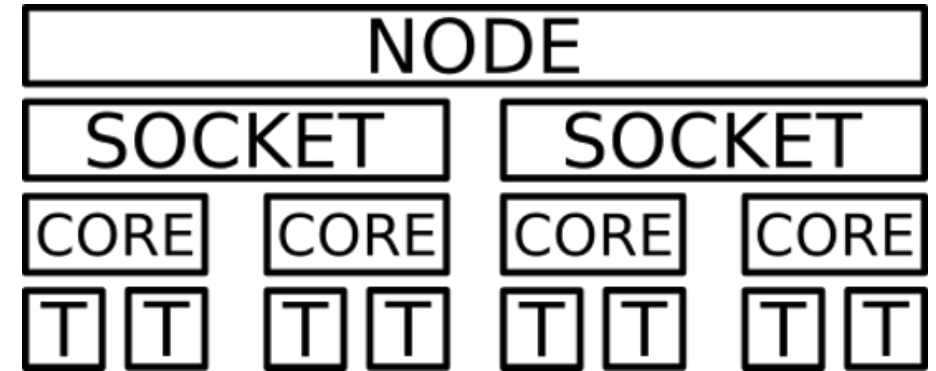
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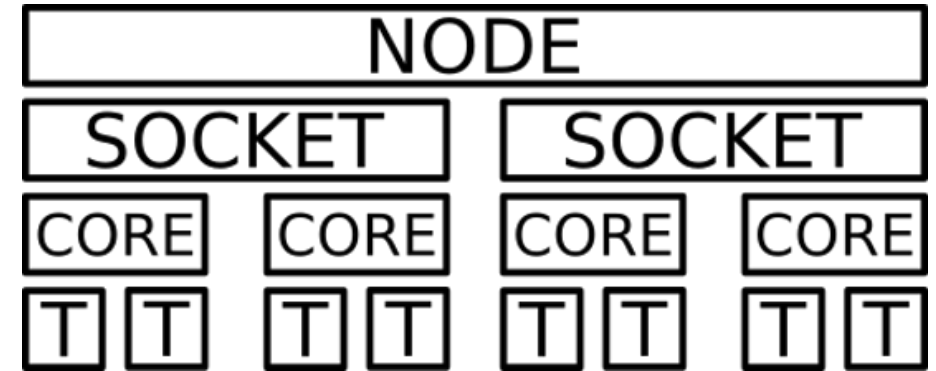
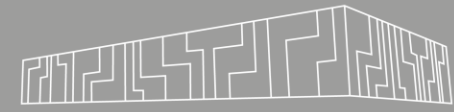
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0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

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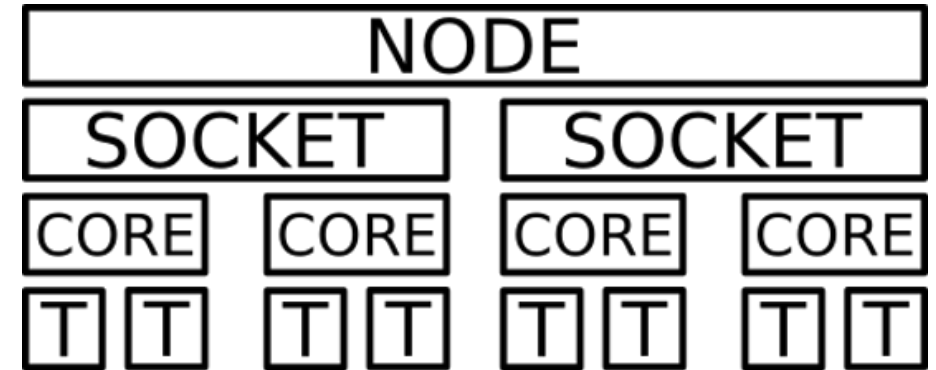
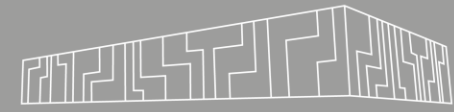


KMP_AFFINITY=granularity=thread,compact

KMP_AFFINITY=granularity=thread,scatter

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| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 0 | | 2 | | 1 | | 3 | |

PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



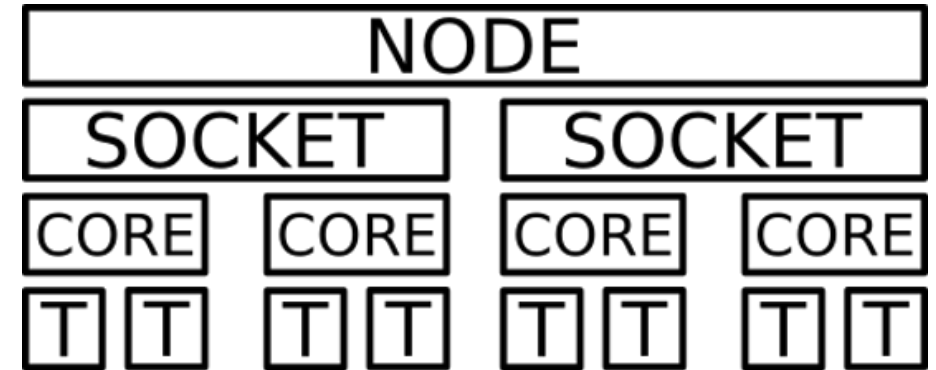
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KMP_AFFINITY=granularity=thread,compact,0,5

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PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



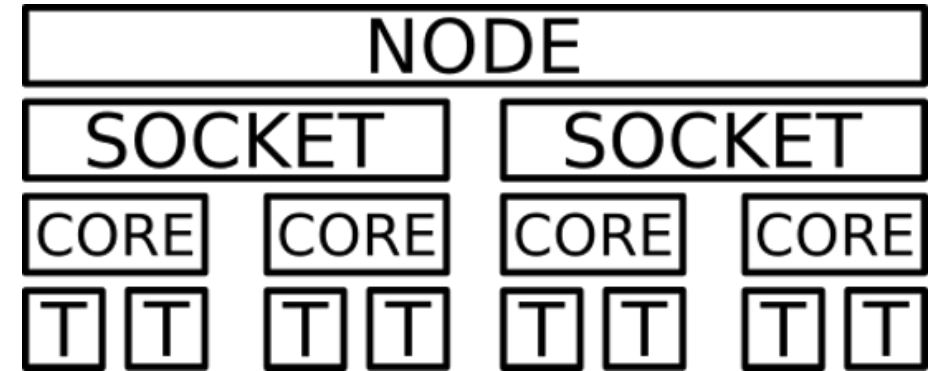
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PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



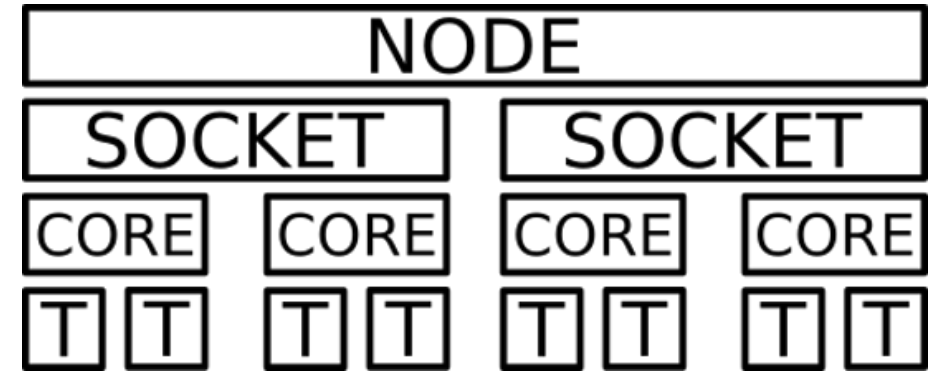
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| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
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PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



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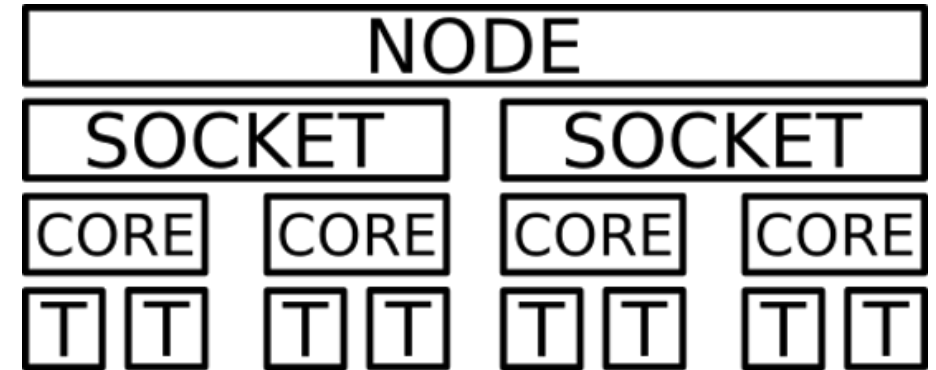
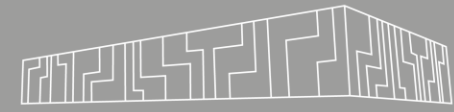
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PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



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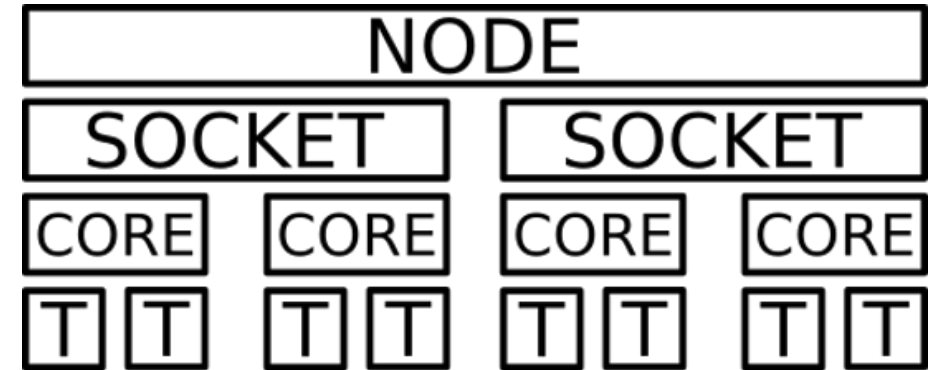
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PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



KMP_AFFINITY=granularity=thread,compact

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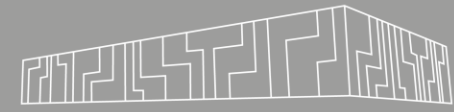
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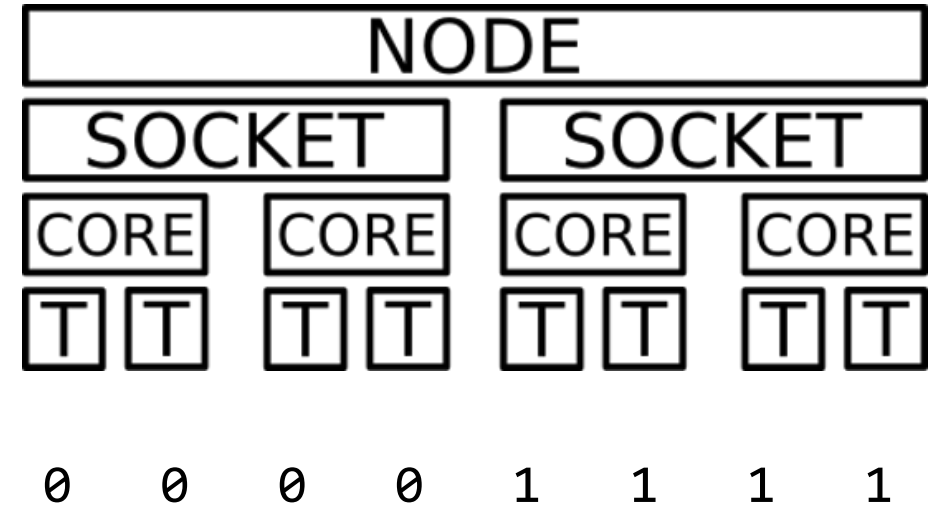


- I_MPI_PIN_DOMAIN=[shape]
 - <size>[:<layout>]
 - number of logical processors in each domain with a layout (platform, compact, scatter)
 - core
 - socket
 - numa
 - cache

PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



I_MPI_PIN_DOMAIN=4

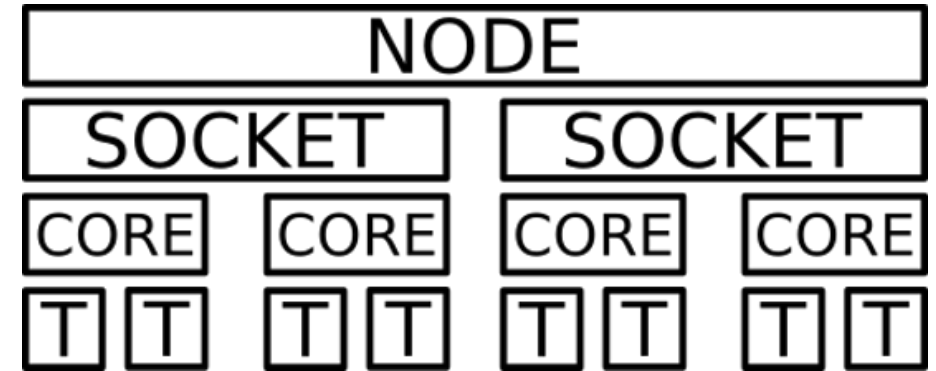


PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



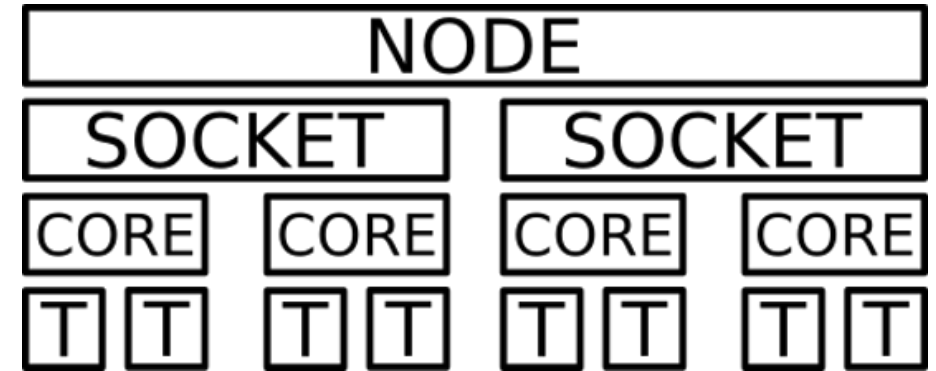
I_MPI_PIN_DOMAIN=4

I_MPI_PIN_DOMAIN=2



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| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 |

PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



I_MPI_PIN_DOMAIN=4

0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1

I_MPI_PIN_DOMAIN=2

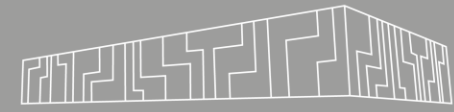
0 0 1 1 2 2 3 3

I_MPI_PIN_DOMAIN=\$OMP_NUM_THREADS

I_MPI_PIN_DOMAIN=socket

I_MPI_PIN_DOMAIN=cache3

I_MPI_PIN_RESPECT_HCA=0 pinning does not respect host channel adapter



- `--bind-to` <hwthread, **core**, l3cache, numa, socket, ppr, ...>
 - bind to the processors associated with hardware component

- `--map-by` <hwthread, core, l3cache, numa, **socket**, ...>
 - map across the specified hardware component

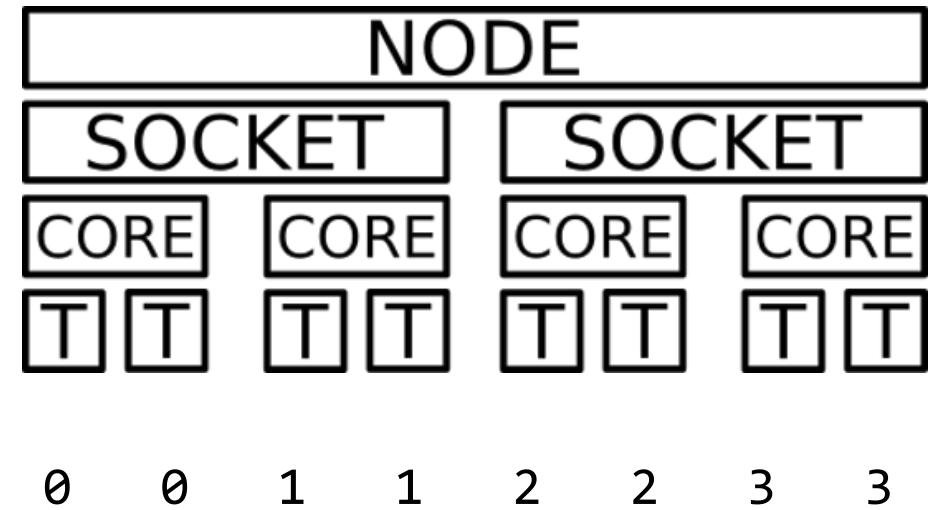
- `--report-bindings`

<https://www.open-mpi.org/doc/v3.0/man1/mpirun.1.php>

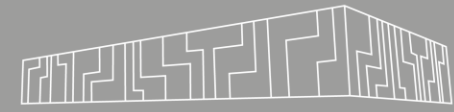
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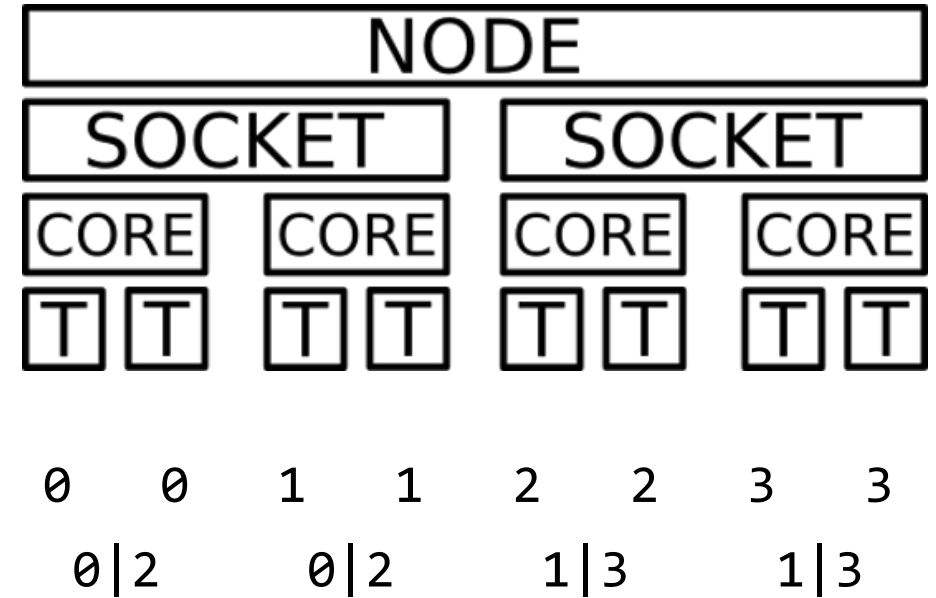
```
export OMP_PROC_BIND=close  
export OMP_NUM_THREADS=2  
mpirun -n 4 --map-by core --bind-to core ./app
```



PARALLEL RUN – OPEN MPI



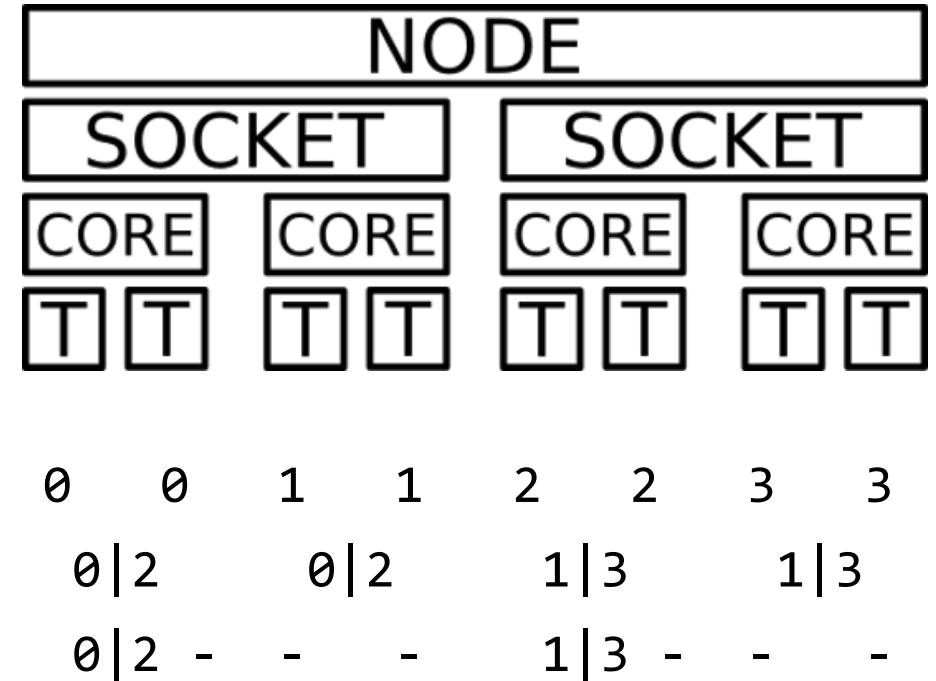
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mpirun -n 4 --map-by socket --bind-to socket ./app
```



PARALLEL RUN – OPEN MPI



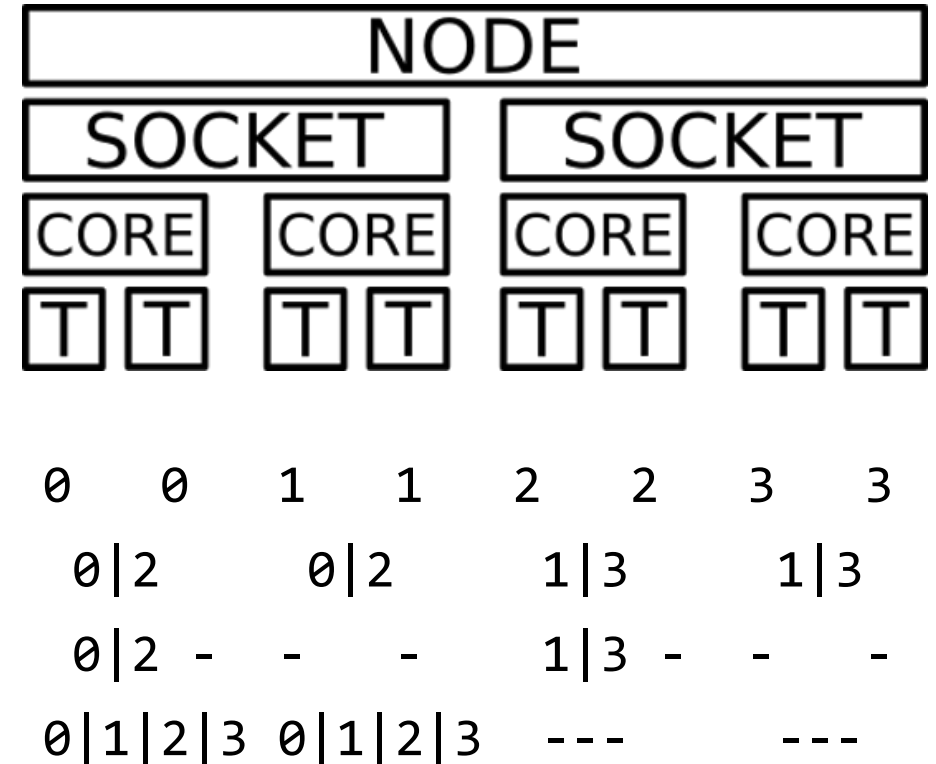
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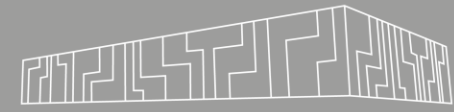
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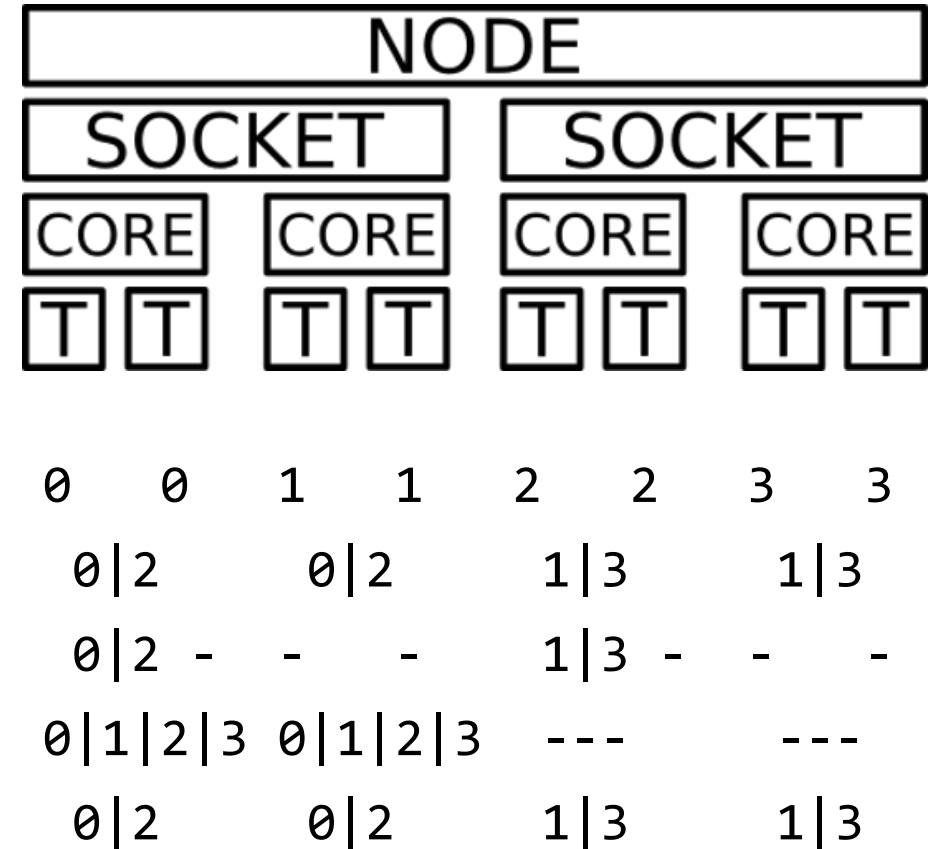
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mpirun -n 4 --map-by socket --bind-to core ./app
mpirun -n 4 --map-by thread --bind-to socket ./app
```



PARALLEL RUN – OPEN MPI



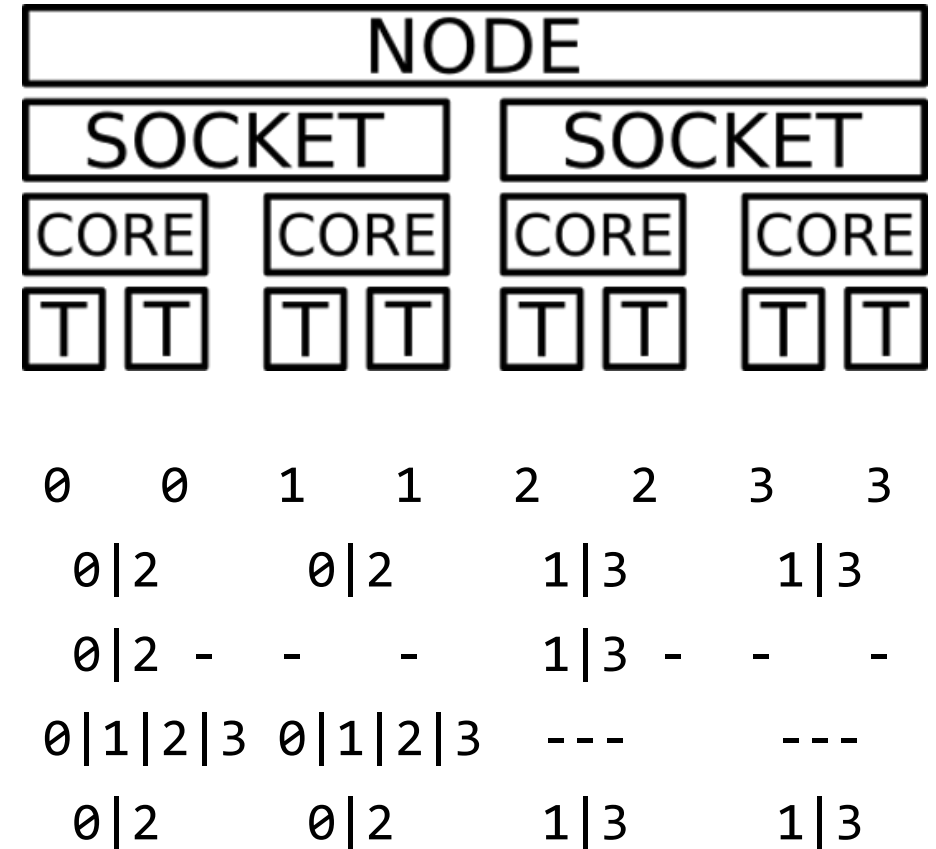
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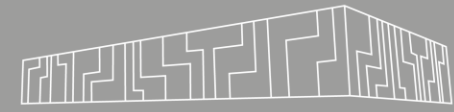


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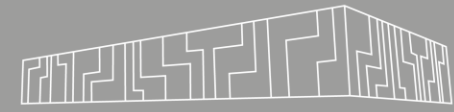


OpenMPI defaults

--bin-to core (when the number of processes is ≤ 2)
--bind-to socket (when the number of processes is > 2)



What is the optimal setting?



What is the optimal setting?

- hardware configuration
 - number of NUMA domains
 - caches, memory channels,...
- application features
 - OpenMP only
 - pure MPI
 - hybrid parallelization



Memory bound application

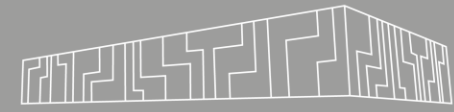
- number of MPI processes / thread equal to memory channels
- correct pinning to NUMA domains (sockets, chiplets)

Compute bound application

- as many MPI processes / threads as possible

Your application?

- one MPI process per NUMA domain
- number of cores in NUMA domain



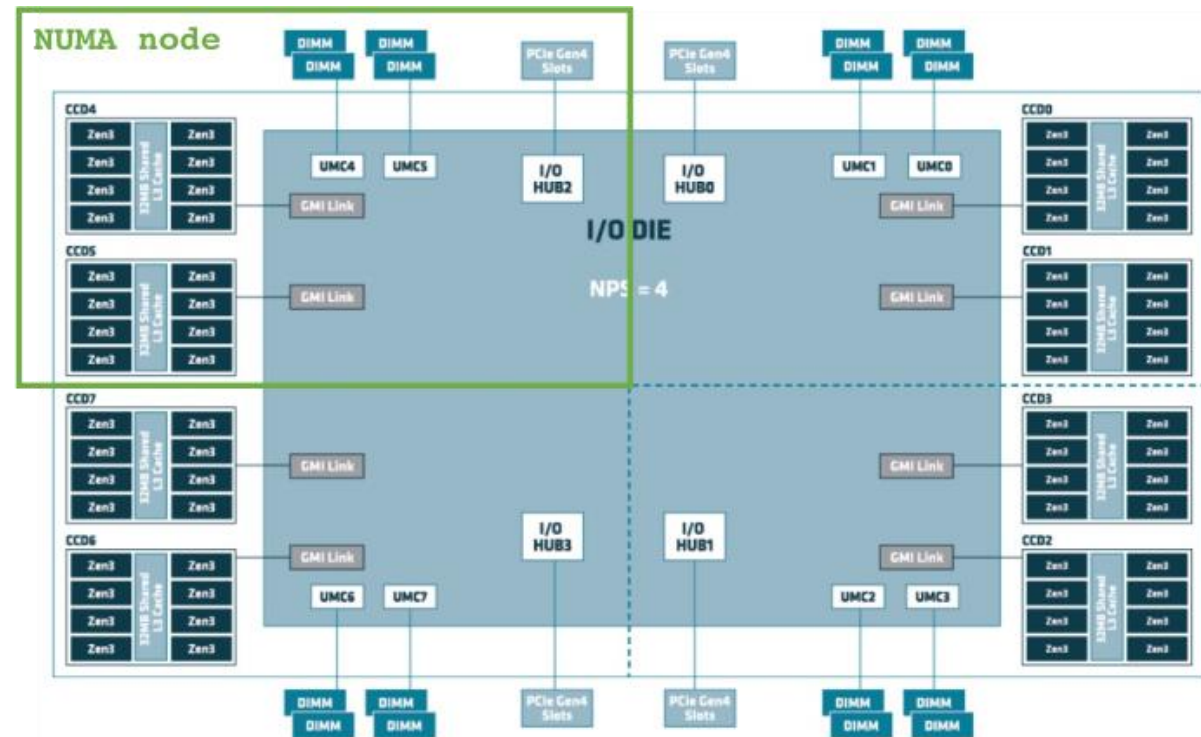
Node architecture

numactl -H

```

| node 0 cpus: 0 - 15
| node 1 cpus: 16 - 31
| node 2 cpus: 32 - 47
| node 3 cpus: 48 - 63
| node 4 cpus: 64 - 79
| node 5 cpus: 80 - 95
| node 6 cpus: 96 - 111
| node 7 cpus: 112 - 127
| node 0-7 size: 128GB
    
```

| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 0 | 10 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 |
| 1 | 12 | 10 | 12 | 12 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 |
| 2 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 12 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 |
| 3 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 |
| 4 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 10 | 12 | 12 | 12 |
| 5 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 12 | 10 | 12 | 12 |
| 6 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 12 |
| 7 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 10 |



PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



```
$ qsub -ADD-22-46 -qgprod -lselect=1:ncpus=128:mpiprocs=8:ompthreads=16 -I
```

src/sequential.cpp

```
double *vals = new double[rows * cols];

for (int r = 0; r < rows; ++r) {
    for (int c = 0; c < cols; ++c) {
        vals[r * cols + c] = 0;
    }
}
```

src/threaded.cpp

```
double *vals = new double[rows * cols];

#pragma omp parallel for collapse(2)
for (int r = 0; r < rows; ++r) {
    for (int c = 0; c < cols; ++c) {
        vals[r * cols + c] = 0;
    }
}
```

PARALLEL RUN – INTEL MPI



```
$ qsub -ADD-22-46 -qpprod -lselect=1:ncpus=128:mpiprocs=8:ompthreads=16 -I

$ OMP_NUM_THREADS=64 mpirun -n 2 ./sequential -> 55s

$ OMP_NUM_THREADS=64 mpirun -n 2 --bind-to socket ./sequential -> 88s

$ OMP_NUM_THREADS=64 mpirun -n 2 --bind-to socket -map-by socket ./sequential -> 3.6s

$ OMP_NUM_THREADS=64 OMP_PROC_BIND=close mpirun -n 2 --bind-to socket --map-by socket ./sequential -> 3.6s

$ OMP_NUM_THREADS=64 mpirun -n 2 ./threaded -> 55s

$ OMP_NUM_THREADS=64 mpirun -n 2 --bind-to socket ./threaded -> 86s

$ OMP_NUM_THREADS=64 mpirun -n 2 --bind-to socket --map-by socket ./threaded -> 6.8s

$ OMP_NUM_THREADS=64 OMP_PROC_BIND=close mpirun -n 2 --bind-to socket --map-by socket ./threaded -> 1.2s

$ OMP_NUM_THREADS=16 OMP_PROC_BIND=close mpirun -n 8 --bind-to numa --map-by numa ./sequential -> 0.9s
$ OMP_NUM_THREADS=16 OMP_PROC_BIND=close mpirun -n 8 --bind-to numa --map-by numa ./threaded -> 0.9s
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