

Sustainable Computing: Workshop Introduction

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Sustainable Computing: What and Why

- Experimental high energy physics is a computationally intensive field
 - Petabytes/exabytes of data and simulation
 - Large CPU and GPU demands (trigger, offline)
- Maximizing the physics potential requires an investment in the software used to collect, process, and analyze the data and simulation
- Sustainable computing is the idea that we need to maintain the computational ability to perform HEP:
 - At the **rate** we want **(physics)**
 - For as long as we want (reproducibility, preservation, scalability)
 - While minimizing the impact on the planet (efficiency, minimizing waste, reducing memory consumption)



Sustainable Computing Workshop (I)

- This is a 2-day workshop hosted by the FH Sustainability Forum and FH IT experts
- You will learn:
 - Some features of writing efficient code
 - Hints to use **batch computing** in a **sustainable** way
 - Some do's and don'ts to maximize resources and minimize waste
- Examples demonstrated with local computing clusters and tailored to the needs of the DESY particle physics (FH) division
- Short talks followed by hands-on examples bring your laptop! Let us know before we start if you can't ssh to the NAF
- In person, but with zoom available

Sustainable Computing Workshop (II)

- This is the third installment of this workshop: targeted towards beginners, including people new to the NAF/DESY
- We offer this workshop at regular intervals, so that incoming students and postdocs can profit
- Also options for more advanced, topical workshops let us know if you have ideas for topics!
- Agenda: https://indico.desy.de/event/43906
- **Zoom:** <u>https://cern.zoom.us/j/62785538071?</u> <u>pwd=dXJFZndHK0g4eVNaelArSjVjaUFQZz09</u>
- Mattermost: https://chat.desy.de/desy/channels/fh-sustainable-computing-workshop
- Exercises: https://gitlab.desy.de/fh-sustainability-forum/sustainable-coding-tutorial
- At the end of the workshop: brief closeout survey, similar to what you filled in when registering please fill out!

Today's Agenda: The NAF, ROOT, and Batch Computing



Tomorrow's Agenda: Coding Practices, GIT, CI



BAH1 is in building 3, by the main entrance



Ask questions! Try things out! Discuss!

Enjoy!