

# Score-P and Scalasca Portable open-source tools for scalable performance analysis

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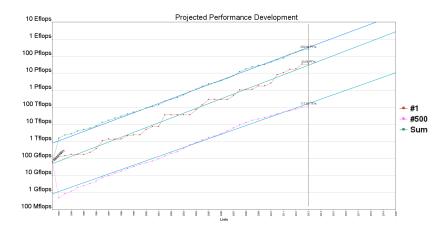


## Outline

Going Exascale We're not alone Things got messy Who uses/develops Score-P What is ours The future

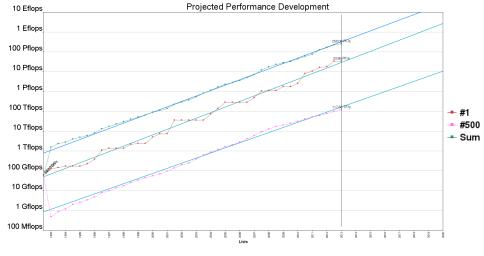


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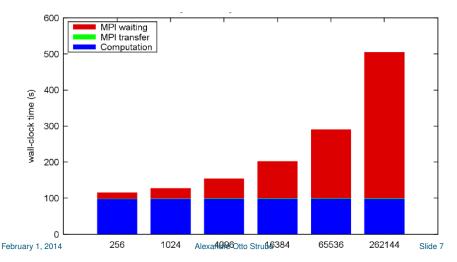
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## Example: Sweep3d Wait States on BG/P (2010)





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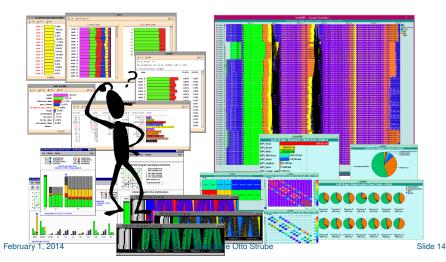
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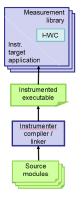
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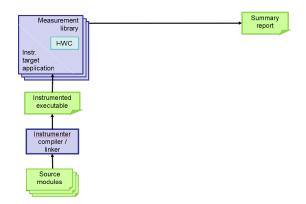




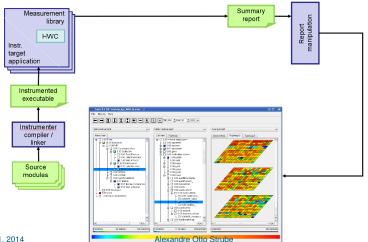


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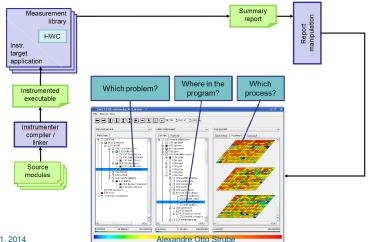






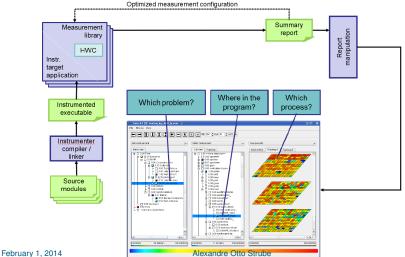
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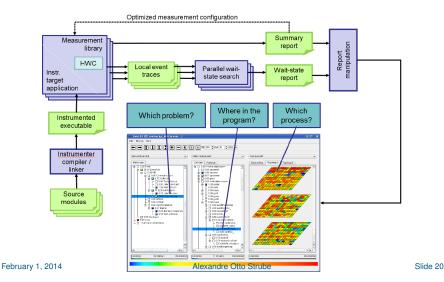


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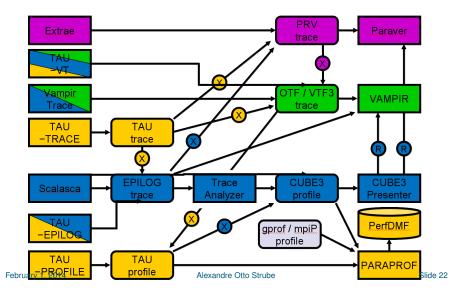
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# Things got messy





# Unification



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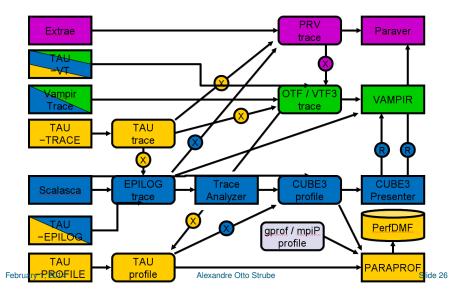
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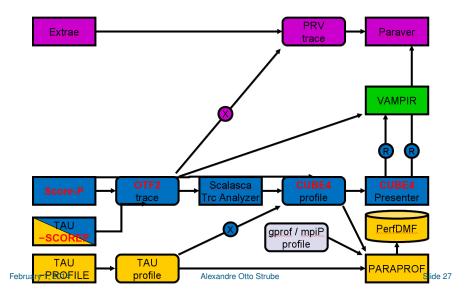


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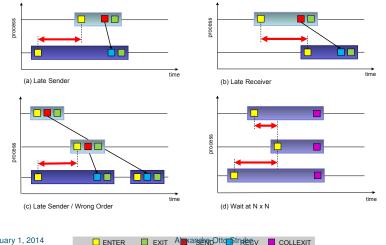
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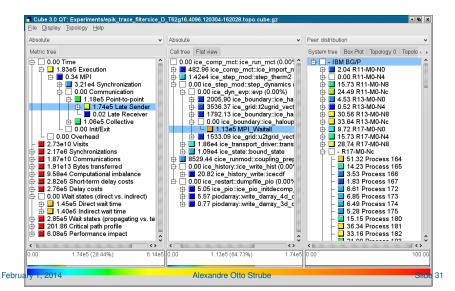


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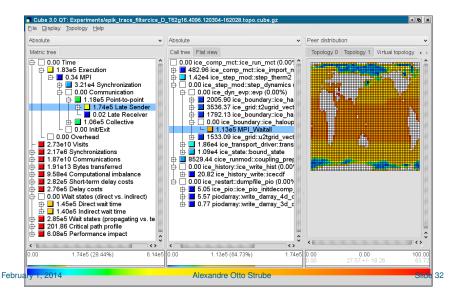


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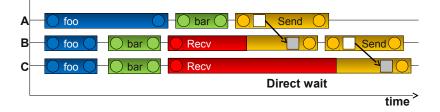


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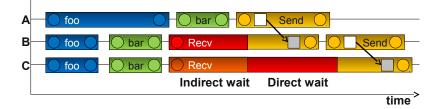


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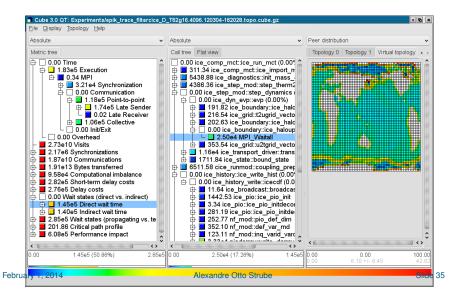


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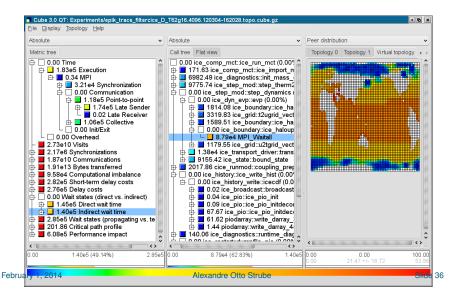


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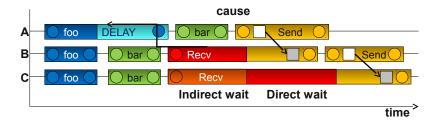


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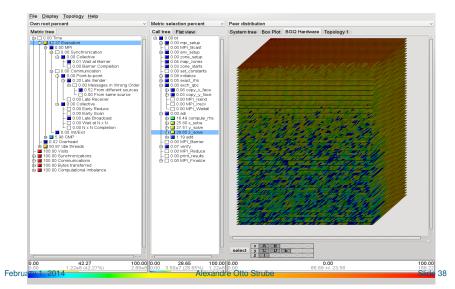


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# **6D Hardware topology**









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