



Building Research Data Management Solutions with the Globus Platform

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Useful developer links

> github.com/globus

> docs.globus.org



Topics

- **Globus CLI and Platform Overview**
- **Globus Transfer and Globus Auth APIs**
- **Automating common data management tasks**
- **Integrating Globus into Science Gateways and Portals**
- **Open Discussion**



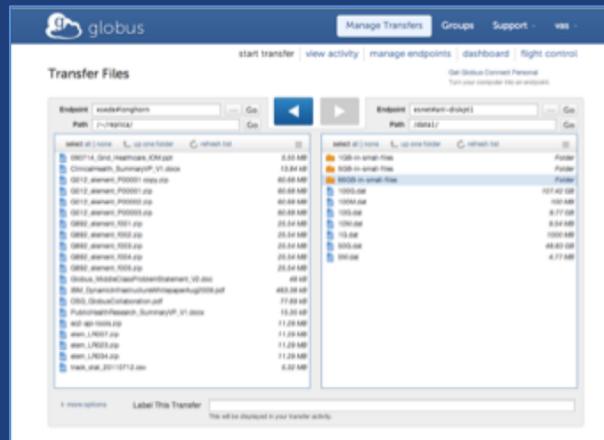
How can I integrate
Globus into my
research workflows?



Use(r)-appropriate interfaces



Globus service



Web App

```
(globus-cli) jupiter:~ vas$ globus
Usage: globus [OPTIONS] COMMAND [ARGS]...

Options:
  -v, --verbose          Control level of output
  -h, --help            Show this message and exit.
  -F, --format [json|text] Output format for stdout. Defaults to text
  --map-http-status TEXT Map HTTP statuses to any of these exit codes:
                        0,1,50-99. e.g. "404=50,403=51"

Commands:
  bookmark      Manage Endpoint Bookmarks
  config        Modify, view, and manage your Globus CLI config.
```

CLI

```
GET /endpoint/go%23ep1
PUT /endpoint/vas#my_endpt
200 OK
X-Transfer-API-Version: 0.10
Content-Type: application/json
...
```

Rest API



Globus Command Line Interface

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Commands:
  bookmark      Manage Endpoint Bookmarks
  config        Modify, view, and manage your Globus CLI config.
  delete        Submit a Delete Task
  endpoint      Manage Globus Endpoint definitions
  get-identities Lookup Globus Auth Identities
  list-commands List all CLI Commands
  login         Login to Globus to get credentials for the Globus CLI
  logout        Logout of the Globus CLI
  ls            List Endpoint directory contents
  mkdir         Make a directory on an Endpoint
  rename        Rename a file or directory on an Endpoint
  task          Manage asynchronous Tasks
  transfer      Submit a Transfer Task
  version       Show the version and exit
  whoami        Show the currently logged-in identity.
```

**Open source, uses
Python SDK**

**docs.globus.org/cli
[github.com/globus/
globus-cli](https://github.com/globus/globus-cli)**



Demonstration

Globus CLI



Install the Globus Command Line Interface (CLI)

(or access via user “globus” on EC2 instance)

docs.globus.org/cli/installation



Exercise: Transfer via the CLI

- Join the Tutorial Users group
- Use the CLI to copy files in “/sometext/” on endpoint “Stanford Workshop” to “Globus Tutorial Endpoint 1”
- Later we will look at a more robust example:
github.com/globus/automation-examples/blob/master/cli-sync.sh



Solution: Transfer via the CLI

- **Get the source and destination endpoint IDs**

```
$ globus endpoint search "Stanford Workshop"
```

```
$ globus endpoint search "Globus Tutorial Endpoint 1"
```

- **Submit the transfer request**

```
$ globus transfer --recursive
```

```
7026c6d4-0c84-11e8-a763-0a448319c2f8:/sometext/
```

```
ddb59aef-6d04-11e5-ba46-22000b92c6ec:/~/
```



How do I go beyond
simple scripts?

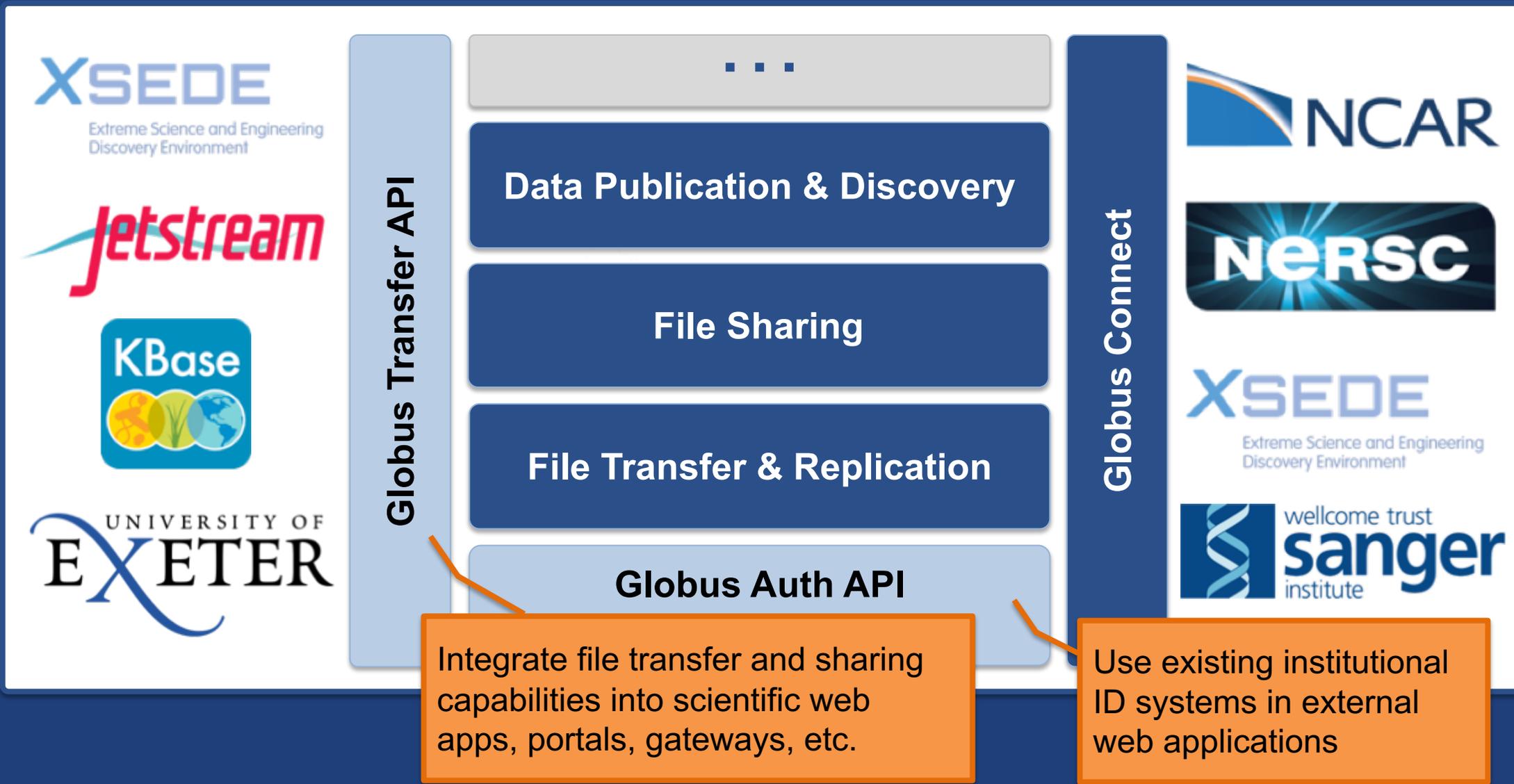


Globus serves as...

A platform for building science gateways, portals and other web applications in support of research and education



Globus Platform-as-a-Service





Globus Platform **Transfer API**



Globus Transfer API

- **Globus Web App consumes public Transfer API**
- **Globus APIs use JSON for documents and resource representations**
- **Resource named by URL (standard REST approach)**
 - Query params allow refinement (e.g., subset of fields)
- **Requests authorized via OAuth2 access token**
 - Authorization: Bearer asdfkqhafsdafeawk

docs.globus.org/api/transfer

Globus Python SDK

- **Python client library for the Globus Auth and Transfer REST APIs**
- **`globus_sdk.TransferClient` class handles connection management, security, framing, marshaling**

```
from globus_sdk import TransferClient  
tc = TransferClient()
```

globus.github.io/globus-sdk-python



TransferClient low-level calls

- **Thin wrapper around REST API**

- `post()`, `get()`, `update()`, `delete()`

`get(path, params=None, headers=None, auth=None, response_class=None)`

- `path` – path for the request, with or without leading slash
 - `params` – dict to be encoded as a query string
 - `headers` – dict of HTTP headers to add to the request
 - `response_class` – class response object, overrides the client's `default_response_class`
 - Returns: `GlobusHTTPResponse` object



Walkthrough Jupyter Notebook

github.com/globus/globus-jupyter-notebooks

(install locally or run on EC2 instance)



Endpoint Search

- **Plain text search for endpoint**
 - Searches owner, display name, keywords, description, organization, department
 - Full word and prefix match
- **Limit search to pre-defined scopes**
 - all, my-endpoints, recently-used, in-use, shared-by-me, shared-with-me
- **Returns: List of endpoint documents**

Endpoint Management

- **Get endpoint (by id)**
- **Update endpoint**
- **Create & delete (shared) endpoints**
- **Manage endpoint servers**



Endpoint Activation

- **Activating endpoint means binding a credential to an endpoint for login**
- **Globus Connect Server endpoint that have MyProxy or MyProxy OAuth identity provider require login via web**
- **Auto-activate**
 - Globus Connect Personal and shared endpoints use Globus-provided credential
 - An endpoint that shares an identity provider with another activated endpoint will use credential
- **Must auto-activate before any API calls to endpoints**

File operations

- **List directory contents (ls)**
- **Make directory (mkdir)**
- **Rename**
- **Note:**
 - Path encoding & UTF gotchas
 - Don't forget to auto-activate first



Task submission

- **Asynchronous operations**
 - Transfer
 - Sync level option
 - Delete
- **Get submission_id, followed by submit**
 - Once and only once submission

Task management

- **Get task by id**
- **Get task_list**
- **Update task by id (label, deadline)**
- **Cancel task by id**
- **Get event list for task**
- **Get task pause info**



Bookmarks

- **Get list of bookmarks**
- **Create bookmark**
- **Get bookmark by id**
- **Update bookmark**
- **Delete bookmark by id**

- **Cannot perform other operations directly on bookmarks**
 - Requires client-side resolution

Shared endpoint access rules (ACLs)

- **Access manager role required to manage permission/ACLs**
- **Operations:**
 - Get list of access rules
 - Get access rule by id
 - Create access rule
 - Update access rule
 - Delete access rule



Management API

- **Allow endpoint administrators to monitor and manage all tasks with endpoint**
 - Task API is essentially the same as for users
 - Information limited to what they could see locally
- **Cancel tasks**
- **Pause rules**

Exercise: Transfer API - Data distribution

Modify Jupyter notebook to...

- Find the endpoint ID for the “Stanford Workshop” endpoint
- Bonus points: how many endpoints are associated with “Stanford”?
- Make a directory for your files: /<your_globus_id>
- Transfer some files to your directory
 - Get the ID of the “ESnet Read-Only Test DTN at Sunnyvale” endpoint
 - Transfer the “/data1/5GB-in-small-files” directory to your directory
- For overachievers: check if files were successfully transferred and delete them

Solution: Transfer API - Data distribution

- **Find ID for “Stanford Workshop” endpoint [29]***

```
r = tc.get("/endpoint_search",  
          params=dict(filter_fulltext="Stanford workshop", limit=1))
```
- **Make a directory for your files: /<your_globus_id> [36]**

```
endpoint_id = stanford_workshop_ep_id  
endpoint_path = "/vas"
```
- **Transfer ESnet files to your directory [45]**

```
source_endpoint_id = "db57ddde-6d04-11e5-ba46-22000b92c6ec"  
source_path = "/data1/5GB-in-small-files/"  
dest_endpoint_id = stanford_workshop_ep_id  
dest_path = "/vasv/5GB-in-small-files/"
```

* The number in brackets refers to the Jupyter notebook code block to be modified/extended

Solution: Transfer API - Data distribution

- **Check if successfully transferred and delete files [50]***

```
If status == "SUCCEEDED":
```

```
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```

```
    endpoint_id = stanford_wrokshop_ep_id
```

```
    path = "/vasv/5GB-in-small-files/"
```

```
    r = globus_sdk.DeleteData(tc, endpoint_id, recursive=True)
```

```
    ddata.add_item(path)
```

```
    tc.endpoint_autoactivate(endpoint_id)
```

```
    submit_result = tc.submit_delete(ddata)
```

```
    print("Task ID:", submit_result["task_id"])
```

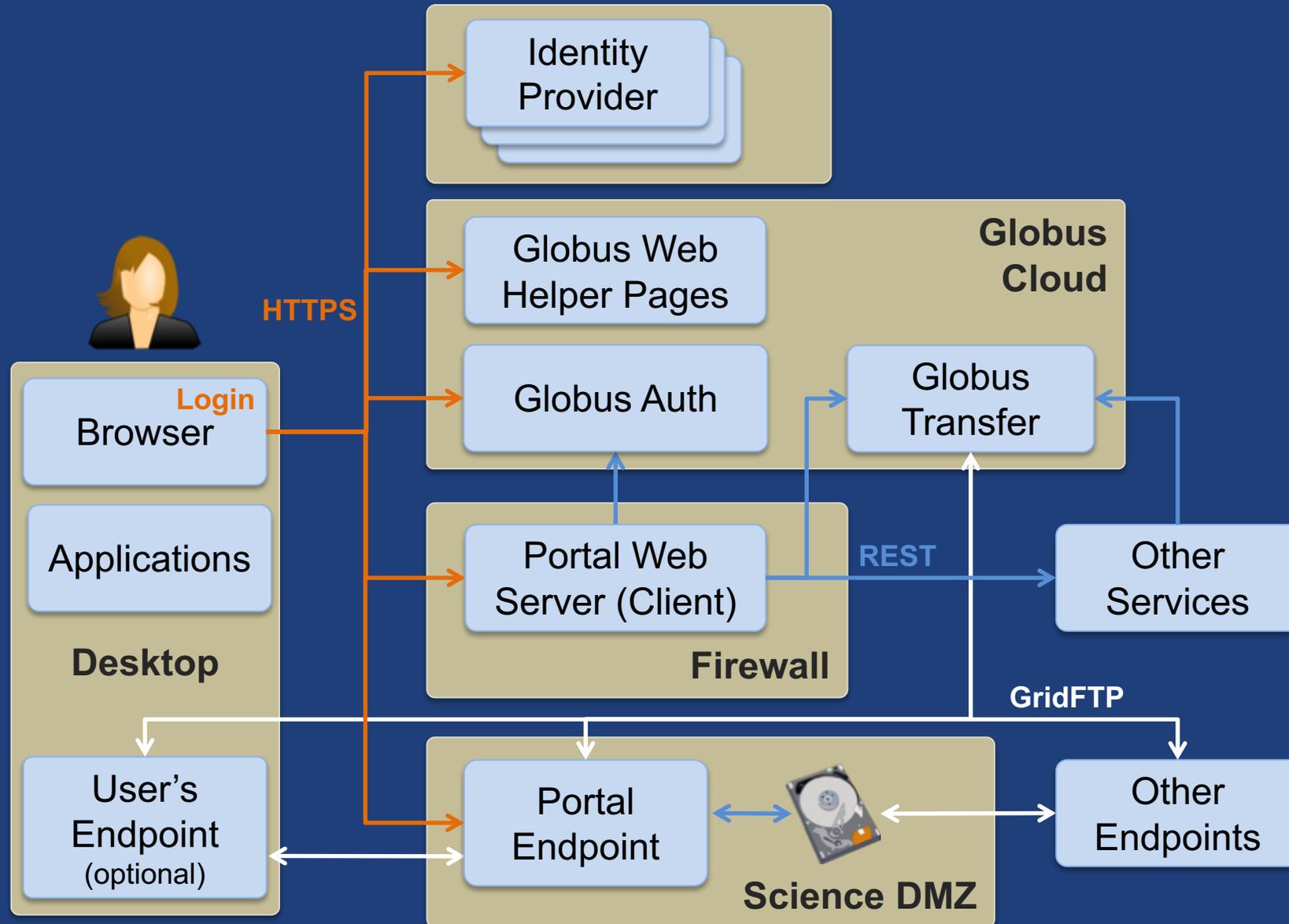
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How can I do this in my
[science gateway, data
portal, web app, ...]?



Prototypical research data portal





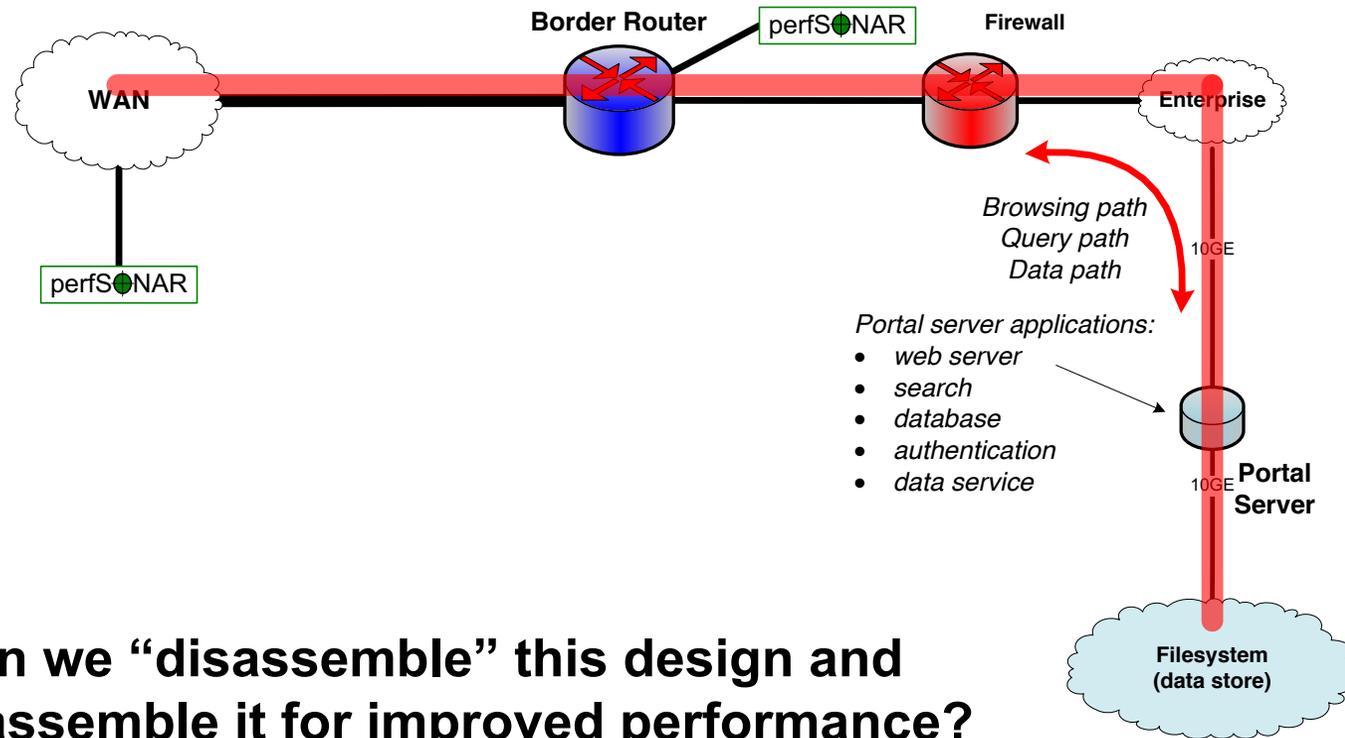
Demonstration Modern Research Data Portal



Maximizing the value of the Science DMZ

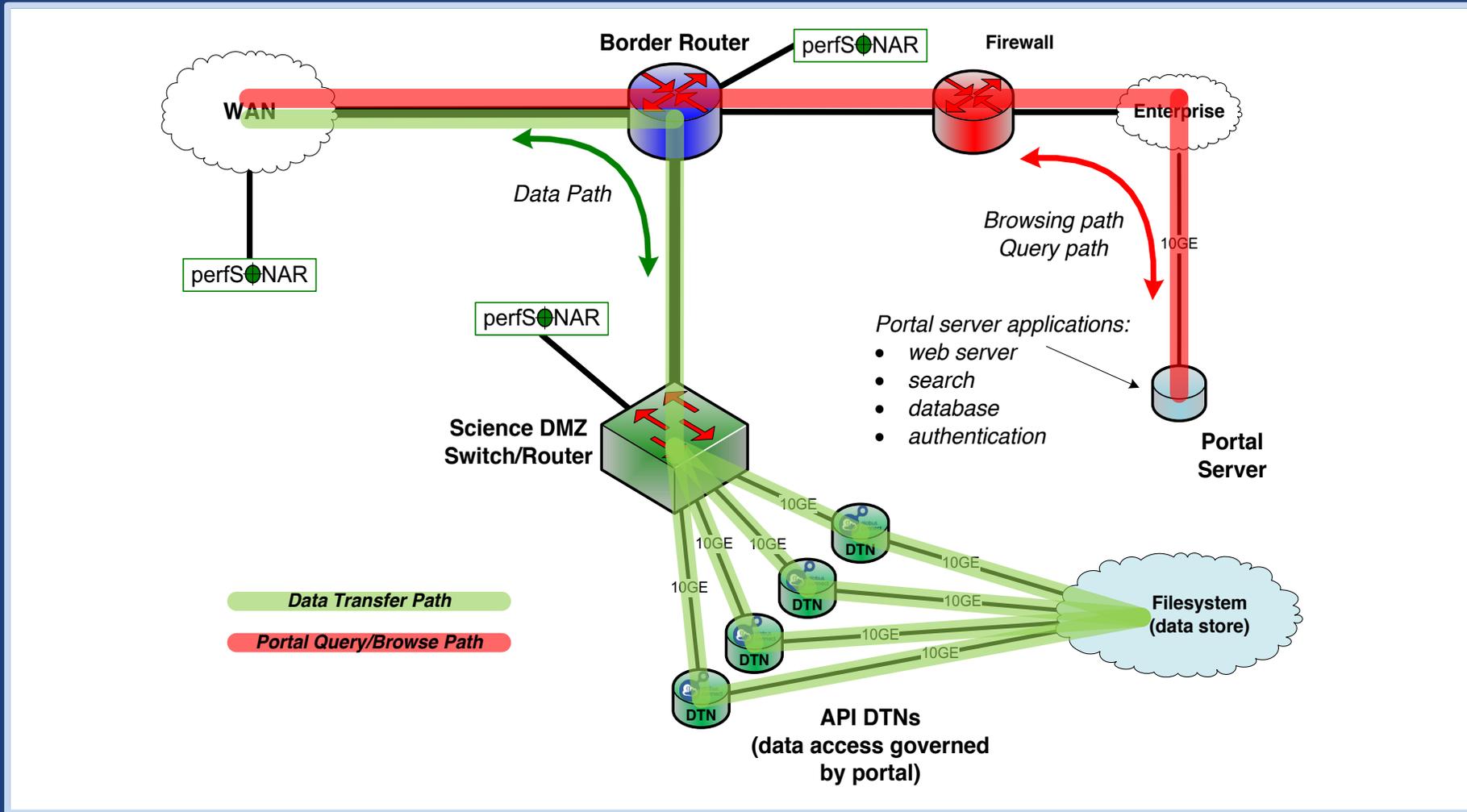


Legacy data portal/science gateway design





Modern data apps leverage the Science DMZ



fasterdata.es.net/



Data Distribution: ARM Climate Research Facility

Data Selection Summary

Signed in as ANANTHAKRISHNANR1.

mergesonde1mace c1 @ fkb M1 [Generate Citation](#) 274 file(s) // 6014 MB

Order Complete Datastream Extract Specific Measurements

Note: All variables will be delivered for this datastream.

Measurement : Atmospheric temperature
Variable : Temperature // temp

2007-04-01

2007-12-31

Combine files by datastream

File format

Remove data flagged by Data Quality Reports (DQR) of type Incorrect Suspect

Data Delivery Options

- FTP
- Globus
- THREDDS
- Dropbox

Extraction options only apply when "Extract Specific Measurements" is selected.

Original files will be delivered as part of all orders.



Analysis Workflow Integration: Wellcome Sanger

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Sanger Imputation Service

This is a free genotype **imputation** and **phasing** service provided by the [Wellcome Trust Sanger Institute](#). You can upload GWAS data in VCF or 23andMe format and receive imputed and phased genomes back. Click [here](#) to learn more and [follow us on Twitter](#).

Before you start

Be sure to [read through the instructions](#).

You will need to set up a free account with [Globus](#) and have [Globus Connect](#) running at your institute or on your computer to transfer files to and from the service.

Ready to start?

If you are ready to upload your data, please fill in the details below to **register an imputation and/or phasing job**. If you need more information, see the [about](#) page.

Full name

Organisation

Email address

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Globus user identity

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11/05/2016
Thanks to [EAGLE](#), we can now return **phased data**. The HRC panel has been updated to r1.1 to fix a [known issue](#). See [ChangeLog](#) for more details.

15/02/2016
Globus API changed, please see [updated instructions](#).

17/12/2015
New status page and reworked internals. See [ChangeLog](#).

09/11/2015
Pipeline updated to add some features requested by users. See [ChangeLog](#).

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Globus Platform

Auth API

Globus Auth: Foundational IAM service

- **Enables login for diverse app ecosystem**
- **Simplifies creation/integration of apps, services**
- **Outsources mundane feature development**
- **Brokers authentication and authorization interactions**
- **Protects REST API communications**
- **No new identity required**
- **Employs least privileges security model**
- **Programming language and framework agnostic**



Globus Auth

docs.globus.org/api/auth

- **Specification**
- **Developer Guide**
- **API Reference**



Based on widely used web standards

- **OAuth 2.0 Authorization Framework (a.k.a. OAuth2)**
- **OpenID Connect Core 1.0 (a.k.a. OIDC)**
- **Access via OAuth2 and OIDC libraries of your choice**
 - Google OAuth Client Libraries (Java, Python, etc.), Apache mod_auth_openidc, etc.
 - Globus Python SDK

docs.globus.org/api/auth



Fundamental Concepts

- **Scopes: APIs that client is requesting access to**
 - Scope syntax: OpenID Connect: openid, email, profile
 - urn:globus:auth:scope:<service-name>:<scope-name>
- **Consents: authorization client to access a service, within limited scope, on the resource owner's behalf**



Globus account

- **Globus Account = Primary identity + Linked Identities**
 - An identity can be primary on only one account
 - Identities can be linked to only one account
- **Account does not have own identifier**
 - An account is uniquely identified using its primary identity



Identity *id* vs. *username*

- **Identity *id***
 - Unique among all Globus Auth identities; will never be reused
 - UUID
 - Always use this to refer to an identity
- **Identity *username***
 - Unique at any point in time; may change, may be re-used
 - Case-insensitive user@domain
 - Can map to/from id, for user experience
- **Auth API allows mapping back and forth**



App registration

- **Client_id and client_secret for service**
- **App display name**
- **Declare required scopes**
 - Need long-term, offline refresh tokens?
 - May require authorization from scope admin
- **OAuth2 redirect URIs**
- **Links for terms of service & privacy policy**
- **Effective identity policy (optional)**

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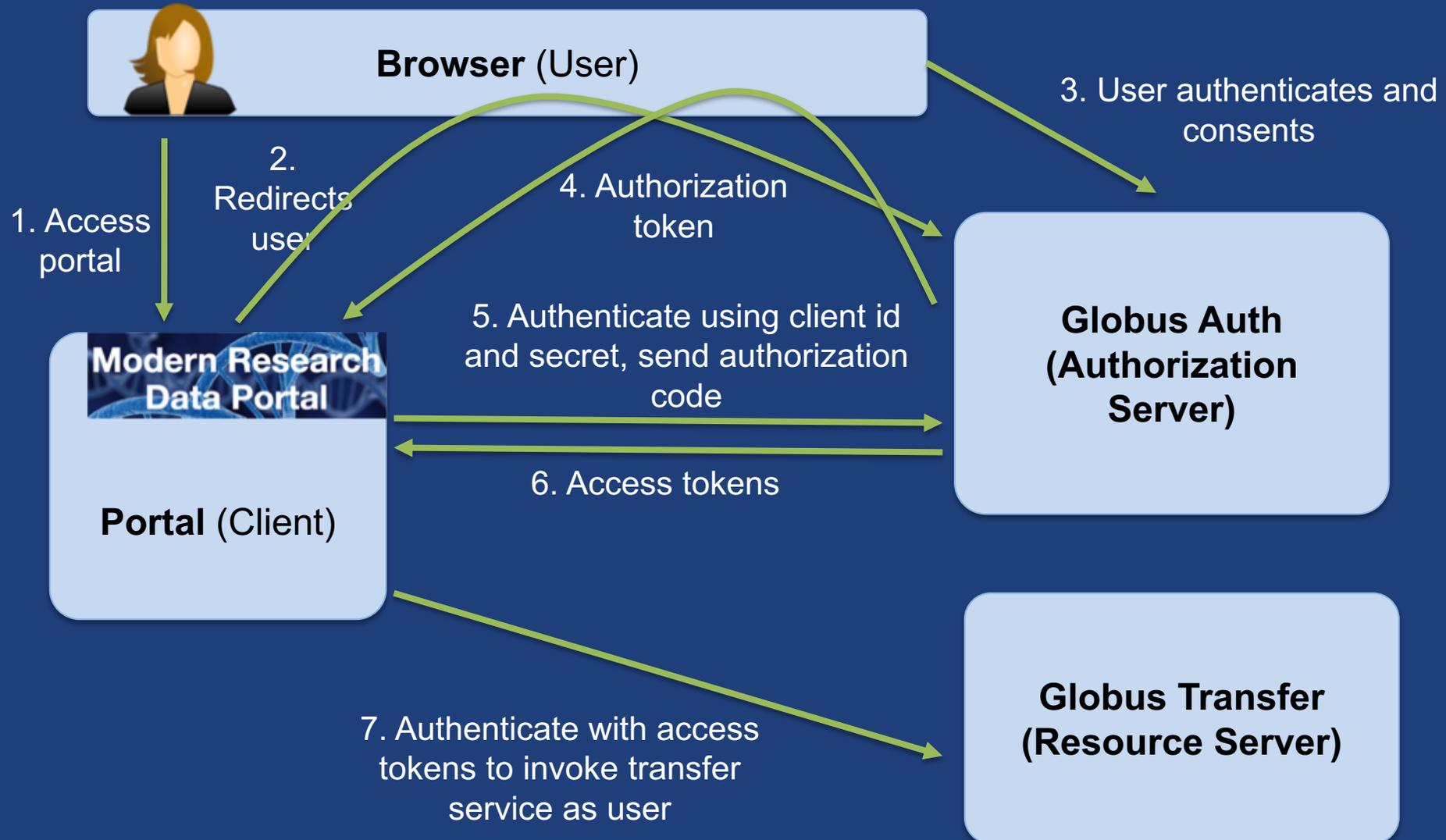


Use case: Portal calling services on user's behalf

- **Examples**
 - Portal starting transfer for user
- **Authorization Code Grant**
 - With service scopes
 - Can also request OIDC scopes
- **Confidential client**
- **Globus SDK:**
 - To get tokens: ConfidentialAppAuthClient
 - To use tokens: AccessTokenAuthorizer

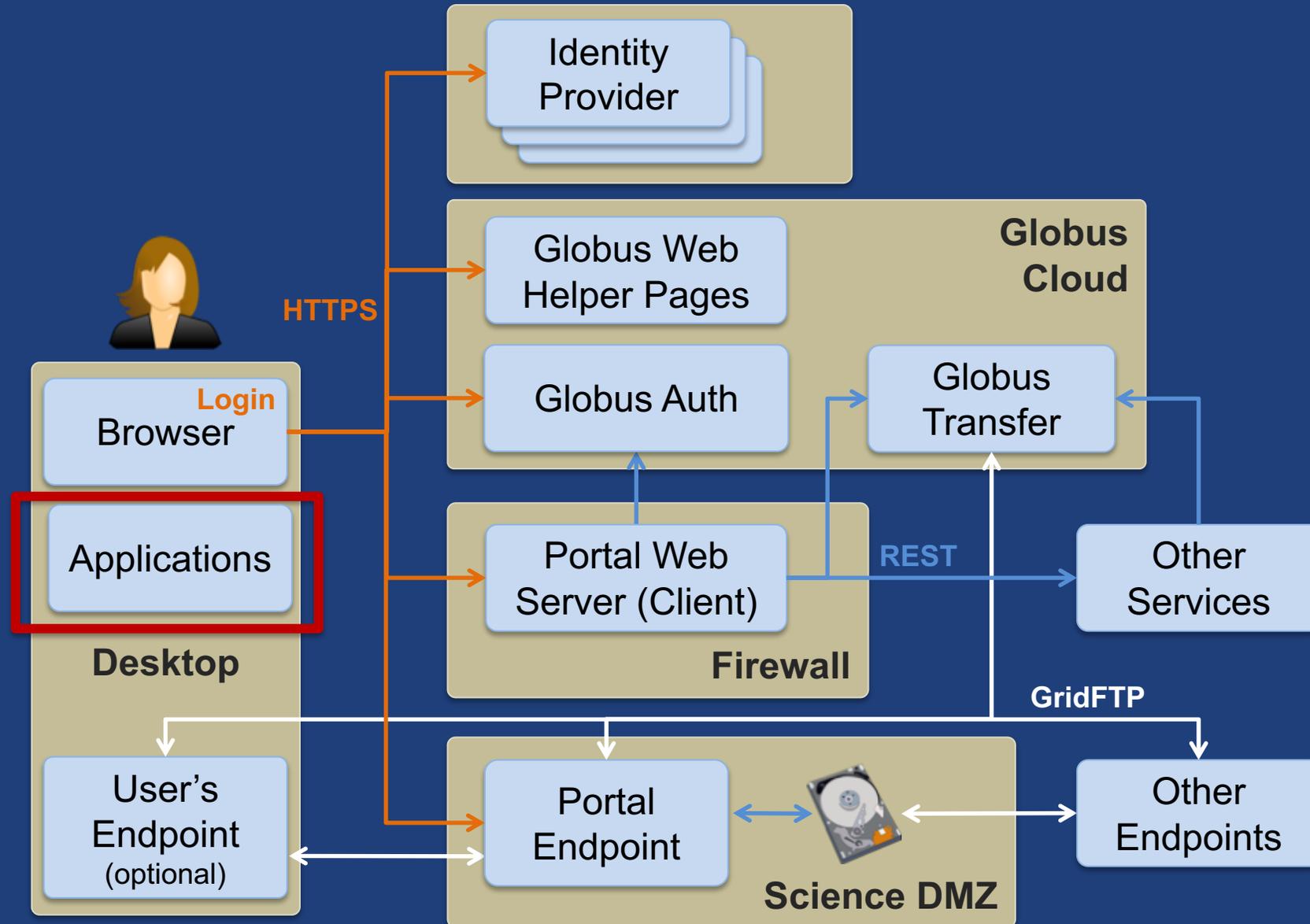


Authorization Code Grant





Prototypical research data portal



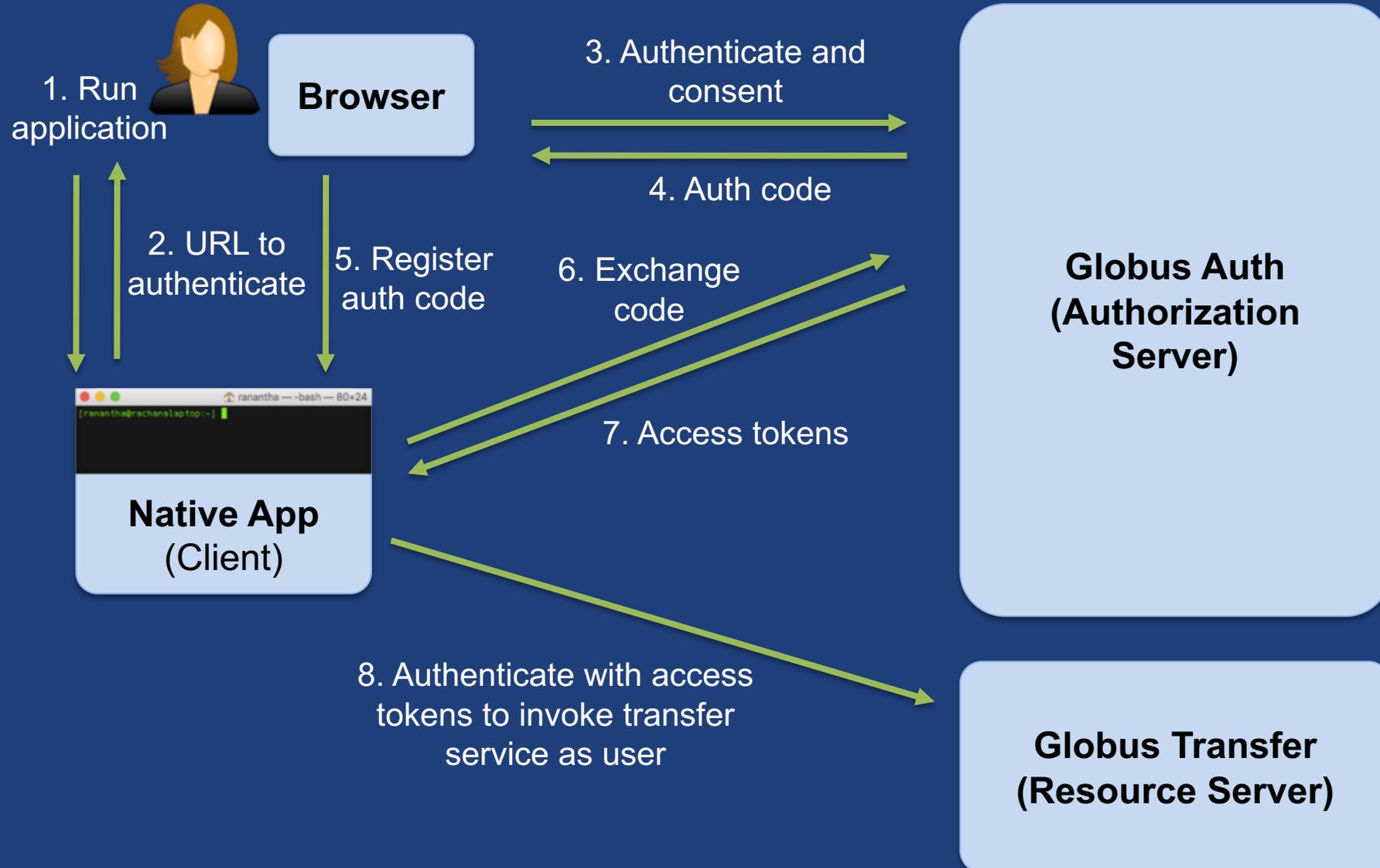


Use case: Native apps

- **Examples (any client that cannot keep a secret)**
 - Command line, desktop apps
 - Mobile apps
 - Jupyter notebooks
- **Native app is registered with Globus Auth**
 - Not a confidential client
- **Native App Grant is used**
 - Variation on the Authorization Code Grant
- **Globus SDK:**
 - To get tokens: `NativeAppAuthClient`
 - To use tokens: `AccessTokenAuthorizer`



Native App grant





Use case: Apps that need long-lived access tokens

- **Examples**

- Portal checks for transfer status when user is not logged in
- Run command line app from script

- **App requests refresh tokens**

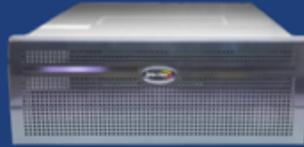
- **Globus SDK:**

- To get token: ConfidentialAppClient or NativeAppClient
- To use tokens: RefreshTokenAuthorizer



Automation Example: Repeated replication

Recurring transfers
with sync option



Copy /ingest
Daily @ 3:30am



- **Using Globus CLI or SDK**
- **Meant to be run via cron or other task manager**
- **Native app grant**



Exercise: Automation using the Globus CLI

- **Use the cli-sync script to sync files between the ESnet test endpoint and your personal endpoint**
 - Find the respective endpoint IDs and update the script (or parameterize it, if you feel adventurous!)
 - Decide on a source and target directory and reflect this in the script – please use one of the small(er) datasets

<https://github.com/globus/automation-examples/blob/master/cli-sync.sh>

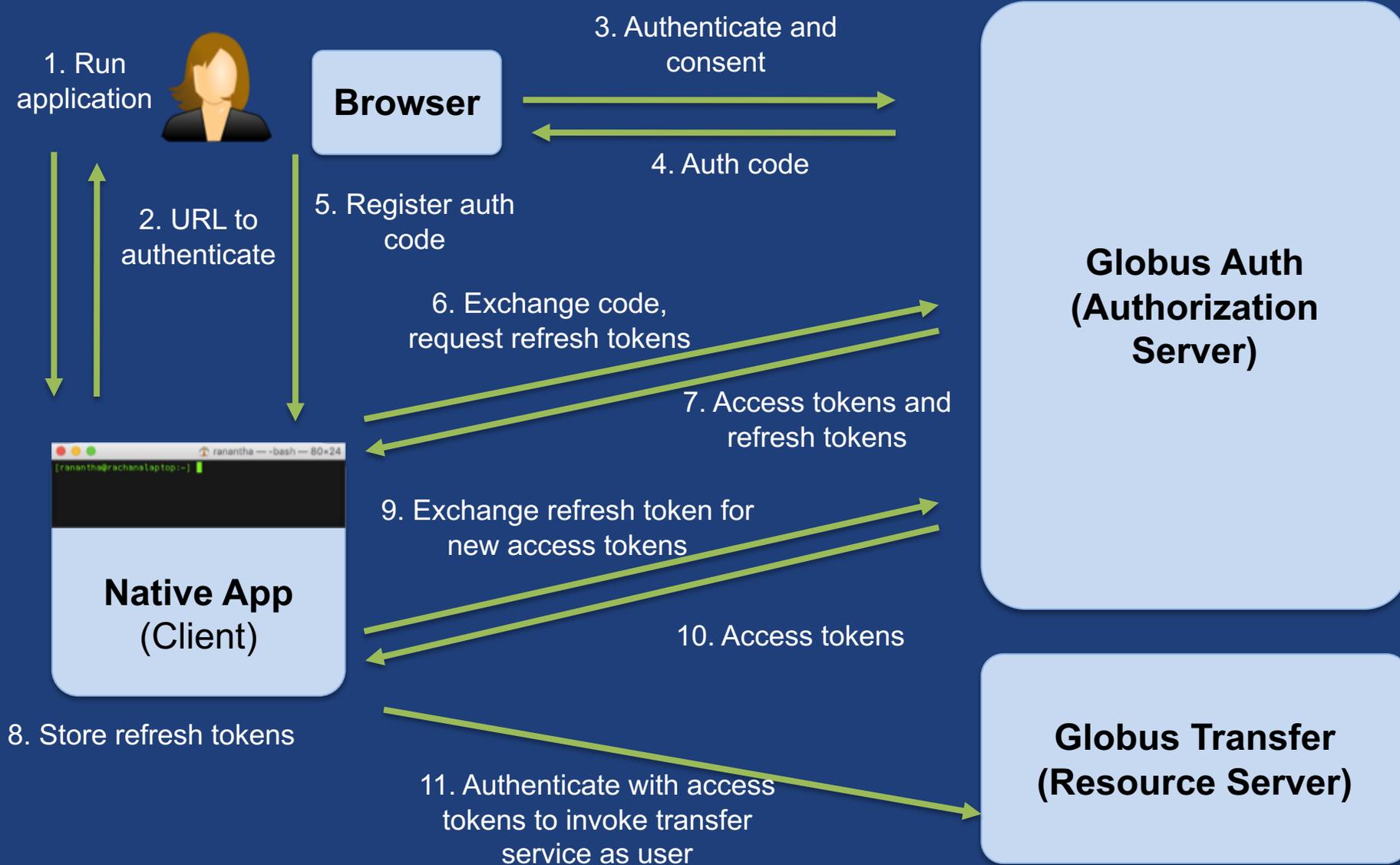


Refresh tokens

- **For “offline services”**
 - e.g., transfer working on your behalf even when you are offline
- **Refresh tokens issued to client, in particular scope**
- **Client uses refresh token to get access token**
 - Confidential client: `client_id` and `client_secret` required
 - Native app: `client_secret` not required
- **Refresh token good for 6 months after last use**
- **Consent rescindment revokes resource token**



Refresh tokens





Demo: Native App/Refresh Tokens

github.com/globus/native-app-examples

- **See README for installation**
- **`./example_copy_paste.py`**
 - Copy paste code to the app
- **`./example_copy_paste_refresh_token.py`**
 - Stores refresh token locally, uses it to get new access tokens

Use case: App invoking services as itself

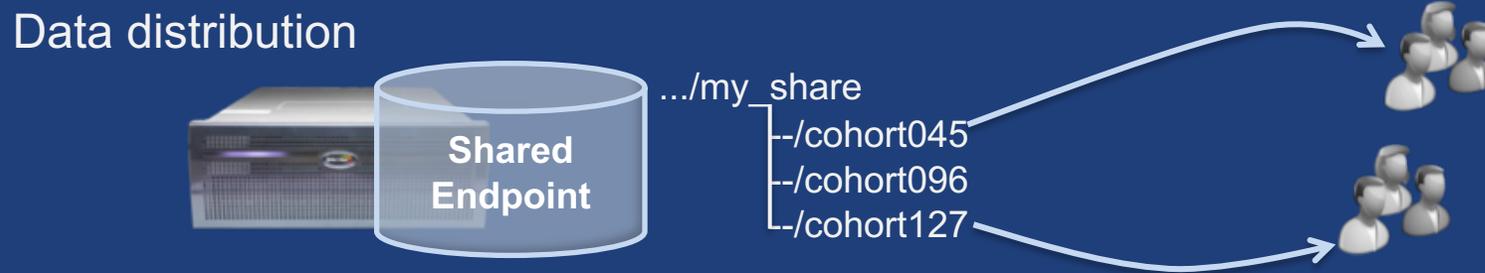
- **Examples**
 - Sample portal invoking graph service and accessing endpoints as itself
 - Robots, agents, services
- **Every app is/has an identity in Globus Auth**
(`<client_id>@clients.auth.globus.org`)
- **App registers with Globus to get client id/secret**
 - Native app cannot do this (no `client_secret`)
- **Uses Client Credential Grant**
- **Can use the `client_id` just like any other `identity_id`**
 - Sharing access manager role, permissions, group membership, etc.
- **Globus SDK:**
 - To get tokens: `ConfidentialAppAuthClient`
 - To use tokens: `AccessTokenAuthorizer`



User identity vs. portal identity

- **User logging into portal results in portal having user's identity and access token**
 - Used to make requests on the user's behalf
- **Portal may also need its own identity**
 - Access and refresh tokens for this identity
 - Used to make requests on its own behalf, e.g. set an ACL on a shared endpoint

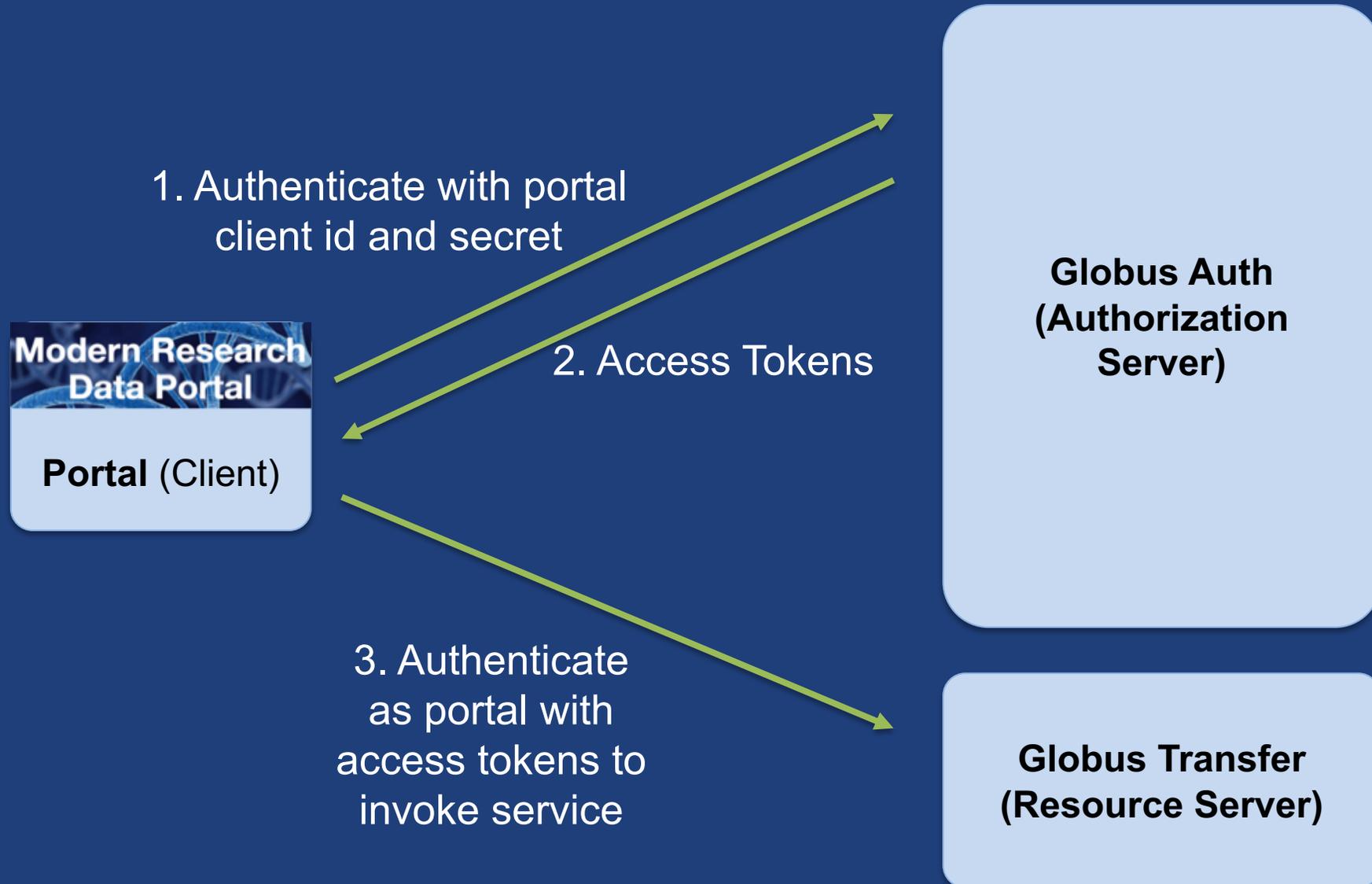
Automation Example: Data distribution



- **Uses Auth and Transfer API via SDK**
- **Native app grant**
- **Client credential grant**
 - Portal or service
 - Permission for the client id



Client credential grant



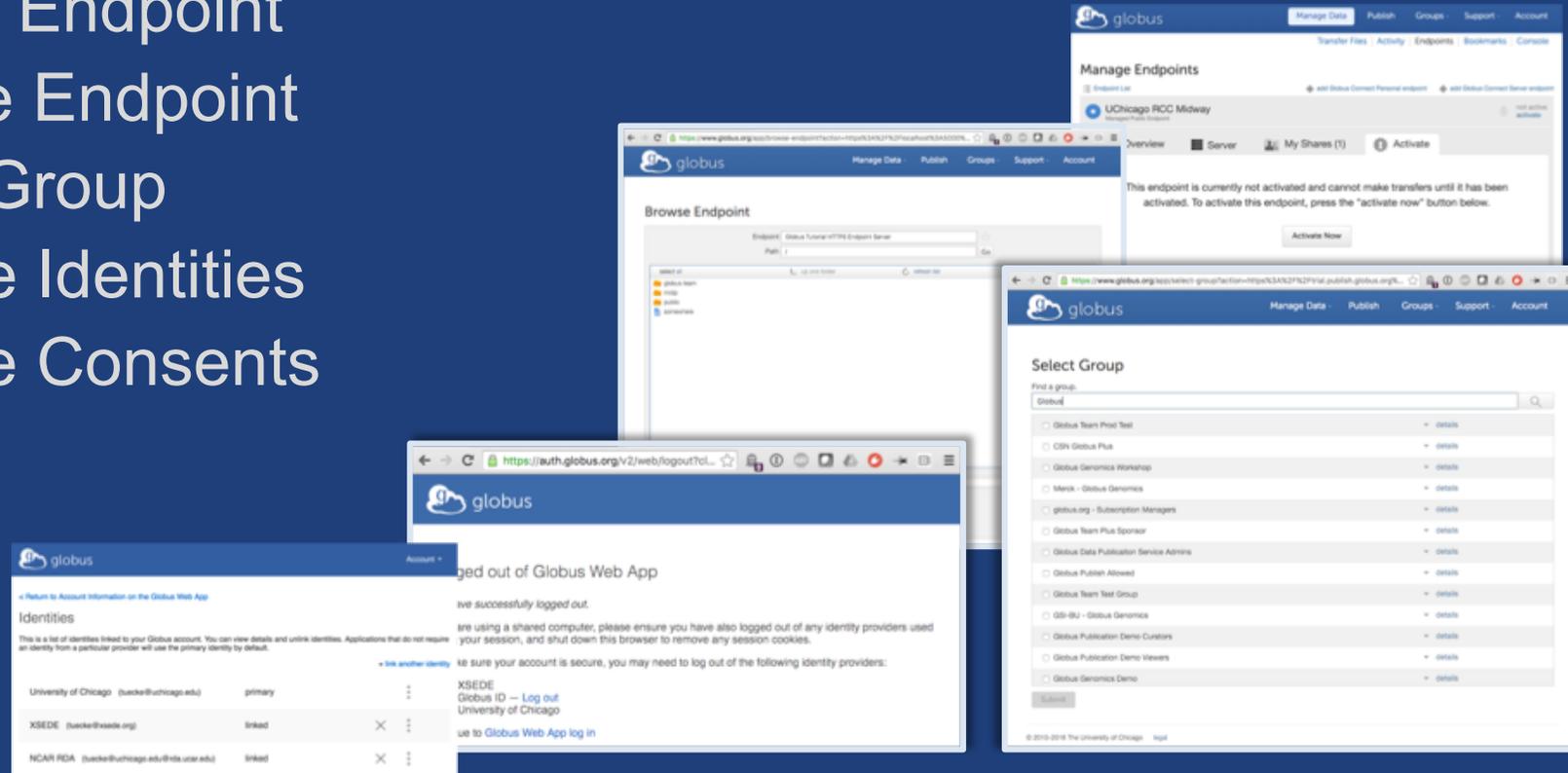
Exercise: Automation using the REST API

- **Use the `share_data` Python script to share files with your neighbor**
 - Modify the script to:
 - Create a shared endpoint
 - Add access permissions to the shared endpoint for your neighbor
 - Move data to the shared endpoint
 - Check that your neighbor received the sharing notification



Globus Helper Pages

- **Globus pages designed for use by your web apps**
 - Browse Endpoint
 - Activate Endpoint
 - Select Group
 - Manage Identities
 - Manage Consents
 - Logout



docs.globus.org/api/helper-pages



Globus PaaS developer resources

Python SDK

Modern Research Data Portal

Requirements

- You need to be in the tutorial users group for sharing: <https://www.globus.org/app/groups/50b6a29c-63e...>
- Installed Globus Python SDK

Jupyter Notebook

```
In [15]: from __future__ import print
tutorial_endpoint_1 = "ddb59ae1-0004-11e5-ba46-22000b92c6ec" # endpoint "Glo
tutorial_endpoint_2 = "ddb59af0-6d04-11e5-ba46-22000b92c6ec" # endpoint "Glo
tutorial_users_group = "50b6a29c-63ac-11e4-8062-22000ab68755" # group "Tutori
```

Configuration

First you will need to configure the client with an OAuth2 access token. For the purpose of this tutorial, you ca... website. Click the "Jupyter Notebook" option and copy the resulting text below, or click on "Globus CLI" and...

```
In [16]: transfer_token = None # if None, tries to get token from ~/.globus.cfg file
```

Sample Application

docs.globus.org/api

github.com/globus

Support resources

- **Globus documentation:** docs.globus.org
- **Helpdesk and issue escalation:** support@globus.org
- **Customer engagement team**
- **Globus professional services team**
 - Assist with portal/gateway/app architecture and design
 - Develop custom applications that leverage the Globus platform
 - Advise on customized deployment and integration scenarios



Join the Globus community

- Access the service: globus.org/login
- Create a personal endpoint: globus.org/app/endpoints/create-gcp
- Documentation: docs.globus.org
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