

An Approach for Deploying Externally Defined MPI Communicators at Runtime

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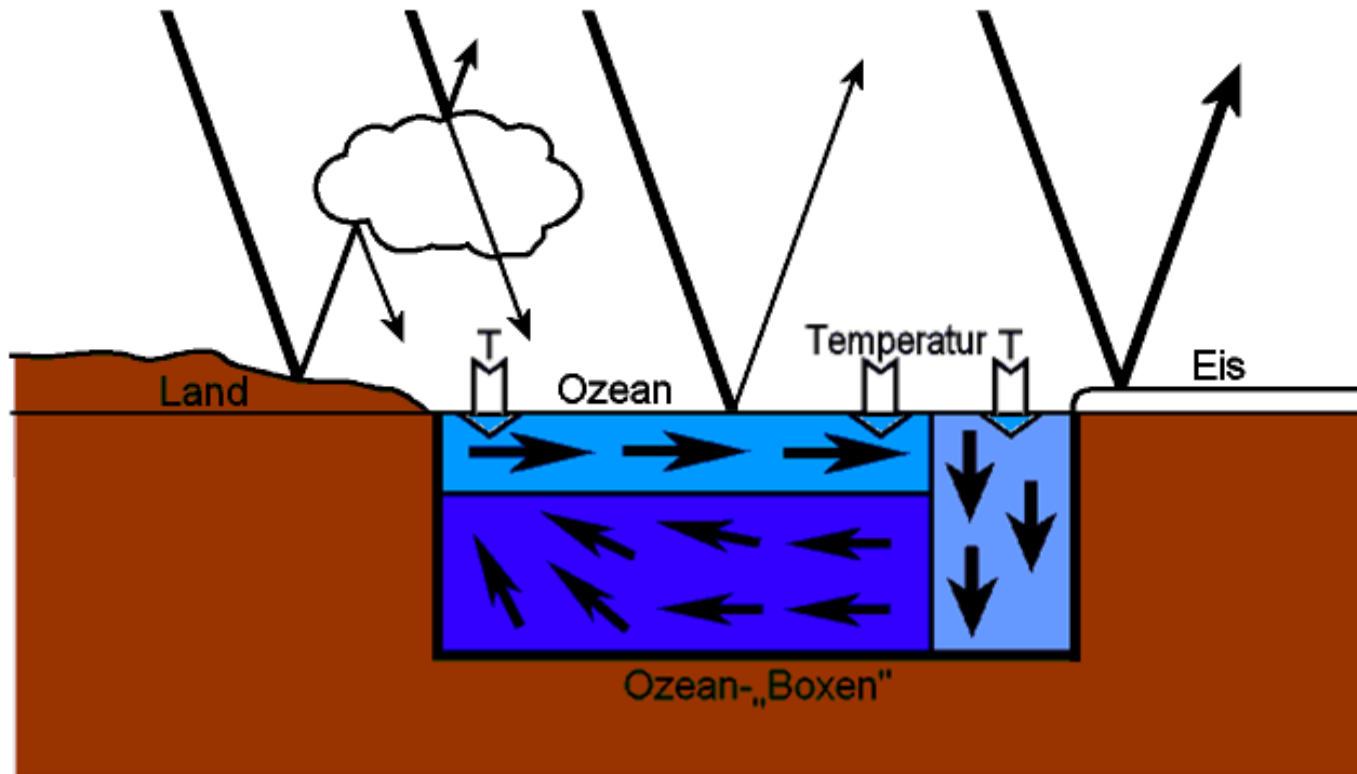


- **Einleitung und Motivation**
- **Kommunikatoren in MPI**
- **Extern definierte MPI Kommunikatoren**
- **Anwendungsbeispiel**
- **Zusammenfassung und Ausblick**

- **Gruppierung von parallelen Prozessen**
 - **unterschiedliche Prozessgruppen** bearbeiten **unterschiedliche Teilaufgaben**
 - Beispiele für **Kontrollflussaufteilung**:
 - Master-Slave-Ansatz
 - Pipeline Parallelisierung
 - gekoppelte Algorithmen
 - ...

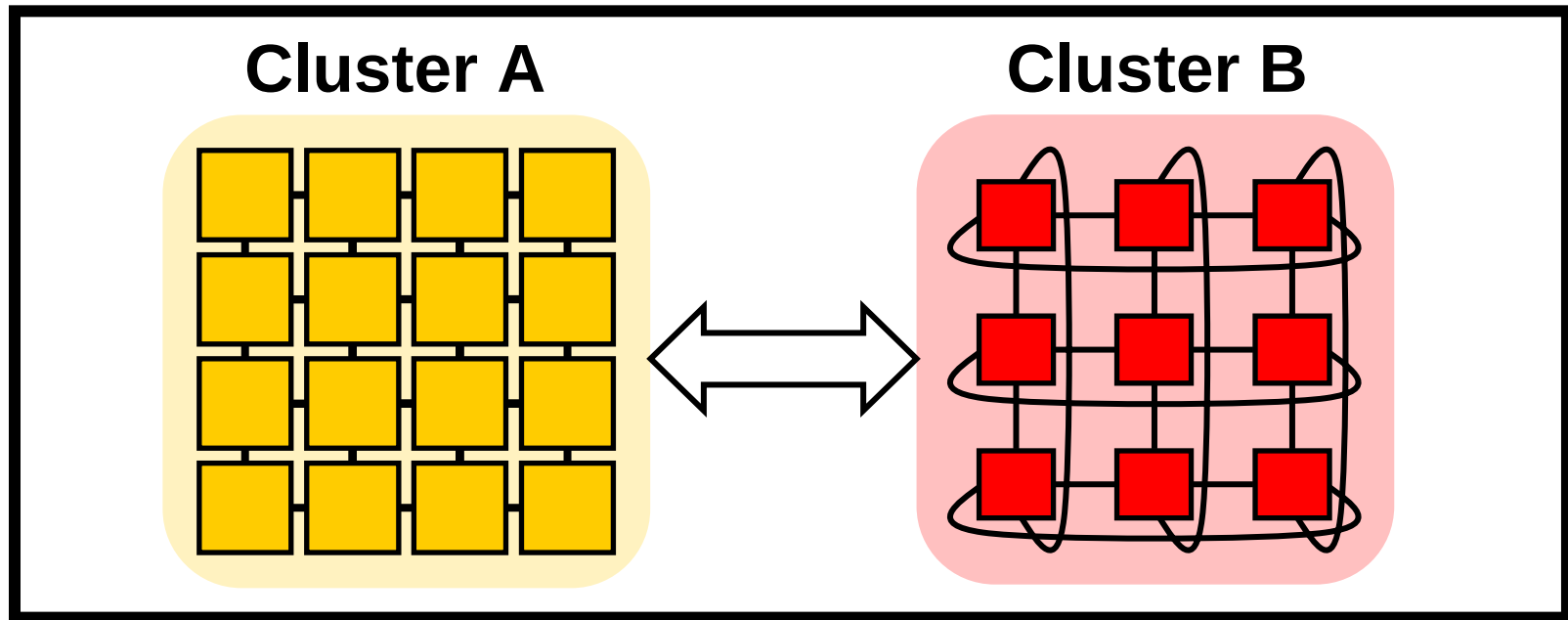
- Gekoppeltes (Simulations-) Algorithmen

Bsp.: **Atmosphäre-Ozean-Kopplung**



- **Gruppierung von parallelen Prozessen**
 - ***Top-Down:***
der Algorithmus gibt die Gruppierung der Prozesse vor
 - ***Bottom-Up:***
die (heterogene) Topologie des Rechnersystems *empfiehlt* eine Gruppierung der Prozesse
- (Bsp.: gekoppelte Cluster / **Metacomputer**)

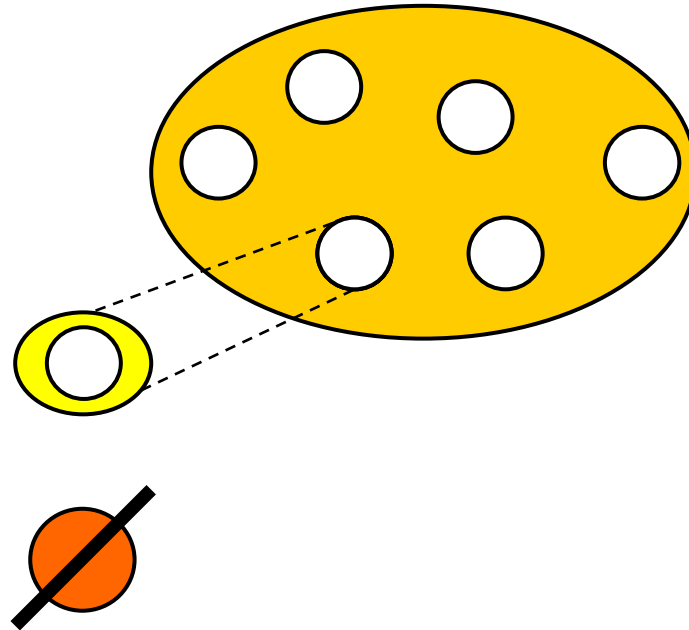
- **Gekoppelte Cluster-Systeme:**



Metacomputer

- **Inter-Cluster-Netzwerk: *Flaschenhals !!!***
→ Gruppierung der Prozesse

- Kommunikatoren $\leftarrow$ Prozessgruppen
- Vordefinierte Kommunikatoren:
 - $\rightarrow$ `MPI_COMM_WORLD`
 - $\rightarrow$ `MPI_COMM_SELF`
 - $\rightarrow$ `MPI_COMM_NULL`
- Kommunikations-Domäne / -Kontext

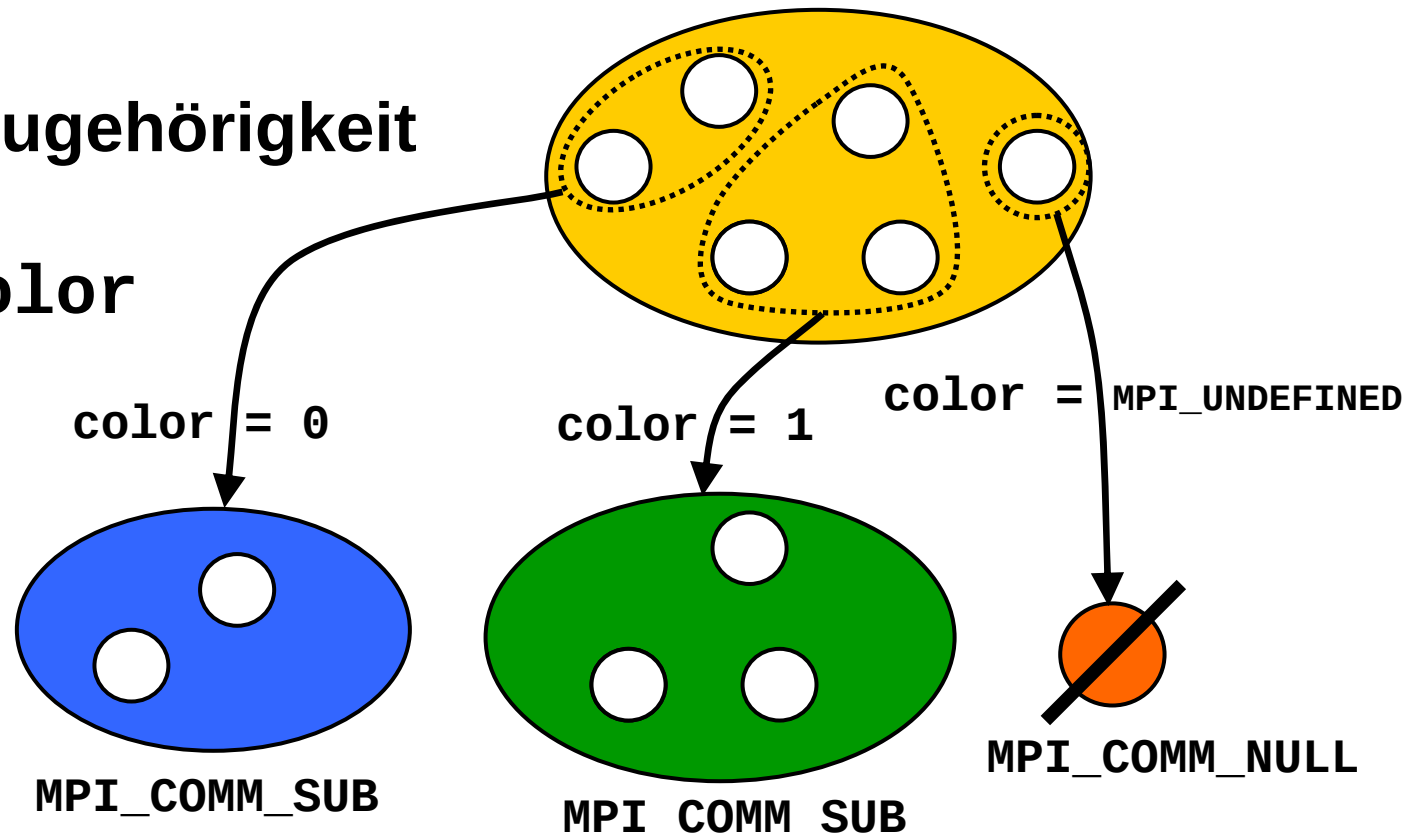


- Erzeugung eigener Kommunikatoren

→ `MPI_Comm_split(comm, color, ..., newcomm)`

- Gruppenzugehörigkeit

→ `int color`

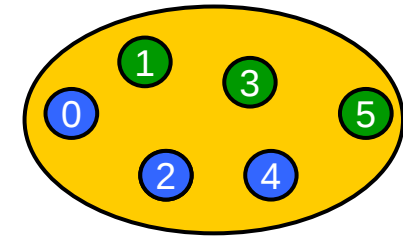


- Bestimmung der Gruppenzugehörigkeit

→ **Top-Down:** anhand des Prozess-**Ranges**

```
MPI_Comm_rank(MPI_COMM_WORLD, &my_rank);
```

```
if (my_rank == ...)
    color = ...
```

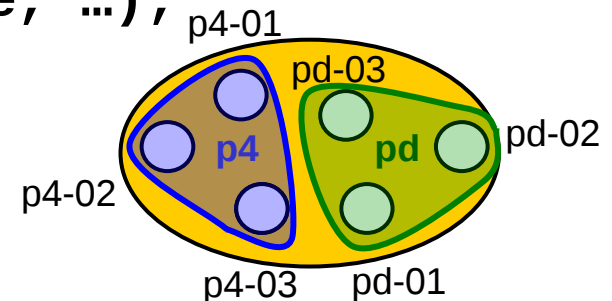


→ **Bottom-Up:** anhand des Prozessor-**Namens**

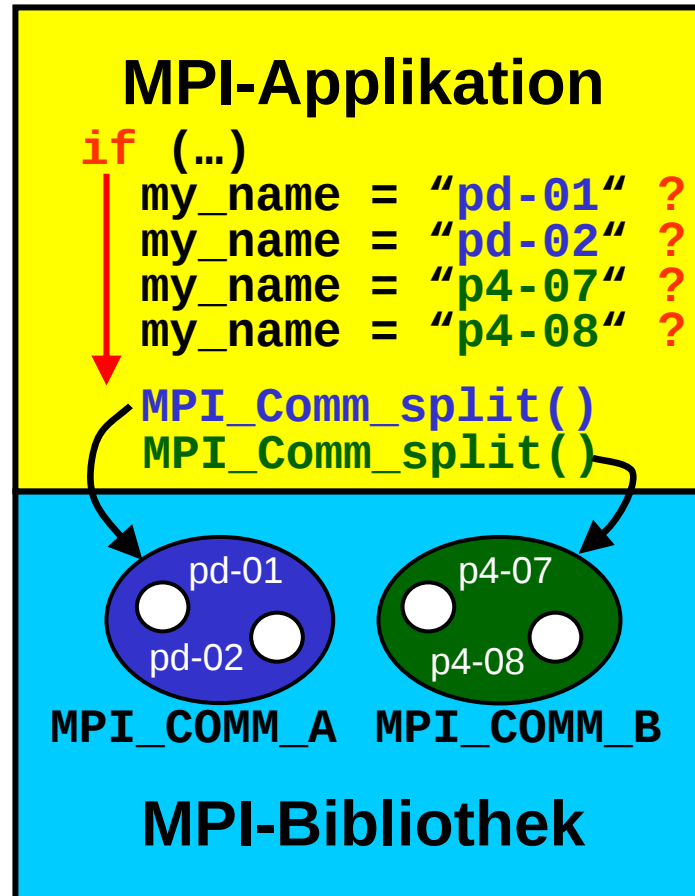
```
MPI_Get_processor_name(my_name, ...);
```

```
if (strncmp(my_name, ...) == ...)
    color = ...
```

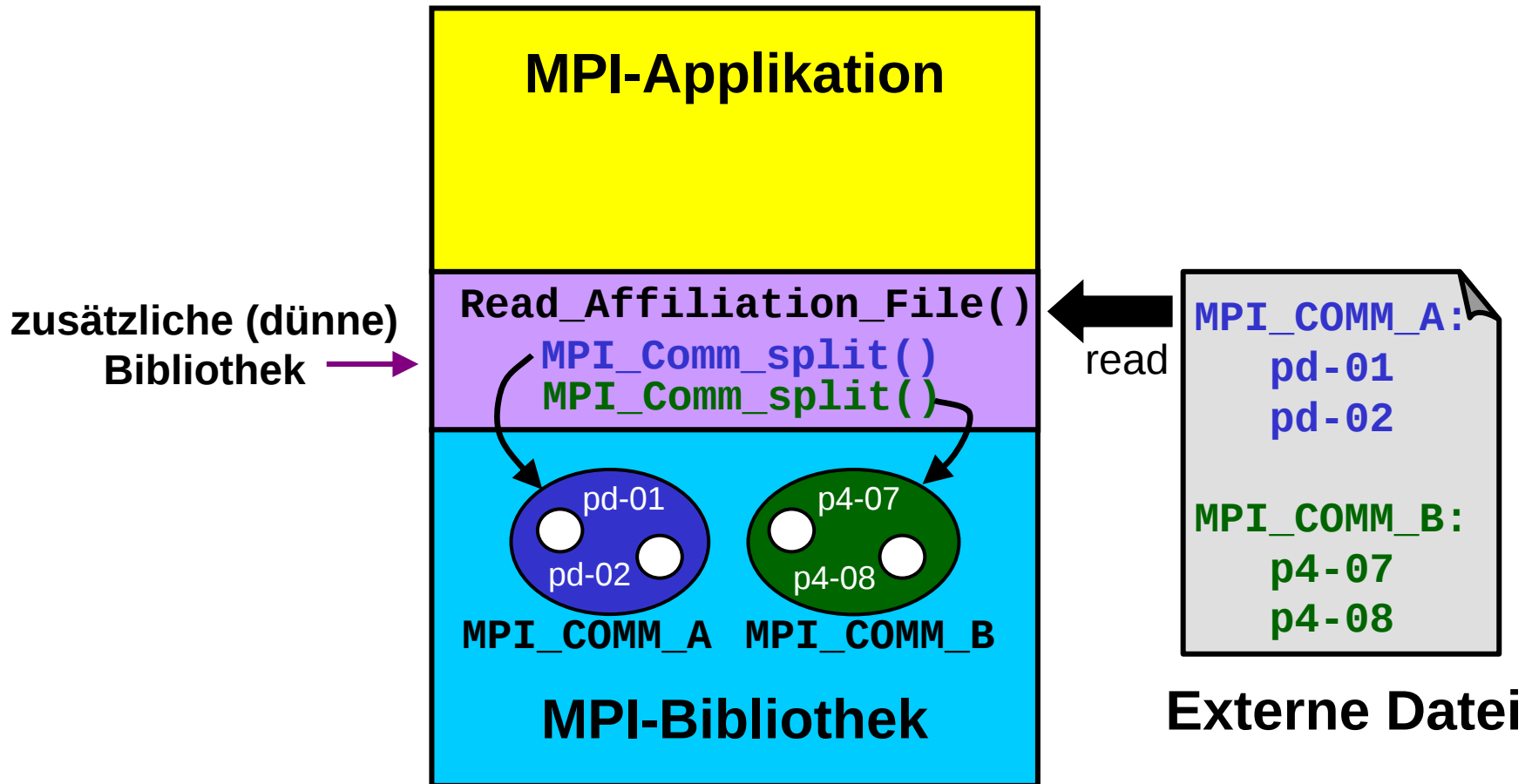
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"p4-01", ...



- Namensidentifizierung in der Applikation:



- Auslagerung der Namensidentifizierung:



- Spezifizierung der Prozessornamen in XML:

```
<processor> pd-01 </processor>
```

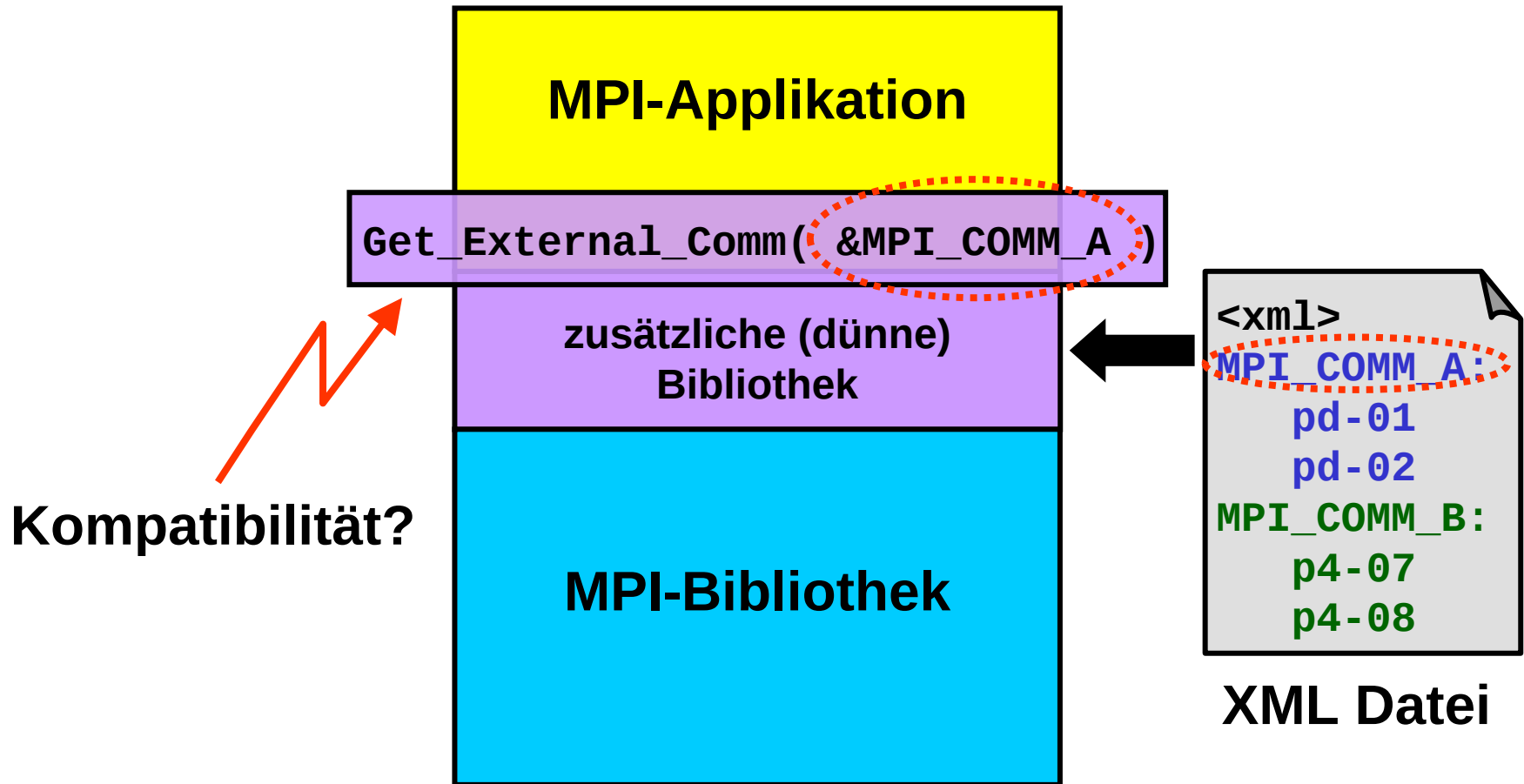
- Spezifizierung der Kommunikatoren in XML:

```
<comm name = "MPI_COMM_A">
    <processor> pd-01 </processor>
    <processor> pd-02 </processor>
</comm>

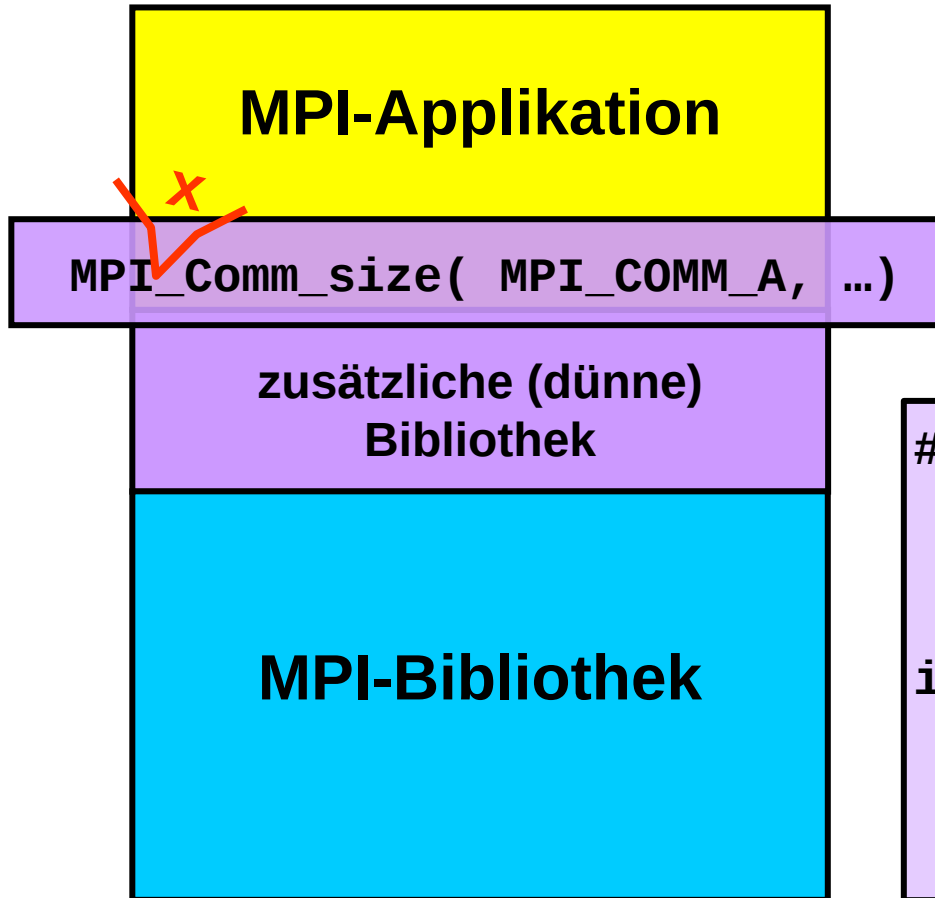
<comm name = "MPI_COMM_B">
    <processor> p4-07 </processor>
    <processor> p4-08 </processor>
</comm>
```

```
<xml>
MPI_COMM_A:
    pd-01
    pd-02
MPI_COMM_B:
    p4-07
    p4-08
```

- Auslagerung der Namensidentifizierung:



- Portable Integration:



*Eigene **mpi.h** Include-Datei:*

```
#define \
MPI_Comm_size( a, b ) \
MPIX_Comm_size( &a, b, #a )

int MPIX_Comm_size
( MPI_Comm *comm,
  int      *size,
  char     *name );
```

- Portable Integration:

```

MPI_Comm MPI_COMM_A
= MPI_COMM_NULL;

if( MPI_Get_size(
    MPI_COMM_A,...)
== MPI_SUCCESS )
{
    /* Prozess gehoert
    zu COMM_A!
    */ ...
}
else
{
    /* Prozess gehoert
    NICHT zu COMM_A!
    */ ...
}
    
```

```

MPIX_Get_size(
    &MPI_COMM_A,...,
    "MPI_COMM_A")
    
```

```

MPI_Get_processor
_name(my_name)
    
```

```

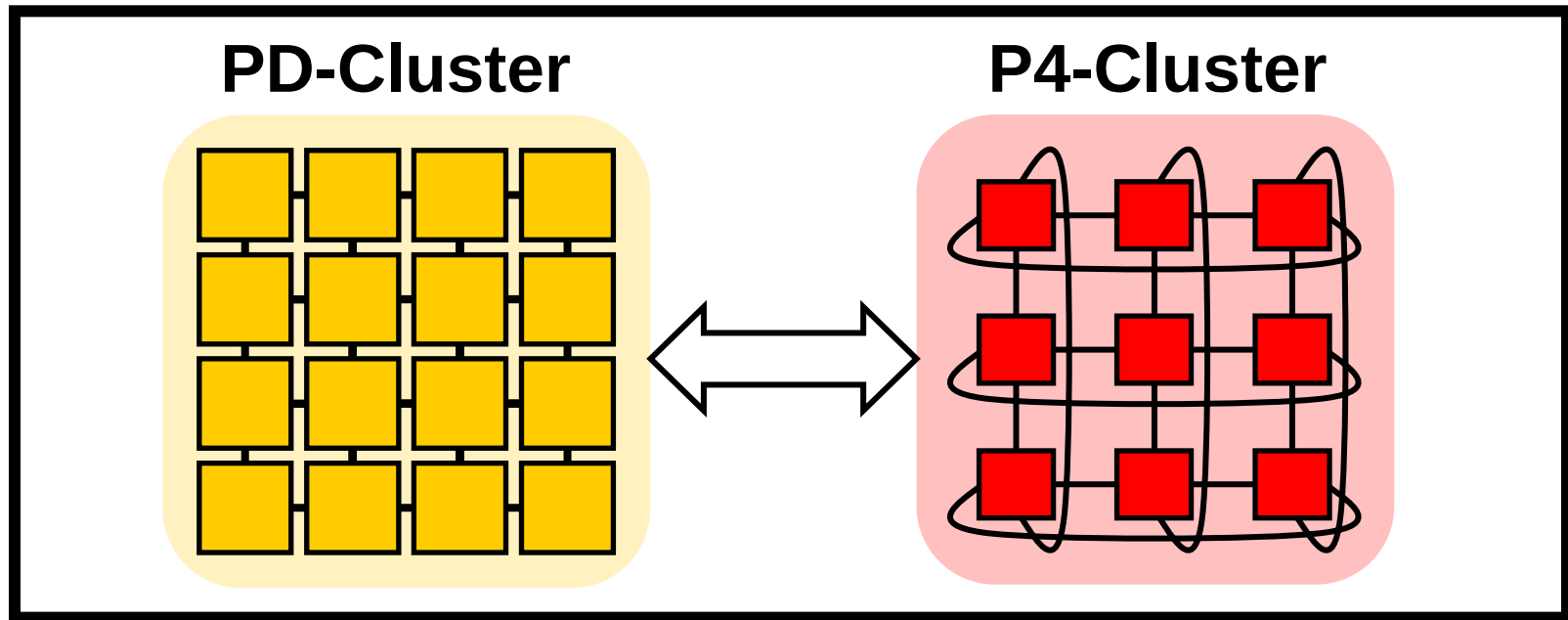
MPI_Comm_split()
    
```

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```

<xml>
MPI_COMM_A:
    pd-01
    pd-02
    ...
    
```

- **Gekoppelte Cluster-Systeme:**



Metacomputer

- **MPI für Metacomputer:**
GridMPI, MPICH-G2, PACX-MPI, MetaMPICH, ...

- Meta-Konfiguration für MetaMPICH:

METAHOST `pd_cluster`

```
{
    USER      = carsten;
    FRONTEND   = pd-00;
    EXECPATH   = ~/mp-mpich/examples/basic;
    EXECNAME   = cpi;
    MPIROOT    = ~/mp-mpich;
    ENVFILE    = ~/metahost_env;
    TYPE       = ch_smi;
    NODES      = pd-01, pd-02, pd-03, pd-04;
}
```

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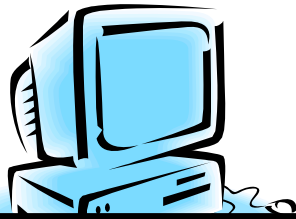
```
METAHOST p4_cluster
```

```
{
    ...
    NODES = p4-01, p4-02, p4-03, p4-04;
    INTRACOMM = "MPI_COMM_P4";
}
```

```
METAHOST pd_cluster
```

```
{
    ...
    NODES = pd-01, pd-02, pd-03, pd-04;
    INTRACOMM = "MPI_COMM_PD";
}
```

- Laufzeitumgebung von MetaMPICH:



```
> mpirun -meta metaconf.cfg [cpi]
```

MetaPars

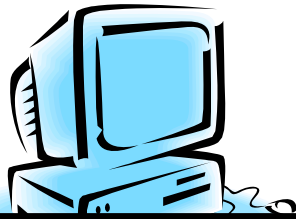
```
METAHOST p4_cluster
{
  ...
  NODES=p4-01, p4-02, p4-03, p4-04;
  INTRACOMM="MPI_COMM_P4";
}
METAHOST pd_cluster
{
  ...
  NODES=pd-01, pd-02, pd-03, pd-04;
  INTRACOMM="MPI_COMM_PD";
}
```

<xml>

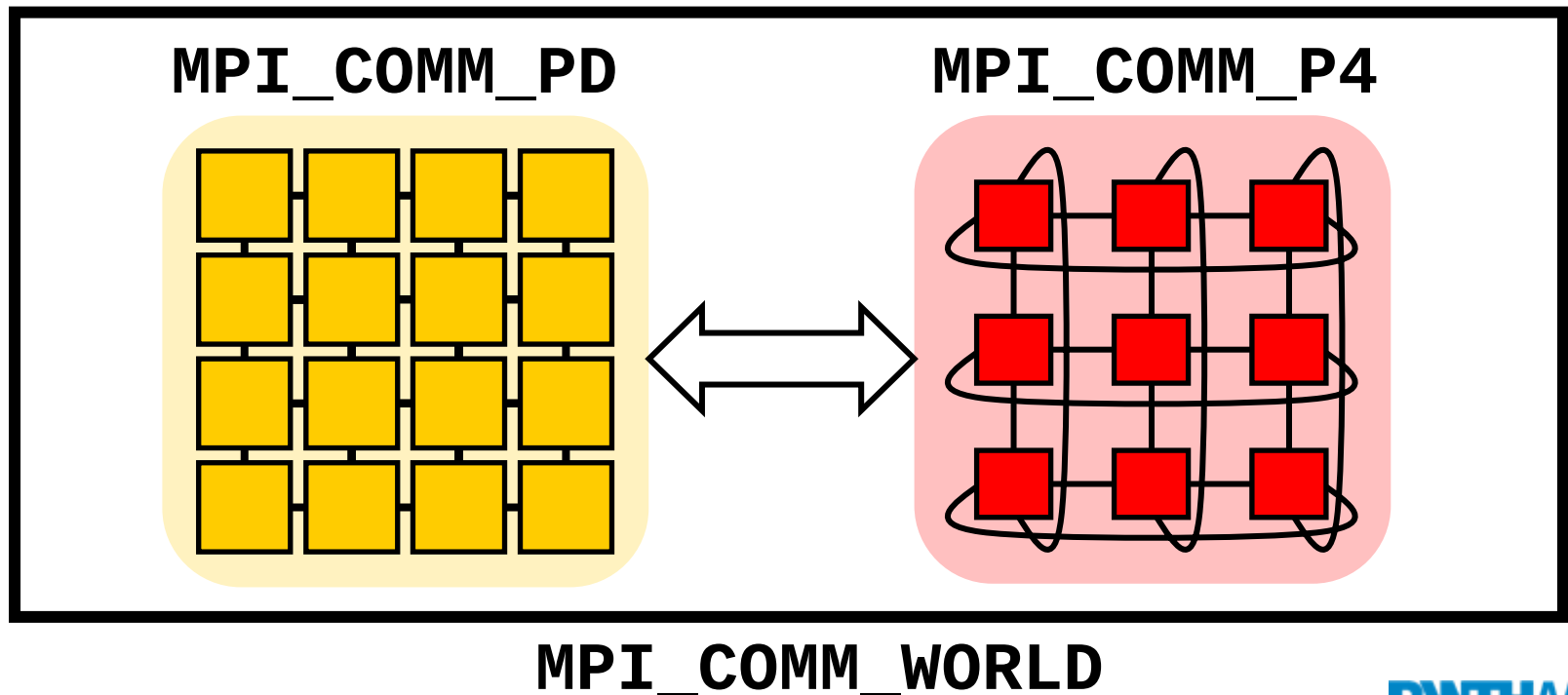
MPI_COMM_P4:
p4-01, p4-02
p4-03, p4-04

MPI_COMM_PD:
pd-01, pd-02
pd-03, pd-04

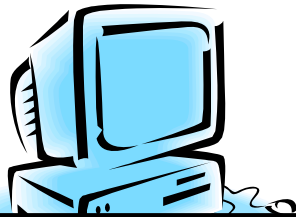
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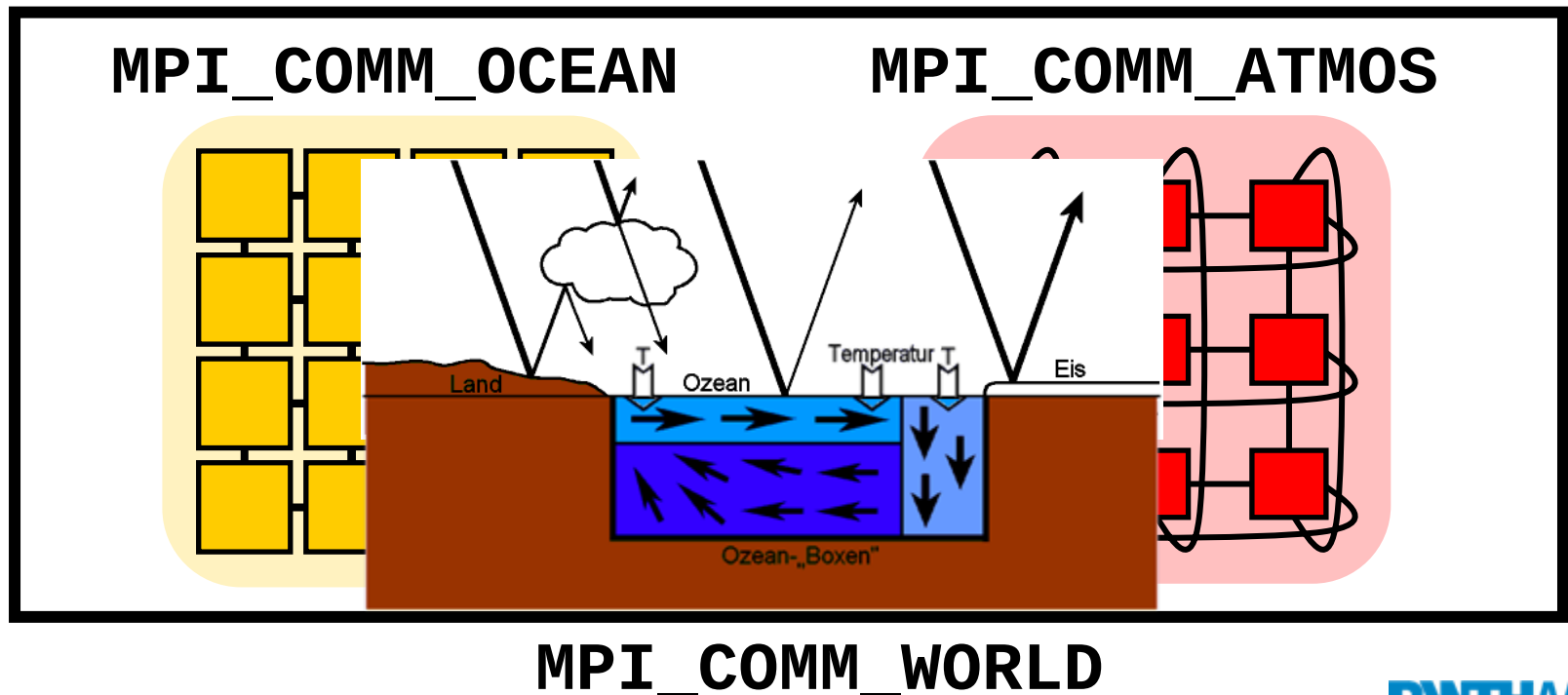
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```
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```



- Integration in *andere* **MPI Implementierungen**
- Integration in **MP-Cluma**
- Einsatz eines **Topologie-Analysierers**
- Zusammenspiel mit **Grid-Middleware?**
- Weitere mögliche Einsatzgebiete ???

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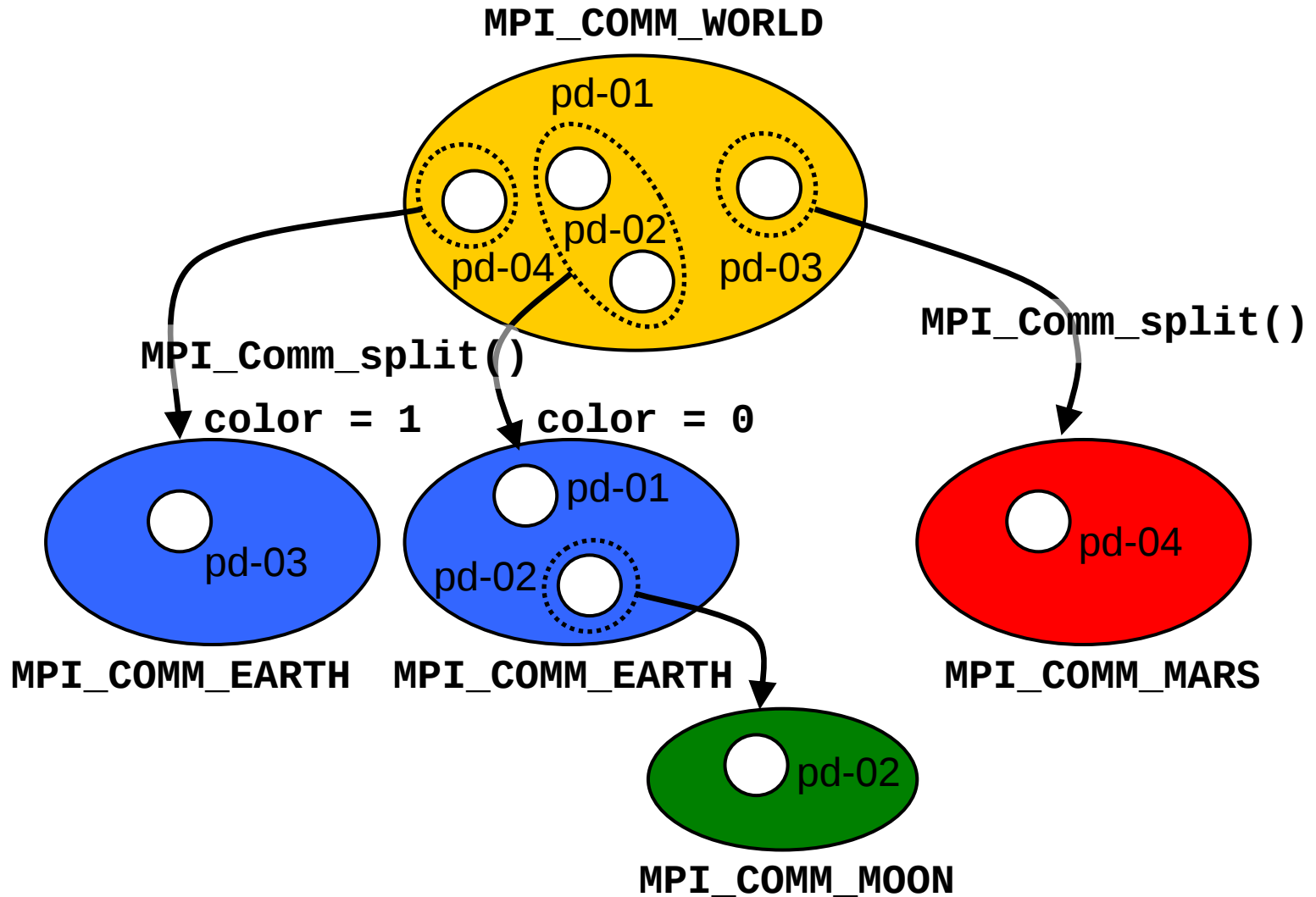


- Mehrstufige Definitionen:

```

<comm name = "MPI_COMM_EARTH">
  <processor> pd-01 </processor>
  <processor> pd-02 </processor>
  <comm name = "MPI_COMM_MOON">
    <processor> pd-02 </processor>
  </comm>
</comm>
<comm name = "MPI_COMM_EARTH">
  <processor> pd-03 </processor>
</comm>
<comm name = "MPI_COMM_MARS">
  <processor> pd-04 </processor>
</comm>
  
```

- Mehrstufige Definitionen:



- Inter-Kommunikatoren:

```
<comm name = "MPI_COMM_EARTH">
  <processor> pd-01 </processor> ...
</comm>
```

```
<comm name = "MPI_COMM_EARTH">
  <processor> pd-03 </processor>
</comm>
```

```
<comm name = "MPI_COMM_MARS">
  <processor> pd-04 </processor>
</comm>
```

```
<intercomm name = "MPI_COMM_INTER">
  <first color=1> MPI_COMM_EARTH </first>
  <second> MPI_COMM_MARS </second>
</intercomm>
```

- Mehrstufige Definitionen:

