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Jetstream2: Accelerating cloud computing via Jetstream

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Jetstream1 System Overview



http://wiki.jetstream-cloud.org/Network+configuration+and+policies



Quick Jetstream1 Facts

- vCPU ranges from 1 core to 44 cores
- Ram on flavors ranges from 2gb to 120gb
- Atmosphere gives 100gb of block storage per user by default (may request more)
- API side allows 1TB per allocation by default (shared between all allocation users – may request more)
- GPUs (NVIDIA V100) available on a limited basis as ¼ vGPU, ½ vGPU, or 1 vGPU





What worked?

- Allowing API access and full control (root privileges)
- "Indefinite workflows" allowing instances to run continuously – providing PIs renew their allocations
- Development of trial allocations



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What didn't work?

- Forcing small allocations into the research allocation process
- Lack of multi-year allocations
- Lack of shared data set storage



Lessons learned

Challenges -> Inspired changes

- Storage capacity -> Larger HDD pool and new flash storage
- Homogeneous hardware -> Inclusion of NVIDIA GPUs (w/MIG) and memory diversity
- Separate OpenStack domains -> Unification of "Atmosphere" domain



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- Virtual networking architecture/maintenance -> Increase offload capabilities via Cumulus Networks software and Mellanox hardware (NAT & simulation)
- Acceptance & integration into national CI ecosystem -> Changes to our metrics/KPIs & accounting processes
- Deployment diversity -> Leverage single technology for config management



Jetstream2 Capabilities

Enhancing laaS model of Jetstream:

- Improved orchestration support
- Elastic virtual clusters
- Federated JupyterHubs
- Ease storage sharing (CephFS w/Manilla)
- Commitment to >99% uptime
- Critical for science gateway hosting
- Hybrid-cloud support Revamped User Interface
- Unified instance management
- Multi-instance launch



Feb 12, 2019 – Jet stream region called "Jet N6" NASA/JPL-Caltech/SwRI/MSSS/Kevin M. Gill

- >57K cores of next-gen AMD EPYC processors
- >360 NVIDIA A100 GPUs will provide vGPUs via NVIDIA's MIG feature
- >17PB of storage (NVMe and disk hybrid)
- 100GbE Mellanox network





Timeline

- Jetstream now in 5th year of operations
- Jetstream extension granted by the NSF through November 2021
- Extension through March 2022 in process
- Jetstream2
 - Early operations planned for December 2021
 - Production operations by January 2022



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