



Common Resource Calculation Model

(hints for discussion)

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The Context

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Focused (of course) on the **definition of a general model for resource requirements.**



A Common Model

Goal: define a **common FW** for modelling the **computing requirements** of LHC (and HEP in general) exp.

- have a **general input schema** catching all the details of exp. plans;
- process these inputs into **forecasts for computing requirements**;

that is, we try to **standardize, generalize** and (if possible) **improve** what the exps already do with their "megatables".



Work in progress

We are **still** somehow in a brainstorming phase and we have **more** a list of **questions than answers**

- does this **makes sense**?
- which is a complete/suitable **set of inputs**?
- how to catch **CM details** (e.g. WAN access);
- how to properly describe **network needs**;
- how to describe **new architectures** contribution (e.g. GPGPU);
- time granularity, etc...



A starting point

To **fix ideas** we looked at something existing

<https://github.com/kenbloom/resource-modeling>

by K. Bloom, O. Gutsche and E. Vaandering
(**all credits** go to them ...)

python model:

- # **events**, **cpu** and **storage** requirements;
- **inputs: physics** plans (data taking, mc needs) and **computing model** (tape vs disk, data types, sw improvements).

Used for DOE **US-CMS** long-time plans.

This is certainly **CMS-specific** but seems to be a **good starting point** for us.

We are **refactoring** it a bit and trying to **generalize** (... so all errors are mine).

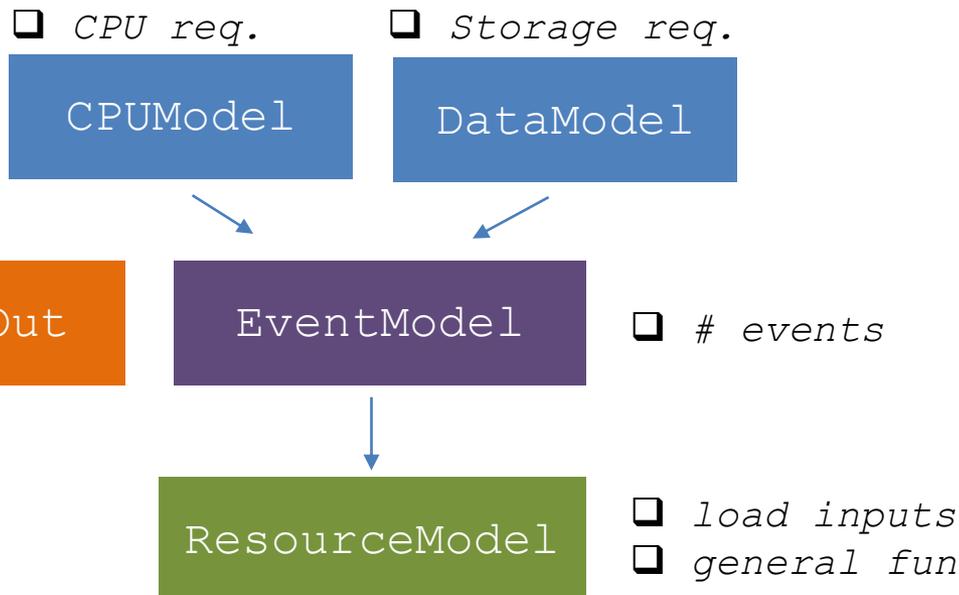


Our fork

We are **partially refactoring** the code (work in progress)

<https://github.com/sartiran/resource-modeling/tree/wlcf-gw>

in the master you can find the original version.



Also a CC7
dockerfile with
all the good
dependencies for
quick start.



Inputs

The **inputs** of the model come as a list of **json files** which are loaded **hierarchically**.

```
./data.py model1.json model2.json ...
```

a couple of default models are loaded "BaseModel.json", "RealisticModel.json".

Often inputs contain **time dependent lists**.

```
"parameter": {  
  "2016": 123,  
  "2026": 456,  
  "2027": 678  
},
```

This can be **looked up** for a given year returning the **value** and the **last matching year**...

... or it can be **interpolated** linearly.

Dev: allow time dep. values for **generic** time **granularity**



Data Events

This is quite straightforward.

For a given year look up in the model:

❖ `live_fraction`

```
"live_fraction": {  
  "2016": 0.247,  
  "2026": 0.165,  
  "2027": 0.247},
```

❖ `trigger_rate`

```
"trigger_rate": {  
  "2016": 1000.0,  
  "2026": 10000.0  
}
```

then:

```
# DATA_EVENTS = SECONDS_PER_YEAR * LIVE_FRACTION * TRIGGER_RATE
```



MC Events

In the model we have the **mc fraction** for each year (to be looked up) for each **MC "Type" labelled by year**

```
"mc_evolution": {  
  "2017": {  
    "2017": 1.9, "2024": 1.9, "2025": 0.5, "2026": 0.03,  
    "2027": 0.0, "2050": 0.0},  
  "2026": {  
    "2017": 0.0108, "2024": 0.03, "2025": 1.0,  
    "2026": 2.0, "2050": 2.0}  
},
```

```
# MC_EVENTS = FRACTION[type][year] * # DATA_EVT
```

- **mc_year** <= **year**: data evts at `year` (or last non-shutdown year);
- **otherwise**: max between evts at `year` and at `mc_year`.



Resources per events

Now need to **translate events in resources...**

... this means, for an evt of a given data type/version, **data size and cpu time** (HS06*s) required to process/simulate it

... this is looked up from input

```
"tier_sizes": {  
  "AOD": { "2017": 400000.0, "2026": 2000000.0},  
  "GENSIM": {"2017": 1000000.0, "2026": 1000000.0},  
  ...}
```

```
"cpu_time": {  
  "data": {  
    "RECO": {"2017": 250, "2026": 4000.0}},  
  "mc": {  
    "DIGI": {"2017": 100, "2026": 2500.0},  
    ...}}
```



Resources per events

For cpu take into accounts **improvement factors**

```
"improvement_factors": {...
  "software_by_kind": {
    "2017": {"2017": 1.05, "2024": 1.01, "2025": 1.0, "2050": 1.0},
    "2026": {"2017": 1.01, "2024": 1.1, "2025": 1.2, "2027": 1.1,
...}}},...
```

MC Type (hardcoded hack for data)

Dev: IF per data tier/type?

Product IF from «start» to proc. year

CPU Time = (Data CPU time)/(integrated SW improvement factor)

Possible dev: can't we get **more about evts. req. res**

- SW: **parallelizability**, **memory** usage, **IO**,...;
- CM: remote access, ...;
- ...



Storage Requirements

evts and **evt size** give us **data production** (per type, tier and year). We need the **storage occupation**

[this year, next-year, beyond-next-year]

```
"storage_model": {  
  "disk_replicas": { "AOD": [0.2, 0, 0], "GENSIM": [0.1, 0, 0],...},  
  "tape_replicas": { "AOD": [1, 1, 1], "GENSIM": [0, 0, 0], ...},  
  "versions": { "AOD": [1, 1, 0], "GENSIM": [1, 0, 0], ...}  
}
```

Dev: more flexible planning?
is this static?

For a **given year** we consider the **data produced at some previous year** per type (for mc sum over mc kind) and tier taking the **number of replicas and version on disk/tape** from the input above (taking the suitable value of the ntuple according to year - production_year).

Summing over all this we know how much data we have on disk/tape for the year.



CPU Requirements

Data **prompt-reco** **cpu requirements** for a given year

$$\text{RECO_CPU_TIME} = \text{T0_FACTOR} * \text{EVENTS} * \text{RECO_EVENT_CPU_TIME}$$

```
...  
"t0_factor": 1.5,  
...
```

Dev: time dependent?

express, repacking, AlCa, CAF functionality
and skimming (scale with data). And a general
"security factor" for peak days.

Processed almost **real time**

$$\text{RECO_CPU_CAPACITY} = \text{RECO_CPU_TIME} / \text{BEAM_TIME}$$



CPU Requirements

For **RE-RECO** everything is **hardcoded and CMS specific** based on how much we expect to re-reco of the current year and of the past year and in how much time.

$$\text{RE_RECO_CPU_TIME} = 1.25 * \text{EVENTS} * \text{RECO_EVENT_CPU_TIME}$$

$$\text{RE_RECO_CPU_CAPACITY} = \text{EVENTS} * \text{RECO_EVENT_CPU_TIME} / 3 * \text{SEC_MONTH}$$

Dev:

- this has to be **re-done** with a **general** computation: **input from other experiments** will help;
- define a suitable **set of parameters**. E.g. a time dependent table with **re-reco fraction for y and y-1** (general enough?).



CPU Requirements

MC cpu requirements is quite straightforward

```
MC_CPU_TIME[MC_KIND] = (GENSIM_EVENT_CPU_TIME +  
DIGI_EVENT_CPU_TIME + RECO_EVENT_CPU_TIME)*EVENT[MC_KIND]
```

...and **summing over MC Kinds**.

We assume **MC runs all year long** so the capacity is computed dividing by the seconds in the year...

```
"new_detector_years  
": [  
    2017,  
    2018,  
    2026  
],
```

... but in the **years with new detector we multiply by 2** the MC CPU required capacity as we assume we will have less time to make MC.

Crude and hardcoded. Use a time dictionary with (non std) time factors for activities.



CPU Requirements

The **CPU for analysis** is simply estimated by **multiplying for a factor** the sum of **all other activities** (time and capacity).

This is a bit **"reshaped"** for the **time up to HL-LHC:**

Take 2018 as base. Each year add in a year of the same size of the previous one (except for shutdown).

- no improvement factor: OK as it is IO bound;
- assumed to run over year.

```
"analysis_factor": 0.75,  
...  
"analysis_hllhc_planning"  
: {  
  "2019": 1.333,  
  "2020": 1,      Factor wrt  
  "2021": 1,      previous year  
  "2022": 1.25,  
  "2023": 1,2,  
  "2024": 1,52,  
}
```

There is much to be done here. Looking at the similar thing for another exp may be a good starting point.



Questions/Thoughts

- Is this **useful**? Which are the minimal **requirements**?
 - ❖ general **format for input and output**;
 - ❖ **richer** required resources **description**;
- how can we define **NW resources requirements** in a sensible way?
 - ❖ some work in progress on this...;
- how can we make an event resources description richer?
 - ❖ more about what requires to process it: memory, parallelizability, (remote) IO,...



Backup Slides



Storage Requirements

To this we add a ``static` storage` according to values given in the input

```
"static_disk": {  
  "Ops space": {  
    "2017": 1.3e+16,  
    "2026": 6.5e+16  
  },  
  "Run1 & 2": {  
    "2017": 0  
  }  
},  
"static_tape": {  
  "Run1 & 2": {  
    "2017": 1.21e+17  
  }  
},
```

To this the "tier" while data type is "Other"



CPU Requirements

For **Long Shutdowns** we compute the CPU requirements as follows:

- reconstruction of the data of the 3 previous years;
- 3 times the MC amount of the previous year.

This over the whole year.

This is hardcoded, CMS specific and has to be improved..



Expected Resources

```
"capacity_model": {
  "cpu_delta": {
    "2017": 300000.0,
    "2020": 800000.0
  },
  "cpu_lifetime": 5,
  "cpu_start": 1630000.0,
  "cpu_year": 2017,
  ...
  "improvement_factors": {
    "disk": 1.1,
    "hardware": 1.1,
    ...
  }
}
```

This is not strictu sensu "resource requirements" but it is often looked at while computing resource requirements.

We start with "cpu_start", assume it was purchased linearly in the last "cpu_lifetime" years.

$$\text{ADDED}[\text{YEAR}] = \text{DELTA}[\text{LOOKUP_YEAR}] * \text{FACTOR} ** (\text{YEAR} - \text{LOOKUP_YEAR})$$

$$\text{CAPACITY}[\text{YEAR}] = \text{CAPACITY}[\text{YEAR} - 1] + \text{ADDED}[\text{YEAR}] - \text{ADDED}[\text{YEAR} - \text{LIFETIME}]$$

Same with disk and tapes.