



High-Performance Cloud Computing

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Outline

- Introduction
- Designs
- Performance Evaluation
- Conclusion & Future Work

Cloud Computing and Virtualization



- Cloud Computing focuses on maximizing the effectiveness of the shared resources
- Virtualization is the key technology for resource sharing in the Cloud
- Widely adopted in industry computing environment
- IDC Forecasts Worldwide Public IT Cloud Services spending will reach \$195 billion by 2020 (Courtesy: http://www.idc.com/getdoc.jsp?containerId=prUS41669516)

Drivers of Modern HPC Cluster and Cloud Architecture





Large memory nodes (Upto 2 TB)



High Performance Interconnects -InfiniBand (with SR-IOV) <1usec latency, 200Gbps Bandwidth>

Multi-/Many-core Processors

Accelerators (GPUs/Co-processors)

- Multi-core/Many-core technologies
- Accelerators (GPUs/Co-processors)
- Large memory nodes
- Remote Direct Memory Access (RDMA)-enabled networking (InfiniBand and RoCE)
- Single Root I/O Virtualization (SR-IOV)



Single Root I/O Virtualization (SR-IOV)

- SR-IOV is providing new opportunities to design HPC cloud with very little low overhead
- Allows a single physical device, or a Physical Function (PF), to present itself as multiple virtual devices, or Virtual Functions (VFs)
- VFs are designed based on the existing non-virtualized PFs, no need for driver change
- Each VF can be dedicated to a single VM through PCI pass-through



Building HPC Cloud with SR-IOV and InfiniBand

- High-Performance Computing (HPC) has adopted advanced interconnects and protocols
 - InfiniBand
 - 10/40/100 Gigabit Ethernet/iWARP
 - RDMA over Converged Enhanced Ethernet (RoCE)
- Very Good Performance
 - Low latency (few micro seconds)
 - High Bandwidth (200 Gb/s with HDR InfiniBand)
 - Low CPU overhead (5-10%)
- OpenFabrics software stack with IB, iWARP and RoCE interfaces are driving HPC systems

Overview of the MVAPICH2 Project

- High Performance open-source MPI Library for InfiniBand, Omni-Path, Ethernet/iWARP, and RDMA over Converged Ethernet (RoCE)
 - MVAPICH (MPI-1), MVAPICH2 (MPI-2.2 and MPI-3.1), Started in 2001, First version available in 2002
 - MVAPICH2-X (MPI + PGAS), Available since 2011
 - Support for GPGPUs (MVAPICH2-GDR) and MIC (MVAPICH2-MIC), Available since 2014
 - Support for Virtualization (MVAPICH2-Virt), Available since 2015
 - Support for Energy-Awareness (MVAPICH2-EA), Available since 2015
 - Support for InfiniBand Network Analysis and Monitoring (OSU INAM) since 2015
 - Used by more than 2,925 organizations in 86 countries
 - More than 489,000 (> 0.48 million) downloads from the OSU site direct
 - Empowering many TOP500 clusters (Jul '18 ranking)
 - 2nd ranked 10,649,640-core cluster (Sunway TaihuLight) at NSC, Wuxi, Chir
 - 12th, 556,104 cores (Oakforest-PACS) in Japan
 - 15th, 367,024 cores (Stampede2) at TACC
 - 24th, 241,108-core (Pleiades) at NASA and many others
 - Available with software stacks of many vendors and Linux Distros (RedHat and SuSE)
 - <u>http://mvapich.cse.ohio-state.edu</u>
- Empowering Top500 systems for over a decade

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Overview of MVAPICH2-Virt with SR-IOV and IVSHMEM

- Redesign MVAPICH2 to make it virtual machine aware
 - SR-IOV shows near to native performance for inter-node point to point communication
 - IVSHMEM offers shared memory based data access across co-resident VMs
 - Locality Detector: maintains the locality information of co-resident virtual machines
 - Communication Coordinator: selects the communication channel (SR-IOV, IVSHMEM) adaptively



J. Zhang, X. Lu, J. Jose, R. Shi, D. K. Panda. Can Inter-VM Shmem Benefit MPI Applications on SR-IOV based Virtualized InfiniBand Clusters? Euro-Par, 2014

J. Zhang, X. Lu, J. Jose, R. Shi, M. Li, D. K. Panda. High Performance MPI Library over SR-IOV Enabled InfiniBand Clusters. HiPC, 2014

Containers-based Design: Issues, Challenges, and Approaches

- What are the performance bottlenecks when running MPI applications on multiple containers per host in HPC cloud?
- Can we propose a new design to overcome the bottleneck on such container-based HPC cloud?
- Can optimized design deliver near-native performance for different container deployment scenarios?
- Locality-aware based design to enable CMA and Shared memory channels for MPI communication across co-resident containers



J. Zhang, X. Lu, D. K. Panda. High Performance MPI Library for Container-based HPC Cloud on InfiniBand Clusters. ICPP, 2016

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Overview of Proposed Design in MVAPICH2



Two-Layer Locality Detector: Dynamically detecting MPI processes in the coresident containers inside one VM as well as the ones in the co-resident VMs

Two-Layer NUMA Aware Communication Coordinator: Leverage nested locality info, NUMA architecture info and message to select appropriate communication

channel

J. Zhang, X. Lu, D. K. Panda. Designing Locality and NUMA Aware MPI Runtime for Nested Virtualization based HPC Cloud with SR-IOV Enabled InfiniBand, VEE, 2017

Execute Live Migration with SR-IOV Device

| | [root@sandy1:migration]\$ | |
|---|--|---|
| | [root@sandy1:migration]\$ssh sandy3-vm1 lspci | |
| | root@sandy3-vm1's password: | |
| | 00:00.0 Host bridge: Intel Corporation 440FX - 82441FX PMC [Natoma] (rev 02) | |
| | 00:01.0 ISA bridge: Intel Corporation 82371SB PIIX3 ISA [Natoma/Triton II] | |
| | 00:01.1 IDE interface: Intel Corporation 82371SB PIIX3 IDE [Natoma/Triton II] | |
| | 00:01.2 USB controller: Intel Corporation 82371SB PIIX3 USB [Natoma/Triton II] (rev 01) | |
| | 00:01.3 Bridge: Intel Corporation 82371AB/EB/MB PIIX4 ACPI (rev 03) | |
| | 00:02.0 VGA compatible controller: Cirrus Logic GD 5446 | |
| - | 00.03.0 Ethernet controller: Red Hat, Inc Virtio network device | |
| | 00:04.0 Infiniband controller: Mellanox Technologies MT27700 Family [ConnectX-4 Virtual Function] | |
| - | 00.05.0 Unclassified device [00ff]: Red Hat, Inc Virtio memory balloon | |
| | [root@sandy1:migration]\$ | |
| | <pre>[root@sandy1:migration]\$</pre> | |
| | [root@sandy1:migration]\$virsh migrateliverdma-pin-allmigrateuri rdma://sandy3-ib sandy1-vm1 qemu://sandy3-ib/system | |
| | error: Requested operation is not valid: domain has assigned non-USB host devices | |
| | | |
| | [root@sandv1:miaration]\$ | 1 |

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Proposed High Performance SR-IOV enabled VM Migration Framework



- Two challenges need to handle:
 - Detachment/re-attachment of virtualized IB device
 - Maintain IB connection
 - Multiple parallel libraries to coordinate VM during migration (detach/reattach SR-IOV/IVShmem, migrate VMs, migration status)
- MPI runtime handles the IB connection suspending and reactivating
- Propose Progress Engine (PE) and Migration Thread based (MT) design to optimize VM migration and MPI application performance

J. Zhang, X. Lu, D. K. Panda. High-Performance Virtual Machine Migration Framework for MPI Applications on SR-IOV enabled InfiniBand Clusters. IPDPS, 2017

Sequence Diagram of VM Migration



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Experimental Testbed

| Cluster | Chameleon Cloud | Nowlab | | | |
|------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| CPU | Intel Xeon E5-2670 v3 24-core 2.3 GHz | Intel Xeon E5-2670 dual 8-core 2.6 GHz | | | |
| RAM | 128 GB | 32 GB | | | |
| Interconn ect | Mellanox ConnectX-3 HCA, (FDR 56Gbps), MLNX OFED LINUX-3.0-1.0.1 as driver | Mellanox ConnectX-3 HCA, (FDR 56Gbps), MLNX OFED LINUX-3.2-2.0.0 | | | |
| OS | CentOS Linux relea | se 7.1.1503 (Core) | | | |
| Compiler | GCC 4.8.3 | | | | |
| | MVAPICH2 and OSU micro-benchmarks v5.3 | | | | |

Application Performance on VM with MVAPICH2



- Proposed design delivers up to 43% (IS) improvement for NAS
- Proposed design brings 29%, 33%, 29% and 20% improvement for INVERSE, RAND, SINE and SPEC

J. Zhang, X. Lu, J. Jose and D. K. Panda, *High Performance MPI Library over SR-IOV Enabled InfiniBand Clusters*, HiPC, 2014

Application Performance on Docker with MVAPICH2



- 64 Containers across 16 nodes, pining 4 Cores per Container
- Compared to Container-Def, up to 11% and 73% of execution time reduction for NAS and Graph 500
- Compared to Native, less than 9 % and 5% overhead for NAS and Graph 500

J. Zhang, X. Lu, D. K. Panda. High Performance MPI Library for Container-based HPC Cloud on InfiniBand, ICPP, 2016

Application Performance on Singularity with MVAPICH2



512 Processes across 32 nodes

Less than 16% and 11% overhead for NPB and Graph500, respectively •

J. Zhang, X. Lu, D. K. Panda. Is Singularity-based Container Technology Ready for Running MPI Applications on HPC Clouds? UCC, 2017 (Best Student Paper Award)

Application Performance on Nested Virtualization Env. with MVAPICH2



- 256 processes across 64 containers on 16 nodes
- Compared with Default, enhanced-hybrid design reduces up to 16% (28,16) and 10% (LU) of execution time for Graph 500 and NAS, respectively
- Compared with 1Layer case, enhanced-hybrid design also brings up to 12% (28,16) and 6% (LU) benefit.

J. Zhang, X. Lu and D. K. Panda, Designing Locality and NUMA Aware MPI Runtime for Nested Virtualization based HPC Cloud with SR-IOV Enabled InfiniBand, VEE, 2017

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Point-to-Point and Collective Performance



- Migrate a VM from one machine to another while benchmark is running inside
- Proposed MT-based designs perform slightly worse than PE-based designs because of lock/unlock
- No benefit from MT because of NO computation involved

Overlapping Evaluation



- fix the communication time and increase the computation time
- 10% computation, partial migration time could be overlapped with computation in MTtypical
- As computation percentage increases, more chance for overlapping

Application Performance



- 8 VMs in total and 1 VM carries out migration during application running
- Compared with NM, MT- worst and PE incur some overhead
- MT-typical allows migration to be completely overlapped with computation

Available Appliances on Chameleon Cloud*

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| tion 🗎 Chameleon 🗎 Daily 🛃 Google Scholar 🔞 Technology News | | | | Appliance | Description |
| The default Chameleon appliance | CUDA appliance based on CentOS 7 | Chameleon bare-metal image customized with Docker to run containers. | Chameleon FPGA Runtime | CentOS 7 KVM SR- IOV | Chameleon bare-metal image customized with the KVM hypervisor and a recompiled kernel to enable SR-IOV over InfiniBand. |
| CentOS 7 KVM SR-IOV | CentOS 7 SR-IOV MVAPICH2- Virt | CentOS 7 SR-IOV RDMA- Hadoop | COMPSs 1.3 CC-CentOS7 | | https://www.chameleoncloud.org/appliances/3/ |
| Our Chameleon bare-metal image customized with the KVM hypervisor and a recompiled kernel to enable SR-IOV over Infiniband. | The CentOS 7 SR-IOV MVAPICH2-Virt appliance is built from the CentOS 7 KVM SR-IOV appliance and additionally contains MVAPICH2-Virt library | The CentOS 7 SR-IOV RDMA-Hadoop appliance is built from the CentOS 7 appliance and additionally contains RDMA-Hadoop library. | COMPS is a task based programming model for distributed platforms. | MPI bare-metal cluster complex appliance (Based on | This appliance deploys an MPI cluster composed of bare metal instances using the MVAPICH2 library over InfiniBand. |
| | ° 🔼 « | ° 🔼 « | | Heat) | https://www.chameleoncloud.org/appliances/29/ |
| Hello World complex appliance A basic complex appliance deploying an NFS server with one client | MPI + SR-IOV KVM cluster MPI cluster of KVM virtual machines using the MVAPICH2-Virt library and SR-IOV enabled InfiniBand | MPI bare-metal cluster Bare-metal MPI cluster using the MVAPICH2 library over InfiniBand. | MPI bare-metal cluster (MPICH3) Bare-metal MPI cluster using the MPICH3 implementation | MPI + SR-IOV KVM cluster (Based on Heat) | This appliance deploys an MPI cluster of KVM virtual machines using the MVAPICH2-Virt implementation and configured with SR-IOV for high-performance communication over InfiniBand. https://www.chameleoncloud.org/appliances/28/ |
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| NFS share An appliance deploying an NFS server with a configurable number of clients | OpenStack Mitaka (DevStack) OpenStack Mitaka with DevStack over one controller node and a configurable number of compute nodes | Ubuntu 14.04 Chameleon-supported Ubuntu 14.04 LTS image | | CentOS 7 SR-IOV RDMA-Hadoop | The CentOS 7 SR-IOV RDMA-Hadoop appliance is built from the CentOS 7 appliance and additionally contains RDMA-Hadoop library with SR-IOV. https://www.chameleoncloud.org/appliances/17/ |

- Through these available appliances, users and researchers can easily deploy HPC clouds to perform experiments and run jobs with
 - High-Performance SR-IOV + InfiniBand
 - High-Performance MVAPICH2 Library over bare-metal InfiniBand clusters
 - High-Performance MVAPICH2 Library with Virtualization Support over SR-IOV enabled KVM clusters
 - High-Performance Hadoop with RDMA-based Enhancements Support

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[*] Only include appliances contributed by OSU NowLab

MPI Complex Appliances based on MVAPICH2 on Chameleon



Conclusion & Future Work

- Propose a high-performance VM migration framework for MPI applications on SR- IOV enabled InfiniBand clusters
- Hypervisor- and InfiniBand driver-independent
- Design Progress Engine (PE) based and Migration Thread (MT) based MPI runtime design
- Design a high-performance and scalable controller which works seamlessly with our proposed designs in MPI runtime
- Evaluate the proposed framework with MPI level micro-benchmarks and real-world HPC applications
- Could completely hide the overhead of VM migration through computation and migration overlapping
- Future Work Evaluate our proposed framework at larger scales and different hypervisors, such as Xen; Solution will be available in upcoming release

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