G Gloucestershire
A Archives
I ingest
P packager

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GAIP objectives

- be a practical “demonstrator” for digital ingest
- be “accessible”
- all at no cost / low cost
- audience is local authority users / IT support
GAIP architecture

• non-proprietary, ie open source
• standard components (multiple implementations)
• cross platform
GAIP scope

• current
  – single user
  – can ingest many image formats as either single items or collections
  – supports both graphical and command line user interfaces

• anticipated
  – ingest document formats in particular MS Word
  – multi user
GAIP ingest policy

- preserve original
- immediate migration to preservation format
- embedded metadata
- flexible dissemination
GAIP demonstration
Gloucestershire Archives Ingest Packager

Function
- create ingest package
- use template
- edit preservation metadata
- save edit
- extract from ingest package

Extract format
- jpeg
- tiff
- png
- be verbose

Metadata template
/home/viv/gaip/gaipBasicTemplate.txt

Source directory or file
/home/viv/Pictures/IvorGurney.gif

Destination directory
/home/viv/Desktop/create

Help Close OK
GAIP conclusion

• is now being implemented operationally
• is being used as a digital curation learning environment
• provides a platform for a “trusted store” demonstrator
Thank you

Questions?