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EGI Data Management requirements and plans 3rd Rucio Workshop

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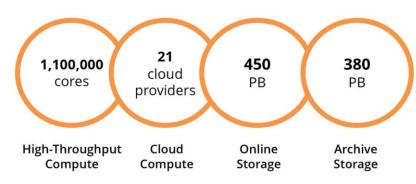
Outline

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EGI Federation

EGI is a federation of computing and storage resource providers united by a mission to support research and development.



As of September 2019

Compute



Cloud Compute

Run virtual machines on demand with complete control over computing resources



Cloud Container Compute

Run Docker containers in a lightweight virtualised environment



High-Throughput Compute

Execute thousands of computational tasks to analyse large datasets



Workload Manager

Manage computing workloads in an efficient way

Security



Check-in

Login with your own credentials

Applications



Applications on Demand

Use online applications for your data & compute intensive research



Notebooks

Create interactive documents with live code, visualisations and text

Storage and Data



Online Storage

Store, share and access your files and their metadata on a global scale



Archive Storage

Back-up your data for the long term and future use in a secure environment



Data Transfer

Transfer large sets of data from one place to another

Training



FitSM Training

Learn how to manage IT services with a pragmatic and lightweight standard



ISO 27001 Training

Learn how to manage and secure information assets



Training Infrastructure

Dedicated computing and storage for training and education







EGI Participants (2019)

23 Countries and CERN

https://www.egi.eu/about/egi-foundation/





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International Partners



Canada



USA



Africa and Arabia

Council for Scientific and Industrial Research, South Africa



Latin America

Universida de Federal do Rio de Janeiro











India Centre for Development of Advanced Comp.



Asia Pacific Region
Academia Sinica
at Taiwan

> 20 SLAs, 240 Research projects



EOSC-Hub and other EU projects



 Mobilise providers from the EGI Federation, EUDAT CDI, INDIGO-DataCloud and other major European research infrastructures to deliver a common catalogue of research data, services and software for research.











https://www.egi.eu/about/projects/







EGI Service Portfolio: Data Management Services

- EGI is primarily a **compute** federation
- Data management to support the computing
 - Staging data, storage next to CPUs/GPUs
 - Archival is shifting out, primarily to community sites
- Online storage is
 - Grid storage for HTC Compute
 - Block and object storage for Cloud compute
- Data Transfer is FTS
 - OLA with CERN and STFC/RAL
- More data services in Alpha/Beta phase
 - DataHub based on OneData
 - Content distribution based on CVMFS







Data Management requirements

July's 2019 Workshop on Data Management

• Three entities representing a broad range of solutions and services providers







- Multiple user communities
 - PaNOSC
 - ASTRON
 - Earth Observation JRC







 Goal: proof-of-concept and pilot use cases to be implemented by <u>XDC</u>, <u>ESCAPE</u> and <u>EGI</u> in collaboration with the invited scientific communities

https://indico.egi.eu/indico/event/4698/







Data distribution platform use case

- Research Infrastructures generating raw data at one or few locations (antennas, colliders, lasers,...)
 - Making data available for broader access through archives
 - Big storage and network capacities at one or more locations
 - Raw data transferred to these locations after filtering and calibration at the data source
 - Storage sites responsible for data archival, curation and sharing
- They need to
 - Manage transfers from acquisition locations to storage locations
 - Manage archiving and replication
 - Pre-stage data to computing sites
- Relevant communities and RIs
 - EISCAT3D, ICOS-eLTER







Data replication use case

- RIs establishing a federation of sites providing storage and computing
 - Sites with computing resources for large-scale data analysis and analytics
 - Centrally provided and curated datasets and applications
- They need a Data replication service to copy community datasets to sites
 - Possible to use national providers
 - Selecting dataset and application
 - Using custom data
 - Performing data analysis/analytics
- Relevant communities and RIs
 - ELIXIR, EPOS-ORFEUS, Earth Observation







PaNOSC use cases

- Remote archive of a facility experimental data
 - perform analysis on data sets obtained during an experiment
 - initial transfer around 600TB, annual volume from 300TB up to 10PB
 - possibility to retrieve data on-demand
- Remote Data analyses using Jupyter notebook services of another provider
 - compute and data infrastructure are distant
 - a service to host the results
- User's data transfer to its home organization/home computer
 - The volume of data (up to 100TB) is important





RUCIO evaluation

- EGI Rucio Testbed under deployment
 - Based on Kubernetes
 - o thanks to Rucio Helm charts
 - o gaining experience on K8s deployments
 - PostgreSQL DB
 - Understanding and testing the various daemons
 - To be interfaced to CERN or STFC/RAL FTSs
- Access to Rucio multi-VO instance @STFC/RAL
 - Under implementation
- Selection of interested user communities to implement pilots





EGI Requirements on RUCIO [1/2]

- Multi-VO support
- Integration with EGI AAI (EGI Checkin)
 - Follow up the activities for OIDC support (both in Rucio & FTS)
 - Token translation via Online CA (RCAuth) for X509 access to storages?
- Integration with EGI Workflow Manager (DIRAC)
 - Usage of Rucio catalog in Dirac presented by Cedric in the context of Belle II
- Possibility to interface with Globus (already used by some communities, i.e. PaNOSC)
 - Ongoing development by BNL





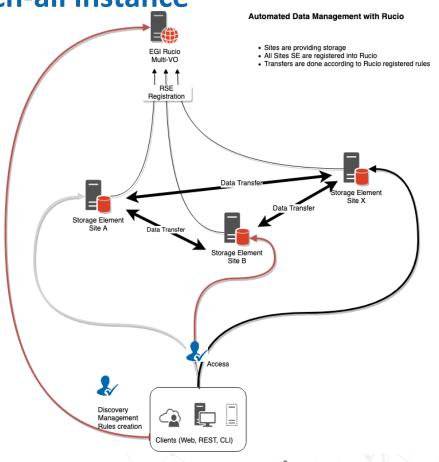
EGI Requirements on RUCIO [2/2]

- Data Catalogue and flexible metadata interface
- Access via Jupyter Notebooks, for instance via Fuse?
 - Presentation on a Fuse interface for RUCIO tomorrow
- OneData Integration (EGI Data-Hub)
 - This is more on the FTS side
- PID support
 - Via third-party services/tools
- Integration with EGI ARGO monitoring and APEL accounting
 - Plenty of Nagios probes for RUCIO available already



Plans: Rucio catch-all instance

- Rucio as a one of the Data Management services for EGI
 - Part of the EGI Service Portfolio
 - Following well defined IT SM Procedures
- Catch-all instance (Multi-VO)
 - Operated by one of the member of the Federation
 - Possibly funded via the next EGI flagship EU project in 2021, together with some of the missing integration activities





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