

HBMax: Compress-to-Compute for Influence Maximization

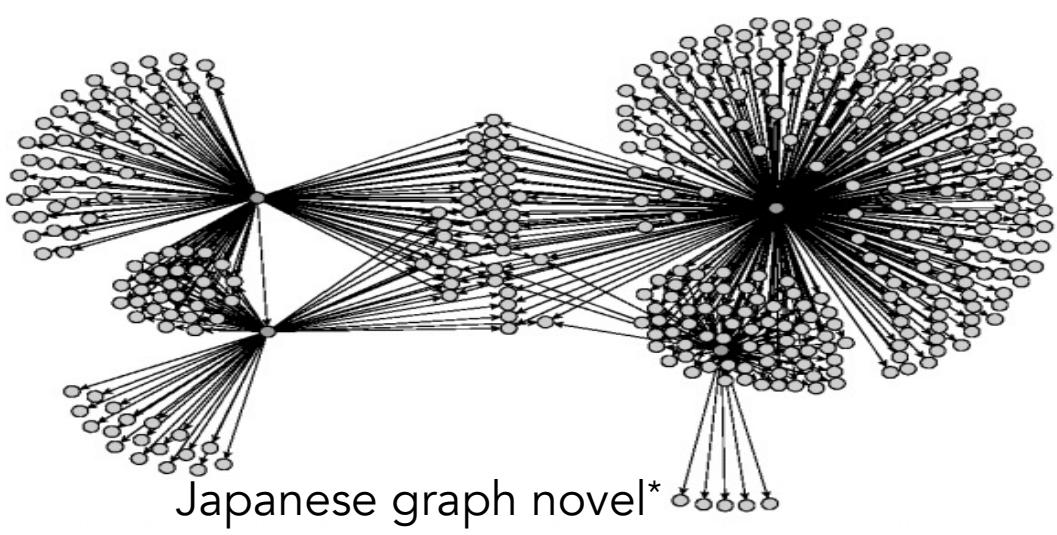


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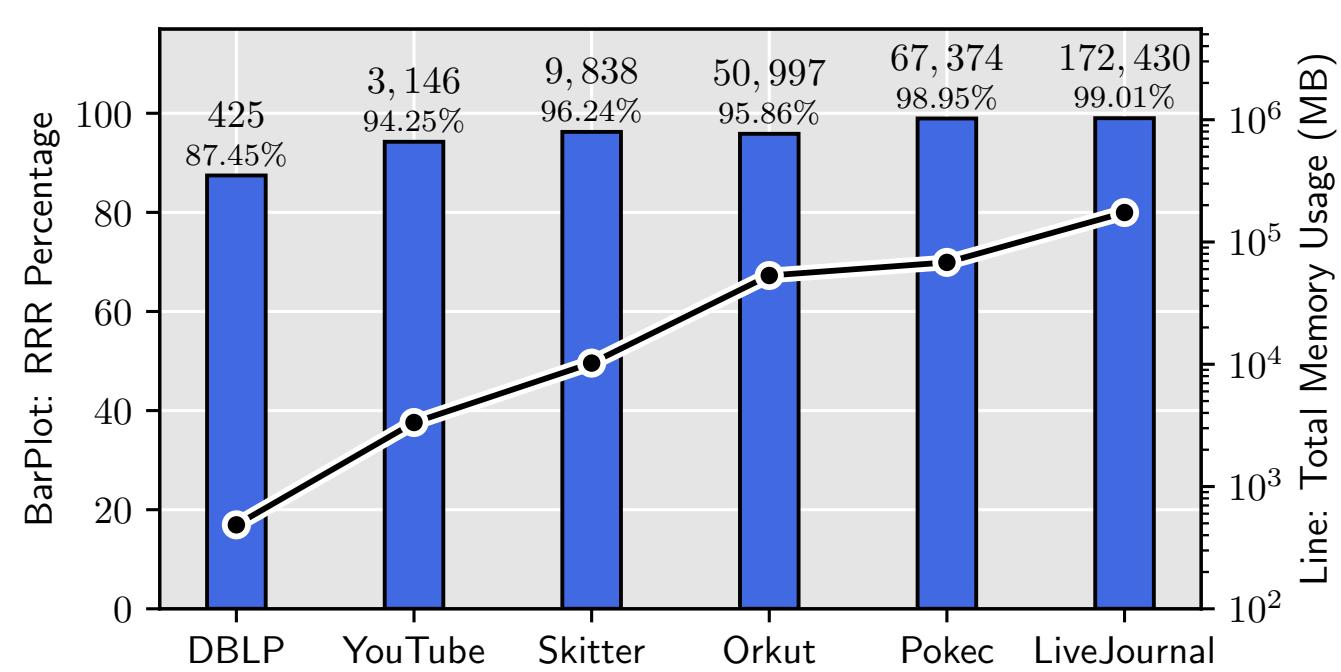
INTRODUCTION & MOTIVATION

Influence Maximization studies the word-of-mouth effects in the viral marketing, politics, public health, bioinformatics and sensor networks.



It is an **NP-hard** optimization problem to activate the top-k vertices that can get maximal expected influence in graph G .

HBMax Parallel Influence Maximization algorithm using Huffman coding and Bitmap coding to address the **memory inflation** challenge.



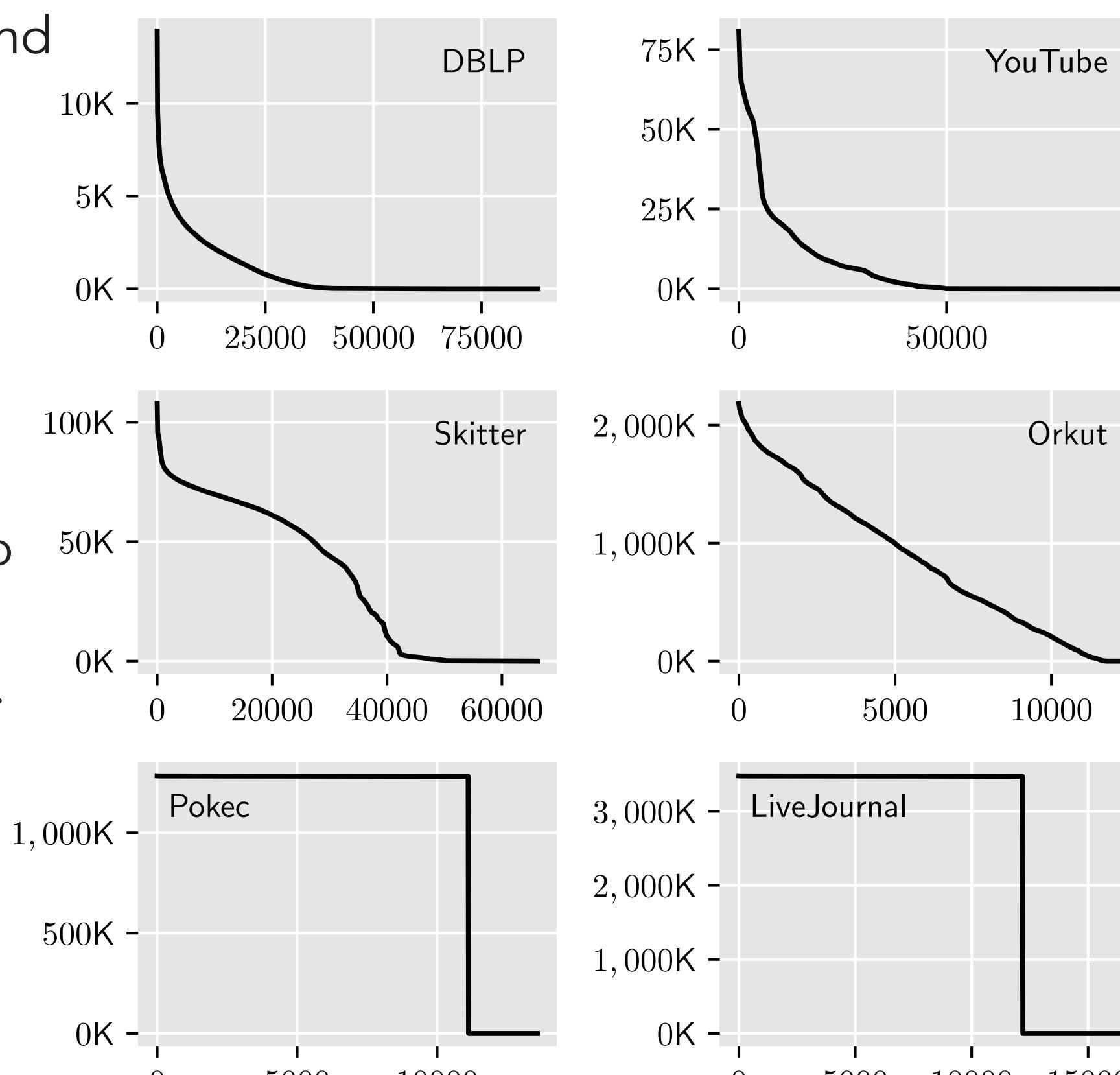
CONTRIBUTIONS

- Characterize memory footprints
- Identify various shapes of intermediate RRRs
- Compress with Huffman or Bitmap coding
- Query partially decoded or compressed data.
- Reduces memory usage up to 82.1%
- Speedups 6.3% (in average) than Ripples.

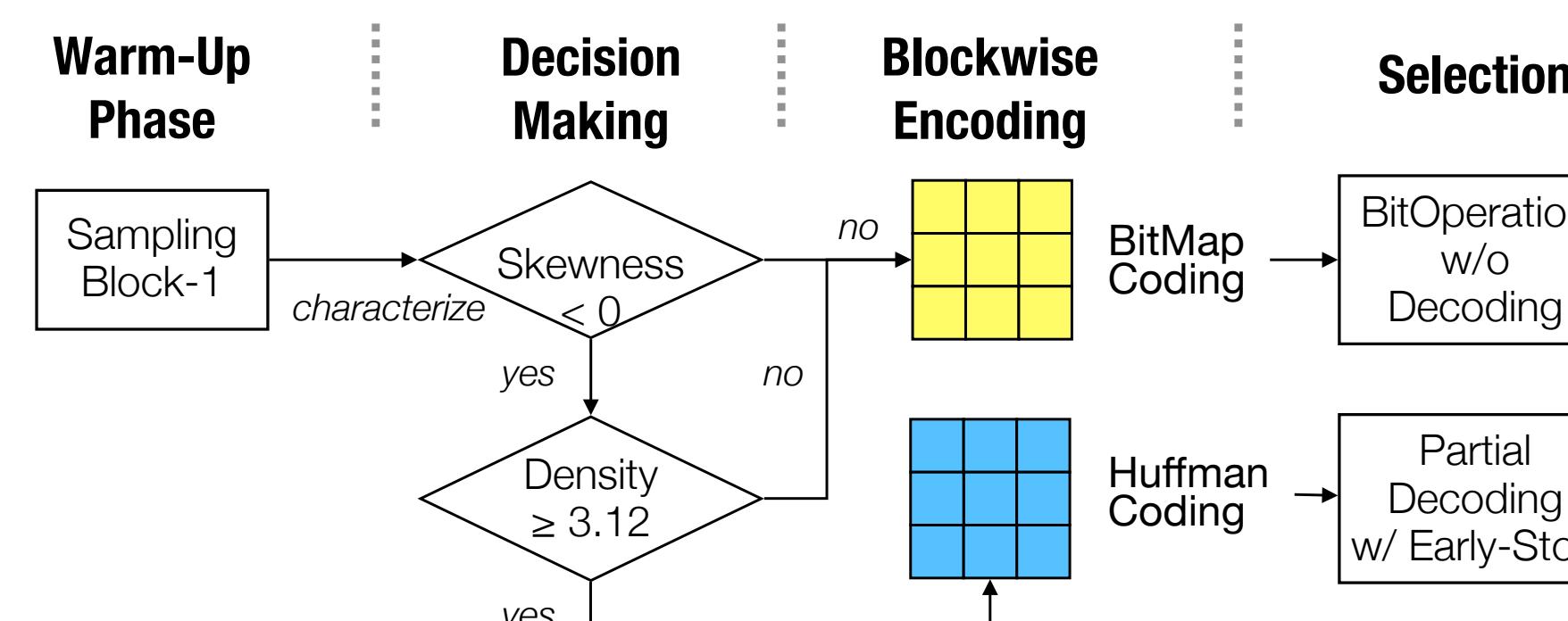
* The dynamics of viral marketing, Jure et al. 2007

PROFILING

- Skewness is from flat-headed (-1) to skewed(12).
- Density is from sparse (0.26%) to dense (53.3%)



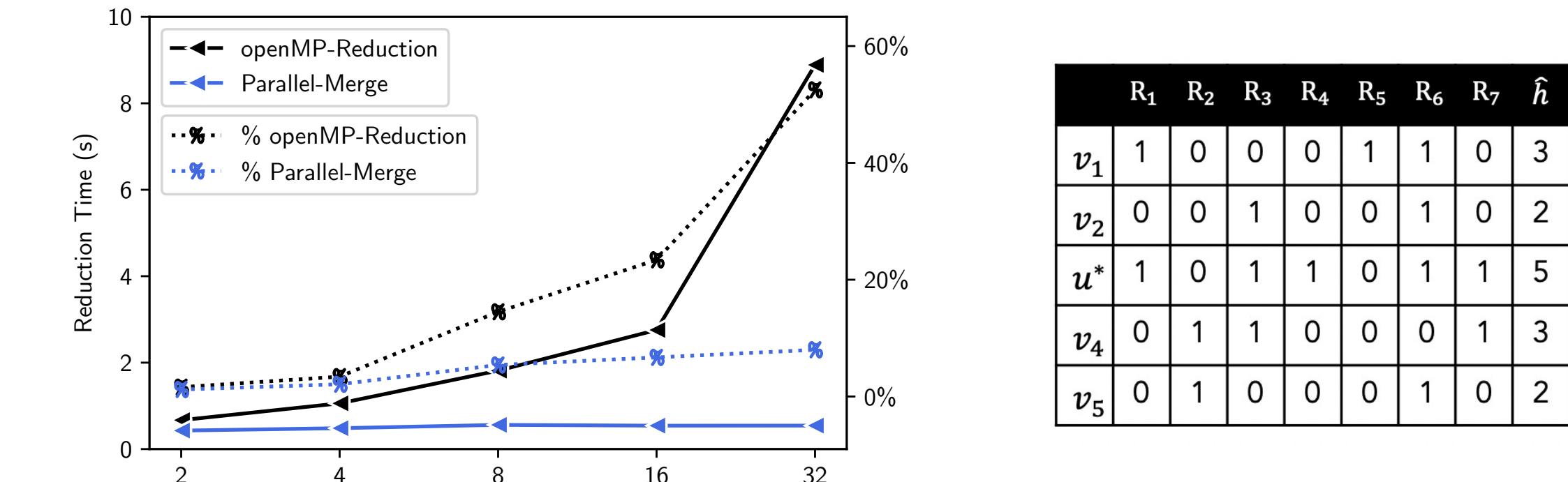
WORKFLOW



Block-wise workflow: warm-up, sampling-encoding, selection

IMPLEMENTATION

- Parallelize by OpenMP
- Parallel Merge
- Consider NUMA effects
- Leverage bit operations



EVALUATION

Memory footprint (in GB) and reduction ratio (in parenthesis)

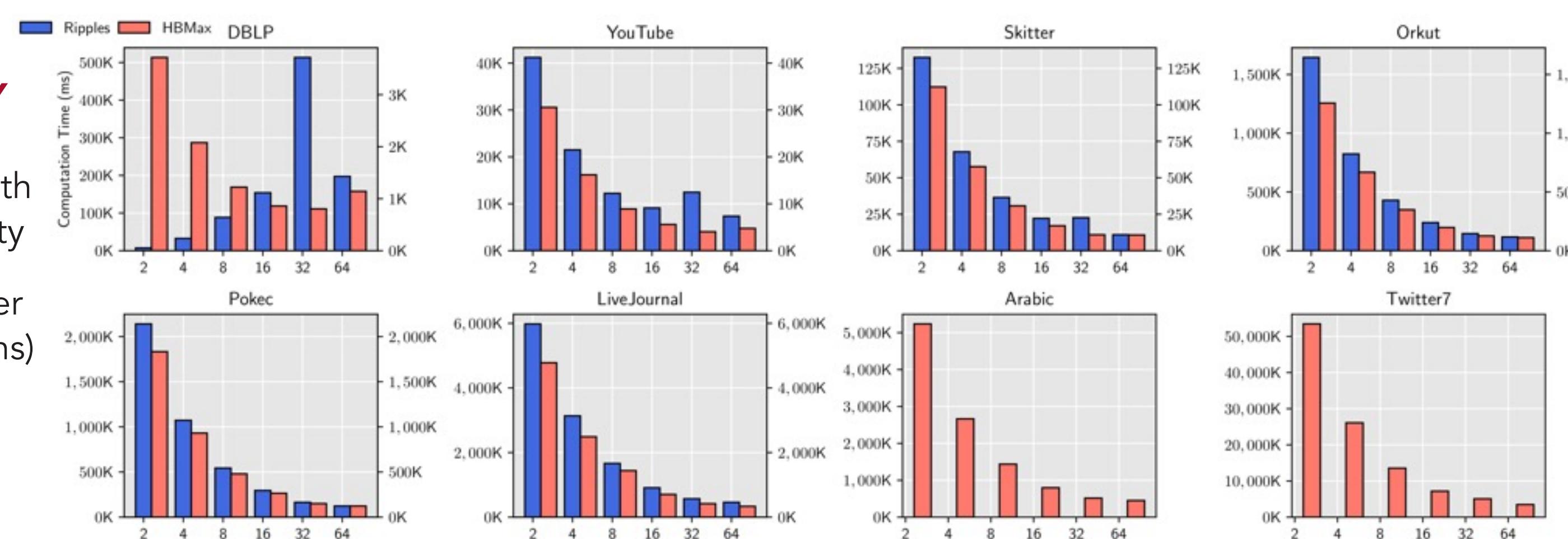
	DBLP	YouTube	Skitter	Orkut	Pokec	LiveJournal	Arabic	Twitter
Ripples	0.4 (1.0)	3.1 (1.0)	9.8 (1.0)	46.5 (1.0)	55.7 (1.0)	163.7 (1.0)	348.6 (1.0)	1193.0 (1.0)
HBMax	0.3 (1.3)	1.7 (1.8)	5.3 (1.9)	30.1 (1.5)	10.7 (5.2)	29.3 (5.6)	81.5 (4.3)	200.3 (5.9)

Time-to-Solution (in second) and overhead ratio (in parenthesis)

	DBLP	YouTube	Skitter	Orkut	Pokec	LiveJournal	Arabic	Twitter
Ripples	0.95 (1.0)	6.95 (1.0)	20.5 (1.0)	249.4 (1.0)	262.7 (1.0)	755.6 (1.0)	NA	NA
HBMax	1.10 (1.16)	6.31 (0.91)	17.9 (0.88)	235.1 (0.94)	222.6 (0.85)	692.7 (0.89)	1608.5	12098.3

SCALABILITY

- HBMax, Ripples both has strong scalability
- HBMax scales better (high-skewed graphs)
- Overall speedup is 12.98x on 64 cores



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<https://github.com/hipdac-lab/hbmax-pact>

