

Enabling Grids for E-sciencE

## 1<sup>st</sup> line support in CE ROC

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- To provide support for solving operational problems
  - Help for site admins upon request
- Early detection and analysis of problems
  - On-duty supporter is watching monitoring tools (gstat, SFT)
  - Problem is analysed and site admins are receiving notifications with instructions how to solve the problem (if possible)

• To minimise the time CE sites are in 'CT' state

 Some SFT tests are occasionally failing. We are sending SFT's through SFT Admin interface to minimise the time a site is in 'CT'





- 1<sup>st</sup> line support team
  - IISAS: Jan Astalos, Tomas Daranyi, Adrian Toth, Lubomir Obzera, Marian Babik, Marek Ciglan (different capacities)
  - **PSNC:** Pawel Wolniewicz
- On-duty shifts
  - In working days (PSNC wednesday, IISAS rest of week)
- Communication with sites via e-mail
- Mailing list for internal discussion
- Operational procedures are being tuned with TSA1.3.2 - Marcin Radecki
  - Weekly reports

Wiki pages with problem description, and solution 3



- Setup of environment for testing new releases
  - To be prepared for new middleware release
  - For experimenting with new services (installation, configuration)
  - For compatibility tests





## Use of helpdesk for communication with sites

- Pawel is preparing helpdesk with developers
- Better possibilities for problem tracking
- Switch will be done when it will be ready
- Guides for system administrators
  - How to contact 1<sup>st</sup> line support
  - Wiki pages with solutions of problems
- Preparation of tools for problem detection and diagnostics
  - Monitoring tools, scripts, etc.



• Questions, suggestions ?