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# Meeting Minutes

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## Subjects

- We presented a demo of VML v0.1.
- Mr. Calafiura proposed us to allow the user to give an entry name instead of a complete path to the VM configuration file when he wants to create an entry. Besides, it is not really clear for the user to understand where an entry will be extracted when he executes the “open” command. We discussed about that and we found a solution which will increase the usability of VML: introduce the working area concept.
- A working area is the folder in where we place the virtual machines files to start the VMs. A user can work with more than one working area and each one has a name. When the user wants to save the state of a virtual machine, he executes the “save” command (instead of the old “create”) by giving the name of the working area (instead of the path to the VM configuration file).
- When the user wants to open an entry, he can specify in which working area VML has to place the VM files to launch the machine.
- Mr. Calafiura proposed to distribute a VML alpha version to the VML team soon. We prefer to realize VML v0.2 with the working area before to distribute it. Mr. Calafiura agrees.