

# Characterisation 2.0 : Need, status and schedule

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# Status

- Draft posted in August: new version nearly completed
- Xml schema : work going on . Using an extension of Stc (common with spectrum for photometry)
- Utype list Really urgent



## Why do we need a new version, actually ? Isn't characteristic DM a recommendation ?

- New features, use case driven
  - Concepts identified at the very beginning and missing in version 1
- Cosmetic changes due to uprising of Obstar...
- New xml schema using IVOA derivation rules



# Variation maps for characterisation properties (char « level 4 »)

- It works
  - we have « Best spectral fitting » service (Igor) based on that ...
  - Other fitting algorithm based on resolution maps can be driven

● We can have





# Changes used in Obscore and spectrum

- Polarization (now in Obscore ....), Velocity axis , FluxAxis as and ObservableAxis
- Various Attribute names here and there for more consistency -----> consequence on utypes
- FluxAxis will reuse a new CoordFrame built from Photometru Data Model



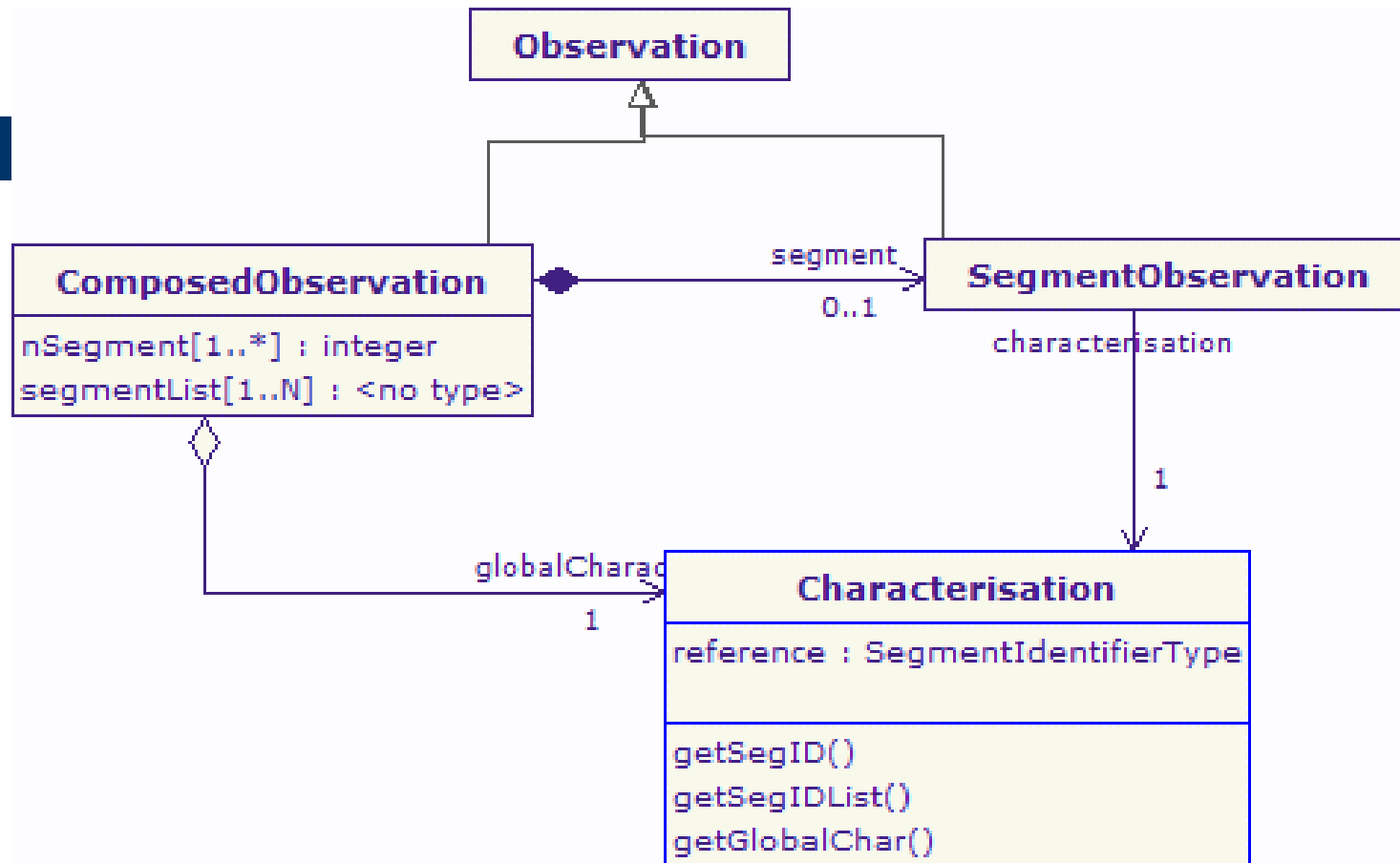
# Extended Access

- Based on Access Package (SSA, Obstep)
  - Adding description of internal structure
  - UML diagram
- Is reused by DataLink (and could be by Provenance)



# Composed dataset issue

- Composed data:
  - « dataset with composed support on one axis and where other properties and Axes are segment dependant »
  - CCD mosaics images
  - MultiPolarization images
  - Two « roles » for characterization class







# Characterization of radio data (CSP demand)

- Velocity axis is there (for x,y,velocity cubes)
- Polarization data
  - Polarization axis : gives the enumerated list of
  - each polarization state has its own 'segment characterization » (composed data) with a specific flux axis
- Visibility data :
  - Define a uv plane spatial axis
  - Simple/Complex visibilities by using one/several Observable axes
- Need real datasets for prototyping: any ?



# Roadmap: Char2 splinter session tomorrow?

- Wednesday afternoon ?
- Radioastronomers ?
- NB: Provenance has kept quiet since Pune