



# NA3 Training and induction

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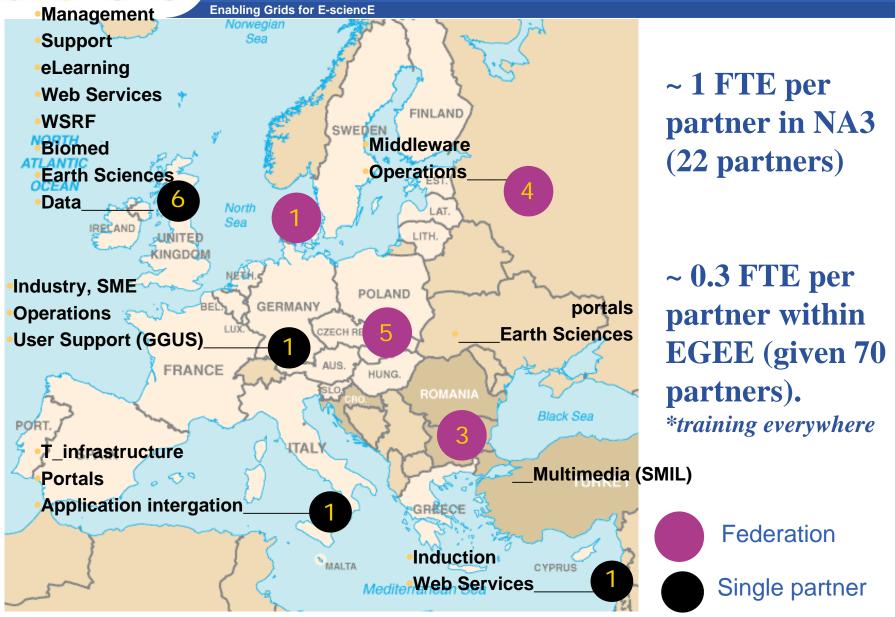
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#### Distribution of NA3 effort





### Geographical distribution of courses





# **Headline figures**

- 2700 attendees at courses
- 200 training events
- 7000 participant days



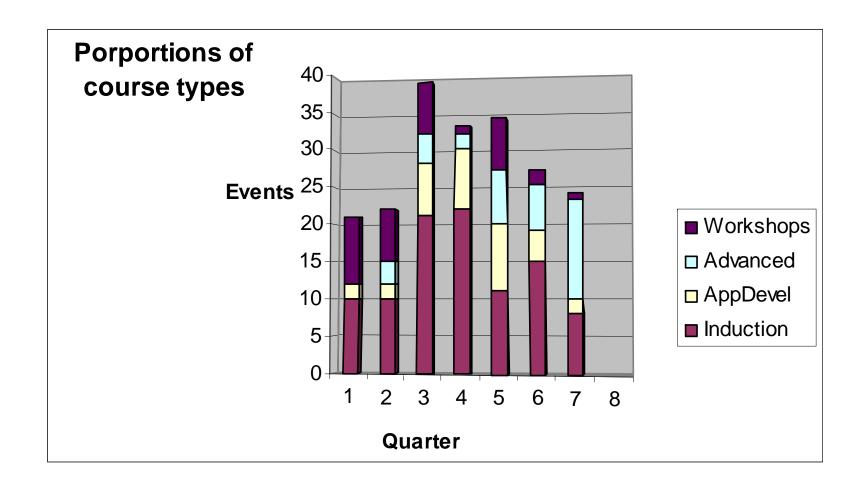
# Delivery

	Induction Courses	Application Developer Training	Advanced Courses	Technical Activity Retreats
Number	<b>97</b> (20)	<b>34</b> (16)	35 (4)	34 (12)
Average Attendance	29 (50)	18 (25)	29 (25)	35 (30)
Course Length (days)	2 (2)	2 (4)	4 (5)	2 (2)

<sup>•</sup>Figures in brackets are the expected values at the start of the project

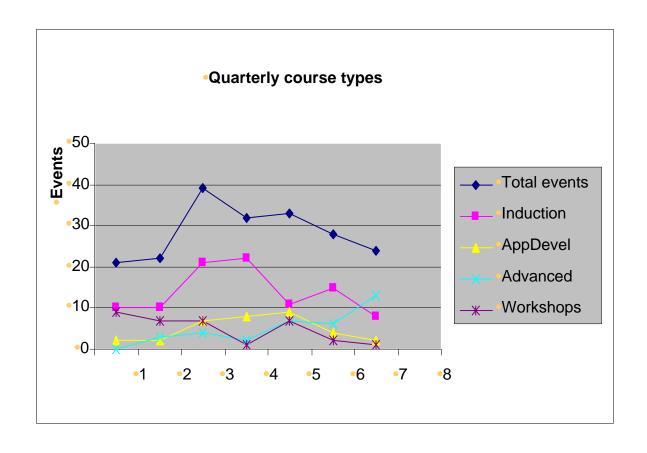


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### **External projects and VOs**

- Diligent
- Magic
- EMBRACE
- BioinfoGrid
- TERENA/NRENS
- Industry attendees at:
  - ISSGC '05
  - Grids@Work tutorial
  - SME course FZK
  - PRISM Forum UK (Pharma)
- Plans for working with:
- ISSEG, ETICS, ICEAGE,
- EUMEDGRID, EELA,
- BIOINFOGRID

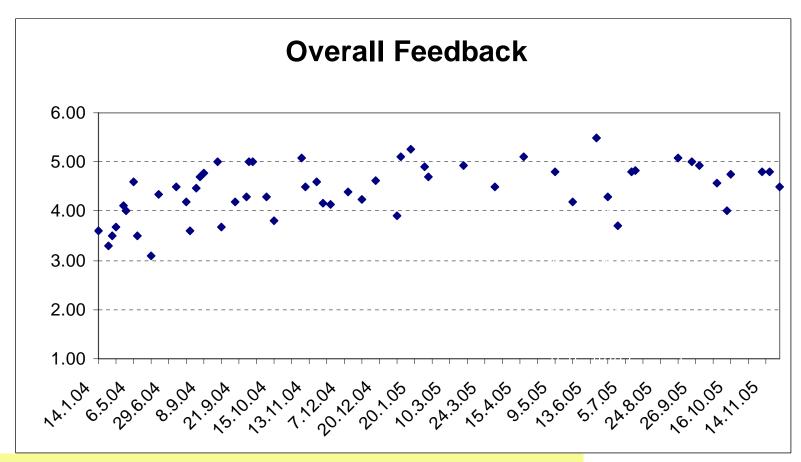
- Biomed courses
- Physics courses
- Earth Sciences
- Social Sciences
- •Geographical outreach:
- Balticgrid (joined EGEE)
- Taiwan
- Australia
- Venezuela



### **Training: Quantity & Quality**

**Enabling Grids for E-sciencE** 

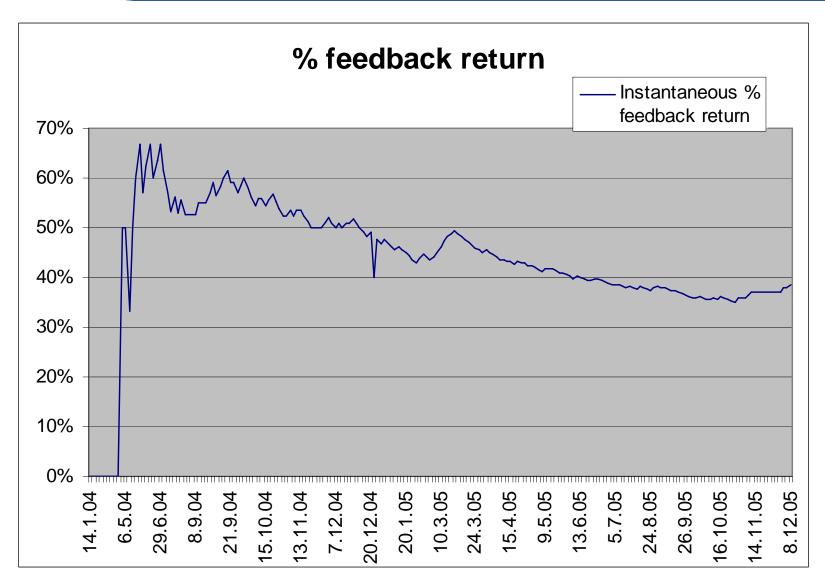
Participants grade course from 1 to 6, each point – average for a course overall score (workshops not included – see TA)



Trainers review grades and revise course material and training plans



#### Rates of feedback return





#### **Summer Schools**

- Supported approx 5 Summer Schools per year
  - ISSGC 04, 05
  - GridKa 04, 05
  - CERN Summer School 04, 05
  - Budapest Regional Summer School 04, 05
  - PPARC Summer School 04, 05
- Highest profile international training/education events in grid computing.



#### **T-Infrastructure uses**

- GILDA/GENIUS has been central in installing new middleware versions, making these available and sharing experience
- UEDIN cluster also used for early gLite installation in conjunction with GILDA to gather experience and developing new application developer courses.
- Cluster at FZK used to support application developer and installation courses for gLite

#### Scale

- Support geographically diverse groups
- Many different knowledge domains
- Breadth of knowledge required

#### Quality

Maintain and encourage a 'quality culture'

#### Rate of change

- New middleware features
- New VOs
- Changing needs of domains
- New projects
- Changes in national grid provision



#### Achievements

- Delivered beyond targets
- Delivered across Europe, even in areas with no representatives
- Delivered outreach beyond existing EGEE area
- Maintained quality process across partners
- Collated a body of training materials to act as catalyst to training
- Engaged a broad range of disciplines and related projects



# Summary