Hardware/Sysadmin/Puppet February 6, 2024

Procurement:

- CMS and FermiGrid worker nodes (79 CMS, 21 FermiGrid) ready for production.
- o 25 CMS tape dCache servers (NVMe SSD storage) getting installed.
- O Disk storage:
 - 100 CMS servers getting installed.
 - 25 servers for public dCache and Ceph turned over to SSA.
- 13 GPU servers getting installed.
- 28 General CMS servers getting installed.
- In process of contacting experiments and other stakeholders with proposed dates for upgrades from SL7 to EL9. Test nodes are available now; target is to do remaining upgrades in April. Some upgrades already done or in progress.
- Puppet: Got the puppet nftables module to work correctly with Podman on EL9.
- HPC:
 - Steady running
- Upgrading from SL7
 - O Status:

OS version	SL7	EL8	EL9
# nodes	1970	674	539

Other Activities

OKD

- Working to increase range allocated for OKD to use, because we are running out of external IP addresses
 - Looks like this will require some downtime on prod clusters
- OPA fixed on okddev cluster.

Proxmox/RHV/GPCF

- Fixed consdb issue
- Did some troubleshooting for VM installs in new CMS cluster
 - One issue was network related
 - Other issues were due to foreman misconfigurations
- Confirmed OCSInventory is working on CMS Proxmox hosts—the last step needed to meet the Linux baseline
- Fixed a bug in createvm script where the VM was assigned to the wrong HA group

Miscellaneous

- Converting LDAP scripts on ssiimagegpvm server (used to build container images) to python3
- Working on a new puppet class that imagegpvm servers can use when migrating to Alma 9
- NAS -> Ceph migrations completed for annie, geant4, lariat, and seaquest (app areas)
- o Fixed problem with broken Alma 8 GPG keys after a fresh install

SL7 Upgrades

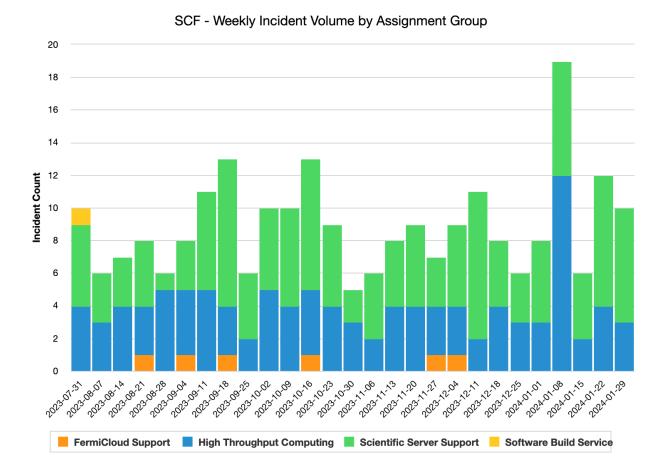
- sbcgpvm01 installed with Alma 9 (semi-replacement for coupp SL7 gpvms)
- ailab04 reinstalled with Alma 9
- theorysrv01 reinstalled with Alma 9
- theorygpvm01 reinstalled with Alma 9
- o Installed 10 new Alma 9 vms for CMS
- Installed gm2gpvm-test-al9 Alma 9 VM
- Installed fcdflnxgpvm01 Alma 9 VM. Still sorting out configuration details.
- Working on migrating Harbor to Alma 9, but some difficulties so far
- o ssiimagegpvm01 reinstalled with Alma 9; services migration ongoing
 - Working on migrating 'image' building VM special scripts to Alma 9
 - This will be needed for all the other container "image builder" VMs
- o ssidb updated to Alma 9 (critical for SSI infrastructure)
- o jenkins02: Working on migrating docker to podman/quadlets
- ssimptest reinstalled with Alma 9

- Installs/Moves/Retirements
 - o Working on cmsstor301-388. OS installed on 8 servers
 - Servers from cmsstor330+ on are in multiple states of missing MISCOMP/CMDB information. Working with PREP to untangle.
 - Working on fndcadb/fndcadbbackup
 - Hardware information missing from MISCOMP and CMDB
 - o if-globaldtn-01 install in progress
 - Retired dmspuppet1 and dmspuppetgpvm01
 - Retired rexadmingpvm01
 - Retired dmsdcatapeitb03 (hardware issues)
 - Retired gm2cephtest
- Normal operations: 58 logged interventions last 3 weeks—replacing disks, rebooting hung systems, fixing corrupt RPM databases, retiring systems, fixing xinetd issues, clearing caches, fixing hung NFS mounts, fixing Puppet errors, etc.

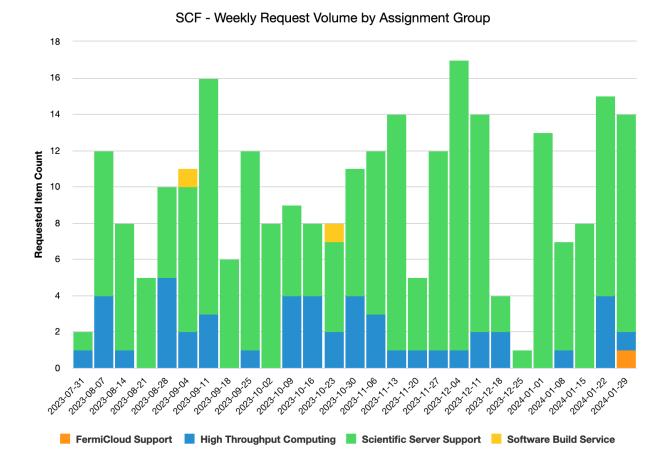
HPC (High Performance & Parallel Computing

No news is good news.

Incidents



Requests



Ticket Trend



