



Machine/Job Features Update

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Status

- Deployment of the server side info and "mjf" package done for CERN batch worker nodes
 - slc5 (bare metal)
 - slc6 (openstack)
- Invite experiments to start using it and give feedback by end of February
- Problem: concerns about overloading the openstack meta-service when communicating features via "magic IP"
 - Need to look into alternative possible solutions (simple as a key/value store with web service?)

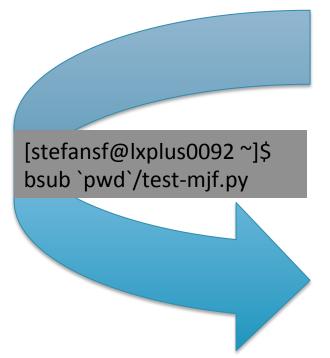


Info on mjf.py

- Source code repository
 https://github.com/roiser/JobMachineFeatures
- Code documentation (linked from mjf twiki)
 https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/LCG/
 MjfDataStructureAndInterface
- Distribution via RPM from WLCG repo http://linuxsoft.cern.ch/wlcg/
- Distribution via AA releases (coming soon)
 /afs/cern.ch/sw/lcg/external/Grid/mjf



mjf.py example



```
#!/usr/bin/env python

from mjf import mjf,MJFException

m = mjf()
try:
    m.collect()
    print m.features()
except MJFException, e: print e
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[...]
{'machinefeatures': {'hs06':
76.1050000000000004, 'jobslots': 6,
'log_cores': 4, 'phys_cores': 4},
'jobfeatures': {'disk_limit_GB': 0,
'wall_limit_secs': 885.51343538532296,
'cpufactor_lrms': 2.4392628205128202,
'cpu_limit_secs': 196.78076341896099,
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'allocated_CPU': 1, 'mem_limit_MB':
4000000, 'wall_limit_secs_lrms': 2160,
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[...]
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Next steps

- Deployment for CERN cloud infrastructure
- Deployment of mjf as command line tool @ CERN
- Upload of different server side tools into the github repository (SGE, Condor, ...)
- Development of a key/value store for laaS
- Check bi-directional communication as suggested by Igor Sfiligoi for Condor
- Look into deployment at other laaS systems than openstack
- After experiment feedback has been received start deployment on more "early adopter" sites
- Start with rollout at all sites

