

GRID srm installation

The following documentation was developed for the installation of a grid certificate on an Ubuntu 12.04 system using a bash shell (using .bashrc as a configuration script) Thanks goes to Martin van den Akker for providing most of this information.

1 Installation of software packages

Note: all installations require root permissions.

1.1 globus

```
sudo apt-get install globus-gass-copy-progs globus-common-progs globus-core
```

1.2 voms

```
sudo apt-get install voms-clients
```

1.3 srmttools

* download srmttools

```
e.g. http://www.astro.ru.nl/~martinva/software/srm.tar.gz
```

* extract and install the srmttools in /opt/

```
this will create a subdirectory srm under /opt/
```

* add the path to the srmttools to .bashrc:

```
export SRM_PATH=/opt/srm
export PATH=$SRM_PATH/bin:$PATH
```

2 Installation of certificates

2.1 Personal certificate

- Request a user certificate using jGridstart

<http://ca.dutchgrid.nl/start/jgridstart.jnlp>

```
and follow the instructions
* Install the certificate as described in the certificate e-mail
- Save this entire mail as "$HOME/.globus/usercert.pem" and make sure
  that the "userkey.pem" file in that directory matches this certificate.
  As these *.pem files are strictly personal their permissions should be set
  properly
  by the following command:
  > chmod 600 *.pem
- Load the certificate into your web browser on your own
  system. See [http://ca.dutchgrid.nl/info/browser]
  Installation can also be done using the jGridstart tool (see above).
- [optional] Apply for authorization to use resources or services. Please
  consult
  your service provider or help desk for more information, e.g.:
  [mailto:deisa-support@sara.nl]
* for access to DEISA HPC Grid resources
  https://voms.grid.sara.nl:8443/vomses
* for Grid communities hosted in the Netherlands
  https://cic.gridops.org/index.php?section=home&page=volist
* for all Grid communities registred in Europe by discipline
```

2.2 Additional certificates from the site of the European Grid Infrastructure (EGI).

Execute the following commands to install the certificates from the site of the European Grid Infrastructure (EGI) (root permissions are required).

```
> sudo add-repository 'deb
http://repository.egi.eu/sw/production/cas/1/current egi-igtf core'
> sudo apt-get update
> sudo apt-get install ca-policy-egi-core
```

3 Additional configuration

3.1 Add the vomses string for the LOFAR Virtual Organization (VO) to the vomses file

You can find this string on the following website

<https://voms.grid.sara.nl:8443/voms/lofar/configuration/configuration.action> in the text block under "VOMSES string for this VO:" The string should be copied to the following file: `$HOME/.glite/vomses`

3.2 List of certificates (`voms.grid.sara.nl.lsc`)

Put the following string (without the quotes):

```
"/O=dutchgrid/O=hosts/OU=sara.nl/CN=voms.grid.sara.nl"
```

in the file (root permissions required):

```
/etc/grid-security/vomsdir/lofar/voms.grid.sara.nl.lsc
```

3.3 Add the following settings to `.bashrc`

```
export X509_VOMS_CERT=$HOME/.globus/usercert.pem  
export X509_VOMS_KEY=$HOME/.globus/userkey.pem  
export X509_VOMS_DIR=/etc/grid-security/vomsdir  
export VOMS_USERCONF=$HOME/.glite
```

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