

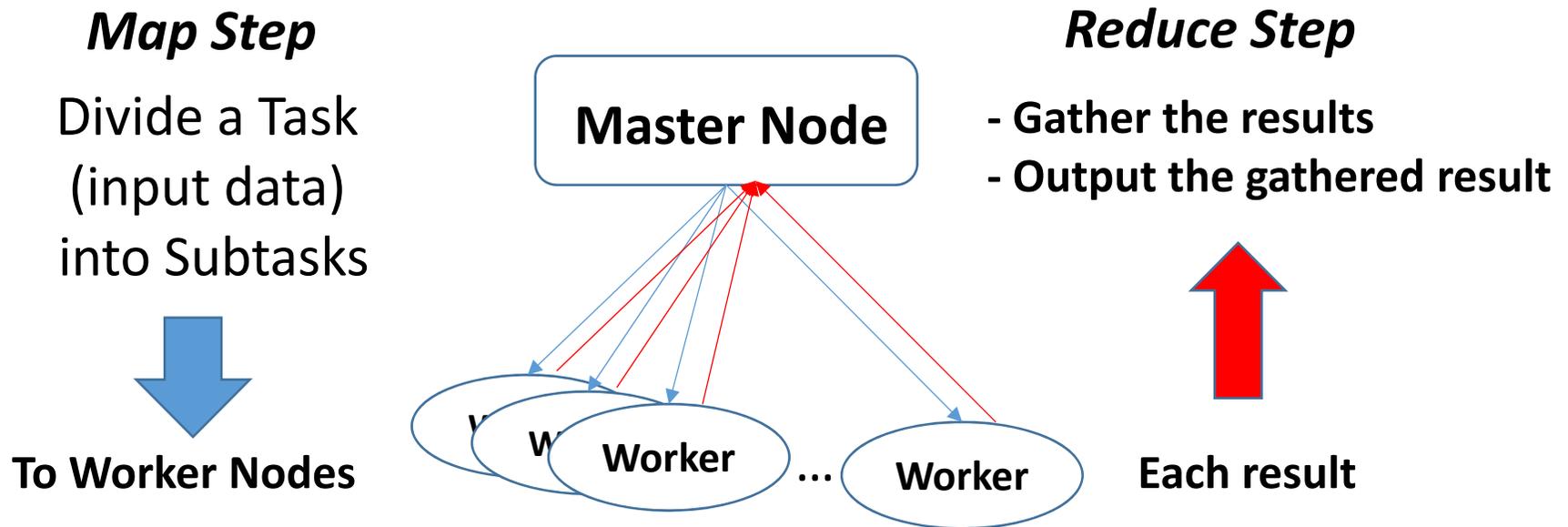
Yet Another Parallel Hypothesis Search for Inverse Entailment

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Background

Example of Distributed Computing Model: **MapReduce**



However...

MapReduce is effective when each subtask is full independent



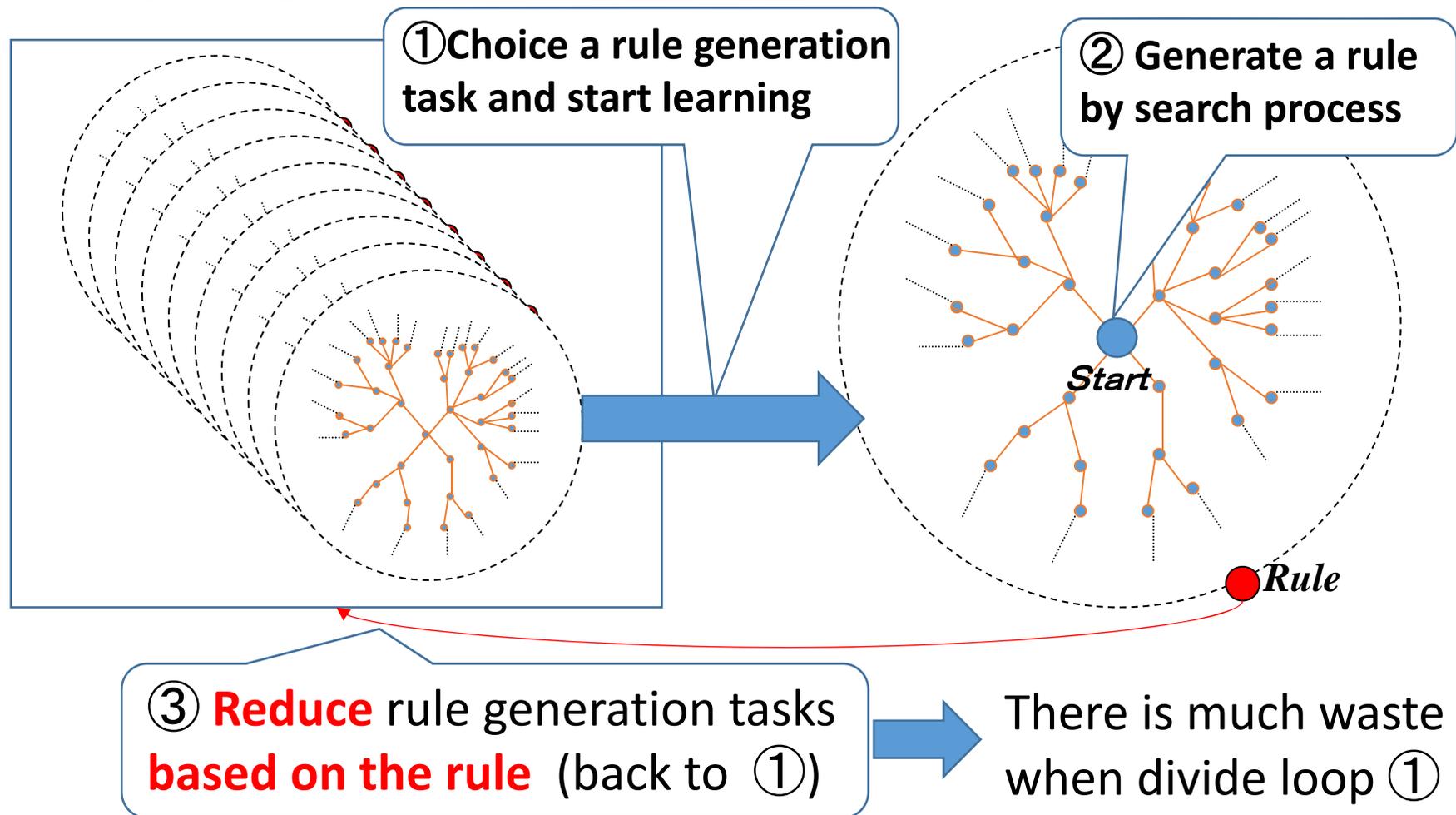
Not suitable for Inductive Logic Programming

Flow of ILP (Inductive Logic Programming)

ILP has 2 repetition processing loops in learning

Many rule generation tasks

Executing a rule generation



Our Purpose

Speed up ILP tool by parallel processing

We divide the search process for generate a rule



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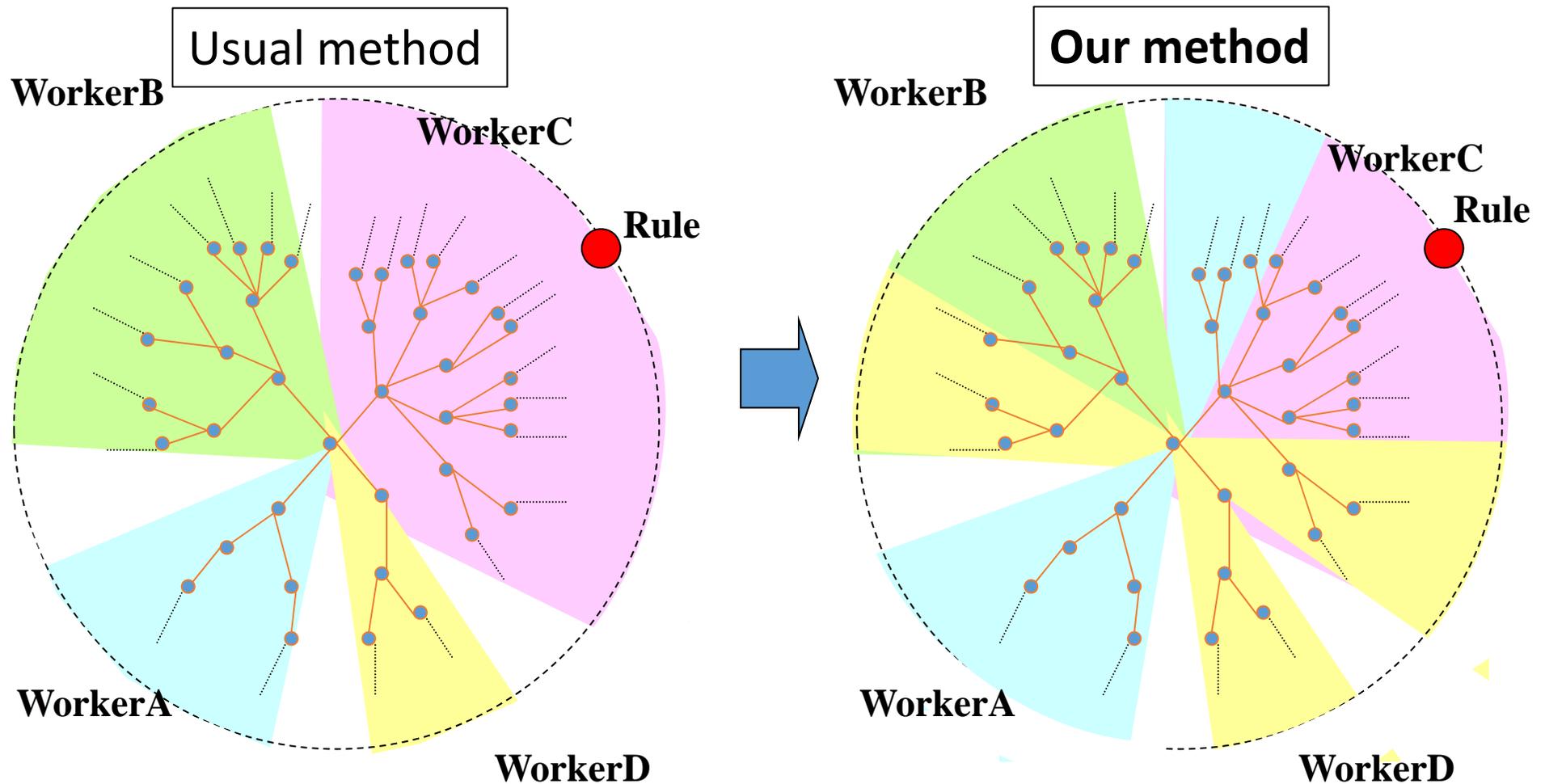
Realize effective parallel processing

Our Approach

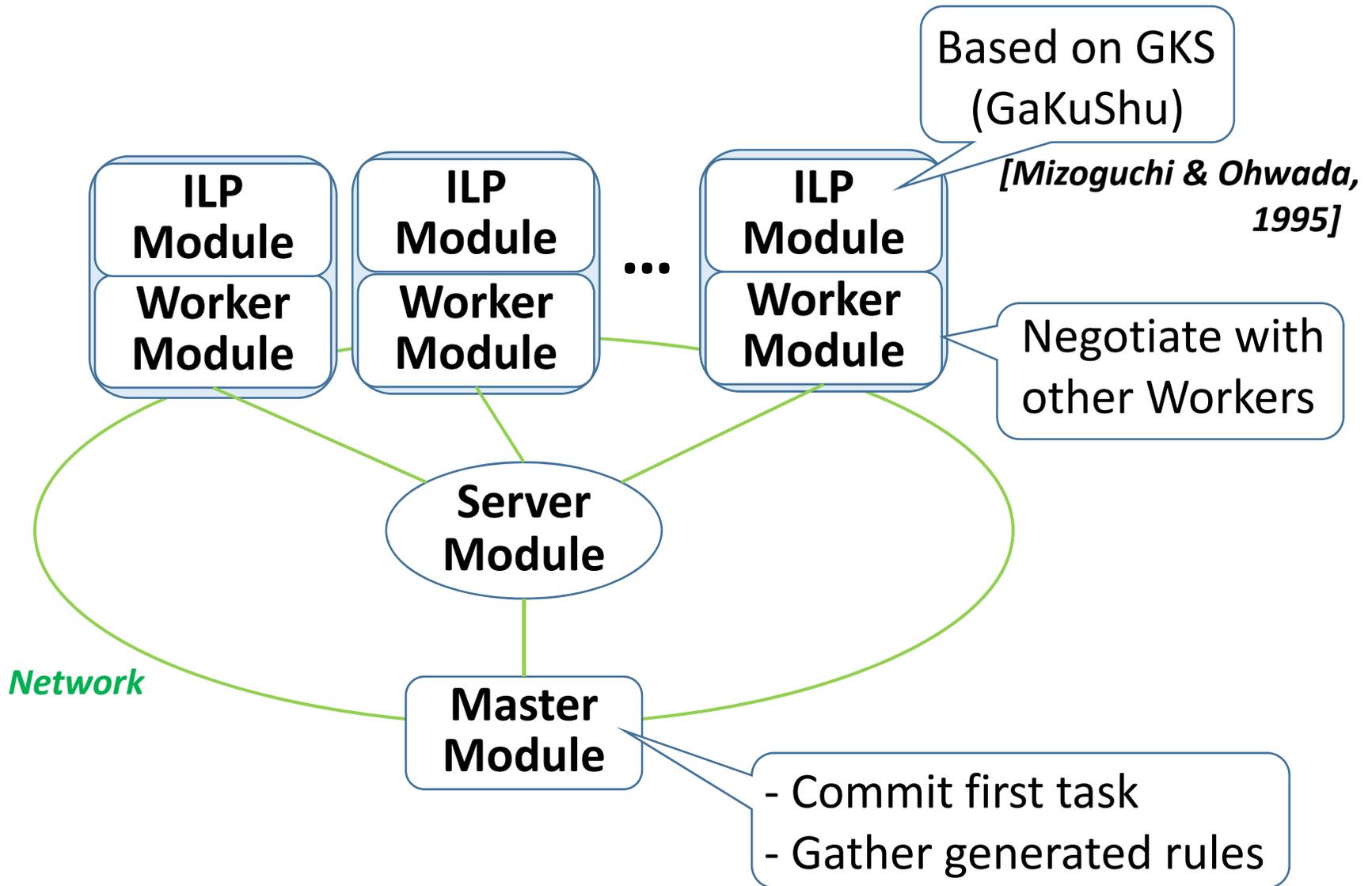
Usual method only assigns subtasks to workers



Each worker communicates with each other
and requests (or accepts) a part of the subtask



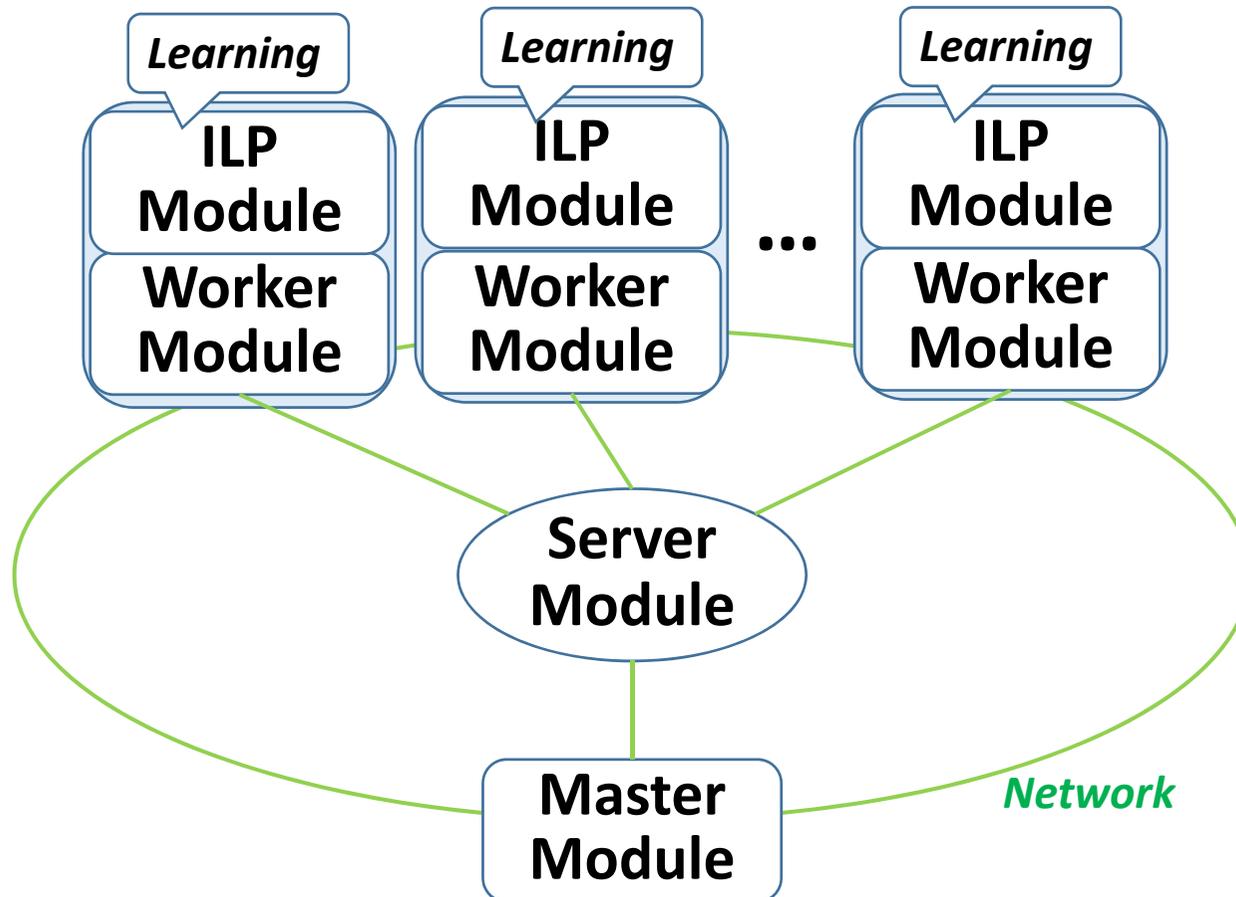
System Configuration



(All modules were implemented by Java language)

State that all Workers are Assigned (Saturation of the Task)

- All workers sent a request message to other all workers
- All workers received request messages from other all workers

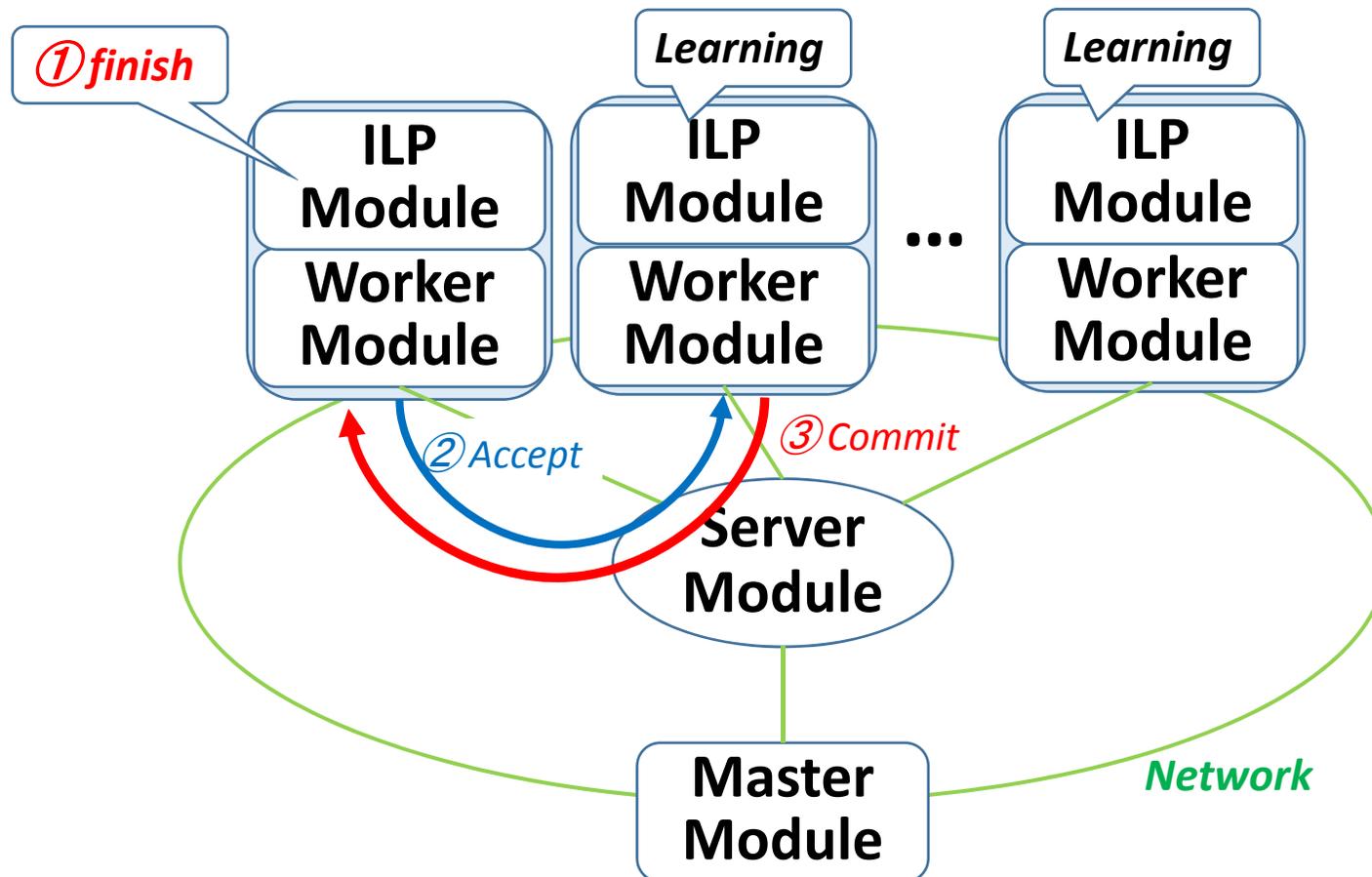


State that all Workers are Assigned (Saturation of the Task)

When one worker's learning task is finished



The worker accepts and is committed



Experiment

Environment

2 PC (total 12 CPUs)

(Intel(R) Core(TM) i7-5820K CPU @ 3.30GHz 16.0GB 64bit)

Data

- Drug Design for Human (Sample Problem)

From “In Silico Screening of Zinc (II) Enzyme Inhibitors Using ILP”

[Ito, Ohwada et al., ILP2015] (Yesterday’s presentation)

Using 1 CPU: 724 sec.

- Drug Design for Plant (Large Scale Problem)

From “Extracting the Common Structure of Compounds to Induce Plant Immunity Activation using ILP”

[Matsumoto, Ohwada et al., ILP2015] (Yesterday’s presentation)

Using 1 CPU: 56,372 sec. (15.66hours)

Main Display of Parallel Execution (12 workers)

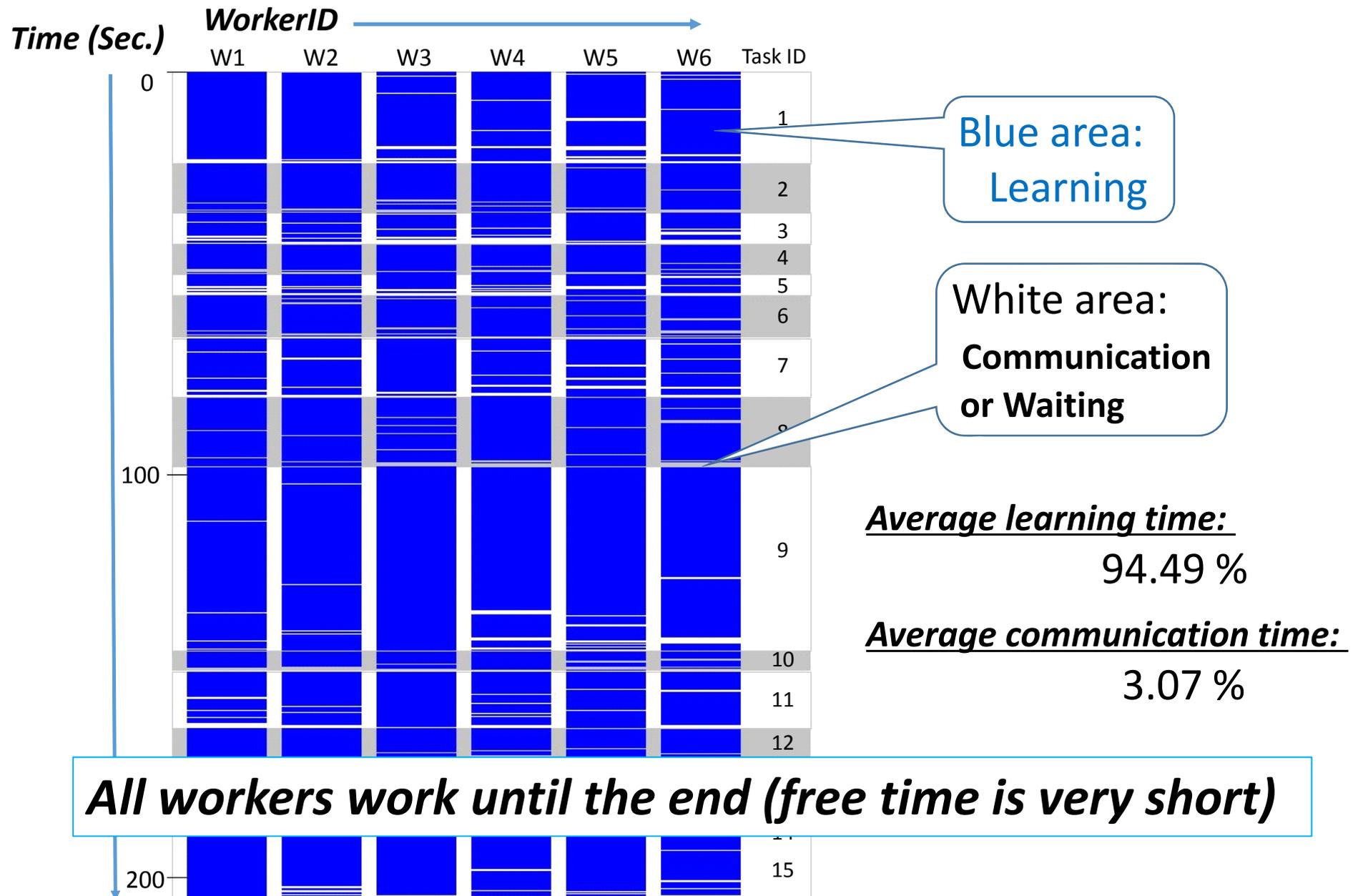
The image displays 12 parallel SubAgent windows, numbered 1 through 12, arranged in a 3x4 grid. Each window shows the execution progress of a task on a specific worker. The windows are titled 'SubAgent: 1' through 'SubAgent: 12'. Each window contains a log of messages and a control panel at the bottom.

Key elements in each window include:

- nowTask:** T:1,A:0,Sub:0 (for agents 1-4) or T:1,A:7,Sub:220 (for agents 5-8) or T:1,A:1,Sub:230 (for agents 9-12).
- requestTask:** T:1,Sub:240 (for agents 1-4) or T:1,Sub:193 (for agents 5-8) or T:1,Sub:211 (for agents 9-12).
- requestedNum:** 11 (for agents 1-4) or 11 (for agents 5-8) or 11 (for agents 9-12).
- Log:** A list of messages such as 'agentIDをサーバから受け取りました ID: 1', 'requestメッセージ受信: taskID: 1, from agentID: 0, subTaskID: 0', 'acceptメッセージを送信: accept 0 1 1 0', 'commitメッセージ受信: taskID: 1, from agentID: 0', 'Commit成立: タスクを受け入れて処理開始', '依頼元: 0, タスクID: 1, subTaskID: 0', 'タスクの受信開始', 'タスクの受信完了', and '新しいタスクを引受ける'.
- Control Panel:** Host = localhost, Port = 28000, Connect, Close, and Quit buttons.

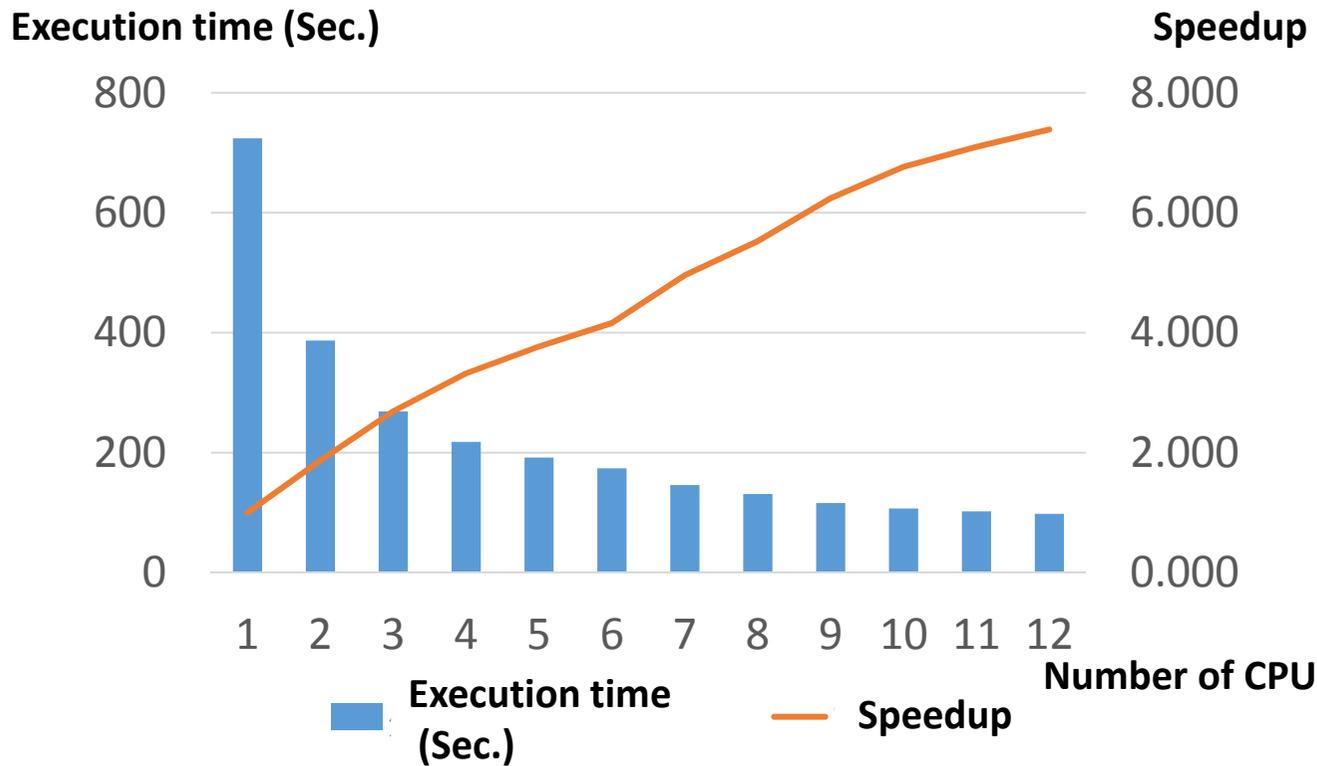
The windows are arranged in a 3x4 grid. The top row contains SubAgent: 1, 2, 3, and 4. The middle row contains SubAgent: 5, 6, 7, and 8. The bottom row contains SubAgent: 9, 10, 11, and 12. The bottom of the image shows a Windows taskbar with various icons and a system tray with the date 2014/12/10 and time 20:45.

Operational status of each worker in the parallel-processing experiment using six workers (6CPUs) for the Sample Problem



Experimental Results

Sample Problem (Drug Design for human) (12CPU: 6 CPU × 2 PC)



Add PC

Large-scale problem (Drug Design for plant) (6CPU × 2 + 4CPU × 2)

Number of CPU	Execution time (sec.)	Speedup
1	56372	1.000
12	5723	9.850
20	3563	15.821

Conclusion

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All workers work until the end (free time is very short)



Realize effective parallel processing