

## Updates of APGridPMA

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### General Status



- Chair and Vice Chair (2020.01-2021.12)
  - Chair: Eric Yen (ASGCCA, Taiwan)
  - Vice Chair: Eisaku Sakane (HPCI CA, Japan) and Muhammad Farhan SJAUGI (MYIFAM CA, Malaysia)
- Routine Gathering
  - Spring: usually held together with ISGC in Taiwan
  - Fall: Collocated with e-Science or APAN routine events
  - Virtual meeting will be arranged upon request or whenever there is any issue in-between F2F meetings
- Self Auditing Report: Once a year for each member CA
- Regional Catch-All CA: ASGCCA, now supporting users through local RAs in ID, IN, MN, LK, NZ, PH, TH, VN

CA	ccTLD	Last Self Audit	#valid Cert	IPv6	Production eduGAIN SPs
AIST CA	JP				
APAC CA	AU				
ASGC CA	TW	Mar. 2020	202, 463, 16	Y	
AusCert	AU	Quvadis		Y	AAF
CNIC CA	CN	Aug. 2015	21		
SDG CA	CN	Aug. 2015	2		
HKU CA	CN	Mar. 2020	3, 29, 1	Y	HKAF/JUCC
HPCI CA	JP	Mar. 2020	196, 242	Y	GakuNin/NII
IGCA	IN	Mar. 2018	134, 23		INFED/INFLIBNET
IHEP CA	CN	April 2019	48, 54, 18	Y	
KEK CA	JP	Mar. 2020	167, 145	Y	
KISTI CA	KR	Mar. 2020	<i>33, 28, 3</i>	Y	KAFE/KISTI
MYIFAM	MY	Mar. 2020	<i>5</i>	Y	SIFULAN/SIFULAN
NCHC CA	TW				
NECTEC CA	TH				
NAREGI CA	JP				
PRAGMA- UCSD	US				

#### Issues From Lockdown/WFH

- In general, all production CAs maintain stable operation and services under lockdown
- Disaster mitigation or BC/HA plan of CA operation should be in place, in considering situations such as the pandemic
  - Requirements: measures when onsite operation is not possible for some time
  - Potential solutions
    - Better to identify solutions to various scenarios before the hazard
    - Portal and secure CA server
    - Remote operation model
    - Remote authentication process for all RAs
- Remote Identity Vetting
  - HPCI CA CP/CPS

# Supporting Researchers easily access to shared resources and collaborate

- Aims to using institutional credential to access shared resources
- Supporting deployment of community-based AAI in Asia, in collaboration with APAN IAM WG, and in collaboration/alignment with FIM4R, AARC, EOSC, etc.
  - AARC blueprint architecture compliant
  - Policy and guideline: AARC PDK, IGTF, Snctfi, Sirtfi, and REFEDS, etc.
  - Training and experiences/solutions sharing
- Collecting feedback and questions from use cases of each communities
  - Cryo-EM & protein structure analysis, NGS, bioinformatics, Sentinel Asia, DMCC, Brain research, Physics, biodiversity & ecology monitoring
  - e.g., Federation of dedicated/multiple VO resources
  - Understanding deployment models, requirements and challenges from scenarios/use cases of different user communities
  - Factoring common components and domain-specific elements

# Future Meetings



- 26th APGridPMA: would be a virtual event
  - A virtual meeting is planned in October or November
- 27<sup>th</sup> APGridPMA: scheduled on 21 March 2021 in ISGC2021
  - Security Workshop: 22 March
  - 14-19 March, HEPiX Spring 2021 in Academia Sinica, Taiwan
- 28th APGridPMA:
  - Option1: APAN52, Aug/Sep 2021, Indonesia