#### **IVOA Provenance DM in TAP:**

Issues and solutions

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# Why Provenance in TAP?

- Provenance information can be attached to data in various ways :
  - Embedded in the data « header » itself
  - Linked to the data record via DataLink or URL
  - Retrievable via ProvSAP via data id.
- In addition to that, Provenance metadata in a TAP service will allow to discover « data » by constraining Provenance features.
  - It's a « reverse » mechanism.

# « The » issue = complexity

(see « FAIR high level data for Cherenkov astronomy » )

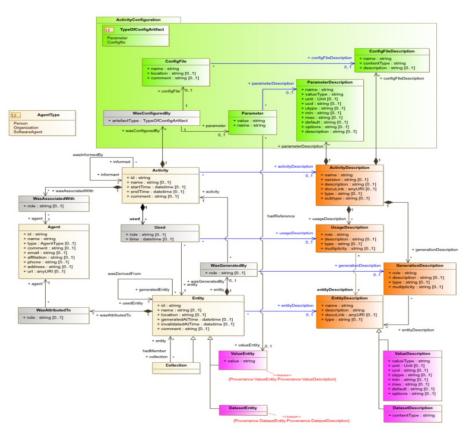


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1 table per class ? ---→ ProvTAP

## **ProvTAP** status

- There is an internal draft on the IVOA DAL page
- TAP schema mapping classes as tables
- ProvHiPS (provenance of HiPS and HiPS tiles) is an implementation prototype
- From now examples and demos from ProvHiPS



#### IVOA Provenance Table Access Protocol (ProvTAP)

#### Version 1.0

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http://www.ivoa.net/documents/ProvTAP/20180322

Latest version

http://www.ivoa.net/documents/ProvTAP

Previous versions

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#### Abstract

This document describes the ProvTAP protocol for accessing provenance information according to the IVOA ProvenanceDM standard. It defines how the elements of ProvDM are described in the TAP schema tables and provides guitelines for implemnmenting with TAP 1.1.

# ProvTAP TAP\_SCHEMA: Entity table

Name	ucd	utype	datatype	status
e_id	meta.id	voprov:Entity.id	char	M
e_name	meta.title	voprov:Entity.name	char	O
e_type	meta.code.class	voprov:Entity.type	char	O
e_rights	meta.code.class	voprov:Entity.rights	char	O
e_location	meta.ref.url	voprov:Entity.location	char	O
e_generated	time.start	voprov:Entity.generatedAtTime	char	O
e_invalidated	time.stop	voprov: Entity. invalidated At Time	char	O
e_comment	meta.description	voprov:Entity.comment	char	O
e_classtype	meta.code.class	voprov:Entity.classtype	char OPTION	M
e_value	stat.value	voprov:Entity.value	char	O
$\rightarrow$ e_description	meta.id	voprov:Entity.description_id	reference	O

Table 2: Column description for Entity table. The e\_classtype column may have the following two values :"dataset" and "value"

# ProvTAP TAP\_SCHEMA: parameterDescription table

Name	$\mathbf{ucd}$	$\mathbf{utype}$	datatype
pd_activitydescription	meta.id	voprov:ParameterDescription. activityDescription_id	char
$pd\_id$	meta.id	voprov: Parameter Description. id	char
pd_name	meta.title	voprov: Parameter Description. name	param dependent
$pd\_description$	meta.description	voprov: Parameter Description. description	char
$pd\_datatype$	meta	voprov: Parameter Description. data type	char
$pd\_unit$	meta.unit	voprov: Parameter Description. unit	char
$pd\_ucd$	meta.ucd	voprov: Parameter Description. ucd	char
$pd\_utype$	meta	voprov: Parameter Description. utype	char
$pd\_min$	$\operatorname{stat.min}$	voprov: Parameter Description.m in	param dependent
pd_max	stat.max	voprov: Parameter Description. max	param dependent
$pd\_options$	meta	voprov: Parameter Description. options	param dependent

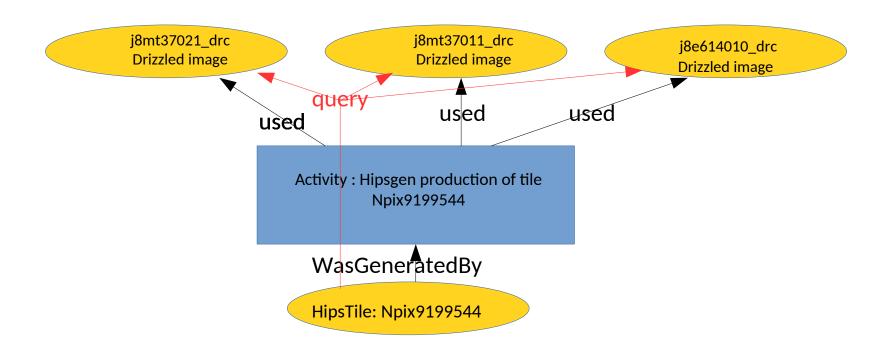
# ProvTAP TAP\_SCHEMA: parameter table

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	Name	ucd	utype	datatype	
	p_activity	meta.id	voprov:Parameter.activity_id	char	
	p_id	meta.id	voprov:Parameter.id	char	
	p_value	stat.value	voprov:Parameter.value	param dependent	
_	$\rightarrow$ p_description	meta.id	$voprov: Parameter.parameter Description\_id$	reference to parameter description	

Table 8: Column description for Parameter table

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```
select e.e_name, e.e_comment, a_name, a_starttime, a_comment, ee.e_name
ee.e_comment from entity e

join wasgeneratedby on e.e_id = wgb_entity

join activity on wgb_activity = a_id

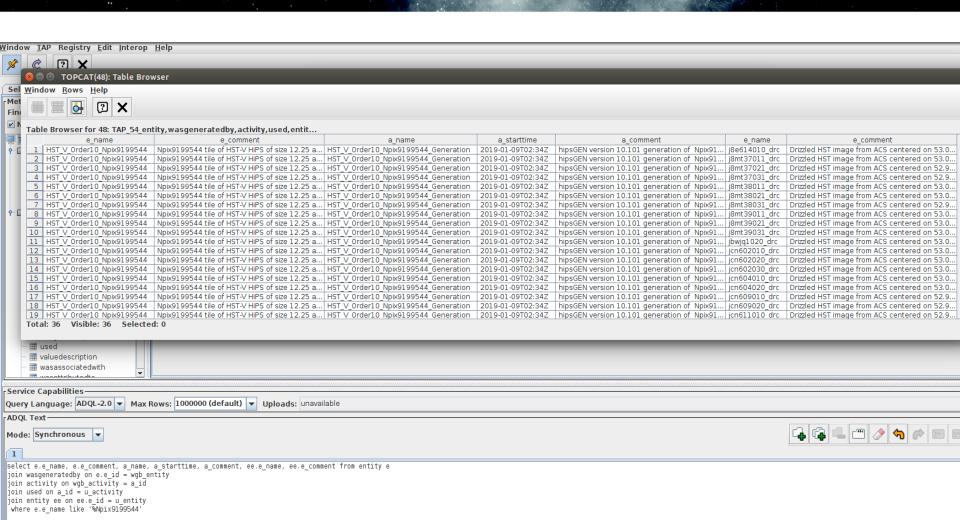
join used on a_id = u_activity

join entity ee on ee.e_id = u_entity

where e.e_name like '%Npix9199544'
```

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### ssues

- Table is denormalized : a lot of redundant information
- Loop issue: several occurances of the same triplet (name,utype,ucd) in the same table for different « objects »
- Let's try minimum or last step provenance by creating a standardized view

### Solutions

### -1 Single step = single table ( = join)

- The join is a permanent view described in the TAP schema
- Columns :

```
entity_name, entity_location, entity_comment, ...
generating_activity_name, generating_activity_starttime, ....
agent_role, agent_name, ....
used_entity_list
```

- → Redundancy may be avoided if we group all used entities ids in a single cell
- → possible Recursivity

# Solutions Single step = single table ( = join)

### View (in postgres)

create view last\_step\_provenance as select

e.e\_id AS entity\_id, e.e\_name AS entity\_name, e.e\_location AS entity\_location, e.e\_generated AS entity\_generated, e.e\_invalidated AS entity\_invalidated, e.e\_comment AS entity\_comment,

activity.a\_name AS generating\_activity\_name, activity.a\_starttime AS generating\_activity\_starttime, activity.a\_endtime AS generating\_activity\_comment,

wasattributedto.wat\_role AS agent\_role, agent.ag\_name AS agent\_name, agent.ag\_type AS agent\_type, agent.ag\_affiliation AS agent\_affiliation, agent.ag\_email AS agent\_email, agent.ag\_address AS agent\_address, agent.ag\_phone AS agent\_phone, agent.ag\_comment AS agent\_comment,

string\_agg(used.u\_entity::text, ','::text) AS used\_entities\_list FROM entity e

JOIN wasgeneratedby ON e.e\_id::text = wasgeneratedby.wgb\_entity::text

JOIN activity ON wasgeneratedby.wgb\_activity::text = activity.a\_id::text

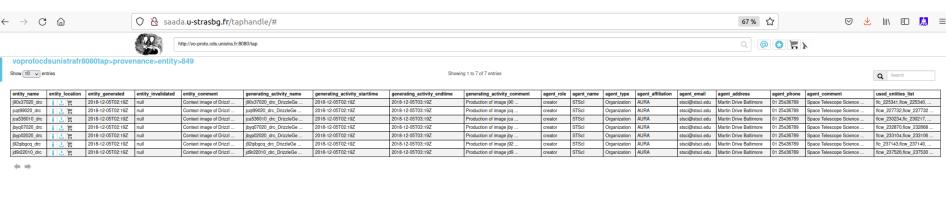
join used on u\_activity = a\_id

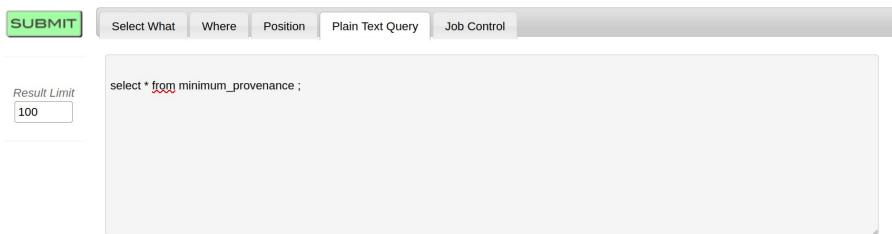
join entity as ee on ee.e\_id = u\_entity

join wasattributedto on wat\_entity = e.e\_id

join agent on ag\_id = wat\_agent;

# Solutions Single step = view query execution





Widgets do not reflect the query anymore after you modified it directly

## Success and limitations

- Clear column names for distinct objects
- No more redundancy
- But:
  - Complex recursivity to manage
  - No direct retrieval for chains of provenance

# Going Further

- TAP annotation of the simple table query (see Mireille's talk)
- Renormalized response (multitable)
- Instance query
   (see DaveMorris/Laurent Michel talk)
  - → no simulation here

# Renormalized solution

```
<VOTABLE version="1.3" xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.ivoa.net/xml/VOTable/v1.3 http://www.ivoa.net/xml/VOTable/v1.3">
-<RESOURCE type="results">
  -<TABLE ID="e" name="entity" utype="voprov:Entity">
     <FIELD ID="eid" arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="e_id" ucd="meta.id" utype="voprov:Entity.id"/>
     <FIELD arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="e_name" ud="meta.title" utype="voprov:Entity.name"/>
     <FIELD arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="e comment" ucd="meta.description" utype="voprov:Entity.comment"/>
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       -<TR>
          <TD>e 1</TD>
         <TD>HST_V_Order10_Npix9199544</TD>
           Npix9199544 tile of HSTV HiPS of size 12.25 and including position 53.0124731662895 and -27.8250294208907
        </TR>
       -<TR>
          <TD>e 1000</TD>
          <TD>icn604010 drc</TD>
           Drizzled HST image from ACS centered on 53.02167776837-27.8496587892353 in spectral band WAVE MIN to WAVEMAX around target ANY
          </TD>
        </TR>
       -<TR>
          <TD>e 1001</TD>
          <TD>jcn602030 drc</TD>
           Drizzled HST image from ACS centered on 53.0216928281361-27.8496708083596 in spectral band WAVE MIN to WAVEMAX around target ANY
          </TD>
        </TR>
       -<TR>
          <TD>e 1002</TD>
          <TD>icn602020 drc</TD>
           Drizzled HST image from ACS centered on 53.0216868548142-27.8496543123239 in spectral band WAVE MIN to WAVEMAX around target ANY
          </TD>
        </TR>
       -<TR>
          <TD>e 1003</TD>
          <TD>jcn602010 drc</TD>
           Drizzled HST image from ACS centered on 53.0216840785274-27.8496558628425 in spectral band WAVE MIN to WAVEMAX around target ANY
          </TD>
        </TR>
       -<TR>
          <TD>e 1004</TD>
          <TD>jbwjq1020_drc</TD>
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          </TD>
        </TR>
       -<TR>
          <TD>e 1005</TD>
         <TD>j8mt39031 drc</TD>
           Drizzled HST image from ACS centered on 53.004998675959-27.8234268251943 in spectral band WAVE MIN to WAVEMAX around target ANY
          </TD>
        </TR>
      </TABLEDATA>
     </DATA>
   </TABLE>
  -<TABLE ID="a" name="activity" utype="voprov:Activity">
     <FIELD ID="aid" arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="a id" ucd="meta.id" utype="voprov:Activity.id"/>
     <FIELD arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="a_name" ucd="meta.title" utype="voprov:Activity.name"/>
     <FIELD arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="a starttime" ucd="time.start" utype="voprov:Activity.startTime"/>
     <FIELD arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="a_comment" ucd="meta.description" utype="voprov:Activity.comment"/>
```

HiPS Tile entity
And used drizzled
HST images entities

### Renormalized solution

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<FIELD ID="aid" arraysize="** datatype="char" name="a_id" ucd="meta.id" utype="voprov:Activity.id"/>
  <FIELD arraysize="6" datatype="char" name="a_name" ucd="meta.title" utype="voprov:Activity.name"/>
  <FIELD arraysize="4" datatype="char" name="a starttime" ucd="time.start" utype="voprov:Activity.startTime"/>
  <FIELD arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="a_comment" ucd="meta.description" utype="voprov:Activity.comment"/>
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    -<TR>
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      <TD>2019-01-09T02:34Z</TD>
       hipsGEN version 10.101 generation of Npix9199544tile of HSTV HiPS
      </TD>
                                                                                       •Activity producing the tile (hipsgen)
     </TR>
   </TABLEDATA>
  </DATA>
 </TABLE>
-<TABLE name="used" utype="voprov:Used">
  -<GROUP name="foreinKey" ref="e">
                                                                                VOTable Foreign Keys mechanism
   <FIELDref ref="ue"/>
   <FIELDref ref="eid"/>
  </GROUP>
                                                                                 Applied to « used »
 -<GROUP name="foreinKey" ref="a">
    <FIELDref ref="ua"/>
   <FIELDref ref="aid"/>
  </GROUP>
  <FIELD ID="ue" arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="u_entity" ucd="meta.id" utype="voprov:Used.entity"/>
  <FIELD ID="ua" arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="u_activity" ucd="meta.id" utype="voprov:Used.activity"/>
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      <TD>a 1</TD>
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    -<TR>
                                                                                  between activities and used entities
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      <TD>a 1</TD>
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      <TD>a 1</TD>
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      <TD>a 1</TD>
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      <TD>a_1</TD>
   </TABLEDATA>
  </DATA>
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-<TABLE name="wasgeneratedby" utype="voprov:WasGeneratedBy">
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   <FIELref ref="eid"/>
  -<GROUP name="foreinKey" ref="a">
   <FIELDref ref="wqba*/>
   <FIELref ref="aid"/>
  </GROUP>
  <FIELD ID="wgbe" arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="wgb entity" ucd="meta.id" utype="voprov:WasGeneratedBy.entity"/>
                                                                                               ·Wasgeneratedby table contains
  <FIELD ID="wgba" arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="wgb activity" ucd="meta.id" utype="voprov:WasGeneratedBy.activity"
 -< DATA>
  -<TABLEDATA>
                                                                                               relationships between activities
    -<TR>
      <TD>e 1</TD>
      <TD>a 1</TD>
      <TD/>
                                                                                              and generated entities
     </TR>
   </TABLEDATA>
  </DATA>
 </TABLE>
</RESOURCE>
```

## Renormalisation

- How to generate queries doing that ?
  - « User Defined Function » for reformatting ?
- Need to have clients making full usage of multitable and foreign key mechanisms

# ProvTAP annotation

```
-<VOTABLE version="1.3" xsi:schemaLocation="http://www.ivoa.net/xml/VOTable/v1.3 http://www.ivoa.net/xml/VOTable/v1.3">
  -<MODEL INSTANCE name="ProvDM" syntax="ModelInstanceInVot" uri="https://qithub.com/ivoa-std/MANGO/blob/master/vo-dml/mango.vo-dml.xml">
    -<TABLE MAPPING tableref="result $1635375430691">
     -<COLLECTION dmrole="root">
       -<TABLE ROW TEMPLATE>
         -<INSTANCE dmrole="root" dmtype="provdm:Entity">
            <ATTRIBUTE dmrole="provdm:Entity.name" dmtype="ivoa:string" ref="e name"/>
            <ATTRIBUTE dmrole="provdm:Entity.comment" dmtype="ivoa:string" ref="e comment"/>
          -<INSTANCE dmrole="provdm:Wasgeneratedby" dmtype="provdm:Wasgeneratedby">
            -<INSTANCE dmrole="provdm:Activity" dmtype="provdm:Activity">
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               <ATTRIBUTE dmrole="provdm:Activity.startTime" dmtvpe="ivoa:string" ref="a starttime"/>
               <a trival comment | dmtype="ivoa:string" ref="a comment"/>
              -<COLLECTION>
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                    <ATTRIBUTE dmrole="provdm:Entity.name" dmtype="ivoa:string" ref="ee name"/>
                    <ATTRIBUTE dmrole="provdm:Entity.comment" dmtype="ivoa:string" ref="ee comment"/>
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            </INSTANCE>
          </INSTANCE>
        </TABLE ROW TEMPLATE>
       </COLLECTION>
     </TABLE MAPPING>
    </MODEL INSTANCE>
  </VODML>
 -<RESOURCE type="results">
    <INFO name="QUERY STATUS" value="OK"/>
    <INFO name="PROVIDER" value="CDS"/>
    <INFO name="QUERY" value="select e.e name, e.e comment, a name, a starttime, a comment, ee.e name, ee.e comment from provenance.entity e join wasgenerated by on e.e id = wgb entity join activity on</p>
   wgb activity = a id join used on a id = u activity join entity ee on ee.e id = u entity where e.e name like '%Npix9199544''/>
  -<TABLE name="result $1635375430691">
     <FIELD ID="e name" arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="e name" ucd="meta.title" utype="voproy:Entity.name"/>
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     <FIELD ID="a starttime" arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="a starttime" ucd="time.start" utype="voprov:Activity.startTime"/>
     <FIELD ID="a_comment" arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="a_comment" ucd="meta.description" utype="voprov:Activity.comment"/>
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     <FIELD ID="ee comment" arraysize="*" datatype="char" name="e comment" ucd="meta.description" utype="voprov:Entity.comment"/>
    -<DATA>
```

## ProvTAP annotation

- Nice solution if we have a TAP annoter able to generate annotation
- Need some client
  - Generic ?
  - ProvDM aware ?

# **Related Posters**

- → see X4-010 poster on all this
   (Object Oriented Data Model strategy in the context of IVOA Table Access Protocol services )
- And also X3-010 (annotation)