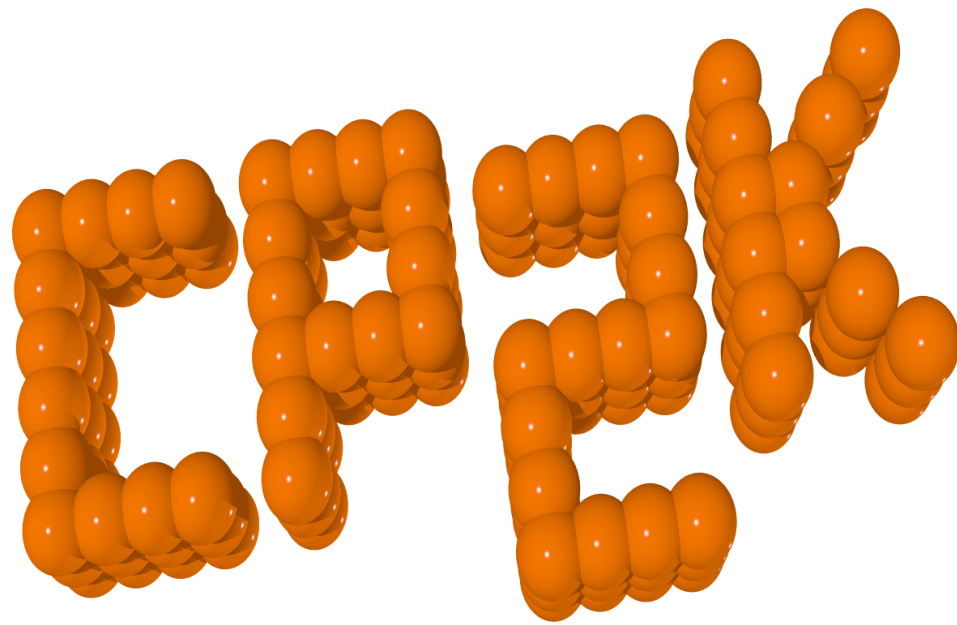


CP2K :
high-performance electronic structure
calculations

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<http://www.cp2k.org>

CP2K History

25. June 2001

CP2K source repository goes on line on berlios.de

Oct. 2011 first official release CP2K 2.2

then on sourceforge.net

now active development takes place under GitHub

<https://github.com/cp2k>

20 years of open development

Origin from combining two codes:

☀ Quickstep DFT Code, MPI Stuttgart
(Lippert, Krack, Hutter)

☀ Fist MD Code, Penn, Philadelphia
(Mundy, Balasubramanian, Bagchi)

CP2K SOURCE CODE DEVELOPMENT

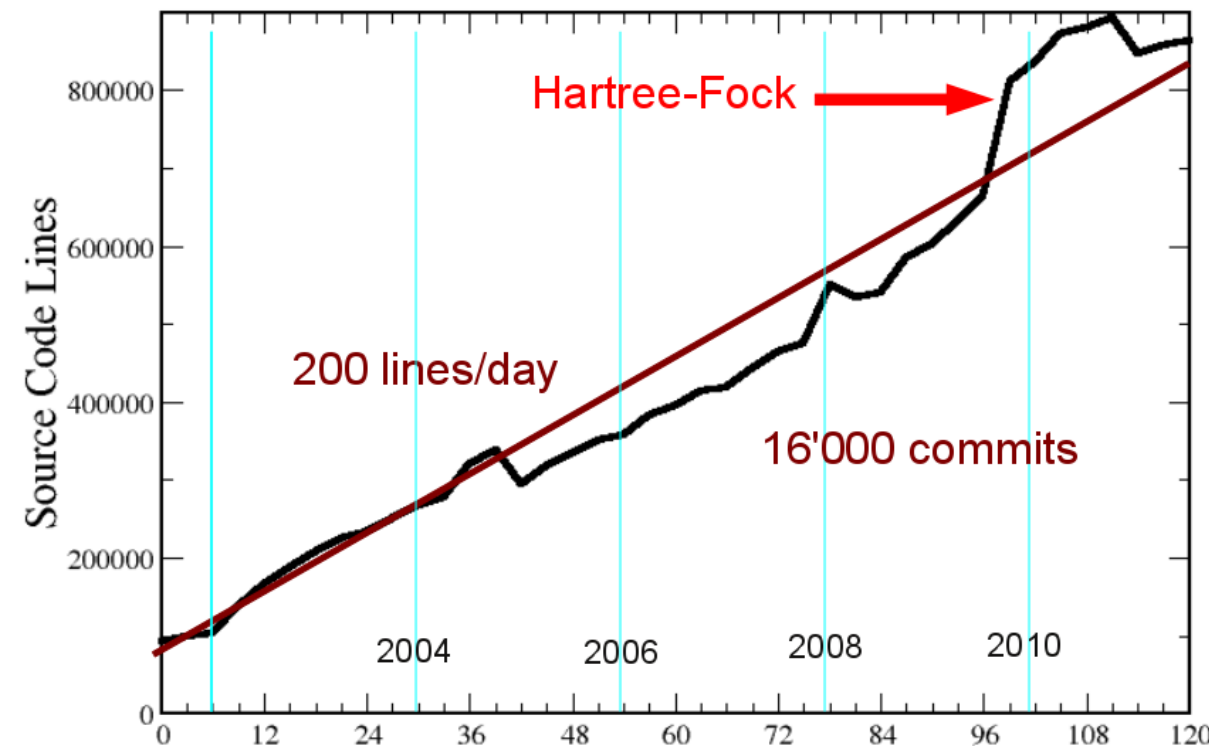
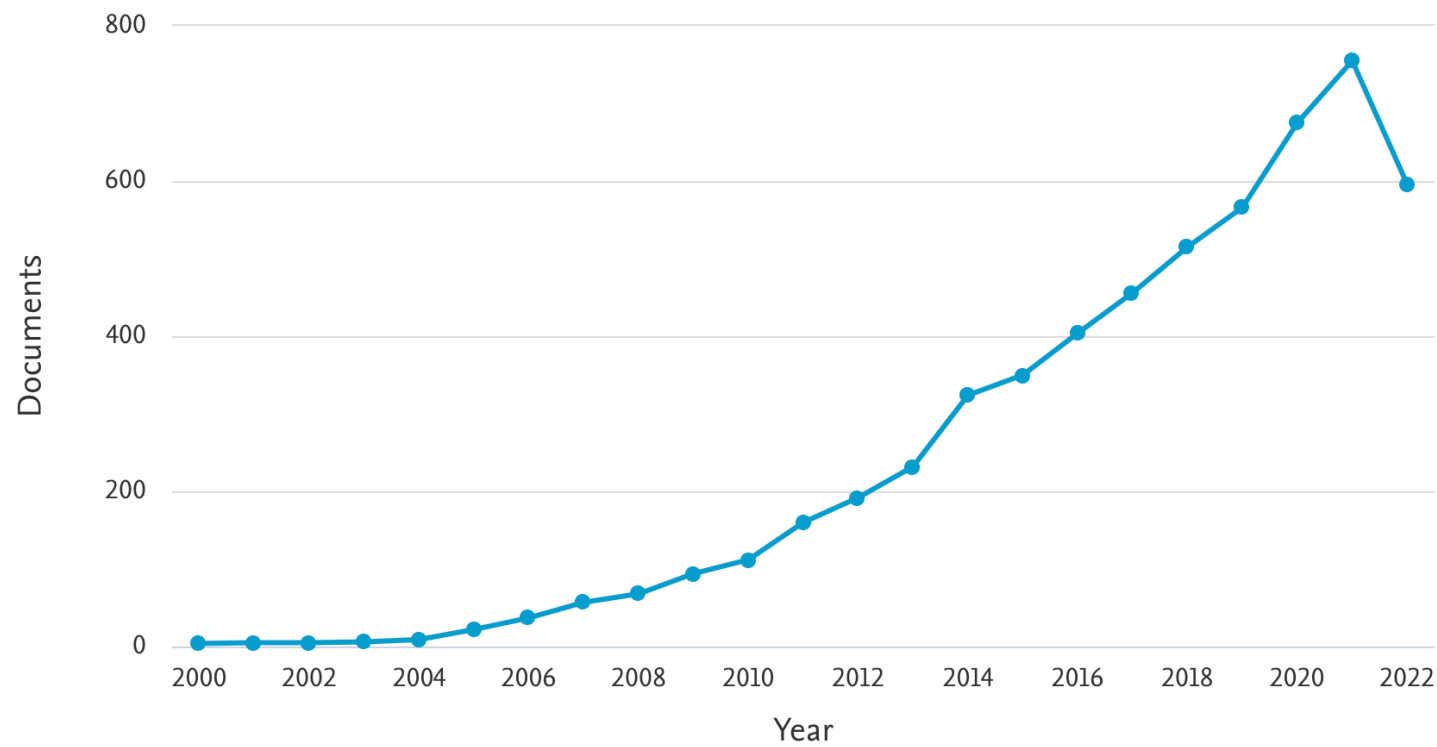


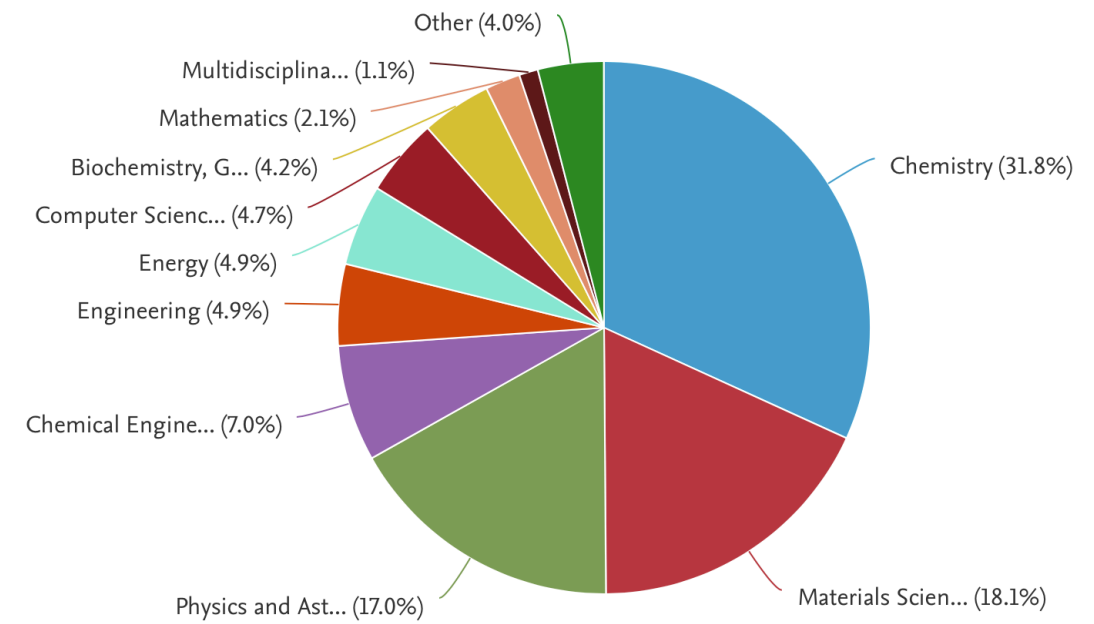
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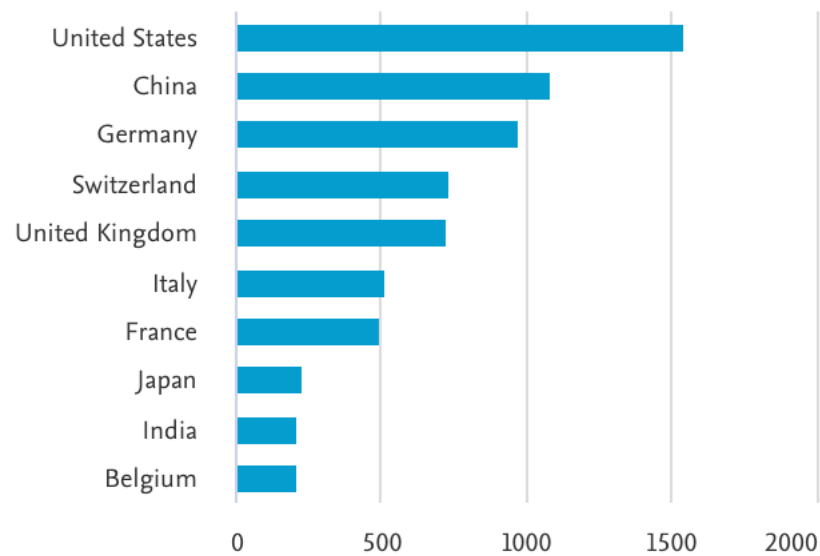
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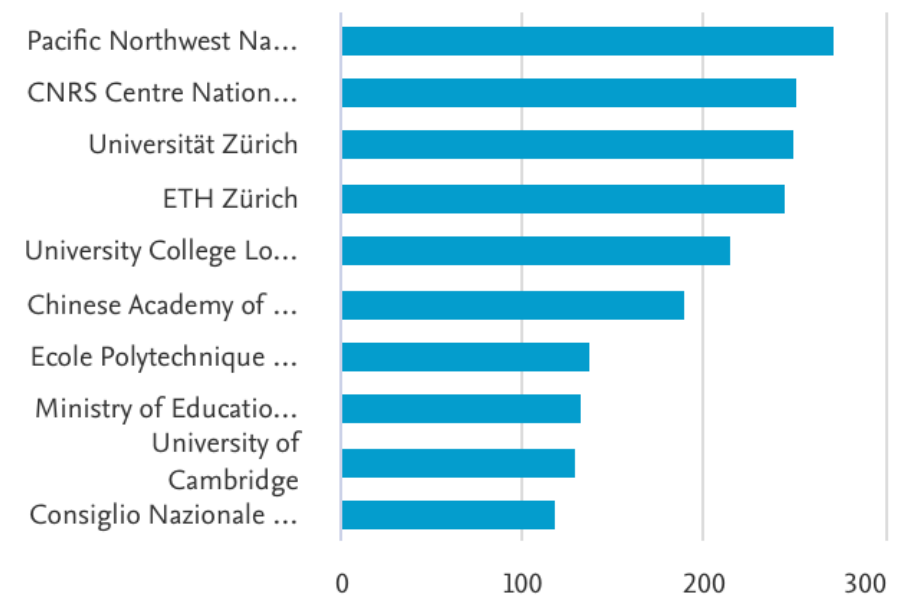
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A General Atomistic Simulations

Extended condensed matter systems

☀ Force Methods: KS/OF DFT (vdw), Hybrid, MP2, RPA, GW, Classical Force Fields, QM/MM, DFTB, XTB, mixed

☀ Sampling Methods: GeoOpt, CellOpt, Molecular Dynamics, Ehrenfest MD, FES and PES tools (Metadynamics), Monte Carlo, PIMD

☀ Properties and spectroscopy: vibrational, IR, TDDFT, NMR, EPR, NEXAFS, Rama NEGF, n,...

Excellent parallel scalability
Flexibility in combining methods

Open Source

The source of CP2K is open and freely available for everybody under [the GPL license](#).

Github Repository: github.com/cp2k

→ open development with continuous integration

Development Version	Released Version
<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Most recent▪ All new features▪ Potentially unstable / buggy▪ only available via Git	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Older▪ Stable, no ongoing development▪ All major functionality in good shape▪ Only rare backports of bug fixes (as time permits)

From official releases

→ tarballs (`cp2k-X.Y.tar.bz2`). Latest `cp2k-2022.2.tar.bz2`

From distributions

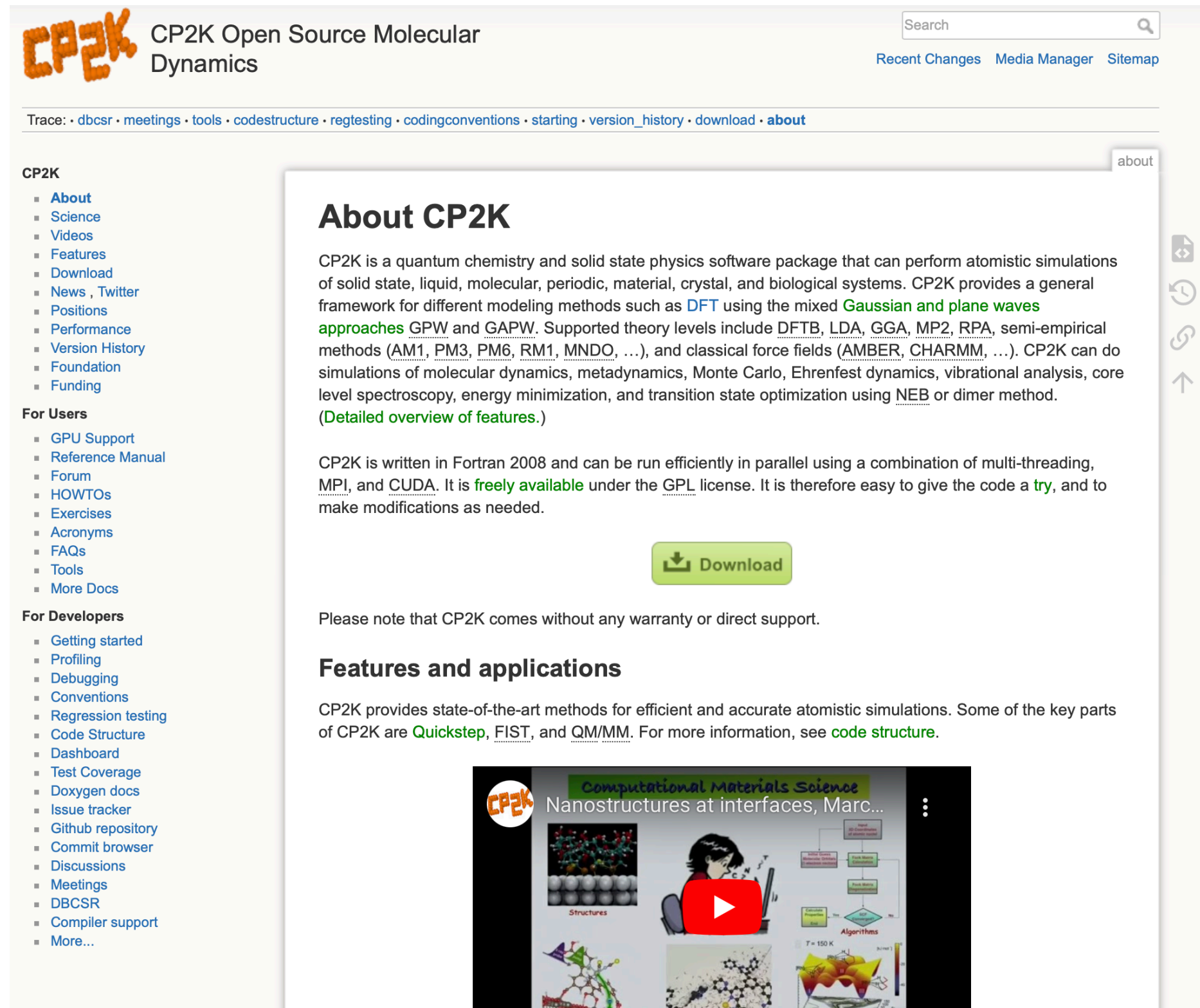


Features and Science

User information and material found on

→ www.cp2k.org

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About CP2K

CP2K is a quantum chemistry and solid state physics software package that can perform atomistic simulations of solid state, liquid, molecular, periodic, material, crystal, and biological systems. CP2K provides a general framework for different modeling methods such as [DFT](#) using the mixed [Gaussian and plane waves approaches](#) [GPW](#) and [GAPW](#). Supported theory levels include [DFTB](#), [LDA](#), [GGA](#), [MP2](#), [RPA](#), semi-empirical methods ([AM1](#), [PM3](#), [PM6](#), [RM1](#), [MNDO](#), ...), and classical force fields ([AMBER](#), [CHARMM](#), ...). CP2K can do simulations of molecular dynamics, metadynamics, Monte Carlo, Ehrenfest dynamics, vibrational analysis, core level spectroscopy, energy minimization, and transition state optimization using [NEB](#) or dimer method. ([Detailed overview of features.](#))

CP2K is written in Fortran 2008 and can be run efficiently in parallel using a combination of multi-threading, [MPI](#), and [CUDA](#). It is [freely available](#) under the [GPL](#) license. It is therefore easy to give the code a [try](#), and to make modifications as needed.

[Download](#)

Please note that CP2K comes without any warranty or direct support.

Features and applications

CP2K provides state-of-the-art methods for efficient and accurate atomistic simulations. Some of the key parts of CP2K are [Quickstep](#), [FIST](#), and [QM/MM](#). For more information, see [code structure](#).

Computational Materials Science
Nanostructures at interfaces, Marc...

Structures Algorithms
T = 150 K

Some CP2K code's Features

- ☀ Fortran2008, active development under GitHub
- ☀ Freely available, open source, General Public License
- ☀ Community Developers Platform (UZH, IBM Research, ETHZ, UPB, LLNL, PNNL, PSI, U Bochum, Aalto, Lincoln-UK, UGent, URegensburg, McGill-Can, HPE-CH, Intel-CH...)
- ☀ User community through Google groups
- ☀ MPI and OpenMP parallelisation, CUDA C extensions : porting on >100'000 cores and to GPUs
- ☀ Quality control: automatic regression and memory leak (>3000)
- ☀ External Library: Lapack/BLAS, ScaLapack/BLACS, MPI, OpenMP, FFTW, libint, libxc, LIBXSMM, ELPA, COSMA, LibVori, PEXSI, QUIP, spglib, SPLA...
- ☀ Internal library handling sparse matrices and tensors <https://github.com/cp2k/dbcsr>
- ☀ Integration: i-PI, PLUMED, OMEN, SIRIUS, PhonoPy, PyRetis, ...

Preparation/Installation

The standard way to build CP2K is via the **toolchain script**

```
$ git clone --recursive https://github.com/cp2k/cp2k.git
```

```
$ cd cp2k/tools/toolchain
```

```
$ ./install_cp2k_toolchain.sh -help
```

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```
$ ./install_cp2k_toolchain.sh --with-libxsmm=install --with-openblas=system --with-fftw=system --enable-cuda
```

```
MPI is detected and it appears to be OpenMPI
nvcc not found, disabling CUDA by default
Compiling with 8 processes.
```

Default: Uses system compiler, linker and MPI

```
===== Finding binutils from system paths =====
[...]
```

Builds and configures for: libxc, libint, libxsmm, ELPA, SIRIUS

```
===== generating arch files =====
arch files can be found in the /data/cp2k/tools/toolchain/install/arch
subdirectory Wrote /data/cp2k/tools/toolchain/install/arch/local.sopt
Wrote /data/cp2k/tools/toolchain/install/arch/local.sdbg
Wrote /data/cp2k/tools/toolchain/install/arch/local.ssm
[...]
```

Support for Linux & macOS

```
===== usage =====
```

```
cp /data/cp2k/tools/toolchain/install/arch/* to the cp2k/arch/ directory
```

```
source /data/cp2k/tools/toolchain/install/setup
```

```
make -j 8 ARCH=local VERSION="sopt sdbg ssm popt pdbg psm"
```


Compiler Support

CP2K adheres to the Fortran 2008 standard, not all compilers (or compiler versions) are able to build CP2K correctly. GCC is the most tested compiler. We test some Intel Compiler versions.

Compiler	Versions	Systems	Support	Known Issues	Last commit tested
GCC	5.5	x86_64	Doesn't compile	Does not support source argument for ALLOCATE #1863	48211d0
GCC	6.5	x86_64	Partial	RPA/MP2 crash #1203	87ec159
GCC	7.5, 8.3, 8.4, 9.3, 10.3, 11.2, 11.3	x86_64	OK	None	Latest
GCC	12.1	x86_64	Partial	#2117	Latest
GCC (GNU/Linux)	8.3	armv7l	UNSUPPORTED (> 8.2)	CMake version too old #1891	986a993
GCC (GNU/Linux)	11.2, 11.3, 12.1	arm64 (aarch64)	Partial (≥ v9.1)	GOW0 #1855	Latest
GCC (Darwin)	11.2, 11.3, 12.1	arm64 (aarch64)	Partial (≥ v9.1)	Failure in dbt routines #2123	Latest
Intel	17.0.1	x86_64	Partial	MPI parallelization broken (due to MKL)	400f96b
Intel	18.0.0, 18.0.1	x86_64	BROKEN	Fails at runtime	4a6d2ce
Intel	19.0.0	x86_64	Doesn't compile	Compilation aborted for Iri_forces.F90	1037acf
Intel	17.0.4, 18.0.3, 19.0.3	x86_64	OK	None	ae9949d
Intel	18.0.5	x86_64	OK	None	975d77f
Intel	19.0.4	x86_64	OK	None	39a048b
Intel (classic)	19.1.1, 19.1.3, 2021.3, 2021.4, 2021.5, 2021.6	x86_64	OK	None	Latest

Uniform formatting by
prettify script

`make -j pretty`

Write explicit code

Fight spaghetti code

Format and document

Write tests

Doxygen documentation

`make doxify`

Some External Libraries

Blas and Lapack vendor-provided libraries make significant difference (ACML, MKL, ESSL)

MPI and SCALAPACK optional for MPI builds, must match compiler (MPICH2, OpenMPI)

FFTW optional, to improve speed, FFTW3

LIBINT to include HF exchange, any should be compatible `--enable-eri=1, -D__MAX_CONTR=4`

LIBXSMM optional, to improve performance for matrix operations, deep learning primitives

LIBXC optional but more complete, version 5.1.0 or later, no fourth derivatives

ELPA optional improved performance for diagonalization, replaces SYEVD, optimised kernels

Sparse Matrix Library

DBCSR: Distributed Blocked Compressed Sparse Row

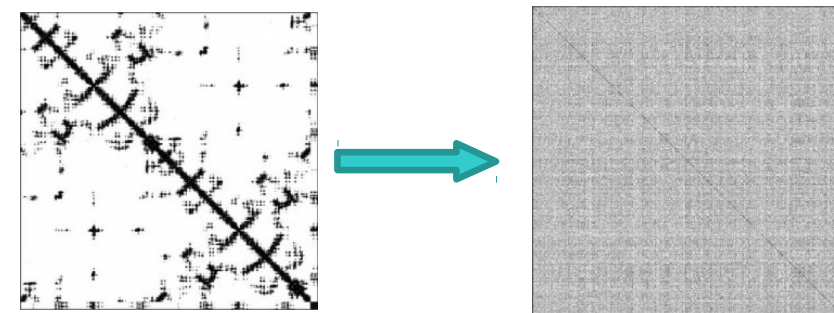
standalone sparse matrix library designed to efficiently perform sparse matrix multiplication, among other operations. It is MPI and OpenMP parallel, and can exploit accelerators.



<https://github.com/cp2k/dbcsr>

- ☀ For massively parallel architectures
- ☀ Optimised for 10000s of non-zeros per row (dense limit)
- ☀ Stored in block form : atoms or molecules
- ☀ Cannons algorithm: 2D layout (rows/columns) and 2D distribution of data
- ☀ Homogenised for load balance

<https://dx.doi.org/10.1016%2Fj.parco.2014.03.012>



**given processor communicates only with nearest neighbours
transferred data decreases as number of processors increases**

Regression Testing

```
----- Settings -----  
MPI ranks:      2  
OpenMP threads: 2  
GPU devices:    1  
Workers:        2  
Timeout [s]:    400  
Work base dir:  /scratch/snx3000/mkrack/rt/CRAY-XC50-gnu/cp2k/regtesting/  
TEST-CRAY-XC50-gnu-psmp-2022-10-10_11-56-27  
MPI exec:       ['srun', '--mem-per-cpu=1280']  
Keepalive:      True  
Debug:          False  
ARCH:           CRAY-XC50-gnu  
VERSION:        psmp
```

do_regtest script

```
Flags:  
omp, libint, fftw3, libxc, pexsi, elpa, elpa_nvidia_gpu, parallel, mpi3, scalapack,  
cosma, xsmm, dbcsr_acc, max_contr=4, plumed2, spglib, sirius, check_diag, libvori,  
libbqb, offload_cuda, no_offload_pw, spla_gemm_offloading, libvdx
```

```
-----  
Skipping TMC/regtest_ana_on_the_fly because its requirements are not  
satisfied.
```

```
Skipping Fist/regtest-quip because its requirements are not satisfied.
```

```
Launched 323 test directories and 2 worker...
```

```
----- Summary -----  
Number of FAILED tests 0  
Number of WRONG tests 0  
Number of CORRECT tests 3891  
Total number of tests 3891
```

**Automatically skips
unavailable features**

```
Summary: correct: 3891 / 3891; 94min  
Status: OK
```

```
***** Testing ended *****
```


Verification

State of the latest version **the DASHBOARD**

Multiple platforms/architectures available, including full logs and their arch-files.

REGTESTING

	Hit	Total	Coverage
Lines:	386171	457412	84.4 %
Functions:	9138	12154	75.2 %

directory line cov. functions

src		84.4 %	80.2 %
src/aobasis		74.3 %	82.2 %
src/arnoldi		83.8 %	52.3 %
src/base		78.0 %	78.1 %
src/common		71.0 %	61.4 %
src/dbcsr		79.1 %	48.1 %
src/dbm		95.0 %	90.6 %
src/dbt		92.3 %	81.7 %
src/dbt/tas		90.2 %	92.8 %
src/emd		98.1 %	100.0 %
src/eri_mme		80.3 %	57.2 %
src/fm		82.5 %	82.1 %
src/grid		89.7 %	94.3 %
src/grid/common		87.4 %	90.2 %
src/grid/cpu		52.3 %	67.3 %
src/grid/ref		91.4 %	96.7 %
src/hfxbase		98.6 %	99.5 %
src/input		78.7 %	62.2 %
src/minimax		92.2 %	73.3 %
src/motion		85.1 %	86.7 %
src/motion/mc		82.0 %	78.0 %
src/motion/thermostat		76.3 %	85.2 %
src/mpiwrap		63.6 %	24.0 %
src/offload		67.4 %	58.3 %
src/pw		82.5 %	76.5 %
src/pw/fft		59.1 %	83.7 %
src/pw_env		88.8 %	84.6 %
src/shg_int		95.1 %	100.0 %
src/start		75.3 %	44.7 %
src/subsys		82.1 %	60.0 %
src/swarm		86.9 %	69.8 %
src/tmc		80.1 %	76.7 %
src/xc		61.1 %	75.8 %

Profiling: Timing Report

SUBROUTINE name contains method and step descriptors:

pw Planewave

fft Fast Fourier Transformation

mp Message Passing (MPI)

qs Quickstep

scf Self-consistent field

cp_fm Full matrix lin. alg. wrapper

ASD measure for how deeply nested a function is

SELF TIME time spent in routine and non separately timed subroutines

CALL timeset(routineN,handle)

! Region to be timed

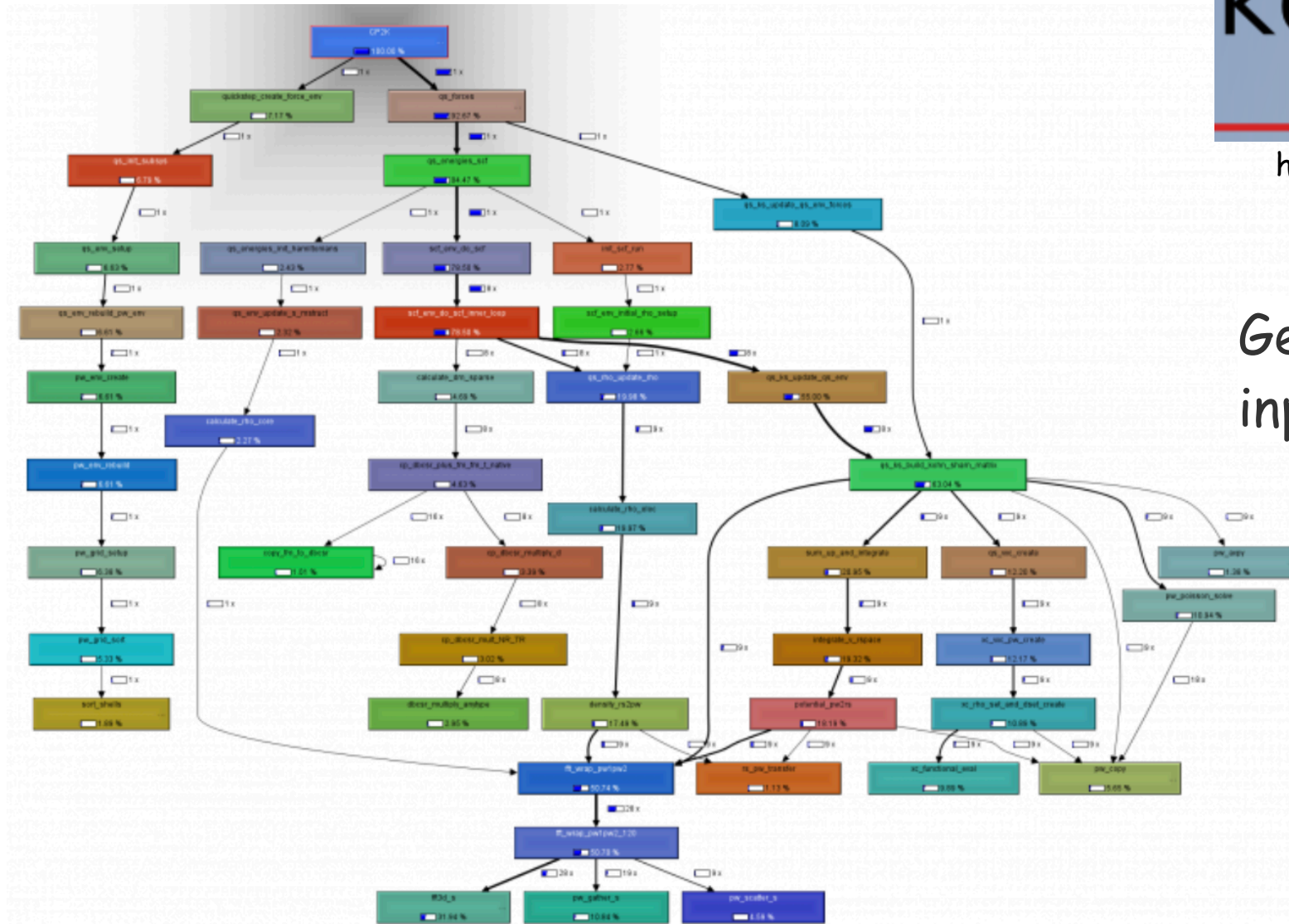
CALL timestop(handle)

T I M I N G						
SUBROUTINE	CALLS	ASD	SELF TIME		TOTAL TIME	
	MAXIMUM		AVERAGE	MAXIMUM	AVERAGE	MAXIMUM
CP2K	1	1.0	0.030	0.080	1467.136	1467.138
qs_mol_dyn_low	1	2.0	0.003	0.004	1465.753	1465.755
qs_forces	4	3.8	0.001	0.001	1465.578	1465.581
qs_energies	4	4.8	0.005	0.037	1348.545	1348.569
scf_env_do_scf	4	5.8	0.000	0.001	1280.265	1280.441
scf_env_do_scf_inner_loop	55	6.7	0.003	0.017	1280.233	1280.408
velocity_verlet	3	3.0	0.000	0.001	1039.753	1039.759
qs_scf_new_mos	55	7.7	0.001	0.002	839.677	839.965
eigensolver	110	8.7	0.007	0.009	815.685	815.767
cp_fm_diag_elpa	118	9.8	0.001	0.001	640.084	640.783
cp_fm_diag_elpa_base	118	10.7	631.493	638.056	635.497	639.595
rebuild_ks_matrix	59	8.5	0.000	0.000	402.615	402.633
qs_ks_build_kohn_sham_matrix	59	9.5	0.010	0.013	402.614	402.633
qs_ks_update_qs_env	55	7.7	0.000	0.001	308.304	308.322
sum_up_and_integrate	59	10.5	0.225	0.320	302.120	302.174
integrate_v_rspace	118	11.5	0.004	0.006	301.894	301.961
grid_integrate_task_list	118	12.5	148.941	252.649	148.941	252.649
mp_alltoall_d11v	1810	12.0	122.210	194.129	122.210	194.129
rs_gather_matrices	118	12.5	0.419	0.471	113.010	184.894
cp_fm_triangular_multiply	330	9.7	178.198	180.177	178.198	180.177
qs_rho_update_rho	59	7.8	0.001	0.001	115.533	115.591
calculate_rho_elec	118	8.8	0.198	0.267	115.533	115.590
pw_transfer	2230	12.6	0.165	0.241	112.076	112.941
fft_wrap_pw1pw2	2112	13.7	0.029	0.039	111.437	112.313
fft_wrap_pw1pw2_300	1404	15.0	7.257	7.642	102.812	103.732
rs_pw_transfer	952	12.1	0.015	0.019	77.289	96.078
qs_ks_update_qs_env_forces	4	4.8	0.000	0.000	94.612	94.613
fft3d_ps	2112	15.7	34.031	40.606	89.351	90.506
density_rs2pw	118	9.8	0.008	0.010	72.096	90.127
qs_vxc_create	59	10.5	0.001	0.002	88.477	88.487
xc_vxc_pw_create	59	11.5	1.592	1.746	88.476	88.486
grid_collocate_task_list	118	9.8	38.389	66.714	38.389	66.714
xc_pw_derive	708	13.5	0.015	0.017	61.112	62.462
mp_waitany	20160	14.1	37.956	56.956	37.956	56.956
rs_pw_transfer_RS2PW_300	122	11.7	2.469	3.183	28.743	50.748
xc_rho_set_and_dset_create	59	12.5	1.327	1.413	42.438	48.283
mp_alltoall_z22v	2112	17.7	44.370	46.846	44.370	46.846
xc_pw_divergence	118	12.5	0.009	0.011	42.870	43.977
potential_pw2rs	118	12.5	0.023	0.028	39.616	40.109
init_scf_run	4	5.8	0.000	0.000	37.546	37.551
mp_waitall_1	85096	14.3	29.004	32.018	29.004	32.018
scf_env_initial_rho_setup	4	6.8	0.000	0.000	30.809	30.816

Profiling: CALLGRAPH

kcachegrind
CallGraphViewer

<https://kcachegrind.sourceforge.net/>



Generated by including the
input keyword **CALLGRAPH**

```
valgrind --tool=callgrind ./cp2k.sopt -i test.inp -o test.out
```

CP2K Trace

Generated by including the input keyword **TRACE**

```
00:000001>>      7      1 fft_wrap_pw1pw2      start 282 Mb
00:000001>>      8      1 fft_wrap_pw1pw2_120      start 282 Mb
00:000001>>      9      2 fft3d_s      start 309 Mb
00:000001>>     10      2 get_fft_scratch      start 309 Mb
00:000001<<     10      2 get_fft_scratch      0.002 362 Mb
00:000001<<      9      2 fft3d_s      0.086 362 Mb
00:000001>>      9      1 pw_gather_s      start 362 Mb
00:000001<<      9      1 pw_gather_s      0.046 362 Mb
00:000001<<      8      1 fft_wrap_pw1pw2_120      0.145 335 Mb
00:000001<<      7      1 fft_wrap_pw1pw2      0.145 335 Mb
```

stack depth
(properly aligned)

call count

subroutine name

either 'start' at
entry of or a
number at exit,
which is the time

measure of the
process memory
used at the time
of timeset/
timestop.

Useful as debugging tool, but verbose (TRACE_MAX, TRACE_ROUTINES)

Performance: CP2K Benchmark Suite

H2O-64 AIMD; 28000 atoms iron-silicate MMMD; 216 atoms LiH-HFX
GAPW; 2048 H2O DFT-LS; H2O-64-RI-MP2

H2O-64-RI-MP2

Machine Name	Architecture	Date	Git Commit	Fastest time (s)	Configuration		Detailed results
HECToR	Cray XE6	13/01/2014	82b8204	141.633	49152 cores	8 OMP threads per MPI task	hector-h2o-64-ri-mp2
ARCHER	Cray XC30	09/01/2014	292a983	83.945	36864 cores	4 OMP threads per MPI task	archer-h2o-64-ri-mp2
Magnus	Cray XC40	04/11/2014	27eacee	63.891	24576 cores	6 OMP threads per MPI task	magnus-h2o-64-ri-mp2
Piz Daint	Cray XC30	12/05/2015	f439118	48.15	32768 cores	8 OMP threads per MPI task, no GPU	piz-daint-h2o-64-ri-mp2
Cirrus	SGI ICE XA	24/11/2016	989a92c	303.571	2016 cores	1 OMP thread per MPI task	cirrus-h2o-64-ri-mp2
Noctua	Cray CS500	25/09/2019	9f58d81	82.571	10240 cores	2 OMP thread per MPI task	noctua-h2o-64-ri-mp2

High-Performance Computing

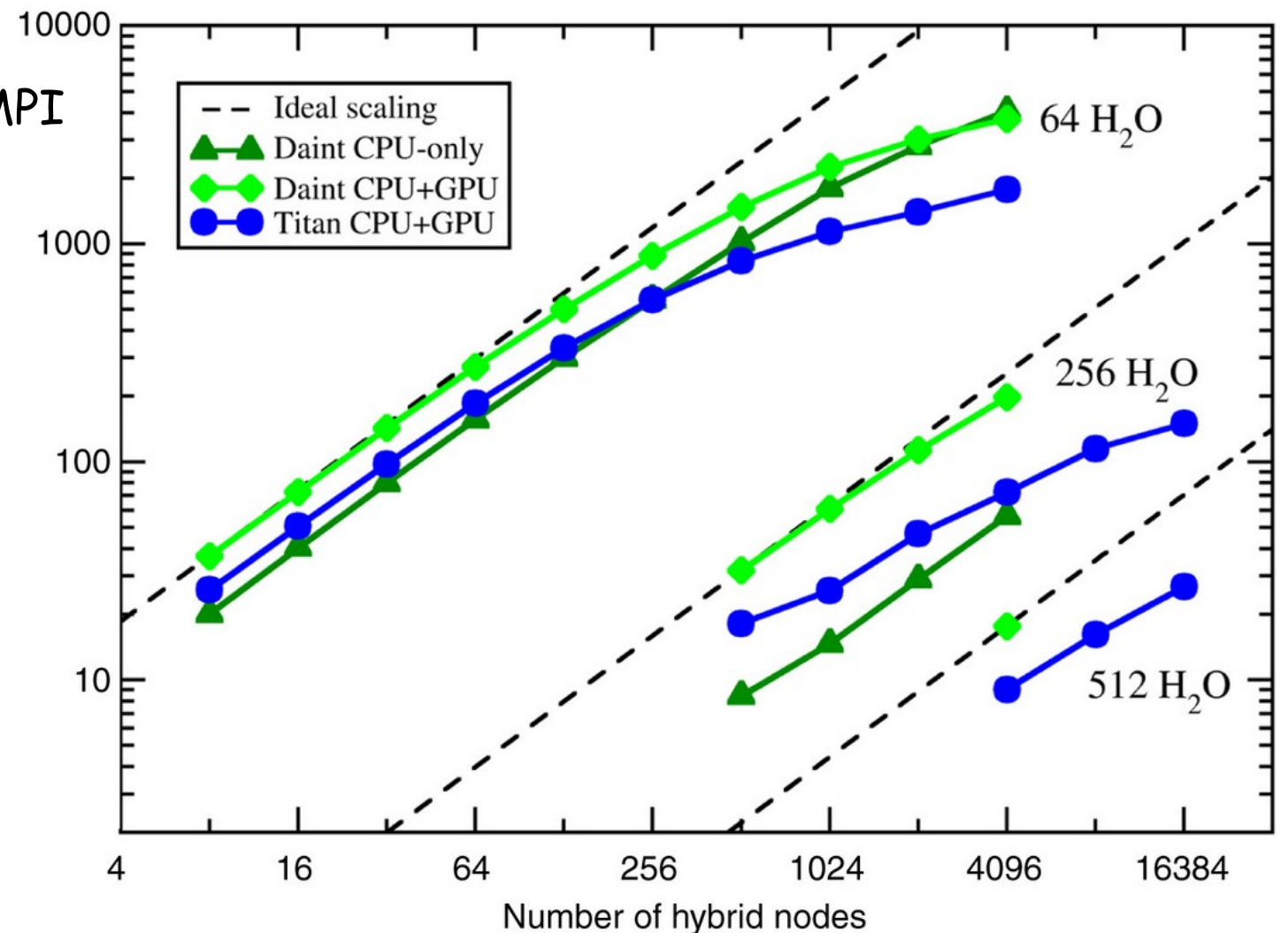
Massive Parallelization:

- Coarsened grain distributed memory using MPI
- Fine grain shared memory using OpenMP
- Accelerator code for Nvidia/AMD/Intel

High-Performance Libraries:

- DBCSR
- Tensor DBCSR - sparse tensor contraction
- COSMA full matrix multiplication
- Grid library: collocate/integrate Gaussian on grids

RPA



COSMA

Communication-Optimal
Matrix-Multiplication



GPU Support


Library	Status	Accelerates	Backends	NGC Container
DBCSP	Ready	LS-SCF	CUDA, HIP, OpenCL	Included
DBM	Ready	GW and RI methods	CUDA, HIP	-
grid	Ready	GPW	CUDA, HIP	Included
pw	Ready	SCCS	CUDA, HIP	Included
COSMA	Ready	RPA	CUDA, HIP	Included
SPLA	Ready	MP2	CUDA, HIP	-
SIRIUS	Ready	PW DFT	CUDA, HIP	Included
ELPA	Ready (kinda)	Diagonalization	CUDA	-
DLA-Future	In progress	Diagonalization	CUDA	-
SpFFT	In progress	GPW, SCCS	CUDA, HIP	-
Two-electron integrals	In progress	HFX	-	-
GEEP	Planned	QM/MM	-	-
libxc	Planned	GPW	-	-
One-electron integrals	Planned	GPW	-	-

The Manual



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Development 

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Quick Links:

CP2K_INPUT

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FARMING
EXT_RESTART
VIBRATIONAL_ANALYSIS

MOTION

MD
MC
GEO_OPT
CELL_OPT
BAND
PRINT

FORCE_EVAL

MM
EIP
QMMM
MIXED
SUBSYS
PROPERTIES

DFT

QS
SCF
LS_SCF
KPOINTS
PRINT
XC / WF_CORRELATION

Misc...

Units
References

Documents every possible CP2K input keyword
Mostly with helpful descriptions
`cp2k.sopt --html-manual`

Special Features

Interfaces: i-Pi, ASE, AiiDA, PyRetis, Travis, **PLUMED**, SIRIUS, PhonoPy, **OMEN**, GROMACS

Library: libcp2k

Farming: run many jobs in parallel

Atomic code: Pseudopotential generation

Automatic optimization of input parameters

Scripted input

Basis set optimization on molecules (MOLOPT)

Automatic numerical debugging of forces

CP2K+PLUMED

CP2K has an already built-in code for Free-energy calculations and Metadynamics

As alternative, the user can run free-energy calculations using PLUMED

PLUMED is already included in CP2K in version 2.7

CP2K uses PLUMED version 2.x

Download and install PLUMED

Modify CP2K arch file



<https://www.plumed.org>

```
include /path/to/your/plumed2.0/installation/lib/plumed/src/lib/Plumed.inc  
EXTERNAL_OBJECTS=$(PLUMED_STATIC_DEPENDENCIES)
```

`-D__PLUMED2` should be added to your DFLAGS and `-lz -ldl -lstdc++` to your LIBS variable

```
&METADYN  
  USE_PLUMED .TRUE.  
  PLUMED_INPUT_FILE ./filename.inp  
&END METADYN
```

CP2K + i-PI

i-pi is an interface for ab initio path integral MD

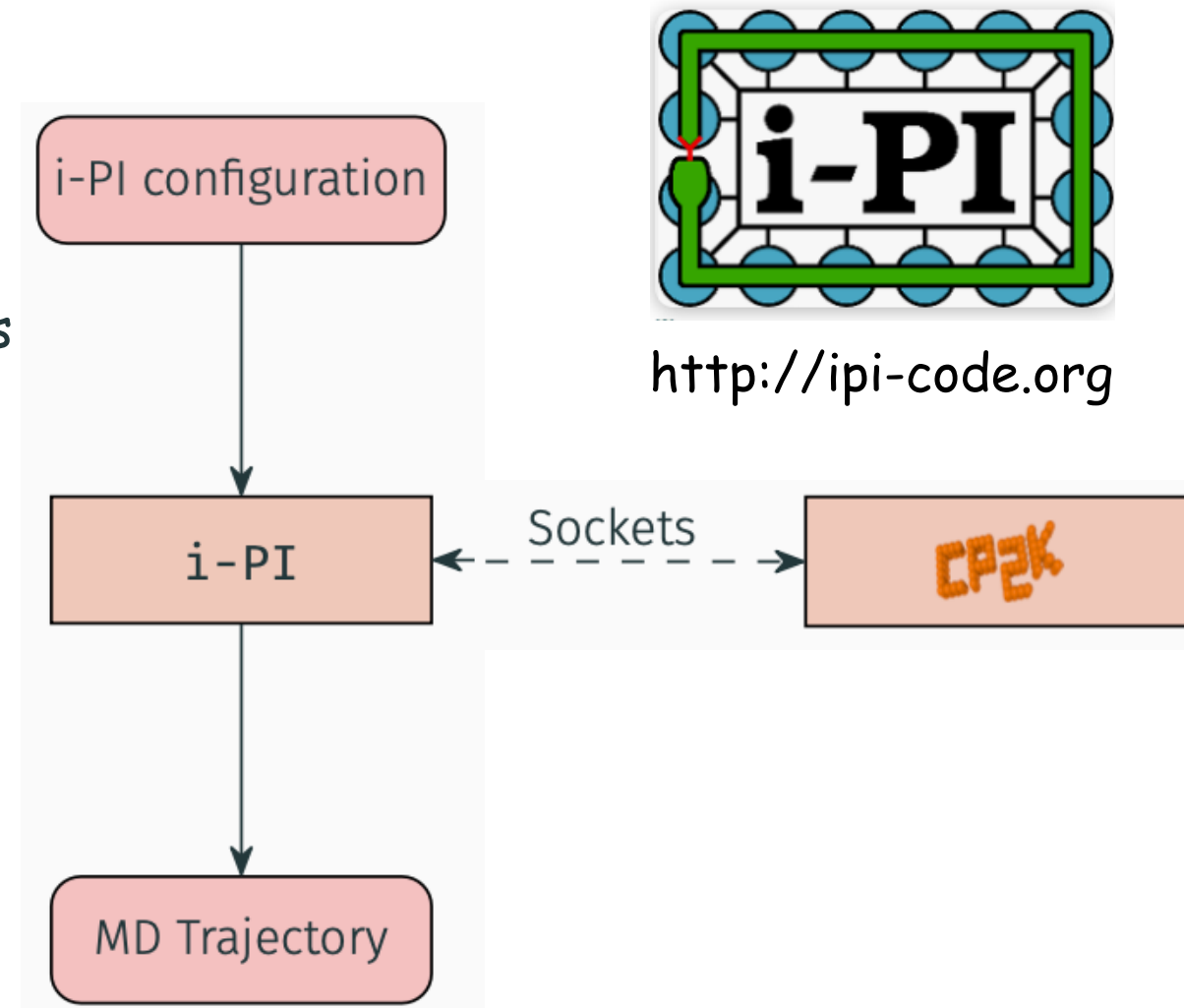
- ▶ Python based
- ▶ Focus on Path Integral Molecular Dynamics
- ▶ Communication with Force Engines via network sockets
- ▶ Many additional methods available

```
source ${PATH_TO_IPI}/env.sh
```

```
i-pi input.xml > log &
```

CP2K as the client code using an **internet/unix** domain socket on the host address "host_address" and on the port number "port" the following lines must be added to its input files:

```
&MOTION
...
  &DRIVER
    HOST host_address
    PORT port
  ...
&END DRIVER
...
&END MOTION
```



```
<ffsocket mode='unix' name='cp2k'>
  <address>host_address</address>
  <port>port</port>
  <latency>0.01</latency>
  <timeout>5000</timeout>
</ffsocket>
<system>
  <forces>
    <force forcefield='cp2k'>
      </force>
    </forces>
```

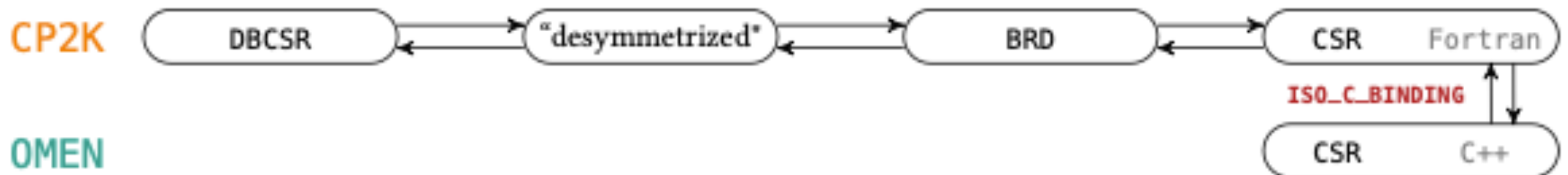

CP2K + OMEN

OMEN is a massively parallel, multi-dimensional, atomistic, and full-band simulation tool to treat **electron, hole and phonon transport** in bulk, quantum well, and nanowire structures
NEGF and **wave-function** formalisms to solve the SE under **open boundary conditions**

OMEN <https://github.com/saschabrueck/dft-transport>

Target **libcp2k**: it can be used as a library

```
> make -j N ARCH=Linux-x86-64-gfortran VERSION=popt libcp2k
```



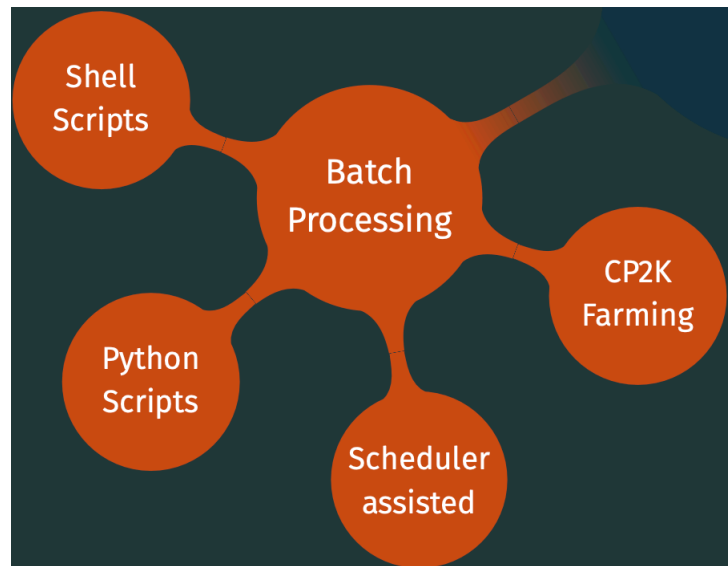
ISO C BINDING to call routines from C.

C function pointer passed to CP2K

OMEN takes S and H as input and outputs P

C pointer in SCF: calculation using S and H created from CP2K and P evaluated by OMEN

Run Automation: Farming



- ▶ Jobs are run inside the same CP2K process
- ▶ MPI gets initialized once reducing startup time
- ▶ Useful for many small jobs

```
&GLOBAL
```

```
PROJECT OldMacDonald
```

```
PROGRAM FARMING
```

```
RUN_TYPE NONE
```

```
&END GLOBAL
```

```
&FARMING
```

```
NGROUPS 2 ! number of parallel jobs
```

```
MASTER_SLAVE ! for load balancing
```

```
GROUP_SIZE 42 ! number of processors per group, default: 8
```

```
&JOB
```

```
JOB_ID 1 ! optional, required for dependencies
```

```
DIRECTORY dir-1
```

```
INPUT_FILE_NAME water.inp
```

```
OUTPUT_FILE_NAME water.out
```

```
&END JOB
```

```
&JOB
```

```
DEPENDENCIES 1
```

```
DIRECTORY dir-2
```

```
INPUT_FILE_NAME water.inp
```

```
OUTPUT_FILE_NAME more_water.out
```

```
&END JOB
```

```
[...]
```

```
&END FARMING
```

Workflows: AiiDA

- Python-based
- Strong focus on Data Provenance
- Database backend (PostgreSQL) + File Repository
- Advanced workflow engine on top of Python
- Plugin architecture:
 - CP2K Plugin
 - Gaussian Basis Set and Pseudopotential Plugin
 - more in the AiiDA Plugin Registry

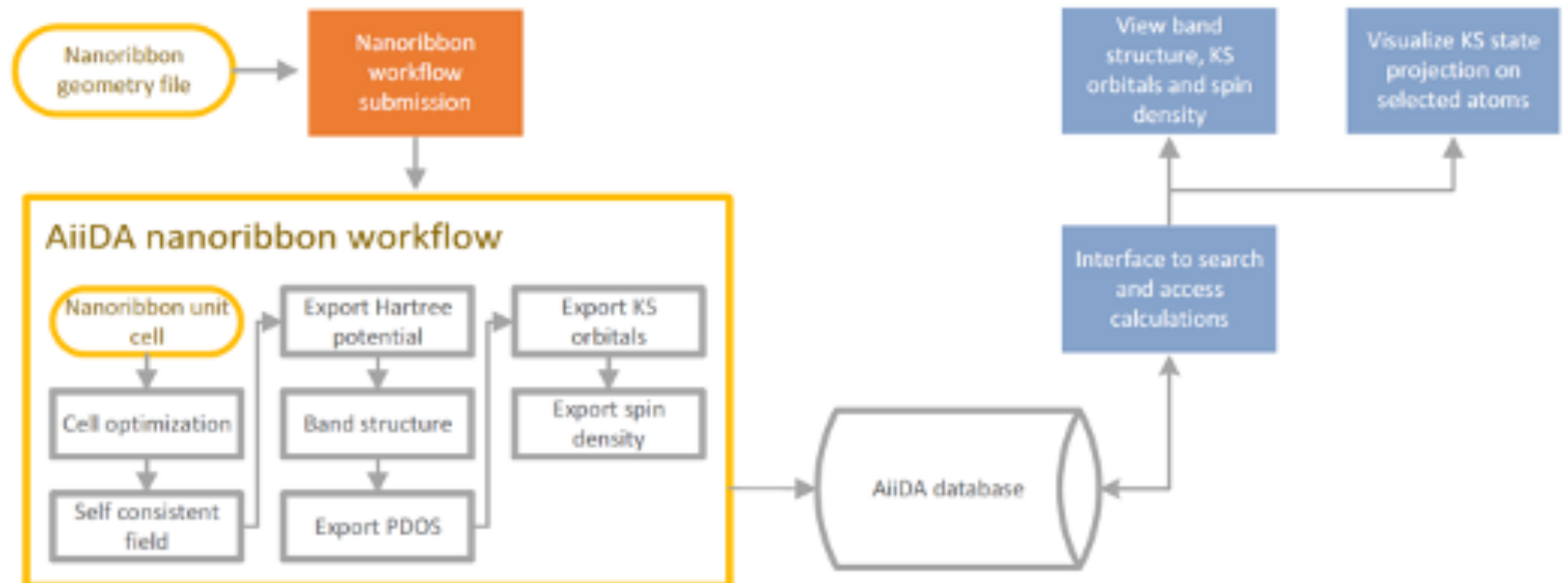
Jupyter Notebook integration

Integration with the MaterialsCloud Open Science platform



- can be run on a web platform & without computational or coding expertise
- perform HPC calculations automatically
- straightforward to develop (Python), share & publish (App Store)

Nanoribbons app
nanotech@surface
EMPA



CP2K Developers

<https://www.cp2k.org>Exercises,LectureSlides
<https://manual.cp2k.org>InputFilereference
<CP2K-SOURCE>/tests MinimalWorkingExamples
<https://groups.google.com/group/cp2k> Google Group/Forum
<https://github.com/cp2k/cp2k/issues>IssueTracker
<https://github.com/orgs/cp2k/teams/cp2k-developers>Discussions, meetings

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