

# PostgreSQL with R

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# Database as a Service - DBaaS

On premises resource for hosting Postgres instances

Fully managed containerized instance of Postgres

Full root access to Postgres

<https://mydb.fredhutch.org/>

# Database vs. File System

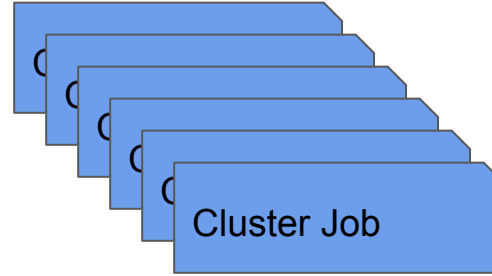
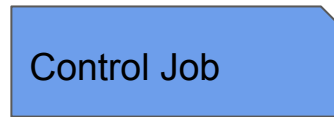
## Database Advantages

- Concurrent IO
- Data Access
- Management of Cluster Jobs
- Automate Workflows (pipelines)
- Configuration
- Repeatability

# Manage Cluster Jobs

**Control Table**

Data file	Job_ID	Job_Num	Start	End	Results



# Database Access

Keep Postgres passwords in .pgpass file located in /home/user

File permissions read write by owner only. `chmod 600`

Do not keep passwords in scripts or pass on the command line

.pgpass is used by PGAdminIII on OSX

# Postgres Language Support

## Shell

```
module load PostgreSQL
```

## R

```
module load R/3.3.2-foss-2016b-fh2
```

```
library(RPostgreSQL)
```

## Python

```
module load Python/2.7.13-foss-2016b
```

```
import psycopg2
```

# Demo

Create DB with MyDB

Database Administration

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