

Operations in NDGF-T1 and SE-SNIC-T2

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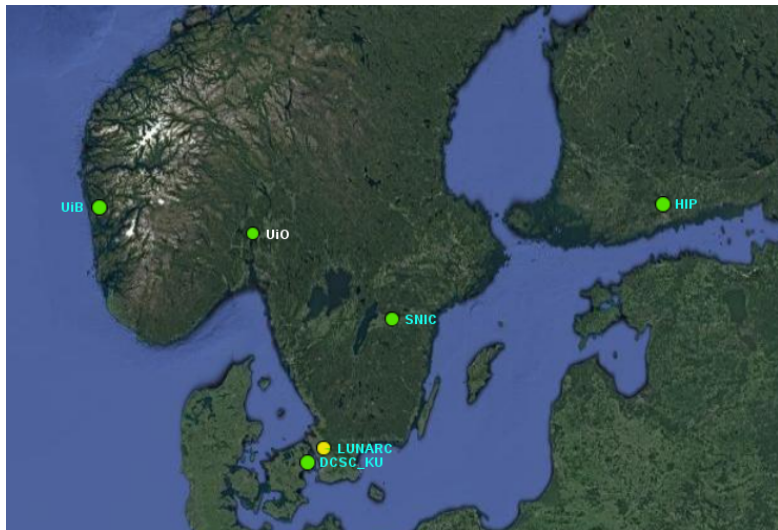
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- ▶ NDGF-T1 is sometimes also referred to as the NT1 ("Nordic Tier 1")

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 - ▶ Combined CPU pledge for ALICE and ATLAS: 7.9 kHS06 CPUs ...

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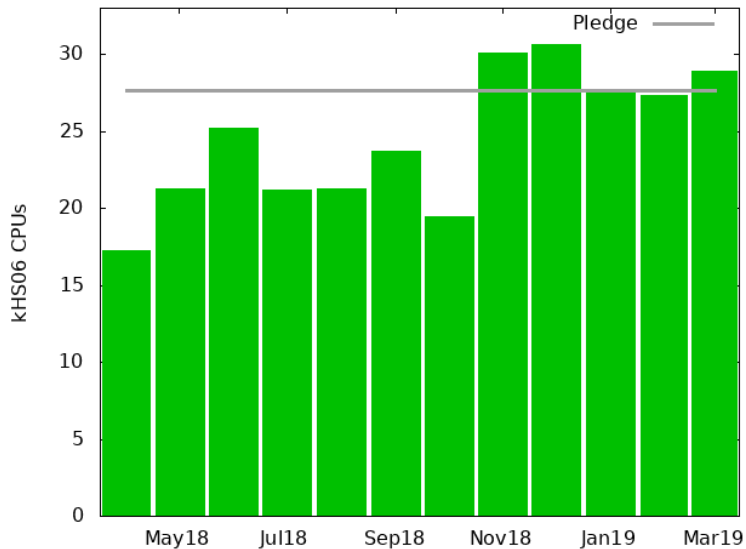
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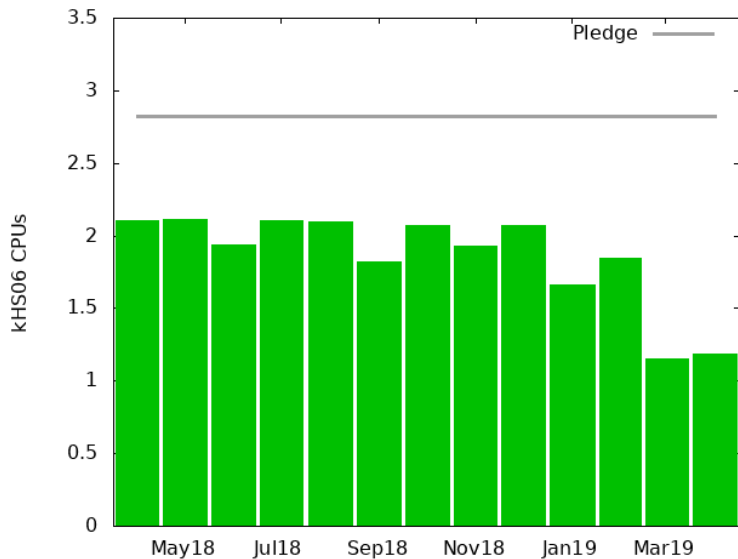
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- ▶ Future: Will most likely disappear by the end of this year.

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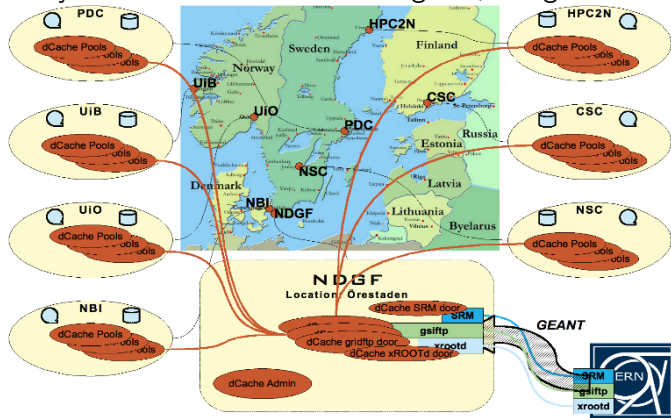


SNIC-T2 CPU resources, compared to pledge



Storage

- ▶ Many small sites look like one big site, using dCache



- ▶ Lets us hide problems on one site by keeping data on other sites.
 - ▶ (at least, almost ...)

Storage in numbers

NDGF-T1

- ▶ Disk:
 - ▶ Pledge: 4240 TB (2510 TB last year)
 - ▶ Currently available: 2582 TB
- ▶ Tape:
 - ▶ Pledge: 2.99 PB (1.86 PB last year)
 - ▶ Currently available: 2.02 PB

More a-coming!

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SE-SNIC-T2

- ▶ Disk:
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 - ▶ HIP (Not supported by the underlying cloud system yet)
 - ▶ DCSC/KU (On the TODO list)

Questions?