# Hands-on using NEMO: Simple batch job submission on BW-HPCs

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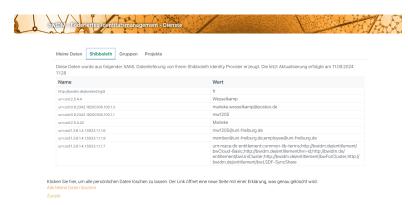
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#### **BW HPC Clusters**

- BW-Cluster
  - ▶ 24 GPU nodes
- Nemo
  - on \$HOME (permanent storage): 100GB
  - ▶ limited lifetime storage with workspaces: 10TB
  - One GPU node (nvidia)
- ► Helix
  - > 50 GPUs (nvidia)

### Registration for NEMO (or any other BW-HPC)

#### 1. Check entitlement



Login with your Uni-Account to https://login.bwidm.de/

### Registration for NEMO

- 1. Check entitlement
- 2. Register for cluster
- 3. Fill in questionnaire within 14 days

You will need to register 2 factor authentification, use for example OTP for generating one-time passowrds.



#### Login to NEMO

- Instructions on 2FA
- ► For registering a new Token and setting a personalised password, see again: https://login.bwidm.de/



#### Login to NEMO

With a registered account **and from an eduroam network connection** (Download VPN client) you can access the HPC from your local shell with a secure shell client (SSH).

- Access cluster from your local shell: ssh fr\_mw1205@login1.nemo.uni-freiburg.de
- 2. Create One Time Token on your mobile device
- 3. Enter personalised password

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Last login: Tue Sep 10 15:55:14 on ttys002 (base) mw1205@phy-10-126-189-8 ^{\circ}% ssh fr_mw1205@login1.nemo.uni-freiburg.de You must create a one-time password for this node. Please visit: https://wiki.bwhpc.de/e/Registration/2FA (fr_mw1205@login1.nemo.uni-freiburg.de) Your OTP: 043940 (fr_mw1205@login1.nemo.uni-freiburg.de) Password:
```

If you prefer a graphical SSH client, use MobaXterm on Windows.

#### Login node: Environment

Navigation after successful login to Nemo: See you home directory and existing folders.

```
[fr_mw1205@login1 ~]$ pwd
/home/fr/fr_fr/fr_mw1205
[fr_mw1205@login1 ~]$ Is
Auto-PyTorch bash DomAdapt miniconda.sh physics_guided_nn
Spatially-varying-coefficent-model
```

- Create new shell script: touch example.sh
- Create new directory: mkdir example
- Use a pre-installed texteditor (e.g. vim) to access and modify files: vi example.sh

#### Login Node Data Transfer

► Transfer a local file to the central cluster (and vice versa) using scp or scp -r from your local shell.

#### Copy an entire folder from HPC to your local machine

Run in your local terminal: scp -r

fr\_mw1205@login1.nemo.uni-freiburg.de:~/physics\_guided\_nn/results
/Users/Marieke\_Wesselkamp/Projects/physics\_guided\_nn

And vice versa for copying from local to HPC...

#### Batch job specification

Scheduling system on Nemo: MOAB. On Helix / BW-UniCluster: SLURM.

- ▶ Job submission with shell script: example.sh
- Default directory at execution is working directory at submission: pwd

#### Batch job specification

```
#!/bin/sh
######### Begin MOAB/Slurm header ##########
# Give job a reasonable name
#MOAB -N finetuning
# Request number of nodes and CPU cores per node for job
#MOAB - I nodes=1:ppn=20
# Estimated wallclock time for job
#MOAB - | walltime = 00:02:00:00
# Write standard output and errors in same file
#MOAB - i oe
# Send mail when job begins, aborts and ends
#MOAB -m bae
########### End MOAB header #########
echo "Working Directory:
                                             $PWD"
echo "Running on host
                                             $HOSTNAME"
echo "lob id:
                                             $MOAB JOBID"
echo "Job name:
                                             $MOAB JOBNAME"
echo "Number of nodes allocated to job:
                                             $MOAB NODECOUNT"
echo "Number of cores allocated to job:
                                             $MOAB PROCCOUNT"
# Setup Conda
module load devel/conda/latest
conda activate nnets
python /home/fr/fr fr/fr mw263/scripts/finetuningParallel.py
```

## Batch job specification

- ▶ Job submission with shell script: example.sh
- Default directory at execution is working directory at submission: pwd
- The maximum walltime for a job on Nemo is 96 hours (4 days). Scales with requested ressources!
- ▶ Nodes have 20 cores and 128 GB RAM.
- ▶ If you request gpu: nodes=1:ppn=1:gpus=1

### Batch job specification: Computation environment

- ► WORKDIR = direction/to/your/project
- cd \$WORKDIR
- ► load conda: ml devel/conda
- activate your environment: conda activate your\_environment
- run script: python3 your\_file.py
- create environment from .yml file: conda env create -f environment.yml

#### Batch job submission

#### Specify queue

- Express for test runs: msub -q express ...
- ► GPU if you need it: msub -q gpu ... (32 cores with enabled simultaneous multithreading)

See also: https://wiki.bwhpc.de/e/NEMO/Moab

Hands on demonstration. For following the example, download shell script from: https://github.com/MWesselkamp/BW-HPC-Usage.

[(base) phy-10-126-184-21:~ sina\$ ssh -l fr\_sr1201 helix.bwservices.uni-heidelberg.de (fr\_sr1201@helix.bwservices.uni-heidelberg.de) Your OTP: [(fr\_sr1201@helix.bwservices.uni-heidelberg.de) Password:

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#### bwForCluster

(xCAT 2.16.4 / RHEL 8.8 / GPFS 5.1.8)

bwHPC Wiki : https://wiki.bwhpc.de/e/Helix

Ticket System : https://www.bwhpc.de/supportportal

 ${\tt Job\ Monitoring:https://helix-monitoring.bwservices.uni-heidelberg.de}$ 

E-learning : https://training.bwhpc.de/

-> 'Introduction to bwForCluster Helix'

#### \* Useful commands/information:

- to see free slurm resources: sinfo\_t\_idle
- \* get available quotas: homequotainfo|workquotainfo
- \* access to SDS@hd data: directly via "/mnt/sds-hd" directory
  - Passphrase for E-learning login exercise: jbyuW0qabQ

Last login: Mon Sep 16 13:30:45 2024 from 132.230.194.25 (base) [fr\_sr1201@o05i15 ~]\$ ■

```
#!/bin/bash
#SBATCH --iob-name=numpy iob
#SBATCH --output=output.txt
#SBATCH --error=error.txt
#SBATCH --time=00:10:00
#SBATCH --ntasks=1
#SBATCH --cpus-per-task=1
#SBATCH --mem=1G
# Install numpy
pip3 install numpy
# Create a Python script
echo "
import numpy as np
# Create an array
array = np.array([1, 2, 3, 4, 5])
# Print the array
print('Array:', array)
" > script.py
# Run the Python script
pvthon3 script.pv
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U Uncut Text T To Linter Go To Line M-E Redo
              ^R Read File ^\ Replace
```

After and during job execution, check output file for printed progress.

```
[(base) [fr_sr1201@o05i15 ~]$ sbatch UFR.sh
Submitted batch job 4784442
[(base) [fr_sr1201@o05i15 ~]$ squeue
             JOBID PARTITION
                                 NAME
                                           USER ST
                                                               NODES NODELIST(REASON)
                                                         TIME
           4784442
                       devel numpy jo fr sr120 CG
                                                         0:01
                                                                   1 m09n01
[(base) [fr sr1201@o05i15 ~]$ cat output.txt
Defaulting to user installation because normal site-packages is not writeable
Requirement already satisfied: numpy in ./.local/lib/python3.9/site-packages (2.0.2)
Array: [1 2 3 4 5]
[(base) [fr_sr1201@o05i15 ~]$ cat error.txt
```

# Job handling

- Show my active jobs: squeue / showq -u \$USER
- Cancel active jobs: scancel jobID
- ▶ Monitor running job: checkjob 12345

Download slides at:

https://github.com/MWesselkamp/BW-HPC-Usage.