

# GREEN ICT

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## Who I am

- Full-time researcher at CNRS (about 33,000 people)
- Located in Rennes, France.
- IRISA laboratory (about 1000 people)
- Myriads team: INRIA, CNRS, University of Rennes, INSA, ENS Rennes (about 30 people)
- Energy efficiency in large-scale distributed systems

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## Green Computing?



"Designing, manufacturing, using, and disposing of computers, servers, and associated subsystems -- such as monitors, printers, storage devices, and networking and communications systems -- efficiently and effectively with minimal or no effect on the environment."

Sam Murugesan, "Hamessing Green IT: Principles and Practices" IEEE IT Professional, 2008.

- Green use: reduce usage of hazardous materials
- Green design: design compliant with the environment
- Green disposal: recycling e-waste with little impact
- Green manufacturing: new products without hazardous substances

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## Outline



- I. Introduction to (not) green ICT
- II. Trails to green ICT from my research point of view
  - A. Inside data centers
  - B. Powering data centers
  - C. Green computing history
  - D. Cooling data centers
  - E. Understanding energy consumption
  - F. Reducing energy consumption
- III. Concluding remarks

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## ICT is not green

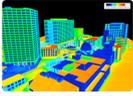
**ICT is responsible for 2% to 10% of CO2 emissions**



M. Mills. The Cloud Begins With Coal - Big Data, Big Networks, Big Infrastructure, and Big Power. Technical report, Digital Power Group, Aug 2013.

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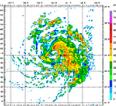
## Computing in the 21<sup>st</sup> century?





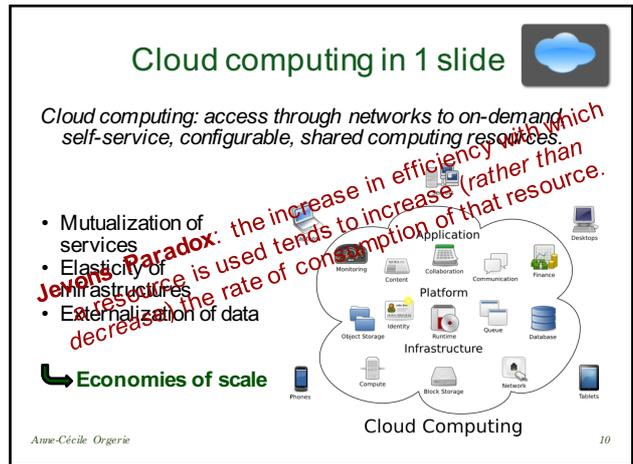
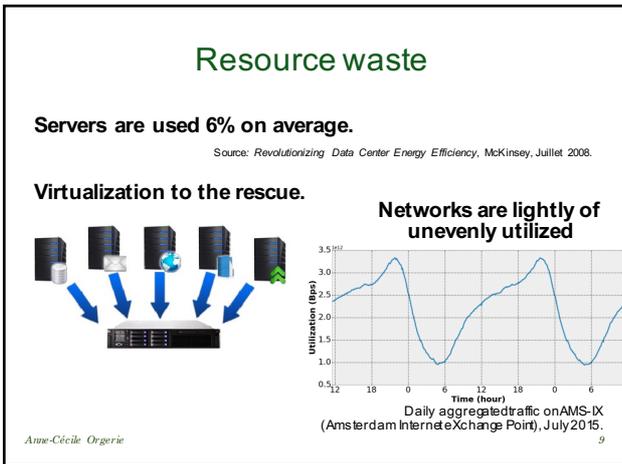
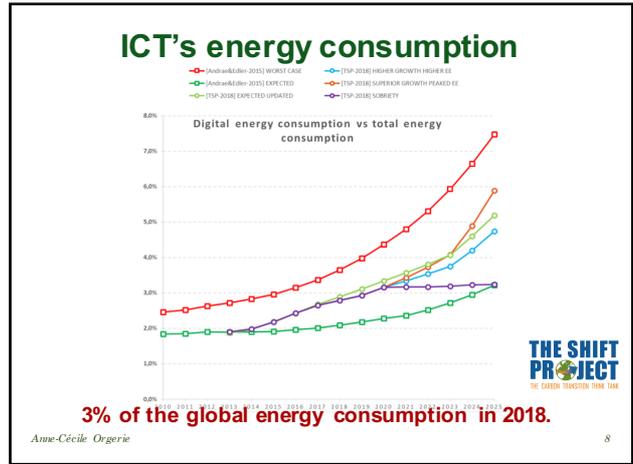
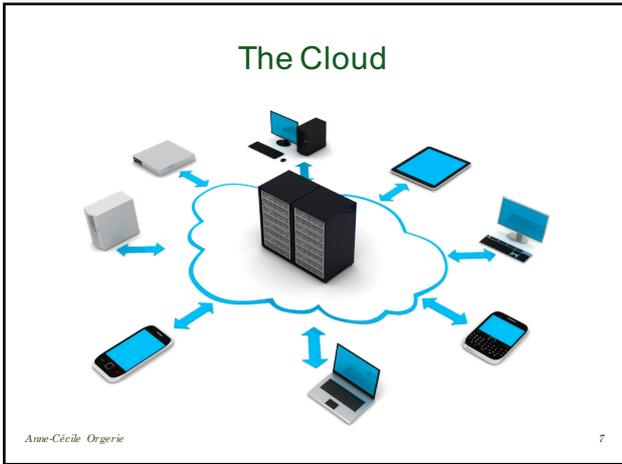






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### Can we save ICT...

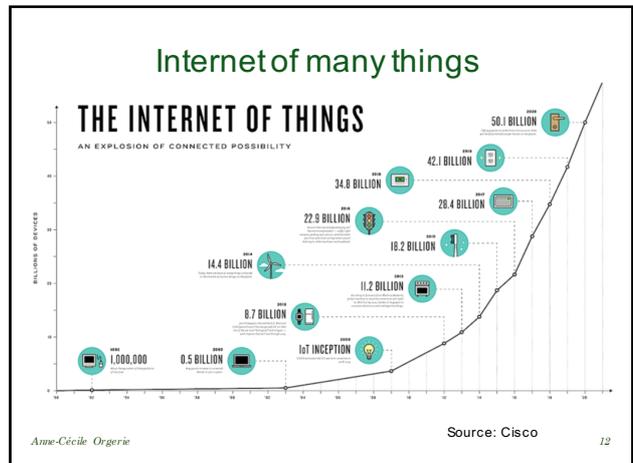
"The Big Data revolution", CNRS International Magazine, 2013.

For one day in 2013:

- 145 billion exchanged emails
- 4.5 billion searches on Google
- 104,000 hours of video uploaded on Youtube
- 9,000 new articles written on Wikipedia
- 30,000 MB of data collected by the Very Large Telescope (VLT)
- 40,000 GB of data produced by the Large Hadron Collider (LHC)

... without changing users' habits

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## Practical Internet of Things

**INTERNET OF THINGS**  
Enter your sub headline here

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## Let's have a look inside

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## Access pattern of Facebook photos

Photo Age (Months)	Photo Traffic %	Photo Volume %
0	20%	4%
1	82%	8%
2	95%	50%
3	98%	85%

Traffic vs. age of the photos  
82% of traffic pulling photos out is only accessing 8% of the capacity  
-> 92% can be stored on slower, lower-powered disk arrays

Source: <http://www.enterprisetech.com/2013/10/25/facebook-loads-innovative-cold-storage-datacenter/>  
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## Cold storage @ Facebook

Source: <http://www.enterprisetech.com/2013/10/25/facebook-loads-innovative-cold-storage-datacenter/>  
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## One Google Data Center (Dalles)

Each data center is 11.5 times the size of a football field

11,5 football fields  
100,000 servers  
100 MWatts

<https://www.google.com/about/datacenters/inside/locations/the-dalles/>  
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## UPS to the rescue

Uninterruptible power supply:

- Emergency power system
- Used to protect hardware from power disruption
- Supplies energy stored in batteries, supercapacitors or flywheels (converted into alternating current)

But only for few minutes!

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## And then?

Engine-generator



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## OVH example

Roubaix site: ~ 10,000 servers

8 MVA at max: 1,600L/h of oil

Tests: every 2-3 weeks

<https://lafibre.info/ovh-datacenter/test-de-groupes/>

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## Other data centers



<http://www.datacentermap.com/blog/datacenter-container-55.html>

<https://news.microsoft.com/features/microsoft-research-project-puts-cloud-in-ocean-for-the-first-time/#sm.0000q5ts4lqgfez110wem1gb0ig5o>



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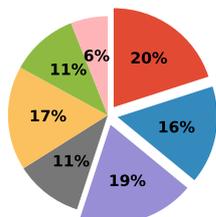
## Inside the cloud



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## Distribution of ICT energy consumption



**ICT Energy consumption in 2017**

- End-devices (usage)
- Networks (usage)
- Data centers (usage)
- Smartphones (production)
- Computers (production)
- TV (production)
- Other (production)

Rapport Lean ICT : Pour une sobriété Numérique, 2018  
<https://theshiftproject.org>



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## CO2 impact

LES ÉMISSIONS DE GAZ À EFFET DE SERRE GÉNÉRÉES PAR LE NUMÉRIQUE

25% dues aux data centers

28% dues aux infrastructures réseau

47% dues aux équipements des consommateurs

(ordinateurs, smartphones, tablettes, objets connectés, GPS...)

INTERNET AU NIVEAU MONDIAL

- 9 milliards d'appareils
- 2 milliards de smartphones
- 1 milliard d'ordinateurs
- 5 à 7 milliards d'objets connectés
- 45 millions de serveurs
- 800 millions d'équipements réseaux (routeurs, box ADSL...)

Source: ADEME, Oct. 2019.

15 000 km

c'est la distance moyenne parcourue par une donnée numérique (mail, téléchargement, vidéo, requête web...)

En 1 heure

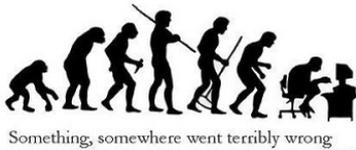
- 8 à 10 milliards de mails échangés (hors spam)
- 180 millions de recherches Google

Prévision 2020

- 50 milliards d'objets connectés

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## Green computing history



## First eco-labels

- Energy Star: international standard for energy efficient consumer products
  - 1992, USA
  - Voluntary labeling program
  - To promote energy-efficient monitors, climate control equipment and other technologies
  - Main result: sleep mode
- TCO certification
  - 1992, Sweden
  - To promote low magnetic and electrical emissions from CRT-based computer displays



## Specific eco-labels

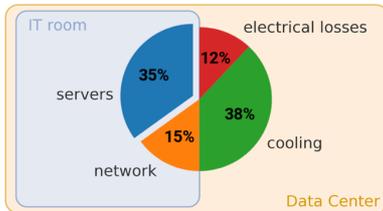
- 80 Plus: voluntary certification program to promote efficient energy use in computer power supply units (2004):
  - More than 80% energy efficiency at 20%, 50% and 100% of rated load
  - Power factor of 0.9 or greater at 100% load
  - 80 Plus Titanium : 90% energy efficient
- RoHS: Restriction of Hazardous Substances Directive (2003):
  - Adopted in 2003, effective in 2006 in EU
  - Restricted use of six materials



## Data center level



## Where is electricity consumed? Data center example



J. Ni and X. Bai, "A Review of Air Conditioning Energy Performance in Data Centers", 2017

Great part consumed by facilities

→ Cooling accounts for 30-50% of the total value

## Let's reduce the heat

- Water-based cooling



<https://www.datacenterknowledge.com/archives/2012/12/11/defense-department-cool-servers-with-hot-water>

## Let's reduce the heat

- Oil-based cooling



Reduce data center cooling costs by up to 95%.

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Green Revolution Cooling, <https://www.grcooling.com>

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## Let's reduce the heat

- Free cooling



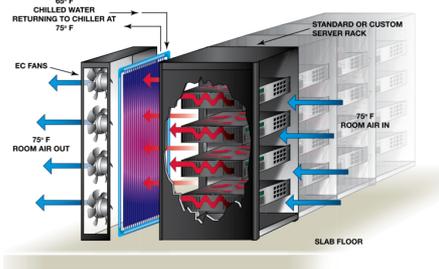
<https://www.google.com/about/datacenters/inside/locations/hamina/>

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## Water-cooled doors

- Hybrid cooling



Exploded View of Chilled Door®

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<https://www.monman.com/motivair-chilled-door-rack-cooling-details>

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## Water required!



Water tanks

Capacity:  
900,000 liters

Google data center in South Carolina, US

<https://www.google.com/about/datacenters/gallery/index.html#tech/19>

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## Water pipes



[Source : <https://www.google.com/about/datacenters/gallery/index.html#tech/19>]

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## Understanding energy consumption

- Mandatory to optimize the energy consumption of a resource or an application
- Mandatory to simulate or emulate energy consumption
- Other usages:
  - monitoring,
  - forecasting,
  - accounting...

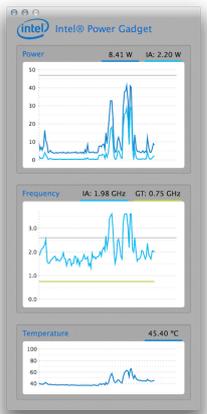


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## Intel Power Gadget

<https://software.intel.com/en-us/articles/intel-power-gadget-20>



Power: 8.41 W (IA: 2.20 W)

Frequency: IA: 1.98 GHz, GT: 0.75 GHz

Temperature: 45.40 °C

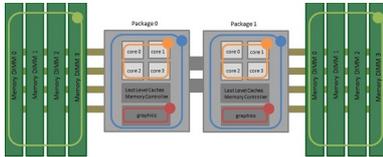


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## Without wattmeters

PAPI (Performance Application Programming Interface) can read RAPL (Running Average Power Limit) values

- Uses software power model, hardware performance counters, temperature, leakage models and I/O models




Energy measurements:

PACKAGE_ENERGY:PACKAGE0	176,450,363.37	(Average Power: 42.9W)
PACKAGE_ENERGY:PACKAGE1	75,812,454.37	(Average Power: 18.4W)
DRAM_ENERGY:PACKAGE0	11,899,246.2	(Average Power: 2.9W)
DRAM_ENERGY:PACKAGE1	8,341,114.13	(Average Power: 2.0W)
PP0_ENERGY:PACKAGE0	118,029,236.2	(Average Power: 28.7W)
PP0_ENERGY:PACKAGE1	16,759,064.2	(Average Power: 4.1W)

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## Supercomputers



Summit



Sierra



TaihuLight



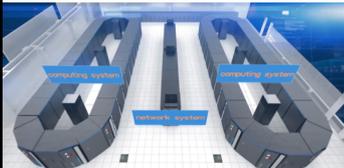
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## N° 3: Sunway TaihuLight

94 Petaflops, 15.27 MW, 10,649,600 cores




"Report on the Sunway TaihuLight System", J. Dongarra, Tech Report UT-E ECS-16-742, 2016.

Typical applications:

- Atmospheric simulations
- Global surface wave simulations
- Phase-field simulations

<http://www.netlib.org/luk/people/JackDongarra/PAPERS/sunway-report-2016.pdf>

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## Top500

The List. TOP 500

Rank	System	Cores	Rmax (TFlop/s)	Rpeak (TFlop/s)	Power (kW)
1	Summit - IBM Power System AC922, IBM POWER9 22C 3.07GHz, NVIDIA Volta GV100, Dual-rail Mellanox EDR Infiniband, IBM DDE/SC/Oak Ridge National Laboratory United States	2,397,824	143,500.0	200,794.9	9,783
2	Sierra - IBM Power System S922LC, IBM POWER9 22C 3.1GHz, NVIDIA Volta GV100, Dual-rail Mellanox EDR Infiniband, IBM / NVIDIA / Mellanox DDE/NNSA/LNL United States	1,572,480	94,440.0	125,712.0	7,438
3	Sunway TaihuLight - Sunway MPP, Sunway SW26010 260C 1.45GHz, Sunway, NRCPC National Supercomputing Center in Wuxi China	10,649,600	93,014.6	125,435.9	15,371
4	Tianhe-2A - TH-IY9-FEP Cluster, Intel Xeon E5-2692v2 12C 2.26GHz, TH Express-2, Matrix-2000, NUDT National Super Computer Center in Guangzhou China	4,981,760	61,444.5	100,678.7	18,482
5	Piz Daint - Cray XC50, Xeon E5-2690v3 12C 2.6GHz, Aries interconnect, NVIDIA Tesla P100, Cray Inc. Swiss National Supercomputing Centre (CSCS) Switzerland	387,872	21,230.0	27,154.3	2,384

<http://www.top500.org>, Top500 list, November 2018.

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## Performance development

The List. TOP 500



Performance Development

10 EFlop/s  
1 EFlop/s  
100 PFlop/s  
10 PFlop/s  
1 PFlop/s  
100 TFlop/s  
10 TFlop/s  
1 TFlop/s  
100 GFlop/s  
10 GFlop/s  
1 GFlop/s  
100 MFlop/s

1994 1996 1998 2000 2002 2004 2006 2008 2010 2012 2014 2016 2018

Sum #1 #500

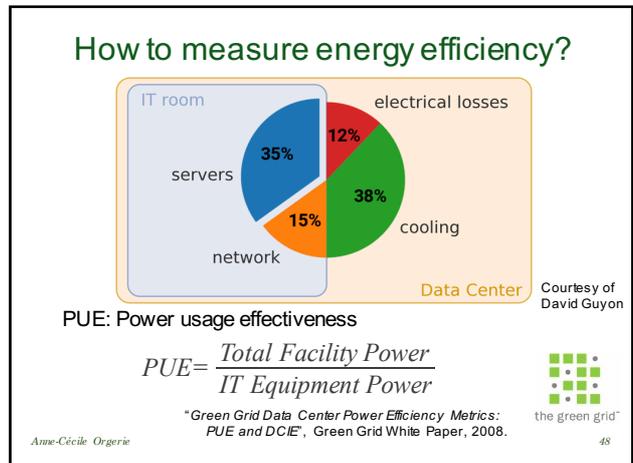
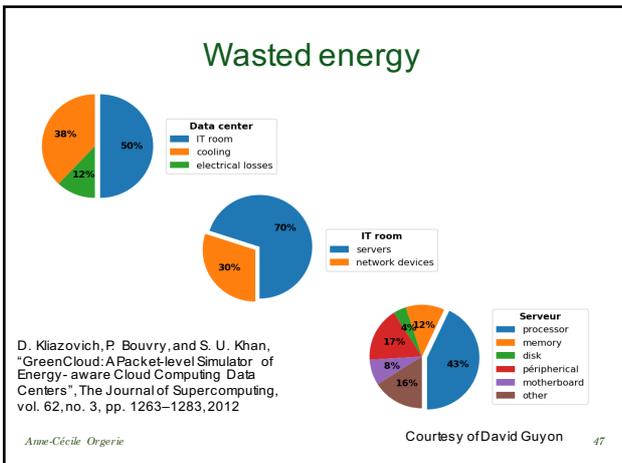
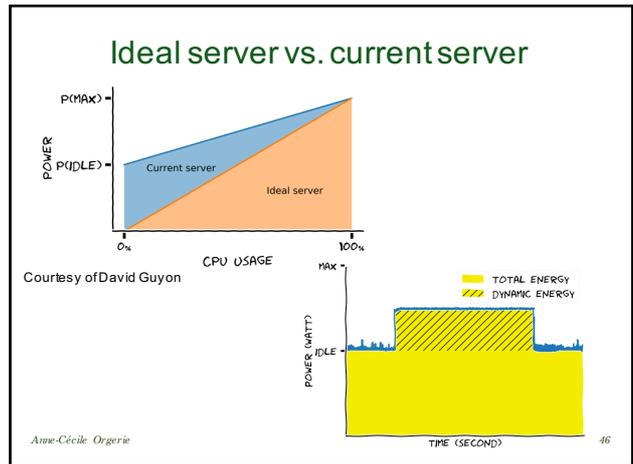
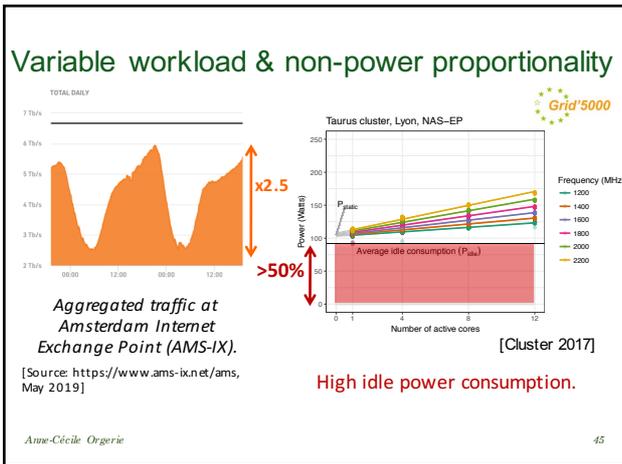
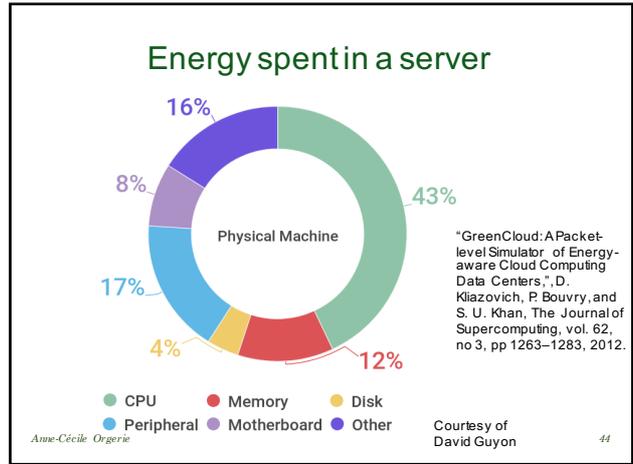
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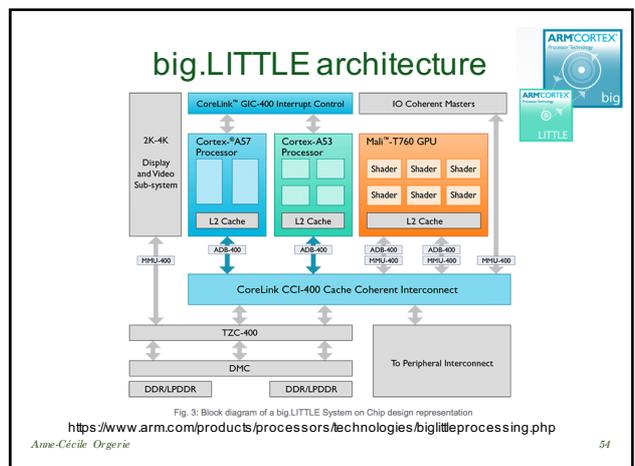
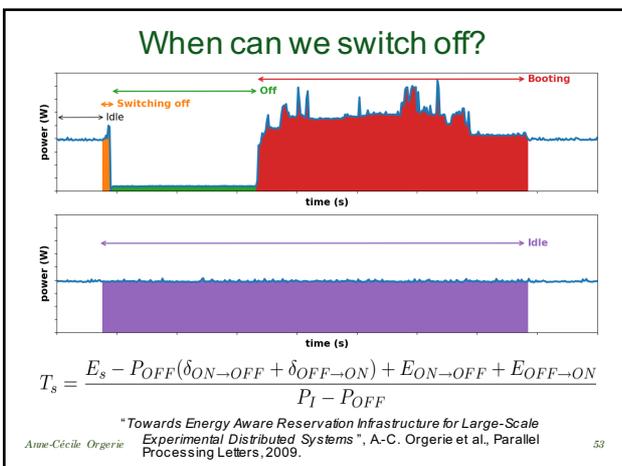
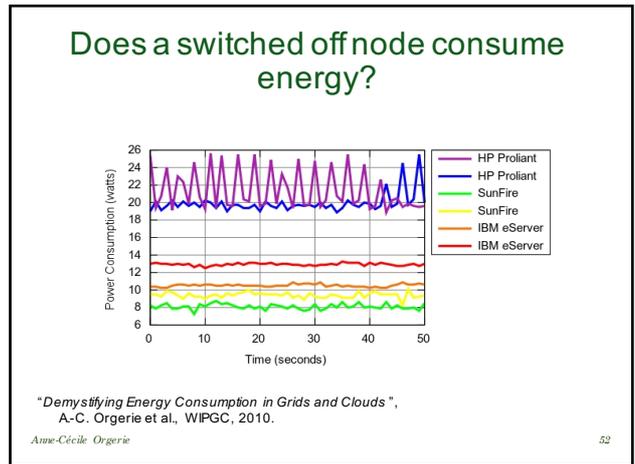
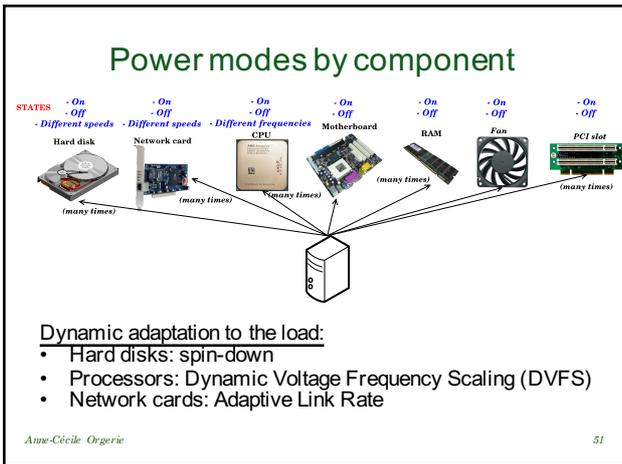
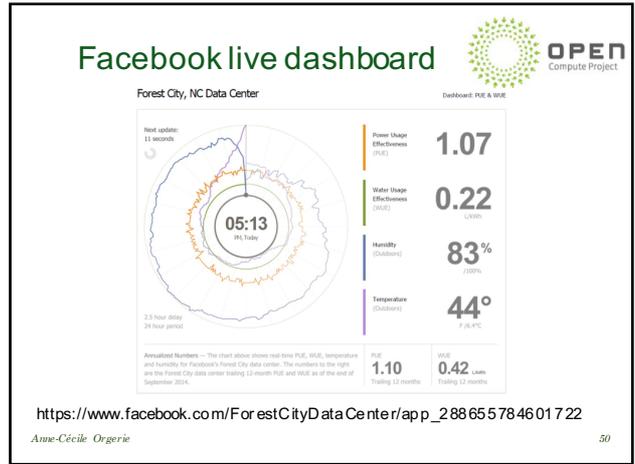
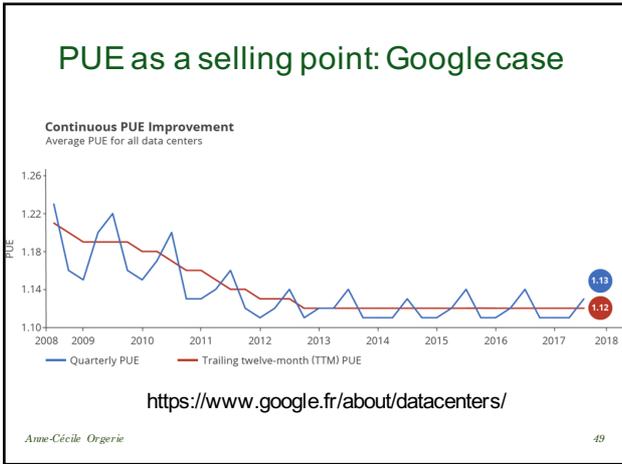
### The Green500

TOP500		System	Cores	Rmax (TFlop/s)	Power (kW)	Power Efficiency (GFlops/watts)
1	375	Shoubu system B - ZettaScaler-2.2, Xeon D-1571 14C 1.3GHz, Infiniband EDR, PEZY-SC2, PEZY Computing / Exascalor Inc. Advanced Center for Computing and Communication, RIKEN Japan	953,280	1,063.3	60	17.404
2	374	DGX SaturnV Volta - NVIDIA DGX-1 Volta36, Xeon E5-2698v4 29C 2.2GHz, Infiniband EDR, NVIDIA Tesla V100, Nvidia NVIDIA Corporation United States	22,440	1,070.0	97	15.113
3	1	Summit - IBM Power System AC922, IBM POWER9 Z3C 3.07GHz, NVIDIA Volta GV100, Dual-rail Mellanox EDR Infiniband, IBM DOE/SC/Oak Ridge National Laboratory United States	2,397,824	143,500.0	9,783	14.468
4	7	AI Bridging Cloud Infrastructure (ABCI) - PRIMEROY CX2570 M4, Xeon Gold 6148 20C 2.4GHz, NVIDIA Tesla V100 SXM2, Infiniband EDR, Fujitsu National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology (AIST) Japan	391,680	19,880.0	1,649	14.423
5	22	TSUBAME3.0 - SGI ICE XA, IP139-SXM2, Xeon E5-2680v4 14C 2.4GHz, Intel Omni-Path, NVIDIA Tesla P100 SXM2, HPE SGIC Center, Tokyo Institute of Technology Japan	135,828	8,125.0	792	13.704

<https://www.top500.org/green500/>, Green500 list, November 2018.

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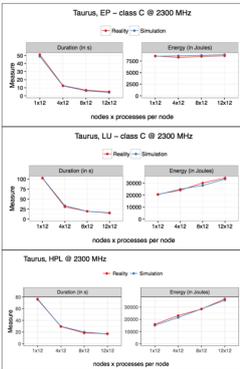
## Simulating energy consumption of applications

Simulation useful because:

- No need of big infrastructure
- Testing new approaches
- Fair comparison between two methods
- Reproducible

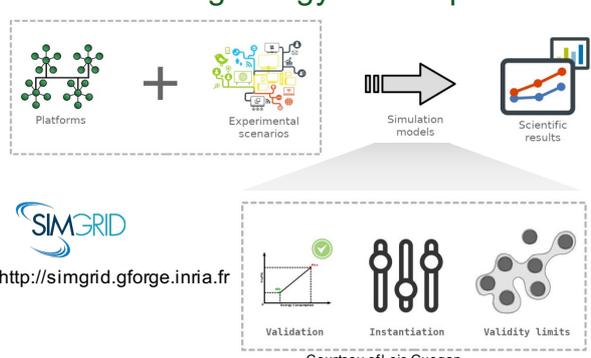


**Reproducible results:**  
<https://gitlab.inria.fr/meinric/paper-simgrid-energy>



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## Simulating energy consumption

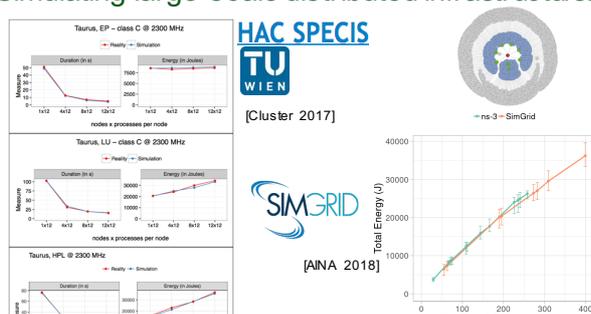


<http://simgrid.gforge.inria.fr>

Courtesy of Loic Guegan

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## Simulating large-scale distributed infrastructures



**HAC SPECIS**  
TU WIEN  
[Cluster 2017]

**SIMGRID**  
[AINA 2018]

**Reproducible results:**  
<https://gitlab.inria.fr/meinric/paper-simgrid-energy>  
<https://gitlab.inria.fr/lguegan/flow/wiredenergy>

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Sciences du numérique et développement durable : des liens complexes

**ADEME**  
 AU QUOTIDIEN  
**LA FACE CACHÉE DU NUMÉRIQUE**  
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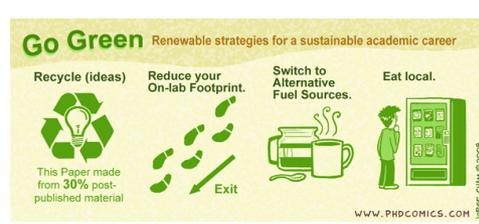
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