

BeeGFS: Accelerating the access to BLAST and Galaxy Indices

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The Fraunhofer Parallel File System





Scalable number of MDS and storage servers





Easy to use





- Simple setup/startup
- Add clients and Servers at any time
- No specific Linux distribution
- No special hardware requirements
- No patching of the environment

Up and running in one hour!

- Graphical system administration & monitoring
- Excellent documentation and user support





Flexibility



- Any combination of BeeGFS services on same machine
- No dedicated metadata hardware required
- Add clients and servers at runtime
- Flexible striping (per-file/per-directory)
- Multiple networks with dynamic failover
- Runs on top of XFS, EXT, ZFS, BTRFS



- "Big DATA" Compute and Storage
- On Demand FileSystem
- BeeGFS in a virtualized environment





Features & Performance for NGS

- High Single-Stream Throughput
- □ (write 3.5 GB/s, Read 4 GB on FDR IB)
- 500 000 file creates/sec on 20 SSD's



(Filesystem: SSD's distribured over 20 compute server)

