

Fujitsu PRIMEHPC FX100

Features and Performance



PRIMEHPC FX100 Design



Highly scalable, high performance supercomputer system

- Introducing cutting edge technologies

High application productivity

- Strong hardware/software for application development and tuning

Highly reliable, available and operable system

- Implementing/facilitating Fujitsu's long HPC experience

PRIMEHPC FX100 Features



Improved CPU & interconnect from the K computer & FX10

- General purpose CPU architecture for application productivity
- Hardware barrier synchronization, sector cache, etc.

Introduced technologies for next-generation computing

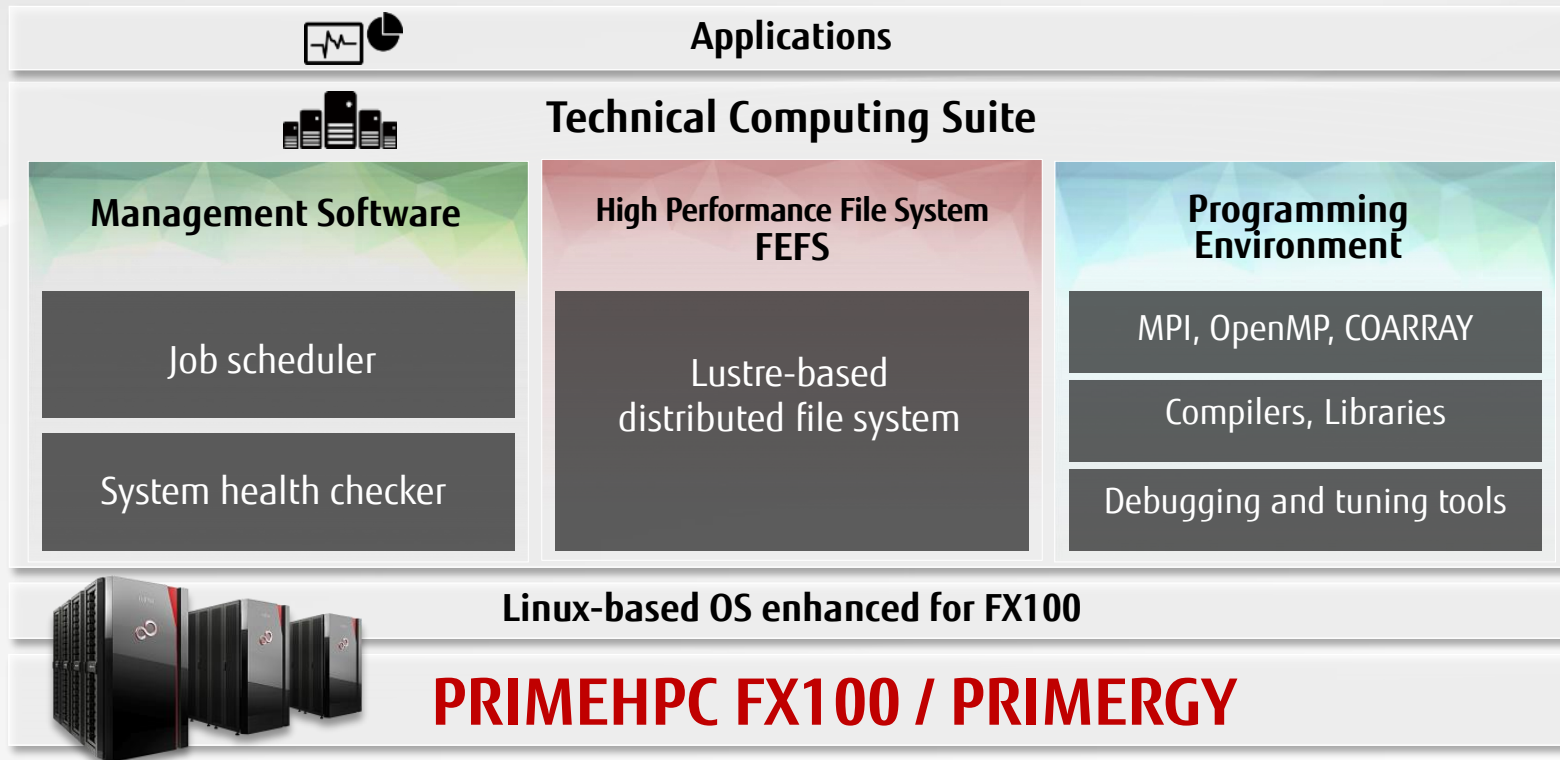
- HPC-ACE2, assistant cores, HMC, Tofu interconnect 2

	FX100	FX10	K computer
Double precision flops / CPU	Over 1 TF (x8)	236.5 GF (x2)	128 GF (1)
Single precision flops / CPU	Over 2 TF (x16)	236.5 GF (x2)	128 GF (1)
# of cores	32 (x4)	16 (x2)	8 (1)
SIMD width	256 bit (x2)	128 bit (x1)	128 bit (1)
Byte per flop	0.4 ~ 0.5		
Interconnect	Tofu 6D mesh/torus		

Software Stack: Technical Computing Suite



- Applications can exploit maximum performance with Fujitsu software stack

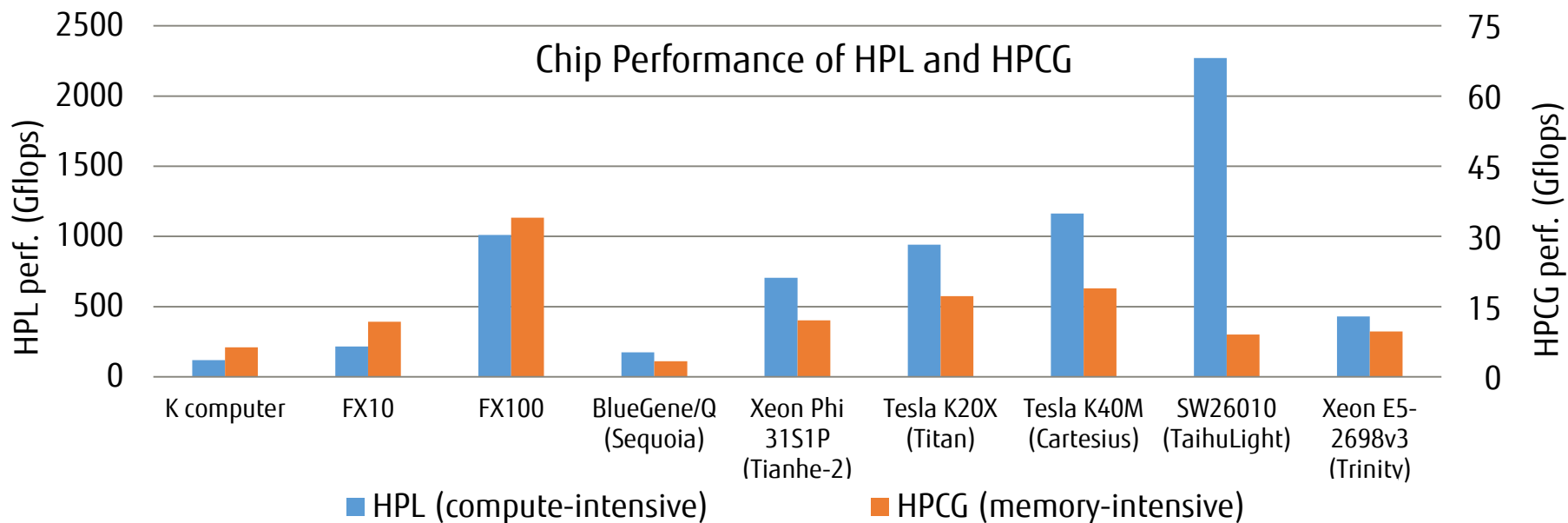


A close-up, low-angle shot of a server rack filled with PrimeHPC FX100 units. The units are dark blue/black with a textured front panel. The text "PRIMEHPC FX100" is visible on the front of several units. The lighting is dramatic, with strong highlights and shadows, emphasizing the industrial design.

PRIMEHPC FX100 Updated Performance Results

Balanced Enhancement of FLOPS and Memory

- Over 1 TFLOPS and 480 GB/s memory bandwidth per chip
- PRIMEHPC series shows high performance for both HPL and HPCG

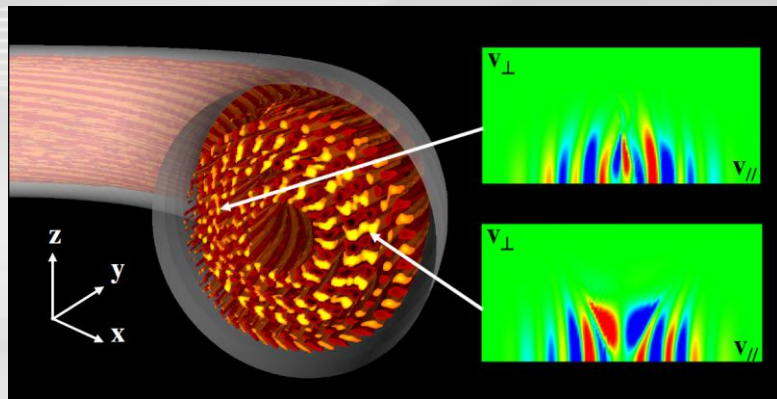
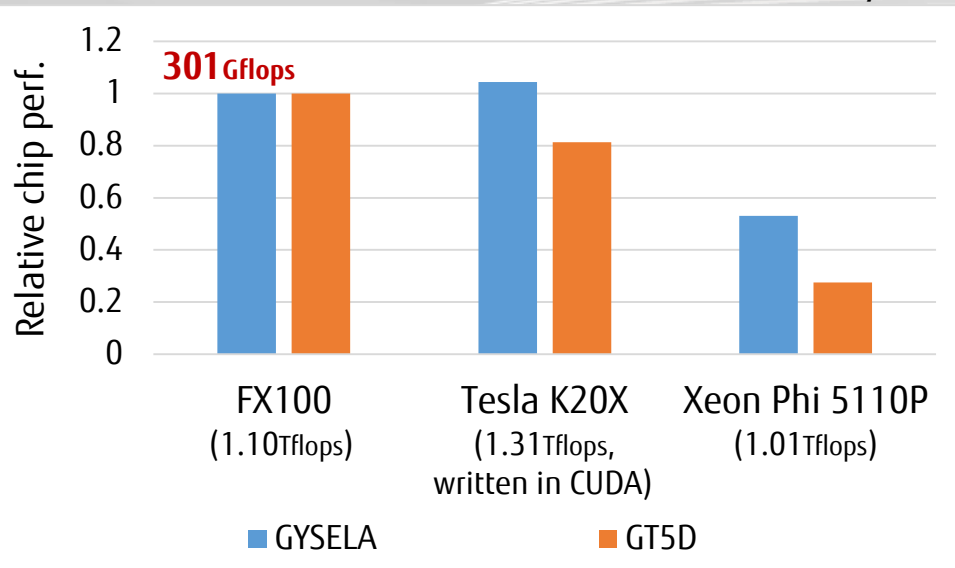


Comparison Using Highly-tuned App. Kernels

■ Performance of application kernels in fusion plasma codes^[1]

■ GYSELA: semi-Lagrangian scheme, compute-intensive

■ GT5D: finite-difference scheme, memory-intensive



Fusion plasma turbulence in 5D phase space
(By courtesy of JAEA)

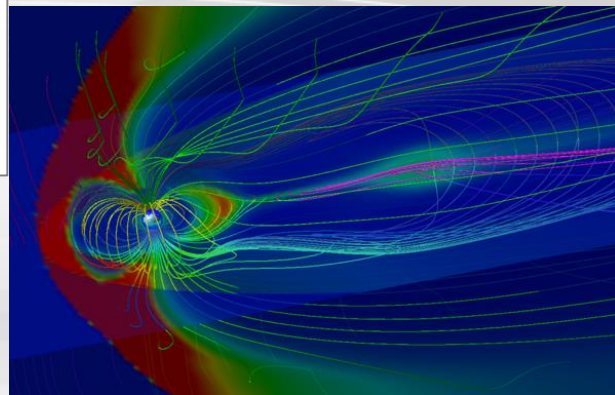
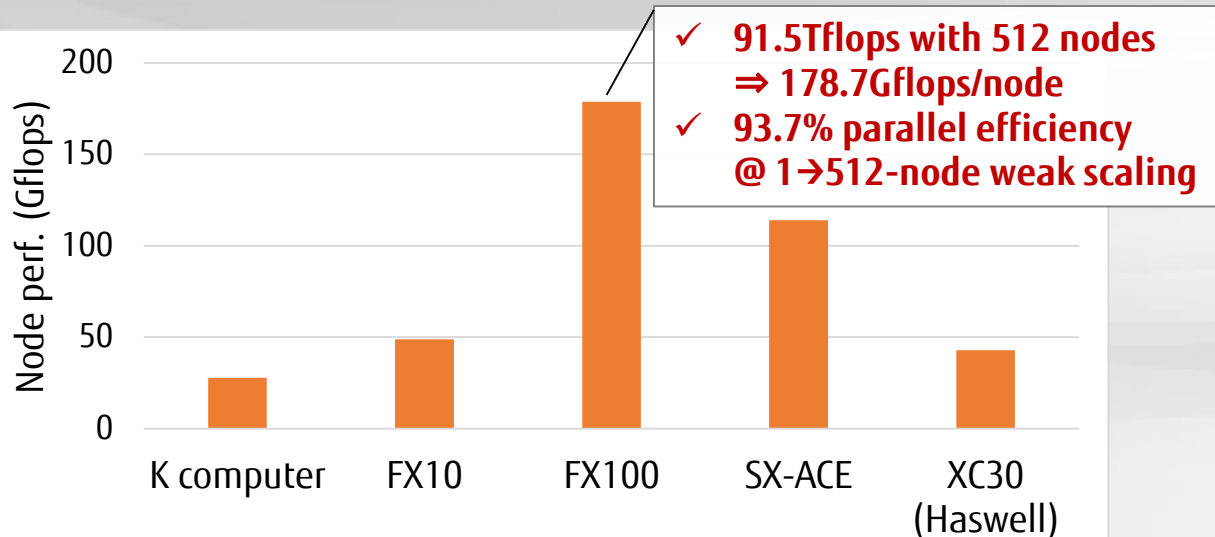
■ FX100 realizes both high efficiency and ease-of-coding

[1] Asahi et al., submitted to IEEE TPDS

Node Performance and Node Scalability

■ Performance of magnetohydrodynamic simulations^[1]

■ Modified leap frog method, memory-intensive



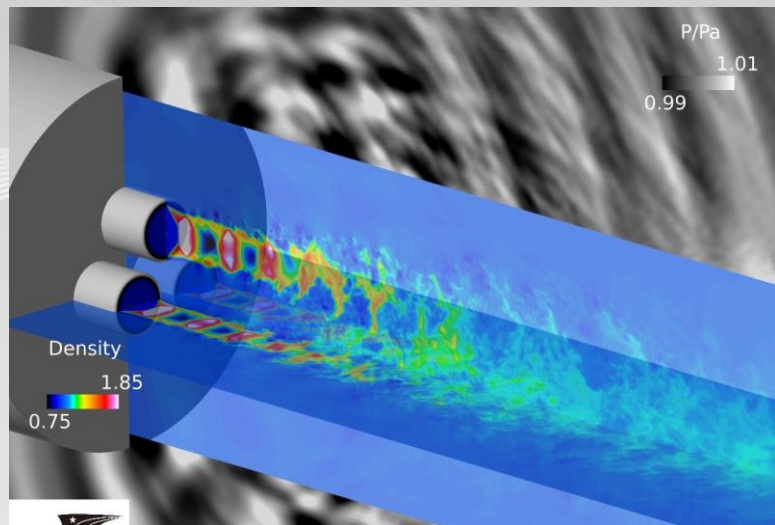
[1] Fukazawa et al., HPDC'16 poster 07

■ FX100 shows higher performance per node and good node scalability

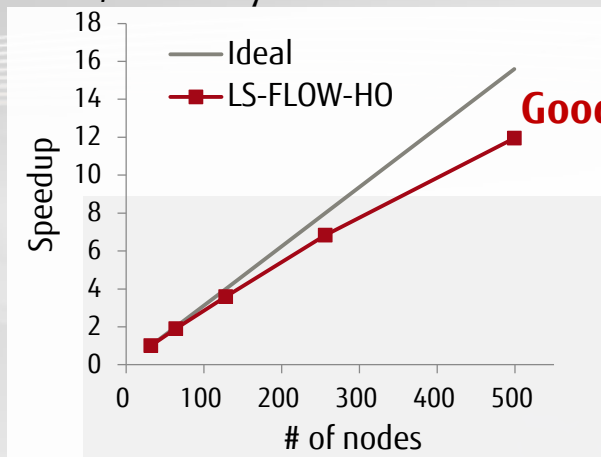
Production Runs on FX100 in JAXA[†]

■ Simulations for acoustic design of clustered supersonic jets^[1]

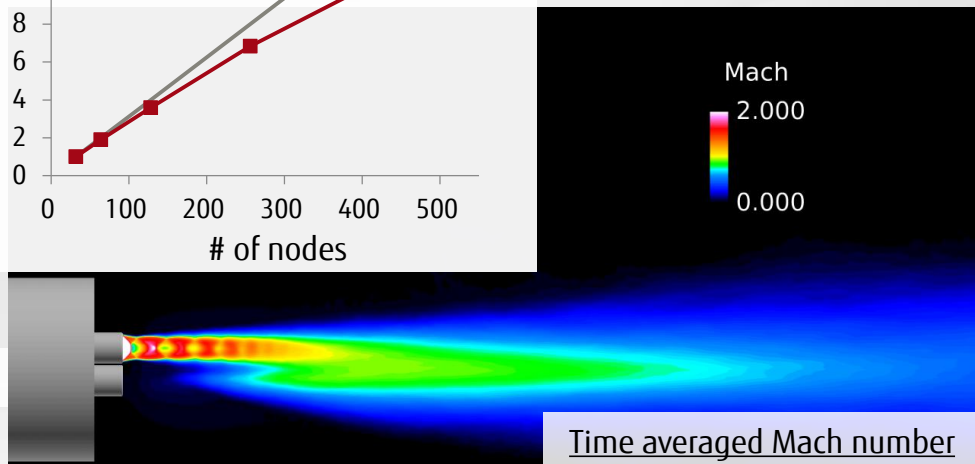
■ LS-FLOW-HO: flux reconstruction method, memory-intensive



Instantaneous flowfield of a Mach 2.0 supersonic jet



Good strong scalability
is reported



Time averaged Mach number

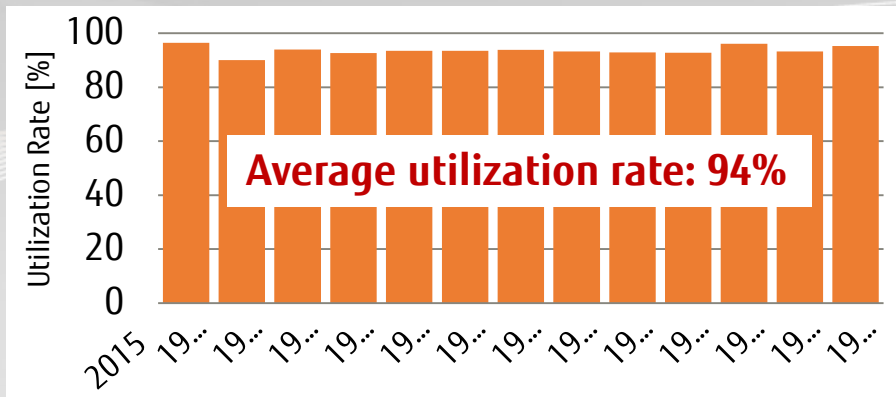
(By courtesy of Dr. Haga @ JAXA)

[1] Haga et al., 48th Fluid Dynamics Conference /
34th Aerospace Numerical Simulation Symposium, 2C07

†: Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency

Real High System Utilization Rate

- High system utilization on RIKEN's HOKUSAI GreatWave (1,080 nodes/34,560 cores)^[1]
- Semi-rectangular node allocation achieves **94% utilization**



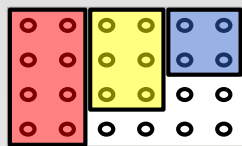
Node allocation on 6D mesh/torus network

a. Rectangular node allocation (conventional)

- Best for MPI performance
- Fragmentation decreases utilization rate

b. Semi-rectangular node allocation (introduced in FX100)

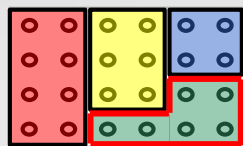
- Good for MPI performance
- Very high utilization rate



a. Rectangular node allocation



+ 1 job allocable!



b. Semi-rectangular node allocation

[1] RIKEN symposium 2016 "Supercomputer HOKUSAI and Shoubu"

Toward Next Generation HPC

- FX100 achieves high performance on various applications through continuously improving HPC technologies
- This technological evolution is advancing toward Post-K development

Post-K



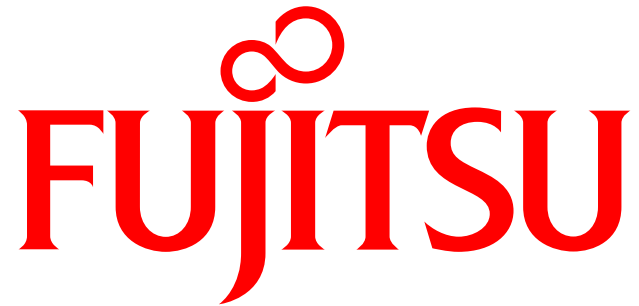
K computer



PRIMEHPC FX10



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