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EXTREME - SCALE COMPUTING

# Linaro Forge

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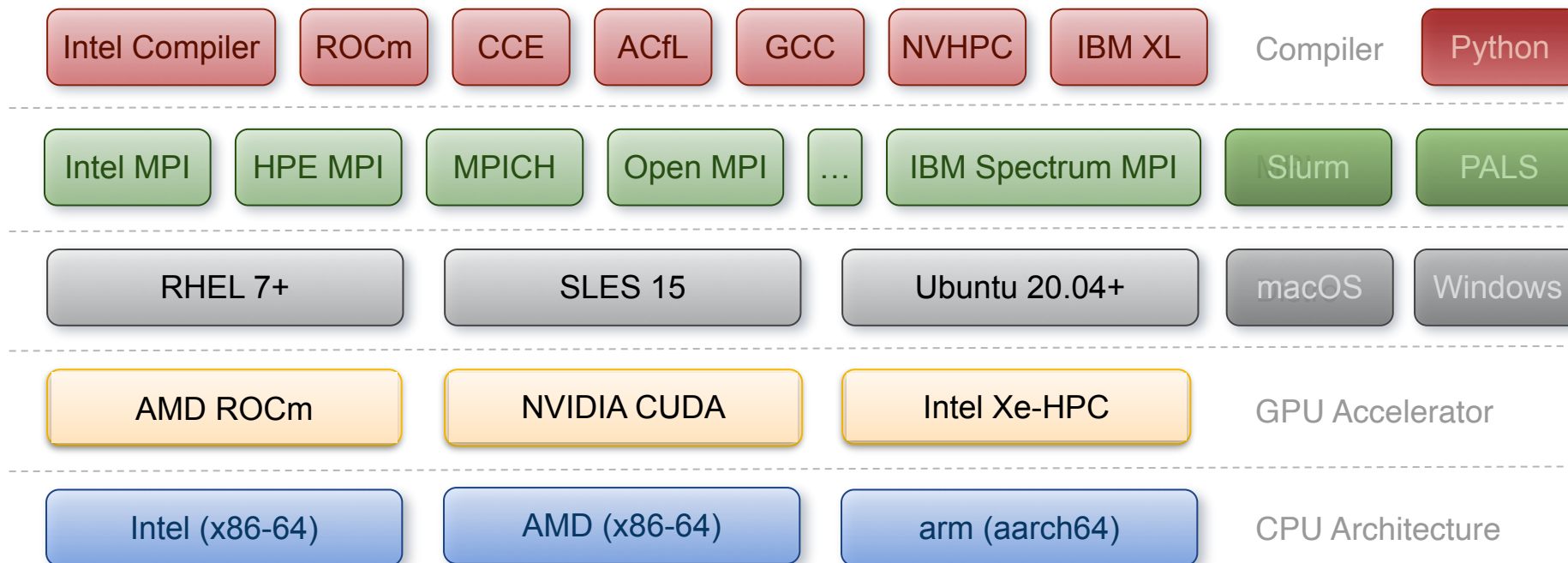
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# Agenda

- **15 minutes Overview of DDT**
- **45 minutes DDT hands-on**
- **15 minutes Overview of MAP and Performance Reports**
- **30 minutes MAP and Performance Reports hands-on**

# DDT Supported Platforms

Works across hardware architectures and HPC technologies



# DDT Highlights

Tracepoint Output					
Tracepoint	Processes	Values logged			
vhone 150 85	976, ranks 12,14-17,22-23,12...	mype 2172-3527 jcol: 2-83 mod pey			
vhone 150 81	900, ranks 12,14-17,22-23,12...	ls 1 kmax pez			
vhone 150 85	942, ranks 12,14-17,22-23,12...	mype 2172-3527 jcol: 2-83 mod pey			
vhone 150 81	929, ranks 12,14-17,22-23,12...	ls 1 kmax pez			
vhone 150 85	919, ranks 12,14-17,22-23,12...	mype 2172-3527 jcol: 2-83 mod pey			
vhone 150 81	898, ranks 12,14-17,22-23,12...	ls 1 kmax pez			

The scalable print alternative

```

for (i = 0 ; i < SIZE_M; i++)
  for (j = 0 ; j < SIZE_O; j++)
    C[i][j] = 0;

for (i = 0 ; i < SIZE_M; i++)
  for (j = 0 ; j < SIZE_O; j++)
    for (k = 0 ; k < SIZE_O; k++)
      C[i][j] += A[i][k] * B[k][j];

if (numprocs > 1)
  MPI_Sendrecv(C, 1, MPI_INT, MPI_ANY_TAG, 1,
               MPI_ANY_TAG, MPI_ANY_TAG, MPI_ANY_TAG,
               MPI_COMM_WORLD, MPI_STATUS_IGNORE);

printf("Matrix C:\n");
if (argc > 1)
  for (i = 0; i < SIZE_M; i++)
  {
    printf("%i ", C[i][0]);
  }
    
```

**Program Stopped**  
Process 0:  
Process stopped at watchpoint "rank" in main (watchmatrix.c:45).  
Old value: 0  
New value: 1074790400  
 Always show this window for watchpoints  
**Continue** **Pause** **Pause All**

Stop on variable change

hello.c

```

43     else
44         test=-1;
45     }
46
47 void func3()
48 {
49     void* i = (void*) 1;
50     while(i++ || !i)
51         free((void*)i);
    
```

portability 'i' is of type 'void \*'. When using void pointers in calculations, the behaviour is undefined.  
Left click to add a breakpoint on line 50

```

55 {
56     typeThree test;
57     typeThree* t2;
58     int i;
    
```

Static analysis warnings on code errors

```

if (argv[i] && !strcmp(argv[i], "crash")) {
    argv[i] = 0;
    printf("%s", *(char **)argv[i]);
    /* we shall see */
}

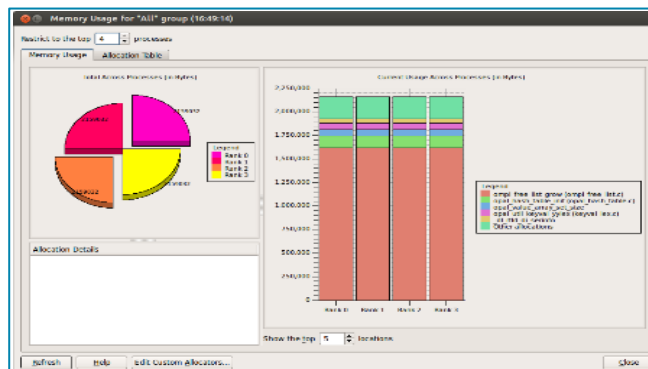
func1();

func2();
fprintf(stderr, "I
beingWatched = 1;

test.anotherList.s
test.c = 'p';
beingWatched = 0;
    
```

**Program Stopped**  
Processes 0-3:  
Memory error detected in main (hello.c:118):  
null pointer dereference or unaligned memory access  
Note: the latter may sometimes occur spuriously if guard pages are enabled  
Tip: Use the stack list and the local variables to explore your program's current state and identify the source of the error.  
**Continue** **Pause**

Detect read/write beyond array bounds



Detect stale memory allocations

# GPU Debugging

The screenshot displays a GPU debugging interface with the following components:

- Threads:** A list of threads with IDs 1, 2, and K4 highlighted.
- GPU Threads (MatrixMulHIP(float\*...):** Configuration for Block 3, Thread 5, Grid size: 4x4x1, Block size: 32x32x1.
- Project Files:** A tree view showing the source file `matrixMul.cpp`.
- Code Editor:** C++ code for a matrix multiplication kernel. The line `C[ i * wB + j ] = temp;` is highlighted.
- GPU Devices:** A table showing GPU configuration:

Attribute Name	Value
Ranks 0	
vega20	2 Devices
IDs	0-1
Threads	2400
Cores	240
- Kernel Progress View:** A bar chart showing the progress of the `MatrixMul...` kernel, with a green bar indicating the current state.
- Evaluate:** A table of current variable values:

Name	Value
i	82
wA	128
wB	128
temp	1.27999914
- Legend:**  not scheduled,  scheduled,  selected.

- Support both AMD and Nvidia GPUs
- Debug simultaneously on GPU and CPU
- Look and feel exactly the same
- Main Features work in GPU
- Key (additional) GPU features:
  - Kernel Progress View
  - GPU thread in parallel stack view
  - GPU Thread Selector
  - GPU Device Pane
- For NVIDIA's nvcc compiler, kernels must be compiled with the -g -G flags

# Python Debugging

- Debug Features

- Sparklines for Python variables
- Tracepoints
- MDA viewer
- Mixed language support

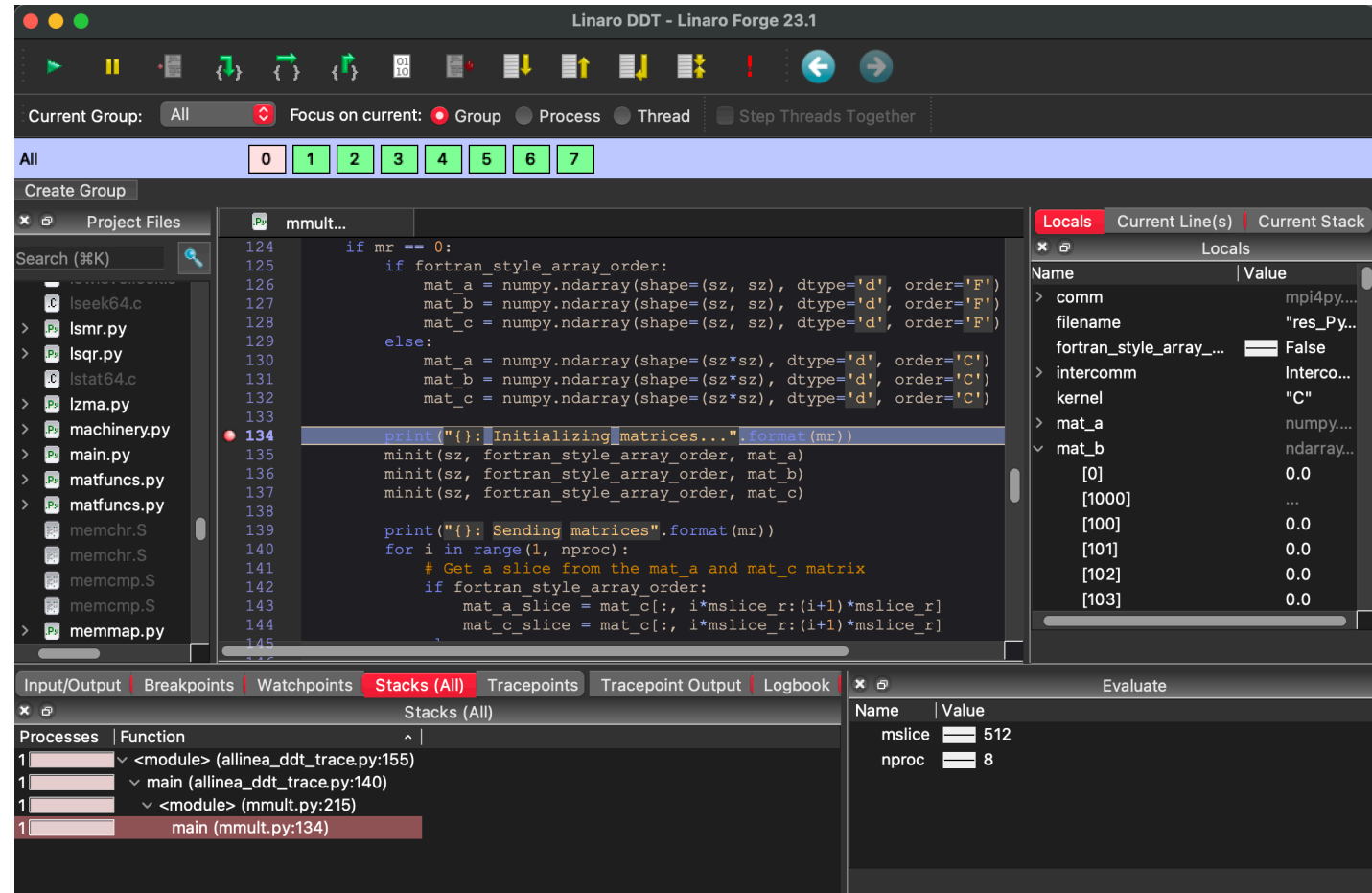
- Improved Evaluations:

- Matrix objects
- Array objects
- Pandas DataFrame
- Series objects

- Python Specific:

- Stop on uncaught Python exception
- Show F-string variables in “Current Line” display
- Mpi4py, NumPy, SciPy

```
ddt --connect mpiexec -n 8 python3  
%allinea_python_debug% ./mmult.py
```



# DDT in offline mode

## Run the application under DDT and halt or report when a failure occurs

You can run the debugger in non-interactive mode

- For long-running jobs / debugging at very high scale
- For automated testing, continuous integration...

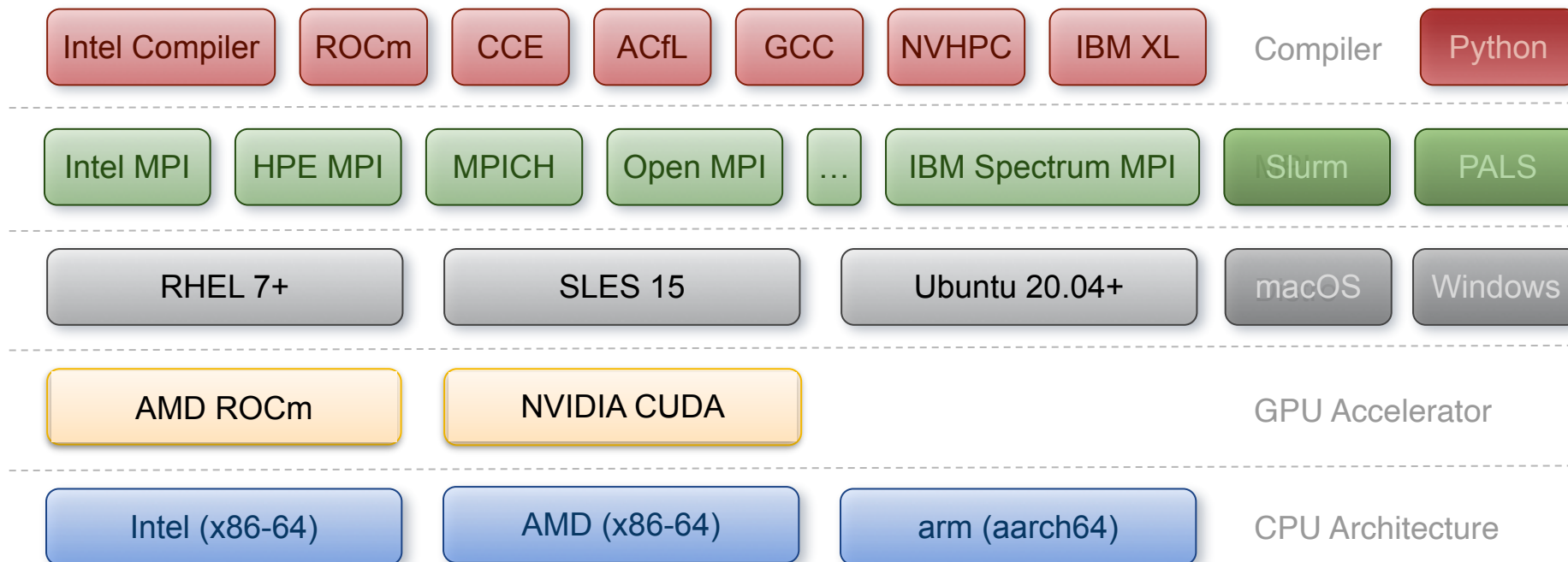
To do so, use following arguments:

- `$ ddt --offline --output=report.html mpirun ./jacobi_omp_mpi_gnu.exe`
  - **--offline** enable non-interactive debugging
  - **--output** specifies the name and output of the non-interactive debugging session (HTML or Txt)
  - Add **--mem-debug** to enable memory debugging **and memory leak detection**

```
ddt --offline -o jacobi_omp_mpi_gnu_debug.txt \  
      --trace-at _jacobi.F90:83,residual \  
      mpiexec ./jacobi_omp_mpi_gnu.exe
```

# MAP and Performance Reports Supported Platforms

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# Linaro Performance tools

## Characterize and understand the performance of HPC application runs



Commercially supported by Linaro

Gather a rich set of data

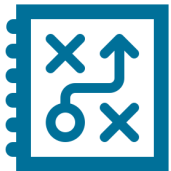
- Analyses metric around CPU, memory, IO, hardware counters, etc.
- Possibility for users to add their own metrics



Accurate and Astute insight

Build a culture of application performance & efficiency awareness

- Analyses data and reports the information that matters to users
- Provides simple guidance to help improve workloads' efficiency

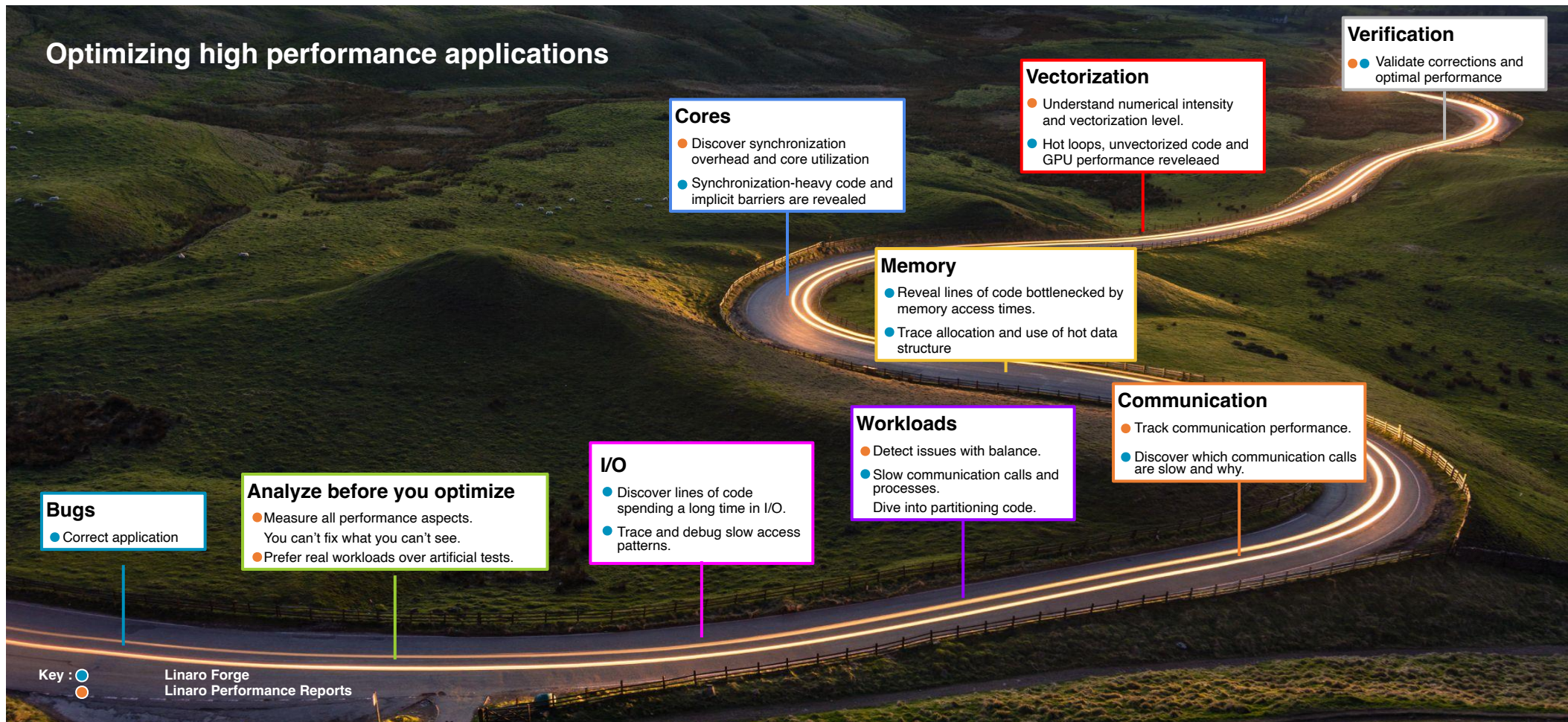


Relevant advice to avoid pitfalls

Adds value to typical users' workflows

- Define application behaviour and performance expectations
- Integrate outputs to various systems for validation (eg. continuous integration)
- Can be automated completely (no user intervention)

# The Performance Roadmap



# Linaro Performance Reports

## A high-level view of application performance with “plain English” insights

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Command: `mpiexec.hydra -host node-1,node-2 -map-by socket -n 16 -ppn 8 ./Bin/low_freq/../../Src//hydro -i ./Bin/low_freq/../../Input/input_250x125_corner.nml`  
Resources: 2 nodes (8 physical, 8 logical cores per node)  
Memory: 15 GiB per node  
Tasks: 16 processes, OMP\_NUM\_THREADS was 1  
Machine: node-1  
Start time: Thu Jul 9 2015 10:32:13  
Total time: 165 seconds (about 3 minutes)  
Full path: Bin/../../Src

### I/O

A breakdown of the 16.2% I/O time:

Time in reads	0.0%	
Time in writes	100.0%	█
Effective process read rate	0.00 bytes/s	
Effective process write rate	1.38 MB/s	█

Most of the time is spent in **write operations** with a very low effective transfer rate. This may be caused by contention for the filesystem or inefficient access patterns. Use an I/O profiler to investigate which write calls are affected.

Summary: hydro is **MPI-bound** in this configuration

Compute 20.6% █

Time spent running application code. High values are usually good. This is **very low**; focus on improving MPI or I/O performance first

MPI 63.2% █

Time spent in MPI calls. High values are usually bad. This is **high**; check the MPI breakdown for advice on reducing it

I/O 16.2% █

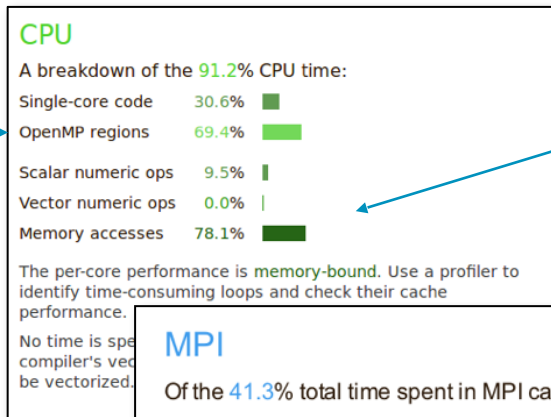
Time spent in filesystem I/O. High values are usually bad. This is **average**; check the I/O breakdown section for optimization advice



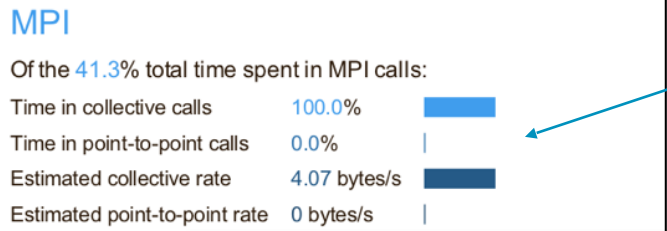
# Linaro Performance Reports Metrics

Lowers expertise requirements by explaining everything in detail right in the report

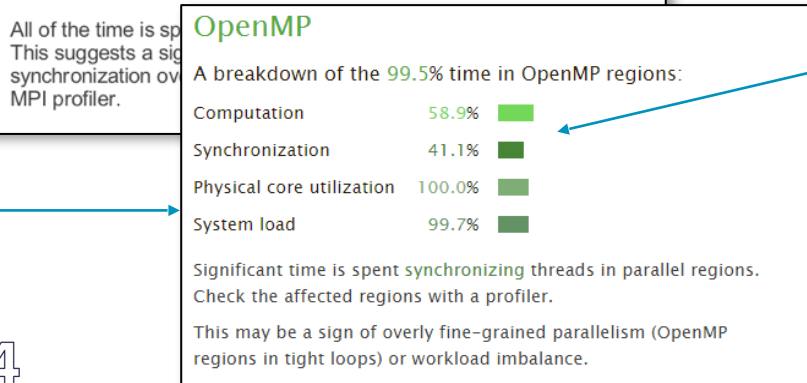
Multi-threaded parallelism



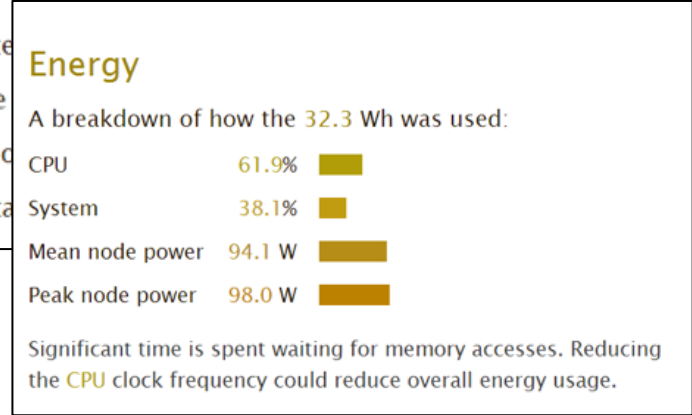
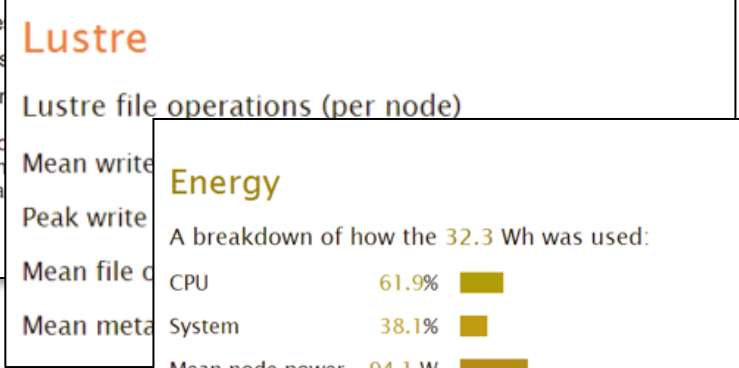
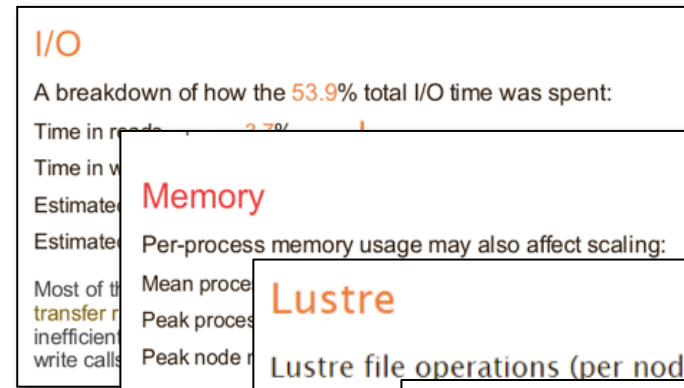
SIMD parallelism



Load imbalance



System usage



# MAP Capabilities

MAP is a sampling based scalable profiler

- Built on same framework as DDT
- Parallel support for MPI, OpenMP, CUDA
- Designed for C/C++/Fortran

Designed for 'hot-spot' analysis

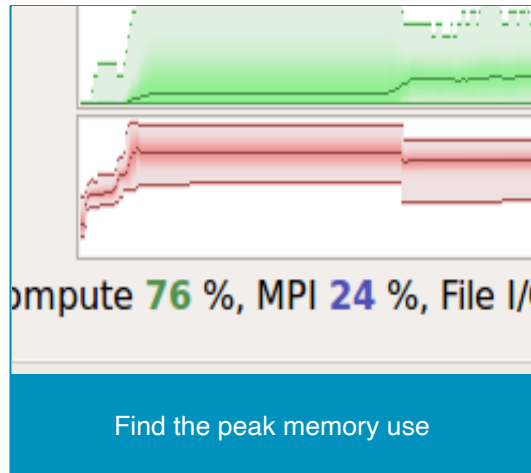
- Stack traces
- Augmented with performance metrics

Adaptive sampling rate

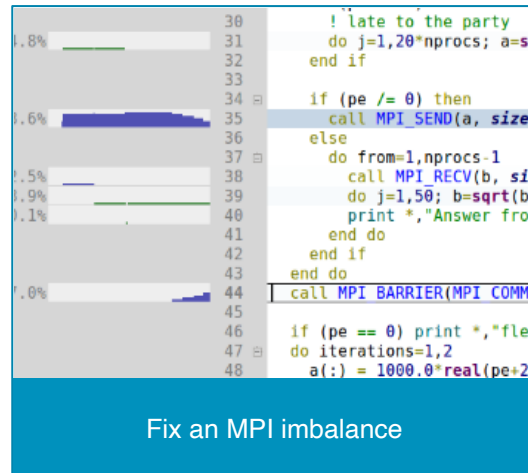
- Throws data away - 1,000 samples per process
- Low overhead, scalable and small file size



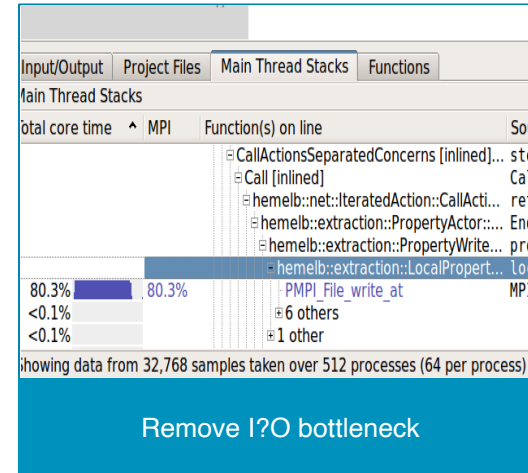
# MAP Highlights



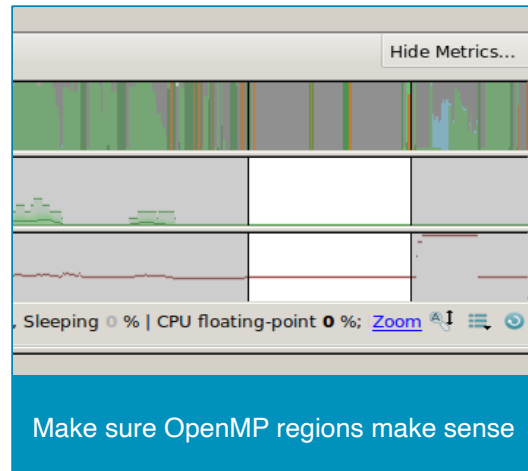
Find the peak memory use



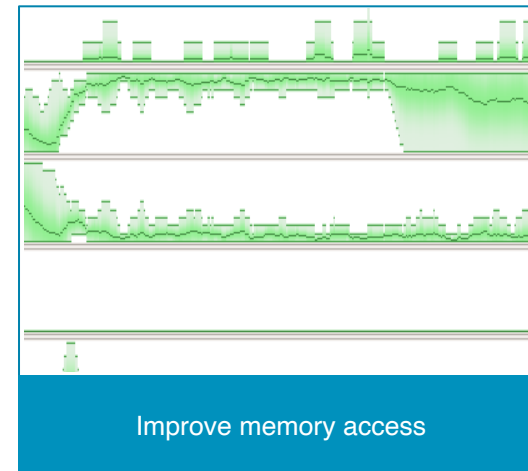
Fix an MPI imbalance



Remove I/O bottleneck



Make sure OpenMP regions make sense



Improve memory access

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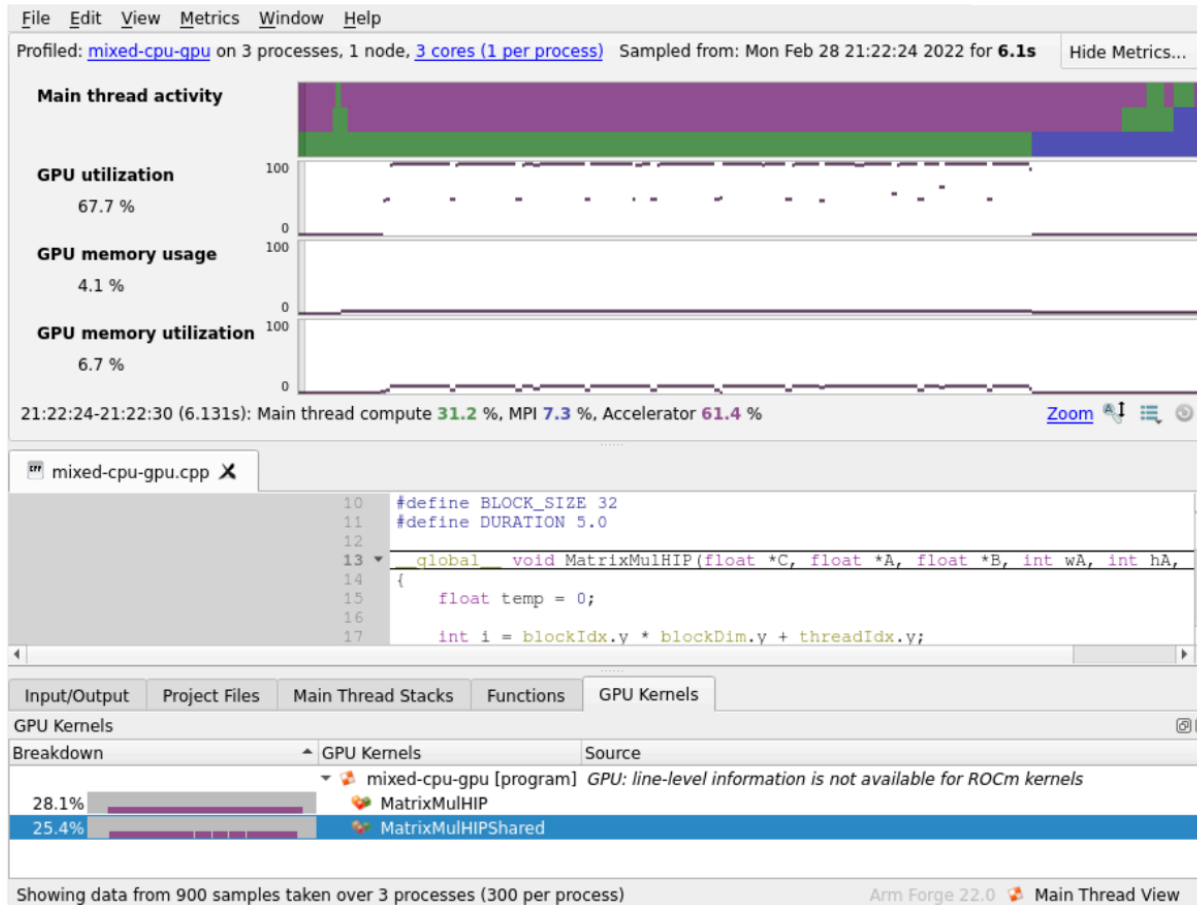
{
mmult(size, nproc, mat_a, mat
res += A[i*size+k]*B[k*size+j]

MPI_Finalize();
mwrite(size, mat c, filename )

```

Restructure for vectorization

# GPU profiling



## Profile

- Supports both AMD and Nvidia GPUs
- Able to bring up metadata of the profile
- Mixed CPU [green] / GPU [purple] application
- CPU time waiting for GPU Kernels [purple]
- GPU Kernels graph indicating Kernel activity

## GUI information

- GUI is consistent across platforms
- Zoom into main thread activity
- Ranked by highest contributors to app time

# Python Profiling

19.0 adds support for Python

- Call stacks
- Time in interpreter

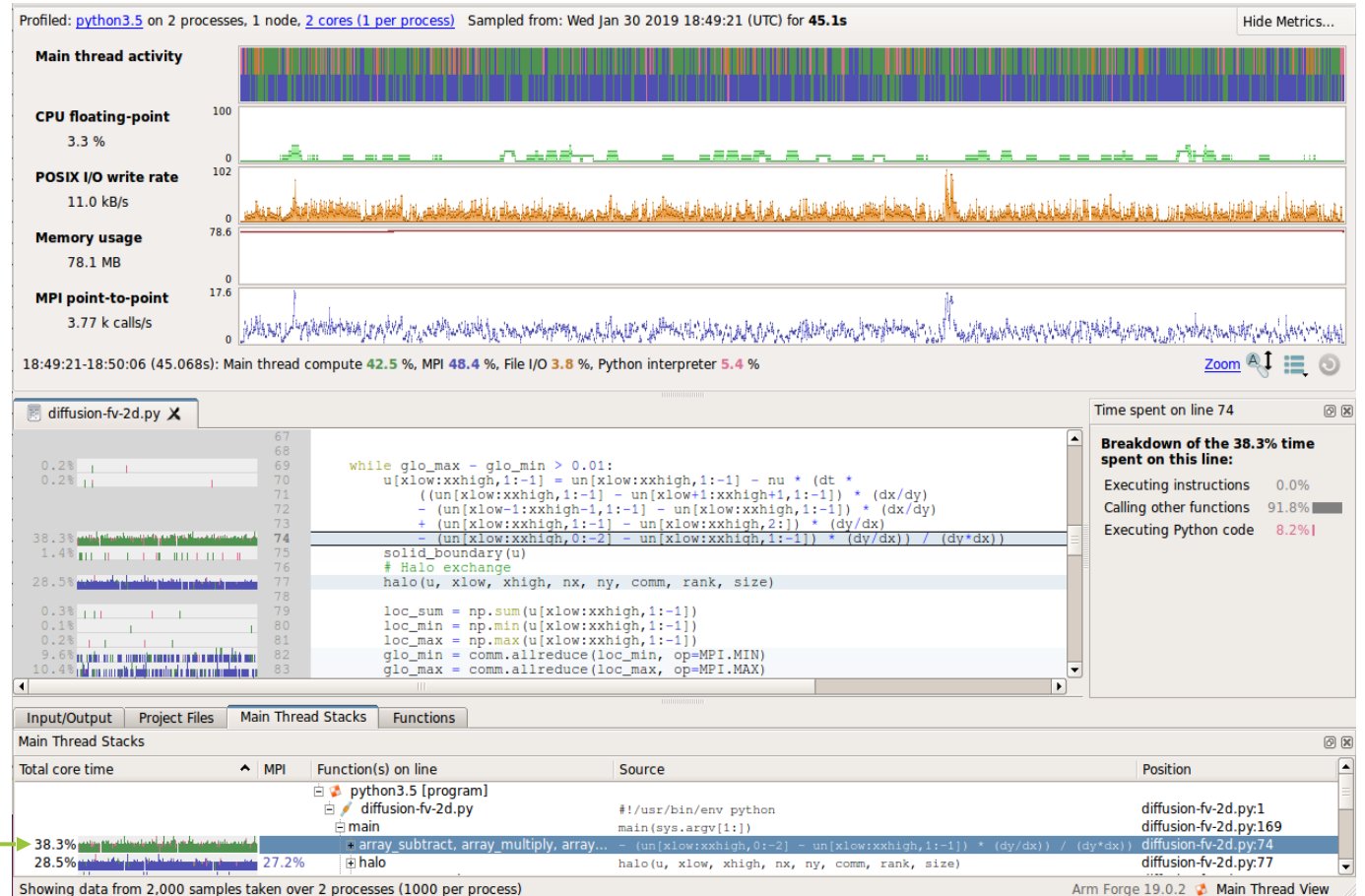
Works with MPI4PY

- Usual MAP metrics

Source code view

- Mixed language support

Note: Green as operation is on numpy array, so backed by C routine, not Python (which would be pink)



map --profile mpiexec -n 2 python ./diffusion-fv-2d.py



# Compiler Remarks

Annotates source code with compiler remarks

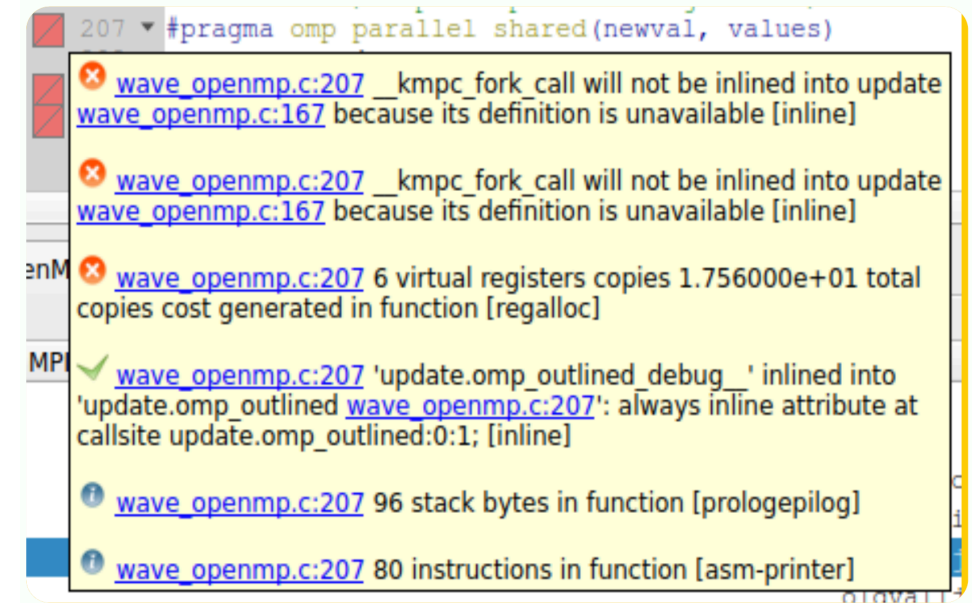
- Remarks are extracted from the compiler optimisation report
- Compiler remarks are displayed as annotations next to your source code

Colour coded

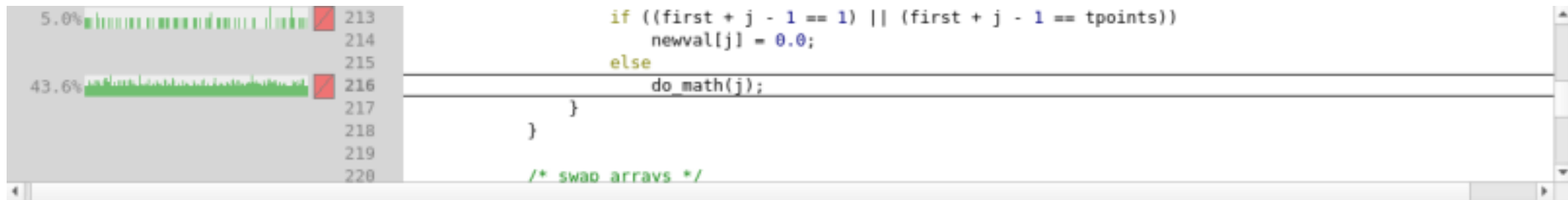
- Their colour indicates the type of remark present in the following priority order:
  1. Red: failed or missed optimisations
  2. Green: successful or passed optimisations
  3. White: information or analysis notes

Compiler Remarks menu.

- Specify build directories for non-trivial build systems
- Filter out remarks



```
207 #pragma omp parallel shared(newval, values)
❌ wave_openmp.c:207 __kmpc_fork_call will not be inlined into update
wave_openmp.c:167 because its definition is unavailable [inline]
❌ wave_openmp.c:207 __kmpc_fork_call will not be inlined into update
wave_openmp.c:167 because its definition is unavailable [inline]
enM ❌ wave_openmp.c:207 6 virtual registers copies 1.756000e+01 total
copies cost generated in function [regalloc]
MPI ✅ wave_openmp.c:207 'update.omp_outlined_debug_' inlined into
'update.omp_outlined_wave_openmp.c:207': always inline attribute at
callsite update.omp_outlined:0:1; [inline]
❗ wave_openmp.c:207 96 stack bytes in function [prologuepilog]
❗ wave_openmp.c:207 80 instructions in function [asm-printer]
```



```
5.0% 213 if ((first + j - 1 == 1) || (first + j - 1 == tpoints))
214     newval[j] = 0.0;
215 else
43.6% 216     do_math(j);
217 }
218 }
219
220 /* swap arrays */
```

# Thank you

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