

Overview of the EU Data Grid Project



**The European
DataGrid Project Team**

<http://www.eu-datagrid.org>



The EU DataGrid (EDG) Project



- ◆ 9.8 M Euros EU (IST) funding over 3 years
- ◆ Three year phased developments & demos (2001-2003)
- ◆ Project objectives:
 - Middleware for fabric & Grid management (mostly funded by the EU)
 - Large scale testbed (mostly funded by the partners)
 - Production quality demonstrations (partially funded by the EU)
 - To collaborate with and complement other European and US projects
 - Contribute to Open Standards and international bodies:
 - Co-founder of Global Grid Forum and host of GGF1 and GGF3
 - Industry and Research Forum for dissemination of project results
- ◆ Total of 21 partners
 - Research and Academic institutes as well as industrial companies
- ◆ Main partners:



EDG Assistant Partners

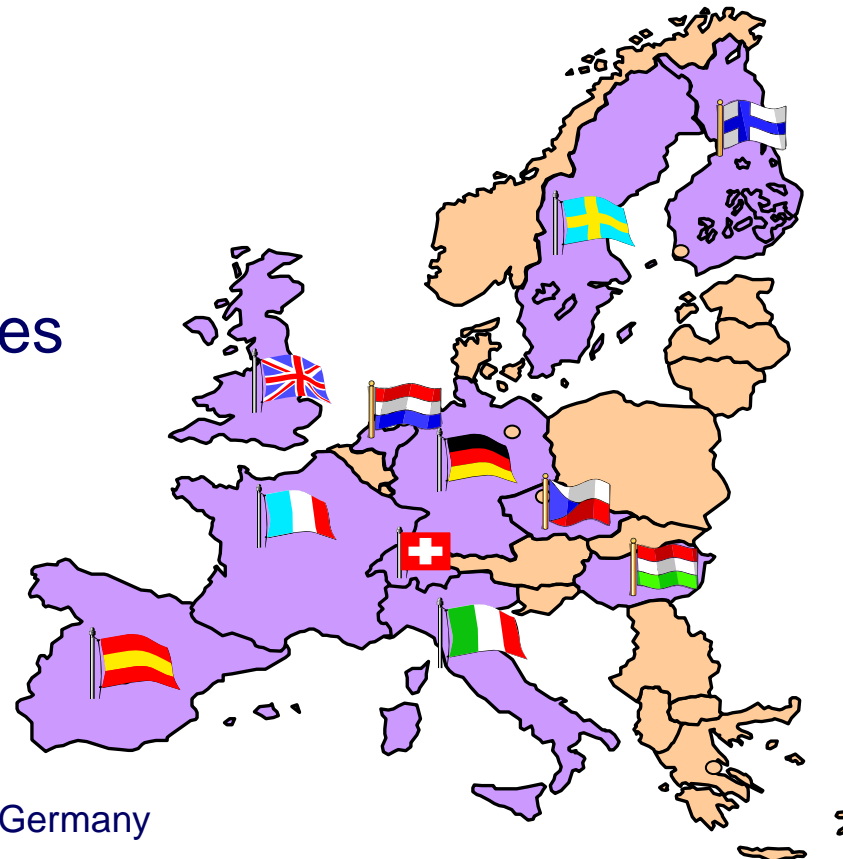


Industrial Partners

- Datamat (Italy)
- IBM-UK (UK)
- CS-SI (France)

Research and Academic Institutes

- CESNET (Czech Republic)
- Commissariat à l'énergie atomique (CEA) – France
- Computer and Automation Research Institute, Hungarian Academy of Sciences (MTA SZTAKI)
- Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche (Italy)
- Helsinki Institute of Physics – Finland
- Institut de Fisica d'Altes Energies (IFAE) - Spain
- Istituto Trentino di Cultura (IRST) – Italy
- Konrad-Zuse-Zentrum für Informationstechnik Berlin - Germany
- Royal Netherlands Meteorological Institute (KNMI)
- Ruprecht-Karls-Universität Heidelberg - Germany
- Stichting Academisch Rekencentrum Amsterdam (SARA) – Netherlands
- Swedish Research Council - Sweden



EDG structure : work packages



➤ The EDG collaboration is structured in 12 Work Packages:

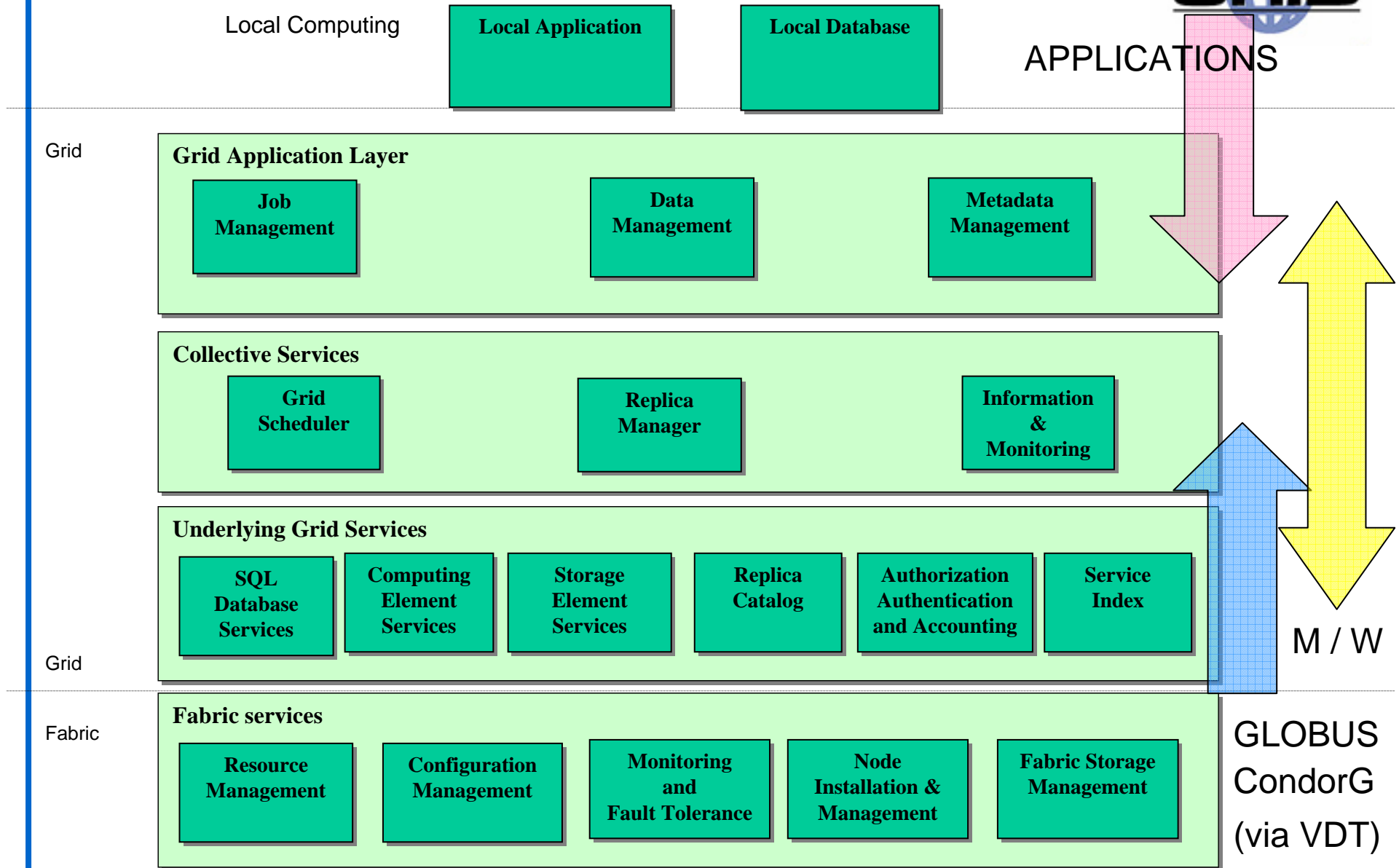
- [WP1: Work Load Management System](#)
 - [WP2: Data Management](#)
 - [WP3: Grid Monitoring / Grid Information Systems](#)
 - [WP4: Fabric Management](#)
 - [WP5: Storage Element](#)
 - *WP6: Testbed and demonstrators*
 - [WP7: Network Monitoring](#)
 - **WP8: High Energy Physics Applications**
 - **WP9: Earth Observation**
 - **WP10: Biology**
 - **WP11: Dissemination**
 - **WP12: Management**
- Applications**



Project Schedule

- ◆ Project started on **1/Jan/2001**
- ◆ Testbed 0 (early 2001)
 - International test bed 0 infrastructure deployed
 - Globus 1 only - no EDG middleware
- ◆ Testbed 1 (2002)
 - First release of EU DataGrid software to defined users within the project:
 - HEP experiments (WP 8), Earth Observation (WP 9), Biomedical applications (WP 10)
- ◆ Testbed 2 (End 2002)
 - Builds on Testbed 1 to extend facilities of DataGrid
 - Focus on stability
- ◆ **EDG very successfully passed its 2nd annual EU review on February 4-5 2003**
- ◆ Testbed 3 (2003)
 - Advanced functionality; currently being deployed.
- ◆ Project stops on **31/Dec/2003**

EDG Middleware Architecture



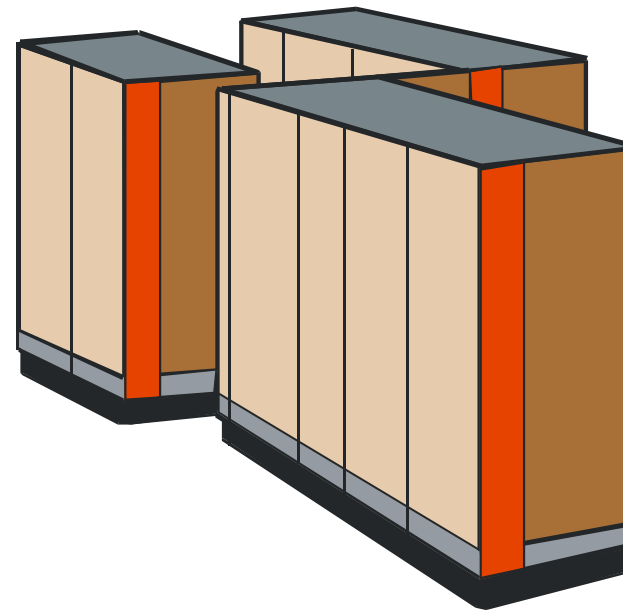
The EDG WMS (WP1)

- ◆ The user interacts with Grid via a **Workload Management System** (WMS)
- ◆ The Goal of WMS is the **distributed scheduling and resource management in a Grid environment.**
- ◆ What does it allow Grid users to do?
 - To submit their jobs
 - To execute them on the “best resources”
 - The WMS tries to optimize the usage of resources
 - To get information about their status
 - To retrieve their output



Computing Element (WP4)

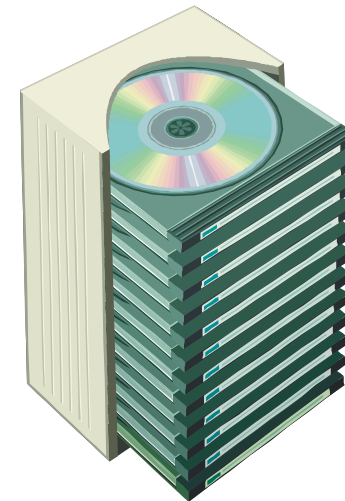
- ◆ Is a Grid Job Queue
 - Publishes information about itself
 - Checks the job is permitted
 - Sends it to an an appropriate internal queue



SRM: Storage Resource Manager (WP5)

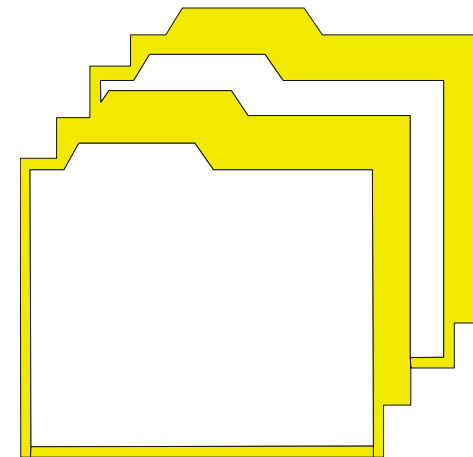


- ◆ SRM subset implementation
 - A defacto international standard for Storage Resource Management
- ◆ Web service uses Java AXIS and EDG security
- ◆ Supports multiple VOs
- ◆ Functions
 - Writing a file
 - Reading a file



Replica Manager (WP2)

- ◆ High level data management on the Grid
 - Location of data
 - Replication of data
 - Efficient access to data
- ◆ Hides the SRM
- ◆ Coordinates use of
 - Replica Location Service
 - Replica Metadata Catalog
 - Replica Optimization Service

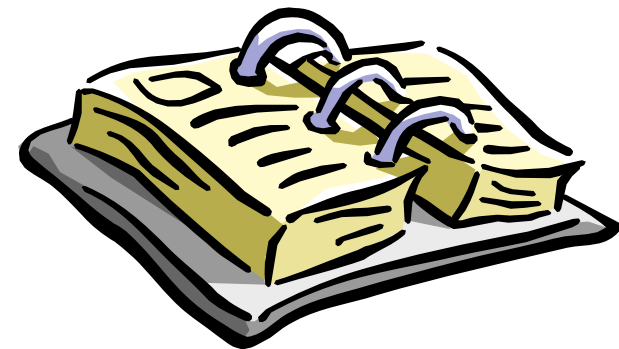


Information & Monitoring (WP3)

R-GMA

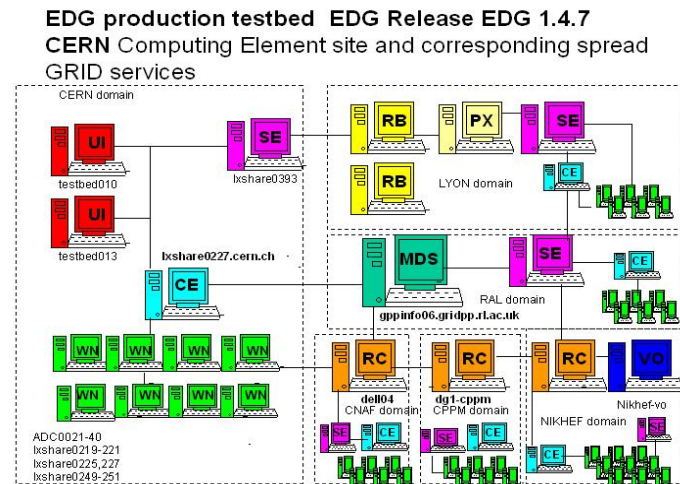


- ◆ Relational implementation of GMA from GGF
- ◆ Makes use of GLUE schema
- ◆ Interoperable with MDS
- ◆ Deals with information on
 - The Grid itself
 - Resources and Services (for which the Globus MDS is a common solution)
 - Job status information
 - Grid applications
 - This is information published by user jobs.



TestBed Integration (WP6)

- ◆ Exact definition of RPM lists (components) for the various testbed machine profiles (CE, RB, UI,, WN, IC etc.) – check dependencies
- ◆ Perform preliminary centrally (CERN) managed tests on EDG m/w before green light for spread EDG testbed sites deployment
- ◆ Provide, update end user documentation for installers/site managers, developers and end users
- ◆ Define EDG release policies, coordinate the integration team staff with the various WorkPackage managers – keep high inter-coordination.
- ◆ Set up the Authorization Working Group to manage authorization policies on the testbed

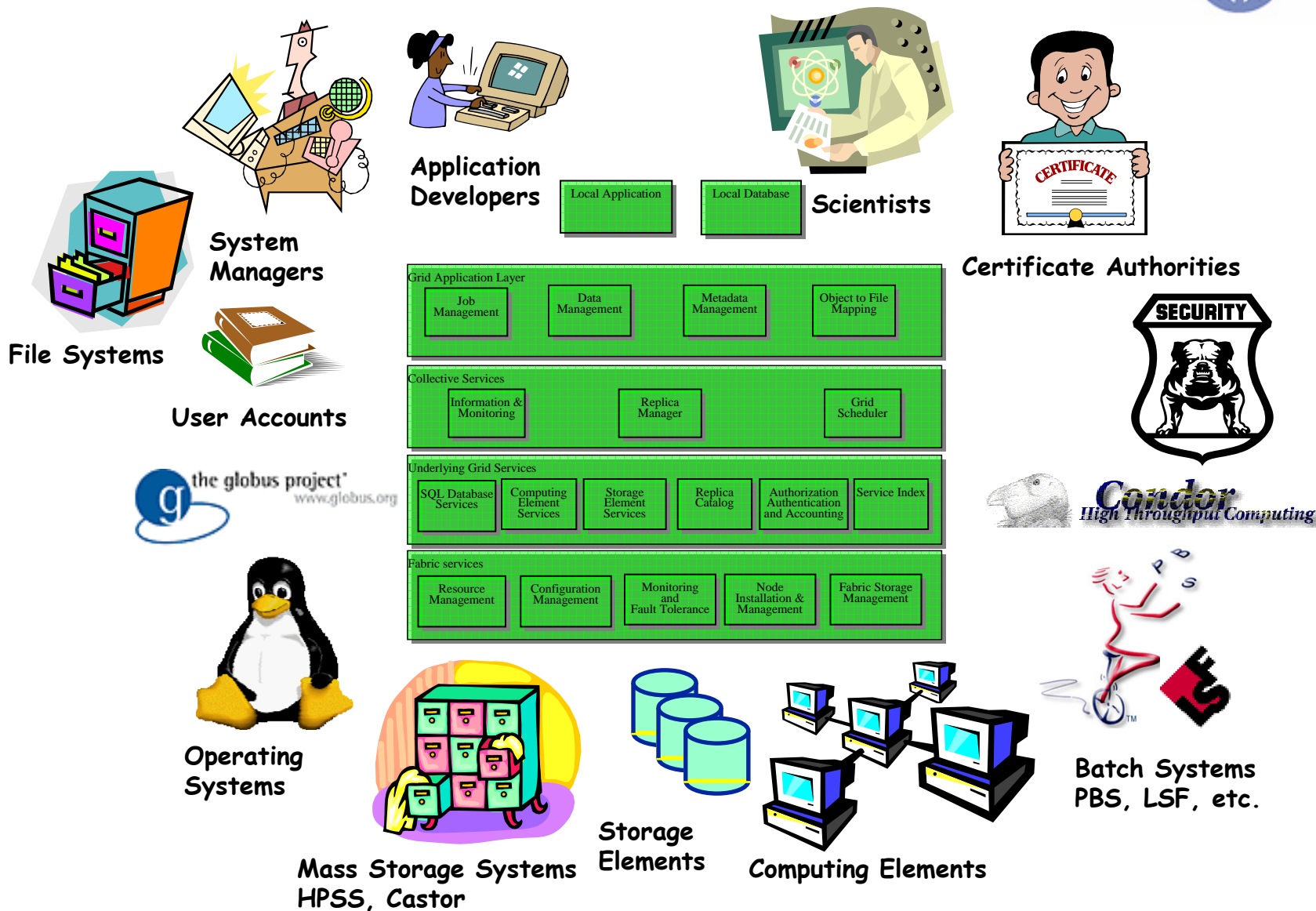


Grid aspects covered by EDG



VOMS	Provides certificate with VOs, groups and roles	RGMA: Information & Monitoring	Provides info on resource utilization & performance
User Interface	Submit & monitor jobs, retrieve output	Grid Fabric Management	Configure, installs & maintains grid sw packages and environ.
Workload Management System	Manages submission of jobs to Res. Broker, obtains information and retrieves output	Network performance	Provides efficient network transport, bandwidth monitoring
Computing Element	Gatekeeper to a grid computing resource	Testbed admin.	Certificate auth., user reg., usage policy etc.
Storage Resource Manager	Grid-aware storage area	Applications	HEP, EO, Biology
Replica Manager	Replicates and locates data		

EDG Interfaces



DataGrid in Numbers (as of Feb. 2003)



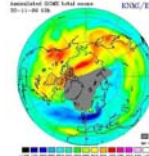
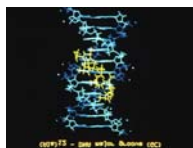
People

- >350 registered users
- 12 Virtual Organisations
- 16 Certificate Authorities
- >200 people trained
- 278 man-years of effort
- 100 years funded



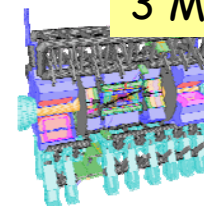
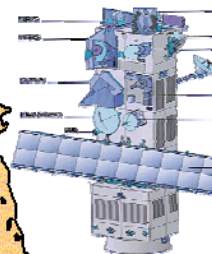
Software

- 50 use cases
- 18 software releases
- Current release 1.4
- >300K lines of code



Testbeds

- >15 regular sites
- >40 sites using EDG sw
- >10'000s jobs submitted
- >1000 CPUs
- >15 TeraBytes disk
- 3 Mass Storage Systems



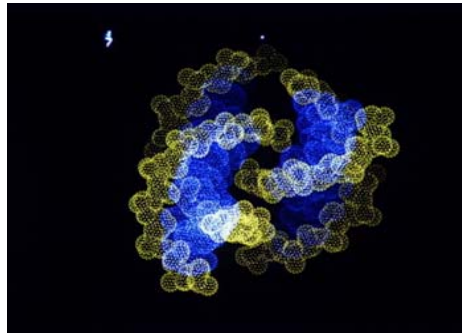
Scientific applications

- 5 Earth Obs institutes
- 9 bio-informatics apps
- 6 HEP experiments

DataGrid Scientific Applications



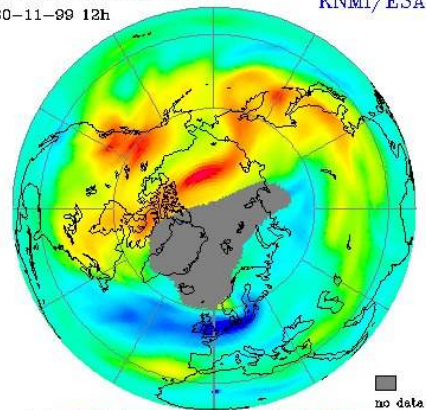
Developing grid middleware to enable large-scale usage by scientific applications



Bio-informatics

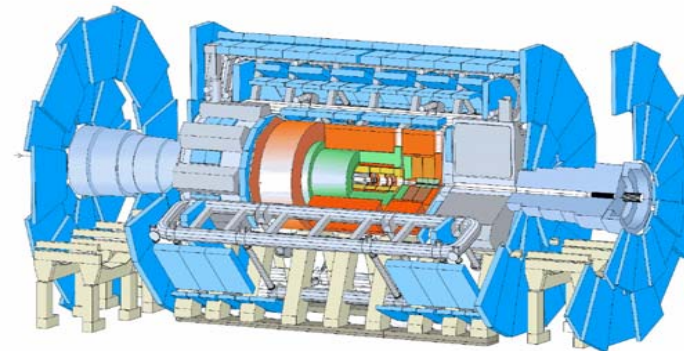
- Data mining on genomic databases (exponential growth)
- Indexing of medical databases (Tb/hospital/year)

Assimilated GOME total ozone
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KNMI/ESA



Earth Observation

- about 100 Gbytes of data per day (ERS 1/2)
- 500 Gbytes, for the ENVISAT mission



Particle Physics

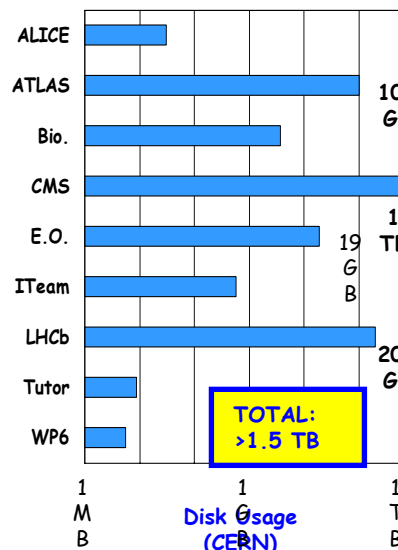
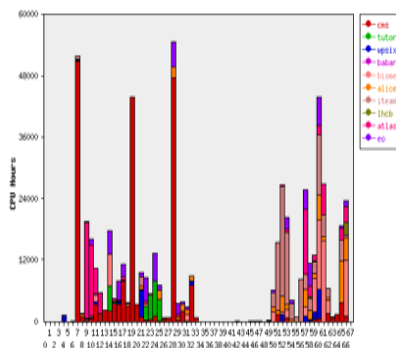
- Simulate and reconstruct complex physics phenomena millions of times
- LHC experiments will generate 6-8 PetaBytes/year

Application Usage of Release 1.4

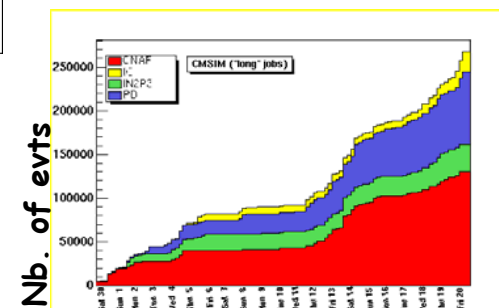


EDG 1.4 evaluated for review in Feb. 2003

CPU Usage

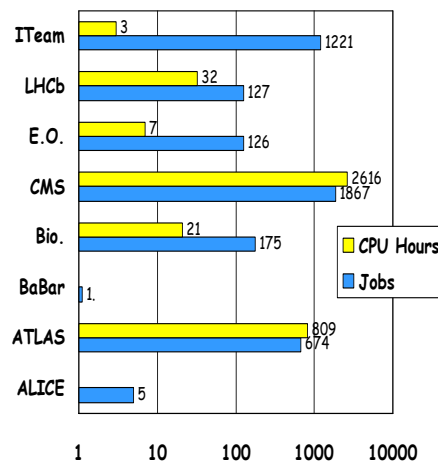


HEP Simulation

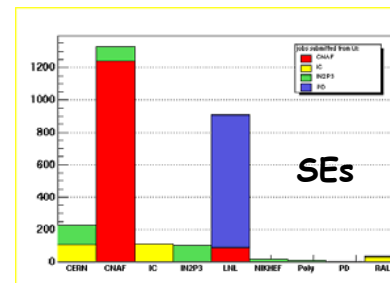


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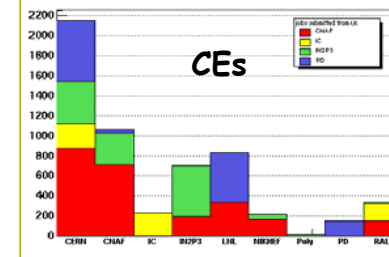
- ◆ Large increase in users.
- ◆ Many sites interested in joining.
- ◆ Pushing real jobs through system.



Disk Usage



CEs



Release 2.0

- ◆ Major new developments in all middleware areas

- ◆ Addressed Being deployed on Application TB now

- WMS

- Rep

- Data

- Info

- scal

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- ◆ Provid

- ◆ Upgrade underlying software

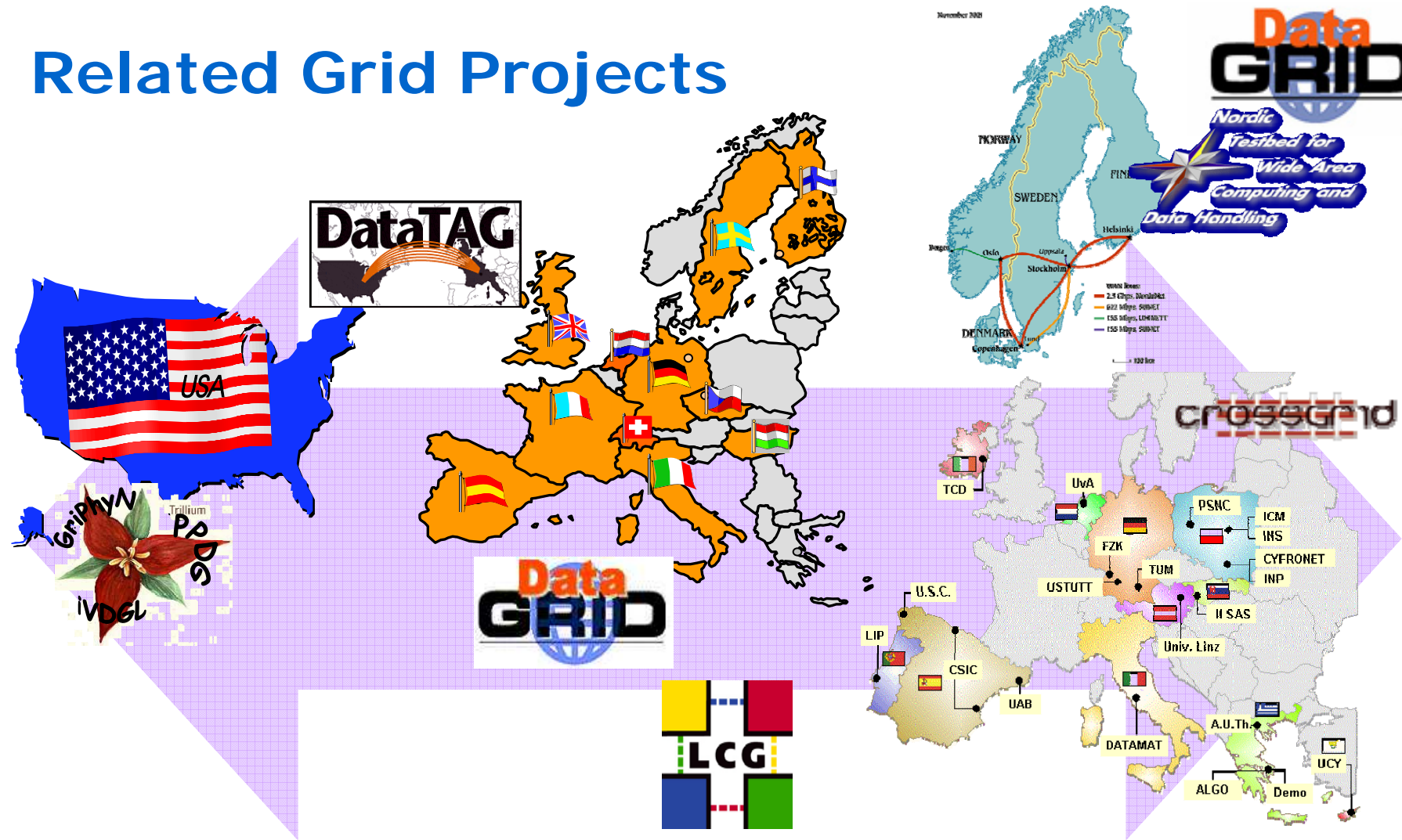
Tutorial will use 1.4 the first day

- Job submission
- Data management

2.0 will be used second day

- new job submission features
- new data mgmt features
- R-GMA

Related Grid Projects

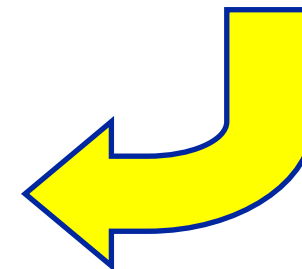
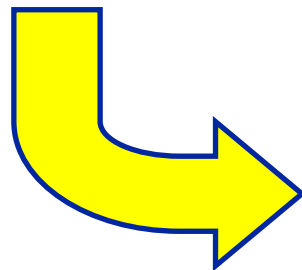


Through links with sister projects, there is the potential for a truly global scientific applications grid
Demonstrated at IST2002 and SC2002 in November



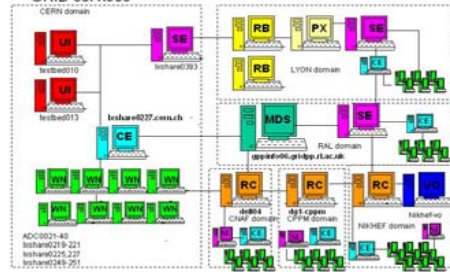
Tutorial Testbed

- ◆ EDG dissemination testbed (GriDis)
- ◆ Resources from EDG and Crossgrid



EDG Tutorial Roadmap

EDG production testbed EDG Release EDG 1.4.7
CERN Computing Element site and corresponding spread
GRID services



Testbed

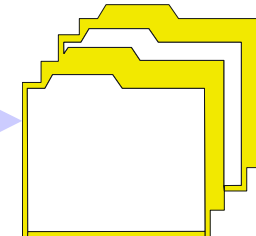


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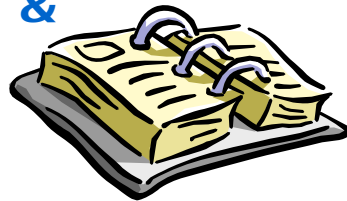
Workload Management



Data Management

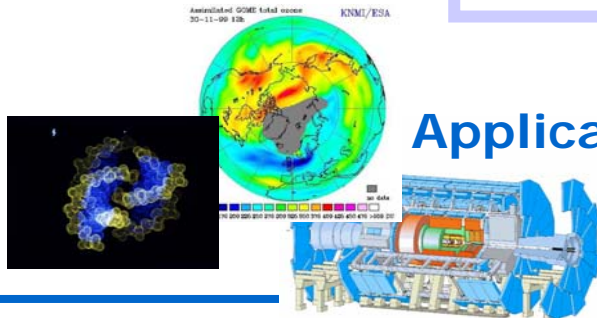


Information & Monitoring



Fabric Management

Applications





EDG : reference web sites

- ◆ EDG web site
 - <http://www.edg.org>
- ◆ Source for all required software :
 - <http://datagrid.in2p3.fr>
- ◆ EDG testbed web site
 - <http://marianne.in2p3.fr>
- ◆ Dissemination Testbed (GriDis)
 - <http://web.datagrid.cnr.it/GriDis/GriDisWP1.html>
- ◆ EDG users guide
 - <http://marianne.in2p3.fr/datagrid/documentation/EDG-Users-Guide.html>
- ◆ EDG tutorials web site
 - <http://cern.ch/edg-tutorials>