

## **RAL and UK Plans and Outlook**

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## **Multiple Experiments**



#### BaBar (SLAC)

#### LHCb





#### CMS



### SAMGrid (FermiLab) QCDGrid

#### PhenoGrid





#### UK Tier-1/A Centre Rutherford Appleton Laboratory

- High quality data services
- National and international role
- UK focus for international Grid development

1000 CPU 200 TB Disk 60 TB Tape (Capacity 1PB)



#### 2004 Disk Use





2004 CPU Utilisation



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#### 424 CPU years (4,000 kSI2k months), 186M events

- UK's input significant (>1/4 total)
- LCG(UK) resource:

GridPP

UK Computing for Particle Physics

- Tier-1 7.7%
- Tier-2 sites:
- London 3.9%
- South 2.3%
- North 1.4%
- DIRAC:

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- Imperial 2.0%
- L'pool 3.1%
- **Oxford 0.1**%
- ScotGrid 5.1%





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# Data Challenge

- Ongoing.
- (3) Grid Production
- ~150 CPU years so far

GridPP

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- Largest total computing requirement
- Small fraction of what ATLAS need..

**Entering Grid Production Phase...** 



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## **Capacity Planning**





- Planning tool to balance requirements, finance, and technology foresight
- This gives plan for how we share the resources
- Turned into 1/4ly allocations by UserBoard
- Used in allocating disk and batch shares
  - cpu isn't a hard limit, just guidance to the batch scheduler
  - -Tier1A Manager and UB chair can vary in response to circumstances



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#### **UK Tier-2 Centres**

#### ScotGrid

Durham, Edinburgh, Glasgow

#### NorthGrid

Daresbury, Lancaster, Liverpool, Manchester, Sheffield

#### SouthGrid

Birmingham, Bristol, Cambridge, Oxford, RAL PPD, Warwick

#### LondonGrid

Brunel, Imperial, QMUL, RHUL, UCL





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## **Tier-2 Board Membership**

Chair: Steve Lloyd 4 Tier-2 Regional Management Board Chairs: Dave Colling, Roger Jones, Phil Clark, Jeff Tseng 4 Tier-2 Technical Coordinators: Owen Maroney, Alessandra Forti, Fraser Speirs, Rhys Newman Production Manager: Jeremy Coles Tier-1 Board Representative: John Gordon User Board Representative: tbd Deployment Board Representative: Dave Kelsey

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# **Experimental Shares**

# Attempting to determine what the 'fair shares' of the Tier-2 resources are.

Linear Collider

Institute	Facility	No of CPUs	Total CPU (KSI20 00)	Total Formatte d Disk (TB)	HEP Shar e	Nominal Experiment Shares							
						ALICE	ATLAS	CMS	LHCb	BaBar	CDF	D0	Other
QMUL	E-Science Cluster	344	354.0	36.0	75%		50%			15%			<b>▲</b> 35%
QMUL	BaBar Farm	80	33.0	1.0	100%					100%			

Multiply each resource by HEP Share and experiment share (+ time/belief weight) and integrate over all institutes.

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## **Experimental Shares**

# Preliminary!

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Raw data needs to be checked/updated

	CPU	Disk		
ALICE	2%	0%		
ATLAS	37%	42%		
CMS	7%	4%		
LHCb	11%	13%		
BaBar	12%	14%		
CDF	3%	4%		
D0	12%	14%		
Other	16%	9%		

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#### GridPP UK Computing for Particle Physics Available Hardware Summary

 Survey of Tier2 provided commitments of resources to GridPP

	CPU	Disk
	(KSI2K)	(TB)
London	1820	139
NorthGrid	2602	543
ScotGrid	271	102
SouthGrid	701	49

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		CPU (K	SI2K)		Disk (TB)					
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2004	2005	2006	2007		
ALICE	75	85	108	109	12	13	15	15		
ATLAS	1661	1874	2389	2412	275	295	335	338		
CMS	313	353	450	454	52	56	63	64		
LHCb	468	528	673	680	77	83	94	95		
BaBar	507	571	728	735	84	90	102	103		
CDF	162	183	233	236	27	29	33	33		
D0	507	572	730	737	84	90	102	103		
Other	703	793	1011	1021	116	125	142	143		
Total	4397	4960	6322	6382	728	781	887	894		

• We have defined shares but applying them across T2s will be more complex

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## Issues

- Moores Law and other hardware unknowns
- Long lead times on Mass Storage acquisitions
- Overcomplication, reliability and maintainability of Middleware
- Conflict between experiment demands
  - and understanding the computing models
- Balance between 2008 and 2005-7
  - buying hardware that isn't used weakens the case for the hardware that will be required in 2008, also true for networking
- T1-T2 Issues still needs investigation

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# Summary

- UK has a working Tier1
  - Engaged with (most) experiments and contributing to DCs
- UK has an impressive range of Tier2 resources available
  - A good fraction are on the grid
- Challenges
  - Improve quality of integrated management
  - Copying with middleware
  - Keep up with the increasing demands

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