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27th February 2013 (Wednesday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing (CERN,IN2P3 + T2s), some prompt-processing (CERN + T2s), MC and user jobs.
- T0:
- T1: SARA : downtime extended for CPU. IN2P3 : thanks to IN2P3 for their additional 200 TB of tape.

26th February 2013 (Tuesday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing (CERN,IN2P3 + T2s), some prompt-processing (CERN + T2s), MC and user jobs.
- T0:
- T1: IN2P3 : (GGUS:91760) : authentication problem with one certificate used for Production: Fixed (tomcat restarted) SARA : downtime
- Dashboard : In the "Site Groups" drop down box, RHUL does not appear if you select "All sites". However if you pick "Tier 0/1/2", then you do see LCG.UKI-LT2-RHUL.uk.

([http://dashb-lhcb-sum.cern.ch/dashboard/request.py/historicalsmyview-sum#view=siteavl&time\[\]=last48&granularit](http://dashb-lhcb-sum.cern.ch/dashboard/request.py/historicalsmyview-sum#view=siteavl&time[]=last48&granularit))

25th February 2013 (Monday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing (CERN,IN2P3 + T2s), some prompt-processing (CERN + T2s), MC and user jobs.
- T0:
- T1: IN2P3 : (GGUS:91760) : authentication problem with one certificate used for Production. SARA : downtime
- Dashboard : In the "Site Groups" drop down box, RHUL does not appear if you select "All sites". However if you pick "Tier 0/1/2", then you do see LCG.UKI-LT2-RHUL.uk.

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22nd February 2013 (Friday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing (CERN,IN2P3 + T2s), some prompt-processing (CERN + T2s), MC and user jobs.
- T0:
 - ◆ ALARM ticket (GGUS:91690) for afs hosted web service which is not responding, understood and fixed
- T1: NTR

21st February 2013 (Thursday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing (CERN,IN2P3 + T2s), some prompt-processing (CERN + T2s), MC and user jobs.
- T0:
 - ◆ ALARM ticket (GGUS:91690[↗](#)) for afs hosted web service which is not responding. It serves grid jobs for configuration and setup purposes
 - ◆ Many failures in CASTOR->EOS migration because of different checksums in LFC and CASTOR
- T1: NTR

20th February 2013 (Wednesday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing (CERN,IN2P3 + T2s), some prompt-processing (CERN + T2s), MC and user jobs.
- T0: NTR
 - ◆ Migration CASTOR -> EOS progressing, estimated to last for another 6 weeks
- T1:
 - ◆ IN2P3 : NAGIOS problem still ongoing at IN2P3 (GGUS:91126[↗](#)), logfiles of failed sam probes seem to indicate that the probe is killed by the batch system (logs uploaded to GGUS ticket)

19th February 2013 (Tuesday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing (CERN,IN2P3 + T2s), some prompt-processing (CERN + T2s), MC and user jobs.
- T0: NTR
- T1:
 - ◆ IN2P3 : NAGIOS problem still ongoing at IN2P3 (GGUS:91126[↗](#)).

18th February 2013 (Monday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing, some prompt-processing, MC and user jobs.
- T0: NTR
- T1:
 - ◆ IN2P3: Problem with SE at IN2P3 (GGUS:91557[↗](#))
 - ◆ IN2P3 : NAGIOS problem still ongoing at IN2P3 (GGUS:91126[↗](#)).

15th February 2013 (Friday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing, some prompt-processing, MC and user jobs.
- T0: NTR
- T1:

- ◆ IN2P3: Problem with SE at IN2P3 (GGUS:91557 [↗](#))
 - ◆ RAL: Job timeouts trying to set up environment on the worker node (internal ticket).
 - ◆ GridKa : Issue with srm / SE / network resolved (GGUS:91474 [↗](#)) - thanks!
- Other : NAGIOS problem still ongoing at IN2P3 (GGUS:91126 [↗](#)).

14th February 2013 (Thursday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing, some prompt-processing, MC and user jobs.
- T0: NTR
- T1:
 - ◆ IN2P3: NAGIOS problem still ongoing (GGUS:91126 [↗](#)).
 - ◆ RAL: Job timeouts trying to set up environment on the worker node (internal ticket). Continuing problems with batch system (GGUS:91251 [↗](#)).
 - ◆ GridKa : Continuing issue with srm / SE / network (GGUS:91474 [↗](#)). Jobs failing to resolve input data multiple times at GridKa. Jobs at JINR waiting for a long time for data from GridKa, before being killed by the batch system there. One strange DNS problem fixed yesterday.

13th February 2013 (Wednesday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing, prompt-processing, MC and user jobs.
- T0: NTR
- T1:
 - ◆ IN2P3: NAGIOS problem still ongoing (GGUS:91126 [↗](#)).
 - ◆ RAL: Problems with batch system came back (GGUS:91251 [↗](#))
 - ◆ GridKa : Possible issue with srm / SE / network (GGUS:91474 [↗](#)). Jobs failing to resolve input data multiple times at GridKa. Jobs at JINR waiting for a long time for data from GridKa, before being killed by the batch system there.

12th February 2013 (Tuesday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing, prompt-processing, MC and user jobs.
- T0: NTR
- T1:
 - ◆ IN2P3: NAGIOS problem still ongoing (GGUS:91126 [↗](#)). No idea who to follow up with.
 - ◆ RAL: Problems with batch system seem to be resolved (GGUS:91251 [↗](#))

11th February 2013 (Monday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing, prompt-processing, MC and user jobs.
- T0:
 - ◆ NTR
- T1:

- ◆ IN2P3: NAGIOS problem still being investigated (GGUS:91126 [↗](#)). Also, low level problem with access to data (input data resolution) - under investigation by IN2P3 contact.
- ◆ RAL: Continuing problems with batch system (GGUS:91251 [↗](#))
- ◆ FZK : Problem with FTS transfers solved over the weekend (GGUS:91315 [↗](#)).

8th February 2013 (Friday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing, prompt-processing, MC and user jobs.
- T0:
 - ◆ NTR
- T1:
 - ◆ IN2P3: NAGIOS problem still being investigated (GGUS:91126 [↗](#))
 - ◆ RAL: Problem with scheduler resurfaced overnight (GGUS:91251 [↗](#))
 - ◆ PIC: Had problems with SRM timing out. Identified as a single problematic user which was then banned.

7th February 2013 (Thursday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing, prompt-processing, MC and user jobs.
- T0:
 - ◆ NAGIOS problem seems to be the result of malformed output from this test. Switched to IN2P3. (GGUS:91126 [↗](#))
- T1:
 - ◆ RAL: Since yesterday, no jobs have been run (GGUS:91251 [↗](#))

6th February 2013 (Wednesday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing, prompt-processing, MC and user jobs.
- T0:
 - ◆ NAGIOS ticket ongoing (GGUS:91126 [↗](#))
- T1:
 - ◆ NTR

5th February 2013 (Tuesday)

- Ongoing activity as before: reprocessing, prompt-processing, MC and user jobs.
- T0:
 - ◆ NAGIOS test for swdir at IN2P3 still not running as frequently as others (once in the last 24 hours) (GGUS:91126 [↗](#))
- T1:
 - ◆ RAL: FTS transfers no going through without issue. Not sure what solved it but some tests still to be run.
 - ◆ RAL: Seen an increase of SetupProject errors - not a major problem, but any possible reason for this (e.g. AFS decommissioning) ?

- ◆ IN2P3: Yesterday and last night had a number of 'Bus errors' reported across many WNs. Problem has gone away now, but we were wondering if there was a possible CVMFS glitch?

4th February 2013 (Monday)

- Activity as last week: reprocessing, prompt-processing, MC and user jobs.
- T0:
 - ◆ An issue with a NAGIOS test not running in the last few days (GGUS:91126 [↗](#))
- T1:
 - ◆ RAL: Some FTS transfers are failing due to strange timeout during transfer. Only on some files. Experts are investigating.

1st February 2013 (Friday)

- Nothing new to report, just few tickets for pilots aborting at Tier2s. New LFC is ok.

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