

# GPS@: Bioinformatics grid portal for protein sequence analysis on EGEE grid

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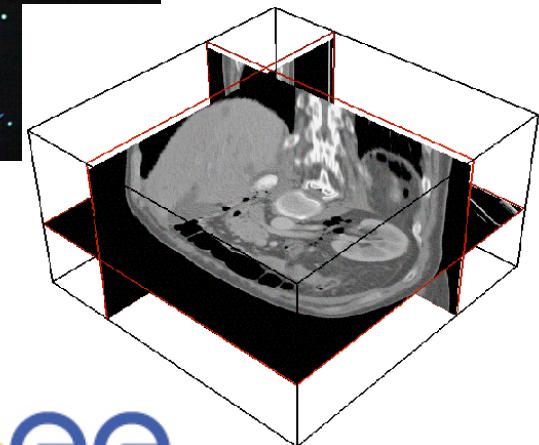
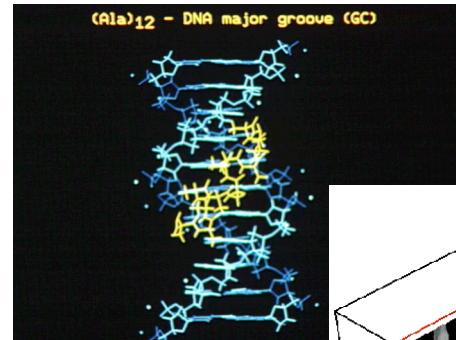


- **NPS@ Web portal**
  - Online since 1998
  - Production mode
- **Gridification of NPS@**
- **Bioinformatics description with XML-based Framework**
- **Legacy mode for application file access**
- **GPS@ Web portal for Bioinformatics on Grid**

- **French CNRS Institute, associated to Univ. Lyon1**
  - Life Science
  - About 160 people
  - <http://www.ibcp.fr>
  - Located in Lyon, France
- **Study of proteins in their biological context**
  - ♣ Approaches used include integrative cellular (cell culture, various types of microscopies) and molecular techniques, both experimental (including biocrystallography and nuclear magnetic resonance) and theoretical (structural bioinformatics).
- **Three main departments, bringing together 13 groups**
  - ♣ topics such as cancer, extracellular matrix, tissue engineering, membranes, cell transport and signalling, bioinformatics and structural biology



- **Chair:**
  - ♣ **Johan Montagnat**
  - ♣ **Christophe Blanchet (deputy)**
- **Biomedical activity area**
  - Bioinformatics
  - Medical imaging
  - Other health related areas
- **Three types of application**
  - **Pilots:** LCG-2 compliant applications at day 0
  - **Internal:** from project partners, to be deployed on **for E-sciencE**
  - **External:** from other projects, to go through a selection procedure
    - ♣ **EGEE User Forum**, CERN, March 1-3th, 2006  
<http://egee-intranet.web.cern.ch/egee-intranet/User-Forum>



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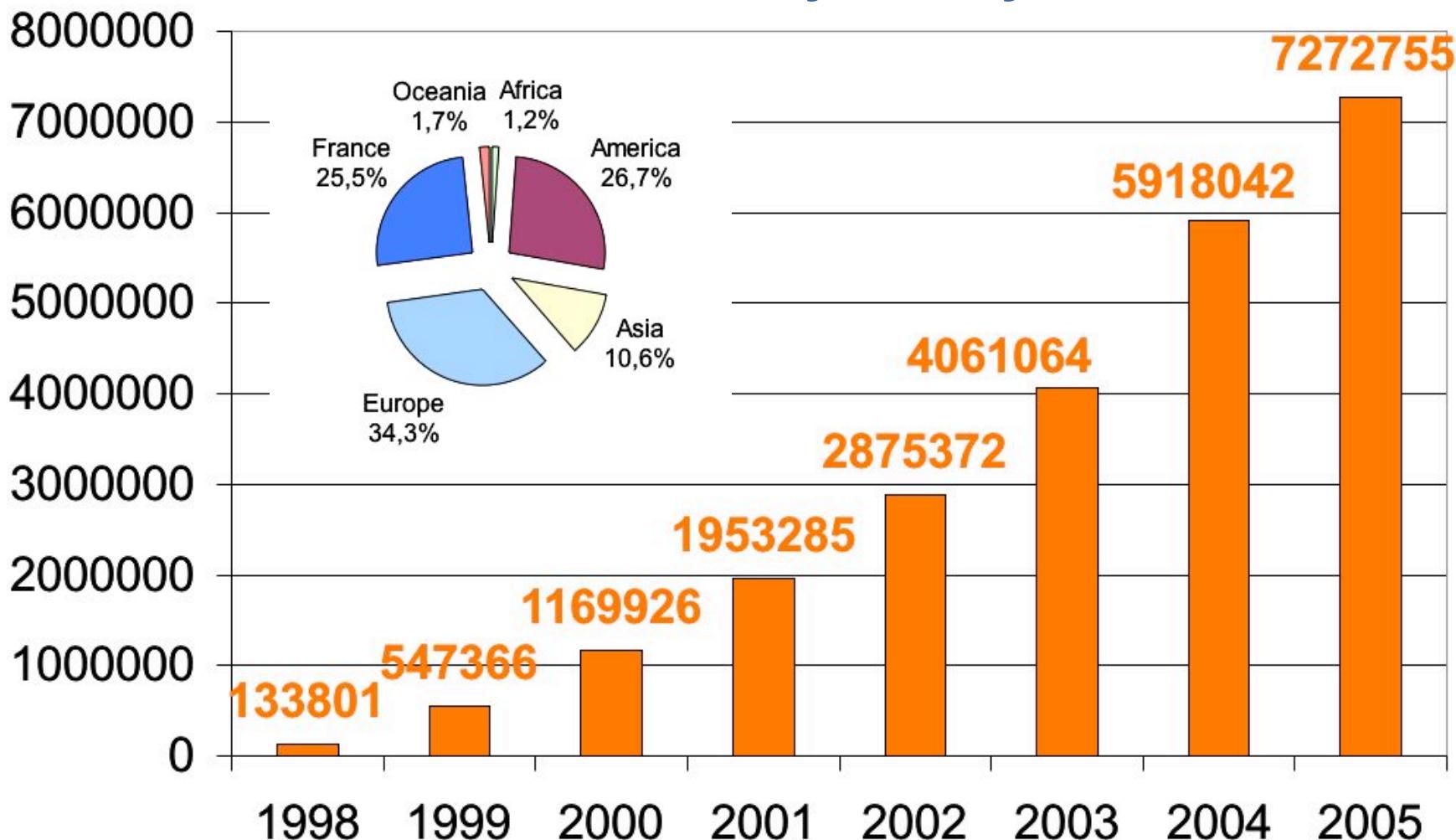
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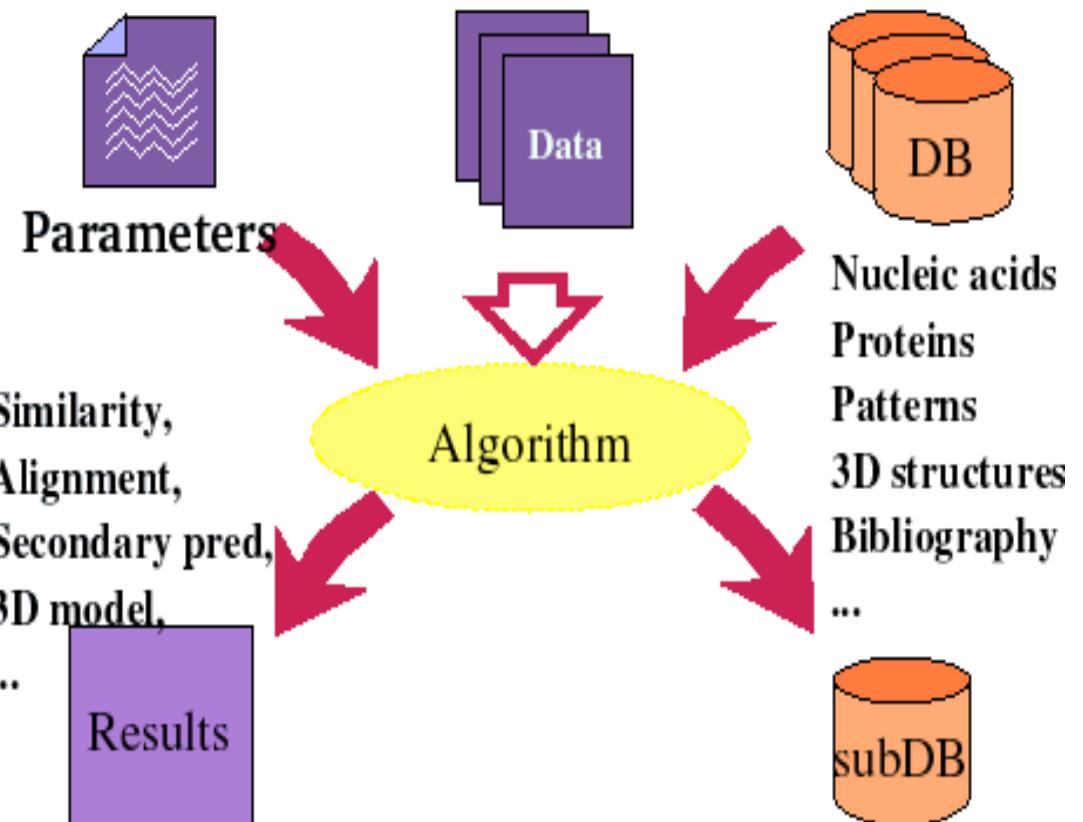
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- <http://npsa-pbil.ibcp.fr/>
- online since 1998 ; NPS@ release 3
- 46 integrated methods for protein sequence analysis
- **12 Online up-to-date biological databanks**
- 1-click download of NPS@ results in biological softwares: MPSA, AnTheProt, Clustal X, RasMol, ...
- International references: Expasy, University of California, InfoBioGen,...
- **“NPS@: Network Protein Sequence Analysis”, Combet C., Blanchet C., Geourjon C. et Deléage G. *Tibs*, 2000, 25, 147-150.**

- More than 7 millions analyses since 1998
- More than 5000 analyses/day



- **Different algorithms**
  - Sequence similarity,
  - Multiple alignment
  - Structural prediction
- **Numerous programs**
  - BioCatalog:
    - + 600 at end of 1990s
  - EMBOSS:
    - + 200 (world-famous)
- **Data access**
  - *Text files*
  - *I/O standards with local file interface*
- **No modification of source codes to preserve generic model**



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## Biological data

- ♣ distribute international databases,
- ♣ store more and large

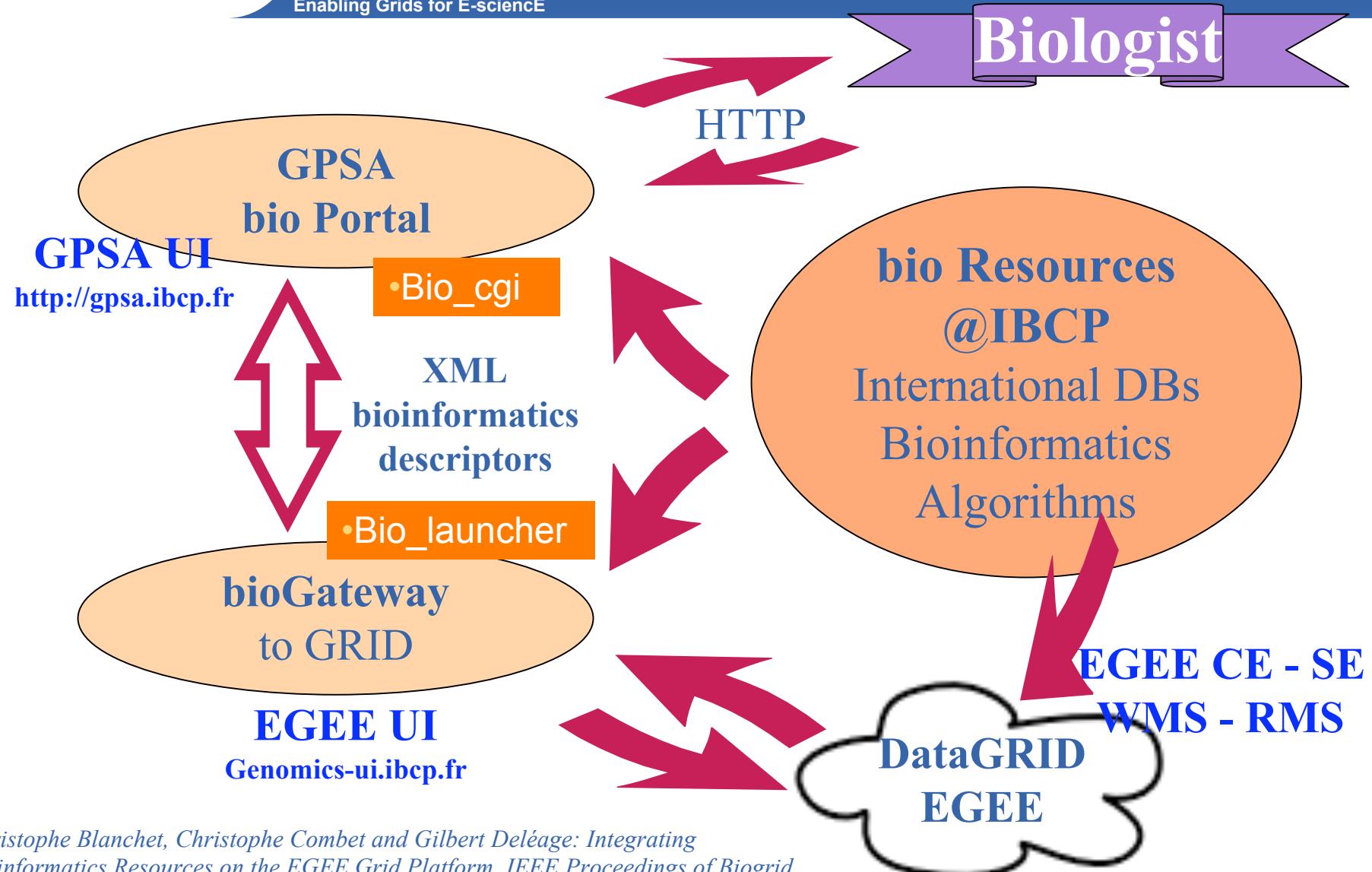
## Bioinformatics algorithms

- ♣ compute larger datasets
- ♣ more complex workflows

## NPS@ Web portal

- ♣ well-known Web interface
- ♣ open to a wider user community.



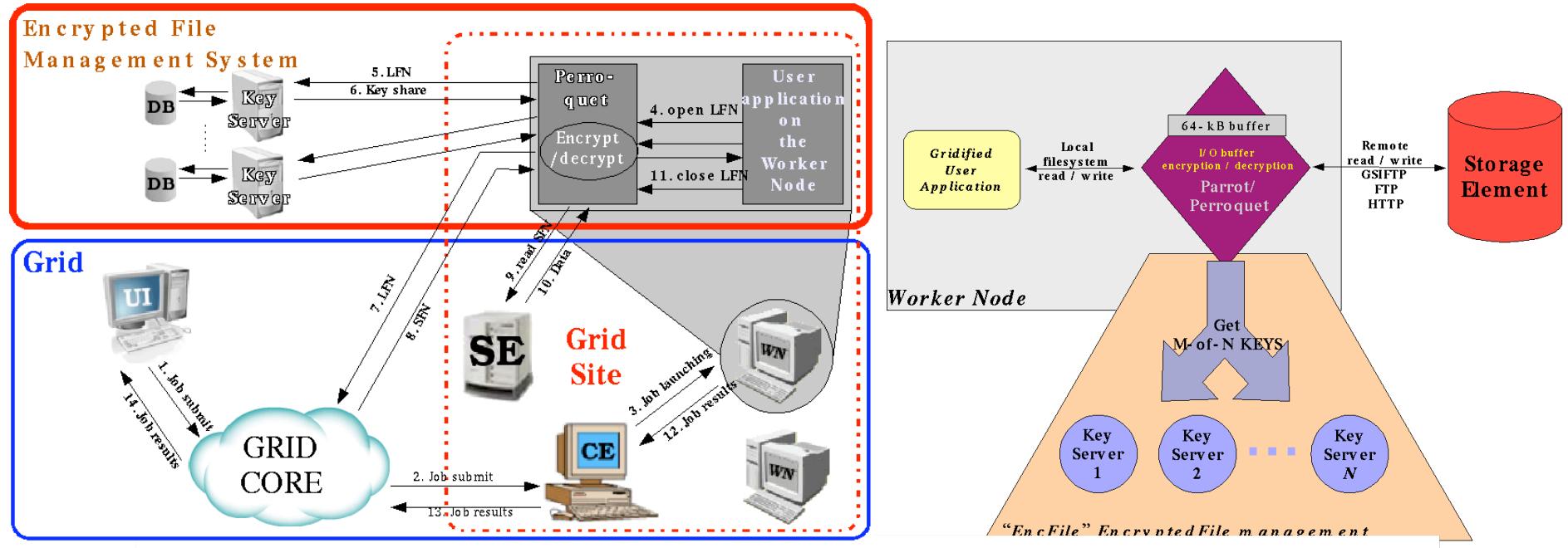


Christophe Blanchet, Christophe Combet and Gilbert Deléage: Integrating Bioinformatics Resources on the EGEE Grid Platform. IEEE Proceedings of Biogrid 2006, Singapore, May 16-19

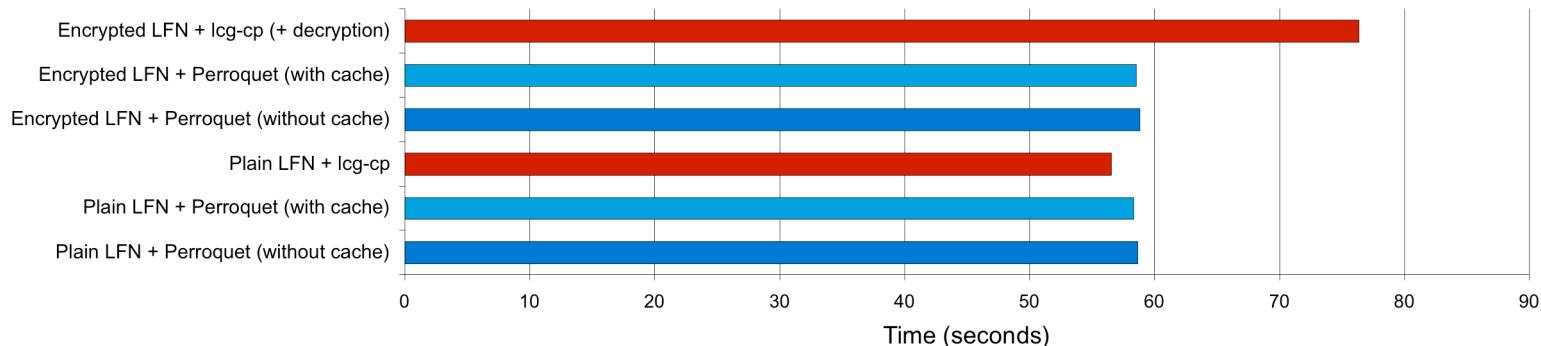
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# Legacy mode for file access

C. Blanchet, R. Mollon and G. Deleage: Building an Encrypted File System on the EGEE grid: Application to Protein Sequence Analysis. IEEE Proceedings of ARES 2006, Vienna, 20-22 April



Time to download a 205-MB gridified file



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- **Secondary structure prediction :**
  - Methods:
    - [SOPM](#) (Geourjon and Deléage, 1994)
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    - [HNN](#) (Guérmeur, 1997)
    - [MLRC](#) (Guérmeur *et al.*, 1999)
    - [DPM](#) (Deléage and Roux, 1987)
    - [DSC](#) (King and Sternberg, 1996)
    - [GOR I](#) (Garnier *et al.*, 1978)
    - [GOR III](#) (Gibrat *et al.*, 1987)
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    - [PHD](#) (Rost and Sander, 1993)
    - [PREDATOR](#) (Frishman and Argos, 1996)
    - [SIMPAGE](#) (Levin, 1997)
  - [Secondary structure consensus prediction](#)
- **Miscellaneous analysis tools :**
  - [Amino-acid composition](#)
  - [Coiled-coil](#) prediction (Lupas *et al.*, 1991)
  - [ColorSeq](#): color protein sequence
  - [HTH](#): Helix-turn-helix DNA-binding motifs detection (Dodd and Egan, 1990)
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**BLAST search on protein sequence databank**

[Abstract] [NPS@ help] [Original server]

**Program:** blastp : protein sequence versus protein sequence databank

**Database :** UNIPROT-SWISSPROT

**Sequence name (optional) :**

Paste a protein/nucleic sequence below : [help](#)

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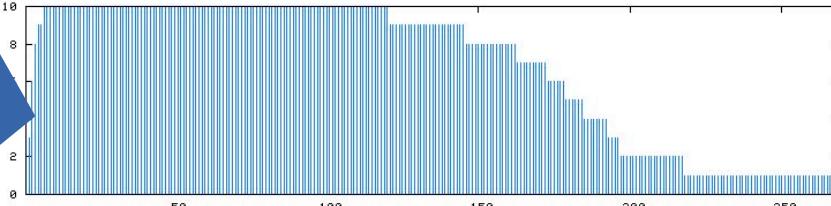
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round(sum(score at a query sequence position)/max(score)\*10) by query sequence position



Resource	Grid Descriptor
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<i>And Blast indexes</i>	lfn://genomics_gpsa/db/swissprot/swissprot.fasta.phr lfn://genomics_gpsa/db/swissprot/swissprot.fasta.pin lfn://genomics_gpsa/db/swissprot/swissprot.fasta.psq
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<i>SSearch</i>	ESM tag “genomics_gpsa_ssearch”

- Examples of biological databases and bioinformatics programs registered and deployed onto the EGEE grid.
- Database files have been registered as logical files into the replica manager system, with their own logical filename (LFN, lfn://),
- and programs with an tag of the experiment software manager (ESM tag).

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  - Access to grid resources of EGEE (computation and storage)
  - Well-known interface
- **Integration of legacy resources**
  - XML-based
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- **Integration of EncFile tool**
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