IBG Research Computing Cheatsheet

Monitoring Slurm and Job Activity

View your running jobs:

View your completed jobs:

Measure performance of completed jobs:

The following flags can be combined to suit your needs

Display jobs completed since a particular date

sacct -S <MMDD>

Display jobs' timing and memory usage

sacct -o 'jobid%20,jobname%16,state,elapsed,maxrss'

View available nodes and their properties:

sinfo --Node -o "%.12N %.16P %.11T %.4c %.13C %.8e /%.8m %.30f"

- NODELIST is the name of the node, can be specified when submitting via -nodelist
- PARTITION is the name of the partition. You likely will never need to use this unless you want a particular partition of the preemptable queue
- STATE mixed means that some of the CPUS are in use (see below)
- CPUS(A/I/O/T) on a given node: allocated/idle/other/total nodes
- FREE_MEM / MEMORY free memory / total memory in MB (divide by 1024 to convert to GB

Example jobs

Interactive session

 ${\bf Preemptable\ job}$

Job array with single index

Job array with multiple indices

Useful links

- Batch scheduling and Summit specifications
- Blanca resources

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