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Bringing the power of the
Grid to scientific research

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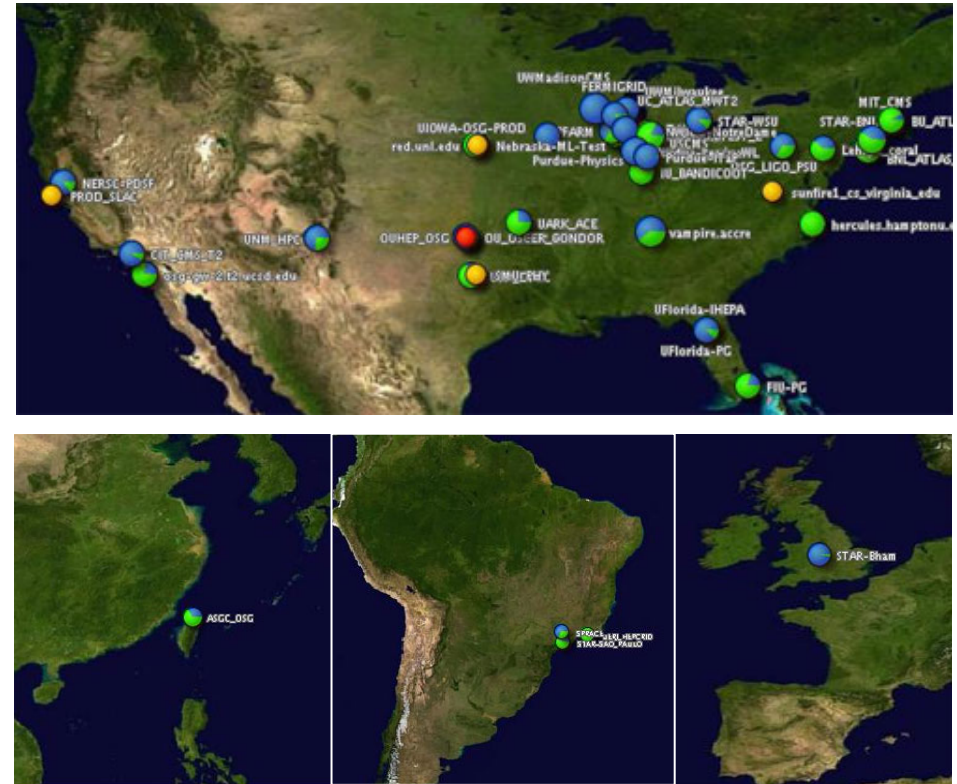




The Open Science Grid...

A distributed computing infrastructure for large-scale scientific research

- Brings petascale computing and storage resources into a uniform grid computing environment
- Integrates computing and storage resources from over 50 sites in the U.S. and beyond





OSG welcomes new members, partners and collaborators.

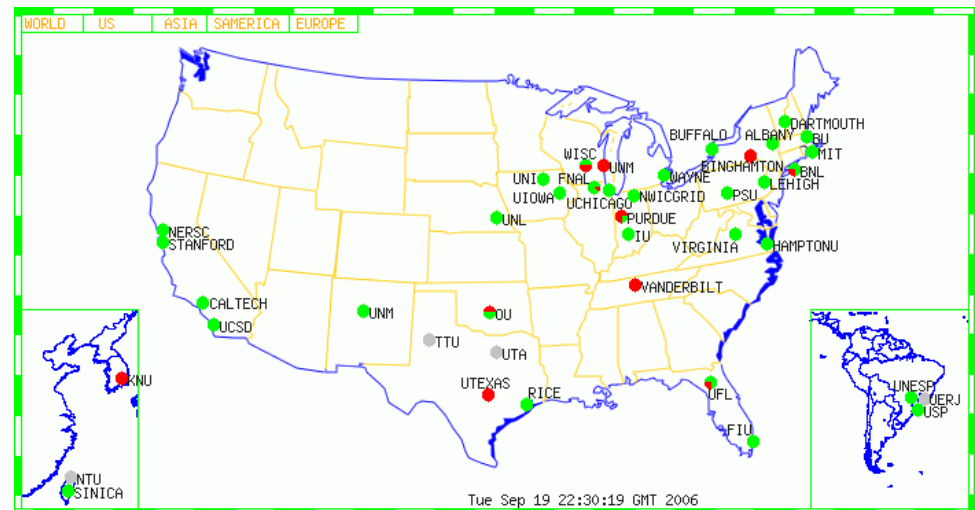
OSG members today represent:

- Universities
- National laboratories and computing centers
- Scientific collaborations
- Grid projects and alliances

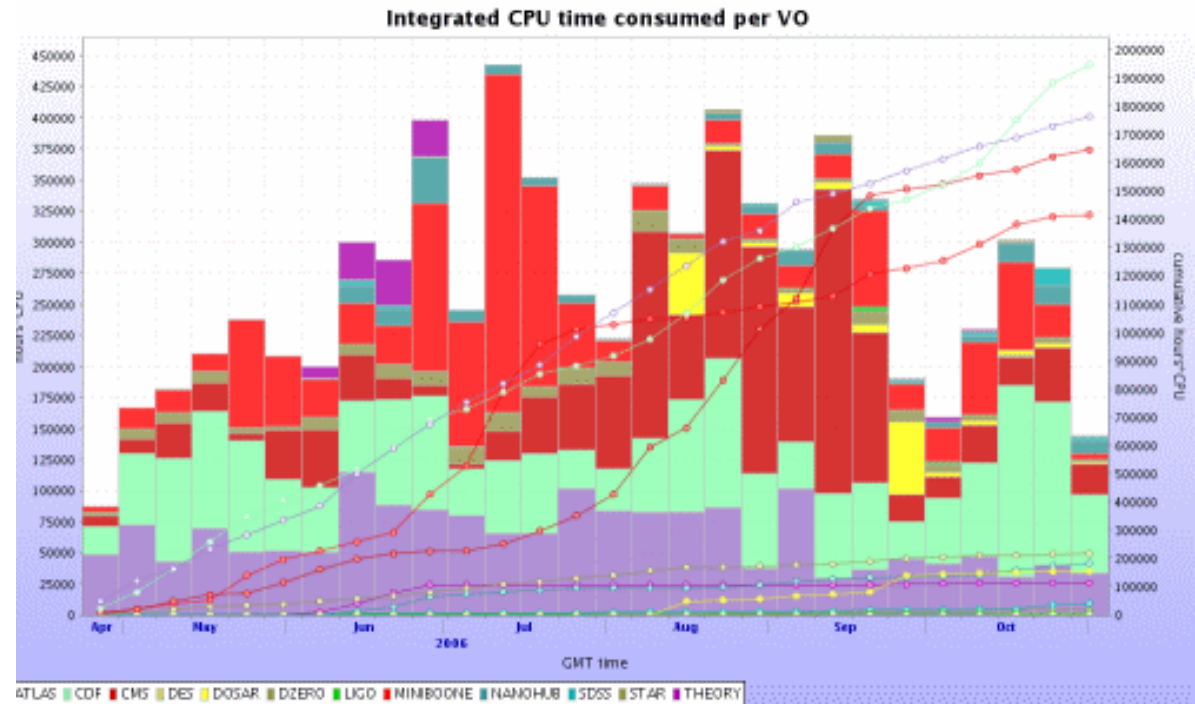
OSG Members



OSG Consortium Meeting, August 2006



OSG users have consumed over seven million hours of CPU time in 2006.



OSG Infrastructure

OSG sites provide computing or storage resources for grid users and a common infrastructure to access these resources.

Applications

Physics

Biology

Computer
science

Nanotech

Math

And more

Persistent Grid Infrastructure

User support center

Middleware providers

Certificate authorities

Service providers

Grid Operations Center

Database operators

Facilities

General
facility
for any
community

Laboratory
serving
multiple
communities

Community
facility

University
facility

Campus and
regional
grids





Using OSG Today

Applications run on the OSG from

- Astrophysics
- Bioinformatics
- Gravitational-wave physics
- Mathematics
- Nanotechnology
- Nuclear and particle physics
- And more...



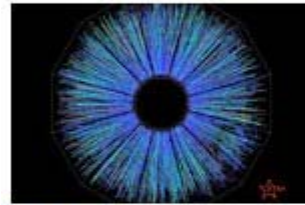
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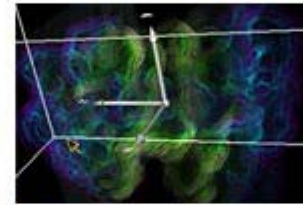
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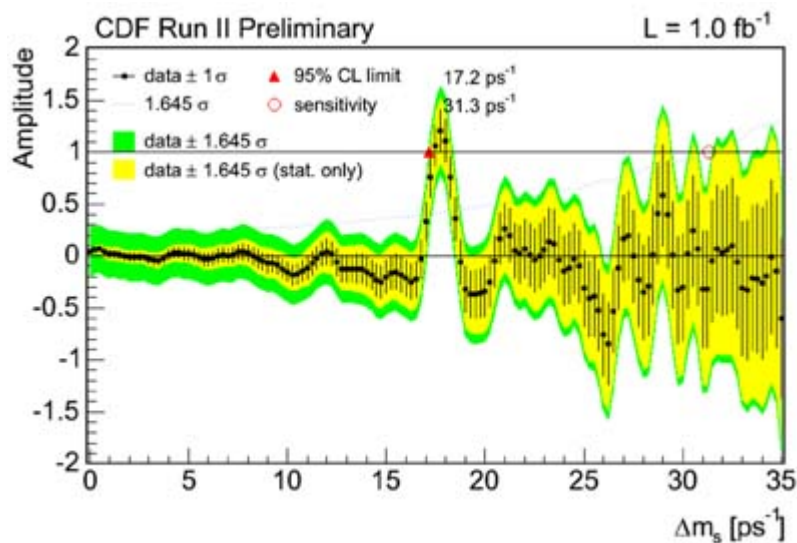
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Used for Particle Physics

The CDF Collaboration

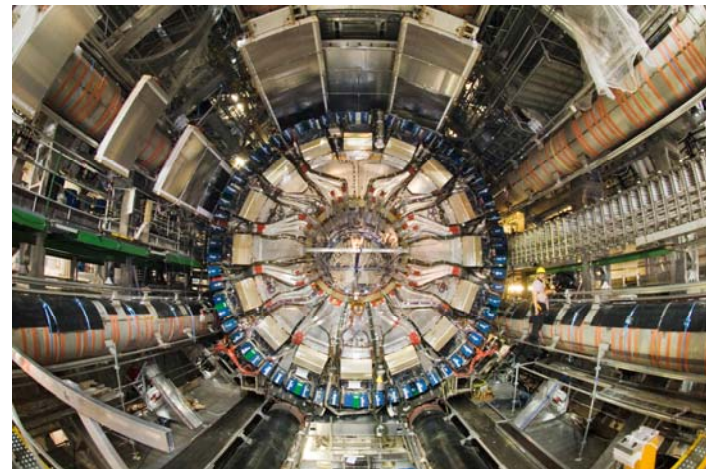
Measuring the B_s meson



A scan through matter - anti-matter oscillation frequencies for the B_s meson.

The ATLAS Collaboration

Will be searching for supersymmetry



Central view of the ATLAS detector with its eight toroids around the calorimeter, before moving it in the middle of the detector. Image © CERN

Used for Math and Biology

Football Pool Problem

Solving a famous problem in mathematical coding theory

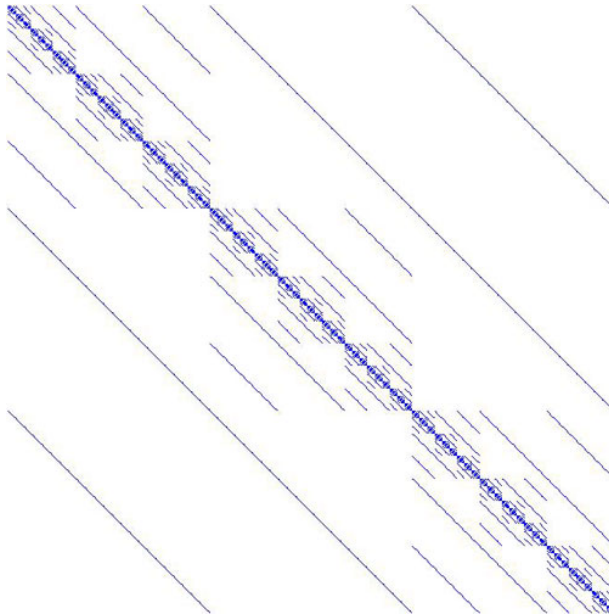
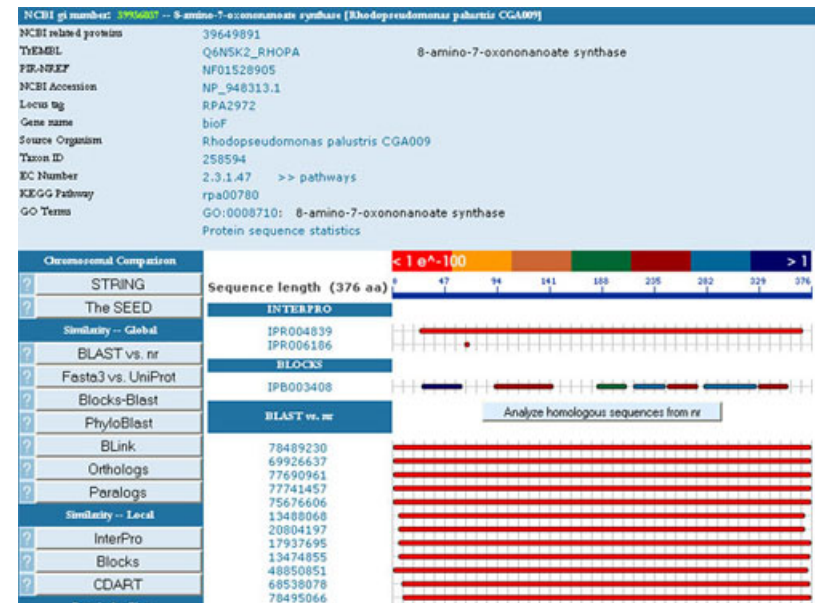


Illustration of the football pool problem. Researchers look for the smallest set of columns of the matrix such that every row is covered by the set of chosen columns.

Genome Analysis and Database Update

Supporting high-throughput genetic sequence analysis



The PUMA2 application uses GADU to provide analysis of protein sequences.

Used for General Relativity

The Laser Interferometer Gravitational-Wave Observatory (LIGO)

- Detecting and measuring cosmic gravitational waves
- Studying general relativity as a manifestation of the curvature of space-time



Hanford, Washington



Livingston, Louisiana

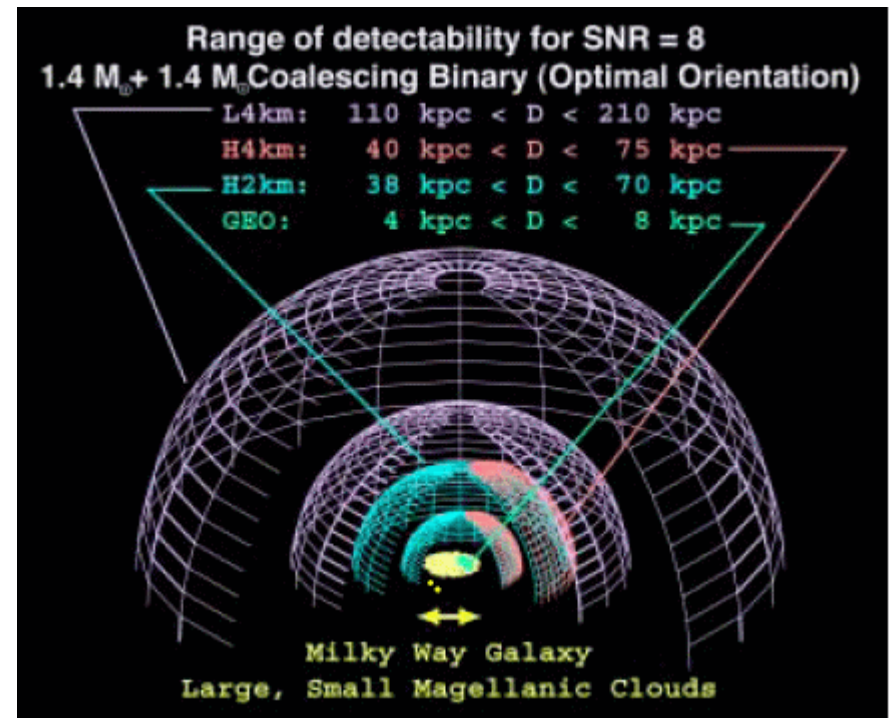


Image illustrates sensitivity to Inspirals.
Image courtesy LIGO

Used for Astronomy

SDSS, the Sloan Digital Sky Survey

Creating detailed optical images covering more than a quarter of the sky, and a 3-D map of about a million galaxies and quasars



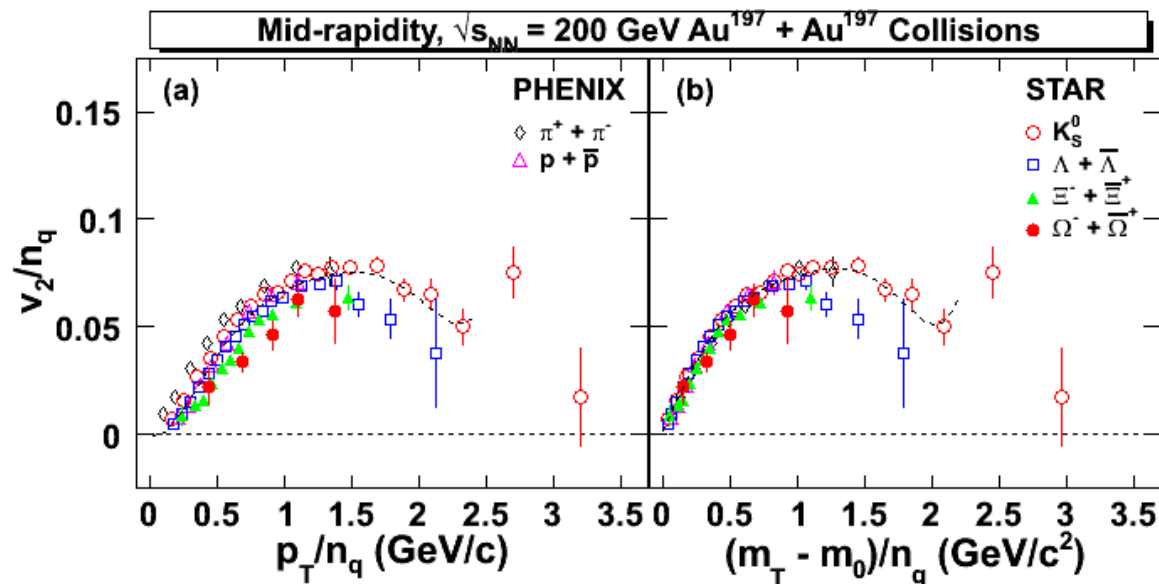
2.5-meter telescope
on Apache Point, NM



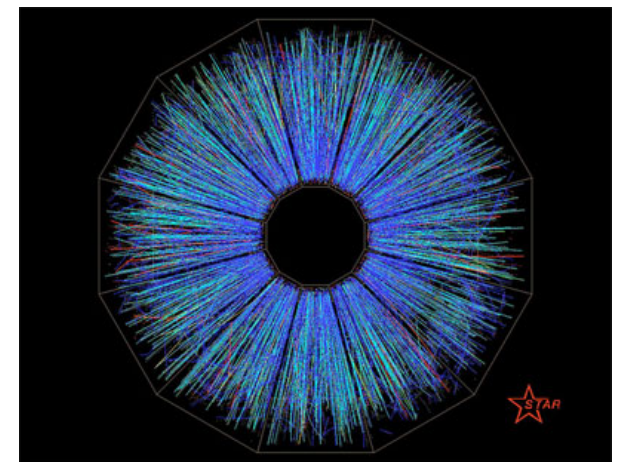
NGC 5257 and 5258, two spiral galaxies in the constellation Virgo, are seen in the midst of a collision that has taken on the order of a billion years. *Image courtesy SDSS*

The STAR Collaboration

Determining the properties of matter
in the early universe



Preliminary STAR result shown at Hard Probes 2006
by Y. Lu, based on analysis of events transferred to
China over the Grid.



Collision of gold beams in
the STAR detector.

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