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• Univ. of Pennsylvania, Idea Factory
SAGE2 User Sites 2017 Examples
International

AUSTRALIA, Monash Univ., Monash Immersive Visualisation Platform

CHINA, Tianjin University of Technology

JAPAN, National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology (AIST)

TAIWAN, National Chung Hsing University
SAGE2 User Sites 2017 Examples
National

USA, Caterpillar Inc.
USA, Univ. Alaska Fairbanks, Decision Theater North
USA, University of Florida Gainesville, ACIS
USA, University of Hawaiʻi at Hilo, Mookini Library

USA, Univ. of Hawaiʻi Mānoa, Information Technology Center
USA, University of Illinois at Chicago, Innovation Center
USA, Univ. Oregon, Allan Price Science Commons & Research Library
USA, Univ. Pennsylvania, Biomedical Informatics, Idea Factory
2017 Survey Statistics

- 67% educational institutions, ~10% national labs, ~10% companies
- 40% of organizations have more than 1 wall
- Evenly spread between Windows & Linux
- Over 55% use 1 PC
- Main uses are for lecturing, presentations, holding meetings
- Favorite Features: Ability to drag content from laptop to wall, desktop sharing, collaborative interaction, ease of deployment, multiple pointers, web-based, remote interaction, ability to create custom 3D (WebGL) applications

For more survey results: [http://bit.ly/2z2vAYg](http://bit.ly/2z2vAYg)
What type of content is displayed on your wall?

65 responses

- Astronomy: 16 (24.6%)
- Bioscience: 18 (27.7%)
- Computer Science: 46 (70.8%)
- Chemistry: 9 (13.8%)
- Creative Arts: 22 (33.8%)
- Geoscience: 24 (36.9%)
- Medical: 23 (35.4%)
- Physics: 19 (29.2%)
- Meteorology: 2 (3.1%)
- Communication: 1 (1.5%)
Desired Future Features

Are there new SAGE2 capabilities you would like to see? (59 responses)

- Software Definition: 20 (33.9%)
- Video streaming: 53 (89.8%)
- Pixel streaming: 15 (25.4%)
- Stereoscopic: 26 (44.1%)
- Web VR (webVR): 38 (64.4%)
- Jupyter integration: 20 (33.9%)
- Cloud-based: 27 (45.8%)
- Other: 3 (5.1%)
Web Apps Survey

http://sage2.sagecommons.org/SAGE2-Apps-edited.htm

Integration with Scientific Workflows

Jupyter
Jupyter

- **Jupyter** is becoming a popular data science platform
- **JupyterLab** aims to build on **Jupyter Notebooks** to provide a powerful, extendable interface

- We provide an extension to **JupyterLab** to integrate **SAGE2** into Jupyter-based data science workflows

[http://jupyter.org](http://jupyter.org)

Andrew Burks (UIC)
User Interface Improvements

Voice Commands
Remote Pointers
Voice Commands

• Users can control SAGE wall and applications like Siri.

• Three types of commands:
  • Wall
    – Tile content, launch application, restore session
  • Application
    – Maximize, share, context menu entries
  • User Interface
    – Time, help

Dylan Kobayashi
UH Manoa
Scalable Amplified Group Environment
Remote Pointers

Improves distance collaboration by enabling remote users to simultaneously point at things in shared documents.
Scalable Amplified Group Environment
Management Capabilities

Cloud-based Installation
Performance Monitoring
SAGE2cloud

• Simplify SAGE2 deployment
  – One click SAGE2 server installation and configuration
  – Monthly SAGE2 version selector
  – One-click updater
  – Support for multiple users and machines

• Provide a scalable environment for deploying and managing multiple SAGE2 servers

Victor Mateevitsi, UIC
SAGE2cloud Implementation

Single Machine

Multiple Machines
SAGE2™

Scalable Amplified Group Environment
SAGE2 Performance Monitoring

Performance monitoring tool to monitor the general “health” of the SAGE2 system - to quickly pinpoint the cause of bottlenecks.

Krishna Braradwha, UIC

www.sagecommons.org
Application Development

Synchronized Movieplayer
Chemistry Viewer
Notepad
Unity3D
Synchronized Movie Control

Control of multiple video players together to allow synchronized views of pre-rendered scientific visualizations.

Thank you National Center for High Performance Computing (Taiwan) for the idea and feedback.

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NAR Labs
National Applied Research Laboratories
National Center for High-performance Computing

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SAGE2™

Scalable Amplified Group Environment
ChemViewer Updates

Expanded to show information from http://www.ebi.ac.uk/chebi/

Jared McLean
UH Hilo
Notepad Update

Now supports text scrolling

Jirayu Rounsuriyaviboon
Mahidol University,
Thailand
Unity WebGL in SAGE2

Framework to allow developers to create Unity applications and use SAGE2 to display the application at the full resolution of the display wall

Arthur Nishimoto
UIC
Under Development

User Access Control
Application Data Sharing
User Access Control

• Distinguish between people using SAGE2
  – Access and authorization
  – Log activity—who did what
  – Scenarios and roles, e.g.
    • Group meeting with a leader
    • Teachers / students

Kristine Lee, UIC
User Access Control

Anonymous guests are prompted to log in

Create new user

Sign in existing user
User Access Control

User can also sign in/out in View > Settings

Sign out
Open the User Console via the Advanced menu

See who’s connected

Manage roles and permissions
User Access Control

Example scenario: only the teacher (admin role) has permission to use the wall

Actions by unauthorized users are disabled
SAGE User Access Model
Next Features

• Secure authentication
  – Currently using username/email as login keys
  – Integrate Passport/Express

• Authorized access to user console

• Extended role creation
  – Currently limited to admin/user/guest
Application Data Sharing

• Data sharing was added to SAGE2 application API to allow multiple applications to work as one large application
• Also enable applications to be designed like components that other developers can utilize
• Applications are able to launch other applications
• This allows not only data passing, but window manipulation

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Jason Haga (AIST)
SageRDI

Sage River Disaster Information

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Download Windows binary
Standalone binaries for Display and UI clients available
- Windows, macOS, Linux
Install scripts for major Linux distribution
Docker image on Docker Hub
- https://hub.docker.com/r/sage2/master/
Documentation

http://sage2.sagecommons.org/instructions/

- Installation documentation
- New features in V3
- Introduction to SAGE2
- User Interface walkthrough
- SAGE2 Security
- Mouse and keyboard operations and shortcuts
- Voice commands
- Developer documentation
- SAGE2 code and API
- Command line operation
SAGE2 @ SC17

Center for Data Intensive Science Booth 1653
AIST Booth 1211
SCinet
For Help

• Web
  – sagecommons.org

• Google group
  – https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/sage2

• Slack
  – sage2.slack.com
Thank You

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