The Message Passing Interface: On the Road to MPI 4.0 & Beyond

MPI

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Status of MPI-3.1 Implementations



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Release dates are estimated and are subject to change at any time

✗ indicates no publicly announced plan to implement/support that feature

> Thanks to Pavan Balaji

¹ Open Source but unsupported

² No MPI T variables exposed

^{*} Under development (*) Partly done

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On track towards MPI 4.0 with major proposed additions

- Better fault management as a first step to fault tolerance
- Persistent collective operations
- New tool interface to capture event traces
- Support for FP16
- Enhancements for one-sided communication
- Detection and optimization of process mappings

Draft standard of currently approved changes

- Preview of parts of MPI 4.0
- Available by tomorrow on MPI Forum website

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- Join us at a MPI Forum F2F meeting
 - Next meetings: San Jose (Dec), Chattanooga (Mar), Chicago (Jun), Zürich (Sep)





Major Technical Work in the MPI Forum

Wesley Bland, Intel Error Management

Kathryn Mohror, LLNL MPI_T Events Interface

Pavan Balaji, ANL One Sided Communication

Tony Skjellum, UT Chattanooga Persistence and Large Count

Dan Holmes, EPCC MPI Sessions