Technology Tracking Working Group



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General information

Scope: track the evolution of hardware, middleware and software technologies

- Wiki page: https://wiki.et-gw.eu/EIB/TechnologyTrackingWorkingGroup/WebHome







- The working group is a coordinated **cross-division effort**
 - We aim at involving (at least) one representative per division
- Review and present to the EIB promising new technologies of possible benefit for the different divisions' activities \rightarrow see the ESCAPE Virtual Research Environment presentation later today
- Review and present to the EIB strategies and tools to enhance environmental sustainability
- Work in synergy with the other EIB divisions to realise **Proof of Concept** solutions based on new technologies of interest
 - This activity will leverage, among others, the ET R&D cluster that will be made available at INFN Torino in the following months
 - The cluster will be funded by the ETIC (ET Infrastructure Consortium) PNRR project

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Supporting divisions' activities

DIV 1 - Software, frameworks, and data challenge support

- Software best practices and quality policies: survey of what is being used right now.
- Code distribution: alternatives to CVMFS.
- Data distribution: investigate ESCAPE DataLake.
- Workflow management on distributed resources (medium/ long term task): what is being used by other experiments.

DIV3 - Computing and data model, Resource Estimation

- Analysis of current 2nd generation experiments computing models.
- Strategies for accelerated computing.

DIV4 - Multimessenger alerts and low-latency infrastructure

- Alert brokers, distributors
- Virtual Observatory
- Survey software infrastructures for MM community
- Heterogeneous computing
- Automated pipelines (i.e. Wavefier)
- Dynamic databases
- Time sensitive nets (White Rabbit)
- ML tools

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