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# Scientific Computing in Python and Fortran

COMPUTE HT/2022



# About me – Jonas Lindemann

- Programmed Computers since 1980
  - ABC 80 (Swedish school computer)
  - ABC 800/806
  - Texas TI99/4A (Failed 16-bit home computer)
  - Commodore 64/128
  - Commodore Amiga
  - PC
- Worked at the university since 1998
- Graduated as a Civil Engineer
- PhD in Structural Mechanics
- Worked at LUNARC
  - 2004 - Systems engineer
  - 2009 - Technical Director
  - 2012 – Director

”Scientific Computing Nerd”

# Programming languages

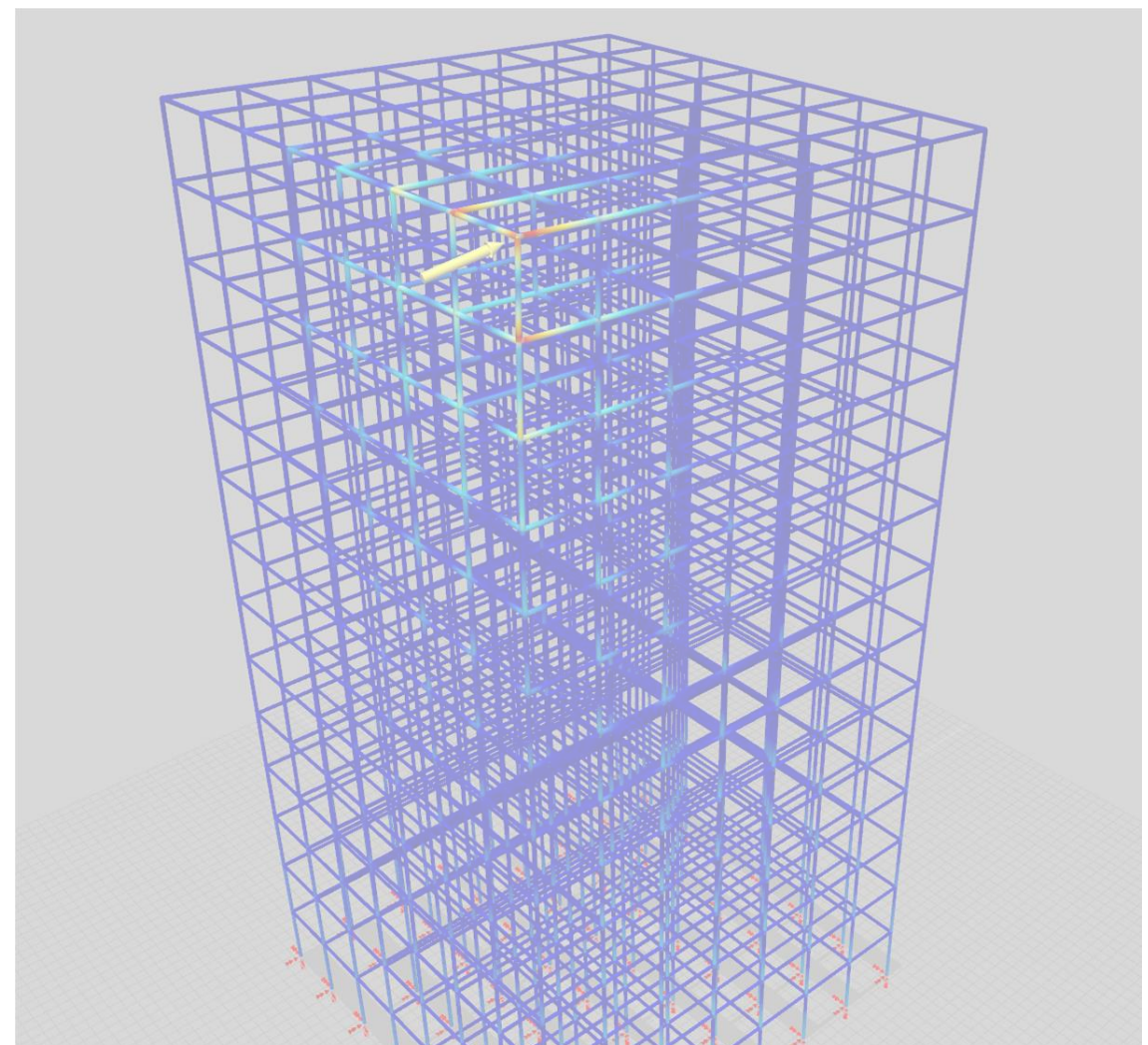
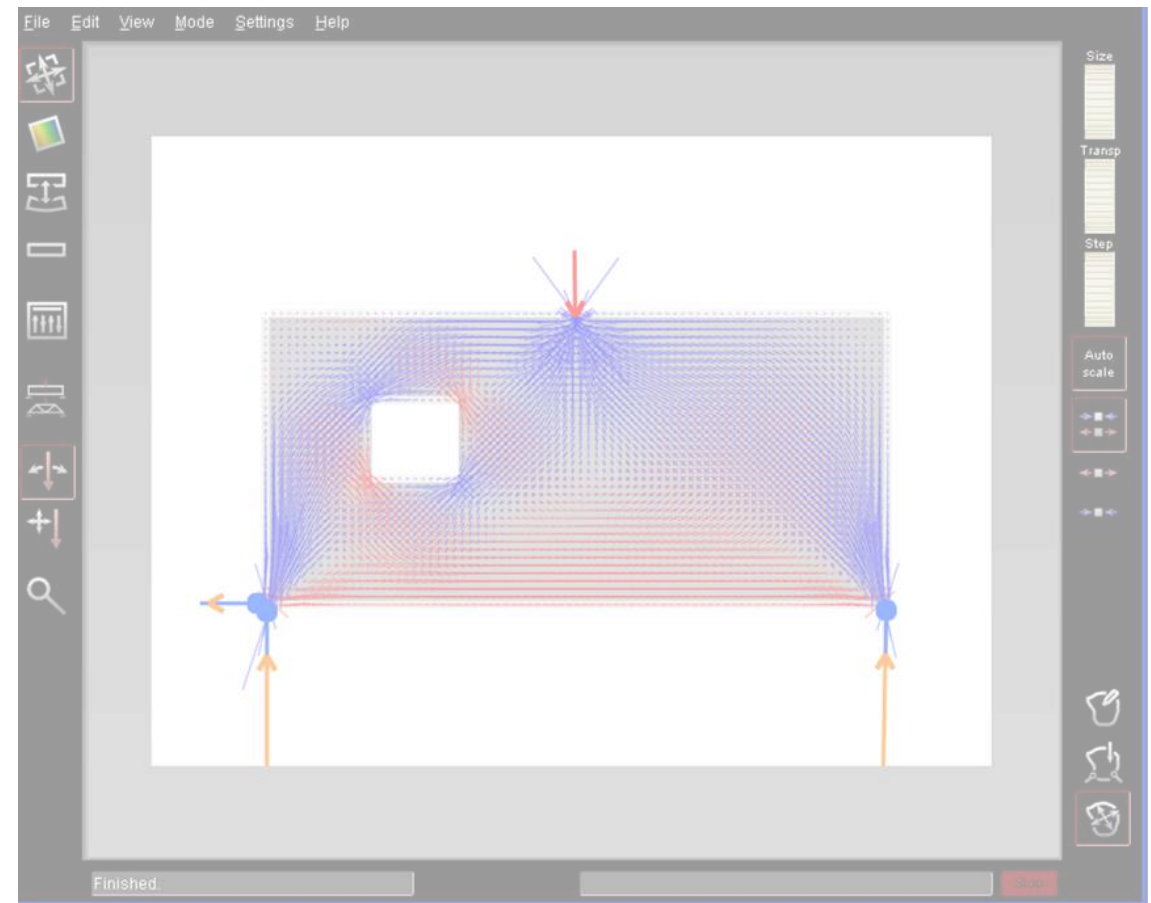
- Object Pascal – Since early 1990.
- C++ - since 1990 and forward.
- Fortran – Since 1998
- Java – Since 2002 (Not fulltime)
- Python 2.x and 3.x since 2003
- Processing
- Javascript





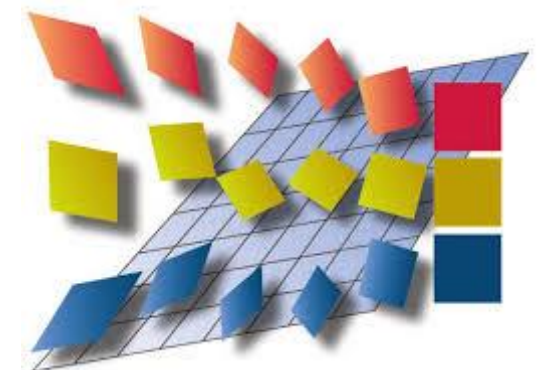
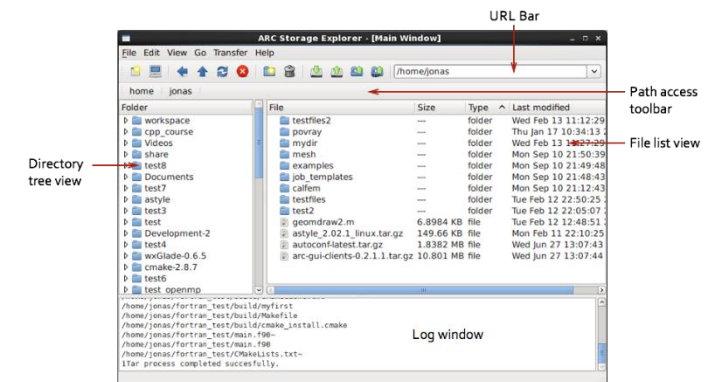
# Developed software / libraries

- ForcePAD and ForcePAD/R educational software,  
<https://github.com/jonaslindemann/forcepad>, Division of Structural Mechanics, Lund University, 2005-
- ObjectiveFrame educational software,  
<https://github.com/jonaslindemann/objectiveframe>, Division of Structural Mechanics, Lund University, 2005
- Fortran Interface Wizard – Pascal / Fortran interface generator,  
<http://www.byggmek.lth.se/resources/fiwizard/fiwizard.htm>, Division of Structural Mechanics, Lund University, 2005
- Interactive Visualisation Framework Ivf++ - OpenGL based visualisation library,  
<https://github.com/jonaslindemann/ivfplusplus>, Division of Structural Mechanics, Lund University, 2005



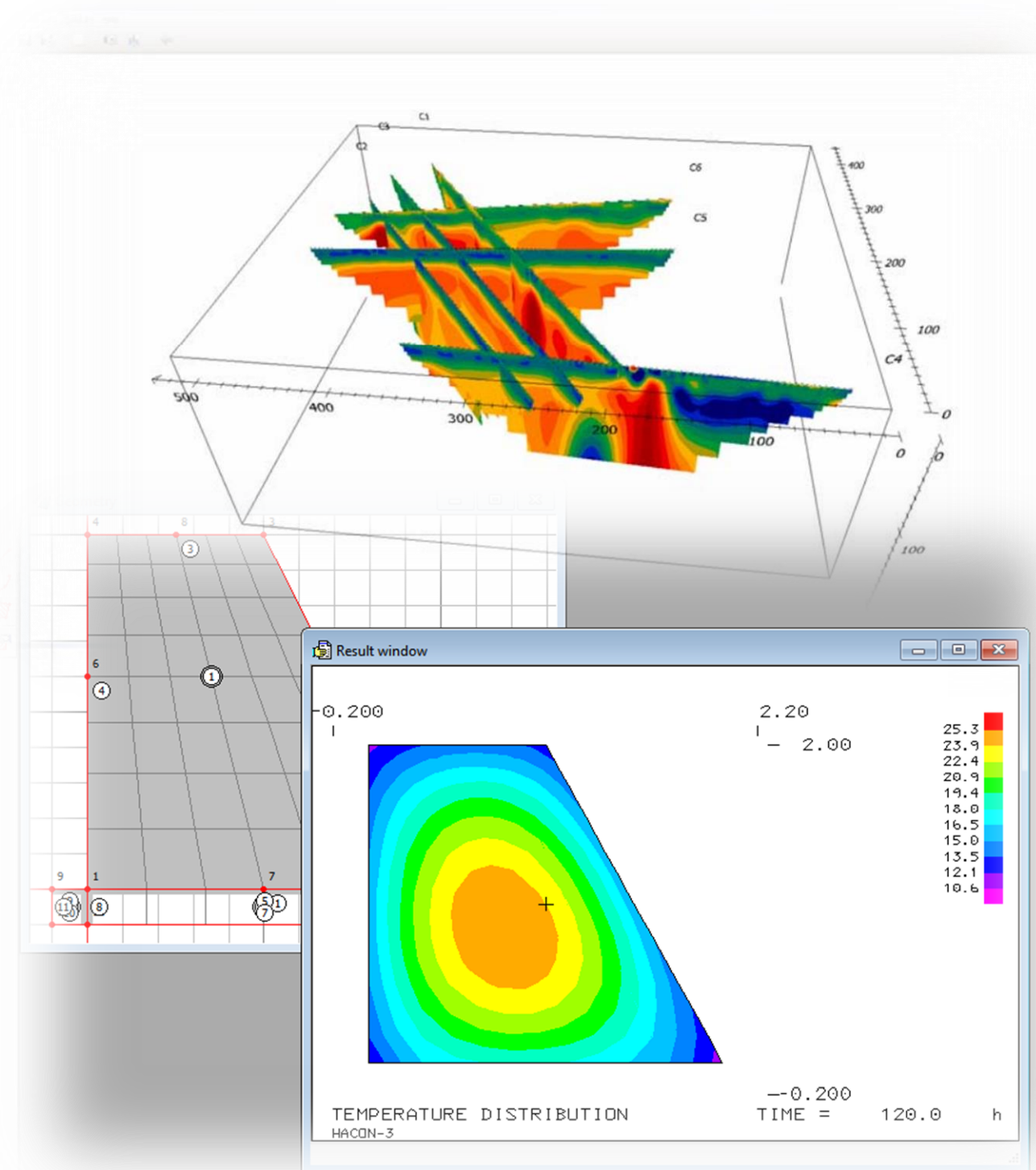
# Developed software / libraries

- CALFEM - A Finite Element Toolbox, version 3.4, <https://github.com/CALFEM>, Division of Structural Mechanics and Solid Mechanics, 2005
- Lunarc Application Portal, <https://github.com/lunarc/laportal>, Lunarc, Lund University, 2003-
- FreeDev – A development environment for Python/Fortran integration, Division of Structural Mechanics, Lund University, 2005-
- ARC Graphical Clients, <https://github.com/jonaslindemann/arc-gui-clients>, Lunarc, Lund University, 2010-
- Python implementation of CALFEM, <https://github.com/CALFEM/calfem-python>, Division of Structural Mechanics, Lund University, 2009-



# Developed software / libraries

- **EriViz – Application for viewing pseudo section in 3D**, Zoom Media, 2010
- **GfxLauncher – An Interactive application launcher for SLURM**, Lunarc, 2015-
- **ml-browser – An interactive module browser for LMOD**, Lunarc, 2019-
- **Hacon – Simulation software for hardening Concrete**, Division of Structural Mechanics, 1997-





# Developed software / libraries

- **Qt Creator Fortran Extensions**,  
<https://github.com/jonaslindemann/qtcreator-fortran>, Lunarc, 2019-
- **SteadyPitch – Pitch application for iPhone**,  
Zoom Media, 2015
- **MxDisplay – Software for electronic display for use in Motocross**, Open Source, 2018
- **Weather station with Particle IoT integrating with Google services**, 2020
- **CadCanvas – Delphi components for generating CAD drawings**, Zoom Media, 2012
- **eTool – A Java application for lamination simulation for TetraPak**, Division of Structural Mechanics, 2009



# Course modules

- Introduction to Python
  - Matrix computing with Python
  - Plotting with Matplotlib
  - Built-in functions and I/O
  - Object-oriented programming in Python
  - Data processing and visualisation
  - User interfaces in Qt
  - Fortran
  - Mixed Language Programming
- Short assignments for each module
  - Project assignment at the end
    - PhD related or given
  - Lectures Mondays, see Canvas
  - Tutorials Thursdays, see Canvas



# Course administration

- All course communication through Canvas
- Assignments turned in through Canvas
- I will try to answer comments through Canvas as soon as possible

# Course literature

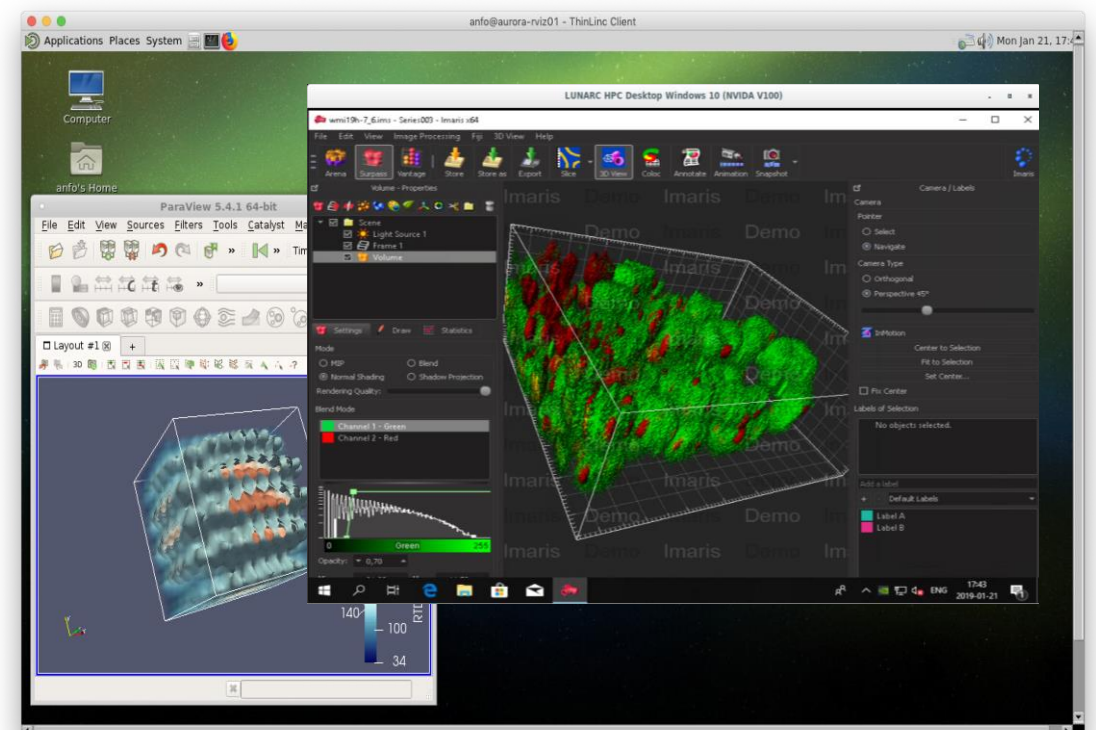
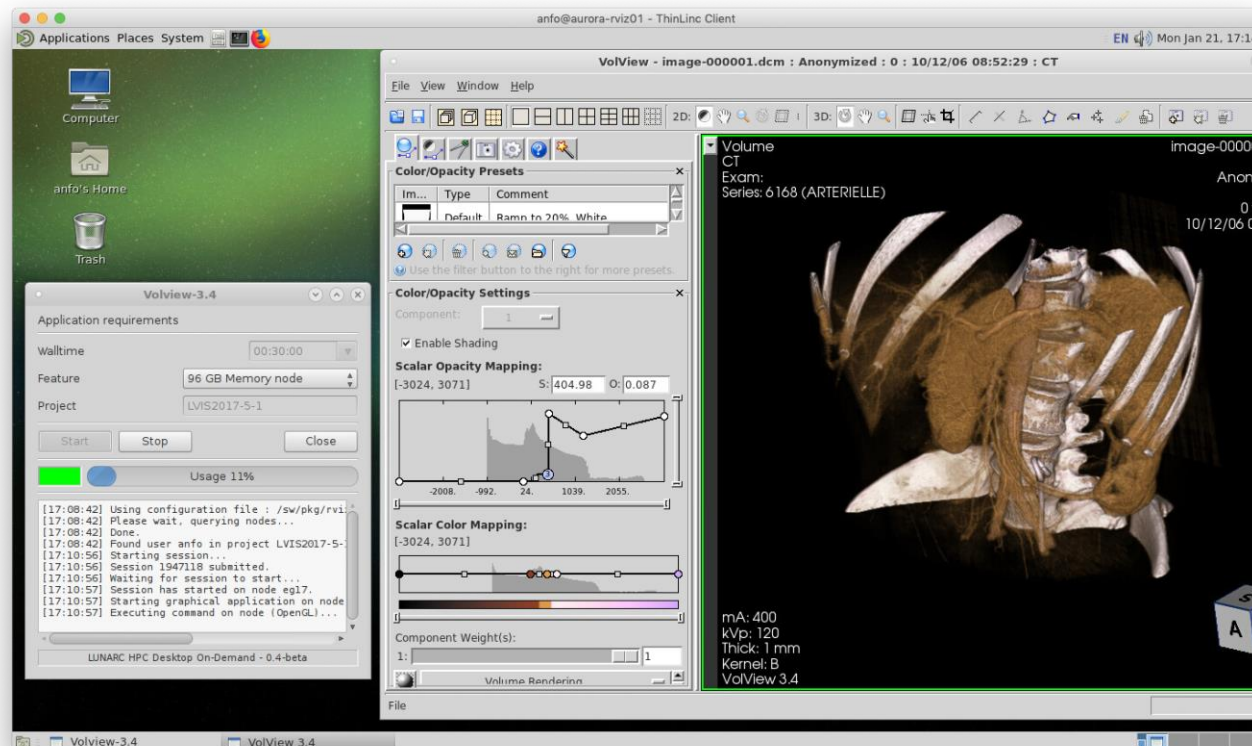
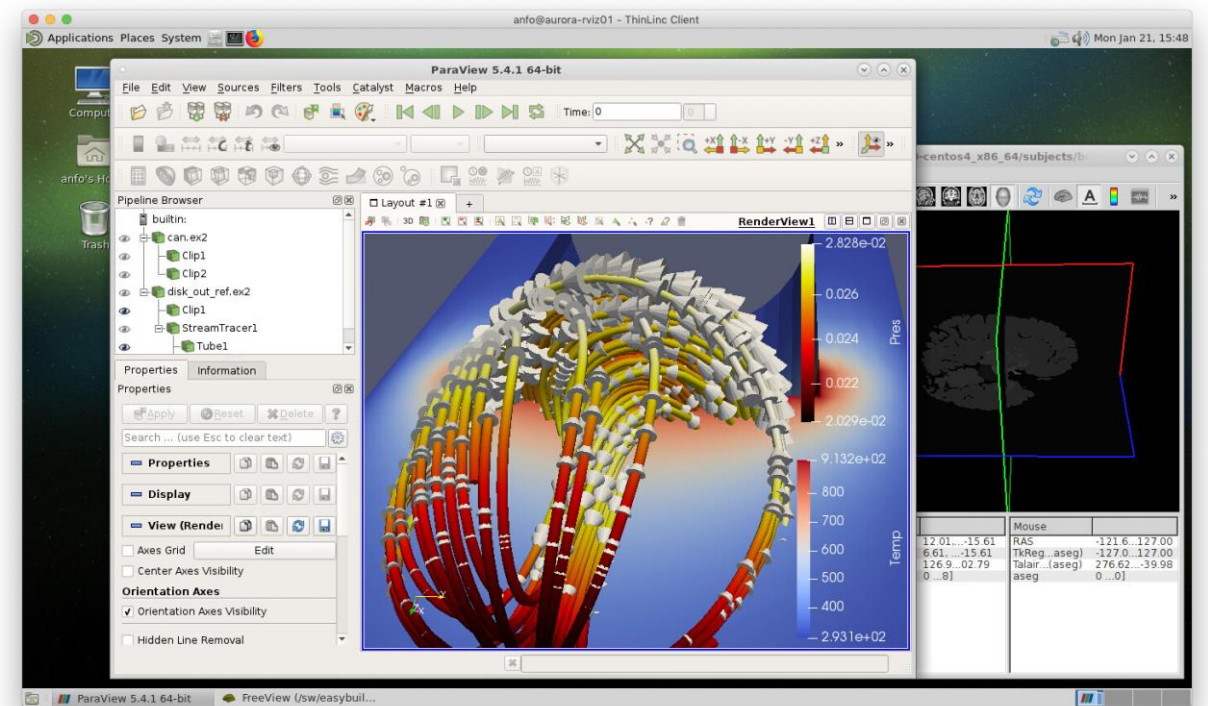
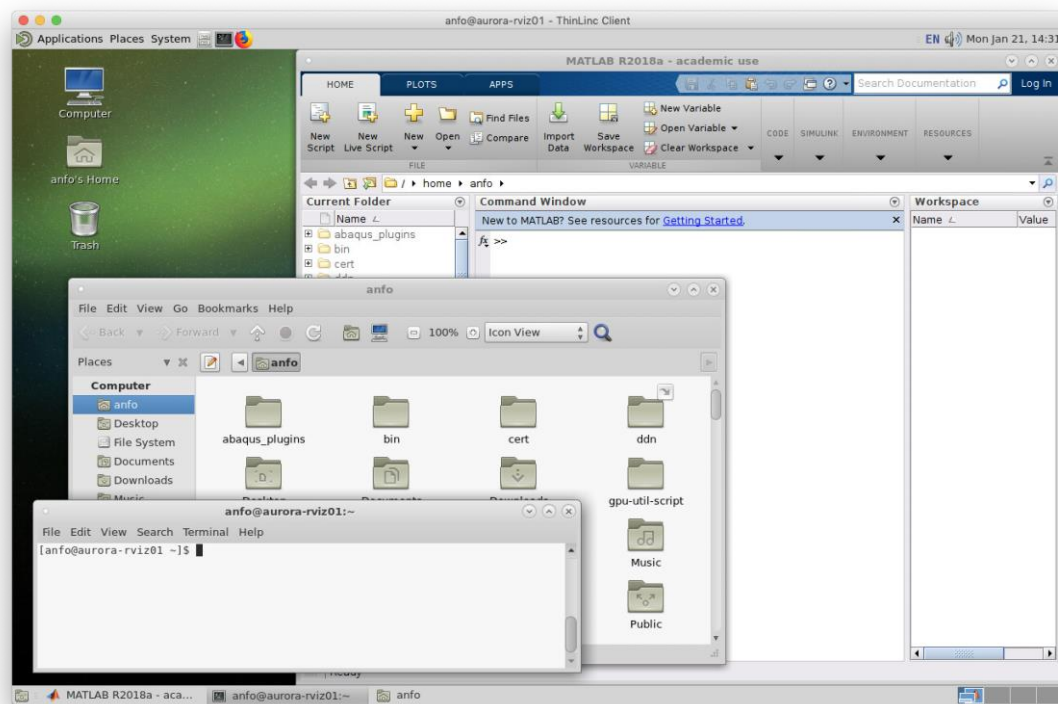
- Web based material
  - [How To Think Like a Computer Scientist \(Links to an external site.\)](#)
  - [Kurs i Python \(Links to an external site.\)](#)
  - [Numpy guide](#)
- Books
  - [Ingenjörens Guide till Python, Jonas Lindemann, Studentlitteratur \(Links to an external site.\) \(Links to an external site.\)](#)
  - [Learning Python \(Links to an external site.\)](#), Mark Lutz, David Ascher, O'Reilly
  - [Programming Python Second Edition \(Links to an external site.\)](#), Mark Lutz, O'Reilly
  - [Python Scripting for Computational Science \(Links to an external site.\)](#), Langtangen, Hans P, Springer



# LUNARC

- Center for Scientific and Technical Computing
- High Performance Computing (HPC) resources at LU
- Training and education in using HPC resources
- Environment for performing scientific computing
  - Interactive HPC environment with hardware accelerated graphics
  - 300 computing nodes for running scientific codes
  - ~700 software scientific packages available
- For more information see
  - [www.lunarc.lu.se](http://www.lunarc.lu.se)

# LUNARC HPC Desktop







# SETTING UP A PYTHON ENVIRONMENT



# Installing Anaconda Python



# Installing Anaconda

- Anaconda Python is prepackaged Python distribution for Scientific Computing
- Download from <https://www.anaconda.com>
- **Windows:** Creates shortcuts for starting an Anaconda Prompt on Windows. "Anaconda Prompt"
- **macOS:** Modifies environment to replace the default Python with Anaconda Python-environment.
- **Linux:** Modifies environment to replace the default Python with Anaconda Python-environment.

# Different ways of running Python

```
Miniconda3 Prompt

(base) C:\Users\jonas>python -V
Python 3.9.12

(base) C:\Users\jonas>python -VV
Python 3.9.12 (main, Apr 4 2022, 05:22:27) [MSC v.1916 64 bit (AMD64)]

(base) C:\Users\jonas>
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Python

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Spyder (Python 3.10)
File Edit Search Source Run Debug Consoles Projects Tools View Help

...
examples > ex_beam2.py > ...
1  # -*- coding: utf-8 -*-
2  #
3  # example exs6
4  # -----
5  # PURPOSE
6  #   Analysis of a pla
7  # -----
8
9  # REFERENCES
10 #   Göran Sandberg 9
11 #   Karl-Gunnar Olss
12 #   Anders Olsson 99
```

Colab Notebooks - Google Drive x Introduction to Python - English x

https://colab.research.google.com/drive/11IGeQcQYQyp5I0njfailwpwV-Zs-gkRP

Introduction to Python - English ☆

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## Language history

- Created by Guido van Rossum in 1991
- Wanted a language that supported code readability, to be able to write large applications in checkpoints

## Language features