

EGI-ACE HPC integration: Use cases, technical providers Monday 26 Apr. 2021

IFIN-HH and ELI-NP pilot / use cases

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Advanced computing infrastructure @ DFCTI/IFIN-HH

HTC

- Tier-2 contribution to the WLCG collaboration
- Supporting ALICE, ATLAS, LHCb
- CPU cores: 5000; 4 GB RAM/core
- storage: 3.6 PB

HPC

- parallel clusters, since 2006
- Ethernet -> Myrinet -> IB: DDR -> QDR -> FDR, EDR
- Research supported:
 - Nonlinear dynamics in nuclear/mezo physics
 - Nanophysics and nanoelectronics
 - Computational biology
 - ELI-NP







Cloud and HPC resources @ DFCTI

CLOUDIFIN

- vCores: 1488 (Intel+AMD); 4 GB RAM/core
- storage: 130 TB
- connectivity: IB EDR (960), FDR

HPC

- CPU cores: 672 + 248 (local); Intel
- storage: 130 TB
- connectivity: IB FDR, QDR
- OpenMPI 3.x
- OS: CentOS 7.9
- Access: ssh







Extreme Light Infrastructure Nuclear Physics (ELI-NP)

The High-Power Laser System commissioned

Pulses delivered: - 2x 10 PW at 1 shot/minute - 2x 1 PW at 1 Hz - 2x 100 PW at 10 Hz.

First experiments will be soon commissioned Estimation of overall data requirements:

Experiment	Disk Storage	Tape Storage	Analysis Cores	Simulation Cores	Network bandwidth
Gamma	1,9PB/y+50%	Same as Disk	800	900	8 Gbps
HPLS	360TB/y+50%	Same as Disk	400	20000	20Gbps
TOTAL	2,26PB/y+50% 7PB	Same as Disk	1200	20900	40/100Gbps







Motivation: ELI-NP's needs for HPC

Two representative cases:

Laser Driven Experiments Dept.

Necessity: numerical simulations of the intense laser - plasma interaction

Code: EPOCH (*Extendable PIC Open Collaboration*, <u>https://github.com/Warwick-Plasma/epoch</u>

Parallel paradigm: MPI

Target laboratory

Necessity: simulations for the development of special materials used as targets in experiments

Code: Elk (<u>https://elk.sourceforge.io/</u>)

Parallel paradigms: MPI+OpenMP hybrid

ELF (ELI-NP Local Facility)







Activity planning

Goal: Contribute to the elaboration of the guidelines regarding the implementation and provision of HPC over cloud within the EOSC.

IFIN-HH/ELI-NP pilot: Integration in the EOSC infrastructure of the HPC-over-cloud support for user communities interested in the investigation of the **laser-matter interaction and applications**

Use cases:

1) EPOCH

2) Elk





Activity Planning

For the two applications, benchmarks for finding the most efficient method of running HPC in cloud, comparing different technologies using:

- VMs (for testing different architectures)
- Containerization:
- Docker (using Kubernetes)
- Singularity
- udocker

Compare with the efficiency achieved on the HPC cluster and published data for larger clusters.

Use deployment tools also provided within EGI infrastructure.





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