# The rise of ElasticSearch 

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(1) Introduction to ElasticSearch

- Elasticsearch
- Architecture
- Elasticsearch Clients
- Products
- ELK
(2) DIRAC and ElasticSearch
- Reminder
- EL integration to DIRAC
(3) Future usage of EL
- distributed search and analytic engine based on Apache Lucene
- developed in Java
- easy to install and to scale to PB of data
- near real time system
- stable well maintained
- open source https://github.com/elastic/elasticsearch
- the EL cluster consists of different nodes:
- master node: control the cluster
- data node: stores the data
- data is stored in schema less JSON documents
- each document belong to a document type
- mapping defines how a document and the fields are stored.
- documents are stored in EL index
- index is split into shards
- each shard may be on a different node in a cluster
- every shard is a self contained Lucerne index
- cluster contains primary and replica shards for reliability
- number of primary shards can not be changed later. If it needs to be changed, the data needs to be re-indexed.
- more replica can be created
- RDBMS: row $->$ document, table $->$ document type, database $->$ index
- multi language, officially supported: Java, javascript, Groovy, .NET, PHP, Perl, Python, Ruby
- REST API to interact with data
- Kibana for visualizing the Elasticsearch data
- Logstash for server side data processing pipeline
- Machine Learning for automatically model the behaviour of Elasticsearch data
- ES-Hadoop for indexing Hadoop data into EL
- and many more

Outline

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- Accounting system is not for real time monitoring:
- not efficient for handling time-series data
- does not scale to hundred of million rows
- Our study based on the following technologies:
- InfluxDB: distributed time series database
- OpenTSDB: distributed time series database based on HBase
- Elasticsearch: distributed search and analytic engine
- Grafana: metric dashboard and graph editor for InfluxDB, Graphite and OpenTSDB
- Kibana: flexible analytic and visualization framework for Elasticsearch
- decided to use Elasticsearch and develop the DIRAC Monitoring System
- Accounting web application for data visualization and EL for storing data
- How?:
- develop the Monitoring system, which is based on:
- Query DSL (Domain Specific Language) based on JSON to define queries
- elasticsearch-dsl is python library for writing and running queries against Elasticsearch
- existing DIRAC libraries
- Monitoring system is available form v6r16 release
- Possible usage of the Monitoring system
- WMS monitoring
- Component monitoring (required improvements)
- Job traceability (GSoC 2018 project) http://hepsoftwarefoundation.org/gsoc/2018/ proposal_LHCbJobTraceability.html
- centralized logging:
- send service and agent logs to EL
- use Kibana for monitoring
- Component monitoring
- replace gMonitor
- for your experiment specific use?

Thank you! Questions?

