

From simulation to knowledge

Speeding up your data analysis



Where does time go?

CPU speed is app 0.1 ns (@3.3 GHz)
Cache memory is app 5 ns
Main memory access is app 30 ns
SSD access is app 100 ns
HDD access is app 5 ms

Most important thing to take home:

Processing speed is all above data-movement processing is mostly for free

Approaches to speed up analysis

- 1) Try to read data only once
- 2) Read only the data you need
- 3) Parallelize your analysis

Parallelize I

Use vectorized code

```
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    result = numpy.zeros((x,y,z))
    for t_i in range(t):
        for z_i in range(z):
        for y_i in range(y):
            for x_i in range(x):
                  result[x_i, y_i, z_i] += data[t_i, x_i, y_i, z_i]
```

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    for t_i in range(t):
        result += data[t_i]
    return result
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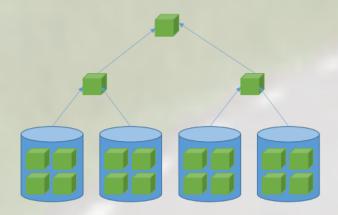
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Parallelize II

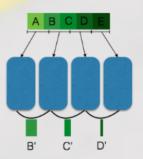
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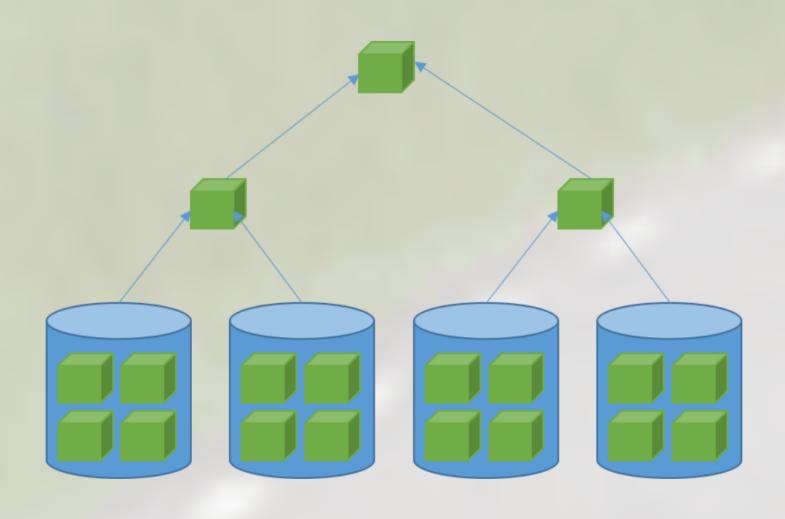
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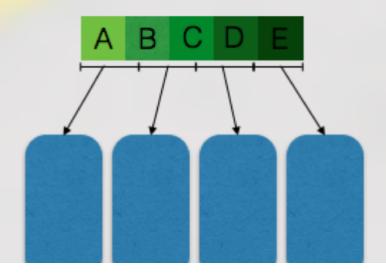
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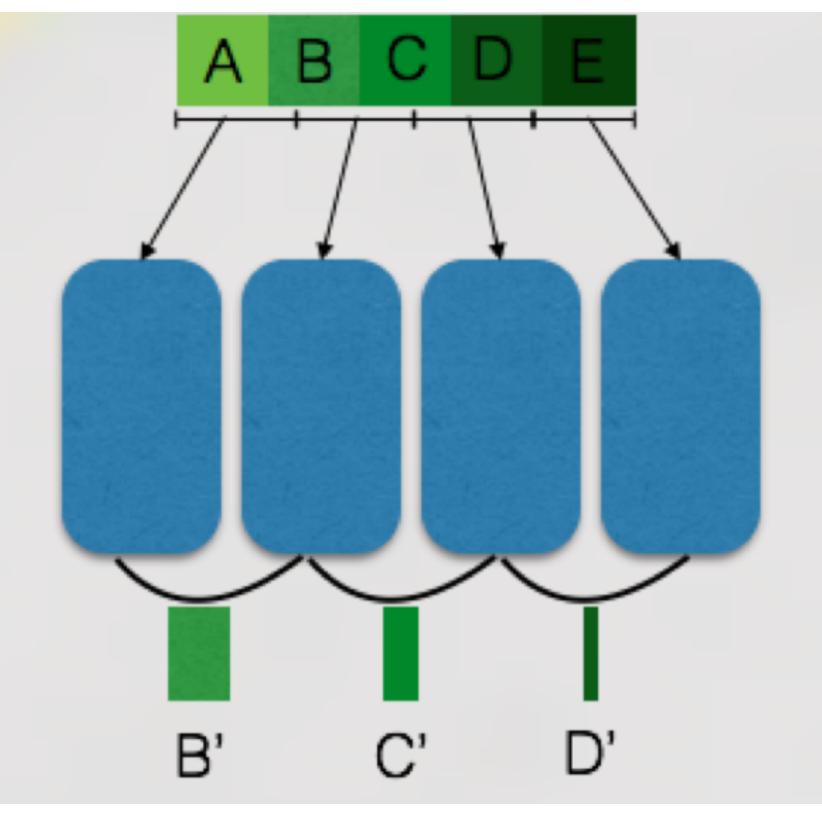


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Map Reduce on netCDF



```
import numpy

x = 100; y = 100; z = 100; t = 100; p = 3

def choose_temperatures(data):
    return data[1,:,:,:]

tensor_sum = lambda a,b: a + b

data = numpy.random.random((t, p, x, y, z))

temperatures = map(choose_temperatures, data)
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SOFA and **BDAE**



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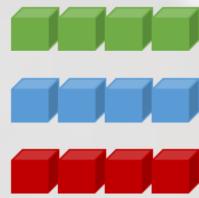
def get_dataset_type(self, identifier):
    return ExampleNumberDataset(name=identifier)

def get_identifiers(self):
    return ['pressure', 'temperature', 'humidity']
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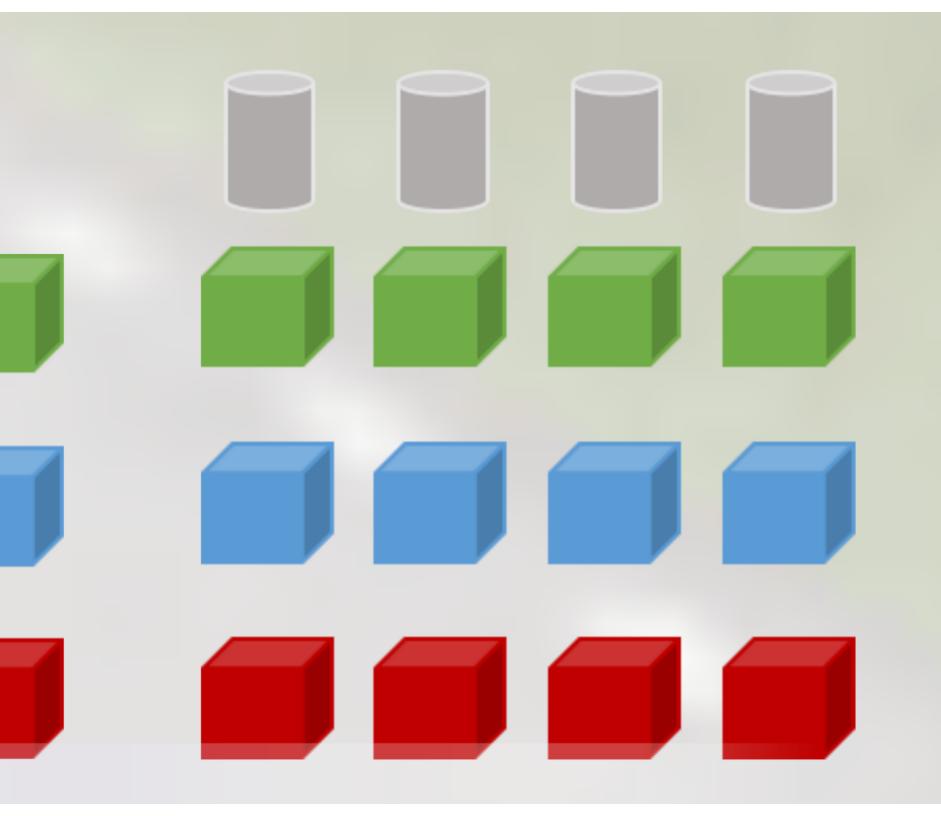


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```
from bdae.templates.import_utils import reduce
   from bdae.templates.number_dataset import Num
   from sofa.foundation.operation import Operation
   class ExampleNumberDataset(NumpyArrayDataset)
       def get operations(self):
            return [
                    OperationContext.by(self, 'un:
        def get map functions(self):
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            return NumpyArrayDataset.get_map_func
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        def get reduce functions(self):
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            return module binder(numpy, reduce_fu
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       def preprocess(self, data ref):
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           return data ref
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       def next_entry(self, data):
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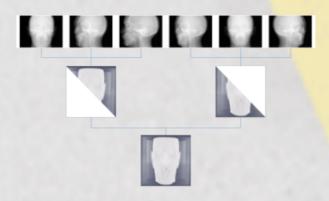
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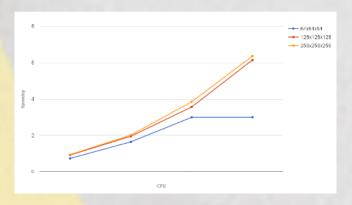
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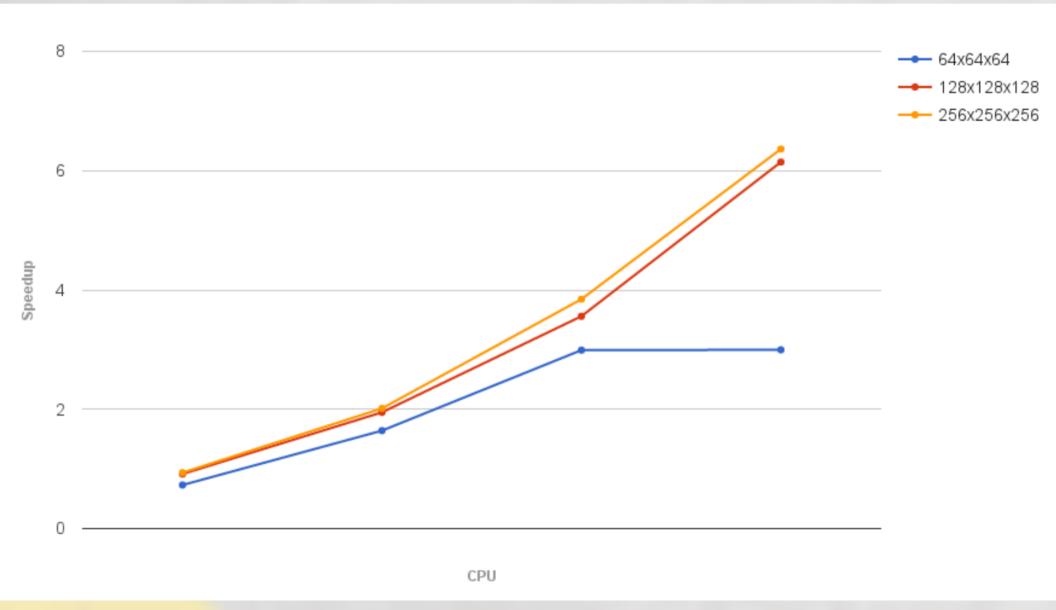
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from bdae.templates.import utils import reduce function binder, module binder
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   from bdae.templates.number dataset import NumpyArrayDataset
   from sofa.foundation.operation import OperationContext
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   class ExampleNumberDataset(NumpyArrayDataset):
7
       def get operations(self):
8
            return [
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                    OperationContext.by(self, 'unit sum', '[sink, sum]')
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       def get map functions(self):
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            return NumpyArrayDataset.get map functions(self) + [sink]
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       def get reduce functions(self):
            return module binder(numpy, reduce function binder, ['sum'])
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       def preprocess(self, data ref):
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            return data ref
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       def next entry(self, data):
            for d in data:
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                yield d
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   def sink(blocks, args):
       return blocks, args
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CT Reconstruction in BDAE







Summary

Reading data is the most expensive operation you there is

Much analysis is trivially parallelized - but use tools - do not write your own parallel programs

Big data tools are well suited for data analysis - but traditional tools like Hadoop suffer from the residual problem



