

# EELA - NGIs

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Italy: INFN

Portugal: LIP

Spain: CIEMAT, CSIC, Red.ES, UC, UPV  
CERN

**Countries  
Partners**

Argentina: UNLP

Brazil: CEDERJ, RNP, UFF, UF

Chile: REUNA, UDEC, UTFSM

Cuba: CUBAENERGIA

Mexico: UNAM

Peru: SENAMHI

Venezuela: ULA

CLARA

# NGIs

## EELA - Europe

- Portugal and Spain: NGI already approved

## EELA - LA

- Argentine, Brazil, Chile, Peru and Venezuela: JRUs / e-Science initiatives constituted or in progress

About 50 members gathered by the LA JRUs (to be compared with the 90-ish EGEE-II members)

## Problems anywhere:

- Put people / institutions together
- Overcome ego

# NGI CREATION BEST PRACTICES

Look for potentially interested institutions in the country

Start to set up JRUs / e-Science initiatives

- MoUs already signed in Argentina, Colombia, Italy, Peru, Spain and Venezuela
- MoUs on the way in Brazil, Chile and Portugal

Contact Decision Makers and Politicians

**EELA-2** foresees 6 "Decision Makers Days" to address the

# NGI and INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT

## The Brazilian example

**EELA + Brazilian JRU drove infrastructure expansion**

**300 kEuro** from Ministry of Science and Technology for

**the EELA e-infrastructure**

# RELATIONS with EGI

EGI could / should help to

- Build NGIs in Latin America

- Set up the **Latin American Grid Initiative (LAGI)**

**Remember GÉANT2 and CLARA !!!!!**

# RELATIONS with the INDUSTRY

No partner from industry in EELA, **but**

SMEs and Industrial applications in **EELA-2**, when

**hopefully**) approved .....