

The Dutch node in the ESDC current status and plans

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OpenStack cluster



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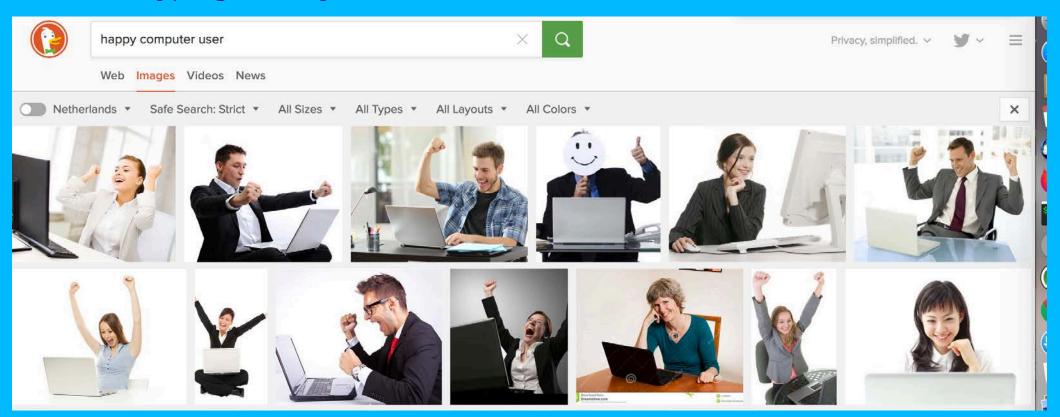
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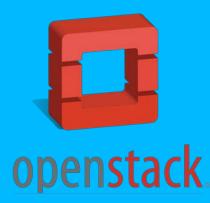
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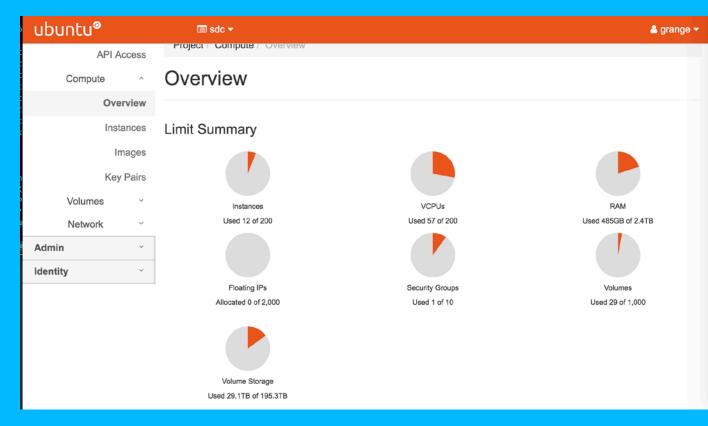
- Single cluster for astronomical processing
 - Flexible scaling
- Prototyping activity with MeerKAT (later more)







- OpenStack cluster up and running
 - Several images created (LOFAR, CASA, ...)
 - Interactive access via ssh
 - MeerKAT pipelines using Jupyter interface
 - Letting the first users loose on the cluster
 - Performance and functional testing



OpenStack usage

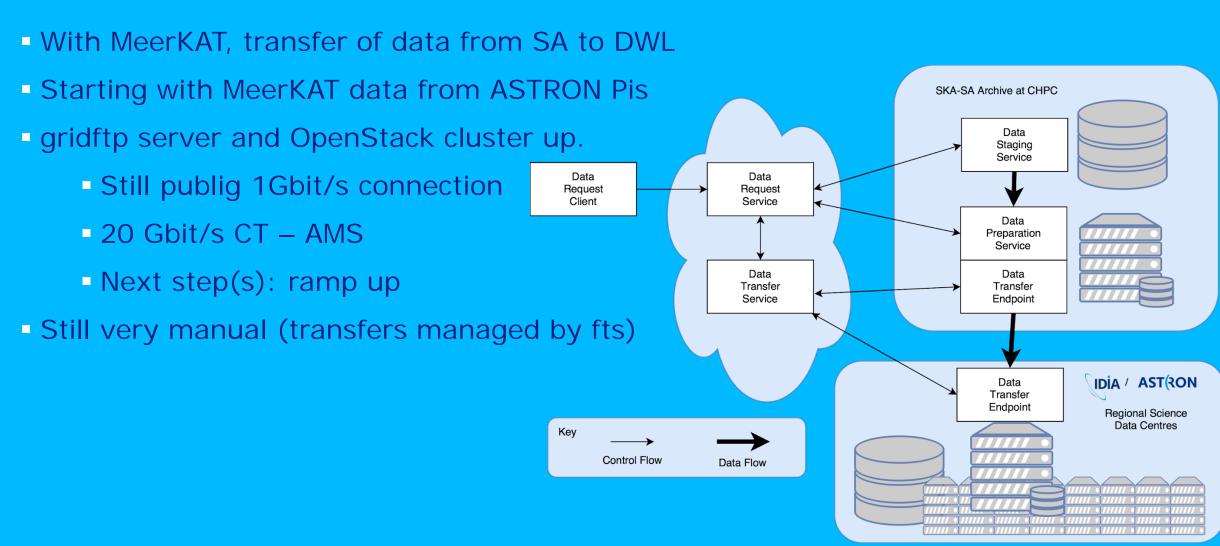


- Now, we create the base images, virtual block storage devices and the VMs, the users focus on processing
- Future plan is to investigate granting resources, giving projects freedom to create nodes and storage, managing (and possibly sharing) their local images
- Use Docker/singularity (via OpenStack plugin)
 - Right now we compile the software
 - Huge Docker images (partly due to layered FS)
 - Binary packages save a lot of space
 - KERNsuite (debian packages)
 - Fixed sw versions



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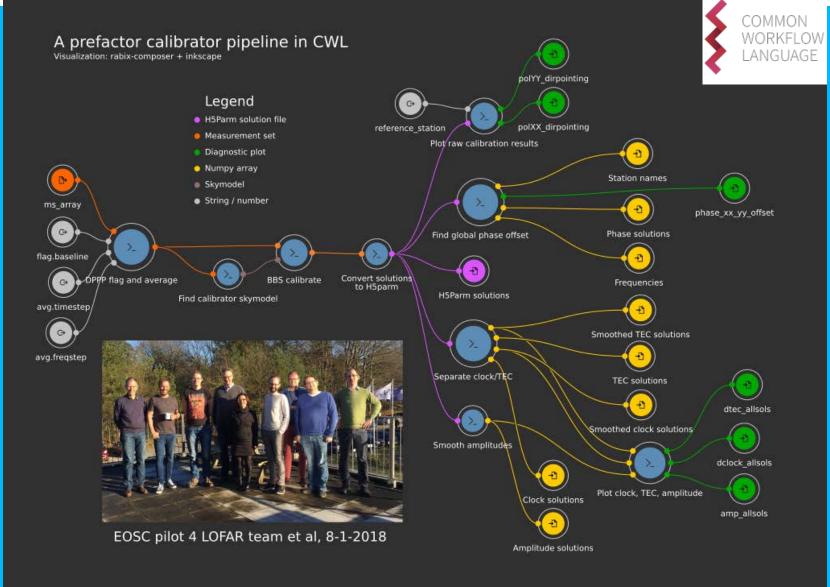
(from: Aikema et al. poster at ADASS 2017. See also yesterdays talk by Rob Simmonds)

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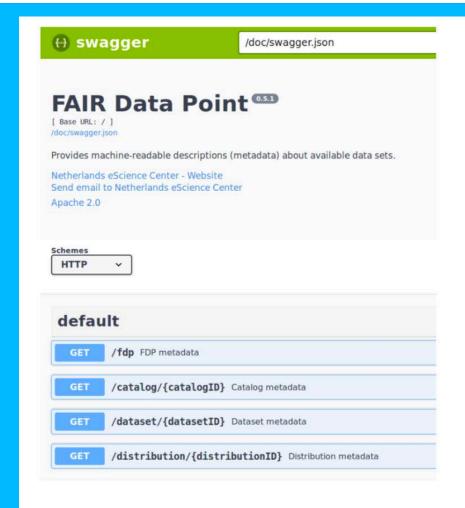


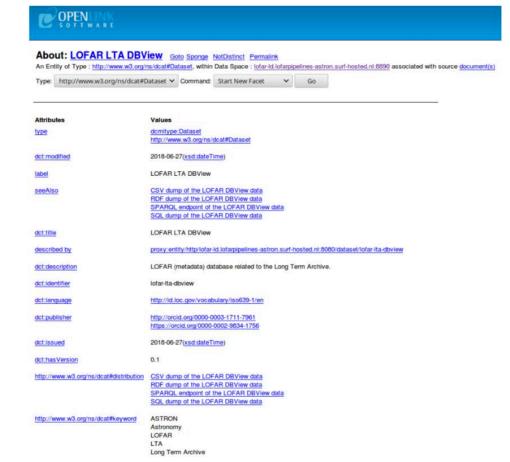
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https://github.com/EOSC-LOFAR/lofar-Id/wiki

Other projects



- Astron Data Portal
- Science DMZ
- AENEAS
- ESCAPE