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A Framework for Knowledge Discovery on the Grid – Scientific Drivers and Contributions

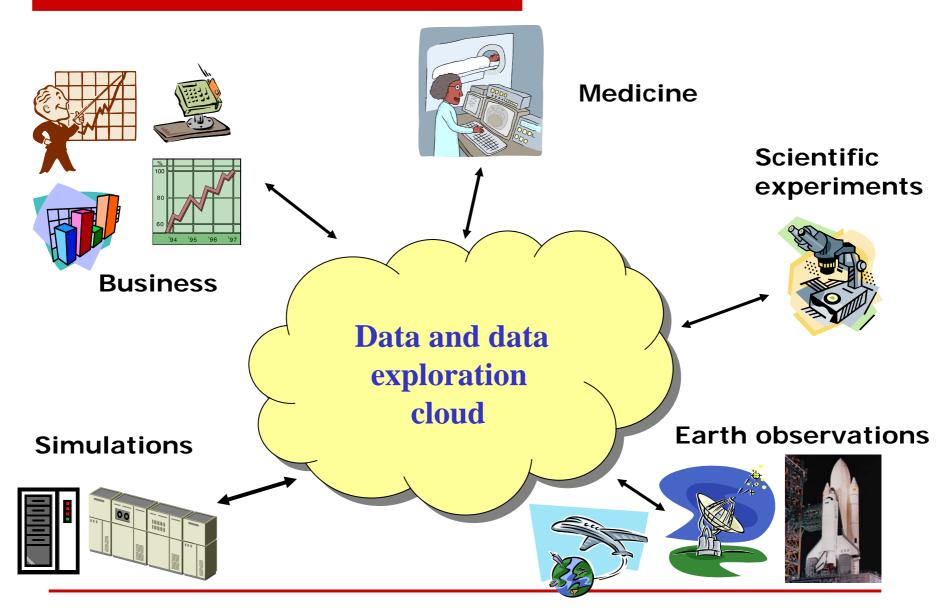
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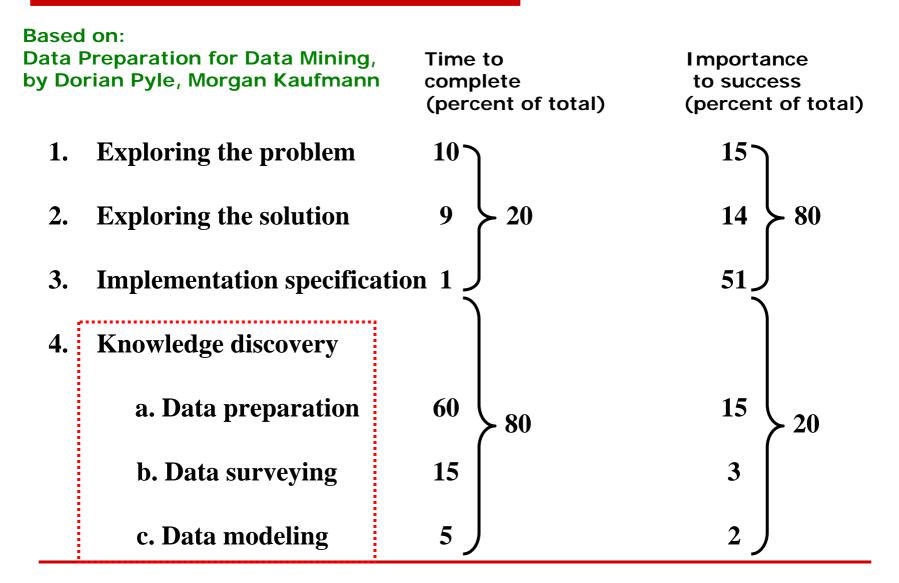
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Motivation

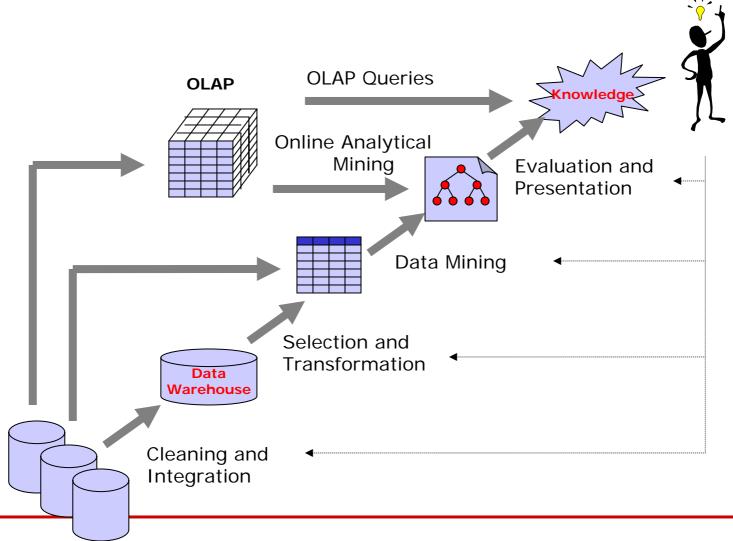


Stages of a Data Exploration Project



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The Knowledge Discovery Process



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Outline

- Introduction/Motivation
- What Does the Grid Offer to Knowledge Discovery Processes?
- Applications Addressed
- Novel Challenges
- Research Results Summary

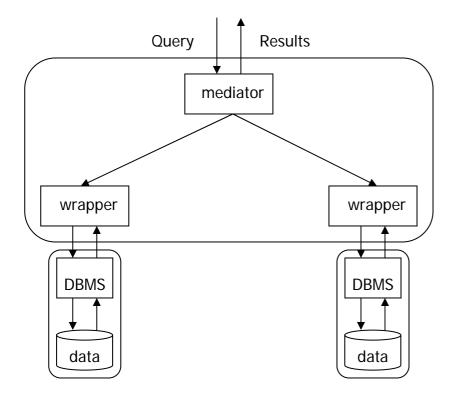
Conclusions

The Grid offers.. (1)

Resource virtualisation:

- Dynamic Data and Computational Resource Discovery using service registries;
- Mechanisms for dynamic resource
 - Allocation
 - Monitoring (MDS, NWS, etc.)
- Systematic access to resources addressing:
 - Security
 - Authentication
 - Authorization

The Grid offers.. (2)



- Database access services
- Distributed query
 processing
- Data integration services - the wrappers reconcile differences and impose a global schema.

The Grid offers.. (3)

Support for Job (Operation) Management

(important, e.g., for long-running data preprocessing)

Notification interfaces

- NotificationSource for client subscription
- NotificationSink for asynchronous delivery of notification messages

The Grid offers.. (4)

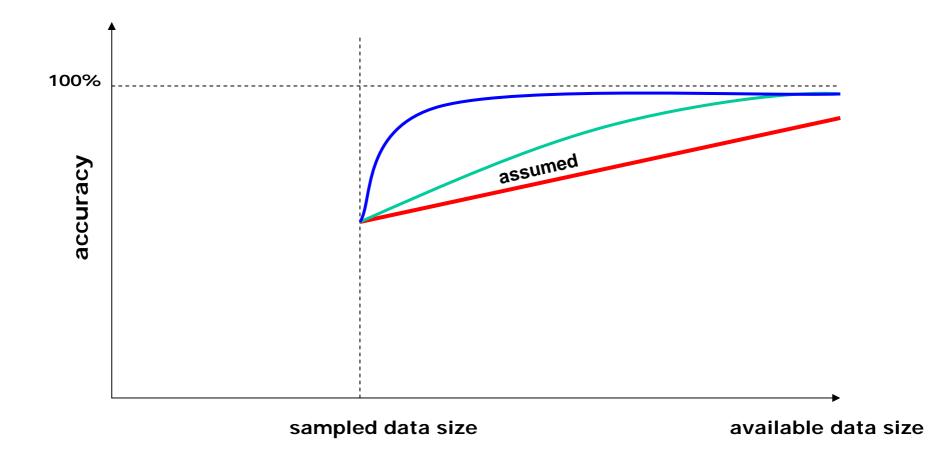
Theoretically, the Grid can have unlimited size (the number of data and computational resources) – support for scaling up

- **Questions**:
 - When is it necessary to mine huge databases, as opposed to mining a sample of the data?
 - Should not data mining algorithms be able to take advantage of all the data that is available?

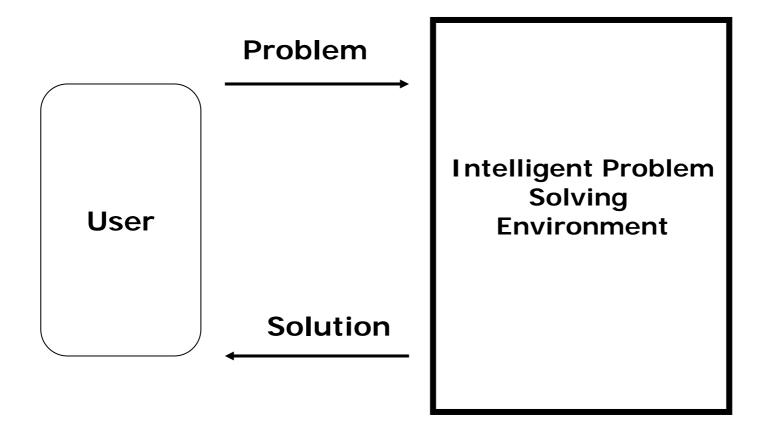
Answers:

- Scaling up is desirable, because increasing the size of the training set often increases the accuracy of induced classification models.
- Determining how much data to use is difficult, because the smallest sufficient amount depends on factors not known a priori.
- Today's mining techniques can have problems when data sets exceed 100 megabytes.

Data Mining Accuracy vs. Data Size



Novel Challenges Toward Wisdom Grid/Web Infrastructures



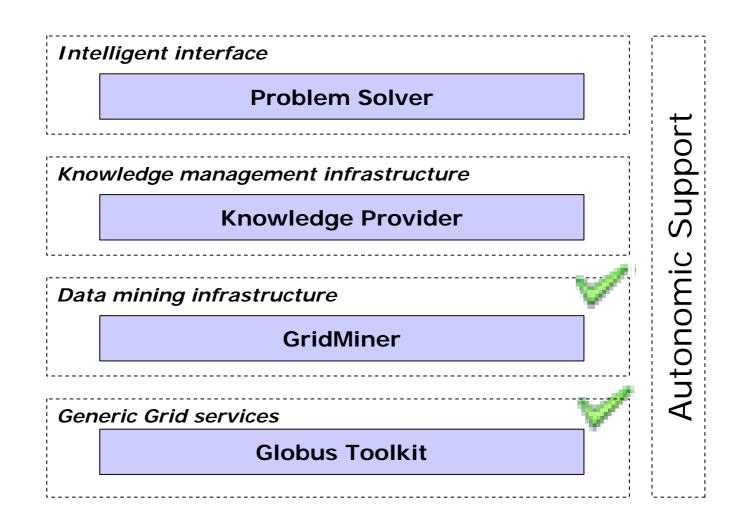
Traumatic Brain Injury Application

- Traumatic brain injuries (TBIs) typically result from accidents in which head strikes an object.
- The treatment of TBI patients is very resource intensive.
- □ The trajectory of the TBI patients management:
 - Trauma event
 - First aid
 - Transportation to hospital
 - Acute hospital care
 - Home care
- All the above phases are associated with data collection into databases – now managed by individual hospitals.

Scenario – Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) Application



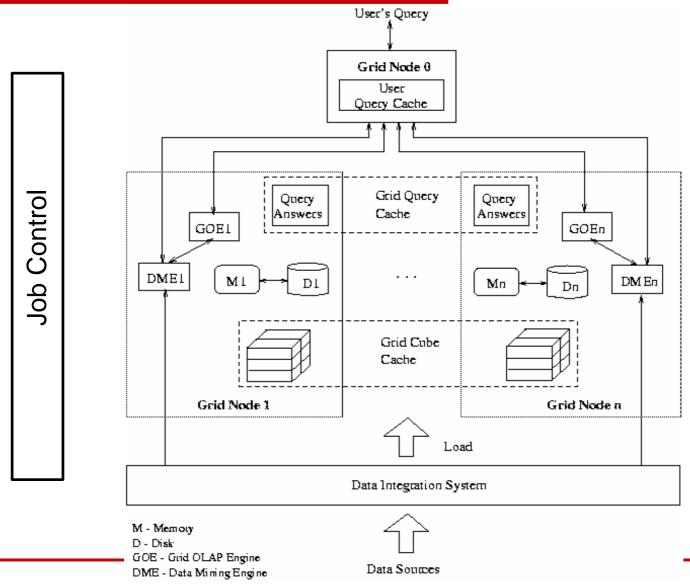
Autonomic Wisdom Grid Framework



Scientific Results

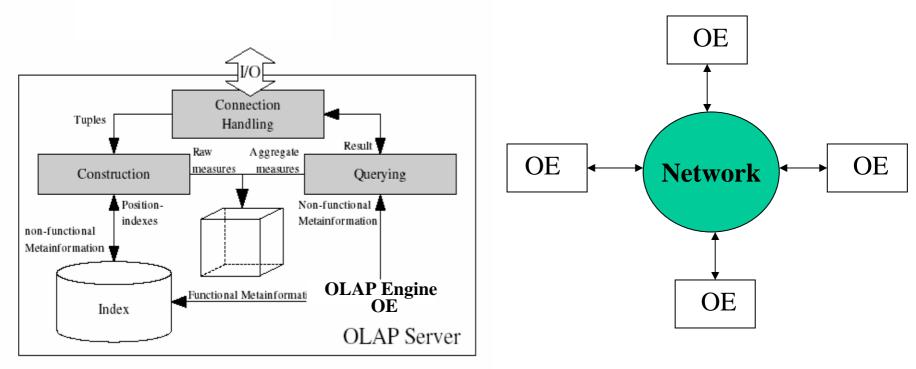
- GridMiner Architecture
- Workflow Management
- Data Mediation
- OLAP
- Data Mining

Retrospection: Once upon a time...



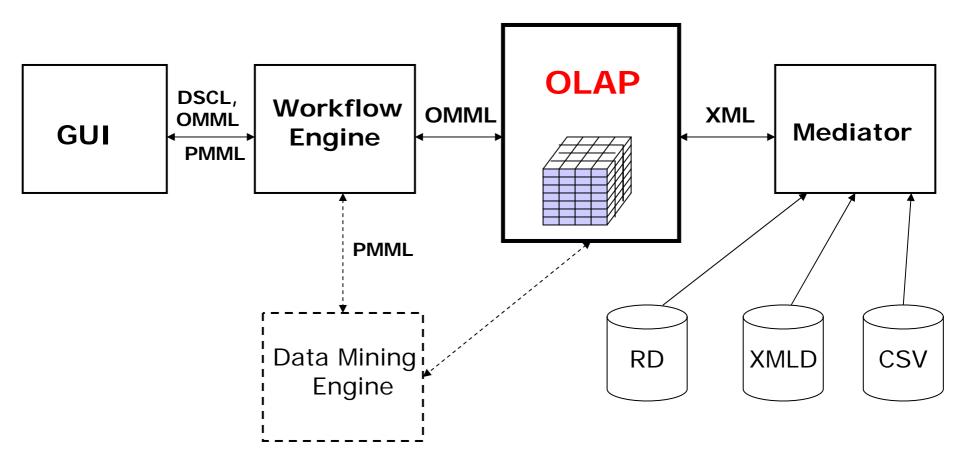
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OLAP Strategy



Novel Dynamic Bit Encoding Method

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Toward Indexing

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Mode	Mini Van	6	5	4	4	
	Coupe	3	5	5	7	
	Sedan	4	3	2	3	
		Red	Blue	White	Green	
	Color					

The simplest method for computing a linear address from the multidimensional one:

- (1) assign each possible position within one dimension an unique integer value and store these matching information in another table
- (2) Bit-shift the integer assigned to the row dimension and logical OR it with the integer assigned to the column dimension.
- (3) Use the combined integer as your memory address.

Model	Index(hex)
Mini Van	0x00
Coupe	0x01
Sedan	0x02

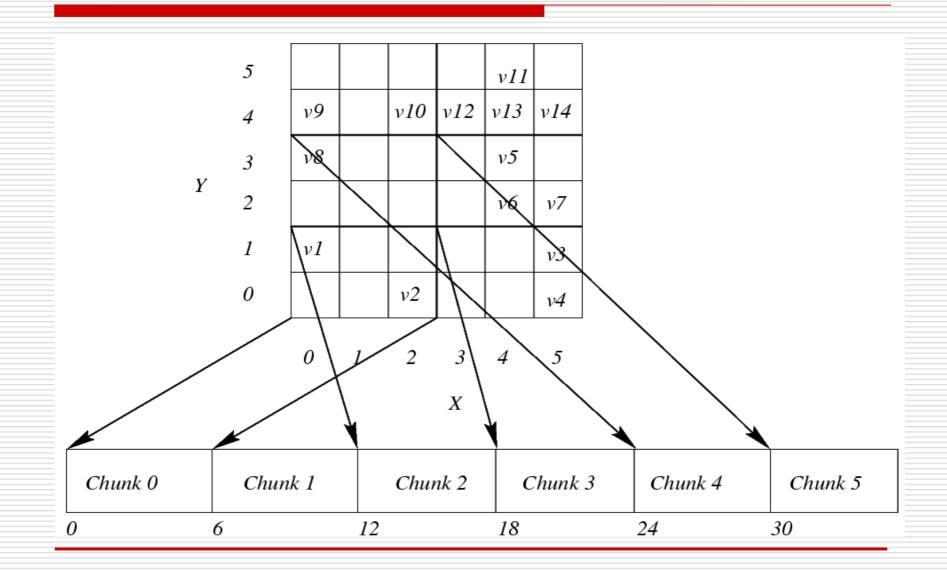
Color	Index(hex)		
Red	0x00		
Blue	0x01		
White	0x02		
Green	0x03		

Drawback: We want to store 12 values, but we reserve 65534 addresses.

Another important issue: How to determine the position index size?

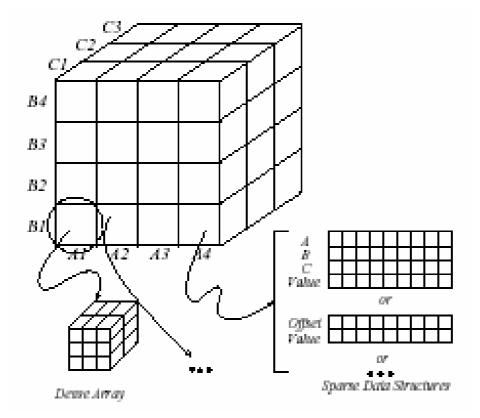
(Coupe, White) \Rightarrow 0x0102 (a linear address of the measure)

Chunking



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Dense and Sparse Chunk Storage

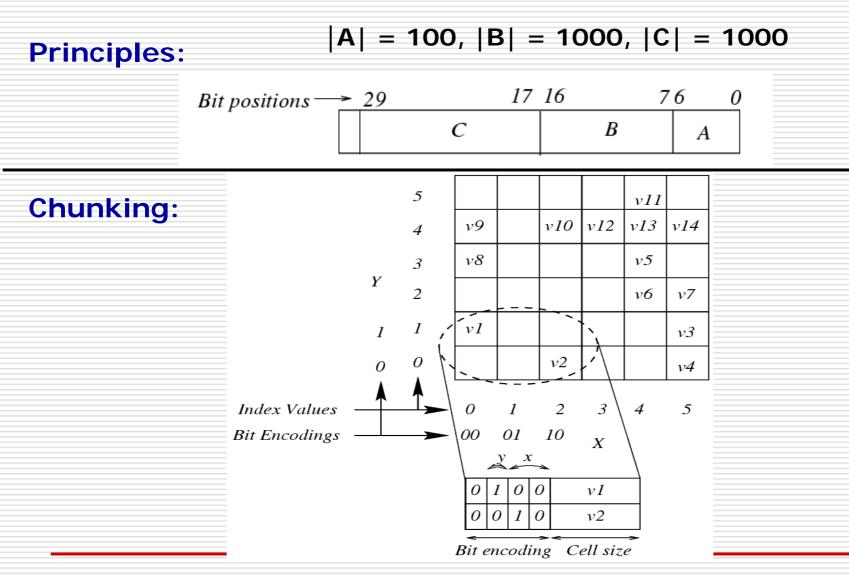


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Sparsity Example HP Application

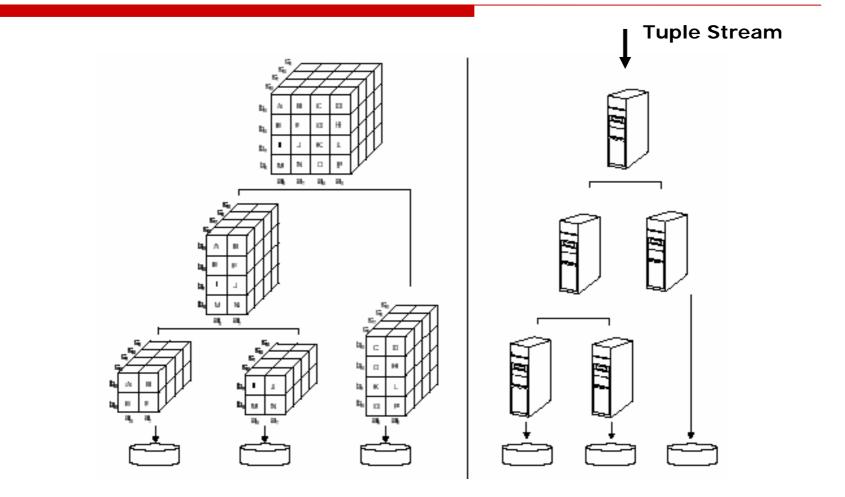
- Web access analysis engine
- E.g., a newspaper Web site received 1.5 million hits a week
- Modeling the data using 4 dimensions
 - 1. ip address of the originate site (48,128 values)
 - 2. referring site (10,432 values)
 - 3. subject uri (18,085 values)
 - 4. hours of day (24 values)
- The resulting cube contained over 200 trillion cells!

Bit Encoded Sparse Structure (BESS)



Distributed OLAP –

Aggregation of Compute and Storage Resources vs. Federation

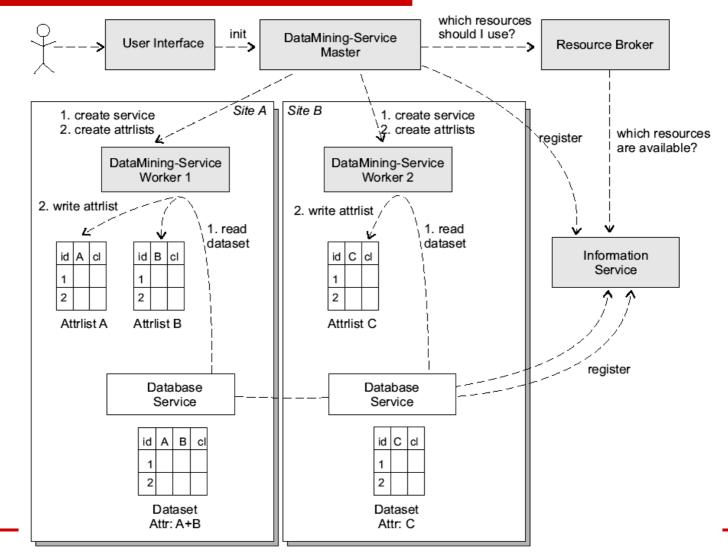


- Effective management of a network requires collecting, correlating, and analyzing a variety of network trace data.
- Analysis of flow data collecting at each router and stored in a local data warehouse "adjacent" to the router is a challenging application.
- All flow information is conceptually part of a single relation with the following schema:

Flow (RouterId, SourceIP, SourcePort, SourceMask, SourceAS, DestIP, DestPort, DestMask, DestAS, StartTime, EndTime, NumPackets, NumBytes)

DIGIDT – **Di**stributed **G**rid-Enabled Induction of **D**ecision **T**rees

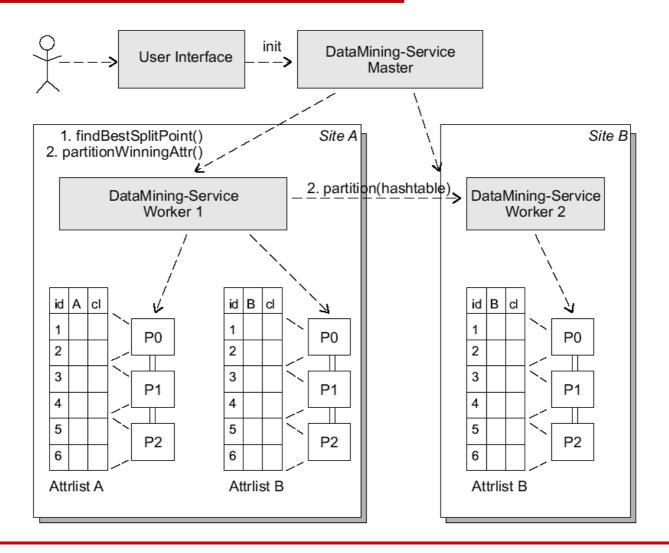
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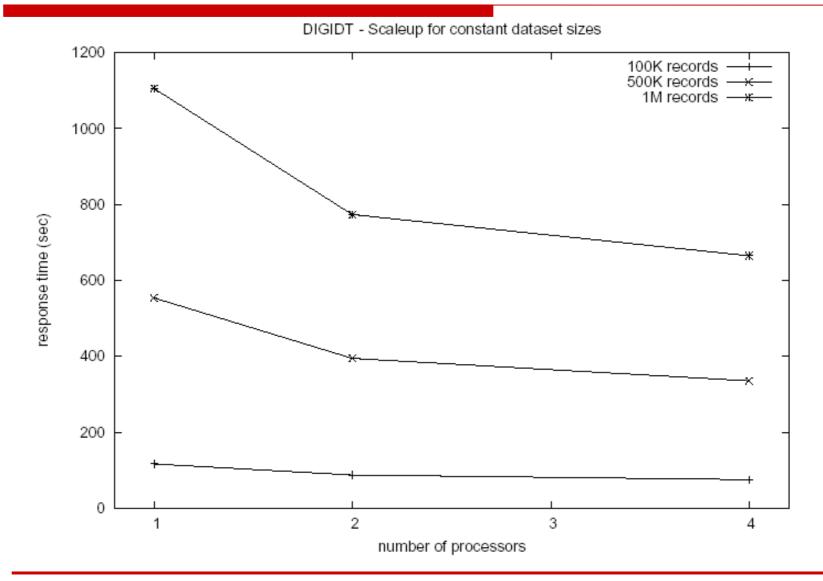
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Phase 2 - Execution



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DIGIDT: Experiments



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- Discussion of some issues driving Grid knowledge discovery research
- Development of the GridMiner architecture
- Outline of results achieved

