



PARAM HIMALAYA ACCOUNT REQUEST FORM

User Details:

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Organization Name: _____

Organization Address: _____

Gender: _____

Department: _____

Designation: _____

(Designation: If student, provide the details below)

Roll No.: _____ Course: _____ Academic Year: _____

Official Email address: _____

Office no.: _____ Mobile no.: _____

(If research, provide the details below)

Nature of the Research: _____

Project Details:

Project Name: _____

Nature of the Project: _____

Brief Description of the Project: _____

Project Start Date: _____ Project Duration: _____
Proposed work on PARAM Himalaya & requirement of resources: _____

PARAM Himalaya HPC facility usage policies:

1. The resources provided to you on PARAM Himalaya facility should not be used for any commercial purpose i.e. it is restricted for the academic use like research projects, academic projects, NSM projects, NSM approved MSME projects and scientific projects.
2. Sharing your login credentials with some third person will revoke the responsibility of PARAM Himalaya administration committee for data theft and your account will also be disabled. The third person will also be held accountable for misusing the PARAM Himalaya facility.
3. It is strictly recommended that you should not run jobs on login node and any such incident reported will result in cancellation of the job and any repeat action will result in closure of your account.
4. You will be responsible for informing the PARAM Himalaya administration about your project completion, project cancellation and moving or copying data related to your project from PARAM Himalaya.
5. You will be solely responsible for keeping your password strong and safe.
6. If found in any engagement or promotion of activities like hacking, reverse-engineering, violating intellectual property rights on or using the PARAM Himalaya facility, you will be barred from having account on any Supercomputer setup under the National Supercomputing Mission.
7. The facility is built with least downtime requirement; however, it depends on various factors like hardware reliability, power outage, network outage, scheduled maintenance due to which the facility could be unavailable completely/partially. Notification of all scheduled / unscheduled maintenance will be made known to the users via website, email, broadcast message, newsgroups etc.
8. This facility will not be used for any purpose connected with chemical or biological or nuclear weapons or missiles capable of delivering such weapons.
9. User is the owner and hence responsible for all data copied and generated using PARAM Himalaya, and PARAM Himalaya administration is not responsible for the same.
10. It is the responsibility of the users to protect the data they may generate under \$HOME and \$SCRATCH. Hence users should regularly backup their data on their local systems and PARAM Himalaya administration is not responsible for any loss of user data.
11. Acknowledging the usage of the facility is mandatory.

If you use supercomputers and services provided under the National Supercomputing Mission, Government of India, please let us know of any published results including student thesis, conference papers, journal papers and patents obtained.

Performa for acknowledging the usage:

We acknowledge National Supercomputing Mission (NSM) for providing computing resources of 'PARAM Himalaya at IIT Mandi, which is implemented by C-DAC and supported by the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY) and Department of Science and Technology (DST), Government of India.

Also, please submit the copies of dissertations, reports, reprints and URLs in which "National Supercomputing Mission, Government of India" is acknowledged to:

HoD, HPC Technologies,

Centre for Development of Advanced Computing,
CDAC Innovation Park,
S.N. 34/B/1,
Panchavati, Pashan,
Pune – 411008
Maharashtra

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Communication of your achievements using resources provided by National Supercomputing Mission, will help the Mission in measuring outcomes and gauging the future requirements. This will also help in further augmentation of resources at a given site of National Supercomputing Mission.

I acknowledge the above mentioned usage policies & terms and conditions.

User's signature

Recommended/Not Recommended

Signature and seal of HoD/Head of Organization: (for IIT Mandi /Non IIT Mandi)

Name: _____

Designation: _____

Department: _____

Official Email address: _____

Only for Official Use

Approving Authority for IIT Mandi/NSM

Verified by:

Approving Authority:

Approved/Not Approved

Remarks: _____

Name, Signature and seal of approving authority

Information required for NSM (National Supercomputing Mission) users

Domain(s)*:

Sub-domain(s)*:

Application name(s)*:

(Indicative list of Domains and some of its applications)

Domain Name	Application Name
Astronomy & Astrophysics	ATHENA, CosmoMC
Atomic & Molecular Sciences	Gromacs, LAMMPS, NAMD, AMBER (Open Source)
Computational Biology	Biopython
Bioinformatics	mpiBlast, Clustaw- MPI, Fasta, Artemis, T-coffee
Chemical Sciences	Gromacs, LAMMPS, NAMD
Climate & Environment Sciences	MOM, Weather Research Forecasting model (WRF), COSMO
Computational Fluid Dynamics	OpenFoam, Tycho, Gerris flow Solver
Computational Physics	OOFEM
Computational Sciences	Gromacs, LAMMPS, NAMD, AMBER (open source)
Data analytics	RStudio, Apache Spark
Geological Sciences	Ferret
Data Visualization	GRADS, Ferret, ParaView
Material Sciences	Quantum Espresso, Q-chem
Quantum Mechanics	Abinit, NWChem, CP2K
Structural Engineering Mechanics	CODE-ASTER
AI/ML/DL	Tensorflow, Nvidia digits, pandas, numpy
Image Processing	OpenCV, Matplotlib, Scikit-image
Atmospheric/Ocean Modelling	MOM, Weather Research Forecasting model (WRF)

Please specify other application name if not listed above

(Note: The form may get rejected if the mandatory information is not provided)