

# THE DISTRIBUTED DRIVER, DDD

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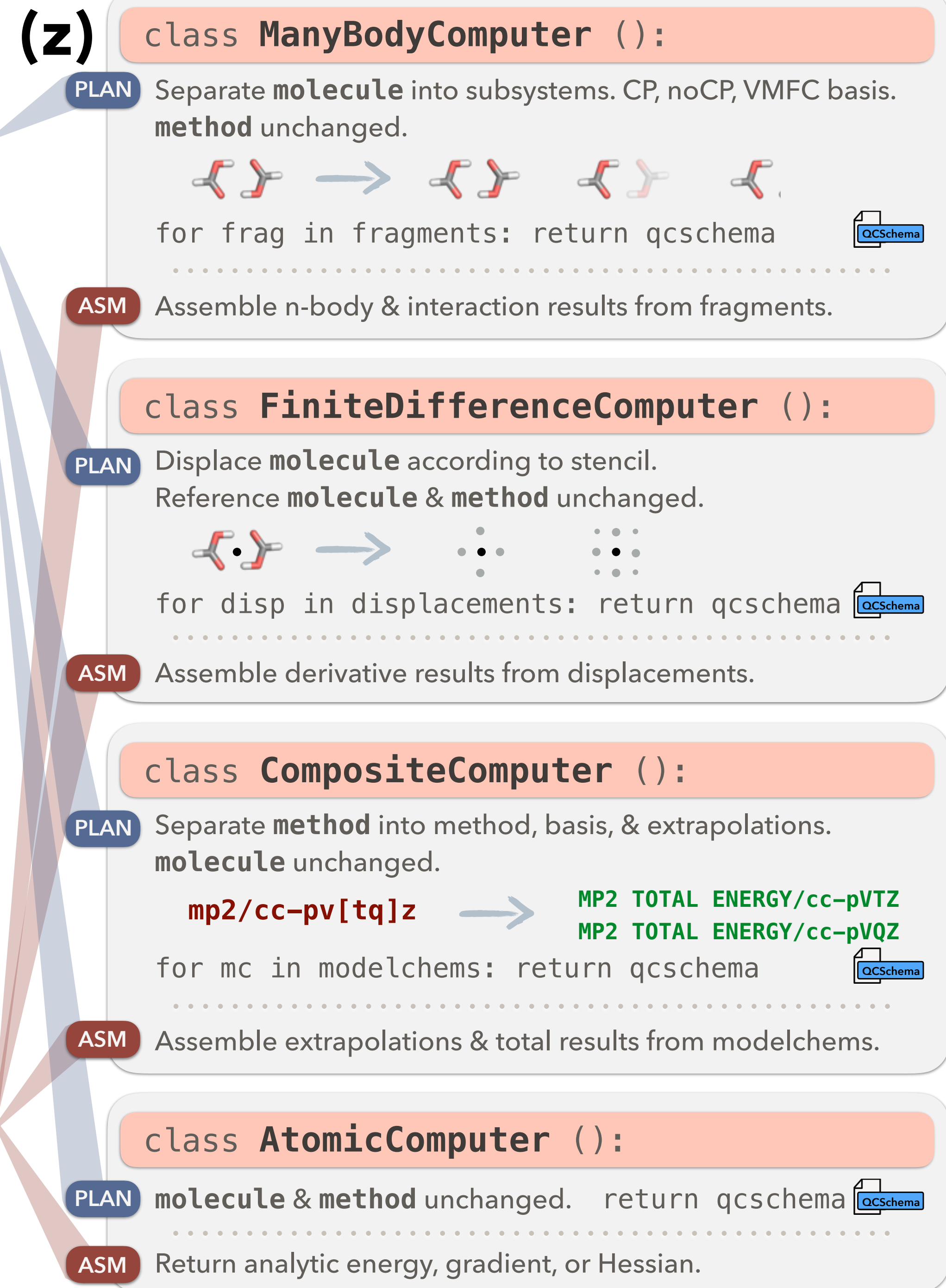
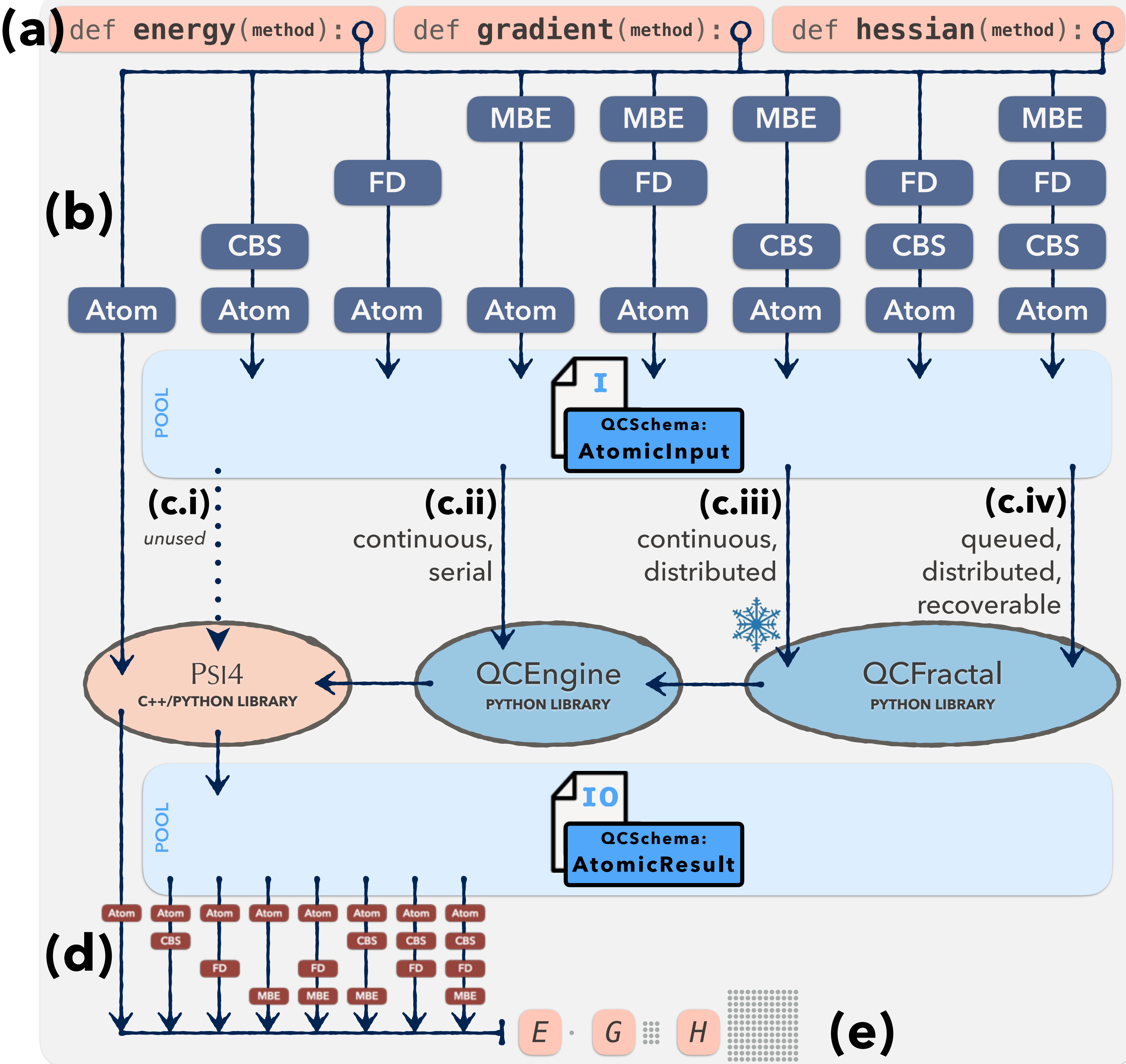


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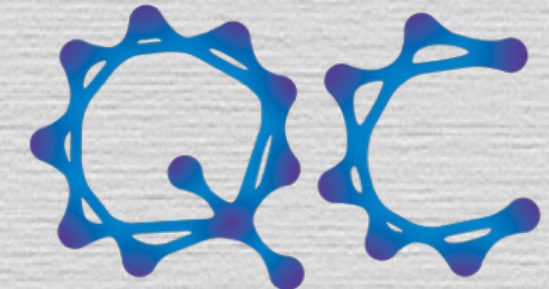
why and when

- **PARALLELISM** several popular driver features (e.g., optimization, cbs, nbody) suited to pleasant parallelism but couldn't take advantage.
- **OUTPUT** mix of output file and logging file so watch for .out and .log and make suggestions
- **GLOBALS** nice side effect is that it's forcing local storage (wfn, not globals) and checking API contracts and forcing independence of consecutive API jobs
- **TIMELINE** first outlined by Daniel Smith at PsiCon2018 and been filled out since.
- **WHAT** separates our multi-job post-processing into plan, compute, assemble stages with jobs stored as QCSchema AtomicInputs. post-processing is nestable into `cbs(findif(single-points))`.
- **MERGED?** no, as soon as v1.4 is minted. needs more eyes before stable release.









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```
from qcfractal import FractalSnowflake
from qcfractal.interface import FractalClient

# Build a active server and client
snowflake = FractalSnowflake()
client = FractalClient(snowflake)
print(client)

def psi_model(coords):

    dimer = psi4.geometry("""0 0 0 0\n H 1 0 0\n H 0 1 0\n --\n 0 3 3 3\n H
    dimer.update_geometry()
    dimer.set_geometry(psi4.core.Matrix.from_array(coords))

    plan = psi4.gradient("HF/cc-pV[D, T]Z", bsse_type="CP", molecule=dimer,
                        return_plan=True, return_total_data=True)

    plan.compute(client)

    snowflake.await_results()
    ret = plan.get_results(client)

    return (ret["extras"]["qcvars"]["CURRENT ENERGY"],
            np.array(ret["extras"]["qcvars"]["CURRENT GRADIENT"]).reshape(-1, 3))
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(py37) loriab@ariadne:~/Users/loriab/linux/psihub/hrw-labfork/objdir14: (recursive)
user@...ts/qcelestial ... psilocuser@...tch/psilocuser ... psilocuser@...glick/diatomics psilocuser@...s/qcddb/qcddb
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xr-x. 21 glick sherrill 4096 Mar 20 17:47 cc
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xr-x. 2 glick sherrill 4096 Mar 27 10:10 test_stepsize
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-r--. 1 glick sherrill 4178 Mar 29 09:45 demo.out
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