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# CC-IN2P3 status report

## FJPPN Workshop

CC-IN2P3, Villeurbanne, February 2026

- Some (general) news from CC-IN2P3
- Computing
  - new GPUs installed (2025)
- Storage
  - new tape library
- Facilities
  - new computing room
- User services
- Conclusion & perspectives





# IN2P3 Computing Center overview



- **Resources**

- 79 people (75 engineers - 63 IT -, 3 people in the research team and 1 trainee)
- Budget 2025: 7.1 M€ (HR excluded)
  - 2.5 M€ buildings (incl. 1.7 M€ for electricity)
  - 4 M€ computing (incl. 2 for WLCG) & 0.4 M€ running costs
- Budget 2026: should be ~7.1 M€ (got lucky, no cut)

- **Facilities**

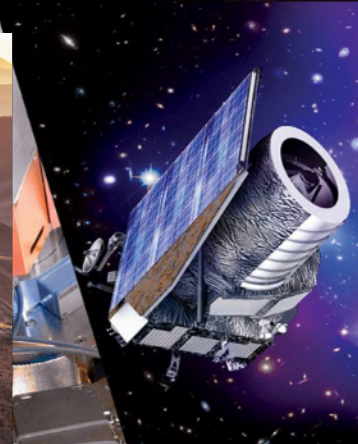
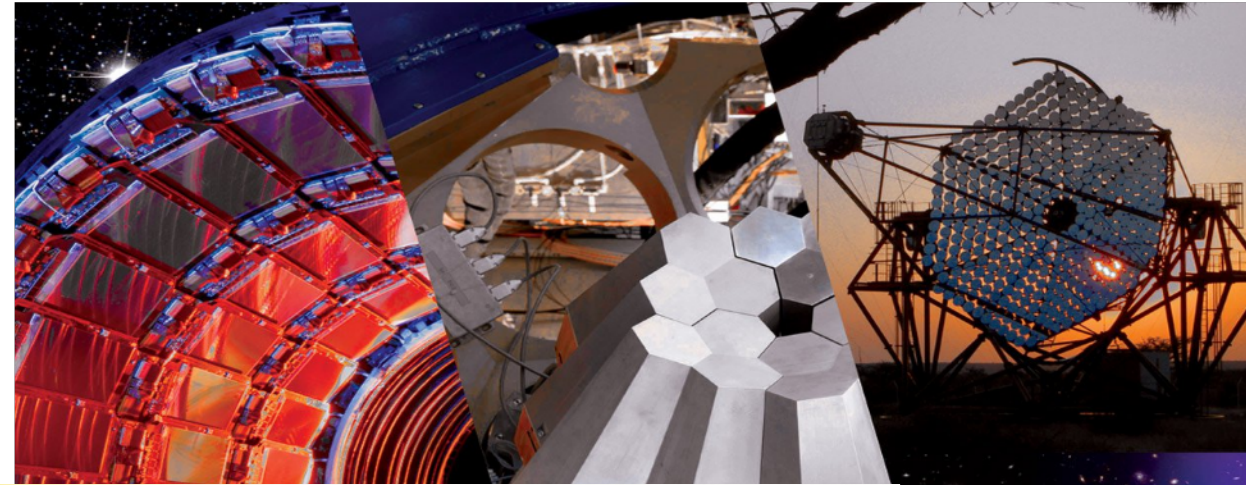
- 1700 m<sup>2</sup> over two computing rooms
- New room Vil3 just built (delivered in December 2025)

- **Computing**

- ~800 servers, 1060 kHS23
- 4 ARM workers available (test)

- **Storage**

- Tapes: 570 PB (full capacity, including the new library installed in November 2025)
- HDDs: ~100 PB



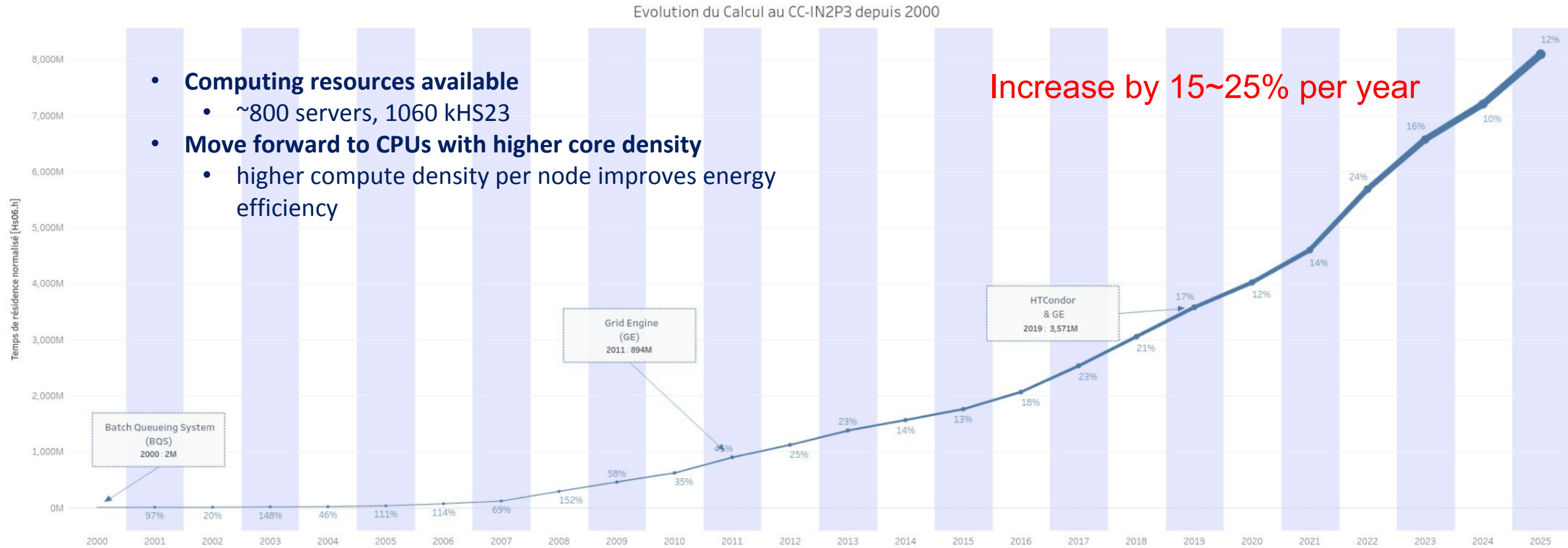
# Computing & Batch Systems



## Walltime increase over the years

- **Computing resources available**
  - ~800 servers, 1060 kHS23
- **Move forward to CPUs with higher core density**
  - higher compute density per node improves energy efficiency

Increase by 15~25% per year



# New GPUs installed in 2025



- **New GPUs intalled in the JupyterLab (platform) and in Slurm in 2025**
  - provided (and bought) by Huma-Num (Humanities and Social sciences)

- **In Slurm**

- V100 (already installed)
  - PowerEdge C4140
  - 18 workers, **72 GPUs (32GB per GPU) with 192GB memory per worker**

- **H100 NVL (installed in Spring 2025)**

**NEW!!**

- ProLiant DL385 Gen11
- 4 workers, **16 GPUs (94GB per GPU) with 1,5TB of memory per worker**

- **In JupyterLab**

- **L40S (installed in Spring 2025)**

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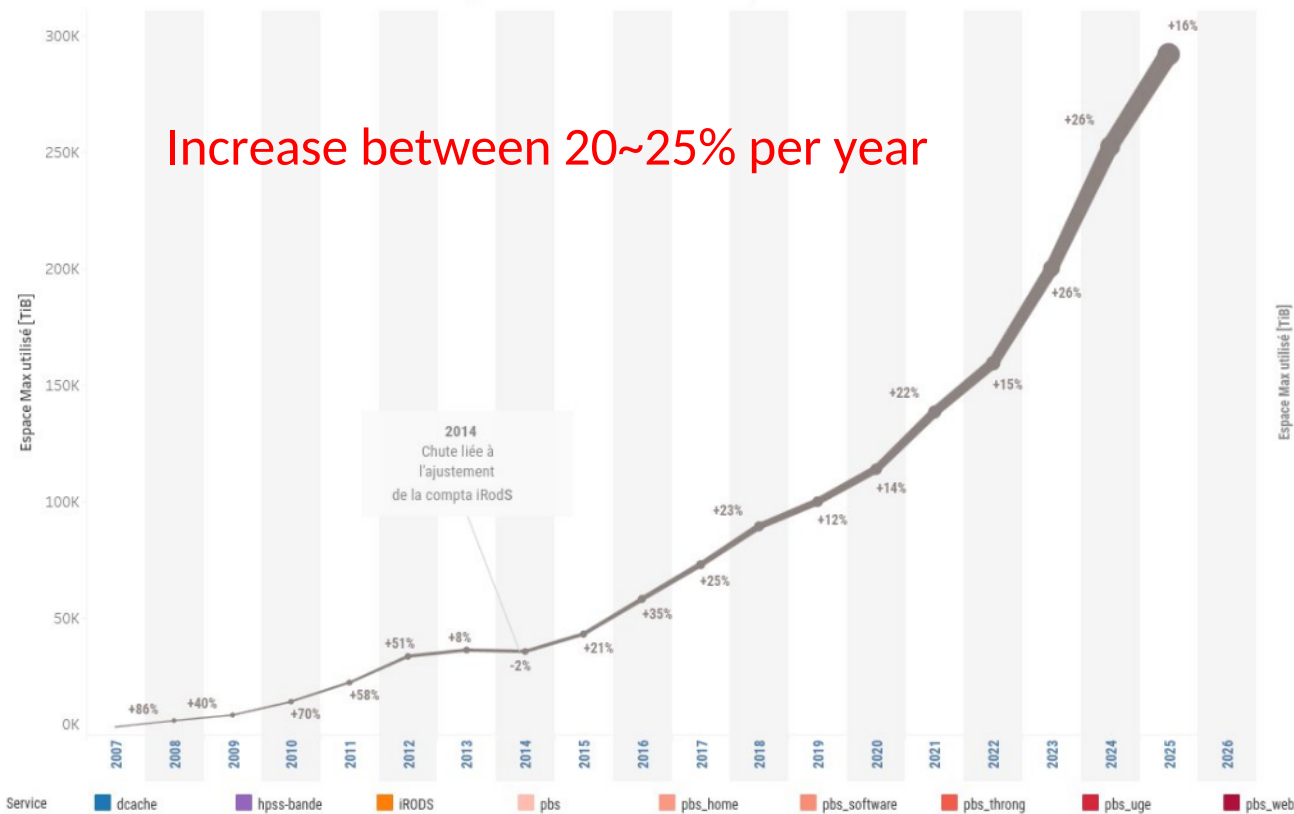
- ProLiant DL385 Gen11
- 8 workers, **30 GPUs (48GB per GPU) with 768GB of memory per worker**



# Storage Resources

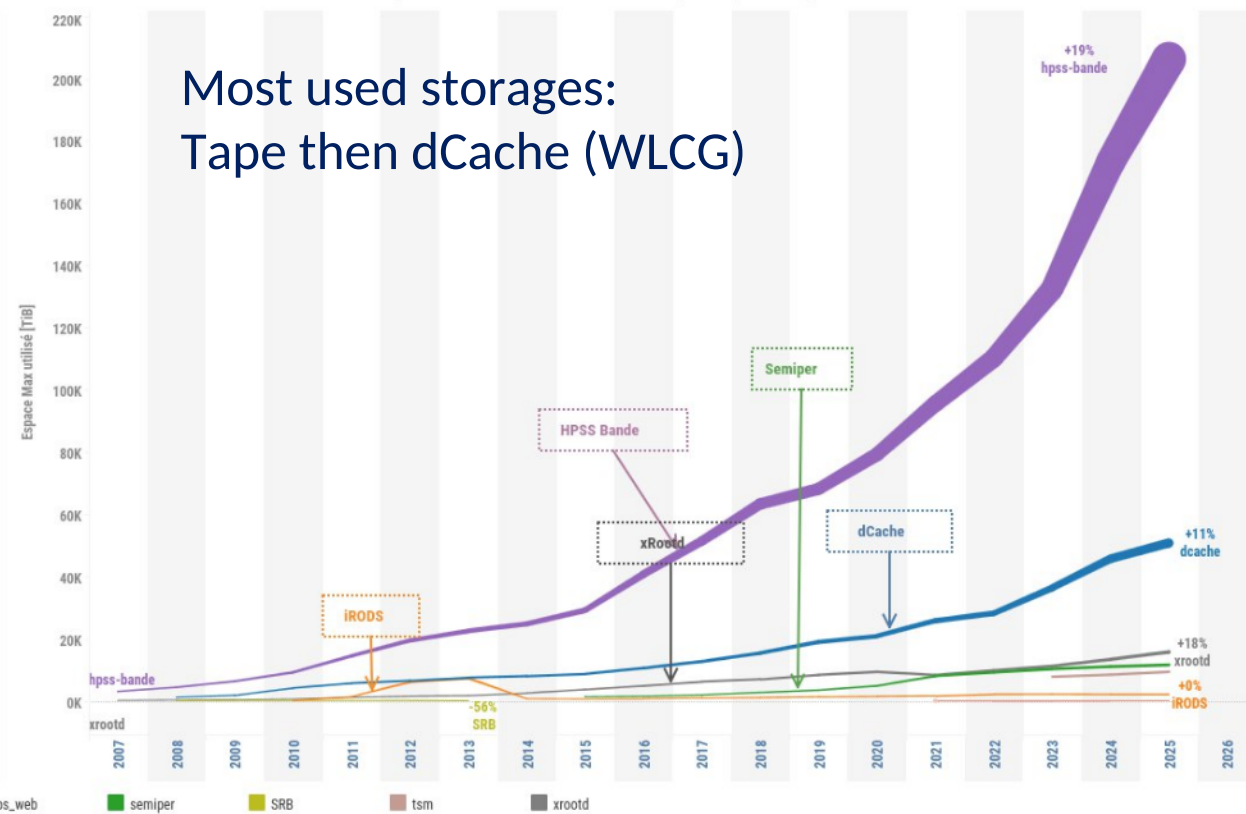
## Increase of the storage usage and split between main backends provided

Evolution du stockage Total utilisé  
-Espace mensuel maximum utilisé sur la période-



Increase between 20~25% per year

Détail du stockage utilisé par Service  
-Espace mensuel maximum utilisé sur la période pour chaque Service-



Most used storages:  
Tape then dCache (WLCG)



## Distributed filesystems

- Isilon NAS (GROUP directories, data) being phased out as distributed FS over compute nodes, replaced by CephFS
  - Currently 2 clusters of CephFS in production : 2 x 5 PB
- Isilon NAS still used for HOME directories
  - snapshots feature
  - higher level of data security (erasure coding or replication)

## Tape management

- Two Spectra TFinity libraries currently in production
  - 2 x 48 IBM TS1160 tape drives
  - full capacity: 2 x 135 = 270 PB
  - current usage ~234 PB
- New IBM TS4500 (installed in December 2025)
  - 48 LTO10 tape drives
  - full capacity: 300 PB
  - 1200 tapes (12% of full capacity)
- HPE Storeever MSL 3040
  - 14 LTO9 tape drives
  - full capacity: 10 PB
  - backup for IN2P3 labs (and various CNRS groups)



Old Oracle library replaced by IBM TS4500 on December (increased the full capacity to 570 PB)

Full capacity 2 x 135 PB



Full capacity 300 PB

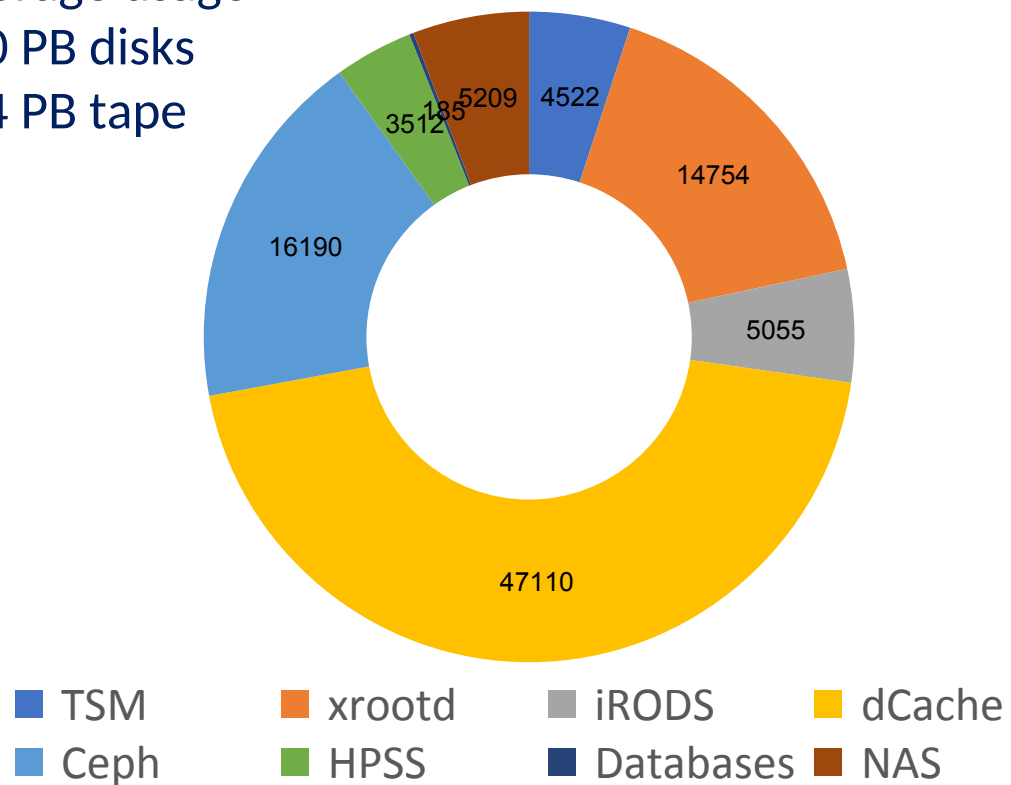




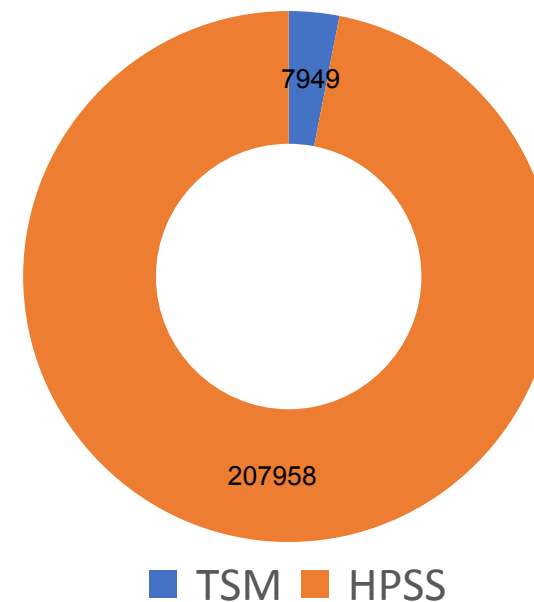
## Disk Size Distribution (TiB)

Current storage usage

- ~100 PB disks
- ~234 PB tape



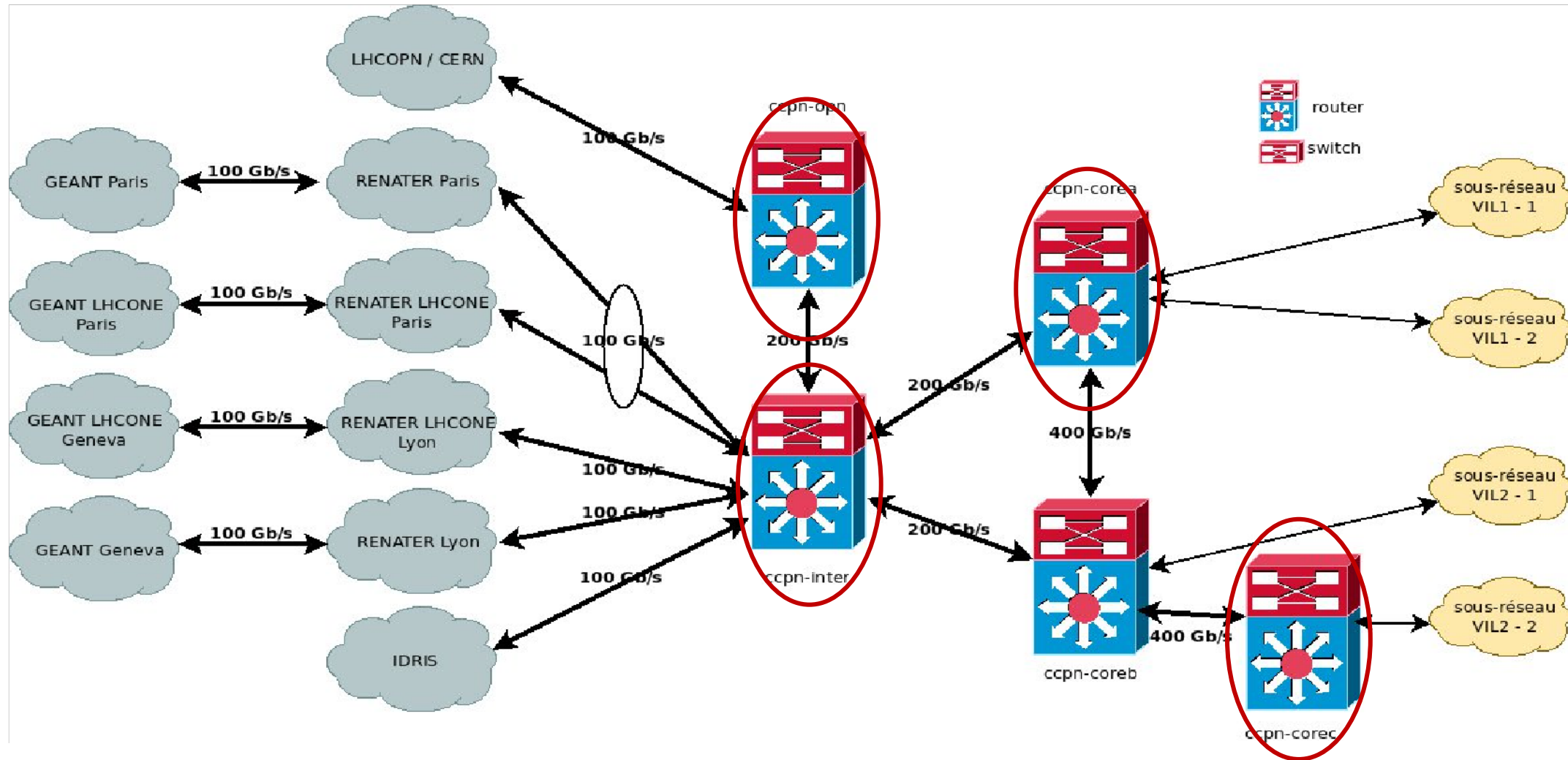
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# Networking



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**The links of the backbone routers will be upgraded from 100Gb/s to 400 Gb/s**

- routers 'ccpn-inter', 'ccpn-corea', 'ccpn-corec' and 'ccpn-opn' will be replaced (will still use Cisco hardware)
- 'ccpn-coreb' will disappear

**New router for the new computing room Vil3 (400Gb/s)**

**Upgrade planned for S1 2026.**

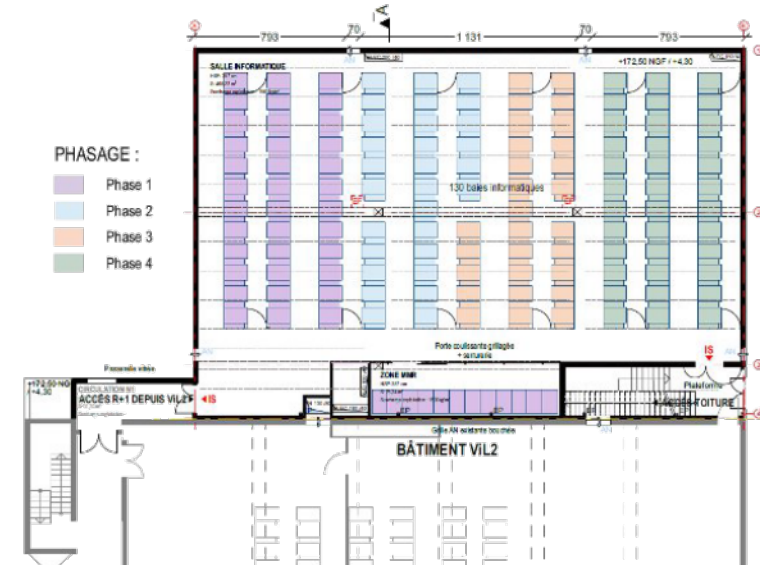
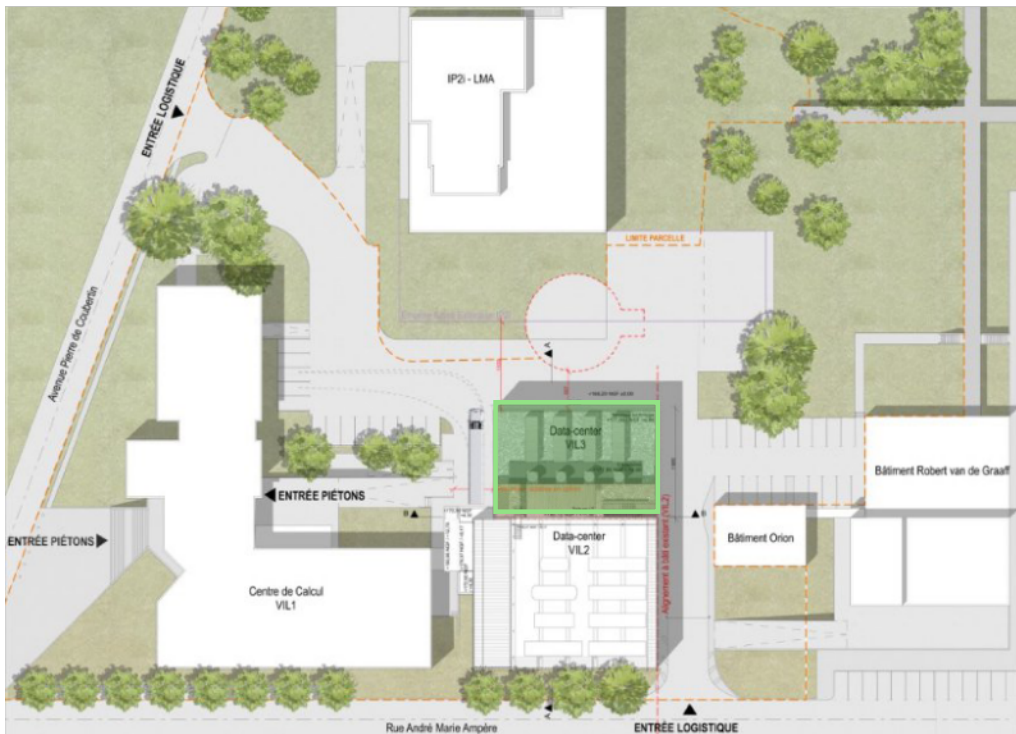
# Facilities



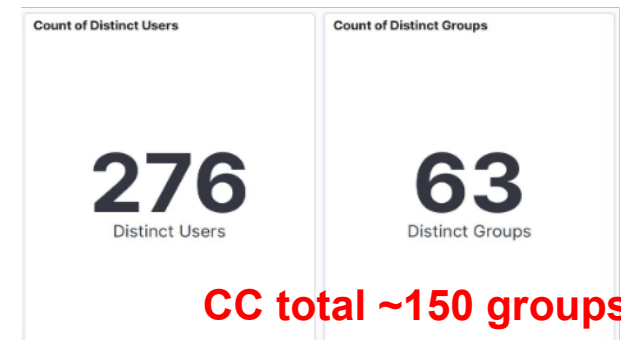
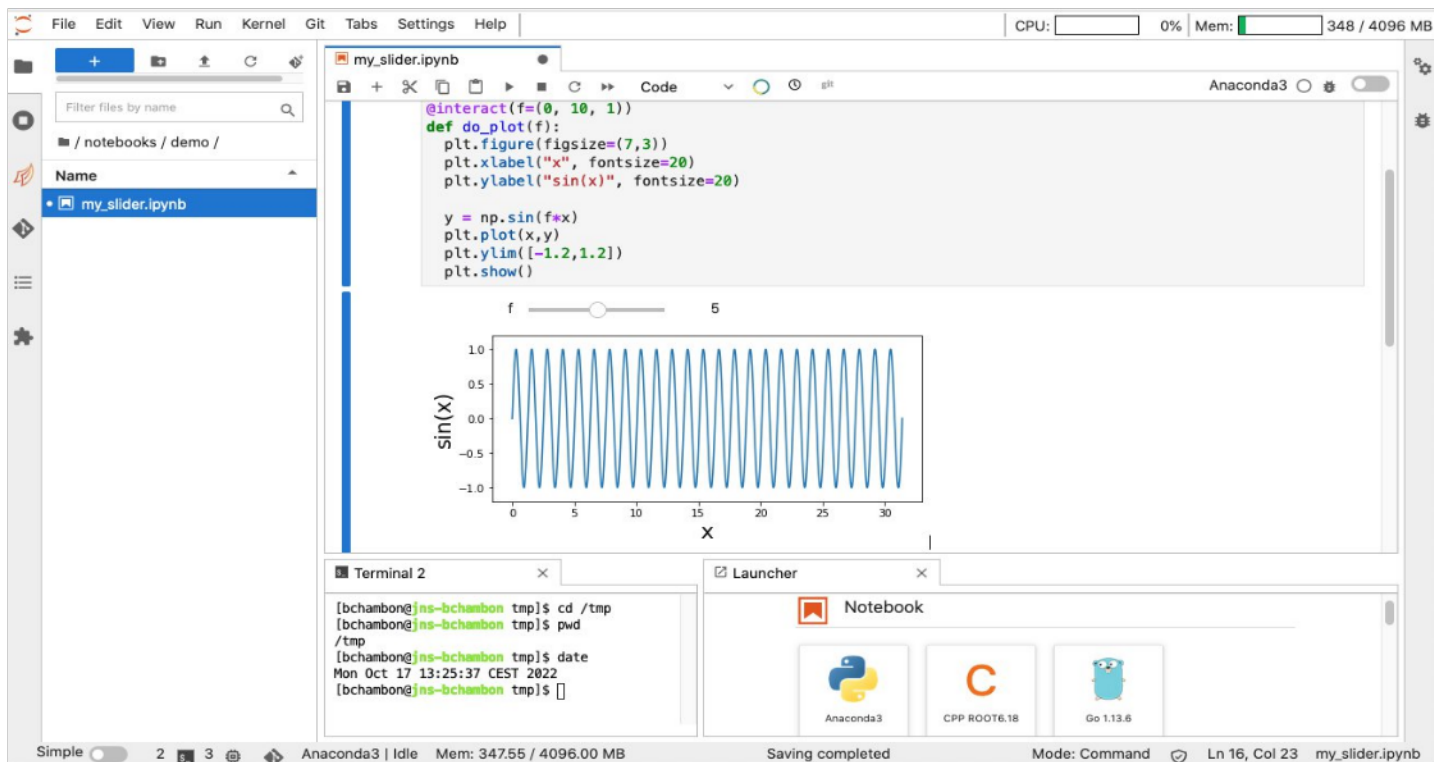
# New Computing Room vil3

## New room partly funded through FITS Equipex (national project with IDRIS, national HPC)

- Target usage: research infrastructure hosting
  - will allow to move remaining IT services from Vil1 to Vil3
- Construction completed on December 25
- 2MW IT at term (130 racks, 15KW), PUE ~1.3 (full occupancy)
- ~9 M€ without IT



# Some user services



CC total ~150 groups

Platform often used/reserved for trainings

- 5~6 trainings per year (few days to a week long)
- using mostly GPUs

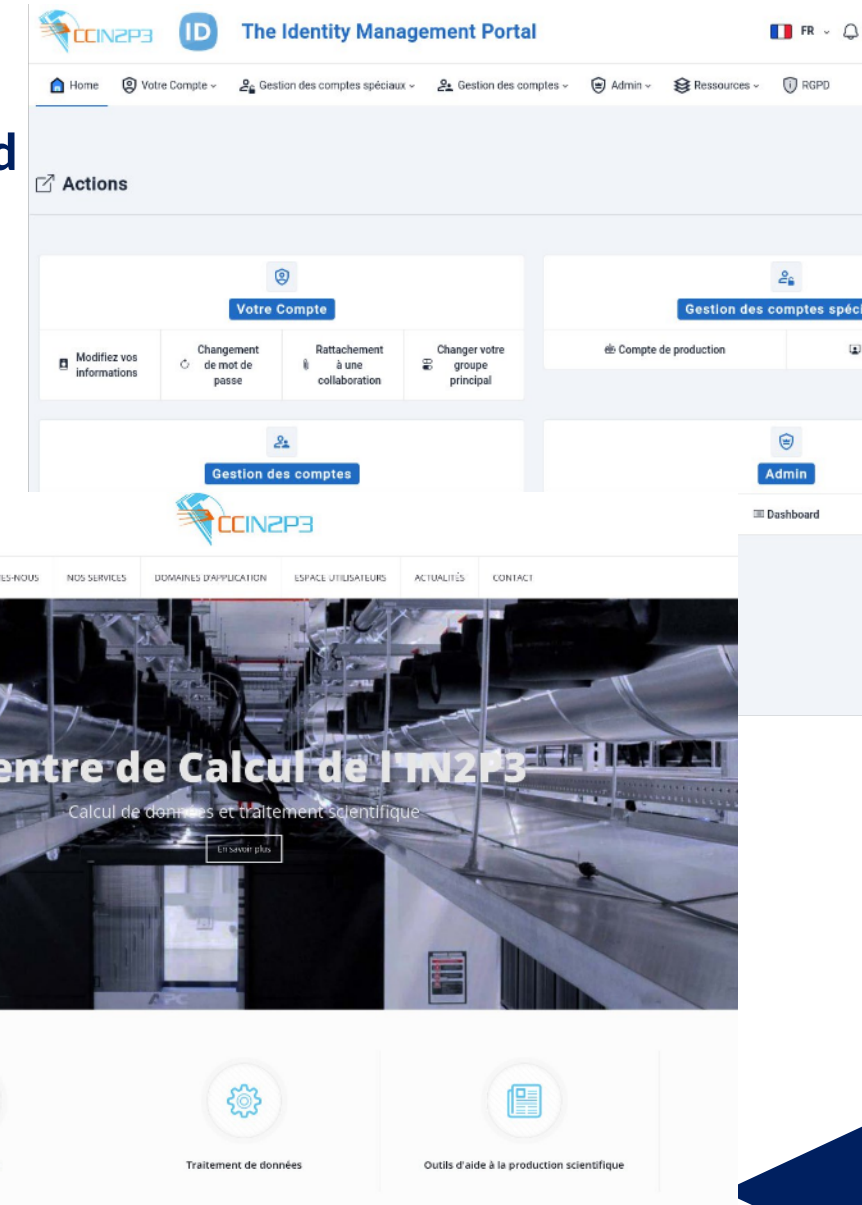
- provides various programming languages and (JupyterLab's) extensions to extend the features of the service
- provides Nvidia L40S GPUs (30 GPUs installed in Spring 2025)

A new Jupyter notebooks platform is being developed, based and run directly on Slurm, will

- allow a better resources management and accounting
- provide exactly the same computing environment as Slurm



- **New Identity portal (authorization & authentication) being developed**
  - allow users to fully manage their account and their groups
  - will improve the automation of most procedures
- **OpenStack (cloud) platform (Platform-As-A-Service)**
  - allow users to setup virtual machines according to their needs
  - users are free to install any software they need
- **Kubernetes (Red Hat OpenShift) platform for websites hosting**
  - CC-IN2P3 can provide WordPress based sites and hosts them
    - ~120 sites for and managed by CC-IN2P3
    - ~180 sites for collaborations (and hosted by CC-IN2P3)



## CAD Computer Aided Design

- provide 3D Experience (Dassault Systems)

## Elias

- ElasticSearch On Demand service with a Grafana frontend for data visualisation

## Various collaborative services provided to the IN2P3 labs

- Indico
- Zimbra
- IN2P3 Box (NextCloud with OnlyOffice)
- IN2P3 Forge (Redmine) for projects management
- Atrium (Nuxeo based, with laptop clients) for documents management



# Conclusion & Perspectives



- **2026 budget**
  - should be the same as the past year, 25% only given so far.
- **Hardware price tends to increase**
  - memory by ~50%
  - Nvidia GPU by a factor of ~3 !
- **Hopefully WLCG hardware renewal completed**
  - purchases completed by the end of 2025 (before the price increases)
- **Other 2026 experiment requests (CPU, GPU, storage) still need to be discussed before purchase.**
- **Tape storage usage increasing, currently ~234 PB (full capacity 270 PB)**
  - New tape system (IBM TS4500) purchased, increasing the total capacity by 300 PB
- **Main perspectives for 2026**
  - re-order all IT services between Vil1, Vil2 and Vil3.



**Thank You ! Questions ?**