



ExecutionBroker in Context

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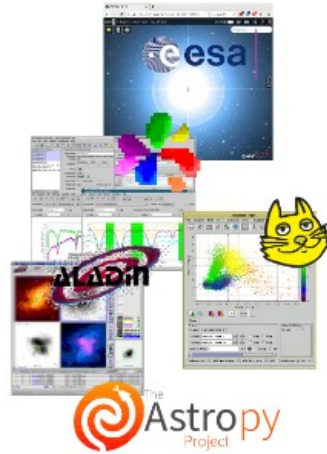


OSSR
Software library

requirements



Can You Do This ?
yes/no/maybe



Compute platform



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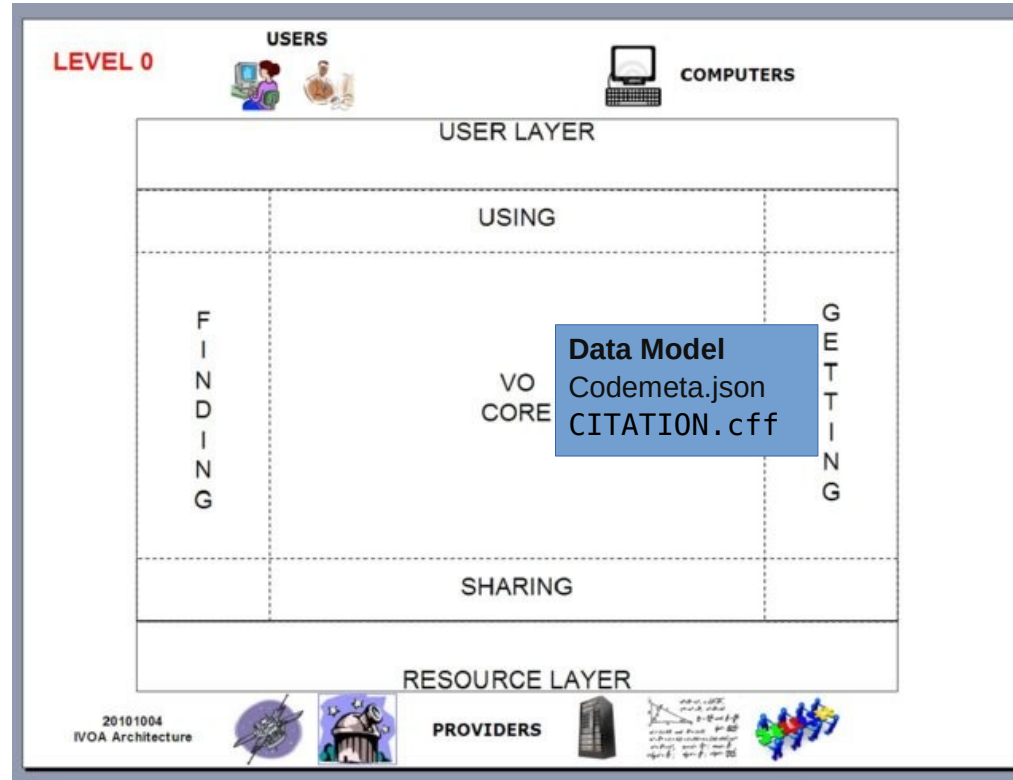
Modeling software solutions and computation facilities for FAIR access



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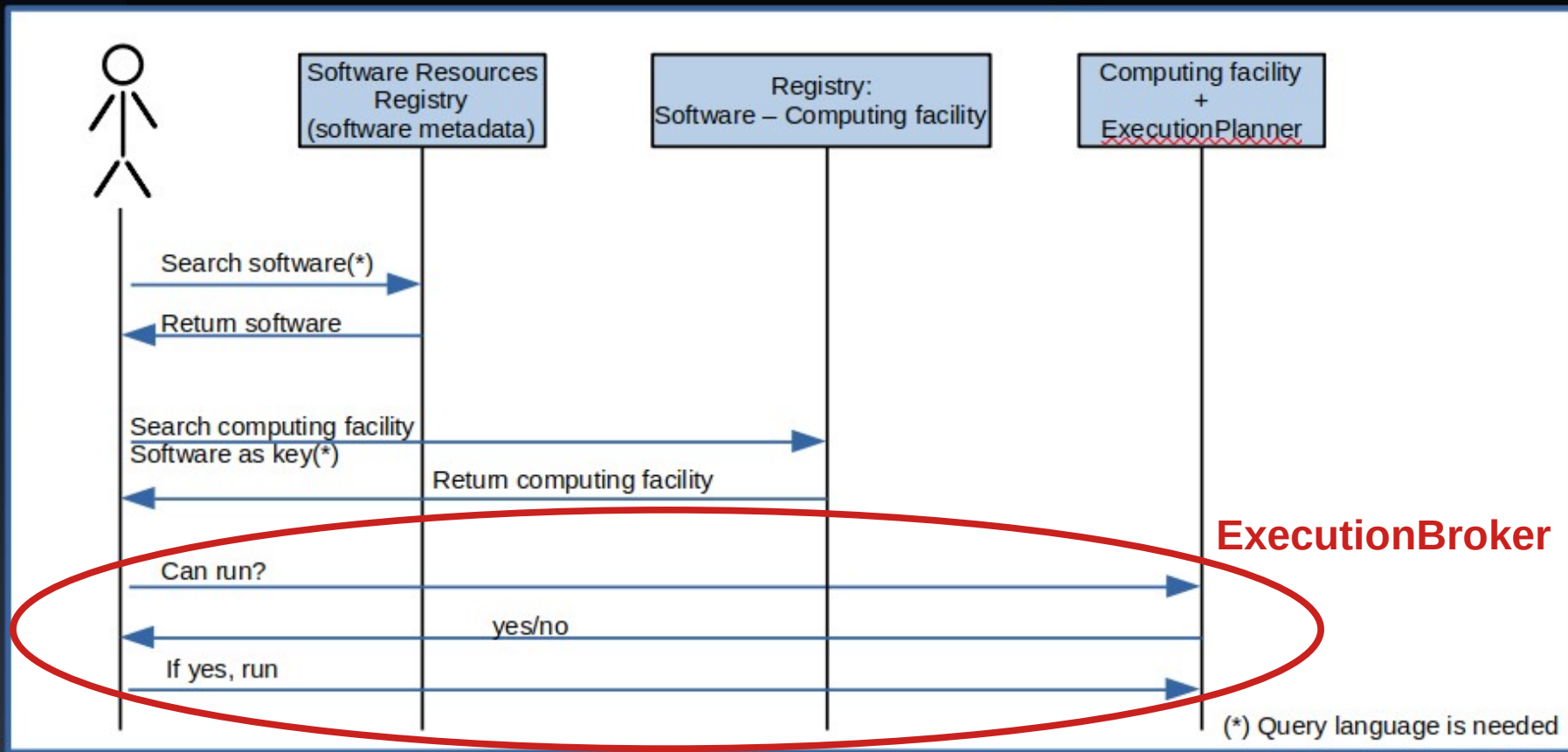


What about
computing
facilities?



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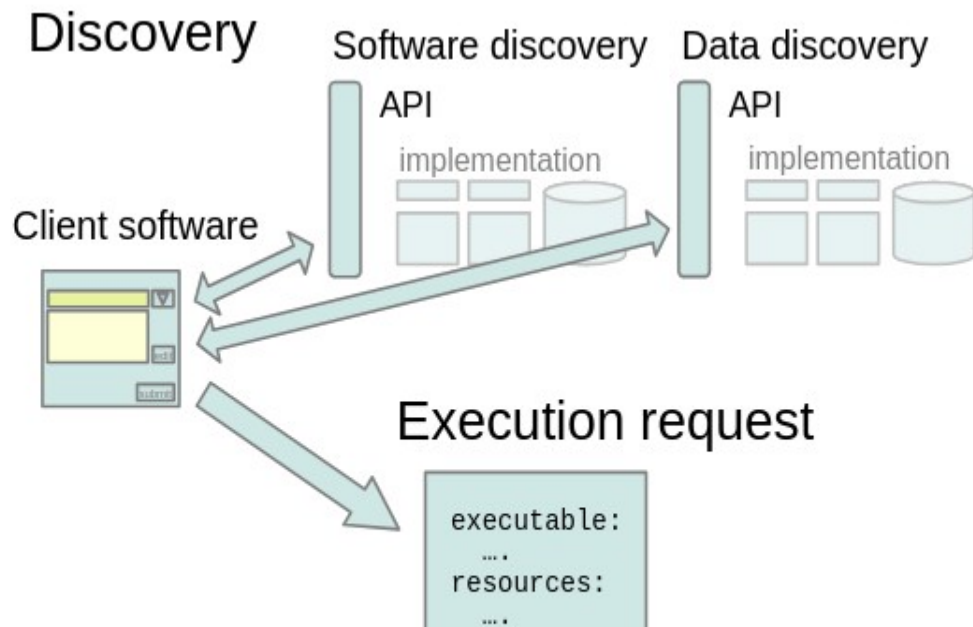
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ExecutionBroker in IVOA

The interaction between a user, the client application they are using, and the services available in the Virtual Observatory can be described as a conversation to discover where, how, and when, an executable thing that the user has chosen can be executed.

It is a synthesis of the use case



```
# ExecutionBroker OfferSet request.  
executable:  
    ....  
resources:  
    ....  
schedule:  
    ....
```

```
# OpenAPI schema
AbstractExecutable:
  type: object
  discriminator:
    propertyName: type
    mapping:
      "uri:java-program-1.0":      'JavaPro
      "uri:python-program-1.0":    'PythonP
      "uri:docker-container-1.0":  'DockerC
      "uri:singular-container-1.0": 'Singula
      "uri:jupyter-notebook-1.0":  'Jupyter
      ....
  properties:
    name:
      description: >
        A human readable name, assigned by t
      type: string
    uuid:
      description: >
        A machine readable UUID, assigned by
      type: string
      format: uuid
    type:
      description: >
        The type discriminator.
      type: string
      format: uri
```

```
# OpenAPI schema
DockerContainer:
  description: |
    A Docker or OCI container.
    See https://opencontainers.org/
  type: object
  title: DockerContainer
  allOf:
    - $ref: 'AbstractExecutable'
    - type: object
      properties:
        repository:
          description: >
            The image repository URL.
          type: string
        image:
          description: >
            The image name within the repository.
          type: string
        tag:
          type: string
          description: >
            The image version tag.
        digest:
          description: >
            The image digest checksum, used for verification.
          type: string
      ....
```

Software description

```

....
# Details of the resources needed.
resources:

compute:
  - name: compute-001
    ....
    volumes:
      - name: results-volume
        resource: results-storage ----\
        path: /results                  |
        mode: rw                        |

storage:                               |
- name: results-storage                <----/
  type: uri:persistent-storage
  lifecycle: managed
  lifetime:
    requested:
      min: P1D
  size:
    requested:
      min: 10
      units: TiB

```

Resources description

```

# Details of the resources needed.
resources:
  ....
  compute:
    - name: "compute-001"
      ....
      volumes:
        - name: "results"
          path: "/results"
          mode: "rw"
      storage:
        - name: "results"
          type: "https://www.purl.org/ivoa.net/storage-types/
vospace-storage"
          spec:
            endpoint: "http://...."
            path: "/experiment-21/results"
            lifecycle: "unmanaged"

```

```

# ExecutionBroker client request.
request:
  # Details of the executable.
  executable:
    ....
  # Details of the resources needed.
  resources:
    ....
    storage:
      - name: "results"
        type: "https://www.purl.org/ivoa.net/storage-types/
vospace-storage"
        spec:
          endpoint: "http://...."
          type: "container"
          path: "/experiment-21/results"
          lifecycle: "managed"
          lifetime:

```

OfferSet

Resources
And
Time



interactivity

```
# ExecutionBroker OfferSet response.
result: YES
....
offers:

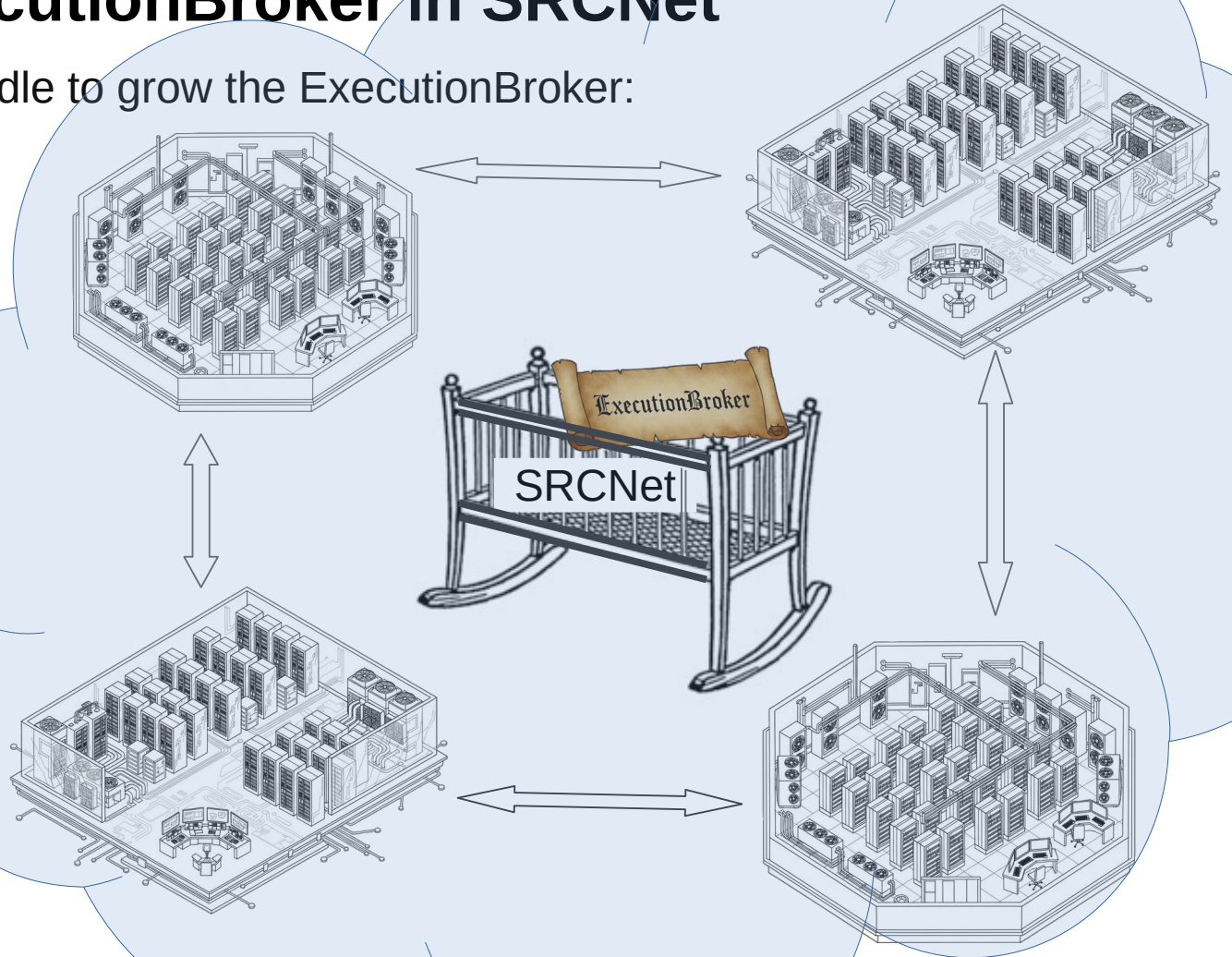
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  state: 'OFFERED'
  expires: "2023-09-18T07:05:21"
  ....
  executable:
    ....
    resources:
      ....
      schedule:
        ....

- uuid: "2e16bf4c-7ff6-11ef-8412-4bc36fe2face"
  status: 'OFFERED'
  expires: "2023-09-18T07:05:21"
  ....
  executable:
    ....
    resources:
      ....
      schedule:
        ....
```

ExecutionBroker in SRCNet

SRCNet has been a good cradle to grow the ExecutionBroker:

- Use case
- Infrastructure



ExecutionBroker in SRCNet

Frame the ExecutionBroker implementation and usage in SRCNet.

- Only for interactive work ?
- Mix interactive (ExecutionBroker) and batch solutions in the same cluster: reliable?
 - Is monitoring enough?
 - Queuing services?
 - Priority services?

Backup slides

IVOA Interop Groenningen October 2019: DCP session

