



Introduction to codesign

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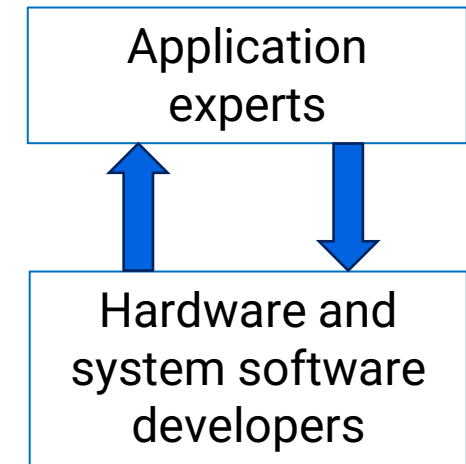
Introduction

- Trends in HPC

- Hardware specialization using chiplet technology (shifting from x86 to ARM)
- Applications are becoming workflows (heterogeneity at system level)
- European R&D project (gather and integrate results of a decade of projects)

- ⑩ Codesign: bidirectional and iterative interaction process

- **Applications** employed to identify impact of **design decisions** onto **performances**
- Idea born in the 80s
- Direct: apps developed in tandem (rare, ultra-specialized)
- Indirect: software tested on early-release hardware (pragmatic and wider)



Success = how well a developed technology fulfill the needs of end users

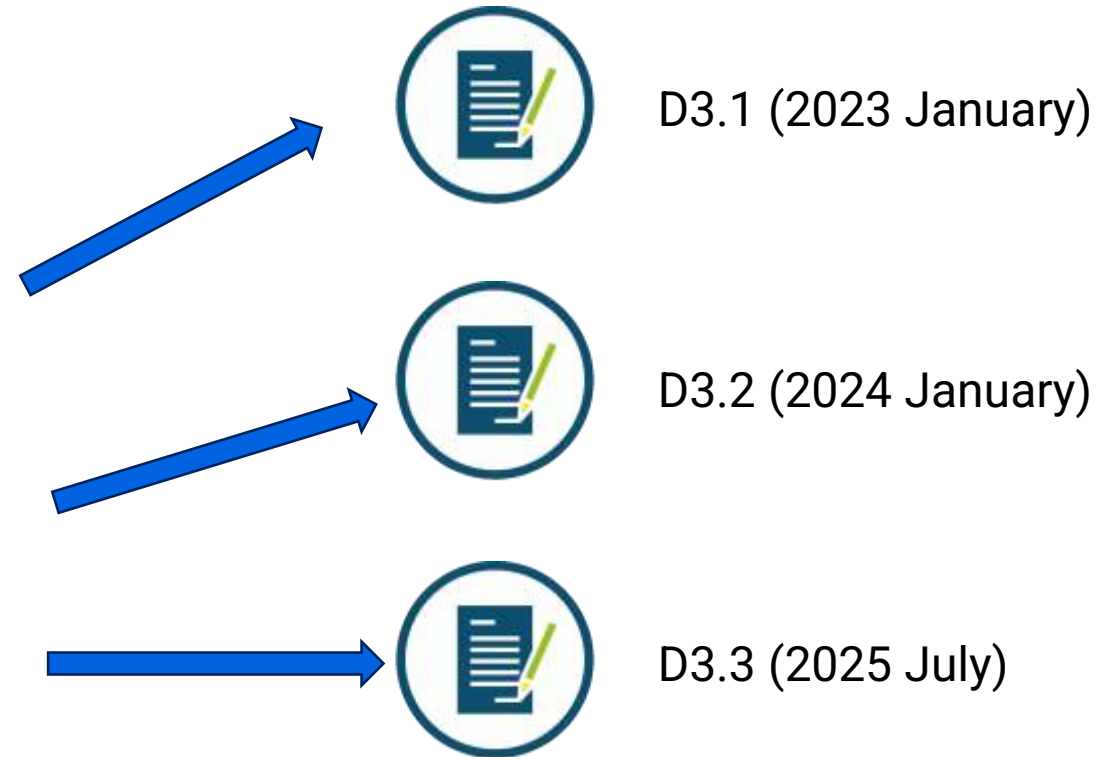
Methodology and exploitable products

- Application selection


- **Selection criteria:** exascale readiness, workflow complexity, ability to stress subsystems, use of accelerator, presence in CoE and size of user community, relevance for societal impact (industrial and academic)
- Initial profiling on reference platform

- Code porting/optimization

- Adaptation or improvements investigated
- Focus on hardware features SVE and HBM
- Focus on system level (MSA)



Codesign output for the EUPLEX platform

- Outputs Based on a survey from application leaders
- Other parameters fixed by Rhea design specs e.g. number of cores, cache/HBM size
- Fat tree topology (cost effective at Pilot scale, <128 nodes)
- GPU Technology  Milestone M3

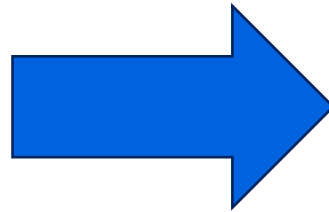
CPU Node	Codesign outputs
DRAM	512GB (4x128GB DDR5 DIMM)
Number of sockets	2
Network bandwidth per node	200 Gbit/s
Number of NICs per node	2 (1 NIC per socket)
Local disk	Not required for the applications

GPU Node	Codesign outputs
Number of GPUs	4
DDR Memory	512GB (4x128GB DDR5 DIMM)
Number of sockets	2
Network bandwidth per node	400 Gbit/s
Number of NICs per node	4
Local disk	No required for the applications

Software Development Vehicles (SDVs)

Used for porting (on ARM), optimization activities (SVE, HBM) and to study software environment

SDV1



SDV2



Nvidia Grace and
GH200 nodes @E4



A64FX + Nvidia H100
IRENE cluster at CEA



A64FX first CPU with SVE support

Grace CPU: more recent than A64FX
Based on Neoverse V2 (with SVE and HBM)
Closer to the target, halfway between Rhea1
(Neoverse V1) and Rhea2 (Neoverse V3)

Hopper GPU: same GPU of the initial SDV
(H100), smallest porting effort

IRENE will be part of the EUPEX Early
Access Program (EAP)
See talk by Mario Kovac at 17:00

Academic, industrial, societal compute domains

Explored by EUPEX for co-design and benchmarking



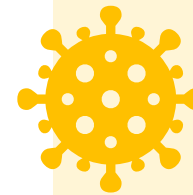
Climatology,
meteorology

• ECMWF, CybeleTech, Atos



Engineering

• IT4I, CINECA



Biology and health

• CINECA, CINI, CEA



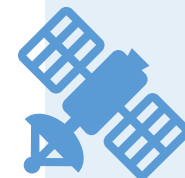
Astrophysics

• FORTH, INAF, CEA



Seismology

• INAF, CINECA, CINI, GENCI

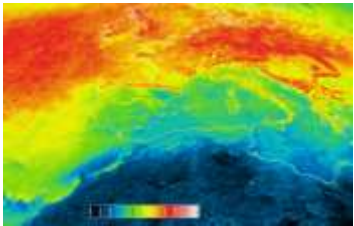


Remote sensing
analysis

• FZJ

The benchmark suite

A set of key applications in the European landscape relevant in different scientific fields



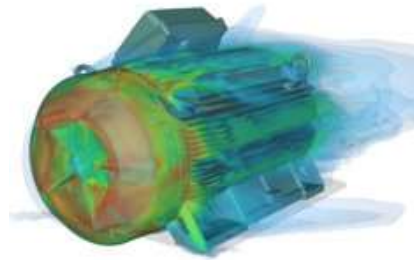
Weather Forecasting

IFS
ECMWF



AI4EO

PyTorch DDP, HPDBSCAN
Forschungszentrum Jülich



Engineering

ESPRESO FEM
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Biology and Health

LIGEN
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HEVC
High Efficiency Video Coding

Mini Applications

Dyablo, HEVC
CEA, Atos, UNIZG



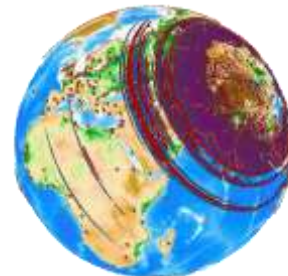
**Precision Agriculture
Forecast**

Cybeletech



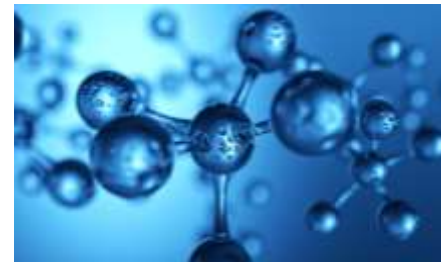
Astrophysics

Gadget
INAF, FORTH



Seismology

SPECFEM3D
HPC4NDR



**Material Science
for Biology**

BigDFT
CEA



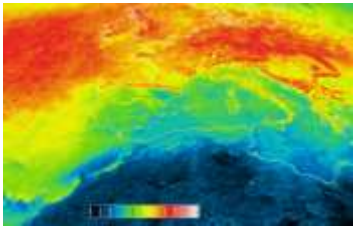
STREAM HPCG
High Performance Conjugate Gradients

**Synthetic Benchmarks
for EUPEX platform**

Atos

Today's presentations

A set of key applications in the European landscape relevant in different scientific fields



Weather Forecasting

IFS
ECMWF

See talk by Andrew Beggs at 15:00

*"Manual and Automated vectorization
Techniques for Integrated Forecasting system"*

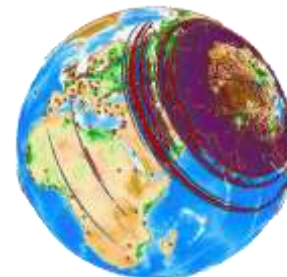
See talk by Filippo Barbari at 16:00

"High throughput drug discovery on the Fujitsu A64FX"



Biology and Health

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Seismology

SPECFEM3D
HPC4NDR

See talk by Piero Lanucara at 16:30

*"EuPEX-ChEESE-2P cooperation: the SPECFEM3D
example; context, preliminary results and next steps"*

Incoming webinars

Dedicated dissemination activities to share lesson learned and good practices

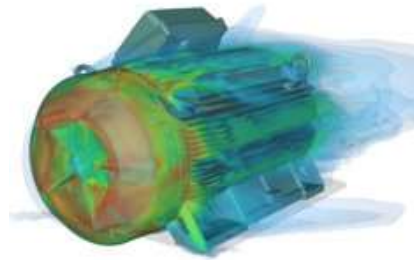


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2024 November 6th

"Advances in Geospatial Foundation Models for Earth Observation: Scaling Machine Learning with Supercomputing on Large Remote Sensing Datasets"



Engineering

ESPRESO FEM
IT4I

2025 March (to be determined)

"Vectorization of FEM kernels"



Mini Applications

HEVC
UNIZG

2024 December 10th

"Bolt65-AI fusion: A case study in object detection"

System software webinars also available from 2025 January to May
e.g. StreamFlow (CINI), Ocean (CEA), Parastation Modulo (Partec)

A cloud of CoEs and beyond

2023-2027 Centers of Excellence (CoEs) and new R&I activities



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Thank you and good continuation!

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