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DISCOS towards CI

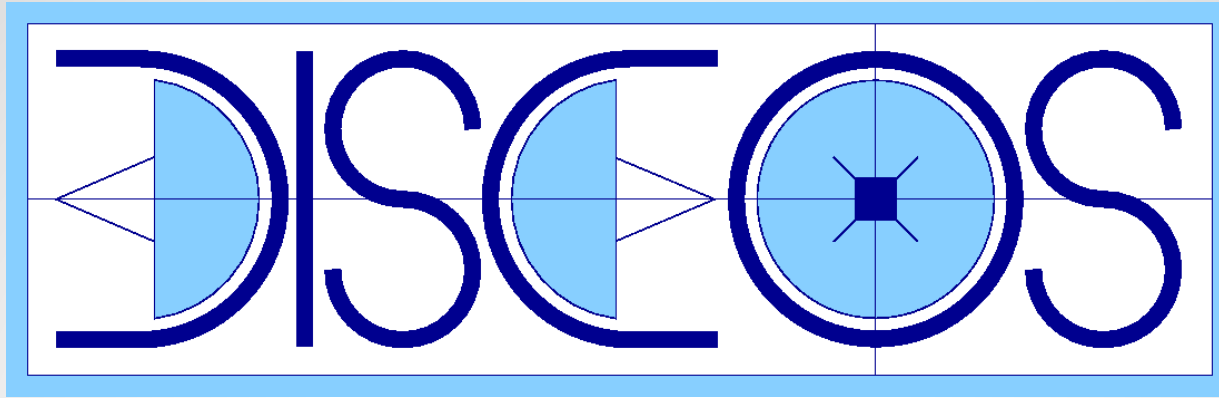
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on behalf of the DISCOS team

Outline

- DISCOS
- Continuous Integration
- Why CI?
- How CI?
- ICT related



Development of Italia Single-dish Control Software

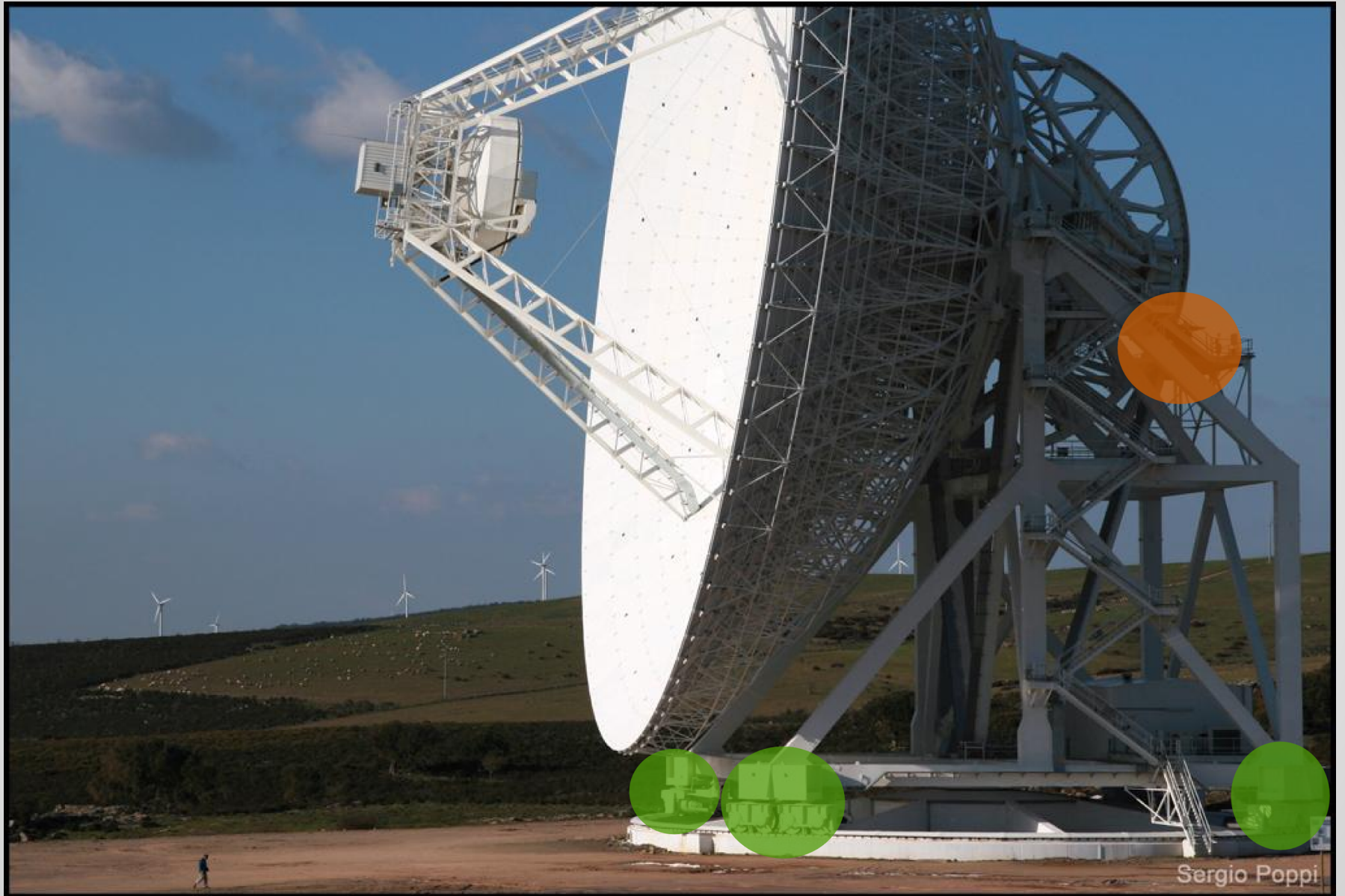
- Started at SRT with the development of Nuraghe control software
- Installed at INAF radiotelescopes of SRT, Medicina and Noto
- based on ACS framework developed at ESO <http://www.eso.org/~almamgr/AlmaAcs/>



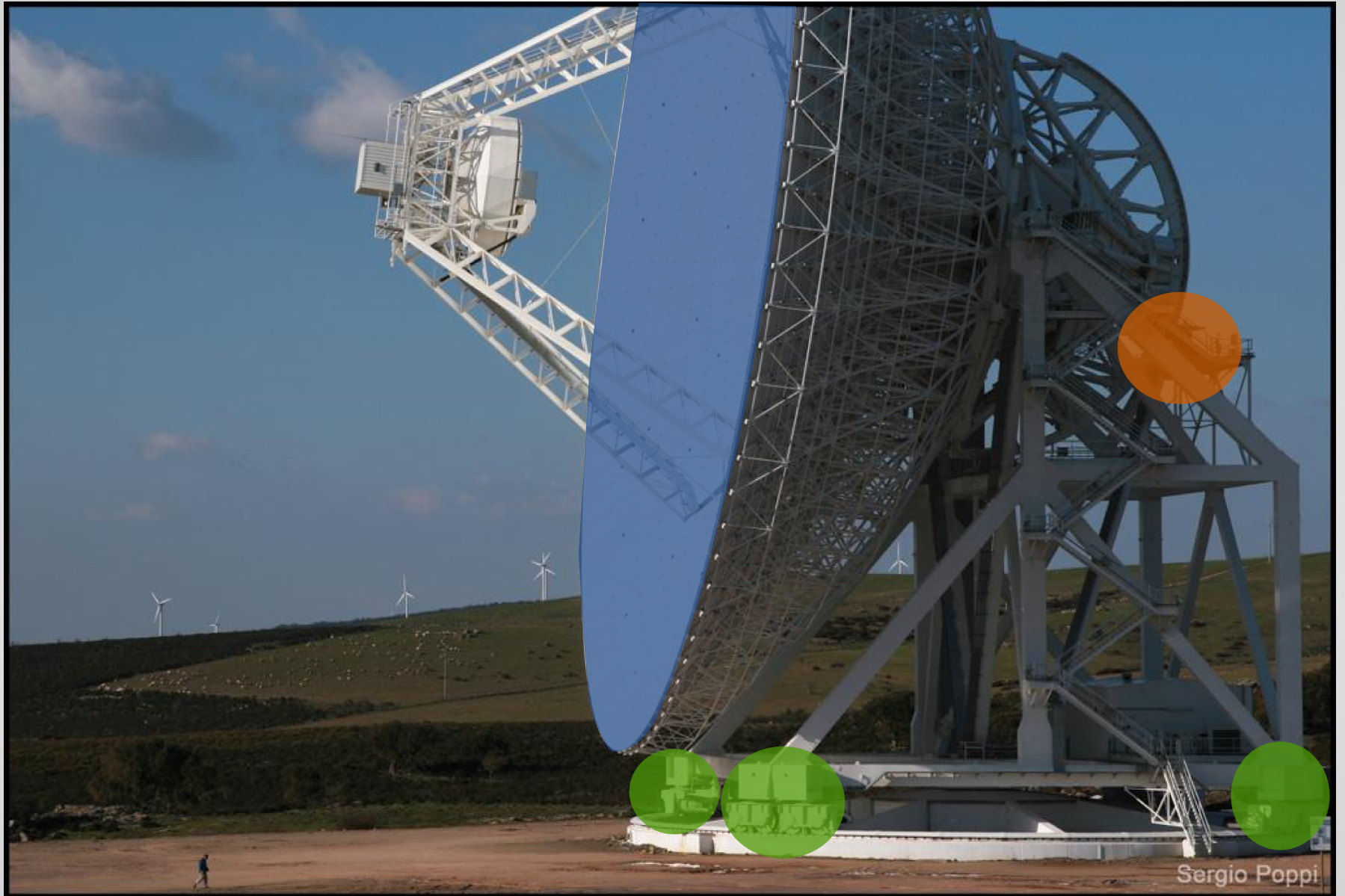
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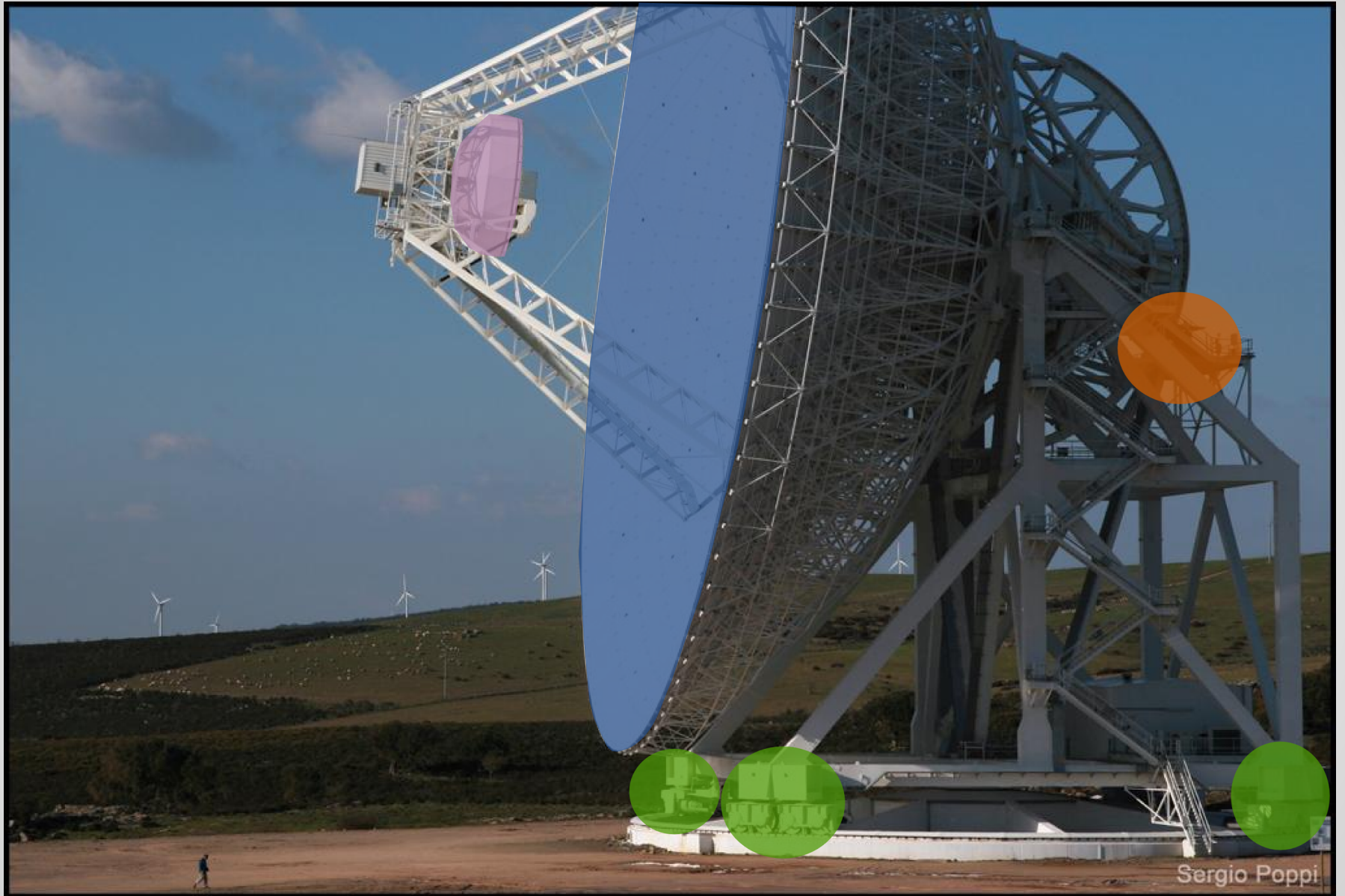
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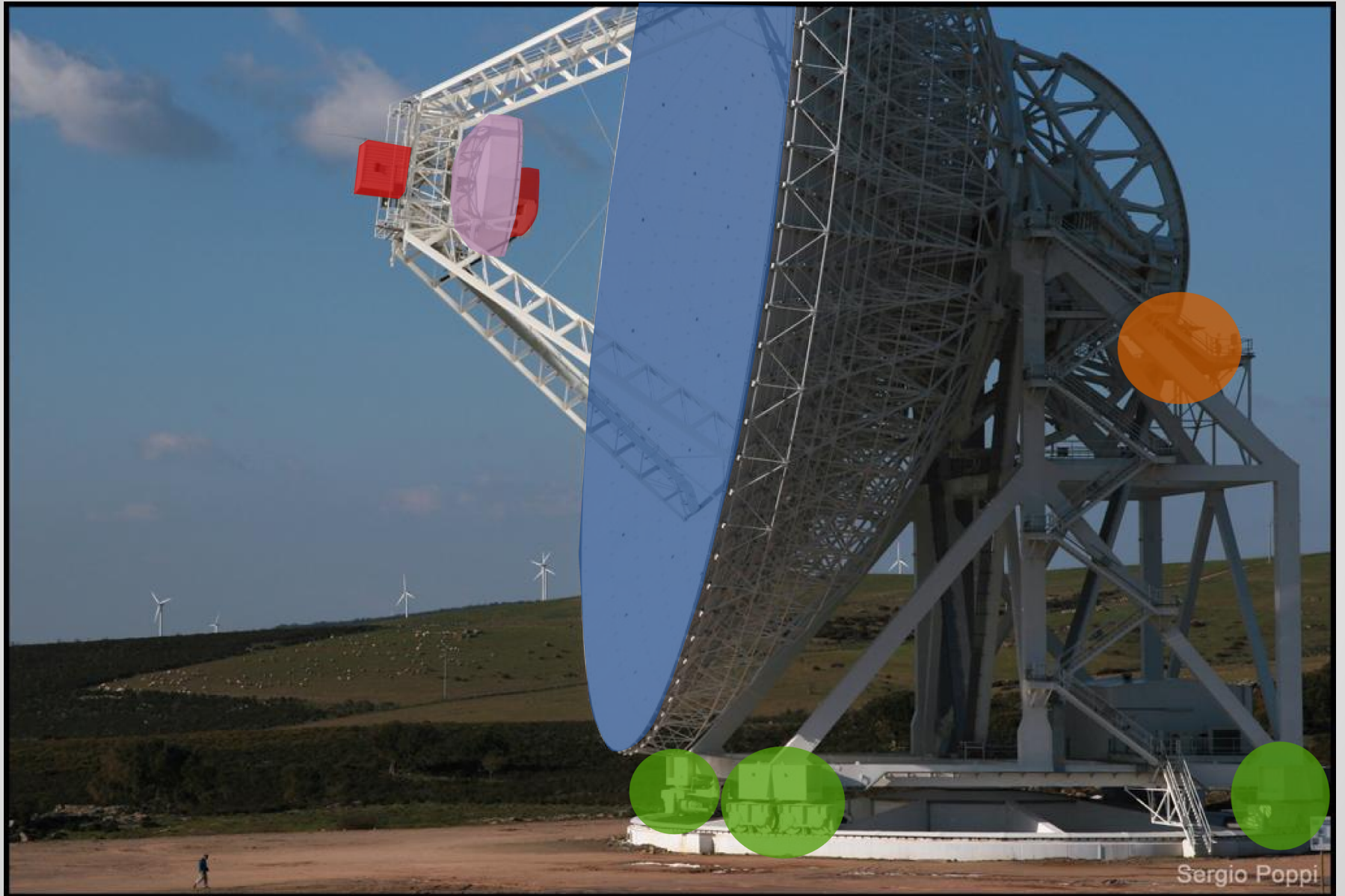
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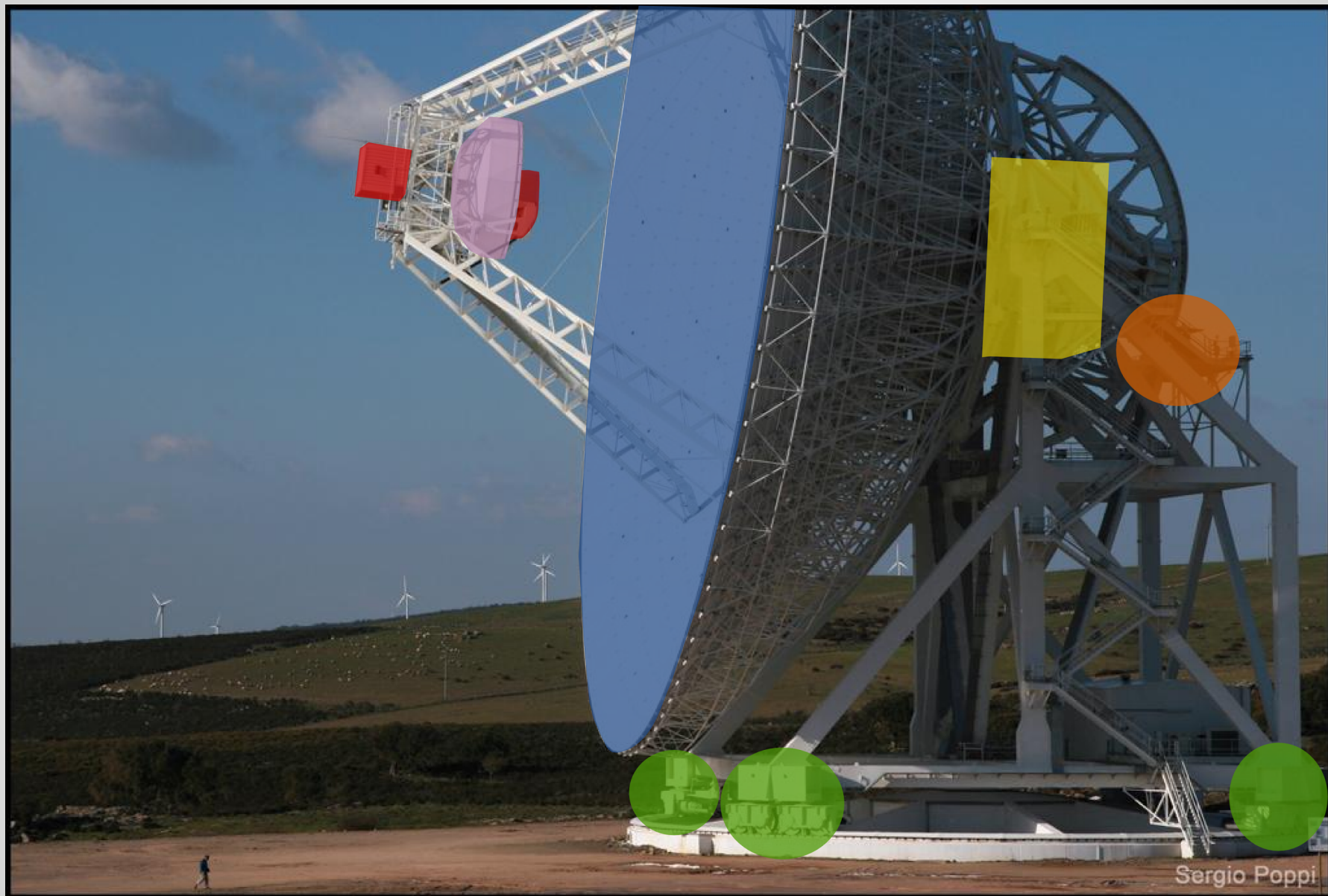
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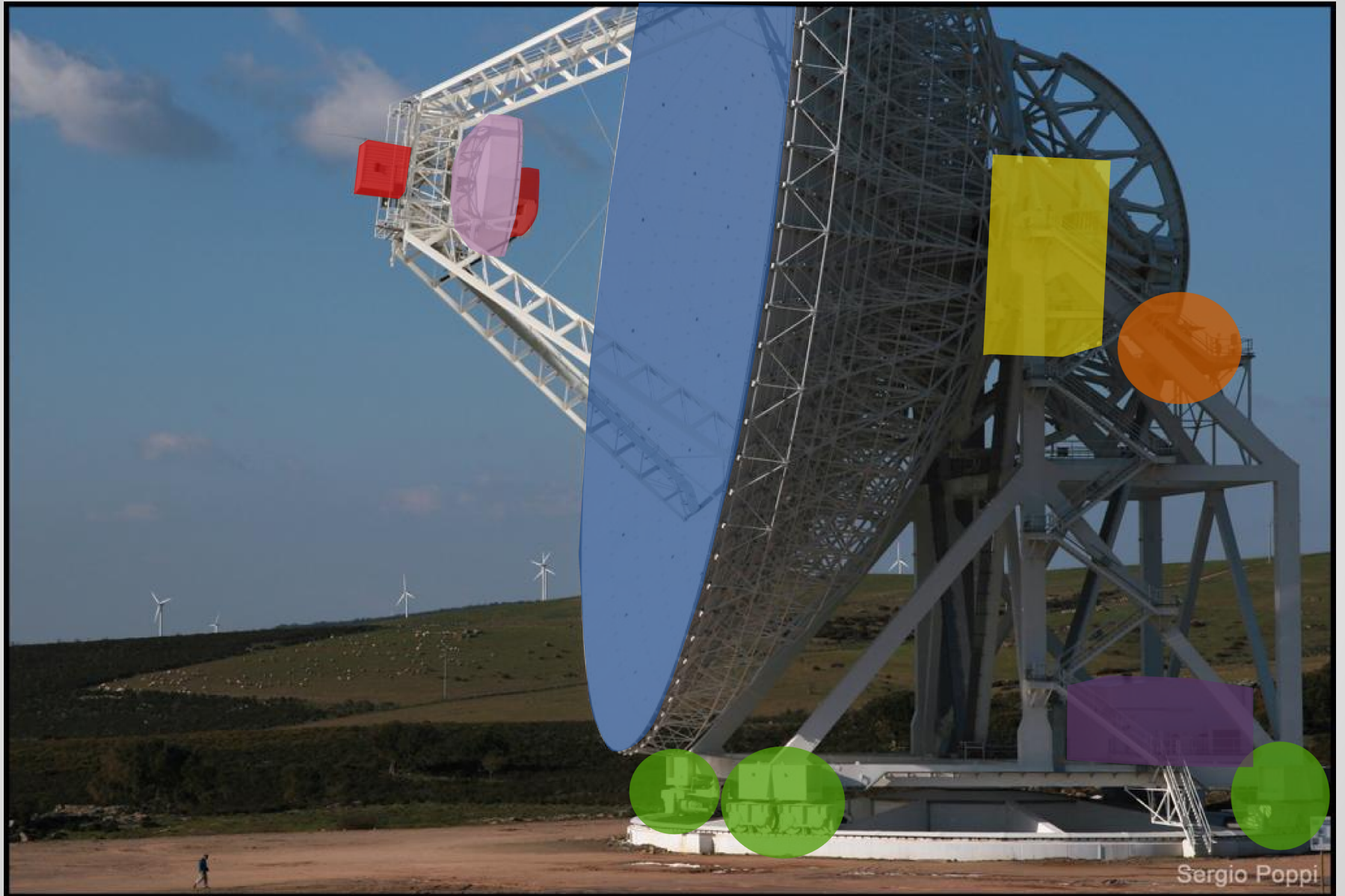
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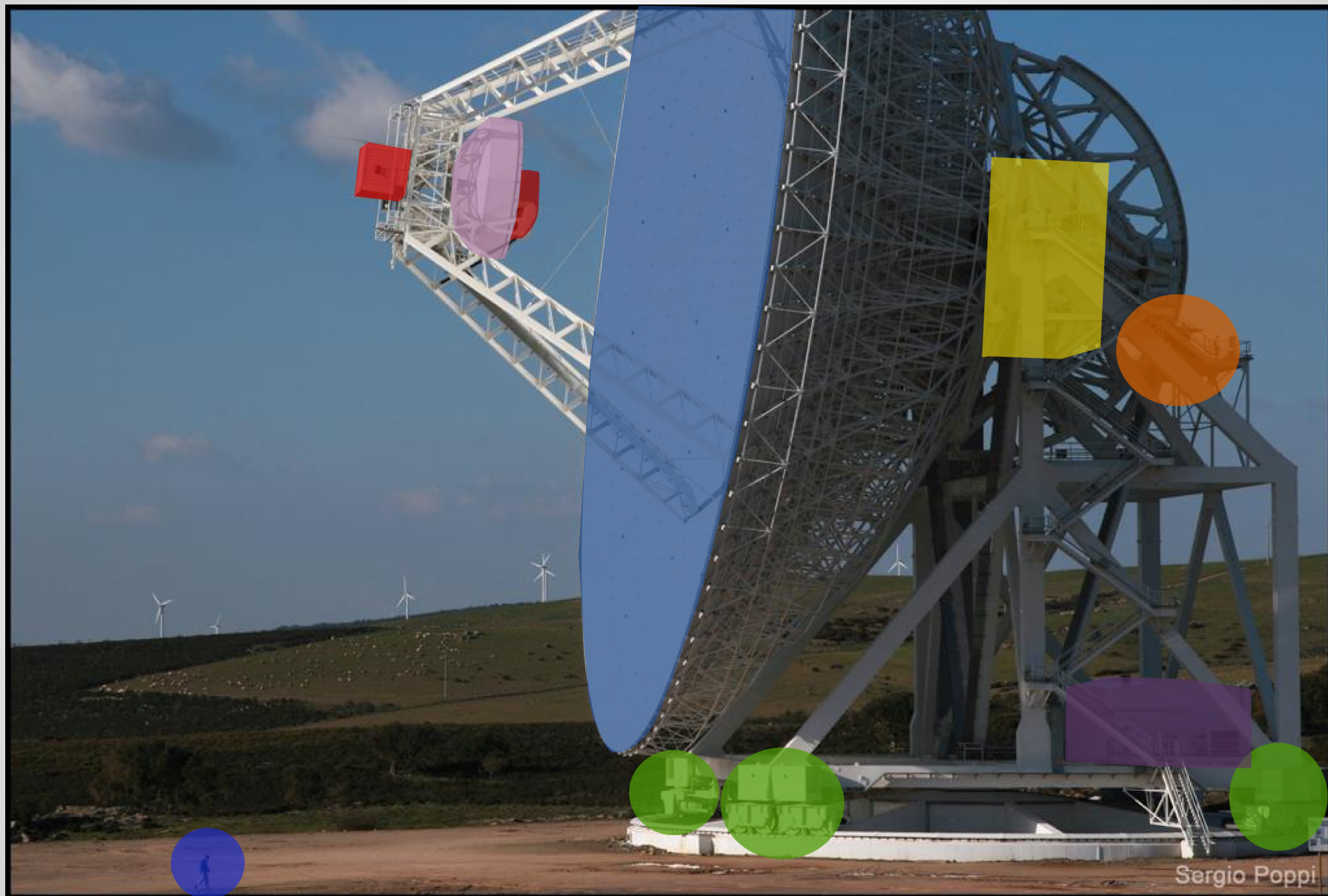
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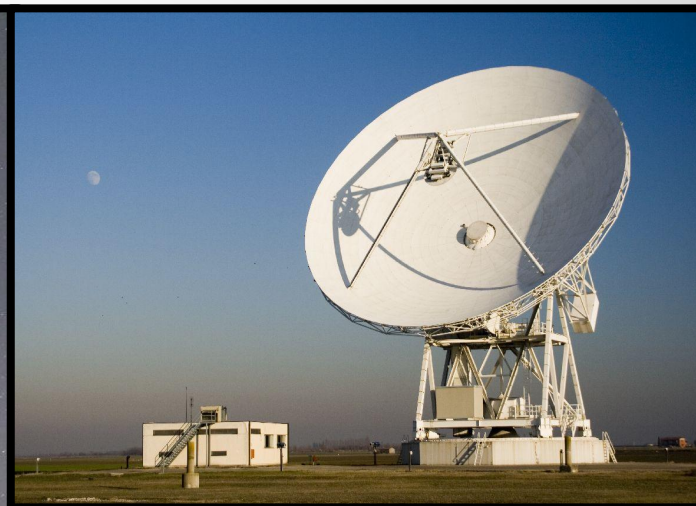
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DISCOS is Big and Growing

How big?

Totals grouped by language (dominant language first):

cpp:	383778 (72.59%)
xml:	85988 (16.26%)
ansic:	30854 (5.84%)
python:	26607 (5.03%)
sh:	1328 (0.25%)
fortran:	144 (0.03%)
perl:	14 (0.00%)

C++ Project	KNCSS
KDE	22000
Firefox	13000
PHP	2580
LibreOffice	864
ImageMagick	566
GIT	370
BASH	175

Total Physical Source Lines of Code (SLOC) = 528713

Development Effort Estimate, Person-Years (Person-Months) = 144.68 (1,736.17)

generated using David A. Wheeler's 'SLOCCount'.

statistics by www.openhub.net

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98 Hardware - Software possible configurations

DISCOS needs superpowers

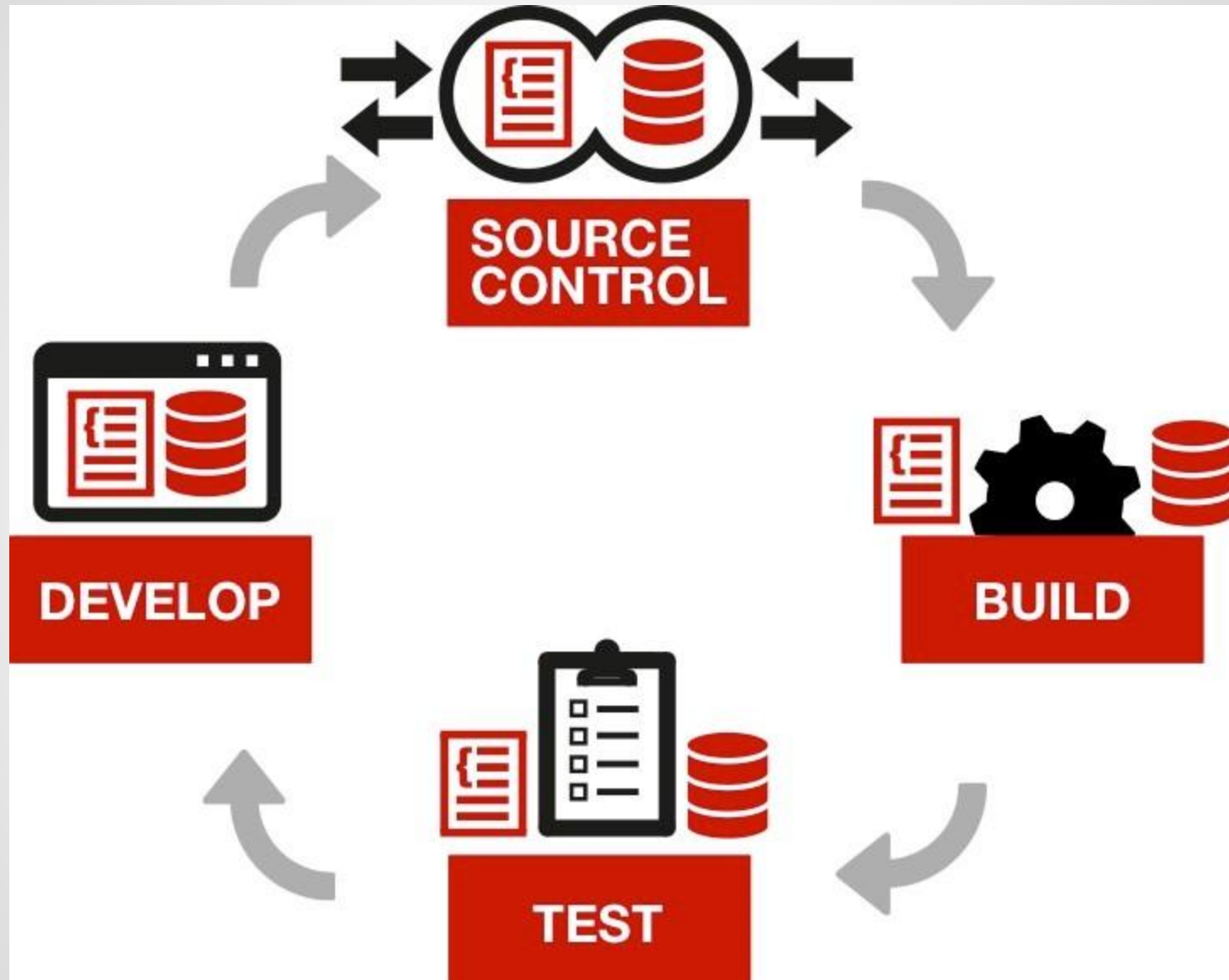


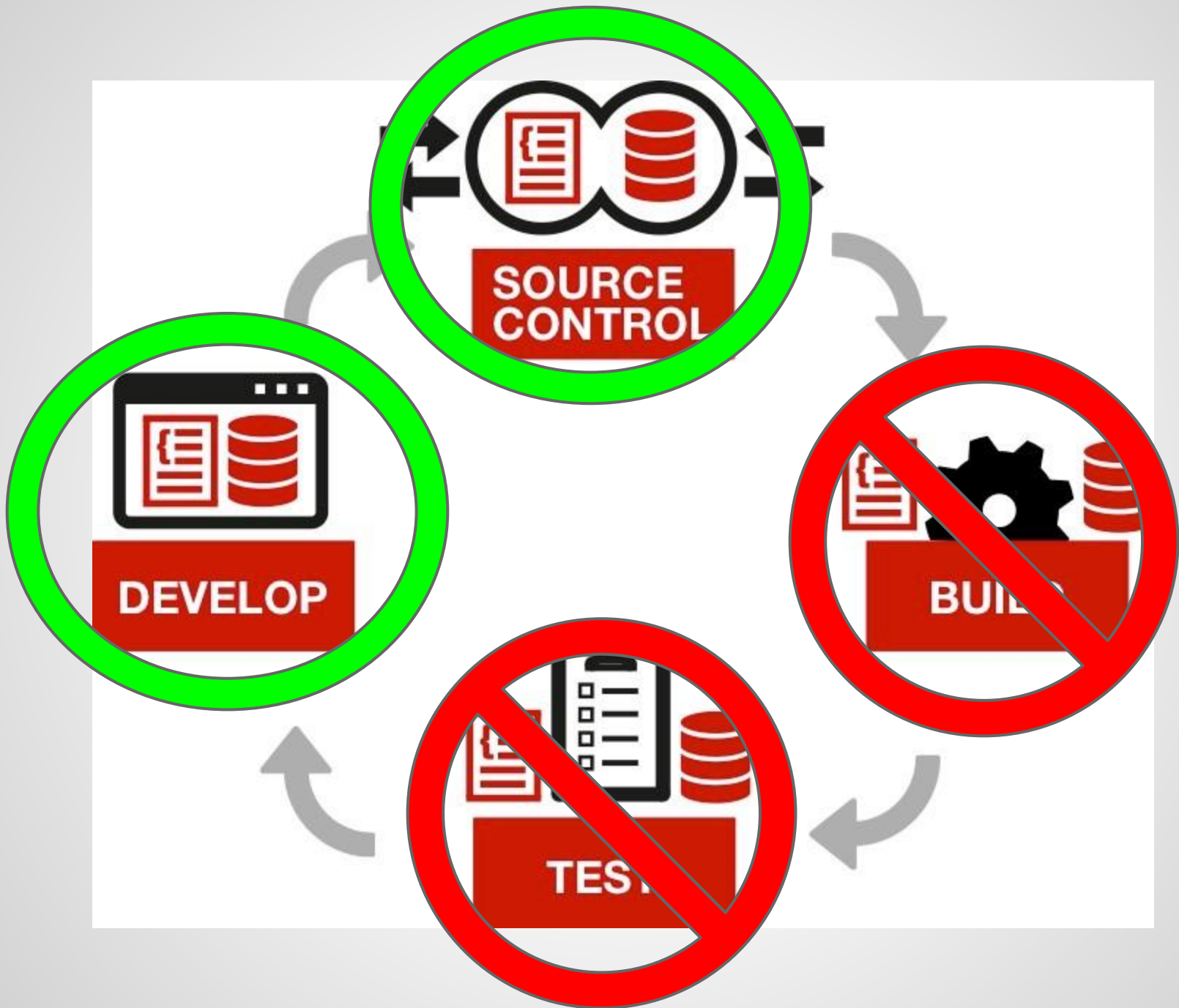
**In the perfect world ...
... everything is automated**

“How long does it take to deploy a change that involves a single line of code into production?”



Continuous Integration

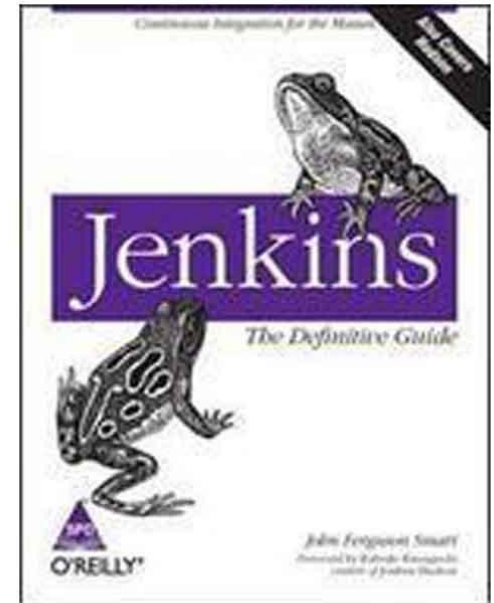




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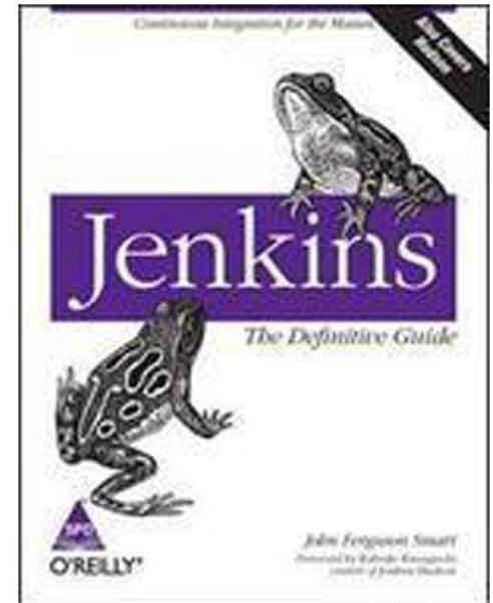


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A common environment

- Developers must run on the same environment
- The build server must be built on a solid and shared basis
- Production servers must share the same configuration as the build server
- Effective tests need to run on the same environment as the production servers

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Azdora

Automated build
server

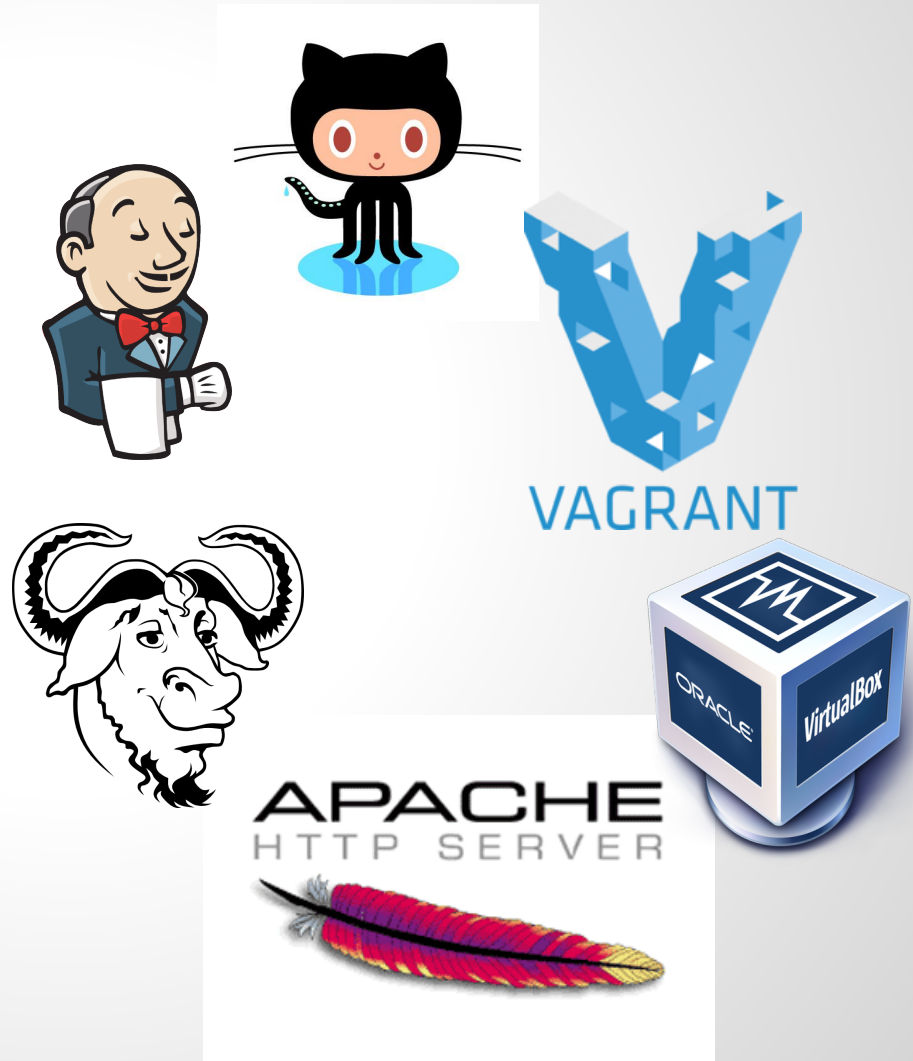


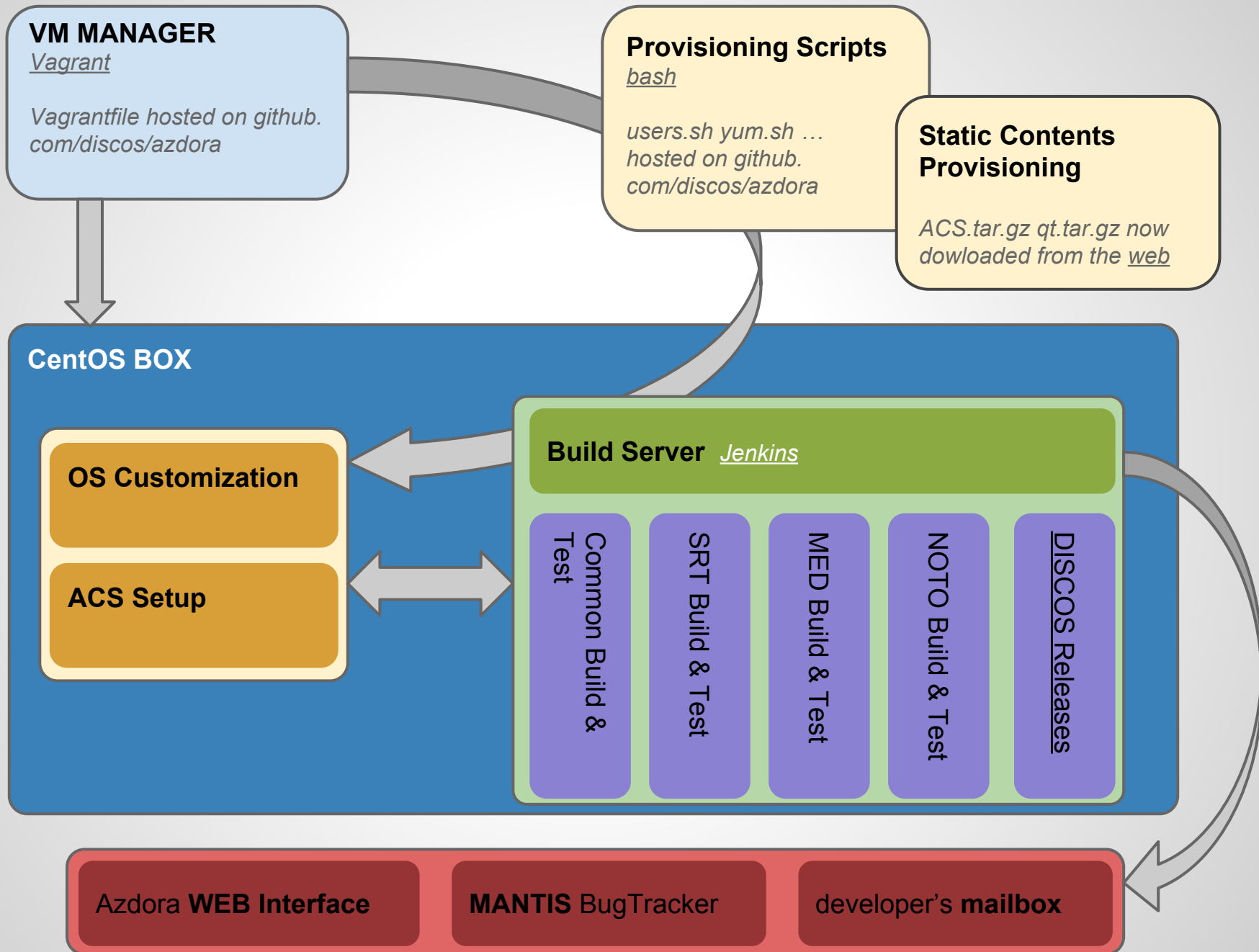
Azdora

- Our first **build server**
- Completely automated setup of a virtual machine with ACS installed and configured along with all necessary dependencies
- Jenkins installation for continuous integration
- Already configured for accessing nuraghe-devel, mantis BT , github ready
- Born for testing but can evolve into our standard management platform

Azdora technology stack

- Github
- Vagrant
- Virtualbox
- http file server
- bash provisioning
- jenkins CI





1.The Server

Vagrant <https://www.vagrantup.com/>

- Command line utility
- Automatically creates virtual machines
- Commands for managing VMs
- Automatically share resources between VM and host
- Automatic network configuration
- Flexible VM provisioning
- Work with VBox, VMWare, Docker, Hyper-V
- more than this ... vagrant share, vagrant push ...

Build env creation automation

- Automatically create and configure a VirtualBox VM
- Add a new Centos5 base box
- Configure the Virtual Machine properties
- Install base OS on the virtual machine
- install every defined customization (users, packages,...)
- run the Virtual Machine

```
$ git clone https://github.com/discos/azdora.git  
$ cd azdora  
$ vagrant up
```

2. Provisioning

BASH provisioning

- organized in different files, stored in a github repo
- define users
- configure guest os, yum, python packages
- install ACS
- can use an HTTP or FTP (or ...) server for downloading correct dependency files (i.e. QT, modbus ...)
- can be re-executed on the running VM

BASH provisioning alternatives

Python
Fabric



Static content provisioning

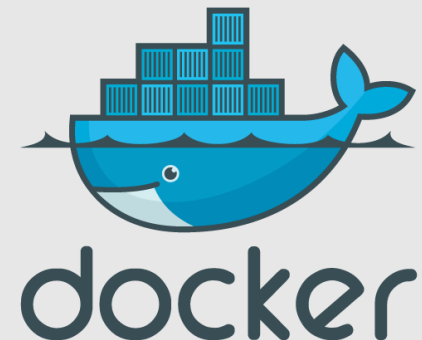
- Large files: ACS.tar.gz, qt-X11, jenkins-backup needed during installation
- Cannot use svn or git for those contents
- Now downloaded from the web when needed and stored by azdora for next use
- Can we host those somewhere?
- Should be publicly accessible, or at least network accessible in some protected way usable by provisioning scripts

Vagrant + Virtualbox

- testing and development can run on this platform
- Provisioning scripts can also run on production machines
- cannot deploy virtualbox machine in production environment

Docker alternative to VBox

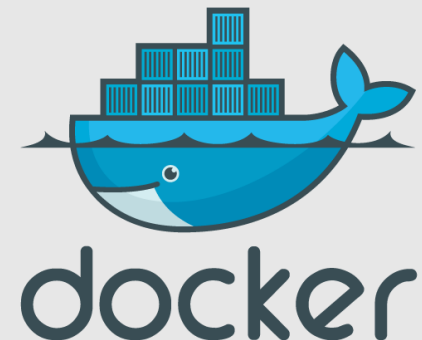
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Any
Experience?



3. Jenkins

Jenkins <https://jenkins-ci.org/>




- Automatic build server/job runner
- Java web application, can be deployed on its own server or any servlet container (glassfish, tomcat ...)
- 100K running instances around the world
- Good community support
- Rich plugin ecosystem

Jenkins in Azdora

- Installed by provisioning script `jenkins.sh` , uses an official rpm package
- Automated jobs (everything) integrated with our source code repository and bug tracking system
- runs as a service on the VM
- Backup and restore jenkins configuration via plugin

Jenkins interface


 **Azdora**


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azdora | log out


Jenkins


ENABLE AUTO REFRESH


 New Item


 People

 Build History

 Manage Jenkins

 Credentials

 My Views

 Jenkins 100K


Build Queue

No builds in the queue.








































Build Executor Status

1 Idle




Azdora will keep your house clean and tidy, and will cook great food for you!

 add description

AllMEDMED PipelineNTNT PipelineSRTSRT Pipeline+

S	W	Name ↓	Last Success	Last Failure	Last Duration	
		Build Nuraghe-0.5-rc Common [SRT]	1 mo 3 days - #8	1 mo 22 days - #7	1 hr 9 min	
		Build Nuraghe-0.5-rc Telescope [SRT]	1 mo 3 days - #6	N/A	27 min	
		Build Trunk Common [MED]	3 days 10 hr - #31	1 mo 28 days - #25	1 hr 11 min	
		Build Trunk Common [NT]	3 days 9 hr - #27	N/A	1 hr 12 min	
		Build Trunk Common [SRT]	3 days 11 hr - #25	N/A	1 hr 12 min	
		Build Trunk Telescope [MED]	3 days 7 hr - #25	N/A	8 min 30 sec	
		Build Trunk Telescope [NT]	3 days 7 hr - #20	N/A	1 min 28 sec	
		Build Trunk Telescope [SRT]	3 days 7 hr - #21	N/A	27 min	
		cdbChecker nuraghe-0.5-rc [SRT]	N/A	2 mo 1 day - #4	1 min 0 sec	
		cdbChecker trunk [MED]	2 mo 0 days - #6	1 mo 29 days - #7	28 sec	
		cdbChecker trunk [SRT]	N/A	16 days - #5	1 min 7 sec	
		Install Stable Build	3 days 7 hr - #65	N/A	12 sec	
		Package Stable Release	3 days 7 hr - #68	N/A	2 min 14 sec	

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[Legend](#)  [RSS for all](#)  [RSS for failures](#)  [RSS for just latest builds](#)

Jenkins Jobs

Source Code Management

- ☐ None
☐ CVS
☐ CVS Projectset
☒ Subversion

Modules

Repository URL

svn+ssh://nuraghe-devel.oa-cagliari.inaf.it/ACS/tags/nuraghe-0.5-rc/Common

Local module directory (optional)

./Common

Build Triggers

- ☐ Trigger builds remotely (e.g., from scripts)
☐ Build after other projects are built
☐ Build periodically
☒ Poll SCM

Schedule

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Would last have run at Monday, September

Ignore post-commit hooks ☐

Build

Execute shell

Command `bash -ex SystemBuild/build_common.sh`

Post-build Actions

E-mail Notification

Recipients

Whitespace-separated list of recipient addresses. May reference build parameters like \$PARAM. E-mail will be sent when a build

- ☒ Send e-mail for every unstable build
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Trigger parameterized build on other projects

Build Triggers

Projects to build

BuildNuraghe05rcTelescope

Trigger when build is

Stable or unstable but not failed

Trigger build without parameters ☐

Current build parameters

Jenkins Jobs

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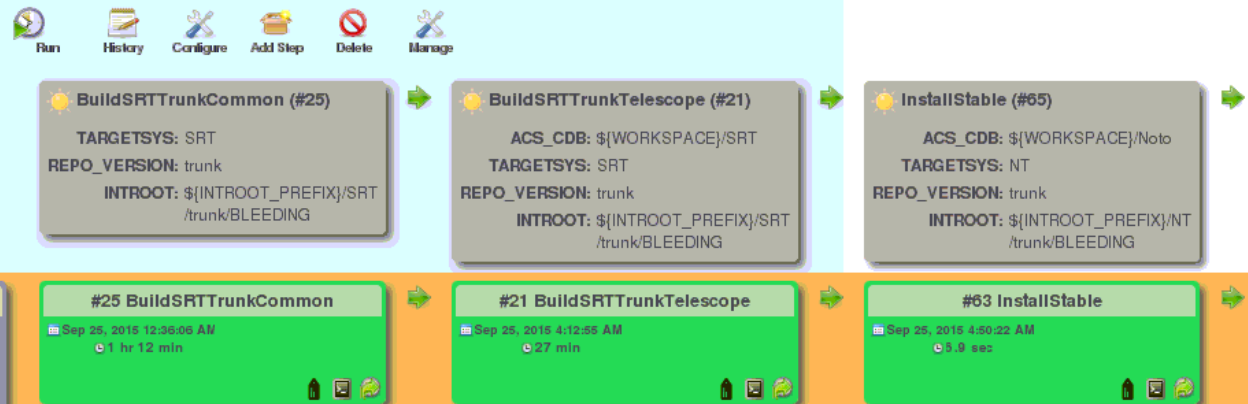
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Jenkins pipelines

- Each night checks for new commit
- If there have been commits, updates the trunk and tries to build it
- Repeat for SRT, MED, NT
- if build is stable install the resulting introot for later packaging
 - If build fails sends an email the authors of the changes
- Package the installation together with other meta informations into a .tar.gz file


















Jenkins SRT pipeline

Build Pipeline: SRT



Trunk stability






- First step has been to achieve stability in the building of the trunk branch
- Developers are alerted via email upon errors and issues are automatically closed by the server

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Other ICT infrastructures




DISCOS Github organization


- Academic&Research license
- 10 free private repositories
- Teams and permissions
- RST formatted project documentation and user manuals
- Minor Projects
- <http://github.com/discos>
- GIT vs SVN -> 130MB vs 3GB
- Some basic tools for project management

DISCOS Github page





[Pull requests](#) [Issues](#) [Gist](#)


  




Development of the Italian Single-dish Control System

 **Repositories**

 People **5**

 Teams **1**

 Settings

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doc
DISCOS documentation
Updated 20 days ago

Python ★ 0 1

discos-backend
External backend integration into DISCOS
Updated on Jun 15






Python ★ 0 0

azdora
Continuous integration tools for DISCOS
Updated on Jun 3

Shell ★ 0 1

People

5 >




[Invite someone](#)

HOWTO LICENSE???

Readthedocs

- github integration
- completely free
- automatic documentation generation
- automatic documentation hosting
- consistent documentation style
- <http://discos.readthedocs.org>

Readthedocs example

 **DISCOS Control Software**
latest

Search docs

☐ User's guide: Observing with DISCOS

Medicina

Noto

☐ Sardinia Radio Telescope (SRT)

Release notes

Overview

Checklist for schedule-based observations

Nuraghe startup

Initial setup

Antenna operations

Frontend operations

Backend operations

Command-line measurements and acquisitions

[Docs](#) » [User's guide: Observing with DISCOS](#) » [Observing at the SRT with Nuraghe](#) »

Antenna operations

 [Edit on GitHub](#)

Antenna operations

Besides the overall telescope setup previously described, individual commands are available to change the antenna mount status and manage its steering/pointing:

> `antennaReset`

resets the antenna status after a failure, for example after the emergency stop button is released

> `antennaUnstow`

it only performs the unstow procedure

> `antennaSetup=[code]`

`code`: LP - for both L and P bands -, CCB, KKG

it unstows the antenna (if it is stowed) then it sets the pointing model and the minor servo system

Build Server

- Only one server for both SVN and Jenkins VM
- Each build takes 1h
- Many builds per night, VM cannot execute parallel builds
- SVN is slow and Jenkins also

ICT Forum

- Last year I'm among the best contributors ;)
- It did not work, shall we reconsider this instrument?

Re: Owncloud

by **bartolini.marco** » Tue May 05, 2015 1:48 pm

 **EDIT**    **QUOTE**

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Joined: Tue Oct 28, 2014 12:18 pm

 PM

Ciao a tutti,
mi trovo a dover condividere uno spazio di lavoro con altri colleghi di vari istituti INAF e mi chiedevo se posso già proporre in maniera ufficiale "owncloud"
nell'implementazione fatta su <https://ia2-owncloud.oats.inaf.it> . Sarebbe molto comodo.

ONLINE

DVCSs

Distributed Version Control Systems

- After last ICT workshop I circulated a document about DVCS that raised some interest (see [forum](#))
- On the ICT-Forum it seems to prevail an “homemade github” option
- Nobody did anything, we opened a working github organization
- Are we sure we have the manpower to manage in-house installations?

Supercomputing

- RAW data rate of 10GB/sec. $< D < 128\text{GB/sec.}$
- Needs realtime data reduction
- Mainly based on FPGA and GPU technologies deployed on dedicated hardware.



The End