

# **Worker Nodes Installation&Configuration**

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# Installation & Configuration Guide

## ★ Main reference guide:

<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/EMI/GenericInstallationConfigurationEMI3>

## ★ Other documentation:

### ★ EMI

[https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/pub/EMI/EMIwn/EMI\\_WN\\_v\\_3\\_0\\_0-1.pdf](https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/pub/EMI/EMIwn/EMI_WN_v_3_0_0-1.pdf)

### ★ EGI-UMD

<http://repository.egi.eu/2013/05/14/torque-wn-config-1-0-0-3/>

# Prerequisites: OS

Required: a standard

- ★ 64 bit SL(C)5
- ★ 64 bit SL(C)6

Linux distribution properly installed.

Check OS version installed with  
`cat /etc/redhat-release`

# Repositories: No DAG, Yes EPEL

- ★ The DAG repository must be removed or deactivated:

```
rm /etc/yum.repos.d/dag.repo or
```

```
mv /etc/yum.repos.d/dag.repo /etc/yum.repos.d/dag.repo.remove
```

```
or enabled=0 in /etc/yum.repos.d/dag.repo
```

- ★ The EPEL repository must be installed

```
wget \
```

```
http://fedora-mirror01.rbc.ru/pub/epel/6/x86_64/epel-release-6-8.noarch.rpm \\\n--no-check-certificate
```

```
yum install epel-release-6-8.noarch.rpm --nogpgcheck -y
```

(\*) Use –nogpgcheck to avoid to import the epel gpg key

# Repositories: EMI 3 distribution

EMI repositories can be installed

- ★ manually (configuring yum .repo files and giving EMI repositories precedence over EPEL. Check guide)
- ★ through emi-release package (suggested):

```
wget \
http://emisoft.web.cern.ch/emisoft/dist/EMI/3/sl6/x86_64/base/emi-release-3.0.0-2.el6.noarch.rpm \
--no-check-certificate
yum install ./emi-release-3.0.0-2.el6.noarch.rpm
```

# Repositories: Certification Authorities

Complete information on Certification Authorities distribution:

[https://wiki.egi.eu/wiki/EGI\\_IGTF\\_Release](https://wiki.egi.eu/wiki/EGI_IGTF_Release)

We need:

```
wget \
http://repository.egi.eu/sw/production/cas/1/current/repo-files/EGI-trustanchors.repo -O \
/etc/yum.repos.d/EGI-trustanchors.repo
```

# Installation: CA certificates

## CA certificates installation:

```
yum install ca-policy-egi-core --nogpgcheck -y
```

(\*) To install gpg key (so not needed –nogpgcheck):

<http://repository.egi.eu/sw/production/cas/1/GPG-KEY-EUGridPMA-RPM-3>

# Installation: Torque batch system

## Torque client installation:

```
yum install emi-torque-client -y
```

## Worker Node installation:

```
yum install emi-wn -y
```

# Exercise 6: Worker Node + Torque Installation

Install the WN:

- ★ wget \  
http://repository.egi.eu/sw/production/cas/1/current/repo-files/EGI-trustanchors.repo \  
-O /etc/yum.repos.d/EGI-trustanchors.repo
- ★ yum install ca-policy-egi-core --nogpgcheck -y
- ★ wget \  
http://fedora-mirror01.rbc.ru/pub/epel/6/x86\_64/epel-release-6-8.noarch.rpm \  
--no-check-certificate
- ★ yum install epel-release-6-8.noarch.rpm --nogpgcheck -y
- ★ wget \  
http://emisoft.web.cern.ch/emisoft/dist/EMI/3/sl6/x86\_64/base/emi-release-3.0.0-2.el6.noarch.rpm \  
--no-check-certificate
- ★ yum localinstall emi-release-3.0.0-2.el6.noarch.rpm --nogpgcheck -y
- ★ yum install emi-wn
- ★ yum install emi-torque-client -y

Relevant files:

[https://wiki.scc.kit.edu/gridkaschool/index.php/Exercise\\_6:\\_Worker\\_Node\\_%2B\\_Torque\\_Installation](https://wiki.scc.kit.edu/gridkaschool/index.php/Exercise_6:_Worker_Node_%2B_Torque_Installation)

# Enable munge (1)

MUNGE is an authentication service for creating and validating credentials. It is designed to be highly scalable for use in an HPC cluster environment.

- ★ Check that munge is installed:

```
rpm -qa |grep munge
```

```
munge-libs-x.y.z
```

```
munge-x.y.z
```

# Enable munge (2)

## ★ Enable munge on your torque cluster:

- ★ Install the munge package (if it is not installed) on your pbs\_server, submission hosts and all worker node hosts in your cluster.
- ★ On one host generate a key with /usr/sbin/create-munge-key
- ★ Copy the key, /etc/munge/munge.key to your pbs\_server, submission hosts and all worker node hosts on your cluster.
- ★ Pay attention the ownership of that file must be:

-r----- 1 munge munge 1024 Jan 03 09:57 munge.key  
if needed:

```
chown munge:munge /etc/munge/munge.key  
chmod 400 /etc/munge/munge.key
```

- ★ Start the munge daemon on these nodes
- ```
service munge start  
chkconfig munge on
```

# Exercise 2: Batch System Installation

Install the Batch System:

```
yum install emi-torque-server
```

```
yum install emi-torque-utils
```

```
/usr/sbin/create-munge-key
```

```
chown munge:munge /etc/munge/munge.key
```

```
chmod 400 /etc/munge/munge.key
```

```
service munge start
```

```
chkconfig munge on
```

```
scp /etc/munge/munge.key <in WNs>
```

Relevant files:

<http://wiki.scc.kit.edu/gridkaschool/index.php/>

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# Worker Node Configuration

## ★ Configuration tool: YAIM

The YAIM modules needed to configure are automatically installed with the middleware.

## ★ Relevant configuration files (an example in /opt/glite/yaim/examples):

- ★ users.conf
- ★ groups.conf
- ★ wn-list.conf
- ★ site-info.def
- ★ vo.d
- ★ services/glite-wn

# Configuration files customization

★ The WN can be configured using exactly the same

- ★ siteinfo/site-info.def
- ★ vo.d/\*
- ★ users.conf (described in users.conf README)
- ★ groups.conf (described in groups.conf README)
- ★ wn-list.conf (described in wn-list.conf README)

used to configure the cream ce

★ Only the module specific configuration file must be checked and customized (if needed)

★ services/glite-wn

# Exercise 7: Worker Node + Torque Config

make an archive (tar -cvf) of CE configuration files

copy it in a safe path in the WN (/root/siteinfo\_dir) and open it (tar -xvf)

Copy the example file

/opt/glite/yaim/examples/siteinfo/services/glite-wn

in the safe path /root/siteinfo\_dir/services

Edit and customize services/glite-wn if needed

Configure:

```
/opt/glite/yaim/bin/yaim -c -s /root/siteinfo_dir/site-info.def \
-n WN -n TORQUE_client
```

Relevant files:

[http://wiki.scc.kit.edu/gridkaschool/index.php/Exercise\\_7:\\_Worker\\_Node\\_%2B\\_Torque\\_Configuration](http://wiki.scc.kit.edu/gridkaschool/index.php/Exercise_7:_Worker_Node_%2B_Torque_Configuration)

Check the batch system:

- Try a pbsnodes to check node status
- Try a job submission to the batch system logging as a pool account user

Relevant files:

[http://wiki.scc.kit.edu/gridkaschool/index.php/Exercise\\_8:\\_Cluster\\_CE%2BWN\\_verification](http://wiki.scc.kit.edu/gridkaschool/index.php/Exercise_8:_Cluster_CE%2BWN_verification)

# Important on automatic updates

An update of an RPM not followed by configuration can cause problems.

**STRONG RECOMMENDATION:**

**NOT TO USE AUTOMATIC UPDATE PROCEDURE OF ANY KIND.**

Suggestion: Run the script<sup>(\*)</sup> available at  
[http://forge.cnaf.infn.it/frs/download.php/101/disable\\_yum.sh](http://forge.cnaf.infn.it/frs/download.php/101/disable_yum.sh)  
to disable yum autoupdate.

(\*) Script by Giuseppe Platania (INFN Catania)

# Questions ?

