REACHING FOR THE CLOUD: ADVANCING THE NATIONAL DMAC ARCHITECTURE

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AGENDA

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- Project Goals
- Workplan Overview
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- Project Progress
- Prototypes



Project Background

- Funding: FY21 Implementation of the U.S. Integrated Ocean Observing System (IOOS) Topic Area 2, Advancing the National Data Management and Cyberinfrastructure System Architecture.
- Topic Area 2 Theme: incorporate advances in HPC, data science, and data modeling into DMAC
- RPS focus: opportunities provided by the cloud to improve DMAC and meet a variety of needs from across the IOOS community



Project Goals

- Goal: increase the use of IOOS data and promote connections to other disciplines by lowering the barriers for entry
- Objectives:
 - understanding the current state, challenges, and opportunities
 - Identify state-of-the-art technology and standards that build toward vision
 - developing a technical roadmap for what
 DMAC should look like in 5-10 years
 - prototypes and demonstration datasets



Year 1: Gather requirements, develop prototypes, draft roadmap



Year 2: Demonstrate Value



Year 3: Final Roadmap and Recommended Architecture



Workplan

- Task 1: Establish Steering Committee
- Task 2: Conduct RA Assessment
- Task 3: Roadmap/Architecture
- Task 4: Design and implementation of prototypes
- Task 5: Host community webinars
- Task 6: Final report and recommendations

Roles and Responsibilities

RPS Team

- Strategy and Vision
- Tools, Interim Solutions, Prototypes, POCs
- Status Reporting and Finances
- Final Report and Recommendation



IOOS Association

- Conducting Assessments
- Organizing Steering Committee
- Organizing Webinars and Workshops
- Assisting with Final Report



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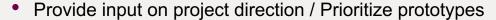
IOOS Program Office

- Contract management
- Lead IOOS and DMAC strategy and vision
- Communicate NOAA cloud strategy
- Represent IOOS on Steering Committee



Steering Committee (RPS, RA Management,

RA Data Managers, IOOS Program Office, 3rd parties)



- Communicate external considerations and influences
- Guide IOOS/RA cloud strategy

Regional Associations/Stakeholders

- Participate in assessment of requirements & needs
- Share cloud aspirations and challenges
- Attend workshops and webinars
- Test prototypes and provide feedback



User Groups / Software Communities

- Test and use mature prototypes
- Participate in open-source collaboration





Project Progress

Outreach and Communication

- Established Steering Committee
- Presented project to RA Directors
- IOOS Code Sprint
- Talk at Cloud-Native Geospatial (April 2022)
- Regional Association Assessment
- IOOS DMAC Annual Meeting (next week)

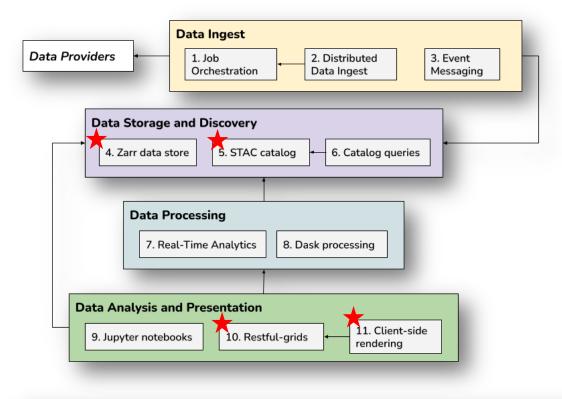
Technical Implementation

- Numerous technical brainstorming sessions
- Identified major technical themes and technologies of interest
 - Early vetting of: Zarr, Xarray, Xpublish, STAC, Xcube, FastAPI Kubernetes, TileDB
- Developed high-level, idealized system architecture diagrams
- Discussed software development processes and core values (e.g. modular, language-agnostic, etc.)
- Development of prototype ideas for discussion with the steering committee
- Progressed 4 prototype ideas

Steering Committee Members

NAME	ORGANIZATION	NAME	ORGANIZATION
	NOAA, Open Data		
Adrienne Simonson	Dissemenation	Kelli Paige	GLOS
Analise Kenney	NOAA, NOS	Max Grover	Argonne
Audra Luscher	NOAA, NOS	Micah Wegner	NOAA, IOOS
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David Stuebe	Camus Energy	Maldonado	CARICOOS
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Prototype Relationship Diagram





= currently in progress

Questions?

