Providing INSPIRE measurement data

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Part 1. Introduction



- 10 years ago
 - Geospatial information was hardly (if at all) exchanged in a streamlined way
- Now
 - Extensive use of WMS/WFS/WCS/etc.
- It is time to do the same for observation datasets
 - Standards & tools are waiting for you
- Fasten your seatbelts & let's go for a tour



- The number of devices connected to the Internet exceeded that of people in 2008
- Connected devices expected to reach 50 billion in 2020 (Swan, 2012)
- Environmental wireless sensor networks in the IoT have a new kind of scope which can be applied to a wide range of uses (*Martinez*, 2004)
- This is creating a **revolution in all environmental sciences** similar to the one generated by the use of satellite remote sensing in the 1970s *(Hart et. al. 2006)*
- Going beyond the Geospatial
 - limited number of features of interest
 - o terabytes of temporal data





- INSPIRE as Framework Directive is not only focused on the 'spatial'
 - ex : Environmental Monitoring Facilities definition : "... includes observation and measurement of ... by or on behalf of public authorities.
- Thus:

Necessity to provide observation data in Annex II and Annex III
 => Guidelines for the use of Observations & Measurements and Sensor Web
 Enablement-related standards in INSPIRE Annex II and III data specification
 development

• SOS is seen as one of the possible candidates for the extension of TG for INSPIRE Download services (v. 3.0)

O&M Data Models in INSPIRE

- 7 Themes integrating Observations
 - A. Geology
 - B. Oceanographic Geographical Features
 - C. Atmospheric Conditions
 - **D.** Environmental Monitoring Facilities
 - E. Soil
 - F. Species Distribution
 - G. Natural Risk Zones

O&M Data Models in INSPIRE

Possible future extensions

- a. Area management/restriction/regulation zones ...
- b. Human Health and Safety
- c. Land cover
- d. Production and industrial facilities
- e. Statistical units & Population distribution, demography
- f. Utility and governmental services
- g. Habitats & biotopes

SWE Overview

OGC Sensor Web Enablement Suite (SWE) provides base data and service standards

- Observations & Measurements (O&M):
 - Base data model for provision of observational or measurement data
 - Integrated into several INSPIRE data models
- Sensor Observation Service (SOS):
 - $\circ~$ OGC Webservice for provision of O&M data
 - Same structure as other OGC services
 - Tailored for access to O&M data with focus on time series
- Sensor Model Language (SensorML)
 - Description of measurement process
 - In INSPIRE use INSPIRE Process

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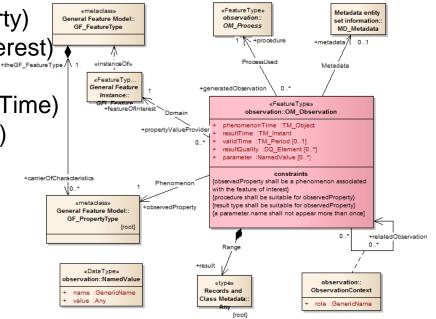
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- Where was it measured (featureOfInterest)
- How was it measured (procedure)
- When was it measured (phenomenonTime)
- Data quality information (resultQuality)

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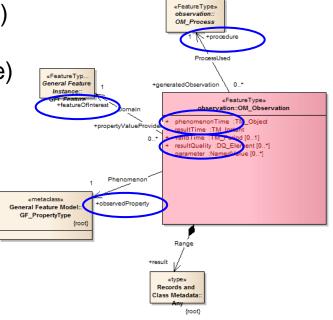
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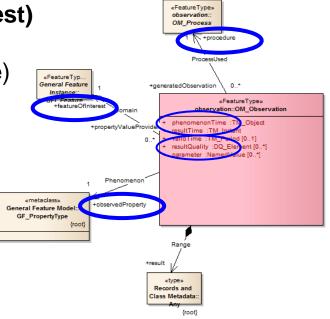
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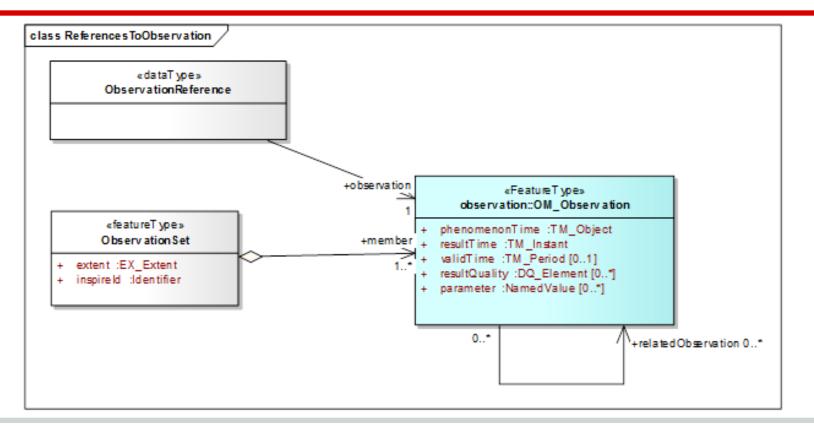
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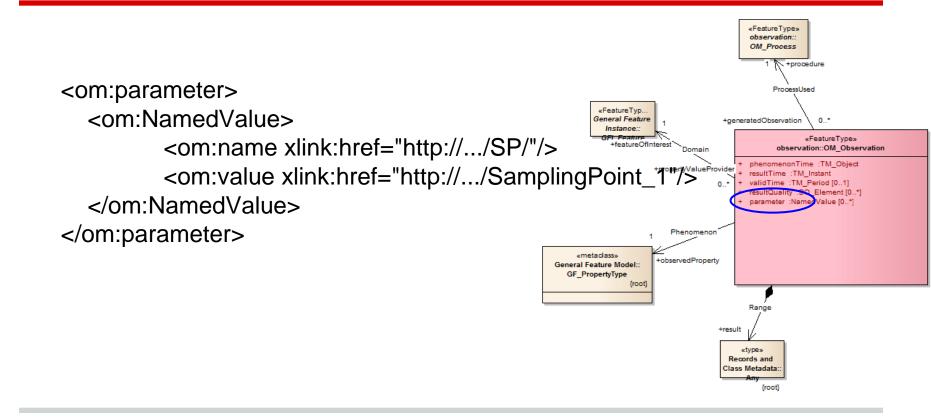
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Feature Referencing Observations

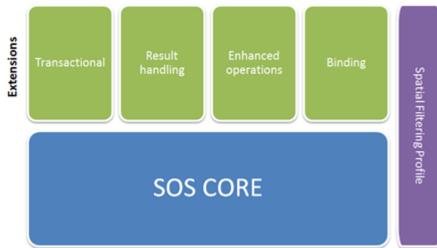


Observation Referencing Feature



SOS in a nutshell

- OGC Standard
- Current version: 2.0
- Applicable when sensor data needs to be managed in an interoperable way
- Part of SWE suite



Sensor Web Enablement suite

SOS Core - Operations:

GetCapabilities

DescribeSensor

GetObservation

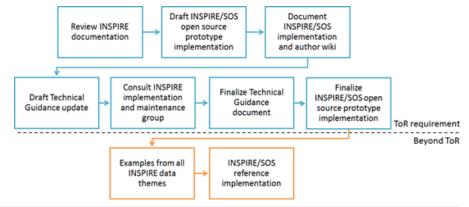
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Sensor Observation Service 1.: Water_level > 500 cm: SMS 2.: Wind speed > 20 m/s & Wind direction = NW: E-Mail subscribe & specify filter request data submit task notify (e.g. SMS) SOS SES WNS SPS trigger alarm observations commands data stream Extensions SOS Core - Operations: **GetCapabilities** DescribeSensor 3. **GetObservation** SOS CORE

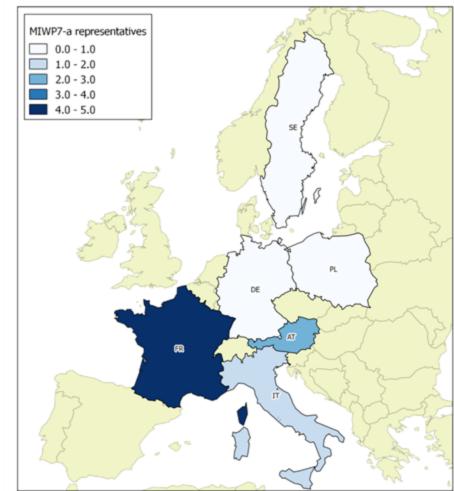
SOS as an **INSPIRE** Download Service

- SOS is seen as one of the possible candidates for the extension of TG for INSPIRE Download services (v. 3.0)
- JRC study on SOS (2014)
 - Maturity of clients/servers
 - Mapping between SOS 2.0 specs and INSPIRE NS Regulation
 - Open Source Implementation (52North SOS)
- MIG Sub-group (MIWP-7a)



MIWP7-a "SOS sub-group"

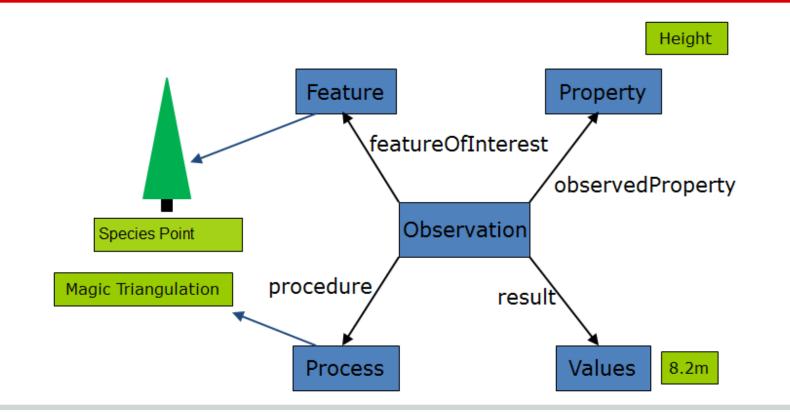
- Members of the sub-group:
 - Member State representatives: 13
 - Environmental agencies
 - Research
 - Private sector
 - JRC: 2
 - Represented domains:
 - Air quality (AT, IT)
 - · Geology and Soil (FR, SE)
 - Marine& Meto (IT, AT, FR)



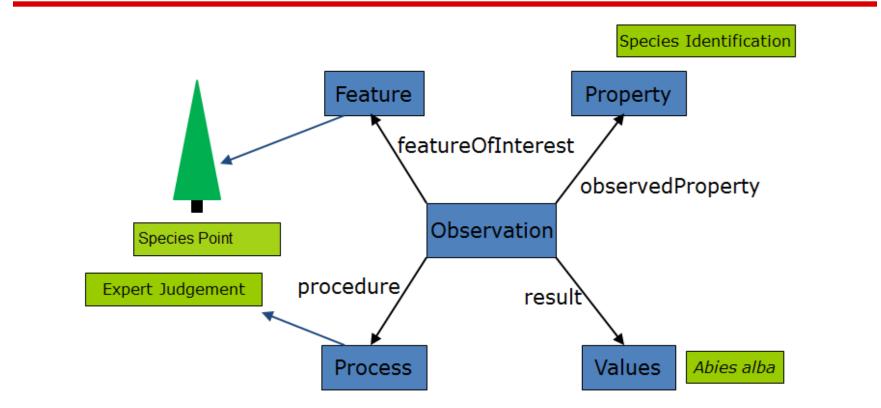
O&M Guidelines

- Provide recommendations and guidance for use of O&M in INSPIRE
- Design Patterns provide support in structuring different types of observations
- INSPIRE Extensions are described:
 - INSPIRE Process
 - Specialized Observations
 - Observable Properties
 - Options for result encoding
 - Referencing Observations

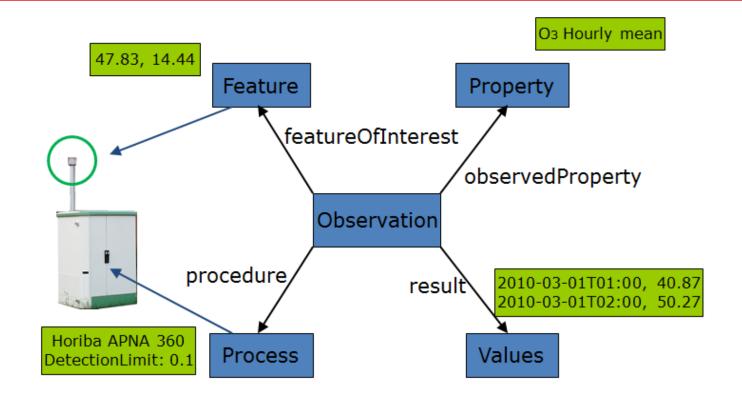
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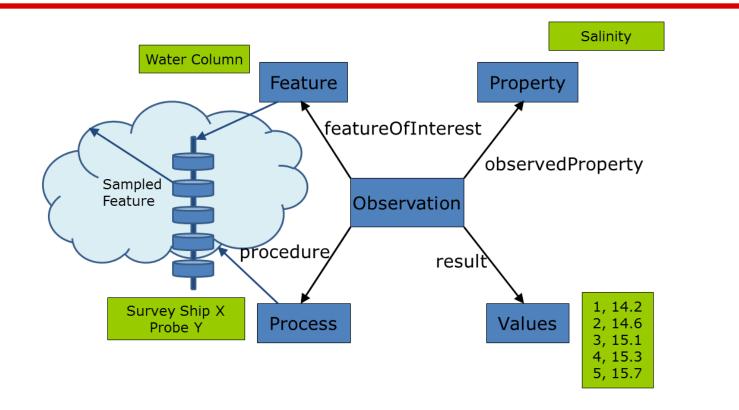
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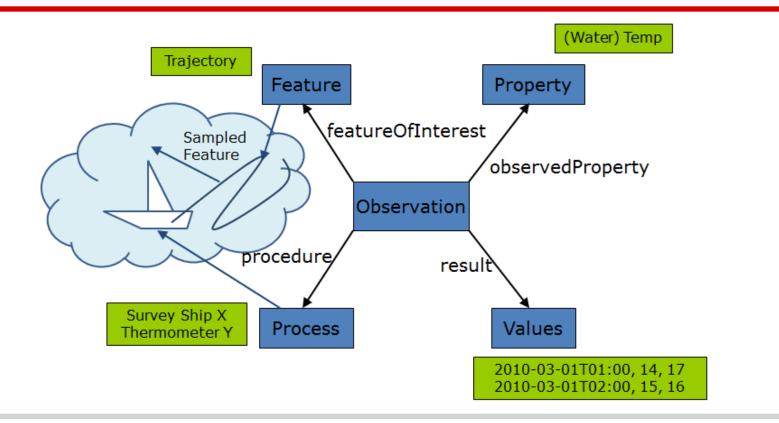
O&M Guidelines: Point - Multiple Results



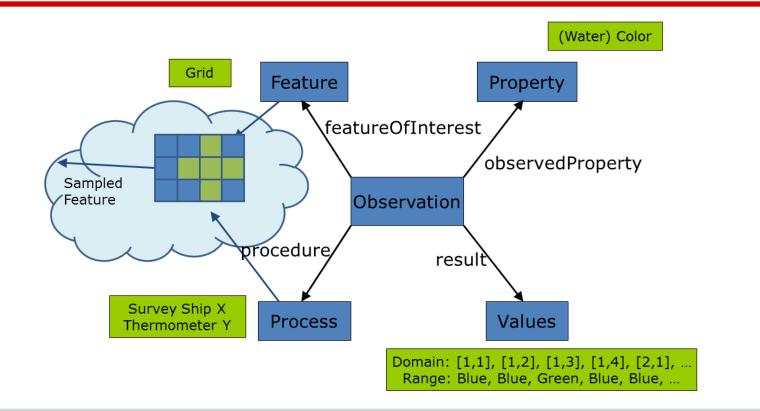
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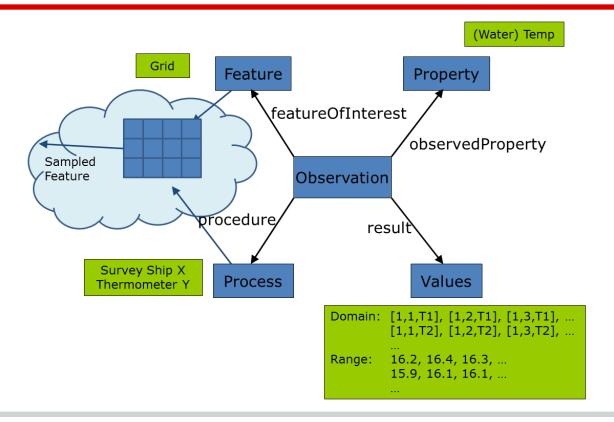
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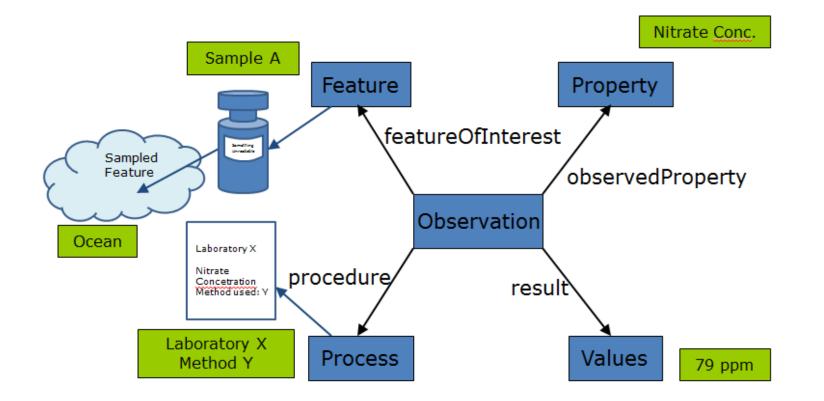
O&M Guidelines: Surface, single time



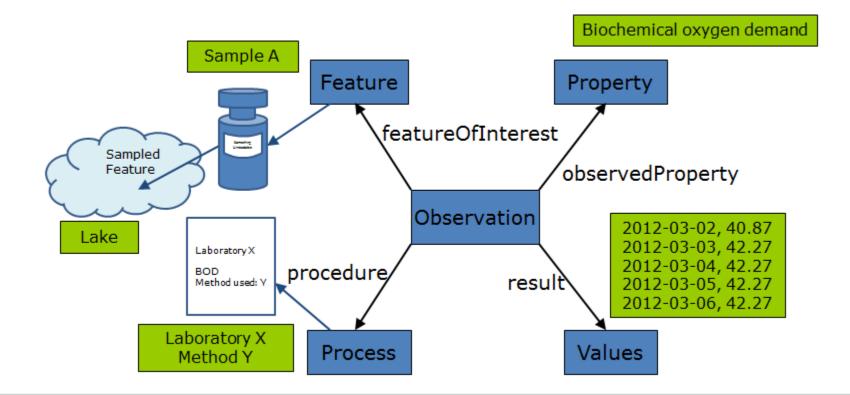
O&M Guidelines: Surface, multiple times



O&M Guidelines: Specimen, single time



O&M Guidelines: Specimen, Multiple times



Extensions

AQD e-Reporting

- Air Quality Directive 2008/50/EC requires provision via INSPIRE
- INSPIRE EF and AM models have been extended accordingly
 - Reporting requirements added to data model
- AQD e-Reporting fulfills both INSPIRE and air quality requirements
- Other environmental reporting obligations to follow

Additionally

- National extensions based on national requirements
- OGC extensions (i.e. WaterML2.0, GroundWaterML2.0)

INSPIRE Thematic Clusters Platform

- EC initiative, linked to the INSPIRE Maintenance and Implementation Framework, with the objective of supporting INSPIRE implementation in the Member States.
- Officially launched on 11.12. 2014 as the INSPIRE Thematic user community collaborative platform
- Find good examples, best practices, useful tools, reference information
- Raise issues, share experiences, ask questions, ask and provide support

Thematic Clusters platform

https://themes.jrc.ec.europa.eu/





Environmental Monitoring and Observations Cluster





Environmental Monitoring Facilities



Observations and Measurements

What's inside

• Discussions

- understanding and tailoring of the O&M model in INSPIRE,
- how to use SOS services for environmental observations and measurements,
- \circ issues on identifiers and referencing
- Pages with best practices, references to presentations, tools etc.
- News, events

Useful reference information

Group Pages

EF/O&M INSPIRE Conference presentations

EF/O&M Resources

EF/O&M Best practices

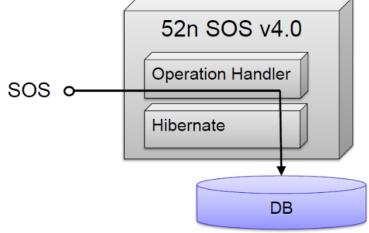
SOS Clients and Servers

Part 2. Implementations

52°North SOS INSPIRE Implementation

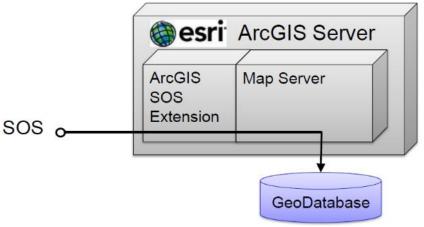
• 52n Standalone SOS

- Supported SOS standard versions: 1.0 + 2.0
- Flexible DB support, since based on Hibernate (e.g. PostGIS, Oracle Spatial)



52°North SOS INSPIRE Implementation

- SOS Extension for ArcGIS Server
 - $_{\circ}$ SOS standard version: 2.0
 - Flexible DB support, since based on ArcGIS Server
 + ArcSDE
 - Not yet fully INSPIRE compliant

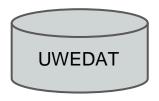


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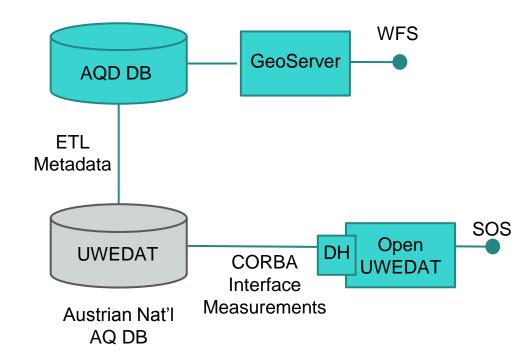
- Running
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 - United Kingdom
- Installation planned
 - The Netherlands
 - o Lithuania

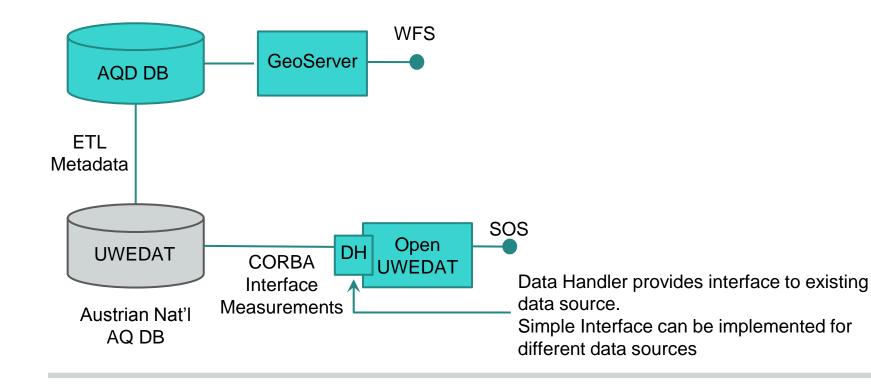
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Brief live demo



Austrian Nat'l AQ DB

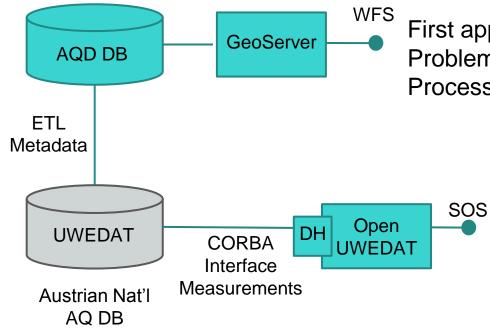




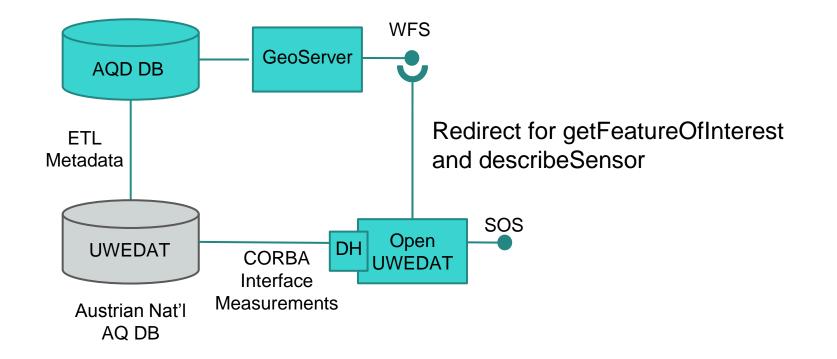
Data Handler Class must be adapted in the following methods:

- Setter methods to parameterize data source connection
- Open & Close methods
- Filter methods to specify specific data point (~ ObservingCapabilities).
- getTimeSeries

TimeSeries class must be configured in accordance with data to be served



First approach Problem: how to keep featureOfInterest and Process aligned between WFS and SOS



2 approches next to another

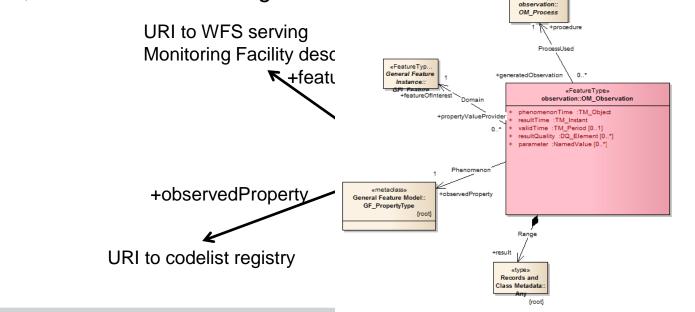
GPRS connected automatic sensor



Manual sensor and hydrogeologist handbook

One pivotal exchange mechanism/format

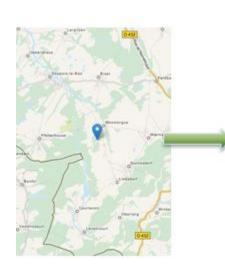
• SOS 2.0 output, WaterML2.0 encoding

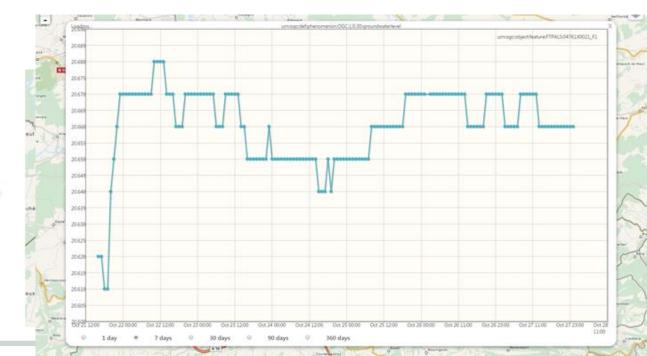


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Several output platforms

• Website

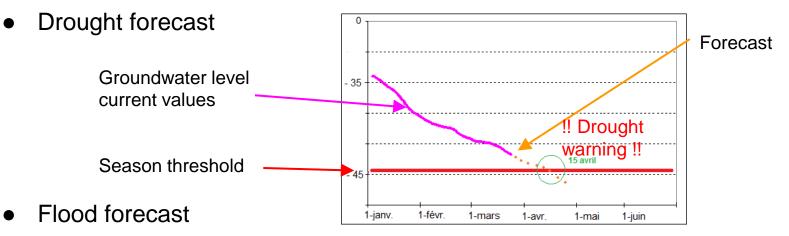




Several output platforms

- Mobile
- Desktop : QGIS plugin SOS tested

And plenty of possible cross-domain reuse



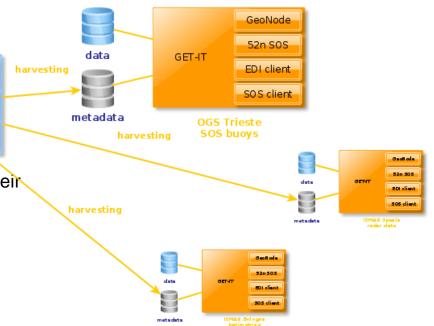
- Geothermy monitoring
 - o Groundwater influence in geothermy platforms

GET-IT: GeoEnabling Information Toolkit

Open source software suite developed inside the RITMARE (Italian Research for the Sea) project: <u>www.ritmare.it</u>.

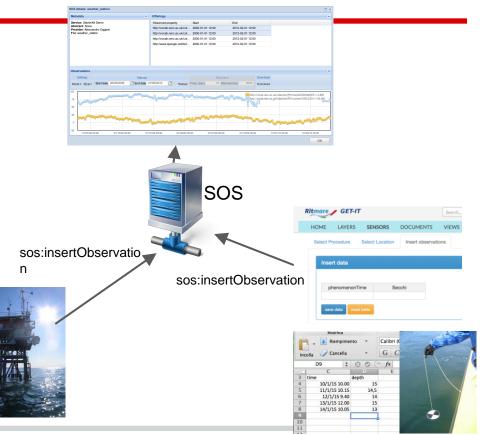


The main goal is to enable **non expert groups** to serve **geospatial** and **observational** data (plus their metadata) in an interoperable way through **autonomous nodes** in the infrastructure for the collection, annotation, and deployment of data



GET-IT: GeoEnabling Information Toolkit

- Supporting researchers to insert observations. Use cases in RITMARE:
 - real-time observations from sensors
 - manually recorded observations



SOS Client Interface

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- . + several ad-hoc solutions

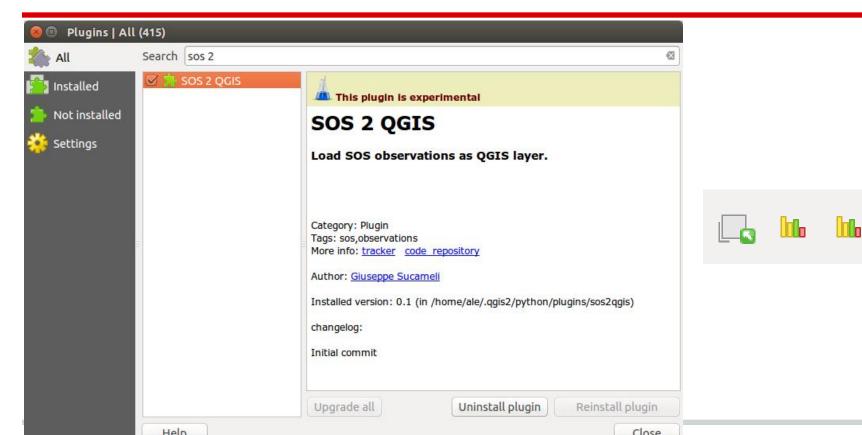
Client

- . QGIS Plugin
- . Web Clients (52°N & IST)
- . Kisters
- . 52°N Lightweight for Mobile
- . GET-IT web js clients (vis. & transactional)

SOS2QGIS

- Python plugin to connect to SOS and visualise and use SOS-data in QGIS
- Developed by Giuseppe Sucameli, with the supervision of Alessio Bechini, Univ. of Pisa
- CNR-ISMAR is helping providing use cases and testing

Install the plugin



SOS GetCapabilites

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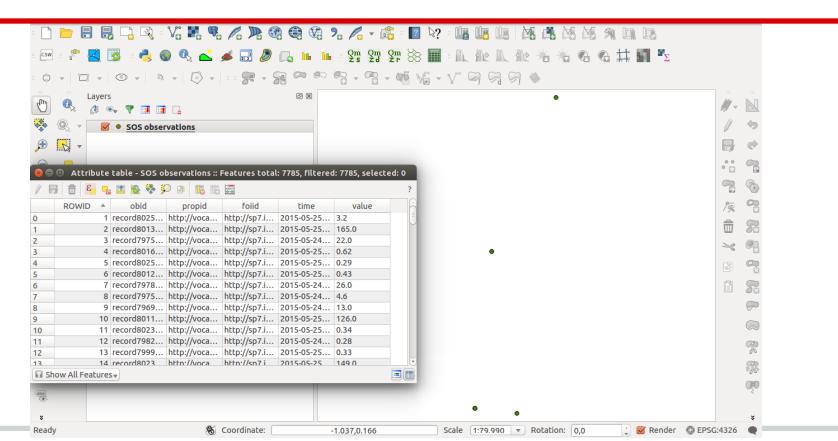
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RitMare

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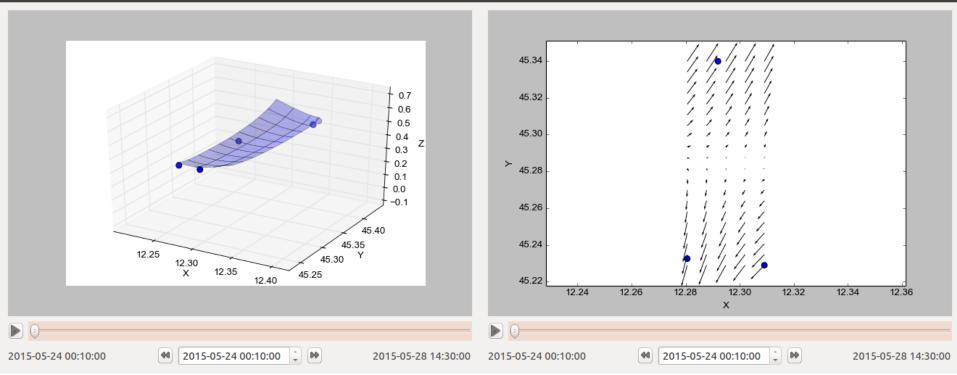
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Static and dynamic graphics

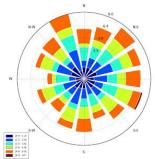
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To do

- 2D xy graph with multiple properties, multiple FOIs
- Other types of data: e.g. windrose
- What are your requirements?
 - Domain (property) specific
 - \circ Use case specific



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Thanks for your attention!





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TOMORROW TODAY