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# Accelerating AI Workloads with OCI Supercluster

Oracle AI infrastructure is scalable, performant, and deployable anywhere



# A history of AI infrastructure innovation

### Enabling scalable and cost-efficient AI

Generative AI demands cost-efficient, high performance infrastructure to scale and accelerate model training and deployment.

Oracle has long been a leader in high performance infrastructure, which is now essential for Al workloads. When it launched in 2008, Oracle Exadata featured unique and revolutionary Remote Direct Memory Access (RDMA). In 2016, Oracle Cloud Infrastructure (OCI) was the first to offer bare metal compute instances to give customers maximum performance and control.

OCI Supercluster, launched in 2023, delivers one of the highest performance and lowestcost GPU clusters in the world. Hardware-enabled RDMA on nonblocking networks, substantial local non-volatile memory express (NVMe) storage, and bare metal compute provide the ideal environment for AI training.

Oracle recently launched a petabyte-scale, managed high performance mount target file system, useful for training large-scale large language models (LLMs). There are also plans to add a managed Lustre file system service for trillion-parameter models that require the highest performance storage.



### Innovating with OCI Supercluster

<u>OCI Supercluster</u> provides today's most advanced and highest performance cloud environment for building and deploying AI, scaling up to an industry-leading 131,072 NVIDIA Blackwell GPUs.\* It can offer <u>more than four times</u> the performance of the previous generation, as well as 25X less energy consumption and 25X better TCO.

The generally available <u>OCI Supercluster with NVIDIA H200 Tensor Core GPUs</u> features instances with 76% more high-bandwidth GPU memory capacity and 40% more GPU memory bandwidth than the previous-generation NVIDIA H100 GPU instances, improving LLM inference performance <u>by up to 1.9X</u>. With double the front-end network throughput for data ingestion and retrieval at 200 Gb/sec per instance, data transfer to and from the cluster is also dramatically improved to further accelerate AI model training.

### Companies innovating with OCI



Common Sense Machines leveraged hands-on expertise from OCI to support GenAl startups.

### 😹 Twelve Labs

Twelve Labs gained 5X to 10X training efficiencies, helping it go to market sooner than expected.

### SUND

Suno AI composes quality music and audio with AI foundation models trained on high performance and scalable OCI Supercluster.

\*Scalability for CSP 1: 20,000 NVIDIA H200 GPUs; scalability for CSP 2 and CSP 3: not publicly available



# Al infrastructure for any workload

OCI supports AI workloads of all sizes. This chart illustrates OCI Supercluster's scalability and the range of instances that are available or coming soon. OCI can be deployed anywhere, with the broadest set of options in the industry, including <u>OCI Dedicated</u> <u>Region</u>, <u>Oracle Alloy</u>, and more.



#### Deploy from 1 to 100,000+ GPUs



# How Oracle AI infrastructure stands out



#### **Superior scalability**

With a maximum supercluster scalability of 65,536 NVIDIA GPUs available in 2024 and 131,072 NVIDIA GPUs coming in 2025, OCI can meet the needs of the largest generative AI deployments in the world.



#### **Bare metal instances**

In addition to a purpose-built, dedicated network based on ethernet and NVIDIA Quantum-2 InfiniBand, <u>Oracle AI infrastructure</u> offers bare metal compute instances that remove the overhead of a virtualization layer for applications to access the underlying compute, network, and storage resources.



#### Leading distributed cloud

OCI is a <u>leading provider of</u> <u>distributed cloud infrastructure</u> in the public cloud, sovereign and government clouds, onpremises data centers, and partner data centers.



**Tailored support** 

OCI includes 24/7 operations support and dedicated cloud engineers with AI expertise to guide you in deploying, troubleshooting, and managing AI infrastructure.



#### Pricing

With uniform pricing for services globally, including those running on AI infrastructure, GPU instances on OCI can <u>cost significantly less</u> than those from other CSPs.



Why Uber chose Oracle

# Uber

# Uber uses OCI for more than a million trips per hour

Uber has modernized its application tier and Al infrastructure and migrated much of its operational big data and streaming stack to OCI to help it drive profitable growth, deliver new products to market, and accelerate innovation. 14 Million

Predictions per second

1 Million

Trips every hour

Why Zoom chose Oracle

# zoom

### Zoom AI Companion revolutionizes the way organizations work

Zoom, the AI-first work platform for human connection, scaled its users while improving performance and saving on infrastructure costs. Zoom AI Companion, the company's personal AI assistant, can help users find information, draft emails and chat messages, summarize meetings and make them more actionable, improve brainstorming, kickstart content generation, and more, right in the Zoom Workplace app.

By harnessing OCI's AI inference capabilities, Zoom is able to deliver accurate results at low latency, empowering users to collaborate seamlessly, communicate effortlessly, and boost productivity, efficiency, and potential like never before.

**Bo Yan** Head of Al, Zoom

# Al infrastructure in action: Explore top use cases

### LLM training and inferencing

Al startups and enterprises can train Al models using bare metal GPU instances and ultrafast cluster networking. Leverage developer services for Oracle-managed and self-managed Kubernetes orchestration with support for GPUs, APIs for prebuilt Al services, and third-party tools such as PyTorch, TensorFlow, Kueue, and more.



### Fraud detection augmented by AI

Protecting billions of financial transactions daily requires enhanced AI tools that have analyzed extensive historical transaction data. AI models running on OCI and accelerated by NVIDIA and AMD GPUs help financial institutions mitigate fraud.



### Al-based medical image analysis

Trained models analyze X-rays, CT scans, and MRIs to help prioritize images that need immediate review by a radiologist and report conclusive results from others.



### Drug discovery accelerated by AI

By leveraging AI infrastructure and analytics, researchers can accelerate drug discovery, a process that previously took years. Additionally, AI workflow management tools such as NVIDIA BioNeMo<sup>™</sup> can help researchers curate and preprocess data.

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Database of protein sequences	Train LLM on curated protein data	Refine LLM for specific tasks	Apply model to new protein sequences
OCI Compute with NVIDIA GPUs	Block, object, and file storage	୍ଲିକୁ ୍ରାଲୀ Implementation support	NVIDIA BioNeMo
Deploy and train LLMs on virtual machine and bare metal compute	Leverage storage on each instance and other storage services	Optimize algorithms with help from Oracle's cloud engineering and health innovation teams	Use NVIDIA BioNeMo framework with NVIDIA AI Enterprise

# Distributed cloud and sovereign AI

OCI was named a Leader in the <u>Gartner Magic Ouadrant for Distributed Hybrid Infrastructure</u> and rated highly for both the Sovereignty and Distributed Cloud Architecture critical capabilities.

With OCI, you can run workloads in more locations than with any other hyperscaler; there are 160+ live or planned regions. Further, OCI offers unique multicloud capabilities, including <u>Oracle Database@Azure</u>, <u>Oracle Database@Google Cloud</u>, and <u>Oracle Database@AWS</u>, that let you bring your most useful data to the hyperscale cloud of your choice.

OCI's dedicated region options can support <u>sovereign AI</u>, which refers to governmental or organizational control over AI technologies and associated data. With Oracle, you decide how and where AI technologies are deployed and operated, including specifying the hardware and software infrastructure as well as the policies and personnel used to operate the AI technologies and protect your data.

You can achieve AI sovereignty with Oracle AI and OCI <u>distributed cloud solutions</u>, which give you the power to determine where AI workloads run and how data and systems are managed.



### Deploy AI applications anywhere with OCI distributed cloud

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### Partnering with NVIDIA for success

NVIDIA software combined with OCI's AI cloud infrastructure provides a broad, easily accessible portfolio of tools and services for AI training and inferencing at scale. The following NVIDIA software is available with OCI:

- NVIDIA NIM<sup>™</sup> microservices for accelerating generative AI model deployment anywhere
- NVIDIA DGX<sup>™</sup> Cloud, a high performance, fully managed AI platform that provides optimized accelerated computing clusters
- NVIDIA AI Enterprise, an end-to-end software platform for production AI
- NVIDIA RAPIDS<sup>™</sup>, open source libraries and APIs that use GPUs to accelerate data science and model training, including Apache Spark workloads
- NVIDIA TensorRT-LLM, a library for optimizing LLM inference-it provides state-ofthe-art optimizations, including custom attention kernels, in-flight batching, paged KV caching, quantization (FP8, INT4 AWQ, INT8 SmoothQuant, ++) and much more, to perform inference efficiently on NVIDIA GPUs
- NVIDIA Triton Inference Server, open source software that standardizes AI model deployment and execution across every workload
- NVIDIA BioNeMo<sup>™</sup>, a collection of programming tools, libraries, and models for computational drug discovery

The limitless opportunities for AI-driven innovation are helping transform virtually every business. NVIDIA's collaboration with Oracle Cloud Infrastructure puts the extraordinary supercomputing performance of NVIDIA's accelerated computing platform within reach of every enterprise.

#### Justin Boitano

Vice President of Enterprise AI, NVIDIA

# Get started with AI infrastructure

### Additional AI infrastructure resources

Learn more about RDMA cluster networking, GPU instances, bare metal servers, and more. Explore AI infrastructure

#### See what customers have achieved with OCI

Learn how companies are building and running applications on Oracle's scalable, secure, highly available, fault-tolerant, and high performance cloud environment. <u>Read their stories</u>

#### See how much you can save with OCI

Oracle Cloud pricing is simple and consistently low worldwide, supporting a wide range of use cases. To estimate your low rate, check out the cost estimator and configure the services to suit your needs.

Estimate your costs

### **Connect with AI infrastructure experts**

Get help building your next AI solution or deploying your workload on OCI AI infrastructure.

<u>Contact us</u>

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