

Computing Overview





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Jefferson Lab Agenda

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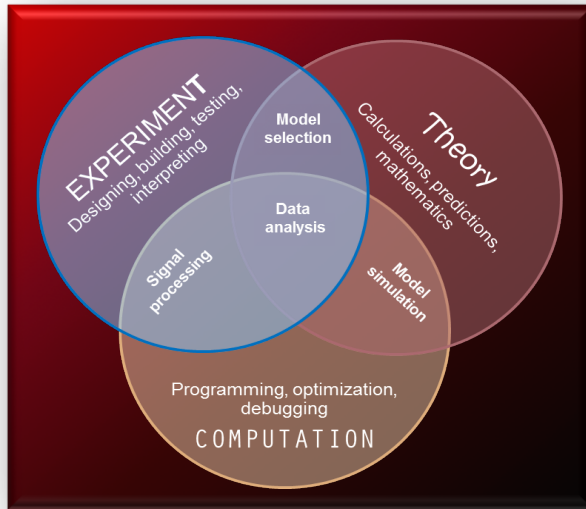
Experimental Physics

- CEBAF
 - Starting 12 GeV Era
 - Four Halls (reference agenda) slide
 - Summary of document to DOE—use of offsite resources and status
 - Approved experiments timeline
 - Ramping up weeks of running to 34-37weeks/year
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 - Reference Graham's resource talk

IT Overview/Resources

- Summary of responsibilities
- Quick overview of resources—reference Chip/Sandy talks

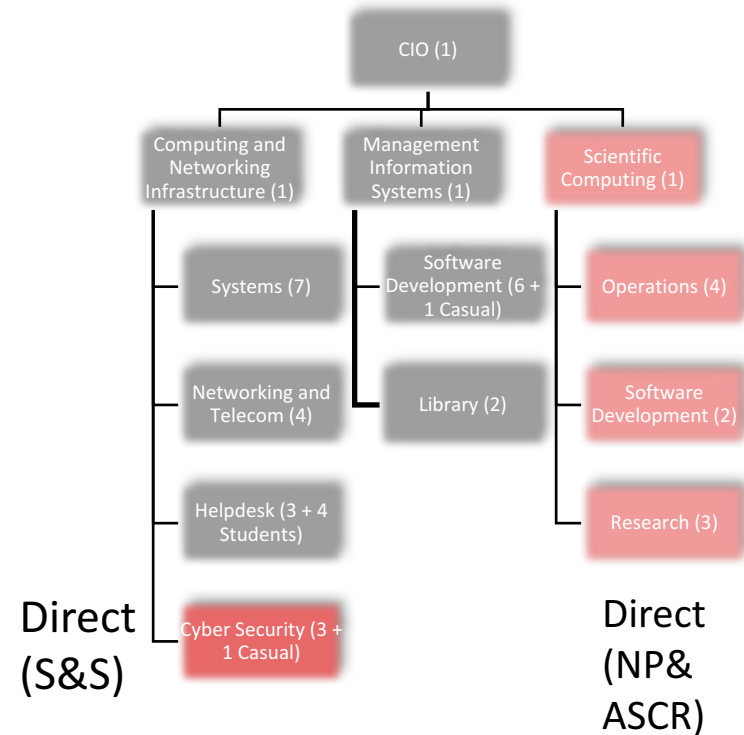
Resources



Software & Computing Effort (EXP)				
(FTEs)				
	DAQ	Halls	IT	Total
Online	2.3	7.5	0	9.8
Offline	0.7	10.5	5	16.2
Total	3	18	5	26





Staff is CS professionals, computational scientists and physicists at different career levels

EXP effort is self-reported



Software & Computing Effort (LQCD)			
(FTEs)			
	FY17	FY18	FY19
SciDAC-3	1.8	0.5	0
SciDAC-4	0	0.6	0.6
ECP	2	3	3
LQCD-HW	2.9	2.3	2.3
Total	6.7	6.4	5.9

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Grand Challenge and Gaps

- Overview of Grand Challenge
- Reference talks about Gaps.

Experimental Computing Performance Plan

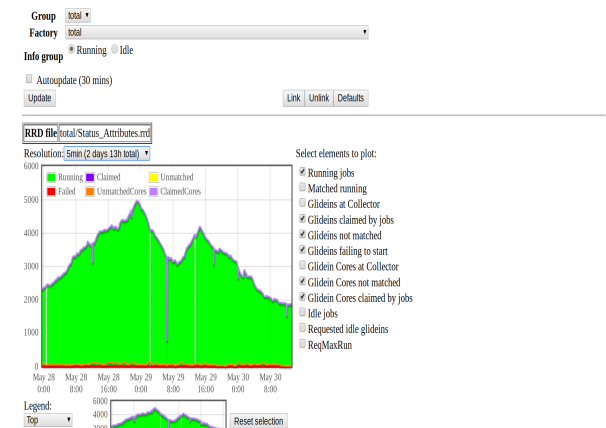
- Insure adequate computing resources with \$XXXK investment
 - Use local farm for reconstruction, calibration and analysis
 - Use distributed resources for MC
 - Storage and associated bandwidth scaled to support all resources
- Open Science Grid
 - GlueX -6 institutions contribute resources
 - In a recent 2 week period ~1M core-hours
 - Expect yearly 35M-50M core-hours
 - Investigating options for CLAS12
- GlueX reconstruction code at NERSC
 - Scale test in July
 - Anticipate 70M core-hours/year
- Cloud Computing available for bursts

	Current	FY19	FY20
CPU (M-core-hours/year)	37	70	90
Scratch Disk & Cache Disk (PB)	0.65	1.1	2
Tape (GB/s)	3	5	7
WAN bandwidth (Gbps)	10	10	10

Current and Projected Capacity

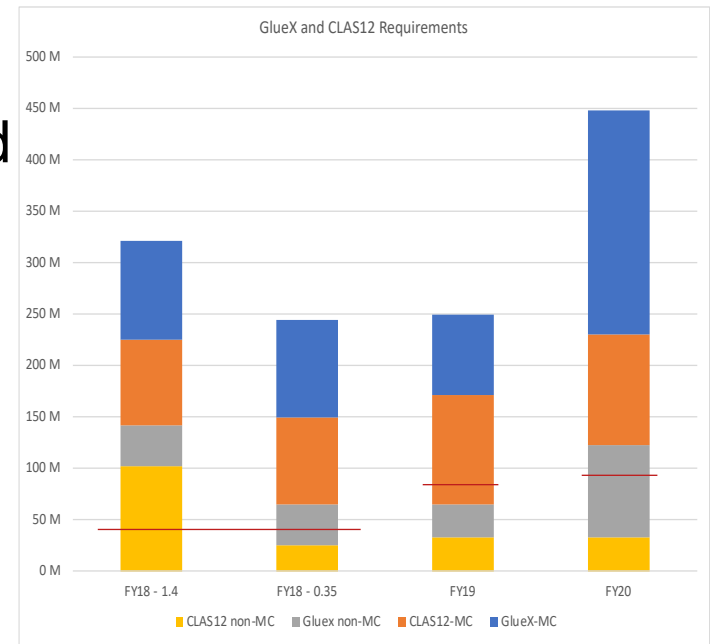
VO frontend status - GlueXVO-1_0

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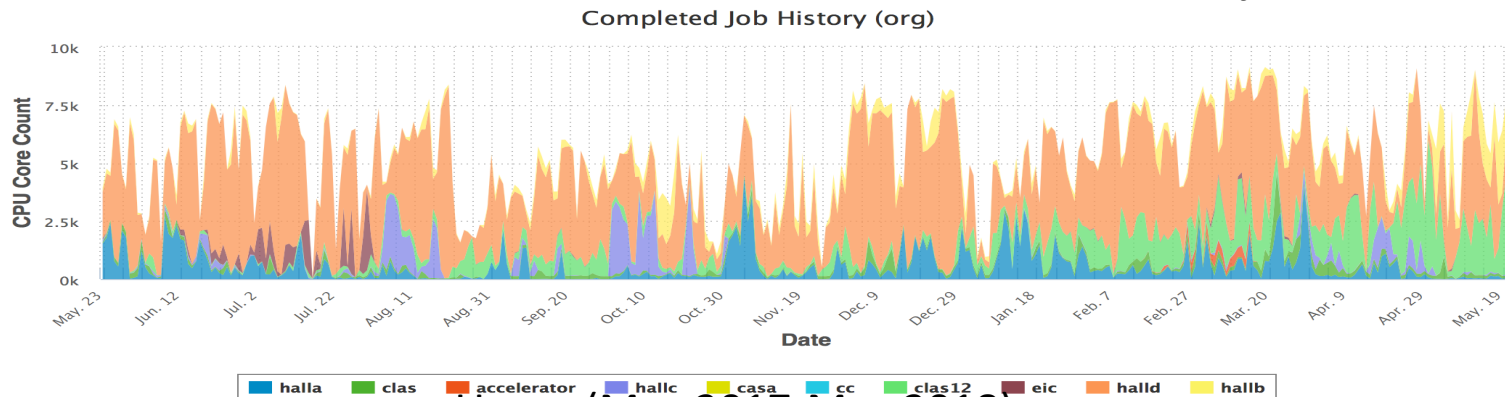


Experimental Computing Performance Plan

- Received recommendations to assess computing needs for Experimental and Theory programs
- Experimental program
 - Local resources at ‘Shutdown’ level
 - Investment needed
 - Spreadsheet Model projections
 - key parameters benchmarked against actual performance
 - Construct run scenarios



Projections



Summary – Computing

- Computing provisioning meets the needs of the Facility
- Experimental Computing
 - Investment in FY18 & FY19 will support local data processing
 - Success with using Open Science Grid at GlueX institutions gives credibility to using distributed computing for Monte Carlo Production
- The significant needs for theoretical analyses of experimental data are emerging
 - Computationally, current needs are met with local resources and cloud computing
 - This emerging area is defining a collaborative computing strategy for the future

Recommendations from 2016 Review
