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# SAGE-HPC

***Smart strateGies for multi-fidelity optimization in Exascale HPC  
Environments***

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# Consortium of SAGE-HPC



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4 Sites



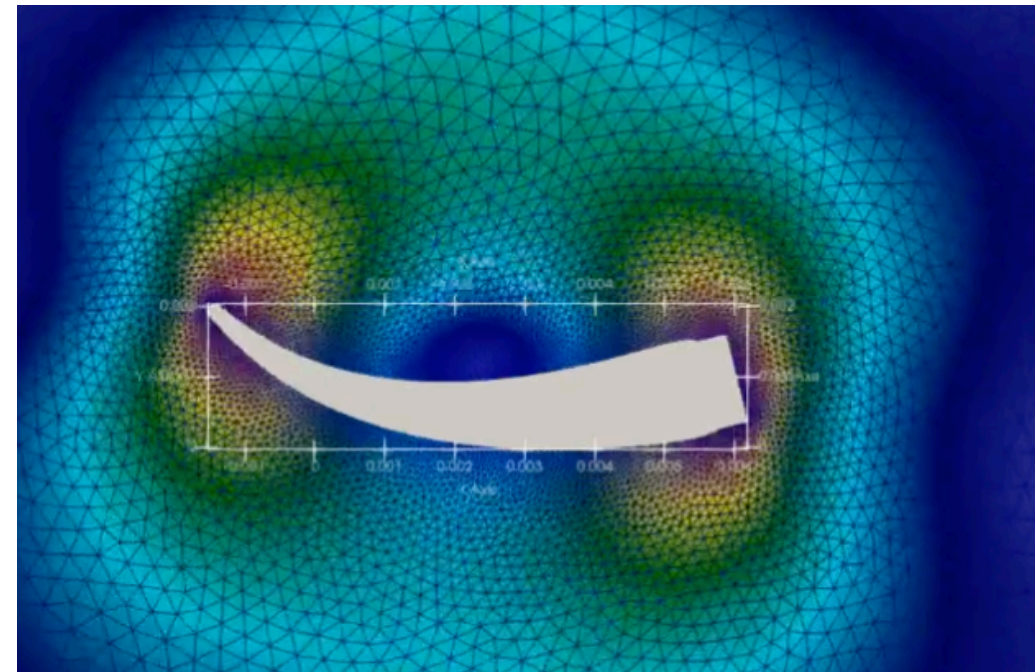
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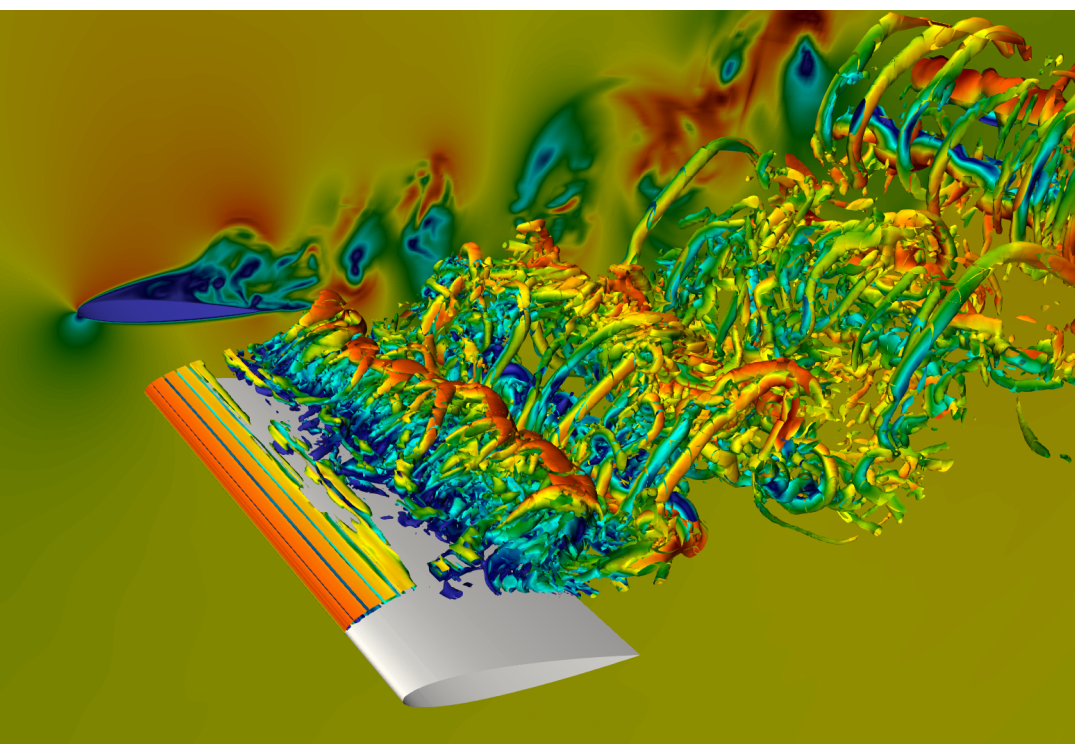


# Scientific core of SAGE-HPC

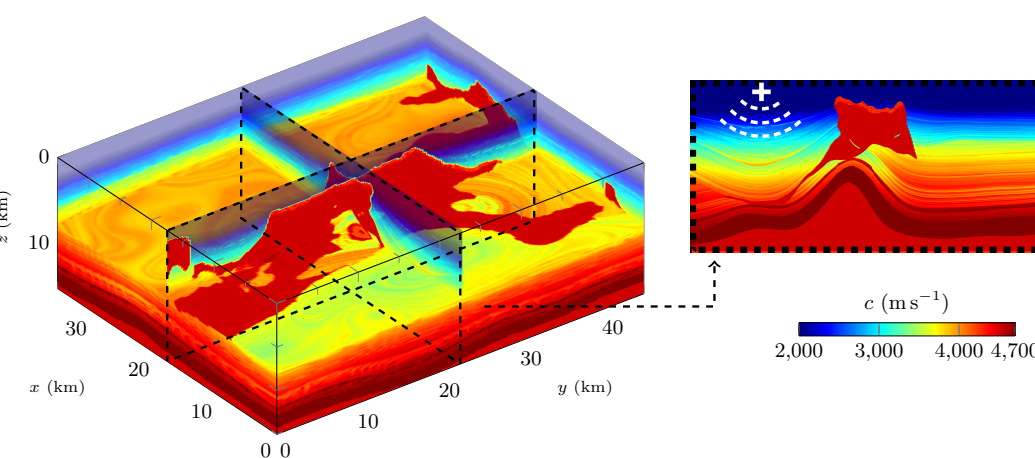
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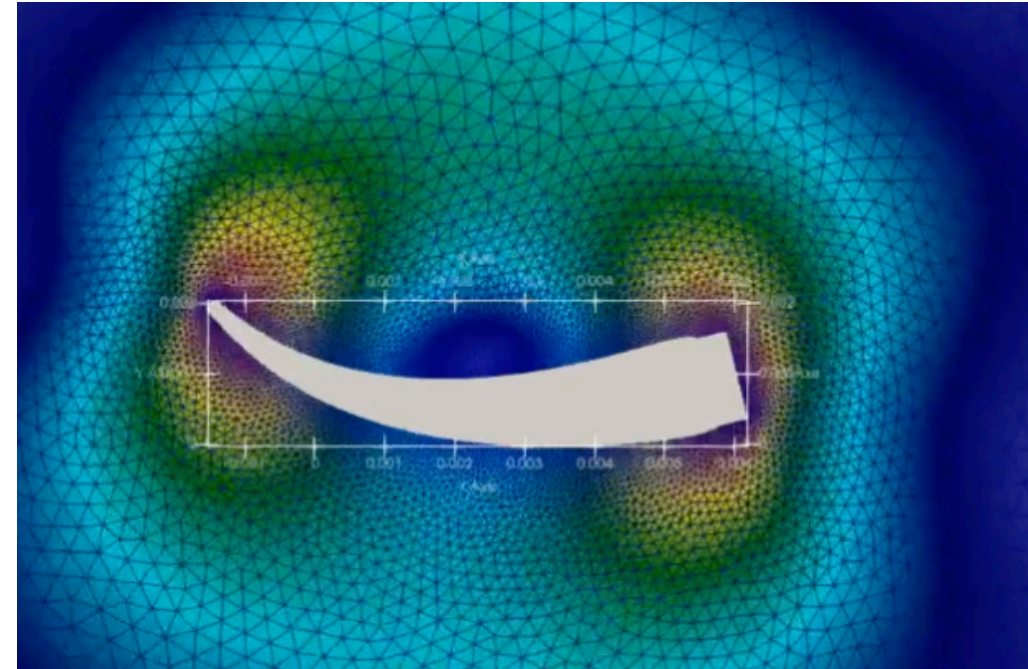
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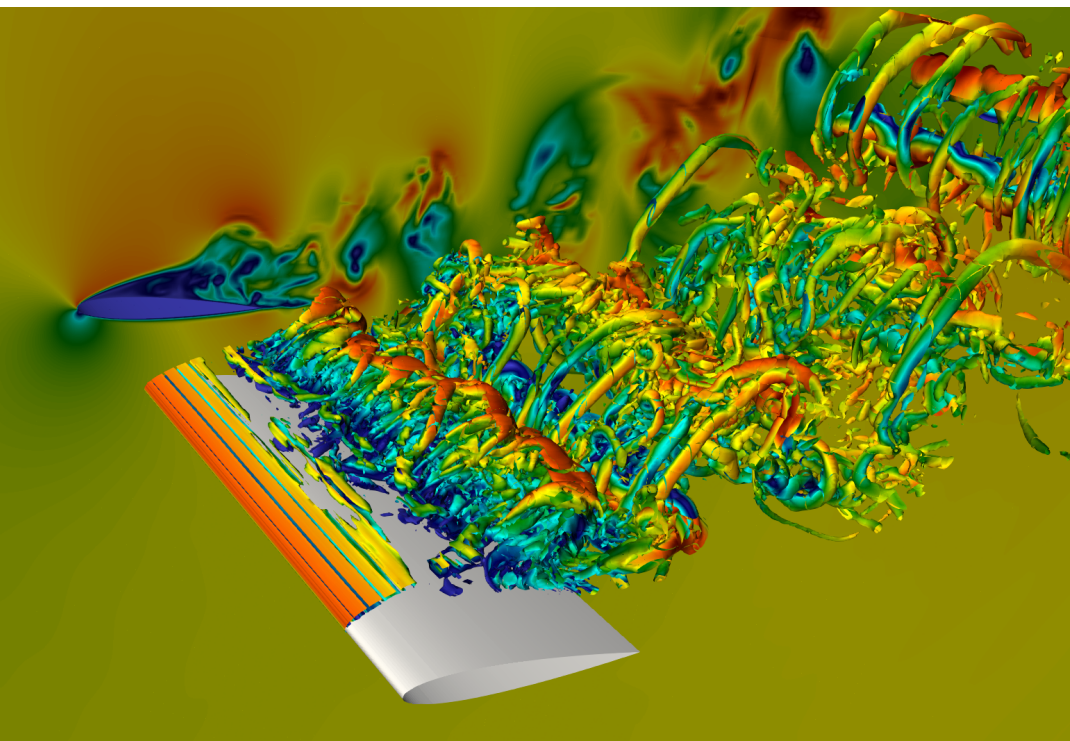
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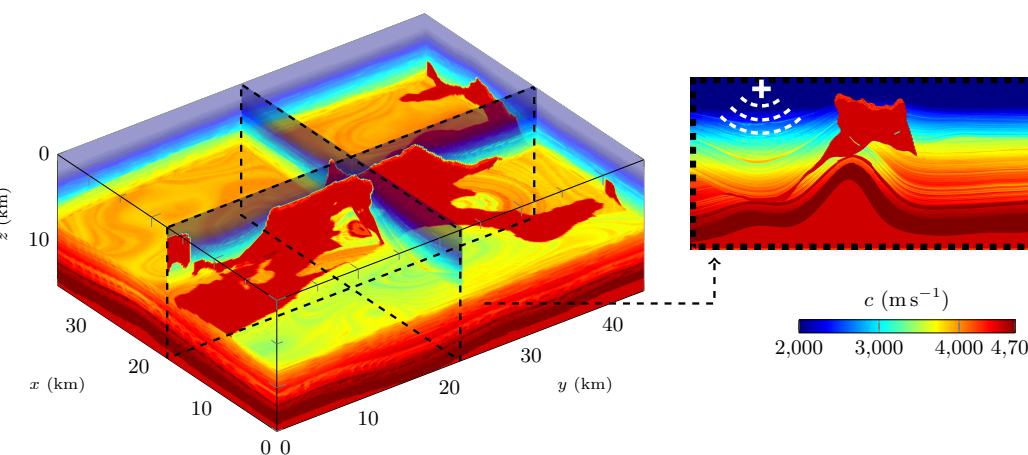
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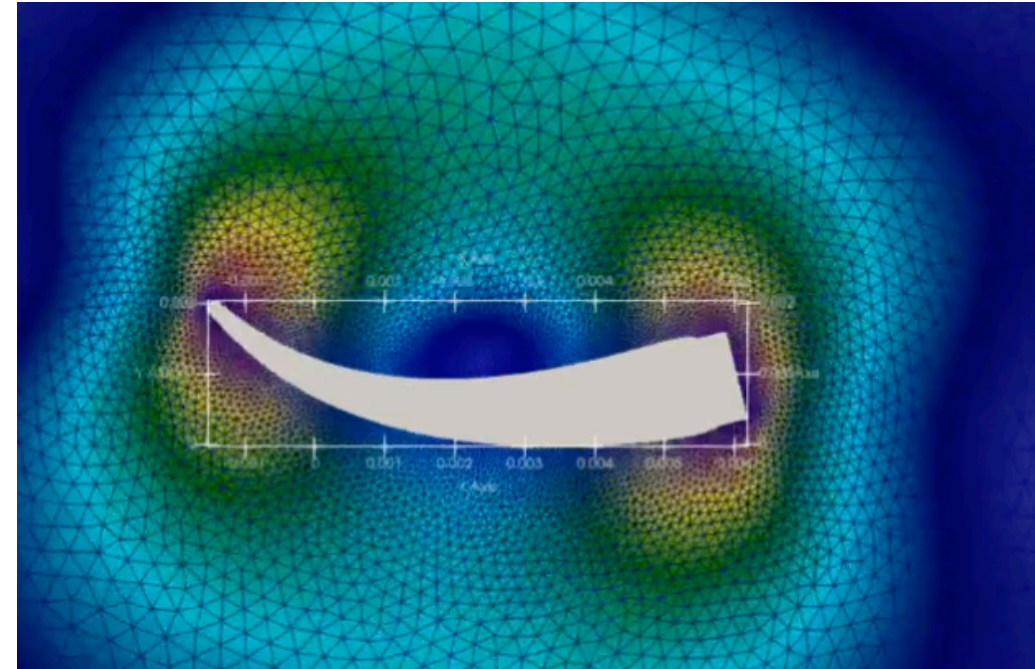
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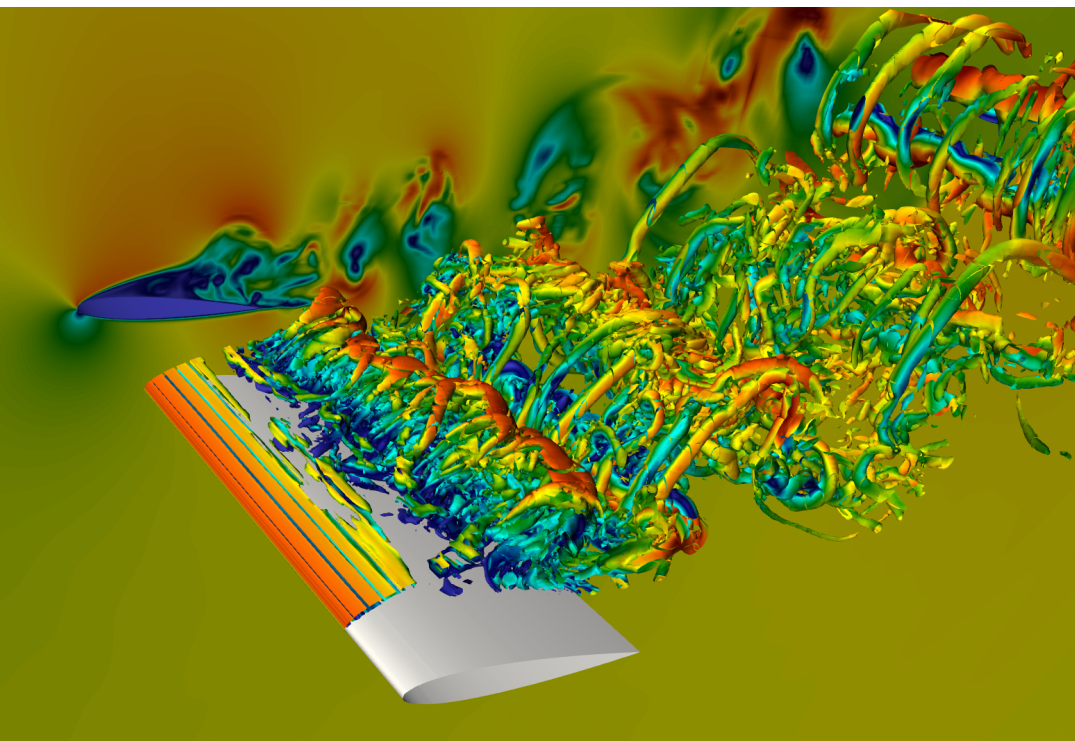
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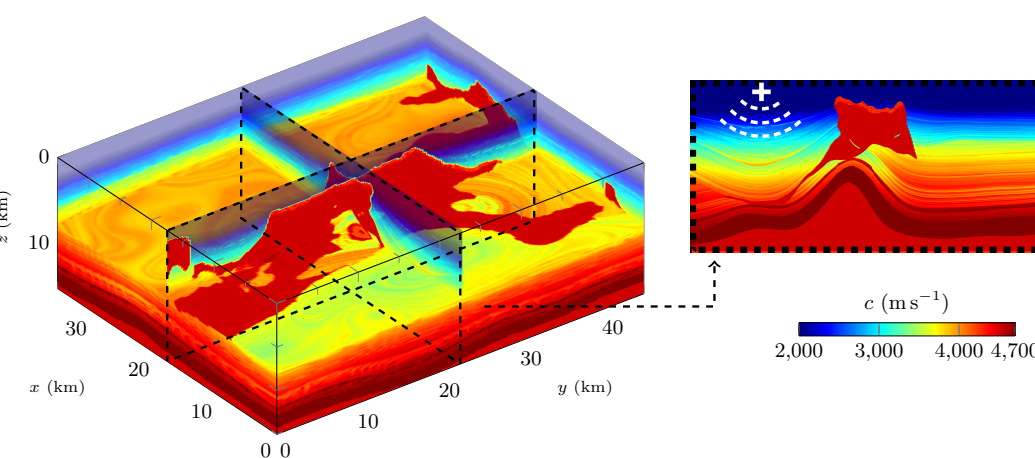
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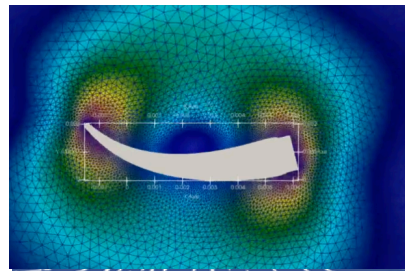
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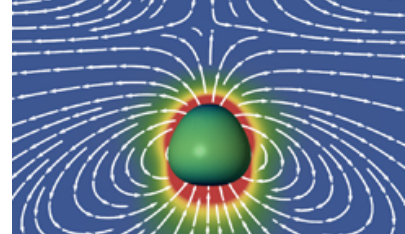
➔ *Simplify*

## Hierarchy of model

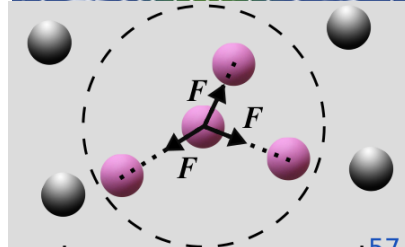
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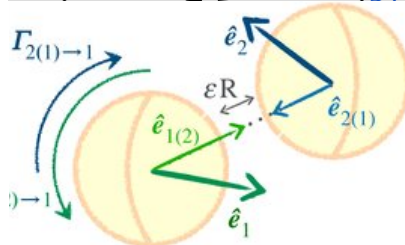
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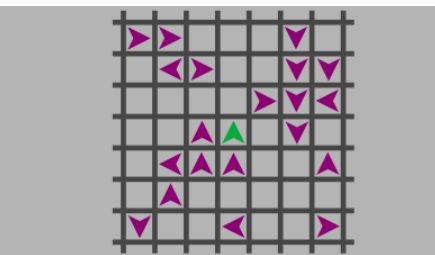
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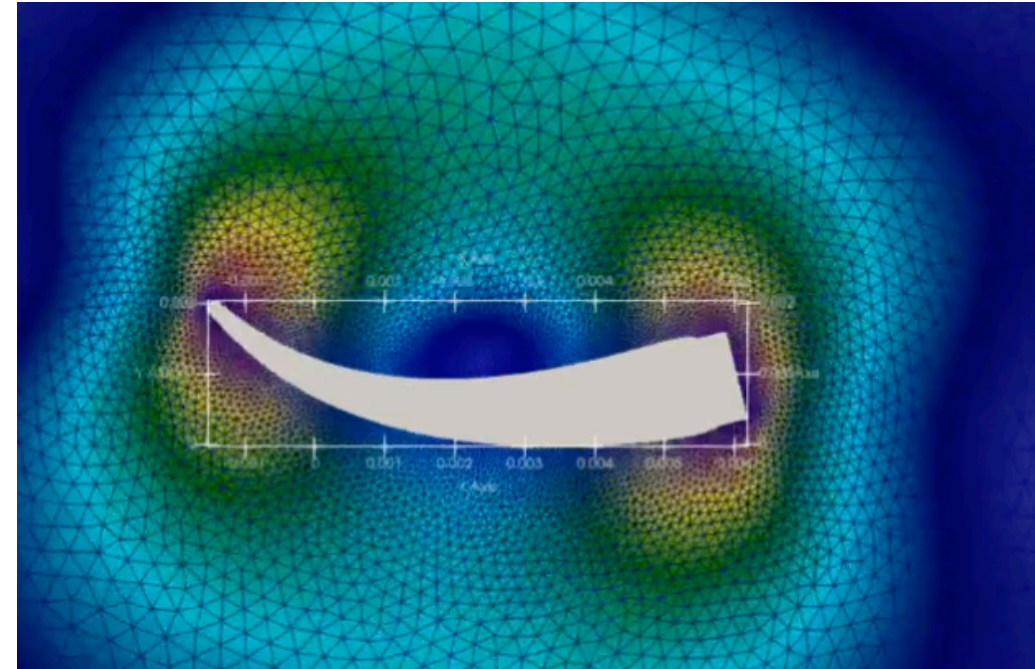
decreasing realism

increasing complexity / cost

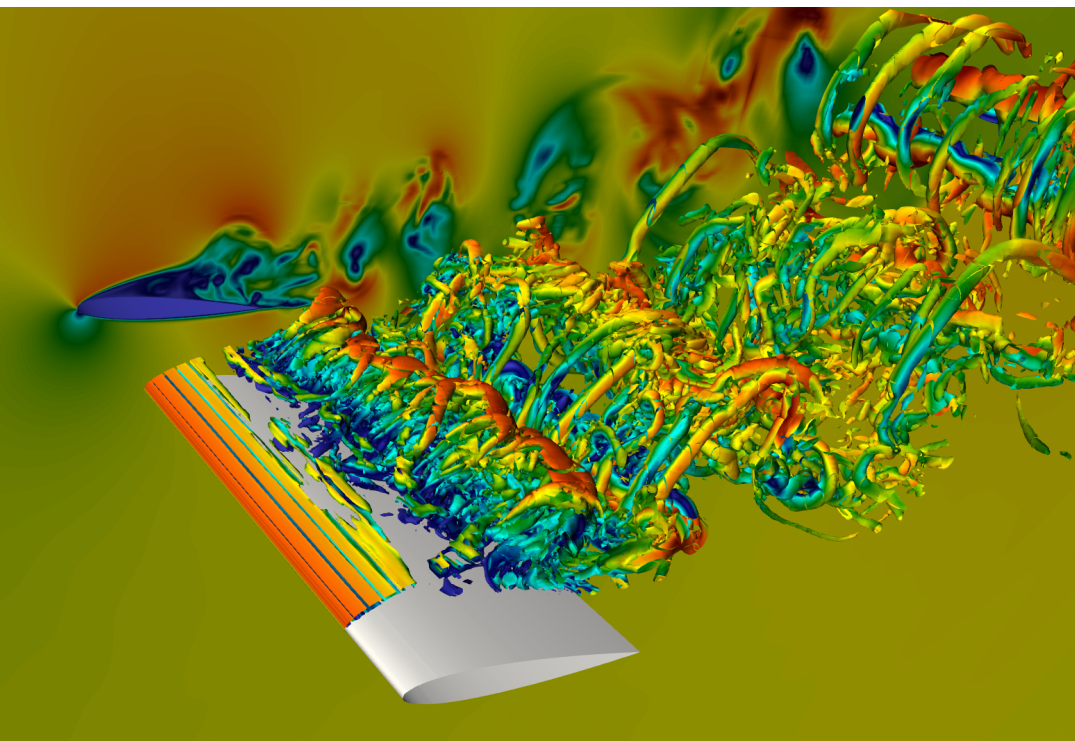
- ◆ Fully resolved deformation + fluid-structure interactions
- ◆ Squirmers + fluid dynamics
- ◆ Squirmers + short-range interactions
- ◆ Point particles + short-range interactions
- ◆ Discrete lattice models with nearest-neighbour interactions



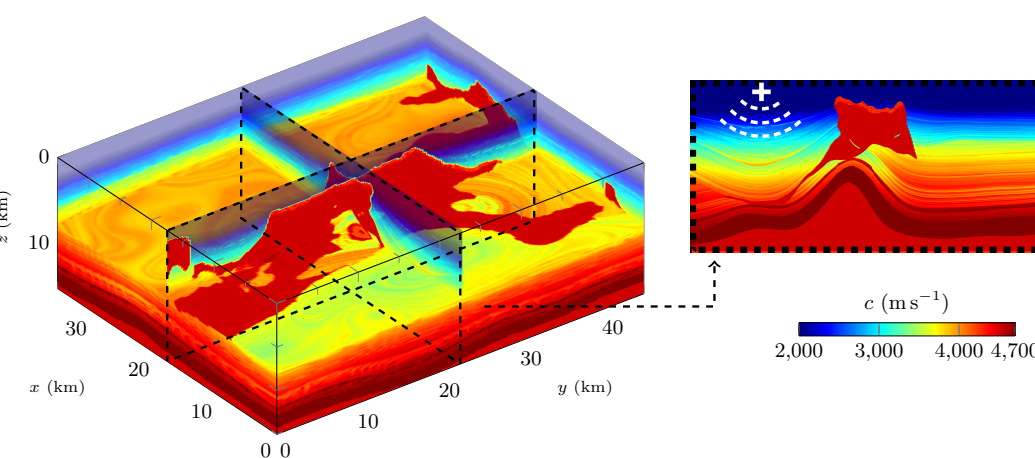
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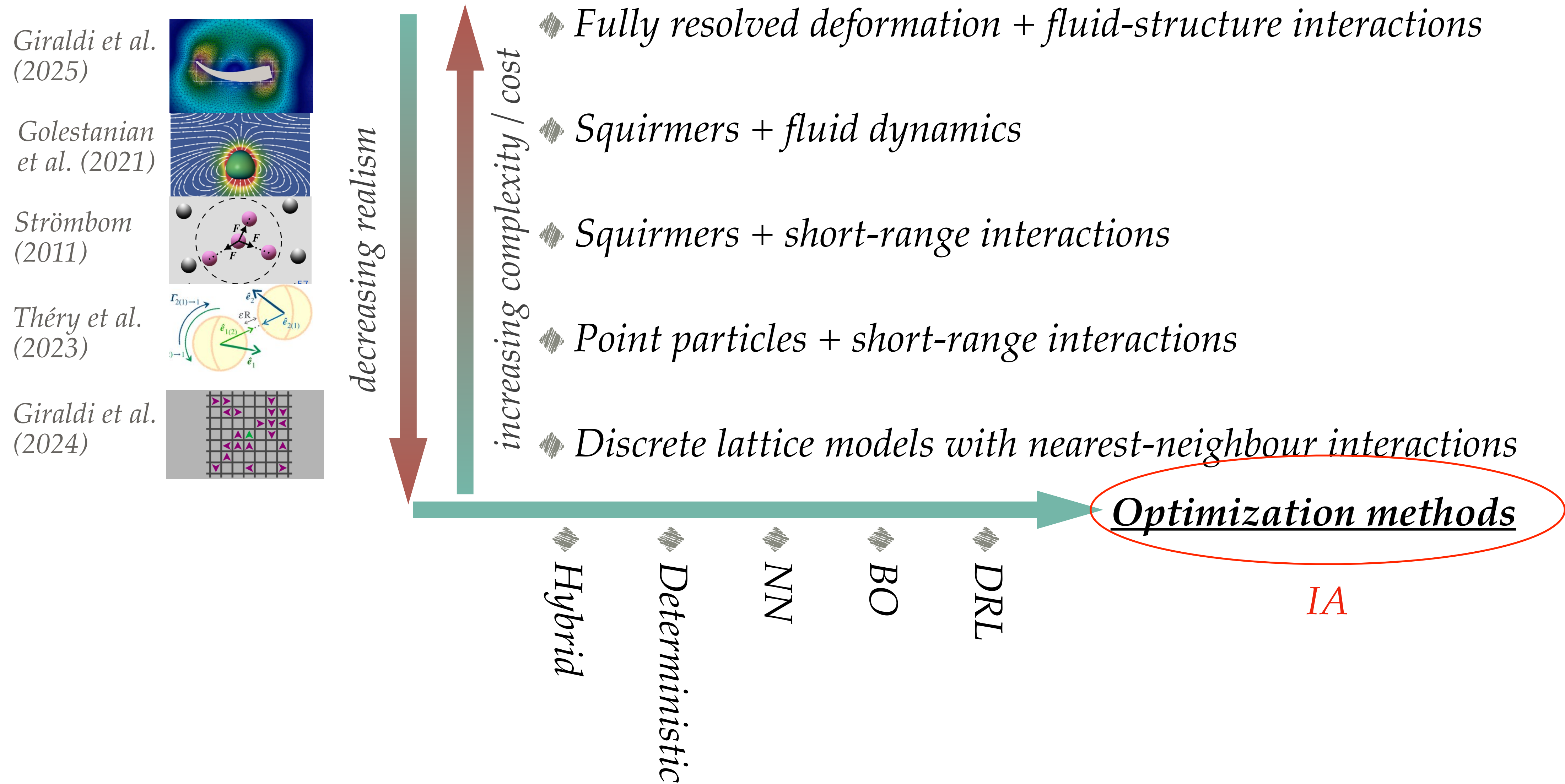
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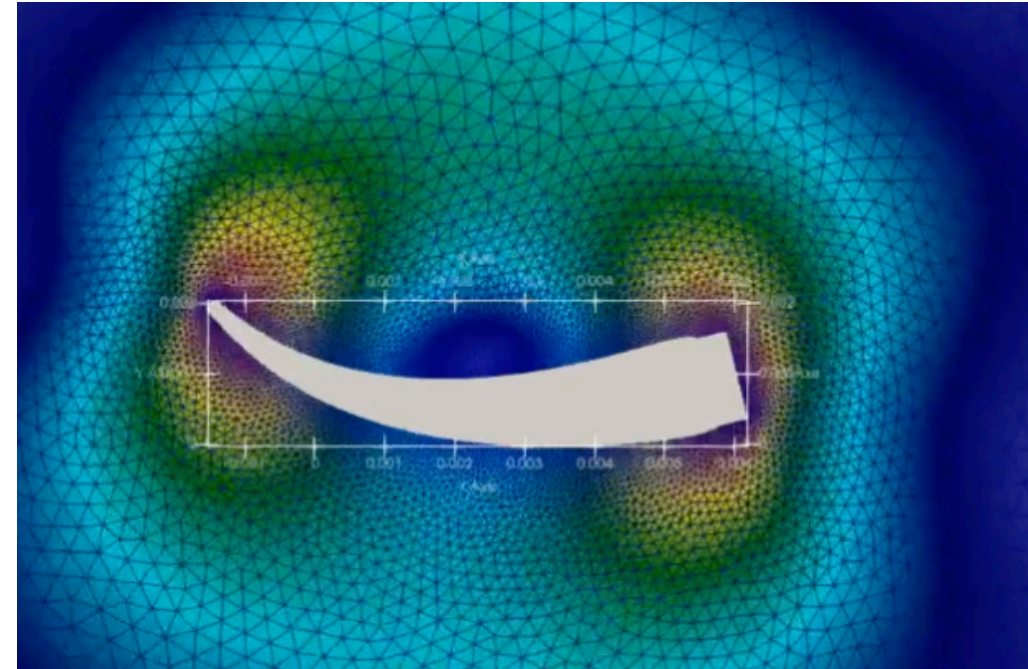
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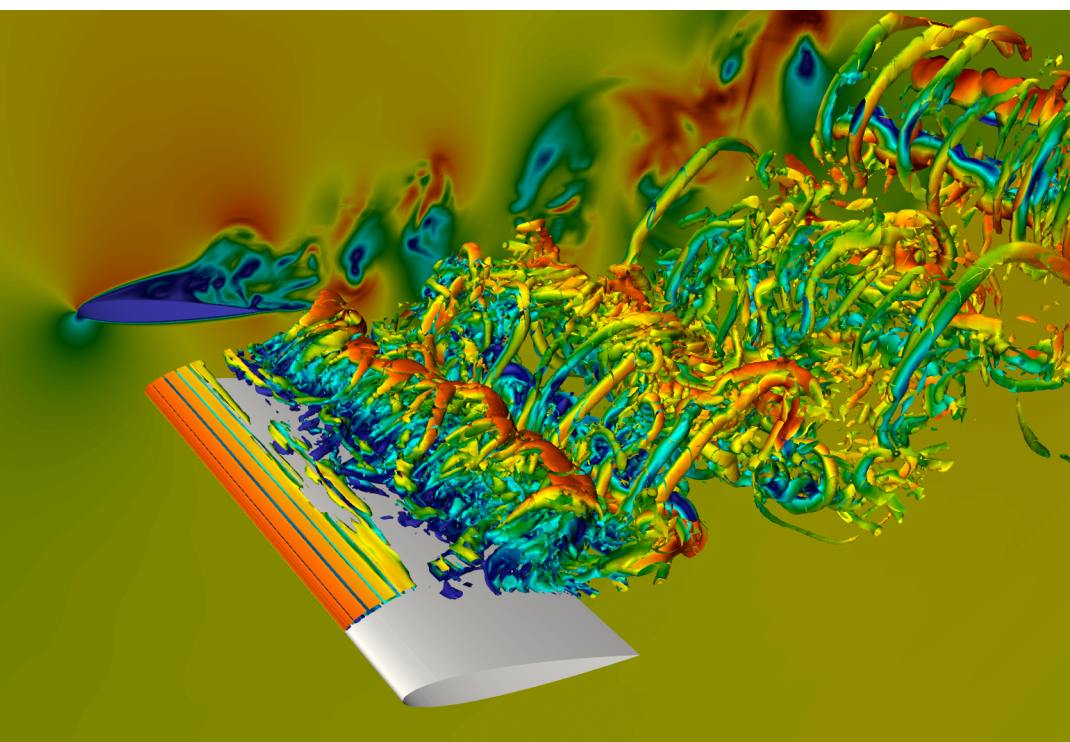
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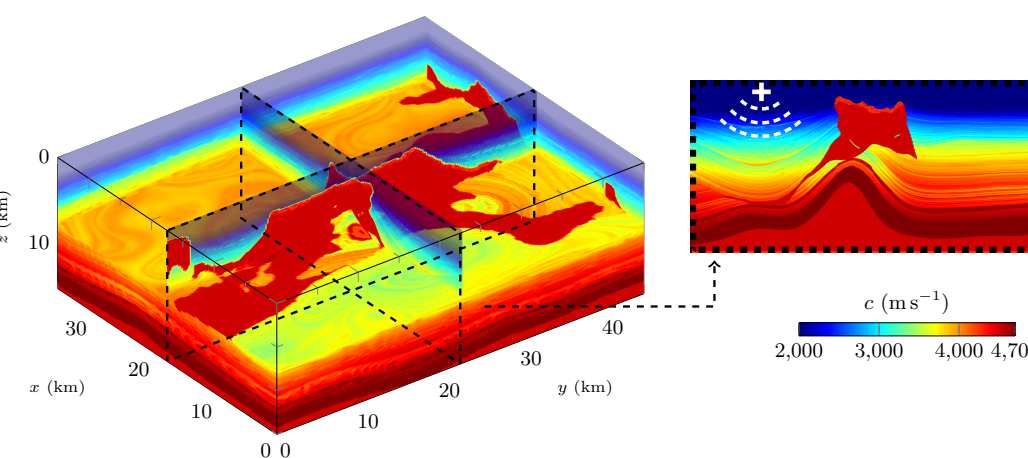
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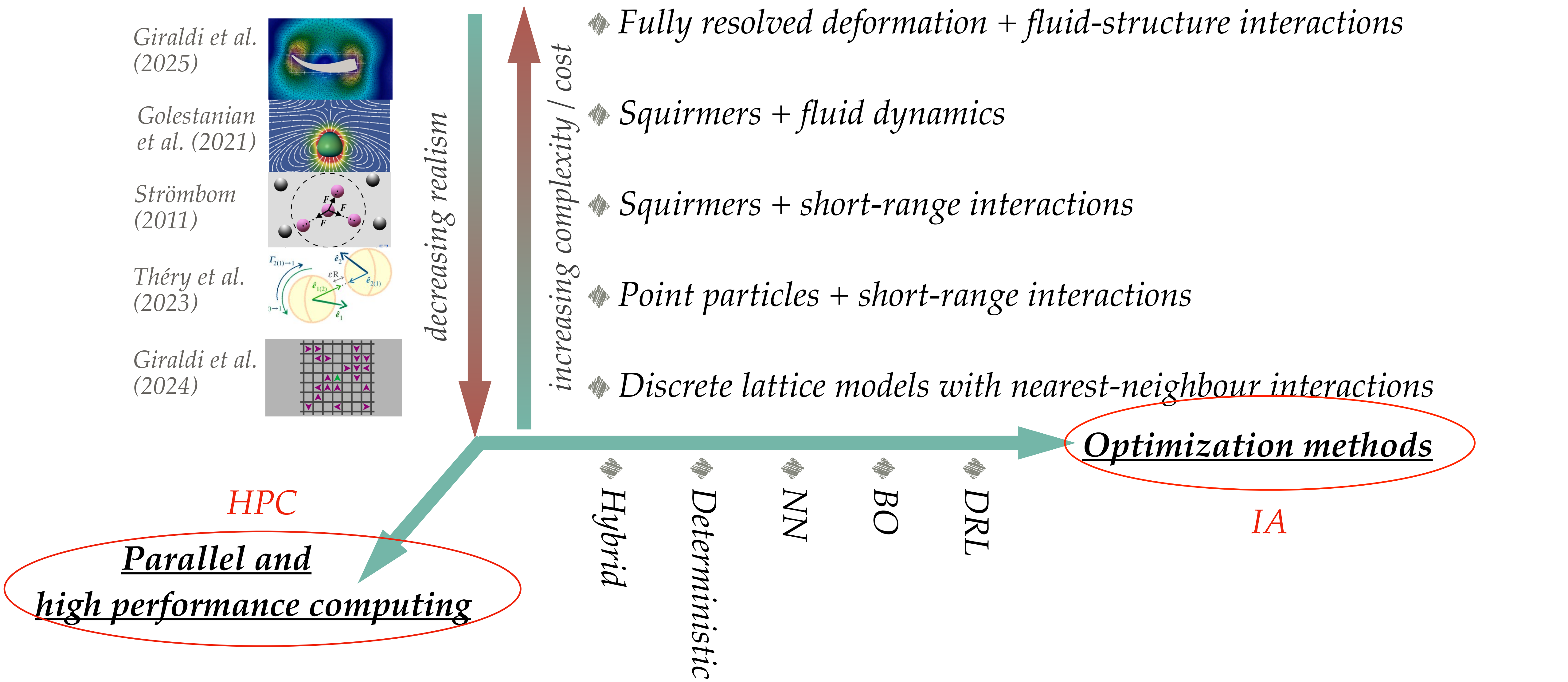
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➔ *Approximate*

➔ *Fully compute*

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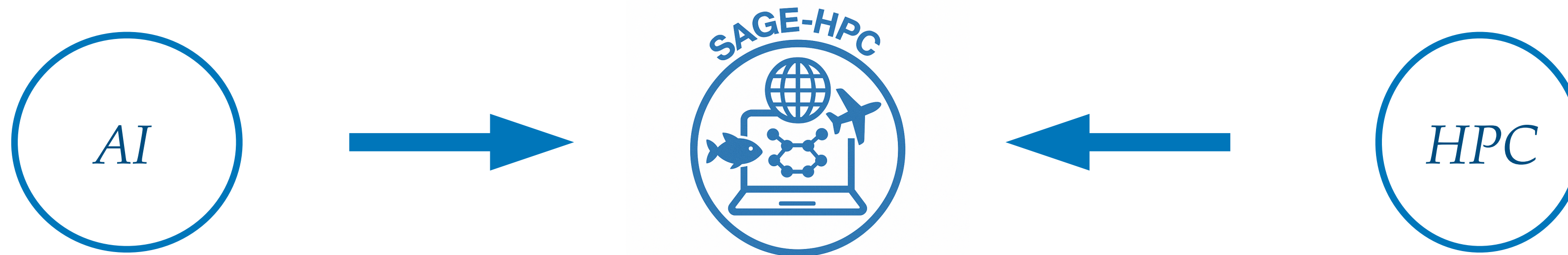


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► *AI for HPC: dynamic orchestration of simulations by learning*



► *Optimization methods : BO, DRL, NN and hybrids*

► *Advanced multi-physics demonstrators*

► *Exascale capacity (European machines)*

► *Hybrid CPU/GPU computing (MPI/Kokkos)*



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*The scientific outcomes rely on three key domains of expertise:*

► Skill Hub (A): **AI-driven Optimization**

*DRL, BO, NN, deterministic approach and hybrids*

► Skill Hub (B): **Mathematical modeling and simulations**

*FEM, CutFEM, DG, spectral methods*

► Skill Hub (C): **HPC & Exascale**

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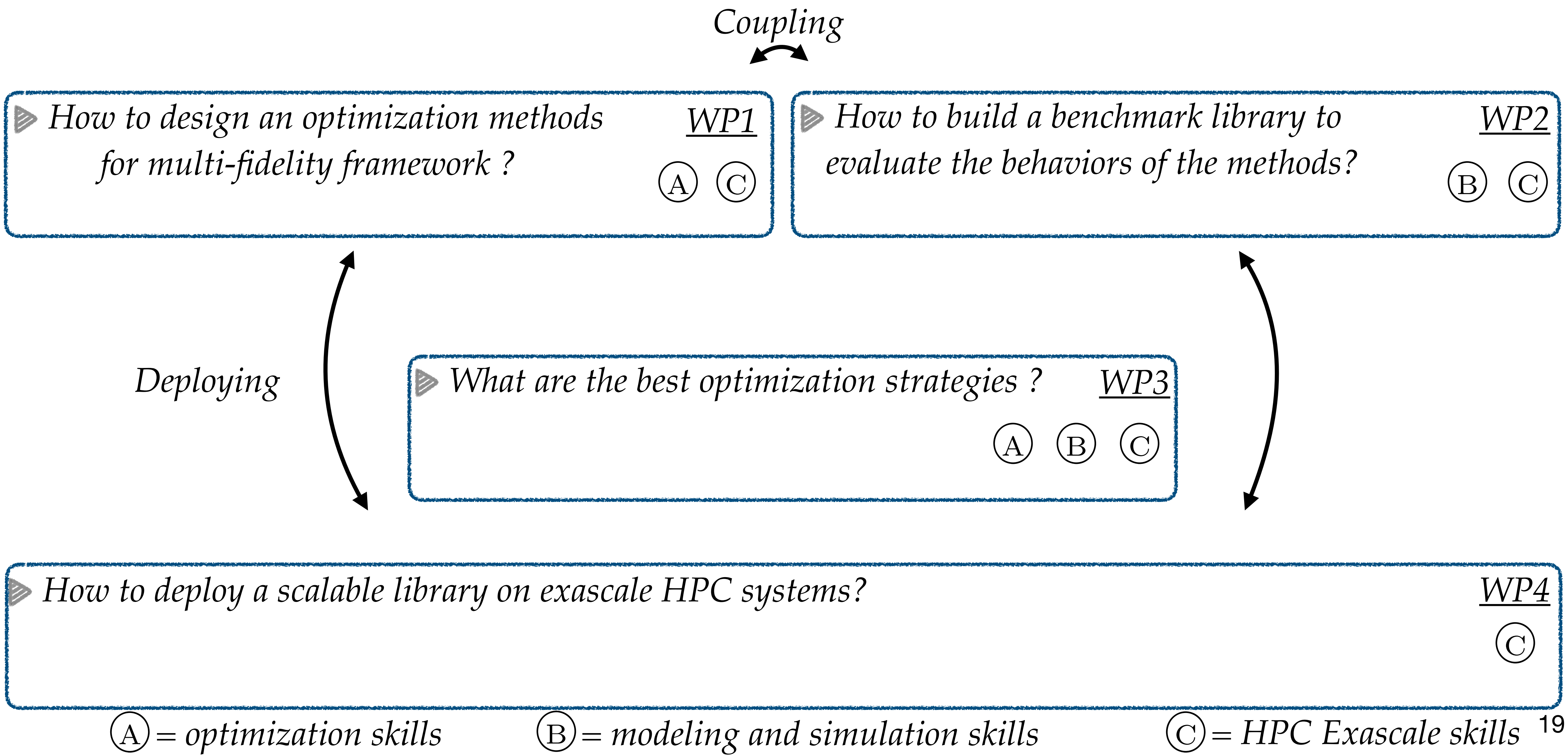
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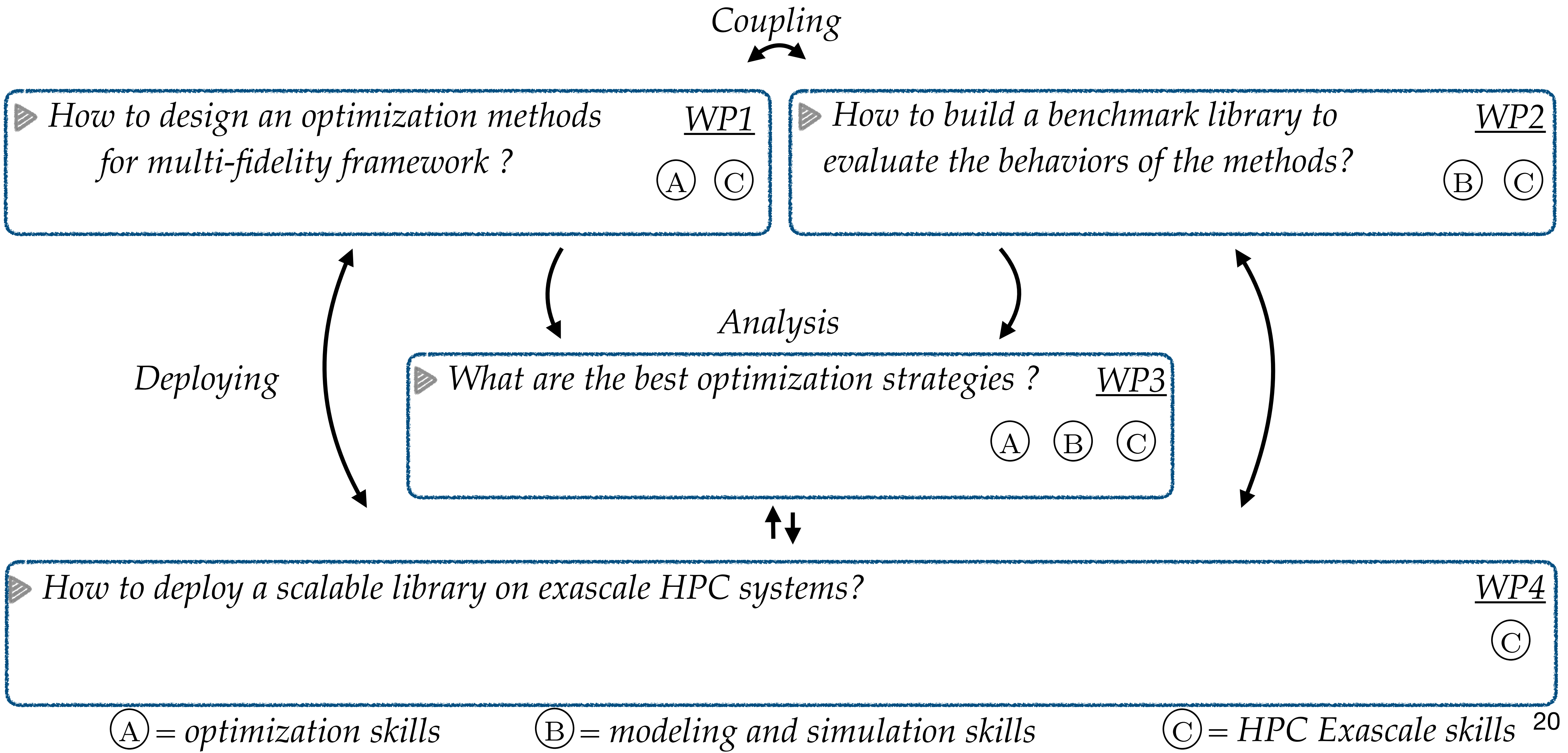




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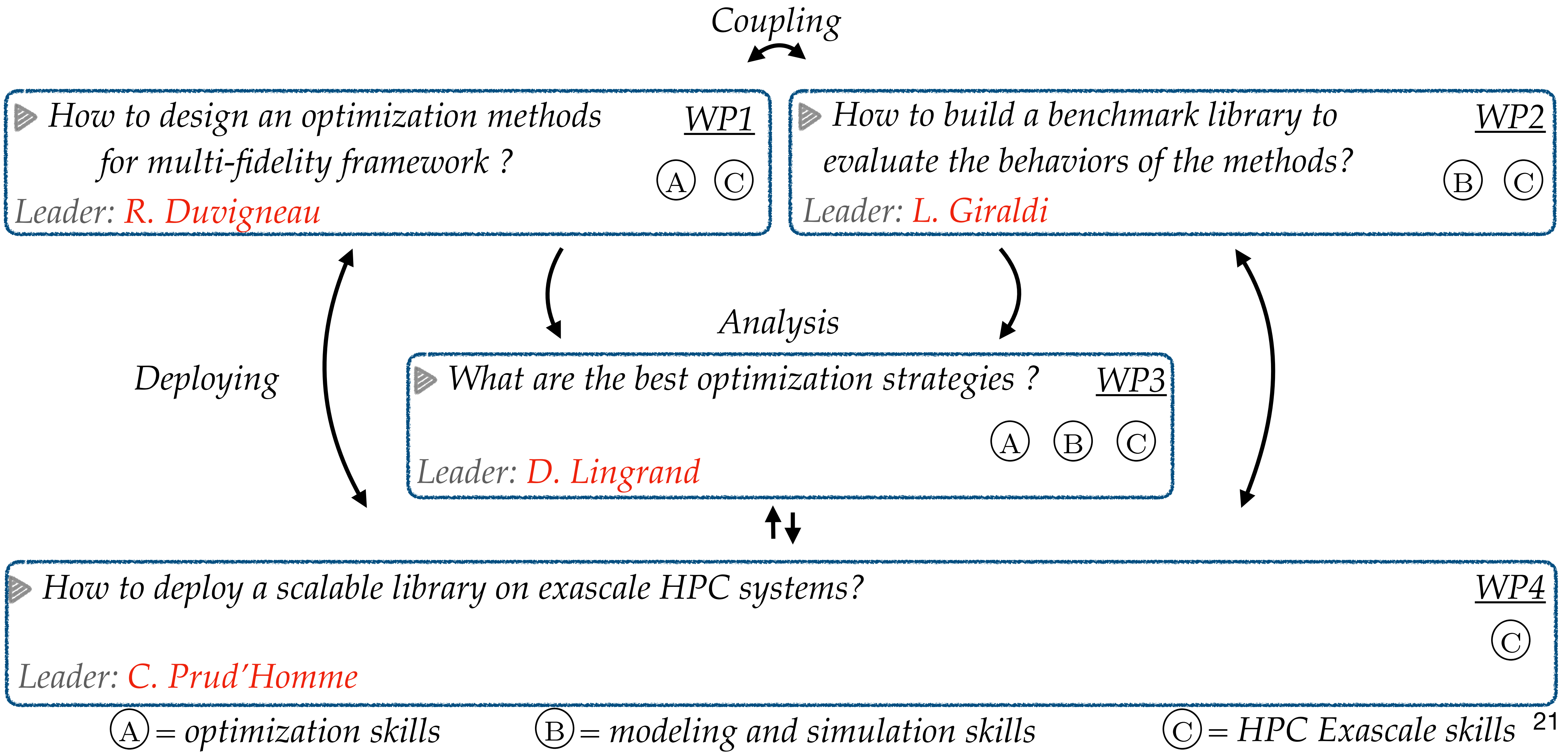
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# Integrated view and Leaders





# Deliverables

► *Mid-term report and final report*

► *Code library for multi-fidelity optimization* WP1

► *Code library of physics-based benchmarks with multiple fidelity levels* WP2

► *Code library on systematic performance analysis*

WP3

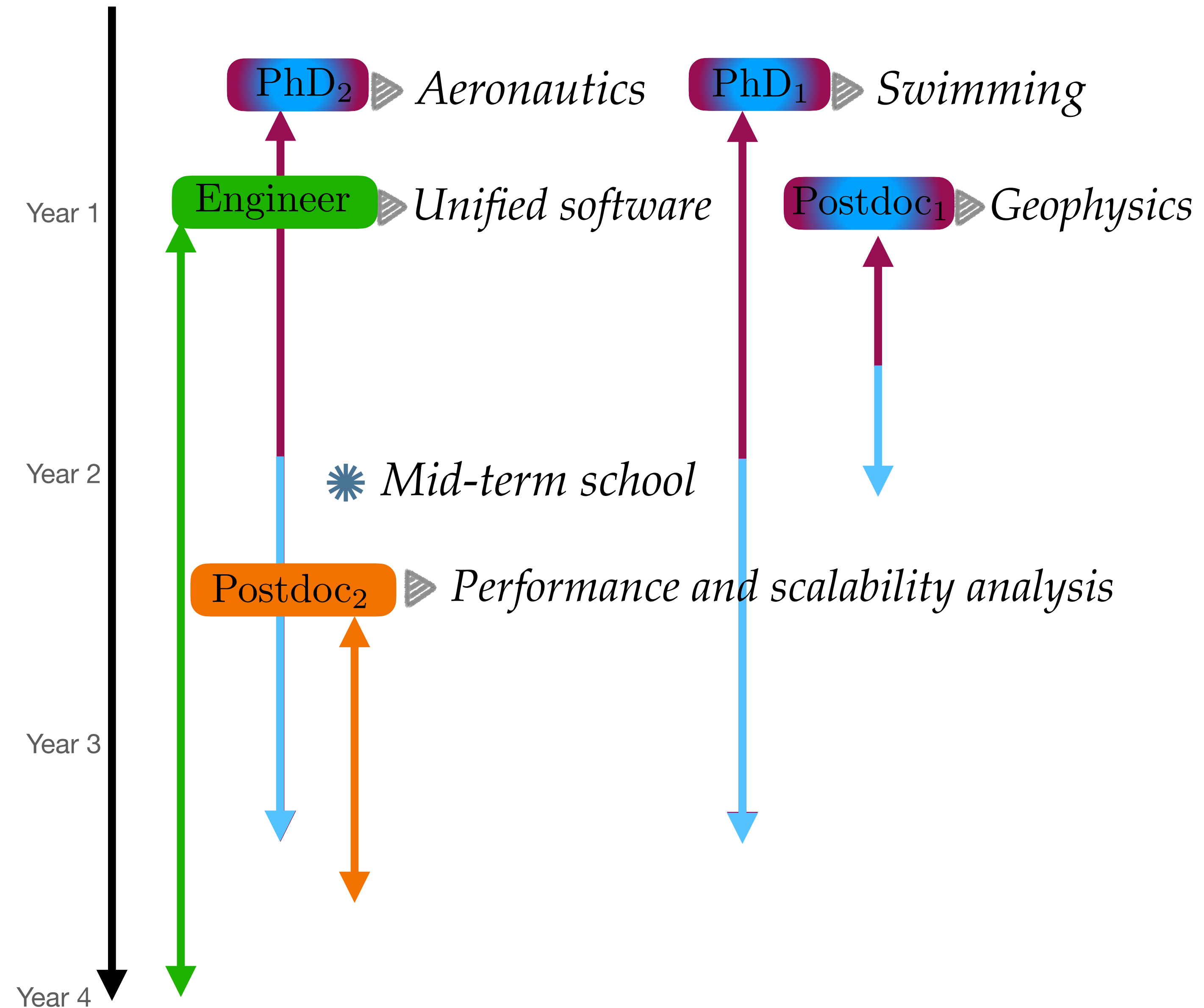
► *Exascale-ready open-source software platform* WP4  
*Unified, modular, and portable framework deployable on hybrid CPU–GPU HPC architectures.*



# Project timeline and resources

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- ▶ *WP2: Code library of physics-based benchmarks with multiple fidelity levels (T0 + 2.5)*
- ▶ *Mid-term report (T0 +2)*
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- ▶ *Final report (T0 +4)*





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*Thanks to your attention*





# Coordination with NumPEx

