



Introduction

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Membership

- I forgot to invite Tier2s in Finland, Norway, Sweden, Estonia, Hungary, Korea and Turkey to the GDB.
- It is the duty of the T2 CB member or the country GDB representative, to inform lcg.office@cern.ch of any changes to the membership of a Tier2 Federation.
 - accounting and availability depend on it.







Since the Previous Meeting

- CRRB
 - Interested in resources installed at T2s (cf pledges)
- WLCG Collaboration Board
 - Proposed greater participation in GDB by T2s
- LHCC Review
 - Wanted more details of T2 deployment targets and actual dates.
- WLCG Workshop
- HEPiX
 - Summary to GDB in June
- ISGC Taipei
- EGEE III Transition Meeting, CERN, 8-10th May







Tier2 Participation

- CB suggested the engagement of Tier2s in the project could be improved by:
 - Participation in GDB
 - Closer links with their Tier1(s)
- Some Tier2s already participate in GDB, as country representatives, individually, or through country Tier2 representatives.
- Remind T1s that
 - they should provide support to their T2s
 - they should act as an information conduit from WLCG to sites
 - they should act as an information conduit from Experiments to sites
 - they should feed back comments from sites.







Tier2s

- Hold a GDB devoted to T2 Issues.
 - July?
- So what else should we do?







Tier2 Installed Capacity

- Tier2 accounts show cpu usage at T2 sites and federations and compares this with the pledges.
- This doesn't tell you much if you don't know the fraction of the pledge actually installed.
- Looking for a way of obtaining and storing this information
- Total resources at a site may be used for more than WLCG, whereas the pledge is a specific WLCG number.
- Possibilities: GOCDB, gstat (BDII), manually to LCG Office
- Will make a proposal.





GDB meetings in 2008



- Second Wednesday of each month
- June clash with Euro2008
- July clash with EGEE II Final Review

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- June 11

- July 9
- August 13
- September 10
- October 8
- November 12
- December 10







Pre-GDB meetings

- June 10th is booked (1300-1600). No topic decided.
 - CCRC post-mortem 12-13th.
- July 8th clashes with EGEE II Final Review







Events

- OGF23 Barcelona, 2-6th June
- **OPN Meeting** CERN, June 16-17th
- LHCC Mini-Review CERN, June 30th
- EGI-DS Workshop, CERN, June 30-July 1.
- EGEE II Final Review CERN, July 8-9th
- CCRC Post Mortem Workshop CERN, June 12-13th 2008
- **OGF24** Singapore, September 15-19th
- EGEE08 Conference Istanbul, September 22-26th
- HEPiX Fall Meeting Taipei, October 20-24th
- CCRC09 Planning Workshop CERN, November 13-14th
- 4th WLCG Collaboration Workshop Prague, March 21-22nd 2009
- **CHEP09** Prague, March 22-27th 2009







Upcoming Issues

- SAM Critical Tests do they achieve what we need?
- WN Client Rollout multiple versions under central control
- Benchmarking
- Job Priorities how to agree setup with sites
- Pilot Jobs
- Storage Accounting
- UserDN/Role/Group Accounting.









- Security Policies
- Worker Node Working Group
- User Support/Ticket Handling
- Security Challenges
- Pilot Jobs
- SAM Tests for VOs
- SRM22 Addendum
- EGI-DS
- CCRC







Topics for June Meeting

- CPU Efficiency
- Security Operations
- Pilot Job Frameworks
- HEPiX Summary
- CPU Benchmarking proposal
- SRM22 MoU Addendum

Suggestions?







Postscript

- What actions have arisen today that should result in a presentation to a future meeting?
- What issues have arisen that require someone to return to the next meeting with a status report?
- What topics would the meeting like discussed at future meetings?

