



Enabling Grids for E-science

Experience and plans using gLite (New applications)

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- **GILDA and GENIUS role**
- **Test on gLite**
- **gLite and the GA requirements**
- **Summary**

30 tutorial+demo from April 2004

Tested applications:

- **Earth observation**
- **Hydrology**
- **Geosciences**
- **Computational Chemistry**
- **Astroparticle Physics**
- **20+ demonstrative applications**

They are

- Key enablers of of the EGEE “virtuous cycle”
- Important instruments for dissemination

To continue to use these instruments we need

- Access to testbed (prototype and/or pre-production)
- Keep in touch with development
- Interaction to have GENIUS working properly on gLite

- During last ARDA Workshop I tried to download, install and configure gLite client **successfully**
- **Fedora Core 2 machines**
 - the data management related commands worked
 - the job submission commands did not (libstdc++ problem)
- **Production testbed UI**
 - Data management and job submission worked

But.... Last Saturday data management did not work any more

Documentation

- **Not updated**
- **Unclear the configuration part**
- **Unclear where the configuration files go in case of centralized installation**

51 requirements

- **12 should be already fulfilled and we will test them in the next days**
 - Job submission
 - Data management
 - Information service
- **22 imply middleware modifications**
 - High priority job submission
 - Metadata and their access rights
 - MPI
- **17 imply further testing or middleware enhancements**
 - DAG jobs
 - Anonymous access
 - Retrieve part of a replica

- **Light client and scripting capabilities (GENIUS)**
- **Program streams accessible at runtime**
- **Interactive and MPI interactive**
- **Posix like interface to replicas**
- **Permanent index for Information Service and Resource Broker**
- **Metric about jobs**
- **QoS**
- **Handling of licensed software**
- **Data encryption**
- **Outbound connectivity to external services**
- **Guaranteed network bandwidth**

- **It is important support to GILDA/GENIUS group**
- **We will begin an extensive testing soon**
 - Basic functionalities
 - Requirements
- **We are ready to discuss other requirements**