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Enabling Grids for E-sciencE

- **Restructured NS components to reduce dependencies**

  – cleaner common/client/server separation

- **Removed some dependent UI components**

- **NS is deprecated**

  – it may survive for a short time in a 3.1 WMS built with the old gLite build system

  – will soon disappear from ETICS builds

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- **Memory profiling and leaks removal -- still on-going**

- **Served Requests limiter**

  – Configurable max number of requests served by WMProxy instance before exiting

- **Review interaction with LB**

- **New delegation interface (aligned with the GT4 one) -- still on-going**

- **Support for non-DAG-collections -- still on-going**

- **JDL library**

  – Memory profiling and leaks removal -- still on-going

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- **Java API**

  – Accept user's proxy credential from stream (fulfill requirement from g-Eclipse project)

- **Python API**

  – New executable added for locally signing proxy requests to be used for delegation

- **C++ API**

  – Configurable client request timeouts

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- **C++ CLI**
  - Purging for DAG nodes
    - Nodes are now purged by default after output retrieval
    - New --nopurge option allows to keep them until the whole DAG output has been retrieved
  - Remove dependency from org.glite.wms.configuration
    - Component uses private conf file
    - This also removes dependency from Condor (of the UI metapackage)

- **Python CLI**
  - Restructuring for separation of NS-dependent and NS-independent modules
  - SWIG layer memory leaks fixing

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- **Memory consumption understood and under control**
  - use of google-malloc
  - global limit on the number of DAG node planners
- **Support for Bulk Match Making, a.k.a. DAG-less collections, available as a prototype**
  - functionality not fully complete
  - some aspects, like ranking, need some refinement
- **Job Wrapper**
  - VO Hook
    - Allowing jobs to find middleware
  - Customization points backported to 3.0
- **Dismissed RLS support**

- **New sensors leveraging Maarten Litmath's log**
  - deployed within INFNGrid

- **New hierarchical infrastructure for the HLR servers**
  - used to collect information from a set of low level HLR in order for a single server to have broader view of the accounting informations
  - deployed within INFNGrid

- **The information collected in the databases have been extensively compared with the raw data from the LRMS logs**
  - results are satisfactory.

- **The queries can be performed on the basis of the VOMS FQAN of the proxy used to submit the jobs**

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- **Main new developments:**
  - VOMS-Admin 2.0 finally released.
    - Almost completely new code base.
    - Easier to maintain and work with.
    - Fully capable of using the new features from VOMS:
      - *Generic Attributes*
  - VOMS 1.7.15 released
    - Ability to make voms-proxy-init from Java.

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- **Setup in preview testbed completed**

  – Now also for site G-PBoxes

- **Rework of the APIs**

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- **See specific presentations**

- **3.1 version backported to 3.0**

- **Improvements**

  - fixed problems in the creation of the accounting account informations

  - added startup script and configuration file for the parser

  - new configuration parameters to the config file

  - support for cream

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- **Usual support and bug fixing activities**

- **Analysis of internal and external dependencies**

  - already achieved some results

- **Porting activity for all components**

  - new build system (ETICS)

  - new platform (SLC4)

  - new compiler (gcc 3.4.6)

  - new VDT

  - still supporting the old ones

    - Dependencies as well!

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- **JobDir (replacement of filelist) integration slowly progressing in the relevant components**
  - WMProxy, WM, JC, LM, ICE
- **gSoap**
  - Confusion due to different versions hopefully solved
- **gridFTP**
  - We have a patched version with support for the "magic group" to manage sandbox transfers through the NS
  - Once NS is abandoned we can adopt a "standard" gridFTP
- **New testing organization**
  - Responsibility is INFN's