



# INFN cloud activities for bioinformatics in Italy

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Using clouds and VMs in bioinformatics training  
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# ReCaS-Bari Cloud Infrastructure

The IaaS (Infrastructure as a Service) cloud platform **PRISMA-Cloud@ReCaS**, hosted at the **ReCaS Bari** data center, provides **infrastructural computing resources** following the cloud computing paradigm.

Its main features are:

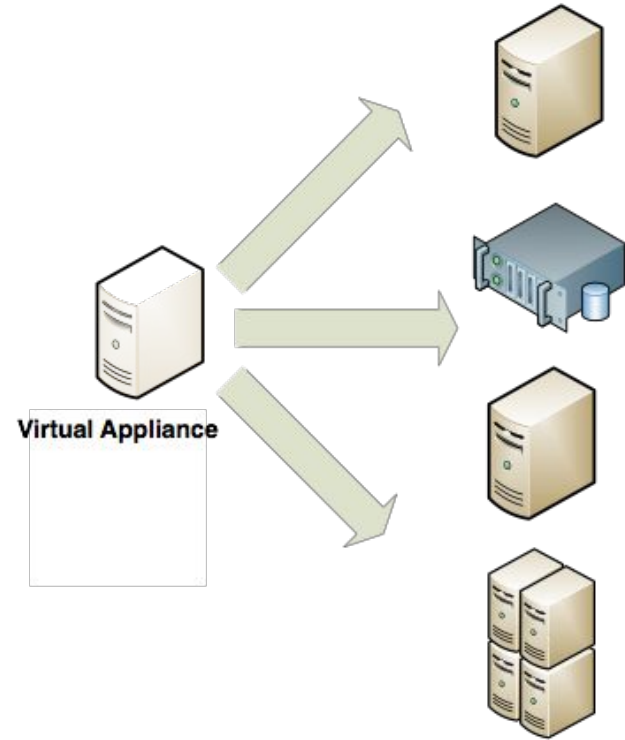
- 1150 CPU core
- 5 TB of RAM
- 10 Gbit/s network
- Layer 2 isolated VLAN with NAT
- Evolved applicative firewall
- 180 TB of replica 3 storage
- Based on OpenStack
- modular
- Highly Available (HA) services

# The IaaS cloud platform @ INFN Bari / UNIBA

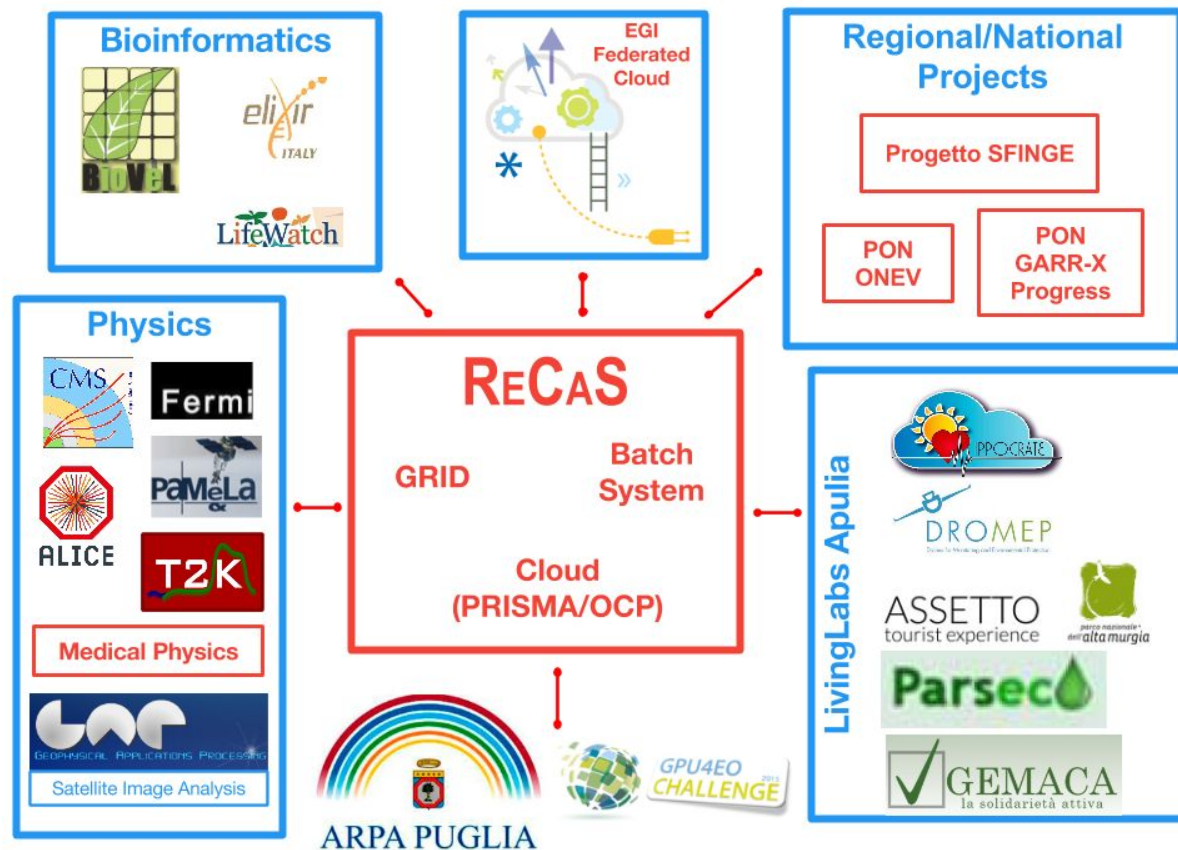
- Resources (instances, or virtual machines, VM) can be used to develop and deploy software systems;
- It is possible to create **resilient systems** with high-availability using multiple instances (together with services provided by the IaaS infrastructure, as load-balancing and auto-scaling)
- Virtual instances are very similar to traditional hardware servers:
  - They use familiar Operating Systems (OS), as Linux, Windows, etc.
  - Any software compatible with the OS can be executed on them
  - Associating a public IP to the VM it is possible to interact with it through standard methods (ssh, RDP,...)

# Image Service and Marketplace

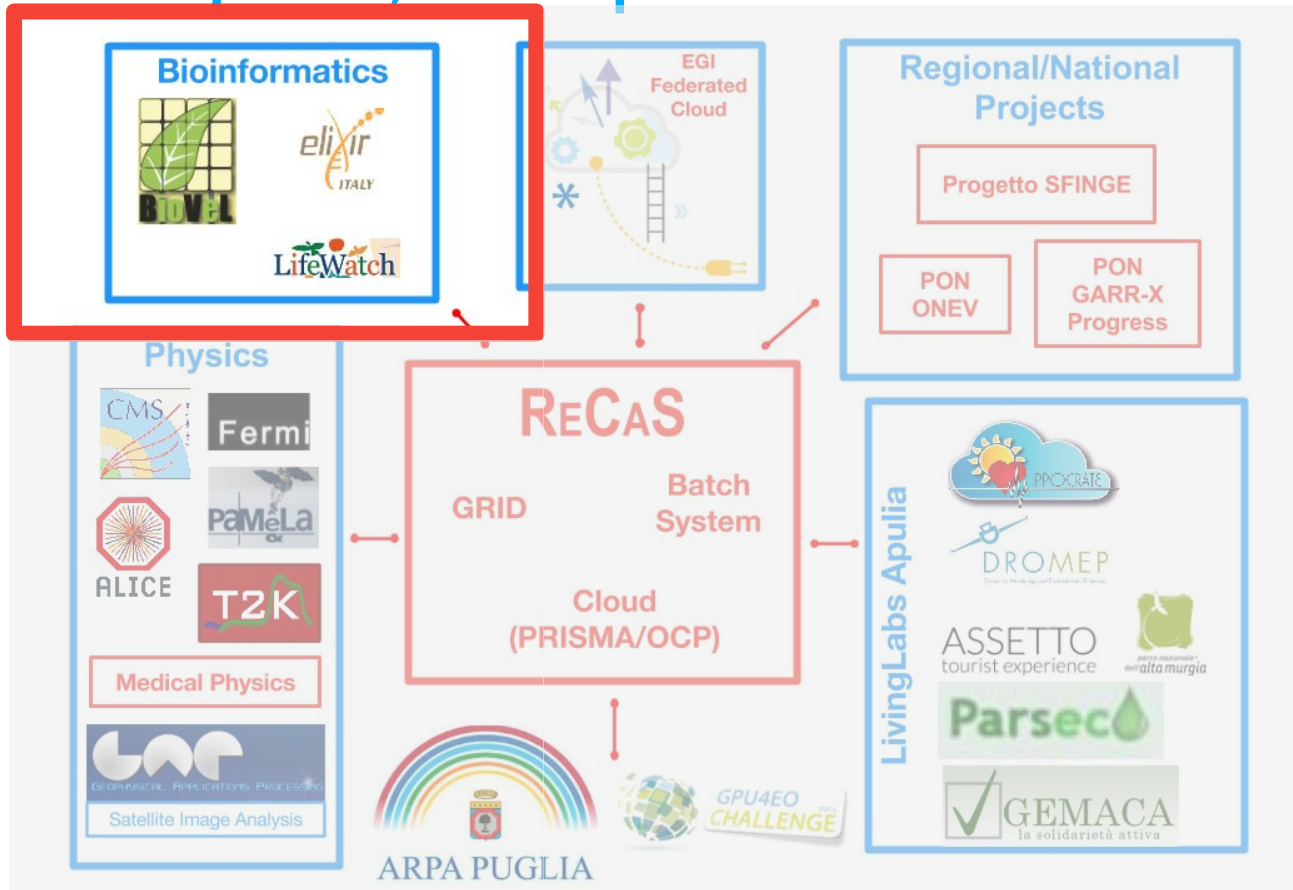
- Pre-configured virtual images (*templates*) can be used to create virtual machines of different kinds (*flavor*) depending on the RAM and CPU required by your application.
- A certain number of templates (software configuration) is already available from the catalog, but the user can upload her/his own (also starting from *snapshots* of her/his own VMs).



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# Why Cloud For Bioinformatics And Training ?

- Easier to deploy common tools (SFTP servers, analysis tools)
- Elasticity and scalability
- Easier to manage and share data
- Easier to adapt infrastructure to needs of classroom (number of users, tools, etc)
- Optimized usage of resources

# Available Tools / Experience For Bioinformatics

## Workflow Management Tools

LONI Pipeline  
Taverna  
Galaxy (web based)

## Analysis Tools

MrBayes, Blast, ITK, FSL, GSNAP,  
BioPython, R ,Tango, Bowtie ...

## Applications

BioMaS (Bioinformatic analysis of metagenomic ampliconS)  
MSA-PAD (Multiple DNA Sequence Alignment framework)

## BioVel portal

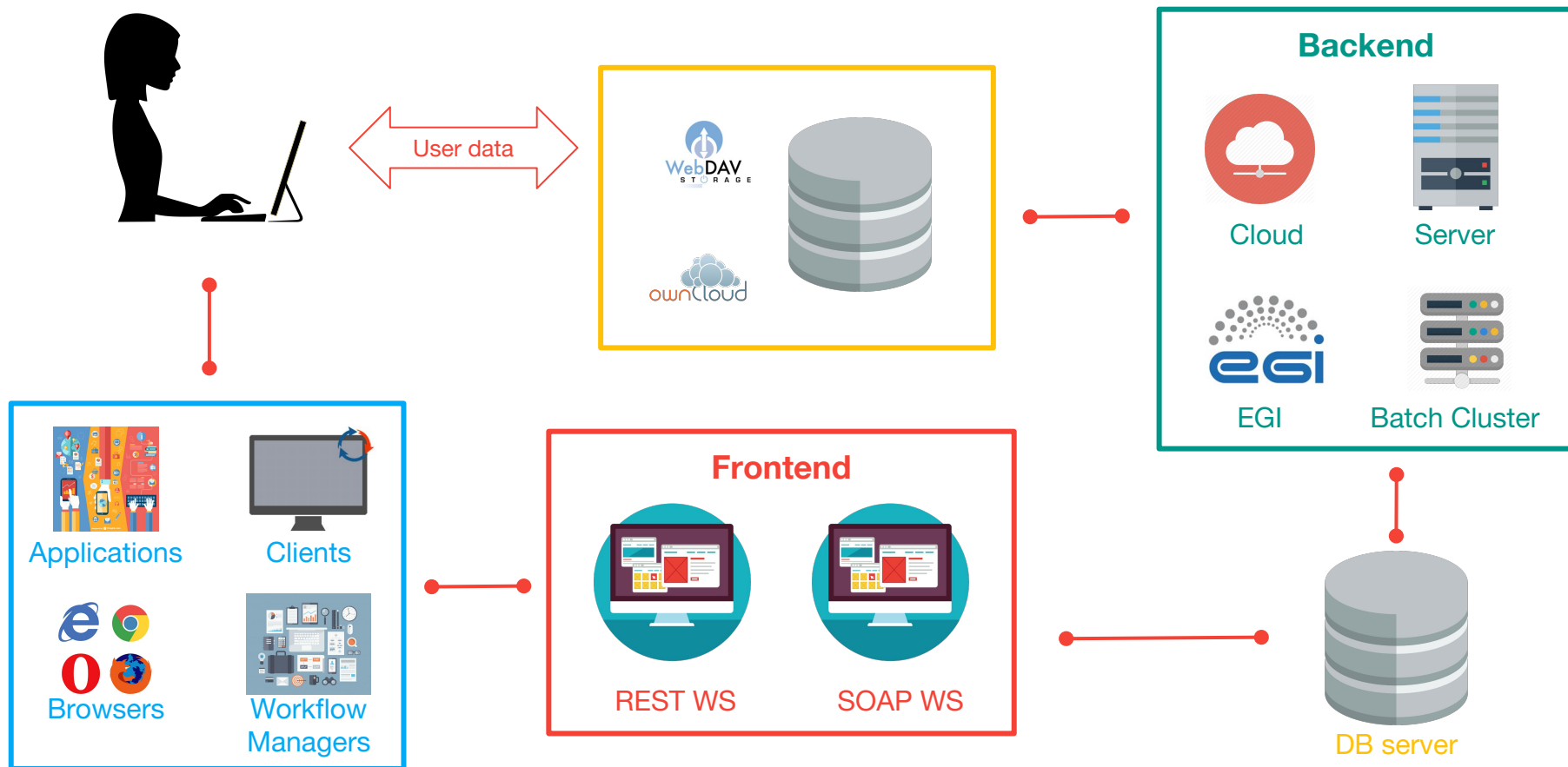
Evolution models  
Phylogenetic Inference  
Metagenomics analysis  
Analysis chains developed by the  
project available for users

## ReCaS Science Gateway

Simple access to grid/cloud  
resources and applications  
(based on Liferay)



# All Governed By the Job Submission Tool (JST)



# Future Perspectives - INDIGO

The European project **INDIGO DataCloud** is developing an open source data and computing platform targeted at scientific communities, deployable on multiple hardware and provisioned over hybrid, private or public, e-infrastructures:

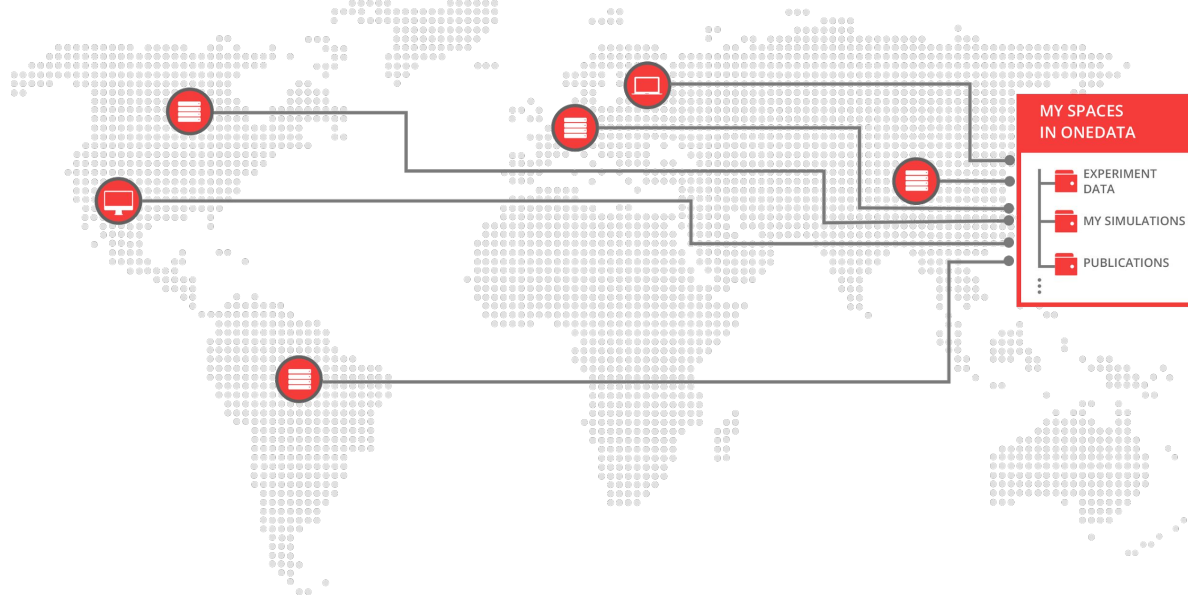
- flexible data sharing across groups & infrastructures
- multiple sources and storage locations
- transparent network interconnections for distributed computing and storage resources
- dynamic and complex workflow management

Among the supported use-case of INDIGO there is an on demand one-click scalable Galaxy installation.

INDIGO is based on Docker, Apache Mesos and OneData to manage data and application in an easy and flexible way

# ONEDATA

Open source storage solution for integrating access to your data from various providers



team can easily share and process data on large scale infrastructures with the desired security level

# People

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Thank you  
for  
your attention

# Links For Demo

[Bio Class Heat template](#)

[Bio Class stack environment](#)

[RStudio class user data](#)

[Docker-Mesos Video](#)

# Backup

# IaaS - Key Elements

Public IaaS

Hybrid for Public Administrations

Private

IaaS Infrastructure

## Security and privacy

Storage encryption

Evolved Firewall and VLAN

Geographic and dynamic VPN

Geographic disaster recovery

## Performance and reliability

Enterprise Open IaaS infrastructure

Integrated multi-level monitoring infrastructure

IaaS services

Continuous management of services

Deduplicated storage

Geographic High Availability for services

## Interoperabilità e federazione

Federation of different IaaS

Federated authentication systems

Interoperability between Open and enterprise platforms (Microsoft/Vmware)

Image repository and advanced contextualization of services

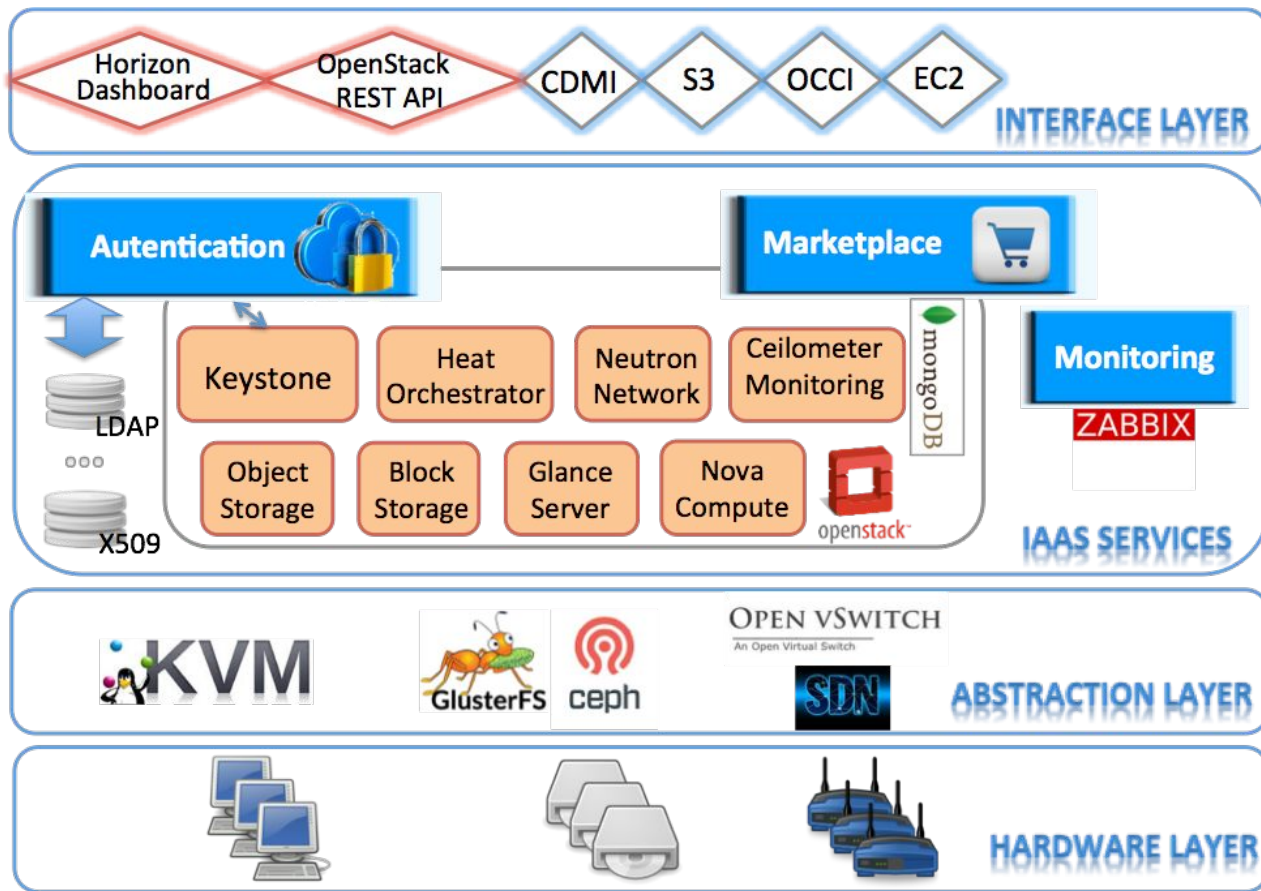
Complex Orchestration of IaaS services

Standard IaaS APIs:  
EC2/S3/OCCI/CDMI





# Logical Architecture



# Physical Architecture

