



Geo-Inquire Simulation Data lake

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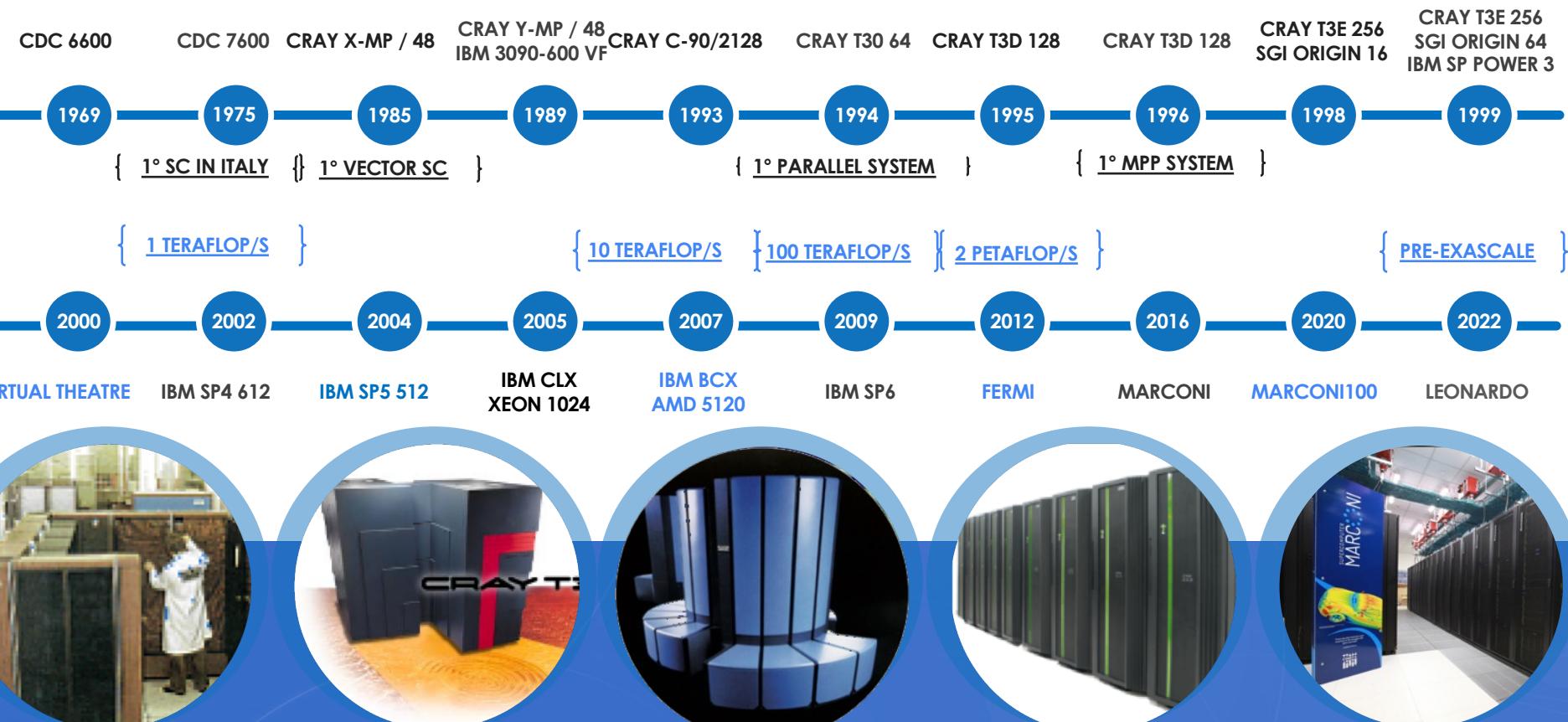
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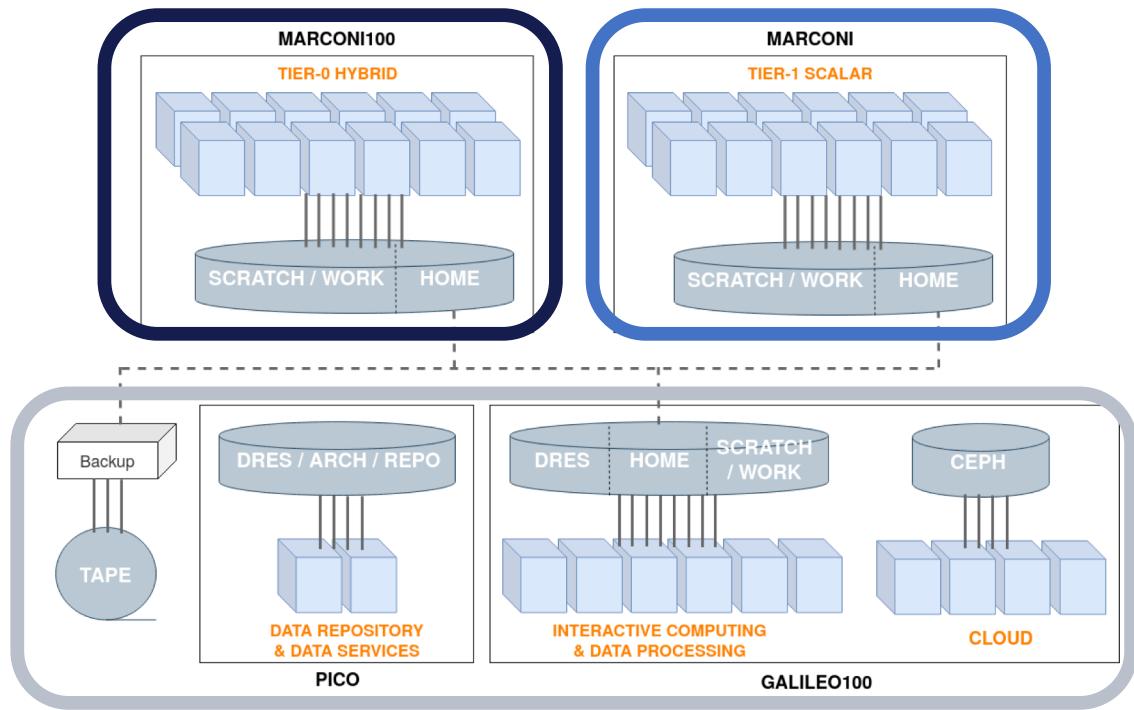
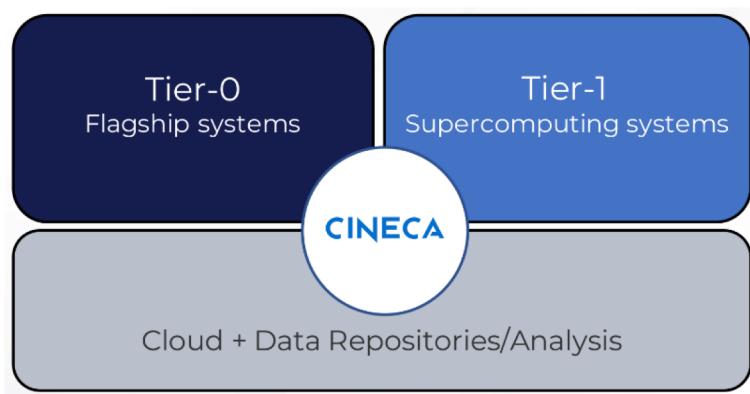


50 YEARS OF SUPERCOMPUTERS

TIMELINE OF CINECA'S SUPERCOMPUTERS



CINECA HPC INFRASTRUCTURE



2022 OVERVIEW

HPC SYSTEMS

CINECA enables world-class scientific research by operating and supporting leading-edge supercomputing technologies and by managing a state-of-the-art and effective environment for the different scientific communities.

CINECA



MARCONI | 2016

3188 nodes
48 cores per node
612 TB RAM
10 PFlops



MARCONI100 | 2020

980 nodes
32 cores per node
4 GPU Nvidia V100 per node
8 PB Storage
32 PFlops



DGX | 2021

3 nodes
128 cores per node
8 GPU NVIDIA A100 per node
100 TB Storage
15 PFlops



LEONARDO | 2022

4992 nodes
Booster Module:
32 core per node
4 GPU Nvidia Ampere custom
Data Centric Module:
56 cores per node
110 PB Storage
250 PFlops

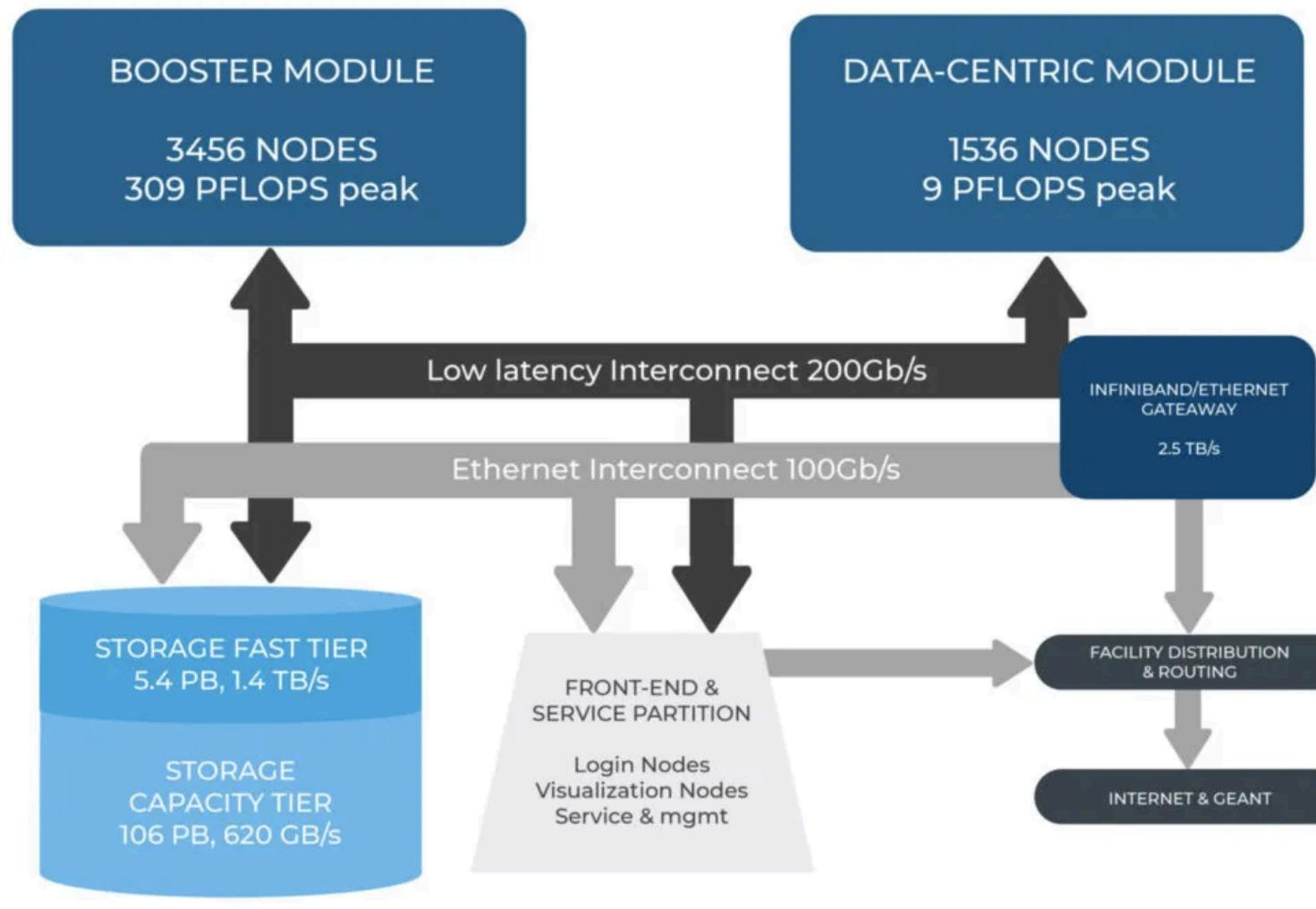
SOON IN PRODUCTION



GALILEO100 | 2021

564 nodes
48 cores per node
2 GPU NVIDIA V100 per node
~22 PB Storage
2 PFlops

Leonardo Modular Computing



Tecnopolo di Bologna

1950s structure designed by Ing. Pier Luigi Nervi

ECMWF DC relocation

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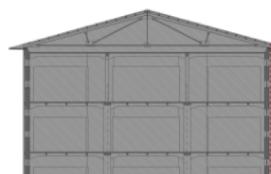


Capannone Miscela C2 - LEONARDO



Capannone
Miscela C2

Ballette building

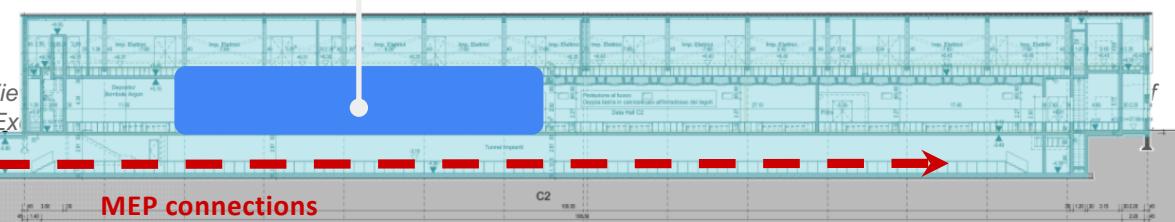


Technological center

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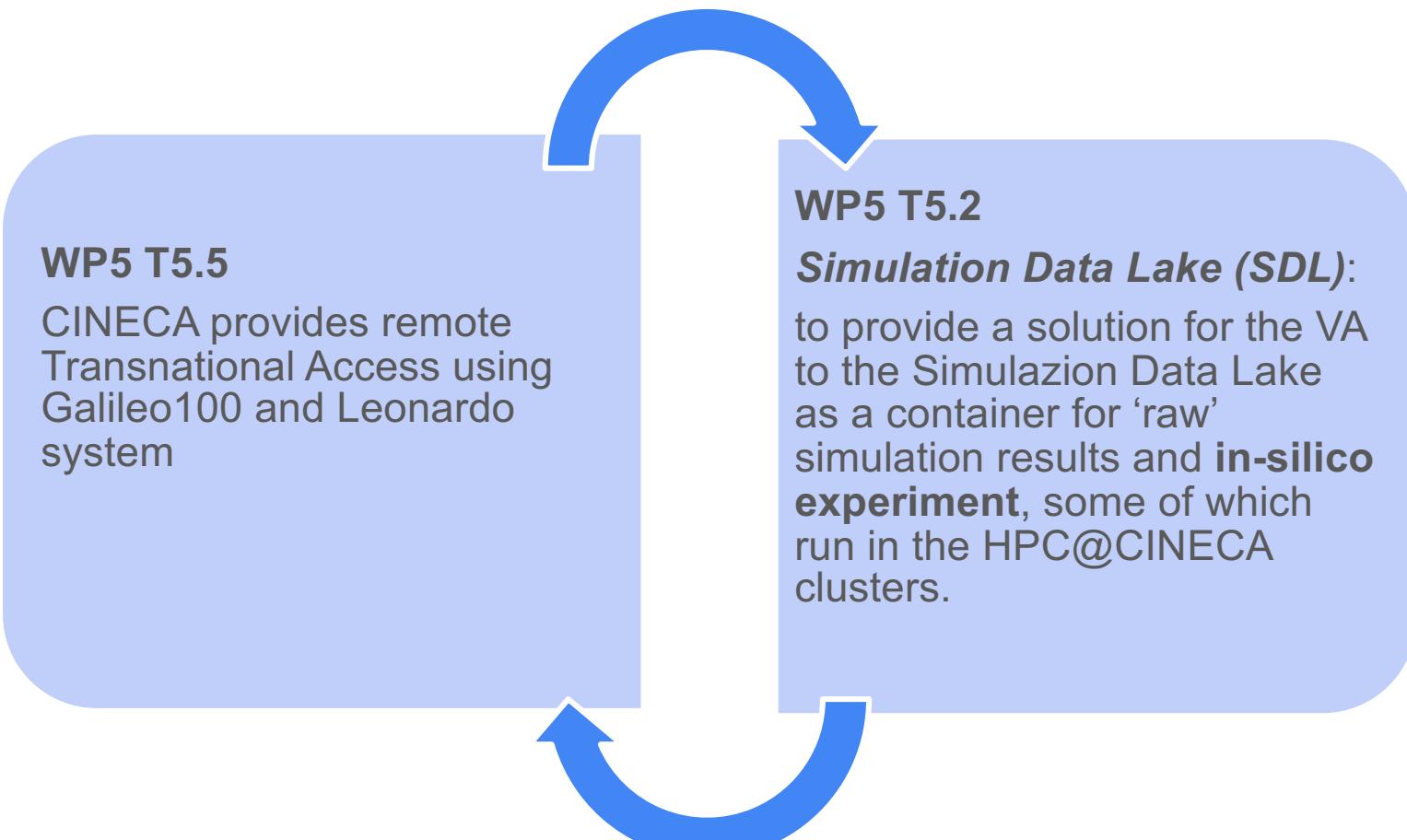


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Data Hall Leonardo

CINECA for Geo-INQUIRE



Geo-Inquire Partners requirements for the Simulation Data Lake

User Stories

Questionnaire and survey:

- to better understand datasets (e.g., metadata, formats)
- to better understand the expected functionalities

USERS

- Researcher
- Developer, responsible for software in a scientific community
- Responsible for TA service (providing access to software and computational resources)
- Designer of service provider for data processing

DATA TYPE

- Inputs and outputs of simulations
- Post-processing of simulations
- Intermediate step of a WaaS
- Results of numerical benchmarks and verification tests (published previous works)



Partners requirement: experiment **reproducibility**

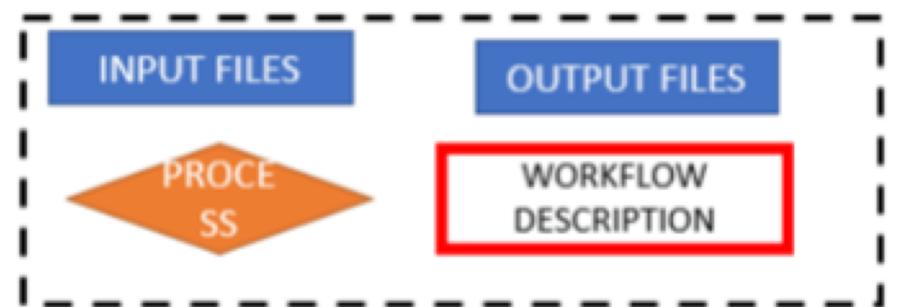
- **Dataset definition:** **Dataset ~ Experiment** (including 1-to-many simulation runs).
- **Data formats:** numerous. We need a standard, at least for outputs (e.g., netCDF, HDF5).

To have experiments reproducibility both

input (e.g., parameter files, config files, input data) and
output of simulations
must be stored in the SDL.

Additionally, the dataset could potentially include scripts/pipelines and a description of the workflow.

So, a dataset should store all the data of an experiment.



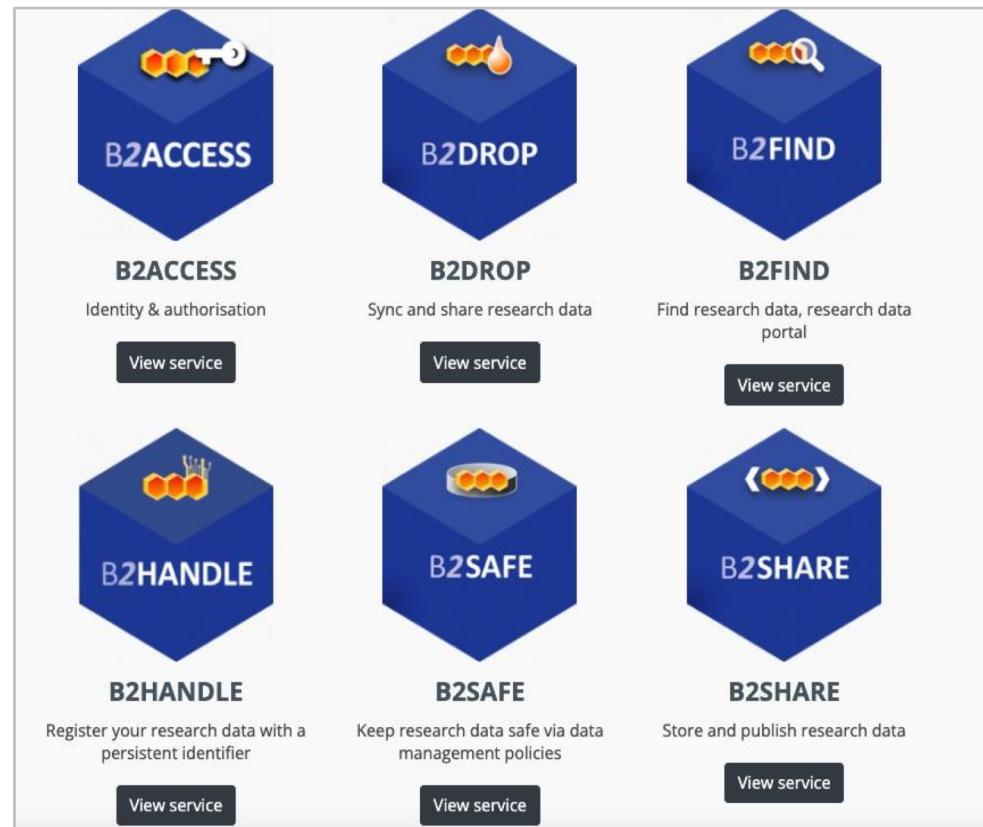
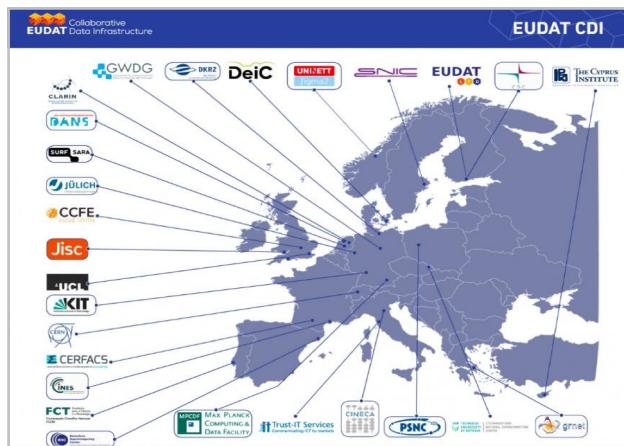
Partners requirements for the Simulation Data Lake

Use case/Functionality	Description
AAAI Authentication, Authorization, Accounting, Infrastructure	AA & tracking the access of users and the functions/functionalities they make use of
Data access policy	Define user custom data access policies: public, private, embargo
Create dataset (up to ~1TB)	Create a data collection
Add new data (single file up to ~ 1GB) to dataset	Add data to a data (files) collection
Assign a DOI	Create and assign a DOI to a data collection or object
Assign a PID	Create and assign a DOI to a data collection or object
Assign metadata (add single item and scheme)	Assign metadata. Schemes are TBD by the communities
Query data by metadata	List data matching some metadata criteria
View list of all data owned by a user	List data with a certain author
View list of all data (general usage)	List all data collections stored
View details of a specific data	View details/metadata summary
Get dataset (up to ~1TB)	Download data collection
Get individual data (single file up to ~ 1GB) from dataset	Download data object
Get data from file	Extract data from single file (temporal, geographical slice)
API exposure	API exposure for integration in post-processing pipelines



What is EUDAT?

The **EUDAT Collaborative Data Infrastructure** (or EUDAT CDI) is one of the largest infrastructures of integrated data services and resources supporting research in Europe. It is sustained by a network of more than 20 European research organisations, data and computing centres.



Geo-Inquire SDL solution based on B2SHARE



- storing and publishing scientific data
- Find dataset through Metadata
- Assign PID and DOI
- API exposure and Web-platform



Geo-Inquire community created in B2SHARE

A screenshot of the B2SHARE community interface. At the top, there are logos for B2SHARE and EUDAT, a search bar with placeholder text "Search records for...", and navigation links for HELP, COMMUNITIES, UPLOAD, and CONTACT. On the right, there is a "Login" button. Below the header, the page title is "Geo-INQUIRE". A breadcrumb trail shows "HOME > COMMUNITIES > GEO-INQUIRE".

Geo-INQUIRE

Created at 20/06/2023, 08:18:41

Last updated at 21/06/2023, 07:16:52

Geo-INQUIRE aims to establish a strategic framework for groundbreaking progress in Earth system research. It focuses on improving access to diverse datasets, observations, and data products, promoting a comprehensive approach to geoscience, especially in studying integrated geohazards. The Geo-INQUIRE Community aims to gather and enhance the usability of numerical simulations and in-silico experiments conducted within the geoscience community, driving advancements and innovation in the field.

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Using root schema version: 2

Record views	File downloads
9	1
Records	1
Files	2
File size	4.3 GB

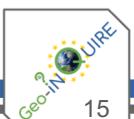


Community latest records

Observational data

21 Jun 2023 by Caroli, Cinzia

Data from ground stations



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B2SHARE demo: Communities

The screenshot shows the B2SHARE website interface for managing research communities. At the top, there's a header bar with the B2SHARE and EUDAT logos, a search bar, and navigation links for HELP, COMMUNITIES (which is currently selected), UPLOAD, and CONTACT. A user profile is also visible. Below the header, the main content area is titled "Communities" and displays six community cards:

- Aalto**: Aalto University logo featuring a yellow question mark icon.
- BBMRI**: Biomedical Research.
- Geo-INQUIRE**: A large blue placeholder card.
- CompBioMed**: CompBioMed logo featuring a red and yellow figure icon.
- DRIHM**: DRIHM logo featuring a blue circular icon.
- EISCAT**: EISCAT logo featuring a globe icon.

At the bottom left is the European Union flag, and at the bottom right is a small "Geo-INQUIRE" logo with the number "18". The URL in the browser bar is https://b2share.eudat.eu/communities.

B2SHARE demo: Upload dataset



B2SHARE demo: Load files

The screenshot shows a web browser displaying the B2SHARE demo interface at the URL <https://b2share.eudat.eu/records/bc6b4b9f996b4cf29aa8e8991b523753/edit>. The page title is "Editing draft version".

The interface includes:

- Header:** "GO TO EUDAT WEBSITE" button, B2SHARE and EUDAT logos, search bar ("Search records for..."), "SEARCH" button, user profile icon (l.rodriguezmunoz@cineca.it), and a geometric graphic.
- Breadcrumbs:** "RECORDS > BC6B4B9F996B4CF29AA8E8991B523753 > EDIT".
- Add files section:** "Add files" label, a dashed box for dropping files ("Drop files here, or click to select files"), and a "Add B2DROP files" button with a B2DROP icon.
- Basic fields section:** "Community *" dropdown menu showing "Geo-INQUIRE".
- Footer:** European Union flag, "Geo-INQUIRE" logo, and the number "20".

B2SHARE demo: Metadata (general + community)

← → ⌂

https://b2share.eudat.eu/records/bc6b4b9f996b4cf29aa8e8991b523753/edit

110% ⭐

Descriptions

Titles *

Type *

Creators

Open access * True

Embargo date

License

Add Clear

Add Clear

Add Clear



B2SHARE demo: Save draft or publish directly

The screenshot shows a web browser displaying the B2SHARE record edit page at <https://b2share.eudat.eu/records/bc6b4b9f996b4cf29aa8e8991b523753/edit>. The page includes fields for 'Temporal coverages' (Ranges and Spans) and 'Funding references' (Funder name). At the bottom, there is a checkbox for 'Submit draft for publication', a note about DOI assignment, and buttons for 'Save Draft' and 'Discard Changes'.

Temporal coverages

Ranges

Start date (calendar icon)

End date (calendar icon)

Add Clear

Spans

Add Clear

Funding references

Funder name * (document icon)

Add Clear

Submit draft for publication

When the draft is published it will be assigned a PID and a DOI, making it publicly citable. Please note that the published record's files can no longer be modified by its owner.

This publication will get the following DOI: [10.23728/b2share.bc6b4b9f996b4cf29aa8e8991b523753](https://doi.org/10.23728/b2share.bc6b4b9f996b4cf29aa8e8991b523753) (link icon)

Save Draft Discard Changes

B2SHARE | EUDAT Extended Metadata Schema

(https://schema.eudat.eu/eudatcore_metadataelements/)

Metadata elements:

- [Community \(O\)](#)
- [Title \(M\)](#)
- [Description \(R\)](#)
- [Keywords \(R\)](#)
- [Identifier \(M\)](#)
- [RelatedIdentifier \(O\)](#)
- [Creator \(R\)](#)
- [Publisher \(M\)](#)
- [Contributor \(O\)](#)
- [Instrument \(O\)](#)

- [PublicationYear \(M\)](#)
- [Language \(R\)](#)
- [Contact \(O\)](#)
- [Rights \(R\)](#)
- [ResourceType \(O\)](#)
- [Format \(O\)](#)
- [Size \(O\)](#)
- [Version \(O\)](#)
- [FundingReference \(O\)](#)
- [Discipline \(O\)](#)
- [Spatial Coverage \(O\)](#)
- [Temporal Coverage \(O\)](#)

The Extended MD schema
can be further customised
adding elements
community specific



Next Steps



Simulation Data are:

- BIG: in Geo-Inquire dataset size of the order of 10-30 TB
- HPC proximity important, not easy to move the data
- Easy sharing of data with the HPC-CLOUD-IAC
- In Cineca we are providing tools for visualisation, Interactive Computing, and more
- Extraction of data from single datasets and files

**SDL to become the archive for the data assets
in the geoscience community
also supporting the Digital Twins**



Next Steps

At CINECA we are assessing the possibility of **developing a Data Lake solution based on:**

Object-storage and cloud-native technologies:

- High availability and fault tolerance.
- Scalable.
- Updating/maintenance is easier.
- It can potentially be integrated with S3 compatible storage systems in other computing centers or research institutions.
- Early stage of design.





Thank you!

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Dataset example

- Tsunami simulations from INGV: Experiment_Samos.
- 40000 scenarios (simulation runs).
- There's a folder for each scenario.
- Input is grouped in a folder.
- Subfolders need to be compressed.
- JSON metadata (EUDAT Core Schema).
- User needs to download sim_setup and any single simulation to be able to reproduce it.

```
Experiment_Samos
├── BS_scenario00001
│   ├── out_ts.nc
│   ├── out_ts_ptf.nc
│   └── parfile.txt
├── BS_scenario00002
│   ├── out_ts.nc
│   ├── out_ts_ptf.nc
│   └── parfile.txt
├── BS_scenario00003
│   ├── out_ts.nc
│   ├── out_ts_ptf.nc
│   └── parfile.txt
├── BS_scenario00004
│   ├── out_ts.nc
│   ├── out_ts_ptf.nc
│   └── parfile.txt
├── BS_scenario00005
│   ├── out_ts.nc
│   ├── out_ts_ptf.nc
│   └── parfile.txt
└── sim_setup
    ├── Step1_scenario_list_BS.txt
    ├── Step2_extract_ts.py
    ├── Step2_local_domain_2020_1030_samos.grd
    ├── Step2_local_domain_2020_1030_samos_POIs_deth.dat
    └── Step2_ts.dat
```

