

# Reference Cluster Design Architecture MI300X / MI325X

128 GPU to 1024 GPU

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## Cluster - 128 GPU to 1024 GPU (16 to 128 Nodes) \*

Cluster Size	128 to 1024 GPU
Platforms	Dell XE9680 Lenovo SR685a V3 SMCI AS-8125GS
OS	Ubuntu 22.04 (or above)
Linux Kernel	5.15 – 6.80
ROCm	6.3.3 (or above)

<sup>\*</sup>Genericized BoM – removing device specifics including dependencies

Storage Type	
Local Storage	1.6 TB (or greater)
Utility Storage	Pure, Vast, RYO
Bulk Storage	Pure, Vast, WekalO
Scratch Storage	Vast, DDN, WekalO, Hammerspace
Archive/Object Storage	S3 Compatible

## Network - 128 GPU to 1024 GPU (128 to 1024 Nodes)\*

Backside Network Topology	2 Tier Rail Optimized / Fat Tree
NIC	Pollara 400 BCM957608 (Thor2)
Switch	Arista, Dell, Juniper, Cisco (TH 4/5, Jericho/Ramon)
Network OS	SONiC, Junos, EOS, IOS
Subscription Ratio	1:1.16=16% Undersubscribed (AMD recommendation)
Optics	Vendor ACL/HCL transceivers or Direct Attach Copper
Fabric	RoCEv2 Ethernet

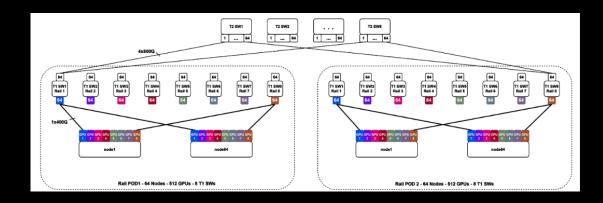
Frontside Network Segment	Adapter Recommended
All-in One Network	Ethernet 100GbE 2-port QSFP28 Adapter
Storage Network (Optional)	Ethernet 100GbE 2-port QSFP28 Adapter
Virtualization Network (Optional)	Ethernet 100GbE 2-port QSFP28 Adapter
Host In-Band	Ethernet 10/25GbE 4-Port SFP28 Adapter
BMC OOB Mgt	1G Copper

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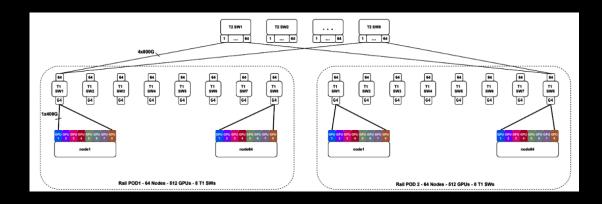
#### 128 GPU to 1024 GPU – General Network Layouts

#### Rail Optimized (1:1 example)



- •Rail design 2 pods
- •64 Nodes per pod 512 GPUs
- •Sizing of network can be done through lower/increase spine layer and adjusting pod size.
- Lower latency for AI workloads optimized CPU communication
- Improved performance for large scale models

#### Tree Topology (1:1 example)



- •Tree design 2 pods
- •64 Nodes per pod 512 GPUs
- •Sizing of network can be done through lower/increase spine layer and adjusting pod size.
- Non blocking bandwidth and scalability
- Load balancing and fault tolerance
- Diverse workloads



# Sample Cluster BOMs 16 – 128 Nodes

# Sample 128GPU (16N) Single Switch eBOM

#### Rack #1, #2, #4 - GPU Racks

MFG	MFG Part No / SKU	Material Description	Total Qty 3 Racks	Notes
HPE	S4Q28A	ProLiant Compute XD685 Air Cooling Server	12	GPU Nodes
AMD		Universal baseboard (UBB) module with with eight AMD Instinct™ MI325X Accelerators	12	GPU board
APC	AR3357SP	APC NetShelter SX, Server Rack Enclosure, 48U, Shock Packaging, 2000 lbs, Black, 2258H x 750W x 1200D mm	3	Data Center Racks
APC	APDU10452SM	APC by Schneider Electric NetShelter 42-Outlets PDU	6	Data Center Rack PDUs

#### Rack #3 - GPU + Network Rack

MFG	MFG Part No / SKU	Material Description	Total Qty 1 Rack	Notes
Arista	DCS-7060X6-64PE-F	Arista 7060X6, 64 x 800GbE OSFP switch, front-to-rear air, 2xAC; L3 license; cloudvision 3yr; NBD HW support	1	L1 BE Net Switch
Arista	OSFP-800G-2XDR4	Arista 800GBASE-2XDR4 OSFP Transceivers; 2x 400GBASE-XDR4 Transceiver, Dual MPO-12 connector, 2km over parallel SMF	64	L1 BE Net Switch Transceivers
FS	69008	2m MTP® Jumper, MTP®-12 APC (Female) to MTP®-12 APC (Female), 12 Fibers, Single Mode (OS2)	128	L1 BE Net Switch to NIC Fiber Cables
Arista	DCS-7050CX3-32S-F	Arista DCS-7050CX3-32S-F	1	FE Net Switch
Arista	MMA1B00-C100D	Arista Networks QSFP-100G-SR4 Compatible QSFP28 MPO-12/UPC MMF Optical Transceiver Module, Support 4 x 25G-SR	16	FE Switch Transceivers
Broadcom	BCM957608-P2200GQF00	Broadcom P2100G - 2 x 100GbE PCIe NIC	16	FE Net NIC Adapter
FS.com	QSFP-100G-SR4	Broadcom compatible 100GBASE-SR4 QSFP100 Transceiver	16	FE Net NIC Adapter Transceivers
FS.com	12FMTPOM4	MTP® Jumper, MTP®-12 UPC (Female) to MTP®-12 UPC (Female), 12 Fibers, Multimode (OM4)	4	FE Net NIC Adapter to Switch Cables
Arista	DCS-7010TX-48-F	Arista 7010TX, 48x 10/100/1000 RJ45 & 4 x 25G SFP (1/10/25GbE) switch, front to rear air, 2xAC; 3yr cloudvision; 3yr NBD HW replacement	1	OOB MGMT Switch
FS.com	C6UTPSGSPVC	Cat6 28AWG Snagless Unshielded (UTP) PVC CM Slim Ethernet Network Patch Cable	16	OOB MGMT Cat 6 Cables
APC	AR3357SP	APC NetShelter SX, Server Rack Enclosure, 48U, Shock Packaging, 2000 lbs, Black, 2258H x 750W x 1200D mm	1	Data Center Racks
APC	APDU10452SM	APC by Schneider Electric NetShelter 42-Outlets PDU	2	Data Center Rack PDUs



# Sample 512GPU (64N) POD-Rail-Optimized eBOM

#### Rack #1 - #4, #6-#13, #15-#18 - GPU Racks

MFG	MFG Part No / SKU	Material Description	Total Qty 16 Racks	Notes
HPE	S4Q28A	ProLiant Compute XD685 Air Cooling Server	64	GPU Servers
AMD		Universal baseboard (UBB) module with with eight AMD Instinct MI325X Accelerators	64	GPU boards
AMD	Pollara-400-1Q400P	AMD Pollara 400	512	NIC Adapters
FS	184798	400GBASE-XDR4 QSFP112 Single Mode Transceiver, MPO-12 APC, 2km reach over parallel SMF	512	NIC Transceivers
APC	AR3357SP	APC NetShelter SX, Server Rack Enclosure, 48U, Shock Packaging, 2000 lbs, Black, 2258H x 750W x 1200D mm	16	Data Center Racks
APC	APDU10452SM	APC by Schneider Electric NetShelter 42-Outlets PDU	32	Data Center Rack PDUs

#### Rack #5 - L1 BE Network Rack

MFG	3	MFG Part No / SKU	Material Description	Total Qty 1 Rack	Notes
Arist	ta	DCS-7060X6-64PE-F	Arista 7060X6, 64 x 800GbE OSFP switch, front-to-rear air, 2xAC; L3 license; cloudvision 3yr; NBD HW support	8	L1 BE Net Switch
Arist	ta	OSFP-800G-2XDR4	Arista 800GBASE-2XDR4 OSFP Transceivers; 2x 400GBASE-XDR4 Transceiver, Dual MPO-12 connector, 2km over parallel SMF	64	L1 BE Net Transceivers
FS		69008	2m MTP® Jumper, MTP®-12 APC (Female) to MTP®-12 APC (Female), 12 Fibers, Single Mode (OS2)	128	L1 Be Net Fiber Cables
Arist	ta	DCS-7260CX3-64E-F	Arista 7260X3, 64x100GbE QSFP & 2xSFP+ Enhanced switch, front-to-rear air, 2xAC	2	FE Net Switch
Arist	ta	MMA1B00-C100D	Arista Networks QSFP-100G-SR4 Compatible QSFP28 MPO-12/UPC MMF Optical Transceiver Module, Support 4 x 25G-SR	32	FE Net Switch Transceivers
Broa	adcom	BCM957608-P2200GQF00	Broadcom P2100G - 2 x 100GbE PCle NIC	32	FE Net NICs
FS.c	com	QSFP-100G-SR4	Broadcom compatible 100GBASE-SR4 QSFP100 Transceiver	32	FE Net NIC Transceivers
FS.c	com	12FMTPOM4	MTP* Jumper, MTP*-12 UPC (Female) to MTP*-12 UPC (Female), 12 Fibers, Multimode (OM4)	32	FE Net fiber Cables
Arist	ta	DCS-7010TX-48-F	Arista 7010TX, 48x 10/100/1000 RJ45 & 4 x 25G SFP (1/10/25GbE) switch, front to rear air, 2xAC; 3yr cloudvision; 3yr NBD HW replacement	1	OOB MGMT Switch
FS.c	com	C6UTPSGSPVC	Cat6 28AWG Snagless Unshielded (UTP) PVC CM Slim Ethernet Network Patch Cable	64	OOB MGMT Cat 6 Cables
APC	:	AR3357SP	APC NetShelter SX, Server Rack Enclosure, 48U, Shock Packaging, 2000 lbs, Black, 2258H x 750W x 1200D mm	1	Data Center Racks
APC		APDU10452SM	APC by Schneider Electric NetShelter 42-Outlets PDU	2	Data Center Rack PDUs

#### Rack #14 - L1 FE Network Rack

MFG	MFG Part No / SKU	Material Description	Total Qty 1 Rack	Notes
Arista	DCS-7260CX3-64E-F	Arista 7260X3, 64x100GbE QSFP & 2xSFP+ Enhanced switch, front-to-rear air, 2xAC	2	FE Net Switch
Arista	MMA1B00-C100D	Arista Networks QSFP-100G-SR4 Compatible QSFP28 MPO-12/UPC MMF Optical Transceiver Module, Support 4 x 25G-SR	32	FE Net Switch Transceivers
Broadcom	BCM957608-P2200GQF00	Broadcom P2100G - 2 x 100GbE PCle NIC	32	FE Net NICs
FS.com	QSFP-100G-SR4	Broadcom compatible 100GBASE-SR4 QSFP100 Transceiver	32	FE Net NIC Transceivers
FS.com	12FMTPOM4	MTP* Jumper, MTP*-12 UPC (Female) to MTP*-12 UPC (Female), 12 Fibers, Multimode (OM4)	32	FE Net fiber Cables
APC	AR3357SP	APC NetShelter SX, Server Rack Enclosure, 48U, Shock Packaging, 2000 lbs, Black, 2258H x 750W x 1200D mm	1	Data Center Racks
APC	APDU10452SM	APC by Schneider Electric NetShelter 42-Outlets PDU	2	Data Center Rack PDUs

Rack #XX -	Rack #XX - L2 Spine Network Rack					
MFG	MFG Part No / SKU	Material Description	Total Qty 1 Rack	Notes		
Arista	DCS-7060X6-64PE-F	Arista 7060X6, 64 x 800GbE OSFP switch, front-to-rear air, 2xAC; L3 license; cloudvision 3yr; NBD HW support	8	L2 BE Net Switch		
Arista	OSFP-800G-2XDR4	Arista 800GBASE-2XDR4 OSFP Transceivers ; 2x 400GBASE-XDR4 Transceiver, Dual MPO-12 connector, 2km over parallel SMF	64	L2 BE Net Transceivers		
FS	69008	2m MTP* Jumper, MTP*-12 APC (Female) to MTP*-12 APC (Female), 12 Fibers, Single Mode (OS2)	128	L2 Be Net Fiber Cables		
Arista	DCS-7260CX3-64E-F	Arista 7260X3, 64x100GbE QSFP & 2xSFP+ Enhanced switch, front-to-rear air, 2xAC	2	FE Net Spine Switch		
Arista	MMA1B00-C100D	Arista Networks QSFP-100G-SR4 Compatible QSFP28 MPO-12/UPC MMF Optical Transceiver Module, Support 4 x 25G-SR	64	FE Net Spine Switch Transceivers		
FS.com	12FMTPOM4	MTP® Jumper, MTP®-12 UPC (Female) to MTP®-12 UPC (Female), 12 Fibers, Multimode (OM4)	64	FE Net fiber Cables		
APC	AR3357SP	APC NetShelter SX, Server Rack Enclosure, 48U, Shock Packaging, 2000 lbs, Black, 2258H x 750W x 1200D mm	1	Data Center Racks		
APC	APDU10452SM	APC by Schneider Electric NetShelter 42-Outlets PDU	2	Data Center Rack PDUs		



# Sample 1024GPU (128N) POD-Rail-Optimized eBOM

#### Rack #1 - #4, #6-#13, #15-#22, #24-#31, #33-#36 - GPU Racks

MFG	MFG Part No / SKU	Material Description	Total Qty 32 Racks	Notes
HPE	S4Q28A	ProLiant Compute XD685 Air Cooling Server	128	GPU Servers
AMD		Universal baseboard (UBB) module with with eight AMD Instinct* MI325X Accelerators	128	GPU boards
AMD	Pollara-400-1Q400P	AMD Pollara 400	1024	NIC Adapters
FS	184798	400GBASE-XDR4 QSFP112 Single Mode Transceiver, MPO-12 APC, 2km reach over parallel SMF	1024	NIC Transceivers
APC	AR3357SP	APC NetShelter SX, Server Rack Enclosure, 48U, Shock Packaging, 2000 lbs, Black, 2258H x 750W x 1200D mm	32	Data Center Racks
APC	APDU10452SM	APC by Schneider Electric NetShelter 42-Outlets PDU	64	Data Center Rack PDUs

#### Rack #5,23 - L1 BE Network Racks

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MFG	MFG Part No / SKU	Material Description	Total Qty 2 Racks	Notes	
Arista	DCS-7060X6-64PE-F	Arista 7060X6, 64 x 800GbE OSFP switch, front-to-rear air, 2xAC; L3 license; cloudvision 3yr; NBD HW support	16	L1 BE Net Switch	
Arista	OSFP-800G-2XDR4	Arista 800GBASE-2XDR4 OSFP Transceivers; 2x 400GBASE-XDR4 Transceiver, Dual MPO-12 connector, 2km over parallel SMF	128	L1 BE Net Transceivers	
FS	69008	2m MTP* Jumper, MTP*-12 APC (Female) to MTP*-12 APC (Female), 12 Fibers, Single Mode (OS2)	256	L1 Be Net Fiber Cables	
Arista	DCS-7260CX3-64E-F	Arista 7260X3, 64x100GbE QSFP & 2xSFP+ Enhanced switch, front-to-rear air, 2xAC	4	FE Net Switch	
Arista	MMA1B00-C100D	Arista Networks QSFP-100G-SR4 Compatible QSFP28 MPO-12/UPC MMF Optical Transceiver Module, Support 4 x 25G-SR	64	FE Net Switch Transceivers	
Broadcom	BCM957608-P2200GQF00	Broadcom P2100G - 2 x 100GbE PCle NIC	64	FE Net NICs	
FS.com	QSFP-100G-SR4	Broadcom compatible 100GBASE-SR4 QSFP100 Transceiver	64	FE Net NIC Transceivers	
FS.com	12FMTPOM4	MTP* Jumper, MTP*-12 UPC (Female) to MTP*-12 UPC (Female), 12 Fibers, Multimode (OM4)	64	FE Net fiber Cables	
Arista	DCS-7010TX-48-F	Arista 7010TX, 48x 10/100/1000 RJ45 & 4 x 25G SFP (1/10/25GbE) switch, front to rear air, 2xAC; 3yr cloudvision; 3yr NBD HW replacement	2	OOB MGMT Switch	
FS.com	C6UTPSGSPVC	Cat6 28AWG Snagless Unshielded (UTP) PVC CM Slim Ethernet Network Patch Cable	128	OOB MGMT Cat 6 Cables	
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APC	APDU10452SM	APC by Schneider Electric NetShelter 42-Outlets PDU	4	Data Center Rack PDUs	

#### Rack #14, #32 - L1 FE Network Racks

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MFG	MFG Part No / SKU	Material Description	Total Qty 2 Racks	Notes			
Arista	DCS-7260CX3-64E-F	Arista 7260X3, 64x100GbE QSFP & 2xSFP+ Enhanced switch, front-to-rear air, 2xAC	4	FE Net Switch			
Arista	MMA1B00-C100D	Arista Networks QSFP-100G-SR4 Compatible QSFP28 MPO-12/UPC MMF Optical Transceiver Module, Support 4 x 25G-SR	64	FE Net Switch Transceivers			
Broadcom	BCM957608-P2200GQF00	Broadcom P2100G - 2 x 100GbE PCle NIC	64	FE Net NICs			
FS.com	QSFP-100G-SR4	Broadcom compatible 100GBASE-SR4 QSFP100 Transceiver	64	FE Net NIC Transceivers			
FS.com	12FMTPOM4	MTP* Jumper, MTP*-12 UPC (Female) to MTP*-12 UPC (Female), 12 Fibers, Multimode (OM4)	64	FE Net fiber Cables			
APC	AR3357SP	APC NetShelter SX, Server Rack Enclosure, 48U, Shock Packaging, 2000 lbs, Black, 2258H x 750W x 1200D mm	2	Data Center Racks			
APC	APDU10452SM	APC by Schneider Electric NetShelter 42-Outlets PDU	4	Data Center Rack PDUs			

#### Rack #XX - L2 Spine Network Rack

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MFG	MFG Part No / SKU	Material Description			
Arista	DCS-7060X6-64PE-F	Arista 7060X6, 64 x 800GbE OSFP switch, front-to-rear air, 2xAC ; L3 license ; cloudvision 3yr ; NBD HW support			
Arista	OSFP-800G-2XDR4	Arista 800GBASE-2XDR4 OSFP Transceivers ; 2x 400GBASE-XDR4 Transceiver, Dual MPO-12 connector, 2km over parallel SMF			
FS	69008	2m MTP® Jumper, MTP®-12 APC (Female) to MTP®-12 APC (Female), 12 Fibers, Single Mode (OS2)			
Arista	DCS-7260CX3-64E-F	Arista 7260X3, 64x100GbE QSFP & 2xSFP+ Enhanced switch, front-to-rear air, 2xAC			
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APC	APDU10452SM	APC by Schneider Electric NetShelter 42-Outlets PDU			



Total Qty 1 Rack Notes

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L2 BE Net Switch
L2 BE Net Transceivers

L2 Be Net Fiber Cables FE Net Spine Switch

FE Net fiber Cables

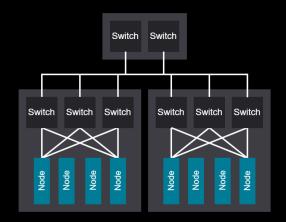
Data Center Racks

Data Center Rack PDUs

FE Net Spine Switch Transceivers

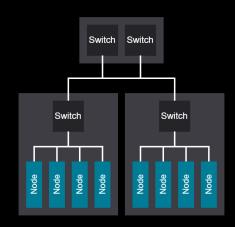
# **Cluster Network**

#### **Basic Network Topologies**



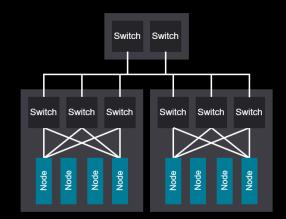
#### **2-Tier Rail Network**

- Enables large scalable unit sizes for large jobs or replica sizes
- Efficient for workloads favoring ring-based collectives
- Higher infrastructure costs



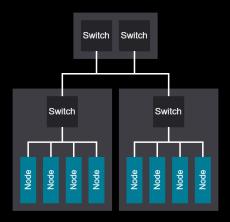
#### **2-Tier Tree Network**

- Efficient for small workloads or replicas
- Easy to add capacity with proper planning
- Potentially allows for lower infrastructure costs
- Limited blast radius compared to rail networks



#### 3-Tier Rail TH5/J3 Network

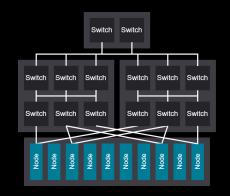
- Spine switches replaced with a 2-tier Jericho3-Al/Ramon3 fabric for increased maximum cluster size
- Deep buffers and scheduled fabric aid greatly with congestion issues in large clusters at a small latency penalty

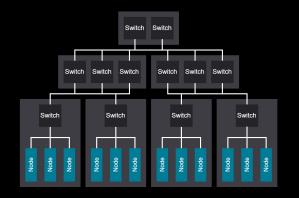


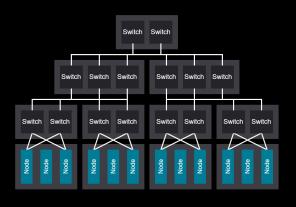
#### 3-Tier Tree TH5/J3 Network

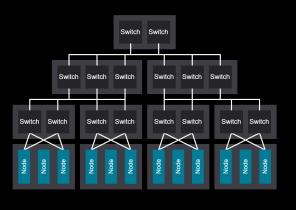
Same benefits from switch to scheduled spine fabric as with rail, but retains the primary characteristics of tree networks

#### **Basic Network Topologies Continued**









# 3-Tier Rail Optimized Network

- Allows for massive scalable unit sizes
- Best ring-based collective performance at scale; at the cost of poor any-any performance

#### 3-Tier Tree Network

- Allows for massive cluster sizes
- Best any-any performance at scale
- Suitable for a "campus style" deployment

# 3-Tier Hybrid Rail Network

- Allows for massive cluster sizes with large scalable units
- Favors ring-based collectives, but does not sacrifice significant any-any performance on large jobs
- Suitable for a "campusstyle" deployment

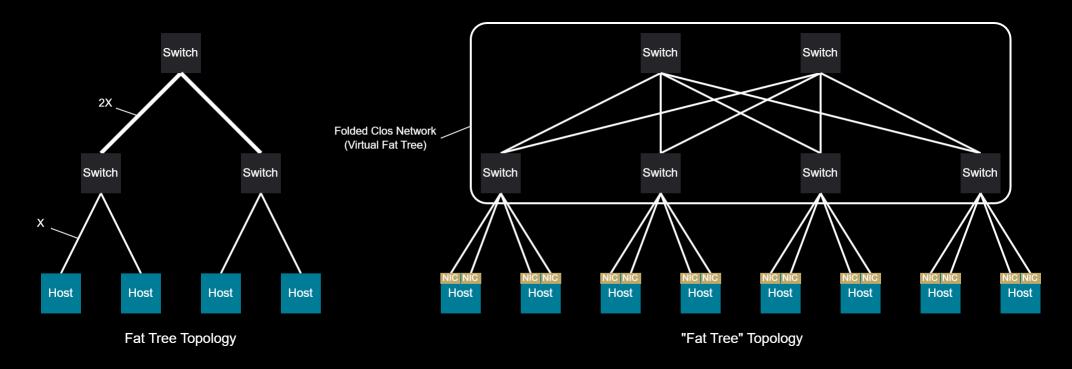
# 3-Tier Fully Scheduled Rail Network

- Medium sized scalable units
- Excellent congestion performance due to deep buffers and scheduled fabric
- Technical limitations limit cluster size to ~32K GPUs in recommended configuration

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## **Tree and Rail**

#### Fat Tree Terminology In Cluster Design

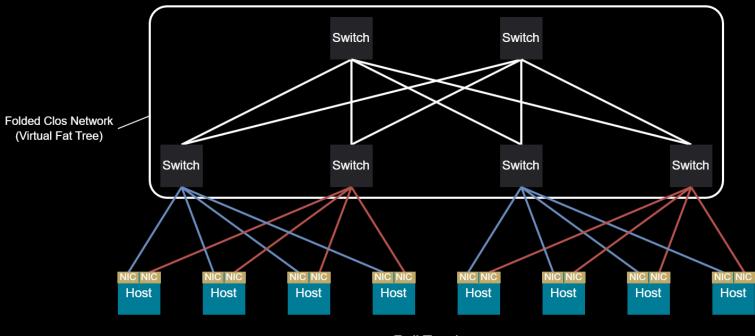


The canonical fat tree topology is a network concept where a switch's connection to upstream peers has at least parity bandwidth with the total aggregate bandwidth of its downstream connections. This causes links between switches to become "fatter" as they get closer to the core.

The "fat tree" topology for AI/ML clusters instead refers to how a host is connected to its upstream switches; in this case all host NICs terminate on the same switch. It can also be considered 1-rail network. The network itself is generally a 3-stage or 5-stage folded Clos network due the fixed radix of network switches.

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#### Rail Networks In Cluster Design



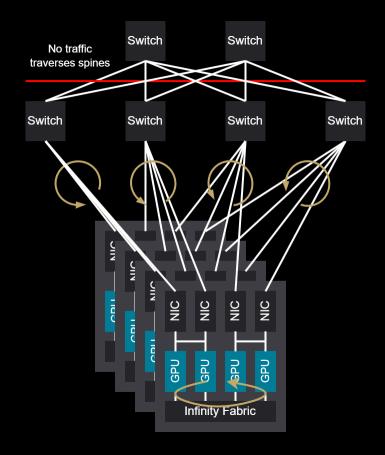
Rail Topology

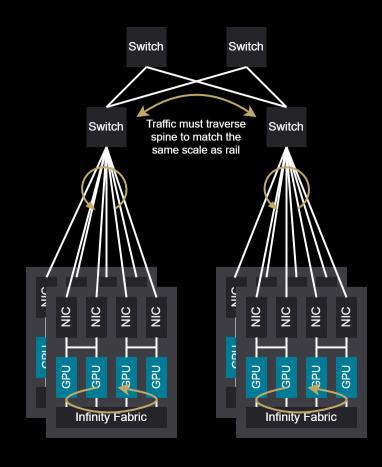
Rail networks leverage the same folded Clos network as tree networks, but host connections are instead aggregated onto switches based on NIC rank. These shared ranks are referred to as rails and allow the network to provide preferential latency for connections which share the same rail. The downside to this design is any traffic which needs to cross rails/ranks must traverse either the network spine layer, or Infinity Fabric (PXN).

The above example shows an example 2-rail network, with the rails colored blue and red to differentiate them.

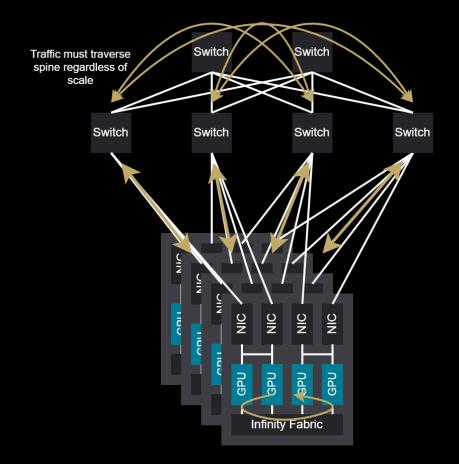


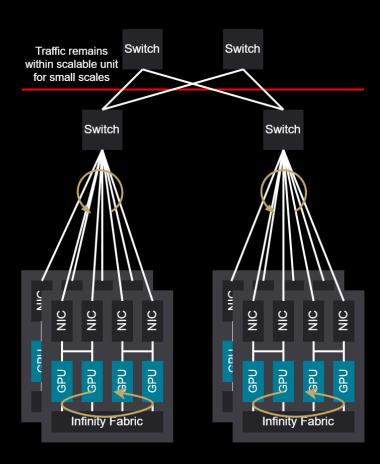
### Rail Enables Larger Single Hop Ring Domains





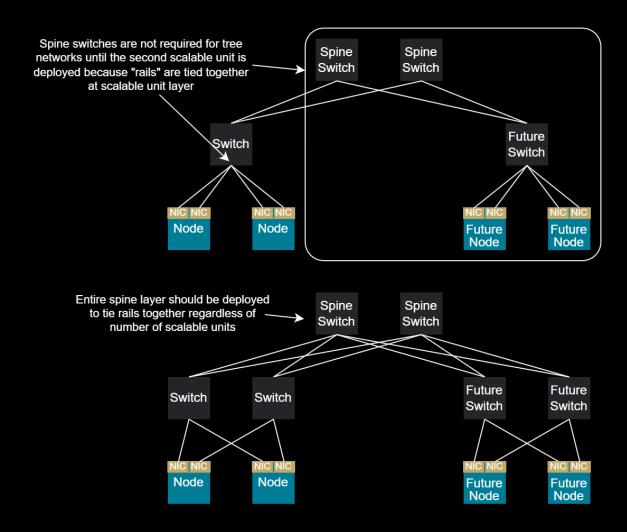
#### **Tree Handles Cross-Rank Traffic Better**



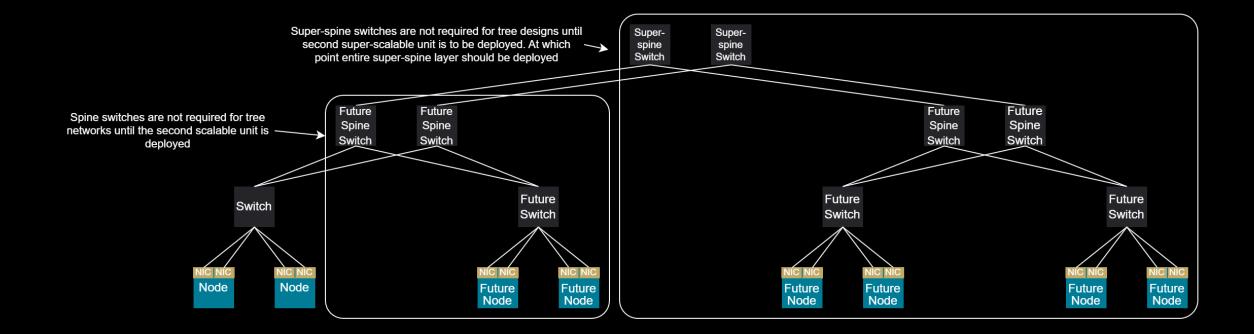


# **Scaling Networks**

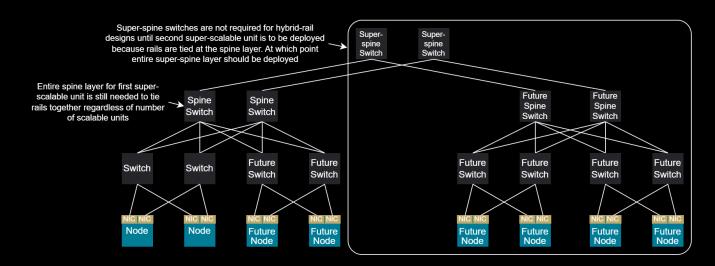
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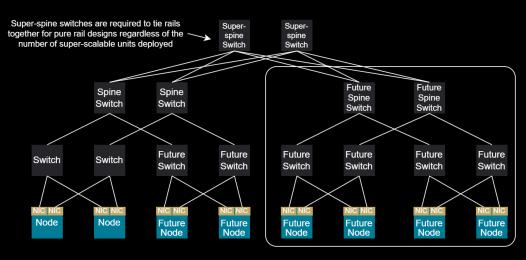


## Cluster Backend Deployment Strategy for 3-tier Tree Networks



### Cluster Backend Deployment Strategy for 3-tier Rail Networks





#### **Network Subscription**

Subscription is the relationship between what is provided by the upstream network and what is required by the downstream network in demand side.

It is typically represented as a ratio:

Downstream Demand: Upstream Capacity

1.1 subscribed network would be equal downstream capacity to upstream capacity.

Example: 1:1.16 = (1 downstream demand : 1.16 upstream capacity. In this example there is .16 more upstream capacity)

Or as a percentage:

$$Subscription Rate = \frac{Downstream Demand}{Upstream Capacity}$$

80% subscription ratio could be referred to as "20% undersubscribed", or a 120% subscription ratio could be referred to as "20% oversubscribed".

## **Network Design Examples**

#### **Network Topology Design Notations:**

#### **Design note:**

Designs included are based on either Jericho / Ramon switch type (Arista, Ciena, Nokia) or 51.2T switch type (Arista, Cisco, Dell, Juniper)

Vendors/switch models vary for port count and features – please consult desired vendor port count directly to confirm.

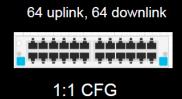
#### **Scalable Units/PODs note:**

Diagrams presented are designed around a Scalable Unit or POD – which can determine overall network end to end latency and Al use cases.

Certain ML/Al workloads may require change of scalable unit size. Please consult with AMD Architecture as required.

## Network Layout - 128 GPU Cluster 16 Nodes – Single Switch

Example 128 port switch



67 uplink, 56 downlink, 5 unused

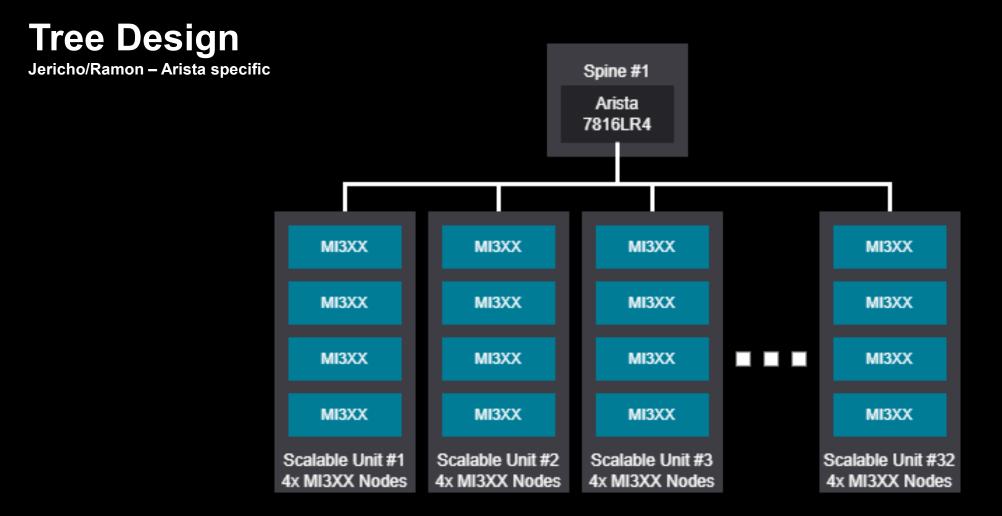


16% Undersubscription

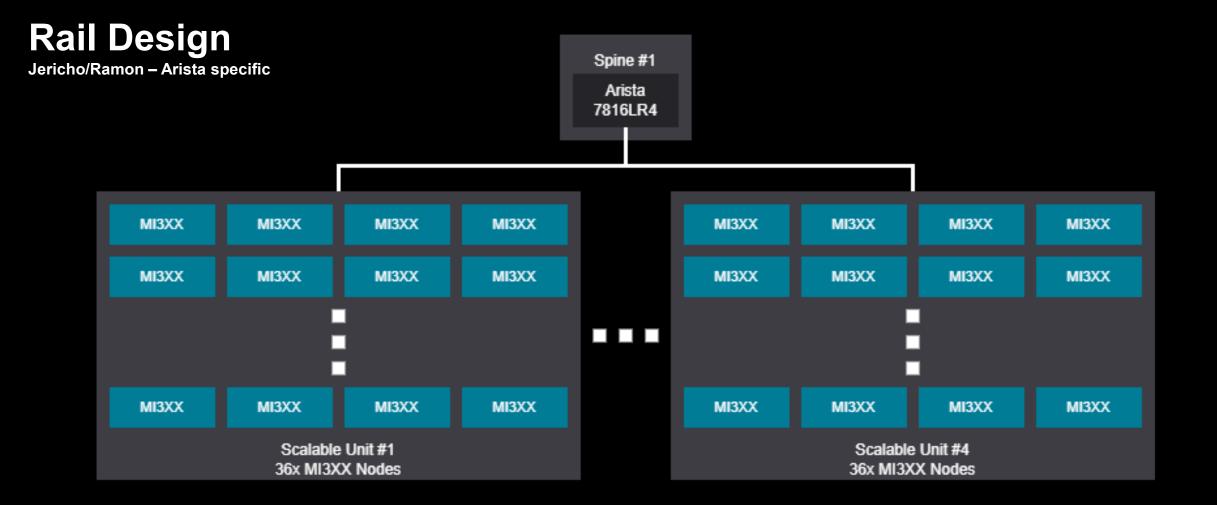
#### Fat Tree / Rail

Tier	Leaf switch	Spine switch	Superspine switch
3 tier	16%	1-1	All

## Network Diagram - 128 GPU to 1024GPU (16 to 128 Nodes)



## Network Diagram - 128 GPU to 1152GPU (16 to 144 Nodes)

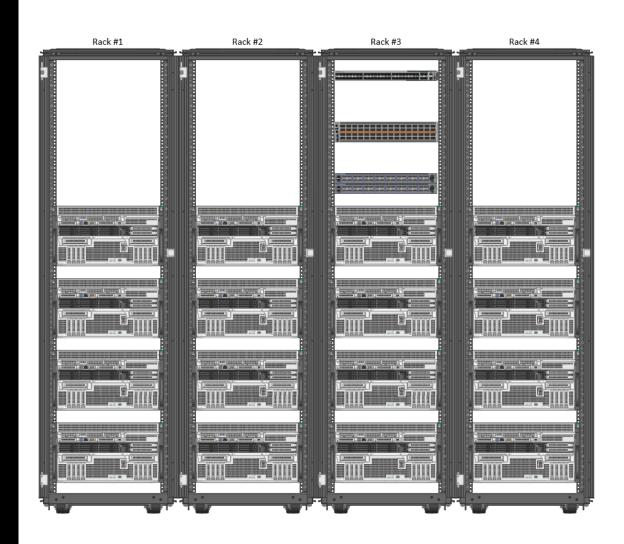


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## **Appendix 1 – Vendor Specific Designs**

**HPE – Arista Design – Sample Racks (POD)** 

### Sample Rack Elevation - 128 GPU (16 Nodes) - Single Switch



#### Rack #1, #2, #4 - GPU Racks

4 x HPE XD685 MI325 GPU Nodes
Rack Power Estimate: 52 KW

#### Rack #3 – GPU + Network Rack

4 x HPE XD685 MI325 GPU Nodes 1 x Arista TH5 800G 64p Switch – L1 BE Net 2 x Arista 32p 100G Switch – FE Net 1 x Arista 48p 1G Switch – OOB MGMT

#### Rack Power Estimate: 55 KW

#### Hardware Power Estimate

MI325 GPU Node – 13KW Arista TH5 800G 64p Switch – 2250W Arista 100G 632p Switch – 350W Arista 1G 48p Switch – 95W

Total Solution Power Estimate: 211 KW

128 GPU MI325X Cluster

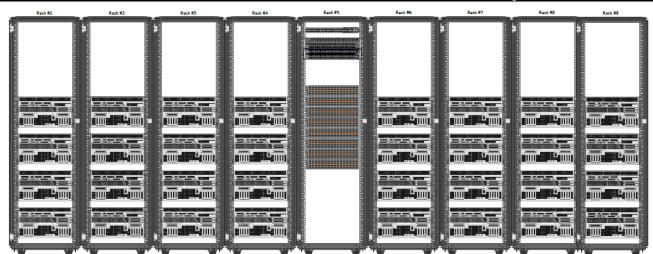
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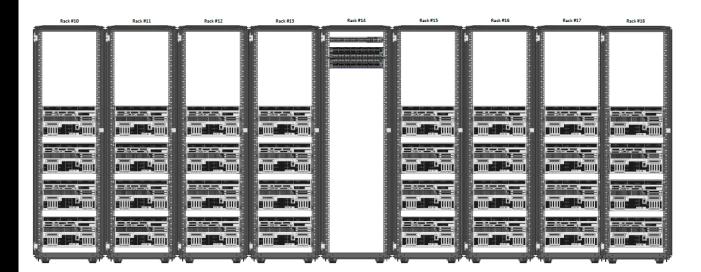
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## Sample Rack Elevation - 512GPU (64 Node) POD- Rail-Optimized





Rack #1 - #4, #6-#13, #15-#18 - GPU Racks 4 x HPE XD685 MI325 GPU Nodes Rack Power Estimate: 52 KW

Rack #5 – L1 BE Network Rack 8 x Arista TH5 800G 64p Switch – L1 BE Net 2 x Arista 64p 100G Switch – FE Net

1 x Arista 64p 100G Switch – FE Net 1 x Arista 48p 1G Switch – OOB MGMT Rack Power Estimate: 20 KW

Rack #14 – L1 FE Network Rack
2 x Arista 64p 100G Switch – FE Net
1 x Arista 48p 1G Switch – OOB MGMT
Rack Power Estimate: 2 KW

Rack #XX – L2 Spine Network Rack 8 x Arista TH5 800G 64p Switch – L2 BE Net 2 x Arista 64p 100G Switch – FE Net Spine Rack Power Estimate: 20 KW

Hardware Power Estimate
MI325 GPU Node – 13KW
Arista TH5 800G 64p Switch – 2250W
Arista 100G 64p Switch – 927W
Arista 1G 48p Switch – 95W

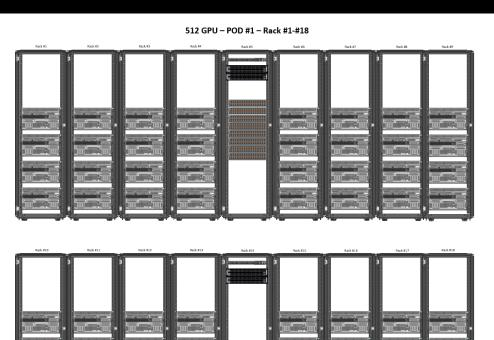
Total Solution Power Estimate: 888 KW



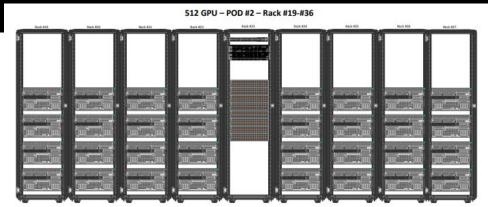




# Sample Rack Elevation - 1024GPU (128 Node) POD- Rail-Optimized













# **Appendix 2 - Topological Variations**

# 128 GPU Generic Topology Design Examples

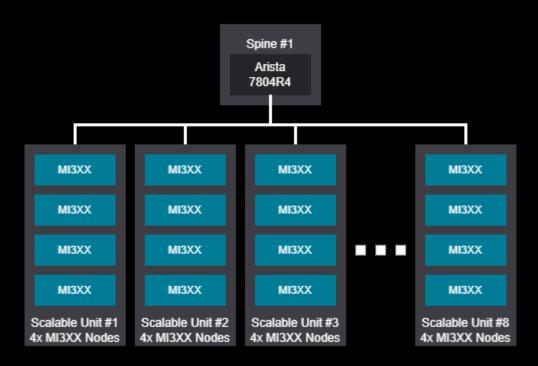
# 8-128 GPU Single Switch Design



- Can use Cisco G200 or Broadcom Tomahawk 5
- Single switch design will give the best performance possible compared to any alternative
- Extremely simple configuration and deployment

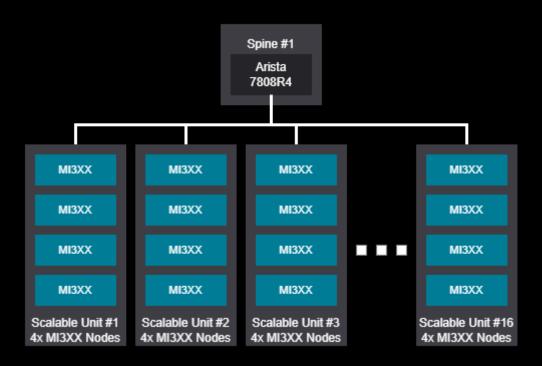


#### 129-256 GPU Tree Design



- Built around the Arista 7800R4 Jericho3-Al/Ramon3 series chassis switch
- Functionally a 2-tier network, but managed as a single switch
- Fully scheduled fabric
- Extremely simple configuration and deployment
- Tree vs rail topology is accomplished by adjusting which ports a node is connected to the switch
- Tree can scale to a slightly smaller cluster than rail

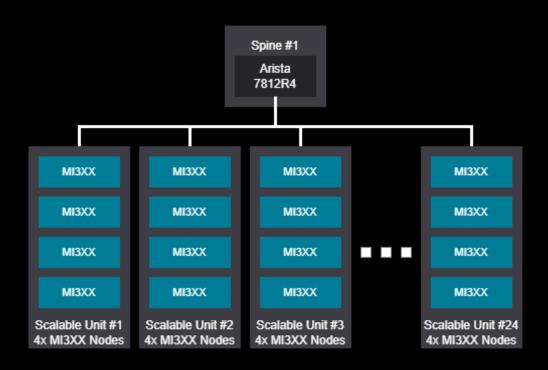
#### 257-512 GPU Tree Design



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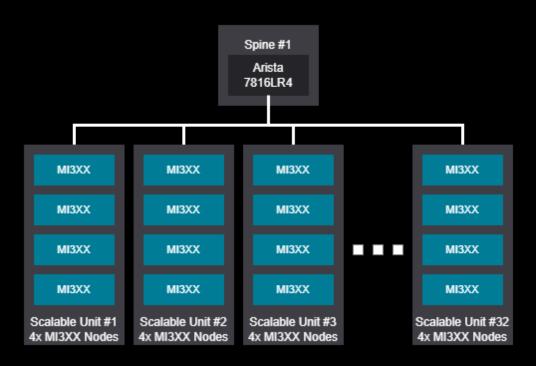


#### 513-768 GPU Tree Design



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#### 769-1024 GPU Tree Design

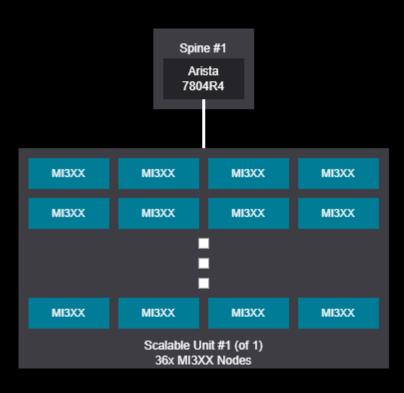


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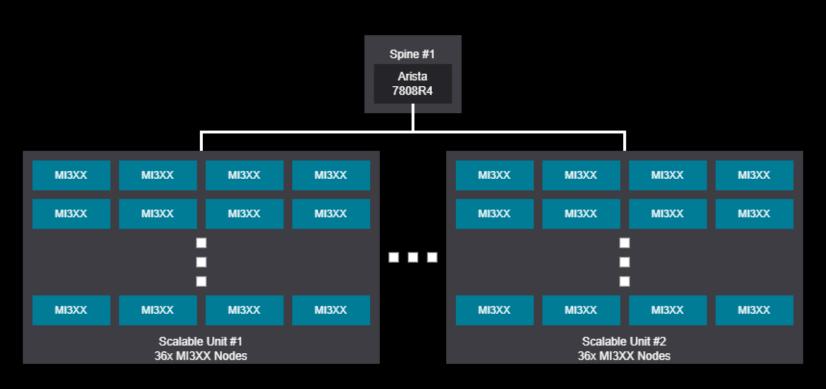
# 129-1152 GPU Rail Designs – Jericho/Ramon Specific

#### 129-288 GPU Rail Design



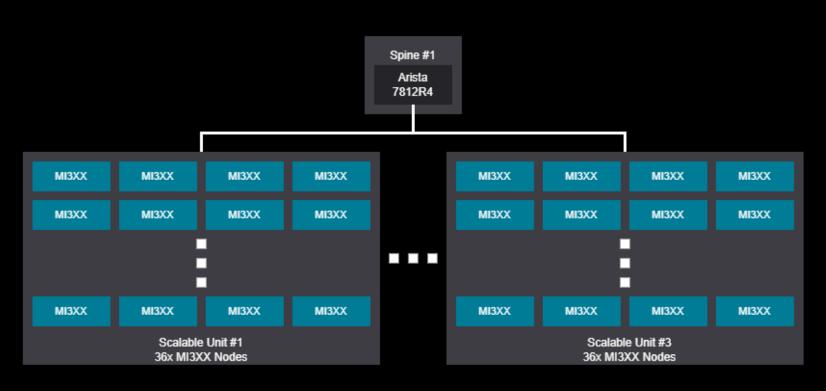
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- Rail can scale to a slightly larger cluster than tree

#### 289-576 GPU Rail Design



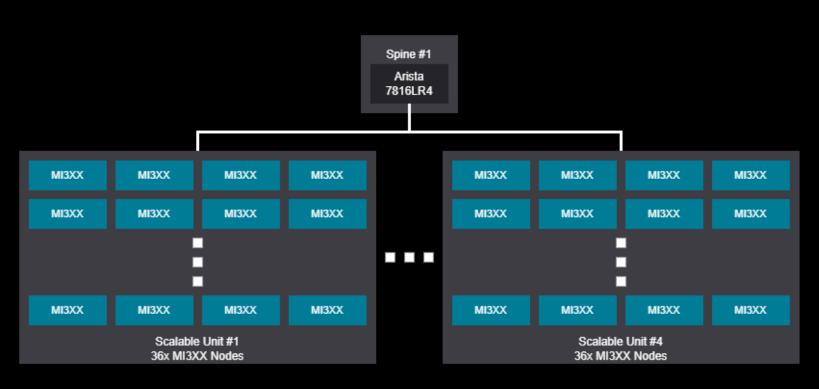
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#### 577-864 GPU Rail Design



- Built around the Arista 7800R4 Jericho3-Al/Ramon3 series chassis switch
- Functionally a 2-tier network, but managed as a single switch
- Fully scheduled fabric
- Extremely simple configuration and deployment
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#### 865-1152 GPU Rail Design



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