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What comes after Exascale?

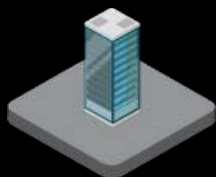


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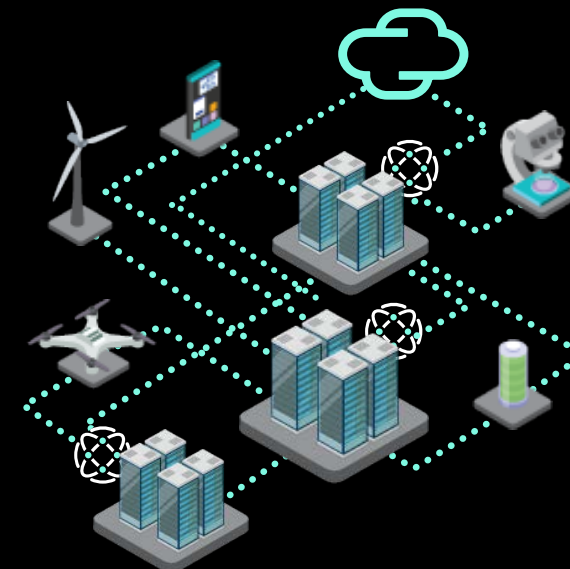


SYSTEMS OF SYSTEMS



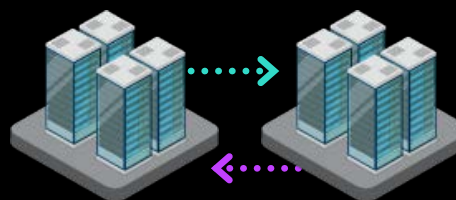
~10x Exascale

Productivity and agility for HPC and AI applications



Today

Exascale Supercomputer



Federated workflows

For modeling, simulation, data analytics, and artificial intelligence

Systems-of-systems

Integrate, automate and optimize workflows that combine theory, simulation, experiments and observations from scientific instruments

World's fastest
Supercomputers

World's fastest
Workflows



LABORATORY CAMPUS

supercomputer

Radioactive
Ion Beam

High-temperature
materials

Metal Processing

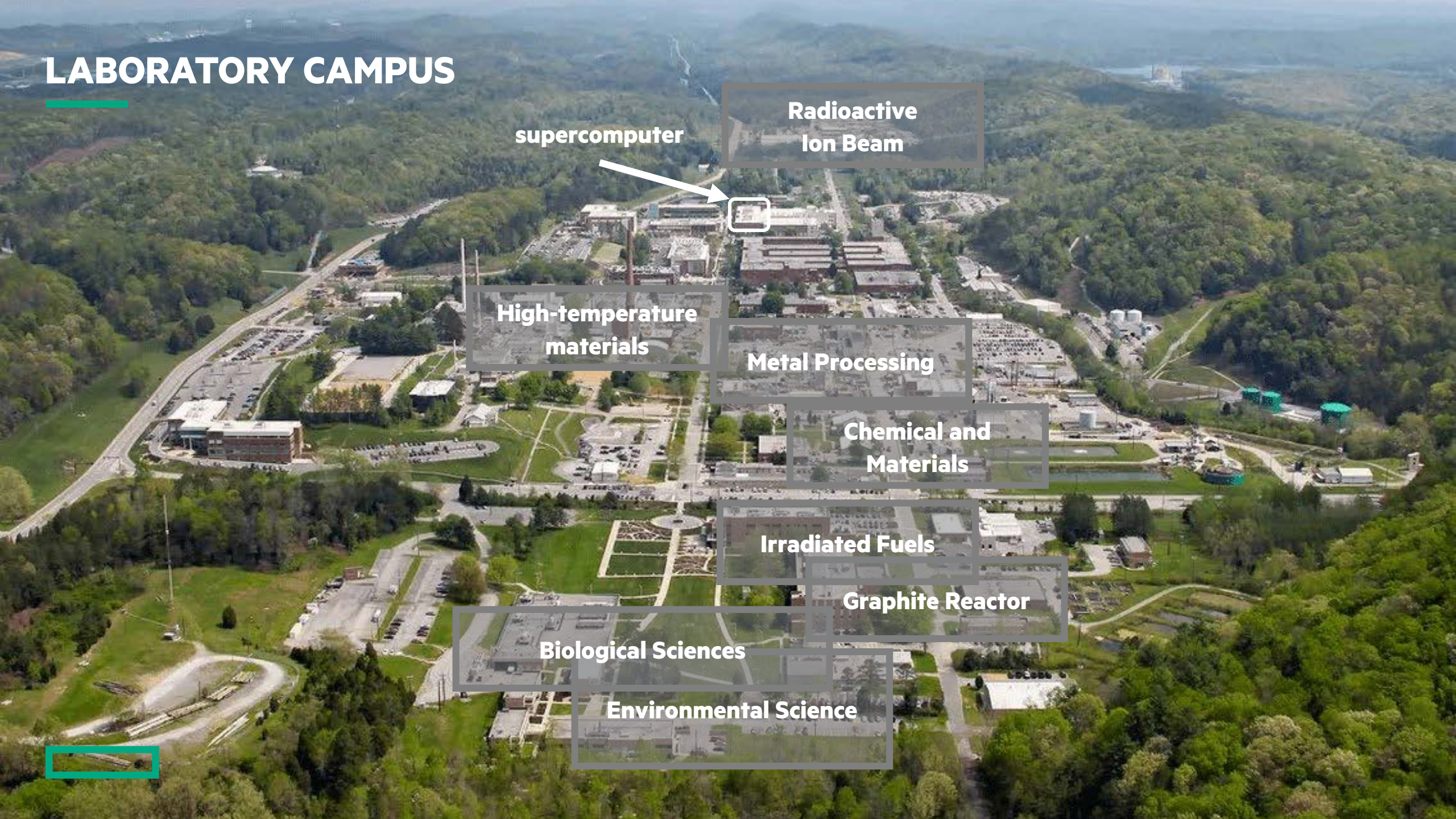
Chemical and
Materials

Irradiated Fuels

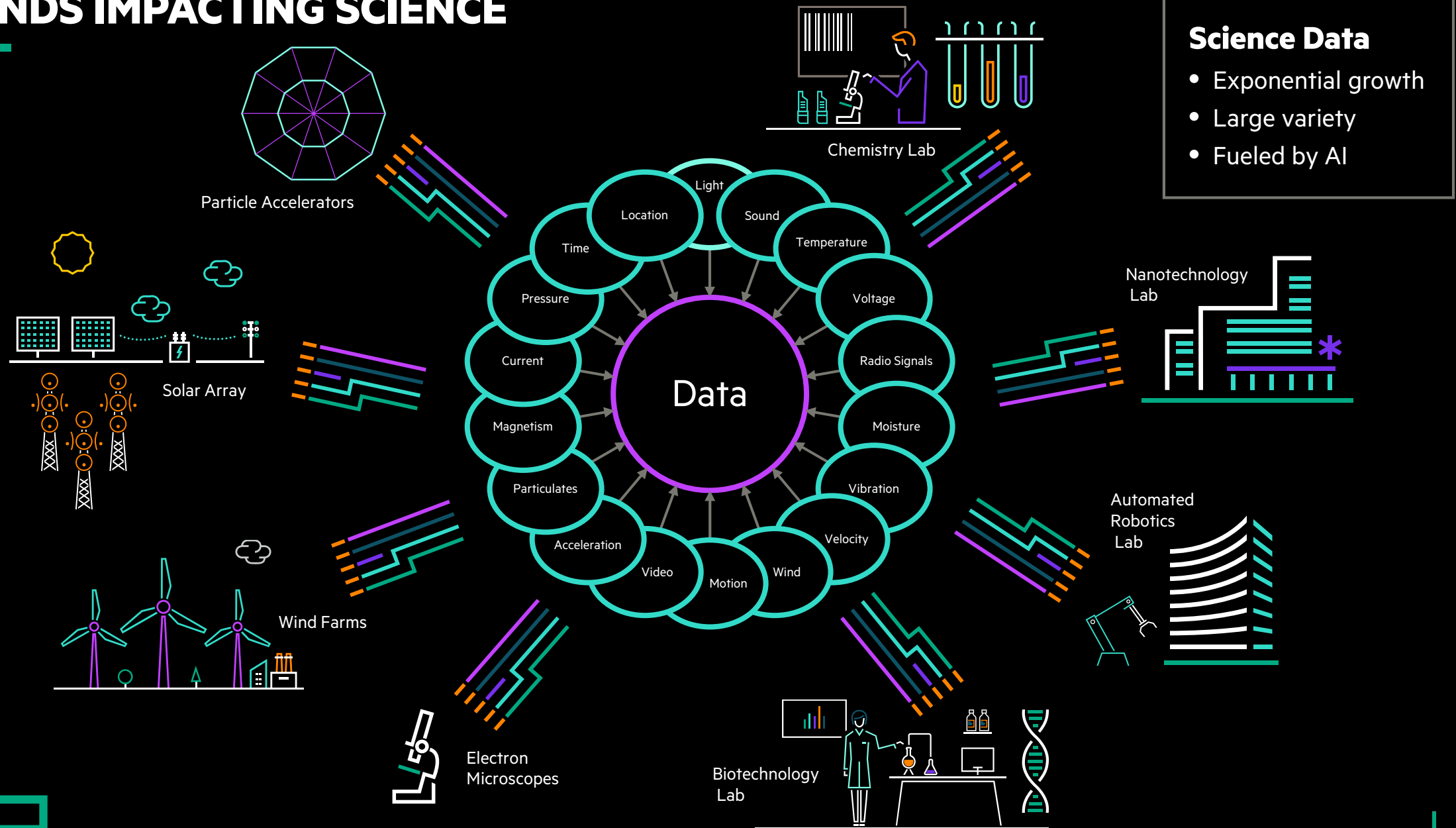
Graphite Reactor

Biological Sciences

Environmental Science

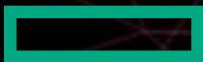
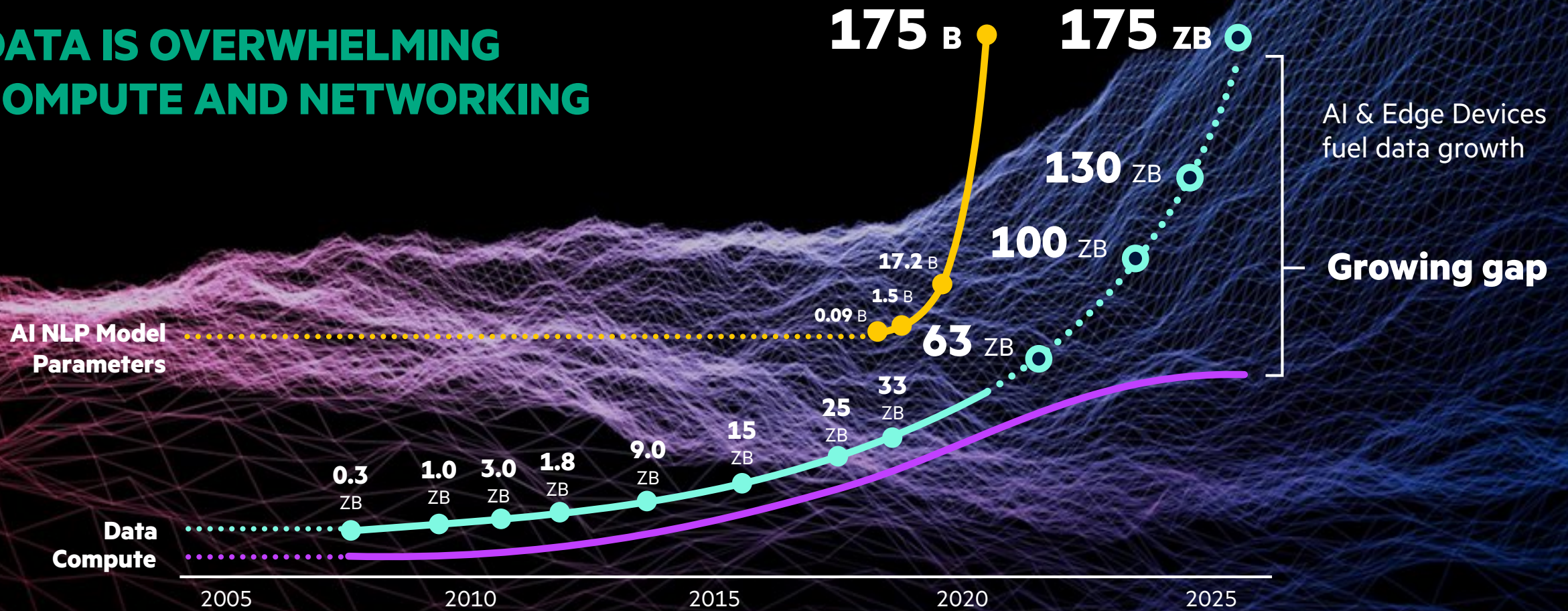


TRENDS IMPACTING SCIENCE

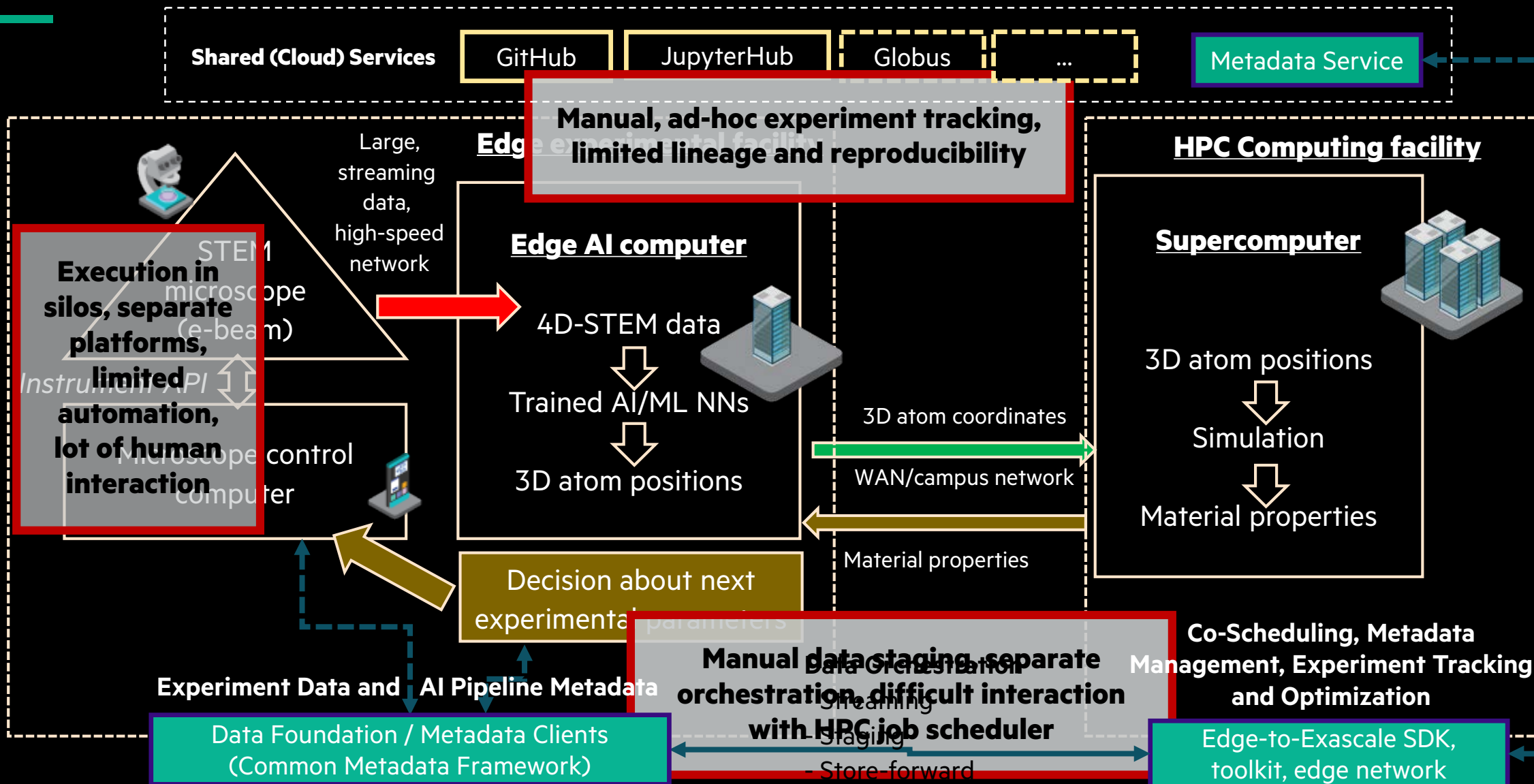


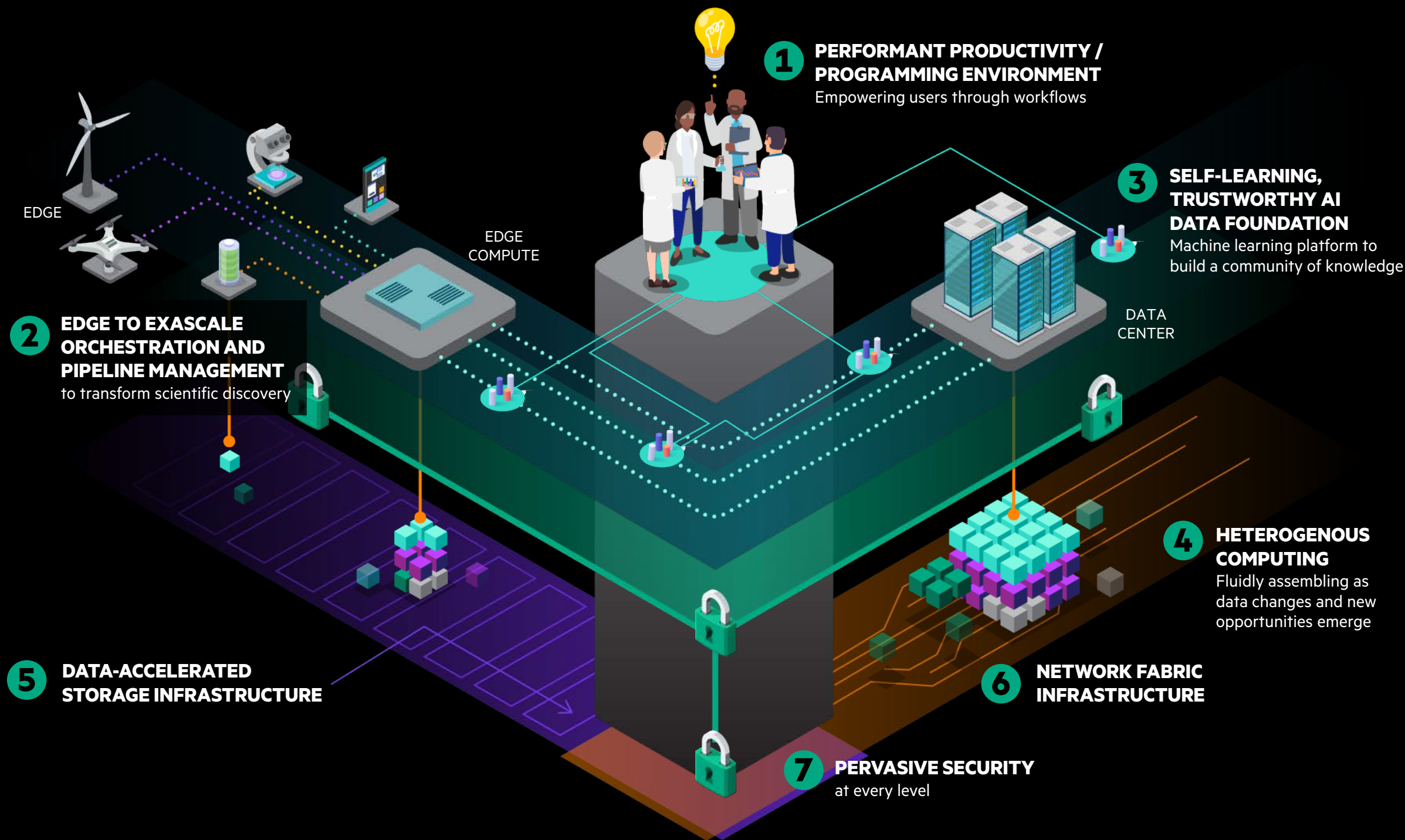
THE DATA AND AI CHALLENGE

DATA IS OVERWHELMING COMPUTE AND NETWORKING



A MOTIVATING EXAMPLE: EDGE-TO-HPC SCIENCE WORKFLOW





1 PERFORMANT PRODUCTIVITY / PROGRAMMING ENVIRONMENT
Empowering users through workflows

2 EDGE TO EXASCALE ORCHESTRATION AND PIPELINE MANAGEMENT
to transform scientific discovery

3 SELF-LEARNING, TRUSTWORTHY AI DATA FOUNDATION
Machine learning platform to build a community of knowledge

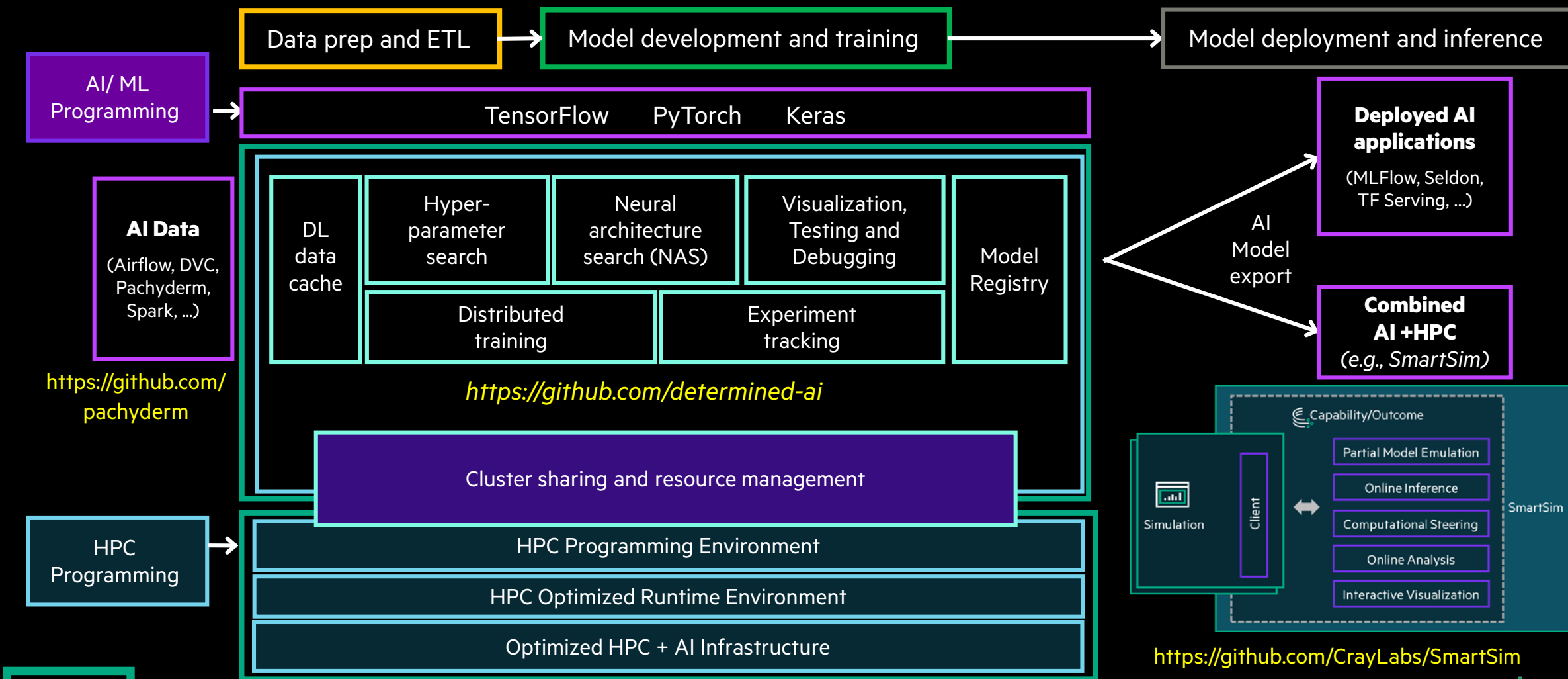
4 HETEROGENOUS COMPUTING
Fluidly assembling as data changes and new opportunities emerge

5 DATA-ACCELERATED STORAGE INFRASTRUCTURE

6 NETWORK FABRIC INFRASTRUCTURE

7 PERVASIVE SECURITY
at every level

(1) PERFORMANCE PRODUCTIVITY & PROGRAMMING ENVIRONMENT



(2) EDGE-TO-EXASCALE ORCHESTRATION

• Edge-to-Exascale SDK

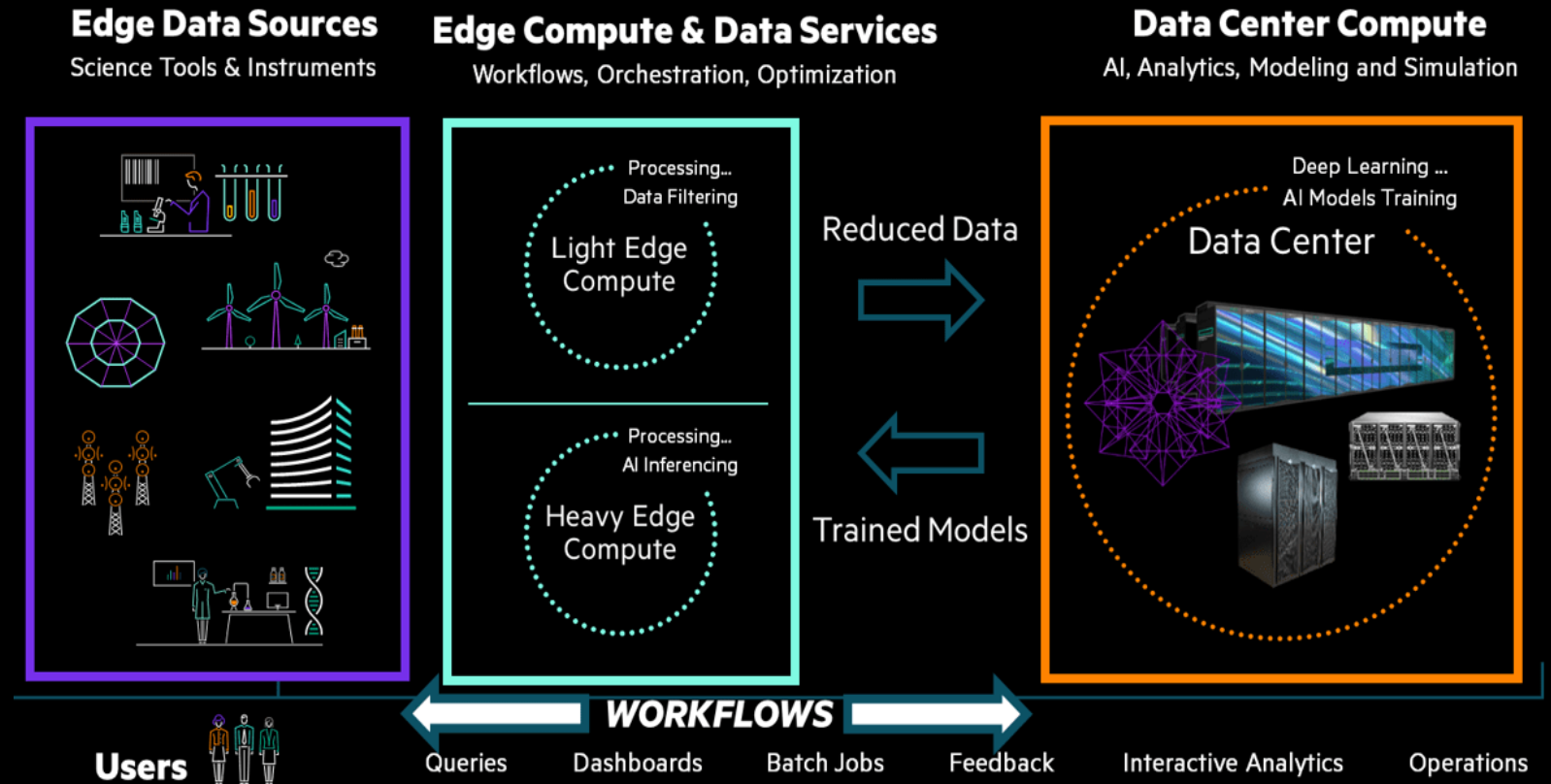
- Helps to manage the lifecycle of edge AI + HPC workflows
- Coordinates data movement, data transfer nodes, models and job scheduling

• Edge-friendly job scheduling

- Intelligent techniques and tools for orchestrating workflows and refactoring experiments

• Instrument stack

- Software stack based on open platforms



(3) SELF LEARNING, TRUSTWORTHY, AI DATA FOUNDATION

- **Separate layer**
 - Common Metadata Framework (API, client, and server)
 - Agnostic of storage and ML platforms
 - Links data, pipelines, models and outcomes
 - Tracks and learns from workflow history
- **Open, community-based**
 - Built on open-source foundation (Git, DVC, MLMD...)
 - Designed for scale, and exponential growth in scientific data and artifacts
 - Makes data, metadata, models and experiments shareable across teams and communities
- Speed up data-driven scientific discovery

<https://github.com/HewlettPackard/cmfd>

Machine Learning Platform

AI Pipelines

Data Ingestion, Cleanup, Model Engineering, Validation, Serving

Frameworks and MLOps Platforms

Spark, Sklearn, TensorFlow / Pytorch, Mlflow, Kubeflow, etc.

Self-Learning Data Foundation

Northbound Connectors and Intelligence

Data Selection, AI Pipeline Quality, etc.

Git for AI Data

Data and Metadata Management, Versioning, Workflow Lineage

Southbound Connectors and Intelligence

Data Gradation for Tiering & Movement, Data Shaping, etc.

Data Storage Systems

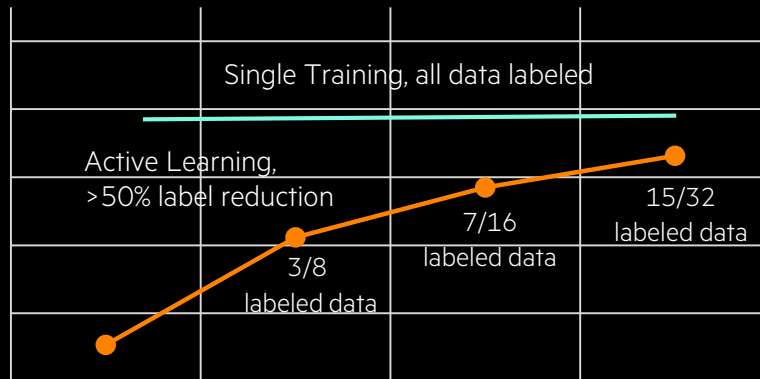
PFS, object stores (HPC, Cloud, Edge)

EXAMPLE: NORTHBOUND INTELLIGENCE

- Extract insights from data in complex workflows
- Utilities and infrastructure for lineage and provenance interception of AI/ML workflows
- Meta-learning capabilities: historical correlations help building robust and explainable models
- Identify data of highest importance for quality
- Spans the training and inference flows, closing the loop between monitoring and model update

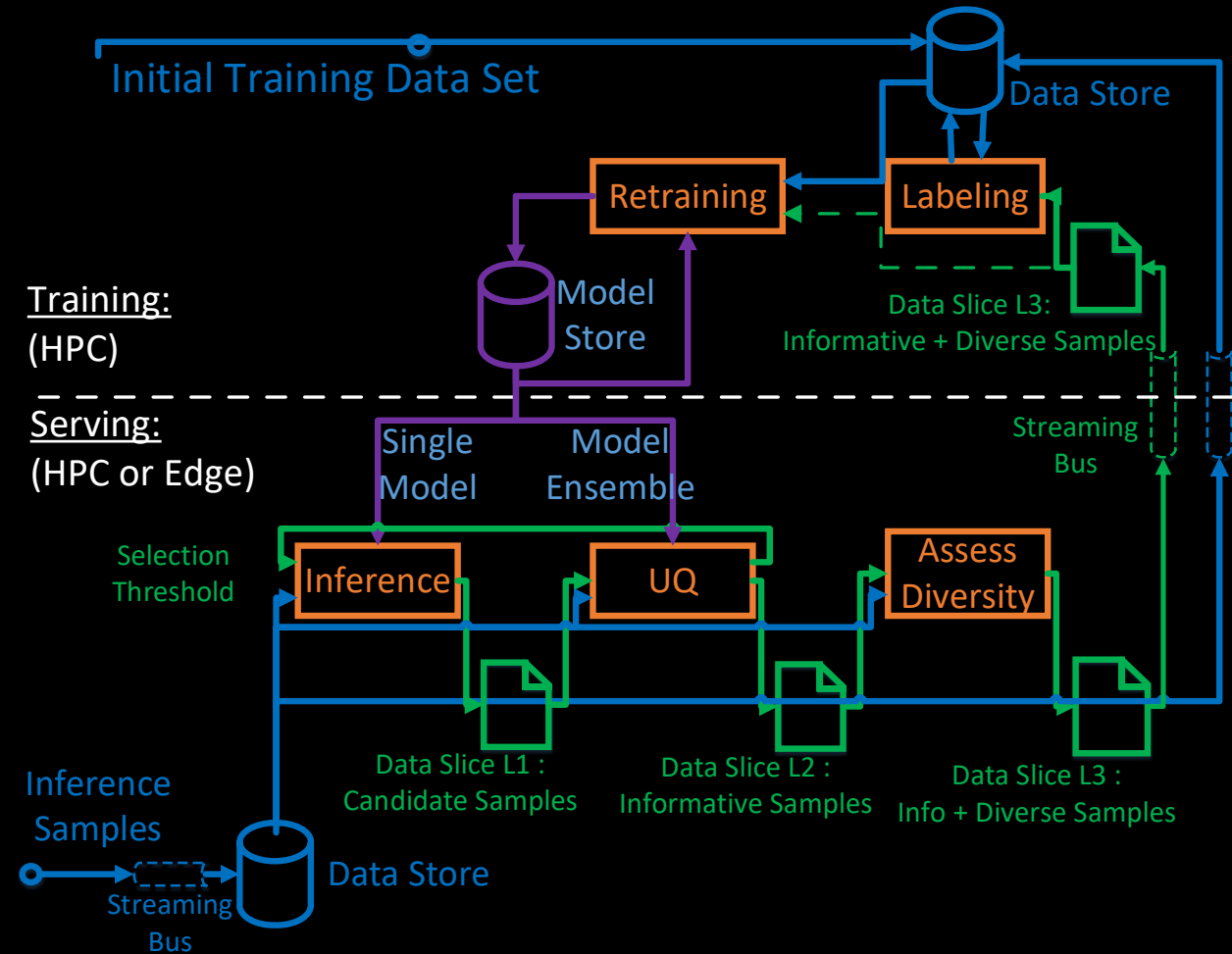
Average Intercept Over Union (IOU)

Accuracy vs. Number of Iterations

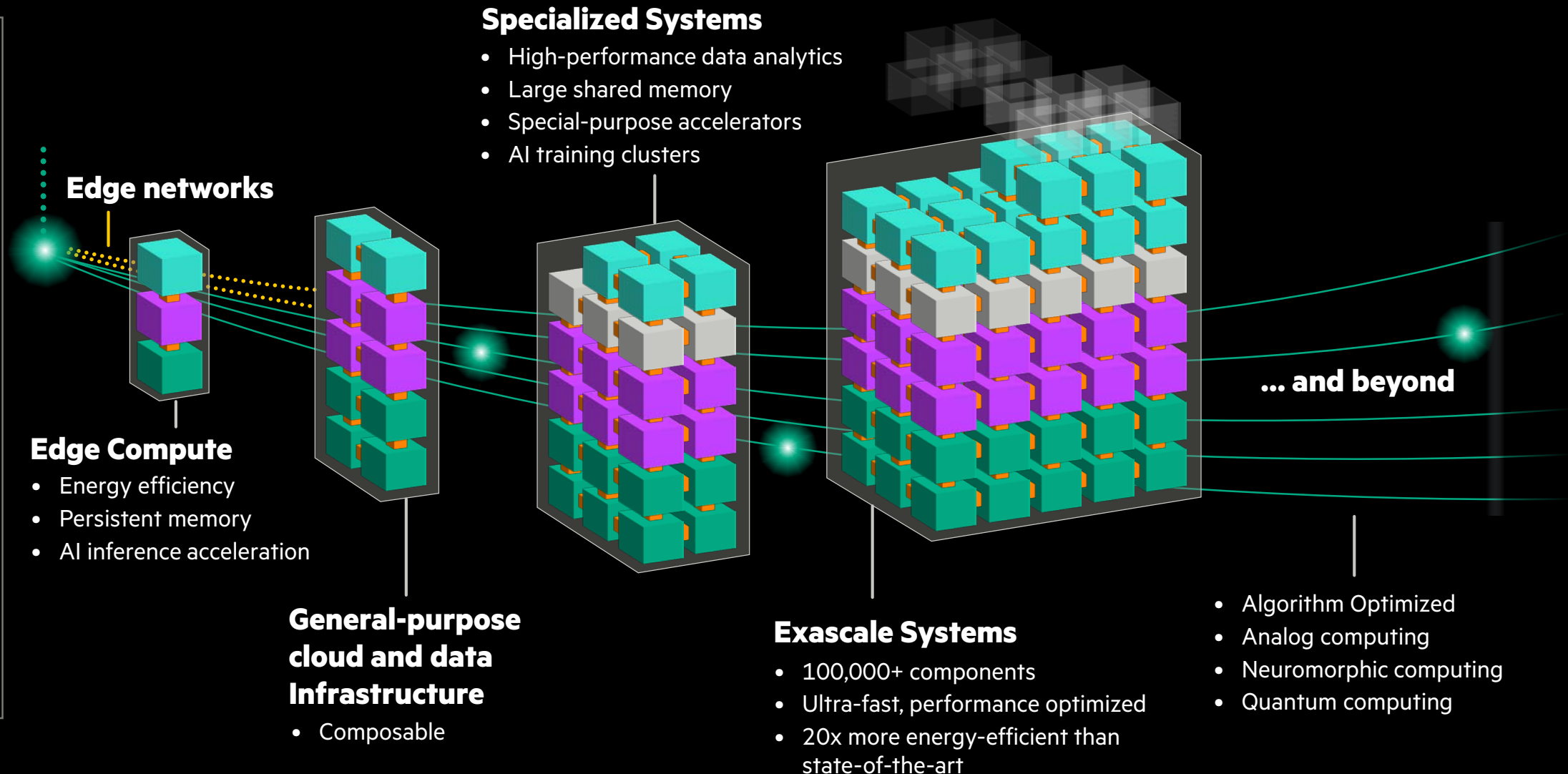
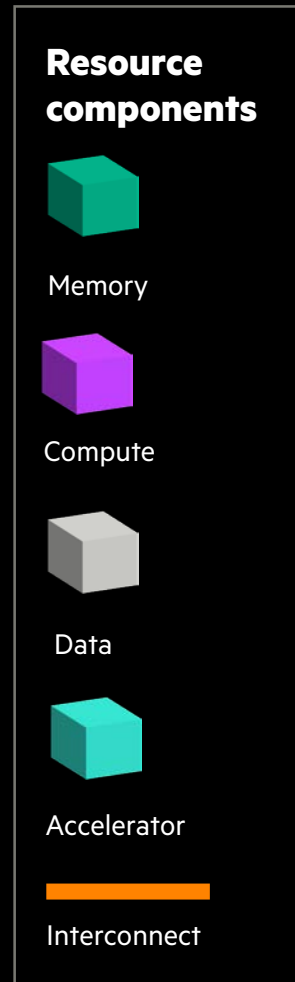


Number of Iterations

Active Learning (adaptive training flow)



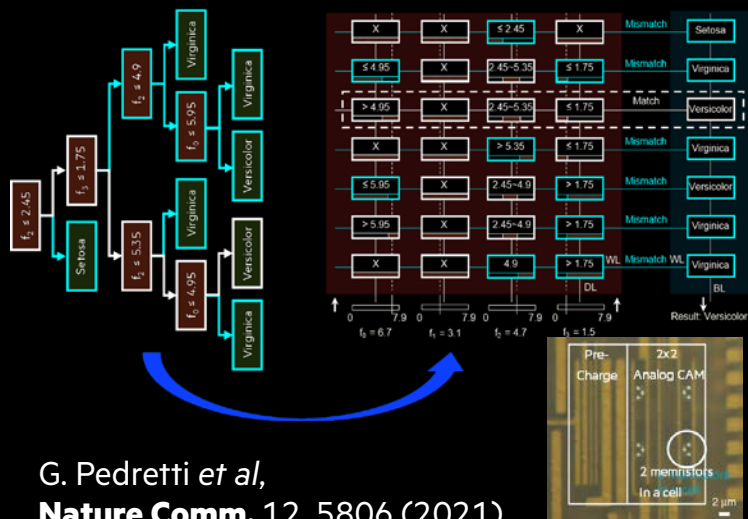
(5) HETEROGENEOUS COMPUTING



EXAMPLE: ANALOG IN-MEMORY COMPUTING FOR DECISION TREES

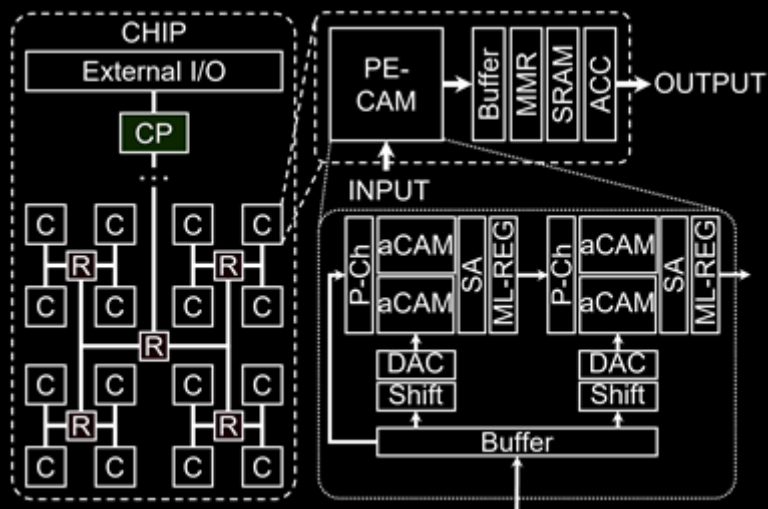
X-TIME: eXplainable Tree In-Memory Engine

Analog Computing Element



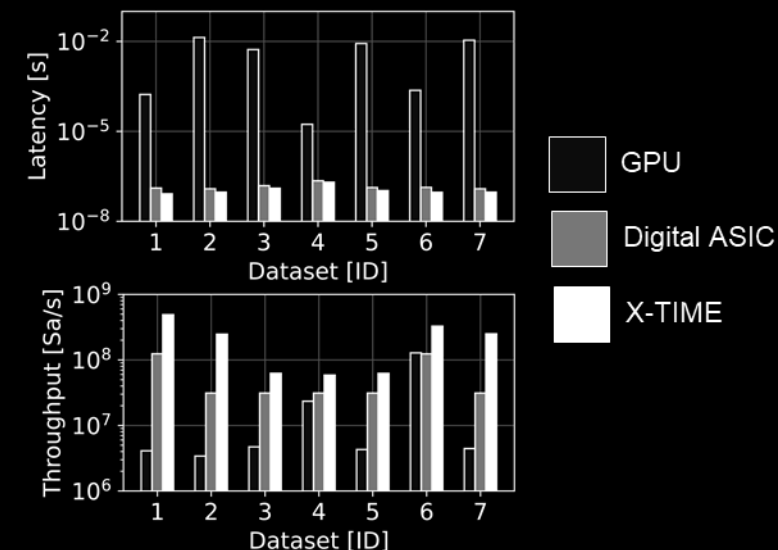
G. Pedretti et al, **Nature Comm.** 12, 5806 (2021)

Novel Microarchitecture



Depth and width independent throughput scaling, **massively parallel** node traversal in ACAM
Enables **large scale model inference** without performance loss

Scalable performance



Up to **9,740x lower latency** compared with GPU (V100) at higher throughput

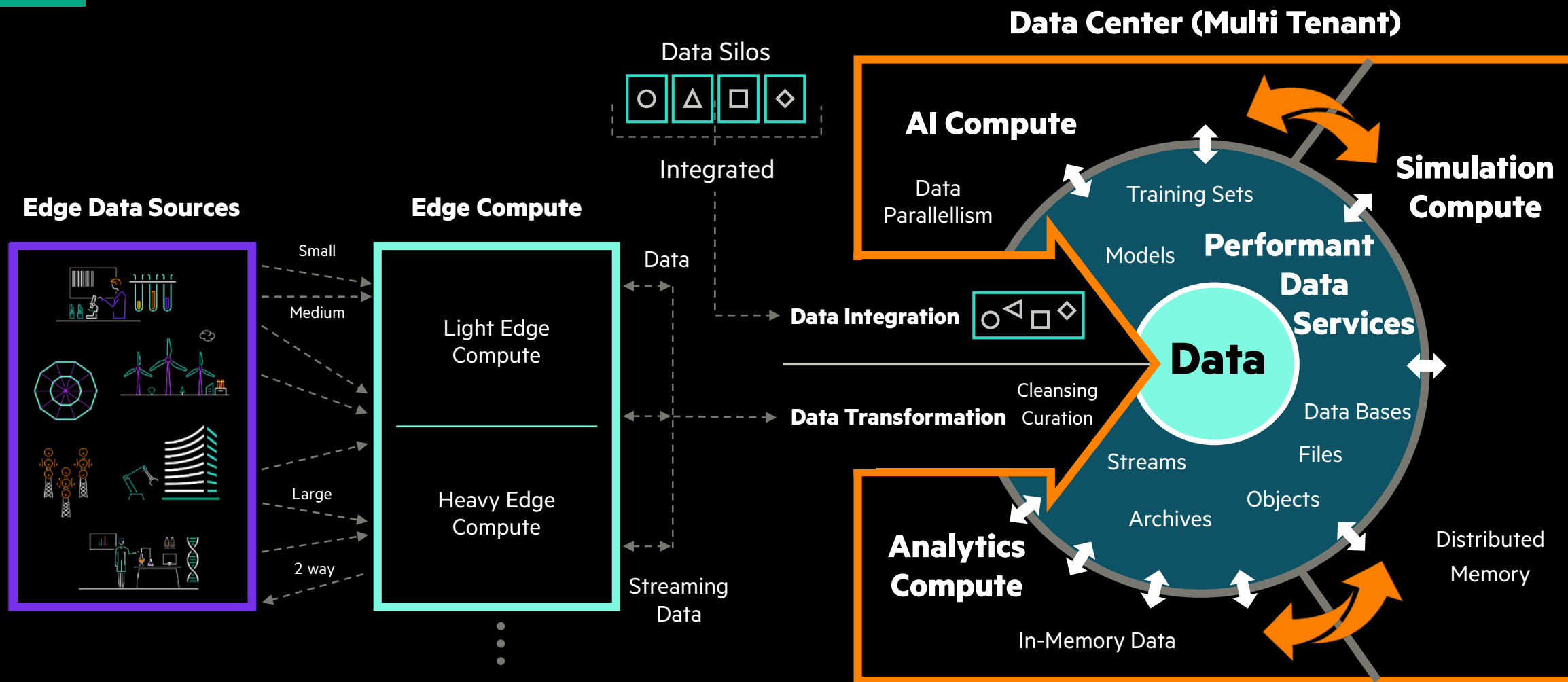
Up to **8x higher throughput** compared to digital ASIC at lower latency

68M ACAM elements (4k cores of 256x65) connected with an **H-tree NoC**

On-the-fly parallel reduction avoids overheads for large scale models

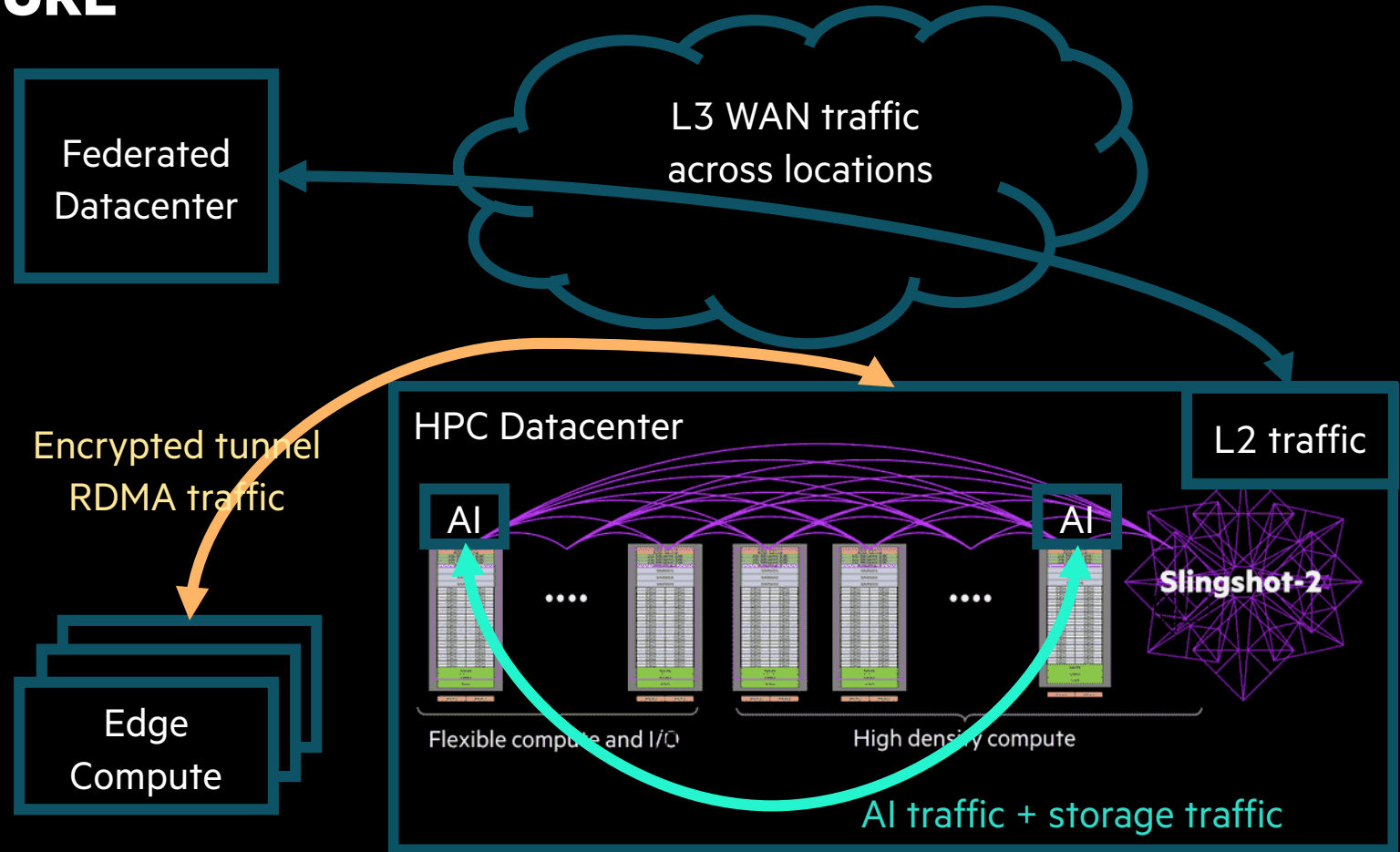
20W power budget

(5) DATA-ACCELERATED STORAGE



(6) NETWORK INFRASTRUCTURE

- **Extending HPC networks to the edge:** compute, storage, devices
- **Accelerators driving injection** (100 Gbps → 200 Gbps)
- **Photonics remains challenging** (copper @ 200 Gbps within rack works!)
- **Blending of supercomputer + cloud:** HPC-aaS, single job with 1,000 instances, QoS, privacy and security
- **Growing interest in HPC functionality** at Ethernet link / transport (RDMA, offloading, isolation, progression, collectives, flow-based congestion, ...)



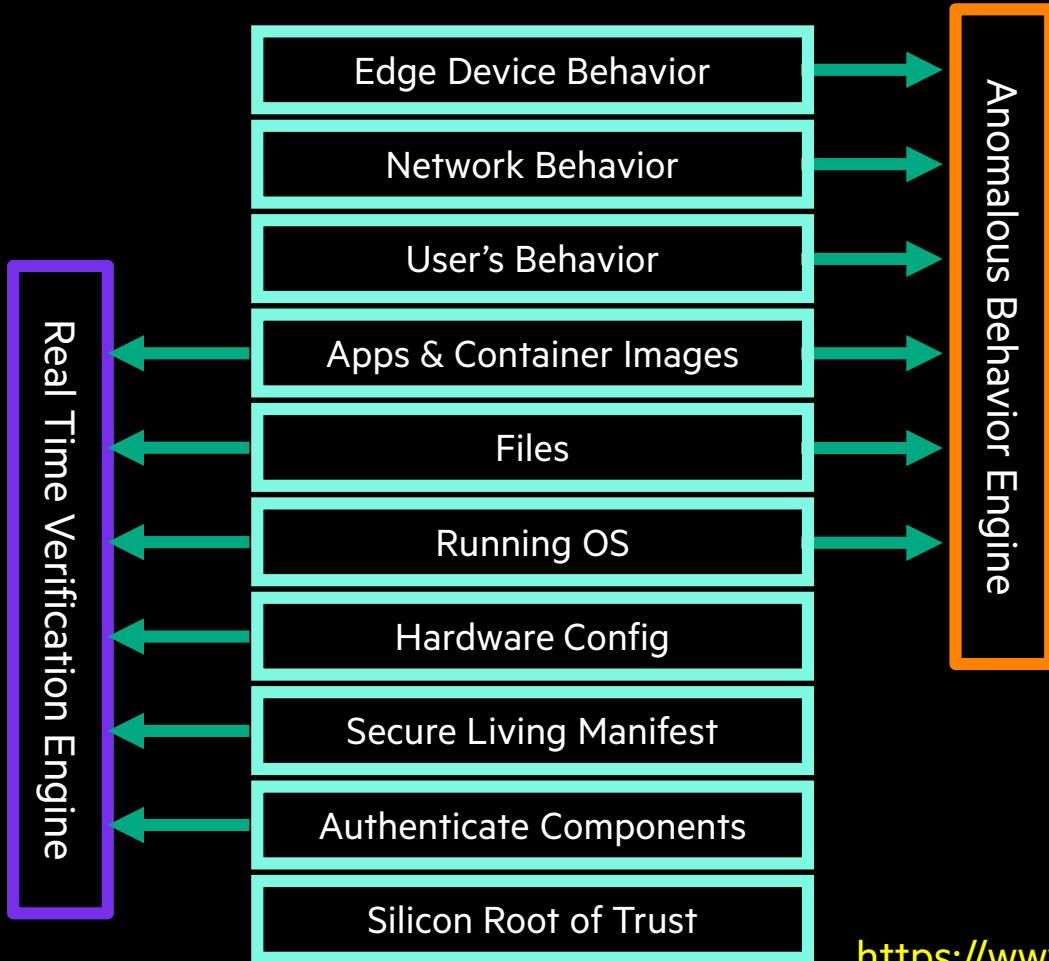
Converged Ethernet for interoperability

Performance at scale

Congestion control + multi-tenancy

(7) PERVASIVE SECURITY

Platform trust + Real time detection

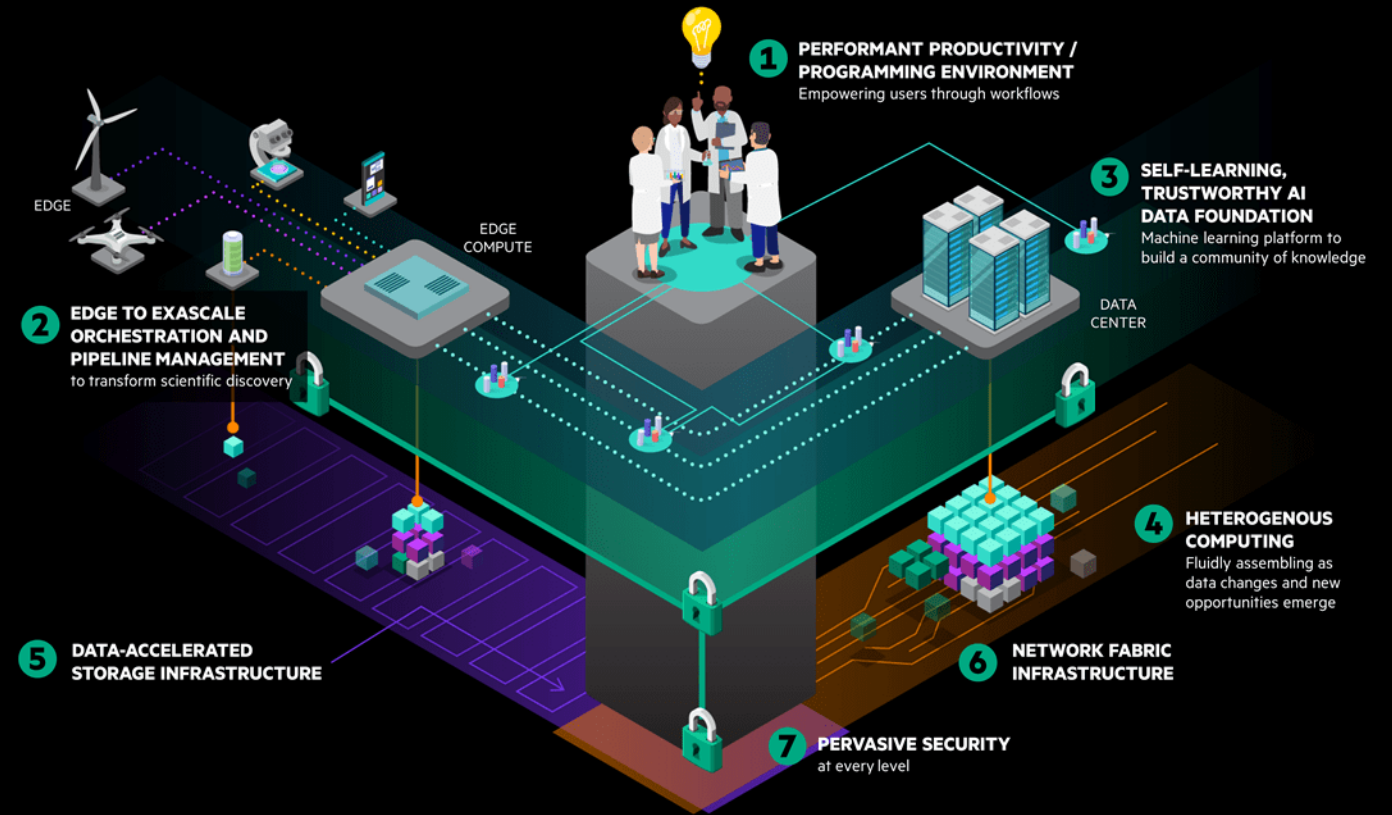


- Advanced Persistent Threats (APT)
 - Breach-to-discovery time: ~100 days [FireEye 2018]
- Supply Chain: top security concern of most governments
 - How to secure what is manufactured, delivered, where
- Extend silicon root of trust in real time
 - Detect zero-day threats without signatures
 - Continuous kernel integrity check (in seconds)
 - Verification of pluggable hw components and firmware
- IDevID and Platform Certificates (launched June '21)
 - Factory-issued X.509 server and TCG certificates
 - Manifest of pluggable hardware components
- Deep Supply Chain Attestation
 - Manifest of all parts, signed, maintained via blockchain

<https://www.hpe.com/us/en/security/project-aurora.html>

WRAPPING UP

- AI and data are disrupting science
*“AI will **not** replace scientists, but scientists that use AI will replace those who don’t”*
- Complex science workflows will span from the experimental edge to extreme-scale computing
- Today’s Exascale generation may be the last of “monolithic” supercomputers
- The next breakthrough will require a “Systems-of-Systems” view



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