Distributed computing work status

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Distributed storage works overview

- R&D Data access: HTTP and WebDAV in Wide Area Network scenarios (starting incollaboration with F.Furano)
- Distributed Tier1 model study: functional evaluation, data distribution policy, resource allocation
- Testing data access and storage system of interest: gLaster, NFS4, Hadoop, EOS
- Distributed storage group:
 - A.Fella, G.Donvito, E.Luppi, E.Manoni(5%), S.Pardi, V.Spinoso, L.Tomassetti
 - Forgot someone?

Dirac evaluation

- Setup of production use case, in preparation for a mass test submission for comparison test with official production system
- Evaluation of Dirac new release
- Intense collaboration with developer
- Phone meeting with developer short term
- Expected end of the evaluation works: end of November

- Dirac evaluation people:
 - A.Fella, G.Donvito, B.Santeramo

PhEDEx evaluation

- Oracle test instance ready at CNAF
- All the HW/SW configuration requirement have been provided
 - Support by CMS experts: Nicolo' Magini, Jacek Wojcieszuk
- © CNAF offers one machine for Service installation
- D.Andreotti and A.Sartirana can help sporadically
- C.Grandi can switch on a collaboration within CMS community broadcasting the SuperB proposal
 - Action in stand by cause of lack of people our side:
 - Need a full time person coordinatingthe task
 - Kris Raczka from Krakow was the reference person for the project, but he was recently no more available for economic reason

Distributed resource status

- New entries:
 - Cyfronet (KRAKOW)
 - IN2P3-IRES (Strasburgo)
 - IN2P3-LPSC (Grenoble)
 - INFN-Catania
 - INFN-Frascati
 - RAL-PPD

Ganga Use case analysis

- In late with respect to the plans shown at QMUL
 - Lack of people, need a dedicated full time
 - Sergey Makarychev (ITEP) join the group one week ago, can dedicate 50% time
 - Skilled, enthusiast, in ATLAS (simple access to documantation and expertise)
 - Hands on with analysts meeting expected for end of November

Ganga infrastructure

- Ganga permit the user to interact with GridMon DB and data placement DB permitting to:
 - Retrieve service availability info
 - Collect info about dataset
 - Create new dataset from analysis tasks
- GridMon DB filled automatically by VO Nagios service
- Data placement DB under constructions: collects all the information about datasets (production and analysis) and its displacement all over distributed resources
- Ganga people: A. Fella, M.Manzali, S.Makarychev, V.Spinoso

Nagios VO

- Nagios Grid service availability monitor is up and running at CNAF
- The interface to the GridMon DB is under construction.

 People involved: A.Paolini in collaboration with the distributed computing group

CNAF status

- P.Franchini new AR, under training
- CVMFS ready in one month
- Disk space jump to 127TBi --> 180TBi 2012
- Software for distributed installation and management and experiment software LJSFi (under installation by S.Pardi)