Calculation projects rules.

Any researcher in the Cantoblanco campus with an active research project may request a calculation project at the Centro de Computación Científica (CCC-UAM). To guarantee the fair usage of the resources provided by the CCC-UAM, documentation that proves the affiliation of the researcher and their project status may be required by the administrators.

The application for an intensive calculation project is to be fulfilled at the CCC-UAM website, attaching a scientific memoir.

The approval of a project will be communicated to the researcher in charge. From that instant on, this researcher will be assigned the approved monthly calculation time. This researcher is the only valid representative to request modifications to the time assignment to the CCC-UAM.

Calculation projects have an expiry date determined by its request. However, the projects must be renewed annually. All projects are renewed in the same date, independently from their approval date.

Projects must be used only for research goals. The representative researcher is responsible of the project and the actions of the members of the group within its margins.

Calculation time will be billed according to the fares established by the Consejo Social de la UAM. Hard drive disk storage exceeding 1TB will be billed according to the official fares existing at the given moment. Hard drive disk storage under 1TB will be studied by the CCC-UAM during the process of approval of the project.

If a project results in a scientific publication, an explicit acknowledgement to the time conceded by the CCC-UAM is heartily recommended.

The underemployment or misuse of assigned resources may incur in a reduction or cancellation of the resources.

A directory dedicated to the project will be created in the storage area. The main directory belongs to the representative researcher Linux login. Responsibility regarding storage resources by the group will lie with the representative researcher.

If a login assigned to a project is deregistered, their files contained within the project directory will be assigned to the representative researcher Linux user.

Storage, installation and execution of software without a valid license is explicitly prohibited. The CCC-UAM is exempt from responsibility for any illegal software allocated within a calculation project directory.
Any modification to the project characteristics, such as the representative researcher e-mail address or the validity of some logins, must be communicated to the CCC-UAM.

All communications regarding the calculation project are responsibility of the representative researcher. The CCC-UAM will send all the information regarding the project to the representative researcher. The CCC-UAM will only attend petitions by the representative researcher.

Malpractice in the usage of assigned resources to the project will incur the deletion of the project.