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Computing Coordination in the US

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Scope of this talk

- Elements of computing coordination include
 - Running experiments at Brookhaven, Fermilab, RHIC and SLAC.
 - US participation in the LHC.
 - US participation in the ILC.
 - Theory (e.g. QCD)
- Coordinated elements include:
 - Computing facilities, including Storage
 - Networking
 - Grid Infrastructure



- OSG is operational.
- Evolution of Grid 3/Trillium
- Blueprint Document
- Deployment Document
- Governance document
- Technical groups.

OSG

OSG participants (CMS emphasized)



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OSG deployment



OSG Organizational Structure



Storage Technical Group

- The Storage Technical group is lead by Paul Sheldon (Vanderbilt) and Robert Kennedy (Fermilab).
- The main activity of the group is to deploy managed storage elements on the OSG.
 - Independently implemented, interoperating, SE are being deployed and or investigated.
 - LBL DRM
 - Fermilab/DESY Dcache.
 - Interest from the IBP people (Tennessee)
 - Possible interest from Xootd people (SLAC)
 - Coordinated with US involvement with Glite.

OSG Storage element

- Storage Resource Manager interface.
 - storage space management
 - data movement resource management
- File transfer protocols (GridFTP as "lingua franca")
- POSIX-like IO on the worker nodes.



Storage Element Strategy

Strategy is to allow for diverse implementations

- Distinguishing features:
 - File system or own virtualizer"
 - Play a role in shaping traffic, and metering data movement resources, protocol selection.
 - Play a role dealing with network features like firewalls and NATs.
 - Assemble spare storage into a usable whole.
 - Integrate w/tape or not

Storage Element Deployment

- 57 TB at CMS T1 center at Fermilab More by the end of the summer.
- ~20TB at each CMS T2 center
- SE at BNL T1
- 130 TB SE for CDF
- 22 TB for General Facility at FNAL.
- SE being investigated by ATLAS

SE performance



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Date (Year-month-day)

Network Technical Group

- The Network Technical group is lead by Shawn McKee(Michigan) and Donald Petravick (Fermilab).
- We are beginning to organize.
 - Have seeded a monitoring activity.
 - Want to consider the needs of the HEP experiments exploiting OSG.
 - Diverse network resources within the US.



UltraLight Network: PHASE 2



- Move into production (2007)
- Optical switching fully enabled amongst primary sites
- Integrated international infrastructure



ESnet Goal – 2007/2008



Practical Integration Goals

- Effective use of bandwidth on WANS
- Light paths, because they are there.
- Transactions.
- Have working advanced integrations by 2007
 - DISON
 - Baseline S&C project.
 - more

- Buy in and acceptance of the availability and usability of WAN.
- Routinely do across the (nation/world) what we used to do at a lab.
- Prepare for advanced systems of autonomous agents.
- Exploit open exchanges

Example: Practical Work a FNAL

- Dark fiber to Starlight
- Burgeoning direct peerings, direct lightpaths
- Lightpath bandwidth more available that packet switched bandwidth.





Production, Studies

Project	Collaboration	<u>Remote Site</u>	<u>Status</u>	Max B.W.	<u>Type</u>
UKlight - CDF	CDF	UCL	Active	1 Gb/s	periodic
CMS/CERN	CMS	CERN	Active	1-10 Gb/s	sustained
LambdaStation	CMS	CalTech	Active	1-10 Gb/s	sustained
WestGrid (Ca)	DO	Simon Fraser	Active	1 Gb/s	sustained
LHC Tier 1	CMS	BNL	Active	< 622 Mb/s	periodic
UltraLight	CMS	Cal Tech, UFL	Pending	1-10 Gb/s	sustained
UKlight – D0	DO	Lancaster	Pending	1 Gb/s	sustained
ASnet	CDF	Sinica, Taiwan	Pending	2-4 Gb/s	periodic
CMS Tier 2	CMS	UFL, UCSD, Wisconsin	Active	< 622 Mb/s	sustained
McGill	CDF & D0	McGill, Ca	Active	1 Gb/s	sustained
Twaren	SDSS	NCHC, Taiwan	Active	1 Gb/s	periodic
Prague, Cz	DO	ΙοΡ	Active	1 Gb/s	sustained
Toronto HEP	CDF	U. Toronto	Pending	1-10 Gb/s	periodic

Current state of HEP computing

- Dual CPU box is very common.
- Middleware with long time constants
- Awareness of WAN, but not full acceptance of its potential.
- Goal: vertical integration of many layers.
 - Hope: large social and technical impact





Practical Integration



Results



- Plot shows functionality
- Alternate use of lightpaths and conventional routed networks.
- Grid FTP
- Exampel integration with SRM
- Will have working advanced integrations
 - DISON
 - Baseline S&C project.
 - more



Summary

Coordination via OSG, DISON, Trilluim.

- All of experimental HEP + QCD
- Consistent with solid results for 2007.
- Storage:
 - Standards exist for competing/complimentary SE work.
- Network:
 - Active exploitation of diverse networks, including those enabled by open optical exchanges.
- Active program of work for acceptance.