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# **ENABLING ADVANCED NETWORK AND INFRASTRUCTURE ALARMS**

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# Worldwide LHC Computing Grid (WLCG)

42  
countries

12 000  
physicists

170 sites

1.5 million  
computer  
cores



# Existing solution

## perfSONAR

**performance Service-Oriented Network monitoring ARchitecture**

a network measurement toolkit designed to provide federated coverage of paths and help to establish end-to-end usage expectations



**elastic**

a distributed, RESTful search and analytics engine capable of addressing a growing number of use cases. It centrally stores the data for lightning fast search, fine-tuned relevancy, and powerful analytics that scale with ease.

ps\_trace

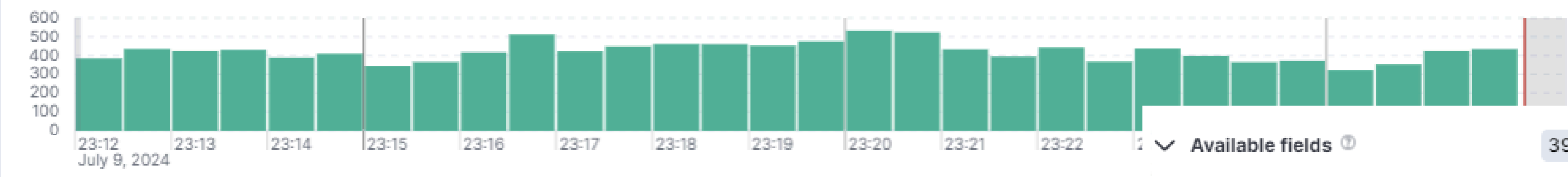
Filter your data using KQL syntax

Last 15 minutes

Search field names

12,705 hits Break down by Select field

- Popular fields 10
  - push
  - hops
  - n\_hops
  - \_index
  - pipeline delay
  - route-sha1
  - src\_host
  - src
  - dest\_host
  - ttls



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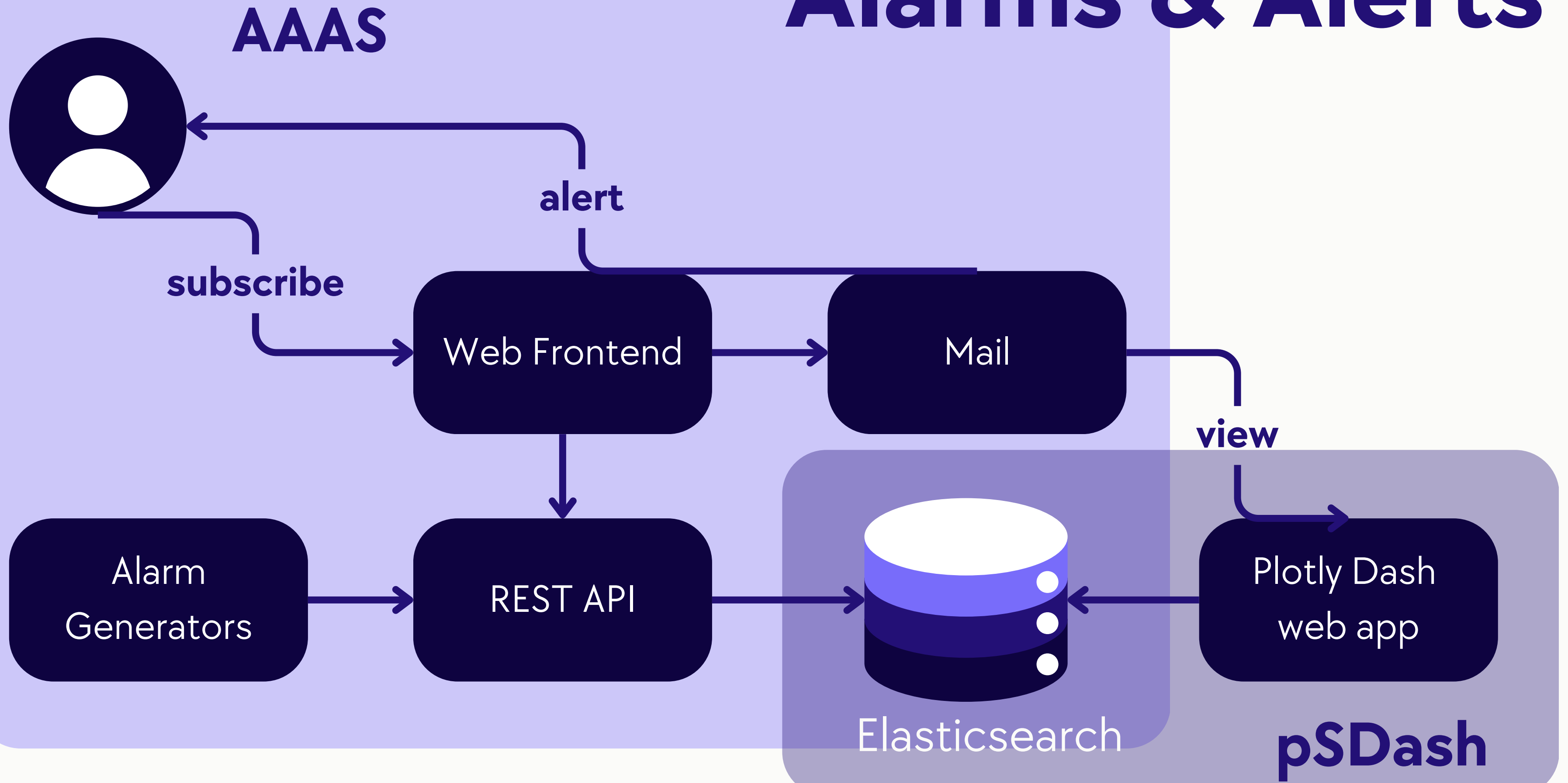
Documents Field statistics

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- Available fields 39
  - @timestamp
  - @version
  - asns
  - created\_at
  - dest
  - dest\_host
  - dest\_netsite
  - dest\_production
  - dest\_rcsite
  - dest\_site
  - dest\_VO
  - destination\_reached
  - destination.ipv4
  - destination.ipv6
  - hops

# Alarms & Alerts



# Bandwidth decreased

perfSONAR Toolkit Information

Kibana: Packet Loss in OSG/WLCG

Kibana: Packet Loss Tracking

MEPHi Tracer: Traceroute explorer

Alarms description

ps dash

SITES OVERVIEW

SEARCH ALARMS

EXPLORE PATHS

## DESCRIPTION

BANDWIDTH DECREASED  
FROM/TO MULTIPLE SITES

2023-01-12 04:08

### Summary

Bandwidth decreased for the ipv6 links between site BEIJING-LCG2 to sites: GRIF-IRFU | IN2P3-LPSC | PRAGUELCG2 change in percentages: -90 | -78 | -96; and from sites: FZK-LCG2 | IN2P3-LAPP | JINR-LCG2 | NDGF-T1 | SARA-MATRIX | UAM-LCG2 | UKI-SOUTHGRID-OX-HEP, change in percentages: -92 | -75 | -100 | -64 | -75 | -91 | -100 with respect to the 21-day average.

Site BEIJING-LCG2 takes part in the following alarms in the period 24h prior and up to 24h after the current alarm end (2023-01-12 04:08)

| Bandwidth decreased: 12 | High packet loss: 1 |

BEIJING-LCG2 to GRIF-IRFU

BEIJING-LCG2 to IN2P3-LPSC

BEIJING-LCG2 to PRAGUELCG2

FZK-LCG2 to BEIJING-LCG2

## DETAILS & VISUALIZATIONS

Source

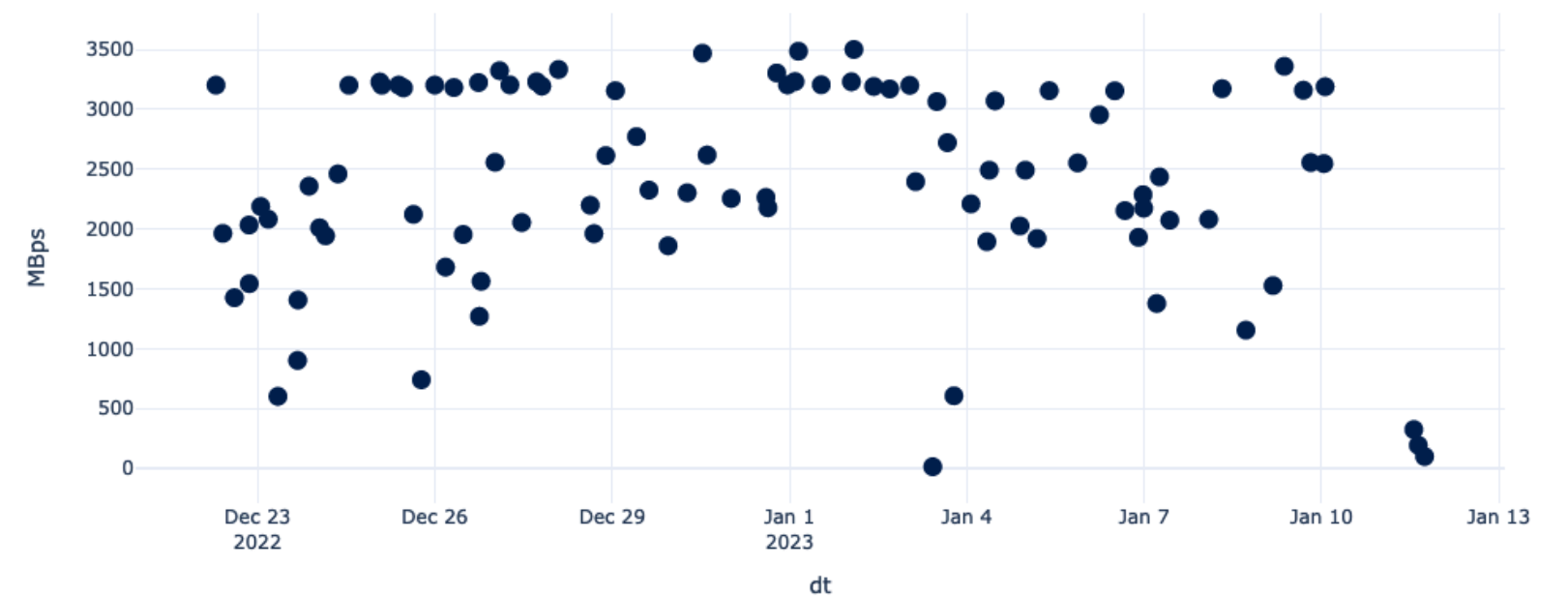
FZK-LCG2

Destination

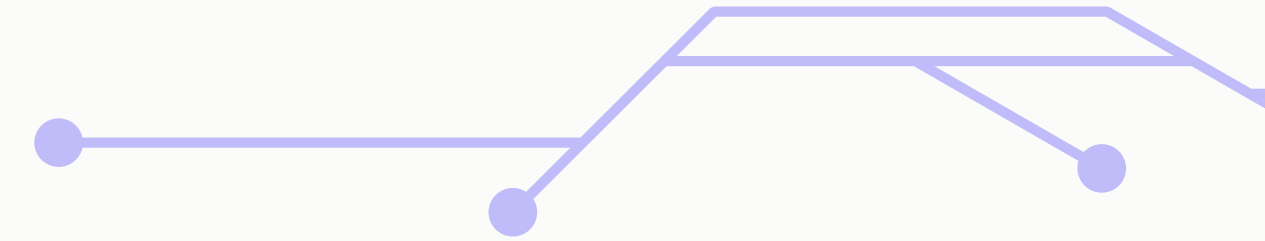
BEIJING-LCG2

Change: -92%

Total number of throughput measures: 93  
Other networking alarms  
None found



# SOME OF EXISTING ALARMS



## ▶ **Bad one-way delay**

alarm is generated if a node reports time greater than 100ms

## ▶ **Large clock correction**

alarm calculates clock corrections for all nodes that appear as both source and destination

## ▶ **Complete packet loss**

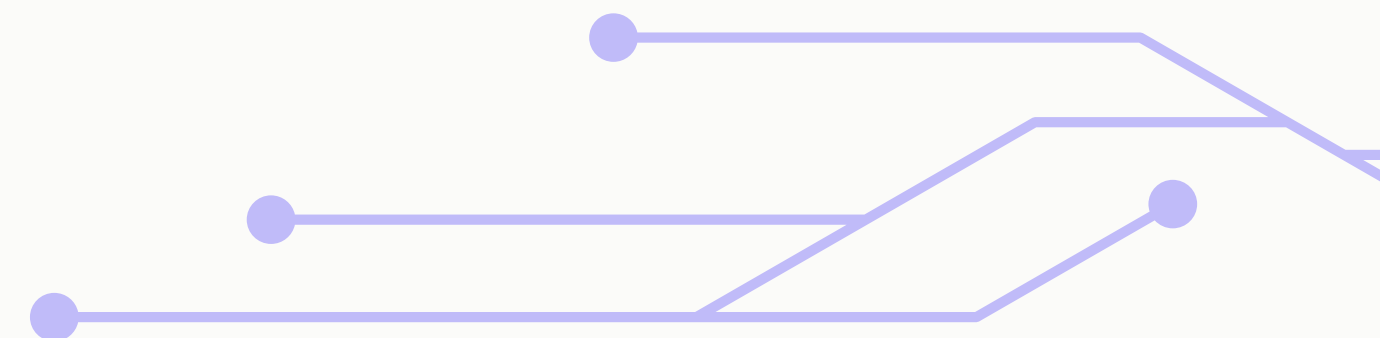
alarm is created when a link drops all packets

## ▶ **Firewall issue**

is an alarm generated when node is involved in links that lost 100% of its packets for all tests in a given period or when the number of links (having lost all packets) is more than 10

## ▶ **High packet loss**

problem alerts for packet loss above 2%.



# Timeline

- **Familiarization**

thorough familiarization with all the tools (ElasticSearch, Kibana) used in this project, the code and system infrastructure



1-3 weeks



4-5 weeks

- **Enabling Alarm**

writing and adding the script for the new alarms to the existing infrastructure

- **Debugging & Deployment**

eliminating bugs and deploying developed alarms

6 week



POSTMAN

7-9 weeks

- **Alarm Creation**

creation and development of a new alarm concept, its implementation and alignment with existing alarms

- **Deployment & Performance Evaluation**

deploying, debugging, evaluating the performance of our alarms on a real-time basis, suggesting fixes and extensions / improvements

10-12 weeks





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# **THANK YOU!**

## **Q&A?**

