

Enterprise Grids

Status, Vorteile, Strategien, Herausforderungen, Empfehlungen

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IT Transition heute

Old World

Static

Silo

Physical

Manual

Application



New World

Dynamic

Shared

Virtual

Automated

Service

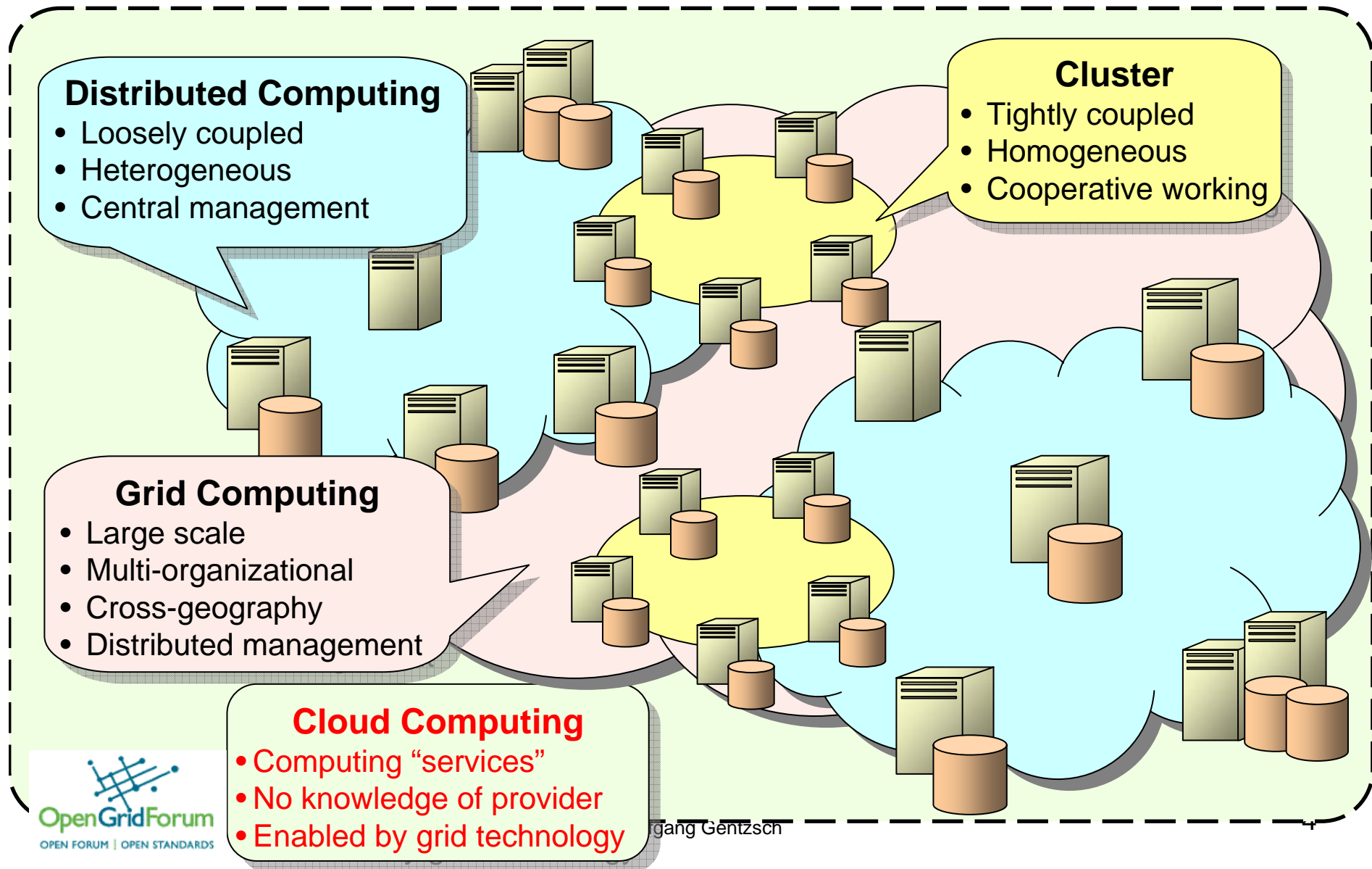
Transitioning from **Silo Oriented Architecture**
to
Service Oriented Architecture

Von traditionellen IT Inseln zum IT Outsourcing

- Independent distributed IT islands, historically grown
- IT re-centralization, standard processes, virtualization, autonomic comp.
- Mixed model: central IT plus 'cycle steeling' (PC Grids)
- Campus & Enterprise Grids (OGSA, EGA Ref, DRMs, Globus, policy engine driven, monitoring/acctg/billing/reporting)
- Resource providers, utility model (Sun, IBM, HP, etc)
- For specific apps: Application service portals, ASPs & GSP
- Rich market for computational services, e-science, e-business
- Complete outsourcing of IT services

**Whatever grid business model you choose,
this does not mean to give up IT responsibility !**

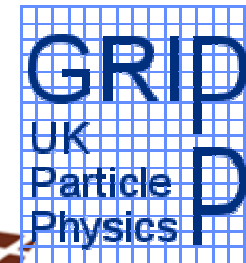
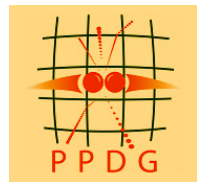
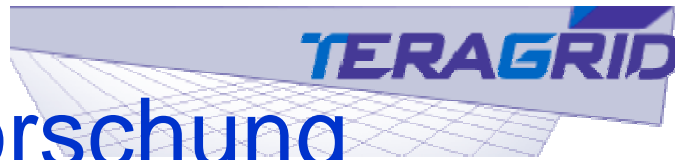
Grid Szenarien . . .



. . . und ihre Vorteile

- **Resource Utilization:** increase from 20% to 80+%
- **Productivity:** more work done in shorter time
- **Business Agility:** flexible actions and re-actions
- **On Demand:** get resources, when you need them
- **Easy Access:** transparent, remote, secure
- **Sharing:** enable collaboration over the network
- **Failover:** migrate/restart applications automatically
- **Resource Virtualization:** compute services, not servers
- **Heterogeneity:** platforms, OSs, devices, software
- **Virtual Organizations:** build & dismantle on the fly

Grids in der Forschung



openlab for DataGrid applications
Developing Solutions for the Data-Intensive Science of the Large Hadron Collider



Grid5000



GridCat



Enabling Grids for E-science in Europe



NAREGI

超高速コンピュータ網形成プロジェクト
National Research Grid Initiative

国立情報学研究所グリッド研究開発推進拠点 NII -The National Institute of Informatics

Grid Applications
Grid Middleware
Networking



Grids in der Industrie

Schlumberger



Aber Vorsicht:

Enterprise Grids \neq e-Science Grids !

| | e-Science ¹ | Enterprise ² |
|--------------------|--|--|
| Goals | Scaling Compute Intensive Collaboration | Scaling Compute & Transactional Availability |
| Problems | Application Development Immature Technology Interoperability | Manageability Integration Cost |
| Solutions from: | Communities Internal Org. Vendors | Internal Org. Vendors Communities |

1 – Includes e-Science users, infrastructure providers and funding agencies

2 – Includes Enterprise users and platform (hardware and software) providers (vendors)

OGF Umfrage 2008: Gründe für Grids

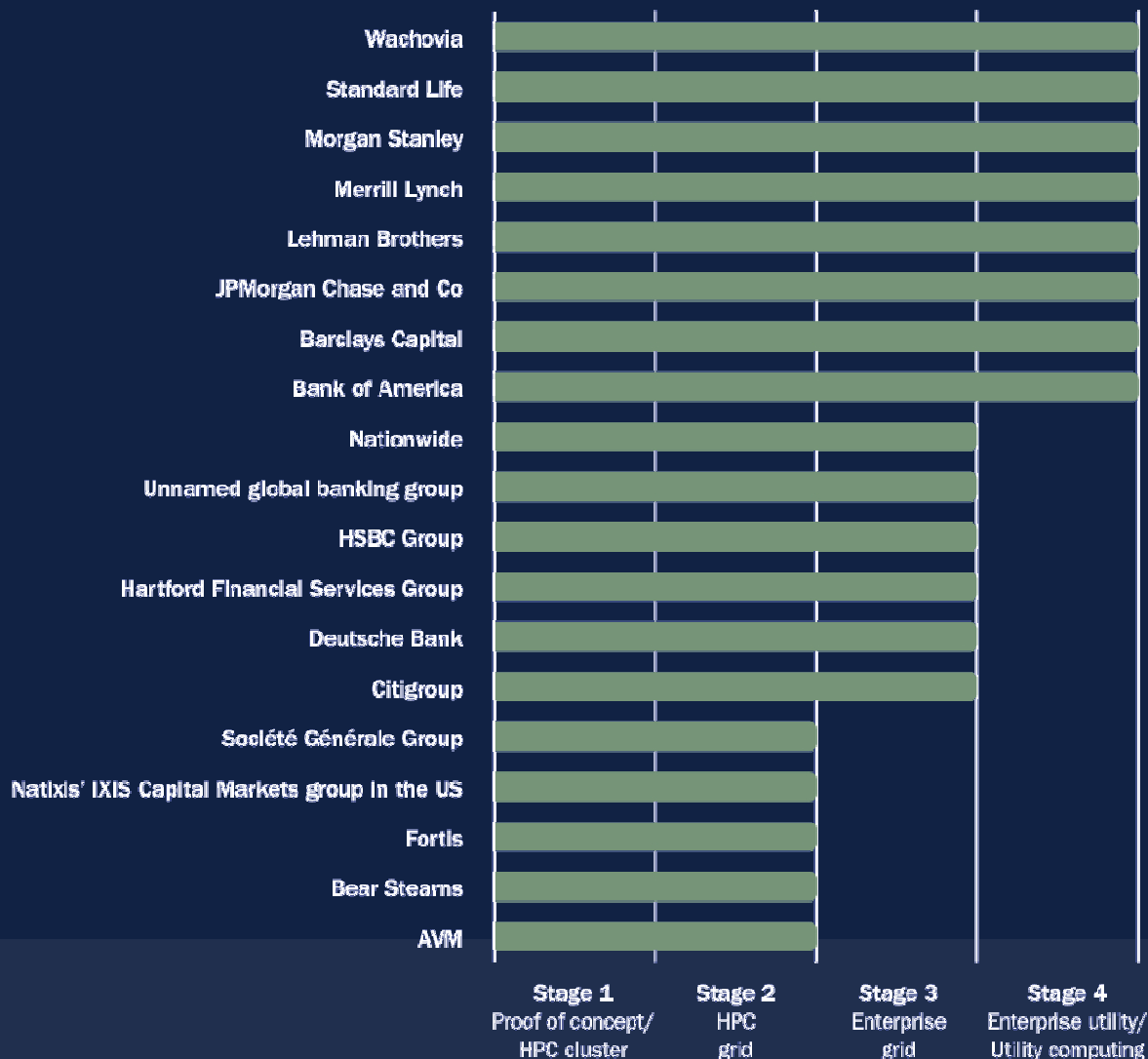
| Feature | Rank (Score) | | | | | | | |
|---|--------------|-----------|----------|--------|--------------------------|------------|------------------|----------|
| | All | e-Science | Platform | S/W | Infrastructure Providers | Enterprise | Funding Agencies | Partners |
| | 57 | 23 | 13 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 1 | 3 |
| Scalability | 1(51) | 1(43) | 1(64) | 2(67) | 2(37) | 1(73) | | 3(33) |
| Inter Organizational Collaboration | 2(29) | 2(36) | 6(15) | | 1(67) | 7(0) | | 6(0) |
| Time to complete compute intensive job | 3(27) | 3(26) | 4(18) | | 3(19) | 5(20) | | 1(67) |
| Availability | 4(23) | 5(22) | 2(33) | 1(100) | 5(15) | 3(33) | | 6(0) |
| Scaling data processing | 5(22) | 4(23) | 3(21) | | 7(11) | 7(0) | 1(100) | 2(44) |
| Transactional Throughput | 6(15) | 8(7) | 4(18) | 3(33) | 8(4) | 2(47) | | 3(33) |
| Ability to complete computationally intensive job | 7(14) | 6(17) | 8(8) | | 3(19) | 6(7) | 3(33) | 5(22) |
| Resilience | 8(9) | 7(9) | 7(13) | | 5(15) | 7(0) | | 6(0) |
| Transactional latency | 9(6) | 9(1) | 9(3) | | 9(0) | 4(27) | 2(67) | 6(0) |

OGF: Probleme bei Grids

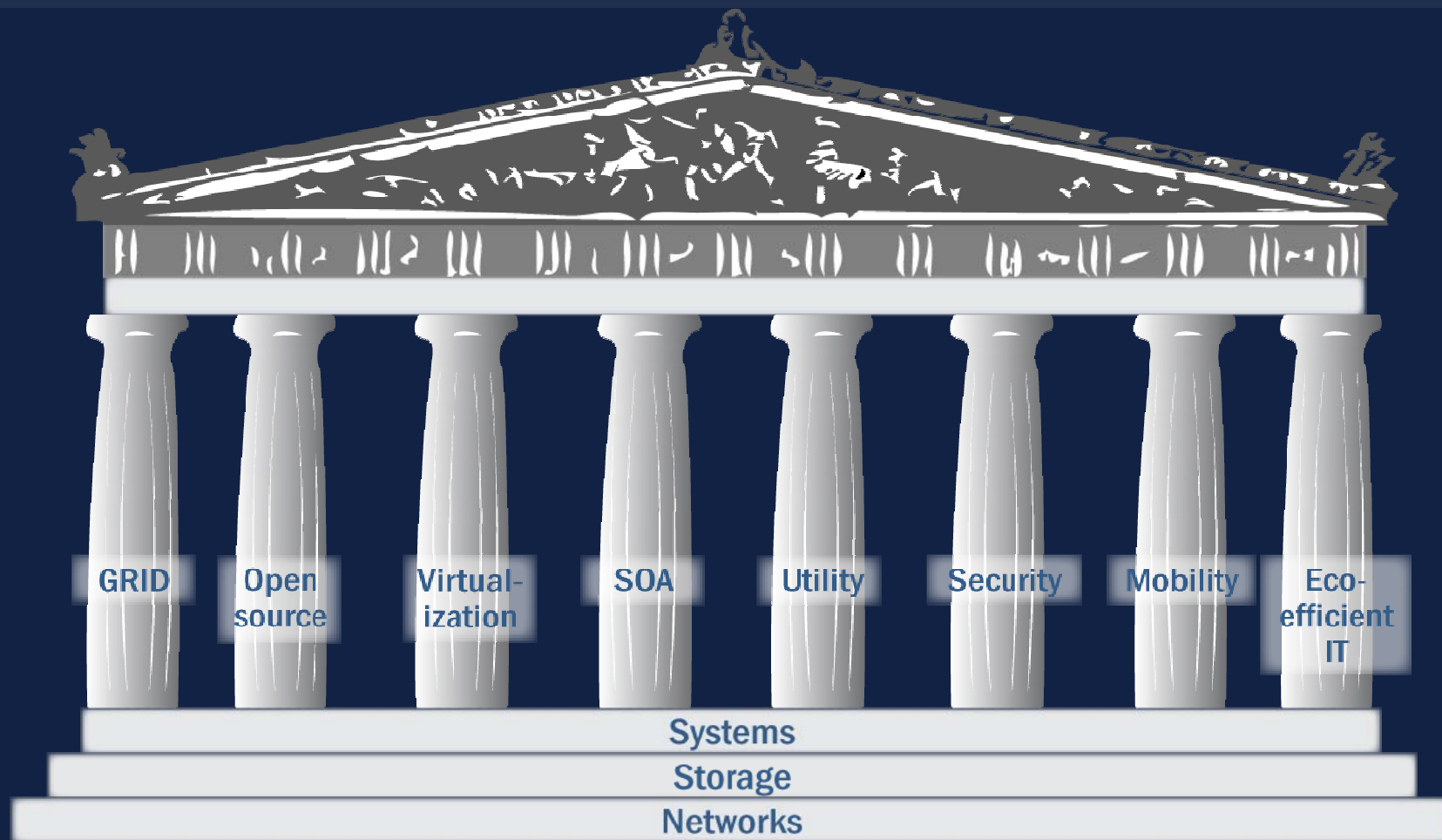
| Problem | Rank1 | | | | | | | |
|--|--------|-----------|----------|--------|--------------------------|------------|------------------|----------|
| | All | e-Science | Platform | S/W | Infrastructure Providers | Enterprise | Funding Agencies | Partners |
| | 68 | 23 | 13 | 1 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 3 |
| Application development | 1(31) | 1(36) | 6(15) | 2(67) | 1(38) | 11(0) | 2(67) | 2(33) |
| Immature technology | 2(25) | 2(30) | 2(23) | 4(0) | 3(29) | 11(0) | 4(0) | 1(67) |
| Management complexity | 3(20) | 6(14) | 4(21) | 4(0) | 3(29) | 1(50) | 4(0) | 4(22) |
| Interoperability | 4(18) | 3(23) | 4(21) | 4(0) | 8(8) | 6(17) | 4(0) | 2(33) |
| Platform integration | 5(17) | 9(10) | 1(31) | 4(0) | 6(21) | 3(25) | 4(0) | 6(11) |
| Management | 5(17) | 11(4) | 2(23) | 1(100) | 2(33) | 3(25) | 4(0) | 8(0) |
| Organizational or Inter-organizational alignment | 7(16) | 5(19) | 8(13) | 4(0) | 5(25) | 6(17) | 4(0) | 4(22) |
| Data exchange/sharing | 8(14) | 4(20) | 8(13) | 3(33) | 10(0) | 8(8) | 4(0) | 8(0) |
| Application complexity | 9(11) | 6(14) | 6(15) | 4(0) | 10(0) | 3(25) | 4(0) | 8(0) |
| Cost | 9(11) | 9(10) | 11(3) | 4(0) | 7(13) | 2(42) | 1(100) | 6(11) |
| Application scalability | 11(10) | 8(12) | 8(13) | 4(0) | 9(4) | 8(8) | 3(33) | 8(0) |
| Operational Efficiency | 12(9) | 12(0) | 12(0) | 4(0) | 10(0) | 11(0) | 4(0) | 8(0) |
| Lack of a common language | 13(1) | 12(0) | 12(0) | 4(0) | 10(0) | 8(8) | 4(0) | 8(0) |
| Vendor lock-in | 14(0) | 12(0) | 12(0) | 4(0) | 10(0) | 11(0) | 4(0) | 8(0) |

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ECS Deployment Strategy

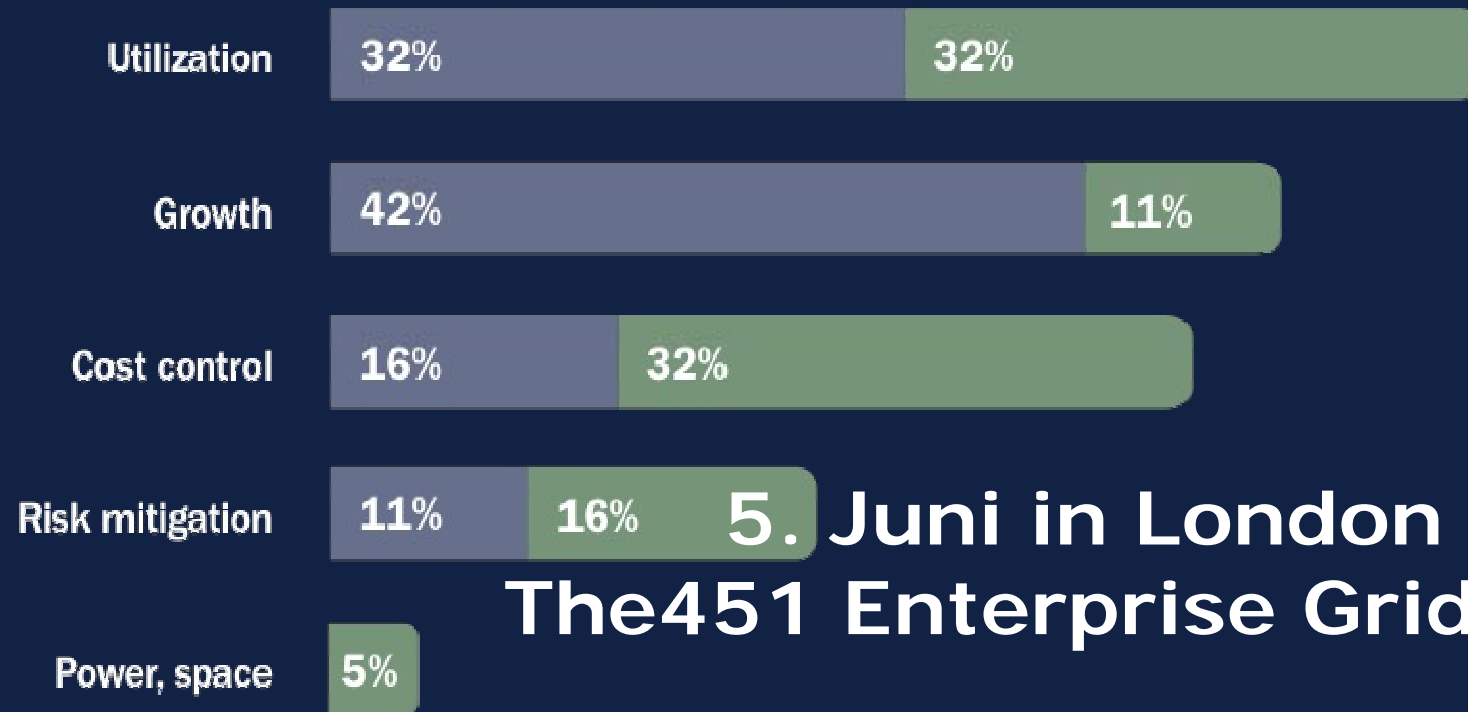


Enterprise Computing Strategy
The 451 Group

Business Trends: 2007

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■ Primary ■ Secondary



5. Juni in London
The451 Enterprise Grid Day

Haupt-Motivation für Grids

- Business getrieben -

1. Improve Agility and Responsiveness

- Accelerate time-to-market (speed)
- Better respond to changing business demands
- Ability to introduce new competitive offerings

2. Manage Service Levels

- Superior decision support and performance
- Greater availability and uptime

3. Reduce Costs

- Operating Costs (labor for ongoing development, integration, support and maintenance)
- Capital Costs (hardware and software)

Courtesy DataSynapse

IT-Hintergrund

1. Achieve a virtual, scalable application architecture

- Decouple application execution from infrastructure
- Achieve scale without overhead and complexity

2. Self-managed, self-healing operating environment

- Policy and priority-based operation
- Increased availability and resiliency

3. Enable commodity, shared computing

- Leverage existing, underutilized infrastructure
- Migrate to lower cost infrastructure

4. Deliver IT as an adaptive service

- Dynamically fulfill fluctuating performance requirements

5. Accelerate SOA

- Service-enable legacy applications
- Enable dynamic (versus static) service provisioning

Courtesy DataSynapse

Schlüssel zum Erfolg: Grid Portals

The image is a collage of various grid computing portals and their associated labels. The portals shown include:

- Statoil Grid Portal @ TRONDHEIM**: A portal for Statoil, featuring a search bar and a list of applications.
- ELASIS**: A portal for ELASIS, featuring a search bar and a list of applications.
- DEISA**: A portal for DEISA, featuring a search bar and a list of applications.
- Schlumberger**: A portal for Schlumberger, featuring a search bar and a list of applications.
- ACCENT**: A portal for ACCENT, featuring a search bar and a list of applications.
- Visualization farm**: A portal for visualization, featuring a 3D model of a building.

Labels and annotations include:

- Enterprise Grid**: A label pointing to the Statoil Grid Portal.
- Desktop Scavenging**: A label pointing to the ELASIS portal.
- HPC Clusters**: A label pointing to the ELASIS portal.
- HPC Portal**: A label pointing to the ELASIS portal.
- Commercial**: A label pointing to the Schlumberger portal.
- Open Grid ASP**: A label pointing to the DEISA portal.
- HPC SaaS**: A label pointing to the Schlumberger portal.
- Collaborative design**: A label pointing to the ACCENT portal.
- Visualization farm**: A label pointing to the visualization farm portal.

The **enginframe** logo is prominently displayed in the center of the collage.

Grid Portals: transparent und nutzerfreundlich

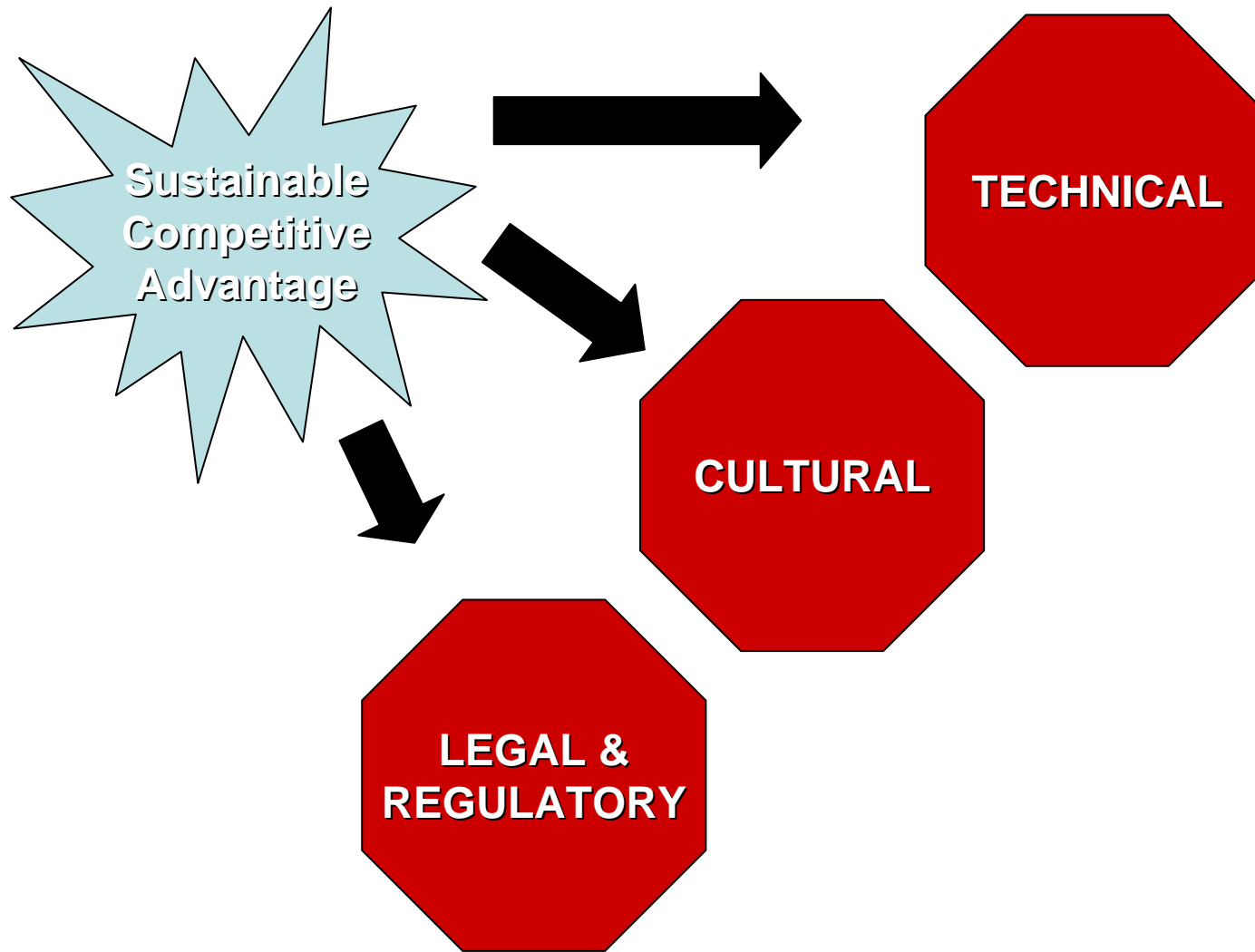
- **Complex IT infrastructure**
 - Difficult to optimally leverage resources
 - Different programs, applications, GUIs, OS, SAN, SOA
- **Data management and security**
 - Timely, consistent, transparent data access
 - Controlled access for IP protection
- **Teamworking and collaboration**
 - Complex, slow, ad-hoc collaboration
 - Identity management
- **New business opportunities**
 - ASP, compute-on-demand, HPC consolidation
 - Experience sharing and leveraging

Identifiziere Business-Herausforderungen

- ▶ Time-to-market pressures vs. quality products
- ▶ Multiple, concurrent projects
- ▶ Projects with different schedules and milestones
- ▶ Overlapping demands for resources
- ▶ Large and growing data sets
- ▶ Larger, more complex product designs
- ▶ Not enough throughput
- ▶ Low utilization of compute resources
- ▶ Insufficient in-house IT expertise
- ▶ Increasingly complex operations management
- ▶ Heightened focus on budget/TCO/ROI



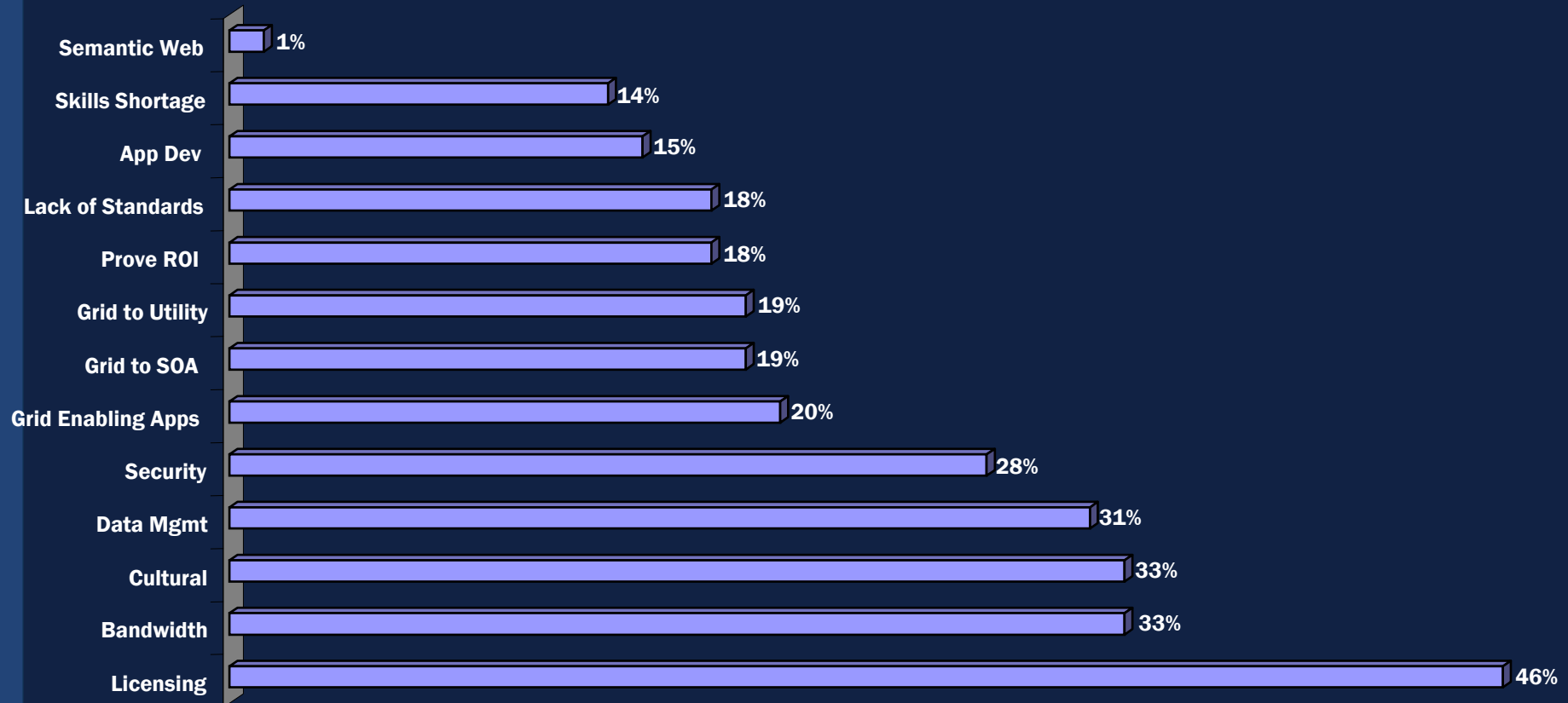
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- **Sensitive data**, sensitive applications (medical patient records)
- Different organizations have different **ROI**
- **Accounting**, who pays for what (sharing!)
- **Security** policies: consistent and enforced across the grid !
- **Lack of standards** prevent interoperability of components
- Current IT culture is not predisposed to **sharing** resources
- Not all applications are grid-ready or **grid-enabled**
- **Open source** is not equal open source (read the little print)
- SLAs based on open source (**liability**?)
- “Static” **licensing** model don’t embrace grid
- Protection of **intellectual property**
- **Legal** issues (FDA, HIPAA, multi-country grids)

Herausforderungen : 2003-06 (cross-sector)



Herausforderungen : 2008

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Fragen über Fragen

- What are my next research / business challenges ?
- Can my existing IT infrastructure still cope with these challenges ?
- Or do I need a SOA and/or Grid architecture ?
- Or should I outsource, and if so, to what extend ?
- How can I learn about **MY** SOA / Grid ????
- Are there (similar) use cases ? ➔ Can I learn from others ?
- Do I have the experts, or do I need external consultation ?
- What is the right strategy to build and operate it ?
- How will Grid change my current, proven SLAs ?
- How to / how much / who will pay for it ?

We will try to answer (part of) these questions here . . .

'Meine' Top 10 Empfehlungen

- Rule 1: Identify your specific benefits.
- Rule 2: Evangelize your decision makers first.
- Rule 3: Don't re-invent wheels.
- Rule 4: KISS (Keep It Simple and Stupid).
- Rule 5: Evolution, not revolution.
- Rule 6: Establish a governance structure.
- Rule 7: Money, money, money.
- Rule 8: Secure some funding for after the project.
- Rule 9: Try not to grid-enable your apps in the first place.
- Rule 10: Adopt a 'human' business model.

Details: OGF Thought Leadership Series at

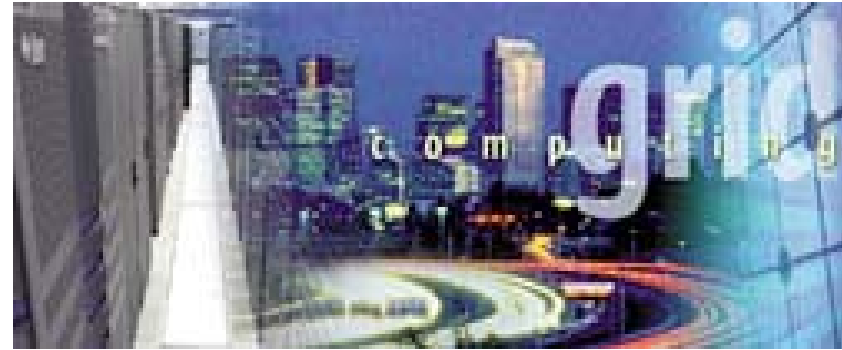
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The Steam Engine



The Combustion Engine



The Grid Engine

Danke !