IRIS Operations Status

As at the IRIS operations meeting of: Tuesday 9th July 2019.

Progress on Actions (see below)

Activity Status

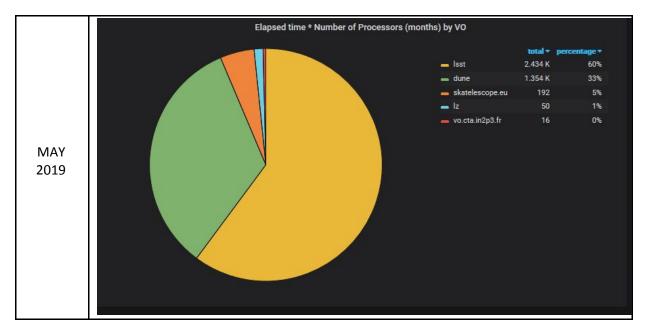
Activity	Status (dd/mm/yy [reported by] text		
EUCLID	25/06/19 [Mark] SLURM as a service Up and running at Cambridge and RAL.		
	9/07/19 (Mark) Now expanding at RAL. Agreed most details of how to create		
	vacuum-style VMs to run at Manchester. Next step is to connect to VPNs and then start		
	submitting slurm jobs.		
Gaia	25/06/19 Cambridge talking to Gaia – a development activity to investigate Spark workload		
	9/07/19 [AS] JY organised a meeting last Fri with Leicester, Edinburgh and Cambridge;		
	there were discussions about how this development will be handled. This is expected to		
	be reviewed in a couple of weeks time.		
LSST	25/06/19 Three distinct activities underway. Production work running on GridPP		
	resources is going well (2000 processor months in May and June). LSST also working with		
	Cambridge to deploy SLURM as a service. Jupytr notebook activity at RAI also underway.		
	<i>9/07/19</i> No update		
e-MERLIN	9/07/19 (Anthony Holloway) Wide field imaging tests are underway using 1.4 TB RAM of the		
	1.5 TB RAM nodes. The Pipeline imaging, automated processing of e-MERLIN data is now in a		
CIZA	commissioning phase.		
SKA	25/06/19 No update but modest usage in May and June on GridPP resources		
A I N A A	<i>9/07/19</i> No update <i>9/07/19</i> (<i>Anthony Holloway</i>) The ATOMIUM project processing is underway and is		
ALMA	now getting the larger data sets delivered from the ALMA telescope in Chile.		
LZ	25/06/19 No update – GridPP workflow		
62	9/07/19 [DB] Still stuck getting their s/w for their latest MC data challenge. They have		
	IRIS allowance for when DIRAC is working with the cloud again and their s/w is finished.		
СТА	25/06/19 No update		
• • • •	9/07/19 [Yates] Julian Osborne has the token to get further help when he is ready to run		
	stuff.		
aLIGO	25/06/19 Working with Catalin Condurache to recommission Grid for LIGO		
	9/07/19 Trying getting it running at RAL, although works elsewhere - jobs go to RAL but		
	then file copy in fails.		
DUNE	9/07/19 [Peter Clarke] Running well. About to begin a second reprocessing which will		
	hopefully saturate available resources.		
DLS	25/06/19 Contractor actively working for Frank von Delft to build SLURM clusters in		
	OpenStack at RAL (and cambridge?). Also trying to make use of object store.		

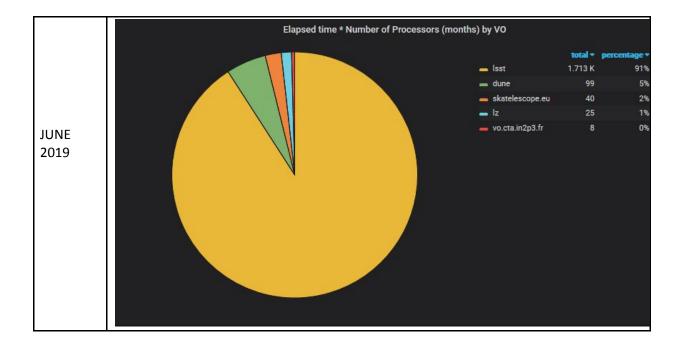
	9/07/19 SLURM work ongoing; having issues with data xfer from a data centre in Iceland Echo storage hasn't progressed. Has tooling for synching object-stores, to be determined whether this can be used with Echo storage.		
PANOSC			
	<i>9/07/19</i> No update		
ISIS	25/06/19 iDaaS is in production for ISIS and busy now during data taking run. Using RAL		
	OpenStack		
	9/07/19 Appears to be working fine		
CLF	25/06/19 Talks at fairly early stage		
	<i>9/07/19</i> Nothing to add		
CCFE	9/07/19 [JY] On Cambridge things are running fine and they are ready for access to their		
	GridPP and SCD allocations. RAL is probably the next one to go for. SdW will talk to SCD		
	and then afterwards to JY and DB about using the other resources.		
JINTRAC	9/07/19 JY to talk to Florian		

Usage

Adrian Coveney advised that accounting was being manually updated monthly at present.

Grid only accounting at present





Infrastructure Status

Andrew McNab described current setup of ticket triage system.

We should also pick up here any operational issues with major IRIS components

RUCIO	
DIRAC	
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Open Tickets

Latest on tickets

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Actions

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101101.11.111	VVIIC	what
07.19.01	AS	Chase up at RAL end why LIGO file transfer-in is an issue
07.19.02	SdW	To talk to SCD about making use of their resources.
07.19.03	AS	To chase up DLS concerns regarding having difficulties using the RAL Echo service
07.19.04	AC	To report back to IRIS-TWG Operations on feasibility of providing APEL accounting data in time for October (24th/25th) Science Board. [note subsequent to meeting need for accounting in good time for EB on 12th June]
07.19.05	AS/AC	Andrew and Adrian to discuss update frequency of APEL stats