

Worked on agenda for the V4 workshop ---

We will give the agreed upon agenda to Dirk for the Friday morning session

(what is our agenda for Monday and Tuesday?)

Review the opening talk to verify that it adequately introduces version 4 to the community.

Review of PVAccess

- 1) PVAccess needs to have an introduction to PVData
- 2) a bit more in the abstract – including what motivates it.
- 3) Greg will correct all of the grammar offline and send out the changes
- 4) UTF8 is being supported, not UTF16. The impact on schedule is too significant to allow the impact on our project.
- 5) Differences from V3: Data is sent by in native order. No beacon for connection alive – traffic does this. Lack of traffic is handled with a specific request to the server. This reduces network traffic.
- 6) Don't have good idea for congestion support
- 7) Future might be good to implement monitors with multi-cast (for images)
- 8) Need to add flush – to allow the application to push out messages. (should the magic number to flush the buffers be somehow set with an environment variable? – Just a question from Bob).

Action item: BNL will set up a power PC test platform for Matej. Guabao will work with BNL guys and act as interface to Matej.

Motion to publish – Greg. Any dissent – Resolution to publish the PVAccess documentation.

Announcement next week at the meeting.