VO-CLOUD upgrade
Integration of Spark, Jupyter and HDFS in a UWS-driven cloud service

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Concept of scientific „CLOUD“

ITERATIVE REPEATING of SAME computation (workflow)

Machine Learning (of emission line profiles of LAMOST)

LARGE stable INPUT data + small changing PARAMS

Many runs on SAME data (tuning required)

Graphics visualization from postprocessed output (text) files

Using WWW browser - supercomputing in PDA/mobil

Czech Technical University in Prague
Faculty of Information Technology
Department of Software Engineering

Bachelor's thesis

VO-KOREL, server for astronomical cloud computing

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Design and implementation of a distributed platform for data mining of big astronomical spectra archives

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Master's thesis

Interactive Cloud-Based Platform for Parallelized Machine Learning of Astronomical Big Data

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VO-CLOUD Architecture

Distributed engine

MASTER (frontend)

- Database of users and their experiments
- Visualization
- Scheduling
- Load balancing
- SHARED DATA STORAGE - controlled access (Big Data)

WORKERS (backend)

- Computation [+ output for visualization]

Sources of Spectra

Getting spectra + store

(restricted access – big files)

Files

UPLOAD from given local directory (recursive)

DOWNLOAD by http + index, FTP (recursive)

VOTable

UPLOAD VOTable (e.g. prepared in TOPCAT - meta)

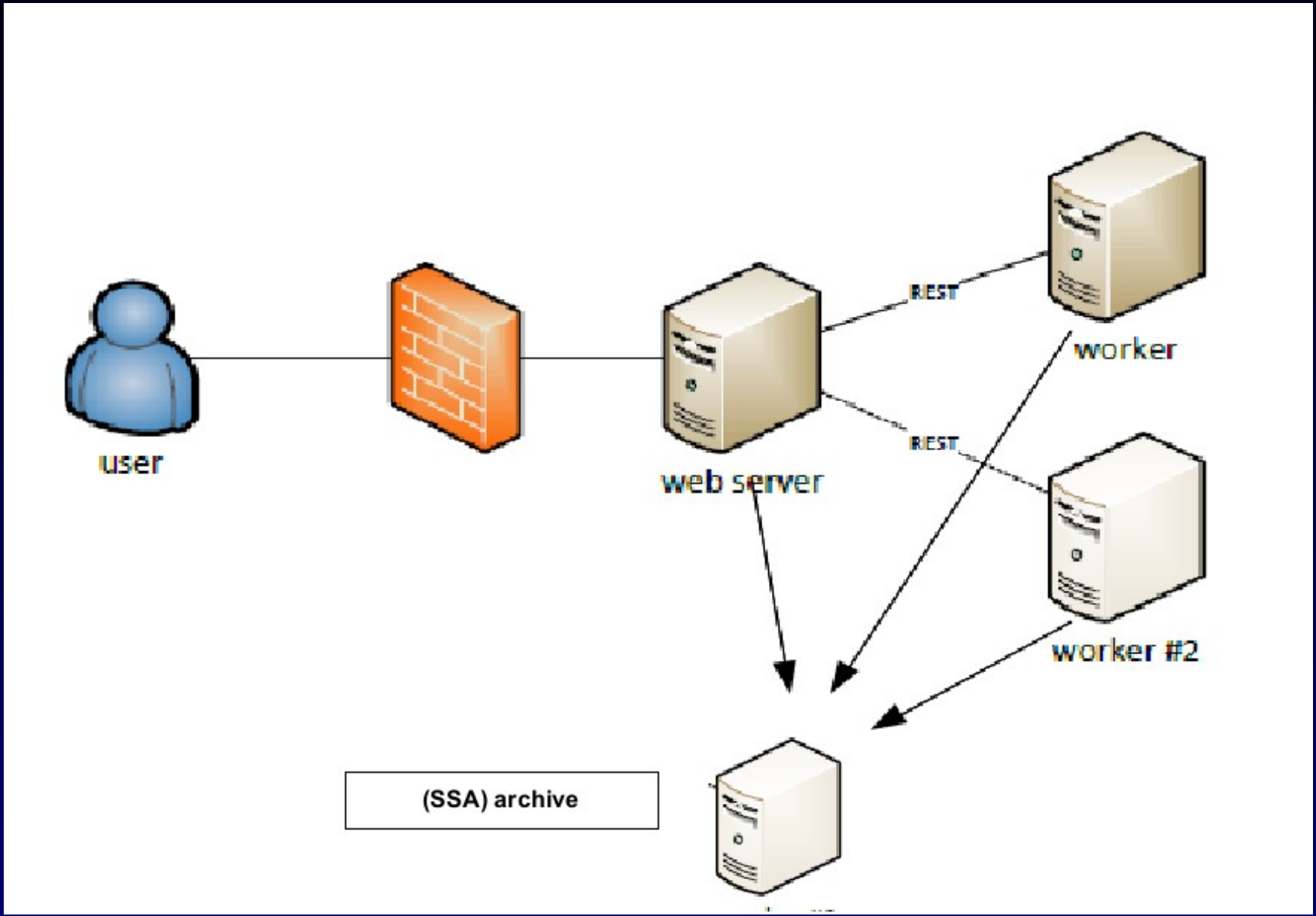
REMOTE VOTable

SSAP query + Accref

+ DataLink + SODA

SAMP control - send to SPLAT

Machine Learning of BIG Archive



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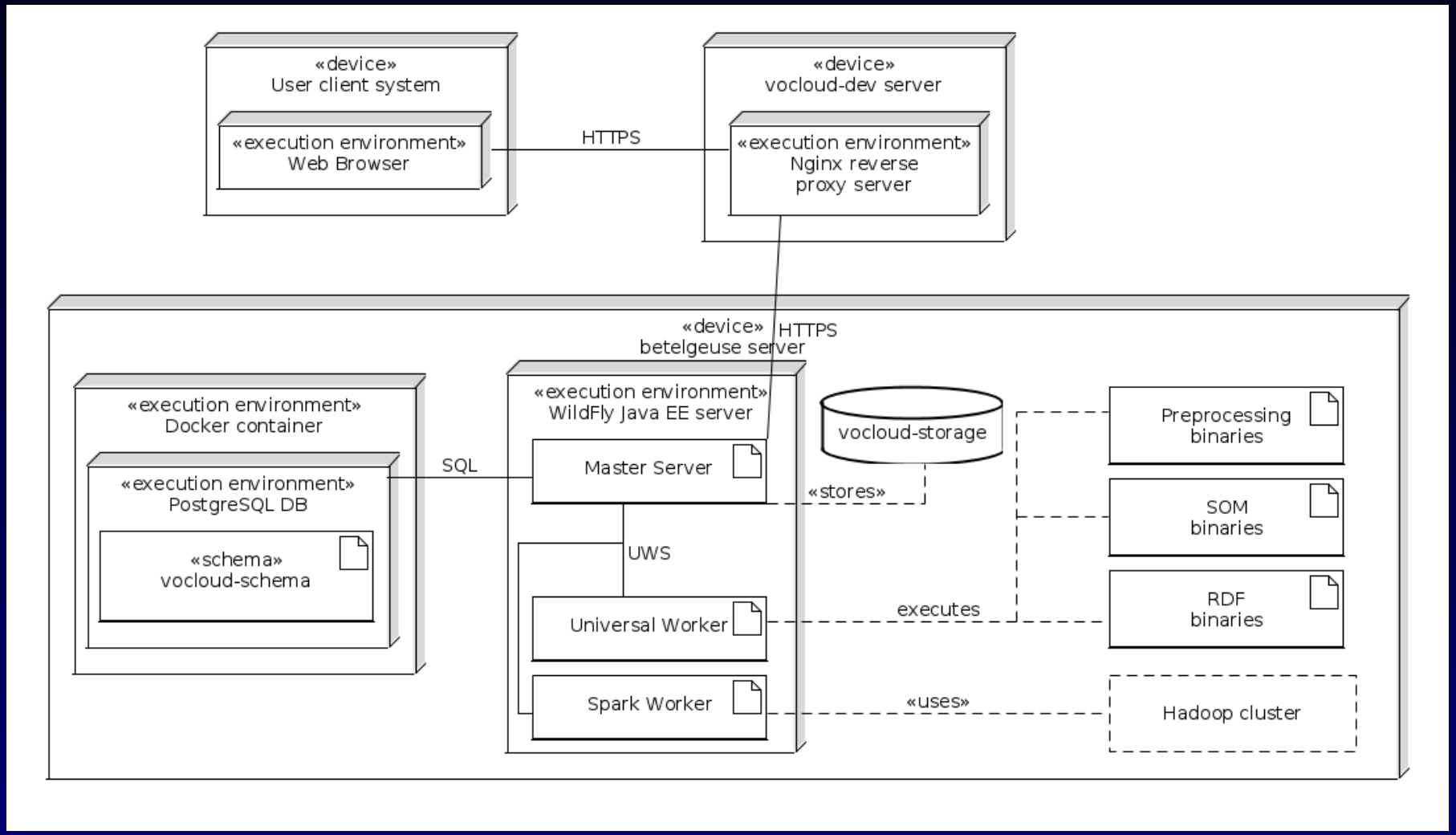

SOM Worker example

VO-CLOUD DETAILS OF JOB

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AllSpecOndSOM

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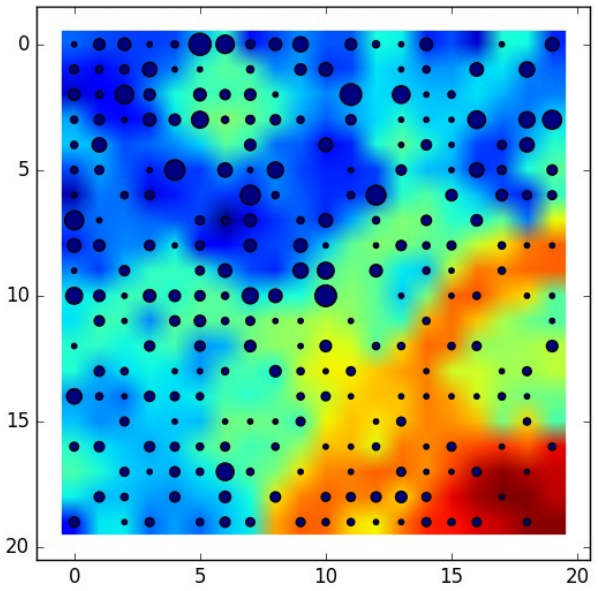
Run again | Delete

Preview

index.html - Fullscreen



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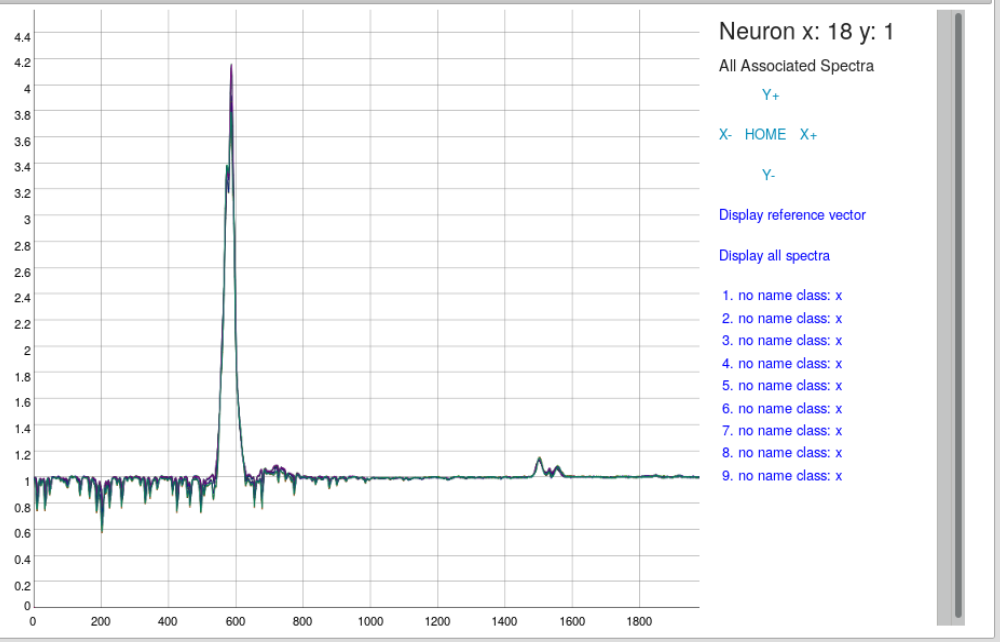

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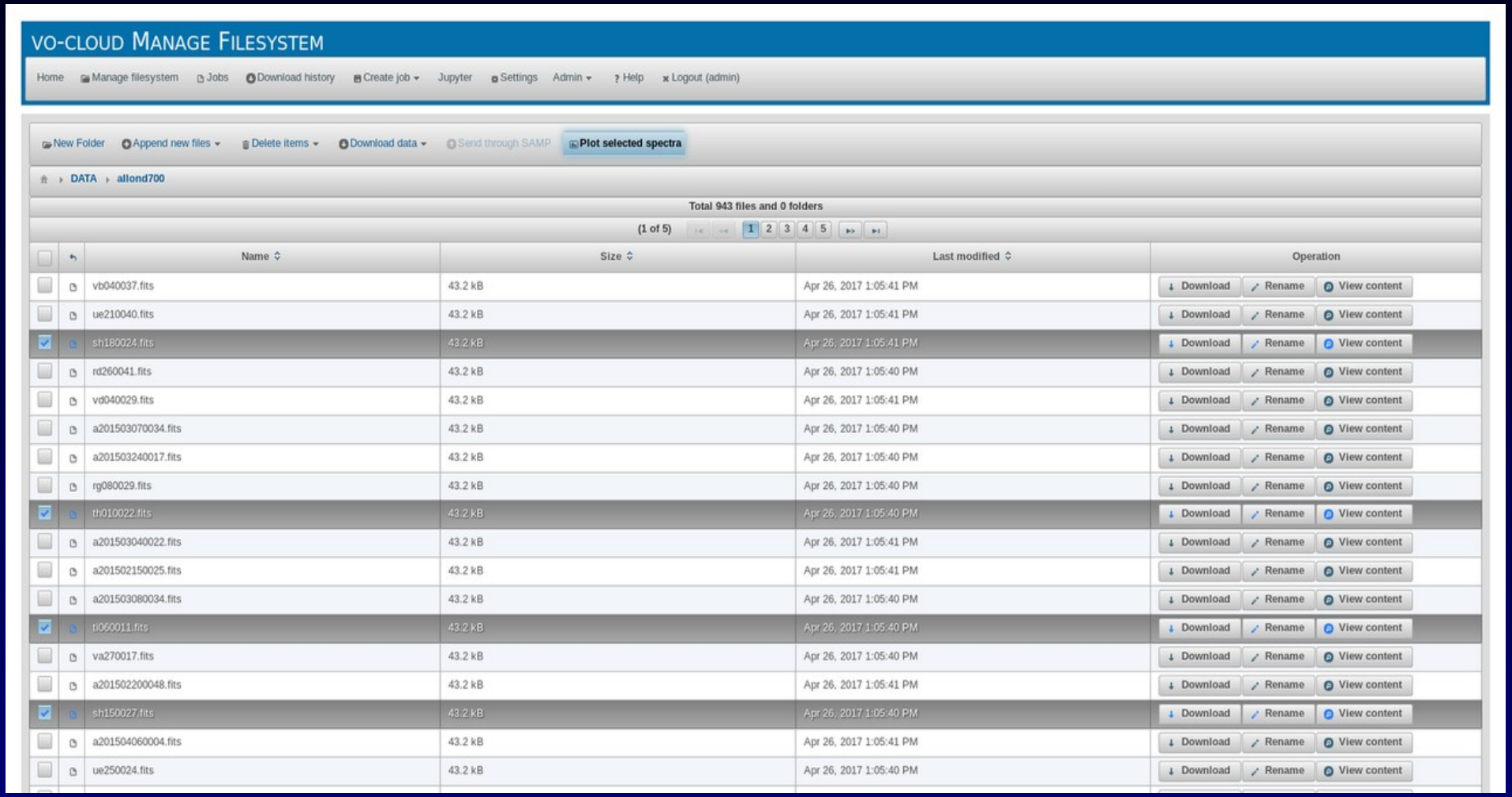
VO-CLOUD spectra visualisation

- Big Data visualization (thousands spectra)
- Implemented in Python using Matplotlib
- Can visualise multiple selected spectra files
- Figure generated on server-side and then transfered to client
- User can use panning, zooming and export to different formats
- Uses WebSocket for server-client communication

VO-CLOUD spectra visualisation



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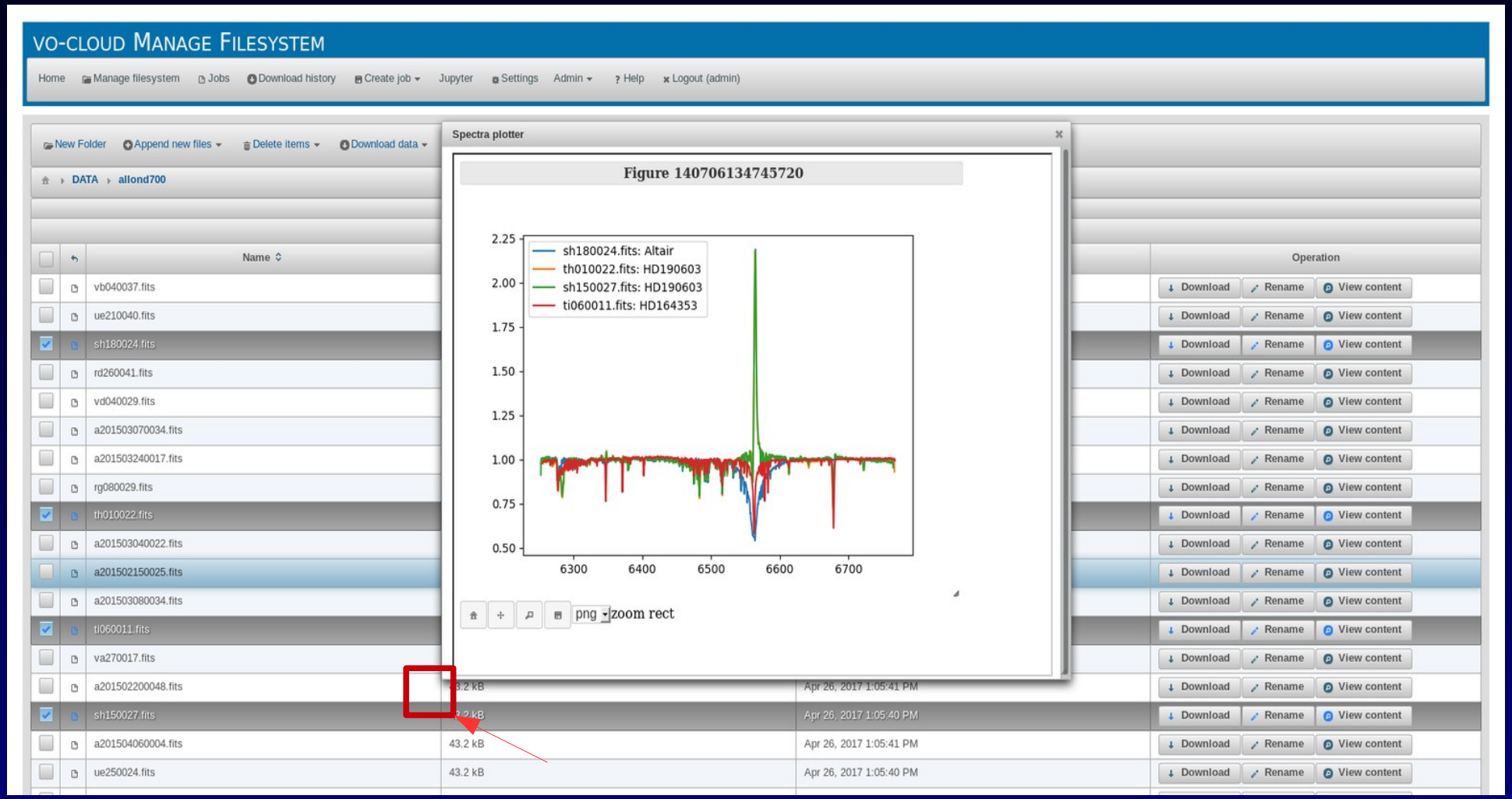
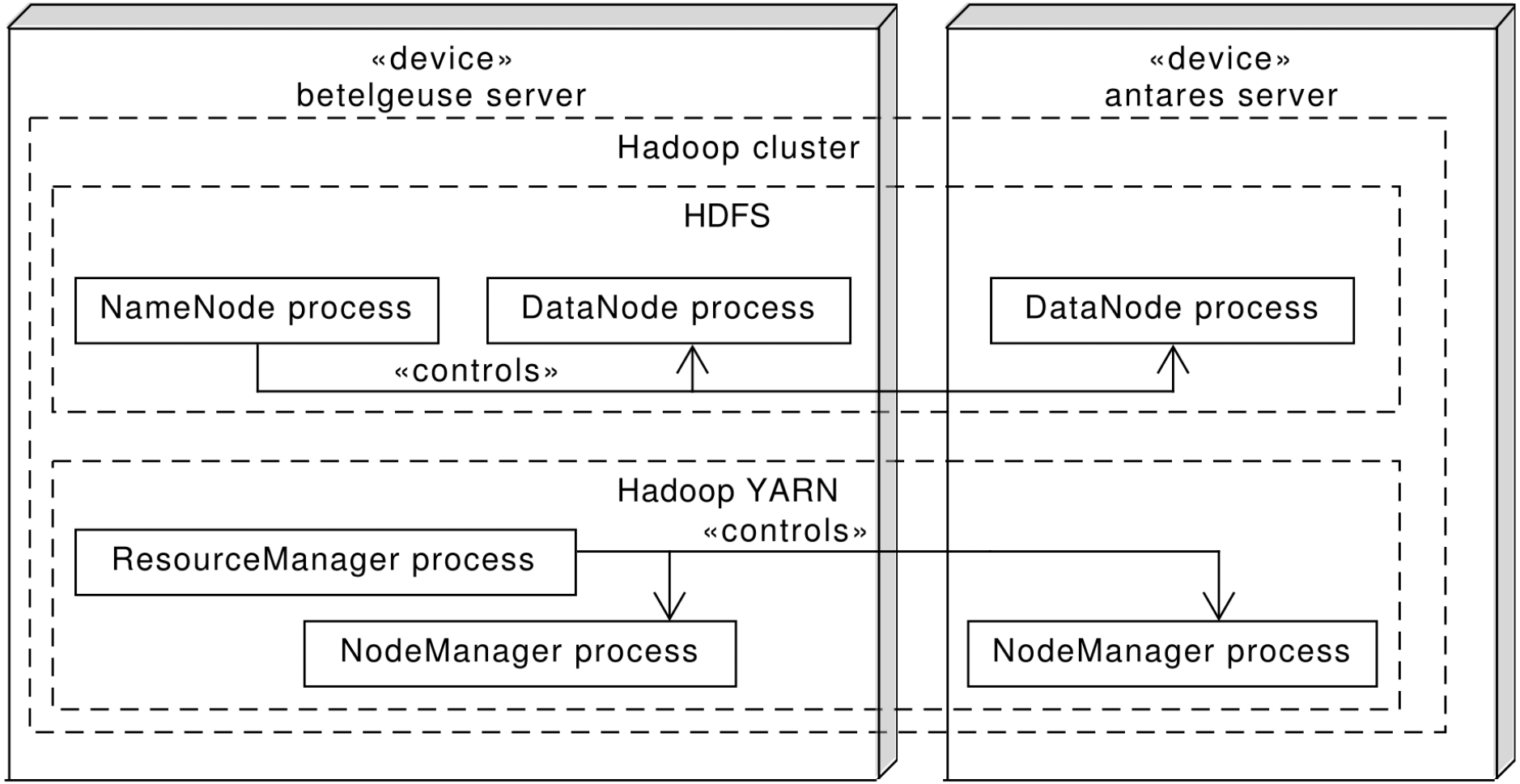


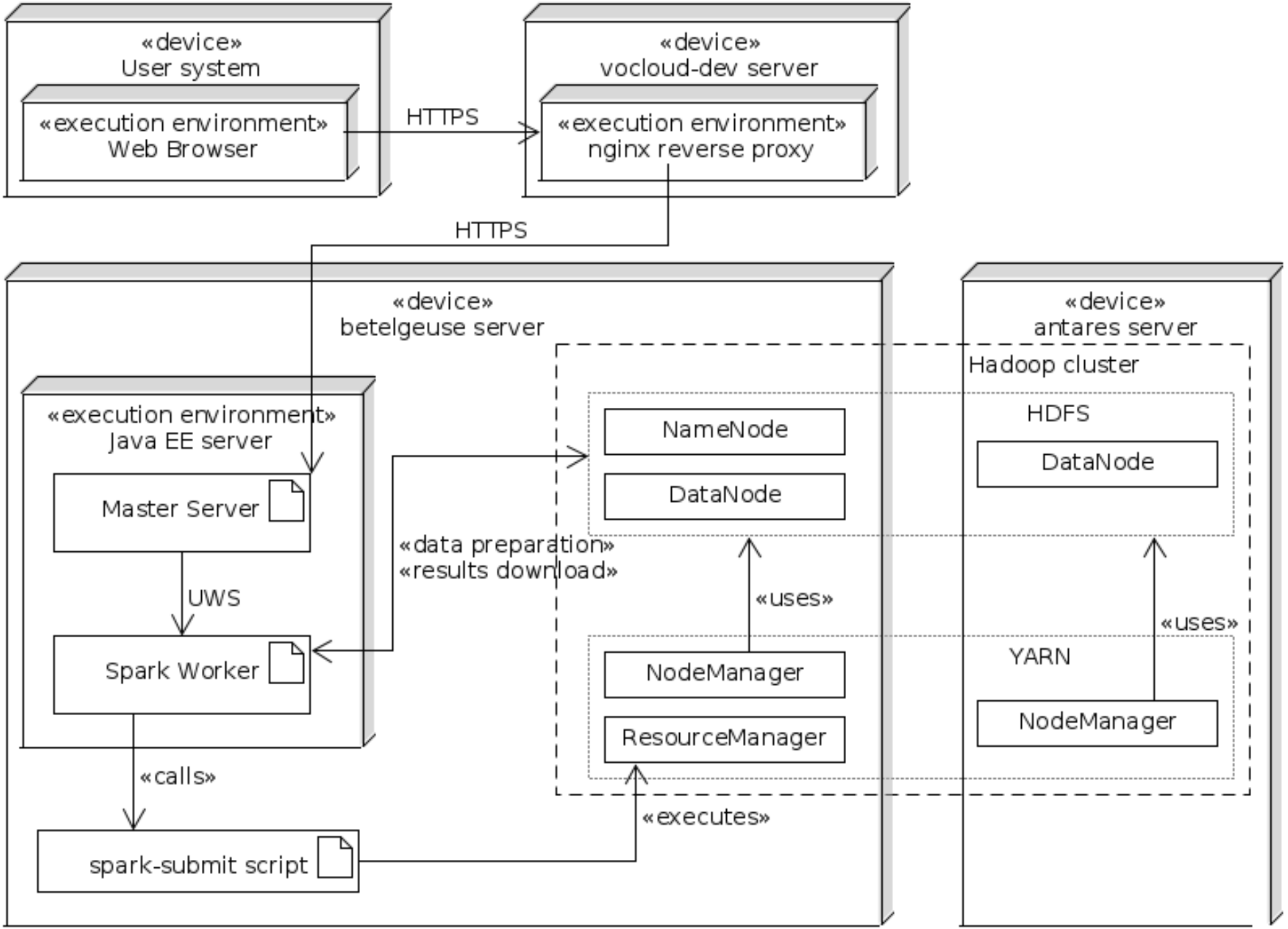
VO-CLOUD spectra visualisation

Hadoop cluster infrastructure

- HDFS – Distributed filesystem utilized as a storage in Hadoop/Spark jobs
  - NameNode – One process per cluster. Contains information about all files saved inside HDFS
  - DataNode – One process per each node in cluster. Stores individual file data blocks.
- YARN – Resource manager and scheduler for Hadoop/Spark jobs.
  - ResourceManager – Main process managing resources and scheduling jobs. One process per cluster.
  - NodeManager – Process executing assigned work on each node. One process per each cluster node.
  - Problem of millions of small files (FITS) – Apache AVRO (Sequence files)

Hadoop cluster deployment

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Master Server
UWS
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Spark Worker in VO-CLOUD

- Accepts JSON configuration
- Downloads requested files from the Master server to HDFS
- Executes spark-submit script using implicit parameters or parameters present in JSON configuration
- Awaits spark-submit script completion
- Downloads requested files from the HDFS

- Master FILESYSTEM – NFS emulation for HDFS

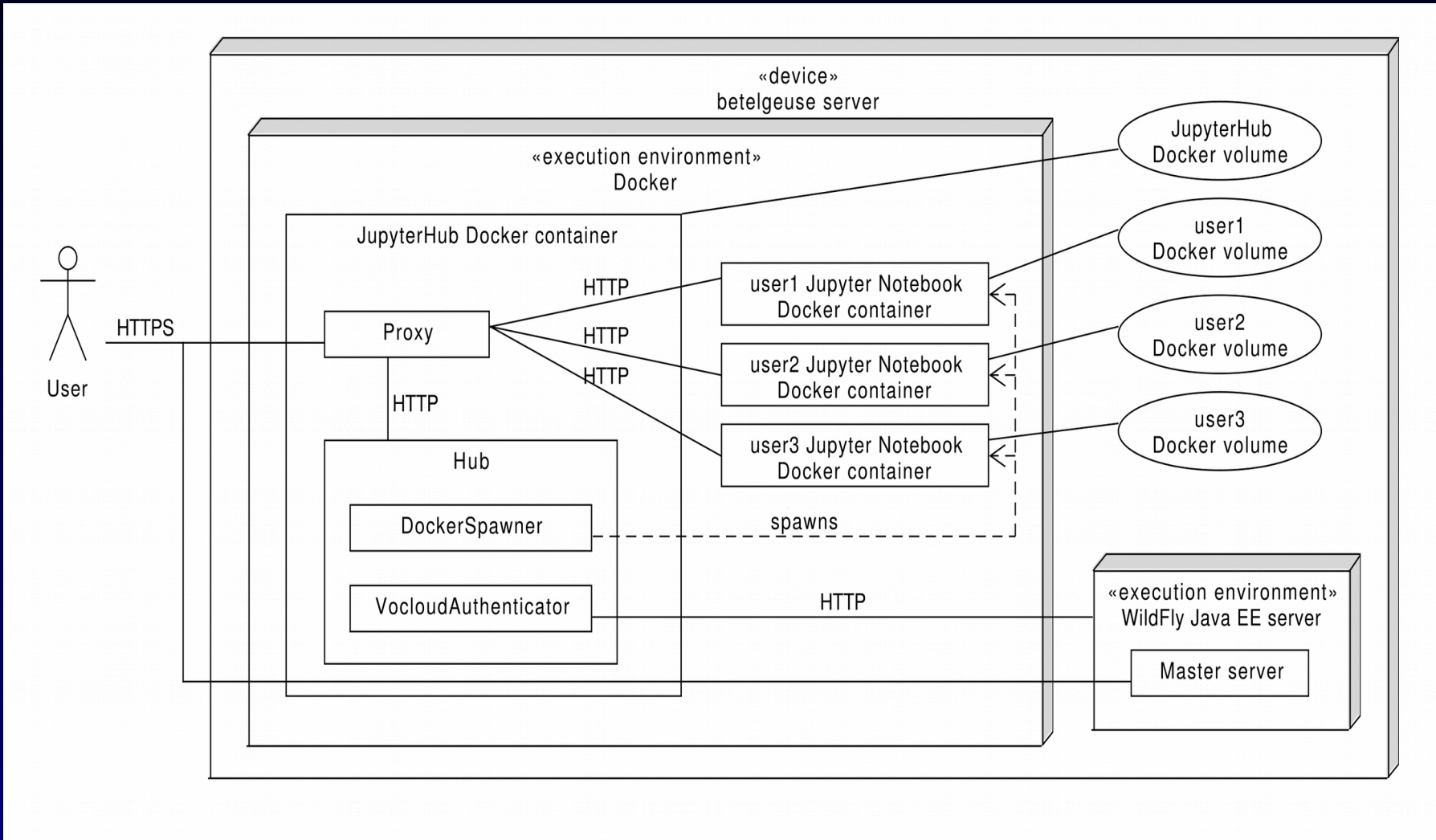
JupyterHub

- Consists of Proxy, Hub and individual Jupyter Notebook server instances
- One Jupyter Notebook server instance per authenticated user
- JupyterHub runs as Docker container
- JupyterHub spawns additional Docker containers – one for each Jupyter Notebook server instance
- Users are isolated from each other and from hosting system itself

JupyterHub authentication

1) VO-CLOUD generates temporal token and passes it to user‘s web browser
2) Web browser uses username and token for JupyterHub authentication
3) JupyterHub uses vocloud-authenticator package for authentication
4) Authenticator asks VO-CLOUD whether token is valid for relevant username
5) JupyterHub spawns new Docker container with the new Jupyter Notebook server instance for the user

JupyterHub deployment



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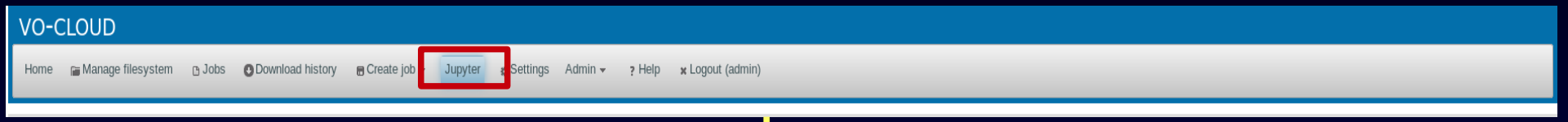

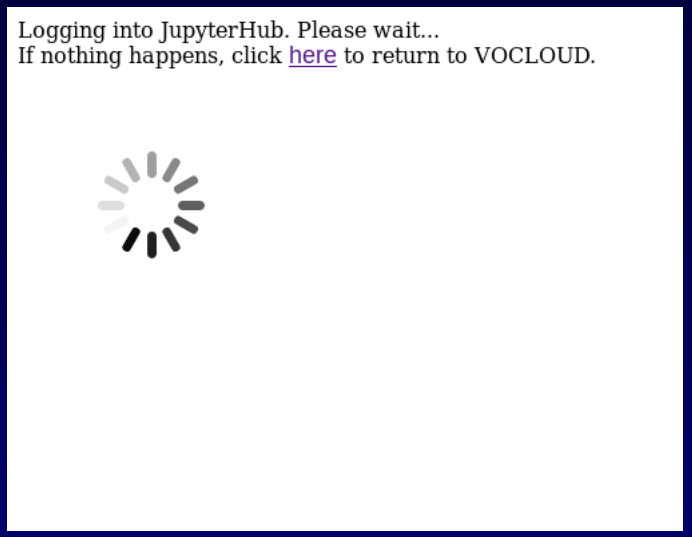

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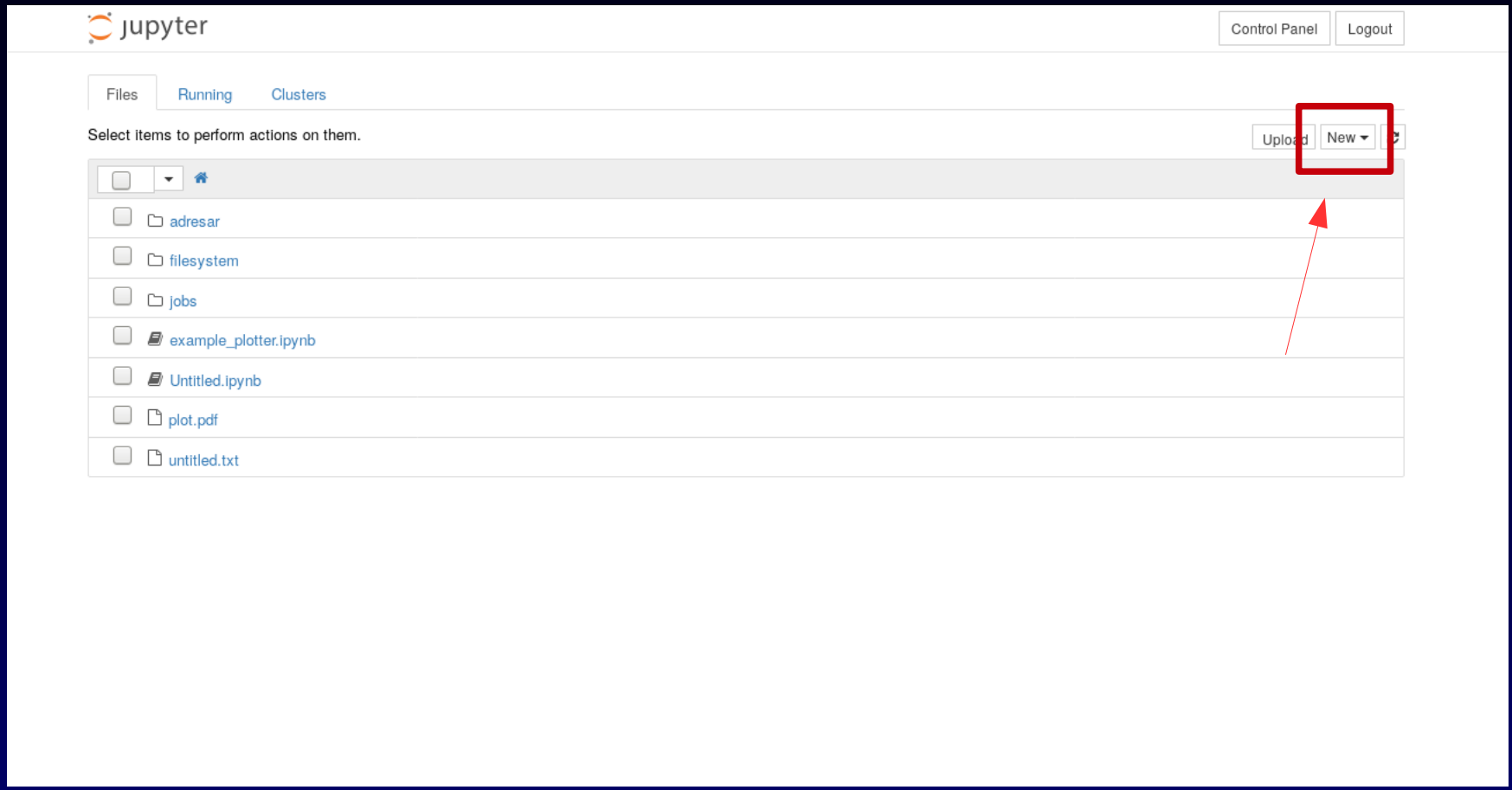

JupyterHub example

jupyter example_plotter Last Checkpoint: 05/06/2017 (unsaved changes)

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Code | CellToolbar

In [7]:
```
path='filesystem/DATA/allond700/'
spectra=['sh180024.fits','th010022.fits','ti060011.fits','sh150027.fits']
files=[path + i for i in spectra]
files
```

Out[7]:
```
['filesystem/DATA/allond700/sh180024.fits',
 'filesystem/DATA/allond700/th010022.fits',
 'filesystem/DATA/allond700/ti060011.fits',
 'filesystem/DATA/allond700/sh150027.fits']
```

In [13]:
```
parsed = [parse_spectrum_file(i) for i in files]
parsed[0]
```

Out[13]:
```
{'flux': array([ 0.97623893,  0.97816423,  0.98200884, ...,  0.99071508,
         0.99049042,  0.98766227]),
 'name': 'Altair',
 'wave': array([ 6252.48405443,  6252.74072204,  6252.99738965, ...,  6764.27926559,
         6764.53593319,  6764.7926008 ])}
```

In [12]:
```
for i in parsed:
    plt.plot(i['wave'], i['flux'])
plt.xlabel('wavelength [Ångström]')
plt.ylabel('flux')
```

Out[12]:
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<matplotlib.text.Text at 0x7f7f108b8550>
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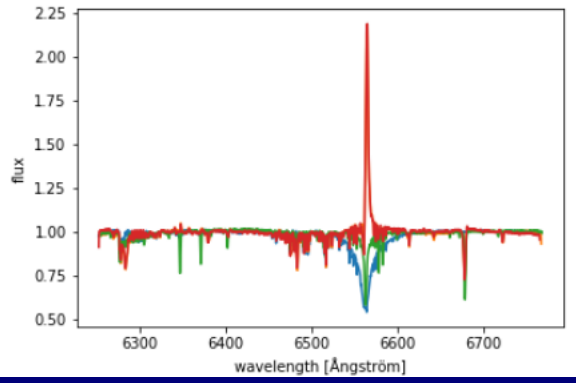

Conclusions

- VO-CLOUD is now very powerful machine learning environment capable of visualization of Big data
- It can spawn jobs on remote Spark cluster
- Provides sandbox for playing with big data in Jupyter notebook ON BIG SERVER (memory, CPU, GPU)

  but
- Still missing important capabiliites
    - AVRO not part of Spark-worker
    - Using Docker but so far not deployable as a docker (compose)
    - Combines Java EE + Python (+ Scala)
- Focused on Machine learning of 1D vectors (spectra, time series) employing VO technology and protocols

Source Code

https://github.com/vodev/vocloud