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1. Executive Summary

The task 6.3 of the WP6 is responsible for making an assessment of the quality (effectiveness, efficiency and user satisfaction) of the SeaClouds platform solution, evaluating it from qualitative and quantitative points of view.

This deliverable, the D6.4.2, is the second version of the D6.4.X saga. It will implement the testing activity and reports the results of tests introduced in the D6.4.1 [1], where testing methodology was introduced.

Also, additional information about the different testbeds set-up to validate SeaClouds is added.



2. Introduction

The task 6.3 of the WP6 is responsible for the evaluation of the SeaClouds software platform. The Deliverable D6.4.2 includes the results of the first cycle of evaluation measurements and analysis of SeaClouds, evaluating both quantitative and qualitative requirements.

After the selection of tests methods and evaluation scenarios, defined in the deliverable D6.4.1 [1], it is now necessary to define a selection of tools and testbed set-ups to execute those tests and evaluate if the proposed SeaClouds solution fulfills the different requirements defined at the beginning of the project. This deliverable is strongly connected to WP2 to WP5:

- WP2 and WP6 define the technical requirements for SeaClouds. The technical requirements are based on a set of use cases, developed by the partners of the project. The WP2 also highlight the SeaClouds high-level architecture.
- WP3 and WP4 are the responsible of the low-level design and implementation of the SeaClouds design-time and run-time tools. Both components are going to be tested in the context of the WP6.
- The WP5 is responsible for the low-level design and implementation of the SeaClouds GUI.

The conclusions of this document will help to see the actual status of the project and what it is still missing to fulfil the requirements and objectives defined at the beginning of it.

This document is organized as follows:

Section 3 introduces the results of the functional evaluation. A detailed description of all these tests, and the reason way they are done can be found in deliverable D6.4.1 [1]. The objective in this case is to see if SeaClouds fulfils all the functional requirements established at the beginning of the project in deliverable D2.1 [2].

Section 4 presents the results of the non-functional evaluation. A detailed description of all these tests, and the reason way they are done can be found in deliverable D6.4.1 [1]. The objective in this case is to see if SeaClouds fulfils all the non-functional requirements established in D6.4.1.



3. Functional Evaluation

The functional evaluation of SeaClouds tries to verify if the software solution as result of this project fulfils the functional requirements established at the beginning of it.

These functional requirements were defined in the deliverable D2.1 – Resubmission [2]. In D2.1 the SeaClouds consortium defined also a list of Use Cases that include a list of steps, which define interactions between actors and the SeaClouds platform as well the internal interactions performed by the SeaClouds platform to provide the overall functionalities.

In this deliverable two different evaluation scenarios (SeaClouds deployment configurations) will be defined to test the SeaClouds functionality: local installation, cloud installation.

UC	Local Test Bed
UC1	Design an Application
UC2	Show Cloud offers
UC3	Produce Deployment Plans
UC4	Generate SLA Agreement
UC5	Deploy an Application (on a laas and on a PaaS)
UC6	Monitor an Application
UC7	Evaluate Management Policies
UC8	Re-plan Application Deployment
UC9	Migrate Application

Table 1: Use cases f	or local testbed
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Table 2: Use cases for cloud testbed

UC	Cloud Test Bed
UC1	Design an Application
UC2	Show Cloud offers
UC3	Produce Deployment Plans
UC4	Generate SLA Agreement
UC5	Deploy an Application (on a laas and on a PaaS)



UC6	Monitor an Application
UC7	Evaluate Management Policies
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UC9	Migrate Application

4.1 Evaluation Scenario ES01: Local environment

<quite short introduction of the testbed... something like what Andrea showed during the last integration meeting ... two Vms installed locally.. where is locate each SeaClouds component... a diagram may help>

Use Case ID	LUC1
Use Case Name	Design an Application
Purpose	The purpose of this test is design the topology of an application
	using the SeaClouds GUI <please add="" feel="" free="" new="" text="" to=""></please>
Initiator	The Software Developer
Primary Actor	The Software Developer
Additional Actors	SeaClouds Operator?
Description	<pre><please describe="" here="" test="" the=""></please></pre>
Pre-condition	I suppose the SeaClouds platform is installed correctly; the
	profile is registered in SeaClouds etc
Post-condition	We finally have designed the topology of the app
Use Case Functionality	
Sequence	Please describe here the sequence
Alternative	

Use Case ID	LUC2
Use Case Name	Show Cloud offers
Purpose	The purpose of this test is Show Cloud offers <please feel="" free="" th="" to<=""></please>



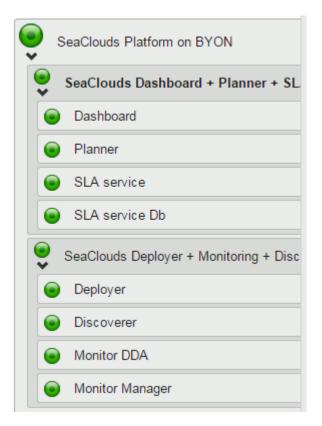
	add new text>
Initiator	The Software Developer
Primary Actor	The Software Developer
Additional Actors	SeaClouds Operator?
Description	<please describe="" here="" test="" the=""></please>
Pre-condition	I suppose the SeaClouds platform is installed correctly; the profile is registered in SeaClouds etc we have designed a valid application topology
Post-condition	We finally have cloud offers
Use Case Functionality	
Sequence	Please describe here the sequence
Alternative	

4.2 Evaluation Scenario ES02: Cloud environment

The testbed has been prepared in LeaseWeb provider. It consists of two VMs with the following characteristics:

- (cpu info)
- 4GB RAM
- 688GB HDD
- OS: Ubuntu 12.04

The components inside the two VMs have been distributed as shown in the following diagram:

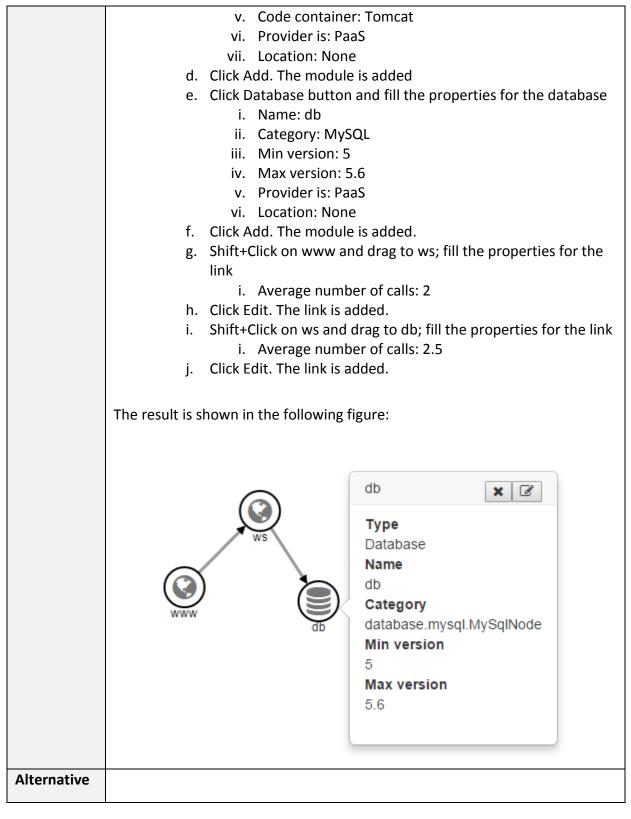


Use Case ID	CEUC1	
Use Case	Design an Application	
Name		
Purpose	The purpose of this test is to design the topology and requirements of an	
	application using the SeaClouds GUI.	
Initiator	The Software Developer	
Primary	The Software Developer	
Actor		
Additional		
Actors		
Description	The test will cover the design of the topology of the Atos case study, which consists of:	
	Frontend module. The technical requirements are:	
	 Language: Java >= 7 	
	 To be deployed on PaaS 	
	 Container: Tomcat 	
	\circ Uses the Web Services module 2 times per call in average.	
	 Web services module. The technical requirements are: 	
	 Language: Java >= 7 	
	 To be deployed on PaaS 	



	 Container: Tomcat Uses the database 2.5 times per call in average Database. The technical requirements are: MySQL >= 5 To be deployed on PaaS Additionally, the following requirements have been defined: Maximum Response Time: 2000 ms Availability: 98% Budget per month: 200 € The expected workload of the application is 50 requests/second.
Pre-	The SeaClouds platform is correctly installed.
condition	
	The browser has the SeaClouds Dashboard loaded.
Post-	The topology of the application described above is correctly defined.
condition	
Use Case Fun	ctionality
	-
Sequence	1. Click the "New application" button
	2. Fill the application properties
	a. Fill the application name: Atos
	b. Fill the optimization properties
	i. Response time: 2000
	ii. Availability: 98
	iii. Cost: 200
	iv. Workload: 50
	3. Click next
	4. Define the topology
	a. Click Web Application button and fill the properties for the
	frontend module
	i. Name: www
	ii. Language: Java
	iii. Min version: 7
	iv. Max version: 8
	v. Code container: Tomcat
	vi. Provider is: PaaS
	vii. Location: None
	b. Click Add. The module is added
	c. Click Web Application button and fill the properties for the
	web services module
	i. Name: ws
	ii. Language: Java
	iii. Min version: 7
	iv. Max version: 8





Use Case ID	CEUC2
Use Case Name	Show Cloud offers



Purpose	The purpose of this test is to check that the cloud offerings provided by the planner match the technical requirements expressed in the topology.
Initiator	The Software Developer
Primary Actor	The Software Developer
Additional Actors	
Description	The test will cover the correctness of the plans generated by the planner for the application topology of the Atos case study. The generated plans should contain offerings matching the application requirements.
Pre- condition	The SeaClouds platform is correctly installed. The browser has the SeaClouds Dashboard loaded. We have designed a valid application topology.
Post- condition	 An Abstract Application Model (AAM) is generated, is specified in TOSCA and contains the technical requirements expressed in the topology. We finally have a set of cloud offers that matches the application requirements. For www module, a PaaS offering Java >= 7 For ws module, a PaaS offering Java >= 7 For mysql module, a PaaS offering mysql >= 0
Use Case Func	tionality
Sequence	 Create application topology as in CEUC1. Click next Review generated Abstract Application Model Review offerings provided by planner
Alternative	
Result	The AAM is generated. It contains the technical requirements expressed in the topology. The planner does not return a set of cloud offerings. The needed feature is
	implemented but not integrated.

Use Case ID	CEUC3
Use Case	Produce Deployment Plans



Name	
Purpose	The purpose of this test is checking that a deployment plan expressed in TOSCA is generated for the plan selected by the user.
Initiator	The Software Developer
Primary Actor	The Software Developer
Additional Actors	
Description	The test will cover the generation of a deployment plan following the TOSCA specification, which should declare that each module is going to be deployed in the selected offering, the SLA agreement and the monitoring rules.
Pre- condition	The SeaClouds platform is correctly installed. The browser has the SeaClouds Dashboard loaded.
	The user has designed a valid application topology.
	The user has selected a plan.
	The user have entered the credentials of the cloud providers
Post- condition	A Deployable Application Model (DAM) is generated, is specified in TOSCA and contains the cloud offerings selected by the user.
	The credentials for each provider are included in the DAM.
	An identifier of the generated monitoring rules is included in the DAM.
	An identifier of the generated SLA agreement is included in the DAM.
Use Case Func	tionality
Sequence	 Select plan as in CEUC2. Click next Enter provider credentials Click deploy
Alternative	
Result	This use case cannot be evaluated because it depends on CEUC2. The needed feature is implemented but not integrated.

Use Case ID	CEUC4
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Use Case Name	Generate SLA Agreement
Name	
Purpose	The purpose of this test is checking that a WS-Agreement agreement is generated.
Initiator	The Software Developer
Primary Actor	The Software Developer
Additional Actors	
Description	This test will cover the correctness of the SLA agreement generated for the ATOS case study.
Pre-condition	The SeaClouds platform is correctly installed.
	The browser has the SeaClouds Dashboard loaded.
	The user has designed a valid application topology.
	The user has selected a plan.
Post-condition	An agreement following WS-Agreement is generated.
	It contains a guarantee term to assess the desired availability of the application.
	It contains a guarantee term to assess the desired response time of the application.
Use Case Function	onality
Sequence	 Select plan as in CEUC2. Click next Click check SLA agreement
Alternative	
Result	This use case cannot be evaluated because it depends on CEUC2. The needed feature is implemented but not integrated.

Use Case ID	CEUC5
Use Case Name	Deploy an Application on a PaaS
Purpose	The purpose of this test is checking the correct deployment of the deployment plan.



Initiator	The Software Developer
Primary Actor	The Software Developer
Additional Actors	
Description	This test will cover the deployment of an application in PaaS providers. The topology of the Atos case study defined all the modules to be deployed on PaaS.
Pre-condition	The SeaClouds platform is correctly installed.
	The browser has the SeaClouds Dashboard loaded.
	The user has designed a valid application topology.
	The user has selected a plan where all providers are PaaS providers.
Post-	Module www is deployed.
condition	Module ws is deployed.
	A MySQL service for the mysql module is created.
	The endpoint of ws has been configured for www
	The MySQL service has been bound to ws.
	The endpoint, database and credentials of the service have been configured for ws.
Use Case Funct	ionality
Sequence	 Select plan as in CEUC2. Click next Enter provider credentials Click deploy
Alternative	
Result	This use case cannot be evaluated because it depends on CEUC2. The needed feature is implemented but not integrated.

Use Case ID	CEUC6
Use Case Name	Monitor an Application
Purpose	The purpose of this test is checking that SeaClouds is able to monitor a



	deployed application.
Initiator	The Software Developer
Primary Actor	The Software Developer
Additional Actors	
Description	This test will cover the monitoring of the application by Tower 4Clouds and the visualization of the monitoring metrics in the SeaClouds dashboard.
Pre-condition	A deployed application
Post- condition	The status view of the dashboard show relevant metrics for the Atos case study.
Use Case Funct	ionality
Sequence	(hablar con Adrián)
Alternative	
Result	The result is successful.

Use Case ID	CEUC7
Use Case Name	Evaluate Management Policies
Purpose	The purpose of this test is checking the policies management in the SeaClouds platform.
Initiator	The Software Developer
Primary Actor	The Software Developer
Additional Actors	
Description	
Pre-condition	
Post-condition	
Use Case Function	nality
Sequence	
Alternative	



Result	

Use Case ID	CEUC8
Use Case Name	Re-plan Application Deployment
Purpose	The purpose of this test is checking the replanification feature of the SeaClouds platform.
Initiator	The Software Developer
Primary Actor	The Software Developer
Additional	
Actors	
Description	
Pre-condition	
Post-condition	
Use Case Function	nality
Sequence	
Alternative	
Result	The feature is not implemented.

Use Case ID	CEUC9
Use Case Name	Migrate Application
Purpose	The purpose of this test is checking the migration feature of the SeaClouds platform.
Initiator	The Software Developer
Primary Actor	The Software Developer
Additional	
Actors	
Description	
Pre-condition	



Post-condition	
Use Case Functior	nality
Sequence	
Alternative	
Result	The feature is not implemented.



4. Non-Functional Evaluation

While the Functional Requirements specify the set of functions that the SeaClouds system or system component must be able to perform, the Non-Functional Requirements express desired qualities of a problem solution other than those concerning its functionality, e.g. its robustness, its efficiency, its security, its extensibility, its maintainability, its portability, etc.

In the SeaClouds project those Non-Functional Requirements were defined in D6.4.1 [1]. Actually the chapter 5 of D6.4.1 presents a list of testing methods to evaluate the SeaClouds platform. However, at project months 24 (PM24) the SeaClouds system is not yet mature enough to be fully evaluated under the point of view of some of the Non-Functional Requirements listed in D6.4.1. The following table summarizes, on one hand the tests the consortium is going to report in this document, and the test the consortium plans to perform at project months 30, on the other hand.

Non-Functional Requirements tests at M24	Non-Functional Requirements tests at M30	
	Performance/Scalability Testing	
	Stress Testing	
Documentation Testing	Documentation Testing	
Local and in Cloud Installation Testing	Local and in Cloud Installation Testing	
	Regression Testing	
	Long Term Testing	
Interoperability testing	Final Interoperability testing	
Early Usability Testing	Early Usability Testing	

For every method described in D6.4.1, and listed in the left side on the previous table, this chapter specifies the characteristics of the test the environment that host the execution environment and the tools that are necessary to perform the tests (in some cases, the tests use no tools or testbed at all, this will be clarified later).

4.1 Documentation Testing

Documentation testing means verifying that the SeaClouds documentation user manuals, including guidelines, tutorials and on-line documentation- are easy to read and understand, grammatically correct and technically accurate.

Test ID	Docur	nentation Testing (DT)	Date	09/10/	2015		
Tester	Miche	le Guerriero (Polimi)	Testbed name	Local Testbe	Testbed d.	and	Cloud
SeaClouds Platform Version		0.8.0-SNAPSHOT					



SeaClouds documentation Version	README.md from SeaCloudsPlatform 0.8.0-SNAPSHOT https://github.com/SeaCloudsEU/SeaCloudsPlatform/blob/master/README.md				
		Те	st Results		
Involved Compon	ents	SeaClouds Dashboard, SeaClouds SLA, SeaClouds Monitorr SeaClouds, SeaClouds Discoverer, SeaClouds Planner, SeaClouds Deployer			
Interaction Betwee Components	en	Not tested here.			
Passed?YesBug IDna			na		
Problems: gei observations	neral	The tested documentation just has a missing link at the beginning under the section "Getting Started".			
Required Char specific changes t made	nges: :o be				
Cost Estimation		Low			
Comments	There are no issues, everything reported in the curren (09/10/2015) documentation available from the github repository o SeaCloudsPlatform worked fine.				

4.2 Installation Testing

Installation testing verifies the correct work of the installation procedure of SeaClouds in different configuration environments. The actual report presented here reflects conclusions extracted from two testers in different environments and configurations: Local installation and installation on a Cloud infrastructure.

4.2.1 Local Installation test

Test ID	Local Installation Testing (LIT)		Local Installation Testing (LIT)		Date	11/09/2015
Tester	Chrsitian Tismer		Testbed name	Local environment/Windows		
SeaCloud Platform Version			'ersion			



	Test Results
Involved Components	Any SeaClouds components deployed / launched using Apache Brooklyn. We currently support deployments against Bring Your Own Nodes (BYON) and to all the IaaS provider supported by Apache jclouds.
Environment characteristics	SeaClouds Windows Installation: this installation is based on the SeaClouds installation guide: https://github.com/SeaCloudsEU/SeaCloudsPlatform/tree/master/usage/ins taller the installation is done on a laptop with this characteristics: Windows 8.1 (64bit) 4GB Ram i3 4030u (1,9 GHz dual core) 100GB SSD (NTFS compression on)
Pre- requirements	Software to be installed and configured before to perform the SeaClouds installation: git I have installed git 1.9.5 with global bash support https://git-scm.com/download/win As gui I installed TortoiseGit 1.8.14.0 https://tortoisegit.org/download/ bash to use bash shell scripts with windows you need to install somthing I've choosen the git solution (see above), Roman uses Cygwin java sdk Installed "jdk1.8.0_31" http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/downloads/index.html maven Maven has some issues with Blanks in pathes, thus I copied JDK to C:\bin\ I installed maven also to C:\bin\. I need to set environment JAVA_HOME to "C:\bin\jdk" Also PATH needs to be extended by ";C:\bin\apache-maven-3.3.3\bin\" Download and further information: https://maven.apache.org/guides/getting-started/windows- prerequisites.html



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	Variable Wert					
	FP_NO_HOST_C NO					
	JAVA_HOME C:\bin\jdk1.8.0_31					
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	OS Windows_NT					
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	2 Elemente					
	virtualbox					
	https://www.virtualbox.org/wiki/Downloads					
	vagrant https://docs.vagrantup.com/v2/installation/					
	 Changes for the Windows deployment: 1. Prerequirenments PATH and JAVA_HOME must be done see above. 2. start.windows.sh: this is very minimal but works for me, take care for classpath ':' must be changed to ";" 					
	JAVA=\$JAVA_HOME/bin/java					
	JAVA_OPTS="-Dbrooklyn.location.localhost.address=127.0.0.1 \${JAVA_OPTS}"					
	\$JAVA \${JAVA_OPTS} -Xms256m -Xmx1024m -XX:MaxPermSize=1024m \ -classpath "conf/;patch/*;*;lib/*" \ eu.seaclouds.SeaCloudsMain \ launch "\$@"					
Installation steps	 git clone "<u>https://github.com/SeaCloudsEU/SeaCloudsPlatform</u>" to "C:\ScEvaluation\SeaCloudsPlatform" cd C:\ScEvaluation\SeaCloudsPlatform mvn clean install (took 7 minutes) 					
	 cd usage\installer\target\seaclouds-installer-dist\seaclouds- 					



	installer\byon					
	7. vagrant up (took	: 10 minutes)				
	8. cd					
	 9. (created start.windows.sh based on start.sh see below) 10. (modivied VM's to use less RAM see below) 11. bash start.windows.sh 					
	12. http://127.0.0.1:					
		raw.githubusercontent.com/Seablueprints/seaclouds-				
	on-byon.yaml					
	14. <u>http://192.168.1</u>	00.11:8000/				
	1 <u></u>					
	Everything Works!					
	Minimize memory usa	age of the virtual machines				
		blems with my Laptop (4GB, both VM need together				
	(3GB) I changed the n	memory configuration, I set it to 512M and 1G swap.				
	a) Vagrantfile					
		ustomize ["modifyvm", :id, "memory", "1512"]				
	-	ustomize ["modifyvm", :id, "memory", "512"]				
	b) configure swap					
		s seaclouds-0 and seaclouds-1 before I start brooklyn				
	(previous step 9)					
	I created and configu	urad a guanfila				
	I created and configu	ureu a swapine				
	<u>631</u>	C:\WINDOWS\system32\cmd.exe - vagrant ssh se				
	vagrant@seaclouds-0:~\$ sudo sh # bash					
	root@seaclouds-0:~#free -m total used Mem: 491 459 -/+buffers/cache: 70	free shared buffers cached 32 0 26 362 420				
	Swap: 0 0 root@seaclouds-0:~# cat /etc/fs LABEL=cloudimg-rootfs /	Fstab				
	root@seaclouds-0:~# fallocate - root@seaclouds-0:~# echo '/swap	ext4 defaults 00 -11G /swapfile apfile none swap defaults 00'>> /etc/fstab vapfile 1045572 Kip				
	Setting up swapspace version 1, no label, UUID=3b89485f-5308-4a	vaprile L, size = 1048572 KiB HaSc-afde-a170680f3a99				
	root@seaclouds-0:~# cat /proc/s Filename root@seaclouds-0:~# swapon ~a	/swaps Type Size Used Priority				
	root@seaclouds-0:~# cat /proc/s Filename /swapfile	/swaps Type SizeUsed Priority file 10485720 -1				
	root@seaclouds-0:~# free -m total used	free shared buffers cached				
	Mem: 491 459 -/+ buffers/cache: 70 Swap: 1023 0	31 0 26 362 420 1023				
	root@seaclouds-0:~#					
	based on https://jego	o.github.io/blog/devops/vagrant-quickstart/				
	in the second se					
Passed?	Yes					



Problems	The memory limits of my Test Laptop made it impossible to locally start SeaClouds and the use case in parallel. The local SeaClouds installation worked well to deploy our use case in the cloud. Interoperation of all SeaClouds components was not finished thus some YAML must be injected manually.
Required Changes	Bigger test machine or reduction of SeaClouds resource consumption.
Cost Estimation	
Comments	It is possible to locally install SeaClouds on a Windows machine but you need to install some prerequired Software that is not common for this platform.

4.2.2 Local and Cloud Installation test

Installation testing verifies the correct work of the installation procedure of SeaClouds in different configuration environments. The actual report presented here reflects conclusions extracted from two testers in different environments and configurations: Local installation and installation on a Cloud infrastructure.

Test ID	Installation Testing (IT)			Date	09/10/2015
Tester	Michele Guerriero (Polimi)			Testbed name	Local Testbed and Cloud Testbed.
SeaClouds 0.8.0- Platform Version			-SNAPSHOT		
			Test R	esults	
Involved Components			SeaClouds Dashboard, SeaClouds SLA, SeaClouds Monitorr SeaClouds, SeaClouds Discoverer, SeaClouds Planner, SeaClouds Deployer		
Environment characteristics			 8GB Ubur Cloud Testbe 	Core i7-4500U DDR3 L Memory nut 14.04	.medium instances (one for
Interaction Between Components		Not tested here.			



Installation steps	The steps followed are those reported in the README.md into the SeaCloudsPlatform github repository in date 09/10/2015.					
Passed?	YES					
Problems	NONE					
Required Changes						
Cost Estimation						
Comments	All the compor reachable both in		e successfully platform locall			

4.3 Interoperability testing

Interoperability is the "ability to work with other systems". In the context of SeaClouds this means that component integration with external legacy applications, middleware or COTS components should be guaranteed. In this context the role of standards is primary and then we should consider if:

- We are using standardized (open) protocols
- We are proposing extensions, which conform with the protocol
- We are trying to standardize them

In order to better steer the evaluation phase, we will identify specific aspects of interoperability that are relevant with respect to SeaClouds requirements.

We pointed out to two different critical points:

- Internal interoperability. Related to the communication between internal modules belonging to the SeaClouds system: the Deployer Component and a light version of the MODAClouds Monitoring Platform (http://www.modaclouds.eu/software/monitoring/).
- External interoperability. Related to the communication with other systems that useful to exploit SeaClouds capabilities: the Discover Component and Paasify (<u>http://www.paasify.it/vendors</u>) and CloudHarmony (<u>https://cloudharmony.com/</u>) services.

Scenario Id	Scenario Description
Int.1.1	Tests will be performed to evaluate the communication between the Deployer Component and a light version of the MODAClouds Monitoring Platform
Int.1.2	Tests will be performed to evaluate the communication between the Discover Component and Paasify.
Int.1.3	Tests will be performed to evaluate the communication between the Discover Component and CloudHarmony .

Table 3: interoperability scenarios



4.3.1 Int.1.1

Table 4: Results of the Interoperability Test Int.1.3

Test ID	Int.1.	Date	09/10/2015
Tester	Michele Guerriero	Testbed ID	Local Testbed
SeaClouds Version	0.8.0 -SNAPSHOT		
	Test F	Results	
Involved Components	SeaClouds Dashboard, Sea Planner.	aClouds SLA, SeaClo	uds Monitor, SeaClouds
Interaction Between Components	The SeaClouds Dashboard rules for a given application meanwhile the SeaClouds application coupled with monitoring rules are install which at this point starts the violations occurring on the the meanwhile a the reconn each managed application automatically triggers the reconnegation	n into Tower 4Cloud Dashboard also trip all the required da ed the Dashboard n the SLAs enforcement conditions specified of figuration-data-colled and if one goes of	ds at deploy time. In the ggers the deploy of the ta collectors. When the otifies the SeaClouds SLA process by observing the over some QoS metrics. In ctor monitor the status of
Passed?	Partially	Bug ID	
Problems	The SeaClouds Dashboard of required monitoring rules. The replanning process is s just triggered.		
Required Changes	Having the SeaClouds Pla Generator and with the Das Implement the replanning p	hboard.	
Cost Estimation	1 month and an half of impl	ementation.	
Comments	-		

4.3.2 Int.1.2

Table 5: Result	ts of the Interoperability Test Int.	1.2
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Test ID Int.1.2	Date	30/09/2015	
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Tester	Paolo Cifarie	llo	Testbed ID	Local Installation (LI)
SeaClouds	Version 0.8.	0 (According to gith	nub pom file)	
		Test R	esults	
Involved C	omponents	PaaSify spider, manager and COR	• •	Clouds Discoverer (crawler
Interactior Componer		spider to retrieve from PaaSify. The cloning the githul located. The cloud a JSON format. Th	the list of clou e PaaSify spid b repository w d offerings in F ne spider conv it to the CORE	scoverer triggers the PaaSify ud offerings and their metrics ler interacts with PaaSify by where the cloud offerings are PaaSify are represented using erts the offerings into TOSCA discoverer, which stores it in discoverer.
Passed?		YES	Bug ID -	
Problems		None.		
Required C	Changes	•	• •	e.g. metrics naming, cloud ne rest of components of
Cost Estim	ation	-		
Comments	5	-		

4.3.3 Int.1.3

 Table 6: Results of the Interoperability Test Int.1.3

Test ID	Int.1.3		Date	30/09/2015
Tester	Simone Zenz	aro	Testbed ID	Local Installation (LI)
SeaClouds	Version 0.8	0 (According to gith	nub pom file)	
		Test R	esults	
Involved C	omponents	CloudHarmony sp (crawler manager	•	rmony, SeaClouds Discoverer
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	spider uses the RESTful API provided by CloudHarmony to interact with it, through HTTP/REST protocol. The spider converts the offerings into TOSCA YAML, and sends it to the CORE discoverer, which stores it in the repository of the SeaClouds discoverer.
Passed?	Partially Bug ID
Problems	Some of the offerings provided by CloudHarmony are currently not retrieved
Required Changes	Retrieve all the offerings of CloudHarmony and improve the list of metrics it gets.
Cost Estimation	1 month of refactoring.
Comments	-

4.4 Usability Testing

Through time many definitions for usability have been proposed. Two of the most established definitions can be found in international standard for the evaluation of software ISO 9241-11 [1] and ISO 9126 [4].

The Guidance on usability in ISO 9241-11 outlines the usability as "the level to which a (software) product can be used by specified users to achieve specified goals with effectiveness, efficiency and satisfaction in a specified context of use".

On the other hand, in the standard ISO 9126, usability is defined as "the capability of a software product to be understood, learned, used and attractive for the user, when it is used under specified conditions". In depth, usability studies relate to evaluating a product by testing it on representative users while they focus not only on how well users can learn and use a product to achieve their goals but also on how satisfied users are with that process. This can be seen as an irreplaceable usability practice since it gives direct input on how real users use the system. Usability studies examine three principles: effectiveness, efficiency and overall satisfaction of the user. [6]

In the context of the SeaClouds project usability testing is a perceptual test depending of the tester. No tasks are done in an automatic way. It is important to note that the testers could use one of the testbeds to perform the usability tests or to install the SeaClouds platform in a virtual machine (similar to the installation test). Due to the subjectivity of this test, it is going to be performance by at least two different partners of the project.

Test ID	Usability Testing 1 (UT1)	Date	Week 46 2015
Tester	Christian Tismer (Nuro)	Testbed name	Cloud Testbed



SeaClouds Platform Version	Presentations Cloud Deployment of Oktober 2015
	Test Results
Involved Components	SeaClouds Designer, SeaClouds Dashboard, SeaClouds Monitor
Interaction Between Components	The integration between the Components was not finalized at testing time thus the focus is "Designer" look and feel and "Monitoring" interaction with the NURO case study. Optimizer, Deployment and Replanning is out of focus of this test.
	SeaClouds Dashboard
	 Design Wizard: intuitively and fun to use, modules and parameters are suitable for this research level implementation. A real world implementation needs more modules, e.g. load balancer and refined parameters
	 "Application Model" generation: a great advantage to the previous version. Intuitive and easy to use.



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SeaClouds Deployment

Deployment was tested by the partners, it is reported, NURO case study was deployed successfully to all desired test beds.

- private deployment: succeeded
- IaaS deployment: succeeded
- PaaS deployment: succeeded

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SeaClouds Monitor

Configuration of the monitoring was supported by POLIMI

- accessing NURO sensor: succeeded
- accessing NURO effector: succeeded
- trigger violations: succeeded

NURO simulator and SeaClouds monitoring call the same effector to log events.

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	time_group: "2015-11-12 10:35",
	requests: "1065",
	users: "1",
	avg run time: "5.922210762310476",
	messages: "SimulatorStart, Violation, SimulatorEnd"
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Figure 5 Extract from NURO's analytics: Documented simulation with violation

This figure is an extract of NURO's runtime analytics. It represents the metrics of a time group. In this case the analytics of a minute interval. The messages were send to the effector by the NURO simulator and the SeaClouds monitoring.



Passed?	Yes / Partialy	Bug ID		
Problems	Due to the maturity of the system, interoperation between the components was not final at the testing time. Human interaction was needed where in the final version the processing should be automated.			
Required Changes	None, SeaClouds development team works on the integration.			
Cost Estimation				
Comments	Reconfiguration and replaning was not tested with this test iteration.			

Test ID	Usabilit	bility Testing 2 (UT2)		Date		13/11/2015
Tester	Roi Suc	cas (ATOS)		Testbed name		Local Testbed and Cloud Testbed
SeaClouds Platform Version		n Version	0.8.0-SNAPSHOT			
Test Results						
Involved Se Components		SeaClouds	SeaClouds dashboard, SeaClouds deployer, SeaClouds monitor			
Interaction Between Components		SeaClouds Dashboard		Impression		
		Wizard navigation		Intuitive and easy to use and understand		
		Application deployment model generation		I	Also intuitive and easy to use. It offers a lot of options in the definition of each application component.	
				We had to do the deployment model manually.		
		Grafana monitoring		-not tested-		
		SeaClouds	s Deploye	er	Impressio	on
		Deployment of the application in different		This component deployed successfully all the Softcare components in the selected		



	PaaS providers	PaaS pro	oviders: Pivotal, Cloud Foundry and emix	
	SeaClouds Monitor	Impression		
	Monitoring of the deployed components	After the deployment of the Softcare components, those that were going to be monitored could connect successfully with the monitoring component.		
			d also generate some violations ck them later using different rs.	
Passed?	Yes / Partially	Bug ID		
Problems	All the SeaClouds components we used are still under development, and most of the problems we have encountered are related with this.			
	SeaClouds Dashboard: Some minor bugs (overlapping issues with some components) in the user interface of the dashboard (with Chrome):			
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	We had to generate the deployment model manually.			
	SeaClouds Deployer: We had to use this component separately in order to use the last updates / changes needed for a PaaS deployment.			
	SeaClouds Monitor: Moni	toring platfo	orm was also deployed manually.	
Required Changes	-			
Cost Estimation	-			
Comments	As the components are still under development we had to use the SeaClouds tools separately.			





4. Conclusions and next steps

The deliverable D6.4.2 is the second document of the D.6.4.x saga. Is has highlighted the results of the first cycle of evaluation measurements and analysis of the SeaClouds platform, evaluating both quantitative and qualitative requirements. The information has been separated into two main sections; the section 3 introduced the different configurations setups to perform a functional evaluation analysis while the section 4 has been devoted to detail some non-functional evaluation analysis. Due to the fact the SeaClouds software was not totally mature; the consortium postponed some non-functional tests to M30.

Moreover, in this document (in the Annex B) a collection of tools to be used during the testing and validation phase of the SeaClouds project has been presented.

In summary "The initial version of the SeaClouds software solution probes a great part of the functionality described in the deliverable D2.1 [2] although it is still missing some key features. Once these main features will be added to the system, developers need to fix stability problems to achieve all non-functional requirements.

From the point of view of the non-functional requirements, the situation has to be improved in the next months. The current release of SeaClouds presents several stability issues. These issues have not allowed performing Performance/Scalability tests as well as Long-Term tests.

At the same time, this release is nothing more than a demo version, it proves that a set of specific functionality can be done, but it is far from a product that can be used effectively and in an user-friendly and productive environment.

Non-Functional Requirements tests at M30		
Performance/Scalability Testing		
Stress Testing		
Documentation Testing		
Local and in Cloud Installation Testing		
Regression Testing		
Long Term Testing		
Final Interoperability testing		
Early Usability Testing		



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Annex A. Applications descriptions

To test the effectiveness and functionality of the SeaClouds platform, the tests are going to be performed by real applications in typical usage scenarios. These applications are going to be provided by the two Case Study partners of the project: ATOS and NURO Game.

A1. ATOS Case Study

The ATOS case study is about an e-health and social networking application system composed by several applications and modules that aim to easy the lives of elderly people, and also the work of the social workers and doctors that take care of them. The applications that compose this solution are the following:

• Desktop application:

This *.NET* desktop application will be used by each one of the elderly users. It is ready to be deployed in PCs or small devices, and it is responsible for collecting the medical of these elderlies. This application is also responsible for offering them all the multimedia and social content of the solution.

• Web services application:

This java Web application is responsible of the main logic of the application components. It is also responsible for the connections with the main database.

• SoftCare Web GUI applications:

• Users application:

This web application will offer most of the services offered by the desktop application, like the medical data collection.

• Administration application:

This java Web application will be used by social workers and doctors in order to do the follow-up of the elderly people, and also to assign them social and multimedia content.

• SoftCare Database:

This database stores the data of all users, including the medical data of the elderlies. This implies that the database has to be stored in a private environment that ensures a correct management of the privacy and confidentiality of the stored data.

• Forum Web application & database:

This java Web application is responsible for maintaining a forum service for elderly people, their families and friends.

• Multimedia repository application:

Finally, this application is responsible for the management of the multimedia content that is offered to the elderly people.

The architecture of this solution is depicted in the next image:

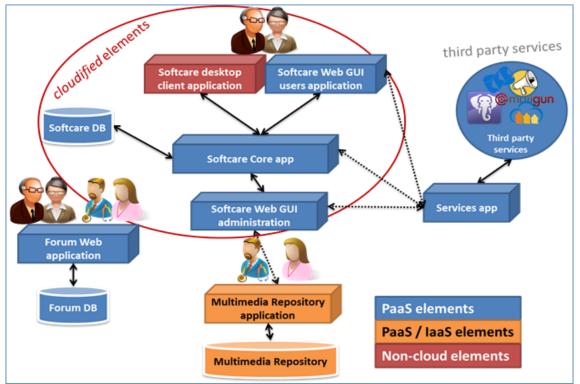


Figure 6: ATOS Case Study architecture – SoftCare solution

The SeaClouds platform will be used to design, deploy and manage all the previous described Softcare applications / components, except the desktop application for elderly people, which is out of the SeaClouds scope.



A2. NURO Case Study

Nurogames GmbH (NURO) is a software development company focused on high quality games, gamification solutions and research. Both, customers' products and their own productions are on the market and in

deployment state.

The NURO case study is based on their game servers engine, a typical so called LAMP solution (Linux Apache MySQL Php) a popular open source based technique for webserver based applications.

Game clients interact via HTTP(S) with the server.

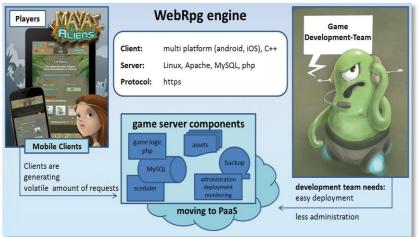


Figure 7: NURO case study - techniques

The server application processes the client requests and stores the persistent data.

Cost efficiency and performance are the decisive factors for the choice of deployment setup.

Games have a very volatile usage with regional, cultural, daytime and event based influences.

The NURO cases study is focused to find by the SeaClouds System a simple to use tool to find the best deployment solution for the game and adjust it to the games' needs. A mix of private and multi cloud resources should be possible.

To evaluate this NURO implemented a simplified server based on their engines.

In the simple Setup it consists of a "Database" and a "PHP" module.

For this project NURO developed some components to simulate load scenarios and to provide an API to interact with the seaclouds system see D6.3.2.

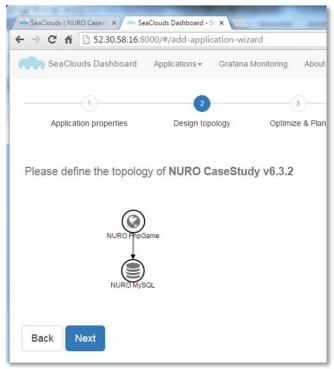


Figure 8: NURO case study - modules

Based on a flexible implementation all

components can be also accessed by any web browser. The response is HTML or JSON, we recommend the JSONview plugin to display JSON responses in a human friendly way.





Figure 9: NURO case study - components

These D6.3.2 Components are:

- benchmark.php Frontend to Apache benchmarking tool
- simulator.php NURO Scenario Simulator (Under development)
- sensor.php NURO Sensor, returns server metrics
- effector.php NURO Effector, accepts event requests
- analytics.php NURO Analytics, returns runtime analytics

Also a quiz game server and client have been developed, included this components and others of NUROs engines. The quiz game has not been tested with this evaluation.

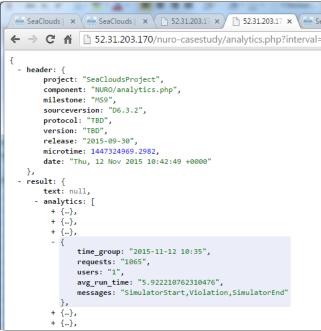


Figure 10: NURO cases study - analytics.php response

Figure 9 is an analytics result after a simulation with a SLA violation.

Both the "NURO simulator" and the "SeaClouds Monitoring" use the same effector.php API to report events.

- SimulatorStart
- Violation
- SimulatorEnd

These events are reported by the analytics.php at node: result.analytics[3].messages



Annex B. Testing Tools/Software

In this deliverable and in the deliverable D6.1 several tests are presented that need to be performed in different scenarios and SeaClouds installations. The objective is to try to automate those tests as much as possible. The idea is to create different scripts to make the tests automatic, to write those scripts, open source or free software tools will be used.

In the following sections possible options to perform different tasks are presented. It is the tasks of the each person assigned to perform a test (see deliverable D6.1) to select the best one to write the testing scripts.

B1. HTTP link checkers

There are two possible options:

- W3C Link Checker (<u>http://validator.w3.org/checklink</u>), only valid for public online webpages.
- Xenu (<u>http://home.snafu.de/tilman/xenulink.html</u>), a Microsoft Windows application that reports broken links for online webpages and local webpages.

B2. Specific testing tools

The following tools can help the different testers to create the necessary scripts to validate the functionality of the SeaClouds platform.

The responsible to write a specific script should look and see what is the best option for her/him (this option includes to use no tool at all or, just a typical scripting language such as bash, perl, python, etc.).

The different options

- JSystem (<u>http://www.jsystemtest.org</u>) It is an open source framework made in Java to create and run different testing projects. It is a modular project that covers all the possibility of testing, from unit tests to acceptance tests. In the specific case of the SeaClouds project, there are modules that may be used to run tests scripts using a CLI interfaces, to monitor computers or to test web-applications (it uses Selenium -<u>http://seleniumhq.org/</u>).
- QMTest (<u>http://www.codesourcery.com/qmtest</u>) Another testing management tool. In this case it is made in python. It can test any kind of application based in its input and output values.
- Texttest (<u>http://texttest.carmen.se</u>) It is a more simple tool than the two previous ones. It compares the log output of an application with a previous log output of what was expected as right behaviour of the application.
- Staff (<u>http://staf.sourceforge.net/</u>) It is a framework to develop testing suites. It could be useful for the project, although it looks like a complex solution in comparation with the previous ones.



B3. Web-services testing tools

As it was commented at the beginning of this document, for several of the test maybe it is necessary to write some web-services tests to verify the functionality of those tasks that can not be performed using the CLI interface.

The different tools are

- SoapUI (<u>http://www.eviware.com</u>) It is a open source java desktop application that, among other features, it can perform functional, load and, compliance web-services tests. It provides plugins for the most common Java IDES (Eclipse, Netbeans and, Idea). There is a commercial version with extended features, but the open source one is more than enough for our testing objectives.
- PushToTest TestMaker (<u>http://www.pushtotest.com</u>) Open source tool that allows the creation of functional tests, load tests and monitoring. It also allows the integration of unit tests inside the framework, but it fall outside of the scope of the WP6.
- WebInject (<u>http://www.webinject.org/</u>) Open source tool written in perl that can perform functional and regression test over web-services and web applications. The test are written in XML and can be only performed over applications that use http or https protocols.

B5. Tools for Performance/Scalability testing

Useful tool that can be used during the performance/scalability testing and stress testing are:

- Apache JMeter (<u>http://jakarta.apache.org/jmeter</u>) JMeter is a java application designed to test client/server software, including web applications. JMeter can be used to simulate heavy load in a server and to see how the system changes its behaviour under different load conditions.
- VisualVM (<u>https://visualvm.dev.java.net</u>) VisualVM is a tool to monitor and troubleshoot Java applications. It runs on Sun JDK 6, but is able to monitor applications running on JDK 1.4 and higher. It utilizes various available technologies like jvmstat, JMX, the Serviceability Agent (SA), and the Attach API to get the data and automatically uses the fastest and most lightweight technology to impose minimal overhead on monitored applications.



Annex C. Test results report format

This section introduces the template that the tester has to fill for each one of the tests mentioned in the deliverable D6.1 and in this deliverable.

The table 7 includes all this categories

- Scenario ID/Quality test ID Provides the unique identifier that refers to the different quality tests and scenarios defined in this deliverable.
- **Date –** Date in which the test was completed.
- **Pass/Fail** Indicate if the tests was successful passed by SeaClouds or it failed.
- **Tester Name** Name of the tester that performed the different tests that are included in the corresponding table report.
- **Testbed/Machine used** Name of the testbed or machine where some requirement of SeaClouds was tested.
- Comments about the Testbed/Machine Any possible comment about changes or clarification to the information about the testbed or the machine commented in this deliverable or in the deliverable D6.1 (e.g. a new Java Virtual Machine was intalled, new version of the operating system, etc.).
- **SeaClouds version** Version of SeaClouds tested.
- Third party software used Additional software used in the tests (e.g ATOS Use Case, Nuro Use Case, the dummy application, etc.). It should be specified the exact version of those applications.
- Third party testing software used In the case the tester uses any of the tools stated in the 0, it should be mentioned here.
- **Involved Components** A list of all SeaClouds architecture components involved in order to carry out the related test or scenario.
- **Description of interactions among components** It provides a brief description about how the different components interact to achieve the scenario/test.
- **Possible problems and necessary changes** During the tests and possible changes needed to make to the system to pass the tests in new versions of SeaClouds.
- **Comments –** Any helpful commentary that the tester considers necessary.

Scenario ID/Quality test ID	
Date	
Pass/Fail	
Tester Name	
Testbed/Machine used	

Table 7 Template to fill the results of the tests.



Comments about the Testbed/Machine	
SeaClouds version	
Third party software used	
Third party testing software used	
Involved Components	
Description of interactions among components	
Possible problems and necessary changes	
Comments	

To fill all the results of the different tests, a web application is going to be created. The tester will fill some forms and each test result is going to be automatically stored into a database.