

Simplicity Control Freedom

Follow a simple installation procedure to use StratusLab with your existing hardware to create a cloud.

Keep it private, or allow secure access with X.509 grid-compatible access control.

Control and monitor your infrastructure-as-a-service cloud designed to run grid services and other demanding applications.

Freely manage and customize virtual computing environments for your complex applications.

For a StratusLab test drive, email support@stratuslab.eu to request an account on our cloud infrastructure.

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Enhancing Grid
Infrastructure
with Virtualization
and Cloud
technologies
Open Source
Cloud
distribution

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StratusLab training event, Hanoi, Vietnam

Grids support **sharing resources** and expertise through VOs, and offer a uniform **security** model. However, developing and running applications on a grid can be complex.

Clouds allow **dynamic allocation** of resources through **simple interfaces** and support **complete customization** of the application environment.



StratusLab draws on the strengths of both **grid** and **cloud** technologies to offer a cloud solution that meets the needs of computational researchers and systems administrators.

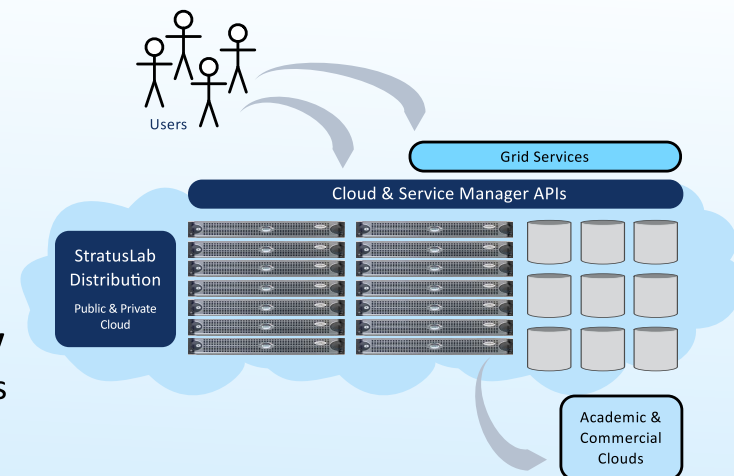
StratusLab provides the power behind the new DS-Cloud Ready Pack, a turnkey Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS) cloud solution aimed at SMEs which was announced on 15th March 2012 by IBM, SixSq and Darest.

“Being able to create a commercial product, based on StratusLab software, with companies like IBM and Darest is very exciting. This shows how well focused FP7 projects can really make a difference in the commercial world and give SMEs like SixSq a significant edge.”

– Marc-Eliañ Bégin
SixSq, Geneva, Switzerland

Features

- Full **production-ready** cloud distribution
- **OpenNebula** virtual infrastructure manager
- Claudia platform service management for **dynamic service provisioning and scalability**
- **Marketplace** which allows user communities to create, find and share **customised virtual machine images**. Starter images with common OS's are available as well as grid and bioinformatics appliances
- **Persistent storage** allowing users to create and access disk-like storage areas on remote cloud storage resources
- Sophisticated **web-monitoring** tool
- Easy-to-use **command-line tools** for users and system administrators, tested on **Linux, Mac OS X and Windows**
- Supports **cloud authentication via X.509** grid certificates
- Manual and **Quattor** installation options



Marketplace

The StratusLab **Marketplace** is now being adopted by the **European Grid Infrastructure** and other organisations as a way to safely share community-created and endorsed virtual appliances. Marketplace users have access to over 100 virtual appliances with more being added on a regular basis.

