

GROMEX FMM for Realistic Biomolecular Simulations on the Exercise Automatic Petascale Multi-Petascale

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Long Range Interactions



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The Fast Multipole Method

There's no such thing as a free lunch



The Fast Multipole Method

Bane and Boon

Bane

- Newly introduced parameters d, ws, p need to be tuned.
- Reliable optimization scheme is essential for speedup.

Boon

- Computation time $t(\epsilon)$ can be a function of requested precision.
- Tremendous speedup possible for any requested precision.



FMM: Current Fortran Version

Generic Features

- Automatic tuning of FMM parameters to ensure user-requested energy accuracy Δ*E_r*
- Automatic runtime optimization
- Works with clustered and homogen particle distributions
- Works with open, 1D, 2D and 3D periodic boundary conditions
- Low cross-over point with direct summation (4000 particles)
- Allows different precisions $\Delta E_r = 10^{-1} \dots 10^{-30}$

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	xyz d p Pass 1 Pass 2 Pass 3 Pass 4 Pass 5 F Φ
Enhano	ed FMM Workflow
$\begin{array}{c} xyz \\ q \\ \Delta E \end{array}$	Stage I \overline{d} Pass 5 $\overline{E_{\rm NF}}$ Stage II p Pass 1Pass 2Pass 3Pass 4 \overline{F} \overline{p} $$



Precision Scaling

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Three-Trillion Particles @ BGP

System Characteristics

- 3.011.561.968.121 particles
- 73728 nodes (VN mode, 294912 cores)

Results

- 3812s runtime, unsorted data (2755 particles/second/core)
- 715s runtime, presorted data (14687 particles/second/core)

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ScaFaCoS Benchmarks





























DFG Priority Programme (SPP 1648)

Software for Exascale Computing (SPPEXA)

- entering era of massive parallelism (> 10⁷ processing units)
- urgent need for fundamental reseach on HPC software
- reconnect fields of computer science with CSE and HPC
- demands close cooperation and co-design
- service-driven collaborations not permitted
- (3+3) year funding period

Prediction

- exascale system expected 2018 (\approx 10¹⁸ FLOPS)
- racks without brains strategy will not suffice





DFG Priority Programme

Software for Exascale Computing

EXA-DUNE

Flexible PDE Solvers, Numerical Methods, and Applications

DASH

Hierarchical Arrays for Efficient and Productive Data-Intensive Exascale Computing

TERRA-NEO

Integrated Co-Design of an Exa-Scale Earth Mantle Modeling Framework

EXASTEEL

Bridging Scales for Multiphase Steels

ExaStencils

Advanced Stencil-Code Engineering

EXAHD

An Exa-Scalable Two-Level Sparse Grid Approach for Higher-Dimensional Problems in Plasma Physics and Beyond

ExaFSA

Exascale Simulation of Fluid-Structure-Acoustics Interactions



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DFG Priority Programme

Software for Exascale Computing

EXA??^{*} A fast and fault tolerant microkernel-based system for exascale computing ESSEX Equipping Sparse Solvers for Exascale **EXASOLVERS** Extreme scale solvers for coupled problems EXAMAG Exascale simulations of the evolution of the universe including magnetic fields GROMEX Unified Long-range Electrostatics and Dynamic Protonation for Realistic Biomolecular Simulations on the Exascale CATWALK A Quick Development Path for Performance Models

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GROMEX Toolbox Flexible exascale solver for long-range interactions







New Algorithmic Features

Dynamic Protonation, (Material provided by C. Kutzner, MPI Göttingen)



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