



# Panel – Many-Task Computing in a Big Data World

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# Question 1

- Is Big Data just a buzz word? Or is there something really new that is going to turn what we know about data-intensive computing on its head? Since we have industry, national labs, and academics on the panel, it would be great to hear your position on Big Data from each of these angles.

# Question 2

- Many-task computing, and big data computing, are both computing paradigms. How important are the underlying storage systems for these computing paradigms?

# Question 3

- Why is Big Data hard? What can we do bridge the gap, and bring Big Data capabilities to the masses?