

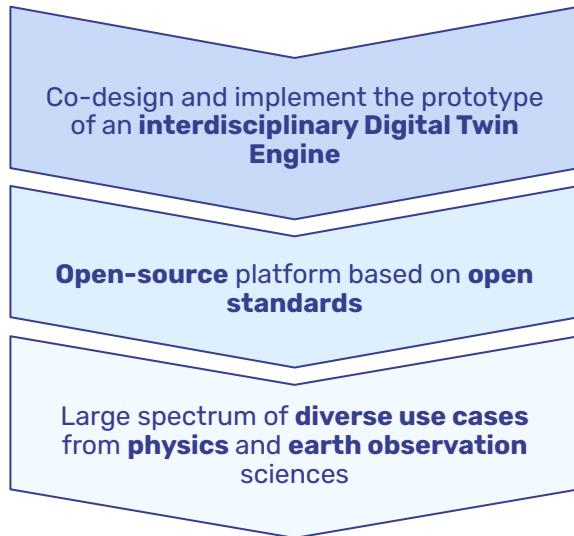


# AI workflow lifecycle on Digital Twins for multi-sciences



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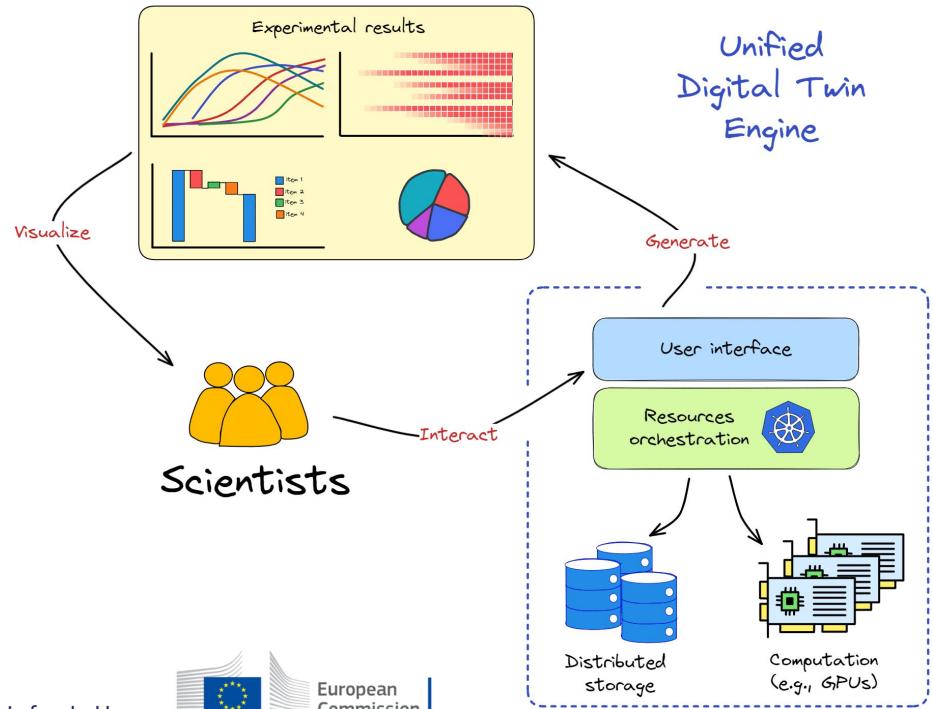


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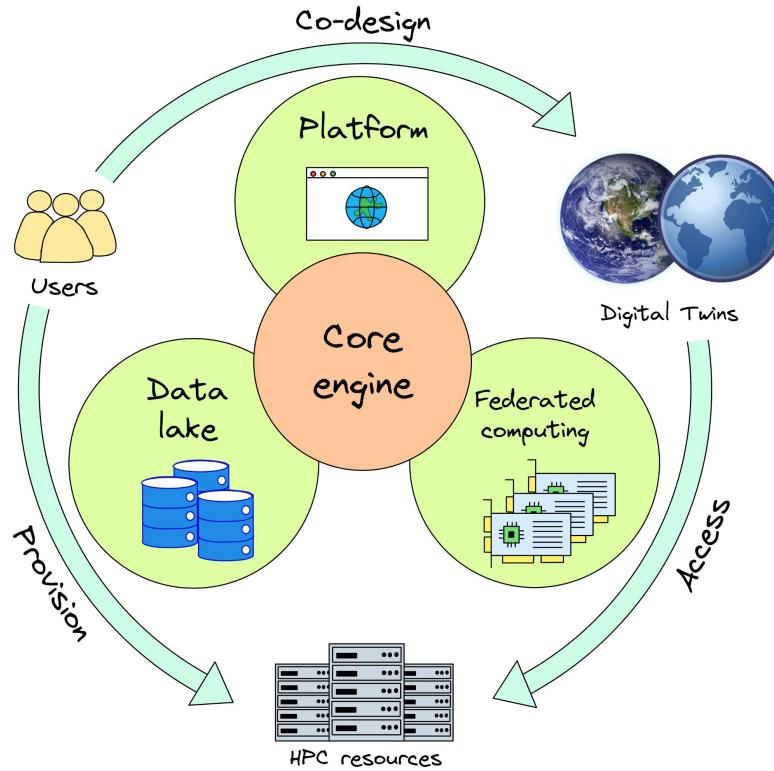
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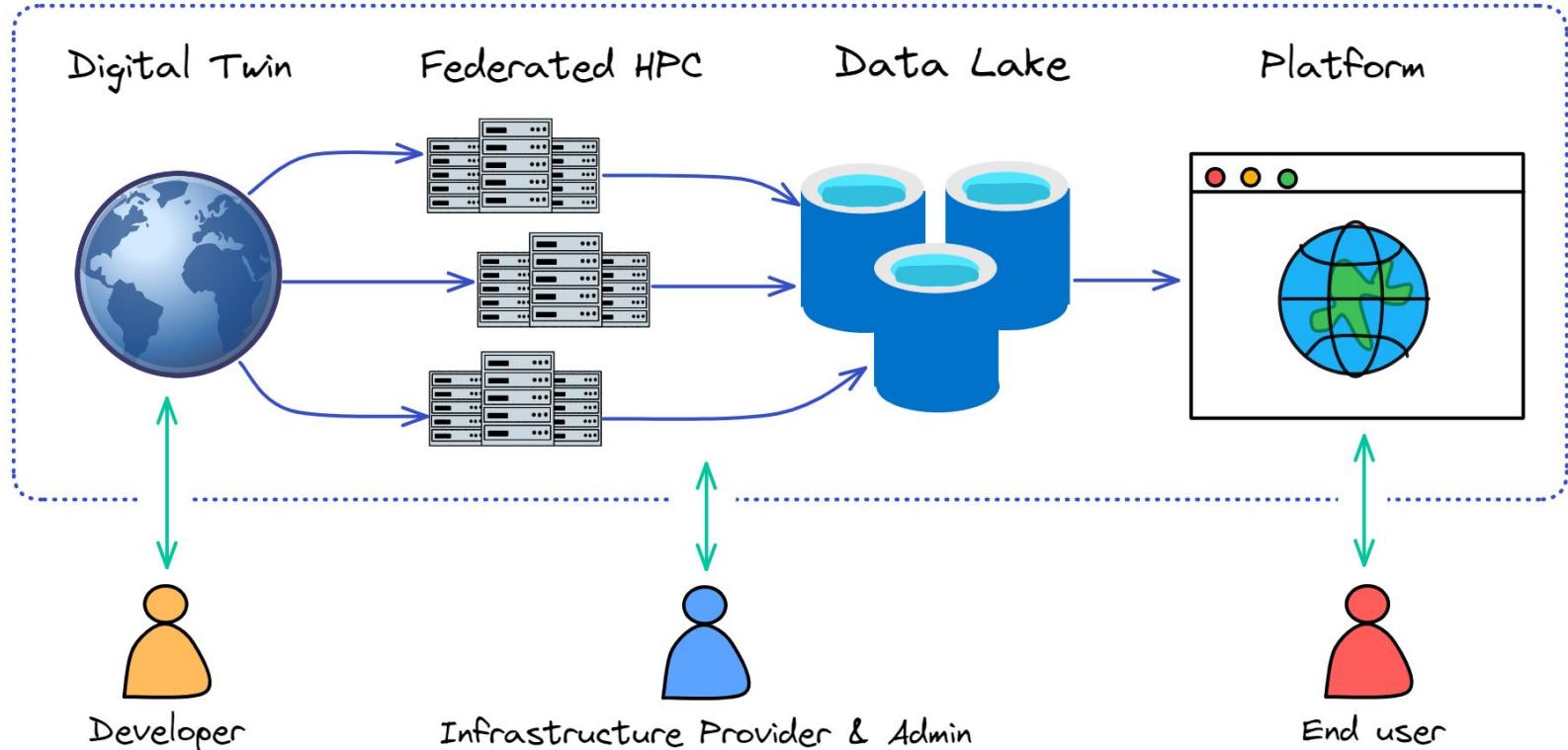
Website: <https://www.intertwin.eu/>



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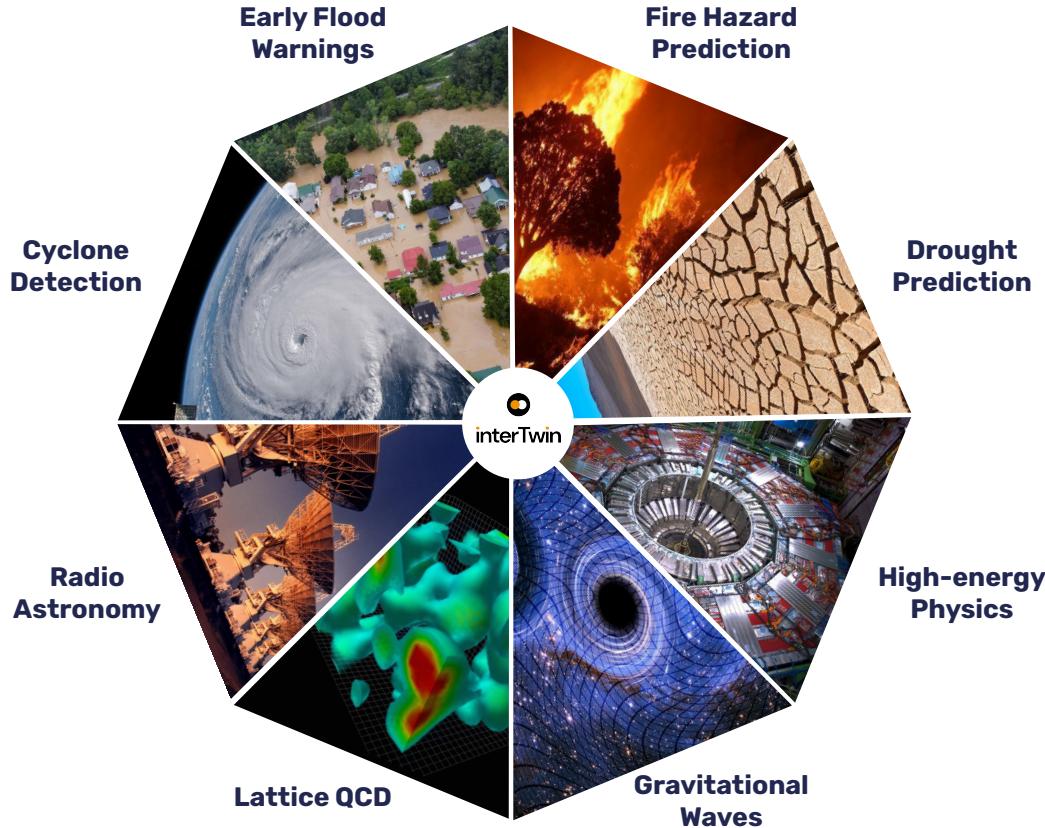




# Multi-sciences DTs



# interTwin use cases



# Earth Observation Use Cases in InterTwin

**Cyclone Detection**  
CMCC, CNRS, Univ. of  
Torino



**Fire Hazard Map  
Generation**  
CMCC, CNRS, Univ. of  
Torino



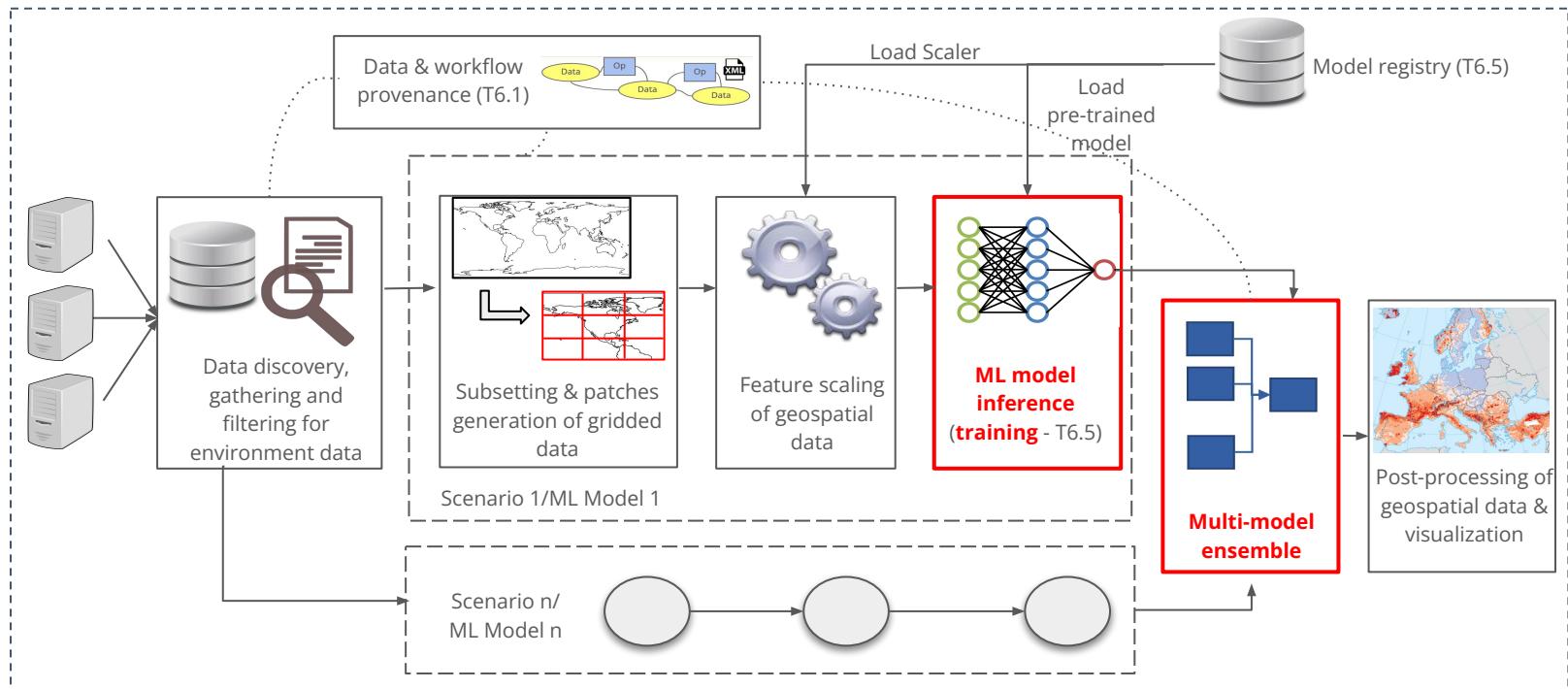
**Early Flood Warnings**  
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**Drought Prediction**  
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# Climate Change Future Projections of Extreme Events

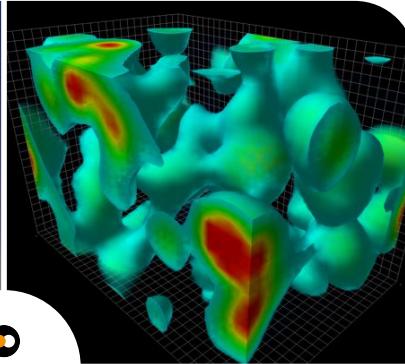


# Physics Use Cases in InterTwin

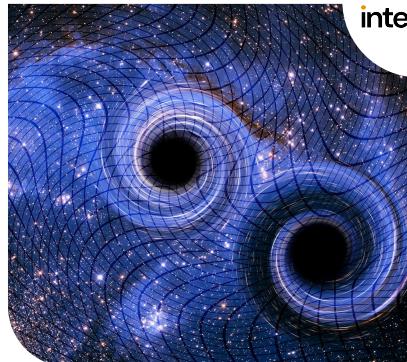
**Radio Astronomy**  
Univ. of Heidelberg,  
Max Planck Society



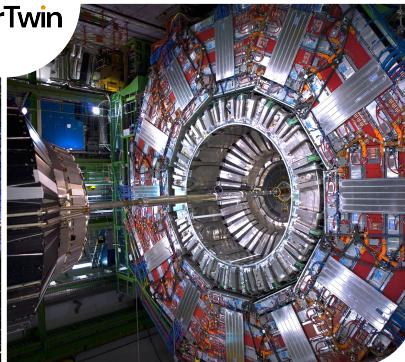
**Lattice QCD**  
CSIC, CNRS



**Gravitational Wave  
Astronomy**  
INFN



**High Energy Physics**  
CERN, CNRS



# DT of Particle Detector

## Detector Prototyping & Optimization

Build data-driven tool that **simulates detector response** and integrates operation conditions from experimental setups (test-beams).

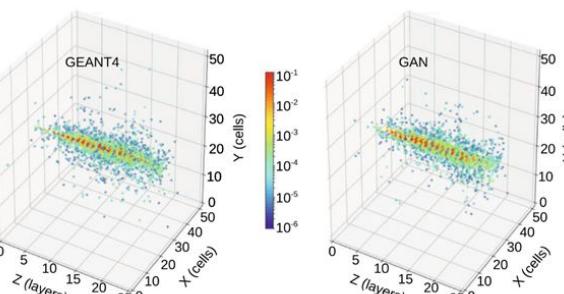
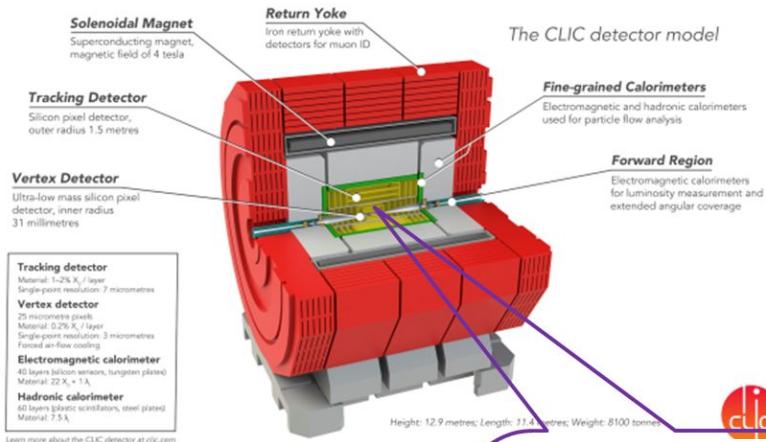
## Online ML for Detectors

Adapt **real-time** detector and/or data acquisition configuration with respect to run conditions

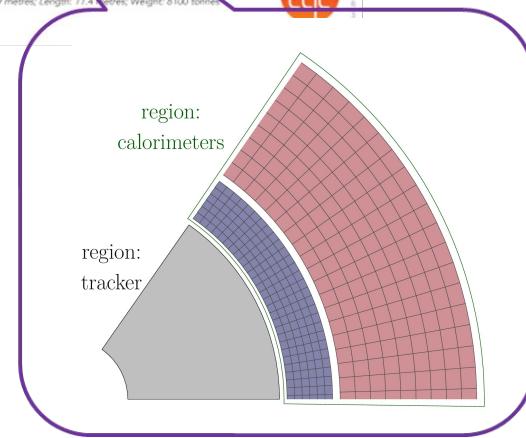
## Quality verification & Validation frameworks

Model convergence and accuracy of the generated data should be monitored.

Development of sample-based validation framework in collaboration with HEP community.



Fast Simulation of a High Granularity Calorimeter by Generative Adversarial Networks. Gul Rukh Khattak et al.  
<https://arxiv.org/abs/2109.07388> DOI: <https://doi.org/10.48550/arXiv.2109.07388>



# Benefits of interdisciplinary approach

- **Collaboration:** Increase in cross-community development efforts and unification of frameworks used - “breaking down silos”.
- **Portability:** Run DT workflows infrastructure agnostic across multiple HPC centers in Europe.
- **Extensibility:** Easy addition of new use cases.
- **Modularity:** Customizable according to specific use case’s needs.





# DT Core Engine - ML capabilities



# Our contribution to the Core Engine

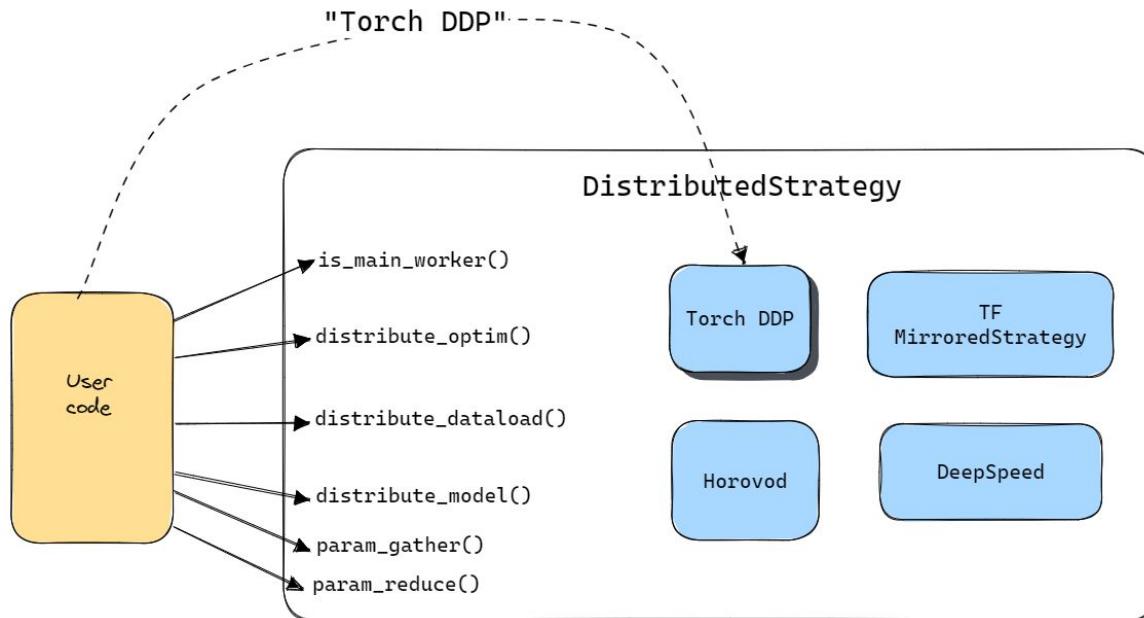
Support AI-based digital twin applications in science:

- **Reproducibility, Reusability, and Modularity**
- **Framework-independent** (e.g., PyTorch, TensorFlow, XGBoost, MLFlow, WandB)
- **UX/UI**: user-friendly GUI (e.g., JupyterLab)
- Off-the-shelf AI tooling:
  - **Hyper-parameters optimization**
  - Scalability (e.g., **distributed ML**)
  - State of the Art **models repository**
- **Seamless access to infrastructure** (cloud and HPC resources)



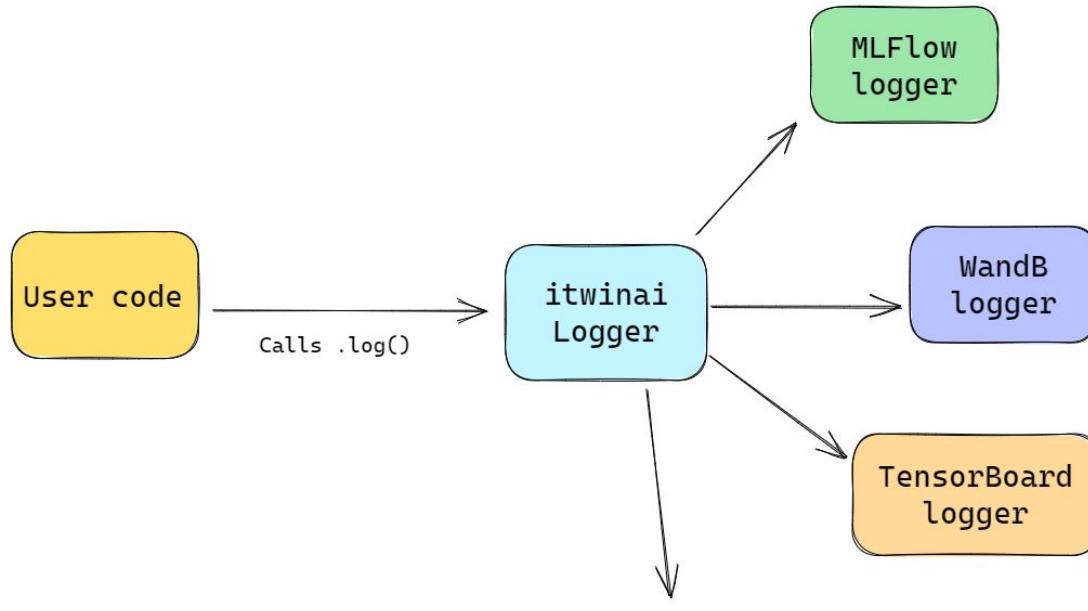
# Our contribution to the Core Engine

## Unified distributed training (informal representation)

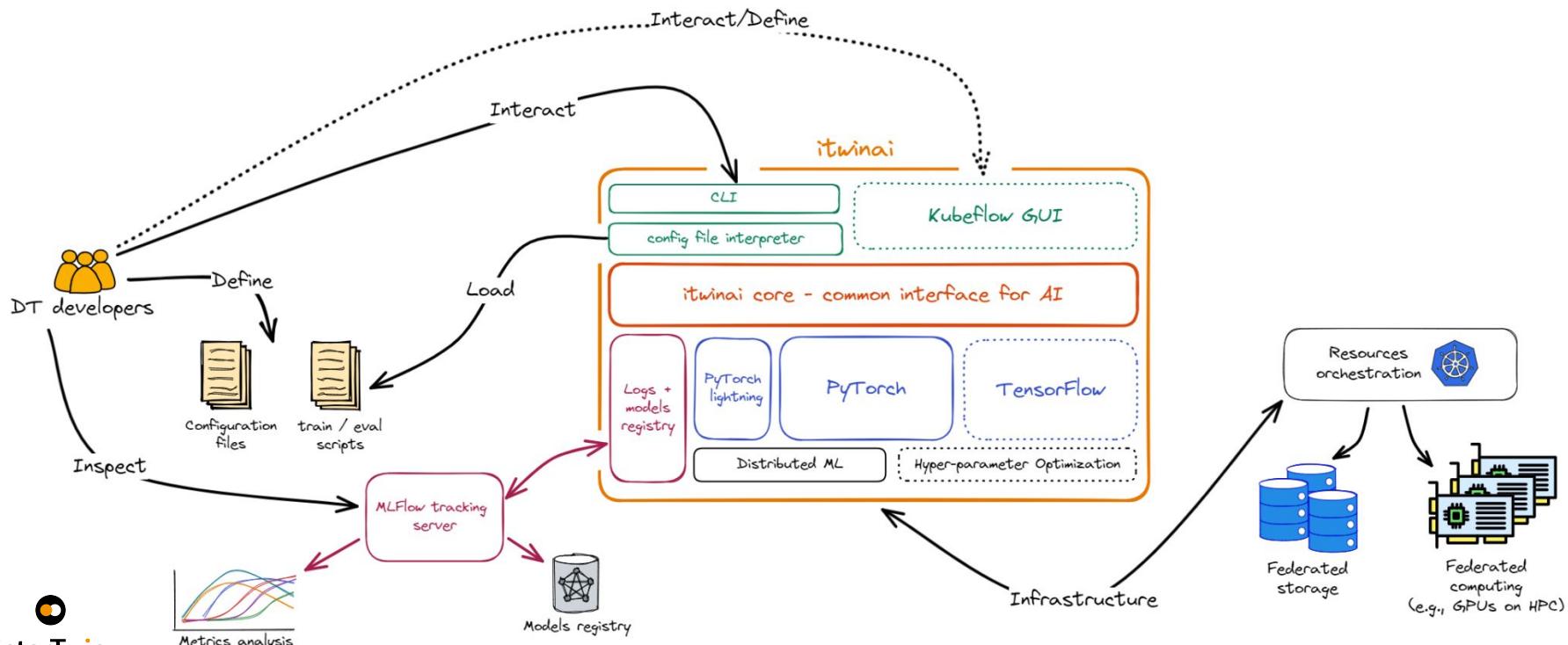


# Our contribution to the Core Engine

**Generic logger** (informal representation)



# Itwinai - ML tooling for DT applicaitons



# UX/UI: KubeFlow

The screenshot shows the KubeFlow user interface. The left sidebar has a dark blue background with white icons and text. Two items are highlighted with red boxes: 'Notebooks' and 'Pipelines'. The main content area is titled 'Dashboard' and contains three main sections:

- Recent Notebooks:**
  - 3DGAN-CERN.ipynb (Accessed 12/13/2023, 1:05:58 PM)
  - kf-pipeline.yaml (Accessed 12/13/2023, 1:04:05 PM)
- Recent Pipelines:**
  - [Tutorial] DSL - Control structures (Created 12/13/2023, 12:33:56 PM)
  - [Tutorial] Data passing in python components (Created 12/13/2023, 12:33:55 PM)
- Recent Pipeline Runs:**
  - kf-pipeline.yaml 2023-12-13 12-04-08 (Created 12/13/2023, 1:04:08 PM)

**Documentation** sidebar:

- Getting Started with Kubeflow**: Get your machine-learning workflow up and running on Kubeflow.
- Minik8s**: A fast and easy way to deploy Kubeflow locally.
- Microk8s for Kubeflow**: Quickly get Kubeflow running locally on native hypervisors.
- Kubeflow on GCP**: Running Kubeflow on Kubernetes Engine and Google Cloud Platform.
- Kubeflow on AWS**: Running Kubeflow on Elastic Container Service and Amazon Web Services.
- Requirements for Kubeflow**: Get more detailed information about using Kubeflow and its components.

# UX/UI: KubeFlow and JupyterLab

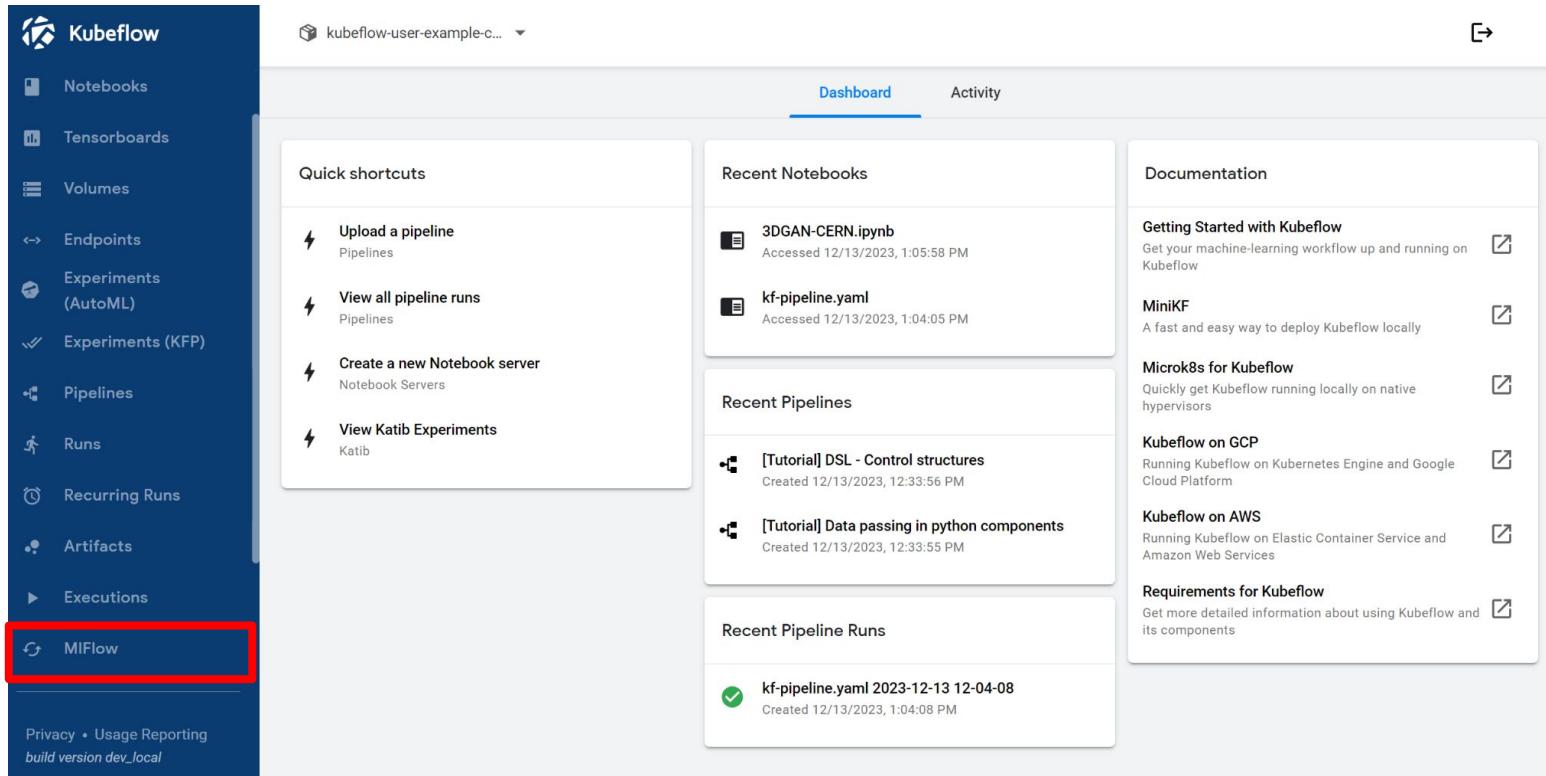
The screenshot shows the interTwIn workspace interface. On the left, there is a sidebar with a file browser, a launcher, and other tools. The main area has two tabs: 'Launcher' and '3DGAN-CERN.ipynb'. The 'Launcher' tab shows a list of notebooks, including '3DGAN-CE...' and 'Y: kf-pipeline...', both created 'a day ago'. The '3DGAN-CERN.ipynb' tab is active, displaying a Jupyter Notebook titled '3DGAN use case for particles detector simulation' under the 'Configuration' section. The code cell [1] contains:from kfp import dsl  
tdgan\_image = "ghcr.io/intertwin-eu/itwinai-3dgan-inference:0.0.3-light-2"The 'Components' section lists steps 1 and 2: 'Load and preprocess dataset' and 'Train 3DGAN generative model'. The code cell [2] contains:from kfp.dsl import Input, Output, Artifact  
  
@dsl.component(base\_image=tdgan\_image)  
def dataloader(particles\_dataset: Output[Artifact]):  
 from itwinai.components import load\_pipeline\_step  
 print(f"Save path: {particles\_dataset.path}")  
 dataloading\_step = load\_pipeline\_step(  
 pipe='pipeline.yaml',  
 step\_id='dataloader\_step',  
 override\_keys={  
 'init\_args.data\_path': particles\_dataset.path  
 },  
 verbose=True  
 )  
 dataloading\_step()At the bottom, there are status indicators for the workspace.

# UX/UI: KubeFlow pipelines

The screenshot shows the KubeFlow web interface for managing machine learning pipelines. On the left, a sidebar menu is visible with various options: Notebooks, Tensorboards, Volumes, Endpoints, Experiments (AutoML), Experiments (KFP), Pipelines, Runs (highlighted with a red box), Recurring Runs, Artifacts, Executions, and MIFlow. Below the sidebar, there is a footer with links for Privacy, Usage Reporting, and build version dev\_local.

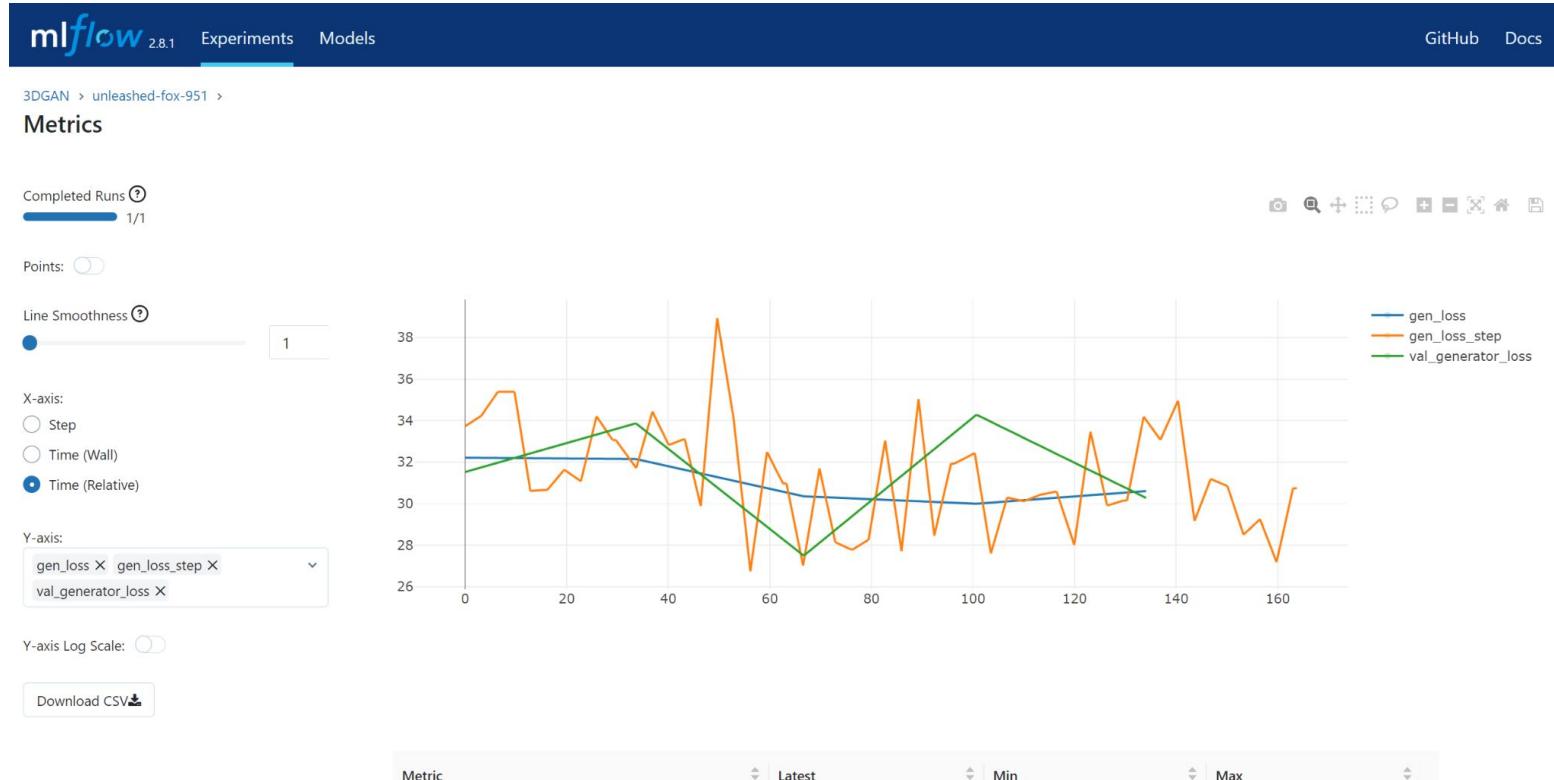
The main area displays a pipeline named kf-pipeline.yaml from December 13, 2023, at 12:04:08. The pipeline consists of three main components: **dataloader**, **particles\_dataset**, and **trainer**. The **dataloader** component is connected to the **particles\_dataset**, which is then connected to the **trainer**. All three components have green checkmarks indicating they are successful. The **trainer** component also has a folder icon next to it, representing an artifact. The pipeline graph is set against a light gray dotted background.

# UX/UI: KubeFlow and MLFlow



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# UX/UI: MLFlow logs



# UX/UI: MLFlow models registry

The screenshot shows the MLflow UI interface. At the top, there is a dark blue header with the 'mlflow' logo (blue text with a white outline) and the version '2.8.1'. Below the header, there are navigation links for 'Experiments' and 'Models', with 'Models' being underlined. The main content area has a breadcrumb navigation path: 'Registered Models > 3dgan-lite >'. Below this, the title 'Version 1' is displayed. On the left, there is a sidebar with expandable sections: 'Description' (with an 'Edit' link), 'Tags', and 'Schema' (with a 'Schema' link). To the right of the sidebar, there is a 'Stage:' dropdown menu set to 'None' with three options: 'Staging' (highlighted in orange), 'Production' (highlighted in green), and 'Archived'. Below the sidebar, there is a table with two columns: 'Name' and 'Type'. A message at the bottom of the table says 'No schema. See [MLflow docs](#) for how to include input and output schema with your model.'

# Latest news

Development status of itwinai library:

- Support for **PyTorch**, investigation towards **TensorFlow**
- **AI workflows**: exploration of **KubeFlow** Pipelines.
- **Distributed ML**: integration of existing strategies (e.g., DDP, Horovod, DeepSpeed)..
- **Link with the infrastructure**: Docker/Singularity container, offloaded through WP5's **interLink** on cloud/HPC systems.
- **ML logs and models**: MLFlow tracking



# Demo time

Demo video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NoVCfSxwtX0>

GitHub repository: <https://github.com/interTwin-eu/itwinai>

- For the moment, please refer to the “dev” branch: <https://github.com/interTwin-eu/itwinai/tree/dev>
- Some **tutorials** available, **more to come**. Check “tutorials” folder:  
<https://github.com/interTwin-eu/itwinai/tree/dev/tutorials>
- Additional examples are under “use-cases” folder:  
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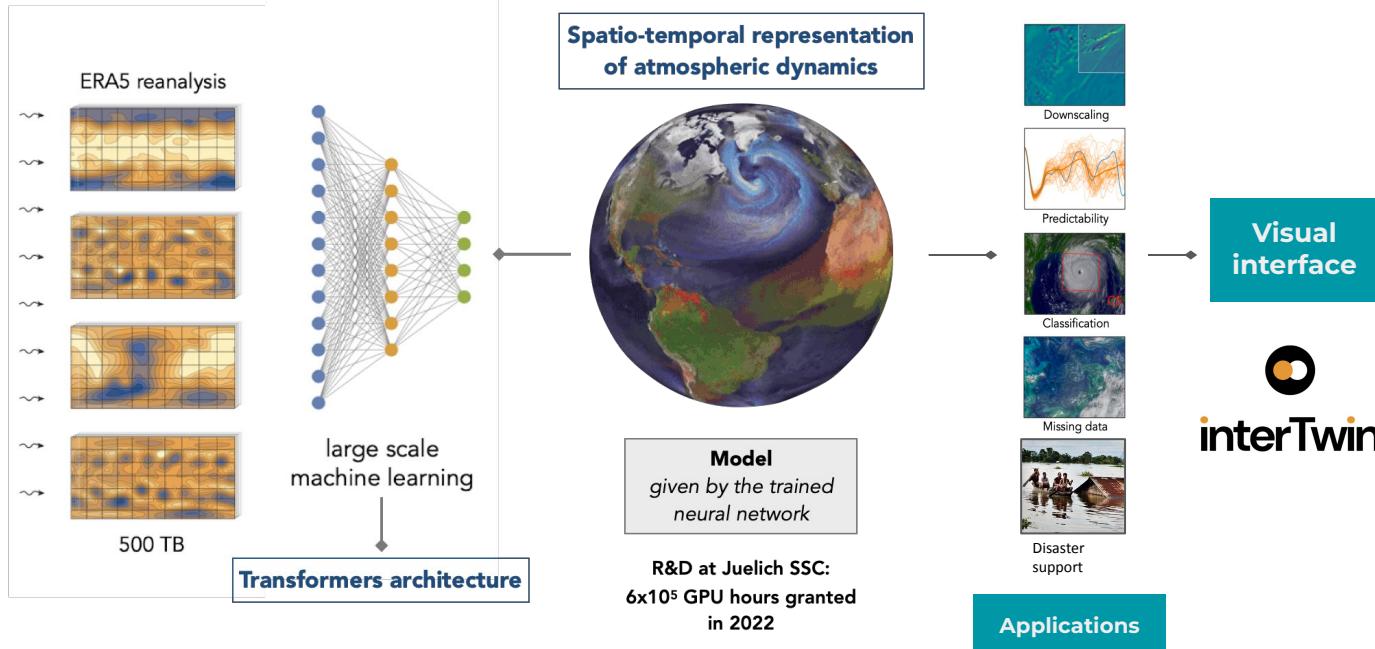
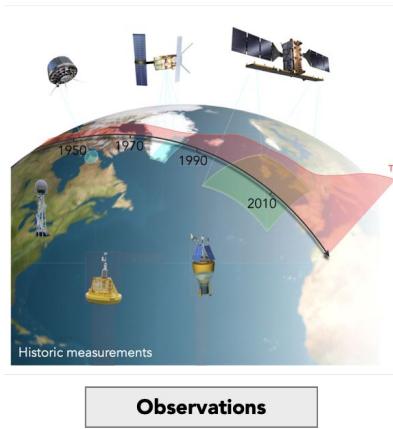


# Other DT initiatives



# EMP<sup>2</sup>: Environmental Modelling and prediction platform

First proof-of-concept of a machine-learning based global environmental model trained on terabytes of observational data

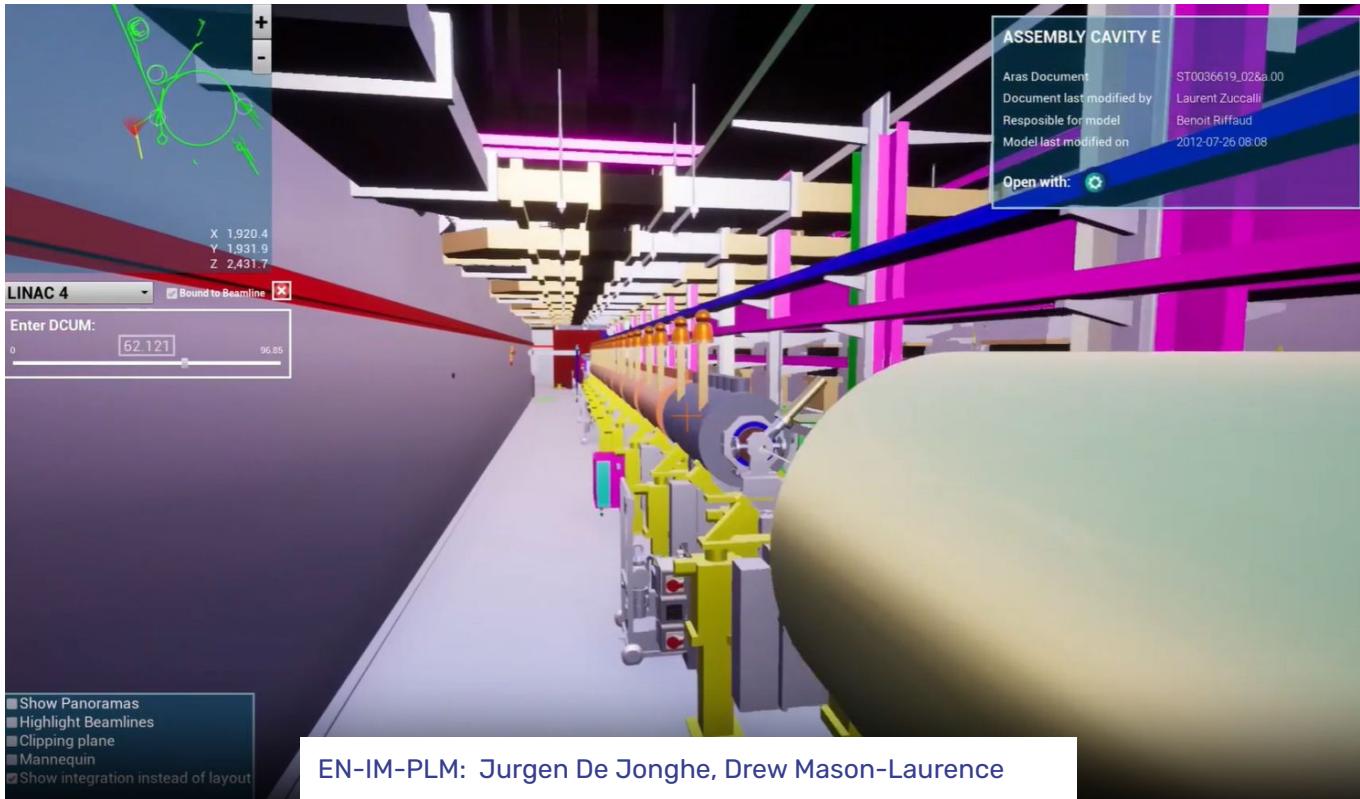


# Nvidia Omniverse (OV)

OMNIVERSE

CONNECT	NUCLEUS	KIT	SIMULATION	RTX RENDERER

# OV for DTs of the accelerators complex



# Nvidia Omniverse - Opportunities

- Detector assembly simulation

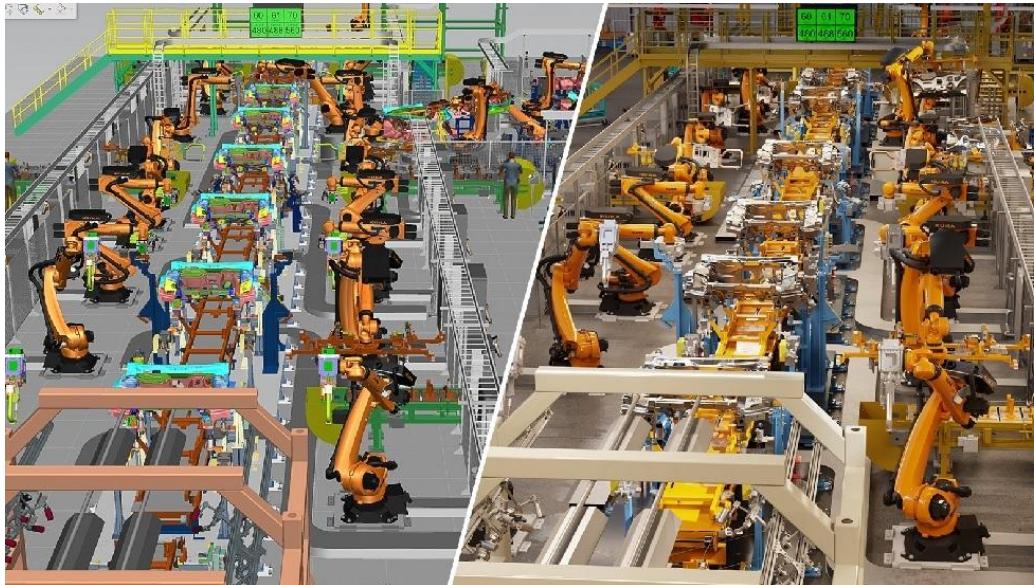


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# Nvidia Omniverse - Opportunities

- Robotic simulation. IsaacGym can also train Reinforcement learning agents.

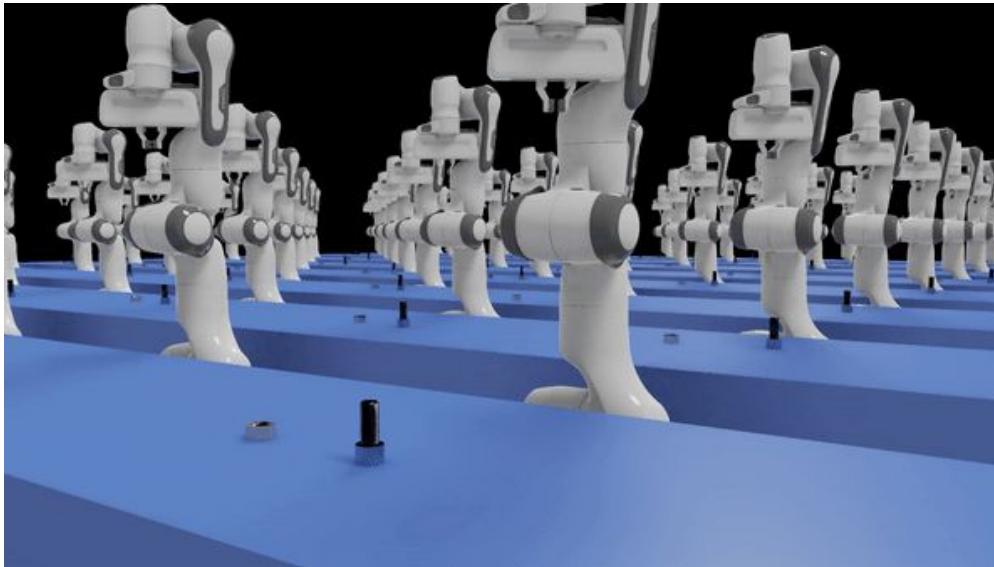


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See also: <https://github.com/NVIDIA-Omniverse/OmnisaacGymEnvs>

# Nvidia Omniverse - Opportunities

- Visualizations for HEP with Geant4

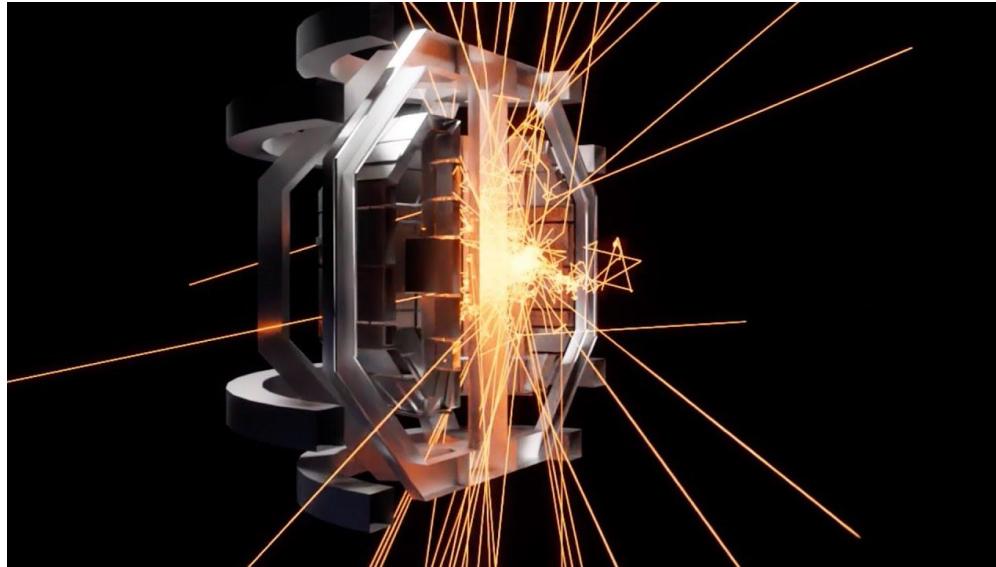


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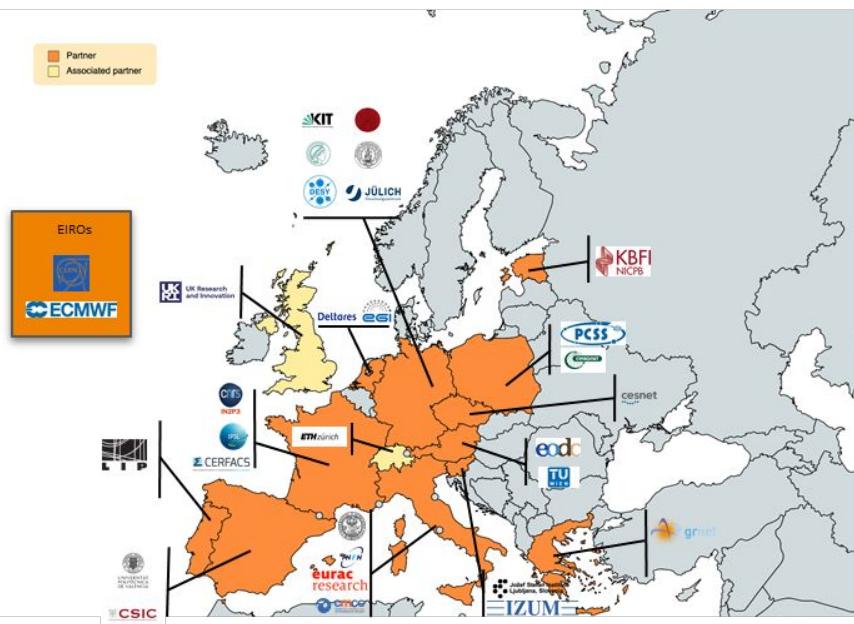
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# Digital Twin Engine

A focus on the architecture



# interTwin consortium



## EGI Foundation as coordinator

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**Participants**, including 1 affiliated entity and 2 associated partners

## Consortium at a glance

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Providers

cloud, HTC , HPC resources and access to Quantum systems

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Technology providers

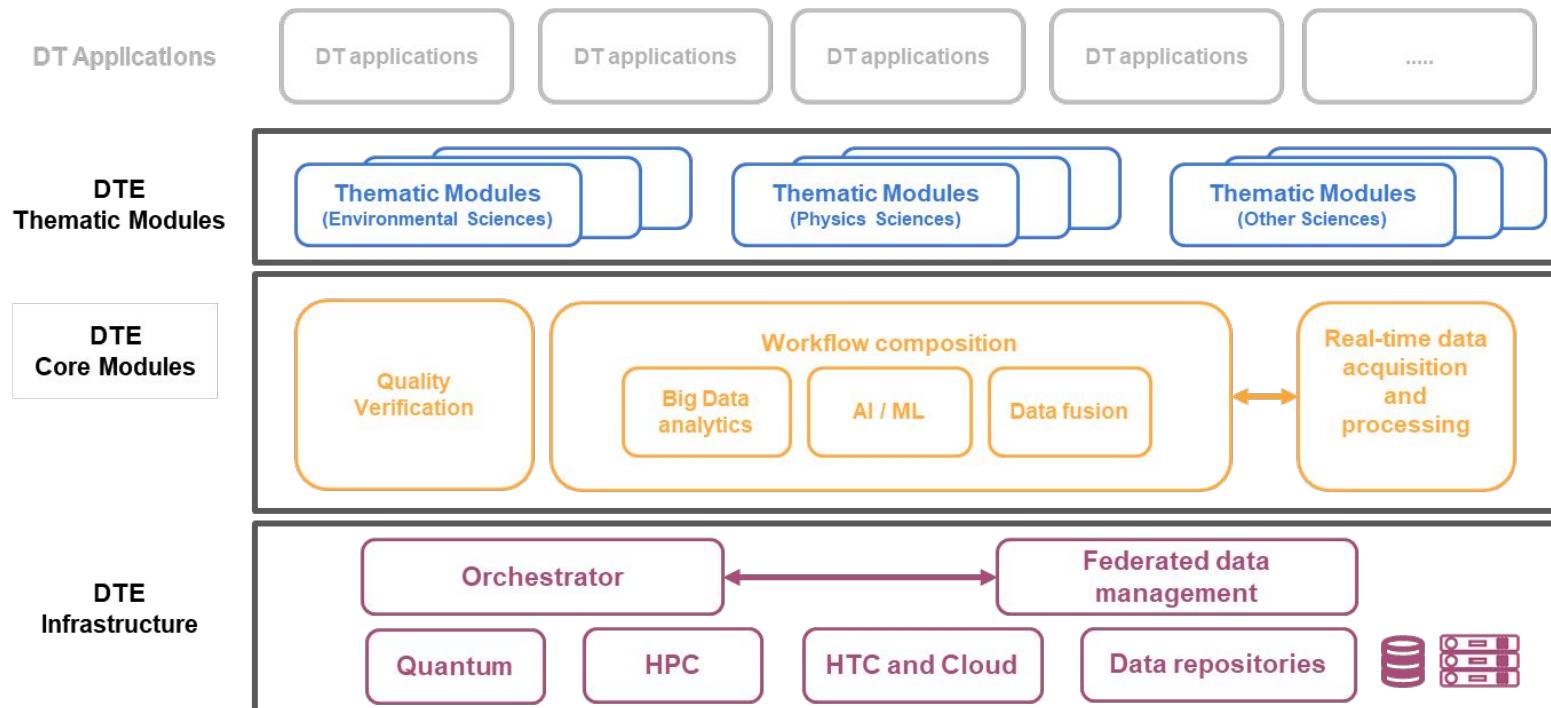
delivering the DTE infrastructure and horizontal capabilities

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Community representants

from 5 scientific areas;  
requirements and developing DT applications and thematic modules

# interTwin - DT Engine stack



# DT Engine for science

## Today

- DTs developed in isolation
- Community-specific technologies and standards
- **Great overheads** (i.e., reinventing the wheel)

Boils down to... **need for improvement.**

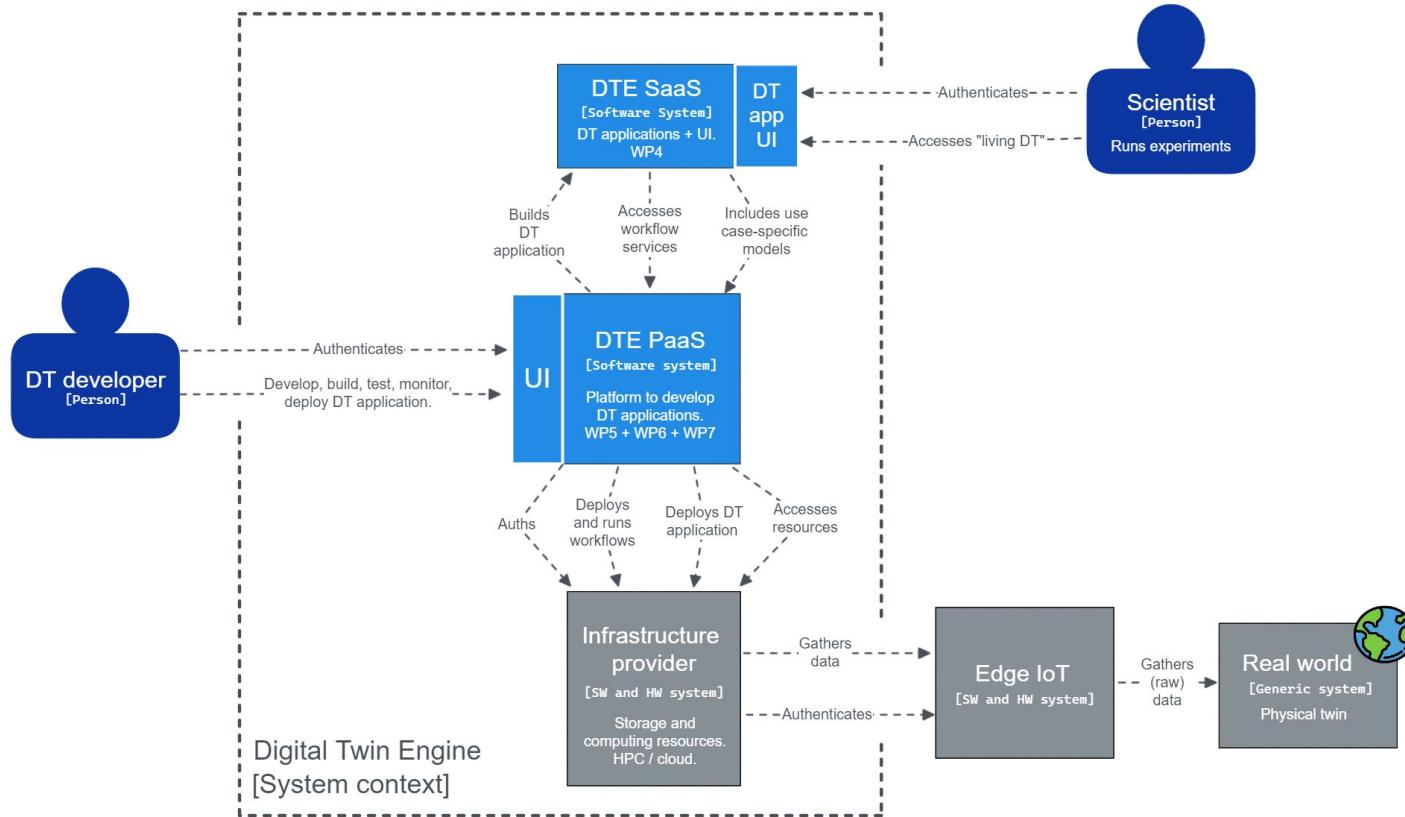
## Tomorrow

- Unified DTE framework
- Standard DT lifecycle management, thanks to co-design
- **Low overheads** (engineering)

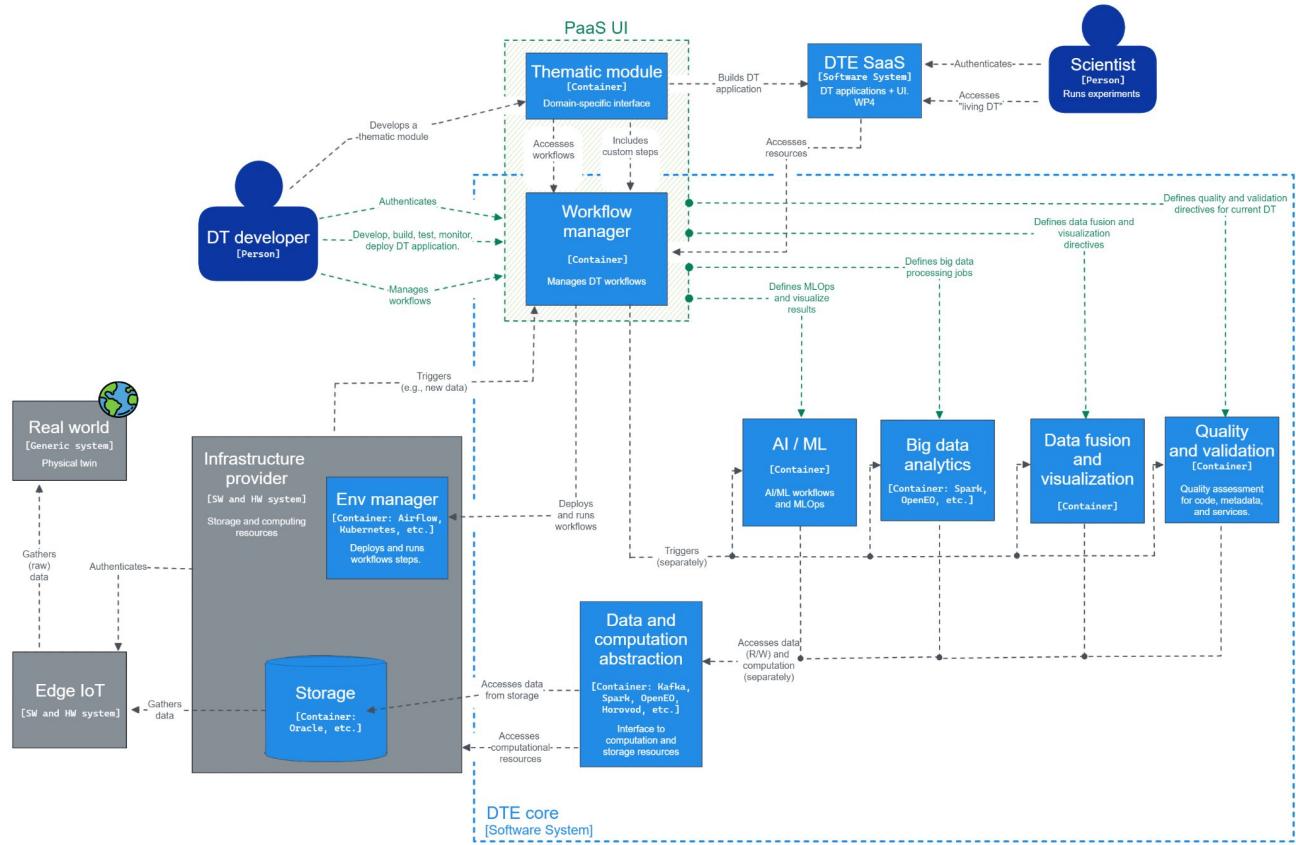
Results into... **accelerated science!**



# Digital twin engine - System context



# Digital twin engine - DT workflows



# Use case-specific components

Reuse pre-existing components and workflows from sciences.

