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OpenEM Update

2024-03-05 AWI Department Meeting

- EM data should be FAIR and Open by default
- Standardized data management at all facilities
- Automatic metadata collection during acquisition
- Streamlined deposition in EMPIAR/EMDB/PDB
- Central data repository providing access to researchers & the public
 - Authenticated access during the embargo period
 - Open access after publication
 - Indexed by search engines or accessible by DOI

Open EM Data Network (OpenEM)

4 ETH Institutes



5 Universities

swissuniversities

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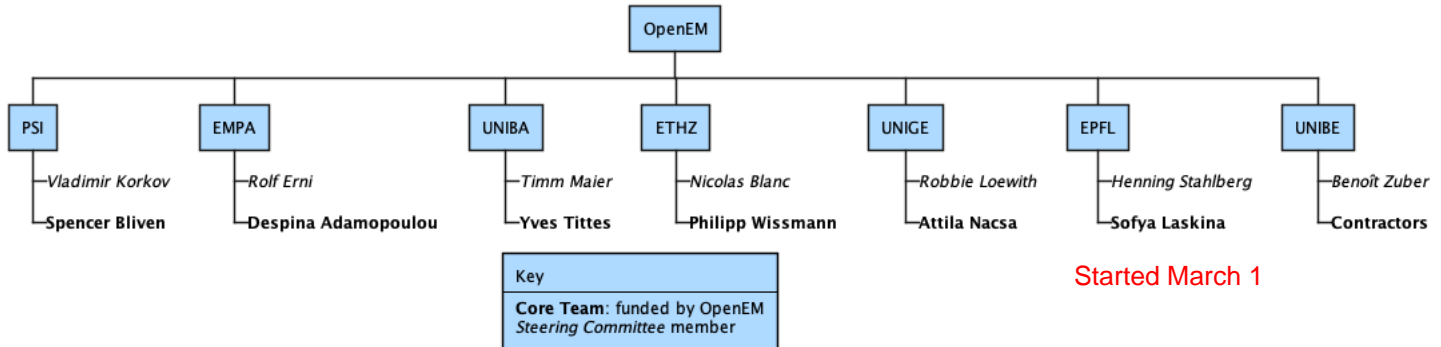
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Open EM Data Network

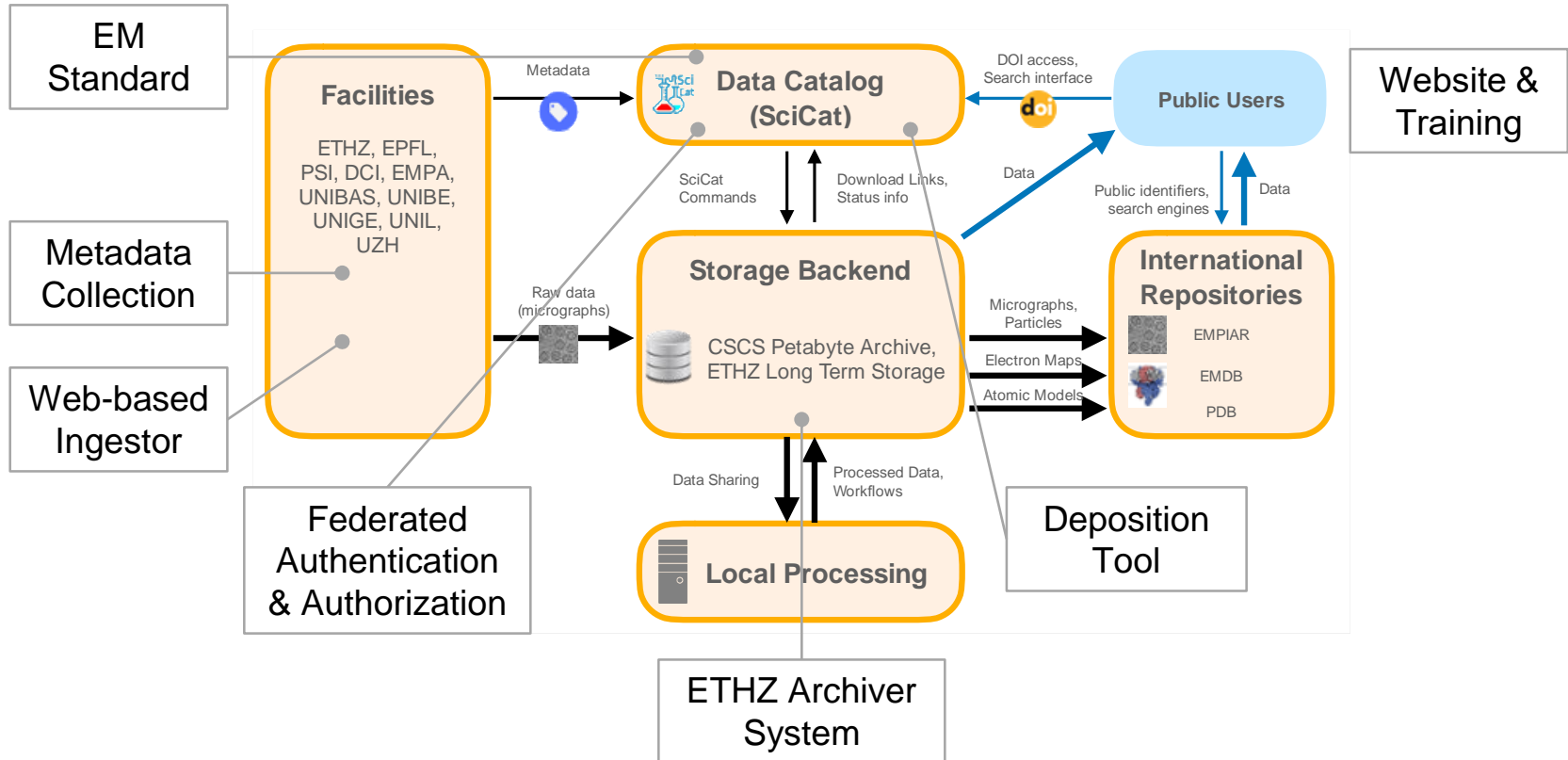
- Two funding instruments
 - *ETH ORD*. PI: Henning Stahlberg. 1.5 MCHF
 - *Swissuniversities*. PI: Robbie Loewith. 0.92 MCHF
- 6.5 new positions
- Timeline: June 2023–Dec 2025



Project Management Tools

- Confluence for documents, meeting notes, and planning
- Github projects for tasks/Kanban
- Agile development
- Slack, sympa email lists
- <https://swissopenem.github.io>

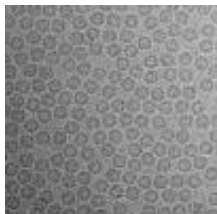
Architecture



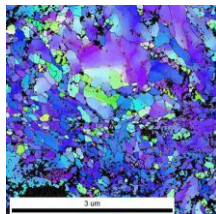
Open Standards Community for EM (OSCEM)

Diverse data types

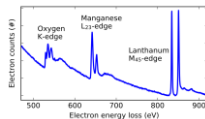
Raw Data



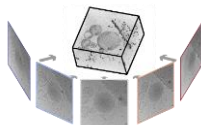
2D Micrographs
(EMPIAR-11016, Harder, EPFL)



Annotated
Images
(Kunze and Sologubenko, ETHZ)



Spectrograms
[Magnunor, Wikimedia](#)



3D tomograms
[teamtomo.org](#)

More: ptychography, 4D STEM, ...

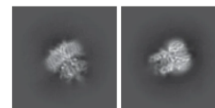
Sample
Description

Instrument
Settings

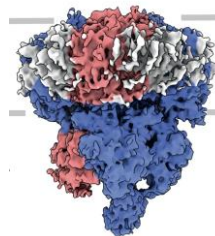
Workflows

Publications

Derived Data

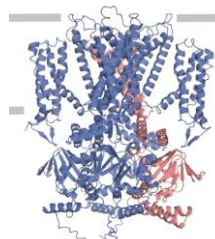


Particles & classes
(Barret, PSI)



Electron Maps
(EMDB)

(EMD-12718, Barret, PSI)



Molecular Models
(Protein Databank)

(7o4h, Barret, PSI)

More: Tomographic reconstructions, segmented models, ...

Raw Data

Micrographs

- MRC
- TIFF
- Zarr/OME
- HDF5/EMD
- PRZ/numpy
- NXem

Metadata

- XML (diverse formats)
- SerialEM mdoc
- Image metadata (eg TIFF headers)

Manufacturers

- Thermo, Zeiss, Gatan, Jeol, ASI, ...

Sample Description

- Proposal systems
- Labbooks

Instrument Settings

- SerialEMSettings.txt
- Configuration files

Workflows

- Project directories
- Workflow files
(scipion, ccpem-pipeliner, etc)

Publications

- DOI
- DataCite records
- Git repos

Derived Data

CryoEM

- PDBx/mmCIF
- Map

Databases

- EMPIAR/EMDB/PDB
- Zenodo/Institutional repos

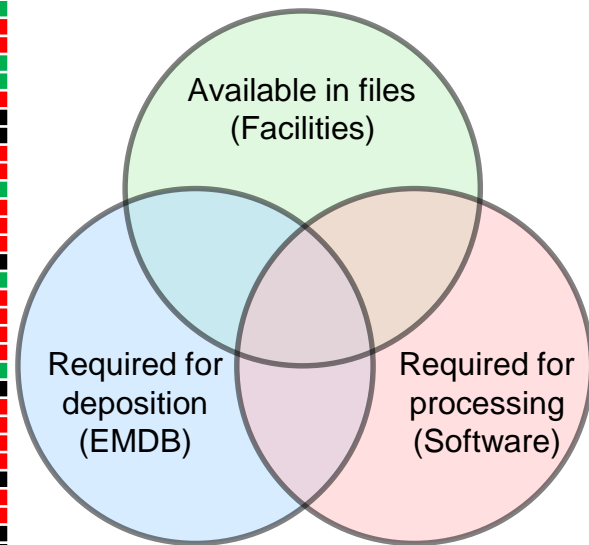
Workshop February 22-23

- Open Standards Community for EM (OSCEM)
- Participants from facilities, software, and repositories
- <https://indico.psi.ch/e/em-standards-2024>
- Will draft an *ontology* and a *schema* for EM metadata
 - Encompasses both the minimal metadata for processing a dataset and the metadata required for depositing a dataset
 - Extensible to many techniques in EM (single particle, tomography, EELS)
 - Derived from existing standards (CryoEM Ontology, PDBx, NXem)



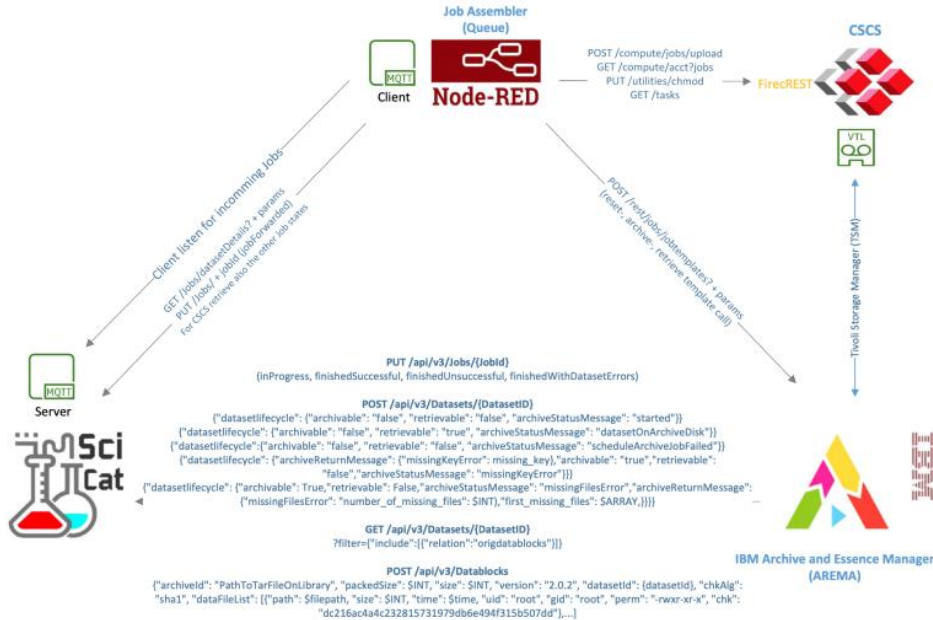
Current baseline: repository requirements (+)

Parameter	Type	EMDB required	SerialEM	EPU	In emd
Instrument Name	str	x	Yes	Yes	Yes
Illumination mode	str	x	No	Yes	Yes
Imaging mode	str	x	No	Yes	No
Electron source	str	x	No	Yes	No
Acceleration Voltage	int	x	Yes	Yes	Yes
C2 Aperture	int		No	Yes	Yes
CS	float		?	Yes	No
Nominal defocus (min/max)	float		Yes	Yes	
calibrated defocus (min/max)	float		Yes	Yes	
nominal magnification	float		Yes	Yes	No
calibrated magnification	float		No	No	No
speciman holder model	str		No	?	Yes
cooling holder cryogen	str		No	No	No
Temperature (min/max)	float		No	No	No
alignment procedure	str		No	No	No
software list	str		Yes	Yes	
Detector / Camera	str	x	?	Yes	Yes
average dose per image	float	x	Yes	Yes	No
Energy filter	bool		Yes	Yes	No
energy filter slit width	float		Yes	Yes	No
detector pixels	int x int		Yes	Yes	No
Date of experiment	str		Yes	Yes	Yes
average exposure time	float		Yes	Yes	
Tilt angle (min/max)	float		Yes	Yes	No
cryogen	str		No	No	No
Residual tilt	float		No	No	No
Details instrument	str		No	No	No
specialist optics	str		Yes	Yes	
spherical aberration corrector	str		No	No	No
chromatic aberration corrector	str		No	No	No
Microscopy settings	str	x	No	Yes	
Detector mode	str		No	Yes	
sampling interval	float		No	No	No
Movie frames per image	int		Yes	Yes	No
range of frames used	int		No	No	
# of grids imaged	int		No	No	No
# of images	int		No	No	
details for camera	str		No	No	No

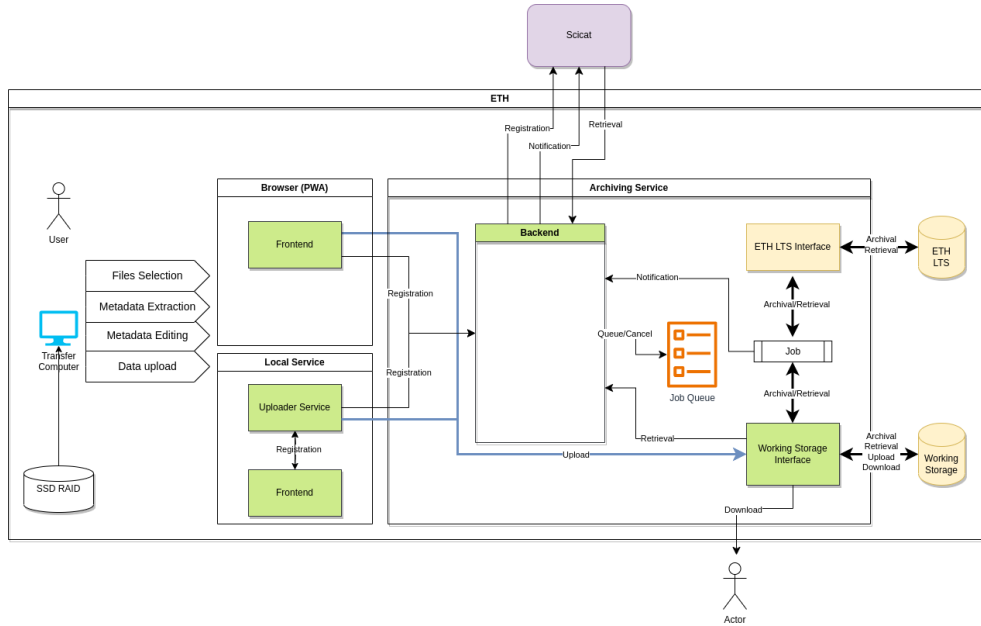


Archiver System

PSI Archiver System



- RabbitMQ for job notifications from SciCat
- Node-RED dispatch system
- Arema scheduler
- Tivoli Storage Manage for tape interface
- FirecREST for CSCS operations
- SciCat receives status updates via REST API



- Initial data transfer to S3 staging location
 - Resumable uploads (tus)
- Archive/retrieve from *ETH Long-term storage* via posix interface
- Interact with Scicat Job API via REST
- Deployment with Cellery/Kubernetes
- Monitoring: grafana, prometheus

SciCat changes

Needed SciCat Features

- Backend undergoing a major update to v4.0.0 (typescript, NestJs, better configuration, ...)
- Federated authorization via OIDC
- User management system
 - Independent of PSI-AD
 - Fine-grained authorization
 - More detailed accounting for billing
- New data transfer mechanism
 - Accessible from outside PSI
 - Bandwidth for 3-4 PB/year
 - Considering Globus or S3
- Web-based upload for decentral data

- Data Curation group (Leo, Carlo, Ali)
- OpenEM team
- SciCat team
- Archiver team (Pedro, Michael, Bernard)
- EM Facility staff

