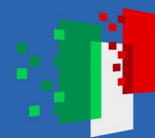




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A TeRABIT network for the Einstein Telescope in Italy

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Taipei – Academia Sinica

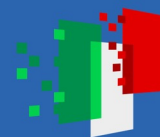
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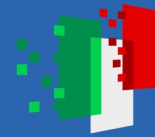




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WHO (partners & Infrastructures)

WHERE (operates)

WHEN (present status & timescale)

WHY (relevance for Einstein Telescope in Italy)

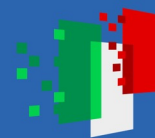




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WHAT (is TeRABIT)

Terabit network for
Research and
Academic
Big data in
Italy

Aim: Build an **integrated system of Research & Innovation Infrastructures** within the Pan-European Research Infrastructures framework
Funded with 41 M€ within the Mission 4 – Education & Research - of the Italian National Recovery plan. Part of the Next Generation EU program

Vision

- ✓ Create a **distributed, hyper-connected, hybrid HPC-Cloud environment** that offers services designed to meet the needs of research and innovation.
- ✓ The environment will leverage, federate and strengthen the three **existing research infrastructures: GARR-T, PRACE-Italy and HPC-BD-AI (HPC-Big Data-Artificial Intelligence)** with the existing capabilities of connections to other national and European research infrastructures and data spaces through GÉANT

Main objectives

- ✓ Enable widespread **data transfer, up to Terabits per second**, and services on a national scale in Italy, with particular focus on southern and island regions, all connected to Europe
- ✓ **Innovate the central HPC node of PRACE-Italy**, maintaining the Tier-1 level.
- ✓ **Innovate the HPC services** offered to researchers, beyond the centralized calculation model, adding distributed “HPC-Bubbles” (see also keynote speech on Alps Cloud-native HPC at the Swiss National Supercomputing Centre by Riccardo Di Maria – Improving HPC through clouds -)

Planned impact of the project

- Infrastructures **strengthening**
- **Tighter integration** between **network, data** and **HPC services** with common services
- **Innovative HPC services** (bubbles), modular and increasing HPC/ML capacity between the "edge", where the users and its data are, and PRACE-Italy, in synergy with ICSC (Leonardo)
- **Federation and communication between HPC Infrastructures** with close collaboration with the national and international HPC center (via GÉANT)
- as PRACE and EuroHPC centres



WHO (partners)

Applicant : **INFN** (National Institute of Nuclear Physics)



Coapplicant: **OGS** (National Institute of Oceanography and experimental Geophysics)



Unfunded participants: Consortium **GARR, CINECA**



Principal Investigator INFN: **Mauro Campanella**

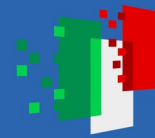
Principal Investigator OGS: **Stefano Salon**



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WHO (Research Infrastructures involved)



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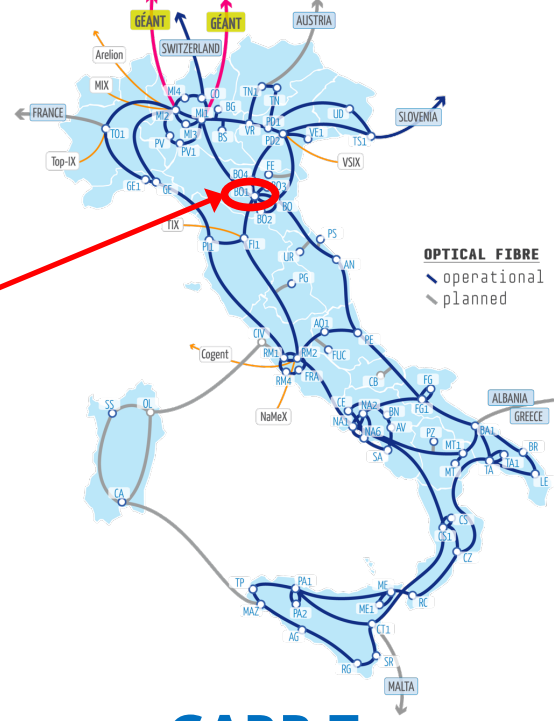


The Research Infrastructures involved (as of today)

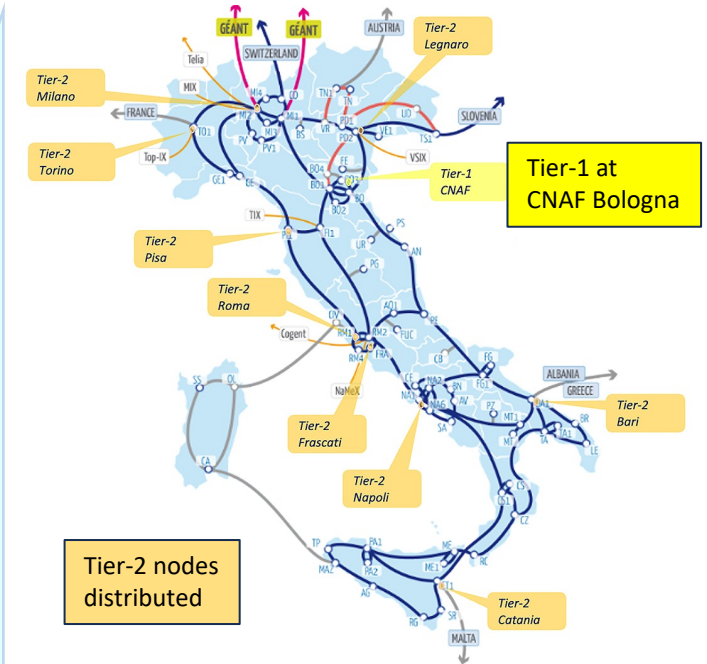


Galileo100 - HPC, Hosted by CINECA - Bologna

PRACE-Italy



GARR-T



HPC-BD-AI

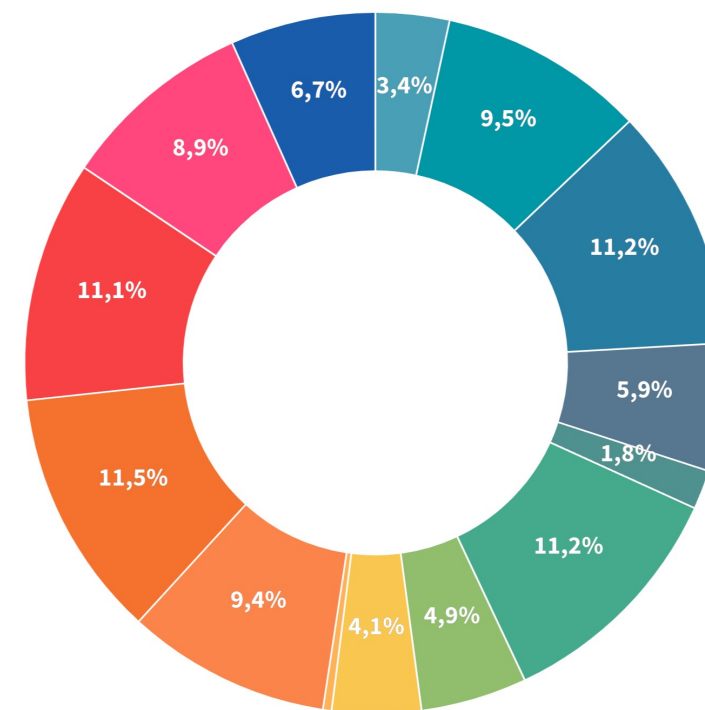
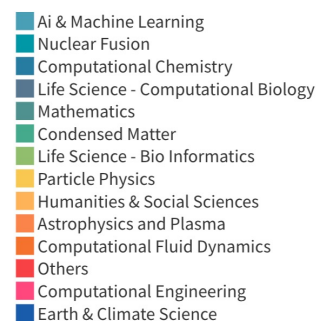
Use of PRACE-Italy

Most represented scientific domains:

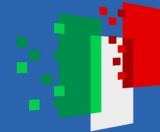
- ✓ Computational chemistry
- ✓ Condensed matter physics
- ✓ Computational fluid dynamics

Scientific domains

Scientists use Cineca computational resources within all scientific disciplines. The most represented three are Computational Chemistry, Condensed Matter Physics and Computational Fluid Dynamics, with about 11% each, followed by Nuclear Fusion (10%), Computational Engineering, Astrophysics, and Plasma Physics with more than 9% each.



In 2022, following a strict peer review, the resource allocated were 109,3%



PRACE-Italy capacity at TeRABIT end (2025)

Cloud	HPC	Storage
OpenStack Cloud partition	564 computing nodes (CPU/GPU, 0.5 to 2TB SSD)	Ceph Block, Object
7000 vCPUs	28.000 CPUs	22PB

	NET INCREASE
Capacity	x 4.0
Storage	x 2.5

Cloud	Storage
OpenStack Cloud partition	Ceph Block, Object
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> HPC – CPU partition: 280+ comp. nodes, 70000+ cores, 3+ PFlops Cloud – GPU partition: 70+ comp. nodes, 20000+ cores, GPU HBM: 20+ GB/GPU, DDR: 2x aggregated HBM 	
100.000 vCPUs	34 PB

Integrated in TeRABIT infrastructure, access to federated services

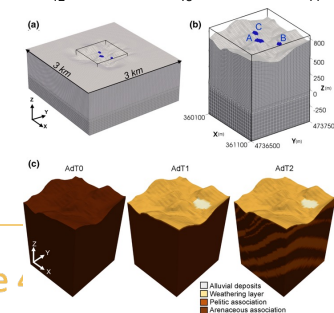
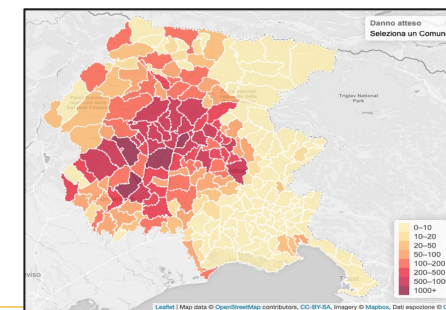
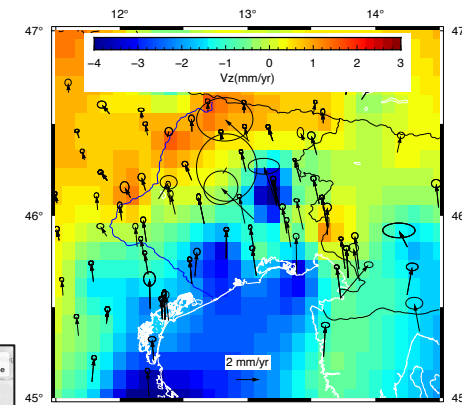
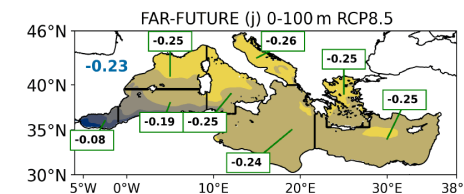
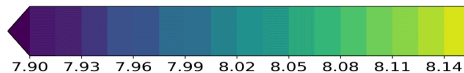
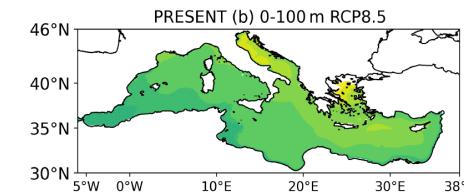
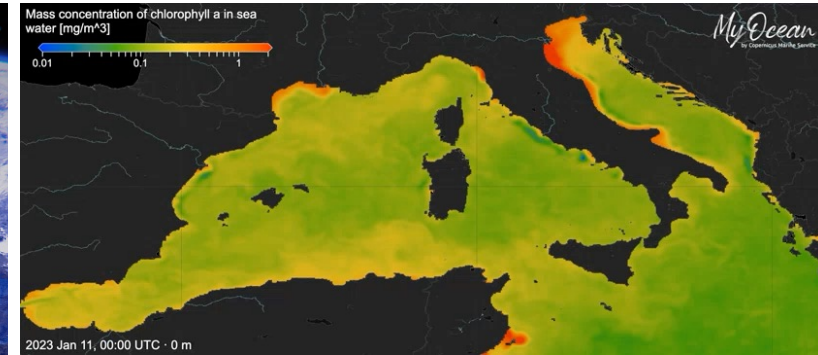
Community advantages:

- New user communities => expected increase of users benefitting
- TeRABIT user exploitation and use cases (e.g. sensors to HPC-Bubbles to G100++ to ICSC)
- Synergy within TeRABIT consortium for user training and support
- Move HTC workloads from HPC to Cloud, reducing pressure on HPC queues



OGS as user of PRACE-Italy

- Operational oceanography and digital twins in the Mediterranean Sea and North Adriatic in the Copernicus context
- Climate change scenarios and multi-scale effects on marine, coastal and lagoon ecosystems
- Regional Earth System modeling for carbon cycle analysis
- Regional seismic monitoring (also through GNSS data processing), probabilistic risk assessment and production of damage scenarios
- 3D simulation of seismic wave propagation in complex geological structures





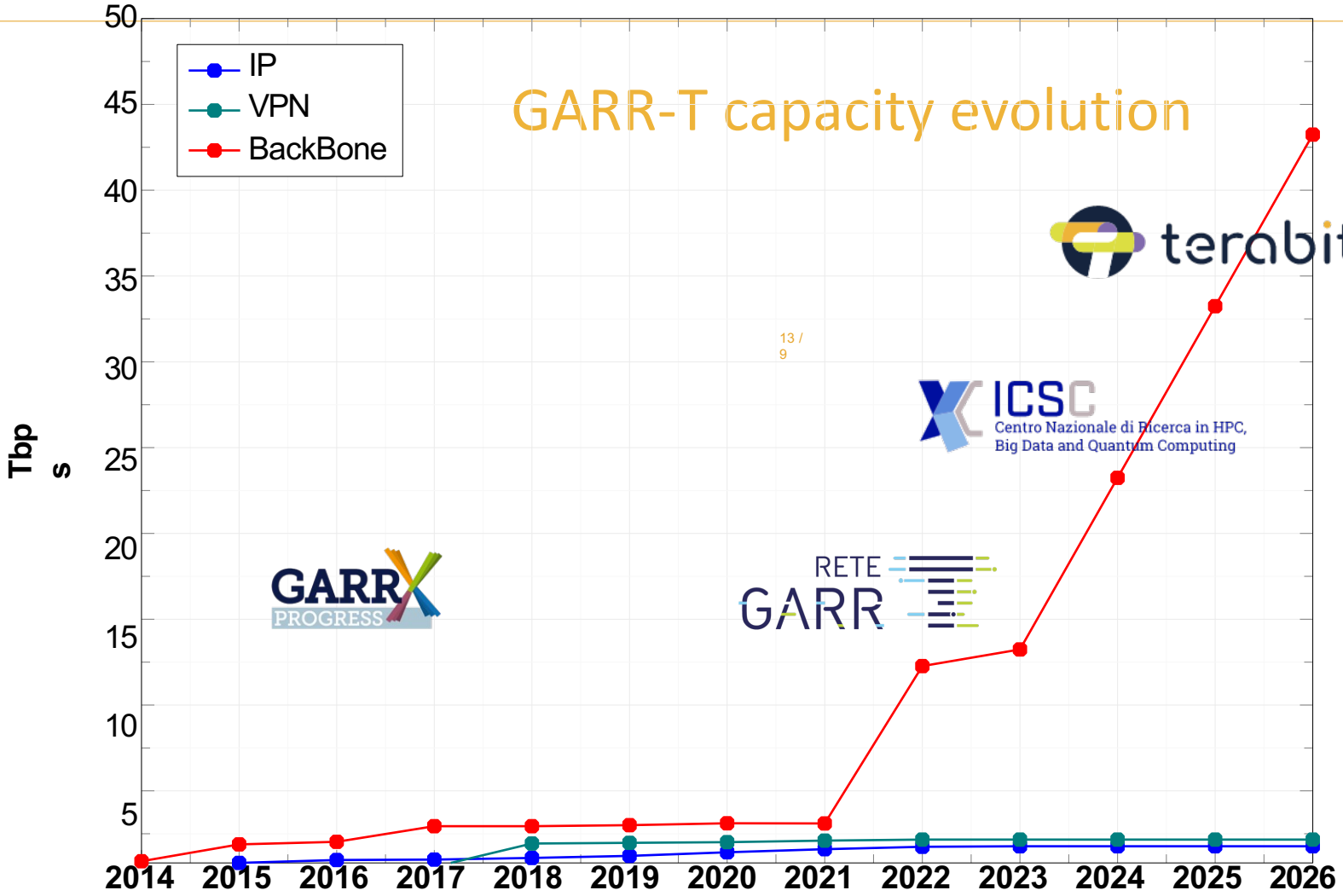
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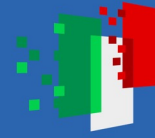
- Dark Fibre 12,000 km
- Submarine 1,000km (TeRABIT)
- Backbone 30T, 50T+
- Access 100G+, 400G+, 1T+
- Global Connectivity
- Experimental Infrastructure



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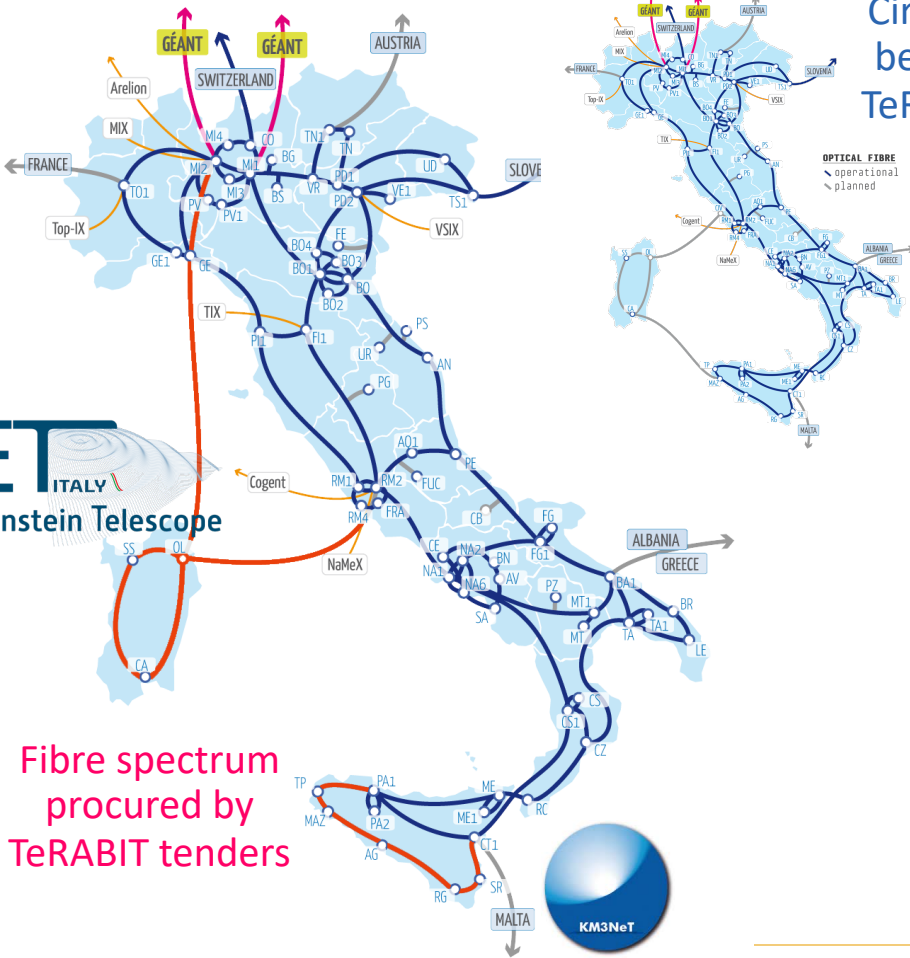
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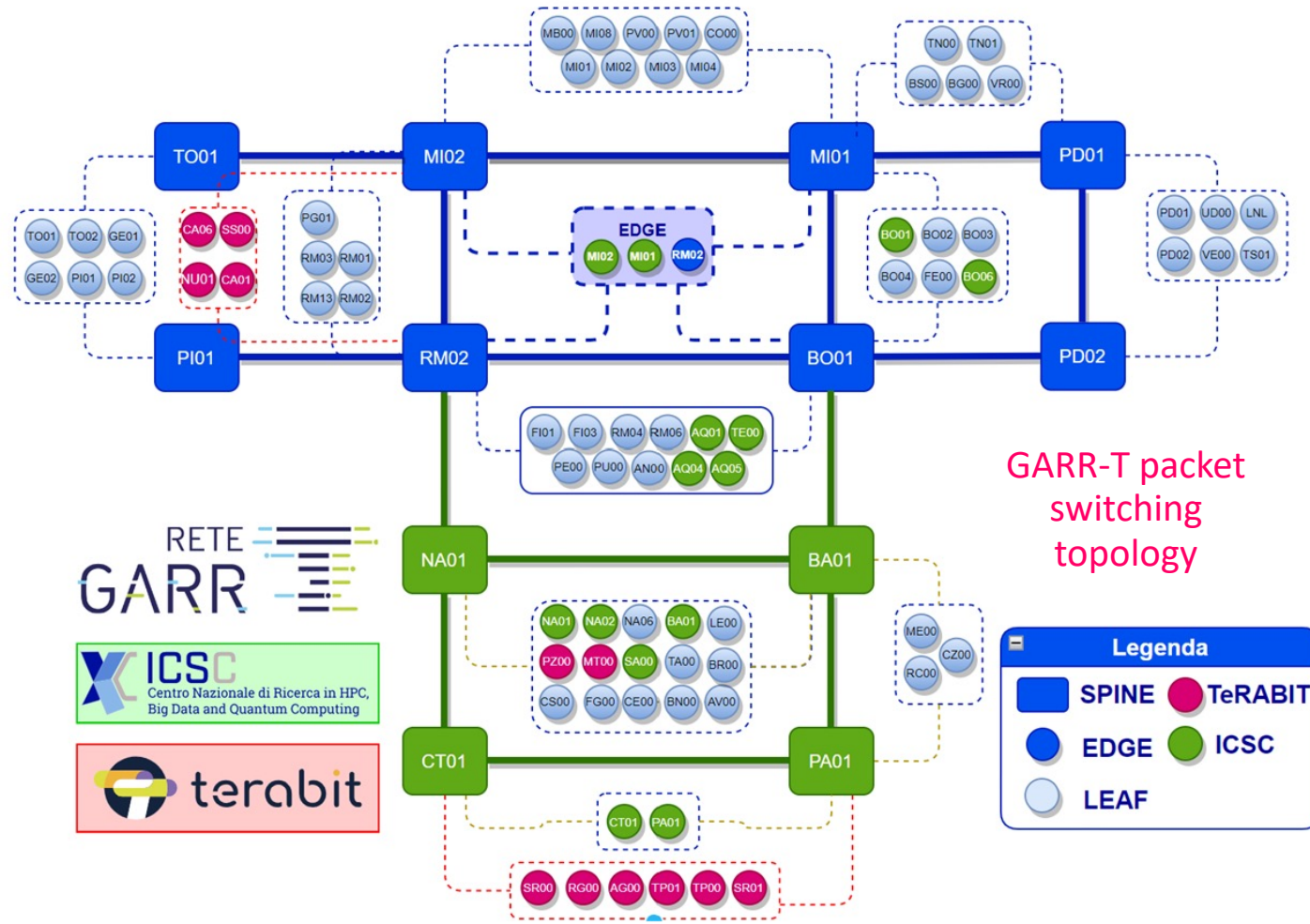
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GARR-T Infrastructure evolution



Circuits before TeRABIT



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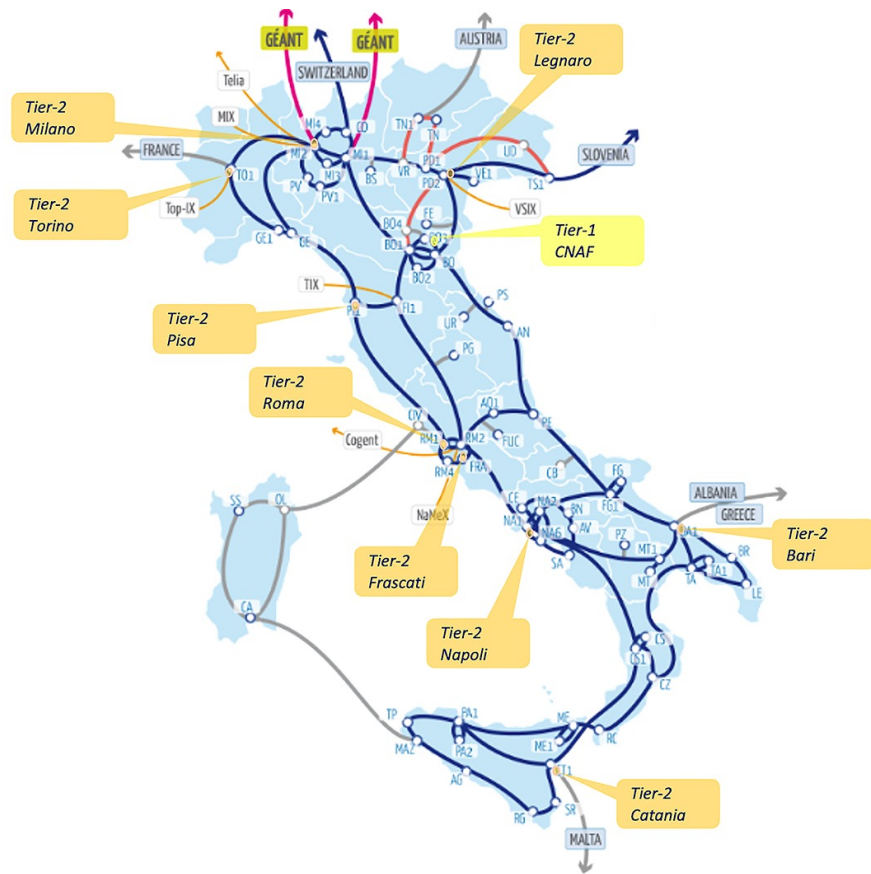
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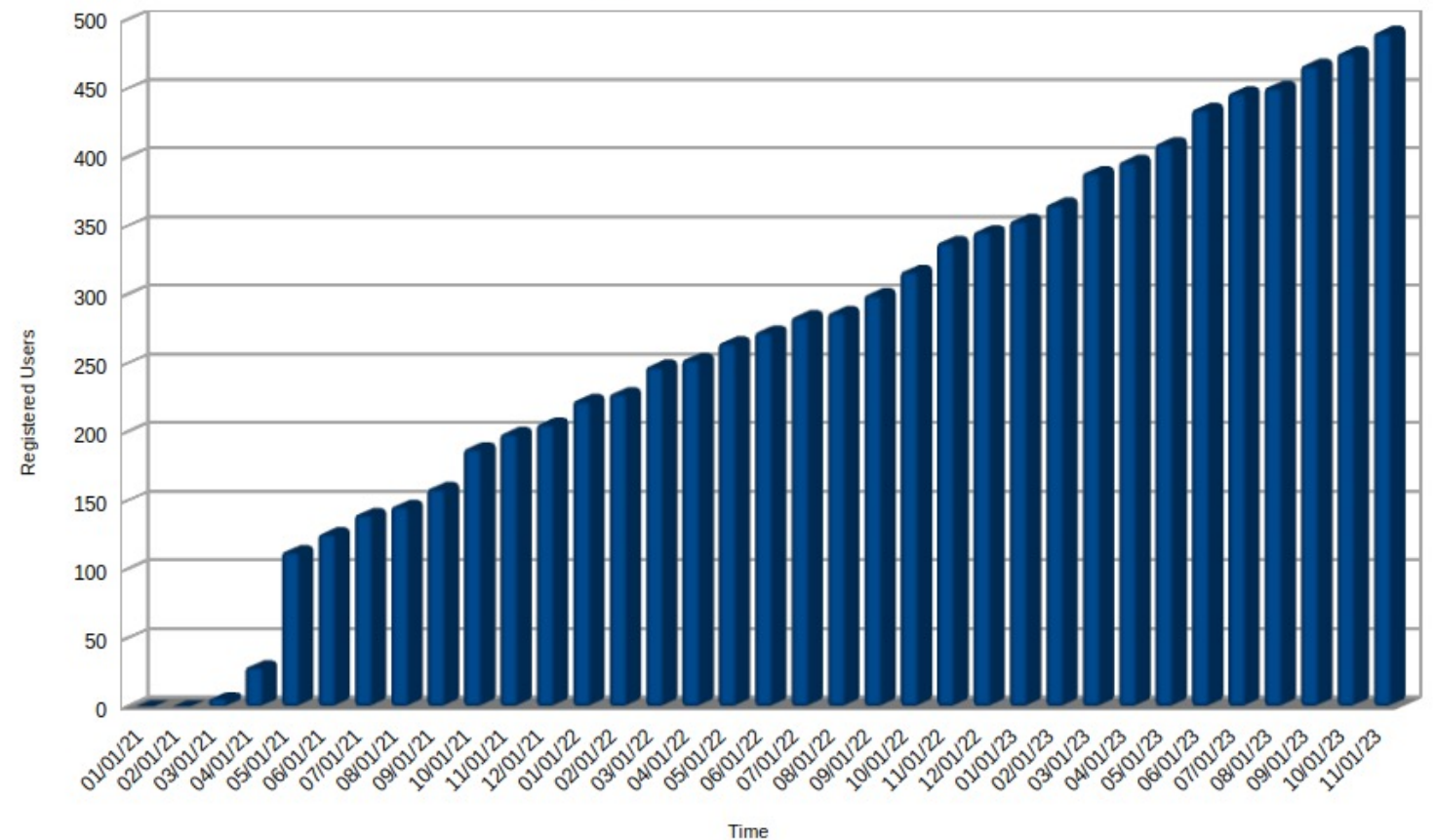
Fibre spectrum procured by TeRABIT tenders

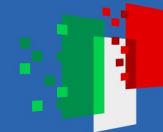


HPC-BD-AI user growth for cloud service from May 2021 to today



INFN Cloud user growth





HPC-BD-AI evolution

HPC bubbles  specification and locations

HPC nodes HW: Type 1 : CPU only
Type 2 : CPU + GPU,
Type 3 : CPU + FPGA

Sites: CNAF, Bari, Napoli, Roma 1, Pisa, Padova, Torino, Milano Bicocca

Additional Storage:
Mass storage : CNAF
High performance storage : CNAF, Bari

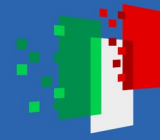




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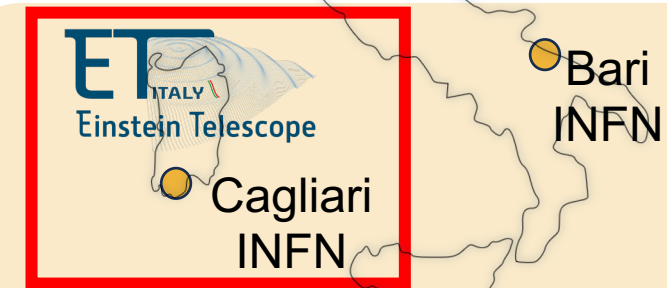
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Northern regions ~ 50%



Southern regions ~ 50%

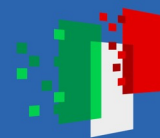
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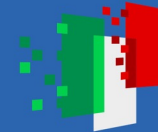


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WHEN

present status &
timescale

- ✓ All personnel acquired and operational
- ✓ All Tenders assigned
- ✓ Network component in the executive phase



GANTT – Activities for Bimesters

	Bimester														
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Working Package															
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WP 2 - Italian Terabit Network															
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A2.3 - Packet Network and Network control			█												
A2.4 - Control and Services tailoring provision							█								
WP 3 - PRACE - Italy															
A3.1 - HPC infrastructure requirements and co-design	█			█											
A3.2 - HPC infrastructure evolution and deployment	█														
WP 4 - Distributed federated Cloud															
A4.1 - Deployment of HPC Bubbles (North)	█														
A4.2 - Deployment of HPC Bubbles (South)	█														
A4.3 - Implementation of the PaaS Orchestration layer	█														
A4.4 - Deployment of flexible caching solutions	█														
WP 5 - Training and dissemination															
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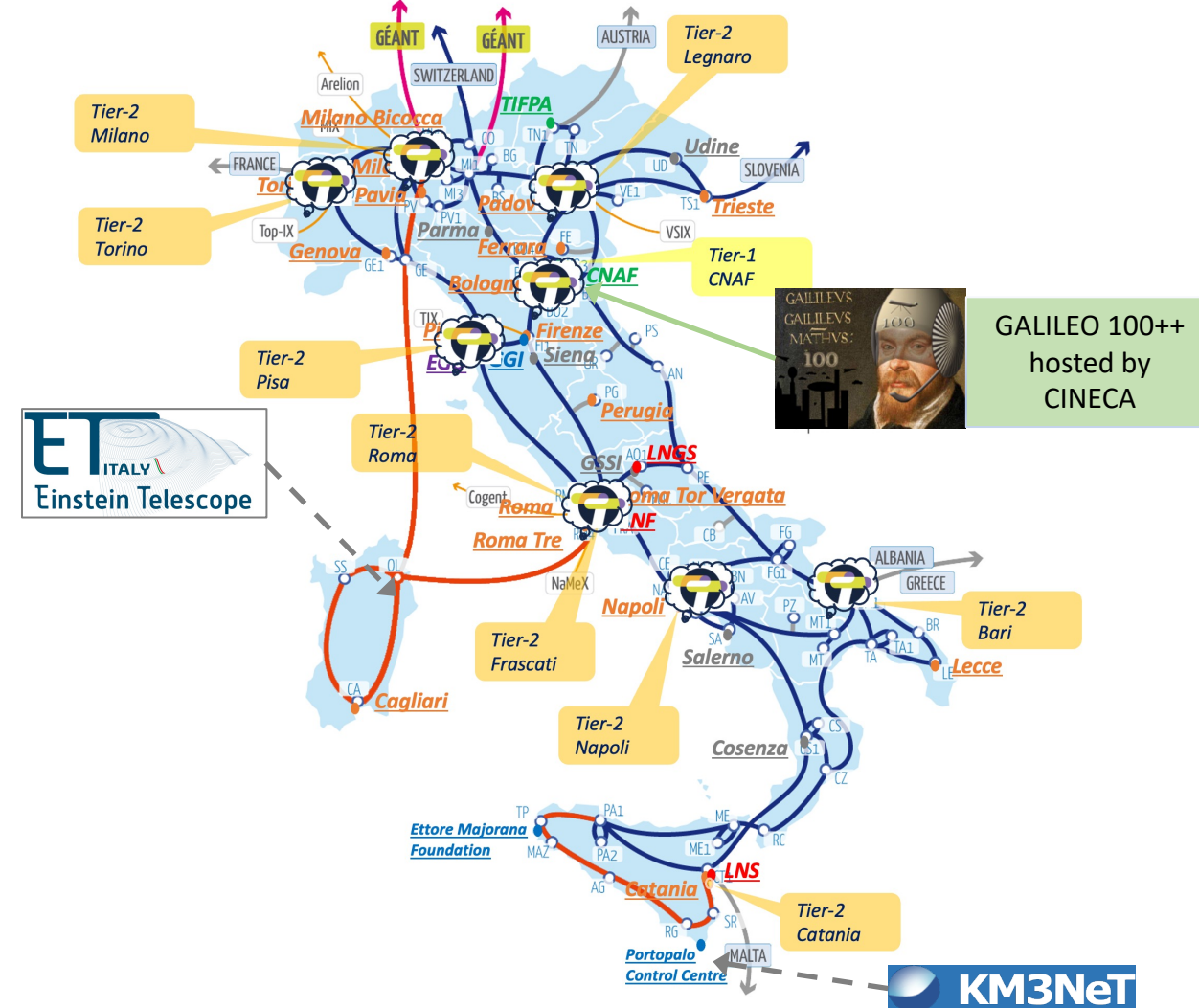
All the Intermediate Objectives have been achieved according to the planning



TeRABIT final Infrastructures

The image shows the overlap of the expected final physical topologies of all three Research Infrastructures:

- GARR-T with (in red) the new fibres
- HPC-BD-AI with the HPC Bubbles locations
- PRACE-ITALY with the updated GALILEO 100 hosted at CINECA

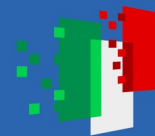




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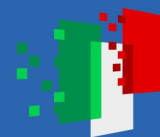
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Network capacity for Einstein Telescope in Italy



EINSTEIN TELESCOPE the future European Infrastructure for Gravitational Waves

Prompted by two extraordinary events

1)

PRL 116, 061102 (2016) Selected for a Viewpoint in *Physics* PHYSICAL REVIEW LETTERS week ending 12 FEBRUARY 2016



Observation of Gravitational Waves from a Binary Black Hole Merger

B. P. Abbott *et al.**

(LIGO Scientific Collaboration and Virgo Collaboration)
(Received 21 January 2016; published 11 February 2016)

On September 14, 2015 at 09:50:45 UTC the two detectors of the Laser Interferometer Gravitational Observatory simultaneously observed a transient gravitational-wave signal. The signal sweeps frequency from 35 to 250 Hz with a peak gravitational-wave strain of 1.0×10^{-21} . It matches the prediction by general relativity for the inspiral and merger of a pair of black holes and the ringdown of the resulting single black hole. The signal was observed with a matched-filter signal-to-noise ratio of 24 and a false alarm rate estimated to be less than 1 event per 203 000 years, equivalent to a significance greater than 5.1σ . The source lies at a luminosity distance of 410^{+160}_{-180} Mpc corresponding to a redshift $z = 0.09^{+0.03}_{-0.04}$. In the source frame, the initial black hole masses are $36^{+5}_{-4}M_{\odot}$ and $29^{+4}_{-4}M_{\odot}$, and the final black hole mass is $62^{+4}_{-4}M_{\odot}$, with $3.0^{+0.5}_{-0.5}M_{\odot}c^2$ radiated in gravitational waves. All uncertainties define 90% credible intervals. These observations demonstrate the existence of binary stellar-mass black hole systems. This is the first direct detection of gravitational waves and the first observation of a binary black hole merger.

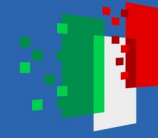




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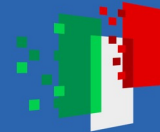
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& the opening of Multimessenger Astronomy

2)





A Telescope to look far in space & time

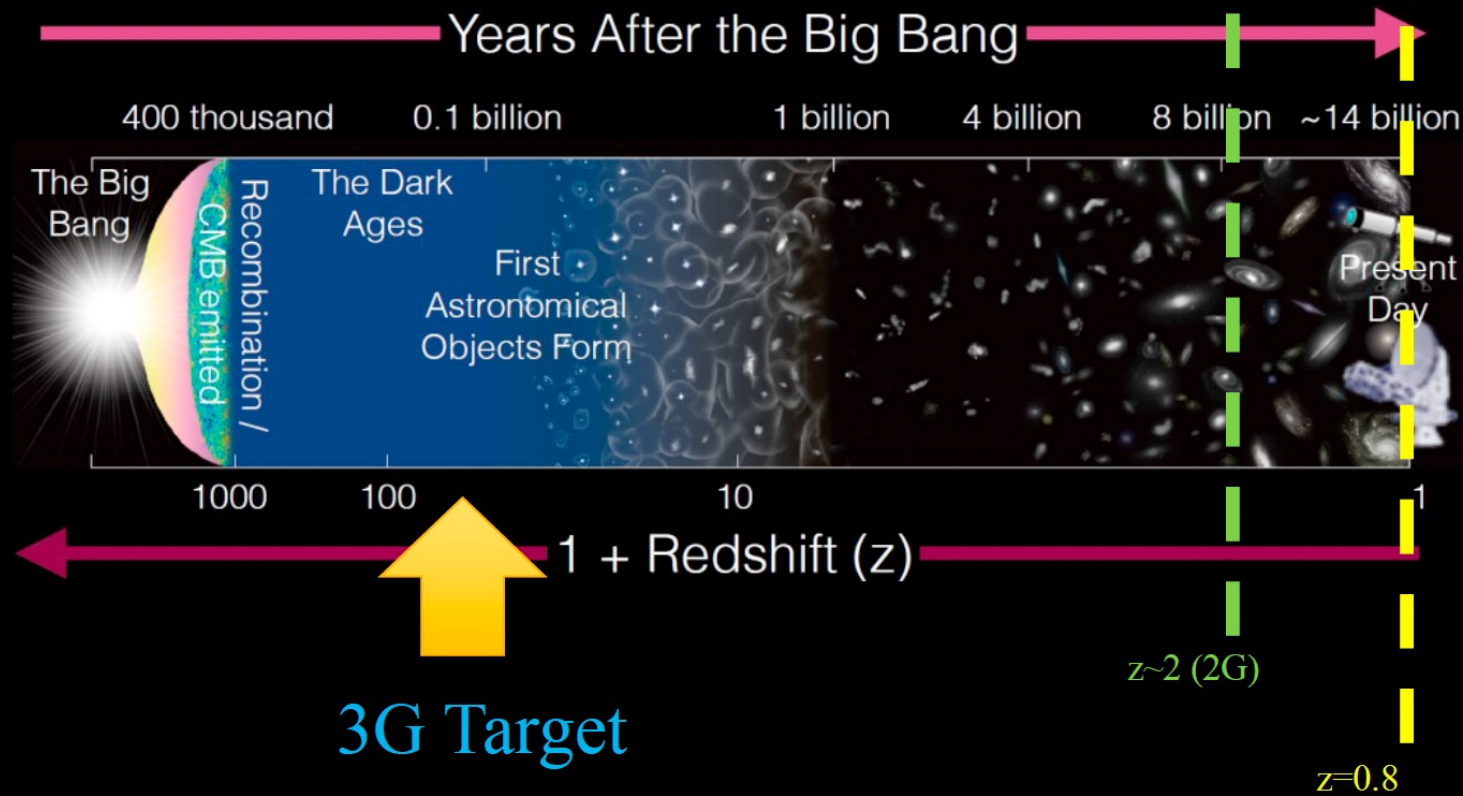


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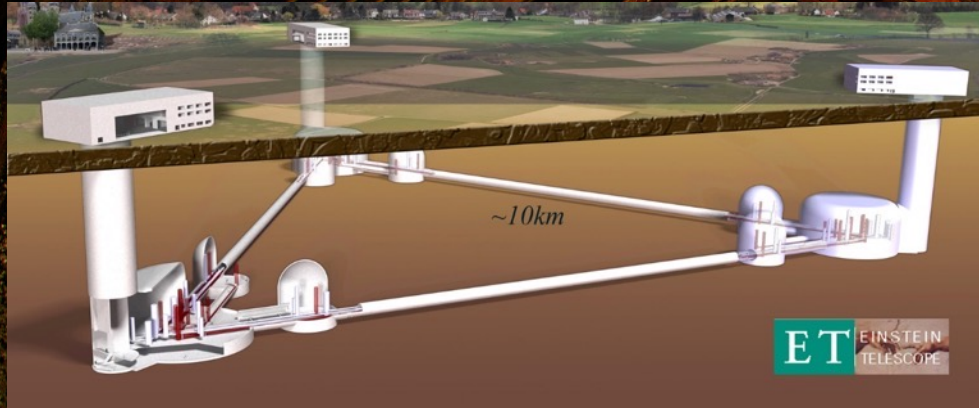
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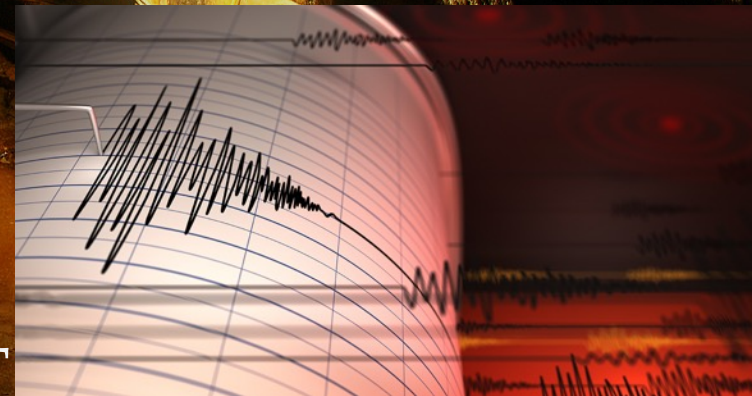
Larger & Underground



SENSITIVITY improves with arms
length

→ From 3 km in VIRGO to 10 km ET

UNDERGROUND to fight seismic and antropic noise

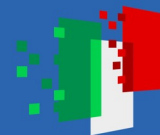




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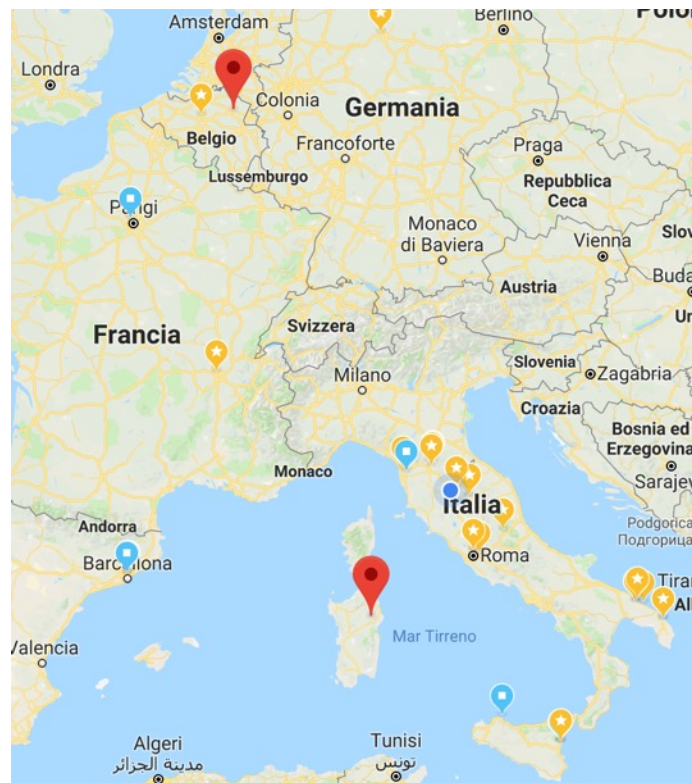
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TWO CANDIDATE SITES



Under discussion:
Single site triangular
geometry
Two sites L geometry
(LIGO like)
Dedicated EU project
for the evaluation.
Outcome Expected in
2026



- Euregio Meuse Rhine
The Netherlands
- Sardinia
Italy

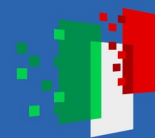
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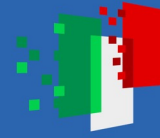
The combination of an extraordinary site &
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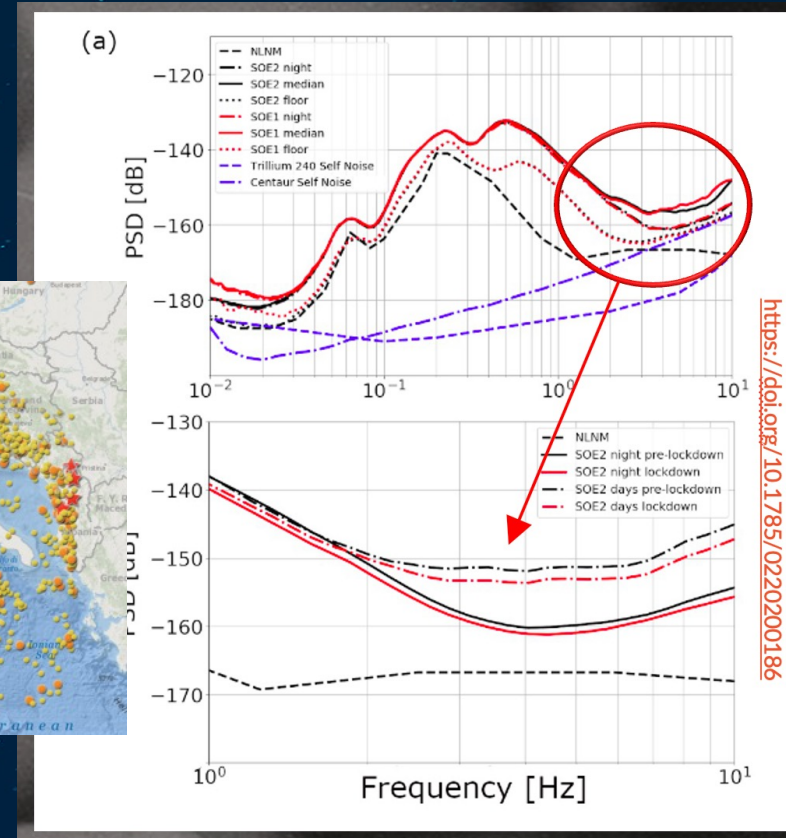
Enrico Fermi

Edoardo Amaldi

One of the Founding Fathers of INFN CERN and ESA
Pioneer in GW research

From his heritage the expertise leading to VIRGO, operating in Italy near Pisa.

NO relevant seismic activity in Sardinia
Low populated area → Low anthropic noise
In the region 1-10 Hz Sos Enattos is one of the best sites worldwide

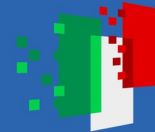




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COMPUTING FOR GW

A few numbers

Raw data size: about 120TB per month of observation per observatory

- Includes all control channels from the instrument
- Transferred to custodial storage for safekeeping
- Raw data don't grow much with increasing sensitivity (they do grow with instrument complexity: 1.5× from O3 to O4)

“Aggregated” data for analysis: 10TB/year per observatory

- Includes the single physics channel $h(t)$ and summary “data quality” information
- Distributed to computing centres for low-latency and offline analysis
- Published to GWOSC after proprietary period

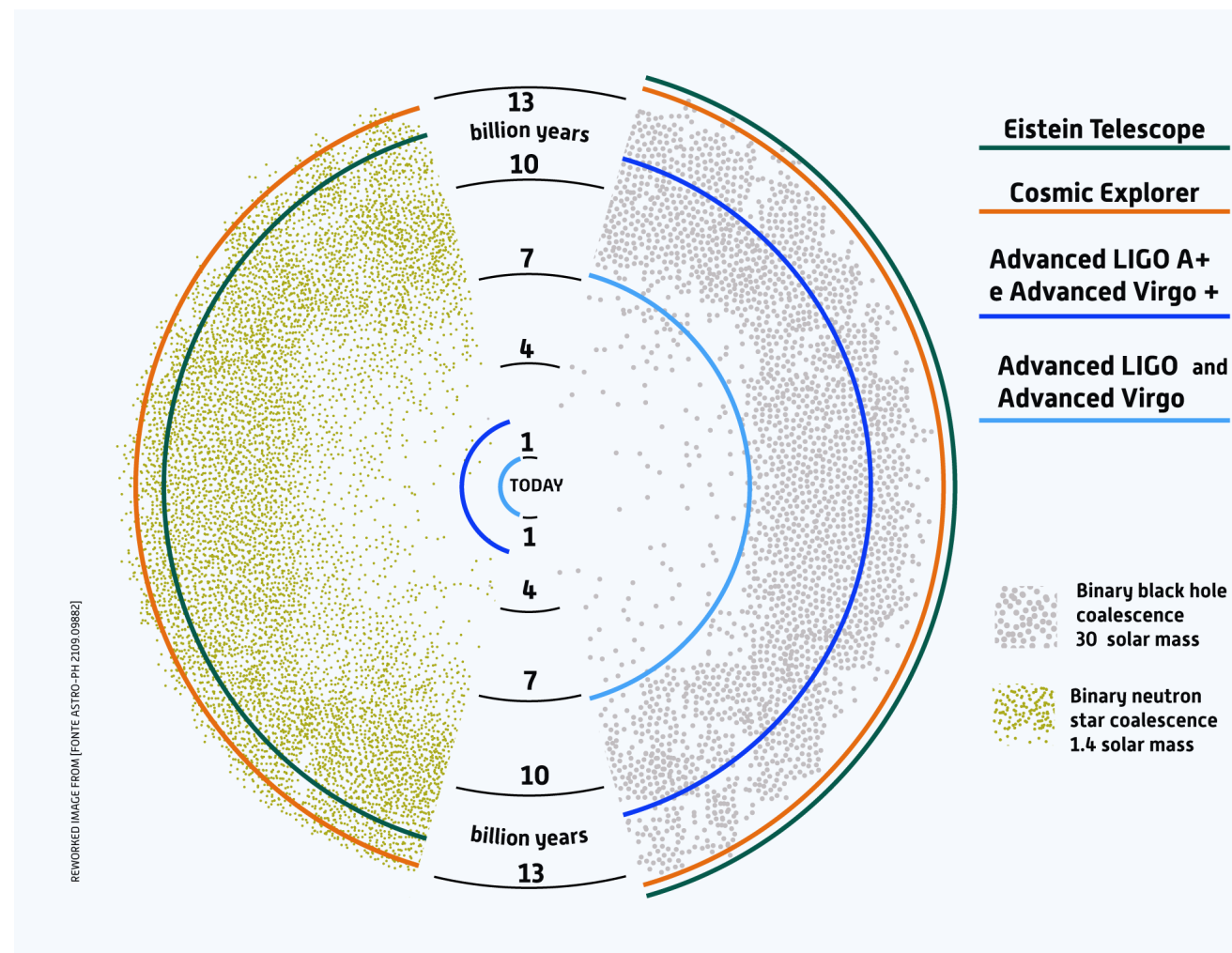
Computing: nearly 10^9 CPU core hours

- to process O3 data, both low-latency and offline
- About 10% of one of the LHC experiments
- And this does grow with sensitivity!

**About 10% of an LHC
experiment of today**

Some challenges

- High candidate rates (CBC PE explodes)
- Overlapping signals
- Much larger parameter space to explore
- Long duration waveform for CBCs (memory use?)
- Environmental correlated noise (non-independent colocated detectors)
- ...

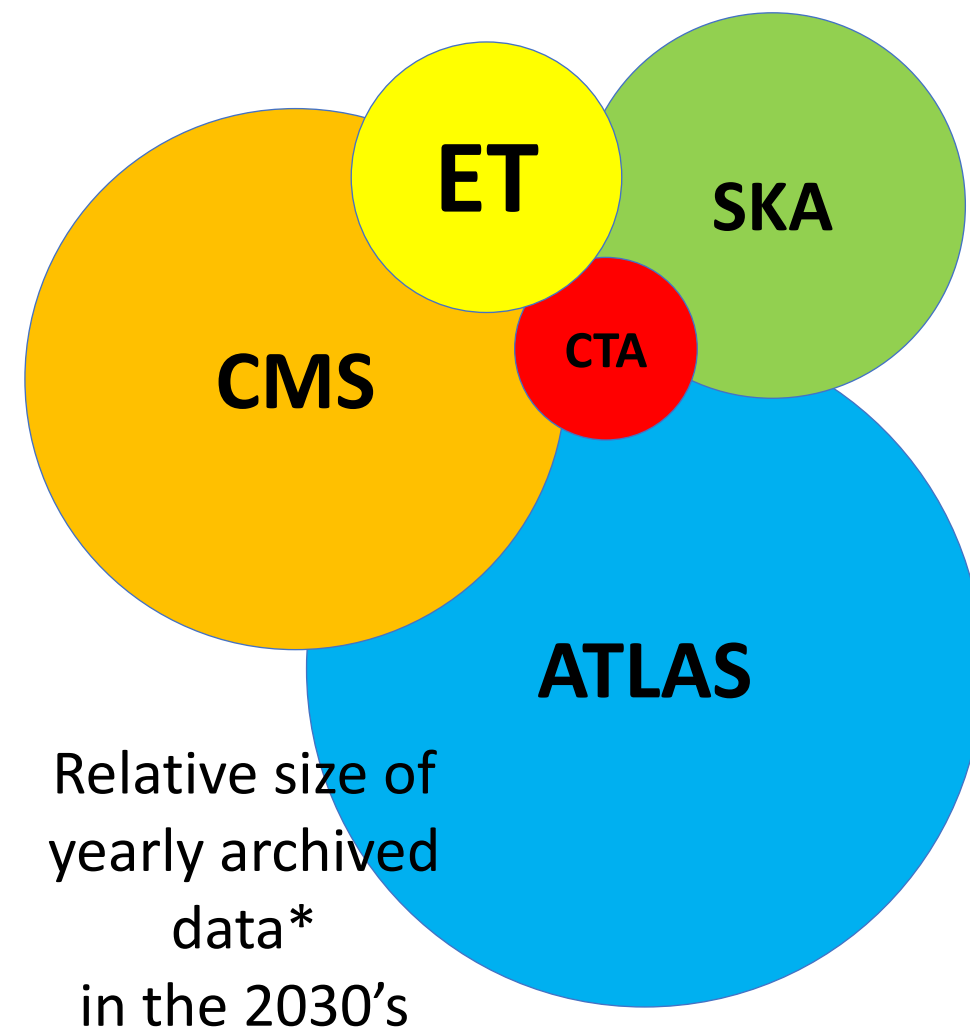


ET data vs LHC data

Again: luckily, raw interferometer data don't grow much with increasing instrument sensitivity

- We're not exploding like HL-LHC!
- In ET we expect about few tens of PB of raw data per year (baseline 6-interferometer design, more control channels,...)
- No big deal today, piece of cake by 2035

However, the amount of useful scientific information encoded in the data does grow (a lot)



In Summary

Current computing needs of the entire GW network are roughly (10%) of an LHC experiment of today

In ET the event rate will be 10^3 - 10^4 times the current one

- Analysis of the “golden” events would already be within reach using current technologies
 - O(500) events per year = 12.5MHS06-y per year, the same order of magnitude of a LHC experiment in Run 4
 - **Target: $1/10^{\text{th}}$ of an LHC experiment in Run 4**

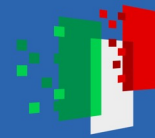
But: low-latency!



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Role of TeRABIT for Einstein Telescope in Italy



Provide data transfers, up to Terabits per second, between the site in Sardinia, and the other centers and laboratories in Sardinia, in Italy and Europe.

IN THE EXECUTIVE PHASE

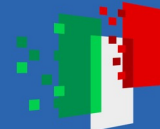
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In Conclusion:



THANK YOU

- ✓ **TeRABIT** will provide support to a wide scientific community by **combining Network, HPC & Research Infrastructures** in Italy interconnected with EU RI
- ✓ **Project in Executive phase**
- ✓ **A strategic Role for Einstein Telescope in Italy**

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