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Grid Activities in Japan

- Overview of NAREGI Project -

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National Research Grid Initiative (NAREGI)

Project:Overview

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- Started as an R&D project funded by MEXT (FY2003-FY2007)
2 B Yen(~17M\$) budget in FY2003
- One of Japanese Government's Grid Computing Projects
ITBL, Visualization Grid, GTRC, BioGrid etc.
- Collaboration of National Labs. Universities and Industry
in the R&D activities (IT and Nano-science Apps.)
- NAREGI Testbed Computer Resources (FY2003)

MEXT:Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports,Science and Technology



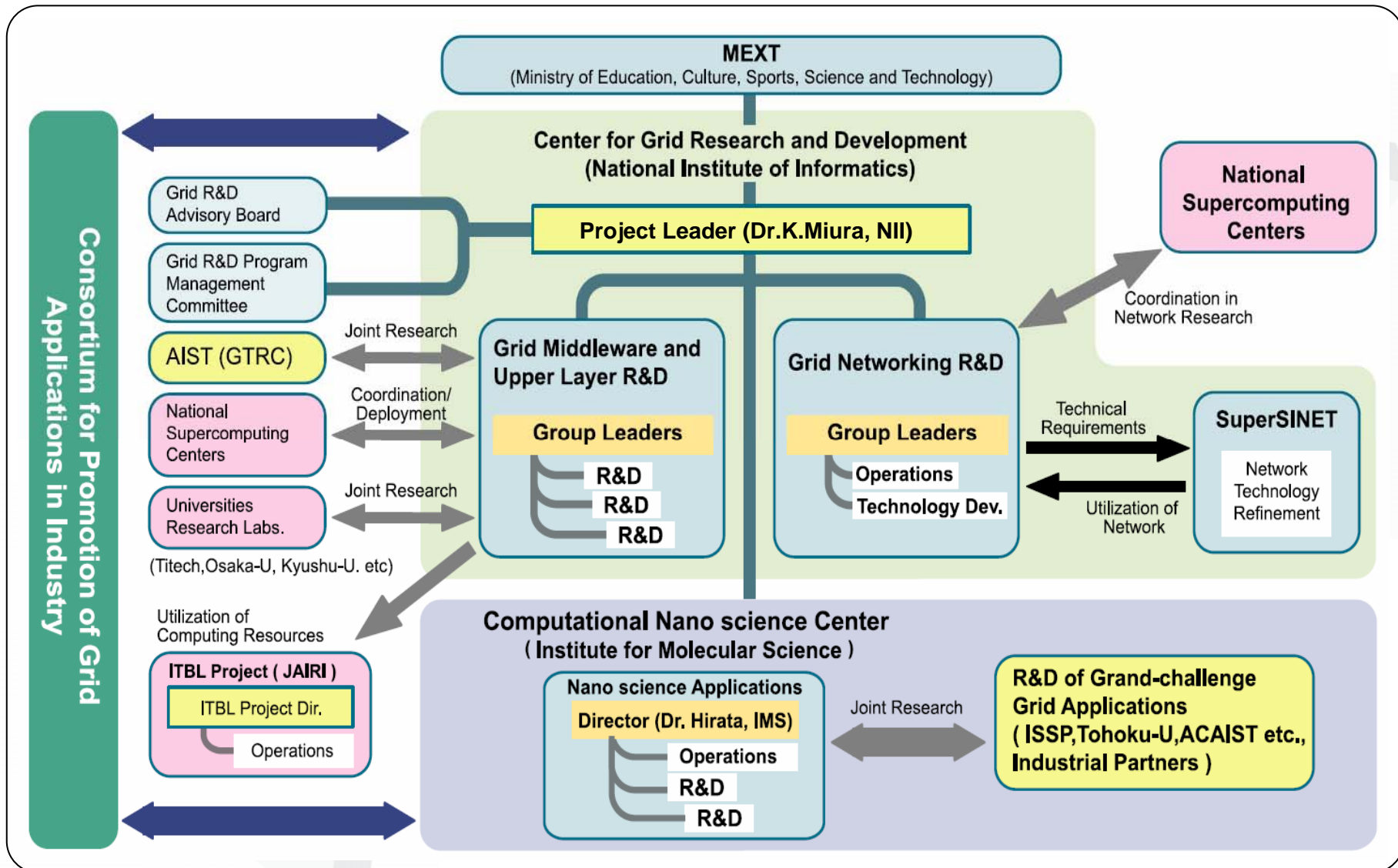
National Research Grid Initiative (NAREGI)

Project:Goals

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- (1) To develop a Grid Software System (R&D in Grid Middleware and Upper Layer) as the prototype of future Grid Infrastructure in scientific research in Japan
- (2) To provide a Testbed to prove that the High-end Grid Computing Environment (100+Tflop/s expected by 2007) can be practically utilized in the Nano-science Applications over the Super SINET.
- (3) To Participate in International Collaboration (U.S., Europe, Asian Pacific)
- (4) To Contribute to Standardization Activities, e.g., GGF

NAREGI Research Organization and Collaboration

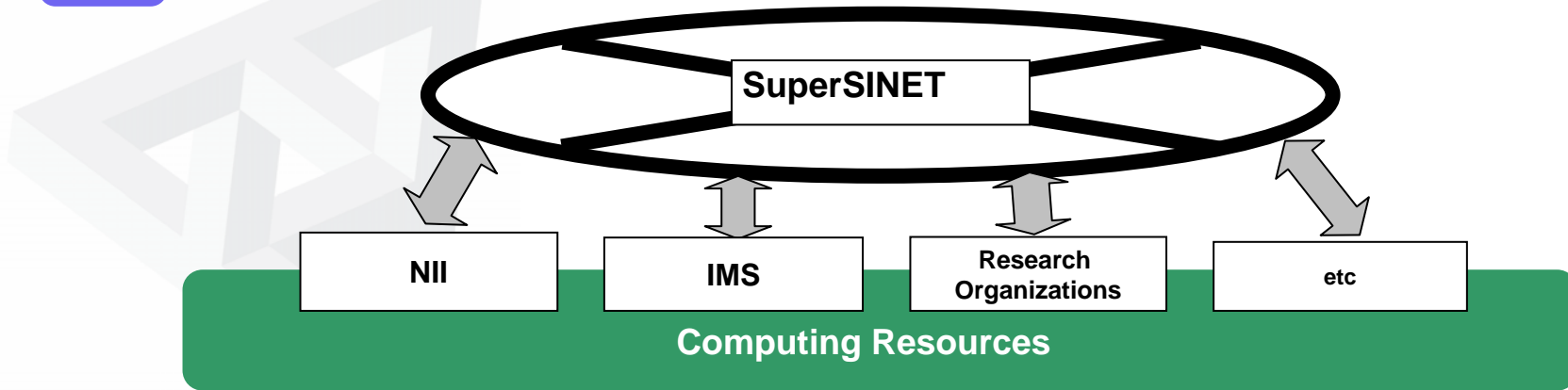
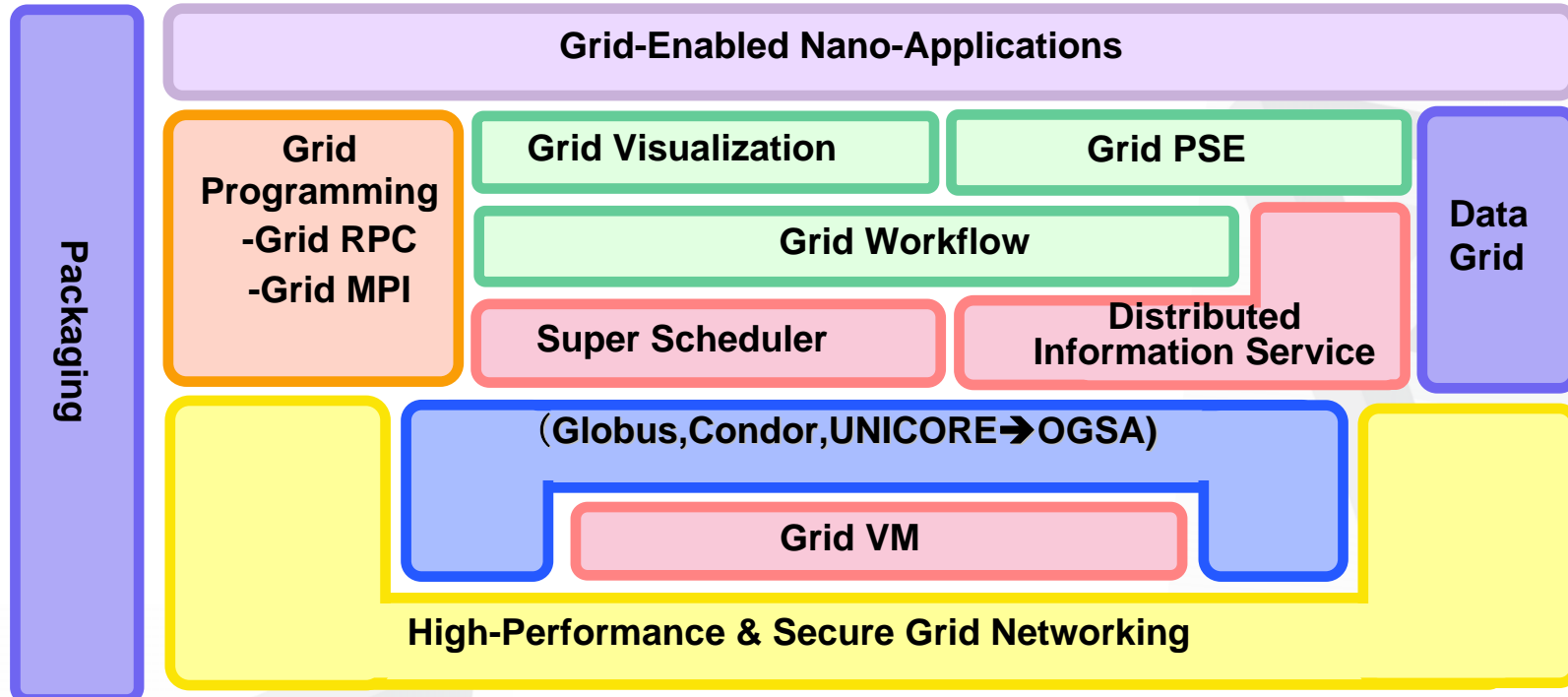


Participating Organizations

- National Institute of Informatics (NII)
(Center for Grid Research & Development)
- Institute for Molecular Science (IMS)
(Computational Nano - science Center)
- Universities and National Laboratories (Joint R&D)
(AIST, Titech, Osaka-u, Kyushu-u, Kyushu Inst. Tech.,
Utsunomiya-u, etc.)
- Research Collaboration
(ITBL Project, National Supecomputing Centers, KEK, NAO etc.)
- Participation from Industry (IT and chemical/Material etc.)
Consortium for Promotion of Grid Applications in Industry



NAREGI Software Stack





R&D in Grid Software and Networking Area (Work Packages)

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- WP-1: Lower and Middle-Tier Middleware for Resource Management:
Matsuoka (Titech), Kohno(ECU), Aida (Titech)
- WP-2: Grid Programming Middleware:
Sekiguchi(AIST), Ishikawa(AIST)
- WP-3: User-Level Grid Tools & PSE:
Usami (NII), Kawata(Utsunomiya-u)
- WP-4: Data Grid Environment
Matsuda (Osaka-u)
- WP-5: Networking, Security & User Management
Shimojo (Osaka-u), Oie (Kyushu Tech.),
Imase (Osaka U.)
- WP-6: Grid-enabling tools for Nanoscience Applications :
Aoyagi (Kyushu-u)

WP-3: User-Level Grid Tools & PSE

■ Grid PSE

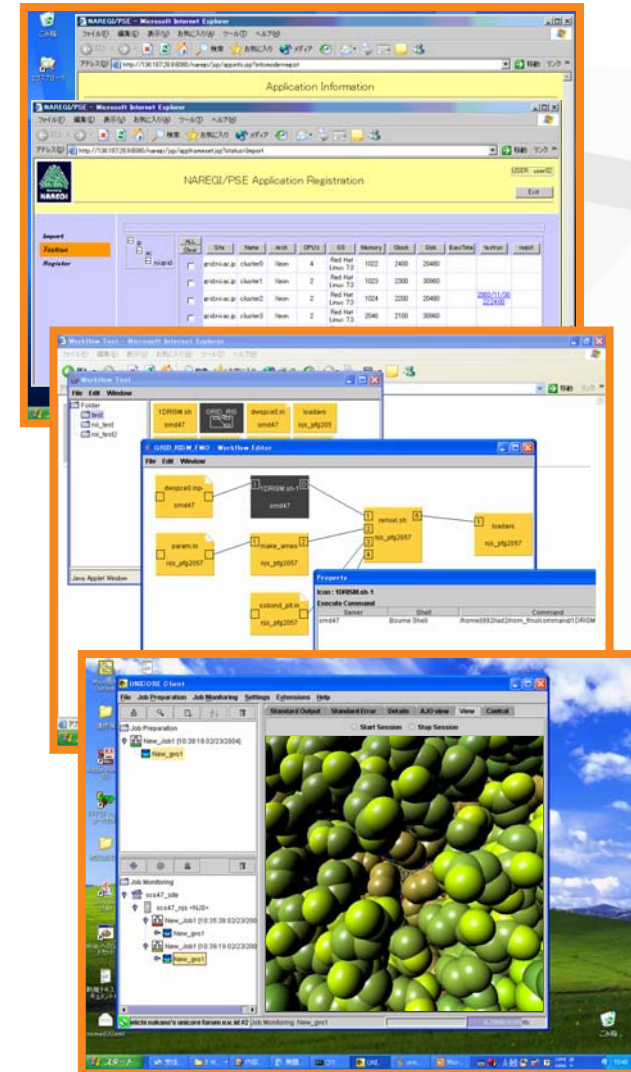
- Deployment of applications on the Grid
- Support for execution of deployed applications

■ Grid Workflow

- Workflow language independent of specific Grid middleware
- GUI in task-flow representation

■ Grid Visualization

- Remote visualization of massive data distributed over the Grid
- General Grid services for visualization



Monitor

File View Window

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Java Applet Window

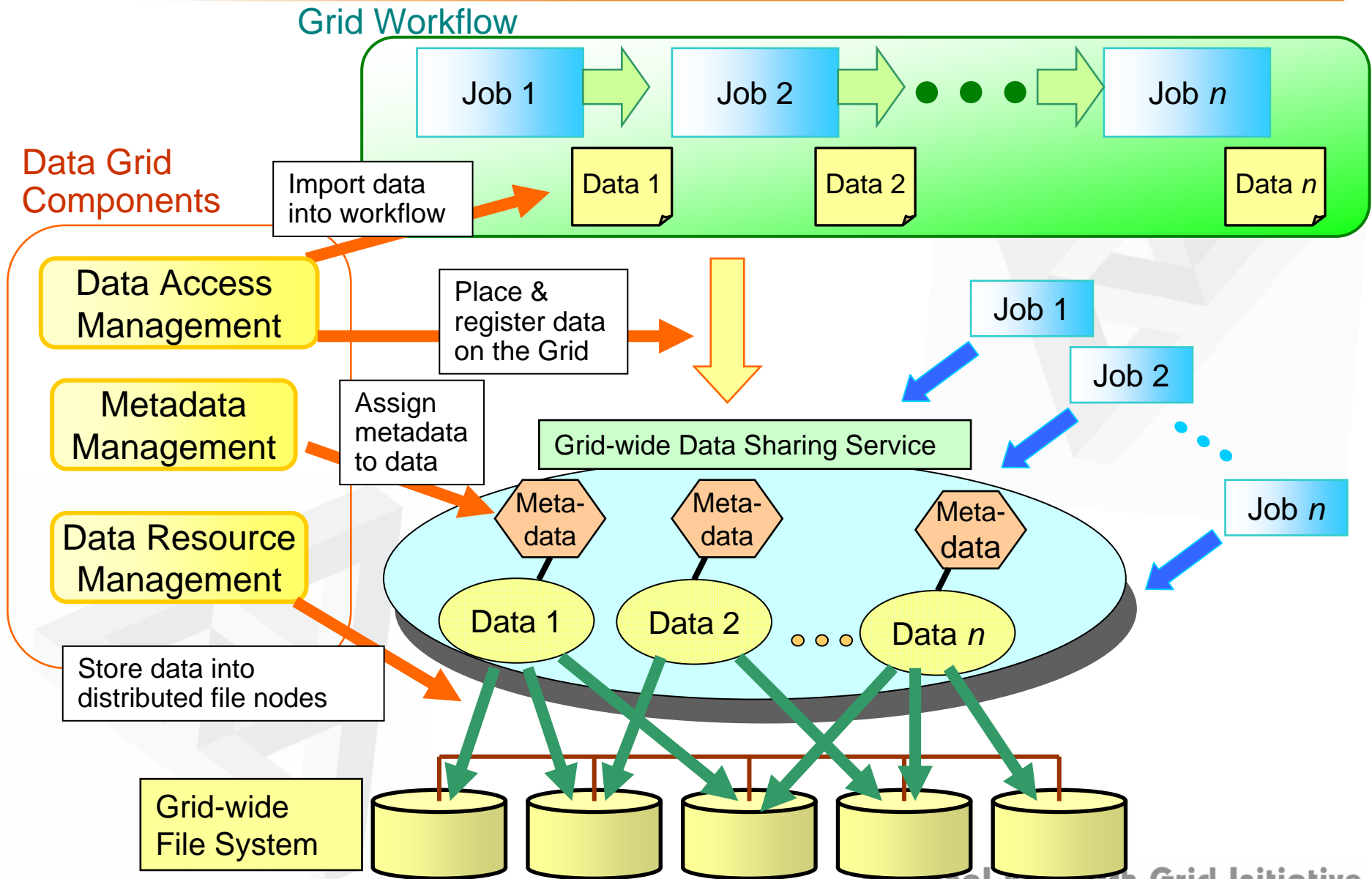
WorkflowApplet started

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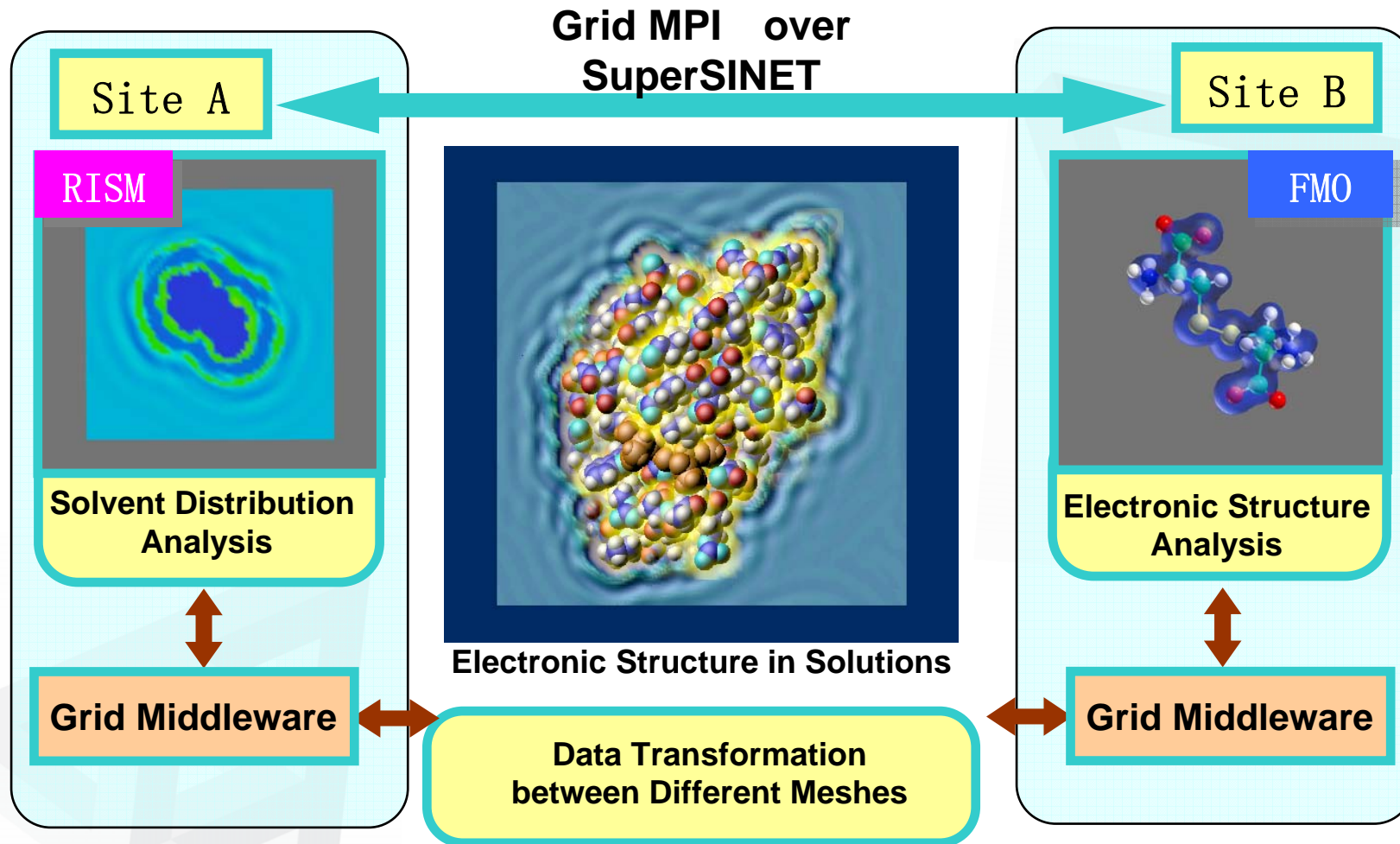


WP-4 : NAREGI Data Grid β -1 Architecture¹⁰



Collaboration in Data Grid Area

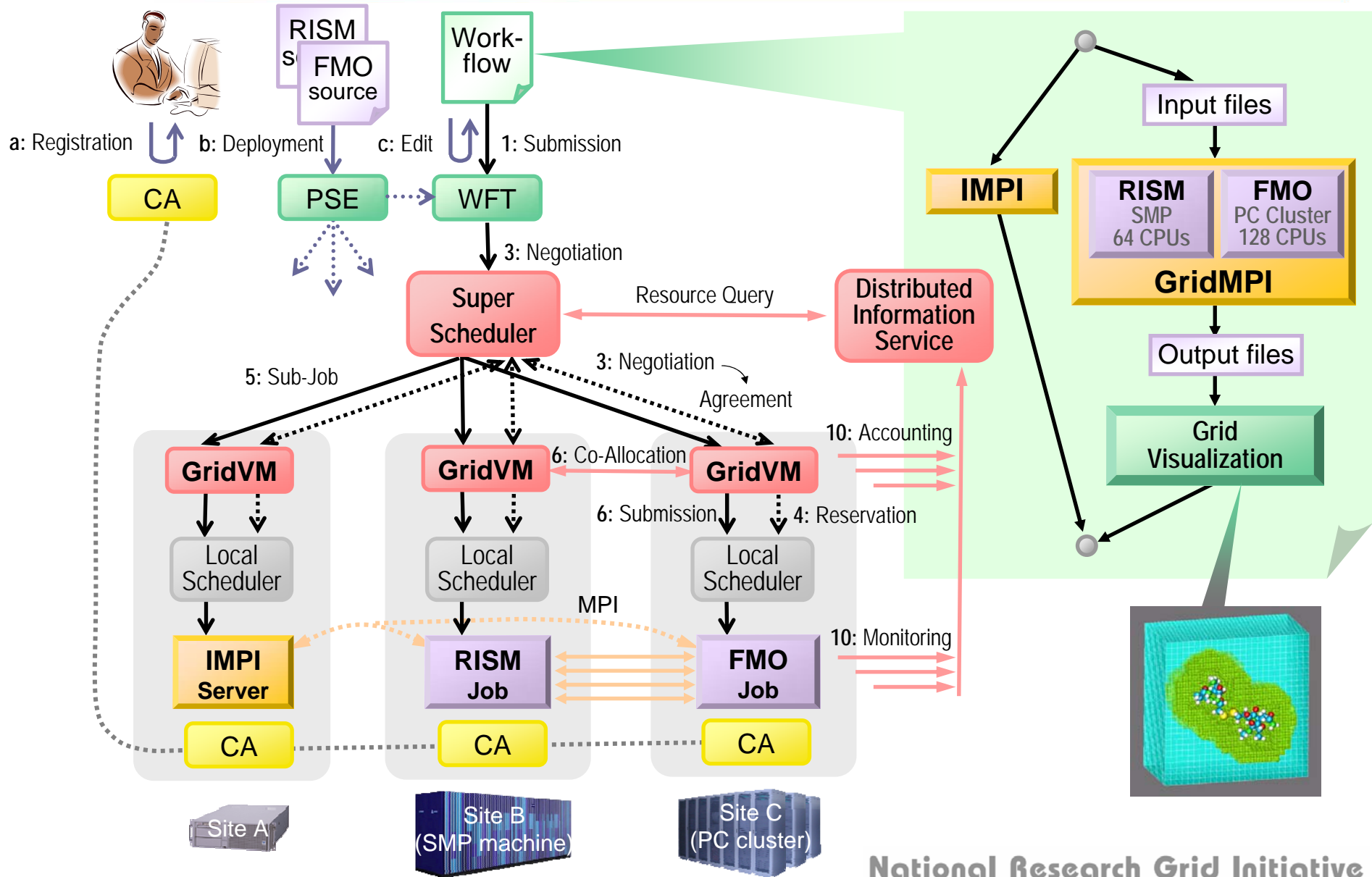
- High Energy Physics
 - KEK
 - EGEE
- Astronomy
 - National Astronomical Observatory
(Virtual Observatory)
- Bio-informatics
 - BioGrid Project



RISM Reference Interaction Site Model

FMO Fragment Molecular Orbital method

Scenario for Multi-sites MPI Job Execution



NAREGI α -Version Middleware (2004-5)

1. Resource Management (WP1)

- **Unicore/Globus/Condor as “Skeletons”**
- **OGSA-EMS Job Management, Brokering, Scheduling**
- Coupled Simulation on Grid (Co-Allocation/Scheduling)
- WS(RF)-based Monitoring/Accounting Federation

First OGSA-EMS based implementation In the world

2. Programming (WP2)

- High-Performance Standards-based GridMPI (MPI-1/2, IMPI)
- Highly tuned for Grid environment (esp. collectives)
- **Ninf-G: Scientific RPC for Grids**

GridRPC GGF Programming Standard

3. Applications Environment (WP3)

- Application Discovery and Installation Management (PSE)
- Workflow Tool for coupled application interactions
- **WSRF-based Large Scale Grid-based Visualization**

WSRF-based Terabyte interactive visualization

4. Networking and Security (WP5)

- **Production-Grade CA**
- Out-of-band Real-time network monitor/control

Drop-in Replacement for SimpleCA

5. Grid-enabling Nano Simulations (WP6)

- **Framework for coupled simulations**

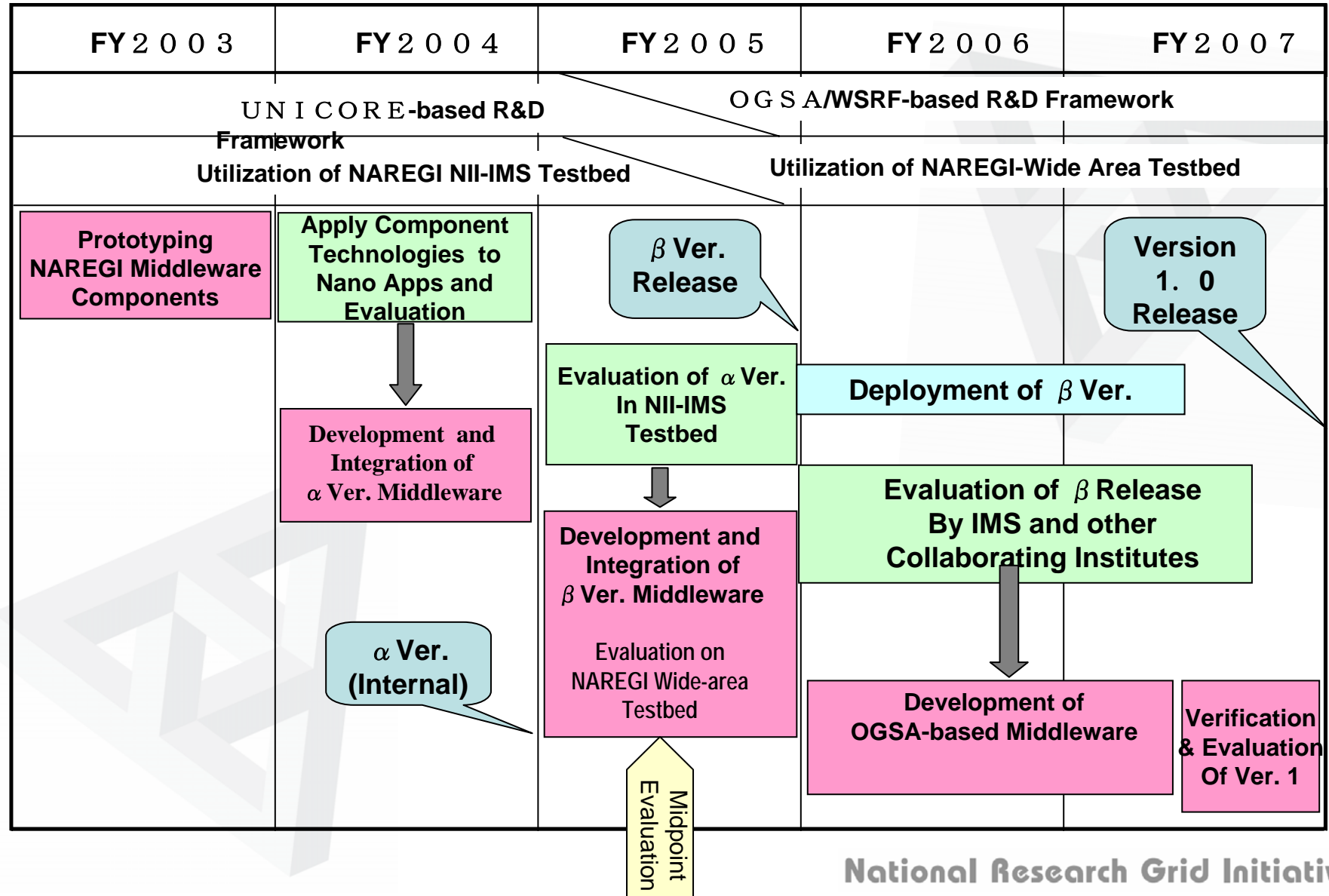
Large scale coupled simulation of proteins in a solvent on a Grid



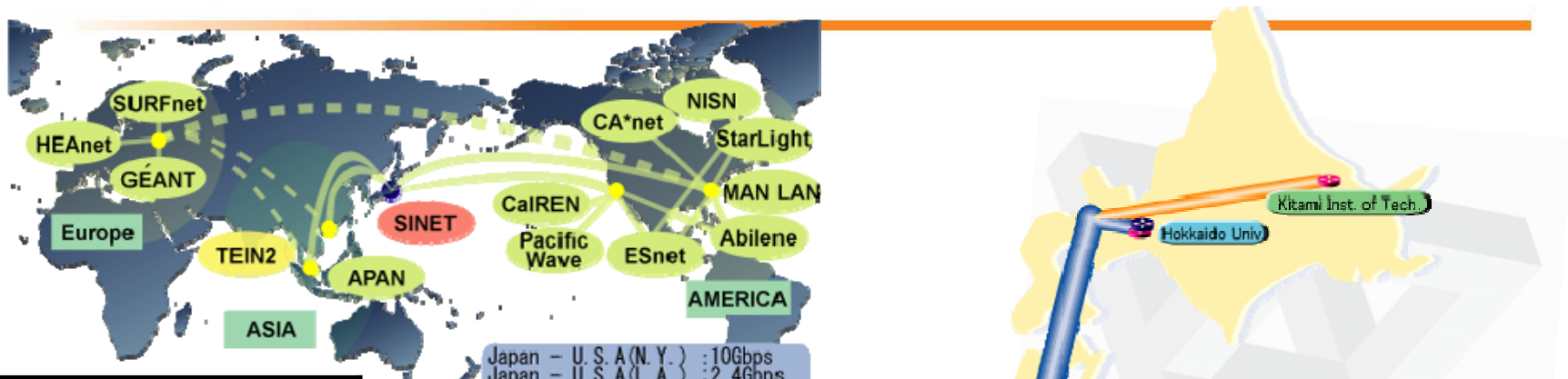
Highlights of NAREGI Beta (2005-2006)

- GT4/WSRF based “full” OGSA-EMS incarnation
 - OGSA-EMS/RSS WSRF components --- no legacy (pre-WS) Unicore/Globus2 dependencies
 - WS-Agreement brokering and co-allocation
 - JSDL-based job submission to WS-GRAM
 - Support for more OSes (AIX, Solaris, etc.) and BQs
- Sophisticated VO support for identity/security/monitoring/accounting (extensions of VOMS/MyProxy, WS-* adoption)
- WS- Application Deployment Support
- Grid-wide file system (GFarm) and other data management tools
- Complex workflow for various coupled simulations
- Overall stability/speed/functional improvements for real deployment

Roadmap of NAREGI Grid Middleware



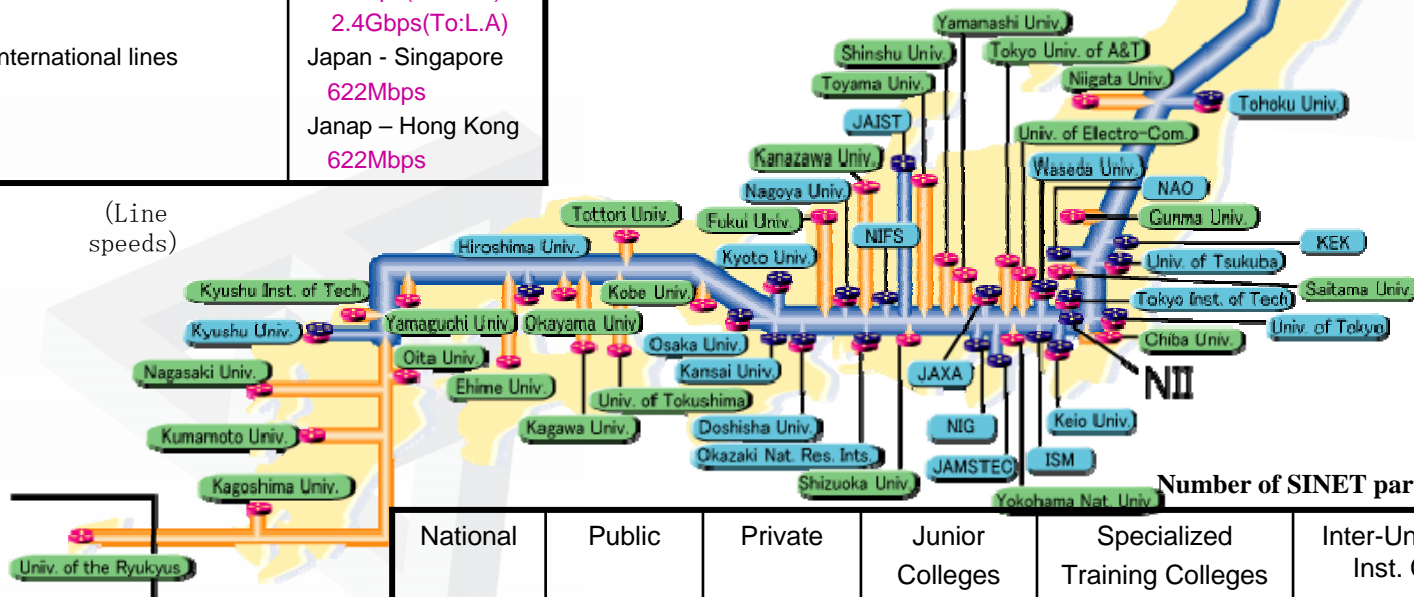
Network Topology Map of SINET/SuperSINET(Feb. 2006)



Japan - U. S. A (N. Y.) : 10Gbps
 Japan - U. S. A (L. A.) : 2.4Gbps
 Japan - Singapore : 622Mbps
 Japan - Hong Kong : 622Mbps

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|-----------------------|--|
| SINET (44nodes) | 100Mbps ~ |
| Super SINET (32nodes) | 1Gbps 10Gbps |
| International lines | Japan - U.S.A 10Gbps(To:N.Y.) 2.4Gbps(To:L.A.) Japan - Singapore 622Mbps Japan - Hong Kong 622Mbps |

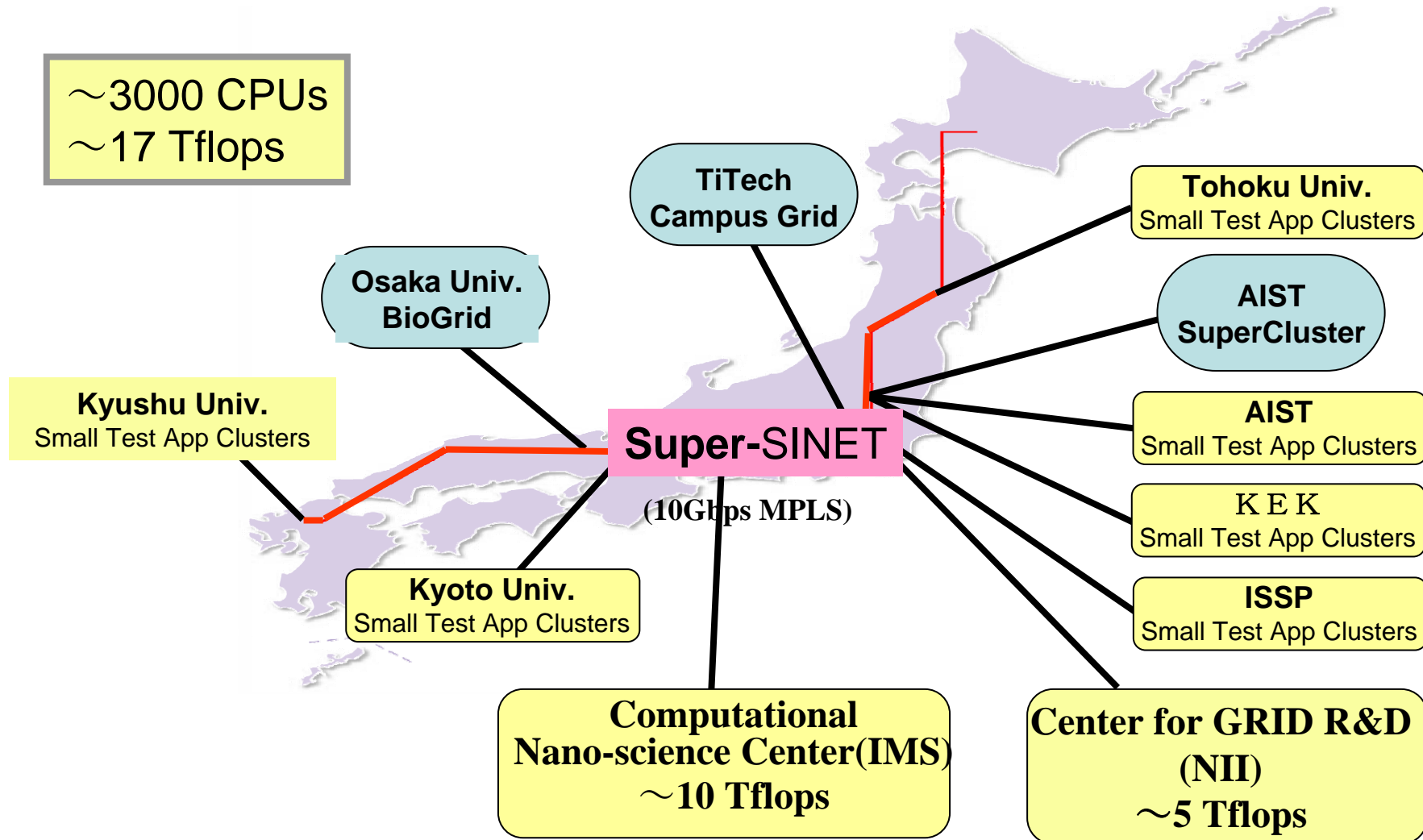
(Line speeds)



Number of SINET particular Organizations (2006.2.1)

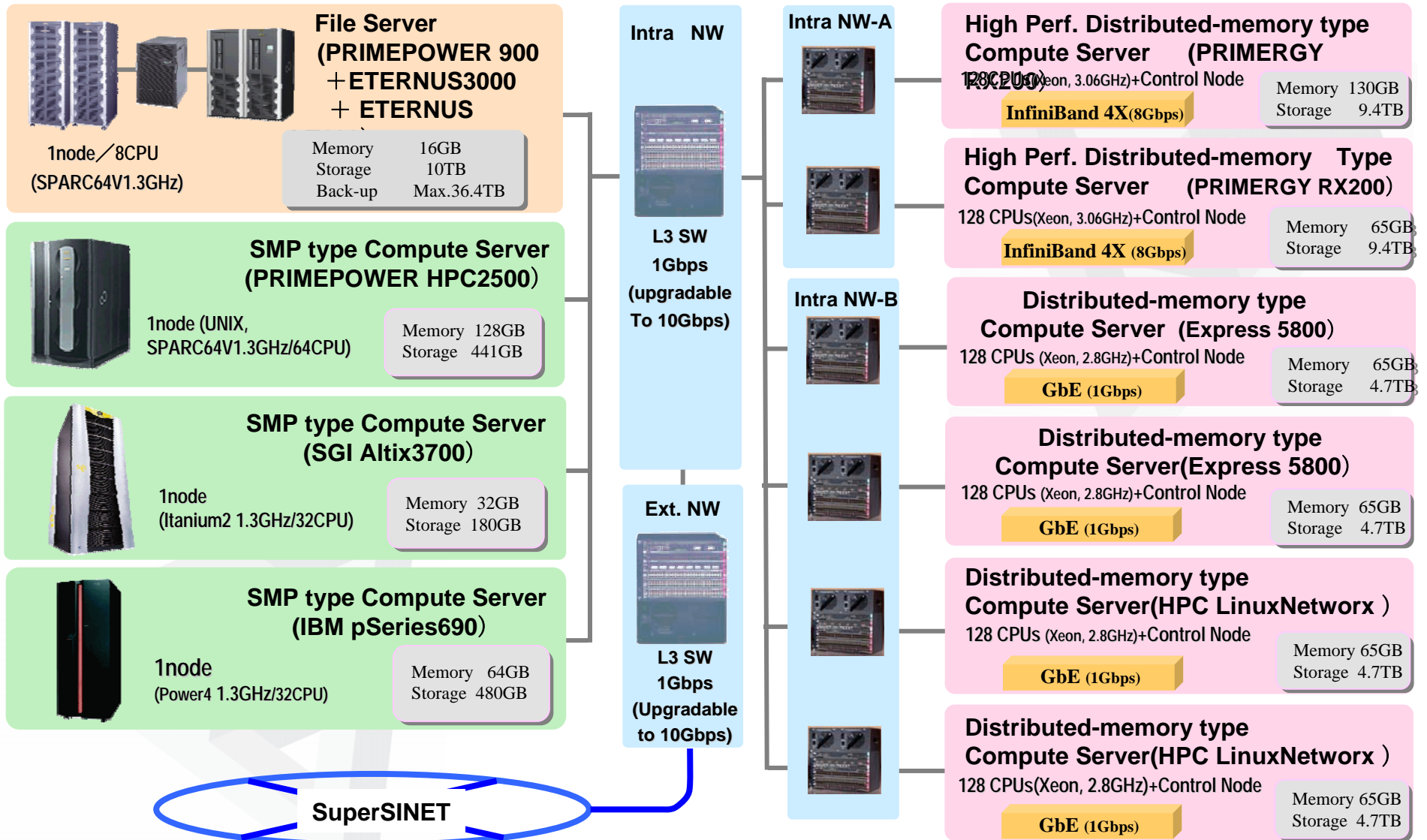
| National | Public | Private | Junior Colleges | Specialized Training Colleges | Inter-Univ. Res. Inst. Corp. | Others | Total |
|----------|--------|---------|-----------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|--------|-------|
| 81 | 51 | 273 | 68 | 41 | 14 | 182 | 710 |

NAREGI Phase 1 Testbed



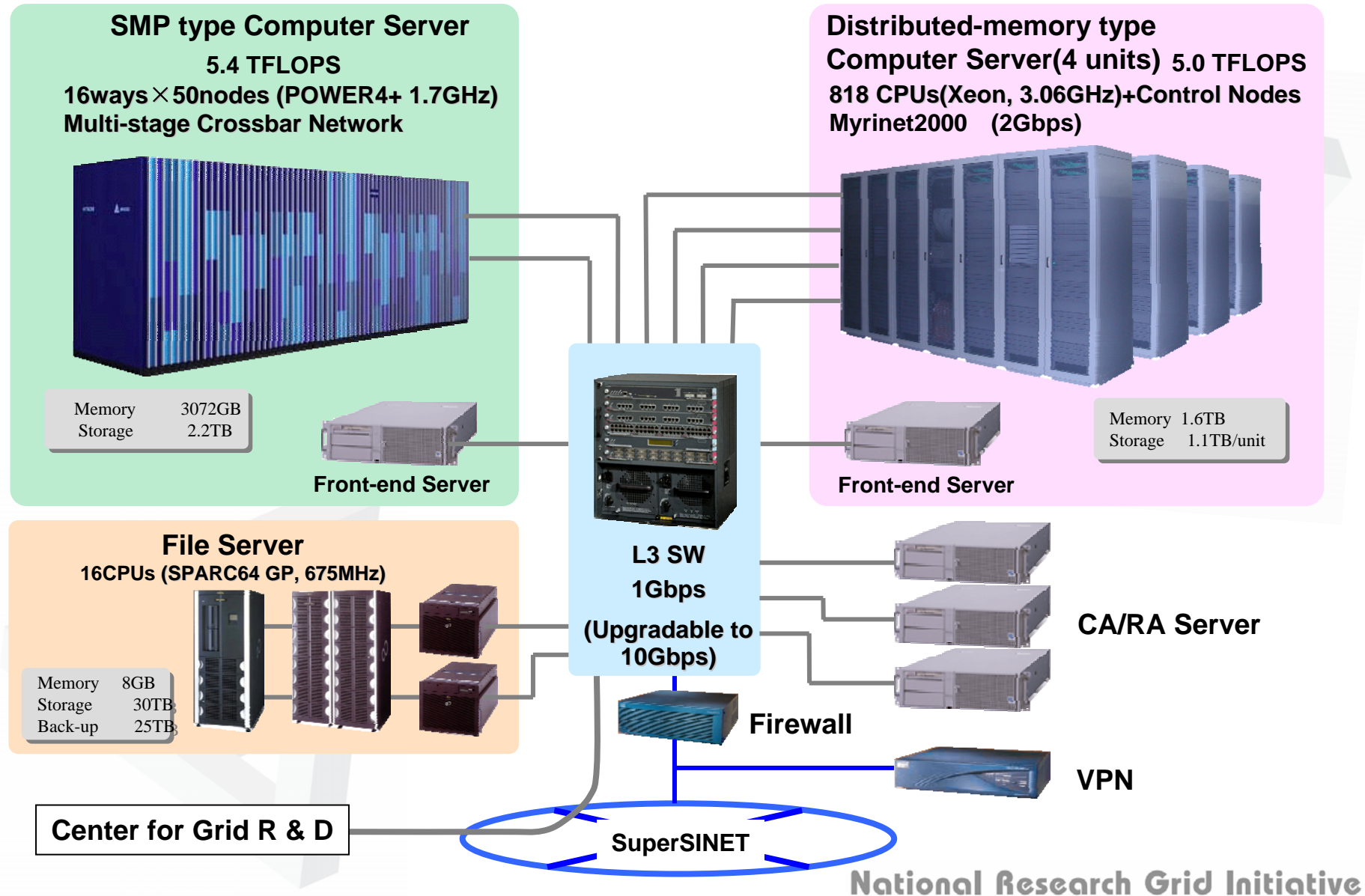
Computer System for Grid Software Infrastructure R & D

Center for Grid Research and Development (5 Tflops, 700GB)



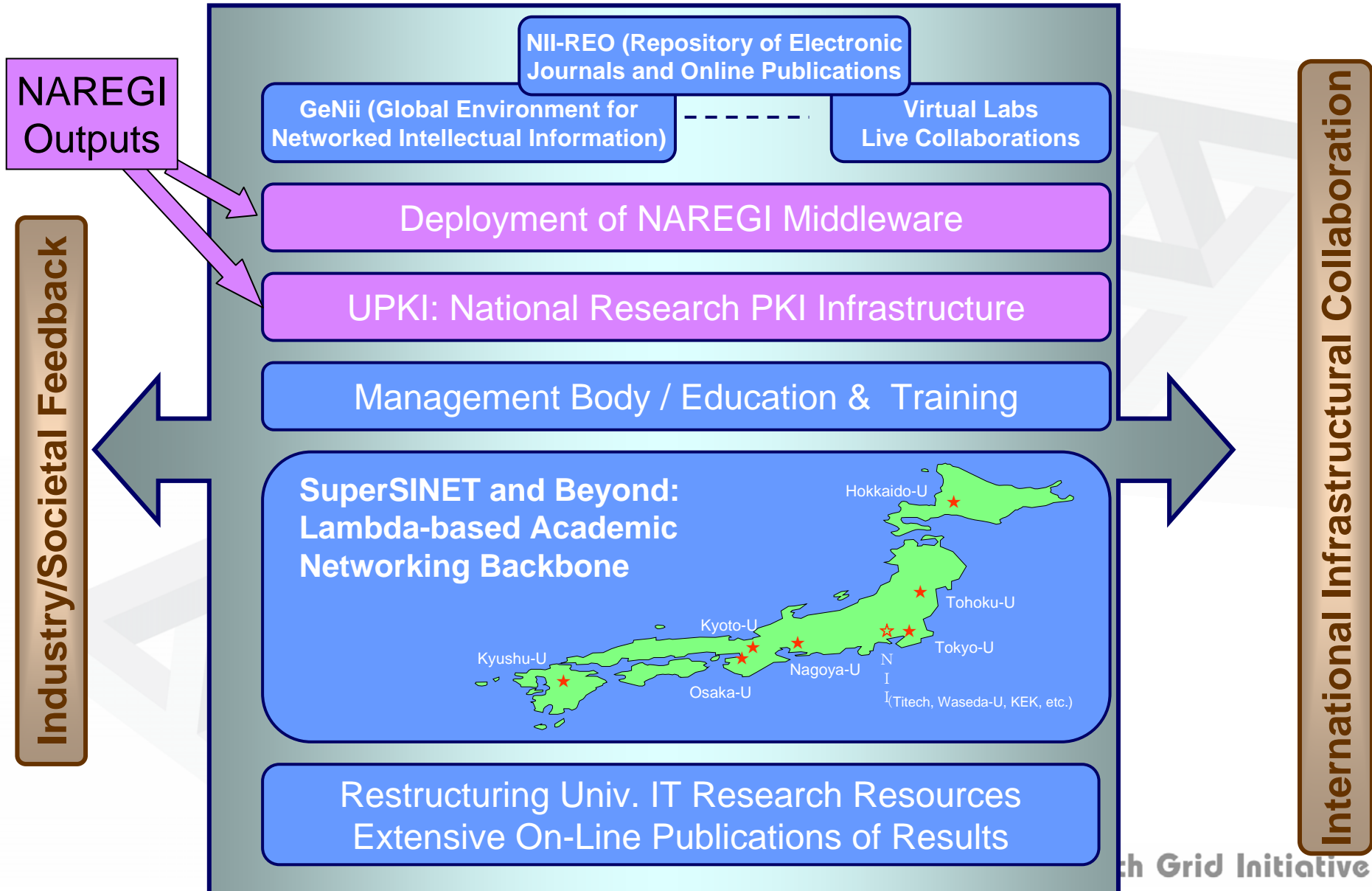
Computer System for Nano Application R & D

Computational Nano science Center (10 Tflops, 5TB)

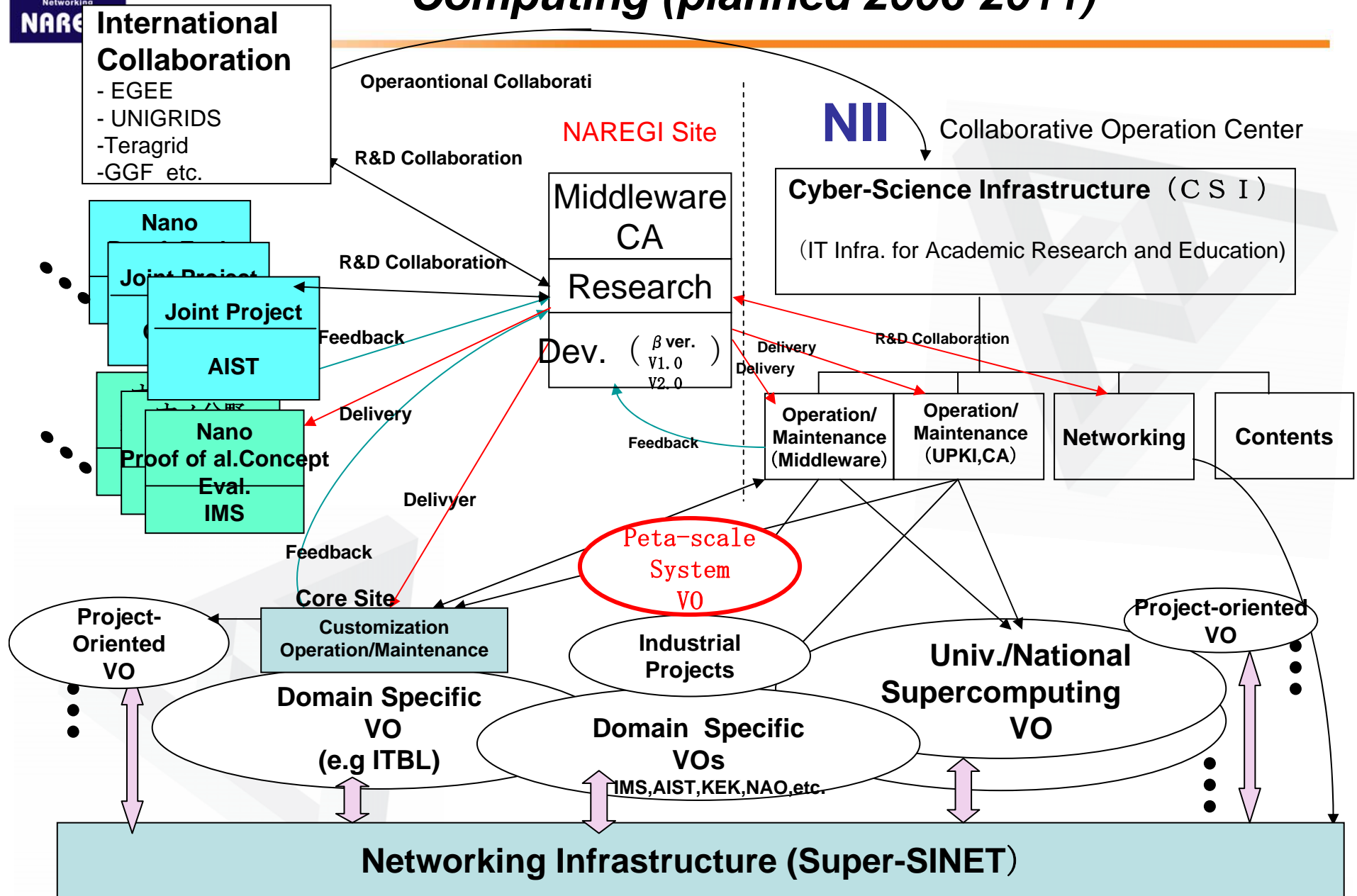


Cyber-Science Infrastructure for R & D

Cyber-Science Infrastructure (CSI)



Cyber Science Infrastructure toward Petascale Computing (planned 2006-2011)



Note: names of VO are tentative)

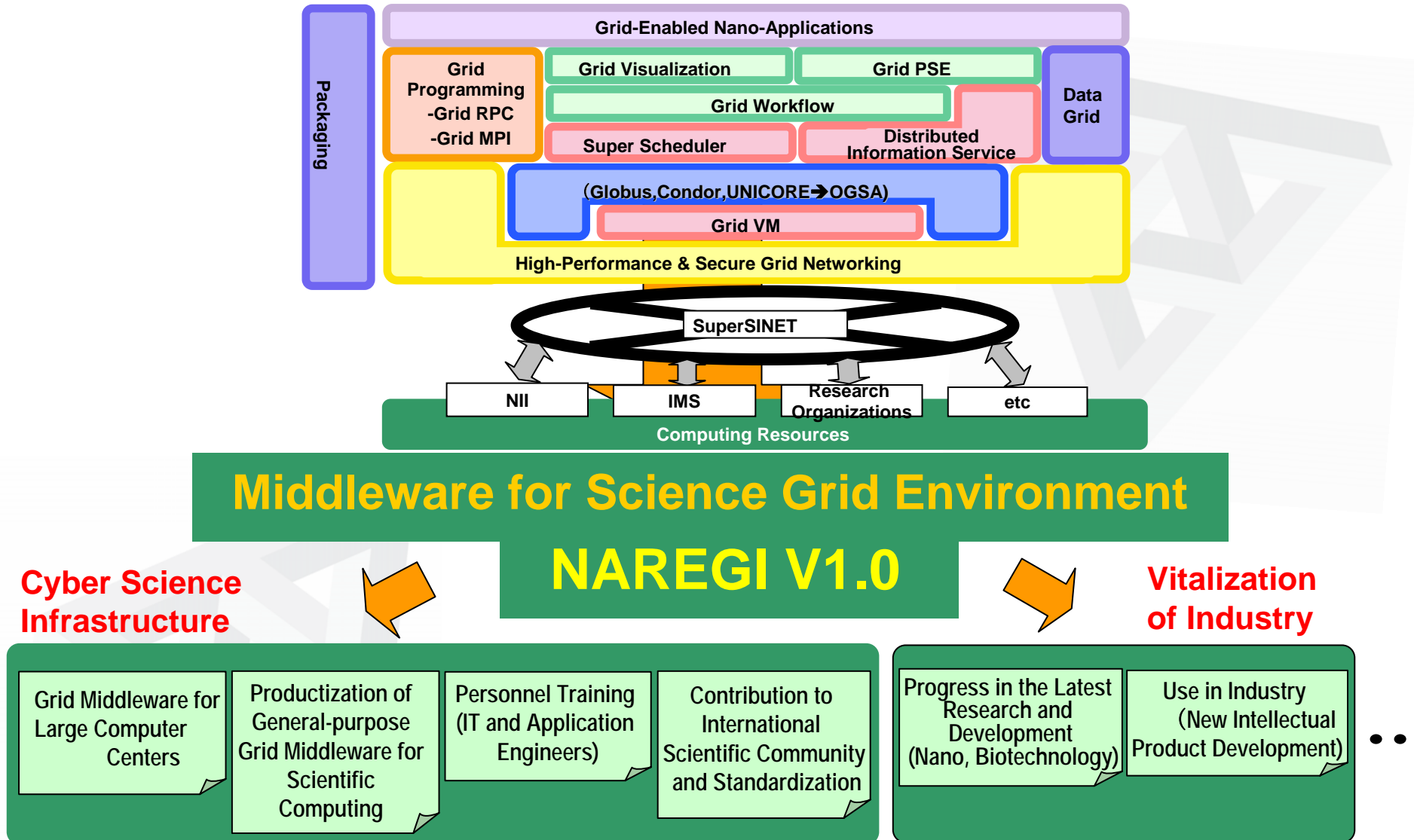
Summary

- In the NAREGI project, seamless federation of heterogeneous resources is the primary objective
- Computations in Nano-science/technology applications over Grid is to be promoted, including participation from industry.
- Data Grid features has been added to NAREGI since FY'05.
- NAREGI Grid Middleware is to be adopted as one of the important components in the new **Japanese Cyber Science Infrastructure Framework.**
- NAREGI Project will provide the VO capabilities for the **National Peta-scale Computing Project**
- International Co-operation is essential.

Additional Slides



Summary of NAREGI Project



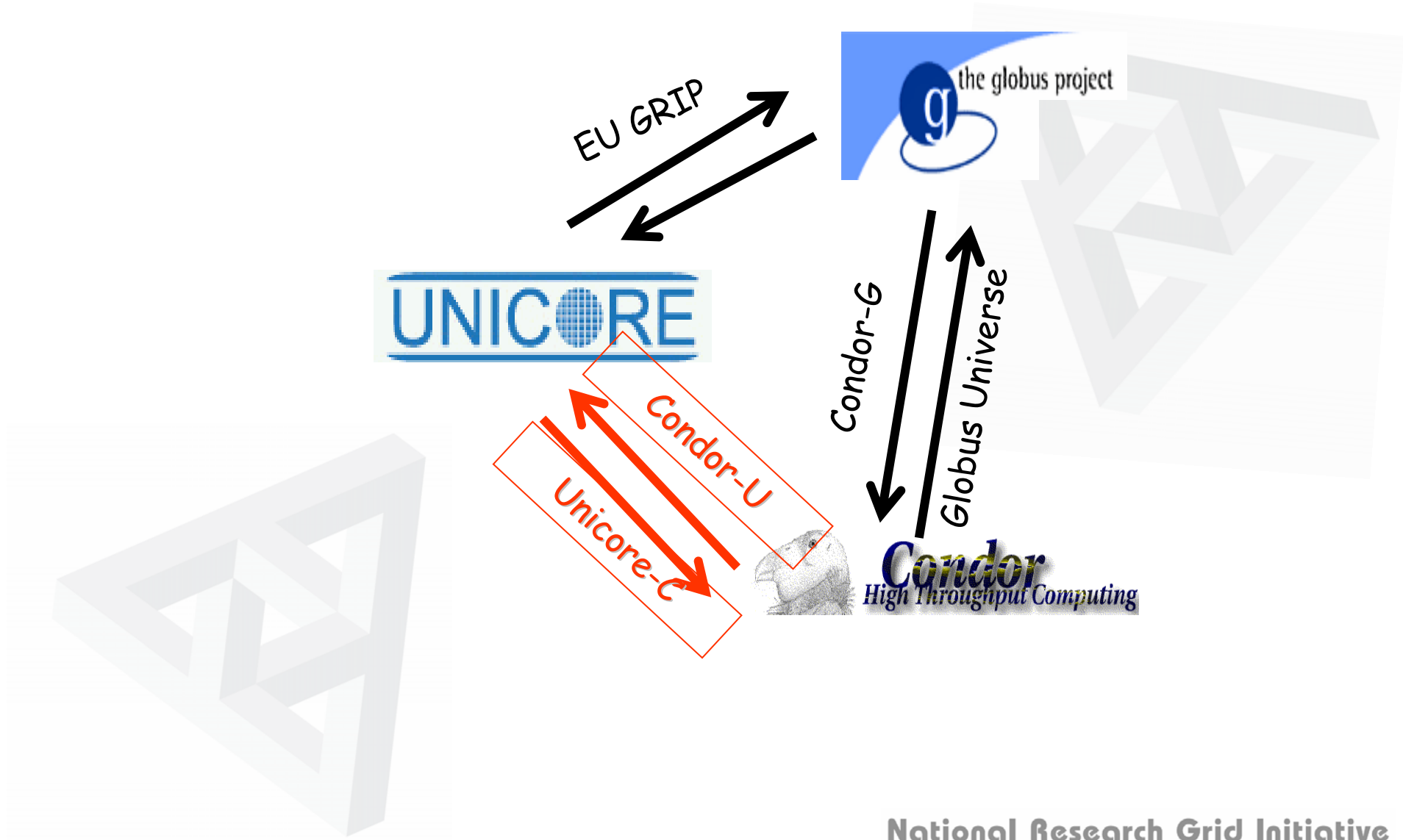
NAREGI Middleware Objectives

- **Mid-range Project Target(β Version)**
 - R&D on scalable middleware infrastructure for server grids and metacomputing resource management, deployable at large computing centers, based on Unicore, Globus and Condor
- **Final Project Target (Version 1)**
 - R&D on building resource management framework and middleware for VO hosting by the centers, based on the OGSA standard
 - Distribute result as high-quality open source software

Features of Grid Middleware(WP-1)

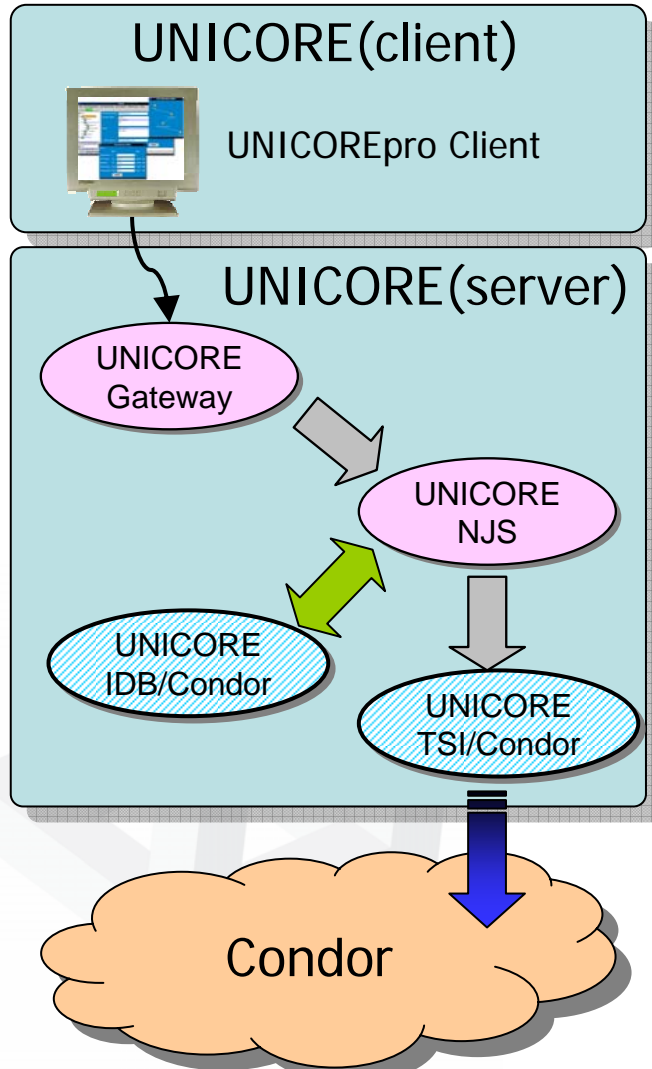
- **(Scalable) Super/Meta Scheduler**
 - Schedule large metacomputing jobs
 - “Scalable”, Agreement-based scheduling
 - Assume preemptive metascheduled jobs
- **(Scalable) Grid Information Service**
 - Support multiple monitoring systems
 - User and job auditing, accounting
 - CIM-based node information schema
- **GridVM (Lightweight Grid Virtual Machine)**
 - Metacomputing Support
 - Enforcing Authorization Policies, Sandbox
 - Checkpointing/FT/Preemption
- **Authentication Service**
 - Along with GGF defined assurance level
 - Authentication mechanism across policy domains

UNICORE-CONDOR Linkage

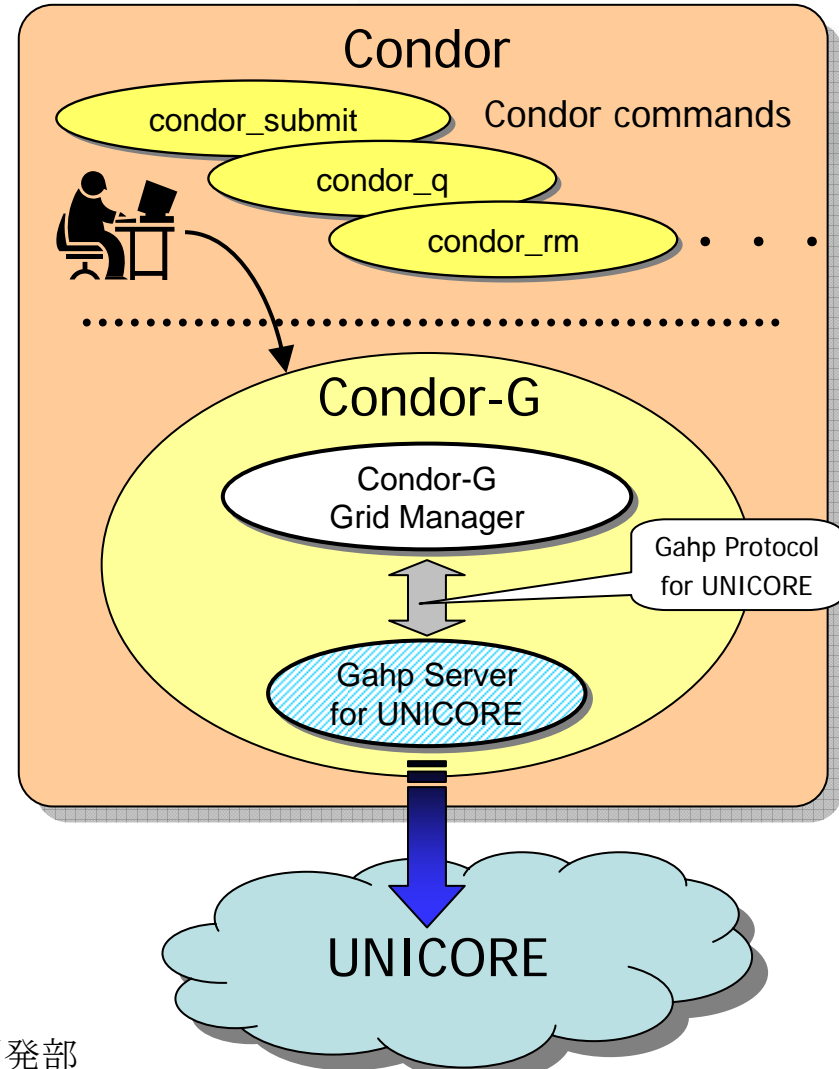


UNICONDORE Architecture

UNICORE-C



Condor-U

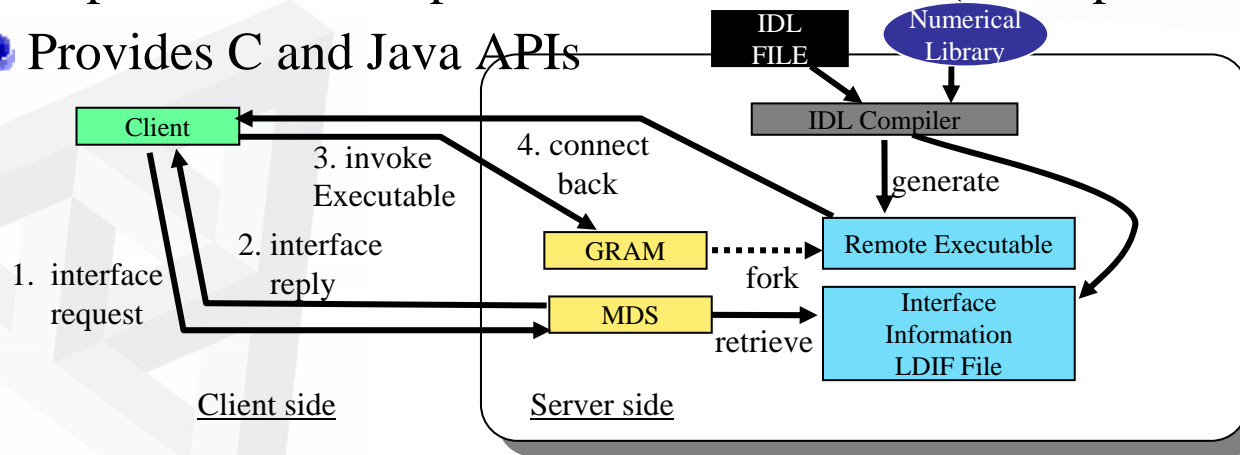


: 開発部分

WP-2: Grid Programming – GridRPC/Ninf-G2 (AIST/GTRC)

GridRPC

- ◆ Programming Model using RPC on the Grid
- ◆ High-level, tailored for Scientific Computing (c.f. SOAP-RPC)
- ◆ GridRPC API standardization by GGF GridRPC WG
- ◆ Ninf-G Version 2
 - A reference implementation of GridRPC API
 - Implemented on top of Globus Toolkit 2.0 (3.0 experimental)
 - Provides C and Java APIs

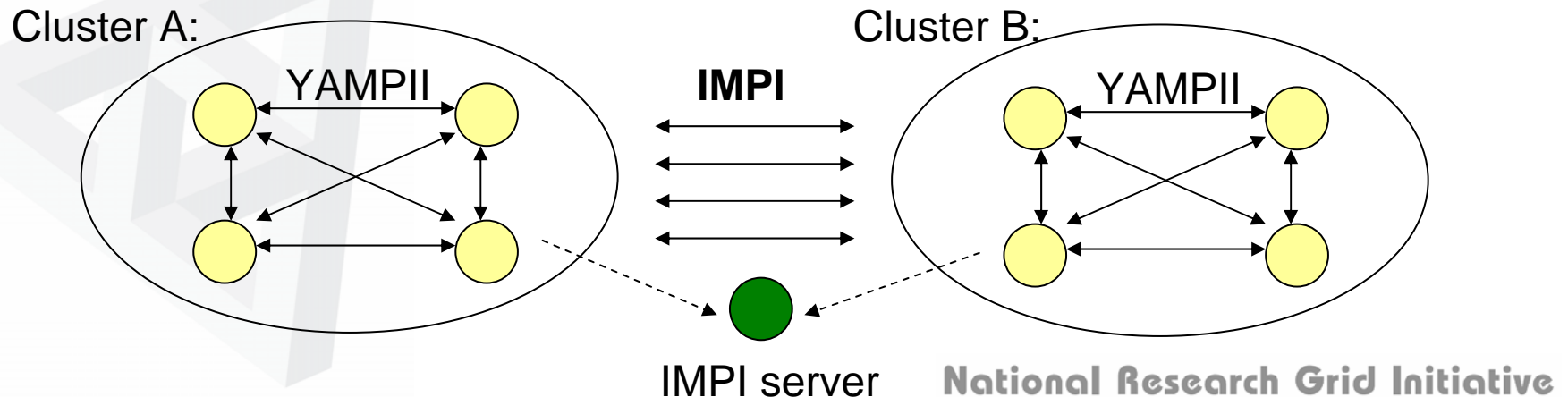


WP-2: Grid Programming

-GridMPI (AIST and U-Tokyo)

■ GridMPI is a library which enables MPI communication between parallel systems in the grid environment. This realizes;

- Huge data size jobs which cannot be executed in a single cluster system
 - Multi-Physics jobs in the heterogeneous CPU architecture environment
- ① Interoperability:
 - IMPI (Interoperable MPI) compliance communication protocol
 - Strict adherence to MPI standard in implementation
 - ② High performance:
 - Simple implementation
 - Built-in wrapper to vendor-provided MPI library



Grid PSE: Problem Solving Environment (PSE)

PSE automatically selects appropriate machines on the grid to execute application program before executing program.

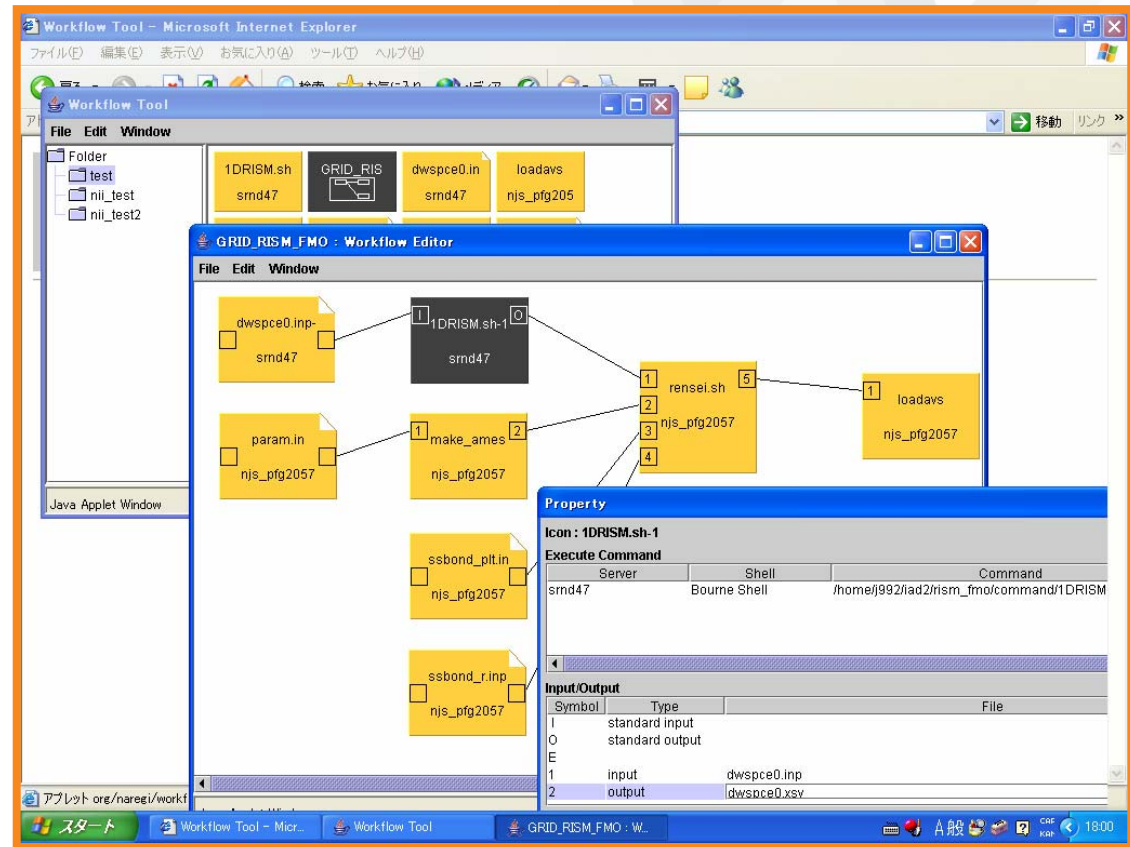
The screenshot shows the NAREGI/PSE Application Registration web interface. The main content area displays a table of available grid resources. The table has columns for Site, Name, Arch, CPU's, OS, Memory, Clock, Disk, ExecTime, testrun, and regist. The 'testrun' column for the third row (cluster2) contains a timestamp: 2009/11/30 22:24:00. On the left side, there are navigation buttons for 'Import', 'Testrun', and 'Register'. Below the table are 'Search' and 'Execute' buttons.

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Grid Workflow:

Web-based GUI

- Icon: program or data
- Line: execution order
- Middleware independent
(The GUI does not use UNICORE features.)



Development of Meta-applications

1) Registering components

Registering resources of components needed in meta-applications

eg. Program, data, target computer,...

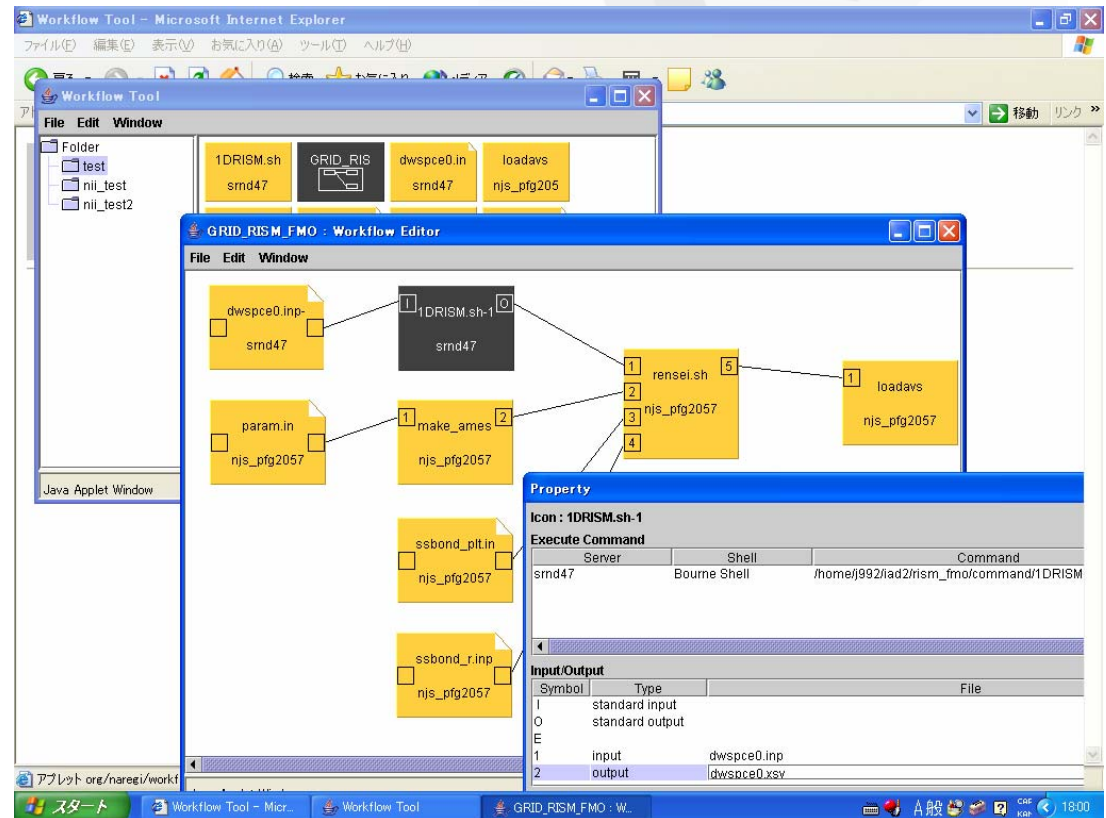
2) Connecting

components

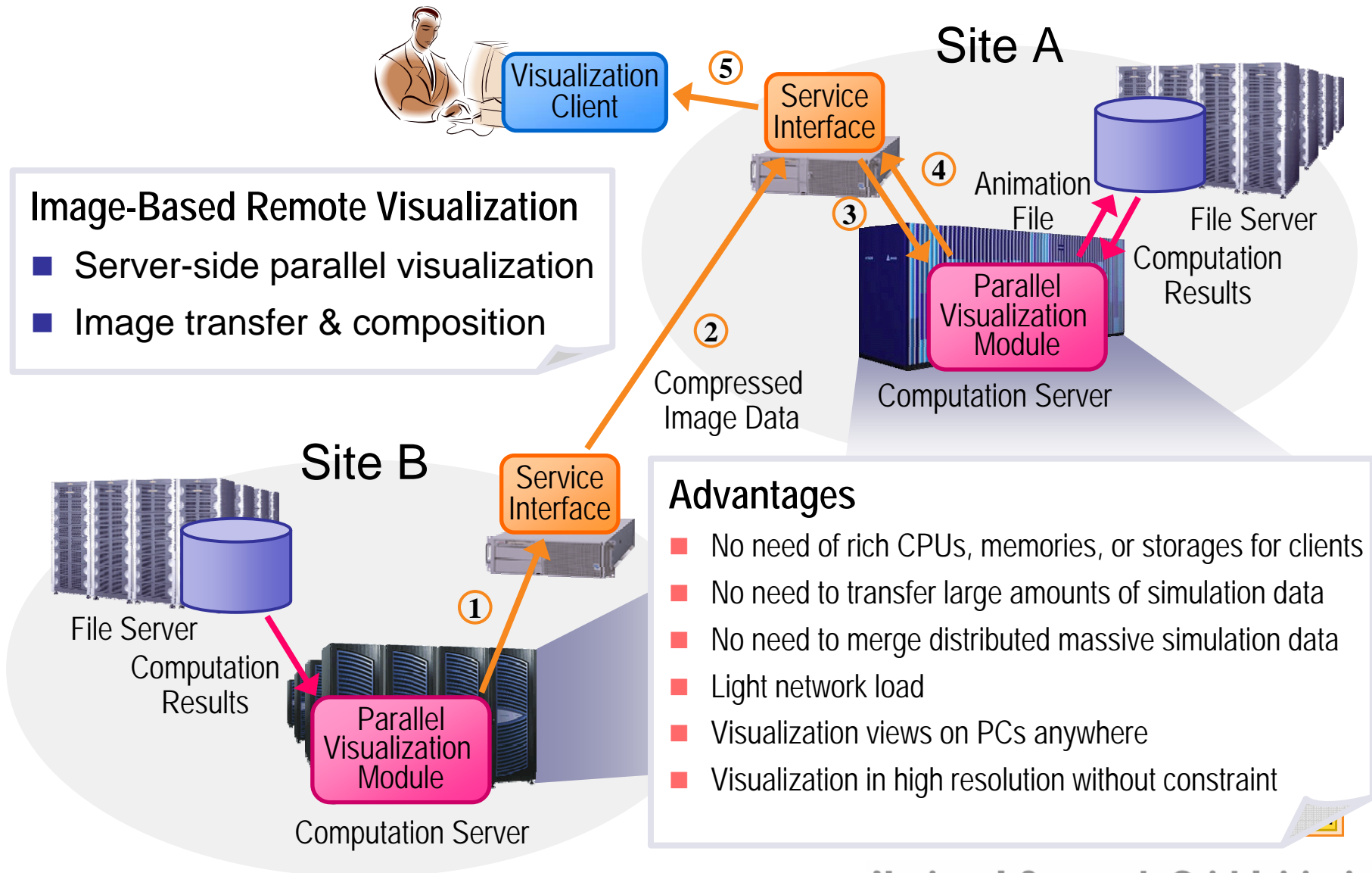
Specifying dependency between components

3) Monitoring execution

Monitoring execution of each component

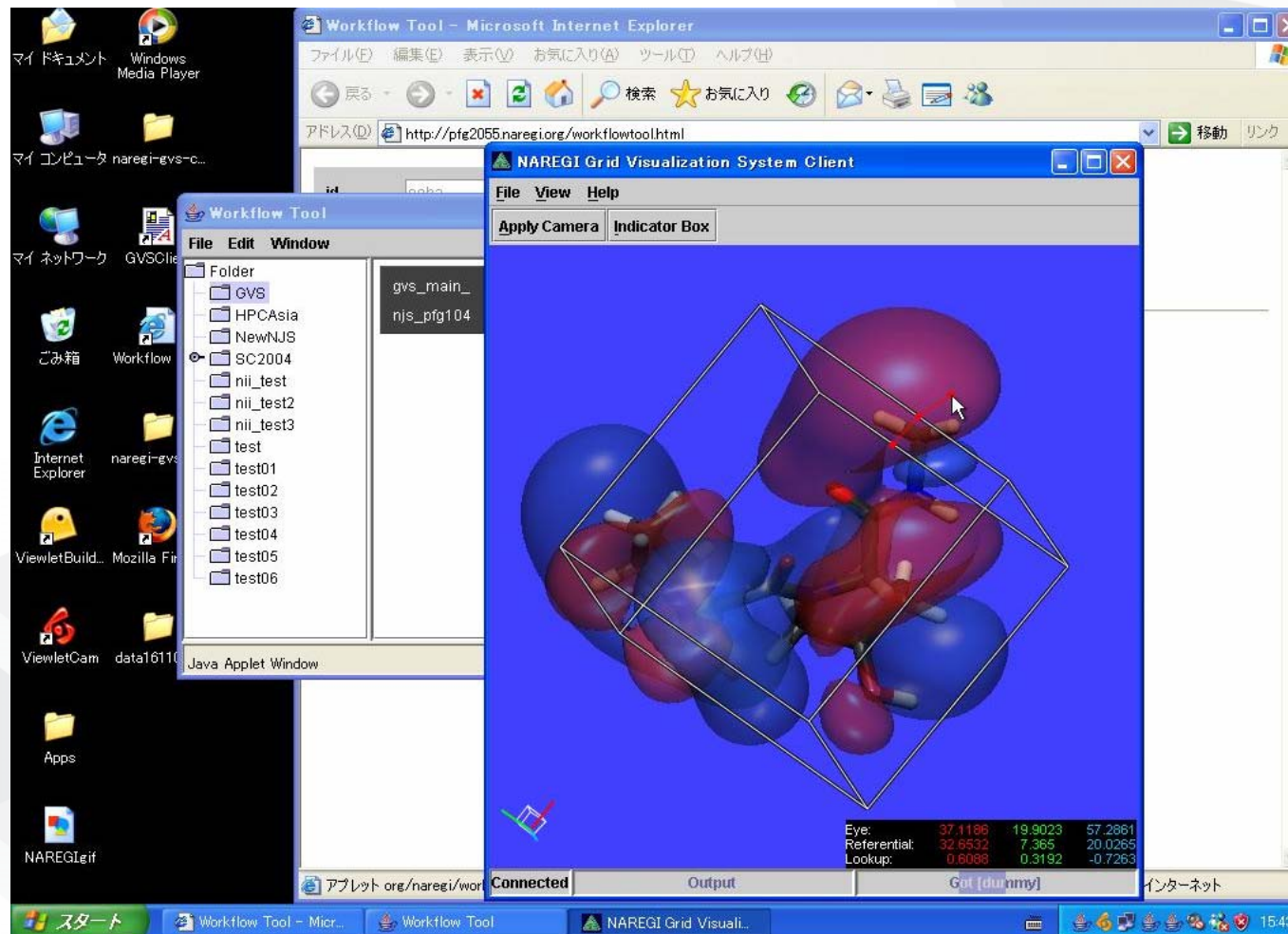


Grid Visualization: Visualization of Distributed Massive Data



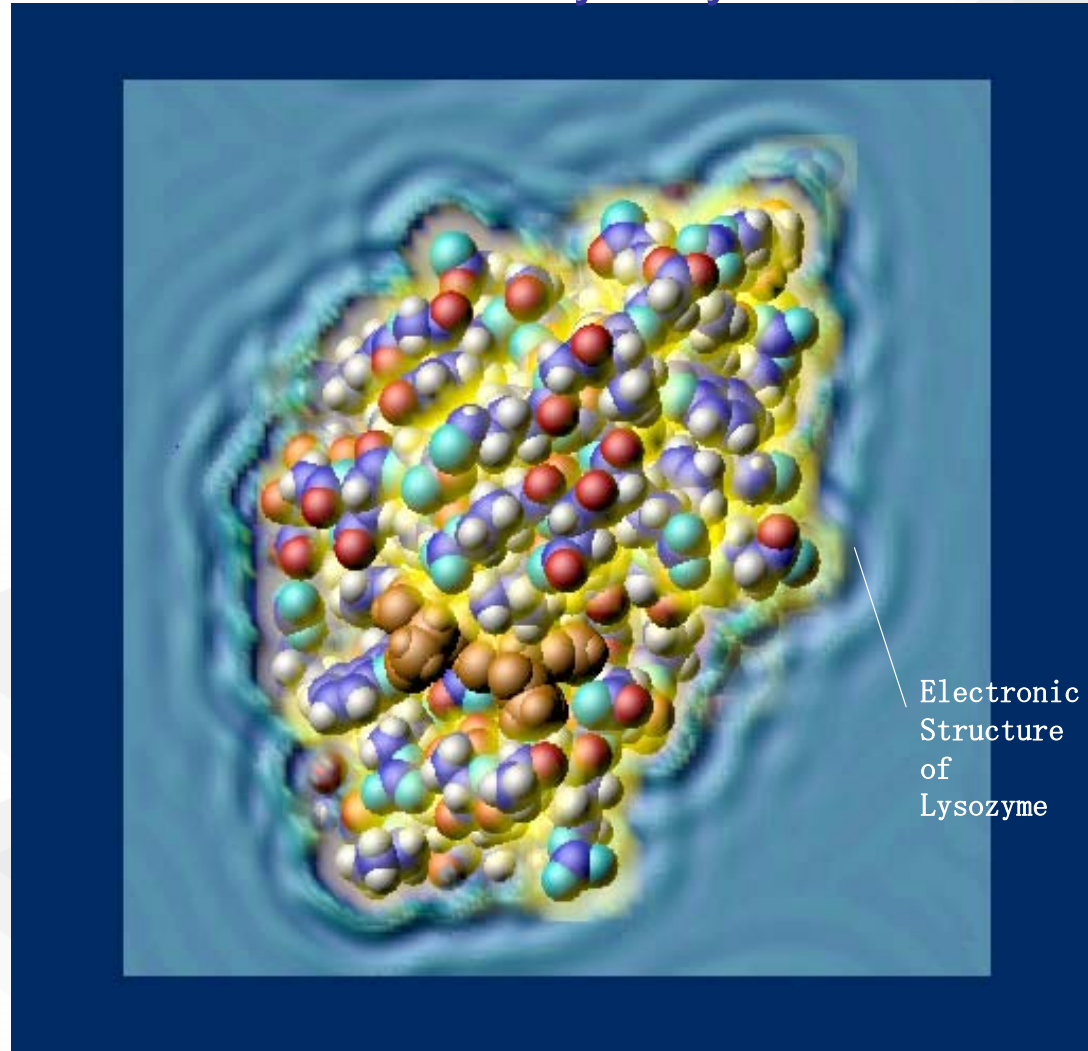
Grid Visualization:

Intermediate and final computed results on the distributed machines can be displayed by Grid Visualization System.

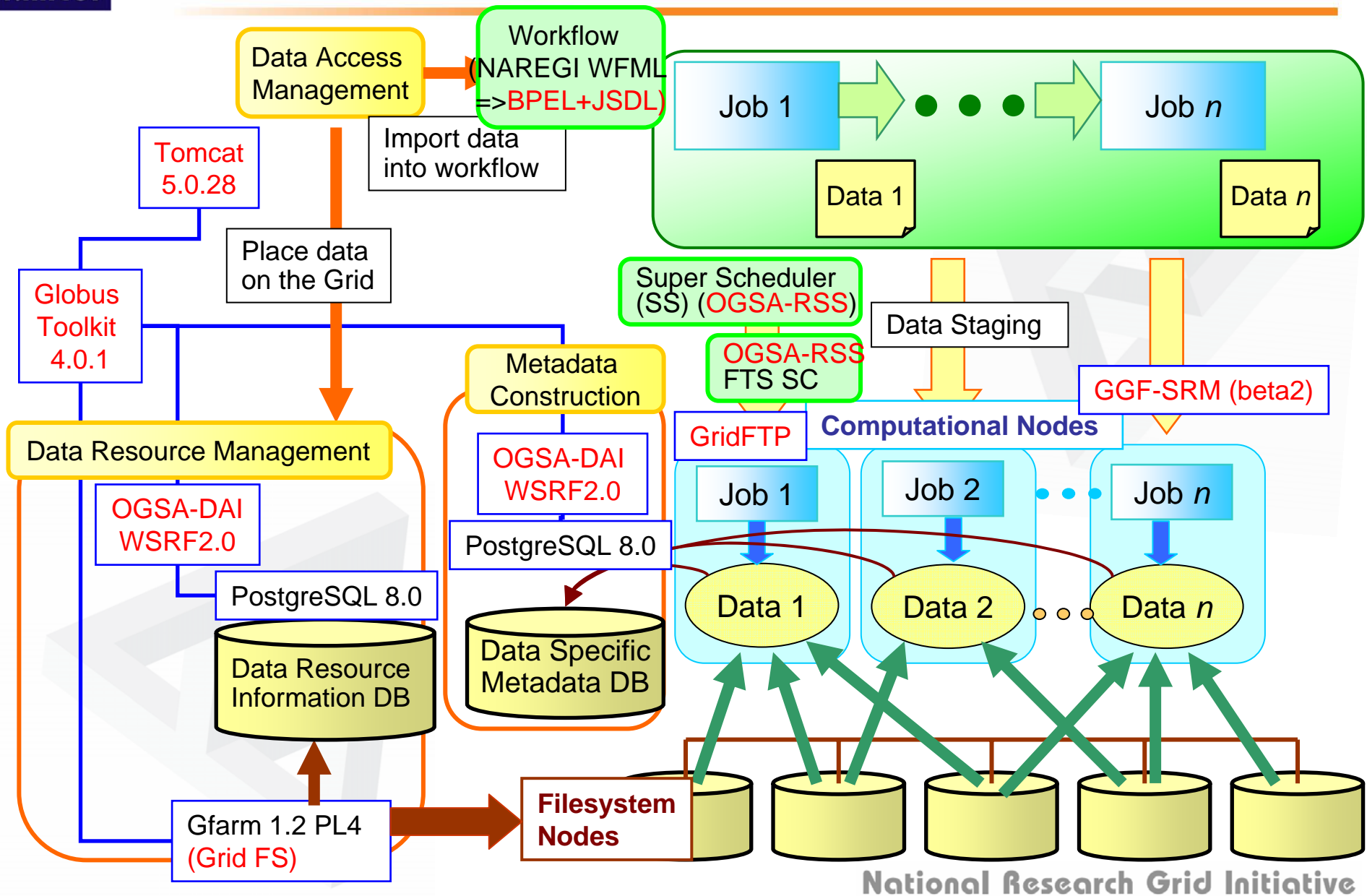


Another Example of Visualization

■ Electronic Structure of Lysozyme in Solutions



NAREGI WP4: Standards Employed in the Architecture





NAREGI WP4 Standards

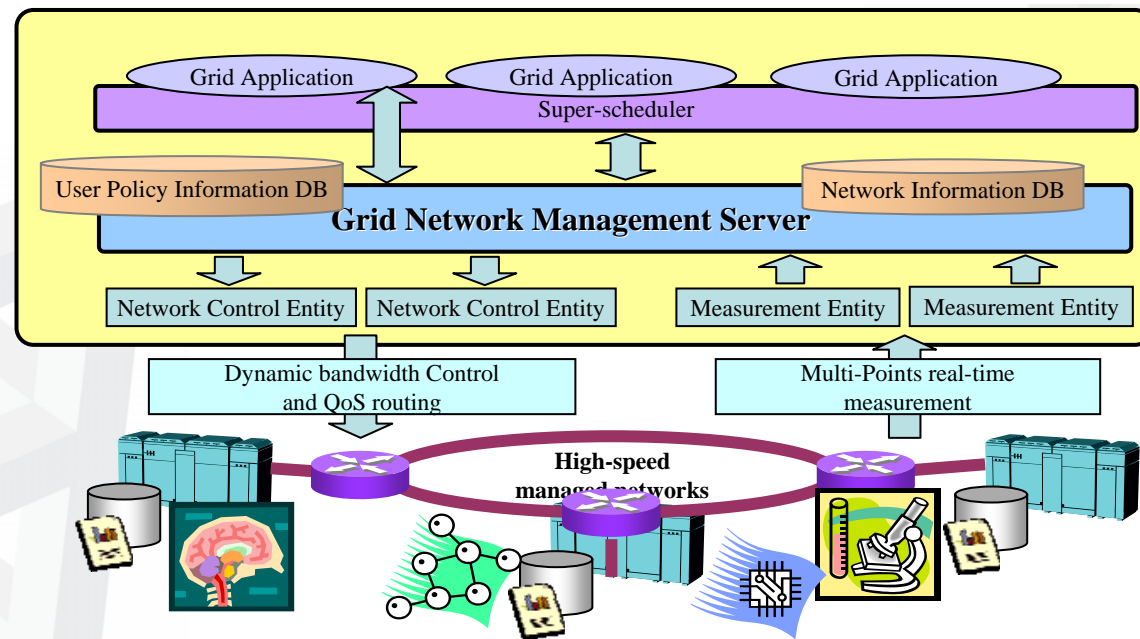
- GGF Standards we help set within a WG
 - Grid FileSystems WG (discussion about functionality and usecase scenario)
- GGF and related Standards we employ
 - OGSA-DAI
 - OGSA-RSS
 - GridFTP
 - WSRF 2.0
 - JSDL
 - SRM (planned for beta 2)
- Other industry standards we employ
 - BPEL
- Other de-facto “standards” we employ
 - Globus 4
 - Tomcat (and associated WS/XML standards)

Roadmaps, Future Plans

- **Extension of Data Sharing Service based on Grid FileSystem**
 - VO support based on VOMS and/or XACML VO group permissions
 - Shared StorageResource Reservation for Work-Resource Mapping (OGSA-RSS)
- **Data Transfer Service**
 - Stream-like Data Transfer for huge amount of data (OGSA BytelO?)
- **Virtualization and/or Integration of Metadata**
 - For Data Exchange among different storage/file-systems (SRM, SRB, ...)
 - Logical Namespace Service (OGSA RNS, WS-Name)

WP-5: Network Measurement, Management & Control for Grid Environment

- Traffic measurement on SuperSINET
- Optimal QoS Routing based on user policies and network measurements
- Robust TCP/IP Control for Grids
- Grid CA/User Grid Account Management and Deployment



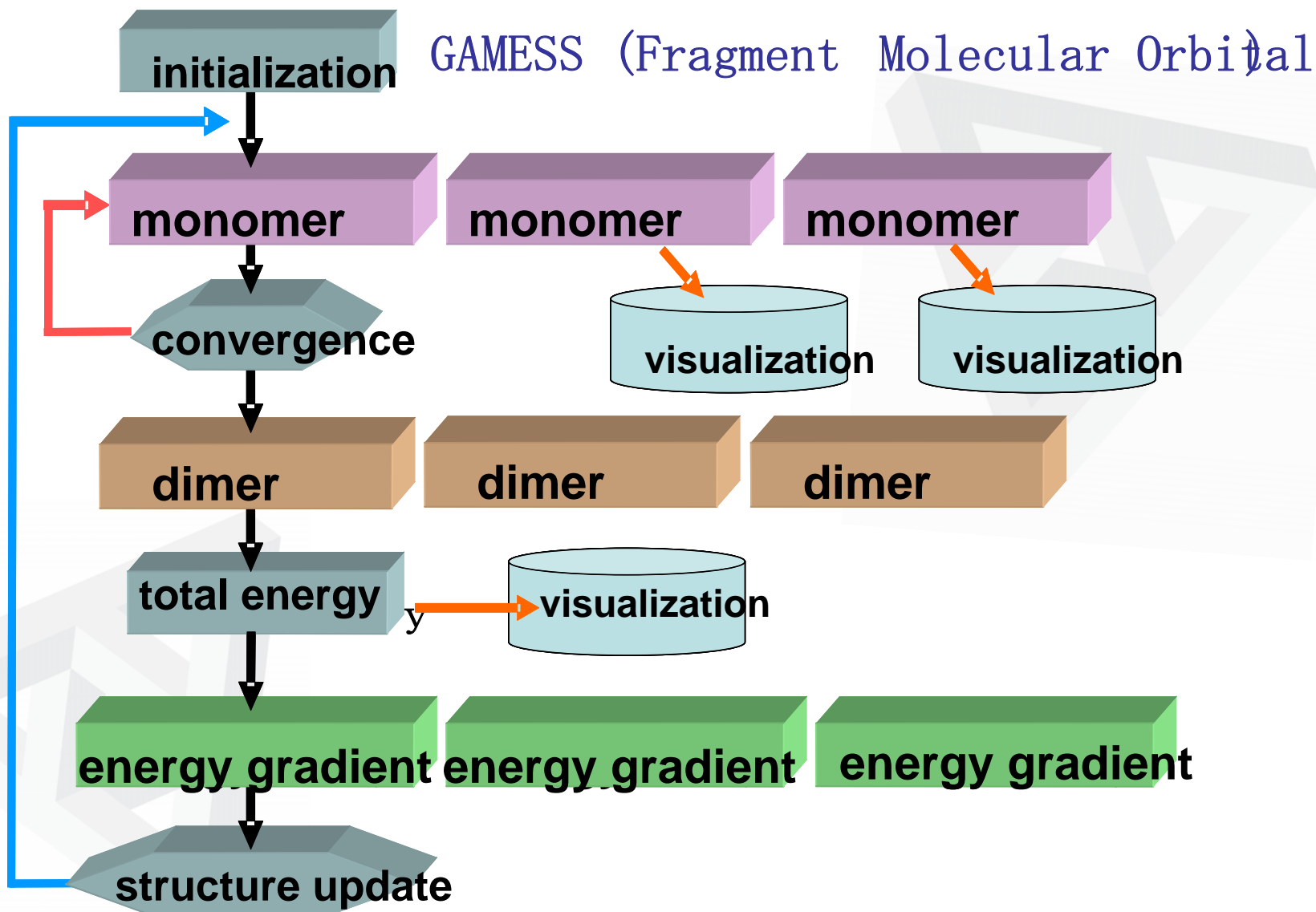
WP-5:NAREGI-CA Features

- Compliance with the basic security level of GGF
 - Independent Registration Authority (RA) Server
 - Practical CP/CPS Template
- License ID management
 - Transfer authentication responsibility to Local RA
- Dual interfaces for certificate request
 - Web & command line enrollment
- Grid operation extensions
 - Batch issue of certificates by command lines
 - Assistance of Grid-mapfile & UUDB creation
- Extension in Version 2.0
 - XKMS interface to realize Web services
 - Management scheme for NAREGI PMA

NAREGI is operating NAREGI CA, which was approved as Production CA by the Asia Pacific Grid Policy Management Authority.

Grid Workflow:

Computational procedure can be defined by Grid Workflow.



Nano-science and Technology Applications Targeted

Participating Organizations:

- Institute for Molecular Science
- Institute for Solid State Physics
- AIST
- Tohoku University
- Kyoto University
- Industry (Materials, Nano-scale Devices)
- Consortium for Promotion of Grid Applications in Industry

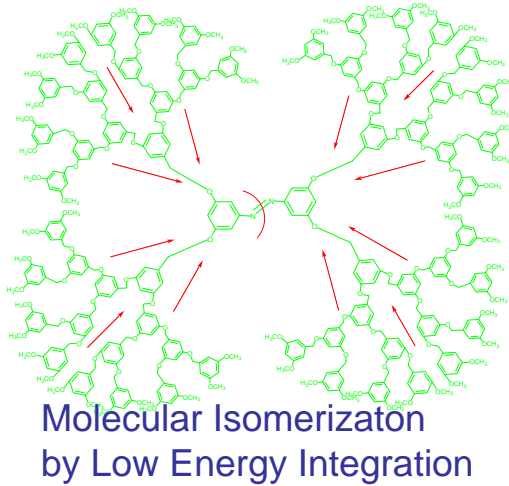
Research Topics and Groups:

- Functional nano-molecules(CNT,Fullerene etc.)
- Nano-molecule Assembly(Bio-molecules etc.)
- Magnetic Properties
- Electronic Structure
- Molecular System Design
- Nano-simulation Software Integration System
- Etc.

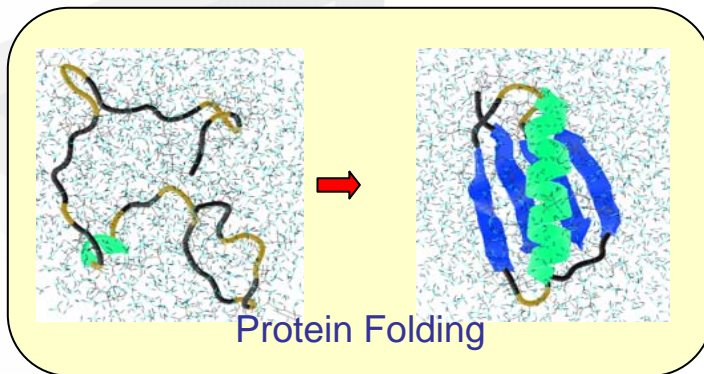


Examples of Nano-Applications Research (1)

Functional Nano-Molecules



Nano-Molecular Assembly



Nano-Electronic System

Manganese-Oxide
Ferromagnetic
Half-metal

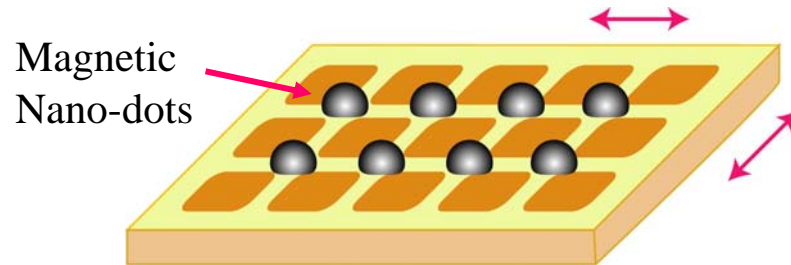
Orbiton
(Orbital Wave)

Apps: Half-metal Magnetic
Tunneling Device

Memory Device

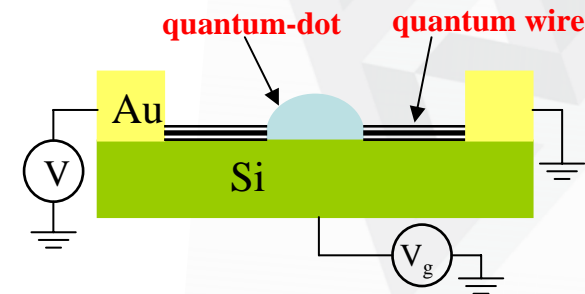
Examples of Nano-Applications Research (2)

Nano-Magnetism



Controlling Arrangement of Nano-dots by Self Organization

Nano-system Design



(Metal,organic Molecules)

Nano-device, Quantum Transport

NII Center for Grid R&D (Jimbo-cho, Tokyo)

Mitsui Office
Bldg. 14th Floor



700m² office space
(100m² machine room)

