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Here are some UK milestones for T1-T2 and some prerequisites for T2s. Some of them may be suitable as more general milestones.

They are mainly short-term for SC4 but this is as far as we are looking for now.

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- * SRM
- ** 80% of sites have working (file transfers with 2 other sites successful) SRM by end of December
- ** All sites have working SRM by end of January
- ** 40% of sites (using FTS) able to transfer files using an SRM 2.1 API by end February
- ** All sites (using FTS) able to transfer files using an SRM 2.1 API by end March
- ** Interoperability tests between SRM versions at Tier-1 and Tier-2s (TBC)
- * FTS
- ** FTS channel to be created for all T1-T2 connections by end of January
- ** FTS client configured for 40% sites by end January
- ** FTS channels created for one Intra-Tier-2 test for each Tier-2 by end of January
- ** FTS client configured for all sites by end March
- * Tier-1 to Tier-2 Transfers (target rate 300-500Mb/s)
- ** Sustained transfer of 1TB data to 20% sites by end December
- ** Sustained transfer of 1TB data from 20% sites by end December
- ** Sustained transfer of 1TB data to 50% sites by end January
- ** Sustained transfer of 1TB data from 50% sites by end January
- ** Peak rate tests undertaken for the two largest Tier-2 sites in each Tier-2 by end February
- $\ensuremath{^{**}}$ Sustained individual transfers (>1TB continuous) to all sites completed by $\ensuremath{\mathsf{mid}}\xspace-\mathsf{March}$
- $\ensuremath{^{**}}$ Sustained individual transfers (>1TB continuous) from all sites completed by $\ensuremath{\mathsf{mid}}\xspace-\mathsf{March}$
- ** Peak rate tests undertaken for all sites by end March
- ** Aggregate Tier-2 to Tier-1 tests completed at target rate (rate TBC) by end ${\tt March}$
- * Tier-2 Transfers (target rate 100 Mb/s)
- ** Sustained transfer of 1TB data between largest site in each Tier-2 to that of another Tier-2 by end February
- ** Peak rate tests undertaken for 50% sites in each Tier-2 by end February
- * LFC
- ** LFC document available by end November
- ** LFC installed at 1 site in each Tier-2 by end December
- ** LFC installed at 50% sites by end January
- ** LFC installed at all sites by end February
- ** Database update tests (TBC)

- * VO Boxes (depending on experiment responses to security and operations questionnaire and GridPP position on VO Boxes)
- ** VOBs available (for agreed VOs only) at 1 site in each Tier-2 by mid-January
- ** VOBs available at 50% sites by mid-February
- ** VOBs available at all (participating) sites by end March
- * Experiment specific tests TBC
- ** To be developed in conjunction with experiment plans