

Multi-GPU 시스템을 이용한
입자계 기반 해석사례
Particle-based Simulations
on multi-GPU Systems

2010-10

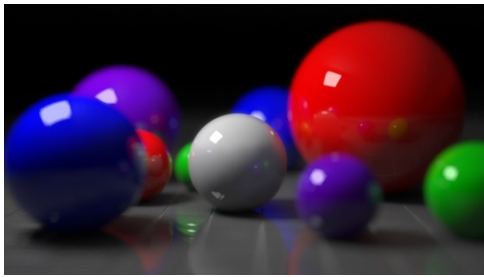
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GPU & CUDA Technology

What is GPU?

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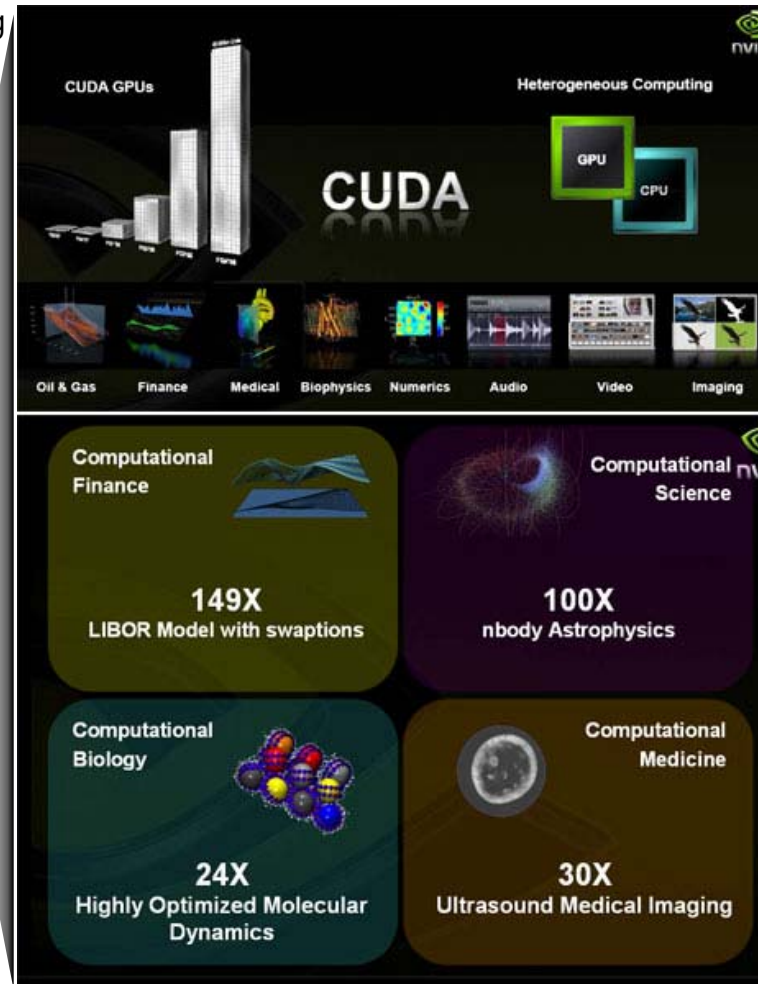


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GPU



High Performance Computing



GPU & CUDA Technology

- GPU(Graphics Processing Unit)는 매우 빠른 시간에 복잡한 3차원 이미지를 화면에 출력하기 위해 사용되는 그래픽카드 전용 Processing Unit
- CUDA(Compute Unified Device Architecture)는 GPU를 이용하여 고속 연산이 가능하도록 하는 기술로서, 그래픽 작업을 처리하도록 작성된 고속 shader언어를 과학/공학 계산에 활용 가능한 형태로 사용할 수 있도록 작성된 형태
- CUDA는 GPU가 가지는 수십~수백 개의 core를 동시 활용함으로써 수많은 thread를 고속으로 처리할 수 있도록 하며, 이들 core들은 공통의 GPU 메모리를 사용가능
- 연산전용의 단일 GPU는 다수의 CPU를 고속의 network로 연결하여 대규모 계산을 공동 처리하도록 하는 기존의 supercomputing(병렬처리, Parallel Processing) 방법에 비해 보다 낮은 비용으로, 월등한 고속 연산 가능
- NVIDIA에서 shader언어를 다목적으로 사용할 수 있도록 한 GPGPU(General Purpose GPU) 기술을 더욱 확장한 것으로, 2008년 이후 미국 및 유럽 등 선진 연구자들에 의해 지속적으로 성공적인 활용사례가 보고되고 있음



Bio-Informatics and Life Sciences



Computational Chemistry



Computational Electromagnetics and Electrodynamic



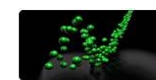
Computational Finance



Computational Fluid Dynamics



Data Mining, Analytics, and Databases



Molecular Dynamics

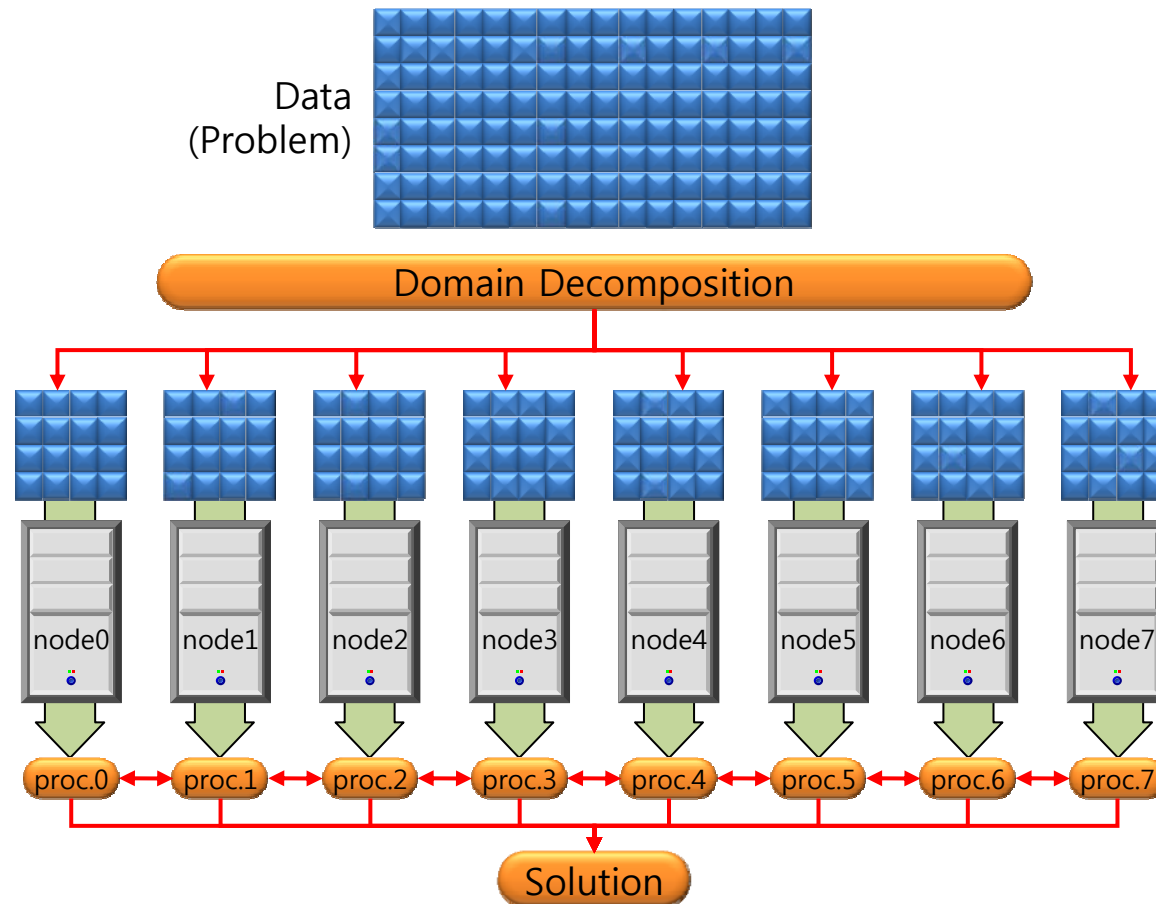


Weather, Atmospheric, Ocean Modeling, and Space Sciences

Parallel Computing (HPC)

Multiple Instruction Multiple Data

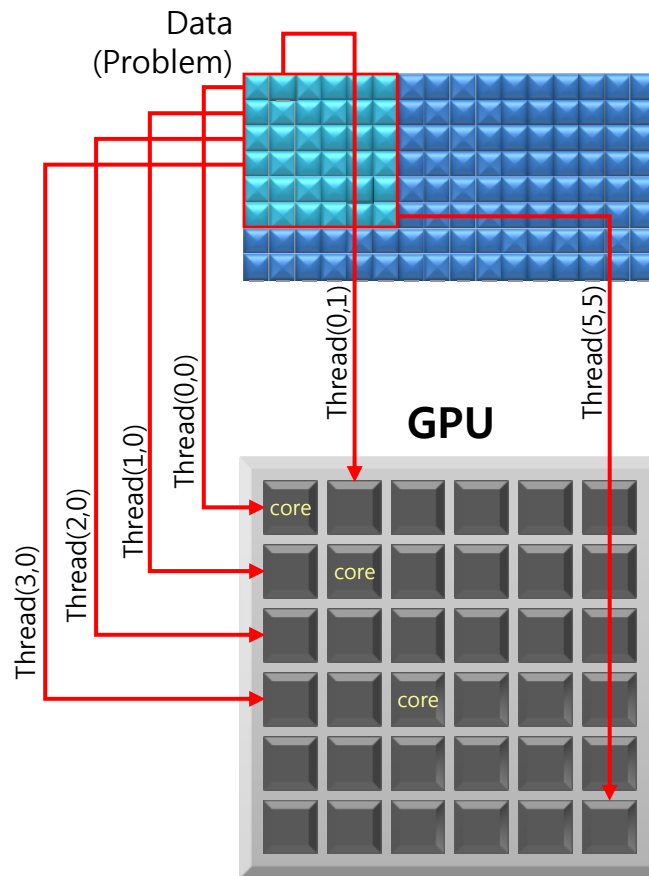
(conventional parallel processing)



GPU Computing (CUDA)

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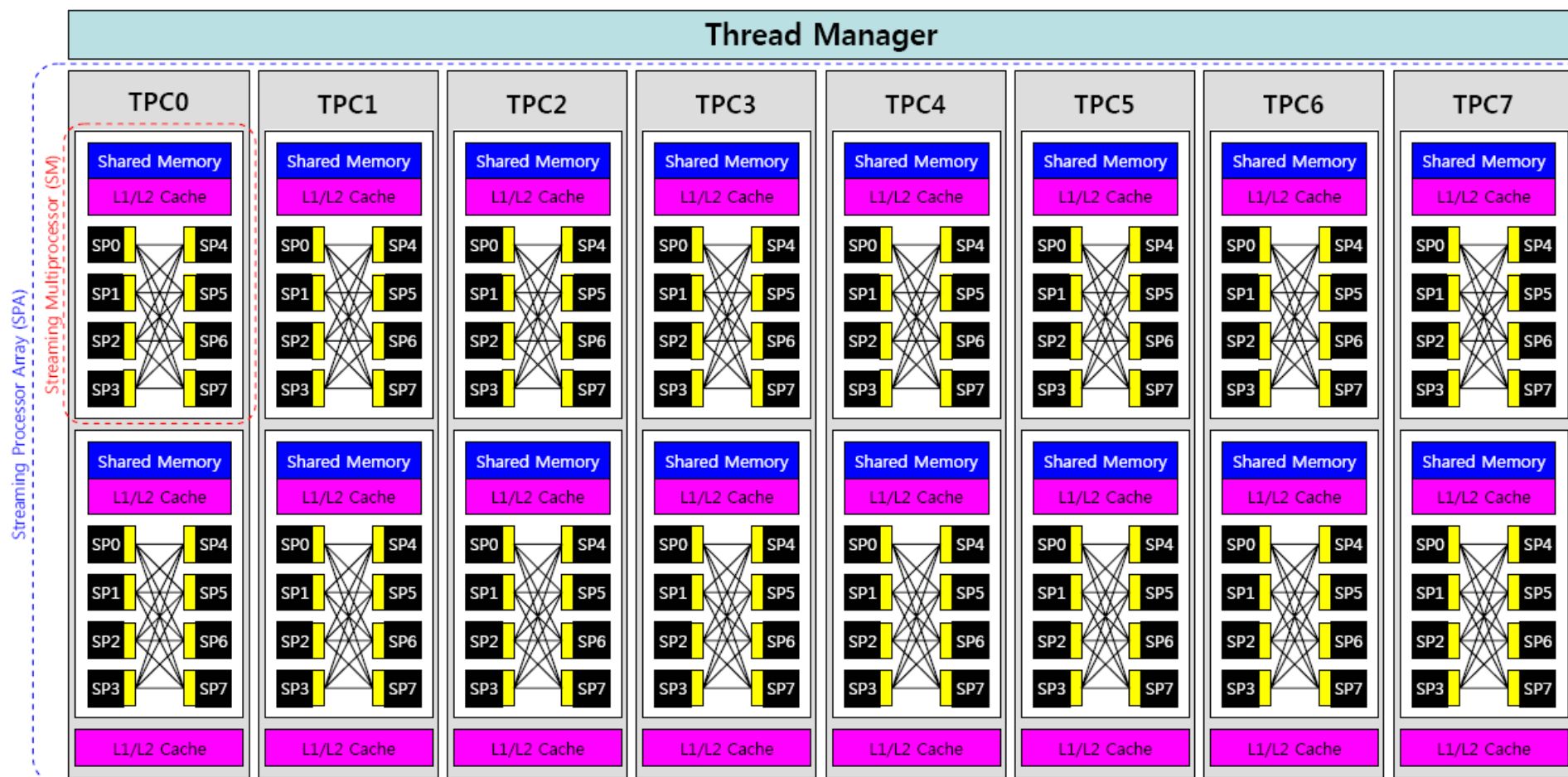
(CUDA technology)



- GPU is a data-parallel processor
- Thousands of parallel threads / Thousands of data elements to process
- GeForce 8800 has 128 streaming processor cores and 512MB RAM
- Tesla C1060 has 240 streaming processor cores and 4GB RAM

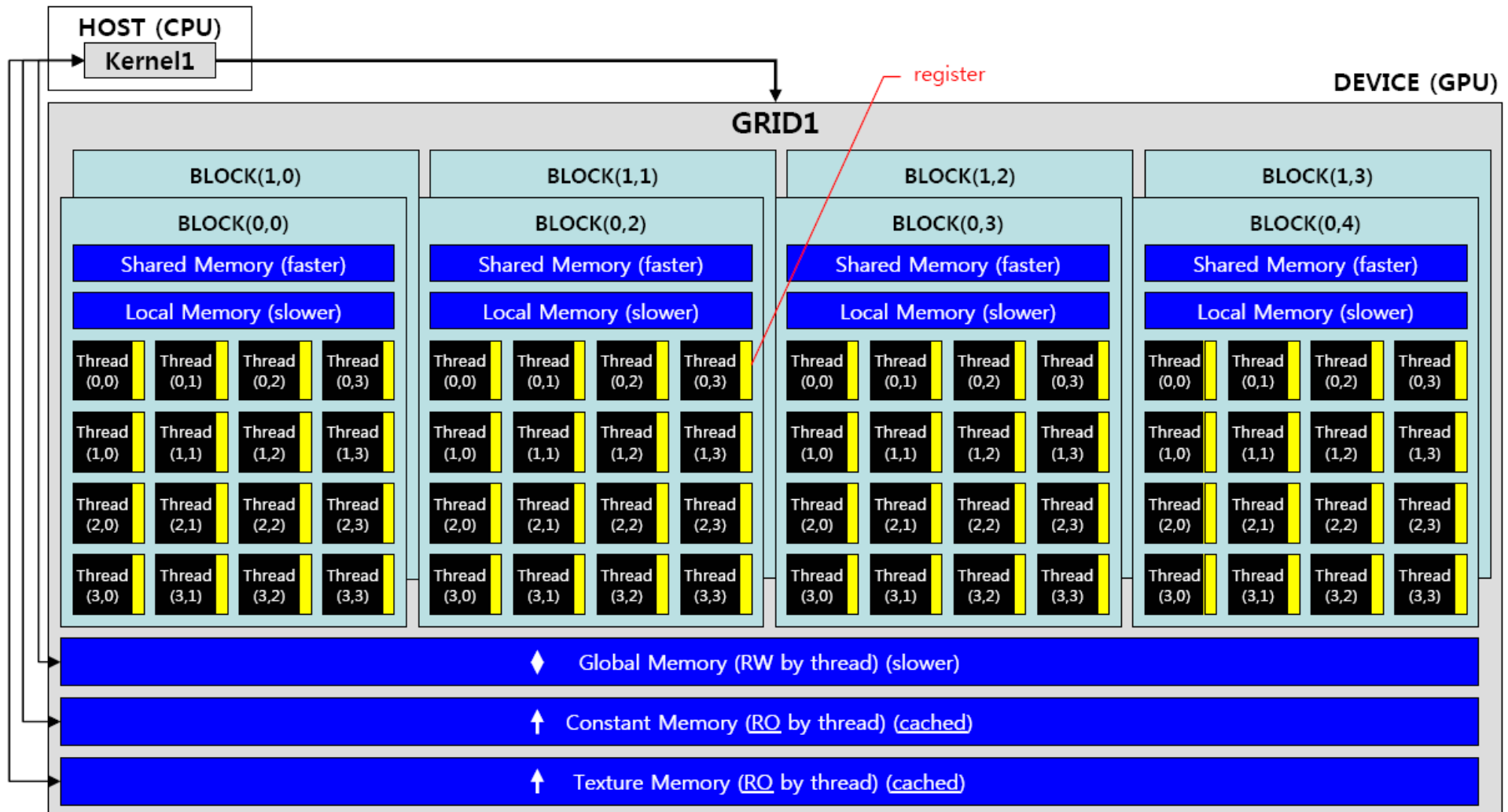


GPU Architecture



- SPA : Streaming Processor Array
- TPC : Texture Processor Cluster (2SM+TEX)
- SM : Streaming Multiprocessor (8SP) - Multi-threaded processor core, Fundamental processing unit for CUDA thread block
- SP : Streaming Processor - Scalar ALU for a single CUDA thread
- The size of the Shared Memory is 16KB.

Inside CUDA kernel

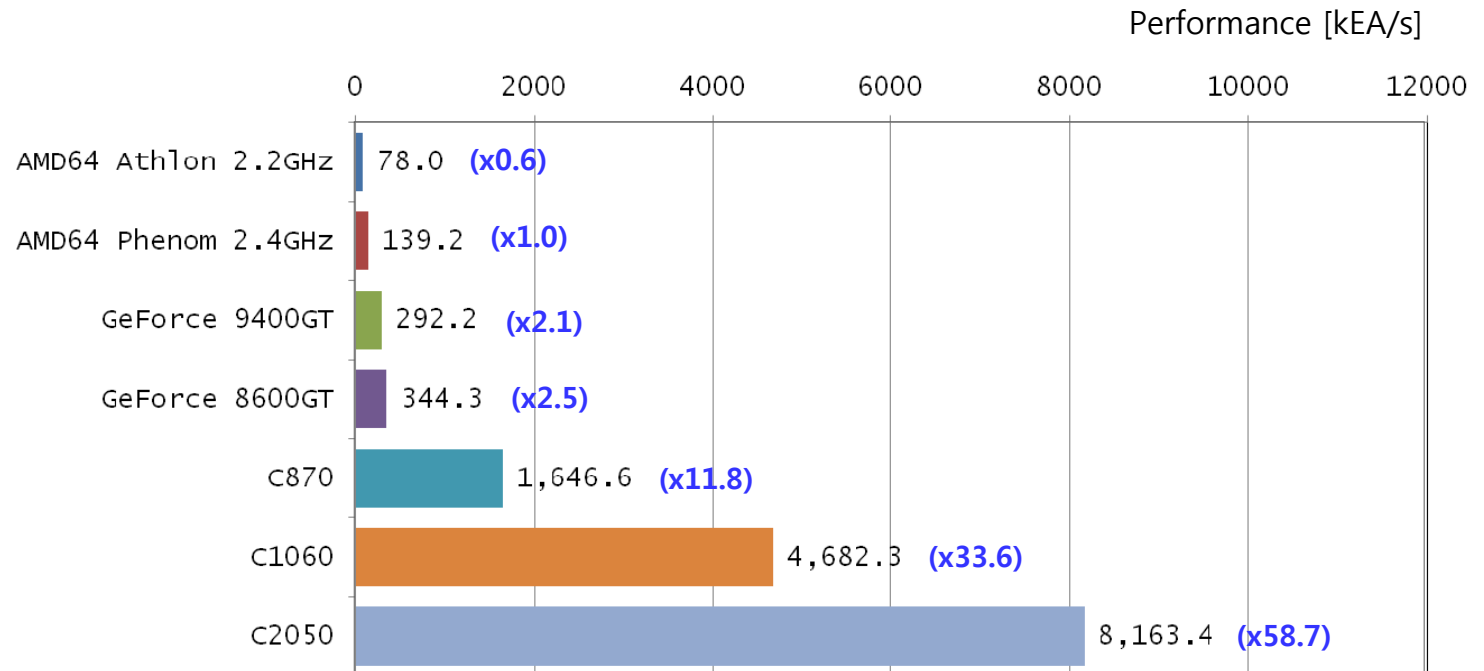
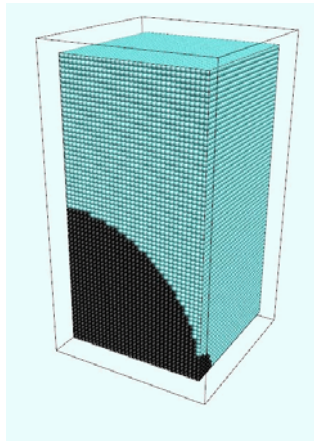


- Block ID : 1D/2D Thread ID : 1D/2D/3D
- Grid is launched on the SPA. Threads are assigned to SMs in block granularity. Up to 8 Blocks to each SM as resources allows.
- Host(CPU) can RW Global/Constant/Texture memories
- Two threads from different blocks CANNOT cooperate.

GPU vs. CPU

Wetting Simulation using SPH (Smoothed Particle Hydrodynamics)

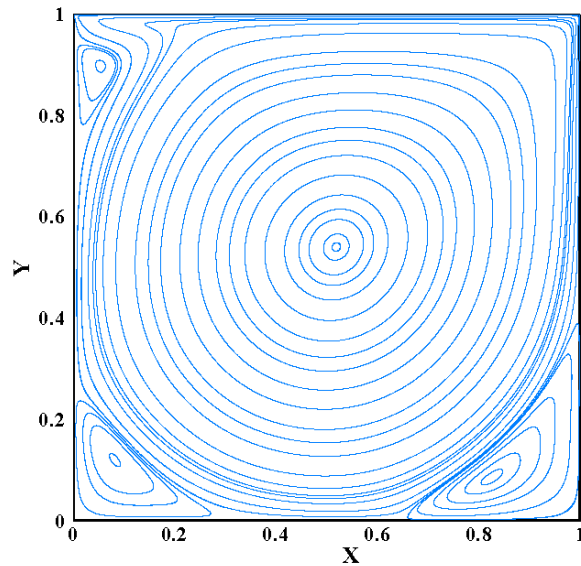
- W,D : 50mm
- H : 100mm
- Dpore : 1.5mm
- N : 83,300 EA



GPU vs. HPC

Lattice Boltzmann Method (CFD)

Lid-driven cavity flow



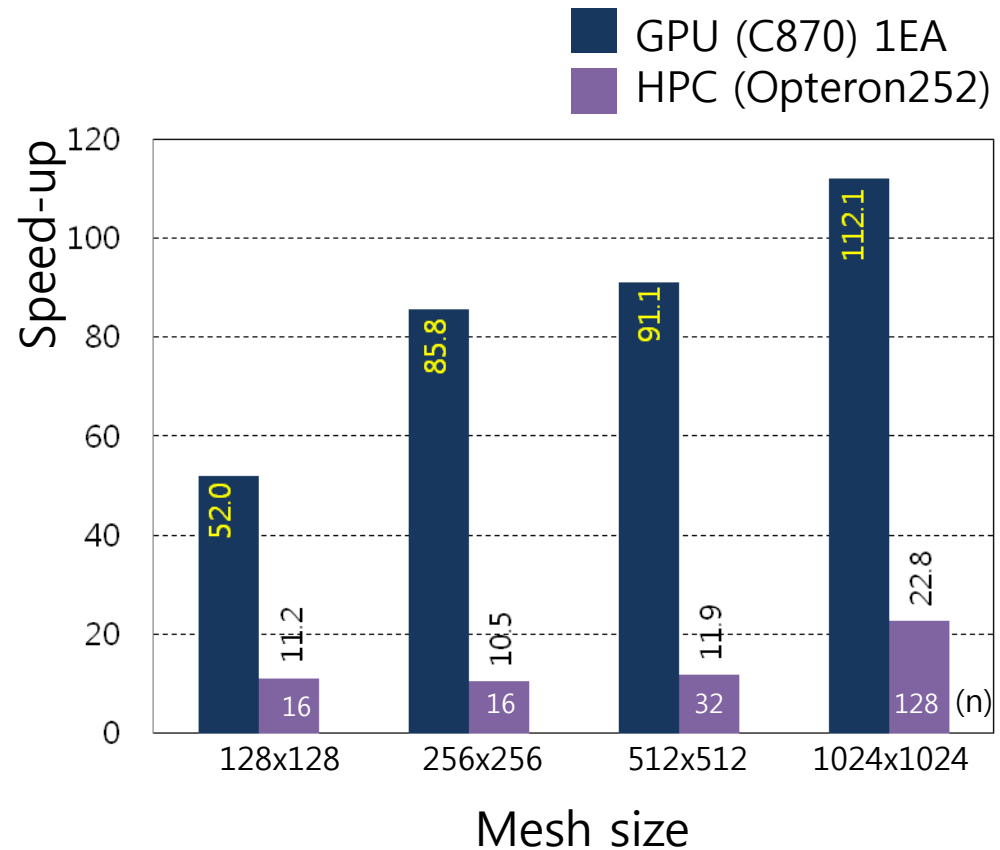
Speed-up :

$$s(n) = T_s / T_p$$

T_s : WCT of serial code [sec.]

T_p : WCT of parallel code [sec.]

n : the number of processors

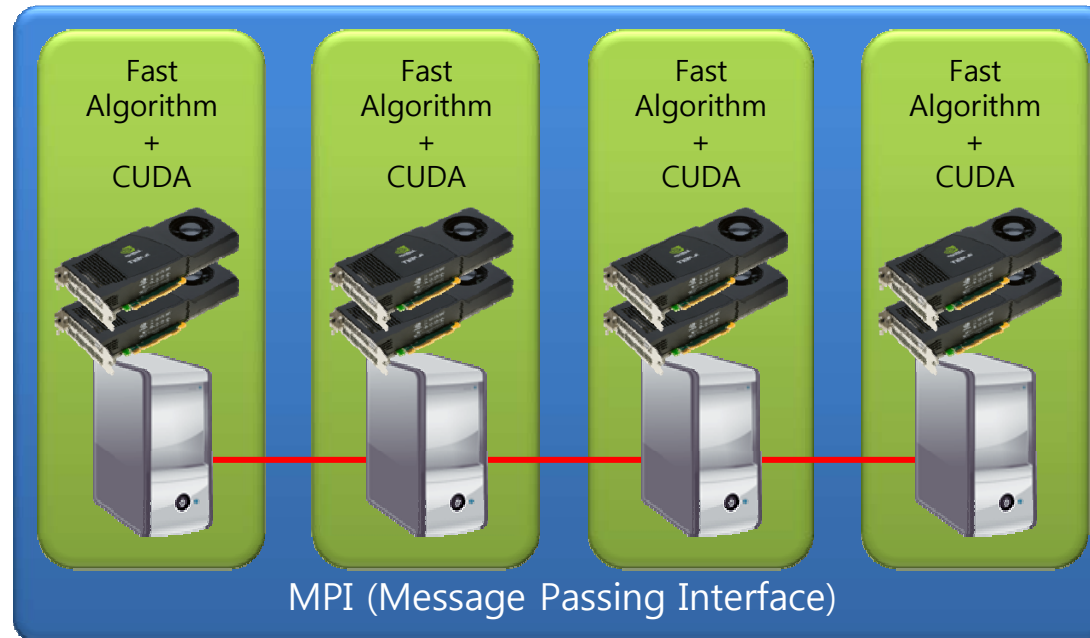


HPC vs. multi-GPU

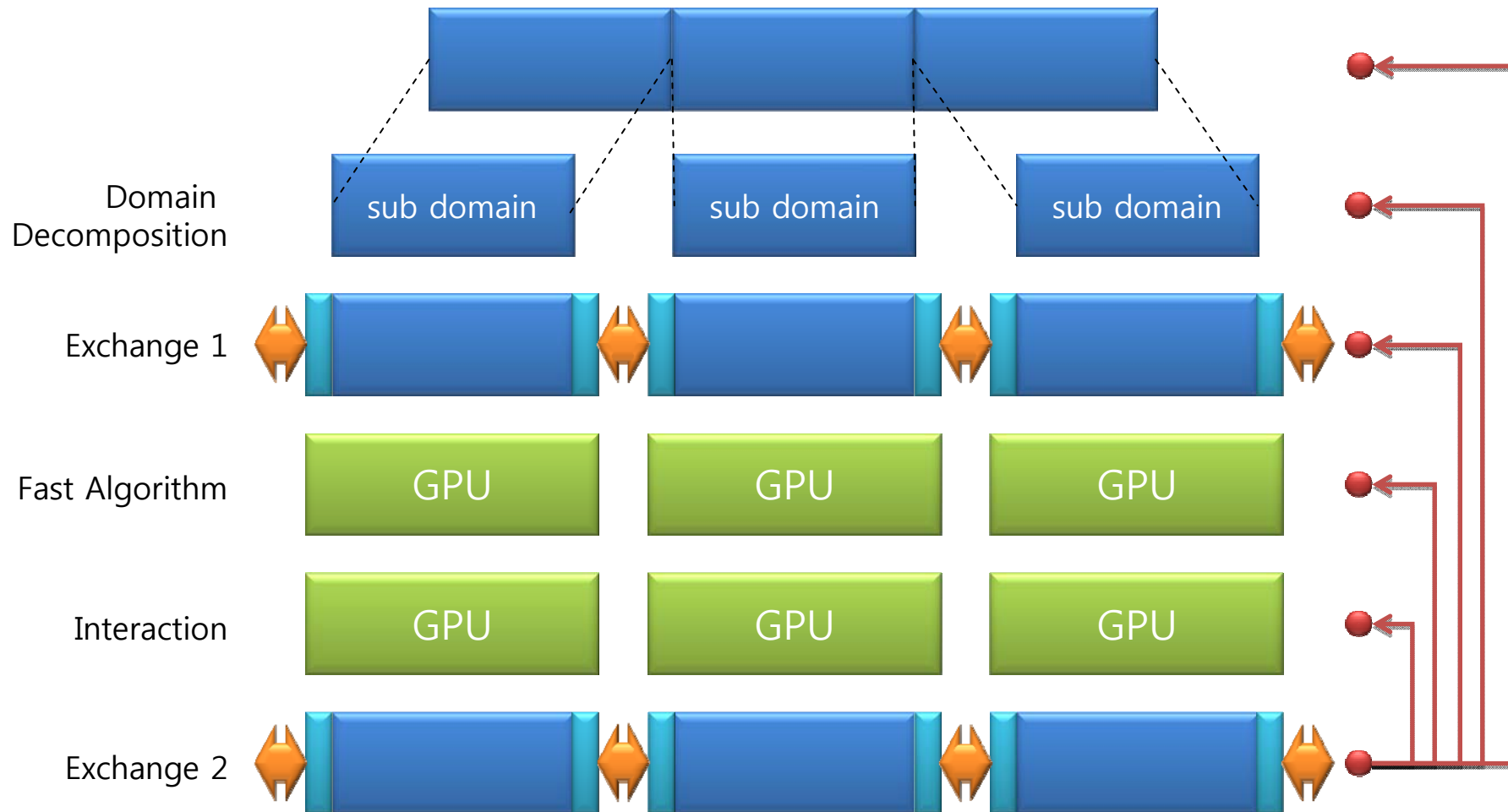
HPC
(Parallel Processing)



multi-GPU



Inside multi-GPU system

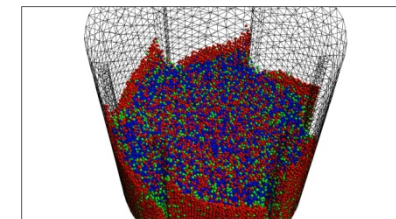
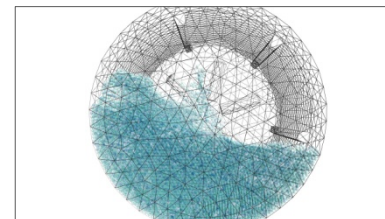
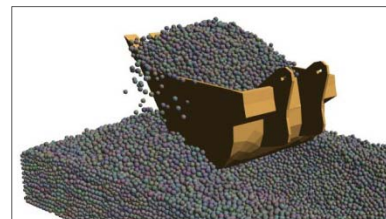
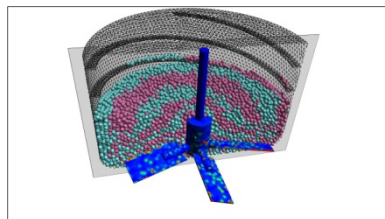
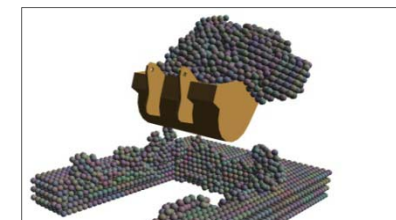
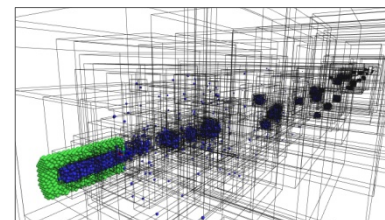
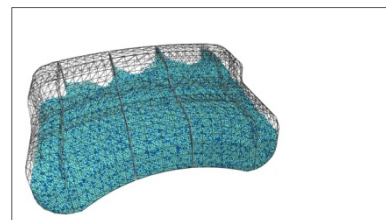
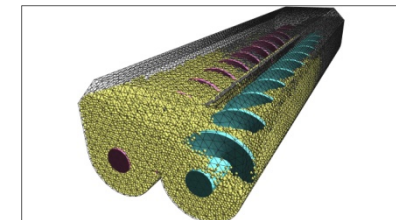
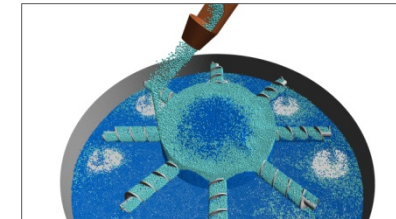


SAMADII

: Particle-based multi-physics solver

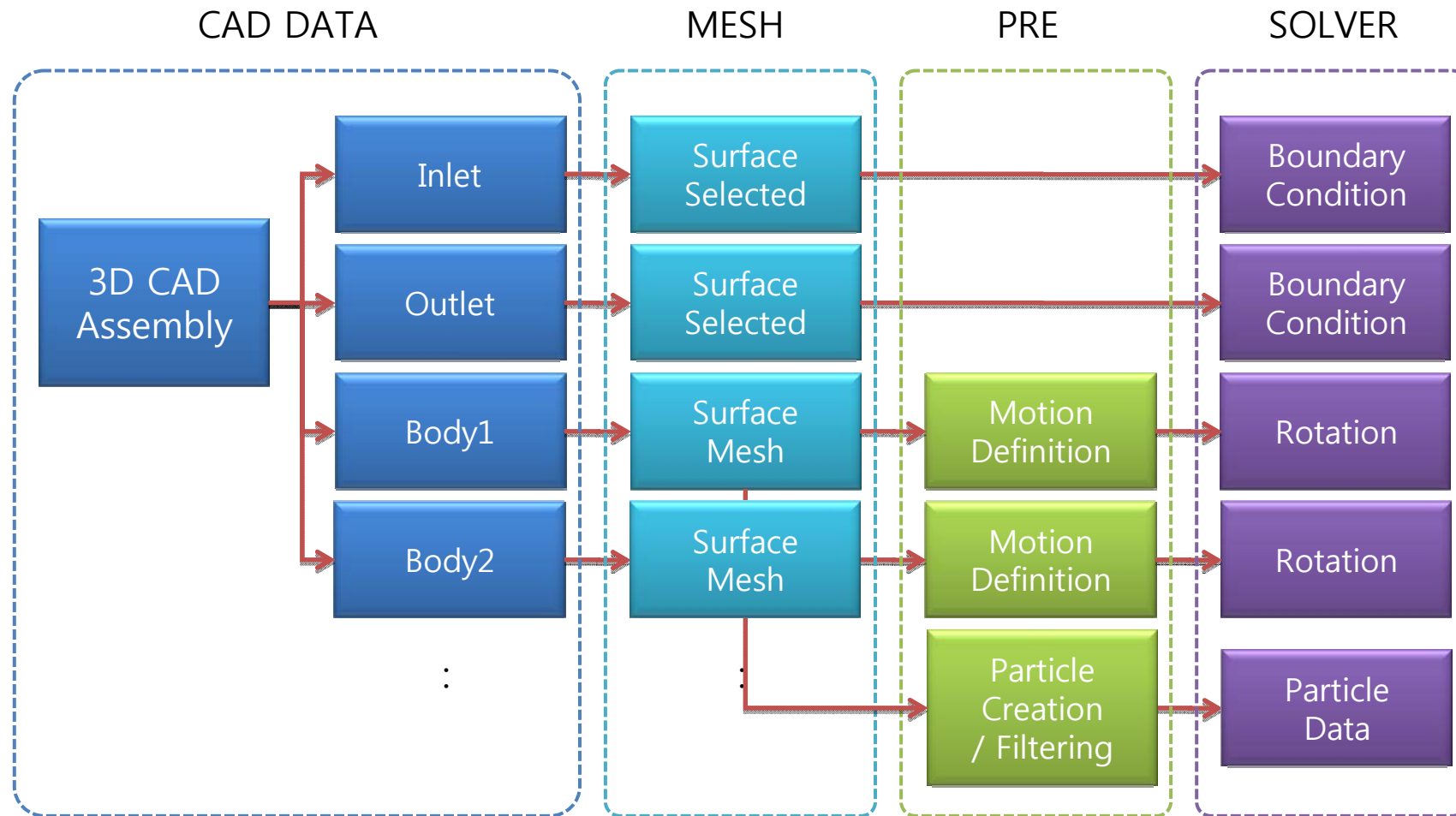
SAMADII

- Particle-based multi-physics solver
- H/W acceleration using multi-GPU (GPU cluster)
- S/W acceleration (Fast algorithm)
- Discrete Element Method (DEM)
- Magnetic particle, charged particle simulation
- Wetting simulation
- Smoothed-Particle Hydrodynamics (SPH) *
- Fluid-Solid Interaction (FSI) *
- Deformable body simulation *



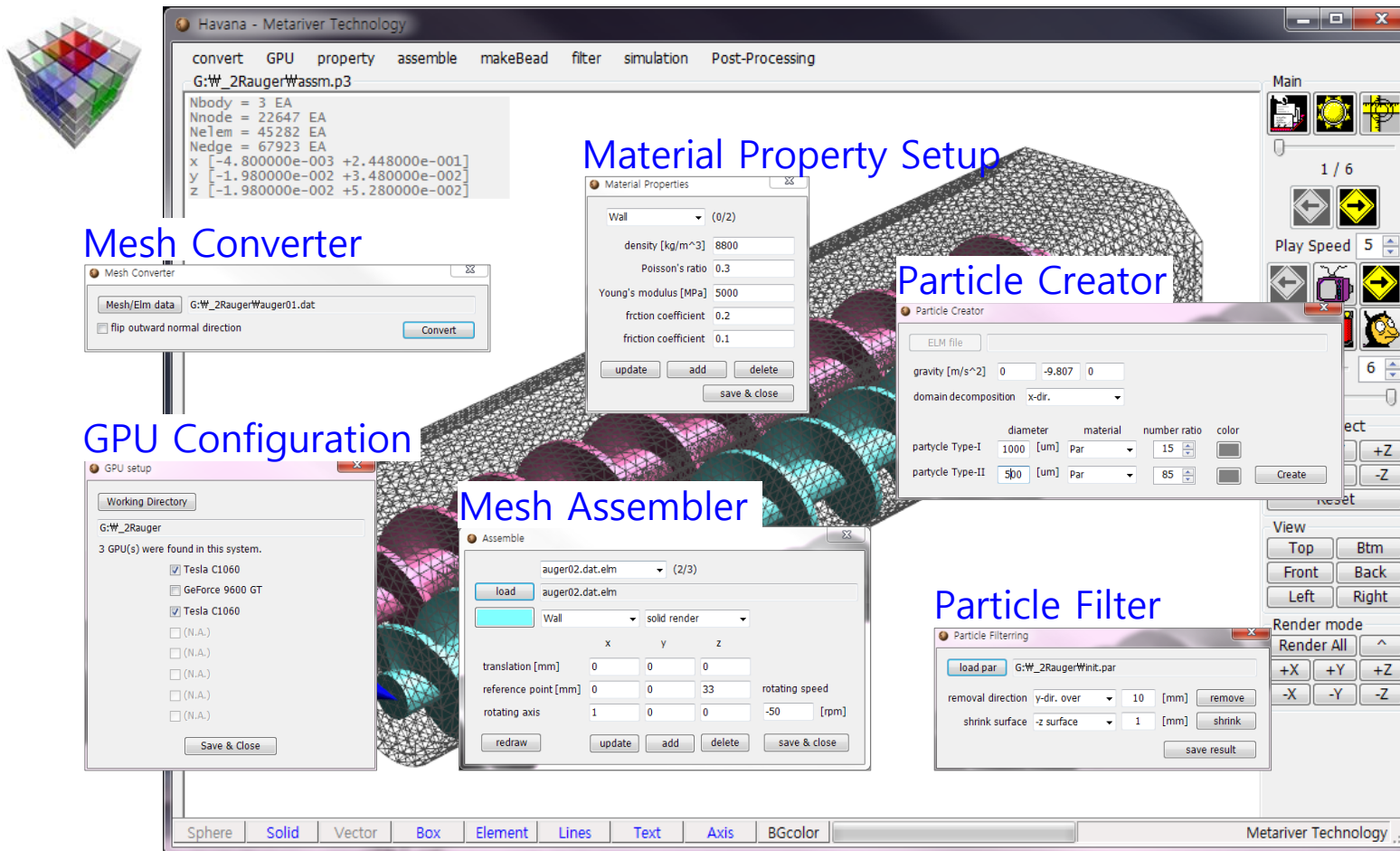
* under development

SAMADII



SAMADII - GUI

- Graphics Engine : **HyperCube4** (based on OpenGL & .NET, self-developed)
- Specially designed for high-speed rendering



The screenshot displays the SAMADII GUI interface with several tool windows overlaid on a 3D mesh model of a mechanical part. The main window shows a menu bar with options: convert, GPU, property, assemble, makeBead, filter, simulation, Post-Processing. Below the menu, a text area displays simulation parameters:

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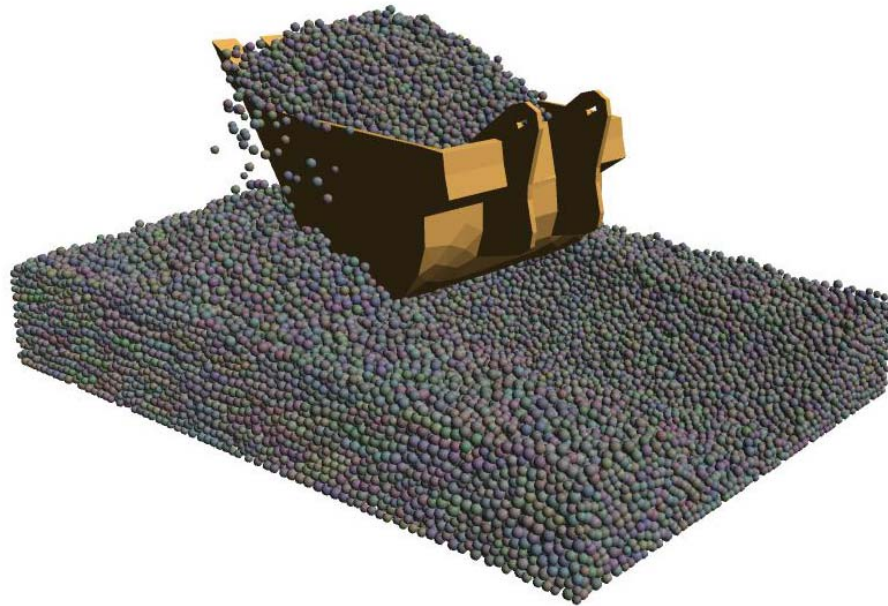
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Overlaid tool windows include:

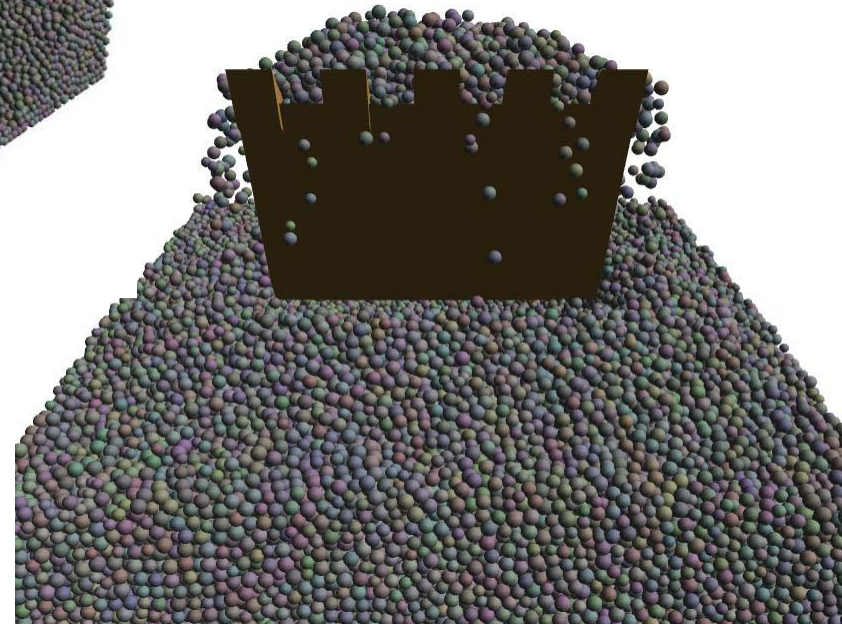
- Mesh Converter**: A dialog box for converting Mesh/Elm data from a file (G:\W_2RaugerWauger01.dat) with a 'Convert' button and a checkbox for 'flip outward normal direction'.
- Material Property Setup**: A dialog box for setting material properties for a 'Wall' element, including density (8800 kg/m³), Poisson's ratio (0.3), Young's modulus (5000 MPa), and friction coefficients (0.2 and 0.1).
- GPU Configuration**: A dialog box for selecting GPU(s) from a list of available devices (e.g., Tesla C1060, GeForce 9600 GT).
- Mesh Assembler**: A dialog box for loading and configuring mesh elements, showing a list of elements (e.g., auger02.dat.elm) and their properties like translation, reference point, and rotating axis.
- Particle Creator**: A dialog box for creating particles, including gravity settings, domain decomposition, and particle type specifications (diameter, material, number ratio, color).
- Particle Filter**: A dialog box for filtering particles, including removal direction and shrink surface settings.

The main window also features a toolbar with navigation and simulation controls, a 'View' section with orientation buttons (Top, Btm, Front, Back, Left, Right), and a 'Render mode' section with 'Render All' and axis visibility buttons (+X, +Y, +Z, -X, -Y, -Z). A status bar at the bottom shows rendering options like Sphere, Solid, Vector, Box, Element, Lines, Text, Axis, and BGcolor.

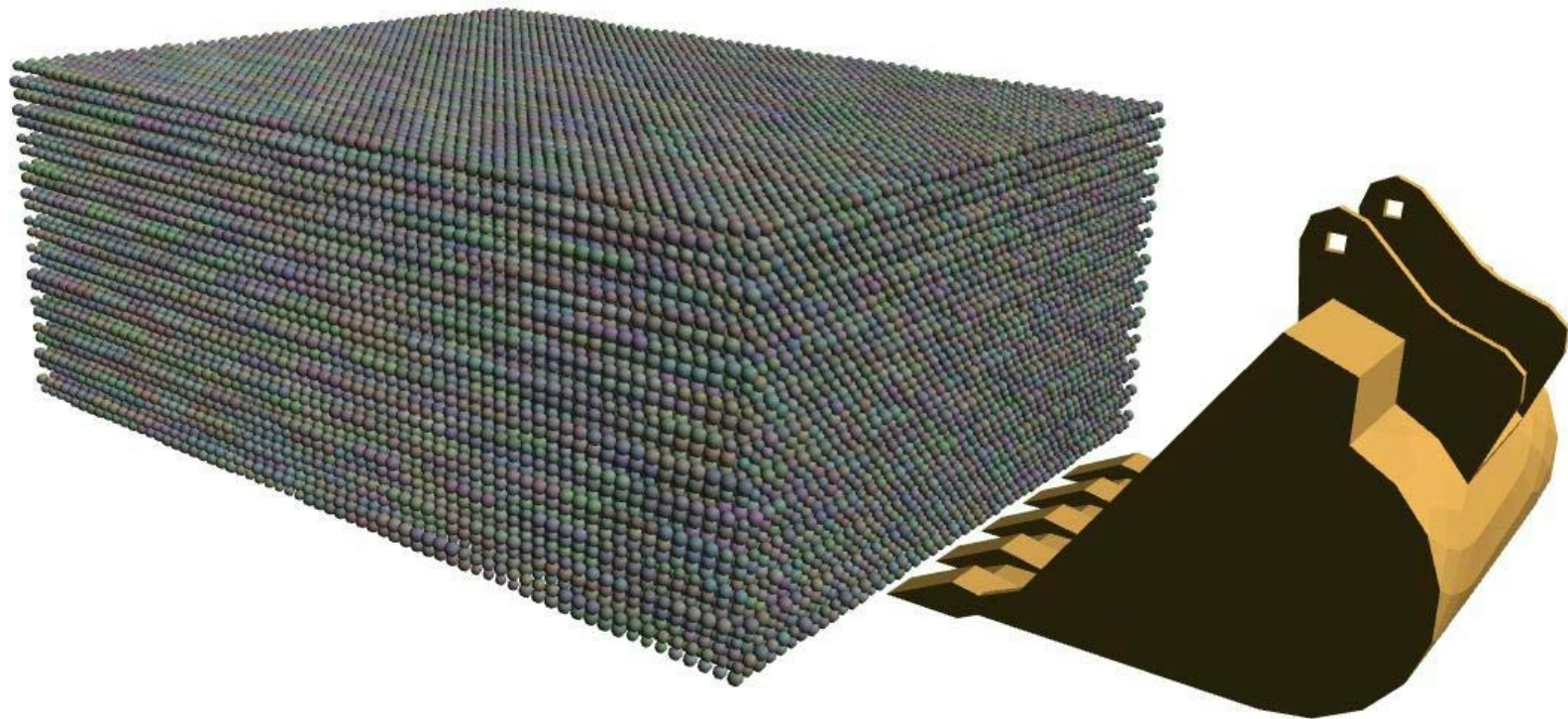
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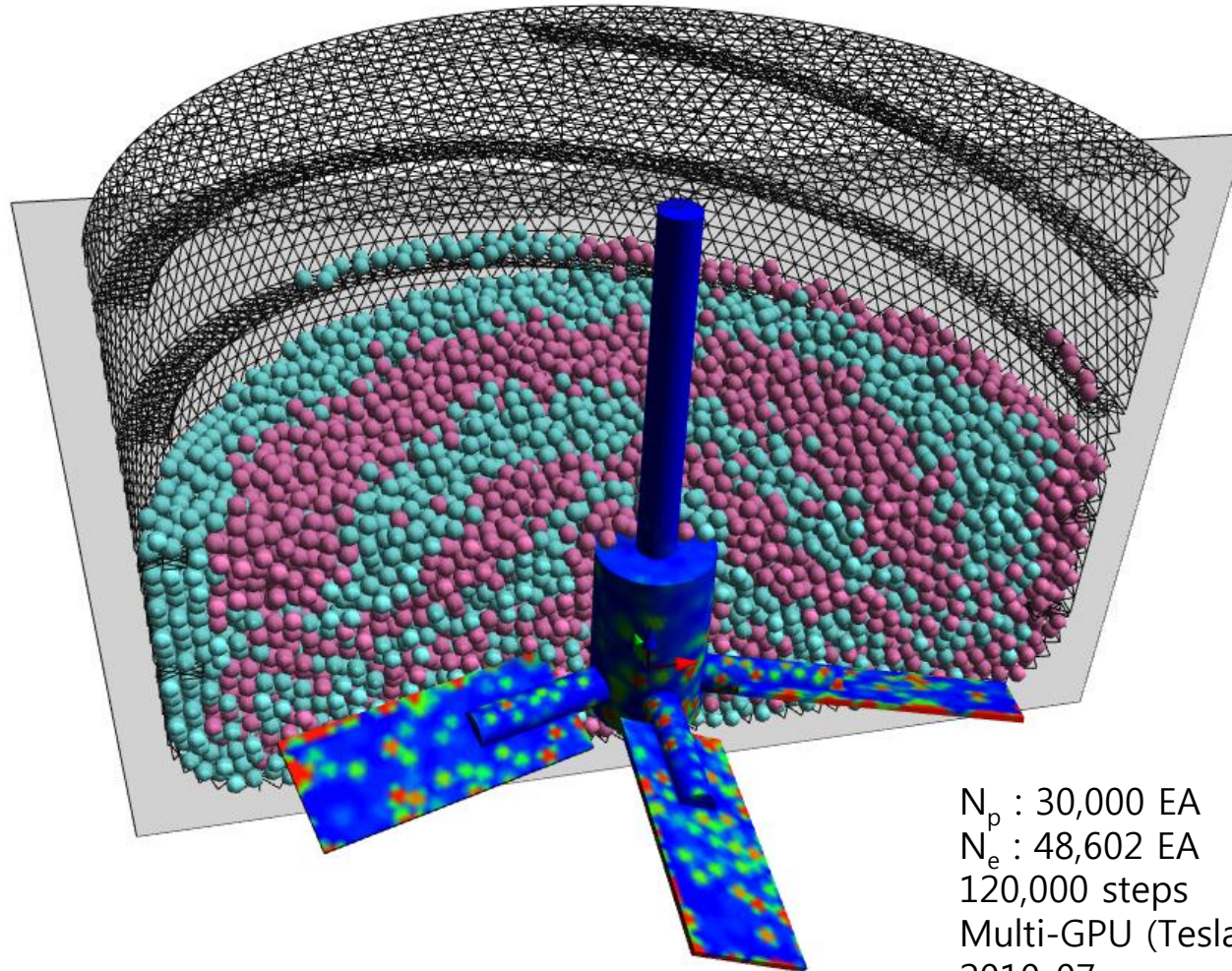
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 N_e : 5,653 EA
500,000 steps
Multi-CPU (HPC 16 core)
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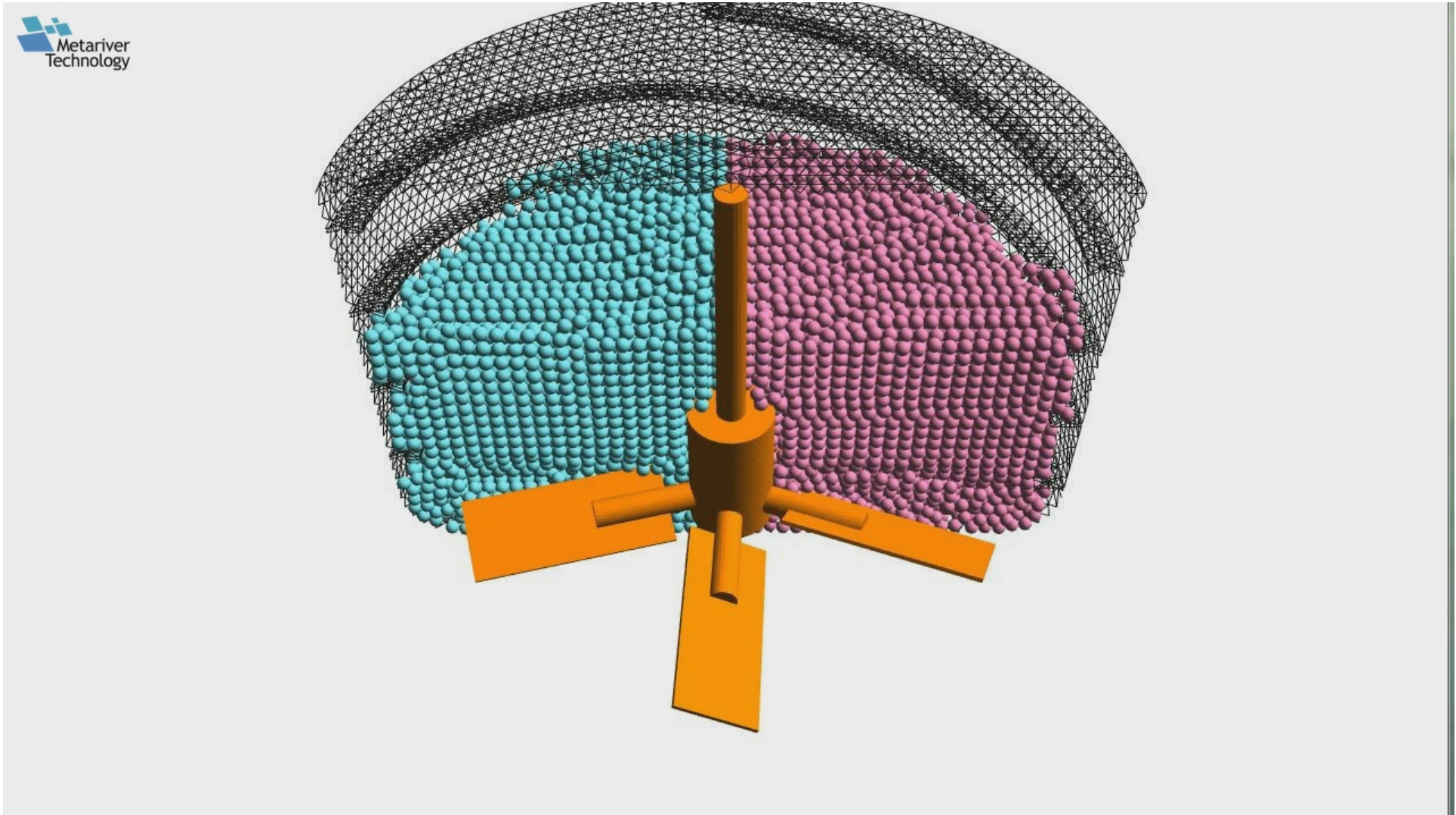
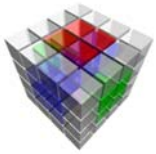


Example-2 : Agitator



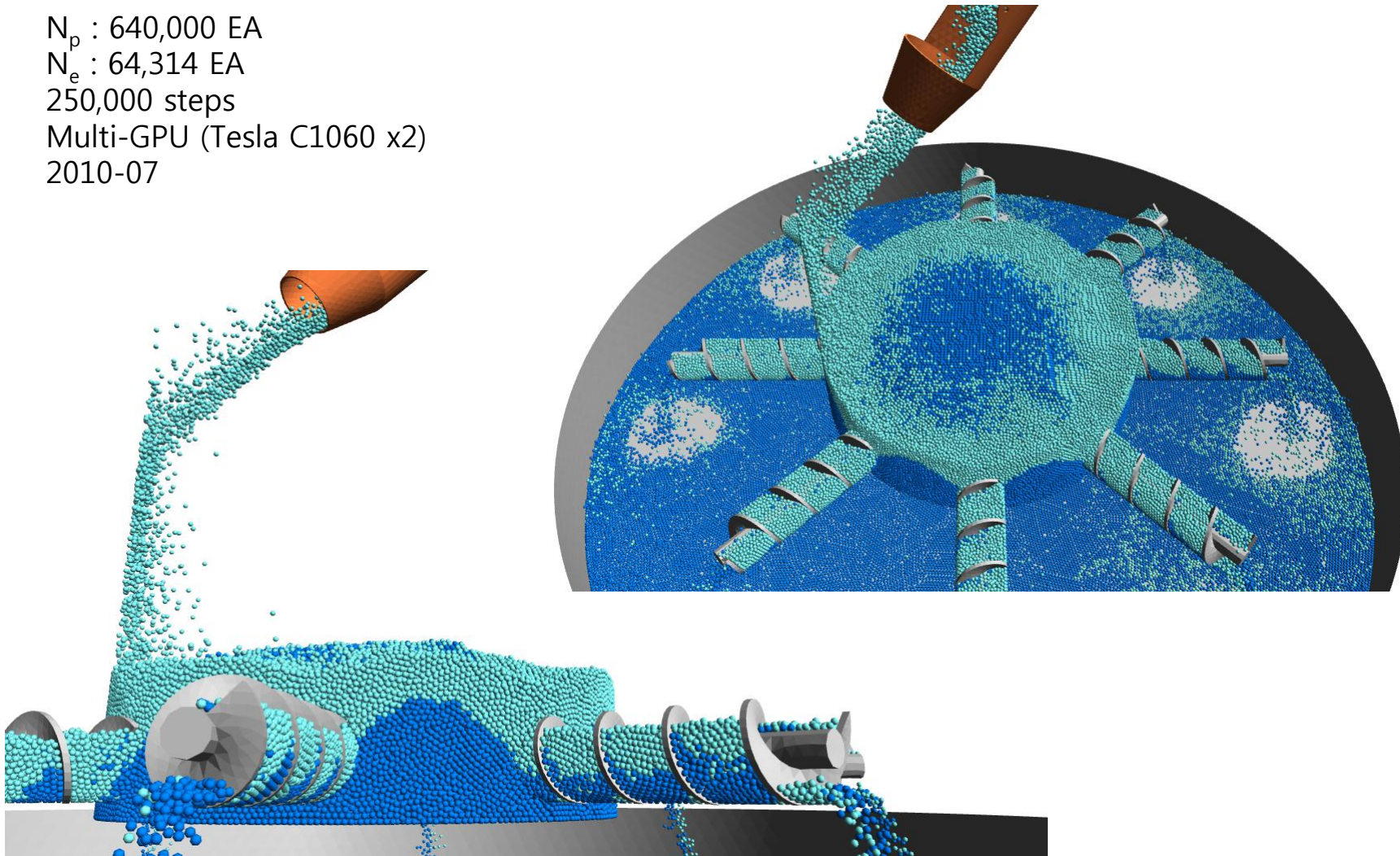
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120,000 steps
Multi-GPU (Tesla C1060 x2)
2010-07

Example-2 : Agitator

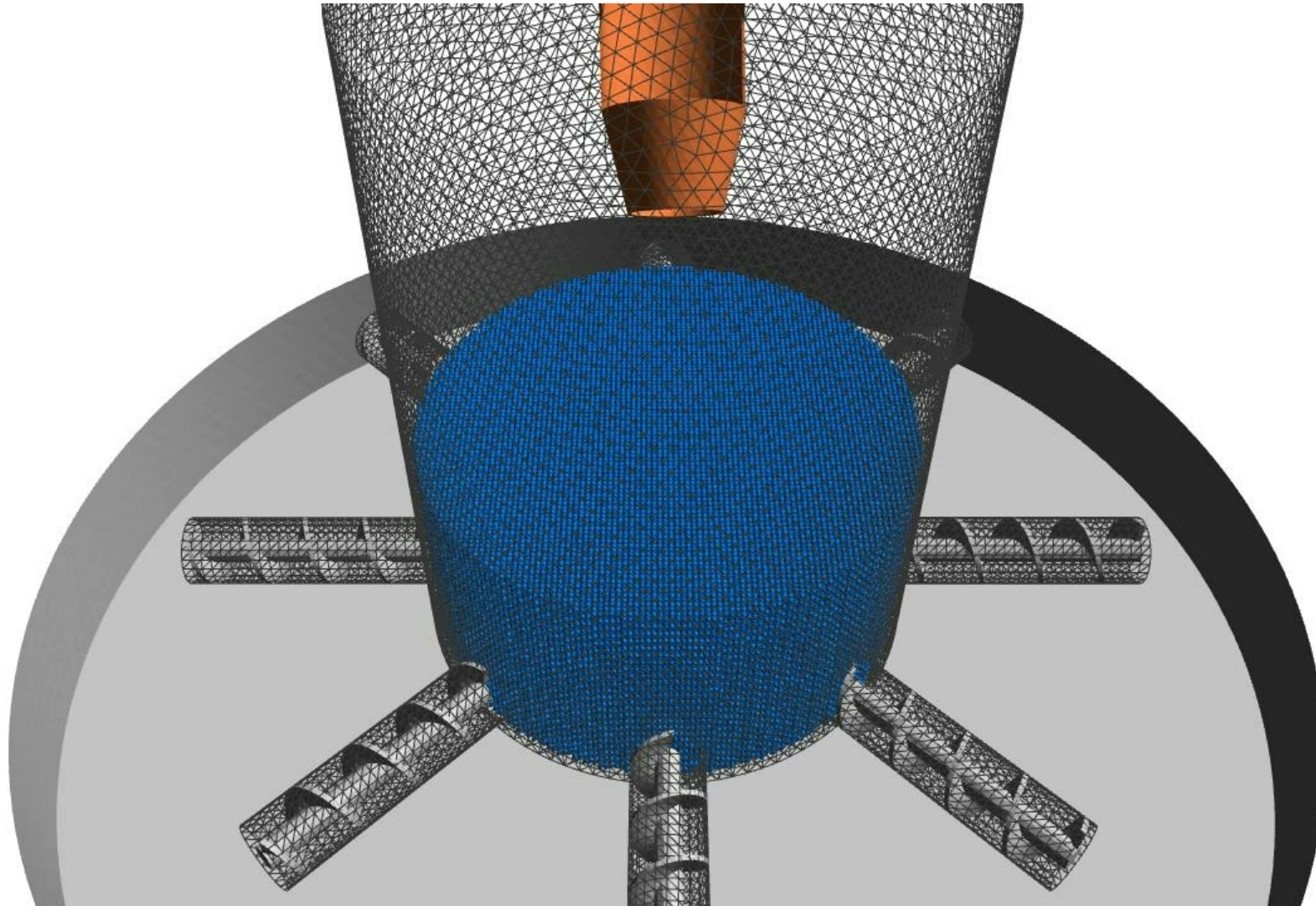
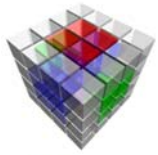


Example-3 : Blast Furnace

N_p : 640,000 EA
 N_e : 64,314 EA
250,000 steps
Multi-GPU (Tesla C1060 x2)
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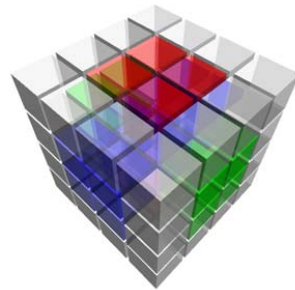


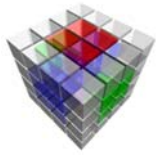
Example-3 : Blast Furnace



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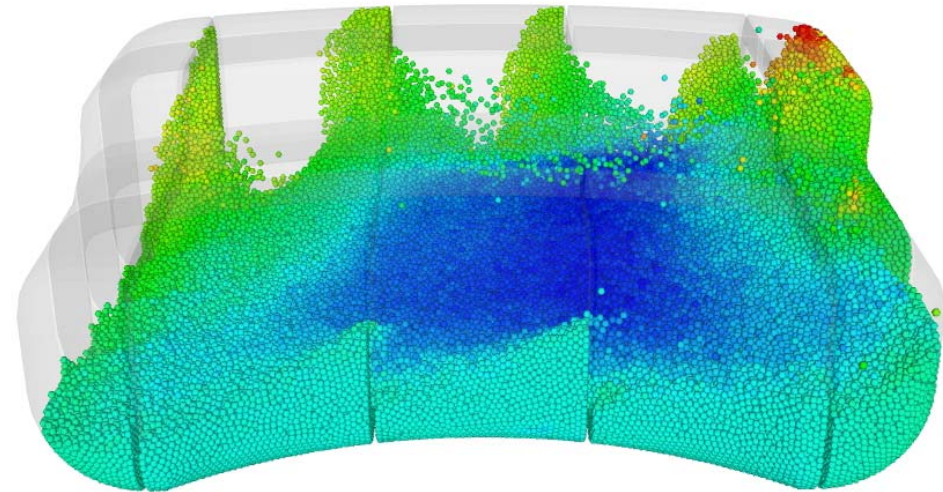
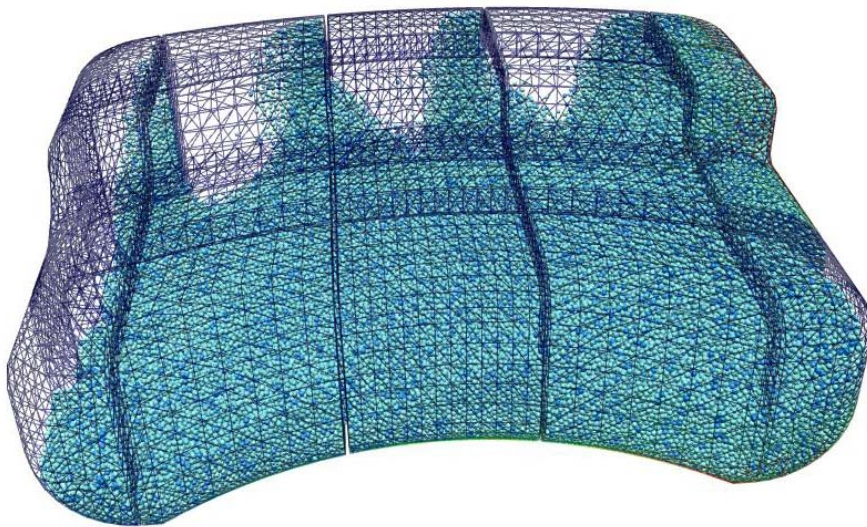
: HyperCube4 & EnSight





Sloshing

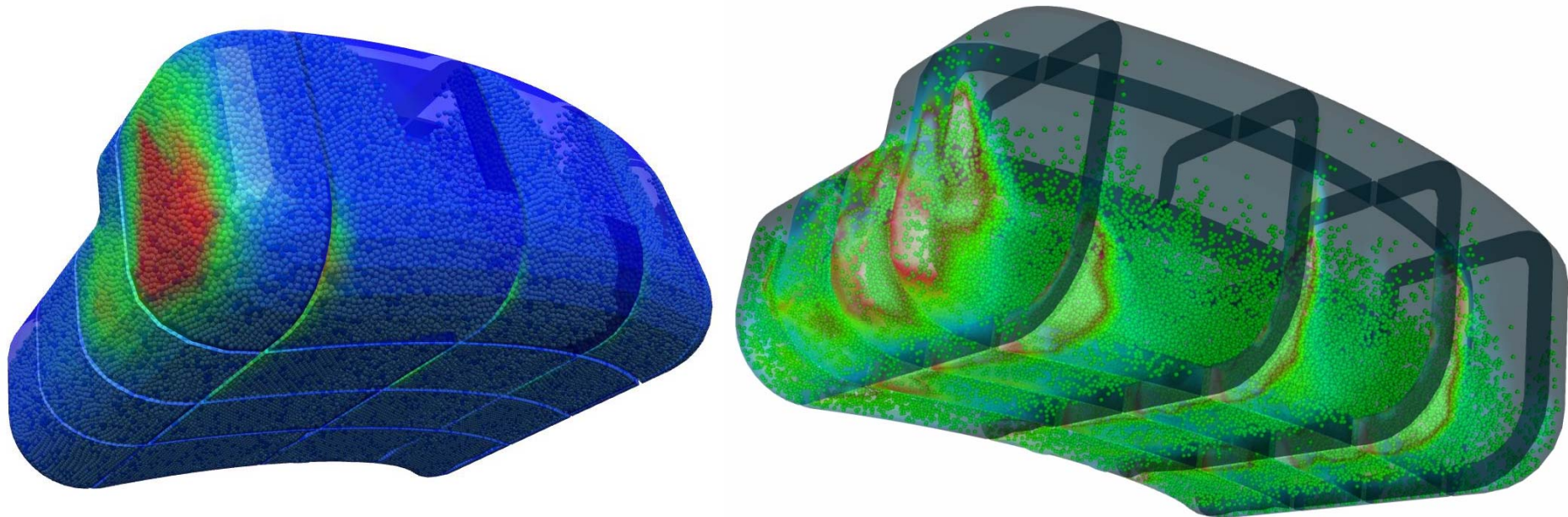
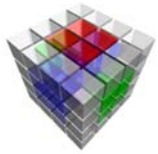
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 N_e : 12,580 EA
1,000,000 steps
Tesla C2050



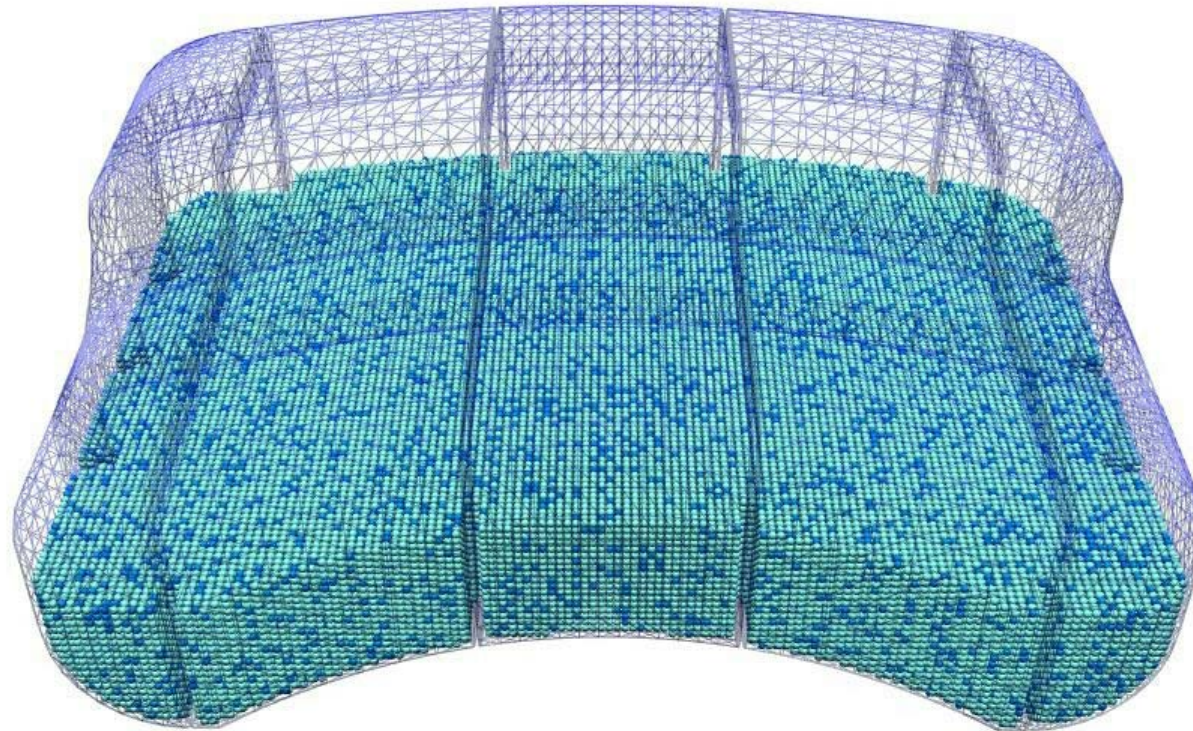
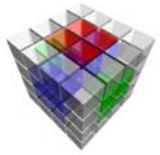


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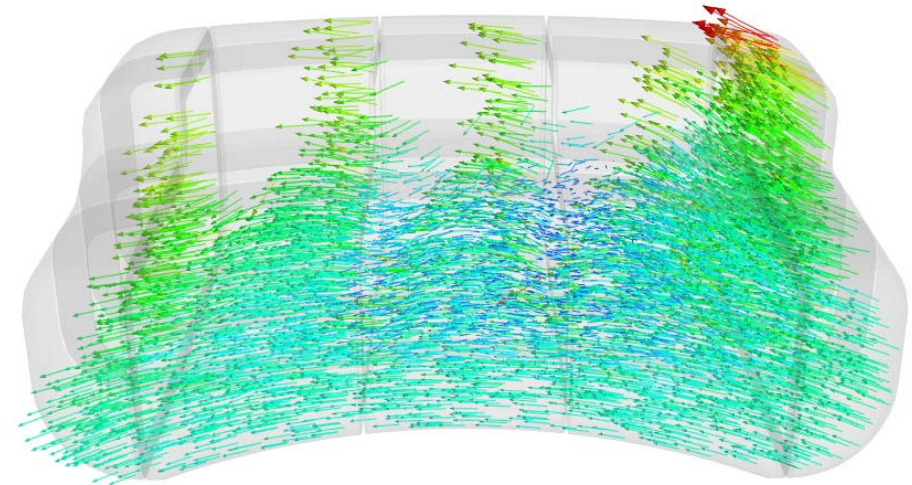
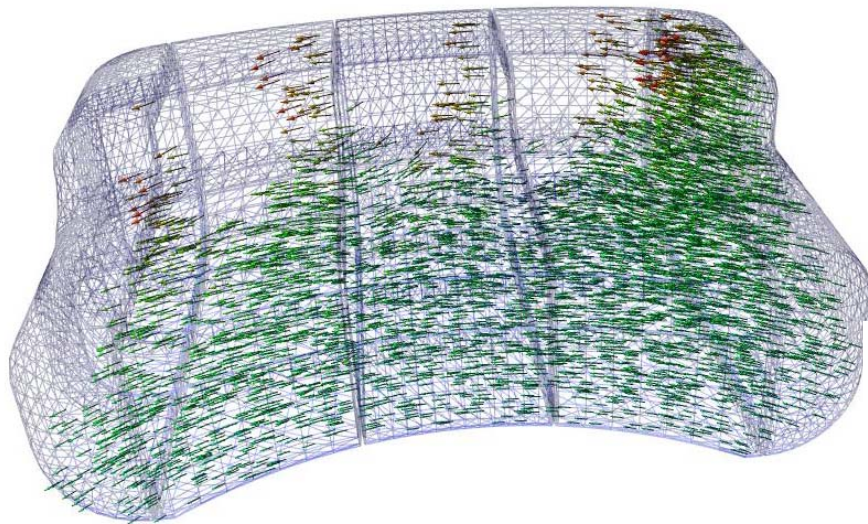
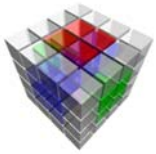
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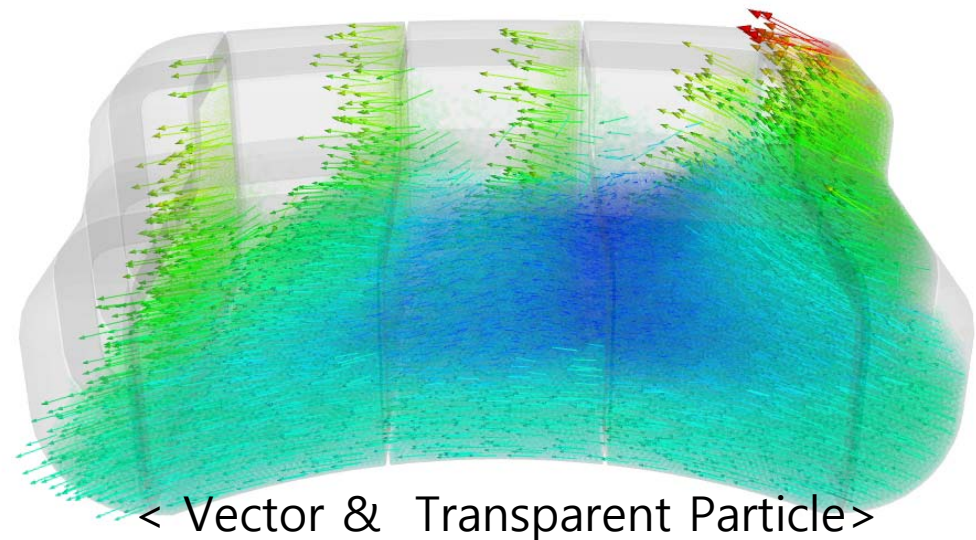


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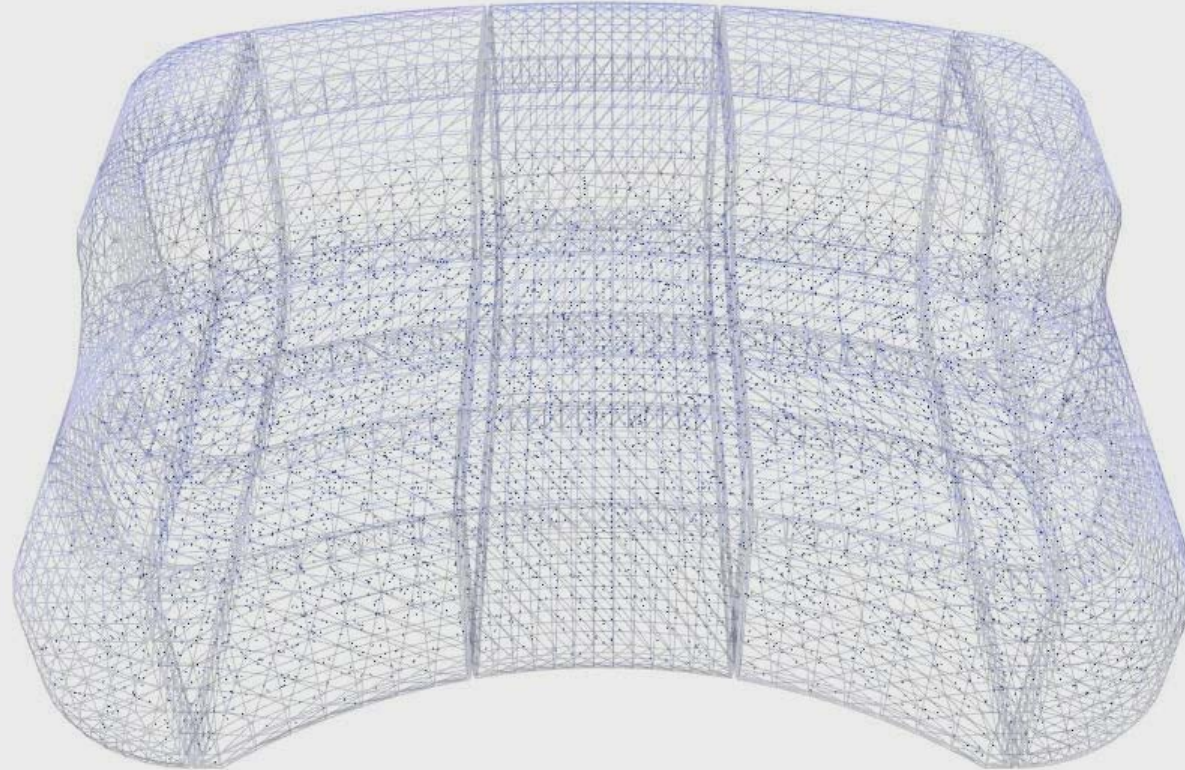
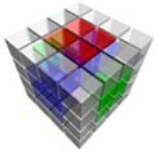


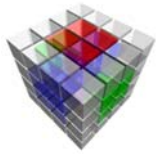
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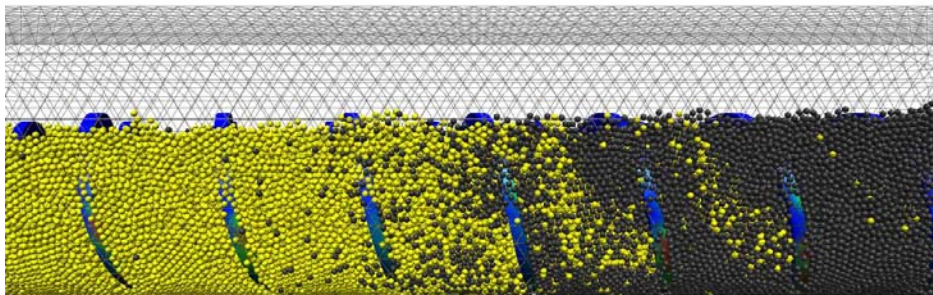
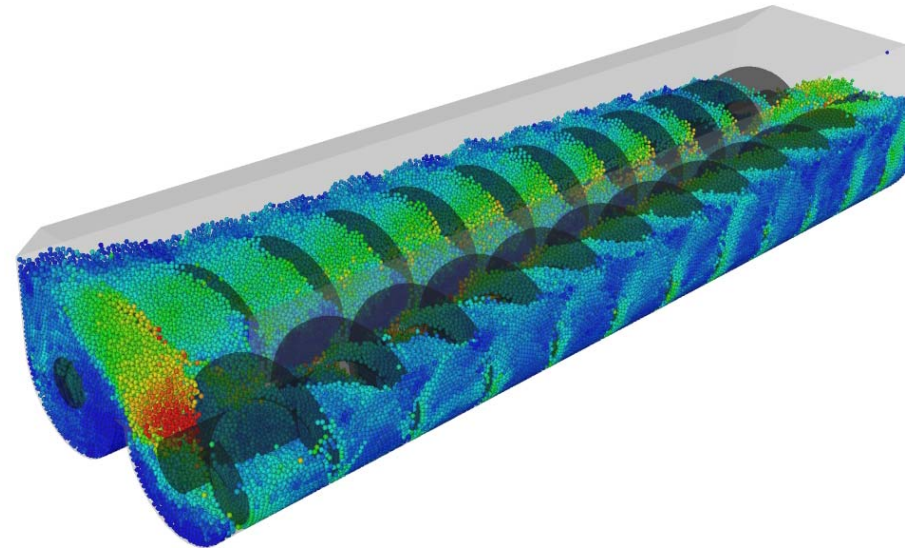
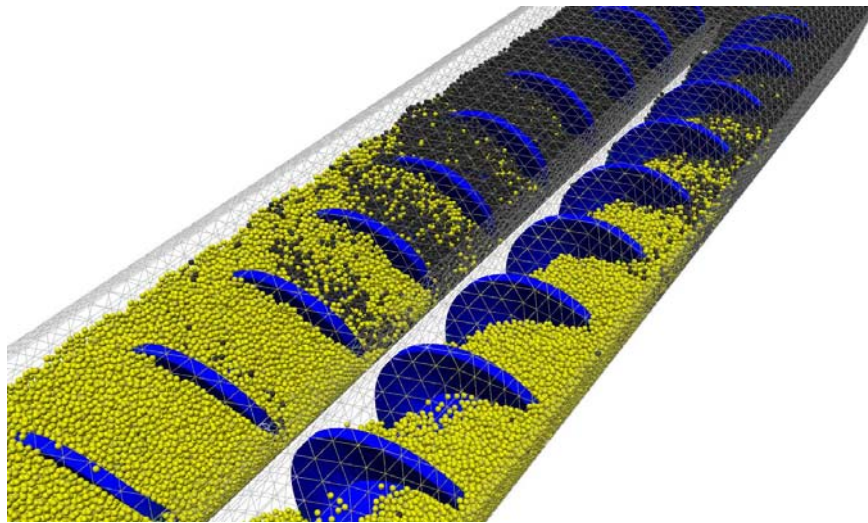
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Sloshing





2-R Auger



N_p : 219,391 EA
 N_e : 45,282 EA
700,000 steps
Multi-GPU (Tesla C1060 x2)



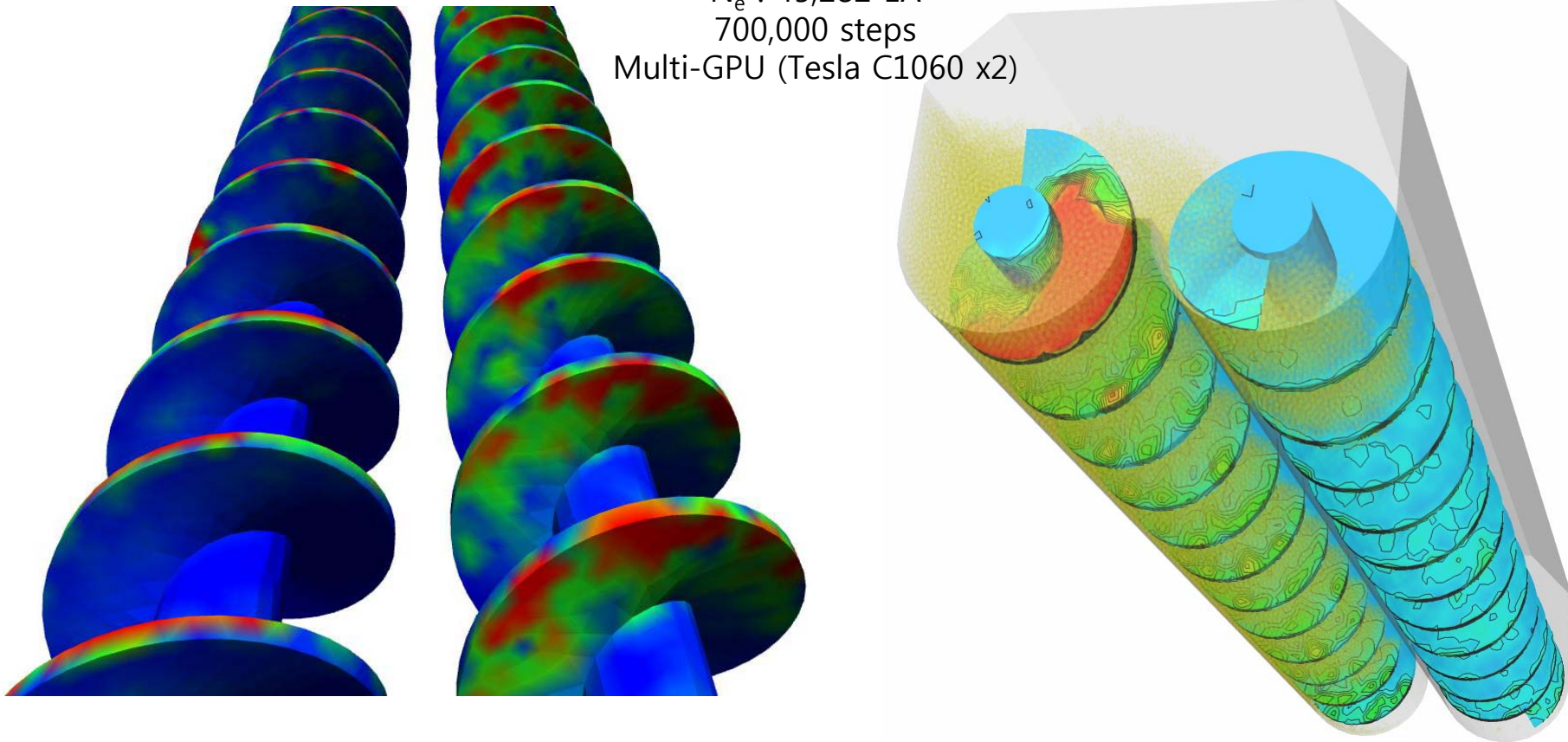
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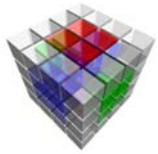
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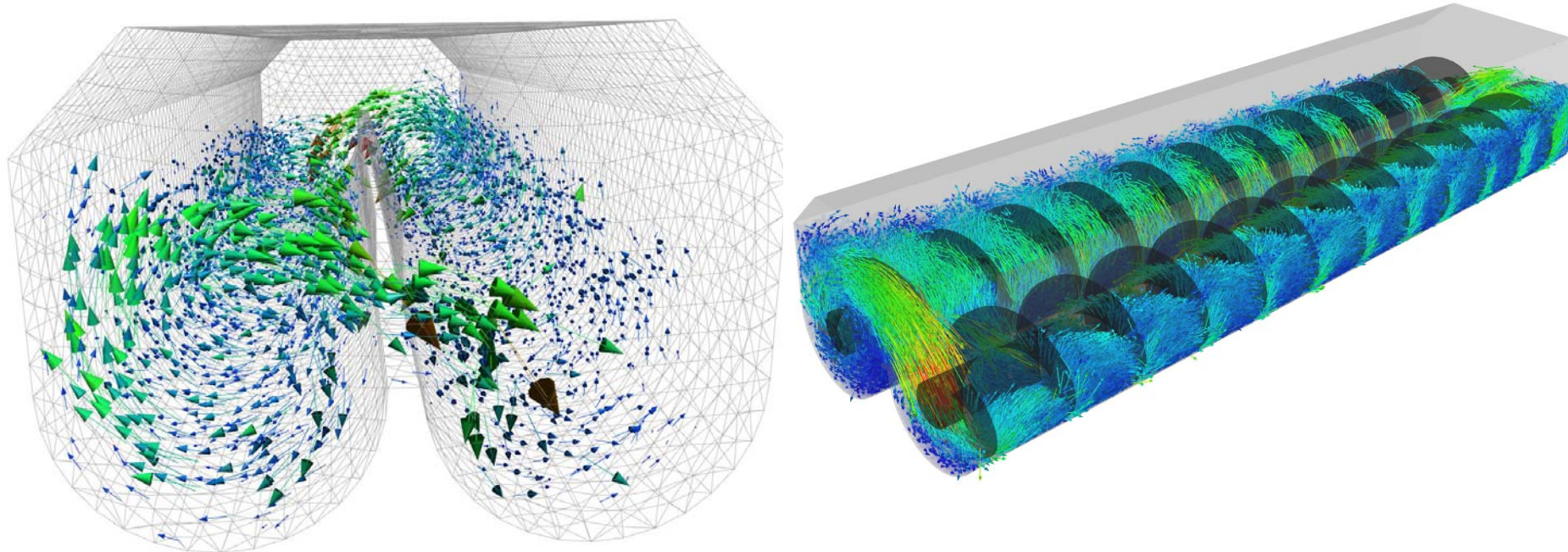
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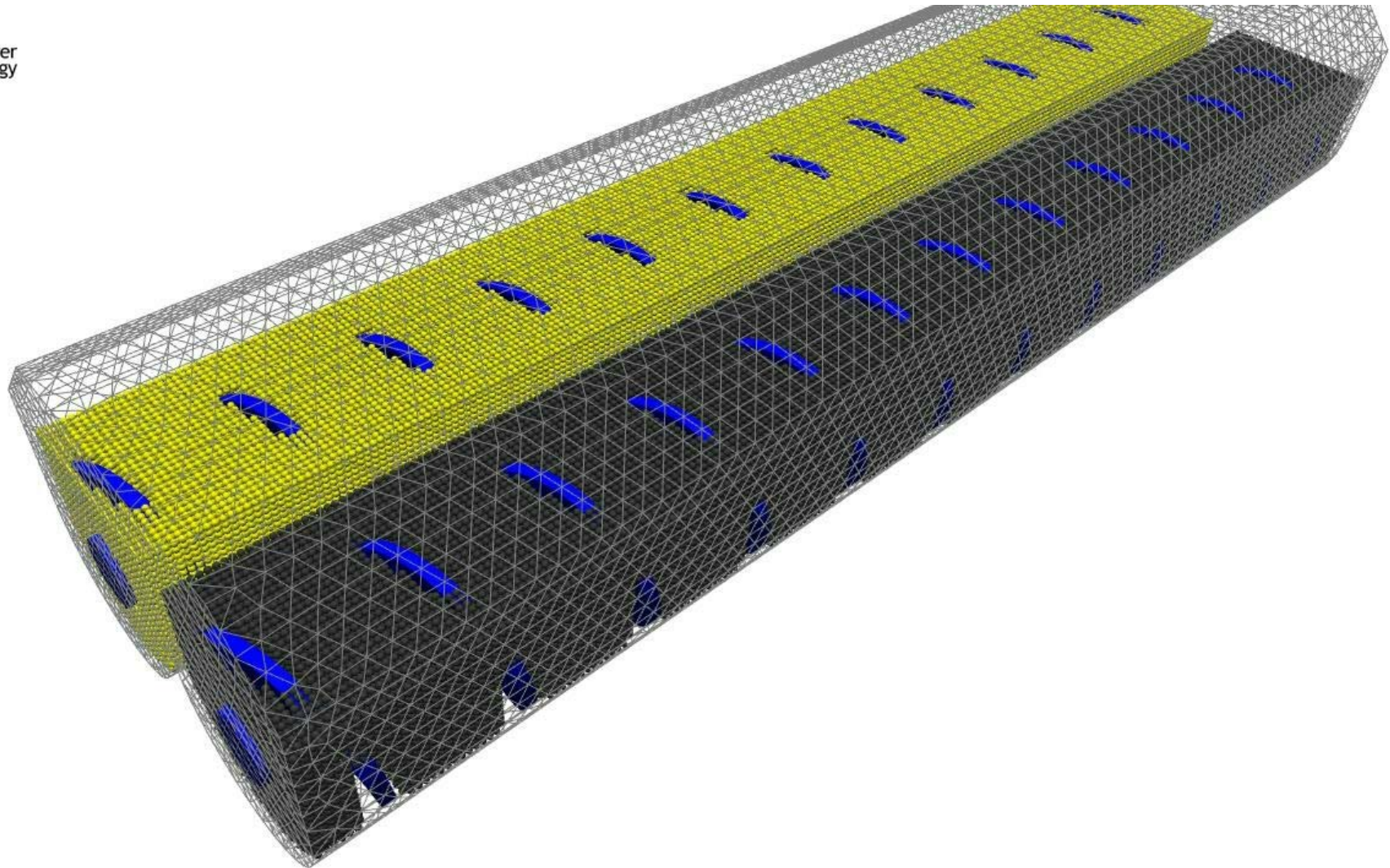
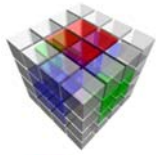
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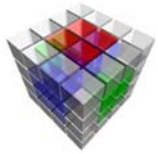
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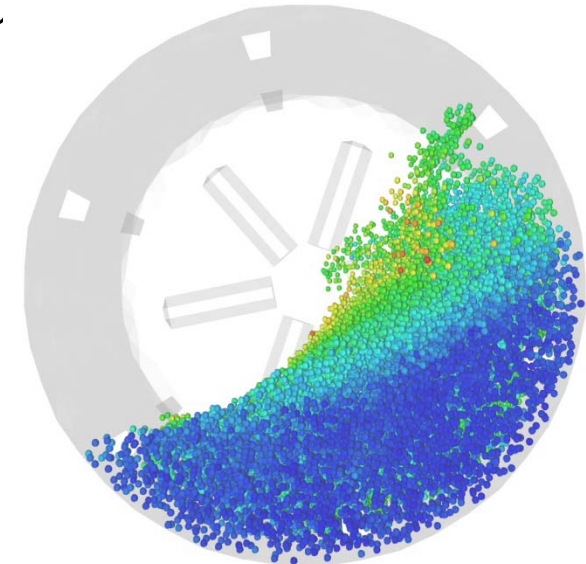
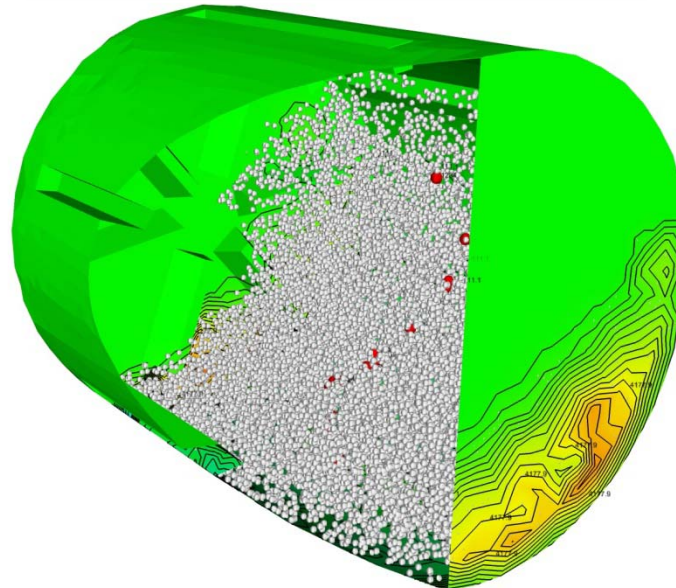
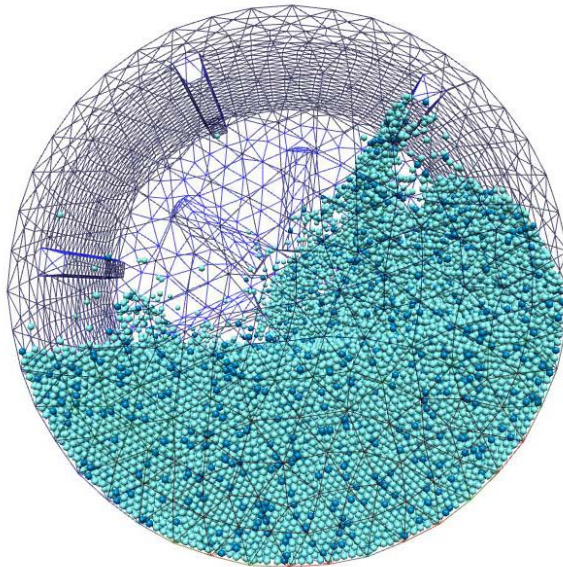
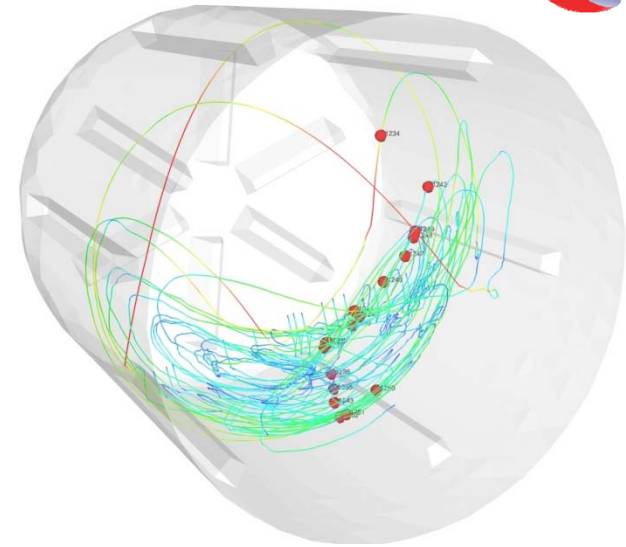
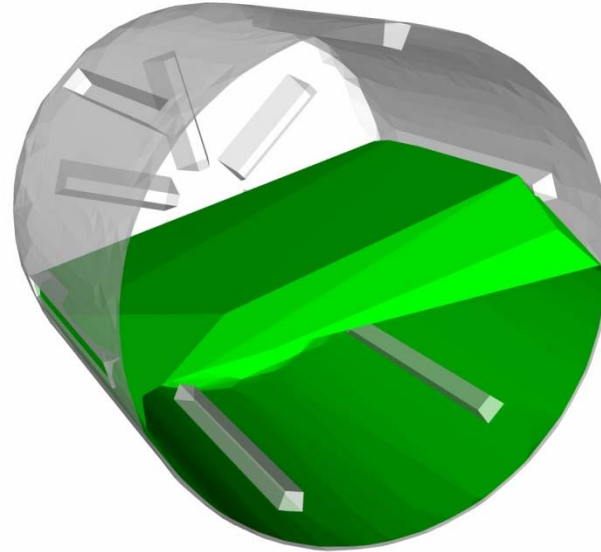
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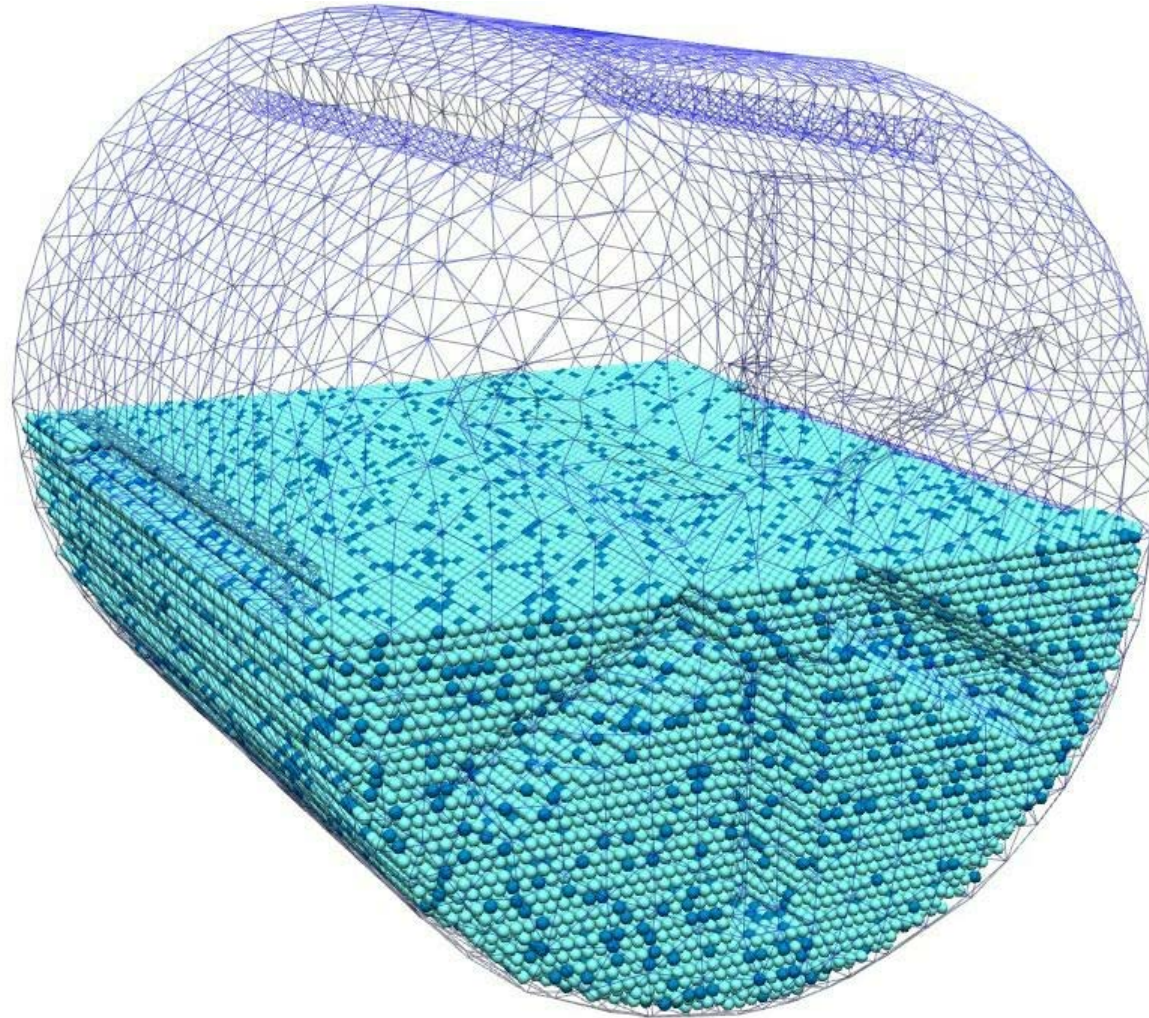
Rotating Drum



N_p : 124,266 EA
 N_e : 6,048 EA
700,000 steps
Tesla C2050

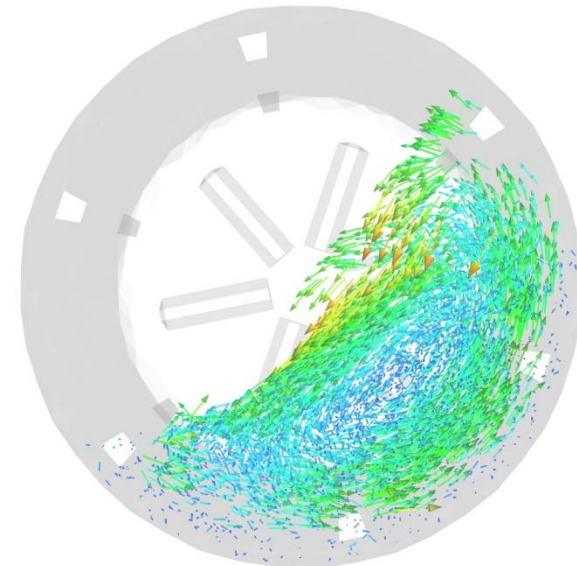
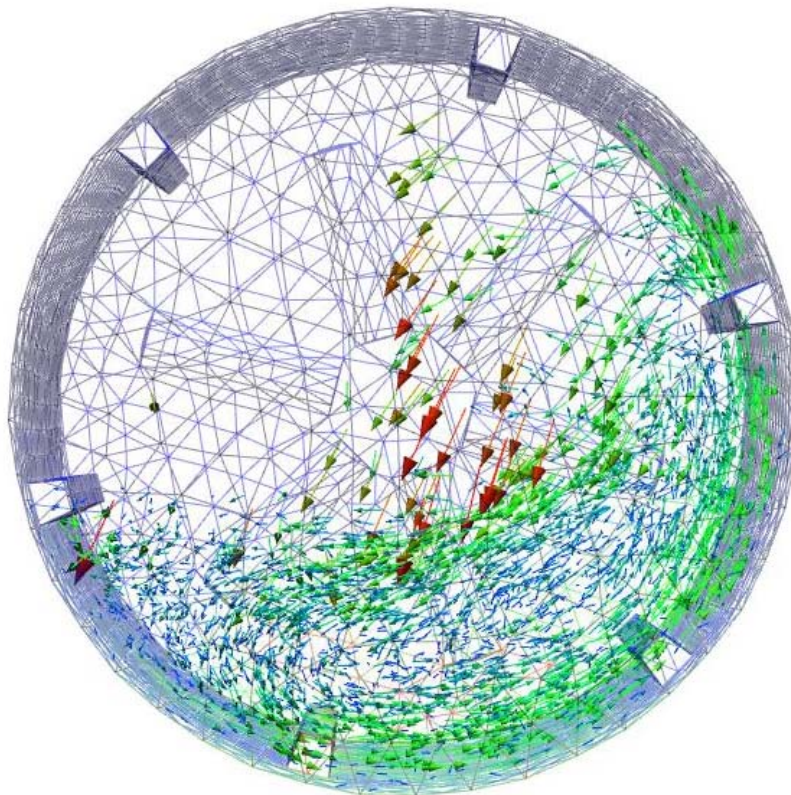
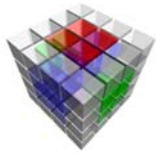


Rotating Drum

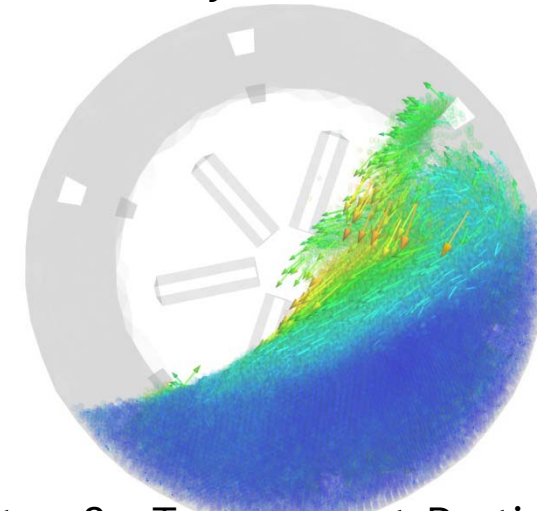


Rotating Drum

N_p : 124,266 EA
 N_e : 6,048 EA
700,000 steps
Tesla C2050



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Rotating Drum

