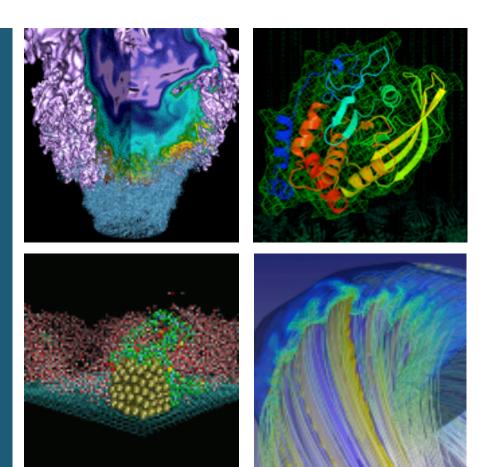
Integrated tool for next generation bio-imaging

Cryo-EM Meeting
Stanford University/SLAC National Laboratory





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NERSC Measures itself by the Science it **Enables**





Astrophysics

NERSC played a key role in the discovery that led to the 2011 Nobel Prize in Physics.
(S. Perlmutter, UC Berkeley/LBNL)



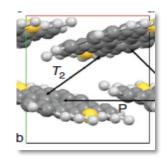
Astrophysics

The earliest-ever detection of a supernova was made possible by NERSC and Esnet. (P. Nugent, LBNL)

Materials

A vastly improved organic semiconductor discovery is a key proof of principle for rational design of new materials.

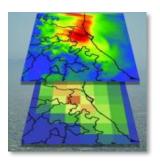
(A. Aspuru-Guzik, Harvard)

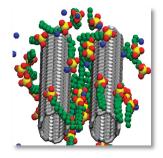


Climate

Atmospheric scientists have shown how small-scale effects of aerosols contribute to errors in climate models.

(W. Gustafson, PNNL)





Chemistry

Molecular dynamics simulations show how certain surfactants can be used to separate out bundles of carbon nanotubes with important properties.

(A. Striolo, U. Oaklahoma)



Nuclear Physics

The KamLAND neutrino experiment showed that radioactivity cannot be Earth's only heat source; it accounts for only ½ of it.

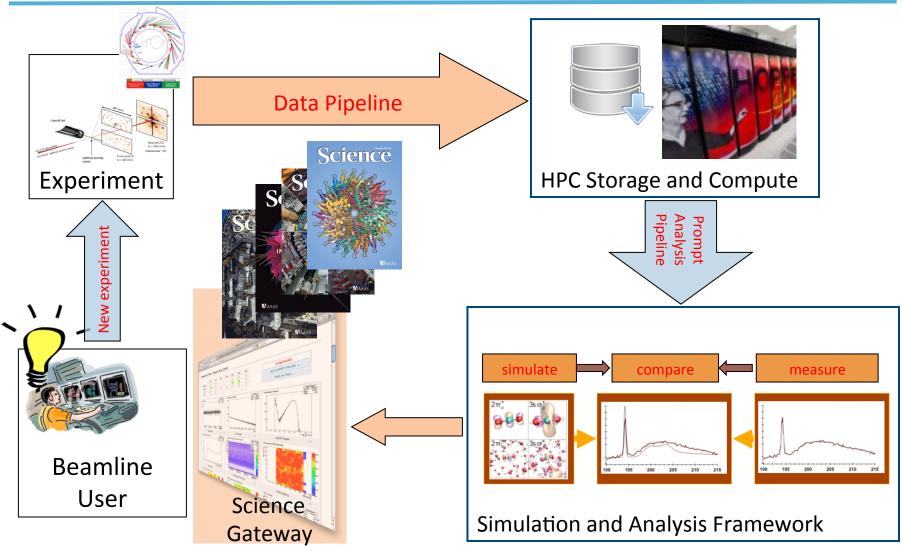
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ALS Scientific Workflow



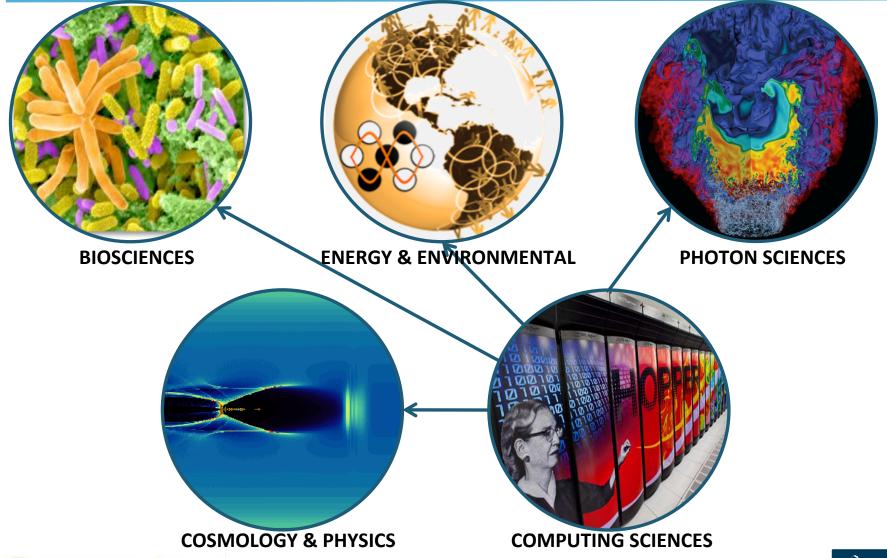






Computing is Essential for Science Programs in All Areas of the Lab









Big Data Bioimaging Workflow

Instruments

OpenMSI

Tissue Chemistry

 Multispectral TB images

FIB/SEM

- Cellular Organization
- Massive 3D Images

CryoEM

- Cellular Components
- Streams of Images

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Transparent	Automated
Data Logistics	Provenance
Scalable NoSQL	Assertions & Transformations

HPC Execution

Scalable SQL & REST	Collaborative Model Building
Knowledge	Publication &
Bases	Curation

Web Gateway

Instrument Operator

Prompt Analysis

Apps & APIs: Consortia, Community, Clinic

Search

Integrated Bioimaging
Big Data Leverage, policy

Offline Analysis & Data Products

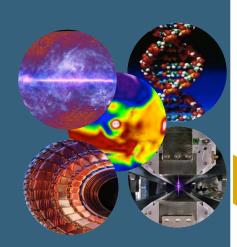


Simulation and analysis use high end computing via a science-capable Network



Big Data

From Experiments and Simulation

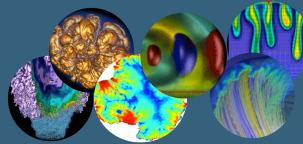


NERSC ingests, stores and analyzes data from Telescopes, Sequencers, Light sources, Particle Accelerators (LHC), climate, and environment



Large Scale

Capability Simulations



Petascale systems run simulations in Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Materials, Environment and Energy at NERSC

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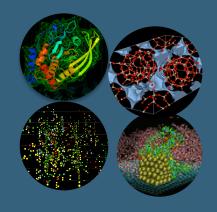
Petascale Computing, Petabyte Storage, and Expert Scientific Consulting





High Volume

Job Throughput

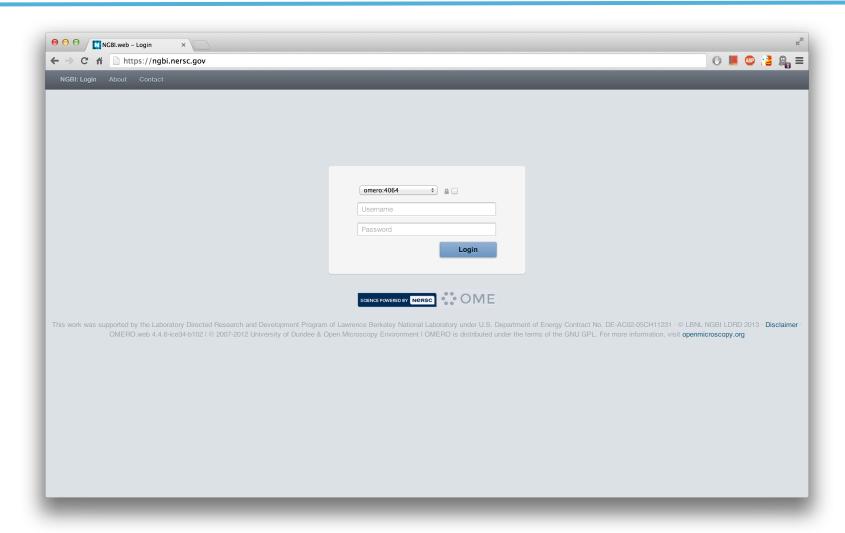


NERSC computer, storage and web systems support complex workflows that run thousands of simulations to screen materials ("Materials Genome"), proteins, structures and more; the results are shared with academics and industry through a web interface



Integrated tools for NGBI









Architecture



National Labs Universities Collaborators Data transfer Science gateways **OMERO** Image processing software stack **GPFS** High performance computing Data organization (metadata) New science





Universities

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Data transfer

Science gateways

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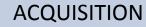


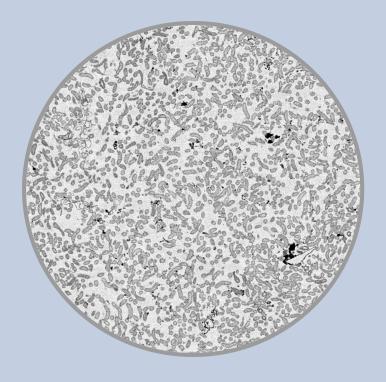
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Raw image: Volume slice of an unstained sample of *Desulfovibrio vulgaris RCH1* showing extracellular metal deposits.





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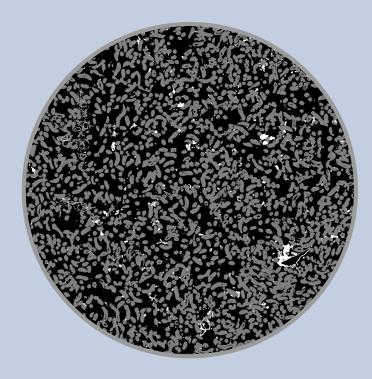
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SEGMENTATION



Segmented dataset showing a volume slice: background in black, bacteria in grey and metal deposits in white.





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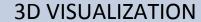


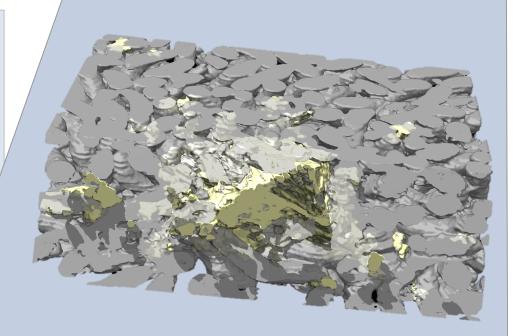
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Visualization of ROI with bacteria shown in grey and extracellular metal deposits shown in yellow





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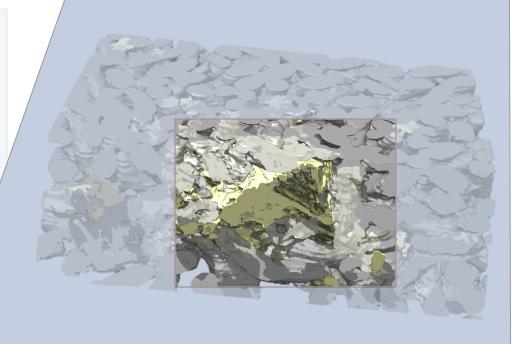
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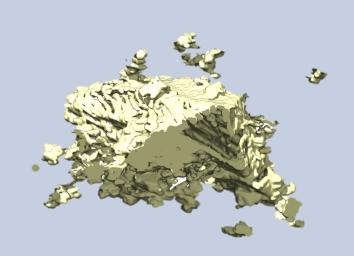


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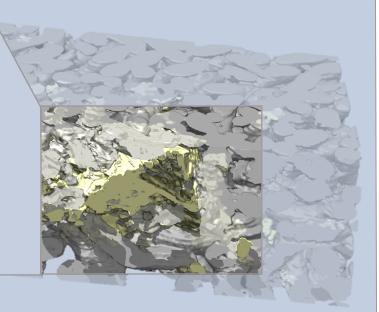






Higher magnification of ROI sub-region showing the 3D organization of the metal deposits, with bacteria not being displayed

VISUALIZATION



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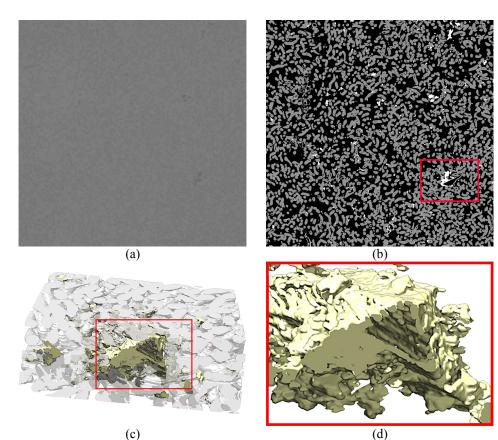




Results



- Novel insights in structural biology
- Unprecedented big data processing and handling (V: 40μm x 40μm x 100μm) and ~ 9GB/ dataset for CryoEM
- Understanding of complex system in high-resolution
- Multi-modal capabilities
- User-friendly web-based platform
- Metadata ready
- Robust automated approaches for large volumes.



Desulfovibrio vulgaris RCH1 (a) Raw image showing a slice of the volume (b) Segmented dataset showing a slice of the volume and ROI (c) 3D rendering of ROI showing bacteria and extracellular metal deposits (d) higher magnification of ROI sub-region of (c) showing the 3D organization of the metal deposits, with bacteria not being displayed





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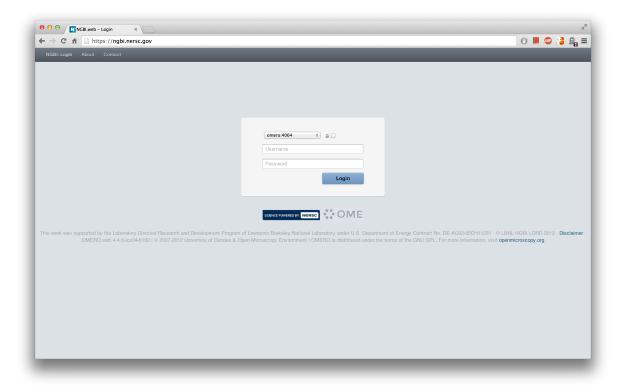
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