

Operations in NDGF-T1 (and SE-SNIC-T2)

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- We have mostly recovered from the reorganization now
 - We have a director again
 - We have a dCache developer/storage architect again
 - etc.



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In addition to the NDGF-T1, there's a few T2:s in the Nordics

- FI-HIP-T2 for CMS
- NO-NORGRID-T2 for Atlas
- SE-SNIC-T2 for ALICE and Atlas
 - Sometimes hard to distinguish from NDGF-T1



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- 37 % of swedish CPU hours contributed to NDGF-T1, 63 % contributed to SE-SNIC-T2.

Sites: CSC

- Owned by Helsinki Institute of Physics (HIP), hosted by CSC
- Geographical location: Espoo (almost Helsinki), Finland
- Backend: SGE
- 768 cores
 - Shared with local ALICE users, and CMS
 - ~~Number of ALICE jobs limited by batch queue system to 150 \Rightarrow underutilization of the cluster~~



Sites: SNIC

- National Supercomputer Center, Linköping, Sweden
- Backend: PBS / Torque
- 512 cores
 - Shared with Atlas and lots of other stuff
- Old, should have been replaced already.



Sites: LUNARC

- Center for scientific and technical computing for research at Lund University, Lund, Sweden
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Sites: DCSC/KU

- Danish Center for Scientific Computing / Københavns Universitet
- Geographical location: Copenhagen, Denmark
- Backend: ARC
- 5080 Cores in total
 - \sim 800 CPUs shared with Atlas.



Sites: UiB

- Universitet i Bergen
- Geographical location: Bergen, Norway
- Backend: PBS
- 372 Cores
- New hardware being delivered as we speak!



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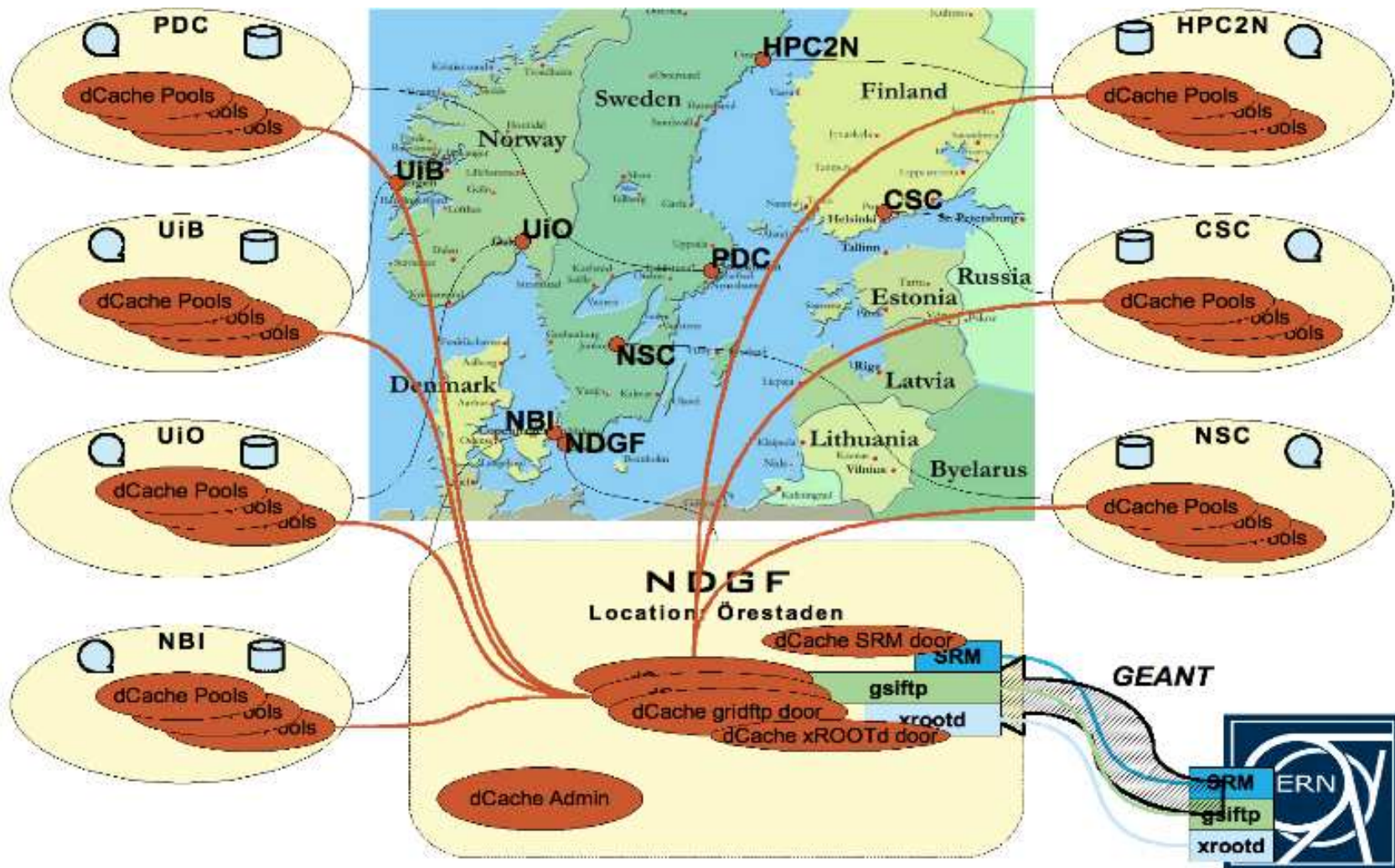
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- Many small sites looks like one big site
- dCache



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