

Virtual Microscopy



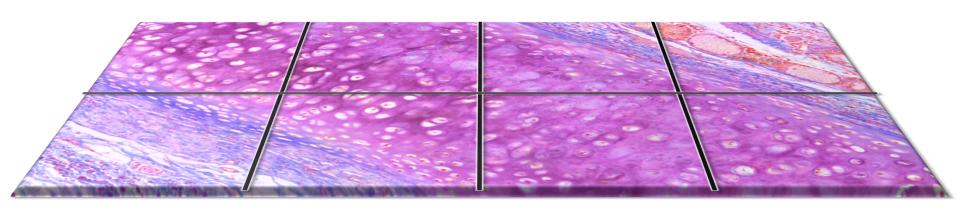
- virtual slides
 - large and mostly proprietary files (~ 50 GB / slide)
 - 150.000 x 260.000 pixel
- textual (or audio/video) annotations in the slide
 - creation and maintenance (e.g. collections > 5000 slides)
- location-independent learning
 - more than laboratory sized access groups
 - infrastructure
 - application
 - license and library restrictions

Tile Computing



- pre-computing
 - no need for realtime extraction
 - keeping files small
 - retrieving files from multiple sources at once
 - easily more than 10⁵ files per layer

computeTile(x, y, magLevel, fLayer, width, height)

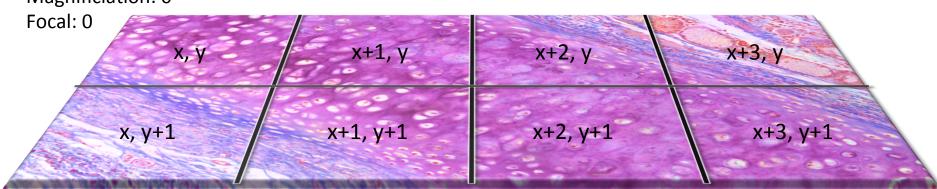


Tile Computing



- tiles are unique and identified by
 - SlideID
 - Magnification Level
 - Focal Plane
 - Coordinates

SlideID: 1011012 Magnificiation: 0



Strategy for Tile Location



- slide information is distributed (e.g. width & height)
- tiles are grouped in partitions
 - number of partitions can be calculated from dimension
- each partition represents a virtual node
 - aggregate partition number over all slide with lower ID => vNodeID
- locating tile
 - get ID of requested slide
 - calculate partition the tile belongs to
 - aggregate partition numbers for "earlier" slides to get vNodeID
 - locally calculate routing path to virtual node holding partition
 - route to vNode and request tile

Object Retrieval

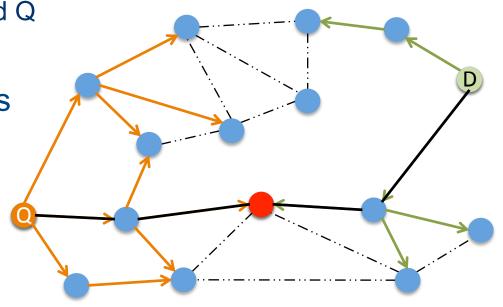


- 2 PRNGs used to create random graph structure
 - determine number of neighbors
 - determine IDs of neighbors
- path from Q to D without network traffic
 - compute partition

determine neighbors of D and Q

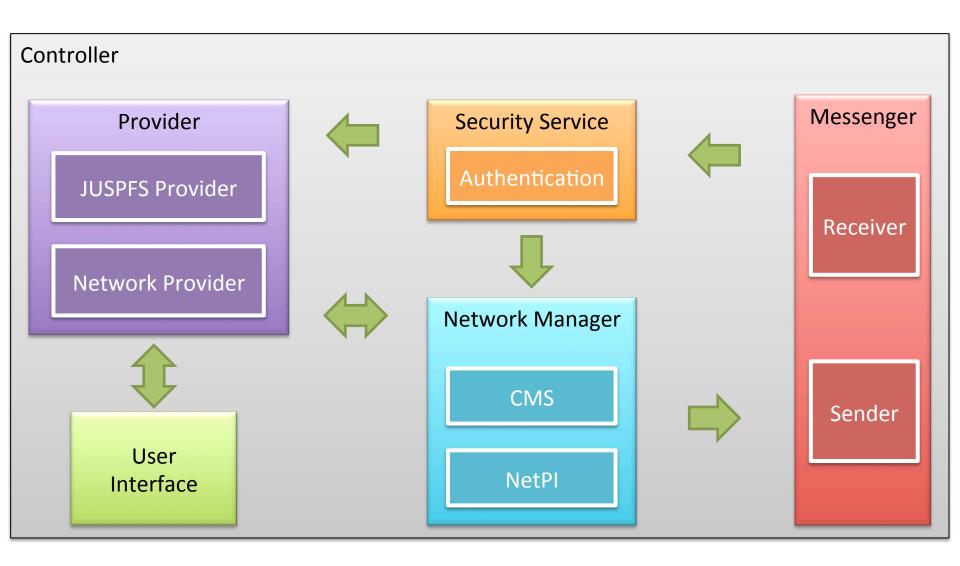
routing via calculated nodes

based on Pathfinder



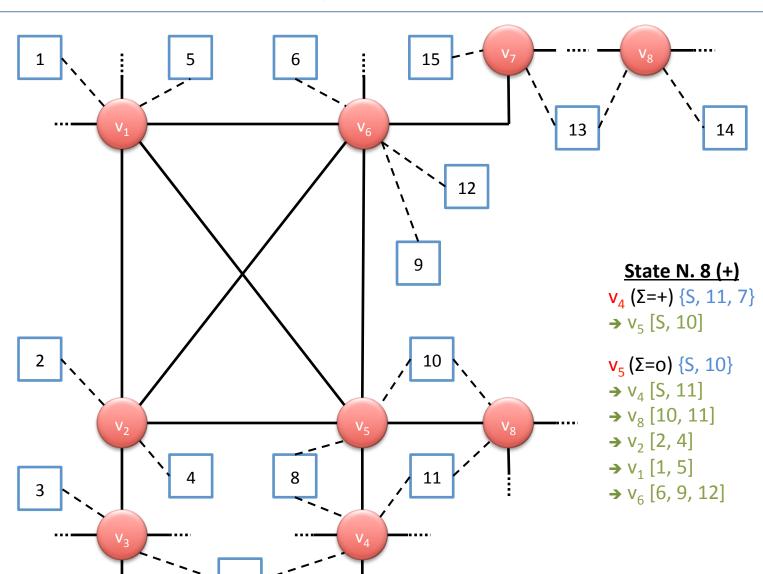
Omentum: Architecture





Load Balancing & Performance Index





Node State	
11	+
10	-
2	0
4	-
7	+
1	+
5	0
6	-
9	+
12	0