

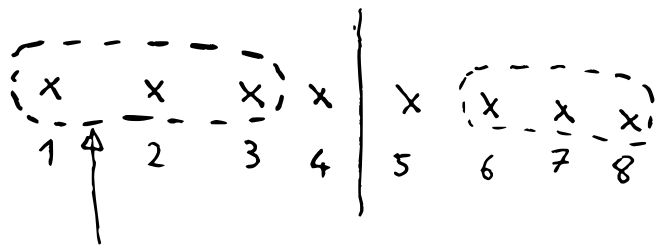
# Parallelization:

Wave equation 1D:

$$\partial_t \Pi(x,t) = \Delta_x^2 \varphi(x,t) \equiv k(\varphi)$$

$$\partial_t \varphi(x,t) = \Pi(x,t)$$

$$\Delta_x^2 \varphi(x,t) = \frac{\varphi(n+1,t) + \varphi(n,t) - 2\varphi(n,t)}{\Delta t^2}$$

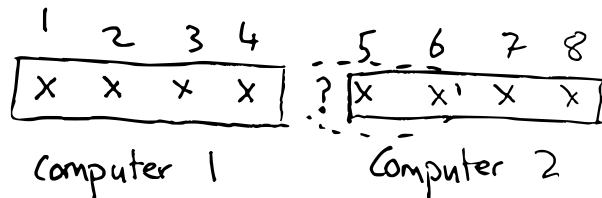


Kernel for  $\Pi(n=2, t+1)$  depends only on  $\varphi(1, t), \varphi(2, t), \varphi(3, t)$

\_\_\_\_\_  $\Pi(n=7, t+1)$  \_\_\_\_\_

-  $\varphi(6, t), \varphi(7, t), \varphi(8, t)$

⇒ Can compute them completely independently! Even on different computers.



Q: How do we compute kernel @ 5?

A: Ghosts cells!



□ are copies of corresponding x.

Need to be updated after x is.

⇒ Communication between computers!

Standard protocol:

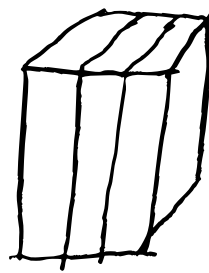
Message Passing Interface (MPI)

⇒ Cosmolattice fully hides the parallelization under the hood.

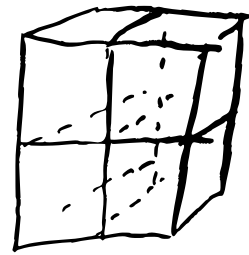
Also use parallelized FFT.

Back to 3D: Two parallelization mode with CL:

- 1D, default FFTW3
- 2D, need to install PFFT.



1D



2D

Rules for how many process  $n_p$  can use:

• 1D // :  $N = m \cdot n_p$ ,  $m \in \mathbb{N}$

• 2D // :  $N = m_1 \cdot n_p^1$   
 $= m_2 \cdot n_p^2$

with  $m_1, m_2, n_p^1, n_p^2 \in \mathbb{N}$

and  $n_p = n_p^1 \cdot n_p^2$

Example:  $N = 50$

$$1D // : n_p = 2$$

$$n_p = 5$$

$$n_p = 10$$

$$n_p = 25$$

$$2D // : n_p = 2 \quad (1, 2) \quad n_p = 625 \quad (25, 25)$$

$$n_p = 4 \quad (2, 2)$$

$$n_p = 5 \quad (1, 5)$$

$$n_p = 10 \quad (2, 5)$$

$$n_p = 20 \quad (2, 10)$$

$$n_p = 25 \quad (5, 5)$$

$$n_p = 50 \quad (5, 10)$$

$$n_p = 100 \quad (10, 10)$$

$$n_p = 125 \quad (5, 25)$$

$$n_p = 250 \quad (10, 25)$$

To use 2D, need to install  
PFFT (see install script).

See live demo

