

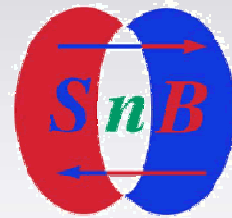
# High-Performance Computing & High-End Visualization in Buffalo

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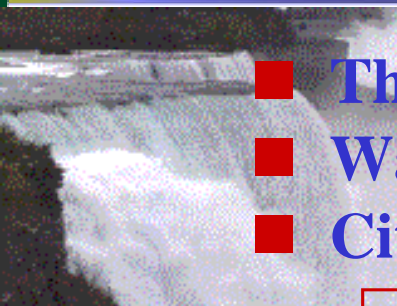


# Buffalo, New York

Two Seasons: Winter and July 4



- **The Queen City: 2<sup>nd</sup> Largest City in NYS**
- **Waterfront City: on North Coast of U.S.**
- **City of Lights**
  - **First U.S. city to have electric street lights**
  - **Pan American Exposition (1901)**
    - **Pres. McKinley Shot**
- **Architecture**
  - **Frederick Law Olmsted**
  - **Frank Lloyd Wright**
- **Underground Railroad: slaves escaped to freedom in Canada**
- **Four straight Super Bowl appearances**
- **Culinary Delights**
  - **(Buffalo) Wings: Anchor Bar, 1964**
  - **Beef on Weck**



# Center for Computational Research 1998-2005 Overview

## ■ High-End Computing, Storage, Networking, and Visualization

### □ ~140 Research Groups in 37 Depts

○ Physical Sciences

○ Life Sciences

○ Engineering

○ Scientific Visualization, Medical Imaging, Virtual Reality

### □ 13 Local Companies

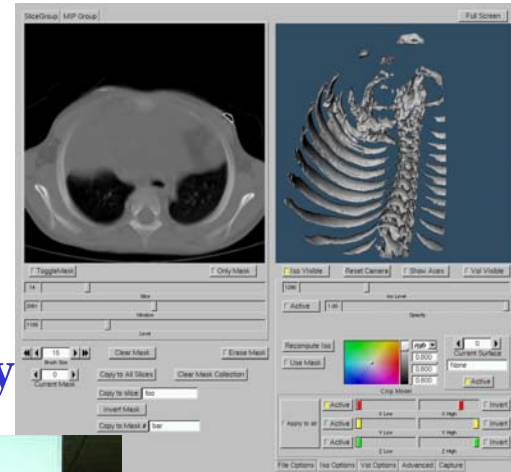
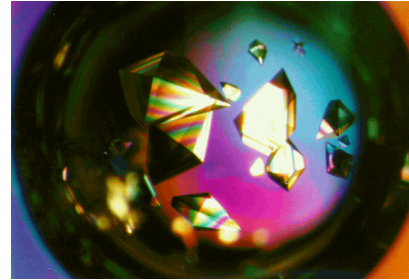
### □ 10 Local Institutions

## ■ External Funding: \$300M+

## ■ Total Leveraged WNY: \$500M+

## ■ 1100+ Publications

## ■ EOT, Economic Development, Software, Media, Algorithms, Consulting, Training, CPU Cycles...



# CCR by the Numbers (2005)

## ■ Current Technical Staff: 20→13

- ❑ Seven (7) Contracted & Univ Tech Staff cut by Provost
- ❑ Associate Director
- ❑ Computational Scientist (3)
- ❑ Database Administrator
- ❑ Scientific Visualization
- ❑ System Administration (5)
- ❑ Storage Area Network Admin
- ❑ Multimedia

## ■ Support Staff: 3 FTE

- ❑ Financial/Contracts (2)
- ❑ Receptionist

## ■ Research Staff: 5 FTE

## ■ Initial 7-Year Funding Model

- ❑ SUNY-Buffalo Contribution: \$1.3M
  - Personnel: \$1.2M
  - Operating: \$0.1M
- ❑ User's Contributions: \$0.4M
- ❑ Annual Expend: ~\$2.4M
- ❑ Opportunistic Funding Model
  - Equipment, Maintenance, Licenses
- ❑ ROI: \$7M → \$300M @ SUNY-B

## ■ New Administration's Model

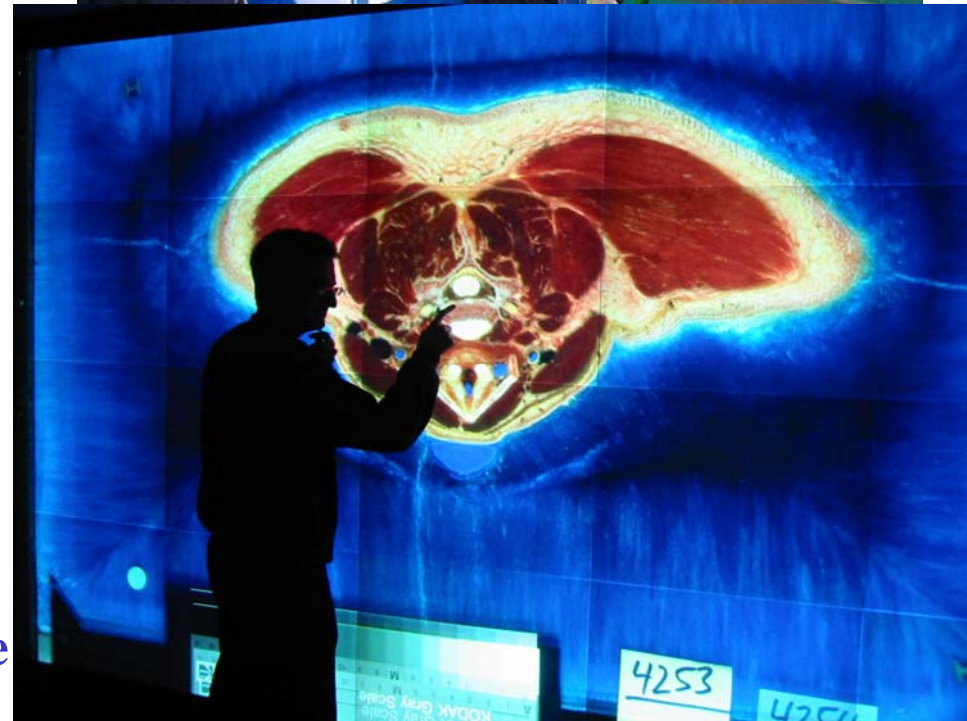
- ❑ Moved into Bioinformatics
- ❑ Move 30 mins from Main Campus
- ❑ 50% Additional Reduction in Personnel & Operating in Addition to Current Cuts
- ❑ Maintain Opportunistic Funding
- ❑ Provost Rationale
  - Will Increase Users Contributions
  - "Provides Stability"

# Major Compute/Storage Resources

- **Dell Linux Cluster (10TF peak)**
  - ❑ 1600 Xeon EM64T Processors (3.2 GHz)
  - ❑ 2 TB RAM; 65 TB Disk
  - ❑ Myrinet / Force10
  - ❑ 30 TB EMC SAN
- **Dell Linux Cluster (2.9TF peak)**
  - ❑ 600 P4 Processors (2.4 GHz)
  - ❑ 600 GB RAM; 40 TB Disk; Myrinet
- **Dell Linux Cluster (6TF peak)**
  - ❑ 4036 Processors (PIII 1.2 GHz)
  - ❑ 2TB RAM; 160TB Disk; 16TB SAN
- **IBM BladeCenter Cluster (3TF peak)**
  - ❑ 532 P4 Processors (2.8 GHz)
  - ❑ 5TB SAN
- **SGI Altix3700 (0.4TF peak)**
  - ❑ 64 Processors (1.3GHz ITF2)
  - ❑ 256 GB RAM
  - ❑ 2.5 TB Disk
- **Apex Bioinformatics System**
  - ❑ Sun V880 (3), Sun 6800
  - ❑ Sun 280R (2)
  - ❑ Intel PIIIs
  - ❑ Sun 3960: 7 TB Disk Storage
- **HP/Compaq SAN**
  - ❑ 75 TB Disk; 190 TB Tape
  - ❑ 64 Alpha Processors (400 MHz)
  - ❑ 32 GB RAM; 400 GB Disk

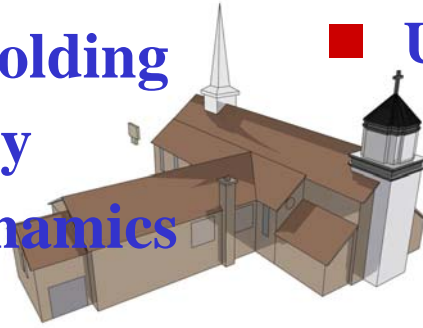
# CCR Visualization Resources

- **Fakespace ImmersaDesk R2**
  - ❑ Portable 3D Device
  - ❑ Onyx2: 6 R10000 @ 250MHz
  - ❑ 2 IR2 Pipes; 3 64MB texture memory mgrs
- **Tiled-Display Wall**
  - ❑ 20 NEC projectors: 15.7M pixels
  - ❑ Screen is 11'x7'
  - ❑ Dell PCs with Myrinet2000
- **Access Grid Nodes (2)**
  - ❑ Group-to-Group Communication
  - ❑ Commodity components
- **SGI Reality Center 3300W**
  - ❑ Dual Barco's on 8'x4' screen
  - ❑ Onyx300: 10 R14000 @ 500MHz
  - ❑ 2 IR4 Pipes; 1 GB texture mem per pipe



# CCR Research & Projects

- Archaeology
- Bioinformatics/Protein Folding
- Computational Chemistry
- Computational Fluid Dynamics
- Data Mining/Database
- Earthquake Engineering
- Environ Modeling & Simulation
- Grid Computing
- Molecular Structure Determination



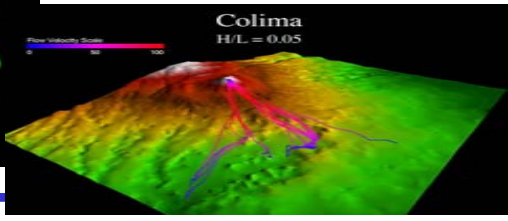
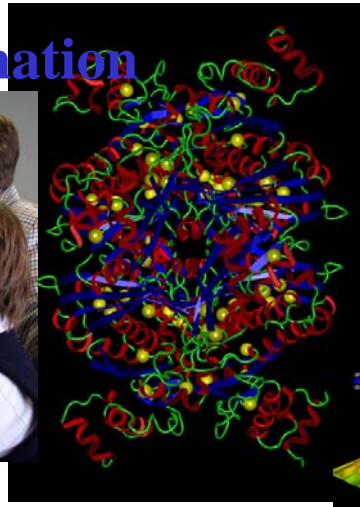
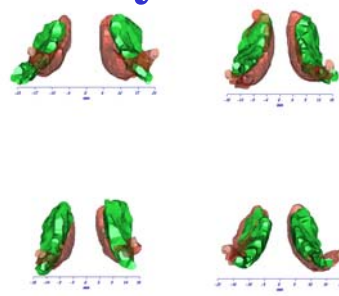
- Videos: MTV
- Urban Simulation and Viz
  - StreetScenes
  - I-90 Toll Barrier
  - Medical Campus
  - Peace Bridge

- Accident Reconstruction
- Scientific Viz

- Dental
- Surgery
- MRI/CT Scan
- Confocal Microscopy
- Crystallization Wells
- Collaboratories



### Physics



# Real-Time Visualization



# StreetScenes: Real-Time 3D Traffic Simulation

- Accurate local landmarks: Bridges, Street Signs, Business, Homes
- Can be viewed from driver's perspective
- Real-Time Navigation
- Works with
  - Corsim
  - Synchro
- Generate AVI & MOV
- Multiple Simultaneous
  - Traffic Loads
  - Simulation
  - Varying POV



# Animation & Simulation

## **Rendered Scenes**

# Williamsville Toll Barrier Improvement Project



**Initial Photo Match incorporating real and computer-generated components**

# Peace Bridge Visualization: Animation & Simulation

## ■ Proposed Options

- ❑ Relocate US plaza
- ❑ Build a 3-lane companion span & rehab existing bridge



PHOTO AND STORY BY BRUCE JACKSON

**MTV**

**IBC Digital & CCR**

Song: I'm OK (I Promise)

Band: Chemical Romance

Gaming Environment: Death Jr.



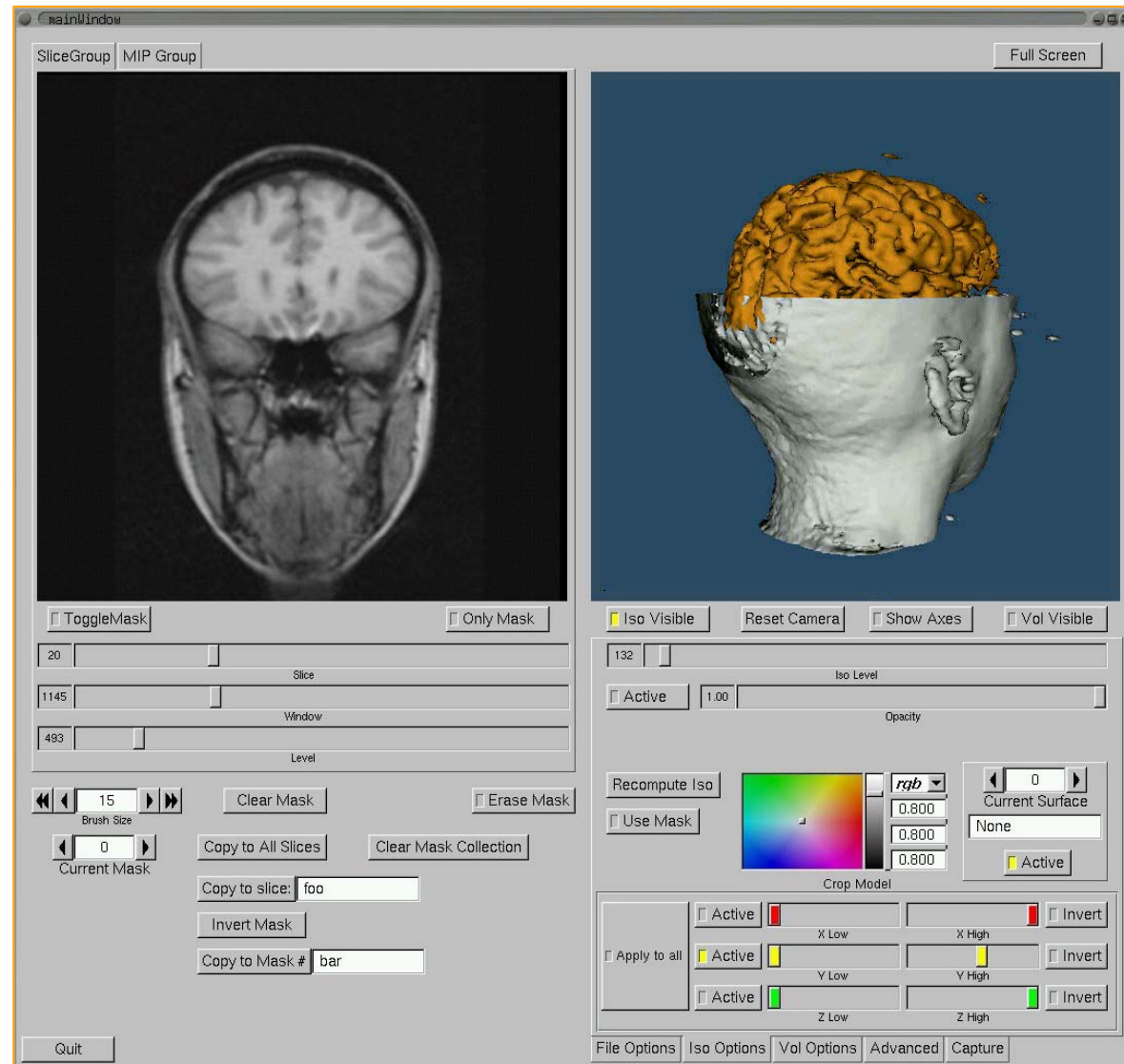
# Public Forum



# Scientific Visualization

# Multiple Sclerosis Project

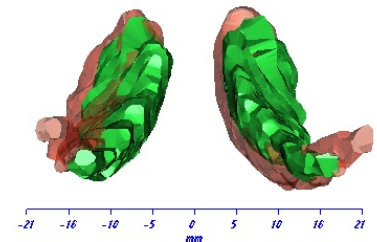
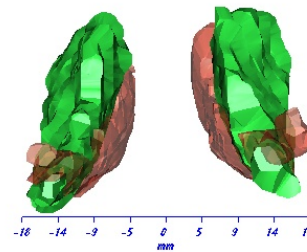
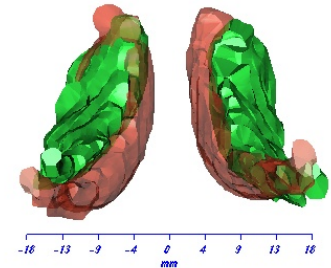
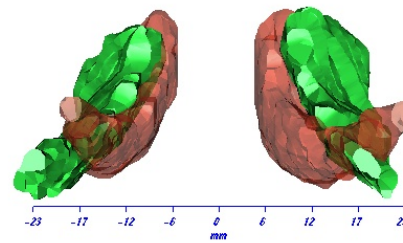
- Collaboration with Buffalo Neuroimaging Analysis Center (BNAC)
  - Developers of Avonex, drug of choice for treatment of MS
- MS Project examines patients and compares scans to healthy volunteers





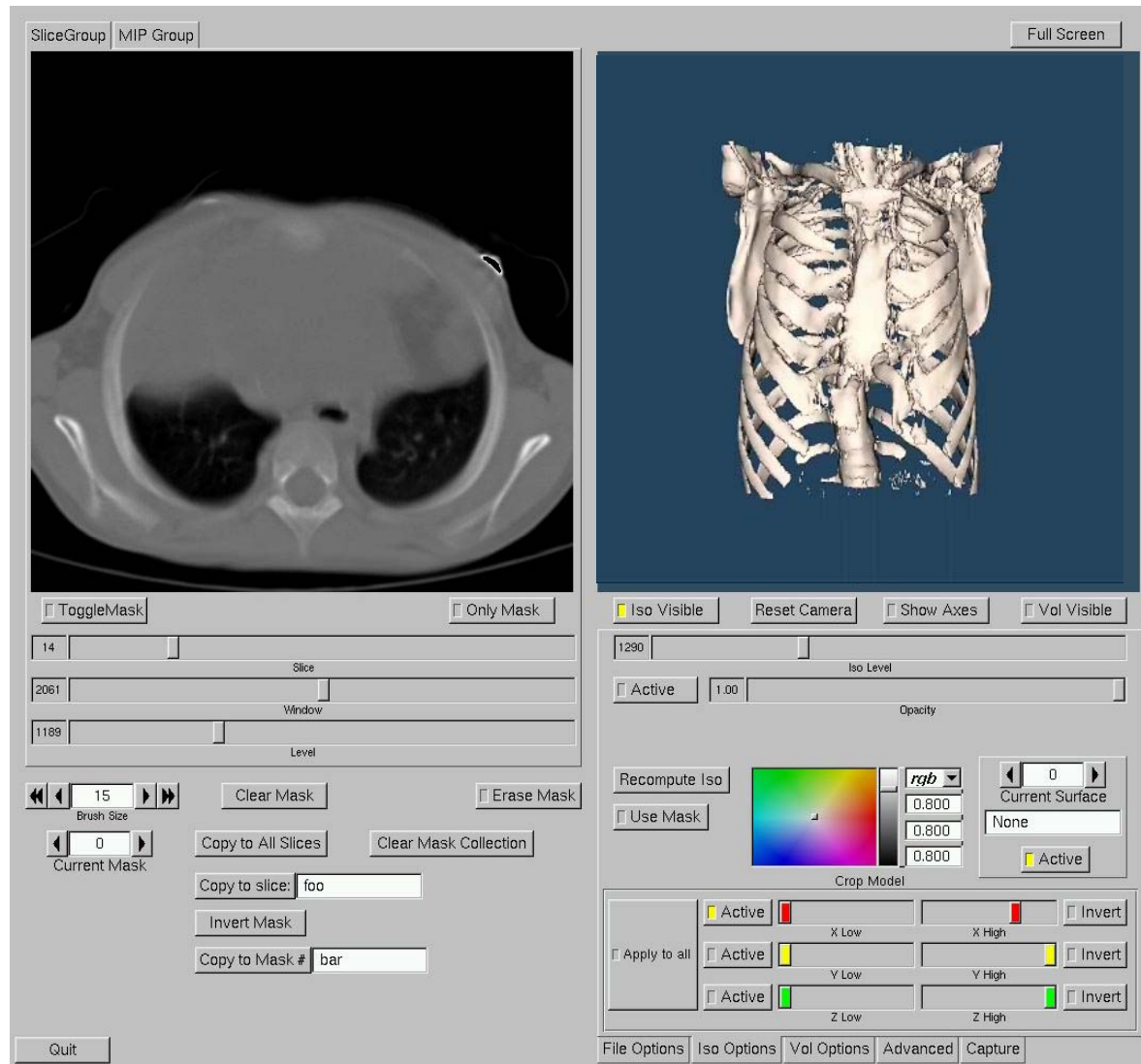
# Multiple Sclerosis Project

- Compare caudate nuclei between MS patients and healthy controls
- Looking for size as well as structure changes
  - Localized deformities
  - Spacing between halves
- Able to see correlation between disease progression and physical structure changes



# 3D Medical Visualization App

- Collaboration with Children's Hospital
  - Leading miniature access surgery center
- Application reads data output from a CT Scan
- Visualize multiple surfaces and volumes
- Export images, movies or CAD representation of model



# Science & Engineering

# Recent Biomedical Advances (Buffalo, NY)

■ **PSA Test (screen for Prostate Cancer)**

■ **Avonex: Interferon Treatment for Multiple Sclerosis**

■ **Artificial Blood**

■ **Nicorette Gum**

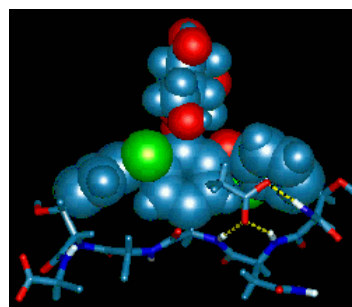
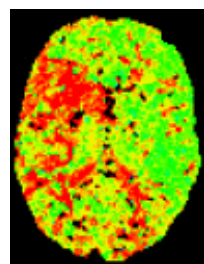
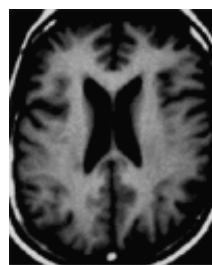
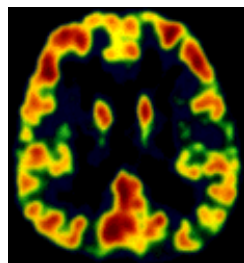
■ **Fetal Viability Test**

■ **Edible Vaccine for Hepatitis C**

■ **Timed-Release Insulin Therapy**

■ **Anti-Arrhythmia Therapy**

□ **Tarantula venom**



■ **Direct Methods Structure Determination**

□ **Listed on “Top Ten Algorithms of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century”**

□ **Vancomycin & Gramacidin A**

■ **High Throughput Crystallization Method**

■ **NIH National Genomics Center: Northeast Consortium**

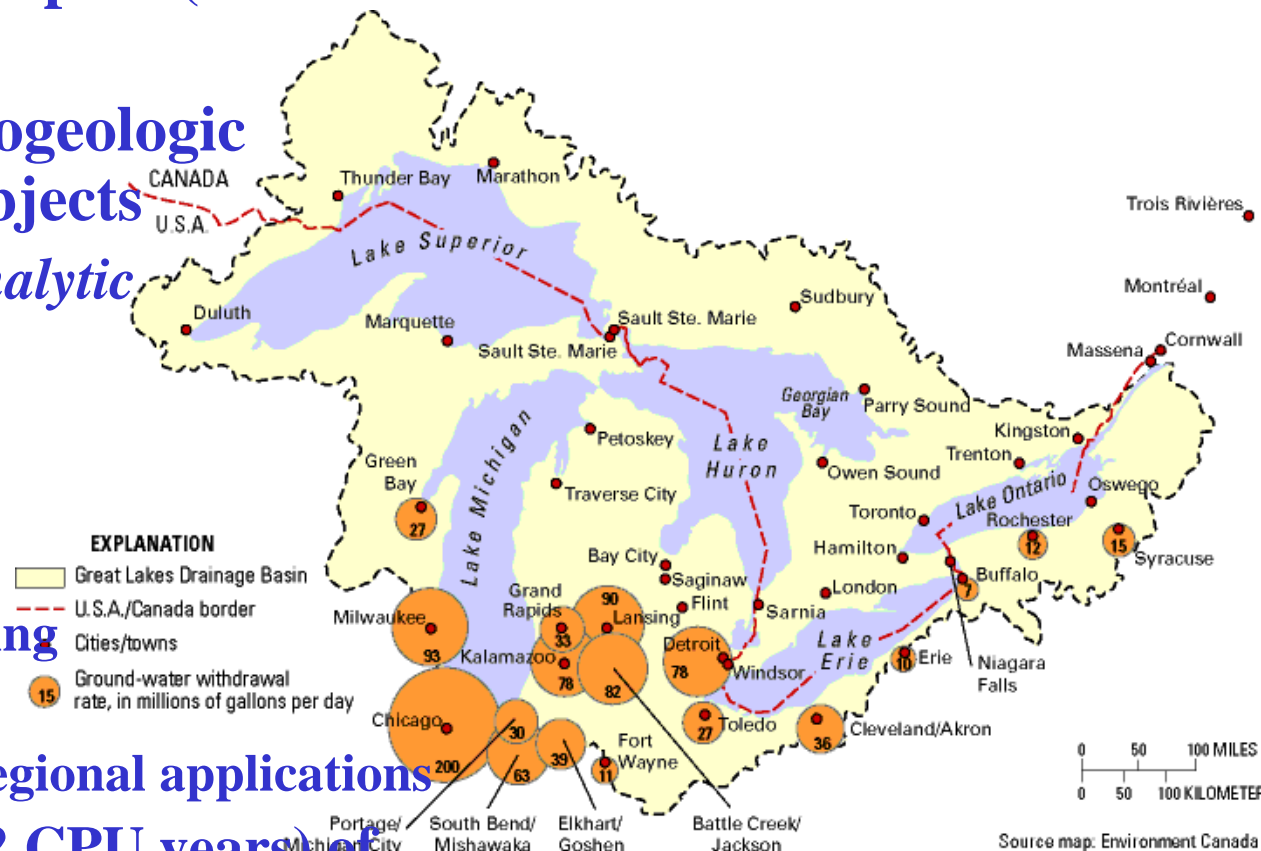
■ **HHMI: Center for Genomics & Proteomics**

■ **NYS COEBLS: \$360M with RPCI & HWI**



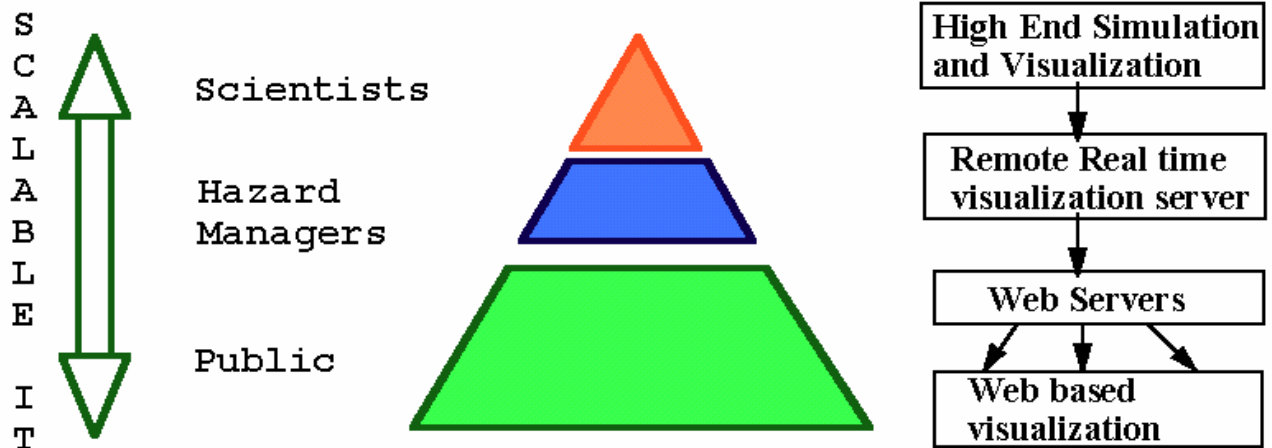
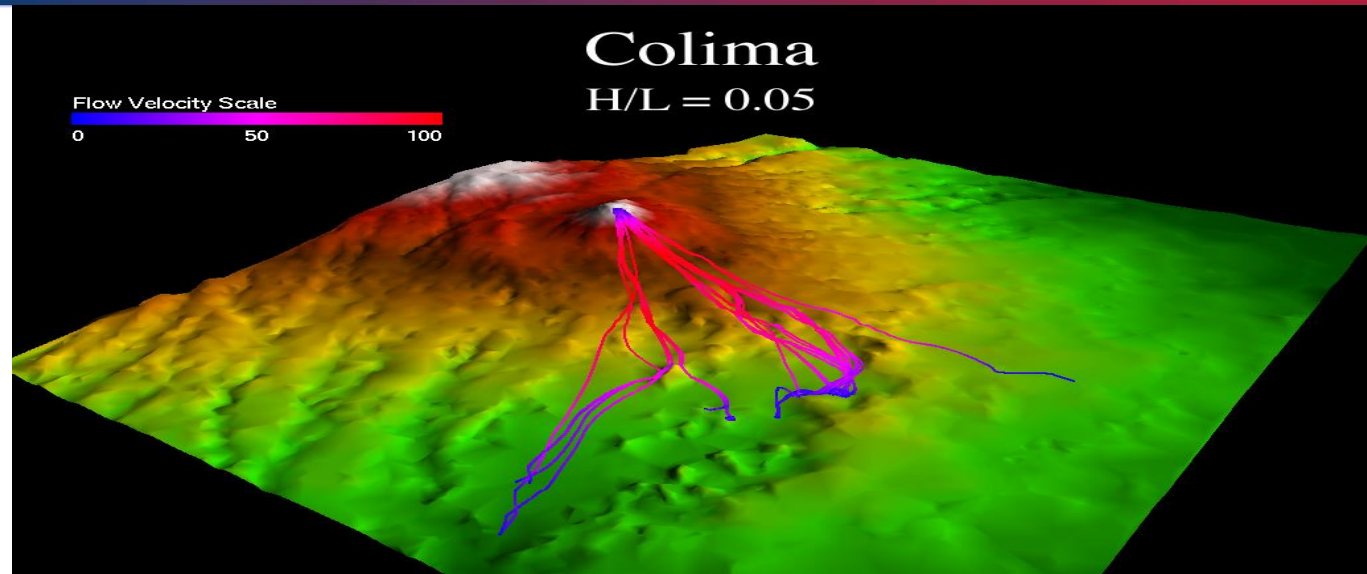
# Groundwater Flow Modeling

- Regional-scale modeling of groundwater flow and contaminant transport (Great Lakes Region)
- Ability to include all hydrogeologic features as independent objects
- Current work is based on *Analytic Element Method*
- Key features:
  - High precision
  - Highly parallel
  - Object-oriented programming
  - Intelligent user interface
  - GIS facilitates large-scale regional applications
- Utilized 10,661 CPU days (32 CPU years) of computing in past year on CCR's commodity clusters



# Geophysical Mass Flow Modeling

- **Modeling of Volcanic Flows, Mud flows (flash flooding), and Avalanches**
- **Integrate information from several sources**
  - Simulation results
  - Remote sensing
  - GIS data
- **Develop realistic 3D models of mass flows**
- **Present information at appropriate level**



# *Shake-and-Bake*

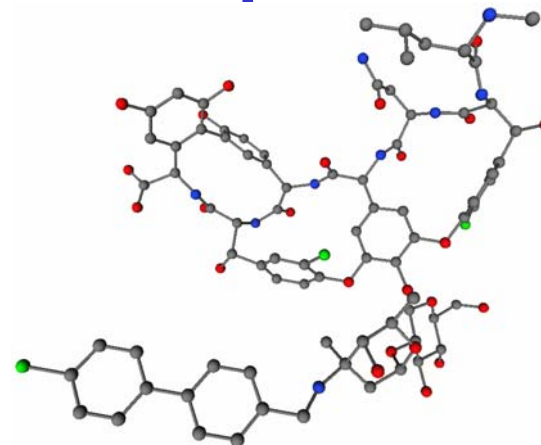
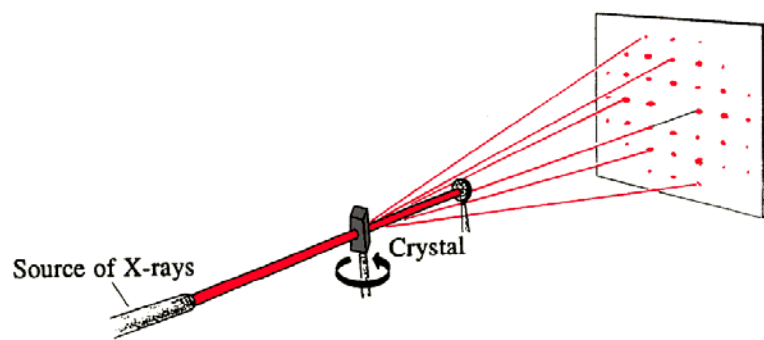
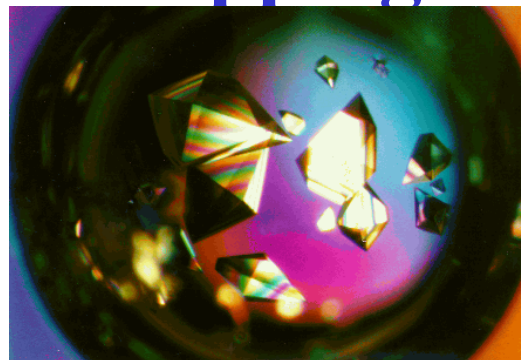
**Molecular Structure Determination  
from X-Ray Crystallographic Data**

# X-Ray Crystallography

- **Objective: Provide a 3-D mapping of the atoms in a crystal.**

- **Procedure:**

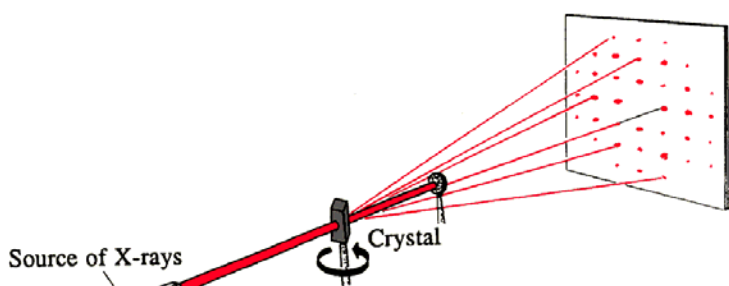
1. **Isolate a single crystal.**
2. **Perform the X-Ray diffraction experiment.**



3. **Determine molecular structure that agrees with diffraction data.**



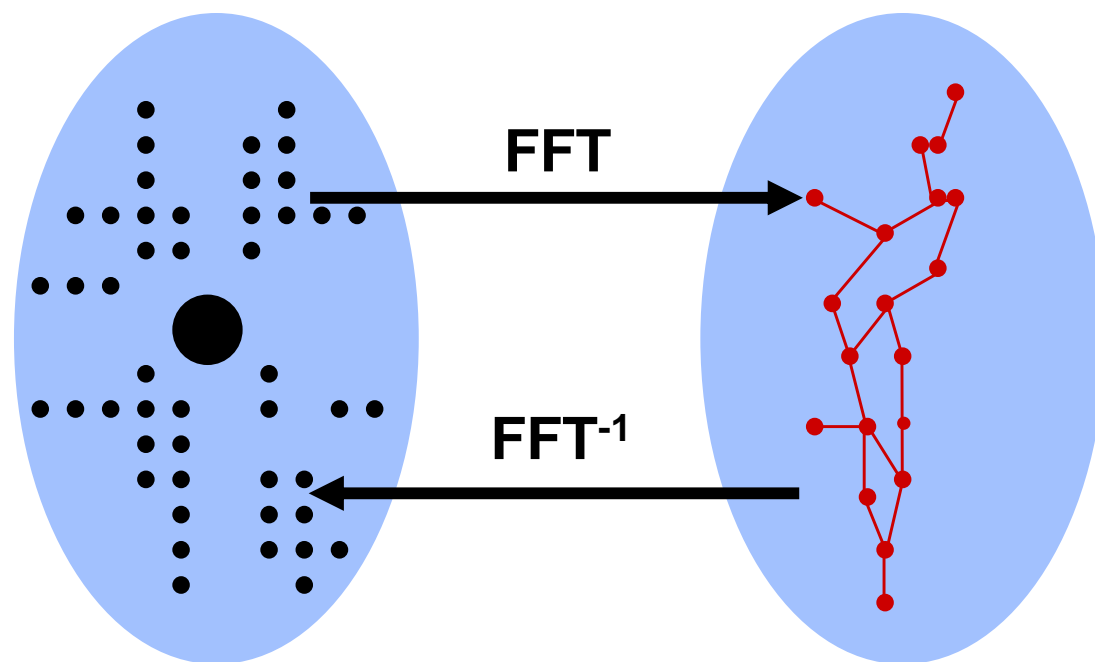
# X-Ray Data & Corresponding Molecular Structure



- Experiment yields reflections and associated intensities.
- Underlying atomic arrangement is related to the reflections by a 3-D Fourier transform.
- Phase angles are lost in experiment.
- Phase Problem: Determine the set of phases corresponding to the reflections.

Reciprocal or  
“Phase” Space

Real Space



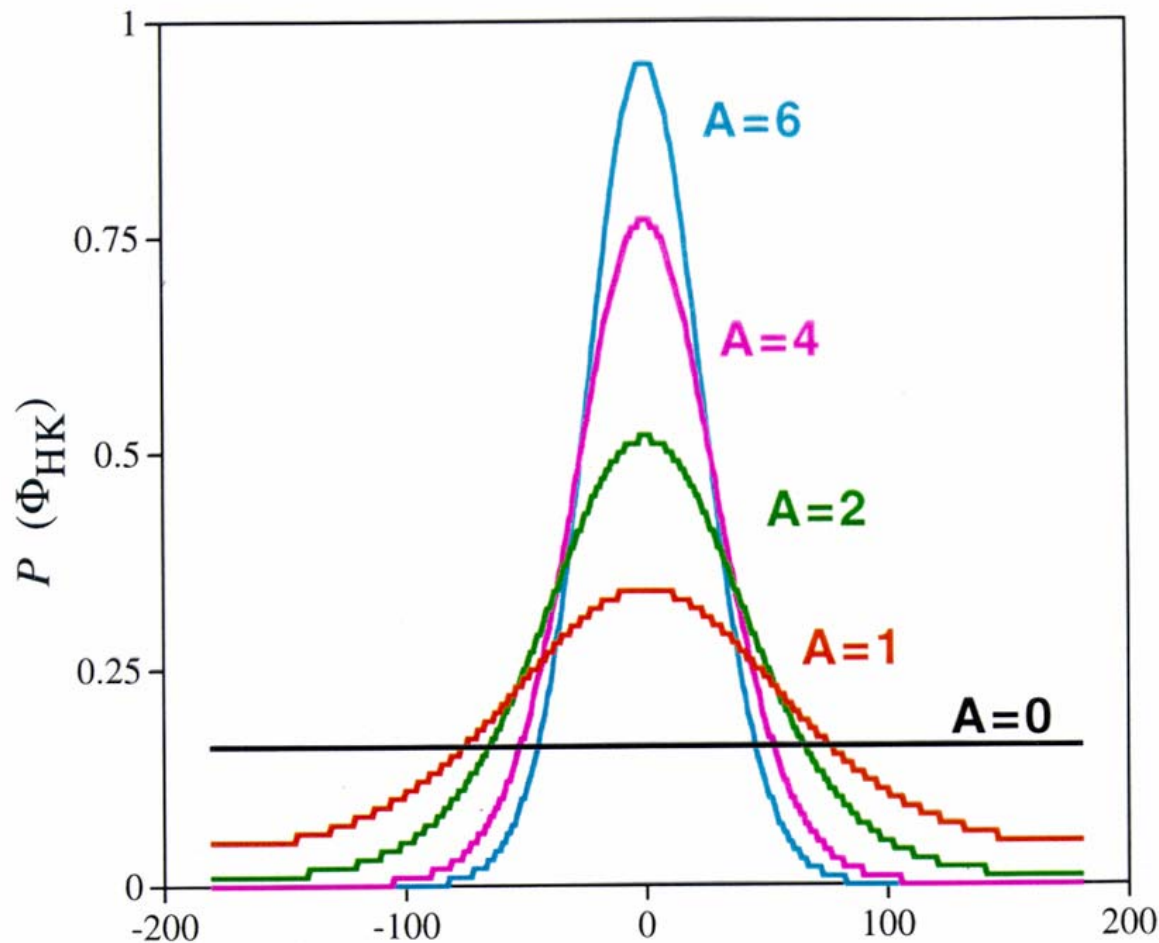
X-Ray Data

Molecular  
Structure

# Overview of Direct Methods

- **Probability theory gives information about certain linear combinations of phases.**
  - In particular, the triples  $\phi_{\mathbf{H}} + \phi_{\mathbf{K}} + \phi_{-\mathbf{H}-\mathbf{K}} = 0$  with high probability.
- **Probabilistic estimates are expressed in terms of normalized structure factor magnitudes ( $|E|$ ).**
- **Optimization methods are used to extract the values of individual phases.**
- **A multiple trial approach is used during the optimization process.**
- **A suitable figure-of-merit is used to determine the trials that represent solutions.**

# Cochran Distribution



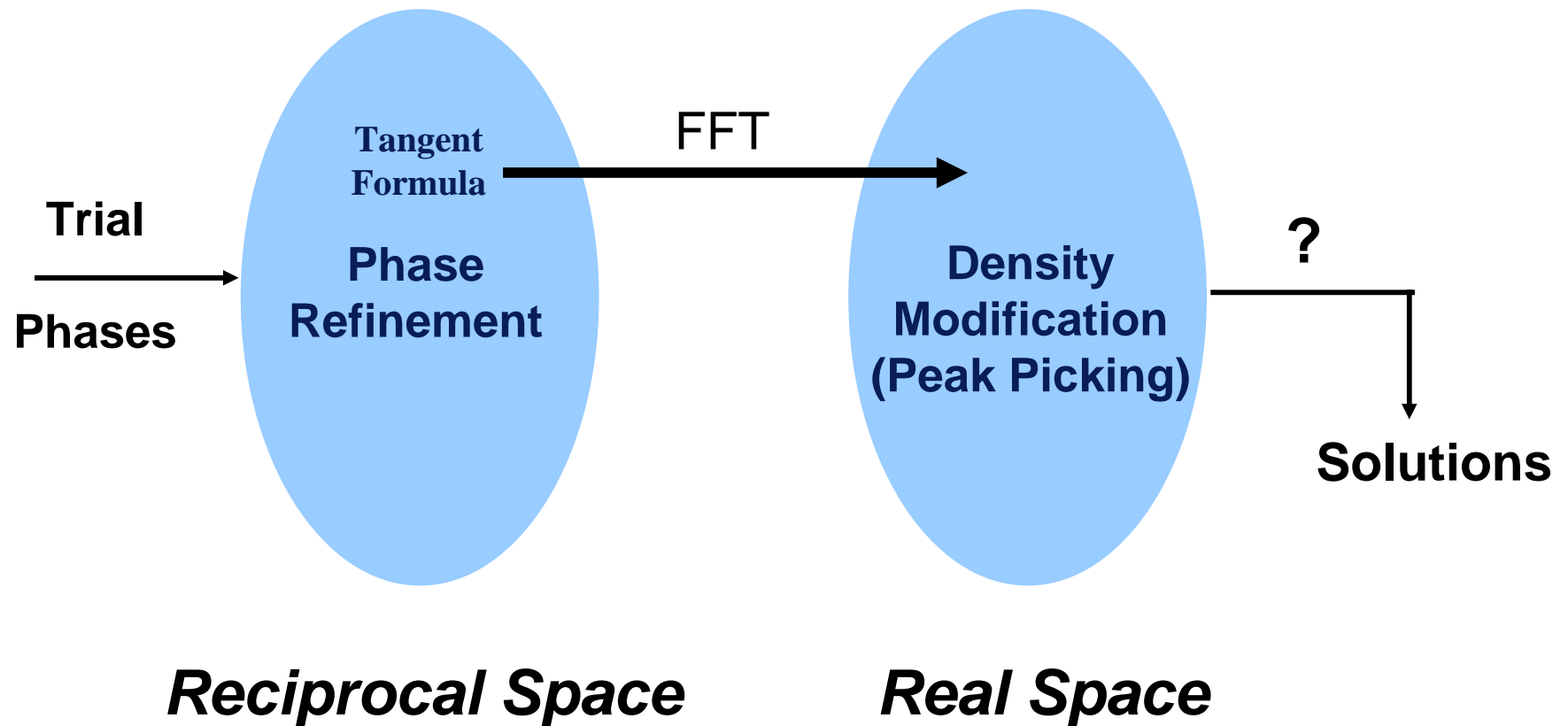
$$\Phi_{HK} = \phi_H + \phi_K + \phi_{-H-K}$$

- $N$  = non-H atoms in unit cell
- Each triplet of phases or structure invariant,  $\Phi_{HK}$ , has an associated parameter

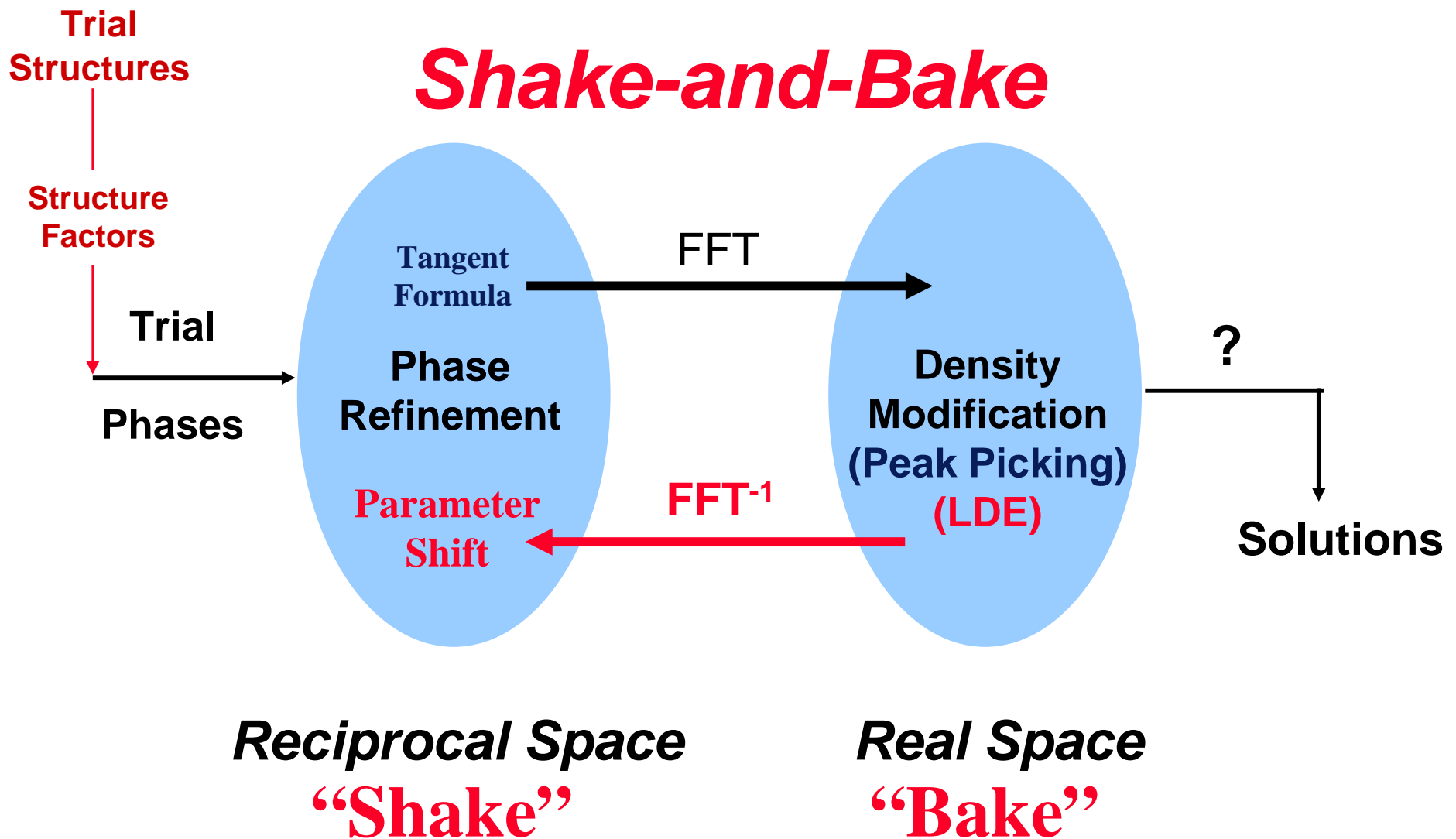
$$A_{HK} = 2|E_H E_K E_{-H-K}| / N^{1/2}$$

- $A_{HK}$  is large if
  - $|E_H|$ ,  $|E_K|$ ,  $|E_{-H-K}|$  are large
  - $N$  is small
- If  $A_{HK}$  is large,  $\Phi_{HK} \approx 0$

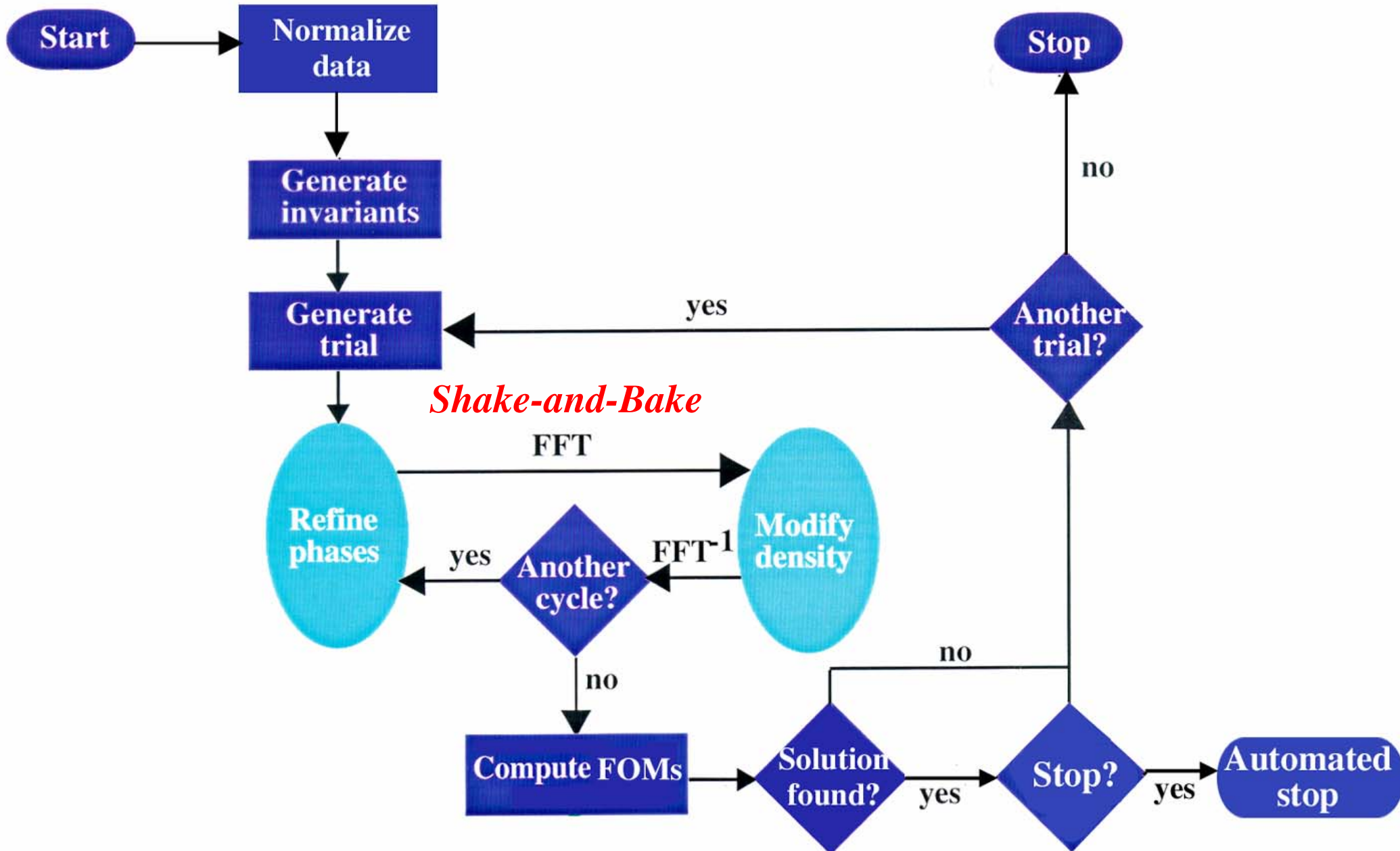
# Conventional Direct Methods



# Shake-and-Bake Method: Dual-Space Refinement



# A Direct Methods Flowchart



# Useful Relationships for Multiple Trial Phasing

Tangent  
Formula

$$\tan \phi_H = \frac{-\sum_K |E_K E_{-H-K}| \sin(\phi_K + \phi_{-H-K})}{\sum_K |E_K E_{-H-K}| \cos(\phi_K + \phi_{-H-K})}$$

Parameter Shift  
Optimization

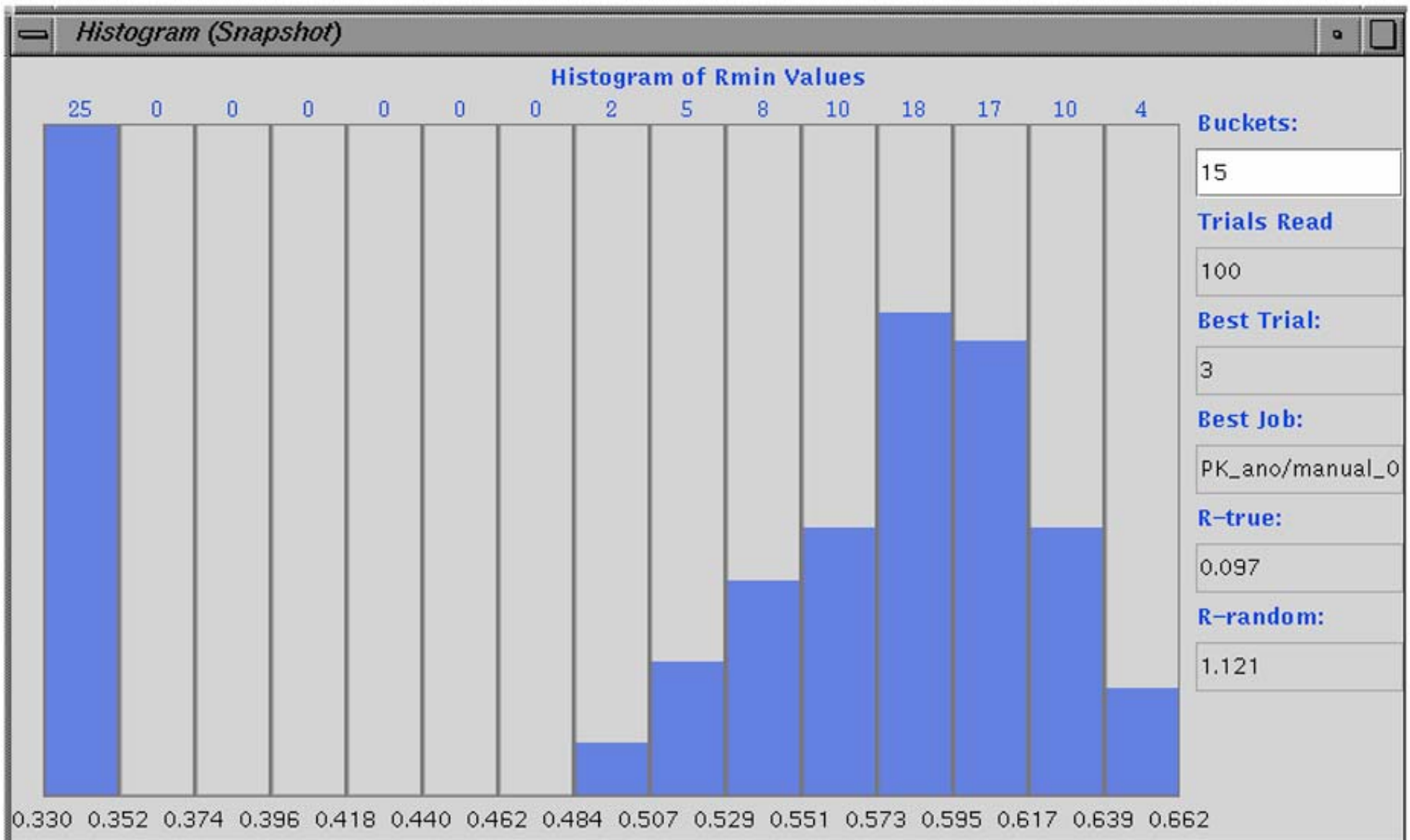
$$R(\phi) = \frac{1}{\sum_{H,K} W_{HK}} \sum_{H,K} W_{HK} \left( \cos \Phi_{HK} - \frac{I_1(W_{HK})}{I_0(W_{HK})} \right)^2$$

where  $|E_H| \propto |F_H|$  normalized in resolution shells

Invariants:  $\Phi_{HK} = \phi_H + \phi_K + \phi_{-H-K} \approx 0$

Weights:  $W_{HK} = A_{HK} = 2N^{-1/2} |E_H E_K E_{-H-K}|$

# Ph8755: *SnB* Histogram





# Phasing and Structure Size

Se-Met with *Shake-and-Bake* .....



Se-Met



567 kDa (160 Se)

Multiple Isomorphous Replacement .....



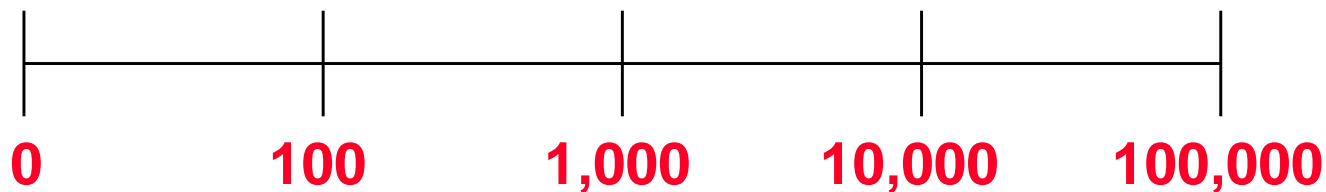
*Shake-and-Bake*



Conventional Direct Methods



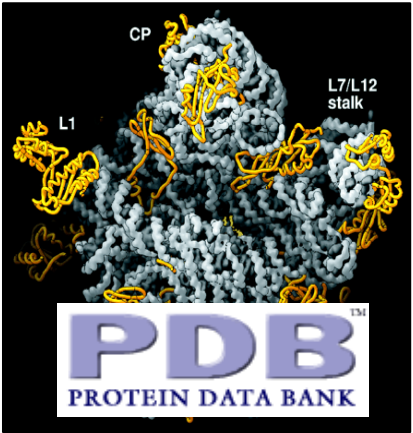
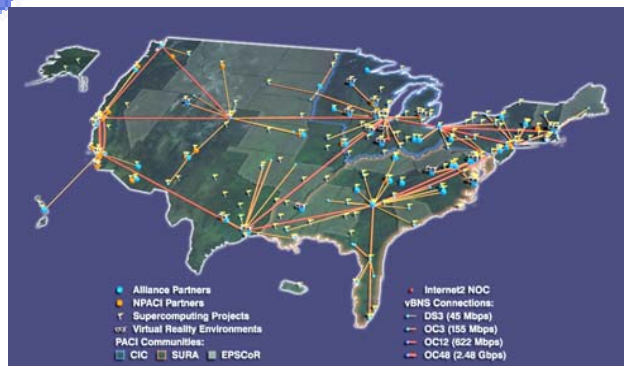
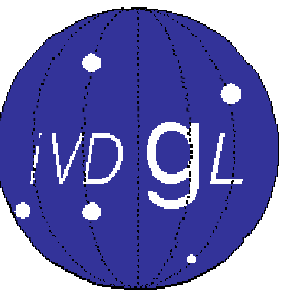
**Vancomycin**



**Number of Atoms in Structure**

# Grid Computing

# Grid Computing



Asia-Pacific Advanced Network



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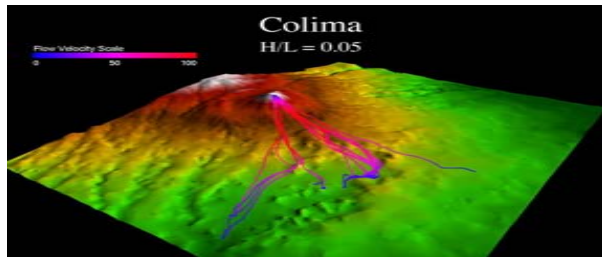


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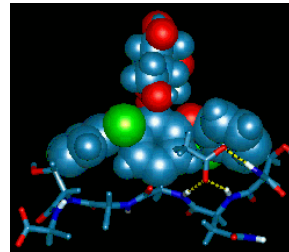
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# Grid Computing Overview



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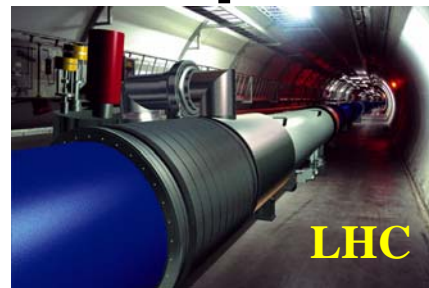
Advanced Visualization



Analysis



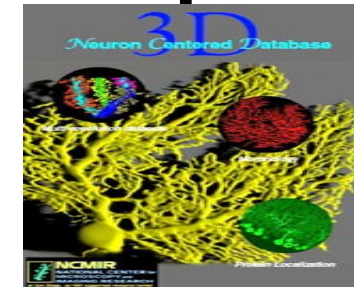
Imaging Instruments



LHC



Computational Resources



Large-Scale Databases

- Coordinate Computing Resources, People, Instruments in Dynamic Geographically-Distributed Multi-Institutional Environment
- Treat Computing Resources like Commodities
  - ❑ Compute cycles, data storage, instruments
  - ❑ Human communication environments
- No Central Control; No Trust

# ACDC-Grid Collaborations

- **High-Performance Networking Infrastructure**
- **WNY/NYS Grid Initiative**
- **Grid3+ Collaboration**
- **iVDGL Member**
  - Only External Member
- **Open Science Grid Member**
  - Organizational Committee
  - Blueprint Committee
  - Security Working Group
  - Data Working Group
  - GRASE VO
- **Grid-Lite: Campus Grid**
  - HP Labs Collaboration
- **Innovative Laboratory Prototype**
  - Dell Collaboration



# ACDC-Grid Cyber-Infrastructure

- **Integrated Data Grid**
  - Automated Data File Migration based on profiling users.
- **Lightweight Grid Monitor (Dashboard)**
- **Predictive Scheduler**
  - Define quality of service estimates of job completion, by better estimating job runtimes by profiling users.
- **Dynamic Resource Allocation**
  - Develop automated procedures for dynamic computational resource allocation.
- **High-Performance Grid-Enabled Data Repositories**
  - Develop automated procedures for dynamic data repository creation and deletion.

# Data Grid

## ■ Motivation:

- ❑ Large data collections are emerging as important community resources.
- ❑ Data Grids complement Computational Grids.

## ■ Definition: *A data grid is a network of distributed storage resources, including archival systems, caches, and databases, which are linked logically to create a sense of global persistence.*

## ■ Goal: Design and implement transparent management of data distributed across heterogeneous resources.

# ACDC-Grid Data Grid Functionality

- **Basic file management functions are accessible via a platform-independent web interface.**
- **User-friendly menus/interface.**
- **File Upload/Download to/from the Data Grid Portal.**
- **Simple Web-based file editor.**
- **Efficient search utility.**
- **Logical display of files (user/ group/ public).**
- **Ability to logically display files based on metadata (file name, size, modification date, etc.)**



# ACDC-Grid Data Grid

CCR Grid Computing Services: Data Management - Microsoft Internet Explorer

File Edit View Favorites Tools Help

UB University at Buffalo The State University of New York

## CCR Center for Computational Research GRID PORTAL

High Performance Grid Computing

VIEW Group GROUP miller UserList rappleye

- Folder: rappleye
  - Folder: KeyMaster
  - Folder: Morpheus
    - Folder: Tank
      - Folder: Agent
      - Folder: Rabbit
      - Folder: Tank
        - Folder: Morpheus
          - File: Oracle.m
      - Folder: Neo
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  - Folder: Neo
  - Folder: Morpheus
  - Folder: Oracle

PORTAL LOGOUT

User Tools

- » Manage Account

Grid General Info

Projects

Resources

- » Computational Grid
- » Job Submission
- » Job/Queue Status
- » Data Grid
- » Network Status
- » Running/Queued Jobs
- » PBS Job History
- » Grid Portal Statistics
- » Condor Flock Statistics
- » User Information

Education / Outreach

Staff Only

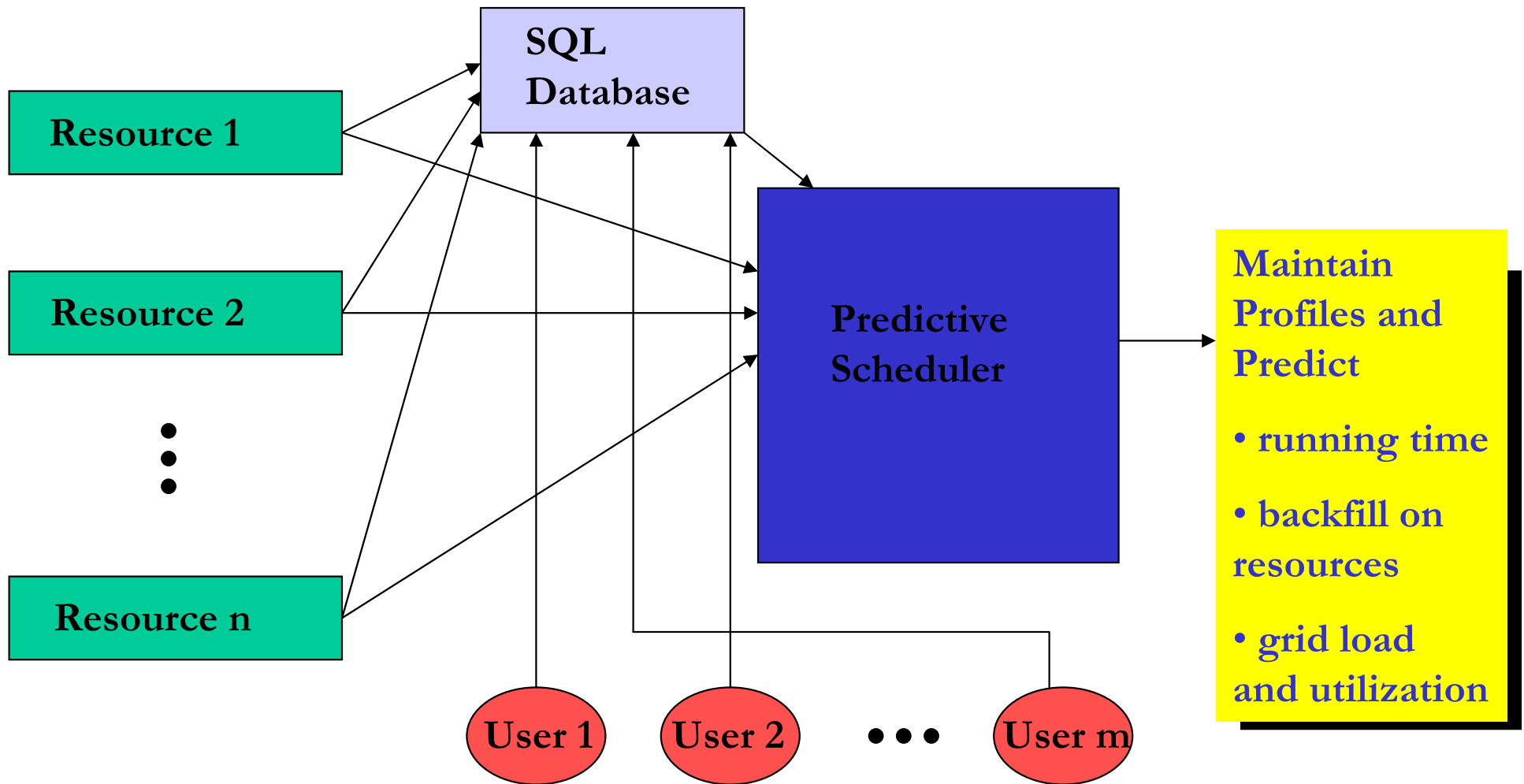
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Advanced Center for Computational Research Data

# Predictive Scheduler

- **Build profiles based on statistical analysis of logs of past jobs**
  - Per User/Group
  - Per Resource
- **Use these profiles to predict runtimes of new jobs**
- **Make use of these predictions to determine**
  - Resources to be utilized
  - Availability of Backfill

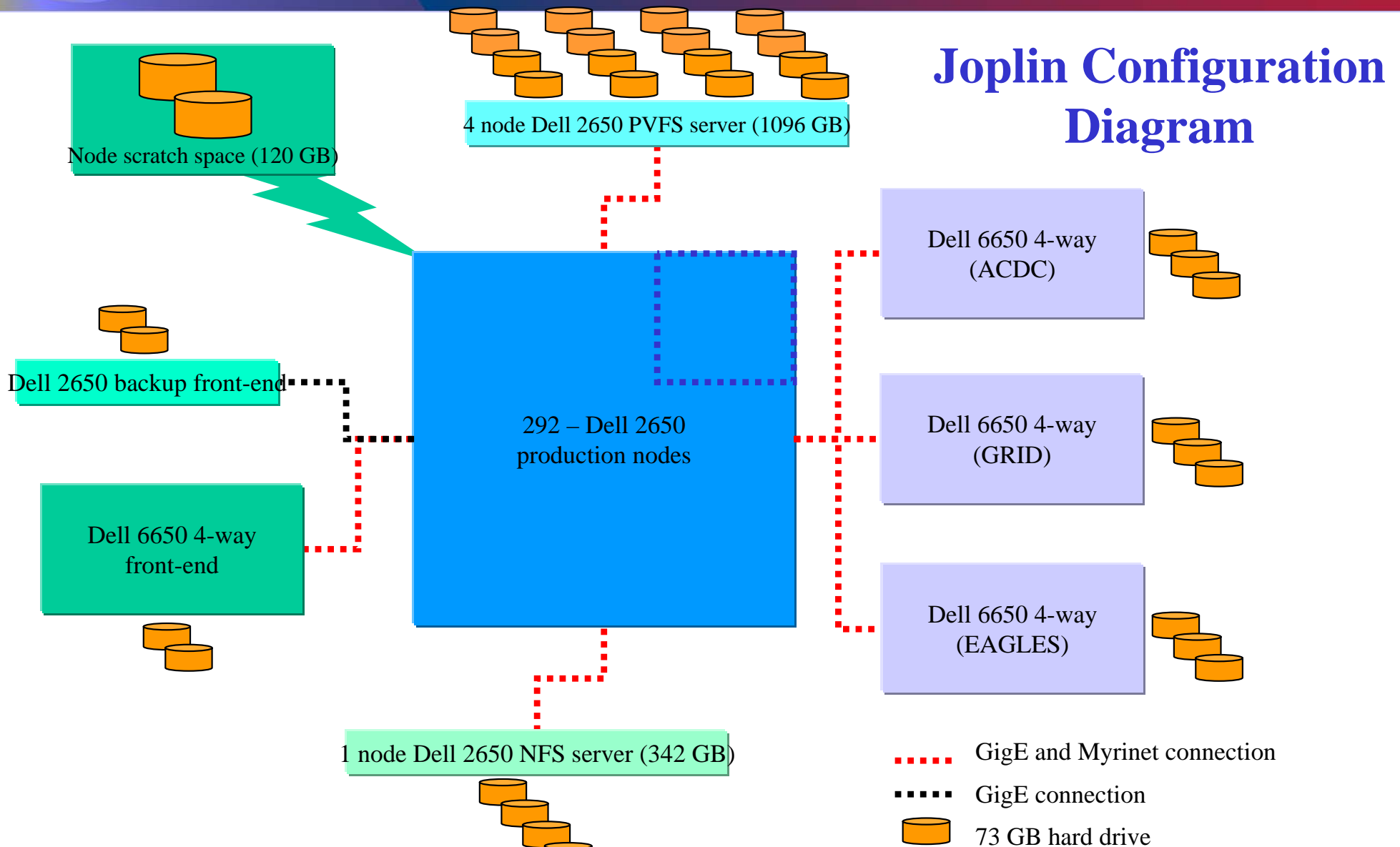
# System Diagram



# ACDC-Grid Dynamic Resource Allocation at SC03 with Grid3

- **Small number (40) of CPUs were dedicated at night**
- **An additional 400 CPUs were dynamically allocated during the day**
- **No human intervention was required**
- **Grid applications were able to utilize the resources and surpassed the Grid3 goals**

# ACDC-Grid Dynamic Resource Allocation

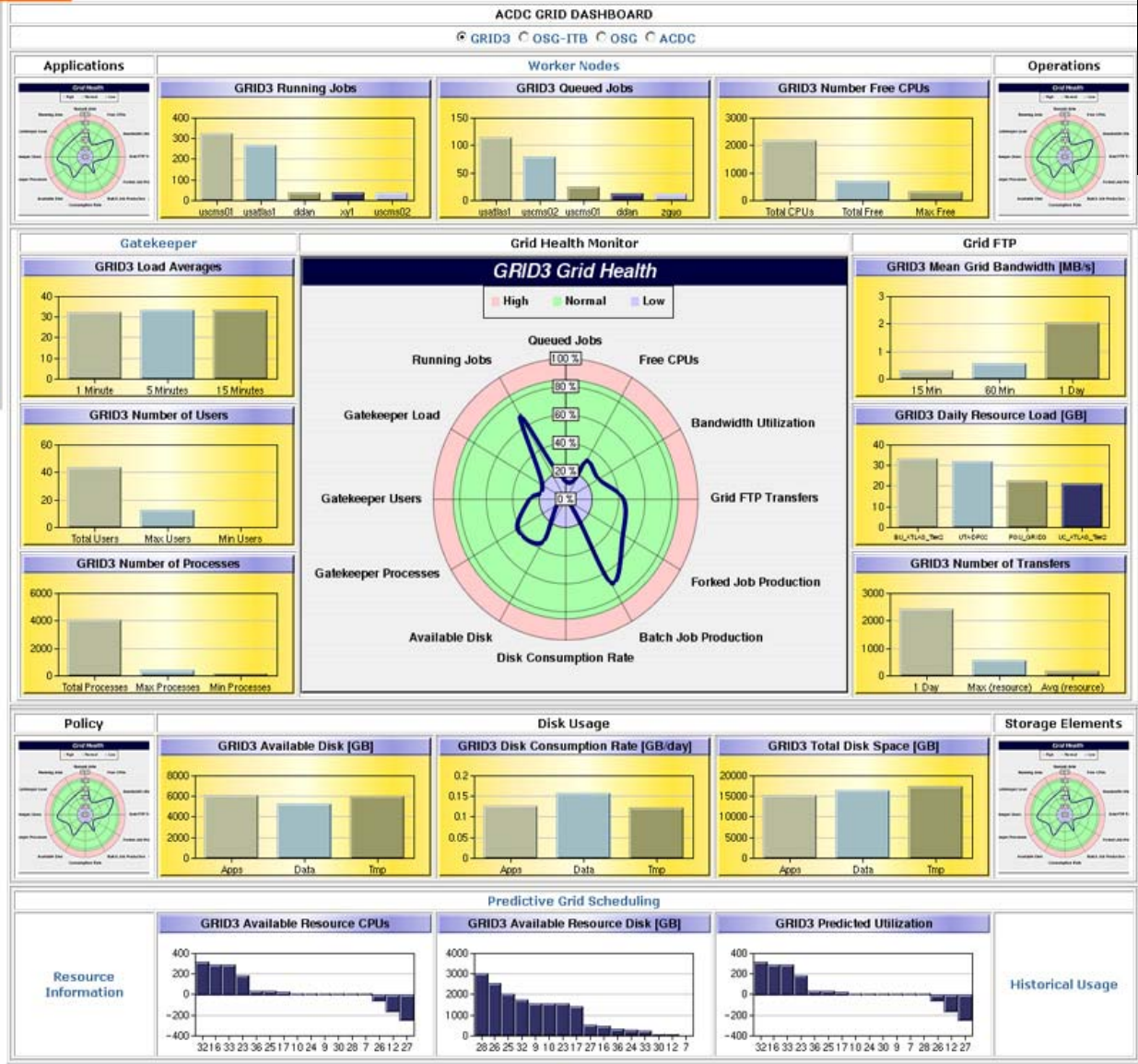




- Grid Resources
- ACDC Monitoring
- ACDC Grid Dashboard
- Running/Queued Job
- Job History
- Detailed Job History
- Detailed GridFTP History
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- Resources (view, refresh, ping, delete, create host certificate)
- Globus Administration
- Reports (machine usage, user access to machines, etc.)

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### Create New Database Job

Create a new database job that can be run by the portal. Job scripts must reside in `/home/griddev/www/jobscripts` prior to creating the database job entry.

Job Name:

Full Path To Script:

Accepts Arguments:

Run Script:

Run As User:

Return to the Database Job Admin menu.  
Return to the Grid Admin menu.

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### Generate Globus grid-mapfile

Specifying an optional include file will cause the contents of this file to be included at the top of the generated grid-mapfile. If a grid-mapfile path is specified a copy of the generated file will be saved into this location. The generated file will be staged to the grid nodes unless the box is checked.

Optional include file:

Optional grid-mapfile path:

Do not stage the file to the grid nodes

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### MDS Resource Update Status

Current Time: 16-September-2003 10:58:12

Resource	Last Updated	Next Update	Status
crosby.ccr.buffalo.edu	16-September-2003 09:15:30	2 minutes	OK
fogerty.ccr.buffalo.edu	16-September-2003 10:45:30	2 minutes	OK
joplin.ccr.buffalo.edu	16-September-2003 10:45:15	2 minutes	OK
mama.ccr.buffalo.edu	16-September-2003 10:45:15	2 minutes	OK
nash.ccr.buffalo.edu	16-September-2003 10:45:15	2 minutes	OK
nexus.hwi.buffalo.edu	16-September-2003 10:45:20	2 minutes	OK
yardbirds.ccr.buffalo.edu	16-September-2003 10:45:13	2 minutes	OK
young.ccr.buffalo.edu	16-September-2003 10:45:27	2 minutes	OK

Return to the Grid Resource Admin menu.  
Return to the Grid Admin menu.

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# Grid-Enabling Application Templates (GATs)

## ■ Structural Biology

- *SnB* and *BnP* for Molecular Structure Determination/Phasing

## ■ Groundwater Modeling

- *Ostrich*: Optimization and Parameter Estimation Tool
- *POMGL*: Princeton Ocean Model Great Lakes for Hydrodynamic Circulation
- *Split*: Modeling Groundwater Flow with Analytic Element Method

## ■ Earthquake Engineering

- *EADR*: Evolutionary Aseismic Design and Retrofit; Passive Energy Dissipation System for Designing Earthquake Resilient Structures

## ■ Computational Chemistry

- *Q-Chem*: Quantum Chemistry Package

## ■ Geographic Information Systems & BioHazards

- *Titan*: Computational Modeling of Hazardous Geophysical Mass Flows



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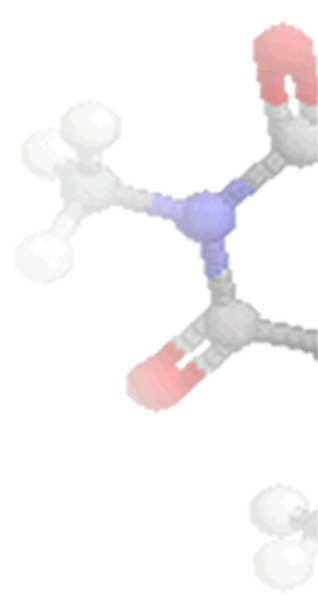
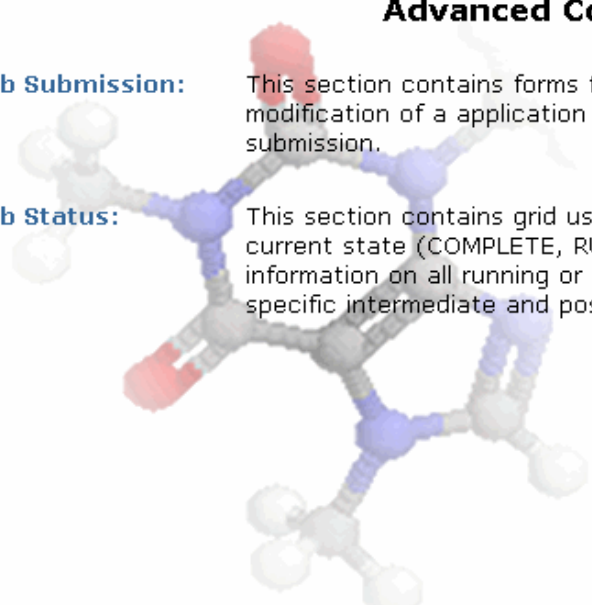
## Advanced Computational Data Center Grid Jobs

### Grid Job Submission:

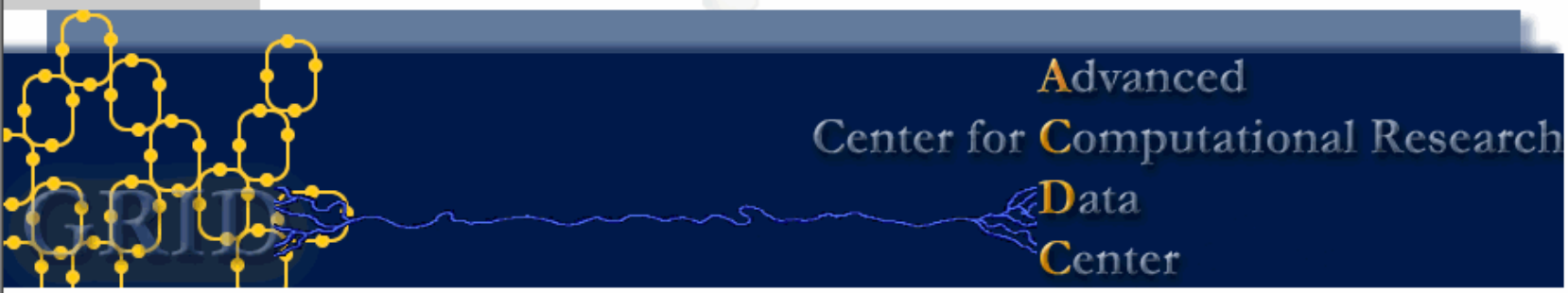
This section contains forms for the selection of a grid-enabled application, modification of a application template, grid job definition review and grid job submission.

### Grid Job Status:

This section contains grid user based specific grid job completion status, grid job current state (COMPLETE, RUNNING, QUEUED, BLOCKED, FAILED, ETC.), detailed information on all running or queued grid jobs and grid-enabled application specific intermediate and post processing grid job graphics, plots and tables.

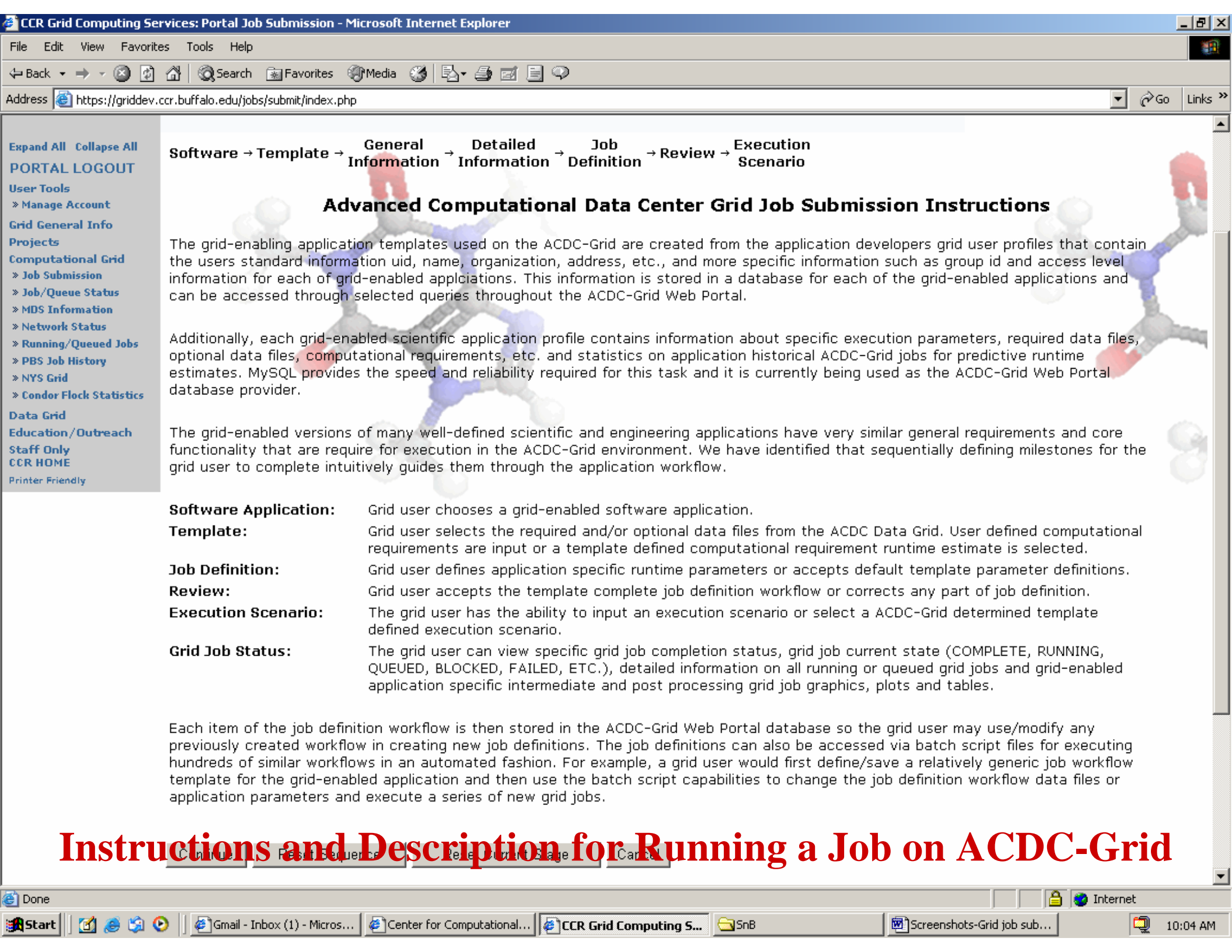


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**Startup Screen for A CDC-Grid Job Submission**

\*\* Development Portal \*\*



Software → Template → General Information → Detailed Information → Job Definition → Review → Execution Scenario

## Advanced Computational Data Center Grid Job Submission Instructions

The grid-enabling application templates used on the ACDC-Grid are created from the application developers grid user profiles that contain the users standard information uid, name, organization, address, etc., and more specific information such as group id and access level information for each of grid-enabled applications. This information is stored in a database for each of the grid-enabled applications and can be accessed through selected queries throughout the ACDC-Grid Web Portal.

Additionally, each grid-enabled scientific application profile contains information about specific execution parameters, required data files, optional data files, computational requirements, etc. and statistics on application historical ACDC-Grid jobs for predictive runtime estimates. MySQL provides the speed and reliability required for this task and it is currently being used as the ACDC-Grid Web Portal database provider.

The grid-enabled versions of many well-defined scientific and engineering applications have very similar general requirements and core functionality that are require for execution in the ACDC-Grid environment. We have identified that sequentially defining milestones for the grid user to complete intuitively guides them through the application workflow.

- Software Application:** Grid user chooses a grid-enabled software application.
- Template:** Grid user selects the required and/or optional data files from the ACDC Data Grid. User defined computational requirements are input or a template defined computational requirement runtime estimate is selected.
- Job Definition:** Grid user defines application specific runtime parameters or accepts default template parameter definitions.
- Review:** Grid user accepts the template complete job definition workflow or corrects any part of job definition.
- Execution Scenario:** The grid user has the ability to input an execution scenario or select a ACDC-Grid determined template defined execution scenario.
- Grid Job Status:** The grid user can view specific grid job completion status, grid job current state (COMPLETE, RUNNING, QUEUED, BLOCKED, FAILED, ETC.), detailed information on all running or queued grid jobs and grid-enabled application specific intermediate and post processing grid job graphics, plots and tables.

Each item of the job definition workflow is then stored in the ACDC-Grid Web Portal database so the grid user may use/modify any previously created workflow in creating new job definitions. The job definitions can also be accessed via batch script files for executing hundreds of similar workflows in an automated fashion. For example, a grid user would first define/save a relatively generic job workflow template for the grid-enabled application and then use the batch script capabilities to change the job definition workflow data files or application parameters and execute a series of new grid jobs.

# Instructions and Description for Running a Job on ACDC-Grid

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Select a GAT: BnP Auto Run

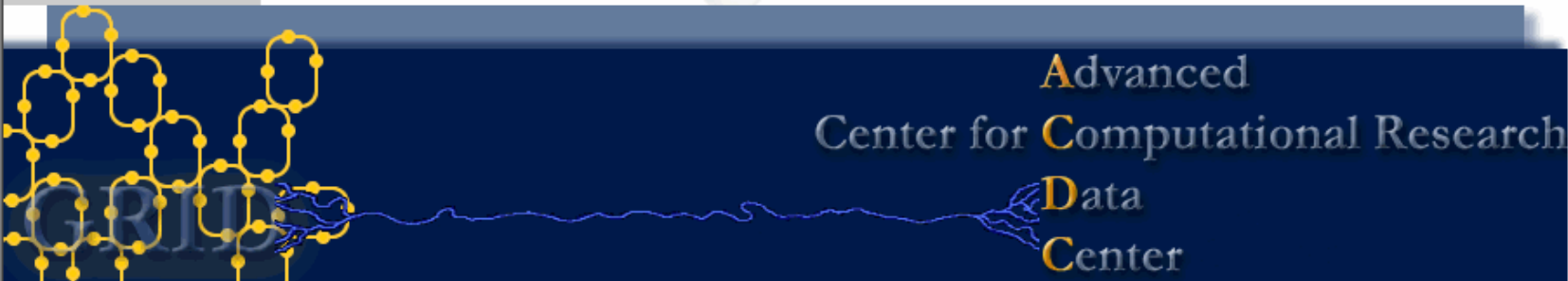
- BnP Auto Run
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- Q-Chem
- SnB**
- SnB DREAR
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**Software Package Selection**

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Enter structure definition manually

Select structure from Data Grid:

Select Config File

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**Full Structure / Substructure Template Selection**

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## General Information

### Structure Information

**Title:**

**Structure ID :**

**Space Group :**

### Cell Constants and Cell Errors (Cell Errors optional)

**A:**  +/-

**B:**  +/-

**C:**  +/-

**Alpha:**  +/-

**Beta:**  +/-

**Gamma:**  +/-

### Native Asymmetric Unit Contents

**No Residues (Optional):**

**ASU Contents :**  (examples: C6H12O6 OR C6 H12 O6)

### Initial Data Sets

Select dataset to delete	<input type="radio"/>
Datasets	Dataset 1
Name (8 characters)	

**Default Parameters Based on Template**

## Initial Data Sets

Add Dataset

Delete Dataset

Select dataset to delete	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Datasets</b>	<b>Dataset 1</b>
Name (8 chars max):	<input type="text" value="iledhkl"/>
Dataset Type:	<input type="text" value="Native"/>
File Name (*.hkl) :	<input type="text"/> <input type="button" value="Browse"/>
File Type:	<input type="text" value="F, Sig(F)"/>
Wavelength:	<input type="text" value="1.5418"/>
Max. Resolution:	<input type="text" value="0.94"/>
Anomalous Dispersion:	<input type="text" value="Not Measured"/>
Heavy Element Type:	<input type="text"/>
Nat. Element Replaced:	<input type="text"/>
No. Expected Sites:	<input type="text"/>
F Prime (f'):	<input type="text"/>
F Double Prime (f''):	<input type="text"/>

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# Default Parameters (cont'd)



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## Reflections and Invariants

### Drear Table

Data Set	Job Type	Native Data	Derivative Data	Norm Method	Select
iledhkl	BASIC	iledhkl	NULL	Wilson (Anisotropic)	<input type="radio"/>

### Normalization Data

Data resolution cutoffs (in Angstroms)? Low:  High:

Use Bayesian estimates for weak reflections?

Min |F| / sig(|F|) for local scaling:

SIR and SAS cutoffs: TMax :  ZMax :   
 XMIN :  YMIN :

Run Normalization

### Generate Invariants

Data resolution cutoffs ? Low:  High:

Minimum allowed |E| / sig(|E|):  Maximum |E| :

Minimum allowed invariants / reflection ratio:

Initial values for adjustable parameters

Minimum |E| / sig(|E|) = ZMin:

Number of reflections to use:

Number of invariants to save:

Generate Invariants

Continue Reset Sequence Reset Current Stage Cancel

# Generating Reflections (Drear)

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**Invariant Generation**



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## Grid Parameters

Preferred resource name:

Number of processors:

Wallclock time requested: (mins)

Job Prefix for results:

Queue:

## SnB Run Parameters

### • Invariants

Number of triplet invariants to use:

### • Trials To Process

Starting phases from:

Random seed (prime):

Number of Trials:

Starting Trial:

Input Phase File:

Input Atom File:

Keep complete (every trial) peak file? :

### • Cycles Information

Number of Shake-and-Bake cycles:

Keep complete (every cycle) trace file? :

Terminate trials failing the R-Ratio test? :

R-Ratio cutoff:

### • Phase Refinement Method

## SnB Setup

Grid Scheduler

5

720

job0

grid

8400

Random Atoms

11909

1000

1

none

none

Yes

20

No

No

0.20

**SnB Setup**

• *Phase Refinement Method*

Phase Refinement Method :

Parameter Shift (Fast) ▾

Number of passes through phase set:

3

Phase shift:

90.0

Number of shifts:

2

• *Real-Space Constraints*

Number of peaks to select:

84

Minimum interpeak distance:

3

Minimum distance between symmetry-related peaks:

3.0

Number of special position peaks to keep:

0

Fourier grid size:

0.31

Perform extra cycles with more peaks? :

No ▾

Number of extra cycles :

4

Number of peaks :

84

• *Twice Baking*

Trials for E-Fourier filtering (fourier refinement)? :

None ▾

Number of cycles :

8

Number of peaks :

84

Minimum |E| :

0.75

• *Automatic solution identification criteria*

Rmin Improvement (%):

45.0

Rcryst Improvement (%):

25.0

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**SnB Setup (cont'd)**

## SnB Job Review

<b>Grid Job ID:</b>	447
<b>Selected resource:</b>	clearwater.ccr.buffalo.edu
<b>Number of processors:</b>	5
<b>Wallclock time requested:</b>	720
<b>Number of triplet invariant to use:</b>	8400
<b>Start Phases From:</b>	Random Atoms
<b>Random seed (prime):</b>	11909
<b>Number of trials:</b>	1000
<b>Starting Trial:</b>	1
<b>Input Phase File:</b>	Unused
<b>Input Atom File:</b>	Unused
<b>Keep complete (every trial) peak file? :</b>	Yes
<b>Number of Shake-and-bake cycles:</b>	20
<b>Keep complete (every cycle) trace file? :</b>	No
<b>Terminate trials failing the R-Ratio test? :</b>	No
<b>R-Ratio cutoff:</b>	Unused
<b>Phase Refinement Method:</b>	Parameter Shift(Fast)
<b>Number of passes through phase set:</b>	3
<b>Phase shift:</b>	90.0
<b>Number of shifts:</b>	2
<b>Number of peaks to select:</b>	84
<b>Minimum interpeak distance:</b>	3
<b>Minimum distance between symmetry-related peaks:</b>	3.0
<b>Number of special position peaks to keep:</b>	0
<b>Fourier grid size:</b>	0.31
<b>Perform extra cycles with more peaks? :</b>	No
<b>Number of extra cycles:</b>	Unused
<b>Number of peaks:</b>	Unused
<b>Trials for E-Fourier filtering (fourier refinement)? :</b>	None
<b>Number of cycles:</b>	Unused
<b>Number of peaks:</b>	Unused
<b>Minimum  E :</b>	Unused

***SnB* Review (Grid job ID: 447)**

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## Details for Grid Job 447 - iledhkl

### Job Detail Information

Status: **RUNNING**

Rmin Min: 0.344 Rmin Max: 0.56

Last Updated: 15-Mar-2005 10:22:00

Total Trials: 1000

Complete Trials: 285

Resource: clearwater.ccr.buffalo.edu Processors: 5

Best Trial Number: 34

Best Trial Rmin: 0.344

### Trial Summary

Grid Job 447 Trial Summary  
Number of Trials Complete: 285 (28.5%)



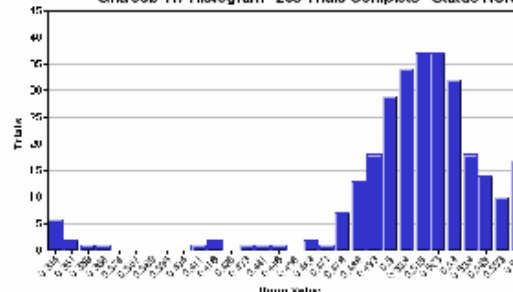
### Walltime Summary

Grid Job 447 Walltime Summary  
Walltime Consumed: 2 (0.3%)



### Grid Job Trial Histogram

Grid Job 447 Histogram - 285 Trials Complete - Status RUNNING



Click on image for enlarged view.

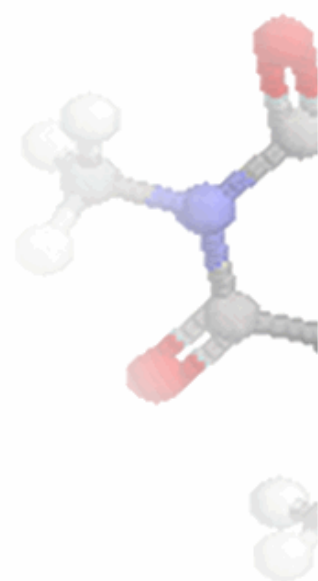
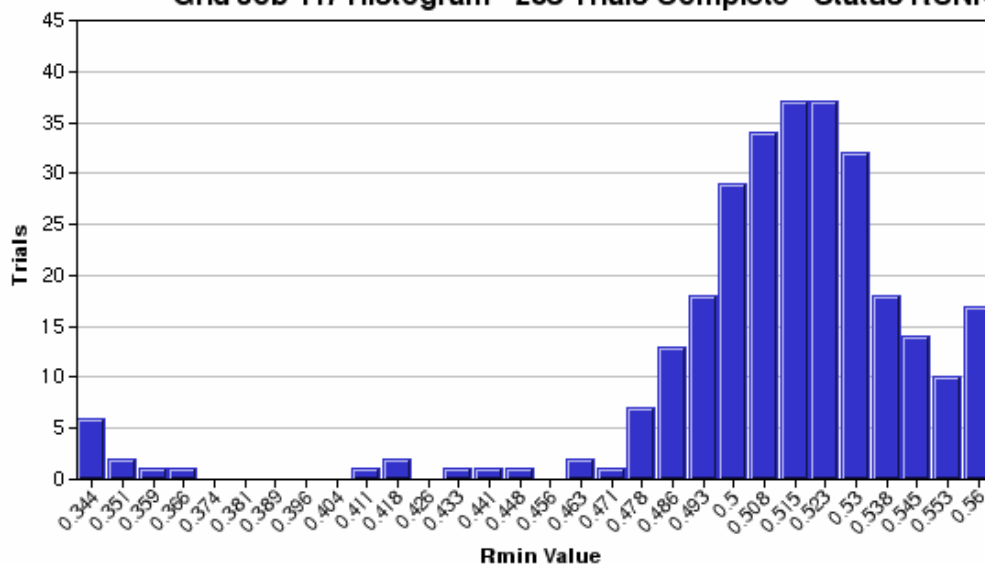
## Graphical Representation of Intermediate Job Status

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Grid Job 447 Histogram - 285 Trials Complete - Status RUNNING



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# Histogram of Completed Trial Structures

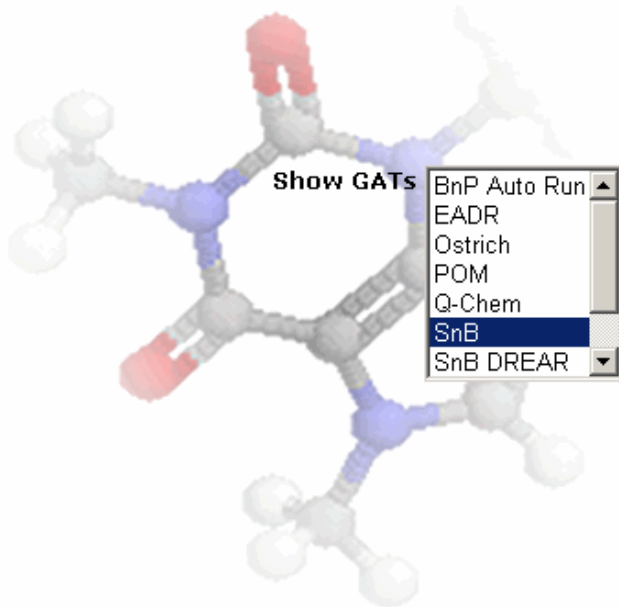


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## Grid Job Status

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### Job Filter Criteria



Show GATs

- BnP Auto Run
- EADR
- Ostrich
- POM
- Q-Chem
- SnB**
- SnB DREAR

Job State

- DEFINITION
- STAGING
- QUEUED
- RUNNING
- UPLOADING
- COMPLETE
- INCOMPLETE

Sort By

- Job Id**
- Job Name
- Resource
- Num Procs
- Status
- Percent Complete
- Last Update

- Descending
- Ascending

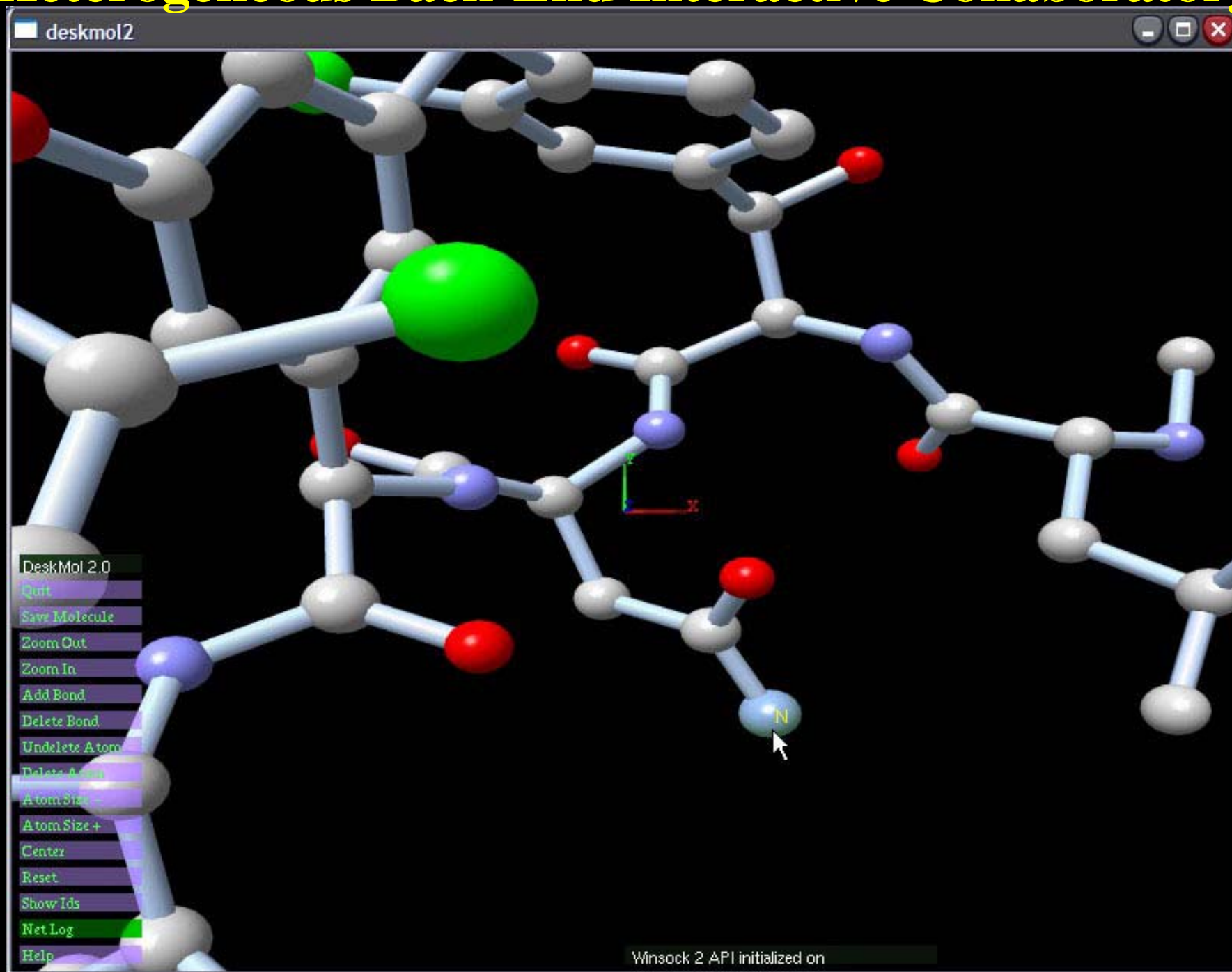
Filter Job List

### SnB

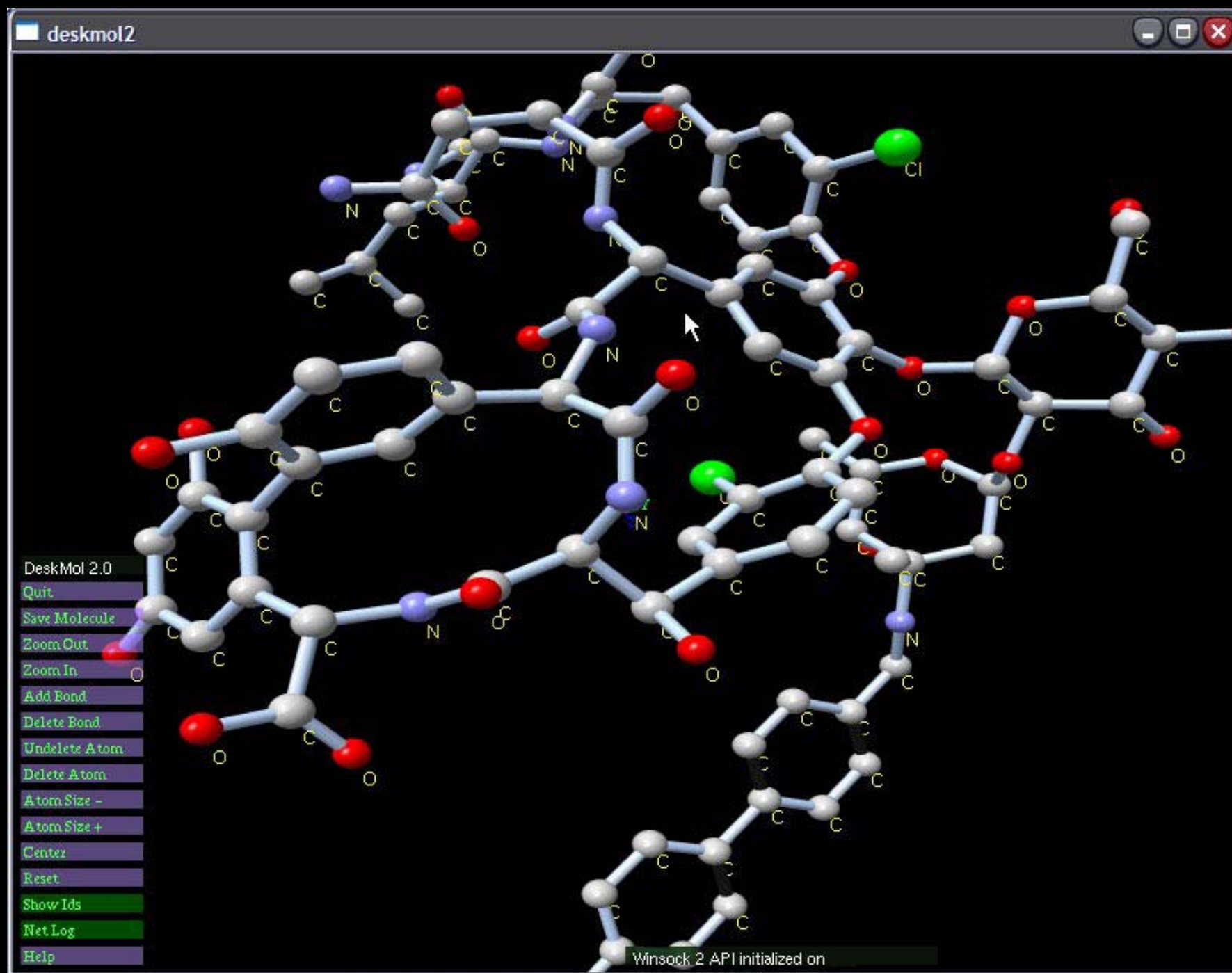
Job Id	Job Name	Resource	Num Procs	Status	Percent Complete	Last Update	Cancel Job	Drilldown
447	iledhkl	clearwater.ccr.buffalo.edu	5	RUNNING	28.5	15-Mar-2005 10:22:00	<input type="checkbox"/>	
446	trilys	clearwater.ccr.buffalo.edu	10	RUNNING	1	15-Mar-2005 10:22:00	<input type="checkbox"/>	
444	64chkl	nash.ccr.buffalo.edu	3	COMPLETE	100	14-Mar-2005 22:00:01		
443	trilys	clearwater.ccr.buffalo.edu	10	COMPLETE	100	10-Mar-2005 22:48:00		
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441	vancohkl	clearwater.ccr.buffalo.edu	10	COMPLETE	100	10-Mar-2005 18:08:01		
434	16chkl	clearwater.ccr.buffalo.edu	5	COMPLETE	100	10-Mar-2005 14:42:01		
433	16chkl	clearwater.ccr.buffalo.edu	5	COMPLETE	100	10-Mar-2005 14:38:01		

Status of Jobs

# Heterogeneous Back-End Interactive Collaboratory



User starts up – default image of structure.



Molecule scaled, rotated, and labeled.



# Current Grid Efforts

## ■ Grass Roots NYS Grid

- ❑ SUNY-Buffalo
- ❑ SUNY-Binghamton
- ❑ SUNY-Albany
- ❑ SUNY-Geneseo
- ❑ Hauptman-Woodward Inst.
- ❑ Columbia
- ❑ Niagara University
- ❑ Canisius College

## ■ Harden

- ❑ Dashboard
- ❑ Predictive Scheduler

## ■ GRASE VO: Grid

### Resources for Advanced Science and Engineering Virtual Organization

- ❑ (Non-Physics Research)
- ❑ Structural Biology
- ❑ Groundwater Modeling
- ❑ Earthquake Engineering
- ❑ Computational Chemistry
- ❑ GIS/BioHazards

# Outreach

- **HS Summer Workshops in Computational Science**
  - **Chemistry, Visualization, Bioinformatics**
  - **10-14 HS Students Participate Each Summer for 2 weeks**
  - **Project-Based Program**



# Outreach

## ■ Pilot HS Program in Computational Science

- Year long extracurricular activity at Mount St. Mary's, City Honors, and Orchard Park HS
- Produce next generation scientists and engineers
- Students learn Perl, SQL, Bioinformatics
- \$50,000 startup funding from Verizon, PC's from HP



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