# **CESM Tutorial** Introduction to CESM2

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# Outline

- The CESM project webpage
- CESM2 webpage
- CESM2 Quickstart Guide
- Downloading CESM
- CIME and the Case Control System
- Creating & Running a Case
- Getting More Help

### CESM Web Page http://www.cesm.ucar.edu

Live Demo...

Take-away points

- CESM project information
- Working Groups information
- Community Project information
  - Large Ensemble
  - Last Millennium Ensemble
- What version of the model should you use?
  - Supported model releases Symantec versioning
  - Diagnostics plots for supported configurations

## **CESM2 Web Page**

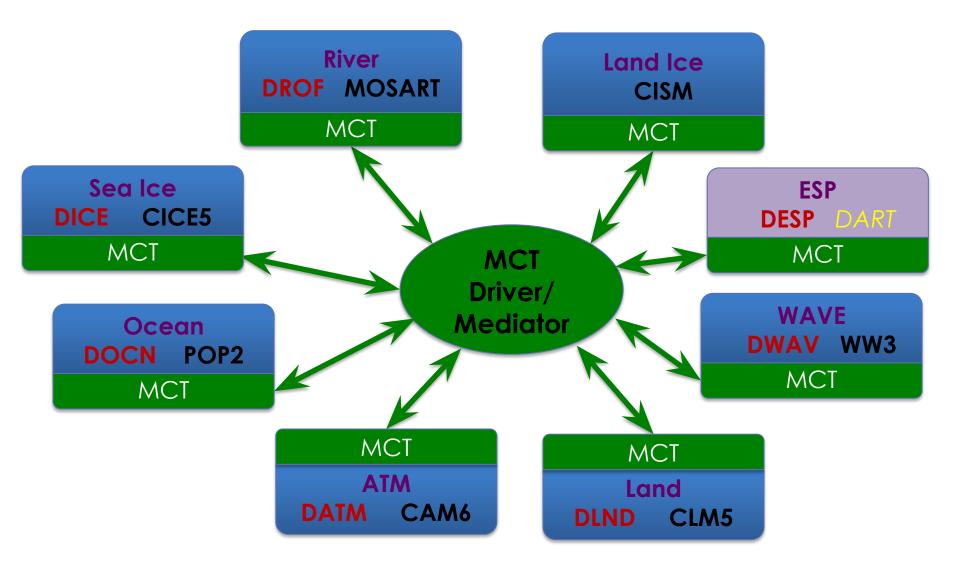
http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/models/cesm2

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Take-away points

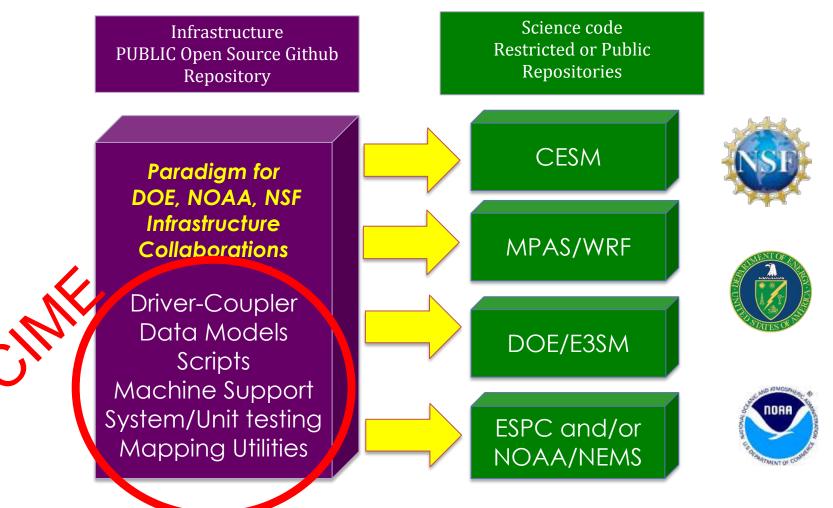
- Release notes and supported tags
- Download instructions no user registration required!
- Scientifically validated configurations
- On-line documentation Quickstart, CIME
- Prognostic component details and documentation

# Current CESM2 Coupling – data components permit flexible activation/deactivation of feedbacks



MCT – Model Coupling Toolkit

# Coupling Infrastructure for Modeling Earth (CIME) (new python-based CESM infrastructure)



addresses needs of multiple efforts

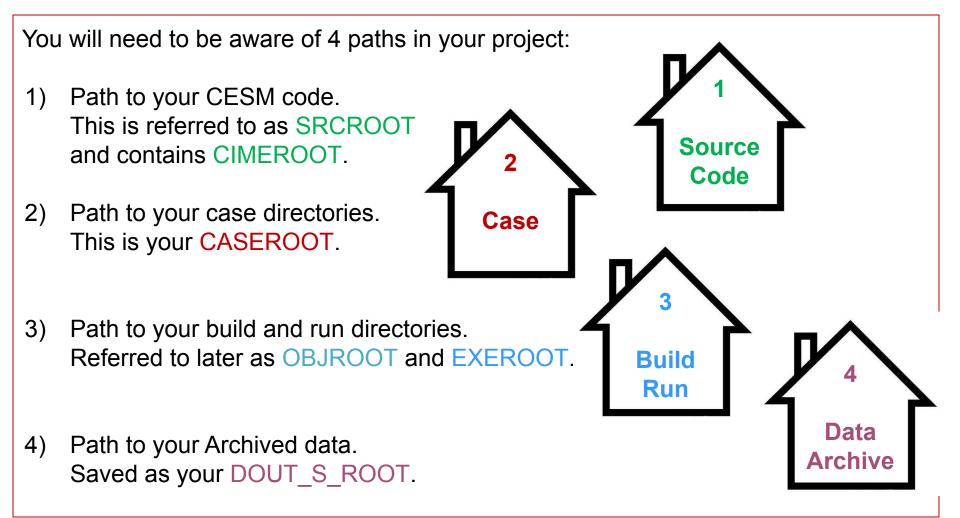
# **CESM2** Quickstart Workflow

https://escomp.github.io/cesm/release-cesm2/

- One-Time Setup Steps
  - Download the CESM code
  - Create an Input Data Root Directory
  - Porting
- Creating & Running a Case
  - Create a New Case
  - Invoke case.setup
  - Build the Executable with case.build
  - Run the Model with case.submit
  - Review Output Data

# How to Setup Your CESM Workspace

Paths are the directions to the location of different pieces of your experiment Roots are saved paths that point to each piece



# **Download CESM**

### Note: Try this at home!

### The tutorial setup has already done this step for you.

Source

Code

work/fischer> git clone -b release-cesm2.1.1 https://github.com/ESCOMP/cesm.git cesm2.1.1
Cloning into 'cesm2.1.1'...
remote: Enumerating objects: 26, done.
remote: Counting objects: 100% (26/26), done.
remote: Compressing objects: 100% (22/22), done.
remote: Total 2424 (delta 11), reused 17 (delta 4), pack-reused 2398
Receiving objects: 100% (2424/2424), 2.01 MiB | 0 bytes/s, done.
Resolving deltas: 100% (1322/1322), done.
Note: checking out '69af836c8a857ccac1b36efc04b0008770e5970d'.

You are in 'detached HEAD' state. You can look around, make experimental changes and commit them, and you can discard any commits you make in this state without impacting any branches by performing another checkout.

If you want to create a new branch to retain commits you create, you may do so (now or later) by using -b with the checkout command again. Example:

git checkout -b <new-branch-name> work/fischer> cd cesm2.1.1 Directory: /glade/work/fischer/cesm2.1.1 fischer/cesm2.1.1> ls ChangeLog cime config LICENSE.txt doc README.rst Externals.cfg ChangeLog template Copyright manage externals fischer/cesm2.1.1>

- Blue items are directories
- Green items are executable files
- cime\_config contains CESM specific configuration information for CIME
- manage\_externals contains utilities for downloading component models which are defined in the Externals.cfg file

# Checkout all the model components

Note: Try this at home!

The tutorial setup has already done this step for you.

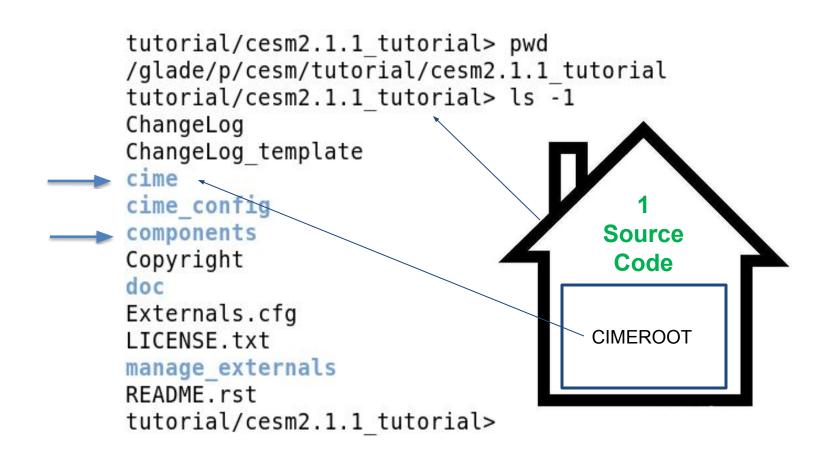
fischer/cesm2.1.1> pwd
/glade/work/fischer/cesm2.1.1
fischer/cesm2.1.1> ./manage externals/checkout externals
Processing externals description file : Externals.cfg
Checking status of externals: clm, mosart, ww3, cime, cice, pop, cism, rtm, cam,
Checking out externals description file : Externals\_CLM.cfg
Checking out externals description file : Externals\_POP.cfg
Checking out externals: cvmix, marbl,
Processing externals description file : Externals\_CISM.cfg
Checking out externals description file : Externals\_CISM.cfg

fischer/cesm2.1.1>



### **Download listing of CESM**

Note: I've switched paths to the pre-downloaded tutorial version of the model



## **Components listing**

tutorial/cesm2.1.1\_tutorial> cd components/ Directory: /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1\_tutorial/components cesm2.1.1\_tutorial/components> ls -1

- cam Community Atmosphere Model
- cism Community Ice Sheet Model
- clm Community Land Model
- mosart Model for Scale Adaptive River Transport
- pop 🗕 Parallel Ocean Program
- rtm -----River Transport Model
- ww3 🛥 WaveWatch3
- cesm2.1.1 tutorial/components>

```
cesm2.1.1 tutorial/components> cd cam
Directory: /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/components/cam
components/cam> ls -1
                                        cesm2.1.1 tutorial/components> cd clm
bld
                                        Directory: /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/components/clm
chem proc
                                        components/clm> ls -1
cime config
                                        bld
                                        cime config
doc
                                        CODE OF CONDUCT.md
src
                                        CONTRIBUTING.md
SVN EXTERNAL DIRECTORIES
                                        Copyright
test
                                        CTSMMasterChecklist
tools
                                        doc
components/cam>
                                        Externals.cfg
                                        Externals CLM.cfg
                                        LICENSE
                                        manage externals
                                        parse cime.cs.status
                                        README
                                        README EXTERNALS.rst
                                        README.rst
                                        src
                                        src clm40
                                        test
                                        tools
                                        components/clm>
```

### CIME – Common Infrastructure for Modeling the Earth https://github.com/ESMCI/cime

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Take-away points

- Coupling infrastructure
- Data and stub models for satisfying driver/mediator requirements
- Testing infrastructure
- Python scripts and XML configuration files for the Case Control System

```
tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial> cd cime
Directory: /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/cime
cesm2.1.1 tutorial/cime> ls -1
ChangeLog
ChangeLog template
CMakeLists.txt
config
CONTRIBUTING.md
doc
index.html
LICENSE.TXT
README.md
scripts
src
tools
utils
cesm2.1.1 tutorial/cime>
```

## XML

### eXtensible Markup Language

- XML is used to define documents with a standard format that can be read by any XML-compatible application.
- In CESM, XML is used as a database to store configuration and control settings.

- CESM Conventions \$name can be either a shell environment variable or a CESM XML id name.
- For example, CIMEROOT refers to the directory path location of the cime directory in the CESM checkout.
- .... But the shell does not know about \$CIMEROOT

### For software engineers:

CIME uses XML files as the data store for configuration and variable settings and a set of python modules to parse those XML files and create an experiment case specific environment for setup, build, and batch submission.

### CIME Documentation http://esmci.github.io/cime



Don't be afraid to explore in these directories in the lab session this afternoon!

# Work Flow: Super Quick Start

CESM2 can be run with a set of 4 commands

Set of commands to build and run the model on supported machine cheyenne

# one time step – create a directory to store your experiment case roots mkdir ~/cases

# go into scripts subdirectory of cime cd /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1\_tutorial/cime/scripts

# create a new case in the directory "cases" in your home directory ./create\_newcase --case ~/cases/b.day1.0 --res f19\_g17 --compset B1850

# go into the case you just created in the last step cd ~/cases/b.day1.0

# invoke case.setup
./case.setup

### # build the executable (cheyenne specific commands!)

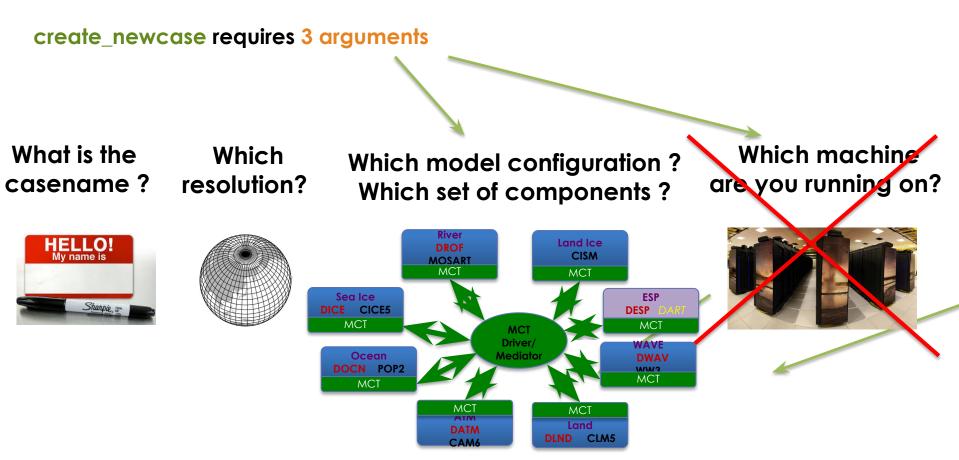
setenv CESM\_BLD\_TEMPLATE /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/templates/cesm2.1.1\_b1850/bld (tcsh) export CESM\_BLD\_TEMPLATE=/glade/p/cesm/tutorial/templates/cesm2.1.1\_b1850/bld (bash) **qcmd -- ./case.build** 

# submit your run to the batch queue ./case.submit



## Create a new case experiment

In the cime/scripts directory, create\_newcase is the tool that generates a new case.

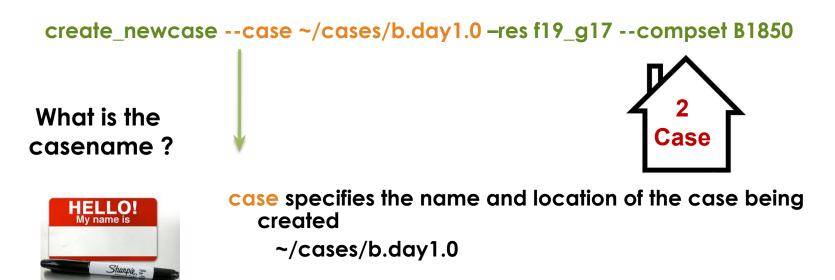


### **NOTES:**

- for all user scripts, you can run the script name followed by the --h or --help argument to see help documentation and a list of all command line arguments.
- Double dashes "--" are now required with command line arguments
- --mach is not required on CESM supported machines

## create\_newcase arguments

create\_newcase requires 3 arguments



### **NOTES:**

 experiment case naming conventions for CESM are described on the CESM2 webpage at URL:

http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/models/cesm2/naming conventions.html

• If a path proceeding the case name is not specified, then the case is created as a subdirectory in the \$CIMEROOT/scripts directory.

## create\_newcase arguments

# create\_newcase requires 3 arguments create\_newcase --case ~/cases/b.day1.0 -res f19\_g17 --compset B1850 Which resolution?

### Grid naming convention

Each model resolution can be specified by its alias or long name.

Example of equivalent alias and long name:

- alias: f19\_g17 (atm/Ind\_ocn/ice)
- long name: a%1.9x2.5\_l%1.9x2.5\_oi%gx1v7\_r%r05\_g%gland4\_w%ww3a\_m%gx1v7



# **CESM2** Supported Grid Definitions

http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/models/cesm2/config/grids.html

CIMEROOT/scripts/query\_config --grids --long

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## create\_newcase arguments

create\_newcase requires 3 arguments

create\_newcase --case ~/cases/b.day1.0 --res T31\_g37 --compset B1850

Which component set?

compset specifies the "component set"

Component set specifies component models, forcing scenarios and physics options for those models

### compset naming convention

Each model compset can be specified by its alias or long name.

Example of equivalent alias and long name:

- alias: B1850
- long name = 1850\_CAM60\_CLM50%BGC\_CICE\_POP2%ECO\_MOSART\_CISM2%NOEVOLVE\_WW3\_BGC%BDRD



# **CESM2** Supported compset Definitions

http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/models/cesm2/config/compsets.html

CIMEROOT/scripts/query\_config –compsets

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Take-away points

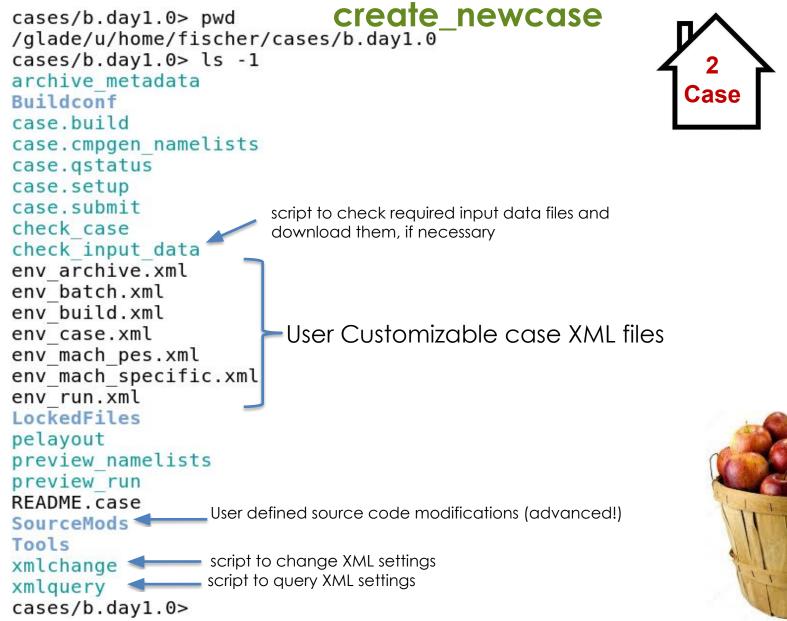
- compsets are defined by different model components and cime
- Some compsets are scientifically supported and/or tested while some are only defined
- compsets determine which grid is required

## Result of running create\_newcase

#### CIMEROOT/scripts/create\_newcase --case ~/cases/b.day1.0 --res f19\_g17 --compset B1850

cime/scripts> ./create newcase --case ~/cases/b.day1.0 --res f19 g17 --compset B1850 Compset longname is 1850 CAM60 CLM50%BGC-CROP CICE POP2%EC0%ABIO-DIC MOSART CISM2%NOEVOLVE WW3 BGC%BDRD Compset specification file is /qlade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/cime/../cime config/config compsets.xml Compset forcing is 1850 Com forcing is Biogeochemistry intercomponent with diagnostic CO2 ATM component is CAM cam6 physics: LND component is clm5.0:BGC (vert. resol. CN and methane) with prognostic crop: ICE component is Sea ICE (cice) model version 5 OCN component is POP2 EcosystemAbiotic DIC/DIC14 ROF component is MOSART: MOdel for Scale Adaptive River Transport GLC component is cism2 (default, higher-order, can run in parallel):cism ice evolution turned off (this is the standard configuration unless you're explicitly interested in ice et al. WAV component is Wave Watch ESP component is Pes specification file is /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/cime/../cime config/config pes.xml Compset specific settings: name is RUN STARTDATE and value is 0001-01-01 Compset specific settings: name is RUN REFDATE and value is 0301-01-01 Compset specific settings: name is RUN TYPE and value is hybrid Compset specific settings: name is RUN REFCASE and value is b.e20.B1850.f19 g17.release cesm2 1 0.020 Compset specific settings: name is CLM NAMELIST OPTS and value is use init interp=.true. Machine is chevenne arid info Pes setting: grid match is a%1.9x2.5.+l%1.9x2.5.+oi%gx1 Pes setting: machine match is chevenne PE lavouts Pes setting: compset match is CAM.+CLM.+CICE.+POP.+ Pes setting: grid is a%1.9x2.5 l%1.9x2.5 oi%gx1v7 r%r05 g%gland4 w%ww3a m%gx1v7 Pes setting: compset is 1850 CAM60 CLM50%BGC-CROP CICE POP2%EC0%ABIO-DIC MOSART CISM2%NOEVOLVE WW3 BGC%BDRD is {'NTASKS ATM': 288, 'NTASKS ICE': 108, 'NTASKS CPL': 288, 'NTASKS LND': 144, 'NTASKS WAV': 36, 'NTASKS ROF': 40, 'NTASKS OCN': 288, 'NTASKS GLC': 36} Pes setting: tasks Pes setting: threads is {'NTHRDS ICE': 1, 'NTHRDS ATM': 1, 'NTHRDS ROF': 1, 'NTHRDS LND': 1, 'NTHRDS WAV': 1, 'NTHRDS OCN': 1, 'NTHRDS CPL': 1, 'NTHRDS GLC': 1} is {'ROOTPE OCN': 288, 'ROOTPE LND': 0, 'ROOTPE ATM': 0, 'ROOTPE ICE': 144, 'ROOTPE WAV': 252, 'ROOTPE CPL': 0, 'ROOTPE ROF': 0, 'ROOTPE GLC': 0} Pes setting: rootpe Pes setting: pstrid is {} Pes other settings: {} Pes comments: about 12ypd expected compset longname Compset is: 1850 CAM60 CLM50%BGC-CROP CICE POP2%EC0%ABIO-DIC MOSART CISM2%NOEVOLVE WW3 BGC%BDRD Grid is: a%1.9x2.5 l%1.9x2.5 oi%gx1v7 r%r05 g%gland4 w%ww3a m%gx1v7 Components in compset are: ['cam', 'clm', 'cice', 'pop', 'mosart', 'cism', 'ww3', 'sesp', 'drv', 'dart'] This compset and grid combination is not scientifically supported, however it is used in 10 tests. Machine specific info Using project from .cesm proj: P93300606 No charge account info available, using value from PROJECT Using project from .cime/config: P93300606 cesm model version found: release-cesm2.1.1 Batch system type is pbs job is case.run USER REQUESTED WALLTIME None USER REQUESTED QUEUE None Case job is case.st archive USER REQUESTED WALLTIME None USER REQUESTED QUEUE None Success! This is the CASEROOT directory Creating Case directory /glade/u/home/fischer/cases/b.day1.0 cime/scripts>

## **CASEROOT** directory structure after running





# CASEROOT env\_\*.xml files

### env\_\*.xml contains variables used by scripts -- some can be changed by the user

env_archive.xml	specifies rules for short-term archival script case.st_archive	
env_batch.xml	set by create_newcase to define batch specific settings used script case.submit	
env_build.xml	specifies build information used by script case.build	
env_case.xml	set by create_newcase and cannot be modified	
env_mach_pes.xml	specifies PE layout of components used by script case.run	
env_mach_specific.xml	specifies machine specific information used by script case.build	
env_run.xml	<ul> <li>sets run time information (such as length of run, frequency of restarts,) User interacts with this file most frequently</li> </ul>	

- To query a variable in an xml file use script xmlquery (or xmlquery -p)
- To modify a variable in an xml file use script xmlchange ./xmlchange STOP\_N=20

NOTE: You can edit the XML files manually but it is recommended that you use the xmlchange script to ensure that the XML schema is preserved!



```
cases/b.day1.0> ./xmlchange --help
usage: xmlchange [-h] [-d] [-v] [-s] [--caseroot CASER00T] [--append]
       [--subgroup SUBGROUP] [--id ID] [--val VAL] [--file FILE]
       [--delimiter DELIMITER] [--dryrun] [--noecho] [-f]
       [-loglevel LOGLEVEL]
       [listofsettings]
```

Allows changing variables in env\_\*xml files via a command-line interface.

This provides two main benefits over editing the xml files by hand:

- Settings are checked immediately for validity
- Settings are echoed to the CaseStatus file, providing a "paper trail" of changes made by the user.

Examples:

```
To set a single variable:
./xmlchange REST_N=4
```

```
To set multiple variables at once:
./xmlchange REST_OPTION=ndays,REST_N=4
```

Alternative syntax (no longer recommended, but supported for backwards compatibility; only works for a single variable at a time): ./xmlchange --id REST\_N --val 4

etc.....

Note: argument –subgroup applies change to XML variable in XML element named <group>

# **CESM2 CASEROOT XML settings**

http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/models/cesm2/component\_settings

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Take-away points

 Every component defines its own XML settings in the CASEROOT env\_\*.xml files

## Work Flow: Super Quick Start

# one time step – create a directory to store your experiment case roots mkdir ~/cases

```
# go into scripts subdirectory of cime
cd /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1_tutorial/cime/scripts
```

```
# create a new case in the directory "cases" in your home directory
./create_newcase --case ~/cases/b.day1.0 --res f19_g17 --compset B1850
```

# go into the case you just created in the last step cd ~/cases/b.day1.0

# invoke case.setup
./case.setup

### # build the executable (cheyenne specific commands!)

setenv CESM\_BLD\_TEMPLATE /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/templates/cesm2.1.1\_b1850/bld (tcsh) export CESM\_BLD\_TEMPLATE=/glade/p/cesm/tutorial/templates/cesm2.1.1\_b1850/bld (bash) **qcmd -- ./case.build** 

```
# submit your run to the batch queue ./case.submit
```

## case.setup

Notice the "./" before any command run in the CASEROOT! Run ./case.setup --help in the lab session.

cases/b.day1.0> ./case.setup Setting resource.RLIMIT\_STACK to -1 from (307200000, -1) /glade/u/home/fischer/cases/b.day1.0/env\_mach\_specific.xml already exists, delete job is case.run USER\_REQUESTED\_WALLTIME None USER\_REQUESTED\_QUEUE None Creating batch scripts Writing case.run script from input template /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1\_tutor Creating file .case.run Writing case.st\_archive script from input template /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1\_tutor Creating file case.st\_archive Creating file case.st\_archive Creating user\_nl\_xxx files for components and cpl If an old case build already exists, might want to run 'case.build --clean' before You can now run './preview\_run' to get more info on how your case will be run cases/b.day1.0>

### case.setup creates:

- RUNDIR and EXEROOT directories -
- user\_nl\_xxx files user customizable component namelist files
- scripts case.run, case.st\_archive, and Macros.make file
- hidden files .case.run and .env\_mach\_specific.\* which can help with debugging
- CaseDocs directory NOTE: these files should not be edited!



# **CESM2** Namelist files and settings

http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/models/cesm2/component\_settings

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Take-away points

- Every component defines its own namelist file in the RUNDIR by combining the default component namelist with the CASEROOT user\_nl\_[comp] file.
- The CASEROOT preview\_namelist script can be used to check user defined namelist settings in the user\_nl\_[comp] files.

# CASEROOT, EXEROOT and RUNDIR case.setup updates files in the CASEROOT and creates these machine dependent directories

cases/b.day1.0> ./xmlquery RUNDIR,EXER00T

Results in group build\_def EXEROOT: /glade/scratch/fischer/b.day1.0/bld





## Work Flow: Super Quick Start

Set of commands to build and run the model on a supported machine: "cheyenne"

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./create\_newcase --case ~/cases/b.day1.0 --res f19\_g17 --compset B1850

# go into the case you just created in the last step cd ~/cases/b.day1.0

# invoke case.setup
./case.setup

**# build the executable (cheyenne specific commands!)** setenv CESM\_BLD\_TEMPLATE /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/templates/cesm2.1.1\_b1850/bld (tcsh) export CESM\_BLD\_TEMPLATE=/glade/p/cesm/tutorial/templates/cesm2.1.1\_b1850/bld (bash)

qcmd -- ./case.build

The "qcmd --" is for Cheyenne only!

# submit your run to the batch queue ./case.submit

The CESM\_BLD\_TEMPLATE setting speeds up the build time for this tutorial only!

## **Build the Model**

- Modifications before build
  - Change env\_build.xml values before running case.build
  - Introduce any modified source code in SourceMods/ before building
  - To completely rebuild, run case.build --clean-all first
  - The case.build script
  - Checks and consolidates the user namelists files into single nl files
  - Builds the individual component libraries and model executable
  - If any inputdata is missing,
    - Build aborts, but provides a list of missing files
    - Run ./check\_input\_data --download to acquire missing data
    - This will use svn or gridftp to put required data in the inputdata directory defined by XML variable DIN\_LOC\_ROOT
    - Then re-run case.build script

**NOTE:** On NCAR machine Cheyenne, the case.build script should always be called as follows:

### qcmd -- ./case.build

This compiles the model on a compute node reducing the load on the login nodes and prevents a timeout.

## **Running the case.build Script**

cases/b.day1.0> setenv CESM BLD TEMPLATE /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/templates/cesm2.1.1 b1850/bld cases/b.day1.0> qcmd -- ./case.build Submitting command to PBS using account CESM0005: ./case.build Waiting for job 7394242.chadmin1.ib0.cheyenne.ucar.edu to start ... Building case in directory /glade/u/home/fischer/cases/b.day1.0 sharedlib only is False model only is False Setting resource.RLIMIT STACK to -1 from (-1, -1) Generating component namelists as part of build - Prestaging REFCASE (/glade/p/cesmdata/cseg/inputdata/cesm2 init/b.e20.B1850.f19 g17.release cesm2 1 0.020/0301-01-01) to /glade/scratch/fischer/b.day1.0/run Copy rpointer /glade/p/cesmdata/cseg/inputdata/cesm2 init/b.e20.B1850.f19 g17.release cesm2 1 0.020/0301-01-01/rpointer.ocn.restart Copy rpointer /glade/p/cesmdata/cseg/inputdata/cesm2 init/b.e20.B1850.f19 gl7.release cesm2 1 0.020/0301-01-01/rpointer.ice Copy rpointer /glade/p/cesmdata/cseg/inputdata/cesm2 init/b.e20.B1850.f19 g17.release cesm2 1 0.020/0301-01-01/rpointer.lnd Copy rpointer /glade/p/cesmdata/cseg/inputdata/cesm2 init/b.e20.B1850.f19 gl7.release cesm2 1 0.020/0301-01-01/rpointer.rof Copy rpointer /glade/p/cesmdata/cseg/inputdata/cesm2 init/b.e20.B1850.f19 g17.release cesm2 1 0.020/0301-01-01/rpointer.atm Copy rpointer /glade/p/cesmdata/cesg/inputdata/cesm2 init/b.e20.B1850.f19 g17.release\_cesm2\_1\_0.020/0301-01-01/rpointer.ocn.tavg.5 Copy rpointer /glade/p/cesmdata/cseg/inputdata/cesm2 init/b.e20.B1850.f19 g17.release cesm2 1 0.020/0301-01-01/rpointer.glc Copy rpointer /glade/p/cesmdata/cseg/inputdata/cesm2 init/b.e20.B1850.f19 g17.release cesm2 1 0.020/0301-01-01/rpointer.ocn.ovf Copy rpointer /glade/p/cesmdata/cseg/inputdata/cesm2 init/b.e20.B1850.f19 gl7.release cesm2 1 0.020/0301-01-01/rpointer.drv Creating component namelists Namelist creation Calling /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/components/cam//cime config/buildnml ... calling cam buildcpp to set build time options CAM namelist copy: file1 /glade/u/home/fischer/cases/b.day1.0/Buildconf/camconf/atm in file2 /glade/scratch/fischer/b.day1.0/run/atm in Calling /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/components/clm//cime config/buildnml Calling /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/components/cice//cime config/buildnml ... buildnml calling cice buildcpp to set build time options Calling /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/components/pop//cime config/buildnml ... buildnml: calling pop buildcpp to set build time options Calling /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/components/mosart//cime config/buildnml Running /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/components/cism//cime config/buildnml Calling /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/components/ww3//cime config/buildnml Calling /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1\_tutorial/cime/src/components/stub\_comps/sesp/cime\_config/buildnml Calling /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/cime/src/drivers/mct/cime config/buildnml Finished creating component namelists Model Build Building gptl with output to file /glade/scratch/fischer/b.day1.0/bld/gptl.bldlog.190731-152702 Calling /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/cime/src/build scripts/buildlib.gptl Building mct with output to file /glade/scratch/fischer/b.day1.0/bld/mct.bldlog.190731-152702 Calling /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/cime/src/build scripts/buildlib.mct Building pio with output to file /glade/scratch/fischer/b.day1.0/bld/pio.bldlog.190731-152702 Calling /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/cime/src/build scripts/buildlib.pio Building csm share with output to file /glade/scratch/fischer/b.day1.0/bld/csm share.bldlog.190731-152702 Calling /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/cime/src/build scripts/buildlib.csm share Building clm4 5/clm5 0 Library Building lnd with output to /glade/scratch/fischer/b.day1.0/bld/lnd.bldlog.190731-152702 clm built in 1.693829 seconds Building atm with output to /glade/scratch/fischer/b.day1.0/bld/atm.bldlog.190731-152702 Building ice with output to /glade/scratch/fischer/b.day1.0/bld/ice.bldlog.190731-152702 Building ocn with output to /glade/scratch/fischer/b.day1.0/bld/ocn.bldlog.190731-152702 Building rof with output to /glade/scratch/fischer/b.day1.0/bld/rof.bldlog.190731-152702 Building glc with output to /glade/scratch/fischer/b.day1.0/bld/glc.bldlog.190731-152702 Building wav with output to /glade/scratch/fischer/b.day1.0/bld/wav.bldlog.190731-152702 Building esp with output to /glade/scratch/fischer/b.day1.0/bld/esp.bldlog.190731-152702 mosart built in 1.559792 seconds cice built in 1.694304 seconds sesp built in 2.395237 seconds pop built in 5.087418 seconds cam built in 9.661922 seconds Component glc build complete with 3 warnings cism built in 155.652131 seconds ww built in 155.668007 seconds Building cesm with output to /glade/scratch/fischer/b.dav1.0/bld/cesm.bldlog.190731-152702 Time spent not building: 7.792995 sec Time spent building: 193.260044 sec Success MODEL BUILD HAS FINISHED SUCCESSFULLY

cases/b.dav1.0>

## Work Flow: Super Quick Start

Set of commands to build and run the model on a supported machine: "cheyenne"

# one time step – create a directory to store your experiment case roots mkdir ~/cases

# go into scripts subdirectory of cime cd /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1\_tutorial/cime/scripts

# create a new case in the directory "cases" in your home directory
./create\_newcase --case ~/cases/b.day1.0 --res f19\_g17 --compset B1850

# go into the case you just created in the last step cd ~/cases/b.day1.0

# invoke case.setup
./case.setup

**# build the executable (cheyenne specific commands!)** setenv CESM\_BLD\_TEMPLATE /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/templates/cesm2.1.1\_b1850/bld (tcsh) export CESM\_BLD\_TEMPLATE=/glade/p/cesm/tutorial/templates/cesm2.1.1\_b1850/bld (bash)

qcmd -- ./case.build

# submit your run to the batch queue

./case.submit

### Dedicated Batch Queues on Cheyenne for tutorial use only!

Day	Time	Queue
Monday, 8/6	2:20 – 5:30 p.m.	R1410465
Tuesday, 8/7	2:20 – 5:30 p.m.	R1410495
Wednesday, 8/8		
Thursday, 8/9	2:20 – 5:30 p.m.	R1410508

testusr1@cheyenne1:~/cases/b.day1.0> ./xmlquery JOB\_QUEUE

Results in group case.run JOB\_QUEUE: R1410465 >./xmlquery -p QUEUE

Results in group case.st\_archive JOB\_QUEUE: R1410465 testusr1@cheyenne1:~/cases/b.day1.0>

## **Running the Model**

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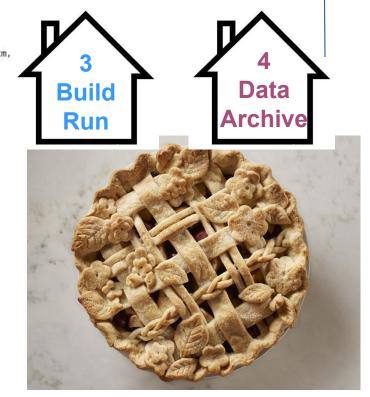
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cases/b.day1.0>

## Check the CASEROOT CaseStatus file

In the Lab:

- Check the files in the RUNDIR as the model is running and once it is finished
- Check the files in the DOUT S ROOT directory as the case.st\_archive script is running and once it is finished



Success

## Preview for postprocessing model output

https://csegweb.cgd.ucar.edu/experiments/public/

Live Demo...



# Expert feature: create\_clone

- The CIMEROOT/scripts/create\_clone tool copies an existing case to make a new copy.
- Things that are copied:
  - Most (not all) env\_\*.xml settings.
  - user\_nl\_xxx files
  - Macros
  - SourceMods
  - Batch system files
  - **README.case**
- Not copied:
  - Logs
  - Timing files
- Invocation (from CIMEROOT/scripts directory):
  - ./create\_clone --clone ~/cases/b.day1.0 --case ~/cases/b.day1.2

## Best practices for copying cases

- Using "cp R" does not work!
- When using create\_clone, make sure that your changes will be minor:
  - Same version of the code!
  - Same grid
  - Same compset
  - Namelist/SourceMods changes not too complex.
- Document changes in your case directory so that they are easy to track: README.case is a great place.
- If your changes are more complex, if you use multiple code versions, or if you have to create a great many cases at once, consider writing your own script to set up your cases.

## Porting

Porting details will be covered in Wednesday's 1:00 p.m. lecture

CIME Documentation Part 2 – <u>http://esmci.github.io/cime/</u>

- On supported machines no porting is necessary
- On new machines porting needs to be done

From the CESM2 webpage:

http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/models/cesm2/linux\_cluster/

#### NCAR's Experience Porting and Running CESM2 on a Medium-sized Linux Cluster

NCAR typically runs CESM on large super-computers with 4096 cores on <u>yellowstone</u> and 2160 cores on <u>cheyenne</u>. However, we also port, run and regularly tested CESM on a more moderately-sized Linux cluster.

NCAR's Climate and Global Dynamics (CGD) division maintains a medium-size Linux cluster called **hobart** to support research and development.

This page details our experiences on **hobart** that might help other institutions port and run CESM2 on their Linux clusters.

\* NOTE \* This is for information purposes only. Please use the DiscussCESM forums to post your questions regarding porting and running on your particular Linux cluster.

#### **Linux Cluster Hardware Specifications**

Single login node with the following specifications:

 Hostname:
 hobart

 Operating Syster
 CentOS Linux release 7.2.1511 (Core) x86\_64

 Kernal:
 3.10.0-327.el7.x86\_64

 Processor(s):
 16 X Intel(R) Xeon(R) CPU W5580 @ 3.20GHz

 CPU MHz:
 3192.072

 Total Memory:
 74.05 GB

 Total Swap:
 1.04 GB

32 compute nodes with the following specifications for each node:

 Operating System
 :CentOS Linux release 7.2.1511 (Core) x86\_64

 Kernal:
 3.10.0-327.el7.x86\_64

 Processor(s):
 48 X Intel(R) Xeon(R) CPU ES-2670 v3 @ 2.30GHz

 CPU MHz:
 23000.000

 Total Memory:
 98.59 GB

 Total Swap:
 1.04 GB

Available shared disk space for run and build directories :  $5.0\ \mathrm{T}$ 

# More Information/Getting Help

Model User Guides: http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/models/cesm2.0

# **Active or Prognostic Components**

Each model component page contains descriptions and documentation for active or prognostic models.

- Atmosphere
- Land
- Land Ice
- Ocean
- Sea Ice
- River Runoff
- Wave

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۵	Input Data inquiries	207	555	map_fv0.9x1.25_to_T85_aave_110411.n by aliceb July 30, 2015 - 11:43am
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۵	Model Intercomparison Project (MIP) inquiries CESM MIP simulations, including CMIPS	14	47	Notice to the Community: ESGF Nodes Going Offline by strandwg June 21, 2015 - 10:36am
Δ	New Feature Requests	1	2	user_nl feature request by jedwards August 14, 2014 - 4:18pm
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- Register as a forums user by entering your valid information in the registration form
- Subscribe to forums of interest especially the "Announcements" and "Known Problems" – this is one way that we communicate updates to you!
- Join the CESM participants email list at:

http://mailman.cgd.ucar.edu/mail man/listinfo/ccsm-participants

 Create a github account and opt-in to "watch" CESM related repositories

## **More Information/Getting Help**

### CESM tutorial: http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/events/tutorials/





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#### **Upcoming CESM Tutorials**

2017 CESM Tutorial | 14 - 18 August 2017, National Center for Atmospheric Research, Mesa Lab, Boulder, CO

#### Past CESM Tutorials

- 2016 CESM Tutorial | 8 12 August 2016, NCAR, Mesa Lab, Boulder, CO
- 2016 CMIP Tutorial | 16 18 August 2016, NCAR, Mesa Lab, Boulder, CO
- 2016 CLM Tutorial | 12 16 September 2016, NCAR, Mesa Lab, Boulder, CO
- 2015 CESM Tutorial | 8 14 August 2015, NCAR, Mesa Lab, Boulder, CO
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- 2011 CESM Tutorial | 1 5 August 2011, NCAR, Boulder, CO
- 2010 CESM Tutorial | 12 16 July 2010, NCAR, Boulder, CO

#### **CESM Project**

CESM is a fully-coupled, community, global climate model that provides state-of-the-art computer simulations of the Earth's past, present, and future climate states.

CESM is sponsored by the National Science Foundation (NSF) and the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), Administration of the CESM is maintained by the Climate and Global Dynamics Laboratory (CGD) at the National Center for Atmospheric Research (NCAR).

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## Notes for this tutorial

There are a few things we will do this week that are different from running normally on cheyenne.

- We will be using code in "/glade/p/cesm/tutorial" this week. Normally, you check out your own version. The tutorial code refers to a special account key that will not work in the future!
- We will be using special queues during the tutorial that will only be available during the times listed on slide 36 of this presentation.

Some general tips:

- We will use short case directory names, but in the future you may want to use longer names so that cases are easier to find. Typically, case names should include the compset, grid, and possibly a short name for the experiment.
- While CESM is building, you can open a second terminal window and log in to cheyenne again. This allows you to look around or do other things while waiting for a job to complete.

## Day 1 Exercise 0

#### This afternoon we will simply be introducing you to the system and running for the first time.

Step 1: If you are not familiar with the Linux csh environment, then review this cheat sheet with a list of common commands: <a href="http://www.geol.lsu.edu/jlorenzo/ReflectSeismol/labs/unix-cheatsheet.pdf">http://www.geol.lsu.edu/jlorenzo/ReflectSeismol/labs/unix-cheatsheet.pdf</a>

Step 2: From your tutorial machine window prompt, login to cheyenne: ssh –Y [username]@cheyenne.ucar.edu

One Time Setup: Check your default login environment settings:

NOTE: All new tutorial logins default to bash

For tcsh users: You should have a .tcshrc file already present in your home directory. If you do not, please copy over the following file:

cp /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/tcshrc ~/.tcshrc

Then, change to your home directory and source the file:

cd; source .tcshrc

If you have an existing .tcshrc file and do not wish to overwrite it, please copy the contents of the /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/tcshrc file to your .tcshrc file.

For bash users: You may have a .profile file already present in your home directory. If you do not, please copy over the following file

cp /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/profile ~/.profile

Then, change to your home directory and source the file:

cd; source .profile

If you have an existing .profile file and do not wish to overwrite it please copy the contents of the /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/profile file to your .profile file.

## Day 1 Exercise 1

- This afternoon we will simply be introducing you to the system and running for the first time. After each step, check the files in the CASEROOT, EXEROOT, RUNDIR and DOUT\_S\_ROOT directories.
- Log in to cheyenne and run the following steps.

# One time step mkdir ~/cases # go into scripts directory of the tutorial source code download cd /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1 tutorial/cime/scripts # (1) create a new case in the directory "cases" in your home directory (don't forget the "./") ./create newcase --case ~/cases/b.day1.0 --res f19 g17 --compset B1850 # go into the case you just created in the last step cd ~/cases/b.day1.0 ./xmlquery CASEROOT # (2) set the CESM BLD TEMPLATE environment variable for faster build times on cheyenne setenv CESM BLD TEMPLATE /qlade/p/cesm/tutorial/templates/cesm2.1.1 b1850/bld (for tcsh) export CESM BLD TEMPLATE=/qlade/p/cesm/tutorial/templates/cesm2.1.1 b1850/bld (for bash) # (3) invoke case.setup ./case.setup ./xmlquery EXEROOT ./xmlguery RUNDIR # (4) check the queue settings for the day to make sure they are correct and change if necessary! ./xmlguery JOB QUEUE ./xmlchange JOB\_QUEUE=[queue-name] --subgroup case.run ./xmlchange JOB QUEUE=[queue-name] --subgroup case.st archive # (5) build the executable on a cheyenne compute node

qcmd -A UESM0007 -q R7410087-- ./case.build

## Day 1 Exercise 1 – continued

This afternoon we will simply be introducing you to the system and running for the first time. After each step, check the files in the CASEROOT, EXEROOT, RUNDIR and DOUT\_S\_ROOT directories.

# (4) submit your run to the batch queue

NOTE – each day of the tutorial we will be using a different dedicated batch queue for submission. Prior to each case.submit command, you will want to run the following xmlchange commands:

Monday, 8/5: ./xmlchange --subgroup case.run JOB\_QUEUE=R7410087 ./xmlchange --subgroup case.st\_archive JOB\_QUEUE=R7410087

Tuesday, 8/6: ./xmlchange –-subgroup case.run JOB\_QUEUE=R7410090 ./xmlchange –-subgroup case.st\_archive JOB\_QUEUE=R7410090

Wednesday: No dedicated queue required.

Thursday, 8/8: ./xmlchange –-subgroup case.run JOB\_QUEUE=R7410096 ./xmlchange –-subgroup case.st\_archive JOB\_QUEUE=R7410096

Friday, 8/9: ./xmlchange –-subgroup case.run JOB\_QUEUE=R7410098 ./xmlchange –-subgroup case.st\_archive JOB\_QUEUE= R7410098

Now, submit ./case.submit qstat –u [loginname] ./xmlquery DOUT\_S\_ROOT

## Day 1 Exercises 2-3

# Exercise 1: Check on your case and resubmit when it is complete. qstat -u [loginname] cat CaseStatus

# Changing options like STOP\_N and STOP\_OPTION would increase run length. ./xmlchange CONTINUE\_RUN=TRUE ./case.submit

# Note that if you make a mistake, you can kill the job using its ID number displayed when you run qstat
# qdel <job\_id>

# Exercise 2: create\_clone

# Go back to the CIMEROOT scripts directory cd /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm2.1.1\_tutorial/cime/scripts

# Make a clone of the case ./create\_clone --clone ~/cases/b.day1.0 --case ~/cases/b.day1.2

**#** Take a look in the create\_clone directory.

# What is the value of CONTINUE\_RUN in the new directory (this is in env\_run.xml)? # What does README.case look like? # What other files are copied over? # What would be the next step in building and running the cloned case?

# Questions to answer on your own:

### Yes, these could be on a quiz!

- 1. What is the value of XML variable CASEROOT ?
- 2. What do CASEROOT scripts check\_case, pelayout, preview\_run, and preview\_namelists do?
- 3. When do you need to run ./case.setup --reset ?
- 4. What files are in the CASEROOT/LockedFiles before case.submit ?
- 5. Why is there a CASEROOT/LockedFlles directory ?
- 6. When do you need to run ./case.build --clean ? What about ./case.build --clean-all ?
- 7. How do you change the JOB\_QUEUE XML setting using xmlchange for both the case.run and case.st\_archive scripts ?
- 8. What are some of the XML variables that you need to specify a subgroup argument to ./xmlquery or ./xmlchange ?
- 9. When can you make XML changes in the workflow ?

## **Further exercises**

Some suggestions if you finish early today:

- Look through the exercises from Christine Shields to get a preview of this Tuesday's topics.
- Look through the CESM2 web page and other information online. Try to get a feel for what information you would need to set up your own cases.

http://www.cesm.ucar.edu and http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/models/cesm2 and https://www2.cisl.ucar.edu/resources/computational-systems/cheyenne

 Try using the "ncview" command on one of the history files in your run directory. This is a simple but useful tool for taking a quick look at output. First, look at the system modules loaded in your login environment: module list

If noview is not listed, then load it into your environment using: module load noview

- Take a quick look at the NCO utilities for manipulating netCDF files: <u>http://nco.sourceforge.net/nco.html</u>
- PLEASE register as a new user on the DiscussCESM Forums website at: <u>http://bb.cgd.ucar.edu</u>

Include a valid email, name, job title, and organization so I can approve your request and keep the spammers out! At a minimum, subscribe to the "Announcements" and "Known Problems" forums.

• Sign-up for E-mail Notifications: <u>CCSM Participants Mailman Registration</u>

## **Day 1 Auxiliary Exercises**

In Wednesday's lab session you will be learning how to run the various diagnostic packages. You will also learn about the types of tools that are commonly used on model output. Here are some exercises that you can do to prepare yourself for Wednesday's lab session.

- Go to the CESM1 Large Ensemble Community Project page<u>http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/projects/community-projects/LENS/</u> After reading the project overview click on the "Diagnostics" link. Take a look at the available experiments and look at diagnostics output from the atmosphere, sea ice, land, and ocean diagnostics packages. Become familiar with the types of calculations the packages do.
- Go to each of the prognostic model web pages
- See <a href="http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/working\_groups/CVC/cvdp">http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/working\_groups/CVC/cvdp</a>. The Climate Variability Diagnostics Package (CVDP) is different from the other diagnostics packages in that it is usually run over an entire simulation and can be run on numerous simulations (CESM and non-CESM data) at once. The CVDP calculates the major modes of variability, trends, and provides a quantifiable metric table. Look at the website example comparisons.
- Go to <a href="http://climatedataguide.ucar.edu">http://climatedataguide.ucar.edu</a> and explore the site. The Climate Data Guide contains information on over 150 different datasets, provides inter-dataset comparisons, and has dataset pros and cons evaluated by expert dataset users.
- The programming language **NCL** is used extensively within the CESM project. You will have the opportunity to run several NCL scripts on Wednesday. Take a look at the NCL Examples page to get an idea of the types of plots NCL can create: <u>http://www.ncl.ucar.edu/Applications/</u>