



Enabling Grids for E-science

JRA3 Security

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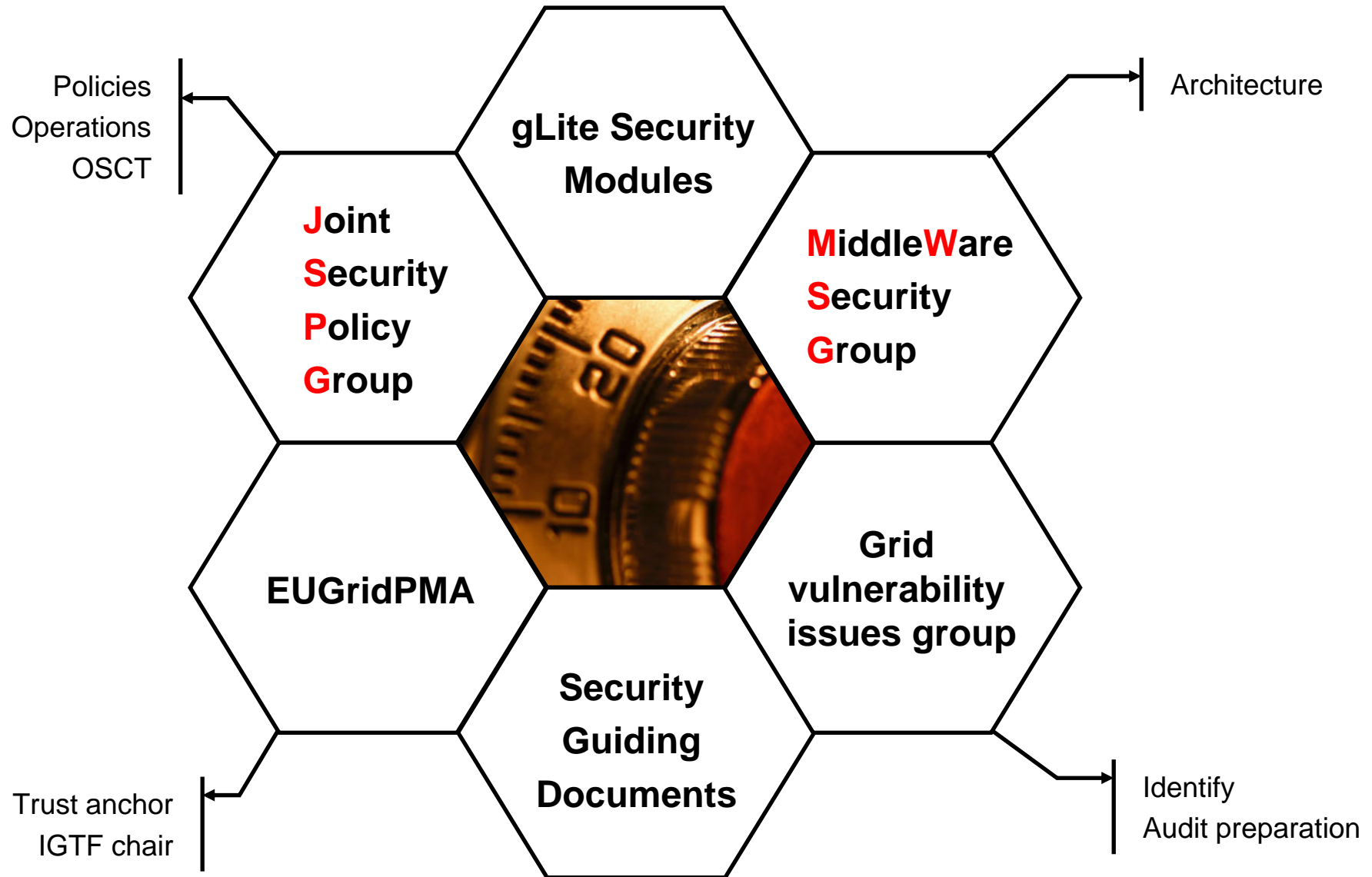
- ✓ **Overview - EGEE Security**
- ✓ **Security Coordination and Collaboration - the EGEE security workgroups and how they are used in the security coordination work and as an active part of the global collaboration on Grid security**
- ✓ **Security Guiding Documents - status, usage**
- ✓ **gLite Security Modules - current status and future plans**
- ✓ **Q&A - open session for questions and answers**

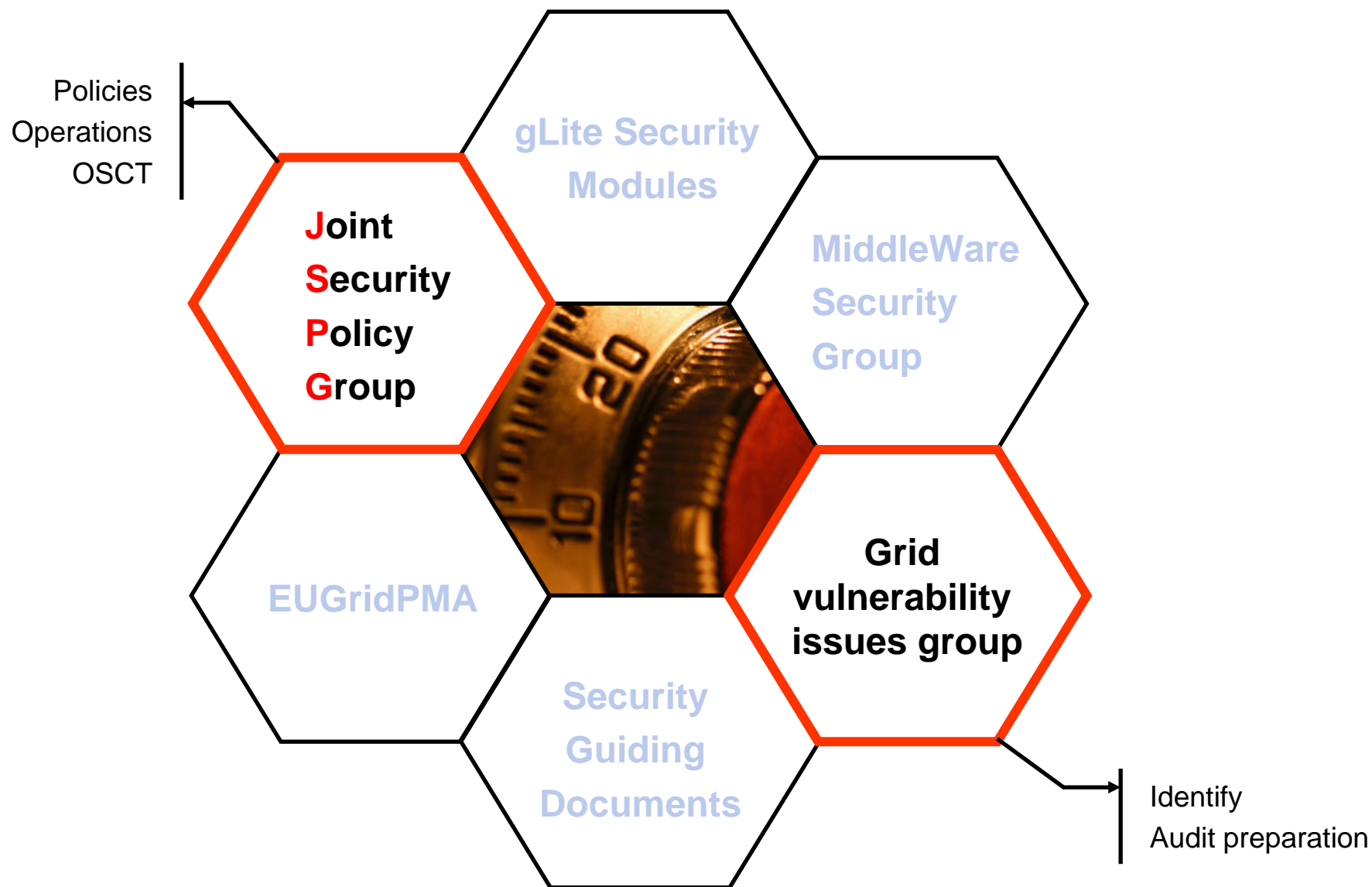
- **Enable secure operation of a European Grid infrastructure**
 - Develop security architectures, frameworks and policies
 - Definition of incident response methods and authentication policies
- **Consistent design of security mechanisms for all core Grid services**
 - Meet production needs of resource providers with regard to identity, integrity and protection
- **Provide robust, supportable security components (as part of JRA1)**
 - Select, re-engineer, integrate identified Grid Services
- **Selection of security components is based on requirements of:**
 - Middleware developers
 - Applications
 - Grid operations

- Revised global **security architecture**. Secure **credential storage** procedures/recommendations document
- **Middleware security group (MWSG)** setting example for security **interoperability** between grid initiatives (EGEE, OSG, NAREGI)
 - To be used for GGF work. Official MWSG meeting at GGF16
- **Actively contributing to the gLite middleware**
- **EUGridPMA** continued work and was instrumental to
- **IGTF launched**,
 - Chaired by David Groep (JRA3)
 - Coordinating European, Asian, and American GridPMAs
- **Vulnerability analysis database created**
- **For remaining 2005**
 - Reinforce middleware **security component development** and **interoperability**
 - Overview and recommendation document on **accounting techniques**
 - Second revision of **security operational procedures** document.
 - Assessment of security infrastructure – *Security Challenge*



- **Geographically distributed teams**
 - Teams: Organized the team into two teams instead of four.
 - Cluster manager: For a development-intense period: two alternates for the JRA3 representation in the JRA1. Now: one point of contact in the TCG and EMT.
 - F2F meetings: Mainly MWSG and conferences.
- **Conflicting/challenging security requirements from applications and operations**
 - Proposed solutions meeting the sets of requirements as much as possible. Best example: Encrypted storage.







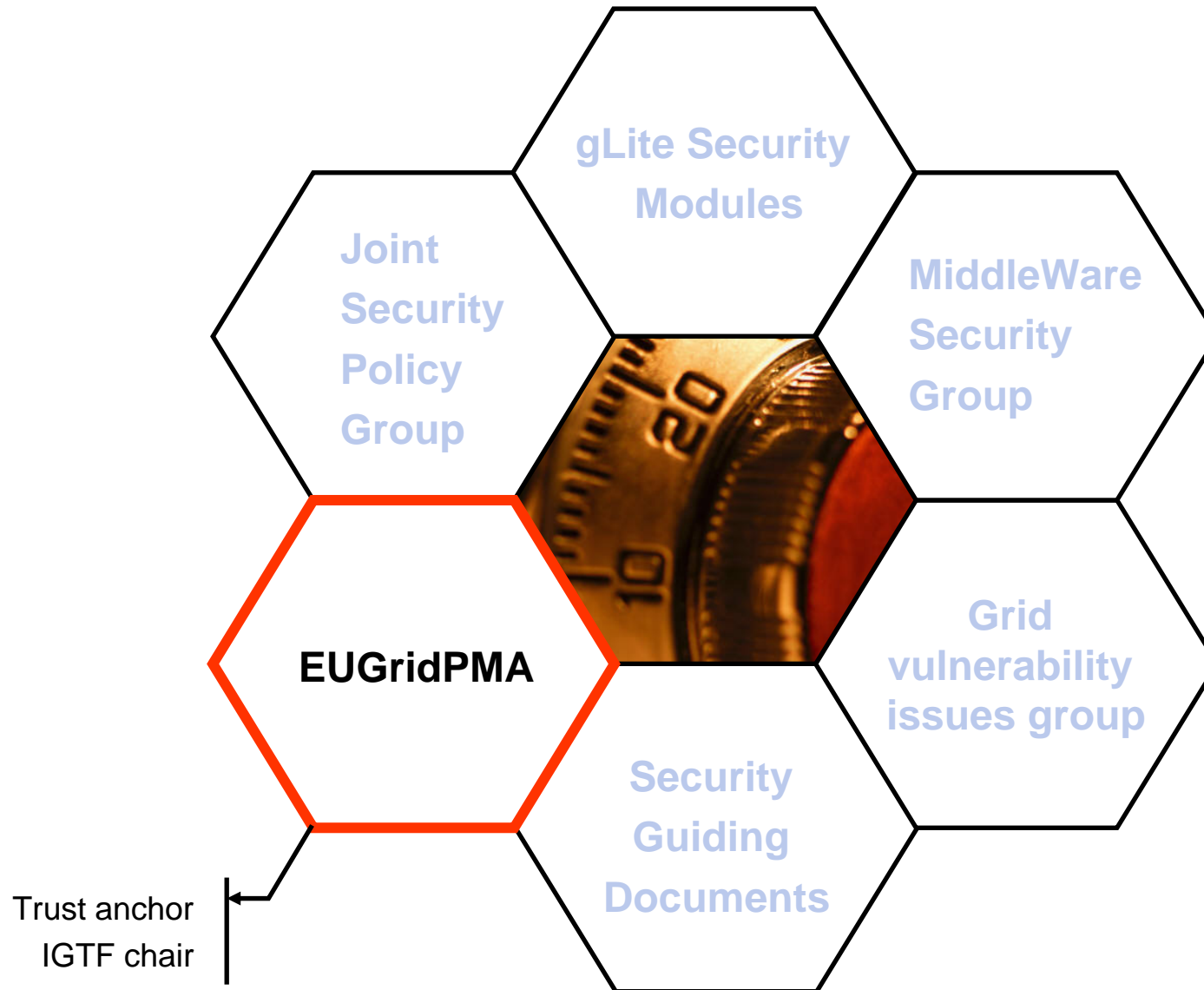
Already covered by SA1 presentation on Day 1:

- Security Challenges
- Joint Security Policy Group
- Operational Security Coordination Team
- Grid Vulnerability Issues Group

These groups are **lead by the SA1** team, and are addressing all aspects of operational security.

These groups are all part of the overall EGEE security effort, and main contributors to the operational security guiding documents.

Chairs of these groups are members of the Security Coordination Group.





EUGridPMA

All EU 6th framework e-Infrastructure projects

EGEE
DEISA
SEE-GRID



LHC Computing Grid Project (“LCG”)

Open Science Grid (US)

National projects, like (non-exhaustive):

UK eScience programme
Virtual Lab e-Science, NL

APGridPMA

13 members from the Asia-Pacific Region

AIST (.jp)	NPACI (.us)
APAC (.au)	Osaka U. (.jp)
BMG (.sg)	SDG (.cn)
CMSD (.in)	USM (.my)
HKU CS SRG (.hk)	IHEP Beijing (.cn)
KISTI (.kr)	ASGCC (.tw)
NCHC (.tw)	

Launched June 1st, 2004

4 ‘production-quality’ CAs

Pioneered ‘experimental’ profile

TAGPMA

10 members to date

Canarie (.ca)	SDSC (.us)
OSG (.us)	FNAL (.us)
TERAGRID (.us)	Dartmouth (.us)
Texas H.E. Grid (.us)	Umich (.us)
DOEGrids (.us)	Brazil (.br)

Launched June 28th, 2005

Pioneered new “SLCGS” (Kerberos CA & al.)

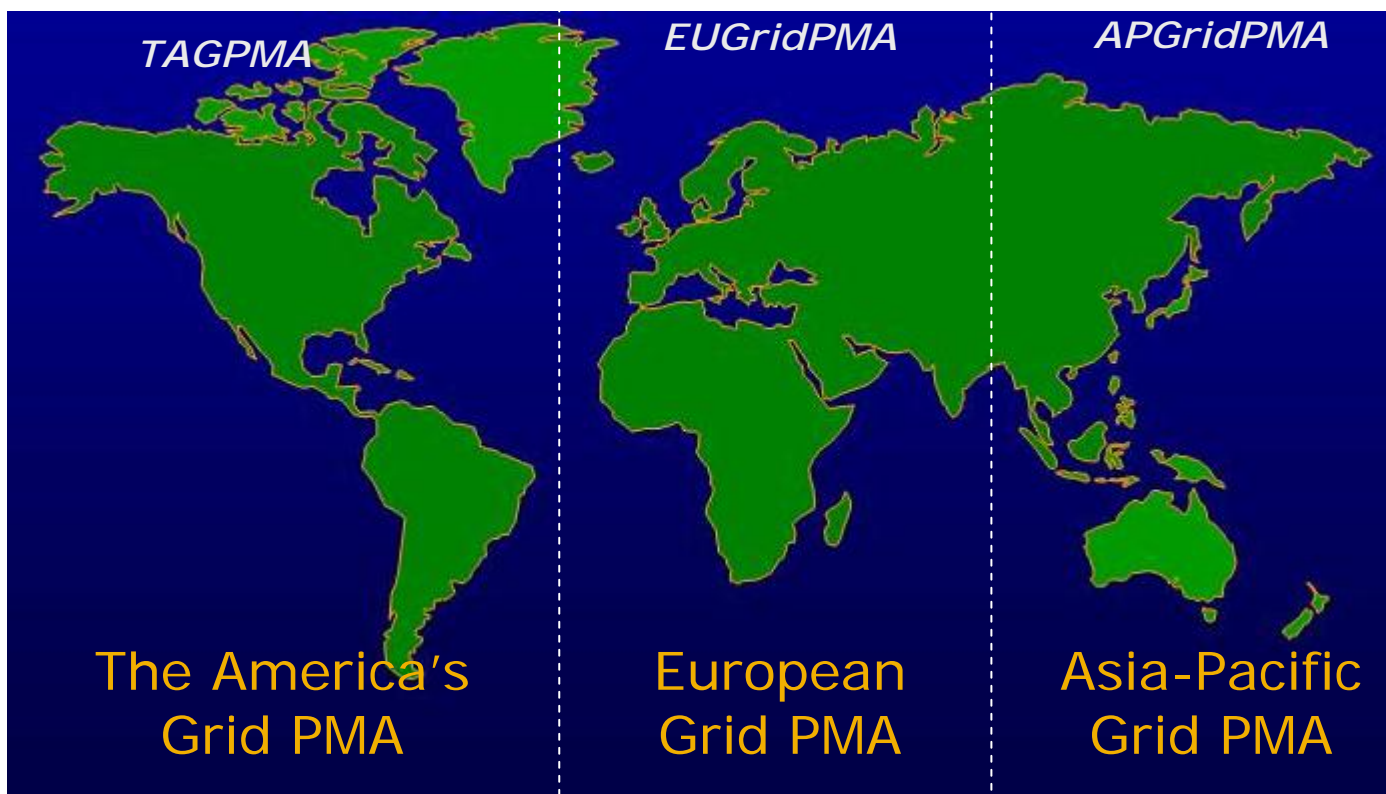
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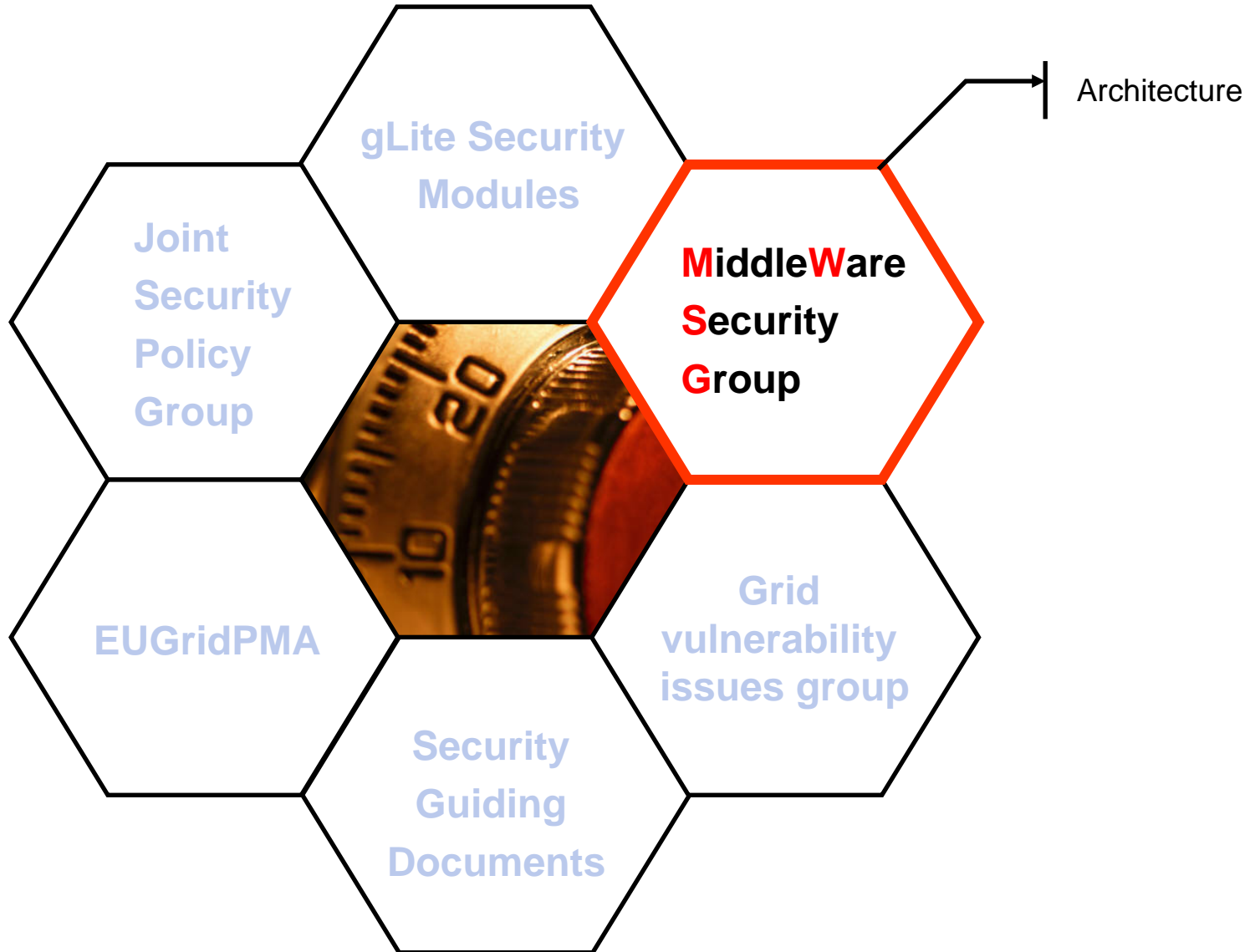
- **March 2005: IGTF Draft Federation Document GGF13**
- **June 28th: TAGPMA founded at GGF14**
- **July 27th : APGridPMA approved draft 0.7**
- **September: EUGridPMA meeting on approval**
- **October 3-4: formal foundation of the IGTF!**





- Common, global best practices for trust establishment
- Better manageability and response of the PMAs







- **Objectives**

To ensure the security architecture is updated with the user's requirements, coordinated with other grid initiatives and standardization efforts.

- **Members**

Core security developers from EGEE
Operations representatives from EGEE
Representatives from the applications in EGEE
Core security representatives from OSG, FNAL, SLAC
(NEW) Security Architects from 4 other EU Grid initiatives
Also: NAREGI, UNICORE

- **MWSG output**

6 two-day meetings, 2 conference meetings, 1 GGF BOF meeting has addressed a number of middleware security issues and plans. Also addressed:

gLite Security Release Plan, Security Architecture v1.0
First release candidate planning, Workplan update
EGEE/OSG/Naregi meeting, OSG and EGEE interop
Good interop. example' (GGF15 BOF), New EU members

Next meeting:

Dec 14-15 '05: Shib, UNICORE, EU Grids,...

Proposal on Interworking (OSG, EGEE)

- **Interop agreements list:**

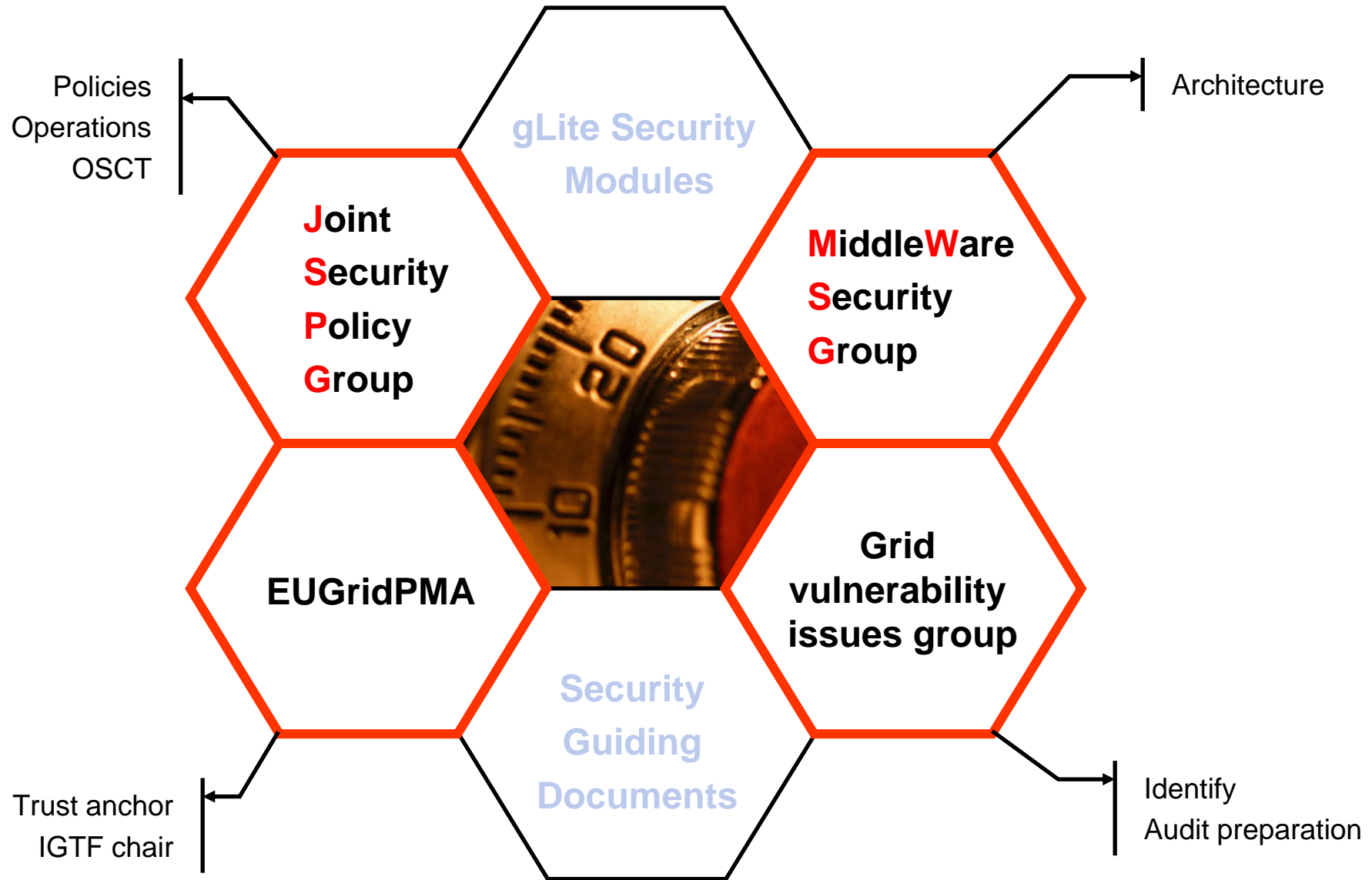
GSI/SSL Authentication
Authorization Attributes
Delegation
Proxy Renewal
Authorization Policy statements
What needed for auditing/accounting
Request identifiers

- **Service Specifications**

All service interface specifications have written specifications
Pointer to authoritative document with product
Those internal to service documented with service
Those internal to project documented with project
Those exposed for grid interop documented in GGF

- **Make these lists public**

We use GGF as intergrid info exchange
We work partnerships in pairwise meetings like MWSG





NOW: The current security groups are successfully covering the various security aspects of the project.

NEXT: Formalizing the current security coordination work - The Security Coordination Group (SCG)

SCG will be responsible for ensuring overall EGEE-II security coordination, includes architecture, deployment, standardisation and cross-project concertation.

The goal is to **ensure the relationship between the various security-related work** items inside the project do not:

- adversely overlap (leading to duplication of effort) or
- leave gaps that could be exploited.

In addition, the SCG is to **coordinate a new security auditing activity**. This activity will monitor both operations and middleware for security issues and report periodically on status and progress of the issues identified.

Security Coordination Group (SCG) members - today's chairs of the security groups:

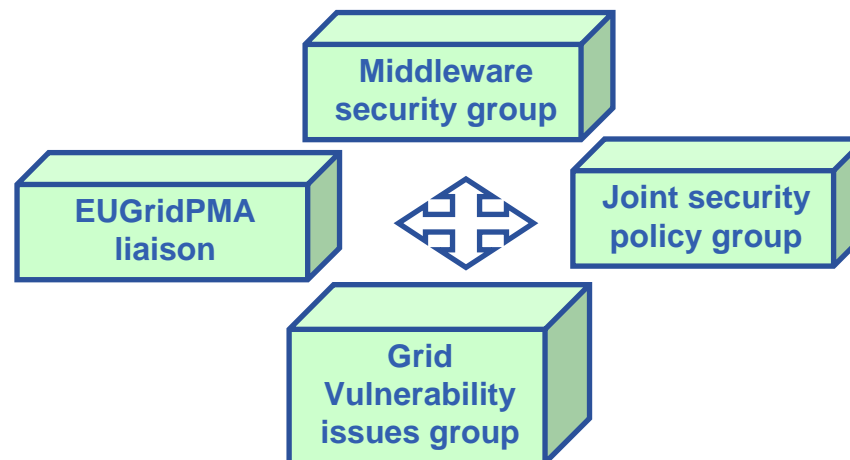
The Security Head, chair of the SCG

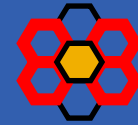
The chair of the Middleware Security Group

The chair of the Joint Security Policy Group

The EUGridPMA liaison

The chair of the Grid vulnerability issues group

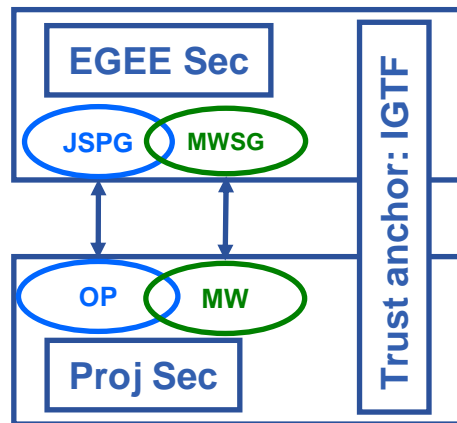




The security workgroups, MWSG and JSPG, are not only for internal EGEE security coordination, but also for collaboration with other grid initiatives, world-wide.

”Collaboration cook book”

New collaborations start off with identifying common interests, divided on security operations (JSPG handles these) and middleware (MWSG).



Grid projects not involved in inhouse reengineering, send their security representatives to JSPG to discuss common strategies, and reuse of requirements and policy documents.

At the same time, MWSG covers the various middleware interests, such as gLite, GLOBUS, UNICORE, by inviting representatives from these groups.

Standardization work

EGEE Security is participating in the global standardization effort by being represented in a number of areas in GGF:

Leading the security area together with OSG, and being member of the GGF steering group.

In addition EGEE Security is represented in **EUGridPMA (chair) and IGTF (chair).**

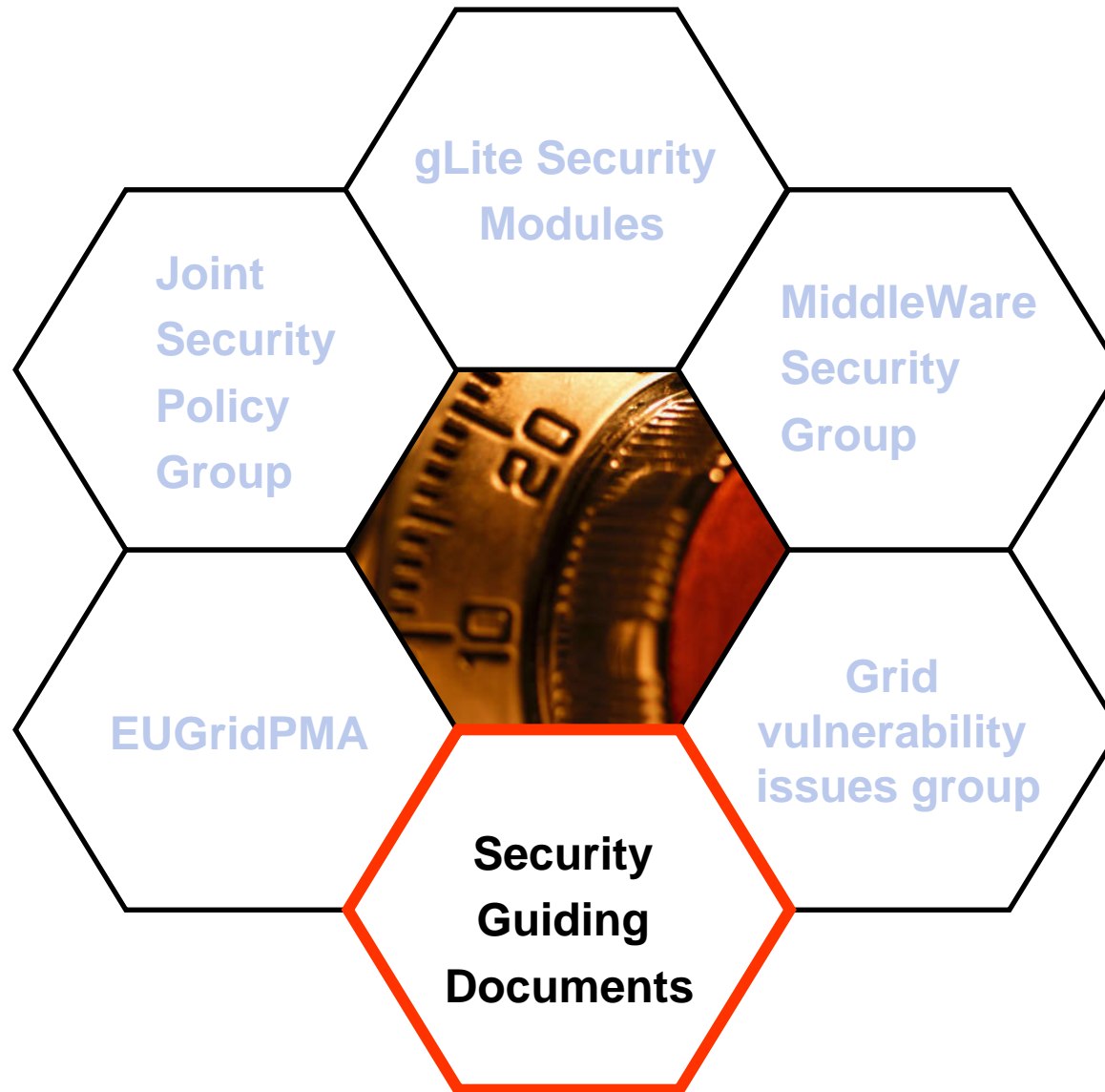
The collaboration with OSG is close, from start.

Together we have worked out a **first suggestion on interoperability plans**, something regarded by GGF as a ”school book example” of interoperating grids, and something that will be further presented in GGF.

New collaborations have been established with 4 EU projects:

DEISA SEEGRID DILIGENT GRIDCC

In Asia, we have met with **NAREGI** on a number of occasions, exchanging ideas and looking at future collaborations.





Deliverables

Security Architecture
Revised mid-term




Site access control architecture



Assessment of security infrastructure
Final report (ongoing)



All these have been used in the ongoing security work, both on operational and reengineering level.



Milestones

Completed user requirements survey defines effort redistribution over action lines.



Set-up of the PMA for European CAs and liaison with the corresponding extra European ones (document + standing committee)



Framework for policy evaluation accepted in GridPMA policies and determination of the CA service authorities for EGEE



OGSA SEC service initial recommendations for reengineering



Secure Credential Storage procedures (recommendations document)

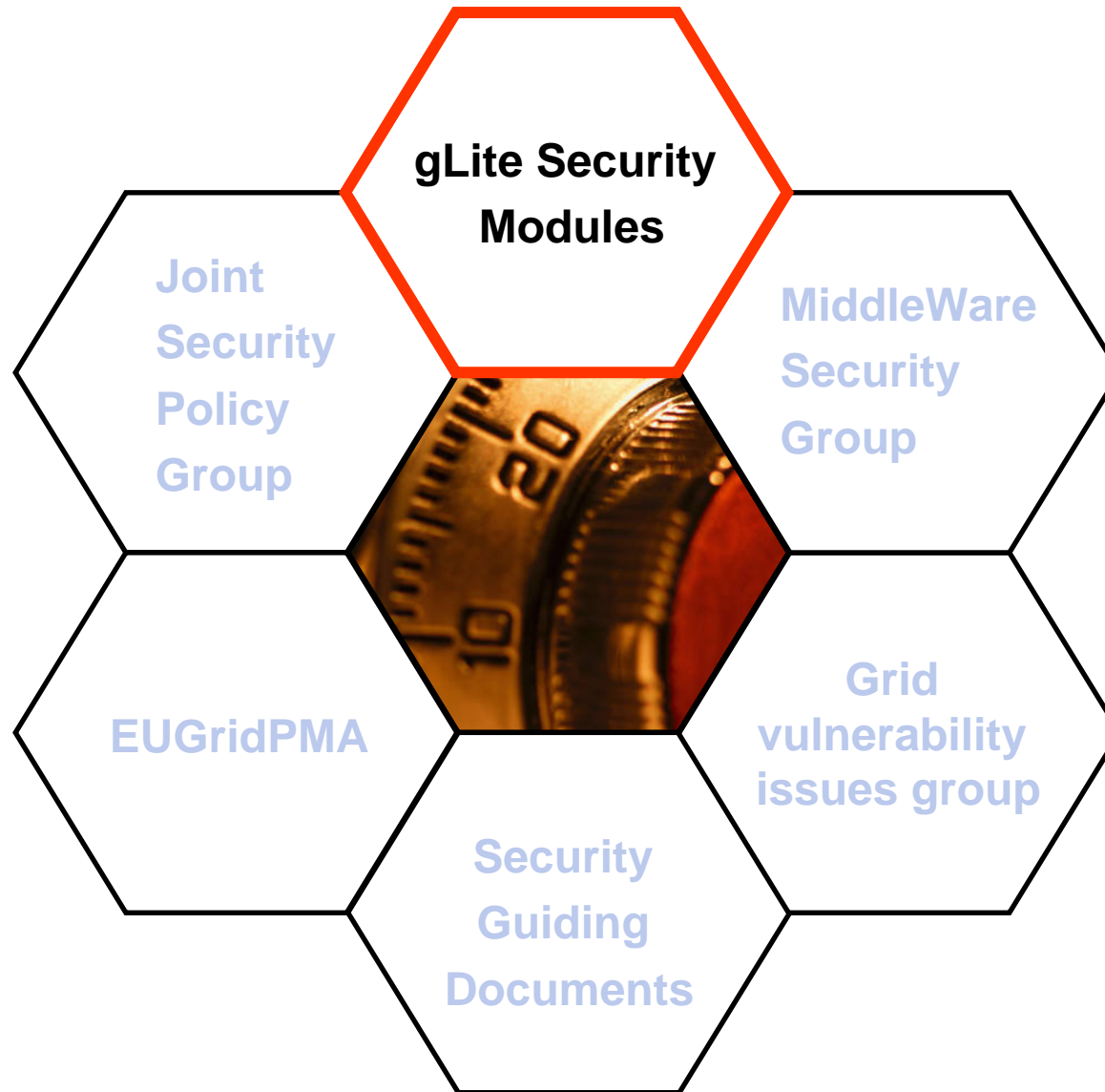


Security operational procedures
Two revisions



Review and future recommendations on accounting techniques and distributed budgets







Security Architecture - Modular, Agnostic, Standard, Interoperable

- Modular – possible to add new modules later
- Agnostic – implementation independent
- Standard – e.g. start with transport-level security but intend to move to message-level security when it matures
- Interoperable - at least for AuthN & AuthZ
- Applied to Web-services hosted in containers (Apache Axis & Tomcat) and applications as additional modules

Security Requirements - a horizontal activity, managed through central groups

- Lesson learned: reused and updated requirements from earlier projects
- Collecting (continuous process) the requirements from the activities - Middleware, Sites, Applications
- Share the requirements with other grid activities and get feedback, e.g. OSG
- Prioritization set in the security groups, with representatives from all involved activities
- Defining what security modules to deliver when

Requirement: Support for legacy and non- WS based software components

Solution: Modular authentication and authorization software suitable for integration

Fulfilled/Time frame: Yes/Now



Transport Level Security

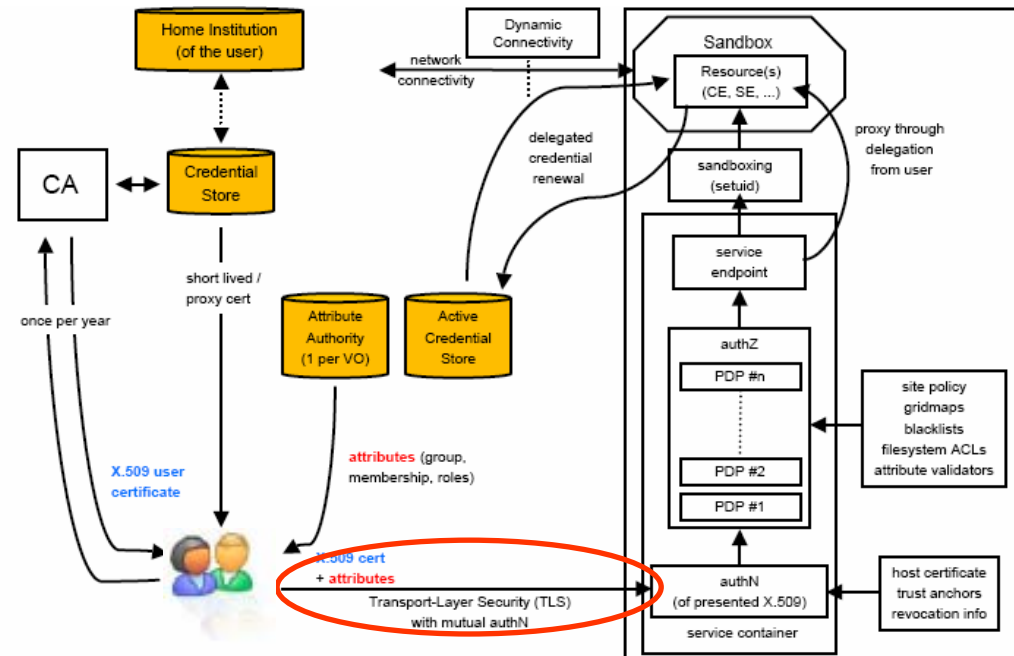
- Uses widely deployed TLS/SSL protocol
- Does not provide security through intermediate hosts (can be done using delegation, not yet delivered).

Message Level Security

- Uses Web Services or SOAP messages security technology
- Recommended by WS-I Consortium as preferable WS-Security solution
- Performance and support issues

So, TLS for now

- SOAP over HTTPS with proxy cert supported path validation
- WS interface for delegation
- **Add MLS as we go along**
- Use cases for MLS exist already (DM)

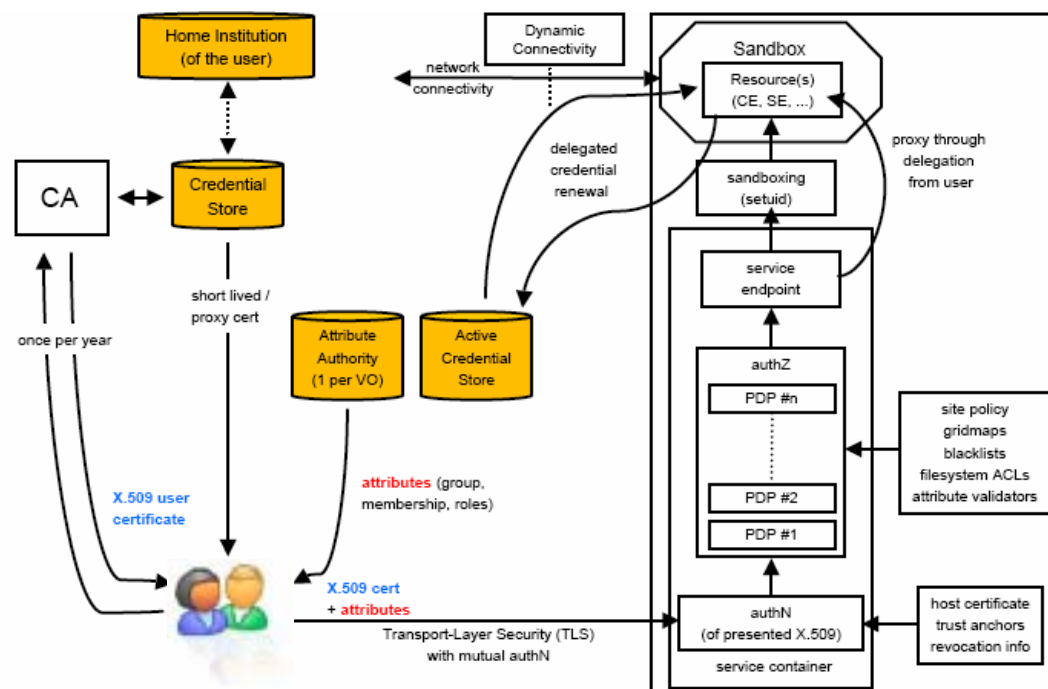




Requirement: Audit ability

Solution: Meaningful log information. Logging and auditing ensures monitoring of system activities, and accountability in case of a security event

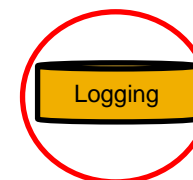
Fulfilled/Time frame: Partially/Now



Requirement: Accountability

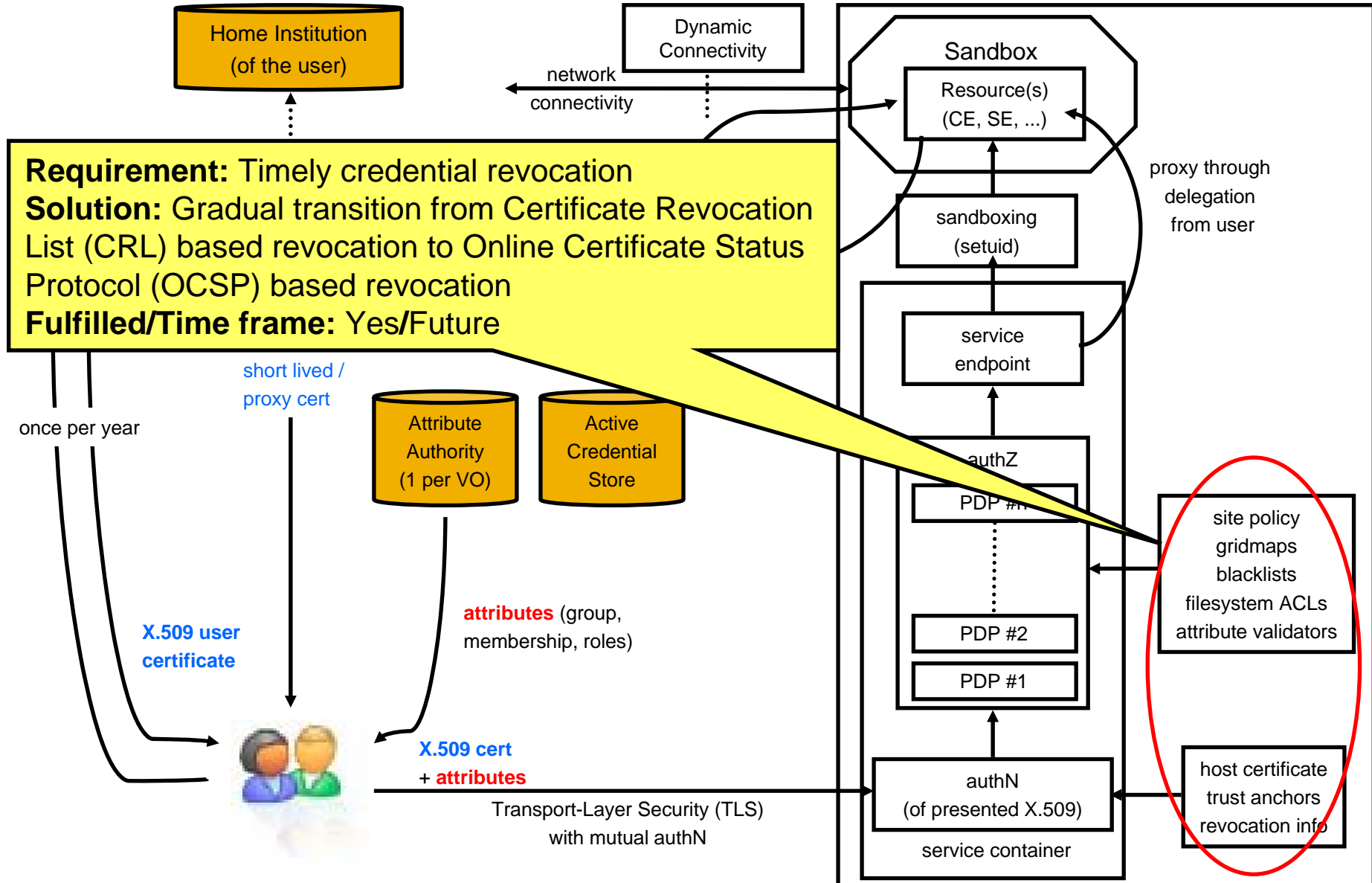
Solution: All relevant system interactions can be traced back to a user

Fulfilled/Time frame: Yes/Now



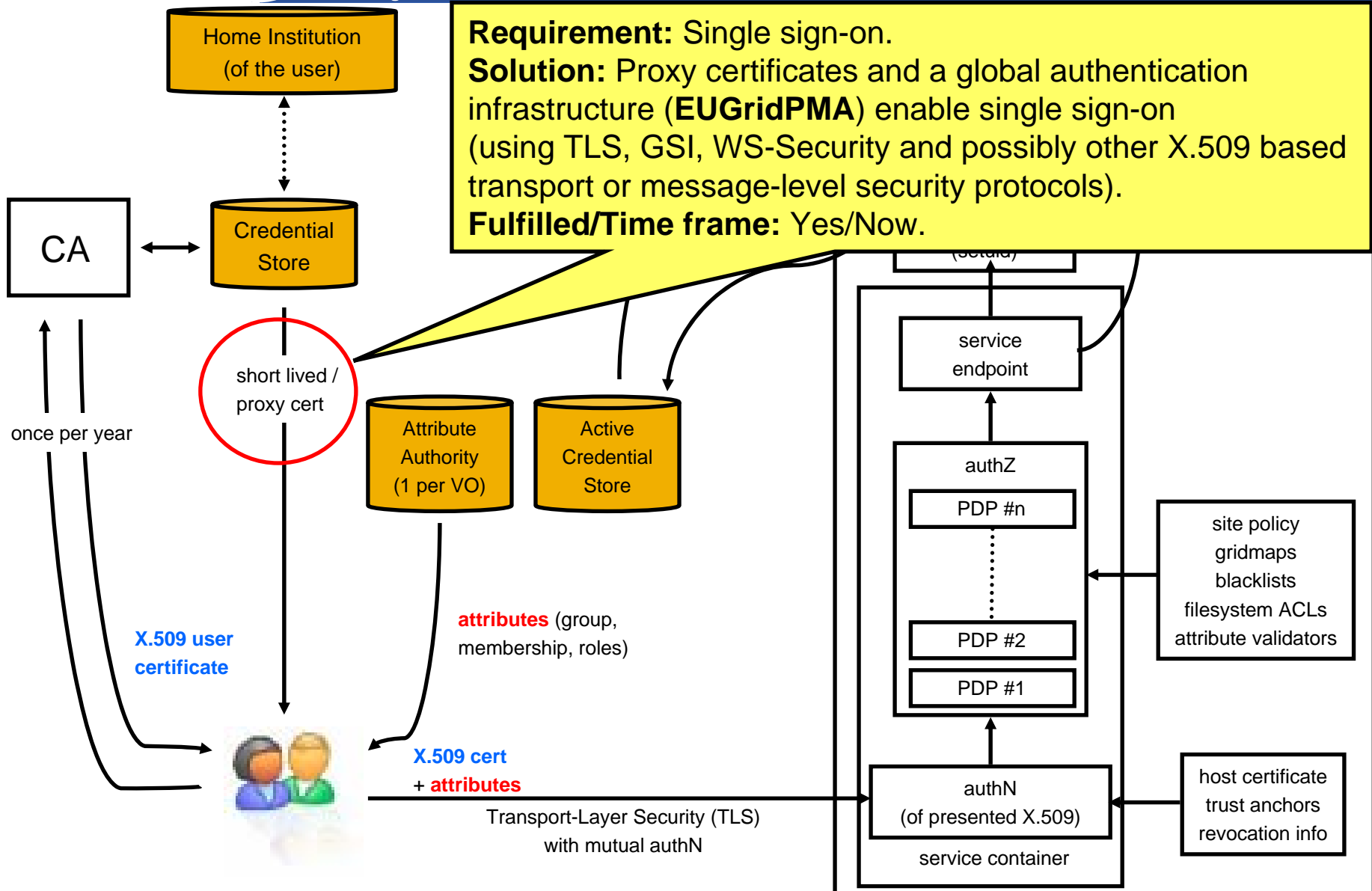


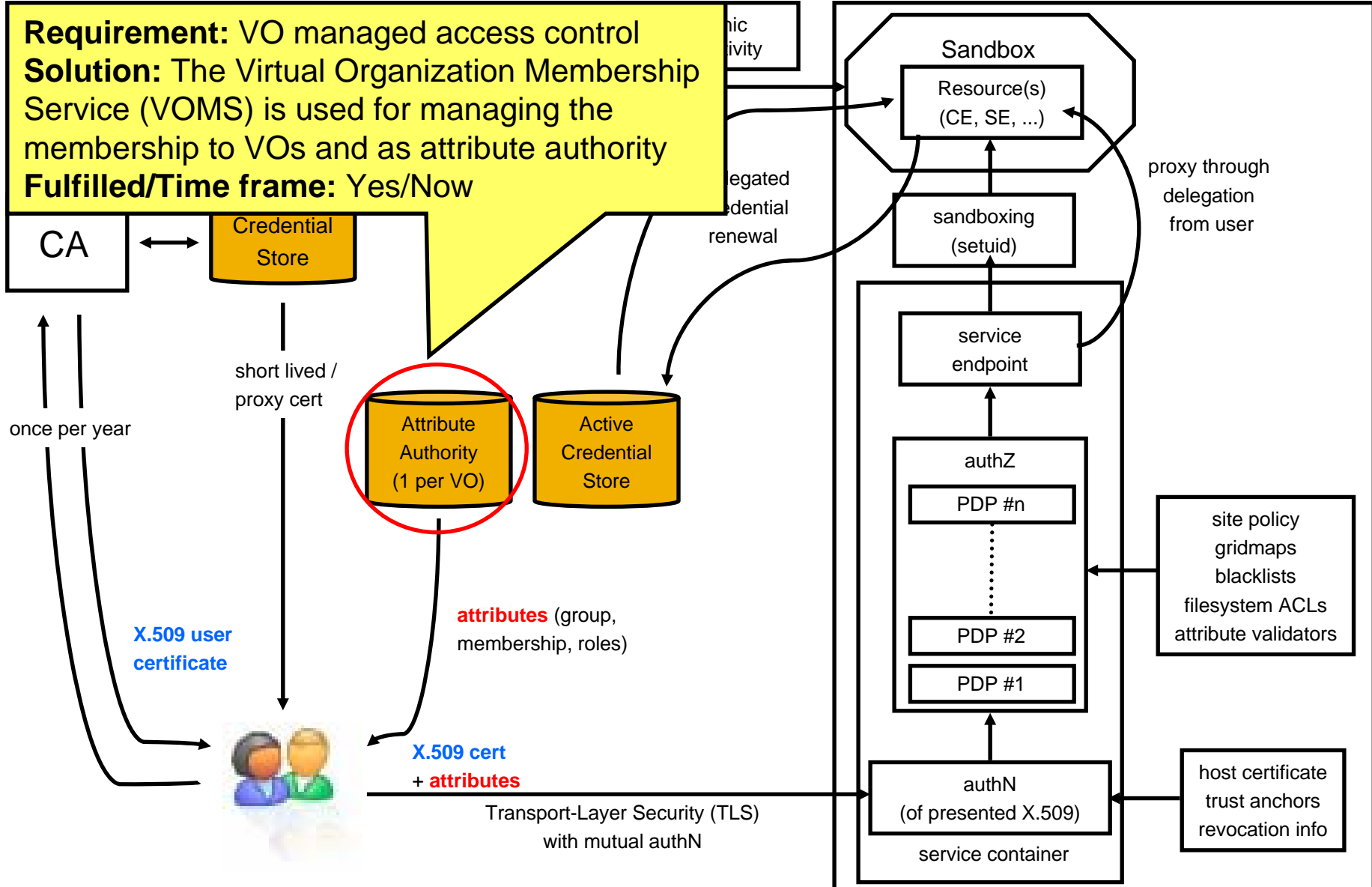
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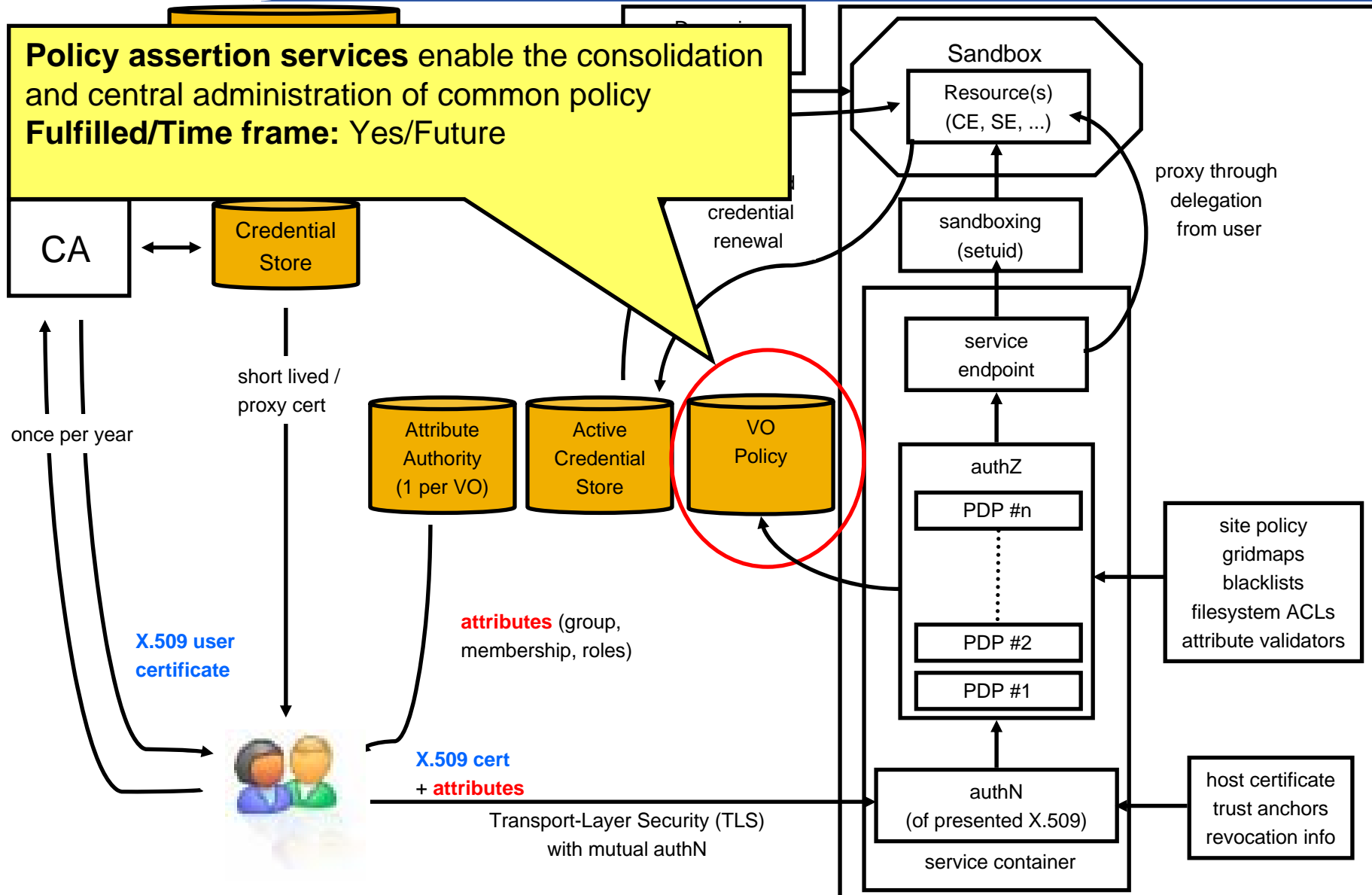




Requirement: Single sign-on.
Solution: Proxy certificates and a global authentication infrastructure (**EUGridPMA**) enable single sign-on (using TLS, GSI, WS-Security and possibly other X.509 based transport or message-level security protocols).
Fulfilled/Time frame: Yes/Now.

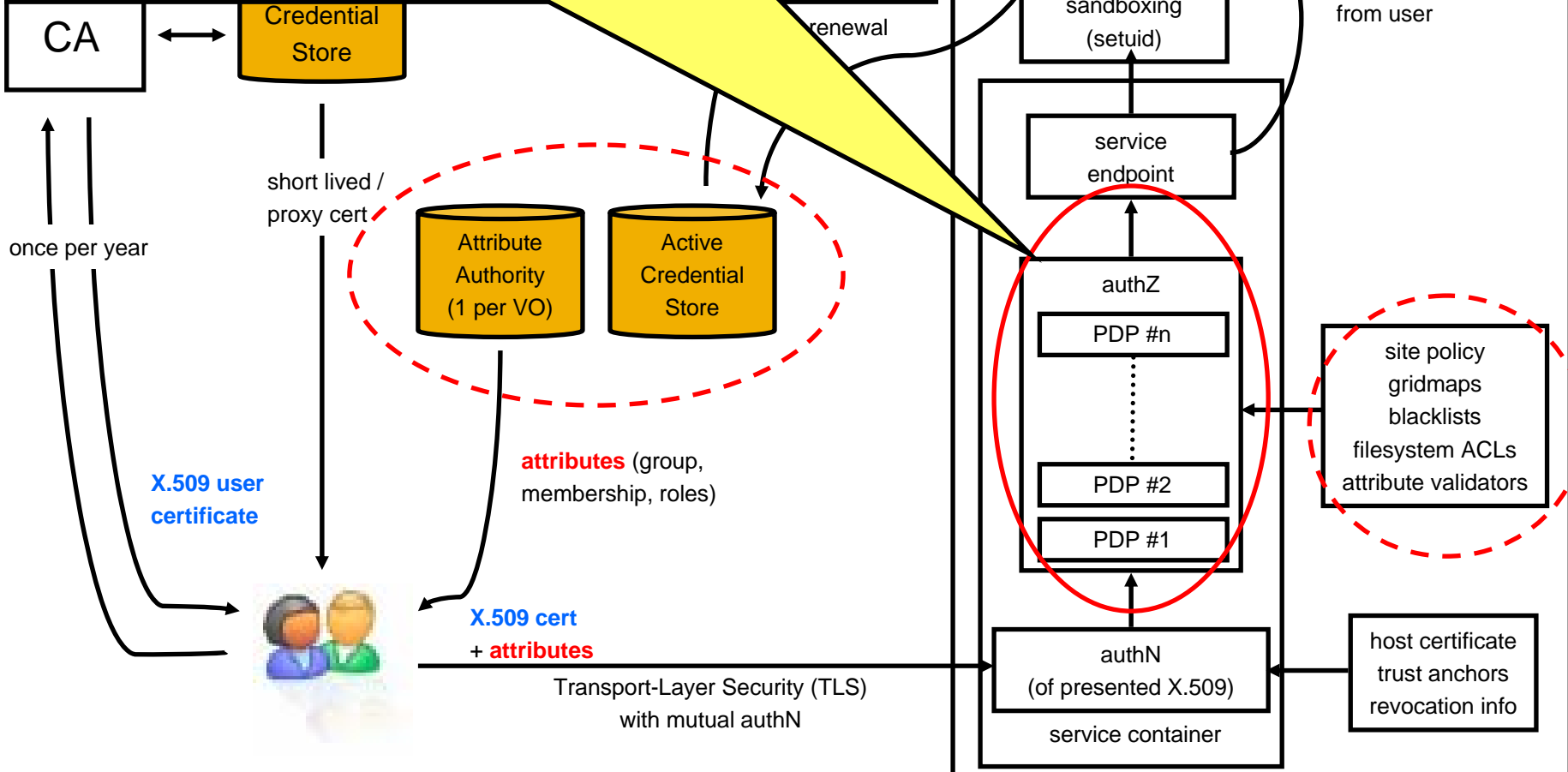


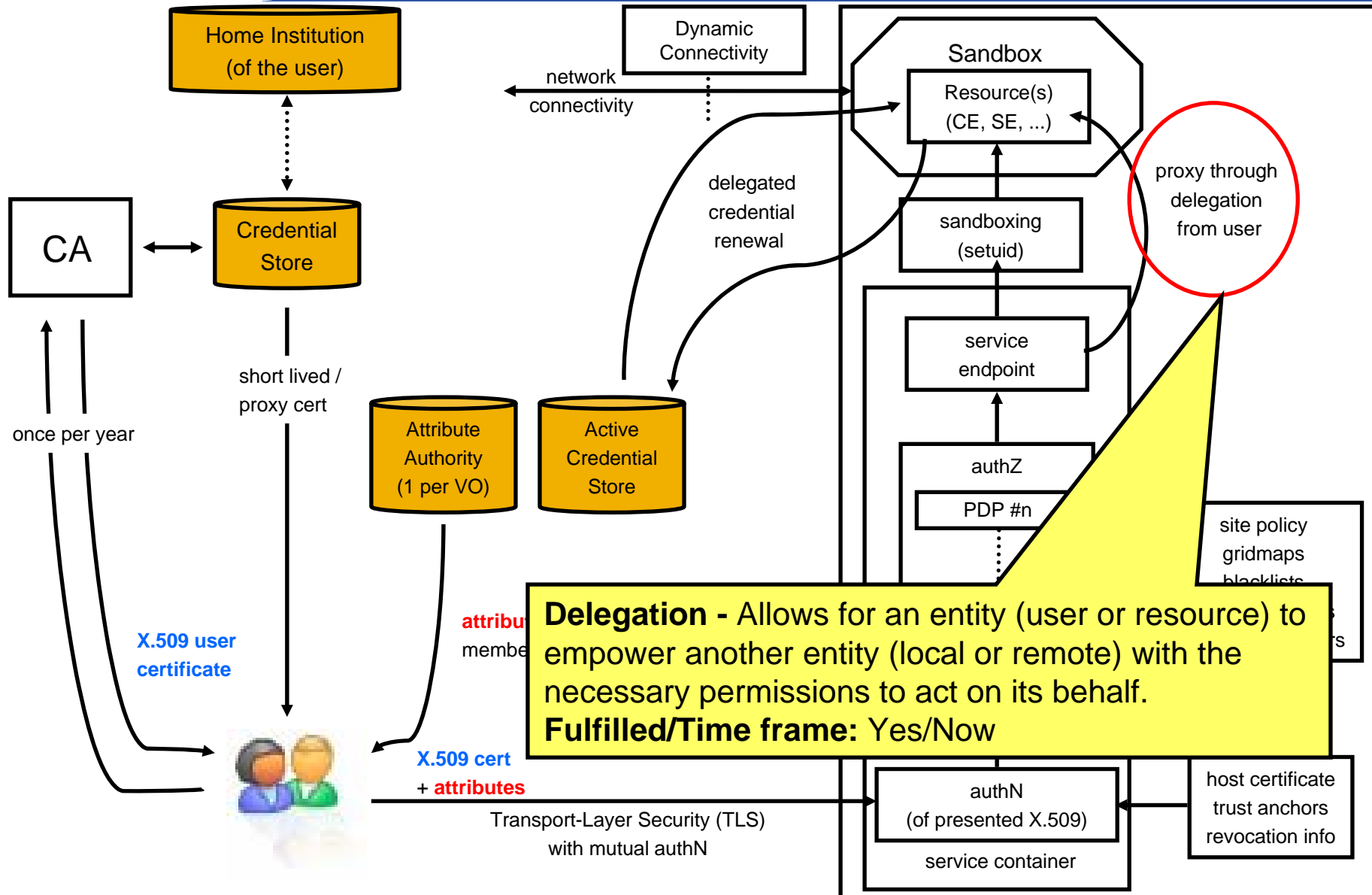


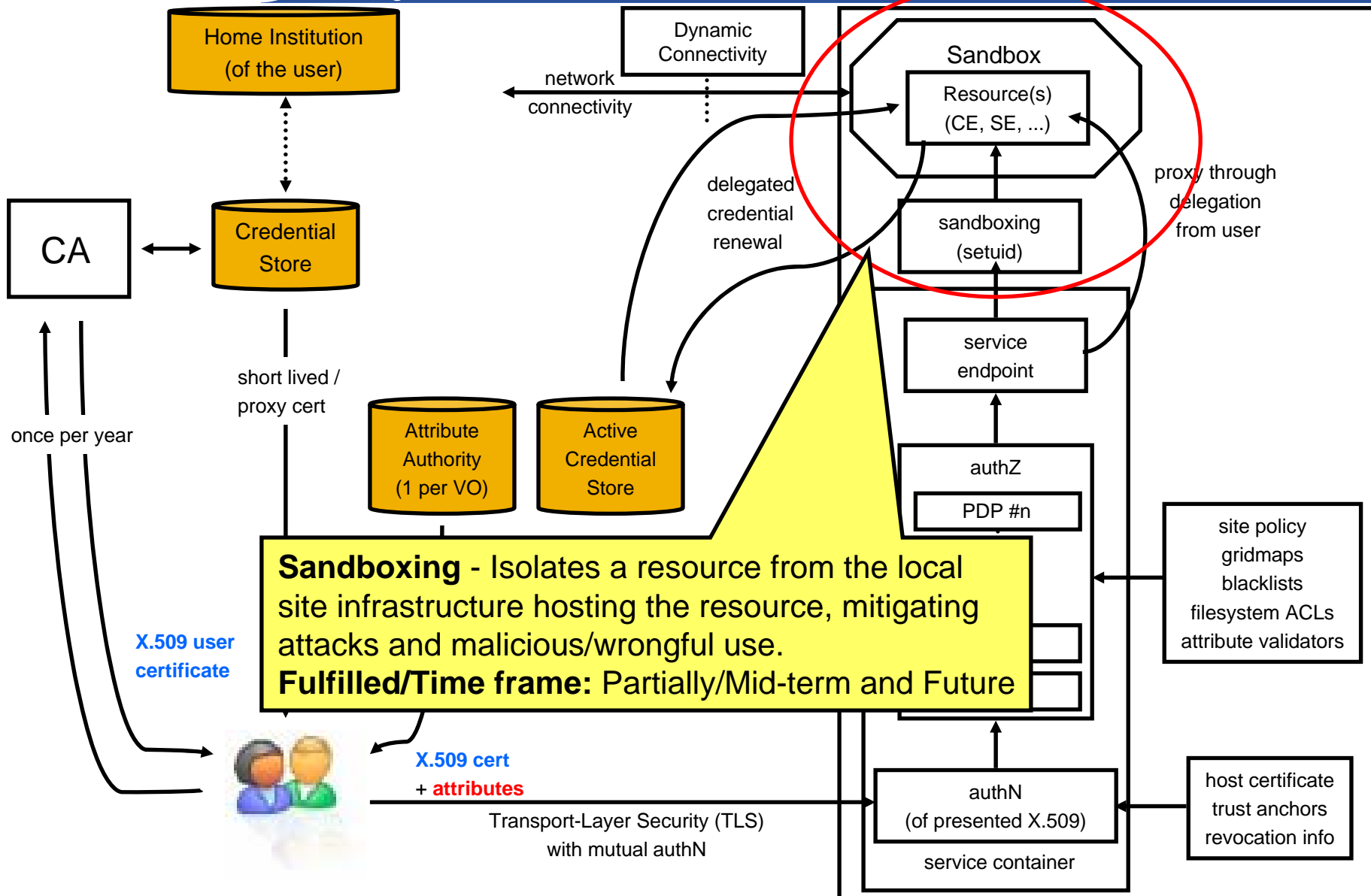




Authorization framework enables local collection, arbitration, customization and reasoning of policies from different administrative domains, as well as integration with service containers and legacy services.
Fulfilled/Time frame: Yes/Now





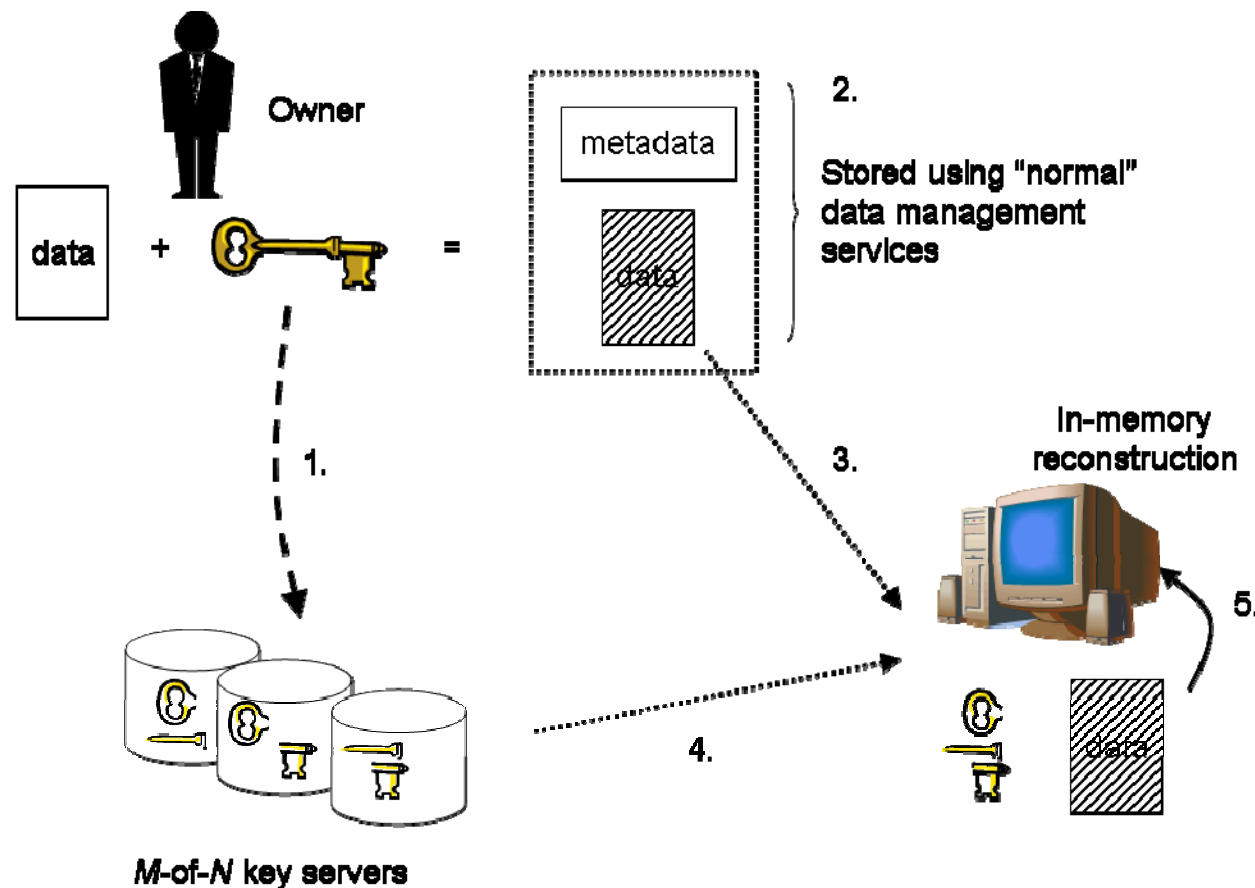




Requirement: Data Privacy

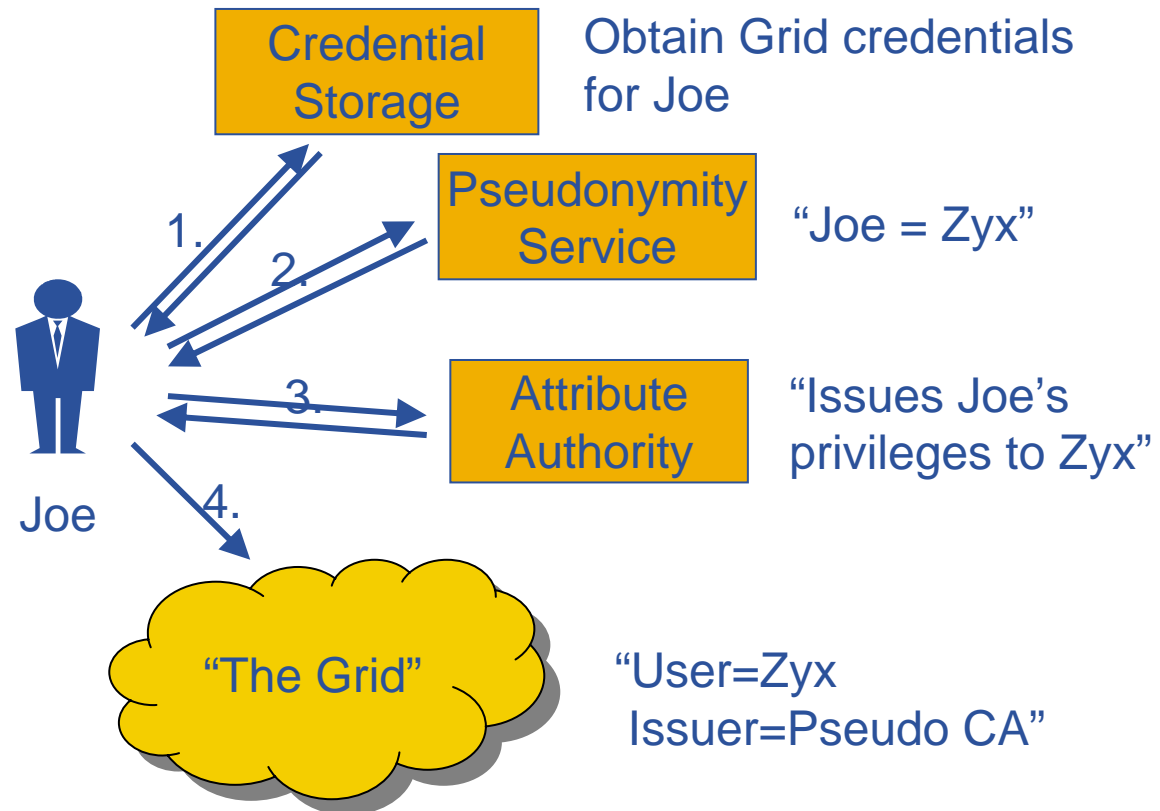
Solution: Encrypted data storage. Enables long-term distributed storage of data for applications with privacy or confidentiality concerns

Fulfilled/Time frame: Partially/Mid-term





Requirement:User Privacy. **Issue:** Identity anonymity vs. identity traceability
Solution: Pseudonymity services addresses anonymity and privacy concerns.
Fulfilled/Time frame: Partially/Future





Requirement: Non-homogenous network access

Issue: Conflicting requirements:

Sites: 'worker nodes' shall have no global connectivity

Apps: 'worker nodes' must have global connectivity

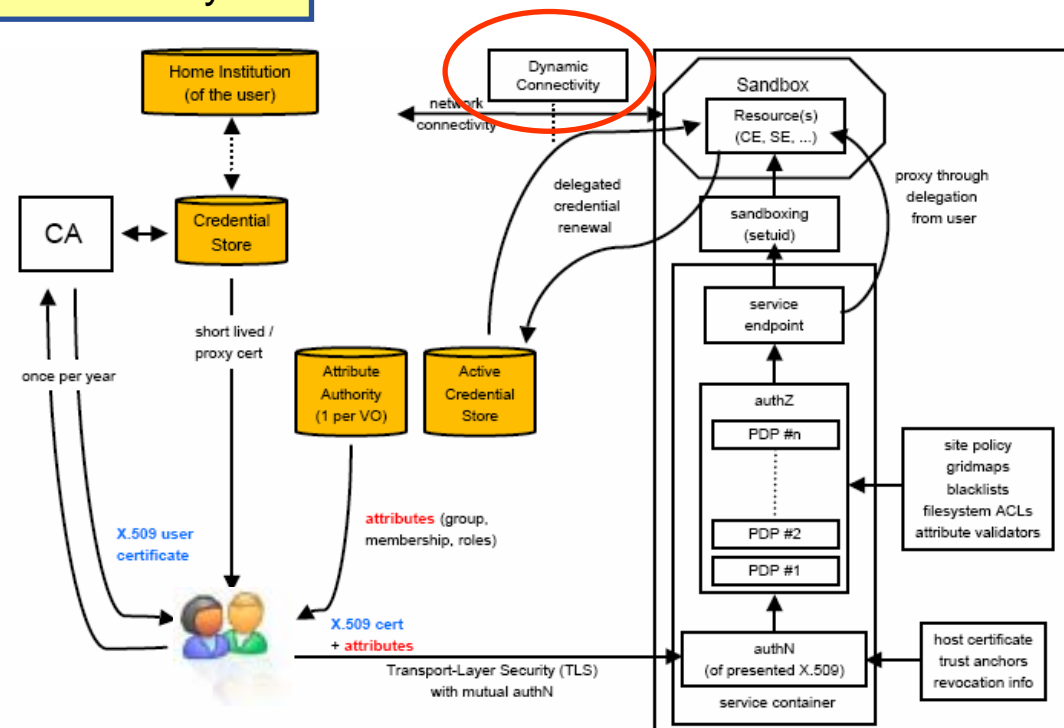
One proposed solution, security-wise:

Dynamic Connectivity Service

Enables applications to communicate despite heterogeneous and non-transparent network access:

- Policy-controlled connections to the outside world
- Compliant to work in JRA4

Fulfilled/Time frame: Yes/Future





- **JRA3 is, from the start of the project, part of the JRA1 development - as the Northern Cluster**
- **All software re-engineering in JRA3 follows the processes of JRA1**
 - See previous presentation from JRA1

Next couple of slides: a list of the s/w produced by JRA3



Authz framework (java)

Generic, pluggable policy-engine chaining infrastructure.

Encrypted storage (C++ and Script)

File encryption and secret sharing library and example of usage.

Grid enhancements for OpenSSL

Implemented support for Grid proxies. Added to OpenSSL main line.

glexec

Designed to switch identity from the grid user to a local user, “sudo for grids”.

Jobrepository

Stores all known information about the user-mapping

Security test utils

Simplifying testing of security modules. Used widely in gLite standard testing procedures.

Trustmanager

Grid proxy support and enhancement for java SSL.

LCAS - Local Centre Authorization Service

Handles the authorization to the local fabric based on the user's proxy certificate and the job description in RSL format.

LCMAPS - Local Credential Mapping Service

Provides the local credentials needed for jobs allowed into the local fabric, in particular the unix uid and gids.

Gatekeeper

Globus gatekeeper, extended with call-outs to LCAS and LCMAPS.

gsoap plugin

Grid proxy support and ssl for gSOAP SOAP library

proxyrenewal

Grid proxy support and ssl for gSOAP SOAP library

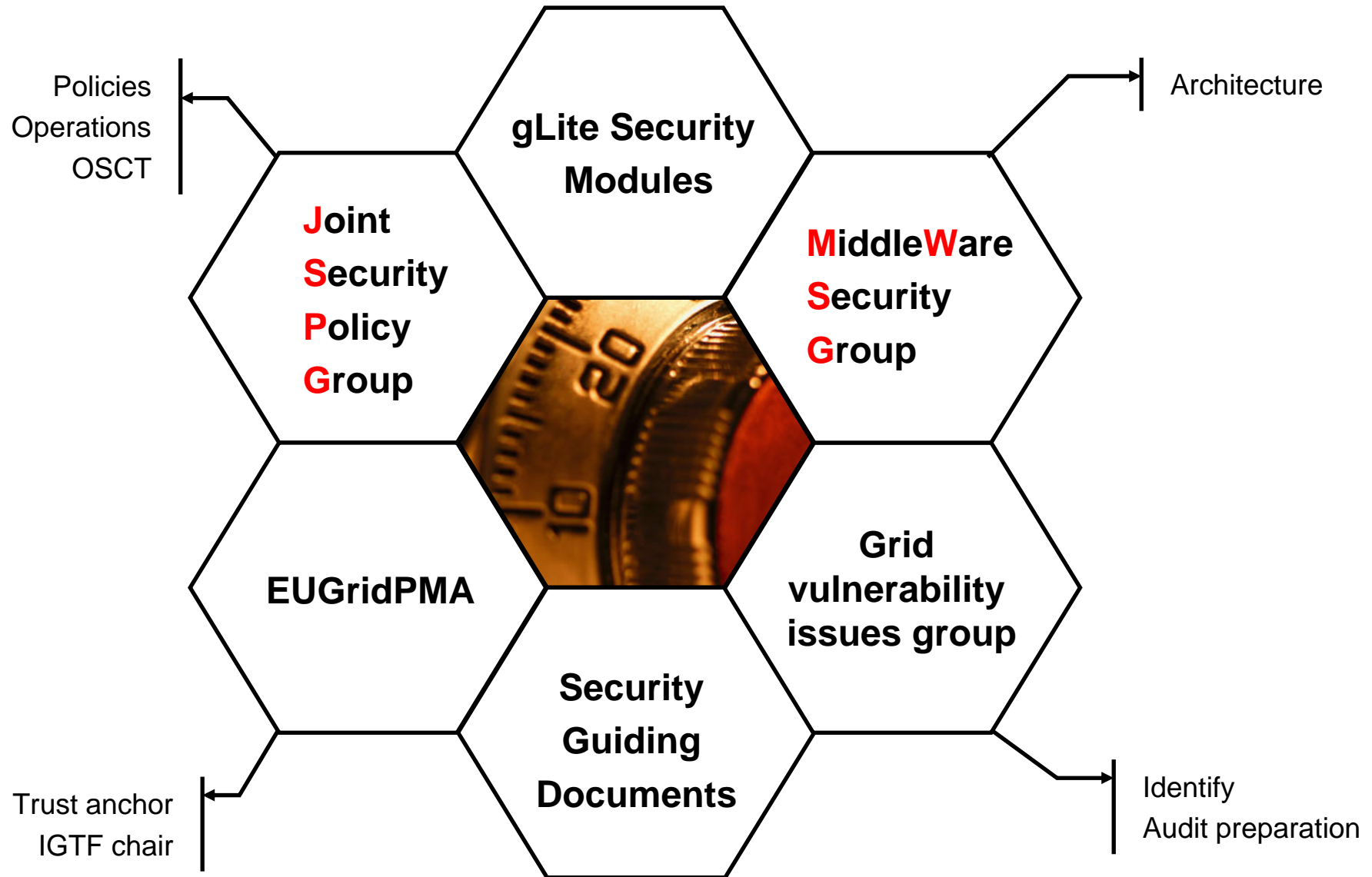
Util (java)

Security utilities for java.

Also contributing to the VOMS work



- **Continued gLite work (as part of JRA1)**
- **PM18 Second revision of the Security operational procedures document**
- **PM18 A documented assessment of the work and experience gathered with the basic accounting infrastructure already deployed. To highlight what remains to be done to provide a secure, deployable quota allocations and enforcement mechanism**
- **EGEE-II preparations**



- JRA3 has released and is supporting a number of **security related software modules in gLite**.
- The EGEE security groups have been successfully moved towards an **agreed security infrastructure** with OSG, expanding towards EU grids and NAREGI.
- EUGridPMA was the leading partner in the establishment and has **the first chair of IGTF**.
- **Secure Credential Storage procedures** was added to the list of security guiding documents.
- A first revision was made of **the Global security architecture**.
- **Assessment document of accounting** infrastructure and analysis of what is missing to provide secure quota-based resource access was prepared.

Questions and Answers