

HPC User Environment 2

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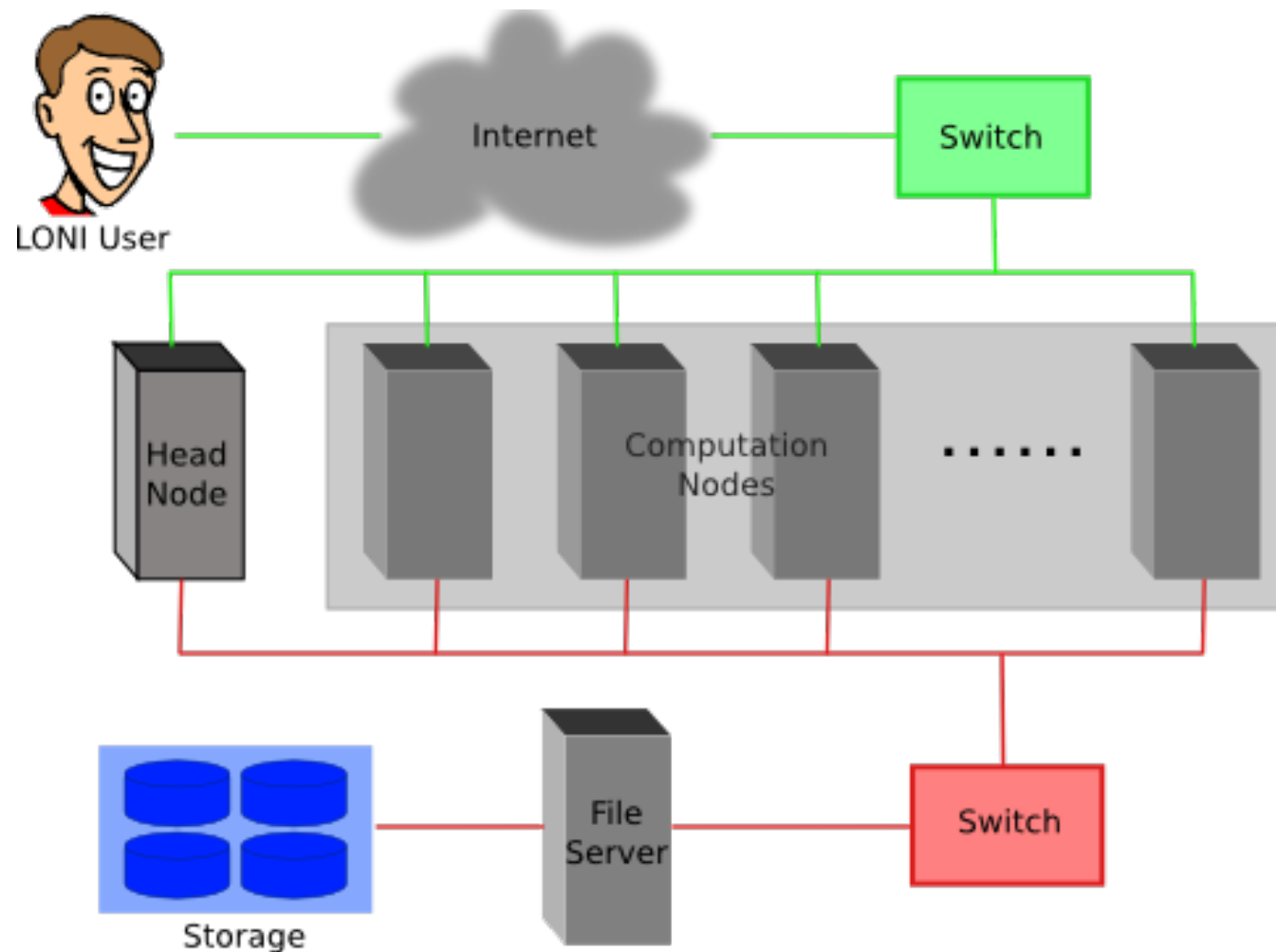
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Two things needed to run jobs on our clusters:

1) Account

2) Allocation

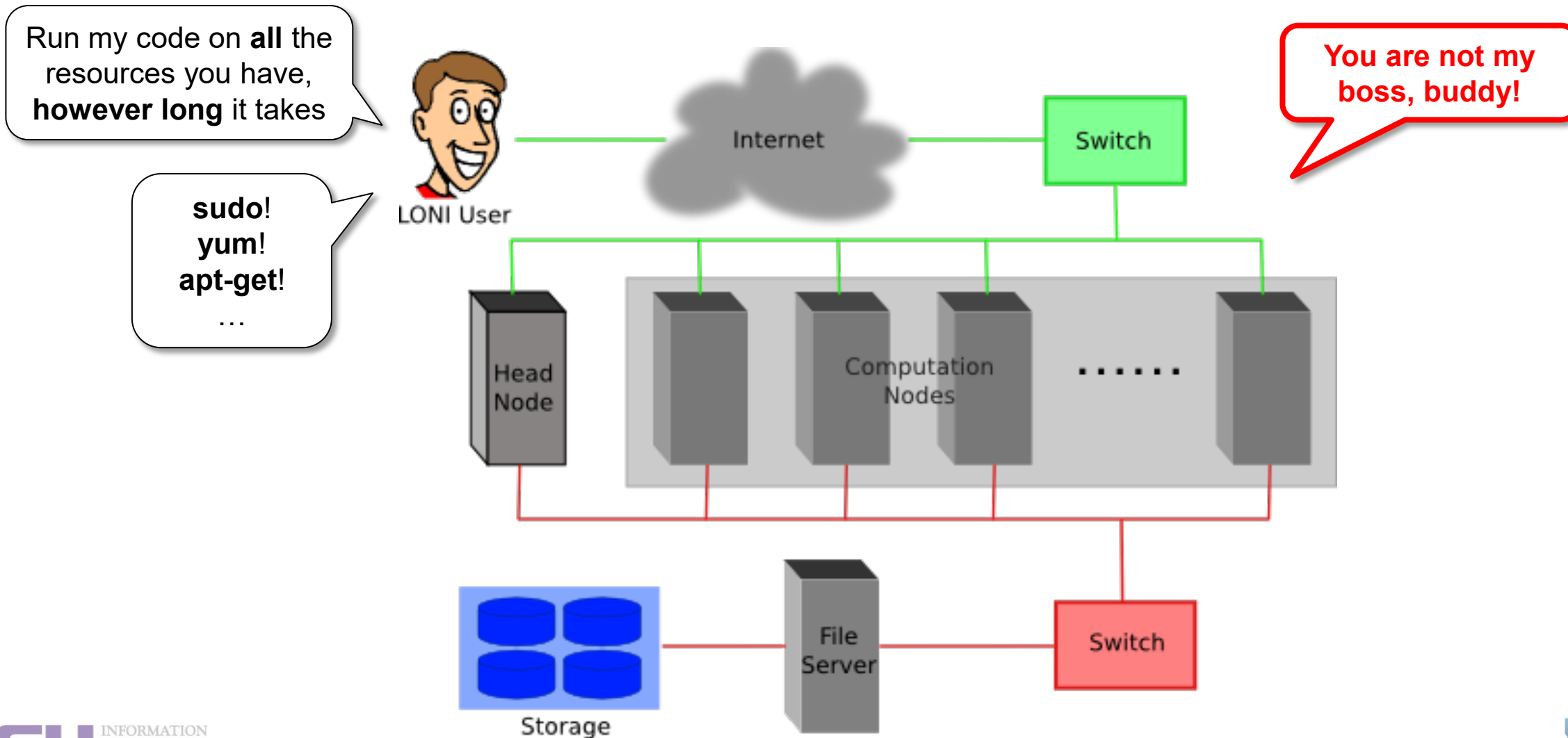
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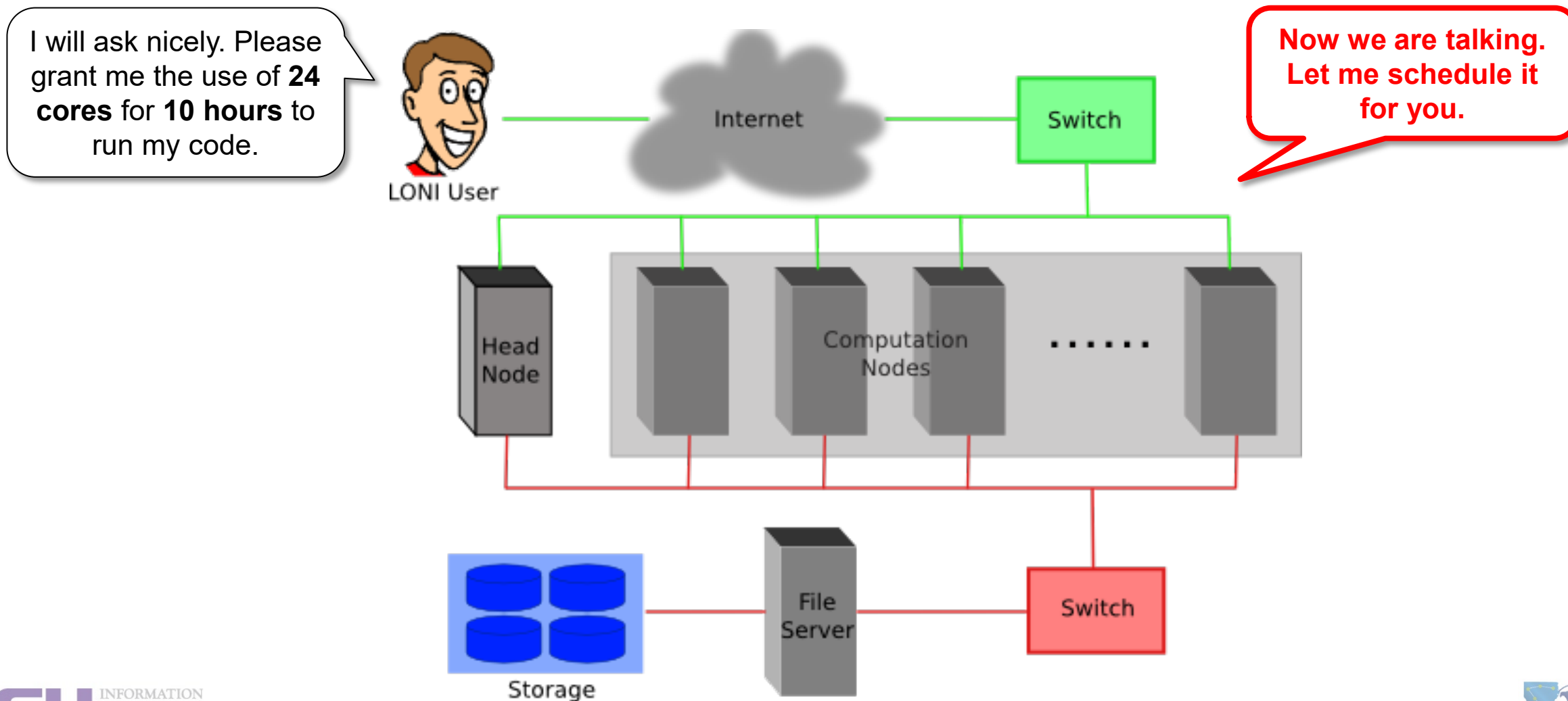
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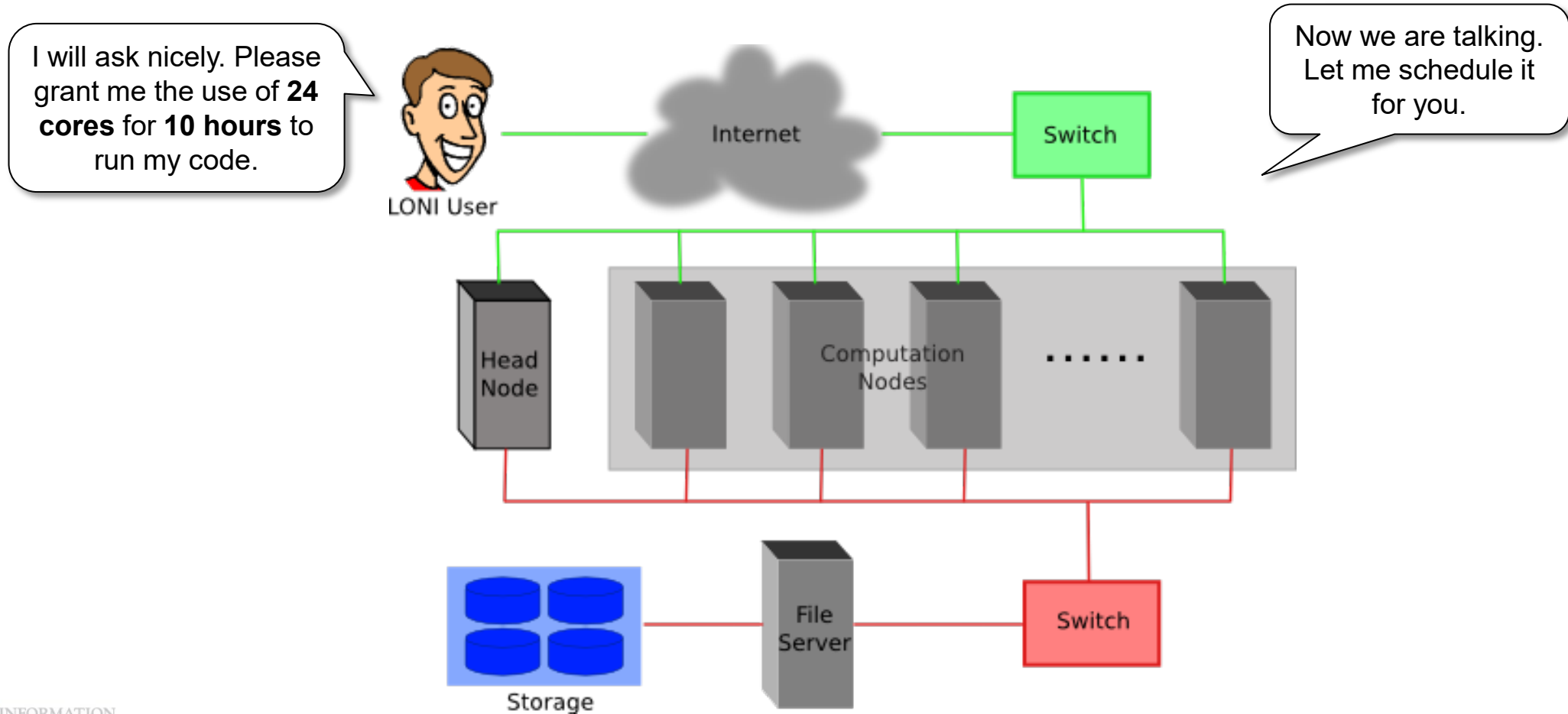
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a) What's a "job"?

- A user's request to use **a number of nodes/cores** for **a certain amount of time** on a cluster.
- Calculation **MUST** be done via jobs (**NO** heavy calculation on head nodes!!)
- SUs deducted from allocations based on actual usage of each job.
 - Example:
 - My allocation: 50,000 SU
 - Running a job: 24 core * 10 hours = 240 SU
 - Balance: 49,760 SU

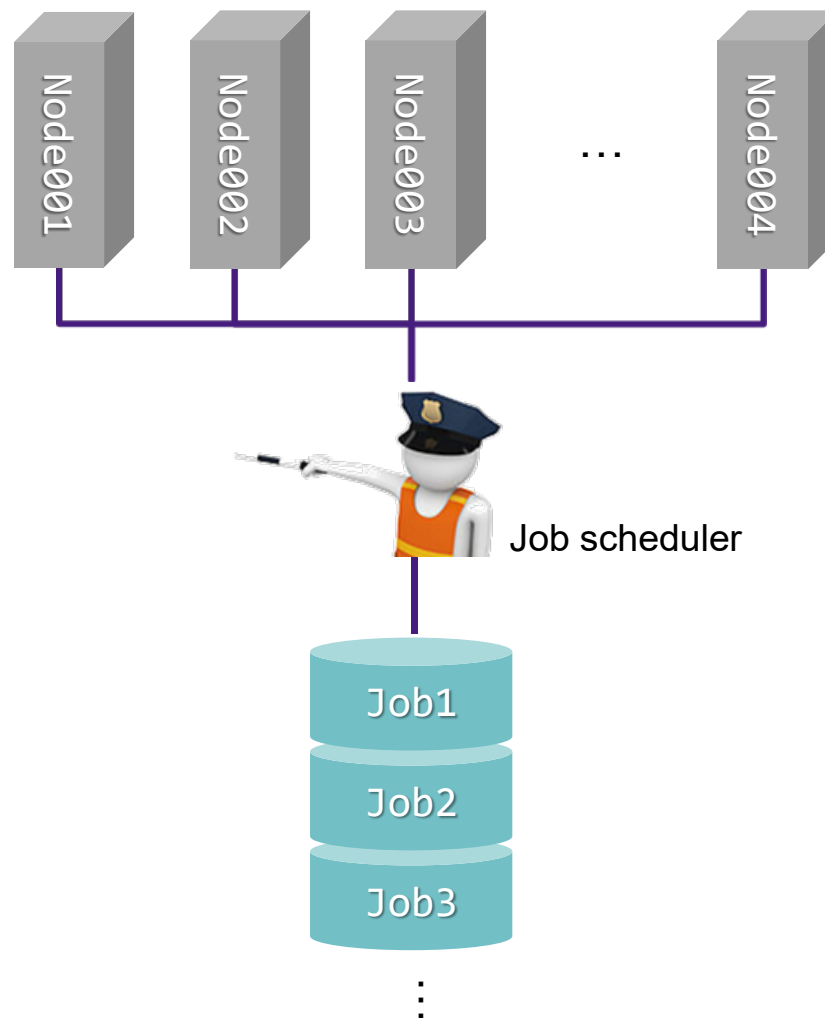
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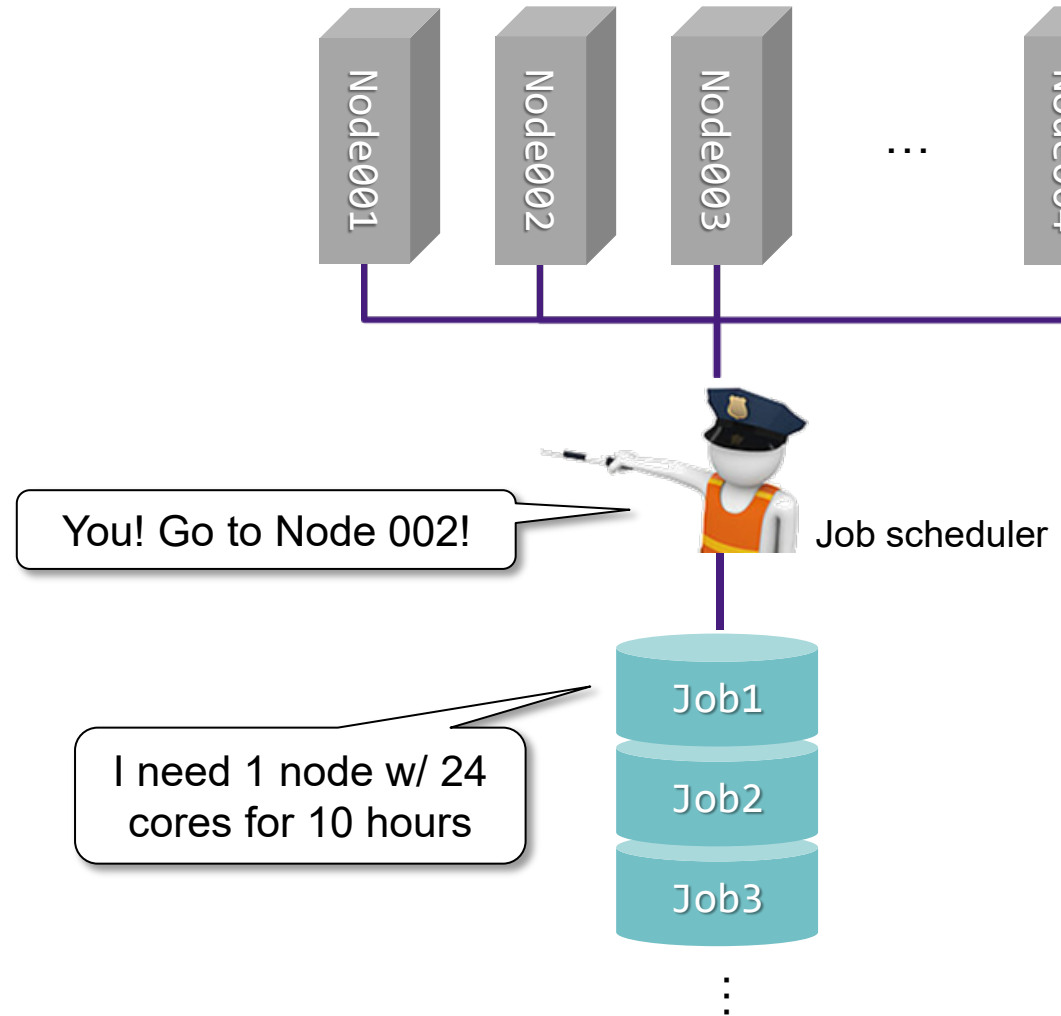
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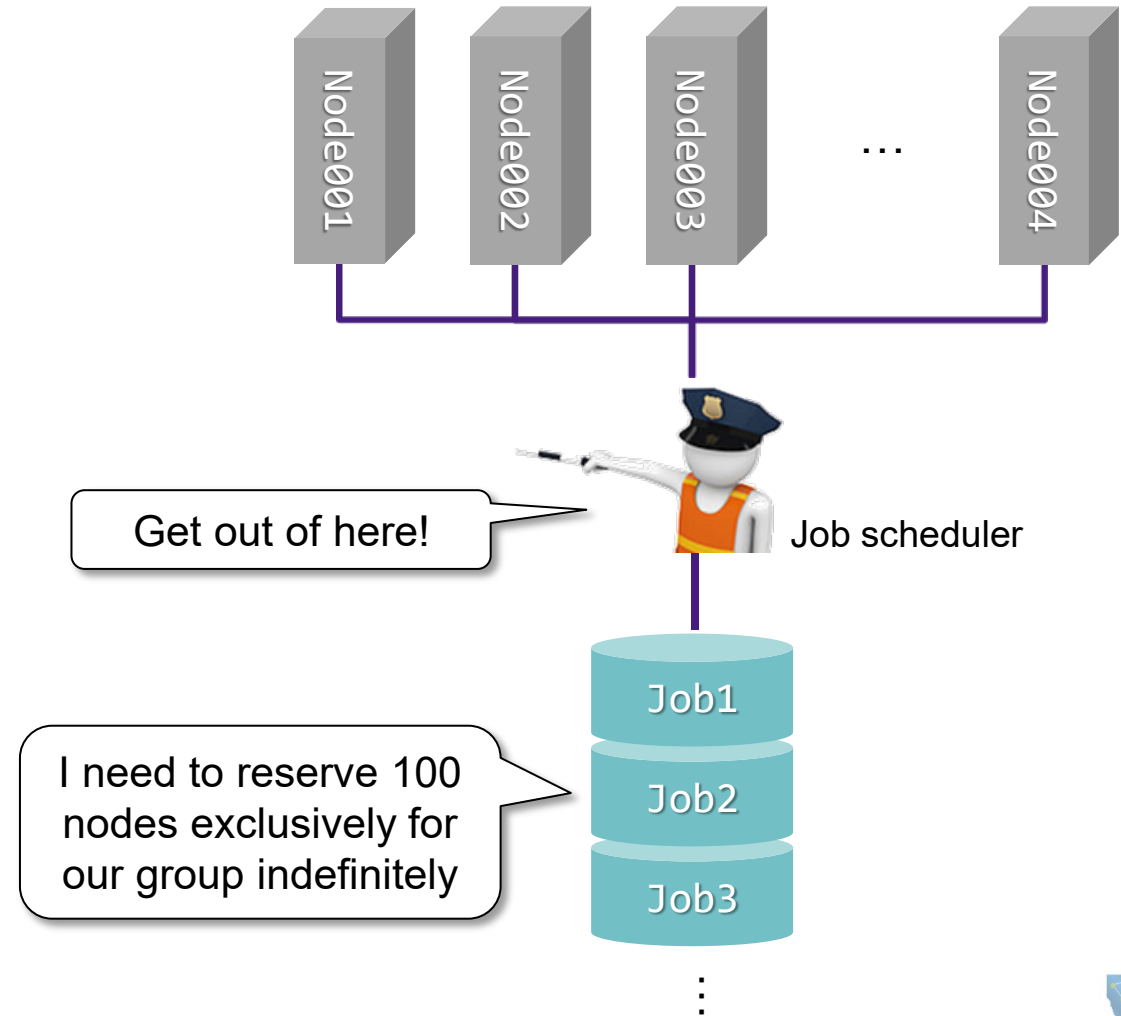
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- i. Decides which job runs when and where
- ii. Enforces job policies



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Job scheduler's responsibilities	Your responsibilities
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Decides which job runs when and where• Enforces job policies	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Decide a job's size and duration• Understand the job queuing system and policies• Submit/monitor/cancel jobs• Diagnose job health

2) Job & Job scheduler

b) What's a "job scheduler"?

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	LSU HPC	LONI
i) PBS	SMIC	QB2
ii) Slurm	Deep Bayou SuperMike III	QB3

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1) Basic principles

- **Two basic principles of requesting resources**
 - Number of nodes / cores, RAM size, job duration, ...

Large enough ...

Small enough ...

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">• To successfully complete your job	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• To ensure quick turnaround• Not to waste resources for other users

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2) Job duration (wall time)

- What is it?
 - **Real-world** (**wall**) time taken from the start to the end
 - Must tell job scheduler how long you want your job to run
 - There is a **maximum** wall time you may request (see later)

2) Job duration (wall time)

- FAQ

Q	A
<ul style="list-style-type: none">What if my command is still running when the wall time runs out?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Job terminated, any running process killed
<ul style="list-style-type: none">What if all my commands in the job finished before the wall time runs out?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Job exits successfully when all commands finished
<ul style="list-style-type: none">If my job exits before requested wall time, how many SUs will I be charged?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">You will be charged based on your actual time used (if less than requested)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">In that case, why don't I just request maximum wall time every time?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Your queuing time may be long...

2) Job duration (wall time)

- Back to basic principles...

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3) Number of nodes & cores

- Previously in HPC User Environment 1 ...

SuperMIC		Deep Bayou		SuperMike III	
Hostname	smic.hpc.lsu.edu	Hostname	db1.lsu.edu	Hostname	mike.hpc.lsu.edu
Peak Performance/TFlops	925	Peak Performance/TFlops	257	Peak Performance/TFlops	1,285
Compute nodes	360	Compute nodes	13	Compute nodes	183
Processor/node	2 10-core	Processor/node	2 24-core	Processor/node	2 32-core
Processor Speed	2.8 GHz	Processor Speed	2.4 GHz	Processor Speed	2.6GHz
Processor Type	Intel Xeon 64bit	Processor Type	Intel Cascade Lake Xeon 64bit	Processor Type	Intel Xeon Ice Lake
Nodes with Accelerators	360	Nodes with Accelerators	13	Nodes with Accelerators	8
Accelerator Type	Xeon Phi 7120P	Accelerator Type	2 x NVIDIA Volta V100S	Accelerator Type	4 NVIDIA A100
OS	RHEL v6	OS	RHEL v7	OS	RHEL v8
Vendor		Vendor	Dell	Vendor	Dell
Memory per node	64 GB	Memory per node	192 GB	Memory per node	256/2048 GB
Detailed Cluster Description		Detailed Cluster Description		Detailed Cluster Description	
User Guide		User Guide		User Guide	
Available Software		Available Software		Available Software	

3) Number of nodes & cores

- **When submitting you job...**
 - Must tell job scheduler the number of nodes & cores you need

3) Number of nodes & cores

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Q	A
<ul style="list-style-type: none">My code runs slow. Can I request more nodes / cores to make it faster?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Not quite! Your code most likely is NOT using multiple nodes / cores, if:<ul style="list-style-type: none">You do not know if it is using multiple nodes / coresYou did not tell it to use multiple nodes / coresYou are not familiar with names like “MPI” / “OpenMP”Underutilization is THE most common warning received on our clusters
<ul style="list-style-type: none">How many nodes / cores should I request?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">In short: We can’t answer thatEach code / job is different. You must test to determine

3) Number of nodes & cores

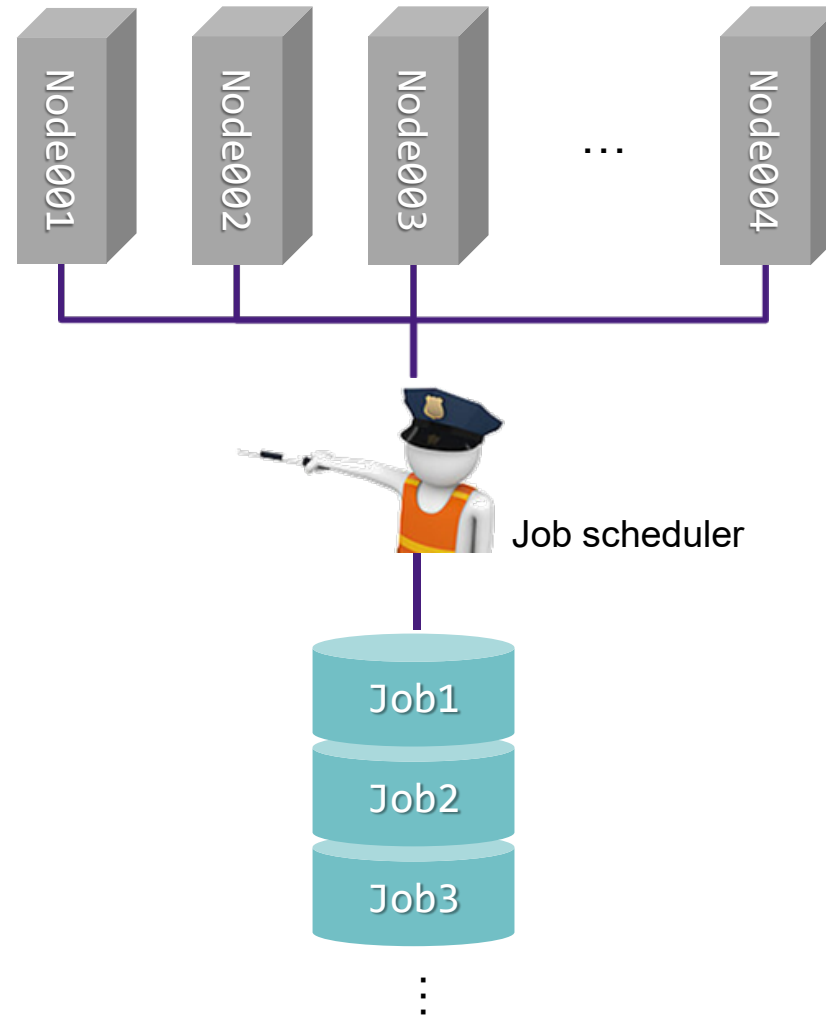
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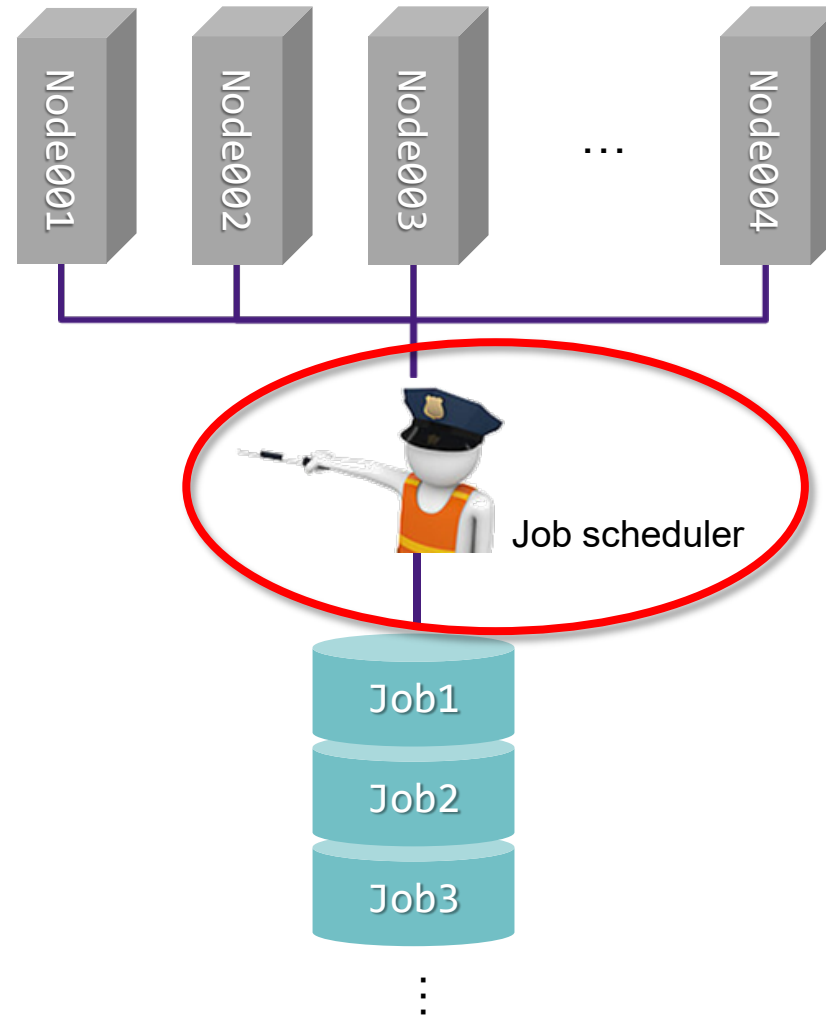
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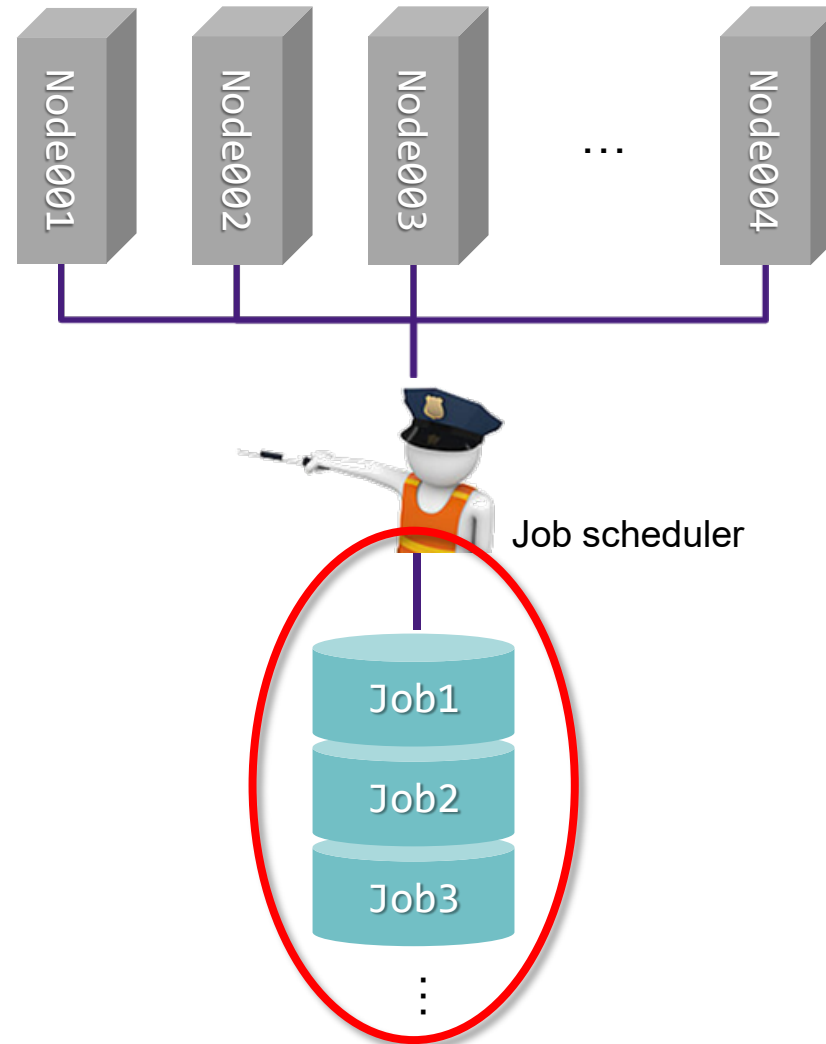
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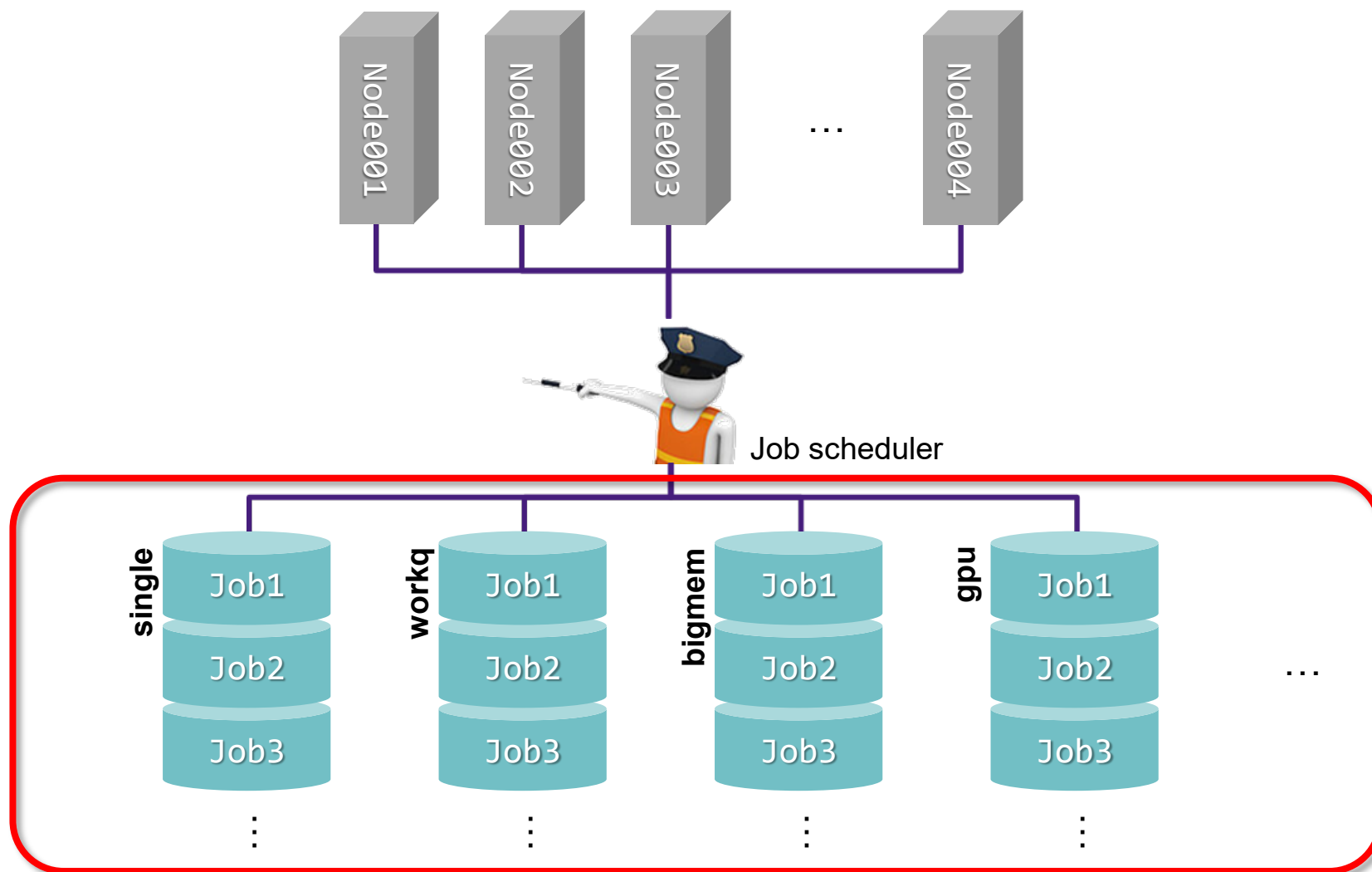
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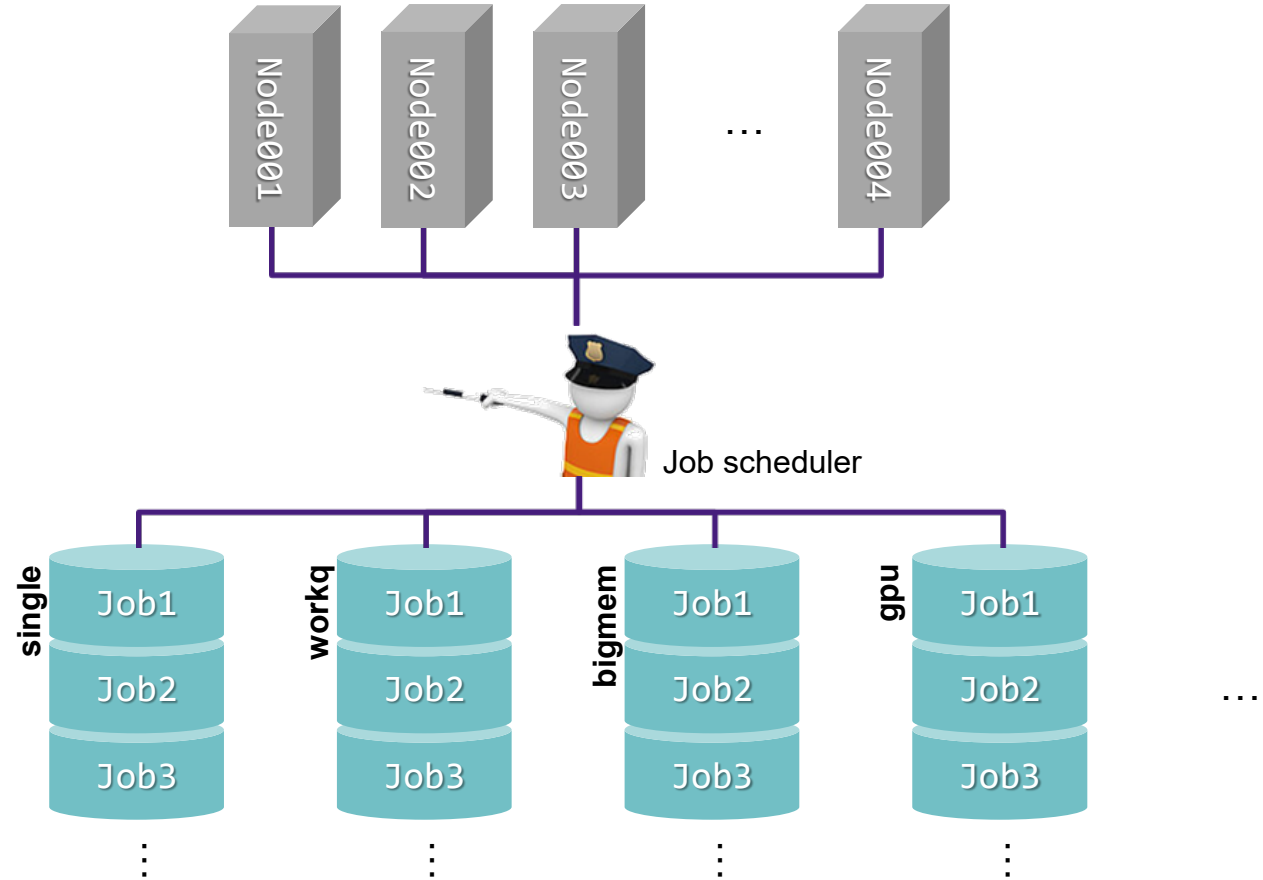
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a) Definition

- Different groups / lines where jobs are being grouped into
- Must pick one queue to submit job
- Goal: Use the resources more efficiently



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b) Available queues

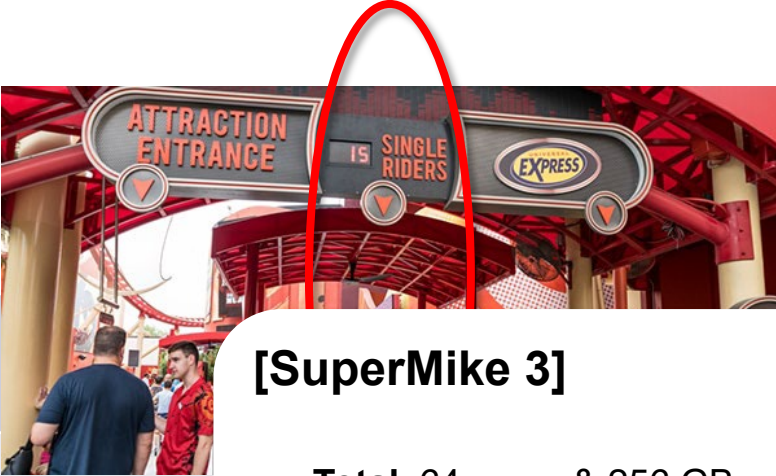
i. **workq / checkpoint**

Description		<ul style="list-style-type: none">General purposesMost likely your default queueDifference: non-preemptable (workq) vs. preemptable (checkpoint)
Names		<ul style="list-style-type: none">All clusters: workq / checkpoint
Resource availability	Nodes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">One or multipleUp to a maximum
	Cores	<ul style="list-style-type: none">All cores on the node(s)
	Memory	<ul style="list-style-type: none">All memory on the node(s)
Max duration		<ul style="list-style-type: none">72 hours (3 days)

b) Available queues

ii. **single**

Description		• Only need a portion of one node
Names		• All clusters: single
Resource availability	Nodes	• A portion of one node
	Cores	• PBS: 1/2/4/6/8 • Slurm: 1 ~ all cores
	Memory	• A portion, proportional to the number of requested cores
Max duration		• 168 hours (7 days)



[SuperMike 3]

- **Total:** 64 cores & 256 GB memory
→ 4 GB / core
- **Request:** 10 cores
→ 40 GB memory

b) Available queues

iii. **bigmem**

Description		<ul style="list-style-type: none">Your job needs large memory
Names		<ul style="list-style-type: none">All clusters: bigmem
Resource availability	Nodes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">One or multiple
	Cores	<ul style="list-style-type: none">All cores on the node
	Memory	<ul style="list-style-type: none">All memory on the node
Max duration		<ul style="list-style-type: none">72 hours (3 days)

4) Job queues

b) Available queues

iv. GPU

Description		• Your job needs GPU	
Names		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SMIC: v100• Deep Bayou (*): gpu, nvlink• SuperMike 3 (*): gpu• QB3: gpu	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Deep Bayou (*): gpu (2 GPU / node) nvlink (4 GPU / node)• SuperMike 3 (*): gpu (4 GPUs / node)
Resource availability	Nodes	• One or multiple	• Portion of one node
	Cores	• All cores on the node	• Portion of one node
	Memory	• All memory on the node	• Portion of one node
	GPU	• All GPU devices on the node	• 1 ~ all GPU devices
Max duration		• 72 hours (3 days)	

4) Job queues

c) Queues by clusters (LSU HPC)

Cluster	Queue	Cores per node (ppn)	Max running jobs	Max nodes per user
SuperMIC	workq	20	45 (global)	86
	checkpt			
	single	1,2,4,6,8,16		2
	v100	36		
	bigmem	28		
DeepBayou	gpu	24,48	4 (global)	4
	nvlink	12,24,36,48		2
SuperMike3	workq	64	32 (global)	84
	checkpt			
	single	1 ~ 64		4
	gpu	16,32,48,64		
	bigmem	64		

4) Job queues

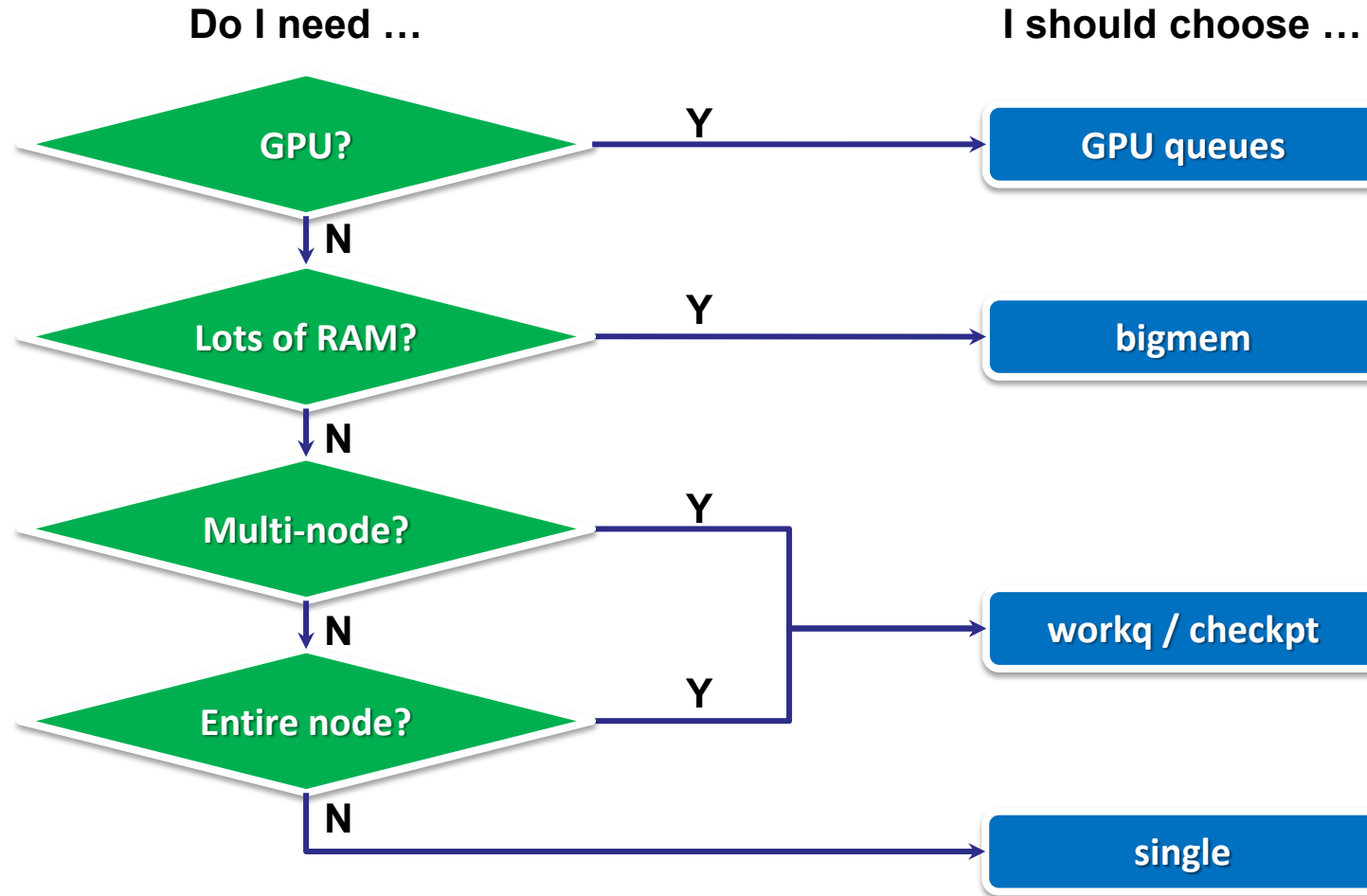
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Cluster	Queue	Cores per node (ppn)	Max running jobs	Max nodes per user
QB-2	workq	20	32 (global)	128
	checkpt			
	single	1,2,4,6,8		
	bigmem	48		1
QB-3	workq	48	32 (global)	96
	checkpt			
	single	1 ~ 48		
	gpu	48		4
	bigmem	48		2

d) Choose your queue

Large enough ...	Small enough ...
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Test

My job ...	Queue choice? (include number of nodes / cores)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SMIC• MPI code, needs 100 CPU cores<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Hint: SMIC has 20 cores / node	workq / checkpoint (5 nodes, 20 cores per node)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SuperMike 3• Uses 2 GPUs to train a neural network<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Hint: SuperMike 3 has 64 cores / node, 4 GPUs / node → 16 cores / GPU	gpu (1 node, 32 cores per node)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• QB-3• Single-core serial code• Needs to store and process 30 GB data in RAM<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Hint: QB-3 has 192 GB RAM / node, 4 GB RAM / core	single (1 node, 8 cores per node)

4) Job queues

e) Useful commands to check queues

- i. **qstat -q** : All queue information

```
(base) [jasonli3@mike2 ~]$ qstat -q
```

Queue	Memory	CPU	Time	Walltime	Node	Run	Que	Lm	State
admin	--	--	--	--	--	0	0	--	E R
single	--	--	--	168:00:00	1	0	0	--	E R
checkpt	--	--	--	72:00:00	--	3	0	--	E R
workq	--	--	--	72:00:00	--	12	0	--	E R
bigmem	--	--	--	72:00:00	--	0	0	--	E R
gpu	--	--	--	72:00:00	--	0	0	--	E R
						15	0		

e) Useful commands to check queues

- ii. **qfree** : Free nodes in each queue

```
(base) [jasonli3@mike2 ~]$ qfree
PBS total nodes: 183, free: 120, busy: 58, down: 2, use: 31%
PBS workq nodes: 171, free: 108, busy: 54, queued: 0
PBS single nodes: 171, free: 108, busy: 0, queued: 0
PBS ckpt nodes: 171, free: 108, busy: 4, queued: 0
PBS bigmem nodes: 4, free: 4, busy: 0, queued: 0
PBS gpu nodes: 8, free: 8, busy: 0, queued: 0
```

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iii. **sinfo** (Slurm only) : Detailed node health information of all queues

```
(base) [jasonli3@mike2 ~]$ sinfo
PARTITION AVAIL  TIMELIMIT  NODES  STATE NODELIST
single*    up 7-00:00:00      2  inval mike[035,138]
single*    up 7-00:00:00      1   comp mike144
single*    up 7-00:00:00     58  alloc mike[008-026,031-034,036-044,046-050,141-143,148-162,167-169]
single*    up 7-00:00:00    108   idle mike[001-007,027-030,045,051-137,139,145-146,163-166,170-171]
single*    up 7-00:00:00      2   down mike[140,147]
checkpt    up 3-00:00:00      2  inval mike[035,138]
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workq      up 3-00:00:00      2   down mike[140,147]
bigmem     up 3-00:00:00      4   idle mike[172-175]
gpu        up 3-00:00:00      8   idle mike[176-183]
```

1. Basic concepts

- a) How job works on clusters
- b) Job scheduler and how it works

2. Preparing my job

- a) Basic principles
 - “**large enough**” and “**small enough**”
- b) Information you need to tell job scheduler:
 - Duration
 - Number of nodes & cores
 - Job queue

- 1) Have your terminal open and ready to connect to HPC
- 2) Download our testing code (π calculation) to your /home directory
 - http://www.hpc.lsu.edu/training/weekly-materials/Downloads/pi_Jason.tar.gz
 - Hint: use *wget* command

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3. Submitting a job

- Two types of jobs:

1) Interactive job

- Runs **in terminal** (just like using a local machine)
- **Can interact** with the job while running

2) Batch job

- Submit to server and runs **by itself**, until finished or error
- **Cannot interact** with the job while running

3. Submitting a job

- Two types of jobs:

	1) Interactive job	2) Batch job
Pros	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Can interact and monitor with job in real time	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Submit and leave it
Cons	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Waiting for human intervention is the opposite of “high performance”	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cannot edit or interact with job while running
Ideal for	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Debugging and testing• Large compilation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Production

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1) Interactive job

a) Command

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<code>qsub -I [options]</code>	<code>srun [options] --pty <u>bash</u></code> (Or any other shell of your preference)

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<pre>qsub -I \ -X \ -A <Allocation name> \ -q <Queue name> \ -l walltime=<HH:MM:SS>,nodes=<# of nodes>:ppn=<# of cores PER NODE></pre>	<pre>srun \ --x11 \ -A <Allocation name> \ -p <Queue name> \ -t <HH:MM:SS> \ -N <# of nodes> \ -n <# of TOTAL cores> \ --pty bash</pre>

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<pre>qsub -I \ -X \ -A <Allocation name> \ -q <Queue name> \ -l walltime=<HH:MM:SS>,nodes=<# of nodes>:ppn=<# of cores PER NODE></pre> <p>Does not change with # of nodes</p>	<pre>srun \ --x11 \ -A <Allocation name> \ -p <Queue name> \ -t <HH:MM:SS> \ -N <# of nodes> \ -n <# of TOTAL cores> \ --pty bash</pre> <p>Scales proportionally with # of nodes</p>

1) Interactive job

a) Command

PBS	Slurm
<pre>qsub -I \ -X \ -A <Allocation name> \ -q <Queue name> \ -l walltime=<HH:MM:SS>,nodes nodes>:ppn=<# of cores PER NODE></pre>	<pre>run \ --x11 \ -A <Allocation name> \ -p <Queue name> \ -t <HH:MM:SS> \ -N <# of nodes> \ -n <# of TOTAL cores> \ --pty bash</pre>

For those who run MPI / OpenMP hybrid –

-n <# of tasks>

-c <# of cores per task>

⇒ <n> * <c> = <# of TOTAL cores>

1) Interactive job

b) Starting an interactive job

PBS

```
(base) [jasonli3@smic1 pi]$ qsub -I -A hpc_h  
n=20  
qsub: waiting for job 911565.smic3 to start  
Interactive job 911565.smic3 waiting:  
qsub: job 911565.smic3 ready
```

```
Concluding PBS prologue script - 31-Jan-2023  
-----  
(base) [jasonli3@smic045 ~]$ █
```

Slurm

```
(base) [jasonli3@mike1 pi]$ srun -A hpc_h  
srun: Job is in held state, pending sched  
srun: job 38634 queued and waiting for re  
Interactive job 38634 waiting:  
srun: job 38634 has been allocated resour  
(base) [jasonli3@mike147 pi]$ █
```

1) Interactive job

b) Starting an interactive job

PBS

```
(base) [jasonli3@smic1 pi]$ qsub -I -A hpc_h  
n=20  
qsub: waiting for job 911565.smic3 to start  
Interactive job 911565.smic3 waiting:  
qsub: job 911565.smic3 ready
```

```
Concluding PBS prologue script - 31-Jan-2023  
-----  
(base) [jasonli3@smic045 pi]$
```

Slurm

```
(base) [jasonli3@mike1 pi]$ srun -A hpc_h  
srun: Job is in held state, pending sched  
srun: job 38634 queued and waiting for re  
Interactive job 38634 waiting:  
srun: job 38634 has been allocated resour  
(base) [jasonli3@mike147 pi]$
```

Successfully started: on a computing node (**3-digit** number)

1) Interactive job

b) Starting an interactive job

PBS

```
(base) [jasonli3@smic1 pi]$ qsub -I -A hpc_h  
n=20  
qsub: waiting for job 911565.smic3 to start  
Interactive job 911565.smic3 waiting:  
qsub: job 911565.smic3 ready
```

```
Concluding PBS prologue script - 31-Jan-2023  
-----  
(base) [jasonli3@smic045 ~]$
```

Slurm

```
(base) [jasonli3@mike1 pi]$ srun -A hpc_h  
srun: Job is in held state, pending sched  
srun: job 38634 queued and waiting for re  
Interactive job 38634 waiting:  
srun: job 38634 has been allocated resour  
(base) [jasonli3@mike147 pi]$
```

PBS: Job starts in **/home** directory

Slurm: Job starts in **where the job was submitted**

1) Interactive job

c) One more thing about GPU jobs ...

PBS	Slurm
	<pre>srun \ --x11 \ -A <Allocation name> \ -p <Queue name> \ -t <HH:MM:SS> \ -N1 \ -n16 \ --gres=gpu:1 \ --pty bash</pre> <p>[GPU] Request 1 out of 4 GPUs on SuperMike 3</p>

d) Running an interactive job

- i. Serial (single-thread)
- ii. Parallel (MPI)

* **Slurm + interactive + MPI:**

\$ srun <mpi_executable>

Will hang

\$ srun **--overlap** <mpi_executable>

Will run

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2) Batch job

- What do you need?
 - i. A **batch file** (containing job parameters and bash scripts)
 - ii. Run a **submission command** to submit this batch file

2) Batch job

a) Batch file

PBS	Slurm

2) Batch job

a) Batch file

PBS

```
#!/bin/bash
#PBS -A <Allocation name>
#PBS -q workq
#PBS -l walltime=1:00:00
#PBS -l nodes=1:ppn=20

cd $PBS_O_WORKDIR
./pi_serial.out 100000000
```

Slurm

```
#!/bin/bash
#SBATCH -A <Allocation name>
#SBATCH -p workq
#SBATCH -t 1:00:00
#SBATCH -N 1
#SBATCH -n 64

cd $SLURM_SUBMIT_DIR
./pi_serial.out 100000000
```

2) Batch job

a) Batch file

PBS	Slurm
<pre>#!/bin/bash #PBS -A <Allocation name> #PBS -q workq #PBS -l walltime=1:00:00 #PBS -l nodes=1:ppn=20 cd \$PBS_O_WORKDIR ./pi_serial.out 100000000</pre>	<div>Job parameters</div> <pre>#!/bin/bash #SBATCH -A <Allocation name> #SBATCH -p workq #SBATCH -t 1:00:00 #SBATCH -N 1 #SBATCH -n 64 cd \$SLURM_SUBMIT_DIR ./pi_serial.out 100000000</pre> <div>Commands to execute after job starts</div>

2) Batch job

a) Batch file

PBS

```
#!/bin/bash
#PBS -A <Allocation name>
#PBS -q workq
#PBS -l walltime=1:00:00
#PBS -l nodes=1:ppn=20

cd $PBS_O_WORKDIR
./pi_serial.out 100000000
```

Slurm

Allocation name

```
#!/bin/bash
#SBATCH -A <Allocation name>
#SBATCH -p workq
#SBATCH -t 1:00:00
#SBATCH -N 1
#SBATCH -n 64

cd $SLURM_SUBMIT_DIR
./pi_serial.out 100000000
```

2) Batch job

a) Batch file

PBS	Slurm
<pre>#!/bin/bash #PBS -A <Allocation name> #PBS -q workq #PBS -l walltime=1:00:00 #PBS -l nodes=1:ppn=20 cd \$PBS_O_WORKDIR ./pi_serial.out 100000000</pre>	<pre>#!/bin/bash #SBATCH -A <Allocation name> #SBATCH -p workq #SBATCH -t 1:00:00 #SBATCH -N 1 #SBATCH -n 64 cd \$SLURM_SUBMIT_DIR ./pi_serial.out 100000000</pre> <div>Queue name</div>

2) Batch job

a) Batch file

PBS	Slurm
<pre>#!/bin/bash #PBS -A <Allocation name> #PBS -q workq #PBS -l walltime=1:00:00 #PBS -l nodes=1:ppn=20 cd \$PBS_O_WORKDIR ./pi_serial.out 100000000</pre>	<pre>#!/bin/bash #SBATCH -A <Allo #SBATCH -p workq #SBATCH -t 1:00:00 #SBATCH -N 1 #SBATCH -n 64 cd \$SLURM_SUBMIT_DIR ./pi_serial.out 100000000</pre> <p>Wall time</p>

2) Batch job

a) Batch file

PBS

```
#!/bin/bash
#PBS -A <Allocation name>
#PBS -q workq
#PBS -l walltime=1:00:00
#PBS -l nodes=1:ppn=20
```

```
cd $PBS_O_WORKDIR
./pi_serial.out 100000000
```

Slurm

```
#!/bin/bash
#SBATCH -A <Allocation name>
#SBATCH -p workq
#SBATCH -t 1:00:00
#SBATCH -N 1
#SBATCH -n 64
```

Number of nodes & cores

```
cd $SLURM_SUBMIT_DIR
./pi_serial.out 100000000
```

2) Batch job

a) Batch file

PBS	Slurm
<pre>#!/bin/bash #PBS -A <Allocation name> #PBS -q workq #PBS -l walltime=1:00:00 #PBS -l nodes=1:ppn=20 cd \$PBS_O_WORKDIR ./pi_serial.out 100000000</pre>	<pre>#!/bin/bash #SBATCH -A <Allocation name> #SBATCH -p workq #SBATCH -t 1:00:00 #SBATCH -N 1 #SBATCH -n 64 cd \$SLURM_SUBMIT_DIR ./pi_serial.out 100000000</pre> <p>Commands to run after job starts</p>

2) Batch job

a) Batch file

PBS	Slurm
<pre>#!/bin/bash #PBS -A <Allocation name> #PBS -q workq #PBS -l walltime=1:00:00 #PBS -l nodes=1:ppn=20 cd \$PBS_O_WORKDIR ./pi_serial.out 100000000</pre>	<pre>#!/bin/bash #SBATCH -A <Allocation name> #SBATCH -p workq #SBATCH -t 1:00:00 #SBATCH -N 1 #SBATCH -n 64 cd \$SLURM_SUBMIT_DIR ./pi_serial.out 100000000</pre> <p>An empty line (avoid error)</p>

2) Batch job

a) Batch file

PBS ^[1]		Slurm ^[2]		Description	
#PBS -A		#SBATCH -A		Allocation name	
#PBS -q		#SBATCH -p		Queue name	
#PBS -l		#SBATCH -t		Resource request	Wall time
		#SBATCH -N			Number of nodes
		#SBATCH -n			Number of tasks
		#SBATCH -c			Number of cores per task
#PBS -o		#SBATCH -o		Standard output file	
#PBS -e		#SBATCH -e		Standard error file	
#PBS -m	a	#SBATCH --mail-type	FAIL	Send email when	Job aborts / fails
	b		BEGIN		Job begins
	e		END		Job ends
#PBS -M		#SBATCH --mail-user		Email address	
#PBS -N		#SBATCH -J		Job name	

[1] <http://www.hpc.lsu.edu/docs/pbs.php>

[2] <http://www.hpc.lsu.edu/docs/slurm.php>



2) Batch job

b) Command

PBS	Slurm
<code>qsub <batch file name></code>	<code>sbatch <batch file name></code>

c) Useful environmental variables

PBS ^[1]	Slurm ^[2]	Description
\$PBS_JOBID	\$SLURM_JOBID	Job ID
\$PBS_O_WORKDIR	\$SLURM_SUBMIT_DIR	Job submit directory
\$PBS_NODEFILE	\$SLURM_JOB_NODELIST	A temp file, contains a list of allocated nodes' names (for MPI)
\$PBS_NUM_NODES	\$SLURM_NNODES	Number of allocated nodes
\$PBS_NP	\$SLURM_NTASKS	Number of allocated cores (tasks)
...	...	

```
#!/bin/bash
#PBS -A <Allocation name>
#PBS -q workq
#PBS -l walltime=12:00:00
#PBS -l nodes=1:ppn=20
cd $PBS_O_WORKDIR
mpirun -np 20 ./mpi_pi.out 1000000000
```

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- **Running jobs on HPC \neq “Submit and done”**
 - Monitoring and managing jobs are part of the work

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1) Useful commands

PBS ^[1]		Slurm ^[2]		Description
qstat		squeue		List all jobs
	-n			List job details
	-u <Username>		-u <Username>	List all jobs belong to <Username>
qdel <Job ID>		scancel <Job ID>		Cancel <Job ID>
checkjob <Job ID>		scontrol show job <Job ID>		Show job details (running or recently finished)

Alter jobs after submission? → **NOT allowed!**

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2) Monitoring job health

A job **requesting** n cores \neq A job **utilizing** n cores

- **Goal**
 - Use the allocated resources (CPU cores, RAM, time, ...) **as fully and efficiently as possible**
 - **No serious underutilizing**
 - **No serious overutilizing**
- **Things to check**
 - CPU load
 - RAM usage

2) Monitoring job health

a) Method 1: **qshow** <Job ID>

- Displays diagnostic information of a **running job**
- Can be run on **head node**

2) Monitoring job health

a) Method 1: **qshow** <Job ID>

```
(base) [jasonli3@mike4 ~]$ qshow 38581
PBS job: 38581, nodes: 1
Hostname Days Load CPU U# (User:Process:VirtualMemory:Memory:Hours)
mike145 278 64.12 6033 68 yxan:tmp_mik+:524M:104M:13.5 yxan:tmp_mik+:524M:104M:13.5 yxan:tmp_mik+:533M:107M:13.5 yxan:tmp_mik+:748M:128M:13.5
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yxan:tmp_mik+:561M:106M:13.5 yxan:tmp_mik+:583M:109M:13.5 yxan:tmp_mik+:520M:103M:13.5 yxan:tmp_mik+:524M:103M:13.5 yxan:tmp_mik+:738M:125M:13.5
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PBS_job=38581 user=yxan allocation=hpc_lipidhpre queue=checkpoint total_load=64.12 cpu_hours=866.08 wall_hours=13.21 unused_nodes=0 total_nodes=1 pp
n=64 avg_load=64.12 avg_cpu=6033% avg_mem=6852mb avg_vmem=36176mb top_proc=yxan:tmp_mik+:mike145:524M:104M:13.5hr:100% toppm=yxan:tmp_mikeCpu:mik
e145:730M:125M node_processes=68
```

What to look at ...

Normal behavior ...

You should be concerned if ...

2) Monitoring job health

a) Method 1: **qshow** <Job ID>

```
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e145:738M:125M_node_processes=68
```

What to look at ...	Normal behavior ...	You should be concerned if ...
avg_load	Close to allocated number of cores on the node	Consistently too low or too high

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n=64 avg_load=64.12 avg_cpu=603% avg_mem=6852mb avg_vmem=36176mb top_proc=yxan:tmp_mik+:mike145:524M:104M:13.5hr:100% toppm=yxan:tmp_mikeCpu:mik
e145:730M:125M node_processes=68
```

What to look at ...	Normal behavior ...	You should be concerned if ...
avg_load	Close to allocated number of cores on the node	Consistently too low or too high
ave_mem	Does not exceed total allocated memory	Exceeds total allocated memory

2) Monitoring job health

b) Method 2: **top**

- Displays dynamic real-time view of a **computing node**
- Must run on **computing nodes** !
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2) Monitoring job health

b) Method 2: **top**

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Tasks: 981 total,  65 running, 916 sleeping,   0 stopped,   0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 90.2 us,  9.2 sy,  0.0 ni,  0.0 id,  0.0 wa,  0.5 hi,  0.0 si,  0.0 st
MiB Mem : 257004.8 total, 211261.0 free,  41926.9 used,   3816.9 buff/cache
MiB Swap: 16641.0 total,  16580.7 free,    60.2 used. 212737.8 avail Mem

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2701318 jasonli3  20   0  595668 582356  2568 R 100.0   0.2   4:08.94 TDSE_np3_e0
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2701249 jasonli3  20   0  595668 581792  2464 R  99.7   0.2   4:08.97 TDSE_np3_e0
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2701261 jasonli3  20   0  595668 393828  2616 R  99.7   0.1   4:08.97 TDSE_np3_e0
2701264 jasonli3  20   0  595668 581856  2532 R  99.7   0.2   4:08.92 TDSE_np3_e0
2701270 jasonli3  20   0  595668 582480  2432 R  99.7   0.2   4:08.95 TDSE_np3_e0
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2701279 jasonli3  20   0  595668 222064  2644 R  99.7   0.1   4:08.98 TDSE_np3_e0
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Load average	Close to allocated number of cores on the node	Consistently too low or too high
Memory usage (not virtual memory)	Does not exceed total allocated memory	Exceeds total allocated memory

2) Monitoring job health

c) Method 3: **free**

- Displays free and used **physical and swap memory** in the system
- Must run on **computing nodes** !
 - * ssh to computing nodes while job running (cannot ssh if you do not have jobs on it)

2) Monitoring job health

c) Method 3: **free**

```
(base) [jasonli3@mike166 ~]$ free
              total        used        free      shared  buff/cache   available
Mem:      263172900    43248372    216007308      406352     3917220    217528356
Swap:      17040380         61696     16978684
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What to look at ...

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2) Monitoring job health

d) Method 4: **nvidia-smi** (for GPU only)

- Displays diagnostic information of GPUs
- Must run on **GPU nodes** !
 - * ssh to computing nodes while job running (cannot ssh if you do not have jobs on it)

2) Monitoring job health

d) Method 4: **nvidia-smi** (for GPU only)

```
(base) [jasonli3@qbc193 ~]$ nvidia-smi
Wed Feb  1 02:38:32 2023

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| NVIDIA-SMI 510.47.03      Driver Version: 510.47.03      CUDA Version: 11.6      |
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| GPU  Name                Persistence-M| Bus-Id        Disp.A | Volatile Uncorr. ECC |
| Fan  Temp   Perf          Pwr:Usage/Cap|               Memory-Usage | GPU-Util  Compute M. |
|=====+=====+=====+=====+=====+=====+
|  0   Tesla V100-PCIE...    On          | 00000000:3B:00.0 Off  |          72%         Off |
| N/A   36C    P0           54W / 250W    | 4155MiB / 32768MiB      | Default   N/A      |
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|  1   Tesla V100-PCIE...    On          | 00000000:AF:00.0 Off  |          78%         Off |
| N/A   36C    P0           52W / 250W    | 4155MiB / 32768MiB      | Default   N/A      |
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| Processes:                                     GPU Memory |
|  GPU   GI    CI          PID    Type    Process name                        Usage  |
|=====+=====+=====+=====+=====+=====+
|    0   N/A   N/A         259491    C      ... che/TeraChem/bin/terachem        4147MiB |
|    1   N/A   N/A         259491    C      ... che/TeraChem/bin/terachem        4147MiB |
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What to look at ...	Normal behavior ...	You should be concerned if ...
GPU usage	Close to 100%	Consistently too low

2) Monitoring job health

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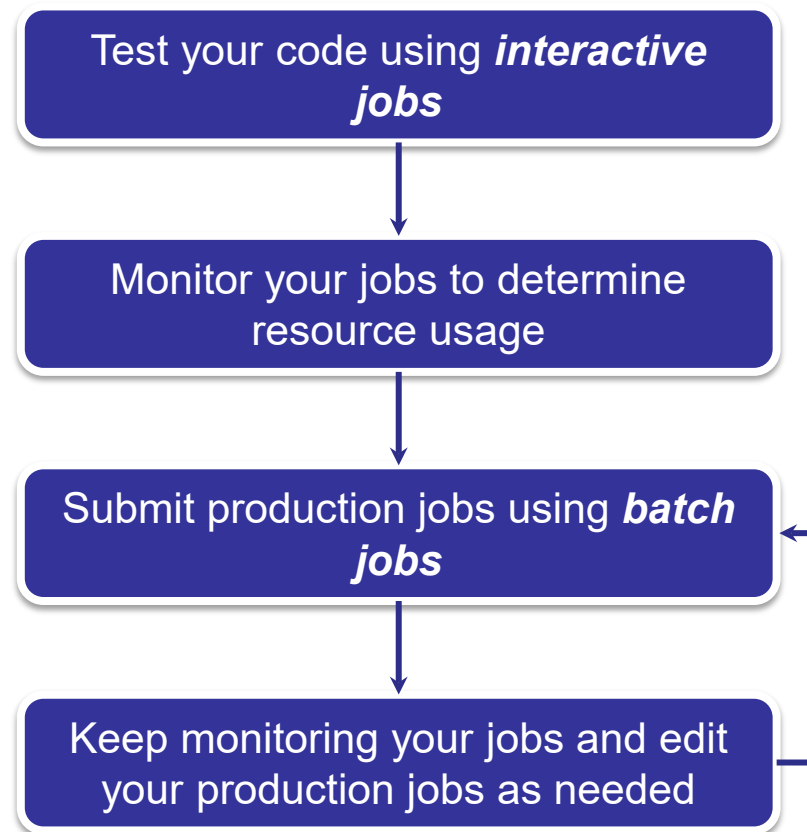
What to look at ...	Normal behavior ...	You should be concerned if ...
GPU usage	Close to 100%	Consistently too low
Memory usage (not virtual memory)	Not used up	Used up

2) Monitoring job health

e) Common issues

Issue	What would happen
Exceeded memory allocation (e.g., using more memory than allocated w/ single queue)	Terminated. Receive email notice.
Exceeded ppn/core allocation (e.g., using more cores than allocated w/ single queue)	Terminated. Receive email notice.
Seriously underutilize node CPU cores (e.g., Requested multiple nodes but only runs on one node)	Receive email warning.
Submitting to bigmem but only using little memory	Nothing. Just not nice.
Running intensive calculation on head nodes	Terminated. Receive email notice.
Submitting too many (i.e., hundreds of) single-thread jobs	Poor parallelization and bad for server. We may reach out to you to help. (Better yet, reach out to us first)

- A typical workflow --



■ HPC User Environment 2

1. Basic concepts

- 1) Previously on HPC User Environment 1...
- 2) Job & Job schedulers

→ **All calculation must be submitted as jobs**

2. Preparing my job

- 1) Basic principles
- 2) Job duration (wall time)
- 3) Number of nodes & cores
- 4) Job queues

→ **Large enough & small enough**

3. Submitting my job

- 1) Interactive job
- 2) Batch job

→ **Good for testing and debugging**

→ **Good for production**

4. Managing my jobs

- 1) Useful commands
- 2) Monitoring job health

→ **How to monitor jobs health, and how to create health jobs**

- **Basic Shell Scripting**

- **Contact user services**

- Email Help Ticket: sys-help@loni.org
- Telephone Help Desk: +1 (225) 578-0900