

Nuts and Bolts of BDEC2 and meeting in Bloomington Indiana November 28-30, 2018



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Overall structure of Bloomington Meeting

- BDEC2 has 6 International meetings spread over 2 years developing a community driven Digital Continuum platform supporting Science and Engineering data research spanning HPC, Clouds, simulations, data analytics (Common Digital Continuum Platform for Big Data and Extreme Scale Computing)
- First meeting has a focus on application requirements but will kickoff other key parts of BDEC2 and will include **working groups** on
 - Applications and Requirements
 - Platform architecture/design and
 - Community (Academia, Government, Industry, Open Source, .org's) building
- It will include **overview talks** expanding on initial talks at BoF discussing overall issues and regional (Asia, Europe, US) perspectives on Digital Continuum.
 - There will be breakouts to start off working groups
- **35 white papers** were submitted; many of these will be presented
- We will plan working group activities at and in between the 6 meetings
 - The working groups will meet “virtually” and perhaps in person
- First meeting will refine the foci of the following 5 meetings



Topics of White Papers and Application Talks

- Pathology
- Genome Alignment
- Network Science
- Climate
- Weather; Data Assimilation
- Electrical Power Grid
- Real time race car monitoring
- Precision Agriculture
- UAV and Environmental monitoring
- Square Kilometer Array
- Light Sources & Experiment Control
- Interface of Machine Learning, Simulation and Observation
- Biomolecular Simulations
- Material Science
- Fusion
- Smart Cities
- Edge and Fog Computing
- Continuum Platform:
- Modern Clouds, workflow, HPC, Data Transport, Benchmarking



Use case Survey based on NIST Big Data Survey

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1ALUtR4DlonUZcxo8Lj_A7nbldRsJcnQ-iVxEy0grzxA/edit?usp=sharing

Sample of the most basic fields. Form has more optional fields

NIST had 53 use cases https://bigdatawg.nist.gov/_uploadfiles/NIST.SP.1500-3r1.pdf

Overall Features

- Use Case Title
- Use Case Contacts
- Use Case URL(s)
- Pictures and Diagrams?
- Actors / Stakeholders
- Summary of Use Case and its Solution

Detailed Features

- Use Case Description
- Data Source, Volume, Velocity
- Data Analytics and Computational Methods
- Computer Systems Infrastructure
- Key words and Tags for classification
- Security and Privacy Issues



Questions?
Please comment or contribute
on anything!



Big Data and Extreme-scale Computing

<http://www.exascale.org/bdec/>



- **BDEC Pathways to Convergence Report**
<http://www.exascale.org/bdec/sites/www.exascale.org.bdec/files/wHITEPAPERS/bdec2017pathways.pdf>
- New series BDEC2 “Common Digital Continuum Platform for Big Data and Extreme Scale Computing” with first meeting November 28-30, 2018 Bloomington Indiana USA.
 - First day is evening reception with meeting focus “Defining application requirements for a Common Digital Continuum Platform for Big Data and Extreme Scale Computing”
- Next meetings: February 19-21 Kobe, Japan (National infrastructure visions) followed by two in Europe, one in USA and one in China.

