

# GHRSSST Regional/Global Task Sharing

Task Team Report - GHRSSST XXII

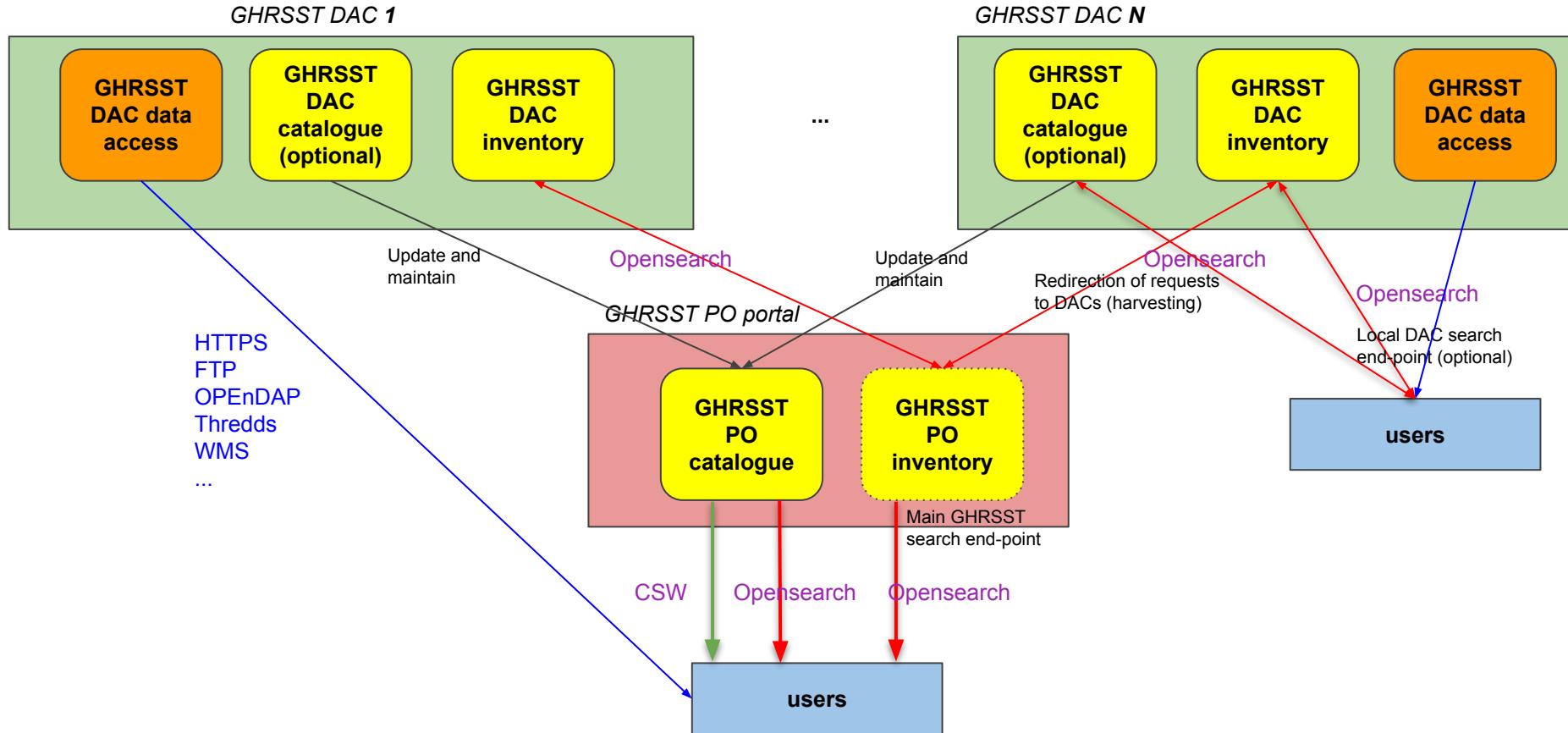


# R/G TS Task Team

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- Long active task team, follow-on to DAS TAG
- **Main activity in last two years:**
  - specifying and releasing the new R/G TS framework
  - supporting its implementation
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# R/G TS refined data discovery, search and access system



# Activities

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- **Semi-regular telco of R/G TS team**
- Pilot project demonstrated central catalogue and federated query system based on OpenSearch
- Released system architecture document :  
[https://www.ghrsst.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/GHRSST-Regional\\_Global-Task-Sharing-R\\_G-TS-v1.0rev1.pdf](https://www.ghrsst.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/GHRSST-Regional_Global-Task-Sharing-R_G-TS-v1.0rev1.pdf)
- Survey of DACs and Producers on R/G TS readiness :  
<https://forms.gle/8Ws3NJA2L462rHM8>
- **Updated list of DAC and GDP contacts**
- **Defined content of central catalogue's dataset metadata profile**
- **Copernicus / Eumetsat funding R/G TS Central Catalogue and Inventory Search service (opensearch) granted to Ifremer**
- **Started implementation**

# Status of R/G TS Architecture document

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Document finalised and released, available on GHRSST web site,  
googlable

[https://www.ghrsst.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/GHRSST-Regional-  
Global-Task-Sharing-R G-TS-v1.0rev1.pdf](https://www.ghrsst.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/GHRSST-Regional-Global-Task-Sharing-R-G-TS-v1.0rev1.pdf)

Basis for implementation of R/G TS

Describe the roles of **GHRSST Data Producers [GDPs]** and **Data Assembly Centers [DACs]**, services to be implemented in the next one to two years

Central services from GHRSST PO

# Implementation of R/G TS central services

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Copernicus / EUMETSAT ITT released in 2020 / Kicked off end of March 2021

12 months schedule => March 2022

- Implement and operate central catalogue (Ifremer)
- Implement and operate OpenSearch End-Point Access (Ifremer)
- GHRSST Web Site (DMI - GHRSST P0)
- 10 months for complete software implementation and testing
- Beta service release at K0+10 (Dec.2021)

# Implementation of Central catalogue

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- based on Pilot Project initial version
- ISO 19115/3 metadata profile
- profile defined from GHRSST L2P/L3/L4 products based on ISO 19115/3, based on different catalogue examples (PODAAC, NOAA, Ifremer/CERSAT)
- The GHRSST central catalogue will not be federated but will be populated from existing catalogues whenever possible (already tested in Pilot Project) - import to be implemented per source center. **Mapping GHRSST Dataset Id (defined by producer) ⇔ DAC to be done**
- None of the inputs have the same specification & content : most relevant and most common metadata extracted to define the GHRSST common metadata model
- Description of common metadata model circulated to R/G TS : **being reviewed**
- Including cloud access informations

# GHSST Dataset metadata profile (1/2)

TITLE	Definition	Use	Content example
Description			
Title	Title of the described resource	1	Brazil/Tropical Atlantic High-Resolution Sea Surface Temperature Gridded Level 4 Daily Analysis
Abstract	Abstract of the described resource	1	This L4 SST product is produced at ultra-high resolution (UHR) on a 0.02 x 0.02 degree grid...
Project	Project name(s) linked to the resource	0:n	GHSST
Collection ID	Resource identifier (linked to producer for example)	0:1	CER-SST-BRA-1D-002-ODY-MGD
DOI	Digital Object Identifier	0:1	<a href="https://doi.org/10.17882/52804">10.17882/52804</a>
Instrument	Instrument name	1:n	AVHRR
Platform	Platform name	1:n	METOP-A
Level	Production level	1	L4
Acquisition pattern	Acquisition type	1	composite
Compositing	Composition method if any	1	Optimal interpolation
Latency	Delay from acquisition to distribution	0:1	less than 24 hours
Begin date	Date of first observation available	1	08/29/2010
End date	Date of last observation available (empty if still in production)	0:1	
Temporal Resolution	Time between two observations	1	1 day
Spatial Resolution	Spatial resolution	1	0.02 degree
Projection	Geographic projection	1	ETRS89 (EPSG:4258) - Equirectangular projection
Geographic area	Geographic area covered with the observation	1	Tropical Atlantic
Geographic bounding box	Bounding box of the geographic area	1	westBoundLongitude > -75.00 EastBoundLongitude > -15.00 southBoundLatitude > -25.00

			southBoundLatitude 25.00		
Main instrumental or geophysical parameters	Keyword from an internal thesaurus	0:n	Ocean Temperature		
Keywords (GCMD)	Keyword from GCMD thesaurus	0:n	/Ocean Temperature/Sea Surface Temperature		
Contacts					
Point of contact (2 fields)	Information about resource point of contact(s)	0:n	Institution /Name	e-mail	URL
			Helpdesk Cersat	<a href="mailto:cersat@ifremer.fr">cersat@ifremer.fr</a>	<a href="https://cersat.ifremer.fr">https://cersat.ifremer.fr</a>
Principal Investigator (fields)	Information about the PI	0:n	Institution Name /	e-mail	URL
			Emmanuelle Autret	<a href="mailto:eautret@ifremer.fr">eautret@ifremer.fr</a>	<a href="https://www.ifremer.fr/lops/">https://www.ifremer.fr/lops/</a>
Producer (fields)	Who is in charge of producing the data	0:n	Institution Name /	e-mail	URL
			Ifremer/CERSAT	<a href="mailto:cersat@ifremer.fr">cersat@ifremer.fr</a>	<a href="https://cersat.ifremer.fr">https://cersat.ifremer.fr</a>
Distributor (fields)	Who is in charge of distributing the data	0:n	Institution Name /	e-mail	URL
			Ifremer/CERSAT	<a href="mailto:cersat@ifremer.fr">cersat@ifremer.fr</a>	<a href="https://cersat.ifremer.fr">https://cersat.ifremer.fr</a>
Funder (fields)	Who is the funder	0:n	Institution Name /	e-mail	URL
			ESA		<a href="https://esa.int">https://esa.int</a>
Access and Usage					
Helpdesk fields)	Information about the Helpdesk	0:1	Institution /Name	e-mail	
			HelpDesk CERSAT	<a href="mailto:cersat@ifremer.fr">cersat@ifremer.fr</a>	
Access policy	Access policy from a list of restrictions	1	OtherRestrictions		
Usage policy	Usage policy	1			
Required citation	Required citation	1	These data are produced for ESA/Medspiration project and were obtained from the Centre de Recherche et d'Exploitation Satellitaire (CERSAT), at IFREMER, Plouzané (France)		
Distribution Format	Name of the format	0:1	Netcdf		

# GHSST Dataset metadata profile (2/2)

Format Version	Version of the format	0..1	3						
Format Convention	Convention name (from a list)	0..n	CF-1.4						
Format Amendment	Amendment number	0..n							
<b>History</b>									
Status	Status of the dataset (active/completed)	1	active						
Updates (2 fields)	Description /date of an update	0..n	<table border="1"><tr><td>Information</td><td>Date</td></tr><tr><td></td><td></td></tr></table>	Information	Date				
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New sensors added.	V5.4	2020/01/03							
<b>Discover the resource</b>									
Overview	Preview	0..n	png, jpeg file						
<b>Direct download</b>									
FTP	FTP information	0..1	ftp.ifremer.fr/osisaf/data/amsr2						
HTTPS	HTTPS information	0..1	https://ifremer.fr/data/osisaf/amsr2						
THREDDS	THREDDS information	0..1	tds0.ifremer.fr/osisaf/amsr2						
Cloud	Public cloud access information	0..n							
<b>Service</b>									
WMS	WMS server link	0..1	wms.ifremer.fr/osisaf/amsr2						
OPeNDAP	OPeNDAP link	0..1	opendap.ifremer.fr/osisaf/amsr2						
<b>Documents</b>									
User guide	Link(s) to user guide(s)	0..n							
Processing	Link(s) to Processing	0..n							

validation	and validation document(s)		
Other document(s)	Link(s) to other document(s)	0..n	

# Implementation of Opensearch end-point

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- Federates existing end-points
  - NASA: <https://cmr.earthdata.nasa.gov/search/site/docs/search/api.html>
  - NOAA: <https://data.noaa.gov/onestop/collections?q=GHRSST>
  - Eumetsat: <https://coda.eumetsat.int/>
  - Ifremer / OSI SAF: <https://opensearch.ifremer.fr>
- No common syntax for queries and returned result : **Mapping GHRSST Dataset Id  
↔ DAC Id to be done**
- Minimum set of search keywords
  - count, startPage
  - datasetId
  - timeStart, timeEnd
  - geoBox
- Description of common syntax and result to be circulated to R/G TS : **R/G TS  
TT member to review it so that we agree on the content**
- Output: ATOM, JSON
- Fault-tolerance: service unavailable, timeout exceeded, no response
- Open source python package (can be used for other purposes)
- Early implementation of Opensearch service completed

# Opensearch search request example

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[http://visi-cersat-web1.ifremer.fr/opensearx/granules.raw?datasetId=AVHRR\\_SST\\_METOP\\_B-OSISAF-L2P-v1.0&startPage=0&count=100&timeStart=2020-01-01T00:00:00Z&timeEnd=2020-01-01T23:59:59Z&geoBox=-180.0,-90.0,180.0,90.0](http://visi-cersat-web1.ifremer.fr/opensearx/granules.raw?datasetId=AVHRR_SST_METOP_B-OSISAF-L2P-v1.0&startPage=0&count=100&timeStart=2020-01-01T00:00:00Z&timeEnd=2020-01-01T23:59:59Z&geoBox=-180.0,-90.0,180.0,90.0)

- No assumption on where the data are served (here both at P0.DAAC and Ifremer)
- Single access point
- Results from both DACs are returned at once
- Returned as XML or JSON

# Opensearch result

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▼ entries:  
  ▼ 0:  
    id: "https://opensearch.ifremer.fr/granules.atom?uid=avhrr_sst_metop_b-osisaf-l2p-v1.0:20200101213103-0SISAF-L2P_GHRSST-SSTsubskin-AVHRR_SST_METOP_B-sstmgr_metop01_20200101_213103-v02.0-fv01.0.nc"  
    title: "20200101213103-0SISAF-L2P_GHRSST-SSTsubskin-AVHRR_SST_METOP_B-sstmgr_metop01_20200101_213103-v02.0-fv01.0.nc"  
    summary: "Granule metadata for 20200101213103-0SISAF-L2P_GHRSST-SSTsubskin-AVHRR_SST_METOP_B-sstmgr_metop01_20200101_213103-v02.0-fv01.0.nc"  
    updated: "2021-06-07T08:14:00+00:00"  
    dc_date: "2020-01-01T21:31:03Z/2020-01-01T21:34:03Z"  
    geobox:  
      geobox_where: "-82.8310828355 64.400221112 55.9890096531 87.0992535141252"  
    links:  
      ▼ 0:  
        title: "DATARMOR GPFS"  
        rel: "enclosure"  
        type: "application/octet-stream"  
        ▼ href: "/home/ref-osisaf-public/data/sst/l2p/global/avhrr_metop_b/2020/001/20200101213103-0SISAF-L2P_GHRSST-SSTsubskin-AVHRR_SST_METOP_B-sstmgr_metop01_20200101_213103-v02.0-fv01.0.nc"  
      ▼ 1:  
        title: "FTP"  
        rel: "enclosure"  
        type: "application/octet-stream"  
        ▼ href: "ftp://eftpl.ifremer.fr/cersat-rt/project/osi_saf/data/sst/l2p/global/avhrr_metop_b/2020/001/20200101213103-0SISAF-L2P_GHRSST-SSTsubskin-AVHRR_SST_METOP_B-sstmgr_metop01_20200101_213103-v02.0-fv01.0.nc"  
      ▼ 2:  
        title: "HTTPS"  
        rel: "enclosure"  
        type: "application/octet-stream"  
        ▼ href: "https://osi-saf.ifremer.fr/sst/l2p/avhrr_metop_b/2020/001/20200101213103-0SISAF-L2P_GHRSST-SSTsubskin-AVHRR_SST_METOP_B-sstmgr_metop01_20200101_213103-v02.0-fv01.0.nc"  
  ...
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First item of result list

Properties of returned granule

URL of granule, in different protocols (FTP, HTTPS, cloud,...)

# Opensearch

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Opensearch service is mostly intended for machine to machine exchanges:

- From a script (e.g. daily download over an area)
- From a scientific workflow (e.g. jupyter notebook)
- From an application: visual display of available data
- ...

Libraries, scripts and packages exist to ease the encoding/decoding of opensearch requests. Example will be provided.

Example: search API in python working with different opensearch services: [https://gitlab.ifremer.fr/naiad/eo\\_harvest/](https://gitlab.ifremer.fr/naiad/eo_harvest/)

# Conclusion and way forward

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Implementation of central catalogue and federated opensearch service is now on its way and will be completed by next GHRSSST workshop

Engagement of GHRSSST data producers will start early next year to populate and update the GHRSSST catalogue

Engagement of GHRSSST DACs will start this year to interconnect the existing open-search end-points

Challenge for the next two years is to have a comprehensive GHRSSST catalogue and all DACs interconnected