



# PERFORMANCE AND SCALABILITY WITH OPTIMIZED MACHINE LEARNING LIBRARIES

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# Outline

- Introduction to the AI problem
- Intel<sup>®</sup> AI optimized software stack
- Integration with the popular AI/ML frameworks:
  - Scikit-learn accelerate with Intel<sup>®</sup> Data Analytics Acceleration Library (Intel<sup>®</sup> DAAL) and DAAL4Py
- Hands-on



# INTRODUCTION

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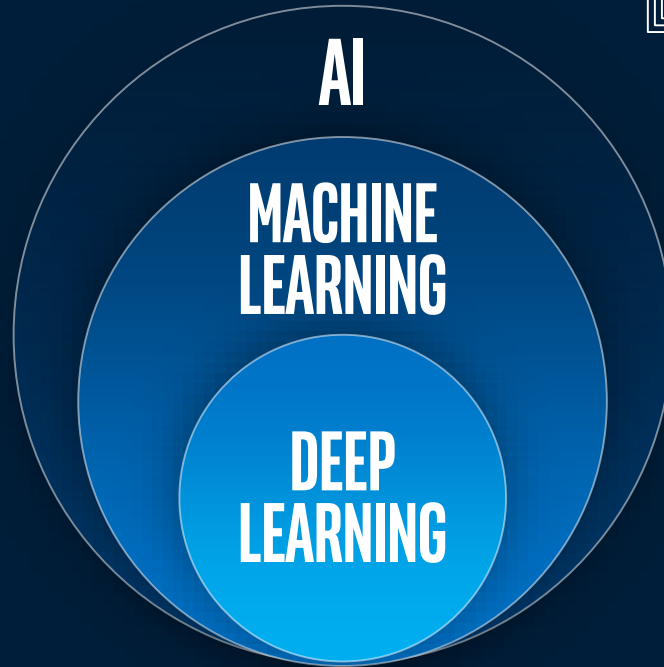
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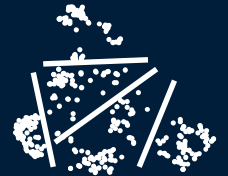


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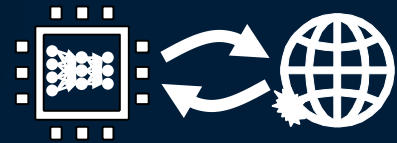
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- Classification
- Clustering
- Decision Trees
- Data Generation
- Image Processing
- Speech Processing
- Natural Language Processing
- Recommender Systems
- Adversarial Networks



**SUPERVISED  
LEARNING**



**UNSUPERVISED  
LEARNING**



**REINFORCEMENT  
LEARNING**

NO ONE SIZE FITS ALL APPROACH TO AI

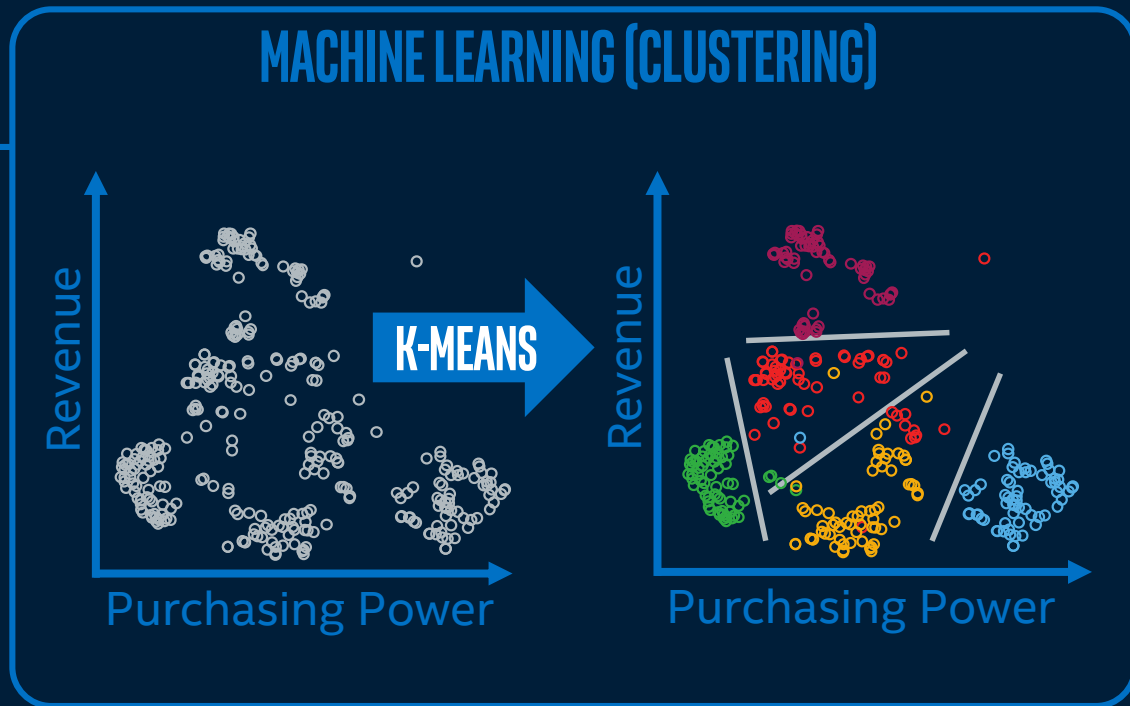
# HOW DOES MACHINE LEARNING WORK?

MACHINE LEARNING

- Regression
- Classification
- Clustering**
- Decision Trees
- Data Generation

DEEP LEARNING

- Speech Processing
- Natural Language Processing
- Recommender Systems
- Adversarial Networks
- Reinforcement Learning



CHOOSE THE BEST AI APPROACH FOR YOUR CHALLENGE

# HOW DOES DEEP LEARNING WORK?

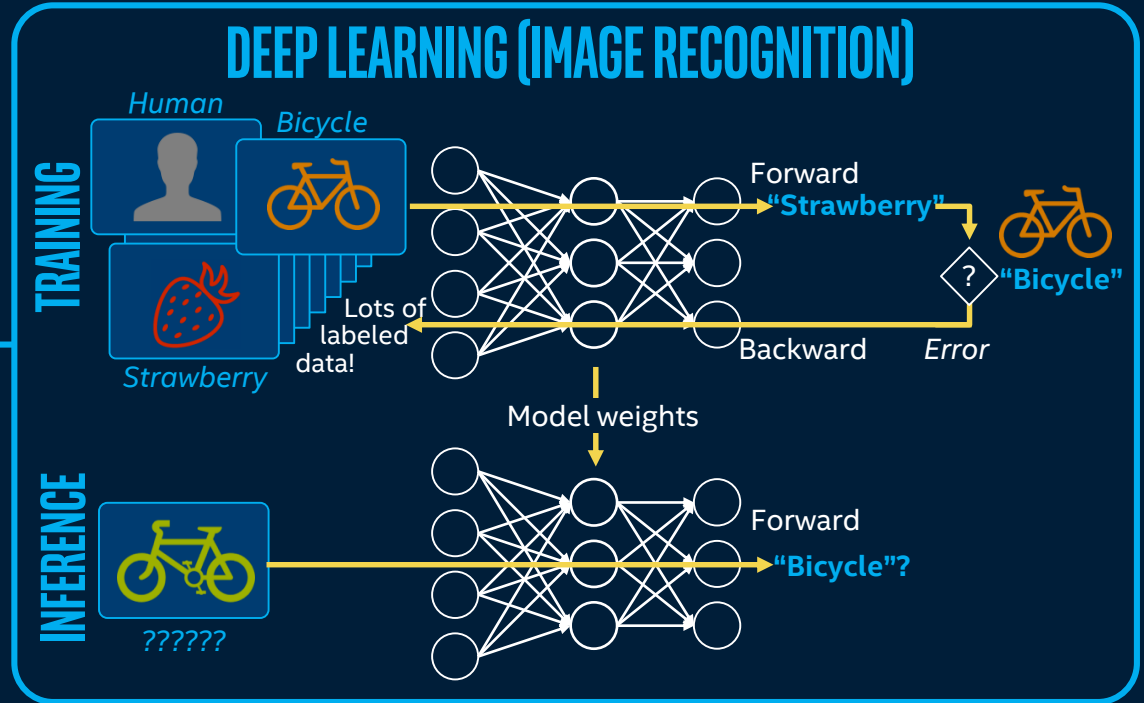
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- Regression
- Classification
- Clustering
- Decision Trees
- Data Generation

## Image Processing

## DEEP LEARNING

- Speech Processing
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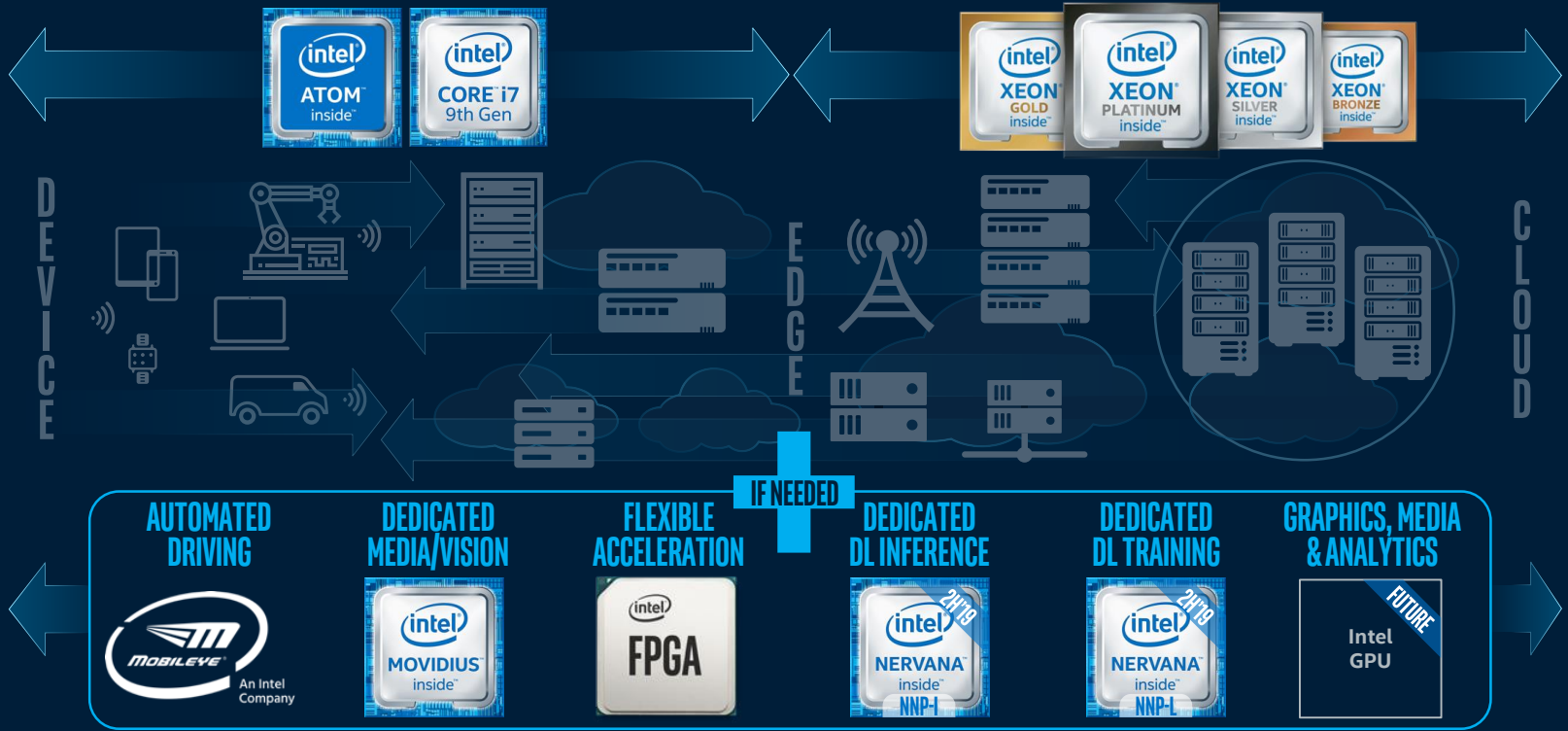
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# DEPLOY AI ANYWHERE

## WITH UNPRECEDENTED HARDWARE CHOICE

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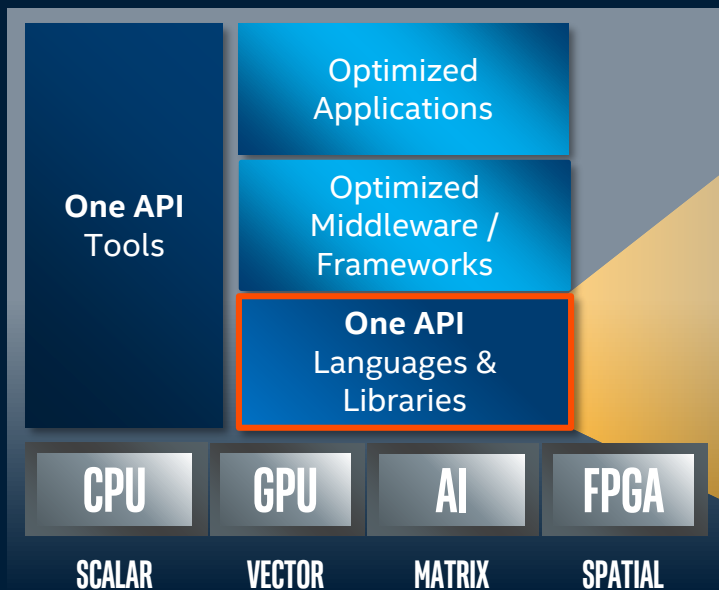
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# REVOLUTIONIZING PROGRAMMABILITY

## INTEL'S ONE API



## DATA PARALLEL C++

Based on C++ and  
uses C / C++ constructs

Incorporates SYCL\* for data parallelism &  
heterogeneous programming

Language extensions driven through  
an open community project

First available – Q4 2019

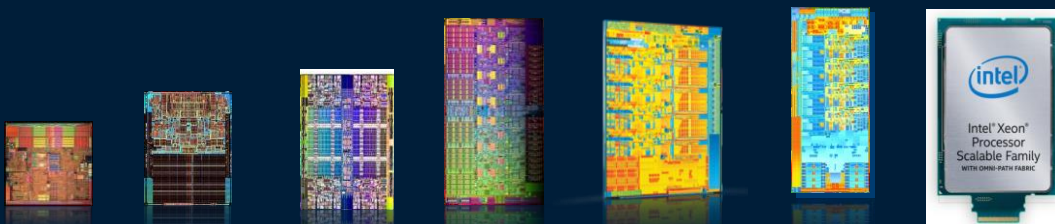
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# THE EVOLUTION OF MICROPROCESSOR PARALLELISM

More cores → More Threads → Wider vectors



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Up to Core(s)	1	2	4	6	12	18-22	28
Up to Threads	2	2	8	12	24	36-44	56
SIMD Width	128	128	128	128	256	256	512
Vector ISA	Intel® SSE3	Intel® SSE3	Intel® SSE4- 4.1	Intel® SSE 4.2	Intel® AVX	Intel® AVX2	Intel® AVX-512

1. Product specification for launched and shipped products available on [ark.intel.com](http://ark.intel.com).

Scalar

$$\boxed{A} + \boxed{B} = \boxed{C}$$



SIMD

$$\begin{matrix} \boxed{A} \\ \boxed{A} \\ \boxed{A} \\ \boxed{A} \\ \boxed{A} \\ \boxed{A} \\ \boxed{A} \end{matrix} + \begin{matrix} \boxed{B} \\ \boxed{B} \\ \boxed{B} \\ \boxed{B} \\ \boxed{B} \\ \boxed{B} \\ \boxed{B} \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} \boxed{C} \\ \boxed{C} \\ \boxed{C} \\ \boxed{C} \\ \boxed{C} \\ \boxed{C} \\ \boxed{C} \end{matrix}$$

# SPEED UP DEVELOPMENT USING OPEN AI SOFTWARE

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MACHINE LEARNING

DEEP LEARNING



**TOOLKITS**  
App developers



Open source platform for building E2E Analytics & AI applications on Apache Spark\* with distributed TensorFlow\*, Keras\*, BigDL



Deep learning inference deployment on CPU/GPU/FPGA/VPU for Caffe\*, TensorFlow\*, MXNet\*, ONNX\*, Kaldi\*



Open source, scalable, and extensible distributed deep learning platform built on Kubernetes (BETA)



**LIBRARIES**  
Data scientists

Python

- Scikit-learn
- Pandas
- NumPy

R

- Cart
- Random Forest
- e1071

Distributed

- MLlib (on Spark)
- Mahout



Intel-optimized Frameworks

And more framework optimizations underway including PaddlePaddle\*, Chainer\*, CNTK\* & others



**KERNELS**  
Library developers

Intel® Distribution for Python\*

Intel distribution optimized for machine learning

Intel® Data Analytics Acceleration Library (DAAL)

High performance machine learning & data analytics library

Intel® Math Kernel Library for Deep Neural Networks (MKL-DNN)

Open source DNN functions for CPU / integrated graphics



Open source compiler for deep learning model computations optimized for multiple devices (CPU, GPU, NNP) from multiple frameworks (TF, MXNet, ONNX)



# INTEL® AI OPTIMIZED SOFTWARE

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# PRODUCTIVITY WITH PERFORMANCE VIA INTEL® PYTHON\*

## Intel® Distribution for Python\*



*Easy, out-of-the-box access to high performance Python*

- Prebuilt accelerated solutions for data analytics, numerical computing, etc.
- Drop in replacement for your existing Python. No code changes required.

Learn More: [software.intel.com/distribution-for-python](https://software.intel.com/distribution-for-python)

# INSTALLING INTEL® DISTRIBUTION FOR PYTHON\* 2019

## Standalone Installer

Download full installer from  
<https://software.intel.com/en-us/intel-distribution-for-python>

## Anaconda.org

Anaconda.org/intel channel

```
> conda config --add channels intel  
> conda install intelpython3_full  
> conda install intelpython3_core
```

## PyPI

```
> pip install intel-numpy  
> pip install intel-scipy + Intel library Runtime packages  
> pip install mkl_fft + Intel development packages  
> pip install mkl_random
```

## Docker Hub

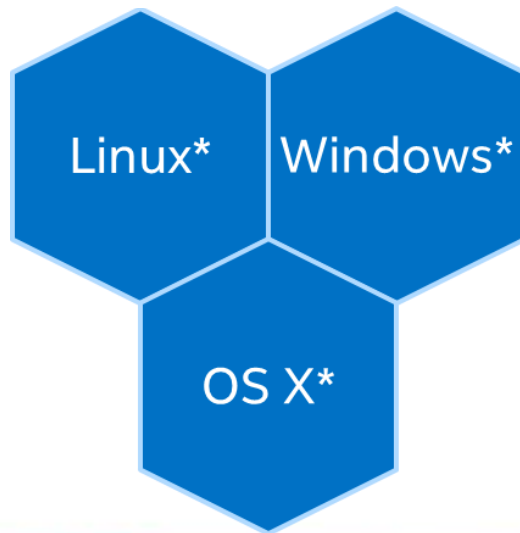
```
docker pull intelpython/intelpython3_full
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## YUM/APT

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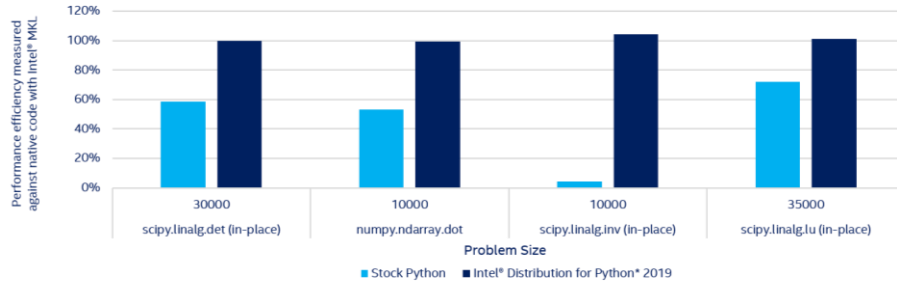


2.7 & 3.6  
(3.7 coming soon)



# FASTER PYTHON\* WITH INTEL® DISTRIBUTION FOR PYTHON 2019

Intel optimizations improve Python Linear Algebra efficiency closer to native code speeds on Intel® Xeon™ processors



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Testing by Intel as of July 9, 2018. Configuration: Stock Python: python 3.6.6 hc3d631a\_0 installed from conda, numpy 1.15, numba 0.39.0, llvmlite 0.24.0, scipy 1.1.0, scikit-learn 0.19.2 installed from pip; Intel Distribution for Python\* 2019 2019: python 3.6.5 intel\_11, numpy 1.14.3 intel\_py36\_5, mkl 2019.0 intel\_101, mkl\_fft 1.0.2 intel\_np114py36\_6, mkl\_random 1.0.1 intel\_np114py36\_6, numba 0.39.0 intel\_np114py36\_0, llvmlite 0.24.0 intel\_py36\_0, scipy 1.1.0 intel\_np114py36\_6, scikit-learn 0.19.1 intel\_np114py36\_3k, OS: CentOS Linux 7.3.1611, kernel 3.10.0-514.el7.x86\_64, Hardware: Intel(R) Xeon(R) Gold 6140 CPU @ 2.30GHz (2 sockets, 18 cores/socket, 171 GB of DDR4 RAM, 16 drives of 16 GB@5600rpm)

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Linear Algebra functions in Intel Distribution for Python are faster than equivalent stock Python functions

## High Performance Python Distribution

- Accelerated NumPy, SciPy, scikit-learn well suited for scientific computing, machine learning & data analytics
- Drop-in replacement for existing Python. No code changes required
- Highly optimized for latest Intel processors
- Take advantage of [Priority Support](#) – connect direct to Intel engineers for technical questions<sup>2</sup>

## What's New in 2019 version

- Faster Machine learning with Scikit-learn: Support Vector Machine (SVM) and K-means prediction, accelerated with Intel® Data Analytics Acceleration Library
- Integrated into Intel® Parallel Studio XE 2019 installer. Also available as easy command line standalone install.
- Includes XGBoost package (Linux\* only)

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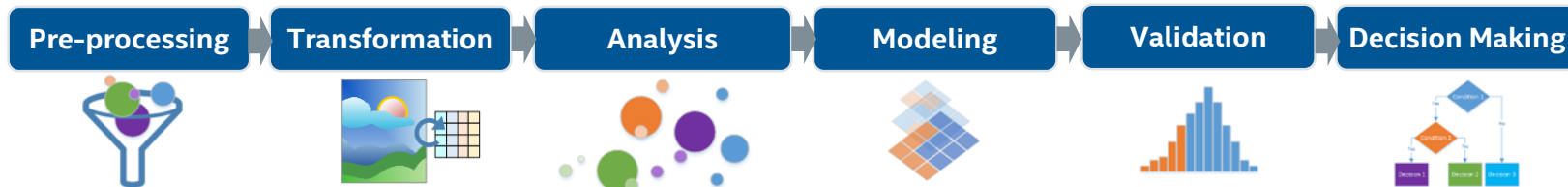
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# INTEL® DATA ANALYTICS ACCELERATION LIBRARY (INTEL® DAAL)

Building blocks for all data analytics stages, including data preparation, data mining & machine learning



Common Python\*, Java\*, C++ APIs across all Intel hardware

Optimizes data ingestion & algorithmic compute together for highest performance

Supports offline, streaming & distributed usage models for a range of application needs

Flexible interfaces to leading big data platforms including Spark\*

Split analytics workloads between edge devices & cloud to optimize overall application throughput

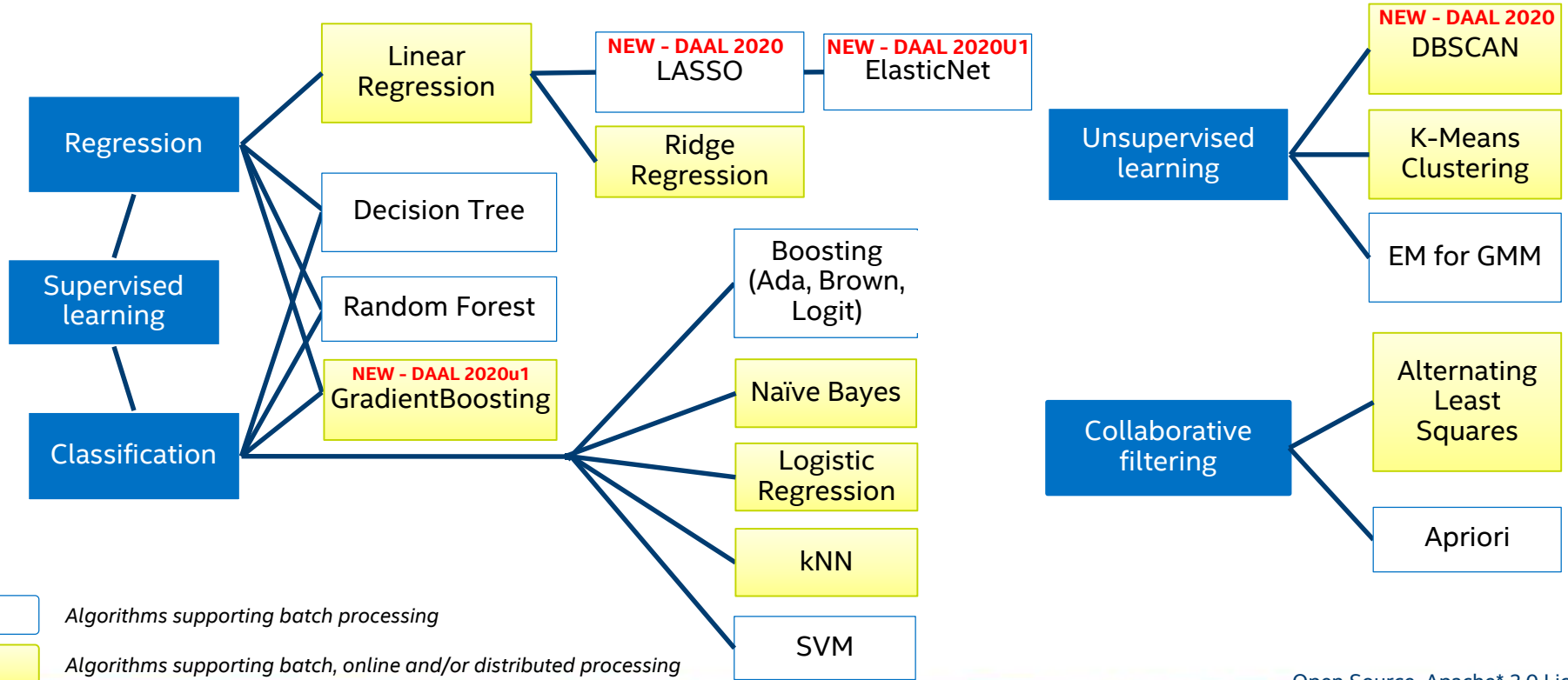
## High Performance Machine Learning & Data Analytics Library

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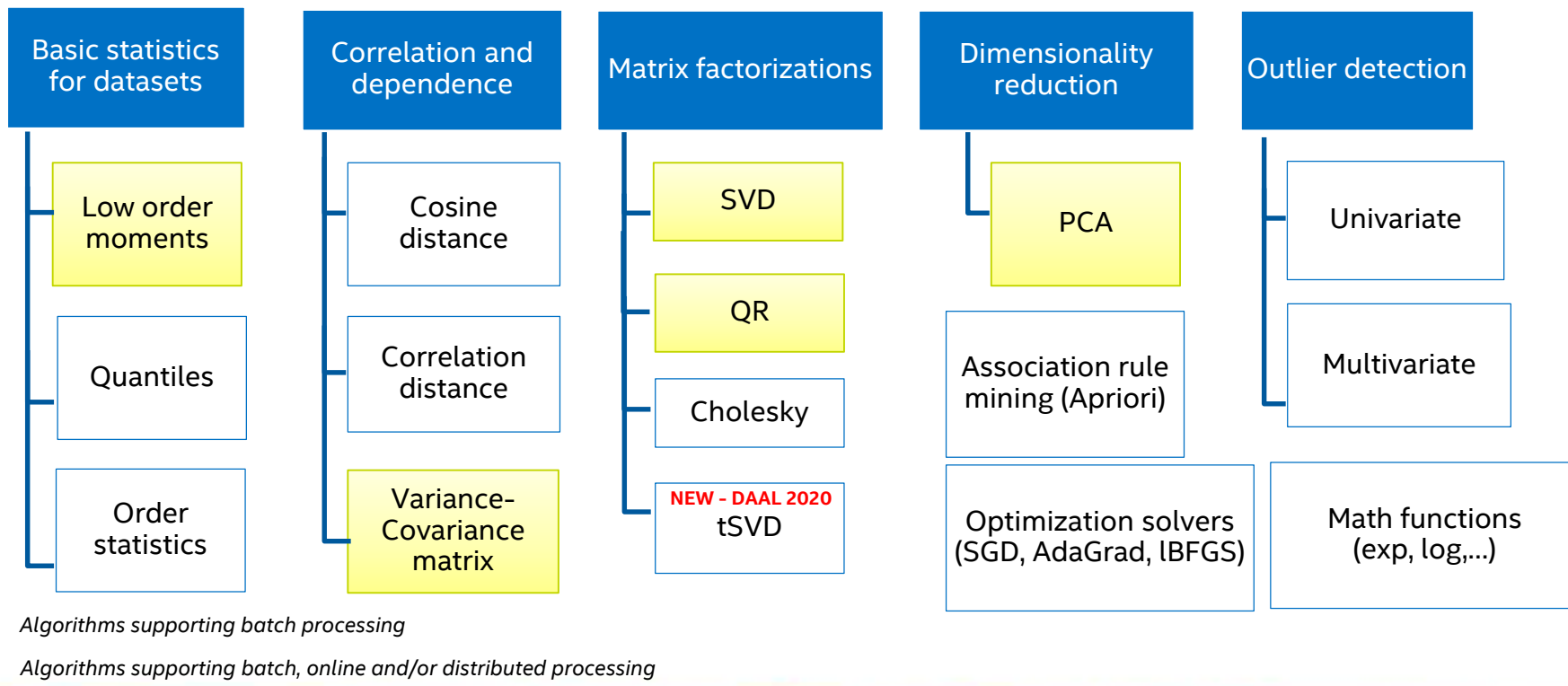


# MACHINE LEARNING ALGORITHMS



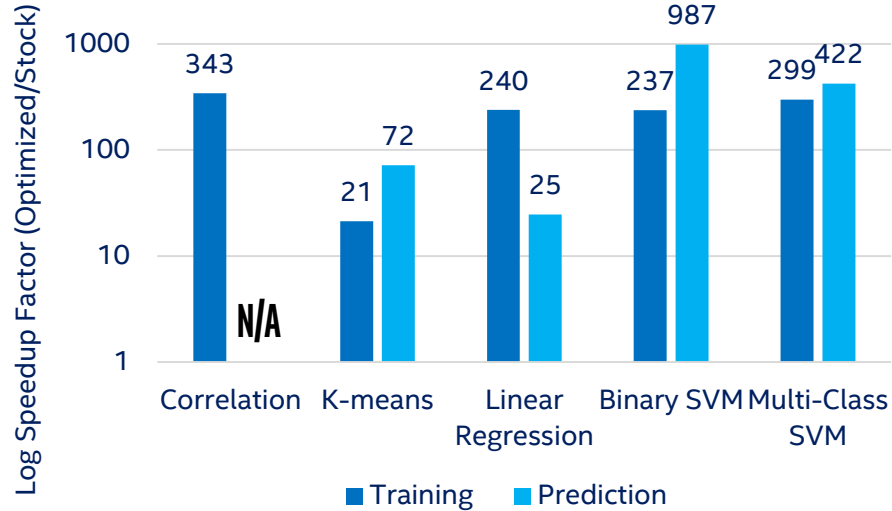
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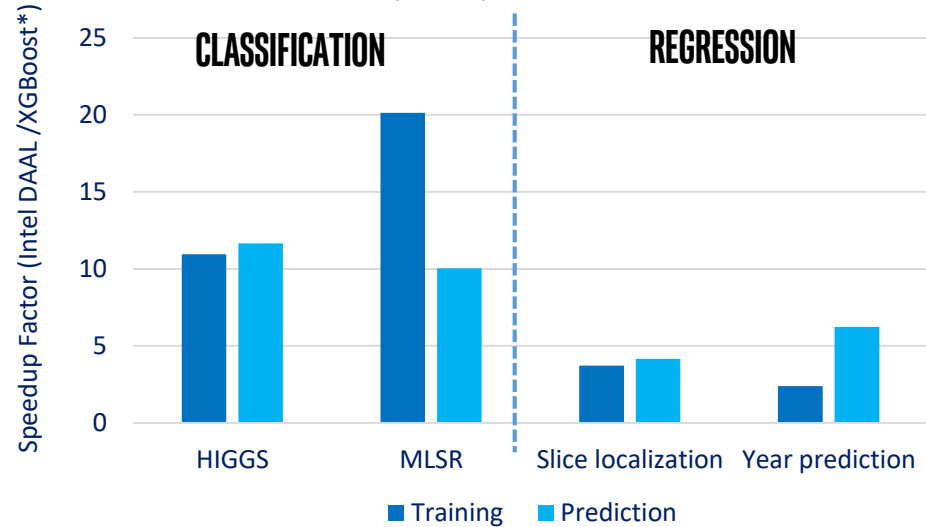


# INTEL® DAAL - PERFORMANCE

Intel® DAAL 2019 Log Scale Optimization of Scikit-learn\*



Intel® Data Analytics Acceleration Library 2019 (Intel® DAAL) Speedup vs XGBoost\*



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# FASTER, SCALABLE CODE WITH INTEL<sup>®</sup> MATH KERNEL LIBRARY

## LINEAR ALGEBRA

BLAS

LAPACK

ScaLAPACK

Sparse BLAS

Iterative sparse solvers

PARDISO\*

Cluster Sparse Solver

## FFTS

Multidimensional

FFTW interfaces

Cluster FFT

## VECTOR RNGS

Congruential

Wichmann-Hill

Mersenne Twister

Sobol

Neirderreiter

Non-deterministic

## SUMMARY STATISTICS

Kurtosis

Variation coefficient

Order statistics

Min/max

Variance-covariance

## VECTOR MATH

Trigonometric

Hyperbolic

Exponential

Log

Power

Root

## AND MORE

Splines

Interpolation

Trust Region

Fast Poisson Solver

# INTEL<sup>®</sup> MATH KERNEL LIBRARY FOR DEEP NEURAL NETWORKS (INTEL<sup>®</sup> MKL-DNN)

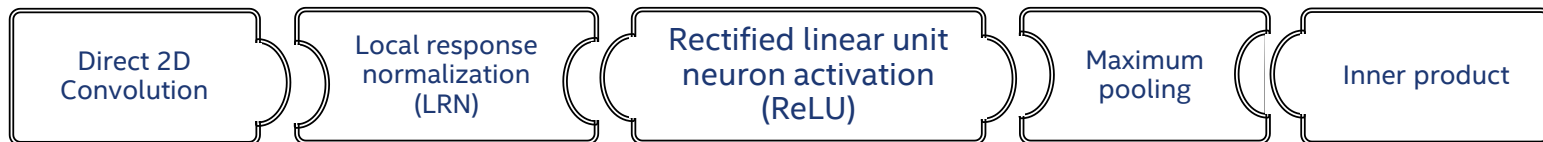
For developers of deep learning frameworks featuring optimized performance on Intel hardware

## Distribution Details

- Open Source
- Apache\* 2.0 License
- Common DNN APIs across all Intel hardware.
- Rapid release cycles, iterated with the DL community, to best support industry framework integration.
- Highly vectorized & threaded for maximal performance, based on the popular Intel<sup>®</sup> Math Kernel Library.

[github.com/01org/mkl-dnn](https://github.com/01org/mkl-dnn)

Examples:



Accelerate Performance of Deep Learning Models



# INTEGRATION WITH THE POPULAR AI/ML FRAMEWORKS

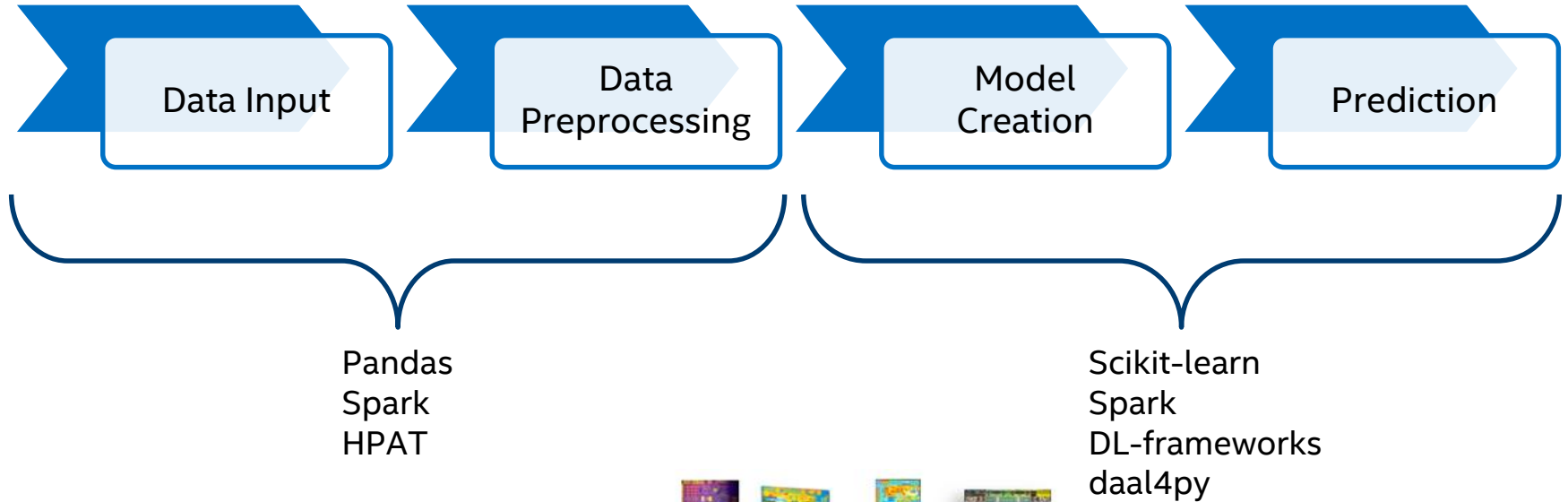
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# DATA ANALYSIS AND MACHINE LEARNING



*more nodes, more cores, more threads, wider vectors, ...*



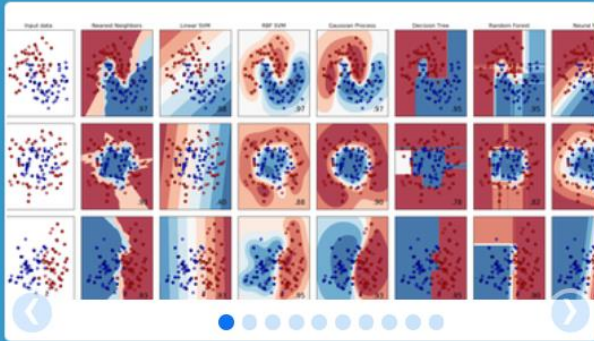
# THE MOST POPULAR ML PACKAGE FOR PYTHON\*



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## scikit-learn

*Machine Learning in Python*

- Simple and efficient tools for data mining and data analysis
- Accessible to everybody, and reusable in various contexts
- Built on NumPy, SciPy, and matplotlib
- Open source, commercially usable - BSD license

### Classification

Identifying to which category an object belongs to.

**Applications:** Spam detection, Image recognition.

**Algorithms:** SVM, nearest neighbors, random forest, ...

— Examples

### Regression

Predicting a continuous-valued attribute associated with an object.

**Applications:** Drug response, Stock prices.

**Algorithms:** SVR, ridge regression, Lasso, ...

— Examples

### Clustering

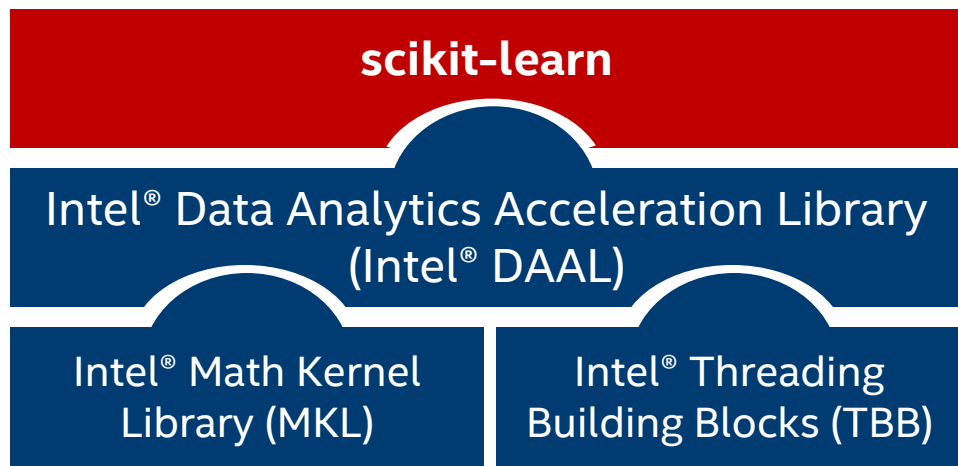
Automatic grouping of similar objects into sets.

**Applications:** Customer segmentation, Grouping experiment outcomes

**Algorithms:** k-Means, spectral clustering, mean-shift, ...

— Examples

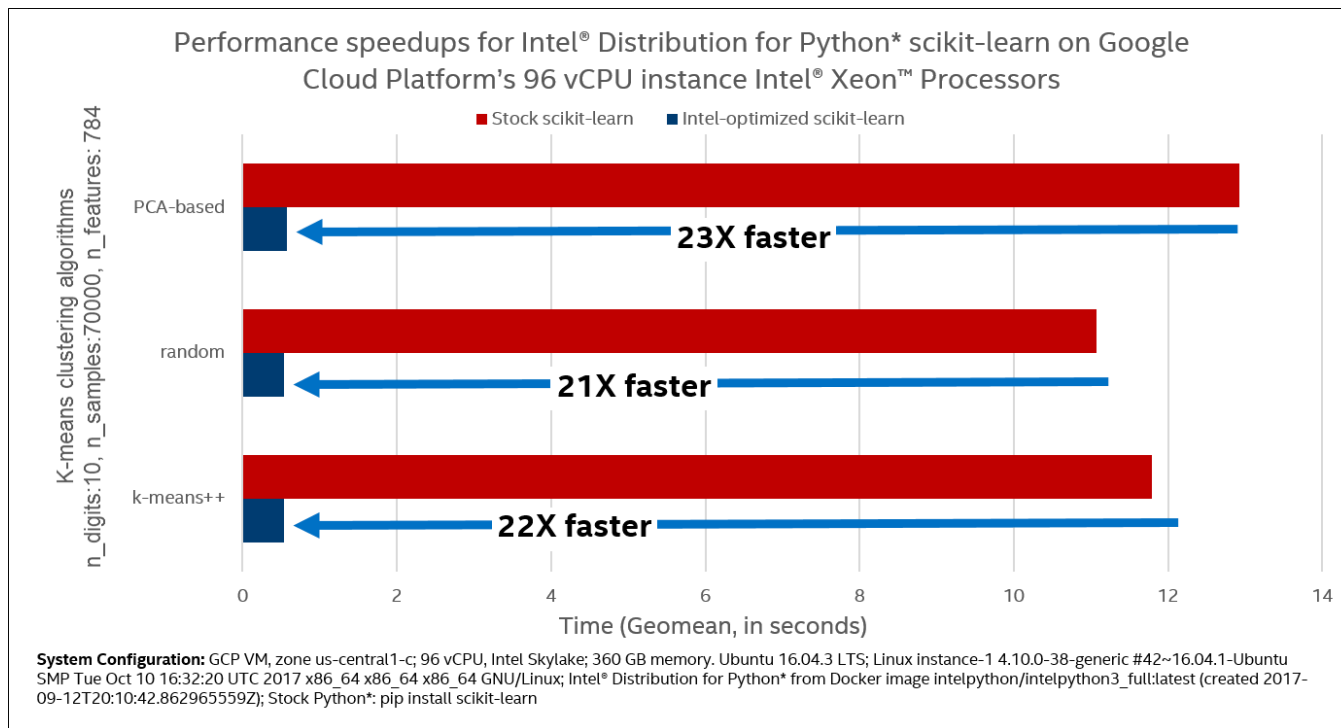
# ACCELERATING MACHINE LEARNING



- Efficient memory layout via Numeric Tables
- **Blocking** for optimal cache performance
- Computation mapped to most efficient matrix operations (in MKL)
- Parallelization via TBB
- Vectorization

Try it out! `conda install -c intel scikit-learn`

# ACCELERATING K-MEANS



<https://cloudplatform.googleblog.com/2017/11/Intel-performance-libraries-and-python-distribution-enhance-performance-and-scaling-of-Intel-Xeon-Scalable-processors-on-GCP.html>

# DAAL4PY

## Fast & Scalable

- Close to native performance through Intel® DAAL
- Efficient MPI scale-out
- Streaming

## Easy to use

- Known usage model
- Picklable

## Flexible

- Object model separating concerns
- Plugs into scikit-learn
- Plugs into HPAT

## Open

- Open source: <https://github.com/IntelPython/daal4py>

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# ACCELERATING SCIKIT-LEARN THROUGH DAAL4PY

Scikit-Learn  
Equivalents

Scikit-Learn  
API  
Compatible

daal4py

Intel® DAAL

```
> python -m daal4py <your-scikit-learn-script>
```

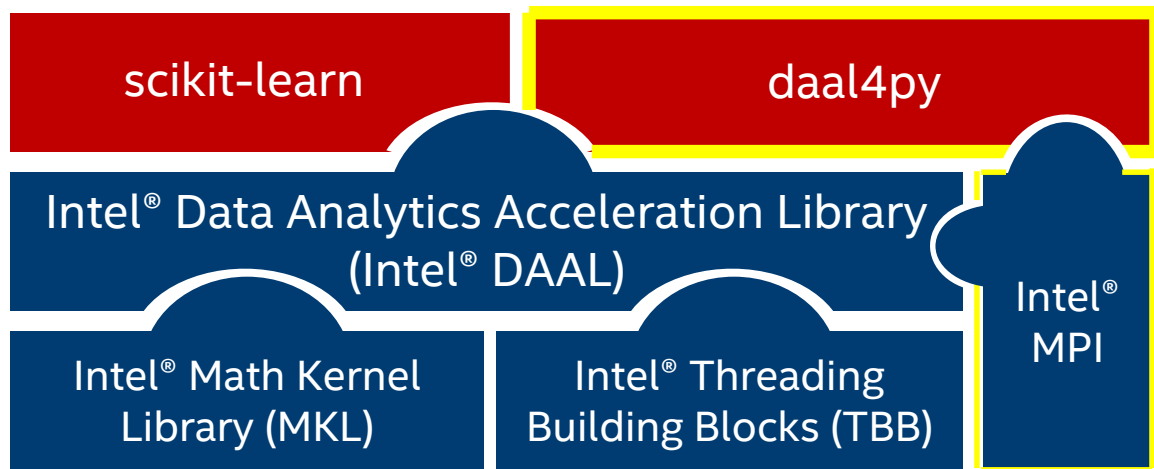
Monkey-patch any scikit-learn  
on the command-line

```
import daal4py.sklearn  
daal4py.sklearn.patch_sklearn()
```

Monkey-patch any scikit-learn  
programmatically

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# SCALING MACHINE LEARNING BEYOND A SINGLE NODE



Simple Python API  
Powers scikit-learn

Powered by DAAL

Scalable to multiple nodes

Try it out! `conda install -c intel daal4py`

# K-MEANS USING DAAL4PY

```
import daal4py as d4p

# daal4py accepts data as CSV files, numpy arrays or pandas dataframes
# here we let daal4py load process-local data from csv files
data = "kmeans_dense.csv"

# Create algob object to compute initial centers
init = d4p.kmeans_init(10, method="plusPlusDense")
# compute initial centers
ires = init.compute(data)
# results can have multiple attributes, we need centroids
Centroids = ires.centroids
# compute initial centroids & kmeans clustering
result = d4p.kmeans(10).compute(data, centroids)
```

# DISTRIBUTED K-MEANS USING DAAL4PY

```
import daal4py as d4p

# initialize distributed execution environment
d4p.daalinit()

# daal4py accepts data as CSV files, numpy arrays or pandas dataframes
# here we let daal4py load process-local data from csv files
data = "kmeans_dense_{}.csv".format(d4p.my_procid())

# compute initial centroids & kmeans clustering
init = d4p.kmeans_init(10, method="plusPlusDense", distributed=True)
centroids = init.compute(data).centroids
result = d4p.kmeans(10, distributed=True).compute(data, centroids)
```

```
mpirun -n 4 python ./kmeans.py
```

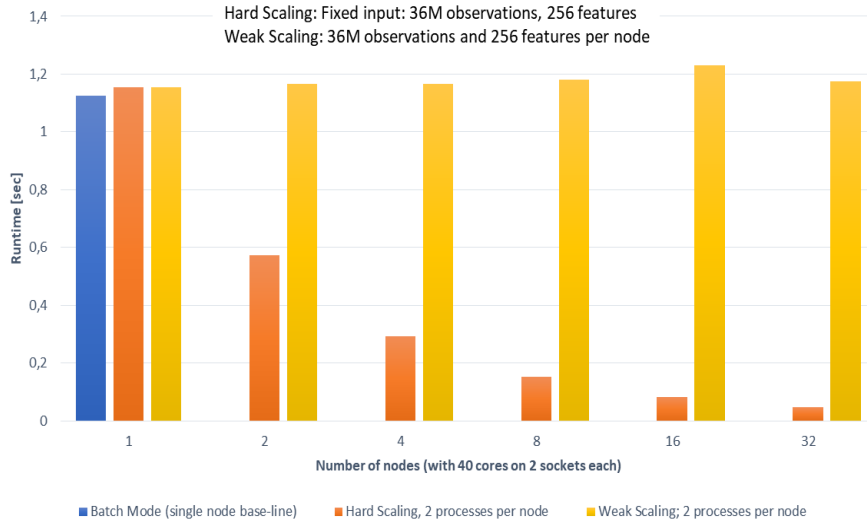


# STRONG & WEAK SCALING VIA DAAL4PY

Hardware	Intel(R) Xeon(R) Gold 6148 CPU @ 2.40GHz, EIST/Turbo on
	2 sockets, 20 Cores per socket
	192 GB RAM
	16 nodes connected with Infiniband
Operating System	Oracle Linux Server release 7.4
Data Type	double

## daal4py Linear Regression Distributed Scalability

Hard Scaling: Fixed input: 36M observations, 256 features  
Weak Scaling: 36M observations and 256 features per node



*On a 32-node cluster (1280 cores) daal4py computed linear regression of 2.15 TB of data in 1.18 seconds and 68.66 GB of data in less than 48 milliseconds.*

## daal4py K-Means Distributed Scalability

Hard Scaling: Fixed input: 16M observations, 300 features, 10 clusters  
Weak Scaling: 16M observations and 300 features per node



*On a 32-node cluster (1280 cores) daal4py computed K-Means (10 clusters) of 1.12 TB of data in 107.4 seconds and 35.76 GB of data in 4.8 seconds.*

