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Projects



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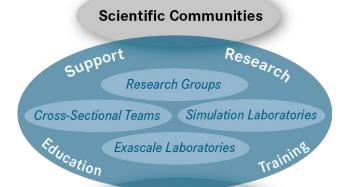
Region: JARA, RWTH Aachen University

 Germany: John von Neumann Institute for Computing Gauss Centre for Supercomputing

- Europe:PRACE, EU projects
- Application support
 - Unique support & research environment
 - Peer review support and coordination
- R&D work
 - Methods and algorithms, computational science, performance analysis and tools
 - Scientific Big Data analytics and data management
 - Computer architectures, Co-Design Exascale Laboratories: EIC, ECL, NVIDIA
- Education and Training







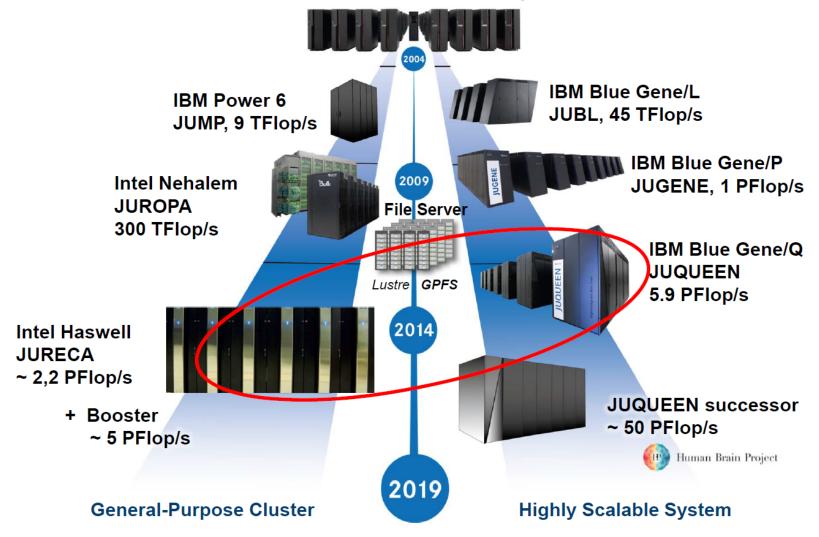
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Jülich Supercomputing Centre: Evolution of Supercomputers



IBM Power 4+ JUMP, 9 TFlop/s



JUWELS



- 23rd in Top500 list (June 2018)
- Peak performance 6.2 Pflop/s (according to Linpack benchmark)
- Realised within DEEP projects
- Based on modular and ultra flexible Supercomputing Architecture [4]
 - Big data
 - Compute intensive tasks
 - Energy efficient
- More focus on flexibility instead of speed





Computing Time on Supercomputers

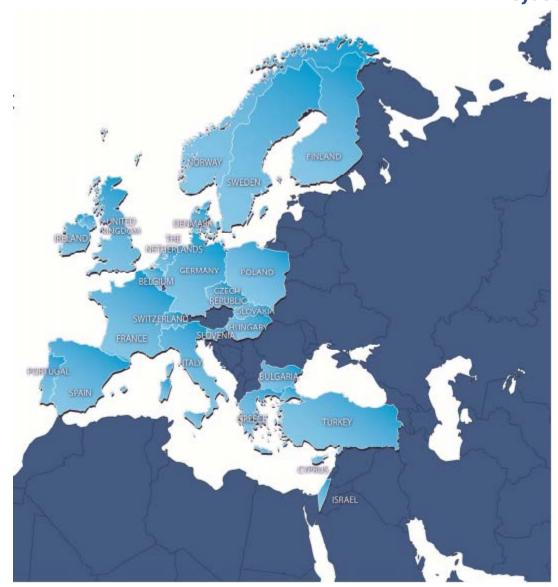


- EU PRACE HPC Infrastructure for all the scientists within EU
- When to Apply?
 - Calls for Projects are announced through PRACE mailing list and Website [3]
- Steps
 - Write a scientific proposal and fill up an application form?
 - CPU Cores, Pre-installed Parallel Applications, Time (Single or Multi-years), Use case
 - Submit the proposal & form
 - Application goes through review process
 - Become an awardee after review
 - Reporting at the end of your project
 - Extension is also possible

Partnership for Advanced Computing in Europe (PRACE)



- HPC Driven Infrastructure
- An international non-profit association under Belgien Law (aslo office in Brussels)
- Has 25 members and 2 observers
- Governed by the PRACE council
- Daily management of the association is delegated to the Board of Directors







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