HPC2N @ Umeå University

Introduction to HPC2N and Kebnekaise

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Outline

- Short presentation of HPC2N
- HPC at a glance.
- HPC2N – Abisko, **Kebnekaise**
- HPC Programming models – how to develope your own code
  (separate slides packages)
  - Nvidia,GPU: OpenAcc, Cuda
 - Intel OpenMP

HPC2N - "HPC to North"

- A national center for Parallel and Scientific Computing

- Five partners:
    - Luleå University of Technology
    - Mid Sweden University
    - Swedish Institute of Space Physics
    - Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences - SLU
    - Umeå University

- Funded by the **Swedish Research Council (VR)** and its Meta-Center **SNIC** togheter with the **partners.**
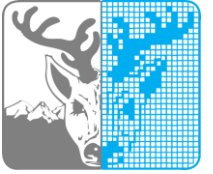
From macro scale to micro scale

- Provides state-of-the-art resources and expertise for Swedish eScience
  - Scalable and parallel HPC
  - Large-scale storage facilities
  - Grid and cloud computing
  - Software and advanced support for eScience applications
  - International network for research and development
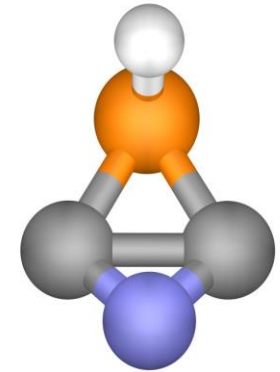
DFT computation, semi-stable, binding energy 15eV; Sven Öberg, LTU

Main areas of HPC2N users

- Biosciences and medicine
- Chemistry
- Computing science
- Engineering
- Materials science
- Mathematics and statistics
- Physics including space physics
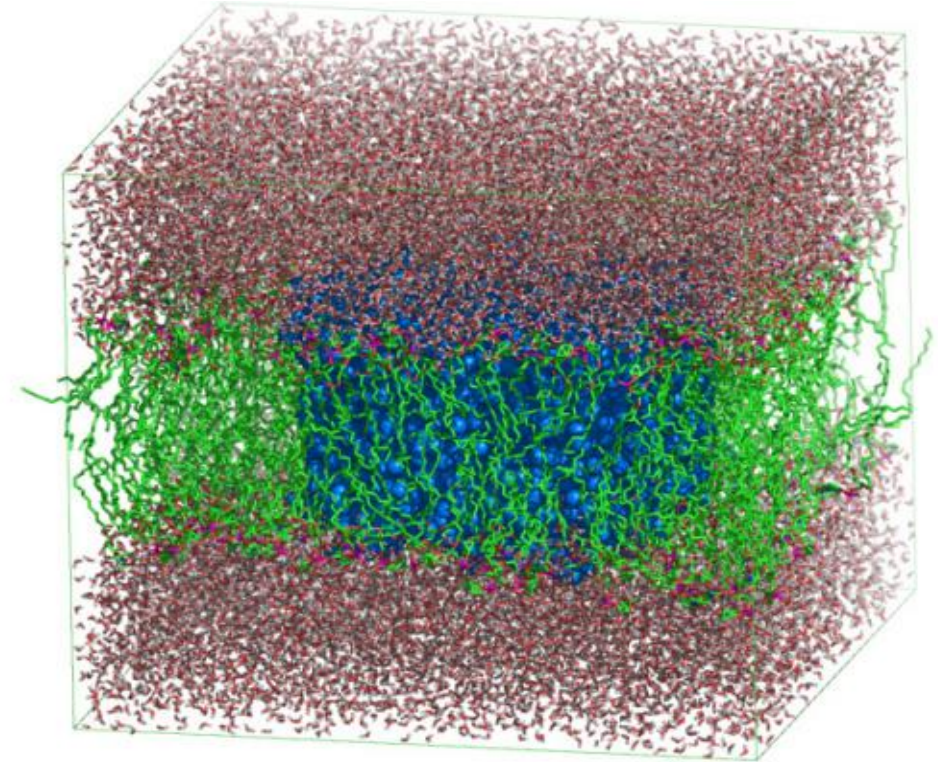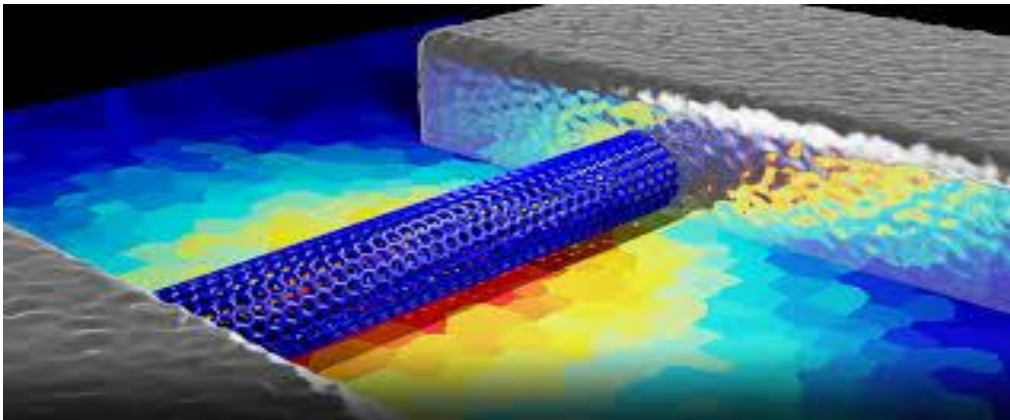
Storage Levels @ HPC2N

Basically three types of storage are available at HPC2N:

- Center Storage - Parallel file system (fast discs)

  ○ Closely connected to our computing resources; Abisko and Kebnekaise

- SweStore - disk based (dCache)

  ○ part of SNIC Storage, responsible for national accessible storage

- Tape Storage

  ○ Backup

 ○ Long term storage

HPC2N Think Tank!

- User support (primary, advanced, tailored)
  - Research group meetings @ UmU
- User training and education program
- Workshops & Colloquia
- Research & Development - Technology transfer
- Provide various state-of-the-art HPC resources

HPC – Towards Exascale Computing

- **Moore's law**: the number of transistors in a chip doubles every second years.
- Parallel Computing:
  - Increase number of cores.
- Heterogenous clusters
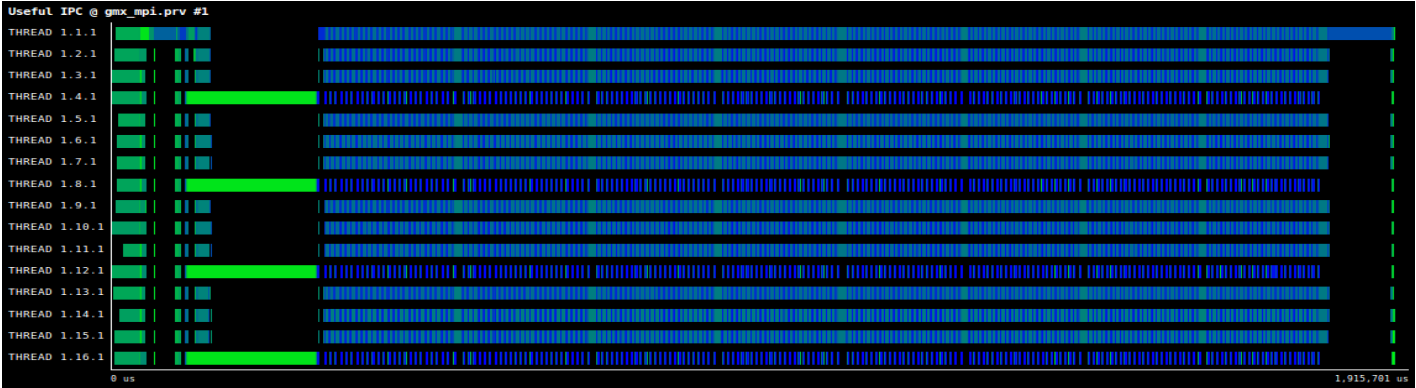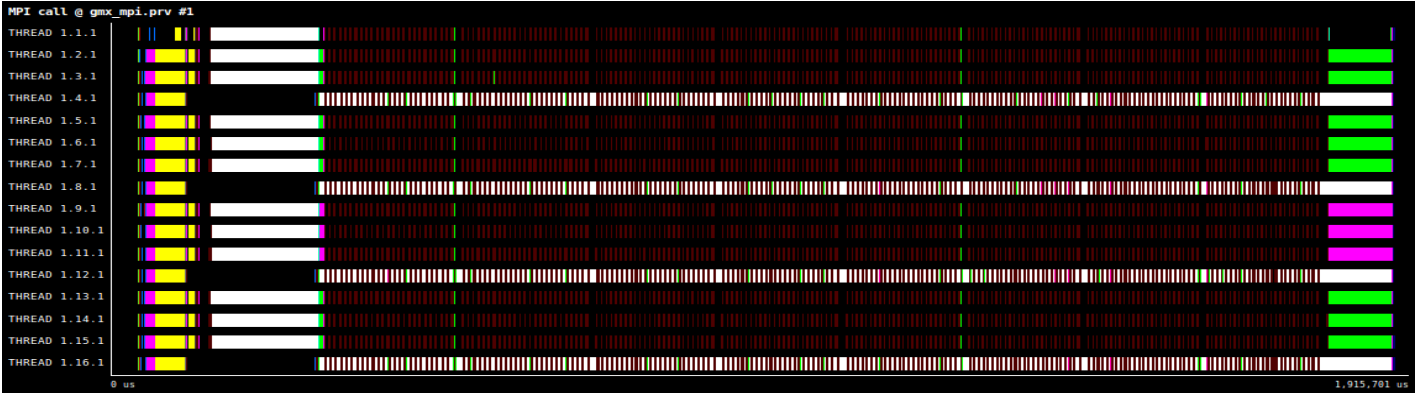 - Different processors and memories.
- Power efficiency !
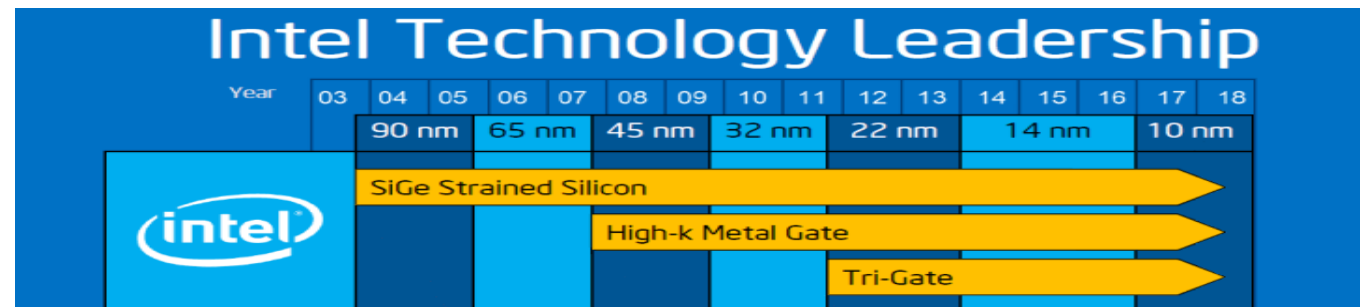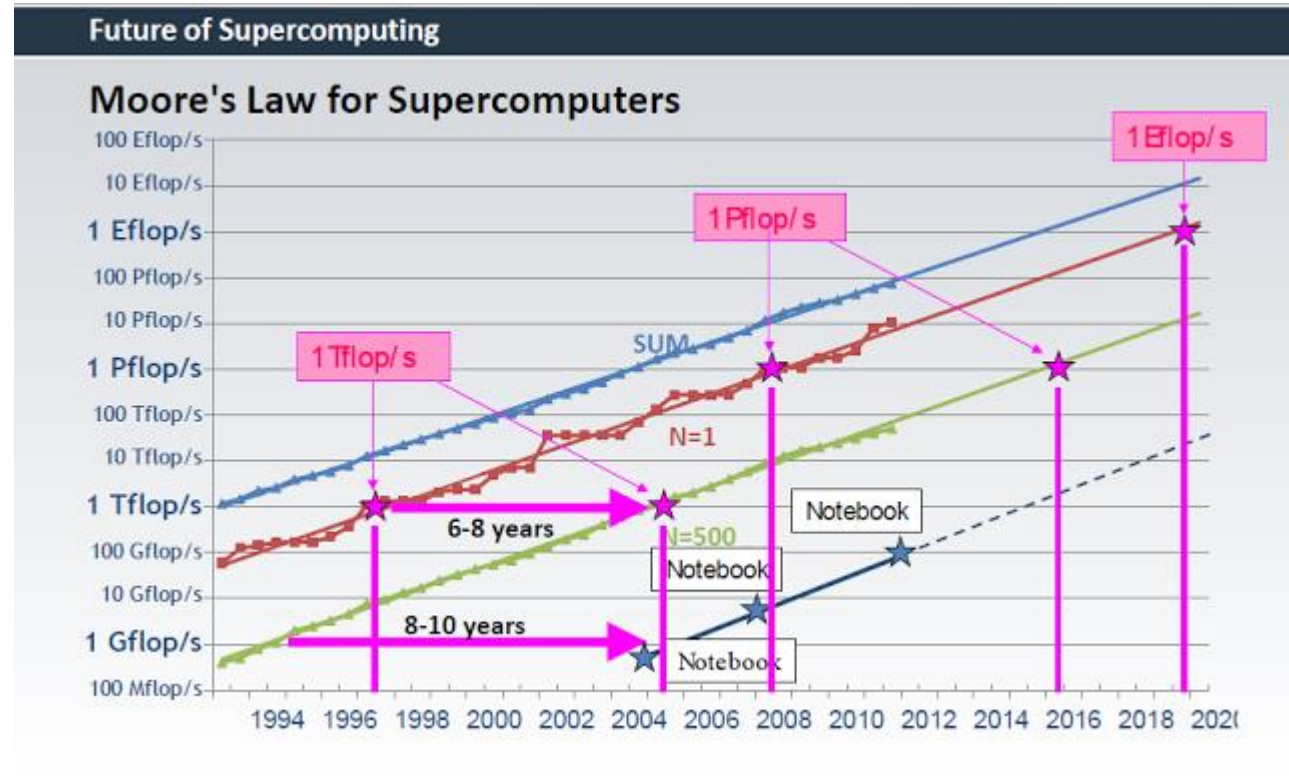
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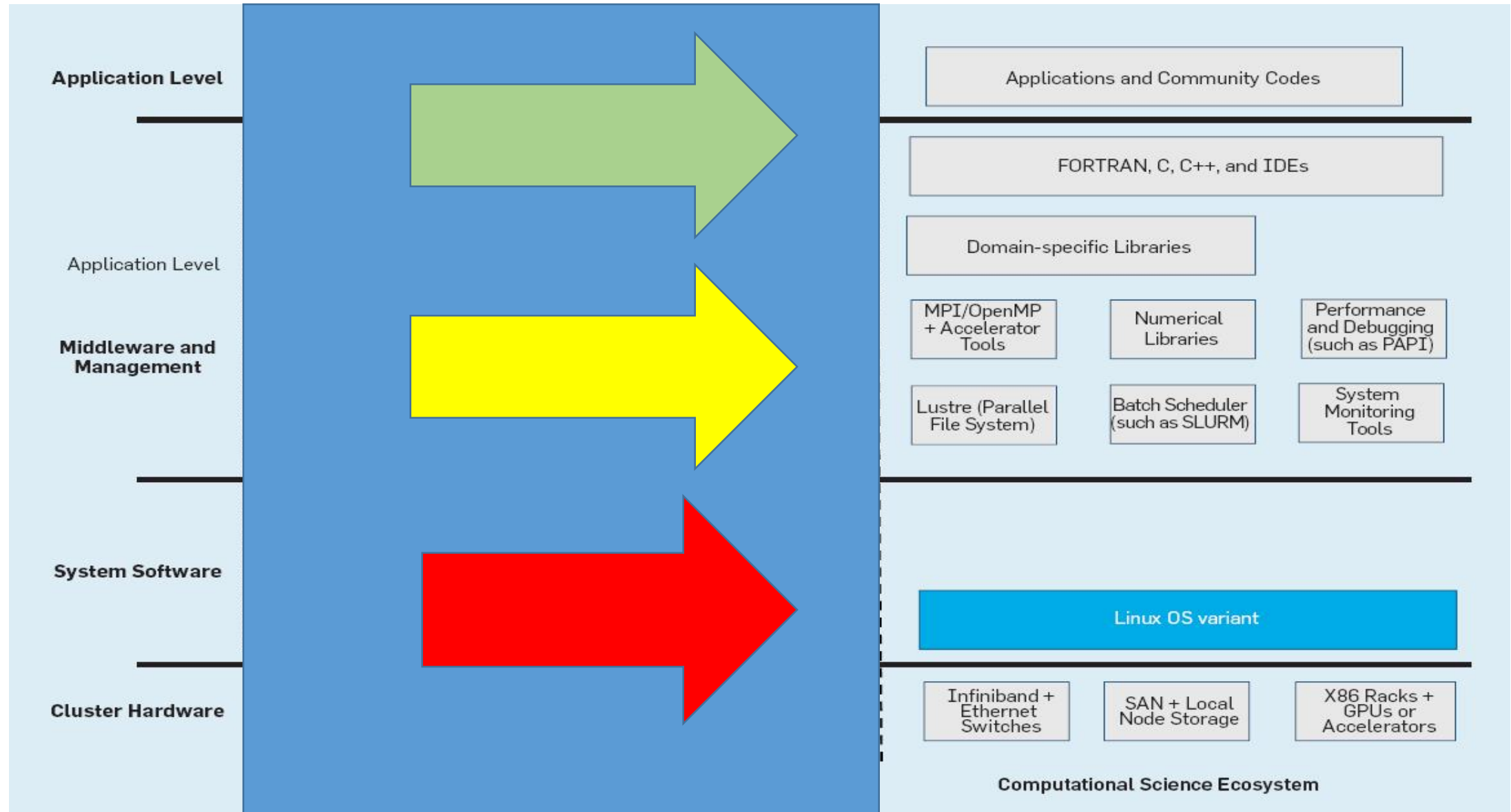
PRACE - Partnership for Advanced Computing in Europe

Tracing tools (GROMACS, 16 Cores)

Now to the clusters and programming models

A large amount of numbers and technical information will follow!!
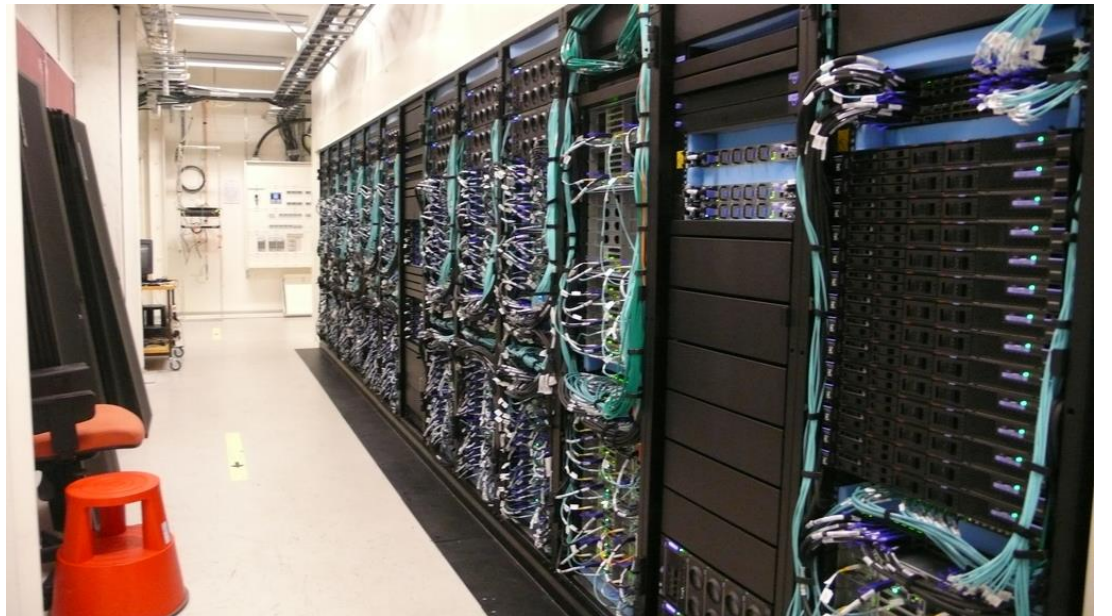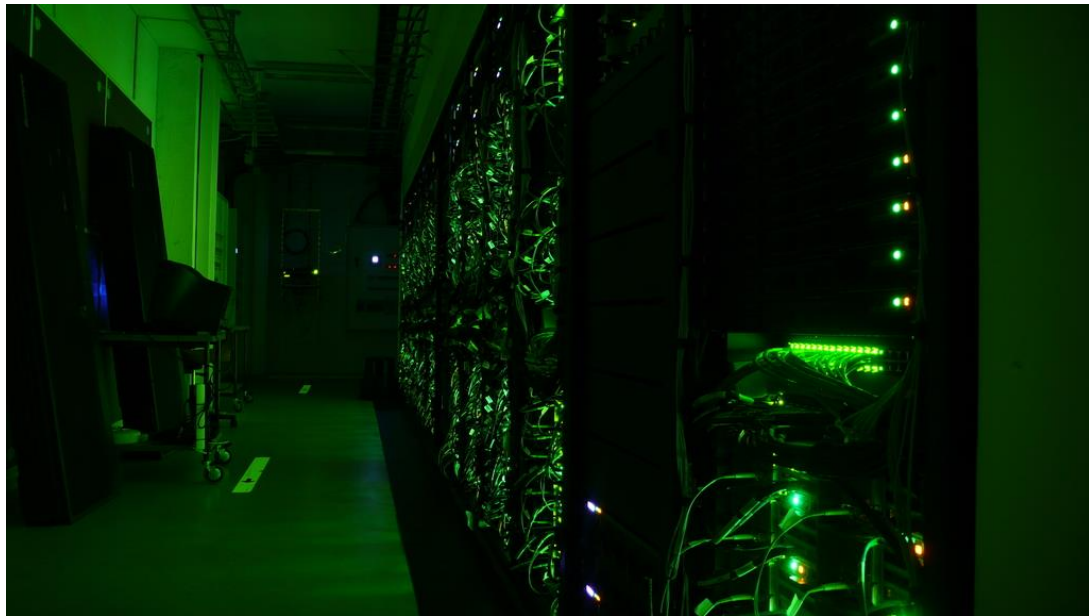
Relax, you do not need to now everything in detail, and we offer training for those things you should know.
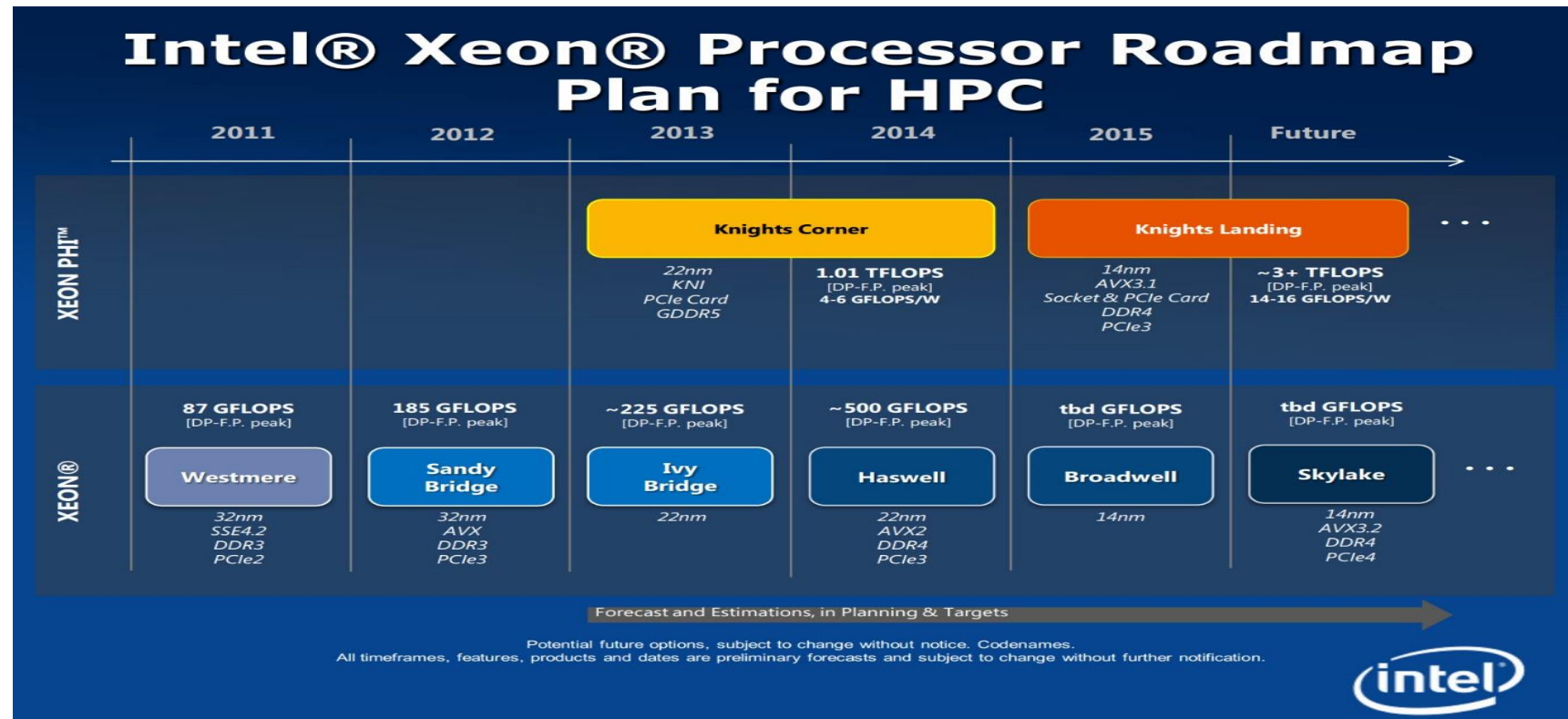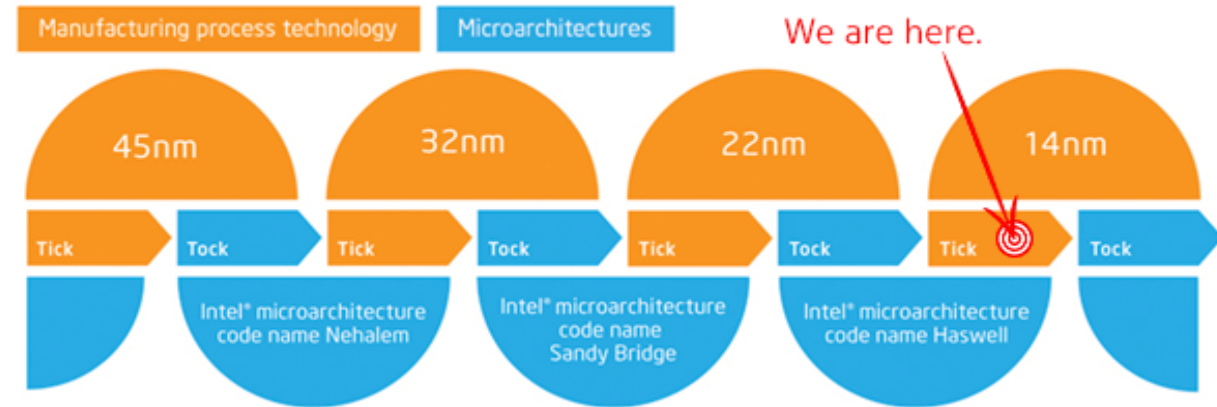
Abisko

- 332 nodes with a total of 15936 CPU cores.
- AMD Opteron 6238 (Interlagos)
- The 10 'fat' nodes have 512 GB RAM each, and the 322 'thin' nodes have 128 GB RAM each.
- (More details can be found on our web-pages)

Kebnekaise

Intels processors

The Tick-Tock model through the years

Intel® Xeon® Processor Roadmap Plan for HPC

Compute nodes

- 432 nodes
- Intel Broadwell   (E5-2690v4)
- 2x14 cores/node
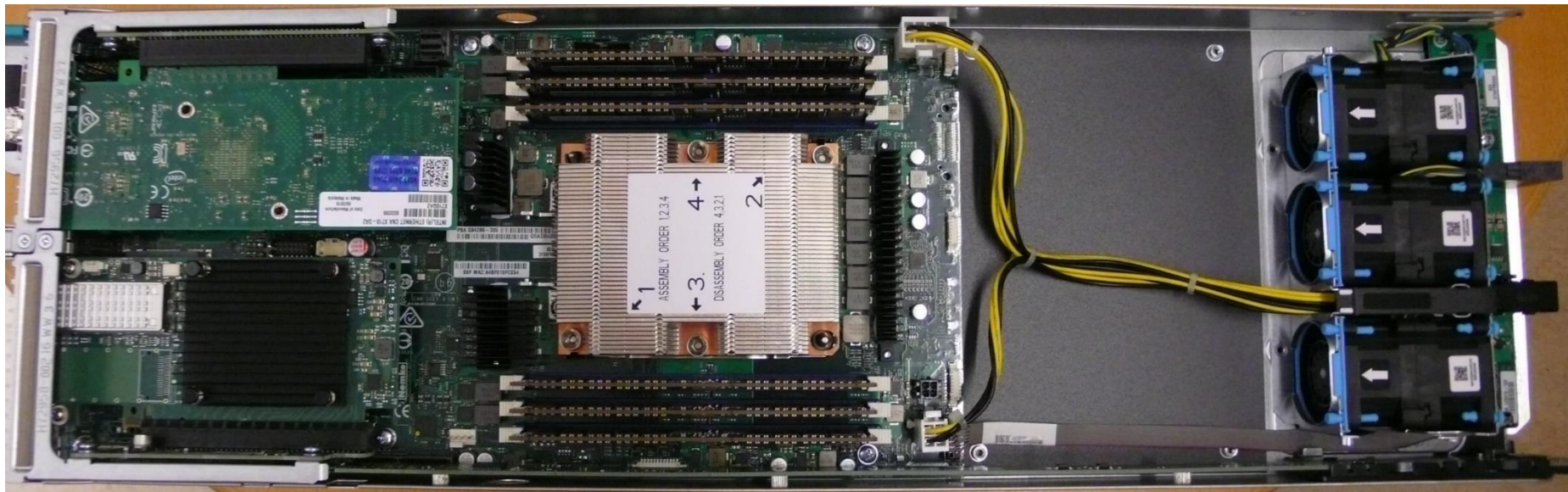- 128GB memory
- Infiniband FDR

Large memory nodes

- 20 nodes

- Intel Broadwell (E7-8860v4)

- 4x18 cores/node
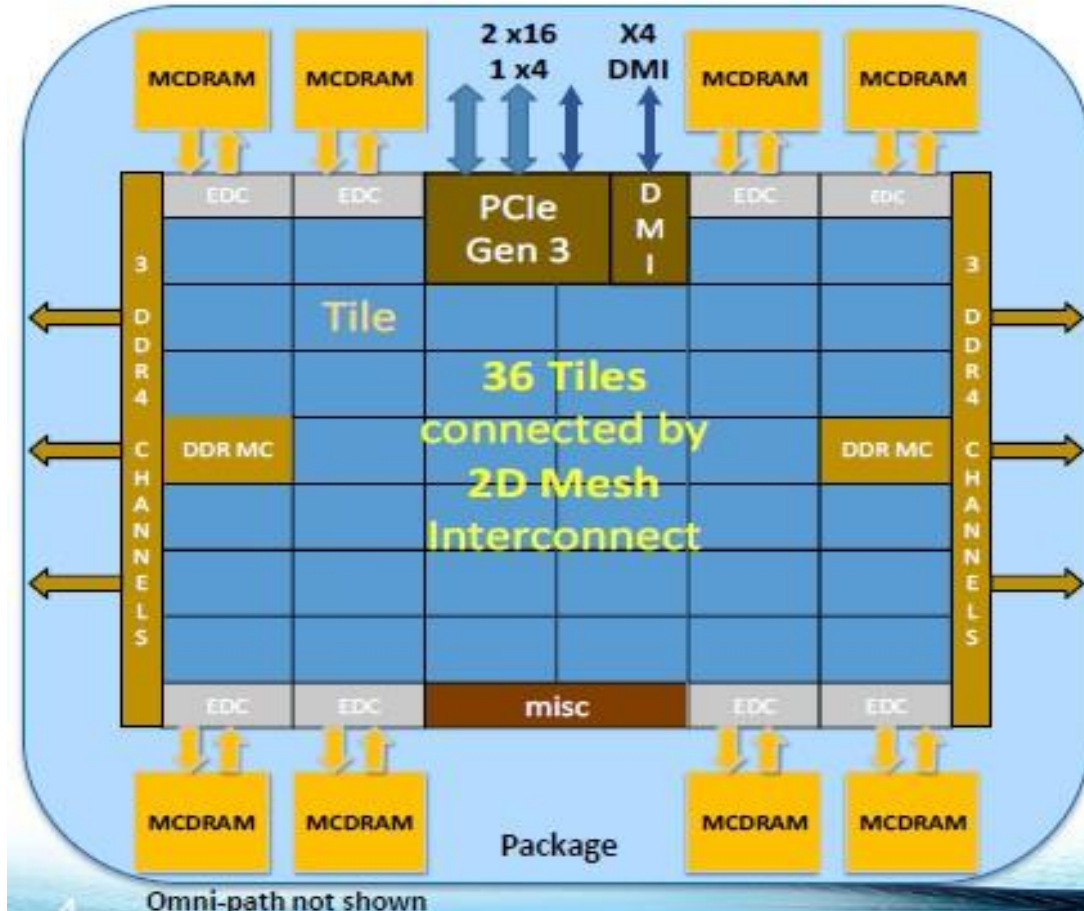
- 3TB memory

- Infiniband EDR

KNL - Intel Knights Landing

- 36 nodes
  - 68 cores
  - 1.4GHz (1.2GHz AVX)
- 192 GB memory - 16 GB MCDRAM
- Infiniband FDR
- *Installation in February*

Knights Landing Overview

TILE

2 VPU	CHA	2 VPU
Core	1MB L2	Core

Chip: 36 Tiles interconnected by **2D Mesh**

Tile: 2 Cores + 2 VPU/core + 1 MB L2

Memory: MCDRAM: 16 GB on-package; High BW

DDR4: 6 channels @ 2400 up to 384GB

IO: 36 lanes PCIe Gen3. 4 lanes of DMI for chipset

Node: 1-Socket only

Fabric: Omni-Path on-package (not shown)
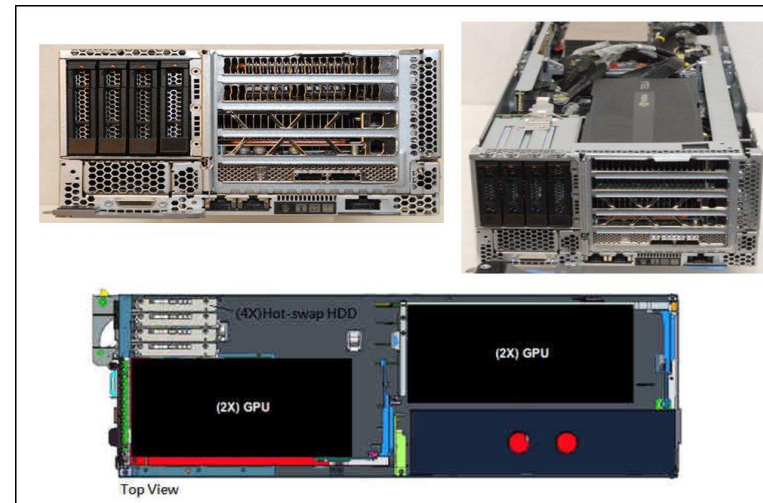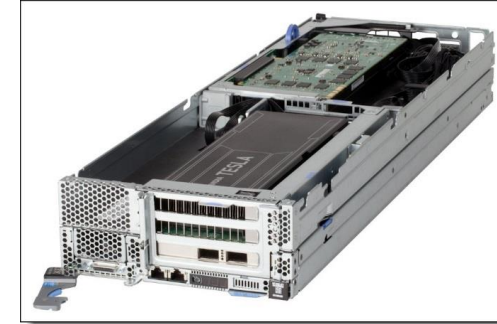
Vector Peak Perf: 3+TF DP and 6+TF SP Flops

Scalar Perf: ~3x over Knights Corner

Streams Triad (GB/s): MCDRAM : 400+; DDR: 90+

GPU nodes

- 32 nodes with 2x NVidia K80

- 4 nodes with 4x NVidia K80

- Intel Broadwell 2x14 cores (E5-2690v4)

- 128 GB memory

- Infiniband FDR

High Speed Interconnect

- Infiniband
- Three level fat tree structure
- FDR cards in nodes (leafs)
- EDR cards in large memory nodes
- EDR in switches

Kebnekaise in numbers

- 13 racks
- 544 nodes
- 17552 cores (of which 2448 cores are KNL-cores)
- 399360 CUDA cores (80 * 4992 cores/K80)
- More than 125TB memory (20*3TB + (432 + 36) * 128GB + 36*192GB)
- 66 switches (Infiniband, Access network, Management network)

Kebnekaise in numbers

- 83% of the system are standard and Large Memory nodes
- 7% GPU-nodes
- 7% KNL-nodes
- 4% Other nodes (login and management nodes, LNET-routers etc)
- 728 TFlops/s Peak performance
- 629 TFLops/s HPL (all parts)
- HPL: 86% of Peak performance

Standard Nodes	374 TFlops/s
Large Memory Nodes	34 TFlops/s
2xGPU Nodes	129 TFlops/s
4xGPU Nodes	30 TFlops/s
KNL Nodes	62 TFlops/s
Total (All parts)	**629 Flops/s**