

LCG-2 Update

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Release status

- Recall objectives:
 - SRM-based storage elements
 - Disk pool manager for disk-only SE (with SRM): dCache
 - Several bug fixes:
 - Globus 2.4.3 (VDT 1.1.13)
 - WP1 our bug fixes, support for SRM
 - WP2 bug fixes
 - Info providers PBS master not on CE; allow many queues (eg CNAF)
- Current production release
 - Replica manager tools already use both SRM (if existing) or classic SE interfaces
 - RB needs new fixes to work with SRM



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- Still problems with preparation of dCache as disk pool manager
 - Hopefully final rpms today
 - Install on EIS testbed Wednesday
- dCache issues outstanding:
 - Authentication needs different libs for Kerberos, GSI, <no-security> need single lib for all 3 (then GFAL can work invisibly)
 - 2. Large files (>2GB) currently 2 different libraries load explicitly (not so bad but naming inconsistent between installed and current release)
 - 3. Using rm to put files on full dCache's connection hangs with no error
 - 4. Replica Manager check for known protocols crash on dcap
- New dCache rpms for 1 & 2; RM rpm for 4 today,
 - 3 is a longer term fix needs changes in dCache
- Also fixed:
 - Lcg-cgr (c&r with guid) to work with SRM
 - Rpm for dCache info provider
 - Rpm to do complete dCache installation/post installation configuration



Topics for future meetings

Monitoring

- R-GMA:
 - Steve Fisher, (John Gordon?), Piera Bettini
 - Experiments proposed needs CMS, Alice?
- Other monitoring needs
 - MonaLisa
 - CMS, ...

Security:

- IP Connectivity
- VOMS
- Open issues
 - Sites need someone to summarise
 - Experiments someone to summarise