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Dissemination Level		
PU	Public	X
PP	Restricted to other programme participants (including the Commission Services)	
RE	Restricted to a group specified by the consortium (including the Commission Services)	
CO	Confidential, only for members of the consortium (including the Commission Services)	

Description of DL5 with completion date “Month 6”

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The purpose of DL5 is to establish communication tools in the consortium. This means:

1. Mailing list

Mailing lists have been set up for contacting all principal investigators (apo-sys-pi@curie.fr) or all participants (apo-sys-all@curie.fr) and was already accomplished at the end of month 1.

2. **Official web site for communication to and with fellow scientists, clinicians and the general public.**

An official website (www.apo-sys.eu) was created by the project manager (using the Expression web program) and was design to include:

- general information on APO-SYS, its objectives, participants etc
- announcements of workshops/downloads from the workshops
- open positions
- list of publications – will include only the publications were apo-sys is acknowledged.
- additional announcements regarding the community working in the field of Apoptosis and AIDS.

The host-server for the website is located in Sweden at the company called **fsdata.se**, a commercial server provider, it's maintained and updated regularly by the project manager.

3. **An internal web site for communication of data and information fluxes between partners.**

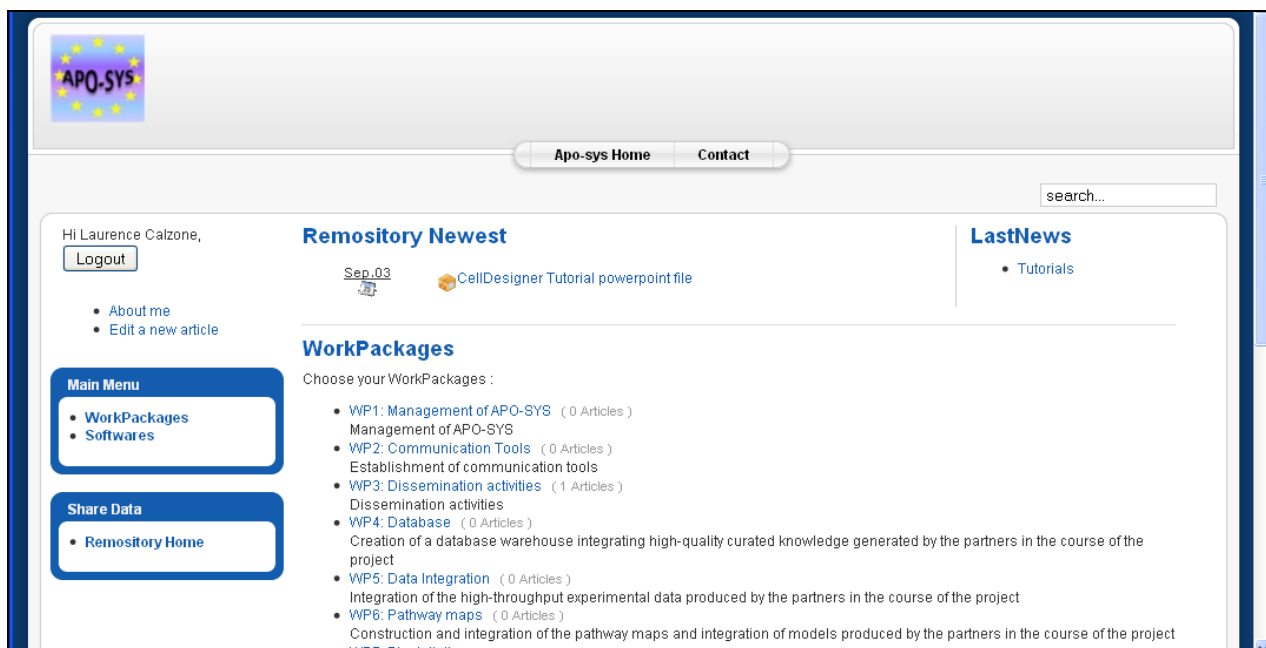
An internal website (apo-sys.curie.fr) was built as an editable web with several parts. Sharing of information is organized by workpackage, and recommended software are also listed and downloadable when possible (see the home page Fig. 1). Access is authenticated and password protected. The APO-SYS intranet is based on the Joomla! Content Management System technology. This allows fine-grained management of the editorial and administration rights, and participation of all partners to the web content. A short tutorial has been proposed to the APO-SYS partners to get started in 3 minutes with contributions to the site.

A short description how the website looks like when members of the consortium login follows:

1. **The structure of the website**

The site is organized as to provide two types of information:

- Information about the content of each workpackage (**Main Menu**):
 - i. WorkPackages: describes the 18 work packages.
Each group is responsible for adding information concerning the different work packages and their deliverables.
 - ii. Softwares: lists the softwares that are developed by the modeling groups
- Depository of files you wish to share (**Share data**).



Note: on the upper banner, will always be listed the newest files uploaded or articles written.

2. Log into the website

Go to <http://apo-sys.curie.fr/>

- Type in your username (the standard format will be the first letter of your first name followed by your last name without space and in small captions).
- Type in your password. To change your password, go to “About me” below the “Logout” button on the upper left of the screen and modify your password.

3. Edit a new article

Click on “Edit a new article” below the “Logout” button.


EDITOR: An editor appears. Fill in the title and the text you wish to add.

PUBLISHING: Once your article is written, you need to specify its location. For that, you will choose the appropriate options in the “Publishing” frame below that of the “Editor”. Among the sections, you will specify either “Workpackages” or “Softwares”. If you choose “Workpackages” (as a category), you will be able to select the workpackage in which you want your article to appear.

If you choose “Softwares, a list of the different software packages appears.

By default, the article will be published but will not appear on the front page.

METADATA: you can add a brief description of your article and a list of keywords or phrases separated by commas. This will help the users find articles corresponding to a specific subject via the search engine (top right of the window).


Another possibility is to go directly to the section and category of interest and click on the icon: . Then you will follow the same process as described above.


4. Upload and download data

The “remository” works as a file repository. It contains 3 different files:

- Meetings

- Publications (Also divided in two folders: Apo-Sys Project and General).
- Workshops. So far two workshops were organized: one at EBI and the other one at Institut Curie. Each organizer is responsible for adding files.

To upload a file, click on the icon “Submit file”  at the bottom right of your screen. You will need to browse and find the file located in your computer. You can also give the address of a URL where your file is located. You may add a text to accompany your data and choose an icon that corresponds to the type of files you have just added (ex: ppt, pdf, doc, etc.). Then click on the “Submit file” button.

To download a file, go to the corresponding folder to find the file you wish to access. Click on it. A more detailed description will be available. To download it, you will need to click on the “Download” button  and either open it directly or save it on your computer.