Aperi Archive Review

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Aperi History and State

Aperi is currently an Eclipse Incubation Project under the Eclipse Technology Project Charter

Aperi History

- IBM offered significant SRM code base from TPC
- Significant Efforts went into promoting Aperi with limited success in getting developing partners, adopters and building a user community:
    - Storage Networking World (SNW) Fall 2006, Spring/Fall 2007, Spring/Fall 2008
    - EclipseCon 2008, Eclipse Summit 2007, EclipseWorld 2006
    - LinuxWorld 2007
    - Parallel Data Lab – CMU 2007
    - Several SNIA conferences and workshops 2006-2008
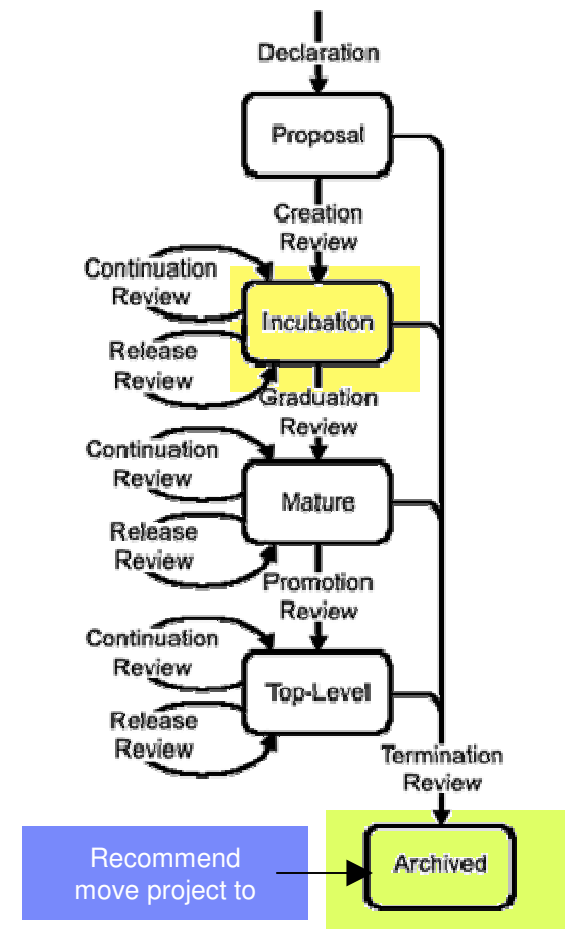- IBM contributed SAN Simulator in 2007

Recommend that Aperi Project transition to Eclipse Archived state

- Lack of diverse development community (Only IBM since 2007)
    - http://dev.eclipse.org/mhonarc/lists/aperi-dev/maillist.html
- Lack of adopters
- Lack of active user group and discussions
    - http://dev.eclipse.org/mhonarc/lists/aperi-news/maillist.html
- Only 1 active committer in the last 9 months (IBM)
- IBM not staffing Aperi in 2009

Next Steps:

- Prepare and Present Termination Review Material to Eclipse
    - The Communication Channel is aperi-dev@eclipse.org
- Archive Aperi CVS Components and shutdown website

Eclipse Project Lifecycle

Recommend move project to → Archived

a project at eclipse

Archiving Aperi – Next Steps

- Remove the remaining committers from the Aperi project

- Archive the following CVS directories
  - cvsroot/technology/org.eclipse.aperi/Aperi
  - cvsroot/org.eclipse/www/aperi

- Mark remaining Technology > Aperi bugs as WONTFIX

- Archive and close for further submission the Technology > Aperi bugzilla component

- Replace the web pages with Archive Information and archive the wiki pages
  - http://wiki.eclipse.org/index.php/Aperi_Storage_Management_Project
  - http://www.eclipse.org/aperi/

- Archive the Aperi-Dev and Aperi-News mailing lists.