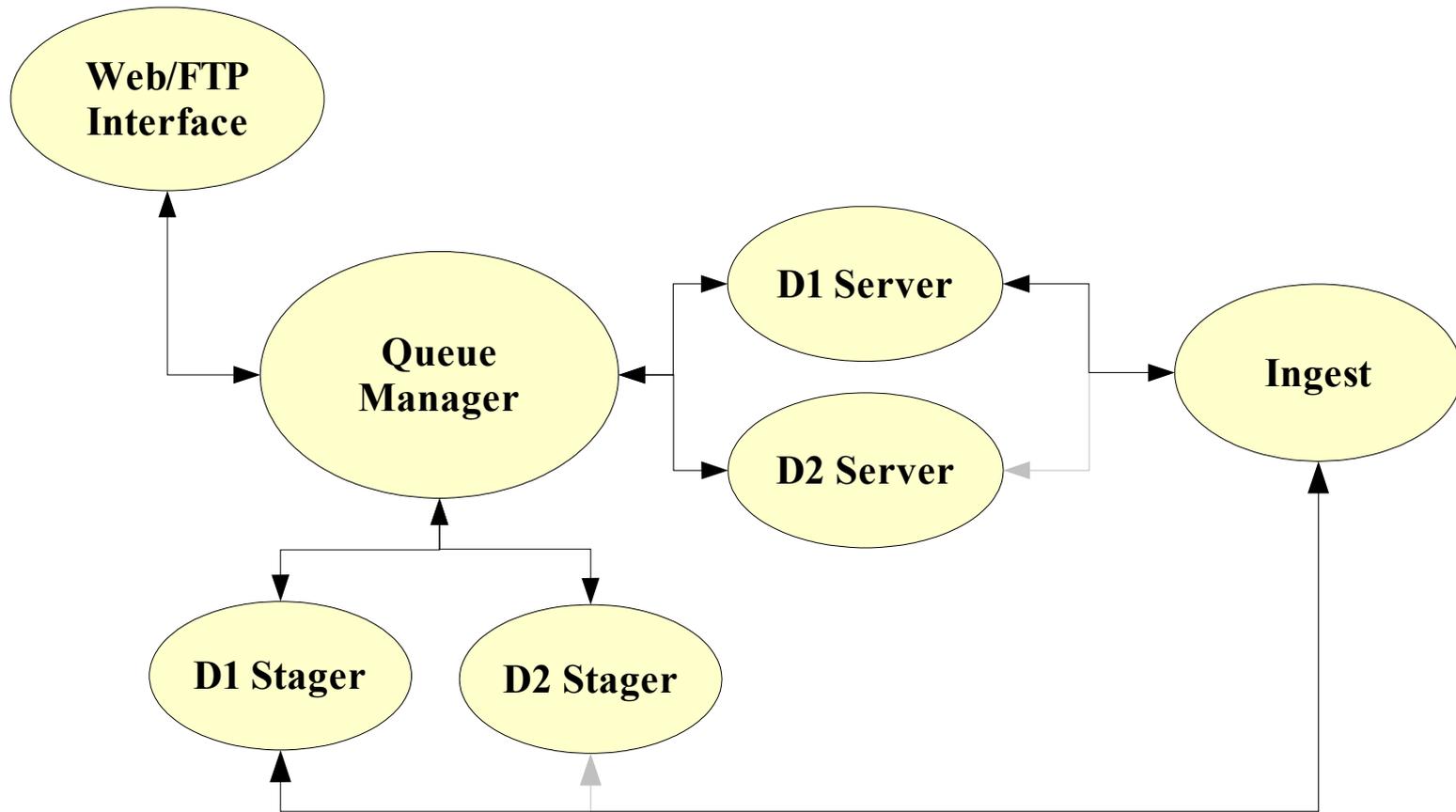


Database Components

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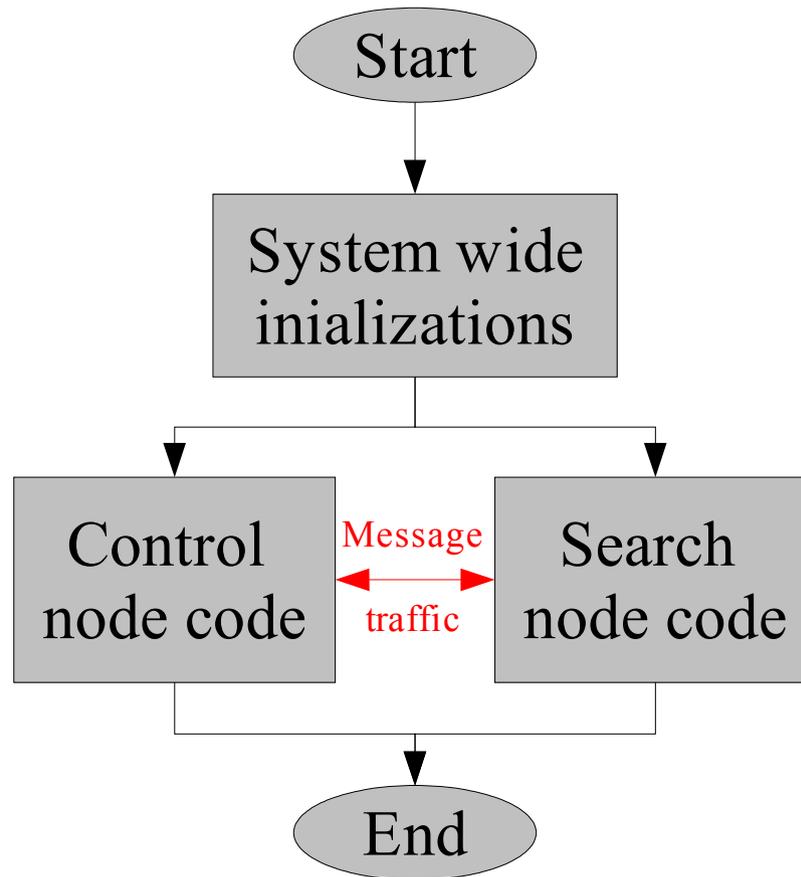
Data Flow



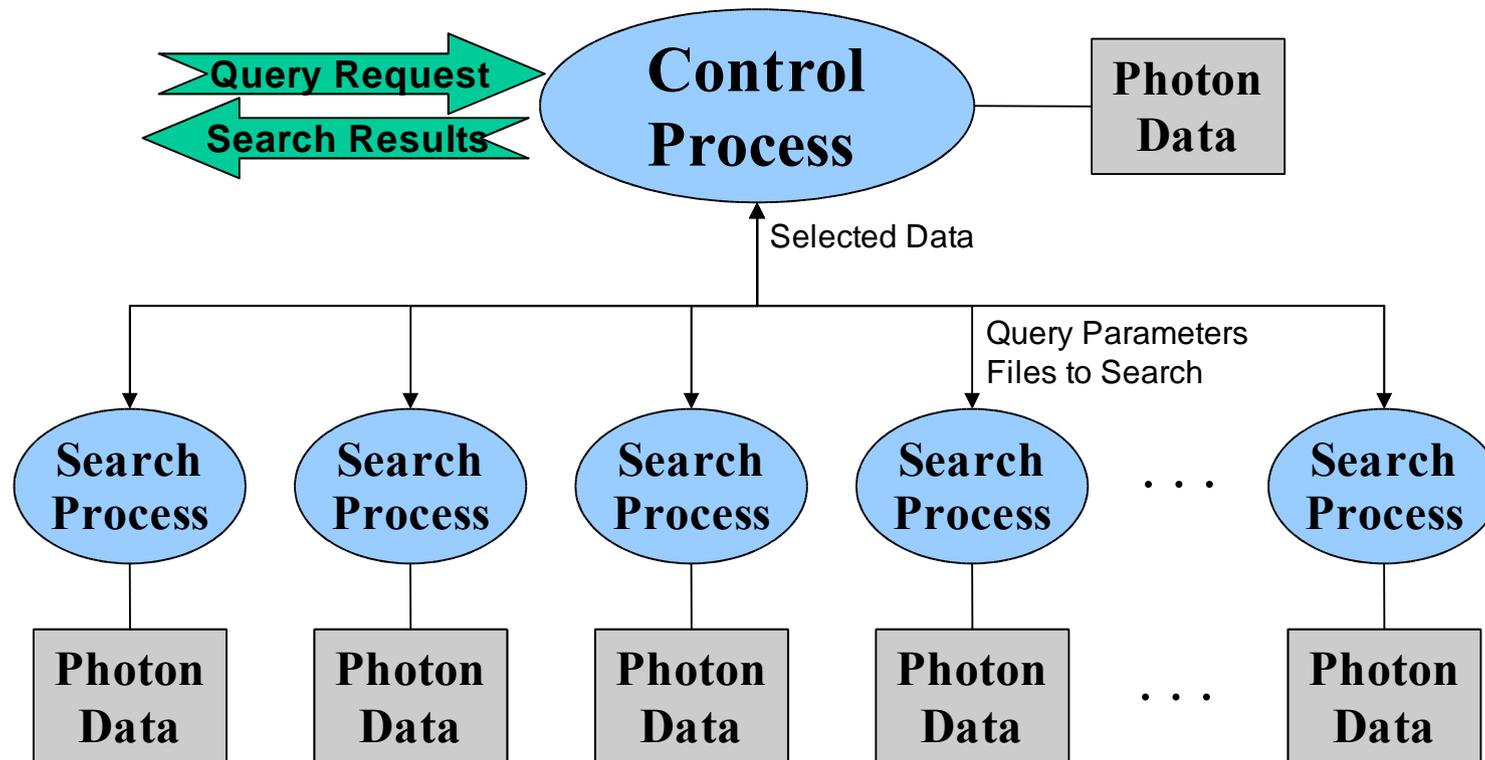
Server Design

- Operates as TCP/IP server for connections from Queue Manager and Ingest program.
- Parallel program using MPICH as message passing interface.
- Scalable to any number of processes, but can run on a single computer.
- Written in C
 - ease of implementation and interface with cfitsio and MPICH libraries
 - Maximum performance

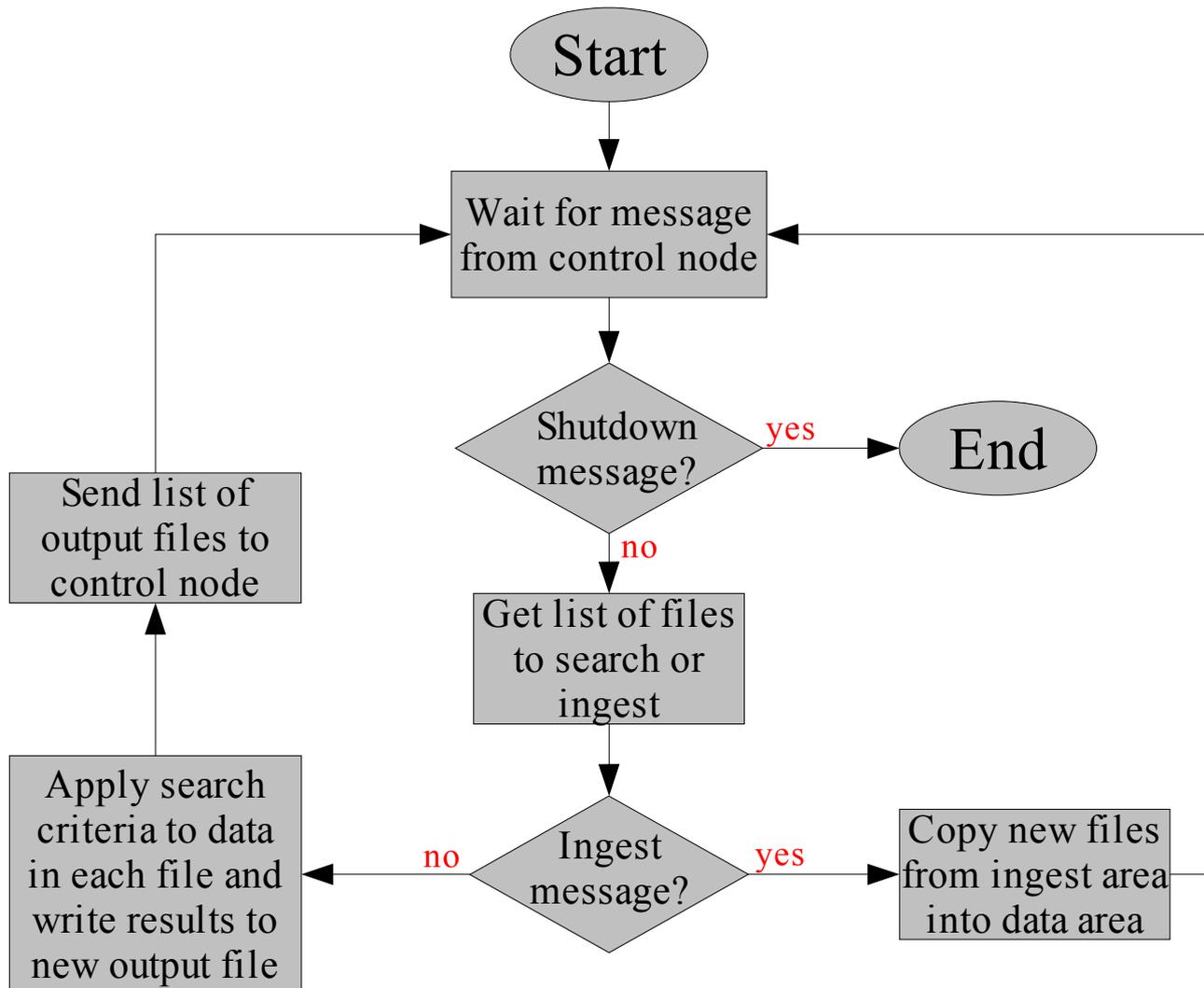
Program Flow I



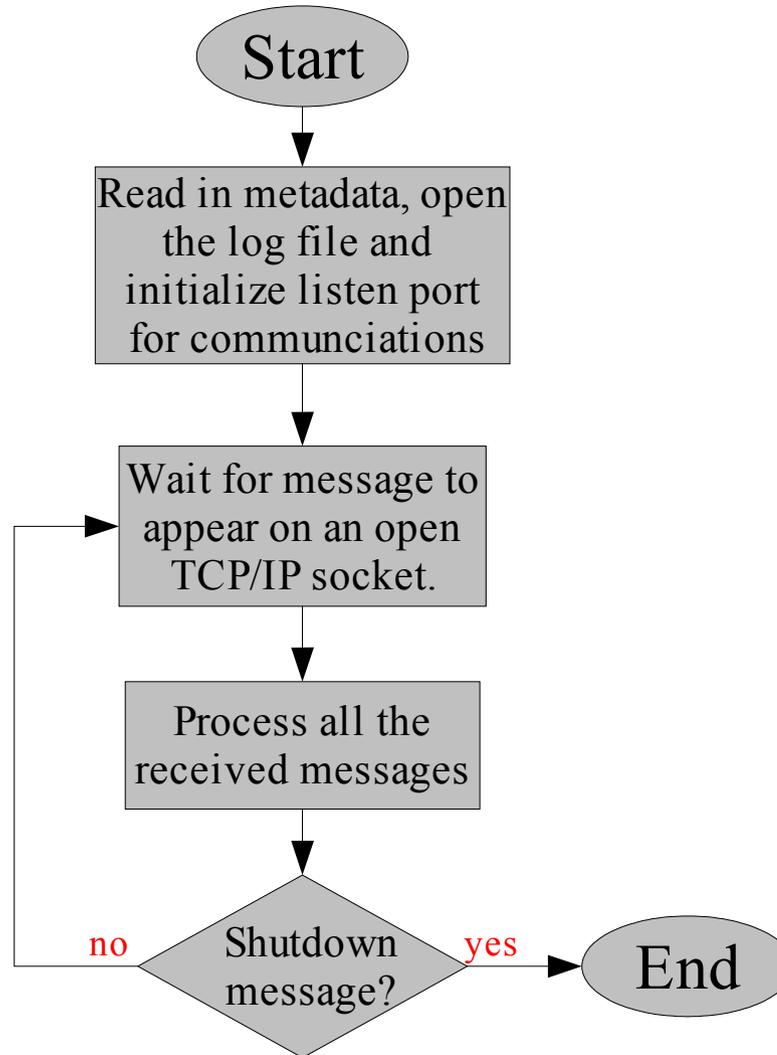
D1/D2 Internal Process Structure



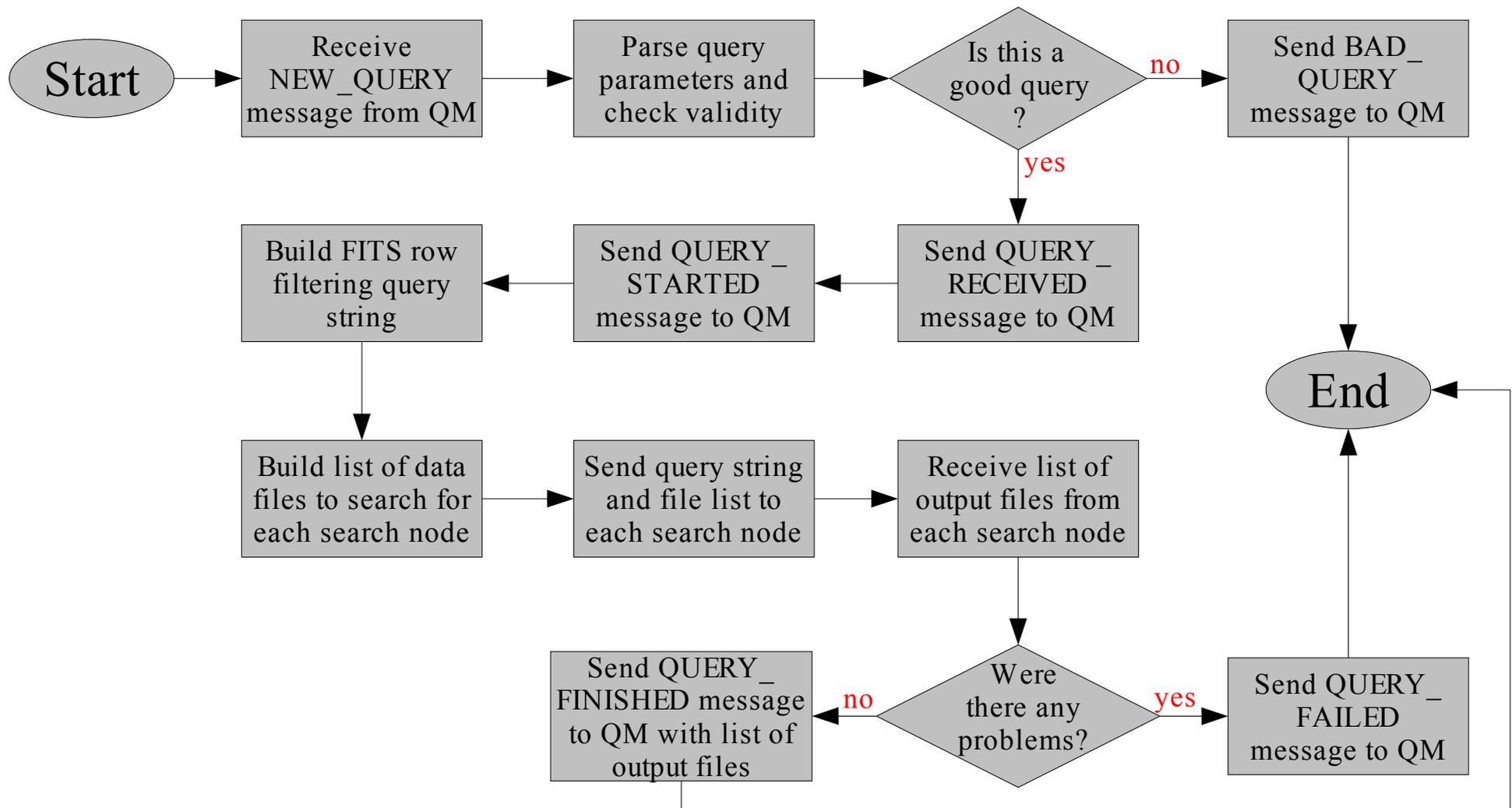
Program Flow II – Search Node



Program Flow III – Control Node



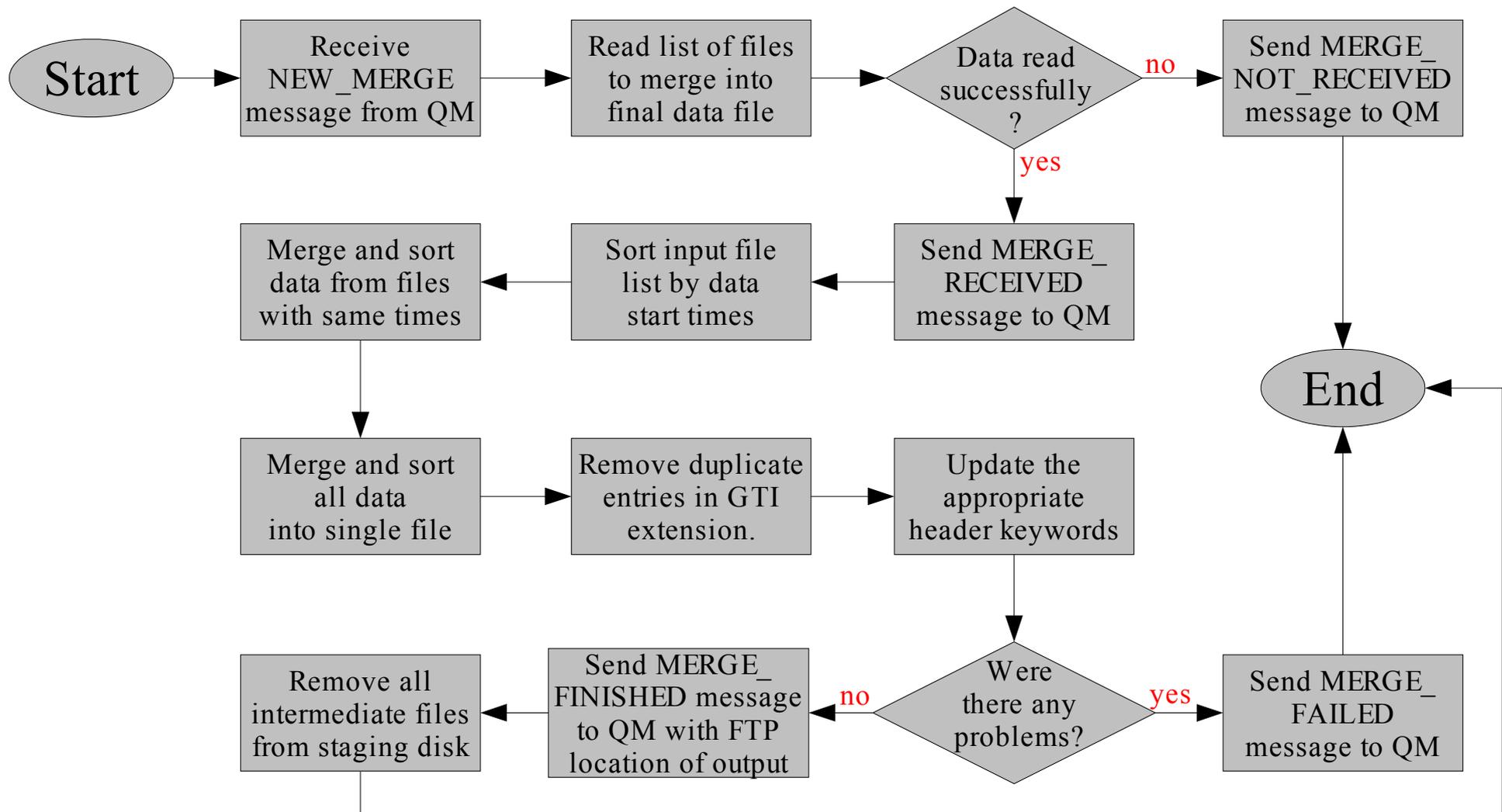
Program Flow IV – Conducting a Search



Stager Design

- Operates as TCP/IP server for connections from Queue Manager and Ingest program.
- Must merge and sort data from search nodes and return an FT1/FT2 file to the user.
- Overall structure similar to control node of server but without parallel processing.

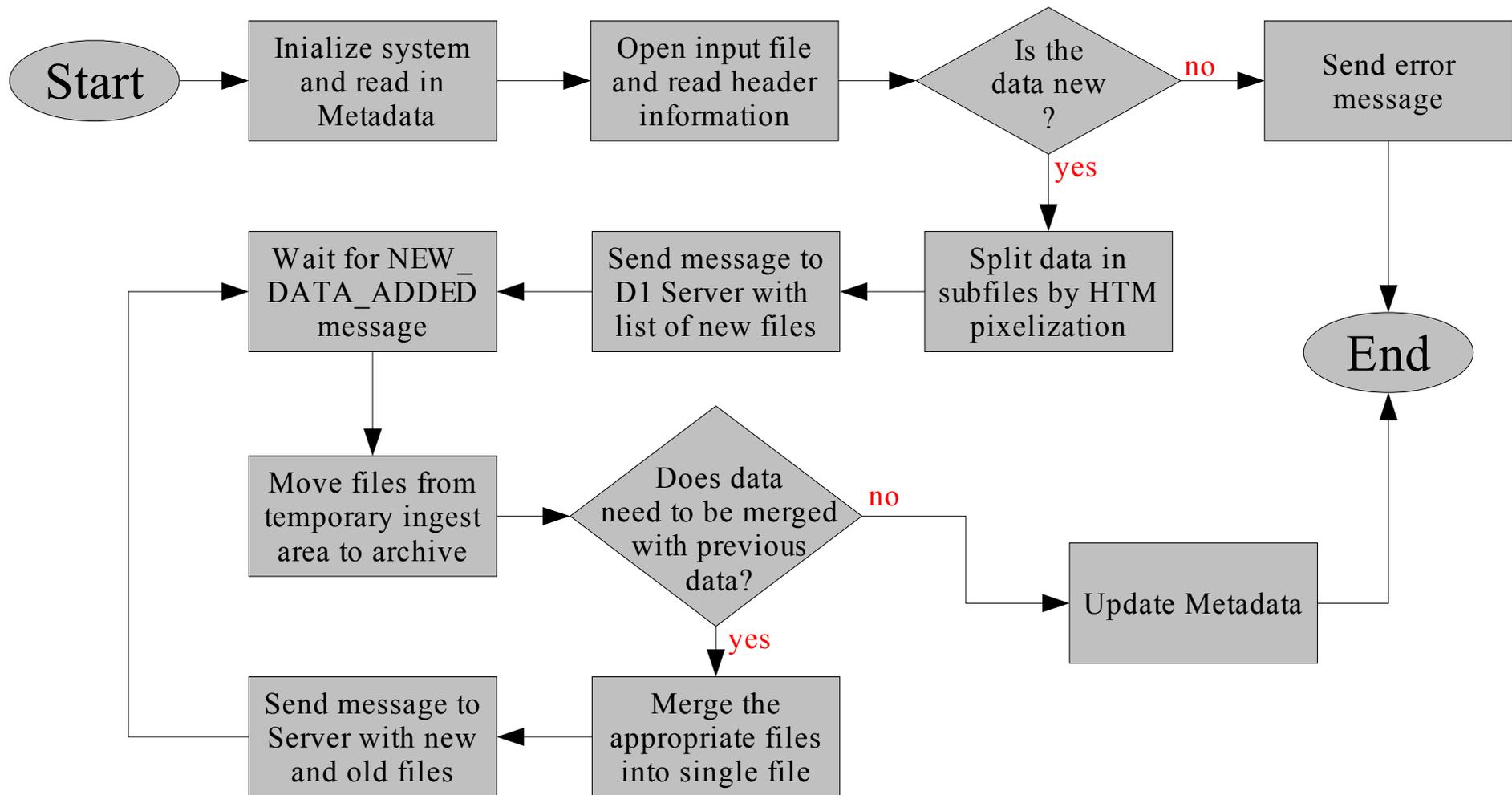
Program Flow – Merging Query Data



D1 Ingest Design

- Operates as TCP/IP client to Server and Stager
- Prepares data output from LAT Level 1 processing pipeline for ingest into databases.
- Breaks sky into regions using Hierarchical Triangular Mesh (HTM) indexing.
- Will probably be rewritten in C++ using Goodi once final decision on HTM is made.

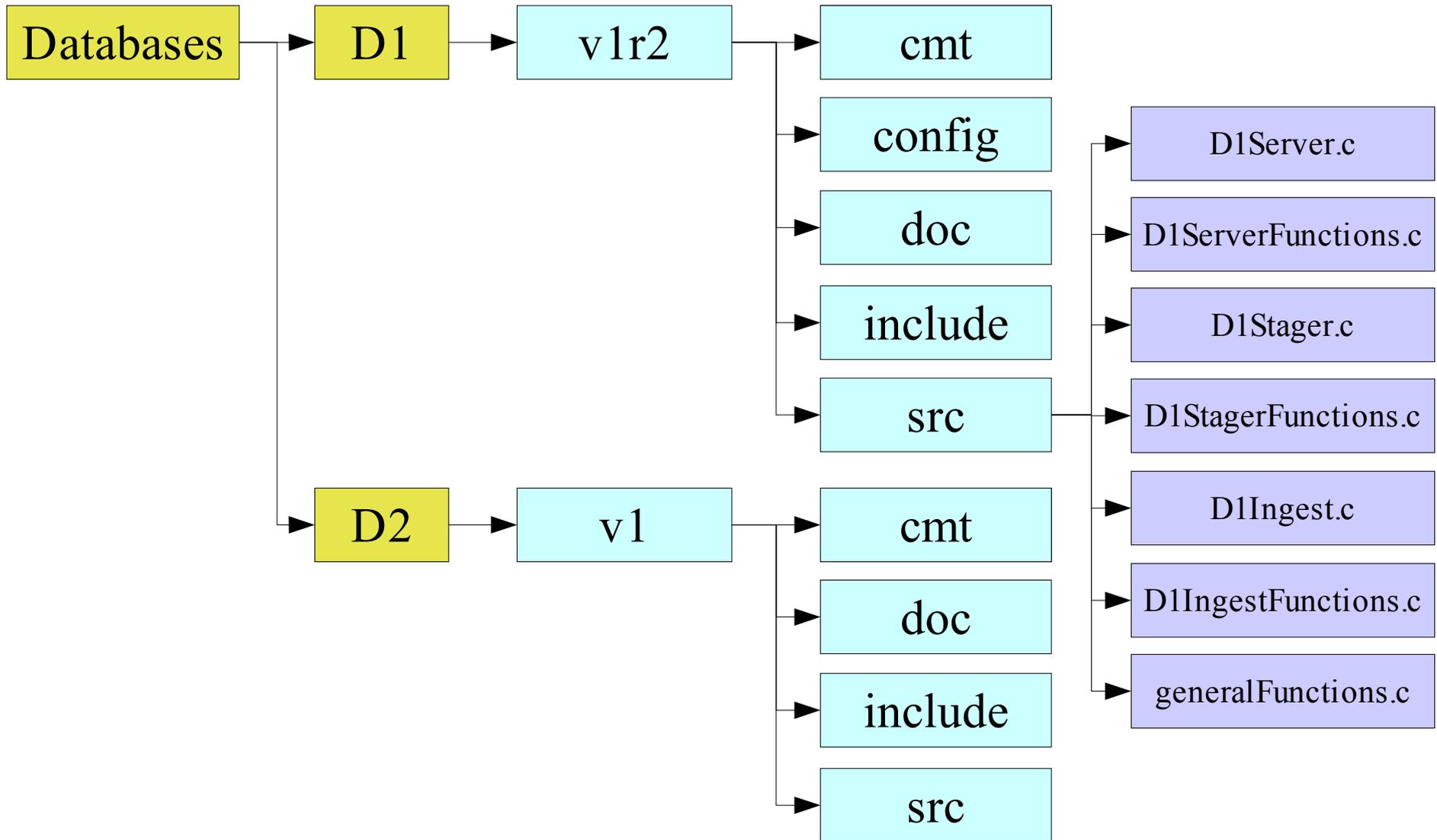
Program Flow – Ingest New Data



Sample Configuration File

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#####  
# Sample configuration file  
# These are the settings used on the hygd cluster.  
# Any line that begins with a '#' character is a comment and is ignored.  
# Edit the second column to reflect your specific site configuration.  
# The order of the keywords does not matter but spelling does.  
#####  
HOME_DIR      /data/nodes/GLAST/D1  
FINAL_DIR     /data/head/GLAST/repository/D1  
FTP_HOST      heasarcdev.gsfc.nasa.gov  
URL_PREFIX    ftp://legacy.gsfc.nasa.gov/glast  
FTP_DIR       /FTP/glast      #ftp directory on heasarcdev  
INGEST_DIR    /data/head/GLAST/ingest/D1  
NEW_DATA_DIR  /data/head/GLAST/new/D1  
LOG_DIR       /data/head/GLAST/logs  
ARCHIVE_DIR   /data/head/GLAST/archive/D1  
HEAD_DATA_DIR /data/head/GLAST/D1  
SERVER_PORT   45278  
STAGER_PORT   45280
```

Code Layout



To Do

- Write ingest for D2
- Add code to ingest reprocessed data
- Refine ingest process for D1
- Benchmark D1 both with and without HTM pixelization