

# HL-LHC Analysis Blueprint Meeting

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**ATLAS / CMS LHCC questions session**

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# Motivation & context

- **LHCC Analysis Infrastructure (AI) questions 3c) and d)**
  - Describe the plans to **develop specific use cases that can be used to benchmark different building blocks** of the Analysis Infrastructure so that a comparison can be made between different implementations.
  - Comment if you think that support for analysis workflows in Run-4 will need **specialized infrastructure** different from the Grid. If so, please describe what features that Analysis Infrastructure will need to provide to expand the one in the Grid
- **Motivation:** Ensure **R&D is aligned** with future needs, clarify **AI requirements**
  - ATLAS/CMS do HL-LHC *physics* extrapolations, should extend also to *computing*!
- We focus on the **“end-user” physics analysis**: the steps after centrally organized production
  - This is generally **not well understood** nor **prescribed**

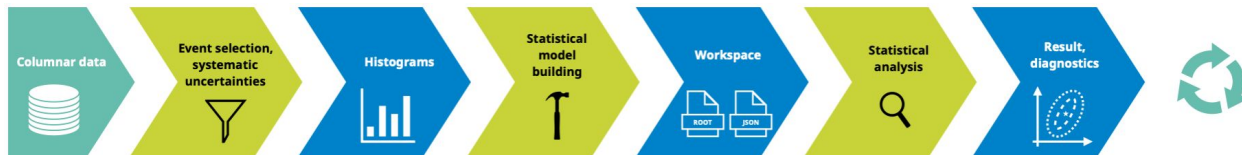
# Path forward: survey, meeting, document

- **Proposed steps towards a set of HL-LHC analysis examples**
  - 1) **survey** within ATLAS & CMS experiments
  - 2) **blueprint meeting** discussing selected analysis examples
  - 3) **document with benchmark** analysis examples
- A variety of related but **differently scoped surveys** has been done previously
  - Limited in target audience (e.g. only US, site admin perspective, specific physics groups)
- Not aware of data comprehensively capturing **“end-user” analysis compute requirements**
  - Including scenarios for **extrapolation to the future** with respect to computing needs

Not duplicating efforts:  
Expecting that a new survey can yield very valuable information.

# Aspects we want to capture

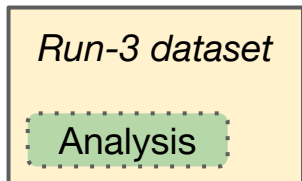
- **Dataset size**
- Compute **cost per event** / event rate
- **Workflow** structure (complexity, number of steps, intermediate products, optimization loops, ...)
  - Including how work is **distributed across the team**
- **Service requirements** (ML inference, external databases, ...)
- **Physics** target (precision measurement, model-specific search, anomaly detection, ...)
- **Reproducibility** aspects
- Currently used **computing setup** (which hardware resources are used)



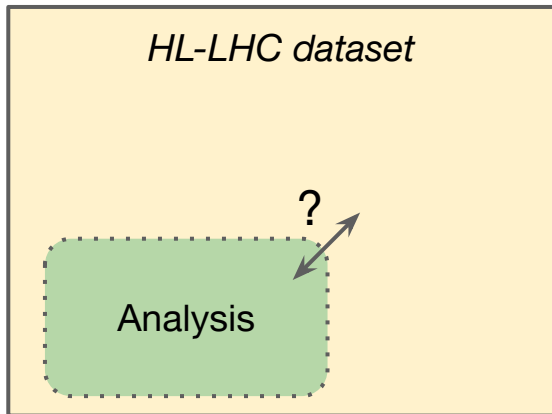
workflow example [<https://aqc.readthedocs.io/>]

# Extrapolating to HL-LHC

## Dataset size

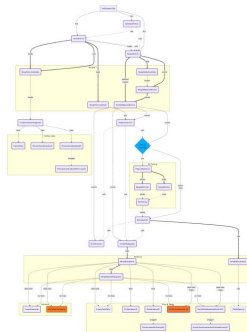
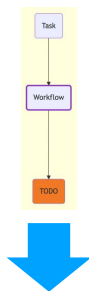


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[New analysis approach / selection?]  
[Linear scaling with integrated luminosity?]

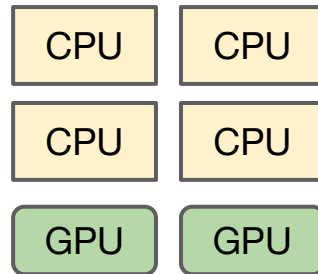
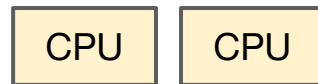
## Complexity



columnflow examples [<https://github.com/columnflow/columnflow/wiki>]

[External services?]  
[Intermediate data products?]

## Compute cost



[Heavy ML training / inference?]  
[Special requirements, e.g. high memory?]

# The blueprint meeting

- **Hybrid / virtual meeting** meeting in May
  - Targeting **two afternoons** during CERN time
- Invite speakers from **selected set of example analyses** based on survey results
- Identify set of **benchmark analyses** and **extrapolation scenarios** to HL-LHC dataset
- Capture outcome of meeting in a **document**
  - This need not be static: can **revisit assumptions** if our understanding evolves
- More information to appear at [https://iris-hep.org/blueprints/HL\\_LHC\\_analysis.html](https://iris-hep.org/blueprints/HL_LHC_analysis.html)
  - Official announcement of event to follow

# Next steps

- **Survey design** currently ongoing
  - Will iterate with **ATLAS AMG** & **CMS CAT** for expert feedback
- Survey to be **sent out in early March**, target a 4 week circulation period
- **Analyze responses** in April, invite speakers
- Blueprint **meeting in May**
  
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