

Brief Overview of HPC & Big data in China

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Outline

□ HPC Projects in China

□ NUDT Efforts



HPC in China

HPC Funding System

□ NSFC

- Basic algorithms and computable modeling for high performance scientific computing
- Network based research environment
- Many-core parallel programming

□ MOST

HiTech 863 program

- High productivity computer and Grid service environment
- Multicore/many-core programming support
- HPC software for algorithm and modeling

HiTech 973 program

- Parallel algorithms for large scale scientific computing
- Virtual computing environment



HPC in China

- **“High productivity Computer and Grid Service Environment”** (Supercomputer project—first phase)
 - **Period: 2006-2010**
 - **940 million Yuan from the MOST**
 - **more than 1 billion Yuan matching money from other sources**
- **Major R&D activities**
 - **Developing PFlops computers (TH-1A, Nebula, Shenwei)**
 - **Building up a grid service environment--CNGrid**
 - **Developing Grid and HPC applications in selected areas**



NSFC

- **Basic algorithms and computable modeling for high performance scientific computing**
 - **8-year, launched in 2011**
 - **180 million Yuan funding**
- **Focused on**
 - **Novel computational methods and basic parallel algorithms**
 - **Computable modeling for selected domains**
 - **Implementation and verification of parallel algorithms by simulation**



HPC in China

Hi-Tech 863 for application

□ Eight strategic applications(2012)

- Fusion
- Aircraft Design
- Space & cosmic
- Drug Design
- Animation
- Mechanics of Giant Engineering Equipment
- Electromagnetic Environment Simulation
- New Material



HPC in China

□ **Second Phase of Supercomputer Project**

□ **12-FiveY project (-2015)**

➤ **System**

◆ **100PFlops**

◆ **More than 2X investment comparing 11-FiveY project**

– **MOST (863)**

– **Local government**

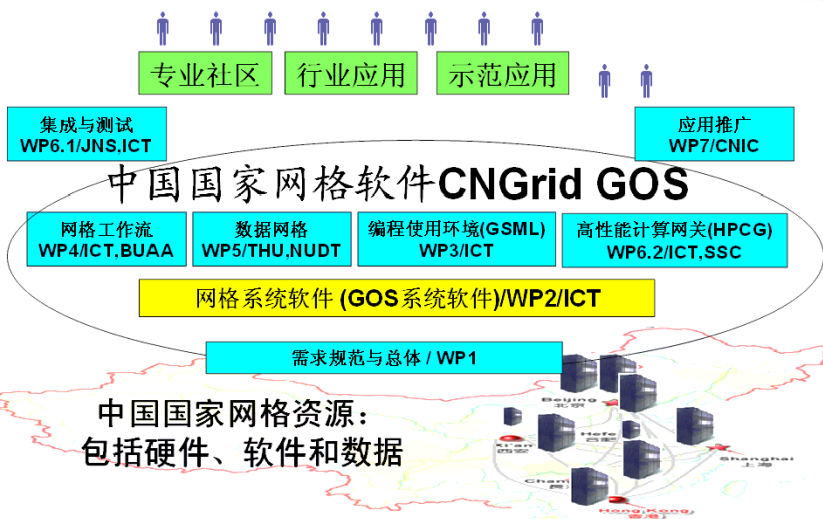
1. **Tianhe-2 33.86/54.9PFlops now, 2015 ~100PFlops**

2. **Shenwei-x ~100PFlops**



□ CNGrid: Resources

- 14 sites
- >7PFlops
- 16PB storage



HPC in China

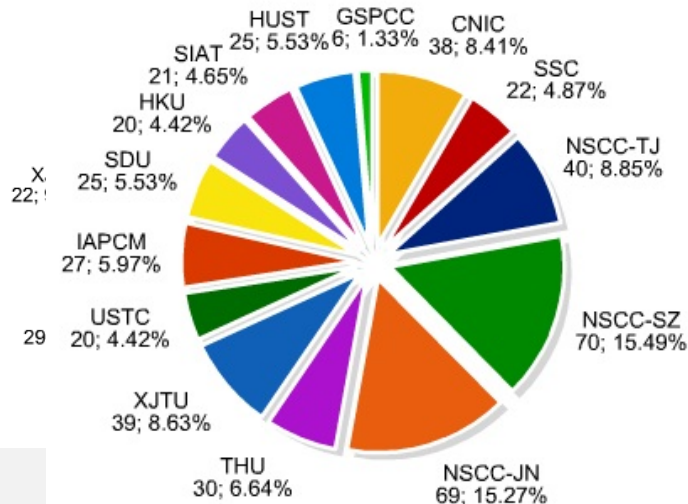
□ CNGrid

- 450 services
- >2800 users
- Supporting >1100 projects
- ◆ 973, 863, NSFC, CAS Innovative, and Engineering projects

2013.4

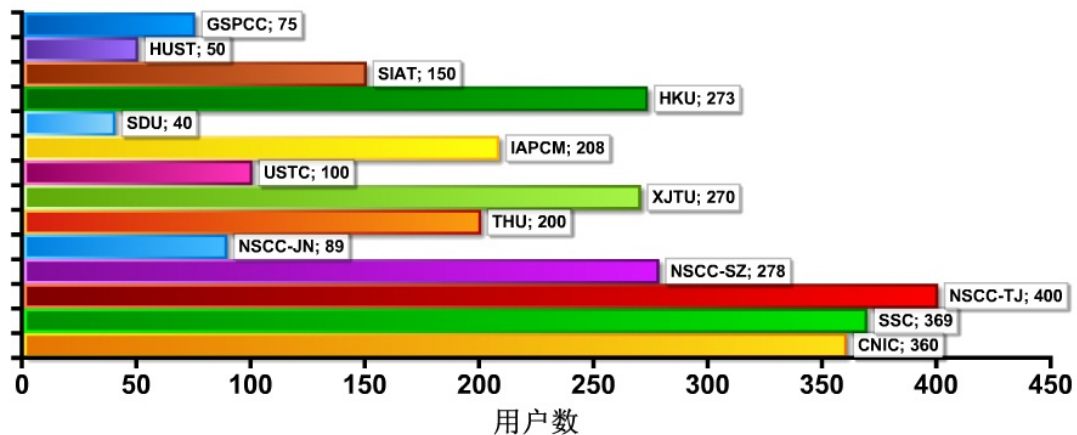


中国国家网络中的服务
部署服务总数452



CNGrid Users
Total Users: 1456

中国国家网络的用户
用户总数2862



Latest Project (2-1)

□ Third Phase of Supercomputer Project

- HiTech 863 project Supported by MOST
- 2 years plan (2015-2016)
- Less budget

1. Preliminary research for Exascale system

- Advanced and feasible Architecture
 - ◆ Goal 30GFlops/W

2. Domain Application Framework and Tool

- CFD
- Energy and Material



Latest project (2-2)

□ Big Data Project

➤ In-memory computing system

- ◆ Hybrid memory management policy
- ◆ Parallel system

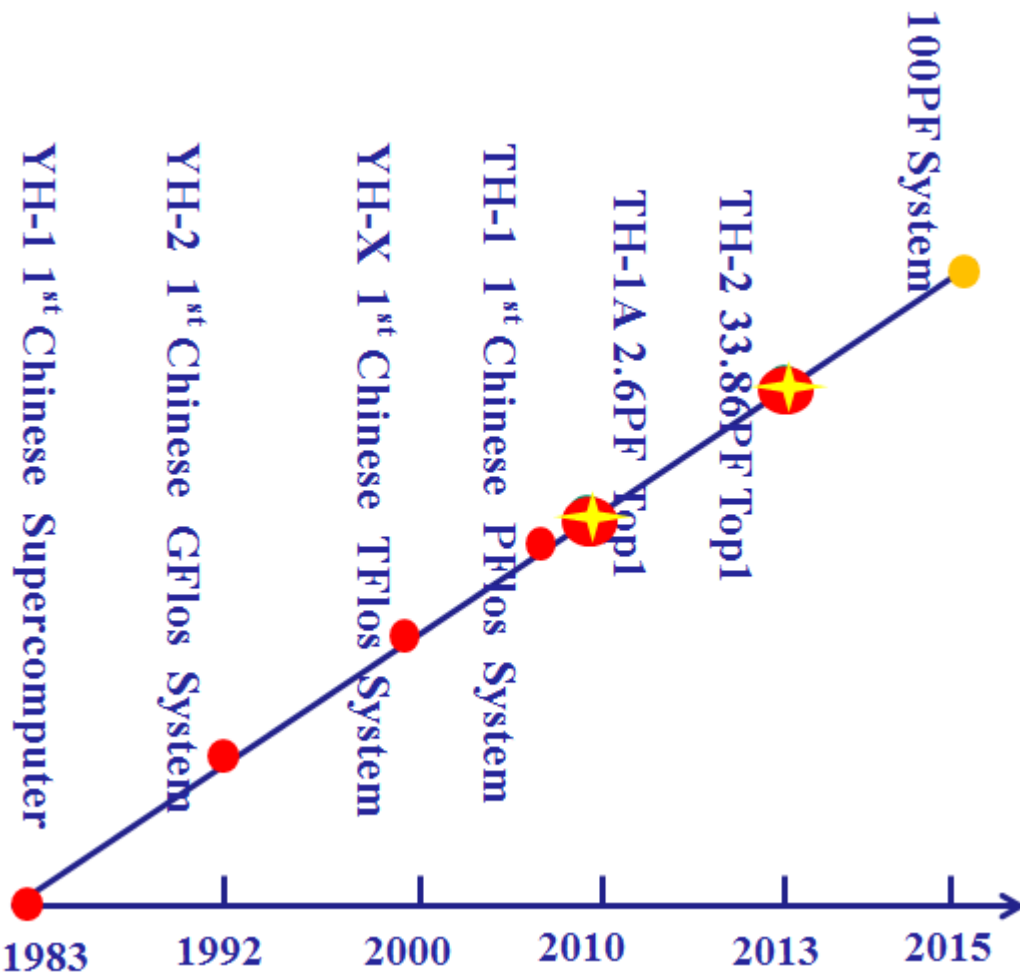
➤ Key technology and system of Human Intelligence

- ◆ Knowledge acquisition, Deep learning, Content understanding, Problem solving, Interactive quizzes,
- ◆ Prototype system: humanoid answer



NUDT Efforts

Supercomputers in NUDT, Changsha, China



NSCC-Tianjin, 2010



NSCC-Changsha, 2012

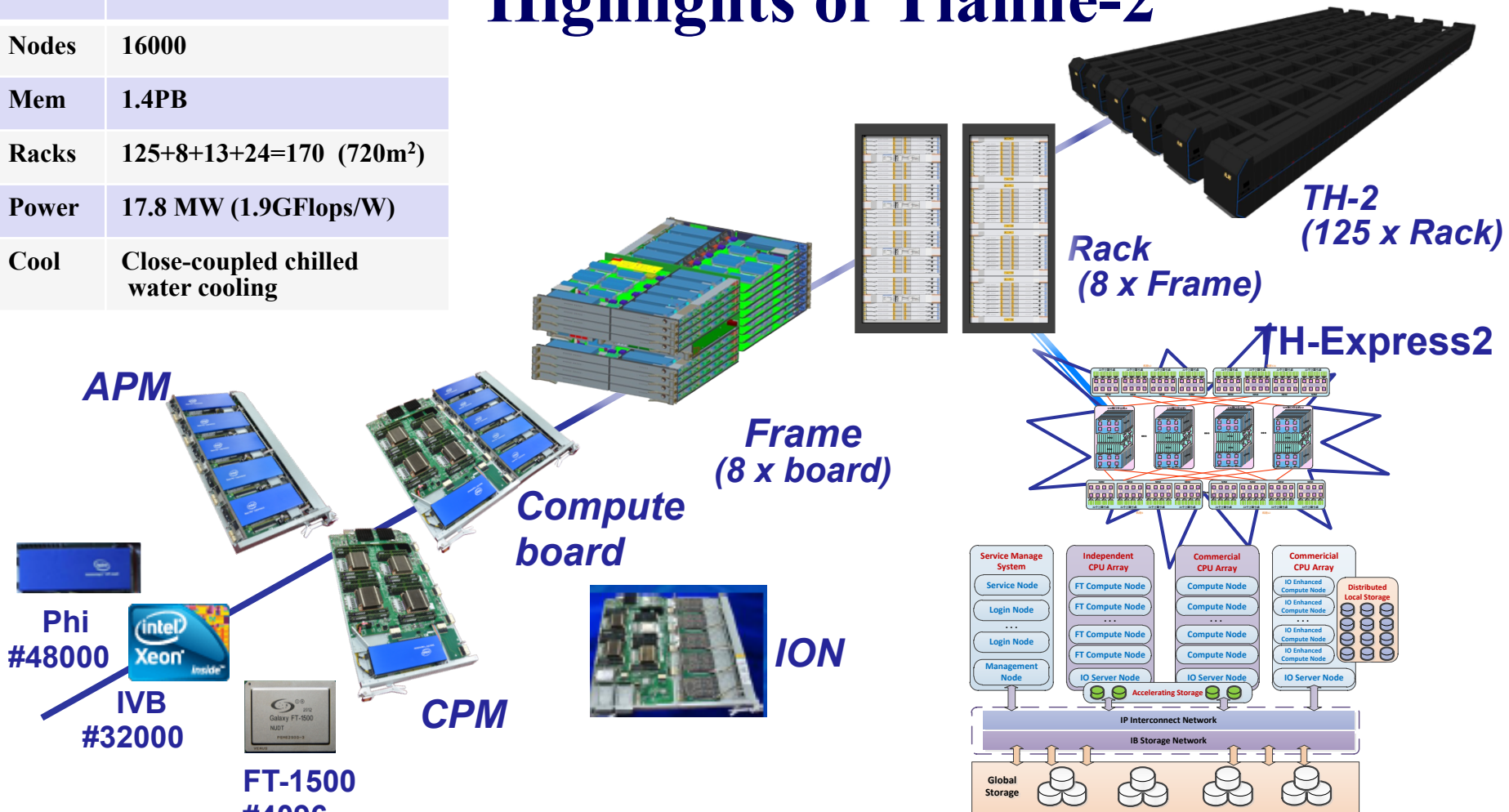


NSCC-Guangzhou, 2013

NUDT Efforts

Perf	54.9PFlops / 33.86PFlops
Nodes	16000
Mem	1.4PB
Racks	125+8+13+24=170 (720m ²)
Power	17.8 MW (1.9GFlops/W)
Cool	Close-coupled chilled water cooling

Highlights of Tianhe-2



Hybrid Hierarchy shared storage System
H²FS 12.4PB

NUDT Efforts

□ Top1(2013.6/11)

➤ 33.86PFlops/54.9PFlops



□ Graph6 (2013.6/11)

➤ 2061GTEPS

➤ 8192 nodes without using MIC

➤ 2^{36}



□ GreenGraph6 (2013.6)

□ GreenGraph11(2013.11)

➤ 9.744GTEPS, 1 node with 2 ivy cpu

➤ 39.29 MTEPS/W 2^{26}



NUDT Efforts

□ Tianhe-2 in 2015

- 100PFlops
- Heterogeneous parallel architecture
- TH-express2⁺ interconnection network
- Hybrid Hierarchy I/O storage and file system
- HPC & Big data Configurable Software stack
- Domain specific programming framework



□ National Supercomputing Center in Guangzhou Co-execute with SUN YAT-SEN University

- Big Science
- Big Engineer
- Industry Upgrade
- Information Construction



NUDT Efforts

- **Exascale Architecture**
 - **Node**
 - ◆ ~10TFlops, many cores
 - **Interconnect**
 - ◆ Optical switch, High radix router
 - ◆ System bus
 - **I/O**
 - ◆ Hybrid hierarchy structure
 - **>50GFlops/w**
- **System Software**
 - **Program model**
 - **Runtime system**
 - **File system and Data management**
- **Application Framework & Tool**
 - **Domain specific**



□ Pre-research on breakthrough Technology

➤ New enable Tech

- ◆ Reconfigurable Arch
- ◆ Optical computing and communication
- ◆ Nano-electronics
- ◆ Quantum computing

➤ New storage Arch

- ◆ Memrist (RRAM)
- ◆ Carbon nanotubes
- ◆ Graphene

➤ Creative Software Environment

- ◆ Runtime system
- ◆ Domain application framework



Thanks

