

Hands-on session with Condor

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Introduction

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Basic job submission

- Road-map for running jobs...
 - Prepare your code
 - Choose a Condor universe
 - Write the submit description file
 - Submit the job

The simplest job

```
#####  
## Example 1  
##  
## Simple condor job description file  
##  
#####  
  
executable = /bin/uname  
universe = vanilla  
output = example1.out  
error = example1.err  
log = example1.log  
queue
```

Exercise

Modify the example above, so that the executable instead of being a system command will be a program written by you called `disk_info.sh`.

Write the code for `disk_info.sh`. This is a basic shell script that using the commands `uname`, `df`, and `grep` will find the available scratch space.

Submit the job to Condor. The output should be similar to:

```
[angelv@guinda Exercises]$ cat exercisel.out
bicuda
/dev/hda3          70G    43G    24G   65% /scratch
/dev/hdb1         126G    54G    67G   45% /scratch1
[angelv@guinda Exercises]$
```

Errors examples (1)

```
#####  
##  
## Example 2  
##  
## Simple condor job description file (with errors)  
##  
#####  
  
executable = uname  
universe = vanilla  
output = example2.out  
error = example2.err  
log = example2.log  
queue
```

Errors examples (2)

```
#####  
##  
## Example 3  
##  
## Simple condor job description file (with errors)  
##  
#####  
  
executable = /bin/uname  
universe = vanilla  
output = /scratch/angelv/Condor-Course/example3.out  
error = /scratch/angelv/Condor-Course/example3.err  
log = example3.log  
queue
```


With Initialdir

```
#####  
##  
## Example 4  
##  
## Using Initialdir  
##  
#####  
  
executable = /bin/uname  
universe = vanilla  
  
Initialdir = /net/guinda/scratch/angelv/Condor-Course/  
output = example4.out  
error = example4.err  
log = example4.log  
queue
```

A grown-up submit file

```
#####  
## Example 5  
##  
## A realistic submission file  
#####  
executable = mycode.$$ (OpSys)  
universe = vanilla  
Requirements = Memory >= 1000 &&  
  
    ((Arch == "INTEL" && OpSys == "LINUX") ||  
     (Arch == "SUN4u" && OpSys == "SOLARIS29"))  
Rank = Memory  
  
Initialdir = /net/guinda/scratch/angelv/Condor-Course/  
arguments = $(Process)  
output = example5.$(Process).out  
error =  example5.$(Process).err  
log =     example5.log  
queue 20
```

Exercise

In the previous example, we have used the keyword ```arguments''` in order to customize each run of the program. For this exercise we will use the keyword ```input''`, which indicates a file that contains the standard input (i.e. what you would normally type in the keyboard) for your program.

Managing jobs

- > `condor_status -submitters`
- > `condor_status -constraint ...`
- > `condor_prio`
- > `condor_userprio`
- > `condor_q -analyze`
- > `condor_history` (Exercise)

Standard Universe

```
#####  
## Example Standard Universe  
## File: submit_looping_std  
#####  
executable = looping_std_solaris_stripped  
universe = standard  
Requirements = Arch == "SUN4u" && OpSys == "SOLARIS29"  
  
Initialdir = /net/guinda/scratch/angelv/Condor-Course/  
output = std_universe.out  
error = std_universe.err  
log = std_universe.log  
queue
```

DAGMan

```
# Filename: diamond.dag
#
Job  A  A.condor
Job  B  B.condor
Job  C  C.condor
Job  D  D.condor
PARENT A CHILD B C
PARENT B C CHILD D
```

> Exercise with basic DAGMan

DAGMan Exercises

1. In the previous exercise a lot of files were created, some of which were only temporary ones. We will use the POST arguments to make use of scripts that will delete these temporary files, and also create a script that will compress the final output file.
2. Once you have it working, make write a PRE script for the node C so that it will fail. Try to run it and see how a rescue file is created. Edit the created rescue file, so that we don't invoke again the PRE script. Resubmit using the rescue DAG file and see what happens...

Thank you!

