

DAL architecture for Time Series



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TimeSeries discovery

- 3 discovery modes
 - Source driven (direct or via DataLink)
 - ObsCore/SIAV2-like driven (are extensions needed ?)
 - Physical Content driven (project specific?)



Source driven (Use case : GAIA)

- We retrieve sources via a TAP or an SCS service
- For each source an URL retrieves TimeSeries
- How do we put a standard tag on this URL ?
 - Utype on a single FIELD ?
 - LINK feature with new « content » attribute ?
 - Service descriptor (DataLink) towards a TimeSeries retriever ?
 - Links to TimeSeries in a {link resource} (DataLink) associated to the source ?



Obscore-like driven (use case :SVO, planets, GAIA, all)

- CoordSystem is ICRS, TT, BARYCENTER
- Obscore allows discovery of « data_product=TimeSeries » datasets with other constraints
- What should be added (if any -→ see Adas' talk)? Eg :
 - Time Support tag (when do we have significant observation?)
 - Time Support summary tags (min/max of « parts »)
 - Time sampling frequency, or frequency bounds tags
 - Time sample width bounds tags
 - Extend o_ucd value domain : what is varying with time
- Close to previous SSA-like approach (SVO)



Physical Content- driven (INAF exoplanets, ESA missions)

- List of metadata
 - Signal periodicity
 - Periods
 - Object type candidate (exoplanet, variable star, etc..)
 - Transiency
 - Artefacts
 - Etc...
- Requires specific analysis
 - Project specific
 - Additional physical content metadata table.
 - Joins to Obscore-like table



TimeSeries representation and access

- Proper TimeFrame and Time representation definition (stc)
 - Time Scale
 - Reference position
 - Representation : JD, MJD, Offset (no ISO, no HJD...)
- TimeSeries data model :
 - based on CubeDM ? VO-DML-XML document due
 - Which dependant axes ?
 - Which Mapping/serialization (from VO-DML or whatever)
 - -->Tommorrow session



TimeSeries representation and access

(2)

- Single URL-based retrieval to TimeSeries insufficient
 - Extraction from a database : SODA-like approach to generate the actual TimeSeries
 - Useful to discover which TimeSeries can be generated by a service : virtual data discovery.



How does DAL can tackle all this ?

- This is only a proposal
- See also the two last slides of FB talk in Shanghai : <http://wiki.ivoa.net/internal/IVOA/InterOpMay2017-TD/TimeSeries.pdf>



How does DAL can tackle all this ?

1) Obscore

- Pick up the required characterization of the Time axis (see slide 3) from TimeSeries datamodel
- set a new TimeSeries extension table of the ivoa TAP schema. Create this :
 - As an endorsed note ?
 - As a real new standard ?



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2) representation

- Requires modelling and serialization
- ---> It's a DM task (see tommorrow)



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3) TimeSeries generation

- Add a « DataProductType attribute » to SODA (to generate TimeSeries instead of Cubes)
- Add resampling parameter(s) to SODA interface
- Again :
 - new version ?
 - Endorsed note ?



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4) SIAV2 (PARAM-based) discovery

- Reflect new Obscore-like attributes in the SIAV2 query parameters
- Virtual data discovery capability
 - (access reference is not a retrieval URL but a SODA URL)
- Again:
 - endorsed note ?
 - or new version of the standard ?



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Provisional conclusion

- TimeSeries DataModel and serialization is a spec
- 3 endorsed notes = generic (and agnostic) mechanism to complement Obscore with datasettype-specific attributes and extend SIAV2 Parameters and capabilities and SODA parameters and capabilities
- A « TimeSeries discovery and access » specification is created
 - Is based on DataModel Spec
 - Is base on the 3 endorsed notes described above
 - Contains all TimeSeries specific capabilities and parameters definition
 - Provides a mechanism for discovery of TimeSeries in source-driven context

