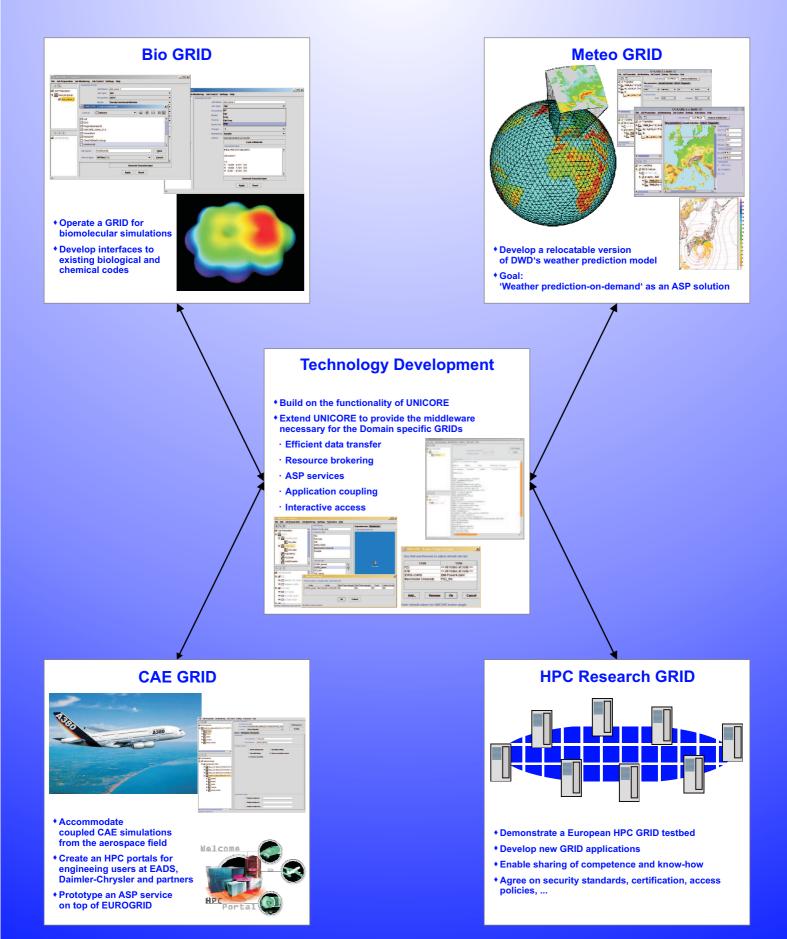


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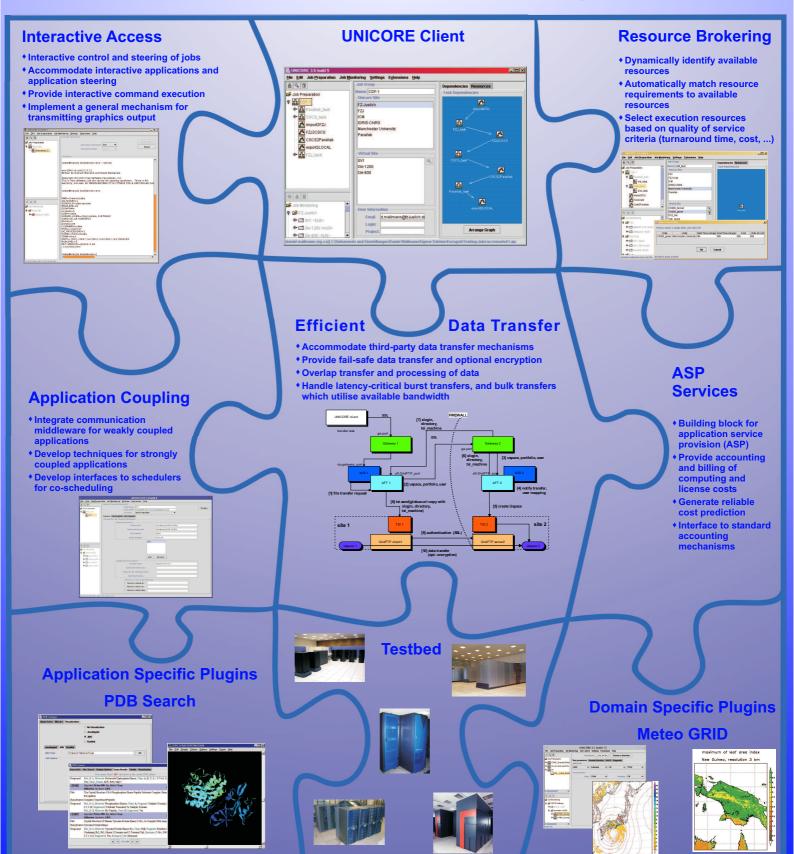
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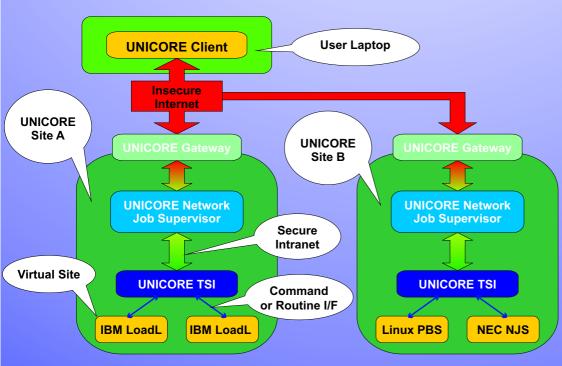
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UNICORE Grid System: Software Base of the EUROGRID Project

Uniform Interface to Computing Resources

+ Provides a science and engineering GRID combining distributed resources of supercomputer centers and makes them

- available through the Internet
- Performs strong authentication in a consistent and transparent manner
- Hides differences between platforms from the user
- Creates a seamless HPC portal for accessing supercomputers, compiling and running applications, and transferring data
- + URL: http://www.unicore.de
- * UNICORE Test Grid: http://www.fz-juelich.de/unicore-test
- Source code: http://www.unicore.org/downloads.htm



UNICORE Architecture

Client:	Interacts with the user and provides functions to construct, submit and control the execution of
	computational jobs Acts as point–of–entry into the protected domain of the HPC centers
Server:	Schedules and runs the jobs on the HPC platform that it controls

Components written in Java

Protocols between the components defined using Java mechanisms

Functions

- Interactive creation of batch jobs
- Submission to different platforms at different locations
- Interdependent multi-application and multi-site jobs
- Automatic control of job flow
- Automatic staging of data
- Secure access to remote data
- Reuse of existing jobs
- Authentication of users through x.509
 certificates
- + Single sign-on to the EUROGRID Testbed
- Mapping to existing user identification at target site

PDB Search Interface

- Client
 Prepare and modify structured jobs
- Show resources
- Submit jobs on the Internet
- Execution of scripts
- Data transfer directives
- Application specific interfaces
- Monitor and control of jobs
- Fetch output

Weather Forecast Interface





