

PanDA @ HPC

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Technical



- PanDA@ HPC ongoing work as seen in talks
- In BigPanDA context PanDA@HPC supports more than ATLAS (ALICE, AMS, LSST, COMPASS...)
 - So far, using EC2 PanDA server and ATLAS CERN server
 - Additional servers being deployed in Russia, CERN...
 - PanDA packaging and deployment is important
- Data management
 - Need lightweight layers and hooks for non-Rucio DDM
- Event service for HPC
 - Evolving rapidly next session

Start of Discussion



Status

- Impressive progress with specialized workloads on MIRA... need to continue this approach for using current allocations
- Steady progress on adapting PanDA pilot to Titan
- Two approaches to HPC scheduling
 - Custom schedulers (i.e. RunJobTitan, RunJobMira)
 - Combine with event service Yoda

Plans

- Long list of work still to be done
 - As seen in all talks today
 - How do we prioritize?

Setting Priorities



Low hanging fruits

Mostly all picked off

Most challenging

- Payloads
 - We need to involve other communities
 - Maybe go back to installing and publishing static releases?
 - Can we get help on cvmfs for binary compatible sites?
 - Goal: validate and publish standard releases and configure fairshare so
 HPC's can be used similar to grid resources with automatic job dispatch
- Yoda

Time critical

- SC14
- Next run

Short Term



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- Software installation/validation
- Configure as PanDA site
- Yoda for AthenaMPI
- Support for other communities