

SRM-over-SSL

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Overview

- Current status
- Future plans
- Delegation





Current status

- Test framework
 - Functioning prototype available now,
 - Supports SRM and delegation,
 - Found problems in delegation libraries
- Support
 - -dCache
 - Underway in integrating delegation
 - DPM
 - Support in separate branch



Future plans

- Complete test framework
 (end of) October 2011
- dCache test instance available
 - (end of) December 2011
- DPM version available
 - Slated for v1.8.4
- Run cross-testing across platforms

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STOP PRESS!! Future of SRM uncertain?

- Last week CERN announced that EOS will not have support for SRM
 - EOS will have only GridFTP
 - T0-T1 transfers without SRM
 - This could lead to a domino effect.
- This needs an FTS update
 - FTS cannot upload checksum
 - New version available, being certified
- ... plus experiment software

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STOP PRESS!! Future of SRM uncertain?

- Recommend EMI re-evaluate all SRM work:
 - SRM-over-SSL is an example
 - This may be opportunity to engage with new communities
- If SRM-over-SSL is dropped, delegation still needed in data: – WebDAV supports 3rd party copy ...

but has no mechanism to do this securely.



Delegation & GDS

- Now:
 - Test framework
 - Started establishing OGF group
- Next:

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- Writing an OGF doc. describing GDS
- Inviting others to participate:
 - IVOA, IGE/Globus, ...
- See if a common standard makes sense.

• Dedicated meeting on Tuesday 2011-10-17 EMI All Hands: SRM-over-SSL



Thank you!

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