

# Outcome of WG Dynamics

- "Group of four" created after Brac meeting
- Diverging views and concerns on scalability/efficiency/accuracy of dynamical core
- The Aladin PAC asked this group to find agreement and produce a working plan for adaptation to future computers.
- The spirit of the document produced is to have a smooth approach for code evolutions, keeping always the present solutions as fall back.

# Outline of the working plan

## CONTEXT:

We already know that the main bottle-neck is the I/O not only for the spectral methods, but also for local methods.

Work is being carried on about easing this problem

# Outline of the working plan

## 1) Works keeping current model strategy (Spectr, SI, SL)

Short term :

- submit projects for running our codes on advanced machines to estimate the scalability/efficiency
- This for the whole model and then with different "bricks" removed (Physics, I/O,...)
- Favour also comparisons of efficiency/scalability with adiabatic cores of other models using different strategies (COSMO, UM, WRF,...)

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1) Works keeping current model strategy (Spectr, SI, SL)

Longer term :

- EE system in z-based coordinate with VFE  
(link with efficiency, accuracy and robustness)
- consider OOP, GPU, parallel languages or libraries evolutions.

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## 2) Works changing model strategy (Spectr, SI, SL)

Short term :

- compare SL and Eulerian in the present code at high resolutions
- keeping the current spectral solver but try computing derivatives with more local methods (FE, FV, FD high order )
- address problem of horizontal staggering for non-spectral methods (SL, high-order schemes).

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2) Works changing model strategy (Spectr, SI, SL)

Longer term:

- exploring grid-point method for SI scheme solvers (links also with robustness, accuracy).