



ANSYS Fluent\* 18.1 on the Intel® Scalable System Framework

# HIGHER CLUSTER PERFORMANCE WITH INTEL® OMNI-PATH ARCHITECTURE



## NEED MORE FROM YOUR SIMULATIONS?

- Deeper insight into complex phenomena?
- Higher resolution to improve accuracy?
- Faster runtimes to fit tight design schedules?



## ANSYS FLUENT\* 18.1 IS BUILT TO SCALE ON CLUSTERED ARCHITECTURES<sup>1</sup>

- Runs efficiently on **thousands** of Intel® Xeon® processor and Intel® Xeon Phi™ processor cores
- Supports **large models** and sophisticated **multiphysics**
- Optimized for **performance and value on Intel® Architecture**

## UNLEASH CLUSTER PERFORMANCE WITH INTEL® OMNI-PATH ARCHITECTURE

Intel® Omni-Path Architecture (Intel® OPA) is designed to overcome the performance, scalability and cost challenges of EDR InfiniBand\*.

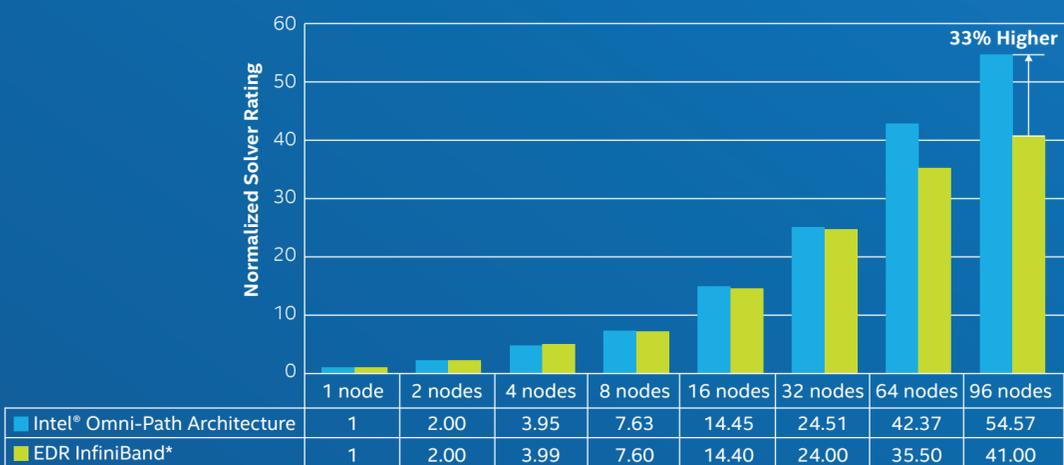


### LOW LATENCY, EVEN AT EXTREME SCALE

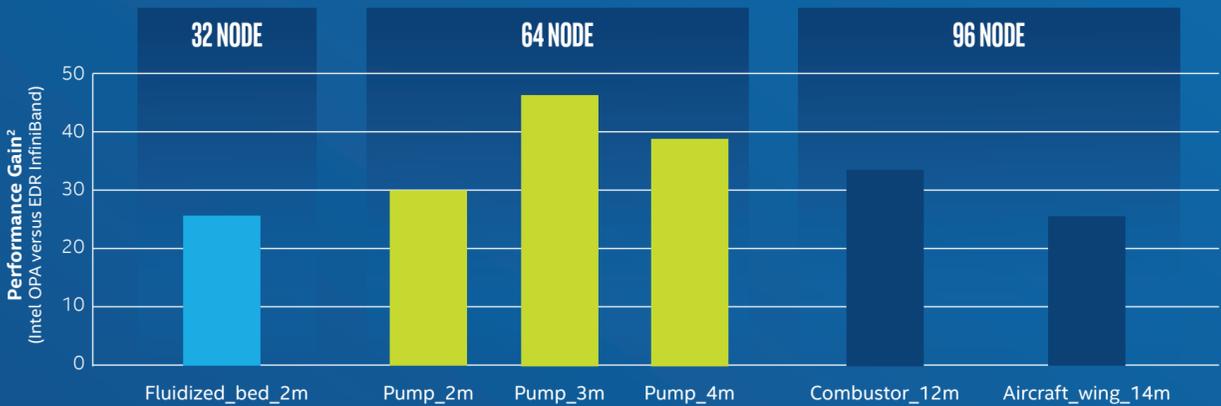
- Uses streamlined, lightweight PSM2 libraries
- Reduces communications overhead
- Ideal for ANSYS Fluent

## SUPERIOR APPLICATION PERFORMANCE FOR MEDIUM TO LARGE CLUSTERS<sup>1</sup>

Superior Performance Scaling for ANSYS® Fluent® with Intel® Omni-Path Architecture  
Combustor\_12m, ANSYS Fluent (Intel® Xeon® processors E5-2697 v4)



## PROVEN BENEFITS ACROSS DIVERSE DIGITAL MODELS<sup>1</sup>



## GET MORE FROM YOUR FABRIC

Intel OPA isn't only for large clusters. It provides advantages at every scale.

- **High fabric efficiency** through dynamic traffic shaping
- **Low latency** in mixed traffic environments through advanced QoS features
- **Improved resilience** through zero-latency error checking and link-level retries
- **Better economics** with a 48-port switch chip (versus 36 for InfiniBand)

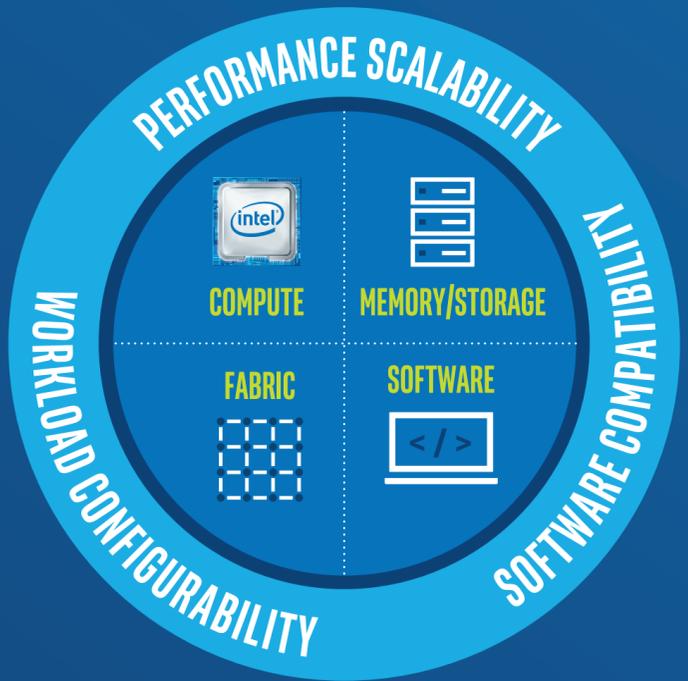
## GET EVEN MORE FROM YOUR HPC BUDGET

ANSYS and Intel are optimizing ANSYS software for all components of the Intel® Scalable System Framework to deliver:

**HIGHER PERFORMANCE AND VALUE**  
Tightly integrated HPC solution stack

**EASIER DEPLOYMENT**  
Complete cluster solutions

**MORE CHOICE**  
Broad vendor support



## LEARN MORE

White Paper: Higher Cluster Performance for ANSYS Fluent\* with Intel® Omni-Path Architecture  
<http://www.intel.com/content/www/us/en/processors/xeon/hpc-for-ansys-fluent-with-omni-path-architecture.html>

<sup>1</sup> Intel performance tests conducted October 2016 using ANSYS® Fluent® 17.2 (ANSYS 18.0 is based on the same core software code and can be expected to deliver similar or superior performance in most scenarios). Tests were performed on 1 to 96 server nodes using Intel® Omni-Path Architecture (Intel Corporation Device 24f0 — Series 100) versus EDR InfiniBand\* (Mellanox EDR MT4115 ConnectX-4, F/W version 12.16.1020). Server node configuration: 2 X Intel® Xeon® processor E5-2697 v4 (18 core, 2.3 GHz; 36 total)

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