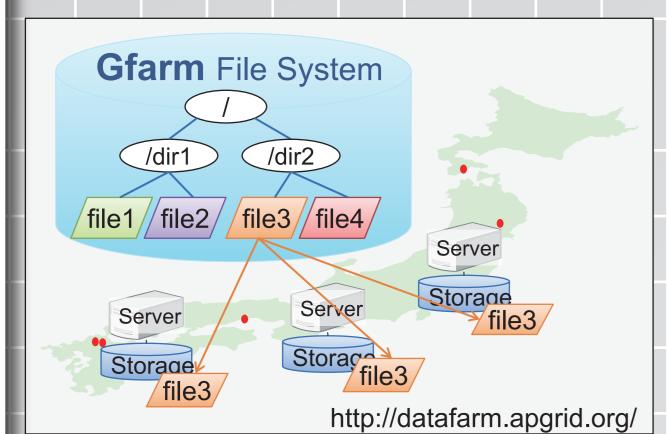
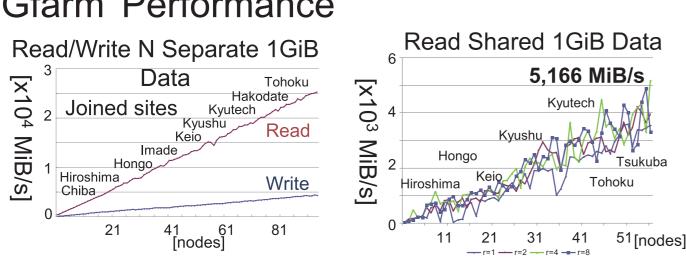


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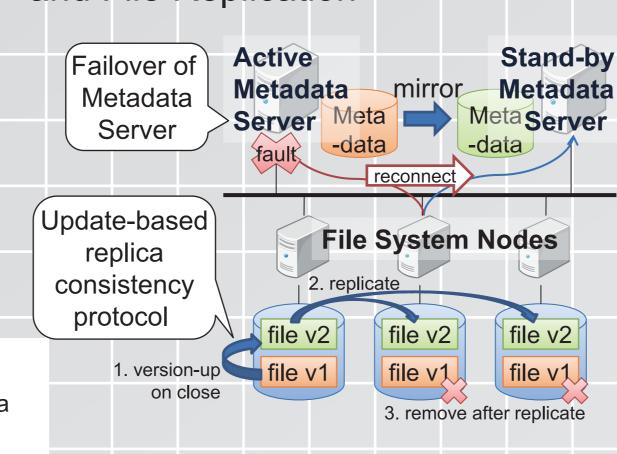
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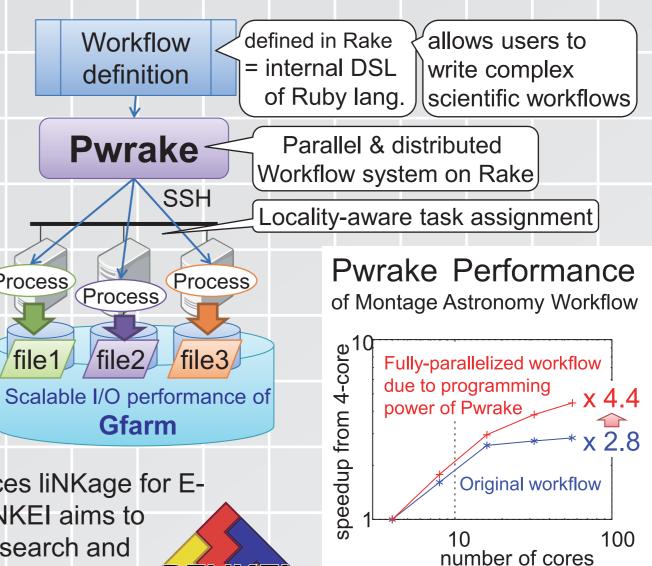
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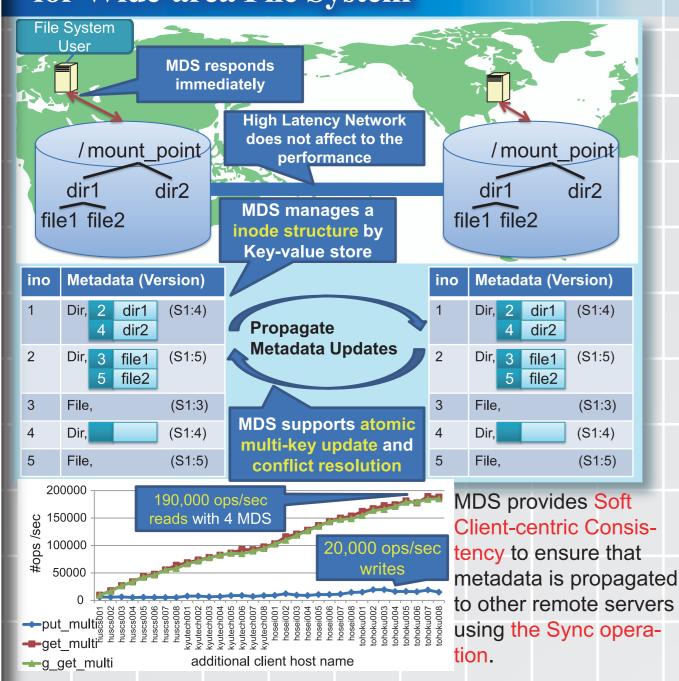
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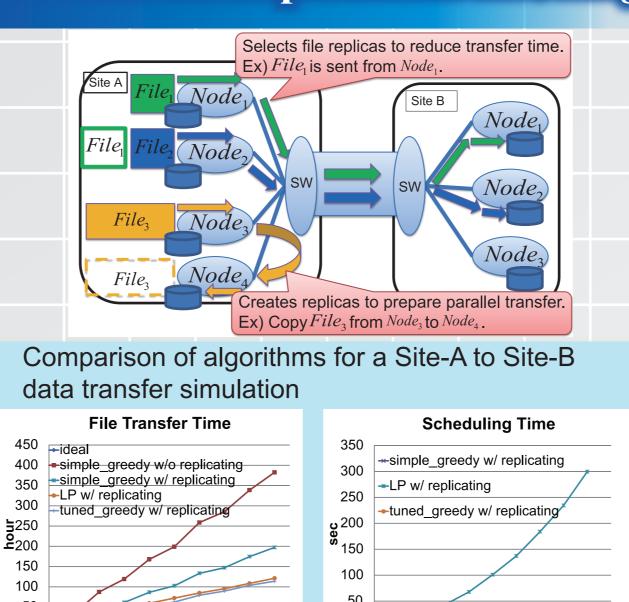
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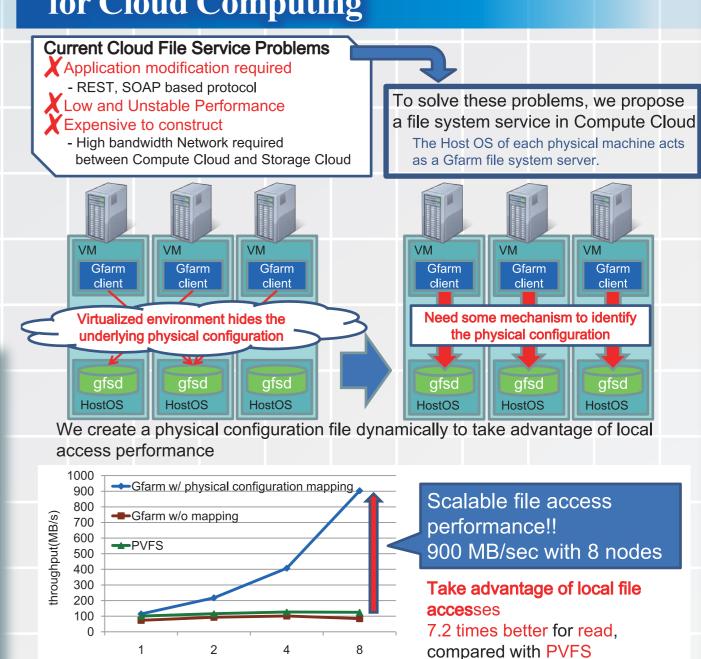
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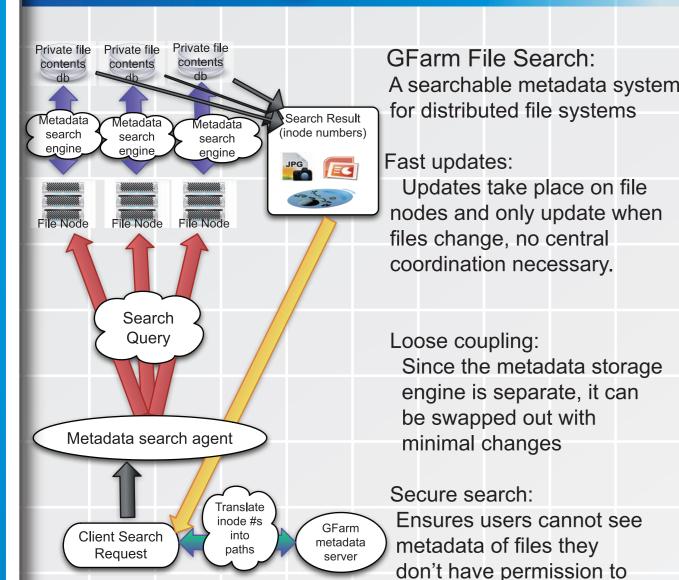
N-to-M Data Replication Scheduling



High Performance File System Service for Cloud Computing



Searching the Farm



Hadoop / Gfarm

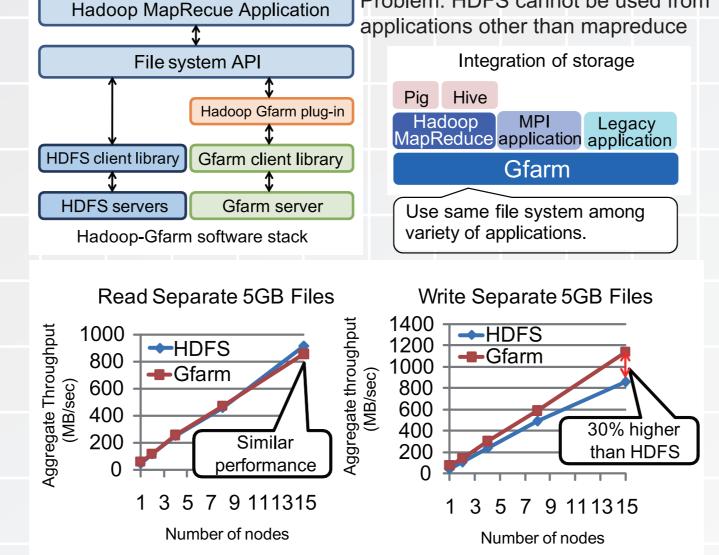
Data size [TB]

We have developed a Hadoop-Gfarm plugin which enables Hadoop Mapreduce applications to access a Gfarm file system

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Number of Files

Problem: HDFS cannot be used from



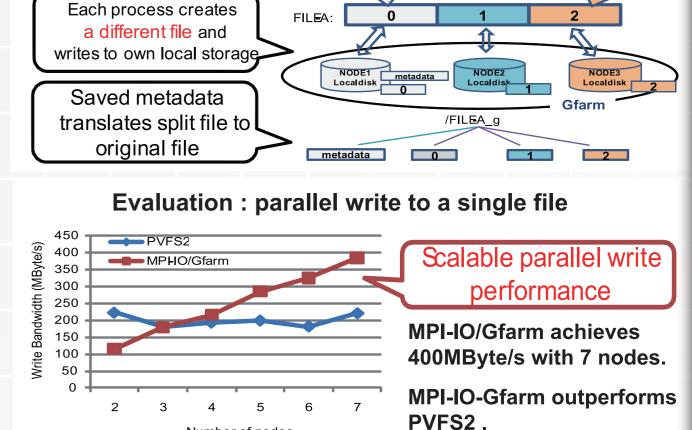
MPI-IO / Gfarm

Parallel writes

to a single file

number of clients

MPI-IO/Gfarm is an MPI-IO implementation for the Gfarm file system designed to achieve scalable parallel I/O performance Problem: Poor performance of parallel writes to a single file



MEXT The Most Advanced Research Infrastructure: System Software for e-Science

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This fiscal year, as part of the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology(MEXT) High Performance Computing Initiative(HPCI), The University of Tsukuba has been selected to evaluate high performance, widearea file systems for supercomputers in Japan.

METI Next Generation Green IT infrastructure: Accountability for Cloud Computing

As part of a 3 year effort to create highly reliable and accountable cloud storage platforms The Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI) has awarded The University of Tsukuba a grant to research exascale cloud storage infrastructure technologies capable of federating thousands of individual clouds.