



Conclusions

- Trying to fit the experiments' computing models to the reality of existing resources was a very useful exercise.
 - It also showed that a better alignment of the CPU/disk mix to these models at a large number of sites would lead to much better efficiency without increasing costs.
- The overall resource situation is difficult, but may be manageable, if the Funding Agencies will not use the current re-evaluation of requirements as opportunity to reduce their investments.
 - In any case, specific resource problems of ALICE and a certain number of Tier-1 centres need to be addressed.
- A better distribution of the Tier-2 load has to be discussed.
- The Tier-1s will have to start soon large scale file transfer tests to their assigned Tier-2s.
- The Tier-2s have not yet seen these tables. Their reactions have still to be taken into account.

