



Best practice examples from ongoing EU-Russian collaborations

# CERN LHC



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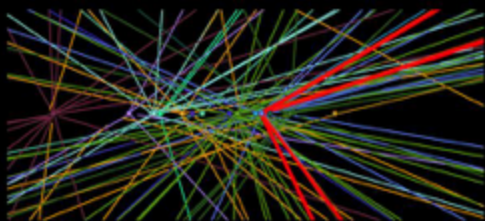
Focus on Big Data only

- **Collaborations**

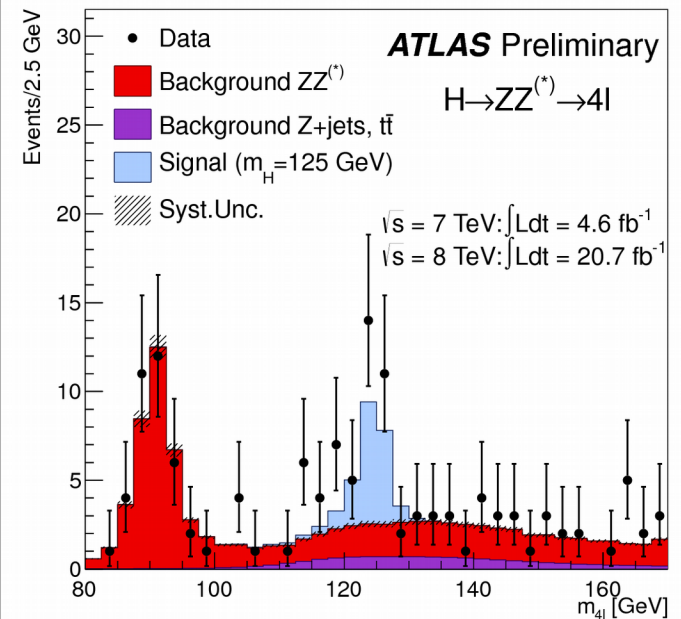
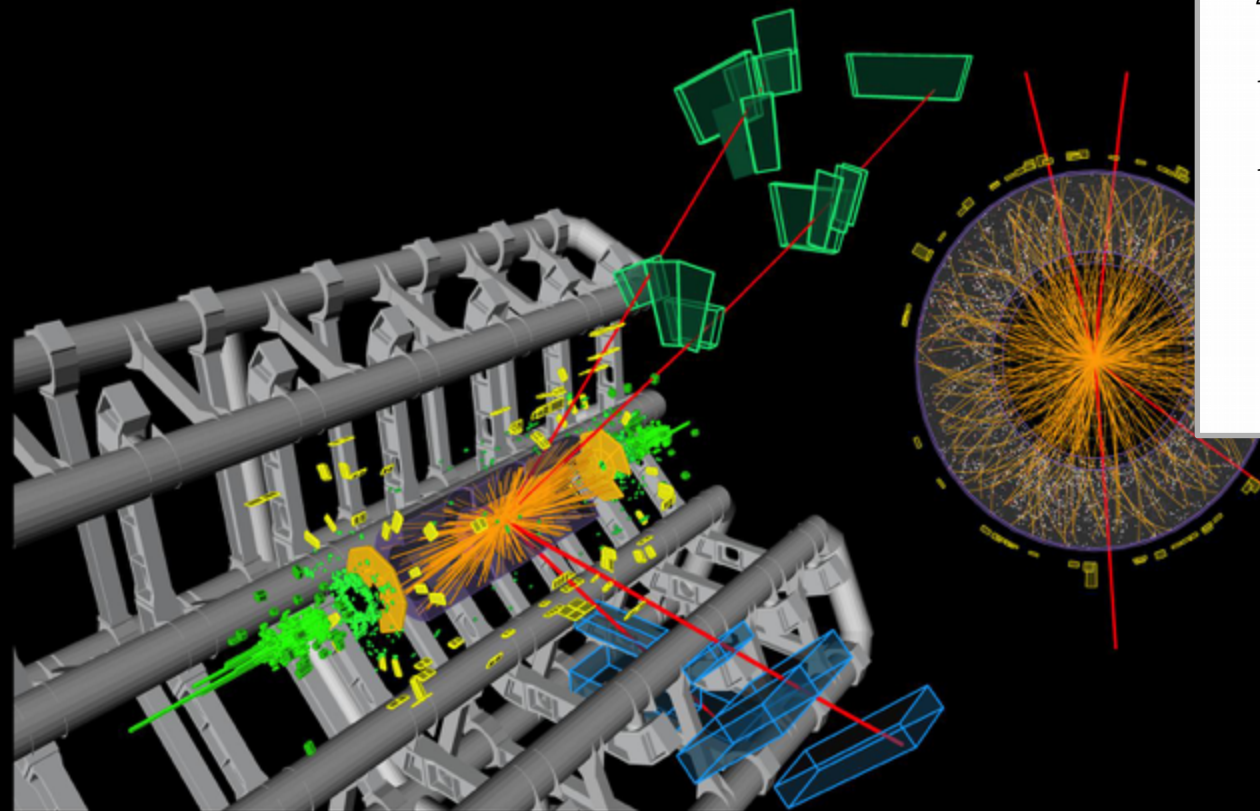
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Credits: slides from the EOS, CERNBox and SWAN teams





**Higgs boson  $\rightarrow 4\mu$**   
*Candidate event*



ATLAS data in Run1  
 2011 and 2012

The plot correspond  
 to  $\mathcal{O}(10)$  PB

ATLAS  
 EXPERIMENT  
<http://atlas.ch>

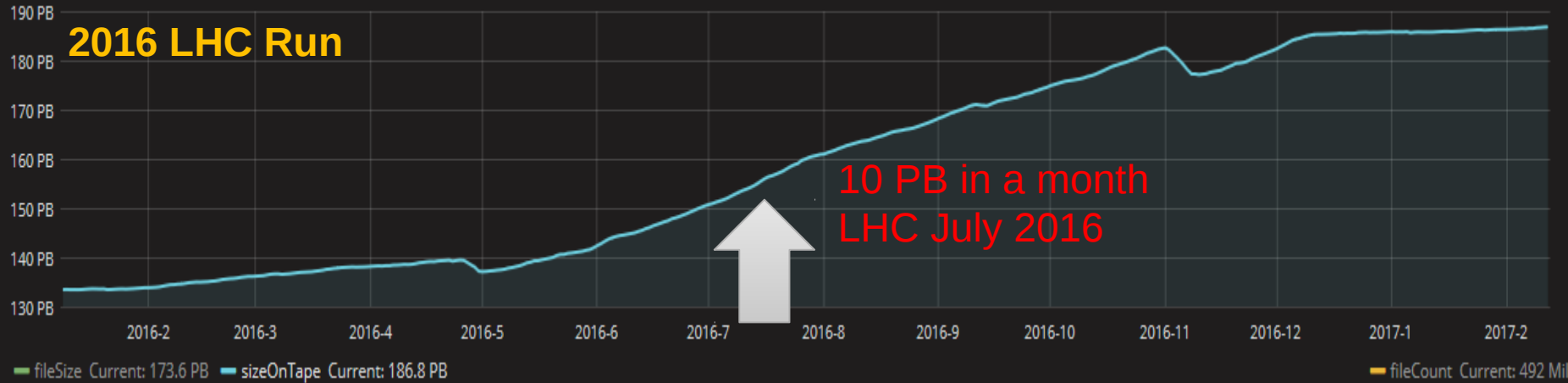
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## Physics Data in CASTOR

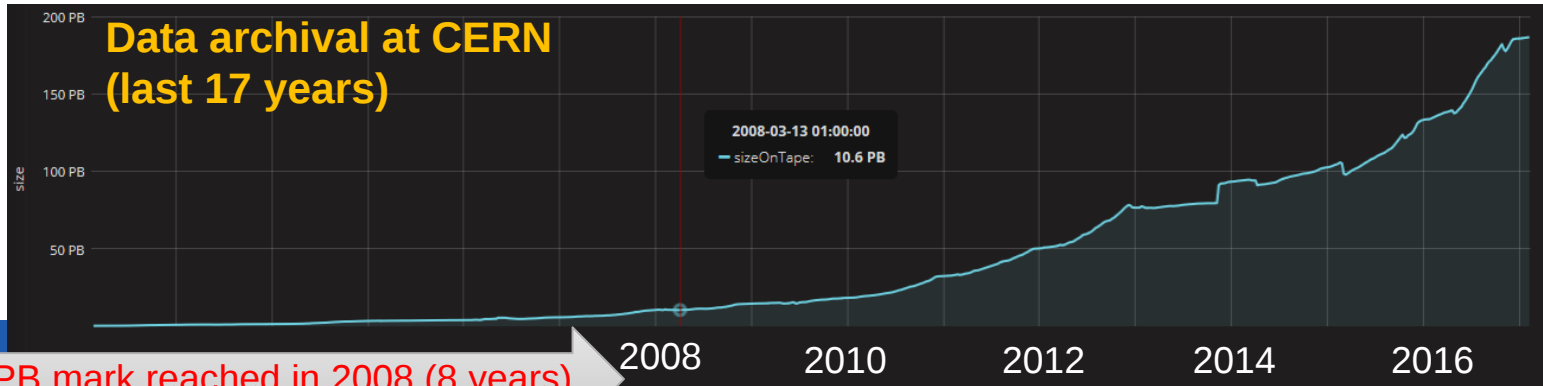
**2016 LHC Run**

**10 PB in a month  
LHC July 2016**



**Data archival at CERN  
(last 17 years)**

**10 PB mark reached in 2008 (8 years)**





# WLCG

Worldwide LHC Computing Grid

## Make LHC computing possible

Worldwide infrastructure (collaboration) open to all LHC physicists

Computing/storage resources at CERN: ~ 20%; 80% across about 200 sites worldwide

## Data Reconstruction

Goals: data quality and immediate access for analysis

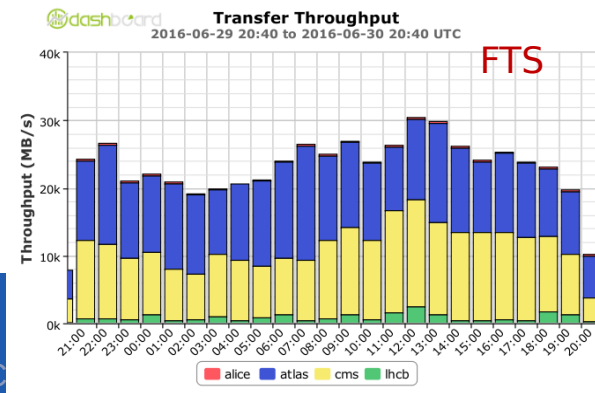
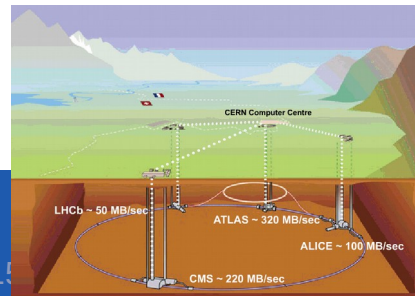
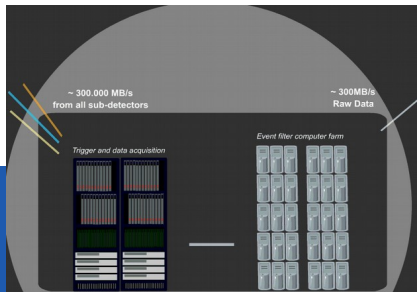
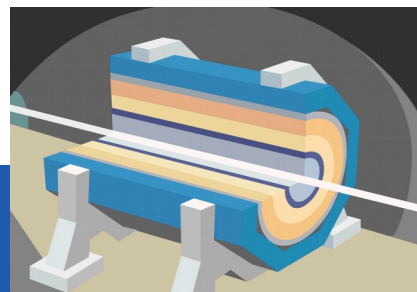
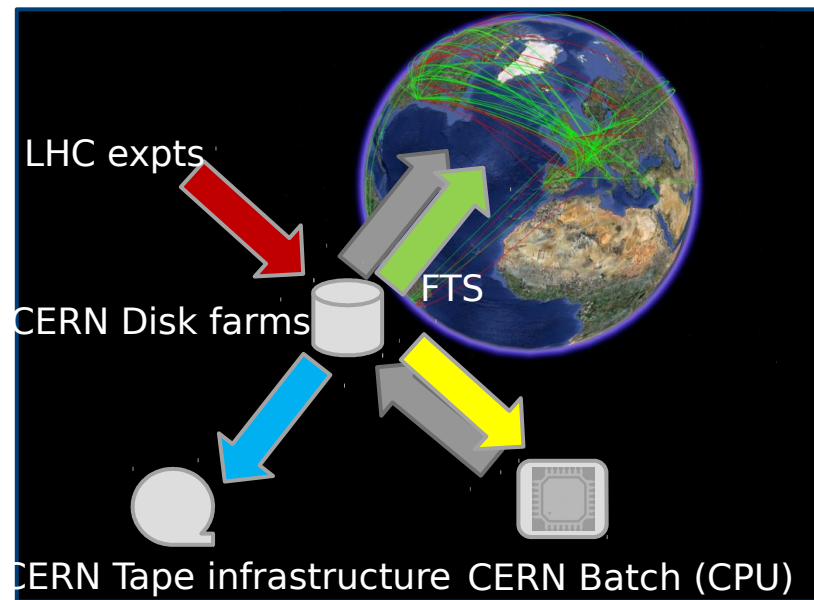
Organised activity dominated by heavy processing and replication (each expt: 1-8 GByte/s)

## Data Analysis

Goals: extract physics quantities (discovery)

Individual activities dominated by event selection and sharing (thousands of physicists)

## (Detector) simulation

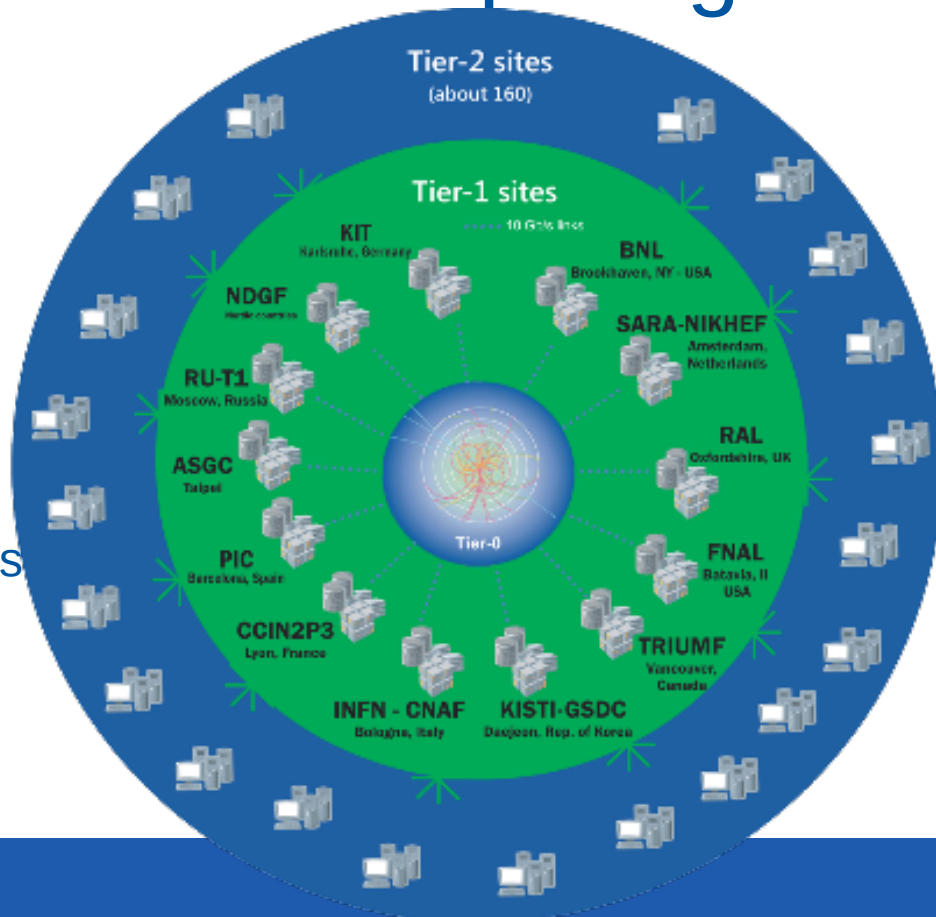


# Worldwide LHC Computing Grid

Tier-0:  
data recording,  
reconstruction and  
distribution

Tier-1: permanent  
storage, re-  
processing, analysis

Tier-2: Simulation,  
user analysis



~170 sites, 40 countries

~500k CPU cores

500 PB of storage

2+ million jobs/day

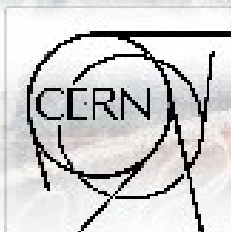
Multiple 10-100 Gb links

LCG:  
Initial description: 2001  
Tech. Design Report: 2005

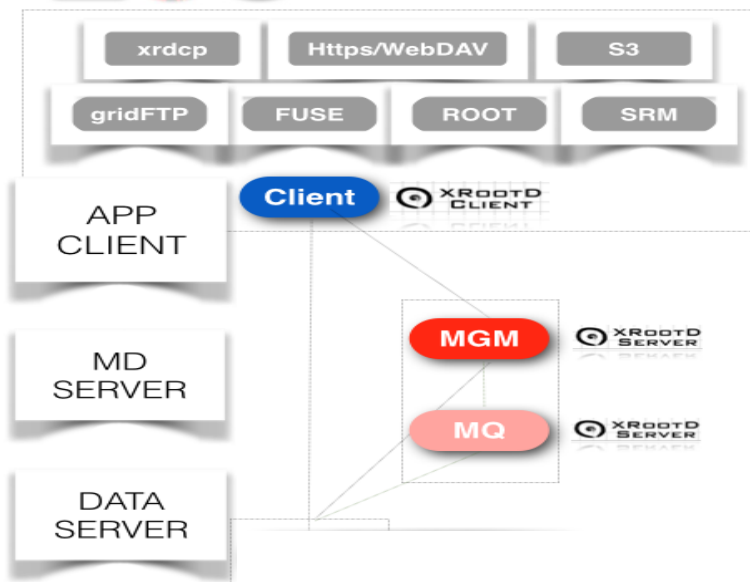


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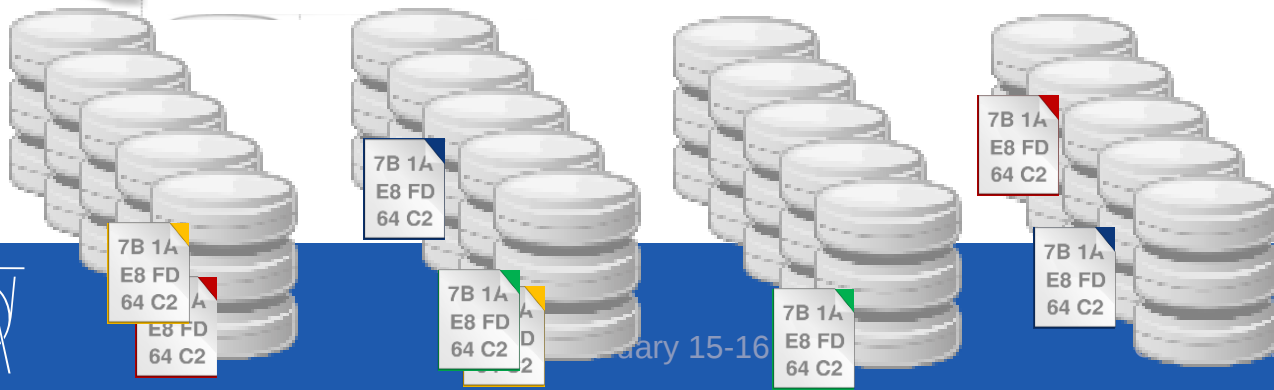
# Open Source Storage



- › EOS: Large disk farms for physics and beyond
  - Developed at CERN
  - LHC: PBs for 100s/1000s independent scientists
  - 200 PB JBOD installed (CERN installations)

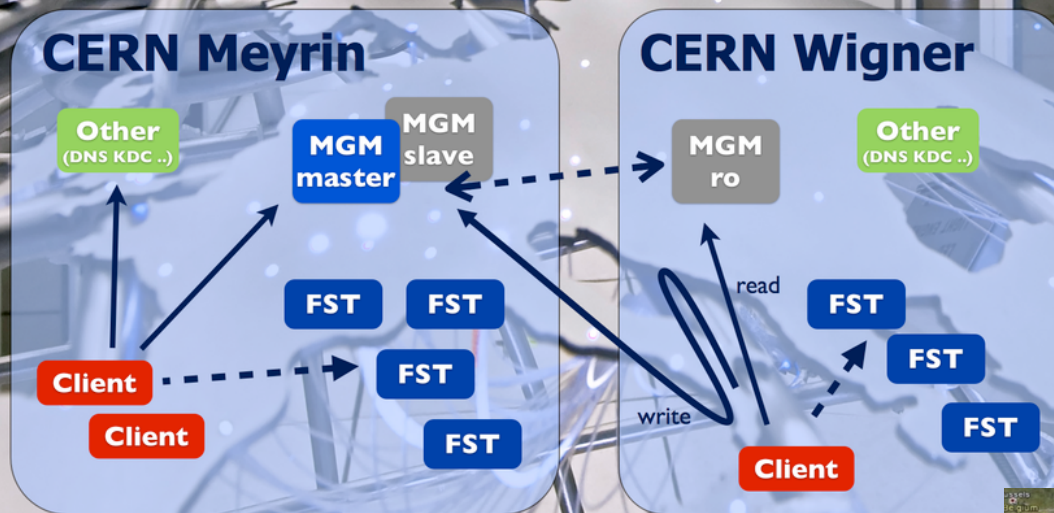
### › Strategic points

- Distill **20+ years** of experience data management
- **Ultra-fast** name space
- Arbitrary level of data durability: cross-node file replication or RAIN on **commodity** hardware
- Large **protocol choice**





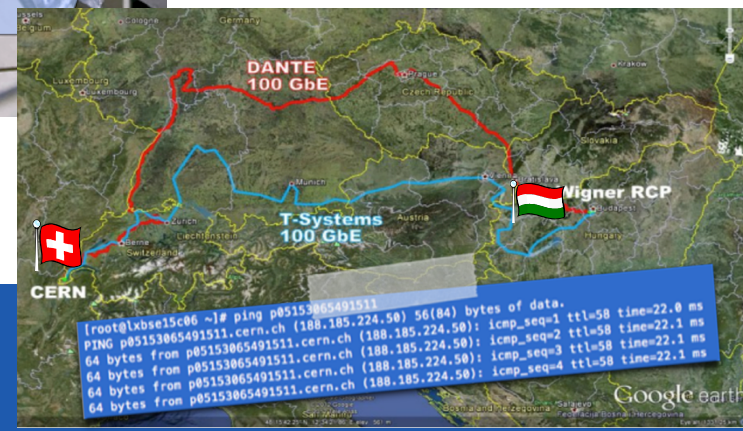
# Our “20-ms-large” computer centre

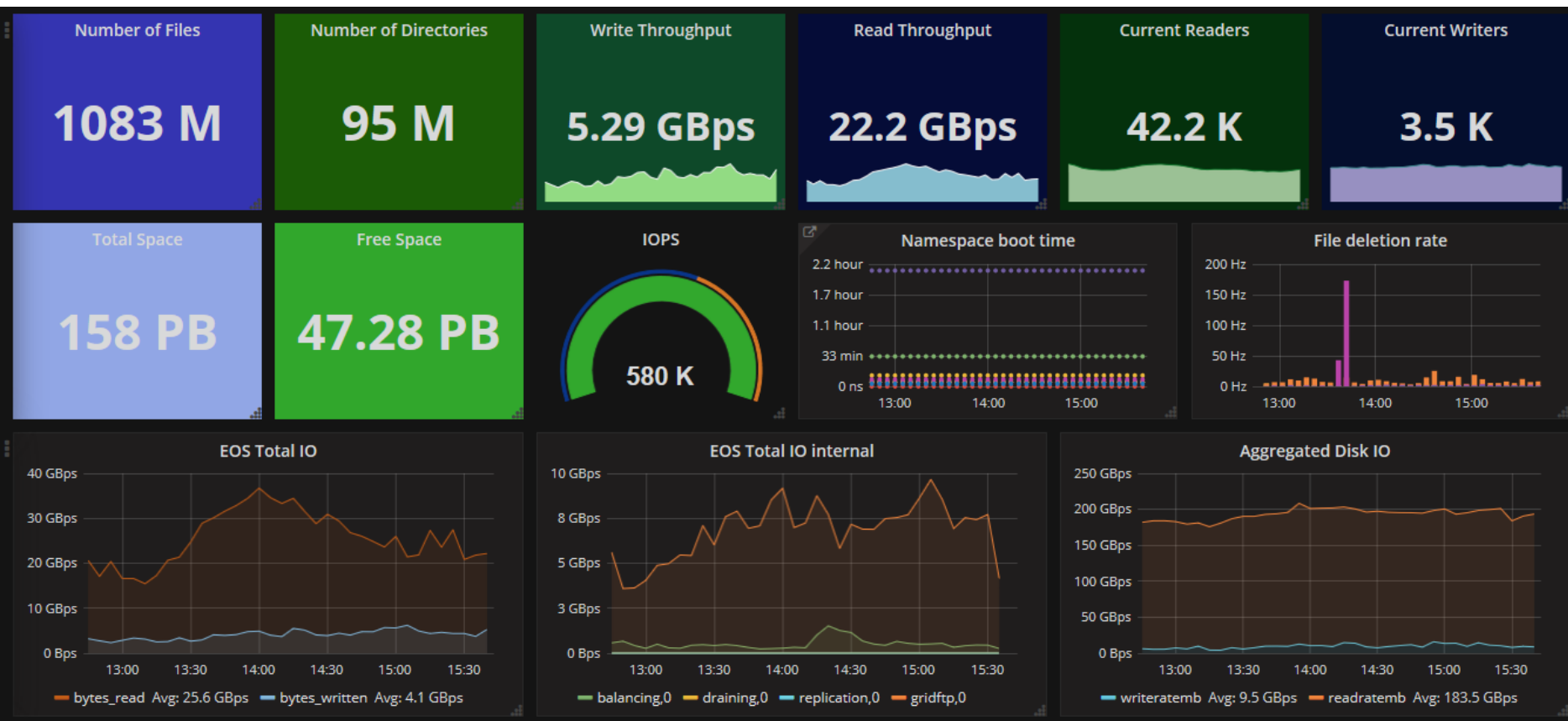


Autonomic,  
Locality,  
Disaster recovery/  
business continuity

MGM = NameSpace/Metadata

FST = Disk servers





# 1<sup>st</sup> EOS workshop (February 2-3 2017)

## Participants



TECHNICKÁ  
UNIVERZITA  
V KOŠICIACH



Integration and support  
Disk technology

## External Collaborators







National Research Centre (NRC)  
"Kurchatov Institute"



Big Data Technologies Laboratory  
<http://bigdatalab.nrcki.ru/>



# Russian Federated Data Storage System Prototype

Andrey Kiryanov, Alexei Klimentov, Andrey Zarochentsev

on behalf of BigData lab @ NRC "KI" and  
Russian Federated Data Storage Project

- HEP communities

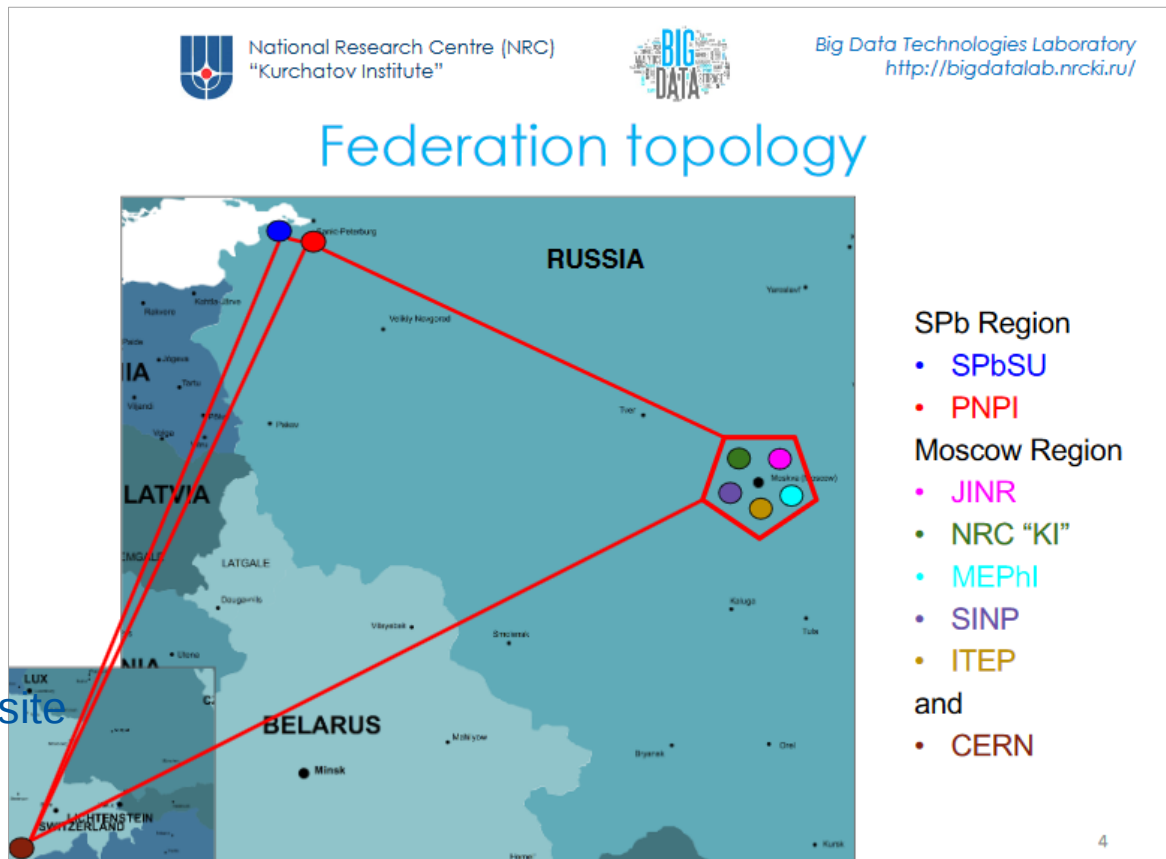
- Collaboration
- Complementarity

- Federation

- Moscow area
- St Petersburg area
- (CERN)
- Sites from Russian Data Intensive Grid And WLCG site

- EOS workshop

- A.Kyrianov et al.



# EOS AT 6,500 KILOMETRES WIDE

An Australian Experience  
David Jericho – Solutions Architect, AARNET

## SOLUTIONS WE HAVE TRIED



- Hadoop
  - MapR, Hortonworks, Apache official
- XtremFS
- Ceph
- GlusterFS
- pNFS
- OrangeFS

... and others

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## SUCCESSES WE'VE HAD

- IT WORKS!
  - Stable, server issues have been almost exclusively container related
  - Fast
- Obvious write latency penalty
  - Users don't notice
- Hello all, I know it's Monday...
  - CERN have been very responsive, THANKYOU!



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# Joint Research Centre (JRC)

## Science Service of the European Commission



### "Earth Observation & Social Sensing Big Data Pilot Project"

- The EU **Copernicus** Programme with the **Sentinel** fleet of satellites acts as a game changer by bringing EO in the Big Data era:
  - expected 10TB/day of **free and open** data
  - Requires new approaches for data management and processing
- Pilot project launched in January 2015
- Major goal: set up a central infrastructure for storing and processing of Earth Observation and Social Sensing data at JRC



Sentinel-1 (Credits: ESA/P. Carr)



Sentinel-2 (Credits: ESA/P. Carr)



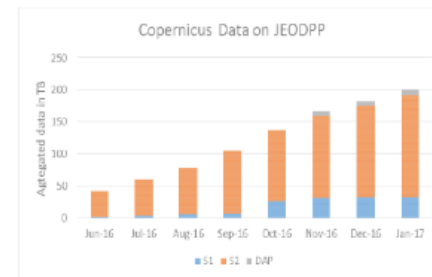
Sentinel-3 (Credits: ESA/J. Hu)

Joint  
Research  
Centre



### EOS set-up at JRC

- Installation and configuration at JRC with strong support from CERN storage team
- Current set-up:
  - 1.4 PB gross capacity
  - 10 FST nodes, each with one JBOD of 24x6 TB disks
  - Using replica 2
- Further extension planned
  - 2017: extend to ~6 PB gross



A. Burger and P. Soille (JRC)

February 15-16, 2017

Cremlin WP2 workshop

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# CERNBox

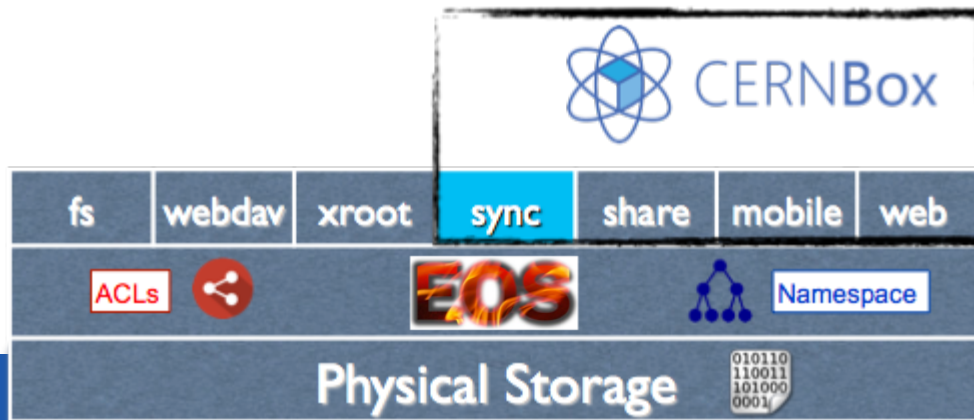


# CERNBox



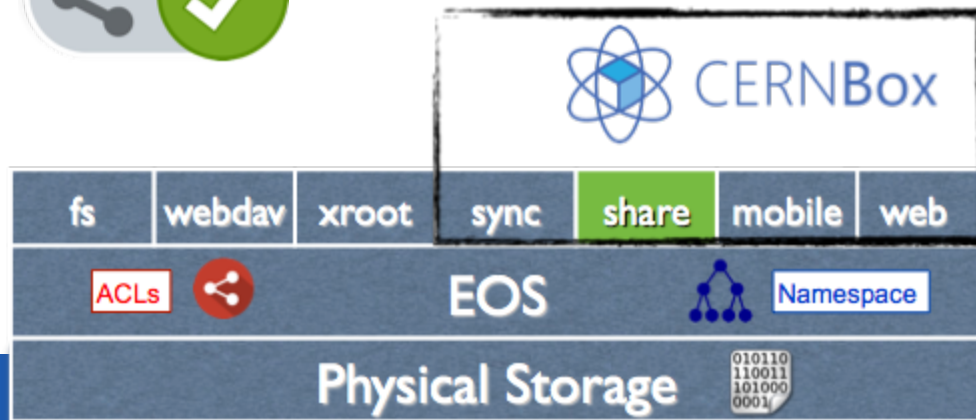
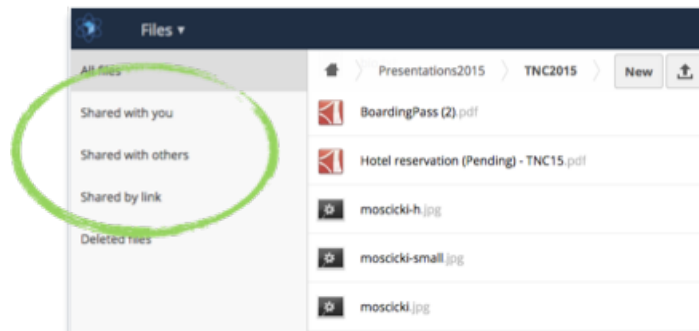
- Starting point: Dropbox-like service
  - Cloud synchronisation service
  - Just the starting point!
- Innovative way to offer storage
  - Sync and share from ownCloud GmbH
  - EOS as a back-end (all LHC data!)
  - New way to interact with your data
- Strong interest
  - In HEP: from V.Ilin and his group (Moscow)
  - Broader scientific/university community

# Access Methods: Sync





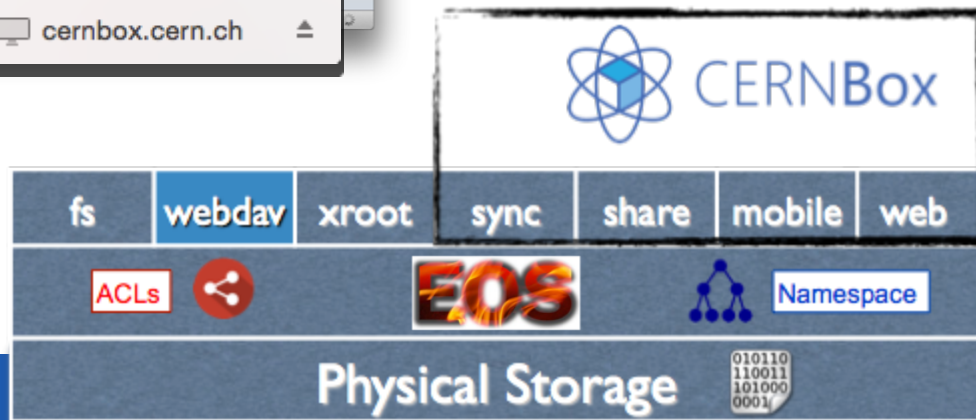
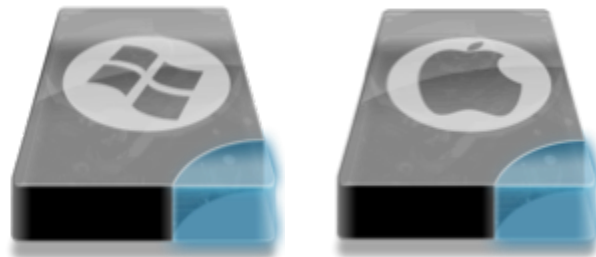
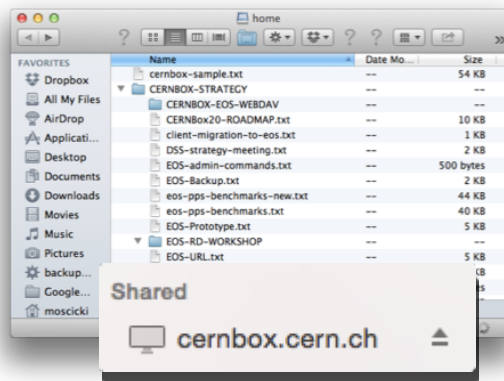
# Access Methods: Sharing



# Access Methods: Mobile & Web



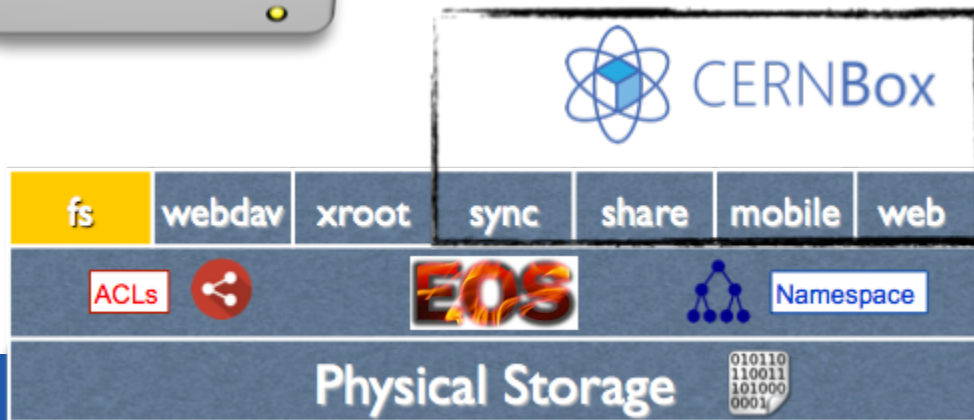
# Access Methods: WebDAV



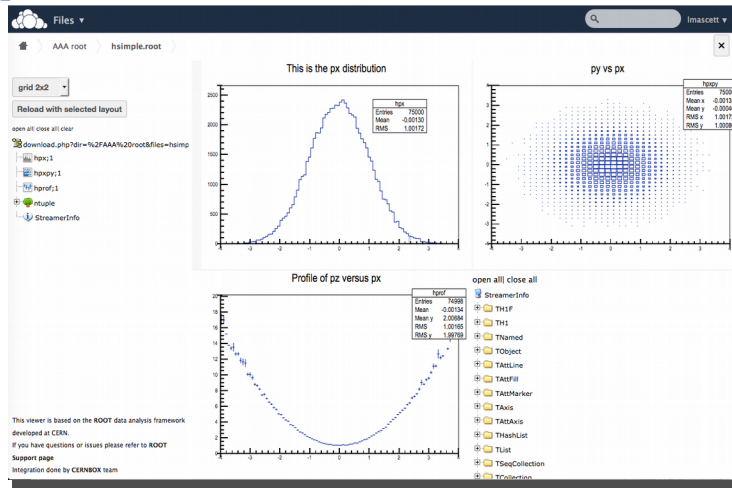
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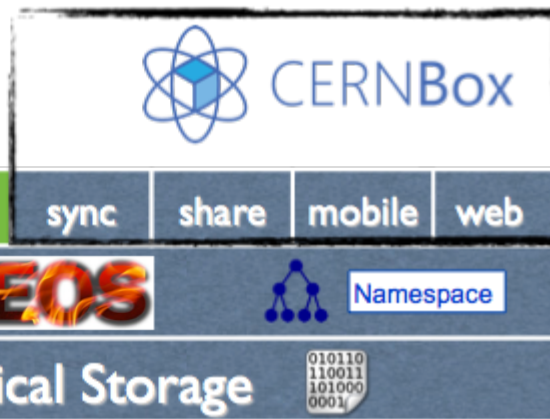
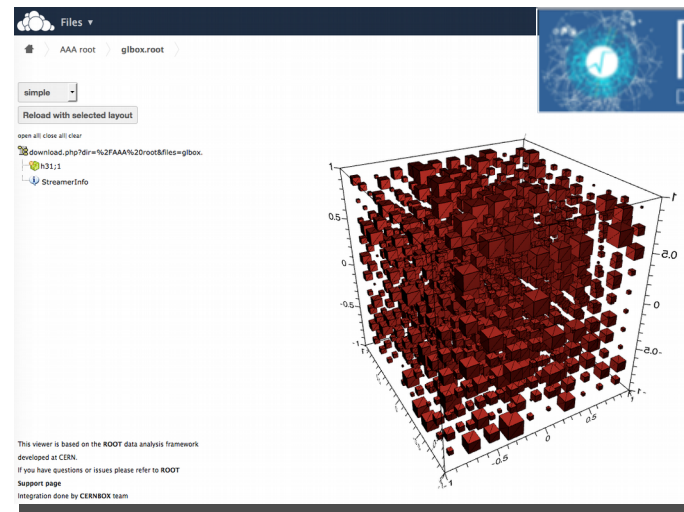
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[lmascett@lxplus2015 ~]# df -H -t fuse  
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eosatlas        36P    17P   20P   45% /eos/atlas  
eosalice        20P    11P   8.5P   57% /eos/alice  
eoscms          28P    14P    15P   49% /eos/cms  
eoslhcb         13P   7.6P   4.6P   63% /eos/lhcb  
eospublic       16P   5.0P   11P   36% /eos/public  
[lmascett@lxplus2015 ~]#  
[lmascett@lxplus2015 ~]# ls -lc /eos/user/l/lmascett/  
total 6644  
drwx----- 1 lmascett c3      5 Dec 10 15:58 CERN  
drwx----- 1 lmascett c3      0 Jan 26 18:18 debug  
drwx----- 1 lmascett c3      0 Dec 11 09:43 download  
drwx----- 1 lmascett c3      0 Oct 31 18:24 pdf  
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# Optimised access



Embedded ROOT viewer  
in CERNBox browser

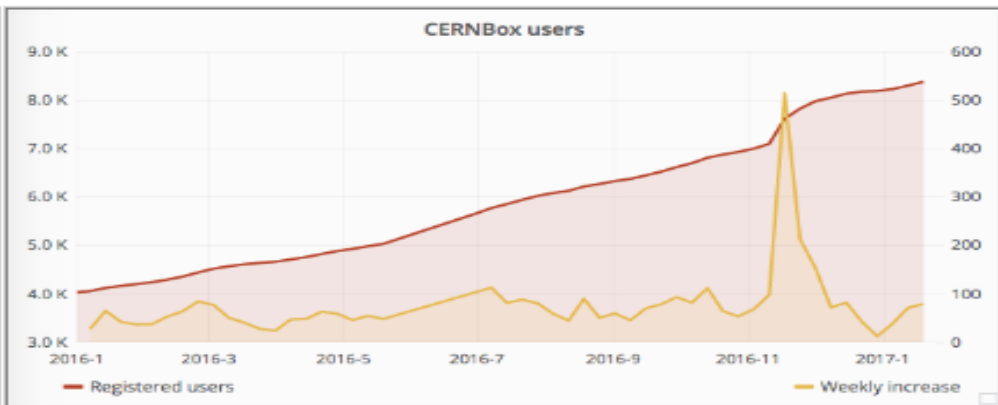
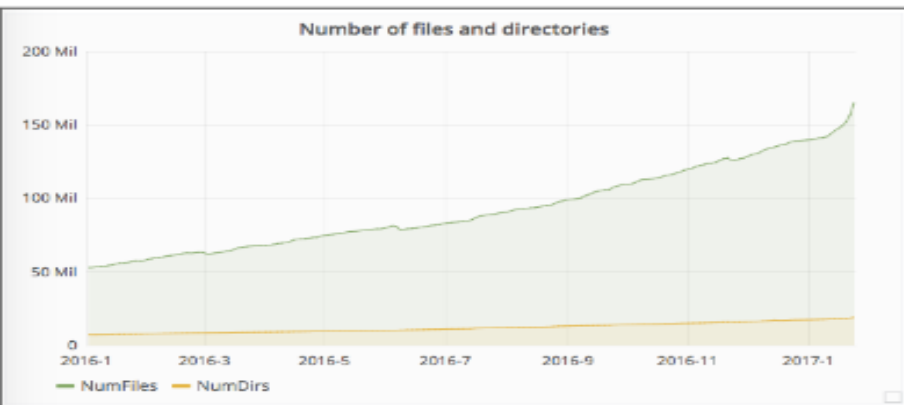
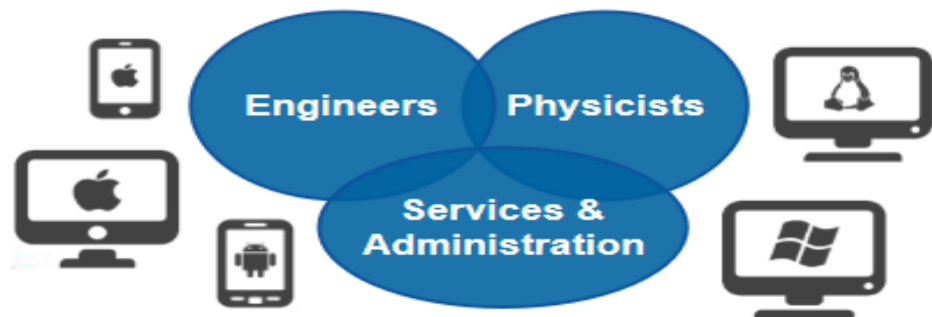






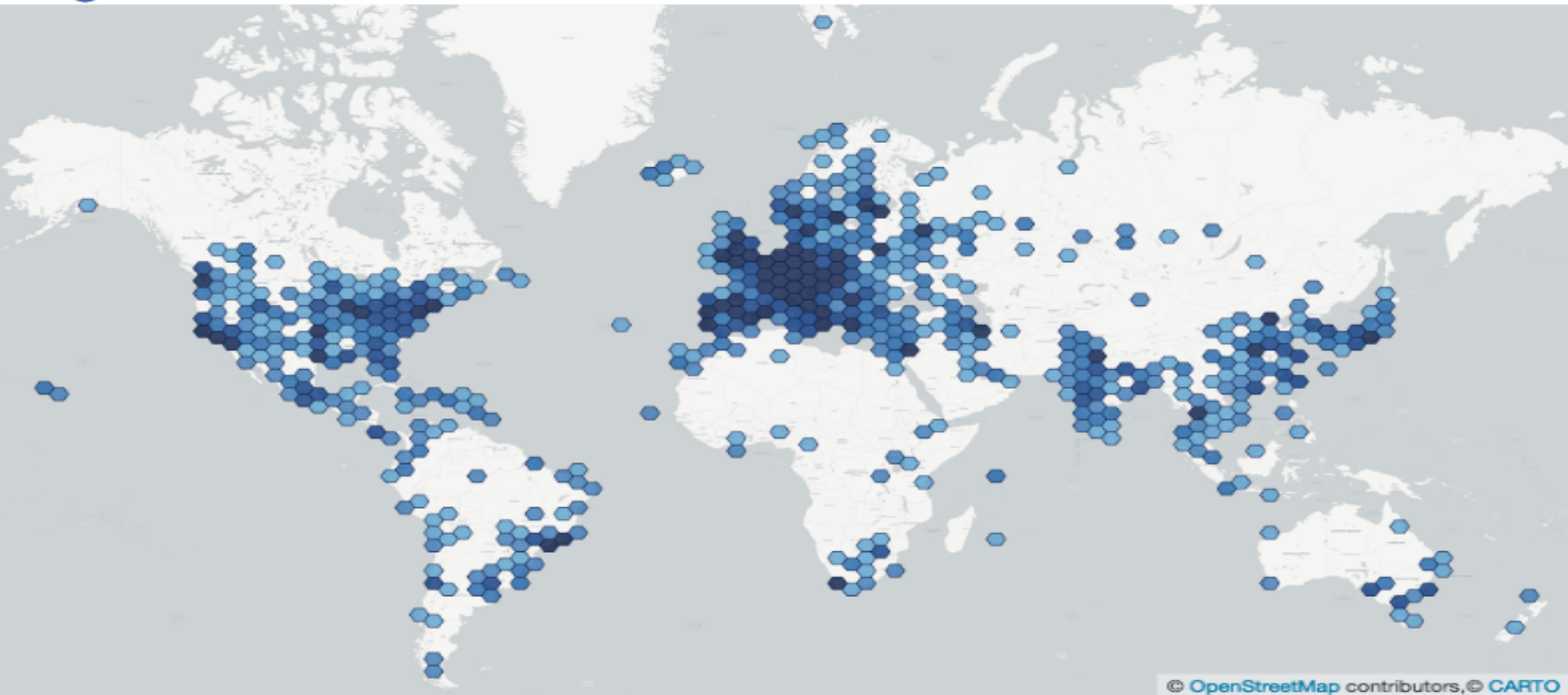
# CERNBox Service Numbers

	Jan 2016	Jan 2017
<i><b>Users</b></i>	<i><b>4074</b></i>	<i><b>8411</b></i>
<i><b># files</b></i>	<i><b>55 Million</b></i>	<i><b>176 Million</b></i>
<i><b># dirs</b></i>	<i><b>7.2 Million</b></i>	<i><b>19 Million</b></i>
<i><b>Used Raw Space</b></i>	<i><b>208 TB</b></i>	<i><b>806 TB</b></i>
<i><b>Deployed Raw Space</b></i>	<i><b>1.3 PB</b></i>	<i><b>3.2 PB</b></i>





# CERNBox Clients

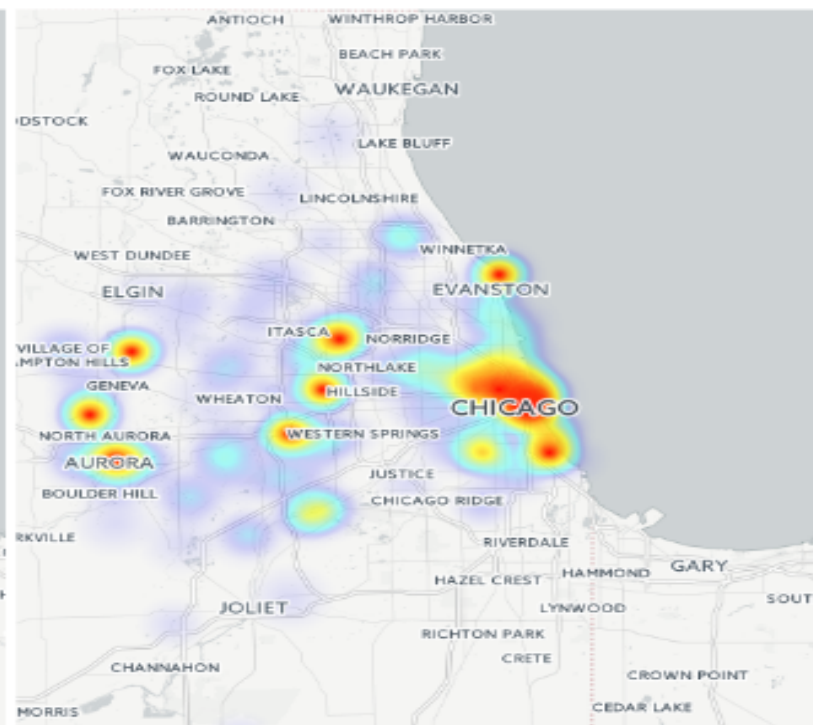
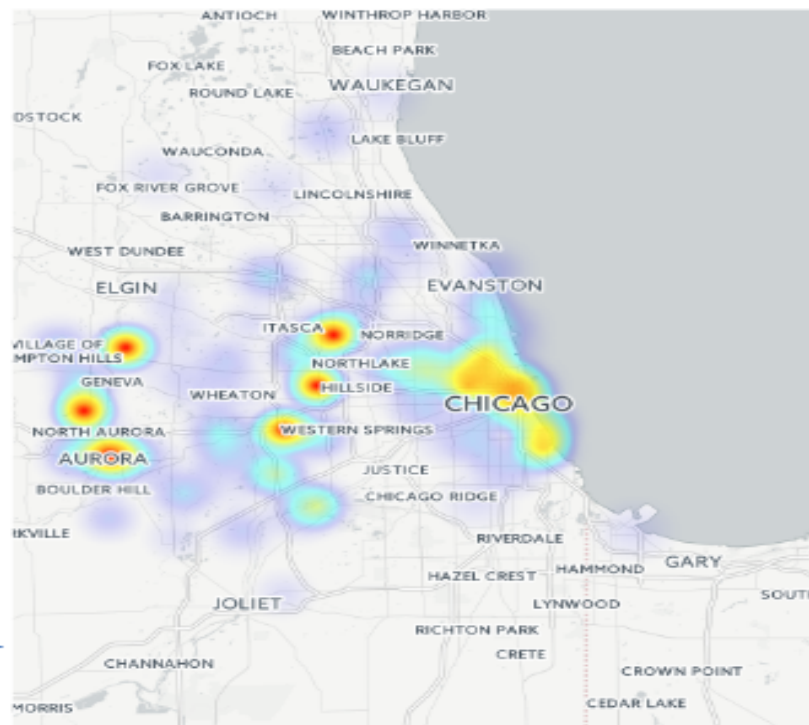


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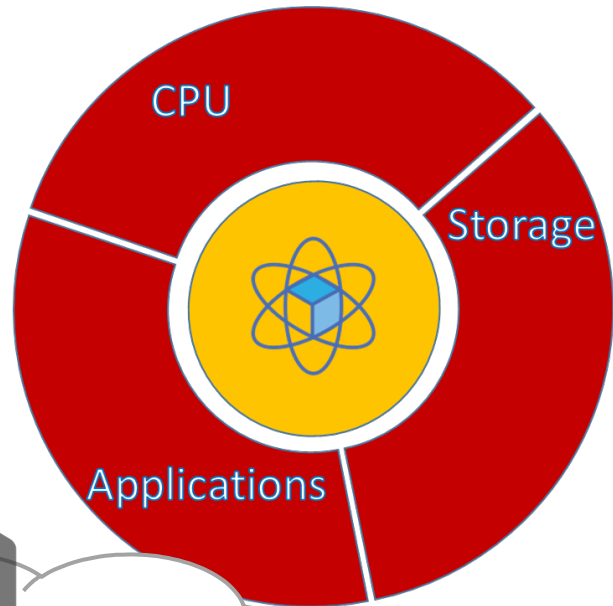
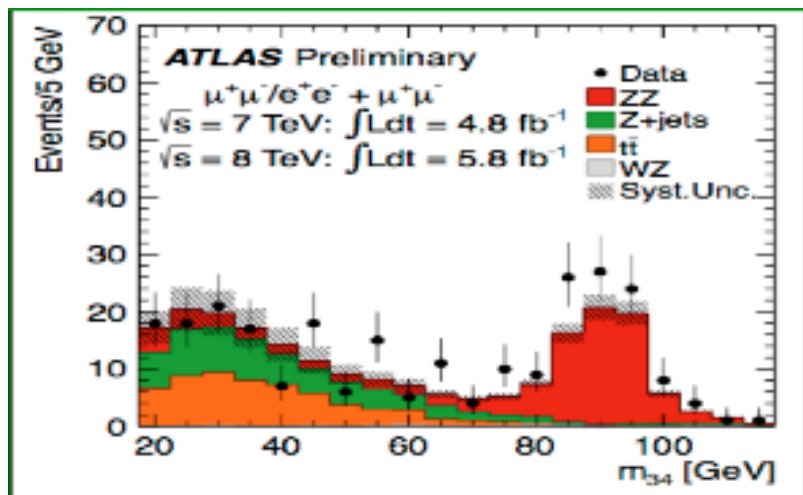
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# Cloud analysis: SWAN project

with CERN Physics Department



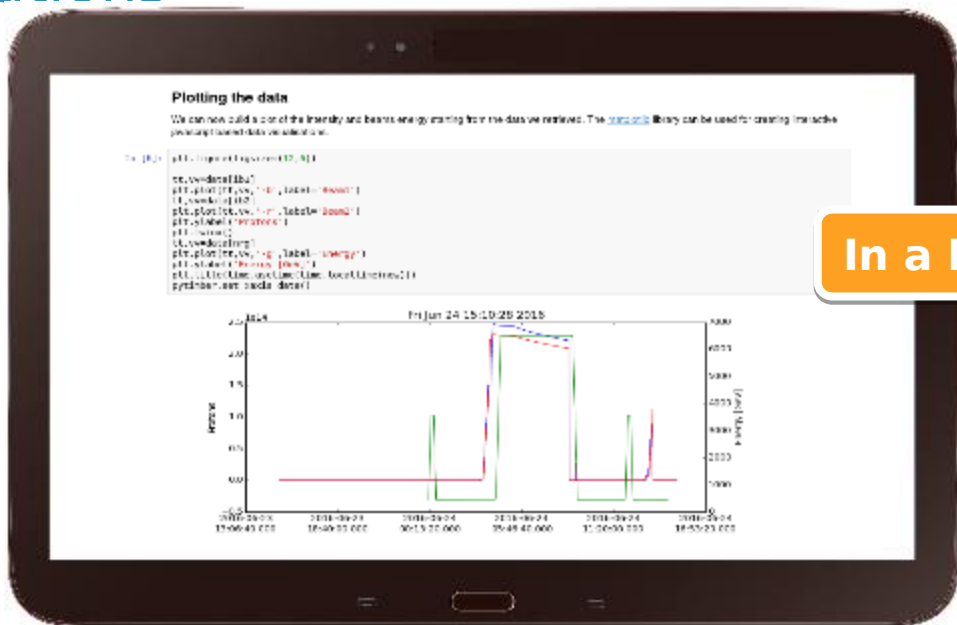
Lots of activity in previous projects with several Russian groups, notably with V. Korenkov (JINR Dubna)



ROOT is the CERN data analysis framework: <http://root.cern.ch>



**Jupyter Notebook:** A web-based interactive computing interface and platform that combines code, equations, text and visualisations



**In a Browser**



Text

Code

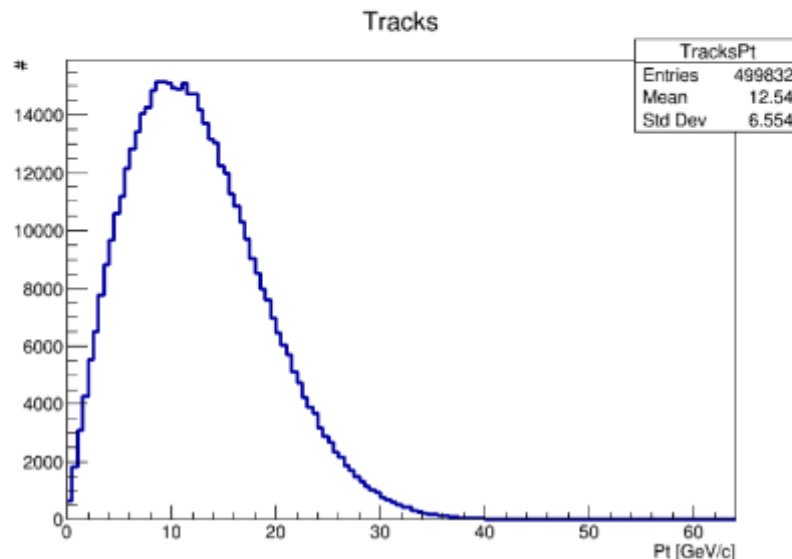
Graphics

## Access TTree in Python using PyROOT and fill a histogram

Loop over the TTree called "events" in a file located on the web. The tree is accessed with the dot operator. Same holds for the access to the branches: no need to set them up - they are just accessed by name, again with the dot operator.

```
In [1]: import ROOT

f = ROOT.TFile.Open("http://indico.cern.ch/event/395198/material/0/0.root");
h = ROOT.TH1F("TracksPt", "Tracks;Pt [GeV/c];#", 128, 0, 64)
for event in f.events:
    for track in event.tracks:
        h.Fill(track.Pt())
c = ROOT.TCanvas()
h.Draw()
c.Draw()
```





# CERNBox as Home

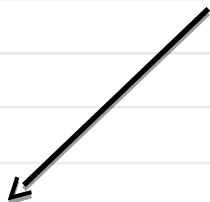
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Same content as in  
cernbox.cern.ch







# Notebook Galleries



SWAN

Interactive Data Analysis, In the Cloud.

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Apache Spark

## Basic Examples

This is a gallery of basic example notebooks: click on the

Open in

SWAN

Many of the notebooks are ROOTbooks, based on the ROOT framework. To know more about ROOT, visit [root.cern.ch](http://root.cern.ch).

### Simple ROOTbook (Python)

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Python is really flexible and easy to use, for example it's easy to integrate with a plot and a histogram.

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# SWAN Use Cases

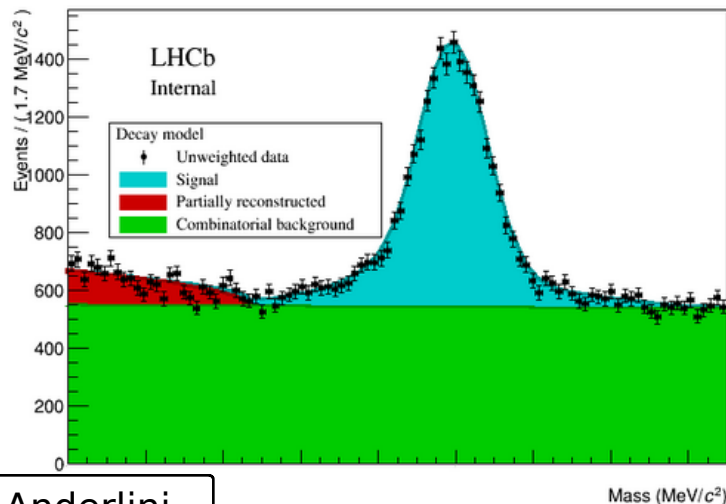
```
title = { "model": "Signal" , "pdfBkg" : "Partially reconstructed" , "cmbBkg": "Combinatorial background"}

for (component, color) in [ ("model",kCyan), ("pdfBkg",kRed), ("cmbBkg",kGreen)]:
    model.plotOn (frame, LineColor(color+2) , DrawOption('L') , Components(component), LineWidth(5))
    model.plotOn (frame, FillColor(color+1) , DrawOption('F') , Components(component), LineWidth(0), Name("P"+component)
    )
    leg.AddEntry ( frame.findObject ("P"+component), title[component] , "P" )

data.plotOn ( frame, MarkerColor ( ROOT.kBlack ) )
frame.Draw()
Graphics().lhcbMarker(0.2,0.8, "Internal")

leg.Draw()
ROOT.gPad.Draw()
```

Results  
coming from  
real data!  
(published  
now)



## Physics Analysis

Rare B meson decay in LHCb

- Read data from EOS
- Setup complex fit
- Document and inspect results



- SWAN as platform for outreach
  - Introductory course about experimental HEP for future high school teachers

## Particle open data teaching (Hiukkasfysiikan avoin data opetuksessa)

**Lähdetäänpä tutkimaan!**

Lähdetään seuraavaksi tarkastelemaan, miten pseudorapiditeetin vaikutus mittatarkkuuteen voidaan havaita CMS-ilmäisimen keräämän oikean datan avulla. Käytetään CMS:n vuodelta 2011 kerättyä dataa [1], josta on valittu 10851 törmäystapahtumaa (events) tiedostoon "Zmumu\_Run2011A\_massoilla.csv". (Karsinta on suoritettu koodilla, joka on avoimesti saatavilla osoitteessa <https://github.com/tpmccauley/dimuon-filter>.)

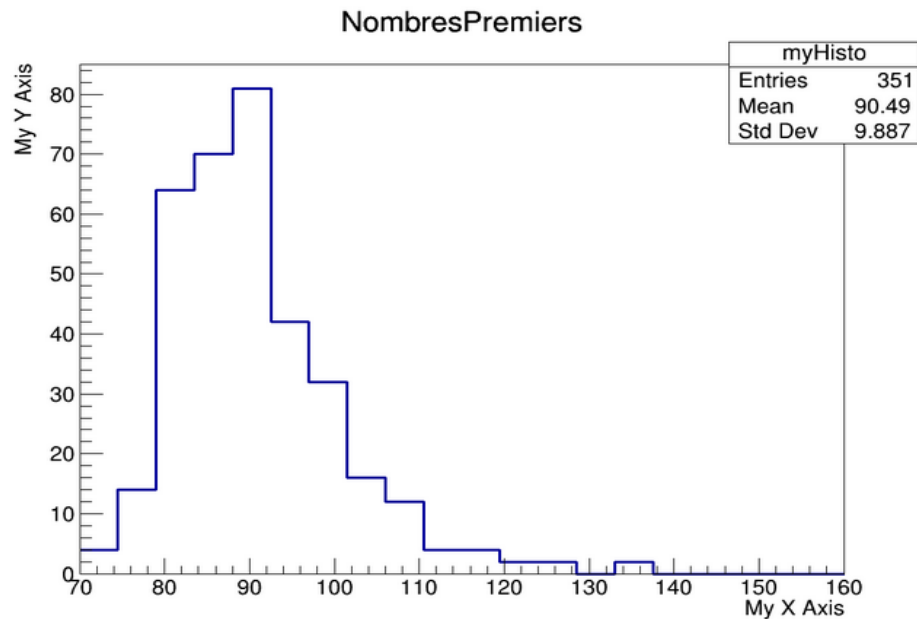
Tiedostoon on valittu niitä törmäystapahtumia, joissa syntynyt Z-bosoni on hajonnut myoniksi  $\mu^-$  ja antimyoniksi  $\mu^+$ . Ilmaisimella on havainnut nämä myonit ja mitannut niiden liikemäärät.

The diagram shows a central circle labeled  $Z^0$ . Two lines extend from this circle to the right, each ending in a smaller circle. The top right circle is labeled  $\mu^-$  and the bottom right circle is labeled  $\mu^+$ .



```
In [138]: import ROOT
htemp = ROOT.TH1F("myHisto", "NombresPremiers;My X Axis;My Y Axis", 20, 70, 160)
for i in range(len(data)):
    d = data[i][0]
    htemp.Fill(float(d))
c = ROOT.TCanvas("myCanvas", "myCanvasTitle", 1024, 768)
htemp.Draw()
c.Draw()

TROOT::Append:0: RuntimeWarning: Replacing existing TH1: myHisto (Potential memory leak).
TCanvas::Constructor:0: RuntimeWarning: Deleting canvas with same name: myCanvas
```



## Up to University (Up2U)

Bridging the gap between schools and universities through informal education

### Mano S. (14 years old), K12 student

- Approaches programming for the first time
- Verifies numerically what he learned at school
- Shares results with his supervisor and classmates

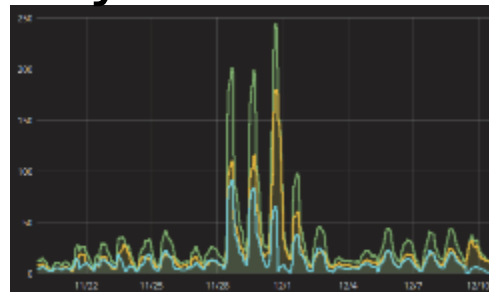


- Practical Statistics for Particle Physics Analyses

<https://indico.cern.ch/event/545212/>

- CERN Summer Student Program: ROOT

<https://indico.cern.ch/event/536772/>



- CERN School of computing: Parallelization lectures

<http://indico.cern.ch/event/502875/>

- Data Science @ LHC Workshop, Multivariate analysis tutorial

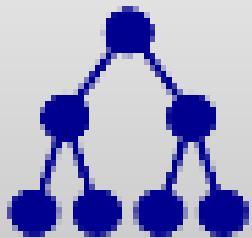
<http://indico.cern.ch/event/395374/>

# Summary



- **Solid foundations**
  - 200 PB LHC disk infrastructure
    - Steadily growing!
  - HEP collaborations
- **Strategic partnership**
  - HEP computing evolution
  - Cloud storage enables new use cases
    - and new ways to work and to collaborate







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