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EO Application Packages hands-on

**Developing Cloud-ready Earth Observation
Applications**

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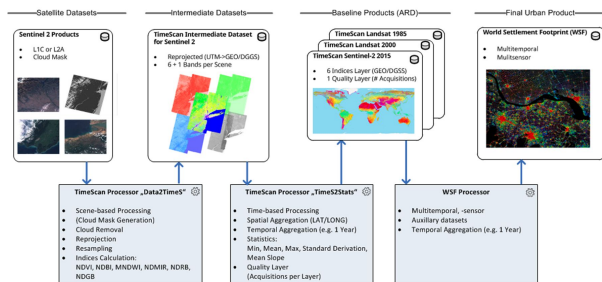
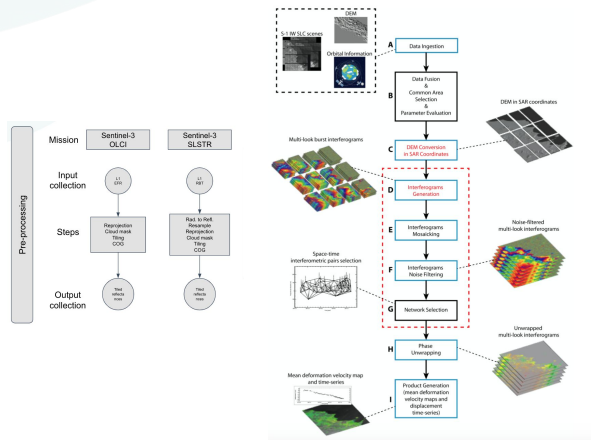
About Us



- Terradue is an ESA spin-off based in Rome
 - with a subsidiary in the UK (Oxford)
- Support to application builders in Earth sciences to use satellite data as their information source
 - Algorithms in different data programming models & languages
 - Producing Analysis Ready Data and Added Value Products
- Deploy & operate Earth observation data processing applications in multiple Clouds without lock-in
 - Processed near the EO data holdings
 - Fixed time period or continuous operations

EO Application Package

- An Earth Observation Application is set of command-line tools with numeric, textual and EO data parameters organized as a computational workflow
- An Application Package uses an explicit language that describes the input and output interface of the computational workflow and the orchestration of its command-line tools.
- The Application Package guarantees the automation, scalability, reusability, portability of the Application while also being workflow-engine and vendor neutral.



New OGC Best Practice for
EO Application Packages



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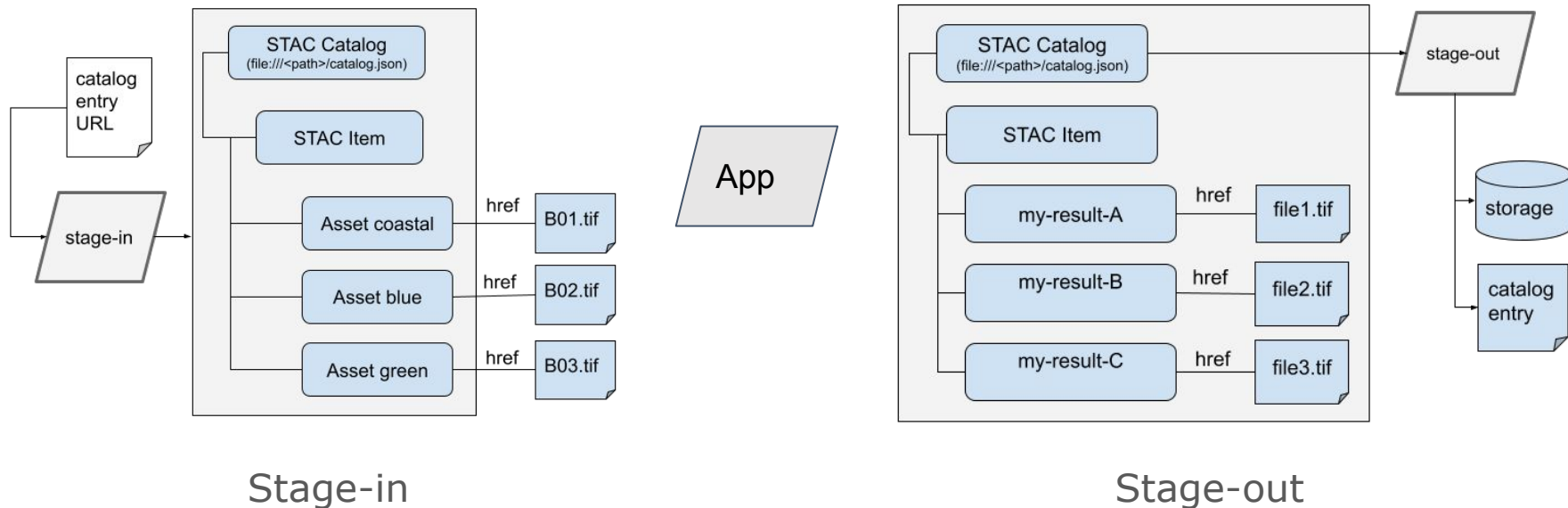


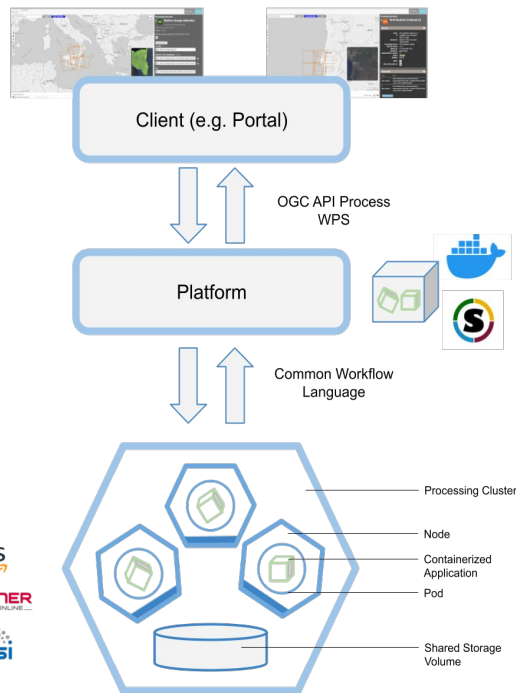
The Common Workflow Language (CWL) is an **open standard** for describing analysis workflows and tools in a way that makes them **portable** and **scalable** across a variety of **software and hardware environments**, from workstations to cluster, cloud, and high performance computing environments.

EO Application Package

- The command-line tools (e.g. Python, shell script, C++) and their dependencies are containerized and registered in a container registry
- The computational workflow input and output interfaces and the orchestration of its command-line tools are described with Common Workflow Language (CWL)

- The computational workflow data interfaces use the Spatio Temporal Asset Catalog (STAC) to describe the EO data inputs and generated results.





- The Platform takes the CWL application package and exposes an OGC API Processes processing service.
- The Platform provides the automation, scalability, reusability, portability by converting the OGC API Processes execution request into a CWL execution using a runner and the computing resources of the selected provider.


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$graph:
- class: CommandLineTool
  id: crop-cl
  requirements:
    DockerRequirement:
      dockerPull: docker.io/osgeo/gdal
    InlineJavascriptRequirement: {}
  baseCommand: gdal_translate
  arguments:
    - -projwin
    - $( inputs.bbox.split(",")[0] )
    - $( inputs.bbox.split(",")[3] )
    - $( inputs.bbox.split(",")[2] )
    - $( inputs.bbox.split(",")[1] )
    - -projwin_srs
    - "EPSG:4326"
    - $( "/vsicurl/" + inputs.cog )
    - cropped.tif
  inputs:
    cog:
      type: string
    bbox:
      type: string
  outputs:|
    cropped.tif:
      outputBinding:
        glob: '*.tif'
      type: File
  cwlVersion: v1.0

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INFO [job crop-cl] /tmp/6e0o3onn$ docker \
  run \
  -i \
  --mount=type=bind,source=/tmp/6e0o3onn,target=/MtUYrD \
  --mount=type=bind,source=/tmp/fk4pojtj,target=/tmp \
  --workdir=/MtUYrD \
  --read-only=true \
  --user=1000:1000 \
  --rm \
  --cidfile=/tmp/tn7sa93x/20220525113057-272748.cid \
  --env=TMPDIR=/tmp \
  --env=HOME=/MtUYrD \
  docker.io/osgeo/gdal \
  gdal_translate \
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  cropped.tif

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Skills

- YAML
- Containers (docker files, docker build, tags, etc.)

Tooling

- A container engine: docker or podman
- A CWL runner: cwltool, calrissian (k8s)
- An IDE: VS Code or Theia/Coder (in the Cloud)
- An object storage (S3)
- Access to a container registry (e.g. docker.io, quay.io Gitlab, Github)
- Access to Continuous Integration service (e.g. Gitlab CI, Github Actions, Jenkins, etc.)
- Access to a Package Registry (e.g. Gitlab, Github, Artifactory)

<https://github.com/Terradue/ogc-eo-application-package-hands-on>

Additional resources:

- CWL specification <https://www.commonwl.org/v1.2/>
- OGC Best Practice for Earth Observation Application Package
<https://docs.ogc.org/bp/20-089r1.html>
- <https://cwl-for-eo.github.io/guide/> (work in progress)
- CWL runners:
 - <https://github.com/common-workflow-language/cwltool>
 - <https://github.com/Duke-GCB/calrissian>
- From zero to CWL on kubernetes <https://github.com/Terradue/calrissian-session>



Looking forward
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