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ESGF: Main achievements for CMIP6, main evolutions and towards CMIP7

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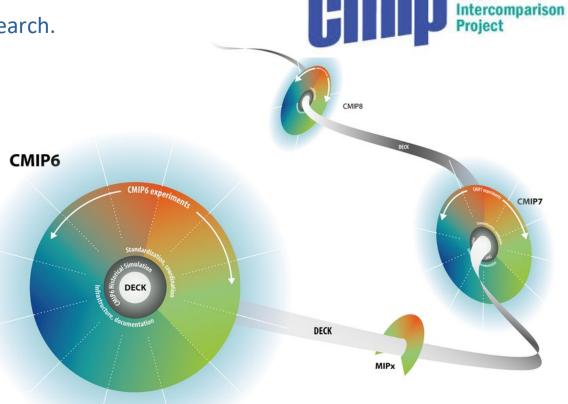


Large scale experiment: Coupled Model Intercomparison Project (CMIP)

The Coupled Model Intercomparison Project (CMIP) represents a very challenging and relevant large-scale global experiments for climate change research.

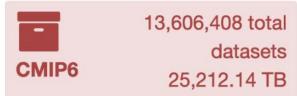






Coupled Model

The CMIP6 challenge





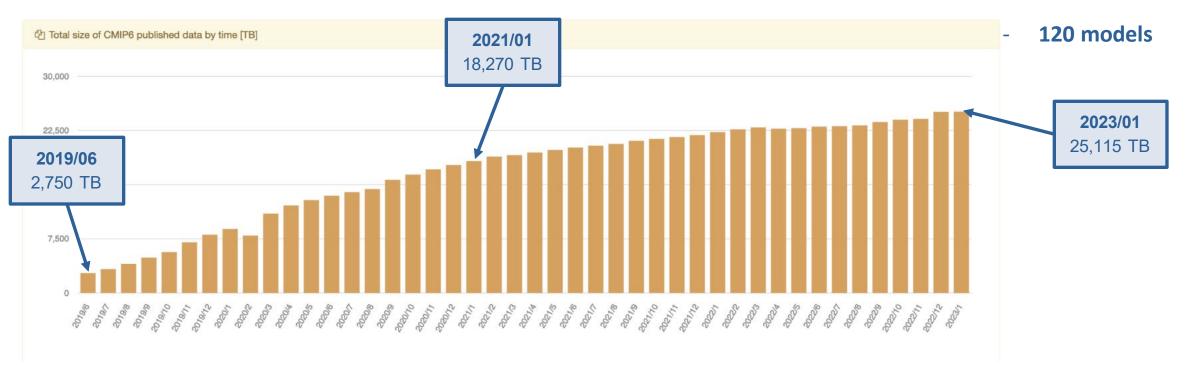
6,759,621 distinct datasets 14,295.37 TB



6,846,787 replica datasets 10,916.77 TB

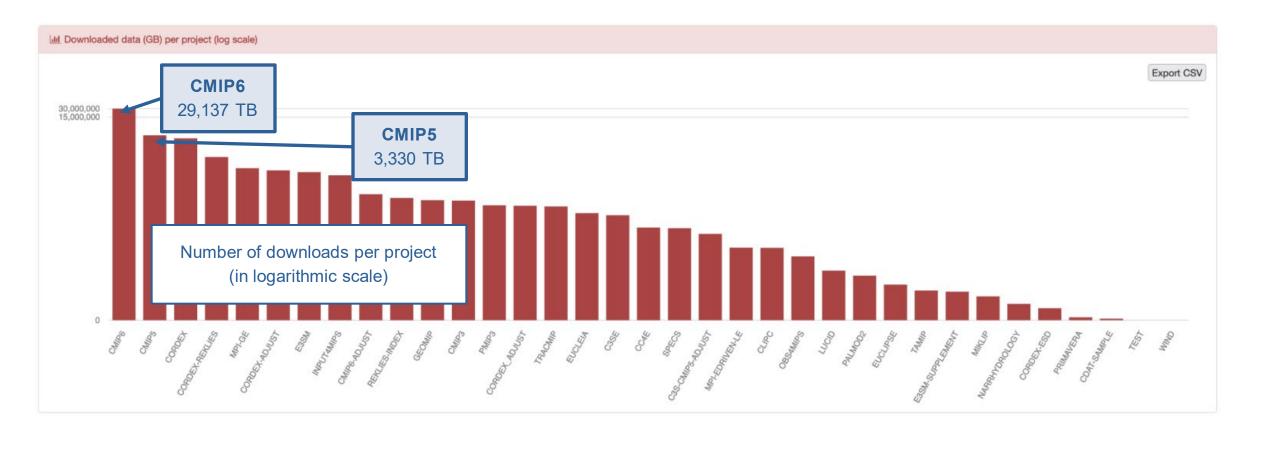
CMIP6 in figures:

- about **25 PB** of data
- more than 13 millions of datasets
- 44 institutions



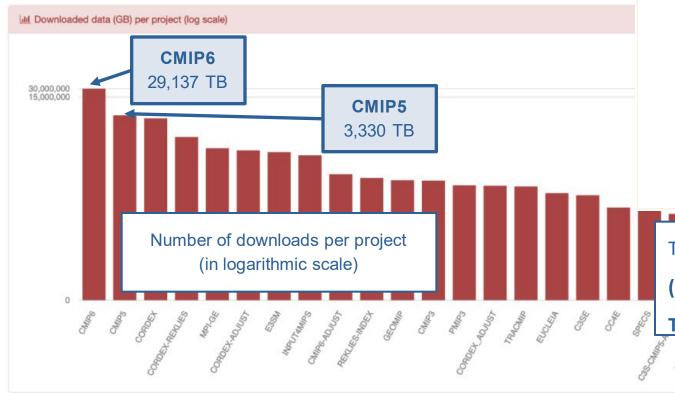
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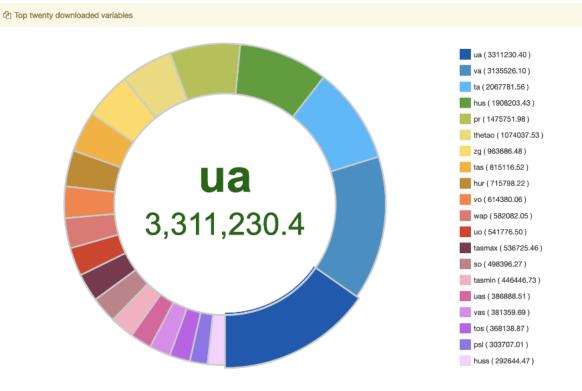
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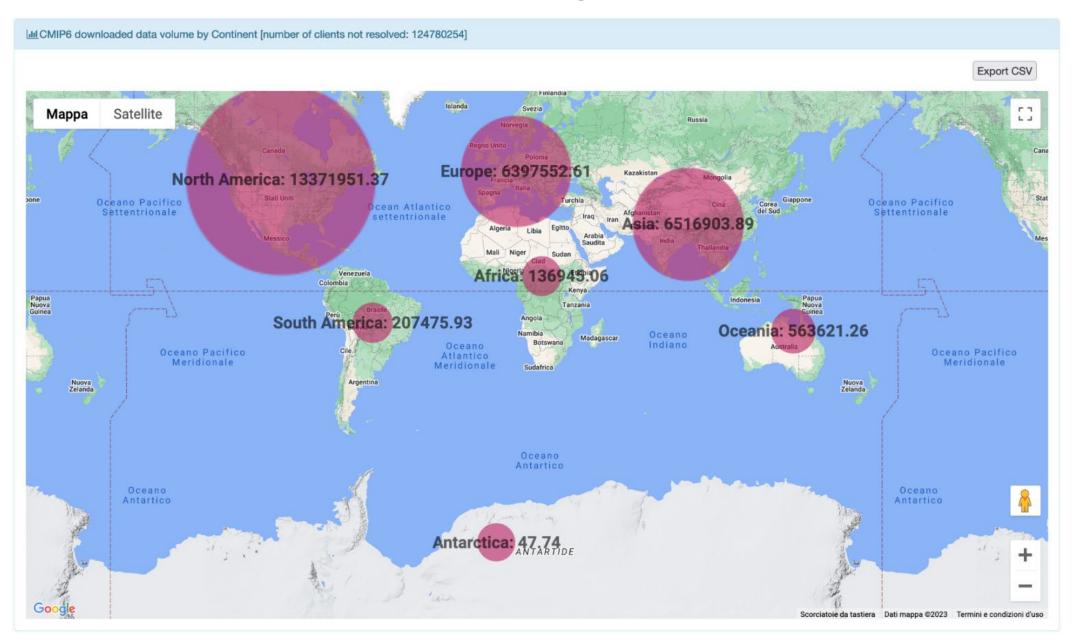
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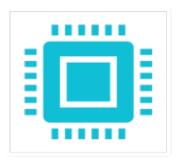
The CMIP6 most downloaded variable is the Eastward Wind (ua) (3 PB), followed by Northward Wind (va) and Air Temperature (ta).

CMIP6 downloads geolocation





ESGF: Evolution and towards CMIP7



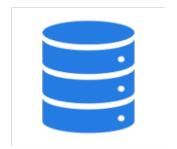
Installation and Systems
Administration



Search Services



Identity and Access Management



New modes for data access ands storage



Compute Services



Metrics Collection





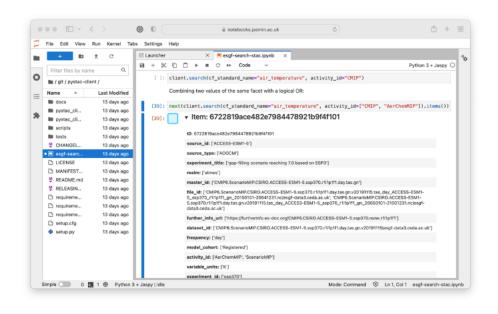
Installation and Systems Administration: Container -based Deployments

• Modular, easy to deploy and maintain: infrastructure-as-code approach

Institution	Deployment option	Status
CEDA (esgf.ceda.ac.uk)	Kubernetes	Production
GFDL	Kubernetes (AWS)	Production
DKRZ	Ansible Docker	Pre-production
LLNL	Kubernetes	Pre-production
ORNL	Kubernetes	Pre-production
NCI	Ansible Docker	Pre-production



Search Service: STAC and ElasticSearch



- **Components** recap

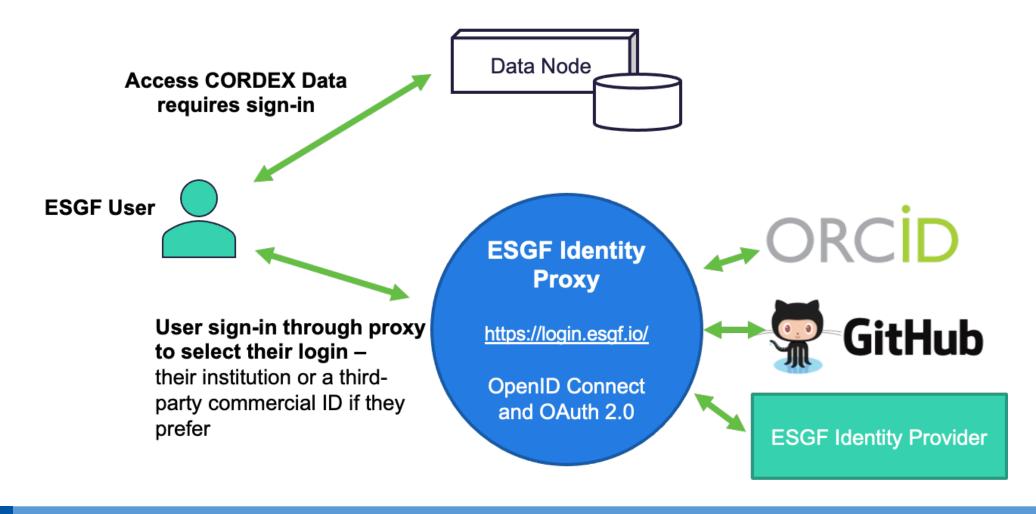
 - STAC as community standard API ElasticSearch as a scalable NoSQL database backend
- **Extensions to STAC Search API** created:

 - Free-text query, asset search
 Discover "queryables" based on current query i.e. facet
 keys/values e.g. CMIP6:source_id = "HadGEM3-GC31-MM"
- **Facets/Controlled Vocabularies** created a framework for term mapping:
 - Allows search using general terms (e.g. "model") and project-specific terms (e.g. "source_id")
- Catalogue generation proof-of-concept indexed:
 Method: ingested Solr records and mapped to STAC content
 CMIP6 datasets as STAC Items (all hosted at CEDA): 677,813
 CMIP6 files as STAC Assets (all hosted at CEDA): 6,137,991





Identity and Access Management: Single Sign-On







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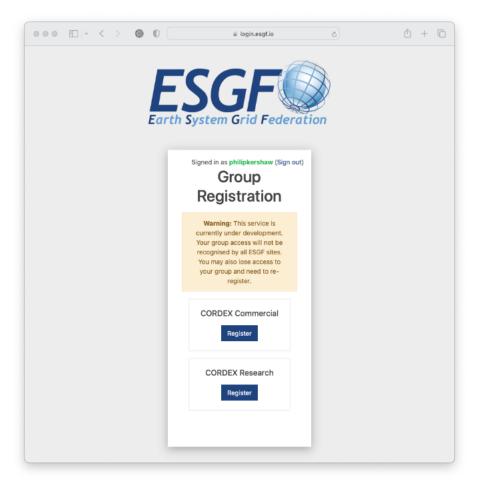
 Identity Provider deployed at https://login.esgf.io/

... + integrated with new ESGF web frontend MetaGrid





Identity and Access Management: Authorisation

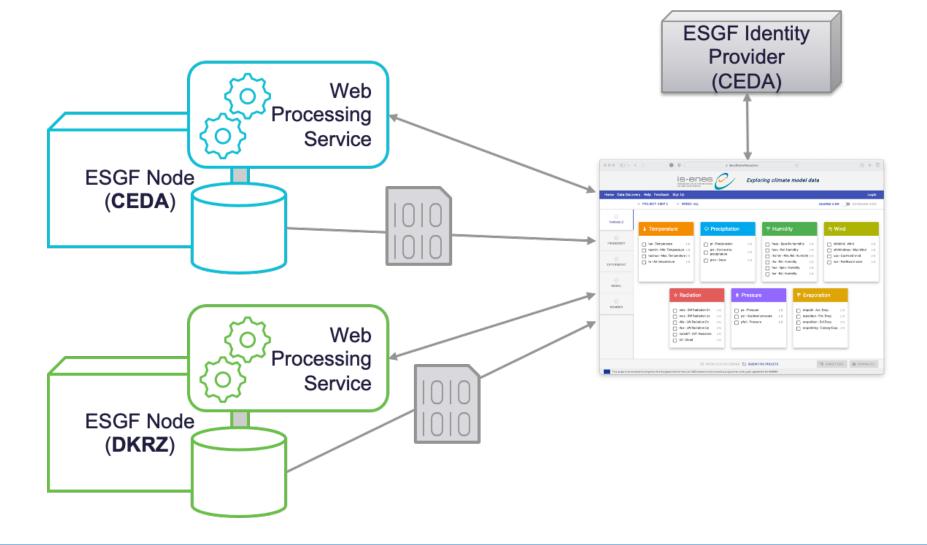


- New Authorisation system being completed for testing CORDEX data access with Climate4Impact
 - Registration web UI -https://login.esgf.io/registration/
 - Authorisation system at CEDA using new OPA (Open Policy Agent system)





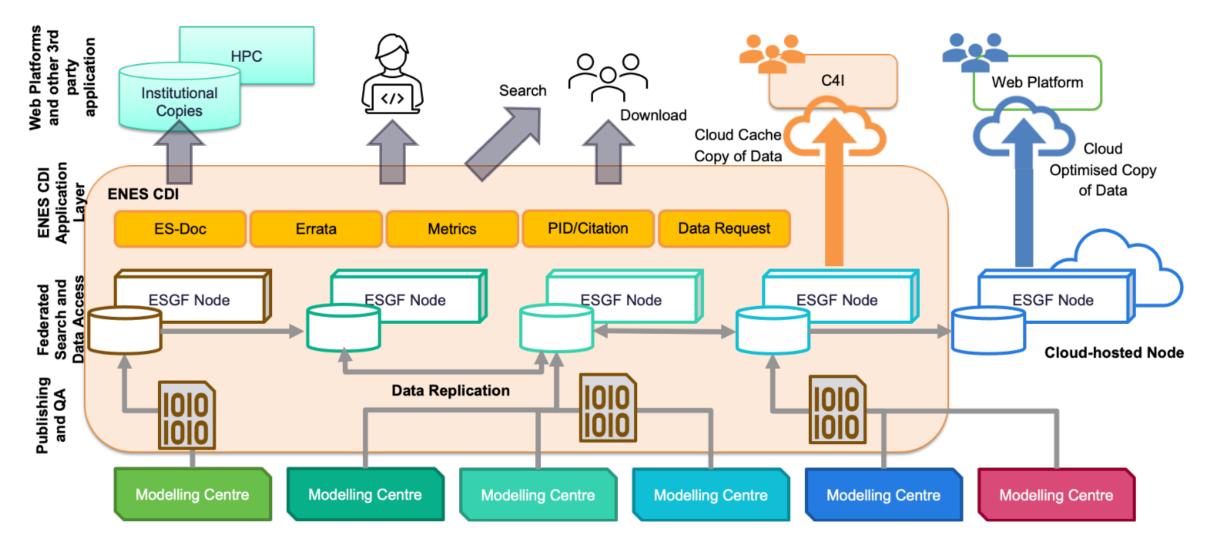
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- Priority: complete replacements to re-establish baseline functionality
 - Agree 'macro' architecture pattern for search and identity management centralised services in US and Europe that sync with one another
 - Complete new search service

- Compute and analytics
 - Establish operational baseline server-side compute
 - Data interfaces POSIX/S3, Kerchunk
 - Data tiering ESGF-level APIs for retrieval from cold or warm storage





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