

TANGO



TANGO CONTROLS COLLABORATION IN 2015

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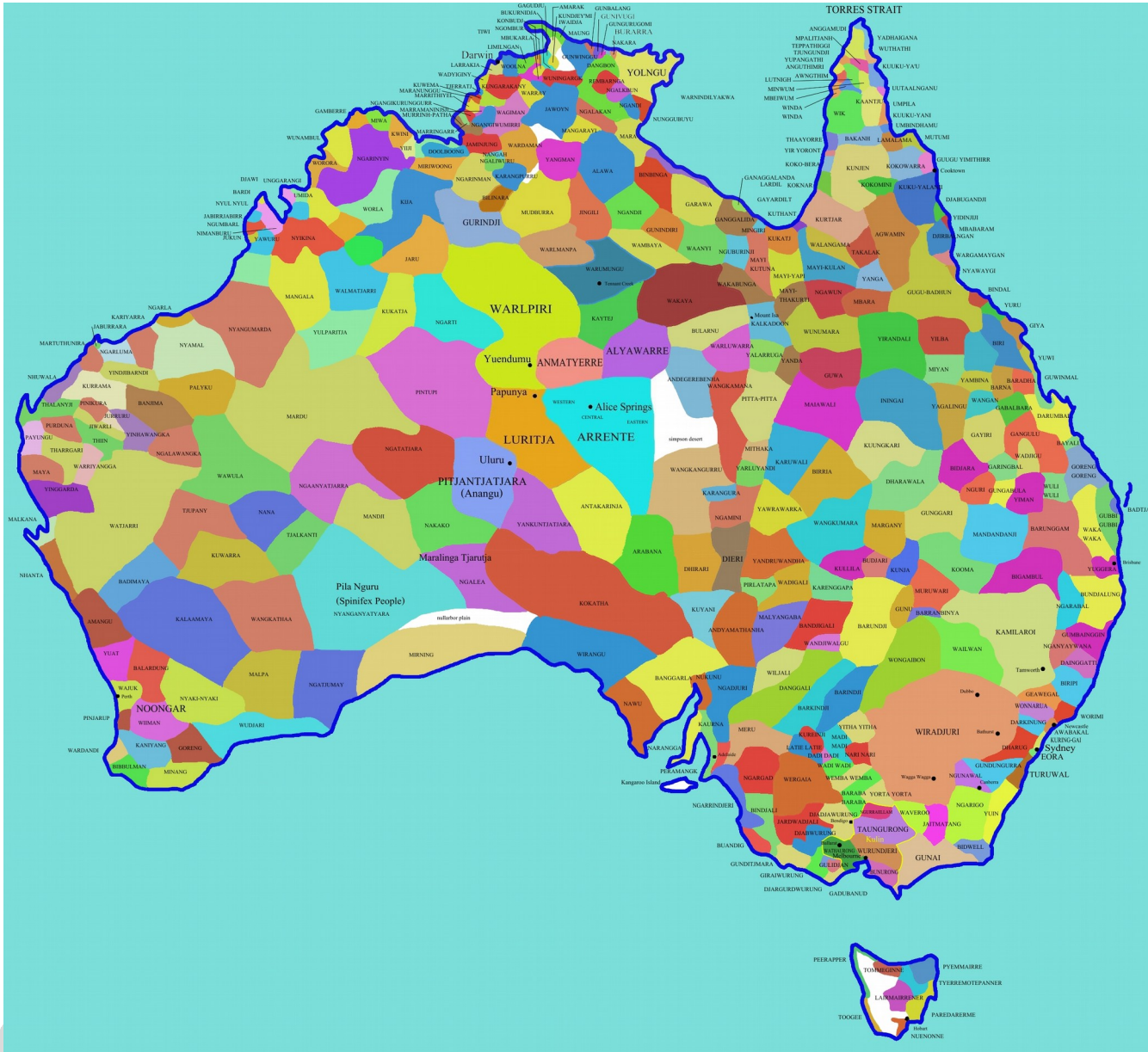


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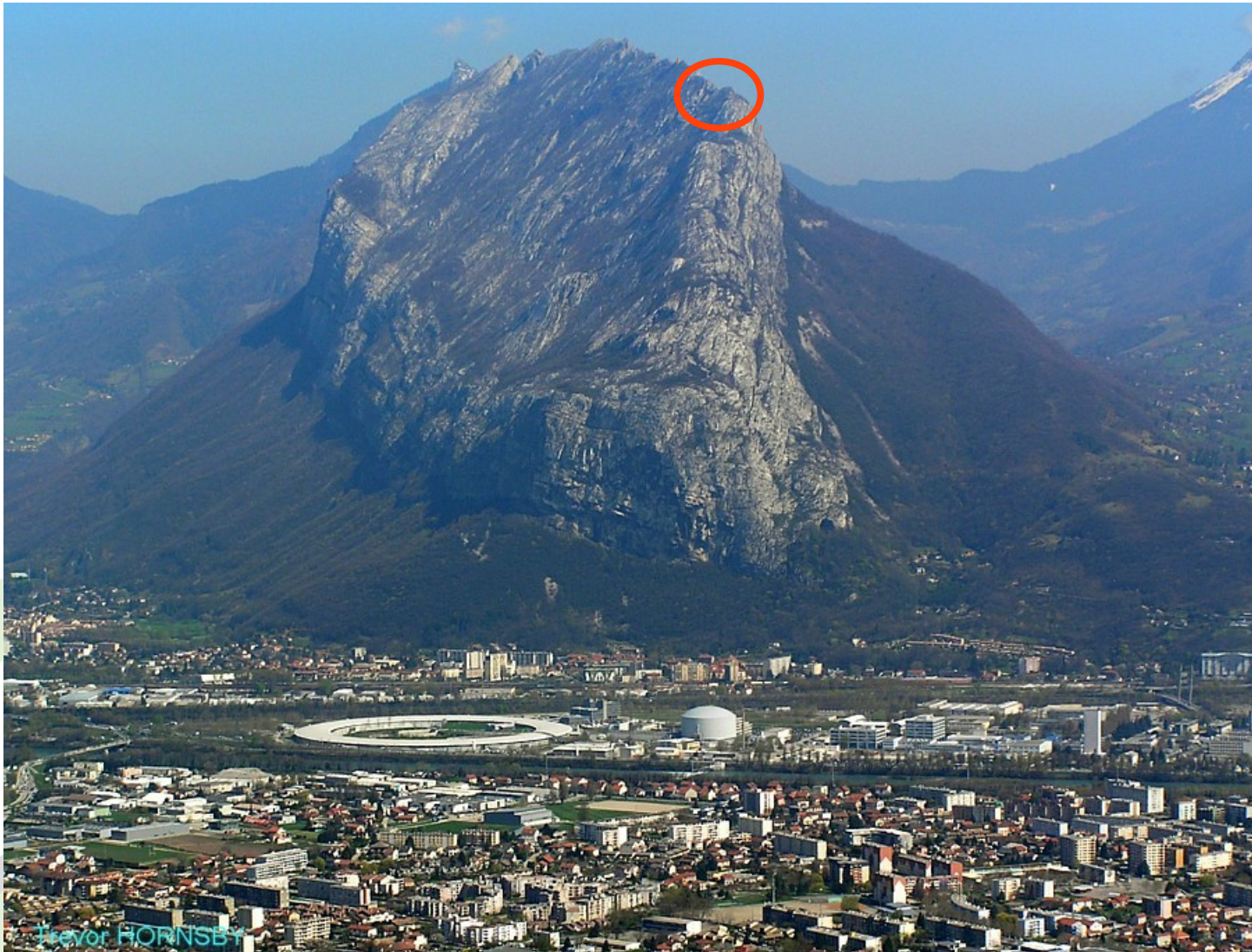
CONTROL SYSTEMS COMMUNITIES ?



“If you want to walk fast then walk alone, but if you want to walk far then walk together”

African proverb

ESRF GRENOBLE FRANCE



Trevor HORNSBY

HOME SWEET HOME



THE TANGO APPROACH

CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT

TANGO CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT

- Keep the concept of a **distributed object** simple
- **Integrate new features and applications** into the **core**
- **Multiple languages as 1st class citizens** (C++, Python + Java)
- **Documentation + Installation**

**ANOTHER
MAJOR
RELEASE !**

TANGO 9 NEW FEATURES

- **Pipes** (*aka* Streams)
- **Dynamic commands**
- **Forwarded** attributes
- **Enumerated** attributes
- **Polling** thread optimisation
- New base class – **Device_5Impl**
(API is backwards compatible)

The People

*E. Taurel
P. Verdier
J-L. Pons
F. Poncet
(ESRF)*

*G. Abeille
(SOLEIL)*

JAVA Δ DEVICE SERVERS

- A new version of the Java implementations for device server **JTango** has been developed using annotations. It makes writing Java device servers MUCH easier!
- The following annotations are supported:

@Device: class

@Attribute: field

@Command: method

@State: field

@Init: method

@DeviceProperty

G.Abeille

(SOLEIL)

P.Verdier

(ESRF)

EZ JAVA CLIENTS

- A new API for Java clients has been developed called **ezTangORB**. It makes writing Java device clients MUCH easier!

- Example:

```
//ezTangORB
```

```
TangoProxy proxy =
```

```
TangoProxies.newDeviceWrapper("tango://whatever:10000/sys/tg_test/1");
```

```
double result = proxy.<Double>readAttribute("double_scalar");
```

*I.Khokhriakov
(HZG)*

TANGO SITES WHICH LOVE PYTHON

- **ALBA** developed the first Python TANGO control system for controlling accelerator and beamlines
- Some sites that love Python :

LMJ
DESY
Max IV
ELI-ALPS
SKA SA

...



PYTHON HLAPI

"It would also be nice if the tango programming interface would be more pythonic. The final goal is to make writing tango device servers as simple as possible" [TEP1]

- A new pythonic **High Level API** (HLAPI) has been implemented and which supports co-routines (using gevents)



T.Coutinho
(ESRF/ALBA)

```
import time
from PyTango.server import run
from PyTango.server import Device, DeviceMeta
from PyTango.server import attribute, command

class Clock(Device):
    __metaclass__ = DeviceMeta
    time = attribute()

    def read_time(self):
        return time.time()

    @command(din_type=str, dout_type=str)
    def strftime(self, format):
        return time.strftime(format)

if __name__ == "__main__":
    run((Clock,))
```

MY LOVE AFFAIR WITH Δ PYTHON



Tango Collaboration in 2015 – 21 October ICALEPCS 2015



ARCHIVING

- A new event based archiving system (HDB++) has been implemented with :
 - **higher data rates,**
 - **us time resolution,**
 - **precise timing**
 - **multiple TANGO control systems**

See talk **WED3004**.

L.Pivetta et. al.
(ELETTRA+ESRF)

- The architecture allows multiple database backends to be plugged into the archiving system. So far MySQL and Cassandra are implemented.

See poster **WEM310**.

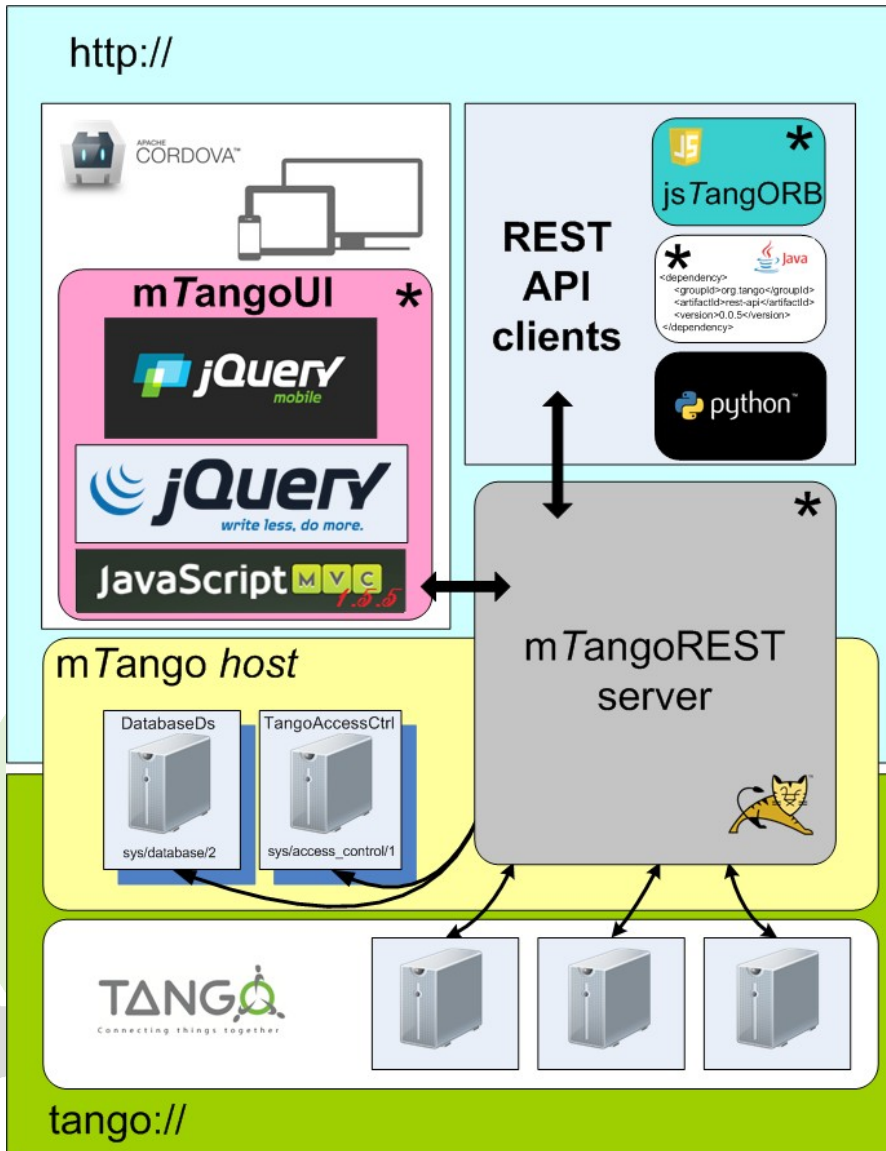
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MTANGO - MOBILE TANGO

http://localhost:8080/mtango/rest/device/sys/tg_test/1

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- A RESTful http based API called mtango (m for mobile) has been developed for TANGO.
- Uses TANGO Access Control and tomcat for security
- Can be used from any client implementing http
- API implemented for JavaScript
- See website for API

WEBSITE REDESIGNED

<http://www.tango-controls.org>

*J-MChaize
(ESRF)*

The screenshot shows a web browser displaying the Tango Controls website. The browser's address bar shows the URL www.tango-controls.org. The website's navigation menu includes links for About us, Downloads, Resources, Community, Partners, and Contact. The main content area features a large heading "Connecting things together" and three colored boxes with the following text:

- What is TANGO Controls ?**
A free open source device-oriented controls toolkit for controlling any kind of hardware or software and building **SCADA** systems...
[READ MORE](#)
- Why choose TANGO Controls ?**
Because it is easy to use, flexible, and highly scalable. It provides a complete set of features for controlling equipment and lot of services for managing systems.
[READ MORE](#)
- How to use TANGO Controls ?**
Just download it and install it. Then reuse or write a device server, deploy and marvel at how it works!
[READ MORE](#)

TANGO VIRTUAL MACHINE

<http://ftp.esrf.fr/pub/cs/tango/tango9-vm.zip>

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Ubuntu Desktop



- Astor
- SardeinoGUI
- AtkMoni
- Spock
- AtkPanel
- TaurusGui_Demo
- ITango
- JDraw
- Jive
- JLinac
- JLinac
- Mambo
- Mambo
- Pogo
- Synoptic_Demo



user = tango-cs
pw = tango

- README
- The Tango Book
- Tango9_VM.pdf



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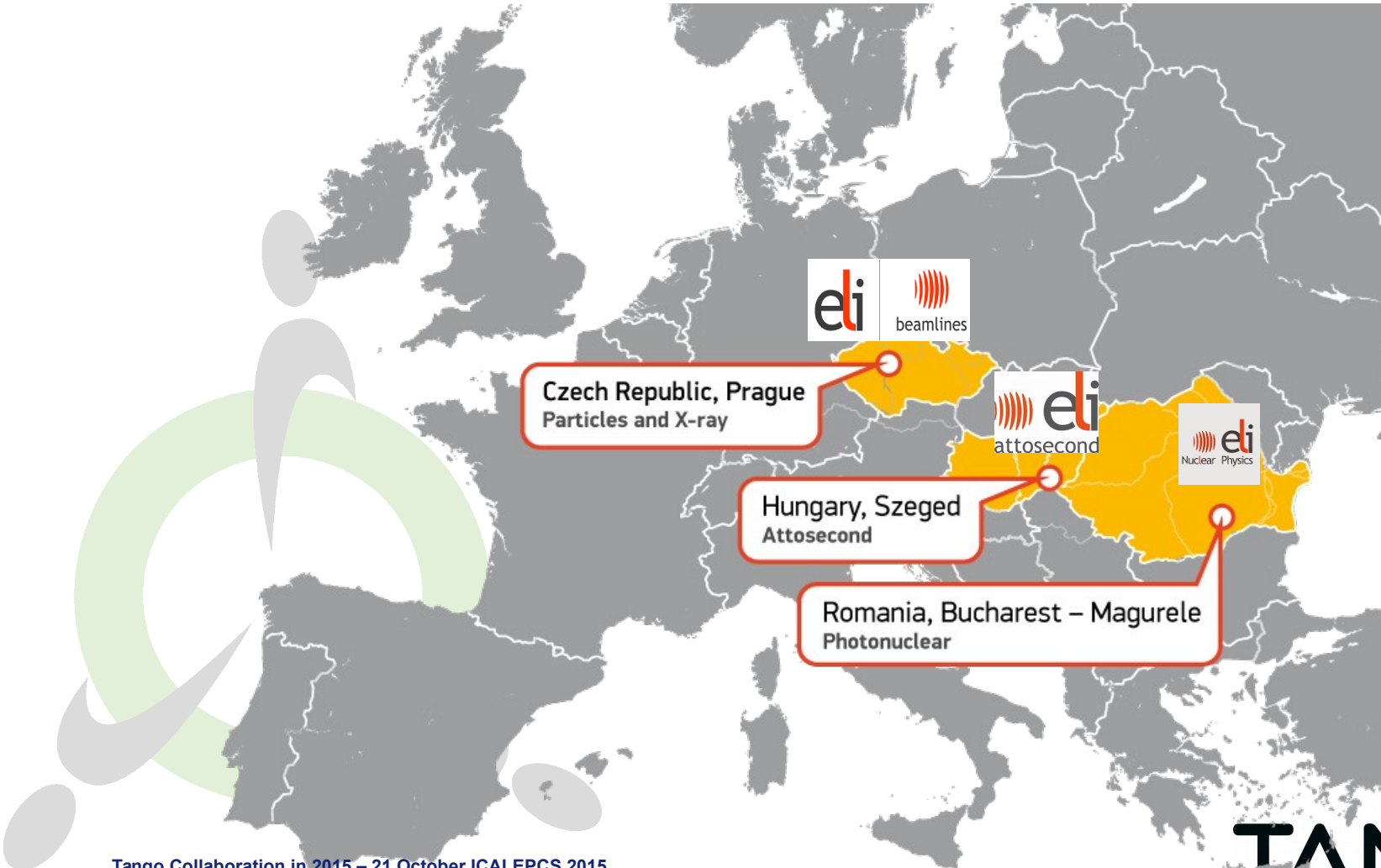


NEW MEMBERS

**TANGO
COMMUNITY
IS GROWING!**

LASERS ADOPT TANGO

- 3 Extreme Lightsource Infrastructures have chosen TANGO+EPICS



Δ ASTRONOMERS Δ ADOPTING TANGO

- INAF using TANGO for Binocular telescope archived data



- SKA has chosen TANGO as the common framework for the Telescope Manager



- EGO-VIRGO gravitational observatory using TANGO

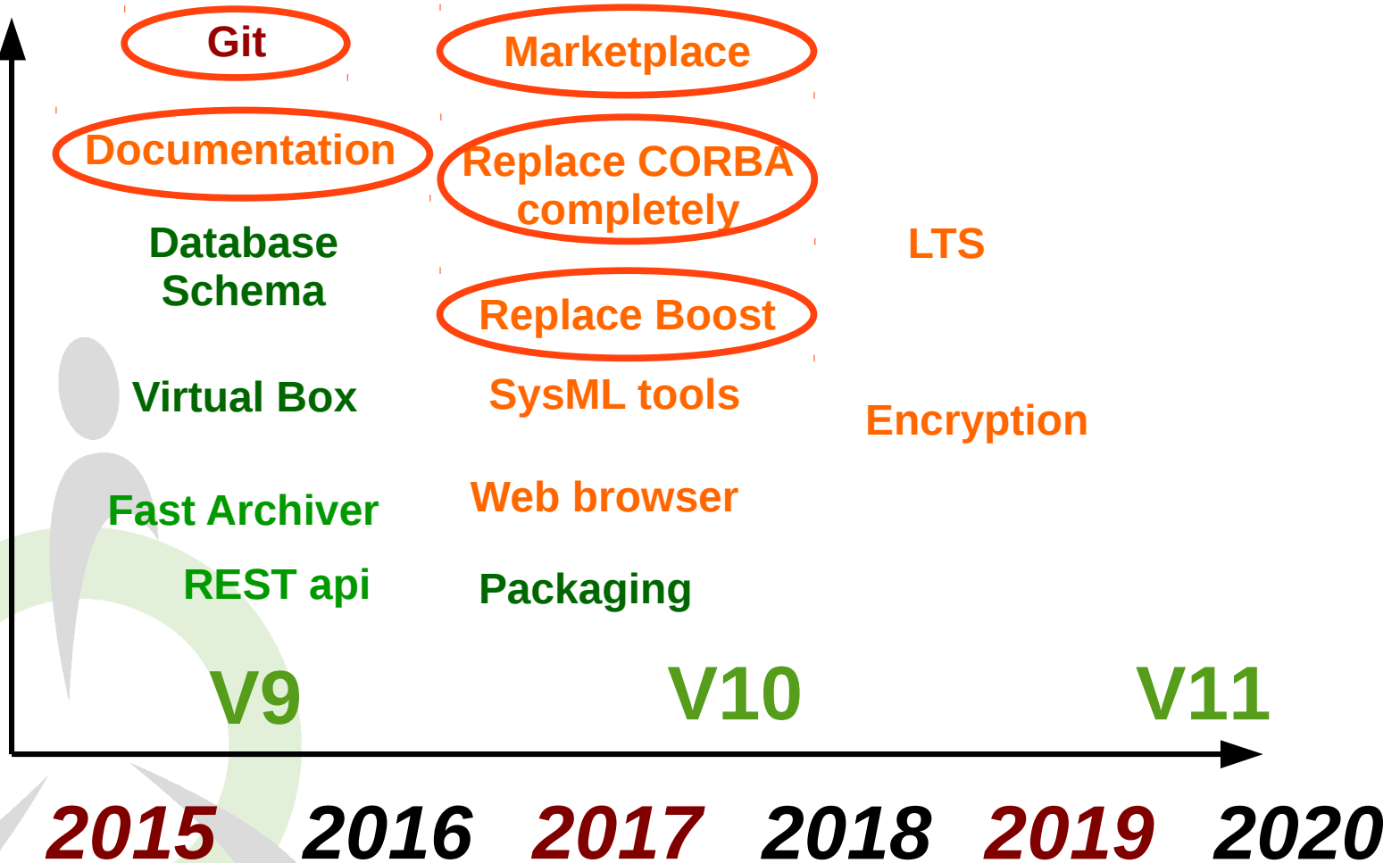


- ERAS using TANGO on Raspberry Pi



THE TANGO ROADMAP

Community Solutions



Evolution



HOW TO FINANCE THE ROADMAP ?

**SUSTAINING
TANGO WITH Δ**

**COLLABORATION
CONTRACT**

COLLABORATION CONTRACT

- We have prepared a contract with partners who are willing to finance TANGO infrastructure developments. Contract is for 5 years.
- Two types of partners : **Core + Contributors**
- Potentially 10 partners have expressed their interested. This would finance at least one FTE / year.
- Collaboration contract will start in 2016
- TANGO stays **free** and **Open Source** and **Sustainable!**

OTHER PROJECTS

- Student training *R.Ponsard (LGM)*
- Post mortem tools *ELI-ALPS
SKA-SA*
- Packaging with Docker *SOLARIS*
- Many more e.g. device servers for White Rabbit, oscilloscope based on Zed board, web browser, etc. etc. *Community*

CONCLUSION

TANGO IS CONSTANTLY IMPROVING

TANGO COMMUNITY IS GROWING

TANGO IS SUSTAINABLE