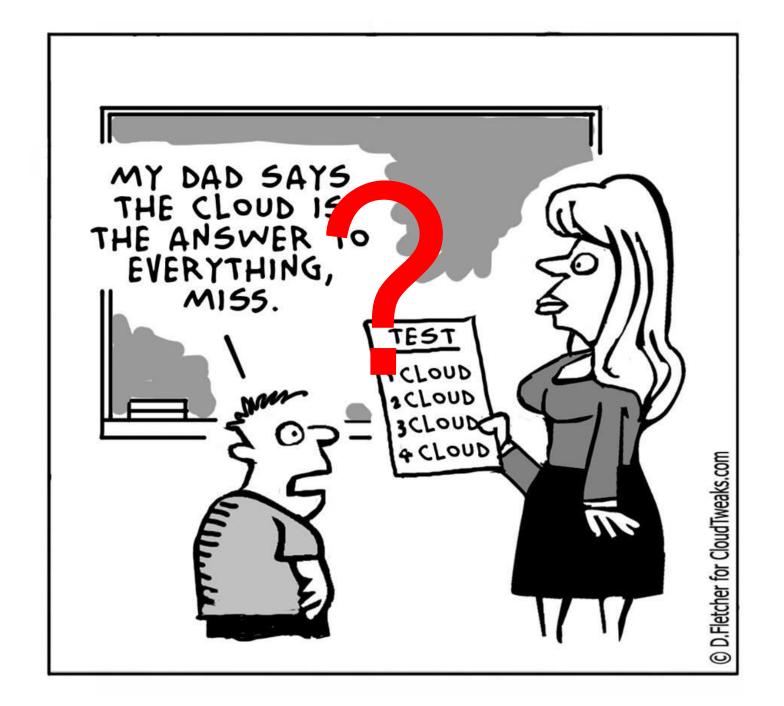
Cluster and Cloud Computing – Lecture 1
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Richard

Chair in Applied Computing Systems, University of Melbourne

CEO Own Company (real time systems/telecoms) BSc Theoretical Physics

Lecturer

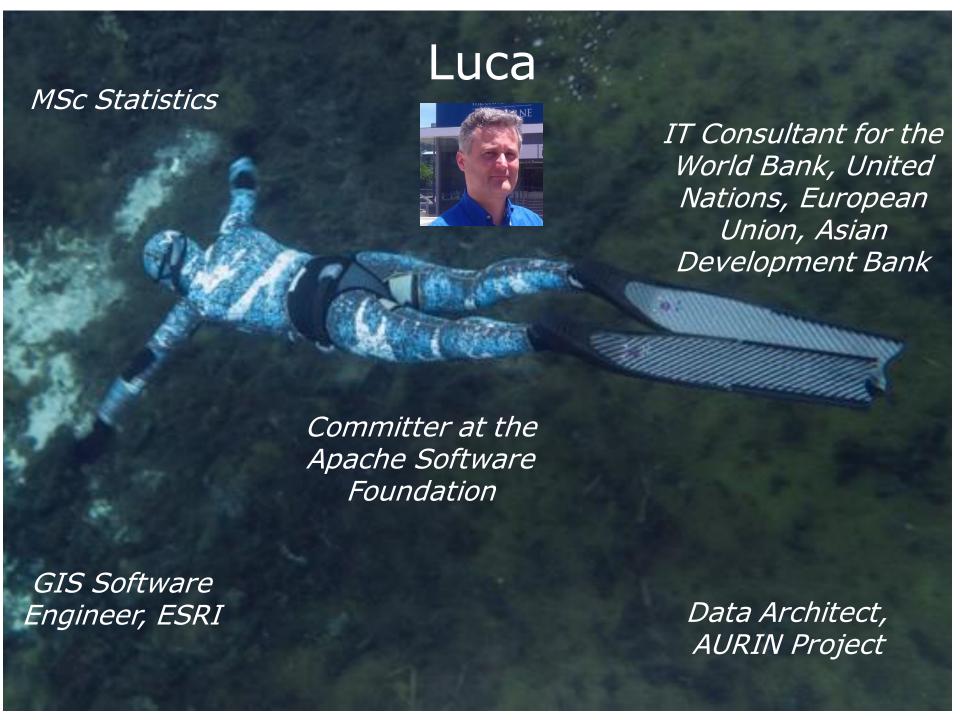
PhD Distributed Systems Technical Director,
Bioinformatics
Research Centre
University of Glasgow

Technical Director National e-Science Centre, University of Glasgow

<u>Multiple</u> PhD/MSc supervised in this area

MSc Software Engineering Post-doc GMD Fokus Berlin

Distributed Systems Standards creator



Farzad

University of Melbourne Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

Internet of Things Big Data Cloud Computing



Software Engineer (CAT)

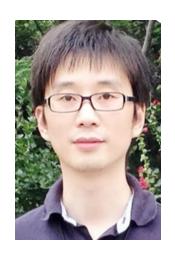
Sharif University of Technology, Master of Science, Information Technology Shiraz University Bachelor of Science IT

COMP90024 graduate

Yao Pan

University of Melbourne Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

Cloud Computing Container and Orchestration tool benchmarking



devOps (SWARM, repliCATS, HATS)

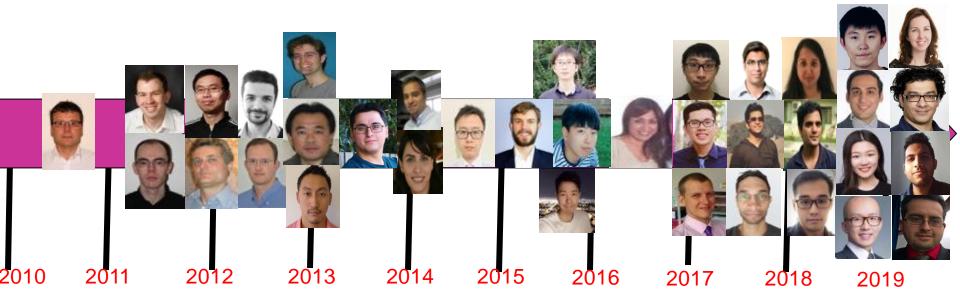
Master of Science IT UniMelb

COMP90024 graduate



Melbourne eResearch Group (www.eresearch.unimelb.edu.au)





Funding from many sources (DARPA, IARPA, DSTG, EU, JDRF, HCT, NHMRC, ARC, Dept Innovation, Dept Environment, VicHealth, Commercial, ...)

700+ Masters dissertations (and counting!)

ALL ABOUT APPLIED COMPUTING

Completed

National e-Science Centre (I, II, III)

Project Portfolio

Subset of On-Going

- - Multicenter prospective study of biochemical profiles of monoamine-producing tumors (PMT Study)
 - European Society of Hypertension Study on Pheo/PGL
 - International DSD
 - EU FW7 European Network for Study of Adrenal Tumors Cancer Research Platform (ENSAT-CANCER)
 - VicHealth Health Indicators and Spatial Objective Data
 - National Spinal Injury Research Platform

Joint Data Standards Survey FSP-Grid

GridNet. GridNet-2

Glasgow early adoption of Shibboleth

HPC Compute cluster award // Sun industrial sponsorship OGC Collision

Dynamic Virtual Organisations for e-Science Education

Grid Enabled Microarray Expression Profile Search

Biomedical Research Informatics Delivered by Grid Enabled Services

OMII-Security Portlets// OMII-RAVE

Integrating VOMS and PERMIS for Superior Grid Authorization

NCeSS

CESSDA PPP

Pharming of The rapeutic RNA

Grid Enabled Occupational Data Environment

Towards an e-Infrastructure for e-Science Digital Repositories

Grid enabled Biochemical Pathway Simulator

Virtual Organisations for Trials and Epidemiological Studies

A European e-Infrastructure for e-Science Repositories

Modelling, Inference and Analysis for Biological Systems up to the

Drug Discovery Portal

Parliamentary Discourse

Scots Words and Placenames

Qvolution stress management survey system

Advanced Grid Authorisation through Semantic Technologies Shir

AlstromUK VRE

Grid-enabled Virtual Safe Settings

Clinical Streaming Transcription Software

Enhancing Repositories for Language

Proxy Credential Auditing Infrastruct

Scottish Bioinformatics Research Ne Generation Scotland Scottish Family

Breast Cancer Tissue Biobank

Data Management through e-Social

Meeting the Design Challenges of na

EU FW7 AvertIT

EU FW7 EuroDSD

NeSC Research Platform (NRP)

NeSC Information Network (NIN)

ESF Network for Study of Adrenal Tumors

Scottish Health Informatics Platform for Research (SHIP)

National E-Infrastructure for Social Simulation (NeISS)

EU R4SME Diagnosis of Parkinsons Disease (DiPAR)

Automating River Pollution Detection (CAPIM)

DSDNetwork Australasia

Endocrine genomics Virtual Laboratory (endoVL)

IS IT SAFE?

search Infrastructure Network (AURIN)

udy of environmental factors on onset of T1D

Data Network (ADDN)

nn-Pick A, B and C Registry

ata Journalism in the Big Data Era

d 18F-fluorodeoxy glucose positron emission tomography and 123I-lodometomidate Neoplasia

cs Health Alliance (variant DB)

cryption/Decryption and Secure Deletion

of Pancreatic Beta Cells

ic Physics and Climate Research)

d Urban Environments

s-based strategies for improved diagnosis and treatment of endocrine hypertension

umption database and mobile app

cs Research Environment

inical Research Network

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e Against Epilepsy

ch Software Solutions (PRESS)

for the Environmental Determinants of Islet Autoimmunity

ons for the Biomedical Communities of the Cloud

ole Management and Processing Platform

Linked Data Policy Hub Stage II: Urban & Regional Planning & Communications Australian Genomics Health Alliance

Examples used throughout

II (ADDN2)

alian Department of Defence

ement Solutions PU utilisation

ment Solutions Follow-Up Grant

Helicopter advanced training system Phase II, Australian Department of Defence

Twitter data analytics for business

Mobile Applications for Patients with Neuroendocrine Tumours

Systems Genomics Support Platform

SWARM: Smartly -aggregated Wiki-style ARgument Marshalling (SWARM)

ORCA Cognitive Assessment Platform

88days Backpacker app

VicSpin Victoria-wide Flu Surv elllance System

ElectraNetLIDAR/VectorNZ Lidar

Growing Landscape Carbon Replicats

CRC Bushfires

Course Contents

- Lectures 1 & 2 4th March
 - Information Session & How we got here (Distributed Systems, Grid...)
 - Richard Sinnott
 - NO workshops
- Lectures 3 & 4 11th March
 - Domain Drivers tour of some big data projects
 - Richard Sinnott
 - Workshop/demo on driving AURIN (needed for assignment 2)
- Lectures 5 & 6 18th March
 - Parallel Systems, Distributed Computing and HPC/HTC
 - Richard Sinnott
 - Workshop on Git (Farzad)

First assignment handed out 18th March

(Warning SPARTAN & volume students!!! Team of two for assignment!!!)

- Lectures 7 & 8 25th March
 - HPC @ UniMelb and Practicalities of HPC/HTC
 - Richard Sinnott, Lev Lafayette & Farzad Khodadadi
 - Linux / HPC practicalities and welcome to Spartan!!!
 - More using SPARTAN & using mpi4py on SPARTAN workshop (Lev/Farzad)

Course Contents...ctd

- Lectures 9 & 10 1st April
 - Cloud Computing Programming Clouds: Getting to grips with the UniMelb Research Cloud!
 - Richard Sinnott & Farzad Khodadadi & Yao Pan
 - Introduction to Cloud Computing
 - Getting to grips with OpenStack/UniMelb Research Cloud
 - Workshop on Scripting the Cloud (Introduction to Ansible demonstration) (Yao Pan)
- Lectures 11 & 12 8th April
 - ReST, Twitter (Needed for Assignment II) & Docker
 - Richard Sinnott, Farzad Khodadadi & Yao Pan
 - Web services and Representational State Transfer (ReST)
 - Examples of coding/demonstrating ReST and Twitter (Farzad)
 - Introduction to Containers (Yao Pan)
 - Workshop on Demonstration of Docker/Docker SWARM/Kubernetes (Yao Pan)

First assignment due in on 8th April

Second Programming Assignment handed out 8th April

Easter Break

Course Contents... ctd

- Lectures 13 & 14 22nd April
 - Big Data and Related Technologies
 - Luca Morandini (Data Architect, AURIN)
 - Big Data V-challenges, CAP Theorem and noSQL technologies
 - Workshop on CouchDB via Docker (Luca)
- Lectures 15 & 16 29th April
 - Cloud Underpinnings and Other Things
 - Richard Sinnott & Farzad Khodadadi & Luca Morandini
 - Virtualisation background (Rich)
 - Compare and Contrast AWS with NeCTAR (Farzad)
 - Workshop on serverless architectures and demonstration of openFaaS (Luca)
- Lectures 17 & 18 6th May
 - Big Data Analytics
 - Luca Morandini
 - Big Data Technologies Hadoop, HDFS, Spark, ...
 - Workshop on Hadoop cluster on Cloud (Luca)

Course Contents... ctd

Second Programming Assignment due in 13th May

- Lecture 19 & 20 13th May
 - You (+ pizzas!)
 - 12 teams randomly chosen to present their assignment II
 - 15minutes each
- Lecture 21 & 22 20th May
 - Security and Clouds & demonstration of assignments
 - Richard Sinnott & You
 - 8 more teams randomly chosen to present their assignment II
 - 15minutes each
- Lecture 23 & 24 27th May
 - Subject Review and Working Through Past Papers
 - Feedback and SES
 - Richard Sinnott

At the end of the course....

You will...

- Understand more about the history of cluster and Cloud computing and the current state of the art
- Know more of the domain drivers that are shaping this area especially the current flavour of the month "big data"
- Understand more on parallel systems, multi-core software development
- Be able to use HPC/HTC systems
- Be able to use Cloud resources
- Be able to develop applications running on the Cloud
- Learning about next generation data management systems
- Be savvy with web based systems development
- Work on a non-trivial software system development as part of a team (=how it nearly always works in the real world!)
- Learn more about the pulse of cities!
- Have software experiences that are in great demand
 Many of my ex-students have jobs in this space (reference machine!!!)
- Have visited a data centre

Lecture Slides

- On the web before lecture
- They may be updated slightly before the lecture to reflect recent developments
 - Or cover materials that folk want more details on from previous lectures
- Other sources of materials
 - Key papers
 - Interesting articles
 - Snippets from the web
 - Crib sheets for Cloud Computing
 - Crib sheets for HPC

Course Assessment

- Assignments
 - During semester worth 50%
 - Expected to take about 40+ hours
- Written examination
 - A written examination (two hours) at the end of the semester worth 50%
- All components must be completed satisfactorily to pass the subject
 - At least 50% in all assignments + exam

Assessments

- (Mini Team) Assignment 1 10 marks
 - HPC exercise (big(gish) data processing)
- (Bigger Team) Assignment (40 marks)
 - Social media analytics on the Cloud
 - Team-based approach
 - Self organise vs be organised
 - Importance of being a team player!
 - Peer review...
- Exam 50 marks
- Note
 - Importance of original work
 - Collusion "seriously frowned" upon
 - Note several students last year got 0 for 1st assignment for not listening to this!!!

Computational Resources

- Departmental Computing Resources:
 - You all have access to PCs in the lab with Linux and Eclipse installed
 - Any local issues then talk to CIS technical staff
- HPC systems
 - SPARTAN cluster general purpose cluster for UniMelb
 - Provisioned last year
 - Reasonable grunt, but... UniMelb!
- Cloud resources
 - UniMelb Research Cloud
 - (alas NeCTAR <u>www.nectar.org.au</u> no longer possible)
 - UniMelb resources specifically set aside for course!

Workshops / Lab Sessions...?

- In this course workshops are really demonstrations
 - Materials made available before the workshop for you to follow during workshop (or at your own time at a later date)
 - We will teach the theory and then do live demonstrations of solutions
 - There are no hands-on/guided lab sessions
 - Any/all questions/discussions via the LMS

Student Evaluation Survey

• (Told I should provide this info!!!)

	Resp. #	Resp. %	Freq(1)	Freq(2)	Freq(3)	Freq(4)	Freq(5)	Mean
 Overall, the experience gained through this subject has been intellectually stimulating 	95	59.38 %	5	1	10	27	52	4.26
Overall, this subject has been well co-ordinated	95	59.38 %	5	3	11	29	47	4.16
Overall, this subject has been supported by useful learning resources	95	59.38 %	4	4	9	33	45	4.17
 Overall, this subject has been well-taught 	94	58.75 %	5	3	18	32	36	3.97
 Focusing on my own learning in this subject, I have been required to work at a high standard 	95	59.38 %	4	1	3	29	58	4.43
 Focusing on my own learning in this subject, I found the assessment tasks useful in guiding my study 	95	59.38 %	5	5	4	23	58	4.31
7. Focusing on my own learning in this subject, I received valuable feedback on my progress	95	59.38 %	4	1	7	37	46	4.26
8. Focusing on my own learning in this subject, I learnt new ideas, approaches and/or skills	95	59.38 %	4	1	3	25	62	4.47
Focusing on my own learning in this subject, I learnt to apply knowledge to practice	95	59.38 %	4	1	3	25	62	4.47
10. Focusing on my own learning in this subject, I have been part of a group committed to learning	94	58.75 %	5	1	4	29	55	4.36

Questions?

The Buzz

Top 10 Strategic Technology Trends for 2013

- Mobile Devices Battles
- 2. Mobile Applications & HTML5
- 3. Personal Cloud
- 4. Internet of Things
- 5. Hybrid IT & Cloud Computing
- 6. Strategic Big Data
- 7. Actionable Analytics
- 8. Mainstream In-Memory Computing
- 9. Integrated Ecosystems
- 10. Enterprise App Stores



Gartner

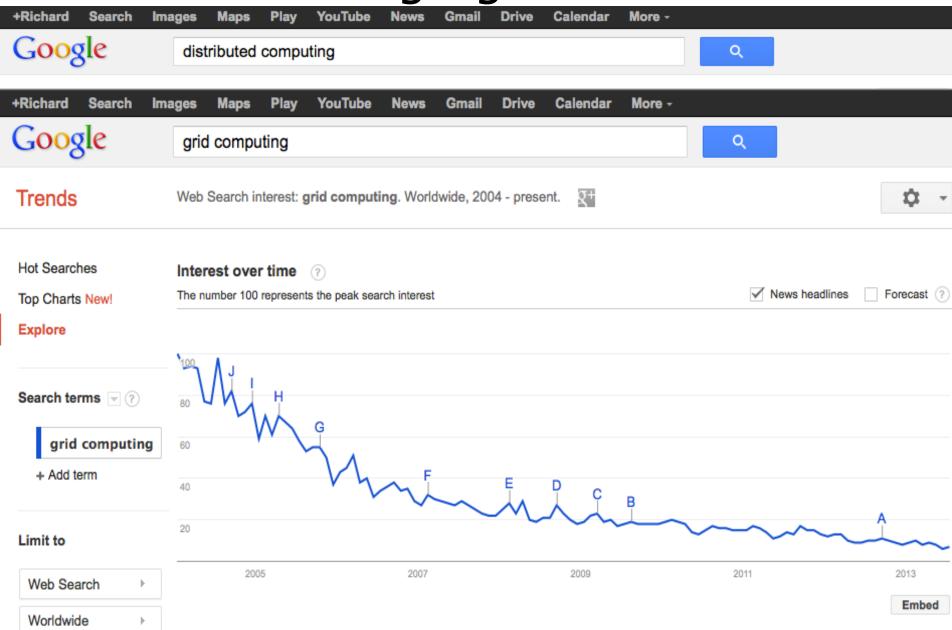
Big Data Drives Rapid Changes in Infrastructure and \$232 Billion in IT Spending Through 2016

12 October 2012

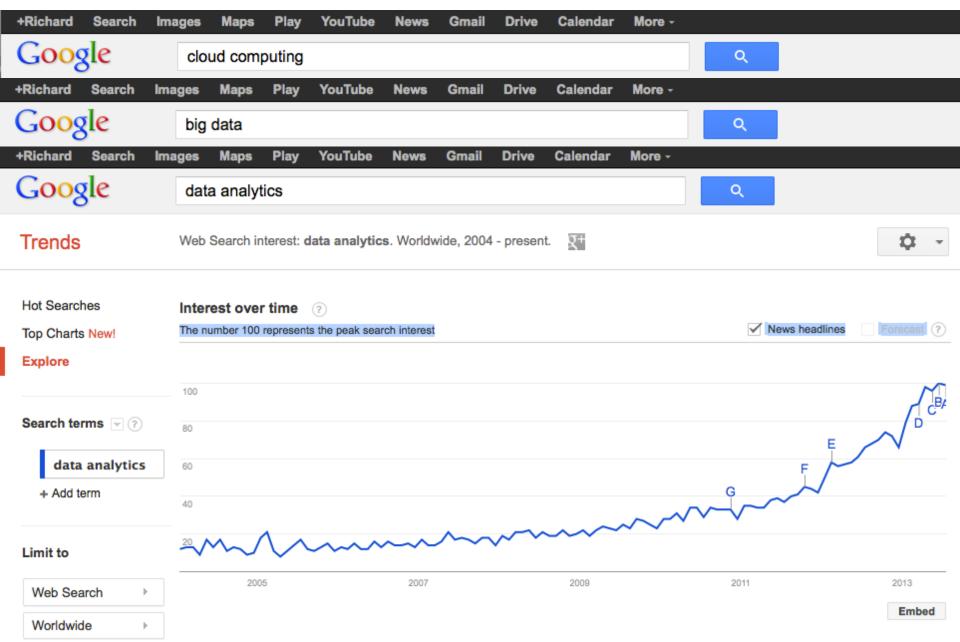
Mark A. Beyer John-David Lovelock Dan Sommer Merv Adrian

Big data has become a major driver of IT spending. The benefits to organizations for adding big data to their information management and analytics infrastructure will force a more rapid cycle of replacing existing solutions.

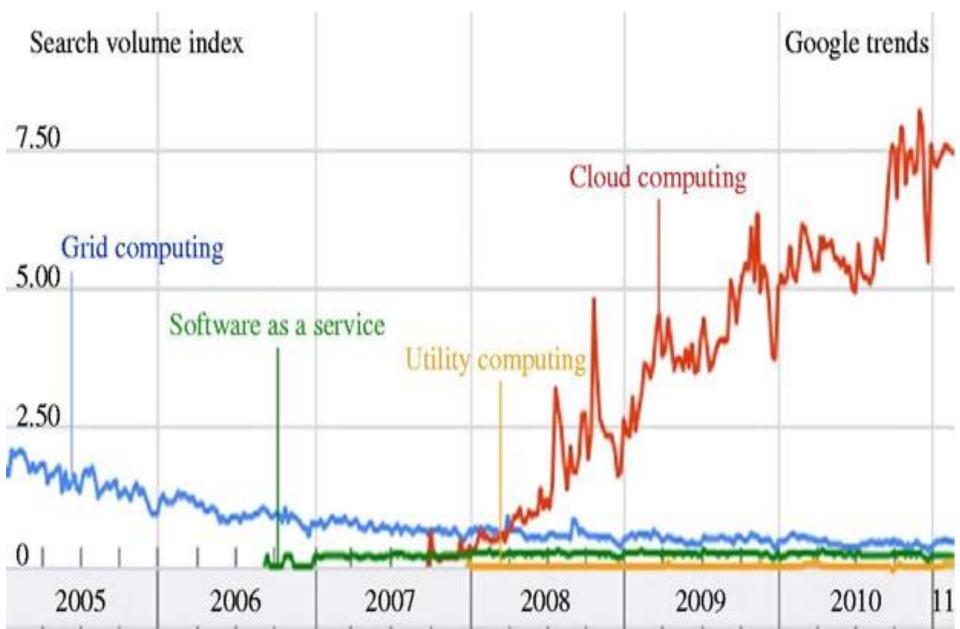
The not so long ago buzz...



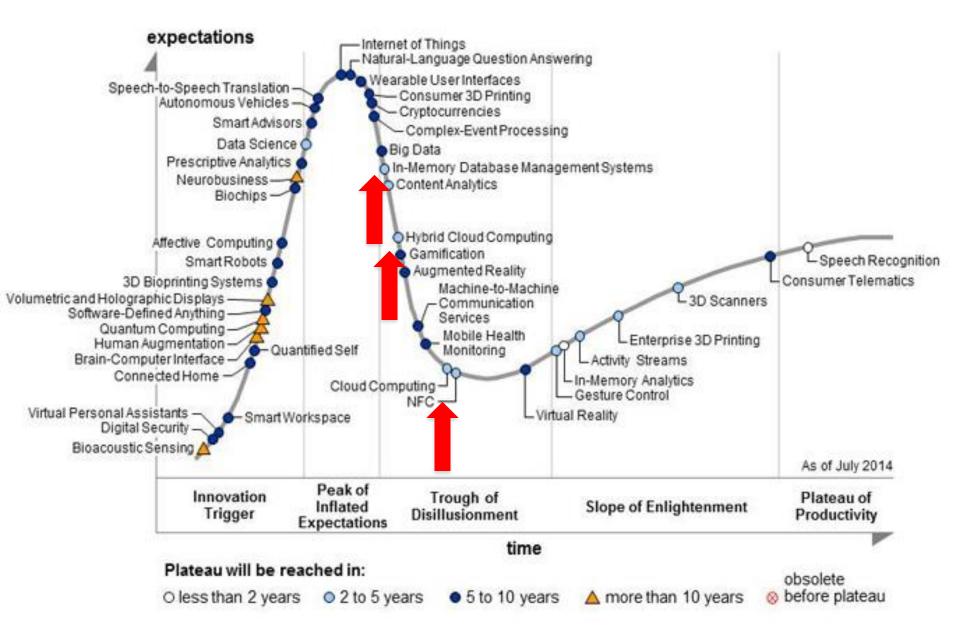
The latest buzz...



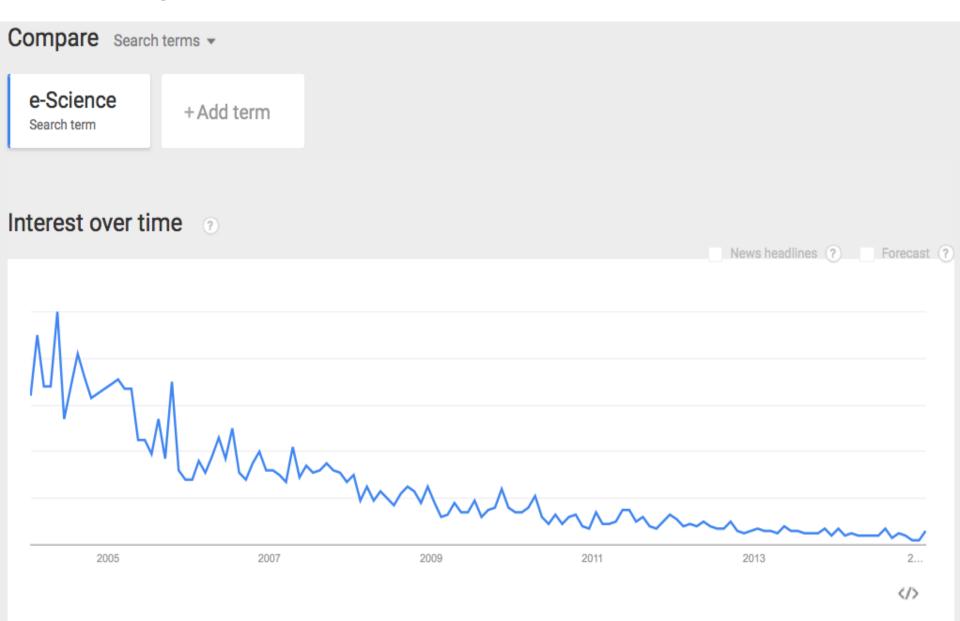
The cycles we go through...



The Hype Cycle... (Gartner 2015)



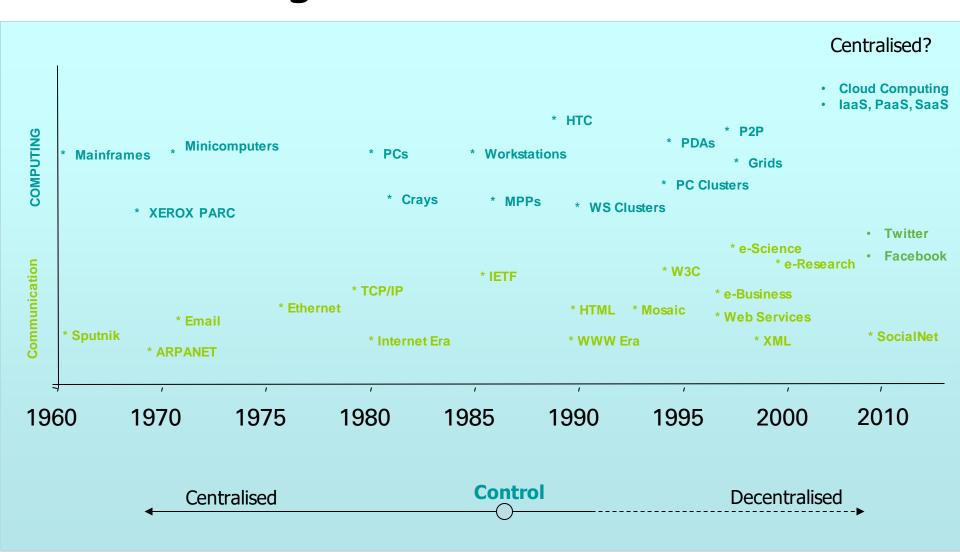
Not just IT trends...



Lessons...

- Don't be fooled by the hype
 - Marketing and business drivers
- The basic principles of software engineering persist
 - NeSC -> MeG experiences
 - Data processing,
 - Distributed systems,
 - Security ...
- Learning from experiences is key
 - But obviously working on/with the bleeding edge can do no harm (for grants or on CVs)

Computing and Communication Technologies (r)evolution: 1960-...!



Cloud Computing....

• ...is a colloquial expression used to describe a variety of different types of computing concepts that involve a large number of computers that are connected through a real-time communication network (typically the Internet). *Cloud computing is a jargon* term without a commonly accepted non-ambiguous scientific or technical definition. In science, cloud computing is a synonym for distributed computing over a network and means the ability to run a program on many connected computers at the same time. The popularity of the term can be attributed to its use in marketing to sell hosted services in the sense of application service provisioning that run client server software on a remote location.

Cloud Computing....

 ...Proponents claim that cloud computing allows companies to avoid upfront infrastructure costs, and focus on projects that differentiate their businesses instead of on infrastructure. Proponents also claim that cloud computing allows enterprises to get their applications up and running faster, with improved manageability and less maintenance, and enables IT to more rapidly adjust resources to meet fluctuating and unpredictable business demand. Cloud providers typically use a "pay as you go" model. This can lead to unexpectedly high charges if administrators do not adapt to the cloud pricing model.

Wikipedia 2016

Cloud Characteristics

Five essential characteristics:

- On-demand self-service. A consumer can provision computing capabilities as needed without requiring human interaction with each service provider.
- Networked access. Capabilities are available over the network and accessed through standard mechanisms that promote use by heterogeneous client platforms.
- Resource pooling. The provider's computing resources are pooled to serve multiple consumers using a multi-tenant model potentially with different physical and virtual resources that can be dynamically assigned and reassigned according to consumer demand.
- Rapid elasticity. Capabilities can be elastically provisioned and released, in some cases automatically, to scale rapidly upon demand.
- Measured service. Cloud systems automatically control and optimize resource use by leveraging a metering capability at some level of abstraction appropriate to the type of service.
 - National Institute of Standards and Technology

Cloud Computing....

Flavours

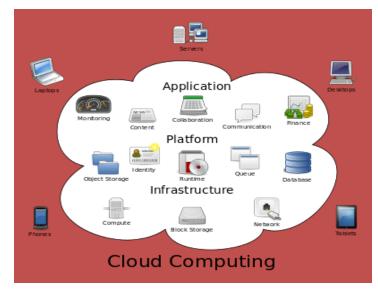
- Compute clouds
 - Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud
 - Azure
 - ...

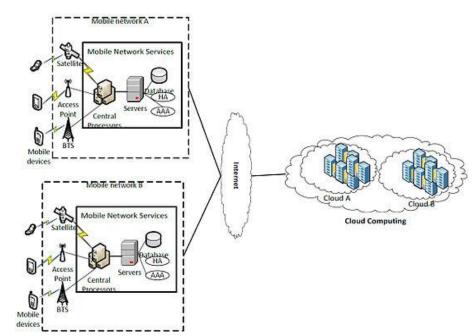
- Data clouds

- Amazon Simple Storage Service
- Google docs
- iCloud
- Dropbox
- ...

Application clouds

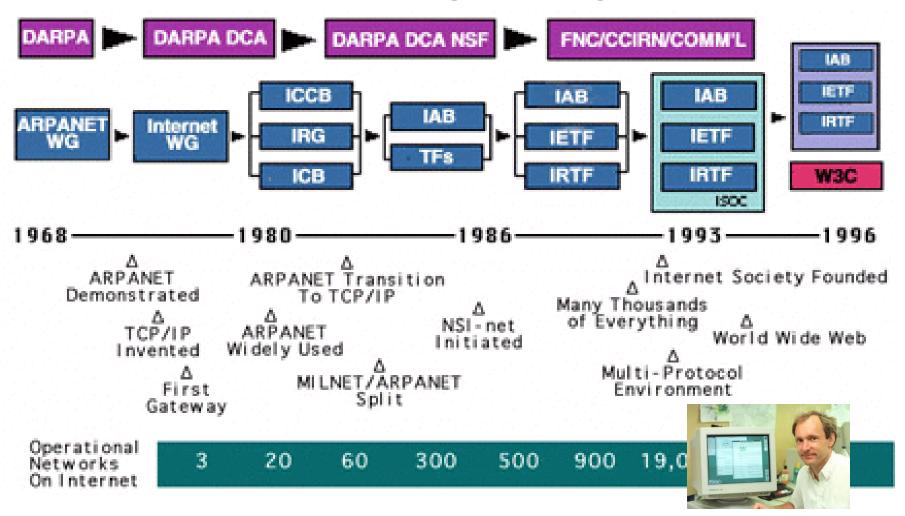
- App store
- Virtual image factories
- Community-specific
- Private, public, hybrid, mobile, health, ... clouds
 - Edge, Fog, IoT, ...





Break

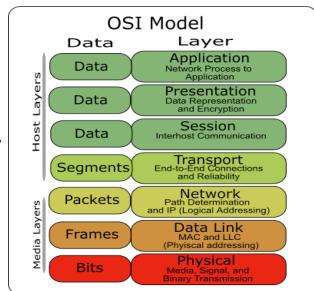
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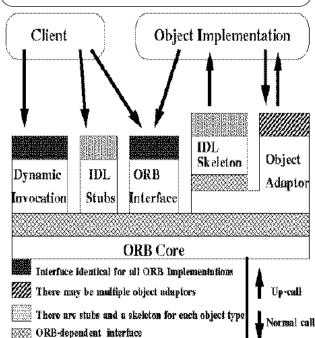


 http://www.internetsociety.org/internet/whatinternet/history-internet/brief-history-internet

Distributed Systems - A Very Brief History

- Once upon a time we had standards
 - With very detailed conformance, consistency and compliance demands
 - Services, protocols, inter-operability, ...
- Then we had more standards
 - Open distributed processing
 - With slightly less rigorous compliance demands
 - OMG Common Object Request Broker Architecture (CORBA)
 - Distributed Computing Environment
 - Multiple technologies
 - Client server, remote procedure call, ...





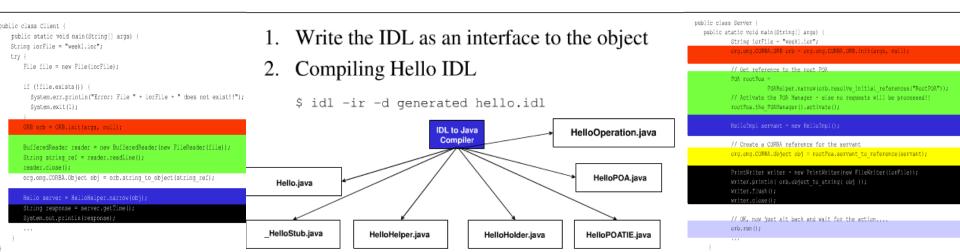
Key distributed systems focus mid-90s

- Transparency and heterogeneity of computercomputer interactions
 - finding/discovering resources (trader!),
 - binding to resources in real time,
 - run time type checking,
 - invoking resources
 - dealing with heterogeneity of systems
 - applications and operating systems
 - focused on computer-computer interaction

Client.java (Simplified)

Step of Defining IDL

Server.java (Simplified)



Challenges of earlier distributed (networked) system implementations

- Complexity of implementations
 - Middleware bloat and lock-in
 - Vision and challenges of reality
- Vendor specific solutions
 - AnsaWare
 - IBM Distributed SOM / Component Broker
 - Microsoft Network OLE
 - IONA Orbix
 - Visigenic Visibroker
 - BEA ObjectBroker
 - HP ORBPlus and Distributed SmallTalk
 - Expersoft PowerBroker
 - Other ORB's
 - Less mature standards
- Scale of the problem area
 - Telecoms, banking, ...
 - The growth (boom!) of the web

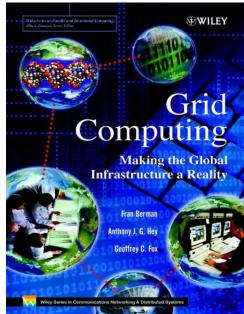




Distributed Systems History...ctd

- Enter the web era
 - My first ftp 1993 put/get files to/from Australia
 - Then the web pretty much exploded
- Peer-peer processing
 - File sharing ...
- Scaling of...
 - machines,
 - people,
 - domains of application
- Grid computing
 - From computer-computer focus
 - To organisation-organisation focus





e-Research and the Grid

'e Research is about global collaboration in key areas of science, and the next generation of infrastructure that will enable it.'

Research will change the dynamic of the way science is undertaken.'



John Taylor
Director General of Research Councils
Office of Science and Technology

Grid is infrastructure used for e-Science

- Power Grid Metaphor: compute and data resources on demand Major investment by UK Govt (£250m+) to realise this vision
- -Across ALL Research Councils (+ EU + industry + ...)
- -Cyber-infrastructure, European Grid Initiative, Superscience,

The Grid Metaphor



Overcoming heterogeneity...

Guide to International Plugs & Sockets



www.interpower.com

Pluq

Type

Color

Rating

Approvals

P.O. Box 115, Oskaloosa, IA 52577 (USA) Call: (641) 673-5000 Fax: (641) 673-5100 E-mail: info@interpower.com

Toll-free (U.S./Can./P.R./V.I.) Call toll-free: (800) 662-2290 Fax toll-free: (800) 645-5360

Continental European

For use in Germany, Austria, Finland, the Netherlands, Norway, Sweden, France/Belgium, and other countries utilizing the CEE 7 standard. (Note: Sweden requires use of socket with separate mounting bracket. France/Belgium require use of different socket types.) The CEE 7/7 is non-polarized.

Color

Rating

Approvals

Approvals



brown (88010820) plug



Plug with Strain Relief

Part Number 88010801

CEE 7/7

16A/250VAC

@ S

KEUR

Gray

For black (88010611) socket



Panel-Mounting Socket Part Number 88010500 CEE 7 Color White Rating 16A/250VAC Approvals @ (S) KEUR (N)

Part Number 88010200

Socket with Strain Relief

Part Number 88010400

CEE 7

16A/250VAC

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CEE 7

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16A/250VAC

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Duplex Socket

Type

Color

Rating

Color

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Approvals

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For black (88010210) socket



For black (88010390) socket



France/Belgium, and other countries utilizing the CEE 7 standard.



88040030
CEE 7/16
Black
2.5A/250VAC
& 6

Australian

Plugs and in-line sockets are also acceptable for use in New Zealand according to the New Zealand Ministry of Energy. Interpower Corporation also offers hospital-grade and higher aperage re-wireable plugs and sockets. See www.interpower.com for more information.



Plug	
Part Number	88010713
Туре	AS/NZS 3112
Color	White
Rating	10A/250VAC
Approvals	Department of Fair Tradin



Panel-Mounting Socket	
Part Number	88010512
Туре	AS/NZS 311
Color	White
Rating	10A/250VAC
Approvals	Department of Fair Tradii

Part Number 88010411

AS/NZS 3112

10A/250VAC

White

EANSW

In-line Socket

Color

Rating

Approvals



Danish

Use a Danish plug on products to be sold in Denmark, Although the Continental European CEE 7-style plug fits into the Danish socket, the plug will not be grounded, presenting an extreme safety hazard. Medical and data versions also available. See www.interpower.com.



Plug	
Part Number	88010741
Туре	Afsnit 107-2-0
Color	Gray
Rating	13A/250VAC
Approvals	(D)
	150



Panel-Mounting Socket	
Part Number	88010541
Туре	Afsnit 107-2-D1
Color	White
Rating	13A/250VAC
Approvals	(D)

French/Belgian

Interpower Europlugs are wirable. Once shut, they cannot be reopened. France and Belgium use a variation of the CEE 7 socket which contains a For use in Germany, Austria, Finland, the Netherlands, Norway, Sweden, male grounding pin and shuttering. The CEE 7/7 plug used throughout Continental Europe has a receptacle for this pin and can be used in France and Belgium, France and Belgium now require safety shuttering on all of their sockets



Part Number 88010550 CEE 7 Color Ivory Rating 16A/250VAC Approvals **Panel-Mounting Socket**

Panel-Mounting Socket



Part Number 88010321 Type CEE 7 Color Gray Rating 16A/250VAC Approvals IP X4 "splashproof"

Part Number

Туре

Color

Rating

Color

Rating

Type

Color

Rating

Approvals

Approvals

Approvals

Panel-Mounting Socket

Part Number 88010561

88010763

15A/250VAC

BS 546

BS 546

15A/250VAC

Ivory

White

Indian/South African

Old British Standard (BS 546) used in India and parts of Southern Africa.



For black (88010230) plug



Israeli



Panel-Mounting Socket		
Part Number	8801058	
Туре	SI 32	
Color	White	
Rating	16A/250	
Approvals	A	

Part Number 88010780

SI 32

White

16A/250VAC

Italian



Note: This plug is non-polarized



Panel-Mounting Socket	
Part Number	88010572
Туре	CEI 23-16/VII
Color	Silver/Metallic
Rating	10A/250VAC
Approvals	(1)

Part Number 88010771

CEI 23-16/VII

Grav/Charcoal

10A/250VAC

Japanese Grounding Adapter

When exporting products to Japan or other parts of the world (such as Central America) where 2-wire, non-polarized mains power is typical, include a grounding adapter to ensure that products will be grounded. Shown below is a 3-wire to 2-wire adapter with non-polarized blades.



Grounding Adapter	
Part Number	88100011
Туре	JIS 8303
Color	Black
Rating	15A/125VAC
Approvals	PS

Swiss



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	Push-In Mour	nting So
7	Part Number	88010
8	Туре	SEV 1
	Color	White
	Rating	10A/2
	Approvals	(\$)



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Plug	
Part Number	88010732
Туре	SEV 1011
Color	Black
Rating	10A/250VAC







United Kingdom/Ireland

Line and neutral contacts of socket are shuttered to minimize accidental entry of an object other than mating plug.

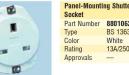


Europlug Converter	
Part Number	88050010
Туре	BS 5733
Color	White
Rating	2.5A/250VAC
Approvals	₩ 🕸



Part Number 88040011 Type BS 1363 Color White Rating 13A/250VAC Approvals 8





Socket Part Number	88010621
Type	BS 1363
Color	White
Rating	13A/250VAC
Approvals	_



In-Line Shuttered Socket Part Number 88010422 Type BS 1363 White Color Rating 13A/250VAC Approvals

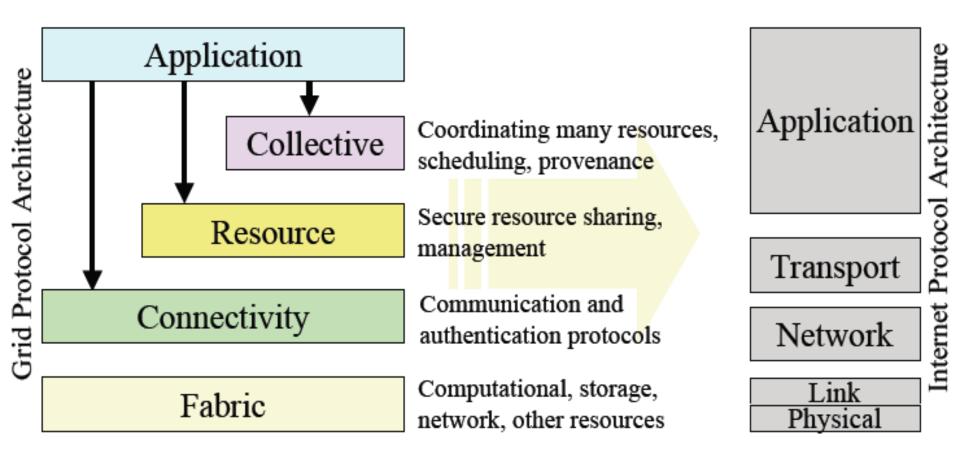
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Typical (Compute) Grid Architecture



All sorted...?

Grid Standards

- Even increasing numbers and ever decreasing understanding and acceptance/adoption by implementers
 - Global Grid Forum
 - Open Grid Forum
 - OASIS
 - IETF
 - W3C
 - ...











Grid Technologies... (~2002+)

- Globus Toolkit Project <u>www.globus.org</u>
 - GT2 Complex software system for large, scale distributed software systems development
 - Physiology of the Grid (Foster et al)
 www.globus.org/alliance/publications/papers/ogsa.pdf
 - The Open Grid Services Architecture
 - The Anatomy of the Grid: Enabling Scalable Virtual Organizations (Foster et al) http://dl.acm.org/citation.cfm?id=1080667
 - MANY MB of source code
 - Many software engineers worked in making this
 - and many more in making it work!!!

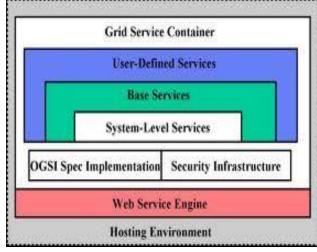
Grid Technologies... (~2004+)

- Move to service-based approach
 - The Open Grid Services Infrastructure (OGSI)

• <u>www.globus.org/toolkit/draft-ggf-ogsi-gridservice-33_2003-06-27.pdf</u>

- GT3 core technologies refactored as "Grid Services"
 - stateful Web services
 - extension of Web services interfaces
 - asynchronous notification of state change
 - references to instances of services
 - collections of service instances
 - service state data augmenting constraints of XML Schema definition







Grid Technologies... (~2009+)

- Complete reassessment of OGSI approach to be "purer" web services
 - Web service resource framework (WSRF)
 - GT4 implemented this
 - Many software engineers hardened their skill sets using this (is one nice way of putting it!!!!)

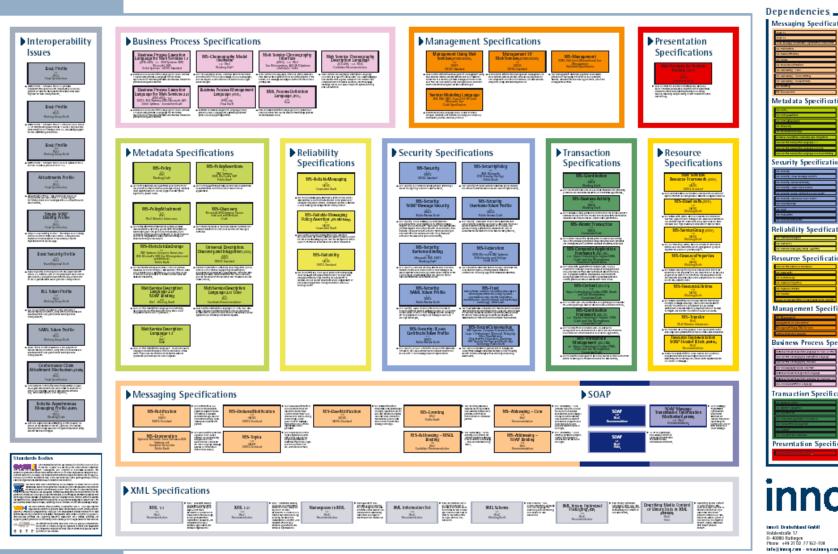
The only way to make software secure, reliable, and fast is to make it small AS Tanenbaum

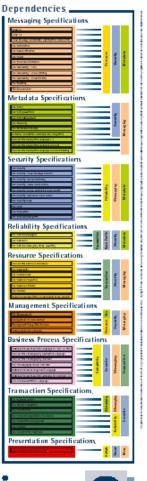
- Also MANY other standards and efforts ...
 - Business and commercial drivers
 - Vendors shaping standards to their commercial advantage



Flux of Web Service Standards (simplified!!!)

Web Services Standards Overview



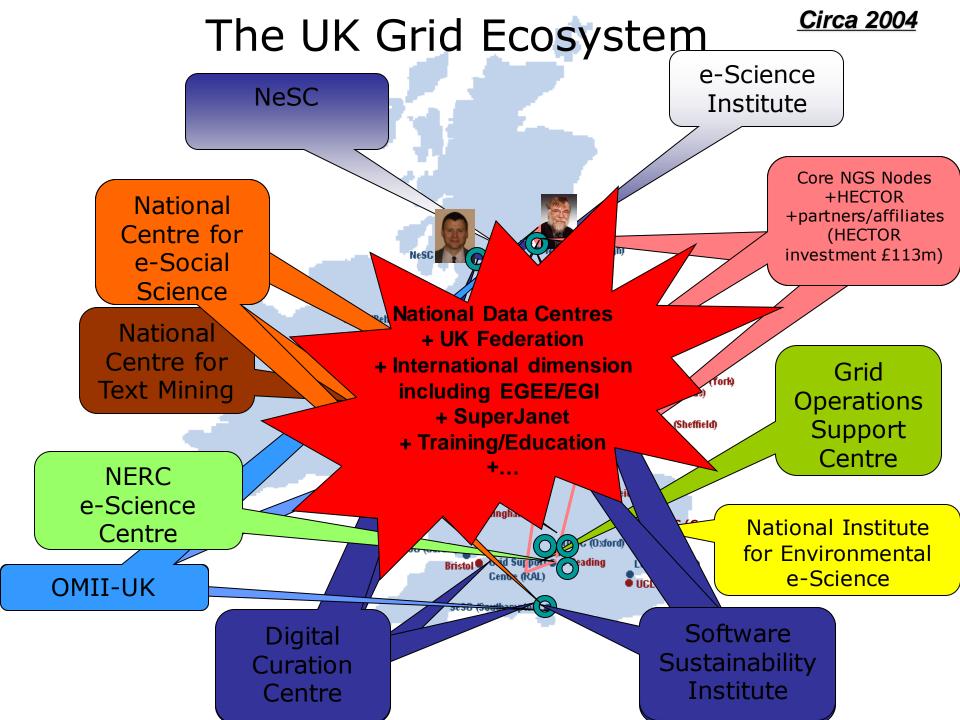


The nice thing about standards is that you have so many to choose from...

The development of robust Grid security infrastructures is very much dependent upon agreements on technologies and practices. Standardisation plays an extremely important role in this regard. With the move of the Grid community towards web services and service-oriented architectures, web service security standards and their associated implementations are crucial. Unfortunately it is the case that a multitude of specifications and proposals for web service standards have been promised and put forward, or merely promised. There are often cases of web service standards covering similar topics resulting in multiple competing specifications such as WS-Notifications and WS-Eventing; WS-ReliableMessaging and WS-Reliability; WS-Orchestration, WS-Co-ordination and WS-Choreography, along with the many varieties of workflow or business process languages that have been put forward to name but a few examples of the issues in the proliferation of web service standards. It is also the case that at the time of writing, many web services standards are only in working draft or draft status, often with no associated implementations or acknowledged conformance or interoperability definitions. Claiming conformance or compliance to a particular web service standard is thus often not possible (or meaningful!).

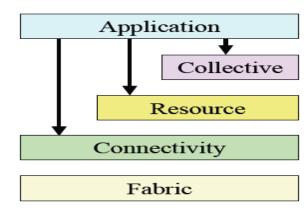
It is also apparent that although many standards use the common prefix "WS-", this does not mean that there is an agreed WS-Architecture. This stems from a variety of reasons: vendor and commercial issues; political aspects and also the different bodies involved. For example the Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) (www.ietf.org); the World Wide Web Consortium (W3C) (www.w3.org); the Organization for the Advancement of Structured Information Standards (OASIS) (www.oasis-open.org); and the Web Services Interoperability Organization (WS-I) (www.ws-i.org) are some of the most prominent bodies. The consequence of this profusion of standards and standards making bodies, and the lack of consensus on the core web service architecture, impacts directly upon development of Grid standards, architectures and associated implementations and middleware.

Me: Grid Security: Practices, Middleware and Outlook



How hard can a compute Grid be...?

- Information Systems
 - What resources are available
 - Servers, CPUs, memory, storage, queues,
 OS, applications, databases, ...
- Monitoring and Discovery Systems
 - What is the status of those resources
 - Queues empty/very full
 - Machines running for a week
 - Hard to tell for some applications...?
- Job scheduling/resource brokering
 - Please run these {jobs}
 - Fastest, most secure/reliable, cheapest ...
 - Jobs need inter-process communication...?
 - » never get resources vs resource starvation
 - » Physics pilot jobs workaround
- Virtual organisation support
 - I'm a chemist and want to run my simulation





Fragility of it all...

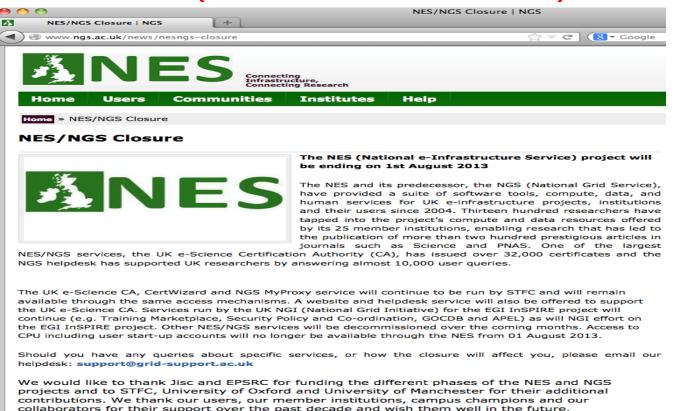
How I broke the UK e-Science Grid...

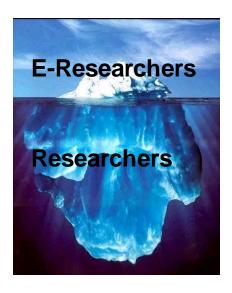


Other Challenges

- Security
 - Public Key Infrastructures
 - \$> openssl pkcs12 -in cert.p12 -clcerts nokeys -out usercert.pem!

???? (more in later lectures)



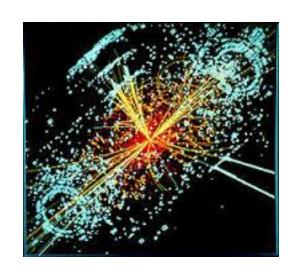


(NOT TO SCALE)

Doom and gloom...!?!?

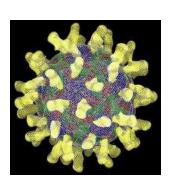
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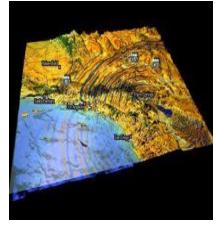














High Energy Physics?

- Why did/does Grid work for them...?
- Size, scale and resourcing
 - GridPP
 - Enabling Grids for e-Science (EGEE)
 - European Grid Initiative
 - Huge numbers of admins making systems tick over
 - (=not searching for Higgs Boson)
 - Heterogeneity vs homogeneity
 - Specific versions of operating system
 - Scientific Linux v4, v5
 - Specific versions of middleware
 - Unilateral updates/deployments
 - » globus-*, gLite-wms-*,
 - » edg-job-*, lcg-job-*, GANGA
 - Well-defined problem...









My philosophy since...

- Less focus on complex middleware stacks
 - FAR too much focus on technology issues
 - More on customer needs and making a difference
- And to inspire you (and make you think what you do with social media!!!)
 - A snapshot of what you will be doing with Twitter analytics!



Questions?