

Group away day - pyCBC worksheet  
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So you want to run an offline matched filtered analysis for CBC sources on detector data!?

In this worksheet you will learn the following;

1. How to generate a grid proxy so you can login to ligo clusters
2. Login to geo using gsissh
  - a. geo address - geo2.arcca.cf.ac.uk
3. Source the local LALSuite and pycbc
  - a. source /scratch/LIGO/Apps/LALSuite/Master/etc/lalsuiterc
4. Create a directory to store your runs.
5. Create a workflow
6. Run pegasus planning script
7. Submit the pegasus job [well, you might not actually want to do this today]
8. Monitor jobs
9. Study Results Page [which magically, you will be able to do today]

## 1.a

Create a proxy

```
$ ligo-proxy-init albert.einstein
Your identity: albert.einstein@LIGO.ORG
Enter pass phrase for this identity:
Creating proxy ..... Done
Your proxy is valid until: Mar 1 11:39:45 2015 GMT
```

## 1.b

Now you have a proxy you can log in to any LIGO cluster.  
Note you can also access clusters through `ssh` using the new command

```
$ ssh albert.einstein@ssh.ligo.org
```

which returns an interactive list of all the clusters you can login to.

## 1.c

Next login to geo2

```
$ gsissh geo2.arcca.cf.ac.uk
```

We have a cluster wide copy of LALSuite and pyCBC that we can use, thanks to Paul.  
To set up your shell environment source Paul's script with

## 1.d

```
$ source /scratch/LIGO/Apps/LALSuite/Master/etc/lalsuiterc
Loading modules...Done.
Sourcing glue, lalapps, lalburst, lalframe, lalinference, lalinspiral, lalmetaio, lalpulsar,
lalsimulation, lalstochastic, lal, lalxml, pycbc, pylal, Done.
Configuring ligo_data_find...Done.
```

## 1.e

Check that you can run some LAL code. Run the following code and check that you get the same output.

```
$ ligo_data_find -o H -t H1_ER_C00_AGG -T --url-type file
file://localhost/scratch/LIGO/Data/H/H1_ER_C00_AGG/1102/H-H1_ER_C00_AGG-1102863360-256.gwf
```

Now that you are logged onto a cluster and have LALSuite and pyCBC running let's start to setup an analysis! This worksheet follows closely the following webpage:

[https://ldas-jobs.ligo.caltech.edu/~cbc/docs/pycbc/workflow/pycbc\\_make\\_coinc\\_workflow.html](https://ldas-jobs.ligo.caltech.edu/~cbc/docs/pycbc/workflow/pycbc_make_coinc_workflow.html)

## **1.f**

Make a directory where we can store the files of today's worksheet

```
$ cd ~/
$ mkdir away_day_pycbc
```

## **1.g**

Next we need to get some example configuration (.ini) files

```
$ cp /scratch/LIGO/Admin/LALSuite/Build/pycbc/pycbc/workflow/ini_files/example_pycbc.ini .
$ cp /scratch/LIGO/Admin/LALSuite/Build/pycbc/pycbc/workflow/ini_files/example_pipedown.ini .
$ cp /scratch/LIGO/Admin/LALSuite/Build/pycbc/pycbc/workflow/ini_files/example_inj.ini .
```

We need to change the "example\_pycbc.ini" file because there is an out of date option (see 1.h), but in addition to that, feel free to look around and play with changing options if you feel adventurous.

## **1.h**

```
$ vi example_pycbc.ini
```

Then type `/ cluster-before-veto` to find this line in the file.

Delete this line, then save and quit the file.

Next we need to set up so shell variables

## **1.i**

```
$ export LOCAL_CONFIG_FILES="example_pycbc.ini example_inj.ini example_pipedown.ini"
```

## **1.j**

The example script is set up to analyse 24 hours of S6 data. (And who knows, there might be a "signal" in there waiting to be discovered.)

```
$ export GPS_START_TIME=967593543
$ export GPS_END_TIME=967679943
```

## 1.k

Log file directory

```
$ export LOGPATH=/scratch/${USER}/away_day_pycbc/log
$ export PIPEDOWNTMPSPACE=/scratch/${USER}/away_day_pycbc/
$ mkdir -p $LOGPATH
```

## 1.l

Output webpage directory

```
$ export HTMLDIR=/home/${USER}/public_html/LVC
$ mkdir -p $HTMLDIR
```

## 1.m

Now we have everything setup to construct the workflow.

Generate a workflow using:

```
$ pycbc_make_coinc_workflow --local-config-files ${LOCAL_CONFIG_FILES} \
    --config-overrides workflow:start-time:${GPS_START_TIME} \
    workflow:end-time:${GPS_END_TIME} \
    workflow:workflow-html-basedir:${HTMLDIR} \
    workflow:pipedown-log-path:${LOGPATH} \
    workflow:pipedown-tmp-space:${PIPEDOWNTMPSPACE}
```

This will create a directory with the name of the start and end GPS time you specified earlier.

## 1.n

Now we want to run the pegasus planning script

```
$ cd ${GPS_START_TIME}-${GPS_END_TIME}
```

## 1.0

Run the pegasus planning script, and you should see output similar to the following:

**Note: To actually start the analysis you would run the command 'pegasus-run' However this analysis would take too long and so you can skip to the link at the bottom of the work sheet to view results!**

```
$ pycbc_basic_pegasus_plan weekly_ahope.dax $LOGPATH
Generating concrete workflow
2015.02.25 14:59:12.741 GMT:
```

I have concretized your abstract workflow. The workflow has been entered into the workflow database with a state of "planned". The next step is to start or execute your workflow. The invocation required is

```
pegasus-run /home/spx8sk/away_day_pycbc/log/spx8sk/pegasus/weekly_ahope/run0001
```

Then you can run the command pegasus-run and you should see something like the following

```
[spx8sk@geo2 967593543-967597143]$ pegasus-run
/home/spx8sk/pycbc_tests/feb_away_day_tests/test1/log/spx8sk/pegasus/weekly_ahope/run0001
```

```
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File for submitting this DAG to Condor           : weekly_ahope-0.dag.condor.sub
Log of DAGMan debugging messages                : weekly_ahope-0.dag.dagman.out
Log of Condor library output                   : weekly_ahope-0.dag.lib.out
Log of Condor library error messages           : weekly_ahope-0.dag.lib.err
Log of the life of condor_dagman itself         : weekly_ahope-0.dag.dagman.log
```

```
Submitting job(s).
1 job(s) submitted to cluster 6292804.
```

Your workflow has been started and is running in the base directory:

```
/home/spx8sk/pycbc_tests/feb_away_day_tests/test1/log/spx8sk/pegasus/weekly_ahope/run0001
```

\*\*\* To monitor the workflow you can run \*\*\*

```
pegasus-status -l
/home/spx8sk/pycbc_tests/feb_away_day_tests/test1/log/spx8sk/pegasus/weekly_ahope/run0001
```

\*\*\* To remove your workflow run \*\*\*

```
pegasus-remove
/home/spx8sk/pycbc_tests/feb_away_day_tests/test1/log/spx8sk/pegasus/weekly_ahope/run0001
```

You can also use the following to monitor your jobs.

```
$ condor_q
```

keeping an eye on your jobs

```
$ pegasus-status -l /home/spx8sk/away_day_pycbc/log/spx8sk/pegasus/weekly_ahope/run0001
```

```
$ pegasus-analyzer -f /home/spx8skaway_day_pycbc/log/spx8sk/pegasus/weekly_ahope/run0001
```

Depending on the details of the analysis, for example the during of the length of detector time you wish to search over (which `GPS_END_TIME` - `GPS_START_TIME`), you will start to see output after some time.

For the 24 hour analysis, The whole job took about 4-5 hours to run.

After the main analysis has been done, the script also does some post-processing, and produces plots which eventually end up in the `public_html` directory. If for any reason the post-processing fails then you can manually run the process of building the web page using the following

```
$ pycbc_write_results_page --config-file  
/home/spx8sk/pycbc_tests/feb_away_day_tests/967593543-967679943/wip.ini
```

To view a results web page change check out my example

<https://geo2.arcca.cf.ac.uk/~spx8sk/ahope/967593543-967679943/>