Computing model generale per esperimenti di piccole e medie dimensioni all'interno dell'infrastruttura INFN Cloud

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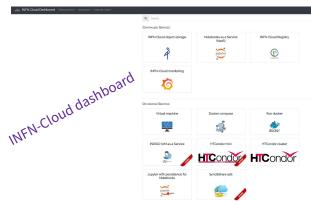




The INFN-Cloud project

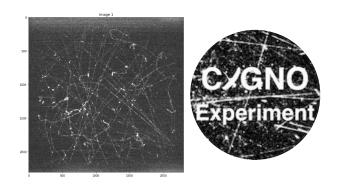
- 2020 start of the INFN-Cloud project, offering many services at PaaS/SaaS level, optimal to host small/medium astroparticle experiment computing model, ensuring the characteristics of scalability, safety, reliability etc.
- integration and development of a set of tools for data management, analysis and simulation available at user level and accessible and exploitable to all the INFN international collaborators





INFN-Cloud Beta tester: the CYGNO experiment

- CYGNO is an astroparticle physics experiment that looks for light Dark Matter (DM) and solar neutrinos
- hosted in the underground laboratory of Laboratori Nazionali del Gran Sasso (LNGS) where it is recommended to have only the minimum setup necessary to collect data on a local buffer
- Irreproducible events acquired in extreme conditions (need of reliability)

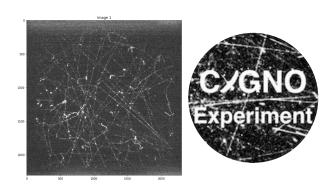




INFN-Cloud Beta tester: the CYGNO experiment

- Minimum setup necessary to collect data on a local buffer
- Soft computing requirements wrt HEP experiments
- Discontinuous peaks of resource necessity (e.g. for reconstruction of data, analysis of bunches of data, etc..)

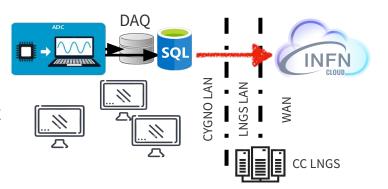






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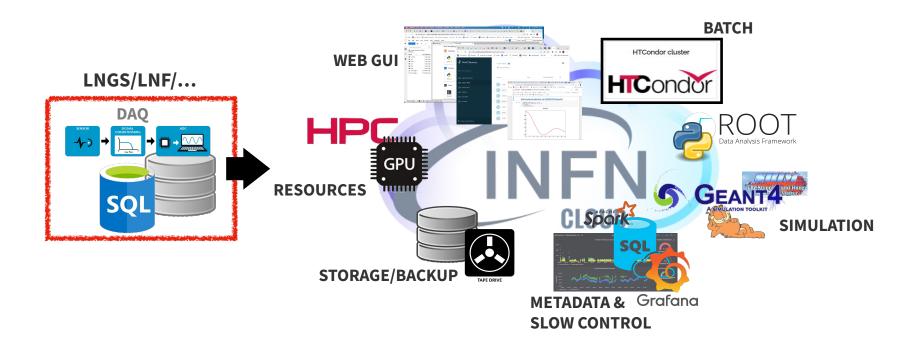
- experiment data management
- experiment front end metadata production and management
- slow/fast remote experiment monitor without access to LAN DAQ (shift workers from all over the world)
- online data reconstruction and pre-analysis
- online data validation and qualification
- high level/back end metadata production and management, alarms and warnings dispatcher also via discord experiment channel



CYGNO-INFN cloud dashboard



CYGNO experiment: the computing model



CYGNO experiment: "composed" services







production setup at LNGS Mariadb replica for metadata sql.cygno.cloud.infn.it



S3 storage minio.cloud.infn.it

messaging kafka.cygno.cloud.infn.it

Identity and Access Management

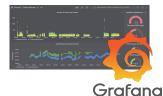




backup tape.cygno.cloud.infn.it



data and metadata monitor grafana.cygno.cloud.infn.it



monitor ad.infn.it

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Generalized implementation of CYGNO services

- Docker generalized implementation of CYGNO services allows great scalability, flexibility and reliability properties
- CYGNO services *migration* over different experiments that have similar computing requirements with slight changes of services configuration (e.g. environment variables, some lines on YML Dockerfile, etc..) is possible



This scenario open the doors to the development of a Cloud infrastructure for QUAX experiment and in the future for the FLASH project.

QUest for AXions experiment (QUAX)

Direct search for galactic dark matter in the form of axion or axion like particles.

Hybrid and dielectric microwave cavities operated in multi-Tesla magnetic fields, coupled to receivers will allow for probing axions with (35-45) microeV mass.





QUAX @ Laboratori Nazionali di Legnaro

QUest for AXions experiment (QUAX)

Possible detector for the axion wind:

- magnetized sample with Larmor resonance frequency tuned to the axion mass (external polarizing static magnetic field)
- interaction with the axion field -> drive the total magnetization of the sample, produce oscillations in the magnetization that, in principle, can be detected

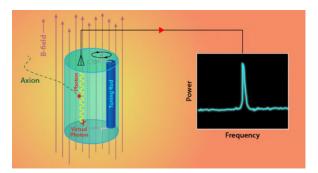
Data flow

- Acquisition of time series (I/Q signals)
- FFT spectra available for analysis



Data throughput

- file size ~ 35 MByte
- Run size ~ 35 GByte
- storage rate ~ 65 GByte /hour
- data acquisition time ~ 2 months/year



Middleware services needed:

- Online reconstruction and pre-analysis
- Data quality monitoring (online & offline)
- Slow control
- Offline analysis and simulation
- Storage

QUAX experiment testbed resources

Testbed Cloud resources:

volumes: 130TB

vCore: 50

RAM: 100GB

instances: 12

security group:100

fIP:12

Tier-1 tape resources:

120T

CloudVeneto:

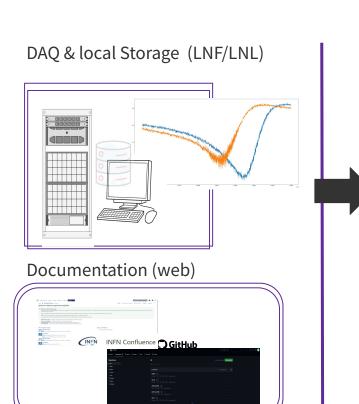
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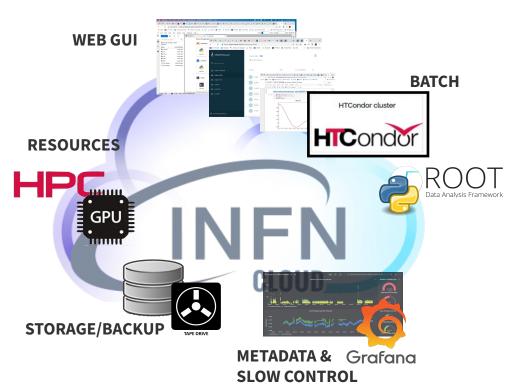
Block storage: 1 TB Object storage: 2 TB

where	CPU	Block Storage	Object Storage	Tape
INFN Cloud	50	130 TB (segnato 260 TB per errore, da ridurre)		
Tier 1				120 TB



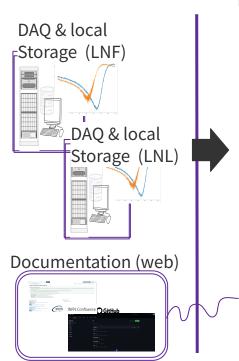
QUAX experiment: the computing model

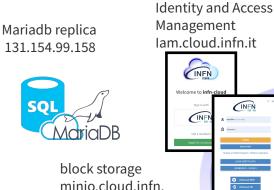




QUAX experiment: "composed" services







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Useful documentation links:

Github:

https://github.com/QUAX-FL

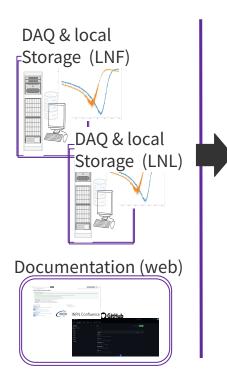
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data and metadata monitor

grafana.quax.cloud.infn.it



QUAX experiment: monitoring

Monitoring of Cloud resources via Grafana: QUAX Cloud

- Capacities
 https://monitoring.cloud.infn.it:3000/d/u1sBcydVkg/quax-cloud-capacities?orgId=1
- Storage
 https://t1metria.cr.cnaf.infn.it/d/ZArHZvEMz/storage-usage-per-experiment?orgId=1
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QUAX experiment : next steps

- Implementation of "middleware" services and sentinel framework
 CYGNO-like
 - Automation of data copy to Cloud and TAPE, database updates
 - Online monitoring of data and metadata
 - Alert and messaging system with Apache Kafka
 - Log management with Elasticsearch&Kibana stack
- RUCIO software test & implementation
- Further general improvements of already running services









Take home message

- INFN Cloud suits a lot of different experiments with similar computing resources offering a sort of "computing model" As A Service
- The CYGNO collaboration with the INFN-Cloud support developed many services in a generalized manner so that its computing infrastructure could be easily transposed and re-adapted for other experiments
- In 2023 QUAX/FLASH experiment started to develop its own Cloud computing infrastructure starting from the CYGNO use case, modifying it according to its requirements
- Up to date QUAX computing infrastructure is up and running even if it doesn't provide all the services needed to operate at all
- There will be further improvements soon that will suit small/medium experiment computing infrastructure

THANK YOU!