

Needs, considerations and solutions for a consortium of accelerator modeling

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Advanced Beam Dynamics

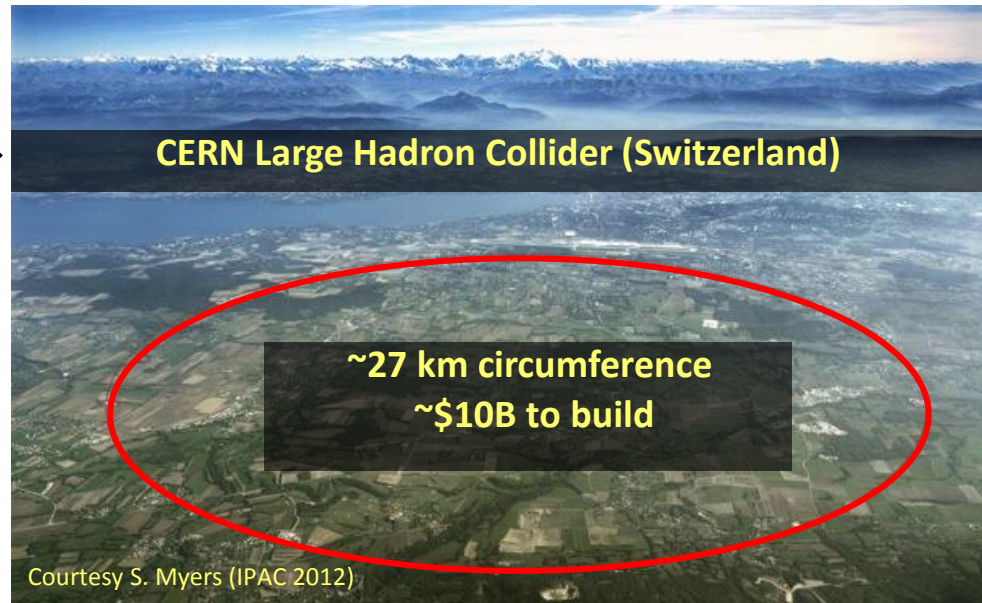
Workshop on High-Intensity,
High Brightness and
High Power Hadron Beams

Accelerators are essential tools of science and tech.

There are > 30,000 **particle accelerators** in operation around the world,

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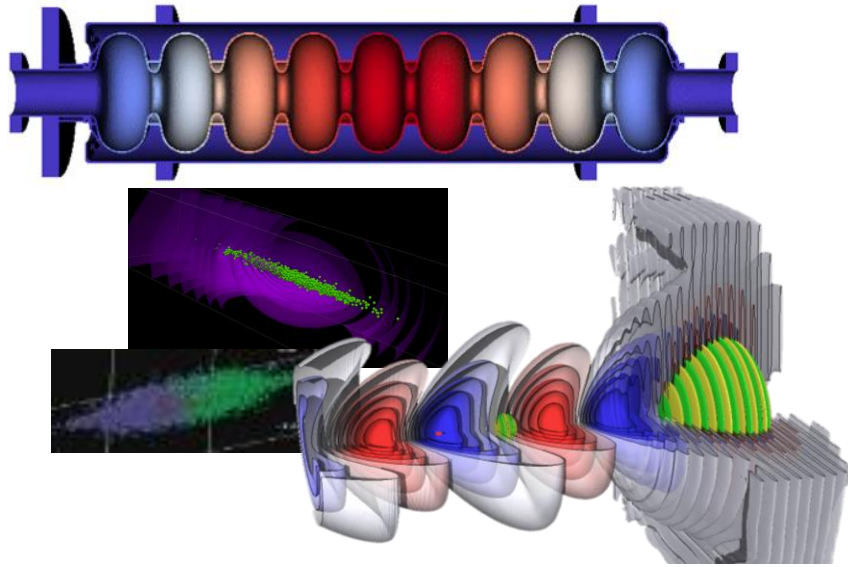
- discovery science, →
- medicine,
- industry,
- energy,
- the environment,
- national security.



Size and cost are a limiting factor for many applications

→ **active research worldwide to conceive smaller & cheaper accelerators.**

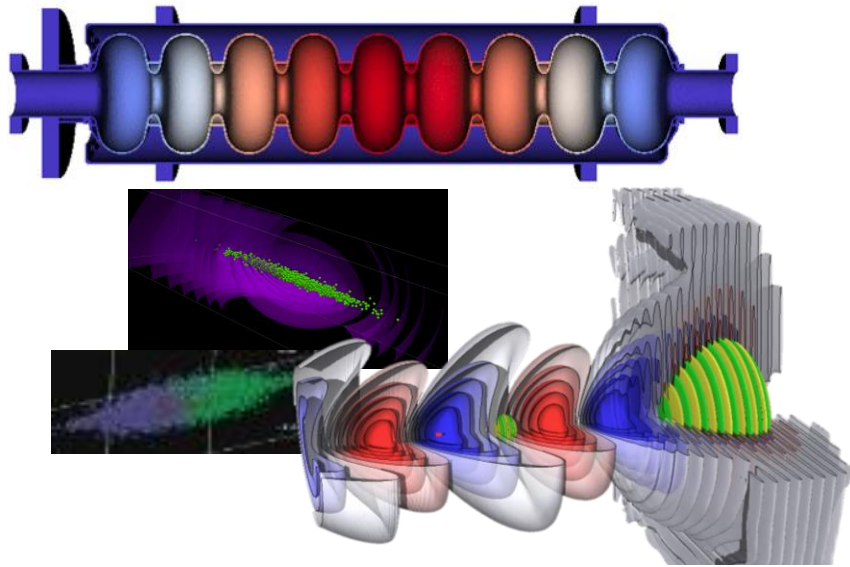
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^x ■ **Trend requires team work**

increasingly complex accelerators call for
increasingly sophisticated simulation software

■ **Current situation is inefficient**

- numerous codes within projects with little coordination or reuse
 - **no dedicated funding** for development, support & training
- ➔ especially problematic for codes with growing popularity

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Bmad, Tao	www.lns.cornell.edu/~dcs/bmad/	General purpose toolbox library + driver program
COSY INFINITY	www.cosyinfinity.org	Arbitrary-order beam optics code
CSRTrack	www.desy.de/xfel-beam/csrtrack	3D parallel PIC; includes CSR; mainly for e ⁻ dynamics
Elegant/SDDS suite	aps.anl.gov/elegant.html	parallel; track, optimize; errors; wakes; CSR
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MAD-X	mad.web.cern.ch/mad	General purpose beam optics
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ORBIT	jzh@ornl.gov	Collective beam dynamics in rings and transport lines
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SAD	acc-physics.kek.jp/SAD/sad.html	Design, simulation, online modeling & control
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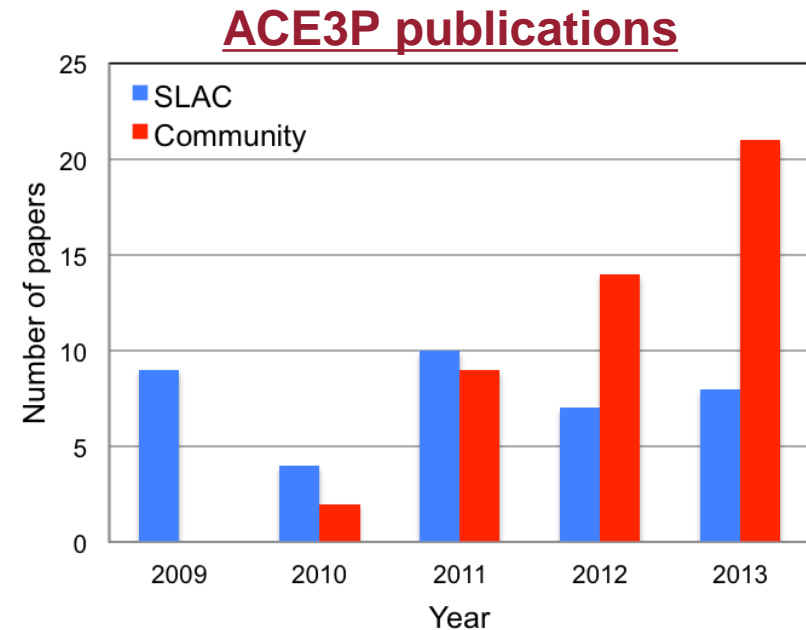
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SLAC ACE3P supports large user community

■ User community

- **>50 active users** in labs, universities & industry worldwide
- growing # of papers from community of users →



■ User support necessitates sustained effort

- Code **workshops** at SLAC (CW09, CW10, CW11 & CW14) and conf. (NAPAC-13)
- **Dedicated website** (w/ online tutorials and doc.)
<https://confluence.slac.stanford.edu/display/AdvComp/Materials+for+cw11>
- Phone calls and email exchanges (~20/month)
- Personal visits to SLAC

Berkeley Lab Accelerator Simulation Toolkit has a **worldwide** user base



BLAST

B – BeamBeam3D
I – Impact
P – Posinst
W – Warp

United States

1. ANL (B,I,P)
2. BNL (B,I,P,W)
3. Cornell (I,P)
4. FNAL (B,I,P,W)
5. ISU (I)
6. Jlab (B,I,P)
7. LANL (I,P)
8. LBNL (B,I,P,W)
9. LLNL (W)
10. MSU (I,W)
11. NIU (I,W)
12. ODU (I)
13. ORNL (I,P)
14. SLAC (I,P,W)
15. Stanford (I)
16. Tech-X (P)
17. Texas A&M (I)
18. U. Chicago (I)
19. UM (W)
20. UMD (W)
21. UW (I)
22. UCLA (I)
23. WSU (W)
24. Yale U (B,I)

Europe/Asia

1. ASLS (I)
2. CERN (P,W)
3. CIAE (I)
4. DESY (I,W)
5. Diamond (I)
6. ESS (I)
7. Fermi/Elettra (I)
8. Frankfurt (I)
9. GSI (I,W)
10. Hiroshima U. (W)
11. Hong Kong U. (W)
12. IBS (I)
13. IHEP (I,P)
14. IMPCAS (I)
15. IRE (I)
16. KAERI (I)
17. KEK (I)
18. Mumbai Univ. (I)
19. PAL (I)
20. Peking Univ. (I)
21. PSI (I)
22. RRCAT (I)
23. RAL (I)
24. SINAP (I)
25. Technion (W)
26. USTC (I)



Over past year, code developers responded to

>500 emails received from >40 research institutes/universities & list is growing.

Mostly on overhead with little dedicated funding for support.

Key roles & needs recognized in **P5 report**

- **Accelerator modeling contributes to two enabling technologies:**
 - **Accelerator Research:**
 - “The future of **particle physics depends critically** on **transformational accelerator R&D** to enable new capabilities and to advance existing technologies at lower cost. “
 - **Computing:**
 - “The use of **high-performance computing**, combined with **new algorithms**, is advancing full 3-D simulations at realistic beam intensities of nearly **all types of accelerators.**”
 - “This will enable **“virtual prototyping”** of accel. components on a larger scale than is currently possible.”
- **Recommendation 29:**

“**Strengthen** the **global cooperation** ... to address **computing** and **scientific software** needs, and provide **efficient training** in **next-generation hardware** ...

Investigate models for the **development** and **maintenance** of major software within and across research areas...”

P5 report reinforces conclusions from from **Snowmass & HEP computing topical panel (2013)**

- “**increased coordination** of modeling efforts”
- “**dedicated support** of code **modernization, maintenance & dissemination**”
- “increase emphasis on use & development of **common tools**”
- “better **user support**”
- “more **training** in HEP computational physics”
- “**HEP distributed center** for computational excellence (single point-of-contact, cross-cutting activities)”

Consensus that there are issues:

lack of cohesion, support, training....

Question: how do we solve it?

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Technical

- programming languages
- data formats, parallelism
- code architectures
- open vs proprietary sources
- keep creativity

Human

- changing habits is hard
- different visions
- (re)build trust
- corporatism/rivalry
- recognition
- distance

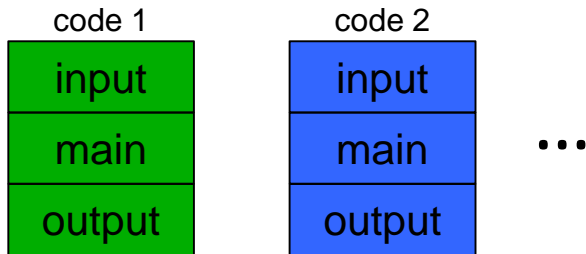
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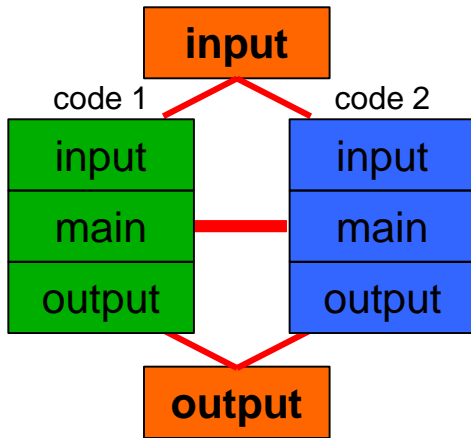
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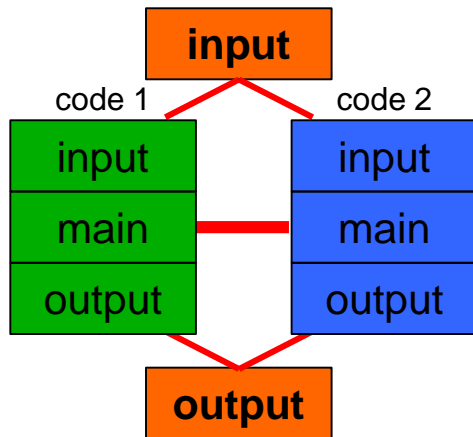


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Common modules in libraries of compiled C, C++ or FORTRAN

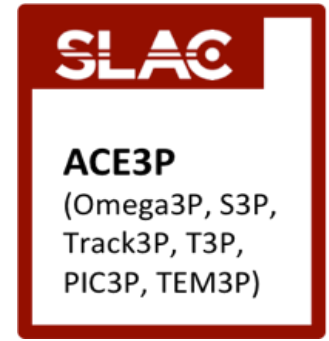
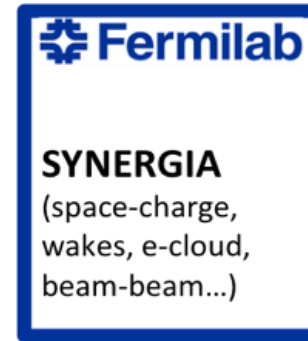
Unified I/O and framework in Python:

- Python scripting language has unique attributes:
 - rapid development and prototyping of scientific applications on par with e.g. Maple, Matlab (which it is often supplanting) is expandable and couples to FORTRAN, C and C++

New initiative:

Consortium for Advanced Modeling of Particle Accelerators

CAMPA



Points of contact:

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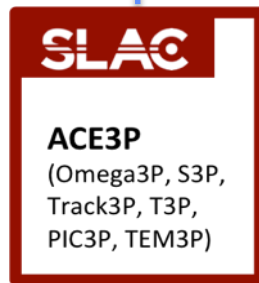
SLAC: C.-K. Ng, Z. Li

FNAL: J. Amundson, E.G. Stern

CAMPA started as LBNL-SLAC collaboration

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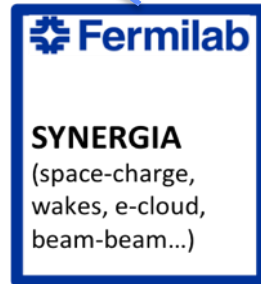
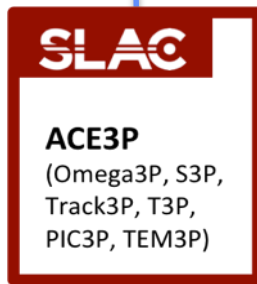
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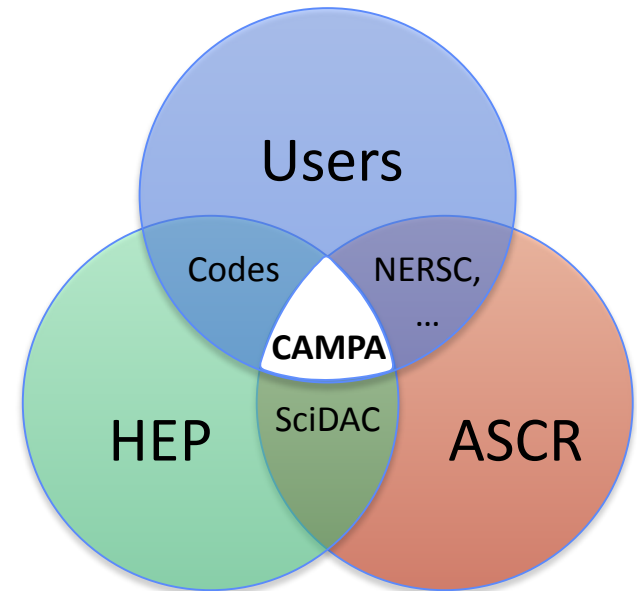
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CAMPA's **mission** to address mid/long term needs

Mission:

- **develop, maintain, distribute & support** an **integrated** suite of state-of-the-art accelerator computer codes
 - BLAST, ACE3P, SYNERGIA
- promote **collaboration & re-use** of codes & data through **common** interfaces, data standards, visualization and analysis capabilities;
- use codes to **advance accelerator science** through **advanced computation**
- **train** new generation in accelerator modeling on the latest hardware
- at the **nexus** of physics, computing and users



Possible evolution of CAMPA


HEP Forum for Computational Accelerator Physics

CAMPA

DOE-(HEP,BES,NP,FES)+NSF+CERN+...




BLAST
(Warp, IMPACT,
BeamBeam3D,
Posinst)



ACE3P
(Omega3P, S3P,
Track3P, T3P,
PIC3P, TEM3P)



SYNERGIA
(space-charge,
wakes, e-cloud,
beam-beam...)



PICKSC
(Osiris,UPIC)



ATMC



XYZ
(xyz,...)

Common set of libraries (algorithms, physics, utilities, ...)
Partnership with CS and AM (DOE-ASRC,etc)

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- **dedicated funding** for user support, algorithmic, code implementation & maintenance
- **recognition** for acc. software development,
- a **carrier path**

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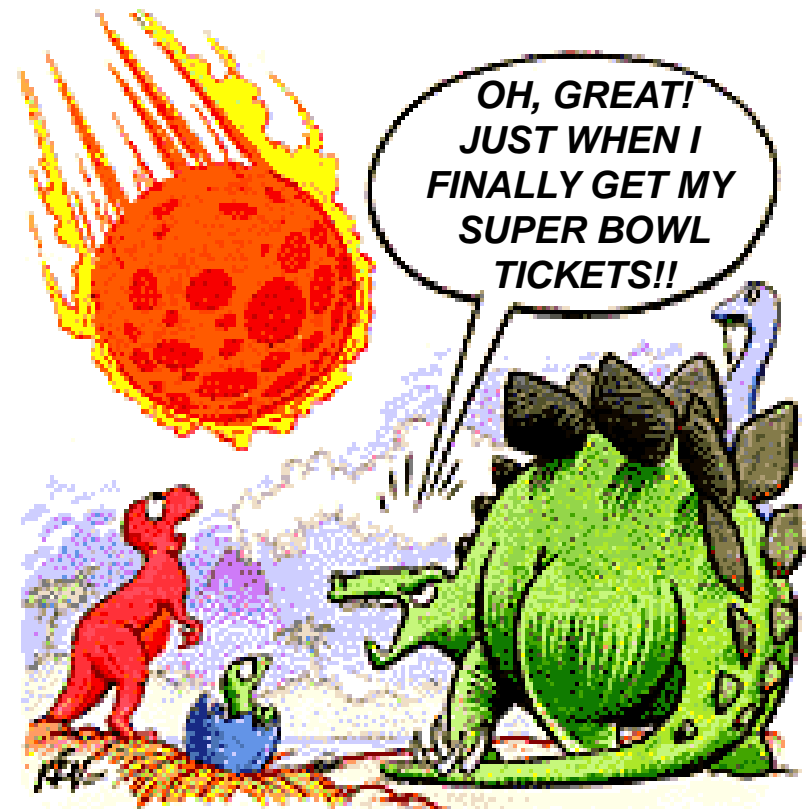
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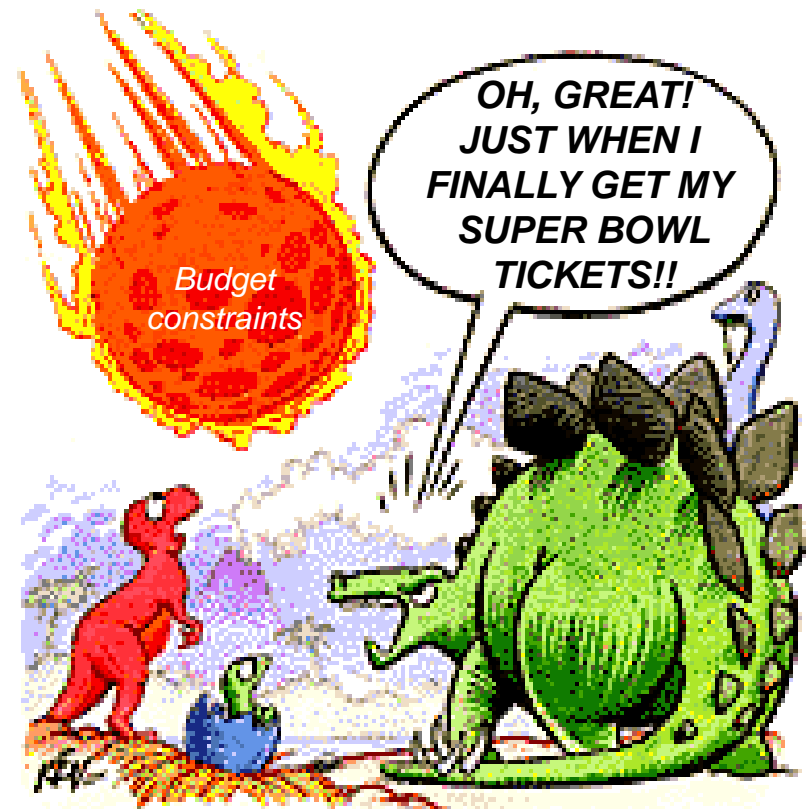
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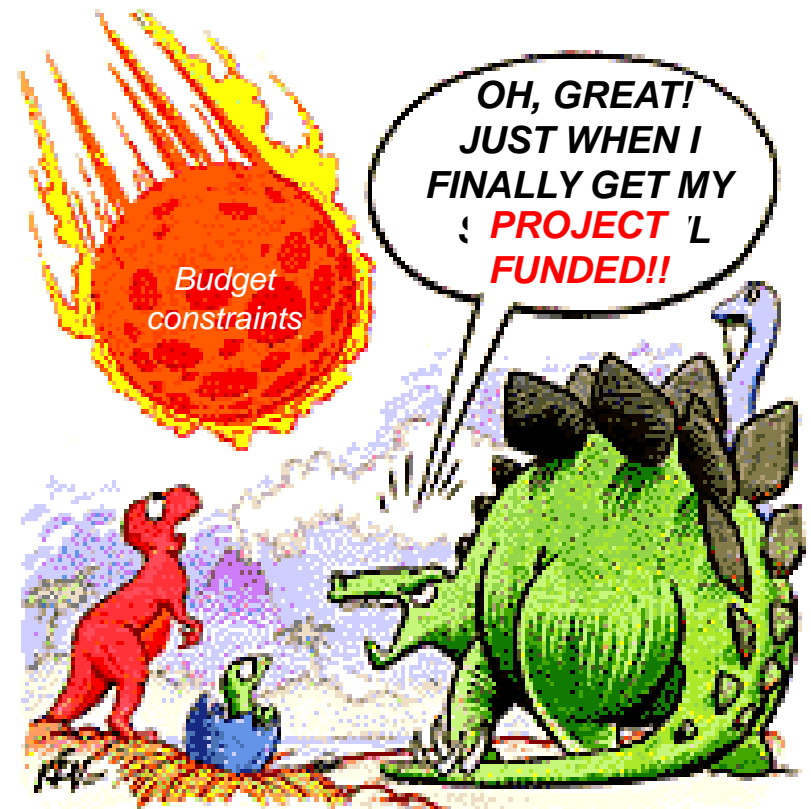
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