# Open Data for DESY and HIFIS

A portal bundle for DESY, HIFIS, NFDI and their pilot node in EOSC Beyond

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## **Open and FAIR data for Photon Science**

The motivation for a prototype system

#### FAIR data will become the standard

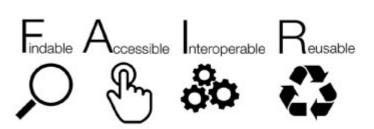
- Funding bodies and journals demand data to be open and/or FAIR
  - Public money = public data (after embargo period)
  - Supplemental data for publications
- Combatting the reproducibility crisis in science
- Reusability makes for a more sustainable (re-)use of results obtained from costly and laboriuos experiments and enables AI/ML workflows

### **Starting with Photon Science**

 As one of the largest photon science laboratories in Europe, DESY will start providing a standardized way to host Open and FAIR data for her scientists

### Towards a blueprint for HIFIS, NFDI and the community

- After successful initial operations with DESY photon science, the portal will be opened as a HIFIS service
- We also hope to create a blueprint for OpenData portals in the community that will be shared openly



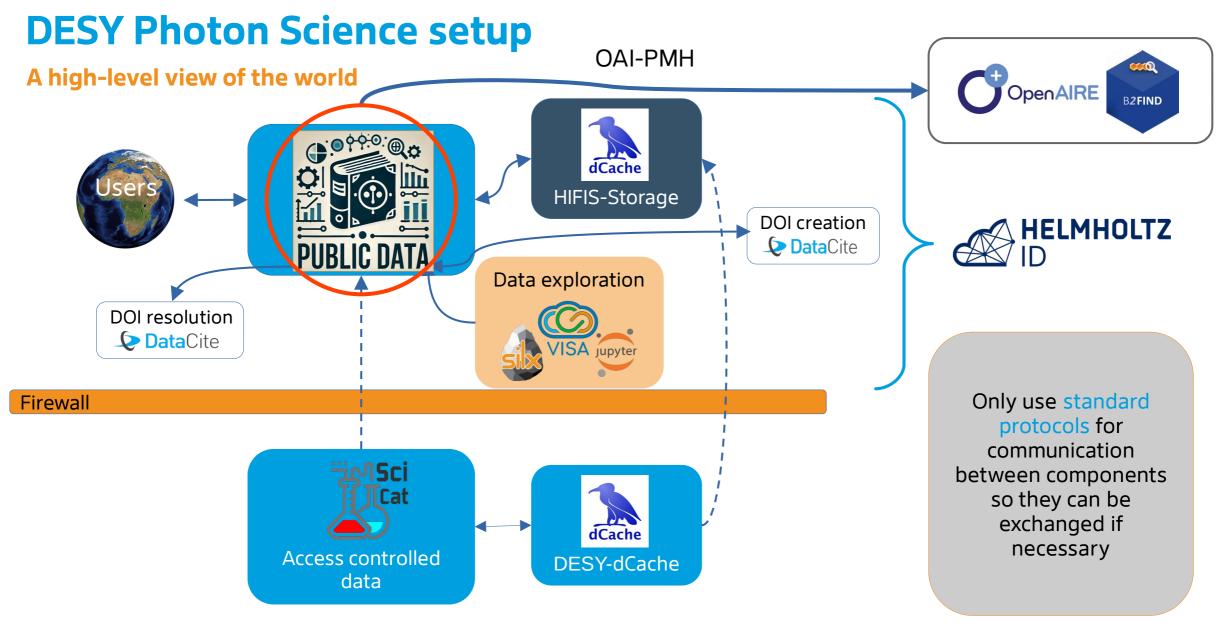


Image adapted from Anton Barty's slide

## The minimum viable system for DESY.

**Essential components with federated access (authenticated & non-authenticated)** 

### Long term storage (dCache via hifis-storage.desy.de)

accessible via standard protocols (https, NFS, WebDAV)

### **Metadata Catalogue** with

- mandatory core metadata fields
- optional domain specific metadata fields
- OAI-PMH protocol for data harvesting of core metadata by high level catalogues

## **DOI Minting Service**

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## **Open Science (Virtual Research) infrastructure**

 VISA portal, currently working on it together with other synchrotron facilities in Europe under an MoU

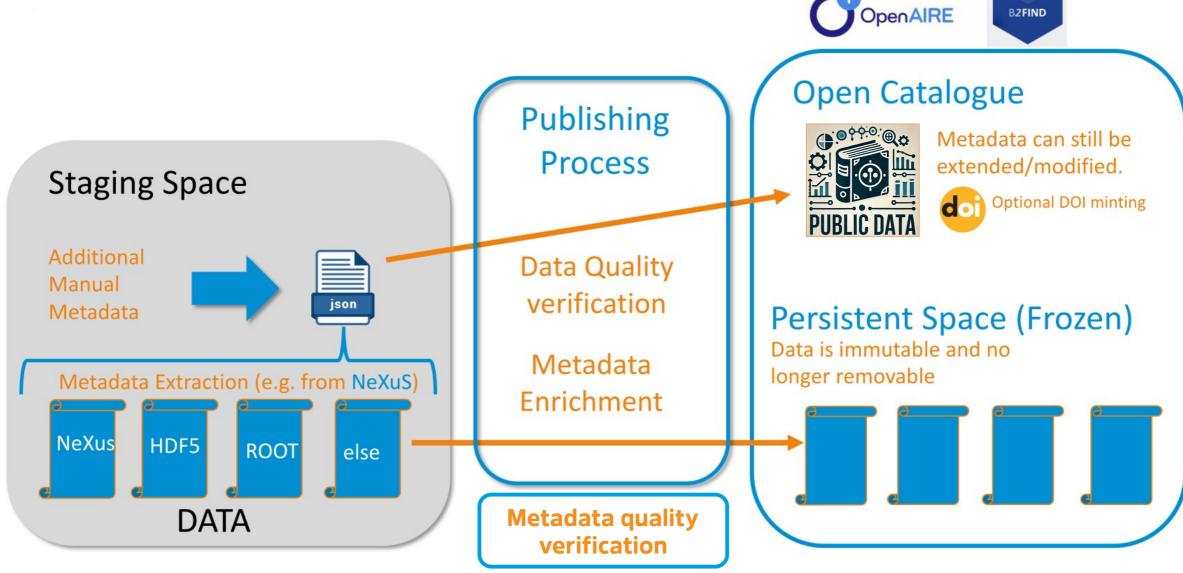


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## Our envisioned data ingestion process

**For Open Data** 



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### (Meta)data ingestion and quality verification - sisyphos.desy.de

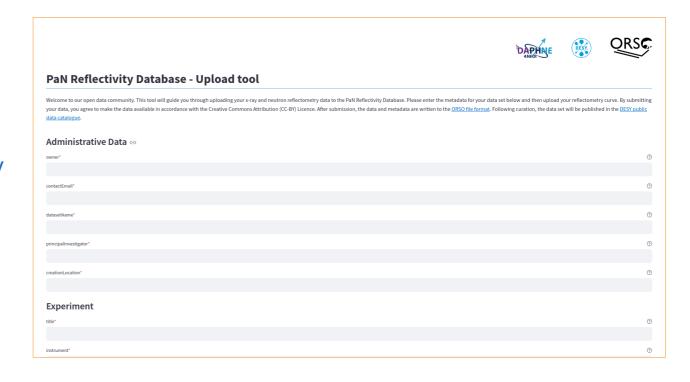
First installment with LinkML and Streamlit

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- Metadata schema description via YAML documents setting standards that metadata has to conform to
- Data description in terms of "classes" and "slots", allowing inheritance and mixins for creating custom types
- 60+ different open-source tools to work with schemata for introspection, validation, format conversion,

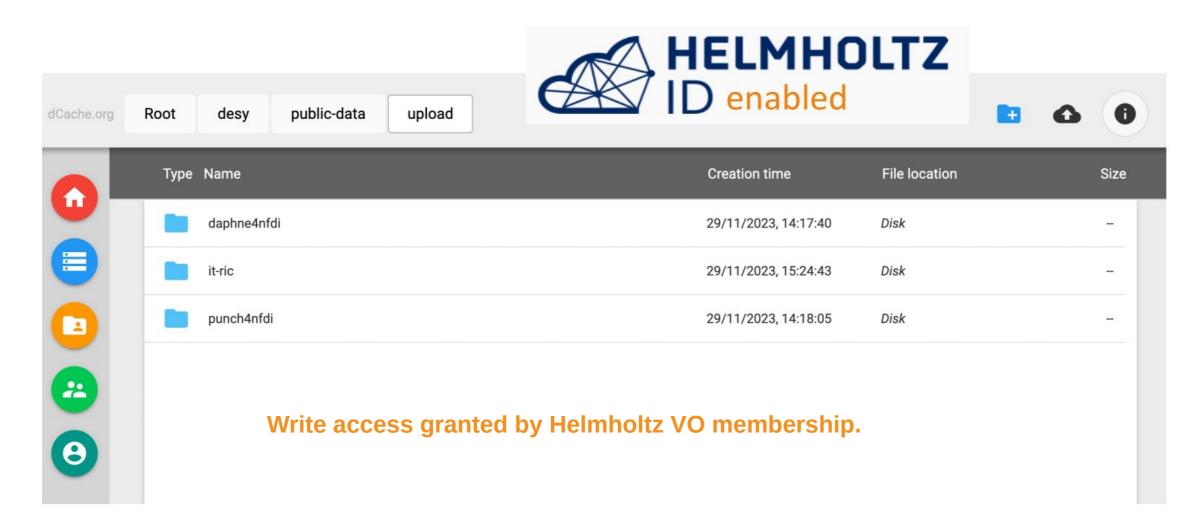
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- Starting for the X-Ray reflectivity community within DAPHNE4NFDI
- If you are interested in details:
  - https://gitlab.desy.de/ric/opendata-metadata/
  - sisyphos.desy.de
  - Let me know so I can get you into contact with my colleagues



## hifis-storage.desy.de

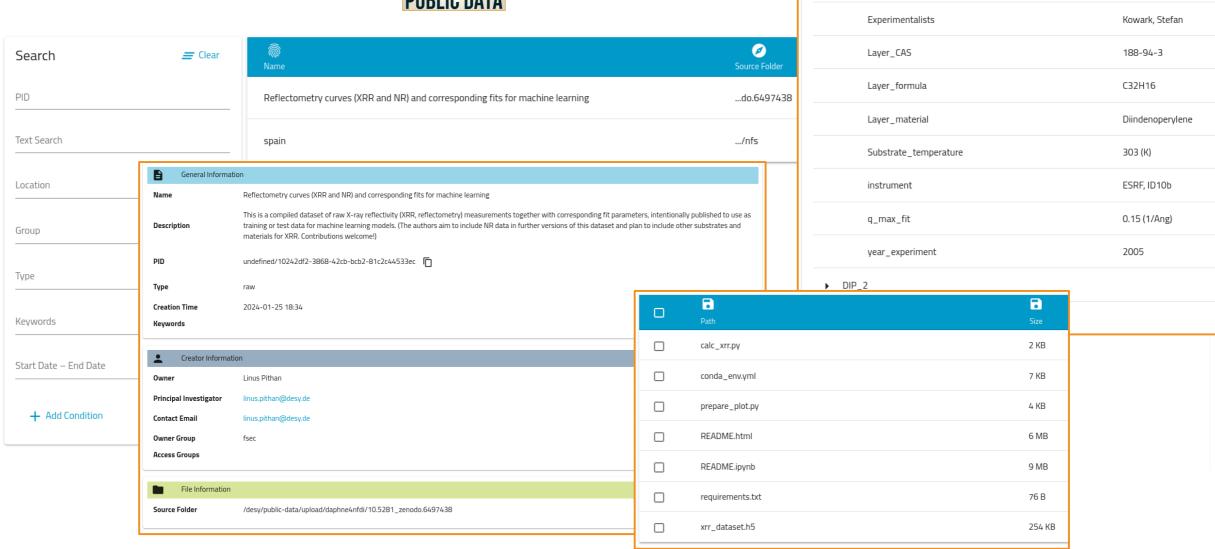
The "drop box" and and final storage space for Open Data



## public-data.desy.de

## The metadata catalog!



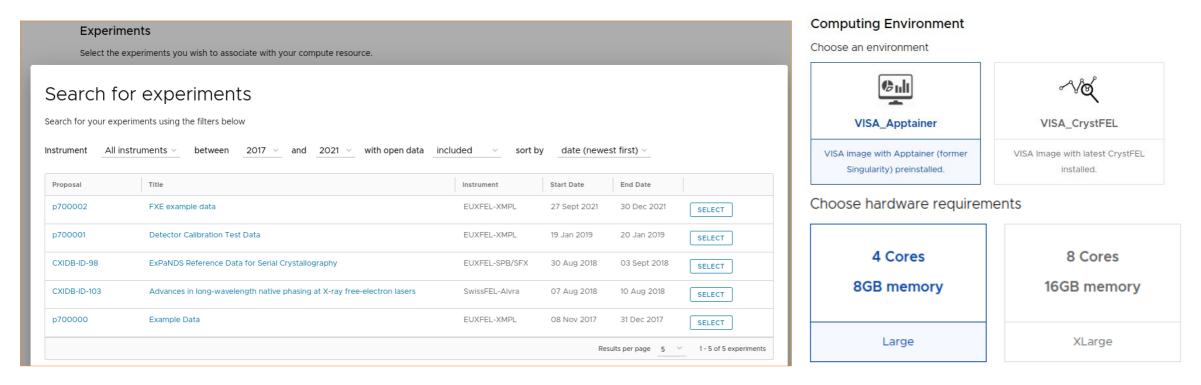


Scientific Metadata

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### Select a dataset to spawn a virtual machine

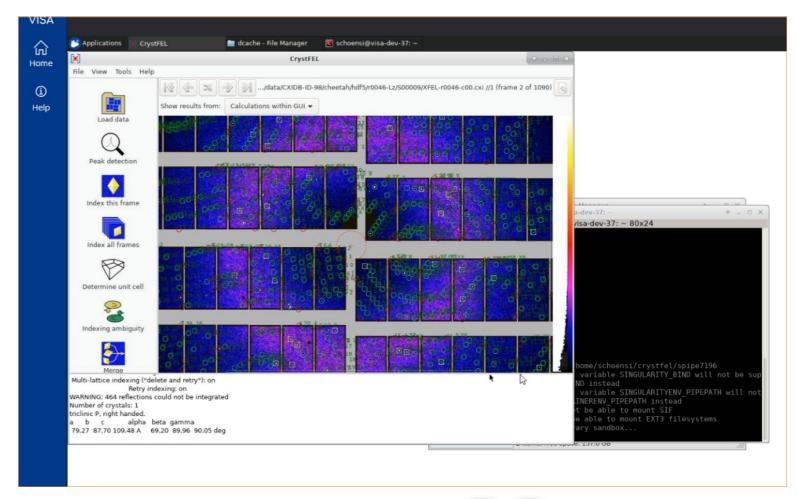


VISA database currently populated with example datasets.

Open Data to be integrated during 2024 via automated data export from public-data.desy.de

#### Work via remote desktop connection with graphical interfaces

Using CrystFEL Docker Images to run Singularity Container and work with Crystfel 10 Graphical Interface.





# Thank you!

# Questions?

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# **Backup slides**

## Importance of proper metadata definitions

Consensus and standards are key

Mandatory core metadata fields	Defined in prior activities and by responsible reference bodies e.g. DublinCore, DataCite v4.4
Optional domain-specific metadata fields	To be provided by the community e.g. former PaNOSC/ExPaNDS, Daphne4NFDI, Photon Science Community
Additional metadata fields	Experiment/Beamline/Facility-specific metadata might be needed

#### Special challenge for open data:

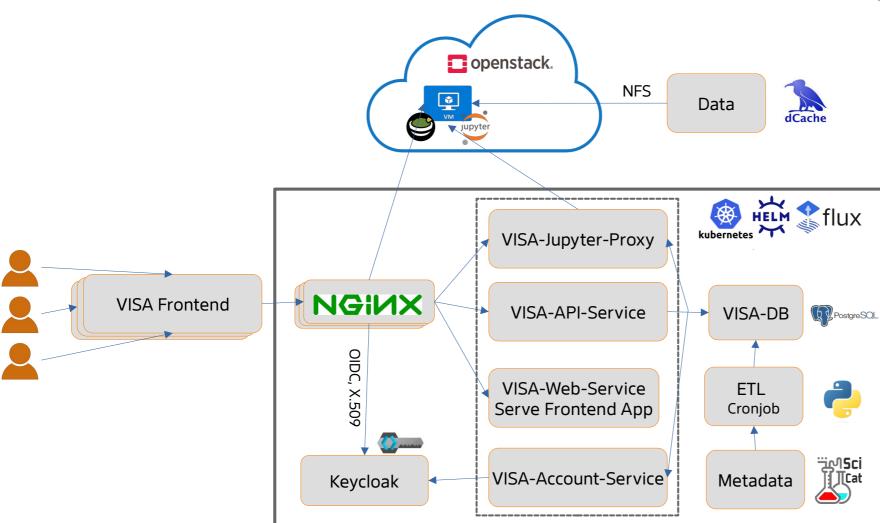
Heterogeneous origin of data sets from different experiments with different specific metadata need to be mapped into the same catalogue



Metadata input and verification need to be handled properly in the publication process

## **Architecture Overview (Data Analysis Platform)**





#### Sources

- Git repositories
- Helm Charts
- Sealed Secrets

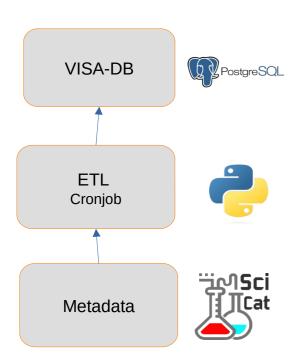


#### **Targets**

- Clusters
- Namespaces

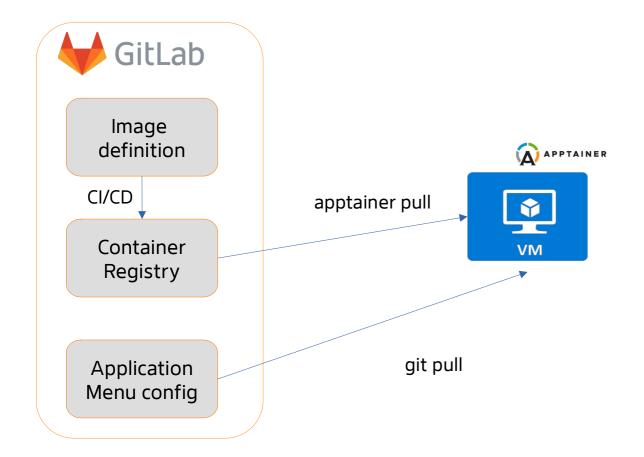


#### **Metadata import via custom ETL process**



- Python script
- Customizable depending on the metadata source (catalogue API format, authN/Z, ...)
- Can be run once for static data or as a cronjob for dynamic data
- Event-based execution would be nice to have (e.g. webhooks)
- Metadata import
  - Experimental specifications
  - Dataset status (embargoed or public)
  - User access rights
  - Storage paths
- Database backup

#### **Analysis software provisioning via Apptainer images**



- Software in Apptainer images
  - Many applications already available as Apptainer image from HPC workflows
- Built from .def file in CI/CD pipeline
- Image publicly available in Gitlab registry
- Pulled on application startup
- Application menu entries defined separately in git repository
- Seamless integration into the OS applications
- Menu entries updated from menu config by cronjob pulls the repository regularly
- Seamless updates to the menu by admins