



# GridPP

UK Computing for Particle Physics

## Core ops tasks

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- Ensure everyone is aware of why we have the core tasks
- Agree the core task areas
- Agree (at least) minimal responsibilities/expectations for each area
- Look at things that can be improved in the areas (Can we...?)
- Agree how we will report progress and how others will engage with the tasks
  - Owning a task means coordinating and ensuring progress not (always) doing everything yourself, though you will probably end up doing more than others on it.

- GridPP4 funding based on running a grid not just running hardware
  - Nb. The operations team is wider than the subset who have a core task responsibility (e.g. storage experts, security officer, Tier-1 rep....)
- There are essential things upon which we rely (it helps us)
- Ensure broad engagement in operations
- Gives room to improve operations – gradual developments in each area
- Opportunity to overlap work with Technical Evolution Groups (of WLCG)
- Progress needs to be shown by March 2012

- Core grid services/Monitoring/Regional tools = Mark/David/Kashif
- Security = Ewan(/Rob)
- Documentation/website = Andrew/Stephen
- Wider VO services = Chris
- Staged rollout = Daniela/Duncan
- Ticket follow-up = Stephen/Matt?
- On-duty coordination = Jeremy
- Accounting = Rob/Alessandra
- Other grids = Stuart

We'll go through each task area as a group and confirm our understanding. People responsible for the area will update the wiki to reflect the discussion of their area

- What do we want from each area?
- What might be possible for each area?

We will agree how we want to monitor and follow up on progress in each area.

Definite progress needs to be seen in all areas in the next 3 months

We should identify any links/overlaps with the Technical Evolution Groups