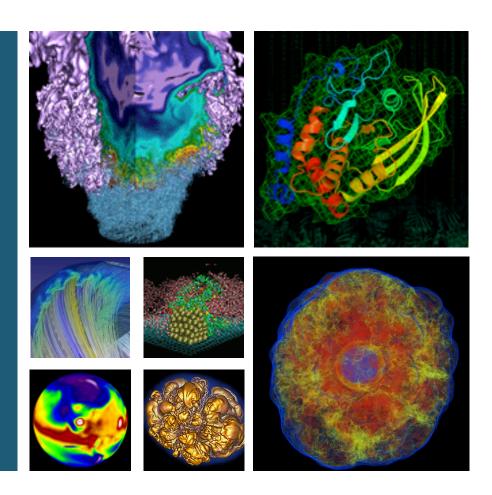
## A Burst Buffer Use at NERSC





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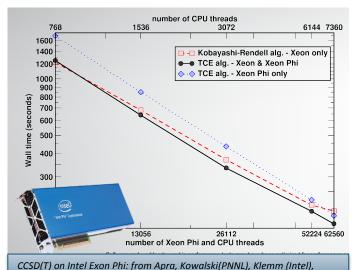




## NWChem- Open Source High Performance Computational Chemistry Software



- NWChem is developed by a consortium of developers and maintained by the EMSL at PNNL.
- NWChem aims to provide its users with computational chemistry tools that are scalable both in their ability to treat large scientific computational chemistry problems efficiently, and in their use of available parallel computing resources from high-performance parallel supercomputers to conventional workstation clusters.
- Commonly used code at NERSC, and is one of the 20 NESAP codes under active development.



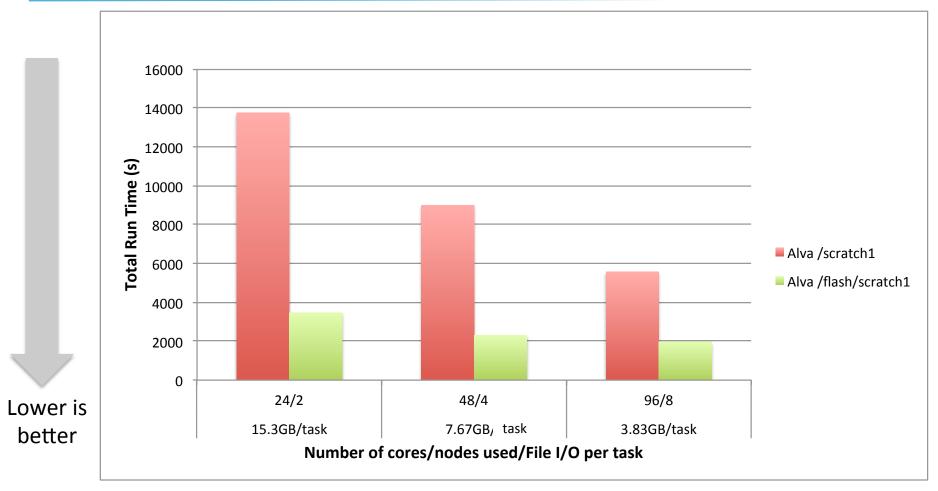
"Efficient Implementation of Many Body Quantum Chemical Methods on

the Xeon Phi Coprocessor", SC14.



## NWChem Out-of-Core Performance: Flash vs Disk on Burst Buffer testbed





- NWChem MP2 Semi-direct energy computation on 18 water cluster with aug-cc-pvdz basis set
- Geometry (18 water cluster) from A. Lagutschenkov, e.tal, J. Chem. Phys. 122, 194310 (2005).









- Jeff Hammond at Intel, Inc for providing the NWChem input generator script, <a href="https://github.com/jeffhammond/nwchem/wiki/">https://github.com/jeffhammond/nwchem/wiki/</a> <a href="mailto:Input-File-Generator">Input-File-Generator</a>
- Steve Luzmoor at Cray, Inc for proving technical support



