



# Summary of OB

- LHC schedule:
  - Ian needs to circulate efficiency numbers (ACTION),
  - Experiments need to reassess their new requirements for week after CHEP (ACTION)
- SCAS: A. Van Rijn will send an updated plan
- US participation in ion program should be resolved. OB endorse no multiple solutions.
  - ACTION: Ian will follow up in consultation with ATLAS/CMS, etc..
- Resources: INFN will agree their plan with experiments
- EGI: ACTION: The OB will send a statement to the EGI\_DS PB
- ACTION: must quantify list of services
- The OB endorse the need for a gLite consortium



## OB Statement on EGI

- The WLCG Overview Board strongly supports the creation of a European Grid Infrastructure based on National Grid Initiatives with a European level coordination. In particular WLCG will rely on the National infrastructures to provide operational tools and services for the Tier 1 and Tier 2 sites in each country, and requires a European coordination body with which it, as an application community, can work together on requirements and evolution of the services. The Overview Board also supports the concept of a Specialised Support Centre for High Energy Physics, and WLCG would collaborate with EGI.org in the setting up of such an organisation.
- The Overview Board is concerned about the timescales involved, in particular the timing of a transition between EGEE and the EGI/NGI model, which comes at a time during the first year of accelerator running when the disruption of existing services will be least tolerable. To this end the WLCG will work together with EGEE and the EGI\_DS projects to propose and evaluate acceptable transition scenarios. There is also concern over the preparedness of the NGIs to be able to take over the core operation in 2010, and the Overview Board would like to see evidence of progress of the NGIs committing themselves to the EGI model.