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Introduction

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GDB meeting @Amsterdam March 24th 2010



Since the Previous Meeting

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- **LHC OPN**, London, 8-9 March
- **ISGC**, Taipei, 7-12 March
- **OGF28**, München, 14-19 March



GDB meetings in 2010



- Second **Wednesday** of each month
- Rooms booked for first six months
- March 24, Amsterdam
 - LHCb T1 Jamboree 22-23,
 - MB Face to face on 23rd.
 - See EGI.eu Headquarters ??
- Pre-GDB rooms booked, May, June, July, August, October
- Other offers to host a meeting?



- ~~January 13~~
- ~~February 10~~
- ~~March 24~~
- May 12
- June 9

- July 14
- August 11
- September 8
- October 13
- November 10
- December 8



Pre-GDB meetings

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- None currently planned
- Tier1 (or all site) Best Practices
- Storage
- More ideas please.



Forthcoming Events

- **EGEE User Forum**, Uppsala, 12-16 April,
- **HEPiX Spring Meeting**, Lisboa, 19-23 April
- **WLCG Workshop**, London, 7-9 July
- **EGI Conference**, Amsterdam, 13-17 September
- **CHEP 10**, Taipei, 17-22 October
- **HEPiX Fall Meeting**, Cornell, tbd



GDB Issues

- **MU Pilot Jobs, SCAS, gLExec**
- **CREAM**
- **SL5**
 - Enough resources for experiments
 - Latest software releases SL5 only
- **Virtualisation**
 - WG meeting at HEPiX in April
- **Installed capacity**
- **Security**



Main Topics Today

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- Pilot Jobs – SCAS/glexec.
- Operational Security
- Middleware
- Argus
- Technical Forum – Pilot Jobs
- OSG News



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Installed Capacity

- Please look at Sanity Checks run by Nagios on all sites.
 - They show possible misconfigurations
- Only the site can say whether the real resource data is correct.
- Hope to produce monthly reports soon
 - Do you want to look bad in them?



EGI



- Foundation created
- Council of ?? exists
- Executive Committee elected chaired by Per Oster, chairman of council
- Interviews for EGI.eu posts this month
- NGI Operations Transitional Meeting 1-2 March

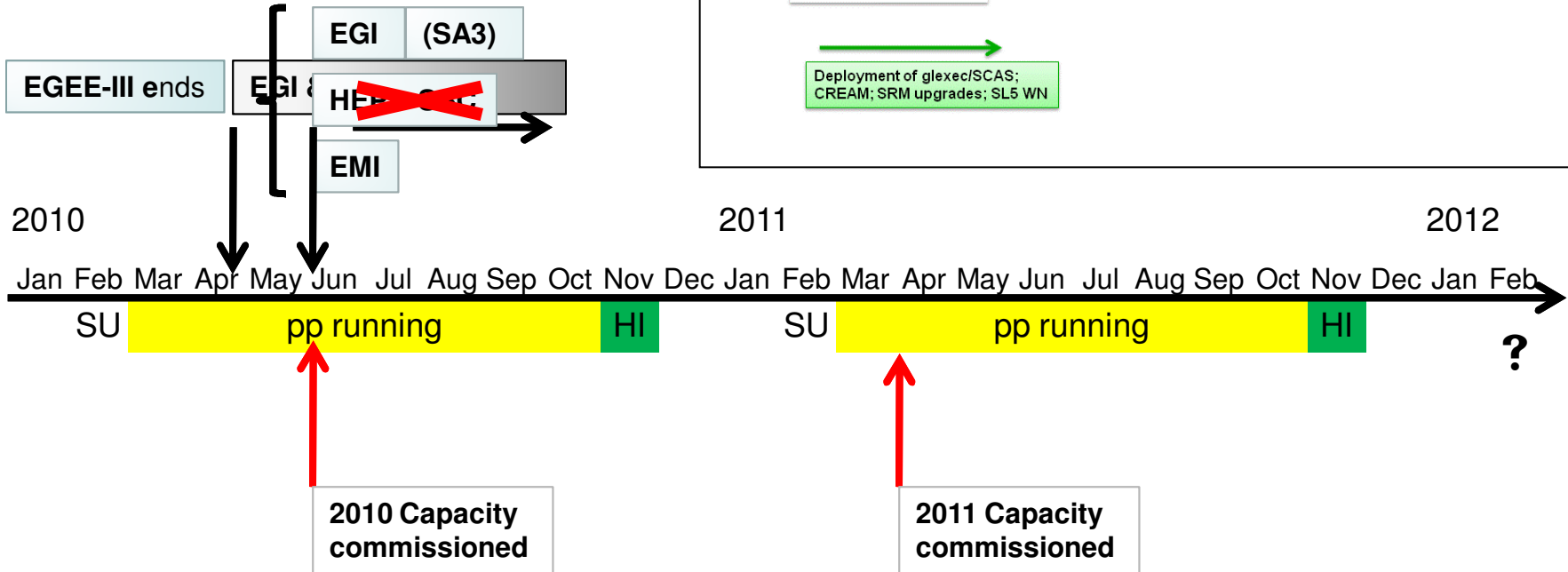
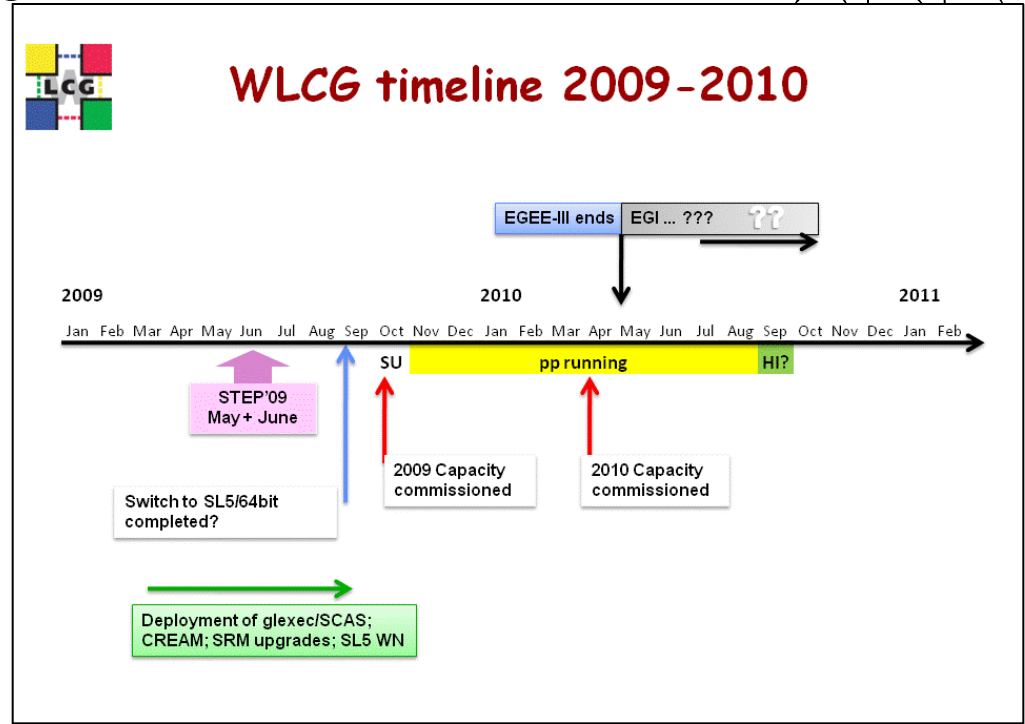
- EGI-Inspire in negotiations with EC
 - Unlikely to start in May
 - Possibly backdated.



Storage

- Access to storage has been repeatedly raised as the top issue by all experiments over a long period.
- Time to review?
- The Technical Forum plans a thread on support for various protocols
- Revisit SRM
- Wiki summary
- Pre-GDB in May?
- WLCG workshop in July.

WLCG timeline 2010-2012





Resource Requests

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- Agree preliminary requirements for 2011,12 at LHCC review in February
- At MB yesterday experiments presented revised requirements for 2010-2012 based on revised models and running schedule.
- Will be presented to RRB in April.