

A CPU/GPU Linear Scaling Three Dimensional Fragment Method for Large Scale Electronic Structure Calculations on Titan Supercomputer

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Motivation

LS3DF Algorithm

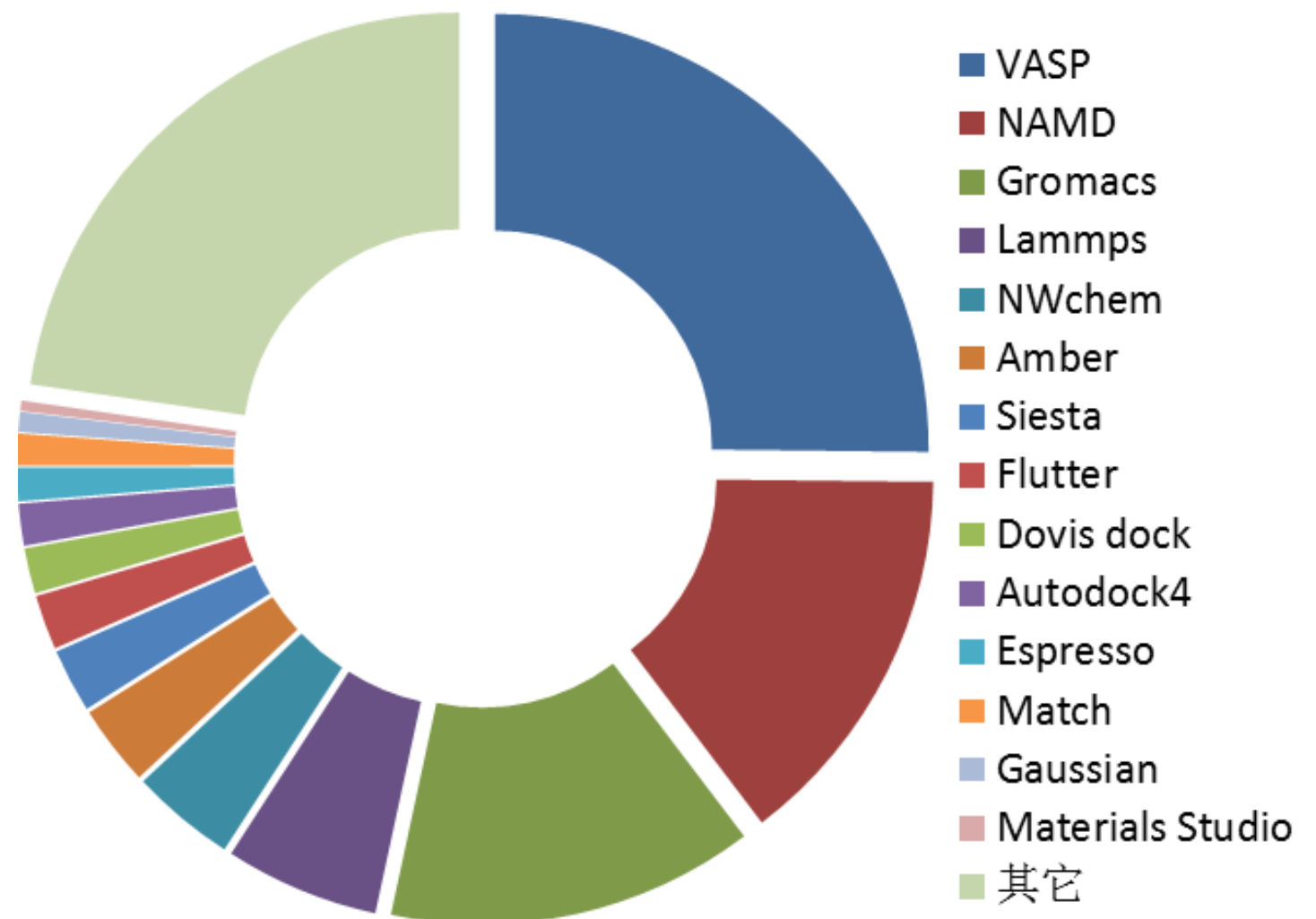
One Fragment on GPU

Testing results

Future work

Software in Supercomputing center of CAS

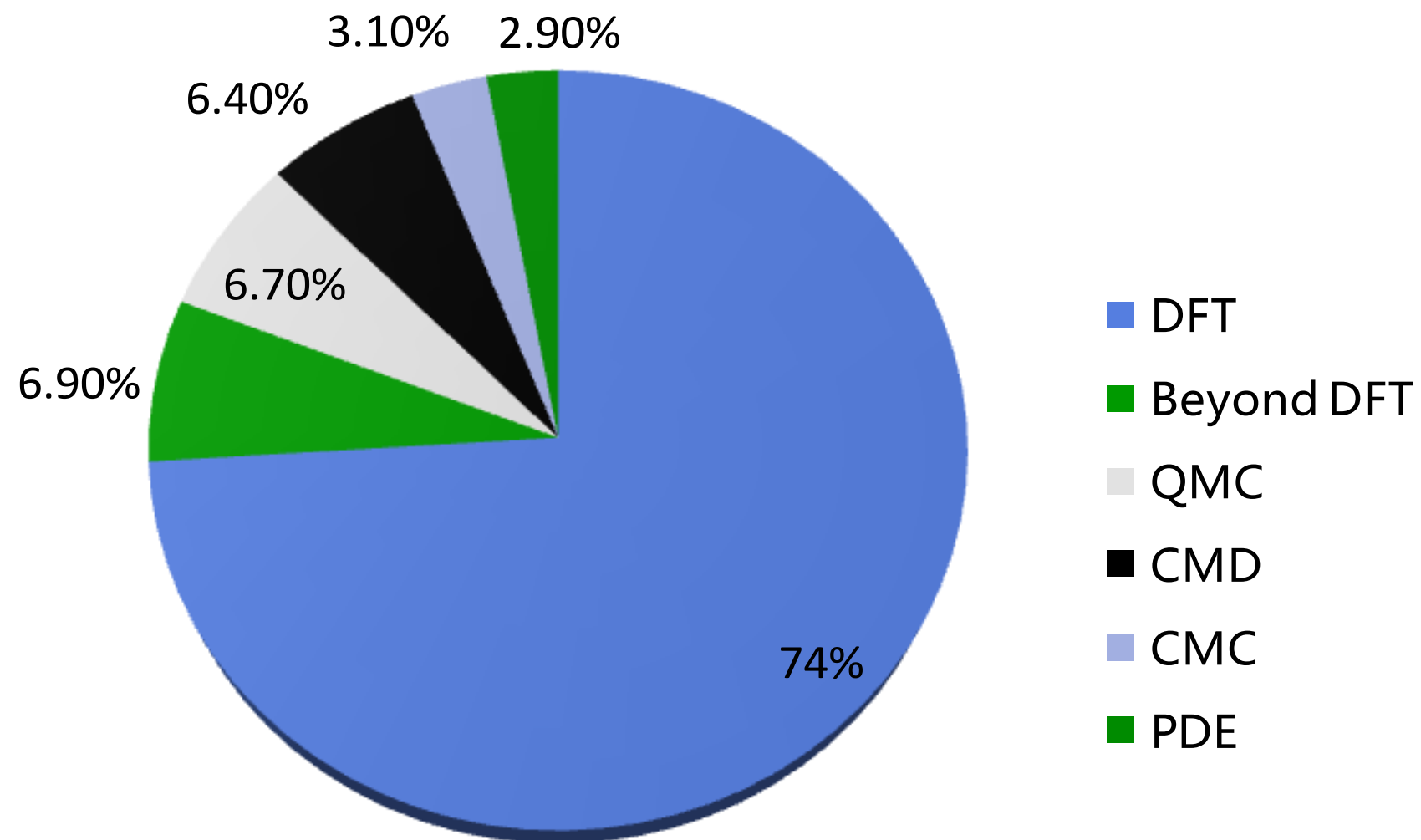
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VASP	First principle, commercial	65	25.2%
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NWchem	Frist principle, open source	17	3.9%
Amber	MD, Commercial	18	3.0%
Siesta	Material simu, open source	6	2.4%
Flutter	Force simulation	1	2.0%
Dovis dock	Medicine	1	1.7%
Autodock4	Molecular simulation, open source	2	1.6%
Espresso	DFT, open source	12	1.2%
Match	User developed code	1	1.2%
Gaussian	First principle, commercial	59	0.7%
Materials Studio	First principle, commercial	15	0.4%



First principle: 31%

DFT in NERSC community

A survey of computational material science algorithm in NERSC community (2007)



DFT on Titan

18,688 nodes

16-core AMD Opteron 6274 CPU

1 Nvidia Tesla K20X GPU -

1.31Tflops

Peak Performance 27 Pflops

GPU contributes 24Pflop

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Running CPU application only use 12% of the Titan computing power.



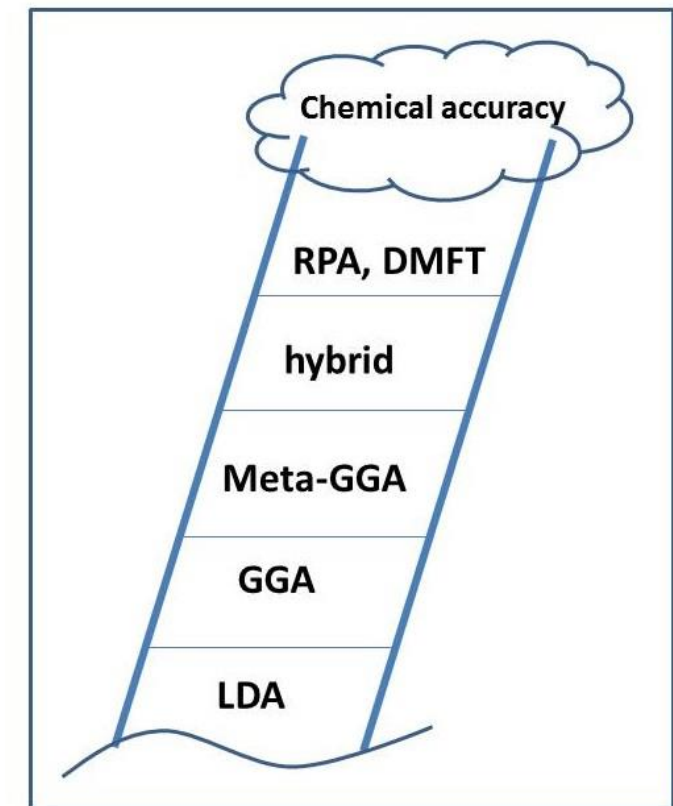
Three main challenges for ab initio material simulations

(1) Accuracy

(climb Jacob's ladder)

(2) Temporal scale (from fs to seconds)

(new algorithms, like the accelerated MD)



(3) Size scale (mesoscale problems)

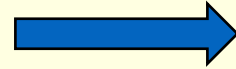
(Divide & Conquer methods)

All can be helped by exascale computing

L.W. Wang, Divide and conquer quantum mechanical material Simulations with exascale supercomputers, Nat. Sci. Rev. 2014.

What is LS3DF?

divide-and-conquer method

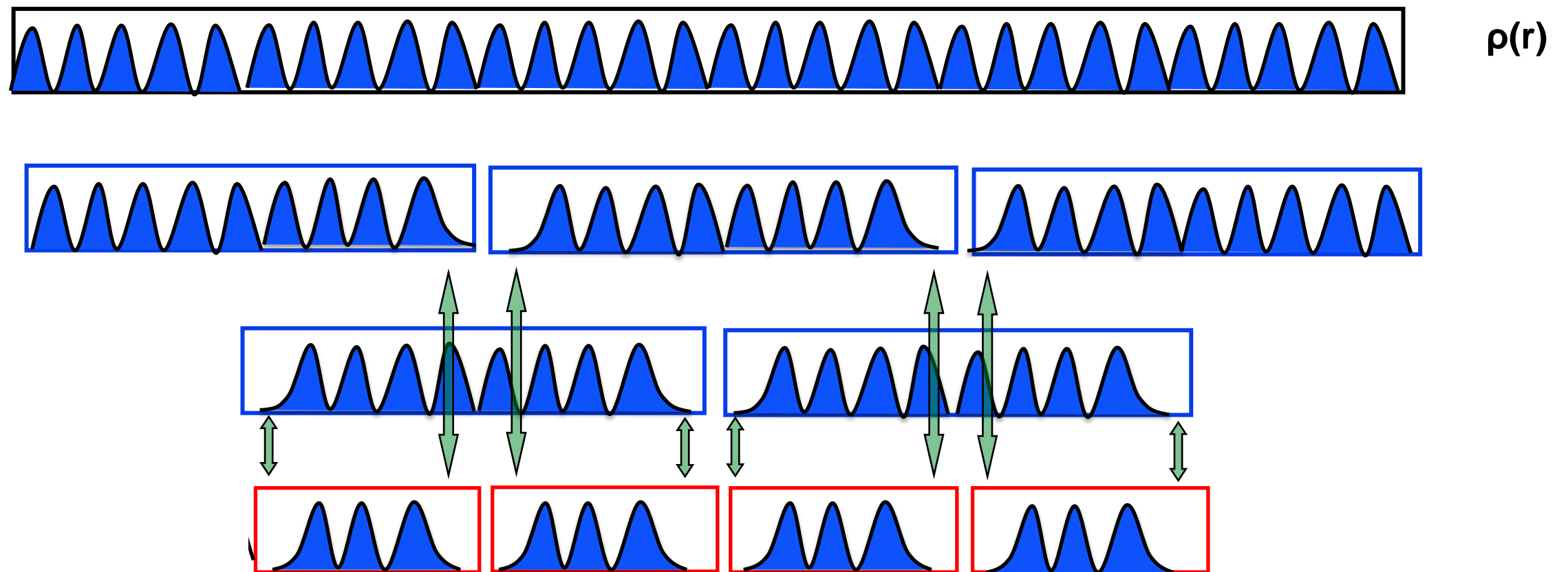


$O(N)$ scaling

Massively parallelizable

- A novel divide and conquer scheme with a new approach for patching the fragments together
- No spatial partition functions needed
- Uses overlapping positive and negative fragments
- New approach minimizes artificial boundary effects

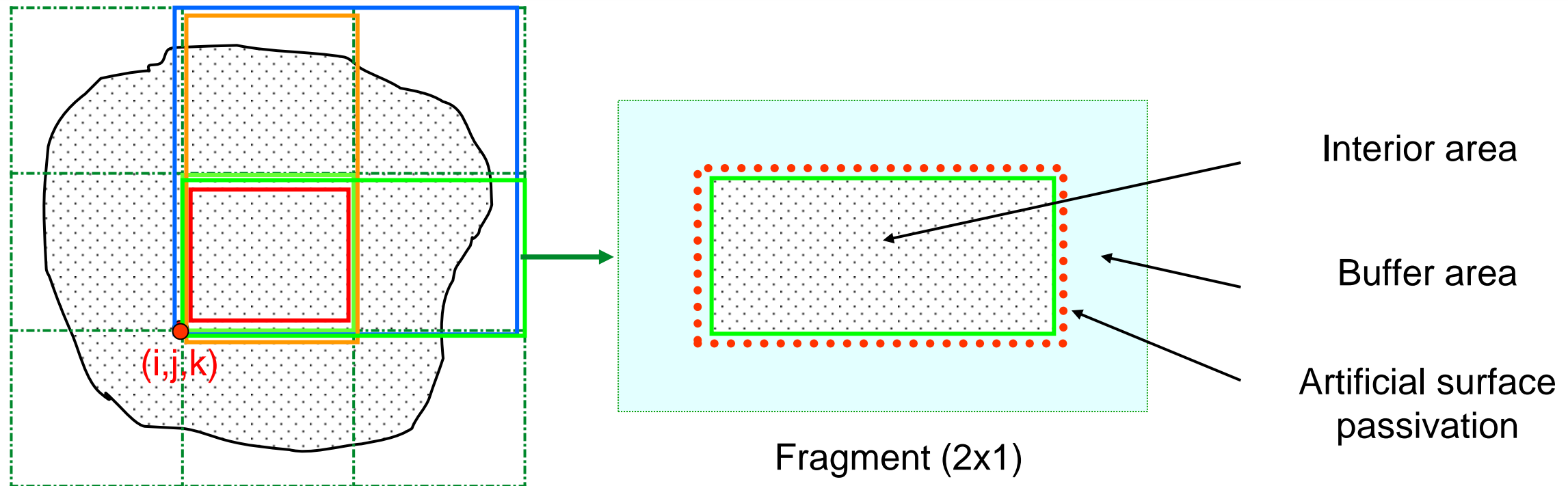
LS3DF: 1D



$$\text{Total} = \sum_F \left\{ \boxed{}_F - \boxed{}_F \right\}$$

Phys. Rev. B 77, 165113 (2008); J. Phys: Cond. Matt. 20, 294203 (2008)

LS3DF in 2D and 3D

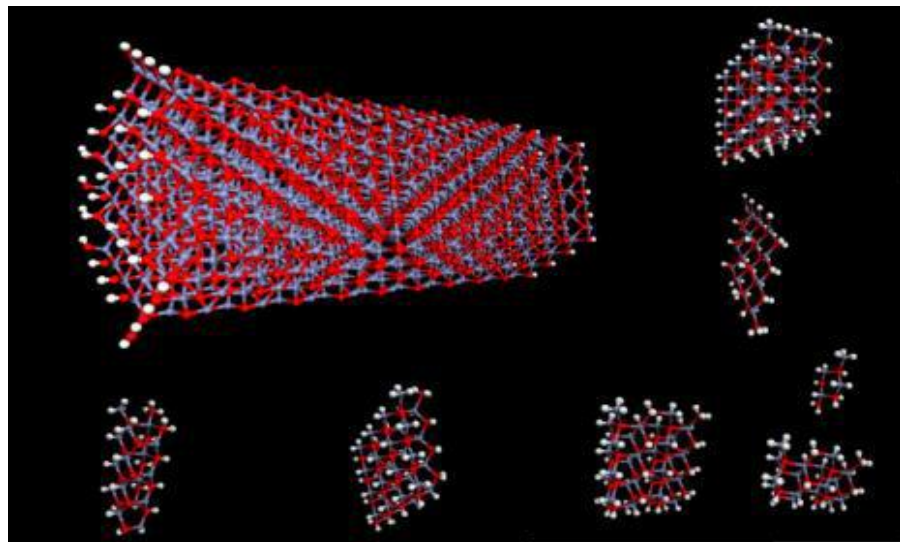
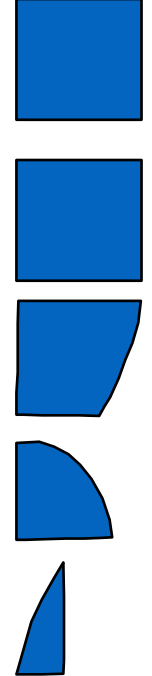
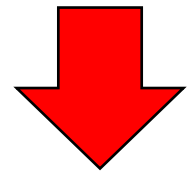
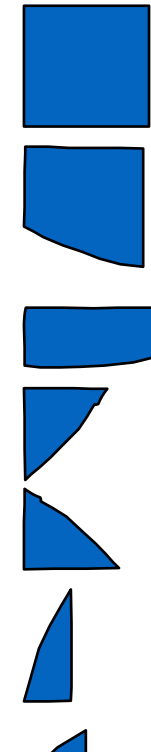
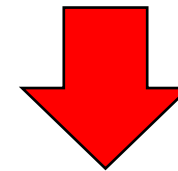
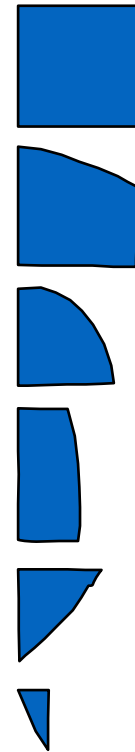
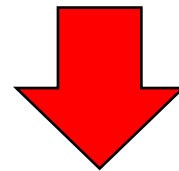
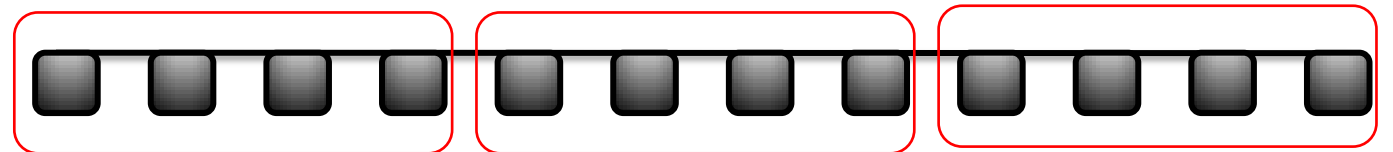
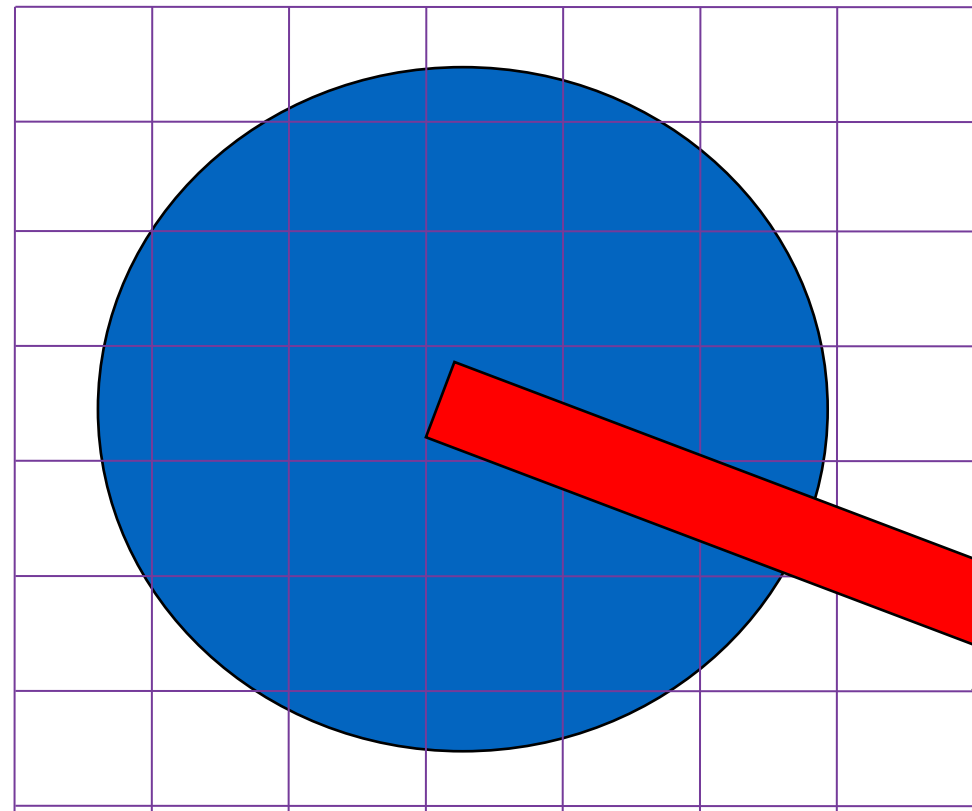


$$\text{Total} = \sum_F \left\{ \begin{array}{c} \text{Blue box} \\ \text{Orange box} \\ \text{Green box} \\ \text{Red box} \end{array} \right\}_F$$

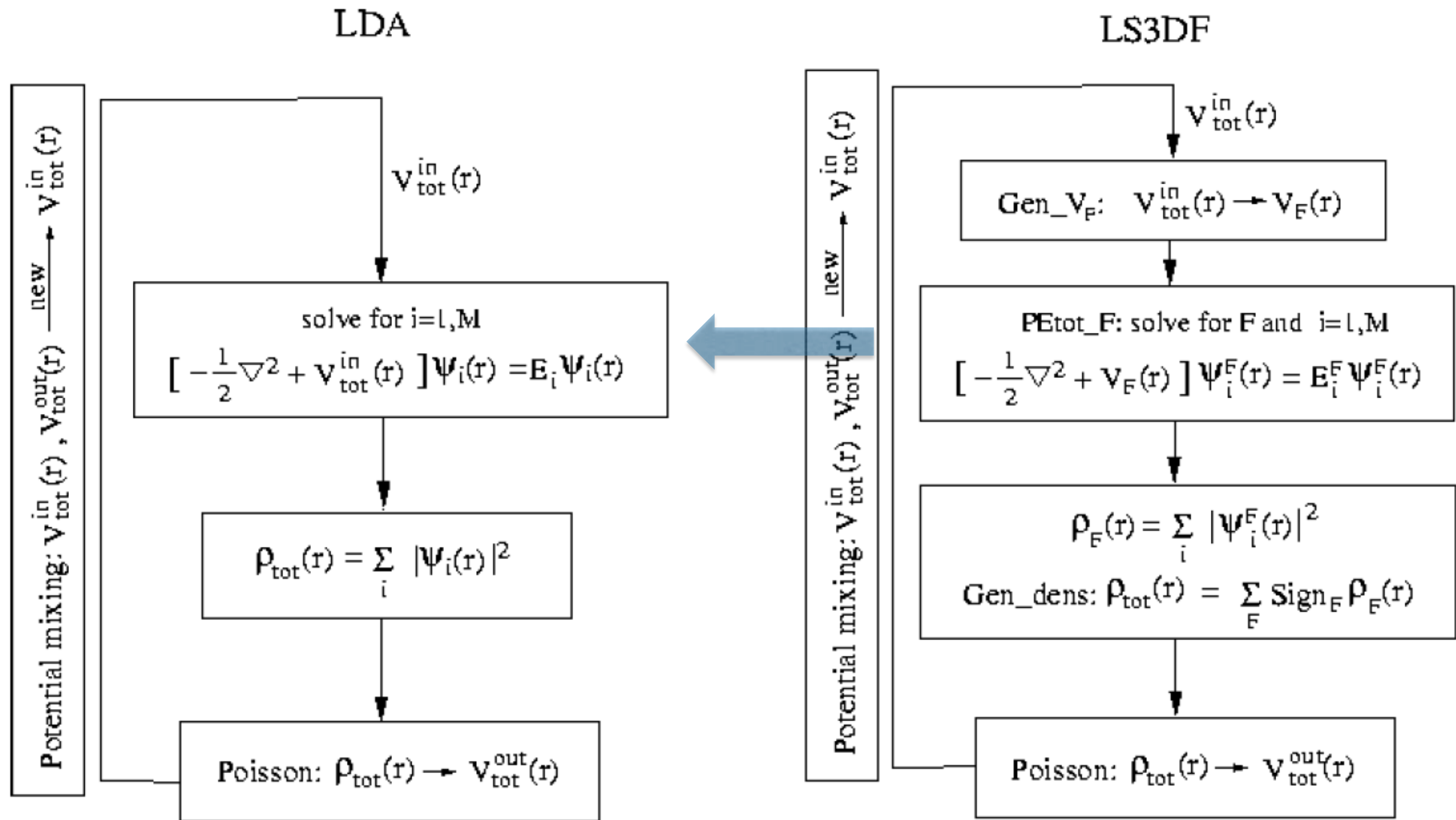
Boundary effects are (nearly) cancelled out between the fragments

$$\text{System} = \sum_{i,j,k} \{F_{222} + F_{211} + F_{121} + F_{112} - F_{221} - F_{212} - F_{122} - F_{111}\}$$

Schematics for LS3DF calculation

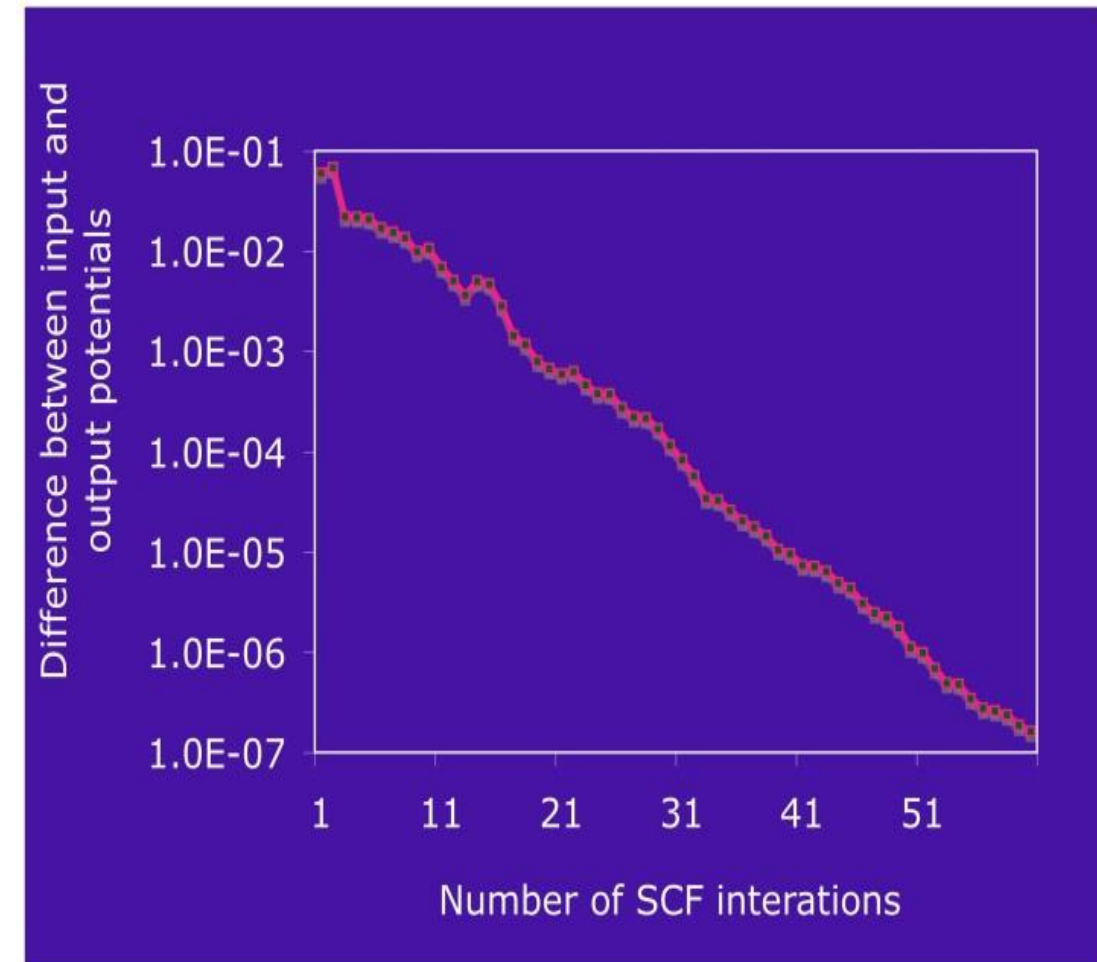
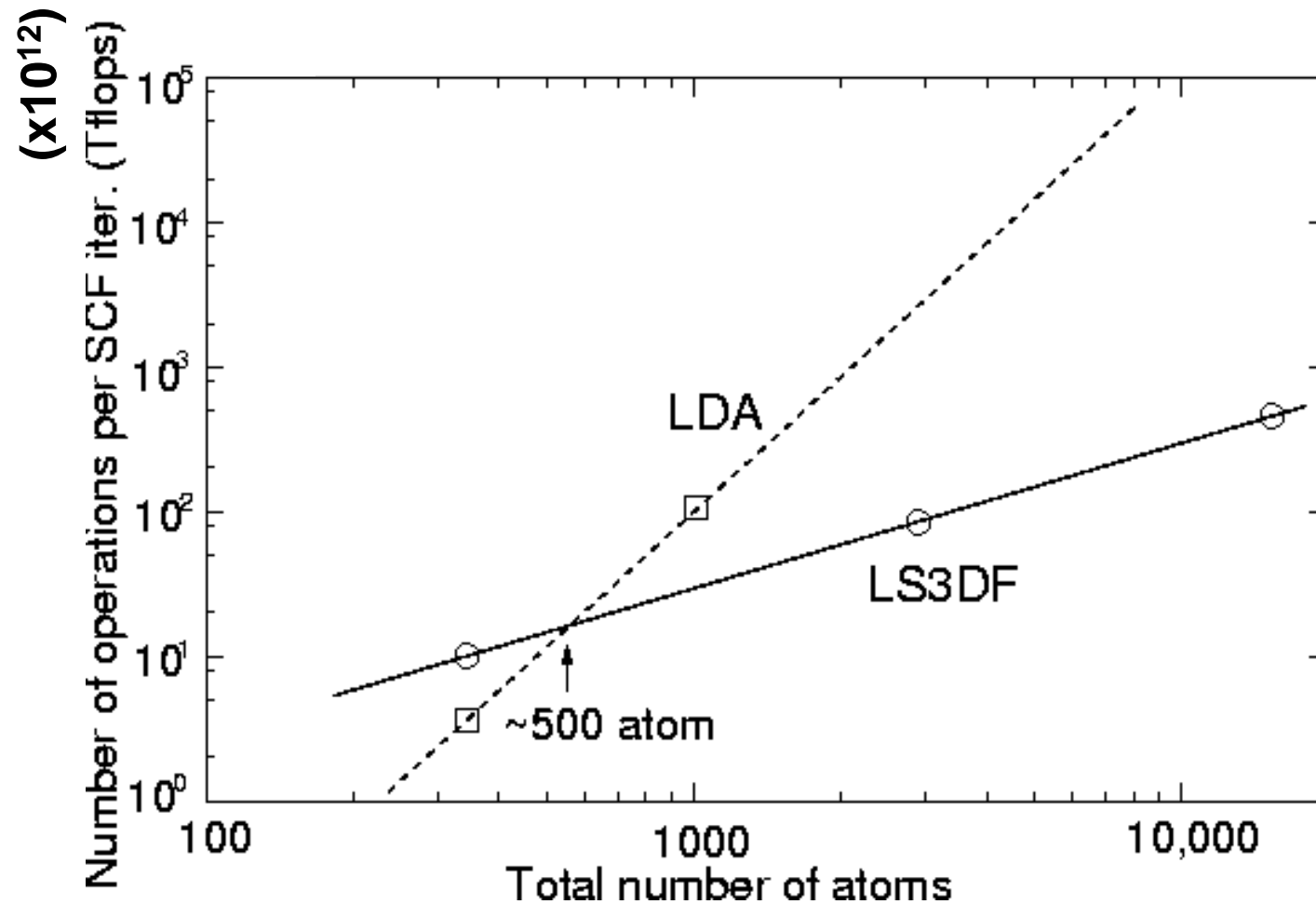


Flow chart of LS3DF



Based on the plane wave PEtot code: <http://hpcrd.lbl.gov/~linwang/PEtot/PEtot.html>

Operation counts and convergence



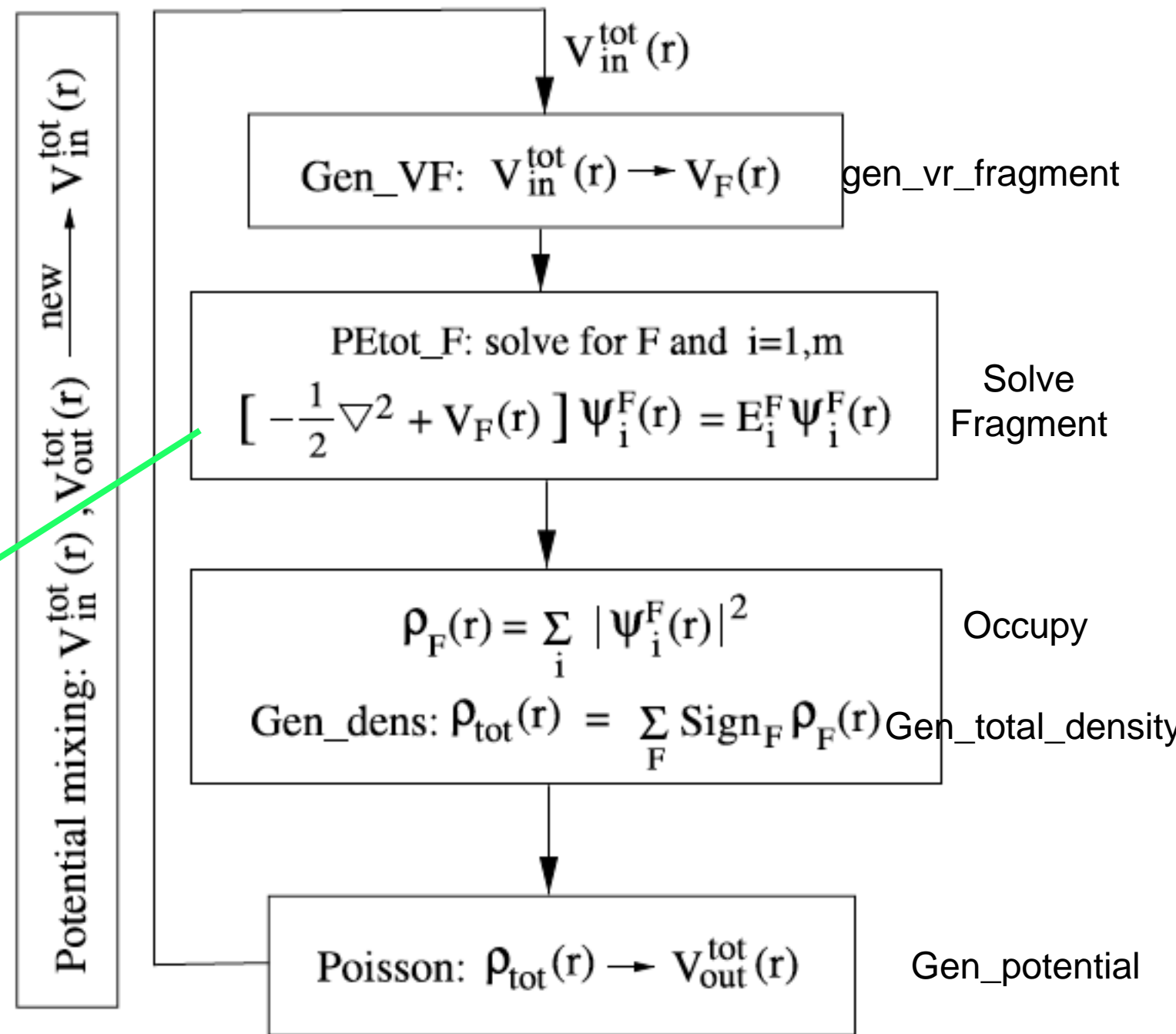
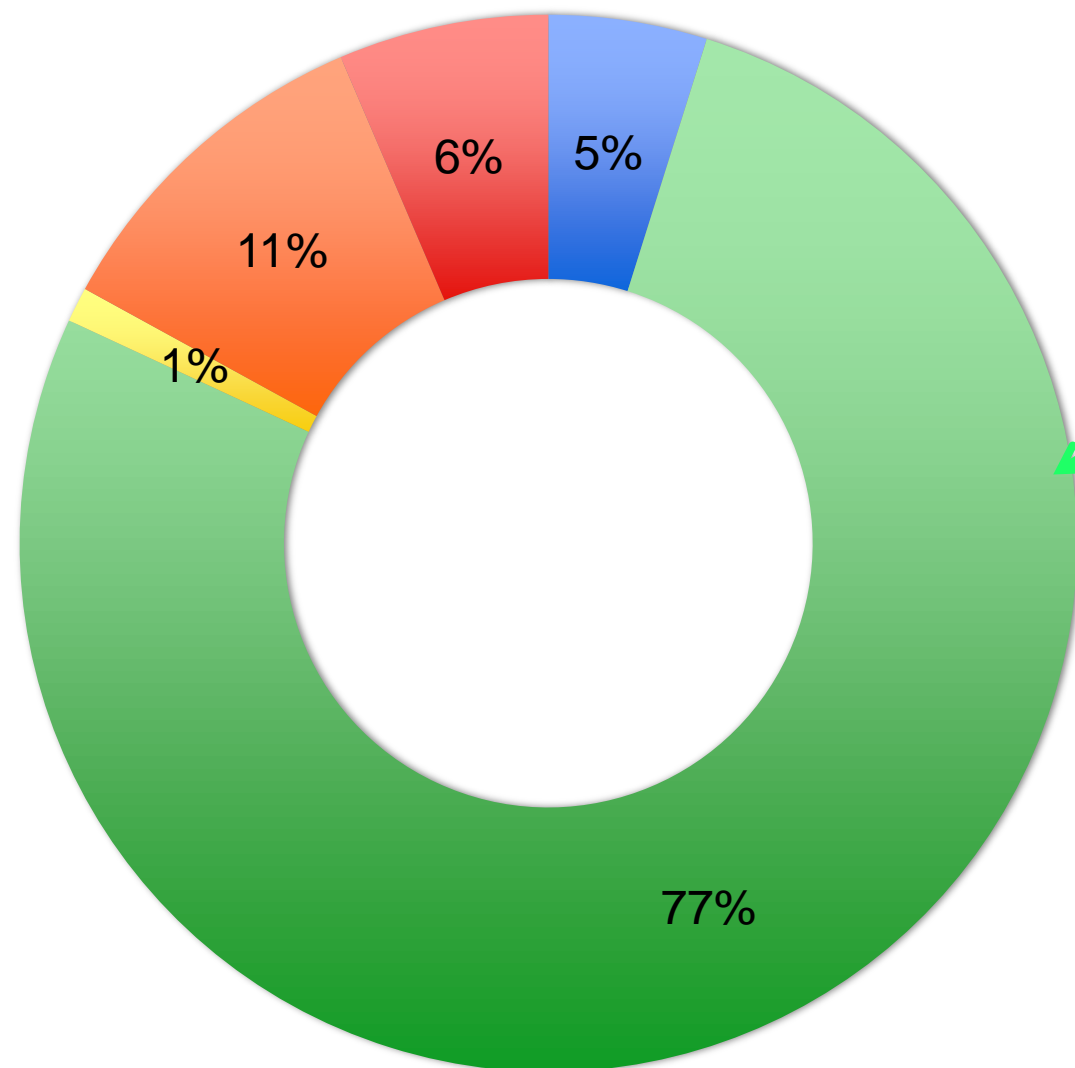
- ❖ Cross over with direct LDA method [PEtot] is 500 atoms.
- ❖ Similar to other $O(N)$ methods.

**Convergence of the LS3DF code –el
ectronic structure SCF**

CPU profiling

LS3DF CPU profiling

gen_vr_fragment solve Fragment occupy
gen_total_density gen_potential



One Fragment on GPU

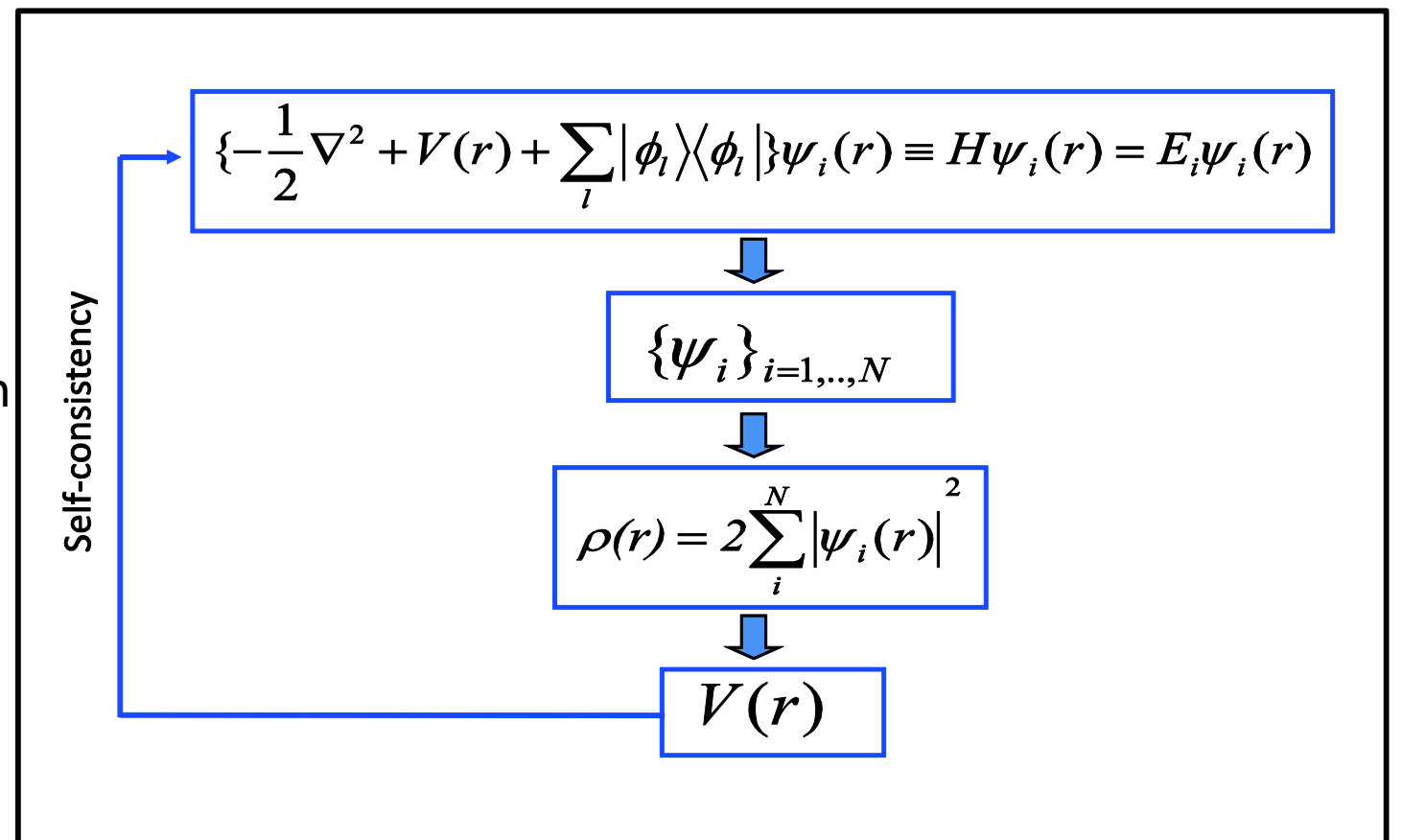
DFT algorithm

$$\left[-\frac{1}{2}\nabla^2 + V_{tot}(r)\right]y_i(r) = e_i y_i(r)$$

- If the size of the system is N :
- N coefficients to describe one wavefunction

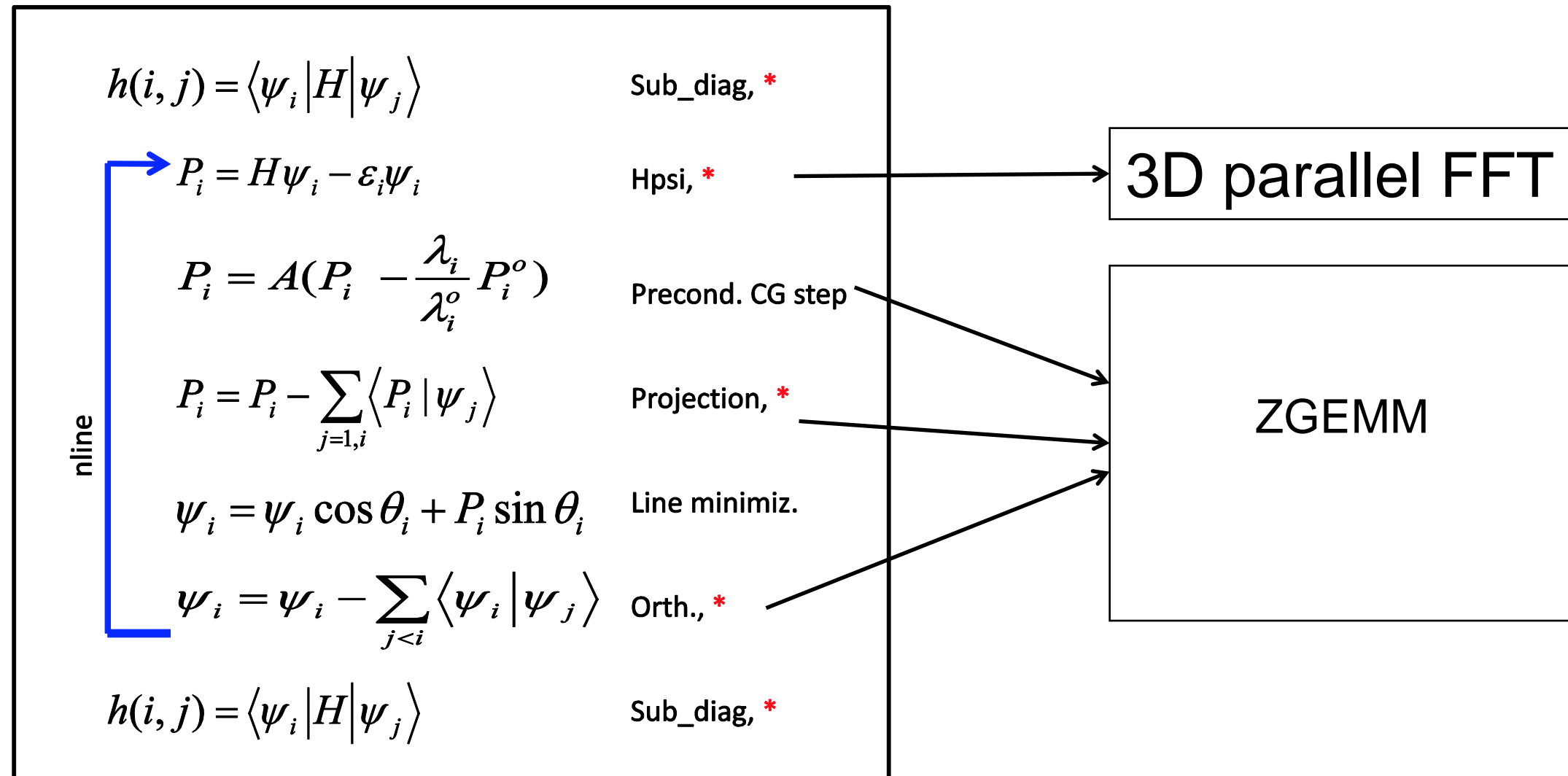
$$Hy_i = e_i y_i$$

SCF : Self-consistent field



The flow chart of a DFT calculation. The DFT formula (e.g., local density approximation) is used to calculate $V(r)$ from $\rho(r)$. There are N electron wave functions ψ_i , where $2N$ is the number of total valence electrons in the system.

DFT algorithm

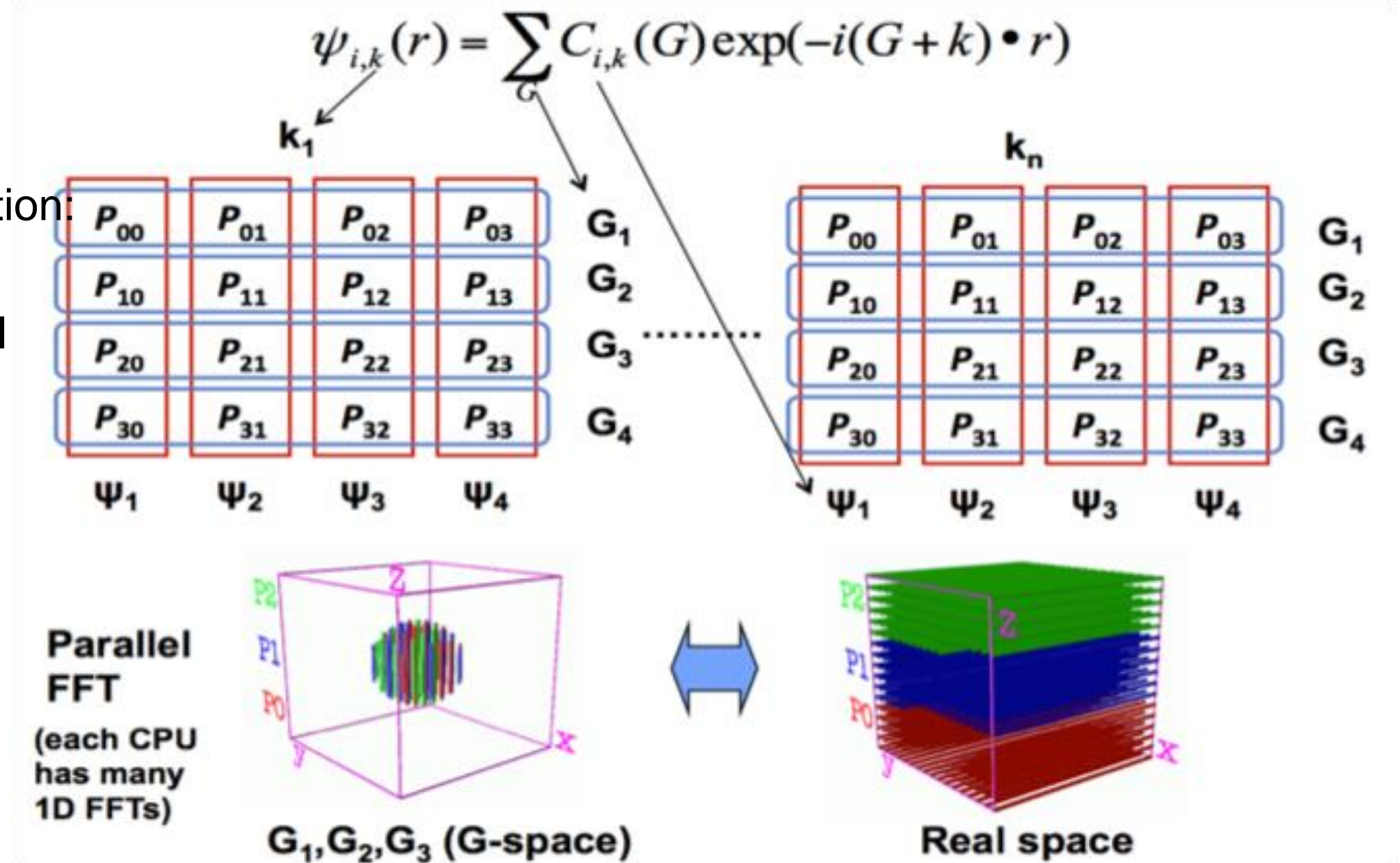


The all-band CG (AB-CG) method for $H\Psi_i = \epsilon_i \Psi_i$. The time consuming steps are indicated by the asterisk sign. The other parts will be called collectively as the Fortran-do-loops.

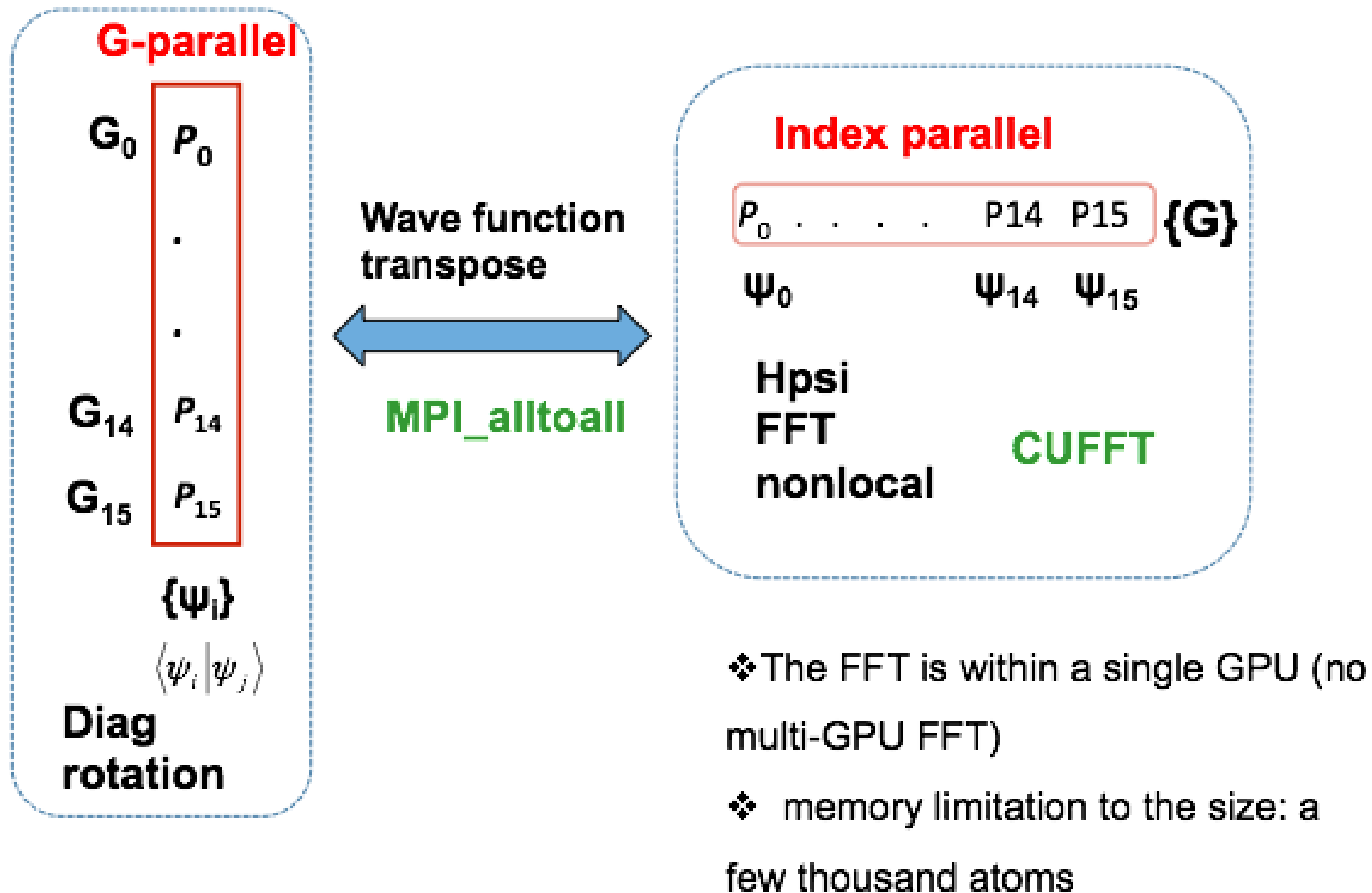
CPU parallelization

3-levels of parallelization:

- K-point parallel
- Band-index parallel
- G-space parallel



Hybrid GPU parallelization

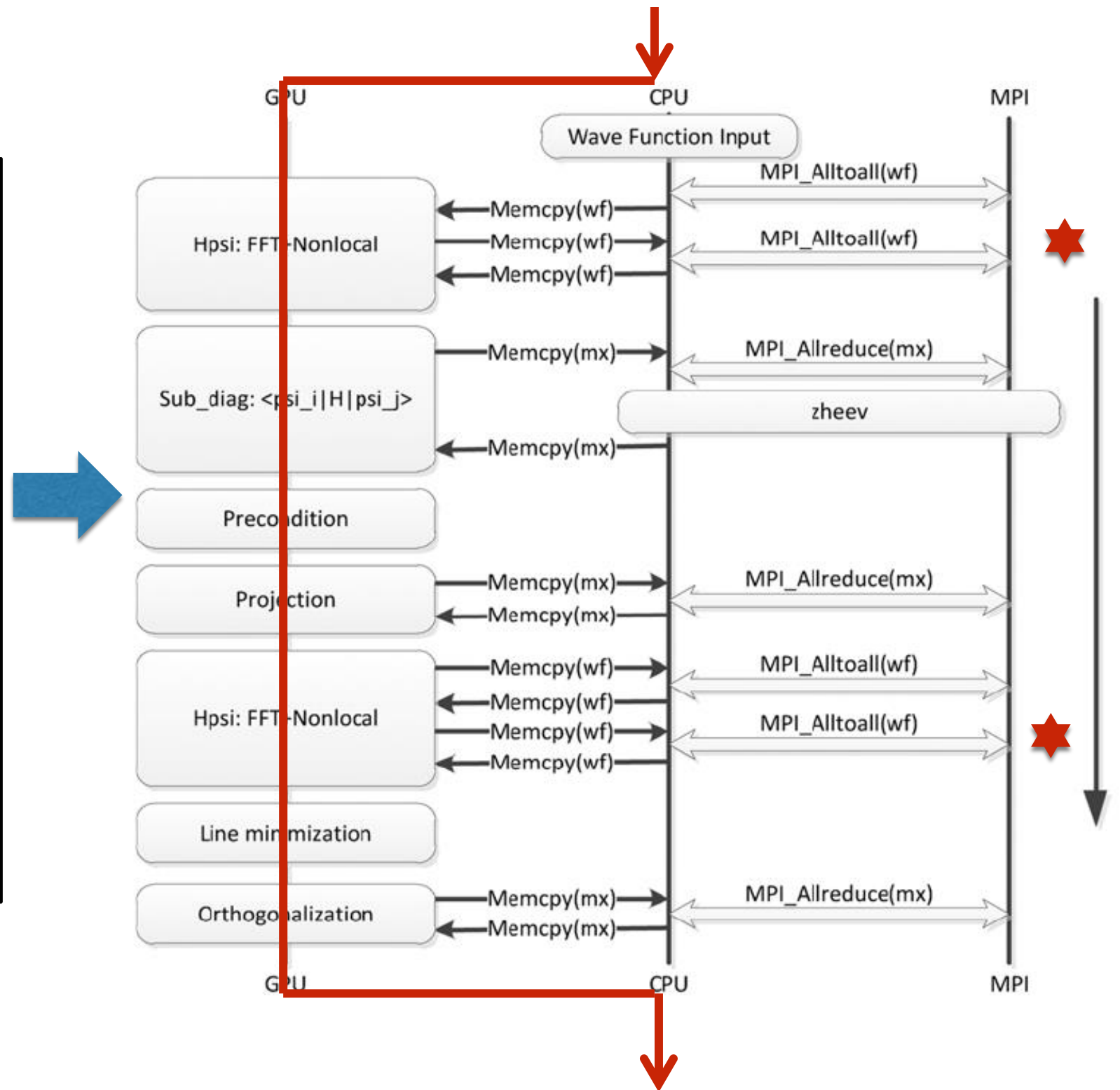
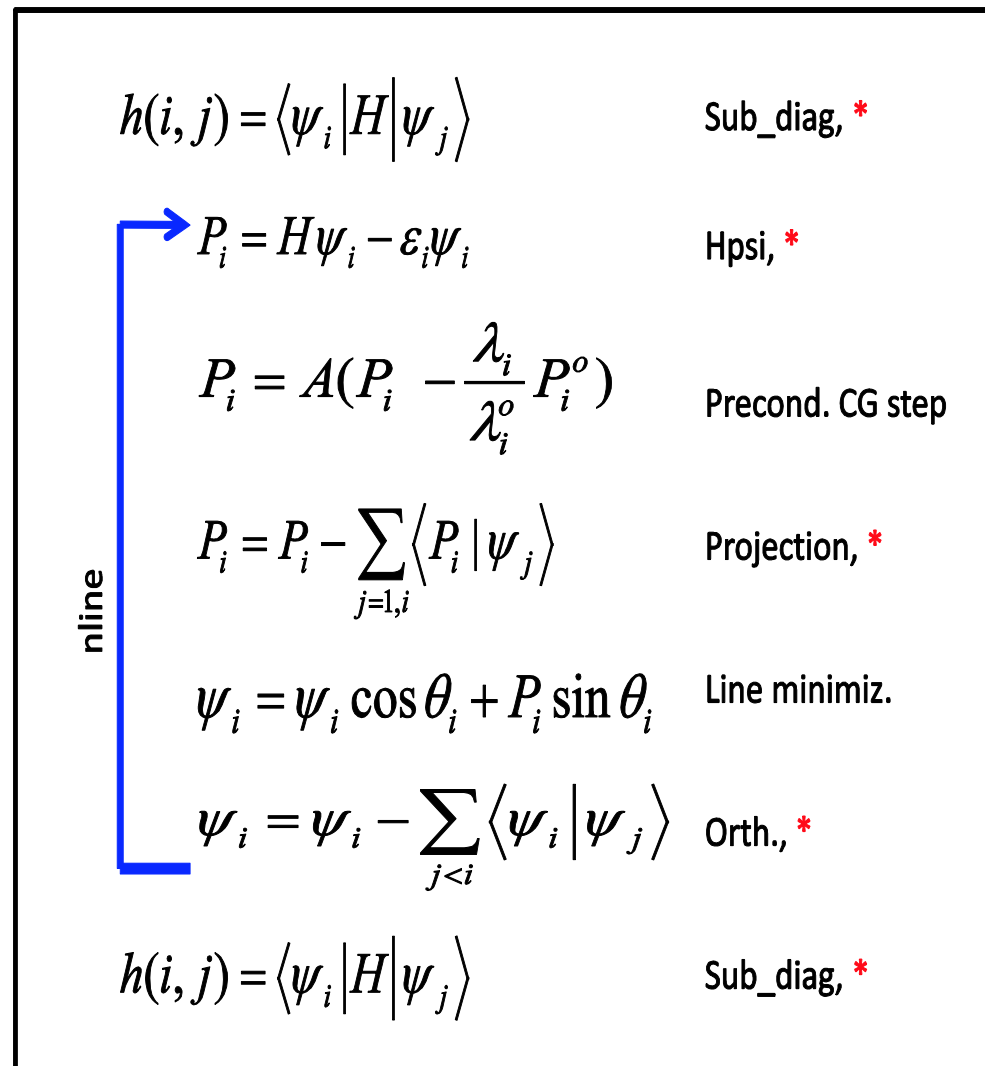


For GPU:

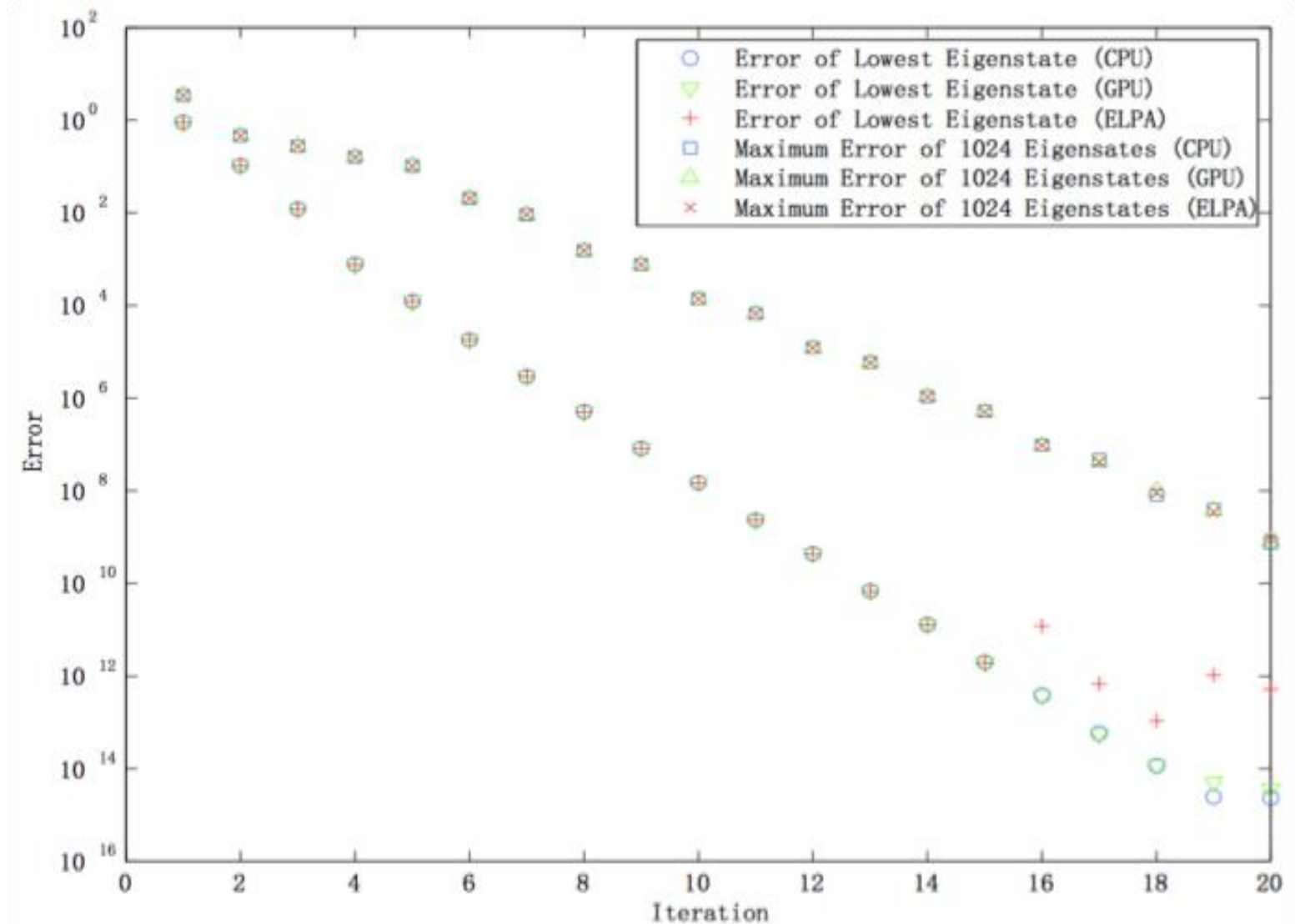
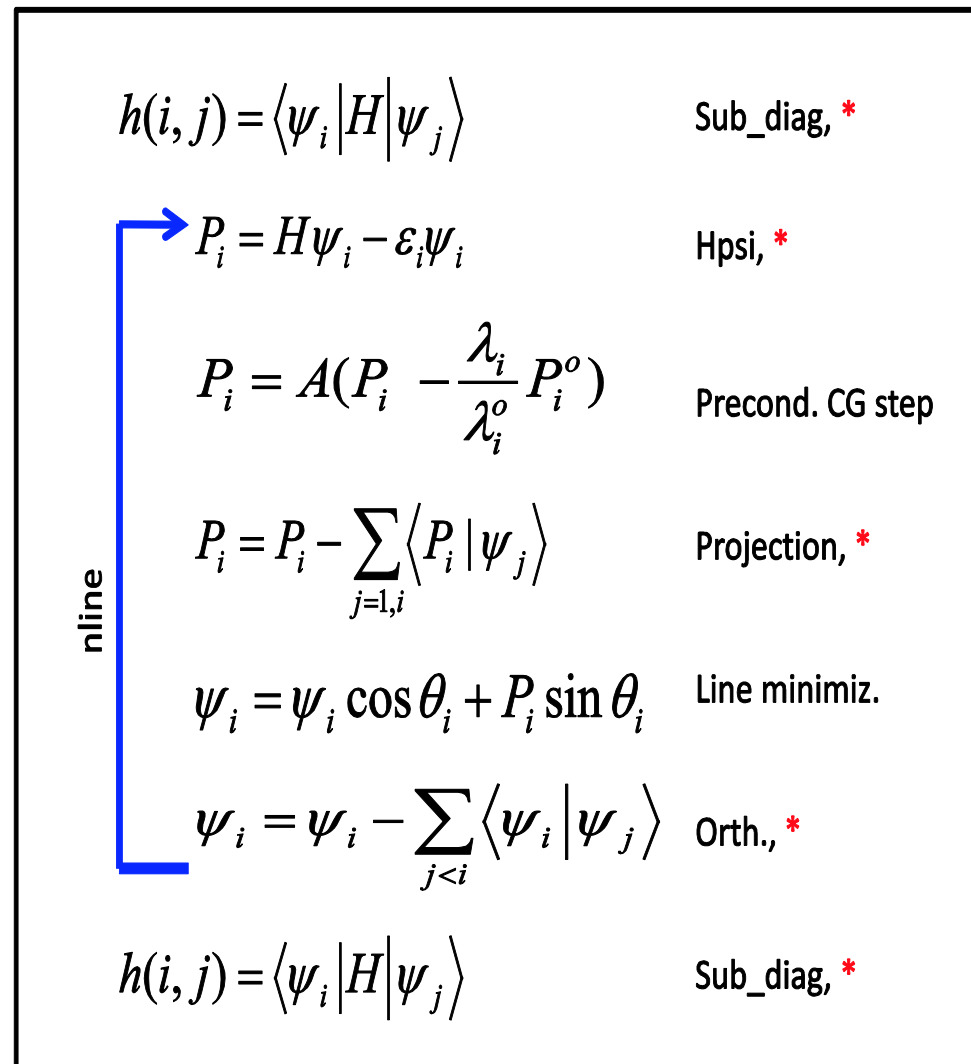
Original parallelization are too fragmented for FFT

Too much communication

Memory copy between CPU-GPU



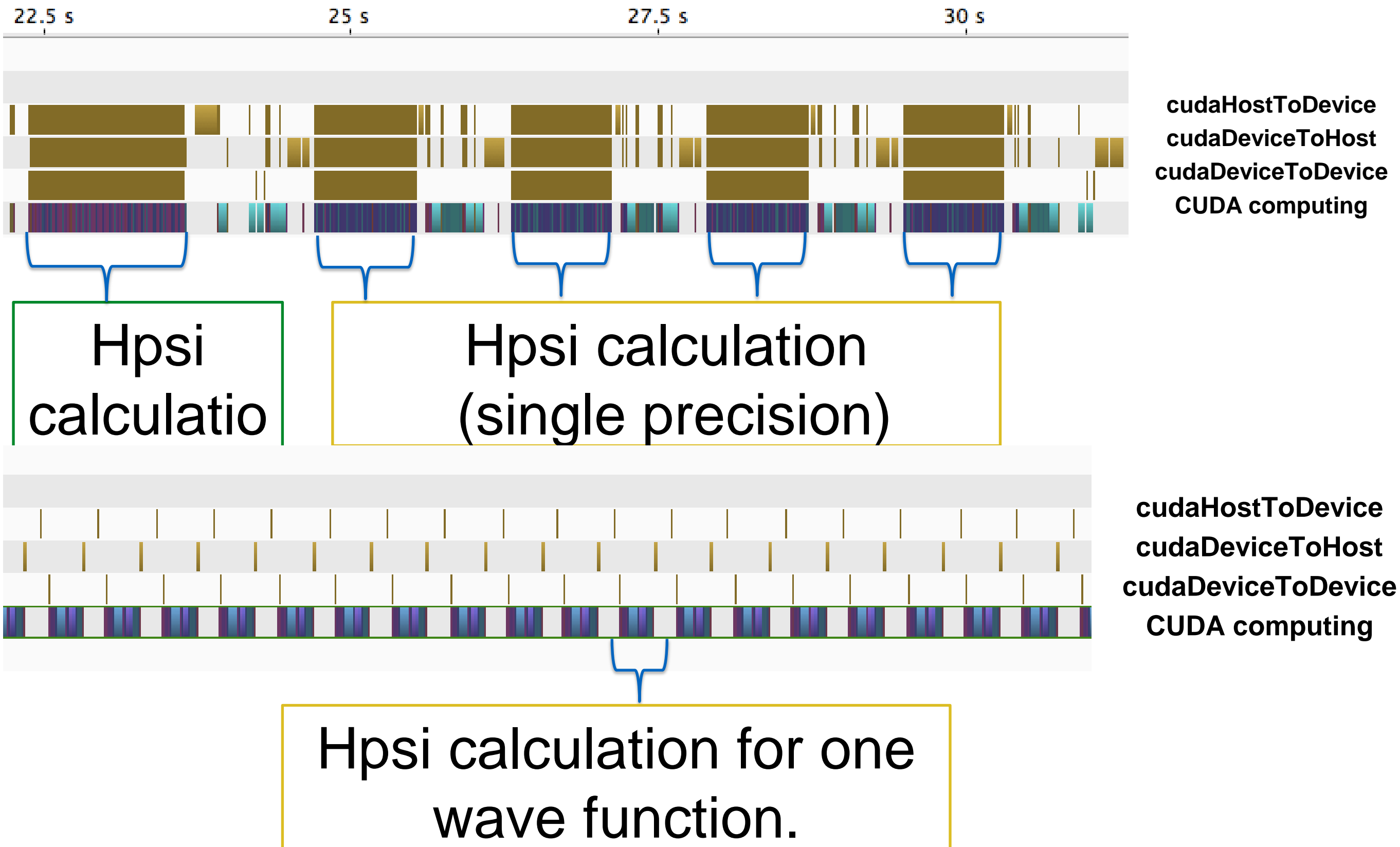
Data compression- reduce MPI Alltoall



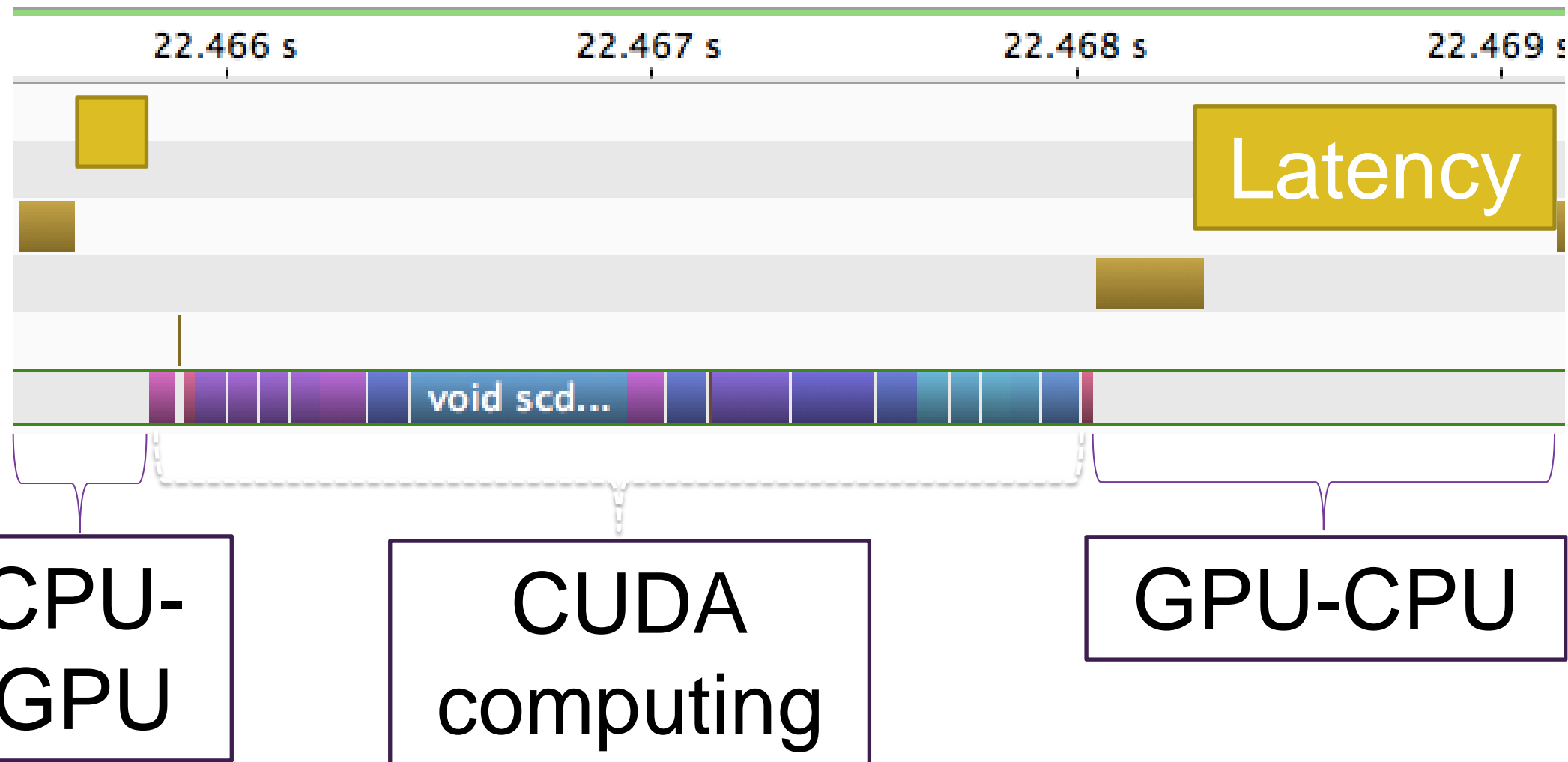
Mix-precision for the wave function residual P_i

Convergence of the PEtot code after utilizing the P_i mix-precision calculation

CG AllBand profiling



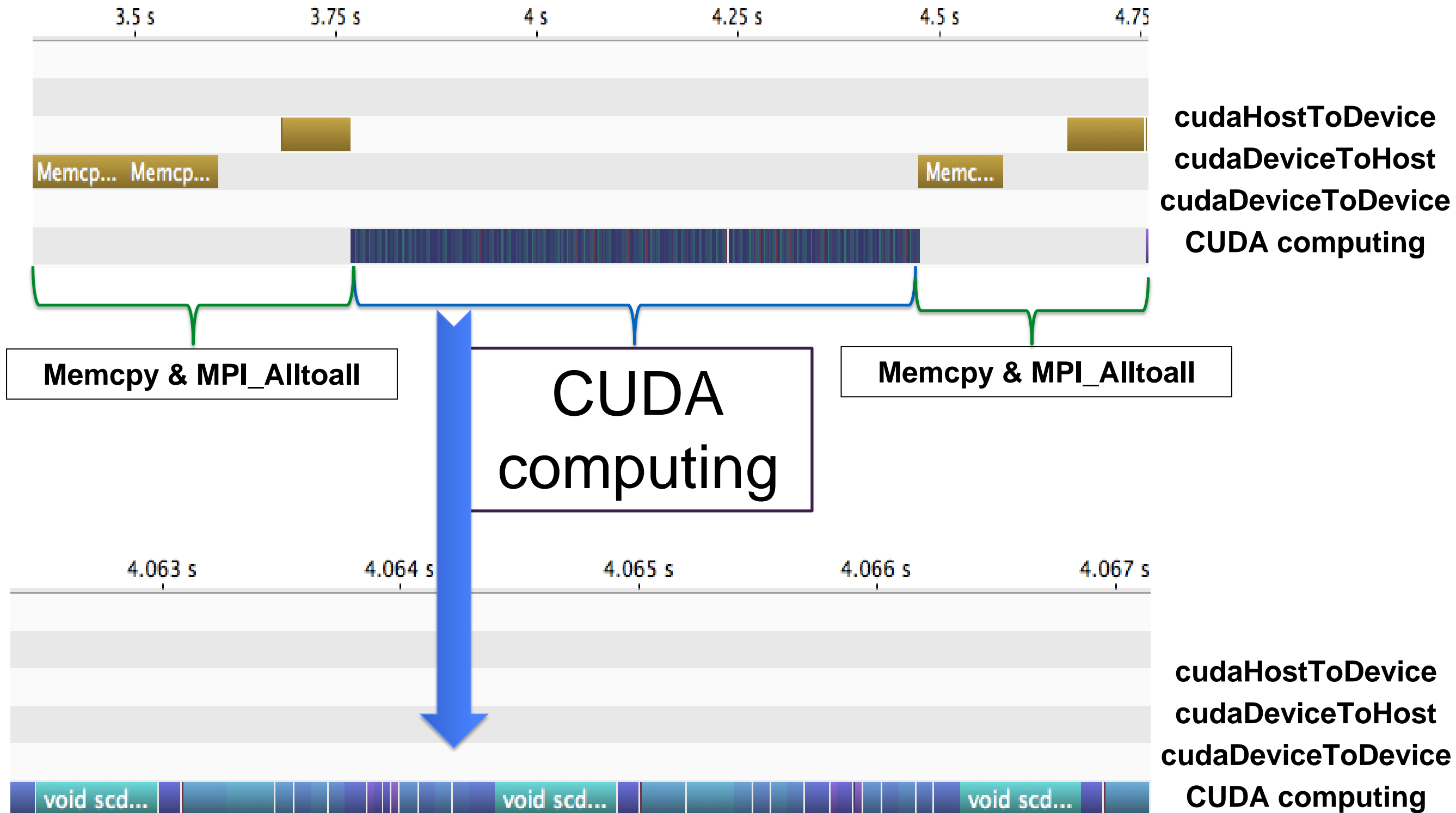
H ψ calculation for a single wave function.



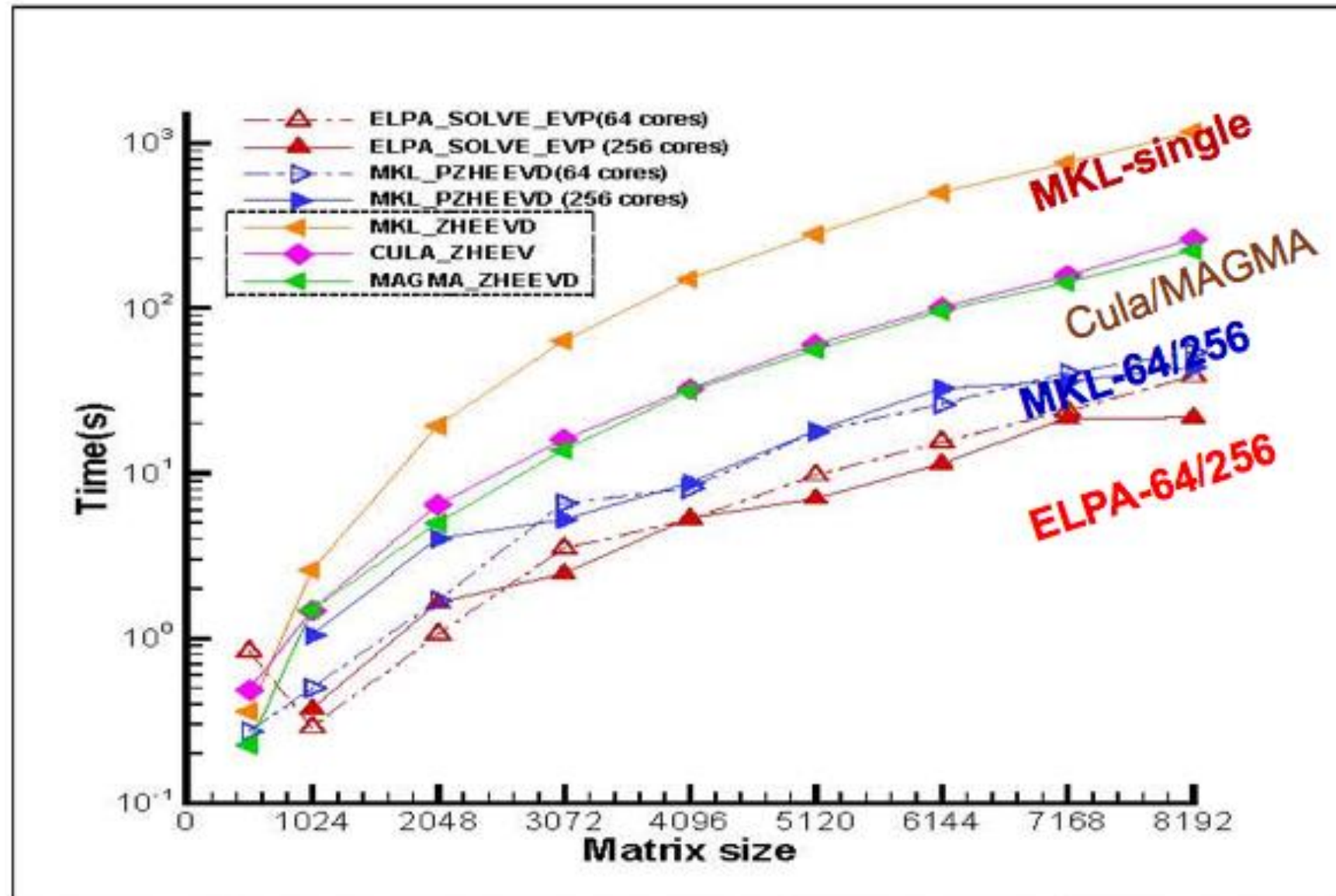
cudaHostToDevice
cudaDeviceToHost
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CUDA computing

Percentage of one Hpsi calculation			
CPU-GPU	Computing	GPU-CPU	Latency
3.5%	62%	6.5%	28%

Convert latency problem to bandwidth problem.



GPU Library

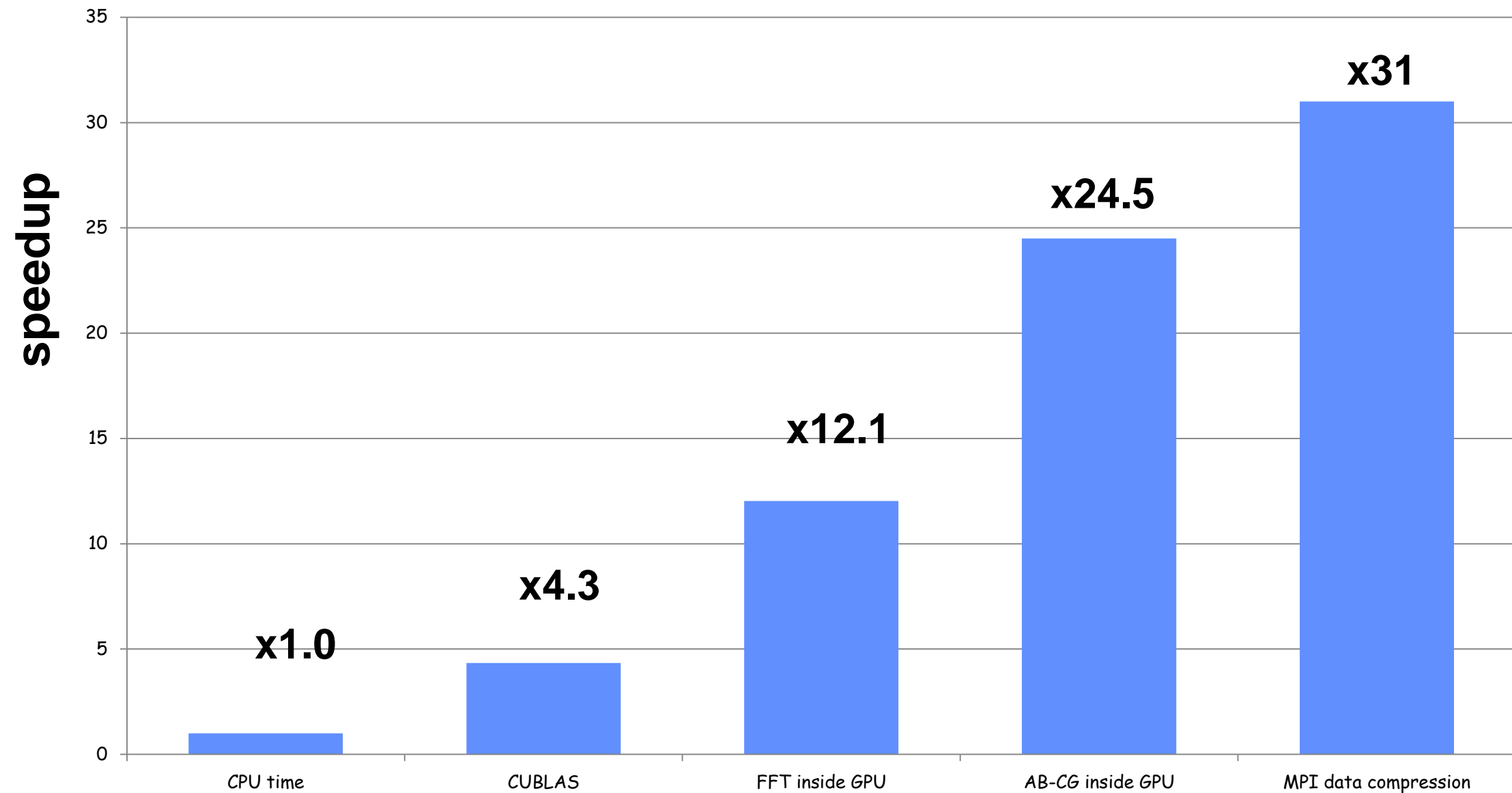


ELPA: A consortium Lead by Fritz-Haber-Inst. Max-Planck-Inst

CULA: Single GPU

MAGMA: Single GPU

Speedup of the CG_AllBand algorithm

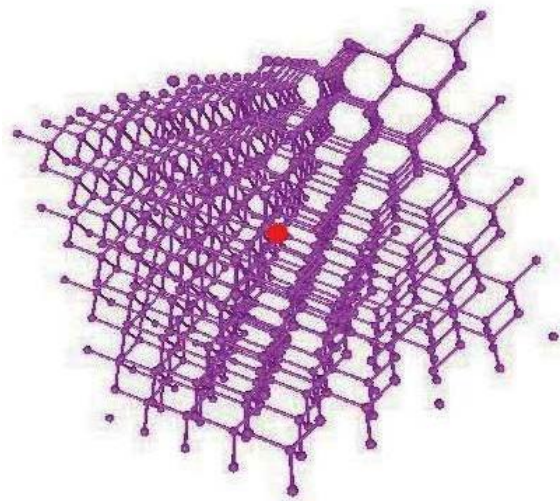


The speedup of GPU CG_AllBand over CPU PEtot code on Titan.

Testing results

PEtot testing result - one fragment

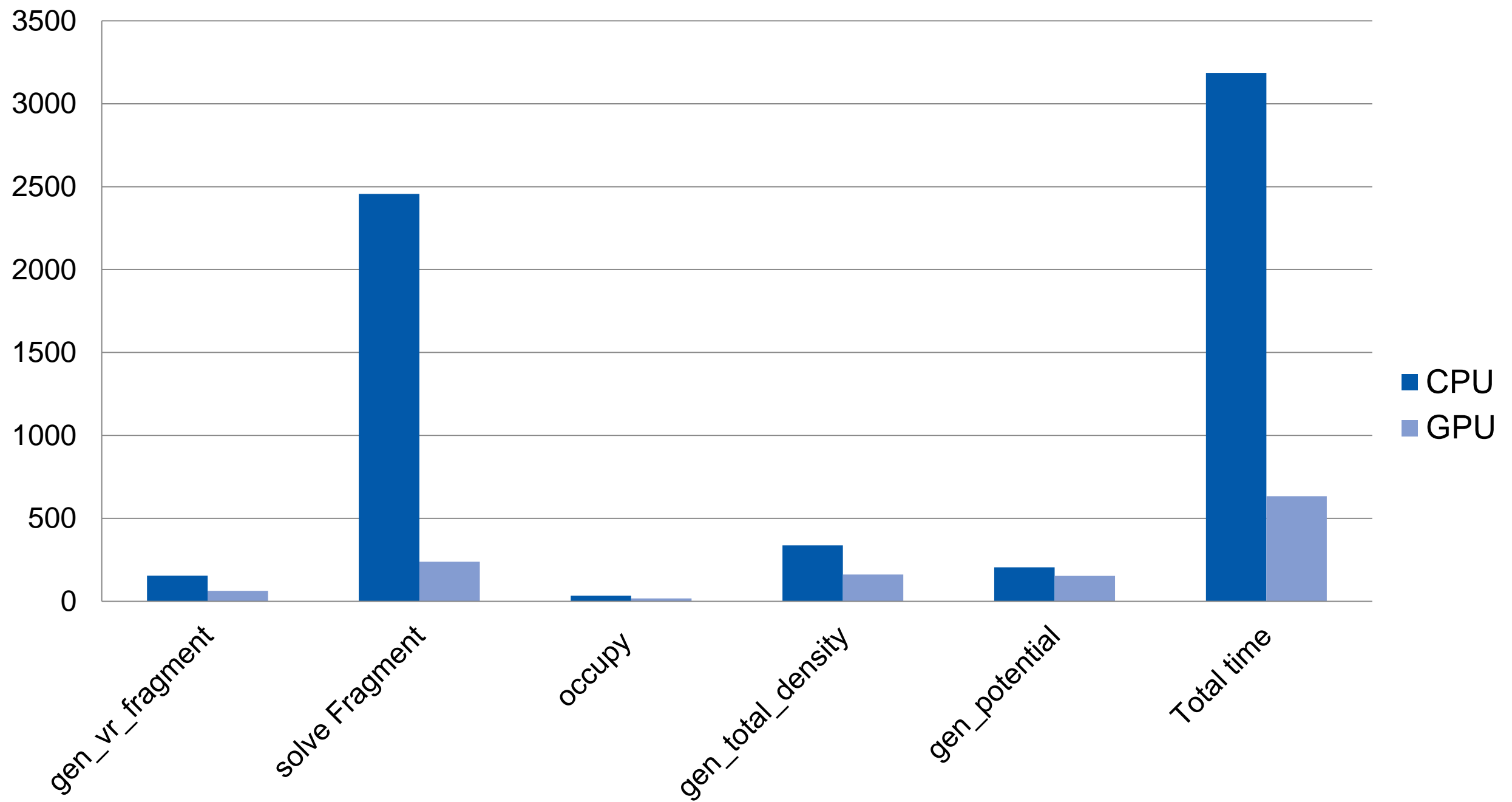
512 atom GaAs system Gamma Point				
GPU No.	32	64	128	256
PEtot GPU	31.6	20.8	13.2	11.4
CPU No.	32x16	64x16	128x16	256x16
PEtot CPU	277	223	203	216



First phase of Titan:
GPU: Tesla C2090
CPU: AMD16core

LS3DF Testing result

LS3DF computational time comparison CPU/GPU



Conclusion

- ❖ We implemented a GPU LS3DF on hybrid CPU/GPU super computer Titan, currently it has 4x speedup compared with CPU code.
- ❖ For the single fragment calculation, Petot code, we have 10x-20x times speedup.
- ❖ Our results show that the data locality and local MPI communication makes divide-and-conquer algorithms ideal in utilizing the heterogeneous architecture computing power.

Future work

- ❖ Optimize charge gathering/patching from fragment charge to global charge (MPI/CPU)
- ❖ We estimate that 10x times of overall speedup could be achieved by using GPU

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