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ASTRA-SIM Description



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Agenda

Time (CET)	Time (ET)	Topic	Presenter
15:00 – 16:00	9:00 – 10:00	Introduction to Distributed Deep Learning Training Platforms	Tushar Krishna
16:00 – 17:00	10:00 – 11:00	ASTRA-sim	Saeed Rashidi
17:00 – 17:10	11:00 – 11:10	Break	
17:10 – 17:50	11:10 – 11:50	Demo and Exercises	William Won and Taekyung Heo
17:50 – 18:00	11:50 – 12:00	Extensions and Future Development	Tushar Krishna and Saeed Rashidi

Tutorial Website

includes agenda, slides, ASTRA-sim installation instructions (via source + docker image)

<https://astra-sim.github.io/tutorials/asplos-2022>

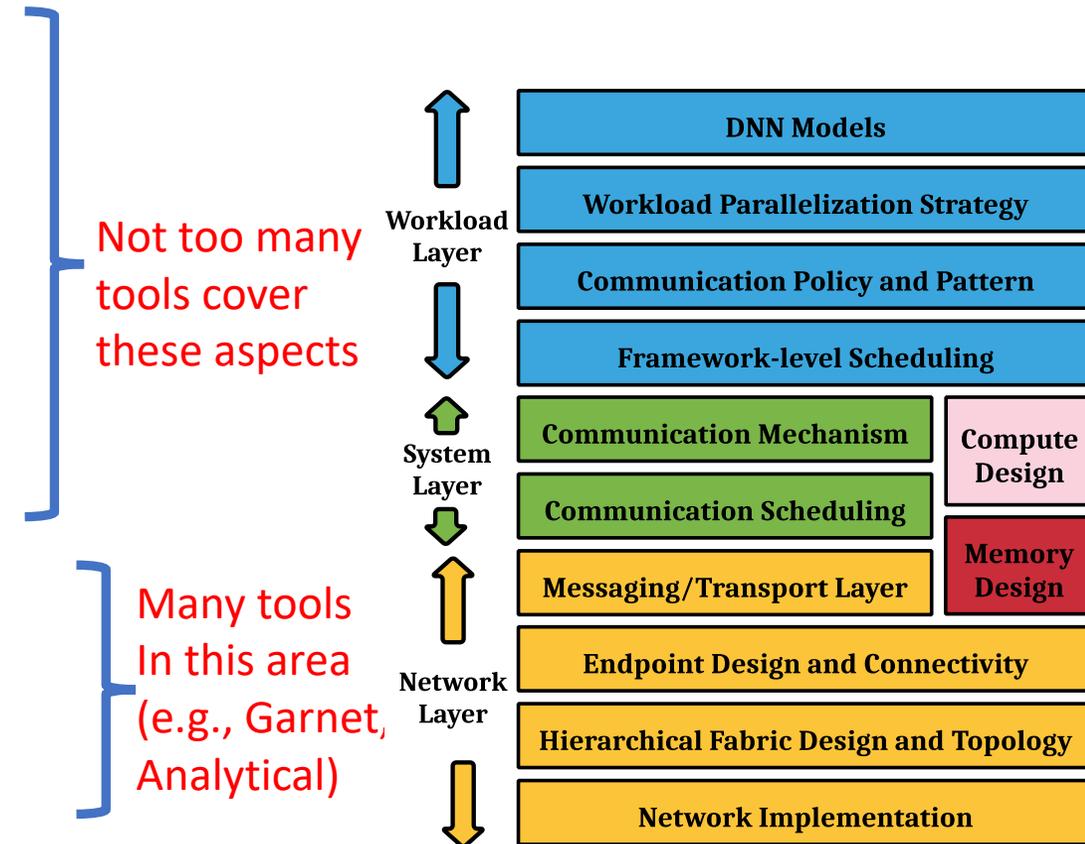
Attention: Tutorial is being recorded

Overview

How to Model and Evaluate the Communication Effect

- It is a complex problem and can be viewed as three layers :

- 1. Workload layer (the training loop):
 - Parallelism approach
 - Compute power
 - Communication size & type and dependency order
- 2. System layer:
 - Collective communication algorithm
 - Chunk size, schedule of collectives
- 3. Network layer:
 - Physical topology
 - Congestion control, communication protocol
 - Link BW, latency, buffers, routing algorithm



ASTRA-SIM Architecture

- Workload layer:

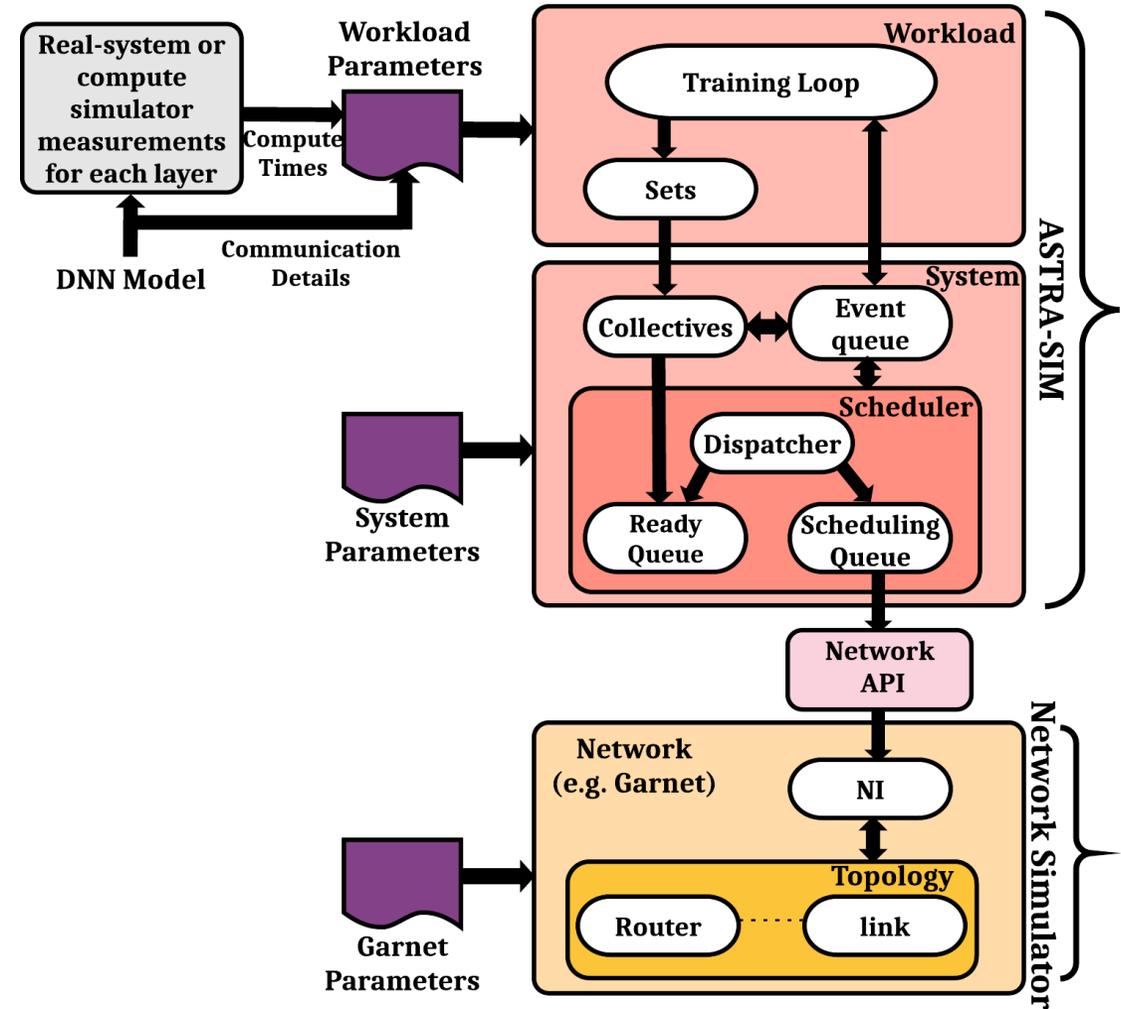
- Supports Data-Parallel, Model-Parallel, Hybrid-Parallel training loops
- Easy to add new arbitrary training loop

- System:

- Ring based, Tree-based, AlltoAll based, and multi-phase collectives
- Easy to add new collective communication

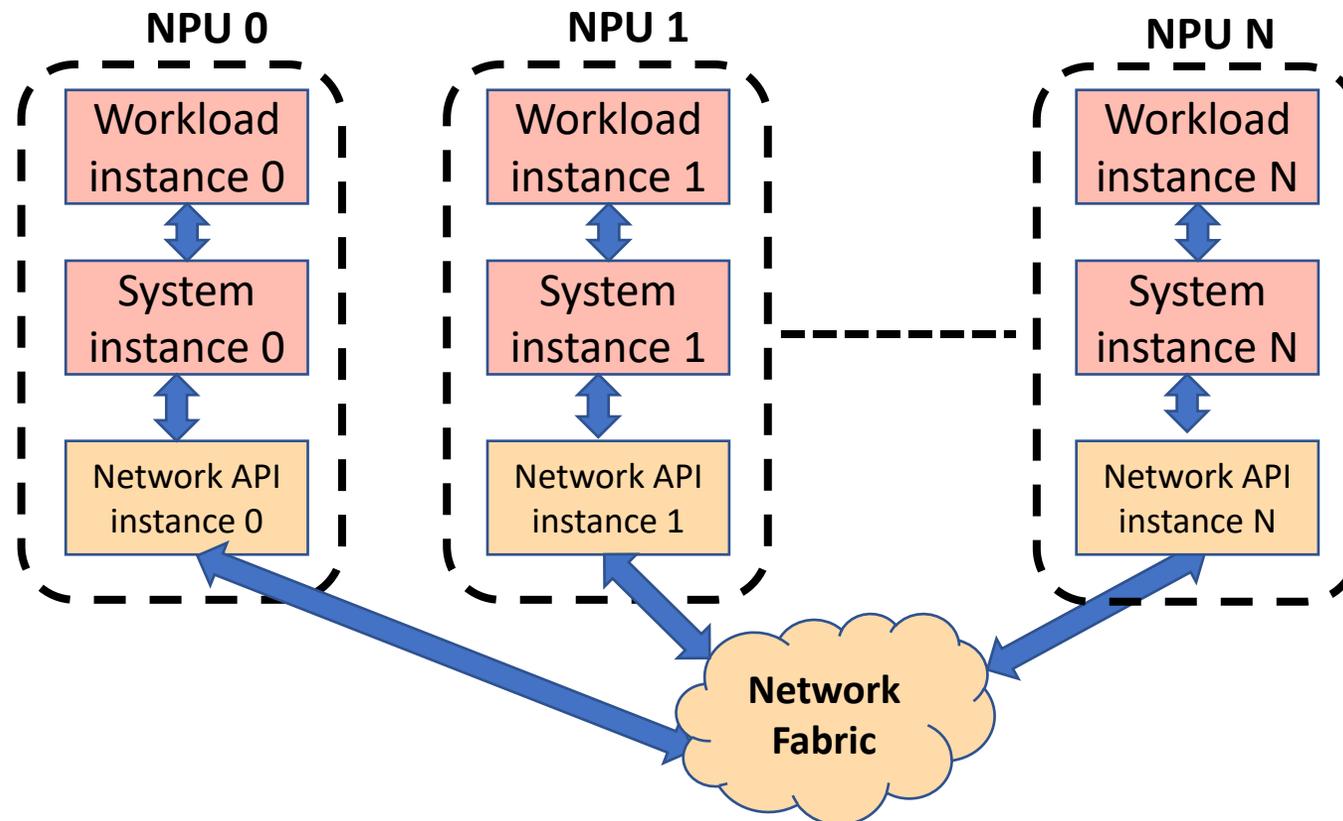
- Network:

- Supports Analytical and GARNET Network simulator
- Analytical:
 - Supports hierarchical topologies
 - Each level in hierarchy can be switch, ring, FC....
 - <https://github.com/astra-sim/analytical/tree/develop>
- GARNET:
 - Supports switch-based and torus-based topologies
 - Supports credit-based flow control
 - https://github.com/georgia-tech-synergy-lab/gem5_astra/tree/reorgV2
- Can add new topologies in both Analytical and GARNET



ASTRA-SIM Runtime Structure

- Each NPU is represented through separate instance of Workload, System, and Network API.
- Network API class is implemented by the network backend.



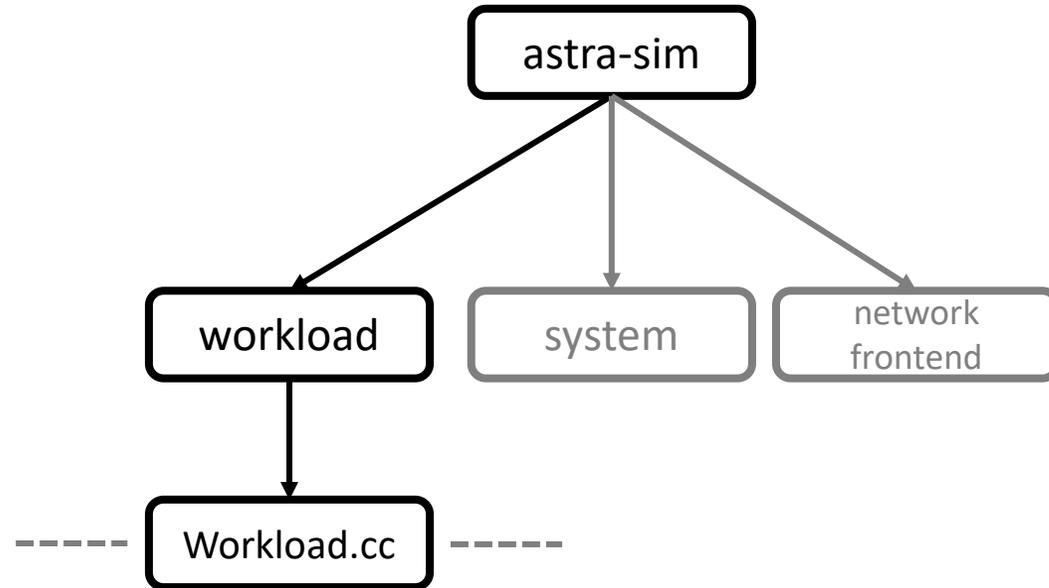
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Workload Layer

Workload Layer Training Loop

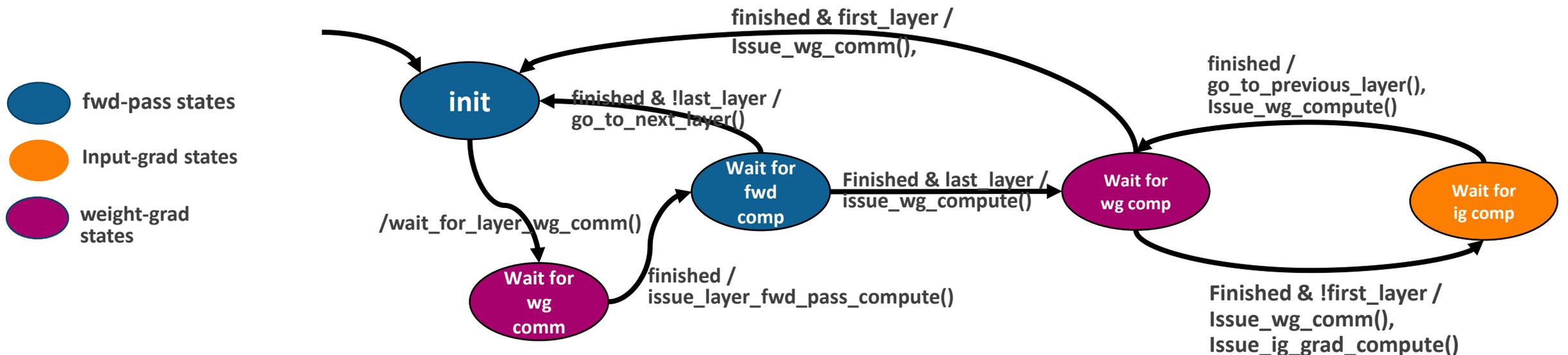
- Code Structure



Implements different training loops

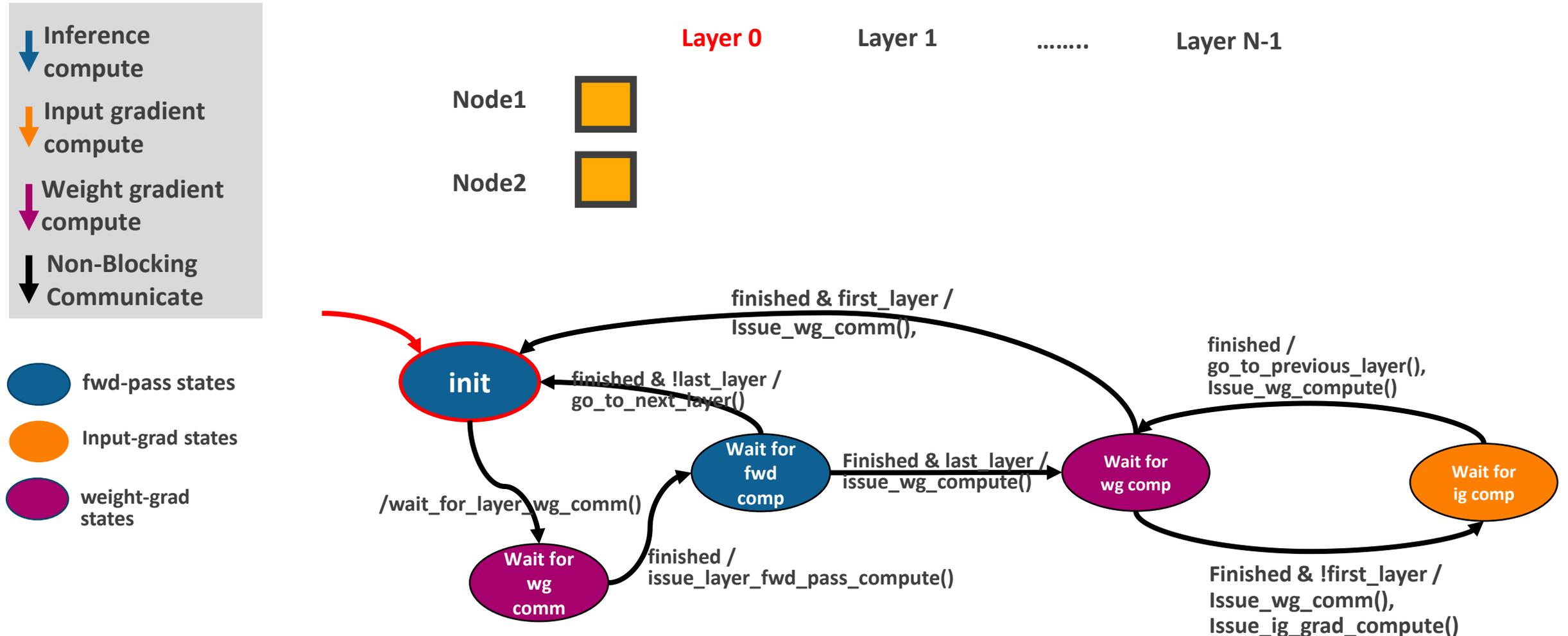
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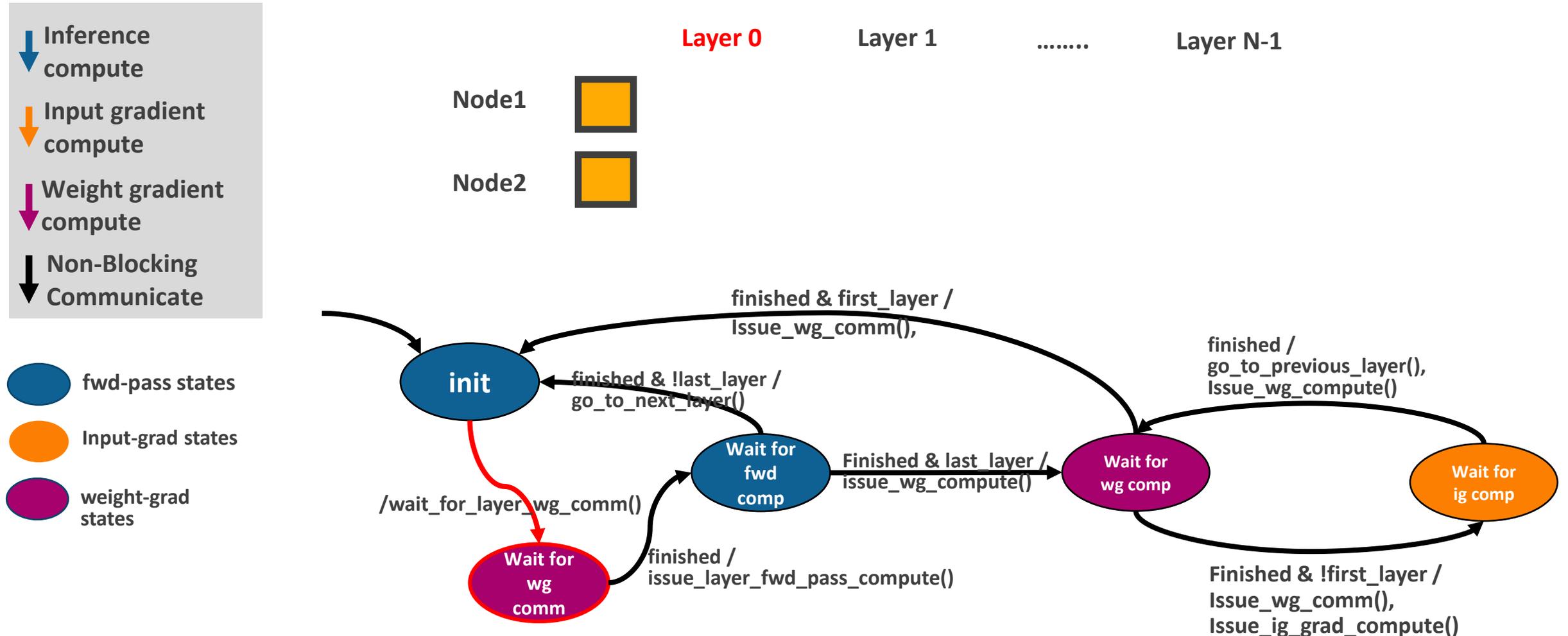
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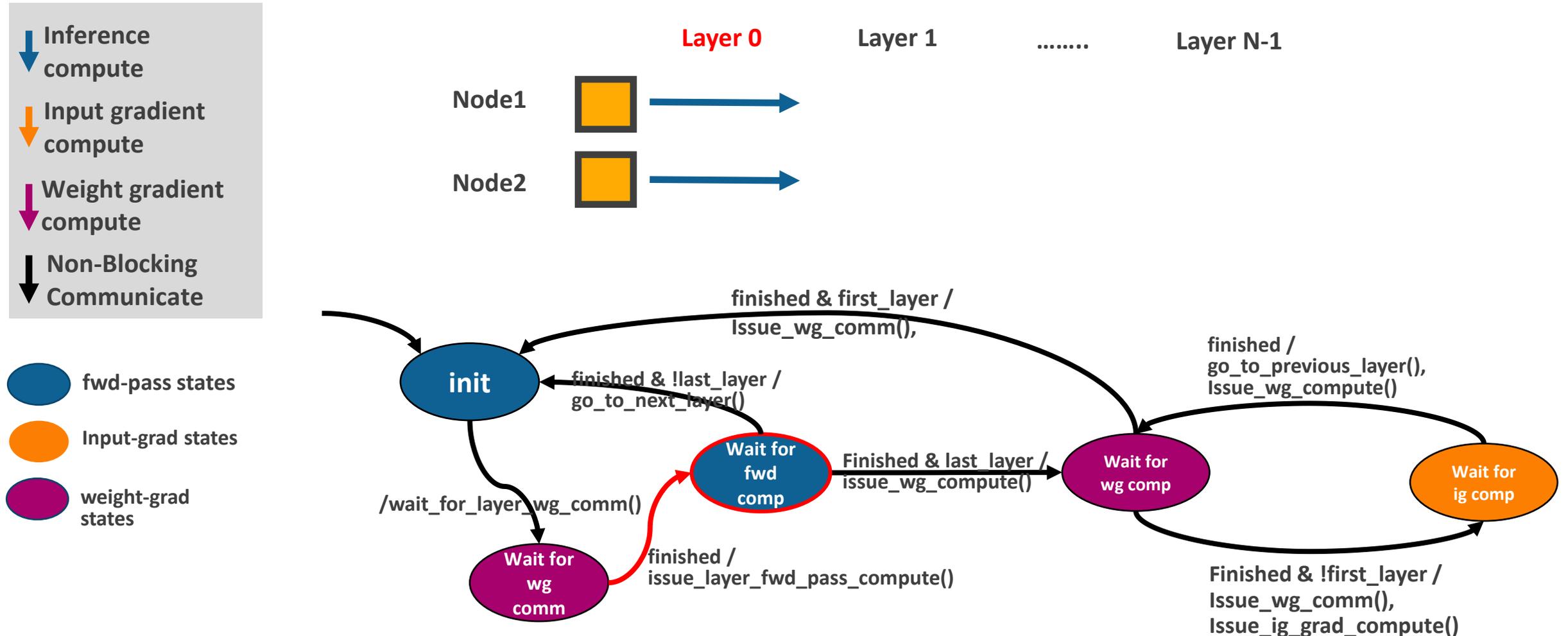
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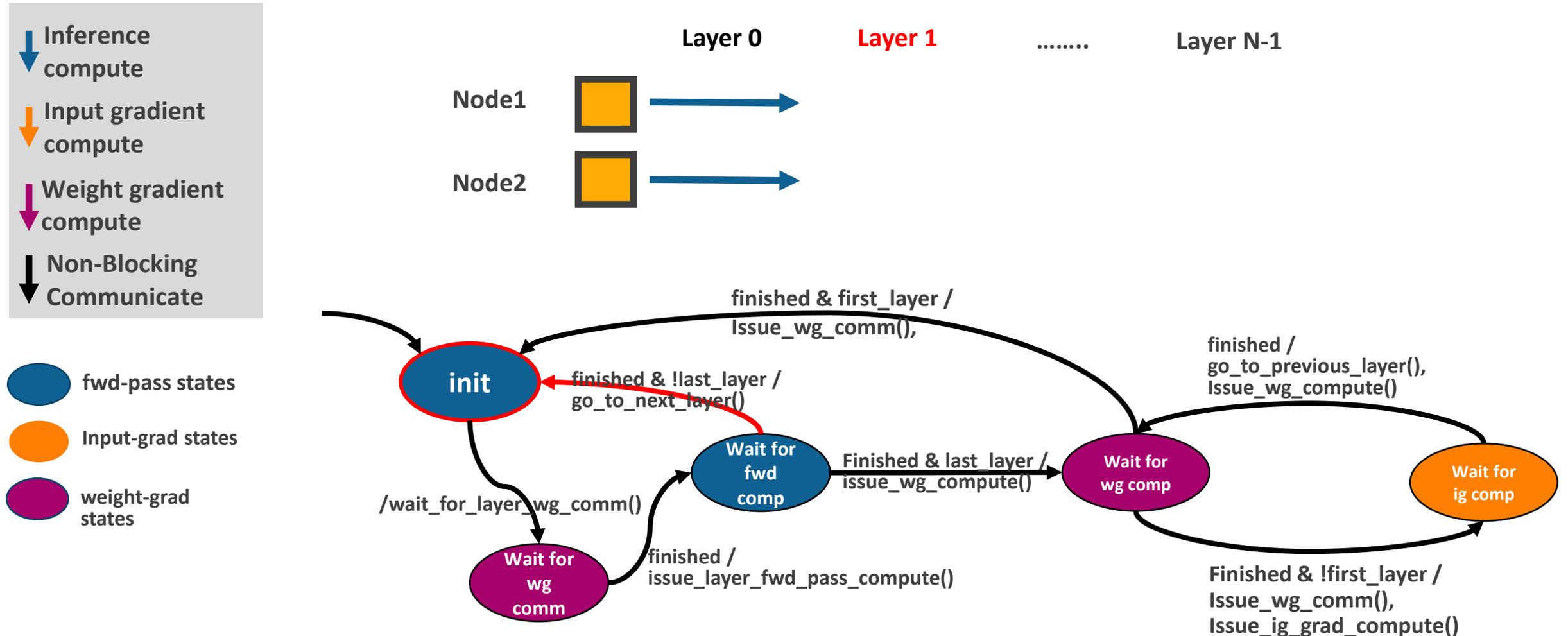
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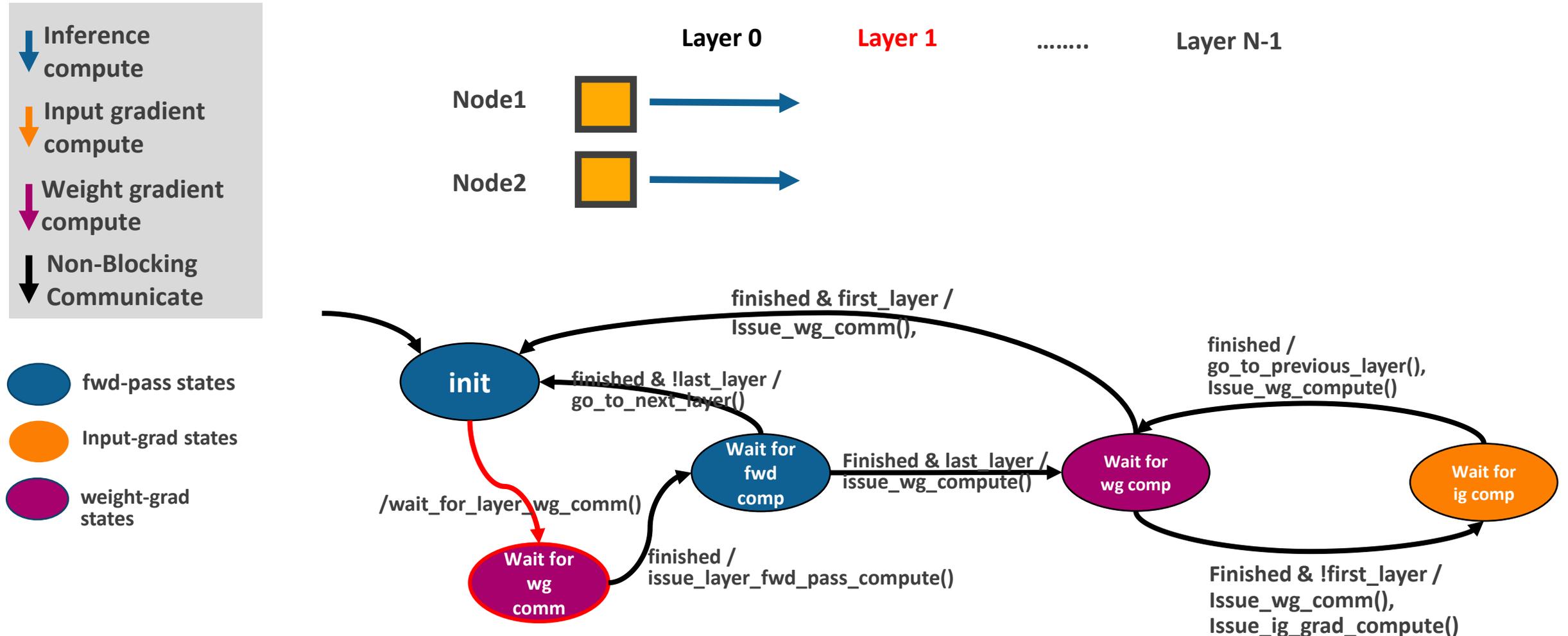
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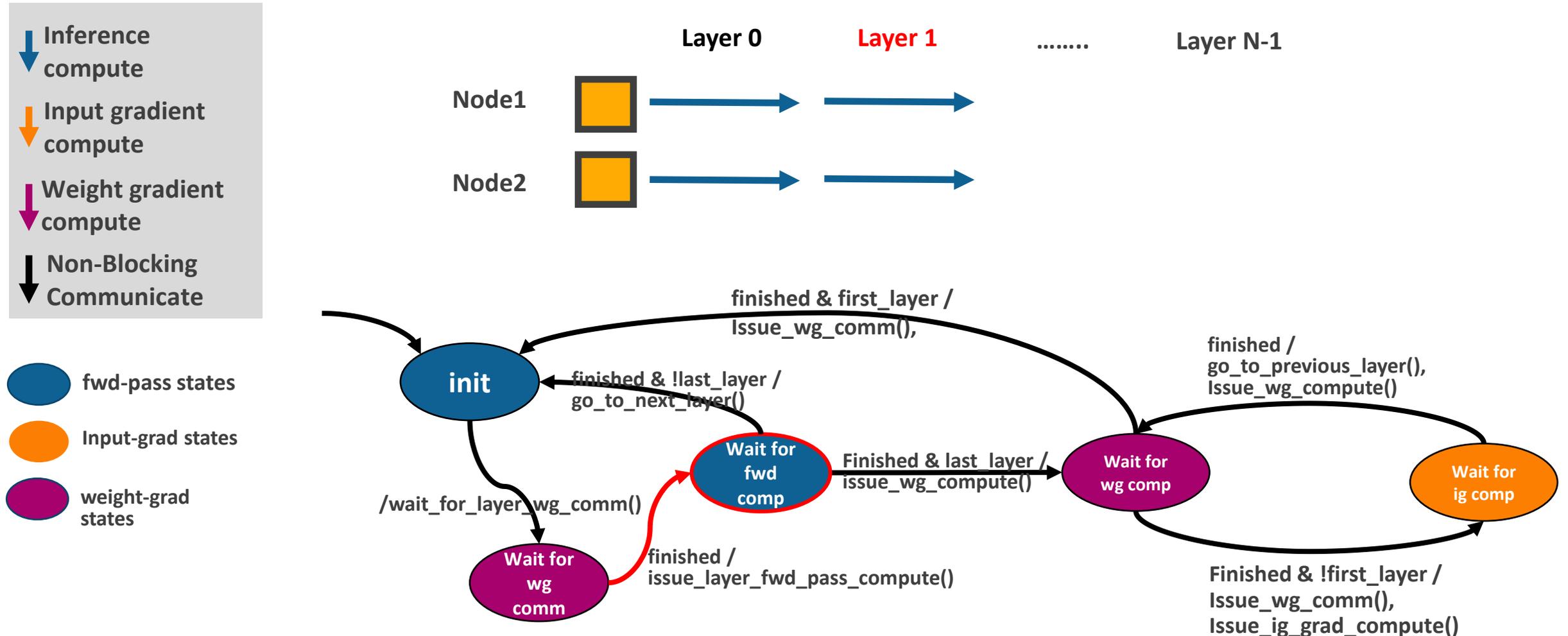
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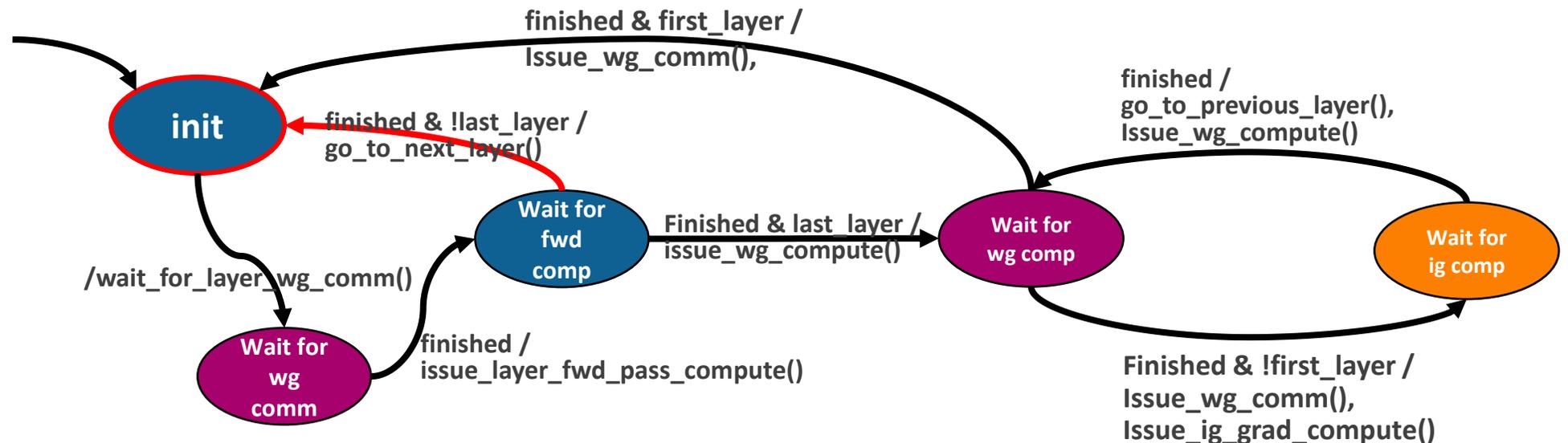
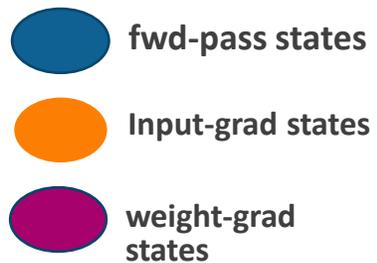
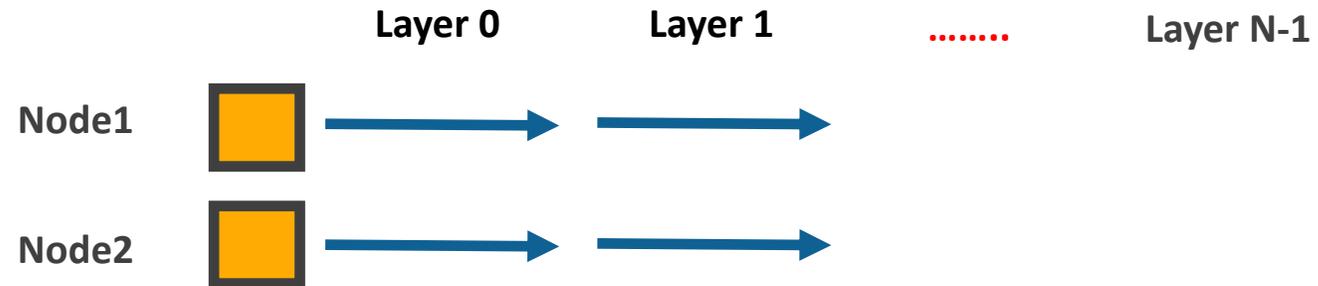
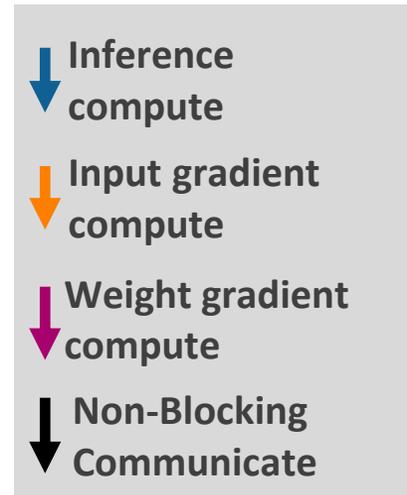
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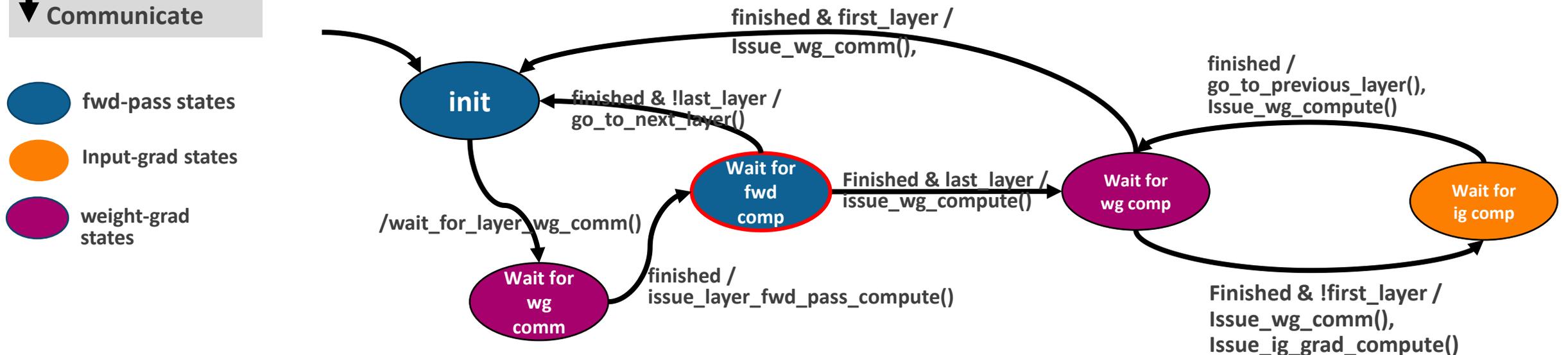
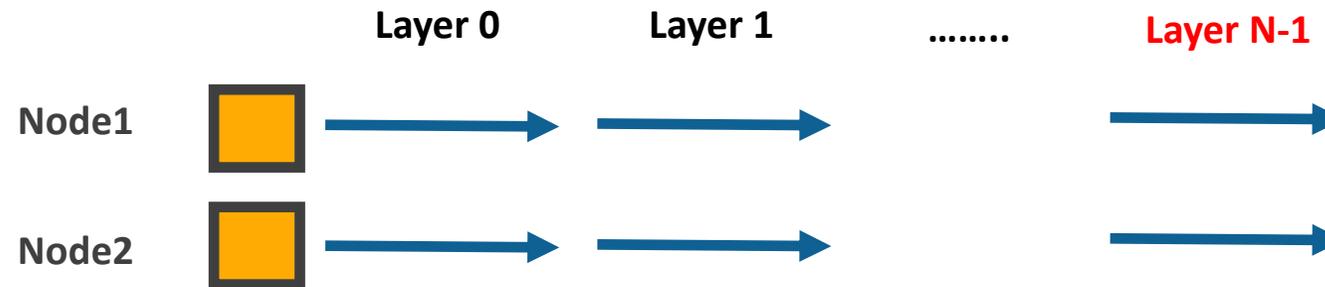
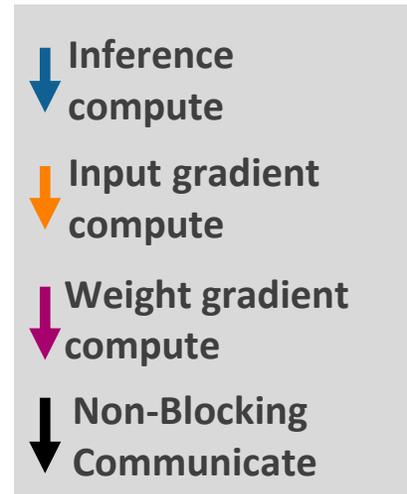
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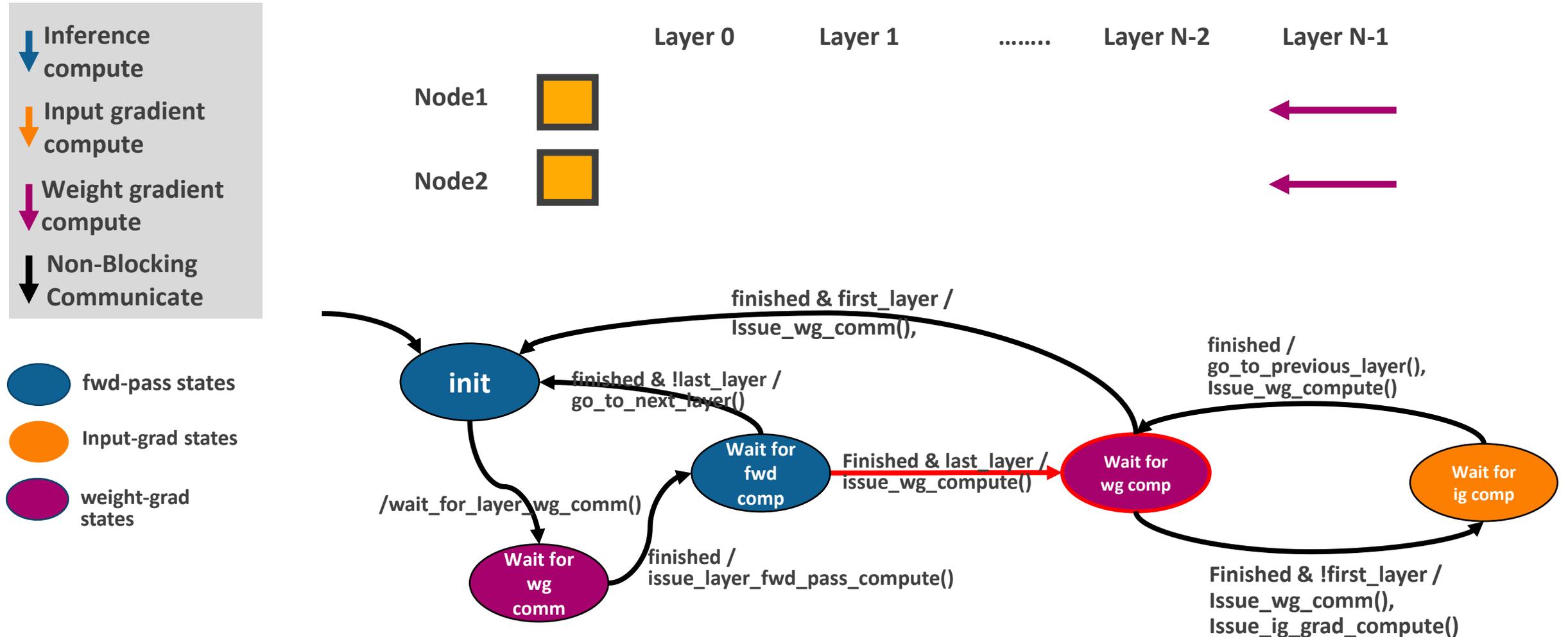
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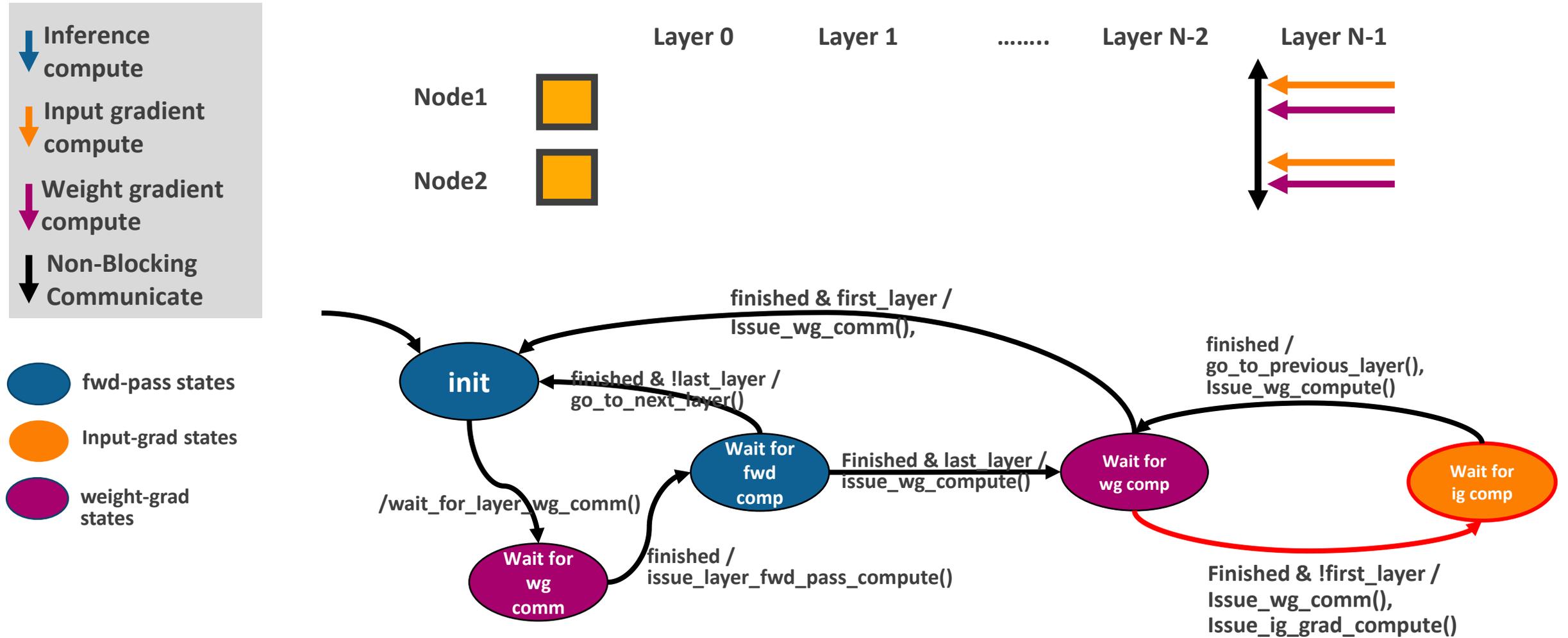
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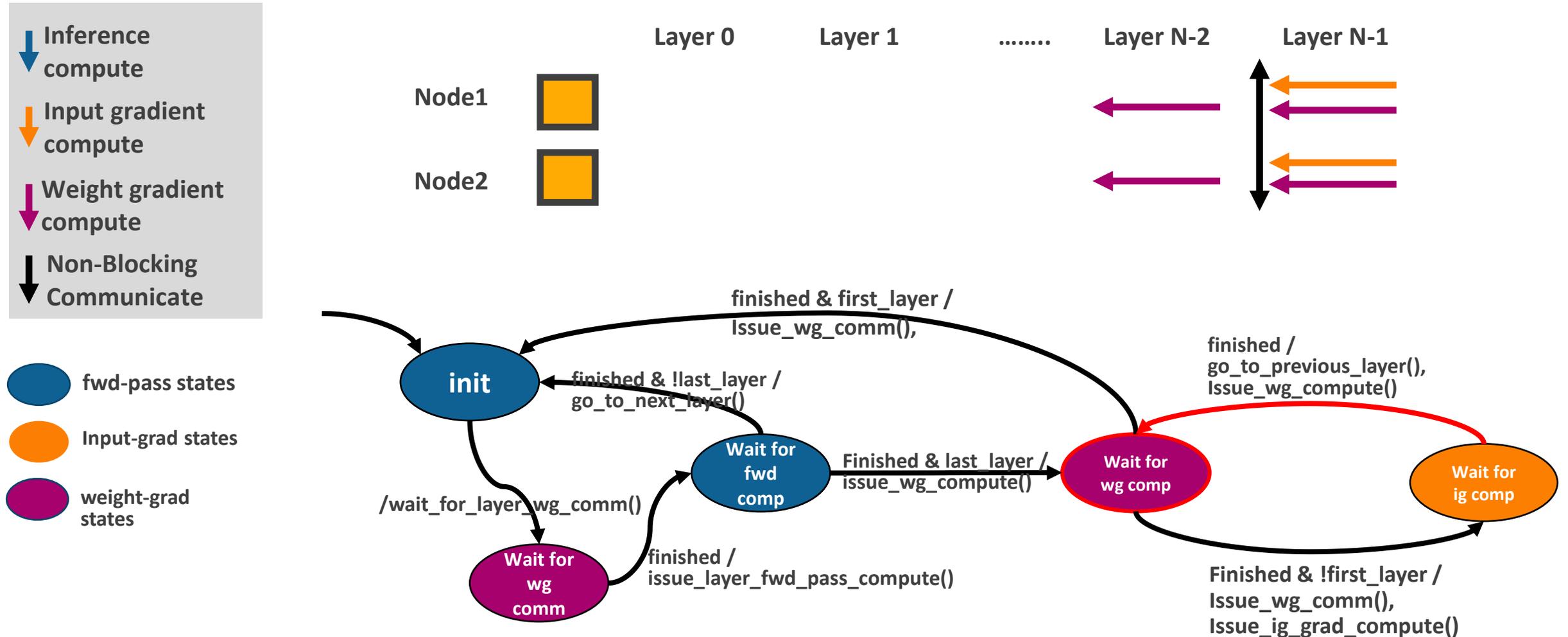
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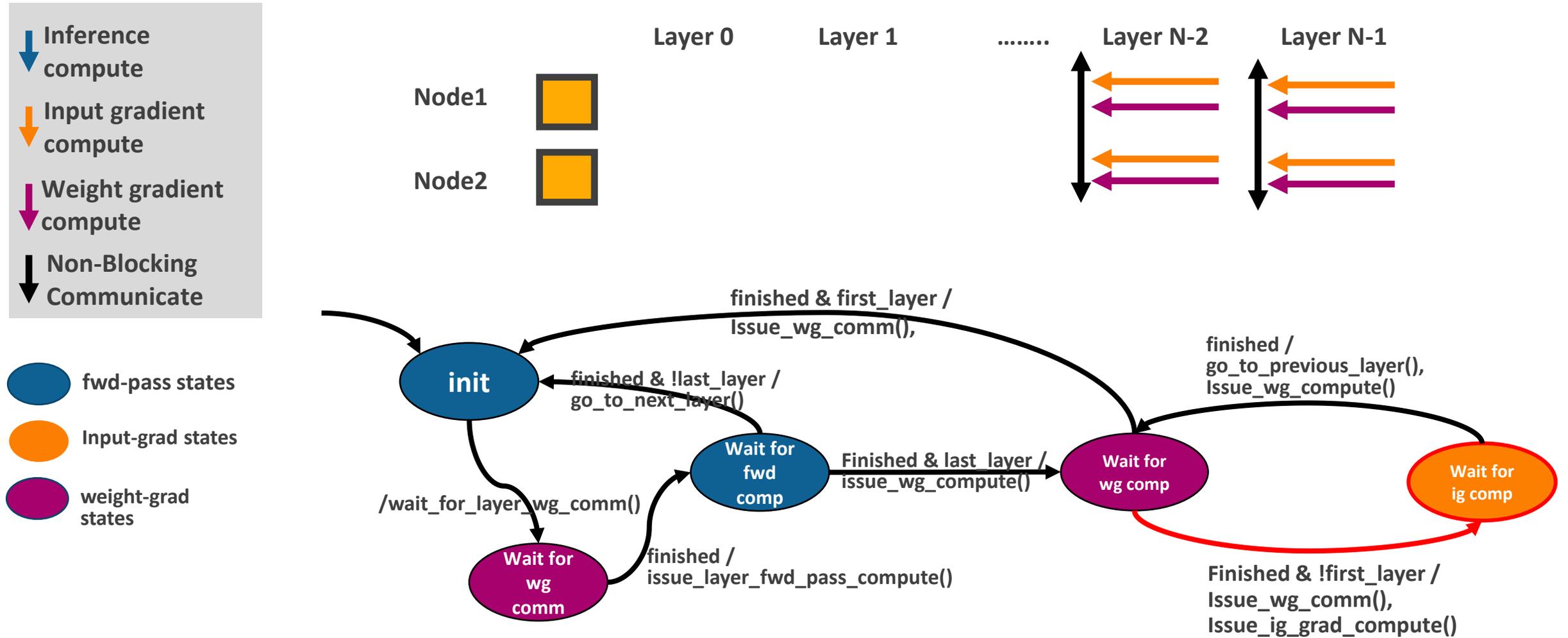
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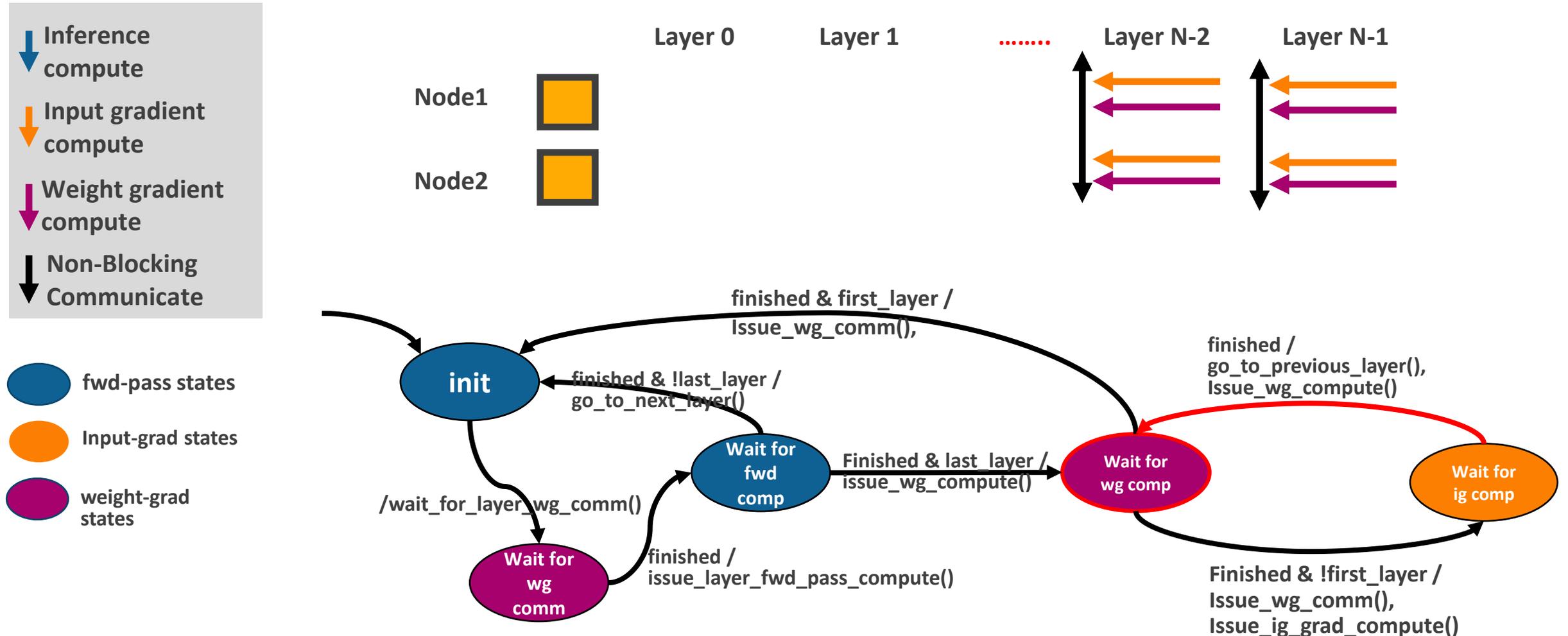
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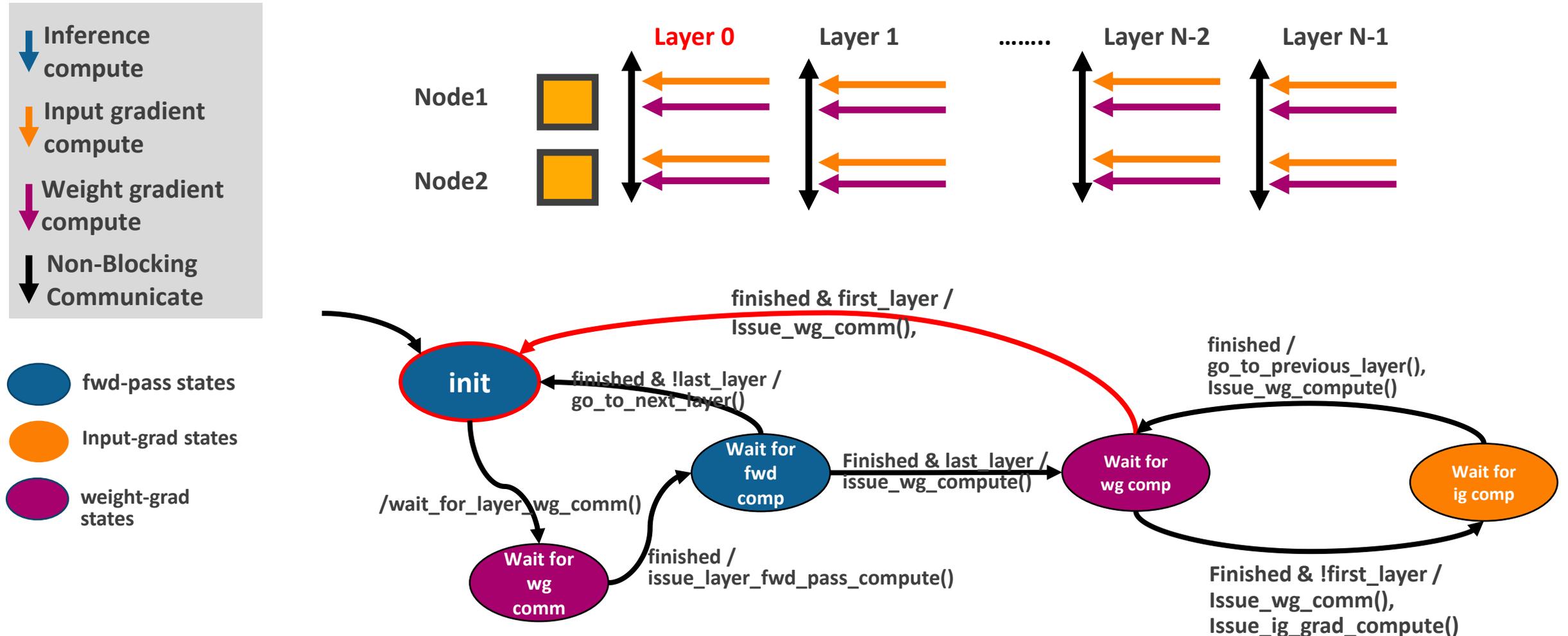
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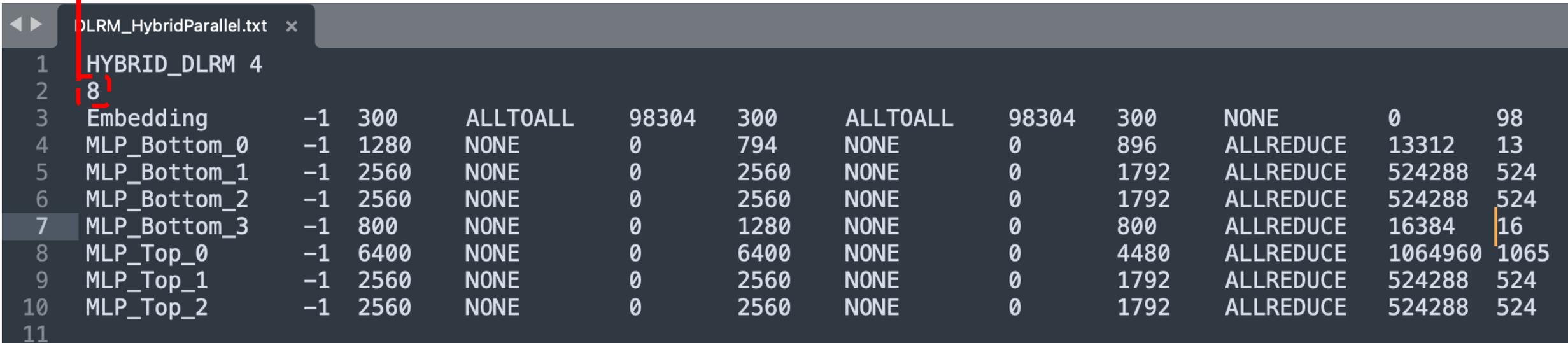
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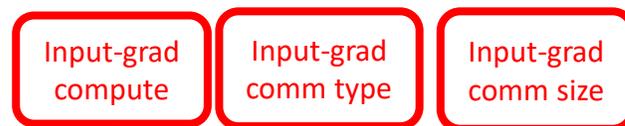


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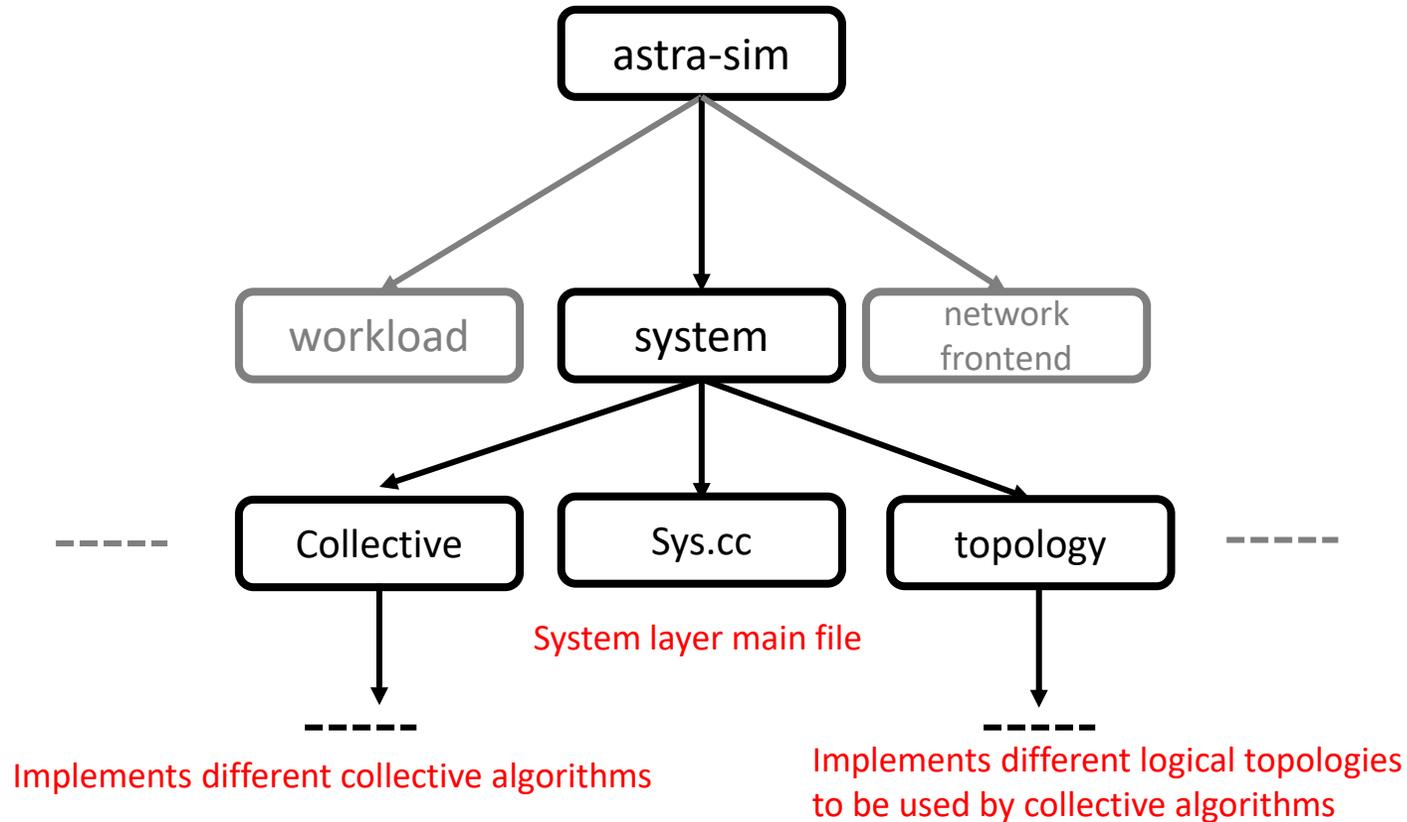
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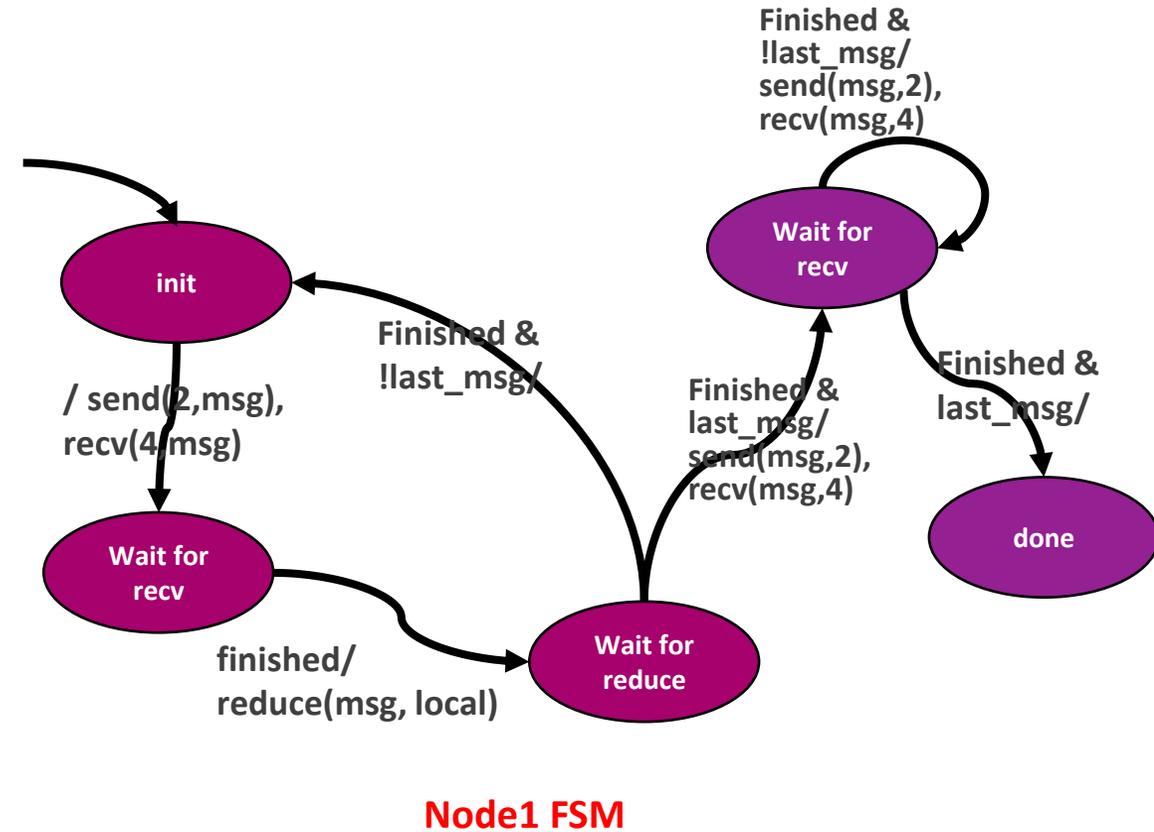
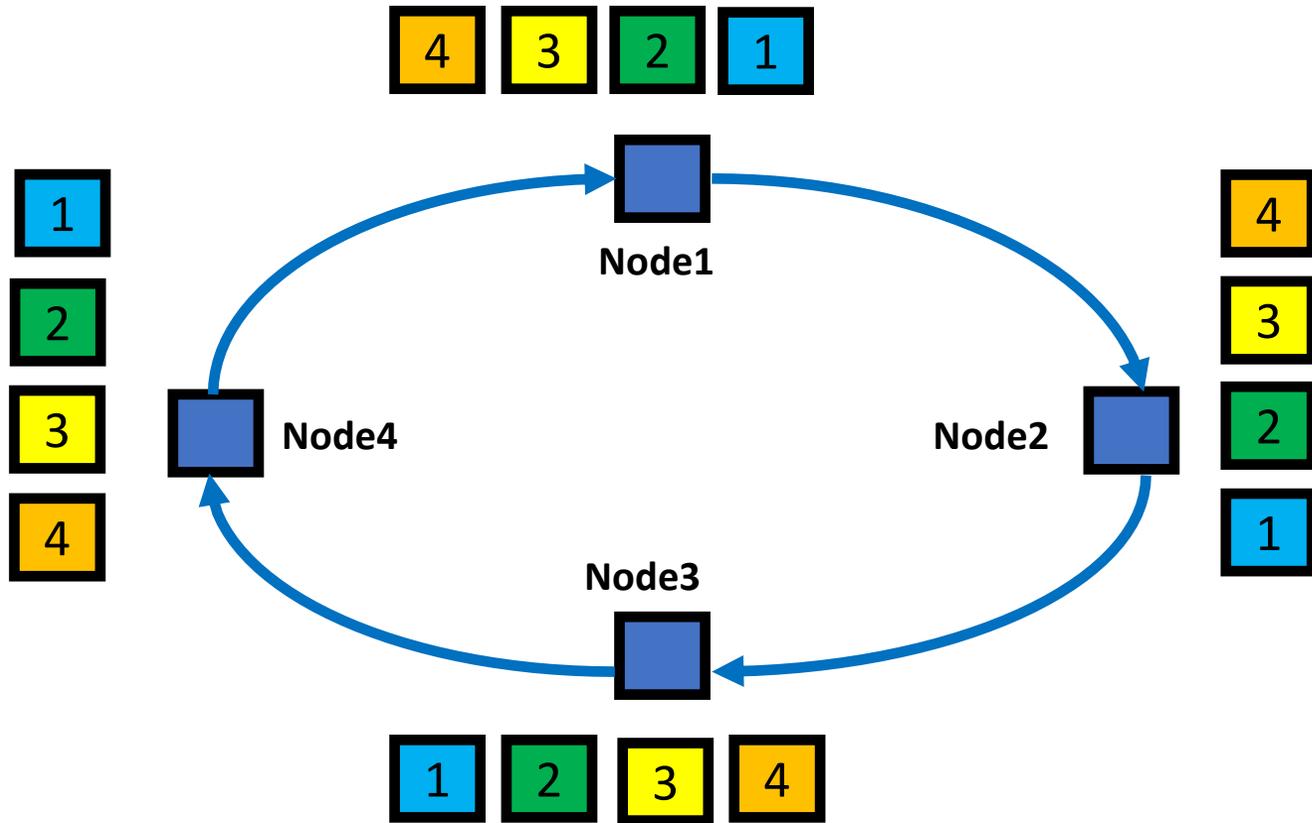


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- Each collective algorithm works based on a logical topology.
- Logical topologies are implemented in “system/topology/*” and instantiated in sys.cc.
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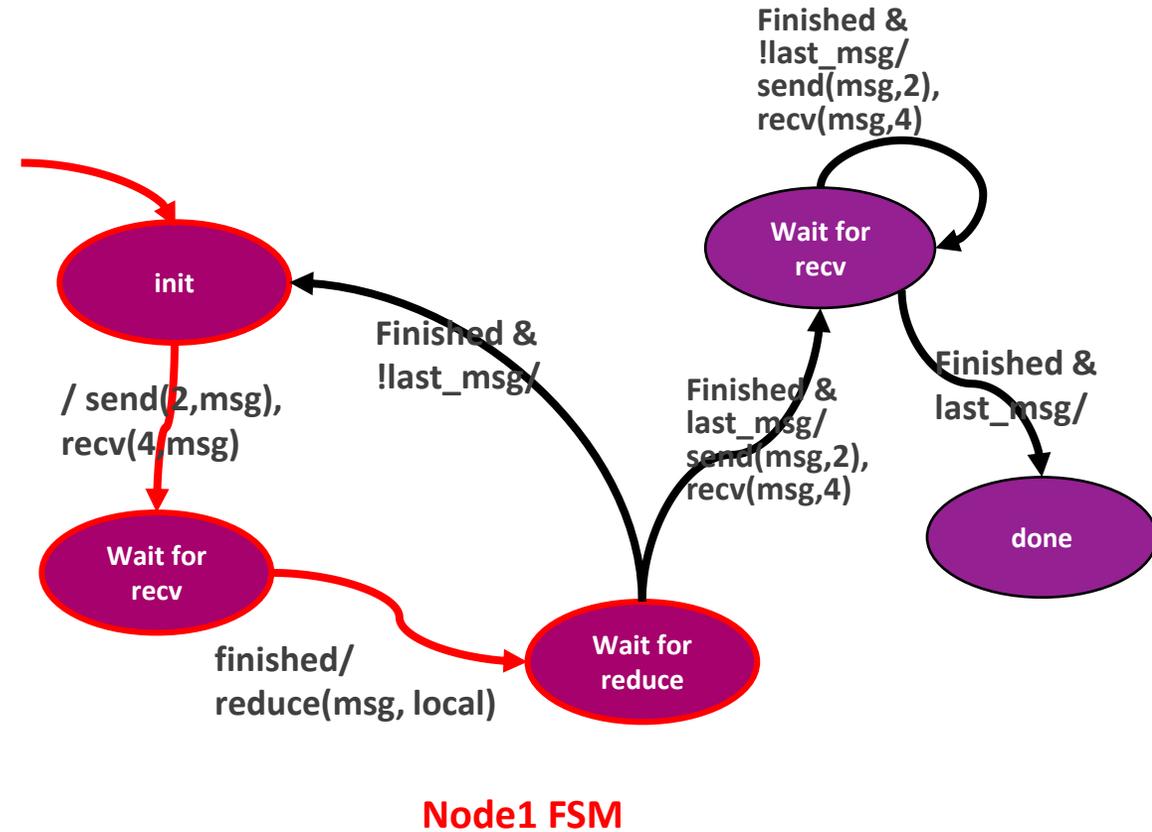
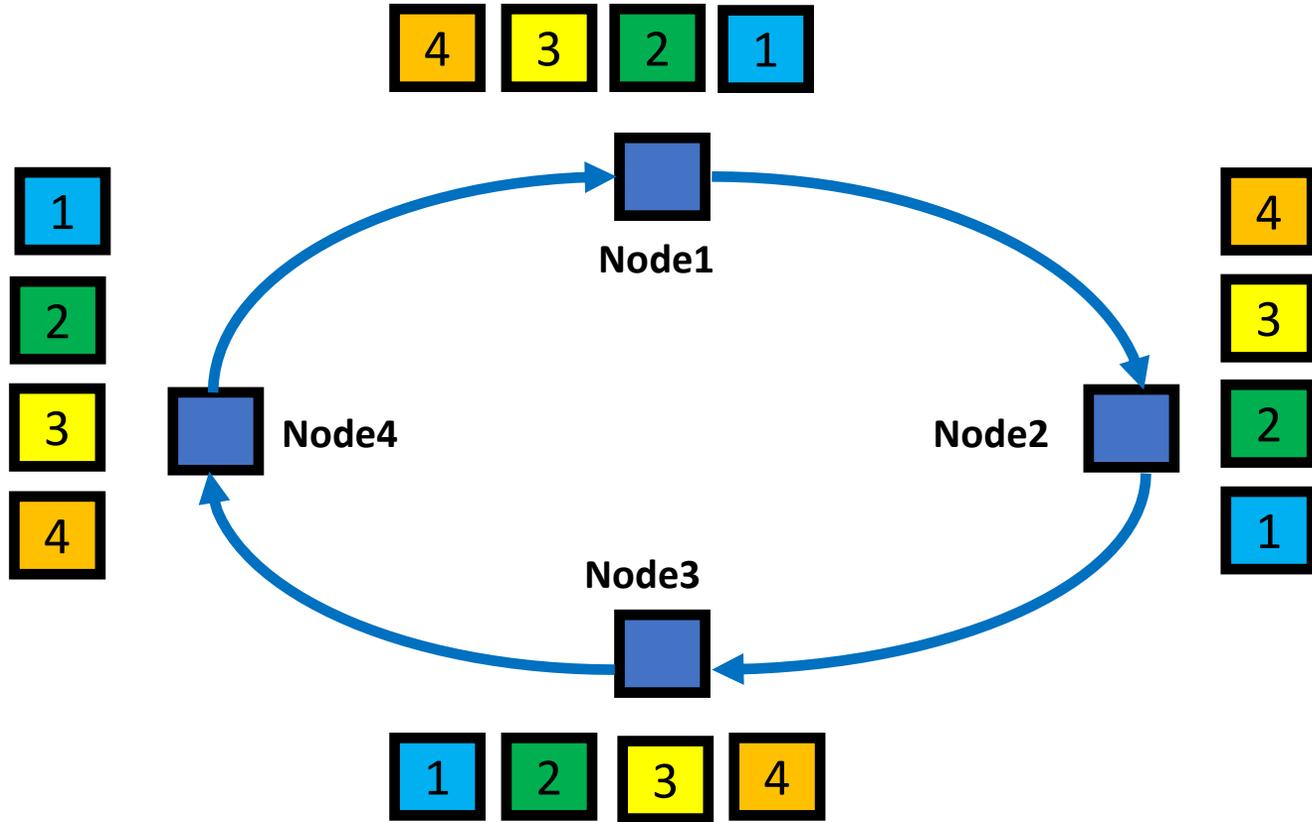
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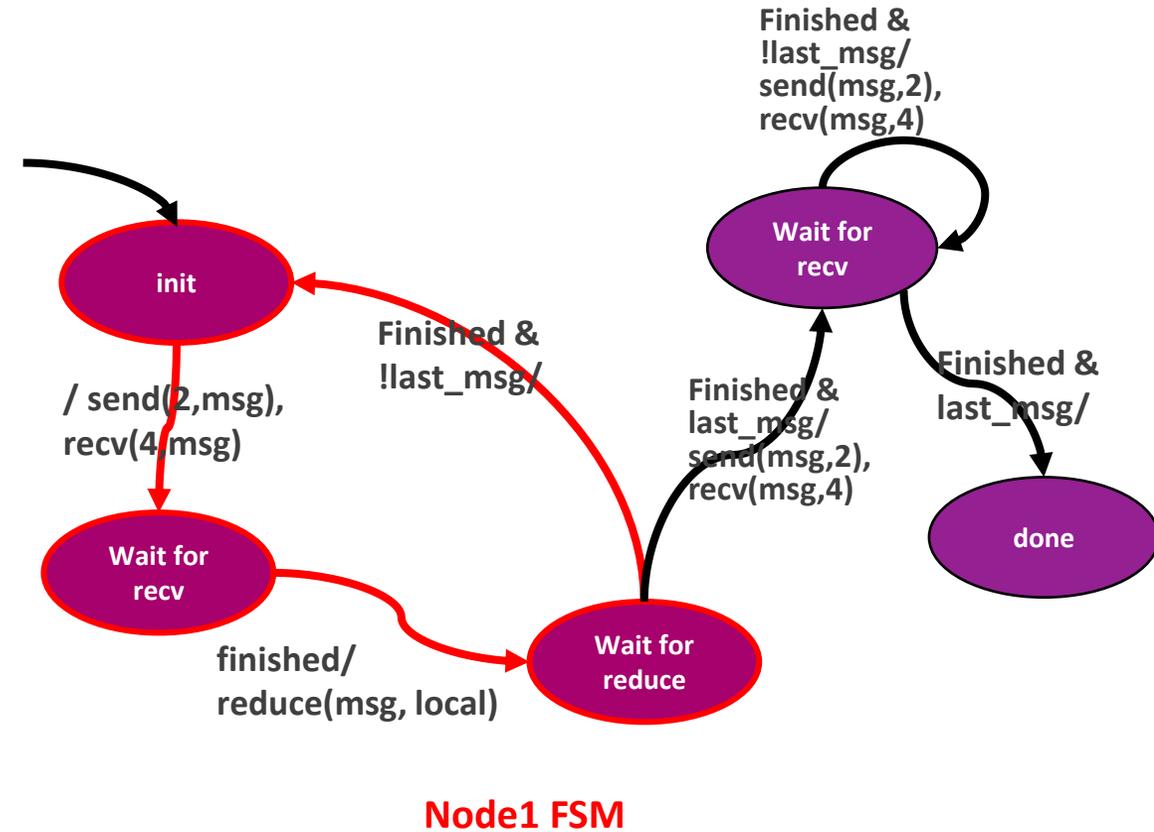
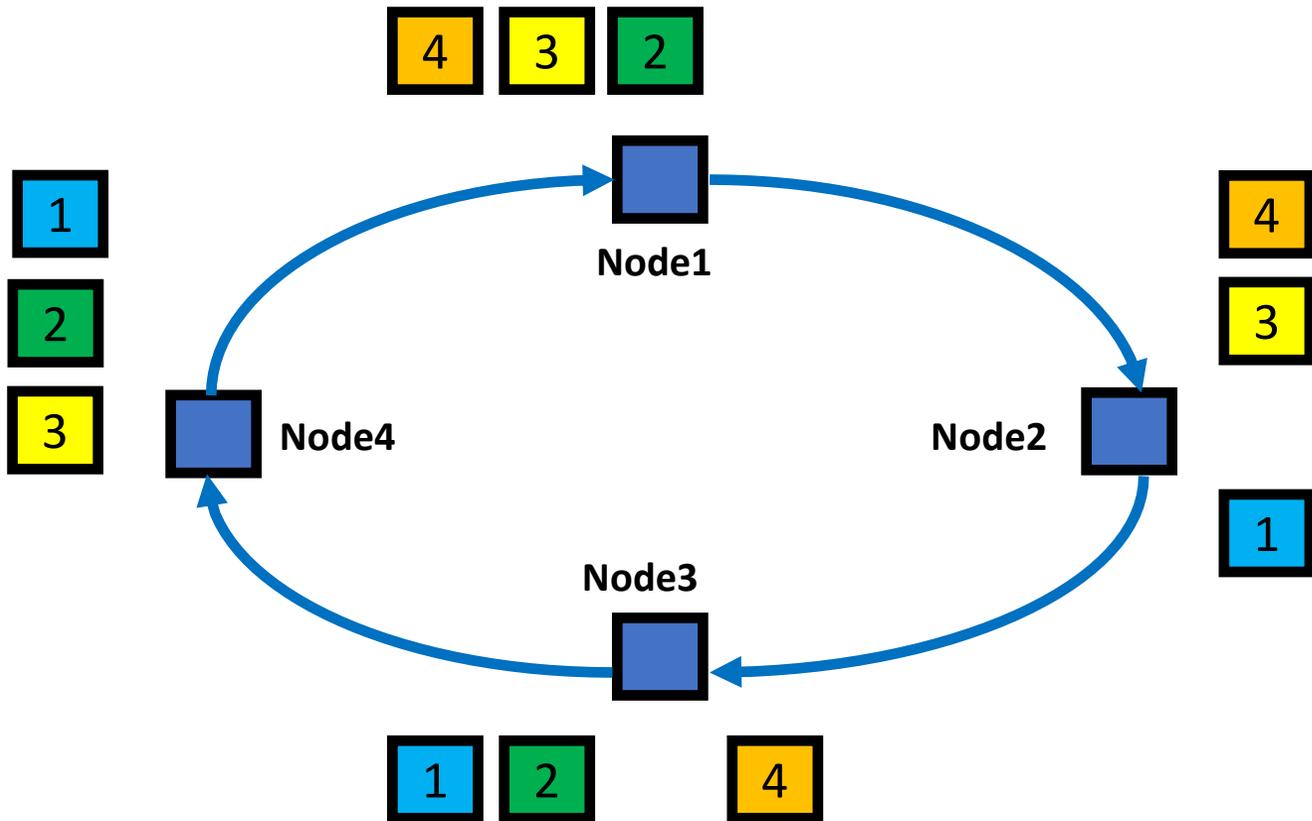
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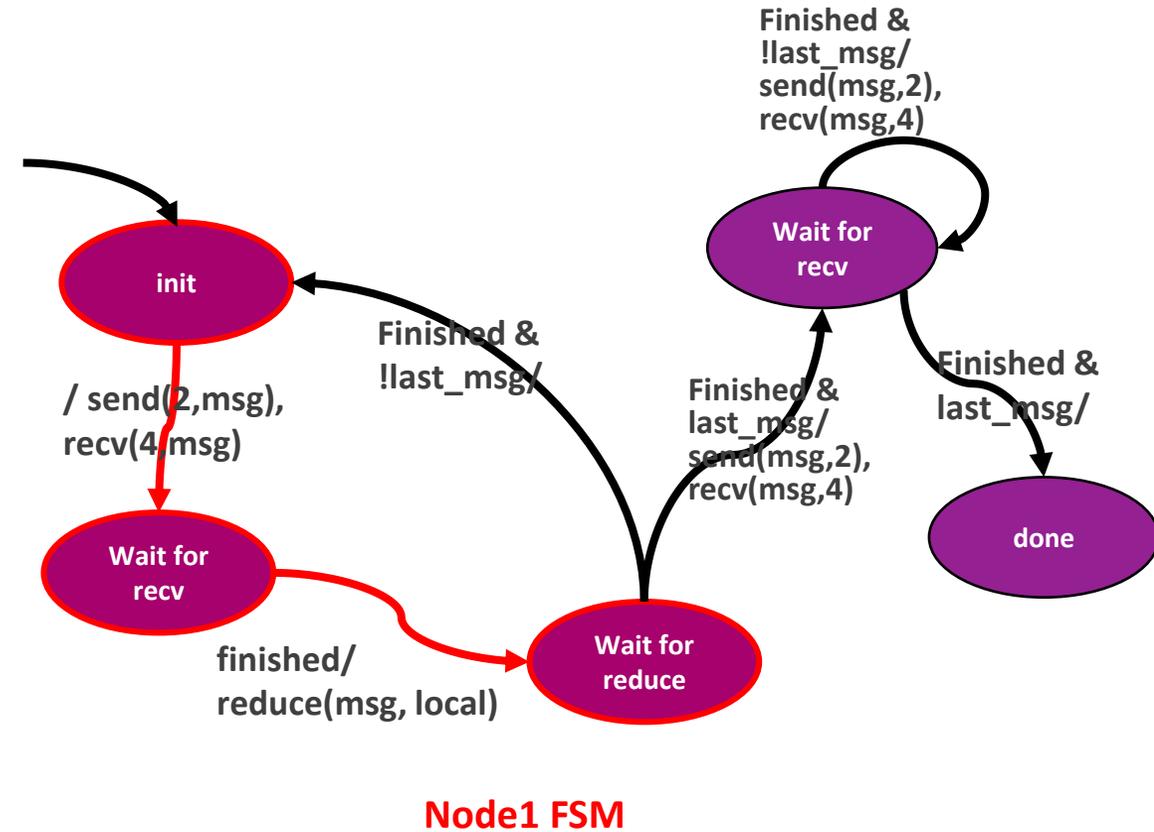
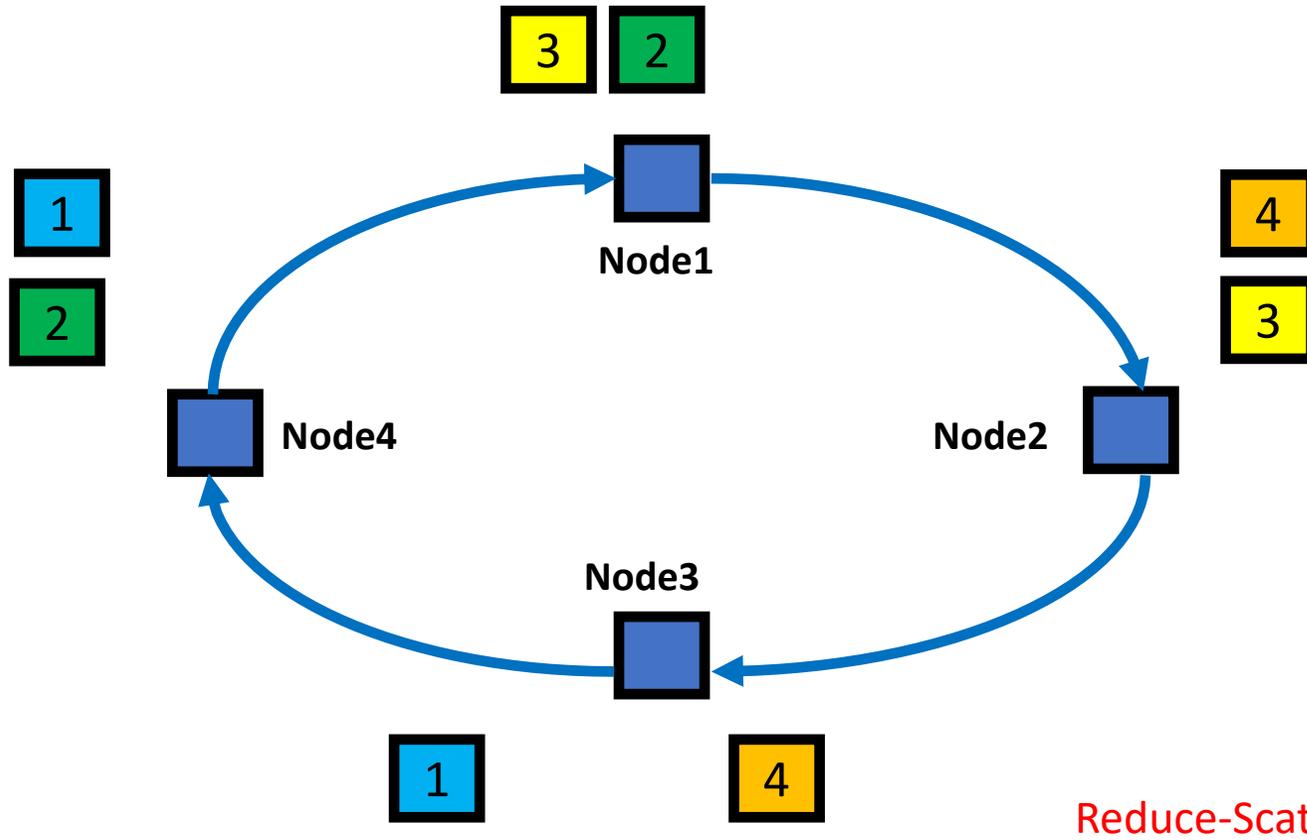
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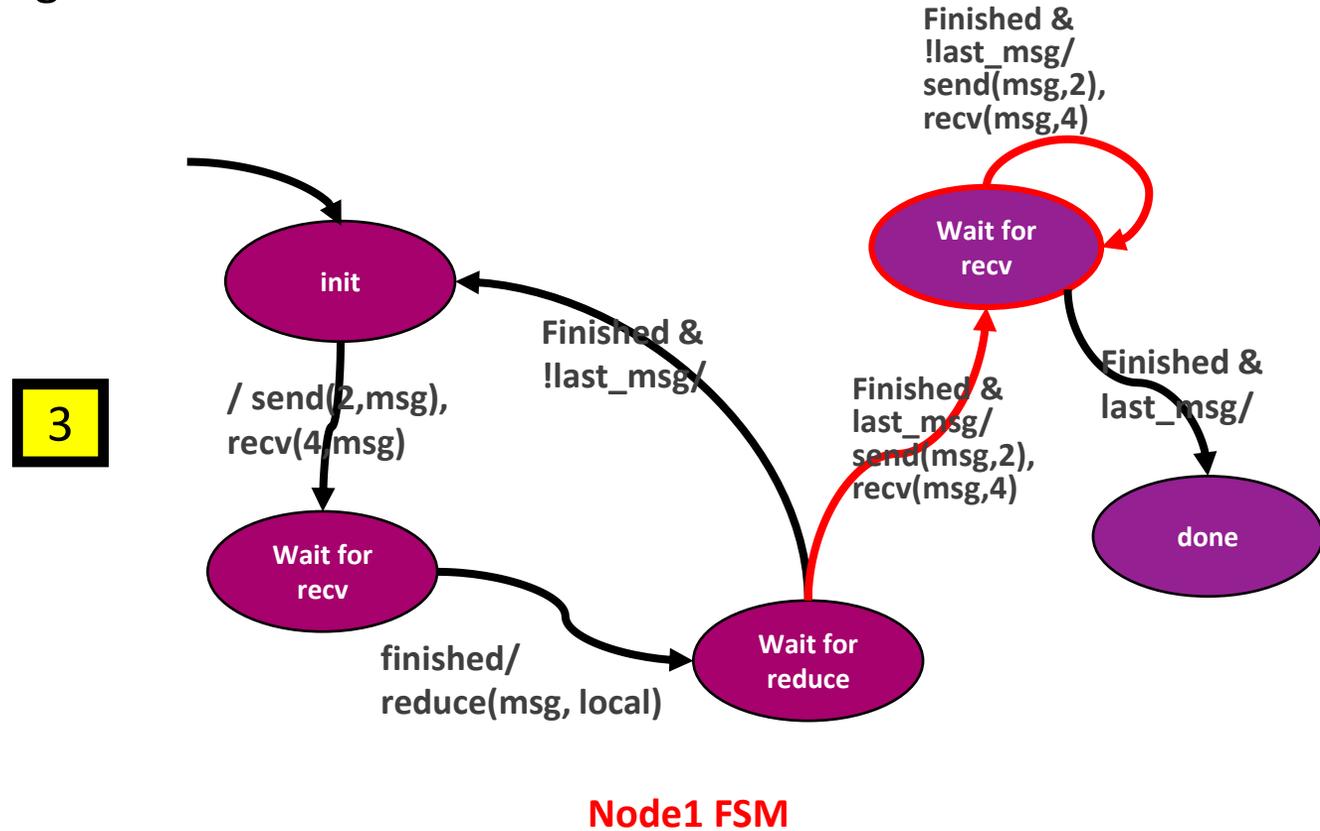
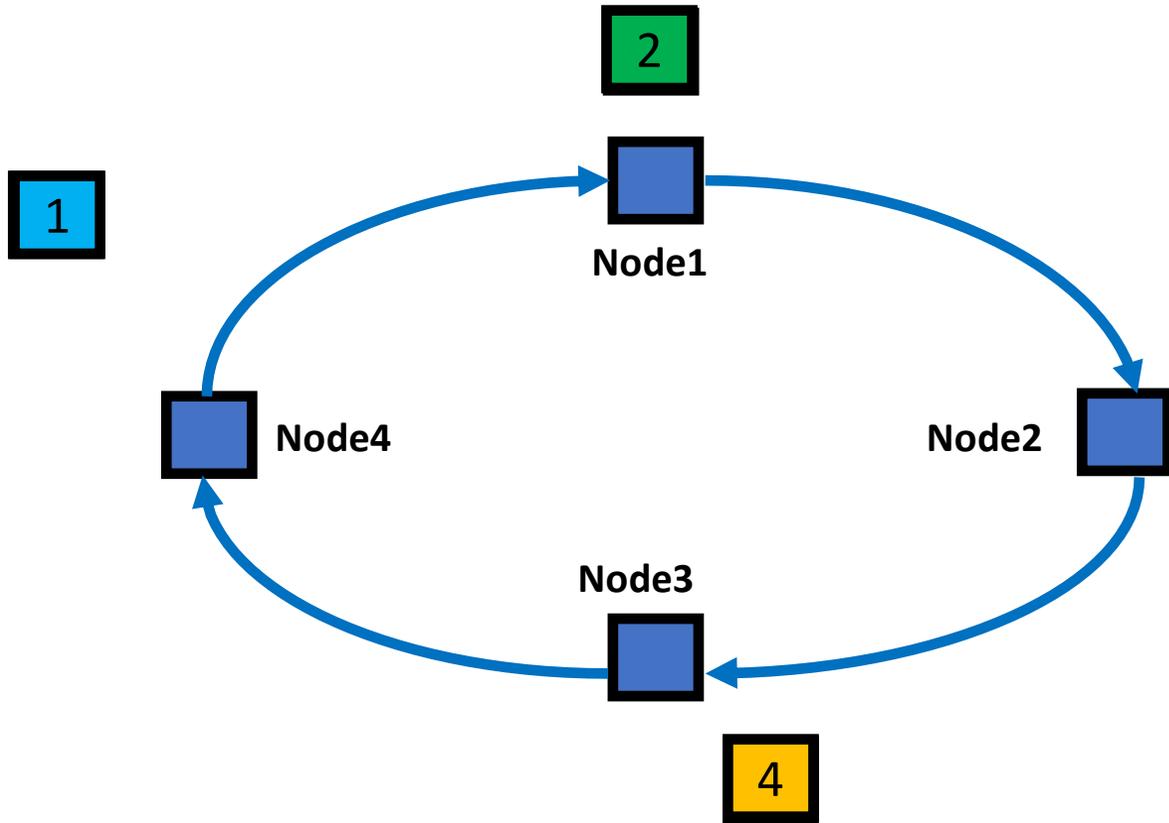
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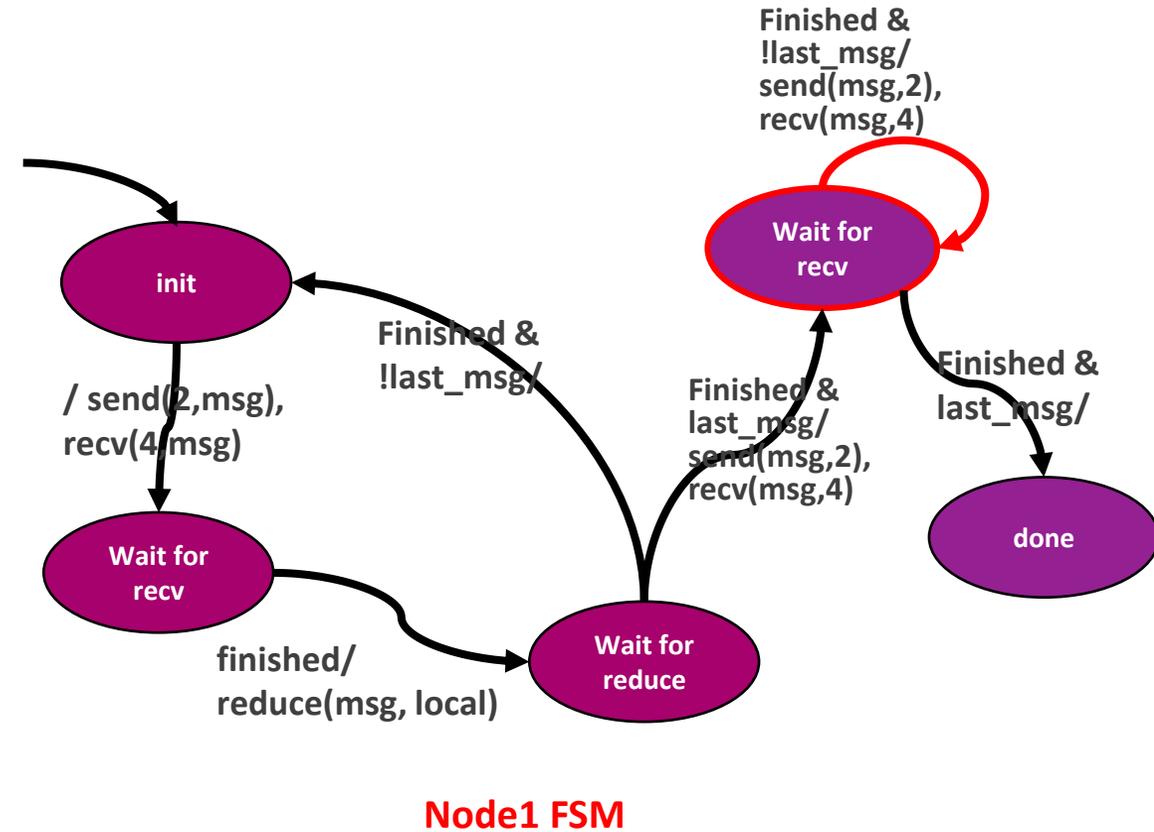
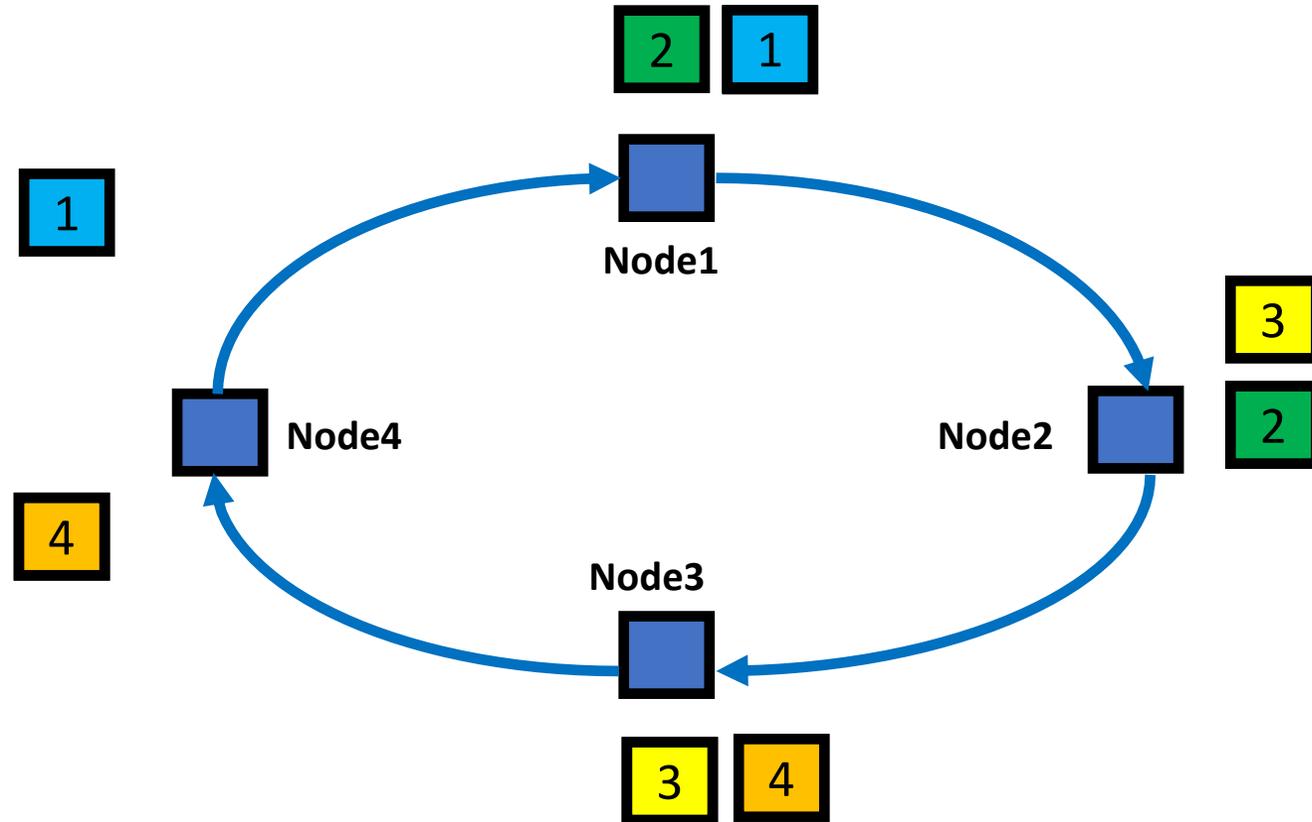
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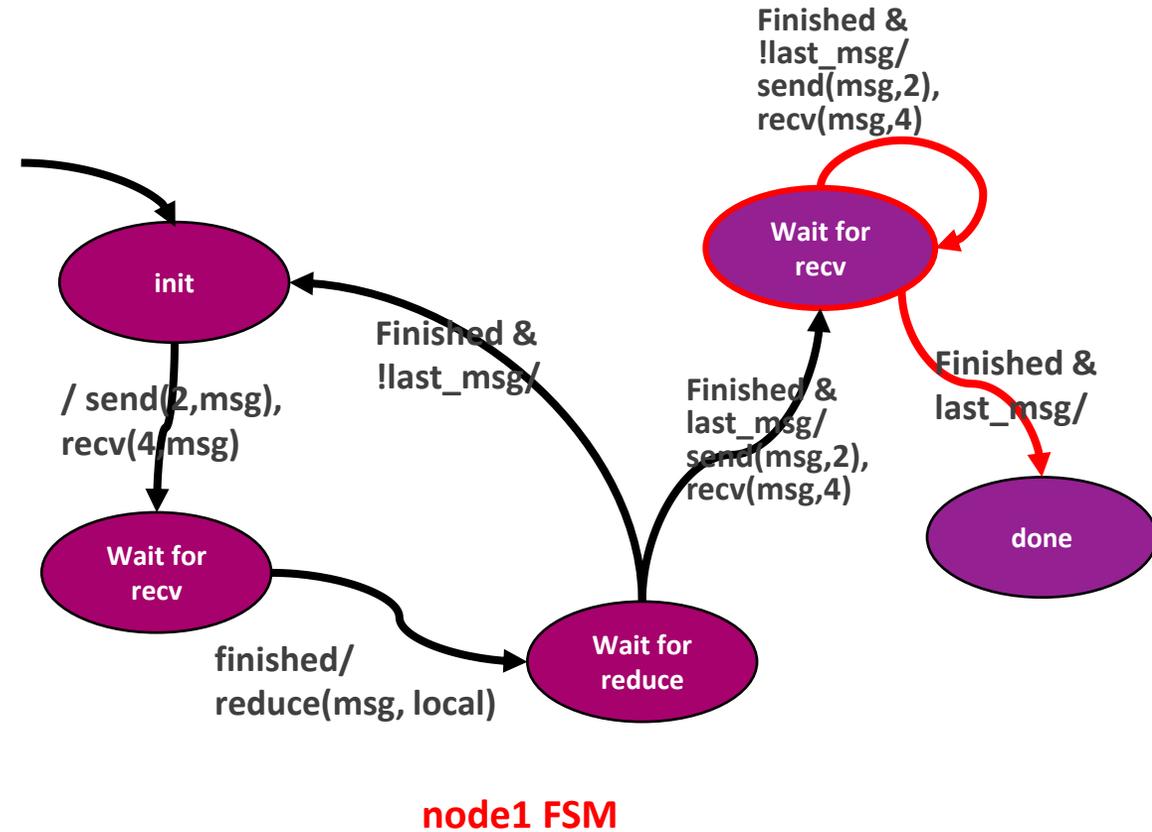
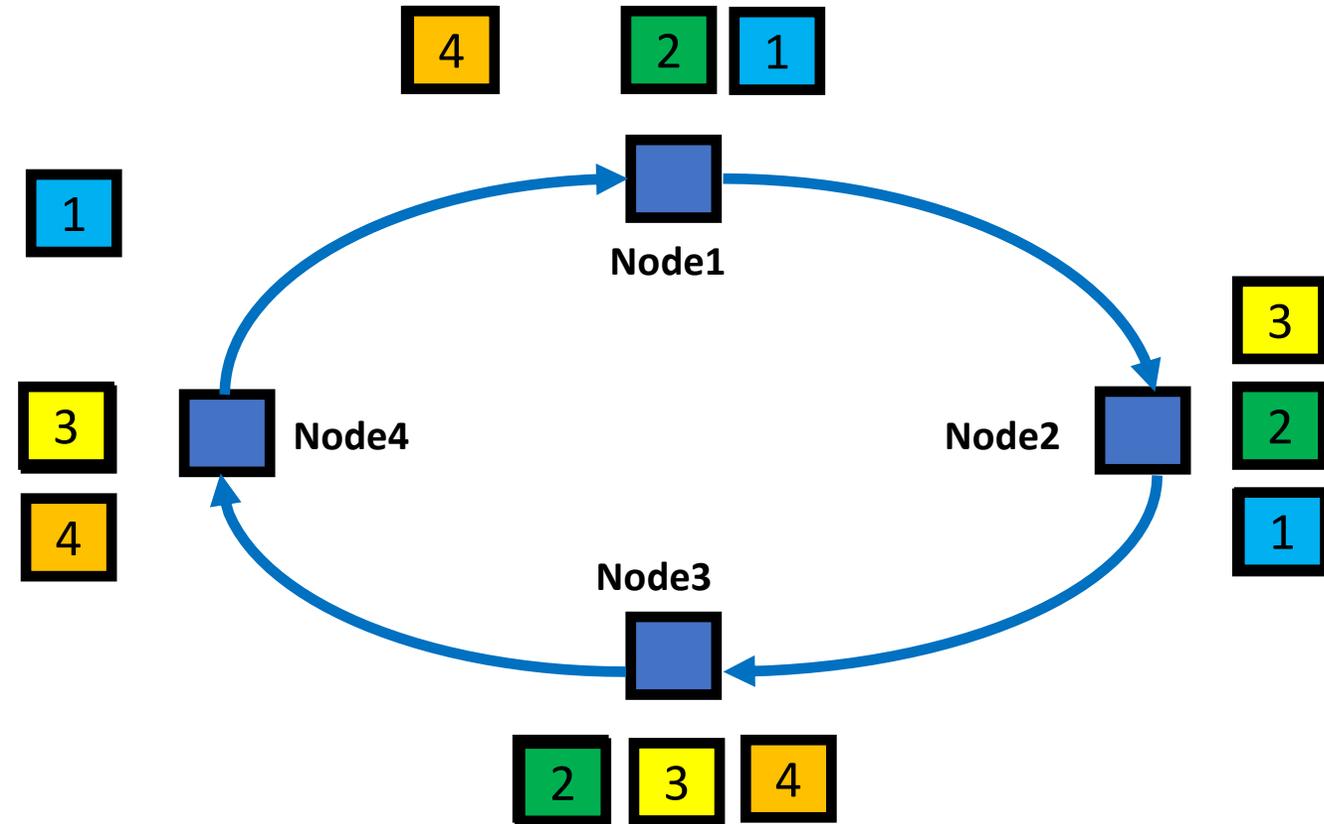
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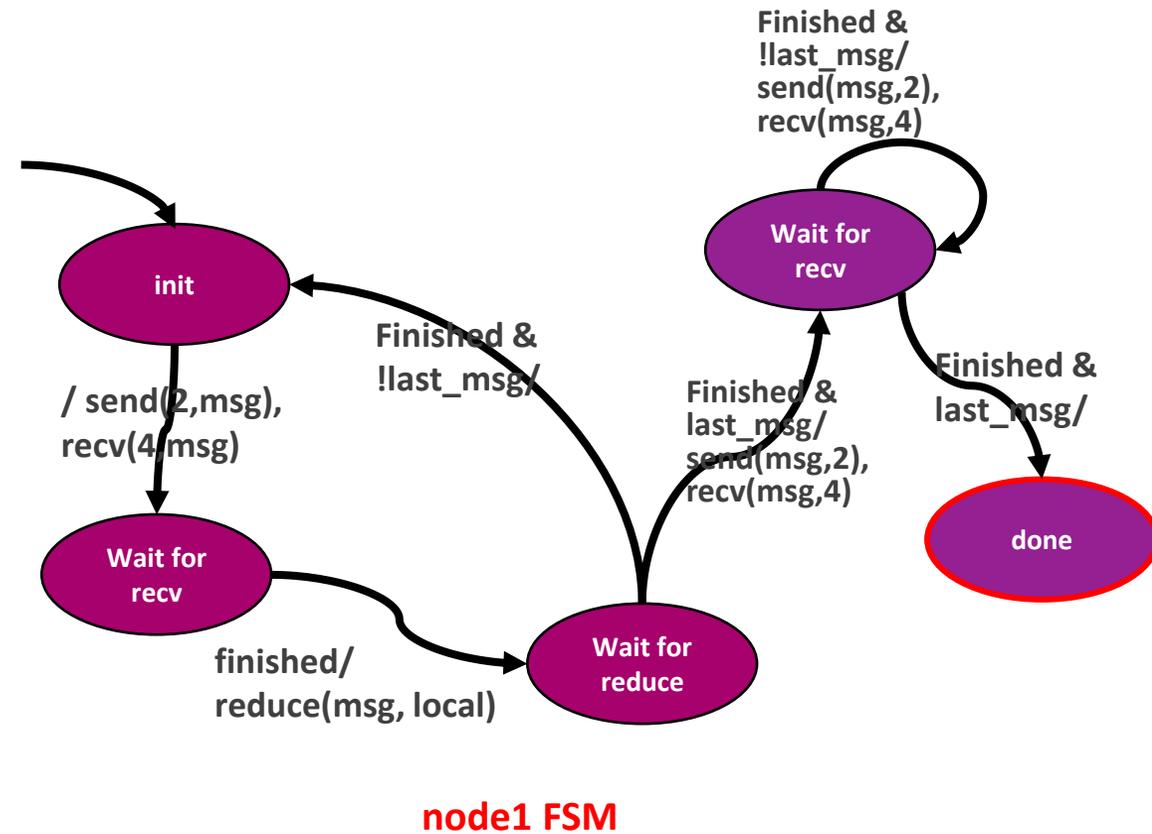
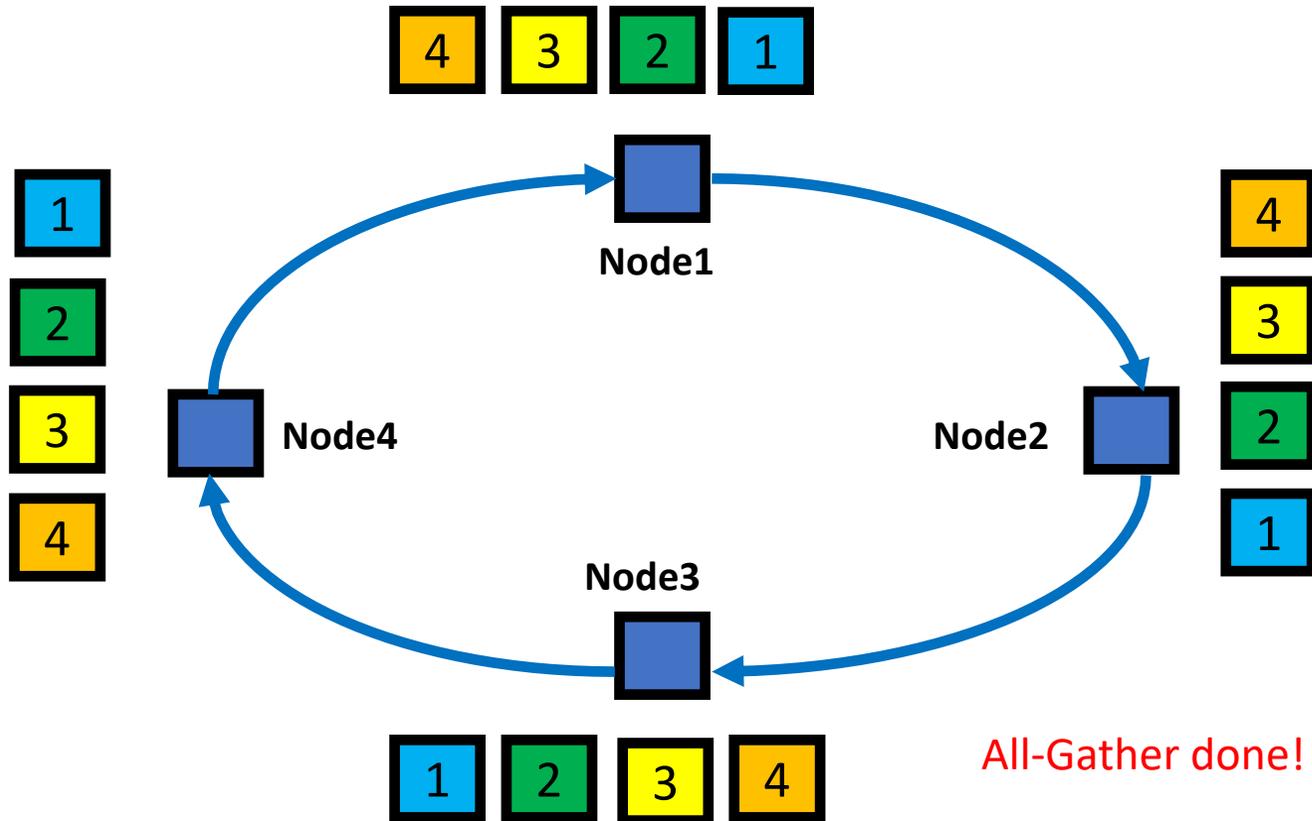
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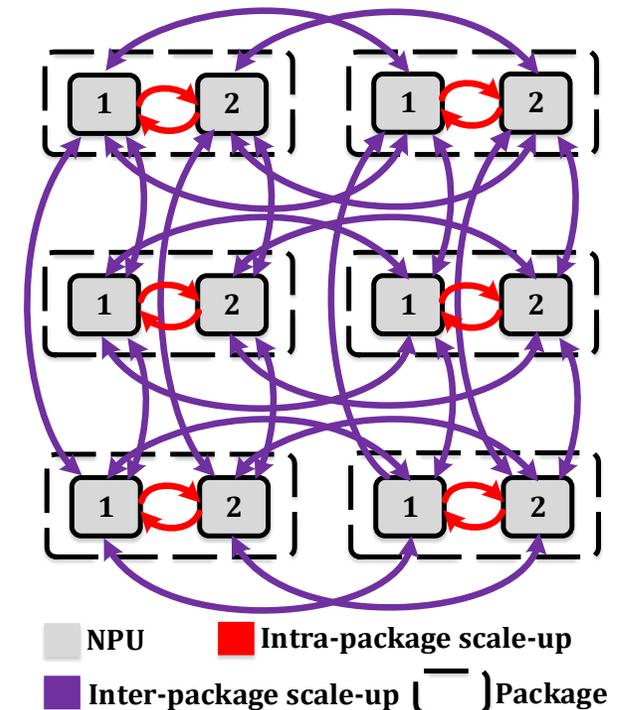
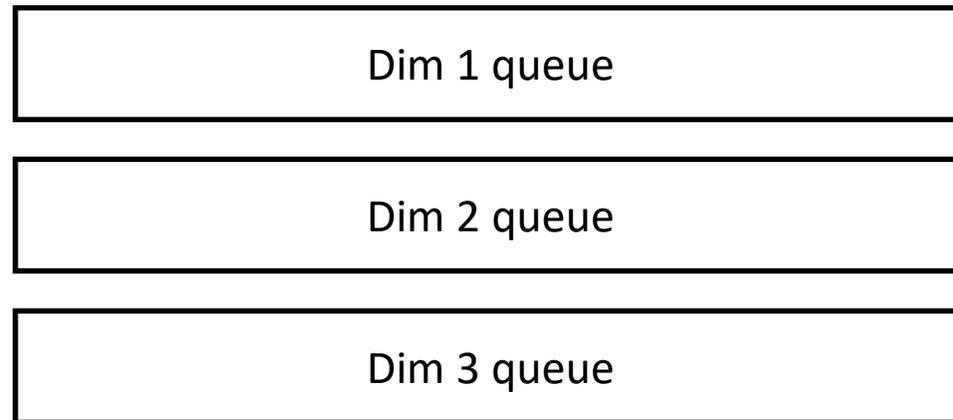
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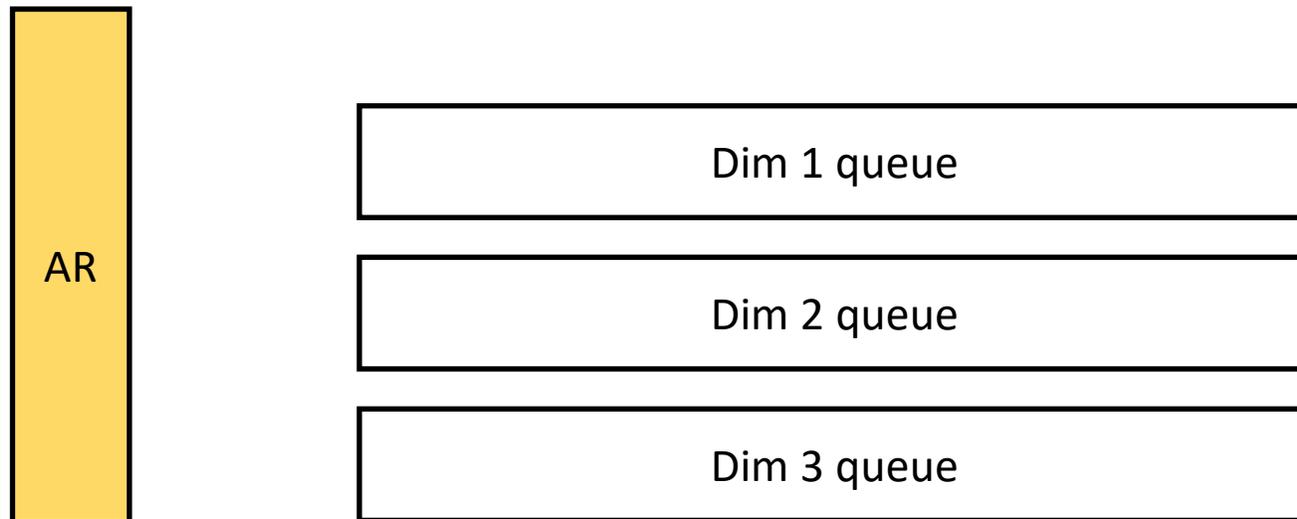
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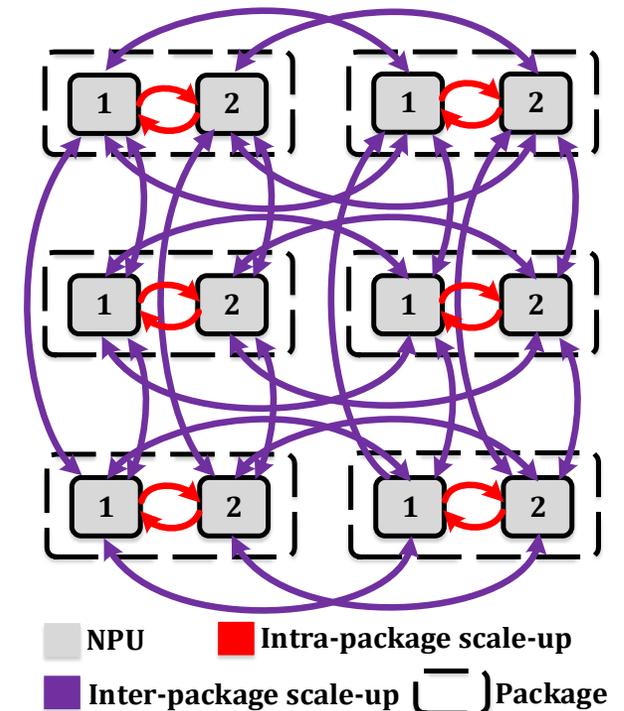


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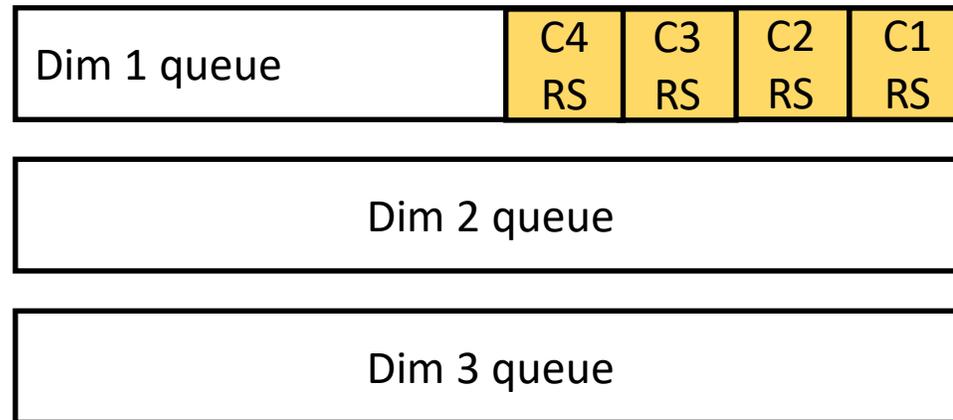


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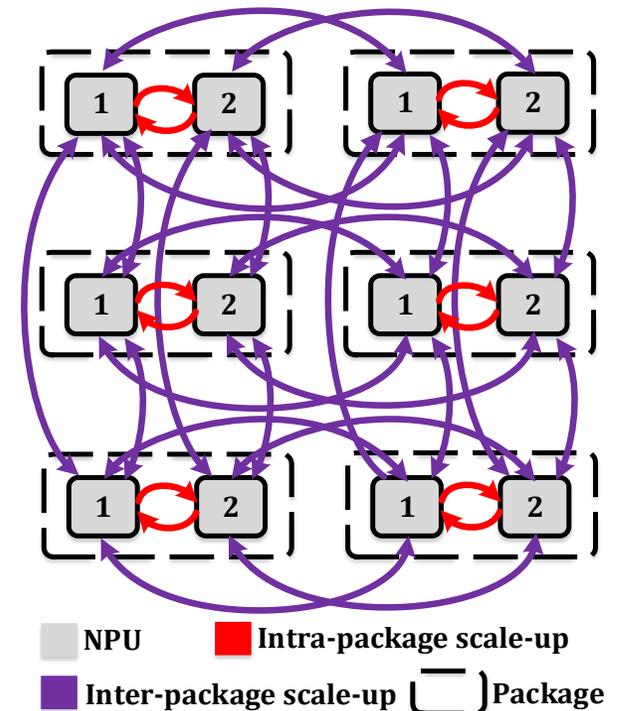


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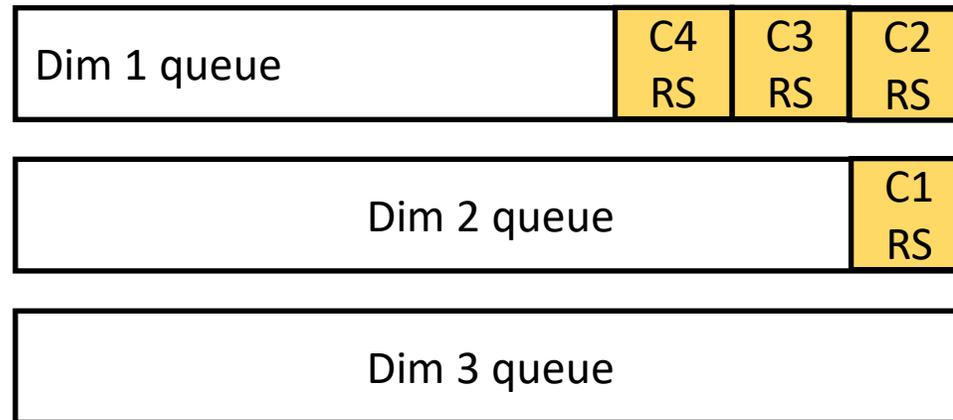


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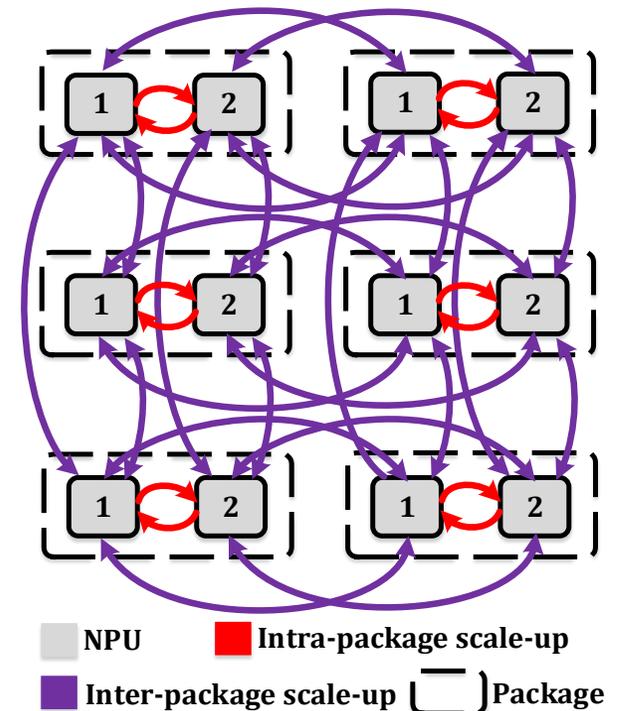


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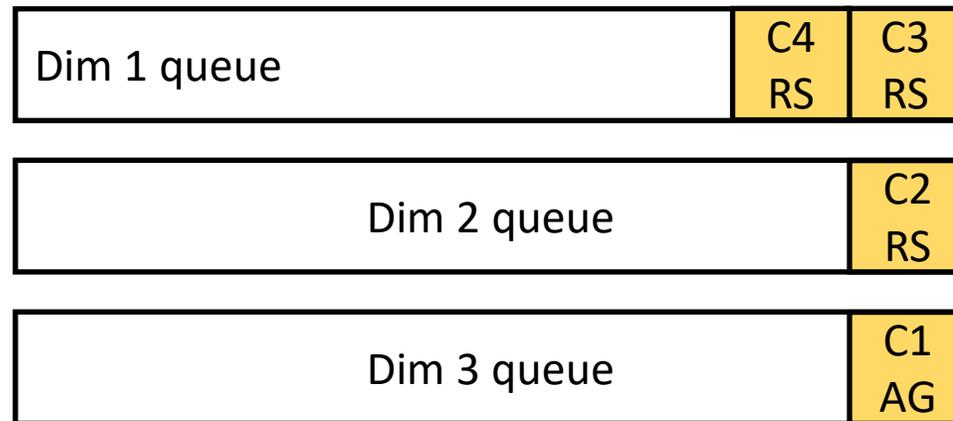


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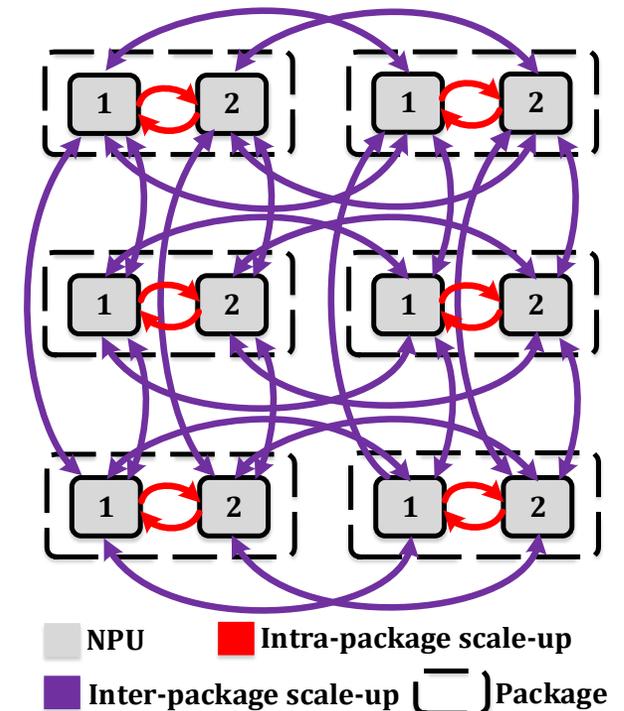


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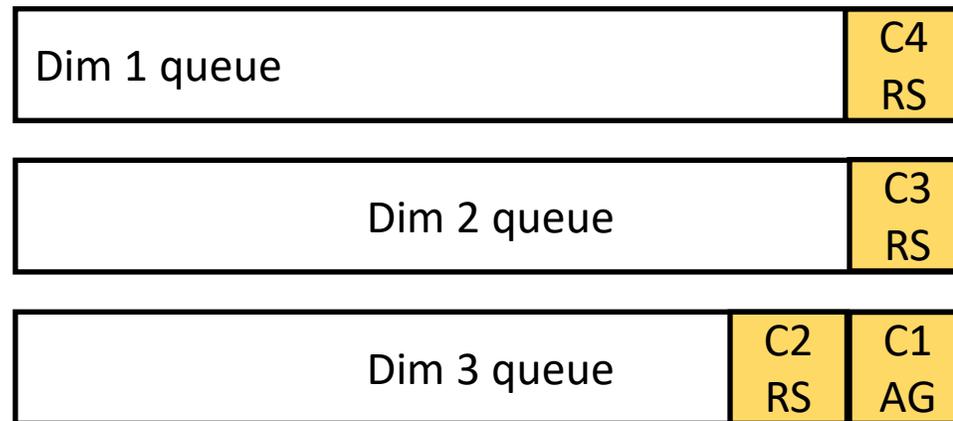


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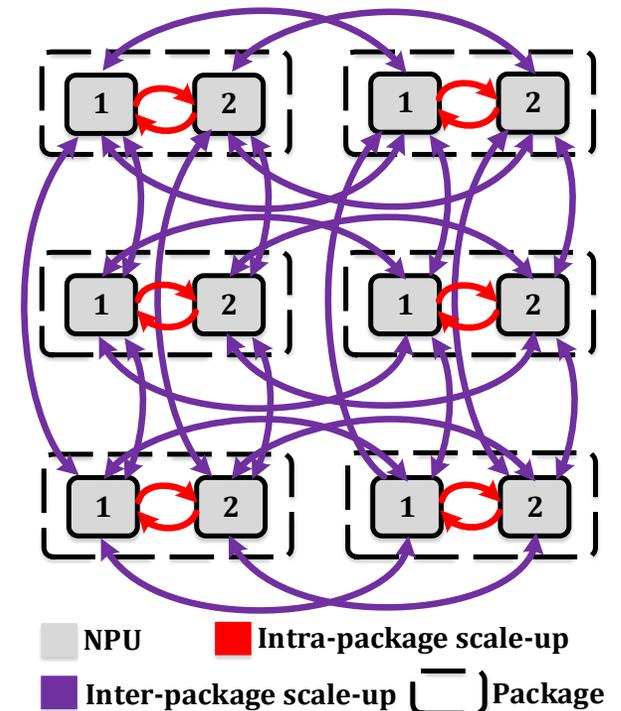


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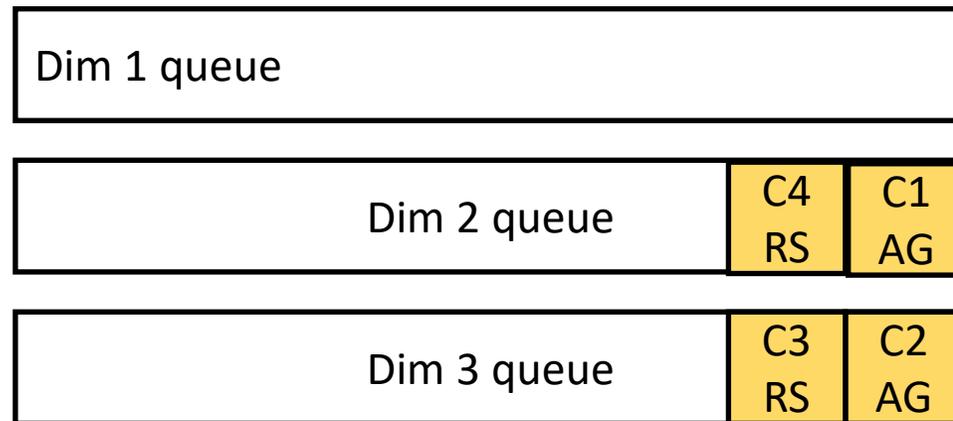


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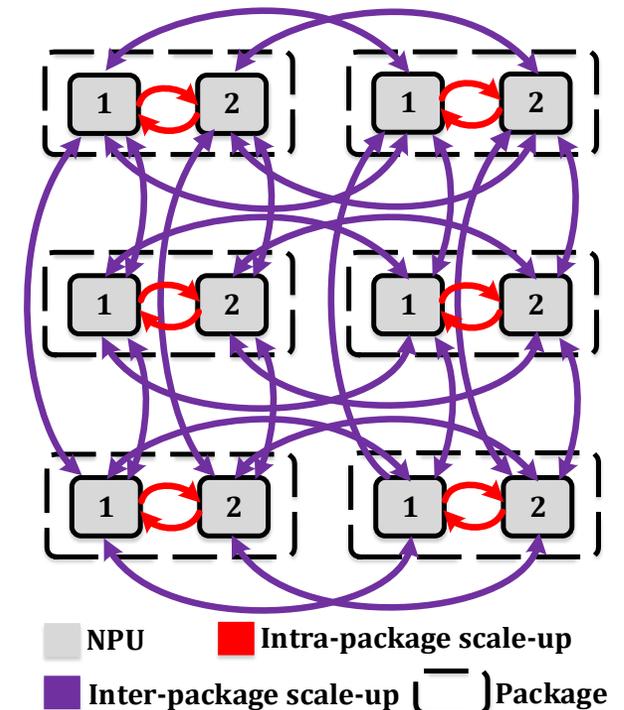


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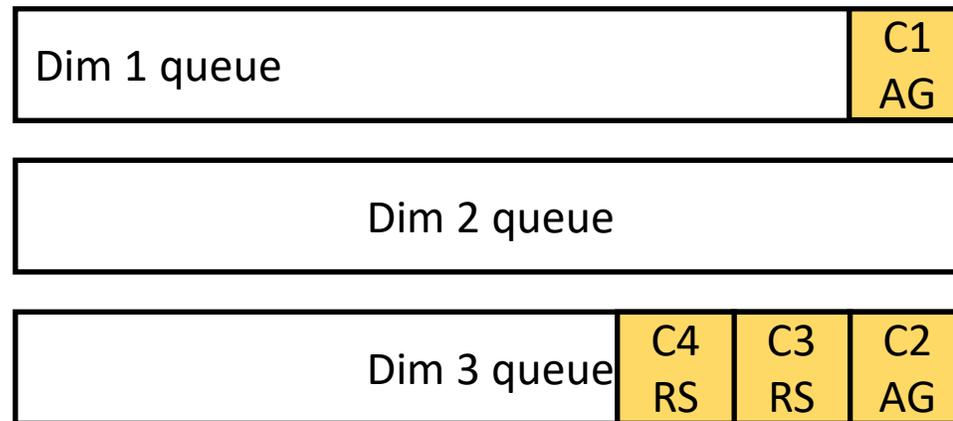


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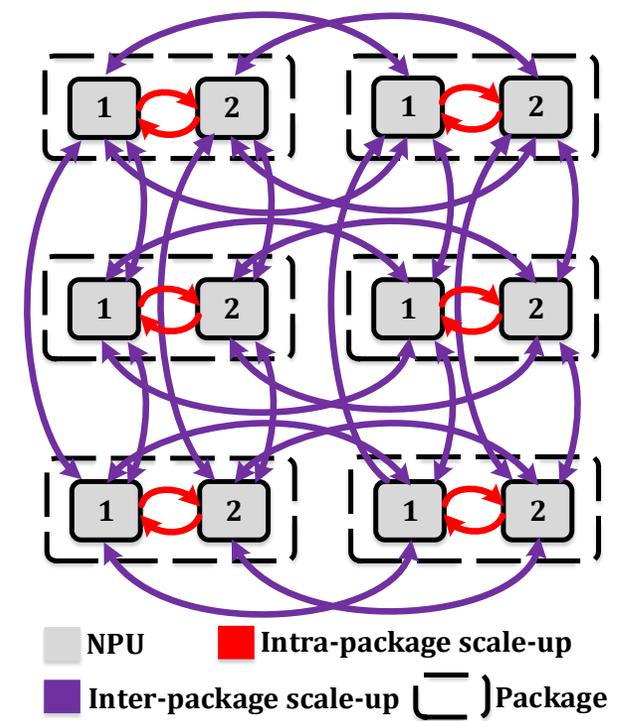


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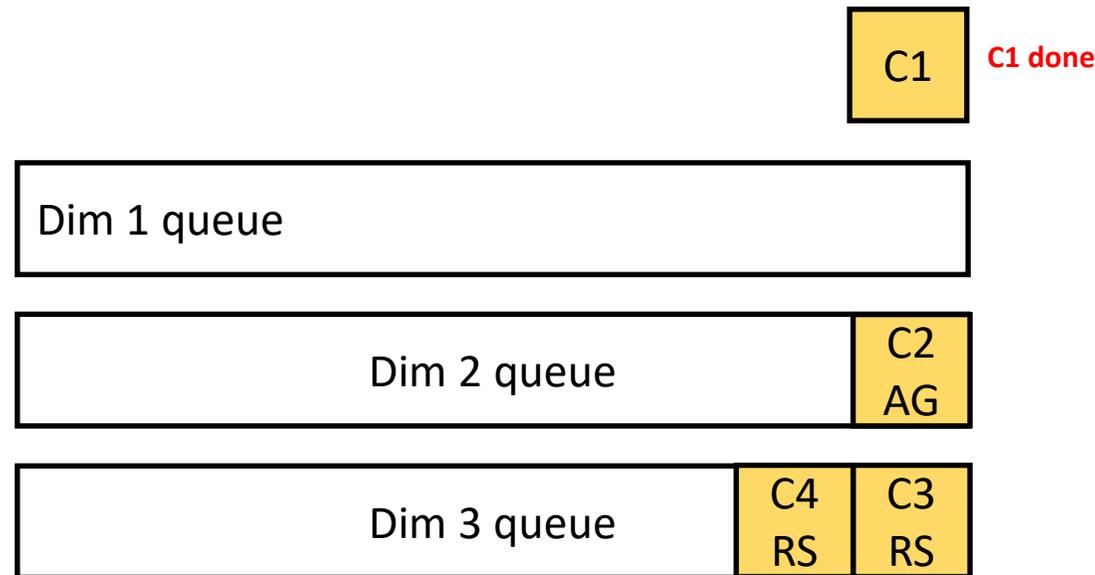


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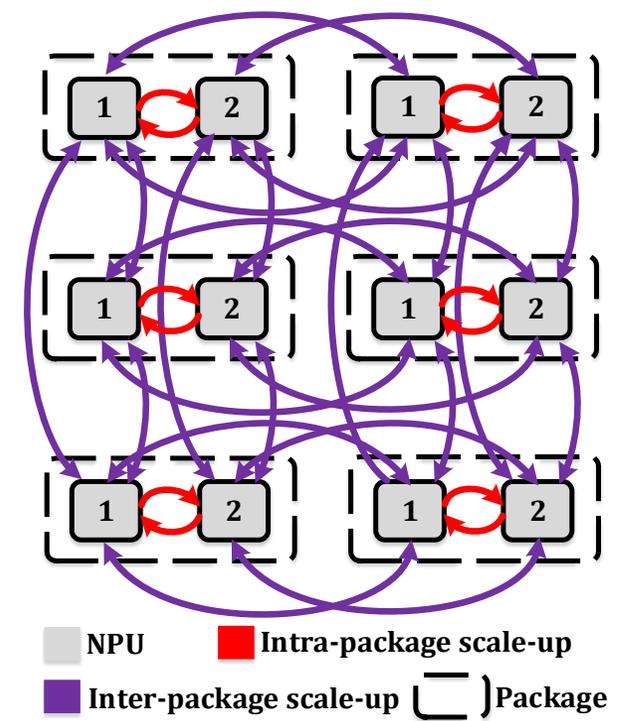


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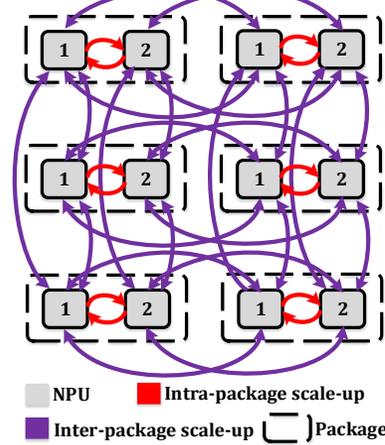
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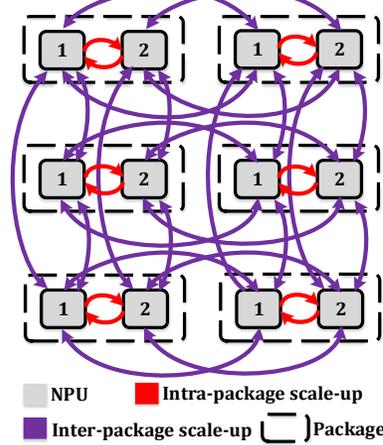
Collective Policy for



System Input

Constant delay before NPU sending a message

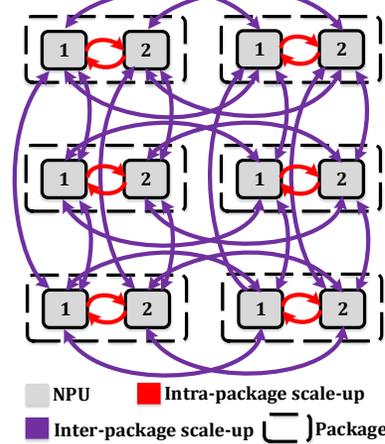
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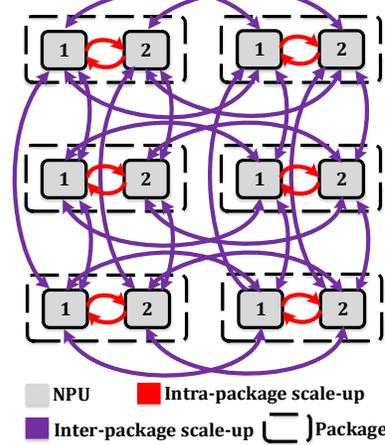
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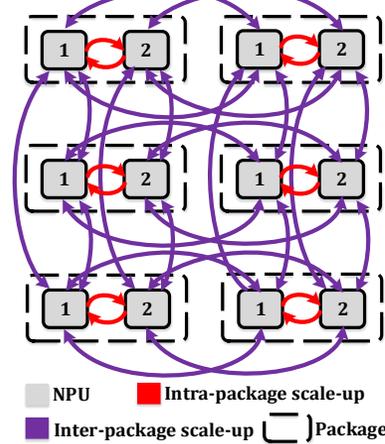
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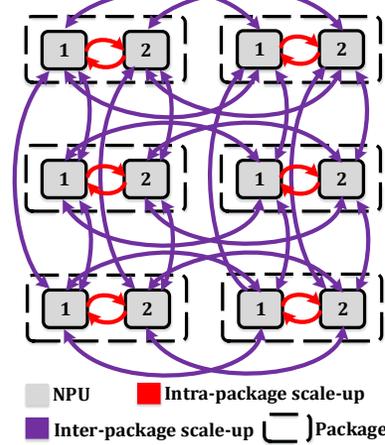
Speed-up the simulation



System Input

Hierarchical collective algorithm implementation

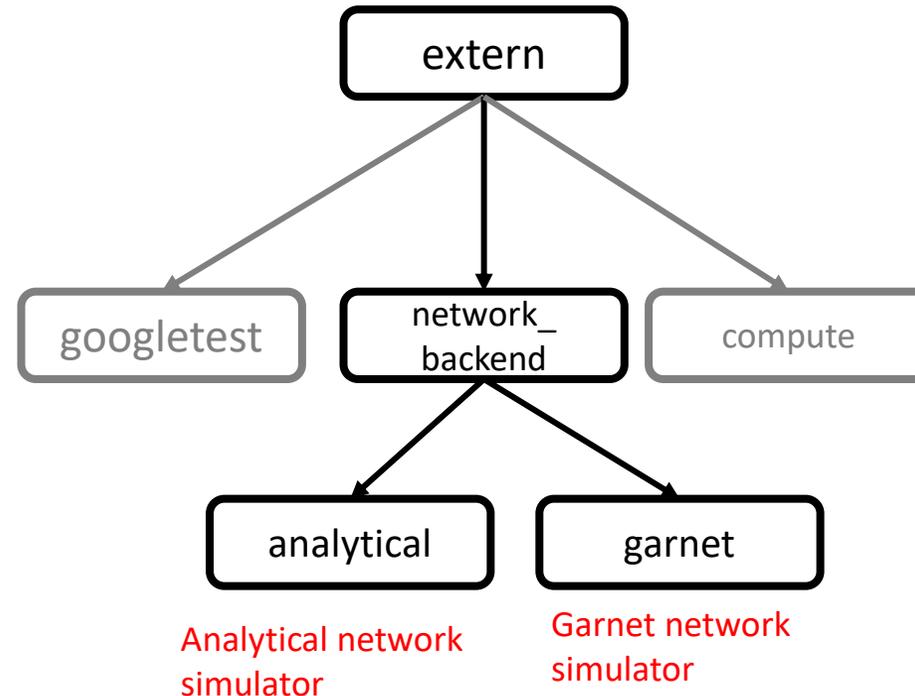
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Network Layer

Network Layer Structure

- Network backends are maintained separately and are imported as **submodule**.



Simulation Control Flow

- The main file is implemented inside network layer.
- Network layer creates corresponding System and NetworkAPI instances.
- Each system layer instance **internally** creates its workload layer instance.

Where do instantiations happen?

Analytical backend: analytical/src/main.cc

Garnet backend: garnet/gem5_astra/src/mem/ruby/network/garnet2.0/NetworkInterface.cc

Network Layer

```
void main(){  
    .....  
    Instantiate NetworkAPI[];  
    Instantiate System[];  
    .....  
    for(auto &s:system){  
        s->workload.fire();  
    }  
    process_all_events();  
    return;  
}
```

Garnet vs. Analytical

- Regular topologies + topology-aware collectives make traffic patterns to be congestionless (in most cases), enabling analytical backend to calculate latencies fast and accurately.

Analytical	Garnet
Supports hierarchical topologies	Supports switch-based and torus-based topologies
Each level in hierarchy can be switch, ring, FC	Supports credit-based flow control
Uses simple link latency, BW analytical model to get latency.	Performs packetization, flow control, congestion modeling, etc.
Fast	Slow for large systems & big models
Accurate when comm patterns are congestionless.	Accurate in all scenarios.

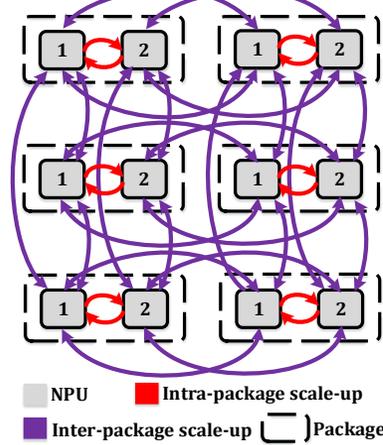
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Garnet network input

```
sample_torus.txt
1 num-npus: 12
2 num-packages: 6
3 package-rows: 3
4 topology: Torus3D
5 local-rings: 2
6 vertical-rings: 1
7 horizontal-rings: 1
8 flit-width: 2048
9 local-packet-size: 4096
10 package-packet-size: 4096
11 tile-link-width: 256
12 package-link-width: 256
13 vcs-per-vnet: 50
14 routing-algorithm: Ring_XY
15 router-latency: 1
16 local-link-latency: 90
17 package-link-latency: 200
18 buffers-per-vc: 5000
19 local-link-efficiency: 1.0
20 package-link-efficiency: 1.0
21
```

Analytical network input

```
sample_Torus3D.json
1 {
2   "topology-name": "Hierarchical",
3   "topologies-per-dim": ["Ring", "Ring", "Ring"],
4   "dimension-type": ["N", "N", "N"],
5   "dimensions-count": 3,
6   "units-count": [2, 2, 3],
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8   "link-latency": [10, 100, 100],
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ASTRA-SIM Run Script

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8  NETWORK="${SCRIPT_DIR:?}"/../inputs/network/analytical/sample_Torus3D.json
9  SYSTEM="${SCRIPT_DIR:?}"/../inputs/system/sample_torus_sys.txt
10 WORKLOAD="${SCRIPT_DIR:?}"/../inputs/workload/DLRM_HybridParallel.txt
11 STATS="${SCRIPT_DIR:?}"/results/run_DLRM_analytical
12
13 rm -rf "${STATS}"
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ASTRA-SIM Reports

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13	layer_128_1	sample_Resnet	5.184	12.288	5.184	0	0	0	0	36.03	0	4875.201			
14	layer_128_1	sample_Resnet	7.296	19.968	7.04	0	0	0	0	9.08	0	4875.201			
15	layer_128_1	sample_Resnet	12.96	13.312	11.68	0	0	0	0	28.13	0	4875.201			
16	layer_128_1	sample_Resnet	4.672	10.24	5.184	0	0	0	0	13.272	0	4875.201			
17	layer_128_2	sample_Resnet	5.184	8.192	4.672	0	0	0	0	30.868	0	4875.201			
18	layer_128_2	sample_Resnet	12.96	13.312	11.68	0	0	0	0	33.952	0	4875.201			
19	layer_128_2	sample_Resnet	4.672	10.24	5.184	0	0	0	0	101.056	0	4875.201			

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Raw communication times (us)

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O				
1			fwd compute	wg compute	ig compute	fwd exposed	wg exposed	ig exposed	cc	fwd total	con	wg total	com	ig total	comn	workload fini	total comp	total exposed	comm
2	conv1	sample_Resnet	26.006	64.582	0	0	17.364	0	0	0	0	17.366	0	4875.201	2164.9	2710.301			
3	layer_64_1_c	sample_Resnet	6.912	14.976	7.296	0	0	0	0	0	4.796	0	4875.201						
4	layer_64_1_c	sample_Resnet	6.912	14.976	6.912	0	0	0	0	0	27.08	0	4875.201						
5	layer_64_1_c	sample_Resnet	21.888	28.288	20.736	0	0	0	0	0	47.906	0	4875.201						
6	layer_64_1_c	sample_Resnet	6.912	14.976	7.296	0	0	0	0	0	13.648	0	4875.201						
7	layer_64_2_c	sample_Resnet	7.296	19.968	6.912	0	0	0	0	0	10.166	0	4875.201						
8	layer_64_2_c	sample_Resnet	21.888	28.288	20.736	0	0	0	0	0	20.102	0	4875.201						
9	layer_64_2_c	sample_Resnet	6.912	14.976	7.296	0	0	0	0	0	22.048	0	4875.201						
10	layer_64_3_c	sample_Resnet	7.296	19.968	6.912	0	0	0	0	0	30.082	0	4875.201						
11	layer_64_3_c	sample_Resnet	21.888	28.288	20.736	0	0	0	0	0	11.334	0	4875.201						
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17	layer_128_2	sample_Resnet	5.184	8.192	4.672	0	0	0	0	0	30.868	0	4875.201						
18	layer_128_2	sample_Resnet	12.96	13.312	11.68	0	0	0	0	0	33.952	0	4875.201						
19	layer_128_2	sample_Resnet	4.672	10.24	5.184	0	0	0	0	0	101.056	0	4875.201						

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Exposed communication times (us)

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
1			fwd compute	wg compute	ig compute	fwd exposed	wg exposed	ig exposed	cc	fwd total con	wg total com	ig total comn	workload fini	total comp	total exposed comm
2	conv1	sample_Resnet	26.006	64.582	0	0	17.364	0	0	0	17.366	0	4875.201	2164.9	2710.301
3	layer_64_1_c	sample_Resnet	6.912	14.976	7.296	0	0	0	0	0	4.796	0	4875.201		
4	layer_64_1_c	sample_Resnet	6.912	14.976	6.912	0	0	0	0	0	27.08	0	4875.201		
5	layer_64_1_c	sample_Resnet	21.888	28.288	20.736	0	0	0	0	0	47.906	0	4875.201		
6	layer_64_1_c	sample_Resnet	6.912	14.976	7.296	0	0	0	0	0	13.648	0	4875.201		
7	layer_64_2_c	sample_Resnet	7.296	19.968	6.912	0	0	0	0	0	10.166	0	4875.201		
8	layer_64_2_c	sample_Resnet	21.888	28.288	20.736	0	0	0	0	0	20.102	0	4875.201		
9	layer_64_2_c	sample_Resnet	6.912	14.976	7.296	0	0	0	0	0	22.048	0	4875.201		
10	layer_64_3_c	sample_Resnet	7.296	19.968	6.912	0	0	0	0	0	30.082	0	4875.201		
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17	layer_128_2	sample_Resnet	5.184	8.192	4.672	0	0	0	0	0	30.868	0	4875.201		
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19	layer_128_2	sample_Resnet	4.672	10.24	5.184	0	0	0	0	0	101.056	0	4875.201		

Overall Results

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Total compute & exposed communication times across all layers (us)

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
1			fwd compute	wg compute	ig compute	fwd exposed	wg exposed	ig exposed	cc	fwd total com	wg total com	ig total com	workload fini	total comp	total exposed comm
2	conv1	sample_Resnet	26.006	64.582	0	0	17.364	0	0	17.366	0	4875.201	2164.9	2710.301	
3	layer_64_1_c	sample_Resnet	6.912	14.976	7.296	0	0	0	0	4.796	0	4875.201			
4	layer_64_1_c	sample_Resnet	6.912	14.976	6.912	0	0	0	0	27.08	0	4875.201			
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7	layer_64_2_c	sample_Resnet	7.296	19.968	6.912	0	0	0	0	10.166	0	4875.201			
8	layer_64_2_c	sample_Resnet	21.888	28.288	20.736	0	0	0	0	20.102	0	4875.201			
9	layer_64_2_c	sample_Resnet	6.912	14.976	7.296	0	0	0	0	22.048	0	4875.201			
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11	layer_64_3_c	sample_Resnet	21.888	28.288	20.736	0	0	0	0	11.334	0	4875.201			
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Overall Results

- Detailed.csv.

Average chunk queueing delay per each collective phase (us)

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
1			queuing delay phase 1	queuing delay phase 2	queuing delay phase 3	queuing delay phase 4	queuing delay phase 5	network delay phase 1	network delay phase 2	network delay phase 3	network delay phase 4	network delay phase 5	
2	conv1	sample_Resnet	0	1.8795	0.5455	0	0.137	2.3575	0.035	0.018	0.005	0.018	0.035
3	layer_64_1	sample_Resnet	0	0.453	0.03925	0	0.02725	0.2425	0.06	0.03	0.008	0.03	0.06
4	layer_64_1	sample_Resnet	0	2.9225	2.3655	0	0.065	7.1915	0.015	0.008	0.002	0.008	0.015
5	layer_64_1	sample_Resnet	0	6.8005	2.5125	1.2645	3.2625	6.7425	0.135	0.068	0.017	0.068	0.135
6	layer_64_1	sample_Resnet	0	2.013	0.412	0	0.227	2.536	0.06	0.03	0.008	0.03	0.06
7	layer_64_2	sample_Resnet	0	2.889	0.03925	0	0.02725	0.2425	0.06	0.03	0.008	0.03	0.06
8	layer_64_2	sample_Resnet	0	5.9785	0.08275	0	0.07075	0.5485	0.135	0.068	0.017	0.068	0.135
9	layer_64_2	sample_Resnet	0	1.901	2.947	0	0.227	4.313	0.06	0.03	0.008	0.03	0.06
10	layer_64_3	sample_Resnet	0	5.669	1.306	0	0.227	5.954	0.06	0.03	0.008	0.03	0.06
11	layer_64_3	sample_Resnet	0	1.5945	0.08275	0	0.07075	0.5485	0.135	0.068	0.017	0.068	0.135
12	layer_64_3	sample_Resnet	0	0.383	0.409	0	0.227	1.108	0.06	0.03	0.008	0.03	0.06
13	layer_128_1	sample_Resnet	0	6.6015	0.4635	0	0.262	3.0585	0.477	0.239	0.06	0.239	0.477
14	layer_128_1	sample_Resnet	0	1.176	0.07225	0	0.06325	0.4915	0.12	0.06	0.015	0.06	0.12
15	layer_128_1	sample_Resnet	0	2.9015	0.31	0	0.2935	2.2045	0.537	0.269	0.068	0.269	0.537
16	layer_128_1	sample_Resnet	0	1.4375	0.14125	0	0.12925	0.9775	0.239	0.12	0.03	0.12	0.239
17	layer_128_2	sample_Resnet	0	1.3395	2.3275	0	0.905	4.1295	0.239	0.12	0.03	0.12	0.239
18	layer_128_2	sample_Resnet	0	2.9285	0.37	0	0.487	3.393	0.537	0.269	0.068	0.269	0.537
19	layer_128_2	sample_Resnet	0	6.5115	0.8545	0.8115	8.02825	20.68175	0.239	0.12	0.03	0.12	0.239
20	layer_128_3	sample_Resnet	0	4.6365	0.42475	0.01275	0.549	16.7855	0.239	0.12	0.03	0.12	0.239
21	layer_128_3	sample_Resnet	0	2.889	0.03925	0	0.02725	0.2425	0.06	0.03	0.008	0.03	0.06

Overall Results

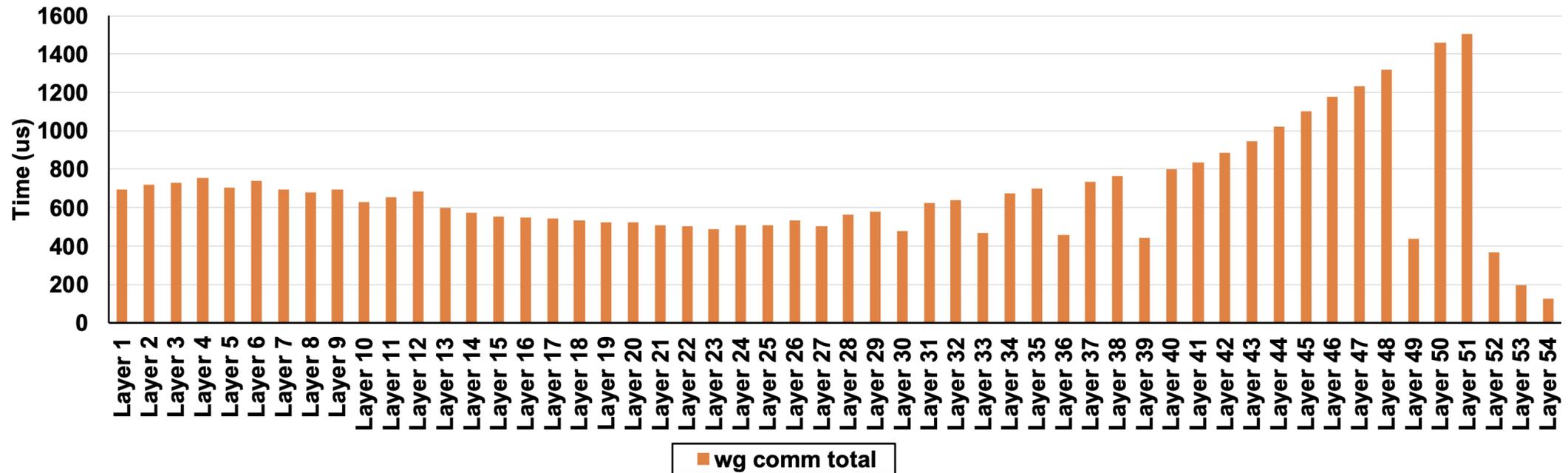
- Detailed.csv.

Average message latency per each collective phase (us)

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
1			queuing d	queuing delay phase 1	queuing delay phase 2	queuing delay phase 3	queuing delay phase 4	queuing delay phase 5	network delay phase 1	network delay phase 2	network delay phase 3	network delay phase 4	network delay phase 5
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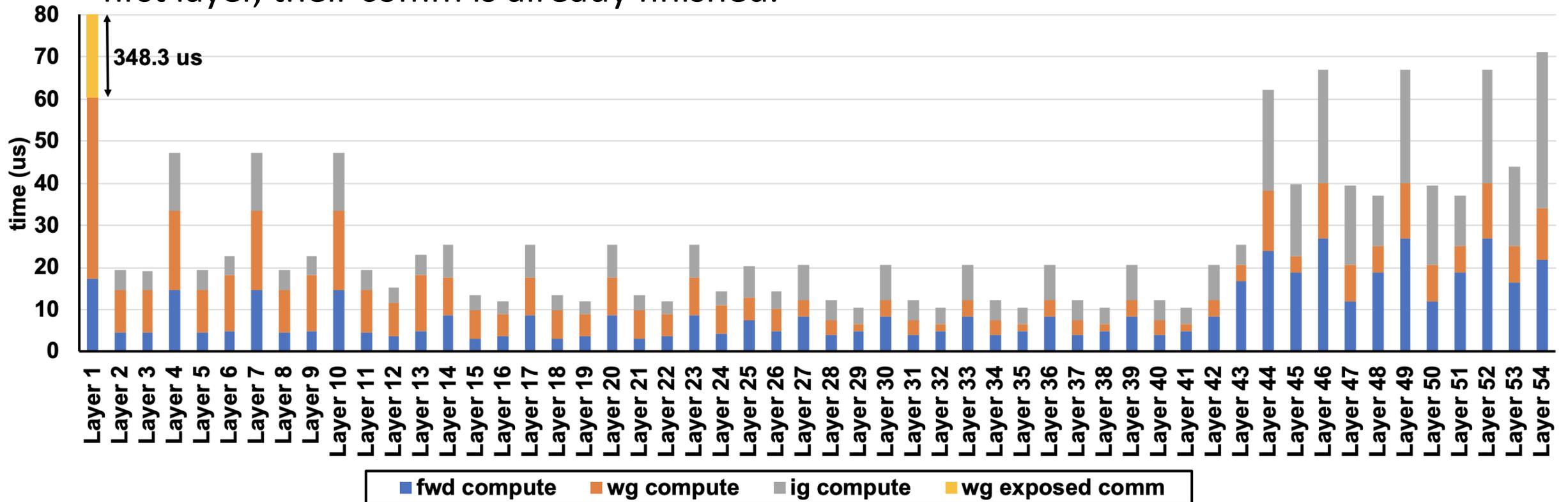
ResNet-50 Layer-Wise Raw Comm Latency

- A Torus 3D with total of 32 (2X4X4) nodes is used.
- Data parallel approach is used.
- Raw latency depends on the comm size plus the priority of each layer comm (queuing delay).



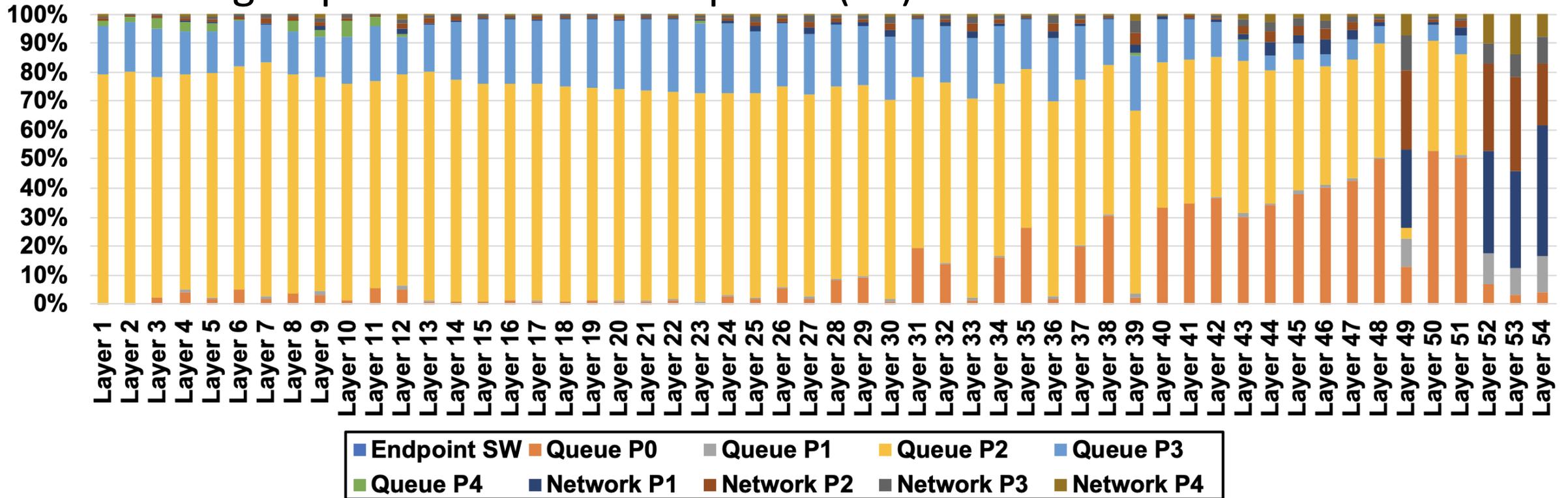
ResNet-50 Layer-Wise Compute vs. Exposed Comm Latency

- Exposed comm latency is observed for the first layer. because by the time we reach other layers except that. first layer, their comm is already finished.



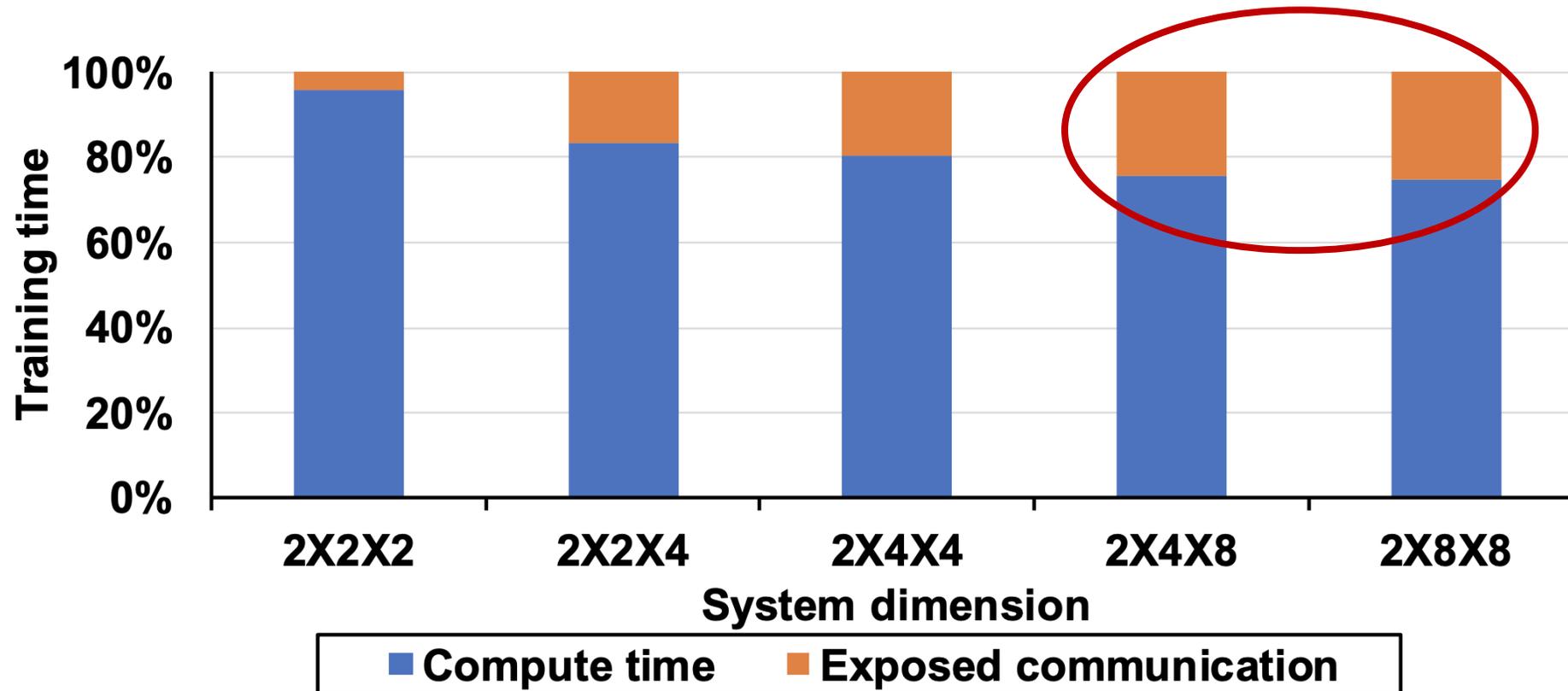
ResNet-50 Layer-Wise detailed latency

- Queue P2 is becoming the dominant factor due to very high speed of P1 (within package) that results most of the chunks get queued for the next phase (P2).



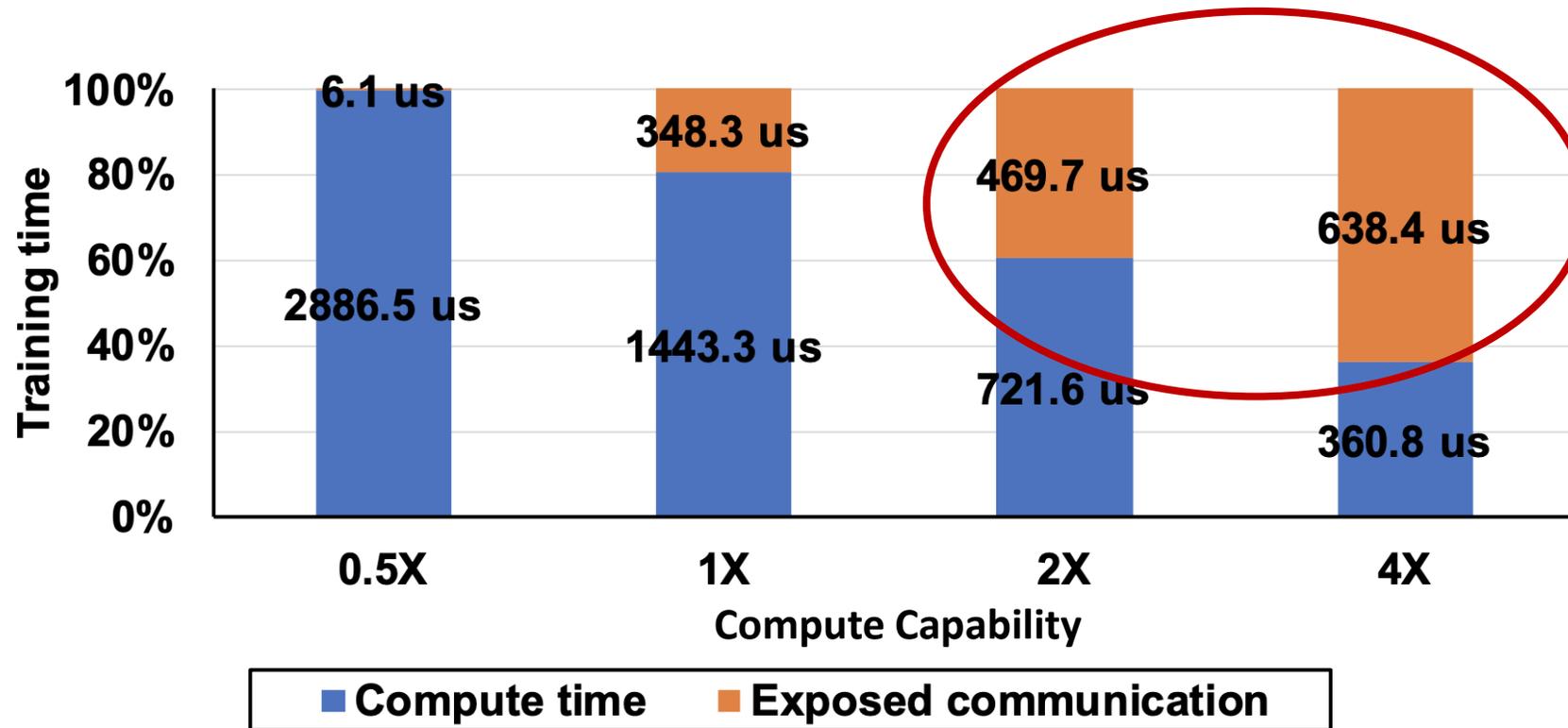
Effect of # of nodes on the Ratio of Total Compute vs Total Exposed Comm for ResNet-50

- A Torus 3D with total of 8, 16, 32, 64, 128 nodes are used.



Effect of Enhanced Compute Time per Node on the Ratio of Total Compute vs Total Exposed Comm for ResNet-50

- A Torus 3D with total of 32 nodes (2X4X4) is used.



Workload Generator

Workload Generator

- Should receive the GEMM operations (M, N, K dimensions) and the parallelization strategy as input.
- It uses SCALE-SIM simulator to find the compute times.
- Please see [astra-sim/scripts/workload_generator/README.md](#).

Sample script to call workload generator

```
# For data-parallel
$ python3 gen_astrasim_workload_input.py \
  --datatype_size=2 \
  --mnk=mnk_inputs/example.csv \
  --num_npus=16 \
  --num_packages=2 \
  --output_file=../../inputs/workload/example_DATA.txt \
  --parallel=DATA \
  --run_name=example \
  --scalesim_config=../../extern/compute/SCALE-Sim/configs/google.cfg \
  --scalesim_path=../../extern/compute/SCALE-Sim
```

Sample MNK input file

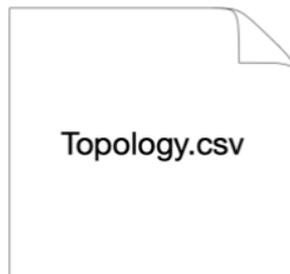
	A	B	C	D	E
1	Layer	m	n	k	
2	MLP_Bottom	1024	128	512	
3	MLP_Bottom	1024	512	512	
4	MLP_Bottom	1024	512	512	
5	MLP_Bottom	1024	512	16	
6	MLP_Top_0	1024	1024	512	
7	MLP_Top_1	1024	512	512	
8	MLP_Top_2	1024	512	512	
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SCALE-SIM

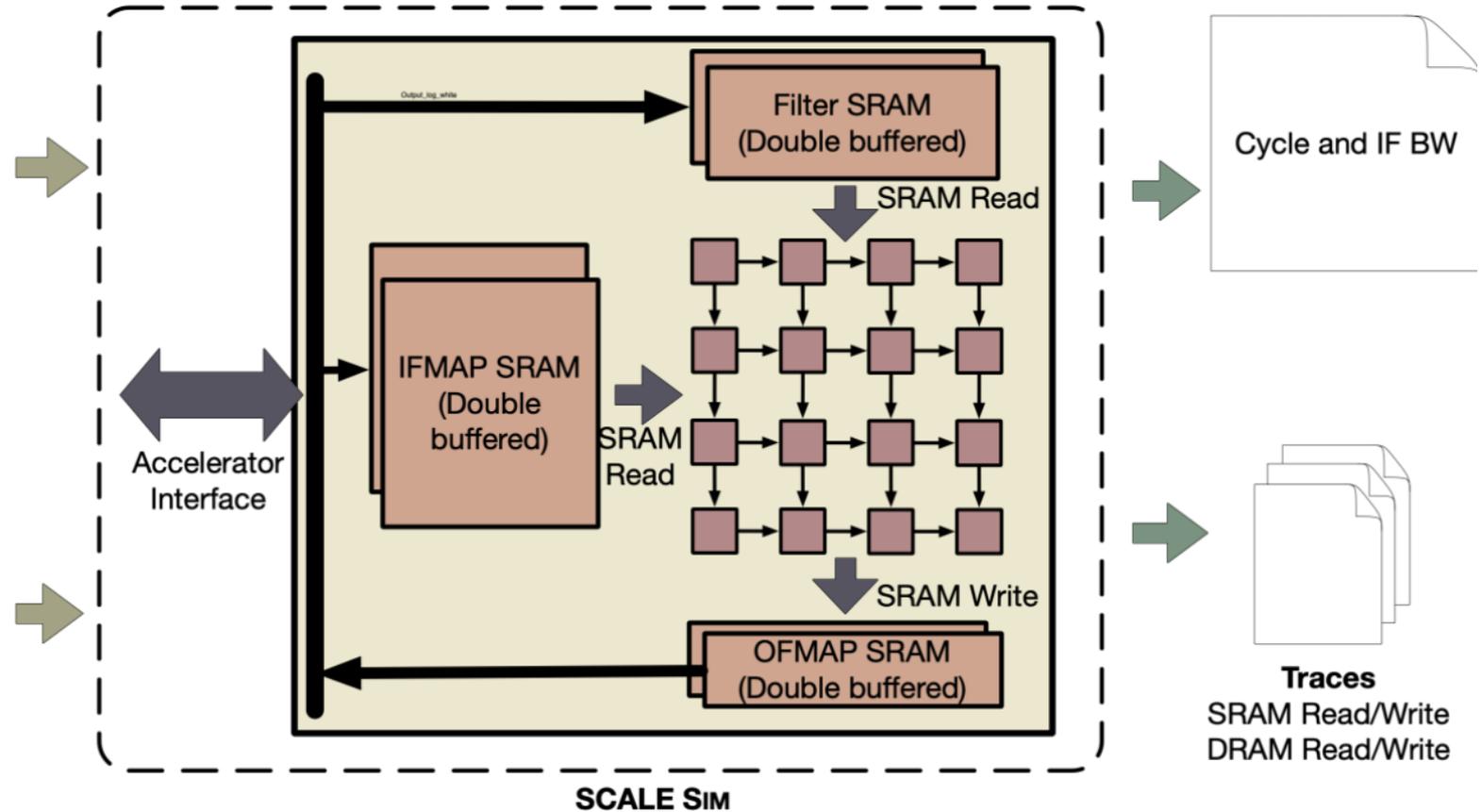
- <https://github.com/scalesim-project/scale-sim-v2>

Parameter	Value
Array Height	32
Array Width	32
IFMAP SRAM Size	1024
Filter SRAM Size	1024
OFRAM SRAM Size	128
Dataflow	WS

Config file with architecture specs



Topology.csv



Thank you!