

Omnitools: Performance Analysis Tools for AMD GPUs

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Introduction to Omnitrace

A close-up, low-angle shot of an AMD Radeon Instinct graphics card. The card is black with a prominent silver-colored metal grille on the left side. The words "RADEON INSTINCT" are printed in white, bold, sans-serif capital letters on the black surface of the card. The background is dark and out of focus, showing other components of a server or data center environment.

RADEON INSTINCT

Profiling



Background – AMD Profilers

ROC-profiler (rocprof)

Hardware Counters

Raw collection of GPU counters and traces

Counter collection with user input files

Counter results printed to a CSV

Traces and timelines

Trace collection support for

CPU copy

HIP API

HSA API

GPU Kernels

Visualisation

Traces visualized with Perfetto

	A	B	C	D	E
1	Name	Calls	TotalDura	AverageN	Percentage
2	hipMemcpyAsync	99	3.22E+10	3.25E+08	44.14872
3	hipEventSynchronize	330	2.42E+09	73394557	33.225
4	hipMemsetAsync	87	7.76E+09	89232696	10.64953
5	hipHostMalloc	9	5.41E+09	6.01E+08	7.415198
6	hipDeviceSynchronize	28	1.32E+09	47006288	1.805515
7	hipHostFree	17	1.05E+09	61534688	1.435014
8	hipMemcpy	41	8.11E+08	19791876	1.113161
9	hipLaunchKernel	1856	58082083	31294	0.079676
10	hipStreamCreate	2	46380834	23190417	0.063625
11	hipMemset	2	18847246	9423623	0.025854
12	hipStreamDestroy	2	15183338	7591669	0.020828
13	hipFree	38	8269713	217624	0.011344
14	hipEventRecord	330	2520035	7636	0.003457
15	hipMalloc	30	1484804	49493	0.002037
16	__hipPopCallConfigura	1856	229159	123	0.000314
17	__hipPushCallConfigur	1856	224177	120	0.000308
18	hipGetLastError	1494	100458	67	0.000138
19	hipEventCreate	330	76675	232	0.000105
20	hipEventDestroy	330	64671	195	8.87E-05
21	hipGetDevicePropertie	47	51808	1102	7.11E-05
22	hipGetDevice	64	11611	181	1.59E-05
23	hipSetDevice	1	401	401	5.50E-07
24	hipGetDeviceCount	1	220	220	3.02E-07

Omnitrace

Trace collection

Comprehensive trace collection

CPU

GPU

Supports

CPU copy

HIP API

HSA API

GPU Kernels

OpenMP®

MPI

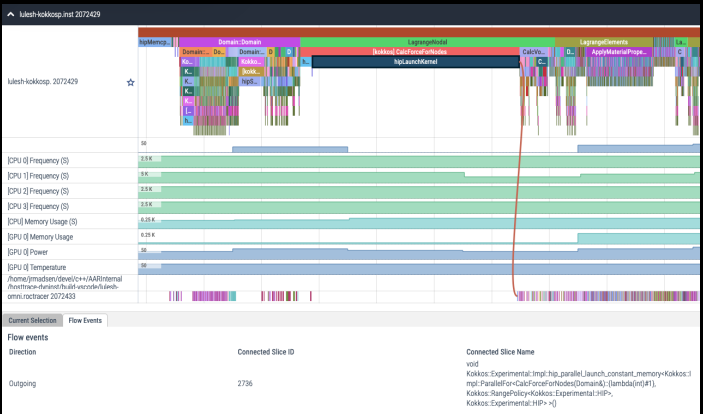
Kokkos

p-threads

multi-GPU

Visualisation

Traces visualized with Perfetto



Omniperf

Performance Analysis

Automated collection of hardware counters

Analysis

Visualisation

Supports

Speed of Light

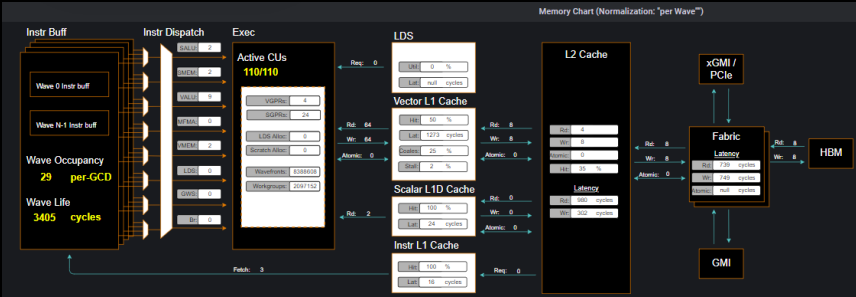
Memory chart

Rooflines

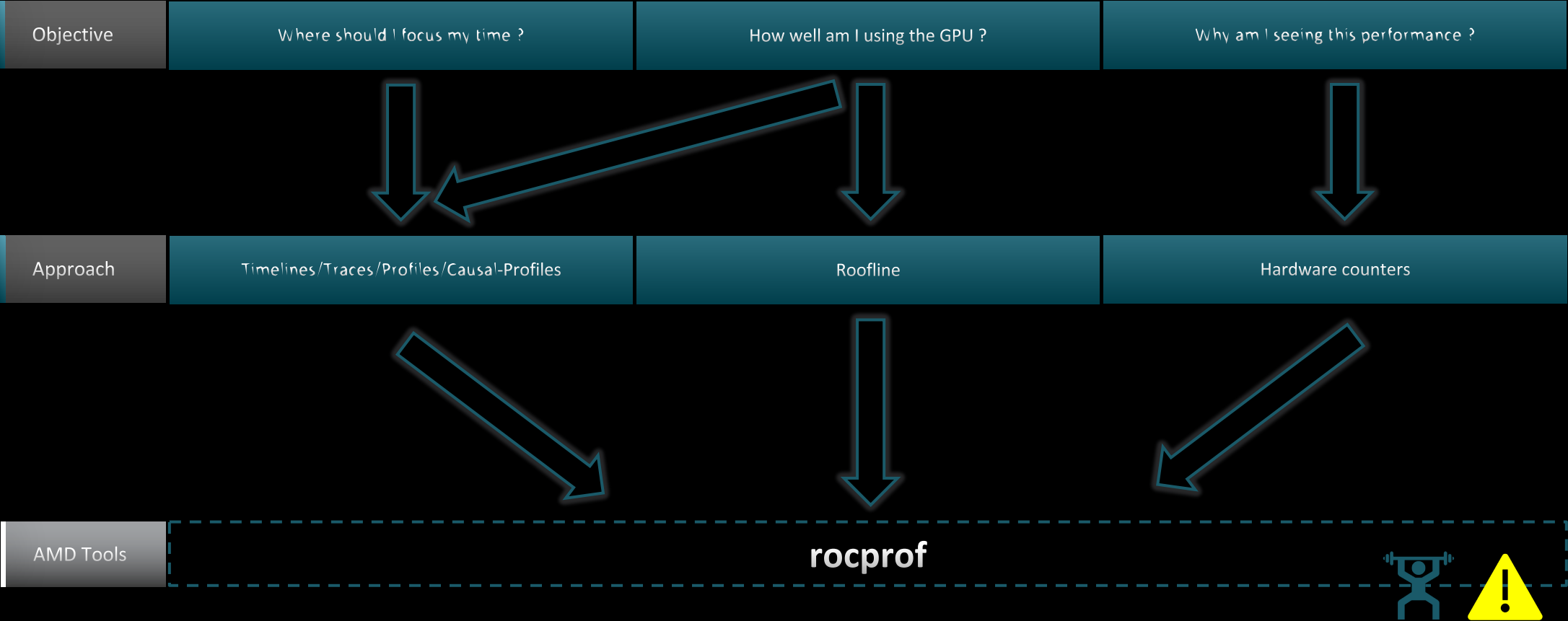
Kernel comparison

Visualisation

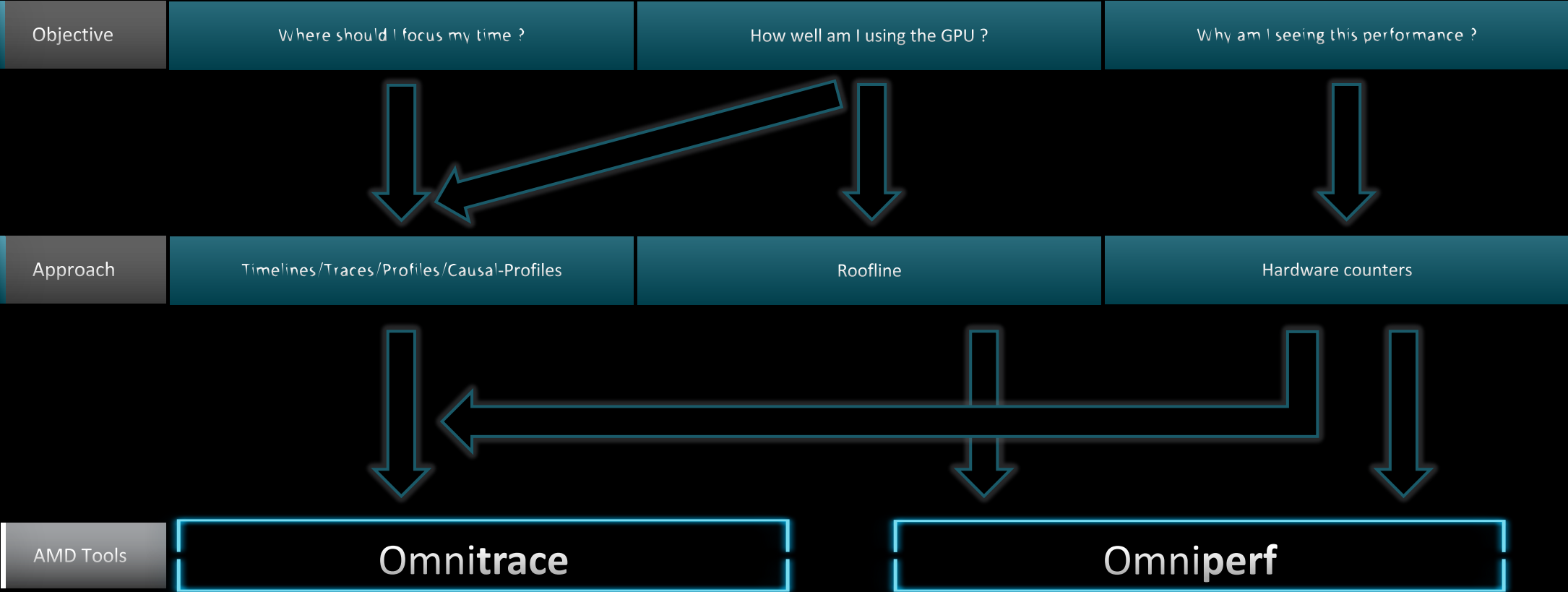
With Grafana or standalone GUI



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RADEON INSTINCT

OmniTrace



Omnitrace: Application Profiling, Tracing, and Analysis

AMD Research Tool	Repository: https://github.com/AMDRResearch/omnitrace					
	 Not part of ROCm stack					
Language Support	C/C++	Fortran	Python	OpenCL™		
Data Collection Modes	Dynamic instrumentation		Statistical/process sampling		Causal Profiling	
Data Analysis	High-level summary		Comprehensive trace		Critical trace analysis	
Parallelism Support	MPI	OpenMP®	Pthreads	HIP	HSA	Kokkos
GPU Metrics	HW counters	HSA API	HIP API	HIP trace	HSA trace	Memory & thermal
CPU Metrics	HW counters	Timing metrics	Memory access	Network	I/O	more...

Refer to [current documentation](#) for recent updates

Installation (if required)



To use pre-built binaries, select the version that matches your operating system, ROCm version, etc.



Select OpenSuse operating system for HPE/AMD system:

omnitrace-1.7.4-opensuse-15.4-ROCM-50400-PAPI-OMPT-Python3.sh



There are .rpm and .deb files for installation also. In future versions, binary installers for RHEL also available.



Full documentation: <https://amdresearch.github.io/omnitrace/>

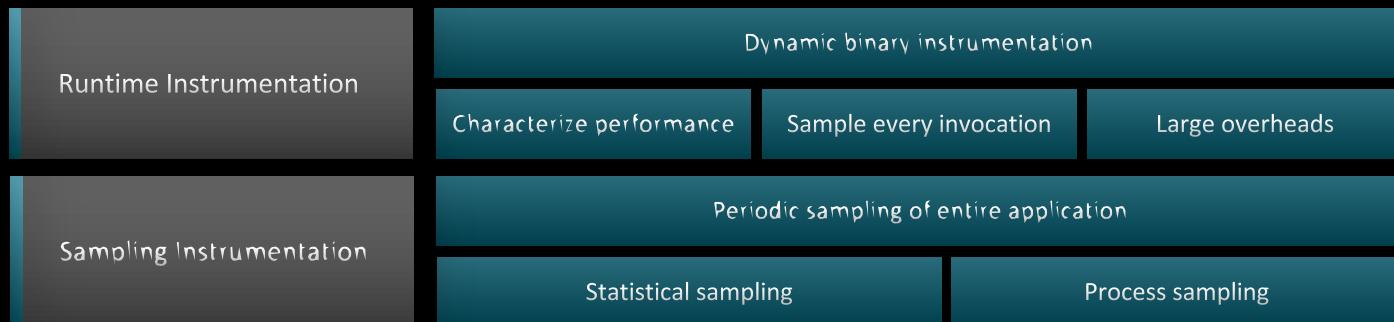
```
export OMNITRACE_VERSION=latest
export ROCM_VERSION=5.4.3
export OMNITRACE_INSTALL_DIR=</path/to/your/omnitrace/install>
wget https://github.com/AMDRResearch/omnitrace/releases/${OMNITRACE_VERSION}/download/omnitrace-install.py
python3 omnitrace-install.py -p ${OMNITRACE_INSTALL_DIR} --rocm ${ROCM_VERSION}
```

Set up environment:

```
source ${OMNITRACE_INSTALL_DIR}/share/omnitrace/setup-env.sh
```

Note: If installing from source, remember to clone the omnitrace repo recursively

Omnitrace instrumentation Modes



Basic command-line syntax:

```
$ omnitrace [omnitrace-options] -- <CMD> <ARGS>
```

For more information or help use -h/--help/? flags:

```
$ omnitrace -h
```

Can also execute on systems using a job scheduler. For example, with SLURM, an interactive session can be used as:

```
$ srun [options] omnitrace [omnitrace-options] -- <CMD> <ARGS>
```

For problems, create an issue here: <https://github.com/AMDRResearch/omnitrace/issues>
Documentation: <https://amdresearch.github.io/omnitrace/>

Omnitrace Configuration

```
$ omnitrace-avail --categories [options]
```

Get more information about run-time settings, data collection capabilities, and available hardware counters. For more information or help use -h/--help flags:

```
$ omnitrace-avail -h
```

Collect information for omnitrace-related settings using shorthand -c for --categories :

```
$ omnitrace-avail -c perfetto
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ENVIRONMENT VARIABLE	VALUE	CATEGORIES
OMNITRACE_PERFETTO_BACKEND	inprocess	custom, libomnitrace, omnitrace, perfetto
OMNITRACE_PERFETTO_BUFFER_SIZE_KB	1024000	custom, data, libomnitrace, omnitrace, perfetto
OMNITRACE_PERFETTO_FILL_POLICY	discard	custom, data, libomnitrace, omnitrace, perfetto
OMNITRACE_TRACE_DELAY	0	custom, libomnitrace, omnitrace, perfetto, profile, timemory, trace
OMNITRACE_TRACE_DURATION	0	custom, libomnitrace, omnitrace, perfetto, profile, timemory, trace
OMNITRACE_TRACE_PERIODS		custom, libomnitrace, omnitrace, perfetto, profile, timemory, trace
OMNITRACE_TRACE_PERIOD_CLOCK_ID	CLOCK_REALTIME	custom, libomnitrace, omnitrace, perfetto, profile, timemory, trace
OMNITRACE_USE_PERFETTO	true	backend, custom, libomnitrace, omnitrace, perfetto

Shows all runtime settings that may be tuned for perfetto

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Collect information for omnitrace-related settings using shorthand -c for --categories :

```
$ omnitrace-avail -c omnitrace
```

For brief description, use the options:

```
$ omnitrace-avail -bd
```

ENVIRONMENT VARIABLE	DESCRIPTION
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_BINARY_EXCLUDE	Excludes binaries matching the list of provided regexes from causal experiments (separated by tab, sem...
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_BINARY_SCOPE	Limits causal experiments to the binaries matching the provided list of regular expressions (separated...
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_DELAY	Length of time to wait (in seconds) before starting the first causal experiment
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_DURATION	Length of time to perform causal experimentation (in seconds) after the first experiment has started. ...
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_FUNCTION_EXCLUDE	Excludes functions matching the list of provided regexes from causal experiments (separated by tab, se...
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_FUNCTION_SCOPE	List of <function> regex entries for causal profiling (separated by tab, semi-colon, and/or quotes (si...
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_RANDOM_SEED	Seed for random number generator which selects speedups and experiments -- please note that the lines ...
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_SOURCE_EXCLUDE	Excludes source files or source file + lineno pair (i.e. <file> or <file>:<line>) matching the list of...
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_SOURCE_SCOPE	Limits causal experiments to the source files or source file + lineno pair (i.e. <file> or <file>:<lin...
OMNITRACE_CONFIG_FILE	Configuration file for omnitrace
OMNITRACE_CRITICAL_TRACE	Enable generation of the critical trace
OMNITRACE_ENABLED	Activation state of timemory
OMNITRACE_OUTPUT_PATH	Explicitly specify the output folder for results
OMNITRACE_OUTPUT_PREFIX	Explicitly specify a prefix for all output files
OMNITRACE_PAPI_EVENTS	PAPI presets and events to collect (see also: papi_aval)
OMNITRACE_PERFETTO_BACKEND	Specify the perfetto backend to activate. Options are: 'inprocess', 'system', or 'all'
OMNITRACE_PERFETTO_BUFFER_SIZE KB	Size of perfetto buffer (in KB)
OMNITRACE_PERFETTO_FILL_POLICY	Behavior when perfetto buffer is full. 'discard' will ignore new entries, 'ring buffer' will overwrite...
OMNITRACE_PROCESS_SAMPLING_DURATION	If > 0.0, time (in seconds) to sample before stopping. If less than zero, uses OMNITRACE_SAMPLING_DURA...
OMNITRACE_PROCESS_SAMPLING_FREQ	Number of measurements per second when OMNITRACE_USE_PROCESS_SAMPLING=ON. If set to zero, uses OMNITR...
OMNITRACE_ROCM_EVENTS	ROCM hardware counters. Use ':device=N' syntax to specify collection on device number N, e.g. ':device...
OMNITRACE_SAMPLING_CPUS	CPUs to collect frequency information for. Values should be separated by commas and can be explicit or...
OMNITRACE_SAMPLING_DELAY	Time (in seconds) to wait before the first sampling signal is delivered, increasing this value can fix...
OMNITRACE_SAMPLING_DURATION	If > 0.0, time (in seconds) to sample before stopping
OMNITRACE_SAMPLING_FREQ	Number of software interrupts per second when OMNITRACE_USE_SAMPLING=ON
OMNITRACE_SAMPLING_GPUS	Devices to query when OMNITRACE_USE_ROCM_SMI=ON. Values should be separated by commas and can be expli...

Create a config file

Create a config file in \$HOME:

```
$ omnitrace-avail -G $HOME/.omnitrace.cfg
```

To add description of all variables and settings, use:

```
$ omnitrace-avail -G $HOME/.omnitrace.cfg --all
```

Modify the config file \$HOME/.omnitrace.cfg as desired to enable and change settings:

```
<snip>
OMNITRACE_USE_PERFETTO           = true
OMNITRACE_USE_TIMEMORY           = true
OMNITRACE_USE_SAMPLING           = false
OMNITRACE_USE_ROCTRACER          = true
OMNITRACE_USE_ROCM_SMI           = true
OMNITRACE_USE_KOKKOSP            = false
OMNITRACE_USE_CAUSAL             = false
OMNITRACE_USE_MPIP               = true
OMNITRACE_USE_PID                = true
OMNITRACE_USE_ROCPROFILER        = true
OMNITRACE_USE_ROCTX
<snip>
```

Contents of the config file

Declare which config file to use by setting the environment:

```
$ export OMNITRACE_CONFIG_FILE=/path-
to/.omnitrace.cfg
```

Dynamic Instrumentation

Runtime Instrumentation



Dynamic Instrumentation – Jacobi Example

Clone jacobi example:

```
$ git clone https://github.com/amd/HPCTrainingExamples.git
$ cd HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/jacobi
```

Requires ROCm and MPI install, compile:

```
$ make -f Makefile.cray
```

Run the non-instrumented code on a single GPU as:

```
$ time srun -n 1 --gpus=1 ./Jacobi_hip -g 1 1
real    0m2.115s
```

Dynamic instrumentation

```
$ time srun -n 1 --gpus=1 omnitrace-instrument --
./Jacobi_hip -g 1 1
real 1m45.742s
```

Extra time is the overhead of dyninst reading every binary that is loaded, not overhead of omnitrace during app execution

Parsing libraries

```
[omnitrace][exe] [internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libutil-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe] [internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libz.so.1.2.11'...
[omnitrace][exe] [internal] binary info processing required 0.322 sec and 70.724 MB
[omnitrace][exe] Processing 72 modules...
[omnitrace][exe] Processing 72 modules... Done (0.101 sec, 12.084 MB)
[omnitrace][exe] Found 'MPI Init' in '/home/ssitaram/git/HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/jacobi/Jacobi_hip'. Enabling MPI support
[omnitrace][exe] Finding instrumentation functions...
[omnitrace][exe] 2 instrumented funcs in ../../orte/orted/orted_submit.c
[omnitrace][exe] 1 instrumented funcs in libamd_comgr.so.2.4.50403
[omnitrace][exe] 15 instrumented funcs in libamdhip64.so.5.4.50403
[omnitrace][exe] 1 instrumented funcs in libm-2.28.so
[omnitrace][exe] 10 instrumented funcs in libmpi.so.40.20.3
[omnitrace][exe] 8 instrumented funcs in libopen-pal.so.40.20.3
[omnitrace][exe] 17 instrumented funcs in libopen-rte.so.40.20.3
[omnitrace][exe] 2 instrumented funcs in libtinfo.so.5.9
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-14_17.24/instrumentation/available.json'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-14_17.24/instrumentation/available.txt'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-14_17.24/instrumentation/instrumented.json'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-14_17.24/instrumentation/instrumented.txt'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-14_17.24/instrumentation/excluded.json'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-14_17.24/instrumentation/excluded.txt'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-14_17.24/instrumentation/overlapping.json'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-14_17.24/instrumentation/overlapping.txt'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Executing...
[omnitrace][1649192][omnitrace_init_tooling] Instrumentation mode: Trace
```

Functions instrumented

Outputs that will be created

@MINITRACE

omnitrace v1.8.0

Dynamic Instrumentation – Jacobi Example

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$ cd HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/jacobi
```

Requires ROCm and MPI install, compile:

```
$ make
```

Run the non-instrumented code on a single GPU as:

```
$ time srun -n 1 ./Jacobi_hip -g 1 1
real    0m2.115s
```

Dynamic instrumentation

```
$ time srun -n 1 --gpus=1 omnitrace-instrument --
./Jacobi_hip -g 1 1
```

```
real 1m45.742s
```

Available functions to instrument:

```
$ srun -n 1 --gpus=1 omnitrace-instrument -v 1 --simulate
--print-available functions -- ./Jacobi_hip -g 1 1
```

Here, -v gives a verbose output from omnitrace

The simulate flag does not run the executable, but only demonstrates the available functions

```
[available] HaloExchange.cpp:
[available]   [HaloExchange.cold.21][14]
[available]   [HaloExchange][1267]
[available]   [_GLOBAL__sub_I_HaloExchange.cpp][8]

[available] Input.cpp:
[available]   [ExtractNumber][19]
[available]   [FindAndClearArgument][38]
[available]   [ParseCommandLineArguments][206]
[available]   [PrintUsage][12]

[available] JacobiIteration.cpp:
[available]   [JacobiIteration][71]

[available] JacobiMain.cpp:
[available]   [main.cold.0][5]
[available]   [main][35]

[available] JacobiRun.cpp:
[available]   [Jacobi_t::Run][155]

[available] JacobiSetup.cpp:
[available]   [FormatNumber][53]
[available]   [Jacobi_t::ApplyTopology][234]
[available]   [Jacobi_t::CreateMesh][459]
[available]   [Jacobi_t::InitializeData][552]
[available]   [Jacobi_t::Jacobi_t.cold.30][15]
[available]   [Jacobi_t::Jacobi_t][1043]
[available]   [Jacobi_t::PrintResults][107]
[available]   [Jacobi_t::~Jacobi_t][167]
[available]   [PrintPerfCounter][34]
[available]   [_GLOBAL__sub_I_JacobiSetup.cpp][8]
[available]   [std::__cxx11::basic_stringbuf<char, std::char_traits<char>, std::allocator
<char> >::__basic_stringbuf][16]
[available]   [std::__cxx11::basic_stringbuf<char, std::char_traits<char>, std::allocator
<char> >::__basic_stringbuf][18]
```

Functions found in each module
detected by omnitrace

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```

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```

Run the non-instrumented code on a single GPU as:

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```

Dynamic instrumentation

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./Jacobi_hip -g 1 1

real 1m45.742s
```

Available functions to instrument:

```
$ srun -n 1 --gpus=1 omnitrace-instrument -v 1 --simulate
--print-available-functions -- ./Jacobi_hip -g 1 1
```

Custom include/exclude functions* with -I or -E, resp. For e.g:

```
$ srun -n 1 --gpus=1 omnitrace-instrument -v 1 -I
'Jacobi_t::Run' 'JacobiIteration' -- ./Jacobi_hip -g 1 1
```

Include two functions to instrument

```
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/opt/rocm-5.4.3/lib/librocm_smi64.so.5.0.50403'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/opt/rocm-5.4.3/lib/librocmtools.so.1.5.0'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/opt/rocm-5.4.3/lib/librocprofiler64.so.1.0.50403'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/opt/rocm-5.4.3/lib/libroctracer64.so.4.1.0'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/opt/rocm-5.4.3/lib/libroctx64.so.4.1.0'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/share/contrib-modules/omnitrace/omnitrace1.8.0/lib/libomnitrace-dl.so.1.8.0'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/share/contrib-modules/omnitrace/omnitrace1.8.0/lib/libomnitrace-rt.so.11.0.1'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/share/contrib-modules/omnitrace/omnitrace1.8.0/lib/libomnitrace-user.so.1.8.0'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/share/contrib-modules/omnitrace/omnitrace1.8.0/lib/omnitrace/libcommon.so.11.0.1'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/share/contrib-modules/omnitrace/omnitrace1.8.0/lib/omnitrace/libdw-0.182.so'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/share/contrib-modules/omnitrace/omnitrace1.8.0/lib/omnitrace/libelf-0.182.so'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/share/contrib-modules/omnitrace/omnitrace1.8.0/lib/omnitrace/libgotcha.so.2.0.2'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/share/contrib-modules/omnitrace/omnitrace1.8.0/lib/omnitrace/libpfm.so.4.11.1'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/share/contrib-modules/omnitrace/omnitrace1.8.0/lib/omnitrace/libtbb.so.2'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/share/contrib-modules/omnitrace/omnitrace1.8.0/lib/omnitrace/libtbbmalloc.so.2'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/share/contrib-modules/omnitrace/omnitrace1.8.0/lib/omnitrace/libtbbmalloc_proxy.so.2'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/share/contrib-modules/omnitrace/omnitrace1.8.0/lib/omnitrace/libunwind.so.99.0.0'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/ld-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libBrokenLocale-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libanl-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libc-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libcrypt.so.1.1.0'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libdl-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libgcc_s-8-20210514.so.1'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libnss_compat-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libnss_dns-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libnss_files-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libpthread-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libresolv-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/librt-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libstdc++.so.6.0.25'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libthread_db-1.0.so'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libutil-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libz.so.1.2.11'...
[omnitrace][exe][internal] binary info processing required 0.257 sec and 66.740 MB
[omnitrace][exe] Processing 72 modules...
[omnitrace][exe] Processing 72 modules... Done (0.089 sec, 11.080 MB)
[omnitrace][exe] Found 'MPI_Init' in '/home/ssitaram/git/HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/jacobi/Jacobi_hip'. Enabling MPI support...
[omnitrace][exe] Finding instrumentation functions...
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[omnitrace][exe] 1 instrumented funcs in Jacobi_hip
[omnitrace][exe] 1 instrumented funcs in libamdhip64.so.5.4.50403
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[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_12.40/instrumentation/excluded.json'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_12.40/instrumentation/excluded.txt'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_12.40/instrumentation/overlapping.json'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_12.40/instrumentation/overlapping.txt'... Done
```

Only these two functions are shown to be instrumented

Dynamic Instrumentation

Binary Rewrite



Binary Rewrite – Jacobi Example

Binary Rewrite

```
$ omnitrace-instrument [omnitrace-options] -o <new-name-of-exec> -- <CMD> <ARGS>
```

Generating a new executable/library with instrumentation built-in:

```
$ omnitrace-instrument -o Jacobi_hip.inst -- ./Jacobi_hip
```

This new binary will have instrumented functions

Subroutine Instrumentation

Default instrumentation is main function and functions of 1024 instructions and more (for CPU)

To instrument routines with 50 or more cycles, add option "-i 50" (more overhead)

```
[omnitrace][exe] [internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libgcc_s-8-20210514.so.1'...
[omnitrace][exe] [internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libnss_compat-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe] [internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libnss_dns-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe] [internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libnss_files-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe] [internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libpthread-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe] [internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libresolv-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe] [internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/librt-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe] [internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libstdc++.so.6.0.25'...
[omnitrace][exe] [internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libthread_db-1.0.so'...
[omnitrace][exe] [internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libutil-2.28.so'...
[omnitrace][exe] [internal] parsing library: '/usr/lib64/libz.so.1.2.11'...
[omnitrace][exe] [internal] binary info processing required 0.666 sec and 110.500 MB
[omnitrace][exe] Processing 9 modules...
[omnitrace][exe] Processing 9 modules... Done (0.001 sec, 0.000 MB)
[omnitrace][exe] Found 'MPI_Init' in '/home/ssitaram/git/HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/jacobi/Jacobi_hip'. Enabling MPI support...
[omnitrace][exe] Finding instrumentation functions...
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_12.57/instrumentation/available.json'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_12.57/instrumentation/available.txt'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_12.57/instrumentation/instrumented.json'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_12.57/instrumentation/instrumented.txt'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_12.57/instrumentation/excluded.json'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_12.57/instrumentation/excluded.txt'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_12.57/instrumentation/overlapping.json'... Done
[omnitrace][exe] Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_12.57/instrumentation/overlapping.txt'... Done
[omnitrace][exe]
[omnitrace][exe] The instrumented executable image is stored in '/home/ssitaram/git/HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/jacobi/Jacobi_hip.inst'
[omnitrace][exe] Getting linked libraries for /home/ssitaram/git/HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/jacobi/Jacobi_hip...
[omnitrace][exe] Consider instrumenting the relevant libraries...
[omnitrace][exe]
[omnitrace][exe] /lib64/libgcc_s.so.1
[omnitrace][exe] /lib64/libpthread.so.0
[omnitrace][exe] /lib64/libm.so.6
[omnitrace][exe] /lib64/librt.so.1
[omnitrace][exe] /home/ssitaram/cp2k-hip/libs/install/openmpi/lib/libmpi.so.40
[omnitrace][exe] /opt/rocm-5.4.3/lib/libroctx64.so.4
[omnitrace][exe] /opt/rocm-5.4.3/lib/libroctracer64.so.4
[omnitrace][exe] /opt/rocm-5.4.3/hip/lib/libamdhip64.so.5
[omnitrace][exe] /lib64/libstdc++.so.6
[omnitrace][exe] /lib64/libc.so.6
[omnitrace][exe] /lib64/ld-linux-x86-64.so.2
```

Path to new instrumented binary

Binary Rewrite – Jacobi Example

Binary Rewrite

```
$ omnitrace-instrument [omnitrace-options] -o <new-name-of-exec> -- <CMD> <ARGS>
```

Generating a new /library with instrumentation built-in:

```
$ omnitrace-instrument -o Jacobi_hip.inst --  
./Jacobi_hip
```

Run the instrumented binary:

```
$ srun -n 1 --gpus=1 omnitrace-run --  
./Jacobi_hip.inst -g 1 1
```

subroutine instrumentation

Default instrumentation is main function and functions of 1024 instructions and more (for CPU)

To instrument routines with 50 or more cycles, add option "-i 50" (more overhead)

Binary rewrite is recommended for runs with multiple ranks as omnitrace produces separate output files for each rank

```
[omnitrace][3624331][omnitrace_init_tooling] Instrumentation mode: Trace
```

OMNITRACE

omnitrace v1.8.0

```
[953.765] perfetto.cc:58656 Configured tracing session 1, #sources:1, duration:0 ms, #buffers:1, total buffer size:1024000 KB, total sessions:1, uid:0 session name: ""
```

```
Topology size: 1 x 1
```

```
Local domain size (current node): 4096 x 4096
```

```
[omnitrace][0][pid=3624331] MPI rank: 0 (0), MPI size: 1 (1)
```

```
Global domain size (all nodes): 4096 x 4096
```

```
Rank 0 selecting device 0 on host TheraC60
```

```
Starting Jacobi run.
```

```
Iteration: 0 - Residual: 0.022108
```

```
Iteration: 100 - Residual: 0.000625
```

```
Iteration: 200 - Residual: 0.000371
```

```
Iteration: 300 - Residual: 0.000274
```

```
Iteration: 400 - Residual: 0.000221
```

```
Iteration: 500 - Residual: 0.000187
```

```
Iteration: 600 - Residual: 0.000163
```

```
Iteration: 700 - Residual: 0.000145
```

```
Iteration: 800 - Residual: 0.000131
```

```
Iteration: 900 - Residual: 0.000120
```

```
Iteration: 1000 - Residual: 0.000111
```

```
Stopped after 1000 iterations with residue 0.000111
```

```
Total Jacobi run time: 1.5470 sec.
```

```
Measured lattice updates: 10.84 GLU/s (total), 10.84 GLU/s (per process)
```

```
Measured FLOPS: 184.36 GFLOPS (total), 184.36 GFLOPS (per process)
```

```
Measured device bandwidth: 1.04 TB/s (total), 1.04 TB/s (per process)
```

```
[omnitrace][3624331][0][omnitrace_finalize] finalizing...
```

```
[omnitrace][3624331][0][omnitrace_finalize]
```

```
[omnitrace][3624331][0][omnitrace_finalize] omnitrace/process/3624331 : 2.364423 sec wall_clock, 645.964 MB peak_rss,
```

```
388.739 MB page_rss, 4.330000 sec cpu_clock, 183.1 % cpu_util [laps: 1]
```

```
[omnitrace][3624331][0][omnitrace_finalize] omnitrace/process/3624331/thread/0 : 2.355893 sec wall_clock, 1.293230 sec
```

```
thread cpu_clock, 54.9 % thread cpu_util, 645.964 MB peak_rss [laps: 1]
```

```
[omnitrace][3624331][0][omnitrace_finalize] omnitrace/process/3624331/thread/1 : 2.345084 sec wall_clock, 0.000261 sec
```

```
thread cpu_clock, 0.0 % thread cpu_util, 642.676 MB peak_rss [laps: 1]
```

```
[omnitrace][3624331][0][omnitrace_finalize]
```

```
[omnitrace][3624331][0][omnitrace_finalize] Finalizing perfetto...
```

Generates traces for application run

List of Instrumented GPU Functions

```
$ cat omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_13.57/roctracer-0.txt
```

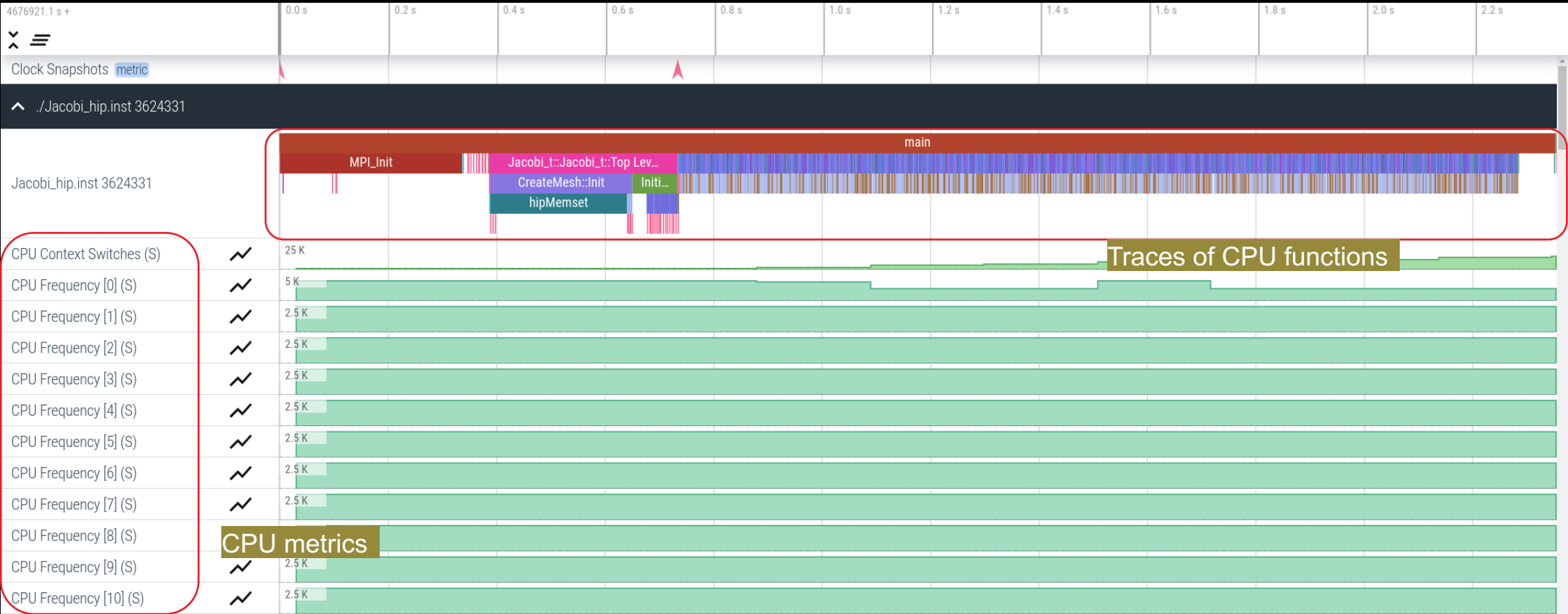
ROCM TRACER (ACTIVITY API)							
LABEL	COUNT	DEPTH	METRIC	UNITS	SUM	MEAN	% SELF
0>>> pthread_create	1	0	roctracer	sec	0.000353	0.000353	0.0
1>>> _start_thread	1	1	roctracer	sec	2.344864	2.344864	100.0
0>>> hipInit	1	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>> hipGetDeviceCount	1	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>> hipSetDevice	1	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>> hipHostMalloc	3	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>> hipMalloc	7	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>> hipMemset	1	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>> hipStreamCreate	2	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>> hipMemcpy	1005	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>> _LocalLaplacianKernel(int, int, int, double, double, double const*, double*)	999	1	roctracer	sec	0.279368	0.000280	100.0
0>>> _HaloLaplacianKernel(int, int, int, double, double, double const*, double const*, double*)	990	1	roctracer	sec	0.014761	0.000015	100.0
0>>> _JacobiIterationKernel(int, double, double, double const*, double const*, double*, double*)	959	1	roctracer	sec	0.531156	0.000554	100.0
0>>> _NormKernel1(int, double, double, double const*, double*)	997	1	roctracer	sec	0.430196	0.000431	100.0
0>>> _NormKernel2(int, double const*, double*)	999	1	roctracer	sec	0.004342	0.000004	100.0
0>>> hipEventCreate	2	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>> hipLaunchKernel	5002	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>> _JacobiIterationKernel(int, double, double, double const*, double const*, double*, double*)	1	1	roctracer	sec	0.000552	0.000552	100.0
0>>> _NormKernel1(int, double, double, double const*, double*)	1	1	roctracer	sec	0.000425	0.000425	100.0
0>>> hipDeviceSynchronize	1001	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>> _NormKernel1(int, double, double, double const*, double*)	2	1	roctracer	sec	0.000850	0.000425	100.0
0>>> _NormKernel2(int, double const*, double*)	1	1	roctracer	sec	0.000004	0.000004	100.0
0>>> _HaloLaplacianKernel(int, int, int, double, double, double const*, double const*, double*)	9	1	roctracer	sec	0.000133	0.000015	100.0
0>>> _JacobiIterationKernel(int, double, double, double const*, double const*, double*, double*)	40	1	roctracer	sec	0.022204	0.000555	100.0
0>>> _LocalLaplacianKernel(int, int, int, double, double, double const*, double*)	1	1	roctracer	sec	0.000281	0.000281	100.0
0>>> hipEventRecord	2000	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>> hipStreamSynchronize	2000	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>> hipEventElapsedTime	1000	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>> _HaloLaplacianKernel(int, int, int, double, double, double const*, double const*, double*)	1	1	roctracer	sec	0.000015	0.000015	100.0
0>>> hipFree	4	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>> hipHostFree	2	0	roctracer	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.0

Roctracer-0.txt shows duration of HIP API calls and GPU kernels

Visualizing Trace

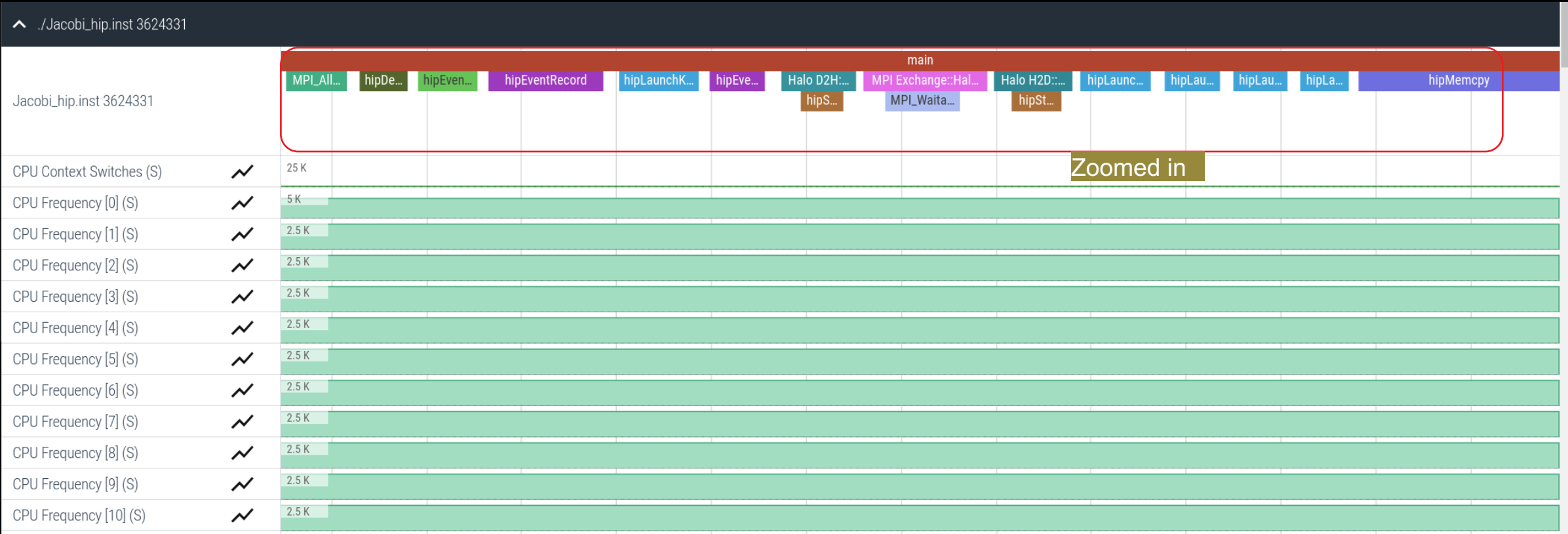
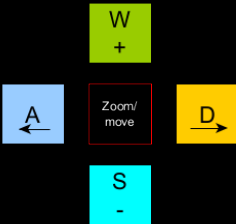
Use Perfetto

Copy perfetto-trace-0.proto to your laptop, go to <https://ui.perfetto.dev/>, Click "Open trace file", select perfetto-trace-0.proto



Visualizing Trace

Use Perfetto
Zoom in to investigate regions of interest



Visualizing Trace

Use Perfetto
Zoom in to investigate regions of interest

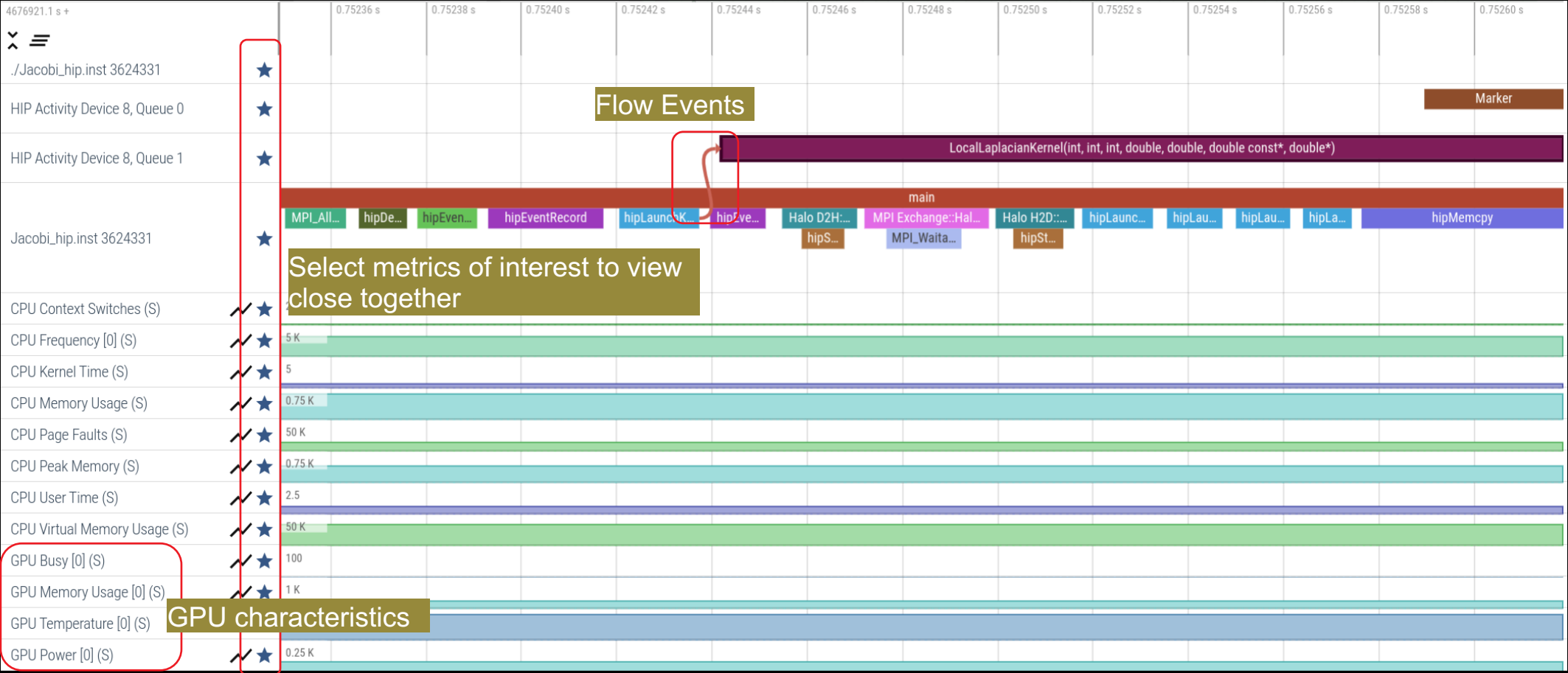
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Larger Traces with Perfetto

- There is a memory limit in the Chrome browser. There is a way to read in the trace for the browser before starting it up.

Linux

- `curl -LO https://get.perfetto.dev/trace_processor`
- `chmod +x ./trace_processor`
- `./trace_processor --httpd <path to trace file>`
- Open up Chrome browser and go to <https://ui.perfetto.dev>
- When prompted, click on "Yes, use loaded trace"

Windows

- Open up https://get.perfetto.dev/trace_processor in a browser to download the python script
- `py trace_processor --httpd <trace file>`
 - You may need to download and install python on your windows system
- Open up Chrome browser and go to <https://ui.perfetto.dev>
- When prompted, click on "Yes, use loaded trace"

Hardware Counters



Hardware Counters – List All

```
$ srunk -n 1 omnitrace-avail --all
```

Components, Categories

COMPONENT	AVAILABLE	VALUE_TYPE	STRING_IDS	FILENAME	DESCRIPTION	CATEGORY
allinea_map	false	void	"allinea", "allinea_map", "forge"		Controls the AllineaMAP sampler.	category::external, os::supports_linux, t...
caliper_marker	false	void	"cali", "caliper", "caliper_marker"		Generic forwarding of markers to Caliper ...	category::external, os::supports_unix, tp...
caliper_config	false	void	"caliper_config"		Caliper configuration manager.	category::external, os::supports_unix, tp...
caliper_loop_marker	false	void	"caliper_loop_marker"		Variant of caliper marker with support fo...	category::external, os::supports_unix, tp...
cpu_clock	true	long	"cpu_clock"	cpu_clock	Total CPU time spent in both user- and ke...	project::timemory, category::timing, os::...
cpu_util	true	std::pair<long, long>	"cpu_util", "cpu_utilization"	cpu_util	Percentage of CPU-clock time divided by w...	project::timemory, category::timing, os::...
craypat_counters	false	std::vector<unsigned long, std::allocato...	"craypat_counters"	craypat_counters	Names and value of any counter events tha...	category::external, os::supports_linux, t...

ENVIRONMENT VARIABLE	VALUE	DATA TYPE	DESCRIPTION	CATEGORIES
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_BINARY_EXCLUDE		string	Excludes binaries matching the list of pr...	analysis, causal, custom, libomnitrace, o...
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_BINARY_SCOPE	%MAIN%	string	Limits causal experiments to the binaries...	analysis, causal, custom, libomnitrace, o...
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_DELAY	0	double	Length of time to wait (in seconds) befor...	analysis, causal, custom, libomnitrace, o...
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_DURATION	0	double	Length of time to perform causal experime...	analysis, causal, custom, libomnitrace, o...
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_FUNCTION_EXCLUDE		string	Excludes functions matching the list of p...	analysis, causal, custom, libomnitrace, o...
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_FUNCTION_SCOPE		string	List of <function> regex entries for caus...	analysis, causal, custom, libomnitrace, o...
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_RANDOM_SEED	0	unsigned long	Seed for random number generator which se...	analysis, causal, custom, libomnitrace, o...
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_SOURCE_EXCLUDE		string	Excludes source files or source file + li...	analysis, causal, custom, libomnitrace, o...
OMNITRACE_CAUSAL_SOURCE_SCOPE		string	Limits causal experiments to the source f...	analysis, causal, custom, libomnitrace, o...

Environment Variables

HARDWARE COUNTER	AVAILABLE	DESCRIPTION
CPU		
PAPI_L1_DCM	true	Level 1 data cache misses
PAPI_L1_ICM	false	Level 1 instruction cache misses
PAPI_L2_DCM	true	Level 2 data cache misses
PAPI_L2_ICM	true	Level 2 instruction cache misses
PAPI_L3_DCM	false	Level 3 data cache misses
PAPI_L3_ICM	false	Level 3 instruction cache misses
PAPI_L1_TCM		Level 1 cache misses

CPU Hardware Counters

perf::CYCLES	true	PERF_COUNT_HW_CPU_CYCLES
perf::CYCLES:u=0	true	perf::CYCLES + monitor at user level
perf::CYCLES:k=0	true	perf::CYCLES + monitor at kernel level
perf::CYCLES:h=0	true	perf::CYCLES + monitor at hypervisor level
perf::CYCLES:period=0	true	perf::CYCLES + sampling period
perf::CYCLES:freq=0	true	perf::CYCLES + sampling frequency (Hz)
perf::CYCLES:precise=0	true	perf::CYCLES + precise event sampling
perf::CYCLES:excl=0	true	perf::CYCLES + exclusive access

TCC_NORMAL_WRITEBACK_sum:device=0	true	Number of writebacks due to requests that...
TCC_ALL_TC_OP_WB_WRITEBACK_sum:device=0	true	Number of writebacks due to all TC_OP wri...
TCC_NORMAL_EVICT_sum:device=0	true	Number of evictions due to requests that ...
TCC_ALL_TC_OP_INV_EVICT_sum:device=0	true	Number of evictions due to all TC_OP inva...
TCC_EA_RDREQ_DRAM_sum:device=0	true	Number of TCC/EA read requests (either 32...
TCC_EA_WRREQ_DRAM_sum:device=0	true	Number of TCC/EA write requests (either 3...
FETCH_SIZE:device=0	true	The total kilobytes fetched from the vide...
WRITE_SIZE:device=0	true	The total kilobytes written to the video ...
WRITE_REQ_32B:device=0	true	The total number of 32-byte effective mem...
GPUBusy:device=0	true	The percentage of time GPU was busy.
Wavefronts:device=0		Total wavefronts.
VALUInsts:device=0	true	The average number of vector ALU instruct...
SALUInsts:device=0	true	The average number of scalar ALU instruct...
SFetchInsts:device=0	true	The average number of scalar fetch instr...
GDSInsts:device=0	true	The average number of GDS read or GDS wri...
MemUnitBusy:device=0	true	The percentage of GPUtime the memory unit...
ALUStalledByLDS:device=0	true	The percentage of GPUtime ALU units are s...

GPU Hardware Counters

A very small subset of the counters shown here

Commonly Used GPU Counters

VALUUtilization	The percentage of ALUs active in a wave. Low VALUUtilization is likely due to high divergence or a poorly sized grid
VALUBusy	The percentage of GPUTime vector ALU instructions are processed. Can be thought of as something like compute utilization
FetchSize	The total kilobytes fetched from global memory
WriteSize	The total kilobytes written to global memory
L2CacheHit	The percentage of fetch, write, atomic, and other instructions that hit the data in L2 cache
MemUnitBusy	The percentage of GPUTime the memory unit is active. The result includes the stall time
MemUnitStalled	The percentage of GPUTime the memory unit is stalled
WriteUnitStalled	The percentage of GPUTime the write unit is stalled

Modify config file

Create a config file in \$HOME:

```
$ omnitrace-avail -G $HOME/.omnitrace.cfg
```

Modify the config file \$HOME/.omnitrace.cfg to add desired metrics and for concerned GPU#ID:

```
...
OMNITRACE_ROCM_EVENTS = GPUBusy:device=0,
Wavefronts:device=0, MemUnitBusy:device=0
...
```

To profile desired metrics for all participating GPUs:

```
...
OMNITRACE_ROCM_EVENTS = GPUBusy, Wavefronts,
MemUnitBusy
...
```

Full list at: <https://github.com/ROCm-Developer-Tools/rocprofiler/blob/amd-master/test/tool/metrics.xml>

Execution with Hardware Counters

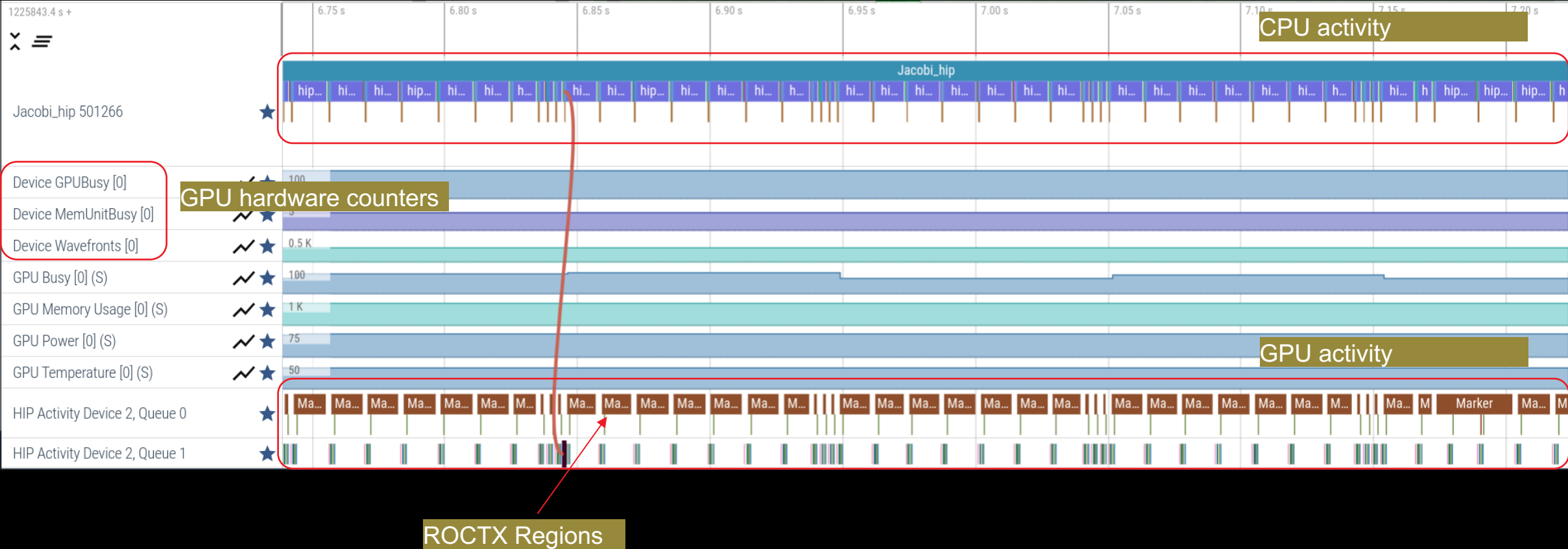
(after modifying cfg file to set up OMNITRACE_ROCM_EVENTS with GPU metrics)

```
$ srun -n 1 omnitrace-run -- ./Jacobi_hip.inst -g 1 1
```

```
[omnitrace][501266][0][omnitrace_finalize] Finalizing perfetto...
[omnitrace][501266][perfetto]> Outputting '/shared/prod/home/ssitaram/HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/jacobi/omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/perfetto-trace-0.proto' (11
.. Done
[omnitrace][501266][rocprof-device-0-GPUBusy]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/rocprof-device-0-GPUBusy-0.json'
[omnitrace][501266][rocprof-device-0-GPUBusy]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/rocprof-device-0-GPUBusy-0.txt'
[omnitrace][501266][rocprof-device-0-Wavefronts]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/rocprof-device-0-Wavefronts-0.json'
[omnitrace][501266][rocprof-device-0-Wavefronts]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/rocprof-device-0-Wavefronts-0.txt'
[omnitrace][501266][rocprof-device-0-MemUnitBusy]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/rocprof-device-0-MemUnitBusy-0.json'
[omnitrace][501266][rocprof-device-0-MemUnitBusy]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/rocprof-device-0-MemUnitBusy-0.txt'
[omnitrace][501266][trip_count]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/trip_count-0.json'
[omnitrace][501266][trip_count]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/trip_count-0.txt'
[omnitrace][501266][wall_clock]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/wall_clock-0.json'
[omnitrace][501266][wall_clock]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/wall_clock-0.txt'
[omnitrace][501266][roctracer]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/roctracer-0.json'
[omnitrace][501266][roctracer]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/roctracer-0.txt'
[omnitrace][501266][sampling_percent]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/sampling_percent-0.json'
[omnitrace][501266][sampling_percent]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/sampling_percent-0.txt'
[omnitrace][501266][sampling_cpu_clock]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/sampling_cpu_clock-0.json'
[omnitrace][501266][sampling_cpu_clock]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/sampling_cpu_clock-0.txt'
[omnitrace][501266][sampling_wall_clock]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/sampling_wall_clock-0.json'
[omnitrace][501266][sampling_wall_clock]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/sampling_wall_clock-0.txt'
[omnitrace][501266][sampling_gpu_memory_usage]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/sampling_gpu_memory_usage-0.json'
[omnitrace][501266][sampling_gpu_memory_usage]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/sampling_gpu_memory_usage-0.txt'
[omnitrace][501266][sampling_gpu_power]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/sampling_gpu_power-0.json'
[omnitrace][501266][sampling_gpu_power]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/sampling_gpu_power-0.txt'
[omnitrace][501266][sampling_gpu_temperature]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/sampling_gpu_temperature-0.json'
[omnitrace][501266][sampling_gpu_temperature]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/sampling_gpu_temperature-0.txt'
[omnitrace][501266][sampling_gpu_busy_percent]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/sampling_gpu_busy_percent-0.json'
[omnitrace][501266][sampling_gpu_busy_percent]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/sampling_gpu_busy_percent-0.txt'
[omnitrace][501266][metadata]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/metadata-0.json' and 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip-output/2023-03-15_22.57/functions-0.json'
[omnitrace][501266][0][omnitrace_finalize] Finalized: 31.657272 sec wall_clock, 0.000 MB peak_rss, 179.700 MB page_rss, 29.950000 sec cpu_clock, 94.6 % cpu_util
[889.832] perfetto.cc:60129 Tracing session 1 ended, total sessions:0
```

GPU hardware
counters

Visualization with Hardware Counters



Tracing Multiple Ranks



Profiling Multiple MPI Ranks – Jacobi Example

Binary Rewrite

Generating a new /library with instrumentation built-in:

```
$ omnitrace-instrument -o Jacobi_hip.inst --  
./Jacobi_hip
```

Run the instrumented binary with 2 ranks:

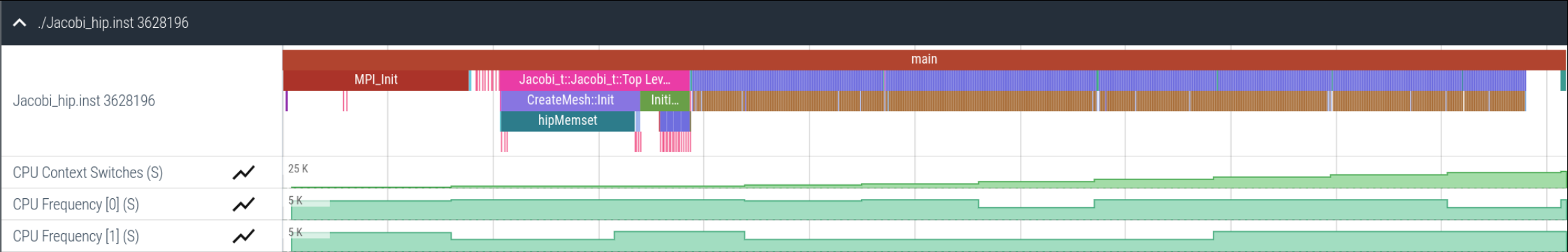
```
$ srun -n 2 omnitrace-run --./Jacobi_hip.inst -g 2 1
```

```
[omnitrace][3628199][perfetto]> Outputting '/home/ssitaram/git/HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/jacobi/omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_18.02/perfetto-trace-1.proto'  
[perfetto]> Outputting '/home/ssitaram/git/HPCTrainingExamples/HIP/jacobi/omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_18.02/perfetto-trace-0.proto' (7856.71 KB / 7.86 M  
[omnitrace][3628199][wall_clock]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_18.02/wall_clock-1.json'  
[omnitrace][3628196][wall_clock]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_18.02/wall_clock-0.json'  
[omnitrace][3628199][wall_clock]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_18.02/wall_clock-1.txt'  
[omnitrace][3628196][wall_clock]> Outputting 'omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_18.02/wall_clock-0.txt'
```

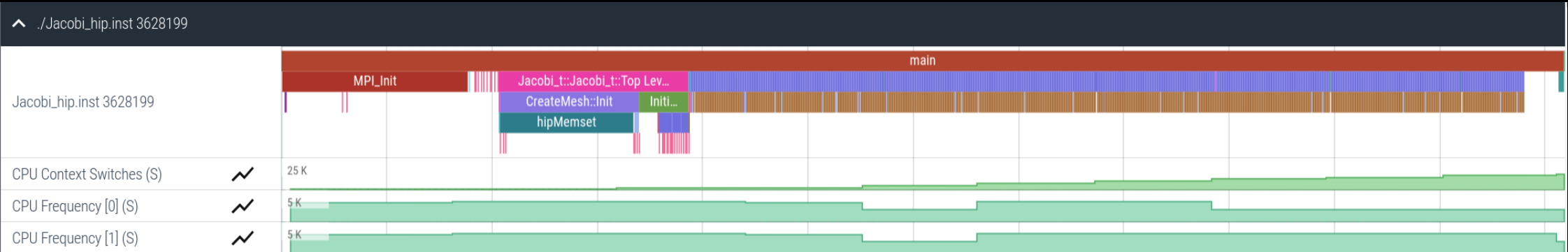
All output files are generated for each rank

Visualizing Traces from Multiple Ranks - Separately

MPI 0



MPI 1

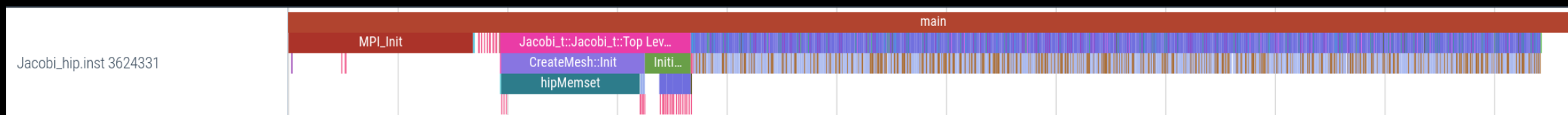


Statistical Sampling

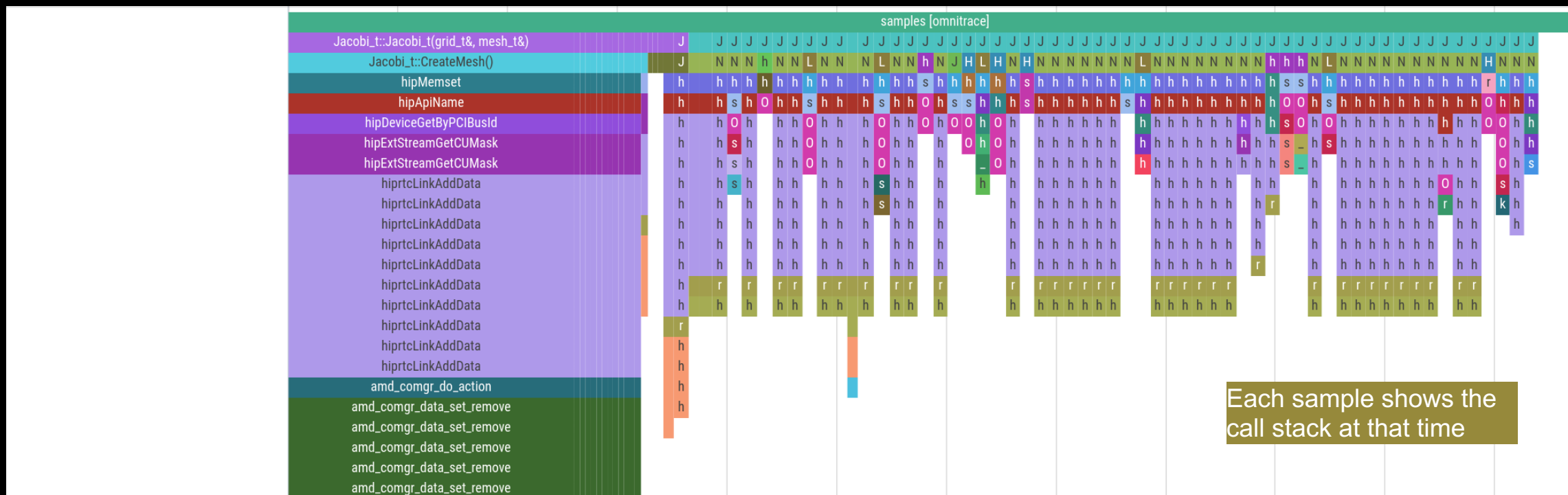


Sampling Call-Stack (I)

```
OMNITRACE_USE_SAMPLING = false
```



```
OMNITRACE USE SAMPLING = true; OMNITRACE SAMPLING FREQ = 100 (100 samples per second)
```



Each sample shows the call stack at that time

Scroll down all the way in Perfetto to see the sampling output!

Sampling Call-Stack (II)

Zoom in call-stack sampling

samples [omnitrace]										
Jacobi_...	Jacobi_t::Run()	Jacobi_t::Run()	Jacobi_t::Run()	Jacobi_t::Run()	Jacobi_t::Run()	Jacobi_t::Run()	Jacobi_t::Run()	Jacobi_t::Run()	Jacobi_t::Run()	Jacobi_t::Ru...
Norm(gr...	LocalLaplacian(gri...	Norm(grid_t&, me...	Norm(grid_t&, me...	hipEventRecord	Norm(grid_t&, me...	JacobiIteration(...	HaloExchange(gri...	LocalLaplacian(g...	HaloExchange(grid_...	Norm(grid_t&...
hipMemc...	hipLaunchKernel	hipMemcpy	hipMemcpy	std::basic_string<...	hipMemcpy	hipLaunchKernel	hipStreamSynchro...	hipLaunchKernel	hipStreamSynchroni...	hipMemcpy
hipApiN...	std::basic_string<...	hipApiName	hipApiName	OnUnload	hipApiName	std::basic_strin...	std::basic_strin...	hipMemPoolGetAtt...	hipLaunchHostFunc	hipApiName
hiprtcL...	OnUnload	hiprtcLinkAddData	hiprtcLinkAddData	OnUnload	hiprtcLinkAddData	OnUnload	OnUnload	hip_impl::hipLau...	OnUnload	hiprtcLinkAd...
hiprtcL...	OnUnload	hiprtcLinkAddData	hiprtcLinkAddData		hiprtcLinkAddData		OnUnload	hipGetCmdName	OnUnload	hiprtcLinkAd...
hiprtcL...	OnUnload	hiprtcLinkAddData	hiprtcLinkAddData		hiprtcLinkAddData			__hipGetPCH	OnUnload	hiprtcLinkAd...
hiprtcL...	std::ostream& std:...	hiprtcLinkAddData	hiprtcLinkAddData		hiprtcLinkAddData			hipIpcGetEventHa...		hiprtcLinkAd...
hiprtcL...	std::ostreambuf_it...	hiprtcLinkAddData	hiprtcLinkAddData		hiprtcLinkAddData					hiprtcLinkAd...
hiprtcL...		hiprtcLinkAddData	hiprtcLinkAddData		hiprtcLinkAddData					hiprtcLinkAd...
hiprtcL...		hiprtcLinkAddData	hiprtcLinkAddData		hiprtcLinkAddData					hiprtcLinkAd...
hiprtcL...		hiprtcLinkAddData	hiprtcLinkAddData		hiprtcLinkAddData					hiprtcLinkAd...
roctrac...		roctracer_disabl...	roctracer_disabl...		roctracer_disabl...					roctracer_di...
hsa_amd...		hsa_amd_image_ge...	hsa_amd_image_ge...		hsa_amd_image_ge...					hsa_amd_imag...

Thread 0 (S) 3625610

← Sampling data is annotated with (S)

Other Features



Kernel Durations

```
$ cat omnitrace-Jacobi_hip.inst-output/2023-03-15_13.57/wall_clock-0.txt
```

If you do not see a wall_clock.txt dumped by omnitrace, try modify the config file \$HOME/.omnitrace.cfg and enable OMNITRACE_USE_TIMEMORY:

```
...
OMNITRACE_USE_PERFETTO           = true
OMNITRACE_PROFILE                 = true
OMNITRACE_USE_SAMPLING           = false
...
```

0>>>	_MPI_Allreduce	1	5	wall_clock	sec	0.000012	0.000012	0.000012	0.000012	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>>	_hipDeviceSynchronize	1	5	wall_clock	sec	0.000019	0.000019	0.000019	0.000019	0.000000	0.000000	94.4
0>>>	_NormKernel1(int, double, double, double const*, double*)	1	6	wall_clock	sec	0.000001	0.000001	0.000001	0.000001	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>>	_NormKernel2(int, double const*, double*)	1	6	wall_clock	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>>	_MPI_Barrier	1	5	wall_clock	sec	0.000001	0.000001	0.000001	0.000001	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>>	_hipEventRecord	2	5	wall_clock	sec	0.000027	0.000014	0.000011	0.000016	0.000000	0.000003	100.0
0>>>	_Halo D2H::Halo Exchange	1	5	wall_clock	sec	1.628420	1.628420	1.628420	1.628420	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>>	_hipStreamSynchronize	1	6	wall_clock	sec	0.000003	0.000003	0.000003	0.000003	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>>	_MPI Exchange::Halo Exchange	1	6	wall_clock	sec	1.628395	1.628395	1.628395	1.628395	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>>	_MPI_Waitall	1	7	wall_clock	sec	0.000002	0.000002	0.000002	0.000002	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>>	_Halo H2D::Halo Exchange	1	7	wall_clock	sec	1.628104	1.628104	1.628104	1.628104	0.000000	0.000000	0.0
0>>>	_hipStreamSynchronize	1	8	wall_clock	sec	0.000003	0.000003	0.000003	0.000003	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>>	_hipLaunchKernel	5	8	wall_clock	sec	0.000615	0.000123	0.000005	0.000578	0.000000	0.000254	99.6
0>>>	_mbind	1	9	wall_clock	sec	0.000003	0.000003	0.000003	0.000003	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>>	_hipMemcpy	1	8	wall_clock	sec	0.001122	0.001122	0.001122	0.001122	0.000000	0.000000	99.9
0>>>	_LocalLaplacianKernel(int, int, int, double, double, double const*, double*)	1	9	wall_clock	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>>	_HaloLaplacianKernel(int, int, int, double, double, double const*, double const*, double*)	1	9	wall_clock	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>>	_JacobiIterationKernel(int, double, double, double const*, double const*, double*, double*)	1	9	wall_clock	sec	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	100.0

Durations

Call Stack

Text file is for quick reference. JSON output is easy to script for and can be read by Hatchet, a Python package (<https://hatchet.readthedocs.io/en/latest/>)

Kernel Durations (flat profile)

Edit in your omnitrace.cfg:

```
OMNITRACE_PROFILE = true
OMNITRACE_FLAT_PROFILE = true
```

Use flat profile to see aggregate duration of kernels and functions

REAL-CLOCK TIMER (I.E. WALL-CLOCK TIMER)											
LABEL	COUNT	DEPTH	METRIC	UNITS	SUM	MEAN	MIN	MAX	VAR	STDDEV	% SELF
0>>> main	1	0	wall_clock	sec	82.739099	82.739099	82.739099	82.739099	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> MPI_Init	1	0	wall_clock	sec	34.056610	34.056610	34.056610	34.056610	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> pthread_create	3	0	wall_clock	sec	0.014644	0.004881	0.001169	0.011974	0.000038	0.006145	100.0
0>>> mbind	285	0	wall_clock	sec	0.001793	0.000006	0.000005	0.000020	0.000000	0.000002	100.0
0>>> MPI_Comm_dup	1	0	wall_clock	sec	0.000212	0.000212	0.000212	0.000212	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> MPI_Comm_rank	1	0	wall_clock	sec	0.000041	0.000041	0.000041	0.000041	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> MPI_Comm_size	1	0	wall_clock	sec	0.000004	0.000004	0.000004	0.000004	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> hipInit	1	0	wall_clock	sec	0.000372	0.000372	0.000372	0.000372	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> hipGetDeviceCount	1	0	wall_clock	sec	0.000017	0.000017	0.000017	0.000017	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> MPI_Allgather	1	0	wall_clock	sec	0.000009	0.000009	0.000009	0.000009	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> hipSetDevice	1	0	wall_clock	sec	0.000024	0.000024	0.000024	0.000024	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> hipHostMalloc	3	0	wall_clock	sec	0.126827	0.042276	0.000176	0.126453	0.005314	0.072900	100.0
0>>> hipMalloc	7	0	wall_clock	sec	0.000458	0.000065	0.000024	0.000178	0.000000	0.000052	100.0
0>>> hipMemset	1	0	wall_clock	sec	35.770403	35.770403	35.770403	35.770403	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> hipStreamCreate	2	0	wall_clock	sec	0.016750	0.008375	0.005339	0.011412	0.000018	0.004295	100.0
0>>> hipMemcpy	1005	0	wall_clock	sec	8.506781	0.008464	0.000610	0.039390	0.000023	0.004844	100.0
0>>> hipEventCreate	2	0	wall_clock	sec	0.000037	0.000018	0.000016	0.000021	0.000000	0.000003	100.0
0>>> hipLaunchKernel	5002	0	wall_clock	sec	0.181301	0.000036	0.000025	0.012046	0.000000	0.000278	100.0
0>>> MPI_Allreduce	1003	0	wall_clock	sec	0.002009	0.000002	0.000001	0.000022	0.000000	0.000001	100.0
0>>> hipDeviceSynchronize	1001	0	wall_clock	sec	0.016813	0.000017	0.000015	0.000043	0.000000	0.000004	100.0
0>>> MPI_Barrier	3	0	wall_clock	sec	0.000007	0.000002	0.000001	0.000004	0.000000	0.000001	100.0
0>>> hipEventRecord	2000	0	wall_clock	sec	0.046701	0.000023	0.000020	0.000225	0.000000	0.000006	100.0
0>>> hipStreamSynchronize	2000	0	wall_clock	sec	0.030366	0.000015	0.000013	0.000382	0.000000	0.000009	100.0
0>>> MPI_Waitall	1000	0	wall_clock	sec	0.001665	0.000002	0.000002	0.000007	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> NormKernel1(int, double, double, double const*, double*)	1001	0	wall_clock	sec	0.001502	0.000002	0.000001	0.000006	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> NormKernel2(int, double const*, double*)	1000	0	wall_clock	sec	0.001972	0.000002	0.000001	0.000003	0.000000	0.000001	100.0
0>>> LocalLaplacianKernel(int, int, int, double, double, double const*, double*)	1000	0	wall_clock	sec	0.001488	0.000001	0.000001	0.000007	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> HaloLaplacianKernel(int, int, int, double, double, double const*, double const*, double*)	1000	0	wall_clock	sec	0.001465	0.000001	0.000001	0.000007	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> hipEventElapsedTime	1000	0	wall_clock	sec	0.015060	0.000015	0.000014	0.000041	0.000000	0.000002	100.0
0>>> JacobiIterationKernel(int, double, double, double const*, double const*, double*, double*)	1000	0	wall_clock	sec	0.002598	0.000003	0.000001	0.000006	0.000000	0.000001	100.0
0>>> pthread_join	1	0	wall_clock	sec	0.000396	0.000396	0.000396	0.000396	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> hipFree	4	0	wall_clock	sec	0.000526	0.000131	0.000021	0.000243	0.000000	0.000091	100.0
0>>> hipHostFree	2	0	wall_clock	sec	0.000637	0.000318	0.000287	0.000350	0.000000	0.000044	100.0
3>>> start_thread	1	0	wall_clock	sec	0.004802	0.004802	0.004802	0.004802	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
1>>> start_thread	1	0	wall_clock	sec	81.987779	81.987779	81.987779	81.987779	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
2>>> start_thread	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

User API

Omnitrace provides an API to control the instrumentation

API Call	Description
<code>int omnitrace_user_start_trace(void)</code>	Enable tracing on this thread and all subsequently created threads
<code>int omnitrace_user_stop_trace(void)</code>	Disable tracing on this thread and all subsequently created threads
<code>int omnitrace_user_start_thread_trace(void)</code>	Enable tracing on this specific thread. Does not apply to subsequently created threads
<code>int omnitrace_user_stop_thread_trace(void)</code>	Disable tracing on this specific thread. Does not apply to subsequently created threads
<code>int omnitrace_user_push_region(void)</code>	Start user defined region
<code>int omnitrace_user_pop_region(void)</code>	End user defined region, FILO (first in last out) is expected

All the API calls: https://amdresearch.github.io/omnitrace/user_api.html

OpenMP®

We use the example `omnitrace/examples/openmp/`

Build the code with CMake:

```
$ cmake -B build
```

Use the `openmp-lu` binary, which can be executed with:

```
$ export OMP_NUM_THREADS=4
```

```
$ srun -n 1 -c 4 ./openmp-lu
```

Create a new instrumented binary:

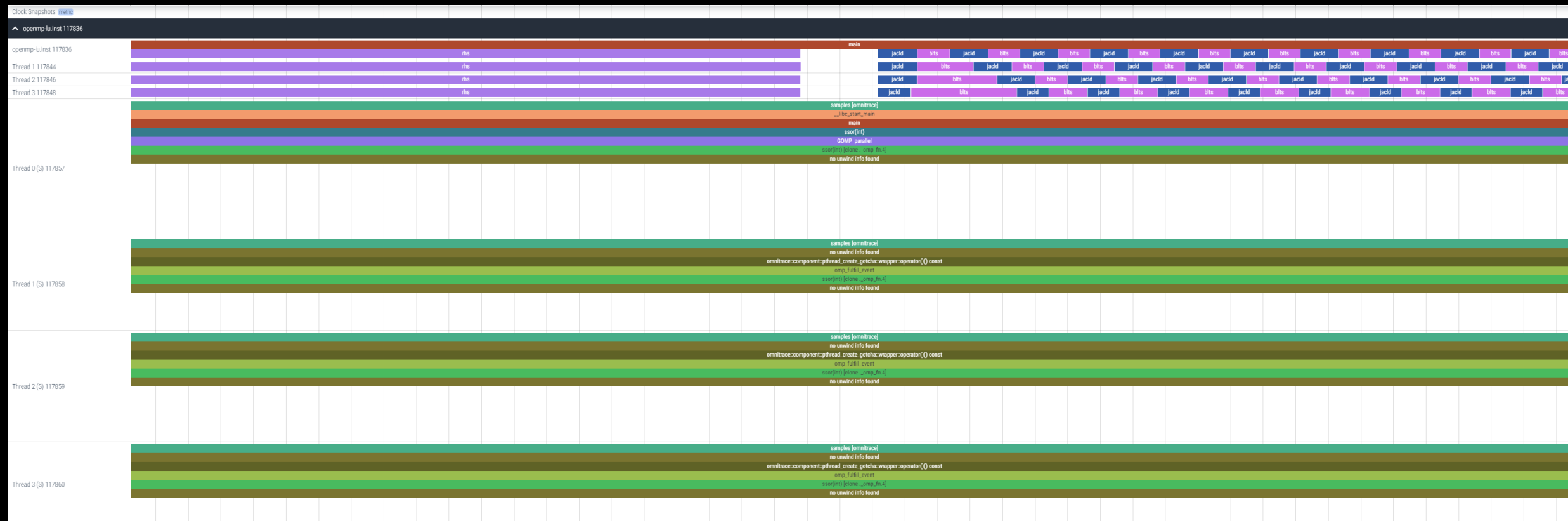
```
$ srun -n 1 omnitrace-instrument -o openmp-lu.inst --  
./openmp-lu
```

Execute the new binary:

```
$ srun -n 1 -c 4 omnitrace-run -- ./openmp-lu.inst
```

REAL-CLOCK TIMER (I.E. WALL-CLOCK TIMER)											
LABEL	COUNT	DEPTH	METRIC	UNITS	SUM	MEAN	MIN	MAX	VAR	STDDEV	% SELF
0>>> main	1	0	wall_clock	sec	1.096702	1.096702	1.096702	1.096702	0.000000	0.000000	9.2
0>>> _pthread_create	3	1	wall_clock	sec	0.002931	0.000977	0.000733	0.001420	0.000000	0.000385	0.0
3>>> _start_thread	1	2	wall_clock	sec	2.451520	2.451520	2.451520	2.451520	0.000000	0.000000	57.7
3>>> _erhs	1	3	wall_clock	sec	0.001906	0.001906	0.001906	0.001906	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
3>>> _rhs	153	3	wall_clock	sec	0.229893	0.001503	0.001410	0.001893	0.000000	0.000116	100.0
3>>> _jacld	3473	3	wall_clock	sec	0.170568	0.000049	0.000047	0.000135	0.000000	0.000005	100.0
3>>> _blts	3473	3	wall_clock	sec	0.232512	0.000067	0.000040	0.000959	0.000000	0.000034	100.0
3>>> _jacu	3473	3	wall_clock	sec	0.166229	0.000048	0.000046	0.000148	0.000000	0.000005	100.0
3>>> _buts	3473	3	wall_clock	sec	0.236484	0.000068	0.000041	0.000391	0.000000	0.000031	100.0
2>>> _start_thread	1	2	wall_clock	sec	2.452309	2.452309	2.452309	2.452309	0.000000	0.000000	58.1
2>>> _erhs	1	3	wall_clock	sec	0.001895	0.001895	0.001895	0.001895	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
2>>> _rhs	153	3	wall_clock	sec	0.229776	0.001502	0.001410	0.001893	0.000000	0.000115	100.0
2>>> _jacld	3473	3	wall_clock	sec	0.204609	0.000059	0.000057	0.000152	0.000000	0.000006	100.0
2>>> _blts	3473	3	wall_clock	sec	0.192986	0.000056	0.000047	0.000358	0.000000	0.000026	100.0
2>>> _jacu	3473	3	wall_clock	sec	0.199029	0.000057	0.000055	0.000188	0.000000	0.000007	100.0
2>>> _buts	3473	3	wall_clock	sec	0.198972	0.000057	0.000048	0.000372	0.000000	0.000026	100.0
1>>> _start_thread	1	2	wall_clock	sec	2.453072	2.453072	2.453072	2.453072	0.000000	0.000000	58.6
1>>> _erhs	1	3	wall_clock	sec	0.001905	0.001905	0.001905	0.001905	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
1>>> _rhs	153	3	wall_clock	sec	0.229742	0.001502	0.001410	0.001894	0.000000	0.000115	100.0
1>>> _jacld	3473	3	wall_clock	sec	0.206418	0.000059	0.000057	0.000934	0.000000	0.000016	100.0
1>>> _blts	3473	3	wall_clock	sec	0.186097	0.000054	0.000047	0.000344	0.000000	0.000023	100.0
1>>> _jacu	3473	3	wall_clock	sec	0.198689	0.000057	0.000055	0.000186	0.000000	0.000006	100.0
1>>> _buts	3473	3	wall_clock	sec	0.192470	0.000055	0.000048	0.000356	0.000000	0.000022	100.0
0>>> _erhs	1	1	wall_clock	sec	0.001961	0.001961	0.001961	0.001961	0.000000	0.000000	100.0
0>>> _rhs	153	1	wall_clock	sec	0.229889	0.001503	0.001410	0.001891	0.000000	0.000116	100.0
0>>> _jacld	3473	1	wall_clock	sec	0.208903	0.000060	0.000057	0.000359	0.000000	0.000017	100.0
0>>> _blts	3473	1	wall_clock	sec	0.172646	0.000050	0.000047	0.000822	0.000000	0.000020	100.0
0>>> _jacu	3473	1	wall_clock	sec	0.202130	0.000058	0.000055	0.000350	0.000000	0.000016	100.0
0>>> _buts	3473	1	wall_clock	sec	0.176975	0.000051	0.000048	0.000377	0.000000	0.000016	100.0
0>>> _pintgr	1	1	wall_clock	sec	0.000054	0.000054	0.000054	0.000054	0.000000	0.000000	100.0

OpenMP® Visualization



Python™

The omnitrace Python package is installed in
/path/omnitrace_install/lib/pythonX.Y/site-packages/omnitrace

Setup the environment:

```
$ export PYTHONPATH=/path/omnitrace/lib/python/site-packages/:${PYTHONPATH}
```

We use the Fibonacci example in
omnitrace/examples/python/source.py

Execute the python program with:

```
$ omnitrace-python ./external.py
```

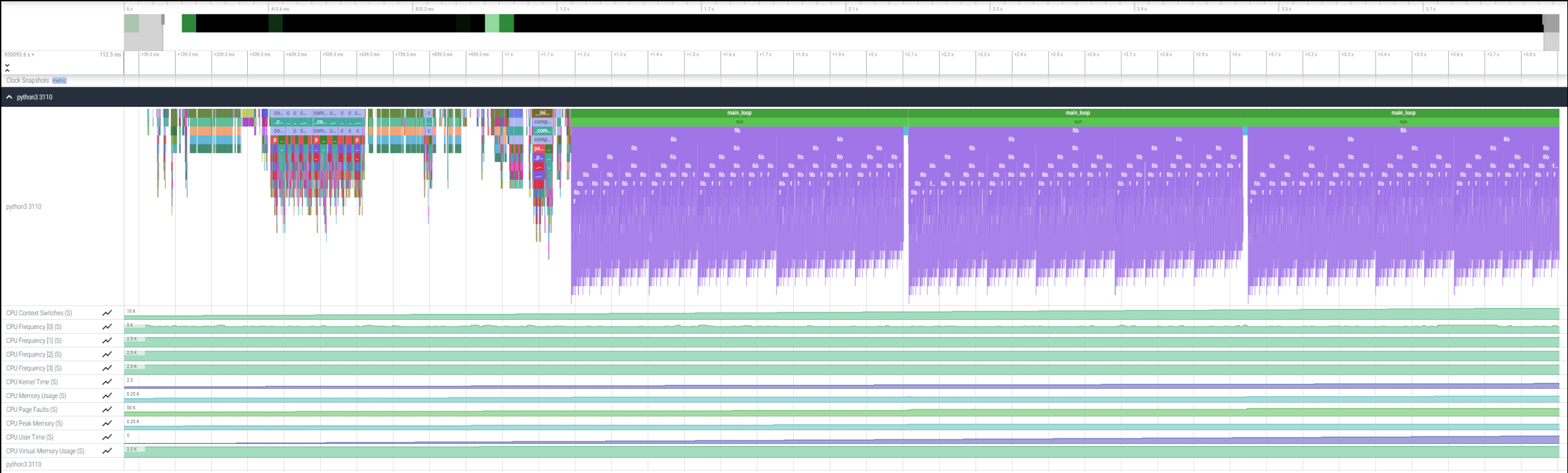
Profiled data is dumped in output directory:

```
$ cat omnitrace-source-output/timestamp/wall_clock.txt
```

REAL-CLOCK TIMER (I.E. WALL-CLOCK TIMER)											
LABEL	COUNT	DEPTH	METRIC	UNITS	SUM	MEAN	MIN	MAX	VAR	STDDEV	% SELF
0>>> main_loop	3	0	wall_clock	sec	2.786075	0.928692	0.926350	0.932130	0.000009	0.003042	0.0
0>>> _run	3	1	wall_clock	sec	2.785799	0.928600	0.926250	0.932037	0.000009	0.003043	0.0
0>>> _fib	3	2	wall_clock	sec	2.750104	0.916701	0.914454	0.919577	0.000007	0.002619	0.0
0>>> _fib	6	3	wall_clock	sec	2.749901	0.458317	0.348962	0.567074	0.013958	0.118145	0.0
0>>> _fib	12	4	wall_clock	sec	2.749511	0.229126	0.133382	0.350765	0.006504	0.080650	0.0
0>>> _fib	24	5	wall_clock	sec	2.748734	0.114531	0.050867	0.217030	0.002399	0.048977	0.1
0>>> _fib	48	6	wall_clock	sec	2.747118	0.057232	0.019302	0.134596	0.000806	0.028396	0.1
0>>> _fib	96	7	wall_clock	sec	2.743922	0.028583	0.007181	0.083350	0.000257	0.016026	0.2
0>>> _fib	192	8	wall_clock	sec	2.737564	0.014258	0.002690	0.051524	0.000079	0.008887	0.5
0>>> _fib	384	9	wall_clock	sec	2.724966	0.007096	0.000973	0.031798	0.000024	0.004865	0.9
0>>> _fib	768	10	wall_clock	sec	2.699251	0.003515	0.000336	0.019670	0.000007	0.002637	1.9
0>>> _fib	1536	11	wall_clock	sec	2.648006	0.001724	0.000096	0.012081	0.000002	0.001417	3.9
0>>> _fib	3072	12	wall_clock	sec	2.545260	0.000829	0.000016	0.007461	0.000001	0.000758	8.0
0>>> _fib	6078	13	wall_clock	sec	2.342276	0.000385	0.000016	0.004669	0.000000	0.000404	16.0
0>>> _fib	10896	14	wall_clock	sec	1.967475	0.000181	0.000015	0.002752	0.000000	0.000218	28.6
0>>> _fib	15060	15	wall_clock	sec	1.404069	0.000093	0.000015	0.001704	0.000000	0.000123	43.6
0>>> _fib	14280	16	wall_clock	sec	0.701873	0.000055	0.000015	0.001044	0.000000	0.000076	58.3
0>>> _fib	8826	17	wall_clock	sec	0.330189	0.000037	0.000015	0.000620	0.000000	0.000050	70.9
0>>> _fib	3456	18	wall_clock	sec	0.096120	0.000028	0.000015	0.000380	0.000000	0.000034	81.0
0>>> _fib	822	19	wall_clock	sec	0.018294	0.000022	0.000015	0.000209	0.000000	0.000024	88.9
0>>> _fib	108	20	wall_clock	sec	0.002037	0.000019	0.000016	0.000107	0.000000	0.000015	94.9
0>>> _fib	6	21	wall_clock	sec	0.000104	0.000017	0.000016	0.000019	0.000000	0.000001	100.0
0>>> _inefficient	3	2	wall_clock	sec	0.035450	0.011817	0.010096	0.012972	0.000002	0.001519	95.8
0>>> __sum	3	3	wall_clock	sec	0.001494	0.000498	0.000440	0.000537	0.000000	0.000051	100.0

Python documentation: <https://amdresearch.github.io/omnitrace/python.html>

Visualizing Python™ Perfetto Tracing



Kokkos

Omnitrace can instrument Kokkos applications too.

Edit the \$HOME/.omnitrace.cfg file and enable omnitrace:

```
...
OMNITRACE_USE_KOKKOSP = true
...
```

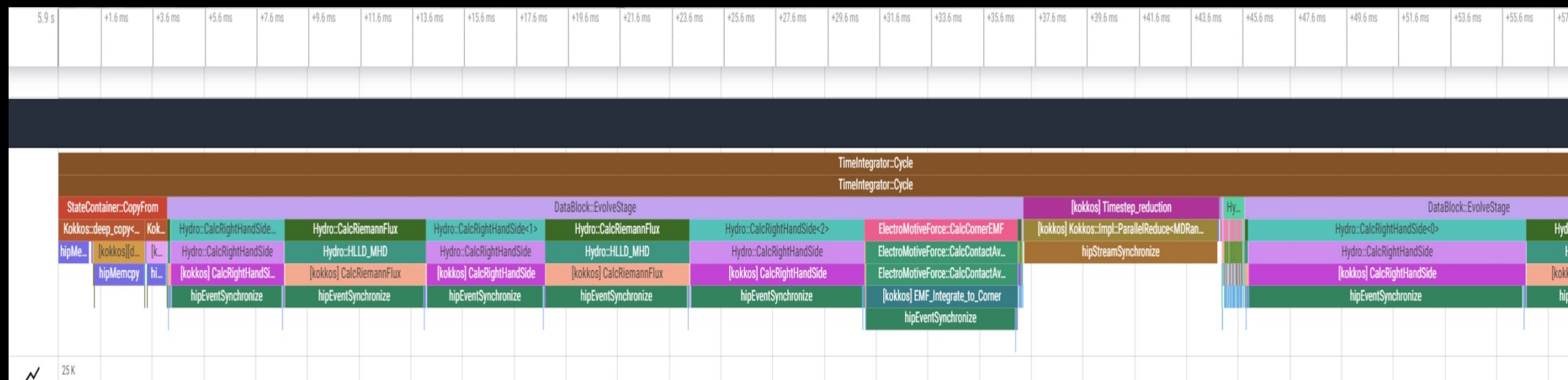
Profiling with omnitrace produces *kokkos*.txt files:

```
$ cat kokkos_memory0.txt
```

0>>>	_[kokkos][dev0] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, post deep copy fence	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_[kokkos] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, post deep copy fence	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_[kokkos][deep_copy] Host=DataBlock_A2_mirror HIP=DataBlock_A2	1	2	kokkos_memory	MB	142	142	100
0>>>	_[kokkos][dev0] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, pre view equality check	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_[kokkos] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, pre view equality check	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_[kokkos][dev0] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, post deep copy fence	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_[kokkos] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, post deep copy fence	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_[kokkos][deep_copy] Host=DataBlock_dV_mirror HIP=DataBlock_dV	1	2	kokkos_memory	MB	140	140	100
0>>>	_[kokkos][dev0] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, pre view equality check	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_[kokkos] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, pre view equality check	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_[kokkos][dev0] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, post deep copy fence	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_[kokkos] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, post deep copy fence	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_DataBlockHost::SyncToDevice()	1	1	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_[kokkos][deep_copy] HIP=Hydro_Vc Host=Hydro_Vc_mirror	1	2	kokkos_memory	MB	1124	1124	100
0>>>	_[kokkos][dev0] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, pre view equality check	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_[kokkos] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, pre view equality check	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
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0>>>	_[kokkos] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, post deep copy fence	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_[kokkos][deep_copy] HIP=Hydro_InvDt Host=Hydro_InvDt_mirror	1	2	kokkos_memory	MB	140	140	100
0>>>	_[kokkos][dev0] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, pre view equality check	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
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0>>>	_[kokkos][dev0] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, post deep copy fence	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_[kokkos] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, post deep copy fence	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_[kokkos][deep_copy] HIP=Hydro_Vs Host=Hydro_Vs_mirror	1	2	kokkos_memory	MB	426	426	100
0>>>	_[kokkos][dev0] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, pre view equality check	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
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0>>>	_[kokkos][dev0] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, post deep copy fence	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0
0>>>	_[kokkos] Kokkos::deep_copy: copy between contiguous views, post deep copy fence	1	3	kokkos_memory	MB	0	0	0

Visualizing Kokkos with Perfetto Trace

- Visualize perfetto-trace-0.proto (with sampling enabled)



Other Executables

- `omnitrace-sample`
 - For sampling with low overhead, use `omnitrace-sample`
 - Use `omnitrace-sample --help` to get relevant options
 - Settings in the OmniTrace config file will be used by `omnitrace-sample`
 - Example invocation to get a flat tracing profile on Host and Device (-PTHD), excluding all components (-E all) and including only rocm-smi, roctracer, rocprofiler and roctx components (-I ...)

```
mpirun -np 1 omnitrace-sample -PTHD -E all -I rocm-smi -I roctracer -I rocprofiler -I roctx -- ./Jacobi_hip -g 1 1
```
- `omnitrace-causal`
 - Invokes causal profiling
- `omnitrace-critical-trace`
 - Post-processing tool for critical-trace data output by omnitrace

Current documentation: <https://amdresearch.github.io/omnitrace/development.html#executables>

Tips & Tricks

- My Perfetto timeline seems weird how can I check the clock skew?
 - Set OMNITRACE_VERBOSE=1 or higher for verbose mode and it will print the timestamp skew
- It takes too long to map rocm-smi samples to kernels.
 - Temporarily set OMNITRACE_USE_ROCM_SMI=OFF
- What is the best way to profile multi-process runs?
 - Use OmniTrace's binary rewrite (-o) option to instrument the binary first, run the instrumented binary with mpirun/srun
- If you are doing binary rewrite and you do not get information about kernels, set:
 - HSA_TOOLS_LIB=libomnitrace.so in the env. and set OMNITRACE_USE_ROCTRACER=ON in the cfg file
- My HIP application hangs in different points, what do I do?
 - Try to set HSA_ENABLE_INTERRUPT=0 in the environment, this changes how HIP runtime is notified when GPU kernels complete
- My Perfetto trace is too big, can I decrease it?
 - Yes, with v1.7.3 and later declare OMNITRACE_PERFETTO_ANNOTATIONS to false
- I want to remove the many rows of CPU frequency lines from the Perfetto trace
 - Declare the OMNITRACE_USE_PROCESS_SAMPLING = false

Summary

- Omnitrace is a powerful tool to understand CPU + GPU activity
 - Ideal for an initial look at how an application runs
- Leverages several other tools and combines their data into a comprehensive output file
 - Some tools used are AMD uProf, rocprof, rocm-smi, roctracer, perf, etc.
- Easy to visualize traces in Perfetto
- Includes several features:
 - Dynamic Instrumentation either at Runtime or using Binary Rewrite
 - Statistical Sampling for call-stack info
 - Process sampling, monitoring of system metrics during application run
 - Causal Profiling
 - Critical Path Tracing



Introduction to Omnipperf

and Hierarchical Roofline on AMD Instinct™ MI200 GPUs

Background – AMD Profilers

ROC-profiler (rocprof)

Hardware Counters

Raw collection of GPU counters and traces

Counter collection with user input files

Counter results printed to a CSV

Traces and timelines

Trace collection support for

CPU copy

HIP API

HSA API

GPU Kernels

Visualisation

Traces visualized with Perfetto

	A	B	C	D	E
1 Name	Calls	TotalDura	AverageN	Percentage	
2 hipMemcpyAsync	99	3.22E+10	3.25E+08	44.14872	
3 hipEventSynchronize	330	2.42E+10	73394557	33.225	
4 hipMemsetAsync	87	7.76E+09	89232696	10.64953	
5 hipHostMalloc	9	5.41E+09	6.01E+08	7.415198	
6 hipDeviceSynchronize	28	1.32E+09	47006288	1.805515	
7 hipHostFree	17	1.05E+09	61534688	1.435014	
8 hipMemcpy	41	8.11E+08	19791876	1.113161	
9 hipLaunchKernel	1856	58082083	31294	0.079676	
10 hipStreamCreate	2	46380834	23190417	0.063625	
11 hipMemset	2	18847246	9423623	0.025854	
12 hipStreamDestroy	2	15183338	7591669	0.020828	
13 hipFree	38	8269713	217624	0.011344	
14 hipEventRecord	330	2520035	7636	0.003457	
15 hipMalloc	30	1484804	49493	0.002037	
16 _hipPopCallConfigura	1856	229159	123	0.000314	
17 _hipPushCallConfigur	1856	224177	120	0.000308	
18 hipGetLastError	1494	100458	67	0.000138	
19 hipEventCreate	330	76675	232	0.000105	
20 hipEventDestroy	330	64671	195	8.87E-05	
21 hipGetDevicePropertie	47	51808	1102	7.11E-05	
22 hipGetDevice	64	11611	181	1.59E-05	
23 hipSetDevice	1	401	401	5.50E-07	
24 hipGetDeviceCount	1	220	220	3.02E-07	

Omnitrace

Trace collection

Comprehensive trace collection

CPU

GPU

Supports

CPU copy

HIP API

HSA API

GPU Kernels

OpenMP®

MPI

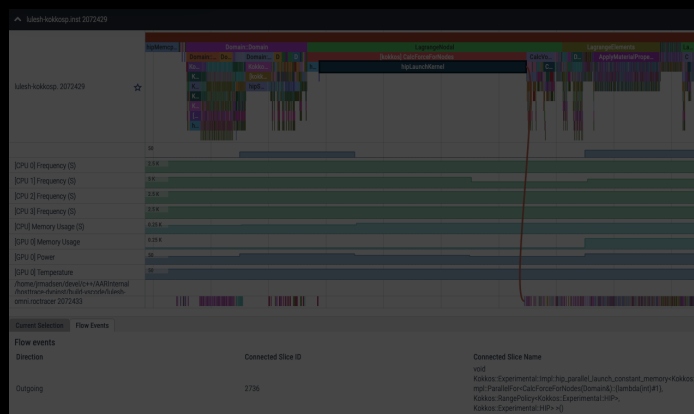
Kokkos

p-threads

multi-GPU

Visualisation

Traces visualized with Perfetto



Omniperf

Performance Analysis

Automated collection of hardware counters

Analysis

Visualisation

Supports

Speed of Light

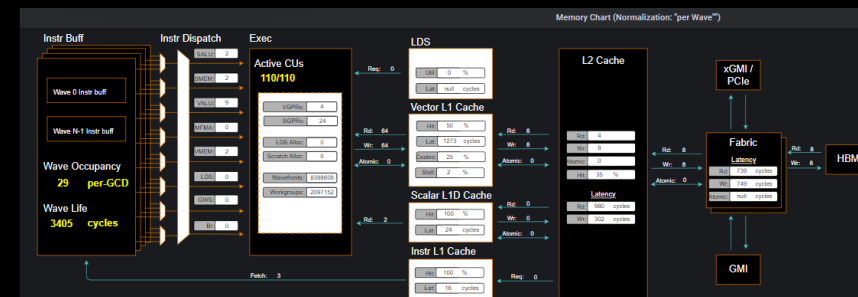
Memory chart

Rooflines

Kernel comparison

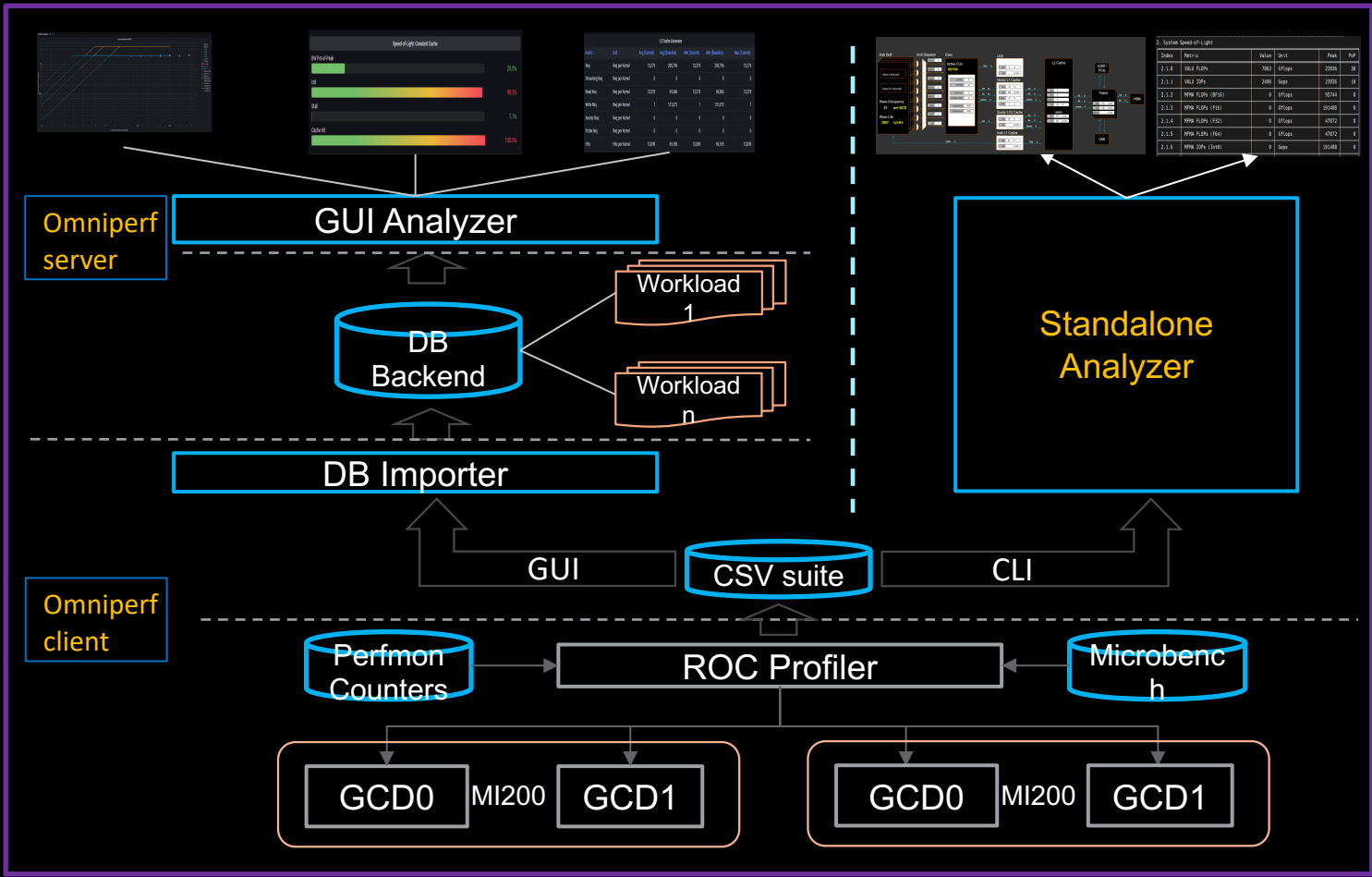
Visualisation

With Grafana or standalone GUI



Omniperf: Automated Collection of Hardware Counters and Analysis

AMD Research Tool	Repository: https://github.com/AMDResearch/omniperf			
	Not part of ROCm stack	Built on top of ROC-profiler		
Integrated Performance Analyzer for AMD GPUs	Speed-of-Light	Roofline	Memory chart	Baseline comparison
	Sub-system performance analysis			
	LDS	vL1D	L2 Cache	HBM
	Shader Compute	Wavefront	Instruction mix	Latencies
INSTINCT™ Support	MI200		MI100	
User Interfaces	Grafana™ GUI	Standalone GUI	Command Line (CLI)	



Refer to [current documentation](#) for recent updates

Omniperf features

Omniperf Features	
MI200 support	Roofline Analysis Panel (<i>Supported on MI200 only, SLES 15 SP3 or RHEL8</i>)
MI100 support	Command Processor (CP) Panel
Standalone GUI Analyzer	Shader Processing Input (SPI) Panel
Grafana/MongoDB GUI Analyzer	Wavefront Launch Panel
Dispatch Filtering	Compute Unit - Instruction Mix Panel
Kernel Filtering	Compute Unit - Pipeline Panel
GPU ID Filtering	Local Data Share (LDS) Panel
Baseline Comparison	Instruction Cache Panel
Multi-Normalizations	Scalar L1D Cache Panel
System Info Panel	Texture Addresser and Data Panel
System Speed-of-Light Panel	Vector L1D Cache Panel
Kernel Statistic Panel	L2 Cache Panel
Memory Chart Analysis Panel	L2 Cache (per-Channel) Panel

Omniperf

- Omniperf is an integrated performance analyzer for AMD GPUs built on ROCprofiler
- Omniperf executes the code many times to collect various hardware counters (over 100 counters default behavior)
- Using specific filtering options (kernel, dispatch ID, metric group), the overhead of profiling can be reduced
- Roofline analysis is supported on MI200 GPUs
- Omniperf shows many panels of metrics based on hardware counters, we will show a few here
- Typical Omniperf workflows:
 - Profile + Analyze with CLI or visualize with standalone GUI
 - Profile + Import to database and visualize with Grafana
- Omniperf targets MI100 and MI200 and future generation AMD GPUs
- Omniperf requires to use just 1 MPI process
- For problems, create an issue here: <https://github.com/AMDResearch/omniperf/issues>

Client-side installation (if required)



Download the latest version from here: <https://github.com/AMDResearch/omniperf/releases>



Full documentation: <https://amdresearch.github.io/omniperf/>

```
wget https://github.com/AMDResearch/omniperf/releases/download/v1.0.8-PR2/omniperf-v1.0.8-PR2.tar.gz

tar zxvf omniperf-v1.0.8-PR2.tar.gz

cd omniperf-v1.0.8-PR2/
python3 -m pip install -t ${INSTALL_DIR}/python-libs -r requirements.txt
mkdir build
cd build
export PYTHONPATH=${INSTALL_DIR}/python-libs:$PYTHONPATH
cmake -DCMAKE_INSTALL_PREFIX=${INSTALL_DIR}/1.0.8 \
      -DPYTHON_DEPS=${INSTALL_DIR}/python-libs \
      -DMOD_INSTALL_PATH=${INSTALL_DIR}/modulefiles ..
make install
export PATH=${INSTALL_DIR}/1.0.8/bin:$PATH
```

Omniperf modes

Profile	Target application is launched using AMD ROC-profiler		
	Kernels	Dispatches	IP Blocks
Analyze	Profiled data is loaded to omniperf CLI		
	Immediate access to metrics		Lightweight standalone GUI
Database	Profiled data is imported to Grafana™ database		
	Grafana™ GUI is based on MongoDB		Interact with saved workload database

Basic command-line syntax:

Profile:

```
$ omniperf profile -n workload_name [profile options]
                        [roofline options] -- <CMD> <ARGS>
```

Analyze:

```
$ omniperf analyze -p
<path/to/workloads/workload_name/mi200/>
```

To use a lightweight standalone GUI with CLI analyzer:

```
$ omniperf analyze -p
<path/to/workloads/workload_name/mi200/> --gui
```

Database:

```
$ omniperf database <interaction type> [connection options]
```

For more information or help use -h/--help/? flags:

```
$ omniperf profile --help
```

For problems, create an issue here: <https://github.com/AMDRResearch/omniperf/issues>

Documentation: <https://amdresearch.github.io/omniperf>

Omniperf profiling

We use the example sample/vcopy.cpp from the Omniperf installation folder:

```
$ wget https://github.com/AMDRResearch/omniperf/raw/main/sample/vcopy.cpp
```

Compile with hipcc:

```
$ hipcc -o vcopy vcopy.cpp
```

Profile with Omniperf:

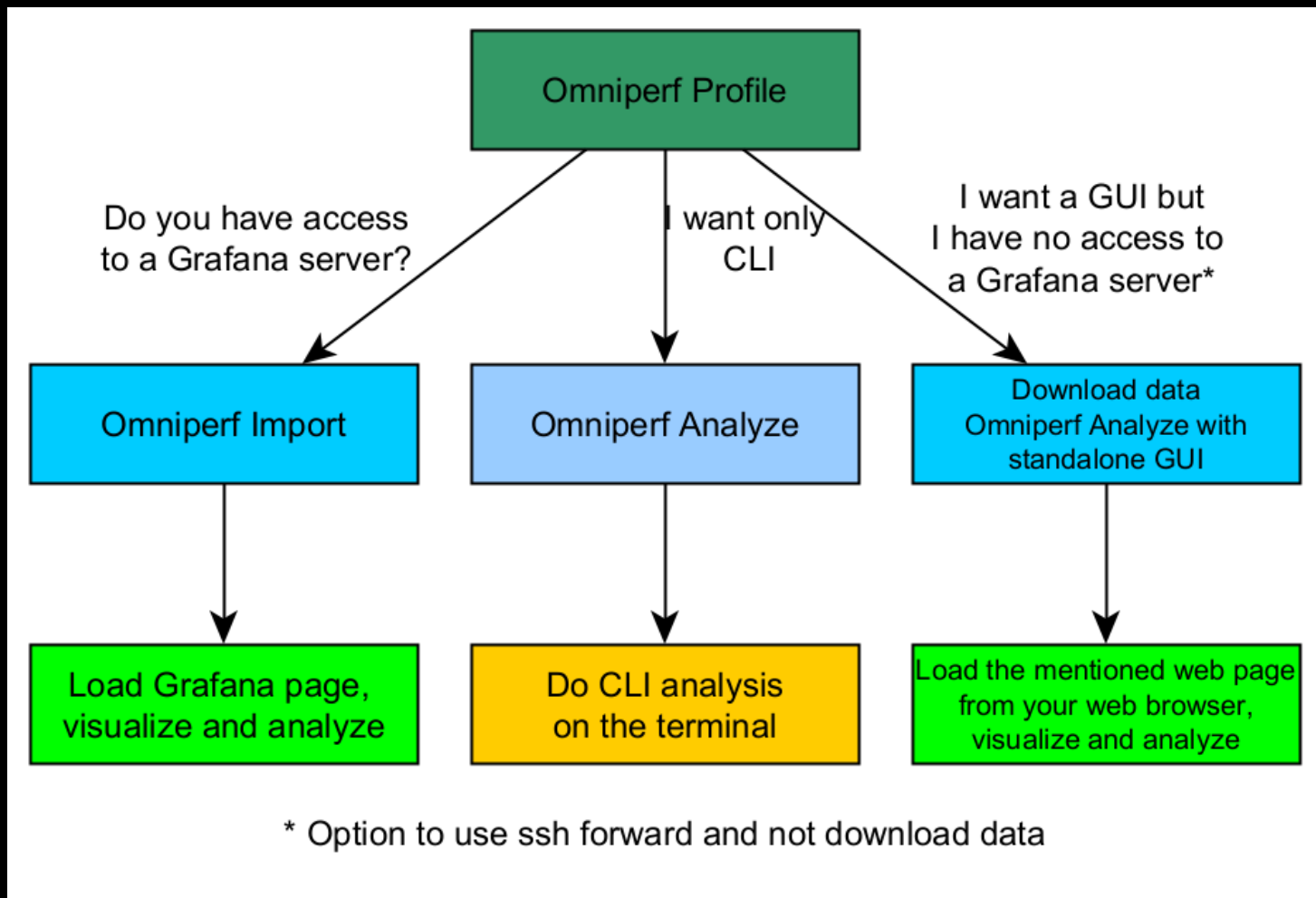
```
$ omniperf profile -n vcopy_all -- ./vcopy -n 1048576 -b 256
...
-----
Profile only
-----

omniperf ver:  1.0.4
Path:  /pfs/lustrep4/scratch/project_462000075/markoman/omniperf-
1.0.4/build/workloads
Target:  mi200
Command:  ./vcopy 1048576 256
Kernel Selection:  None
Dispatch Selection:  None
IP Blocks: All
```

A new directory will be created called workloads/vcopy_all

Note: Omniperf executes the code as many times as required to collect all HW metrics. Use kernel/dispatch filters especially when trying to collect roofline analysis.

Omniperf workflows



Omniperf analyze

We use the example sample/vcopy.cpp from the Omniperf installation folder:

```
$ wget https://github.com/AMDRResearch/omniperf/raw/main/sample/vcopy.cpp
```

Compile with hipcc:

```
$ hipcc --offload-arch=gfx90a -o vcopy vcopy.cpp
```

Profile with Omniperf:

```
$ omniperf profile -n vcopy_all -- ./vcopy -n 1048576 -b 256
```

A new directory will be created called workloads/vcopy_all

Analyze the profiled workload:

```
$ omniperf analyze -p workloads/vcopy_all/mi200/ &> vcopy_analyze.txt
```

0. Top Stat

	KernelName	Count	Sum(ns)	Mean(ns)	Median(ns)	Pct
0	vecCopy(double*, double*, double*, int, int) [clone .kd]	1	341123.00	341123.00	341123.00	100.00

2. System Speed-of-Light

Index	Metric	Value	Unit	Peak	PoP
2.1.0	VALU FLOPs	0.00	Gflop	23936.0	0.0
2.1.1	VALU IOPs	89.14	Giop	23936.0	0.37242200388114116
2.1.2	MFMA FLOPs (BF16)	0.00	Gflop	95744.0	0.0
2.1.3	MFMA FLOPs (F16)	0.00	Gflop	191488.0	0.0
2.1.4	MFMA FLOPs (F32)	0.00	Gflop	47872.0	0.0
2.1.5	MFMA FLOPs (F64)	0.00	Gflop	47872.0	0.0
2.1.6	MFMA IOPs (Int8)	0.00	Giop	191488.0	0.0
2.1.7	Active CUs	58.00	Cus	110	52.72727272727273
2.1.8	SALU Util	3.69	Pct	100	3.6862586934167525
2.1.9	VALU Util	5.90	Pct	100	5.895531580380328
2.1.10	MFMA Util	0.00	Pct	100	0.0
2.1.11	VALU Active Threads/Wave	32.71	Threads	64	51.10526315789473
2.1.12	IPC - Issue	0.00	Instn/cycle	5	10.576640821020212

7.1 Wavefront Launch Stats

Index	Metric	Avg	Min	Max	Unit
7.1.0	Grid Size	1048576.00	1048576.00	1048576.00	Work items
7.1.1	Workgroup Size	256.00	256.00	256.00	Work items
7.1.2	Total Wavefronts	16384.00	16384.00	16384.00	Wavefronts
7.1.3	Saved Wavefronts	0.00	0.00	0.00	Wavefronts
7.1.4	Restored Wavefronts	0.00	0.00	0.00	Wavefronts
7.1.5	VGPRs	44.00	44.00	44.00	Registers
7.1.6	SGPRs	48.00	48.00	48.00	Registers
7.1.7	LDS Allocation	0.00	0.00	0.00	Bytes
7.1.8	Scratch Allocation	16496.00	16496.00	16496.00	Bytes

Omniperf Analyze

- Execute omniperf analyze -h to see various options
- Use specific IP block (-b)

Top kernels:

```
$ srun -n 1 --gpus 1 omniperf analyze -p workloads/vcopy_all/mi200/ -b 0
```

IP Block of wavefronts

```
$ srun -n 1 --gpus 1 omniperf analyze -p workloads/vcopy_all/mi200/ -b 7.1.2
```

0. Top Stat

	KernelName	Count	Sum(ns)	Mean(ns)	Median(ns)	Pct
0	vecCopy(double*, double*, double*, int, int) [clone .kd]	1	20960.00	20960.00	20960.00	100.00

7. Wavefront

7.1 Wavefront Launch Stats

Index	Metric	Avg	Min	Max	Unit
7.1.2	Total Wavefronts	16384.00	16384.00	16384.00	Wavefronts

Omniperf analyze

To see available options and usage instructions:

```
$ omniperf analyze -h
...

Help:
  -h, --help                show this help message and exit

General Options:
  -v, --version              show program's version number and exit
  -V, --verbose              Increase output verbosity

Analyze Options:
  -p [ ...], --path [ ...]  Specify the raw data root dirs or desired results directory.
  -o, --output               Specify the output file.
  --list-kernels             List kernels. Top 10 kernels sorted by duration (descending order).
  --list-metrics             List metrics can be customized to analyze on specific arch:
                             gfx906
                             gfx908
                             gfx90a
  -b [ ...], --metric [ ...] Specify IP block/metric id(s) from --list-metrics for filtering.
  -k [ ...], --kernel [ ...] Specify kernel id(s) from --list-kernels for filtering.
  --dispatch [ ...]         Specify dispatch id(s) for filtering.
  --gpu-id [ ...]           Specify GPU id(s) for filtering.
  -n, --normal-unit          Specify the normalization unit: (DEFAULT: per_wave)
                             per_wave
                             per_cycle
                             per_second
                             per_kernel
  --config-dir               Specify the directory of customized configs.
  -t, --time-unit            Specify display time unit in kernel top stats: (DEFAULT: ns)
                             s
                             ms
                             us
                             ns
  --decimal                  Specify the decimal to display. (DEFAULT: 2)
  --cols [ ...]             Specify column indices to display.
  -g                         Debug single metric.
  --dependency               List the installation dependency.
  --gui [GUI]               Activate a GUI to interate with Omniperf metrics.
                             Optionally, specify port to launch application (DEFAULT: 8050)
```

Easy things you can check

- Are all the CUs being used?
 - If not, more parallelism is required (for most of the cases)
- Are all the VGPRs being spilled?
 - Try smaller workgroup sizes
- Is the code Integer limited?
 - Try reducing the integer ops, usually in the index calculation

Omniperf analyze with standalone GUI

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```

Profile with Omniperf:

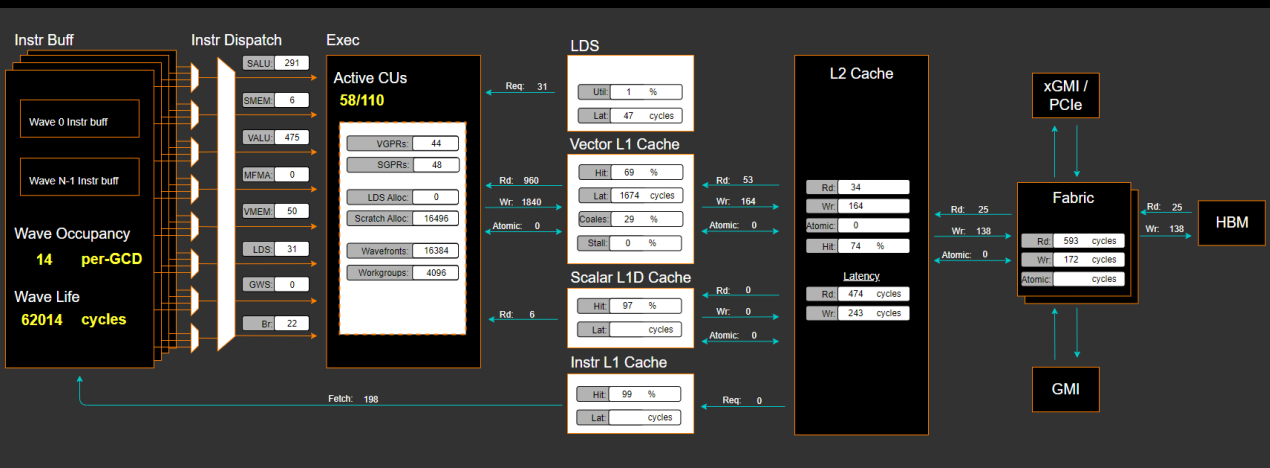
```
$ omniperf profile -n vcopy_all -- ./vcopy 1048576 256
```

A new directory will be created called workloads/vcopy_all

Analyze the profiled workload:

```
$ omniperf analyze -p workloads/vcopy_all/mi200/ --gui
```

Open web page <http://IP:8050/>

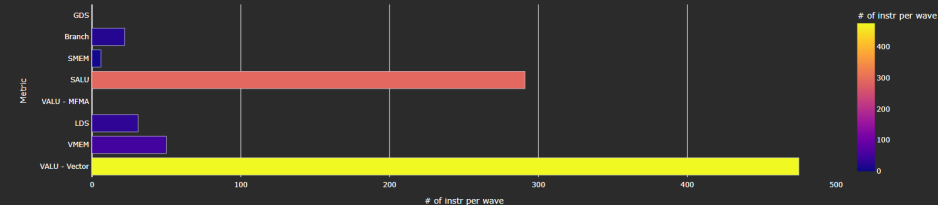


2. System Speed-of-Light

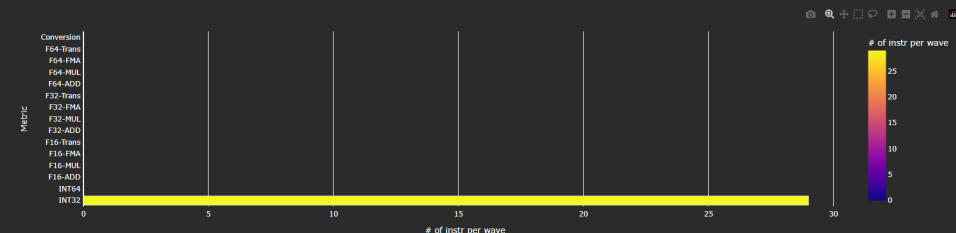
Metric	Value	Unit	Peak	Pop
VALU FLOPs	0.00	Gflop	23936.00	0.00
VALU TOPs	89.14	Gflop	23936.00	0.37
MFMA FLOPs (BF16)	0.00	Gflop	95744.00	0.00
MFMA FLOPs (F16)	0.00	Gflop	191488.00	0.00
MFMA FLOPs (F32)	0.00	Gflop	47872.00	0.00
MFMA FLOPs (F64)	0.00	Gflop	47872.00	0.00
MFMA TOPs (Int8)	0.00	Gflop	191488.00	0.00
Active CUs	58.00	Cus	110.00	52.73

10. Compute Units - Instruction Mix

10.1 Instruction Mix



10.2 VALU Arithmetic Instr Mix



Omniperf analyze with Grafana™ GUI

We use the example sample/vcopy.cpp from the Omniperf installation folder:

```
$ wget https://github.com/AMDResearch/omniperf/raw/main/sample/vcopy.cpp
```

Compile with hipcc:

```
$ hipcc --offload-arch=gfx90a -o vcopy vcopy.cpp
```

Profile with Omniperf:

```
$ omniperf profile -n vcopy_all -- ./vcopy -n 1048576 -b 256
```

A new directory will be created called workloads/vcopy_all

Import the database to analyze in Grafana™ GUI:

```
$ omniperf database --import [connection options] -w workloads/vcopy_demo/mi200/  
ROC Profiler: /usr/bin/rocprof
```

Import Profiling Results

Pulling data from /root/test/workloads/vcopy_demo/mi200

The directory exists

Found sysinfo file

KernelName shortening enabled

Kernel name verbose level: 2

Password:

Password recieved

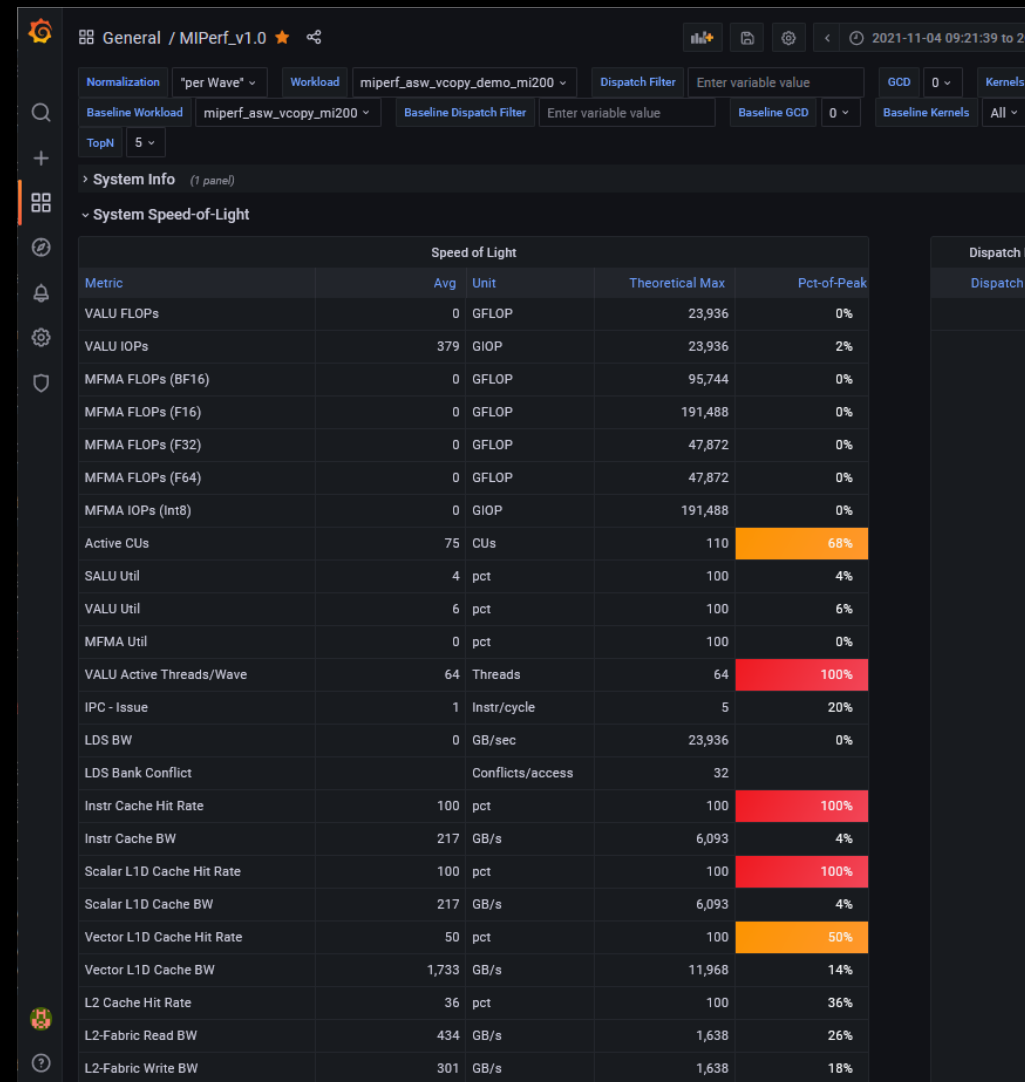
-- Conversion & Upload in Progress --

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9 collections added.

Workload name uploaded

-- Complete! --





Key Insights from Omniparf Analyzer

Grafana – System Info

General / Omniperf_v1.0.3_pub ☆ 🔊

Normalization

"per Wave" ▾

Workload

miperf_aaa_vcopy_mi200 ▾

Dispatch Filter

Enter variable value

GCD

0 ▾

Kernels

All ▾

Baseline Workload

miperf_asw_vcopy_mi200 ▾

Baseline Dispatch Filter

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Baseline GCD

0 ▾

Baseline Kernels

All ▾

Comparison Panels

System Info ▾

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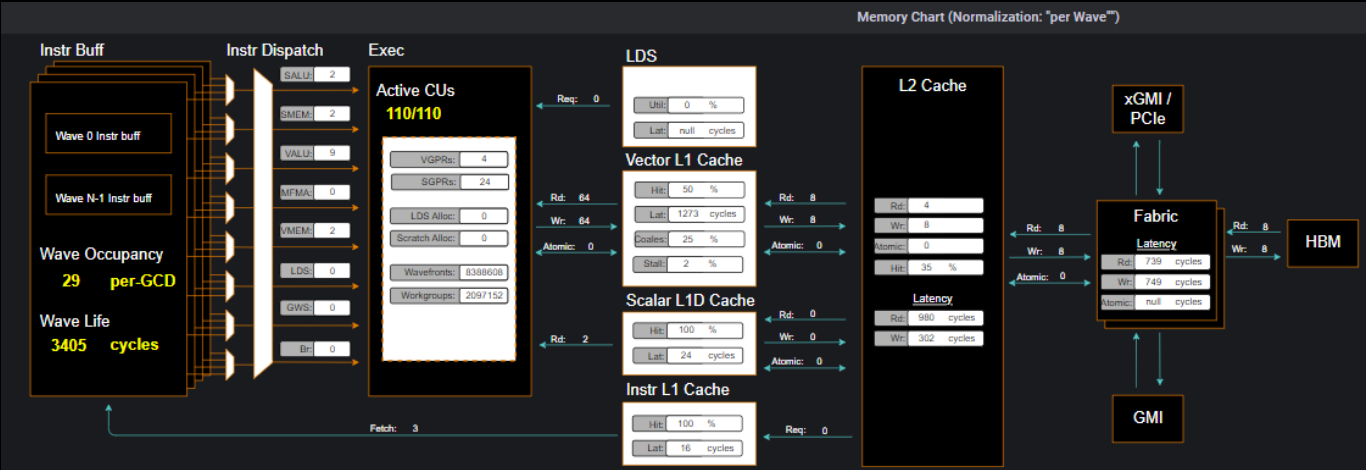
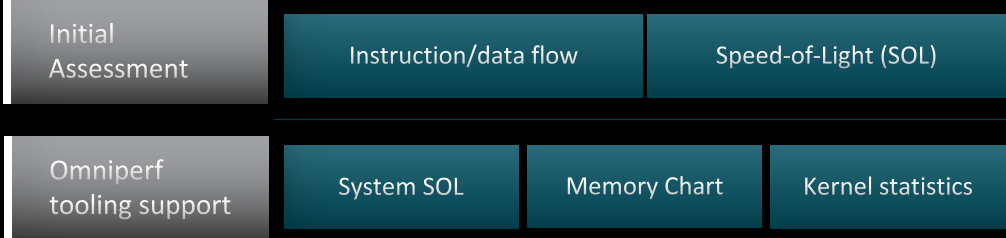
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▼ System Info

System Info		
Metric	Current	Baseline
Date	Tue Jul 5 20:50:45 2022 (UTC)	Tue Jun 21 18:31:40 2022 (CDT)
Host Name	6fb5ce5e50da	node-bp126-014a
Host CPU	AMD Eng Sample: 100-000000248-08_35/21_N	AMD Eng Sample: 100-000000248-08_35/21_N
Host Distro	Ubuntu 20.04.4 LTS	Ubuntu 20.04.4 LTS
Host Kernel	5.9.1-amdsos-build32-1+	5.9.1-amdsos-build32-1+
ROCm Version	5.1.3-66	5.2.0-9768
GFX SoC	mi200	mi200
GFX ID	gfx90a	gfx90a
Total SEs	8	8
Total SQCs	56	56
Total CUs	110	110
SIMDs/CU	4	4
Max Wavefronts Occupancy Per CU	32	32
Max Workgroup Size	1,024	1,024
L1Cache per CU (KB)	16	16
L2Cache (KB)	8,192	8,192
L2Cache Channels	32	32
Sys Clock (Max) - MHz	1,700	1,700
Memory Clock (Max) - MHz	1,600	1,600
Sys Clock (Cur) - MHz	800	800
Memory Clock (Cur) - MHz	1,600	1,600
HBM Bandwidth - GB/s	1,638.4	1,638.4

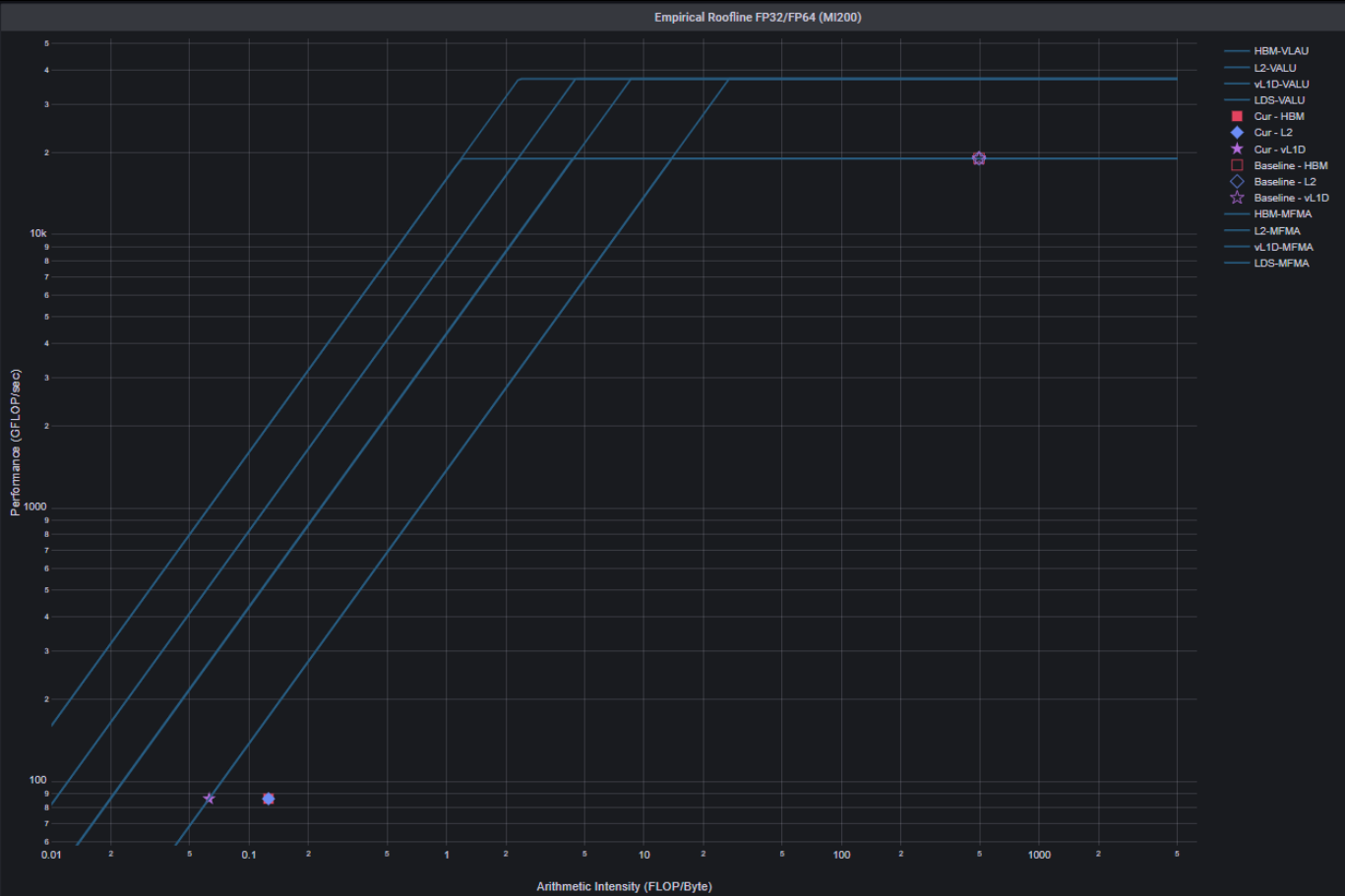
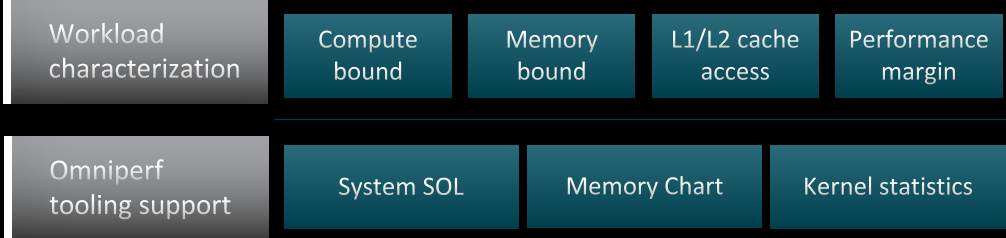
When assessing performance difference between two workloads (current and baseline), it's good to know the differences between underlying systems.

Initial assessment with kernel statistics



Speed of Light				
Metric	Avg	Unit	Theoretical Max	Pct-of-Peak
VALU FLOPs	0	GFLOP	23,936	0%
VALU IOPs	433	GIOP	23,936	2%
MFMA FLOPs (BF16)	0	GFLOP	95,744	0%
MFMA FLOPs (F16)	0	GFLOP	191,488	0%
MFMA FLOPs (F32)	0	GFLOP	47,872	0%
MFMA FLOPs (F64)	0	GFLOP	47,872	0%
MFMA IOPs (Int8)	0	GIOP	191,488	0%
Active CUs	110	CUs	110	100%
SALU Util	3	pct	100	3%
VALU Util	8	pct	100	8%
MFMA Util	0	pct	100	0%
VALU Active Threads/Wave	64	Threads	64	100%
IPC - Issue	1	Instr/cycle	5	20%
LDS BW	0	GB/sec	23,936	0%
LDS Bank Conflict		Conflicts/access	32	
Instr Cache Hit Rate	100	pct	100	100%

Roofline: the first-step characterization of workload performance



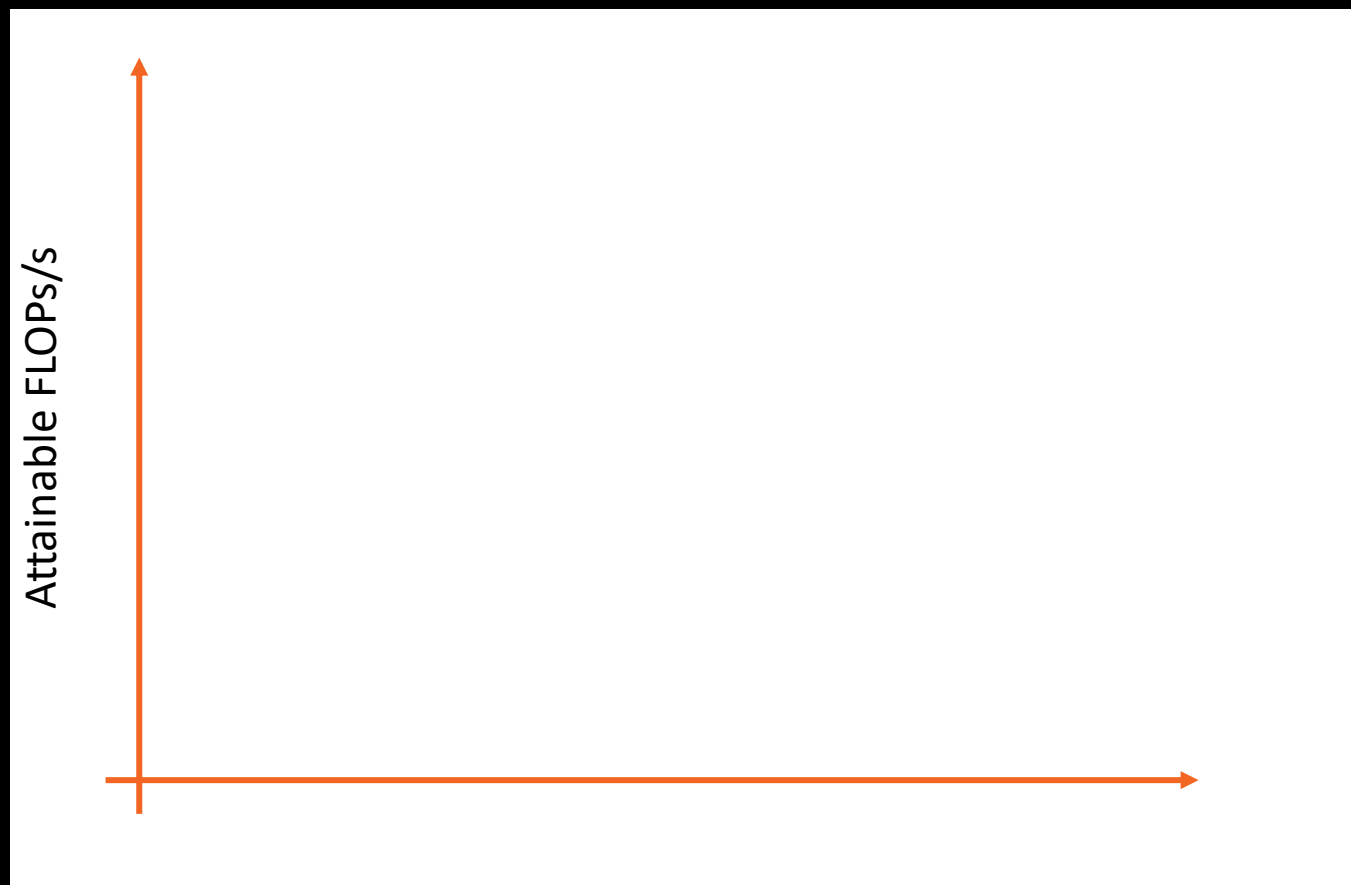
Top Kernels												
Name	Calls	Performance	HBM BW	Total Duration	Avg Duration	AI (Vector L1D Cache)	AI (L2 Cache)	AI (HBM)	Total FLOPs	VALU FLOPs	MFMA FLOPs (F16)	MFMA FLOPs (BF16)
void dot_kernel<doubl...	100	86.5 GFLOPS	689 GB/s	244 ms	2.44 ms	0.063	0.126	0.126	210,583,552	210,583,552	0	0
void triad_kernel<dou...	100	111 GFLOPS	1.33 TB/s	189 ms	1.89 ms	0.042	0.083	0.083	209,715,200	209,715,200	0	0
void add_kernel<doubl...	100	55.7 GFLOPS	1.34 TB/s	188 ms	1.88 ms	0.021	0.042	0.042	104,857,600	104,857,600	0	0
void copy_kernel<dou...	100	0 GFLOPS	1.37 TB/s	122 ms	1.22 ms	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
void mul_kernel<doubl...	100	86.1 GFLOPS	1.38 TB/s	122 ms	1.22 ms	0.031	0.063	0.063	104,857,600	104,857,600	0	0



Background - What is a roofline?

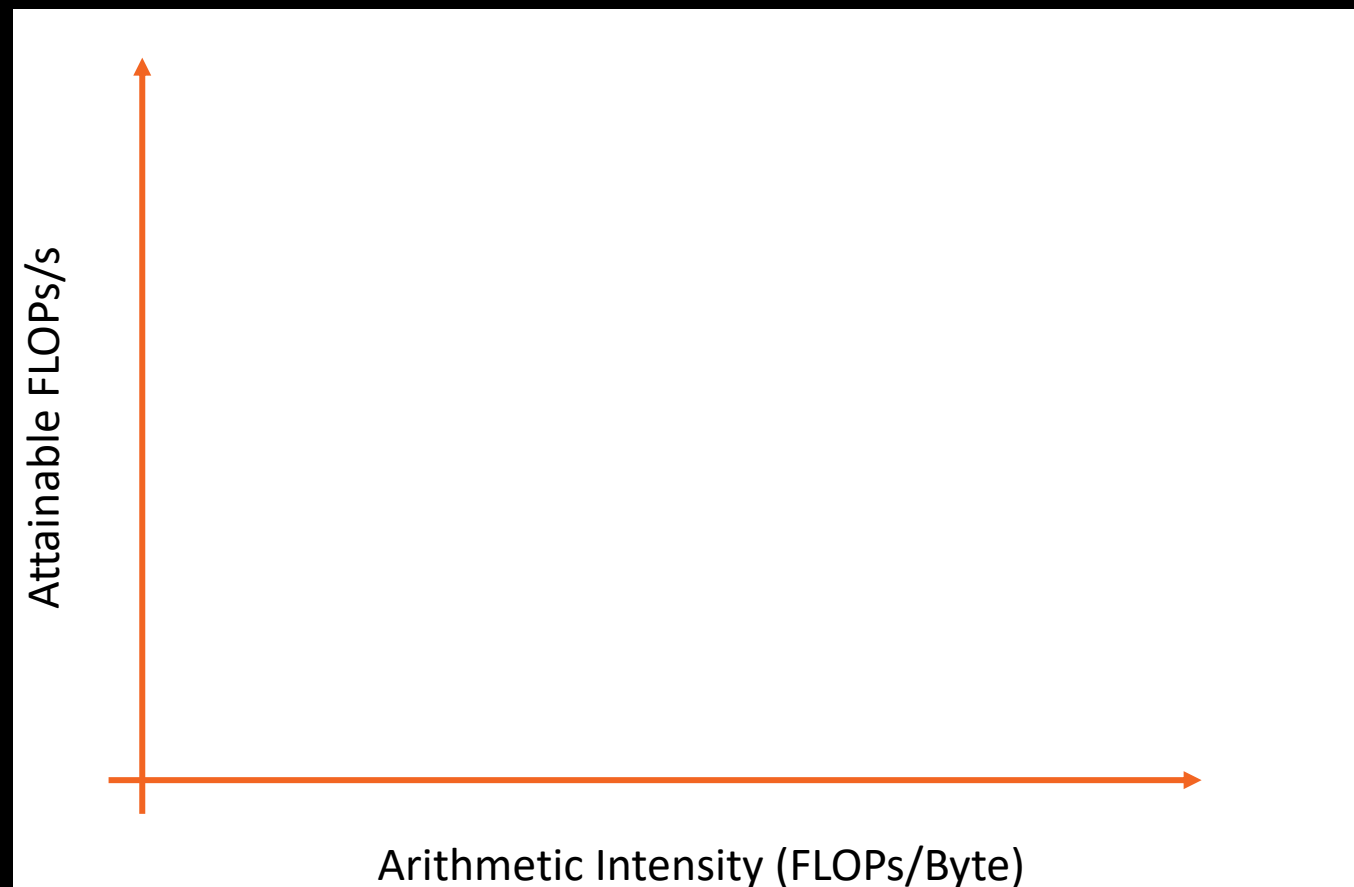
Background – What is Roofline

- Attainable FLOPs/s
 - FLOPs/s rate as measured empirically on a given device
 - FLOP = floating point operation
 - FLOP counts for common operations
 - Add: 1 FLOP
 - Mul: 1 FLOP
 - FMA: 2 FLOP
 - FLOPs/s = Number of floating-point operations performed per second



Background – What is Roofline

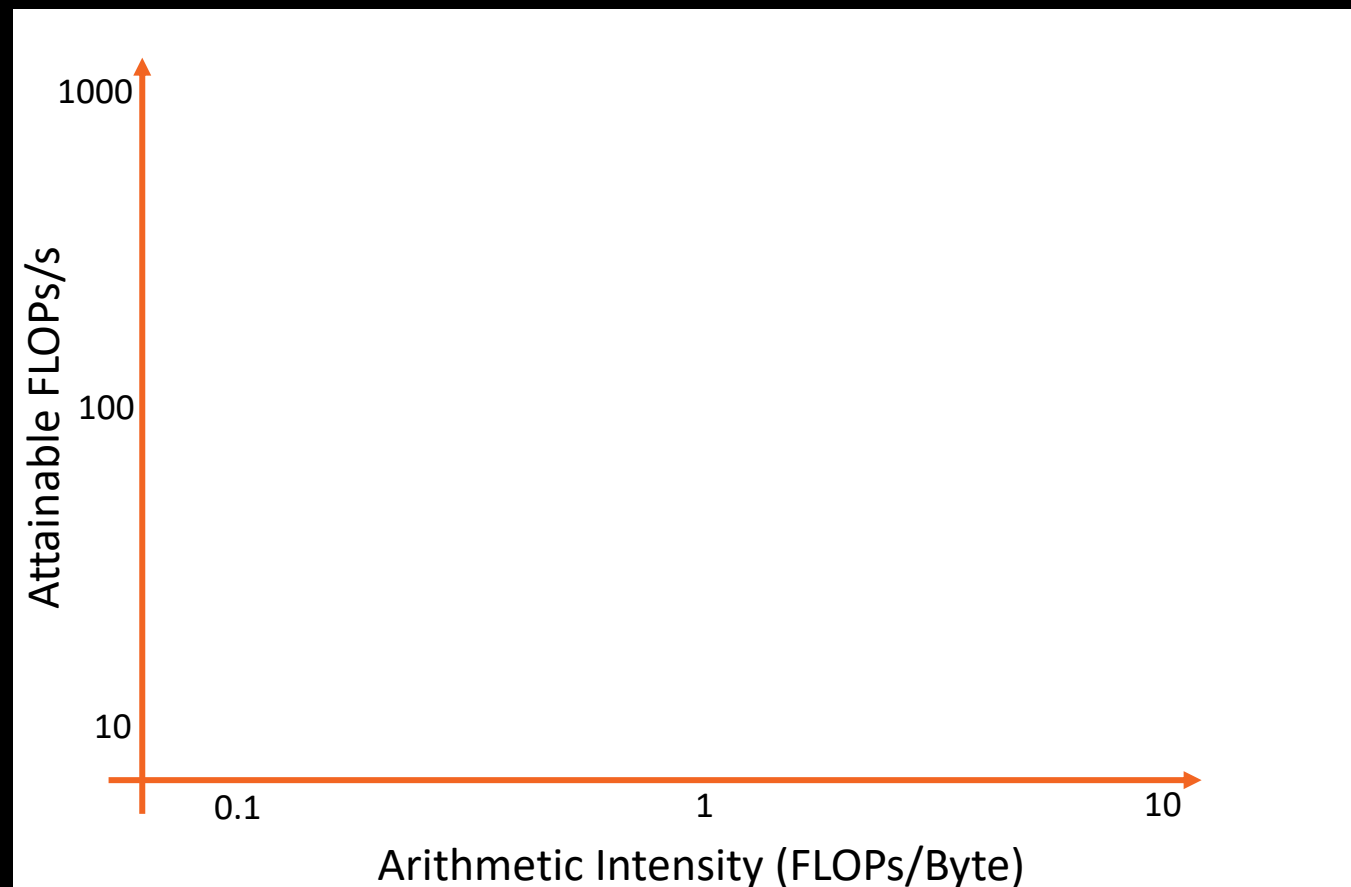
- Arithmetic Intensity (AI)
 - characteristic of the workload indicating how much compute (FLOPs) is performed per unit of data movement (Byte)
 - Ex: $x[i] = y[i] + c$
 - FLOPs = 1
 - Bytes = $1 \times RD + 1 \times WR = 4 + 4 = 8$
 - AI = $1 / 8$



Background – What is Roofline

- Log-Log plot

- makes it easy to doodle, extrapolate performance along Moore's Law, etc...



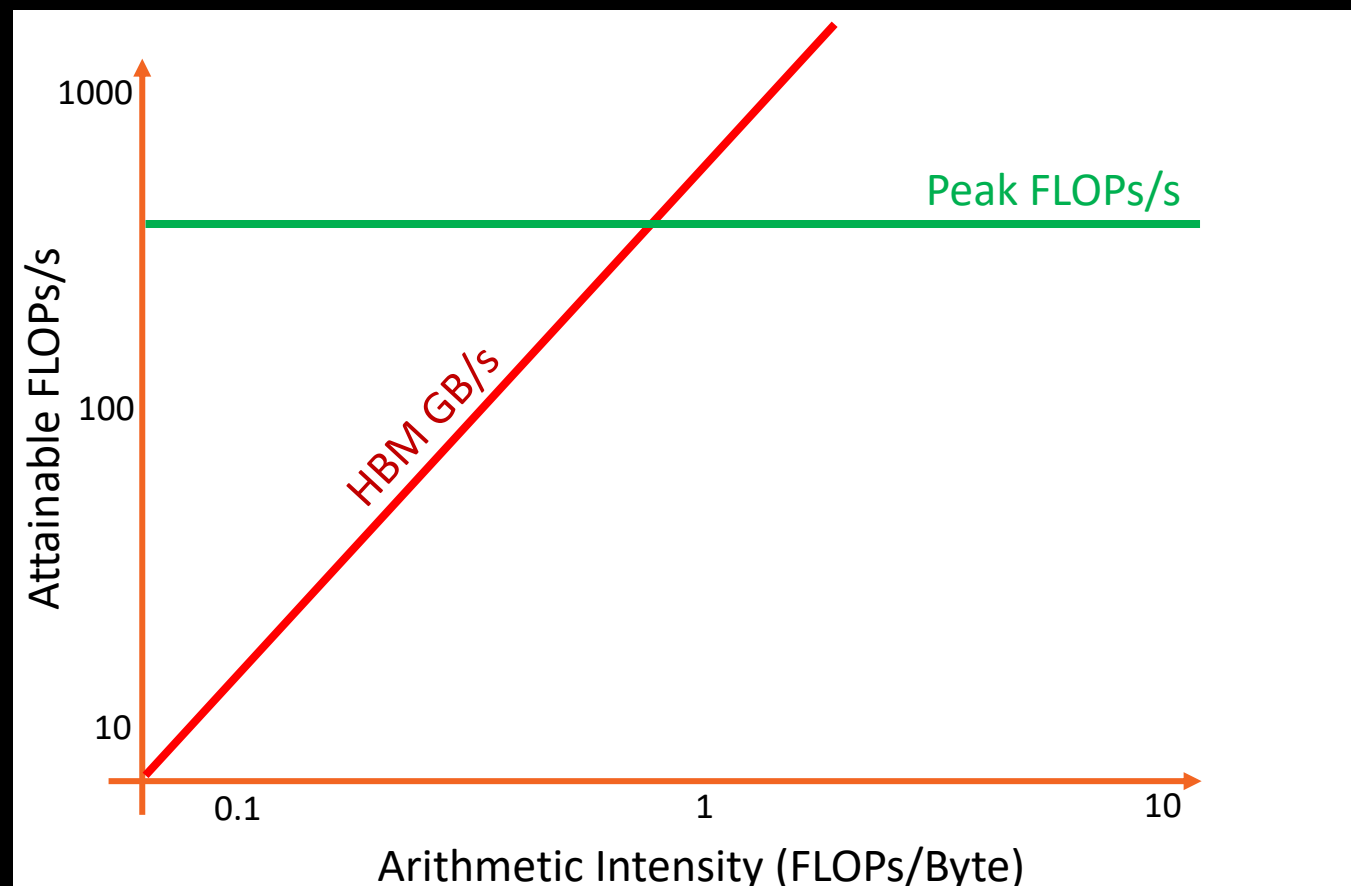
Background – What is Roofline

Roofline Limiters

- **Compute**
 - Peak FLOPs/s
- **Memory BW**
 - $AI * \text{Peak GB/s}$

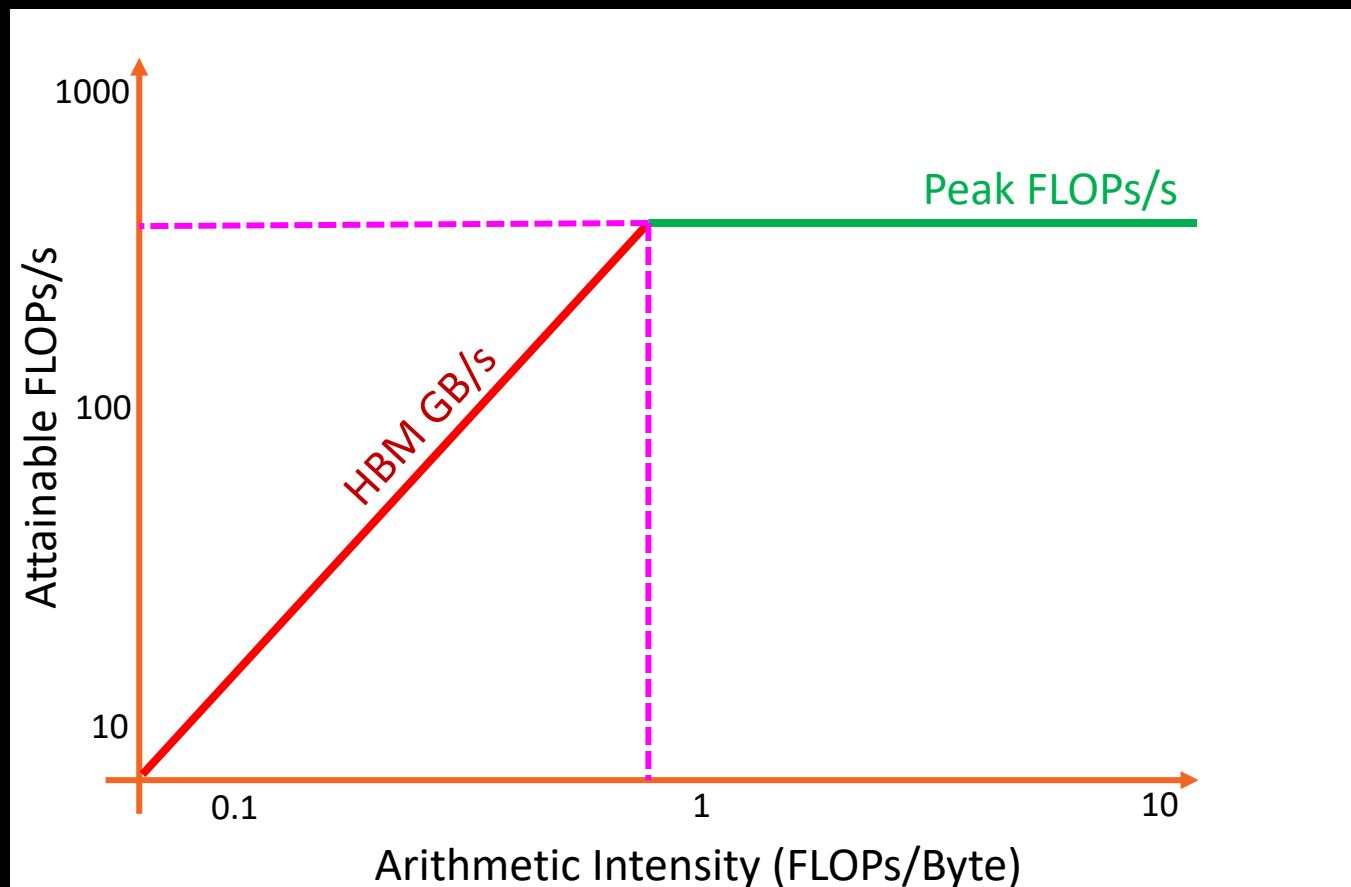
Note:

- These are empirically measured values
- Different SKUs will have unique plots
- Individual devices within a SKU will have slightly different plots based on thermal solution, system power, etc.
- Omniperf uses suite of simple kernels to empirically derive these values
- These are NOT theoretical values indicating peak performance under “unicorn” conditions



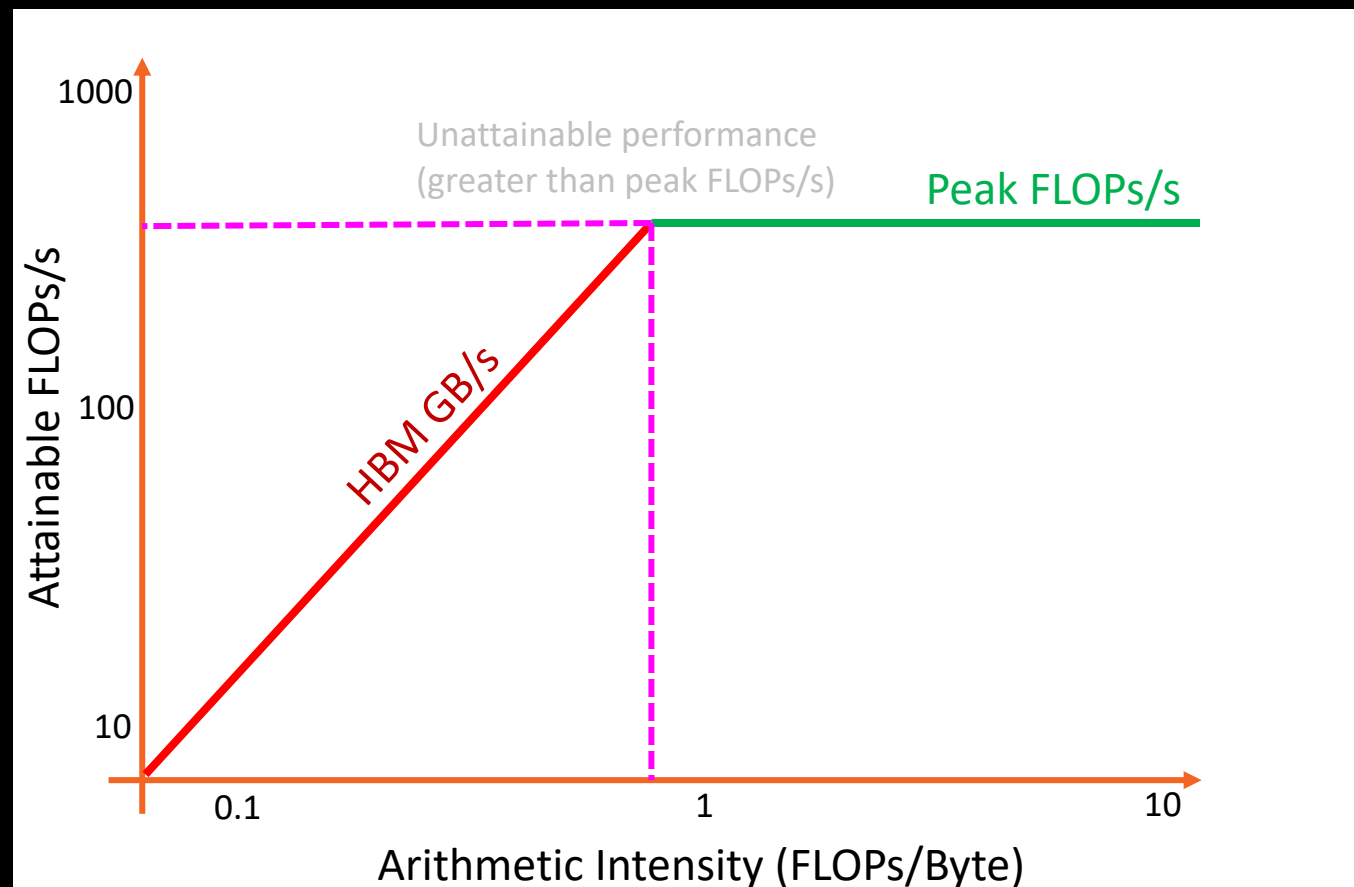
Background – What is Roofline

- Attainable FLOPs/s =
 - $\min \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Peak FLOPs/s} \\ AI * \text{Peak GB/s} \end{array} \right.$
- Machine Balance:
 - Where $AI = \frac{\text{Peak FLOPs/s}}{\text{Peak GB/s}}$
 - Typical machine balance: 5-10 FLOPs/B
 - 40-80 FLOPs per double to exploit compute capability
 - MI250x machine balance: ~16 FLOPs/B
 - 128 FLOPs per double to exploit compute capability



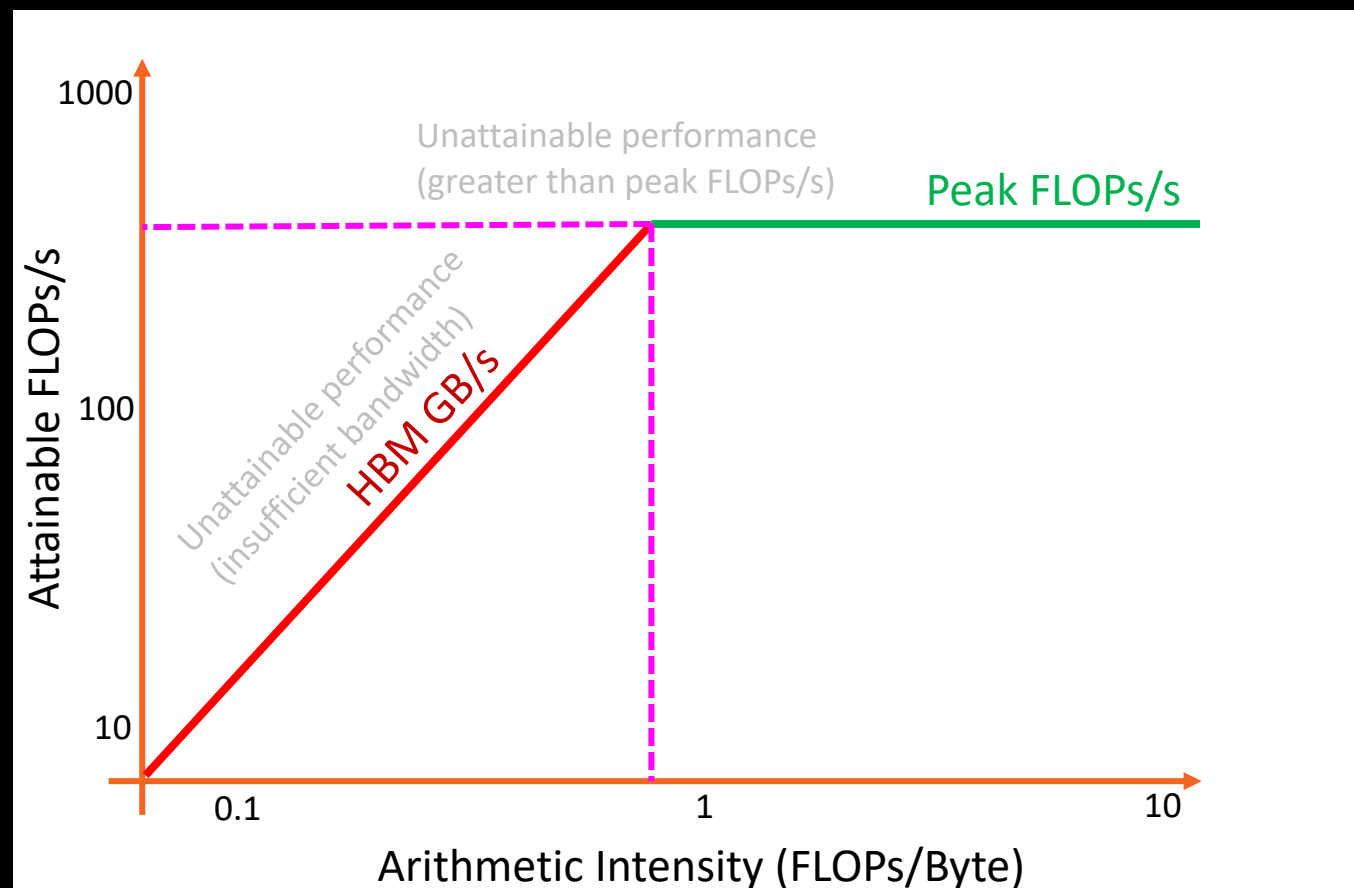
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- Five Performance Regions:
 - Unattainable Compute



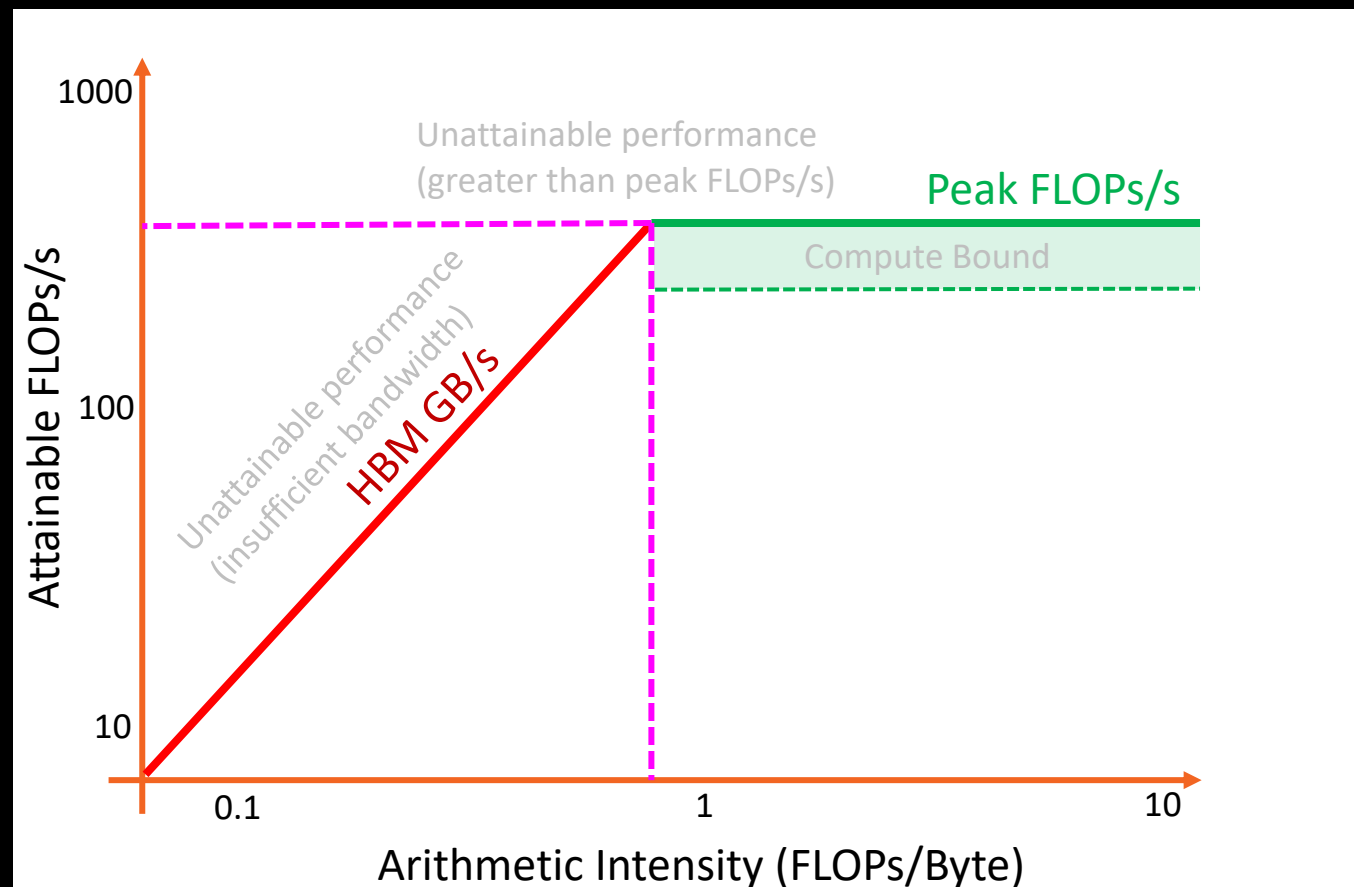
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- Five Performance Regions:
 - Unattainable Compute
 - Unattainable Bandwidth



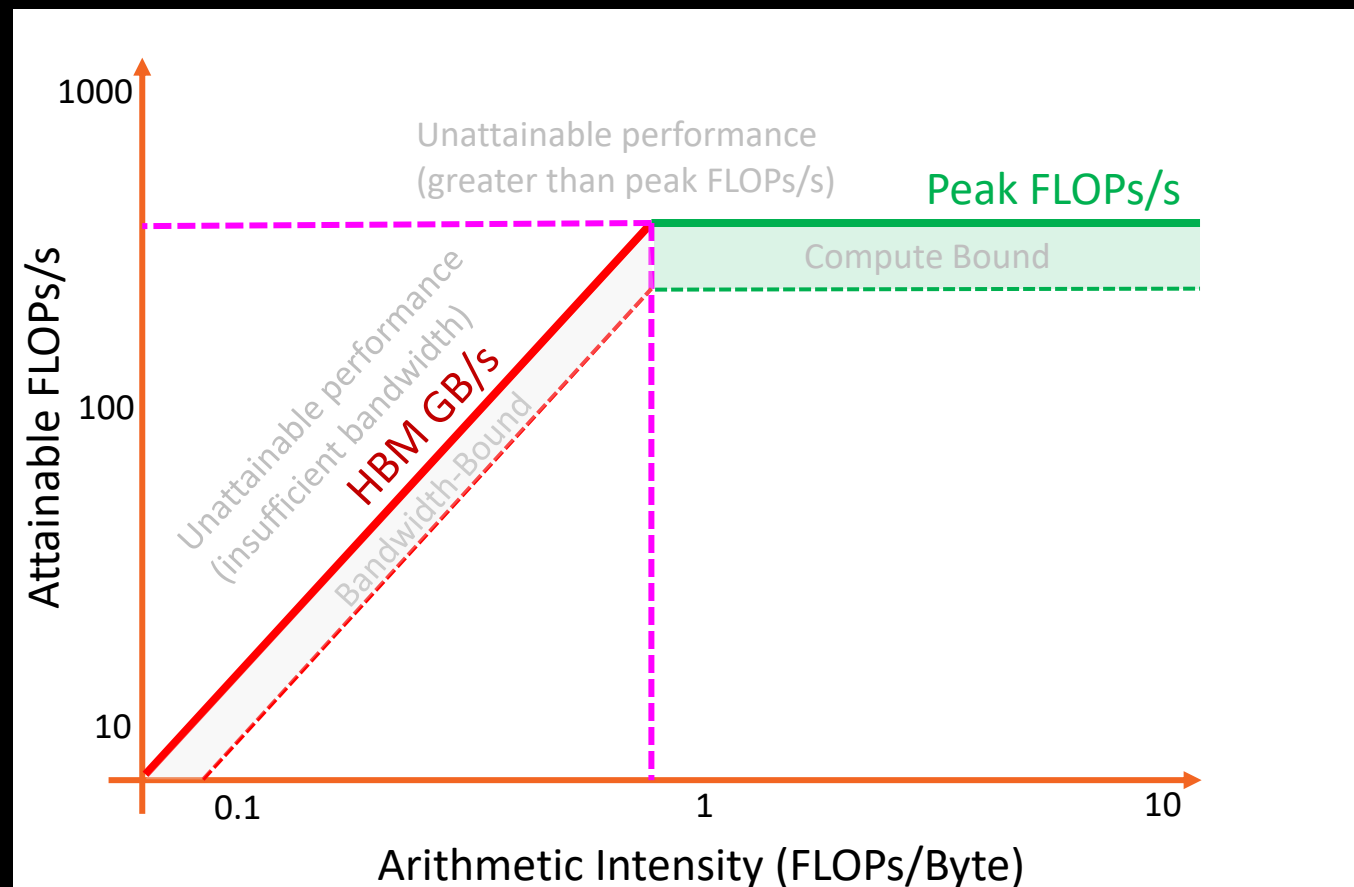
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 - Unattainable Bandwidth
 - Compute Bound



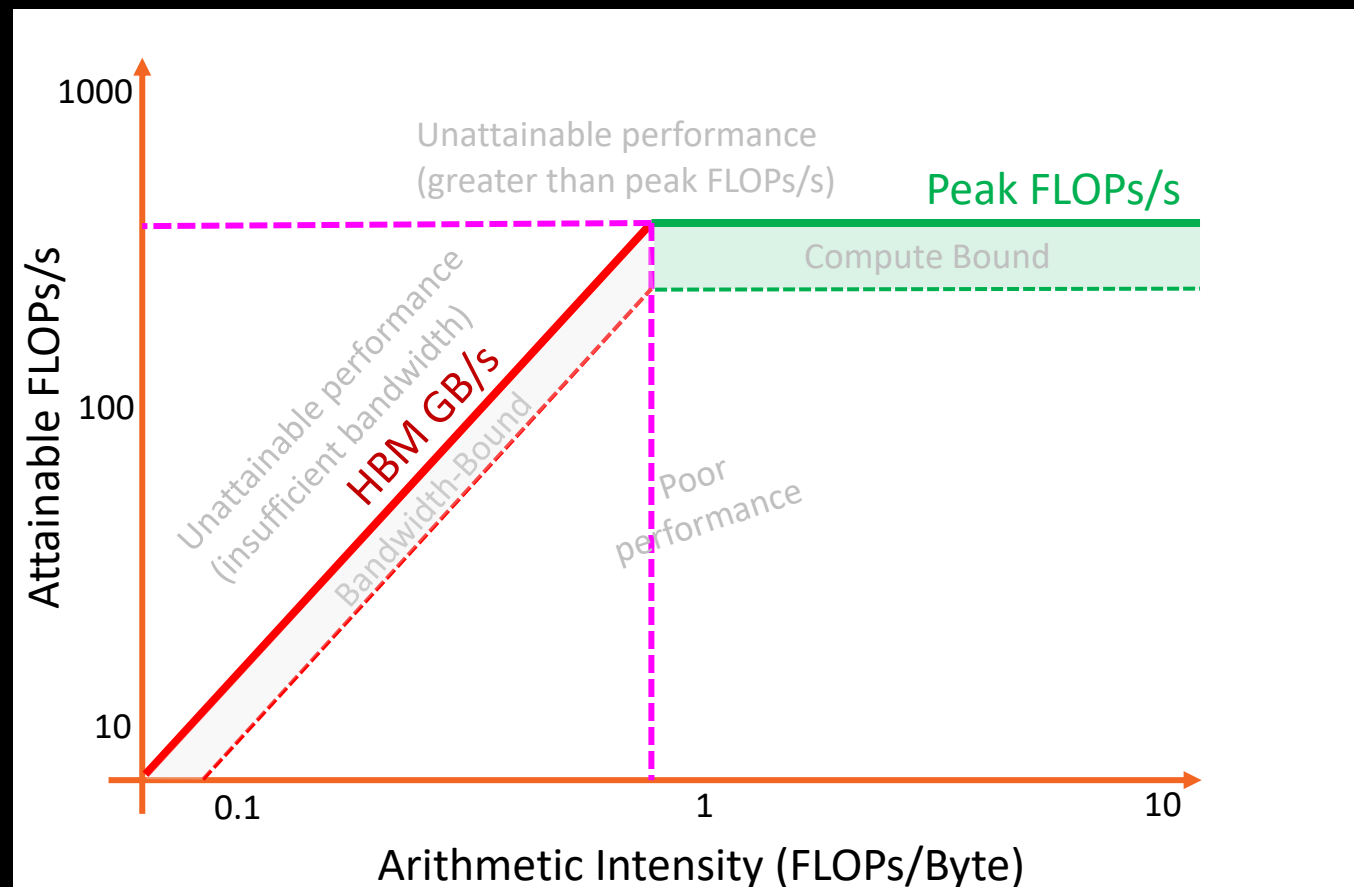
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 - Compute Bound
 - Bandwidth Bound



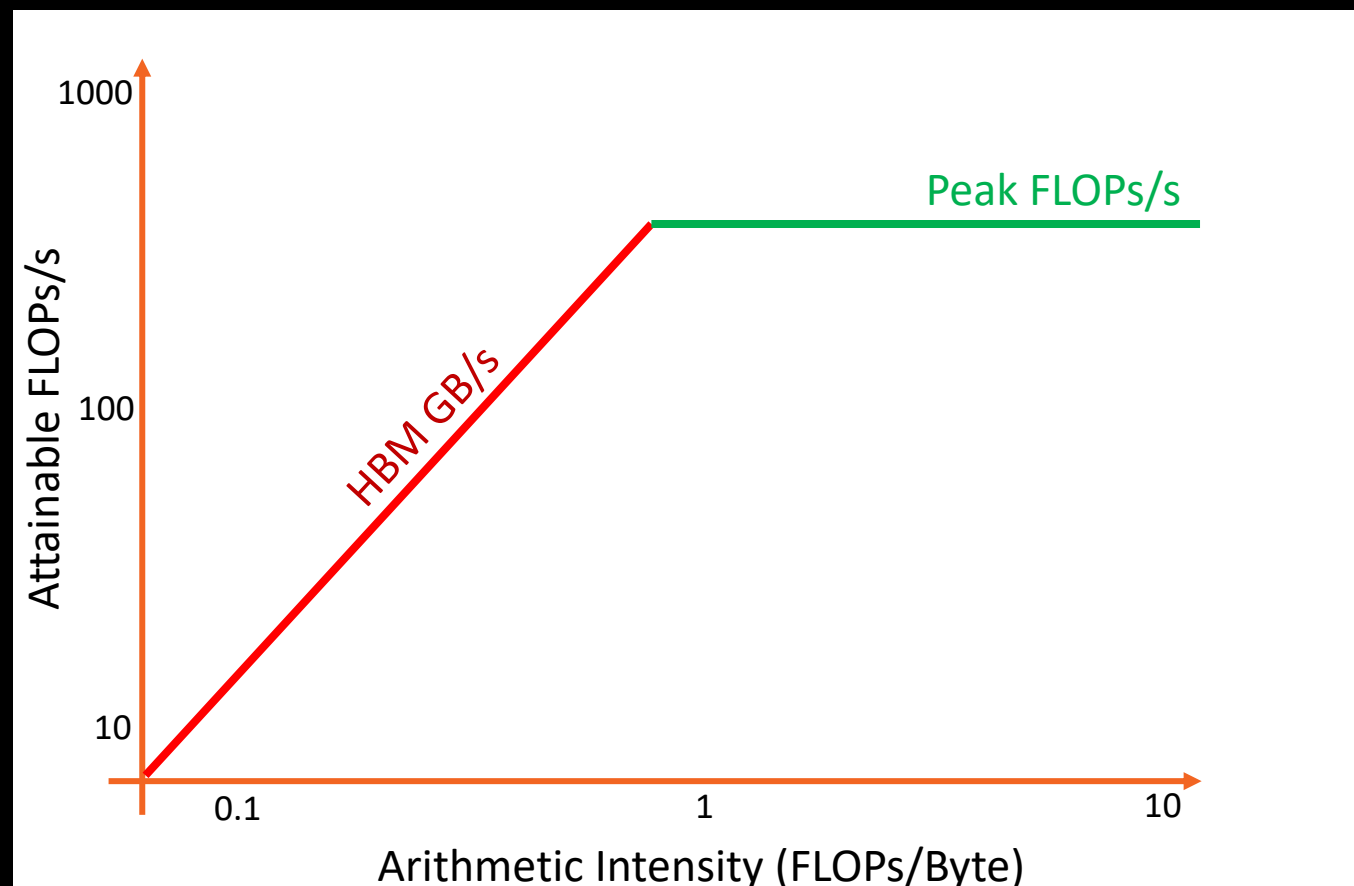
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 - Unattainable Bandwidth
 - Compute Bound
 - Bandwidth Bound
 - Poor Performance



Background – What is Roofline

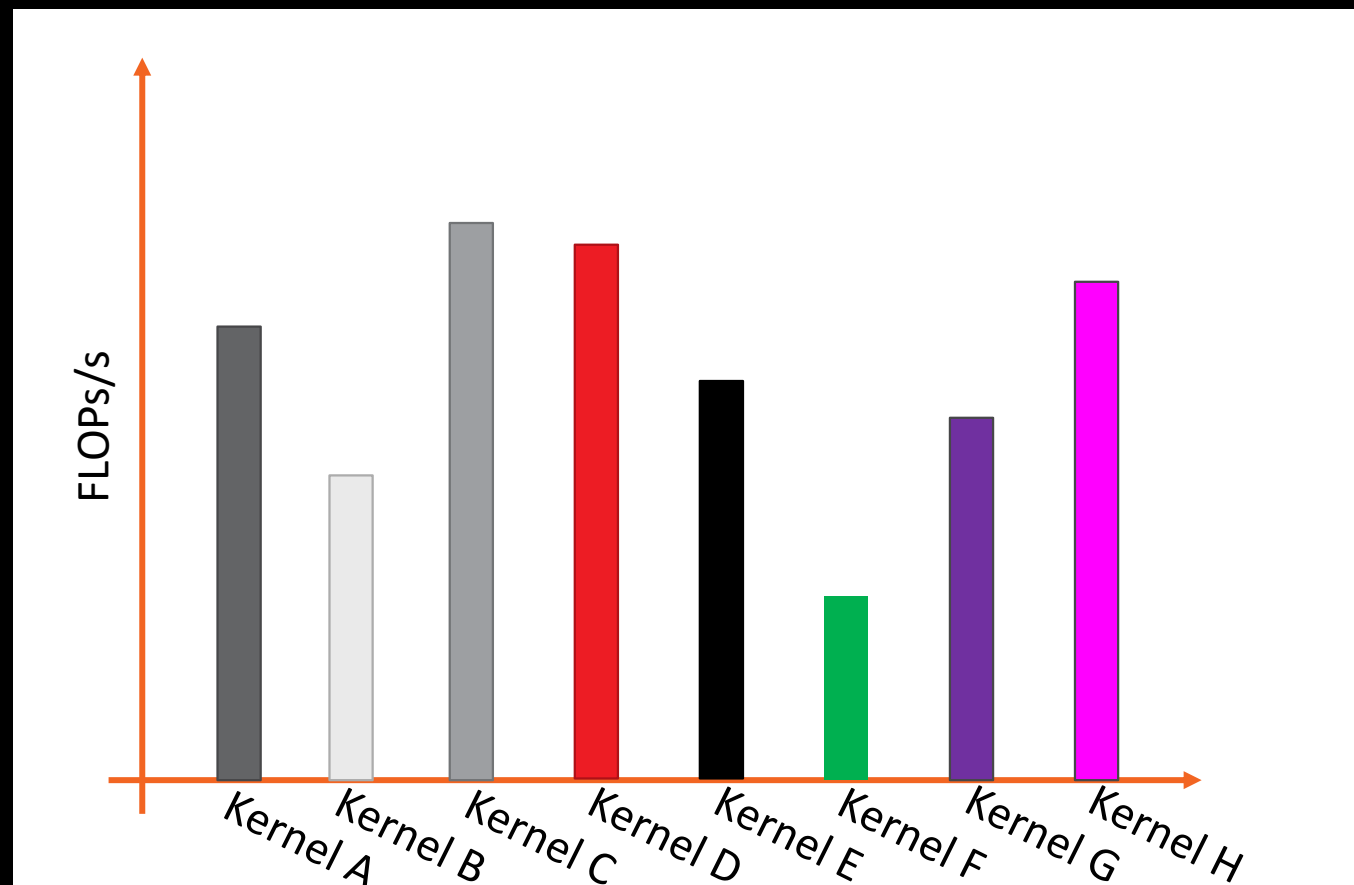
- Attainable FLOPs/s =
 - $\min \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Peak FLOPs/s} \\ AI * \text{Peak GB/s} \end{array} \right.$
- Final result is a single roofline plot presenting the peak attainable performance (in terms of FLOPs/s) on a given device based on the arithmetic intensity of any potential workload
- We have an application independent way of measuring and comparing performance on any platform



Background – What is “Good” Performance?

- Example:

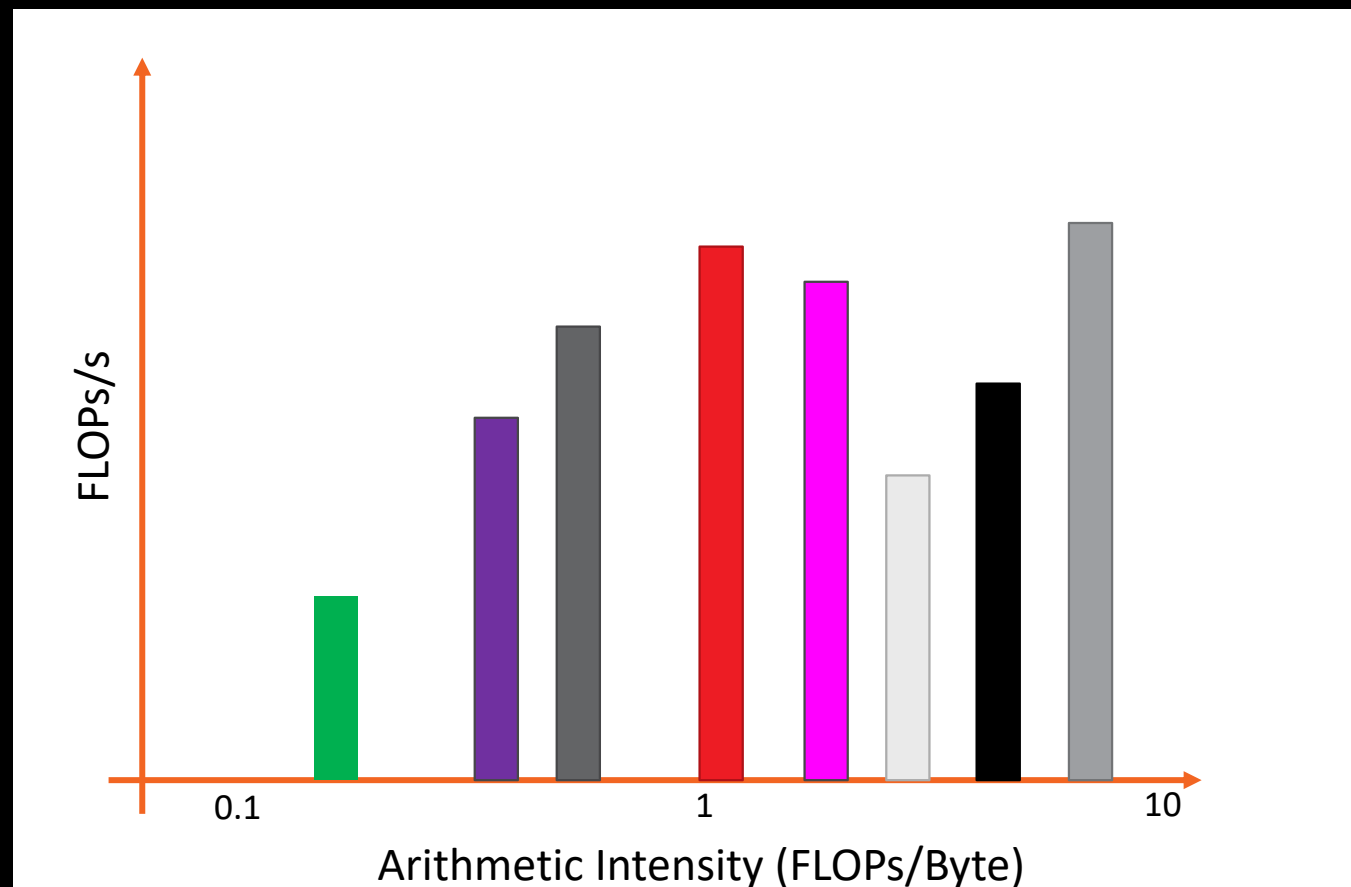
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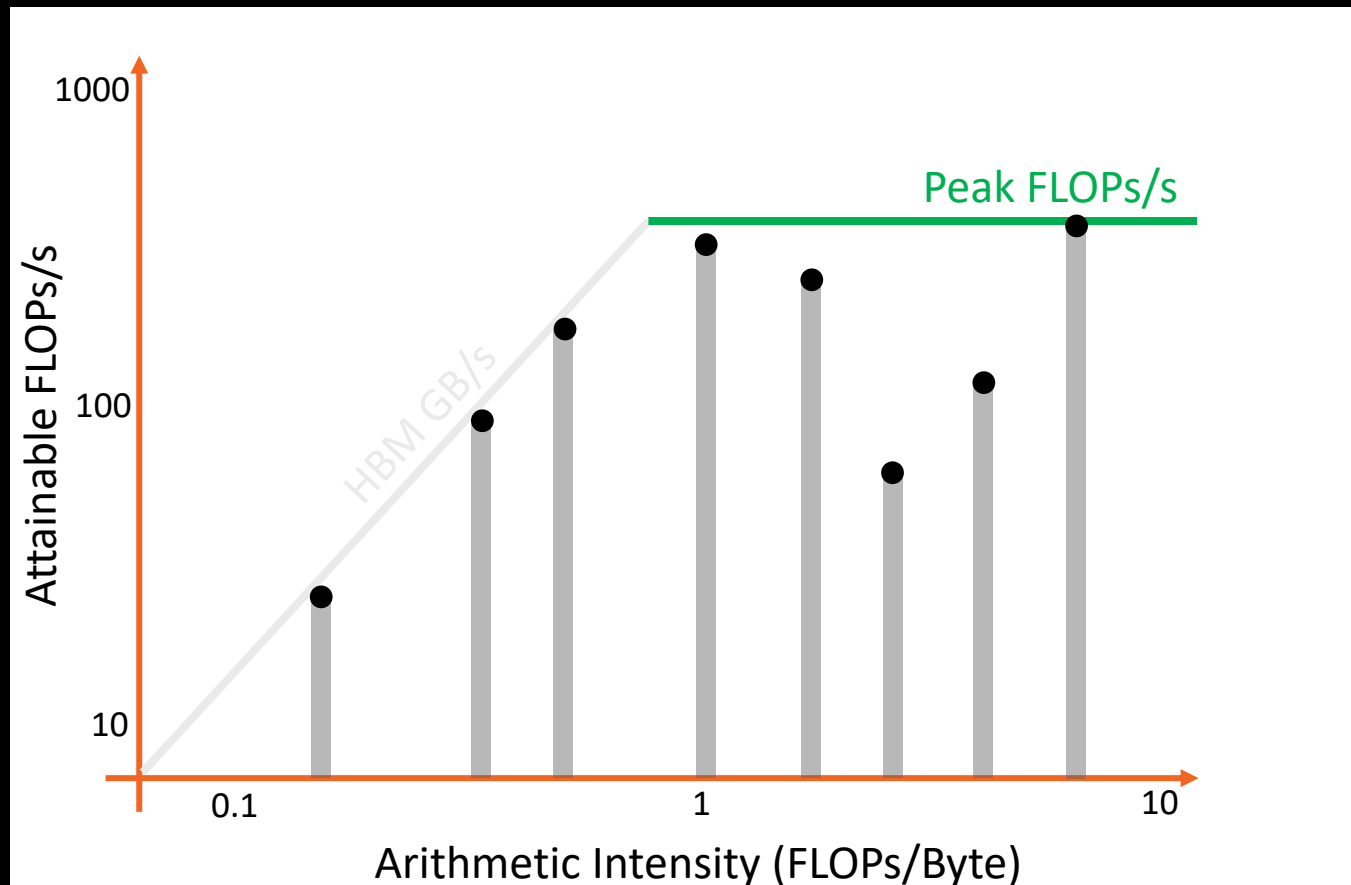
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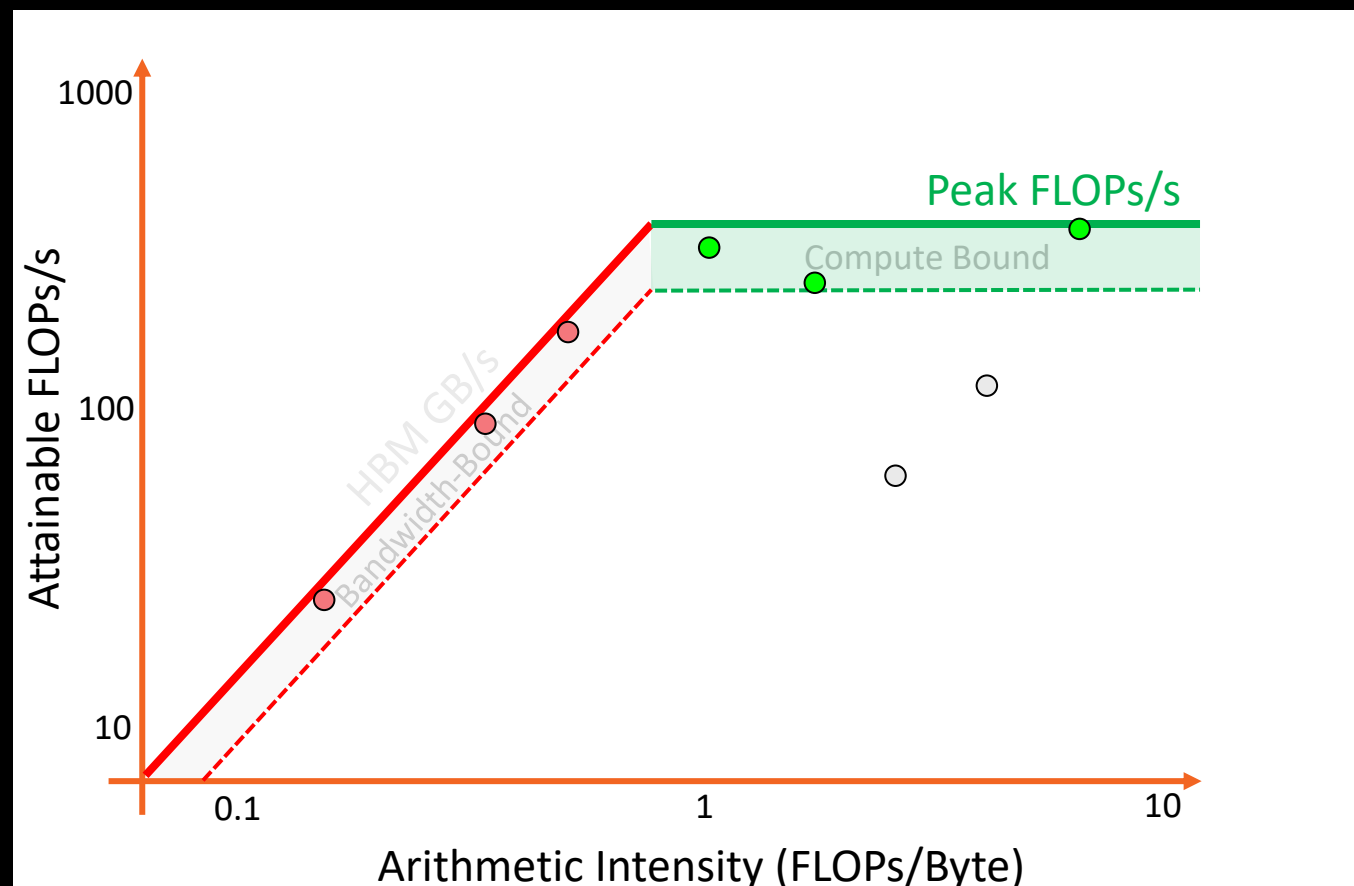
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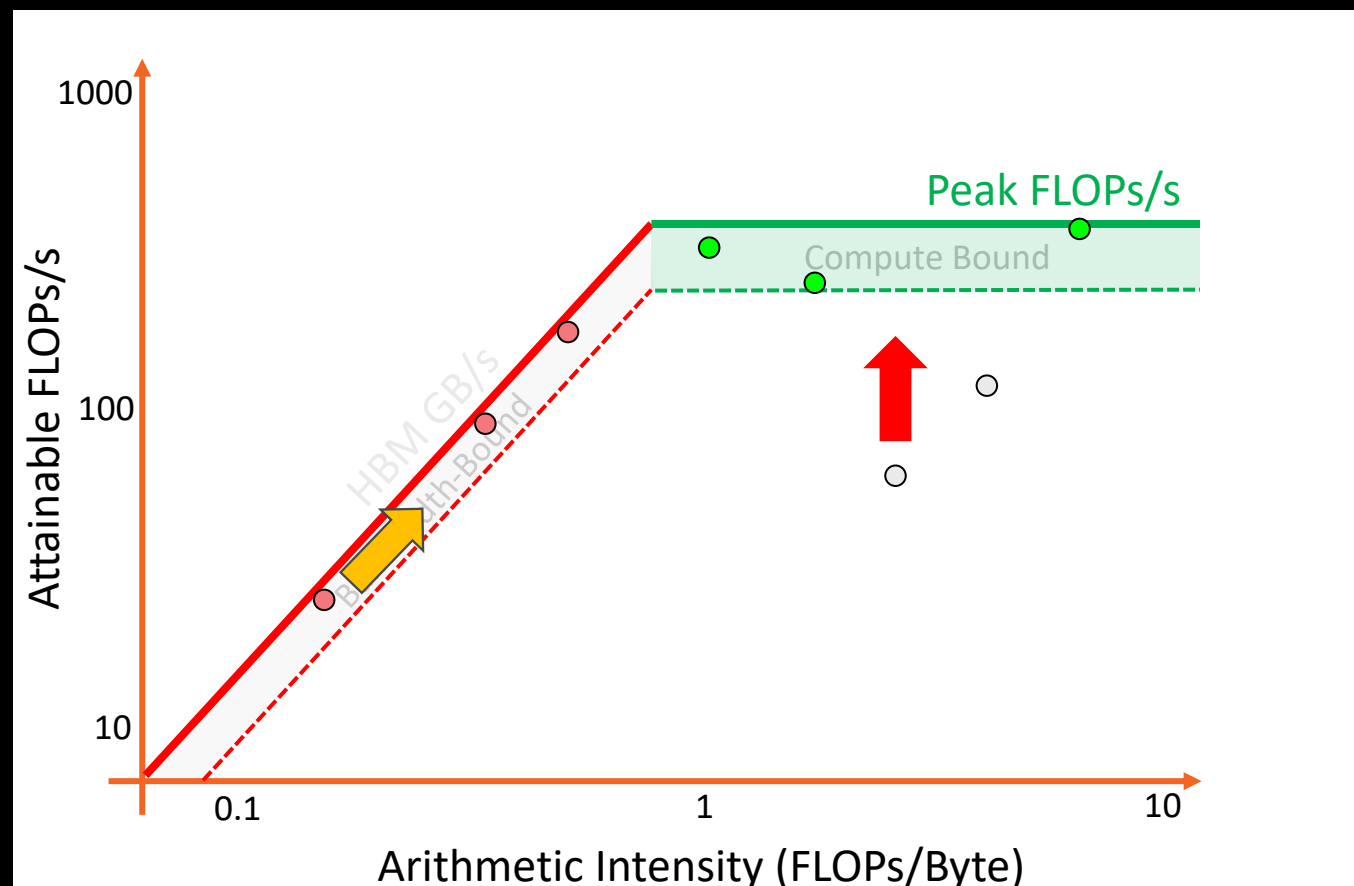
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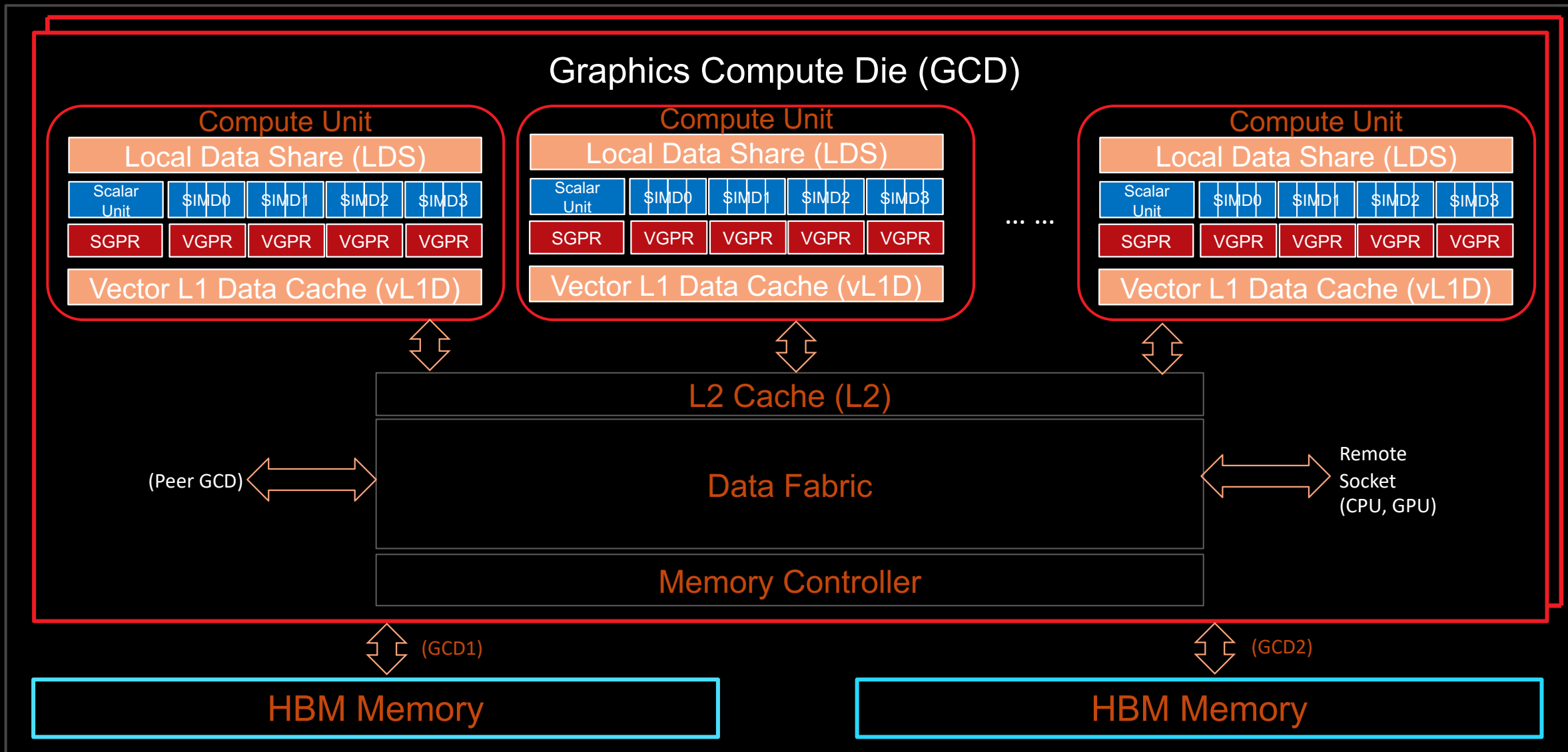
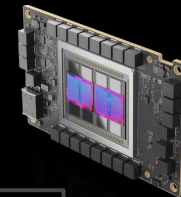
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- Increase arithmetic intensity when bandwidth limited**
 - Reducing data movement increases AI
- Kernels not near the roofline *should** have optimizations that can be made to get closer to the roofline



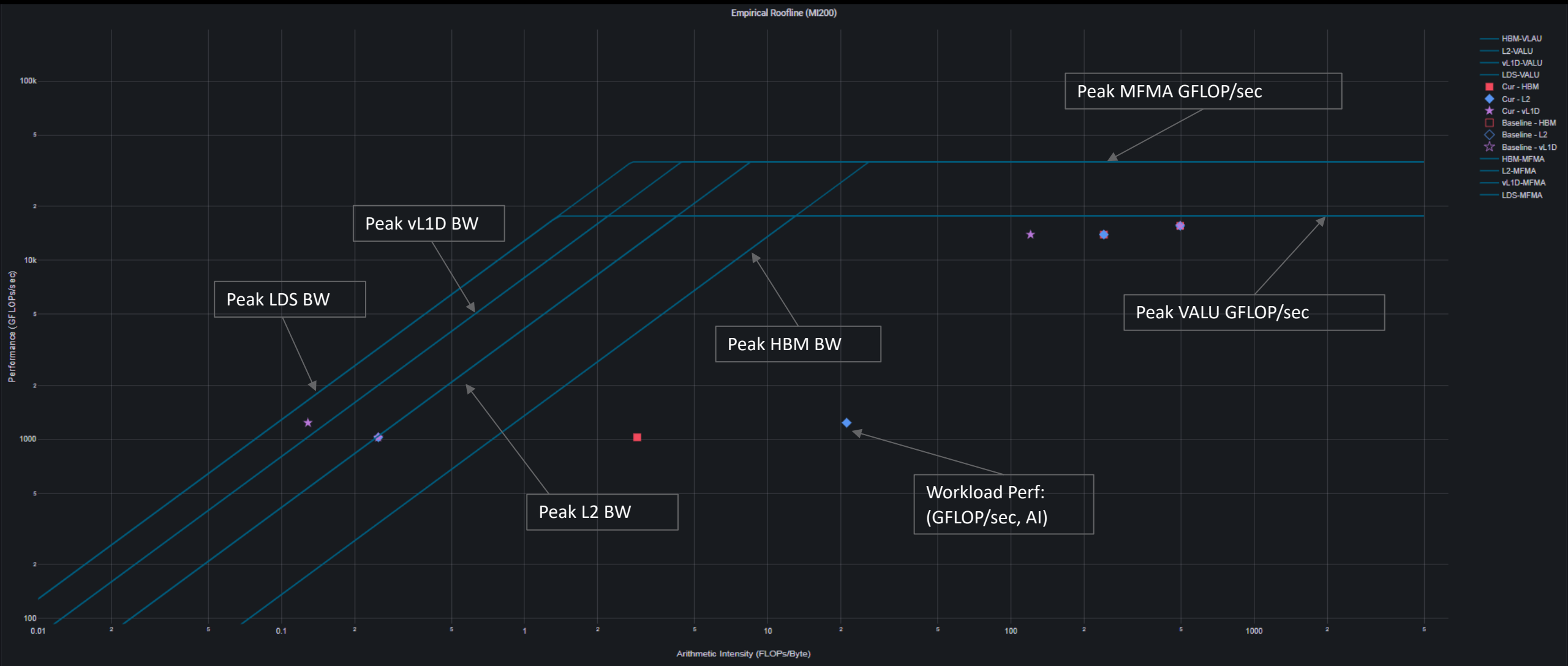


Roofline Calculations on AMD Instinct™ MI200 GPUs

Overview - AMD Instinct™ MI200 Architecture



Empirical Hierarchical Roofline on MI200 - Overview



Empirical Hierarchical Roofline on MI200 – Roofline Benchmarking

- Empirical Roofline Benchmarking
 - Measure achievable Peak FLOPS
 - VALU: F32, F64
 - MFMA: F16, BF16, F32, F64
 - Measure achievable Peak BW
 - LDS
 - Vector L1D Cache
 - L2 Cache
 - HBM
- Internally developed micro benchmark algorithms
 - Peak VALU FLOP: axpy
 - Peak MFMA FLOP: Matrix multiplication based on MFMA intrinsic
 - Peak LDS/vL1D/L2 BW: Pointer chasing
 - Peak HBM BW: Streaming copy

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10:57:35 amd@node-bp126-014a'utils ±[master x]→ ./roofline
Total detected GPU devices: 2
GPU Device 0: Profiling...
99% [|||||]
HBM BW, GPU ID: 0, workgroupSize:256, workgroups:2097152, experiments:100, Total Bytes=8589934592, Duration=6.2 ms, Mean=1382.7 GB/sec, stdev=2.6 GB/s
99% [|||||]
L2 BW, GPU ID: 0, workgroupSize:256, workgroups:8192, experiments:100, Total Bytes=687194767360, Duration=157.3 ms, Mean=4321.3 GB/sec, stdev=59.1 GB/s
99% [|||||]
L1 BW, GPU ID: 0, workgroupSize:256, workgroups:16384, experiments:100, Total Bytes=26843545600, Duration=3.3 ms, Mean=8262.6 GB/sec, stdev=5.9 GB/s
99% [|||||]
LDS BW, GPU ID: 0, workgroupSize:256, workgroups:16384, experiments:100, Total Bytes=33554432000, Duration=1.8 ms, Mean=18780.4 GB/sec, stdev=33.0 GB/s
nSize:134217728, 268435456000
99% [|||||]
Peak FLOPs (FP32), GPU ID: 0, workgroupSize:256, workgroups:16384, experiments:100, Total FLOPS=274877906944, Duration=14.482 ms, Mean=18977.7 GFLOPs/sec, stdev=3.6 GFLOPs/s
99% [|||||]
Peak FLOPs (FP64), GPU ID: 0, workgroupSize:256, workgroups:16384, experiments:100, Total FLOPS=137438953472, Duration=7.5 ms, Mean=18336.156250.1 GFLOPs/sec, stdev=5.0 GFLOPs/s
99% [|||||]
Peak MFMA FLOPs (BF16), GPU ID: 0, workgroupSize:256, workgroups:16384, experiments:100, Total FLOPS=2147483648000, Duration=14.0 ms, Mean=153763.7 GFLOPs/sec, stdev=61.0 GFLOPs/s
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Empirical Hierarchical Roofline on MI200 – Perfmon counters

- Weight
 - ADD: 1
 - MUL: 1
 - FMA: 2
 - Transcendental: 1
- FLOP Count
 - VALU: derived from VALU math instructions (assuming 64 active threads)
 - MFMA: count FLOP directly, in unit of 512
- Transcendental Instructions (7 in total)
 - e^x , $\log(x)$: F16, F32
 - $\frac{1}{x}$, $\sqrt{x}$, $\frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$: F16, F32, F64
 - $\sin x$, $\cos x$: F16, F32
- Profiling Overhead
 - Require 3 application replays

v_rcp_f64_e32 v[4:5], v[2:3]
 v_sin_f32_e32 v2, v2
 v_cos_f32_e32 v2, v2
 v_rsq_f64_e32 v[6:7], v[2:3]
 v_sqrt_f32_e32 v3, v2
 v_log_f32_e32 v2, v2
 v_exp_f32_e32 v2, v2

ID	HW Counter	Category
1	SQ_INSTS_VALU_ADD_F16	FLOP counter
2	SQ_INSTS_VALU_MUL_F16	FLOP counter
3	SQ_INSTS_VALU_FMA_F16	FLOP counter
4	SQ_INSTS_VALU_TRANS_F16	FLOP counter
5	SQ_INSTS_VALU_ADD_F32	FLOP counter
6	SQ_INSTS_VALU_MUL_F32	FLOP counter
7	SQ_INSTS_VALU_FMA_F32	FLOP counter
8	SQ_INSTS_VALU_TRANS_F32	FLOP counter
9	SQ_INSTS_VALU_ADD_F64	FLOP counter
10	SQ_INSTS_VALU_MUL_F64	FLOP counter
11	SQ_INSTS_VALU_FMA_F64	FLOP counter
12	SQ_INSTS_VALU_TRANS_F64	FLOP counter
13	SQ_INSTS_VALU_INT32	IOP counter
14	SQ_INSTS_VALU_INT64	IOP counter
15	SQ_INSTS_VALU_MFMA_MOPS_I8	IOP counter

ID	HW Counter	Category
16	SQ_INSTS_VALU_MFMA_MOPS_F16	FLOP counter
17	SQ_INSTS_VALU_MFMA_MOPS_BF16	FLOP counter
18	SQ_INSTS_VALU_MFMA_MOPS_F32	FLOP counter
19	SQ_INSTS_VALU_MFMA_MOPS_F64	FLOP counter
20	SQ_LDS_IDX_ACTIVE	LDS Bandwidth
21	SQ_LDS_BANK_CONFLICT	LDS Bandwidth
22	TCP_TOTAL_CACHE_ACCESSES_sum	vL1D Bandwidth
23	TCP_TCC_WRITE_REQ_sum	L2 Bandwidth
24	TCP_TCC_ATOMIC_WITH_RET_REQ_sum	L2 Bandwidth
25	TCP_TCC_ATOMIC_WITHOUT_RET_REQ_sum	L2 Bandwidth
26	TCP_TCC_READ_REQ_sum	L2 Bandwidth
27	TCC_EA_RDREQ_sum	HBM Bandwidth
28	TCC_EA_RDREQ_32B_sum	HBM Bandwidth
29	TCC_EA_WRREQ_sum	HBM Bandwidth
30	TCC_EA_WRREQ_64B_sum	HBM Bandwidth

Empirical Hierarchical Roofline on MI200 - Arithmetic

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Total_FLOP} = & 64 * (\text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_ADD_F16} + \text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_MUL_F16} + \text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_TRANS_F16} + 2 * \text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_FMA_F16}) \\ & + 64 * (\text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_ADD_F32} + \text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_MUL_F32} + \text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_TRANS_F32} + 2 * \text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_FMA_F32}) \\ & + 64 * (\text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_ADD_F64} + \text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_MUL_F64} + \text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_TRANS_F64} + 2 * \text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_FMA_F64}) \\ & + 512 * \text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_MFMA_MOPS_F16} \\ & + 512 * \text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_MFMA_MOPS_BF16} \\ & + 512 * \text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_MFMA_MOPS_F32} \\ & + 512 * \text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_MFMA_MOPS_F64} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Total_IOP} = 64 * (\text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_INT32} + \text{SQ_INSTS_VALU_INT64})$$

$$\text{LDS}_{BW} = 32 * 4 * (\text{SQ_LDS_IDX_ACTIVE} - \text{SQ_LDS_BANK_CONFLICT})$$

$$\text{vL1D}_{BW} = 64 * \text{TCP_TOTAL_CACHE_ACCESSES_sum}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{L2}_{BW} = & 64 * \text{TCP_TCC_READ_REQ_sum} \\ & + 64 * \text{TCP_TCC_WRITE_REQ_sum} \\ & + 64 * (\text{TCP_TCC_ATOMIC_WITH_RET_REQ_sum} + \\ & \text{TCP_TCC_ATOMIC_WITHOUT_RET_REQ_sum}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{HBM}_{BW} = & 32 * \text{TCC_EA_RDREQ_32B_sum} + 64 * (\text{TCC_EA_RDREQ_sum} - \\ & \text{TCC_EA_RDREQ_32B_sum}) \\ & + 32 * (\text{TCC_EA_WRREQ_sum} - \text{TCC_EA_WRREQ_64B_sum}) + 64 * \\ & \text{TCC_EA_WRREQ_64B_sum} \end{aligned}$$

$$AI_{LDS} = \frac{\text{TOTAL_FLOP}}{\text{LDS}_{BW}}$$

$$AI_{vL1D} = \frac{\text{TOTAL_FLOP}}{\text{vL1D}_{BW}}$$

$$AI_{L2} = \frac{\text{TOTAL_FLOP}}{\text{L2}_{BW}}$$

$$AI_{HBM} = \frac{\text{TOTAL_FLOP}}{\text{HBM}_{BW}}$$



* All calculations are subject to change

Empirical Hierarchical Roofline on MI200 - Manual Rocprof

- For those who like getting their hands dirty

- Generate input file

- See example roof-counters.txt →

- Run rocprof

```
foo@bar:~$ rocprof -i roof-counters.txt --timestamp on ./myCoolApp
```

- Analyze results

- Load *results.csv* output file in csv viewer of choice
 - Derive final metric values using equations on previous slide

- Profiling Overhead

- Requires one application replay for each pmc line

```
## roof-counters.txt

# FP32 FLOPs
pmc: SQ_INSTS_VALU_ADD_F32 SQ_INSTS_VALU_MUL_F32 SQ_INSTS_VALU_FMA_F32 SQ_INSTS_VALU_TRANS_F32

# HBM Bandwidth
pmc: TCC_EA_RDREQ_sum TCC_EA_RDREQ_32B_sum TCC_EA_WRREQ_sum TCC_EA_WRREQ_64B_sum

# LDS Bandwidth
pmc: SQ_LDS_IDX_ACTIVE SQ_LDS_BANK_CONFLICT

# L2 Bandwidth
pmc: TCP_TCC_READ_REQ_sum TCP_TCC_WRITE_REQ_sum TCP_TCC_ATOMIC_WITH_RET_REQ_sum
TCP_TCC_ATOMIC_WITHOUT_RET_REQ_sum

# vL1D Bandwidth
pmc: TCP_TOTAL_CACHE_ACCESES_sum
```



Omniperf Performance Analyzer (cont..)

Subsystem performance analysis

Memory subsystems

L2 Cache

HBM access

LDS

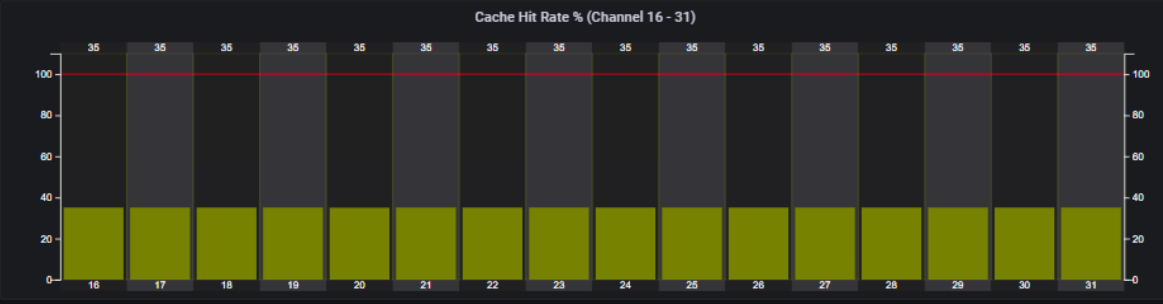
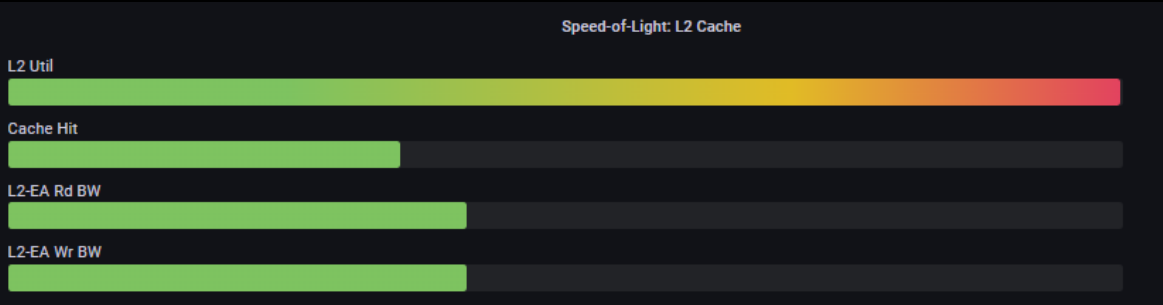
vL1D

Omniperf tooling support

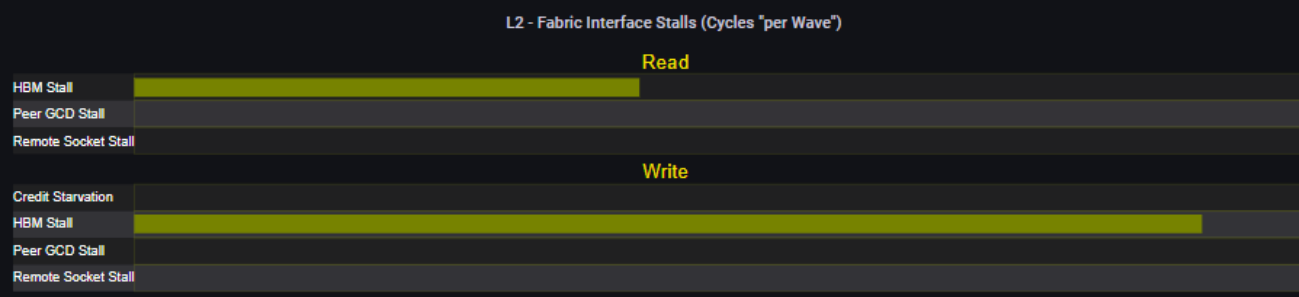
L2 Cache SOL

L2 fabric metrics

Per-channel statistics



L2 - Fabric Transactions				
Metric	Avg	Min	Max	Unit
Read BW	693,148,700,953	664,565,016,054	695,197,543,698	Bytes per Sec
Write BW	692,659,558,092	664,096,634,666	694,705,946,653	Bytes per Sec
Read (32B)	0	0	0	Req per Sec
Read (Uncached 32B)	2,304,240	1,434,649	2,370,898	Req per Sec
Read (64B)	10,830,448,452	10,383,828,376	10,862,461,620	Req per Sec
HBM Read	10,830,362,679	10,383,764,324	10,862,381,992	Req per Sec
Write (32B)	0	0	0	Req per Sec
Write (Uncached 32B)	0	0	0	Req per Sec
Write (64B)	10,822,805,595	10,376,509,917	10,854,780,416	Req per Sec
HBM Write	10,822,801,389	10,376,488,102	10,854,762,613	Req per Sec
Read Latency	739	732	801	Cycles
Write Latency	749	737	784	Cycles
Atomic Latency				Cycles
Read Stall	3	2	3	pct
Write Stall	6	5	8	pct



Shader compute components

Shader compute

Wavefront life

Instruction mix

Floating/Integer Ops

Compute pipeline



MFMA Arithmetic Instr Mix	
MFMA Instr	Count
MFMA-i8	0
MFMA-F16	0
MFMA-BF16	0
MFMA-F32	0
MFMA-F64	995

Wavefront Runtime Stats				
Metric	Avg	Min	Max	Unit
Kernel Time (Nanosec)	6,197,098	6,178,719	6,463,519	ns
Kernel Time (Cycles)	9,007,899	8,905,122	9,137,368	Cycle
Instr/wavefront	18	18	18	Instr/wavefro...
Wave Cycles	3,405	3,335	3,455	Cycles/wave
Dependency Wait Cycles	3,209	3,186	3,240	Cycles/wave
Issue Wait Cycles	165	112	193	Cycles/wave
Active Cycles	64	64	64	Cycles/wave
Wavefront Occupancy	3,198	3,166	3,210	Wavefronts



Omniperf profile – Roofline only

Profile with roofline:

```
$ omniperf profile -n roofline_case_app --roof-only -- <CMD> <ARGS>
```

Analyze the profiled workload:

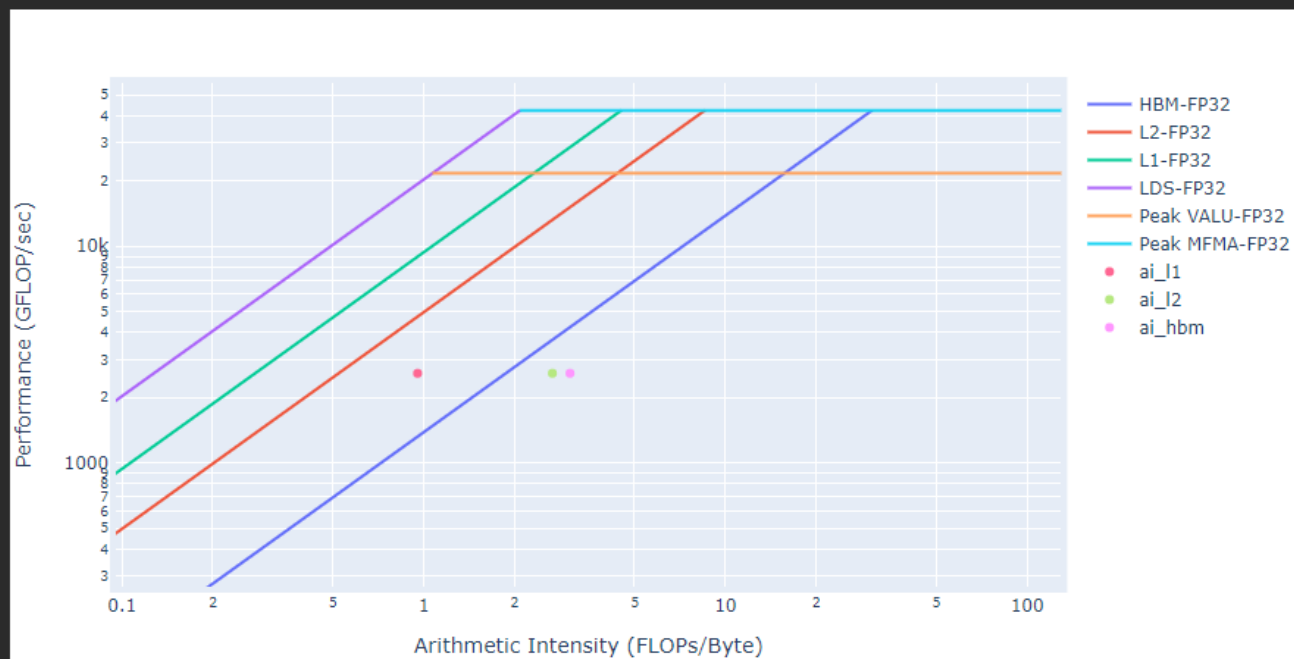
```
$ omniperf analyze -p path/to/workloads/roofline_case_app/mi200 --gui
```

Open web page <http://IP:8050/>

When profile with --roof-only, a PDF with the roofline will be created. In order to see the name of the kernels, add the --kernel-names and a second PDF will be created with names for the kernel markers:

```
$ omniperf profile -n roofline_case_app --roof-only --kernel-names -- <CMD> <ARGS>
```

Empirical Roofline Analysis (FP32/FP64)

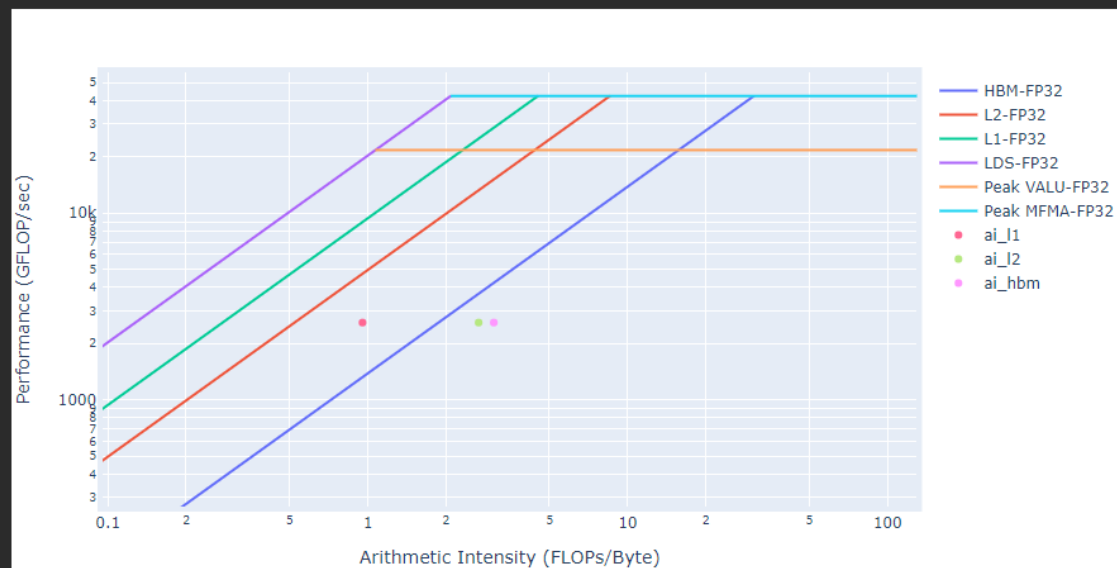


Roofline Analysis – Kokkos code

Menu ▾ NORMALIZATION: per Wave Kernels: Fetch: 346 GCD: ALL DISPATCH FILTER: ALL Report Bug

```
void
Kokkos::Experimental::Impl::hip_parallel_launch_constant_memory<Kokkos::Impl::ParallelFor<idfix_for<Hydro::HlIdMHD<2>
()::{lambda(int, int, int)#1}>{std::__cxx11::basic_string<char, std::char_traits<char>, std::allocator<char> > const&, int const&,
int const&, int const&, int const&, int const&, Hydro::HlIdMHD<2>()::{lambda(int, int, int)#1}>::lambda(int
const&)#1}, Kokkos::RangePolicy<Kokkos::Experimental::HIP>, Kokkos::Experimental::HIP>, 256u, 1u>() [clone .kd]
```

Empirical Roofline Analysis (FP32/FP64)



- Roofline: the first-step characterization of workload performance
 - Workload characterization
 - Compute bound
 - Memory bound
 - Performance margin
 - L1/L2 cache accesses
- Thorough SoC perf analysis for each subsystem to identify bottlenecks
 - HBM
 - L1/L2
 - LDS
 - Shader compute
 - Wavefront dispatch
- Omniperf tooling support
 - Roofline plot (float, integer)
 - Baseline roofline comparison
 - Kernel statistics

SPI Resource Allocation

- Dispatch Bound
 - Wavefront dispatching failure due to resources limitation
 - Wavefront slots
 - VGPR
 - SGPR
 - LDS allocation
 - Barriers
 - Etc.
 - Omnipert tooling support
 - Shader Processor Input (SPI) metrics

6.2 SPI Resource Allocation

Metric	Avg	Min	Max	Unit
Wave request Failed (CS)	613303.00	613303.00	613303.00	Cycles
CS Stall	356961.00	356961.00	356961.00	Cycles
CS Stall Rate	62.95	62.95	62.95	Pct
Scratch Stall	0.00	0.00	0.00	Cycles
Insufficient SIMD Waveslots	0.00	0.00	0.00	Simd
Insufficient SIMD VGPRs	16252333.00	16252333.00	16252333.00	Simd
Insufficient SIMD SGPRs	0.00	0.00	0.00	Simd
Insufficient CU LDS	0.00	0.00	0.00	Cu
Insufficient CU Barries	0.00	0.00	0.00	Cu
Insufficient Bulky Resource	0.00	0.00	0.00	Cu
Reach CU Threadgroups Limit	0.00	0.00	0.00	Cycles
Reach CU Wave Limit	0.00	0.00	0.00	Cycles
VGPR Writes	4.00	4.00	4.00	Cycles/wave
SGPR Writes	5.00	5.00	5.00	Cycles/wave



What if Grafana and web GUI crashes when loading performance data?
(real case)

When profiling produces too large data...

- We had an application that the realistic case was dispatching 6.7 million calls to kernels
- Executing Omnipperf without any options, it would take up to 36 hours to finish while single non instrumented execution takes less than 1 hour.
- HW counters add overhead
- We had totally around 9 GB of profiling data from 1 MPI process
- Uploading the data to a Grafana server was crashing Grafana server and we had to reboot the service
- Using standalone GUI was never finishing loading the data
- Omnipperf profile has an option called `-k` where you define which specific kernel to profile. You can define the id 0-9 of the top 10 kernels.
- This creates profiling data **only** for the selected kernel
- This way you can split the profiling data to 10 executions, one per kernel:
 - You can use different resources to do the experiments in parallel (remember there can be performance variation between different GPUs)
 - You can visualize each kernel

Profile with roofline for a specific kernel:

```
$ srun -N 1 -n 1 --ntasks-per-node=1 --gpus=1 --hint=nomultithread omniperf profile -n kernel_roof  
-k kernel_name --roof-only -- ./binary args
```



Example – DAXPY with a loop in the kernel

DAXPY – with a loop in the kernel

```

#include <hip/hip_runtime.h>

__constant__ double a = 1.0f;

__global__
void daxpy (int n, double const* x, int incx, double* y, int incy)
{
    int i = blockDim.x * blockIdx.x + threadIdx.x;
    if (i < n)
        for(int ll=0;ll<20;ll++) {
            y[i] = a*x[i] + y[i];
        }
}

int main()
{
    int n = 1<<24;
    std::size_t size = sizeof(double)*n;

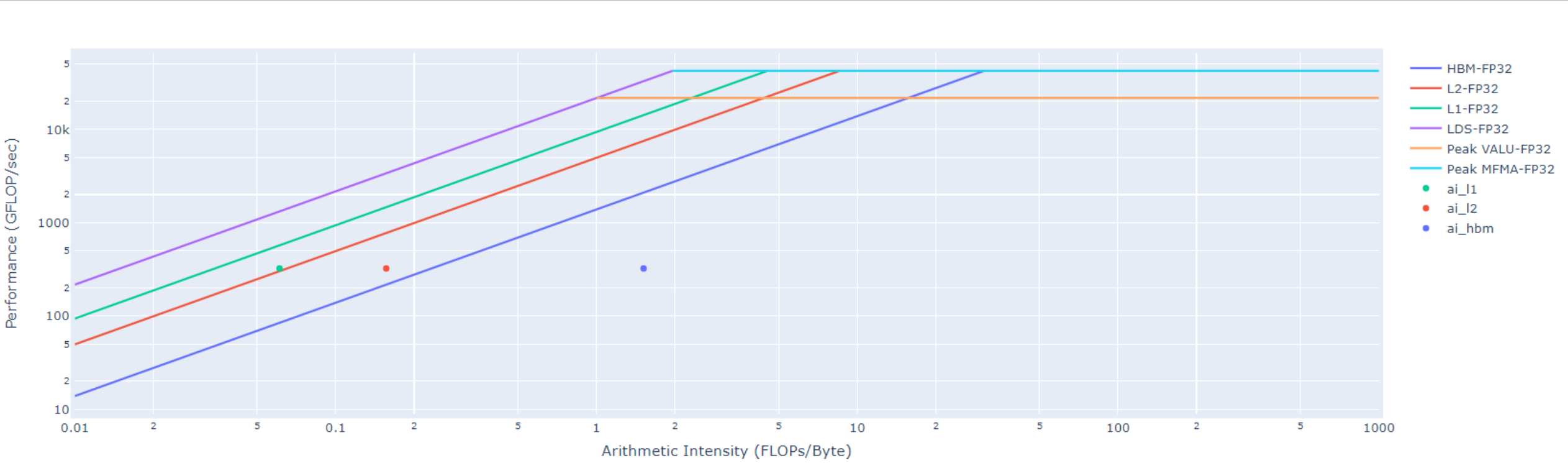
    double* d_x;
    double *d_y;
    hipMalloc(&d_x, size);
    hipMalloc(&d_y, size);

    int num_groups = (n+255)/256;
    int group_size = 256;
    daxpy<<<num_groups, group_size>>>(n, d_x, 1, d_y, 1);
    hipDeviceSynchronize();
}

```

Roofline

Empirical Roofline Analysis (FP32/FP64)



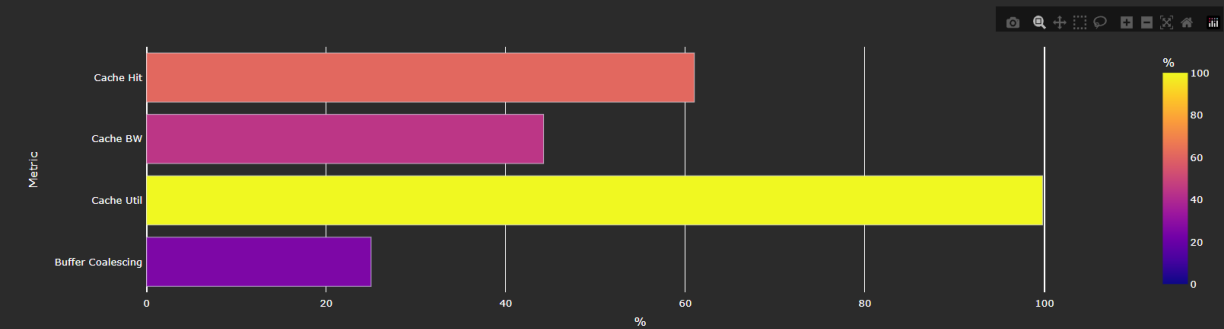
- Performance: almost 330 GFLOPs

Kernel execution time and L1D Cache Accesses

KernelName	Count	Sum(ns)	Mean(ns)	Median(ns)	Pct
daxpy(int, double const*, int, double*, int) [clone .kd]	1.00	2024491.00	2024491.00	2024491.00	100.00

16. Vector L1 Data Cache

16.1 Speed-of-Light



16.2 L1D Cache Stalls

Metric	Mean	Min	Max	unit
Stalled on L2 Data	73.69	73.69	73.69	Pct
Stalled on L2 Req	19.47	19.47	19.47	Pct
Tag RAM Stall (Read)	0.00	0.00	0.00	Pct
Tag RAM Stall (Write)	0.00	0.00	0.00	Pct
Tag RAM Stall (Atomic)	0.00	0.00	0.00	Pct

16.3 L1D Cache Accesses

Metric	Avg	Min	Max	Unit
Total Req	2624.00	2624.00	2624.00	Req per wave
Read Req	1344.00	1344.00	1344.00	Req per wave
Write Req	1280.00	1280.00	1280.00	Req per wave
Atomic Req	0.00	0.00	0.00	Req per wave
Cache BW	5291.66	5291.66	5291.66	Gb/s
Cache Accesses	656.00	656.00	656.00	Req per wave
Cache Hits	400.16	400.16	400.16	Req per wave
Cache Hit Rate	61.00	61.00	61.00	Pct

DAXPY – with a loop in the kernel - Optimized

```
#include <hip/hip_runtime.h>

__constant__ double a = 1.0f;

__global__
void daxpy (int n, double const* __restrict__ x, int incx, double* __restrict__ y, int incy)
{
    int i = blockDim.x * blockIdx.x + threadIdx.x;
    if (i < n)
        for(int ll=0;ll<20;ll++) {
            y[i] = a*x[i] + y[i];
        }
}

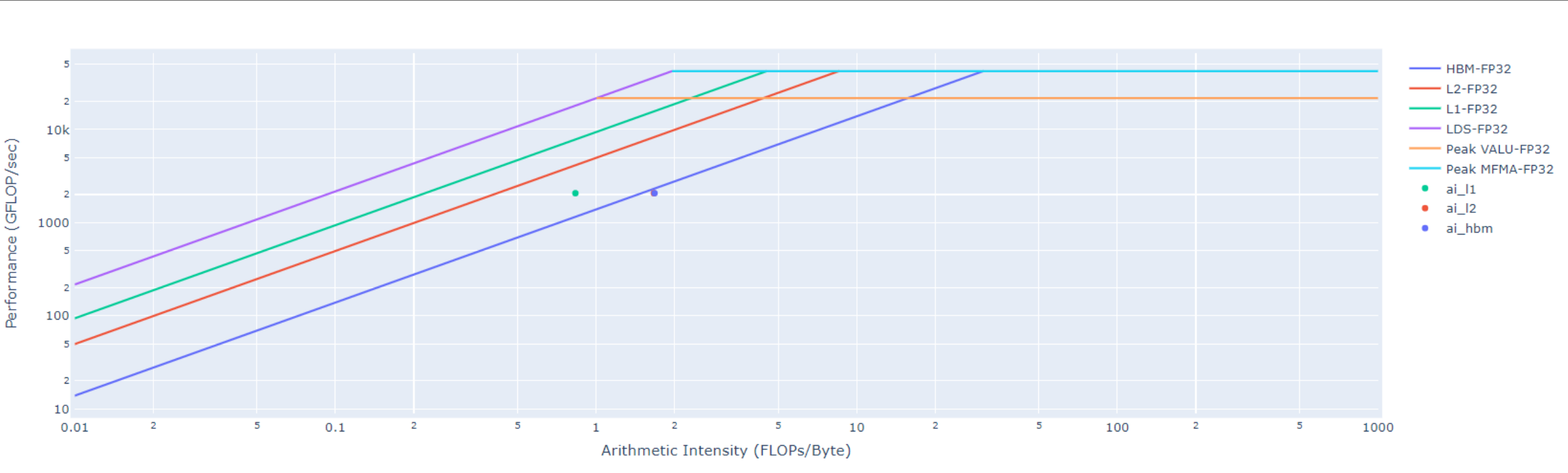
int main()
{
    int n = 1<<24;
    std::size_t size = sizeof(double)*n;

    double* d_x;
    double *d_y;
    hipMalloc(&d_x, size);
    hipMalloc(&d_y, size);

    int num_groups = (n+255)/256;
    int group_size = 256;
    daxpy<<<num_groups, group_size>>>(n, d_x, 1, d_y, 1);
    hipDeviceSynchronize();
}
```

Roofline - Optimized

Empirical Roofline Analysis (FP32/FP64)



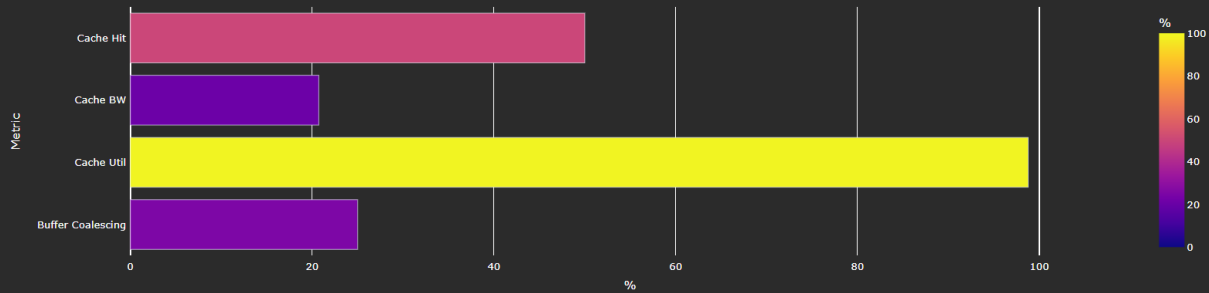
- Performance: almost 2 TFLOPs

Kernel execution time and L1D Cache Accesses - Optimized

KernelName	Count	Sum(ns)	Mean(ns)	Median(ns)	Pct
daxpy(int, double const*, int, double*, int) [clone .kd]	1.00	323522.00	323522.00	323522.00	100.00

6.2 times faster!

16.1 Speed-of-Light



16.2 L1D Cache Stalls

Metric	Mean	Min	Max	unit
Stalled on L2 Data	79.08	79.08	79.08	Pct
Stalled on L2 Req	15.17	15.17	15.17	Pct
Tag RAM Stall (Read)	0.00	0.00	0.00	Pct
Tag RAM Stall (Write)	0.00	0.00	0.00	Pct
Tag RAM Stall (Atomic)	0.00	0.00	0.00	Pct

16.3 L1D Cache Accesses

Metric	Avg	Min	Max	Unit
Total Req	192.00	192.00	192.00	Req per wave
Read Req	128.00	128.00	128.00	Req per wave
Write Req	64.00	64.00	64.00	Req per wave
Atomic Req	0.00	0.00	0.00	Req per wave
Cache BW	2480.60	2480.60	2480.60	Gb/s
Cache Accesses	48.00	48.00	48.00	Req per wave
Cache Hits	24.00	24.00	24.00	Req per wave
Cache Hit Rate	50.00	50.00	50.00	Pct
Invalidate	0.00	0.00	0.00	Req per wave

Guided Exercises

1. Launch Parameters
2. LDS Occupancy Limiter
3. VGPR Occupancy Limiter
4. Strided Data Access Pattern
5. Algorithmic Optimizations
6. Daxpy example

Guided Exercises: Logistics/Preamble

- To accommodate the virtual setting and attendees with varied access to Omniperf:
 - I'll read through the slides without waiting for everyone to finish working through each exercise
 - If you have access to a system with Omniperf, clone the repo and start working through the exercises:
 - `git clone https://github.com/amd/HPCTrainingExamples/`
 - The READMEs contain all of what I'm saying and include platform-specific instructions for this training in the top-level directory
- We have used a publicly available release candidate of Omniperf to generate output for these slides:
 - <https://github.com/AMDRResearch/omniperf/releases/tag/v1.1.0-PR1>
 - Behavior may differ if using a different version of Omniperf (e.g. 1.0.10)
 - Generally, building stable releases is the best practice
- The numbers shown in the READMEs and these slides were generated using MI210 accelerators
- Implementations in these exercises are **not** fully-optimized kernels

Guided Exercises: Representative Optimization Tasks

- The Exercises are roughly in order of ease of development effort and performance impact:
 - Exercise 1: Verify Reasonable Launch Parameters
 - Exercise 2: Attempt to Cache Data in Shared Memory
 - Exercise 3: Determining a Source of Unexpected Resource Usage
 - Exercise 4: Verifying Efficient Data Access Patterns
 - Exercise 5: Analyzing an Algorithmic Change
- The underlying code is kept simple to emphasize the optimization techniques
- These slides are intended as a “Cheat Sheet” starting point providing:
 - Omnipperf commands to filter through output for common optimization concerns
 - Some optimization direction given certain Omnipperf output

Guided Exercises: Optimizing a yAx Kernel

- We'll be looking at a relatively simple kernel that solves the same problem in each exercise, yAx
 - yAx is a vector-matrix-vector product that can be implemented in serial as:

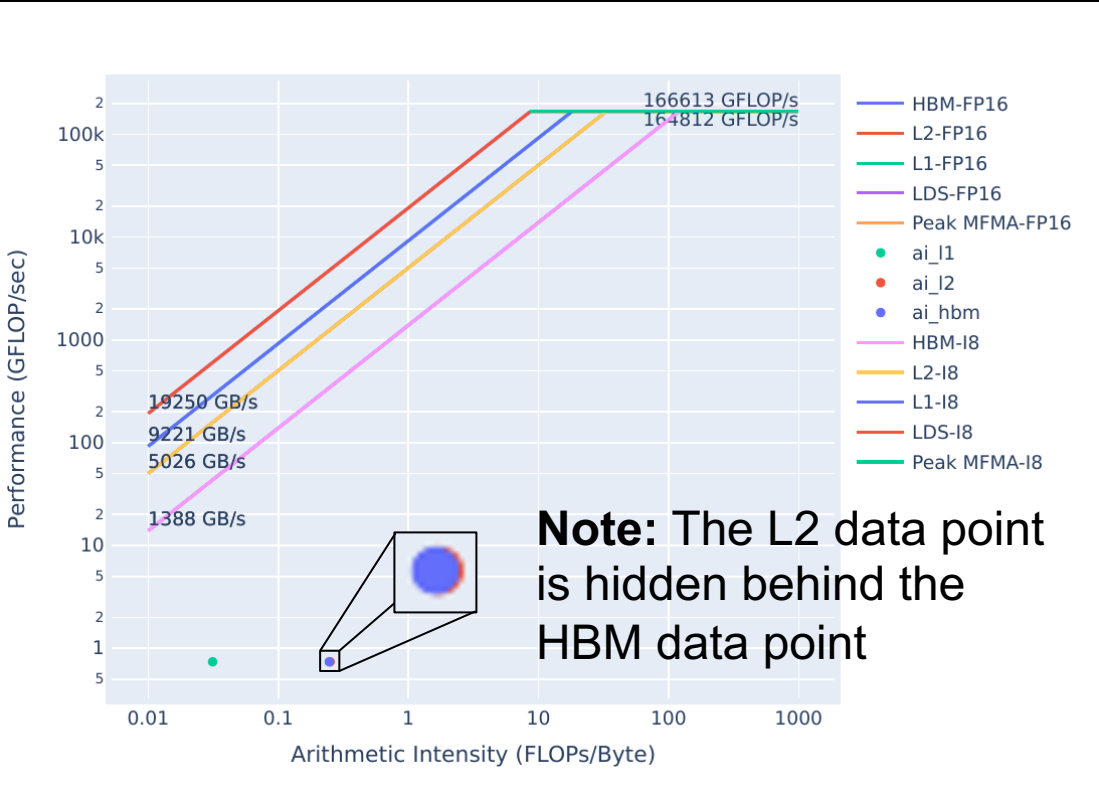
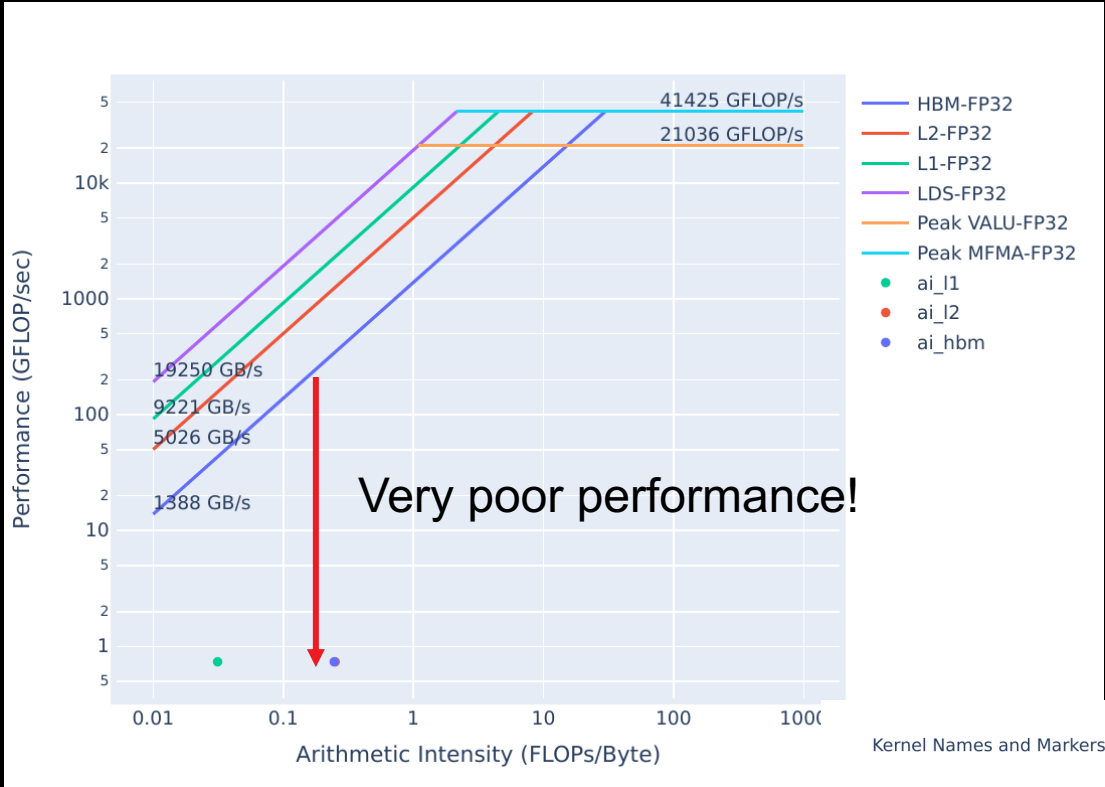
```
double result = 0.0;
for (int i = 0; i < n; i++){
    double temp = 0.0;
    for (int j = 0; j < m; j++){
        temp += A[i*m + j] * x[j];
    }
    result += y[i] * temp;
}
```

- Where:
 - A is a 1-D array of size $n*m$
 - x is an array of size m
 - y is an array of size n

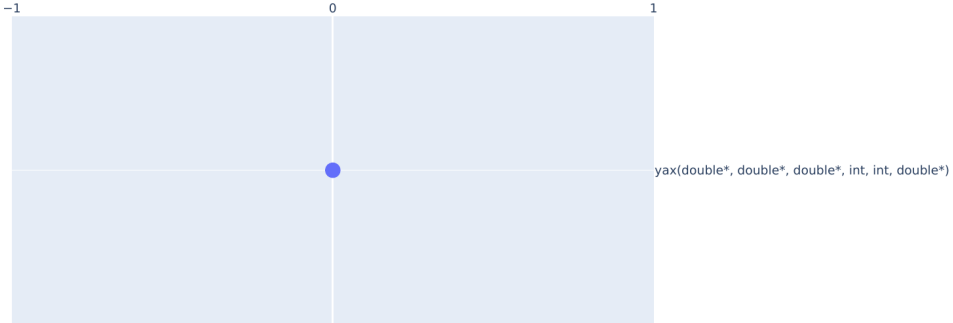
Exercise 1: First Things First, Generate a Roofline

- Run this command to generate roofline plots and a legend for each kernel (in PDF form):
 - `omniperf profile -n problem_roof_only --roof-only --kernel-names -- ./problem.exe`
 - The files will appear in the `./workloads/problem_roof_only/mi200` folder.
 - `--roof-only` generates PDF roofline plots, and does **not** generate any non-roofline profiling data
 - `--kernel-names` generates a PDF showing which kernel names correspond to which icons in the roofline
- Rooflines are a useful tool in determining which kernels are good optimization targets
 - They are only one perspective of performance: runtime of the kernel cannot be inferred from the roofline
- Generated PDF roofline plots can have overlapping data points but should still be instructive
 - There are fixes to this, but they may be difficult to setup for different cluster installations
 - Generating the PDF plots from the command line interface should always work
- Complete sets of Roofline plots and commands can be found in the READMEs for each exercise

Exercise 1: Problem Roofline Plots



Kernel legend



Exercise 1: Prep to use Omnipperf to Find Kernel Launch Parameters

- Launch parameters are given at the time of the kernel launch, as in lines 49 and 54:
 - `yax<<<grid,block>>>(y,A,x,n,m,result);`
 - Where grid and block are the kernel yax's launch parameters
 - In problem, `grid = (4,1,1)`, and `block = (64,1,1)`
 - In solution, `grid = (2048,1,1)`, and `block = (64,1,1)`
- Sometimes the launch parameters for a given kernel can be obfuscated
- Omnipperf can easily show launch parameter information regardless of the code
 - You just need the dispatch ID
- To generate profiling data, use the commands:
 - `omnipperf profile -n problem --no-roof -- ./problem.exe`
 - `omnipperf profile -n solution --no-roof -- ./solution.exe`
 - `--no-roof` saves time by not generating roofline data – profile commands can take a while
- **Real benchmarks can take prohibitively long to profile** – use smaller representative problems if possible

Exercise 1: CLI Omnipperf Comparisons are Easy

```
omnipperf analyze -p workloads/problem/mi200 -p workloads/solution/mi200 --dispatch 1 --metric 7.1.0 7.1.1 7.1.2
```

Analyze

0. Top Stat

	KernelName	Count	Count	Sum(ns)	Sum(ns)	Mean(ns)	Mean(ns)	Median(ns)	Median(ns)	Pct	Pct
0	yax(double*, double*, double*, int, int, double*)	1.00	1.0 (0.0%)	754934306.50	69702016.5 (-90.77%)	754934306.50	69702016.5 (-90.77%)	754934306.50	69702016.5 (-90.77%)	100.00	100.0 (0.0%)

10.8x speedup

7. Wavefront
7.1 Wavefront Launch Stats

Index	Metric	Avg	Avg	Min	Min	Max	Max	Unit
7.1.0	Grid Size	256.00	131072.0 (51100.0%)	256.00	131072.0 (51100.0%)	256.00	131072.0 (51100.0%)	Work items
7.1.1	Workgroup Size	64.00	64.0 (0.0%)	64.00	64.0 (0.0%)	64.00	64.0 (0.0%)	Work items
7.1.2	Total Wavefronts	4.00	2048.0 (51100.0%)	4.00	2048.0 (51100.0%)	4.00	2048.0 (51100.0%)	Wavefronts

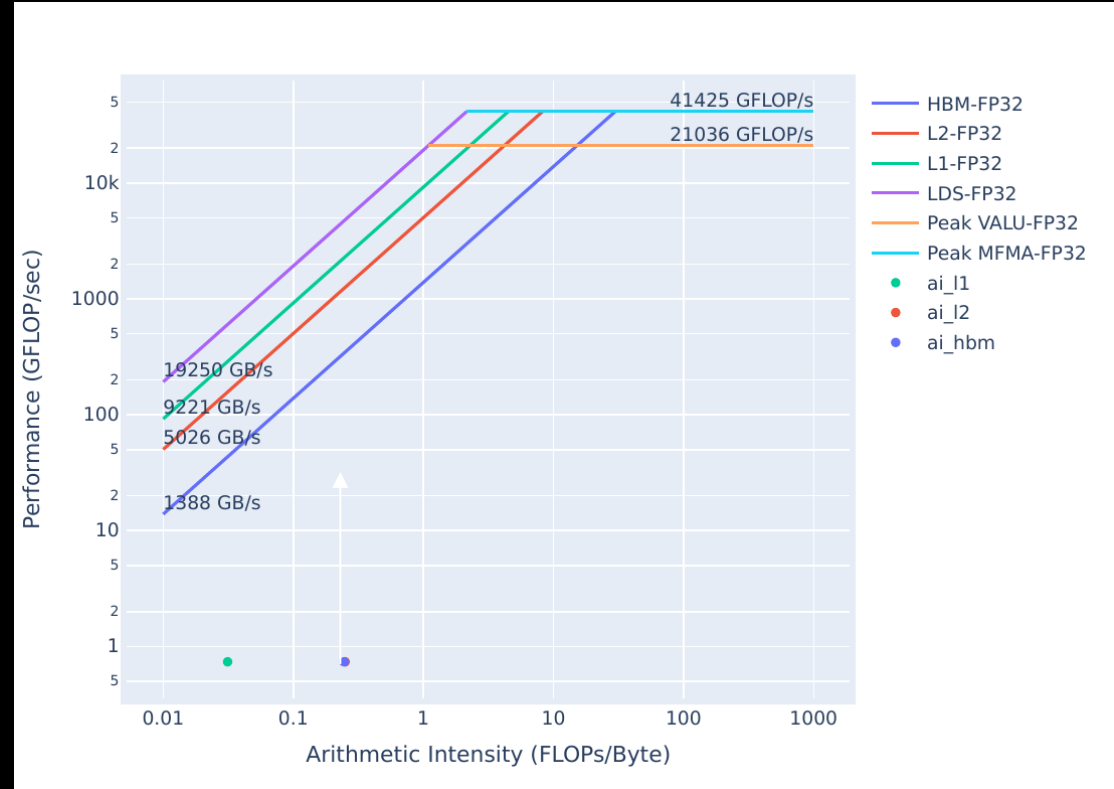
In general, it is difficult to pre-determine optimal launch bounds, so some experimentation is likely necessary

Increased launched wavefronts, which increases Grid Size

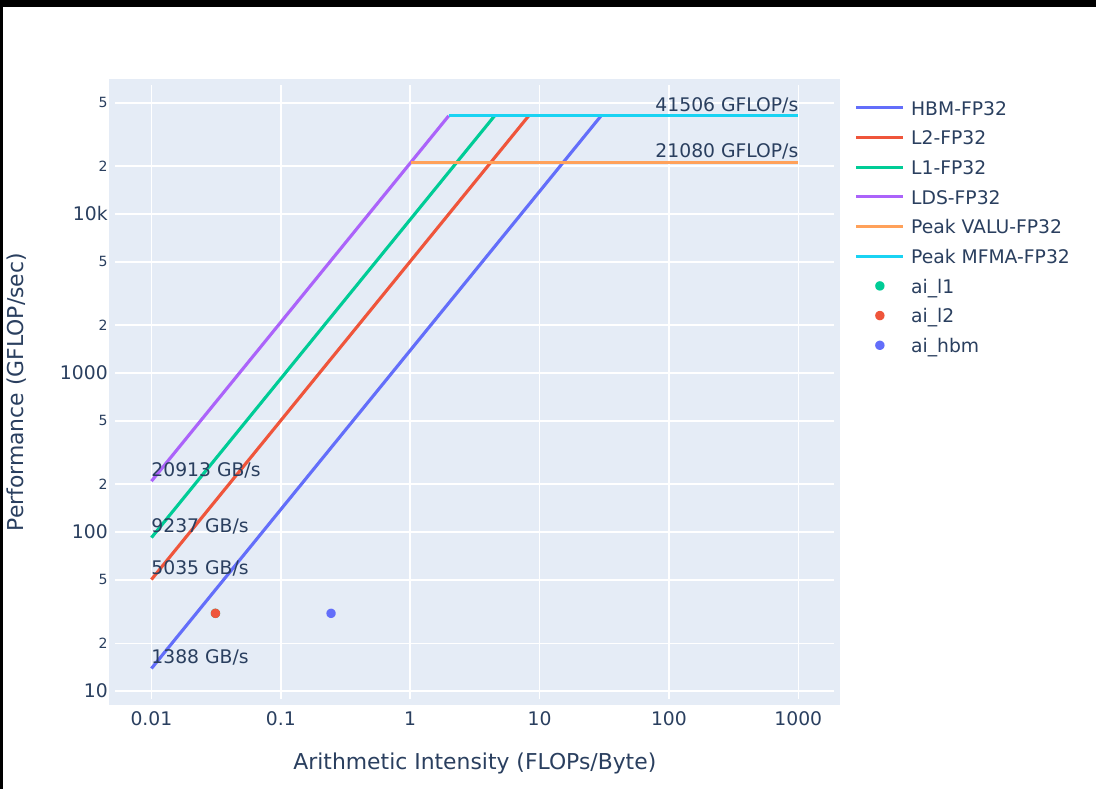
These slides always put `problem` as the baseline, and `solution` as the comparative

Exercise 1: Comparing Problem and Solution Roofline Plots

Problem FP32 Roofline Plot



Solution FP32 Roofline Plot



Generally, moving **up** and to the **right** is good.

Exercise 1: It's Easy to Check Launch Parameters with Omniperf

- Use this omniperf command to check launch parameters:
 - `omniperf analyze -p workloads/problem/mi200 --dispatch 1 --metric 7.1.0 7.1.1 7.1.2`
 - Shows the launch parameters of the kernel with dispatch ID 1
 - `--metric` filters the output to **only** show these launch parameters
- Good launch parameters are essential to a performant GPU kernel
 - Determining which parameters give the best performance usually requires experimenting
- It can be difficult to track down where launch parameters are set in code
- Omniperf can easily show the launch parameters of a kernel
 - Need the dispatch ID or index given by `--list-kernels`
 - `--list-kernels` index can be passed to `-k` as in:
 - `omniperf analyze -p workloads/problem/mi200 -k 0 -metric 7.1.0 7.1.1 7.1.2`
- **Note:**
 - These metric numbers are for Omniperf 1.0.10

Exercise 2: Diagnosing a Shared Memory Occupancy Limiter

- Using LDS (Local Data Store – Shared Memory) to cache re-used data can be an effective optimization strategy
- Using **too much** LDS can restrict occupancy however, and reduce performance
- Line 12 in problem.cpp shows the allocation of LDS:
 - `__shared__ double tmp[fully_allocate_lds];`
- There are two solutions:
 - `solution-no-lds` removes the LDS allocation, and thus the occupancy limiter
 - `solution` reduces the size of the LDS allocation, removes occupancy limiter, and is faster than `solution-no-lds`
 - This is the solution used to generate the Omnipperf output in the next slide
- Omnipperf makes it easy to determine if LDS allocations restrict occupancy, as before profile with:
 - `omnipperf profile -n problem --no-roof -- ./problem.exe`
 - `omnipperf profile -n solution --no-roof -- ./solution.exe`

Exercise 2: LDS Occupancy Limiter – Relevant Omniperf Output

```
omniperf analyze -p workloads/problem/mi200 -p workloads/solution/mi200 --dispatch 1 --metric 2.1.26 6.2.7
```

Analyze

0. Top Stat

	KernelName	Count	Count	Sum(ns)	Sum(ns)	Mean(ns)	Mean(ns)	Median(ns)	Median(ns)	Pct	Pct
0	yax(double*, double*, double*, int, int, double*)	1.00	1.0 (0.0%)	175427205.00	50366185.0 (-71.29%)	175427205.00	50366185.0 (-71.29%)	175427205.00	50366185.0 (-71.29%)	100.00	100.0 (0.0%)

3.4x speedup

2. System Speed-of-Light
2.1 Speed-of-Light

Index	Metric	Value	Value	Unit	Peak	Peak	PoP	PoP
2.1.26	Wave Occupancy	102.70	487.32 (374.51%)	Wavefronts	3328.00	3328.0 (0.0%)	3.09	14.64 (373.88%)

+ ~11% Occupancy (overall)

6. Shader Processor Input (SPI)
6.2 SPI Resource Allocation

Index	Metric	Avg	Avg	Min	Min	Max	Max	Unit
6.2.7	Insufficient CU LDS	6015745446.00	0.0 (-100.0%)	6015745446.00	0.0 (-100.0%)	6015745446.00	0.0 (-100.0%)	Cu

Sharp decrease in SPI stat

Exercise 2: Use SPI Stats to Determine if LDS Limits Occupancy

- Occupancy limiters can negatively impact performance
- Workgroup manager (SPI) stats in Omnipperf indicate whether a kernel resource limits occupancy
- You can get the SPI stat for LDS for a single kernel with:
 - `omnipperf analyze -p workloads/problem/mi200 --dispatch 1 --metric 2.1.26 6.2.7`

Note:

- In current Omnipperf release 1.0.10, the SPI “insufficient resource” stats are a count of cycles, meaning:
 - Large numbers (on the order of over 1 million) are expected if a field is not zero
 - The magnitude of these fields **does not** necessarily indicate how severely occupancy is impacted
 - If two fields are nonzero, the larger number indicates that resource is limiting occupancy more
- In a coming release, these “insufficient resource” fields are changing to percentages:
 - Large numbers will no longer be expected, but the other points will still hold

Exercise 3: Diagnosing a Register Occupancy Limiter

- Seemingly innocuous function calls inside kernels can lead to unexpected performance characteristics
 - In this case an assert on line 15 causes occupancy to be limited by register usage
 - The solution simply removes the assert
- The types of registers on AMD GPUs are:
 - **VGPRs (Vector General Purpose Registers):** registers that can hold distinct values for each thread in the wavefront
 - **SGPRs (Scalar General Purpose Registers):** uniform across a wavefront. If possible, using these is preferable
 - **AGPRs (Accumulation vector General Purpose Registers):** special-purpose registers for MFMA (Matrix Fused Multiply-Add) operations, or low-cost register spills
- Using too many of one of these register types can impact occupancy and negatively impact performance
- We use the same profile commands to get the profiling data:
 - `omniperf profile -n problem --no-roof -- ./problem.exe`
 - `omniperf profile -n solution --no-roof -- ./solution.exe`

Exercise 3: Register Occupancy Limiter – Relevant Omniperf Output

```
omniperf analyze -p workloads/problem/mi200 -p workloads/solution/mi200 --dispatch 1 --metric 2.1.26 6.2.5 7.1.5 7.1.6 7.1.7
```

0. Top Stat

	KernelName	Count	Count	Sum(ns)	Sum(ns)	Mean(ns)	Mean(ns)	Median(ns)	Median(ns)	Pct	Pct
0	yax(double*, double*, double*, int, int, double*)	1.00	1.0 (0.0%)	76983902.00	69815871.0 (-9.31%)	76983902.00	69815871.0 (-9.31%)	76983902.00	69815871.0 (-9.31%)	100.00	100.0 (0.0%)

Minor speedup

2. System Speed-of-Light

2.1 Speed-of-Light

Index	Metric	Value	Value	Unit	Peak	Peak	PoP	PoP
2.1.26	Wave Occupancy	438.00	444.1 (1.39%)	Wavefronts	3328.00	3328.0 (0.0%)	13.16	13.34 (1.4%)

Small increase in occupancy

6. Shader Processor Input (SPI)

6.2 SPI Resource Allocation

Index	Metric	Avg	Avg	Min	Min	Max	Max	Unit
6.2.5	Insufficient SIMD VGPRs	13733460.00	0.0 (-100.0%)	13733460.00	0.0 (-100.0%)	13733460.00	0.0 (-100.0%)	Simd

Large decrease in SPI stat

7. Wavefront

7.1 Wavefront Launch Stats

Index	Metric	Avg	Avg	Min	Min	Max	Max	Unit
7.1.5	VGPRs	92.00	32.0 (-65.22%)	92.00	32.0 (-65.22%)	92.00	32.0 (-65.22%)	Registers
7.1.6	AGPRs	132.00	0.0 (-100.0%)	132.00	0.0 (-100.0%)	132.00	0.0 (-100.0%)	Registers
7.1.7	SGPRs	48.00	96.0 (100.0%)	48.00	96.0 (100.0%)	48.00	96.0 (100.0%)	Registers

Able to use:
Fewer VGPRs,
No AGPRs,
more SGPRs

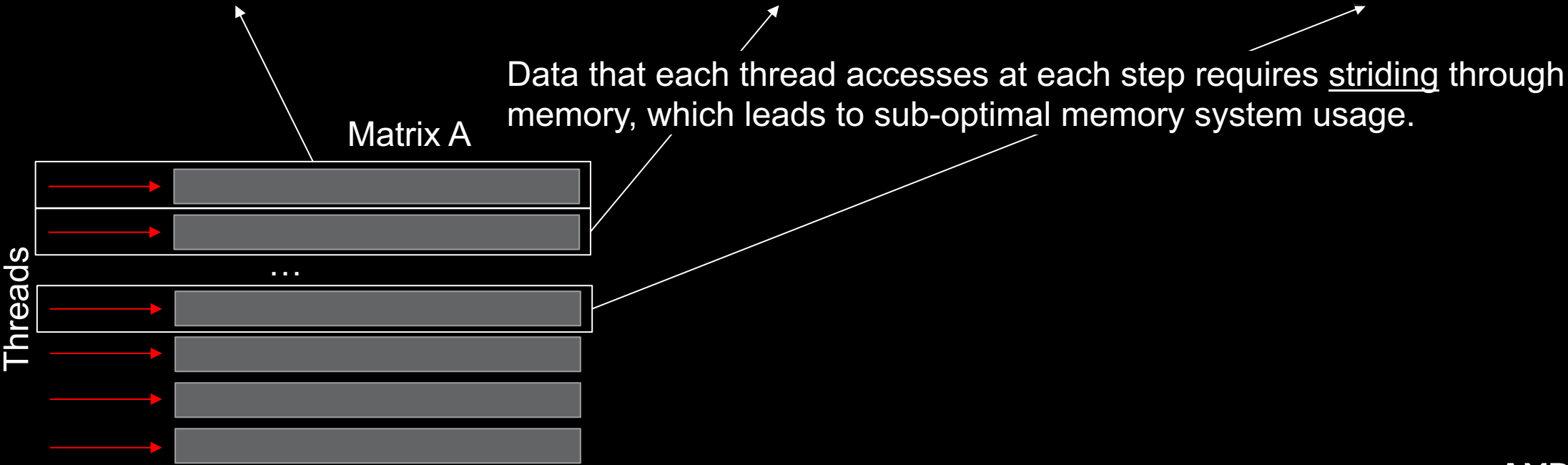
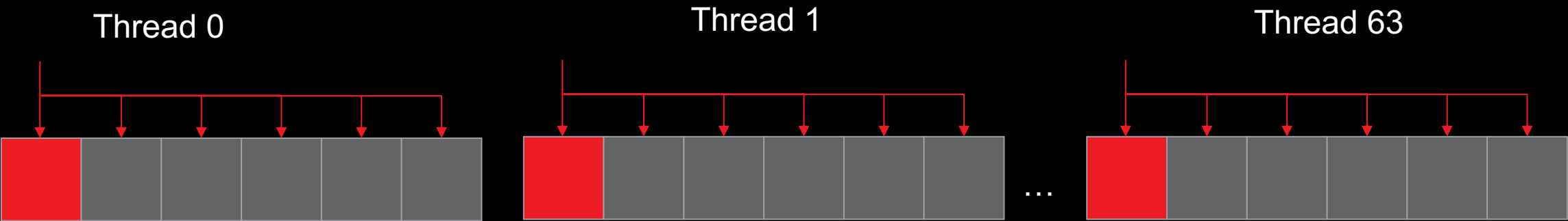
Exercise 3: Register Occupancy Limiter - Takeaways

- Seemingly innocuous function calls inside kernels can lead to unexpected performance characteristics
 - Asserts, and even excessive use of math functions in kernels can degrade performance
- In this case the occupancy limit was very minor, despite a large number in the SPI stat
- AGPR usage in the absence of MFMA (Matrix Fused Multiply Add) instructions can indicate degraded performance.
 - Spilling registers to AGPRs, due to running out of VGPRs
- To determine if any SPI “insufficient resource” stats are nonzero, you can do:
 - `omniperf analyze -p workloads/problem/mi200 --dispatch 1 --metric 6.2`
 - **Note:** This will report more than just all “insufficient resource” fields

Exercise 4: Data Access Patterns are Important to Performance

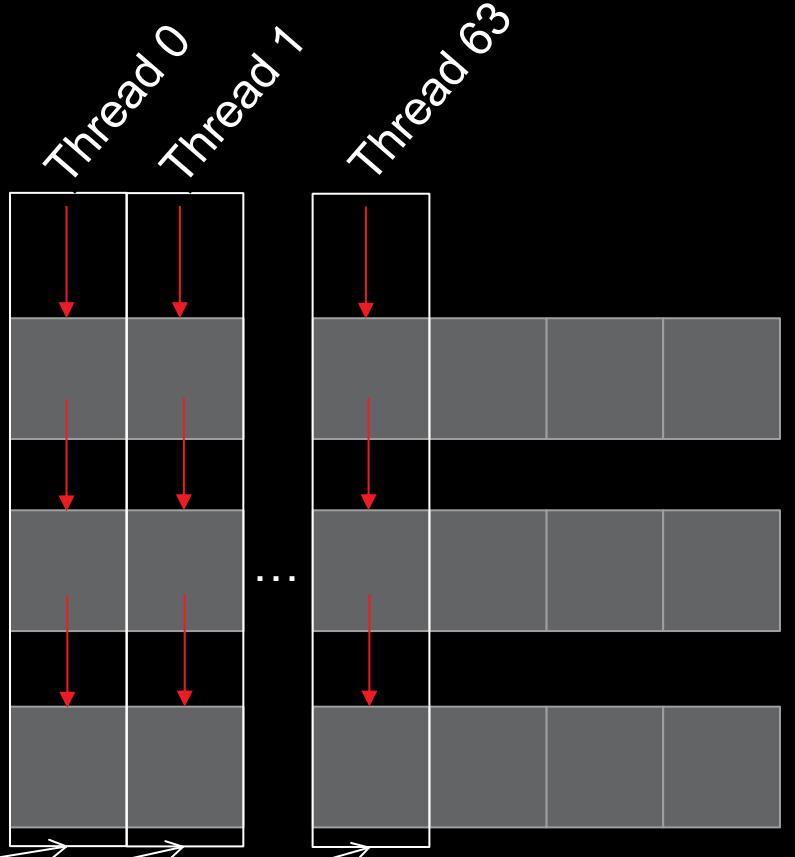
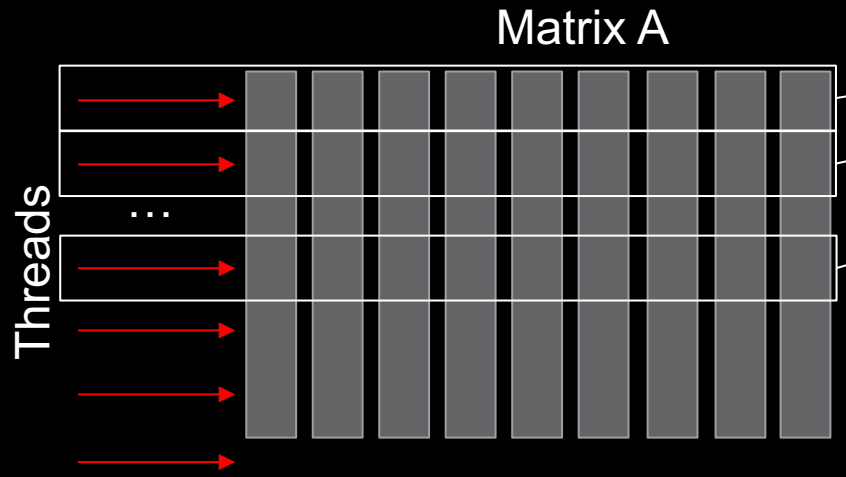
- The way in which threads access memory has a big impact on performance
- “Striding” in global memory has adverse effects on kernel performance, especially on GPUs.
 - “Strided data access patterns” lead to poor utilization of cache memory systems
- These access patterns can be difficult to spot in the code
 - They are valid methods of indexing data
- Using Omnipperf can quickly show if a kernel’s data access is adversarial to the caches

Exercise 4: What is a “Strided Data Access Pattern”?



Exercise 4: Strided Data Access Patterns

Increasing the **locality** of data accesses of nearby threads allows for more efficient memory usage



Note: This is the same computation as before, only data layout has changed.

Exercise 4: Using Omnipperf to Diagnose a Strided Data Access Pattern

- This exercise's setup makes it very easy to change the data access pattern
 - Generally, these optimizations can have nontrivial development overhead
 - Re-conceptualizing the data structure can be difficult
- All the solution does is re-work the indexing scheme to better use caches
 - No required change to underlying data, because all the values in y, A, and x are set to 1
- To get started run:
 - `omnipperf profile -n problem --no-roof -- ./problem.exe`
 - `omnipperf profile -n solution --no-roof -- ./solution.exe`

Exercise 4: Strided Data Access Pattern – Relevant Omnipperf Output

```
omnipperf analyze -p workloads/problem/mi200 -p workloads/solution/mi200 --dispatch 1 --metric 16.1 17.1
```

0. Top Stat

	KernelName	Count	Count	Sum(ns)	Sum(ns)	Mean(ns)	Mean(ns)	Median(ns)	Median(ns)	Pct	Pct
0	yax(double*, double*, double*, int, int, double*)	1.00	1.0 (0.0%)	69875592.00	12469690.5 (-82.15%)	69875592.00	12469690.5 (-82.15%)	69875592.00	12469690.5 (-82.15%)	100.00	100.0 (0.0%)

5.6x speedup

16. Vector L1 Data Cache

16.1 Speed-of-Light

Index	Metric	Value	Value	Unit
16.1.0	Buffer Coalescing	25.00	25.0 (0.0%)	Pct of peak
16.1.1	Cache Util	87.80	98.08 (11.7%)	Pct of peak
16.1.2	Cache BW	8.69	12.18 (40.19%)	Pct of peak
16.1.3	Cache Hit	0.00	49.98 (inf%)	Pct of peak

+ ~50% in L1 hit

17. L2 Cache

17.1 Speed-of-Light

Index	Metric	Value	Value	Unit
17.1.0	L2 Util	98.74	98.39 (-0.36%)	Pct
17.1.1	Cache Hit	93.45	0.52 (-99.44%)	Pct
17.1.2	L2-EA Rd BW	125.69	688.98 (448.16%)	Gb/s
17.1.3	L2-EA Wr BW	0.00	0.0 (inf%)	Gb/s

L2 Cache Hit decreases sharply, Read BW from HBM increases by ~5x

The solution better uses the L1, but our L2 hit rate has degraded, which points to a deficiency in our algorithm

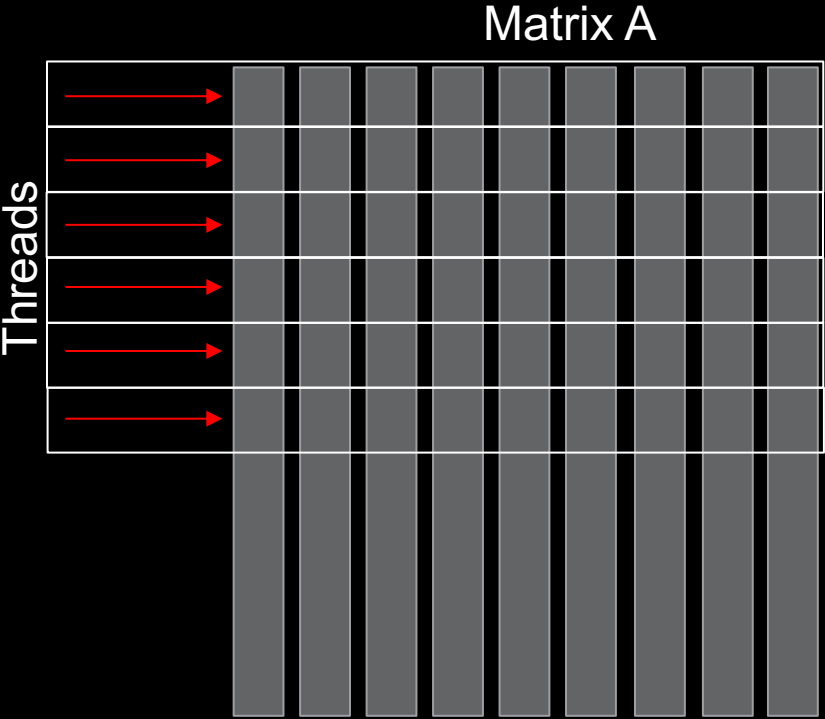
Exercise 4: Omnipperf Speed-of-Light Cache Access Statistics

- This Omnipperf command will show high-level details about L1 and L2 cache accesses:
 - `omnipperf analyze -p workloads/problem/mi200 --dispatch 1 --metric 16.1 17.1`
- Ensuring better data locality will generally provide better performance
- In this case, we start hitting in the L1 cache, rather than having to go out to L2 for everything
- **Note:** In a real code, optimizations of this type likely have much more development overhead
 - Need to change how the data structure is indexed everywhere

Exercise 5: Algorithmic Optimizations

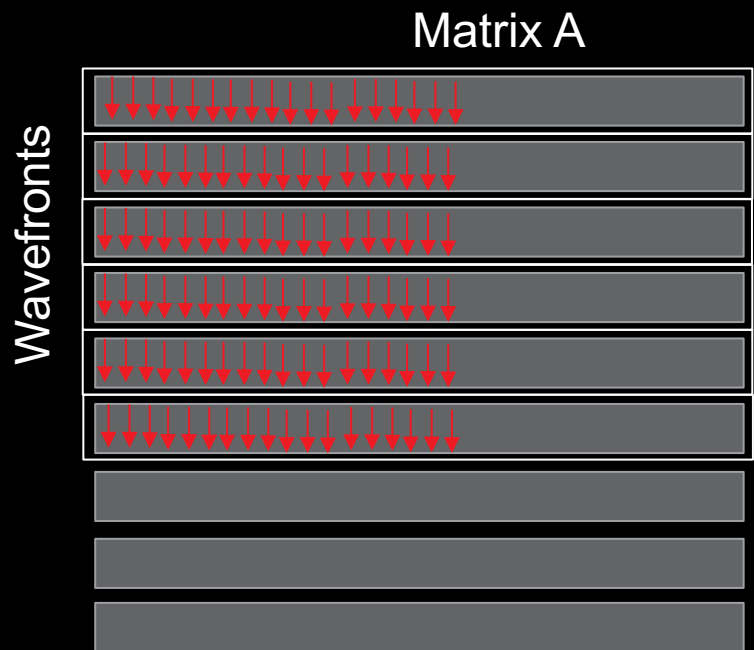
- These types of optimizations are the most difficult to execute
 - Generally, it is difficult to determine if the runtime of one algorithm will be faster than another
- We start with the solution from last exercise as our problem
 - Speed-of-light cache statistics showed that we had ~0% hit rate in the L2, could it be better?
- Our initial algorithm is naïve in terms of parallelization:
 - Each thread computes the sum of a row
- Exposing more parallelism is possible and should get us more performance in this case

Exercise 5: Algorithmic Optimizations



In our current algorithm, each thread computes the sum of a single row

Exercise 5: Algorithmic Optimizations



In a more efficient implementation, wavefronts have multiple threads sum up the rows in parallel, using shared memory to reduce partial sums

Note: The original data layout allows the wavefronts to avoid striding memory

Exercise 5: Using Omnipperf to Evaluate an Algorithmic Optimization

- The strided data access pattern issue is everywhere
 - This solution gets about 2x faster when the data layout is switched to optimize locality
- Though the solution shows a **29x speedup** from the problem, cache speed-of-light stats aren't convincing
 - The rooflines for these problems do not tell the full performance story either
- Running the solution shows it is much faster, but does it use the caches more efficiently?
- To get started, run:
 - `omnipperf profile -n problem --no-roof -- ./problem.exe`
 - `omnipperf profile -n solution --no-roof -- ./solution.exe`

Exercise 5: Sometimes the Full Story is in the Details

```
omniperf analyze -p workloads/problem/mi200 -p workloads/solution/mi200 --dispatch 1 --metric 16.3 17.2 17.3
```

0. Top Stat

	KernelName	Count	Count	Sum(ns)	Sum(ns)	Mean(ns)	Mean(ns)	Median(ns)	Median(ns)	Pct	Pct
0	yax(double*, double*, double*, int, int, double*)	1.00	1.0 (0.0%)	12443928.00	408316.0 (-96.72%)	12443928.00	408316.0 (-96.72%)	12443928.00	408316.0 (-96.72%)	100.00	100.0 (0.0%)

16. Vector L1 Data Cache

16.3 L1D Cache Accesses

~29x faster

Index	Metric	Avg	Avg	Min	Min	Max	Max	Unit
16.3.0	Total Req	524368.00	16448.0 (-96.86%)	524368.00	16448.0 (-96.86%)	524368.00	16448.0 (-96.86%)	Req per wave
...								
16.3.5	Cache Accesses	131140.00	4097.0 (-96.88%)	131140.00	4097.0 (-96.88%)	131140.00	4097.0 (-96.88%)	Req per wave
16.3.6	Cache Hits	65538.00	2864.0 (-95.63%)	65538.00	2864.0 (-95.63%)	65538.00	2864.0 (-95.63%)	Req per wave
16.3.7	Cache Hit Rate	49.98	69.9 (39.87%)	49.98	69.9 (39.87%)	49.98	69.9 (39.87%)	Pct

- ~32x

- ~32x

+ ~40%

17. L2 Cache

17.2 L2 - Fabric Transactions

Index	Metric	Avg	Avg	Min	Min	Max	Max	Unit
17.2.0	Read BW	4194916.56	65688.69 (-98.43%)	4194916.56	65688.69 (-98.43%)	4194916.56	65688.69 (-98.43%)	Bytes per wave

- ~64x

17.3 L2 Cache Accesses

Index	Metric	Avg	Avg	Min	Min	Max	Max	Unit
17.3.0	Req	32945.33	617.41 (-98.13%)	32945.33	617.41 (-98.13%)	32945.33	617.41 (-98.13%)	Req per wave
...								
17.3.6	Hits	171.28	104.03 (-39.27%)	171.28	104.03 (-39.27%)	171.28	104.03 (-39.27%)	Hits per wave
17.3.7	Misses	32774.06	513.38 (-98.43%)	32774.06	513.38 (-98.43%)	32774.06	513.38 (-98.43%)	Misses per wave
17.3.8	Cache Hit	0.52	16.85 (3140.15%)	0.52	16.85 (3140.15%)	0.52	16.85 (3140.15%)	Pct

- ~53x

- ~64x

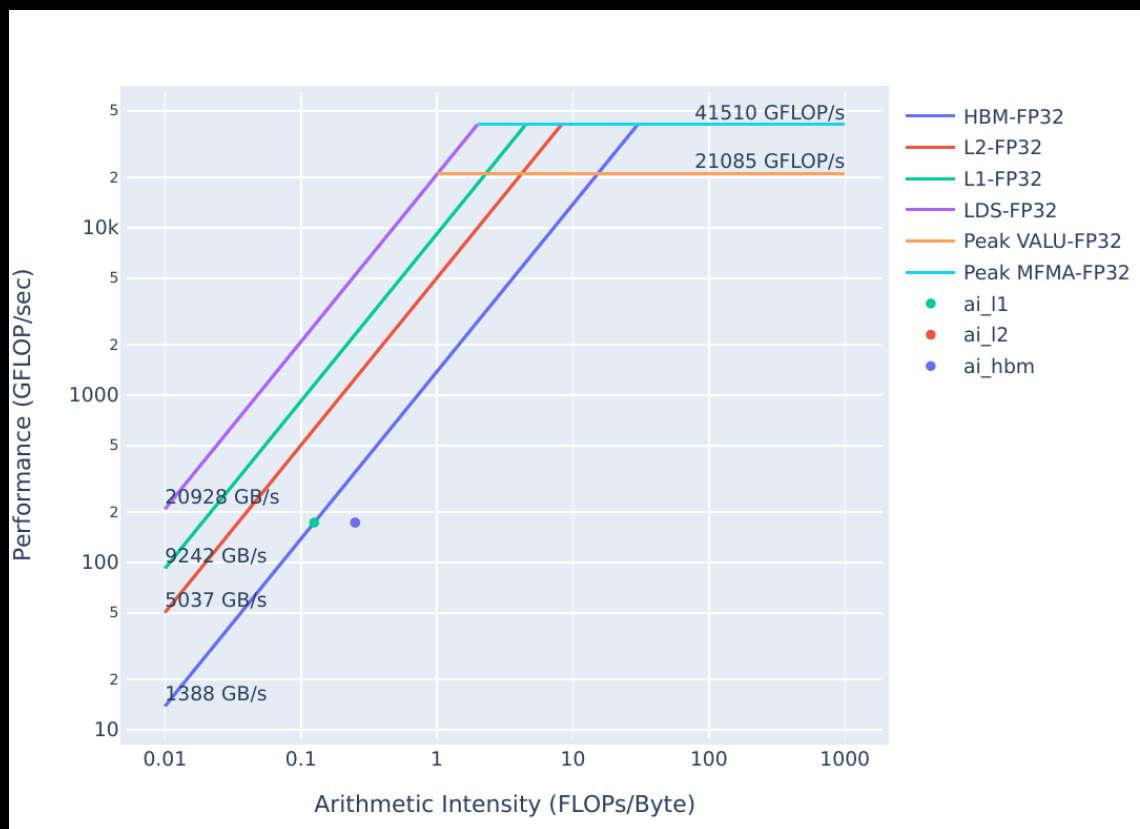
Cache hit rates alone do not give a convincing reason for our performance increase

Large relative gain, + ~16% overall

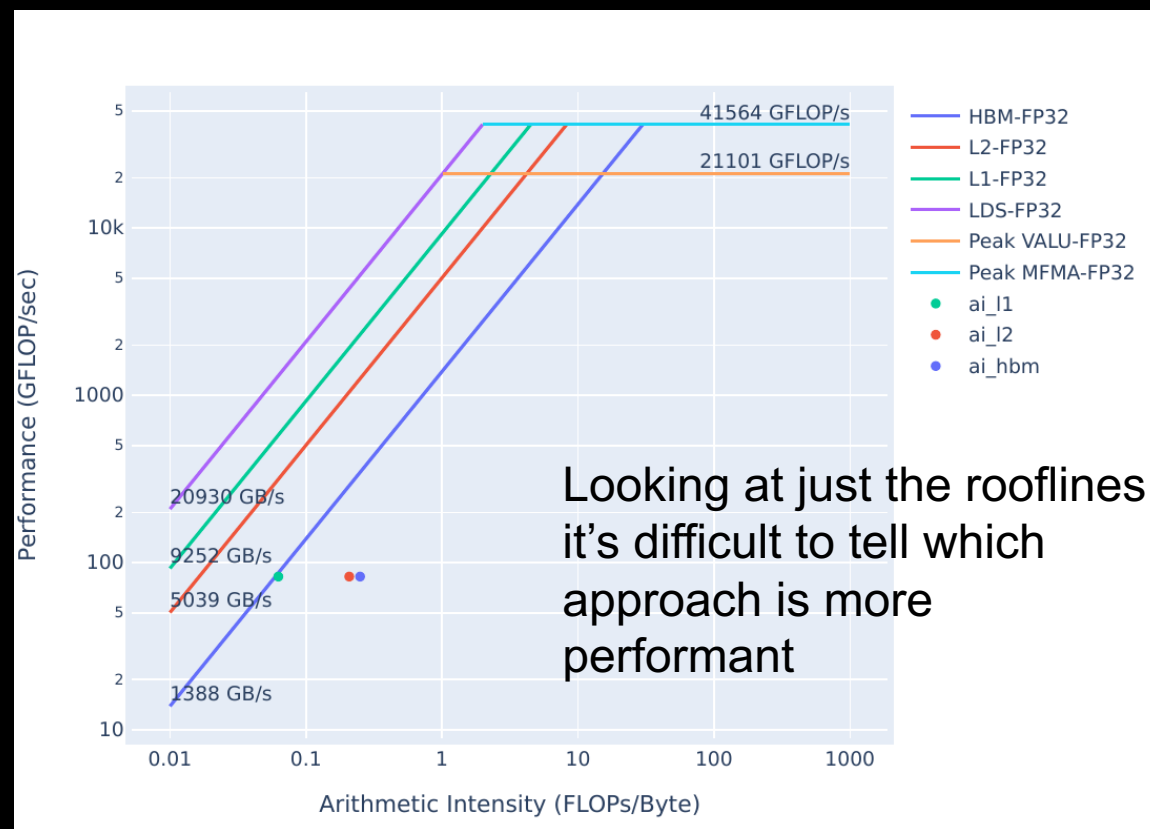
Exercise 5: It Can Be Hard to Compare Rooflines Between Algorithms

- `omniperf profile -n problem_roof_only --roof-only --kernel-names -- ./problem.exe`
- `omniperf profile -n solution_roof_only --roof-only --kernel-names -- ./solution.exe`

Problem FP32 Roofline



Solution FP32 Roofline



problem is closer to being HBM bandwidth bound: It needs to request much more data from HBM than the optimized version

Exercise 5: Omniperf Detailed Cache Statistics - Takeaways

- To get detailed cache statistics (including data movement) for kernel with dispatch ID 1:
 - `omniperf analyze -p workloads/problem/mi200 --dispatch 1 --metric 16.2 16.3 17.2 17.3`
 - **Note:** The slide omitted some Omniperf output from this metric filtering
- Algorithmic optimizations can be powerful, but are usually time-intensive to design and implement
- It can be difficult to understand the performance differences between algorithms
 - Rooflines can be misleading
 - Assuming correctness is verified, timings don't lie
 - Detailed profiling data can help shed light on the *why* of performance differences

Summary

- Omniperf is a tool that collects many counters automatically
- It can create roofline analysis to understand how efficient are your kernels
- It displays a lot of metrics regarding your kernels, however, it is required to know more about your kernel
- It does not have learning curve to start running it, but requies knowledge for the analysis
- It supports Grafana, standalone GUI, and CLI
- Includes several features such as:
 - System Speed-of-Light Panel
 - Memory Chart Analysis Panel
 - Vector L1D Cache Panel
 - Shader Processing Input (SPI) Panel

Questions?

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