



HPCaaS with DEMO

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Agenda

- Two Main part
- 1. Simulating
- 2. Explanation



First let's do some simulation 😊

- Download the blueprint
- <http://sophora-192.man.poznan.pl/blueprints/>
- Download `uap-v2.1-encs.yaml` -> save as
- Or just copy the content of it



Uploading the Simulation

- Go to **<https://webint.hidalgo-project.eu>**
- Login with your user/pass (previously sent)
- Go to Settings/Manage Application
- Add a name to your application
- Select the file, and hit upload!



Configuring the Simulation

- Go to Experiments/Manage Instances
- Select your Application (uploaded)
- Add a name and save

Configuration name*

basic ▾

Wind Direction (degree)*	<input type="text" value="180"/>
Wind velocity (m/s)*	<input type="text" value="5.0"/>

advanced >



Starting the simulation

- Go to Experiments/Execute
- Choose **your** application
- Choose **your** configuration
- Choose **sophora-192.man.poznan.pl** as HPC

Run Instance!

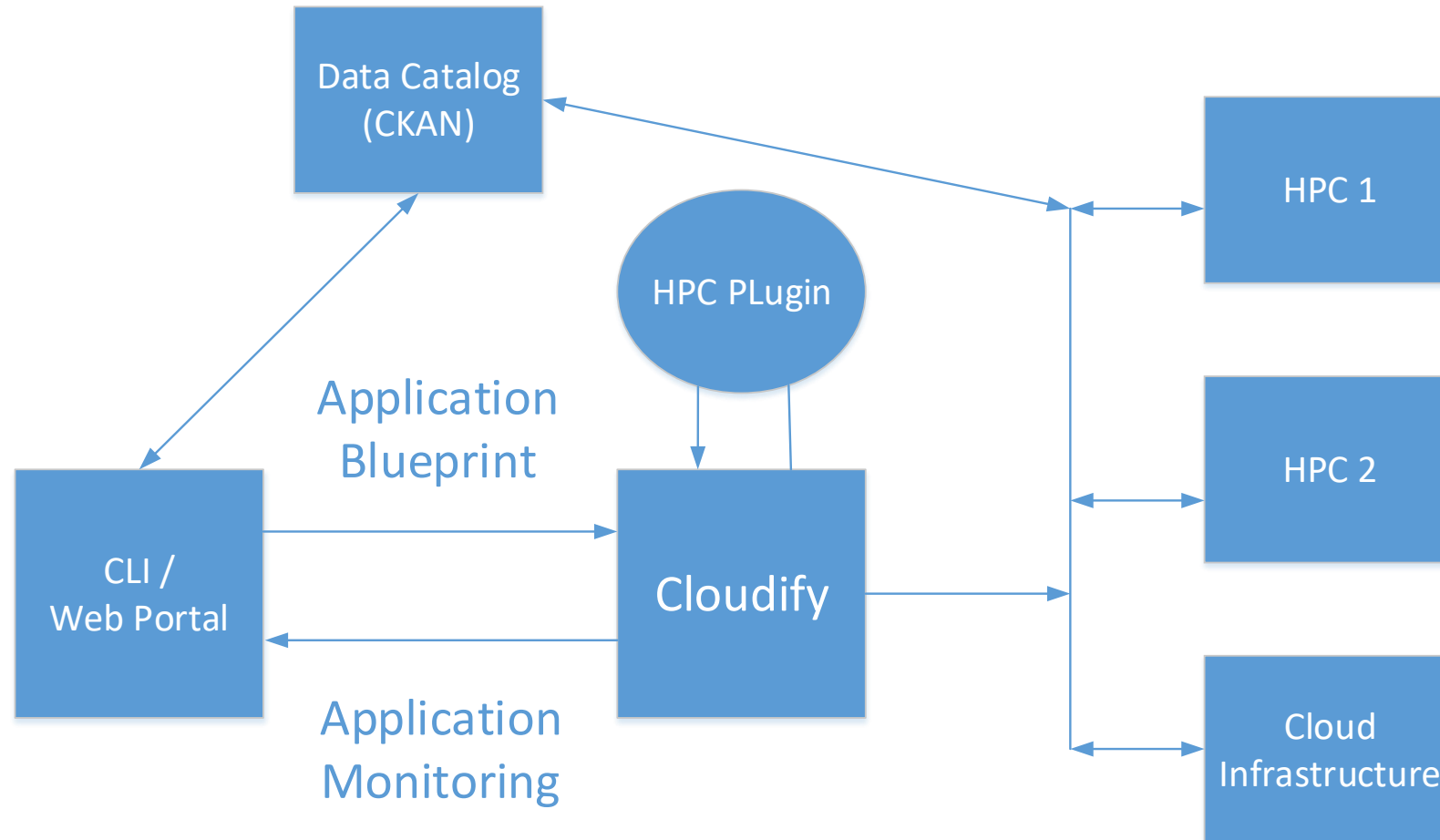


HPCaaS

- Goal is to reach more people with HPC application
- HPCaaS through API, means it is possible to create web portal or CLI tools to manage HPC jobs/applications
- Cloudify with HPC plugin



HPCaaS High level Architecture





TOSCA file

- Topology and Orchestration Specification for Cloud Applications (TOSCA)
- „The idea behind the TOSCA standard is to render improvements in the deployment, termination, and any other management function of cloud applications.”
- Describing workflows and input data, and a relation between them.



Application Blueprint

- YAML format (Human readable, less writable 😊)
 - | Strict whitespace rules
- Defining application inputs, files, datasets
 - | Files to download
 - | Online File edit
 - | Lists
 - | Strings
 - | Checkbox (Boolean)
 - | Number (int,float)



Application Blueprint II.

- Defining workflow
 - | Add executable commands, with input files/string defined
 - | Add possibility to use Module system for HPC (Loading modules)
 - | Define simulation steps and add dependencies between them, so all steps can be serialized or parallelized



HPC Applications – Singularity Container

- Each HPC has it's own ecosystem
- Different modules
- Different Operating system
- Different software versions:
 - | Our code requires python 3.8, but the HPC has only 3.7 module
- You have to install your own dependencies -> time consuming



HPC Applications – Singularity Container

- Solution -> Containerize your application(s)
- Our singularity container contains:
 - | OpenFOAM v2006
 - | SUMO v1.6
 - | Own tools based on JAVA
 - | Own tools based on python
 - | With bunch of python modules installed (ckanapi, numpy, scipy, etc.)
 - | ECMWF polytope client



HPC Applications – Singularity Container

- Install all software into one ecosystem
- Only Singularity framework is needed to install system wide
- Singularity vs Docker
 - | 1 image file vs fs layers
 - | Host mode networking (performance)
 - | Special interconnects works out-of-the-box
 - | mobility



Data catalog

- Ckan data catalog
- Can be used through API
- Store files or just the URL of the file
- Defining datasets
- Datasets, and Files can be tagged, for easy search
- Authentication with secret API key



Data catalog

- Extendable with plugins like Spatial information, and tags

Dataset extent



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OPENFOAM

UAP

gyor3b

inputs



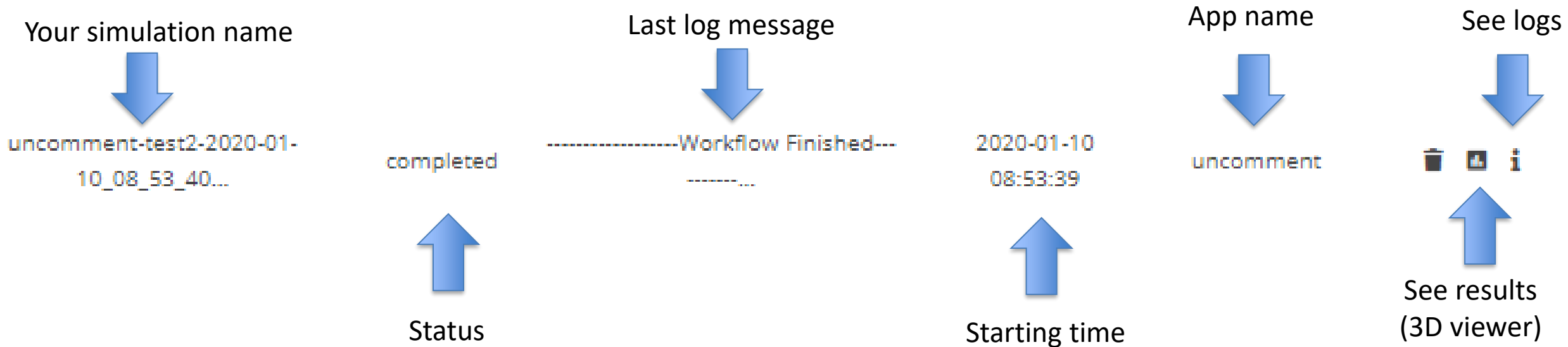
Data catalog

- Full API support, you can manage CKAN through your application
 - | Dataset generation
 - | User modifications
 - | Upload/Download files
 - | Manage permissions
- CLI client (`ckanapi`) or python library



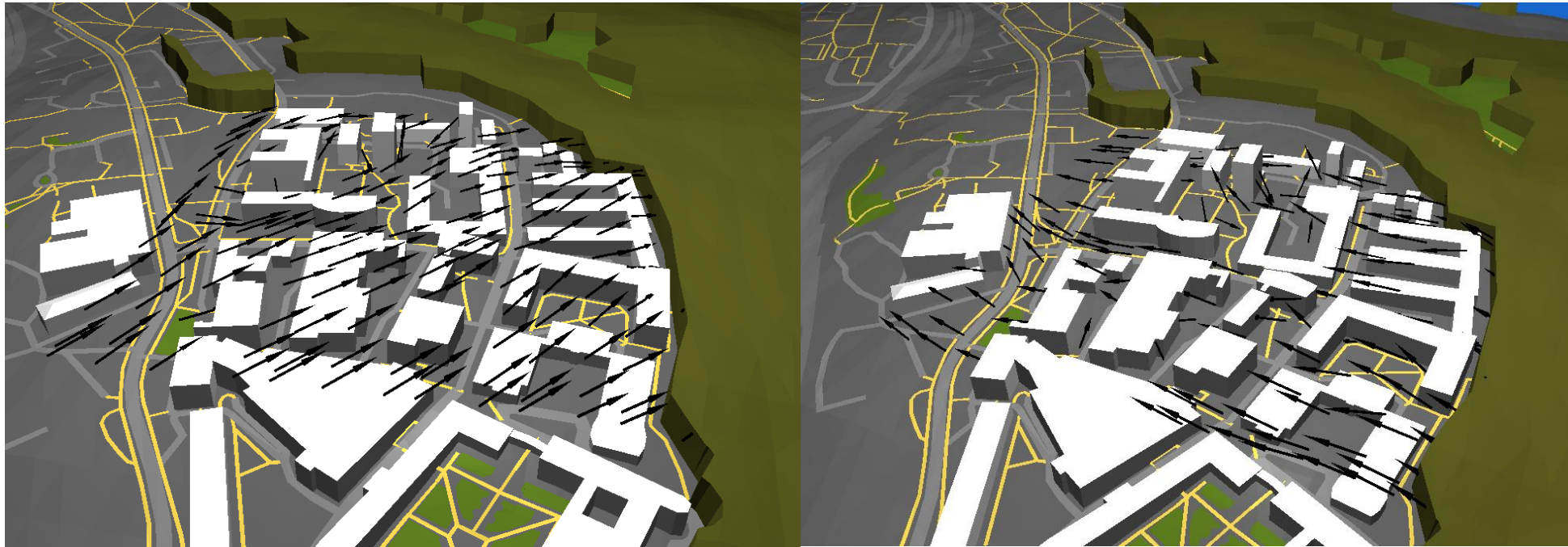
Check our simulation

- Go to Experiments/Dashboard





Results with two different wind profile





THANK YOU !

QUESTIONS ?



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