

Identity: Theory, Practice and Future directions

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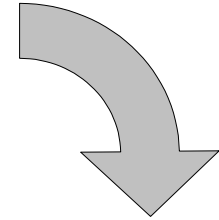
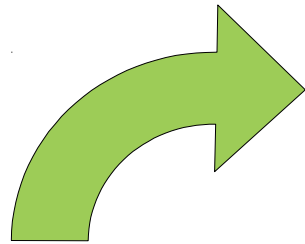
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This talk: in a nutshell



**Can read
a file?**

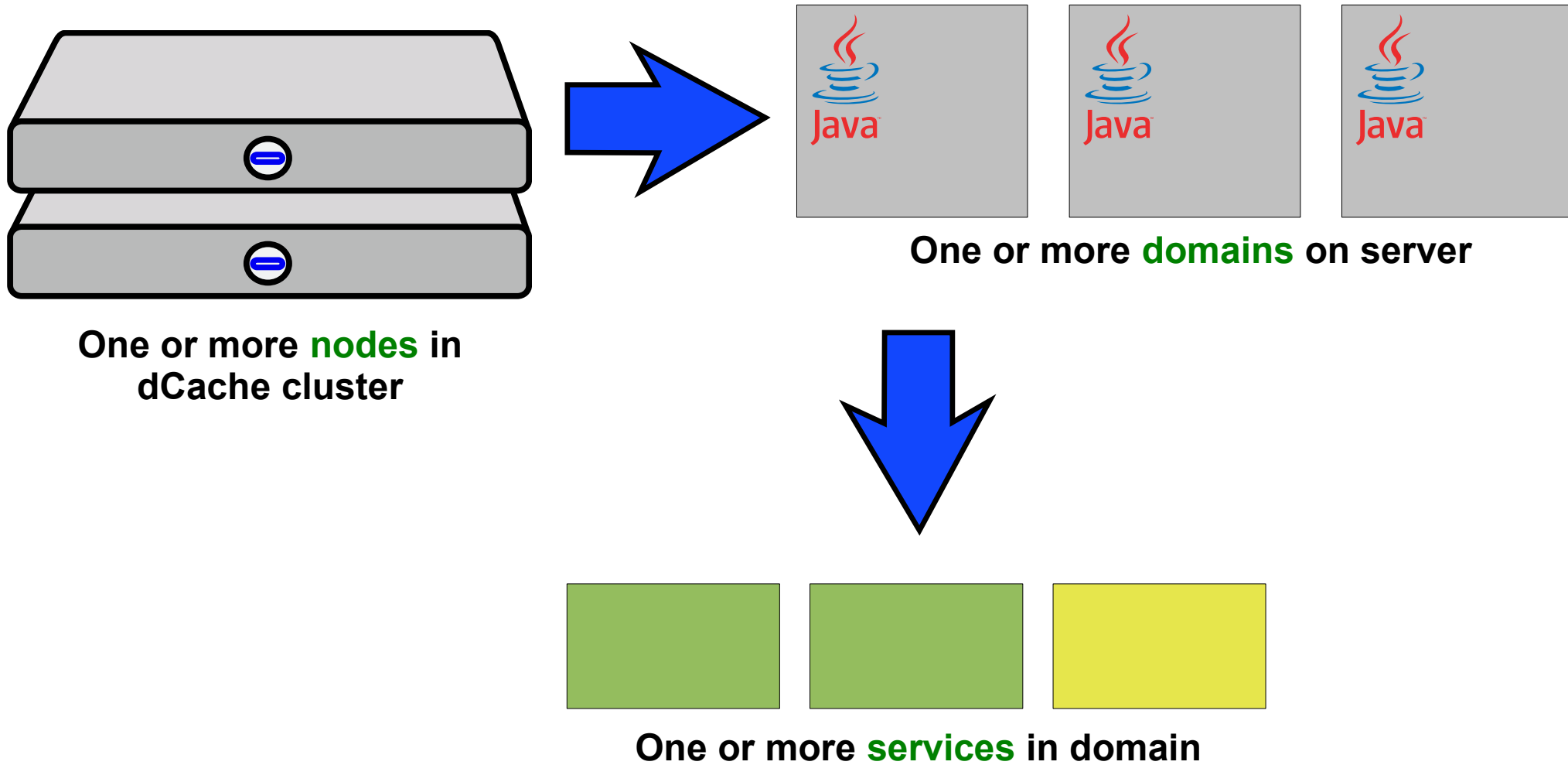
**Can write
a file?**

**Can delete
a file?**

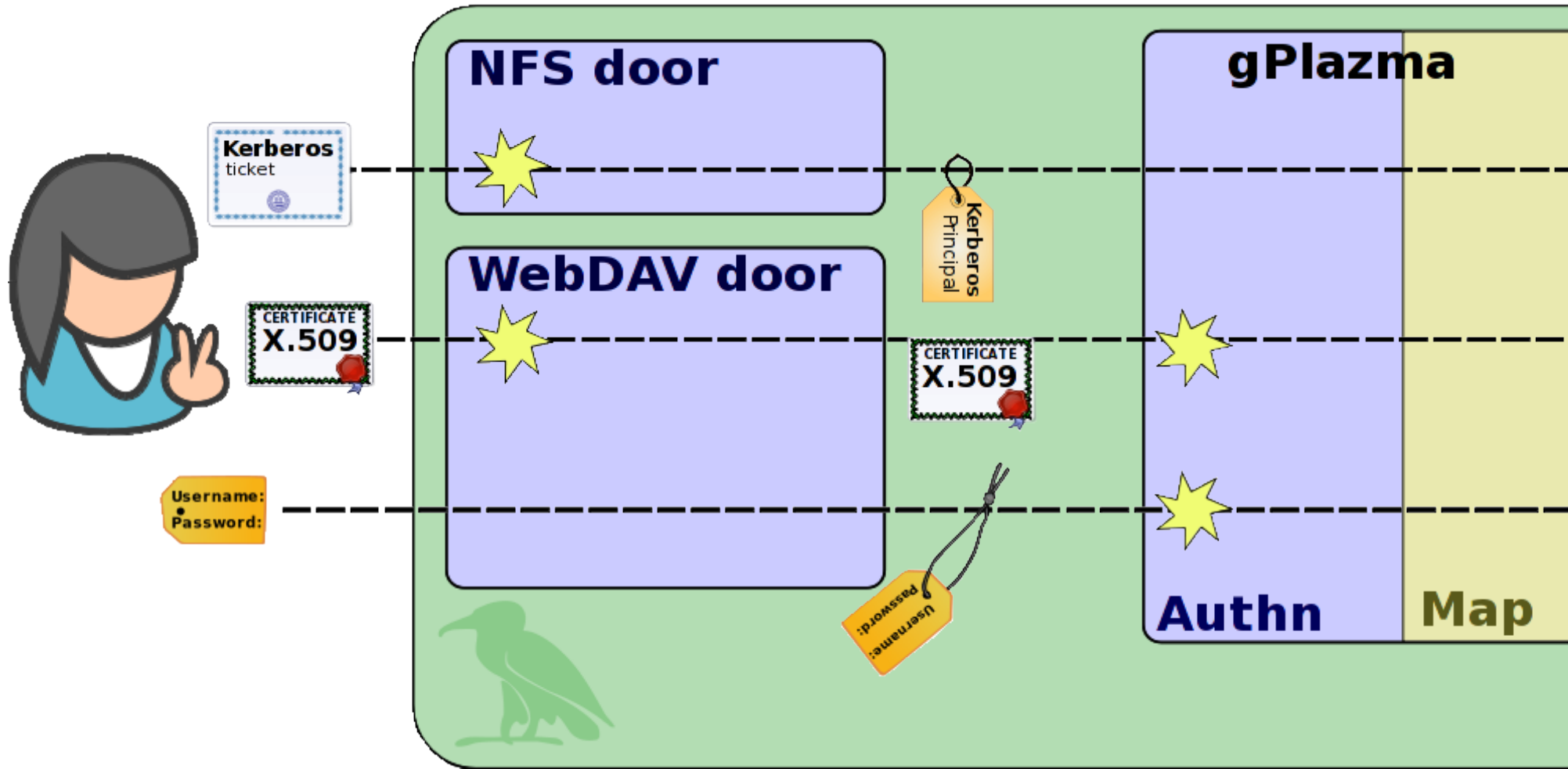
**Stage file
from tape?**

**Can create
directory?**

dCache deployment architecture



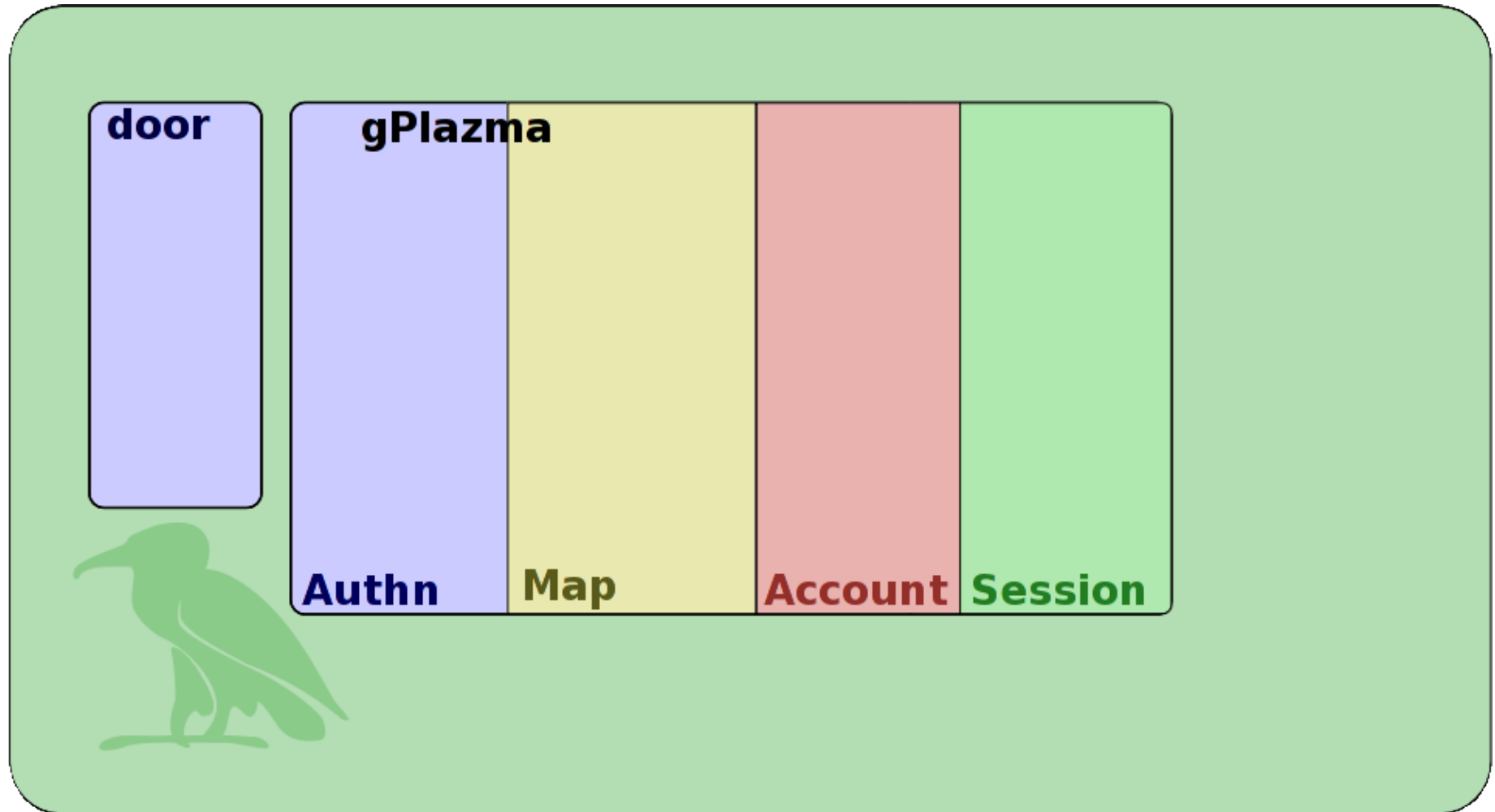
Authentication: door, both or gPlazma



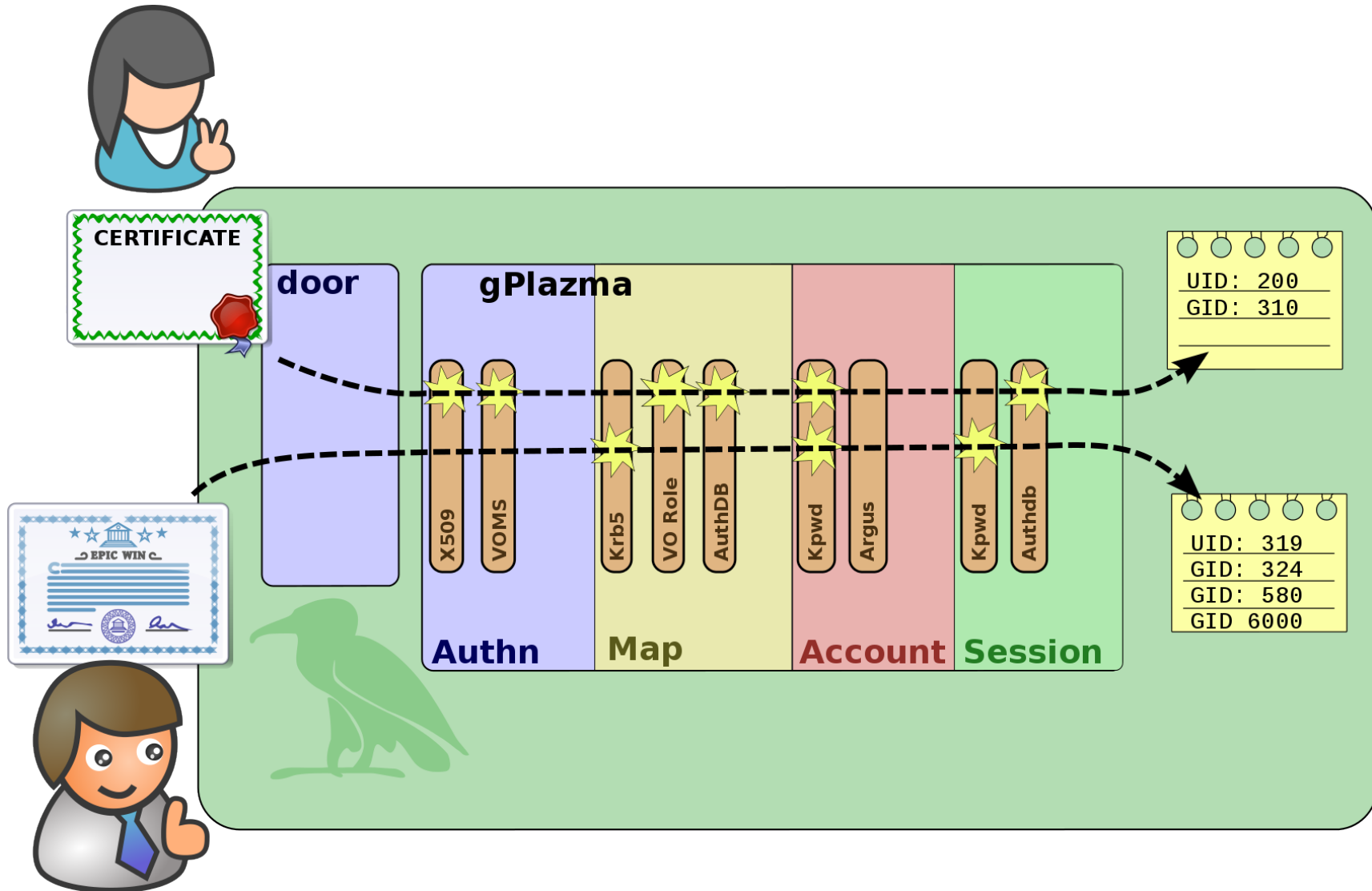
gPlazma as part of dCache

- Users use client software
 - Client (software) connects to a door
 - Client convinces door, or door+gPlazma, or gPlazma who the user is
 - Communication between a door and gPlazma is a “login request” message, which gPlazma sends a “login response”
 - gPlazma converts that to a uid, one or more gids, a root directory (might be /), a home directory (might be /) and an optional read-only flag.
 - Exceptions: anonymous access in HTTP/WebDAV (if enabled)
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Logging in: the four phases



Logging in: four phases, using plugins



Example plugin #1: X.509 plugin



Example plugin #2: gridmap



Example plugin #3: ldap plugin



Worked example #1: Username + Password



Worked example #2: Kerberos



Worked example #3: X.509 and VOMS



Future directions: token service



Future directions: SAML for web-browser



Future directions: SAML for non-browser



The End



Backup Slides



Need to identify the users

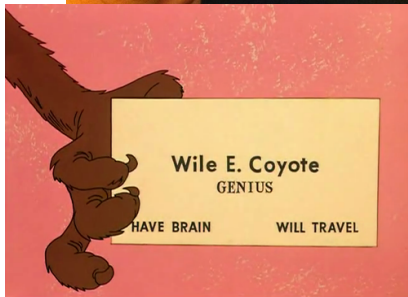


What happens when entering country



- Is it a valid ID card?
- Does the person look like the photo?
- Pull out information
Nationality: **German**
- Make decision

Credential vs Principal



Name: **Wile E. Coyote**

ACME customer ID: **11493**

Passport number: **0008103314**

Bank account number: **001213921**

Banks with: **United ACME Bank**

Member-of: **Antagonists Anonymous**



Credentials

Principals

Authenticate and extract principals



Name: **Erika Mustermann**

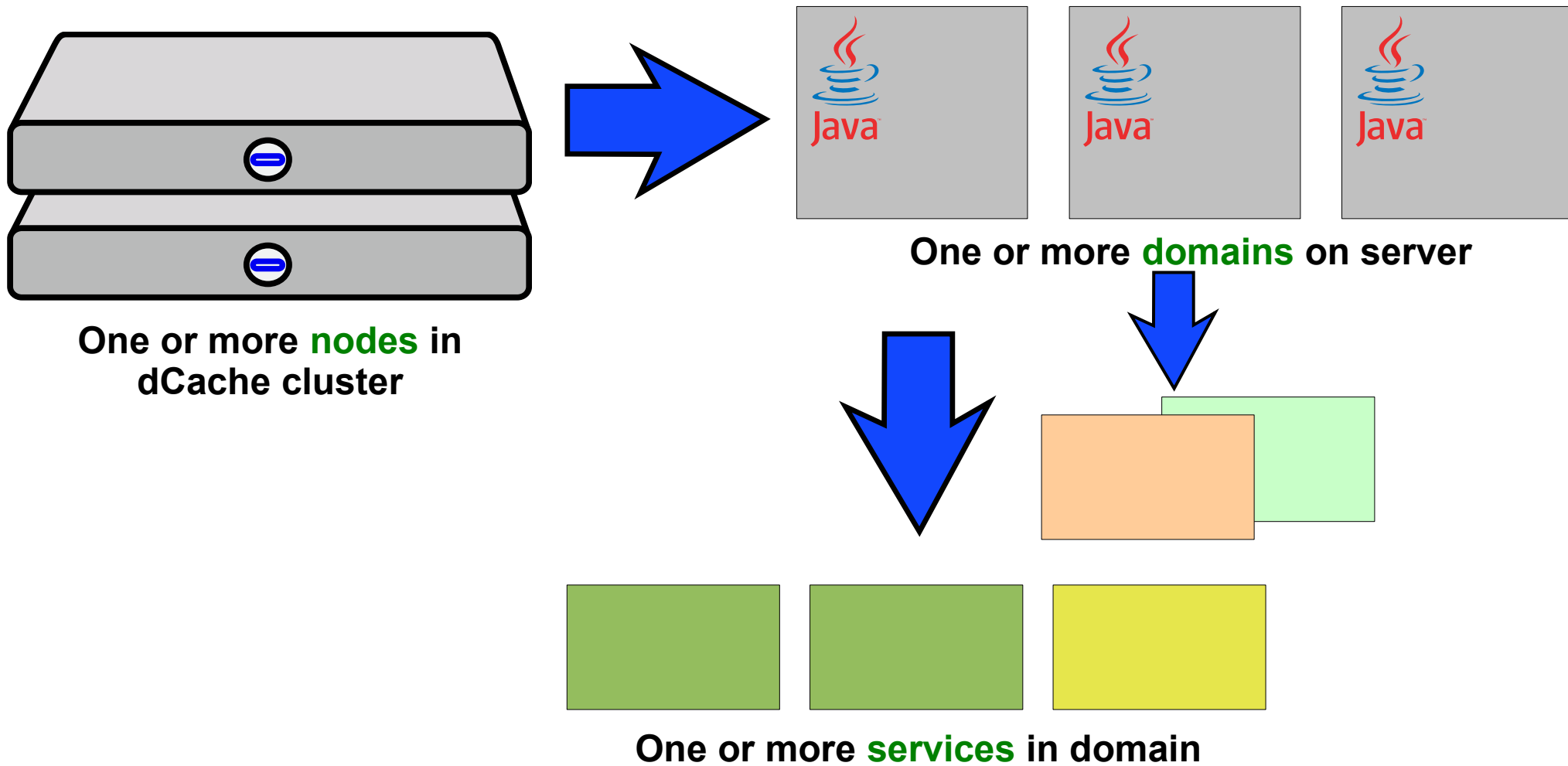
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Place of Birth: **Berlin**

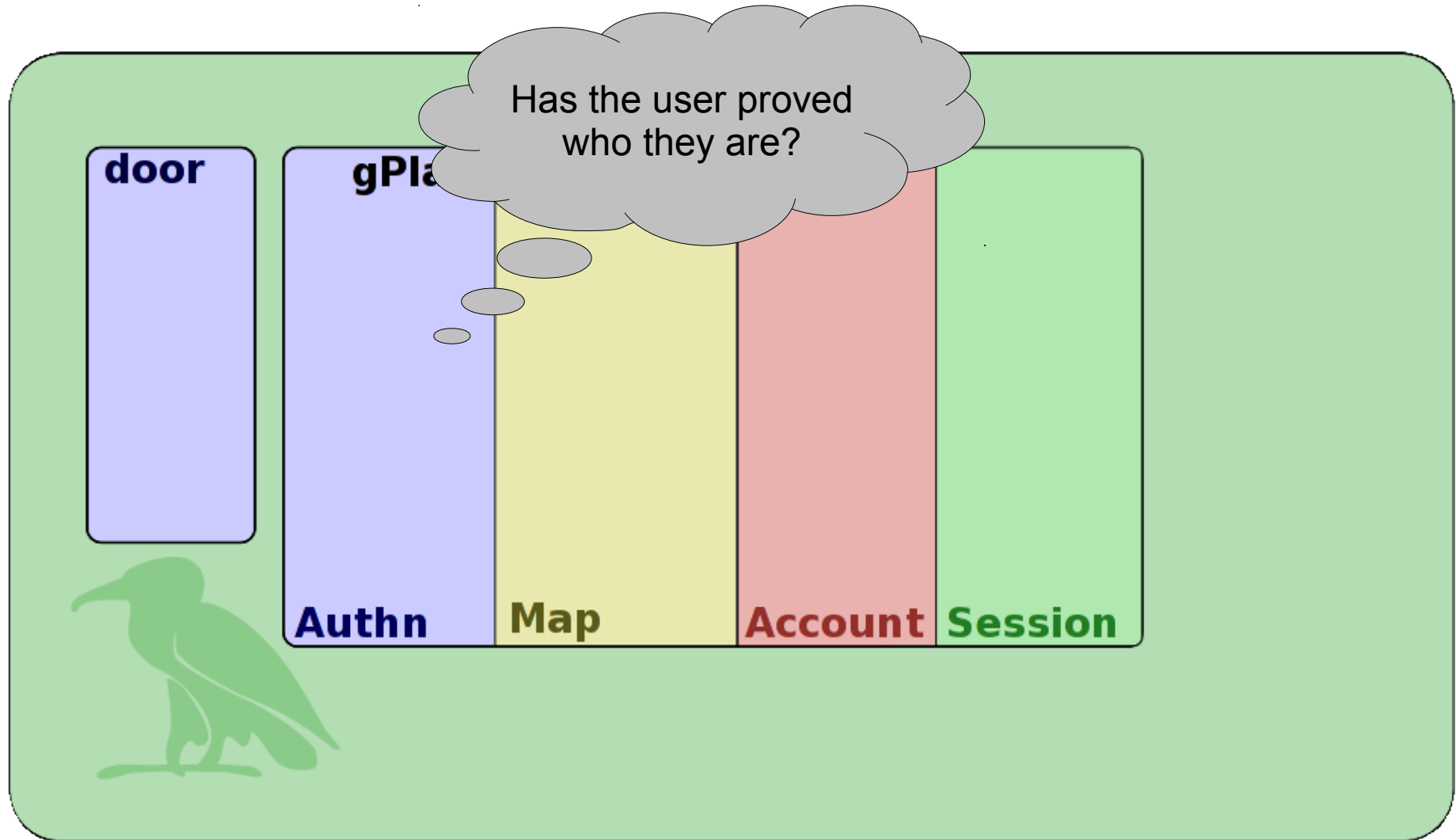
Credential

Principals

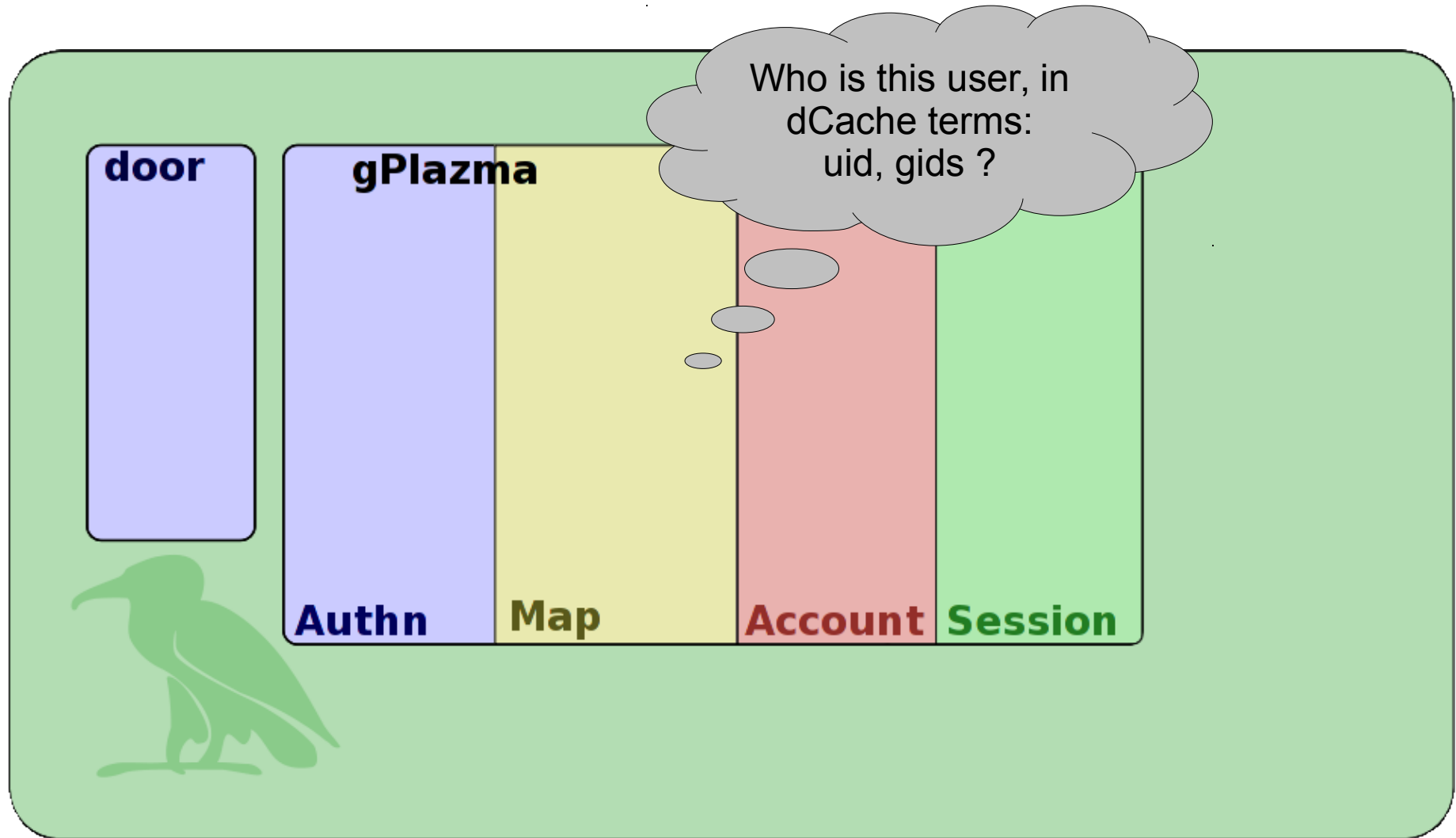
dCache deployment architecture



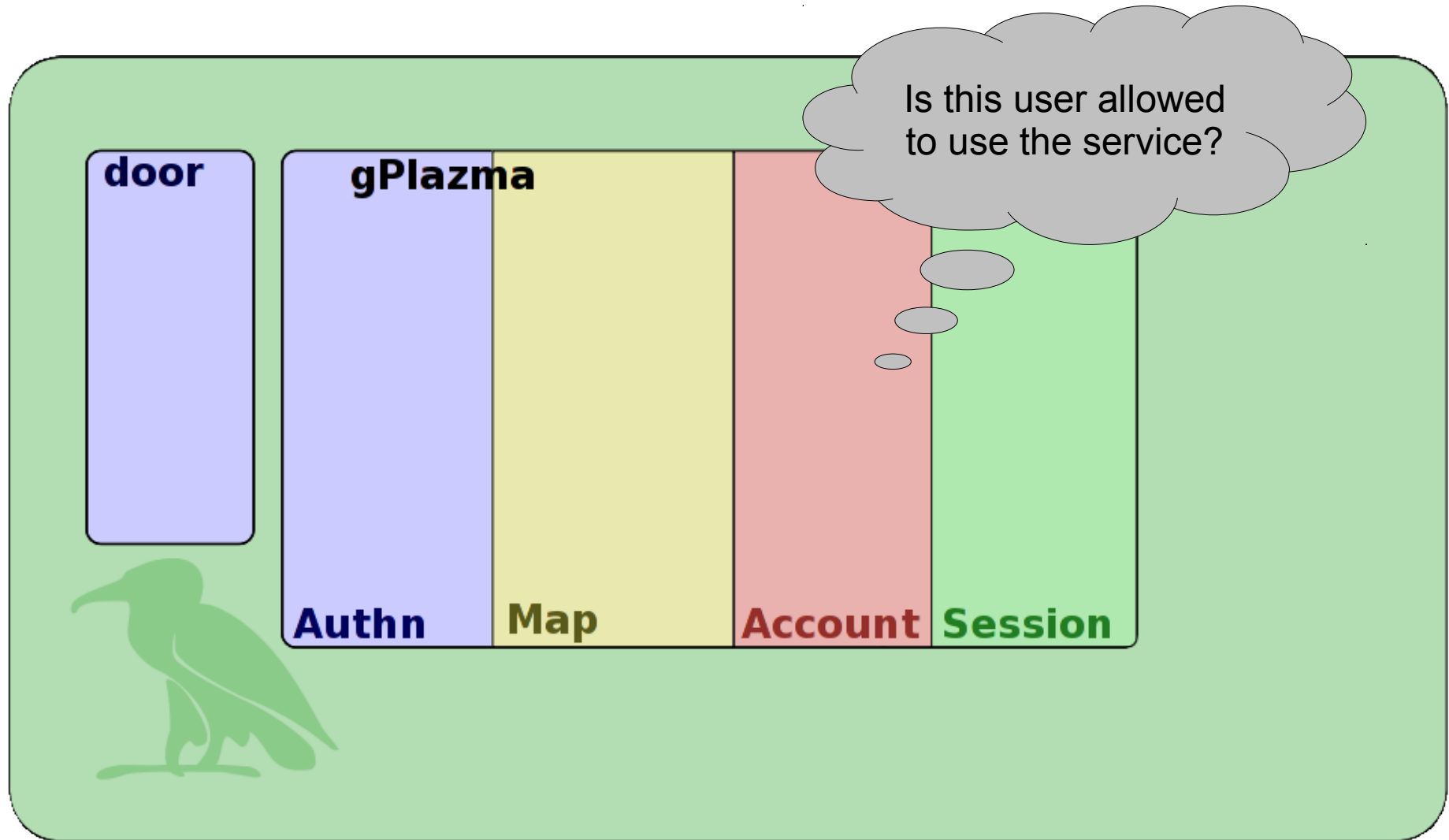
Logging in: the four phases



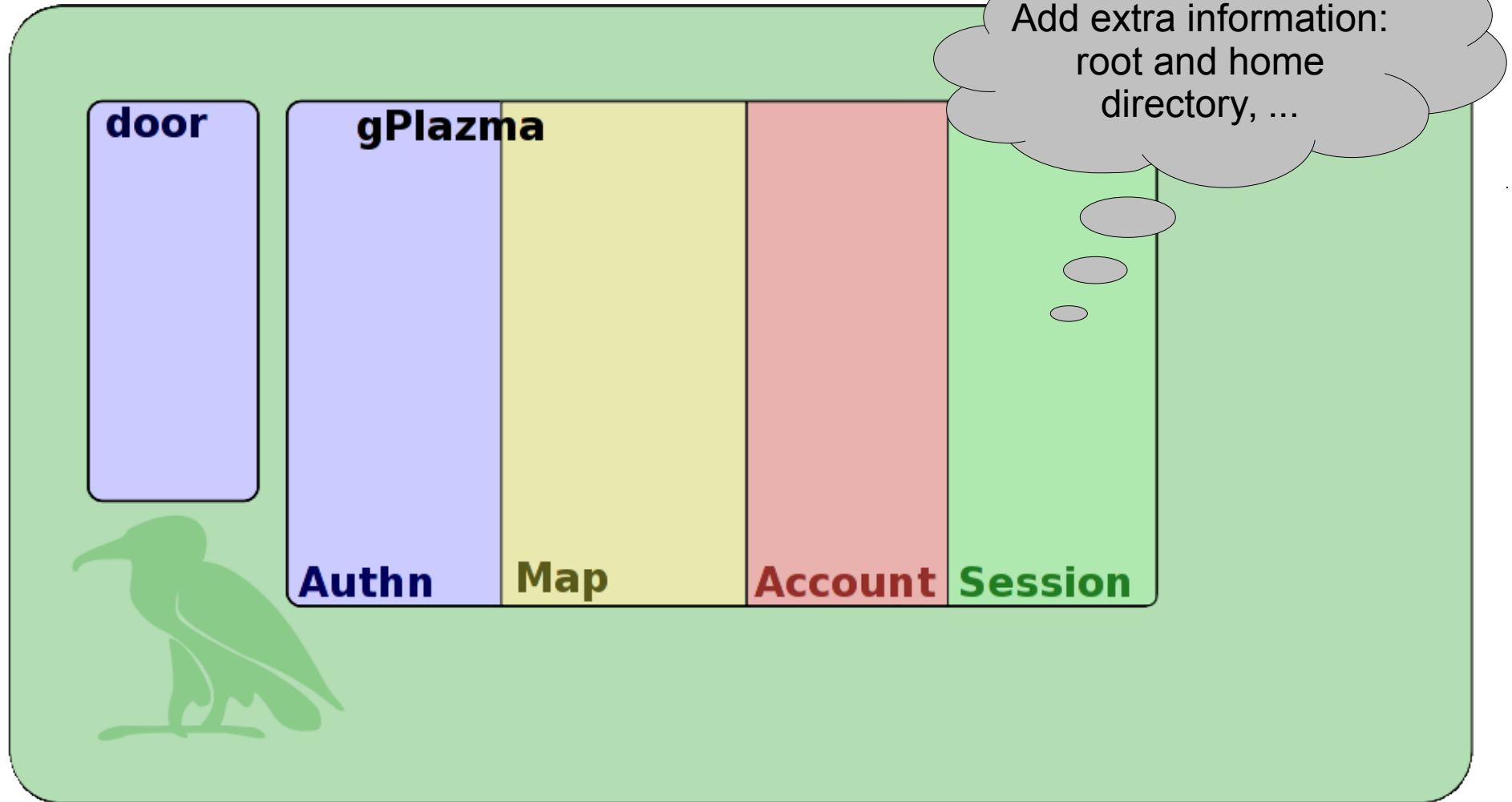
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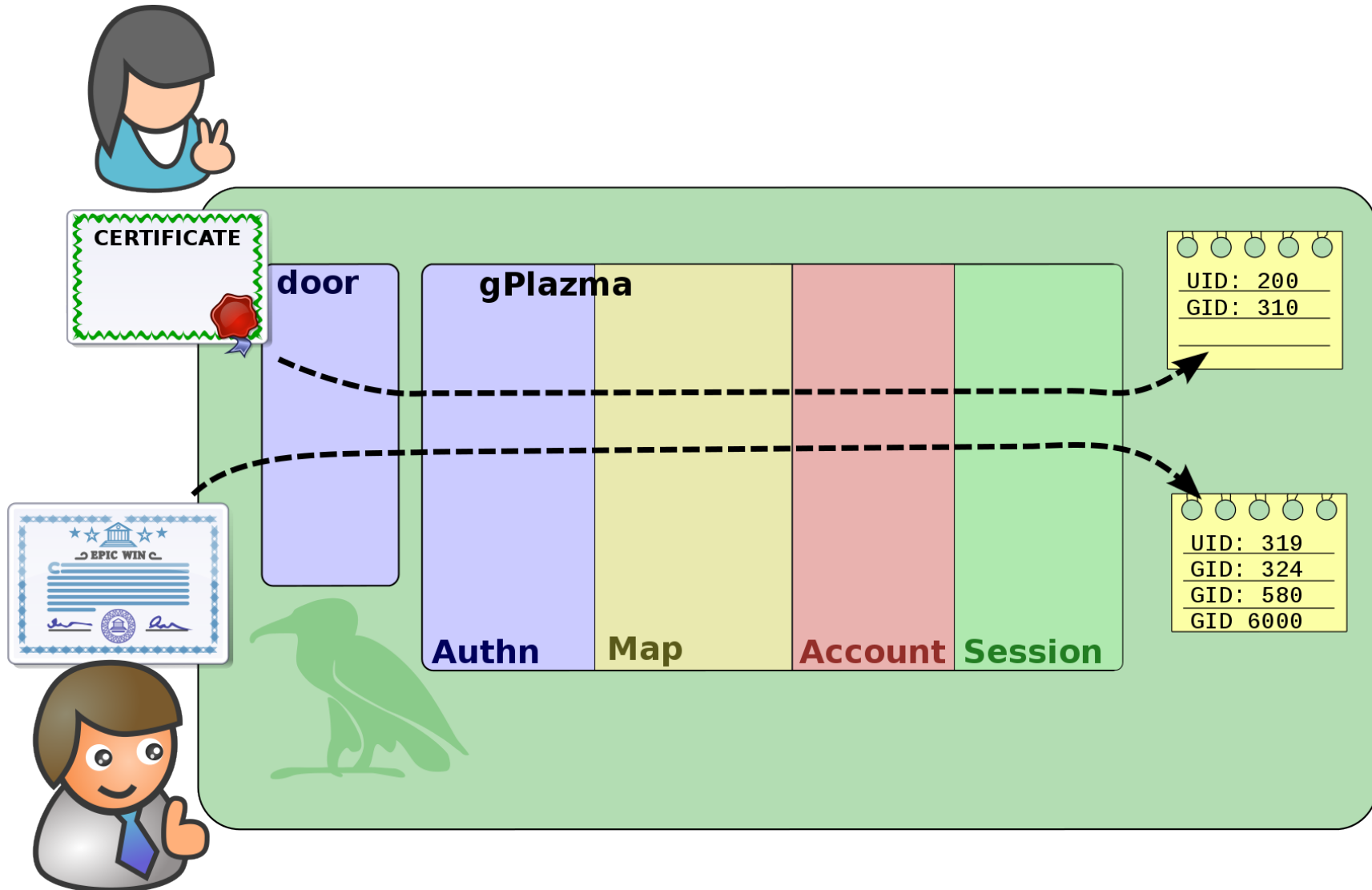
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Logging in: the four phases

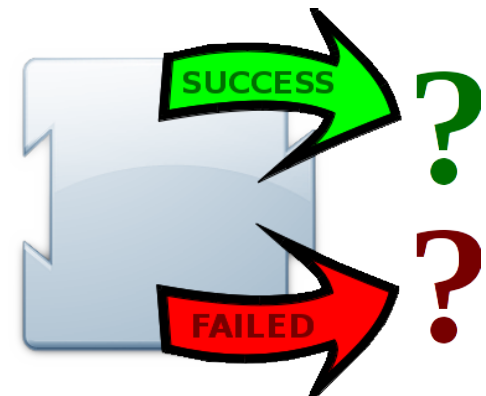
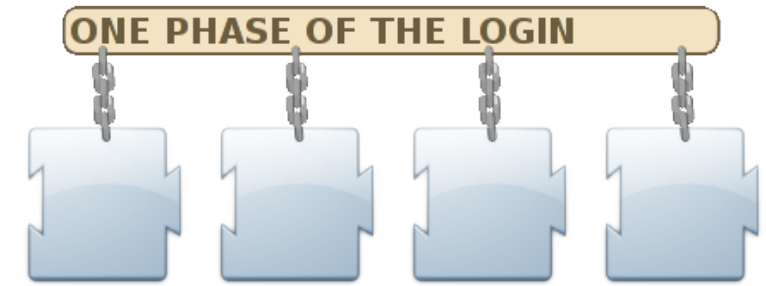


Logging in: four phases



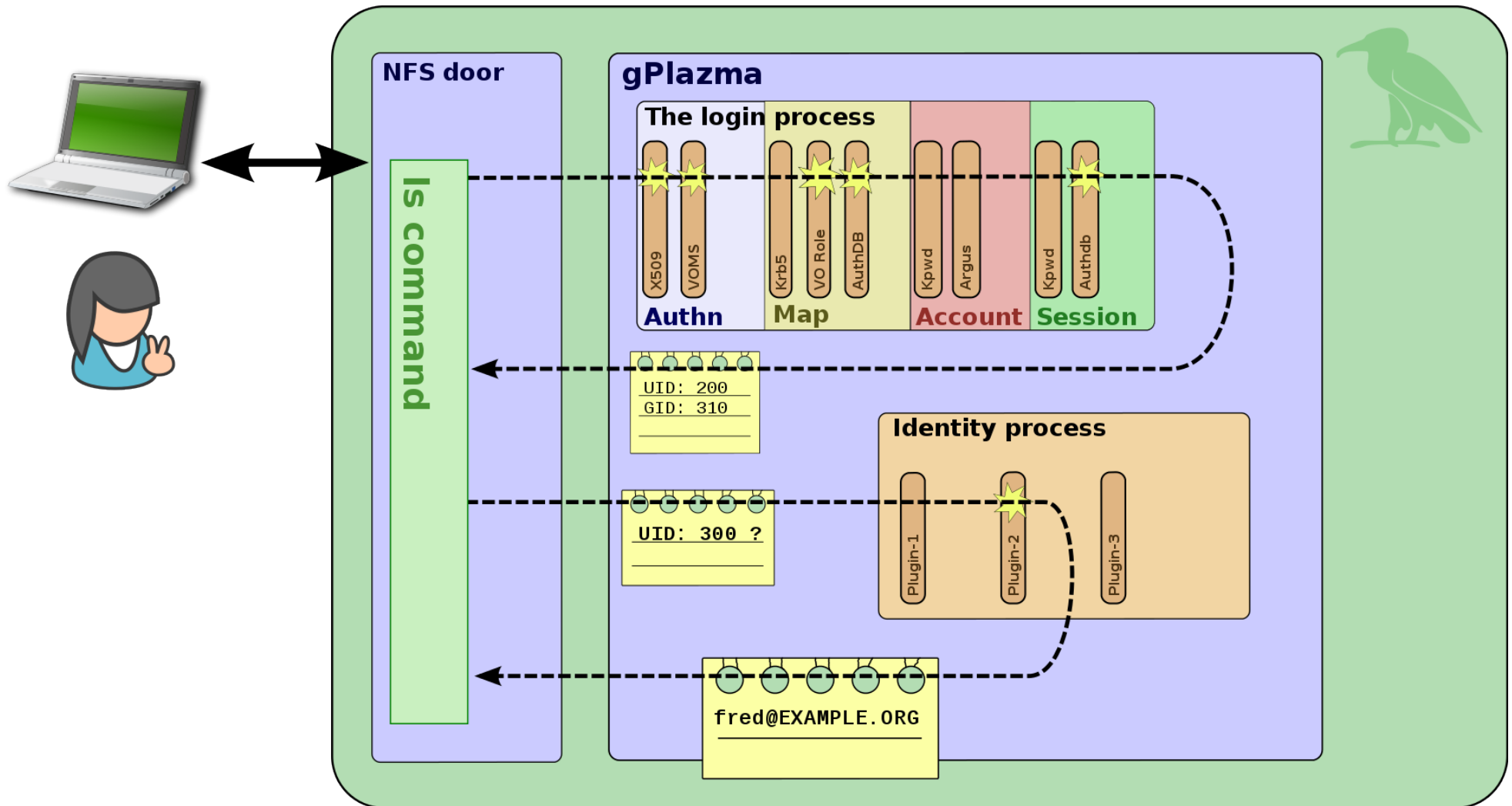
Wiring plugins together

- Each phase is comprised of plugins
 - Result of a phase depends on the result of running these plugins
- When a plugin runs:
 - Running a plugin is either **success** or **failure**.
 - Plugins that fail sometimes is expected
- Four options describe what to do next:



Name	Description
optional	Success or failure of the plugin doesn't matter; always move onto next one in the phase
sufficient	Successful plugin finishes the phase with success
requisite	Failing plugin finishes the phase with failure
required	Failing plugin fails the phase but remaining plugins are still run

Something extra: identity mapping



Available plugins: auth phase

- x509
- voms
- kpwd
- httpasswd
- xacml
- jaas

Available plugins: map phase

- gridmap
- vorolemap
- krb5
- mutator
- nsswitch
- authzdb
- nis
- kpwd

Available plugins: account phase

- argus
- kpwd
- banfile

Available plugins: session phase

- authzdb
- nis
- kpwd

Available plugins: identity

- nis
- nsswitch

Introducing gPlazma result printer

Simple example

```
LOGIN FAIL
|   in: host/zitpcx6184.desy.de@DESY.DE
|
+--AUTH OK
|   |
|   +--x509 OPTIONAL:FAIL (no X509 certificate chain) => OK
|   |
|   +--voms OPTIONAL:FAIL (no X509 certificate chain) => OK
|   |
|   +--kpwd OPTIONAL:FAIL (no username and password) => OK
|
+--MAP FAIL
|   |   removed: host/zitpcx6184.desy.de@DESY.DE
|   |
|   +--krb5 OPTIONAL:OK => OK
|   |   added: UserNamePrincipal[host/zitpcx6184.desy.de]
|   |
|   +--vorolemap OPTIONAL:FAIL (no record) => OK
|   |
|   +--authzdb SUFFICIENT:FAIL (no mapping exists for host/zitpcx6184.desy.de) => OK
|   |
|   +--kpwd REQUISITE:FAIL (no login name) => FAIL (ends the phase)
|
+--(ACCOUNT) skipped
|
+--(SESSION) skipped
|
+--(VALIDATION) skipped
```

Simple example

Easy to spot why login failed

```
LOGIN FAIL
| in: host/zitpcx6184.desy.de@DESY.DE
|
|--AUTH OK
|
|  |--x509 OPTIONAL:FAIL (no X509 certificate chain) => OK
|  |--voms OPTIONAL:FAIL (no X509 certificate chain) => OK
|  |--kpwd OPTIONAL:FAIL (no username and password) => OK
|
|--MAP FAIL
|  removed: host/zitpcx6184.desy.de@DESY.DE
|  |--krb5 OPTIONAL:OK => OK
|     added: UserNamePrincipal[host/zitpcx6184.desy.de]
|  |--vorolemap OPTIONAL:FAIL (no record) => OK
|  |--authzdb SUFFICIENT:FAIL (no mapping exists for host/zitpcx6184.desy.de) => OK
|  |--kpwd REQUISITE:FAIL (no login name) => FAIL (ends the phase)
|
|--(ACCOUNT) skipped
|
|--(SESSION) skipped
|
|--(VALIDATION) skipped
```

Example with simple X509

```
LOGIN FAIL
|
|   in: S:/131.169.252.82
|       X509 Certificate chain:
|           |
|           +--CN=Alexander Paul Millar,OU=DESY,O=GermanGrid,C=DE [16724]
|               |
|               +--Issuer: CN=GridKa-CA,O=GermanGrid,C=DE
|               +--Validity: OK for 366 days, 20 hours, 30 minutes and 13.0 seconds
|               +--Algorithm: SHA-1 with RSA
|               +--Subject alternative names: paul.millar@desy.de
|               +--Key usage: digital signature, key encipherment, data encipherment
|
|   out: GidPrincipal[1000,primary]
|         UidPrincipal[1000]
|         UserNamePrincipal[paul]
|         /C=DE/O=GermanGrid/OU=DESY/CN=Alexander Paul Millar
|         KpwdPrincipal[paul]
|
| +--AUTH OK
|     |
|     |   added: /C=DE/O=GermanGrid/OU=DESY/CN=Alexander Paul Millar
|     |
|     | +--x509 OPTIONAL:OK => OK
|     |     |
|     |     |   added: /C=DE/O=GermanGrid/OU=DESY/CN=Alexander Paul Millar
|     |     |
|     | +--voms OPTIONAL:FAIL (no FQANs) => OK
|     |
|     | +--kpwd OPTIONAL:FAIL (no username and password) => OK
```

Example with voms proxy

LOGIN FAIL

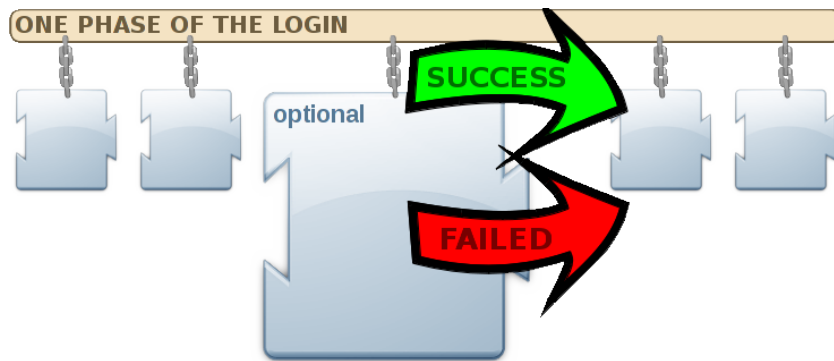
```
in: S:/131.169.137.140
   /C=DE/ST=Hamburg/O=dCache.ORG/CN=Kermit the frog
X509 Certificate chain:
  |--CN=proxy,CN=Kermit the frog,O=dCache.ORG,ST=Hamburg,C=DE [11549466642107437257]
  |
  |--Issuer: CN=Kermit the frog,O=dCache.ORG,ST=Hamburg,C=DE
  |--Validity: OK for 11 hours, 59 minutes and 42.0 seconds
  |--Algorithm: SHA-1 with RSA
  |--Attribute certificates:
  |   |--C=DE,O=GermanGrid,OU=DESY,CN=host/grid-voms.desy.de
  |   |--Validity: OK for 11 hours, 59 minutes and 42.0 seconds
  |   |--Algorithm: SHA-1 with RSA
  |   |--FQANs: /desy, /desy/workshop
  |--Key usage: digital signature, key encipherment, data encipherment, key agreement
  |--CN=Kermit the frog,O=dCache.ORG,ST=Hamburg,C=DE [11549466642107437257]
  |
  |--Issuer: CN=dCache.ORG CA,O=dCache.ORG,ST=Hamburg,C=DE
  |--Validity: OK for 357 days, 10 hours, 23 minutes and 52.0 seconds
  |--Algorithm: SHA-1 with RSA
  |--Subject alternative names: kermit.the.frog@dcache.org
  |--Key usage: digital signature, key encipherment, data encipherment, key agreement
  |--CN=dCache.ORG CA,O=dCache.ORG,ST=Hamburg,C=DE [11549466642107437183] (self-signed)
  |
  |--Validity: OK for 866 days, 12 hours, 13 minutes and 49.0 seconds
  |--Algorithm: SHA-1 with RSA
  |--Key usage: key certificate signing, CRL signing
```


Thank you and good night!

For readers at home, there is more information in following slides ...

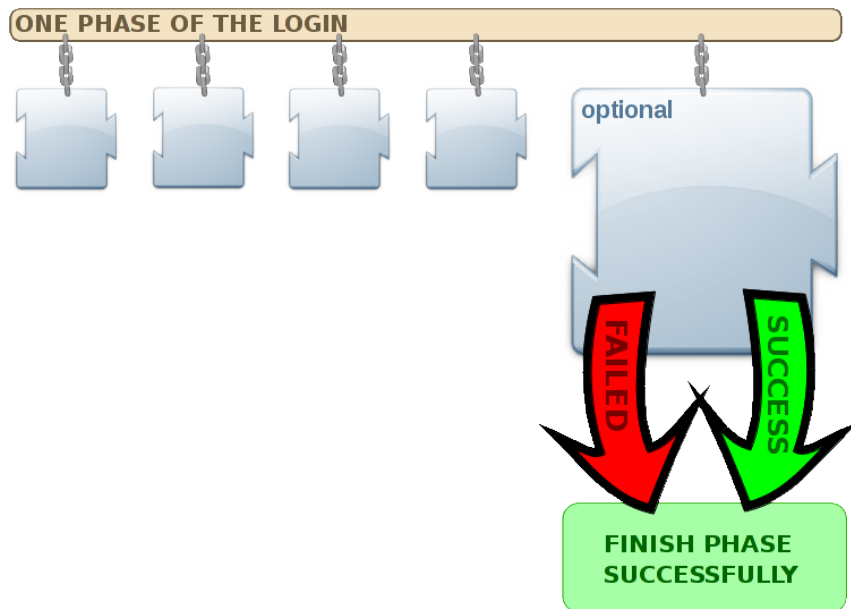
gPlazma wiring in detail

Wiring plugins together: optional



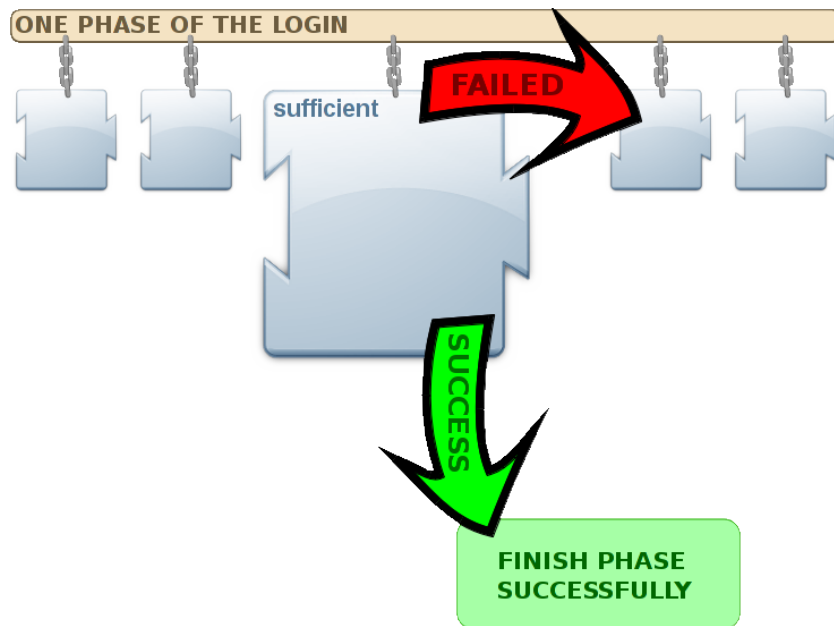
- If a plugin is optional then always move on to the next plugin

Wiring plugins together: optional



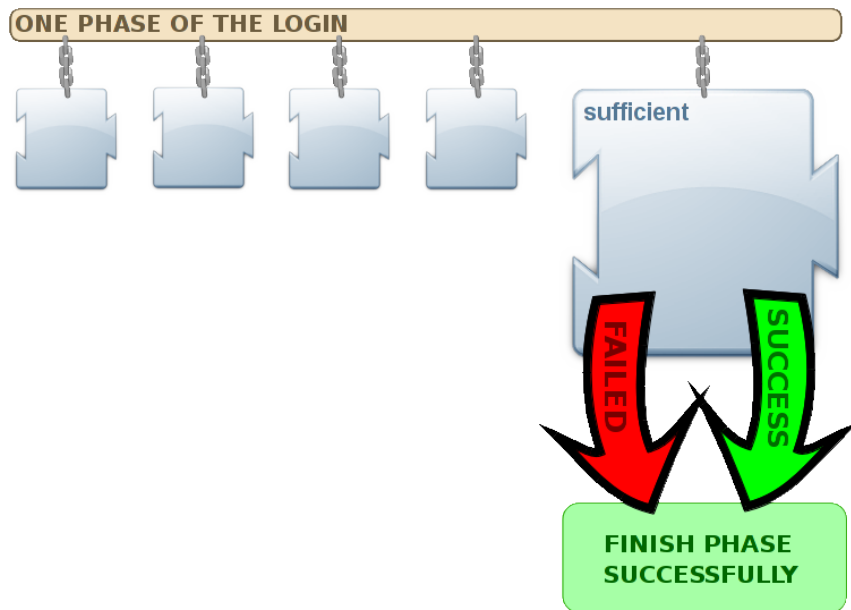
- If the last plugin is optional, the phase always succeeds

Wiring plugins together: sufficient



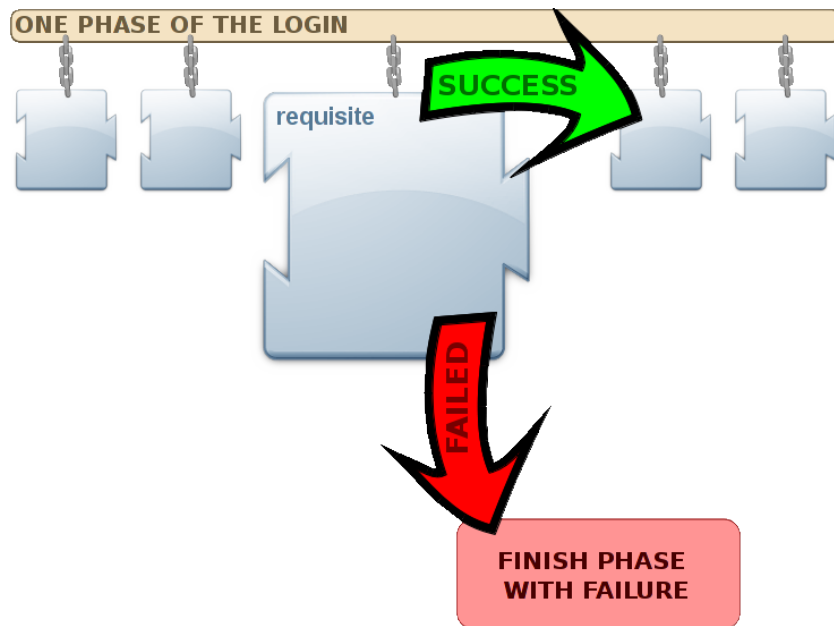
- If a sufficient plugin is successful, then end the phase immediately
- If a sufficient plugin fails, move on to the next plugin

Wiring plugins together: sufficient



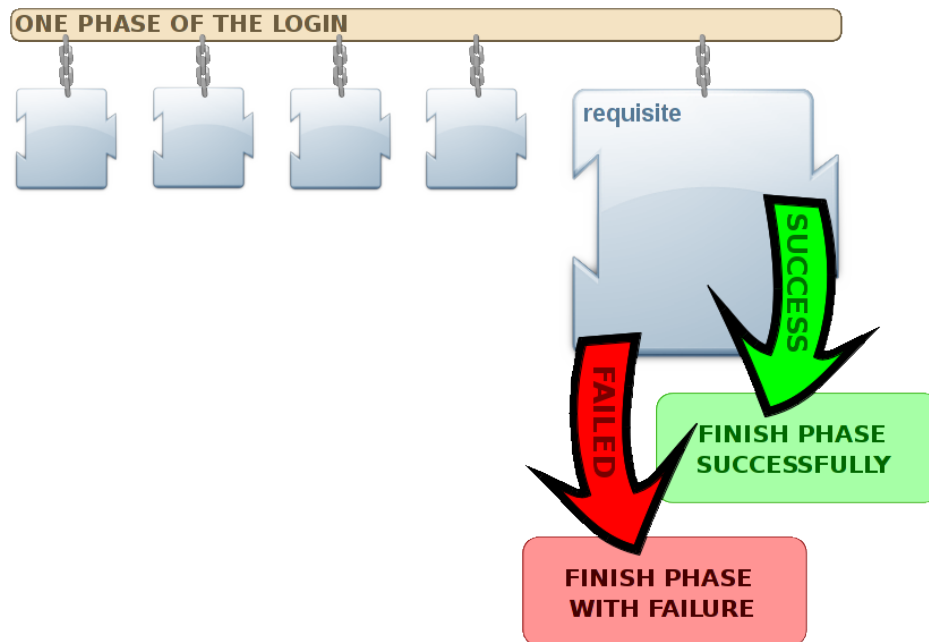
- If the last plugin in the phase is sufficient then the phase will always be successful.

Wiring plugins together: requisite



- If a requisite plugin fails then fail the phase immediately.
- If a requisite plugin is successful, continue to the next plugin

Wiring plugins together: requisite



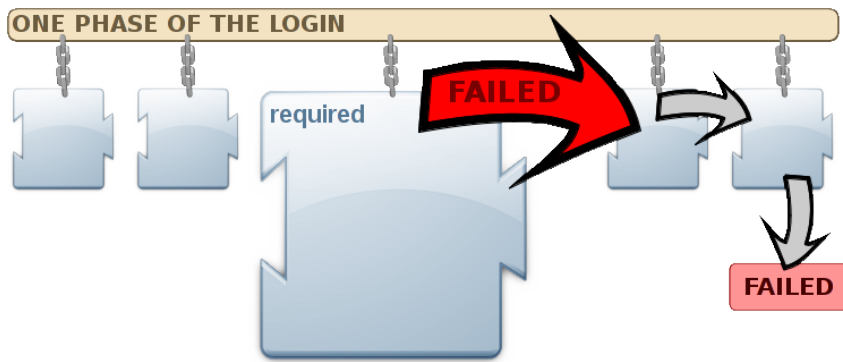
- If the last plugin is requisite then the success of the phase depends on the success of the last plugin

Wiring plugins together: required



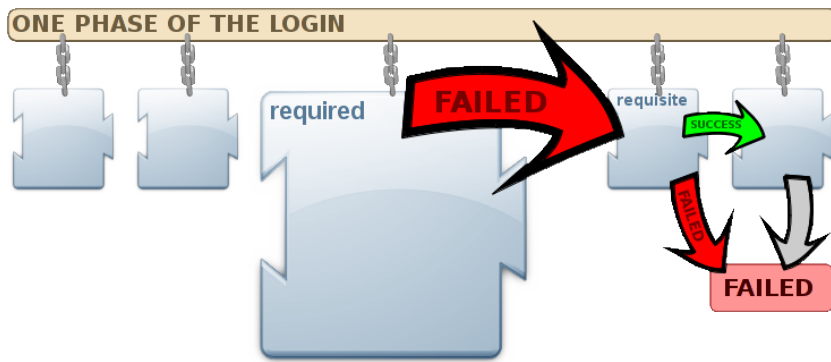
- If a required plugin succeeds then move onto the next plugin

Wiring plugins together: required



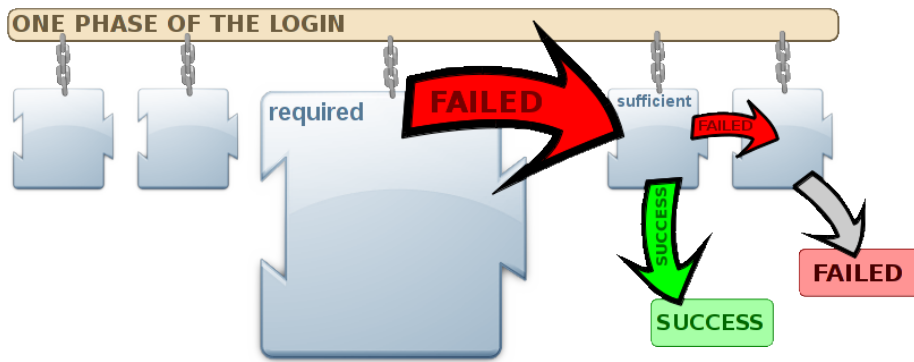
- If a required plugin fails then continue onto the next plugin, but ultimately fail with an error from this plugin
- unless ...

Wiring plugins together: required



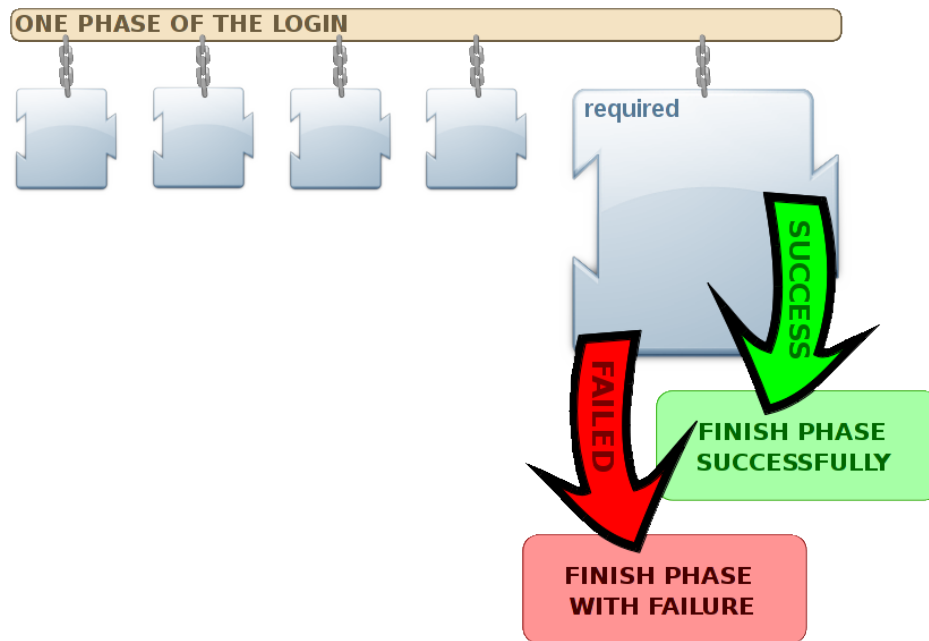
- If one of the plugins after the failing required plugin is requisite and also fails then immediately fail the phase with the error from the failing required plugin.

Wiring plugins together: required



- If one of the plugins after the failing required plugin is sufficient and succeeds then end the phase successfully.

Wiring plugins together: required



- If the last plugin is required then the success of the phase depends on the success of the final plugin

gPlazma configuration

```
auth    optional    x509
auth    optional    voms
auth    optional    kpwd          gpplazma.kpwd.file=/etc/dcache.kpwd

map     optional    krb5
map     optional    vorolemap
map     sufficient authzdb
map     requisite  kpwd

account requisite  argus

session optional    authzdb
session optional    kpwd
```

gPlazma configuration

First column is required and identifies in which phase the plugin is being configured

auth	optional	x509	
auth	optional	voms	
auth	optional	kpwd	gpplazma.kpwd.file=/etc/dcache.kpwd
map	optional	krb5	
map	optional	vorolemap	
map	sufficient	authzdb	
map	requisite	kpwd	
account	requisite	argus	
session	optional	authzdb	
session	optional	kpwd	

gPlazma configuration

Second column is required and identifies the wiring: what to do next

auth	optional	x509	
auth	optional	voms	
auth	optional	kpwd	<code>gplazma.kpwd.file=/etc/dcache.kpwd</code>
map	optional	krb5	
map	optional	vorolemap	
map	sufficient	authzdb	
map	requisite	kpwd	
account	requisite	argus	
session	optional	authzdb	
session	optional	kpwd	

gPlazma configuration

Third column is required and identifies which plugin is being configured

auth	optional	x509	
auth	optional	voms	
auth	optional	kpwd	gpplazma.kpwd.file=/etc/dcache.kpwd
map	optional	krb5	
map	optional	vorolemap	
map	sufficient	authzdb	
map	requisite	kpwd	
account	requisite	argus	
session	optional	authzdb	
session	optional	kpwd	

gPlazma configuration

Final column is optional and provide local configuration. Configuration is normally achieved in `dcache.conf` and layout file

auth	optional	x509	<code>gpplazma.kpwd.file=/etc/dcache.kpwd</code>
auth	optional	voms	
auth	optional	kpwd	
map	optional	krb5	
map	optional	vorolemap	
map	sufficient	authzdb	
map	requisite	kpwd	
account	requisite	argus	
session	optional	authzdb	
session	optional	kpwd	

gPlazma configuration

The plugin configuration order is the order in which they are run

x509, voms, kpwd
 krb5, vorolemap, authzdb, kpwd
 argus
 authzdb, kpwd

auth	optional	x509	gpplazma.kpwd.file=/etc/dcache.kpwd
auth	optional	voms	
auth	optional	kpwd	
map	optional	krb5	
map	optional	vorolemap	
map	sufficient	authzdb	
map	requisite	kpwd	
account	requisite	argus	
session	optional	authzdb	
session	optional	kpwd	

gPlazma configuration

The same plugin may appear multiple times, usually in different phases

auth	optional	x509	
auth	optional	voms	
auth	optional	kpwd	gpplazma.kpwd.file=/etc/dcache.kpwd
map	optional	krb5	
map	optional	vorolemap	
map	sufficient	authzdb	
map	requisite	kpwd	
account	requisite	argus	
session	optional	authzdb	
session	optional	kpwd	