

Data Management for extreme scale computing

Users Perspective



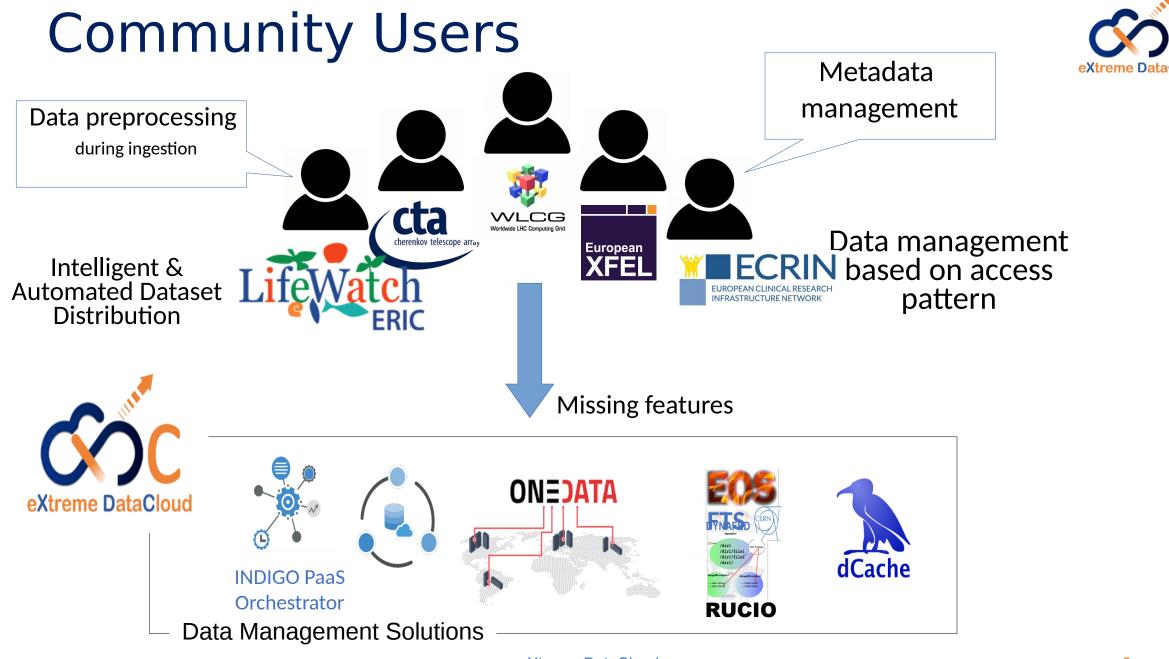
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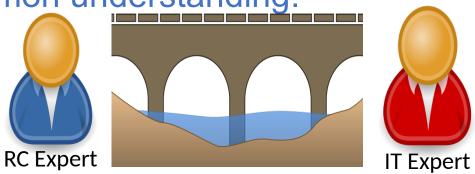
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From Community User to XDC Champion



- × RC expert wants to use complex resources in a friendly manner.
- X We have a complete set of services and resources (with missing features).
- \times We have people that knows those solutions.
- X We have Research Communities with well-known problems and requirements to solve them.
- \times We have people that understand those problems.
- X We need a common understanding.



XDC Champion



X The figure is adopted from the INDIGO-DataCloud project.

- X Successful reducing the gap between the final researchers/users and the developers.
- X Member of Research Communities/Infrastructures.
- X Understand very well the needs of the use case and has a general understanding of the available solutions and features.
- X Need to be aware on how to manage the (meta)data of the community. FAIR principles.
- × "Person in the middle"

Challenges



- X Different level of skills in XDC "Champions". Support.
- X A variety of communities but similar needs (in some cases).
- X Transition from User to "Champion" (or even Solver).
- X Time to learn.
- X Interaction with developers: Common language.
- X Anyone could be a "Champion"



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