DIRAC Project status

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- Project composition
- Releases
- Activities



DIRAC@IN2P3

Participating laboratories

- CC/IN2P3, CPPM, LUPM, LPSC, IPHC, CREATIS
 - Explicitely listed in the last DIRAC Consortium documents
- ▶ 14 engineers, but ~3 FTEs in total

Main axis

- DIRAC developments
- DIRAC services
- DIRAC dissemination, support, etc



Project Developments

- OAuth2/OIDC AAI
- Computing and Storage Resources
- Production System
- REST
- Jupyter
- COMDIRAC
- WebAppDIRAC
- Developments to support services and applications
- Let's review which developments we can be more involved in



Developments: OAuth2/OIDC

- The development is delayed due to a long absence of Andrii
- Base features included into v8rO prerelease
- Documentation of the new APIs
- Certification is ongoing
- Tests at IN2P3
 - Installed on ccdiracli06.in2p3.fr
 - Whole chain of CloudVM submission: token generation -> TokenManager->CloudDirector



Computing Resources

Computing resources

- SSHComputingElement
 - updated to work with Python 3
- HPC centers
 - Large interest in the community
 - We have to see how we can access HPC centers
 - □ IDRIS ? Others ?
 - We have to see how we can contribute
 - □ Using SSH access
 - ☐ Explore DIRAC proxy services
 - □ PushJobAgent
 - ☐ LHCb developement
 - Submit only applications to the remote CE (similar to the ARC Control Tower)



Computing Resources

Computing resources

- Accessing Computing Elements with tokens
 - ▶ This is a new development to be done
 - OSG.OSG.us site offers HTCondorCE endpoint with token access
- Cloud access with tokens
 - Cloud Endpoint updated to use tokens
 - □ Openstack and libcloud based drivers
 - ▶ Still has to be integrated with the CloudDirector and VirtualMachineManager
- CloudComputingElement
 - New development by the GridPP colleagues
 - Simplified access to the clouds with the same interface as to grid sites
 - □ SiteDirector
 - □ Pilot Identity == VM identity
 - Will be available in the next patch
 - □ We can participate to testing it with our communities/applications



Production System

- Luisa, Johan + ??
- We should better promote that
 - Based on the CTA experience
 - Publication

But this should perform well!

REST Initerface



- The new DIRAC HTTP(S) based client/server protocol implies a new implementation of the REST interface
 - Contains the new REST framework, token ready
- The old REST handlers should be reviewed and reimplemented in the new framework
- The old REST package was updated to work in the current DIRAC environment
 - Several « dirty » tweaks were necessary, e.g. using an obsoleted Tornado framework version
 - Can run with DIRAC v7r3 and CentOS7
 - ccdirac06 can be finally retired! Ouf!

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Jupyter notebooks

- This is one more popular demand
- We have all the main ingredients to make DIRAC client available in the Jupyter environment
- There are different ways to do
 - Conda environments
 - Docker containers
 - CVMFS in the Jupyter notebook
- We have to find a proper way and make it available for pilot communities
 - ▶ Eiscat 3D
- The experience of CC/IN2P3 with Jupyter is very welcome

COMDIRAC



- COMDIRAC package is a very much appreciated alternative command line interface
 - Developed by Pierre
 - Maintained by Andrii
- COMDIRAC is updated recently
 - Upgraded to Python 3
 - Deployed in the PyPi service
- There are several ideas for further developments
 - See https://github.com/DIRACGrid/COMDIRAC/issues
 - E.g. ddiag, dinfo, drsync
 - Contributors wanted

WebAppDIRAC



- The package is maintained by Andrii
 - The best expert is in the Project!
 - Updated to support tokens
 - Made uniform with the HTTP/Tornado framework
- More web applications are desirable
 - Monitoring the DIRAC services, logs, stats
 - Community specific web pages
- Contributors are welcome



Other developments

- These are the developments related to running our DIRAC services
 - We encounter problems or user demands and we develop solutions
 - ElasticSearch with certificates
 - Containers (singularity, udocker)
- This can be hardly planned
 - But contributions are always welcome
 - Do not hesitate to make suggestions!



- 2 patch releases in the last month
 - ▶ v7r2p43
 - ▶ v7r3p20
 - Multiple minor fixes
 - PoolCE fixes
 - Faster agent loops
 - ► FTS3Agent fixes
 - WebAppDIRAC
 - ▶ NTR
 - COMDIRAC
 - ▶ NTR





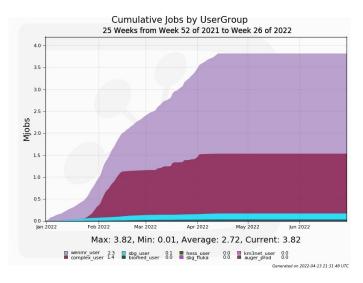
▶ 8.0.0a19

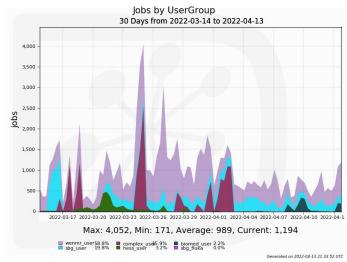
- WebAppDIRAC 5.0.0a10
- Python3 only
- ▶ OAuth2/OIDC AAI, user management
- Status
 - II certification hackathons
 - Including hackathon on Ibcertifoauth.cern.ch special instance for the certification of the OAuth tokens development
- Next hackathon on the 21st April
 - Close to release, but ...
 - Still pending
 - □ TokenManager necessary for the minimal token support



EGI/FG services

- Running more or less smoothly
 - ▶ Since Jan 2022
 - □ ~ 4M jobs
 - □ Up to 4k concurrent jobs
 - □ Ik on average
- Servers installation
 - ▶ All servers are at v7r3p15
 - ☐ Have to pass to v7r3p21
- See Gino's report







- Not much news
- Concordia project
 - ▶ NTR
 - Previous status
 - Scripts based API for submission of grid jobs with Corsika containers
 - □ Adapted for Km3NET and CTAO
 - Porting the scripts to the Concordia WebGUI started
- ESAP
 - Integration with DIRAC
 - Asking for integration with RCAuth (In progress, Andrii)



- Conseil Scientifique de l'IN2P3
 - ▶ 23-24 June
 - Calcul et Données
- Including presentation from Master Projects
 - Including DIRAC@IN2P3
 - ▶ The exact format and contents is being discussed



Consortium DIRAC

- Management of the Consortium documents passed from CNRS/DR12 to IN2P3
 - ▶ Slight change in the CNRS participant definition all the DIRAC@IN2P3 laboratories are explicitly mentioned now
- The Montpellier University became an official member of the Consortium

The Amendment 2 extending the Consortium for another 5 years is being prepared now

Conferences



- ISGC Conference
 - ▶ 21-25 March, online, https://indico4.twgrid.org/event/20/
 - Presentation on « Exploiting cloud resources with DIRAC »
 - ▶ 23d March
 - ▶ Together with GridPP colleagues
 - Paper to be written
- Others to be viewed (EGI, etc)

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Seminar CPPM

Seminar at CPPM in June

- On Distributed Computing in general and on DIRAC in particular
- Vanessa Hamar
- 20 June
- For CPPM and the Aix-Marseille University
- Followed by a tutorial



- Urgency for complex workflows paper
 - Volker's journal
- Draft paper URL
 - https://gitlab.in2p3.fr/DiraclN2P3/TSPaper2017
- Effort needed to accomplish it