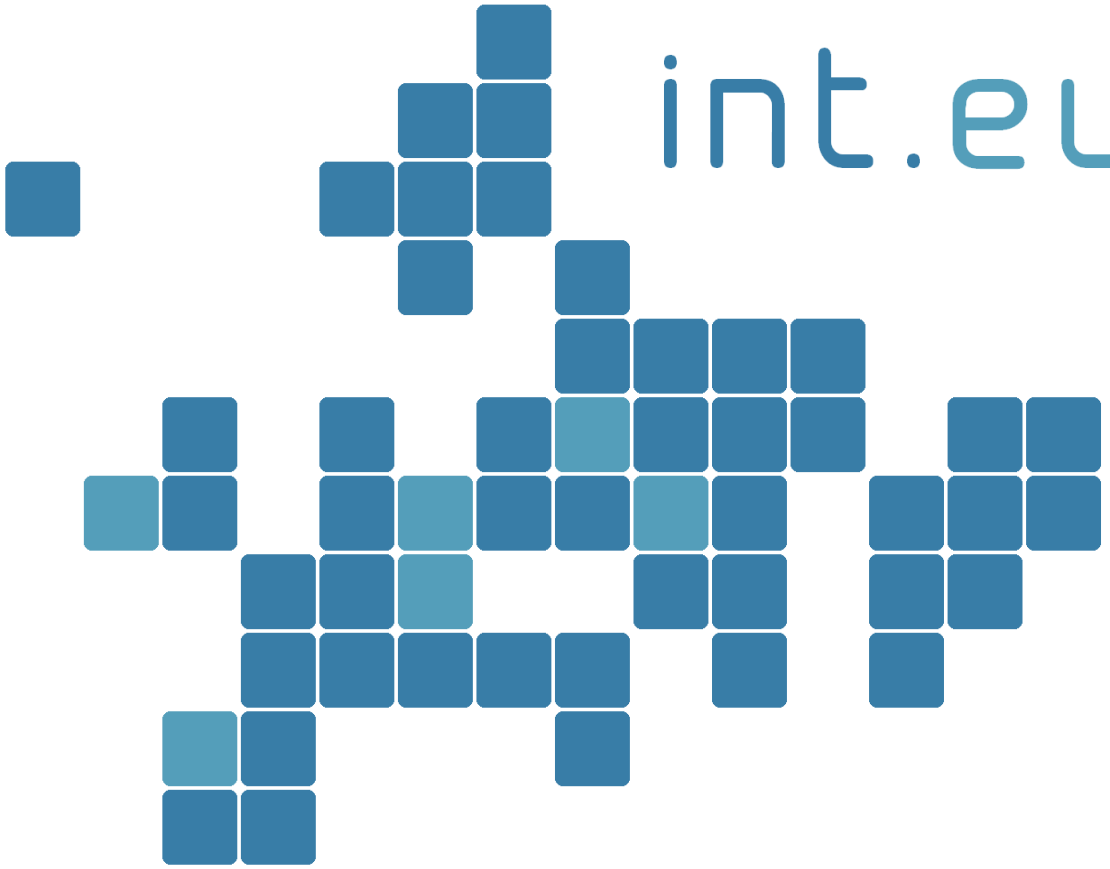

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Gridcomputing for Ultrasound CT (USCT)

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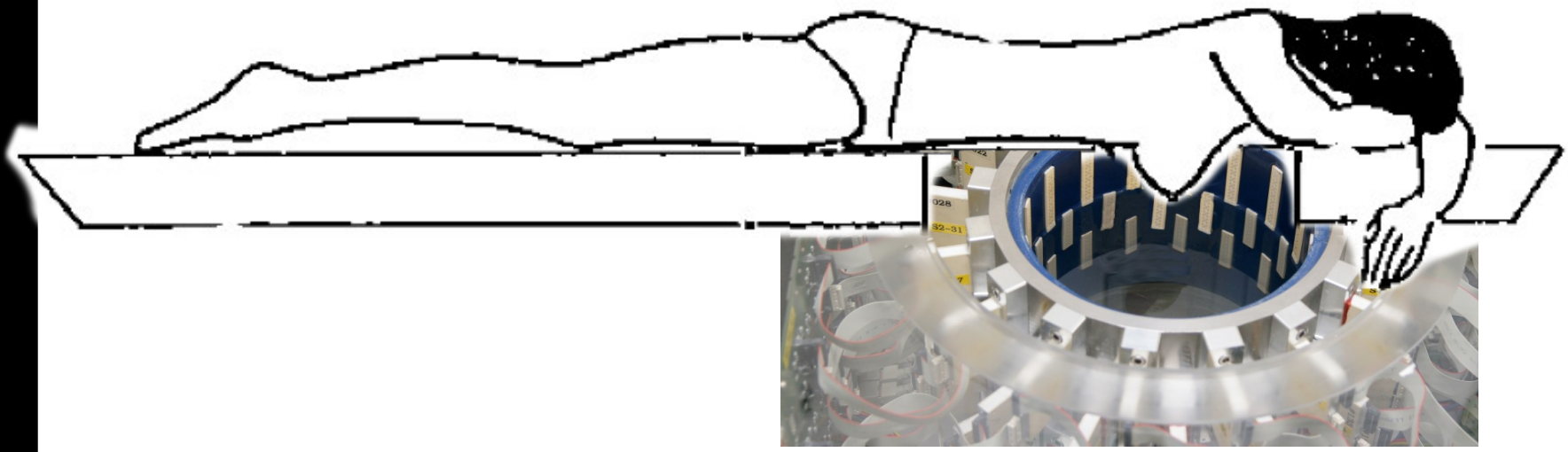
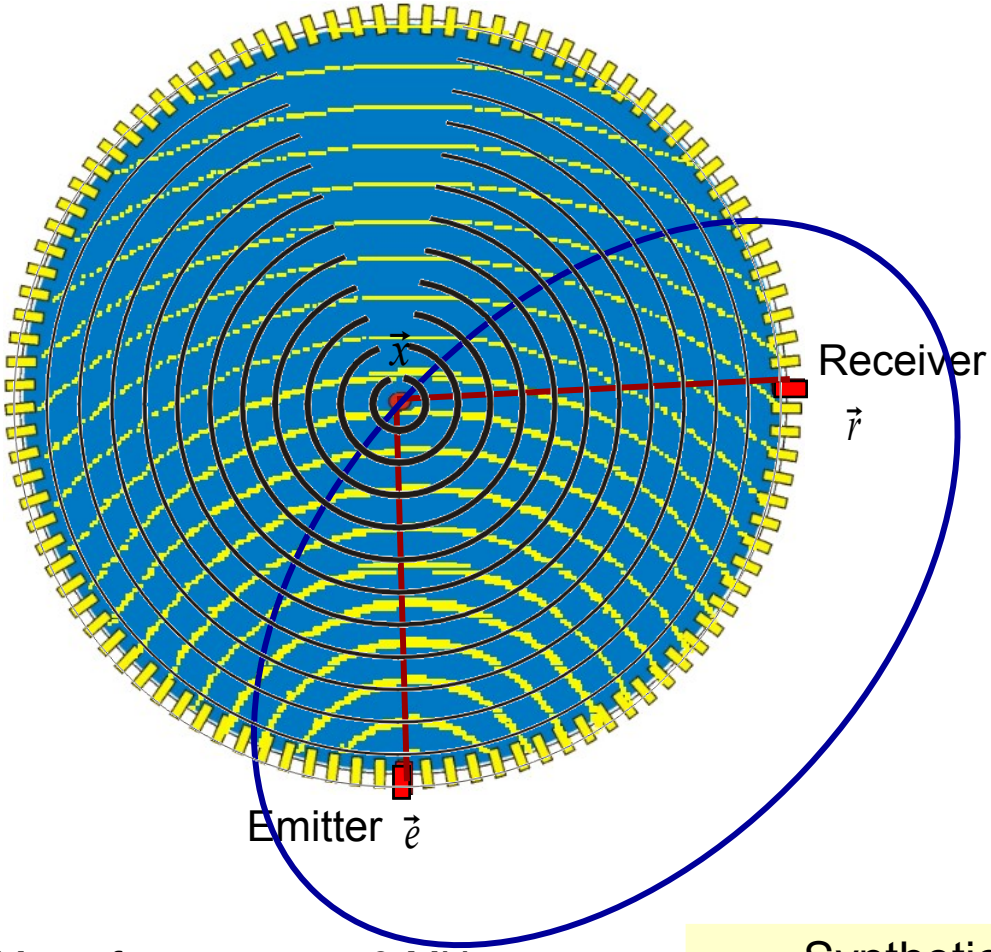
Ultrasound Computer Tomography (USCT)

- New method for medical imaging
- Focus: Breast cancer diagnosis

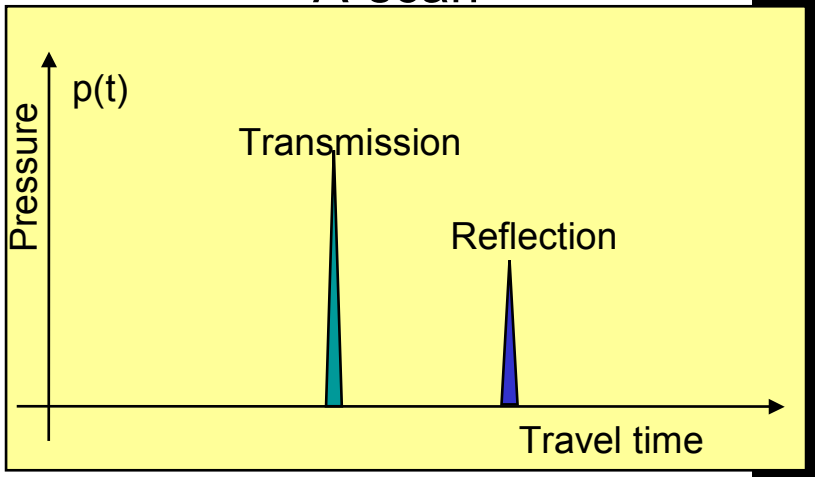
USCT setup



USCT – Method



A-scan



$$t=\frac{|\vec{e}-\vec{x}|+|\vec{x}-\vec{r}|}{c}$$

c sound speed ≅ constant

$$R(\vec{x})=\sum_{\vec{e},\vec{r}} p\left(\frac{|\vec{e}-\vec{x}|+|\vec{x}-\vec{r}|}{c}\right)$$

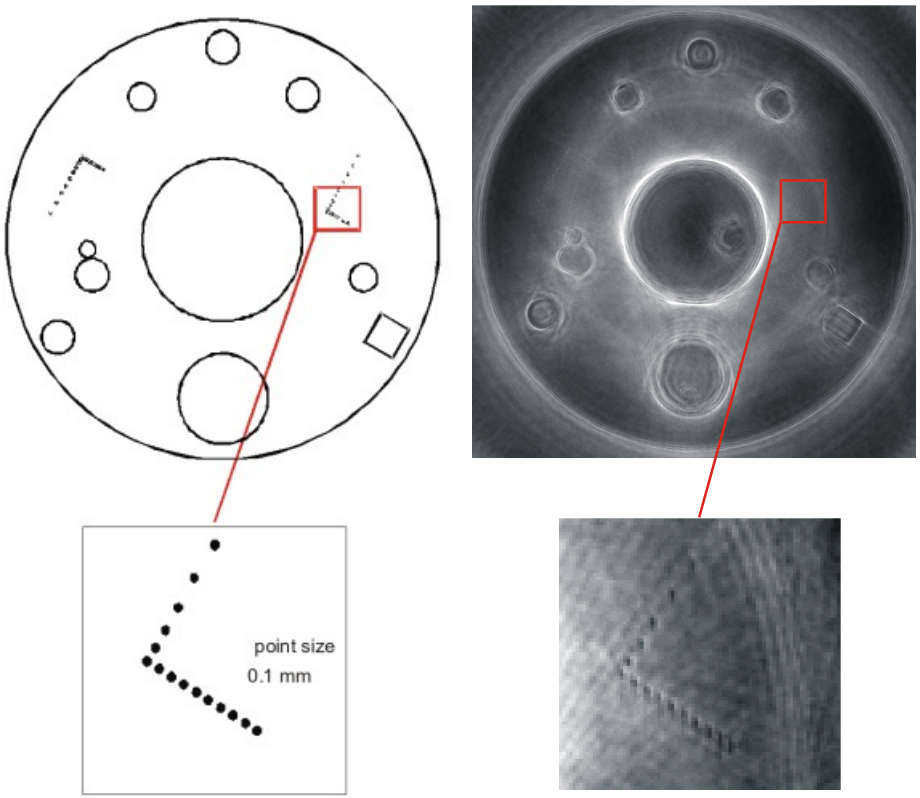
Mean frequency: 3 MHz,

Synthetic Aperture Focussing Technique

USCT Images

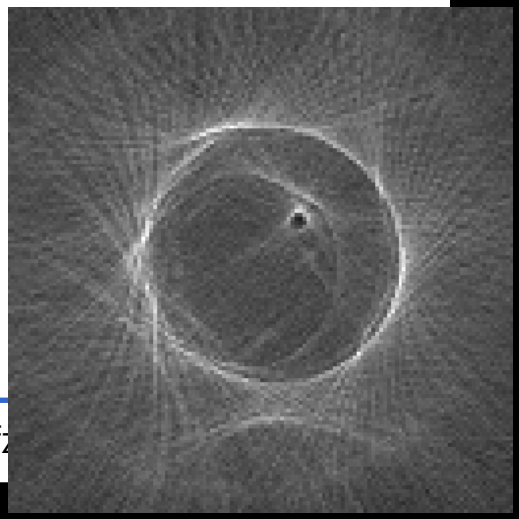
First results with 2D USCT:

- 0.1 mm nylon threads visible



Current results with new hardware:

- Egg and yolk visible
- 3D imaging



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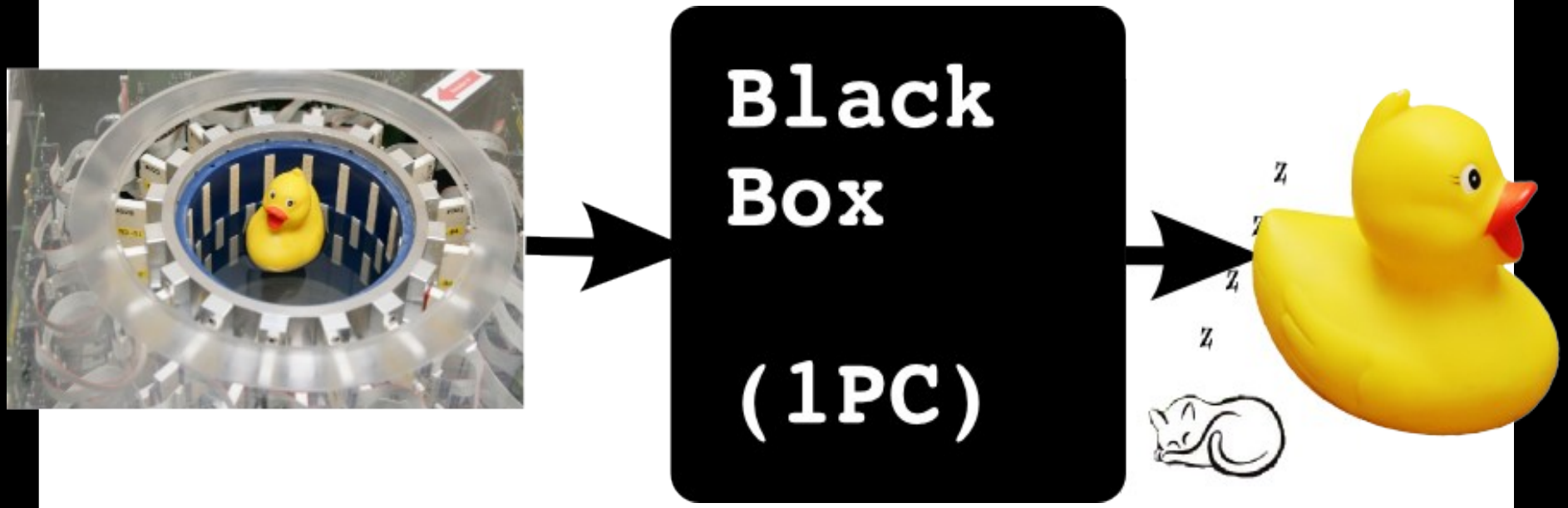


- Computation takes long (days, weeks, years)
- Grid in order to speed up

Grid Computing

Idea: **Computer power <=> Electrical power**

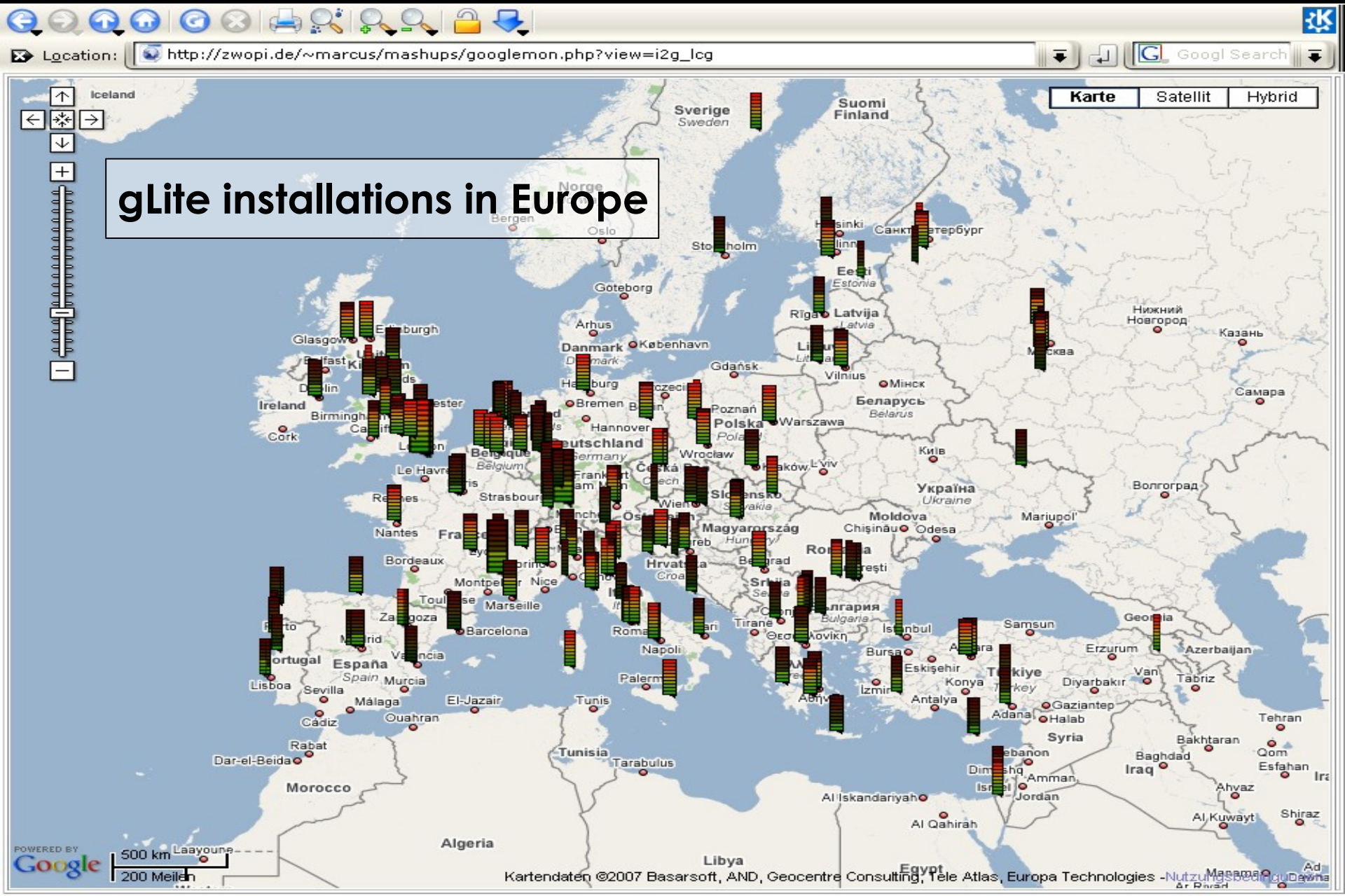
From Electrical power grid => computational grid

- Across organisationsal domains / countries
- Transparent access to
  - Computing
  - Data
  - Network
- Large scale installations

Grid middleware

- Middleware
  := Layer between application and operating system

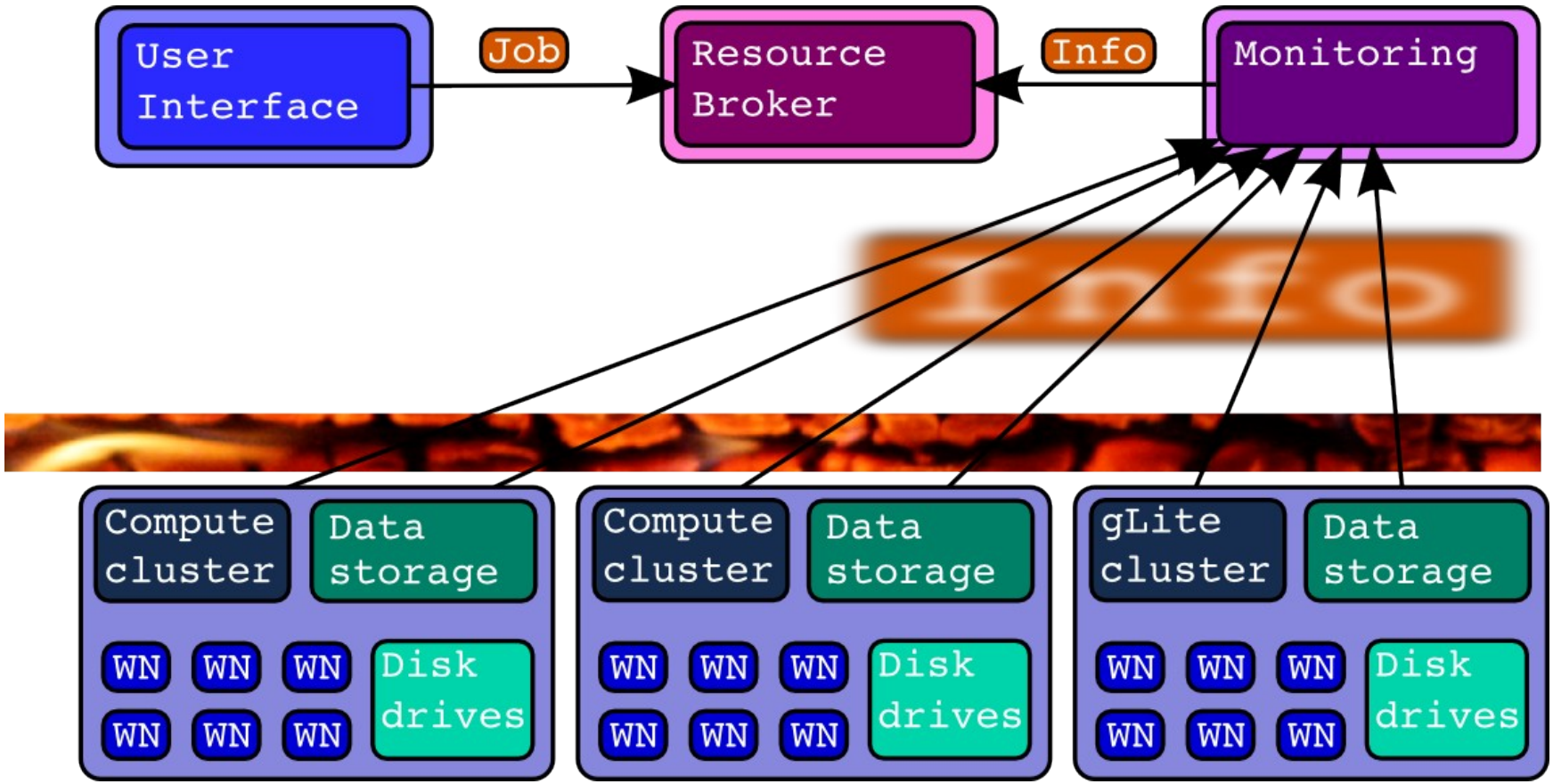
- **gLite:** one grid middleware
  - Development driven by CERN
  - Tools for data+computing of new accelerator
  - 10 TB/year * 20 years, random access
- Paradigm: **Send job to where the data is**
- Job: Self contained application



- Sites: 243 (in 49 countries)
- CPUS: 42798 (176 per site)
- RAM: 19TB
- RAM/CPU: 468MB
- DISK [Tot / Avail]: [8042TB / 5408TB] ([33892GB / 22792GB] per site)

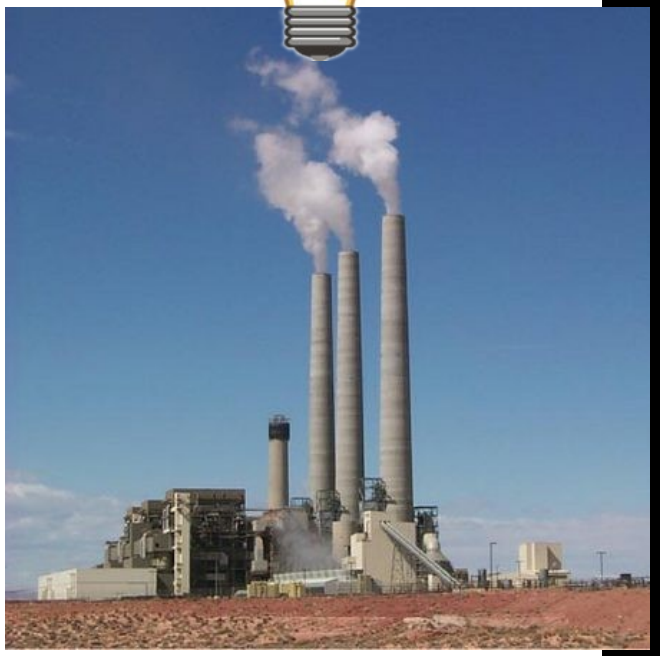
0-9 CPUs --- 10-99 CPUs --- 100-999 CPUs --- > 1000 CPUs

gLite architecture



Using a lamp in the grid world

- Describe the lamp
  `Voltage, Watts, Number_Lamps`
  `Hertz, Lighting_time, ...`
- Submit request for electricity to broker
  => Powerplant chosen for you
  => Send lamp to powerplant
  => Wait for electricity
  => Lamp glows
- Results come back
  - About 20% of the lamps broken



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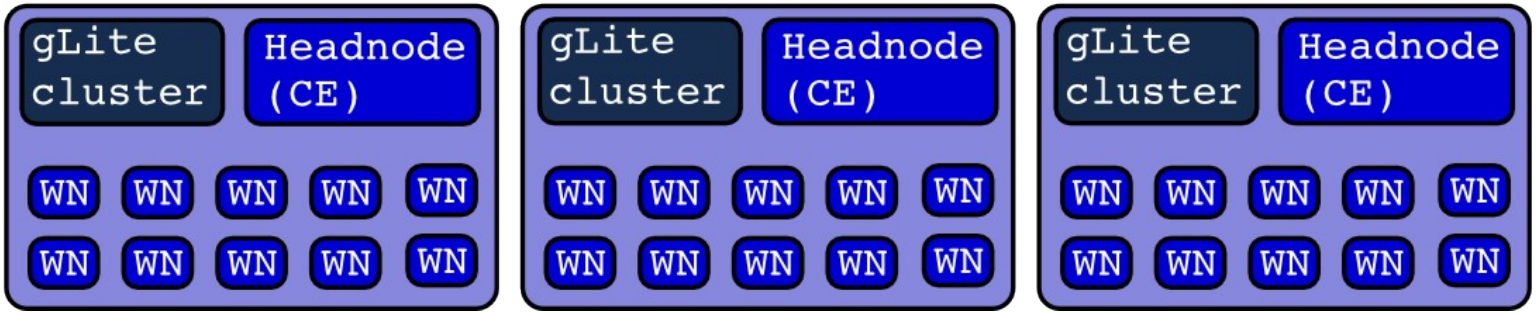
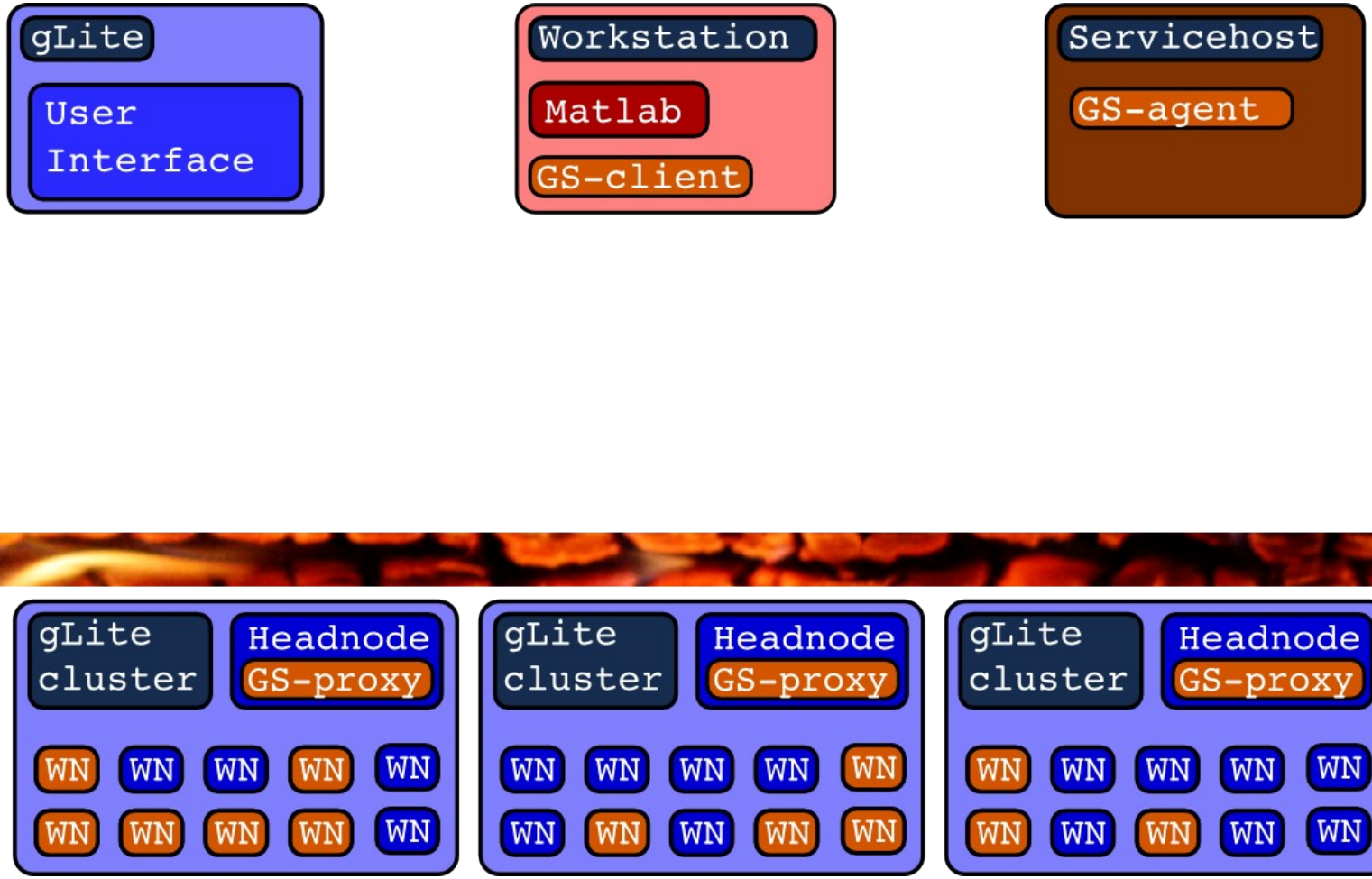
Yes!
We submit a cable!!!

The interactive channel

Our cable: GridSolve



GridSolve ready for action



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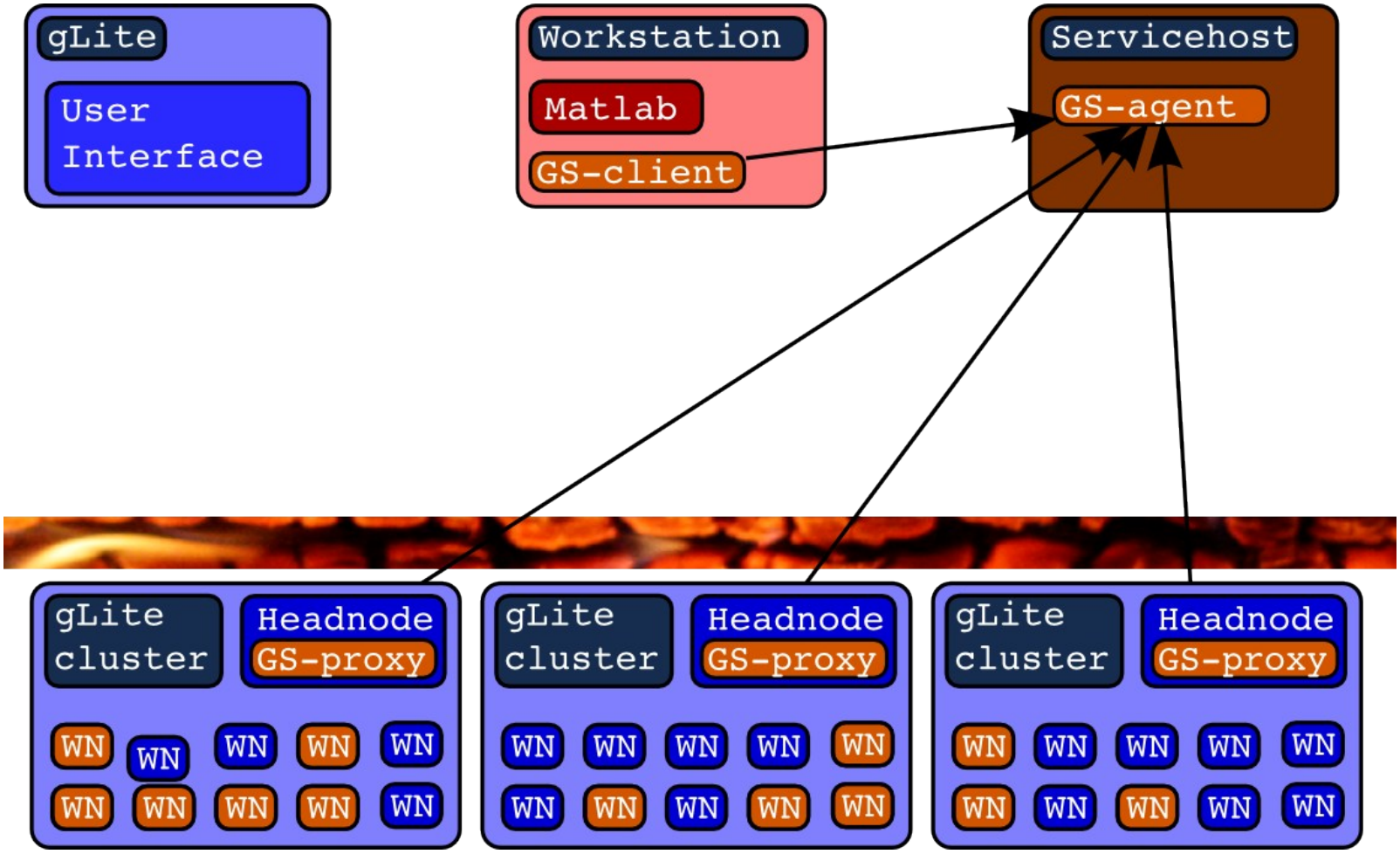

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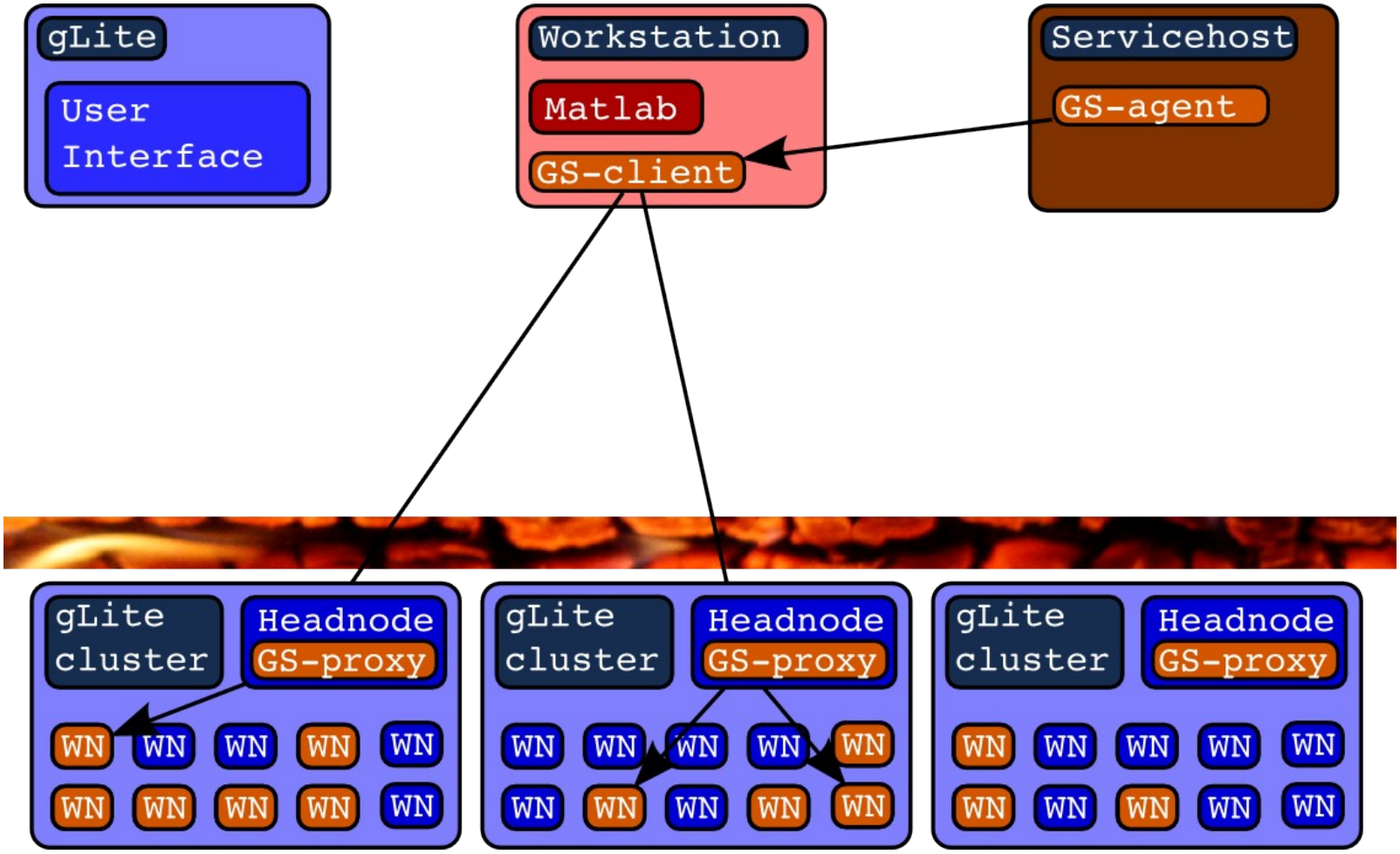


GridSolve interface

- Client interface for Java, C, Fortran, **Matlab**, Octave
- Easy to use:

```
y=problem(x) <=> y=gs_call('problem', x)
```

  - Transport input parameters to remote side
  - Execute “problem”
  - Transport result back
- Server limited to C and Fortran
  - Matlab compiler tested => works

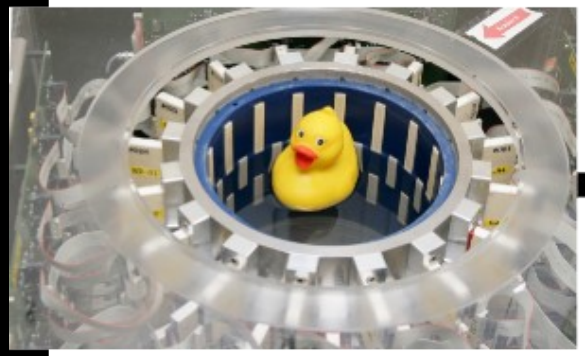
=> Reduce complexity of the grid to one function call

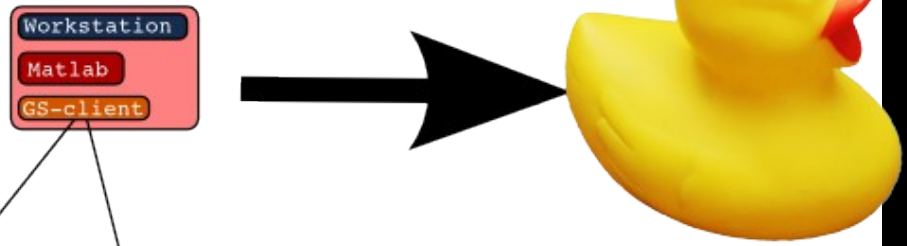
GridSolve (GS)/gLite integration

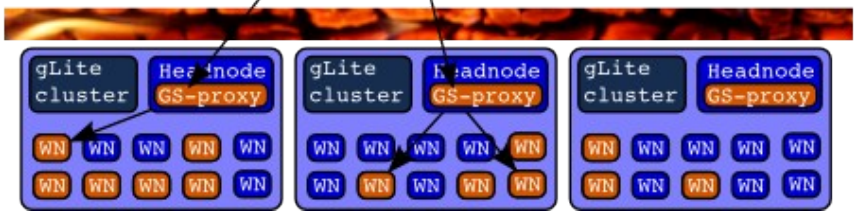
- Send GS-servers to gLite clusters
  - Package GridSolve + My software
  - Send packages into gLite jobs
  - Install packages on WorkerNodes (WN)
- Create GS-service hosts (GS-agent)
- Ensure network connectivity
  - GS-client, GS-agent, GS-proxy, GS-server

- All this happens behind the scenes!

Putting things together

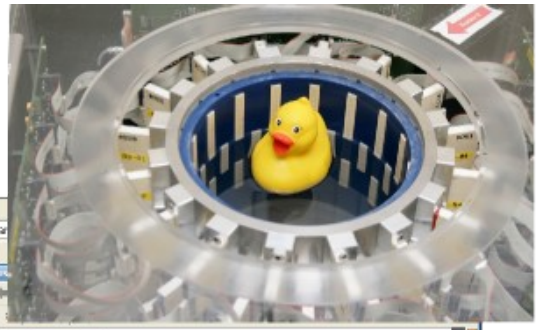


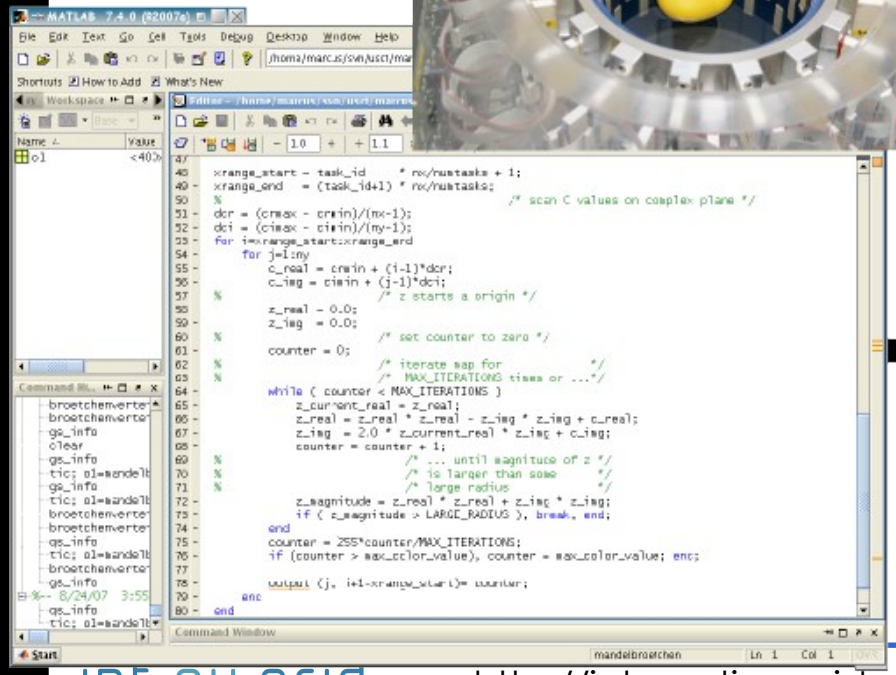


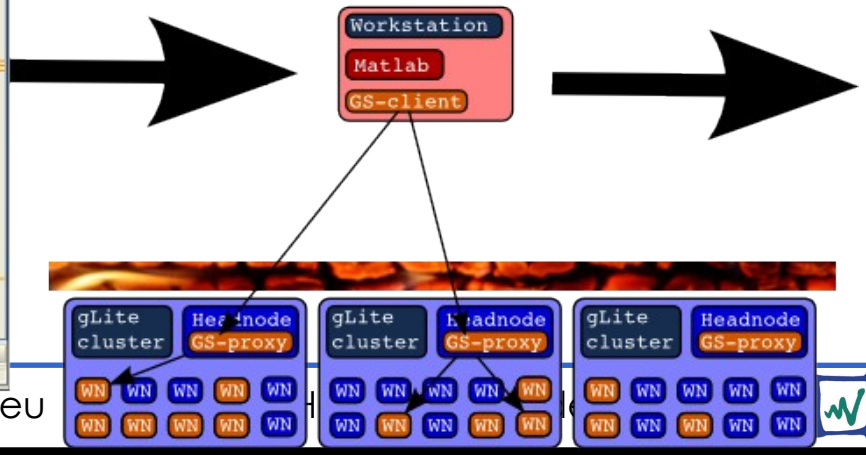


Demonstration

- Simulation: Mandelbrot fractal
- Using the same infrastructure





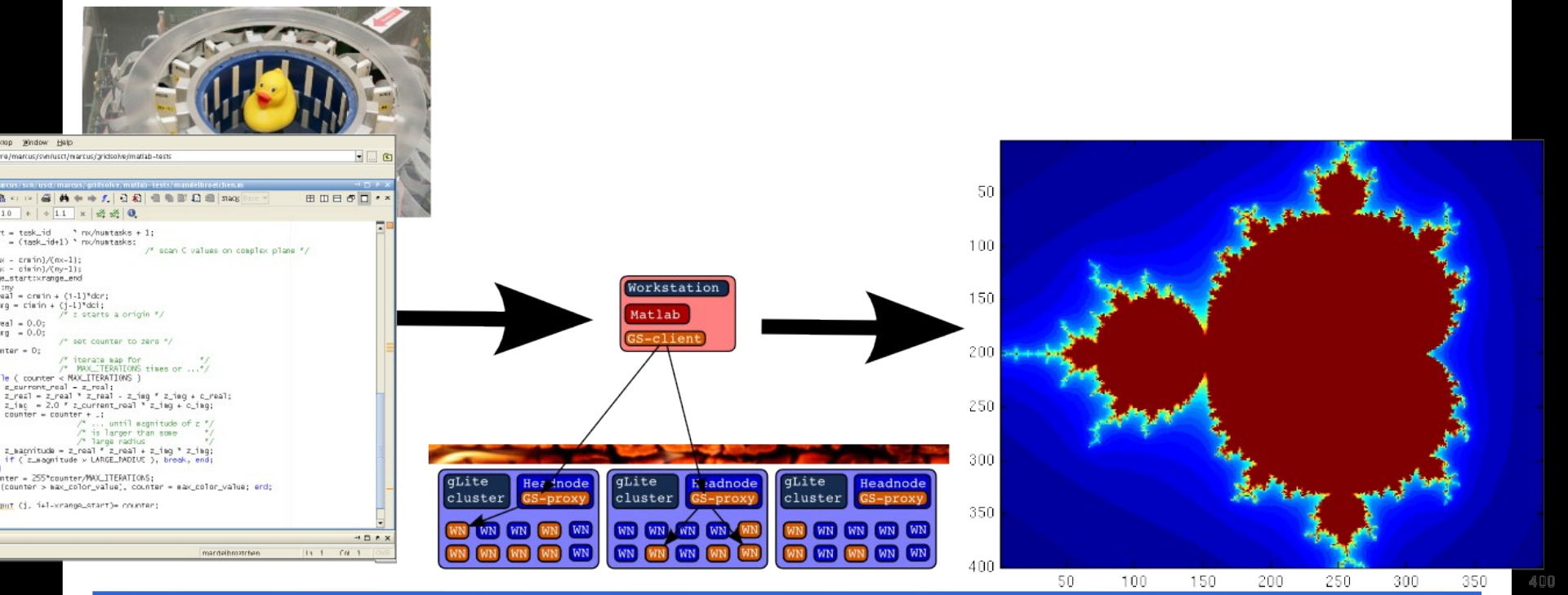


Life-Demo

- Movie of the life demonstration:
  - **`http://marcus.hardt-it.de/grid4matlab`**
- **Life demo** on int.eu.grid

Result

- Simulation works
- Reasonable speedup (4x on 8 machines)



Source code

```
function f=broetchenverteiler_p (N, RESO, MAX_ITERATIONS)
for i=1:N;
        session_id(i)=gs_call_async('maendele', i-1, N, RESO, M
end
while (num_finished < N)
        for i=1:N;
                status(i)=gs_probe(session_id(i));
                if (status(i) == 0 )
                        result=gs_wait(session_id(i));
                end
        end
end
```

Summary

- **Goals for grid access**
  - **Seamless** ✔
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- We can
  - Use the grid from Matlab / Fortran
  - Run simple simulations in our infrastructure
- We want to...
  - Use real code
    - Cope with the data (20 GB in, 8 GB out)
  - Automatically send Matlab functions to the grid
  - Explore tighter connected code
    - Use OpenMPI support on interactive grid


Google
interactive grid
I'm Feeling Lucky

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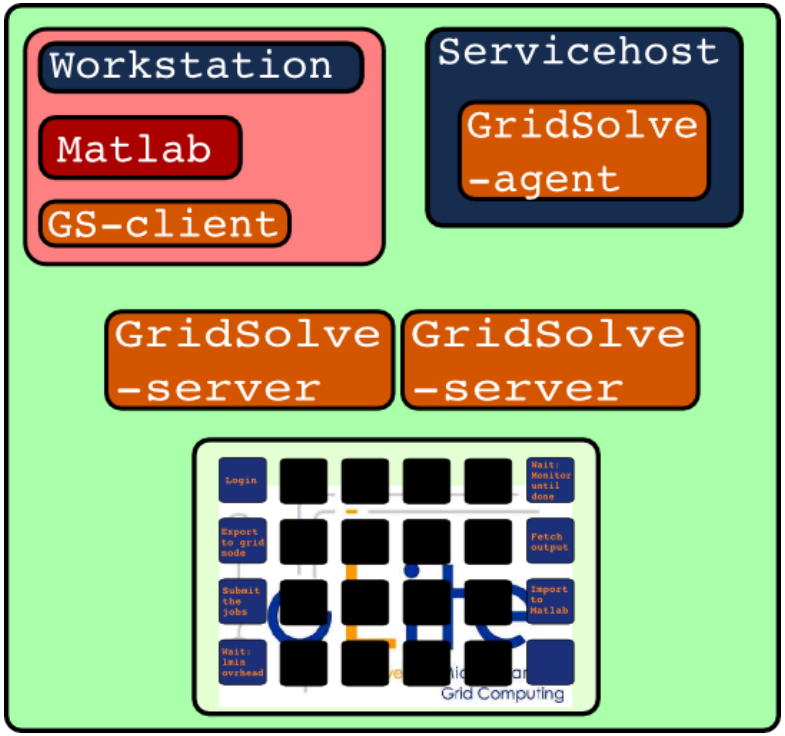
Example:
Large Excel Table
- **Excel must run locally**
- **Computation in the grid**

How to do it?

- 1. Make Matlab run on gLite
- 2. Integrate GridSolve with gLite



=> **G**rid **i**n **M**atlab using **G**ridsolv**e** & **R**PC

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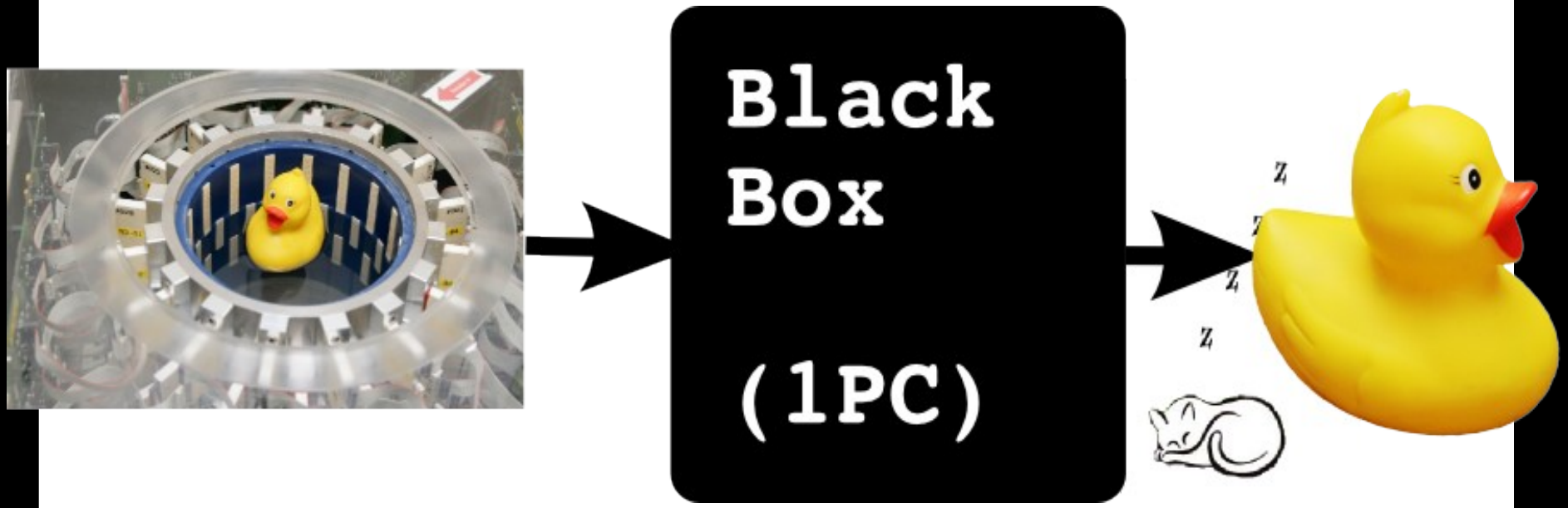

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Using gLite

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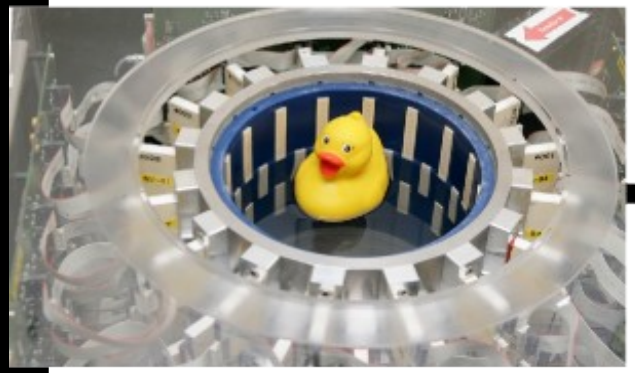
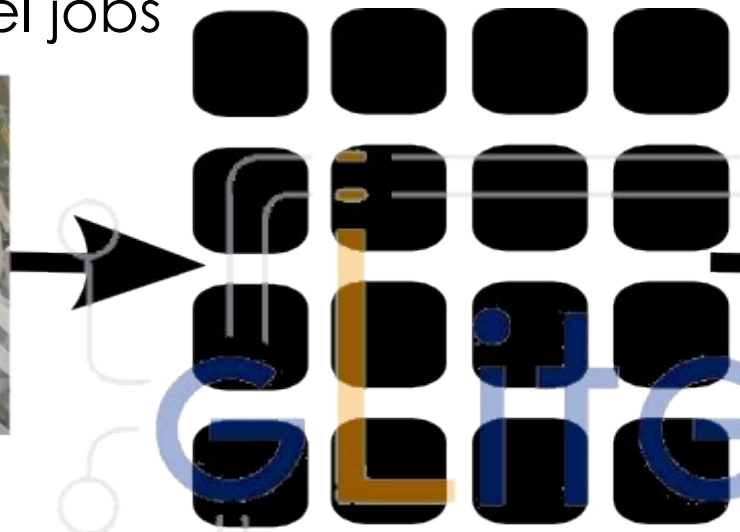
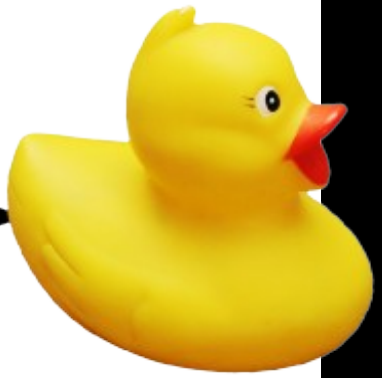
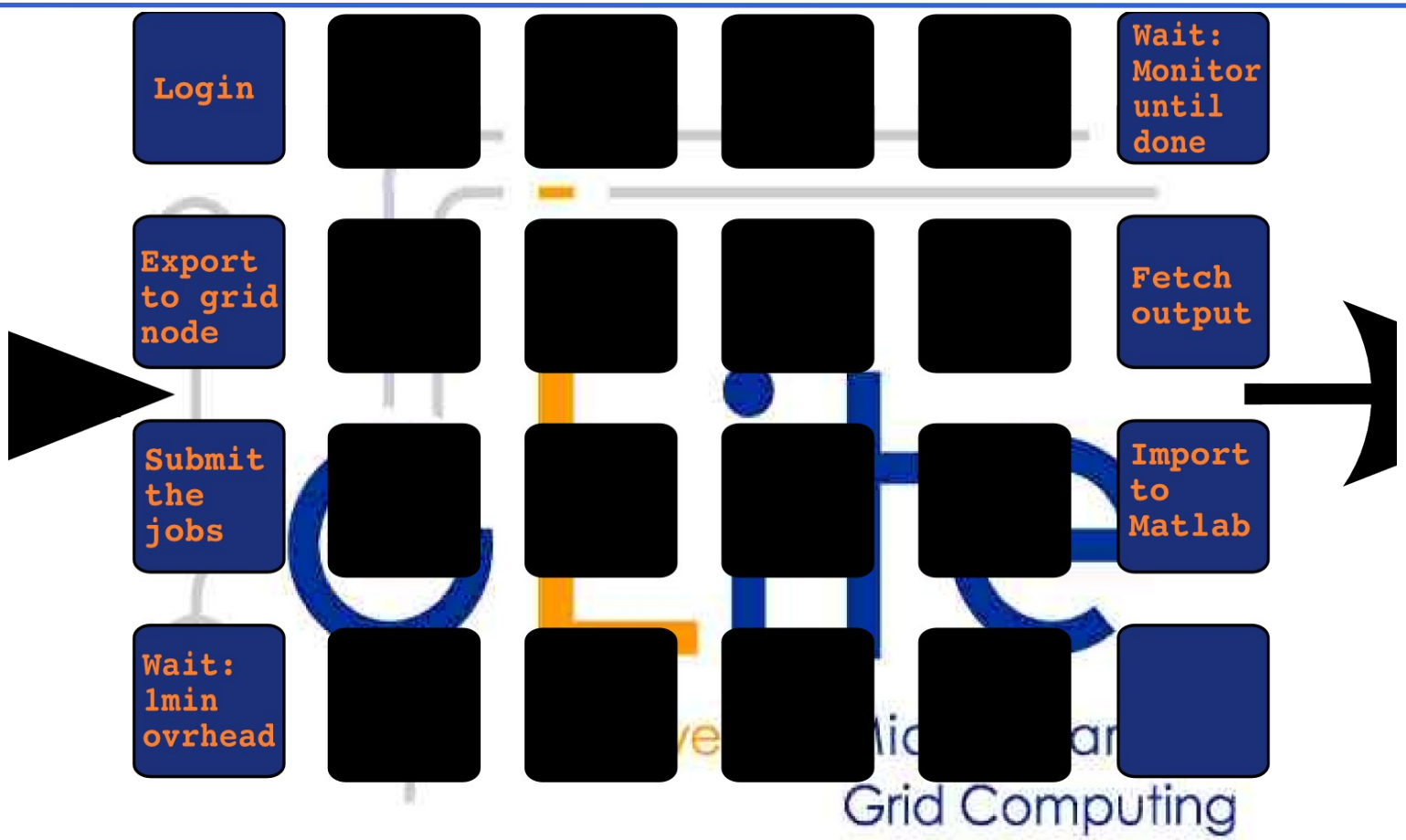






Using gLite in practise



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