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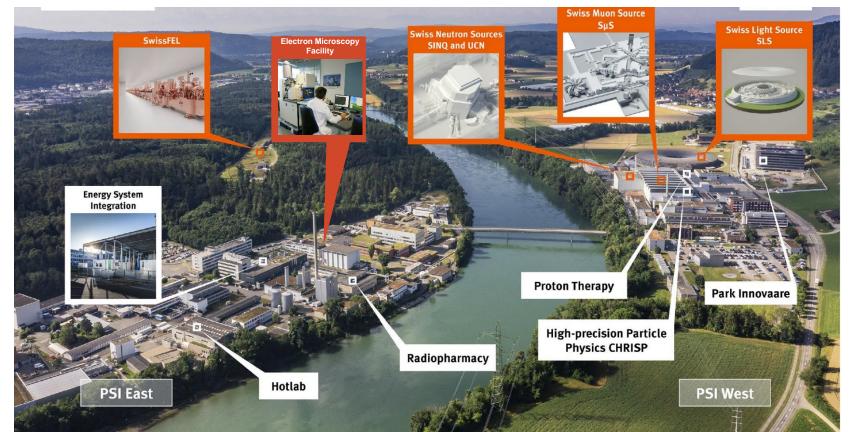
Scientific computing, data sharing and reuse at PSI

Raw diffraction data reuse: the good, the bad and the challenging: IUCR 2023

Melbourne 22nd August 2023



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The Good



PSI Data Policy for the User Facilities

Data are a valuable and essential product and resource for research conducted at PSI. Especially the large research facilities operated at PSI are a source for large data sets relevant for national and international research teams. This updated document defines the general principles for research data management at PSI and its user facilities and has been approved in April 2022.

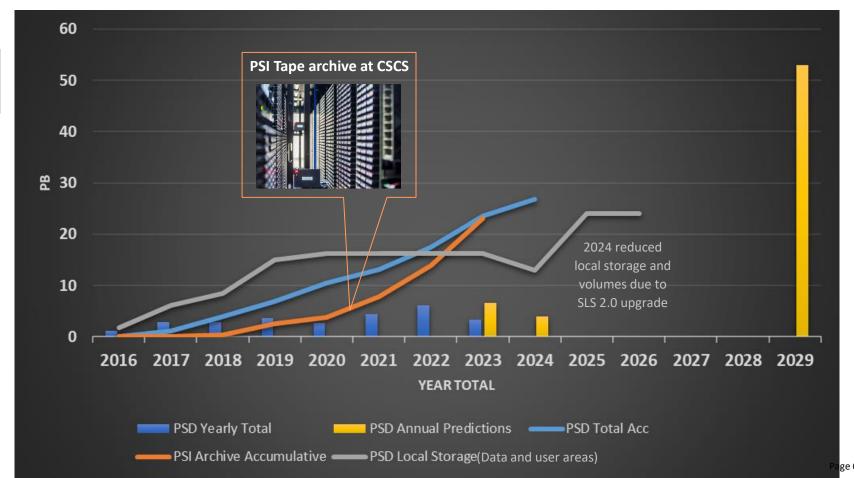
Excerpt

- This document pertains to the ownership, curation and access to research data and metadata generated, collected and/or processed and/or stored by PSI or at its facilities.
- It is binding for all PSI employees and external users of PSI facilities and the acceptance
 of this policy as far as applicable is a condition for the award of access to research infrastructures for internal and external users.
- All activities concerning data management and processing must be in accordance with the PSI instruction on Research Integrity.
- All Research Data and Metadata obtained as a result of Public Research will be Open Access after an initial embargo period during which access is restricted to the Experimental Team, represented by the PI or the main author of a proposal.
- The embargo period is three (3) years starting at the end of data collection as agreed between the Data Steward and PI. Thereafter, the data will become openly accessible.
 On written request of the PI the embargo period can be shortened, omitted or extended.





Photon Science (PSD) and PSI Data Volumes





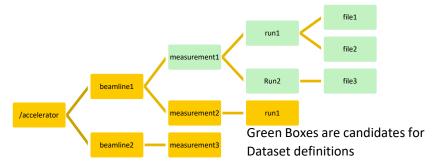
Data Catologue: Where does SciCat help?

- Organize the scientific data into datasets
- Annotate the Datasets with administrative and flexible scientific metadata
- Make the data **searchable/discoverable**
- Provides the infrastructure for **publishing** the data, DOI generation
- Can be used as frontend for longterm storage (Archive) solutions of mass data (PB regime)
- Supports both open access and embargoed data



Metadata ingestion: 1. Define Datasets

- Datasets are the smallest unit for archiving, retrieving and publication
- Create them by defining a list of files, e.g. for raw data list all the files that logically belong to a measurement/data taking run, or any other criteria. For example: define all the files in the same directory (e.g. measurement1) as part of one dataset.



In addition to "raw" Datasets you can create "derived" datasets containing the results
of your analysis derived from the raw data. This ingest step is usually done by the user
pursuing the analysis



Metadata ingestion: 2. Define Scientific Metadata

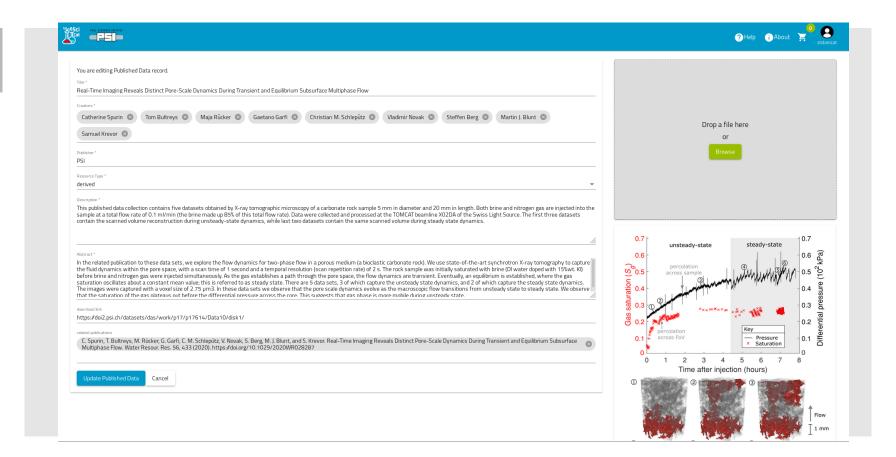
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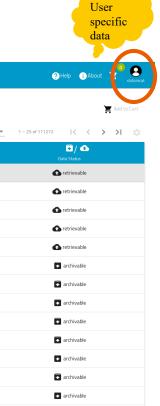


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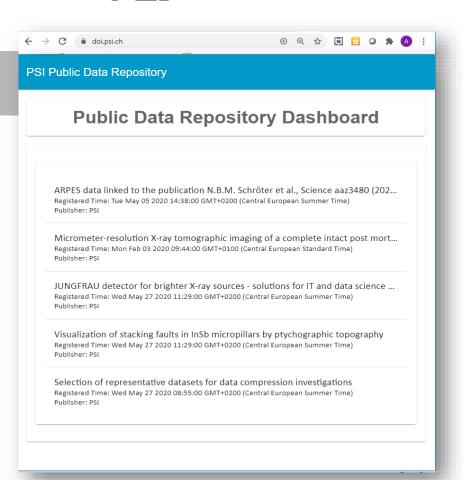
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Real-Time Imaging Reveals Distinct Pore-Scale Dynamics During Transient and Equilibrium Subsurface Multiphase Flow

Catherine Spurin, Tom Bultreys, Maja Rücker, Gaetano Garfi, Christian M. Schlepütz, Vladimir Novak, Steffen Berg, Martin J. Blunt, Samuel Krevor; PSI (2021)

PSI Public Data Repository

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Abstrac

In the related publication to these data sets, we explore the flow dynamics for two-phase flow in a porous medium (a bioclastic carbonate rock). We use state-of-the-art synchrotron Arva thomography to capture the fluid dynamics within the pore space, with a scan that of 1 second and a temporal resolution (scan repetition rate) of 2 s. The rock sample was initially saturated with brine (DI water doped with 15%wt. KI) before brine and nitrogen gas were injected simultaneously. As the gas establishes a path through the pore space, the flow dynamics are transient. Eventually, an equilibrium is established, where the gas staturation oscillates about a constant mean value; this is referred to as steady state. There are 5 data sets, 3 of which capture the unsteady state dynamics, and 2 of which capture the state dynamics. The images were captured with a voxe size of 2.75 µm3. In these data sets we observe that the pore scale dynamics evolve as the macroscopic flow transitions from unsteady state to steady state. We observe that the saturation of the gas plateaus out before the differential pressure across the core. This suggests that gas phase is more mobile during unsteady state.

Publication details

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This published data collection contains five datasets obtained by X-ray tomographic microscopy of a carbonate rock sample 5 mm in diameter and 20 mm in length. Both brine and nitrogen gas are injected into the sample at a total flow rate of 0.1 ml/min (the brine Description made up 65% of this total flow rate). Data were collected and processed at the TOMCAT beamline X02DA of the Swiss Light Source. The first three datasets contain the scanned volume reconstruction during unsteady-state dynamics, while last two datasets contain the same scanned volume during steady stated dynamics.

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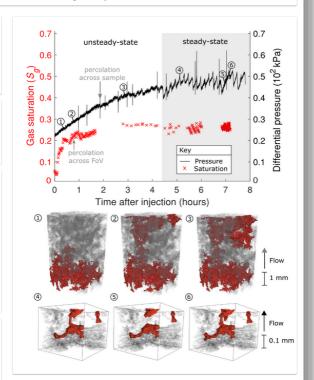
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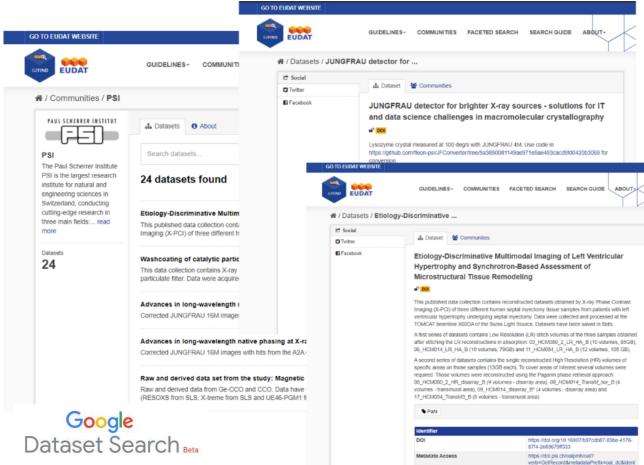
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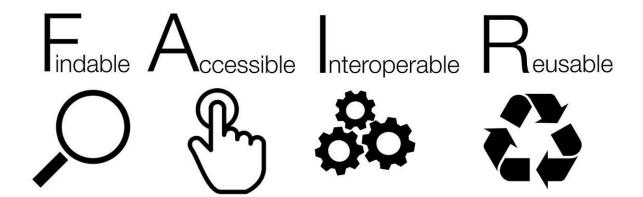




The Bad

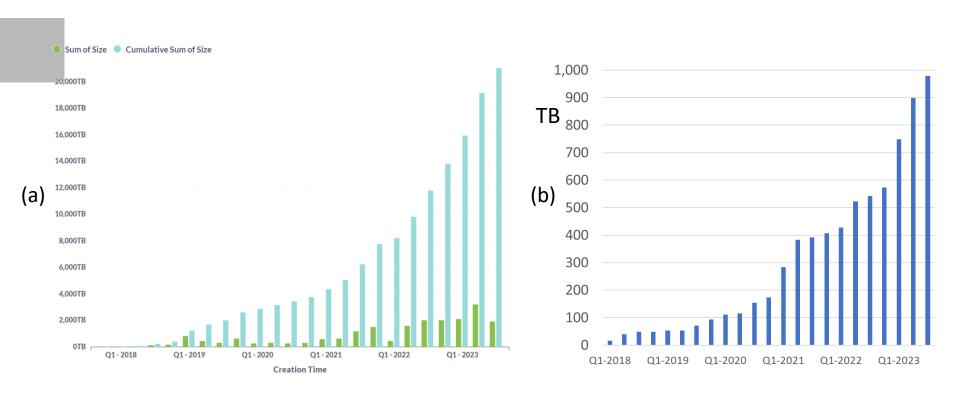


Raw diffraction data reuse.....





PSI Data Archive (a) and Retrieval* (b)



^{*}Retrieval off Tape, not including 337TB of open data accessed off spinning disk



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The Challenging



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Scalably (and sustainably)

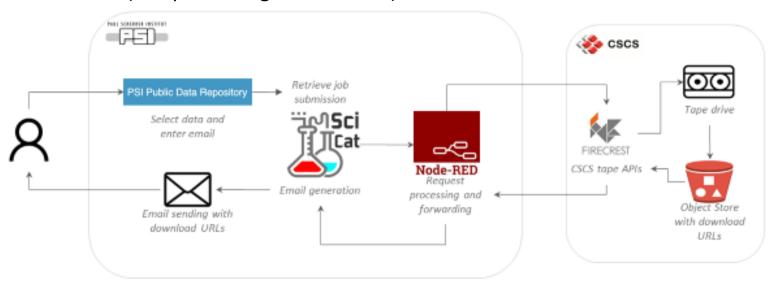
- Immediate access storage is expensive (short term solution).
- Data on tape is cold.
- Tape technology can fail (currently only single copies to reduce costs).
- Recovery speeds are slower.





Current recovery of data from PSI

 Manual process to get data requested and staged at PSI for processing or at CSCS for download (and processing in the future)



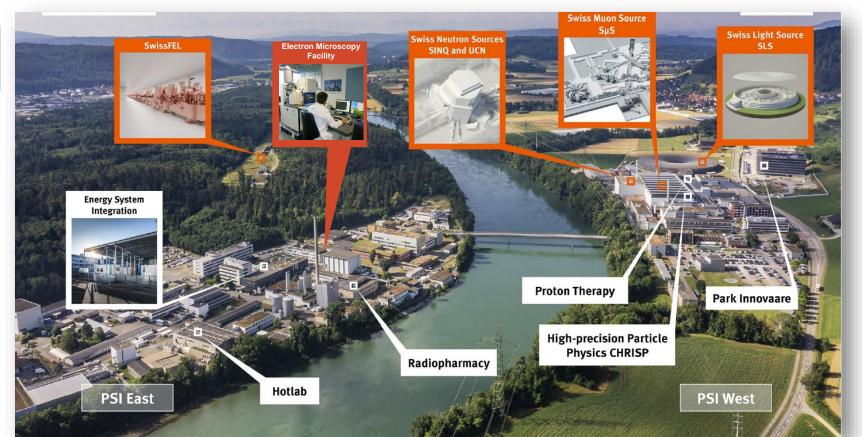
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Responsibilities at PSI Facilities



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- Each facility and science domain will face different challenges
 - Data provenance
 - Data 'format'
 - Community standards
 - Interdisciplinary standards
 - Data ingestion
 - Data quality
 - Responsibilities
 - Who should catalogue the data and when.

- Three PSI example activities:
 - 1. SLS 2.0 upgrade

- 2. ETH Domain ORD
 - OpenEM

3. Materials cloud

1. SLS 2.0 Upgrade Project

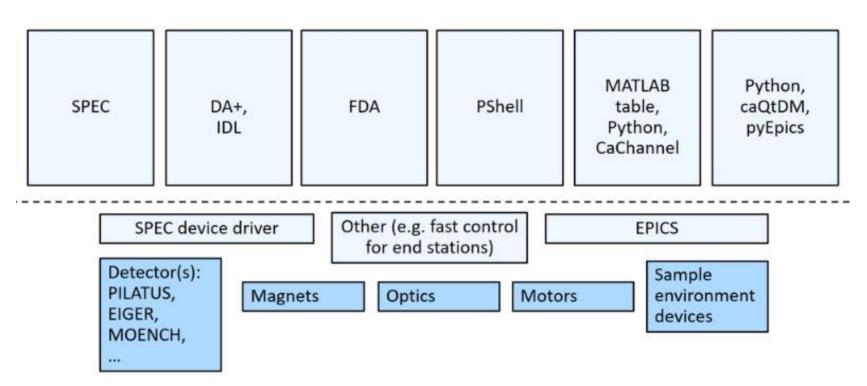
- The SLS 2.0 upgrade requires a comprehensive rebuild of the storage ring and magnet lattice, resulting in an improvement in emittance and associated increase in brightness by a factor of forty compared to the existing performance in the most commonly used hard x-ray regime.
- A phased program of upgrades of the beamlines will begin in parallel to optimize exploitation of the ring.

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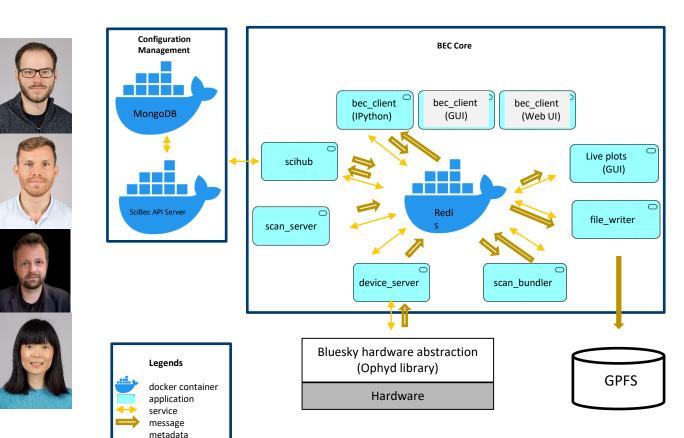
1. Opportunities from SLS 2.0 Shutdown

Experiment Control on SLS





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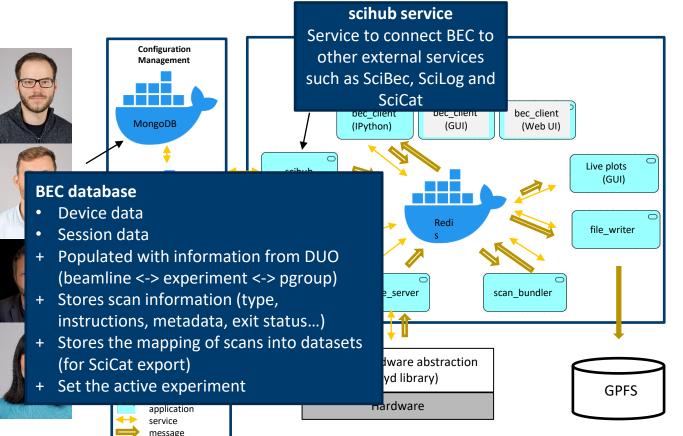


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2. ORD in ETH Domain, Switzerland

- "Science often benefits from multiple evaluations of the same data sets by researchers with different backgrounds, perceptions and ideas. ORD allows – and stimulates – new research and discoveries", Position of the ETH Domain
- The ETH-board together with the ETH domain have committed 15 MCHF for the promotion of open research data (ORD) research practices and services.
 - Measure 1: Call for Field-Specific Actions
 - Measure 2: Coordination of Access to Research Data Management (RDM) Services & Infrastructures
 - Measure 3: Development of Online Course Material for RDM Training
 - Measure 4: Information on Legal Questions related to ORD
 - Measure 5: Career Paths for ORD Professionals

https://ethrat.ch/en/eth-domain/open-research-data/



2. The Open EM Data Network (OpEM)

Funded as part of the ETH Domain ORD program:

OpEM is a consortium of Swiss electron microscopy facilities working together to:

- Improve Open Research Data (ORD) practices in the Swiss EM community
- Provide an open and FAIR repository for Swiss EM data not hosted elsewhere
- Standardize EM metadata & automate collection at Swiss EM facilities
- Follow a consistent data lifecycle when collecting data at different facilities
- Streamline publication of EM data into open repositories

OpEM will target both researchers producing EM data and consumers of open data for additional science. Data producers benefit from more streamlined data collection, standardized facilities, easier deposition for publication, and adherence to data management policies. The wider availability of open EM data brings numerous benefits, including reproducing results, applying new techniques to old data, training AI & other new methods, and mining data for new insights.

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Open EM Data in Switzerland

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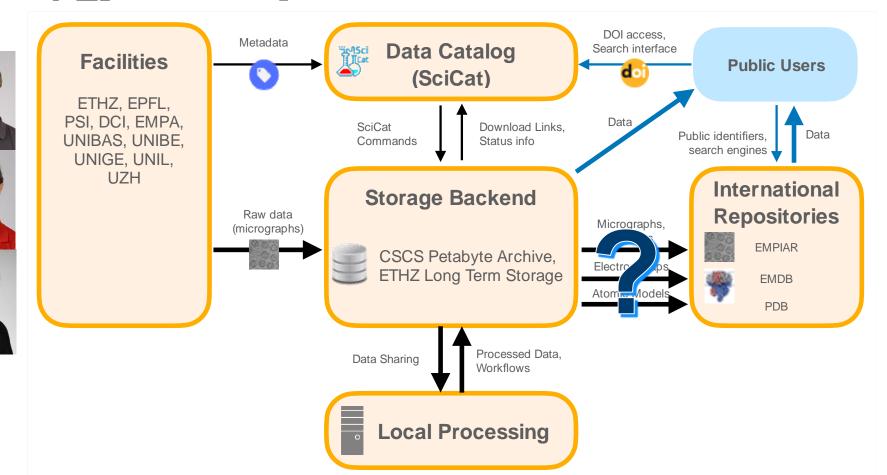
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3. PREMISE goals Open and Reproducible Materials Science Research

- Establish, promote and facilitate the **adoption of FAIR ORD practices** in Materials Science.
- Provide missing critical components to enable open and reproducible research (accessible, shareable)
- Address interoperability between data from simulations and experiments (currently: no established RDM practices)



Key enabler of emerging AI/ML-driven autonomous laboratories,
 with native support for RDM and ORD practices



3. Example: Linking with Domain Tools

Materials Cloud is built to enable the seamless sharing and dissemination of resources in computational materials science, offering educational, research, and archiving tools; simulation software and services; and curated and raw data.





https://www.materialscloud.org









3. PREMISE structure: structure and workpackages





WP2

Open data from simulation-assisted experimental interpretation



PREMISE

Open and Reproducible Materials Science Research

WP5

Project management and outreach

WP4

Enabling reproducible and accessible materials experiments and simulations



WP3





- The Good:
 - Facility tools and policies are now well advanced in Switzerland/Europe, benefiting greatly from the PANOSC and ExPaNDS initiatives.
- The Bad
 - The data you get out is only as good as the data you put in
- The Challenging
 - Ensuring Acquired For Findable Accessible Interoperable Reusable data Scalably (and Sustainably) needs further investment and engagement, not just top down



Thanks to:

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- PSI and ETH Domain colleagues
- ExPaNDS and PaNOSC colleagues

