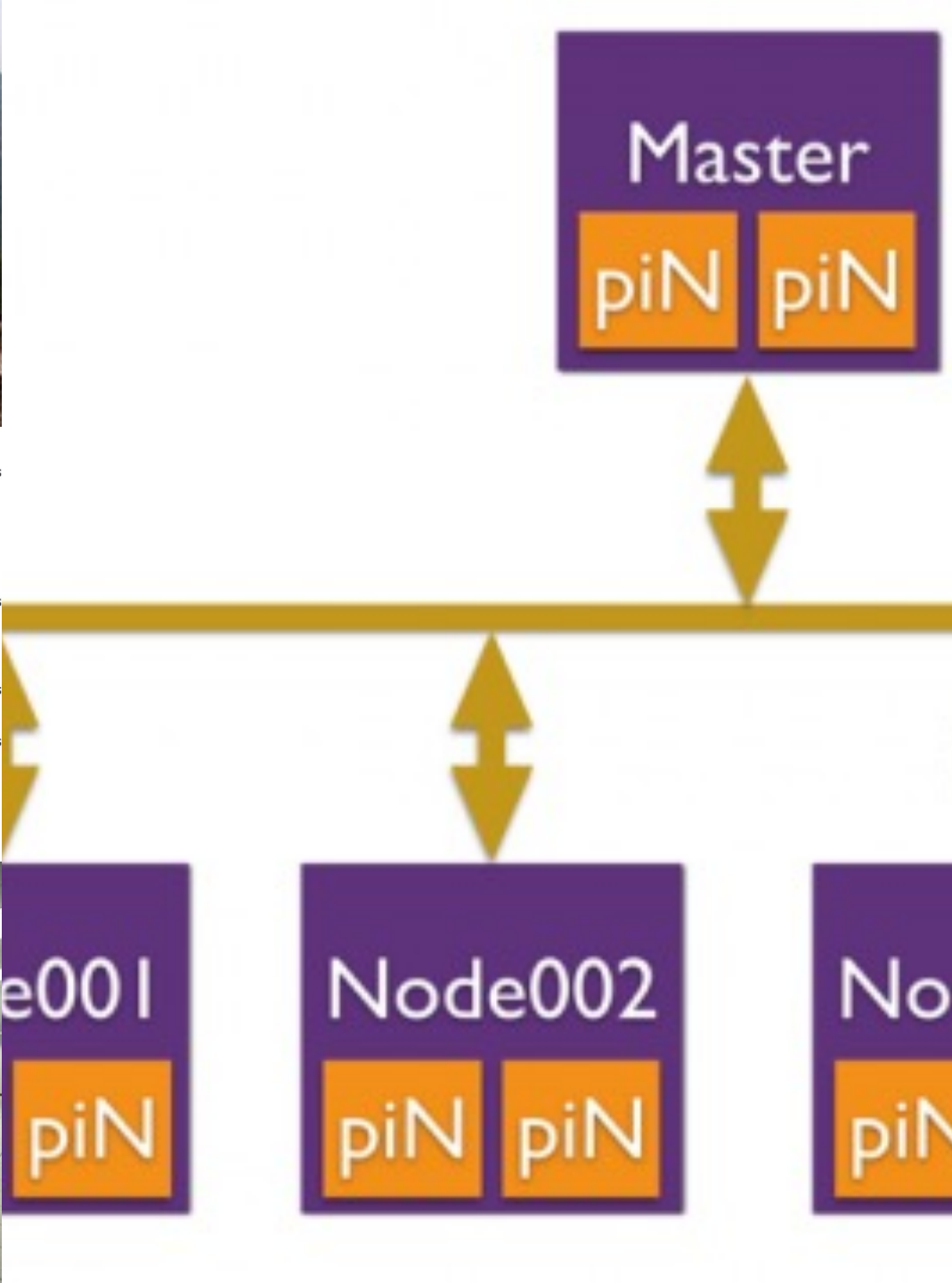
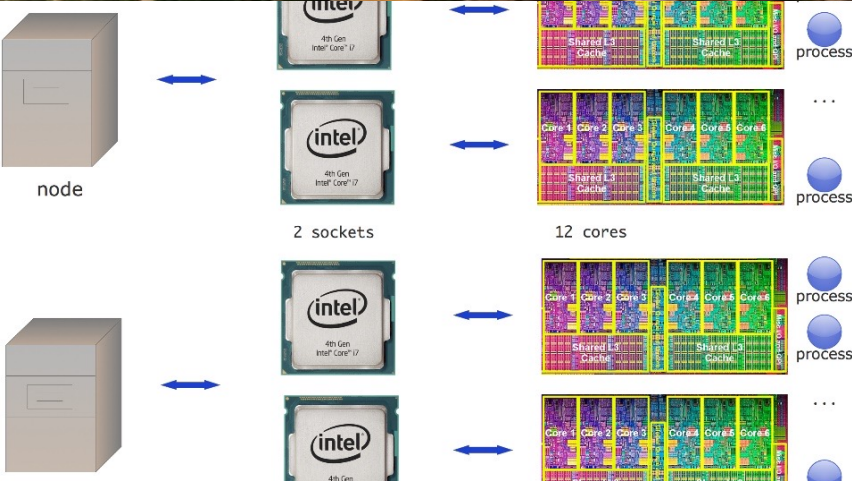


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Parallelism at Scale: MPI

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SOSP
Project
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Copy versus Clone:

Default: Types cannot be copied

- Values move from place to place
- E.g. file descriptor

Clone: Type is expensive to copy

- Make it explicit with clone call
- e.g. Hashtable

Copy: type implicitly copy-able

- e.g. u32, i32, f32, ...

`#[derive(Clone, Debug)]`

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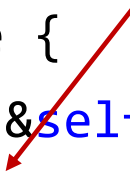
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- Fixes MM *and* concurrency in fell swoop!

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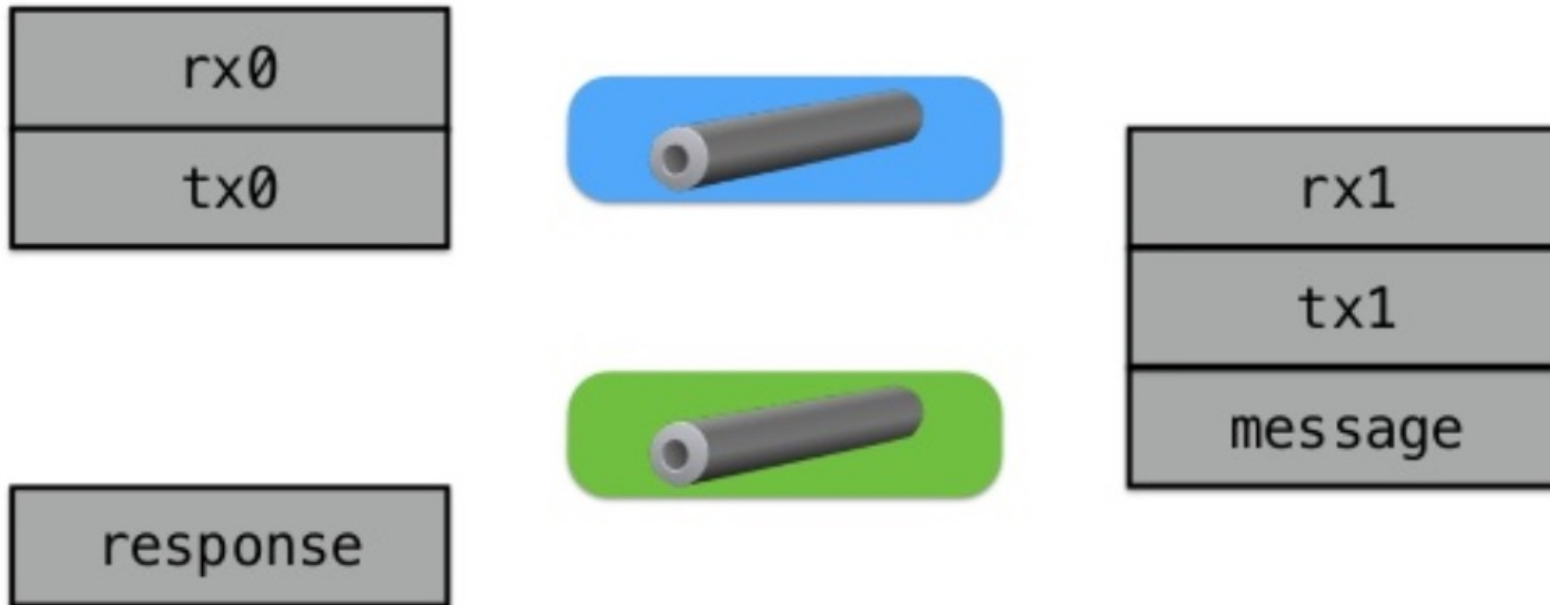
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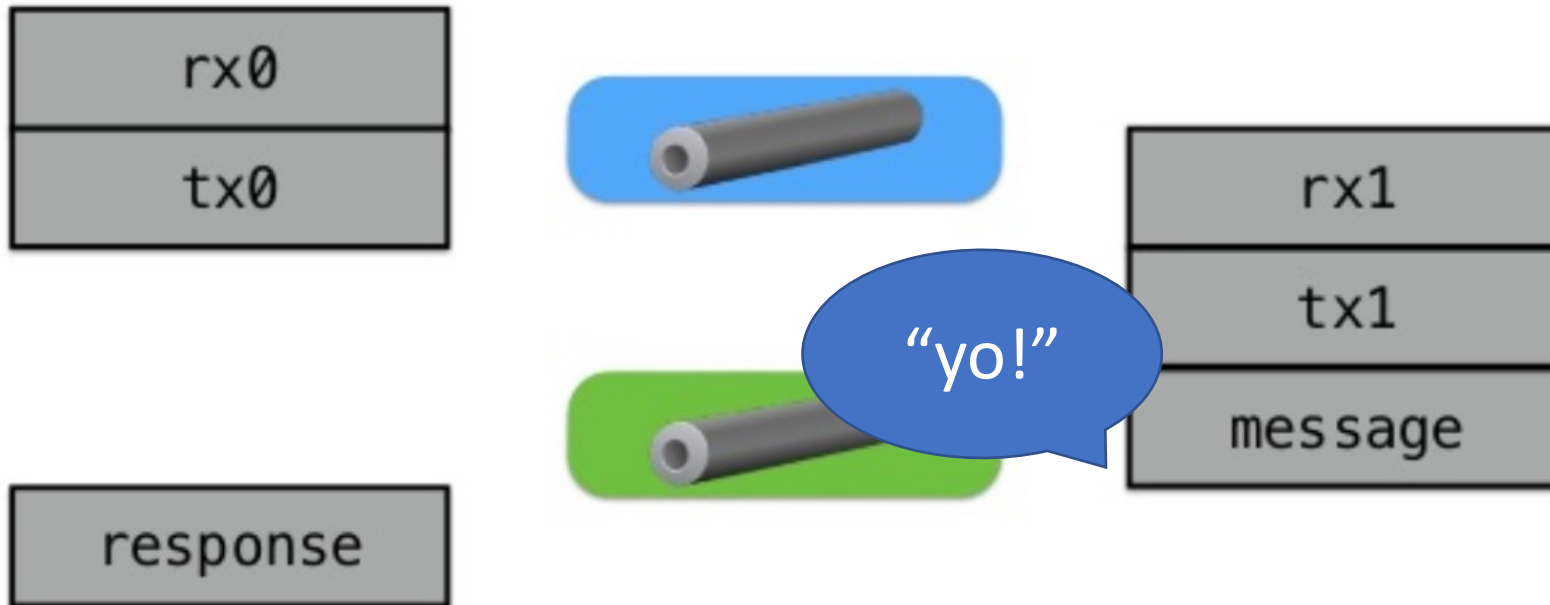
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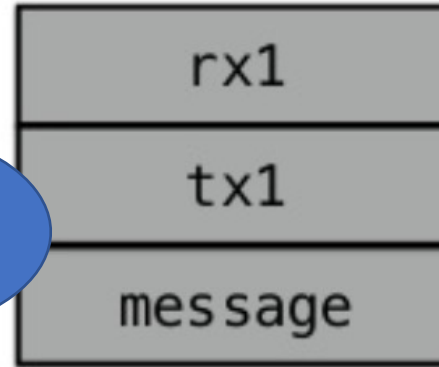
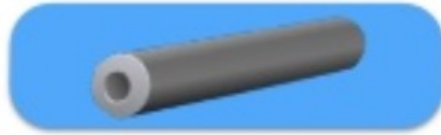
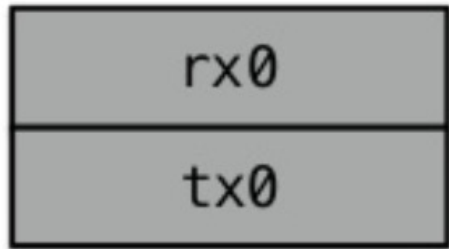
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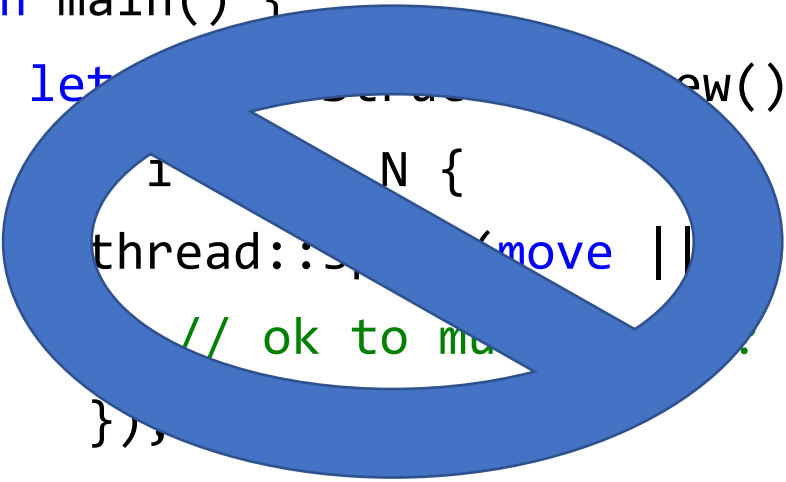
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What's the actual fix?

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note: function requires argument type to outlive `static`  
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Other fixes?

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// as are the `{}` wrapping the body. These nameless functions  
// are assigned to appropriately named variables.
```

```
let closure_annotated = |i: i32| -> i32 { i + 1 };  
let closure_inferred = |i| i + 1;
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Discussion

GC lambdas, Rust C++

- This is pretty nuanced:
- Stack closures, owned closures, managed closures, exchg heaps

Ownership and Macros

Macros use regexp and expand to closures

Summary

Rust: best of both worlds

systems vs productivity language

Separate sharing, mutability, concurrency

Type safety solves MM and concurrency

Have fun with the lab!

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Two-phase commit

- N participants agree or don't (atomicity)
- Phase 1: everyone "prepares"
- Phase 2: Master decides and tells everyone to actually commit
- What if the master crashes in the middle?

2PC: Phase 1

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Example—move: C→S1: delete foo from /, C→S2: add foo to /

Failure case:

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S2 decides permission problem
S2 writes/sends VOTE_ABORT

Success case:

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S2 writes add foo to /
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2PC: Phase 2

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- W • Write GLOBAL_COMMIT to log
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- Z • Participants recv decision, write GLOBAL_* to log

- What if participant crashes at X?
- Coordinator crashes at Y?
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- Coordinator crashes at W?

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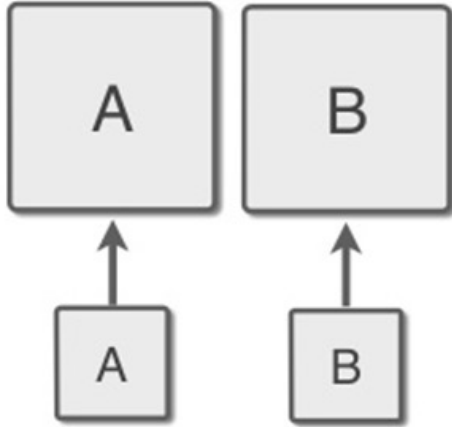
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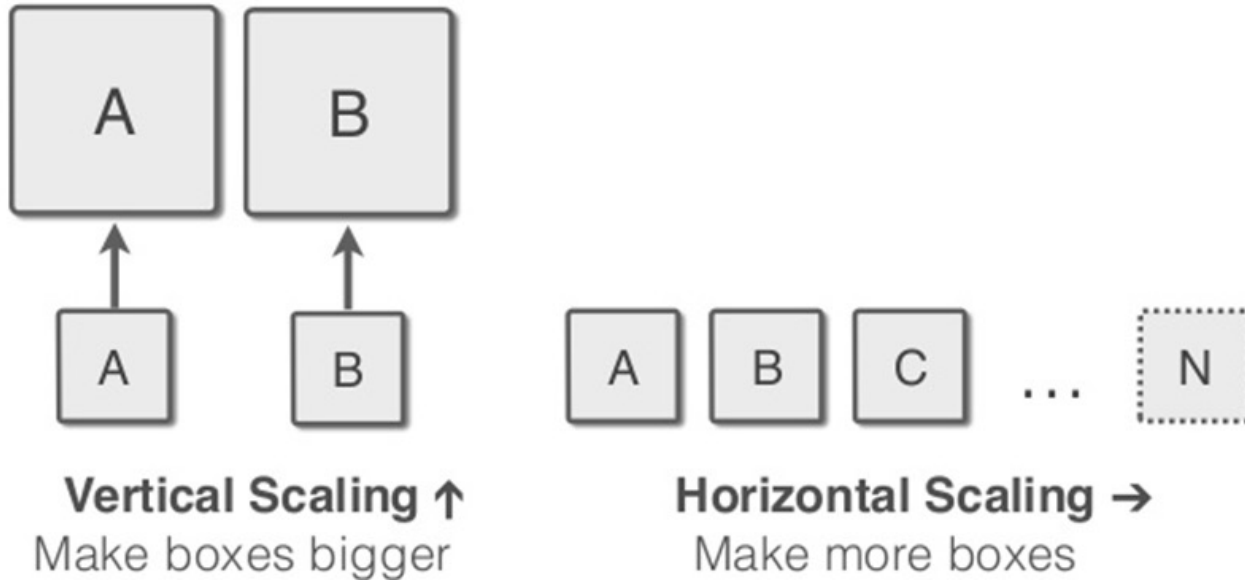


Vertical Scaling ↑
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Vertical Scaling	Horizontal Scaling
Higher Capital Investment	On Demand Investment
Utilization concerns	Utilization can be optimized
Relatively Quicker and works with the current design	Relatively more time consuming and needs redesigning
Limiting Scale	Internet Scale

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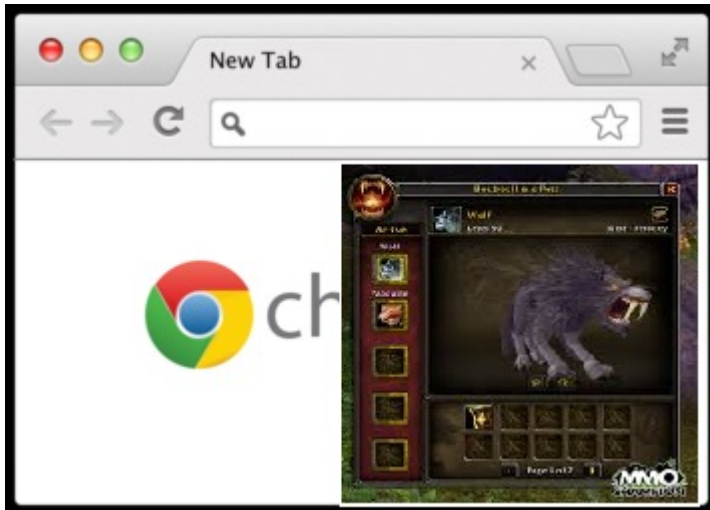
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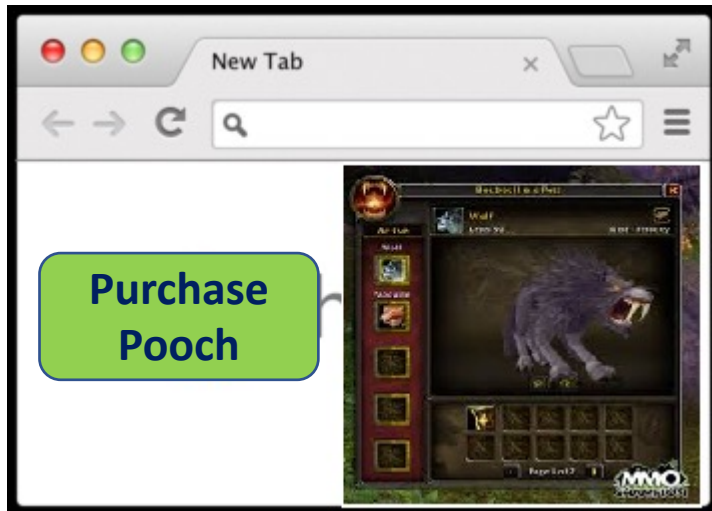
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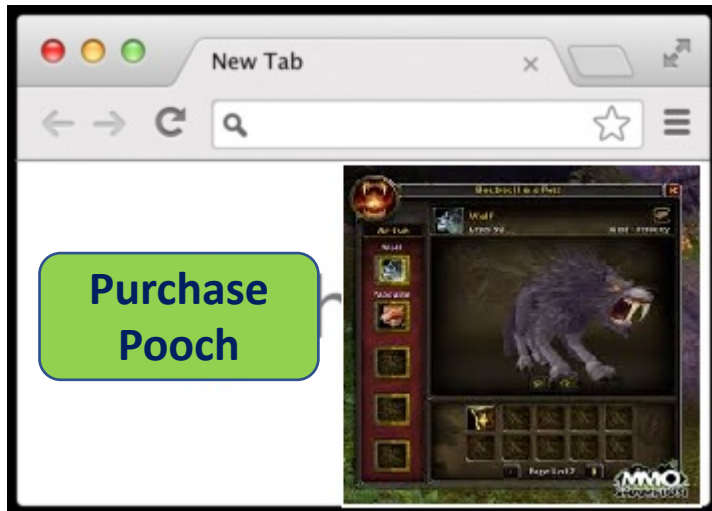
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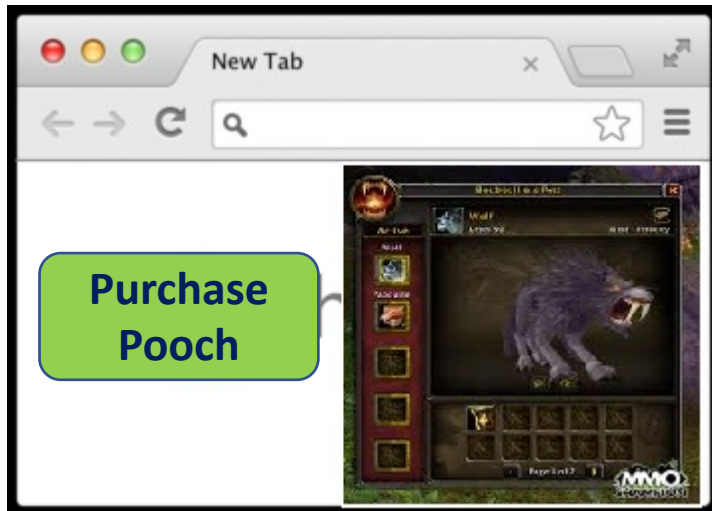
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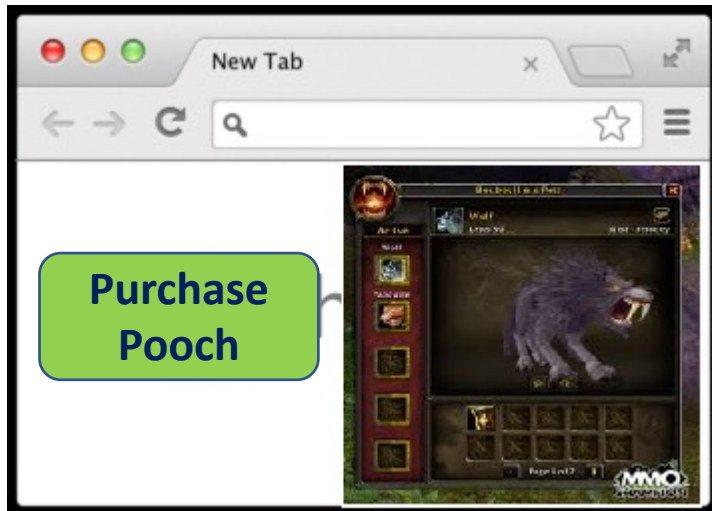
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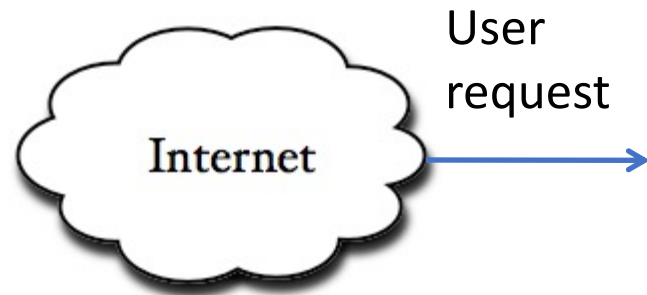


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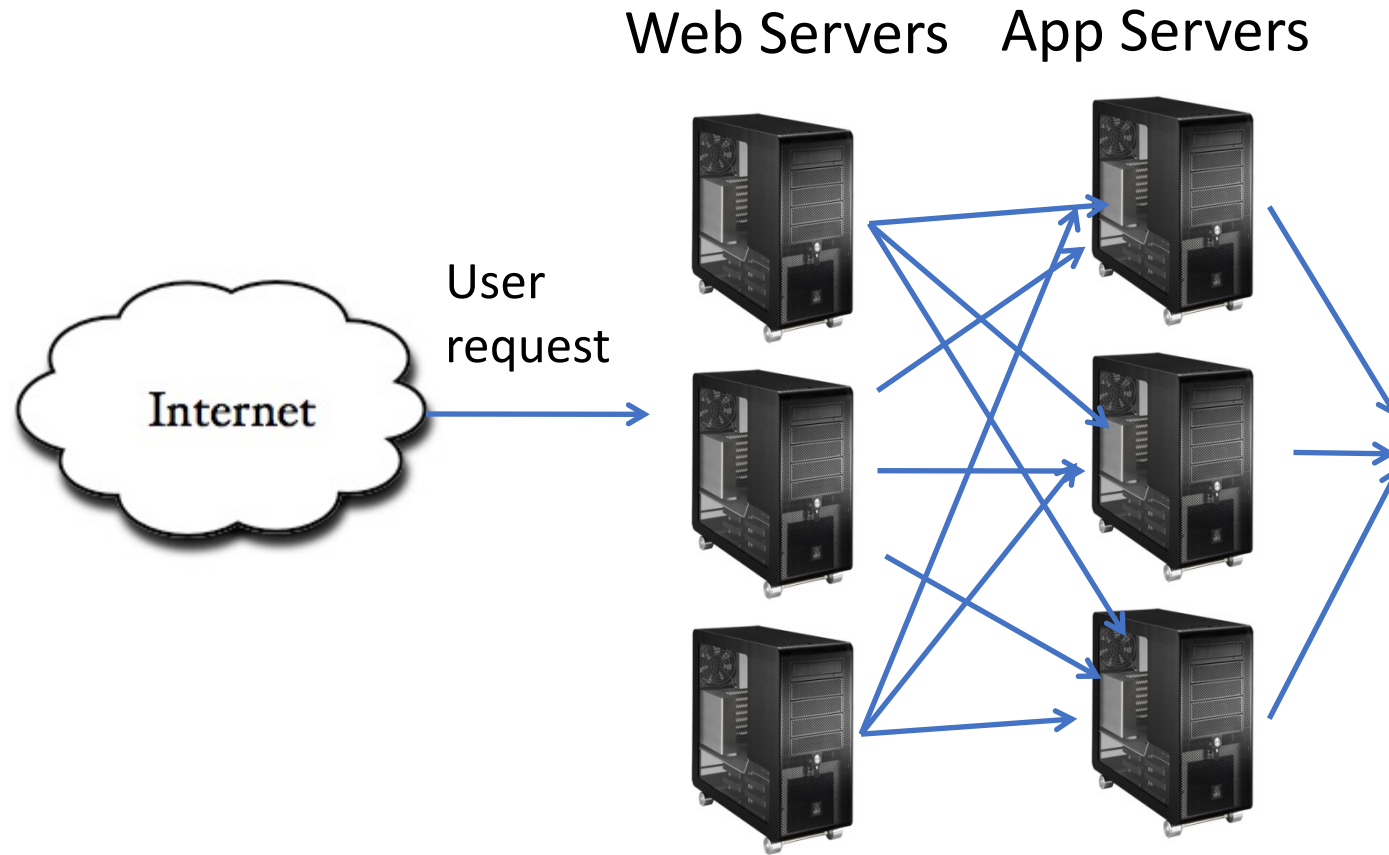
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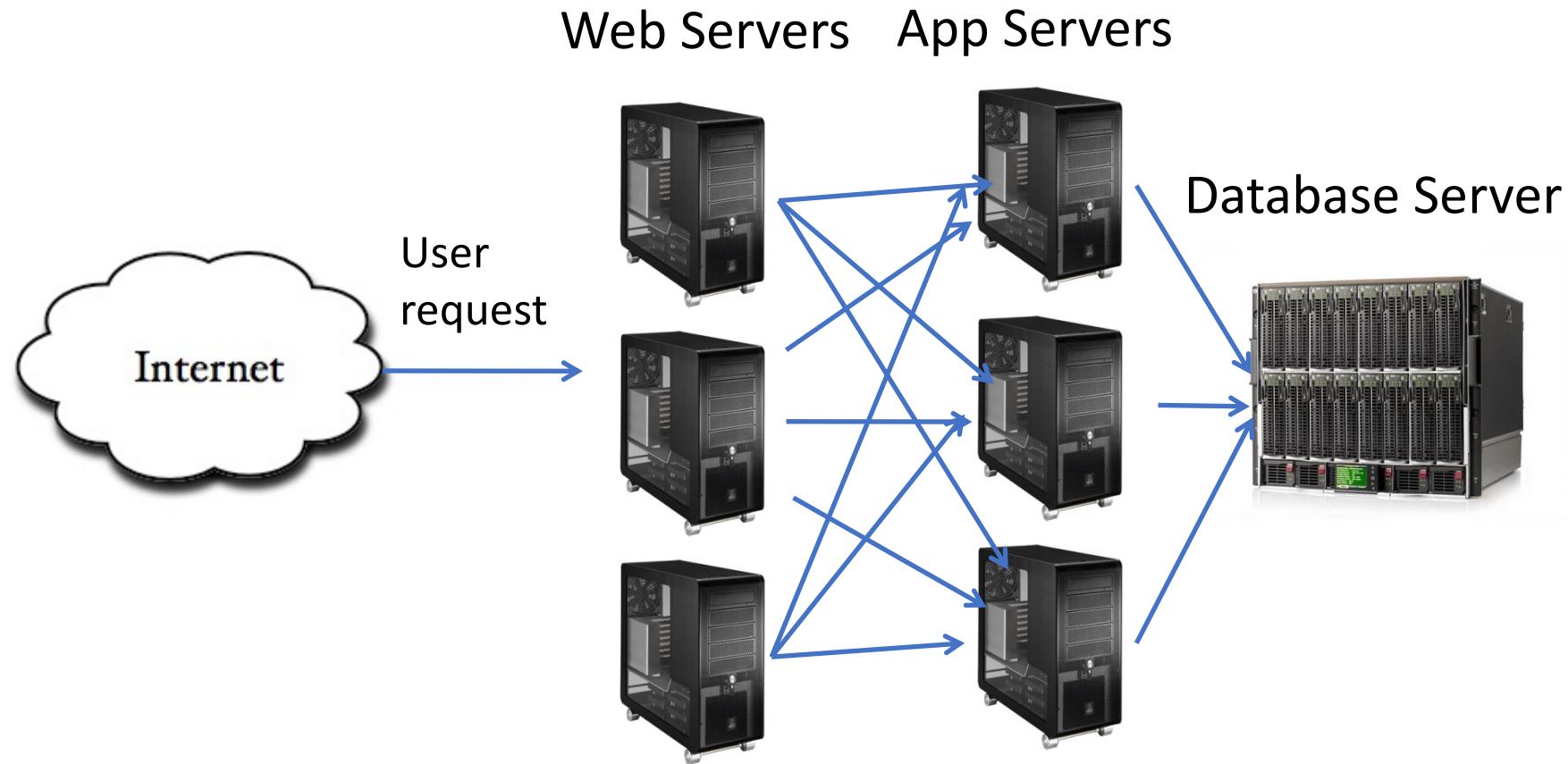


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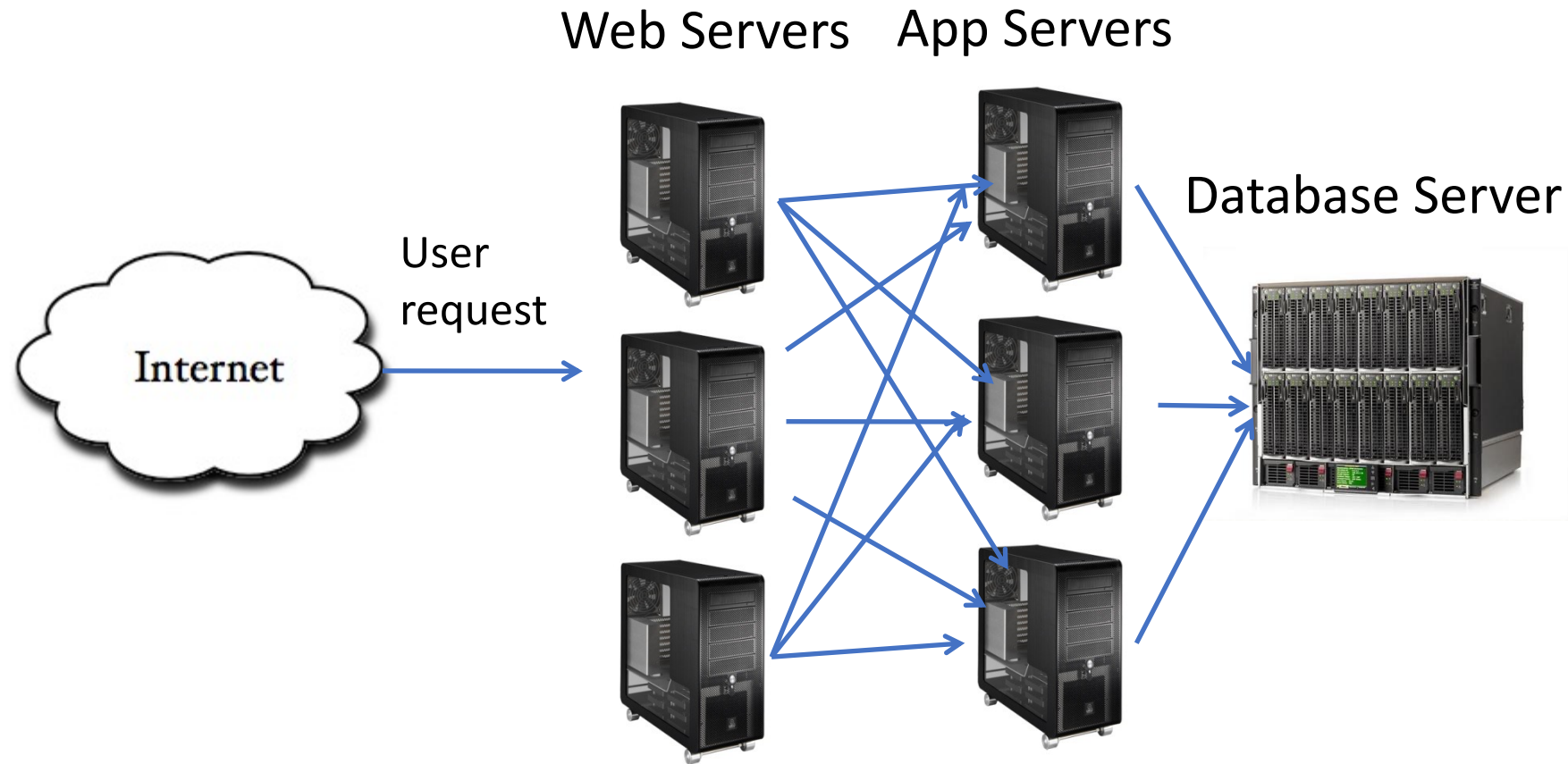


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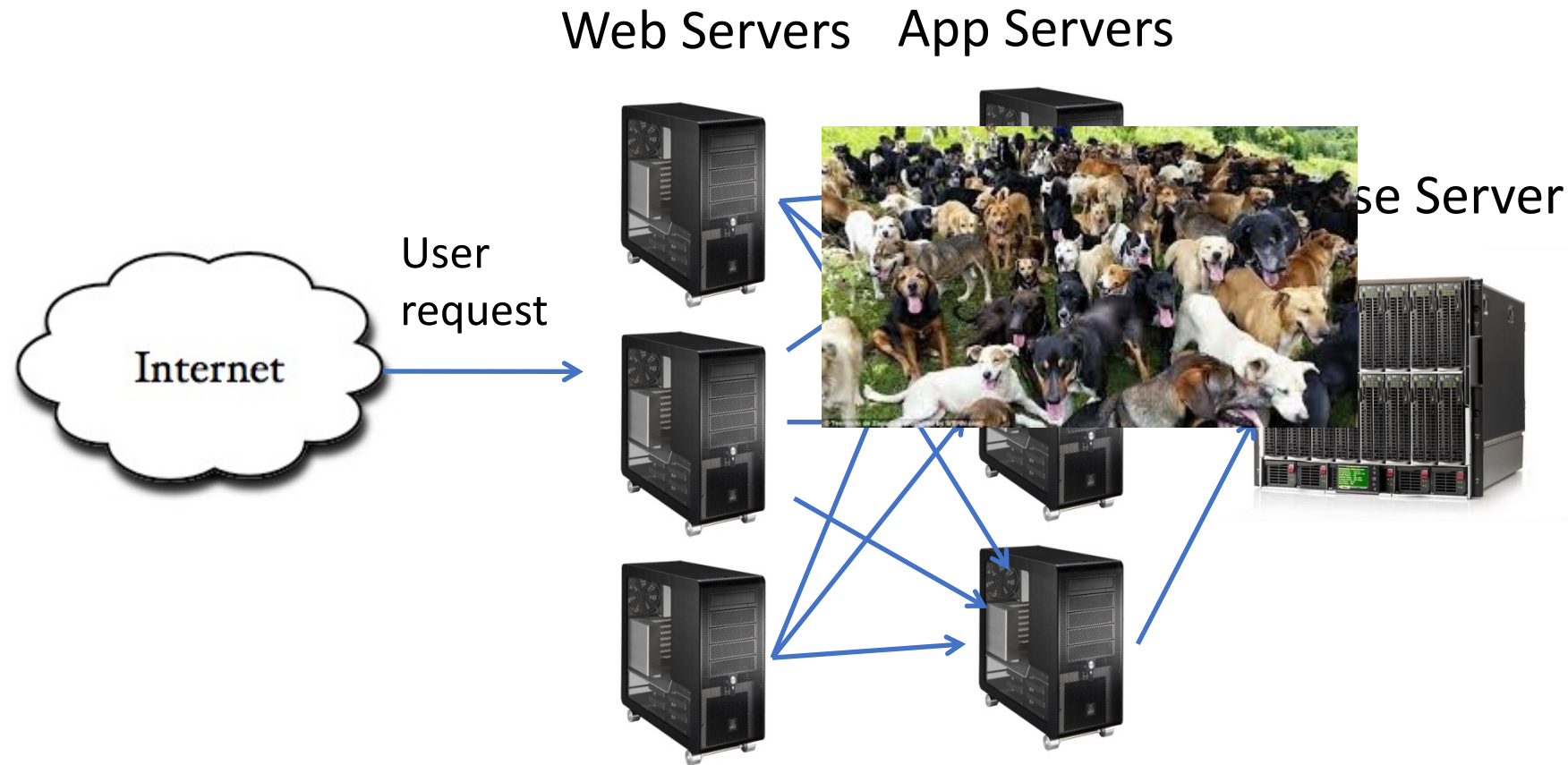
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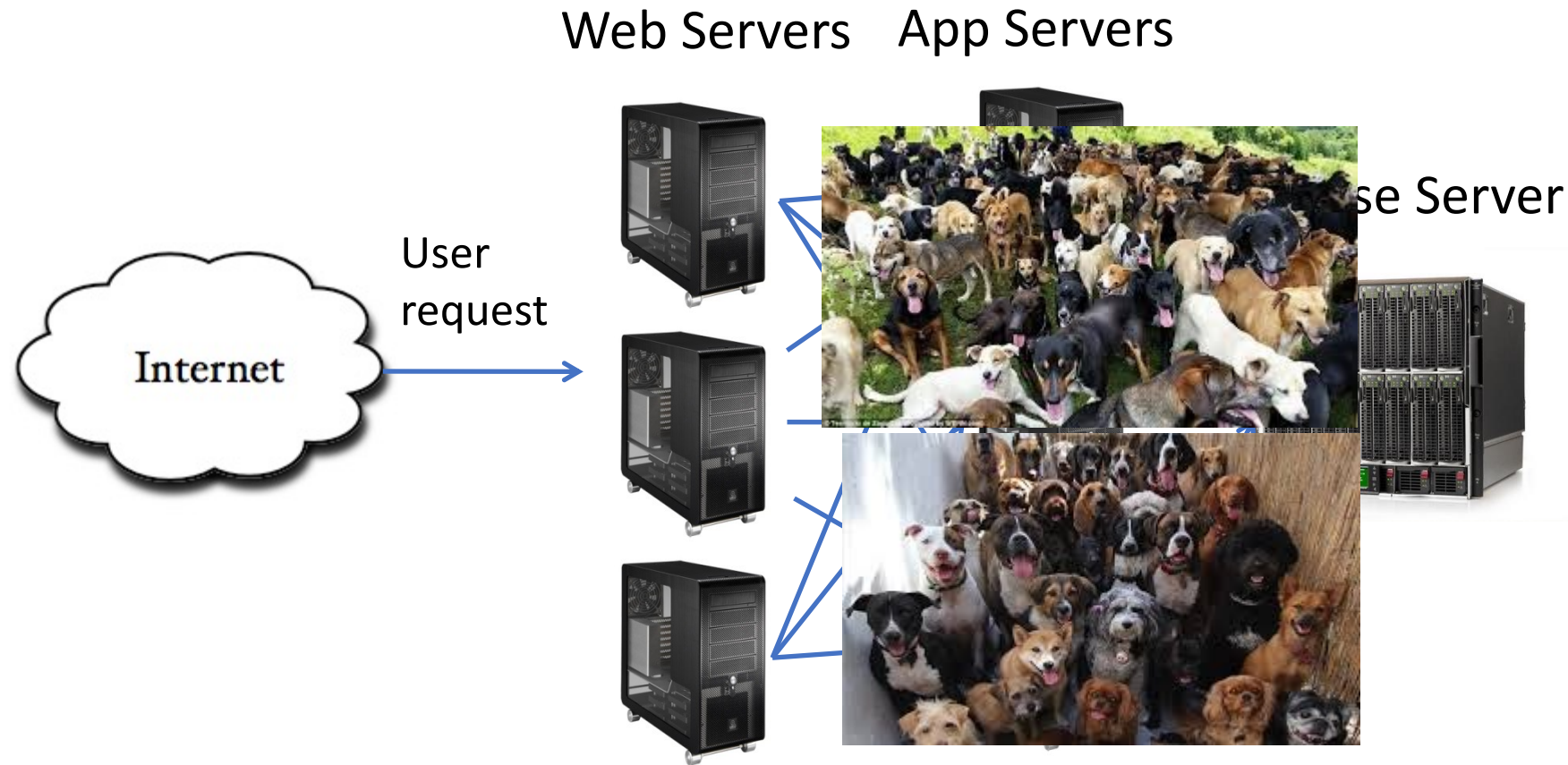
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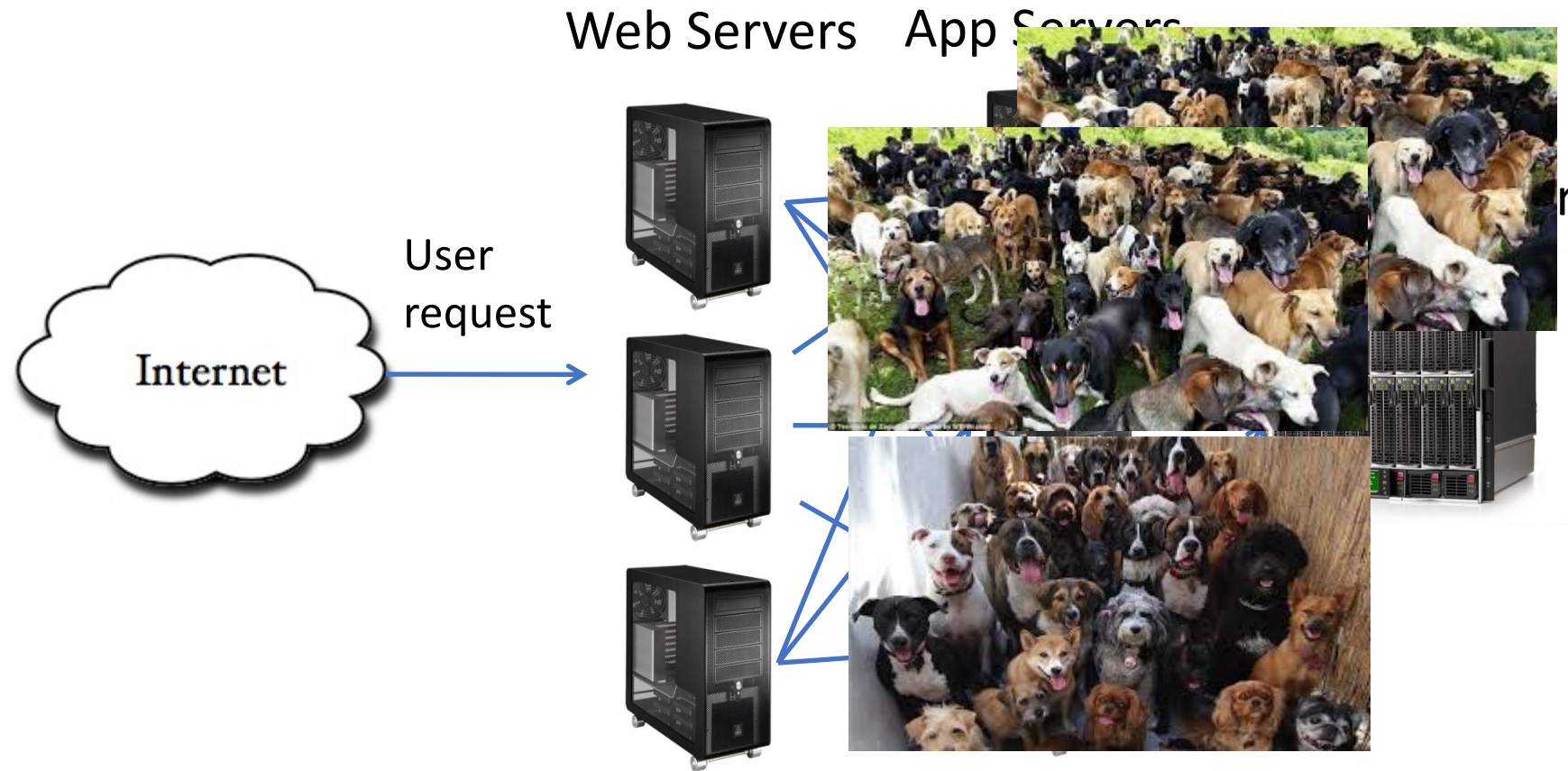
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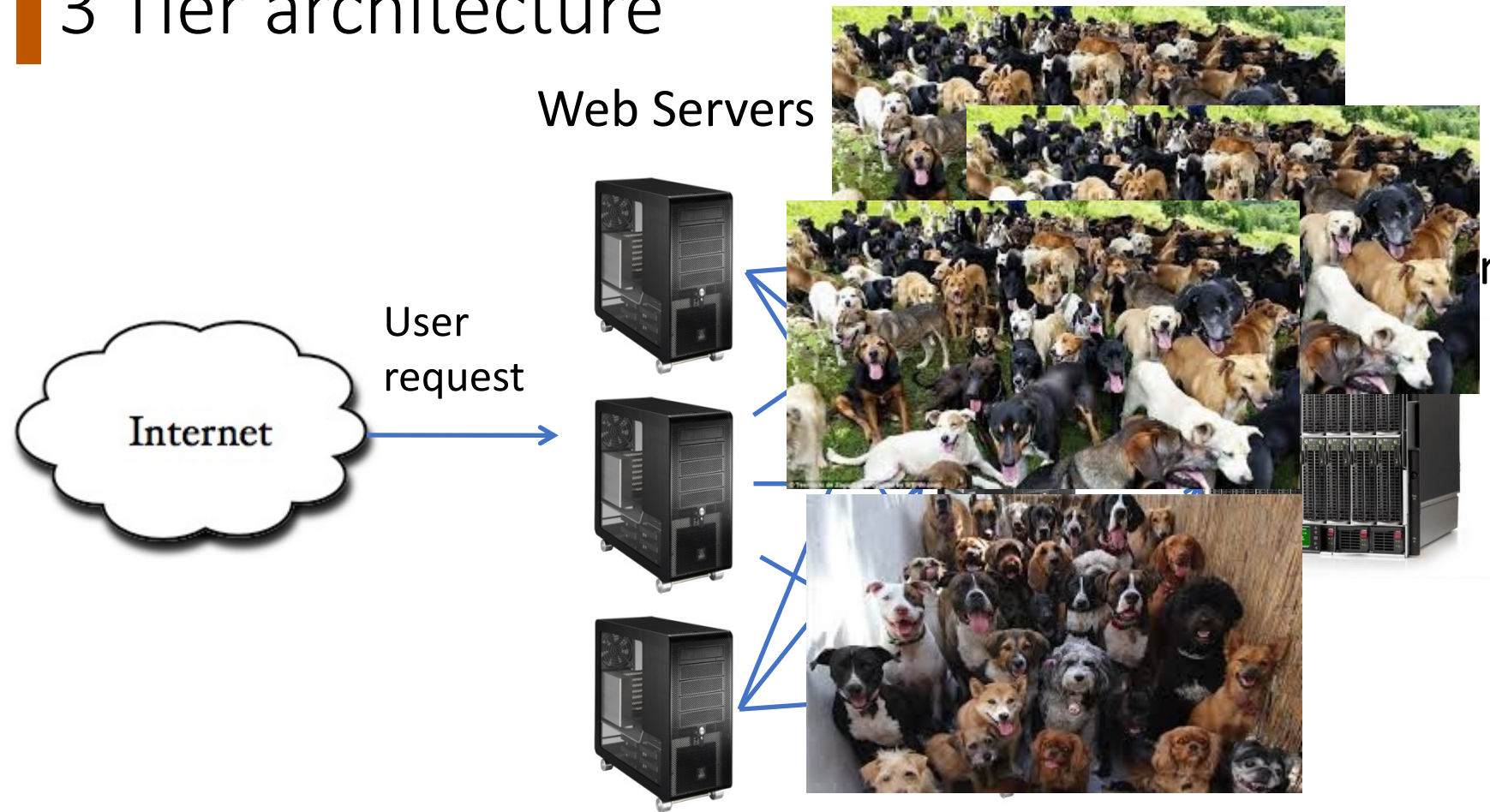
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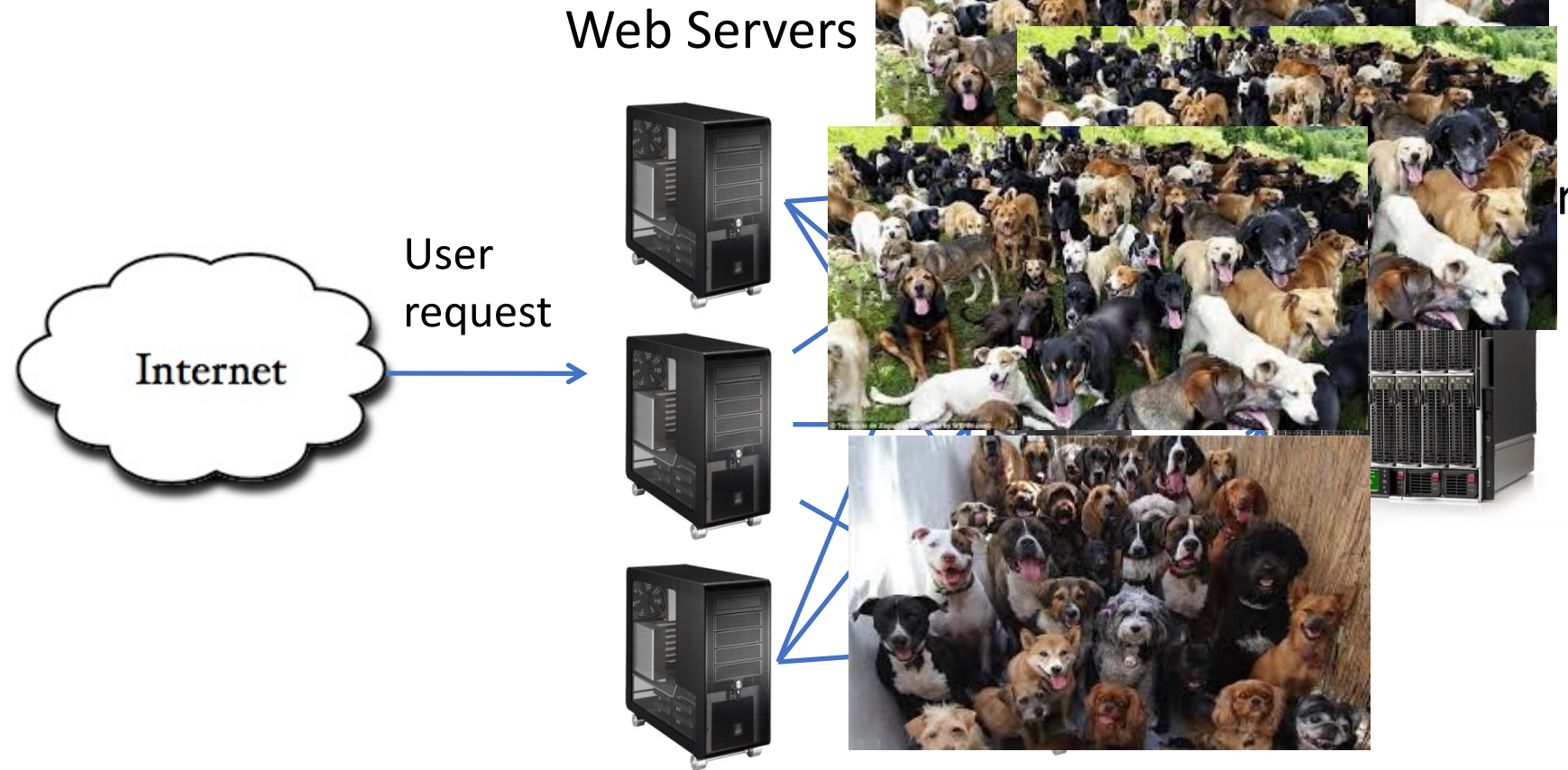
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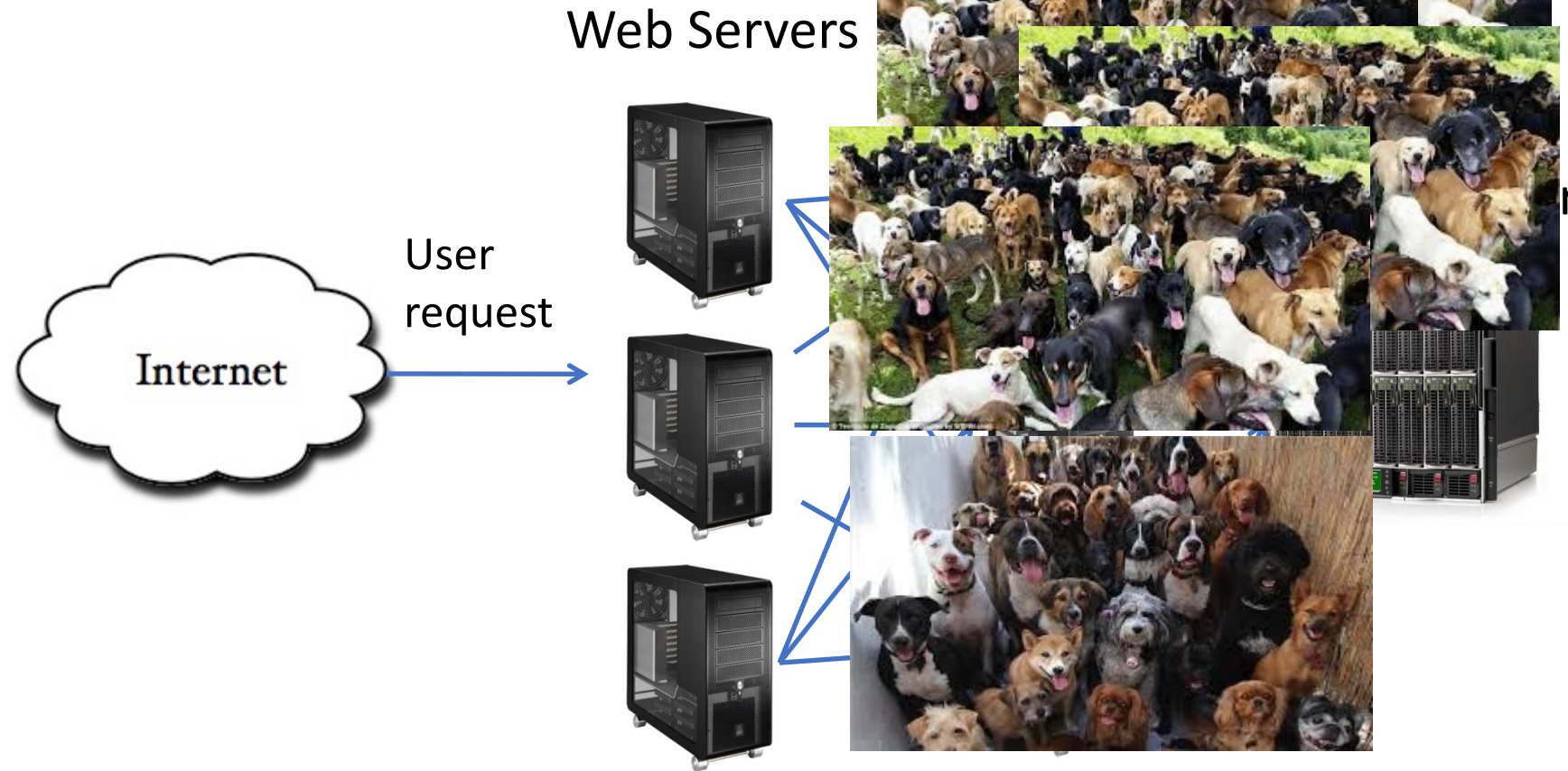
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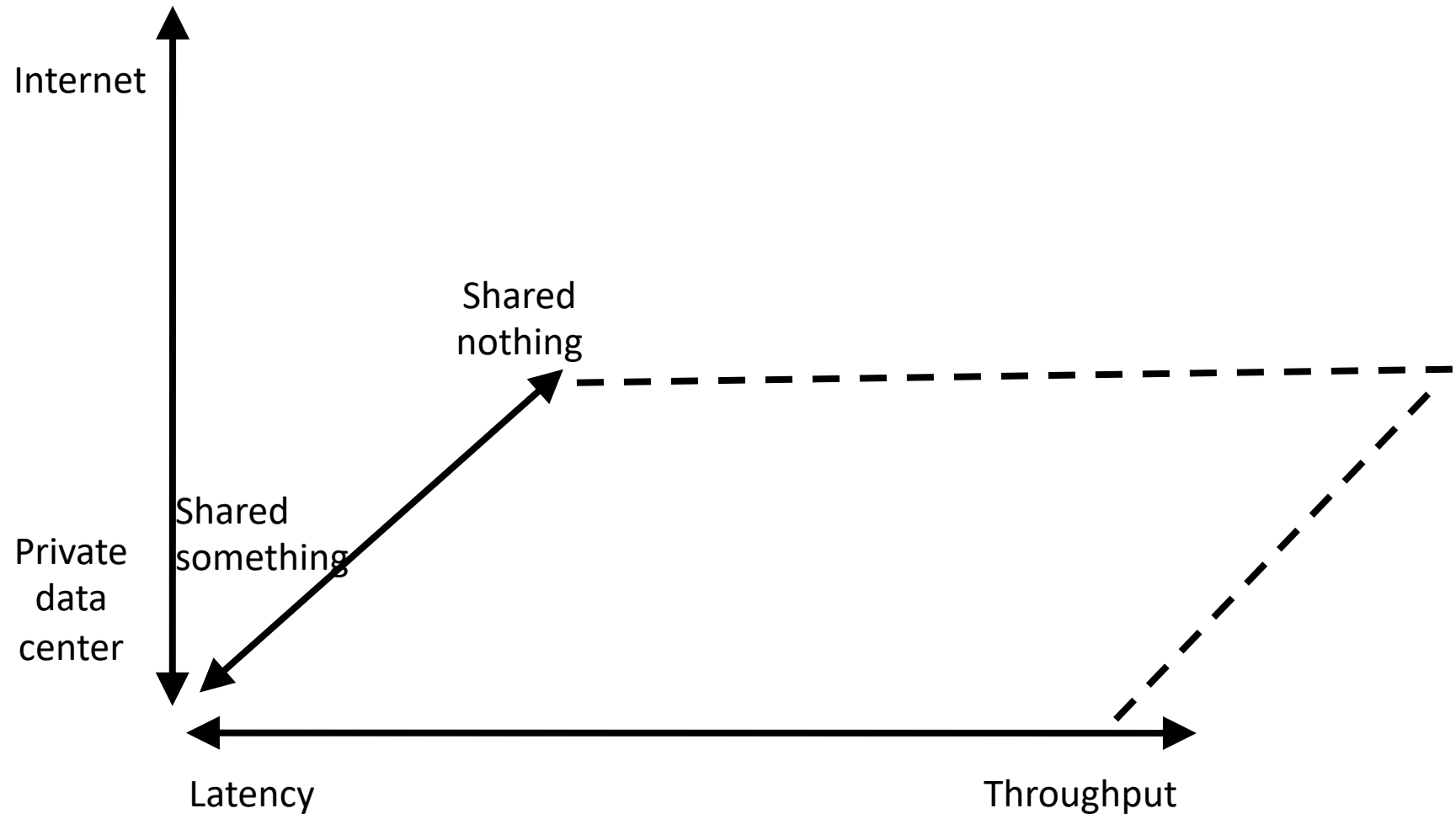
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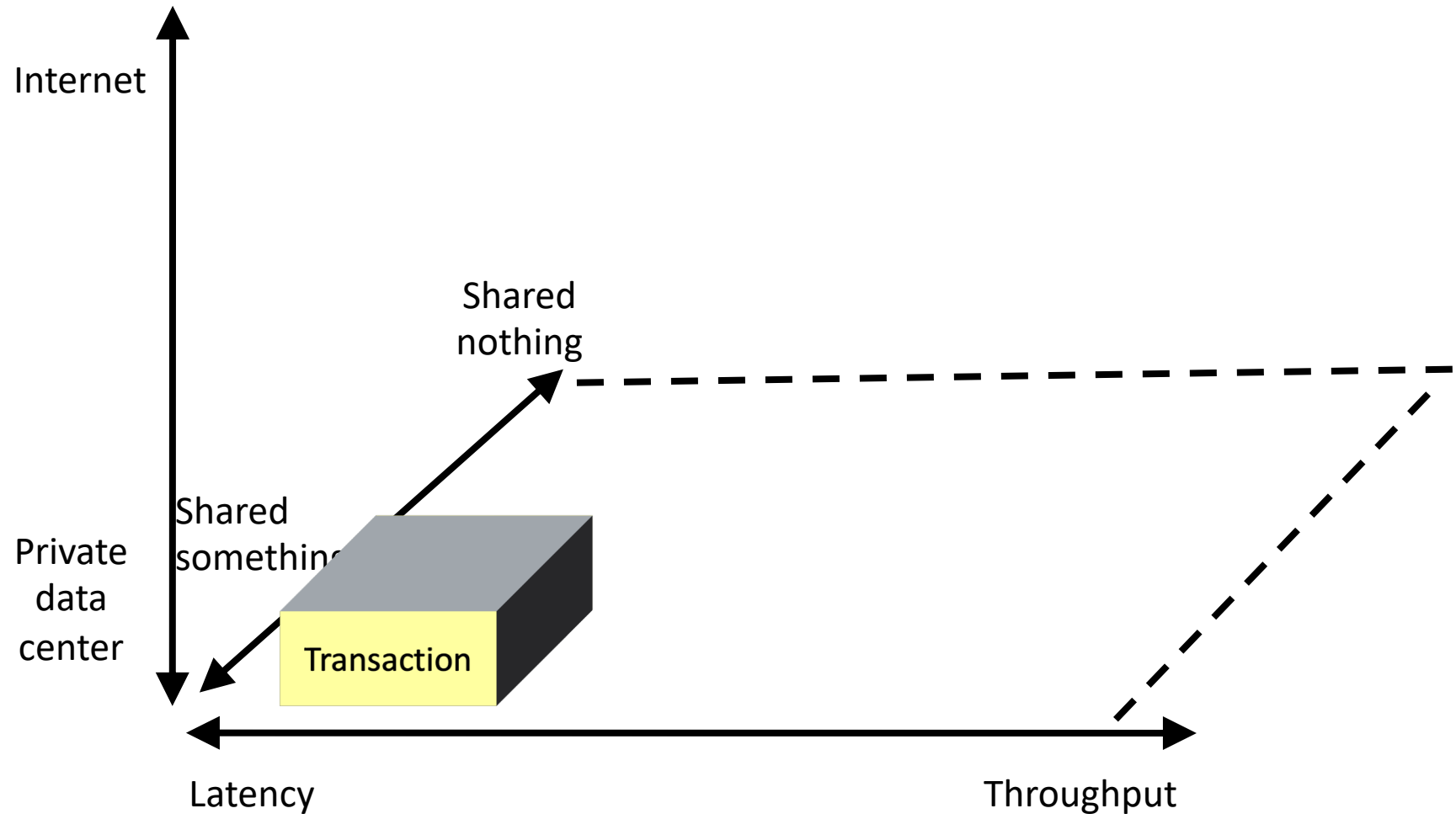
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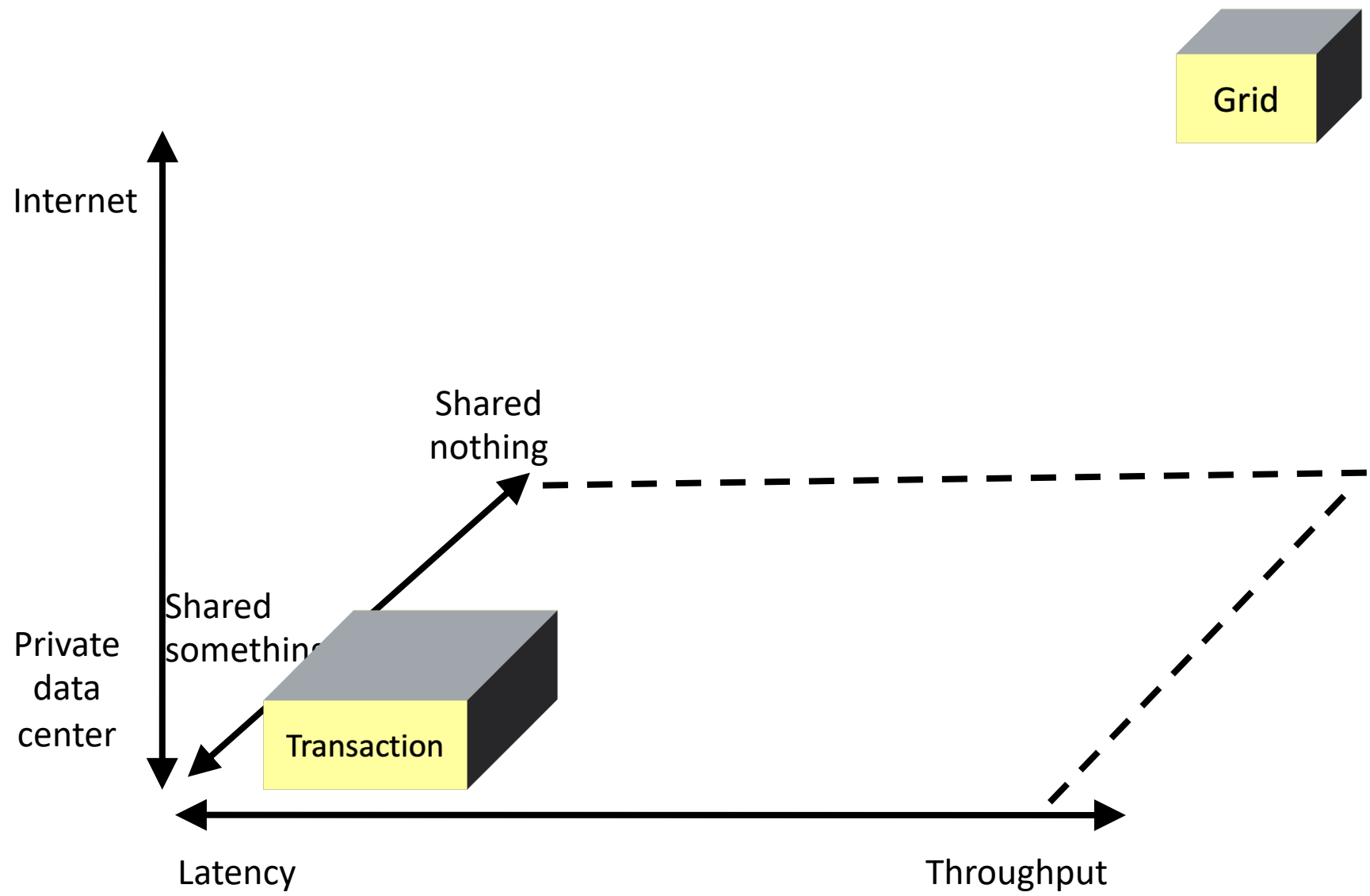
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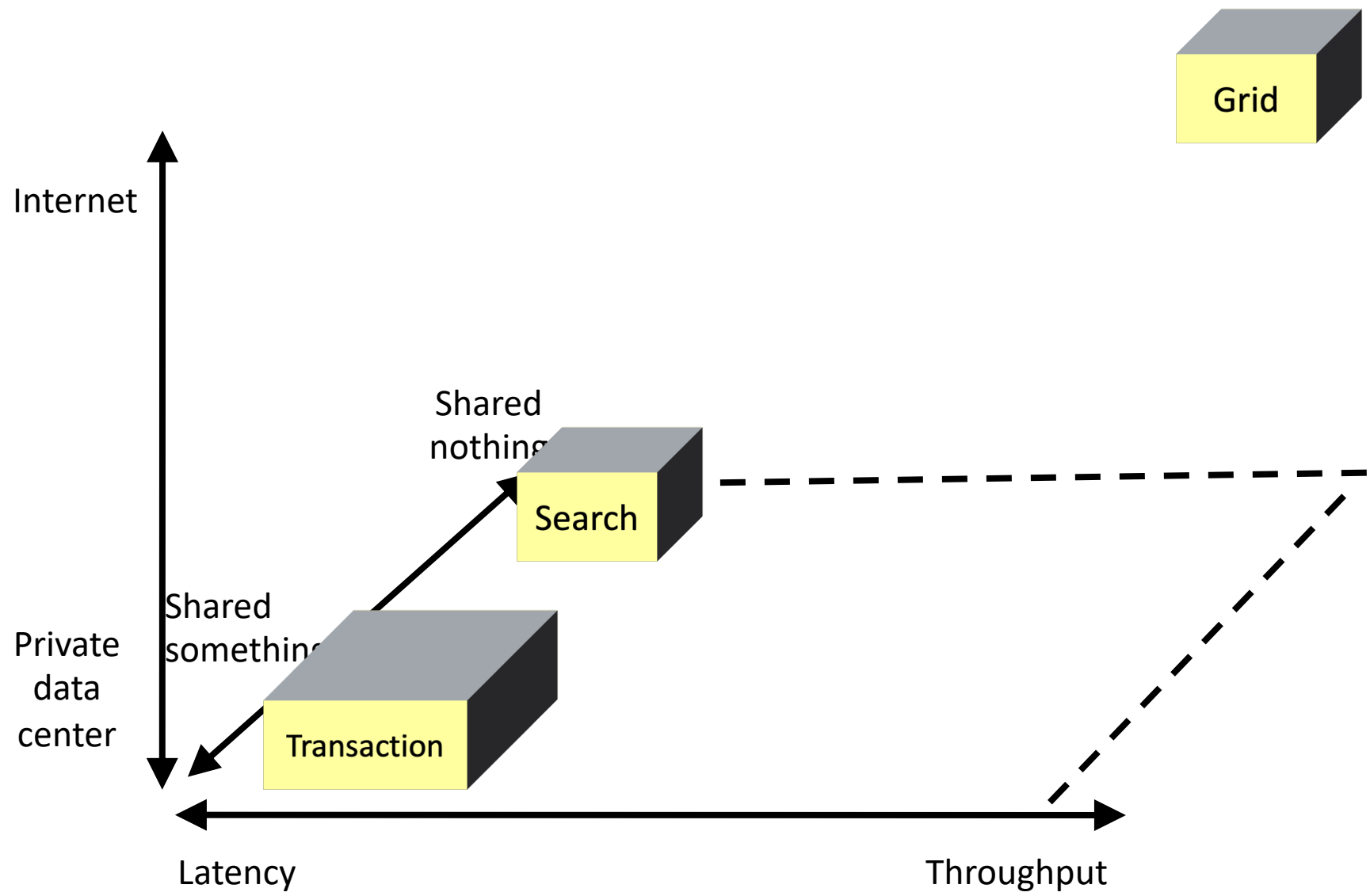
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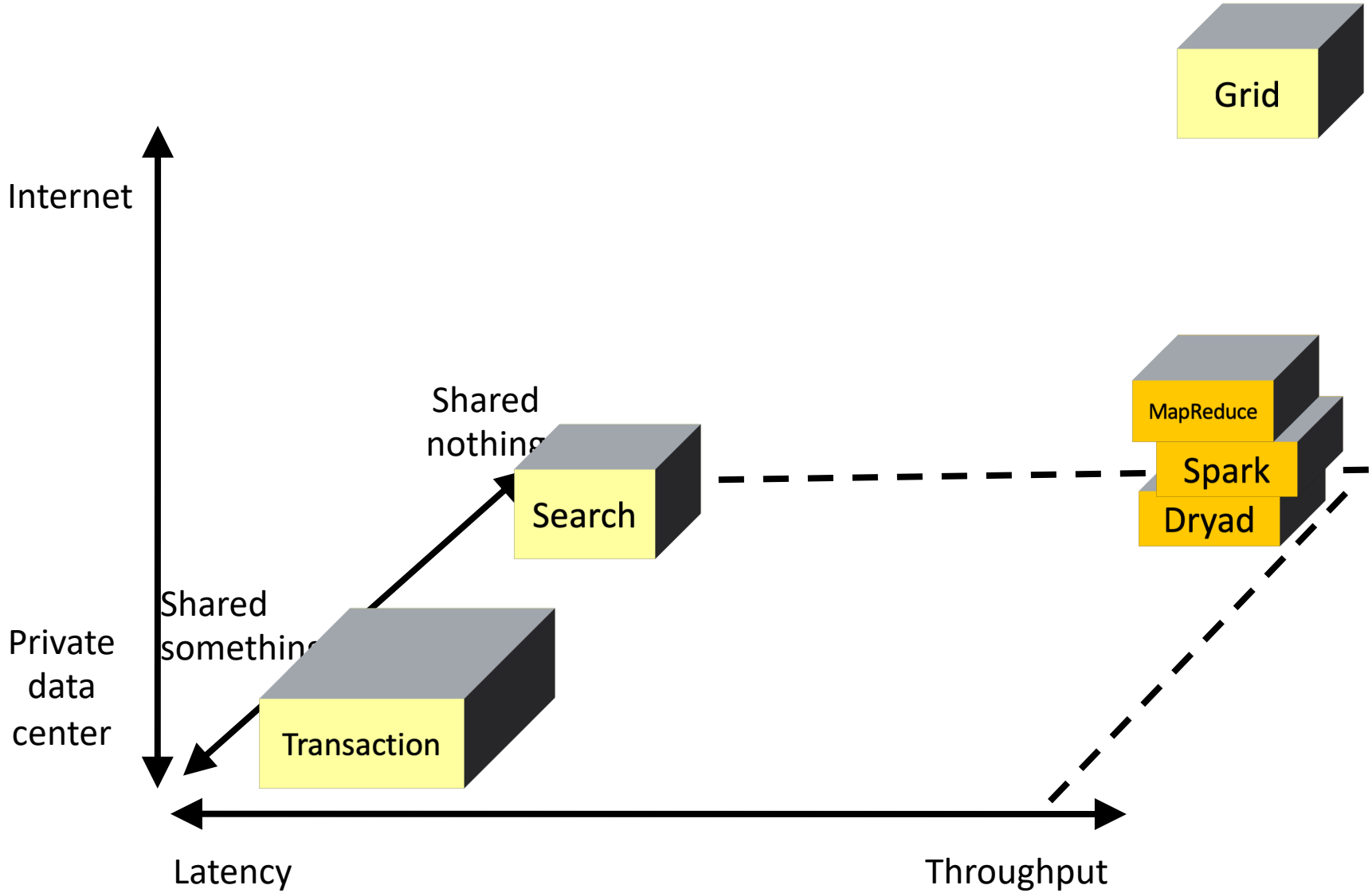
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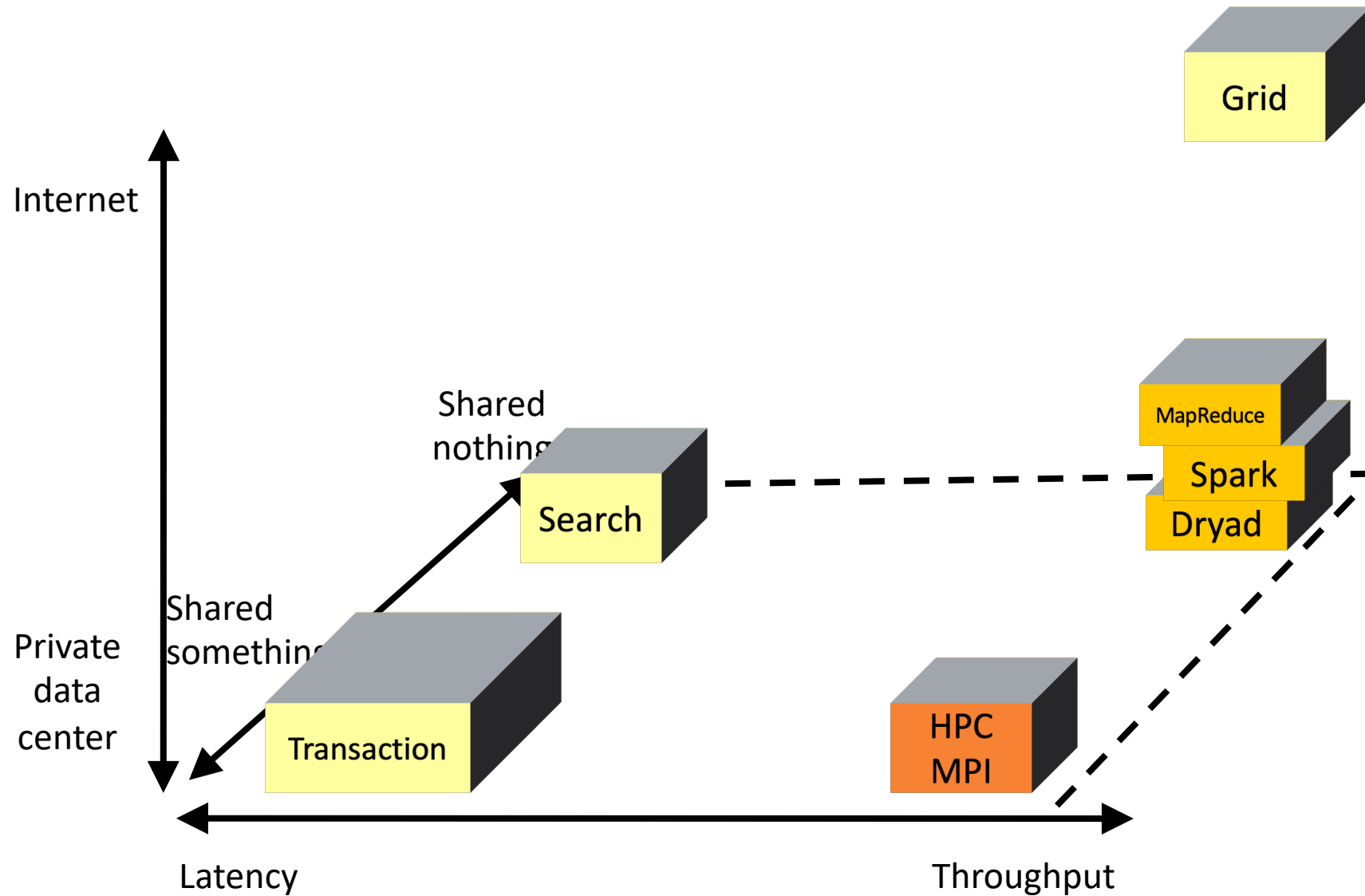
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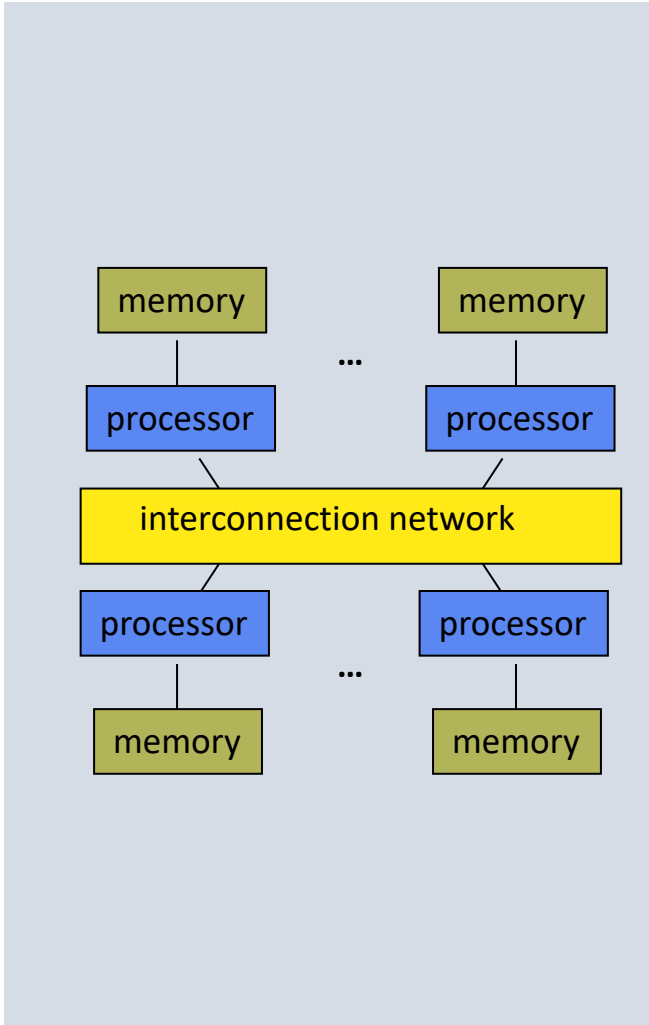
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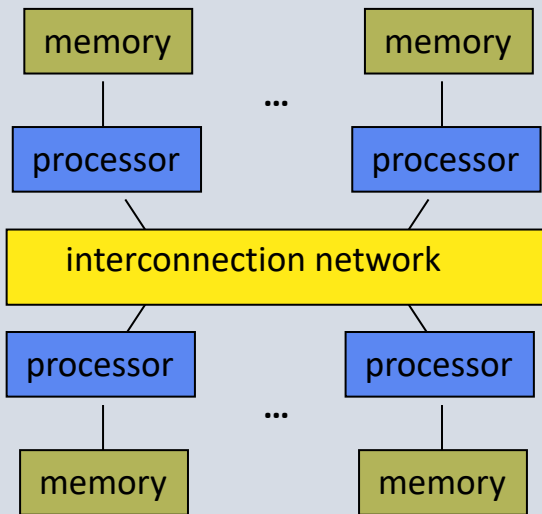
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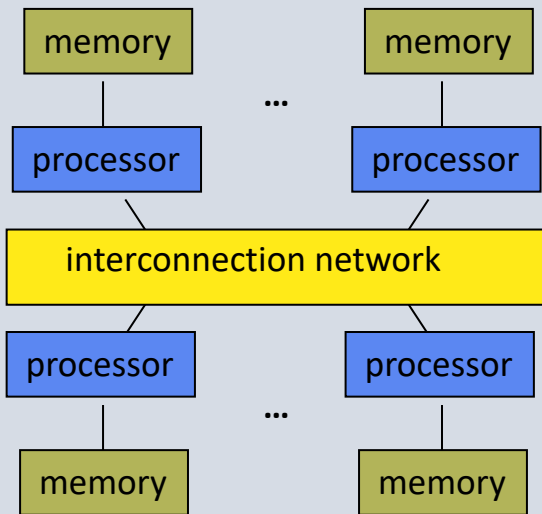
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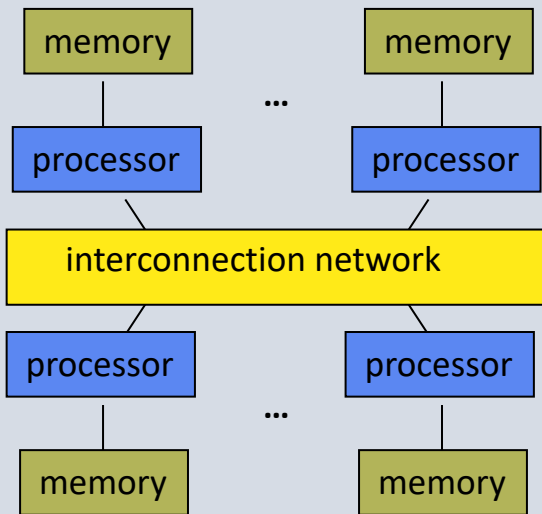
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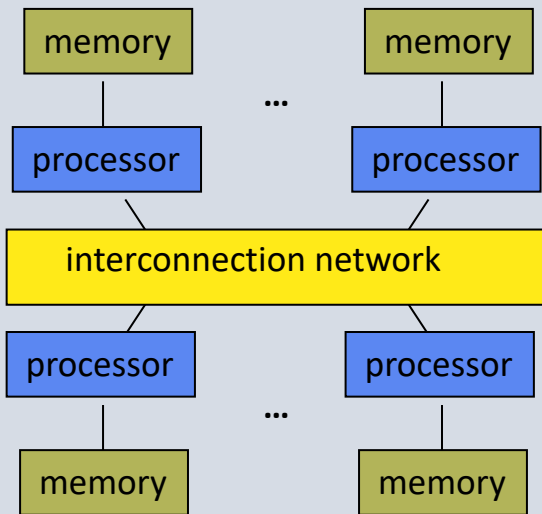
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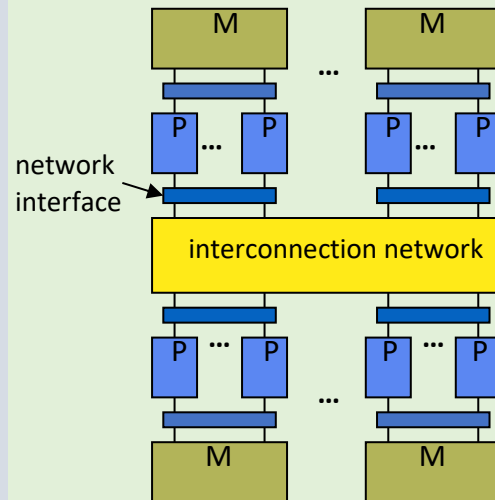


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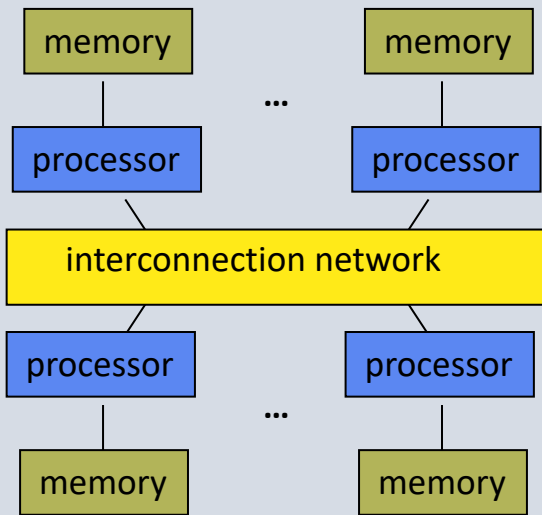


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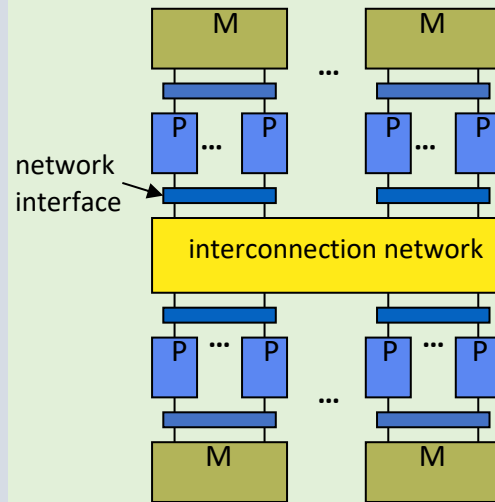


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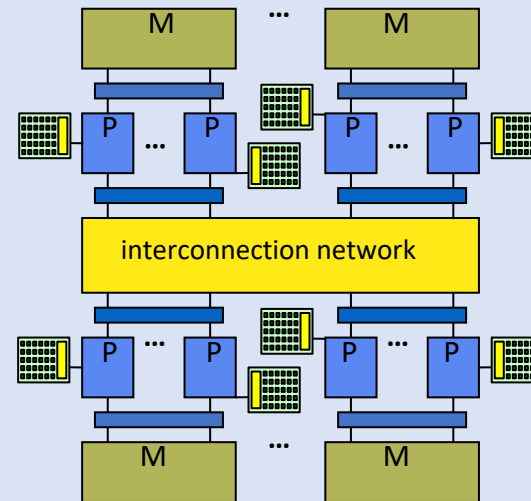
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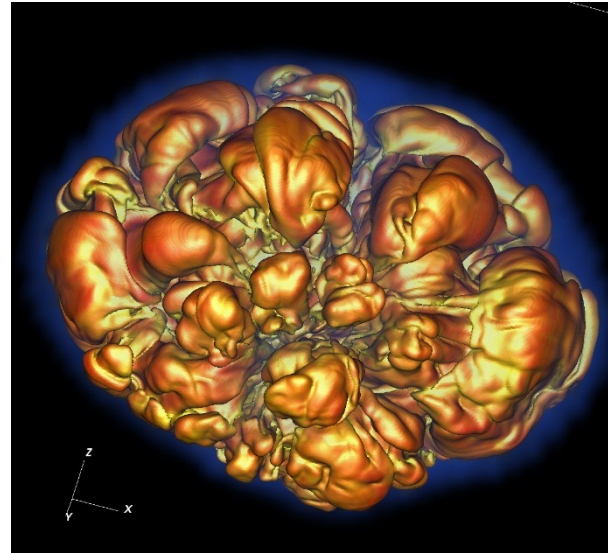
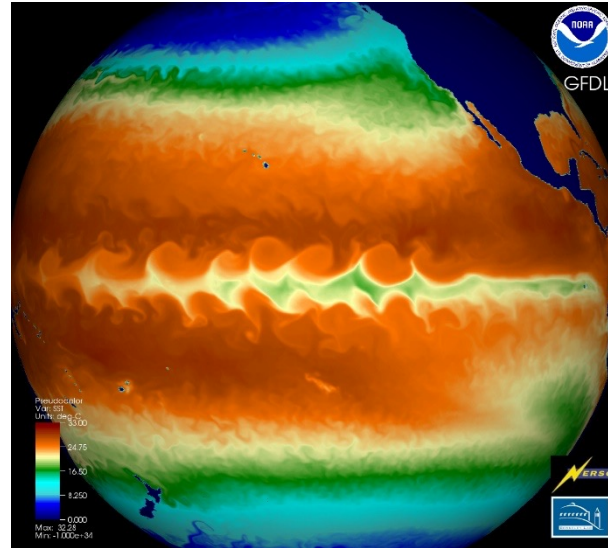
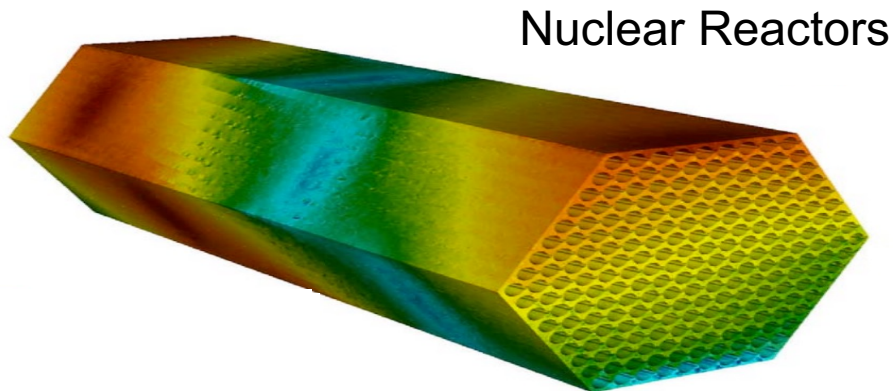
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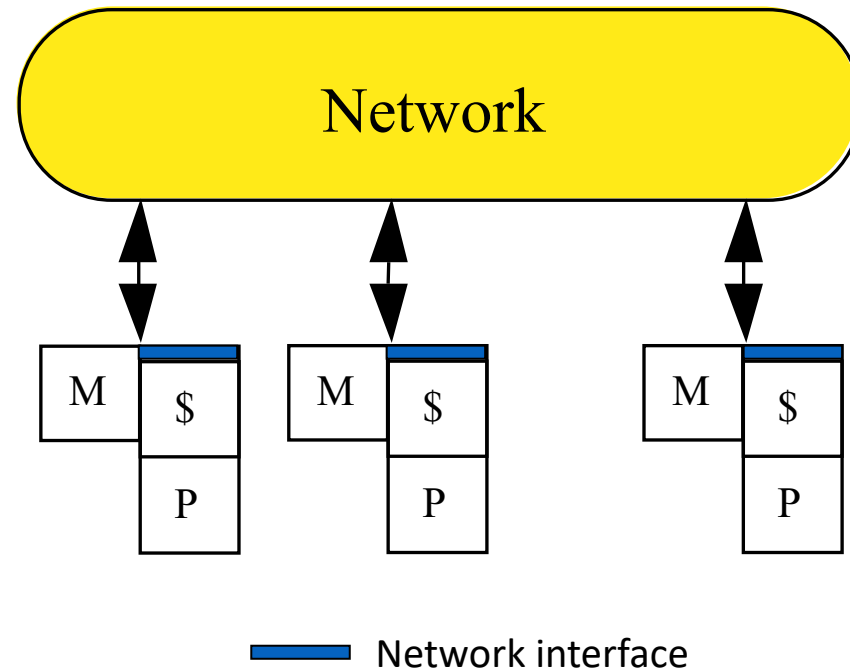
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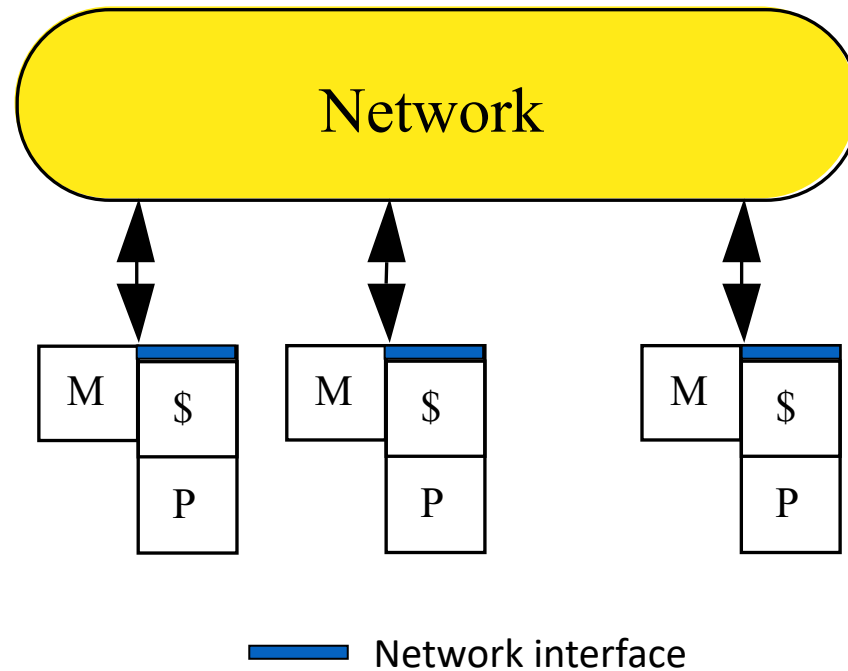


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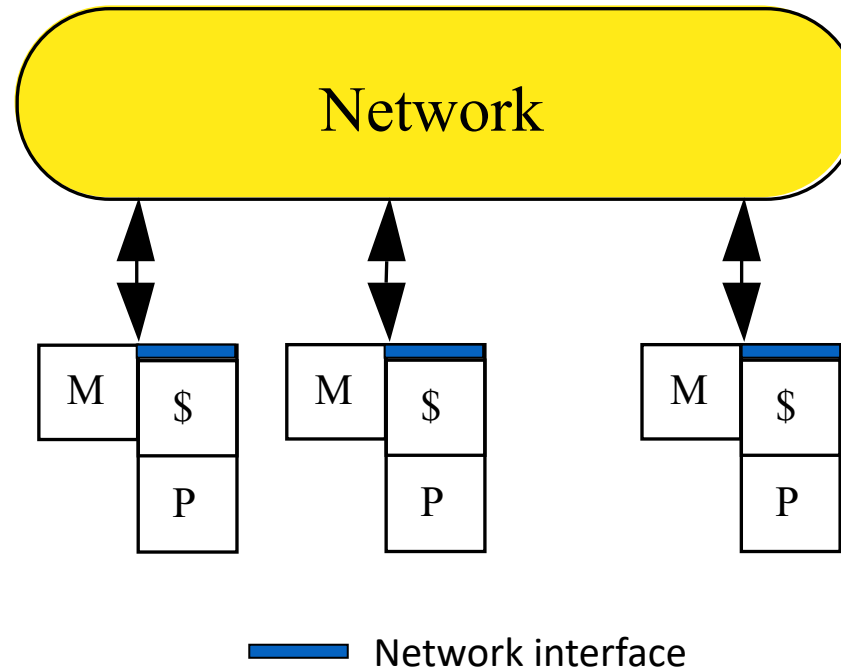
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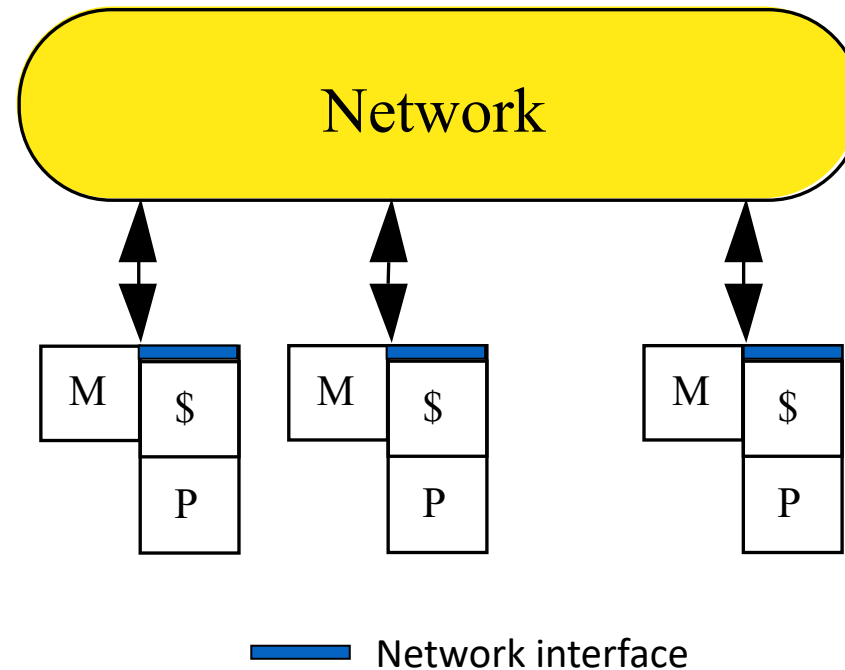
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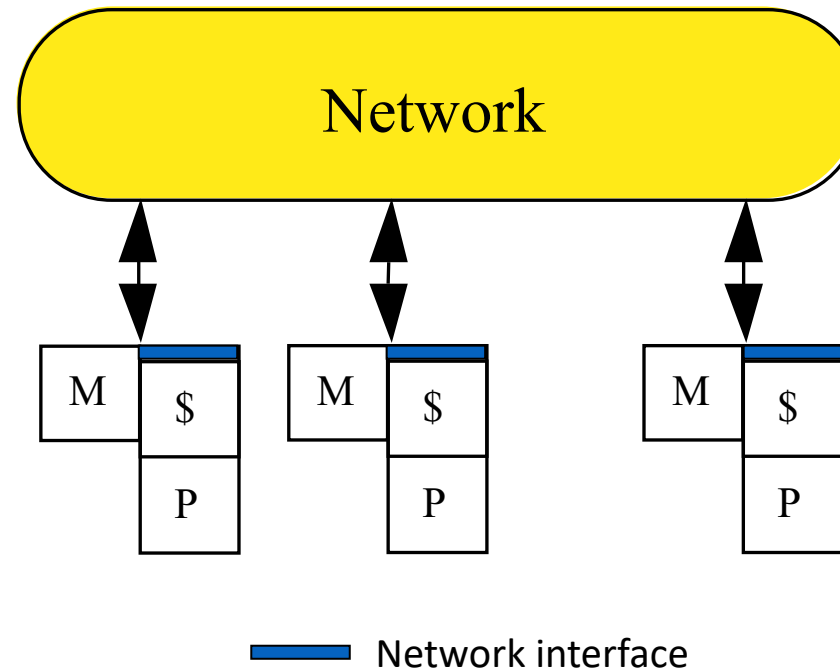
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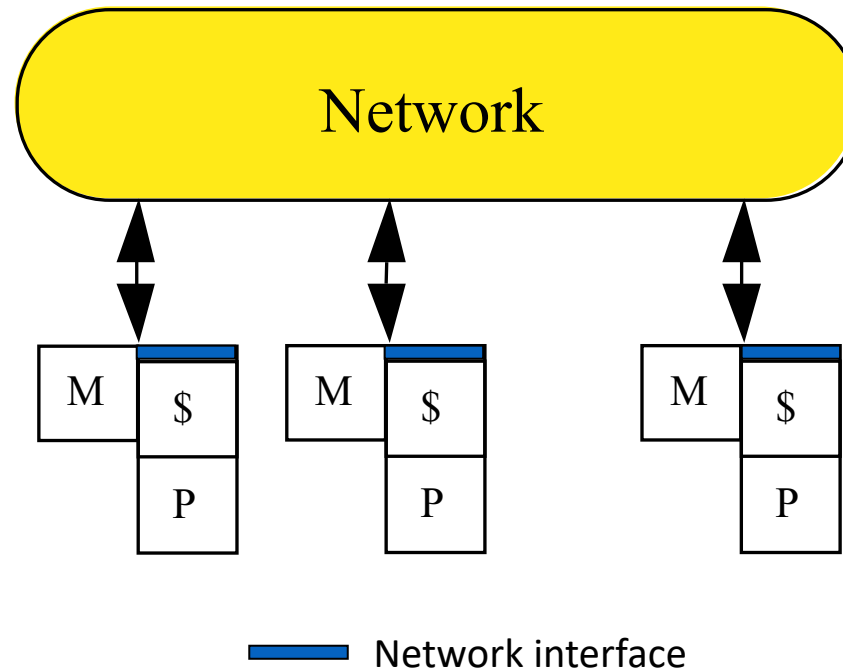
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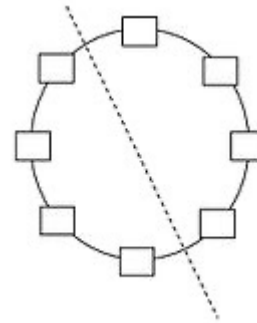
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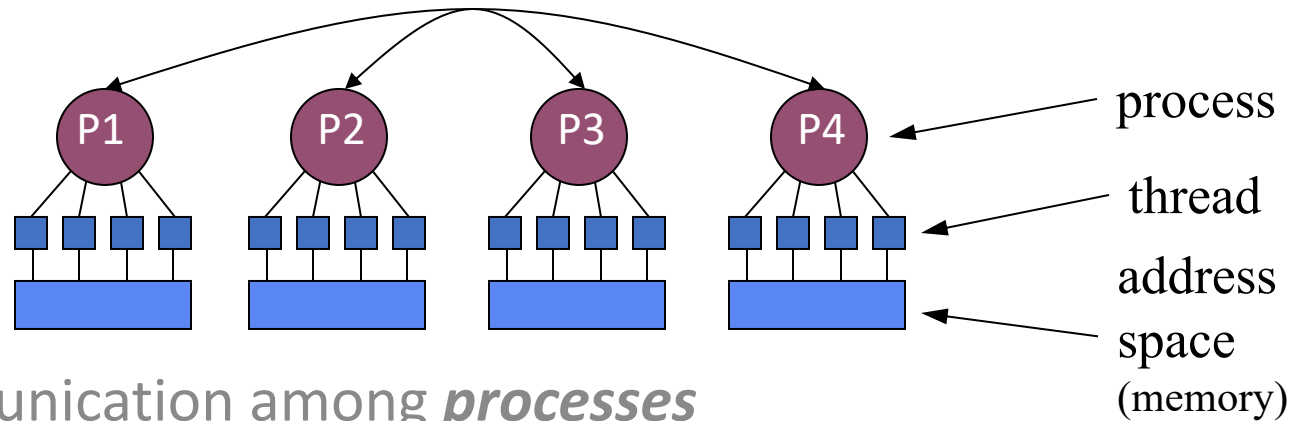
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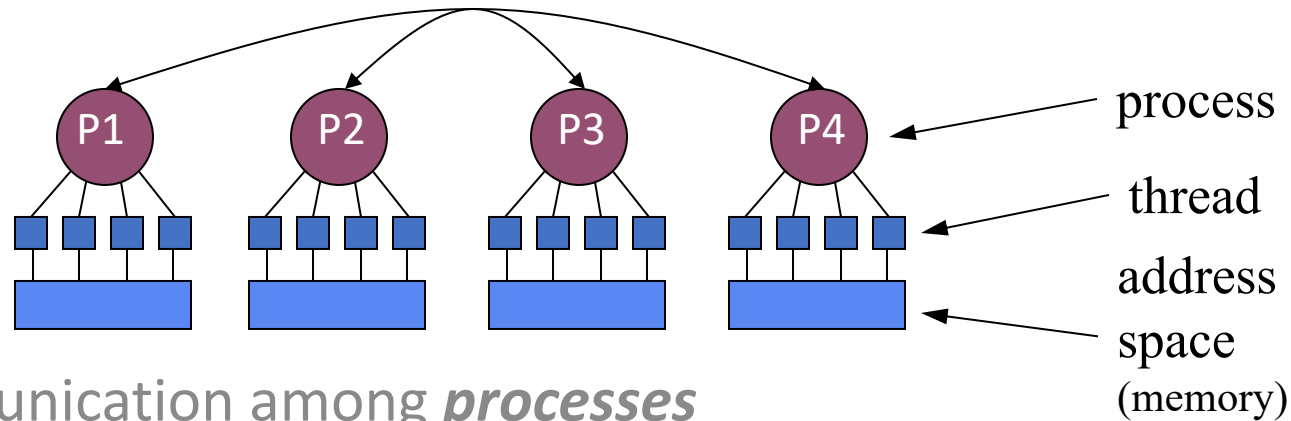
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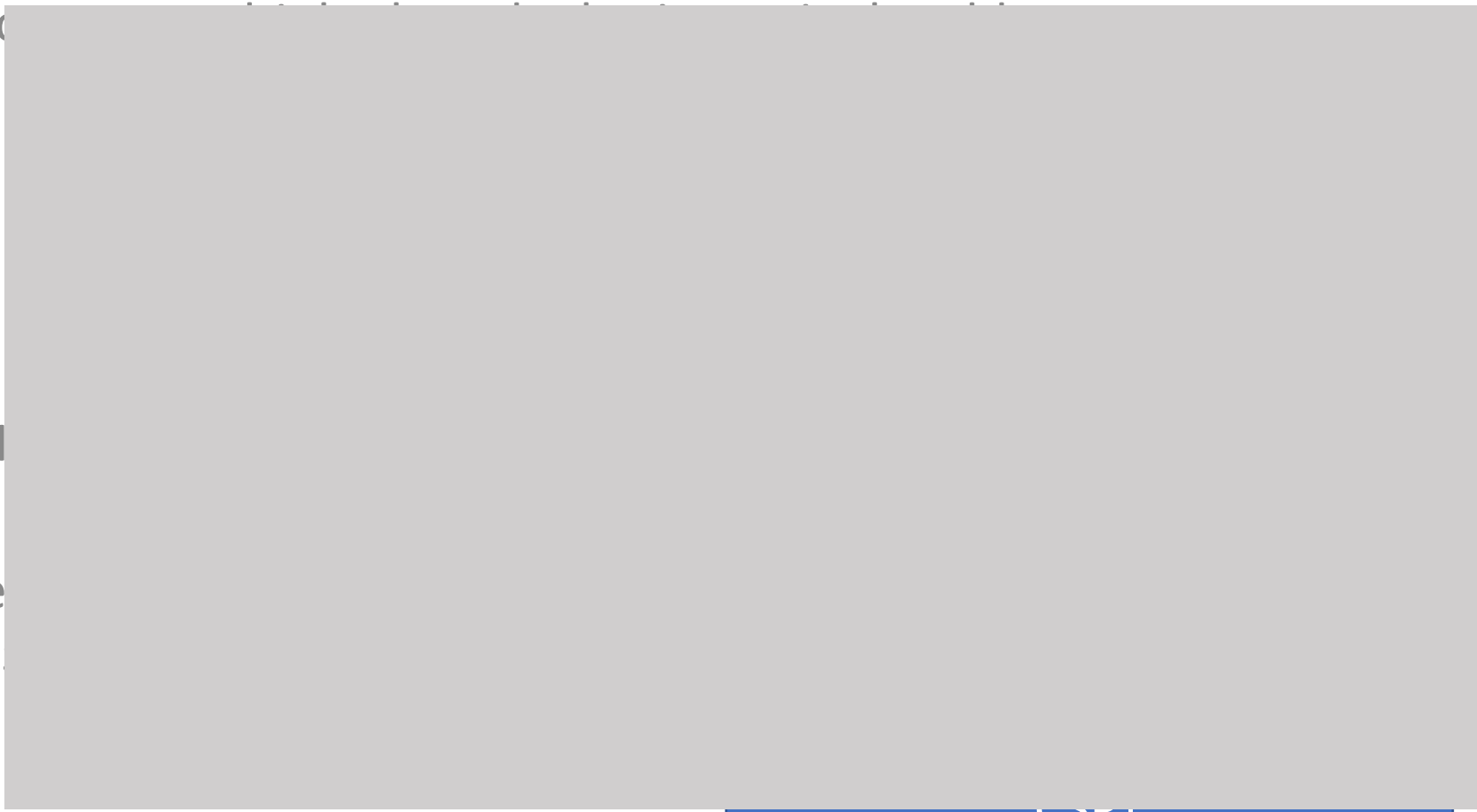
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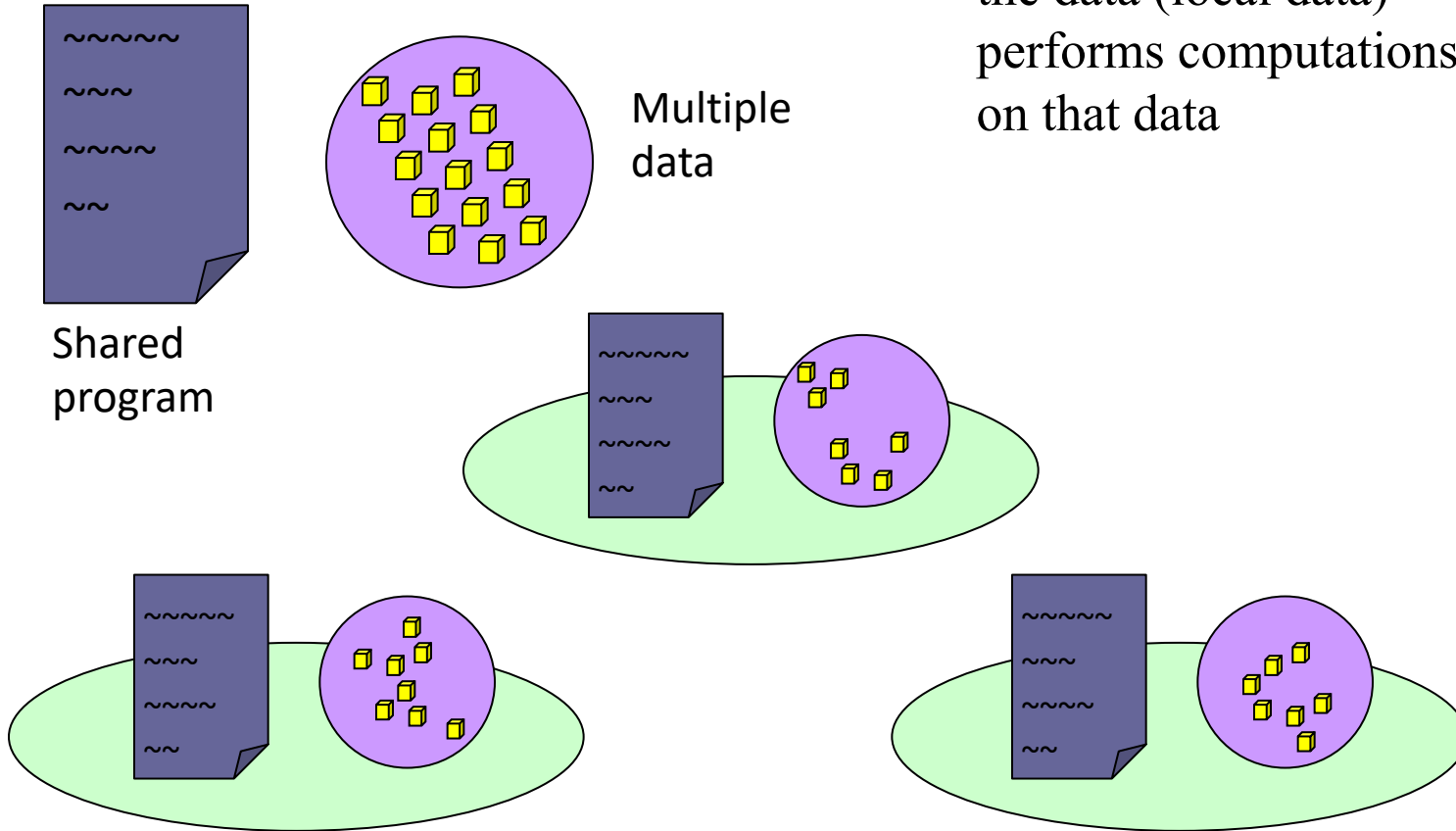
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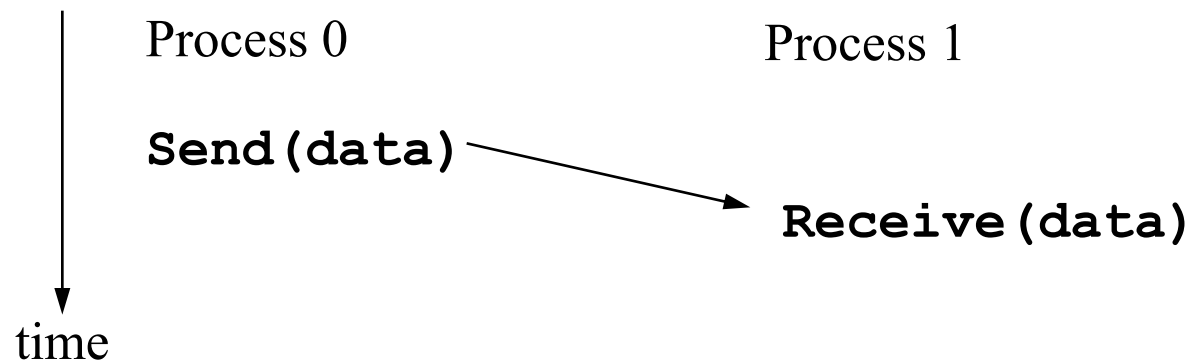


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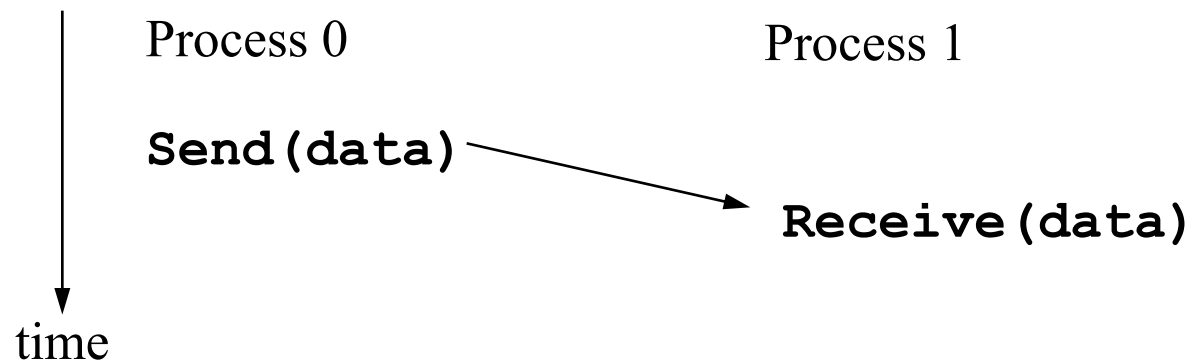
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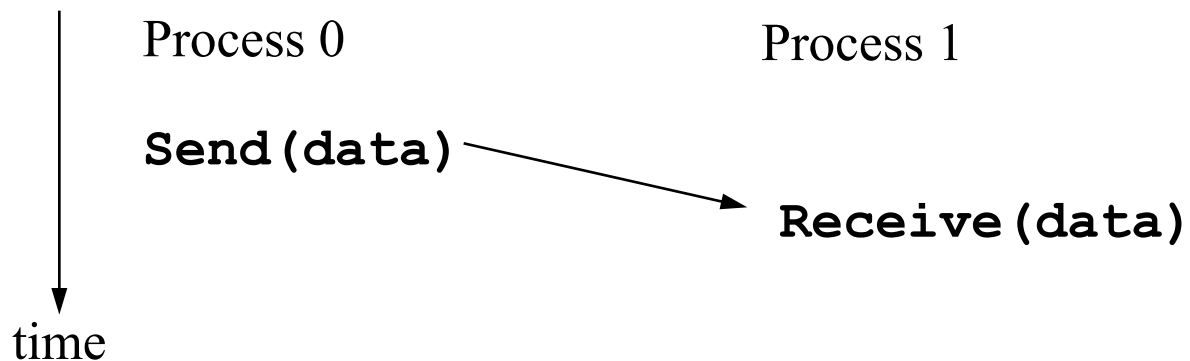
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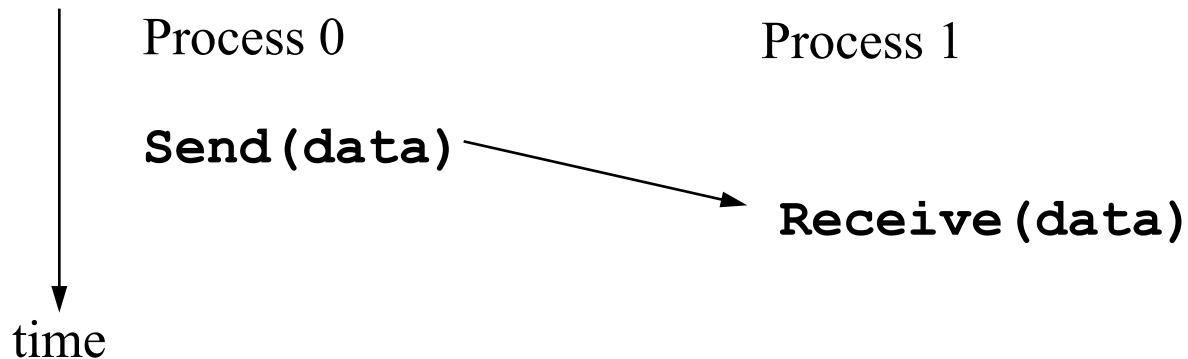
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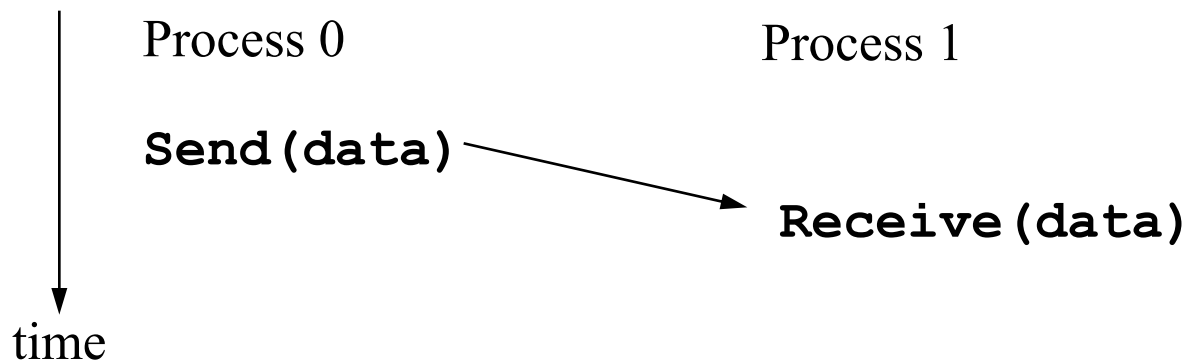
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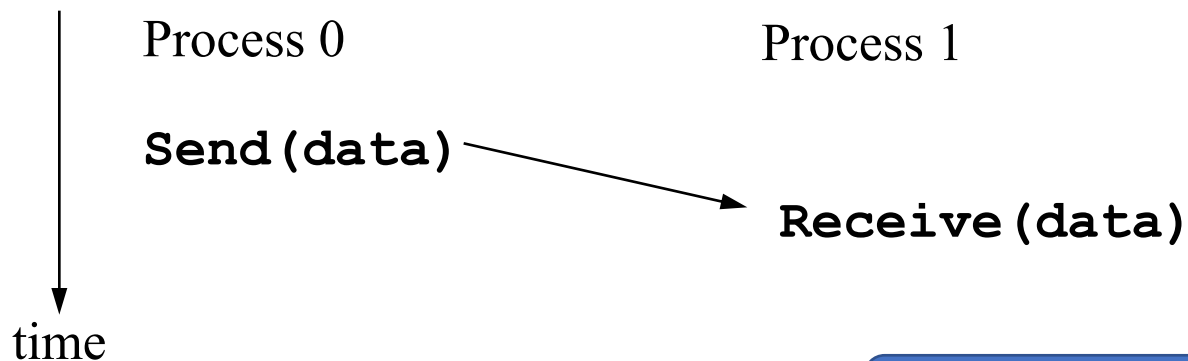
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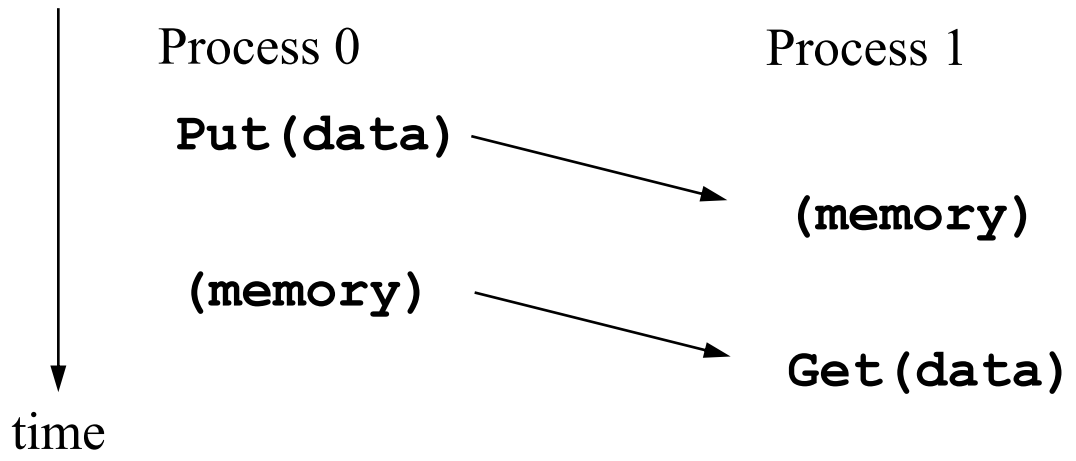
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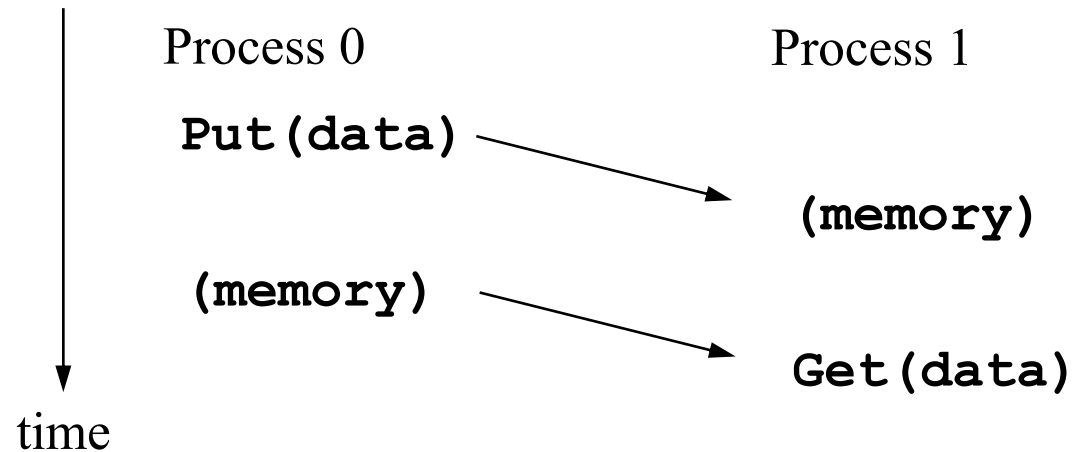
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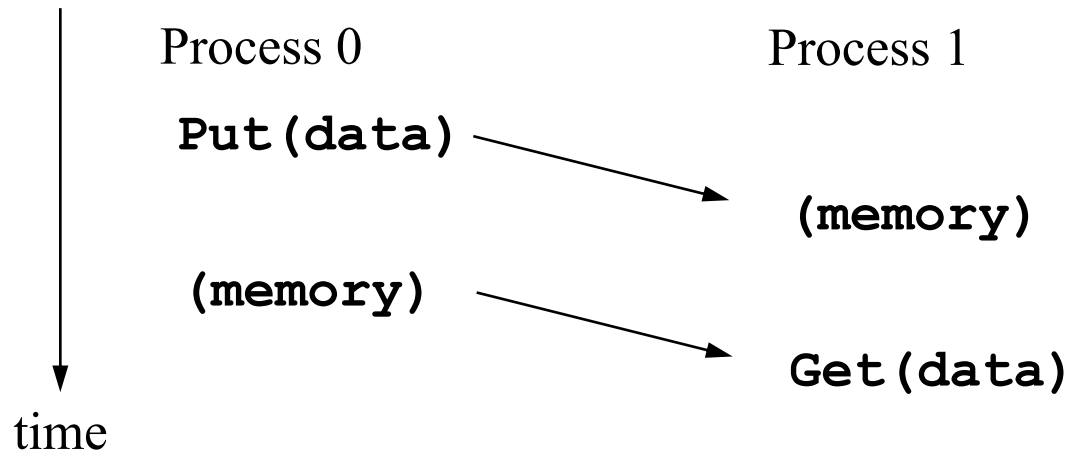
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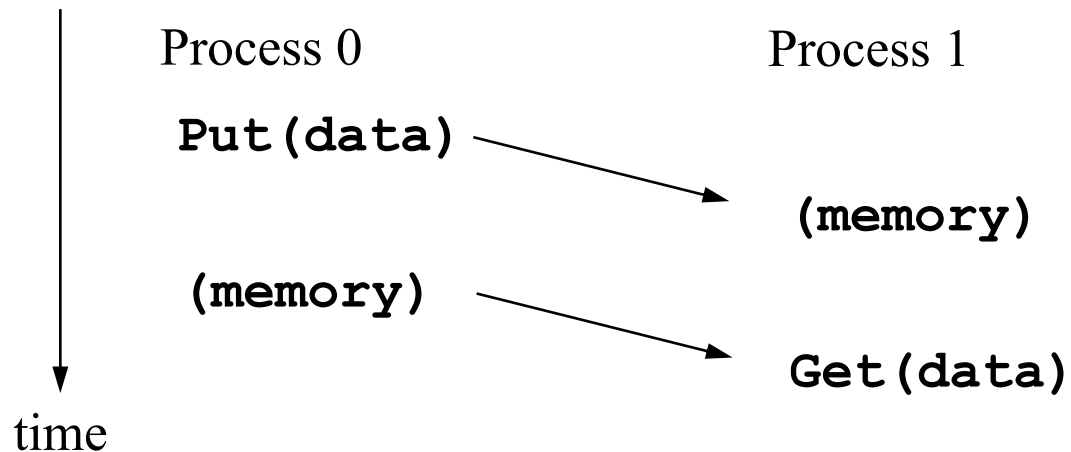
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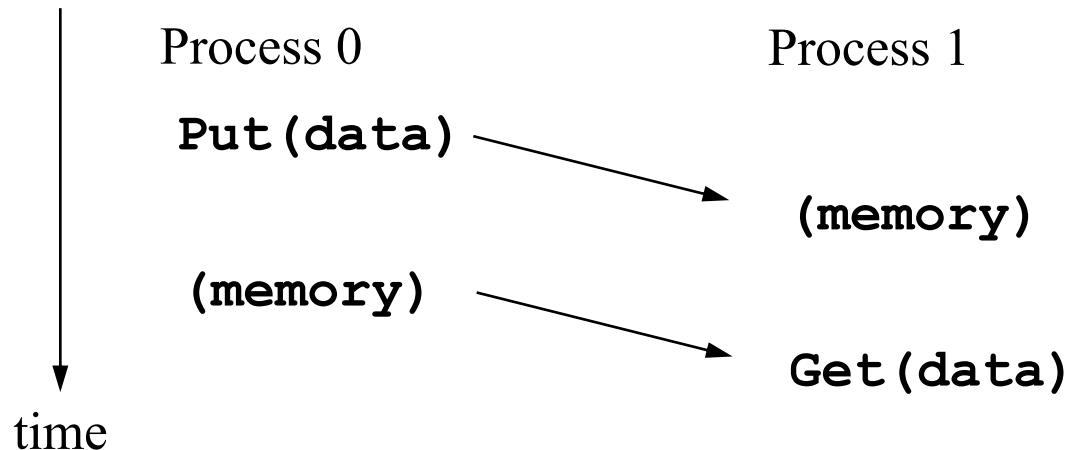
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A Simple MPI Program

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    printf( "Hello, world!\n" );
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mpiexec <args>

Recommended part of MPI-2, as a recommendation

mpiexec for MPICH (distribution from ANL)

mpirun for SGI's MPI

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MPI provides functions to answer these questions

`MPI_Comm_size` reports the number of processes

`MPI_Comm_rank` reports the rank

number between 0 and size-1

identifies the calling process

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Comm?
“Communicator”

Basic Concepts

Processes can be collected into *groups*

Each message is sent in a *context*

Must be received in the same context!

A group and context together form a *communicator*

A process is identified by its *rank*

With respect to the group associated with a communicator

There is a default communicator **MPI_COMM_WORLD**

Contains all initial processes

MPI Basic (Blocking) Send

`MPI_SEND (start, count, datatype, dest, tag, comm)`

The message buffer is described by:

`start, count, datatype`

The target process is specified by `dest`

Rank of the target process in the communicator
specified by `comm`

Process blocks until:

Data has been delivered to the system

Buffer can then be reused

Message may not have been received by target process!

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There are MPI functions to construct custom datatypes

- Array of (int, float) pairs

- Row of a matrix stored columnwise

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 - Reduces memory-to-memory copies in implementation
 - Allows use of special hardware (scatter/gather)

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MPI calls them “tags” to avoid confusion with datatypes

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Point-to-point (send/recv) isn't always the most efficient...

Add more support for communication

Excerpt: Count 3s

```
if(myID == RootProcess) {  
  
    FILE * fp = fopen(argv[1], "r");  
    res = fscanf(fp, "%d\n", &nnums);  
    for(int p=0; p<num_procs-1; p++) {  
        for(int i=0; i<shard_length; i++) {  
            res = fscanf(fp, "%d\n", &values[i]);  
            assert(res != EOF);  
        }  
        //_info("ID-%d: sending shard_length:%d to ID-%d\n", RootProcess, shard_length, p+1);  
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else {  
  
    MPI_Recv(&shard_length, 1, MPI_INT, RootProcess, tag, MPI_COMM_WORLD, &status);  
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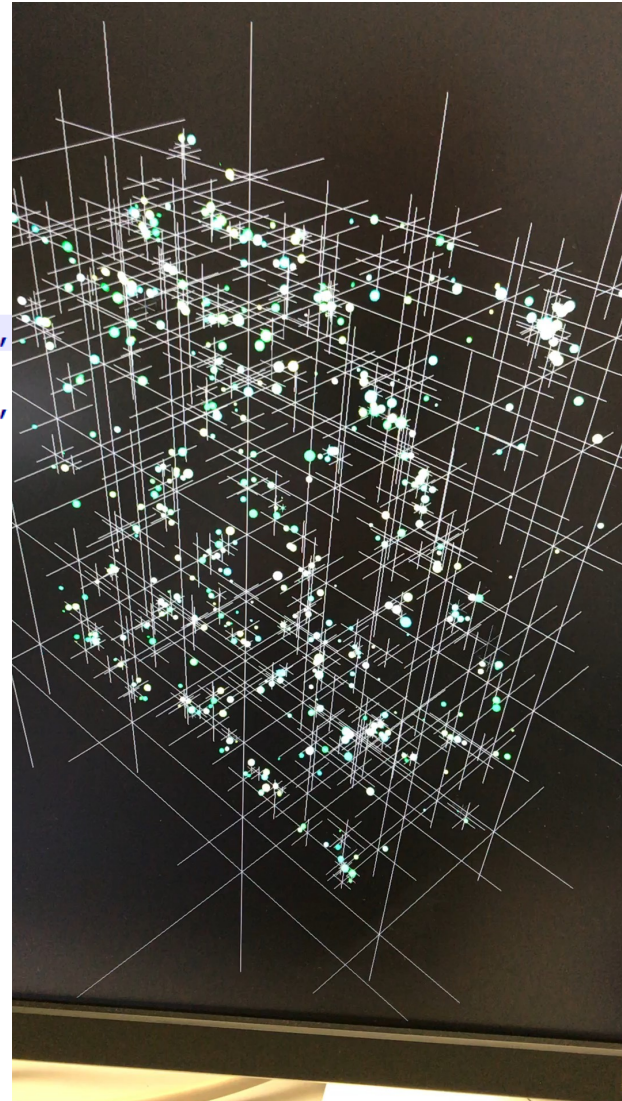
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- You don't need parallelism at all
- You can use libraries (which may be written in MPI) or other tools
- You can use multi-threading in a concurrent environment
 - You don't need extreme scale