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# Identity Management Workshop – August 2008


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# MAPS Roadmap


To develop a strategic roadmap for middleware services, which will identify the services that need to be offered and describe how they ought to be offered, in order to provide ongoing, effective support for research and higher education within Australia. The roadmap should have broad consensus across the Australian research and higher education sector.



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**Agreement to develop a number of reference architectures**


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**Working Group**


**CAUDIT Technical Standards Committee (TSC)**



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## Why Identity?


Needed for the AAF  
Important for Resource sharing  
Low probability for outsourcing  
Timeliness – “Now is the time”



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## Towards a Roadmap/Identity Architecture

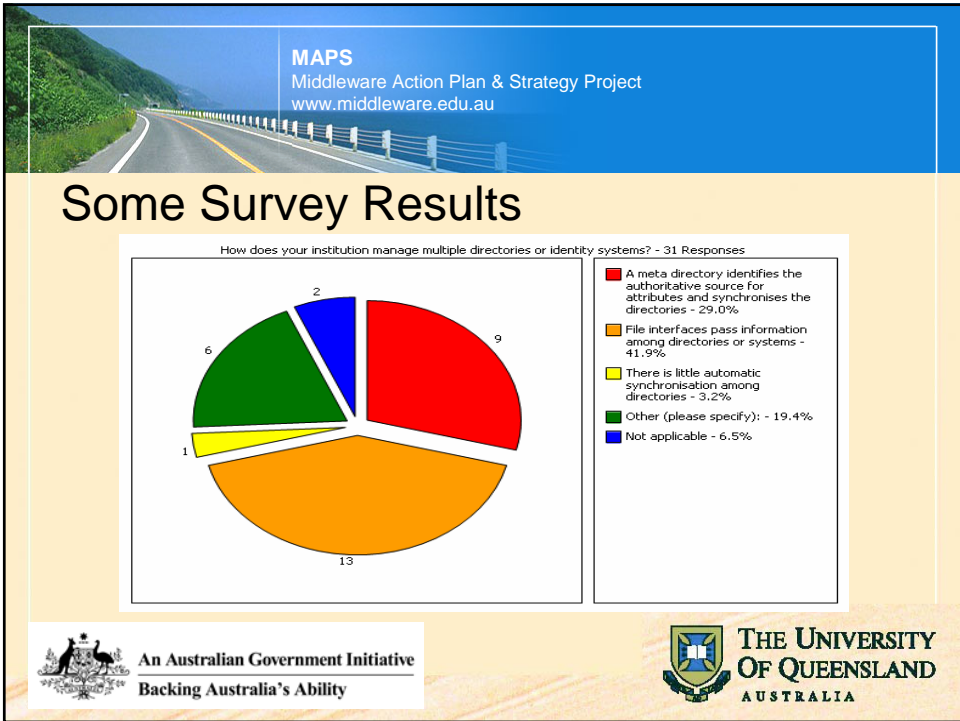
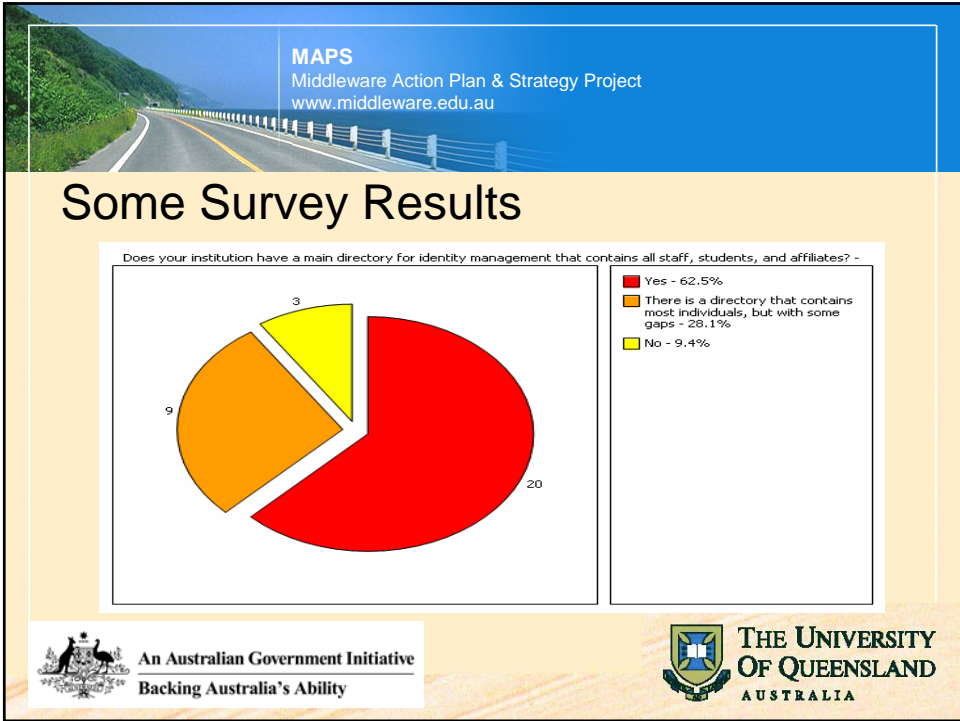
- Include a Capability Maturity Model or reference Architecture for IAM
- Be a tool to raise awareness of the importance of IAM
- Include consideration of IAM as it applies to external research groups
- Provide some information on options for implementation
- Include an FAQ section



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## Some Survey Results

What product(s) are you using for identity management? - 31 Responses

Product	Percentage
SUN	29.0%
Microsoft	61.3%
Novell	29.0%
Oracle	29.0%
OpenLDAP	25.0%
Radius	41.9%
Redhat	3.2%
HP	0%
Other (please specify)	22.6%
System developers	22.6%
Kerberos	22.6%

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## Some Survey Results

Are you planning to do any of the following within the next 2 years? - 32 Responses

Plan	Percentage
Replace or acquire main identity management system	23
Expand main identity management system	5
Use main identity management system	23
Provide better integration or systems	23
Implement the AAF core and related systems	23
Other (please specify)	15.6


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# Questions?



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