

# A Brief History of BigData Era

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A journey from laptops to supercomputers and beyond

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*Those who own data own the future”*

Yuval Noah Harari

# From Constantine to Amsterdam via Compiègne



# Multiscale Networked Systems

The Multiscale Networked System (MNS) group researches the emerging architectures that can support the operations of multiscale systems across the Future Internet.



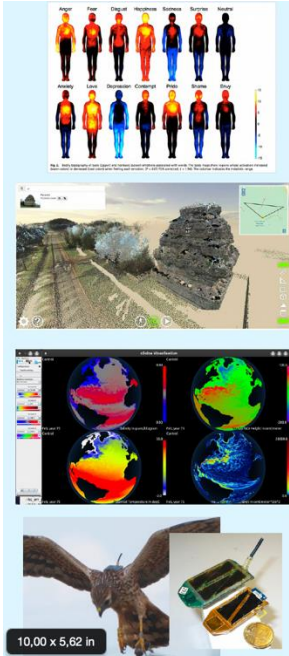
## Data centric processing

Our research investigates an alternative to the current approach to model complex scientific experiments as workflow of dependent tasks, in this approach scientific data is interlinked through data processing transformations which can be discovered and used to create the data processing workflow and not the way around.

[Learn more](#)



Technology Lead, Data Processing  
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## so far: ~150 projects (on many different topics)

### Humanities & Social Sciences

incl. SMART cities, text analysis, creative technologies

### Physics & Beyond

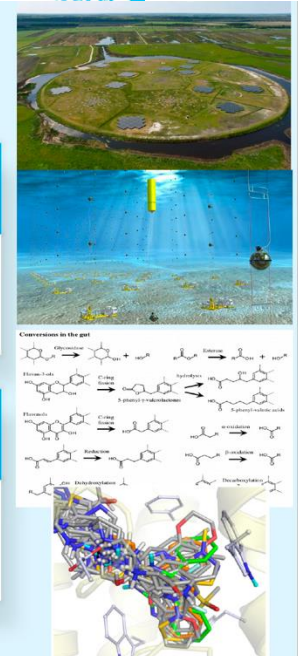
incl. astronomy, high-energy physics, advanced materials

### Sustainability & Environment

incl. climate, ecology, energy, logistics, water management

### Life Sciences & eHealth

incl. bio-imaging, next generation sequencing, molecules





# The research work

- Acquire understanding of the **system as a whole** by “ the analyses of individual phenomena and **the integration of** different, **interdisciplinary sources** of knowledge about a **complex system**”

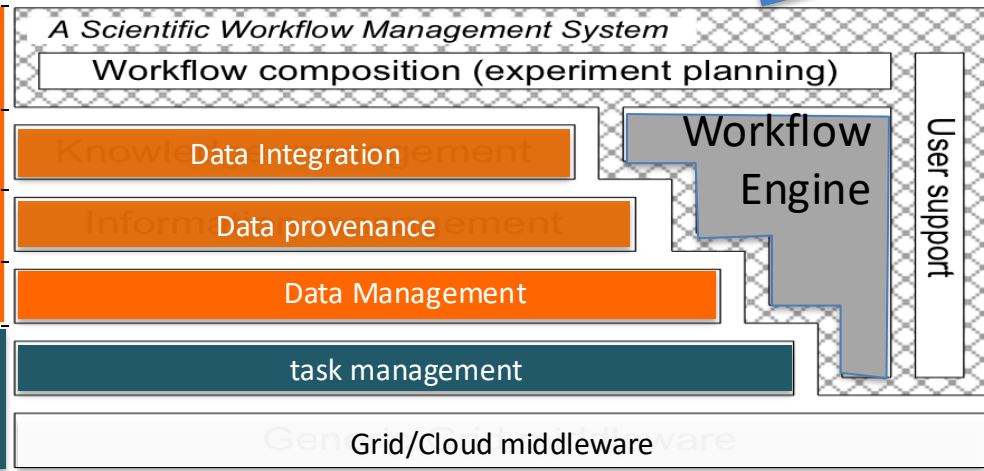
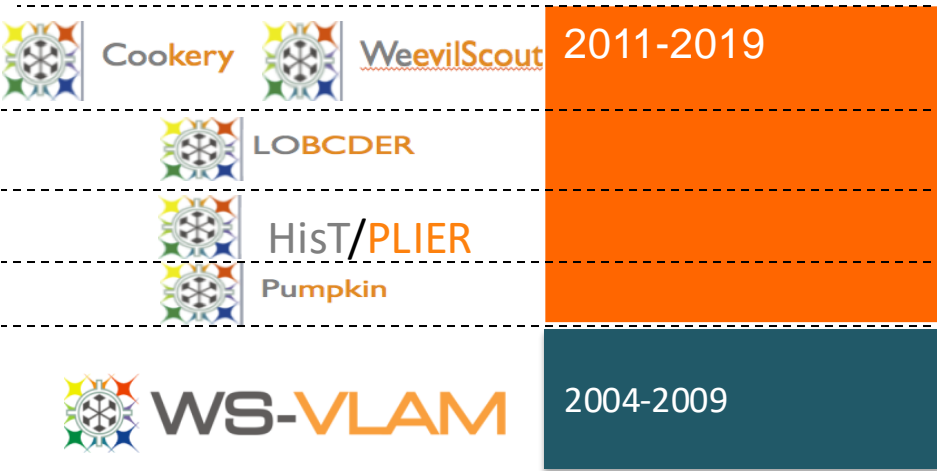
Foster, I., Kesselman, C., *Scaling system-level science: Scientific exploration and its implications. IEEE Computer 39 (11) 2006*

Contribution in term of Software

ecosystem



ToolBox



Sponsor



Dutch research program  
**COMMIT/**

2004-2009

EU-FP7 Project



2011-2015

EU H2020 project



2015-2017

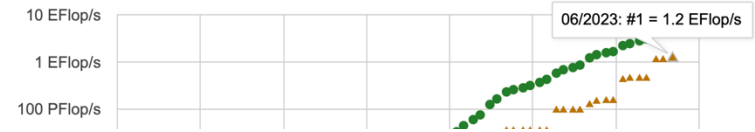


2017-2020



# Questions to be “answered” in this talk ...

Performance Development



• Why do we need more and more computing power?

- Does m
- Do you
- to run p

Rank	System	Cores	Rmax (PFlop/s)	Rpeak (PFlop/s)	Power (kW)
1	<b>Frontier</b> - HPE Cray EX235a, AMD Optimized 3rd Generation EPYC 64C 2GHz, AMD Instinct MI250X, Slingshot-11, HPE DOE/SC/Oak Ridge National Laboratory United States	8,699,904	1,194.00	1,679.82	22,703

• What is Big data?

- A Terabyte of **Storage Space**: How much is it?
- How much does it take to **sort** one Terabyte?
- How much does it take to **move** Terabyte/Exabyte over the internet?

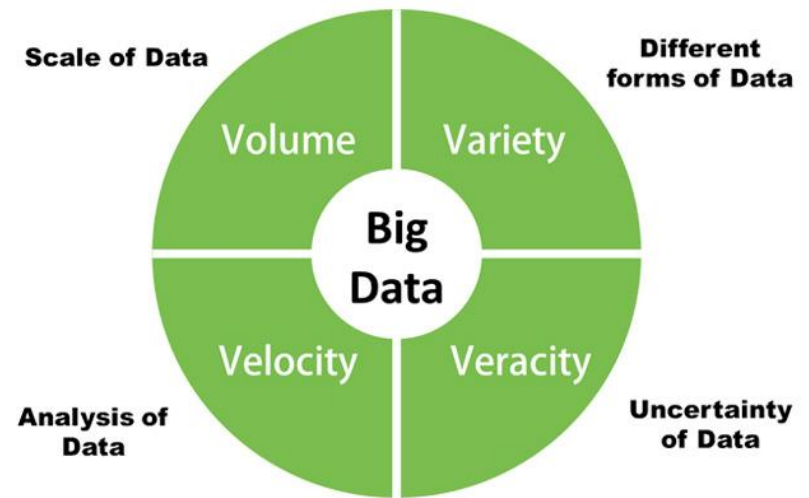


Source <https://www.top500.org/statistics/perfdevel/>

• How can we build system beyond Supercomputer “Cloud system”?

• What is the connection between AI and Bigdata?

• ...



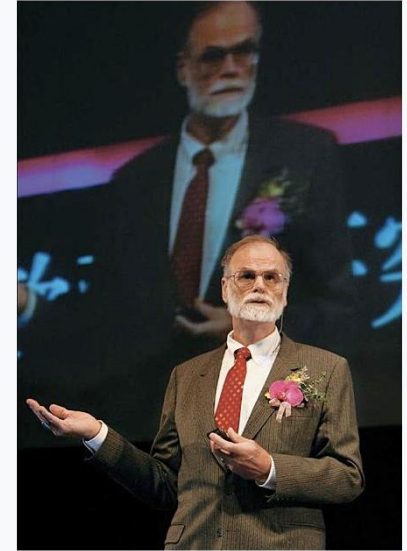
- Storage
- Processing
- Movement

# Big data Era

- “ We have to **do better at producing tools** to support the **whole research cycle**—from **data capture and data curation to data analysis and data visualization**. **Today, the tools for capturing data both at the mega-scale and at the milli-scale are just dreadful**. After you have captured the data, you need to curate it before you can start doing any kind of data analysis, and **we lack good tools for both data curation and data analysis**.”
- “Then comes the **publication** of the results of your research, and the published literature is just the tip of the data iceberg. By this I mean that people collect a lot of data and then reduce this down to some number of column inches in Science or Nature—or 10 pages if it is a computer science person writing. **So what I mean by data iceberg is that there is a lot of data that is collected but not curated or published in any systematic way**. “

Based on the transcript of a talk given by Jim Gray to the NRC-CSTB1 in Mountain View, CA, on January 11, **2007**

Jim Gray



Gray in 2006

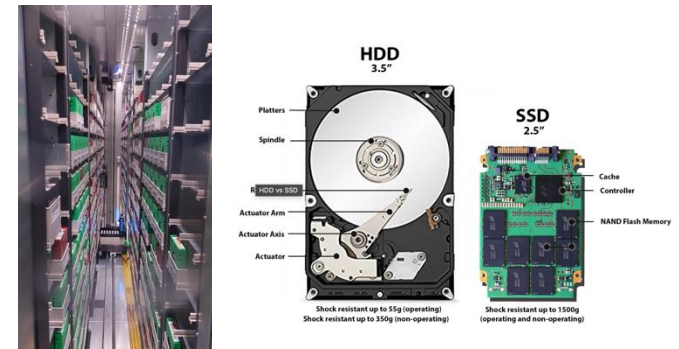
<b>Born</b>	James Nicholas Gray January 12, 1944 <sup>[1]</sup> <a href="#">San Francisco, California</a> <sup>[2]</sup>
<b>Disappeared</b>	January 28, 2007 Waters near San Francisco
<b>Status</b>	<i>Declared dead in absentia</i> January 28, 2012 (aged 68)
<b>Nationality</b>	American
<b>Alma mater</b>	<a href="#">University of California, Berkeley</a> (Ph.D.)
<b>Occupation</b>	Computer scientist
<b>Employer</b>	<a href="#">IBM</a> <a href="#">Tandem Computers</a> <a href="#">DEC</a> <a href="#">Microsoft</a>
<b>Known for</b>	Work on <a href="#">database</a> and <a href="#">transaction processing</a> systems

# Big Data

- **Storage**
- **Processing**
- **Movement**

Note: Kilo is exactly  $1024 \sim 1000$

- YottaByte (YB) =  $10^{24}$  Byte
- ZetaByte (ZB) =  $10^{21}$  Byte
- ExaByte (EB) =  $10^{18}$  Byte
- PetaByte (PB) =  $10^{15}$  Byte
- **TeraByte (TB) =  $10^{12}$  Byte**
- GigaByte (GB) =  $10^9$  Byte
- MegaByte (MB) =  $10^6$  Byte
- KiloByte (KB) =  $10^3$  Byte
- Byte = 8 bits



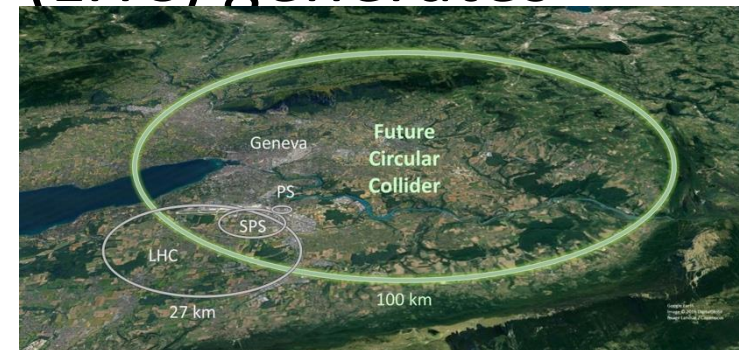
- 1+ ZB - Internet size in bytes
- Radio astronomy- SKA-Phase 3+ EFlops
- 1 TB HDD/~60\$ - Storage technology
- 18 TB HDD/~600\$ - Storage technology

- Storage
- Processing
- Movement

# Big Data

In Industry and science around 2009

- Google processes **20 PB a day**
- Wayback Machine has 3 PB + **100 TB/month**
- Facebook has 2.5 PB of user data + **15 TB/day**
- eBay has 6.5 PB of user data + **50 TB/day**
- CERN's Large Hydron Collider (LHC) generates **15 PB/year**



Note: 1 TB = 1,000 ( $10^3$ ) gigabytes (GB) or 1,000,000 ( $10^6$ ) megabytes (MB)

Source: <https://aimblog.uoregon.edu/2014/07/08/a-terabyte-of-storage-space-how-much-is-too-much/>



# A Terabyte of Storage Space: How Much ...?

- **Storage**
- Processing
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## personal usage



- ~200,000 average songs, High-Quality Compressed Audio (~17,000 hours of music)



- ~256 Standard DVD Movies 120 minutes long (~500 hours of movies)

- ~310,000 Standard-Resolution Photos



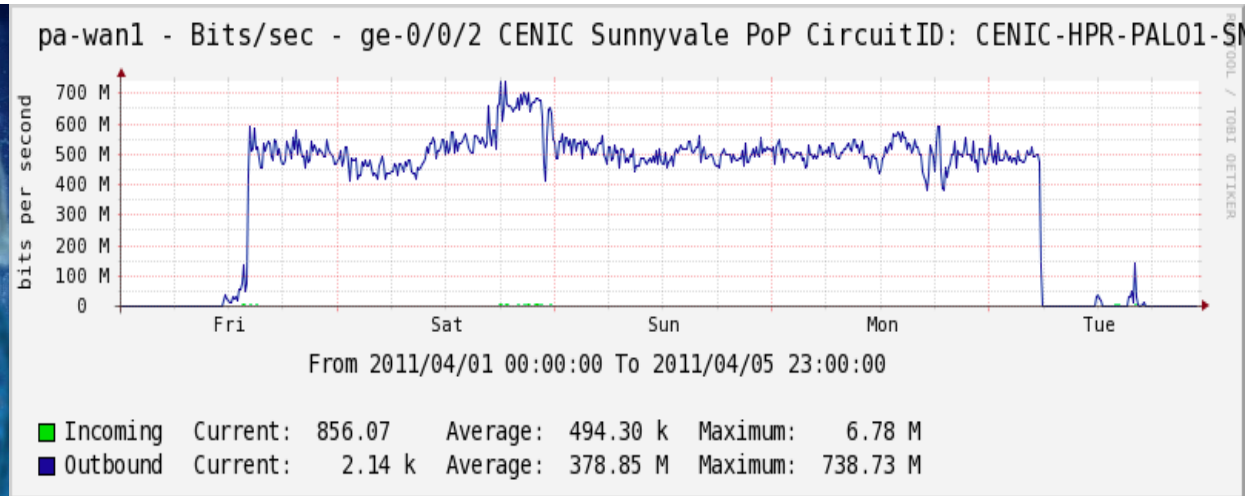
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# How much take to move 18 TB over the internet ?

- Storage
- Processing
- **Movement**

- moving 60 complete human genomes from **Mountain View - Chicago**.
  - Approximately 18 TB
- on **1G link**.



Credit: Robert Grossman University of Chicago Open Data Group, November 14, 2011





# Has More Bandwidth Than the Internet—and When That'll Change

- Storing
- Processing
- **Movement**

- If you're looking to transfer **hundreds of gigabytes** of data, it's still—weirdly—faster to ship hard drives via FedEx than it is to transfer the files over the internet.



estimates that total internet traffic averages **167 terabits per second**.

FedEx Express has a fleet of 654 aircraft with a lift capacity of 26.5 million pounds daily.

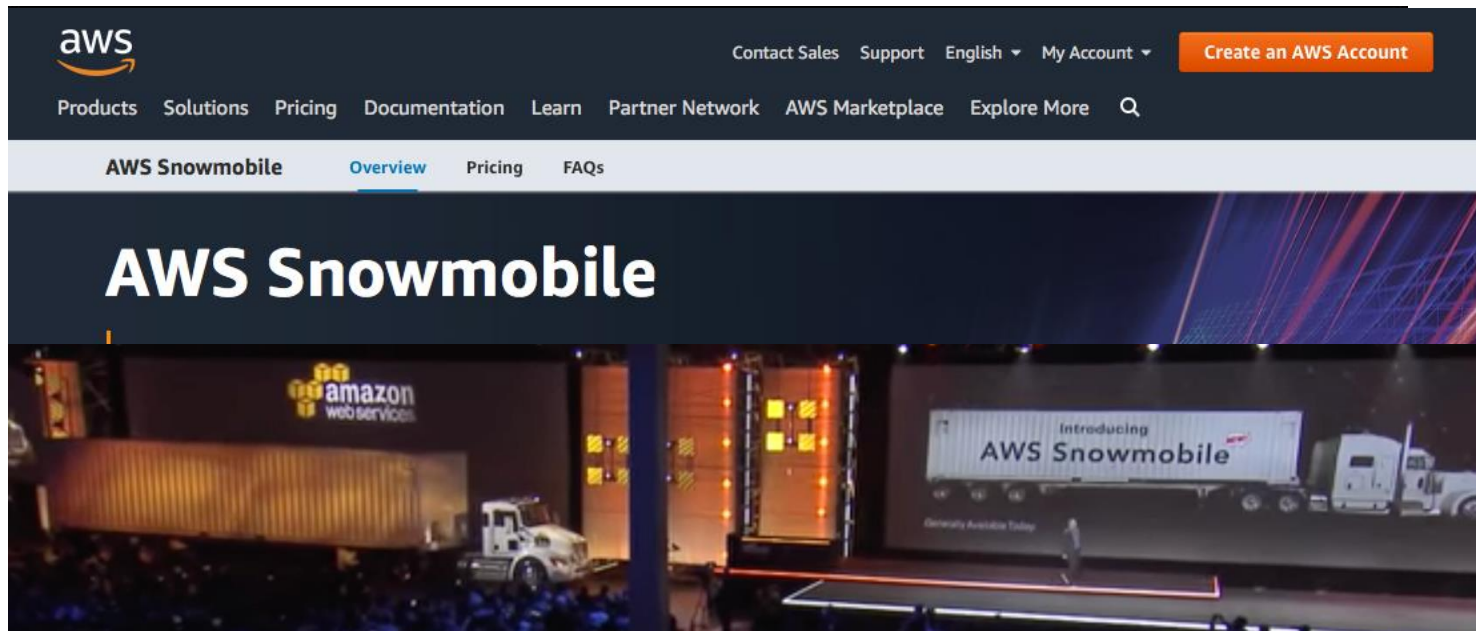
- A solid-state laptop drive weighs about 78 grams and can hold up to a terabyte.
- FedEx is capable of transferring **150 exabytes of data per day**, or **14 petabits per second**—**almost a hundred times the throughput of the internet in 2013**.

By [Jamie Condliffe](#) Published February 5, 2013

# How can we move one exabyte over the internet?

- Storage
- Processing
- **Movement**

Over **10Gbs** line it will take ~ **26 years**



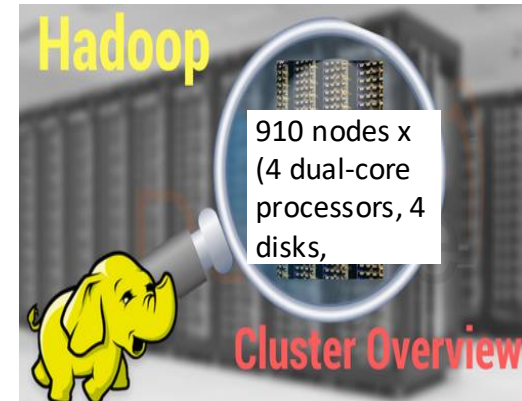
Note: 1 exa-Byte = **1,000 (10<sup>3</sup>) petabytes (PB)**  
or **1,000,000 (10<sup>6</sup>) terabytes (TB)**  
or **1,000,000, 000 (10<sup>9</sup>) gigabytes (GB)**  
or **1,000,000, 000, 000 (10<sup>12</sup>) megabytes (MB) ...**

Source: <https://aws.amazon.com/snowmobile/>



# Sorting 1 TB of DATA

- Storage
- Processing
- Movement



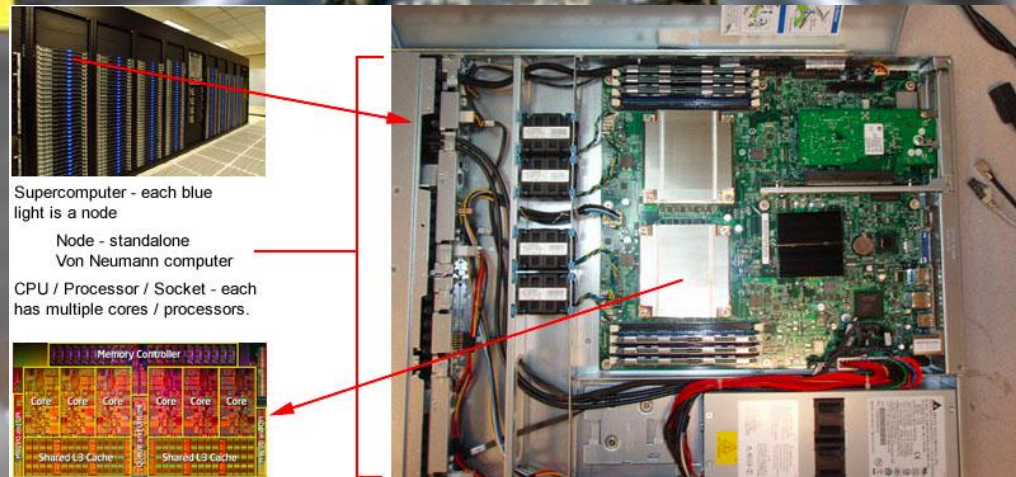
<http://sortbenchmark.org/>

(\*)<https://googleblog.blogspot.com/2008/11/sorting-1pb-with-mapreduce.html>

# Does more CPUs imply faster execution times?

- Storage
- **Processing**
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# Hadoop



# Cluster Overview

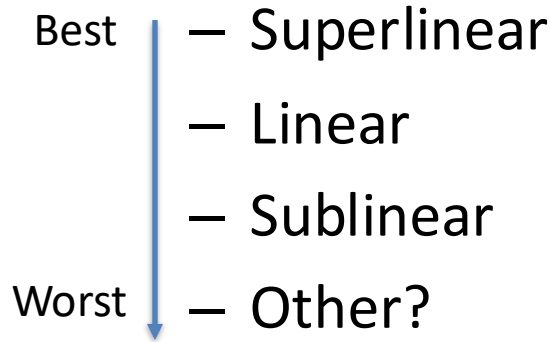
- How CPU works [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cNN\\_tTXABUA](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cNN_tTXABUA)
- Richard Feynman Computer Heuristics Lecture <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EKWGGDXe5MA>



# Using more CPUs imply faster execution times!

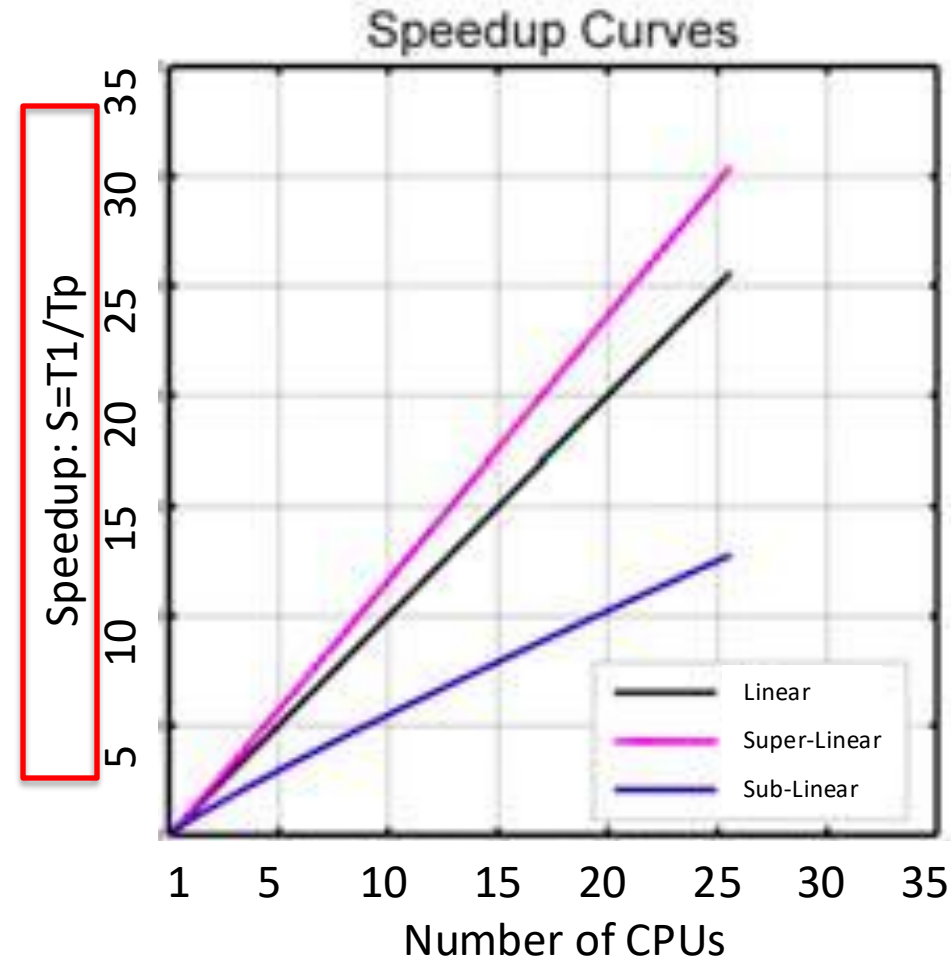
- Storage
- **Processing**
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- Speedup



You have to learn Parallel programming (\*)

MPI, OpenMP, ...



(\*)Computer Science profile

Credit: Jon Johansson Academic ICT Copyright © 2006 University of Alberta



# Do we need always need a Supercomputer to get some Speedup?

Accelerators (such as GPUs) offer a **huge** increase in compute power.



NVidia V100 PCI version  
5120 cores, 7 Tflop/s  
250 Watt

Fastest Nvidia GPU available in 2018  
\$11000



ASCI Red  
9632 cores, 2.4 Tflop/s  
850.000 Watt

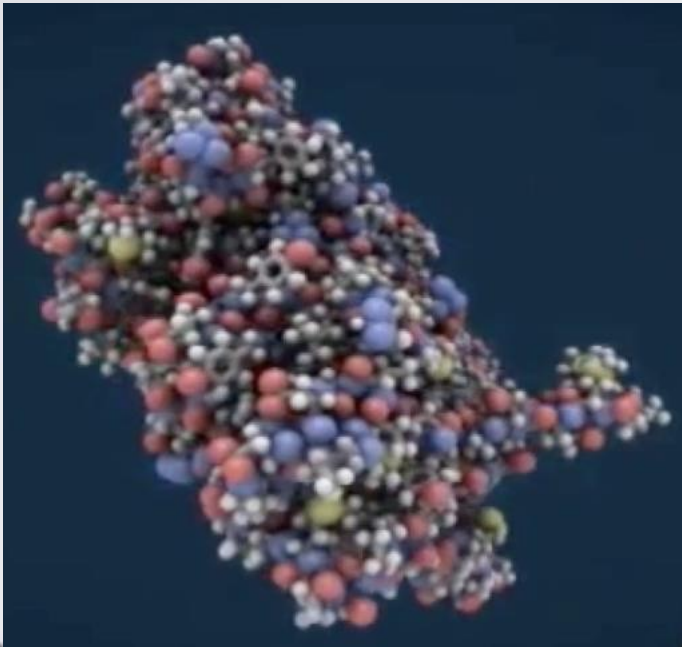
Fastest super computer in the world 1997-2000  
\$46.000.000



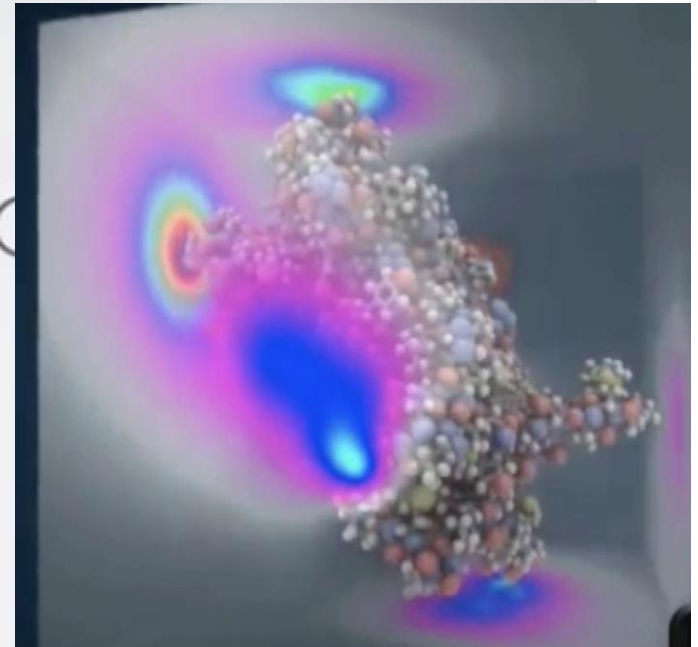
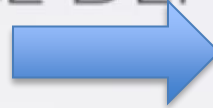
# Do we need always a Super computer to get some Speedup?



- Not necessary → Do you have a Game computer?
- Demo: Software the electrostatic properties of biological molecules
  - **Usage:** drug discovery
  - **Calculation** of the boundary value condition (quite slow).
  - **GPU :** [EVGA GeForce GTX 285 1GB](#)(~ 400\$)
  - Programming Language: OpenCL



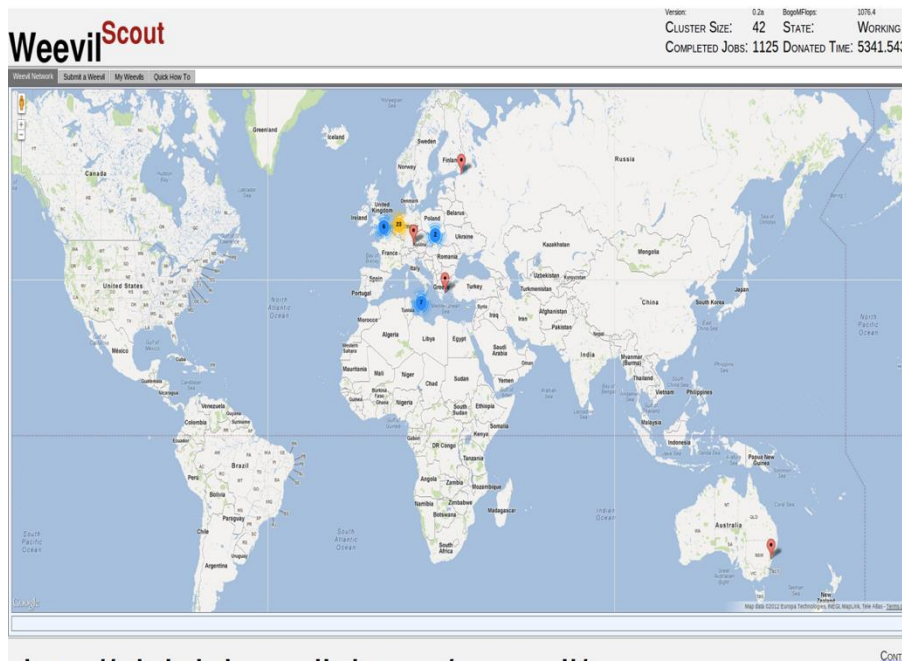
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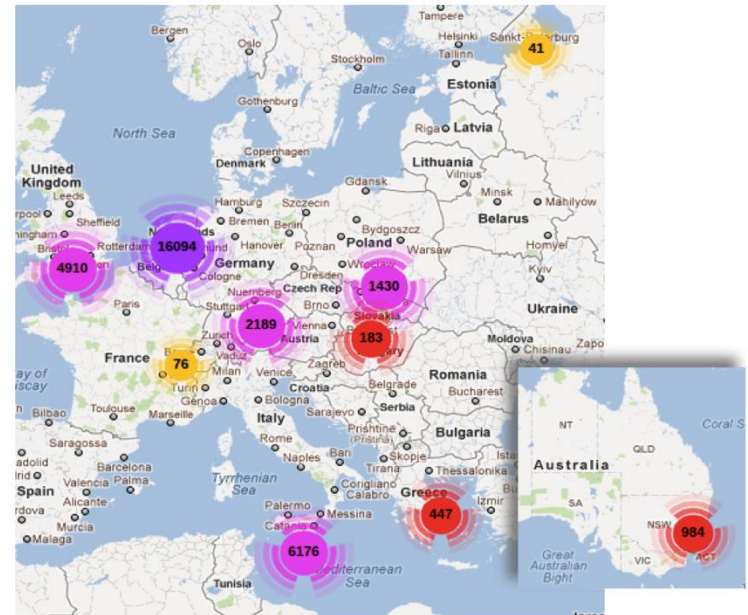
- Not necessary → Poor man's supercomputer

## Browser computing resources



<http://elab.lab.uvalight.net/~weevil/>

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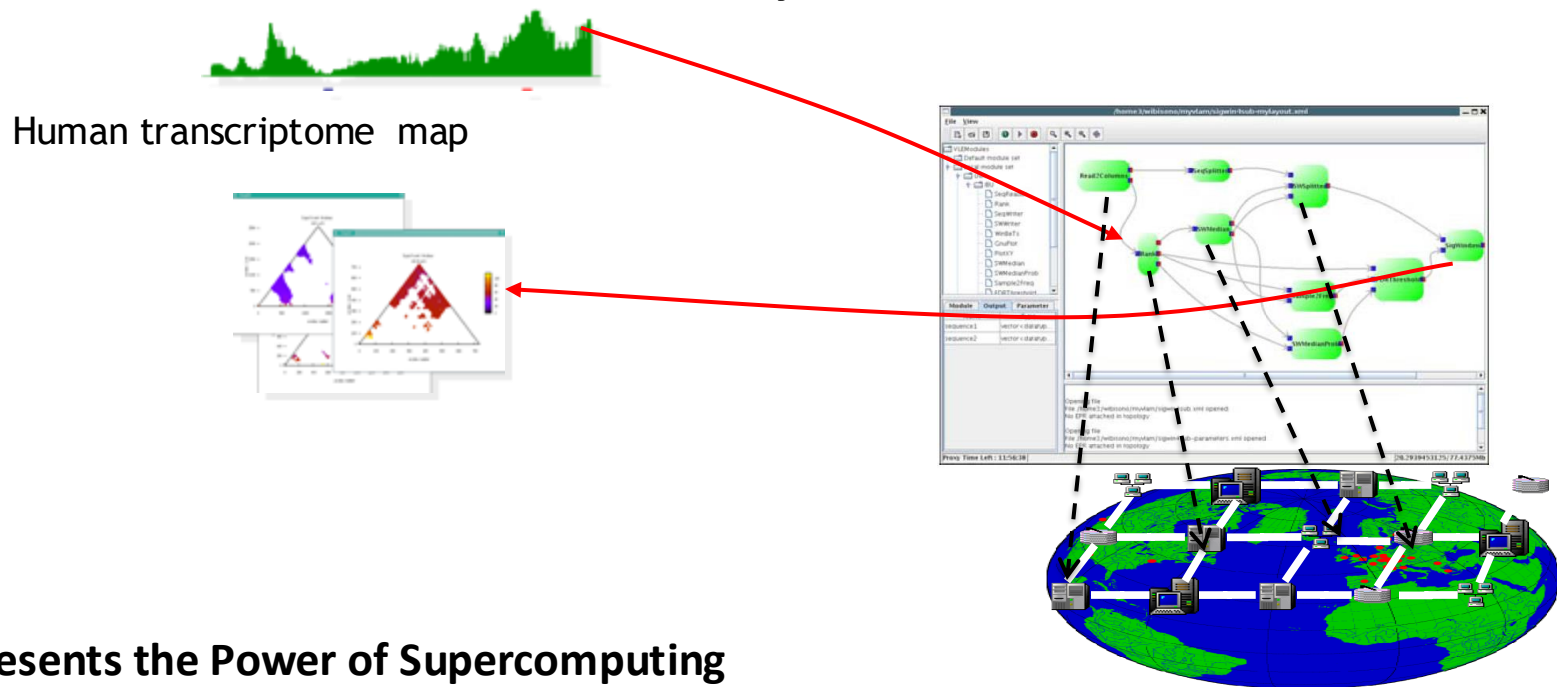


**Distributed Computing on an Ensemble of Browsers, R. Cushing, G.a Putra, S. Koulouzis, A.S.Z Belloum, M.T. Bubak, C. de Laat** IEEE Internet Computing, 10.1109/MIC.2013.3, January 2013

- Storing
- Processing
- Movement

# Why Use supercomputers?

- To solve larger problems
- To use of non-local resources
- To save time and/or money



DreamWorks Presents the Power of Supercomputing

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TGSRvV9u32M&feature=fvwp>

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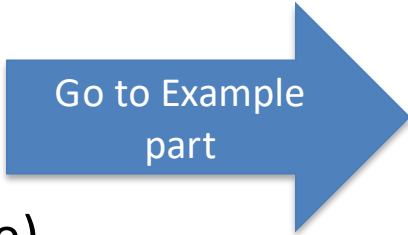
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Go to Cloud part



Go to AI part

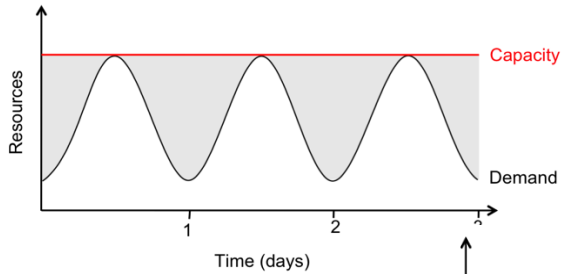


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# The provisioning problem

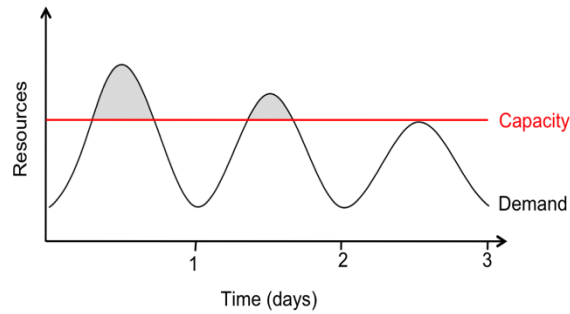
Capacity vs Demand



Users



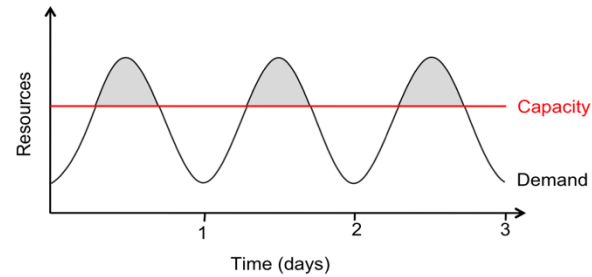
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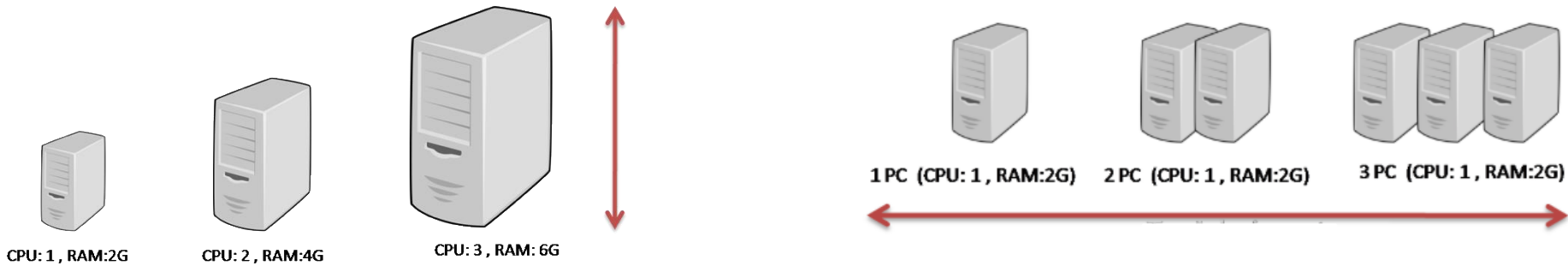


providers



Time

# Elastic approach to resource provisioning



Vertical scaling / scale up

horizontal scaling / scale out

Time

Months to years

Clouds → Seconds to minutes



# Amazon Web Services: The Pioneer in Cloud Computing

Jeff Bezos



Bezos visits LAAF B SMC in 2019

**Born** Jeffrey Preston Jorgensen  
January 12, 1964 (age 58)  
Albuquerque, New Mexico, U.S.

**Education** Princeton University (BSE)

**Occupations** Entrepreneur · media proprietor · investor · computer engineer

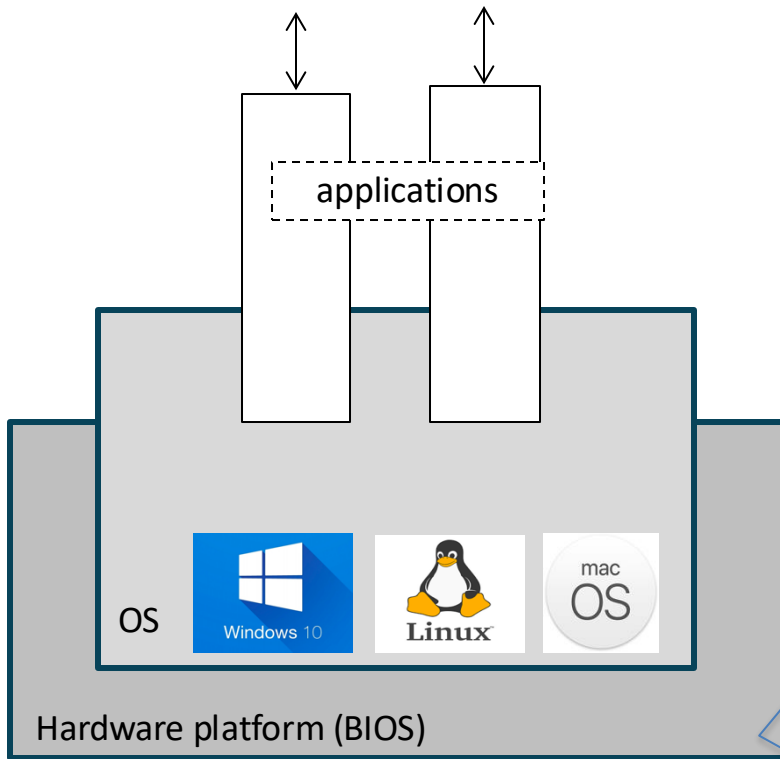
**Years active** 1986–present

**Title** Founder and executive chairman of Amazon  
Founder of Blue Origin  
Founder of Bezos Expeditions

## Amazon History



# How can build such a system?



VMware, Inc.

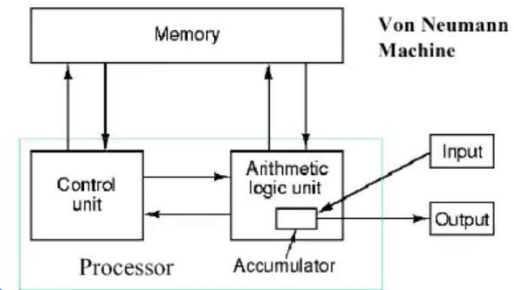
vmware®



Entrance to campus headquarters, Palo Alto, California

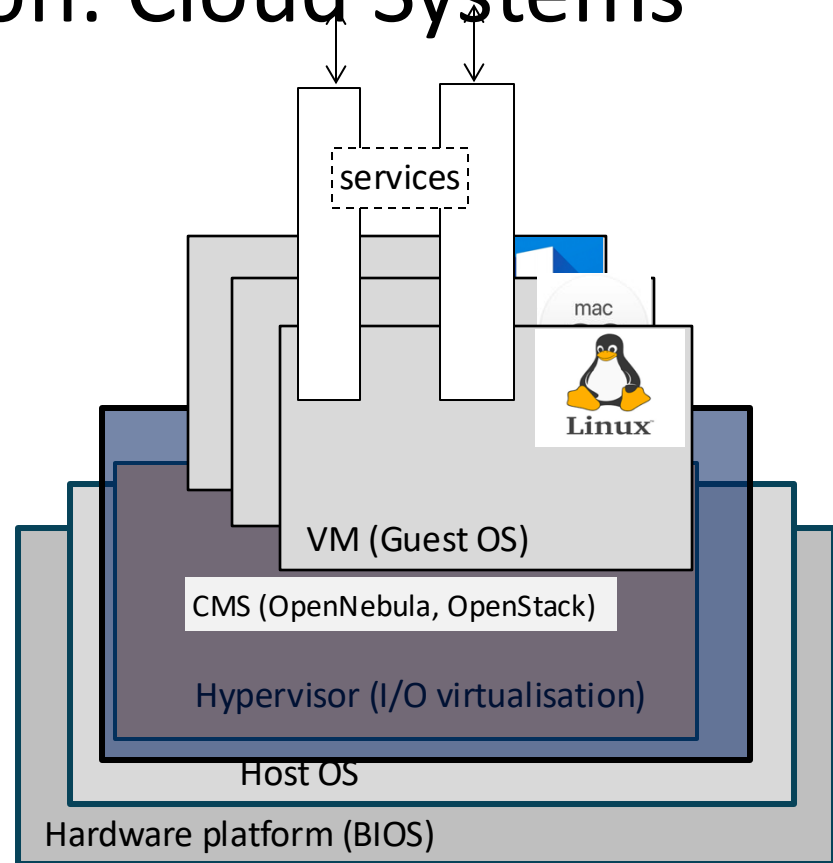
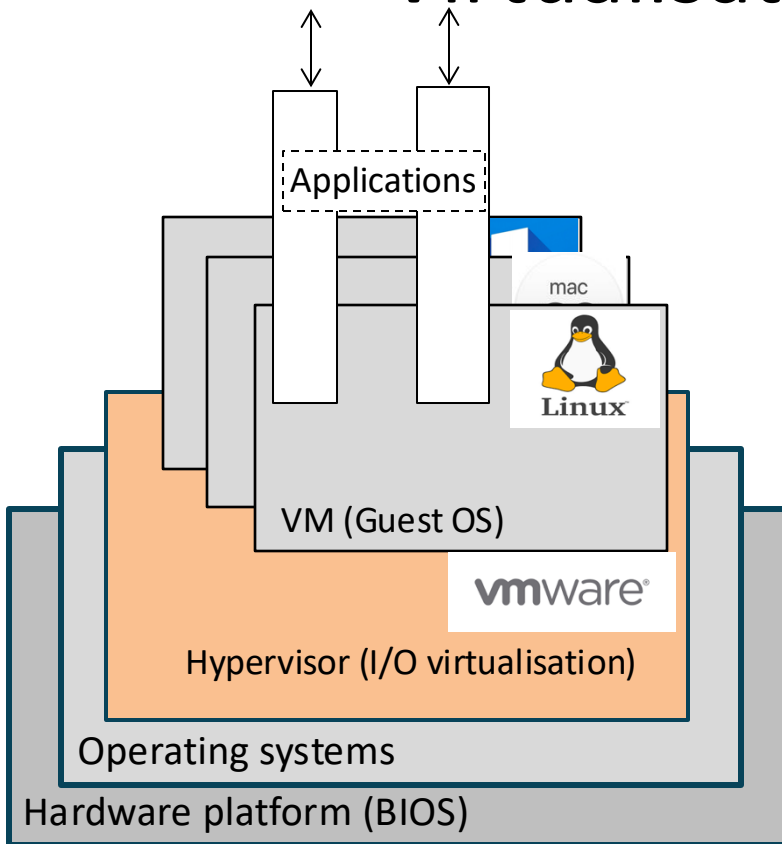
<b>Type</b>	Public
<b>Traded as</b>	NYSE: VMW (Class A) Russell 1000 component
<b>Industry</b>	Cloud computing Virtualization Computer software
<b>Founded</b>	February 10, 1998; 24 years ago Palo Alto, California, U.S.
<b>Founders</b>	Mendel Rosenblum Diane Greene Scott Devine Ellen Wang Edouard Bugnion
<b>Headquarters</b>	Stanford Research Park Palo Alto, California, U.S.
<b>Key people</b>	Michael Dell (chairman) Rangarajan Raghuram (CEO)

## VON NEUMANN ARCHITECTURE (1945)





# Virtualisation: Cloud Systems



A few scientists run their computations on big machines.  
(like this 560640 core, 17 PFlop/s Titan at Oak Ridge National Laboratory)

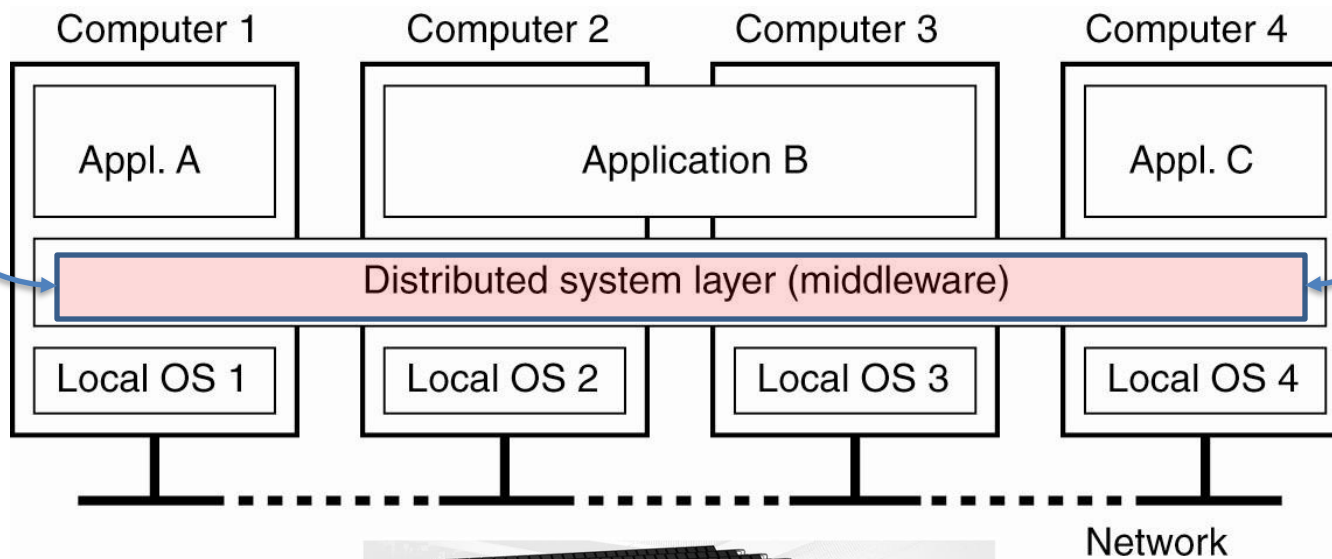
Simple Virtualization model

Cloud Services model

# Cloud Systems

Closed source

Open Source



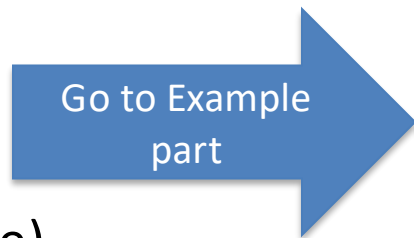
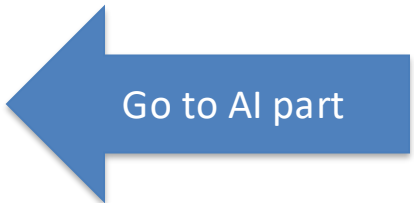
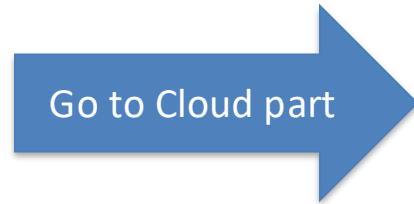
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# Cloud provider landscape

Cloud Marketplace	    ...
Cloud Broker Platform	  ...
Cloud Management	       ...
SaaS, PaaS, and IaaS	    ...
	    ...
	      ...
Cloud Platform	        ...
Virtualization Software/Mgmt	         ...
Hardware	    ...

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# Artificial Intelligence

Advances in artificial intelligence (AI) have given the world computers that can beat people at chess and "Jeopardy!," as well as drive cars and manage calendars. But despite the progress, engineers are still years away from developing machines that are self-aware. Some believe the resulting **technological singularity** will eradicate poverty and disease, while others warn it could endanger human survival.



1950: Isaac Asimov publishes the influential sci-fi story collection "**I, Robot.**" (Left: 2004 film version of "I, Robot")

1950: Alan Turing introduces the **Turing test** in his paper "Computing Machinery and Intelligence." (Credit: National Portrait Gallery, London)



1950s

Summer of 1956: Dartmouth conference launches the field of AI and **coins the term "artificial intelligence."** (Right: room-filling IBM-702 computer, as used by first AI researchers)



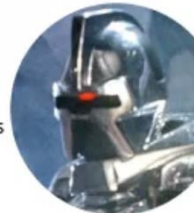
1960s

1968: "2001: A Space Odyssey," the book by Arthur C. Clarke and film by Stanley Kubrick, features the sentient and deadly computer **HAL 9000.**

1974-early 1980s: The first **Winter of AI**, a period of reduced funding and lowered interest in the field as hype turned to disappointment.

1970s

1978: The original "Battlestar Galactica" science fiction TV series introduces warrior robots called **Cylons.**



1984: The first "**Terminator**" film depicts a near-future world overtaken by killing machines run by the artificial intelligence Skynet.

September 28, 1987: The TV series "Star Trek: The Next Generation" introduces the self-aware android **Lieutenant Commander Data.**



1980s

June 29, 2001: Steven Spielberg releases his version of a film – originally developed by Stanley Kubrick – about a robot boy: "**A.I.: Artificial Intelligence.**"



1990s

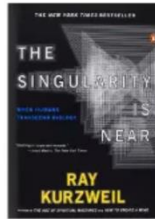
May 11, 1997: **IBM's Deep Blue computer** beats reigning world chess champion Garry Kasparov. (Credit: Shutterstock)



2005: A Stanford vehicle wins the **DARPA grand challenge**, driving autonomously across the desert for 131 miles (211 kilometers).

2000s

2005: Inventor and futurist Ray Kurzweil predicts an event he calls the **Singularity** will occur around 2045, when the intelligence of artificial minds exceeds that of the human brain.



2010s

2011: **IBM's Watson** wins "**Jeopardy!**," beating former champions Brad Rutter and Ken Jennings. (Credit: "Jeopardy!" screengrab from Wikimedia)



October 14, 2011: Apple introduces intelligent personal assistant **Siri** on the iPhone 4S.



June 2012: A Google Brain computer cluster **trains itself to recognize a cat** from millions of images in YouTube videos. (Credit: Shutterstock)

December 18, 2013: The movie "Her" (left), stars Joaquin Phoenix as a man who **falls in love with his artificially intelligent computer operating system**, voiced by Scarlett Johansson.



April 10, 2014: The film "Transcendence" (below) stars Johnny Depp as an AI researcher whose **mind is uploaded to a computer** and develops into a super-intelligence.

June 7, 2014: Chatbot Eugene Goostman is said to have **passed the Turing test** in University of Reading competition, launching controversy.

August, 2014: Researchers call for creation of a **new Turing test**, to be decided at 2015 workshop.

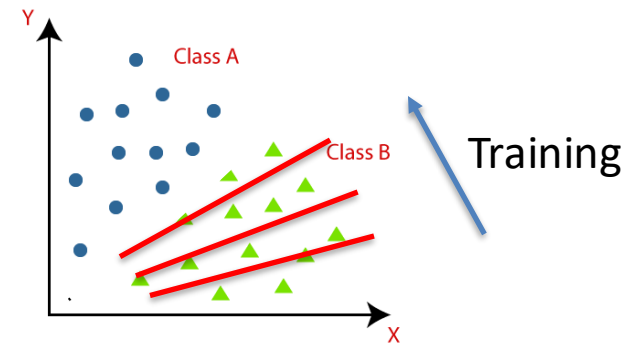
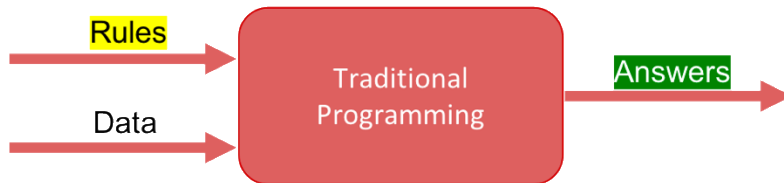


History of A.I.: Artificial Intelligence (Infographic)

<https://www.livescience.com/47544-history-of-a-i-artificial-intelligence-infographic.html>

# AI / Machine Learning / Big Data ?

- “ML is a scientific discipline that deals with the construction and study of algorithms that can **learn from data**. Such Algorithms operate in 2 steps:
  - building a **model** based on the data
  - using **the model** make **predictions** and **decision** rather than following explicitly programmed instructions “



which Version of ChatGPT I'm using now



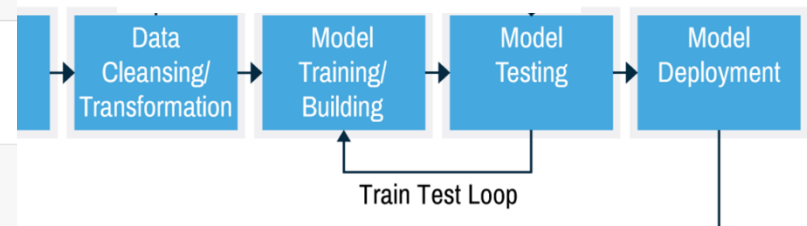
You are currently using ChatGPT, based on the GPT-3.5 architecture.



how many parameters GPT-3.5 has



GPT-3.5, the version you are currently using, has approximately 175 billion parameters.



Model Feedback Loop

# Is the data ready to be processed?

- Not always:
  - Data not in the correct format: images, voice, text...
  - Dealing with **missing values**
  - Dealing with **noise** (errors) in the data values

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System missing values are indicated by dots.



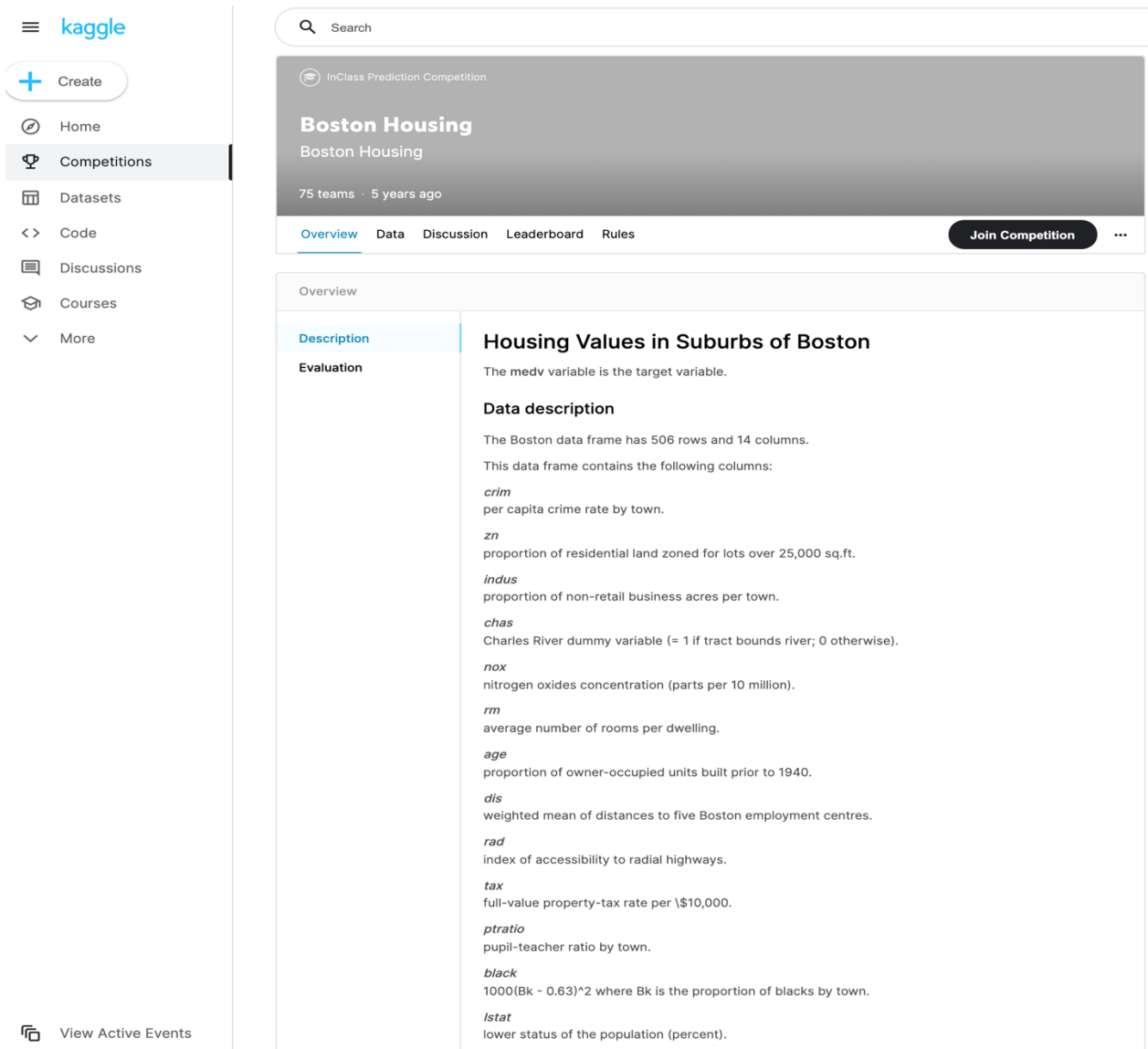
Data Explorer  
977.5 kB  
WA\_Fn-UseC\_-Telco-Customer-Churn.csv

- Pre-processing
  - Feature Selection
  - Feature engineering

WA\_Fn-UseC\_-Telco-Customer-Churn.csv (977.5 kB)

customerID	gender	SeniorCitiz	Partner	Dependents	tenure	PhoneServ...	MultipleLin	InternetSe...	OnlineSec...
7598-VWEG	Female	0	Yes	No	1	No	No phone service	DSL	No
5575-QWDE	Male	0	No	No	34	Yes	No	DSL	Yes
3668-QPYBK	Male	0	No	No	2	Yes	No	DSL	Yes
7795-CFOCW	Male	0	No	No	45	No	No phone service	DSL	Yes
9237-HQITU	Female	0	No	No	2	Yes	No	Fiber optic	No
9385-CDSKC	Female	0	No	No	8	Yes	Yes	Fiber optic	No
1452-KIOVK	Male	0	No	Yes	22	Yes	Yes	Fiber optic	No
6713-OKOMC	Female	0	No	No	18	No	No phone service	DSL	Yes
7892-POOKP	Female	0	Yes	No	28	Yes	Yes	Fiber optic	No
6388-TABGU	Male	0	No	Yes	62	Yes	No	DSL	Yes
9763-GRSKD	Male	0	Yes	Yes	13	Yes	No	DSL	Yes
7469-LKBCI	Male	0	No	No	16	Yes	No	No	No internet service
8091-TTVAX	Male	0	Yes	No	58	Yes	Yes	Fiber optic	No
0288-XJCEX	Male	0	No	No	49	Yes	Yes	Fiber optic	No
5129-JLPIS	Male	0	No	No	25	Yes	No	Fiber optic	Yes
3655-SHQYZ	Female	0	Yes	Yes	69	Yes	Yes	Fiber optic	Yes
8191-XMSZG	Female	0	No	No	52	Yes	No	No	No internet service
9959-WOFKT	Male	0	No	Yes	71	Yes	Yes	Fiber optic	Yes
4198-MFLUM	Female	0	Yes	Yes	18	Yes	No	DSL	No
4183-MYFRB	Female	0	No	No	21	Yes	No	Fiber optic	No
8779-QRDNY	Male	1	No	No	1	No	No phone service	DSL	No

# Example of Data Set: Boston housing set ...



The screenshot shows the Kaggle interface for the 'Boston Housing' dataset. The page is titled 'Boston Housing' and includes a search bar at the top. The dataset is part of an 'InClass Prediction Competition' and was created 5 years ago by 75 teams. The page has tabs for 'Overview', 'Data', 'Discussion', 'Leaderboard', and 'Rules'. A 'Join Competition' button is visible. The 'Overview' section is expanded, showing a 'Description' and 'Evaluation' tab. The 'Description' tab is active, displaying the title 'Housing Values in Suburbs of Boston' and a detailed list of features with their descriptions.

**Description**

### Housing Values in Suburbs of Boston

The medv variable is the target variable.

**Data description**

The Boston data frame has 506 rows and 14 columns.  
This data frame contains the following columns:

- crim*  
per capita crime rate by town.
- zn*  
proportion of residential land zoned for lots over 25,000 sq.ft.
- indus*  
proportion of non-retail business acres per town.
- chas*  
Charles River dummy variable (= 1 if tract bounds river; 0 otherwise).
- nox*  
nitrogen oxides concentration (parts per 10 million).
- rm*  
average number of rooms per dwelling.
- age*  
proportion of owner-occupied units built prior to 1940.
- dis*  
weighted mean of distances to five Boston employment centres.
- rad*  
index of accessibility to radial highways.
- tax*  
full-value property-tax rate per \$10,000.
- ptratio*  
pupil-teacher ratio by town.
- black*  
 $1000(BK - 0.63)^2$  where Bk is the proportion of blacks by town.
- lstat*  
lower status of the population (percent).

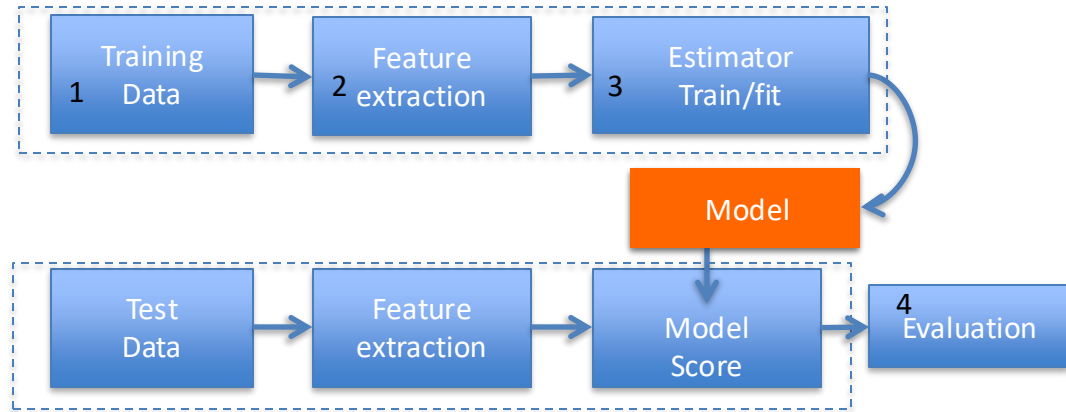
Not all data is public  
Data privacy and Security

- Health data
- Finance data

1. Numeric Data:.
2. Text Data:.
3. Image Data:
4. Audio Data:.
5. Tabular Data:
6. Time Series Data:.
7. Graph Data: Graph

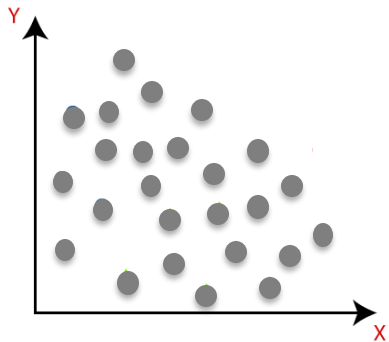
# The Machine Learning WorkFlow

1. building a **model** based on the data

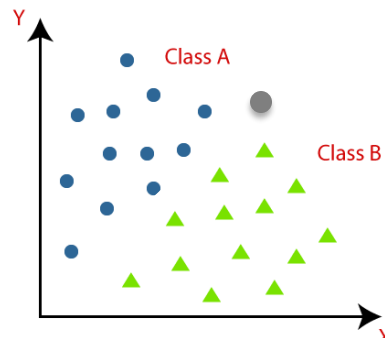


2. using **the model** make **predictions** and **decisions** rather than following explicitly programmed instructions “

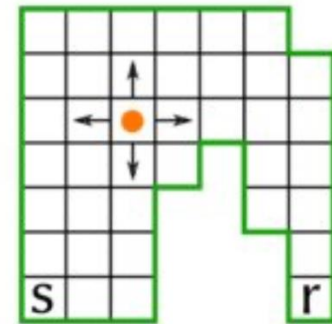
## The types of Machine Learning



Unsupervised



supervised



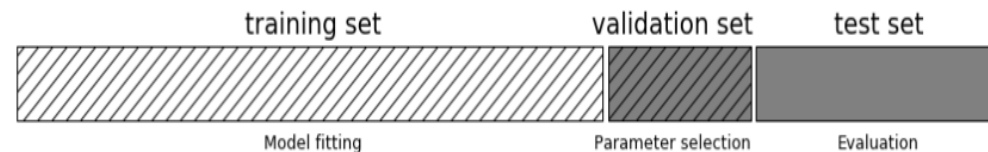
Reinforcement learning



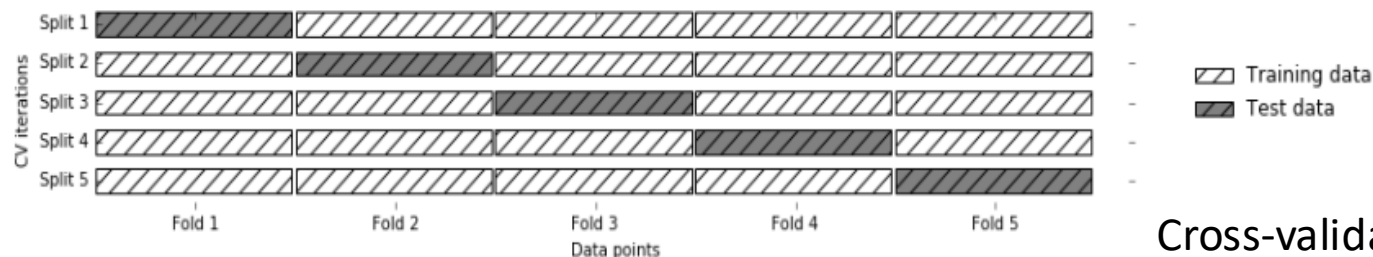
# How to split the input dataset into: training data and test data?

Simple Answer → There many ways

- **Simple split (train, test) → (default 75%, 25%) or any proportion**
- Threefold split (train, test, validate)
- Cross-validation:
  - Nested cross-validation, Stratified cross-validation, TimeSeriesSplit



➤ Threefold split



Cross-validation

# Which ML Algorithms to use?

There are many Machine learning Algorithms (Models) with different: Model complexity, computational Complexity, memory usage,

- Which one to use? → depends on the application

- **Basic models**

1. Nearest Neighbours,
2. Nearest Centroid
3. Linear Classification and Regression
4. Logistic Regression

- **Non-Linear models**

6. Support Vector Machines and Kernels
7. Decision Trees
8. Random Forests
9. Gradient Boosting
10. Model Calibration



**Original author(s)** David Cournapeau  
**Initial release** June 2007; 14 years ago  
**Stable release** 1.0.1<sup>[1]</sup> / 25 October 2021; 37 days ago  
**Repository** [github.com/scikit-learn/scikit-learn](https://github.com/scikit-learn/scikit-learn)  
**Written in** Python, Cython, C and C++<sup>[2]</sup>  
**Operating system** Linux, macOS, Windows  
**Type** Library for machine learning  
**License** New BSD License  
**Website** [scikit-learn.org](https://scikit-learn.org)



**Developer(s)** Google Brain Team<sup>[1]</sup>  
**Initial release** November 9, 2015; 6 years ago  
**Stable release** 2.6.1<sup>[2]</sup> (1 November 2021; 30 days ago) / May 14, 2021; 6 months ago  
**Repository** [github.com/tensorflow/tensorflow](https://github.com/tensorflow/tensorflow)  
**Written in** Python, C++, CUDA  
**Platform** Linux, macOS, Windows, Android, JavaScript<sup>[3]</sup>  
**Type** Machine learning library  
**License** Apache License 2.0  
**Website** [www.tensorflow.org](https://www.tensorflow.org)

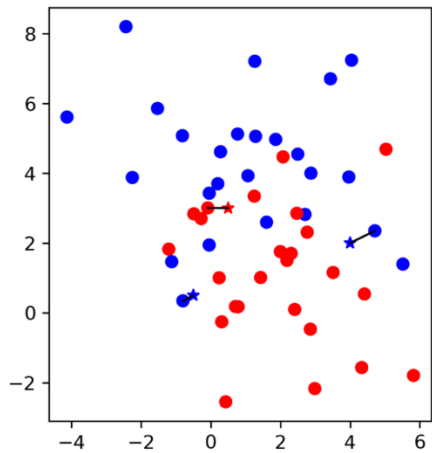


**Original author(s)** Matei Zaharia  
**Developer(s)** Apache Spark  
**Initial release** May 26, 2014; 7 years ago<sup>[1]</sup>  
**Stable release** 3.2.0 / October 13, 2021; 49 days ago  
**Repository** [Spark Repository](https://spark.apache.org)  
**Written in** Scala<sup>[1]</sup>  
**Operating system** Microsoft Windows, macOS, Linux  
**Available in** Scala, Java, SQL, Python, R, C#, F#  
**Type** Data analytics, machine learning algorithms  
**License** Apache License 2.0  
**Website** [spark.apache.org](https://spark.apache.org)

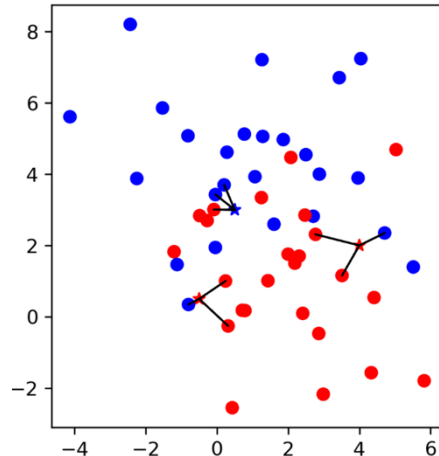
# Nearest Neighbours

## The algorithm

### 1 neighbour

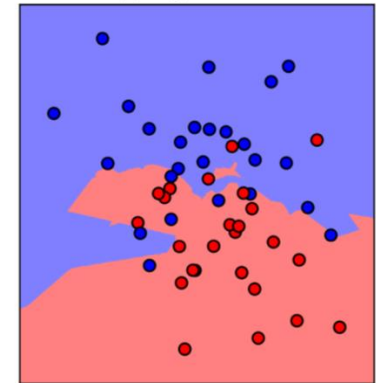


### 3 neighbours

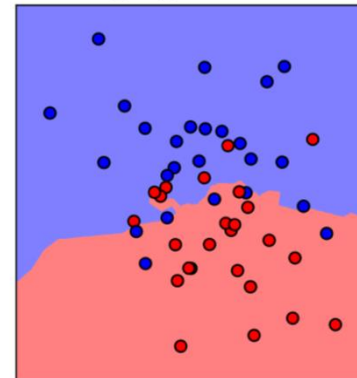


## The model

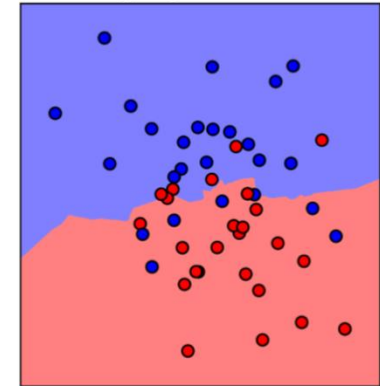
### n\_neighbors=5



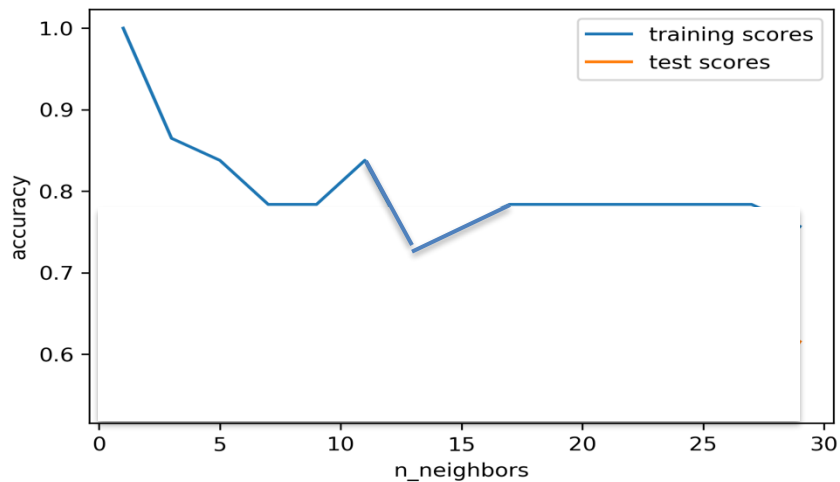
### n\_neighbors=10



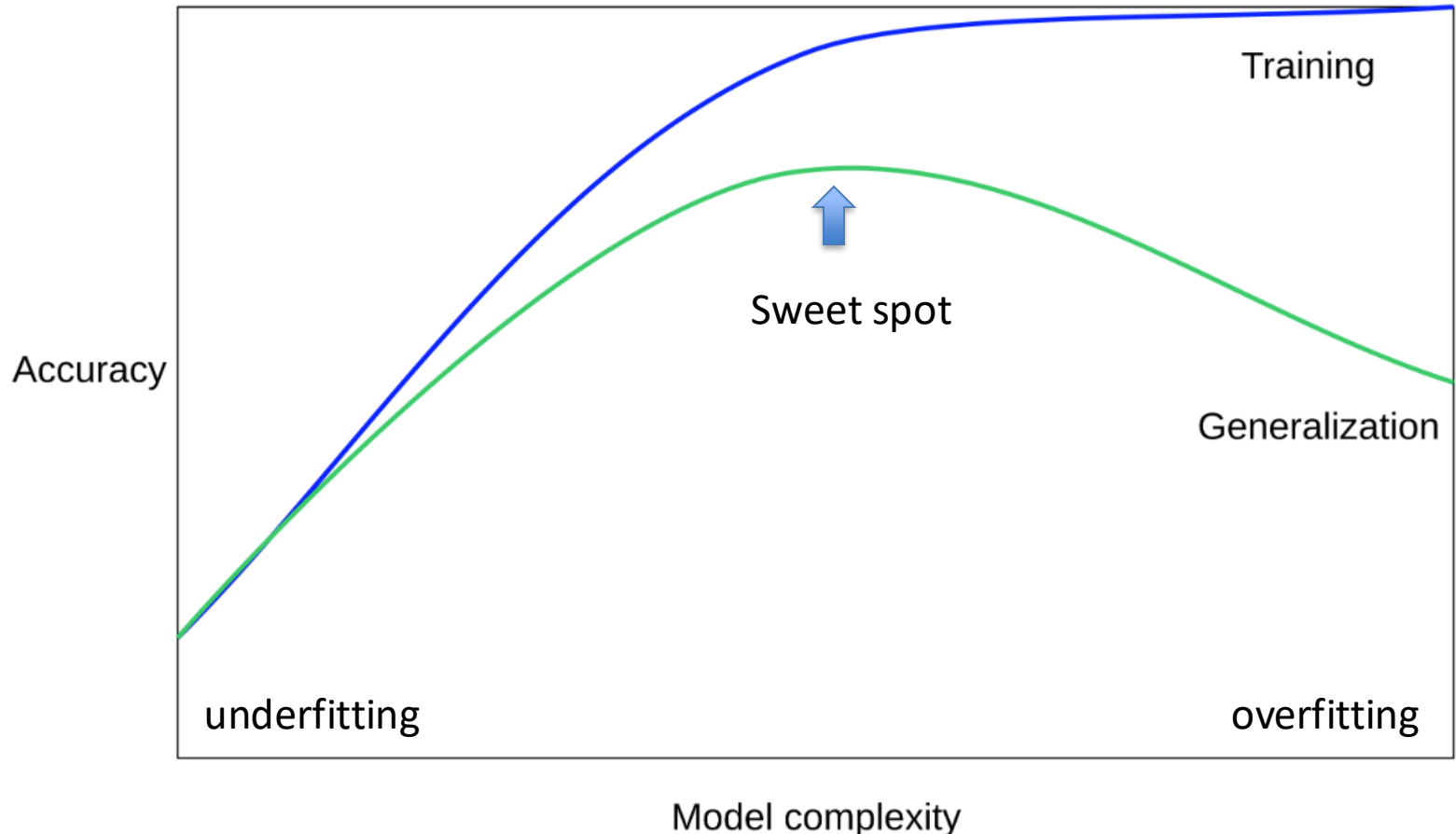
### n\_neighbors=30



## Complexity of the model



# Accuracy of the model



# Computational properties of the models

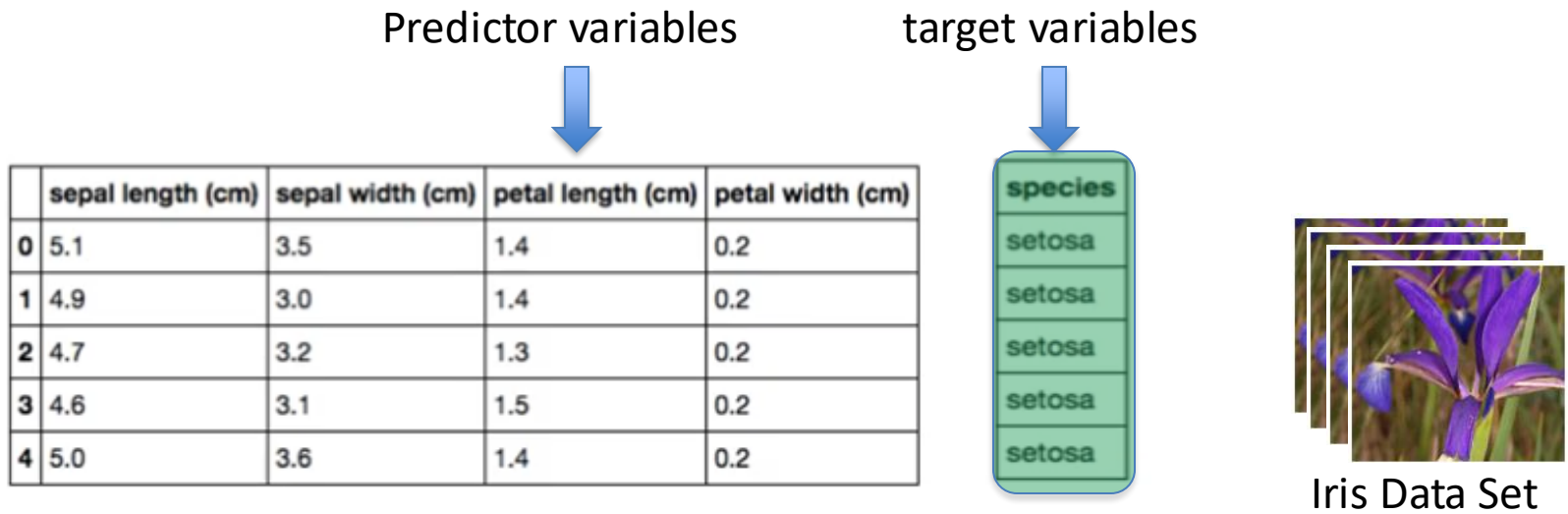
In the era of BigData the ML Model will likely work large data sets:

- What the **computational complexity** of the **training**?
  - What is the **computational complexity** of the **prediction**?
  - What the **memory consumption**?
- Some ChatGPT commentators have estimated that if ChatGPT was to be trained on a single NVIDIA Tesla V100 'Graphics Processing Unit' (GPU) that it would take around 355 years to complete ChatGPT's training on its training dataset.
    - However, OpenAI reportedly used **1,023 A100 GPUs** to train ChatGPT, so **it is possible that the training process was completed in as little as 34 days**. (Source: [Lambda Labs](#).)
  - The costs of training ChatGPT is estimated to be just under \$5 million dollars. (Source: [Lambda Labs](#).)



# Supervised learning

- Input data (training, test) is labelled
  - Predictor variables/features and a target variable



- Aim: predict the target variable given the predictor variables

# Supervised Learning

Example Question	Training Data
How much is a home worth?	Previous home sales
Will a customer default on a loan?	Previous loan that were paid/defaulted
How many customers will apply for a loan next month?	Previous months of loans applications
Is this cancer Malignant?	Previous Stats of benign /malignant cancers

# Unsupervised learning

- Data is not labeled
- Goal is to **uncover hidden patterns** in the data
- Example: grouping customers into distinct categories (Clustering)

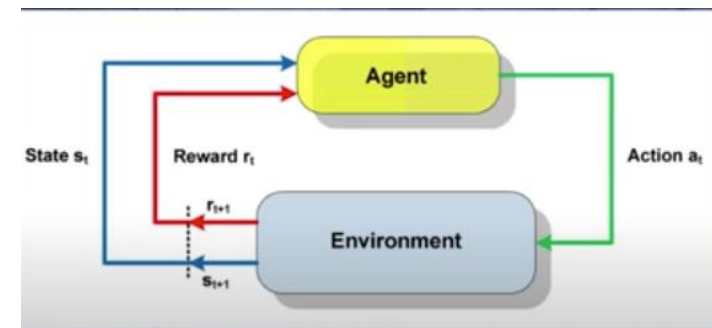
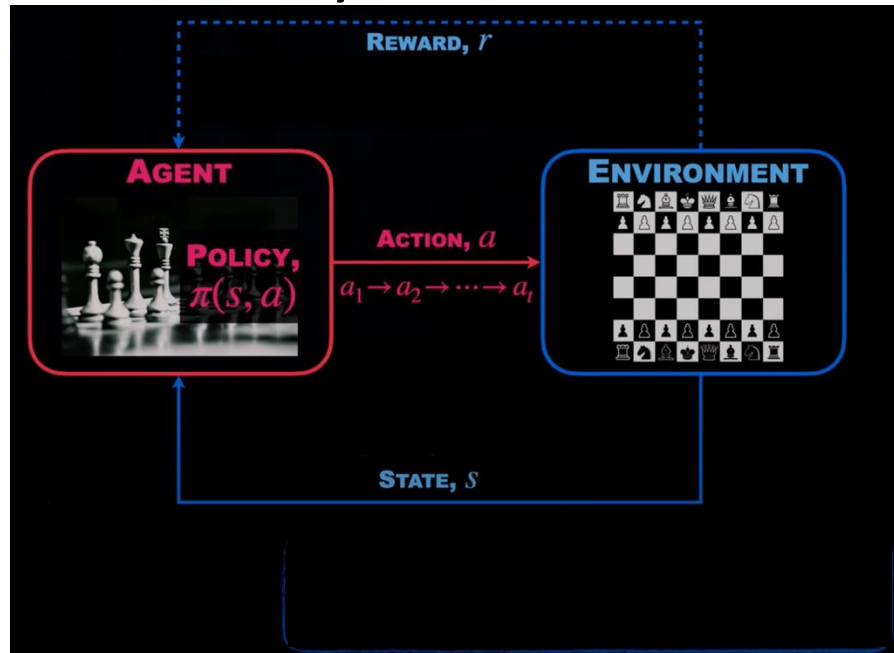
Date	Customer	Account	Auth	Class	Zip	amount	
Mon	Bob	3421	Pin	Clothes	46140	135	
Tue	Bob	3421	Sign	Food	46140	401	
Tue	Alice	2456	Pin	Food	12222	234	
Wed	Sally	6788	Pin	Gas	26339	94	similar
Wed	Bob	3421	Pin	tech	21350	2459	Anomaly detection
Wed	Bob	3421	Pin	gas	26339	83	similar
thr	Sally	6788	Sign	food	46140	51	

# Supervised Learning

Example Question	Training Data
Are certain customers similar?	Customer profiles
Is a transaction Unusual?	Previous transactions
Are certain products purchased together?	Example of previous purchases

# Reinforced learning

- Software agents interact with an environment
  - Learn how to optimize their behavior
  - Given a system of rewards and punishments



Example

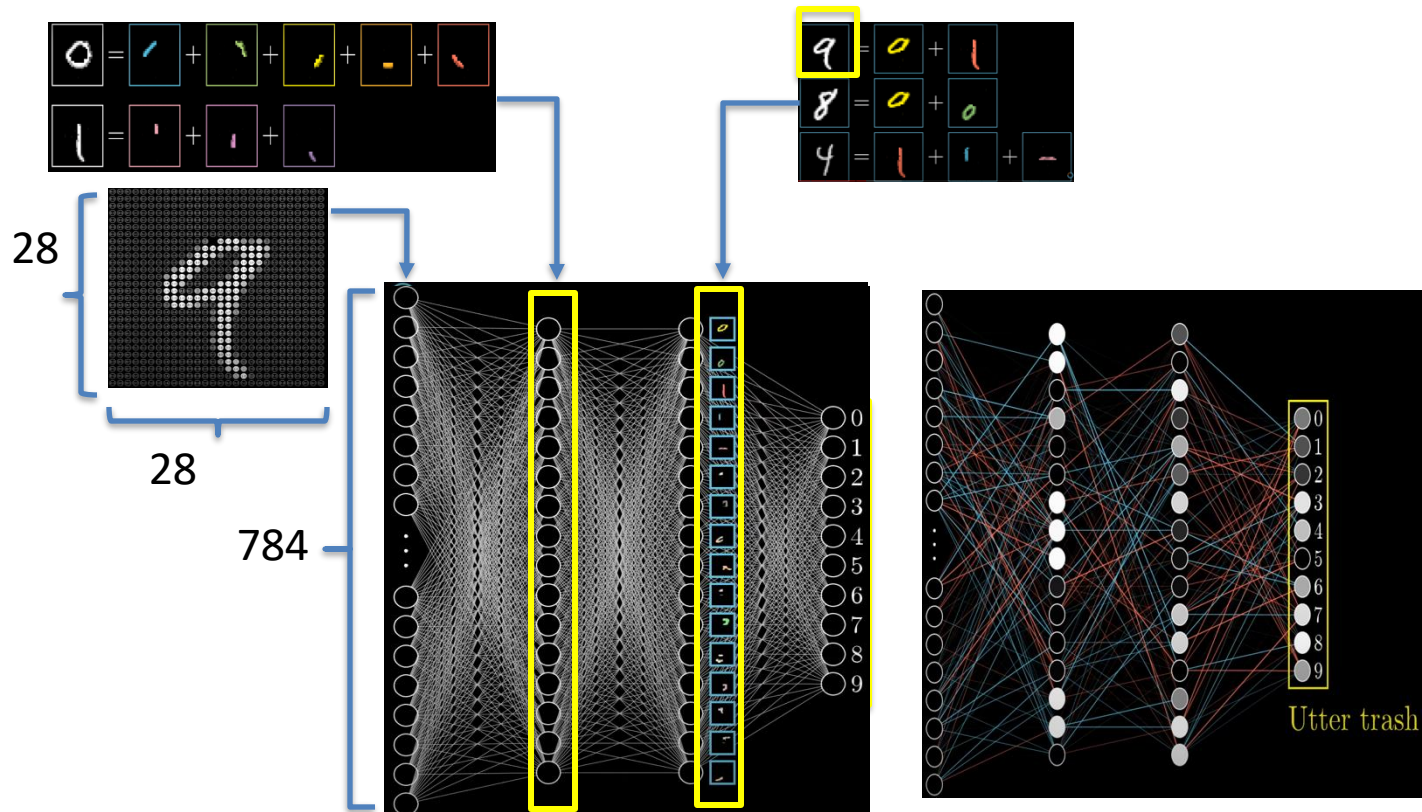
AlphaGo. First computer to defeat the world champion in Go





# Deep Learning

- Neuron Network multiple Layers
  - Neuron  $\rightarrow$  Function that outputs a number (0-1)

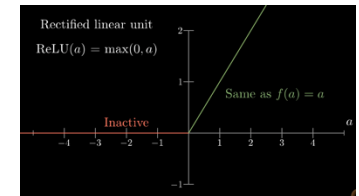
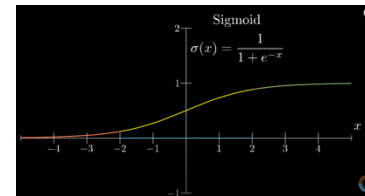


Multilayer Perceptron

# Deep Learning

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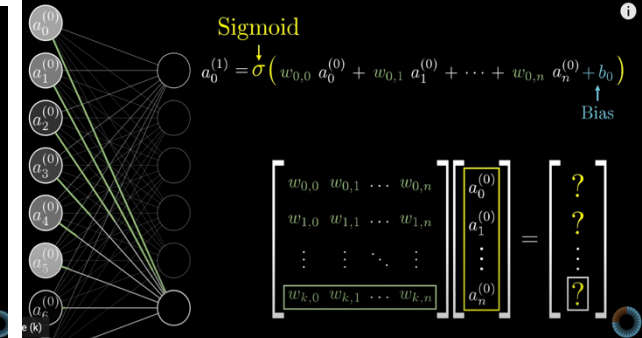
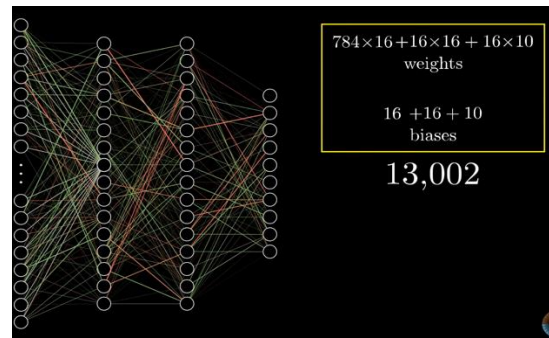
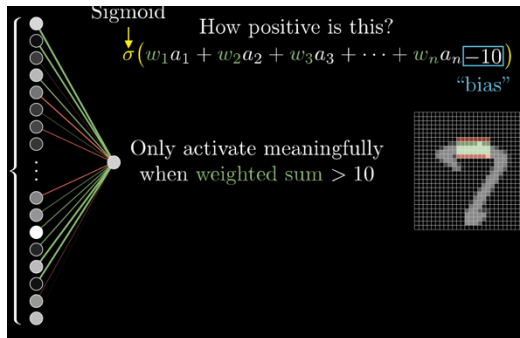
- Activation Function



- In/out connection

For each neuron

For all neurons in all layers



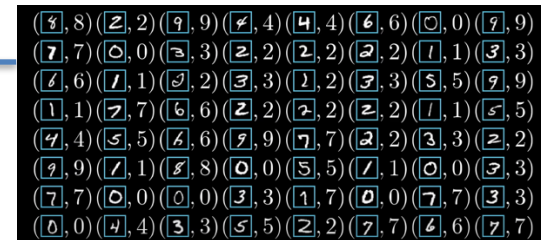
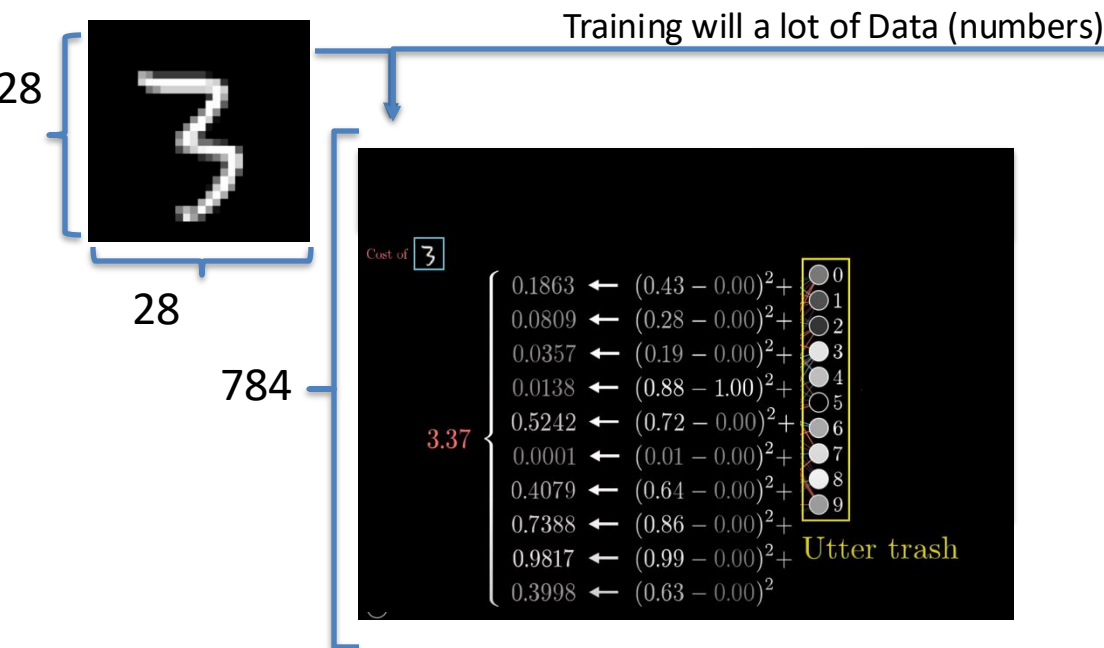
Note: Initial setting **weights** and **Bias** are random values (initial output is just a random output)  
 The network need to be trained in other word find better values for the **Weights** and **Bias**

# Deep Learning

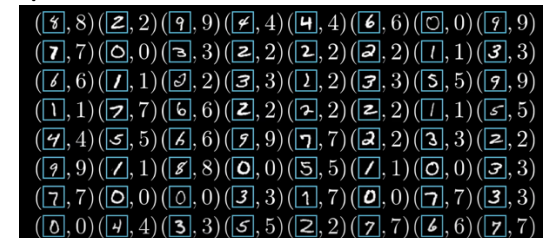
- Neuron Network multiple Layers
  - Neuron  $\rightarrow$  Function that outputs a number (0-1)
    - Activation Function
    - In/out connection
  - Cost Function
  - Backpropagation

Needed for the training of the network

Calculate the **average cost** of all the training data



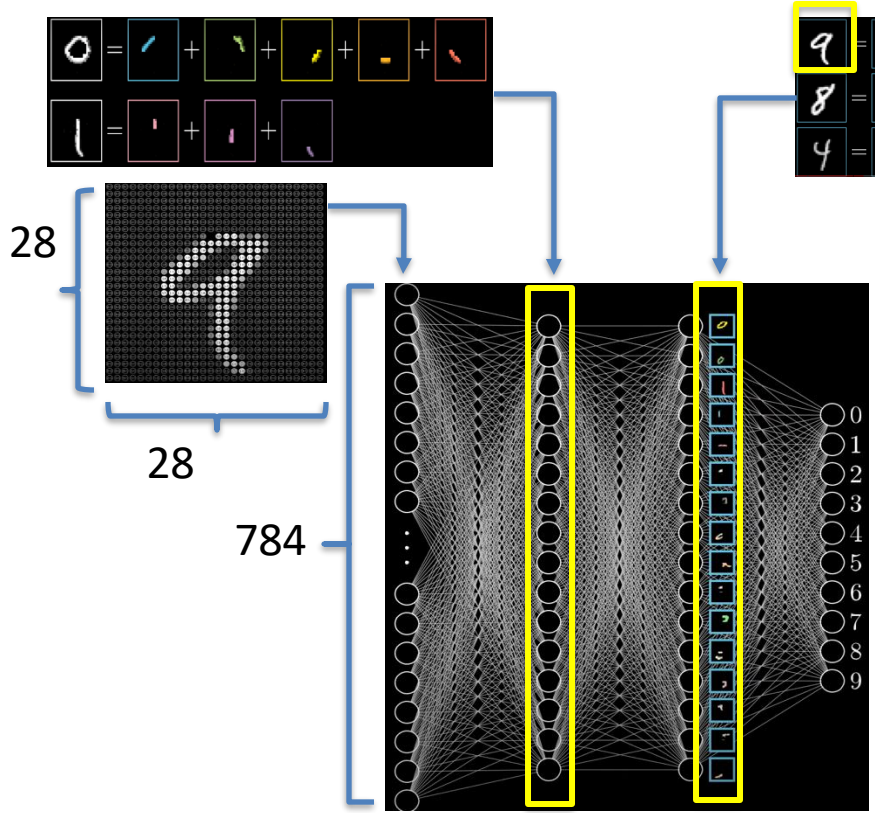
Keep some data for the testing phase



MNIST database contains

- 60,000 training images
- 10,000 testing images

# Recap



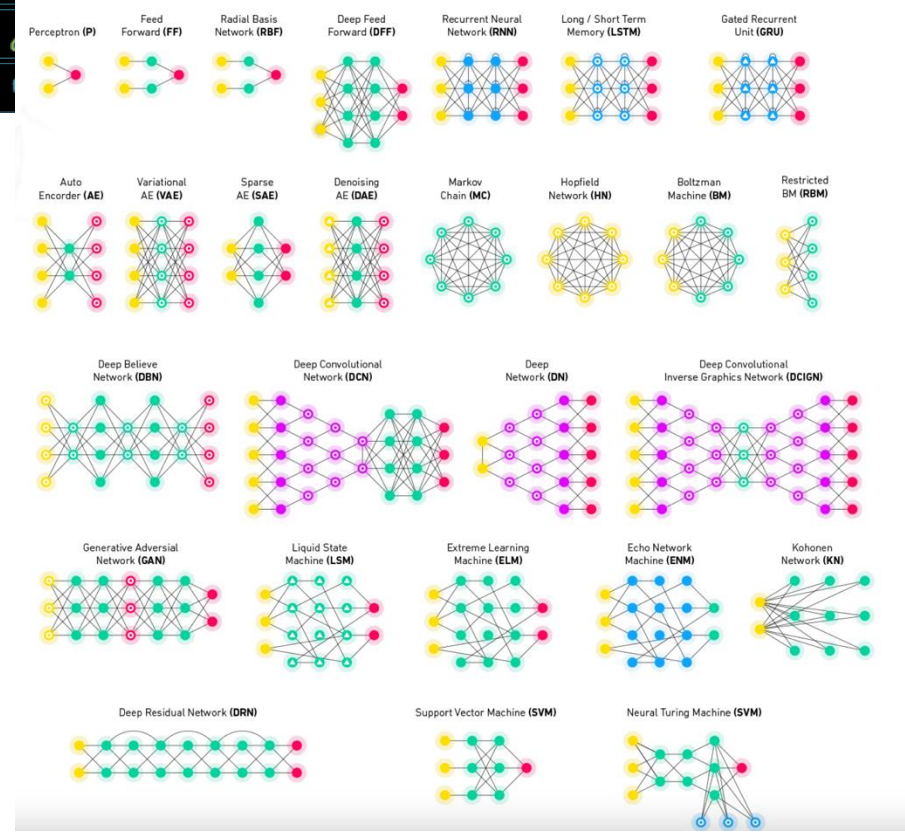
Multilayer Perceptron

Old technology



Convolutional NN

LSTM



# Content

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  - regional sea-level changes (caused by climate change)
  - GÉANT Open Cloud eXchange (gOCX)



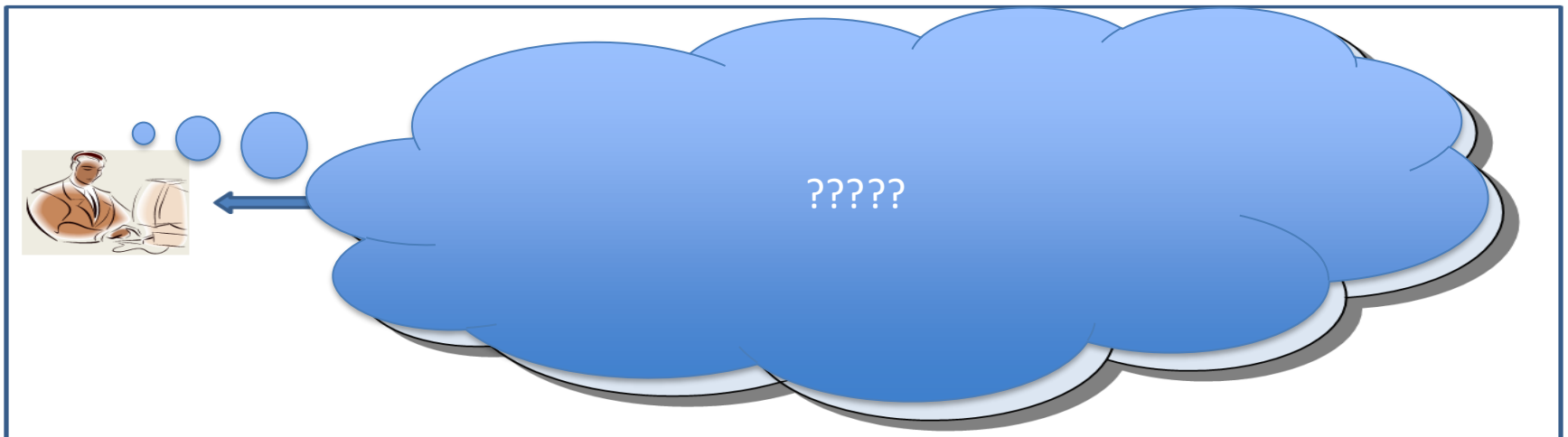
# Amazon Simple Queue Service



## **online** photo processing service

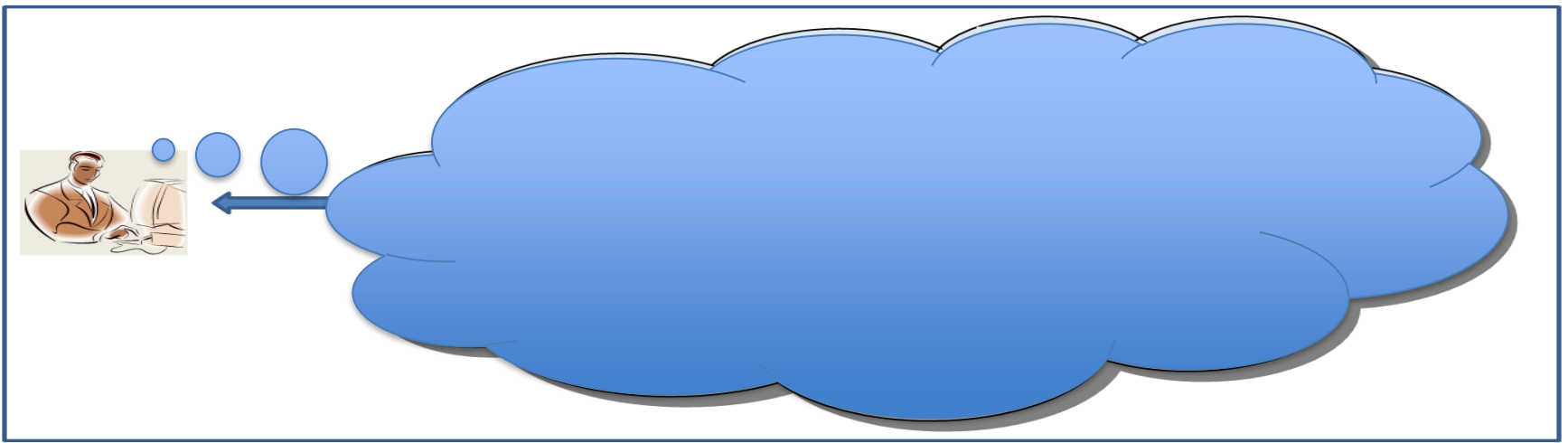
- Requirements

- Upload a few or hundreds of photos
- specify the tasks to be performed on the photos
- Processing might take a few second or several minutes



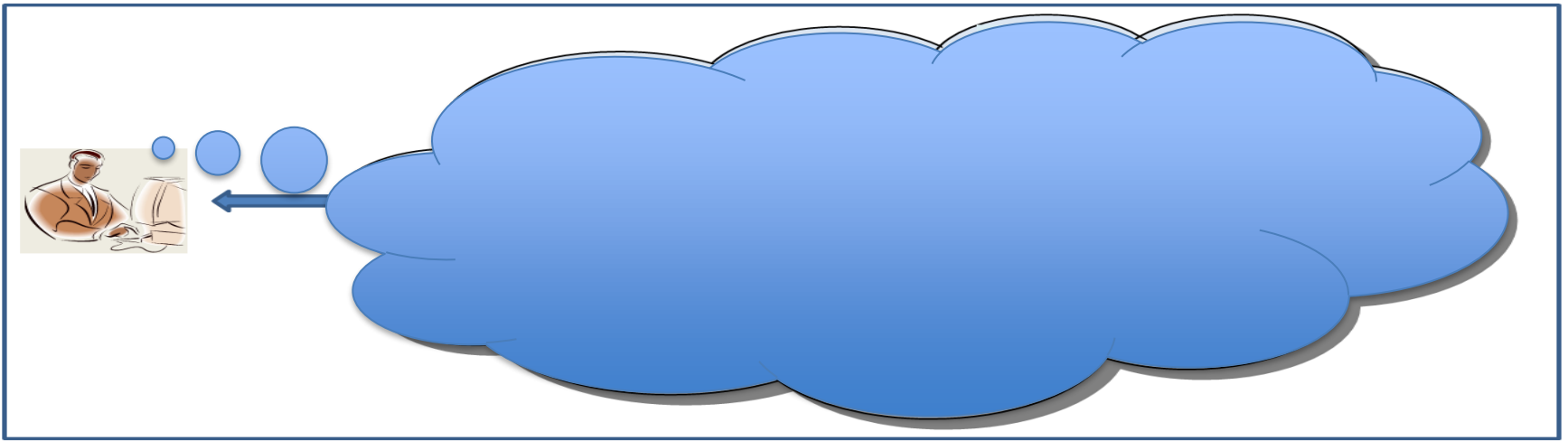
# What can go wrong with online photo processing service?

- Photo **Processing Server crashes**
  - **With SQS failure** is **transparent** to the end user.
  - Users can continue to upload photos to the web site
  - Web server continues to send messages to the SQS Request queue



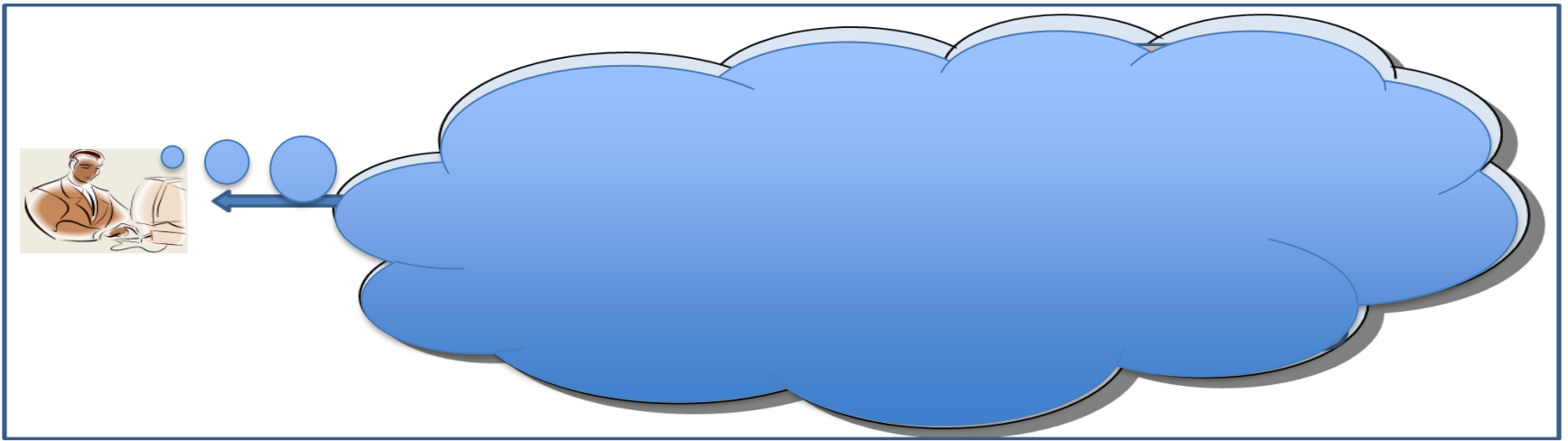
# What can go wrong with online photo processing service?

- Photo Processing Server **cannot be restarted.**
  - SQS makes it possible to just drop in a replacement server.



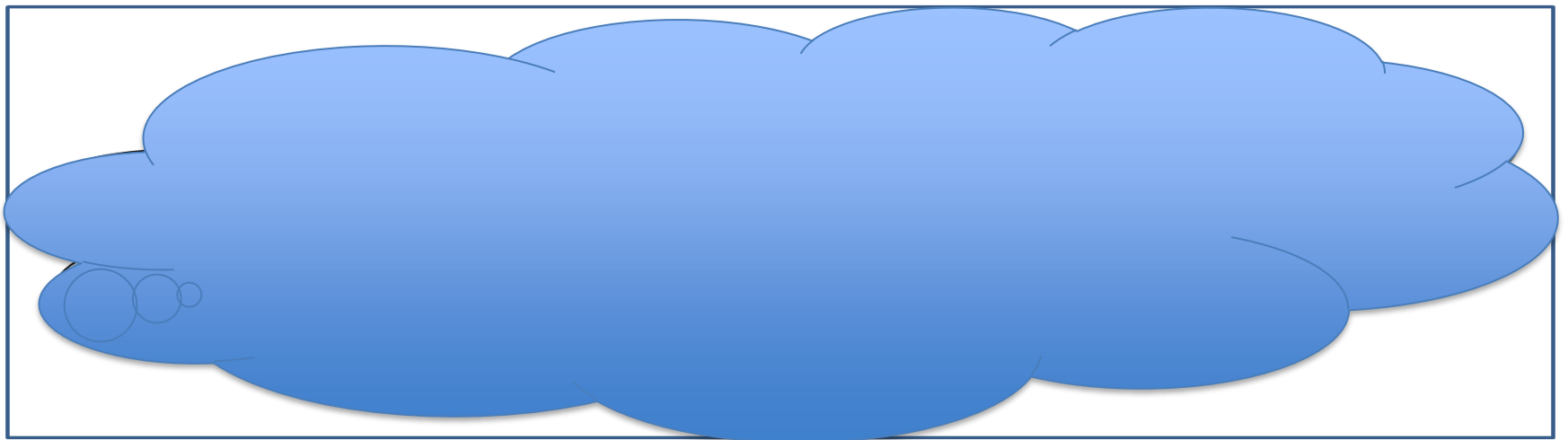
# What can go wrong with online photo processing service?

- Photo Processing Server is **overloaded**
  - A single SQS queue can be shared by multiple servers.
  - A server that is processing a message can prevent other servers from processing the same

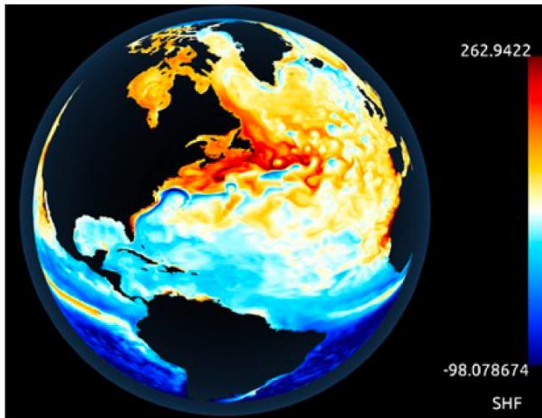


# A better design of the online photo processing service?

- If we know that **some** of the photo processing **operations take significantly longer** time than the rest,
  - you want to implement these longer-running operations in a separate, dedicated server.



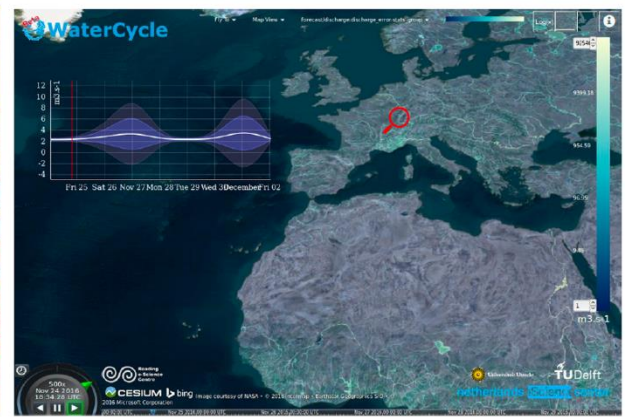




eSalsa



Summer in the city



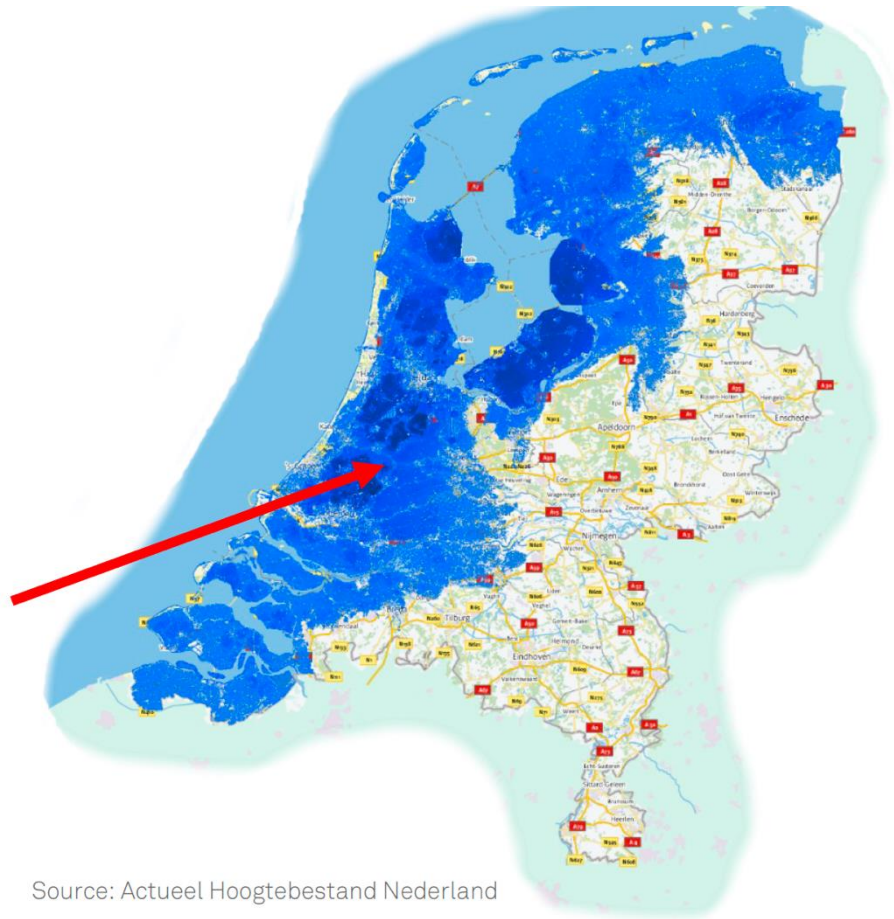
eWaterCycle

Many of our “traditional HPC” projects have a climate focus. They need to increase the resolution of their simulations, couple models, integrate observation data, after which they have trouble with load balancing or the large amounts of data they need to store

# The eSalsa Project

Gain insight into **regional** sea-level changes (caused by climate change) by simulating the oceans with an unprecedented level of detail.

26% to 55%  
below  
sea level



Source: Actueel Hoogtebestand Nederland



Universiteit Utrecht



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# Sea levels are changing...

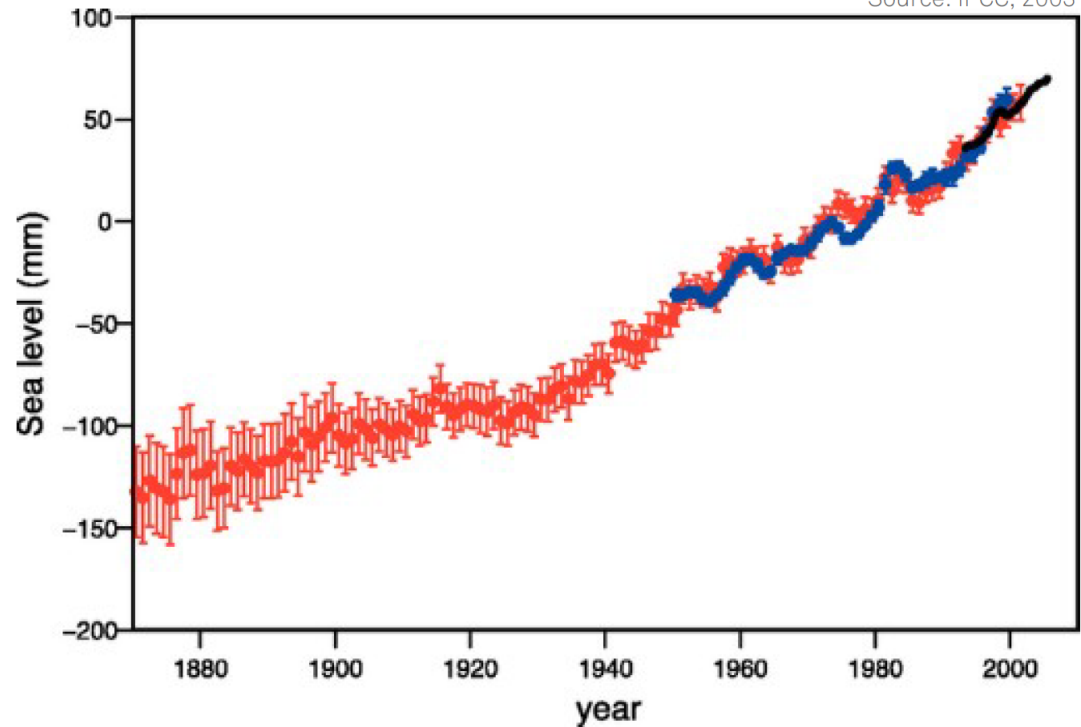
Source: IPCC, 2003

red -- historical records

blue -- tidal gauges

black -- satellite observations

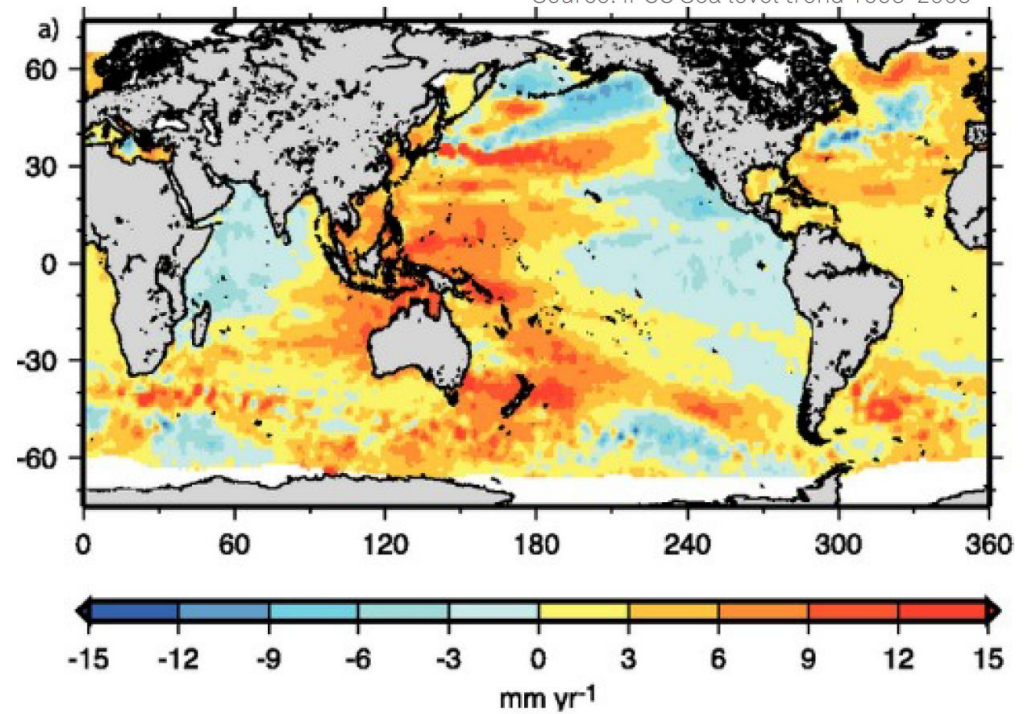
All data show an upward trend!



# ...but the change is not uniform!

Satellite observations show large regional variations in sea-level change.

Source: IPCC Sea level trend 1993-2003



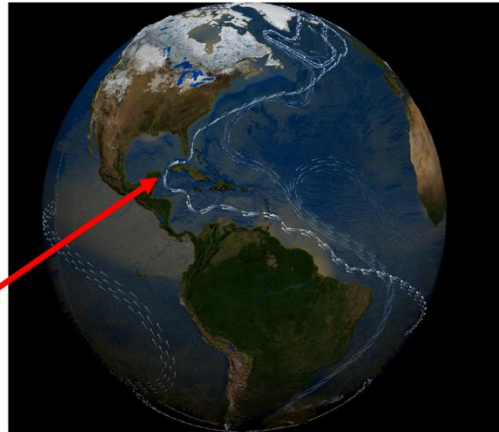


# Oceanography in one Slide ...

## Sea level varies regionally

Caused by large ocean currents which are driven by temperature, and salinity differences and wind.

Meridional Overturning Circulation (MOC)



Source: NASA/Goddard Space Flight Center Scientific Visualization Studio

## Meridional Overturning Circulation

Water transport:  
20 billion liters/sec.

Heat release:  
500 GigaWatt

What is the effect  
of climate change  
on the MOC?

Use simulations to  
gain more insight

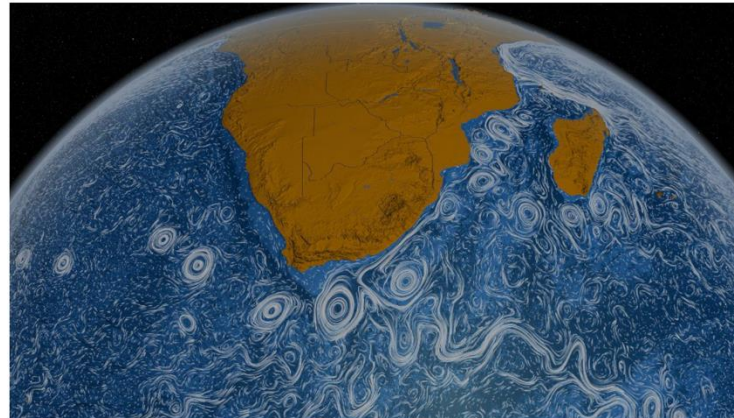


Source: IPCC, 1996

## What are eddies ?

'Whirlpools', up to  
300 km in diameter  
and 4 km deep.

They have a large  
effect on ocean  
behavior.



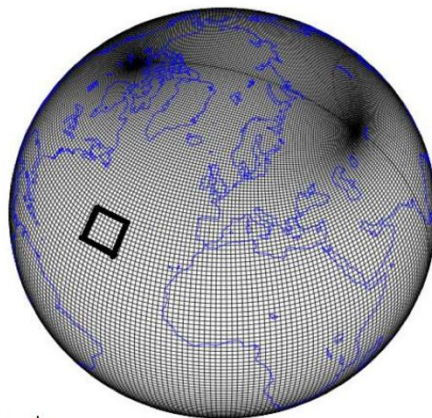
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# Parallel Ocean Program (POP)

“The POP ocean model is a level-coordinate ocean general circulation model that solves the three-dimensional primitive equations for ocean dynamics”

Resolution is important for the results:  
1° resolution (100x100 km) was the norm.  
0.1° resolution (10x10 km) is **eddie permitting**

Direct relation between resolution and compute time!



Source: Los Alamos National Laboratory

## How we run our ocean simulations?

SURFsara Cartesius  
40960 cores  
117 TB memory  
1.0 PFlop/s

1 simulation of 100 years  
at 0.1° resolution (10x10 km)  
takes **20 days** on O(1000)  
cores and produces  
**10+ TB** output.

(but there is more!)



Source: SUR

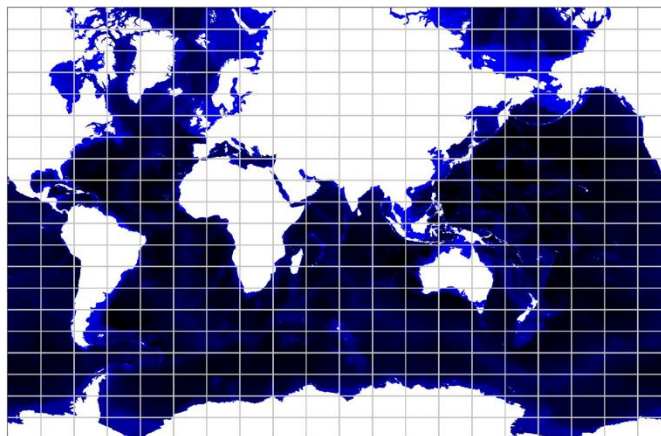
## How does POP work ?

Fortran/MPI application (1992)  
**26 years old!!!**

POP divides the world into a grid,  
which is divided into blocks.

These blocks are **distributed** over  
many **processes** (= cores) using  
**MPI**.

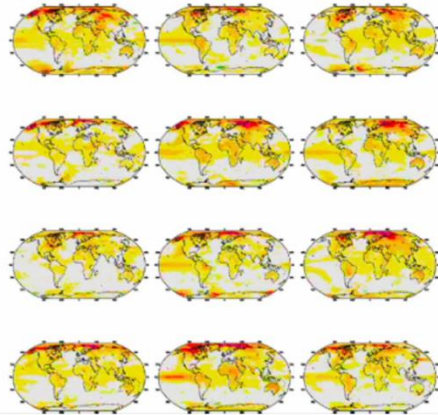
Traditionally a **cartesian**  
distribution is used that  
assigns one block to each  
MPI process.





# Ensembles

We don't run 1 simulation but an **ensemble** of 16, each using a slightly different forcing.

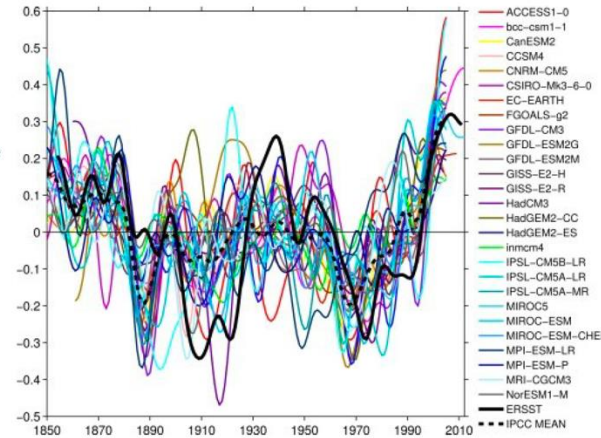


16x increase in compute time

# Why ensembles?

Climate is a chaotic system: a small change in forcing, model or starting conditions may change the outcome significantly.

By running many simulations and/or different models, we get many results and do statistics on them to determine the certainty of the results.



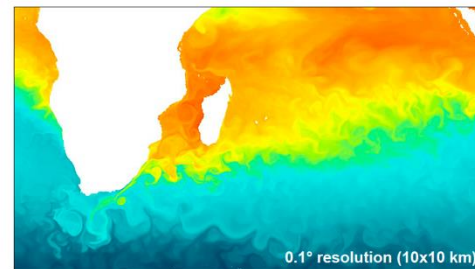
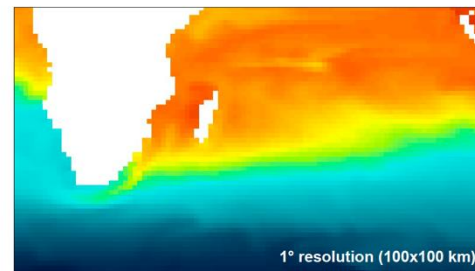
Source: L. Zhang, C. Wang, DOI: 10.1002/jgrc.20390

# Higher Resolution

0.1° resolution (10x10 km) is only the start! We want to increase the model resolution even further to get more detailed results.

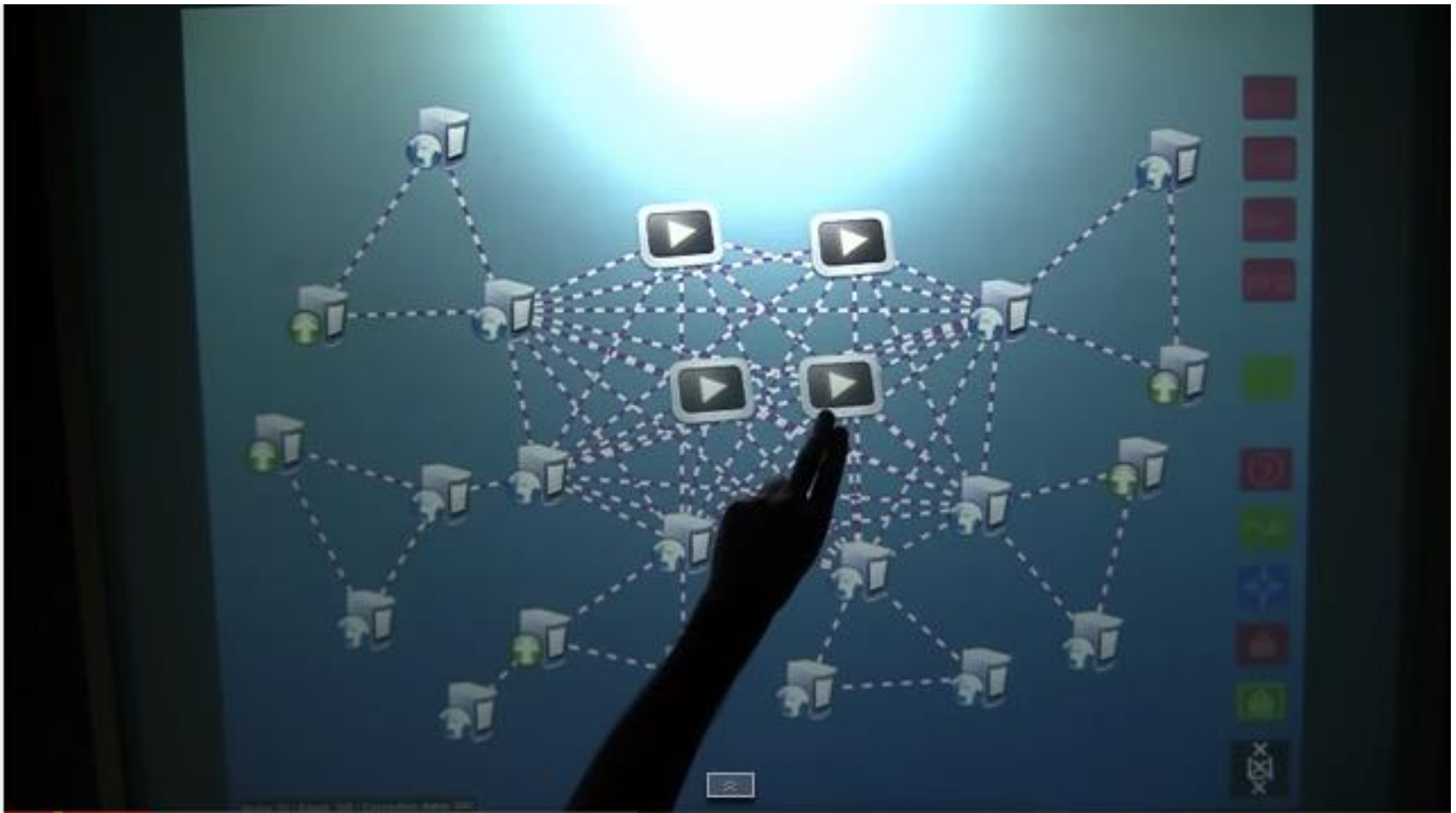
Ultimate goal (last time I asked):  
0.01° resolution (1x1 km)  
**(fully eddie resolving)**

100x increase in compute time!



# Interactive Networks: creation of the virtual network in which the video streams can be manipulated

Super Computing 2011, Seattle , WA



Video available on youtube → <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nGlijMqqCUVA>

# GÉANT Open Cloud eXchange (gOCX)

GÉANT tv, Augut 2014,



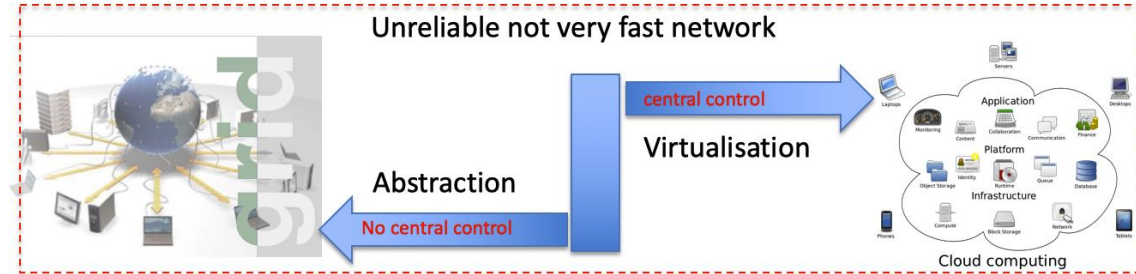
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# Other demos around Data management

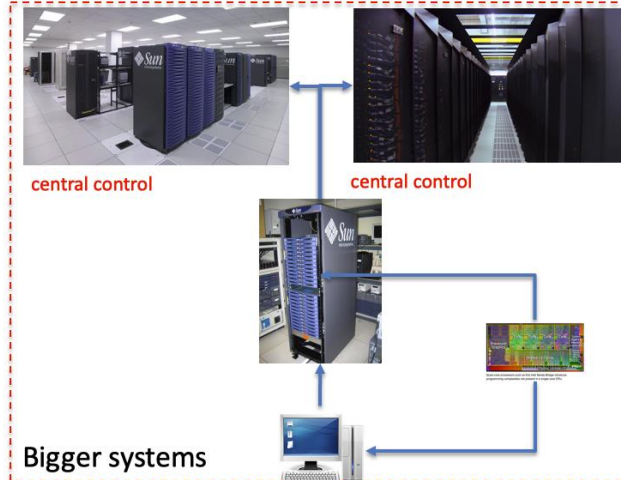
- policy Auditing in **Data Exchange** Systems.
  - <https://dl4ld.nl/2021-02-10/ICT-demo-Xin.mp4>
- User Friendly **Data Transfers** with DTNs.
  - <https://delaat.net/sc/sc19/demo02/movie-s.m4v>



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