

Joint COOPEUS, ENVRI and EUDAT workshop on persistent digital identifiers (PID) for open time series data WP6/Biodiversity/Lifewatch

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Motivation and...

Highlights from the Motivation:

A major prerequisite for the proper use of persistent identifiers (PID) e.g. within data citations is the persistence of both, identifiers as well as the integrity of the associated data set. This poses questions when PIDs are to be used for unfinished data sets or open time series data. Such data is typically generated within research infrastructures (RI) during long lasting experiments such as satellite missions, environmental monitoring campaigns, or in permanent installations such as natural hazard detection and early warning systems.

Open time series data are often used in research during ongoing experiments and potentially published earlier than the underlying data set has been closed and is publicly released. It is therefore important to enable the scientific community to properly cite these data in their publications and the proper use of PIDs is of key importance to reach this goal





...key terms agreed?

- DATA LEVEL (in increasing complexity/volume)
 - Level 1: paper / published results
 - Level 2: data in simplified format (outreach)
 - Level 3: data used by researchers
 - Level 4: RAW data
- ACTIONS (reverse time order)
 - Data Quality Management on RAW data
 - include ID assignment [Period, RUN, ...] and conditions DB links
 - Data Certification & Software Validation
 - Data Preservation (guaranteeing coherence for L4->L1 levels)
- ROLES
 - Instrument operators
 - Data/Software process experts
 - Team Researchers doing "initial" analysis (basis of instrument?)
 - General Researchers (accessing to open data)
 - Public





Early warning systems

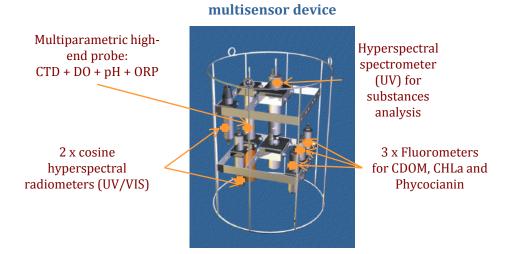
PID assignment (obvious?)
Coherent for L1,L2,L3,L4?

Open series



Simple example

An autonomous multisensorial device to monitor and forecast the dynamics of toxic cyanobacteriae in a remote water reservoir



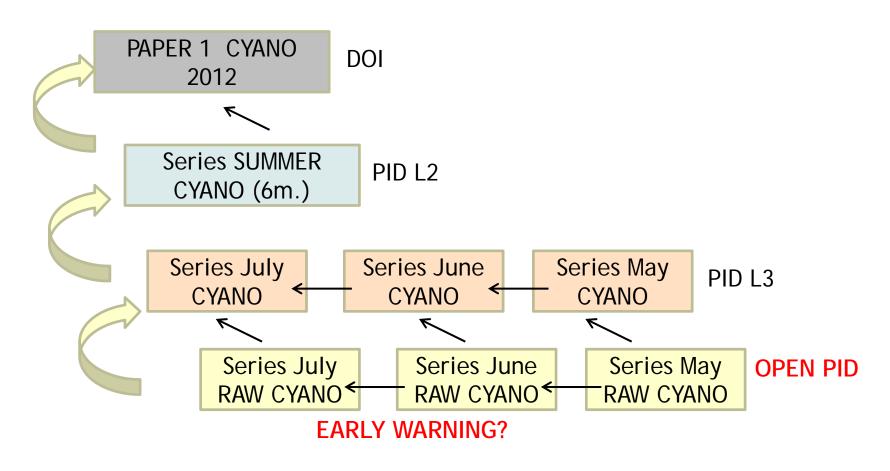
Underwater

- Open Time Series issues :
 - Fluorometers measurements (hourly profiles, 2 min. measurements)
 - EARLY WARNING SYSTEM
 - DQM applied later
- Typical RUN period: 1 month (time lapse between revisions)
- Use of two different DBMS: On-line & Off-line (DQM applied)
- Starting to work now on PID...





PID relationships

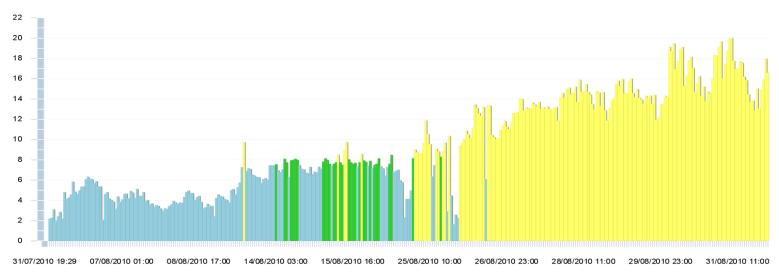




Early Warning System

Phycocyanin concentrations could be toxic

- Different warning levels
- based on data taken every 2 minutes while profiling



Series: August 2010



LifeWatch Status of initial tests of PID for Lifewatch



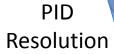
- PIDs are being tested using SARASurf test EPIC's PID service on wireless sensor network deployments
 - Identify sensor nodes
 - URL
 - SERIAL
 - LOCATION
 - DATASHEET
 - Identify phenomena + metadata



Status of initial tests



idx	type	parsed data	data	timestamp	ttl type	ttl	refs	privs
1	URL	http://sensenets.project.cwi.nl/lifewatchsensors/scripts/utils/scaninfo.php?uid=S68	IGh0dHA6Ly9zZW5zZW5ldHMucHJvamVjdC5jd2kubmwvbGlmZXdhdGNoc2Vuc29ycy9zY3JpcHRzL3V0aWxzL3NjYW5pbmZvLnBocD91aWQ9UzY4	2012-12- 03T17:58:33Z	0	86400		rwr-
2	SERIAL	OKLPIJU79	T0tMUEIKVTc5	2012-12- 03T17:58:33Z	0	86400		rwr-
3	OWNER_EMAIL	sanchez@cwi.nl	c2FuY2hlekBjd2kubmw=	2012-12- 03T17:58:33Z	0	86400		rwr-
4	LOCATION	336465	MzM2NDY1	2012-12- 03T17:58:33Z	0	86400		rwr-
5	BACKGROUND	SMART CITY	U01BUIQgQ0IUWQ==	2012-12- 03T17:58:33Z	0	86400		rwr-
6	DATASHEET	http://www.libelium.com/documentation/waspmote/waspmote-datasheet_eng.pdf	aHR0cDovL3d3dy5saWJlbGl1bS5jb20vZG9jdW1lbnRhdGlvbi93YXNwbW90 ZS93YXNwbW90ZS1kYXRhc2hlZXRfZW5nLnBkZg==	2012-12- 03T17:58:33Z	0	86400		rwr-







Status of initial tests



- PIDs are used not to only for identify unique specific devices (sensors)
- PIDs contains relevant information associated with the device referenced
- Which information should be stored within PIDs in order to optimize their usage and make the most of their potential?





- Tools for creating semantically correct input
 - Register sensor platform
 - Standard form offering a wide sensor description range (measurement + characteristics)
 - EPIC PID generator
 - LifeWatch PID Database





Sensor Data Stream Form	
PID Generator:	
LWrfcWeW7VYGaNnQMOJoON	
Generate other PID Obtain PID QR Code	
Owner: eric	
Display Sensor Description:	
IPv6 Endpoint for data collection:	
GPS Location	
Latitude:	
Longitude:	
Kind of Board Sensor	
Gases ▼	
Timestamp Unit	
GMT ▼	
Phenomenon	
Select a Standar: ▼	
Register Sensor	



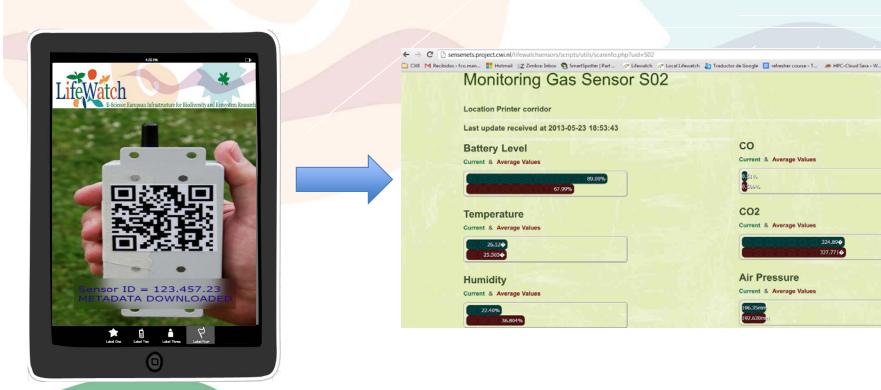


- Tools for creating semantically correct input
 - Advantages:
 - Attributes standarized facilitate harmonisation of (meta)data standards
 - Facilitating WSN deployment
 - Supporting adherence to metadata standards with zero-programming effort





- Tools for accessing data
 - **QR** App
 - QR code contains PID reference
 - Resolution facilitates access to sensor information





- Tools for accessing data
 - Code Snippet App
 - Extracts information from sensor PID attributes in order to generate:
 - Human readable information
 - M2M communication feedback
 - RDF Triples
 - RestDesc + EYE reasoner N3 files