



LHCb Support

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Monitoring LHCb activities



- Checkup LHCb logbook & GGUS Web Portal
- LHCb Stats: LHCb Dirac Portal and GE
- Checkup GOCDB/Control Room/Central Services
- Monitoring HPSS/DCache/FTS status

Meetings and Reports



- News about activity plans for LHCb
- News about LHCb production status at sites
 - Remind/Inform about CC's major interventions (DownTime, service config. Vobox, CE, GE, etc.)
 - GGUS ticket and issues followup
- Status about data management
- News about LHCb Dirac dev/version/patch

Troubleshooting (1/2)



- Handle tickets (GGUS/Xhelp/OTRS) with service admins (GE, Cream, DCache, sys, etc.)
 - Pilots issues (empty/short/stalled)
 - CVMFS issues (size/install/configure)
 - DCache issues (e.g. corrupted files)
- Debugging via logs/stats
 - LHCb Dirac web portal
 - GE/WN/CE info

Troubleshooting (2/2)



- Special requests handling
 - Site config (e.g. queue length, cvmfs cache)
 - Support LHCb and Openstack
- Study of the performance of LHCb
 - Efficiency of pilots in the WN farm
- Give site info feedback to LHCb via daily meetings, logbook, email, IM





FTS Monitoring tool:

- Charts the histograms of FTS transfer stats (e.g. number/size of files, duration, throughput)
- Conform to the standard languages and libraries (CERN monitoring tools: e.g. Dashboard)
- Technology: DB (MySQL+JSON), Server
 (Bash+Python+Php), Client (HTML+Javascript : e.g. jQuery, HighChart, YUI, etc.)

FTSMon Architecture













ToDo:

- Speedup stats retrieval: e.g. materialized views, indexes
- Add options:
 - Get stats per channel
 - Tot throughput vs avg throughput per file
 - Git





LHCb Dirac Dirac + Openstack Pizza Dirac

(...still under development!)

