# Closer look at the site accounting. PIC

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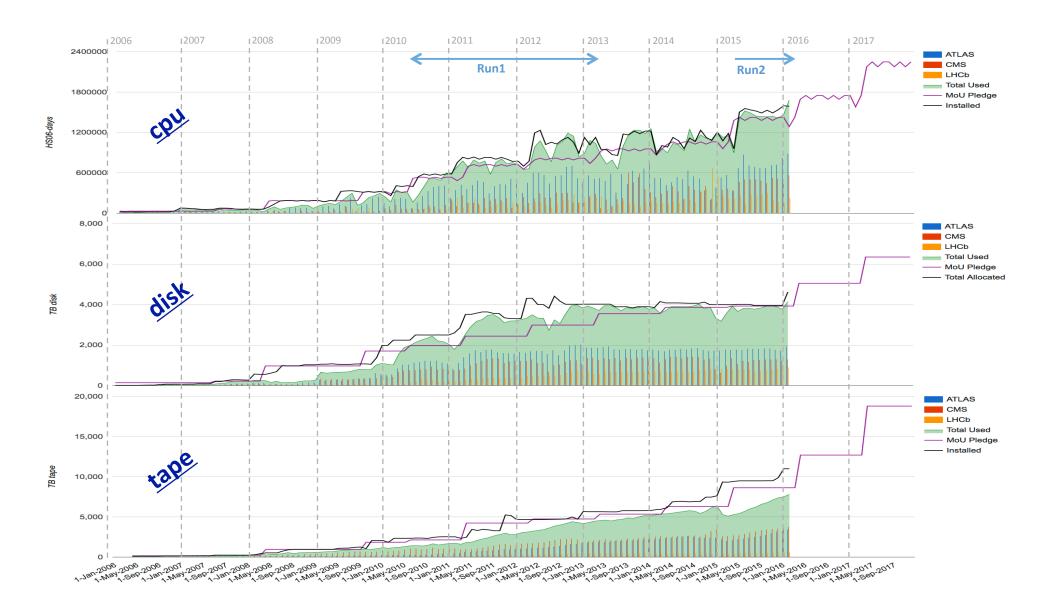
#### **WLCG** accounting

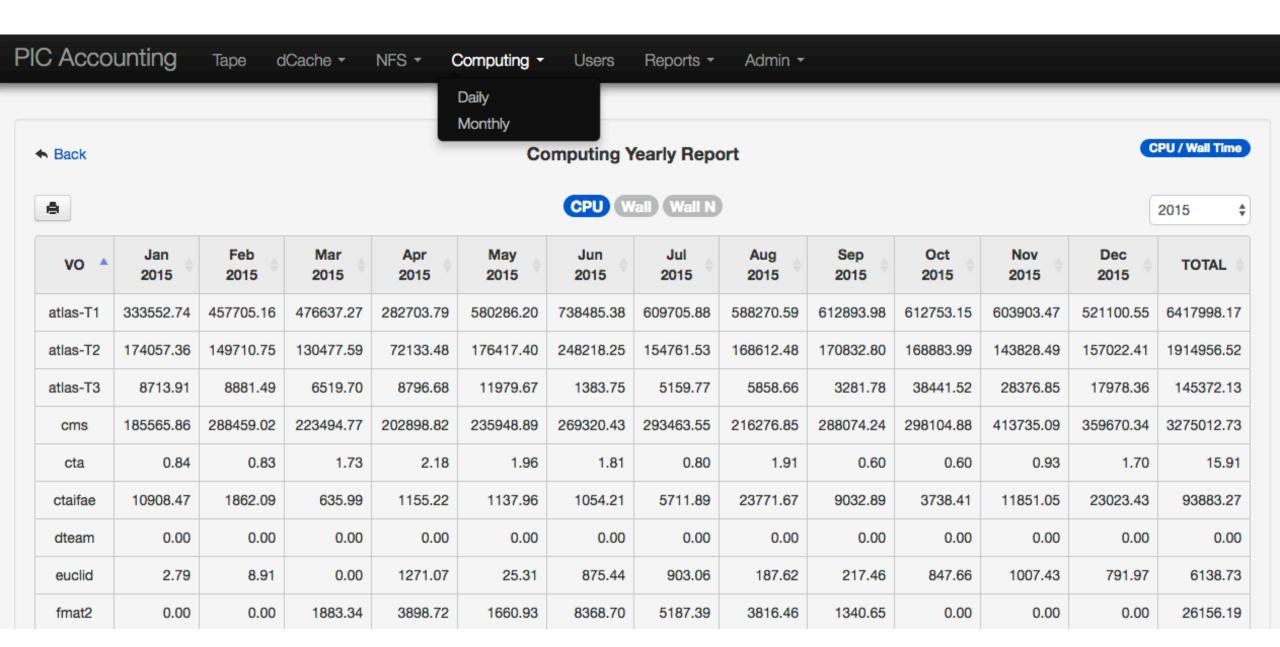
- Reliable and accurate accounting is a must
  - These values are extensively used by VOs, sites and funding agencies
  - Essential for scrutinizing the resource usage at the Tiers
- PIC Tier-1 takes the resources accounting seriously:
  - Internal accounting system deployed since many years
  - Monthly x-checks prior reporting to WLCG about resources usage
  - Pro-active in detecting/reporting accounting issues
  - Helping in the integration/debug of new accounting values (such as MultiCore accounting)
- I will (mostly) concentrate in this talk in the CPU Accounting



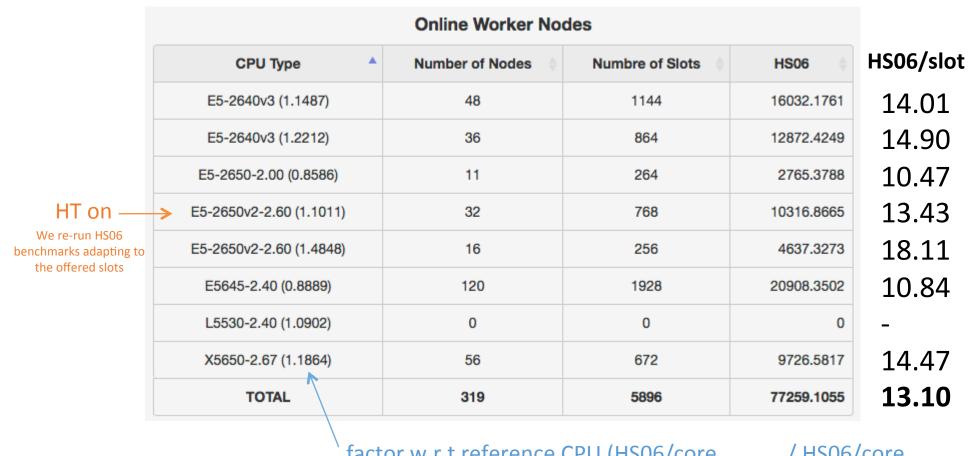
## PIC Tier-1 resource accounting 2006-2016





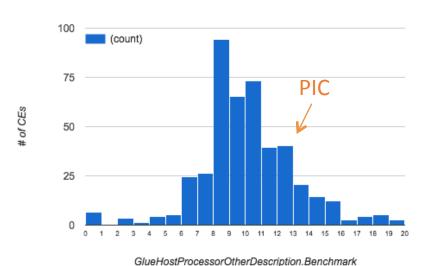


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  - PBS manages all of PIC WNs referenced to this ReferenceCPU
  - These referenced CPU/Wall Clock times are parsed by APEL → sent to EGI accounting portal

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KR-KISTI-GSDC	1,892,382	0	0	0	1,892,382	1.92%			
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RU-JINR-T1	0	0	1,193,619	0	1,193,619	1.21%			
TW-ASGC	0	1,651,324	0	0	1,651,324	1.68%			
UK-T1-RAL	3,093,349	10,984,268	2,337,671	9,817,572	26,232,861	26.62%			
US-FNAL-CMS	0	0	5,037,856	0	5,037,856	5.11%			
US-T1-BNL	0	6,517,383	13	0	6,517,396	6.61%			
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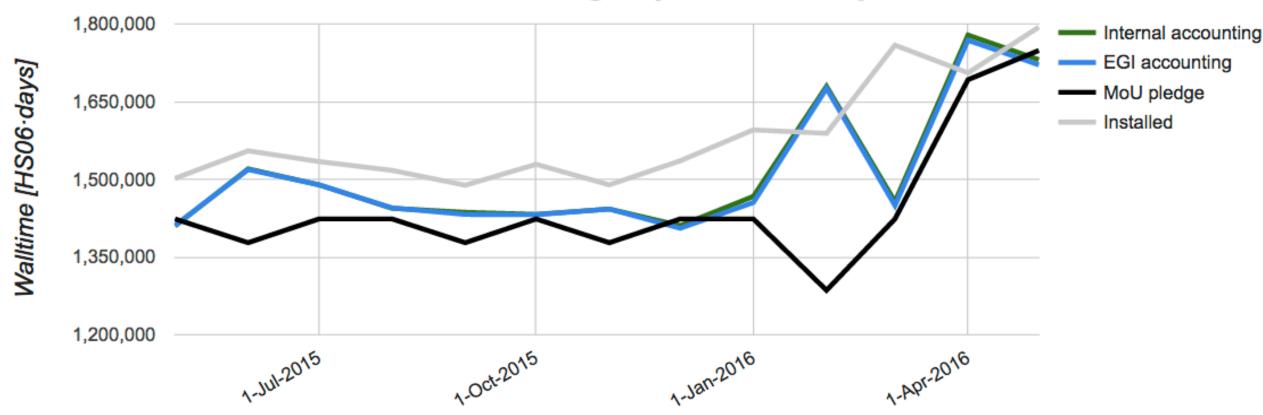
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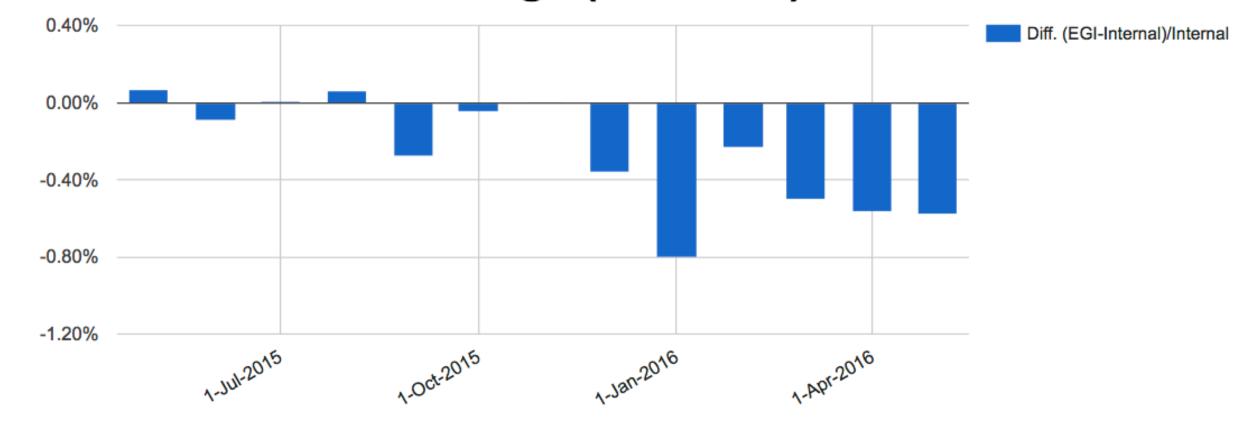
- GlueCECapability: CPUScalingReferenceSI00 is used in the EGI accounting portal to calculate the HS06·hours for all of the sites
  - Then, things are in the same units, can be added, relative % can be evaluated...

#### PIC Tier-1 CPU usage (WallTime)



Rather good agreement between PIC internal accounting and values from the EGI portal

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#### Generally, the differences are < 0.5%

- Same CREAM-ID assigned for different PBS jobs

  → error of the CREAM system, maybe in high load cases, not so often
- APEL works in UTC, our local monitoring in CEST

Diff. (EGI-Internal)/Internal [%]

## **Dashboard accounting**

- For those VOs using payloads, it holds payloads information (not pilots)
- The CPU and Wall Times are not scaled
- The average HS06 reported by the farms in BDii are used to get HS06·hours
  - This is not very accurate
  - payloads (dashboard) cannot be directly compared to pilots (EGI accounting portal)
    - ATLAS and CMS models are very different

#### ATLAS CPU usage at PIC Tier-1 (WallTime) CMS CPU usage at PIC Tier-1 (WallTime) 950000 600000 Internal accounting EGI accounting [HS06-days] Dashboard 850000 450000 750000 300000 -5% diff. 650000 150000 -25% diff. 1 payload per pilot many payloads per pilot 550000 389868 CMS Wallclock consumption ALL jobs (days) 775288 ATLAS Wallclock consumption ALL jobs (days) 4845227 CMS Wallclock HS06-days ATLAS Wallclock HS06-days 9374827 12.43 ratio 12.09 ratio

PIC GlueHostProcessorOtherDescription: Cores=8.91,Benchmark=12.1205-HEP-SPEC06??

#### **Conclusions**

- PIC internal accounting matches well with EGI accounting
  - If not, GGUS tickets are opened and addressed
- We should have ways to automatically check if a site is reporting wrong values in the EGI accounting portal
  - We should eliminate any portal view that is controversial (not all of the people know the story of scaled times and that sites cannot be compared in EGI portal)
    - If something cannot be compared, we shouldn't show it!
  - Still some views are wrong in the EGI accounting portal
    - Reports > WLCG Tier1 / Tier2 don't report Elapsed times \* number of processors
- The dashboard procedure to evaluate HS06·hours is not accurate
  - Sites should deploy the MJF, then the payloads can directly report accurate HS06·hours values to the dashboard