

# **ORCHIDEE Training course**

Code management, installation, simulation,  
documentation

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# Finding information

## Wiki and web site

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### Official web site

<http://labex.ipsl.fr/orchidee>

### ORCHIDEE wiki

On the wiki you find useful information about on-going developments and help to use the model. Lots of information is found in HowTo section

<http://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/orchidee/wiki>

You need a “**login forge**” to be used on the wiki. This login is needed to see the full content of the wiki, to edit the texte and also to see the SVN repository on the web interface. Write to orchidee-help to get a login.

# Finding information

## Email lists @ipsl.jussieu.fr

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All ORCHIDEE user's are invited to subscribe to:

**orchidee-dev** Discussion and information about ORCHIDEE  
**platform-users** Ask and answer questions about libIGCM  
Information about IPSL tools

2 email addresses for contact:

**orchidee-help** For technical questions  
**orchidee-project** To contact the ORCHIDEE project team

See how to subscribe :

<http://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/orchidee/wiki/GroupActivities/Contact>

# Finding information

## “Developer's meeting”

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**All users and developers of ORCHIDEE are welcome to ORCHIDEE developer's meetings** organized about every 2 months. These meetings consist in a presentation of a specific topic followed by discussions and questions. Meeting place in Jussieu but often a videoconference is set up.

See reports and presentations here :

<http://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/orchidee/wiki/GroupActivities/Meetings/Developer>

Information about these meetings are done at orchidee-dev email list.

# Finding information

## **Scientific documentation**

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- A scientific documentation is integrated in the code.
- It is generated using Doxygen, the documentation is generated in both pdf and html format.
- see here latest compiled version of the documentation :

<https://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/orchidee/wiki/Documentation>

# Code management through SVN

## What is SVN ?

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- All different versions of ORCHIDEE are managed through SVN.
- SVN, also called subversion, is a **versioning system** that helps to keep track of different versions. With subversion it is always possible to extract all previous versions of a specific directory.
- Main repository : `svn://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/orchidee`

# Code management through SVN

## Different versions of ORCHIDEE

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**Trunk** : The main version of ORCHIDEE. Each modification on the trunk has a specific revision number.

- ***Each revision is not fully validated***
- ***Some revision numbers are more tested, see wiki:***

<https://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/orchidee/wiki/ReferenceSimulations>

**Branch** : a version under development by a group of people. Different branches exist. A branch is a copy of the trunk that is modified. The goal is to integrate developements on the branch in the trunk.

**Perso** : each user can have one or several personal versions on svn. A personal version is a copy from the trunk, tag or branch at a specific moment. The user is responsible of his own version.

***Updates, bug corrections and re-integration in the trunk is not automatic and might be difficult.***

# Code management through SVN

## How to know which version I use ?

- When you communicate with other people, it is necessary to know exactly which version you use.
- Both version and revision number are needed.

```
> cd modipsl/modeles/ORCHIDEE  
> svn info
```

Version : trunk/ORCHIDEE

```
Path: .  
URL: svn://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/orchidee/trunk/ORCHIDEE  
Repository Root: svn://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/orchidee  
Repository UUID: f489ceea-5127-0410-b15c-c4a6149ed9a7  
Revision: 3917  
Node Kind: directory  
Schedule: normal  
Last Changed Author: fabienne.maignan  
Last Changed Rev: 3917  
Last Changed Date: 2016-11-18 14:34:53 +0100 (Fri, 18 Nov 2016)
```

Revision number : 1172

# Code management through SVN

## Login SVN

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- trunk and tags are public versions. No personal login is needed.  
Login public : sechiba

- **personal login : firstname.lastname**

All user/developer can ask for a personal login and a personal folder SVN. This login is used for accessing branches and personal folders. **A personal folder is only read and writeable for the owner.**

A personal folder is useful when starting a long development, for example for a phd or when a modified version of ORCHIDEE is used for an article. A personal folder helps for the

- traceability of code
- back up

# Install and compile

## How to install using modipsl

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*see also hands-on exercises this afternoon*

- **modipsl is a tool used to install and compile predefined configurations, for example ORCHIDEE offline or ORCHIDEE coupled to LMDZ**

- modipsl contains scripts for extraction of predefined configurations, creation of makefiles, creation of job and some more. modipsl is also a empty file tree that will receive the models and tools.

- use ***./model config*** to download a specific configuration

```
> svn co http://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/igcmg/svn/modipsl/trunk modipsl
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```
> cd modipsl/util
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> ./model -h                # list predefined configurations
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> ./model config           # extract a predefined configuration
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# Install and compile

## Predefined configurations with ORCHIDEE

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**ORCHIDEE\_trunk** : the latest version on ORCHIDEE/trunk for offline use. For new developments this is often the version to use. Note :

- You get the latest version of the trunk of ORCHIDEE : not always fully tested
- The trunk changes often : if you extract today and again next week there might be differences in the source code due to evolution of the trunk
- You can use this target to extract a branch, see further slides

**ORCHIDEE\_AR5** : off-line version used for reference CMIP5 simulations. Contains only source code without scripts for running.

# Install and compile Predefined configurations with ORCHIDEE

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**LMDZOR\_v6** : configuration under development. To be use for coupling the latest version of the trunk ORCHIDEE with LMDZ(atmospheric model). Currently corrsponding to IPSLCM6.0.5. Follow changes here:  
[http://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/igcmg\\_doc/wiki/DocHconfigBlmdzorv6](http://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/igcmg_doc/wiki/DocHconfigBlmdzorv6)

**LMDZOR\_v5** : old stable version with ORCHIDEE and LMDZ version corresponding to AR5 simulations (CMIP5).

**IPSLCM6.0.5-LR** : coupled configuration containing NEMO(ocean model), LMDZ and ORCHIDEE. Latest official version.

**IPSLCM6.0.6-LR** : Under construction. To be announced next week hopefully..

# Install and compile

## Install a branch or personal version

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You can modify the version of the ORCHIDEE source before extraction of a configuration. In **modipsl/util/mod.def**, modify line:

**#-C- ORCHIDEE\_trunk trunk/ORCHIDEE HEAD 14 ORCHIDEE modeles**

into

**#-C- ORCHIDEE\_trunk trunk/ORCHIDEE 2724 14 ORCHIDEE modeles**

or

**#-C- ORCHIDEE\_trunk branches/xxx/yyy HEAD 14 ORCHIDEE modeles**

For exemple:

**#-C- ORCHIDEE\_trunk branches/ORCHIDEE-MICT/ORCHIDEE HEAD 14 ORCHIDEE modeles**

# Install and compile Different platforms

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- Compiling options of ORCHIDEE is preconfigured at following platforms :
  - obelix** at LSCE
  - curie** at TGCC
  - ada** at IDRIS
  - ciclad and climserv** at IPSL
- Compiling at other machines need more time for installing pre-request (compiler, netcdf,..)
- The script `modipsl/util/ins_make` creates makefiles for the target machine.

# Install and compile **TGCC and IDRIS**

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To work on the TGCC or IDRIS computing centres you need:

- **a login connected to an existing group/project**, discuss with your supervisor/colleagues
- **CPU resources** in this group, yearly demand, discuss with your supervisor/colleagues
- **knowledge about the environment** at these centres : different machines, file systems, etc..
- **knowledge about how to calculate CPU consumption**

# Install and compile obelix

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ORCHIDEE\_trunk and LMDZOR\_v6 can be used at obelix.

- **Note 1.** The Job PBS directive for the core distribution needs to be changed if using more than 8 MPI. For example if using 32MPI, the headers will be

**#PBS -l nodes=1:ppn=32**

but needs to be changed to

**#PBS -l nodes=4:ppn=8**

- **Note 2.** When running LMDZ at obelix, change in run.def to:  
**use\_filtre\_fft=n**
- **Note 3.** Hybrid MPI-OpenMP mode has not been tested

# Install and compile ciclad and climserv

ORCHIDEE\_trunk and LMDZOR\_v6 can be used in standard configuration with modipsl and libIGCM on ciclad and climserv. See specific information here :

[http://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/igcmg\\_doc/wiki/DocBenvDipslAciclad](http://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/igcmg_doc/wiki/DocBenvDipslAciclad)

- **Note 1.** Modification in default compilation of XIOS needed to using netcdf sequential, add **--netcdf\_lib netcdf4\_seq** in modipsl/config/AA\_make on the line make\_xios as follow:

```
(cd ../../modeles/XIOS ; ./make_xios --netcdf_lib netcdf4_seq  
--prod --arch ${FCM_ARCH} --job 8 ; cp bin/xios_server.exe ../../bin/. ; )
```

- **Note 2.** Change PBS directive as for obelix, for 32 MPI set  
**#PBS -l nodes=4:ppn=8**

# Install and compile

## Compiling ORCHIDEE

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- **Compiling is done with a main Makefile in `modipsl/config/ORCHIDEE_OL` directory (or `LMDZOR_vx`)**
- The main Makefile launch compilation of XIOS, IOIPSL and finally ORCHIDEE
- Inside the main Makefile, the script **`makeorchidee_fcm` is launched to compile ORCHIDEE**. This compile script is based on the tool FCM.
- Dependencies between modules are determined automatically. No modifications are needed if you add a module in one of the existing `src_` directories.
- **Specific platform dependent compile options are set in `modipsl/modeles/ORCHIDEE/arch/` directory**. 2 files per platform: `arch-ifort_LSCE.fcm` and `arch-ifort_LSC.path`

# Install and compile makeorchidee\_fcm

*makeorchidee\_fcm*: a script launched by the main Makefile in config/ORCHIDE\_OL

Example 1 : compile at curie(TGCC) for MPI parallel run mode

**`./makeorchidee_fcm -parallel mpi -arch X64_CURIE -driver`**

Example 2 : compile at ada(IDRIS) for MPI-OpenMP parallel run mode

**`./makeorchidee_fcm -parallel mpi_omp -arch X64_ADA -driver`**

Example 3 : compile at obelix(LSCE)

**`./makeorchidee_fcm -arch ifort_LSCE -driver`**

Example 4 : compile using gfortran compiler for sequential run mode

First make sure that the files arch/gfortran.fcm and arch/gfortran.path are suitable for your environment especially the path to netcdf library.

**`./makeorchidee_fcm -parallel seq -arch gfortran -driver`**

Example 5 : clean files created during previous compilation

**`./makeorchidee_fcm -clean`**

# Install and compile

## How to compile ?

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### Compiling off-line driver for the trunk version

```
> cd modipsl/config/ORCHIDEE_OL  
> gmake
```

or to compile without XIOS (only IOIPSL)

```
> gmake without_xios
```

After successful compiling,  
executables are found in :

modipsl/bin/

# Install and compile

## Steps to follow for installation at a new platform

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- 1. Install modipsl and the configuration ORCHIDEE\_trunk
- 2. Modify compile options in following files:
  - modipsl/util/**AA\_make.gdef** (used for compilation of IOIPSL)
  - modipsl/modeles/**XIOS/arch/arch/arch-yourtarget.[fcm/path/env]**
  - modipsl/modeles/**ORCHIDEE/arch/arch/arch-yourtarget.[fcm/path]**

*Note: the variable FCM\_ARCH in AA\_make.gdef is the name of the arch files in ORCHIDEE/arch and XIOS/arch.*

- 3. Recreate makefiles with target chosen above and compile as usual  
cd modipsl/util; ./ins\_make -t yourtarget

=> Requirements are MPI and netCDF4 library.

Additional requirements: parallel library NetCDF4/HDF5

=> It is possible to compile and use without XIOS and without MPI.

# Simulation

## Input files to run in off-line mode

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**Executables** : orchidee\_ol + xios\_server.exe (optional)

**Parameter files** : run.def : text file with run options  
iodef.xml, context\_orchidee.xml, field\_def\_orchidee.xml,  
file\_def\_orchidee.xml (optionals)

### **Boundary conditions**

forcing\_file.nc : climate forcing variables

PFTmap.nc : vegetation map (optional)

### **Initial state files - if no restart files**

soils\_param.nc, soils\_param\_usdatop.nc(optional)

PFTmap.nc : vegetation map

routing.nc : river routing (optional)

floodplains.nc and cartepente2d\_15min.nc (optional)

reftemp.nc : temperature (optional)

alb\_bg.nc : background albedo (optional)

### **Restart files (input/output)**

driver\_rest\_in.nc, sechiba\_rest\_in.nc, stomate\_rest\_in.nc

# Simulation

## Output files produced by ORCHIDEE

### Restart files

By default, the model produces 3 restart files : for the driver, sechiba and stomate components. Theses files are used to restart the model for next period.

**1<sup>st</sup> execution, no restart file to start the model** Files produced are :  
driver\_rest\_out.nc, sechiba\_rest\_out.nc, stomate\_rest\_out.nc

**2<sup>nd</sup> execution, before rename restart files produced in 1<sup>st</sup> run into :**  
driver\_rest\_in.nc, sechiba\_rest\_in.nc, stomate\_rest\_in.nc

**and add following in run.def :**

```
SECHIBA_restart_in =      sechiba_rest_in.nc  
STOMATE_RESTART_FILEIN = stomate_rest_in.nc  
RESTART_FILEIN =         driver_rest_in.nc
```

**3<sup>rd</sup> execution, rename restart files produced in 2<sup>nd</sup> run**

**etc...**

# Simulation

## Output files produced by ORCHIDEE

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### **Diagnostics “history files”**

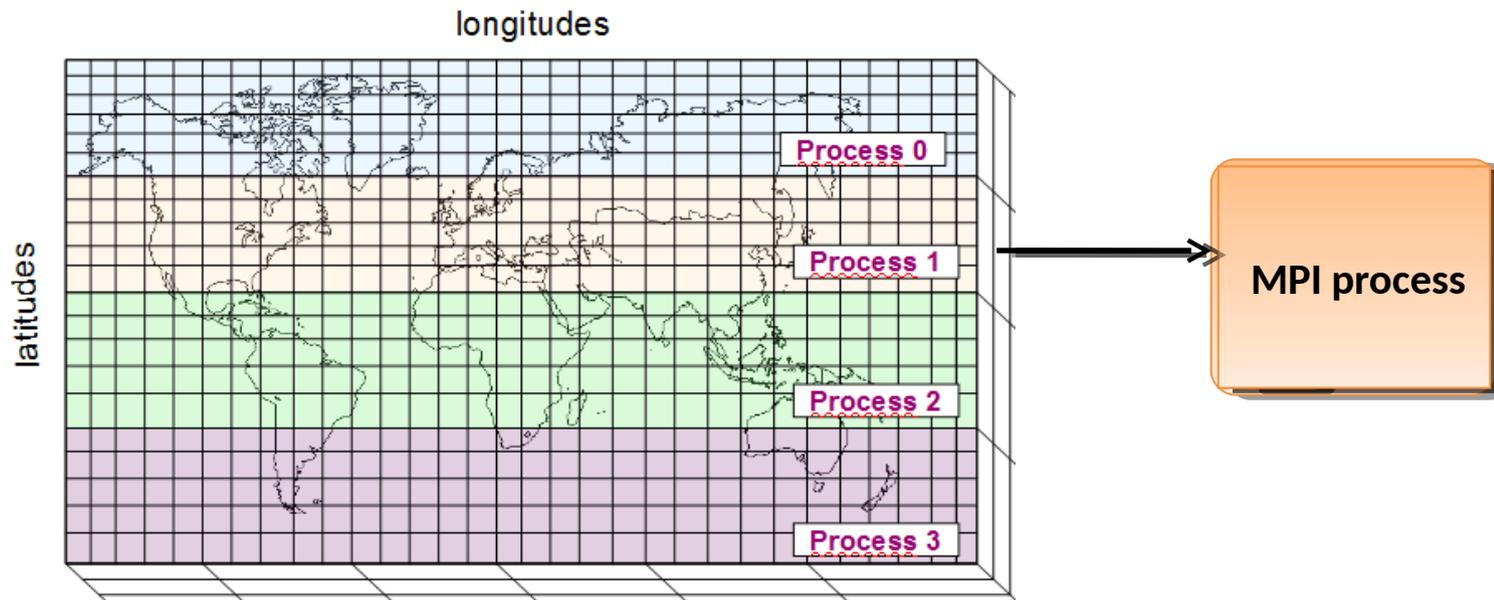
The diagnostics/output are written by XIOS in netCDF format. Different files, with different levels of output can be configured :

sechiba\_history.nc  
sechiba\_out\_2.nc  
stomate\_history.nc  
stomate\_ipcc\_history.nc

*See hands on exercises how to change level and frequency.*

# Simulation

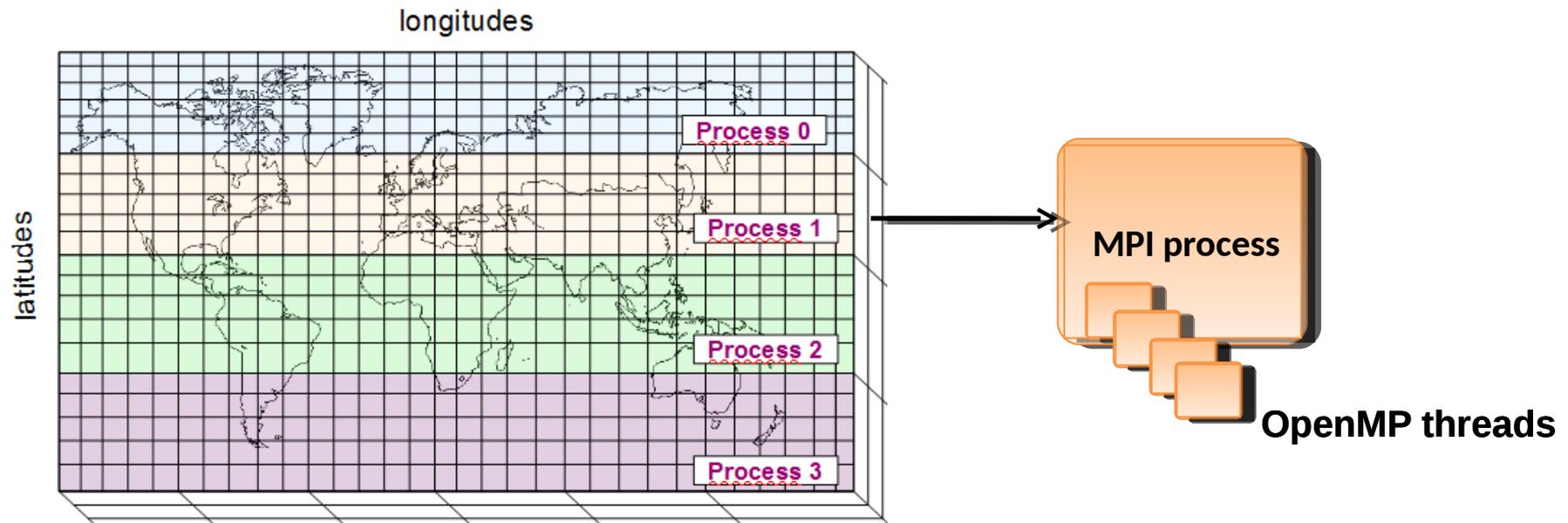
## Parallel mode



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# Simulation

## Parallel mode



- **MPI parallelisation (distributed memory)** : the global domain is divided into sub-domains, each MPI process treats one sub-domain on one computing core.
- **Hybrid MPI + OpenMP (distributed + shared memory)** : each MPI process treats one sub-domain, each MPI process run OMP threads, each OMP threads treats a new subdivision of the sub-domain. *Only possible in coupled mode with LMDZ.*

# Simulation

## Configurations using libIGCM

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**libIGCM is a script library developed at IPSL**  
S. Denvil in charge

Training courses are frequently given to use libIGCM

See documentation here:  
[http://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/igcmg\\_doc/Doc](http://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/igcmg_doc/Doc)

# Simulation

## ORCHIDEE\_OL configuration using libIGCM

Content in **modipsl/config/ORCHIDEE\_OL**, in the trunk:

OOL\_SEC\_STO  
OOL\_SEC  
SPINUP\_ANLAYTIC  
FORCESOIL  
TESTSTOMATE

} Classic submit directories for  
different experiments using libIGCM

} } Obsolete : Not longer maintained in the trunk

ENSEMBLE  
SPINUP

} More complex configurations  
used for FLUXNET simulations

AA\_make  
AA\_make.ldef  
Makefile

} Files for compilation

# Simulation

## ORCHIDEE\_OL configuration using libIGCM

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### **OOL\_SEC\_STO**

Experiment set up with sechiba and stomate

### **OOL\_SEC**

Experiment set up with sechiba only

### **SPINUP\_ANLAYTIC**

Experiment set up with sechiba, stomate and spinup\_analytic activate. In this experiment, the forcing is set to loop over 10 years.

### **FORCESOIL and TESTSTOMATE**

Obsolete experiments, replaced by spinup\_analytic. To use these experiments you need first to produce specific forcing files.

# Simulation

## Differences in ORCHIDEE\_OL

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The configuration ORCHIDEE\_OL have some differences compared to the coupled v6 configurations such as LMDZOR\_v6.

**No need to create the submission directory:** They already exist. Choose one of the existing directories and copy it to a new name, modify and create the main job using `../.././libIGCM/ins_job`.

**No DRIVER directory:** The comp.driver files are found in COMP directory.

# Simulation

## Modify parameters

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In PARAM/run.def some parameters are modified by orchidee\_ol.driver, sechiba.driver and stomate.driver. These parameters are always marked equal AUTO or AUTOBLOCKER

**AUTO** : These parameters can be changed using options in *comp.card* or *config.card*. You can also change them directly in the run.def file, for this case the drivers will not change them again.

**AUTOBLOCKER** : The job will stop if you modify these parameters. They are set by the *comp.driver* mainly using the information from config.card.

For example, in PARAM/run.def:

```
STOMATE_RESTART_FILEIN = _AUTOBLOCKER_  
XIOS_ORCHIDEE_OK = _AUTO_
```

=> You can add or modify parameters directly in PARAM/run.def

# Coding Guidelines

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All new developments in the ORCHIDEE trunk must follow the Coding Guidelines.

See <https://forge.ipsl.jussieu.fr/orchidee/wiki/Documentation>

- **Comments in english**
- **Indentation**
- **Key words in capital letters**
- **Module and subroutine description part**
- **...**