



WLCG Service Report

5 weeks, Jan 16th – Feb 20th

WLCG Management Board, Feb 20th 2018

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v1.3

Operations Coordination meetings

- These meetings normally are held **once** per month
 - Usually on the first Thursday
- Each meeting has a **standard agenda** plus at least one **dedicated topic**, announced in advance
- Experiments and sites are kindly asked to have the **relevant experts** attend, depending on the topic(s)
- Next meeting:
 - Mar 1st – Theme: Tape metrics in WLCG Storage Space Accounting prototype

Operations Coordination highlights (1)

- Theme: Site availability reports and SAM tests
 - Critical profile SAM tests and A/R reports are used by the majority of T1s and experiments
 - Outcomes of discussion on improvements will be presented today
- Middleware
 - UMD 4.6.0 provides CREAM and UI for CentOS/EL7
 - Meltdown and Spectre *kernel* updates need to be applied ASAP

Operations Coordination highlights (2)

- Accounting TF
 - Tape accounting information being integrated in the WLCG Storage Space accounting system
- IPv6 Validation and Deployment TF
 - IPv6 deployment in T2 sites is progressing
- Network Throughput WG
 - 190 instances were updated to perfSONAR 4.0.2
- A new Middleware Officer is being sought
 - We thank **Andrea Manzi** for fulfilling that role for more than 3.5 years!

Selected items from Operations (1)

- Overall high activity across the experiments
- ATLAS
 - Successful transfers from CERN to CNAF tape
 - Issues with FTS server at RAL required switching instances
 - **Alarm** ticket because transfers to all UK, NL and ND sites were failing ([GGUS:133265](#))
 - Slow transfers to BNL caused by dCache bug
 - Various other transfer issues at several sites
- CMS
 - Midweek Global Run 1 and 2 were successful
 - RE-RECO of 2017 data is progressing

Selected items from Operations (2)

- ALICE
 - First successful jobs at CNAF late Jan
- LHCb
 - CERN: **Alarm** ticket because of EOS transfer issues (GGUS:133016)
 - CERN: **Alarm** ticket because of failing tape recalls (GGUS:133266)
 - RAL: **Alarm** ticket because of failing transfers (GGUS:133082)
 - LHCbDirac was not available for a week due to a failed DBoD update

Selected items from Operations (3)

- CNAF
 - Recovery is progressing
 - Updates are being provided for the weekly ops meetings
- NL-T1
 - SARA IPv6 LHCONE issue was permanently fixed
 - A VPN labeling issue was the culprit
 - Unexpected downtime of NIKHEF compute and storage services due to iSCSI issues in virtualization platform
- CERN
 - Hosts in CERN data center were rebooted to apply Meltdown and Spectre fixes
 - EOS-CMS upgraded to Citrine release

Service Incident Reports

- No new reports

GGUS summary (5 weeks Jan 15 – Feb 18)

VO	User	Team	Alarm	Total
ALICE	3	4	0	7
ATLAS	12	120	1	133
CMS	193	1	0	194
LHCb	30	26	3	59
Totals	238	151	4	393

