

OBJECT STORAGE @ MPCDF - USAGE AND USE-CASES

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WHAT IS MPCDF OBJECT STORAGE



- Scaleable object storage services, compatible* with the Amazon S3 protocol.
- Solutions for Projects / Individual users
- Globally available
- Policies
 - → Data Access
 - → Data Lifecycle
 - → Versioning
- Temp URLs
 - → Time limited URL for download/upload

* Full coverage of the AWS S3 API functionality is not guaranteed

OBJECT STORAGE (PROJECTS)

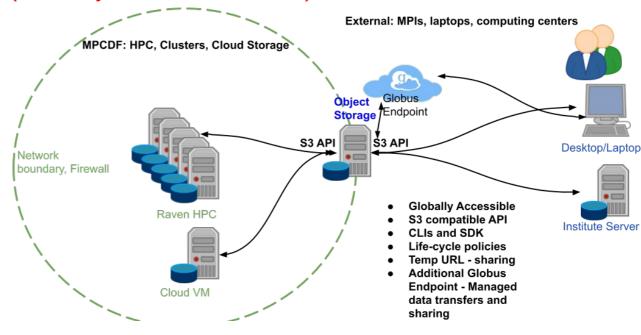






Large scale data transfer and sharing (For Projects 10s-100s TiBs)

- Object Storage (2020*)
 - → S3 compatible API
 - PUT/GET data
 - Policies (life-cycles, versioning etc)
 - Sharing (temp urls)
 - → Globus on roadmap
 - → 11PiB Total storage
 - → Project based access (Rental)
- Use-Cases
 - Services with native S3 backend
 - → Data Analytics (DVC, DataLad)
 - → Global Project Data Store
 - → Share/Publish Datasets



Global Access:

- Services in MPCDF and external
- Many services and tools

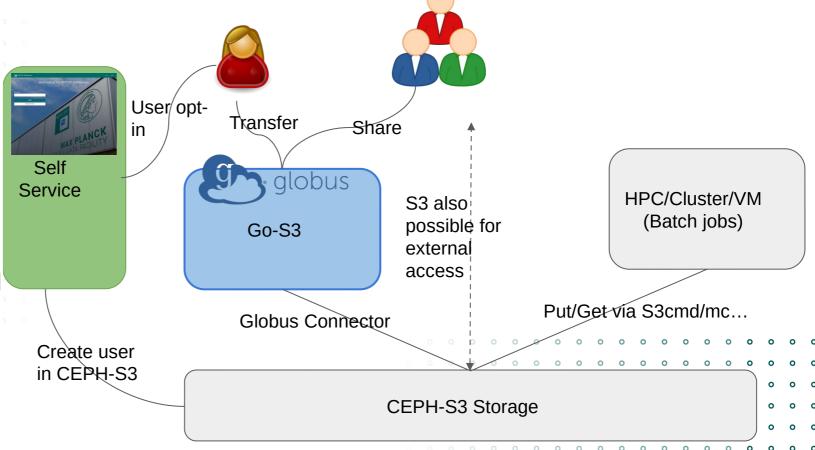
* Available since 2020 Extension in 2023

NEXUS-S3 (USERS)



Permanent S3 / Object Storage for users

- Nexus-S3 (soon...)
 - → Object Storage for users
 - → S3 API
 - → Globus Enabled
 - → 1TiB free data
- Workflow
 - → User self-service opt-in
 - → Account created in CEPH
 - S3 from batch and external
 - Data Transfer/Share via Globus



S3 and Globus access same storage = Best of both worlds

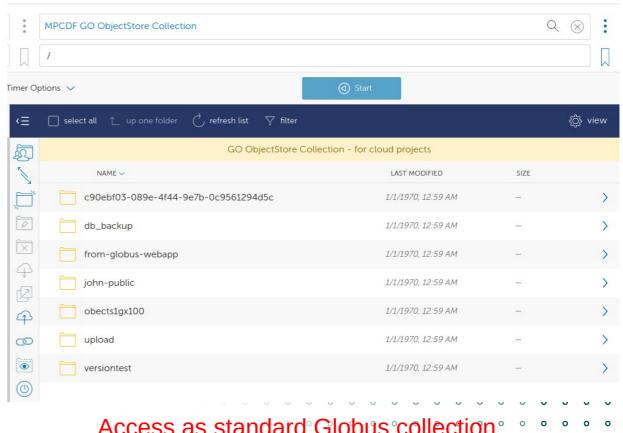
HOW TO ACCESS OBJECT **STORAGE**





- A range of CLI tools
 - → Rclone, s3cmd, minio
 - → Rclone, minio modules available
- API
 - → SDKs in go, python, ruby...
 - → Boto3 python library
- Globus





Access as standard Globus

USE-CASES



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 - Collect data from batch jobs, or external systems
- Data Sharing
 - → Public bucket
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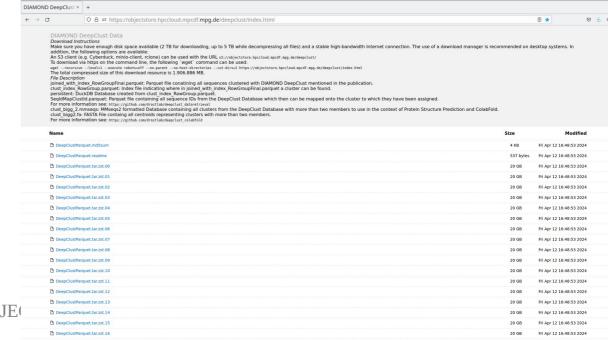
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