



VOMS-aware Middleware Deployment: Assessment of loose ends

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- **1. No Rules for ACBRs**
- 2. No Rules for matching
- **3. Old/new syntax confusion**
- 5. Integration with YAIM
- 6. The DENY Hack
- 7. Data Management details
- 8. HALT! Full Stop!



- **1. No Rules for ACBRs**
 - Difference in interpretation of attributes
 - Each VOMS-aware MW handles ACBRs differently

2. No Rules for matching

- LCMAPS performs filename like comparisons (almost equal to string matching) in a switch statement like manner
- Matchmaking compiles a pre-selection of possible sites
- Storm regex
- ...adding Generic Attribute will complicate the mix even more

3. Old/new syntax confusion

- '/VO=atlas/GROUP=/atlas/ROLE=NULL/Capability=NULL' equals '/atlas/Role=NULL/Capability=NULL'
- and does '/VO=atlas/GROUP=/atlas/Role=NULL/Capability=NULL' also equal that?



- 5. Integration with YAIM
 - Misconfiguration are not obvious
- 6. Decisions like:
 - VO:atlas \rightarrow Needs DENY (equals another-long-living-**Hack**)
 - VO:atlas is for the entire VO of Atlas (...but not for production!)
- 7. Data Management
 - ACBRs with 'VO:' are not used in DPM
 - Has difference in read and write authorization and mapping
- 8. HALT! Full Stop!
 - *Don't waste* your *time* by abruptly acting on this!