



Explorez et visualisez vos données massives avec ParaView

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Qui suis-je ?

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- Développeur de logiciels libres
- Mainteneur de la distribution linux Debian



Ansys

SIEMENS

kitware



Kitware / Leader in AI & scientific open source solutions

Software development

Based on open source tools
300+ active projects worldwide



Sustained Growth

Since creation of the company
100% employee-owned

230 employees Worldwide

6 offices across USA/Europe



65% staff with PhD or Master

High Level customer expertise

Revenue 2020

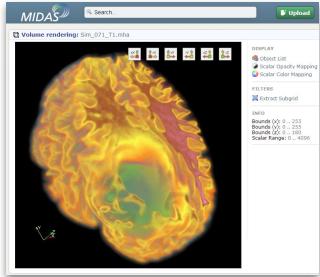
\$39M consolidated

20+ years of expertise

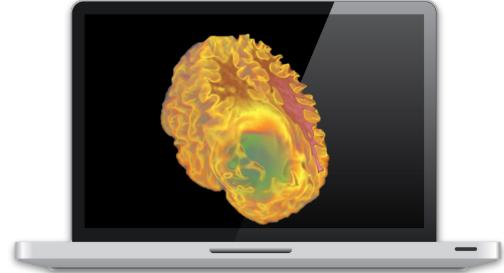
Kitware USA, 1998
Kitware Europe, 2010



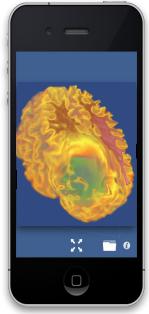
Applications / Universal Platforms



Web



Desktop



Mobile



Cloud / HPC

kitware
Platforms



3D Slicer

 **ParaView**

 **KWIVER**

 **imstk**

 **VTK**

 **Pulse**
Physiology Engine

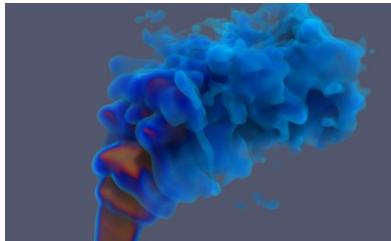
 **CMake**

 **Resonant**

 **tomviz**

 **STK**

Areas of expertise / Built on open source



```
cmake_minimum_required(VERSION 3.10)
project(cmake_testapp)
set(CMAKE_CXX_STANDARD 14)
add_executable(cmake_testapp main.cpp)
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A screenshot of a code editor window titled 'CMakeLists.txt'. It displays a CMake script with commands for setting the minimum required version, defining the project, specifying the C++ standard, and adding an executable. A second tab labeled 'main.cpp' is also visible.

Computer
Vision



Data and
Analytics



Scientific
Computing



Medical
Computing



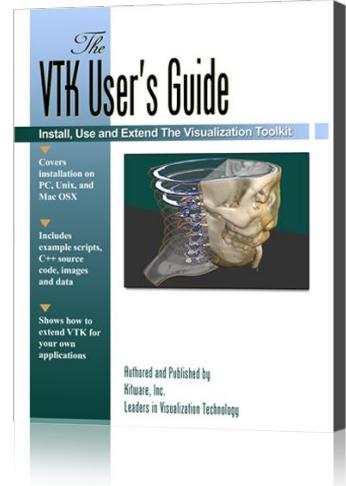
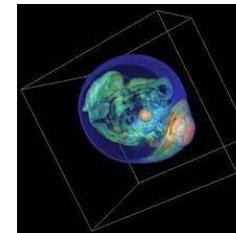
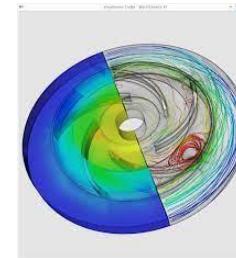
Software
Solutions

Kitware / Services



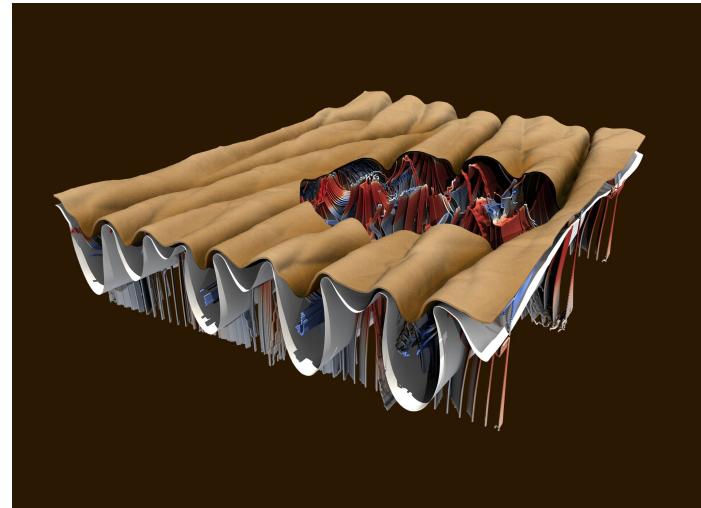
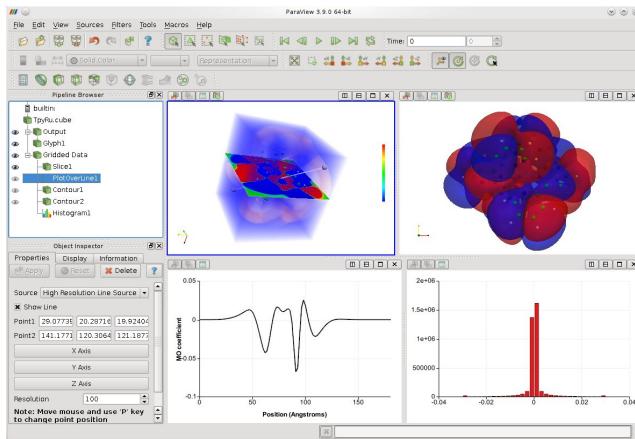
VTK / Cross-Platform Visualization Toolkit (1993)

- Open-source (BSD-3 licence), freely available, cross-platform toolkit for post-processing and visualization of scientific data



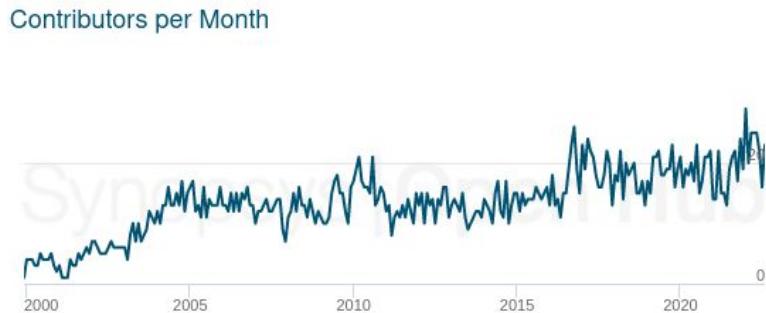
ParaView / High-Performance Post-Processing (2002)

- Open-source, multi-platform, data analysis and visualization application
- Analysis of extremely large datasets using distributed memory computing resources



ParaView Community

- Open Source Software (BSD license)
- Run on most of Top500 HPC
- 300000+ download yearly from Kitware servers
 - More users via other unknown download channel (Linux packaging, Enterprise distribution...)
- 157k commits made by 339 contributors since 2000
- 1.6M lines of code



Features / Application Domains



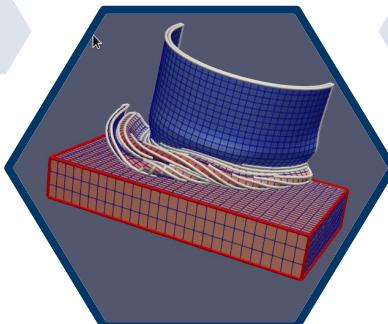
Fluid Dynamic



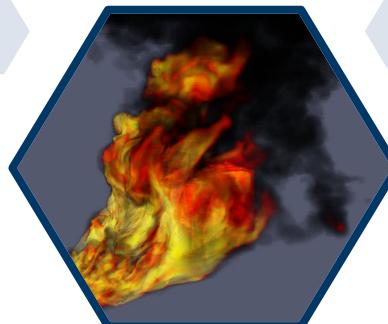
Structural Analysis



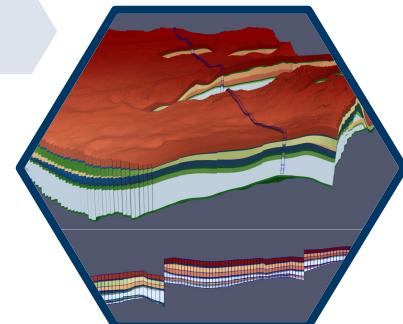
Particles



Medical

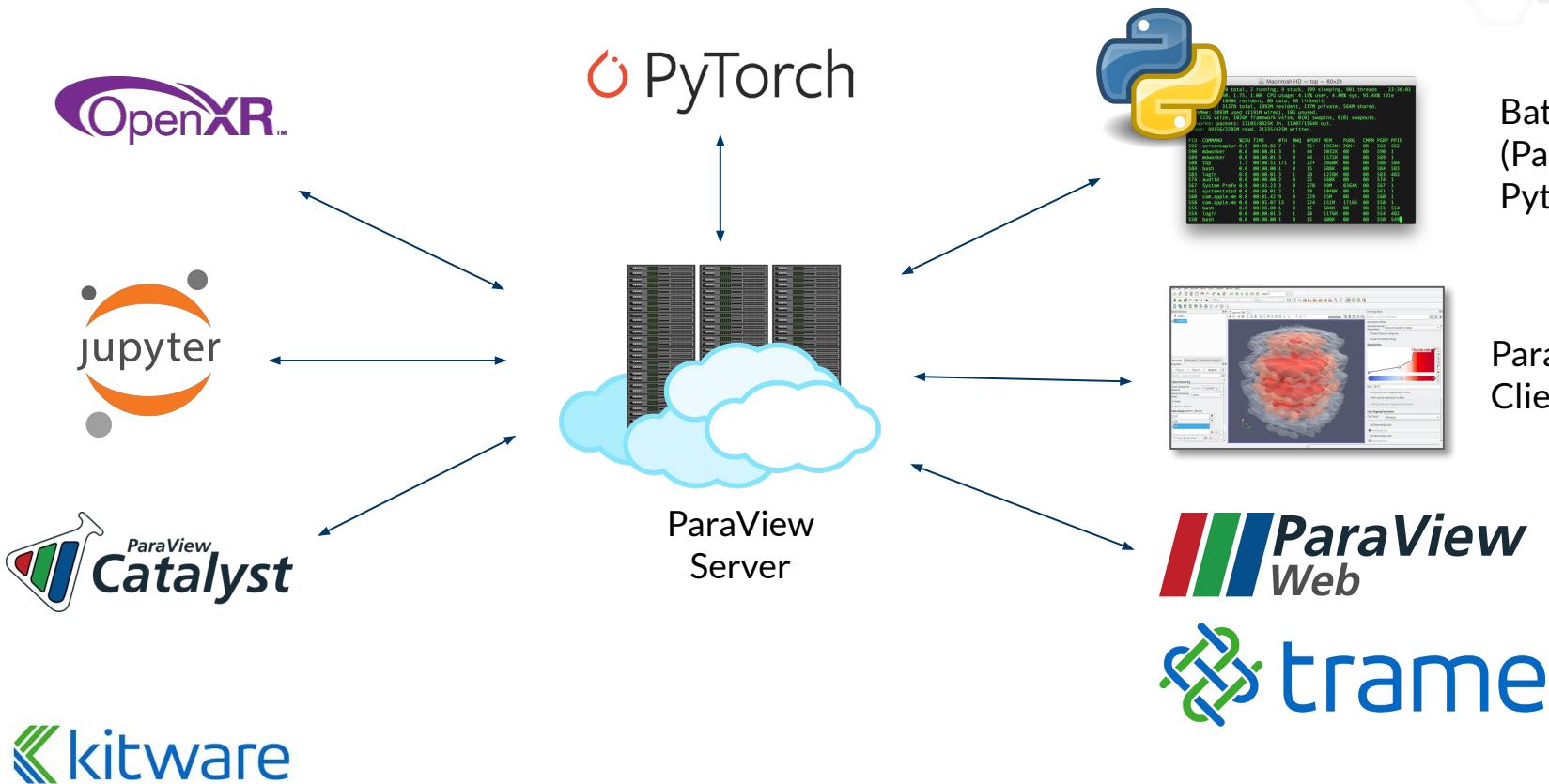


Astrophysic

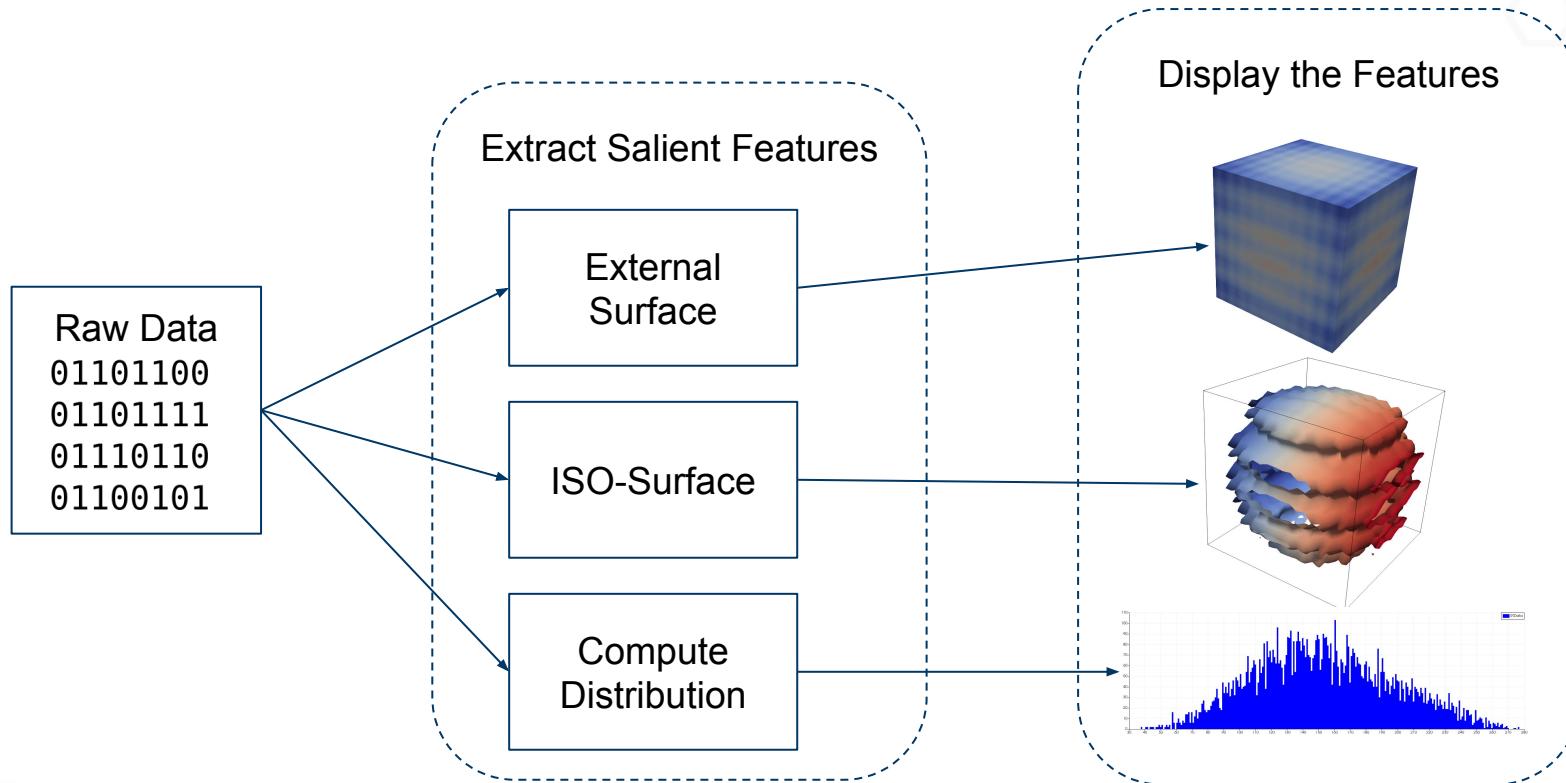


Geoscience

ParaView Ecosystem



Scientific Visualization Basics



ParaView - Graphical User Interface

Menu bar

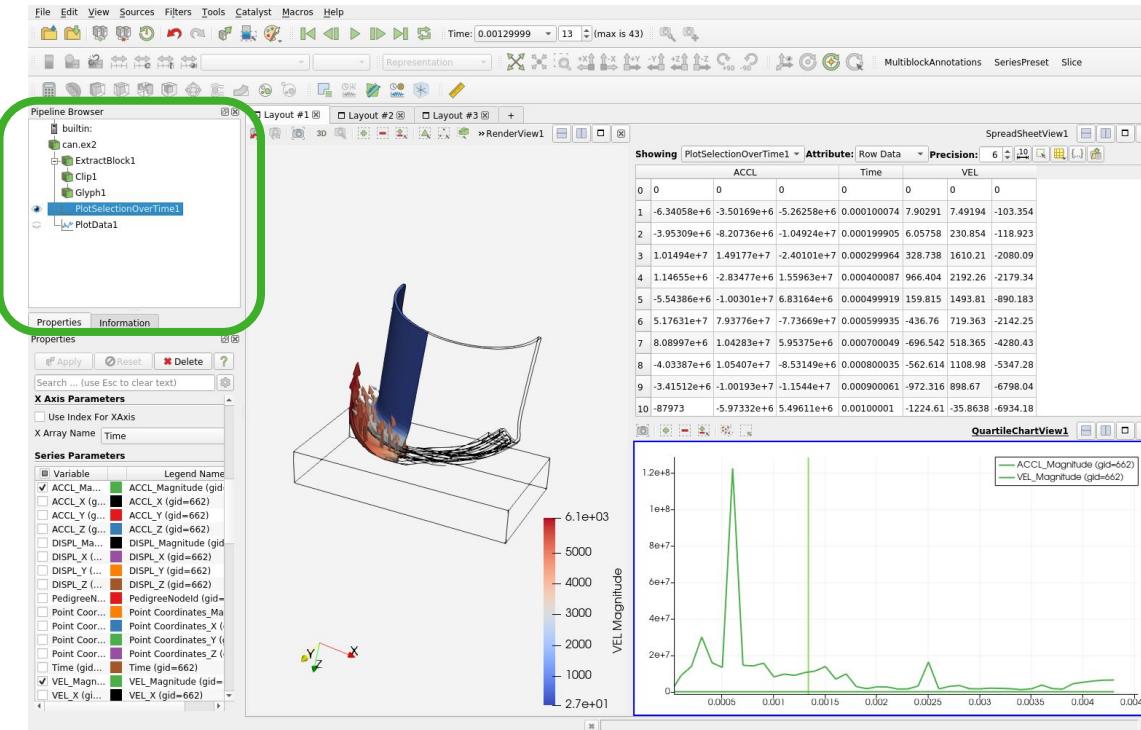
Toolbars

Pipeline Browser

View(s)

Object Inspector

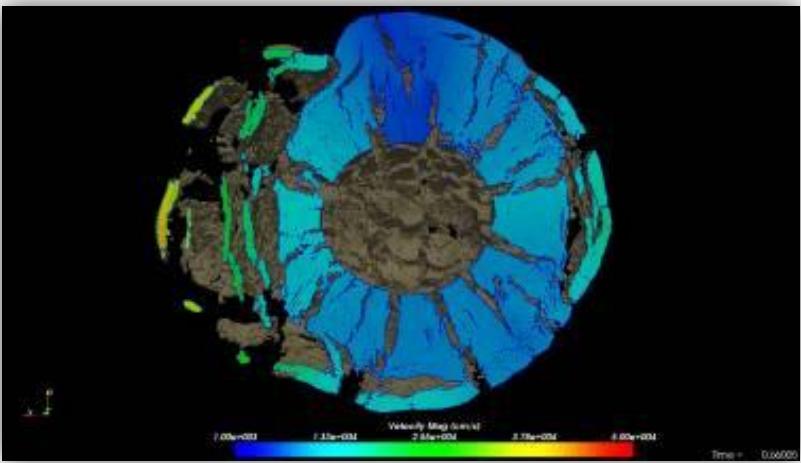
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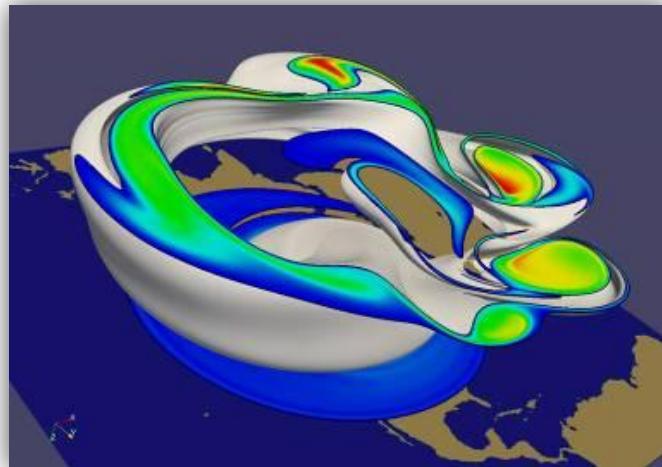
Extremely Large Data



1 billion cell asteroid detonation simulation



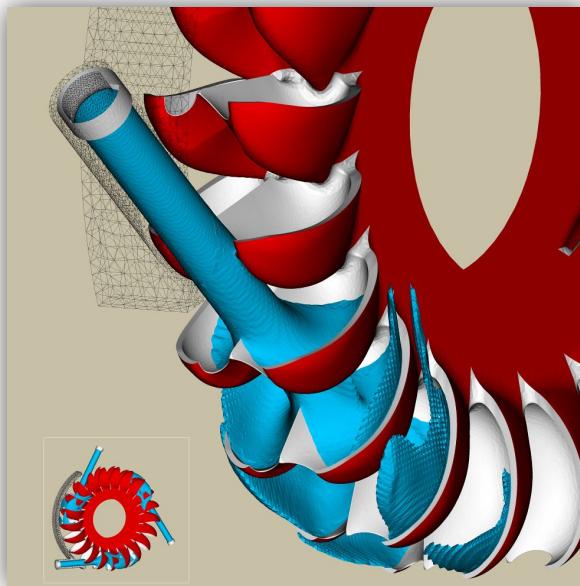
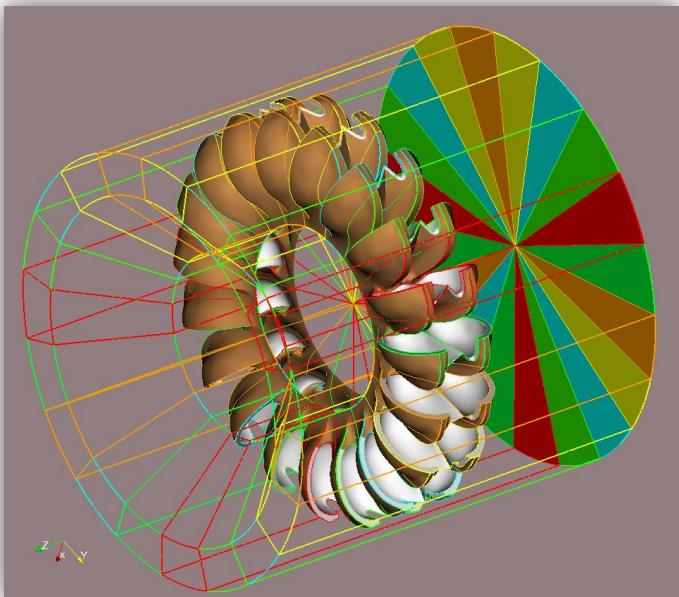
½ billion cell weather simulation



Source: Sandia National Lab

Fast Large Data Interaction

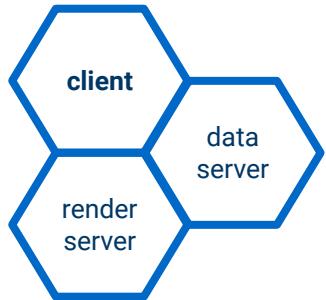
CFD simulation of 20-30 million cells
with load balancing



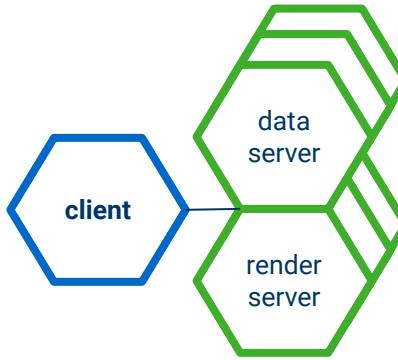
Source: Swiss supercomputing center

Client Server Architecture

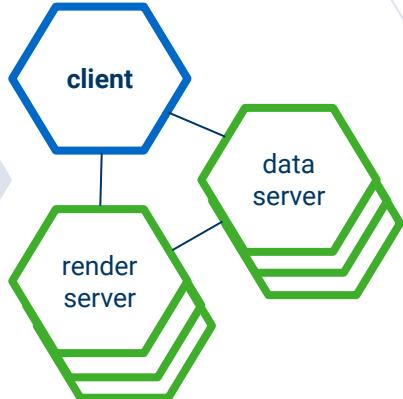
Built-in
paraview



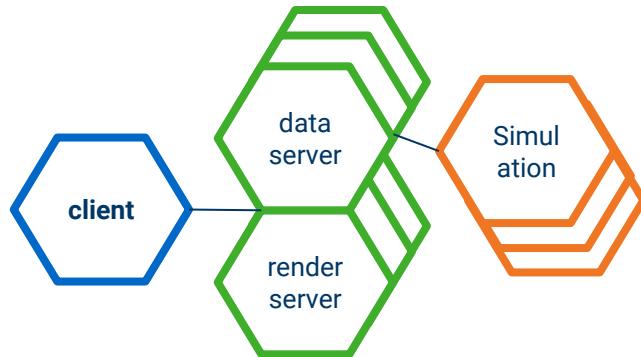
Distributed
pvserver



Graphic Nodes
data/render server



In Situ
catalyst

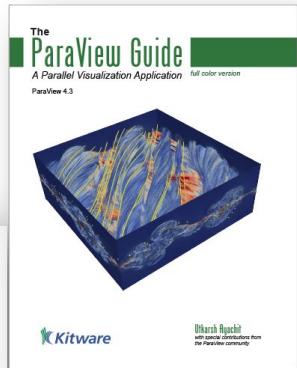


Going Further ...

- **ParaView User Doc (Guide) – Official user's manual and reference guide**
 - Accessible in the binary version of ParaView
 - Freely available as a website: <https://docs.paraview.org>
 - Printed version on Amazon
- **Wiki and Forum**
 - Plenty of user and developer resources
 - <https://discourse.paraview.org/>

The screenshot shows the ParaView forum interface. At the top, there are navigation links: 'all categories', 'all tags', 'Categories', 'Latest', 'Unread (4)', and 'Top'. Below this is a search bar and a 'New Topic' button. The main area is divided into several sections: 'FAQ' (with 18 posts), 'ParaView Support' (with 5.0k posts), 'In Situ Support' (with 178 posts), 'Web Support' (with 218 posts), 'LidarView, Lider, and SLAM' (with 24 posts), 'VIIR' (with 37 posts), 'Development' (with 803 posts), and 'Tips and Tricks' (with 52 posts). Each section lists recent posts with titles like 'Embed 3D topography on 3D winds (lat, lon, pressure level)', 'Extracting Points other than already existing extractions', 'USE _SYSTEM_ or not there while building Superblock on Windows 11 (no ParaView Application)', 'Custom Application | Add new button icons in controls toolbar', 'Gradient of unstructured datasets in paraview giving zero values at the walls.', 'Zigzagging / "jagged" sidesets with 2D cut-of-plane integrator nodes', 'Unescape characters in python annotation', 'Problem with my Paraview.', and 'Paraview Support'.

The screenshot shows the ParaView Documentation website. The left sidebar has a search bar and navigation links for 'PARAVIEW USER'S GUIDE', 'PARAVIEW REFERENCE MANUAL', and 'APPENDIX'. The main content area is titled 'Welcome to ParaView Documentation !'. It states: 'This guide can be split into two volumes. The User's Guide covers various aspects of data analysis and visualization with ParaView.' Below this is the 'Reference Manual' section, which provides details on various components in the UI and the scripting API. There are two main sections: 'ParaView User's Guide' and 'ParaView Reference Manual'. The 'ParaView User's Guide' section includes a table of contents with items like '1. Introduction to ParaView', '2. Basic Data', '3. Understanding Data', '4. Displaying data', '5. Filtering data', '6. Selecting Data', '7. Animation', and '8. Saving Results'. The 'ParaView Reference Manual' section includes a table of contents with items like '1. Properties Panel', '2. Color maps and transfer functions', '3. Comparative visualization', '4. Python API', '5. Using NumPy for processing data', '6. Remote and parallel visualization', '7. Memory Inspector', '8. Multiblock Inspector', '9. A Reader', '10. Ayes Grid', and '11. Customizing ParaView'.





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