

# A General Approach to the Analysis and Design of Grid Portals for Scientific Virtual Organizations

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# Introduction



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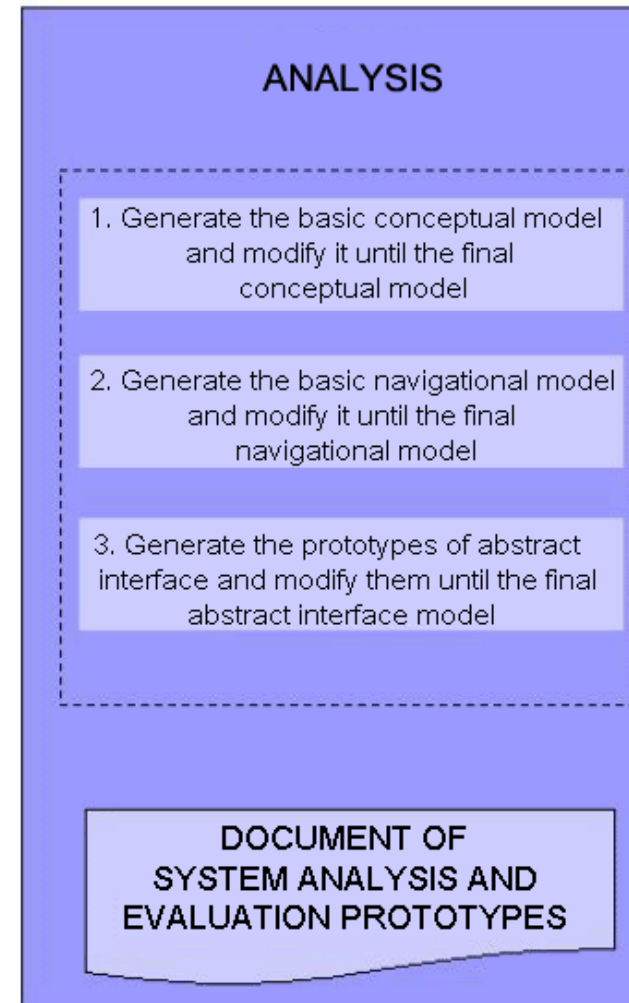
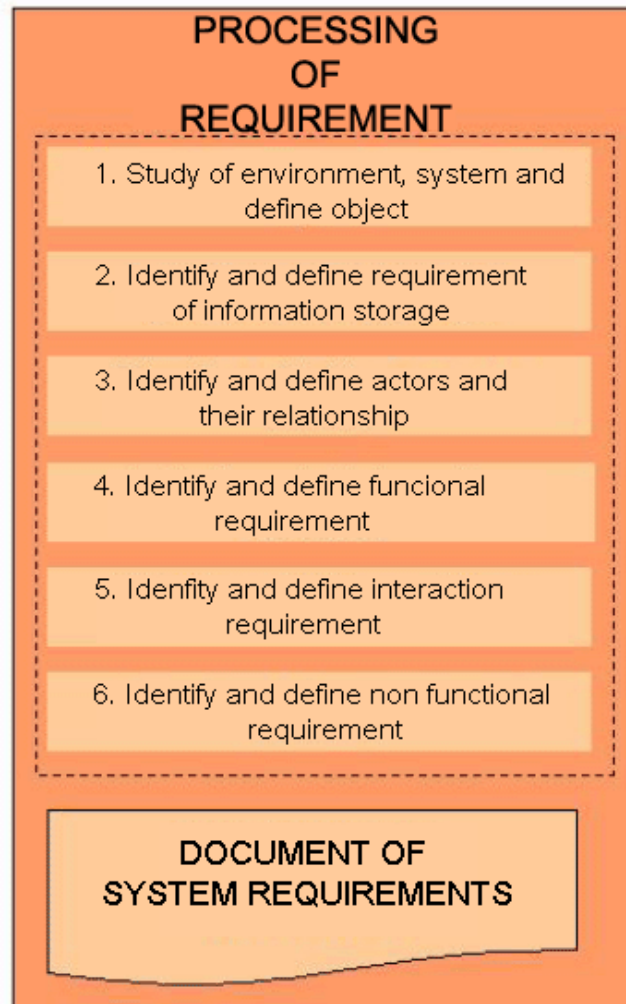
- Grid portals make the work of the scientist lighter.
- Grid portals are an excellent approach to deliver to end user the capabilities provided by Internet-based Grids of computers.
- There are two issues to know before build a Grid portal.

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# Introduction

- Different methodologies for defining a web system can be used.
- The usefulness of standardized modelling approaches.
- Navigational Development Technique (NDT)

# NDT (II)



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# System Requirements analysis



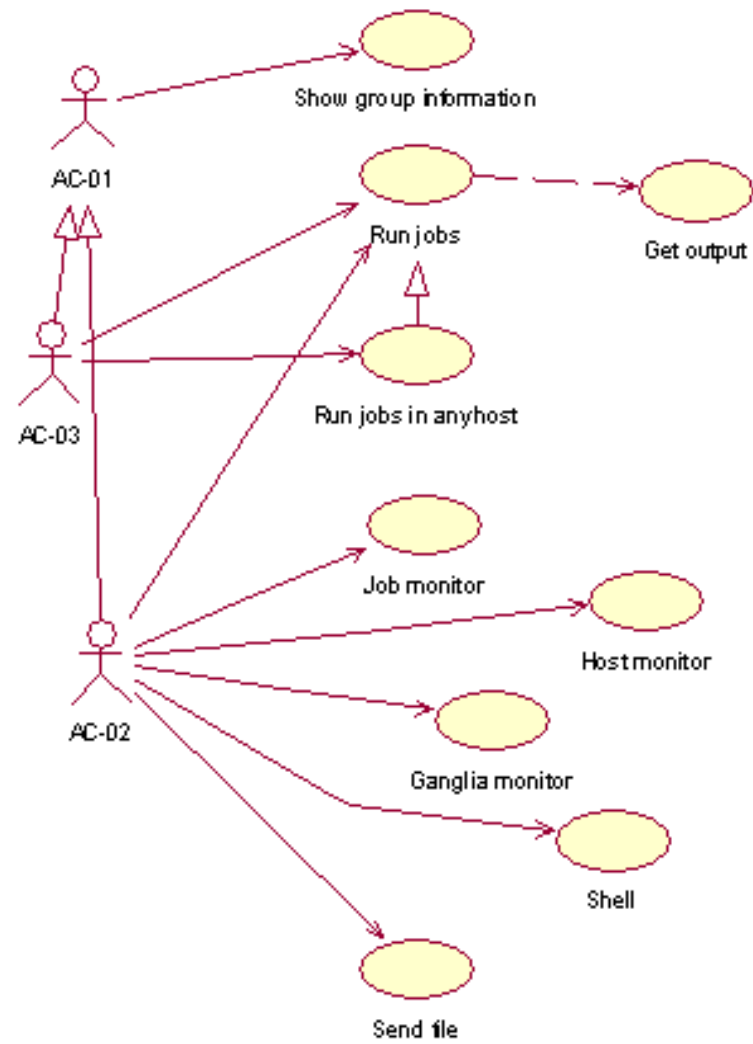
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# Main Requirements

- The main requirements the system must fulfil are:
  - **Authentication**
  - **Security**
  - **Job selection and submitting**
  - **Monitoring**
    - **Jobs monitoring**
    - **Hosts monitoring**
    - **Grid (Ganglia) monitoring**
  - **Shell**
  - **Sending files**



# NDT

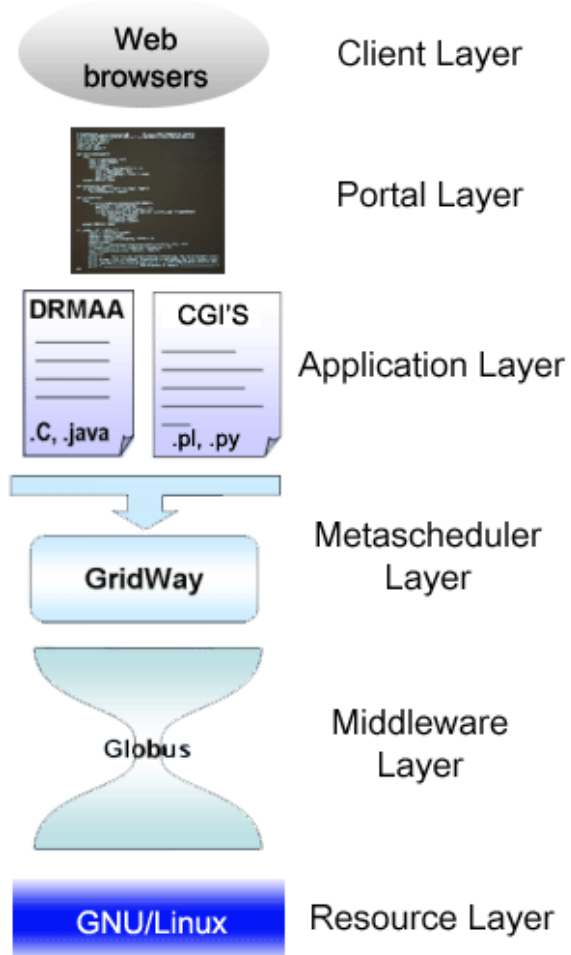


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# SVO Grid Portal Architecture



# Grid portal for Scientific Virtual Organizations (SVO)



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# Experiences



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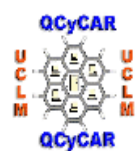
# The Computational Chemistry Virtual Organization (C2VO) Grid Portal (I)

- There are a lot of Grid portals (GridSphere, GridPort).
- The main difference of the C2VO Grid portal.
- GridWay DRMAA API.
- Advantage with a metascheduler.

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# The Computational Chemistry Virtual Organization (C2VO) Grid Portal (II)

- As web server we have resorted to the open source web server Zope.
- The ZCGI Zope product.
- Zope is a framework allowing build web applications only with a web browser.
- MyProxy



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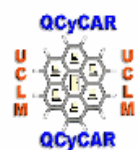
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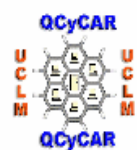
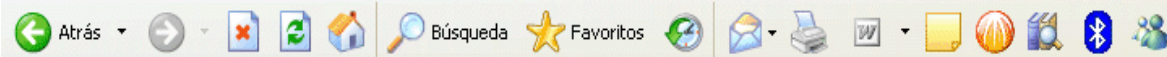
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- gaussian
- dalton
- molcas
- molpro
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Run Jobs

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