

1 Regional Operations Centre (ROC) Managers' Meeting - Project Week 40  
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3 Minutes  
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5 v0.0 Alistair Mills, 13 January 2005  
6 v0.0 Alistair Mills, 5 January 2005  
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8 The agenda for the ROC meeting of 14 December 2004 is at the following address:  
<http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?id=a045575>  
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10 As usual the contact information is the following:  
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16 The agenda has the following items:  
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18 40.00 Contents  
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20 40.01 Time of meeting  
21 40.02 Attendance  
22 40.03 Review of actions from ROC(37) (Cristina)  
23 40.04 Round the regions (All)  
24 40.05 AOB (Any)  
25 40.06 Actions  
26 40.07 Conclusion  
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28 40.01 Time of meeting  
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30 The meeting started at 11:10.  
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32 40.02 Attendance  
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34 01 CERN Alistair Mills (secretary)  
35 02 Central Aleksander Kuznir (CYFRONET)  
36 03 France Rolf Rumler (IN2P3), Pierre Girard (IN2P3)  
37 04 Germany Holger Marten (FZK), Sven Gabriel ? (FZK), Sven Hermann (FZK)  
38 05 Italy Cristina Vistoli (INFN - chairperson)  
39 06 UK Philippa Strange (RAL)  
40 07 Northern Per Oster (KTH), Jules Wolfrat (SARA)  
41 08 Southeast -  
42 09 Southwest -  
43 10 Russia -  
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45 Apologies  
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47 01 CERN Ian Bird, Nick Thackray  
48 08 Southeast Ognjen Prnjat (GRNET)  
49 10 Russia Alexander Kryukov (SINP MSU), Yuriy Lazin (IHEP)  
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51 40.03 Review of actions from ROC(37)  
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53 Alistair reported that although minutes of the previous meeting had been published, they were not complete before the Christmas break, due to other commitments (quarterly report, deliverable DSA1.3). One item which had not been completed was the action list. Cristina asked Alistair to complete this so that we could clear any back log of actions.  
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55 40.04 Round the regions  
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58 CE  
59 Alex reported that there had been discussion with Ian Bird and Fab Gagliardi about a change in the execution plan for CE involving Bratislava. Alex is awaiting a response from Bratislava. Alex also reported that integration of CE with Savannah was proceeding.  
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61 IT  
62 Cristina reported that Italy had taken its turn to be cic-on-duty before Christmas and that this had gone well, and that they had done the handover oat the Monday GDA meeting. Italy has a plan to migrate their resources to LCG\_2\_3\_0 and that this would happy soon.  
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64 FR  
65 Rolf reported that IN2P3 has resources ready to work with the pre-production system. He also reported that they have done testing of LCG\_2\_3\_0 on SL3. The French federation is on track to add additional resources to the production infrastructure during January.  
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67 David Bouvet will send an email with a reminder about the cic-on-duty meeting to be held on 20-21 January 2005 in Lyon. [ This meeting will be known as COD-1 and an agenda page is available at: <http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?id=a045595> - Ed].  
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69 The French federation will host the next live meeting of the ROC group to be known as ARM-3. This will be in Lyon. There is an agenda page available at:  
70 <http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?id=a045580> . A full list of the meetings for 2005 is on the following web page:[http://egee-docs.web.cern.ch/egee-docs/list.php?dir=.\roc\\_managers\meetings&](http://egee-docs.web.cern.ch/egee-docs/list.php?dir=.\roc_managers\meetings&)  
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72 This meeting has been scheduled to avoid the All Activities Meeting at CERN on 10-11/03/2005  
<http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?id=a045526>  
73 and Grid Deployment Board meeting at CERN on 16/03/2005  
<http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?id=a045320>.  
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75 Rolf also reported that although France is responsible for the delivery of the deliverable "DSA1.4

75 Review of Grid Operations for the first 12 months", he would need help from all of the federations in order to be able to do this. [There is a draft of the scope document for this deliverable available at:

76 [http://egee-docs.web.cern.ch/egee-docs/dsal\\_4/pdf/EGEE-DSA1.4-Scope-Operational-Assessment-489457-v01.pdf](http://egee-docs.web.cern.ch/egee-docs/dsal_4/pdf/EGEE-DSA1.4-Scope-Operational-Assessment-489457-v01.pdf) - Ed].

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79 Jules reported that SEEGRID is now operational and that SARA would be providing support to SEEGRID.

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81 Per reported that they were were installing LCG\_2\_3\_0 on SL3. He said that he had a meeting with Finland and Norway about this next week.

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83 UK

84 [Philippa Strange has recently joined the ROC team at RAL and was attending her first meeting of this group - Ed].

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86 Philippa reported that RAL had had difficulties with power over the Christmas holiday period and that things were not back to normal. She expected that this would soon be the case. Philippa also reported difficulties with PBS.

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88 D-CH

89 Sven reported the they were getting resources connected to the pre-production grid. He said that although they had the CE and WNs working together, it would be a week before they would be ready.

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92 40.05 AOB

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94 A number of items came up of a general nature during the meeting:

95 01. EGEE Review - February 9-11, 2005

96 02. Monitoring demo at CERN

97 03. Activity Plan for SA1 for PM10-PM24

98 04. Backup plan for GOC database

99 05. Anomolous reporting from on line tools

100 06. Schedule of meeting for 2005

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102 40.05.01 EGEE Review - February 9-11, 2005

103 There was discussion of the attendance at the EGEE review at CERN in February 9-11. The likely attendance at the review in Feb 2005 from the ROC group will be:

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105 IT Cristina

106 CERN Alistair, Ian, [ also from SA1 at CERN, Markus, Piotr, Min (?) ]

107 FR Helene, ANO

108 D-CH TBA

109 CE Alex

110 NE TBA (not Per or Jules)

111 SE ?

112 SW ?

113 RU ?

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115 [ More details about the review can be obtained at the following URL:

116 [http://egee-intranet.web.cern.ch/egee-intranet/EU\\_Review/index.html](http://egee-intranet.web.cern.ch/egee-intranet/EU_Review/index.html) ]

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118 40.05.02 Monitoring demo at CERN

119 Alistair reported that there had been a demo of the grid monitoring tools to the PO at CERN on 14 December. This had been done by John Gordon of RAL and it had gone well. Helene Cordier of IN2P3 has agreed to do the demo for the review itself in February. This will involve rehearsals on 13/01 and 20/01, and on 2-4/02. Helene will get assistance in this task from CERN. It is expected that the operational documentation for the CIC-on-DUTY will be enhanced as a result of this work. Cristina asked that if this work leads to new requirements for reporting, that these be communicated as soon as possible.

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121 40.05.03 Activity Plan for SA1 for PM10-PM24

122 Alistair had attached a note to the agenda for this meeting from Ian Bird with the text of a report on PM10-24. Ian had been asked to provide a short plan to the PO for the period PM10-PM24. If anyone has comments then they should contact Ian directly.

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124 40.05.04 Backup plan for GOC database

125 There had been a major outage or RAL over the Christmas period. This has highlighted the vulnerability of Grid operations to a failure in the availability of the GOC database. It was agreed that back plan to ensure reliable operations is required.

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127 40.04.05. Anomolous reporting from on line tools

128 Holger reported that there are anomolies in the information presented with the various on line reporting tools. It was suggested that he report this to the CIC-ON-DUTY to see if it could be resolved.

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130 40.05.06 Schedule of meetings for 2005

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132 The schedule of meetings for the first half of 2005 is:

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134	2005/01/04	SA1 phone conference: ROC(40)	<a href="http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045575">http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045575</a>
135	2005/01/18	SA1 phone conference: ROC(42)	<a href="http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045576">http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045576</a>
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137	2005/02/01	SA1 phone conference: ROC(44)	<a href="http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045577">http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045577</a>
138	2005/02/15	SA1 phone conference: ROC(46)	<a href="http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045578">http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045578</a>
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140	2005/03/01	SA1 phone conference: ROC(48)	<a href="http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045579">http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045579</a>
141	2005/03/17-18	SA1 conference:ARM-3, ROC(50) Lyon	Thursday-Friday <a href="http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045580">http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045580</a>
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144	2005/04/05	SA1 phone conference: ROC(53)	<a href="http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045581">http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045581</a>

145 2005/04/19 SA1 conference:EGEE-3 ROC(55) Athens <http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045592>  
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 147 2005/05/03 SA1 phone conference: ROC(57) <http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045593>  
 148 2005/05/17 SA1 phone conference: ROC(59) <http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045594>  
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 150 2005/06/07 SA1 phone conference: ROC(62) <http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045585>  
 151 2005/06/21 SA1 phone conference: ROC(64) <http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045586>  
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 153 2005/07/05 SA1 phone conference: ROC(66) <http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045589>  
 154 2005/07/19 SA1 phone conference: ROC(68) <http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045590>  
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 157 40.06 Actions Person Status  
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 159 40.03 Review of actions  
 160 40.03.01 Update the minutes of ROC(37) Alistair Not complete  
 161 40.03.02 Write minutes of this meeting and publish on agenda Alistair Written an  
 available for comment  
 162 40.03.03 Provide feedback to Maria Dimou about the VO procedures documents. All ?  
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 164 40.04 Round the regions  
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 166 40.05 AOB  
 167 40.05.01 Contact Ian Bird with comments on the PM10-PM24 plan for SA1 All ?  
 168 40.05.02 Plan for reliable operations of the GOC database ? ?  
 169 40.05.03 Contact CIC-ON-DUTY about anomolous reporting Holger Done  
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 172 40.13 Conclusion  
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 174 The meeting concluded at 11:40 CET.  
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 176 The next meeting is scheduled for 11:00 CET on Tuesday 18th January 2004. The agenda and contact  
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 178 <http://agenda.cern.ch/fullAgenda.php?ida=a045576>  
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