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AutoTune Goals



- Automatic application tuning
 - Performance and energy
- Parallel architectures
 - HPC and parallel servers
 - Homogeneous and heterogeneous
 - Multicore and GPU accelerated systems
 - Reproducable execution capabilities
- Variety of parallel paradigms
 - MPI, HMPP, parallel patterns







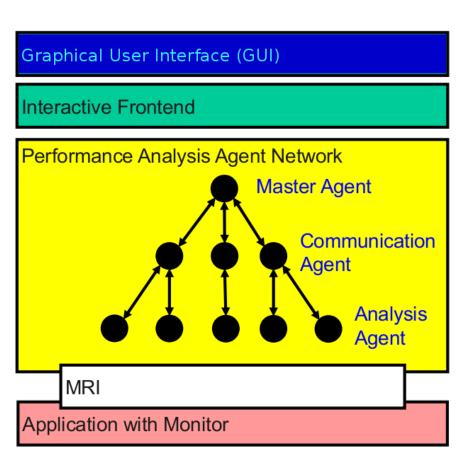








- Online
 - no need to store trace files
- Distributed
 - reduced network utilization
- Scalable
 - Up to 100000s of CPUs
- Multi-scenario analysis
 - Single-node Performance
 - MPI Communication
 - OpenMP
- Portable
 - Fortran, C with MPI & OMP
 - Intel Itanium2, x86 based systems
 - IBM Power6, BlueGene P, Cray



http://www.lrr.in.tum.de/periscope











Autotune Approach



- Predefined tuning strategies combining performance analysis and tuning
- Plugins
 - Compiler based optimization
 - HMPP tuning for GPUs
 - Parallel pattern tuning
 - MPI tuning
 - Energy efficiency tuning











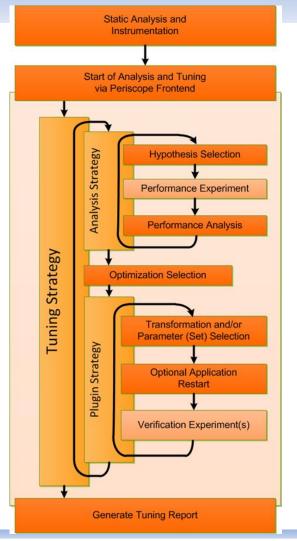


Periscope Tuning Framework



• Online

- Analysis and evaluation of tuned version in single application run
- Multiple versions in single step due to parallelism in application
- Result
 - Tuning recommendation
 - Adaptation of source code and /or execution environment
 - Impact on production runs















Expected Impact



- Improved performance of applications
- Reduced power consumption of parallel systems
- Facilitated program development and porting
- Reduced time for application tuning
- Leadership of European performance tools groups
- Strengthened European HPC industry

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