

Co-ordination & Harmonisation of Advanced e-Infrastructures for Research and Education Data Sharing

CHAIN-REDS - Last achievements

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Status

- Co-ordination & Harmonisation of Advanced e-Infrastructures for Research and Education Data Sharing
- Research Infrastructures Support Action
- Grant Agreement n. 306819
- Total Costs of € 2.3 M
- Max. EC contribution: € 1.52 M
- Start date: I December 2012
- Duration: 30 Months



Partners and roles

- ▶ INFN (IT) Coordinator
- ▶ CIEMAT (ES) WP4 Leader
- ▶ GRNET (GR) WP3 Leader
- CESNET (CZ) WP5 Leader
- ▶ UBUNTUNET (MW) Africa
- CLARA (UR) Latin America
- ▶ IHEP (+CNIC, PKU, BUAA) China
- ASREN (DE) Arab States
- SIGMA-ORIONIS (FR) WP2 Leader
- C-DAC (IN) India















Institute of High Energy Physics Chinese Academy of Sciences





Arab States Research and Education Network



Action lines (1/2)

DCI

Distributed Computing Infrastructure

 Provide ongoing support of the DCI road-map for intercontinental DCI collaboration, specified within the CHAIN project

ROC

Regional Operation Centres

Support stability of existing and emerging Regional Operation Centres.
Cooperate with other projects & initiatives (e.g. AfricaConnect, TEIN3) to support the development of eInfrastructures and key VRCs in Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Middle-east

Cloud

Clouds for Research and Education

 Support for coordination of Cloud developments for Research & Education with other regions (e.g. China, India, Latin America)



Action lines (2/2)

Data

Infrastructures and Repositories

 Extend the CHAIN Knowledge Base with information on Data Infrastructures: collecting issues, best practices and identifying data repositories of direct interest for VRCs
Support the study of data infrastructures for a target subset of VRCs

Support the study of data infrastructures for a target subset of VRCs (e.g. Agricolture, Climate Change, Health, Biomedicine, etc.)

SG

Science Gateways

 Promote the usage of Science Gateways as a means for attracting new communities and promote the use of eInfrastructures for every researcher

IDF

Federations of Identity Providers

 Foster the creation of Identity Federations in cooperation with Certification Authorities; promote and coordinate their usage. Support integration of different AA approaches



Open Access Document Repositories (OADRs)



- ~2,500 repos
- >33 M docs

Red markers: info from DRIVER, OpenAIRE, and OpenDOAR

Yellow markers: new added by the project (e.g. La Referencia in Latin America)

Registry of Open Access Repositories (ROAR)











Data Repositories (DRs)







Multi-layered architecture



Linked-data search engine



VIRTUOSO UNIVERSAL SERVER

Semantic-web enrichment









Harvester (running on grid/cloud)



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OAI-PMH

LA REFERENCIA



End-points









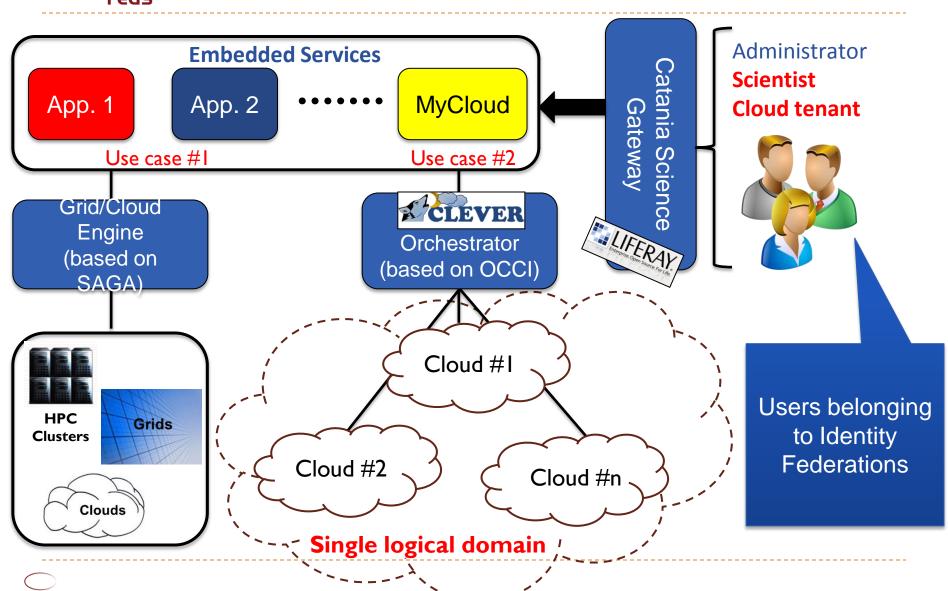








Promote the Science Gateway model





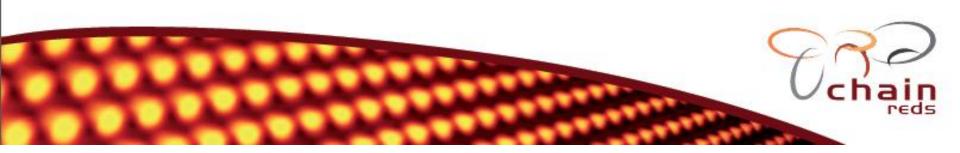
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CHAIN-REDS is a FP7 project co-funded by the European Commission (DG CONNECT) aiming at promoting and supporting technological and scientific collaboration across different e-Infrastructures established and operated in various continents, in order to define a path towards a global e-Infrastructure ecosystem that will allow Virtual Research Communities (VRCs), research groups and even single researchers to access and efficiently use worldwide distributed resources (i.e., computing, storage, data, services, tools, applications).







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Thank you!

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