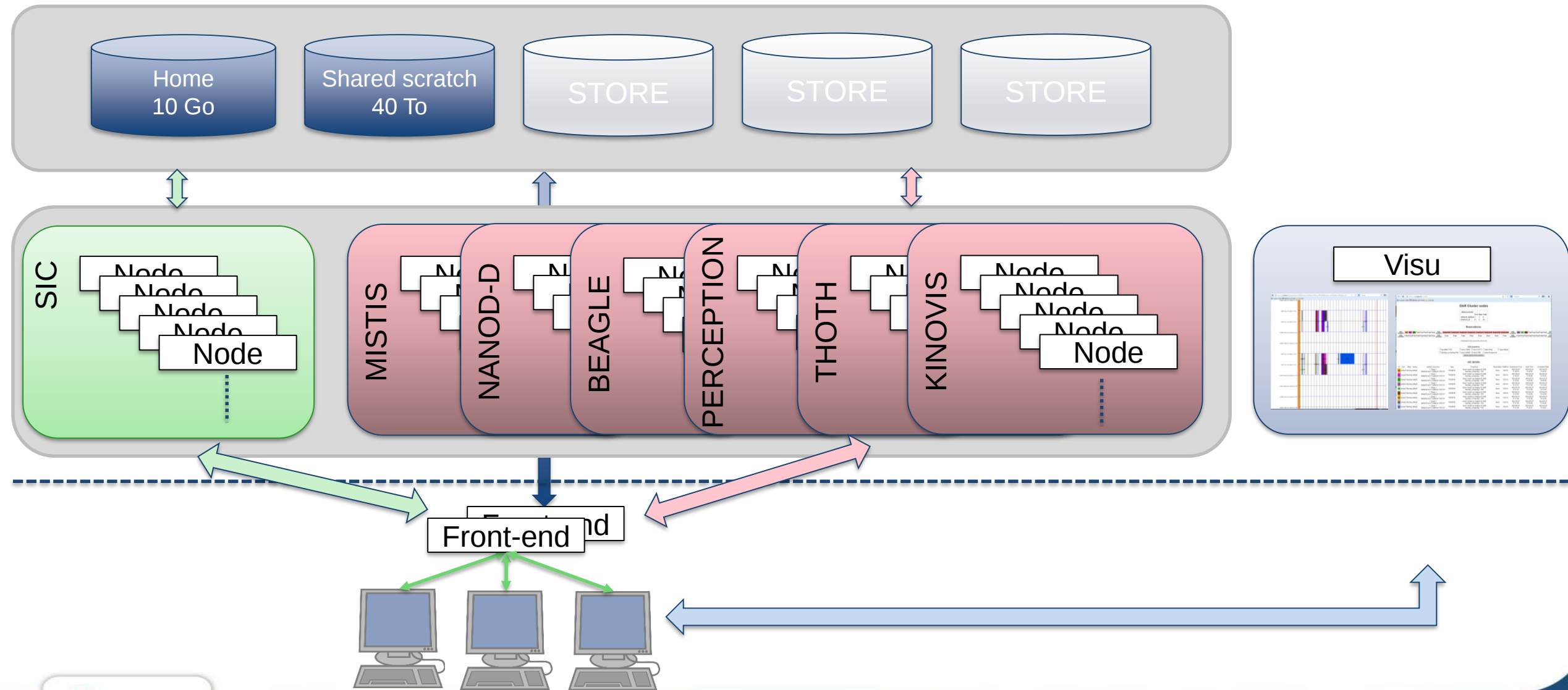


HPC clusters INRIA-Grenoble

Reminders for technical seminar “Introduction to containerization with Singularity”

Available resources



Typical session

- Access to one of the frontends
 - ➔ ssh access1-cp (Fedora) or access2-cp (Ubuntu), eventually via bastion
- Have a look of free resources before booking
 - <http://visu-cp.inrialpes.fr/monika> and/or <http://visu-cp.inrialpes.fr/drawgantt>
 - oarstat command from access[1|2]-cp
- Request resources with OAR command lines
 - `oarsub -I -I nodes=4,walltime=01:15:00 -p "cluster=nanod|mistis|SIC|beagle|..."`
- Carry out your experimentation
 - `./launcher.sh`

Collect your results from the scratch

- `/services/scratch/<my_EPI>`

Booking GPUs

- Nodes with GPU are named gpu-*
 - Only on Kinovis, Perception and Mistis clusters
 - Nvidia Titan X or Titan Xp
 - Coming up Nvidia RTX2080 Ti
- `oarsub -I -I "{gpu='YES'}/host=1/gpudevice=1" -p "cluster='kinovis|perception|mistis'"`
- `nvidia-smi` or `nvidia-smi -L` to verify you have the requested GPU

How to access to the scratch from your workstation?

- Easy way: scp from your WS to one of the frontends

```
scp <localfile> <user>@access[1|2]-cp:/services/scratch/<your_EPI>
```

OR

- Other way: install beegfs packages on your WS
 - available from Inria's repositories device:GPU:0 with 11376
 - beegfs-helperd and beegfs-client (elfutils-libelf-devel is required)
 - Setup

```
/etc/beegfs/beegfs-client.conf: sysMgmtHost = bmanage-cp
```

```
/etc/beegfs/beegfs-mm mounts.conf: <mount_point> /etc/beegfs/beegfs-client.conf /
```

- Start

```
systemctl restart beegfs-helperd & beegfs-client
```

Documentation

- “First steps” OAR: <http://oar.imag.fr/archive/user-quickstart/>
- OAR: <http://oar.imag.fr/documentation/>
- IGRIDA tutorial: <http://igrida.gforge.inria.fr/tutorial.html>
- Séminaire d'introduction au calcul distribué à Inria Grenoble-Rhone-Alpes
<https://sed.inrialpes.fr/local/Presentations/150407-Clusters/index-en.html>
- SSH: <https://wiki.inria.fr/support/GRA:SSH>

To conclude...

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- Next steps
 - migration from Docker to Singularity ➔ Docker engine will be remove before 2019
 - Nvidia driver & Cuda upgrade on GPU hosts
 - Fedora (28) upgrade on SIC, Beagle and Nanod clusters
 - Mistis cluster will move (probably) from Fedora to Ubuntu
 - Setup quota on the max simultaneous submissions
 - Setup default submission gpu=NO