



What's new in Tpetra & Data Services?



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- What's new in Zoltan2?
- What's new in SEACAS/IOSS/Exodus?
- What's new in STK?
- What's new in Tpetra?
- Other new developments!

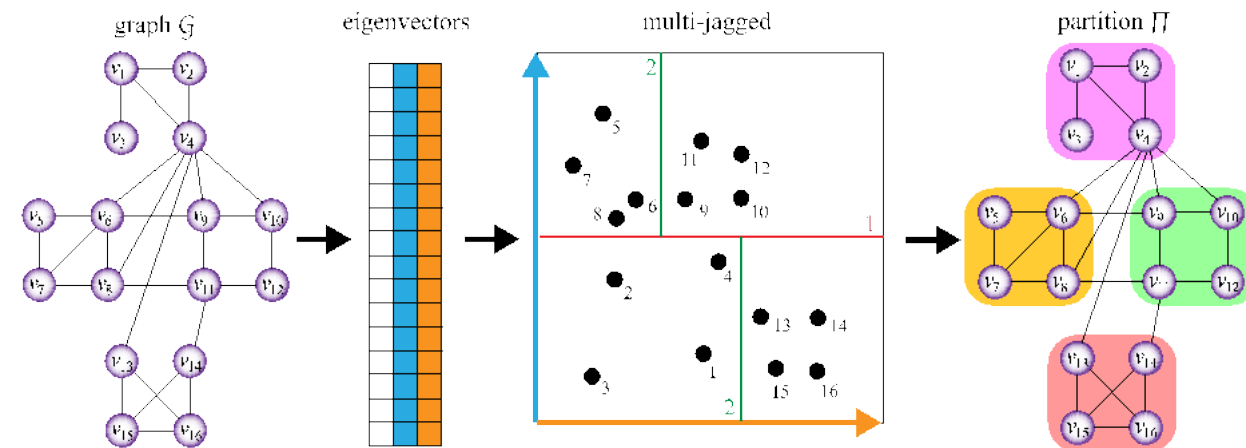
Note: I will be repeating “new” developments from TUG '21, more detail on those can be found here:
https://trilinos.github.io/trilinos_user-developer_group_meeting_2021.html

What's new in Zoltan2? [TUG '21 and newer]



- Hybrid distributed/shared memory graph coloring
 - Uses MPI + KokkosKernels coloring
 - Runs on CPU and GPU (Nvidia/CUDA and AMD/HIP)
 - Supports dist-1, dist-2, and partial dist-2 coloring
- Sphynx: New graph partitioner
 - Algorithm based on spectral partitioning
 - Runs on both CPU and GPU (via Kokkos)
 - First multi-GPU graph partitioner!
- In progress:
 - Kokkos-based API for input adapters so users can provide data on either host or device
 - Multilevel graph partitioner for GPU

Sphynx partitioner pipeline:



Slide courtesy of Erik Boman, Zoltan2 lead.

What's new in SEACAS/IOSS/Exodus? [TUG '21]



- POC: Greg Sjaardema
- New Features
 - Assemblies – hierarchical groups of blocks/sets/assemblies
 - Blobs -- store arbitrarily-sized objects in an exodus file
 - Entity Attributes -- “provenance” or annotation data on entities and fields
 - Aprepro – Arrays, Exodus integration
 - Exodus.py – python3, improved capabilities, testing
- New Integrations – FAODEL, Catalyst2, ADIOS2, TextMesh
- In progress:
 - Discontinuous Galerkin Fields
 - HDF5 VOL
 - Compression (lossy and lossless)
- Others: Windows, scalability, code quality

What's new in STK? [TUG '21]



- POC: Alan Williams
- GPU: Improving the performance of synchronizing Fields between CPU and GPU memory spaces.
 - Primarily for Sierra SM
- AMD/HIP: stk-mesh unit-tests now build and run on AMD platforms, using ROCM 4.3.
 - Primarily for ExaWind
- STK Balance: improving work-flow and performance of Balance and BalanceM2N coming soon.

What's new in Tpetra?



- A *lot* has changed since EuroTUG 2019!
- The *big* ones are that Tpetra (and thus the derived linear solver stack) now supports...
 - NVIDIA CUDA w/o UVM.
 - AMD GPUs w/ HIP.
 - Intel GPUs w/ SYCL (**Warning: Not yet regularly tested.**)
- As of Trilinos 13.4 over 27,000 lines of deprecated code/interfaces were removed.
- There are other new features (on-node graph assembly, simultaneous communications, BlockCrs capabilities, etc.) as well. We'll get to those in time.

Dynamic Profile Removal [TUG '19]



- For better portability to GPUs, we have removed the `DynamicProfile` option for matrix/graph assembly.
- You now need at least an upper bound on storage to build the Graph (like the old `StaticProfile` option).
- Off-processor assembly is still supported (and there is some resizing support for off-rank imports).

- For folks interested in finite elements, we have a FE-centric assembly layer.
- Much better performance than using off-rank calls to `insertGlobalEntries`.
- Does *not* require ghosted elements
 - Key assumption: If you own an element, you own at least one dof associated with that element.
 - Requires an `ownedRowMap` and an `ownedPlusSharedRowMap` (any dof into which you will be inserting entries. Not quite the column map).
- All indexing can be done locally and both owned and ghost rows are pre-allocated.

WrappedDualView and UVM-free Code [TUG'21]



- UVM = CUDA Unified Memory (can be addressed both on Host & GPU)
- Tpetra has Kokkos::DualViews of matrix and vector data
- Kokkos::DualView provides the *means* for tracking host/device views.
 - Sync/modify mechanics.
 - Correct use has to be enforced by the user.
- Tpetra::WrappedDualView manages the sync / modify flags between host and device
 - A little like SYCL buffers.
 - Users no longer sync / modify explicitly.
 - **Users cannot hold both host and device pointers concurrently.**
 - Affects MultiVector, CrsMatrix, CrsGraph, and Block variants.

Example: Vector fill with UVM is straightforward [TUG '21]

```
// Without UVM, this code will fail
multivector_t mv(...);
auto mvData =
    mv.getLocalViewHost();

for (j = 0; j < numData; j++)
    mvData(j,0) = rhs(j);

myDeviceFunction(mv);
```

*Code worked with UVM
but failed without UVM*

Non-UVM requires careful management of host and device views [TUG '21]

Without UVM, explicit modify/syncs were needed – messy and error-prone

```
multivector_t mv(...);  
auto mvData =  
    mv.getLocalViewHost();  
mv.clear_sync_state();  
mv.modify_host();  
for (j = 0; j < numData; j++)  
    mvData(j, 0) = rhs(j);  
mv.sync_device();  
myDeviceFunction(mv);
```

Tpetra host/device management issues easier [TUG '21]

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```

Tpetra now manages the sync/modify state for users

```
multivector_t mv(...);
{ auto mvData =
    mv.getLocalViewHost(
        Tpetra::Access::OverwriteAll);

    for (j = 0; j < numData; j++)
        mvData(j,0) = rhs(j);
}
myDeviceFunction(mv);
```

Key changes for Tpetra::MultiVector users [TUG '21]

1. Capture host and device views in separate scopes
 - Don't hold raw pointers to multivector's data
 - Let views go out of scope as soon as you're done working with them
2. Separate scope for local operations and Trilinos operations on an object
 - Trilinos operations can choose where to access data
3. Indicate intended usage of views
 - ReadOnly, ReadWrite, OverwriteAll
4. Reduce switching between host and device accesses
 - Be aware of data synchronization

Key changes for Tpetra::CrsGraph/CrsMatrix users [TUG '21]

Same as MultiVector

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5. `getLocalMatrix*()` and `getLocalGraph*()` build Kokkos' matrix and graph ON DEMAND now (rather than returning stored data structures); use wisely
6. Functions returning `Teuchos::ArrayView` of `CrsMatrix/CrsGraph` data are dangerous and have been removed.
7. Functions returning raw pointers to `CrsMatrix/CrsGraph` data are dangerous and have been removed.

Indicate intended usage of views [TUG '21]

Tpetra syncs as needed for type of access

- Tpetra::Access::ReadOnly
 - Tpetra syncs if needed
- Tpetra::Access::ReadWrite
 - Tpetra syncs if needed
 - Tpetra marks modified
- Tpetra::Access::OverwriteAll
 - Tpetra syncs only if view is a subview
 - Tpetra marks modified
 - Use only if writing ALL entries of view

```
// Use access tags to indicate intent
{
    auto read_h =
        mv.getLocalViewHost(
            Tpetra::Access::ReadOnly);

    auto readwrite_h =
        mv.getLocalViewHost(
            Tpetra::Access::ReadWrite);

    auto write_h =
        mv.getLocalViewHost(
            Tpetra::Access::OverwriteAll);
}
```

Access tags allow Tpetra to manage sync/modify status for users

MultiVector: Update code to remove old interfaces [TUG '21]

For now, most interfaces remain

- Get an ArrayRCP (1D or 2D):
 - `getData, getDataNonConst`
 - `get1dView, get1dViewNonConst`
 - `get2dView, get2dViewNonConst`
- Get a single column as Vector:
 - `getVector, getVectorNonConst`

Removed before Trilinos 13.4

- `Tpetra::withLocalAccess`
- `Tpetra::for_each`
- `Tpetra::transform`

Removed by Trilinos 13.4

- Accessors without Access tags
 - `getLocalViewHost()`
 - `getLocalViewDevice()`
 - `getLocalView<>()`
 - `getLocalBlock()`
- Sync/modify now handled by MultiVector
 - `mv.sync_host(), mv.sync_device(), mv.sync<>()`
 - `mv.modify_host(), mv.modify_device(), mv.modi`
 - `mv.clear_sync_state()`

Asynchronous Import/Export [NEW]



- Motivation
 - Import/Export transfer data from one distributed object (`Tpetra::DistObject`) to another
 - Let's say you have many MultiVectors to do import on ...
 - What if you want to overlap communication?
 - Launch sends for multiple DistObjects simultaneously
 - Launch sends and do some other computation while you wait
- Synchronous API
 - Do the complete import, don't return until it's finished: `DistObject::doImport`
- New asynchronous API
 - Pack data and kick off sends: `DistObject::beginImport`
 - (Optionally) check if data has arrived and is ready to unpack: `DistObject::transferArrived`
 - Unpack and combine data: `DistObject::endImport`
- Backend improvements mean each DistObject handles communication separately
 - BUT, can still share the same communication plan from the importer (expensive to create)

Prototype: On-node graph assembly [NEW]



- For on-node matrix assembly, we've had an interface for quite some time...
 - Grab the Kokkos::SparseCrsMatrix and work on that directly.
- But how do you assemble a *Graph* on-node?
 - For many apps, host-assembly suffices --- the connectivity never changes.
 - But some apps have Graphs that change over time.
- Brian Kelley has been working on a FEM-centric prototype for graph assembly:

```
RCP<CrsGraph> Tpetra::assembleFEGraph(  
    RCP<Map> rowMap,  
    View<GO**, Node::memory_space> ownedElements,  
    View<GO**, Node::memory_space> ghostElements);
```

- Still in development: Watch for more info at next EuroTUG.

Improved BlockCrsMatrix Support [NEW]

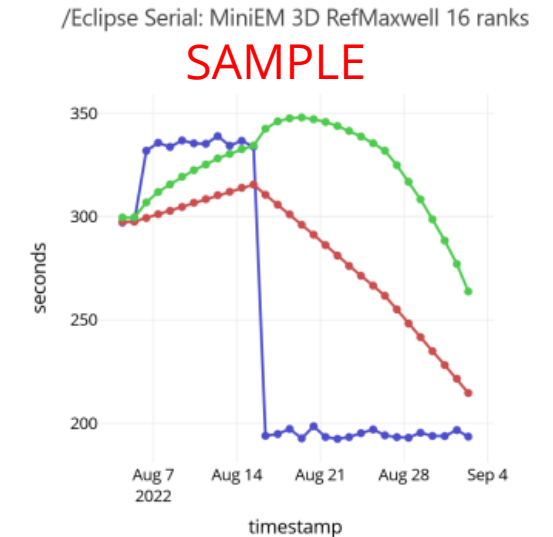


- Tpetra::BlockCrsMatrix was designed to support fixed-sized, small, blocks, e.g., 5x5.
- Uses a CrsGraph on *nodes* (groups of dofs) for the blocked problem --- less pointer chasing than CrsGraph for each individual dof.
- New features
 - Transpose operation.
 - Sparse matrix-matrix multiplication.
- Enables blocks-through-the-whole-hierarchy in certain MueLu code-paths.
- Still in development: Should be in Trilinos/develop by end of CY22.

Performance Monitoring [NEW]



- Nightly performance testing on: Intel CPU, ARM CPU, Power9/A100 (NVIDIA), EPYC/MI250 (AMD).
- Performance tests:
 - Tpetra SpMV.
 - Tpetra FE assembly.
 - MiniEM (Maxwell CG+MueLu).
 - Abnormal Energy (GMRES + ILU(3) w/ overlap 2).
- Checked by humans every Tuesday.
- Goals: Work towards automatic changepoint detection, more app-relevant tests.



Thank you for your time!



- The last few years in Tpetra have been full of new developments!
- New architectures, UVM-free Cuda, overlapping halo exchanges and more!
- Is there something *you* want to see in Tpetra & Data services? No guarantees, but please feel free to ask (or submit a patch)!