

Database Breakout

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- Attendees - Traudl H-K, Toby B., Pat N., Dave D., Joane B., Cathie M.
- Traudl - Use case of a TB web accessible DB (EROS)
- Bob - Beowulf performance - Beowulf is feasible and has some good features.
- Pat - Characteristics of DBMS'
 - Free Postgres and MySQL
 - Oracle - good and bad points

Use + Requirements

- Need Use cases of possible searches other than point source
- Requirements - Level 1 db requirements already well defined.
- Requirements of other DB straightforward
 - Other DB seem straightforward. Committee will produce requirements
 - Committee - Bob Schaefer, D. Davis, Pat Nolan, Karl Young

Open Issues

- Architecture for Level 1 db still not defined - major stumbling block for progress (~2 FTEs).
- Identify Performance Tests
- Identify Test hardware for DBMS
- Identify Operation issues - mangement, maintenance, extensibility, and risks
- Do measurements
 - Beowulf - Bob + Karl
 - Postgres, MySQL, Sybase - Dave, Bob, + Pat
 - Oracle - Pat + Karl
- Recommend Architecture