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EGEE Industry Plenary
Industry Forum Presentation

4th EGEE conference
Pisa, Italy
25th October 2005

Information Society

- **The Industry Forum promotes Grid infrastructures as a key component in European Industry:**

  – Raising awareness of the EGEE project among the industry

  – Promoting use and experimentation towards the industry

  – Developing applications

  – Building Users Communities

- **One of the activities of the EGEE Industry Forum is to help Industry to answer the following questions:**

  – What can grids be used for?

  – What are the challenges Industry has to face when using grid computing?

- **Grids are complementary to high computing power:**

  – Shared Information and Data

  – Collaborative work

  – Virtual Users Communities

- **Industrial challenges for the use of Grids are:**

  – Security, Integrity

  – Exploitation

  – Return on Investment

- **Industry Forum Parallel Session:**
  - Independent Software Vendors and Finance

- **Presentations 3:00-4:00 PM**
  - Monica Marinucci, Oracle
  - Rolf Kubli, EDS
  - Loredana Rossi, Sun
  - Federico Rossi, Datamat
  - Ellen Stokes, IBM
  - Francesco Giglio, Atos Origin

- **Q/A session 4:00 – 4:30 PM**