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# HPC Market Update: HPC/AI Market Results, and High Growth Areas

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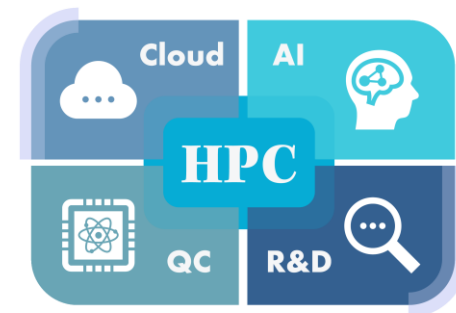
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- **Traditional HPC**
- **AI: ML, DL, LLM & Large Scale AI**
- **Cloud Computing**
- **Quantum Computing**
- **Storage & Big Data**
- **Interconnects**
- **Software & Applications**
- **Power & Cooling**
- **The ROI and ROR from Using HPC**
- **Tracking all Processor Types & Growth Rates**
- **R&D and Engineering -- All Types of High Tech**
- **Edge Computing**
- **Staffing & Supply Chain Issues**



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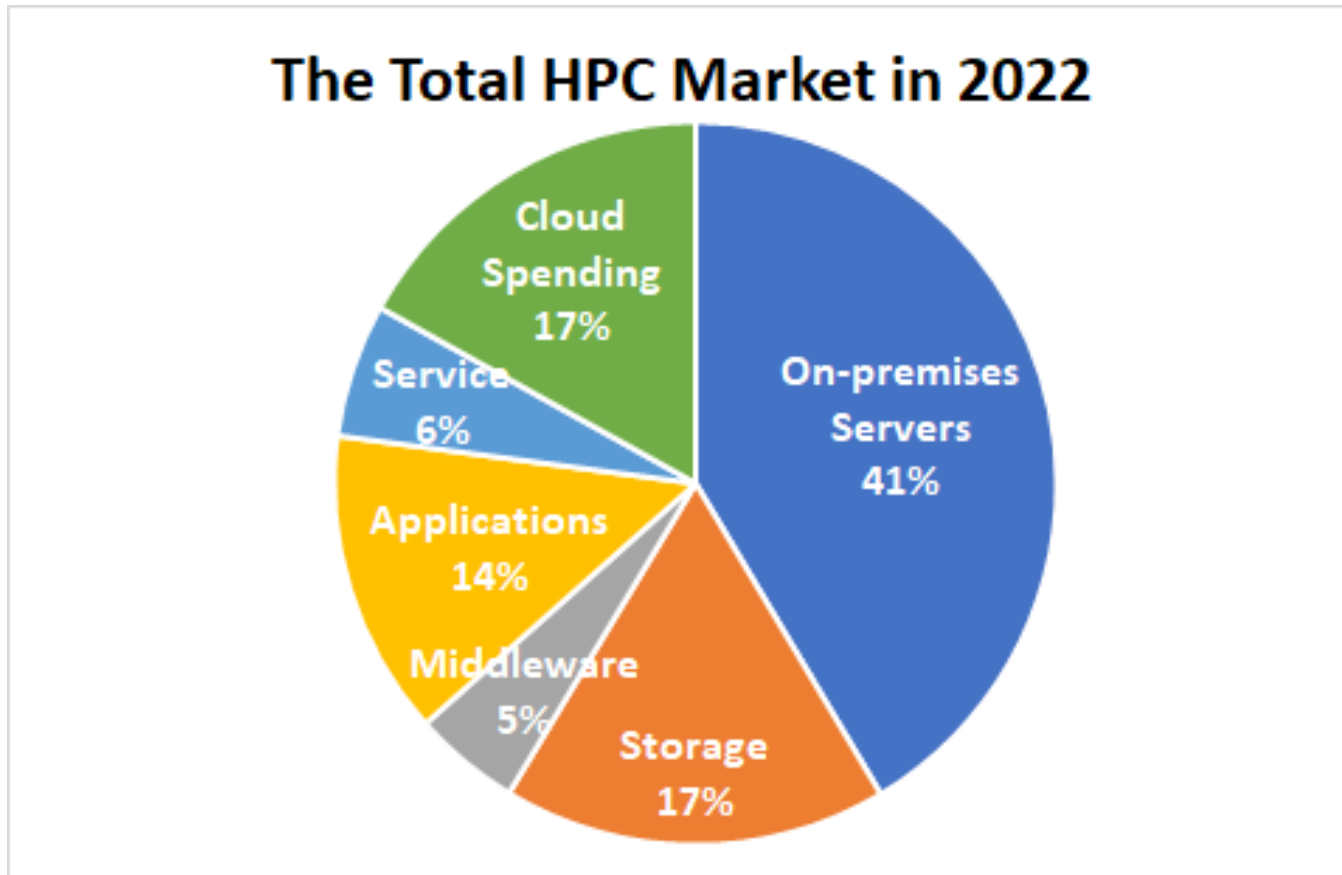
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# HPC Market Update

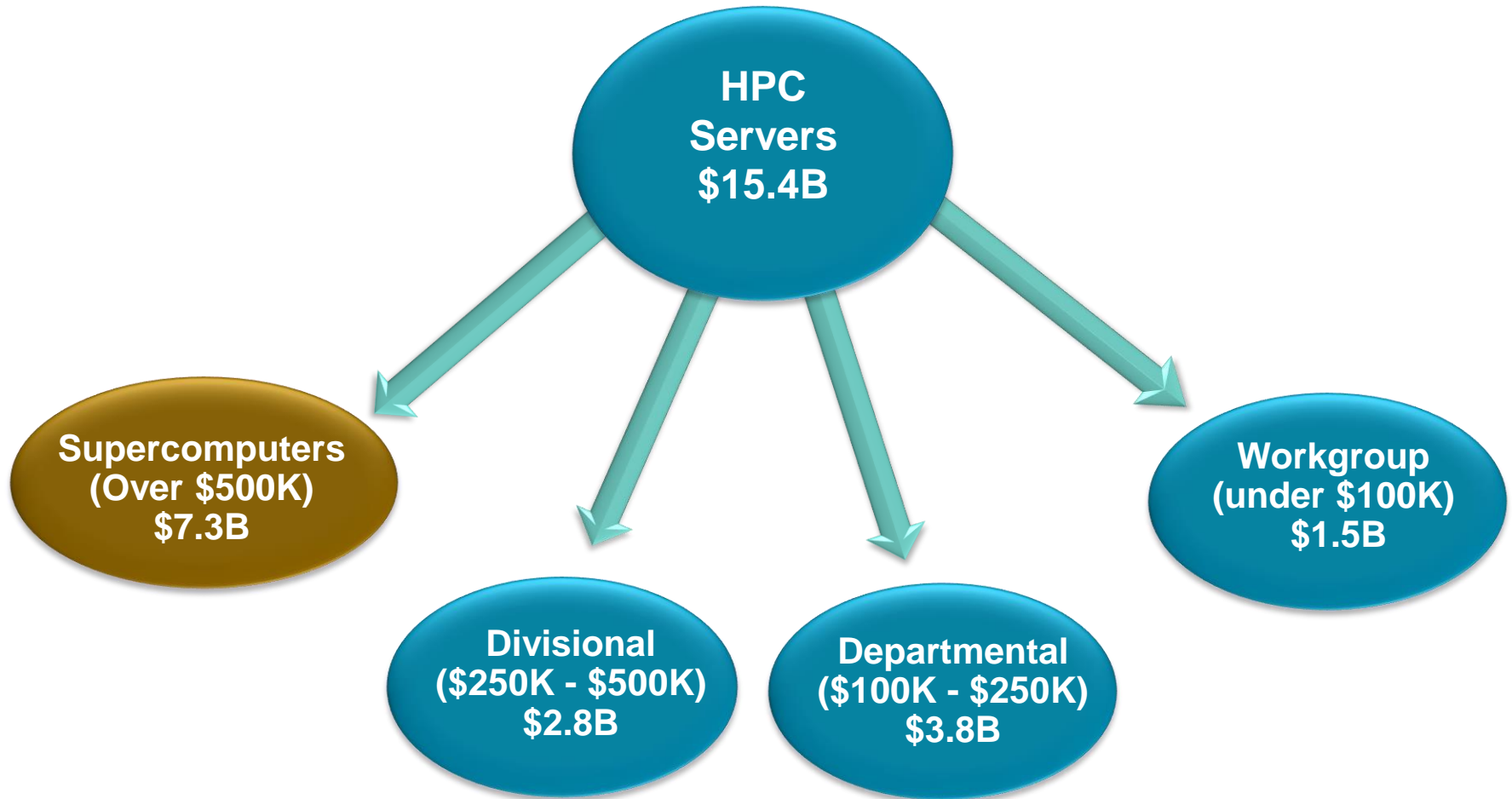
# The Overall HPC Market in 2022

*Looking at the overall HPC market, including servers, cloud usage, storage, software and repair services = \$37.3 billion US dollars*



# The 2022 Worldwide On-Prem HPC Server Market: \$15.4 Billion (up 4.3%)

*2023 is projected to be around \$16.5 Billion*





# 2022 WW HPC On-Prem Market by Vendor and Sector (\$ Millions)

<b>HPC On-premises Server Market (\$M)</b>	
<b>Vendor</b>	<b>2022</b>
<b>HPE</b>	\$5,137
<b>Dell Technologies</b>	\$3,575
<b>Lenovo</b>	\$1,201
<b>Inspur</b>	\$1,073
<b>Sugon</b>	\$603
<b>IBM</b>	\$505
<b>Atos</b>	\$480
<b>Fujitsu</b>	\$230
<b>NEC</b>	\$207
<b>Penguin</b>	\$442
<b>Other</b>	\$1,988
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$15,441</b>

*Source: Hyperion Research, 2023*

<b>HPC On-premises Server Market (\$M)</b>	
<b>Sector/Vertical</b>	<b>2022</b>
<b>Bio-Sciences</b>	\$1,449
<b>CAE</b>	\$1,768
<b>Chemical Engineering</b>	\$173
<b>DCC &amp; Distribution</b>	\$826
<b>Economics/Financial</b>	\$757
<b>EDA / IT / ISV</b>	\$873
<b>Geosciences</b>	\$998
<b>Mechanical Design</b>	\$57
<b>Defense</b>	\$1,602
<b>Government Lab</b>	\$3,342
<b>University/Academic</b>	\$2,677
<b>Weather</b>	\$700
<b>Other</b>	\$221
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$15,441</b>

*Source: Hyperion Research, 2023*

# First Half of 2023 WW HPC On-Prem

(\$ Millions)

*9.5% growth for the first six months of 2023*

First Half 2023 Growth Rate									
	2022				2023		First Half	First Half	Growth
\$ millions	Q122	Q222	Q322	Q422	Q123	Q223	2022	2023	Rate
<b>Supercomputer</b>	\$1,348	\$1,533	\$2,071	\$2,267	\$1,600	\$1,729	\$2,881	\$3,330	15.6%
<b>Divisional</b>	\$608	\$656	\$725	\$815	\$656	\$673	\$1,264	\$1,329	5.1%
<b>Departmental</b>	\$852	\$900	\$1,000	\$1,073	\$925	\$886	\$1,752	\$1,811	3.4%
<b>Workgroup</b>	\$337	\$347	\$412	\$423	\$355	\$384	\$684	\$739	8.0%
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>\$3,144</b>	<b>\$3,437</b>	<b>\$4,209</b>	<b>\$4,578</b>	<b>\$3,536</b>	<b>\$3,673</b>	<b>\$6,582</b>	<b>\$7,209</b>	<b>9.5%</b>
<i>Source: Hyperion Research, September 2023</i>									

# 5-Year On-Prem HPC Server Forecast

*8.0% yearly average growth over the next 5 years  
LLMs and other AI are driving growth increases*

**On-Prem HPC Server Revenue Forecast by Competitive Segment**

\$ millions	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	CAGR 22-27
<b>Supercomputer</b>	\$6,971	\$7,219	\$7,958	\$8,839	\$9,577	\$10,390	\$11,360	9.5%
<b>Divisional</b>	\$2,783	\$2,805	\$3,067	\$3,371	\$3,580	\$3,897	\$4,182	8.3%
<b>Departmental</b>	\$3,614	\$3,826	\$4,020	\$4,397	\$4,660	\$4,981	\$5,336	6.9%
<b>Workgroup</b>	\$1,412	\$1,519	\$1,441	\$1,507	\$1,553	\$1,626	\$1,707	2.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$14,781</b>	<b>\$15,369</b>	<b>\$16,486</b>	<b>\$18,113</b>	<b>\$19,369</b>	<b>\$20,894</b>	<b>\$22,586</b>	<b>8.0%</b>

*Source: Hyperion Research, September 2023*

# On-Prem Broader Market Forecast

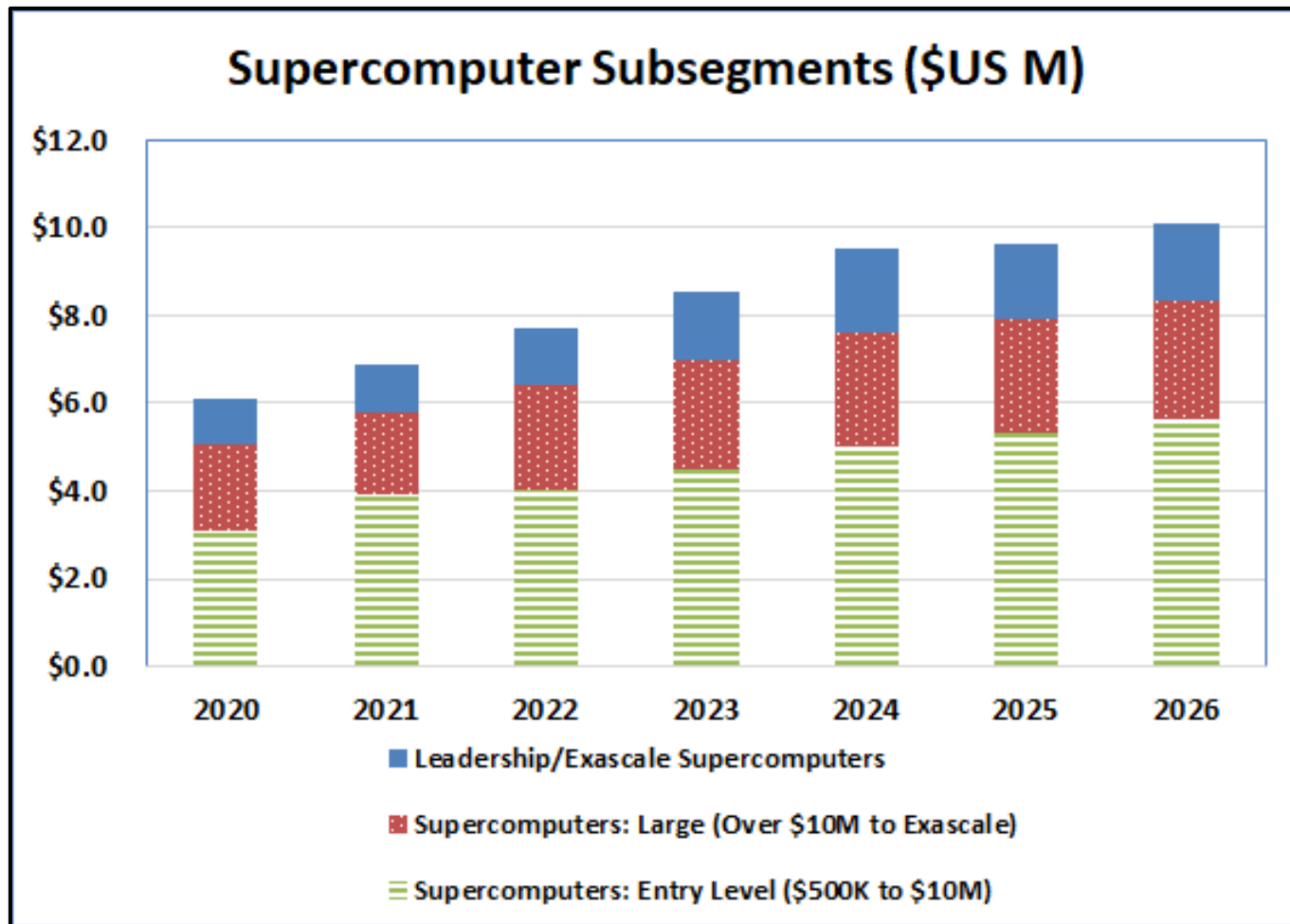
*Overall market to exceed \$44 billion by 2027*

On-Prem Revenues by the Broader HPC Market Areas								
\$ millions	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	CAGR 22-27
<b>Server</b>	\$14,781	\$15,369	\$16,486	\$18,113	\$19,369	\$20,894	\$22,586	8.0%
<b>Storage</b>	\$5,985	\$6,380	\$6,924	\$7,759	\$8,434	\$9,161	\$10,007	9.4%
<b>Middleware</b>	\$1,733	\$1,781	\$1,887	\$2,049	\$2,160	\$2,316	\$2,503	7.0%
<b>Applications</b>	\$4,960	\$5,069	\$5,320	\$5,729	\$6,045	\$6,446	\$6,935	6.5%
<b>Service</b>	\$2,272	\$2,214	\$2,220	\$2,286	\$2,323	\$2,344	\$2,508	2.5%
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>\$29,731</b>	<b>\$30,813</b>	<b>\$32,836</b>	<b>\$35,936</b>	<b>\$38,331</b>	<b>\$41,161</b>	<b>\$44,539</b>	<b>7.6%</b>

*Source: Hyperion Research, September 2023*

# Supercomputer Subsegments

*The market for systems under \$10M US is very large*



# High Growth Areas

# Relative Growth Rates

*The use of LLMs and other AI will likely increase these rates*

- **8.0% On-premises HPC/AI servers**
  - 7.6% HPC/AI broader on-premises market
- **17.2 % GPU boards/accelerators**
  - With increased prices, GPU revenues are growing at a considerably higher rate
- **17.9% Running HPC workloads in the cloud**
- **22.7% AI systems**
  - 32.2% for DL

# The Exascale Market (System Acceptances)

## Exascale and Near-Exascale Leadership Systems (2020 to 2028)

Year Accepted	China	Europe	Japan	US	Other Countries*	Total Systems	Total Value
2020			1 near-exascale system ~\$1.1B			1	\$1.1B
2021	2 exascale ~\$350M each	1 pre-exascale system ~\$180M	--	1 pre-exascale system ~\$200M	--	4	\$1.1B
2022	1 exascale ~\$350M	2 pre-exascale systems ~\$390M <b>total</b>	--	1 exascale system ~\$600M (2/3 accepted 2022)	--	4	\$1.1B
2023	1 exascale system ~\$350M	1 or 2 pre-exascale systems ~\$150M each	1 near-exascale system ~\$150M	1 exascale system ~\$600M + remaining 1/3 of Frontier system	--	5-6	\$1.5B - \$1.6B
2024	1 exascale system ~\$350M	1 exascale ~\$350M, plus 1 exascale (or pre) system ~\$200M	?	1 exascale system ~\$600M	1 pre-exascale system ~\$125M	5	~\$1.6B
2025	1 or 2 exascale systems ~\$300M each	2 or 3 exascale systems ~\$350M each	1 exascale system ~\$200M	1 or 2 exascale systems ~\$350M each	1 near-exascale system ~\$125M	6-9	\$1.7B - \$2.7B
2026	2 exascale systems ~\$300M each	2 or 3 exascale systems ~\$325M each	?	1 or 2 exascale systems ~\$325M each	1 or 2 exascale systems ~\$150M each	6-9	\$1.7B - \$2.5B
2027	2 exascale systems ~\$275M each	2 or 3 exascale systems ~\$300M	1 exascale system ~\$150M	1 or 2 exascale systems ~\$275M each	2 or 3 exascale systems ~\$130M each	8-11	\$1.8B - \$2.5B
2028	2 exascale systems ~\$250M each	2 or 3 exascale systems ~\$275M	1 or 2 exascale systems ~\$150M each	1 or 2 exascale systems ~\$275M each	2 or 3 exascale systems ~\$125M each	8-12	\$1.7B - \$2.6B
<b>Total</b>	<b>12-13</b>	<b>14-19</b>	<b>5-6</b>	<b>8-12</b>	<b>7-10</b>	<b>47-61</b>	<b>\$13.4B - \$16.8B</b>



# 94.3% of Sites Have Accelerators in Their Largest System Today

*Up from 82.7% having accelerators in 2021*

**In Mid 2021**

**In Late 2022**

How many co-processors or accelerators are in your largest HPC technical server?		
	Responses	Percent
None	23	17.3%
Less than 32	28	21.1%
32 to less than 64	18	13.5%
64 to less than 100	19	14.3%
100 to less than 500	18	13.5%
500 to less than 1,000	11	8.3%
1,000 to less than 5,000	10	7.5%
5,000 to less than 10,000	4	3.0%
10,000 or more	2	1.5%
n = 133		
Source: Hyperion Research, 2021		

Largest System Accelerator Count		
Q: How many compute-oriented accelerators/co-processors are in your largest on-premises HPC technical server?		
		Overall Percent
None		5.7%
Less than 32		24.4%
32 to less than 64		15.3%
64 to less than 100		12.5%
100 to less than 500		13.1%
500 to less than 1,000		7.4%
1,000 to less than 5,000		7.4%
5,000 to less than 10,000		2.8%
10,000 to less than 50,000		2.3%
50,000 to less than 100,000		4.0%
100,000 to less than 250,000		3.4%
250,000 to less than 500,000		0.6%
750,000 to less than 1,000,000		0.6%
1,000,000 to less than 5,000,000		0.6%
n = 176; 104; 20; 52		
Source: Hyperion Research, 2023		

# Accelerator Plans for Next Purchases

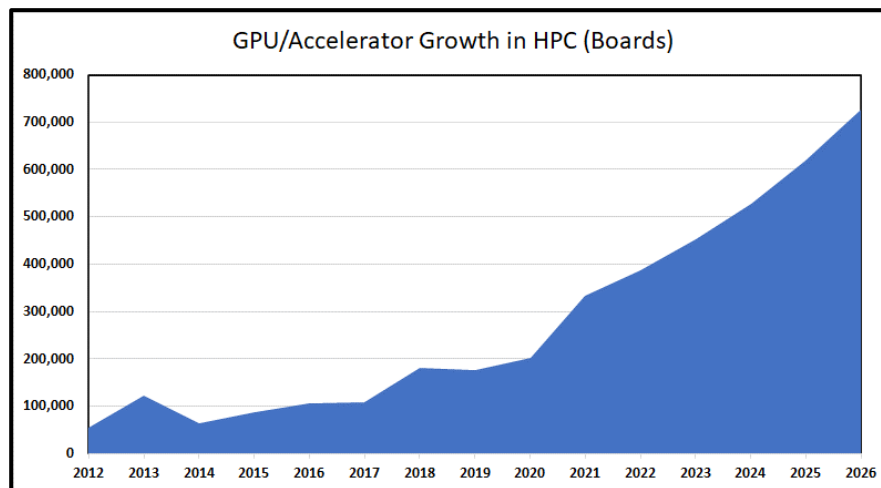
*From our recent end-user MCS study*

<b>Planned Processing Elements by Sector</b>				
Q: In the next 12 – 18 months, which of these processing elements do you expect will be incorporated into your HPC/AI/HPDA compute resources? Select all that apply:				
	<b>Overall Percent</b>	<b>Industry Percent</b>	<b>Government Percent</b>	<b>Academia Percent</b>
<b>GPUs</b>	74.0%	67.9%	85.0%	82.7%
<b>TPUs (tensor processing units)</b>	24.3%	27.5%	25.0%	17.3%
<b>FPGAs</b>	22.7%	28.4%	15.0%	13.5%
<b>Single-purpose AI processors</b>	11.0%	12.8%	5.0%	9.6%
<b>ASICs</b>	8.3%	11.9%	0.0%	3.8%
<b>Neuromorphic processors</b>	7.7%	9.2%	10.0%	3.8%
<b>eASICs</b>	2.2%	3.7%	0.0%	0.0%
<b>Other</b>	2.8%	2.8%	0.0%	3.8%
<b>None</b>	5.5%	7.3%	5.0%	1.9%
n = 181; 109; 20; 52				
<i>Source: Hyperion Research, 2023</i>				

# GPU/Accelerator Forecast

*Anticipated high growth for accelerators over next 5 years*

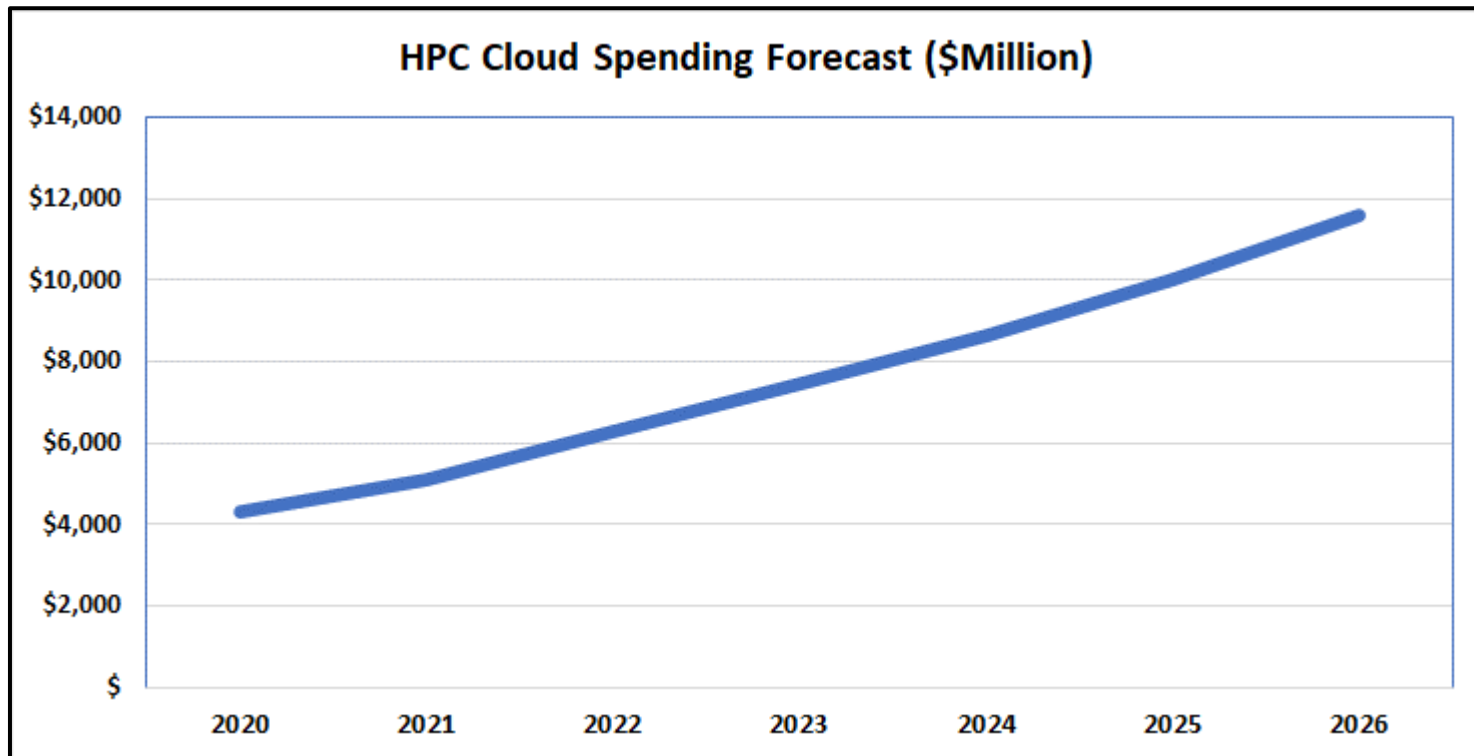
GPU & Accelerators Forecast								
	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	CAGR 22-27
<b>GPC &amp; Accelerator Boards</b>	<b>334,037</b>	<b>386,035</b>	<b>476,371</b>	<b>546,438</b>	<b>639,405</b>	<b>742,853</b>	<b>854,280</b>	<b>17.2%</b>
<i>Source: Hyperion Research, September 2023</i>								



# HPC Cloud Usage Forecast

*17.9% growth over the next 5 years*

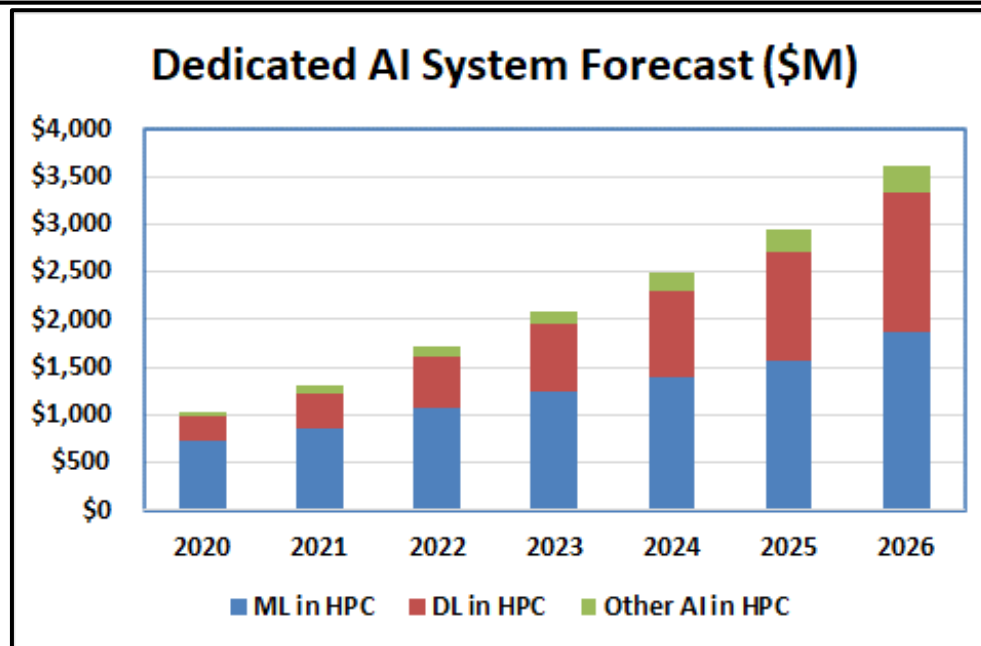
HPC Cloud Spending (\$ Million)								
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	CAGR 21 to 26
<b>HPC Cloud Spending</b>	\$4,300	\$5,100	\$6,304	\$7,472	\$8,630	\$10,011	\$11,613	17.9%
<i>Source: Hyperion Research, 2023</i>								



# AI Forecast

*22.7% growth over the next 5 years*

Worldwide HPC-Enabled AI Forecast (ML, DL, & Other AI) Server Revenue (\$M)								
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	CAGR 21-26
<b>ML in HPC</b>	\$719	\$861	\$1,081	\$1,243	\$1,391	\$1,568	\$1,859	16.6%
<b>DL in HPC</b>	\$263	\$364	\$532	\$708	\$919	\$1,147	\$1,468	32.2%
<b>Other AI in HPC</b>	\$57	\$75	\$104	\$132	\$173	\$226	\$292	31.3%
<b>Total AI Server Revenue</b>	\$1,039	\$1,300	\$1,718	\$2,083	\$2,484	\$2,941	\$3,619	22.7%
<i>Source: Hyperion Research, 2023</i>								



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