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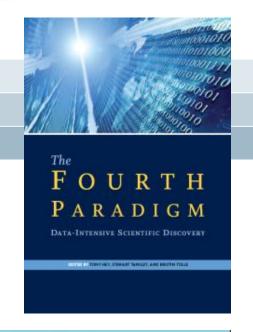






JERICO summer school 2014 From Data to Decisions

4th paradigm eScience







4th paradigm: 21st century = web-based community science

4 phases in science (Jim Gray †, Microsoft research)

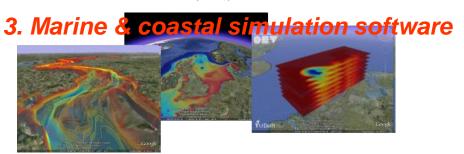
- 1. Empirical (last 1000s yr)
 - Archimedes ...
- **2. Theoretical** (last 100s yr)
 - Newton, Kelvin ...
- 3. Computational (last 10s yr)
 - Mellor & Blumberg ...
- 4. Digital Data Deluge: BIG data + merging of
 - 1. Experiments,
 - 2. Theory,
 - 3. Massive simulations
 - 4. Mass-data gathering: Lidar, iphones, PIV



2. Marine & coastal math. models

$$\frac{\partial k}{\partial t} + \frac{u}{\sqrt{G_{\xi\xi}}} \frac{\partial k}{\partial \xi} + \frac{v}{\sqrt{G_{\eta\eta}}} \frac{\partial k}{\partial \eta} + \frac{\omega}{d+\zeta} \frac{\partial k}{\partial \sigma} =$$

$$+ \frac{1}{(d+\zeta)^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma} \left(D_k \frac{\partial k}{\partial \sigma} \right) + P_k + P_{kw} + B_k - \varepsilon.$$

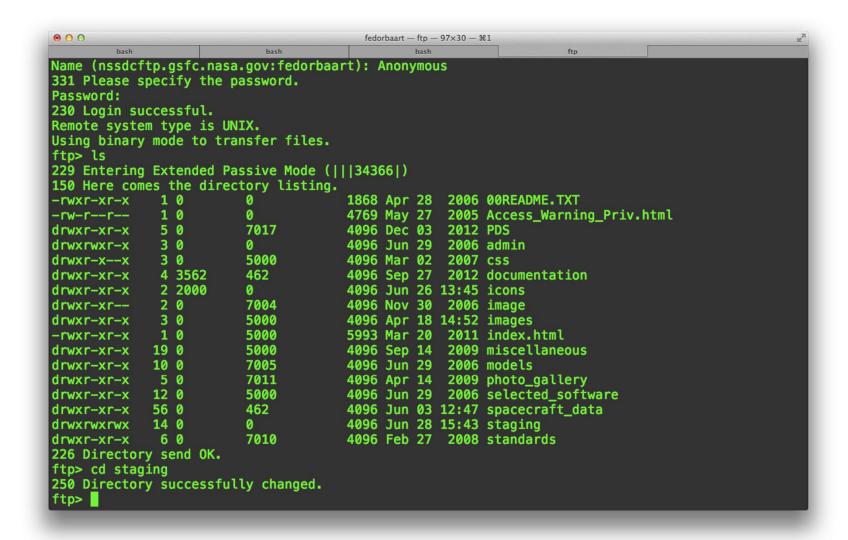




1980 Floppy



1990 FTP



2000 Download forms

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ZONE	Global			
SATELLITE	●Reference*(1) —Topex/Poseidon	<u>Jason</u> -1 <u>Jason</u> -2	_	Envisat Multi-mission ⁽²⁾
CORRECTIONS	Applied corrections Inverted barometer; Radiometer wet troposphere* Inverted barometer; Model wet troposphere Inverted barometer correction not applied; Radiometer wet troposphere			
Download the image			Download the data (NetCDF) Download the data (ASCII)	

2010 Web services voor thin clients

Sped-up by fact that first time in history that personal computers become smaller: Thin clients as browser, tablet or phone





Sentinel

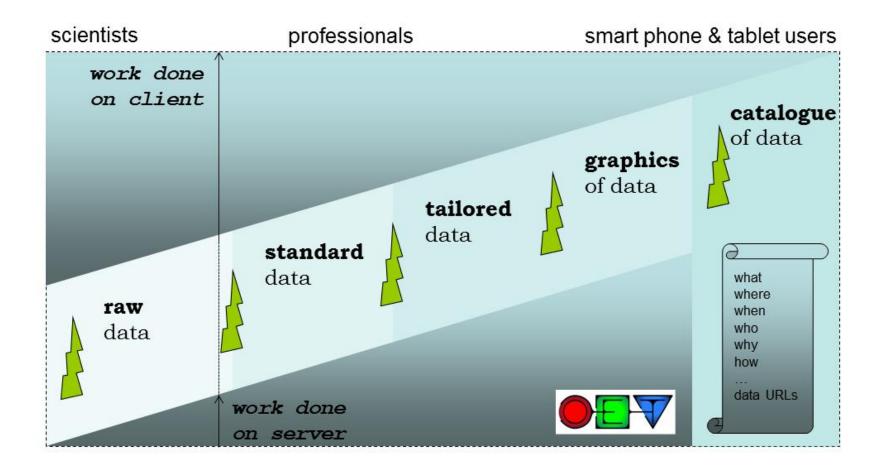
- New series of ESA satellites
- Generate order 1TB/day
- Not a single researcher can have a copy any more
- Even institutes have to make proper considerations
 - (1TB = 100 EUR as external hard drive)
 - 1TB = 1000 EUR for professional hosting in datacenter
 - 1 year: 365 TB
 - 400,000 EUR to host a single copy of 1 year of data

Move data to analysis, or move analysis to data

- Old: data moves to scientific analysis [once]
 - 1980: Floppy, Cd, or DVD by mail
 - 1990: Ftp
 - 2000: Download forms
- Now: data moves to scientific analysis [live]
 - 2010: OGC web services "DataTube"
- Now: scientific analysis moves to data [once]: catalog of functions
 - 20xx: Web Processing Service: EMODnet Chemistry case friday
- Future: scientific analysis moves to data [live]: log-in to data
 - 20xx: Back to mainframe: NASA NeX, ESA GPOD

5 data levels in client-server rationale

inspired by 5-stardata of Tim-Berners Lee



IT and science: eScience + DevOps

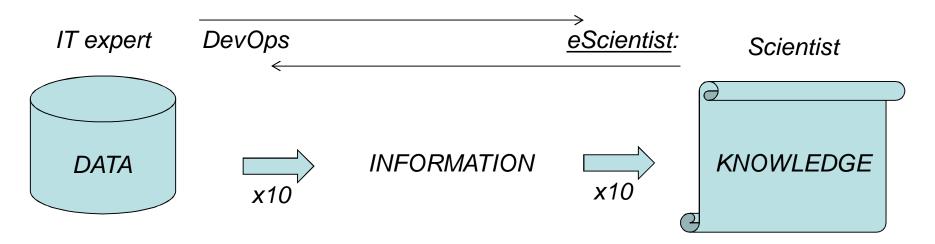
Top Sector: involve companies in science: Dutch companies requested our government to invest in better use of existing IT rather than developing more IT

R&D in IT: data gathering (hardware): Sentinel satellites: 1 TB /day

R&D with IT: data processing (software): How to process all this?

IT and science need to team up

- IT cannot handle science any more
- Science cannot handle IT any more



Especially for marine & coastal science/engineering



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6400 km: North Atlantic Oscillation (NAO)

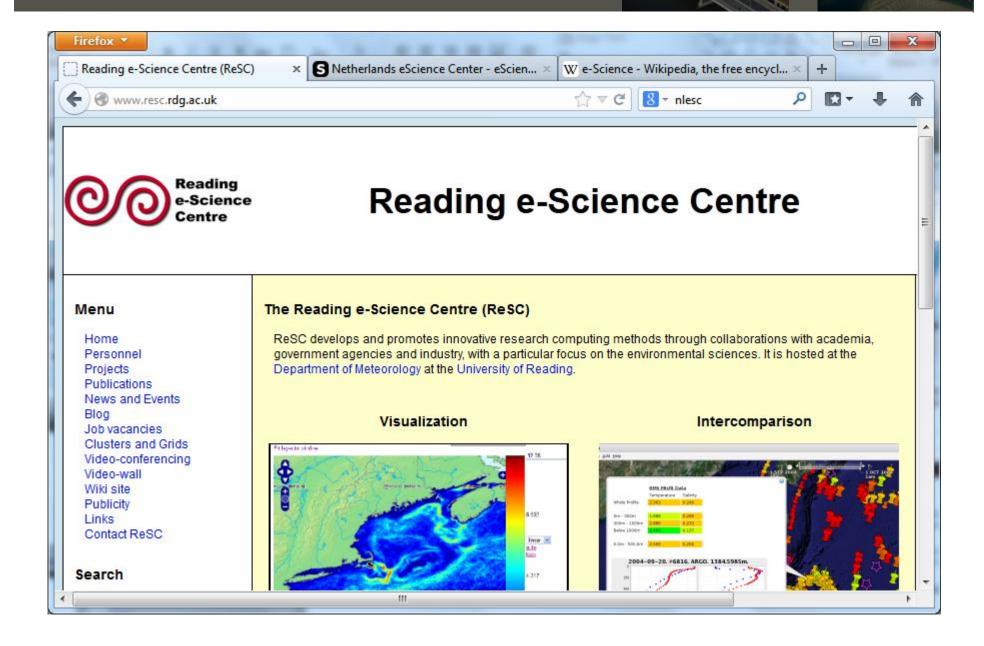
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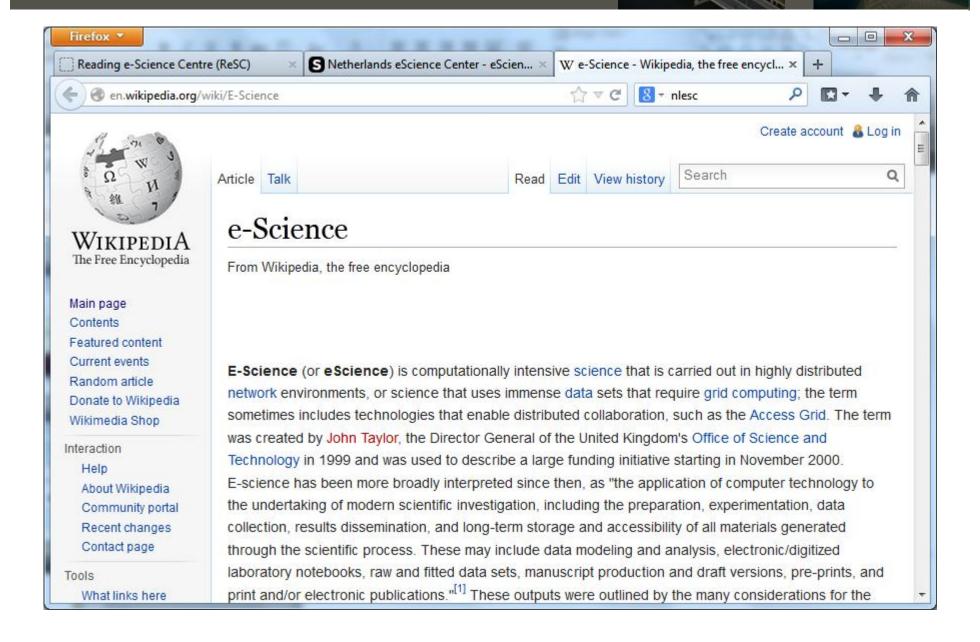
Water scarcity
Flood protection
Water pollution

suspended mud particle 64 µm

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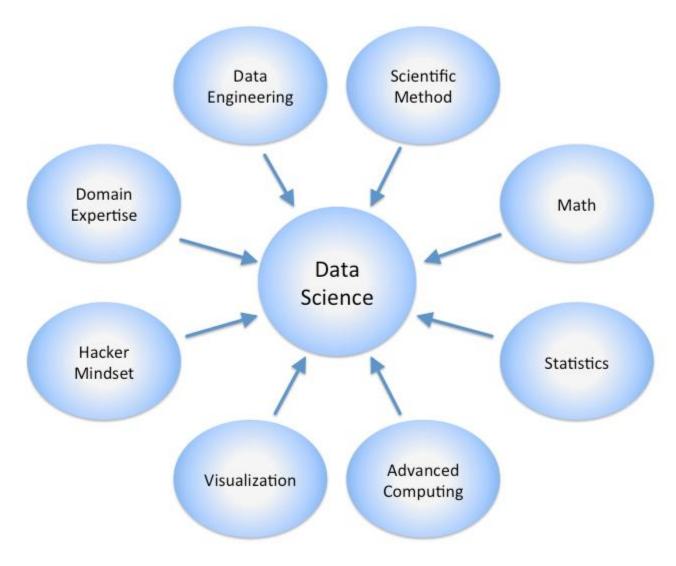
MyOcean uses ncWMS software from:





Asking for the moon (Dutch: schaap met 5 poten)

what a marine scientist needs to master in the 21st century



http://en.wikibooks.org/wiki/Data_Science:_An_Introduction/A_Mash-up_of_Disciplines

Job description example

what we aim to train you for this week



Job description

eScience engineers are digital scientists able to work at the interface of their own scientific disciplines and enhanced ICT. eScience engineers are (mostly) PhD scientists with a history of developing and applying scientific approaches within their previous research domains and are able to utilize ICT to make scientific breakthroughs. They are also interested in sharing their knowledge and experience outside their historical domains.

As an eScience engineer you will operate in a scientific environment and be responsible for the translation of scientific questions into solutions that effectively apply advanced ICT technologies. You will ensure that methodologies and applications can be used easily by scientists within a coordinated eScience infrastructure. You will work closely with other scientists both within NLeSC and its partner organisations. eScience engineers work as a close team, creatively combining and sharing knowledge between projects. It is likely that you will work part time at NLeSC and part time at the universities participating in the collaborative projects.

NLeSC is recruiting eScience engineers at various levels able to work closely with scientists from various disciplines. Experience working in an academic or related environment is required. The tasks include acting as an interface between users and NLeSC, contributing to software development for scientific research and project management. Experience and specialist knowledge will determine the precise level of the engineer.