

# Lift: a Functional Approach to Generating High Performance GPU Code using Rewrite Rules



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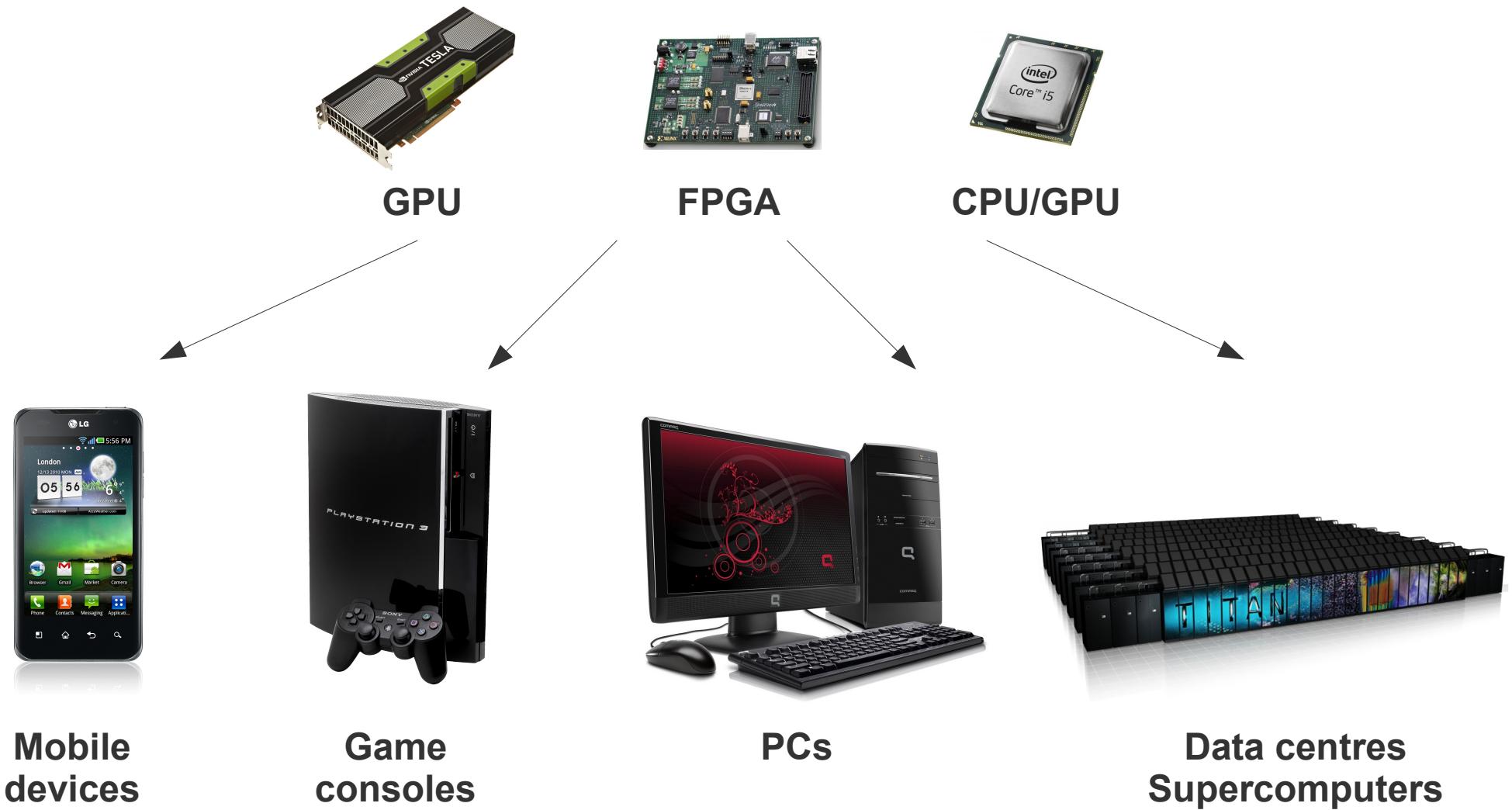


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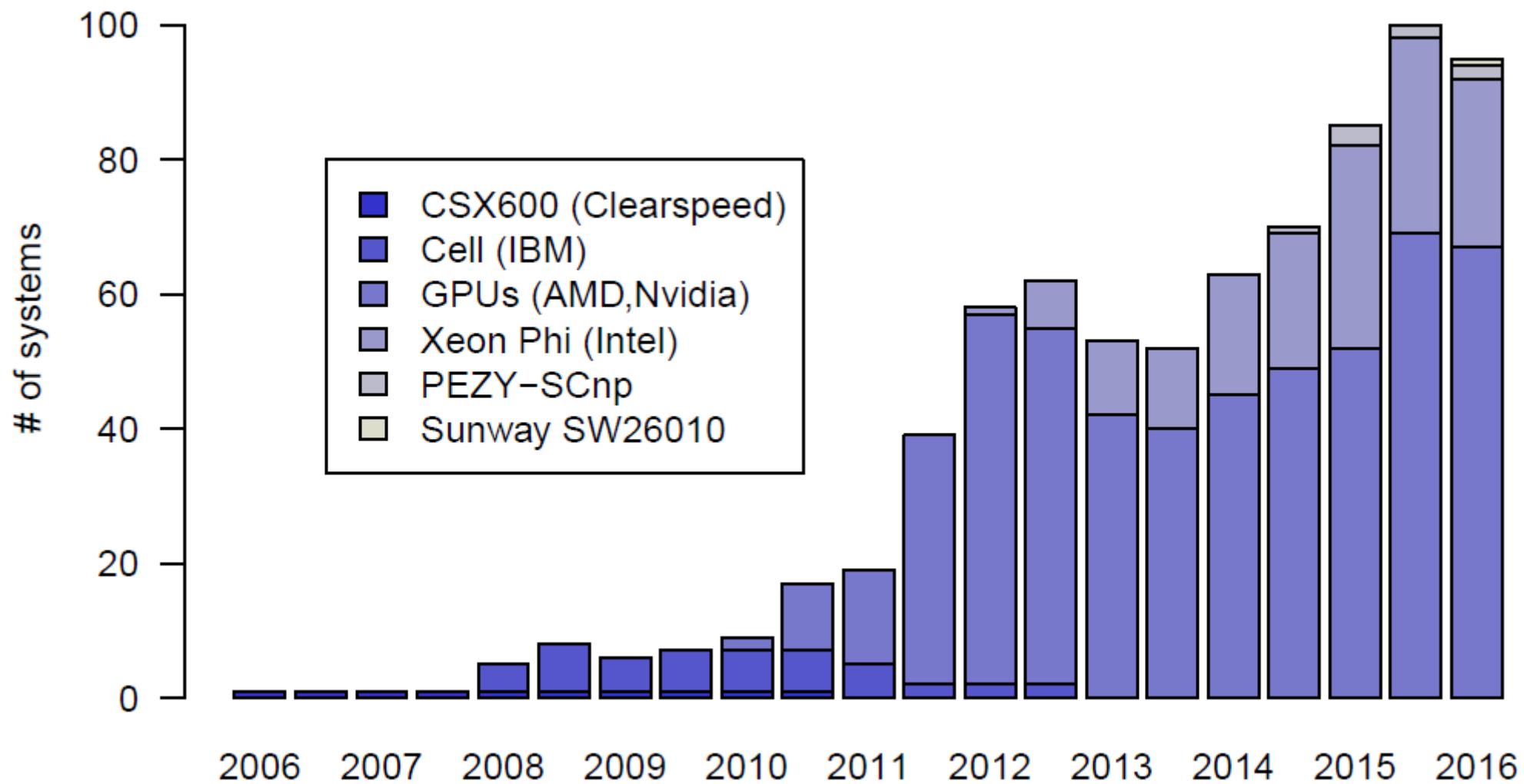
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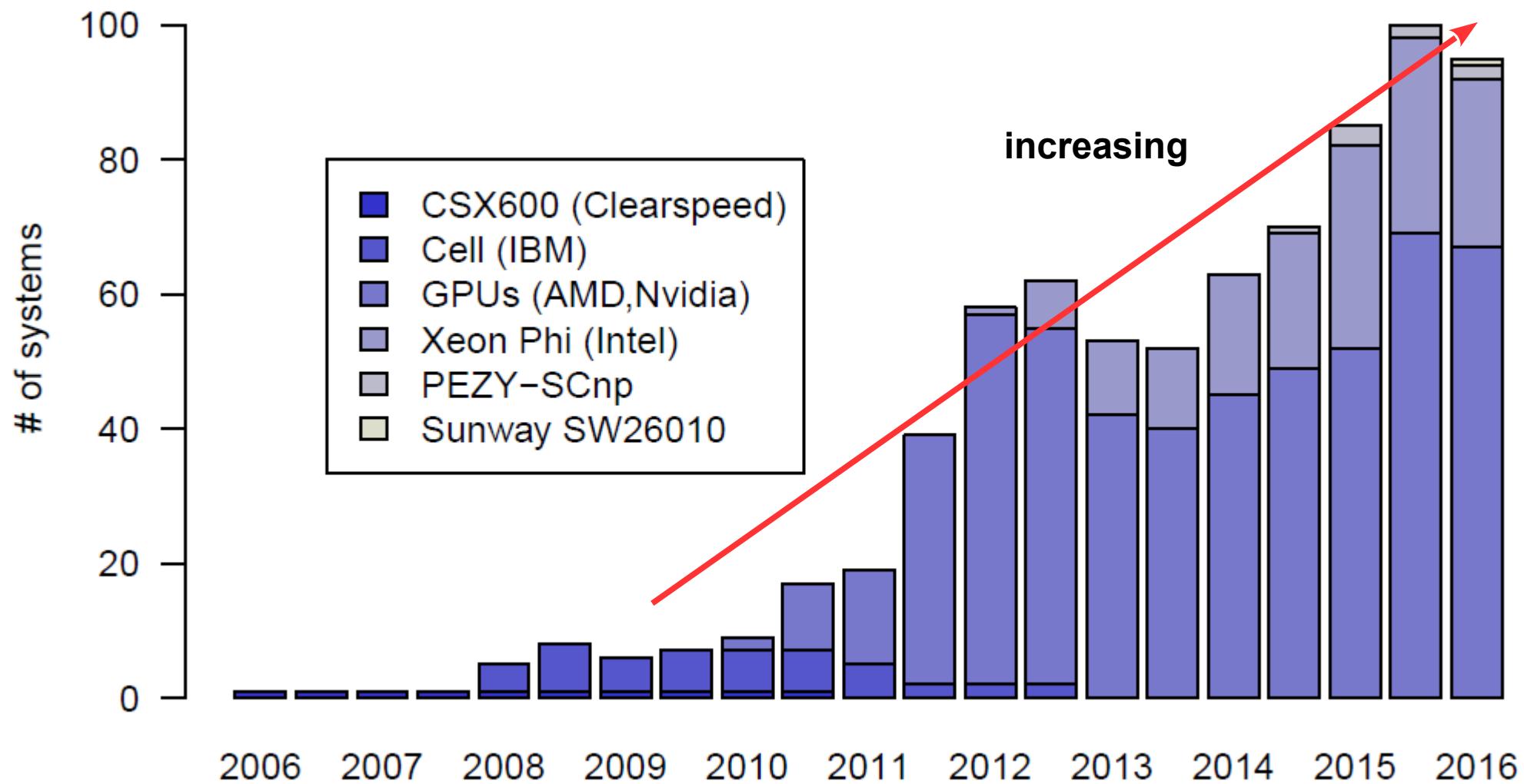
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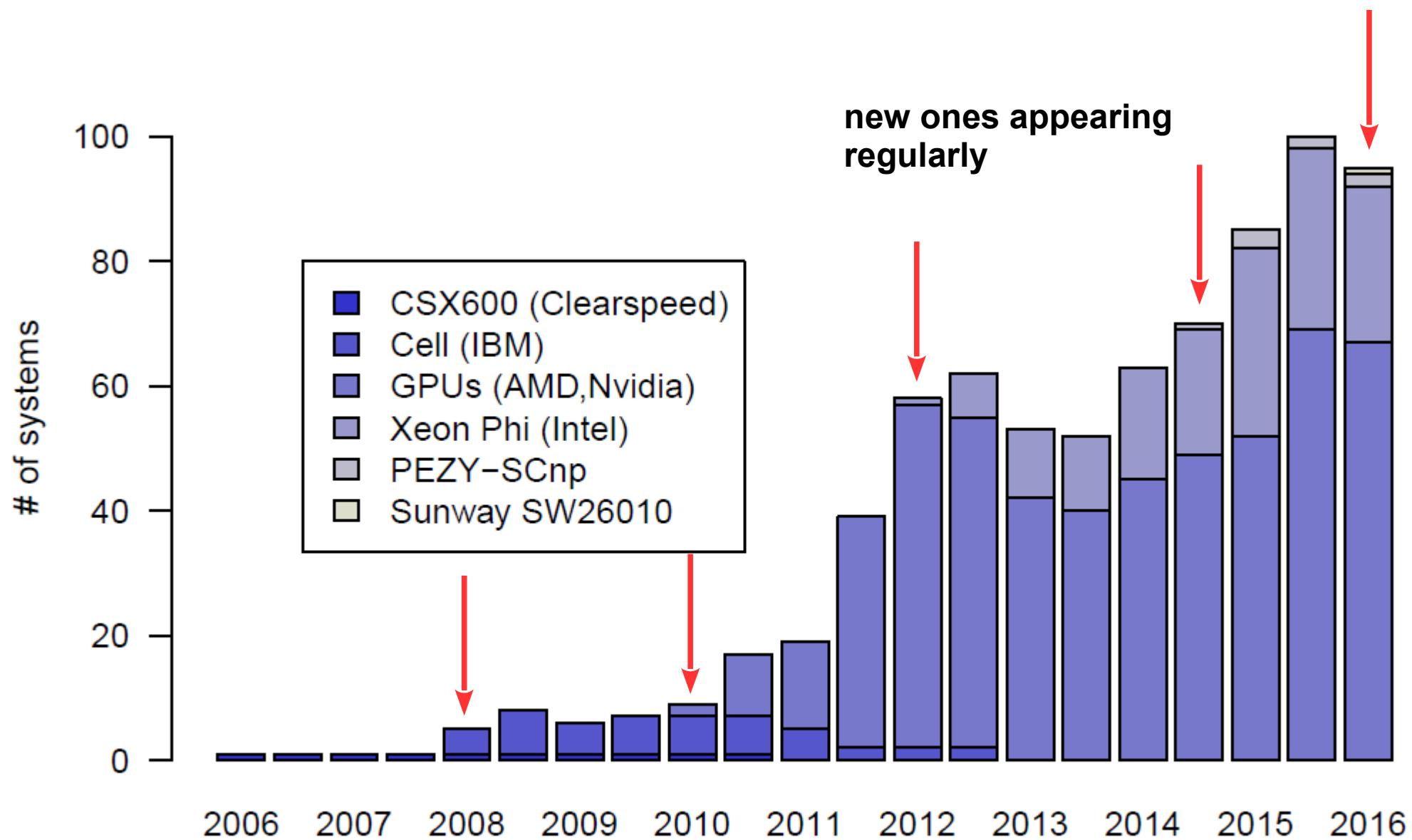
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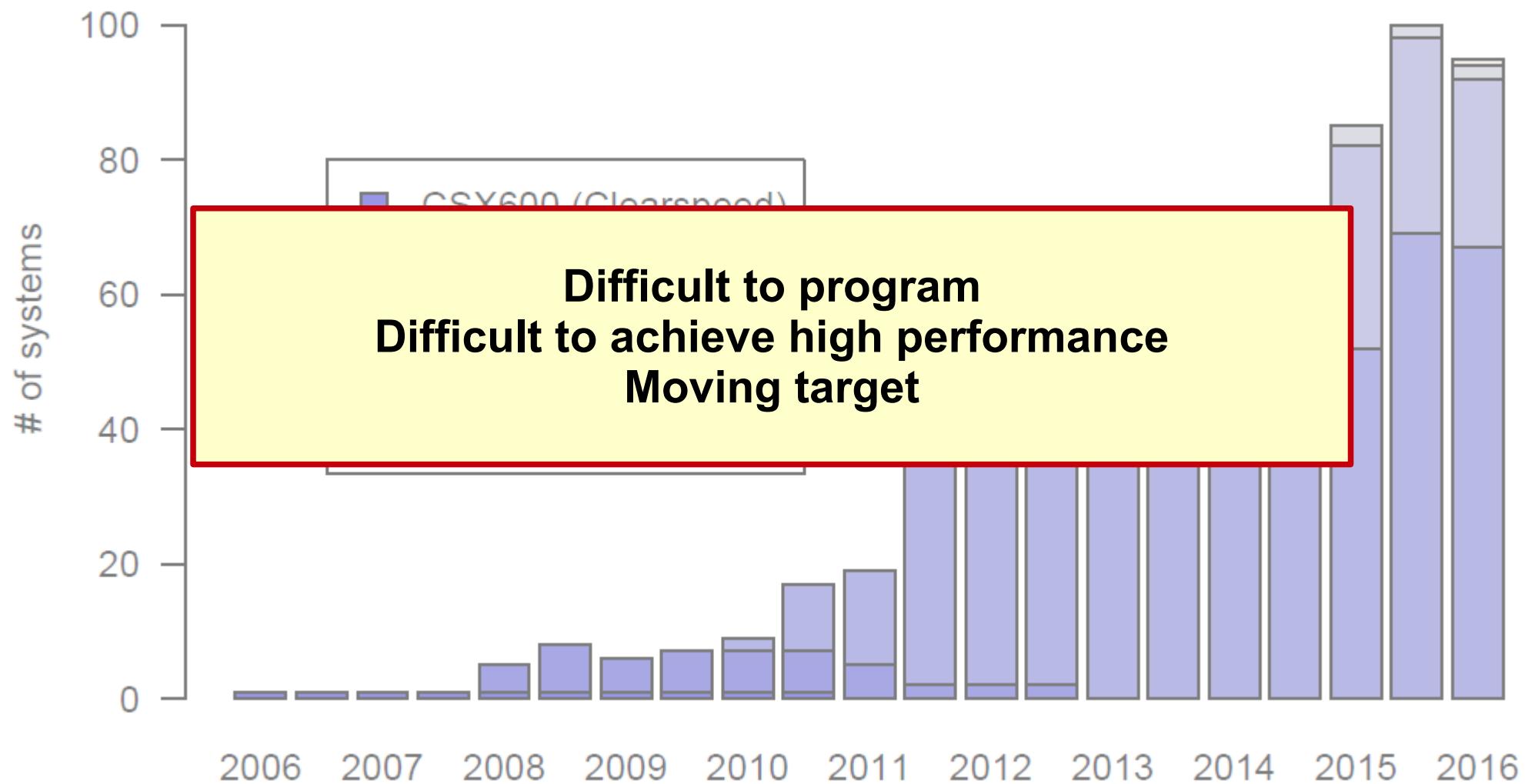
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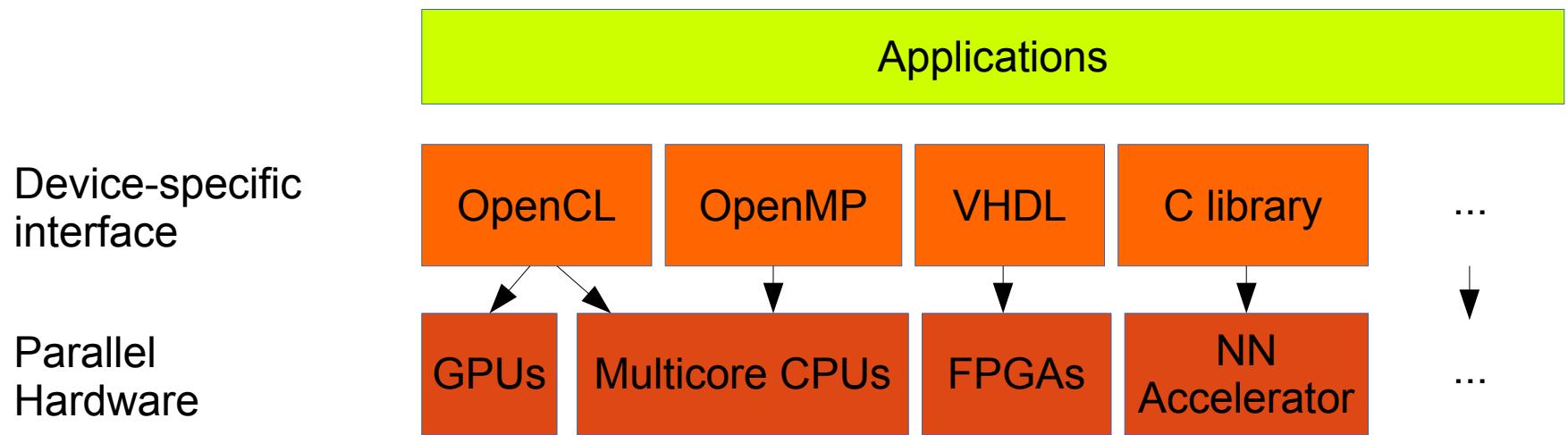
# Top 500 with parallel accelerators



# **But also domain-specific accelerators**

- ▶ E.g. Google neural network accelerators
  - TPU (Tensor Processor Units)
- ▶ E.g. Movidius vision accelerators
  - VPU (Vision Processing Units)

# Current situation



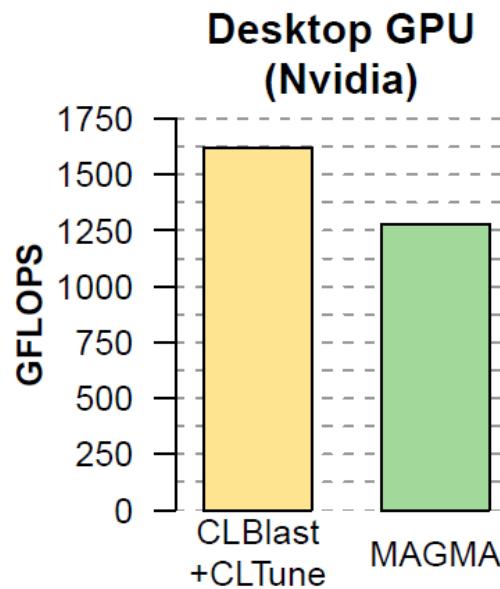
**Programmers have to be  
expert in high performance computing!**

# + Performance is not portable!

- ▶ hand-written implementations for each device
  - parametric auto-tuner

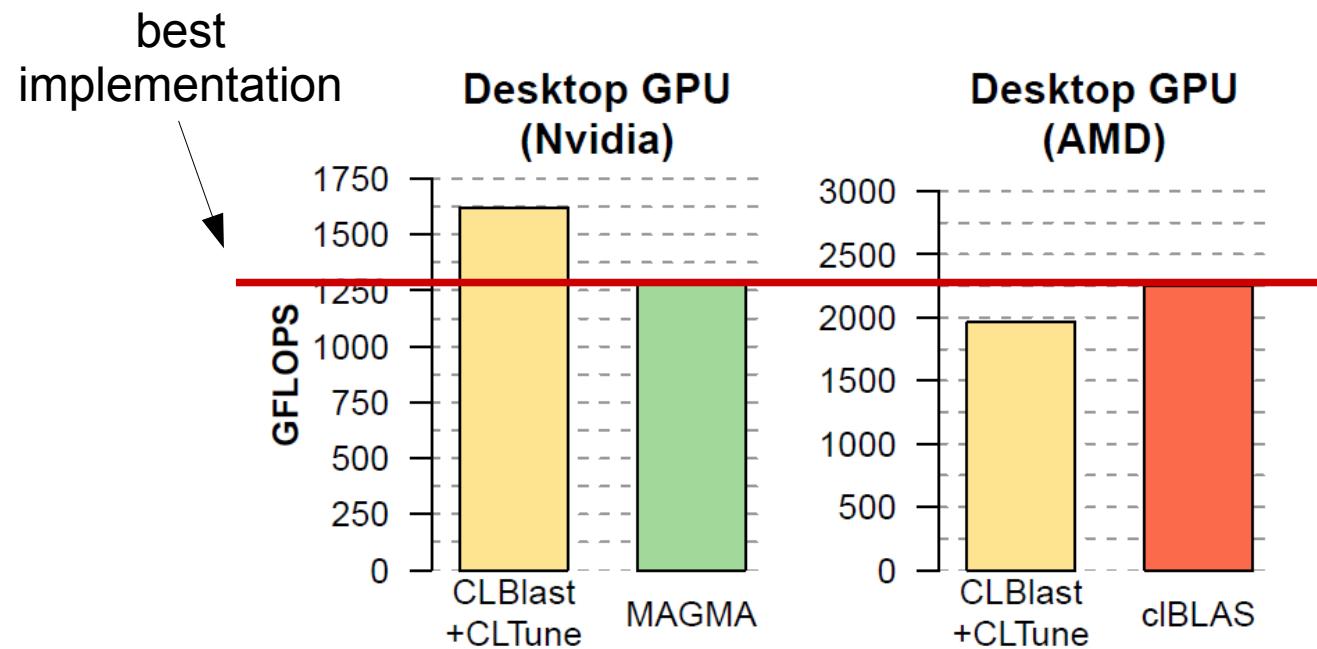
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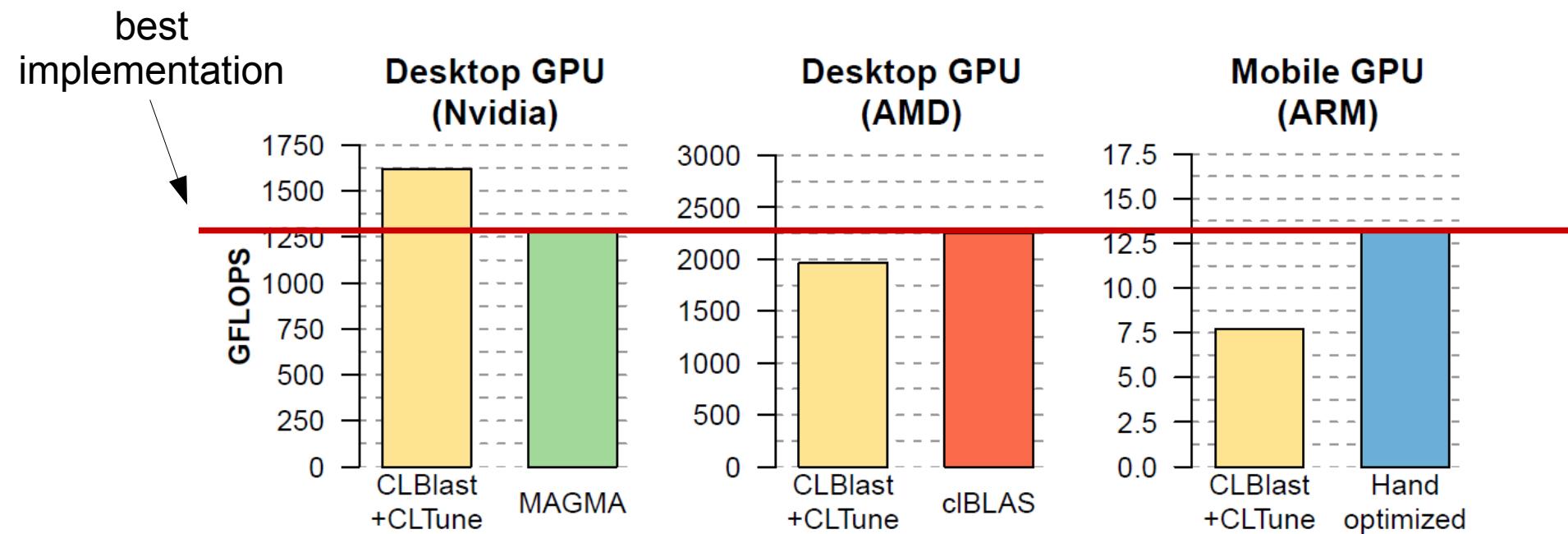
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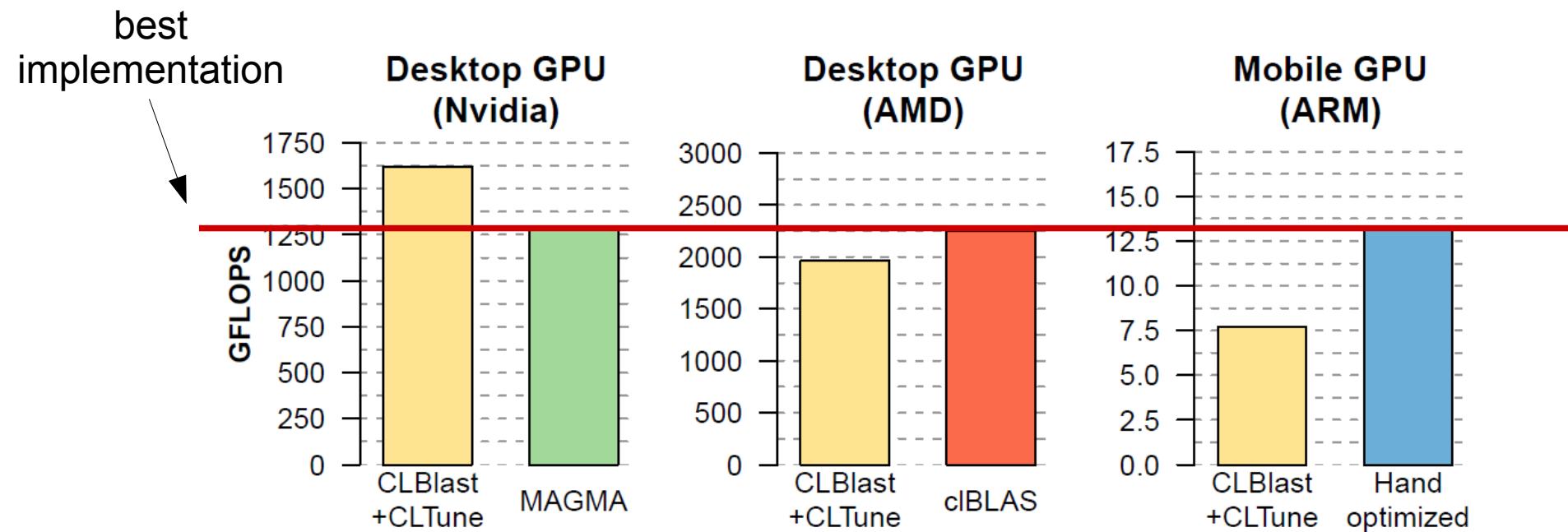
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## Matrix-matrix multiplication auto-tuner



Auto-tuning alone fails to achieve portable performance

**Need for high-level programming**  
+  
**Code generation**

# High-Level programming approaches for heterogeneous devices

- StreamIt (MIT)
  - Dataflow programming, architecture Independent
  - Multiple backend (tile architecture, C, FPGA, GPU)
- LiquidMetal (IBM)
  - Java + dataflow programming + (map / reduce)
  - C, OpenCL and FPGA backend
- Green-Marl (Stanford / Oracle)
  - DSL for graph analysis
  - operations described on graph's node or edges
- Halide (MIT)
  - DSL for imagine processing, functional in nature
  - GPU code generator
- TensorFlow (Google)
  - DSL library for AI applications
  - data flow model

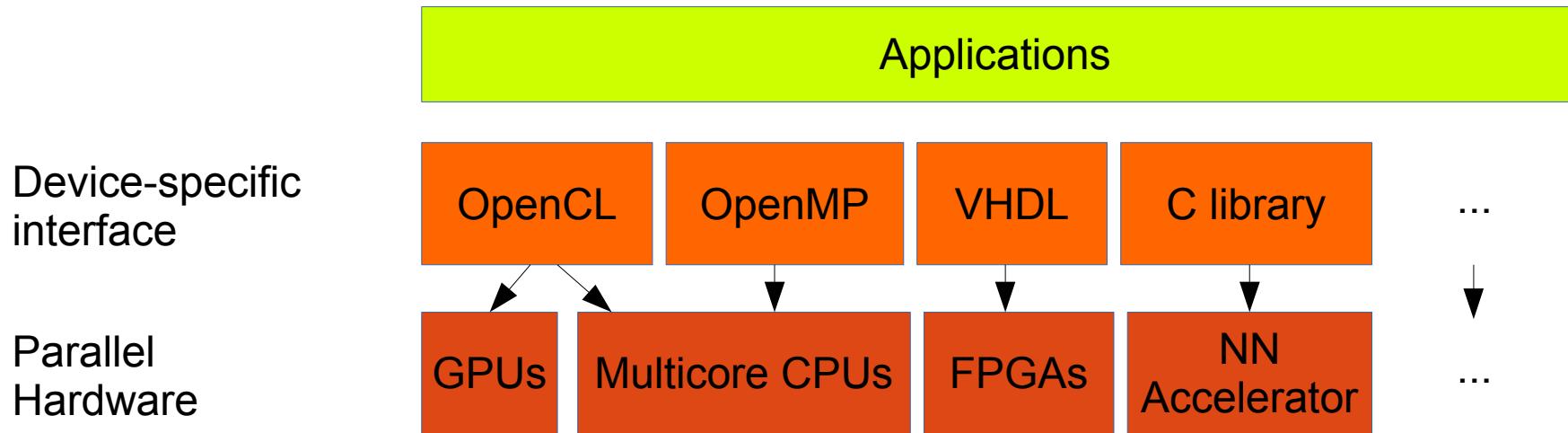
# Data flow & functional approaches:

- Hardware complexity is hidden away
  - → code portability
- Empowers the compiler
  - no need for complicated analysis
  - explicit data movement, no global state
  - can be mapped on various hardware
  - scheduling is easier

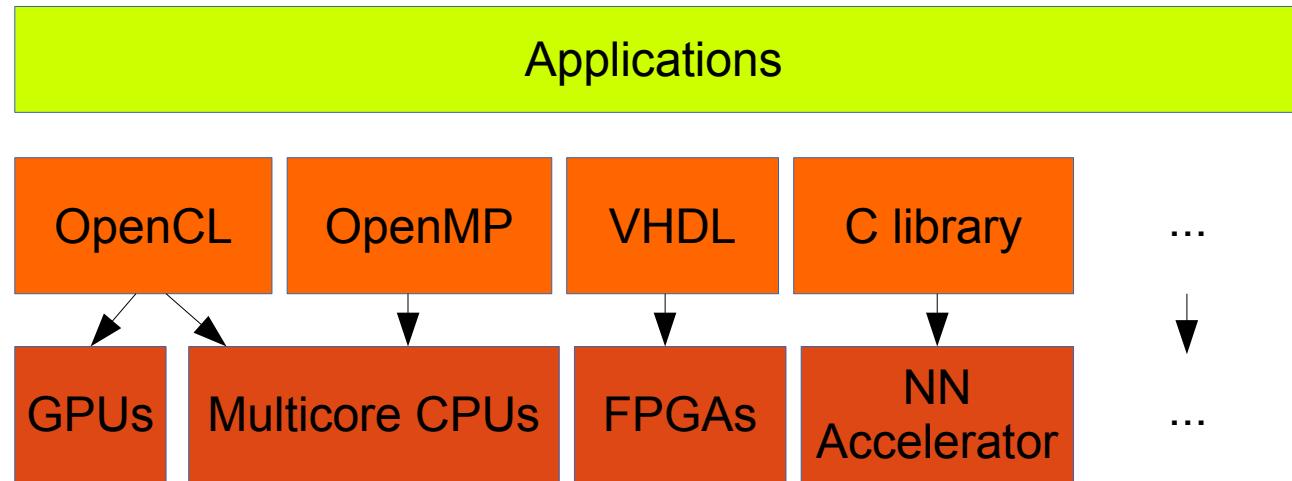
# General purpose framework for data parallelism

- ▶ Delite (Stanford + EPFL)
  - framework for developing high-performance DSLs
  - provide built-in parallel primitives
  - Multicore + GPU code generation
- ▶ Lift (Edinburgh)
  - intermediate data-parallel language
  - compiler optimisations expressed as rewrite rules
  - Multicore + GPU code generation
  - + more to come (MPI, OpenMP, VHDL)

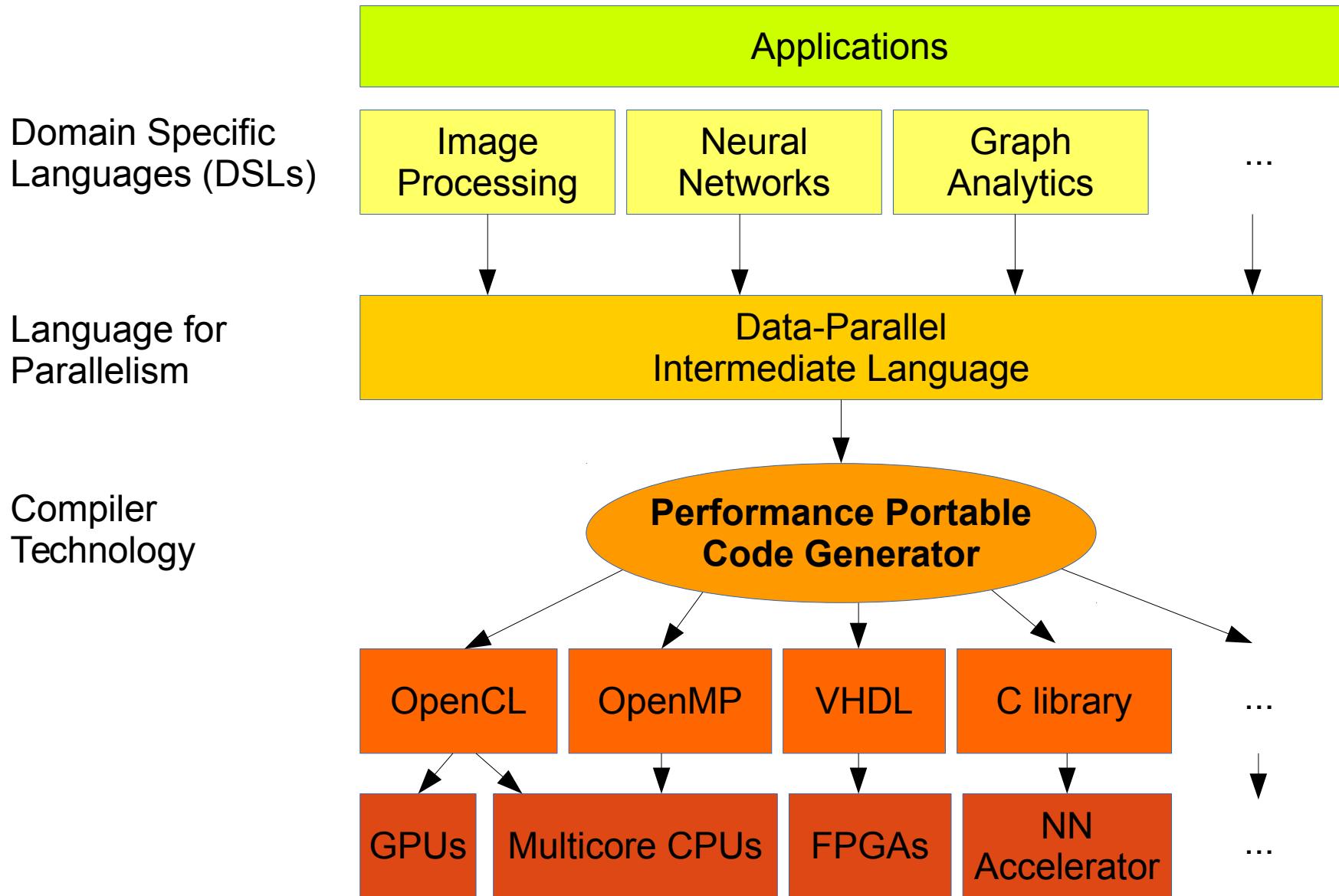
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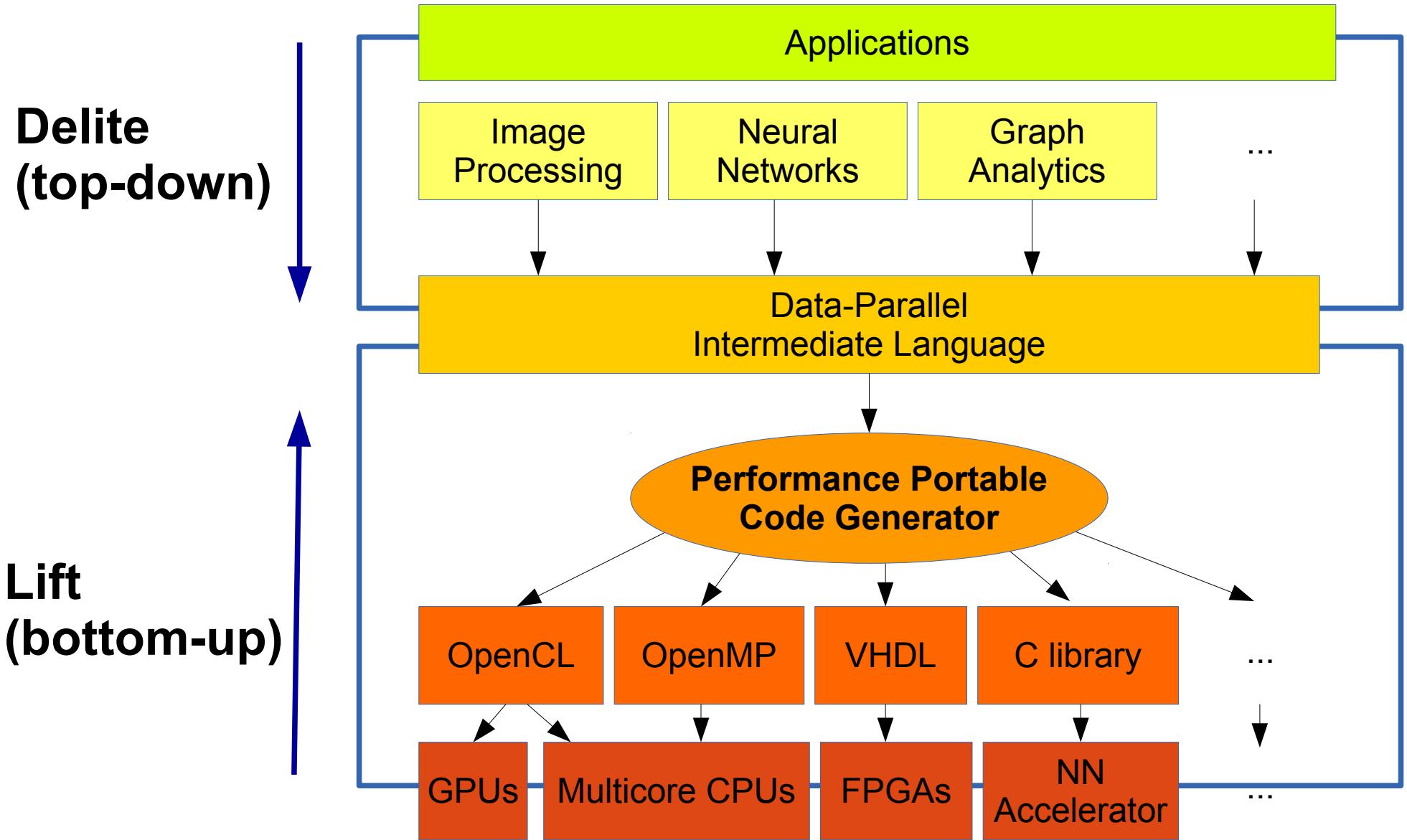
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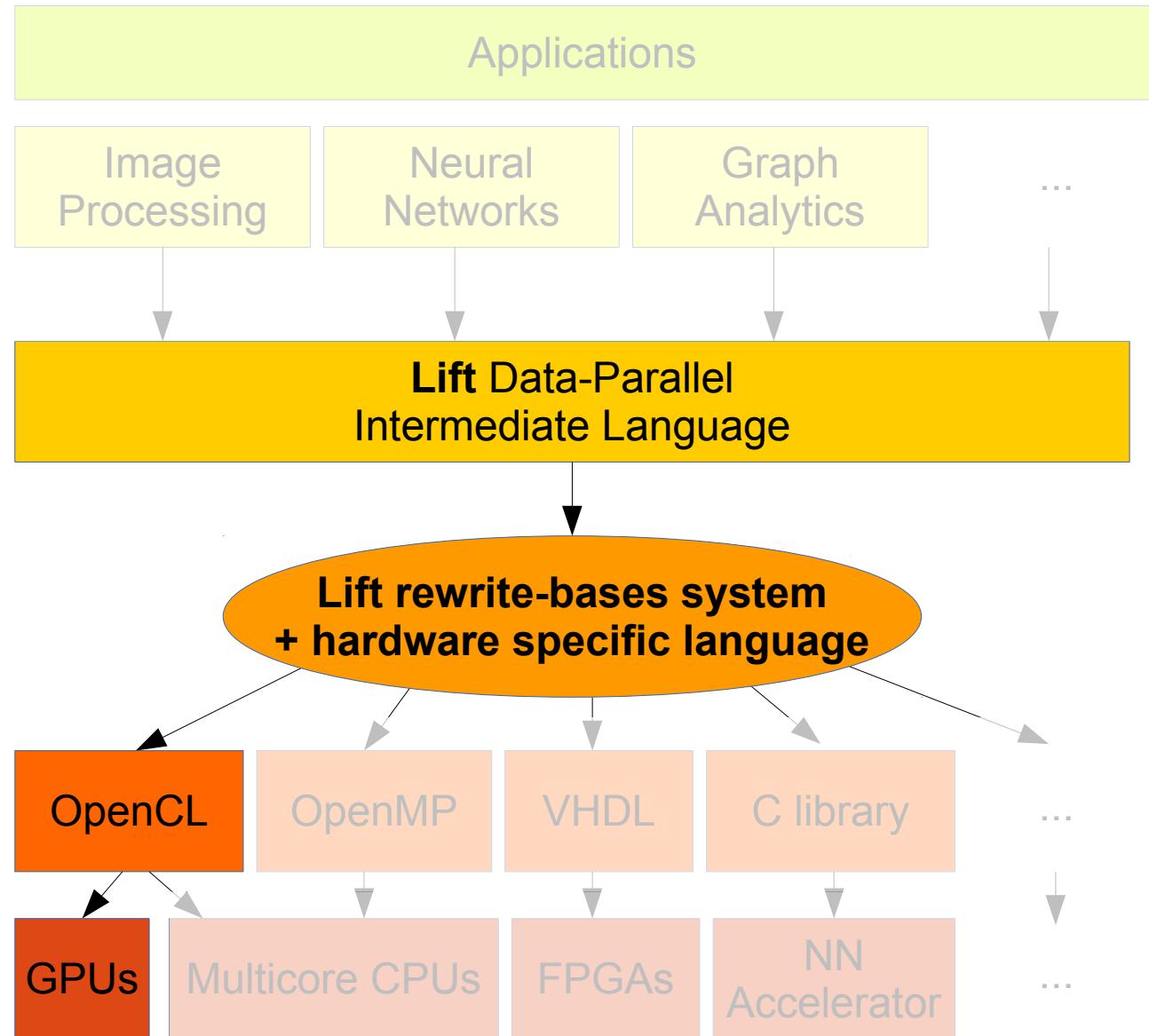
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# Different starting point



# What this talk is about



# Rest of the talk

- ▶ Part I: Lift data parallel language
- ▶ Part II: Optimisations as rewrite rules
- ▶ Part III: Code generation details

## **Part I**

# **Lift: a Functional Data Parallel Language**

# Lift Intermediate Language

**map(f) :**



**zip:**



**reduce(0, +):**



**split(n):**



**join:**



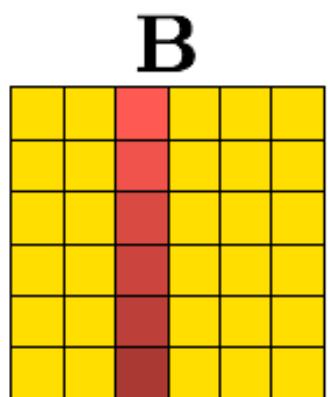
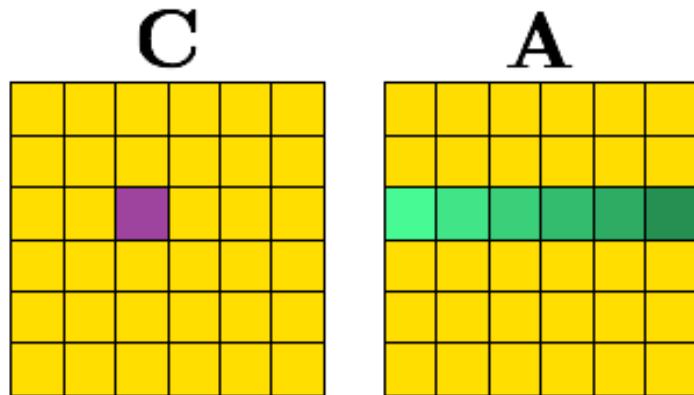
**iterate(f, n):**



**reorder( $\sigma$ ):**



# Matrix Multiplication in Lift



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          map( mult ) >> reduce( 0.0f , add )  
        )  
      )
```

## Lift high-level matrix multiplication

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)  
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## Naive OpenCL version

```
1 kernel void KERNEL(  
2     const global float* restrict A,  
3     const global float* restrict B  
4     global float* C,  
5     int M, int K, int N)  
6 {  
7     float acc = 0.0f;  
8  
9     for (int i = 0; i < K; i += 1)  
10         acc = acc + A[id_A(glb_id_1, i)]  
11             * B[id_B(i, glb_id_0)];  
12  
13     C[(id_C(glb_id_0, glb_id_1))] = acc;  
14 }
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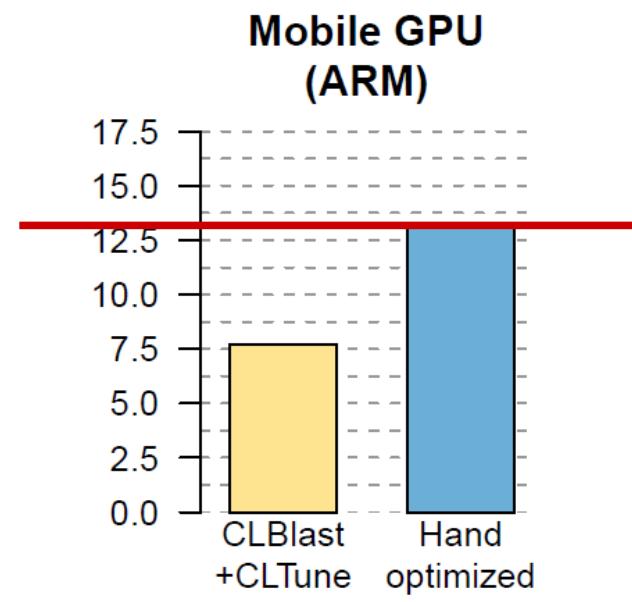
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11            * B[id_B(i, glb_id_0)];  
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## How to achieve high performance?

## Lift high-level matrix multiplication

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## ARM Mali optimised version

```
1 int i = get_global_id(0);  
2 int j = get_global_id(1);  
3  
4 float4 temp_0; float4 temp_1;  
5 float4 temp_2; float4 temp_3;  
6 float acc_0; float acc_1;  
7 float acc_2; float acc_3;  
8  
9 for (int k = 0; k < K/4; k++) {  
10  
11     temp_0 = mult4(vload4(k + K*i/2, A),  
12                      vload4(k + K*j/2, B));  
13     acc_0 += temp_0.s0 + temp_0.s1 +  
14                     temp_0.s2 + temp_0.s3;  
15  
16     temp_1 = mult4(vload4(k + K*i/2, A),  
17                      vload4(k + K + 2*K*j/4, B));  
18     acc_1 += temp_1.s0 + temp_1.s1 +  
19                     temp_1.s2 + temp_1.s3;  
20  
21     temp_2 = mult4(vload4(k + K + 2*K*i/4, A),  
22                      vload4(k + K*j/2, B));  
23     acc_2 += temp_2.s0 + temp_2.s1 +  
24                     temp_2.s2 + temp_2.s3;  
25  
26     temp_3 = mult4(vload4(k + K + 2*K*i/4, A),  
27                      vload4(k + K + 2*K*j/4, B));  
28     acc_3 += temp_3.s0 + temp_3.s1 +  
29                     temp_3.s2 + temp_3.s3;  
30 }  
31 C[2*N*i + 2*j] = id(acc_0);  
32 C[1 + 2*N*i + 2*j] = id(acc_1);  
33 C[N + 2*N*i + 2*j] = id(acc_2);  
34 C[1 + N + 2*N*i + 2*j] = id(acc_3);
```

## How to achieve high performance?

## **Part II**

# **Encoding optimisations choices as Rewrite Rules**

# Algorithmic Rewrite Rules

- Provably correct rewrite rules
- Express algorithmic and optimisations choices

## Split-join rule:

$$\text{map } f \rightarrow \text{join} \circ \text{map} (\text{map } f) \circ \text{split } n$$

## Map fusion rule:

$$\text{map } f \circ \text{map } g \rightarrow \text{map} (f \circ g)$$

## Reduce rules:

$$\text{reduce } f z \rightarrow \text{reduce } f z \circ \text{reducePart } f z$$
$$\text{reducePart } f z \rightarrow \text{reducePart } f z \circ \text{reorder}$$
$$\text{reducePart } f z \rightarrow \text{join} \circ \text{map} (\text{reducePart } f z) \circ \text{split } n$$
$$\text{reducePart } f z \rightarrow \text{iterate } n (\text{reducePart } f z)$$

...

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1 for (int i = 0; i<M; i++) {  
2     for (int j = 0; j<N; j++) {  
3         for (int k = 0; k<K; k++) {  
4             temp[k + K*N*i + K*j] =  
5                 mult(A[k + K*i], B[k + K*j]);  
6         }  
7         for (int k = 0;k<K;k++) {  
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8             C[j + N*i] +=
9                 temp[k + K*N*i + K*j];
10        }
11    }
12 }

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```



```

1 for (int i = 0; i<M/m; i++) {
2     for (int l = 0 ;l<m ; l++) {
3         for (int j = 0; j<N; j++) {
4             for (int k = 0; k<K; k++) {
5                 temp[k + 2*K*N*i + K*N*l + K*j] =
6                     mult(A[k + K*l + 2*K*i], B[k + K*j]);
7             }
8             for (int k = 0;k<K;k++) {
9                 C[j + N*l + 2*N*i] +=
10                     temp[k + 2*K*N*i + K*N*l + K*j];
11            }
12        }
13    }
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```

# Map interchanged

```
A >> split(m) >> map(λ rowsOfA →  
  B >> map(λ colOfB →  
    rowsOfA >> map(λ rowOfA →  
      zip(rowOfA, colOfB) >>  
      map(mult) >> reduce(0.0f, add)  
    )  
  ) >> transpose  
) >> join
```



```
1 for (int i = 0; i < M/2; i++) {  
2   for (int j = 0; j < N; j++) {  
3     for (int l = 0; l < 2; l++) {  
4       for (int k = 0; k < K; k++) {  
5         temp[k + 2*K*N*i + K*N*l + K*j] =  
6           mult(A[k + K*l + 2*K*i], B[k + K*j]);  
7       }  
8       for (int k = 0; k < K; k++) {  
9         C[j + N*l + 2*N*i] +=  
10          temp[k + 2*K*N*i + K*N*l + K*j];  
11       }  
12     }  
13   }  
14 }
```

# Split-join rule

```
A >> split (m) >> map(λ rowsOfA ↪  
B >> split (n) >> map(λ colsOfB ↪  
colsOfB >> map(λ colOfB ↪  
rowsOfA >> map(λ rowOfA ↪  
    zip (rowOfA, colOfB) >>  
    map( mult) >> reduce (0.0 f ,add)  
    )  
    )  
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```



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1 for (int i = 0; i<M/2; i++) {  
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4             for (int l = 0; l<2; l++) {  
5                 for (int k = 0; k<K; k++) {  
6                     temp[k + 4*K*N*i + 2*K*N*l + 2*K*j  
+ K*m] =  
7                         mult(A[k + K*l + 2*K*i], B[k + K*  
m + 2*K*j]);  
8                 }  
9             for (int k = 0;k<K;k++) {  
10                 C[m + 2*j + 2*N*l + 4*N*i] +=  
11                     temp[k + 4*K*N*i + 2*K*N*l + 2*  
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12             }  
13         }  
14     }  
15 }  
16 }
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4             for (int m = 0; m<2; m++) {  
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6                     temp[k + 4*K*N*i + 2*K*N*l + 2*K*j  
+ K*m] =  
7                         mult(A[k + K*l + 2*K*i], B[k + K*  
m + 2*K*j]);  
8                 }  
9             }  
10            for (int k = 0; k<K; k++) {  
11                C[m + 2*j + 2*N*l + 4*N*i] +=  
12                    temp[k + 4*K*N*i + 2*K*N*l + 2*  
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13            }  
14        }  
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**A few rewrite steps later...**

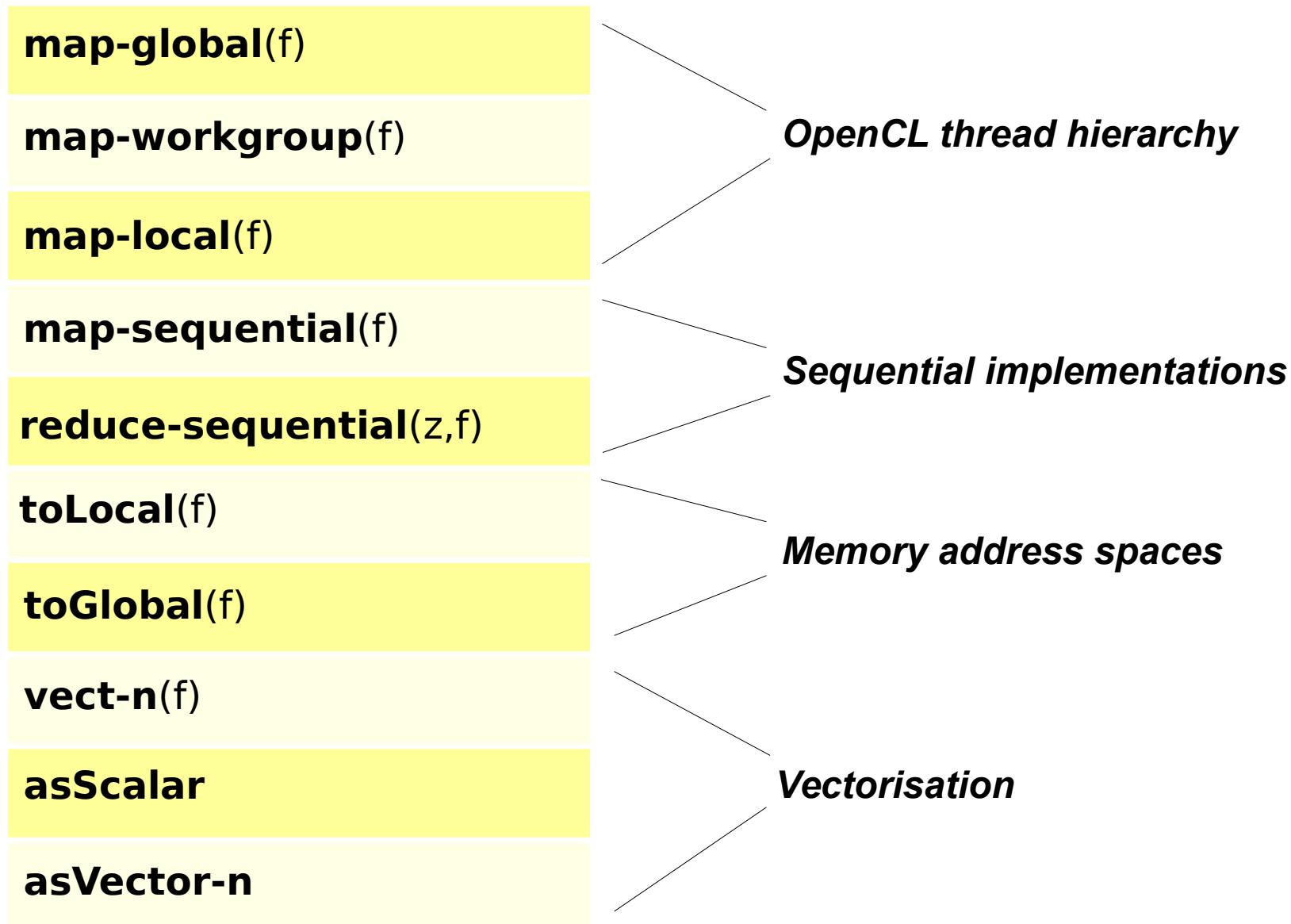
# Tiled version

```
λ (A, B) ↦  
A >> split(m) >> map(λ nRowsOfA ↦  
B >> split(n) >> map(λ mColsOfB ↦  
zip( transpose(nRowsOfA) >> split(k),  
      transpose(mColsOfB) >> split(k) ) >>  
reduceSeq(init = make2DArray(n,m, 0.0 f),  
λ (accTile, (tileOfA, tileOfB)) ↦  
  zip(accTile, transpose(tileOfA)) >>  
  map(λ (accRow, rowOfTileOfA) ↦  
    zip(accRow, transpose(tileOfB)) >>  
    map(λ (acc, colOfTileOfB) ↦  
      zip(rowOfTileOfA, colOfTileOfB) >>  
      map(mult) >> reduce(acc, add)  
    ) >> join  
  )  
  ) >> transpose() >>  
  map(transpose) >> transpose  
) >> join >> transpose  
) >> join
```

```
1 for (int i = 0;i<M/2; i++) {  
2   for (int j = 0;j<N/2; j++) {  
3     for (int k = 0;k<K/4; k++) {  
4       for (int l = 0;l<2; l++) {  
5         for (int m = 0;m<2; m++) {  
6           for (int n = 0;n<4; n++) {  
7             temp[n + 4*m + 8*N*i + 16*j + 8*l] =  
8               mult(  
9                 A[n + 2*K*i + 4*k + K*l],  
10                B[n + 2*K*j + 4*k + K*m]  
11              );  
12            }  
13          for (int n = 0;n<4; n++) {  
14            C[m + 2*N*i + 2*j + N*l] +=  
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16          }  
17        }  
18      }  
19    }  
20  }  
21 }
```

# **Low-Level OpenCL-specific Extensions**

# Lift OpenCL-Specific Primitives



# OpenCL-specific rewrites (examples)

OpenCL thread hierarchy:

$$\text{map}(f) \implies \text{mapGlb}_{\{0,1,2\}}(f)$$

$$\text{map}(f) \implies \text{mapLcl}_{\{0,1,2\}}(f)$$

OpenCL memory hierarchy:

$$f \implies \text{toPrivate}(f)$$

$$f \implies \text{toLocal}(f)$$

$$f \implies \text{toGlobal}(f)$$

OpenCL vector types and operations:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{map}(f) &\implies \text{asVector}(n, b) \\ &\gg \text{map}(\text{vectorize}(n, f)) \gg \text{asScalar} \end{aligned}$$

**Let's start applying  
OpenCL-specific rules**

# Vectorisation

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        zip(accRow, transpose(tileOfB)) >>  
        map(λ (acc, colOfTileOfB) →  
            zip(rowOfTileOfA >> asVector(k),  
                 colOfTileOfB >> asVector(k)) >>  
            map(mult4) >> asScalar >>  
            reduce(acc, add)  
        ) >> join  
    )  
) >> transpose() >>  
map(transpose) >> transpose  
) >> join >> transpose  
) >> join
```

```
1 for (int i = 0;i<M/2; i++) {  
2     for (int j = 0;j<N/2; j++) {  
3         for (int k = 0;k<K/4; k++) {  
4             for (int l = 0;l<2; l++) {  
5                 for (int m = 0;m<2; m++) {  
6                     float4 t = mult4(  
7                         vload4(A, K*i/2 + k + K*l/4),  
8                         vload4(B, K*j/2 + k + K*m/4)  
9                     );  
10                vstore4(t, temp, m + 2*N*i + 4*j + 2*l);  
11                for (int n = 0;n<4; n++) {  
12                    C[m + 2*N*i + 2*j + N*l] +=  
13                        temp[n + 4*m + 8*N*i + 16*j + 8*l];  
14                }  
15            }  
16        }  
17    }  
18}  
19}
```

# Mapping parallelism to global threads

```
λ (A, B) ↦  
A >> split(m) >> mapGlb0(λ nRowsOfA ↦  
B >> split(n) >> mapGlb1(λ mColsOfB ↦  
    zip( transpose(nRowsOfA) >> split(k),  
         transpose(mColsOfB) >> split(k) ) >>  
reduceSeq(init = make2DArray(n,m, 0.0f),  
λ (accTile, (tileOfA, tileOfB)) ↦  
    zip(accTile, transpose(tileOfA)) >>  
    mapSeq(λ (accRow, rowOfTileOfA) ↦  
        zip(accRow, transpose(tileOfB)) >>  
        mapSeq(λ (acc, colOfTileOfB) ↦  
            zip(rowOfTileOfA >> asVector(k),  
                 colOfTileOfB >> asVector(k)) >>  
            mapSeq(mult4) >> asScalar >>  
            reduceSeq(acc, add)  
        ) >> join  
    )  
) >> transpose() >>  
map(transpose) >> transpose  
) >> join >> transpose  
) >> join
```

```
1 int i = get_global_id(0);  
2 int j = get_global_id(1);  
3 for (int k = 0;k<K/4; k++) {  
4     for (int l = 0;l<2; l++) {  
5         for (int m = 0;m<2; m++) {  
6             float4 t = mult4(  
7                 vload4(A, K*i/2 + k + K*l/4),  
8                 vload4(B, K*j/2 + k + K*m/4)  
9             );  
10            vstore4(t, temp, m + 2*N*i + 4*j + 2*l);  
11            for (int n = 0;n<4; n++) {  
12                C[m + 2*N*i + 2*j + N*l] +=  
13                    temp[n + 4*m + 8*N*i + 16*j + 8*l];  
14            }  
15        }  
16    }  
17 }
```

# Accumulating in private memory

```
 $\lambda (A, B) \mapsto$ 
A >> split(m) >> mapGlb0( $\lambda nRowsOfA \mapsto$ 
B >> split(n) >> mapGlb1( $\lambda mColsOfB \mapsto$ 
    zip( transpose(nRowsOfA) >> split(k),
         transpose(mColsOfB) >> split(k) ) >>
reduceSeq(init = make2DArray(n,m, 0.0f) >>
          toPrivate(mapSeq(mapSeq(id))),  

 $\lambda (accTile, (tileOfA, tileOfB)) \mapsto$ 
    zip(accTile, transpose(tileOfA)) >>
    mapSeq( $\lambda (accRow, rowOfTileOfA) \mapsto$ 
        zip(accRow, transpose(tileOfB)) >>
        mapSeq( $\lambda (acc, colOfTileOfB) \mapsto$ 
            zip(rowOfTileOfA >> asVector(k),
                 colOfTileOfB >> asVector(k)) >>
            mapSeq(mult4) >> asScalar >>
            reduceSeq(acc, add)
        ) >> join
    )
) >> toGlobal(mapSeq(mapSeq(mapSeq(id))))
>> transpose() >>
map(transpose) >> transpose
) >> join >> transpose
) >> join
```



```
1 int i = get_global_id(0);
2 int j = get_global_id(1);
3
4 float4 temp_0; float4 temp_1;
5 float4 temp_2; float4 temp_3;
6 float acc_0; float acc_1;
7 float acc_2; float acc_3;
8
9 for (int k = 0;k<K/4; k++) {
10
11     temp_0 = mult4(vload4(k + K*i/2,A),
12                      vload4(k + K*j/2,B));
13     acc_0 += temp_0.s0 + temp_0.s1 +
14                     temp_0.s2 + temp_0.s3;
15
16     temp_1 = mult4(vload4(k + K*i/2,A,
17                      vload4(k + K + 2*K*j/4,B));
18     acc_1 += temp_1.s0 + temp_1.s1 +
19                     temp_1.s2 + temp_1.s3;
20
21     temp_2 = mult4(vload4(k + K + 2*K*i/4,A),
22                      vload4(k + K*j/2,B));
23     acc_2 += temp_2.s0 + temp_2.s1 +
24                     temp_2.s2 + temp_2.s3;
25
26     temp_3 = mult4(vload4(k + K + 2*K*i/4, A),
27                      vload4(k + K + 2*K*j/4, B));
28     acc_3 += temp_3.s0 + temp_3.s1 +
29                     temp_3.s2 + temp_3.s3;
30 }
31 C[2*N*i + 2*j] = id(acc_0);
32 C[1 + 2*N*i + 2*j] = id(acc_1);
33 C[N + 2*N*i + 2*j] = id(acc_2);
34 C[1 + N + 2*N*i + 2*j] = id(acc_3);
```

# Result: high performance

```

 $\lambda (A, B) \mapsto$ 
A >> split(m) >> mapGlb0( $\lambda nRowsOfA \mapsto$ 
B >> split(n) >> mapGlb1( $\lambda mColsOfB \mapsto$ 
    zip( transpose(nRowsOfA) >> split(k),
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reduceSeq(init = make2DArray(n,m, 0.0f) >>
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 $\lambda (accTile, (tileOfA, tileOfB)) \mapsto$ 
    zip(accTile, transpose(tileOfA)) >>
    mapSeq( $\lambda (accRow, rowOfTileOfA) \mapsto$ 
        zip(accRow, transpose(tileOfB)) >>
        mapSeq( $\lambda (acc, colOfTileOfB) \mapsto$ 
            zip(rowOfTileOfA >> asVector(k),
                 colOfTileOfB >> asVector(k)) >>
            mapSeq(mult4) >> asScalar >>
            reduceSeq(acc, add)
        ) >> join
    )
) >> toGlobal(mapSeq(mapSeq(mapSeq(id))))
>> transpose() >>
map(transpose) >> transpose
) >> join >> transpose
) >> join

```



**Mobile GPU (ARM)**

Implementation	Time (approx.)
CLBlast	7.5
Hand +CLTune	15.0
Hand optimized	17.5

```

1 int i = get_global_id(0);
2 int j = get_global_id(1);
3
4 float4 temp_0; float4 temp_1;
5 float4 temp_2; float4 temp_3;
6 float acc_0; float acc_1;
7 float acc_2; float acc_3;
8
9 for (int k = 0;k<K/4; k++) {
10
11     temp_0 = ...;
12     vloa_0 = ...;
13     acc_0 = ...;
14     tem_0 = ...;
15     temp_1 = ...;
16     temp_2 = ...;
17     vloa_1 = ...;
18     acc_1 = ...;
19     tem_1 = ...;
20     temp_3 = ...;
21     vloa_3 = ...;
22     acc_2 = ...;
23     tem_2 = ...;
24     ter_2 = ...;
25
26     temp_0 = ...;
27     vloa_0 = ...;
28     acc_3 += temp_3.s0 + temp_3.s1 +
29             temp_3.s2 + temp_3.s3;
30 }
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32 C[1 + 2*N*i + 2*j] = id(acc_1);
33 C[N + 2*N*i + 2*j] = id(acc_2);
34 C[1 + N + 2*N*i + 2*j] = id(acc_3);

```

**Now just need to search the space**

...

**100,000 runs later**

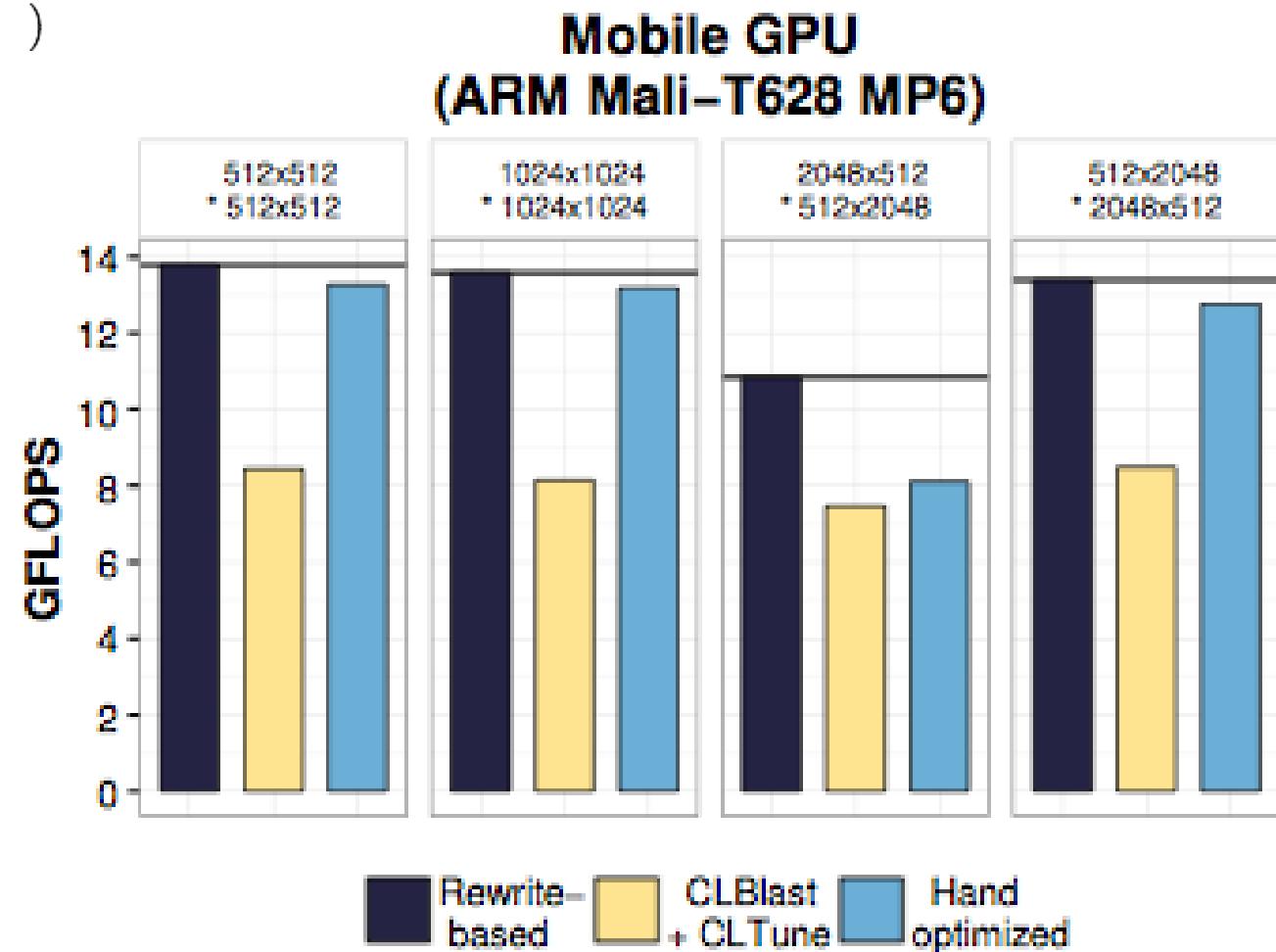
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# Performance Portability Achieved

Compiler input:

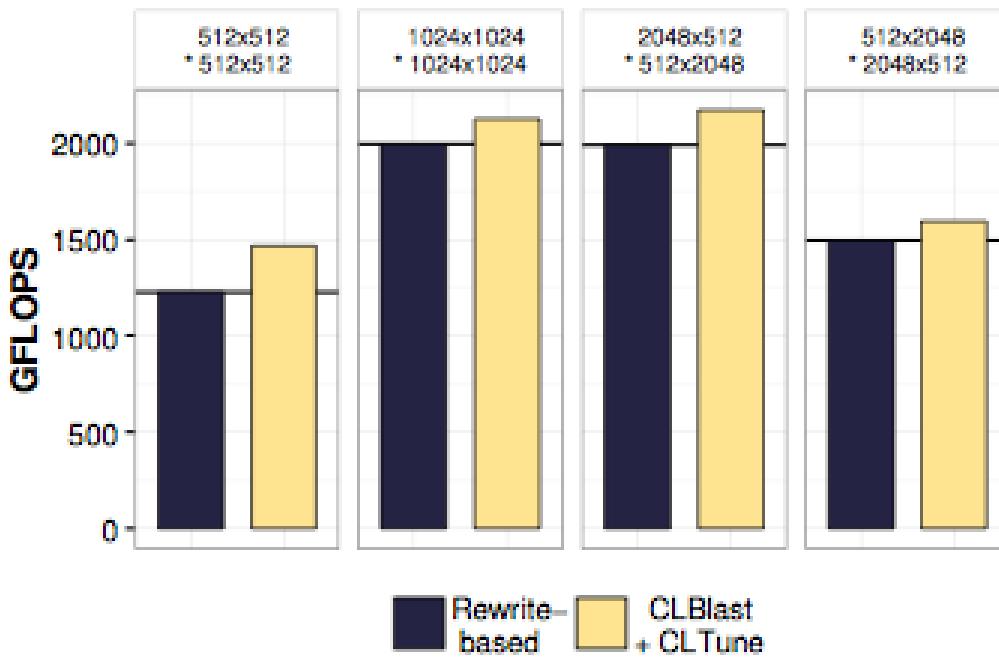
```
A >> map(λ rowOfA →  
B >> map(λ colOfB →  
    zip (rowOfA, colOfB) >>  
    map(mult) >> reduce(0.0f, add)  
)  
)
```

Search result:

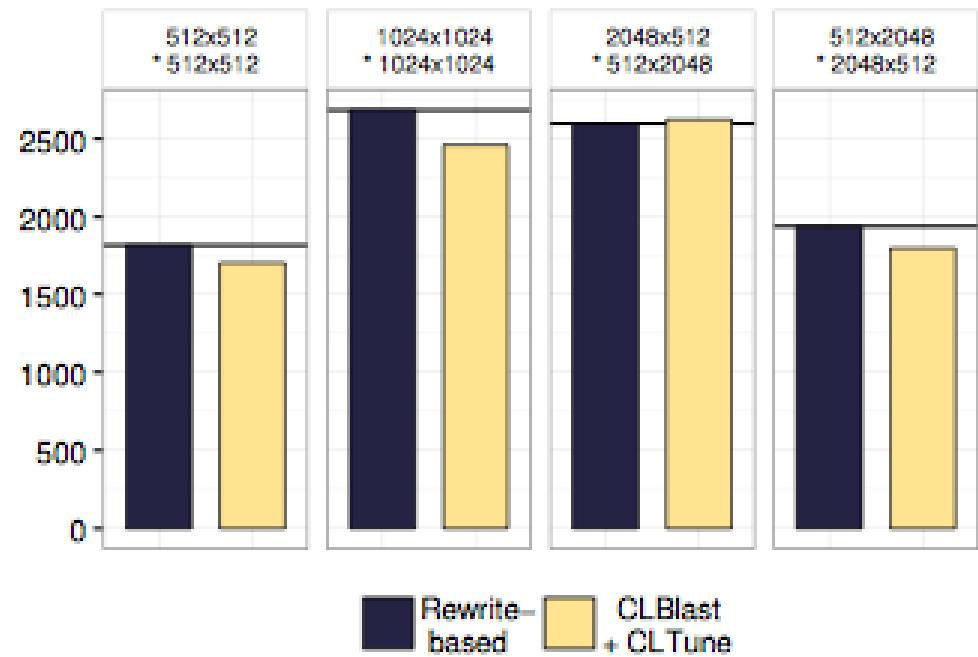


# Desktop GPUs

**Desktop GPU**  
**(Nvidia GeForce GTX Titan Black)**



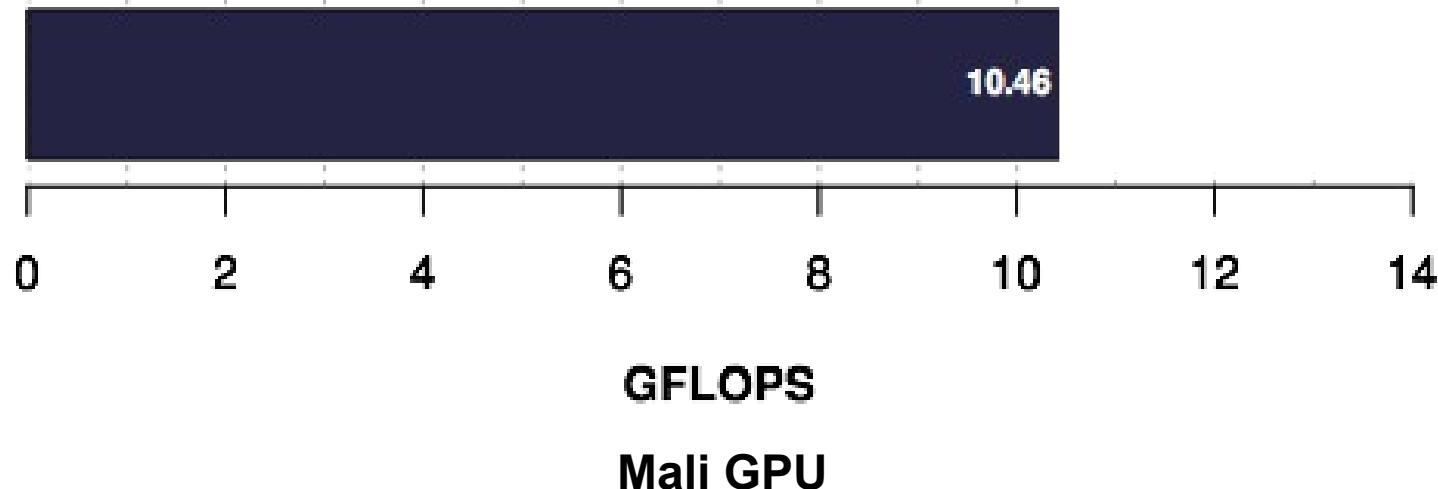
**Desktop GPU**  
**(AMD Radeon HD 7970)**



# Easily Extensible

- ▶ New rules can be added
- ▶ E.g. dot built-in

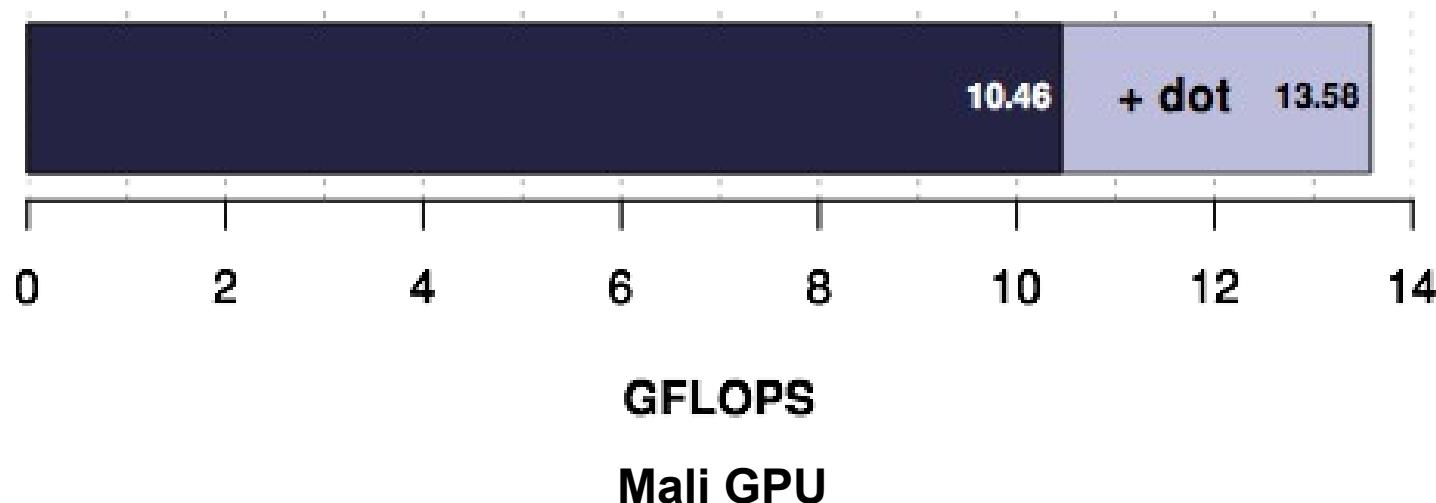
```
reduceSeq(z, add4) o mapSeq(mult4) o zip(x,y)  
=>  
dot(x, y)
```



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=>  
dot(x, y)
```



# **Part III**

# **Efficient Code Generation**

# Dot-product example

```
dot(x, y) = reduce(+, 0, map(*, zip(x, y)))
```

# Dot-product example

```
dot(x, y) = reduce(+, 0, map(*, zip(x, y)))
```

**after rewrite:**

```
(join ∘ mapWrg0 ∘
  join ∘ toGlobal ∘ mapLcl0 ∘ mapSeq ∘ id ∘ split1 ∘
  iterate6 ∘ join ∘
    mapLcl0 ∘ toLocal ∘ mapSeq ∘ id ∘
      reduceSeq ∘ add ∘ 0 ∘
    split2 ∘
  join ∘ mapLcl0 ∘ toLocal ∘ mapSeq ∘ id ∘
    reduceSeq ∘ multAndSumUp ∘ 0 ∘
  split2 ∘
) ∘ split128 ∘ zip ∘ x ∘ y
```

# Dot-product example

```
dot(x, y) = reduce(+, 0, map(*, zip(x, y)))
```

**after rewrite:**

```
(join ∘ mapWrg0 ∘  
 join ∘ toGlobal(mapLcl0(mapSeq(id))) ∘ split1 ∘  
 iterate6( join ∘  
         mapLcl0( toLocal(mapSeq(id)) ) ∘  
                 reduceSeq(add, 0) ) ∘  
         split2 ) ∘  
 join ∘ mapLcl0( toLocal(mapSeq(id)) ) ∘  
         reduceSeq(multAndSumUp, 0) ) ∘ split2 ) ∘ split128) (zip(x, y) )
```

**copy to local  
memory**

# Dot-product example

```
dot(x, y) = reduce(+, 0, map(*, zip(x, y)))
```

**after rewrite:**

```
(join ∘ mapWrg0 ∘  
 join ∘ toGlobal(mapLcl0(mapSeq(id))) ∘ split1 ∘  
 iterate6( join ∘  
         mapLcl0( toLocal(mapSeq(id)) ∘  
                     reduceSeq(add, 0) ) ∘  
         split2 ) ∘  
 join ∘ mapLcl0( toLocal(mapSeq(id)) ∘  
         reduceSeq(multAndSumUp, 0) ) ∘ split2  
 ) ∘ split128) (zip(x, y) )
```

**iterative reduction in local memory**

# Dot-product example

```
dot(x, y) = reduce(+, 0, map(*, zip(x, y)))
```

**after rewrite:**

```
(join ∘ mapWrg0 (
  join ∘ toGlobal(mapLcl0(mapSeq(id))) ∘ split1 ∘
  iterate6( join ∘
    mapLcl0( toLocal(mapSeq(id)) ∘
      reduceSeq(add, 0) ) ∘
    split2 ) ∘
  join ∘ mapLcl0( toLocal(mapSeq(id)) ∘
    reduceSeq(multAndSumUp, 0) ) ∘ split2
) ∘ split128)( zip(x, y) )
```

write back to  
global mem.

# How to generate efficient OpenCL code?

```
(join ∘ mapWrg0(  
    join ∘ toGlobal(mapLcl0(mapSeq(id))) ∘ split1 ∘  
    iterate6( join ∘  
        mapLcl0( toLocal(mapSeq(id)) ∘  
                    reduceSeq(add, 0) ) ∘  
        split2 ) ∘  
    join ∘ mapLcl0( toLocal(mapSeq(id)) ∘  
                    reduceSeq(multAndSumUp, 0) ) ∘ split2  
) ∘ split128) ( zip(x, y) )
```

# → Pattern based code generator

**map-global (f,input)**

```
for (uint i=get_global_id;  
     i<n;  
     i+= get_global_size) {  
    output[i] = f(input[i]);  
}
```

...

**map-sequential (f,input)**

```
for (uint i=0; i<n; i++) {  
    output[i] = f(input[i]);  
}
```

**reduce-sequential (f,z,input)**

```
T acc = z;  
for (uint i=0; i<n; i++) {  
    acc = f(acc, input[i]);  
}
```

# What about split, zip, join, ... ?

```
(join ∘ mapWrg0 (
  join ∘ toGlobal(mapLcl0(mapSeq(id))) ∘ split1 ∘
  iterate6( join ∘
    mapLcl0( toLocal(mapSeq(id)) ∘
      reduceSeq(add, 0) ) ∘
    split2 ) ∘
  join ∘ mapLcl0( toLocal(mapSeq(id)) ∘
    reduceSeq(multAndSumUp, 0) ) ∘ split2
) ∘ split128) ( zip(x, y) )
```

- ▶ Need to avoid temporary results
- ▶ split, zip, ... merely just change data layout
  - → “lazy evaluation”

## dot-product (a tiny bit of it):

```
(join ∘ mapWrg0( ...
  join ∘ mapLcl0( ...
    reduceSeq(λ(a, xy) ↦ a + (xy0 * xy1) , 0)) ∘ split2
  ) ∘ split128) ( zip(x, y) )
```

## desired OpenCL output:

```
int wg_id = get_group_id(0) ;
int l_id = get_local_id(0) ;
...
acc = 0.0f;
for (int i = 0 ; i < 2 ; I += 1) {
    acc = acc +
        x [ 2 * l_id + 128 * wg_id + I ] *
        y [ 2 * l_id + 128 * wg_id + I ] ;
}
```

**Construct** a representation of the effects of data layout functions:

## **Views**

**Consumes** the views to generate correct array indices

# View Construction

```
(join ∘ mapWrg0( ...
  join ∘ mapLcl0( ...
    reduceSeq(λ(a, xy) ↦ a + (xy0 * xy1) , 0)) ∘ split2
  ) ∘ split128) ( zip(x, y) )
```

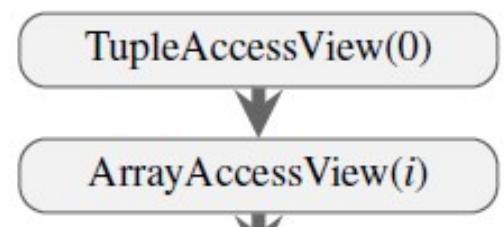
# View Construction

```
(join ∘ mapWrg0( ...  
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) ∘ split128) ( zip(x, y) )
```

TupleAccessView(0)

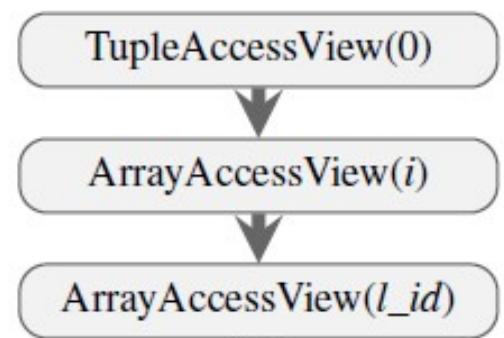
# View Construction

```
(join ∘ mapWrg0( ...  
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 ) ∘ split128) ( zip(x, y) )
```



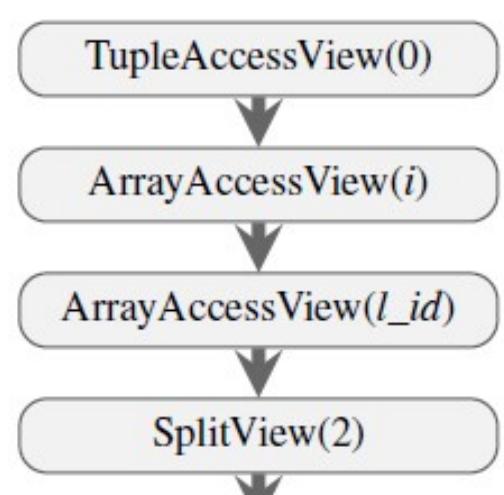
# View Construction

```
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) ∘ split128) ( zip(x, y) )
```



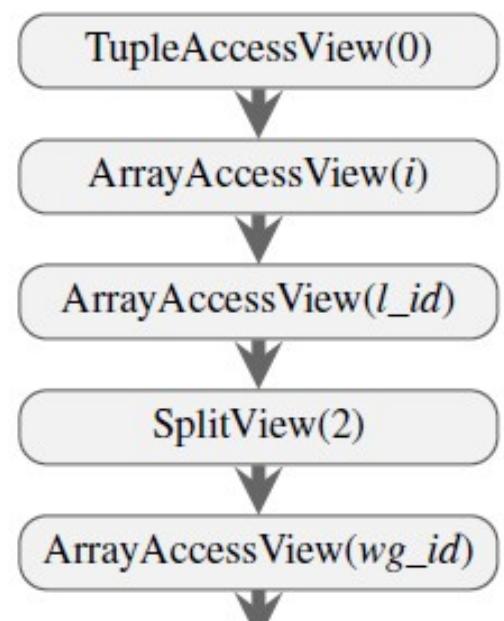
# View Construction

```
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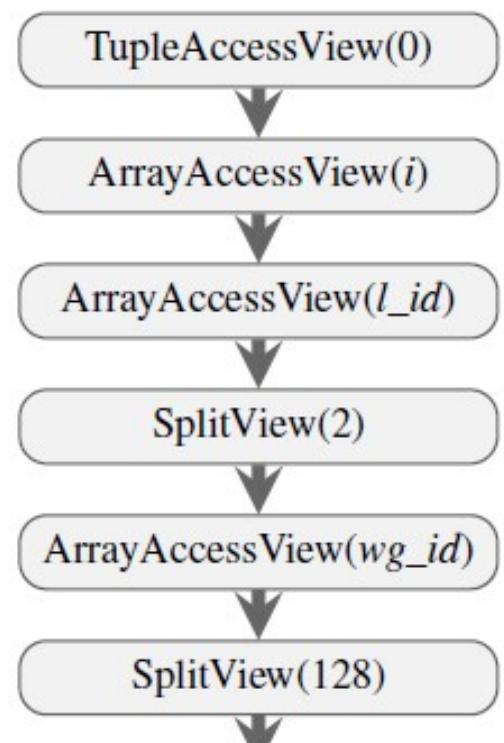
# View Construction

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```



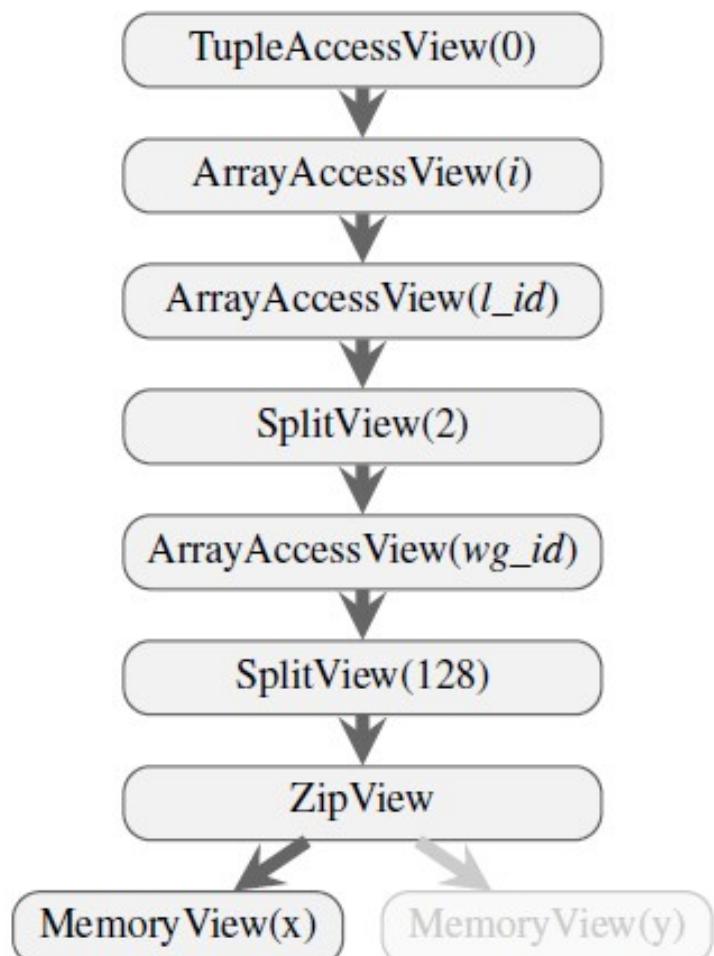
# View Construction

```
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) ∘ split128) ( zip(x, y) )
```



# View Construction

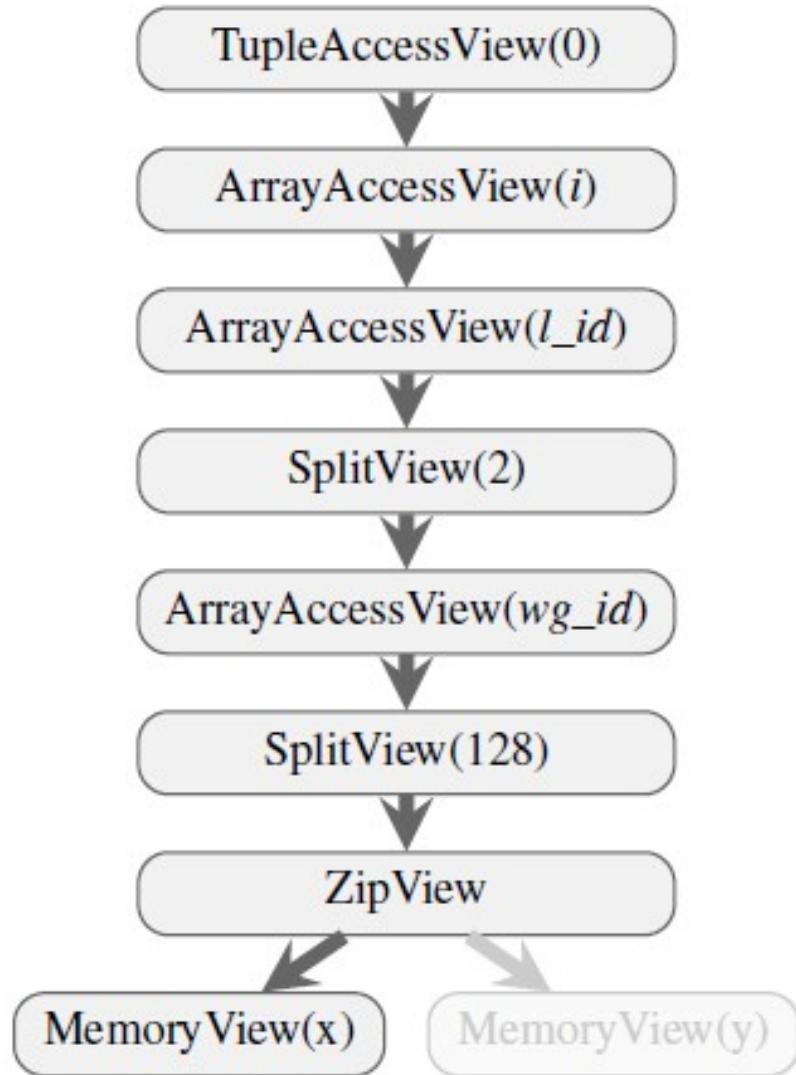
```
(join ∘ mapWrg0( ...  
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) ∘ split128) ( zip(x, y) )
```



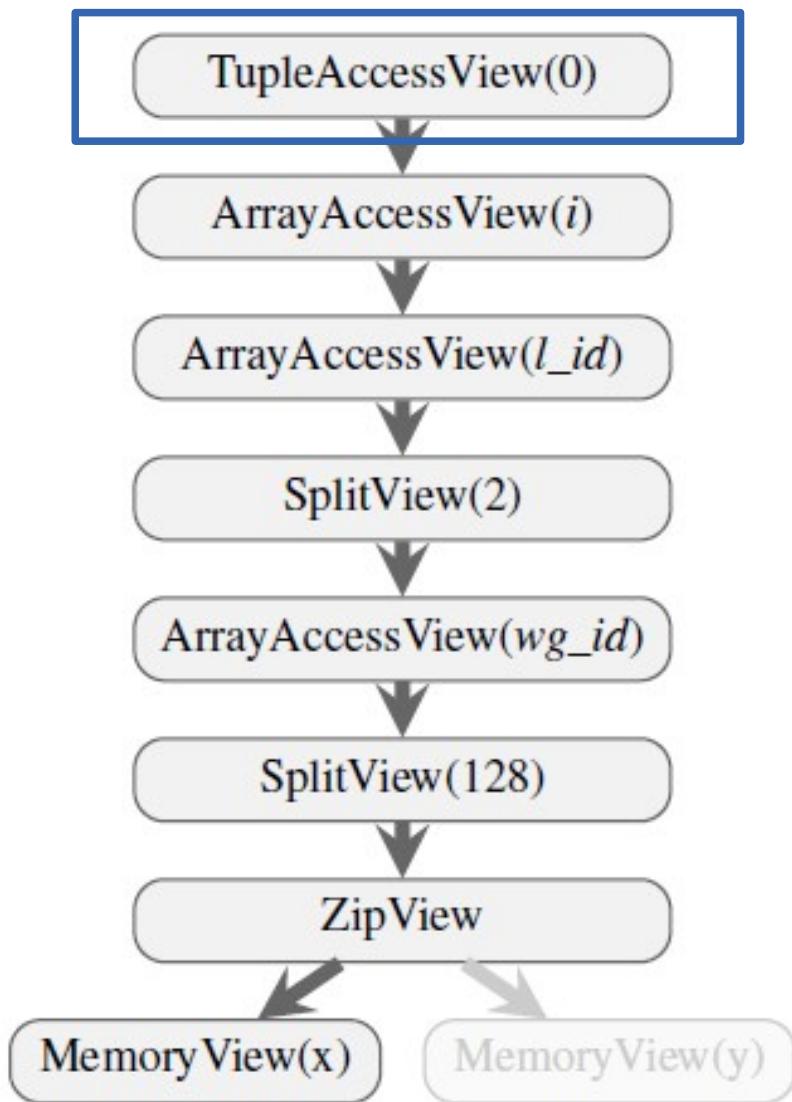
# View Consumption

Array Stack

Tuple Stack



# View Consumption



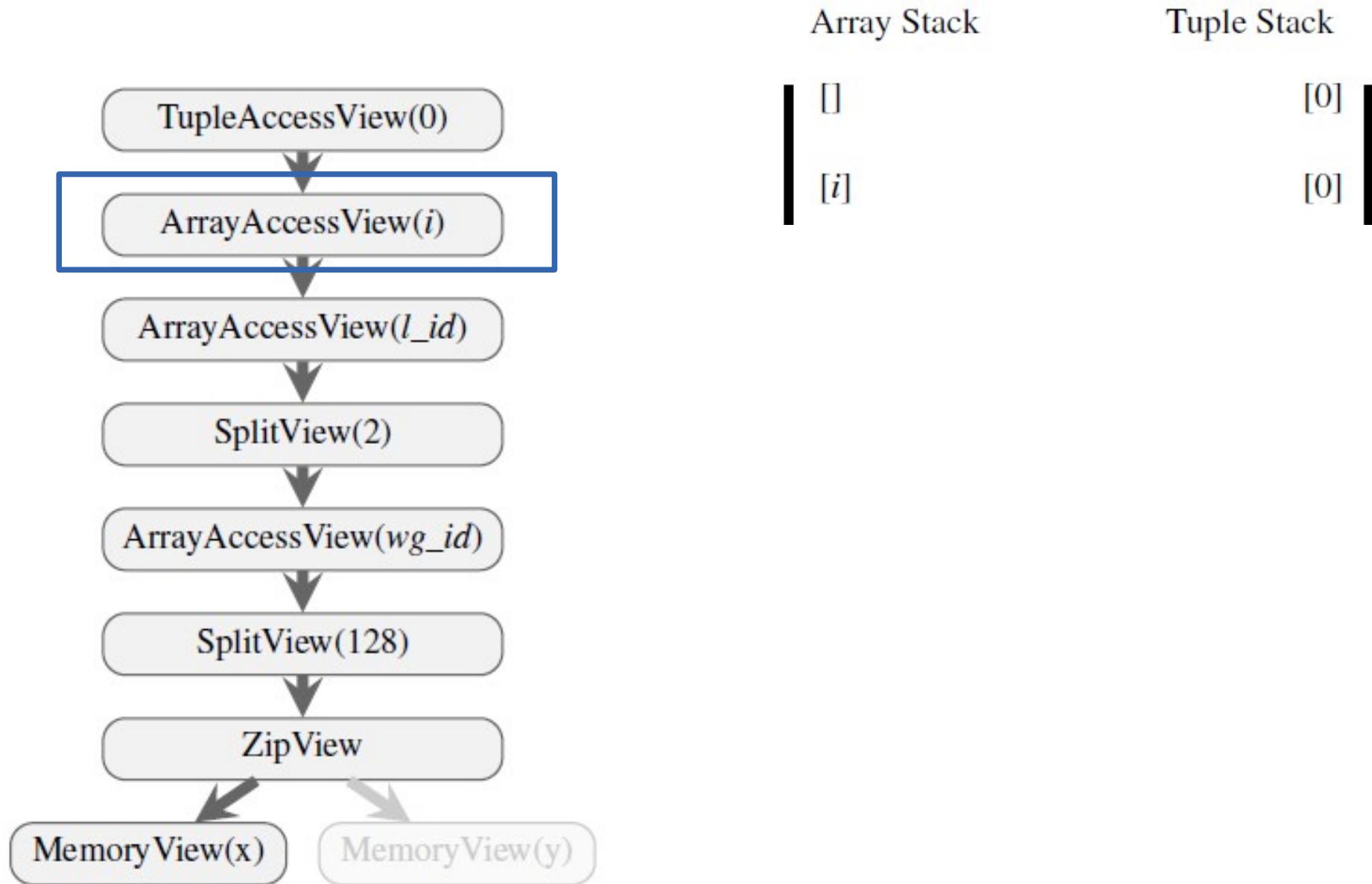
Array Stack

| [] |

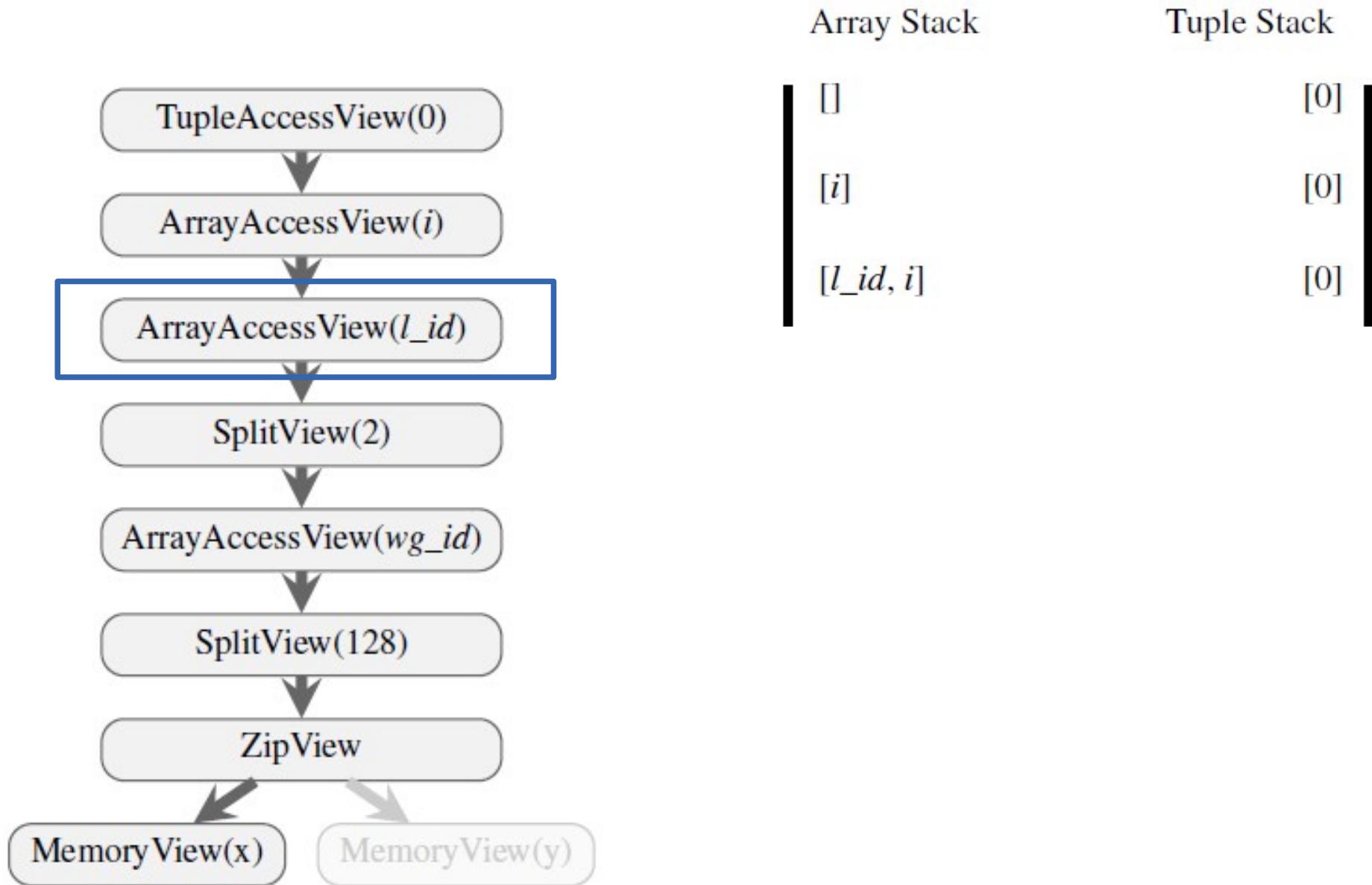
Tuple Stack

[0] |

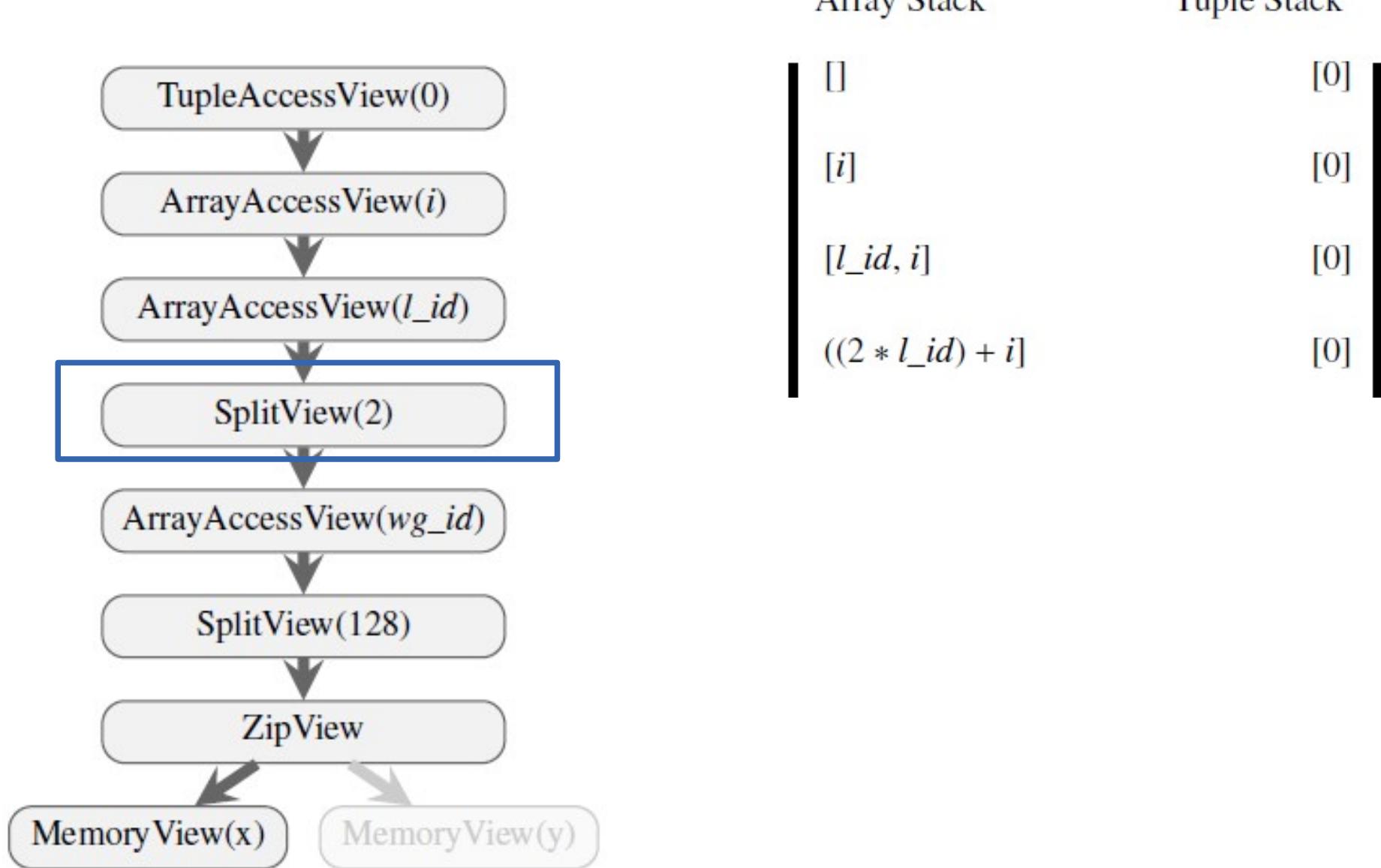
# View Consumption



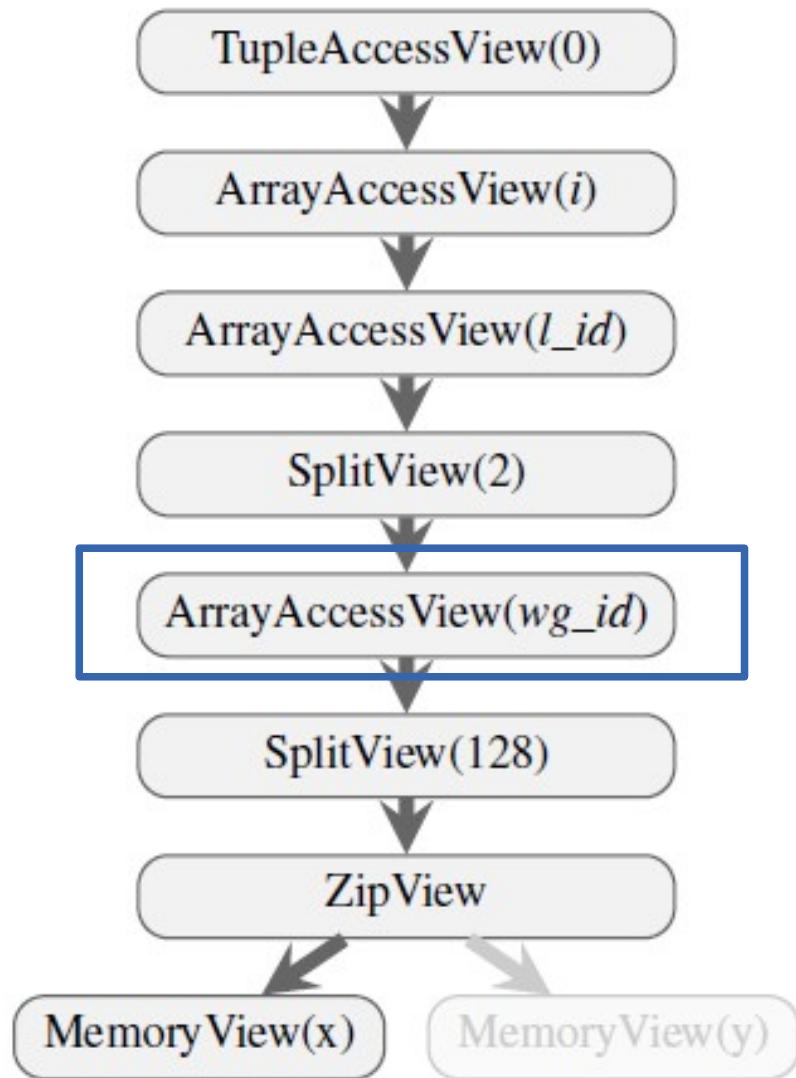
# View Consumption



# View Consumption



# View Consumption



Array Stack

[]

[ $i$ ]

[ $l\_id, i$ ]

[ $(2 * l\_id) + i$ ]

[ $wg\_id, (2 * l\_id) + i$ ]

Tuple Stack

[0]

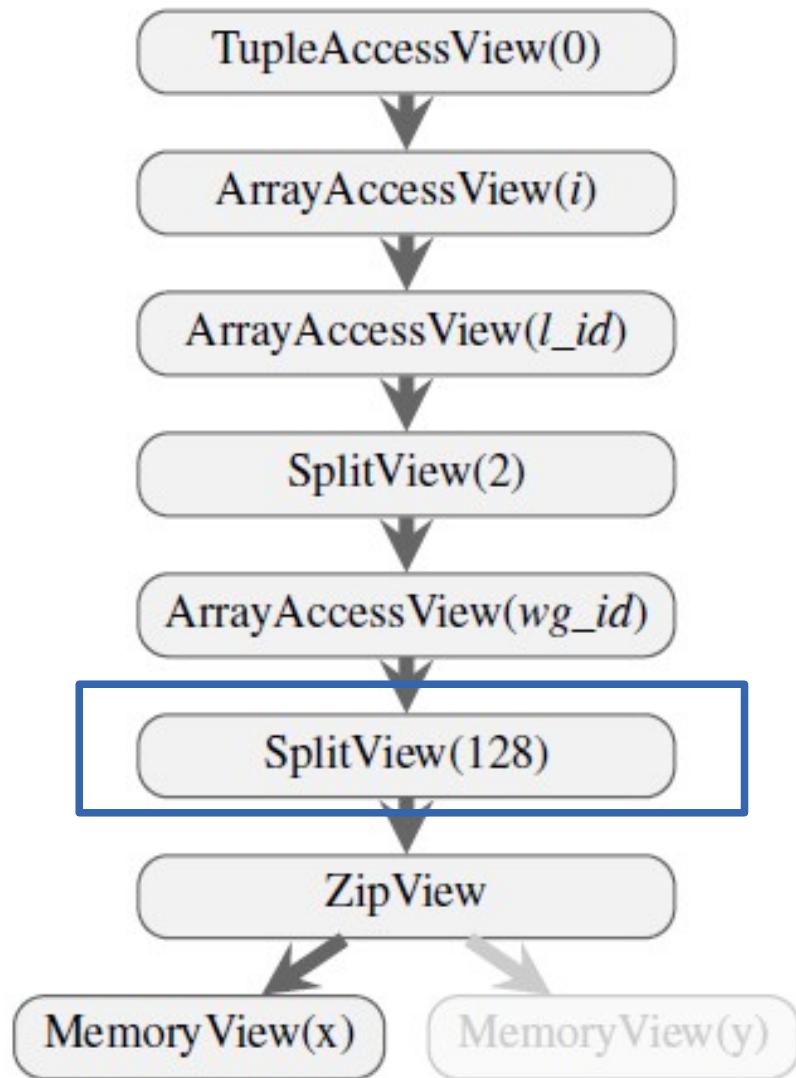
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# View Consumption



Array Stack

[]

[ $i$ ]

[ $l\_id, i$ ]

[ $(2 * l\_id) + i$ ]

[ $wg\_id, (2 * l\_id) + i$ ]

[ $(2 * l\_id) + (128 * wg\_id) + i$ ]

Tuple Stack

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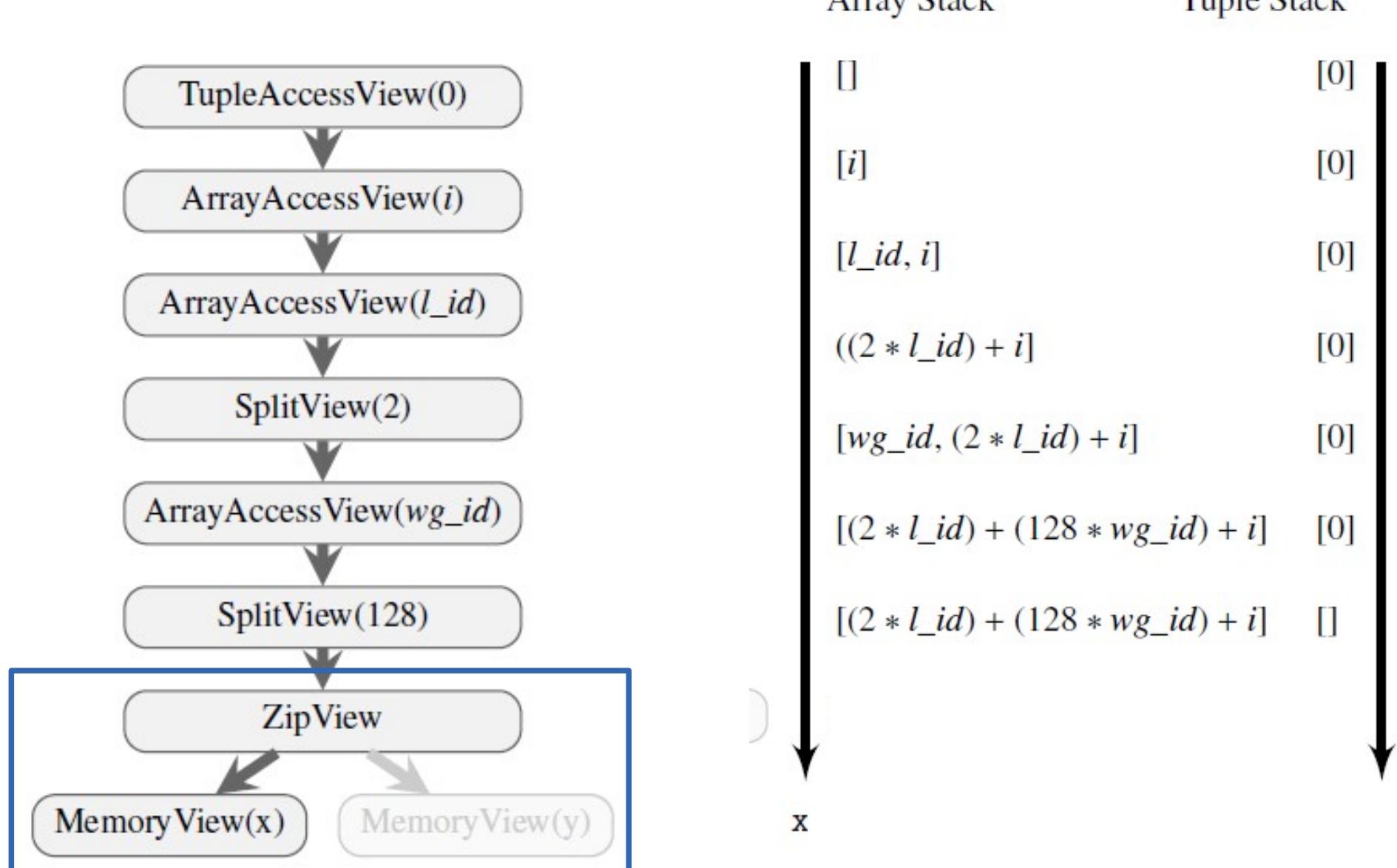
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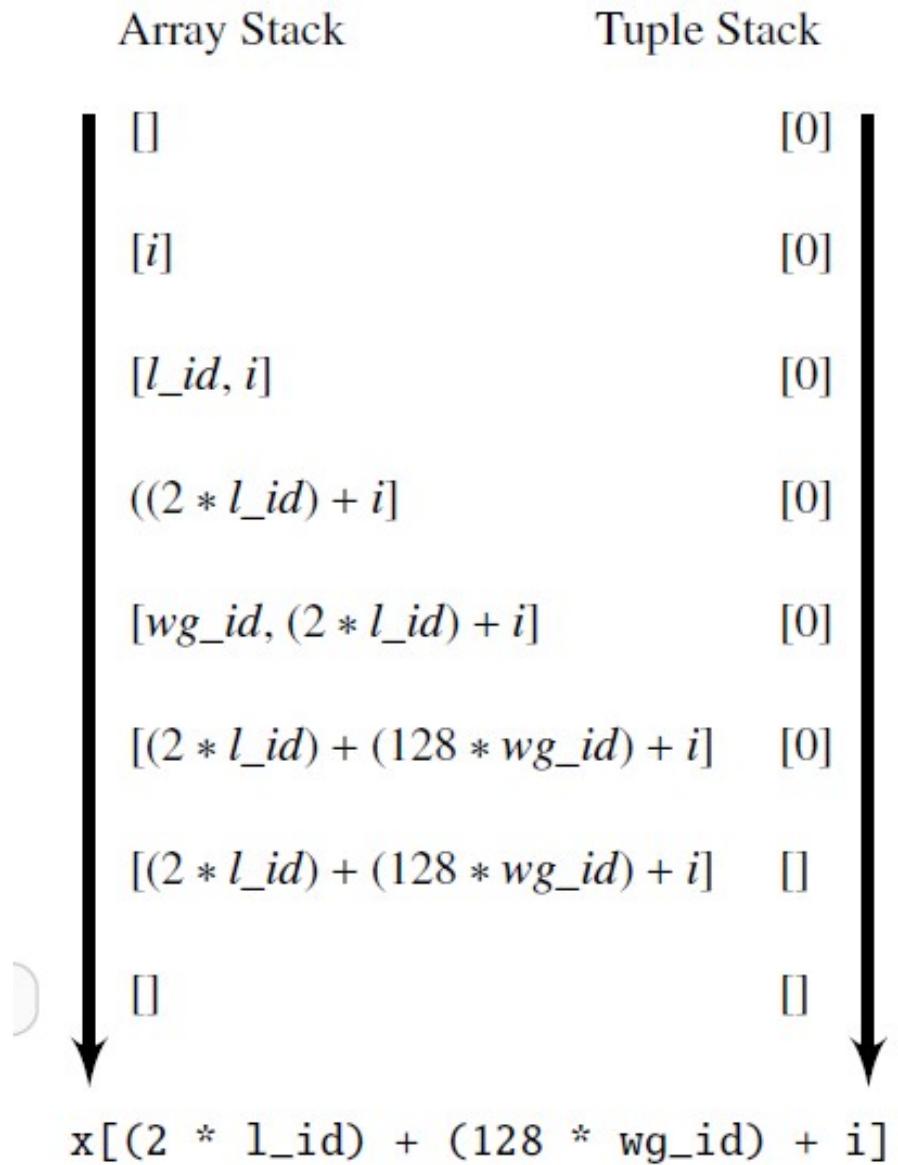
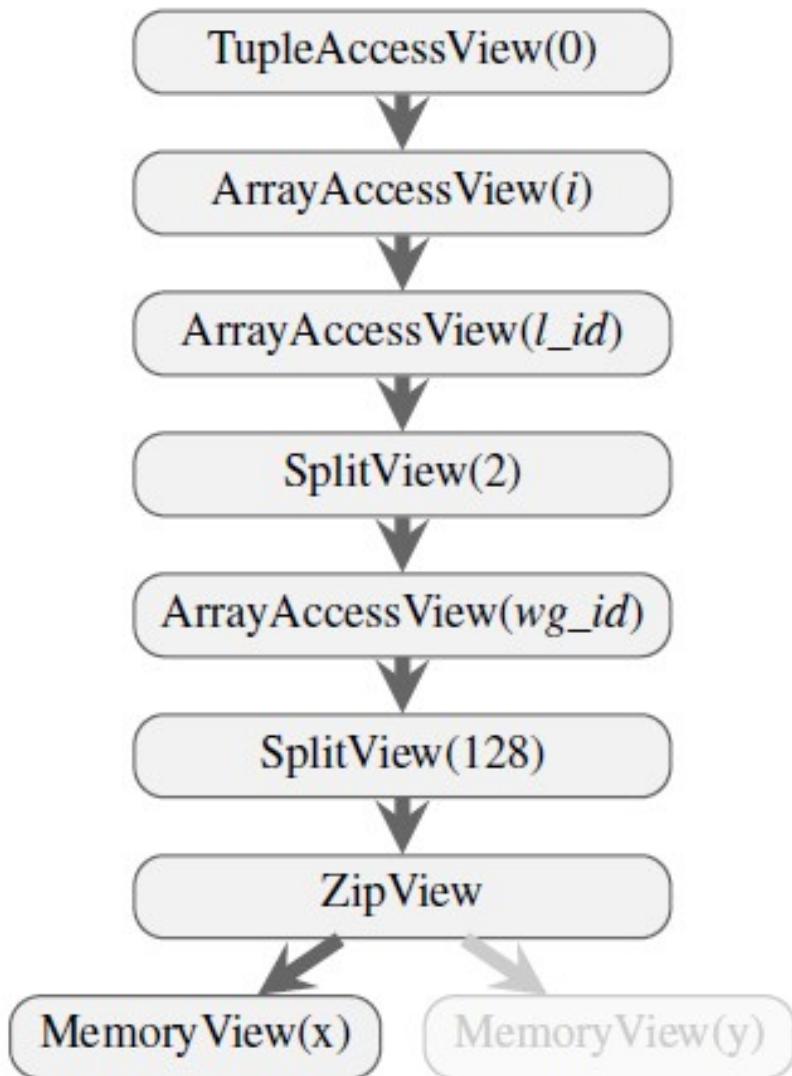
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# View Consumption



# View Consumption



## dot-product (a tiny bit of it):

```
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  join ∘ mapLcl0( ...
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  ) ∘ split128) ( zip(x, y) )
```

## produced OpenCL output:

```
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acc = 0.0f;
for (int i = 0 ; i < 2 ; I += 1) {
    acc = acc +
        x [ 2 * l_id + 128 * wg_id + I ] *
        y [ 2 * l_id + 128 * wg_id + I ] ;
}
```

# Array indices not so simple

```
((((wg_id*M+l_id)/M)+(((wg_id*M+l_id)%M)*N))/N)*N+(((wg_id*M+l_id)/M)+(((wg_id*M+l_id)%M)*N))%N
```

# Array indices not so simple

$((((wg\_id*M+l\_id)/M)+(((wg\_id*M+l\_id)%M)*N))/N)*N+(((wg\_id*M+l\_id)/M)+(((wg\_id*M+l\_id)%M)*N))%N$

**Can use well-known algebraic rules**

$$x/y = 0, \quad \text{if } x < y \text{ and } y \neq 0 \quad (1)$$

$$(x \times y + z)/y = x + z/y, \quad \text{if } y \neq 0 \quad (2)$$

$$x \% y = x, \quad \text{if } x < y \text{ and } y \neq 0 \quad (3)$$

$$(x + y) \% z = (x \% z + y \% z) \% z, \quad \text{if } z \neq 0 \quad (4)$$

$$(x/y) * y + x \% y = x, \quad \text{if } y \neq 0 \quad (5)$$

$$(x * y) \% y = 0, \quad \text{if } y \neq 0 \quad (6)$$

# Array indices not so simple

$((((wg\_id*M+l\_id)/M)+(((wg\_id*M+l\_id)%M)*N))/N)*N+(((wg\_id*M+l\_id)/M)+(((wg\_id*M+l\_id)%M)*N))%N$

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$$(x \times y + z)/y = x + z/y, \quad \text{if } y \neq 0 \quad (2)$$

$$x \% y = x, \quad \text{if } x < y \text{ and } y \neq 0 \quad (3)$$

$$(x + y) \% z = (x \% z + y \% z) \% z, \quad \text{if } z \neq 0 \quad (4)$$

$$(x/y) * y + x \% y = x, \quad \text{if } y \neq 0 \quad (5)$$

$$(x * y) \% y = 0, \quad \text{if } y \neq 0 \quad (6)$$

**and simplify array index expression**

$((((wg\_id*M+l\_id)/M)+(((wg\_id*M+l\_id)%M)*N))/N)*N+(((wg\_id*M+l\_id)/M)+(((wg\_id*M+l\_id)%M)*N))%N$



$l\_id \quad *N+ \quad wg\_id$

# Putting it all together

```
dot(x, y) = reduce(+, 0, map(*, zip(x, y)))
```

rewriting

```
(join ∘ mapWrg0(  
    join ∘ toGlobal(mapLcl0(mapSeq(id))) ∘ split1 ∘  
    iterate6( join ∘  
        mapLcl0( toLocal(mapSeq(id)) ∘  
                    reduceSeq(add, 0) ) ∘  
        split2 ) ∘  
    join ∘ mapLcl0( toLocal(mapSeq(id)) ∘  
                    reduceSeq(multAndSumUp, 0) ) ∘ split2  
) ∘ split128( zip(x, y) )
```

```
kernel void KERNEL(const global float *restrict x,  
                  const global float *restrict y,  
                  global float *z, int N) {  
    local float tmp1[64];  local float tmp2[64];  
    local float tmp3[32];  
    float acc1; float acc2;  
    for (int wg_id = get_group_id(0); wg_id < N/128;  
         wg_id += get_num_groups(0)) {  
        { int l_id = get_local_id(0);  
          acc1 = 0.0f;  
          for (int i = 0; i < 2; i += 1) {  
              acc1 = multAndSumUp(acc1,  
                                   x[2 * l_id + 128 * wg_id + i],  
                                   y[2 * l_id + 128 * wg_id + i]); }  
          tmp1[l_id] = id(acc1); }  
        barrier(CLK_LOCAL_MEM_FENCE);  
        int size = 64;  
        local float *in = tmp1; local float *out = tmp2;  
        for (int iter = 0; iter < 6; iter += 1) {  
            if (get_local_id(0) < size / 2) {  
                acc2 = 0.0f;  
                for (int i = 0; i < 2; i += 1) {  
                    acc2 = add(acc2, in[2 * l_id + i]); }  
                out[l_id] = id(acc2); }  
            barrier(CLK_LOCAL_MEM_FENCE);  
            size = size / 2;  
            in = (out == tmp1) ? tmp1 : tmp3;  
            out = (out == tmp1) ? tmp3 : tmp1;  
            barrier(CLK_LOCAL_MEM_FENCE); }  
            if (get_local_id(0) < 1) {  
                z[wg_id] = id(tmp3[l_id]); }  
            barrier(CLK_GLOBAL_MEM_FENCE); } }
```

code generation

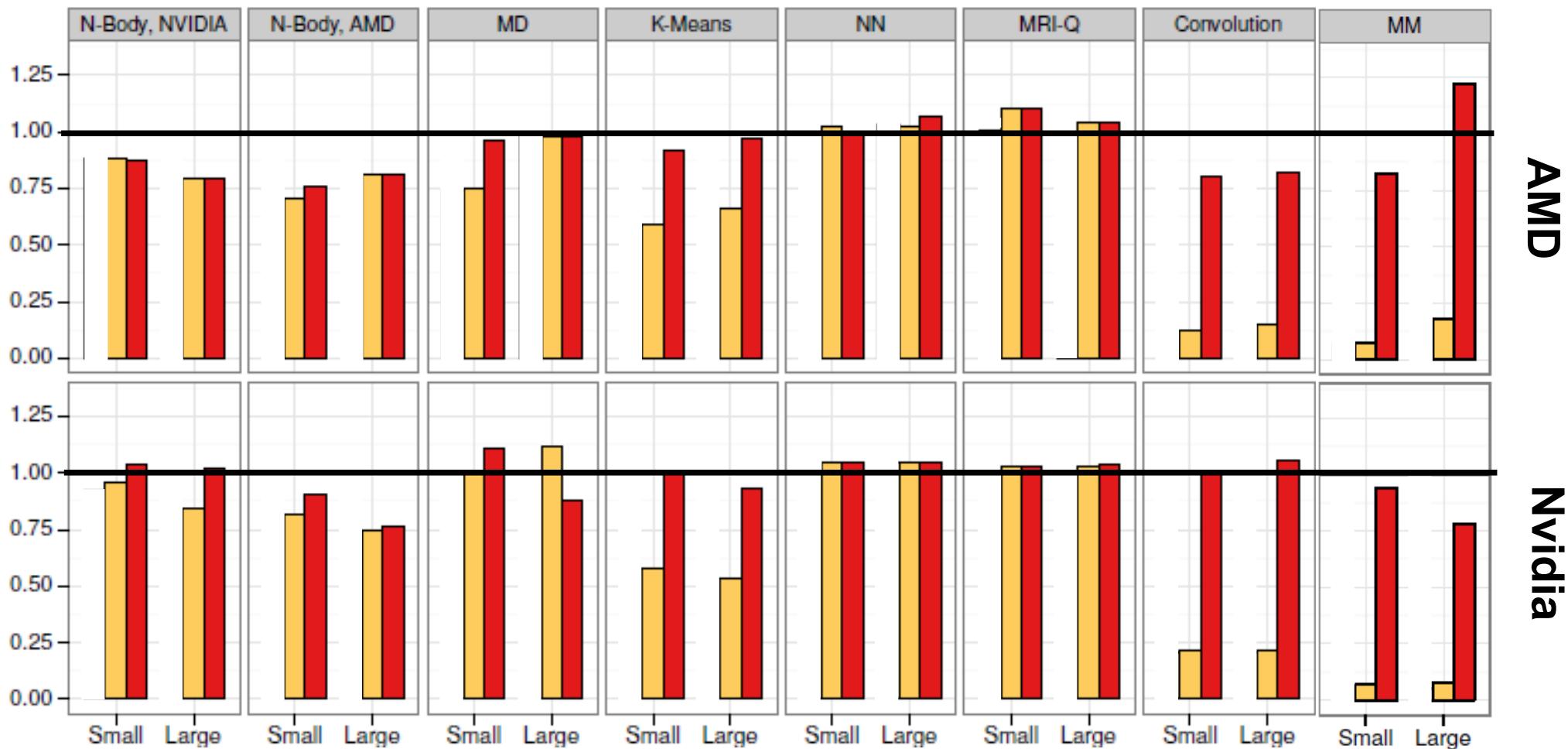
# Code Generator vs Human



no simplification



arithmetic simplification



AMD

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# The Lift Approach: Summary

- Hardware-agnostic data-parallel functional intermediate language
  - hides hardware complexity, can be targeted by DSLs
- **Low-level functional language for each hardware type**
  - OpenCL language (this talk), in the future: MPI, OpenMP
- **Rewrite rules based optimisation**
  - maps the hardware-agnostic language to the hardware-specific language
  - extensible
- Possible to achieve high performance through exploration
  - opportunity for smarter technique (e.g. predictive modelling)

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