Globus Network Manager and Use Cases

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Globus Network Manager

- Network Manager enables GridFTP to provide information that can facilitate dynamic changes within a network.
 - Code added to GridFTP server by Globus team.
 - Information is passed at callback points during GridFTP server execution on local DTNs.
 - Lower latency to get the information locally. Data transfers may be blocked until network changes are complete.
 - Supplements the information that can be pulled from the Globus API about transfers from globus.org.

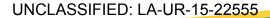




Globus Network Manager – Callbacks

- Six callback points during execution of GridFTP:
 - Pre-listen (Binding of Socket)
 - Post-listen
 - Pre-accept/Pre-connect (No Data yet)
 - Post-accept/Post-connect (Data in flight)
 - Pre-close
 - Post-close



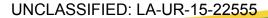




Use Cases

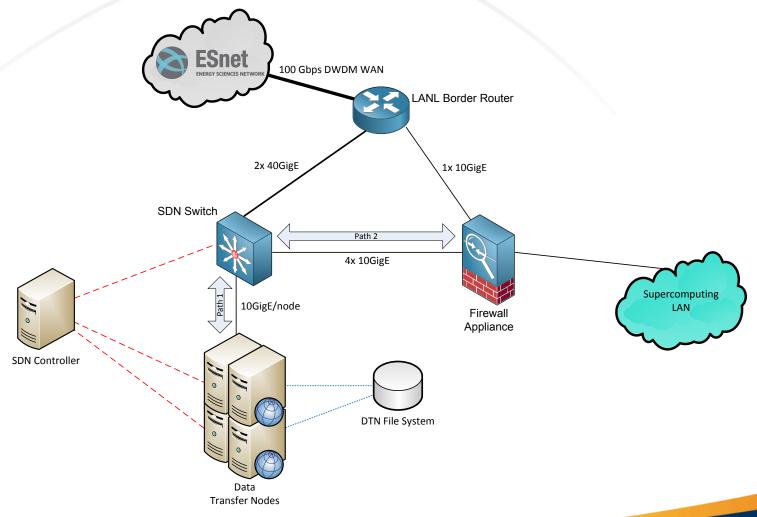
- Science DMZ Traffic Engineering
 - Dynamically route data path through highest speed path using SDN.
 - Bypass campus networking infrastructure for data transfer only.
 - Control path uses traditional route.
 - Maintain security posture
 - Low Latency / High Throughput Packet Inspection.







Use Cases



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Use Cases

- Automated Bandwidth Reservations on WAN
 - ESNet OSCARS & Internet2's equivalent capability on AL2S offering.
- Data Pre-stage/Post-Stage







Availability

- In Beta & Active Development with Globus Team
- Download Location:
 - http://toolkit.globus.org/toolkit/downloads/6.0/
 - Need to select the unstable repository
 - RPM: /etc/yum.repos.d/globus-toolkit-6unstable*.repo
 - Deb: /etc/apt/sources.list.d/globus-toolkit-6unstable*.list



