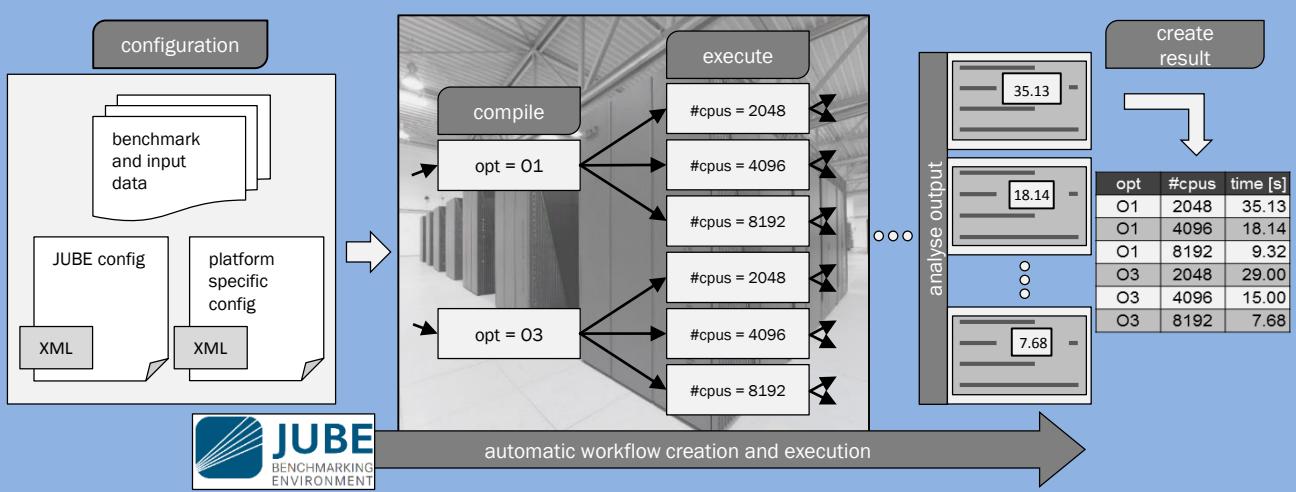


JUBE

A FLEXIBLE, APPLICATION- AND PLATFORM-INDEPENDENT ENVIRONMENT FOR BENCHMARKING



JUBE considerably **reduces the cost** of configuring, running and analysing benchmark, test or production suites

Flexible and generic workflow management

XML-file based configuration allows a very **flexible parameterization**

Use cases: Procurements, comparison of systems, monitoring effects of system and configuration changes, software testing

Key concepts and strategy

- Provision of templates: Independence of applications and platforms
- Span a multi-dimensional parameter space
- Substitution of placeholders
- Workflow and directory management
- No source code modifications and configuration files created once
- Reproducibility

Implementation and Availability

- Implemented in Python (compatible with Python 2.6, 2.7, 3.2 or any newer version)
- Current version: 2.2.1
- Open Source (GPLv3)
- Documentation and tutorial available online

Development

- High-level HPC queue management system configuration and communication options
- Implementation of additional workflow types (groups)
- New additional YAML based input format

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