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Score-P and Scalasca

Portable open-source tools for scalable performance analysis

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- Scalasca
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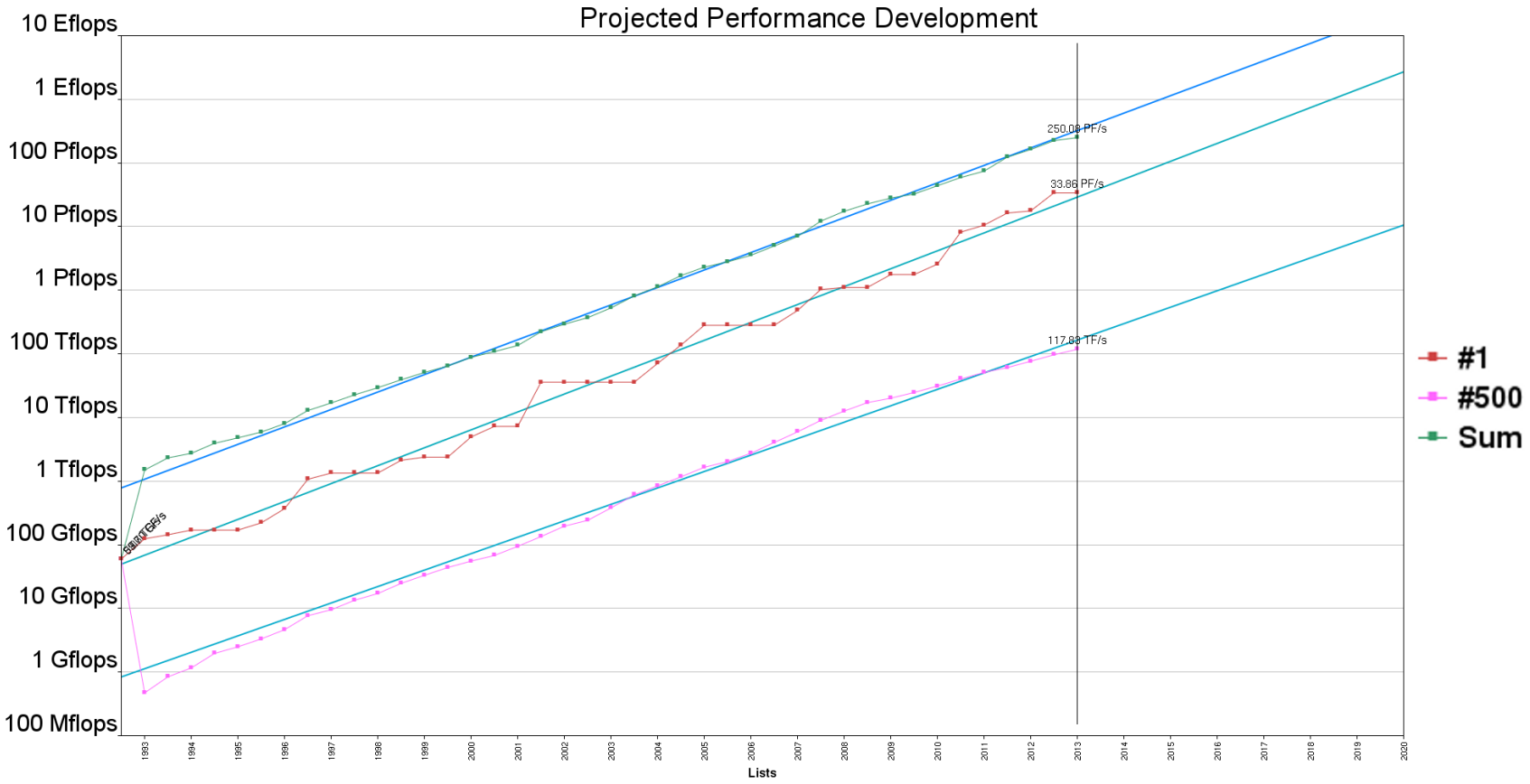

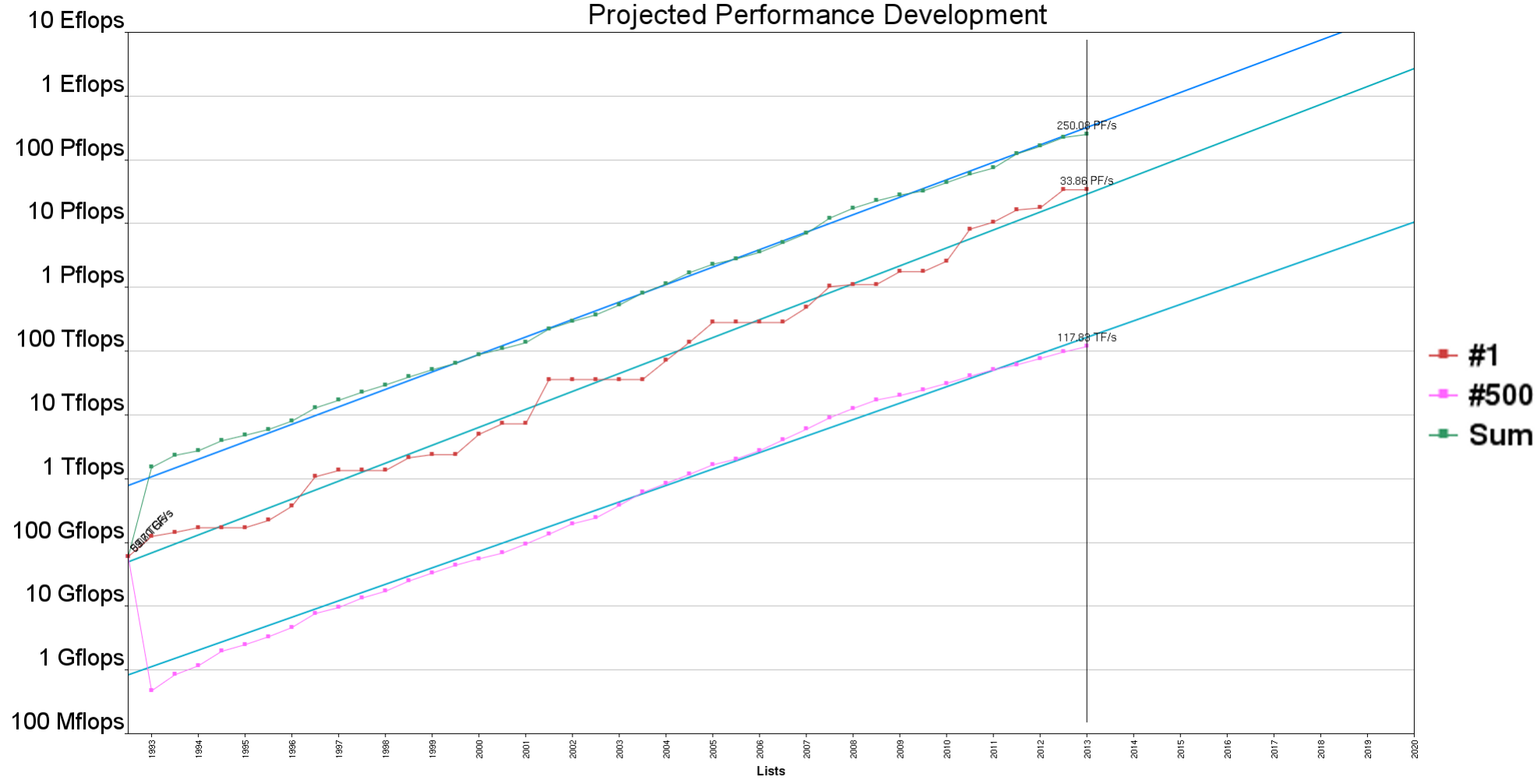
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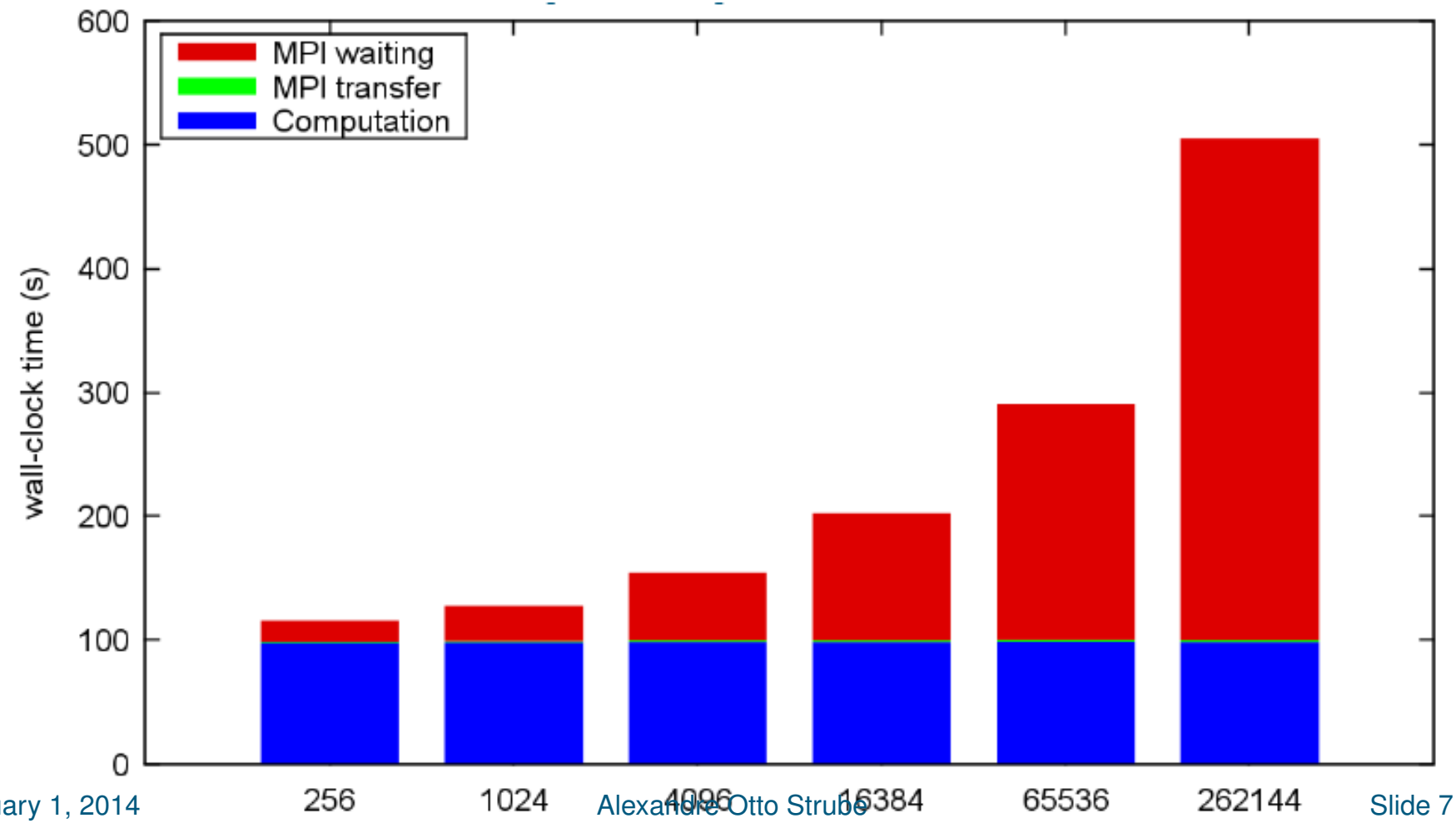

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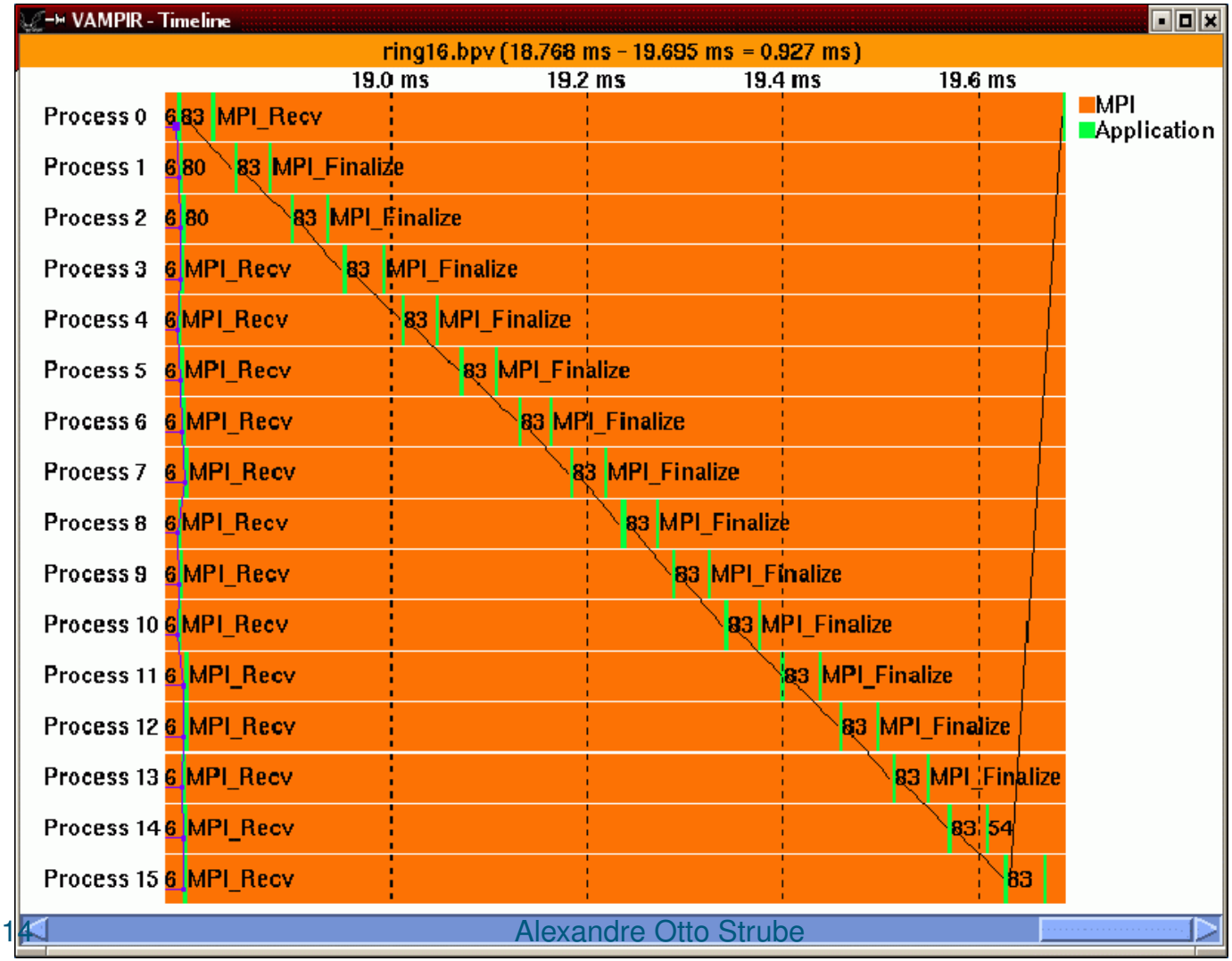

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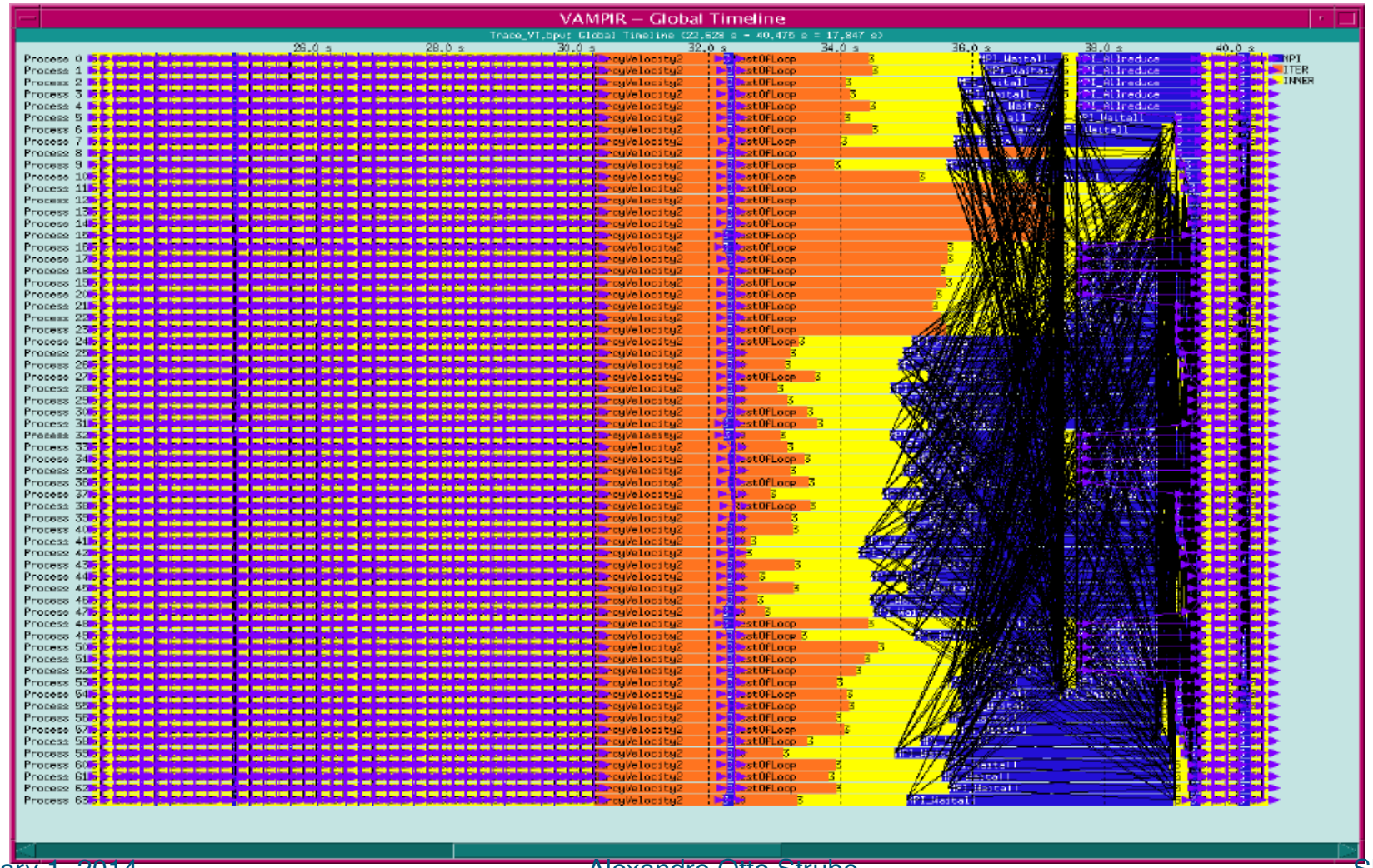

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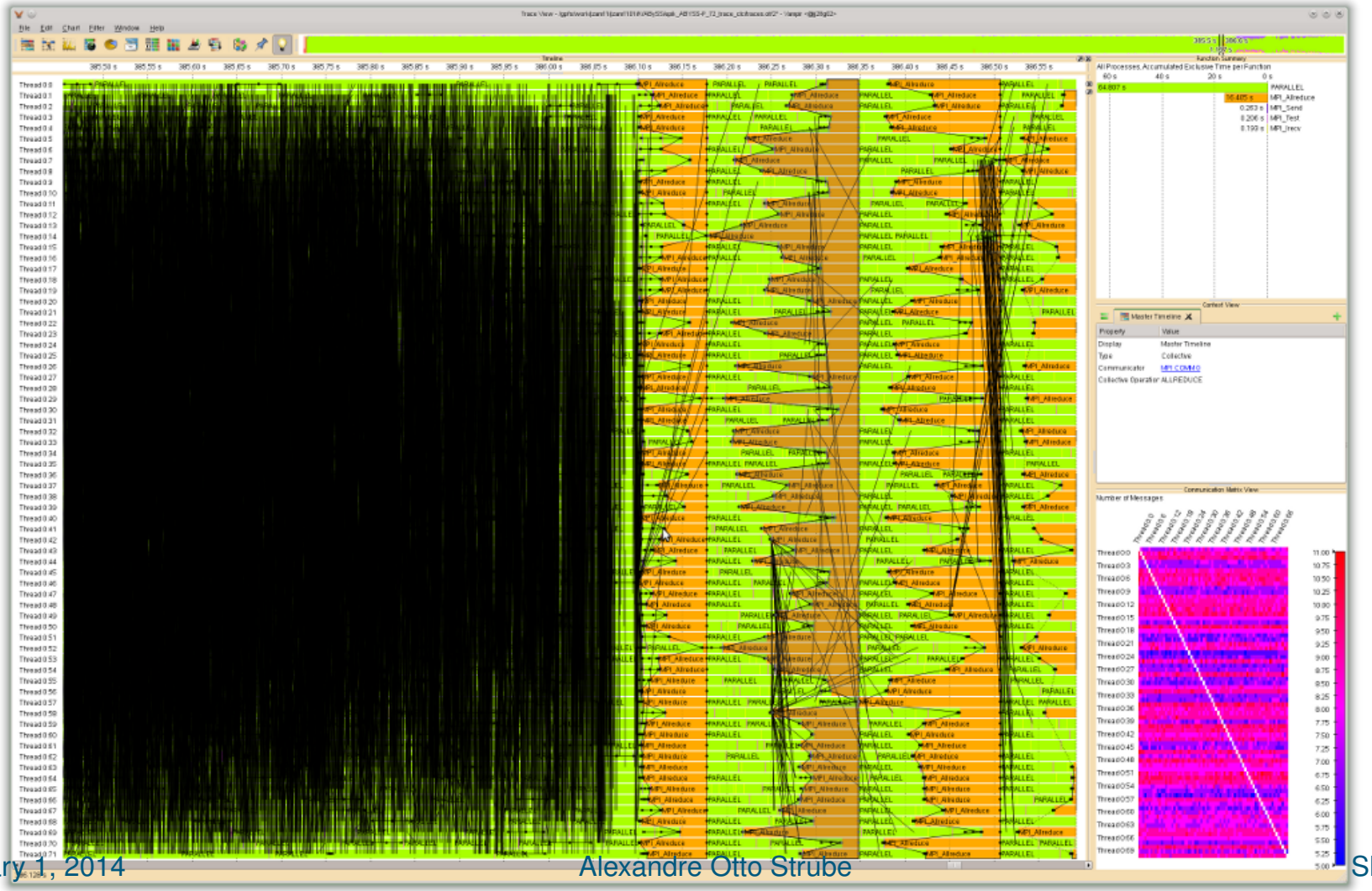

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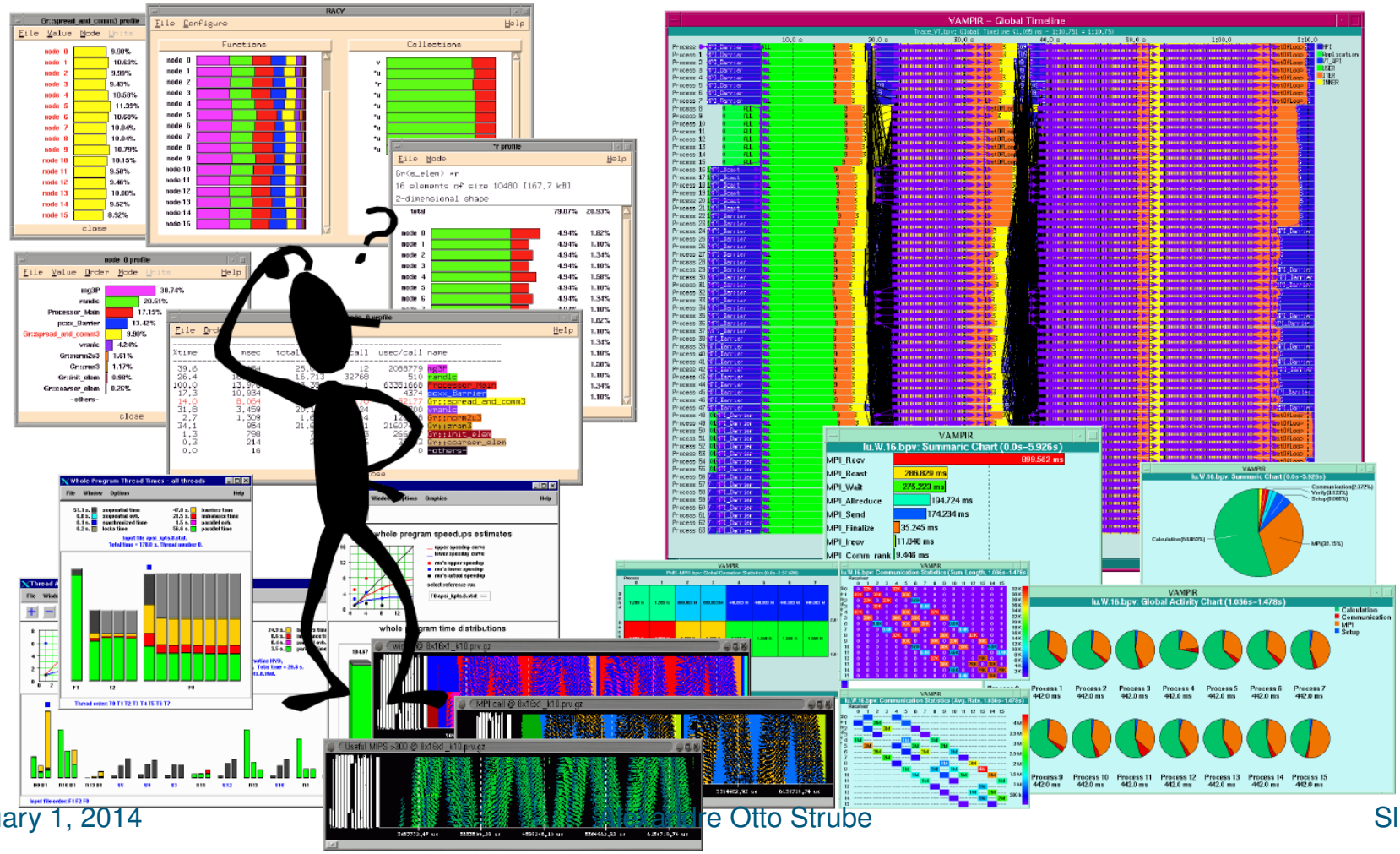

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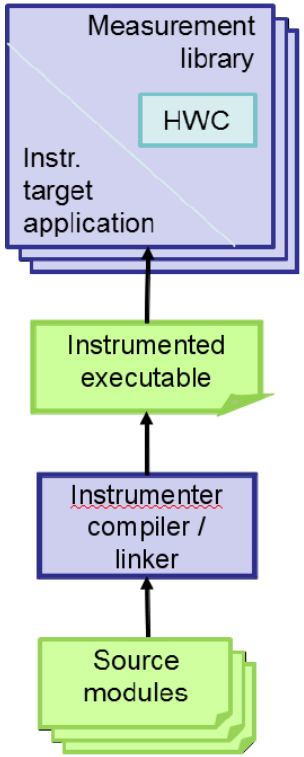

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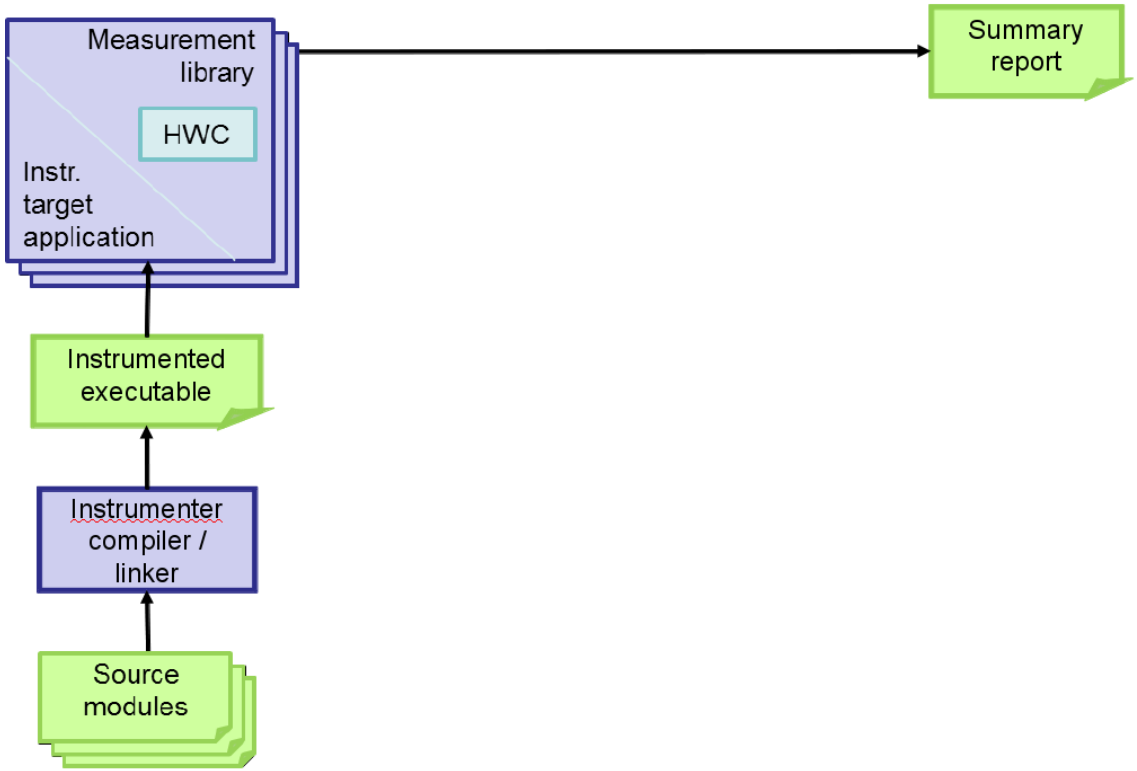

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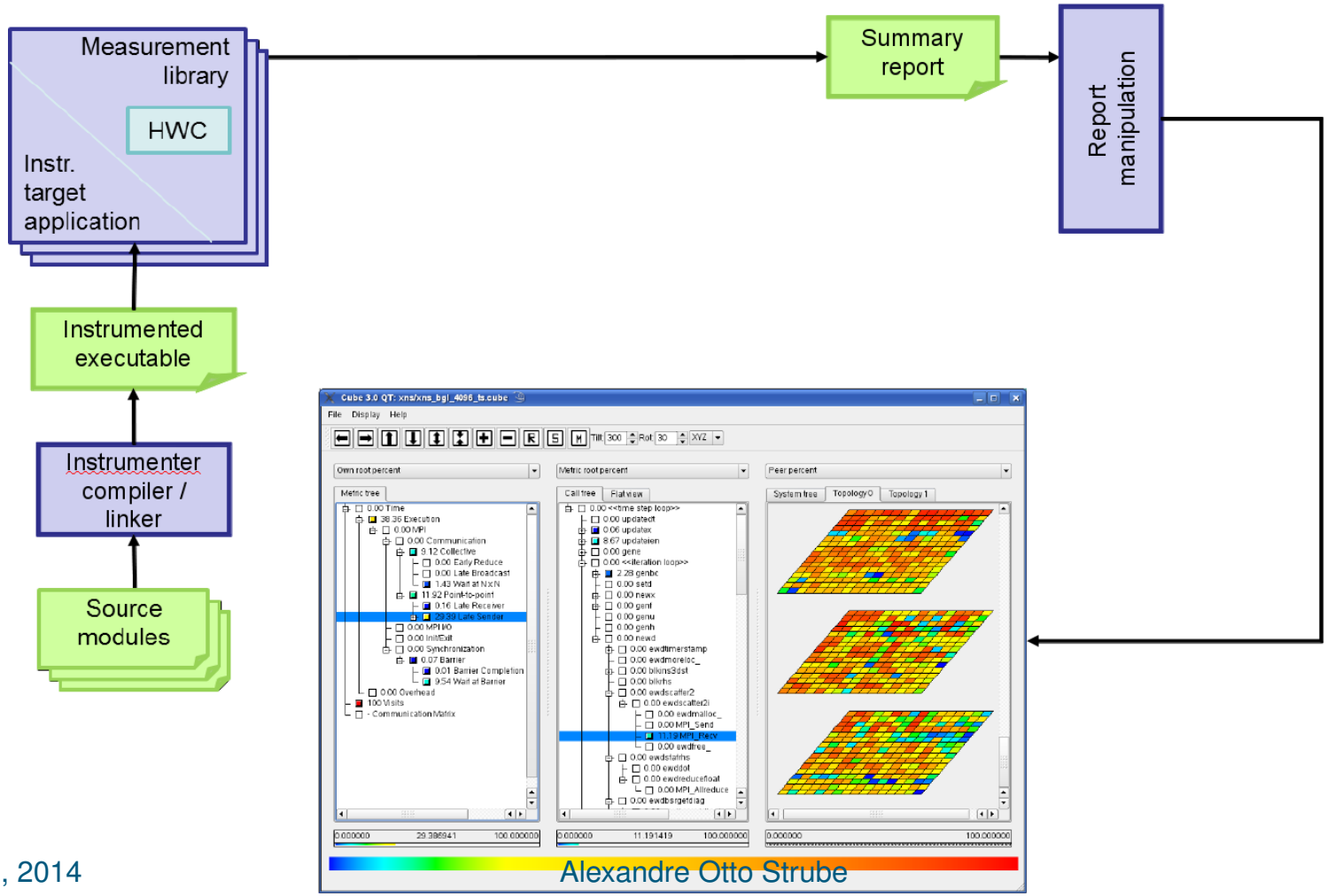
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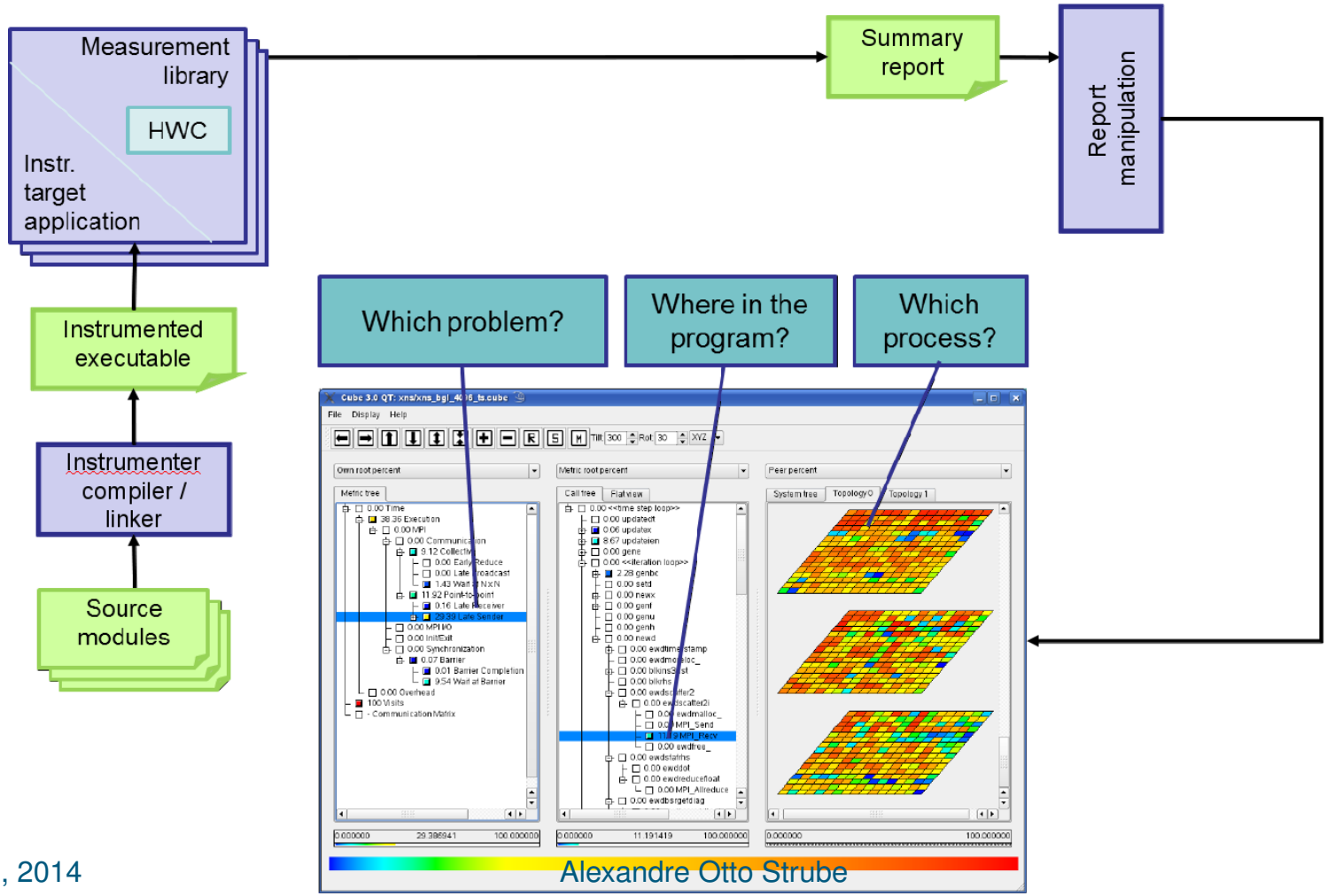

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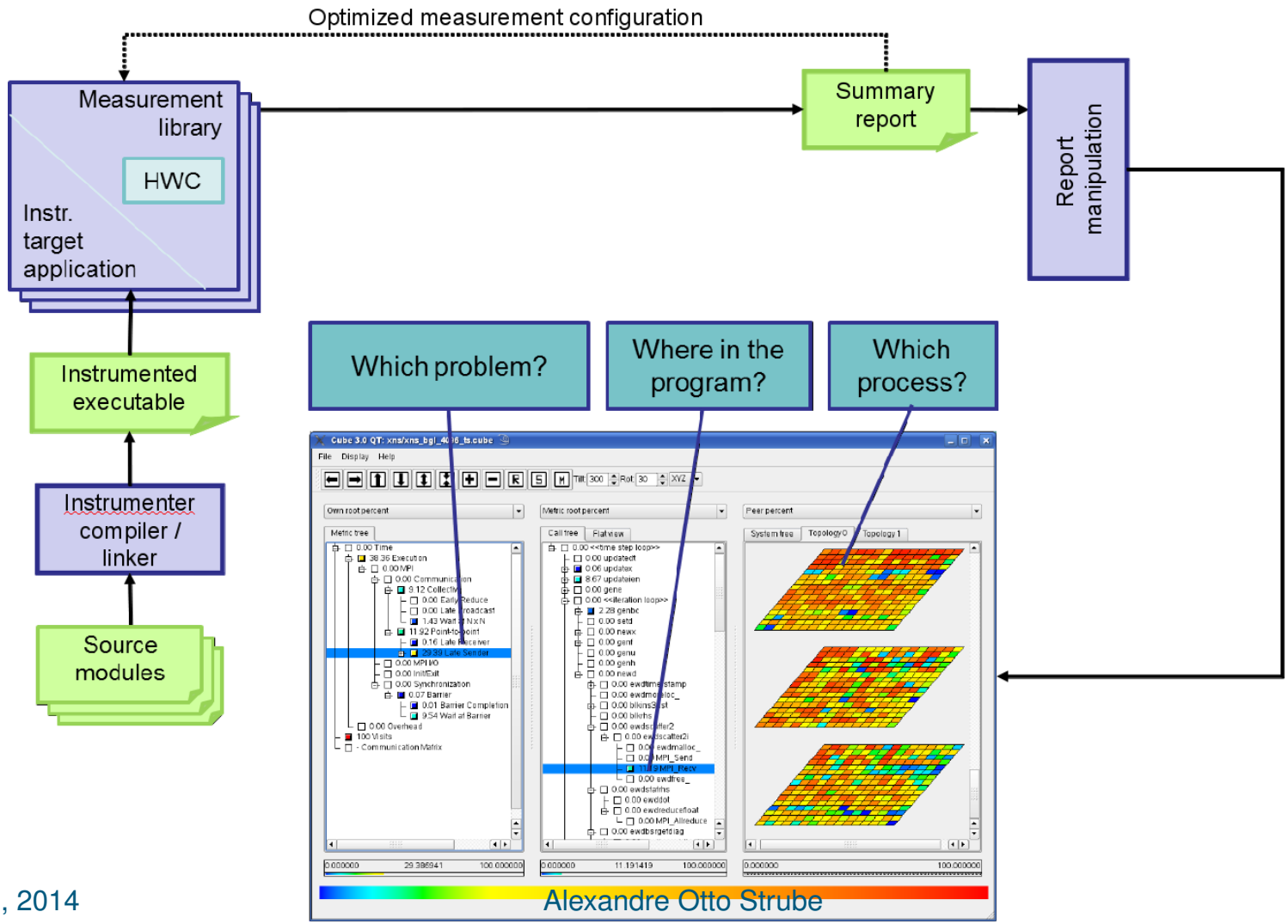
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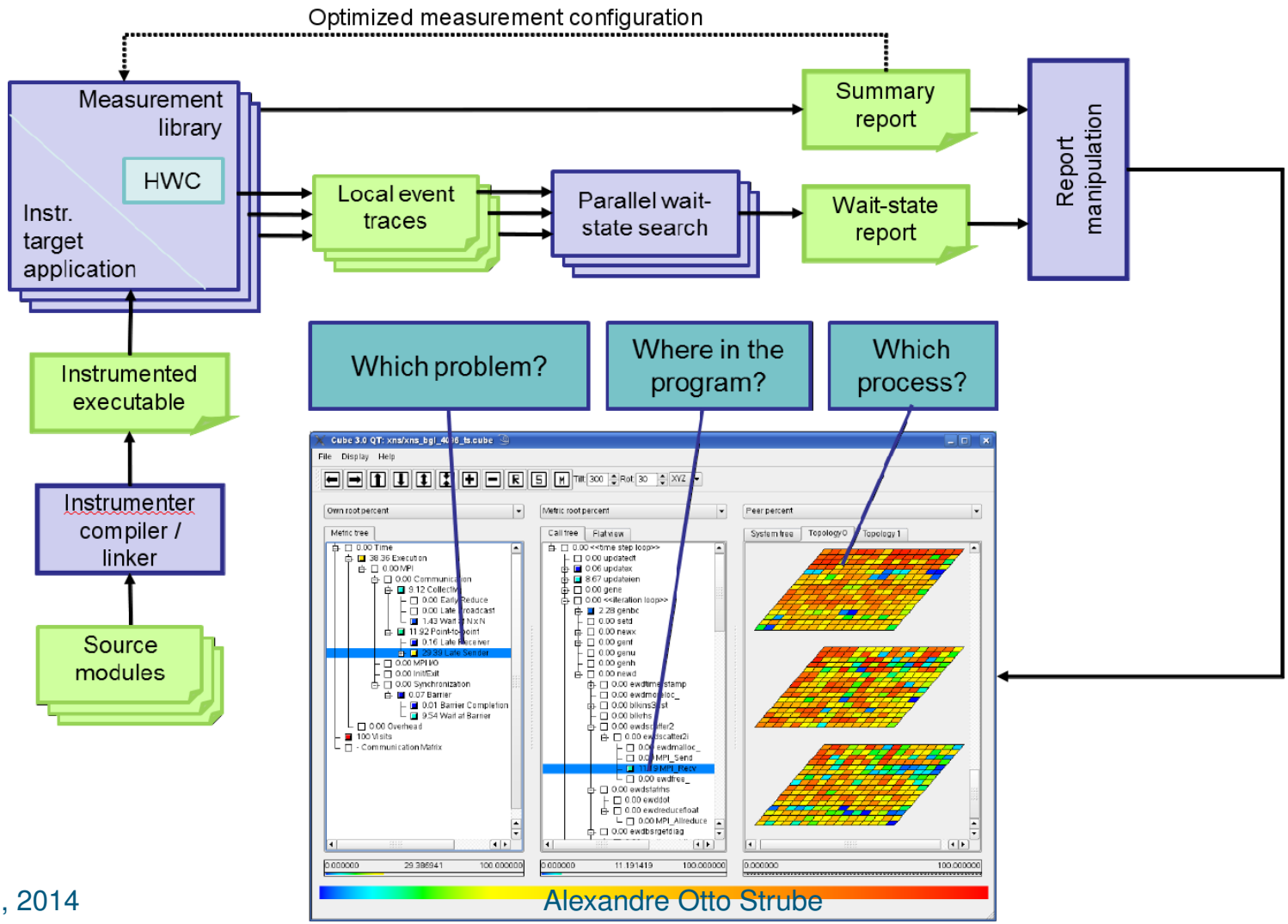

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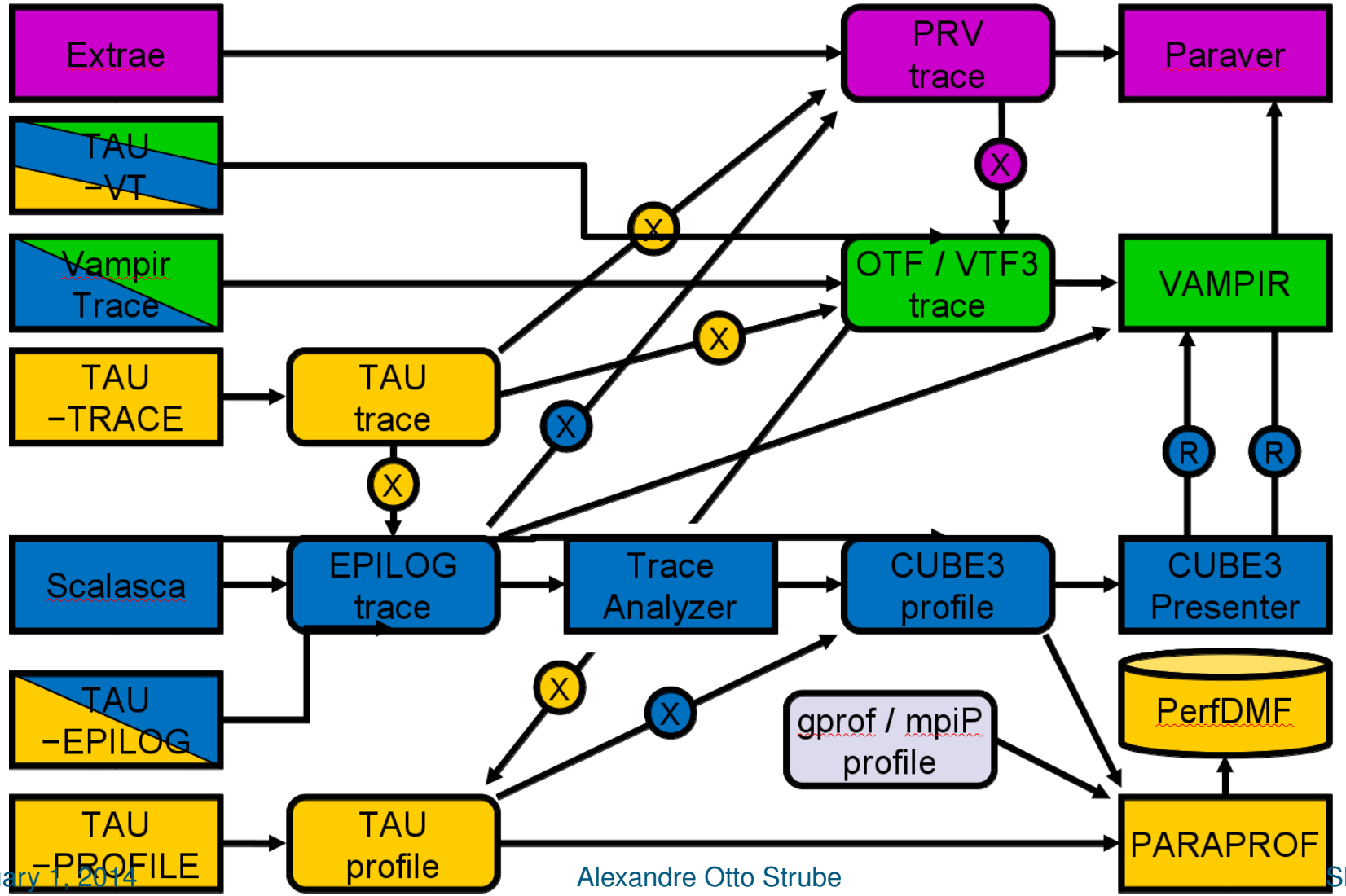

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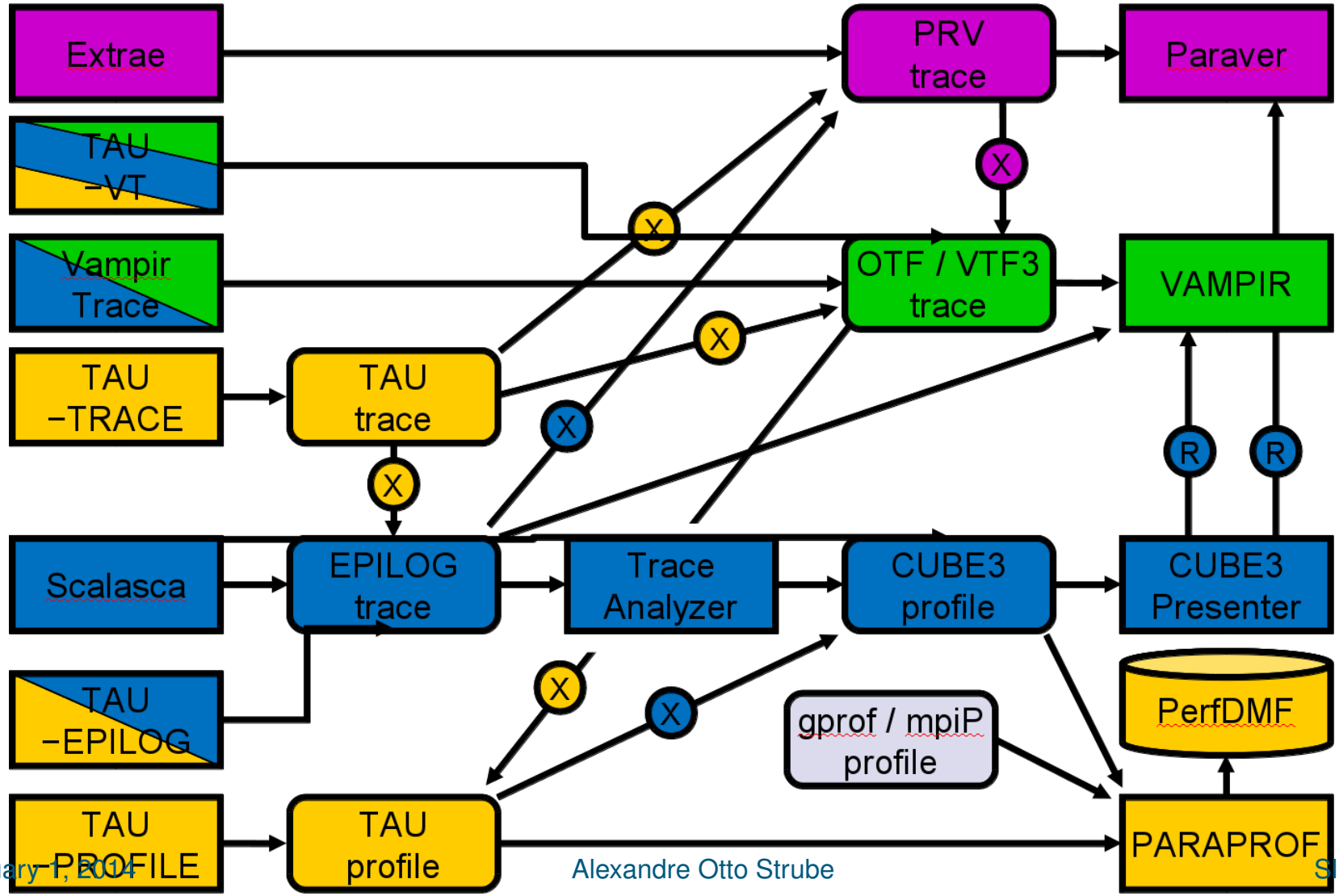

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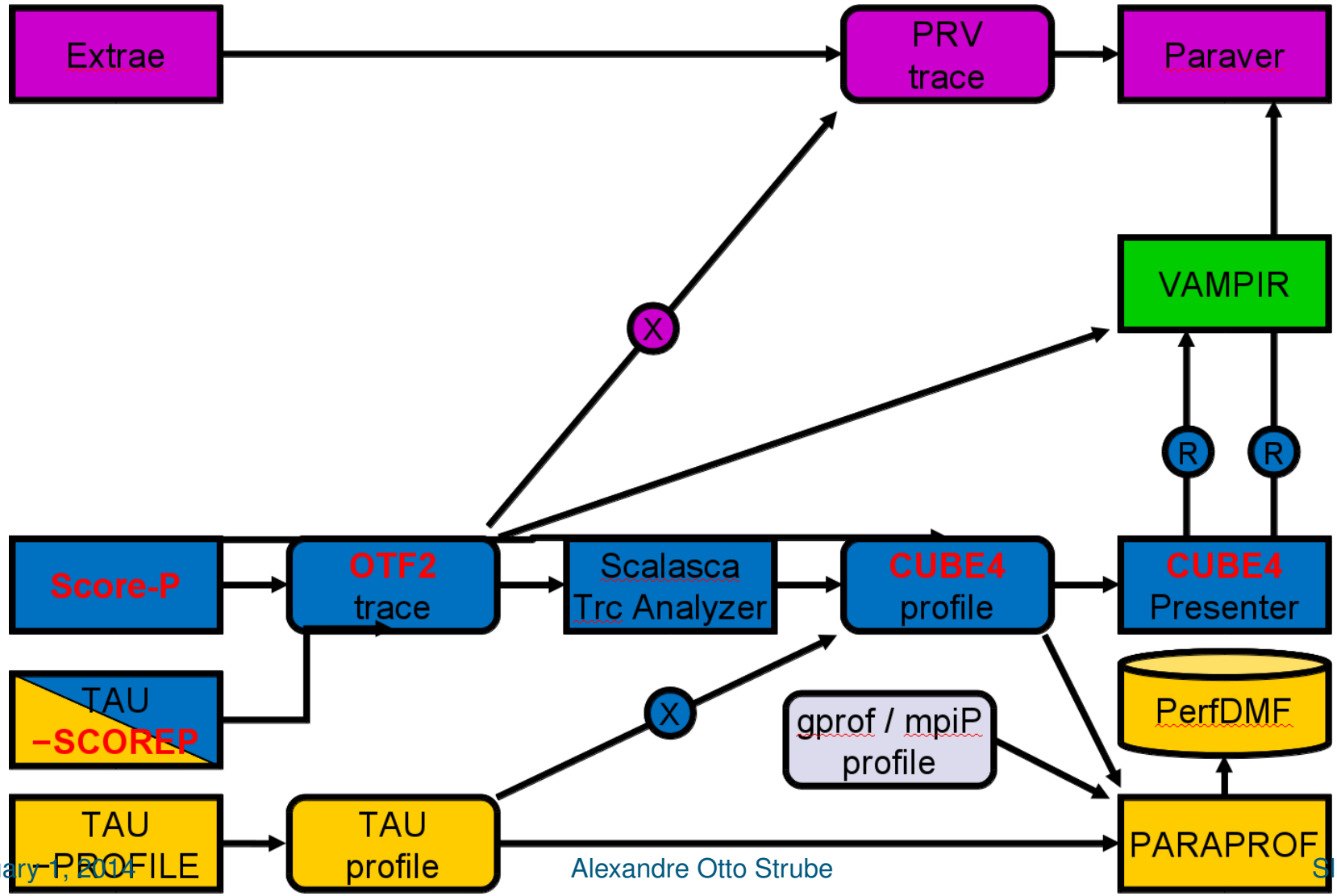

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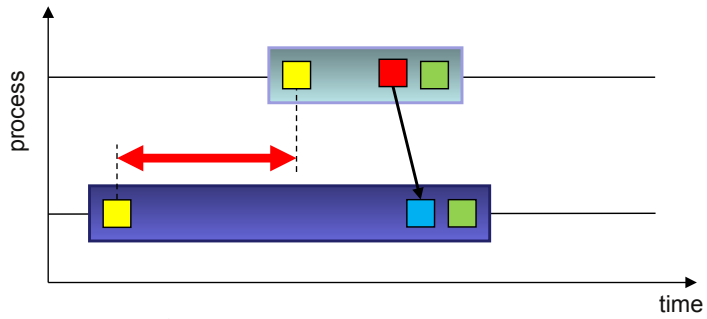

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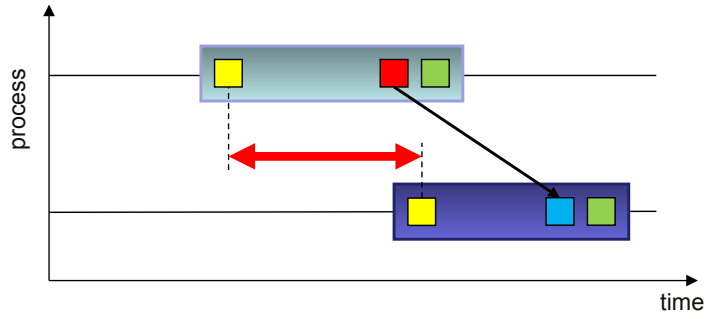

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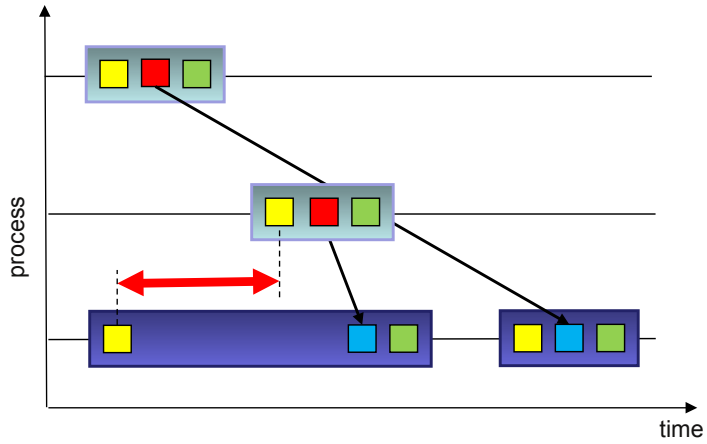

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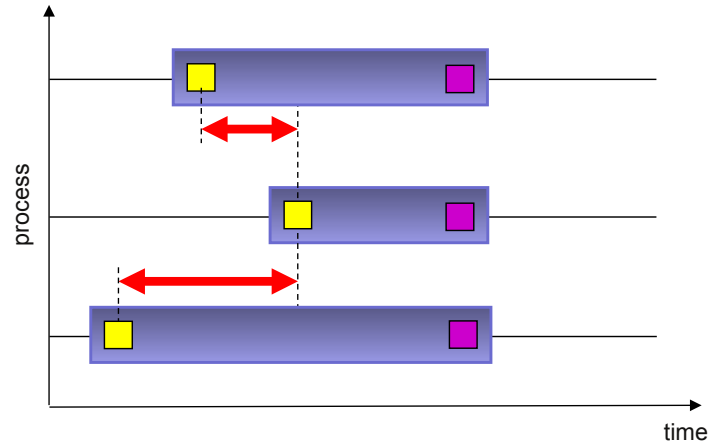

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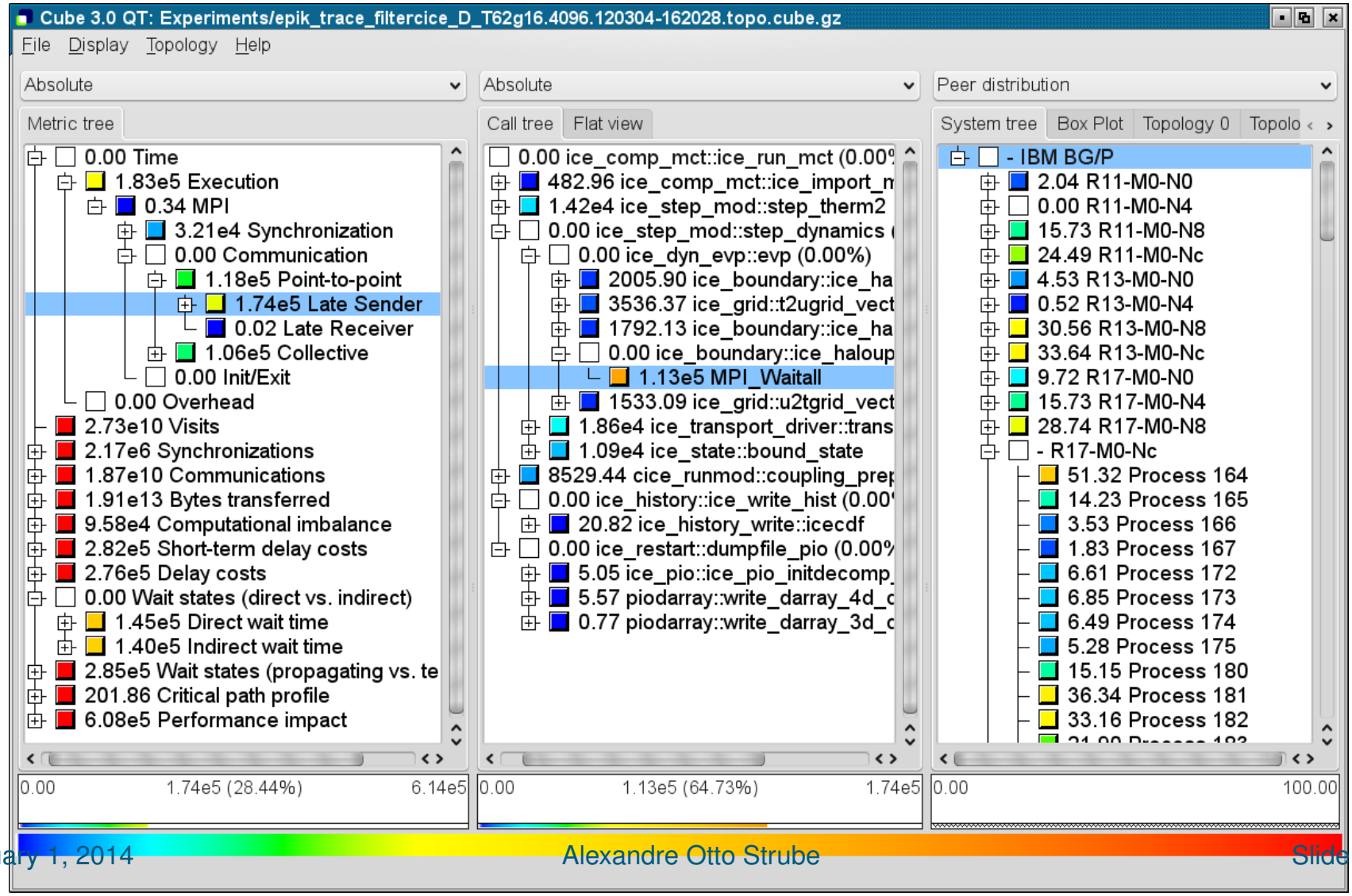

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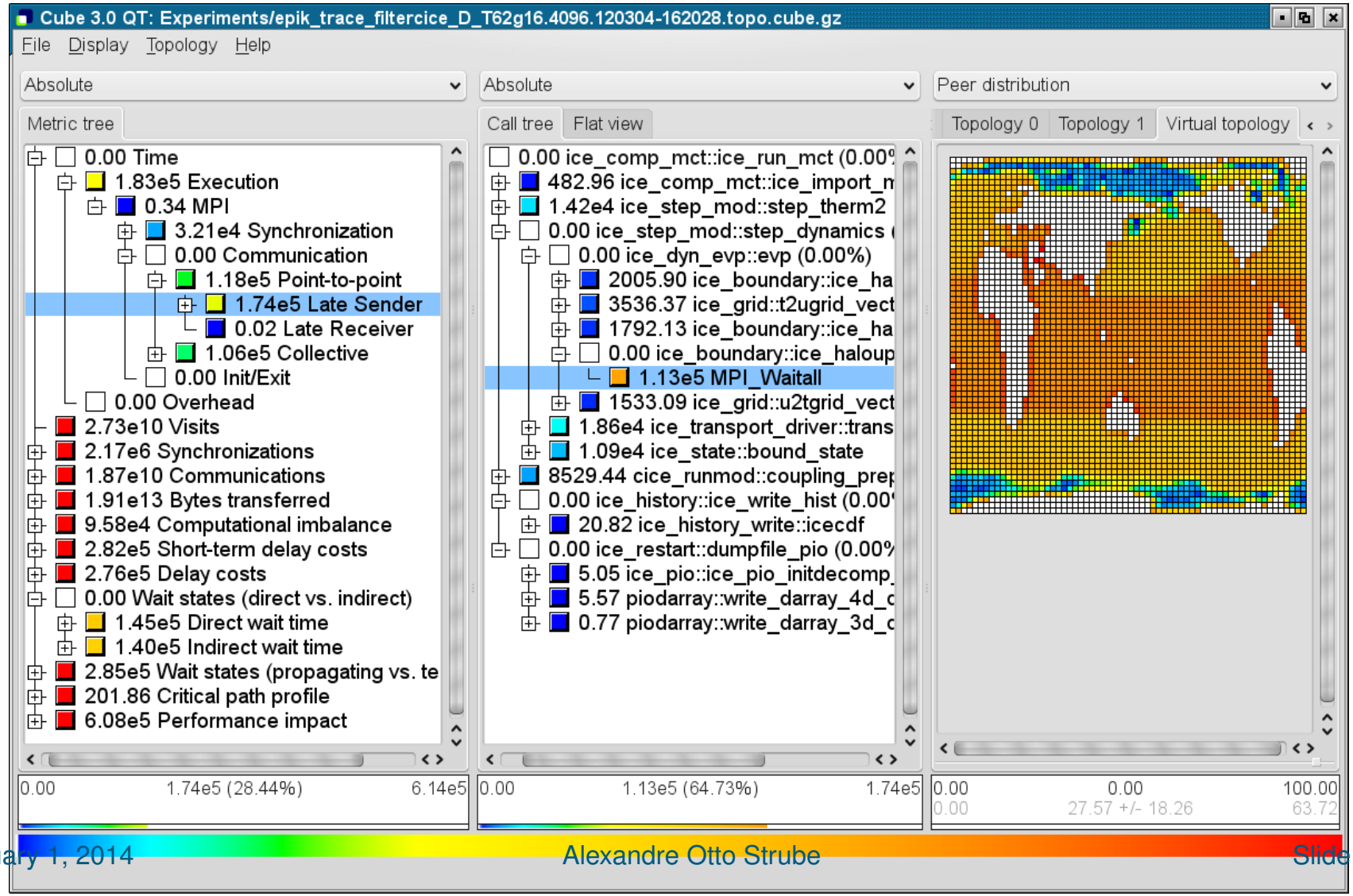

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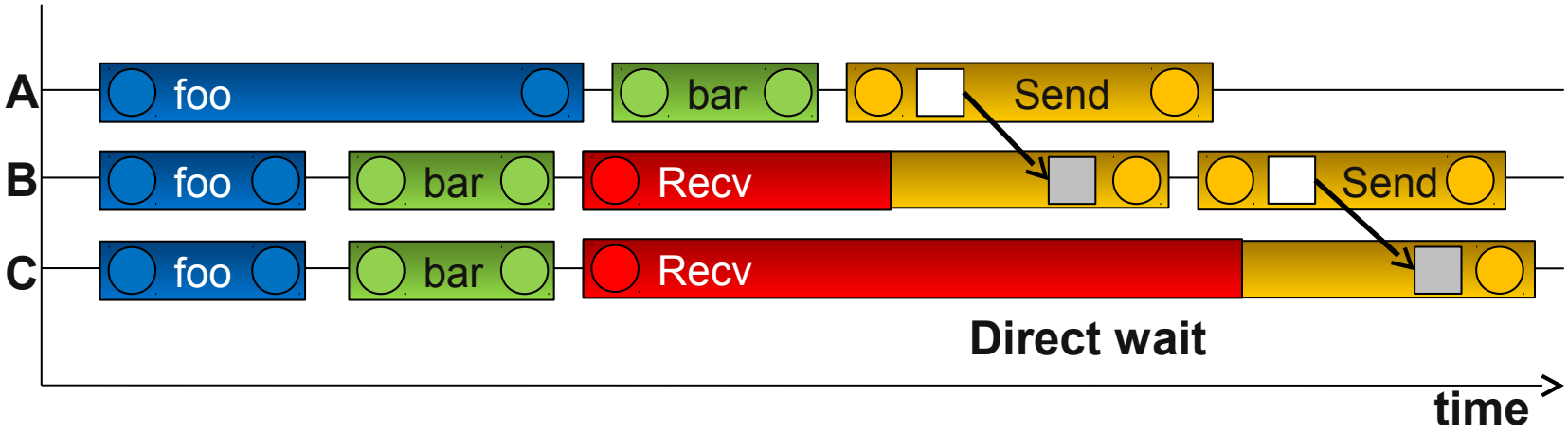

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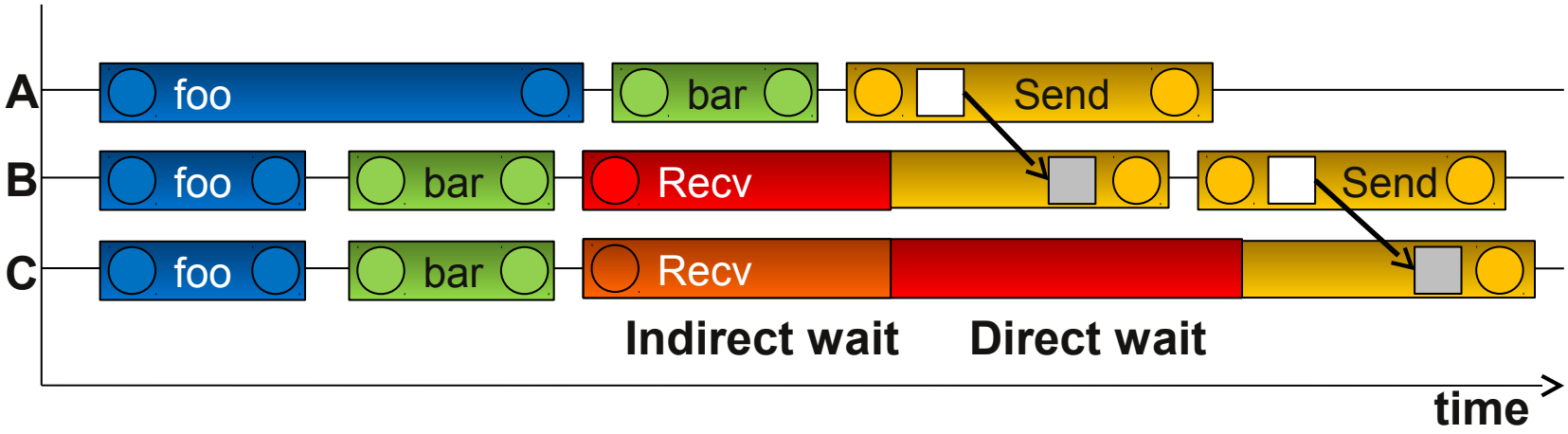

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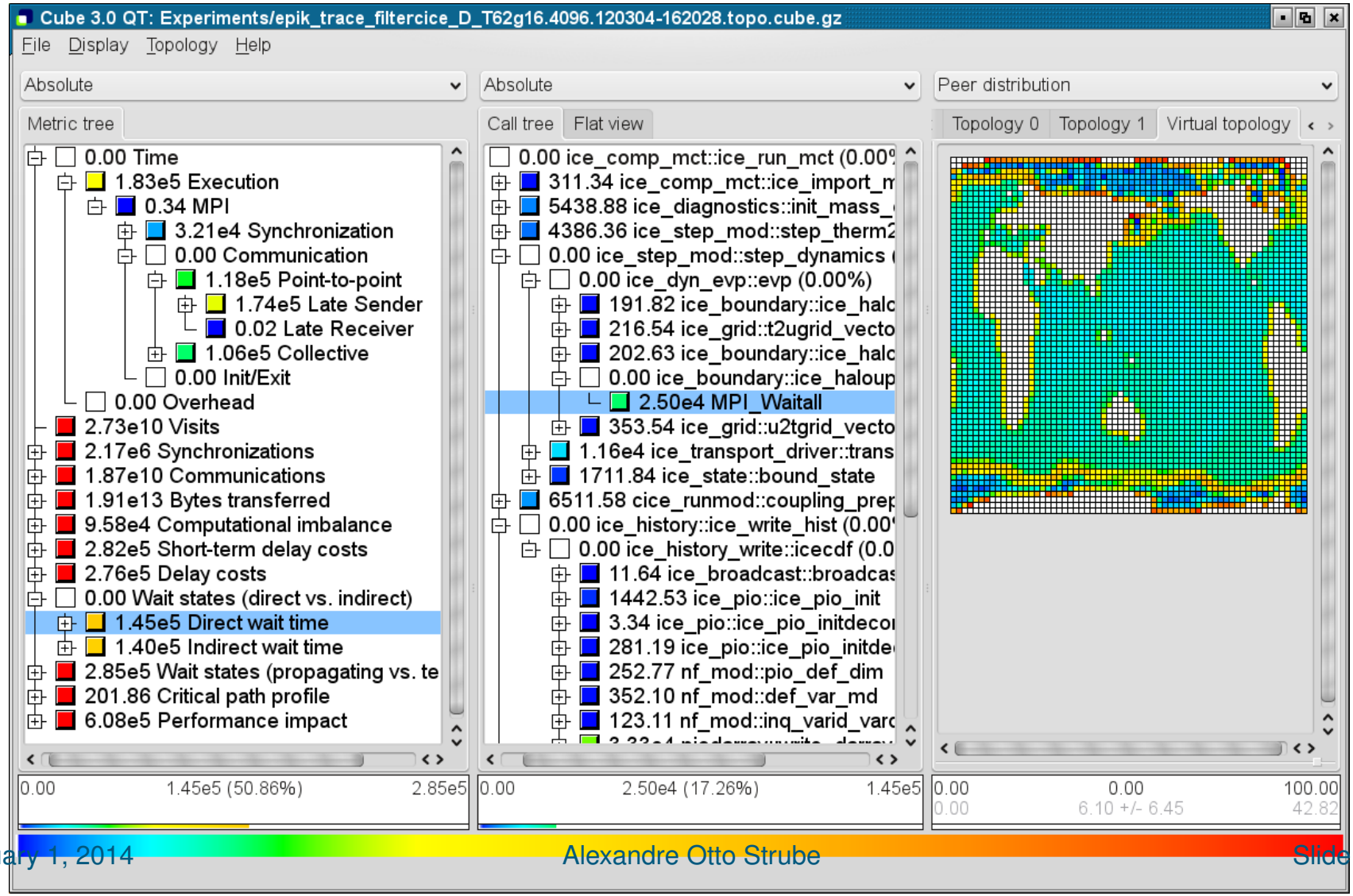

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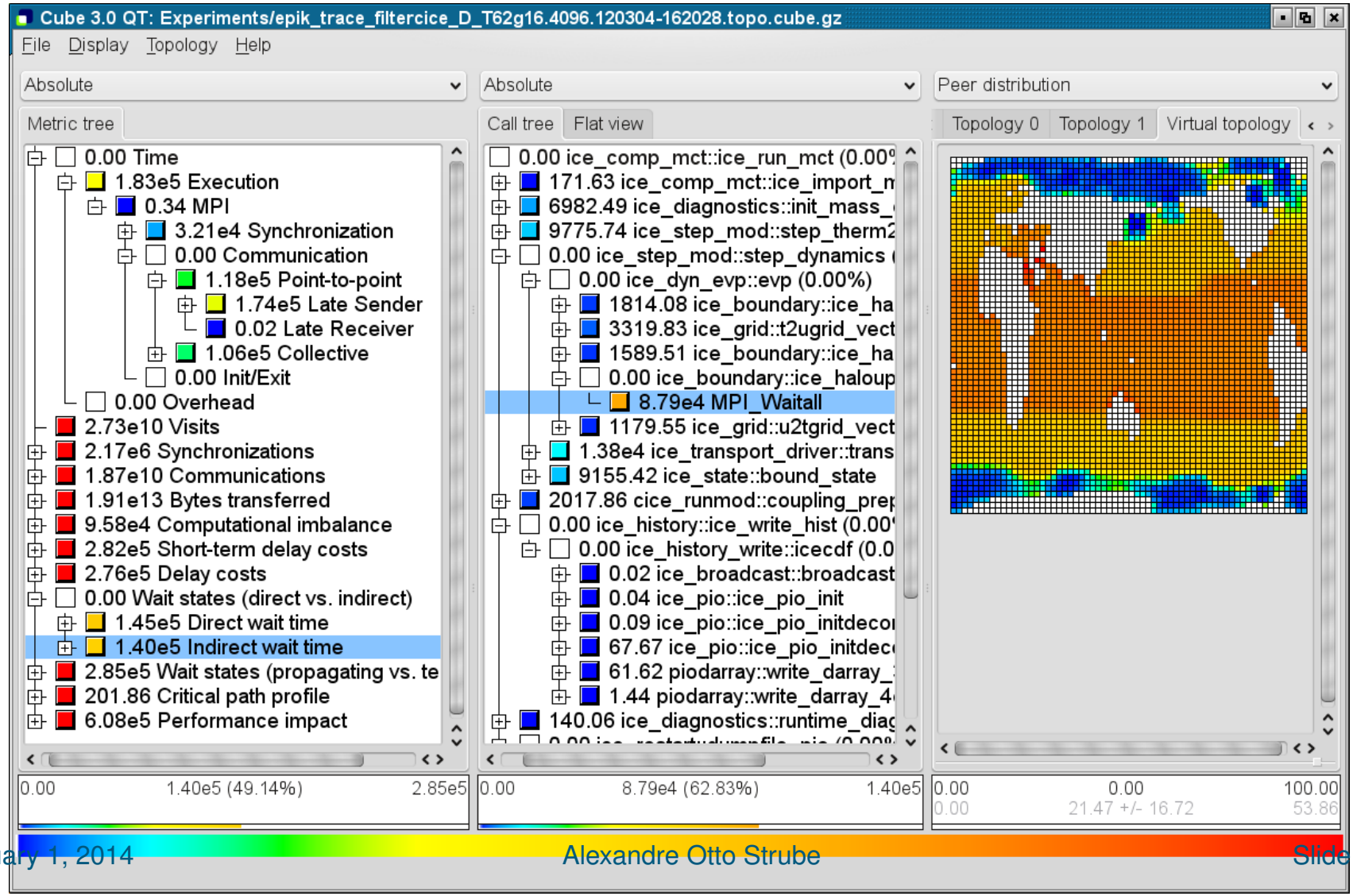

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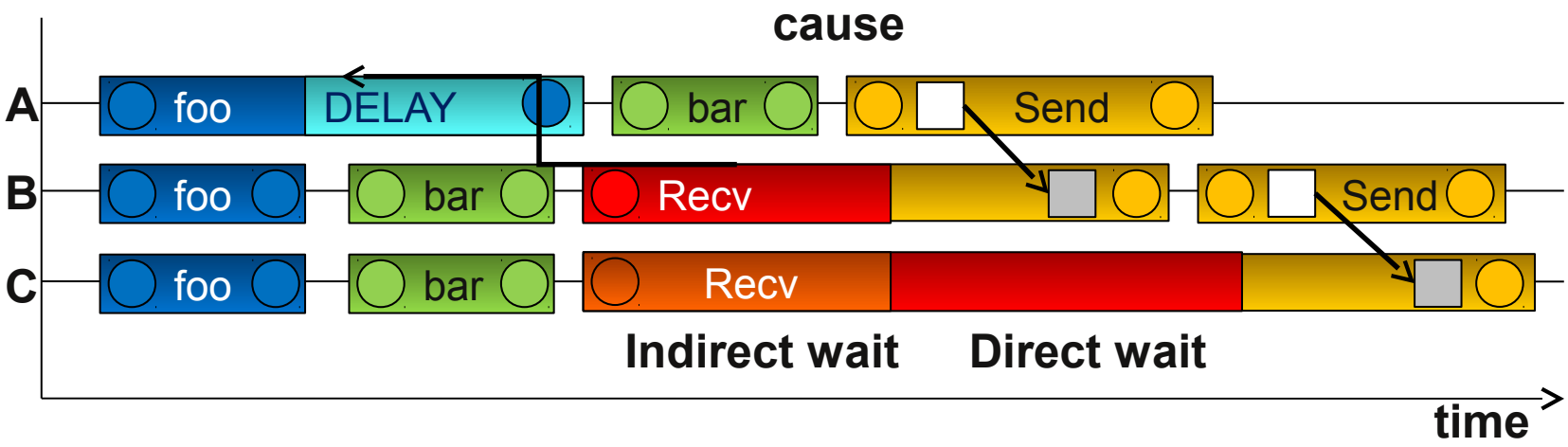

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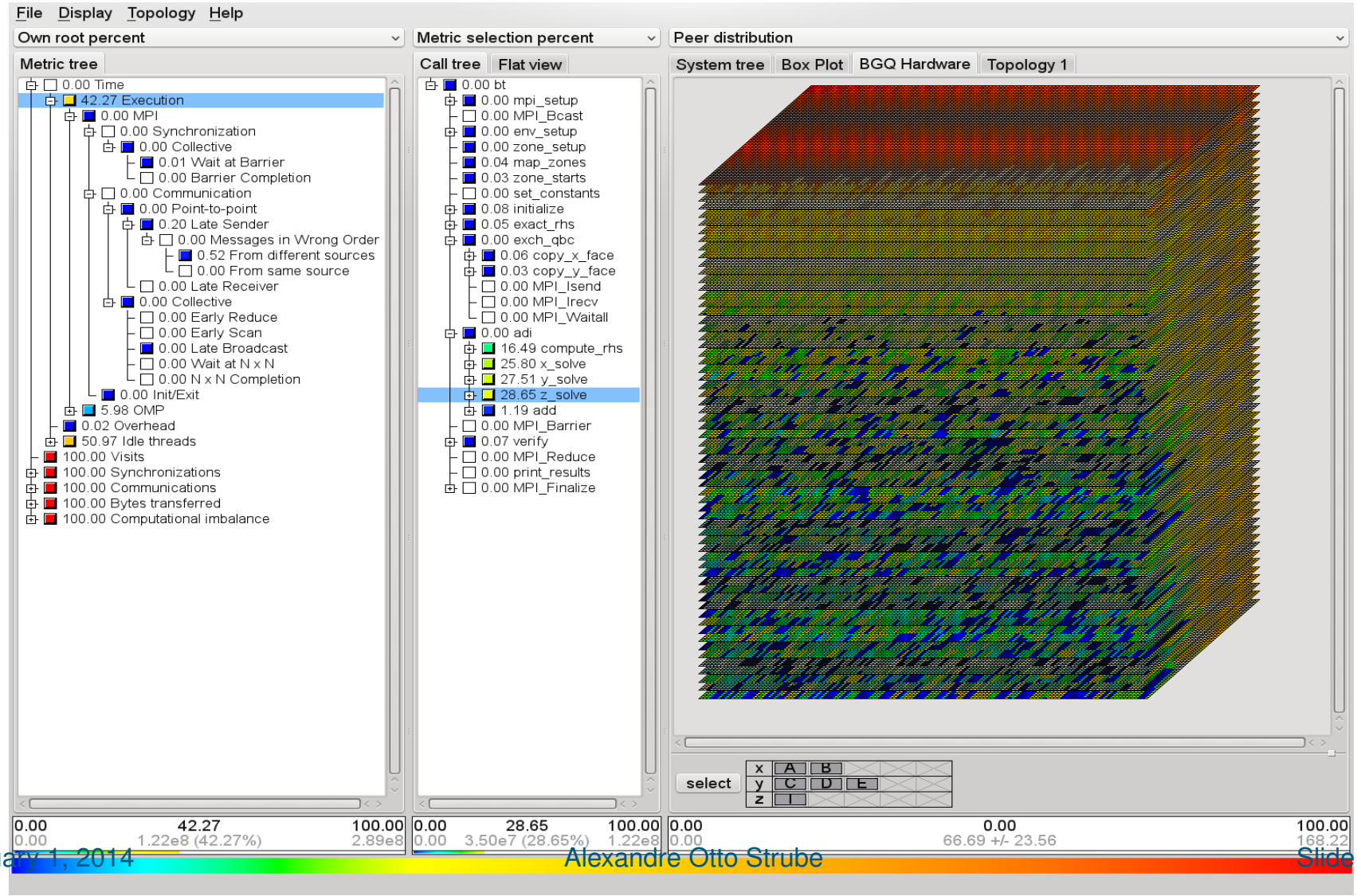

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