



VO-Dance

a simple service publisher

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motivation



- dynamically create compliant DAL services
 - out of a generic database table or view
 - either local or remote
 - on the fly
- allow users which want to publish their datasets to the VO to achieve this goal in a *few, simple steps* without
 - dealing with the technical details of standard services development
 - having to move their data.



requirements

- access to the table or view
- define general parameters
 - service name
 - service type
- define a data access policy, if needed
- fill in database connection parameters;
- define column metadata
 - UCDs
 - units
 - arrays
 - typecasting



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Change service History

General Information

General information about the Service.
For Simple Image Access services please choose one or more file formats.
The Siap Format Field is ignored if the service is not SIAP.
The Policy field can be left empty.

Name: **Description:** Active

Service type: **Policy:**

Siap format:

Hold down "Control", or "Command" on a Mac, to select more than one.

Database Connection

Database connection parameters.

Host: **Port:**

Dbms:

Db:

Table or view:

User: **Password:**

Column mappers

Column name	Ucd	Units	Type cast	Delete?
19 <input type="text" value="RA_RAD"/>	<input type="text" value="Ra Main"/> <input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="text" value="radians"/>	<input type="text" value="....."/> <input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
20 <input type="text" value="DEC_RAD"/>	<input type="text" value="Dec Main"/> <input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="text" value="radians"/>	<input type="text" value="....."/> <input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
27 <input type="text" value="NAXES"/>	<input type="text" value="naxes"/> <input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="text" value=""/>	<input type="text" value="BigDecimal to Integer"/> <input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
28 <input type="text" value="MIME_TYPE"/>	<input type="text" value="image format"/> <input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="text" value=""/>	<input type="text" value="....."/> <input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
29 <input type="text" value="IMA_URI"/>	<input type="text" value="image URI"/> <input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="text" value=""/>	<input type="text" value="....."/> <input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
30 <input type="text" value="EXP_ID"/>	<input type="text" value="unique image ID"/> <input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="text" value=""/>	<input type="text" value="....."/> <input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
31 <input type="text" value="INSTRUME"/>	<input type="text" value="instrument identifier"/> <input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="text" value=""/>	<input type="text" value="....."/> <input type="button" value="+"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



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Table or view:

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Column mappers

Column name	Ucd	Units	Type cast	Delete?
19 RA_RAD	Ra Main	radians	<input type="checkbox"/>
20 DEC_RAD	Dec Main	radians	<input type="checkbox"/>
27 NAXES	naxes		BigDecimal to Integer	<input type="checkbox"/>
28 MIME_TYPE	image format		<input type="checkbox"/>
29 IMA_URI	image URI		<input type="checkbox"/>
30 EXP_ID	unique image ID		<input type="checkbox"/>
31 INSTRUME	instrument identifier		<input type="checkbox"/>



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The Sub-Format field is ignored if the service is not SIA.

Column name	Ucd	Units	Type cast	Delete?
19 RA_RAD	Ra Main	radians	-----	<input type="checkbox"/>
20 DEC_RAD	Dec Main	radians	-----	<input type="checkbox"/>
33 NAXIS1, NAXIS2 = NAXIS	naxis		BigDecimal to Integer	<input type="checkbox"/>

Db: CAA

Table or view: ARCHA.VIEW_OIG

User: web Password:

Column mappers

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19 RA_RAD	Ra Main	radians	-----	<input type="checkbox"/>
20 DEC_RAD	Dec Main	radians	-----	<input type="checkbox"/>
27 NAXES	naxes		BigDecimal to Integer	<input type="checkbox"/>
28 MIME_TYPE	image format		-----	<input type="checkbox"/>
29 IMA_URI	image URI		-----	<input type="checkbox"/>
30 EXP_ID	unique image ID		-----	<input type="checkbox"/>
31 INSTRUME	instrument identifier		-----	<input type="checkbox"/>



additional features



- data policy
 - allow public data restrictions
 - incomplete at present
 - can be bypassed by view
- type casting
 - conform DBMS type to DAL protocol requirements
 - a bit tricky



published services



capabilities

- DAL protocols
 - SIAP
 - cone search
- DBMSs
 - MySQL
 - Oracle

published & registered

- 3 SIA services for TNG
- 11 Planck cone searches
- ARNICA SIA service
- 4 cone searches from SDSS extracted candidate quasars and galaxies (with photometric redshifts)

...a mix of hosted and locally managed data



...what's next



- other DAL protocols implementation
 - SSAP
 - TAP
- support more DBMSs
 - PostgreSQL
- interface refinement
- VO-Dance release ... not asap

