



Enabling Grids for E-sciencE

SA3 Deployment strategy

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- **What did we do during 5 years of middleware deployment in LCG.**
- **Contributions of worldwide SA3 partners.**
- **Components centric deployment model.**
- **Installation of middleware.**
- **Evolution of the configuration tool (YAIM).**
- **32 / 64 bits SL4 SL5 SLX and others.**
- **Still lots of things to do.**

5 years of deployment

November 2002

Os RH73 + LCG rpms + LCFGng

LCG Middleware SL3
configuration : YAIM
Installation : APT

OS SL3
Installation configuration : APT (the native tools of the Os)

LCG / gLite Middleware SL3
configuration : YAIM / gLite config
Installation : APT

OS SL3
Installation configuration : APT

LCG / gLite Middleware SL3 / SL4
configuration : modular YAIM
Installation : APT / YUM

OS SL3 / SL4
Installation configuration : APT /YUM (the native tools)

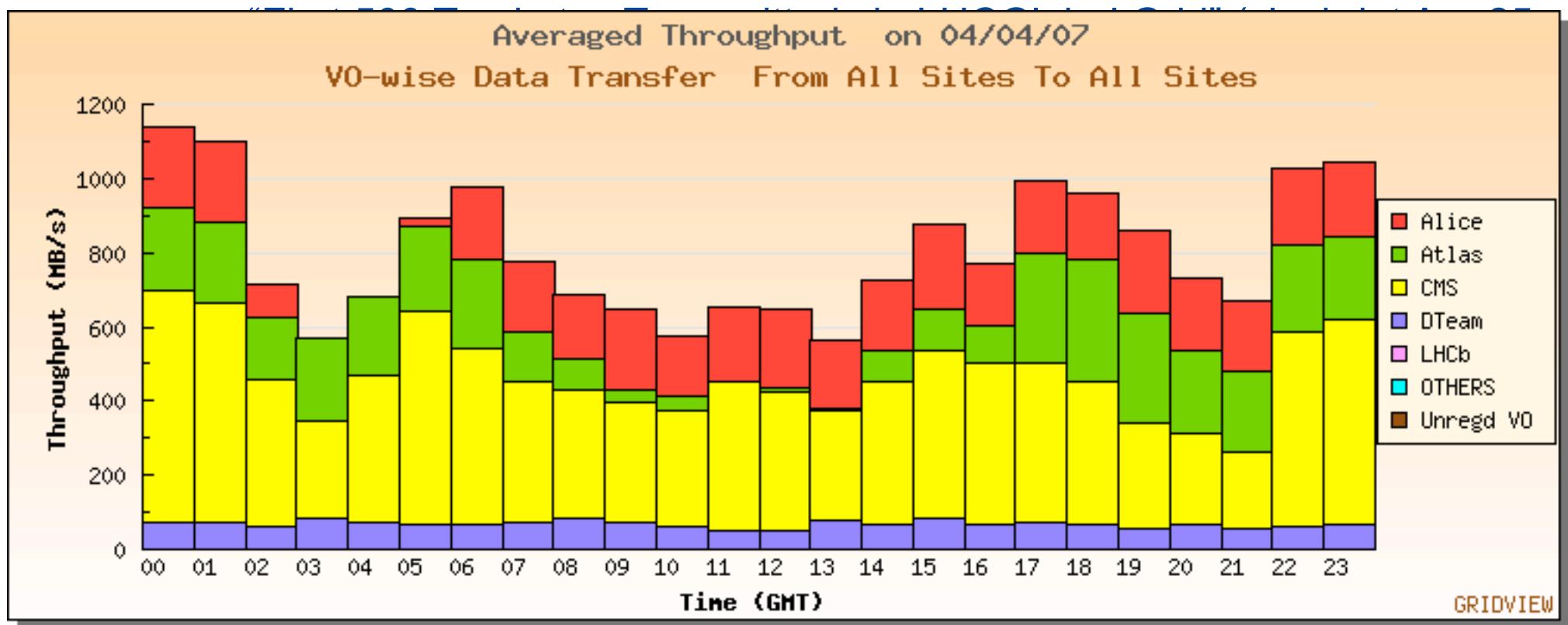
Today

LCG / gLite / external contribution
Middleware SL4 / SL5 / Debian ...
configuration : modular YAIM +
external modules
Installation : YUM APT and native

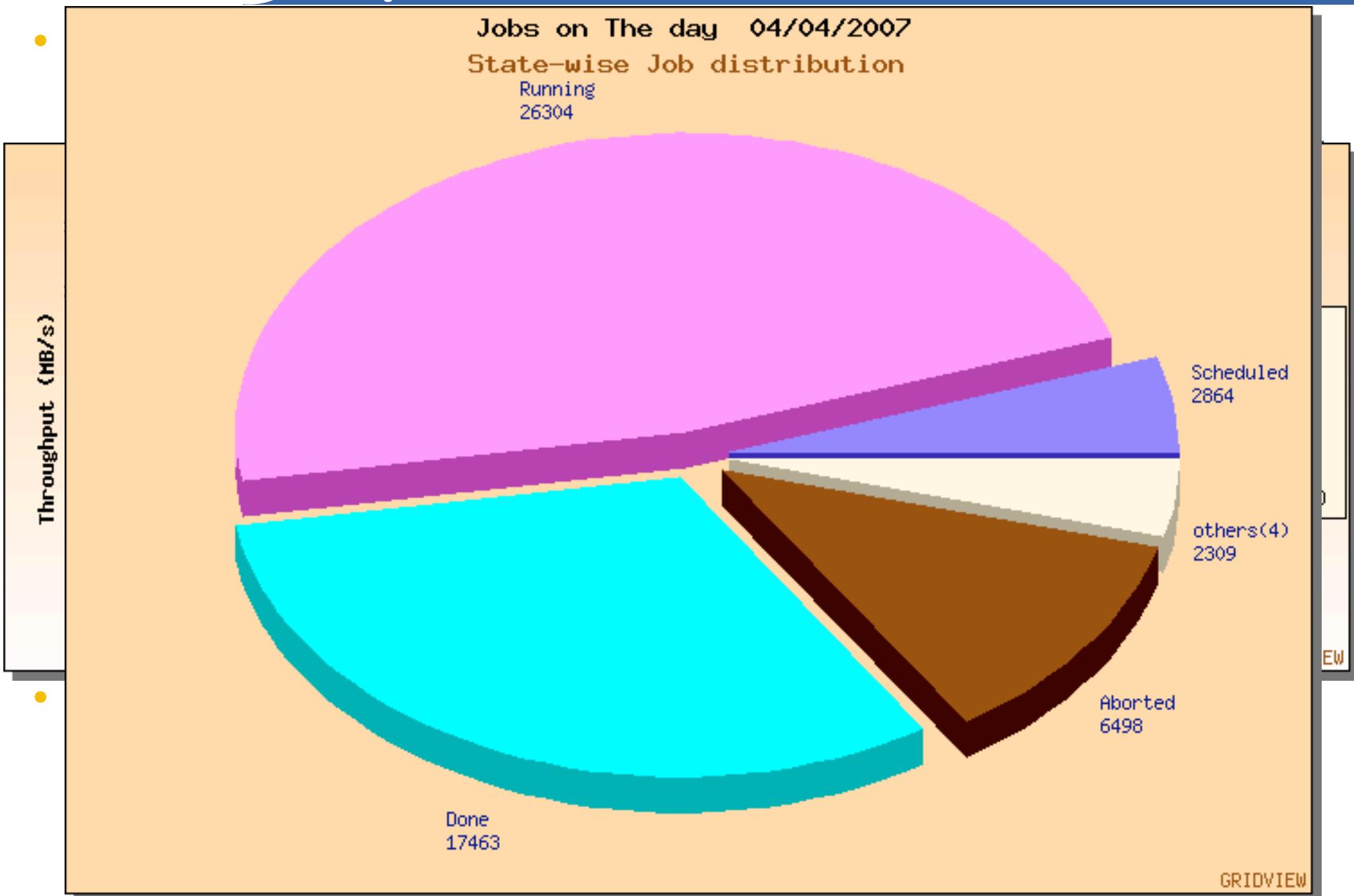
OS SL4 / SL5 / Debian and ...
Installation configuration :
The native tools of the Os

- **Results :**
 - Data transfer worldwide record
 - “First 500 Terabytes Transmitted via LHCGrid Global Grid” (slashdot Apr 25 2005).
 - Around 30K cpus on the grid active from 150 to 270 active site, 14 peta.
 - Around 30K jobs running per day.
 - BIOMED has used 420 Years of CPU time Worth of Data within 4 Months (slashdot Sep 17 2007).
- **Interoperability :**
 - Interoperation with OSG is perfectly working.
 - Interoperability with NAREGI ready.
- **Quality of cooperation increase every day.**

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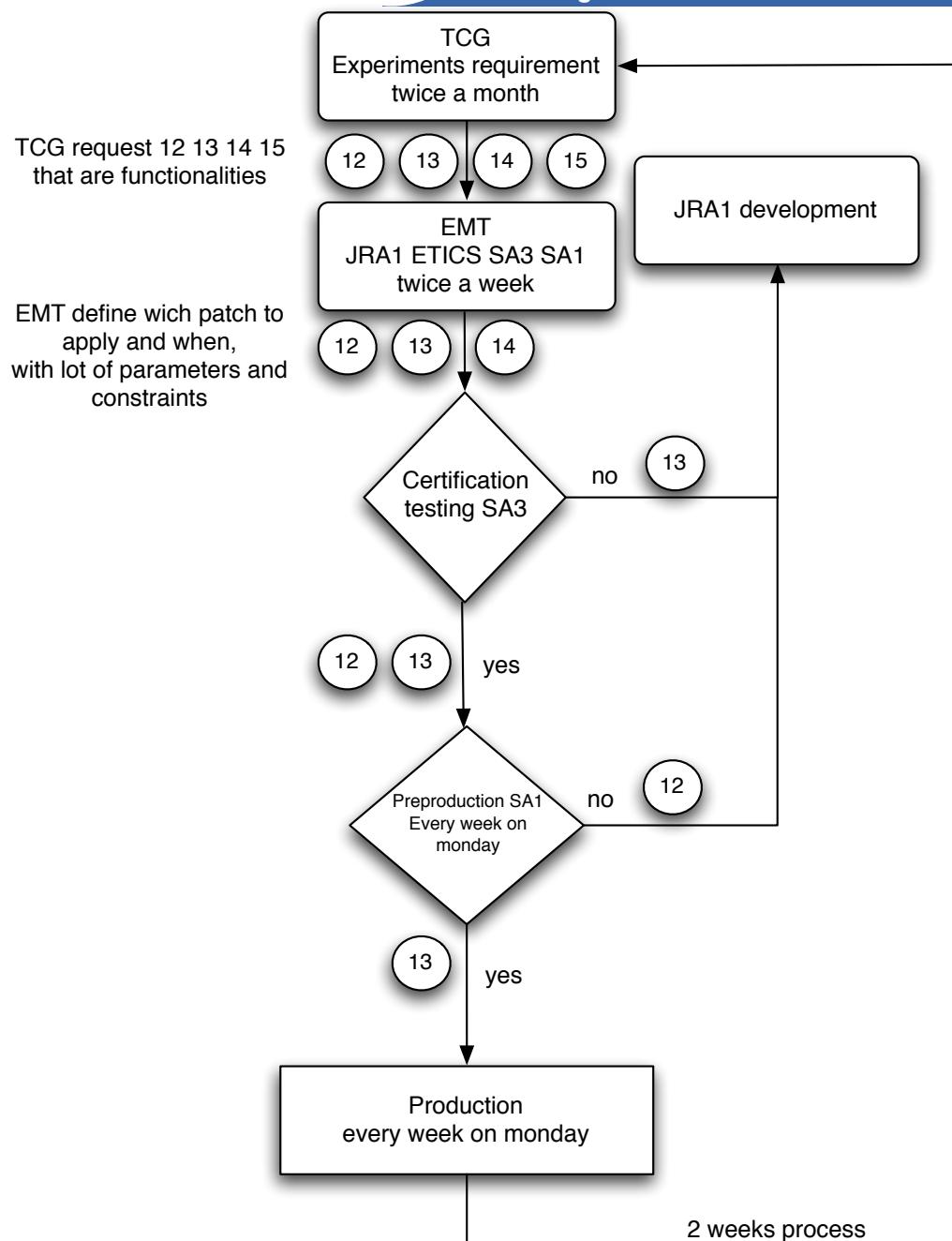


The certification Testbed now

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--(lponcet@lxr1765:pts/0)-----(/opt/glite/yaim/examples)--
--(12:06:%)-- lcg-infosites --vo dteam se
--(Wed, Apr 11)--
Avail Space(Kb) Used Space(Kb) Type SEs
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95730000      5200000    n.a   se201.grid.ucy.ac.cy
n.a          n.a        n.a   dublin.desy.de
17179199      671        n.a   cork.desy.de
15930000      2170000    n.a   ctb04.gridctb.uoa.gr
n.a          17270000    n.a   lxb1921.cern.ch
66590000      5690000    n.a   lxb1917.cern.ch
12460000      4810000    n.a   lxb2036.cern.ch
15105180      2080624    n.a   lxb0724.cern.ch
--(lponcet@lxr1765:pts/0)-----(/opt/glite/yaim/examples)--
--(12:07:%)-- lcg-infosites --vo dteam ce
--(Wed, Apr 11)--
#CPU     Free     Total Jobs      Running Waiting ComputingElement
-----
 2         1         1           0         1   sa3-ce.egee.cesga.es:2119/jobmanager-lcgsge-dteam
 1         1         0           0         0   ce201.grid.ucy.ac.cy:2119/blah-pbs-dteam
 2         2         0           0         0   ctb03.gridctb.uoa.gr:2119/blah-pbs-dteam
 8         6         0           0         0   wmstest-ce06.cr.cnaf.infn.it:2119/blah-lsf-short
 8         6         0           0         0   wmstest-ce06.cr.cnaf.infn.it:2119/blah-lsf-long
 8         6         0           0         0   wmstest-ce06.cr.cnaf.infn.it:2119/blah-lsf-infinite
 8         6         0           0         0   wmstest-ce06.cr.cnaf.infn.it:2119/blah-lsf-default
 2         2         2           0         2   lxb2018.cern.ch:2119/jobmanager-lcgpbs-dteam
 2         0         2           0         2   lxb1905.cern.ch:2119/blah-pbs-dteam
 2         0        12           2        10   lxb2034.cern.ch:2119/jobmanager-lcgpbs-dteam
200       200        0           0         0   lxb2035.cern.ch:2119/jobmanager-lcgpbs-dteam
200       200        0           0         0   lxb0743.cern.ch:2119/blah-pbs-dteam
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- **Defined process to join the certification testbed from any site :**
 - <https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/EGEE/CertTestBedWorld>
- **Independent external testing process :**
 - https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/EGEE/GRNET_Test_Results
 - https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/EGEE/INFN_Test_Results
 - <http://grid-deployment.web.cern.ch/grid-deployment/tstg/validation.htm>
 - <https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/EGEE/SAthreeProgress>
- **Continuously running tests from CERN via the SAM monitoring tool developed by SA1 :**
 - <https://lxbo714.cern.ch/easysam/>
- **Virtualization at GD :**
 - <https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/Virtualization/GDVirtualization>
 - <https://indico.desy.de/conferenceDisplay.py?confId=155>

Component deployment model



Tools used for this process :

- Twiki to track status and progress in the patch certification process.
- Patch submission from JRA1 to SA3 through Savannah.
- Bug submission from SA3 and experiments through Savannah.
- (Pre)Production general problems GGUS tickets.
- General discussion ROLLOUT mailing list.

- **Configuration problems with gLite components**
 - gLite arrive with arrived with python based config scripts provided by the developers.
 - Configuration data encoded in XML.
 - Site admin survey and internal evaluation showed that the system is too complex.
 - YAIM wrappers at a start.
 - YAIMification when ever possible.
- **Problems found**
 - XML too complex to edit.
 - The python code in the *config.py is really hard to debug.
 - The code is not directly compatible with next python version.
 - Why using a so advanced object oriented language to write configuration files ?

- **YAIM 3.0 is the previous YAIM for LCG components and a wrapper for gLite configuration tools**
 - It creates the XML files and runs the python scripts.
- **YAIM 3.1 has some major changes from YAIM 3.0.1.**
 - No more python in WN and UI configuration.
 - Modularization of components to permit external contribution.
 - Support for the external contributions with a very active group at CERN and a well maintain developer guide.
- **Future of YAIM**
 - Removing all python code.
 - Rewriting of all configuration scripts in bash to be integrate in YAIM.
 - <https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/EGEE/YaimDevelopersGuide>

Node	slc3 ia32 gcc323	slc4 ia32 gcc346	slc4 x86 64 gcc346
glite-WN	X	O	X
glite-UI	X	O	X
glite-WMS	X	O	X
glite-LB	O	O	X
glite-MON	X	X	X
glite-BDII	O	O	O
glite-PX	O	O	O
glite-CE	X	O	X
glite-TORQUE_utils	X	X	X
glite-TORQUE_client	X	O	X
glite-TORQUE_server	X	O	X
glite-VOMS_oracle	O	O	X
glite-VOMS_mysql	O	O	X
glite-SE_dpm_disk	O	O	X
glite-SE_dpm_mysql	O	O	X
glite-SE_dpm_oracle	O	O	X

Node	centos4 ia32 gcc346	SuSE9 ia32 gcc335	rhe13 ia32 gcc323
glite-WN	X	X	X
glite-UI	X	X	X
glite-WMS	X	X	X
glite-LB	X	X	X
glite-MON	X	X	X
glite-BDII	O	O	O
glite-PX	O	O	O
glite-CE	X	X	X
glite-TORQUE_utils	X	X	X
glite-TORQUE_client	X	X	X
glite-TORQUE_server	X	X	X
glite-VOMS_oracle	X	X	X
glite-VOMS_mysql	X	X	X
glite-SE_dpm_disk	X	X	X
glite-SE_dpm_mysql	X	X	X
glite-SE_dpm_oracle	X	X	X

Node	centos4 ia32 gcc346	SuSE9 ia32 gcc335	rhel3 ia32 gcc323
glite-tk	X	X	X
lcg-info		1.8.0-1	Missing
lcg-ManageVOTag		2.0.6-1	Missing
lcg_util		1.4.0-2	Missing
LFC-client		1.6.1-1	Missing
LFC-interfaces		1.6.1-1	Missing
log4cxx		0.9.7-1	Missing
xerces-c		2.7.0-1	Missing
a1_grid_env		2.0.0-1	Found
c-ares		1.3.0-4	Found
cleanup-grid-accounts		1.0.2-1	Found
glite-data-api-perl		1.1.1-1	Found
glite-data-catalog-api-perl		2.0.0-3	Found
glite-data-catalog-interface		2.0.0-8	Found
glite-data-transfer-interface		3.1.0-4	Found
glite-rgma-api-java		5.0.5-2	Found
glite-rgma-base		5.0.7-1	Found
glite-SE_dpm_mysql	X	X	X
glite-SE_dpm_oracle	X	X	X

Node	centos4 ia32 gcc346	SuSE9 ia32 gcc335	rhel3 ia32 gcc323
glite-1M1	X	X	X
lcg-info		1.8.0-1	Missing
lcg-ManageVOTag		2.0.6-1	Missing
lcg_util		1.4.0-2	Missing

Installation:

1. Wrong xalan-c dependency in glite-security-voms-clients. [25699](#)
2. Wrong xalan-c dependency in lcg-ManageVOTag. [25702](#)
3. edg-gridftp-client fails due to wrong globus version in ETICS. [25703](#)
4. one of SAM test uses the script, edg-java-security-tomcat-test.sh, which is from edg-java-se
 - o Piotr says that this test should be removed from SAM.

Configuration:

1. RGMA_HOME is not set as bug [25620](#), but in that bug a lot of missing env listed comparing to

Runtime:

- edg-gridftp-ls got Segmentation fault as bug [25617](#)

glite-data-catalog-interface	2.0.0-8	Found
glite-data-transfer-interface	3.1.0-4	Found
glite-rgma-api-java	5.0.5-2	Found
glite-rgma-base	5.0.7-1	Found
glite-SE_dpm_mysql	X	X
glite-SE_dpm_oracle	X	X

- **Maintaining the documentation is still a problem.**
 - The user guide is properly maintained by the EIS group (close to the experiment and properly maintain).
 - But the installation guide is hard to maintain cause of the amount of change on YAIM and friends at each cycle of the process.
- **We have problem to get the properly compiled part of the middle-ware.**
- **Testing scripts need to follow closely the evolution of the modules. Really hard to maintain.**
 - Too many and frequent changes to YAIM.
- **The permanent questions about bugs where does this problems come from :**
 - Configuration ?
 - Bug in the code ?
 - Site configuration (firewall, Os etc...)

