# Python Scripts for NIED continuous waveform data requesting and processing

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This is a collection of scripts to request, download and process continuous waveform data available from NIED Hi-net website.

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# Dependency

- Python 3.4 (Not work under Python 2; Not Tested under Python 3.3)
- Python third-party modules
  - requests
  - clint
  - docopt
- Hinet win32tools: catwin32 and win2sac\_32

# How to get

If you use git, just clone this repo to your work directory:

```
git clone https://github.com/seisman/HinetScripts.git
```

You can update this repo using:

```
git pull
```

If you do not use git, just click the "Download ZIP" button on the right.

# Before you use it

1. Register on the NIED Hi-net website, so you can access to NIED waveform data;

- 2. Download win32tools and compile them, make sure binary catwin32 and win2sac\_32 are in you PATH;
- 3. Request, download and process data manually at least one time, make sure that you know the whole procedures and limitations of NIED website;
- 4. Modify configure file Hinet.cfg to your needs:
- User & Password
- Net: Network code to request waveform data as default
- Maxspan: Maximum record length allowed for one web request
- catwin32: Path to catwin32 supplied by win32tools
- 4. Run HinetDoctor.py to check your configure file;

#### What is network code?

Each network is represented by a network code. For example, Hi-net network has a code of '0101', while V-net '0105'. You can see the full code list by run python HinetContRequest.py -h.

#### What is Maxspan? And how to choose it?

NIED Hi-net website set a limitation of data size in one request:

- 1. Record Length < 60 min
- 2. Number of channels \* Record Length <= 12000 min

Just take Hi-net as example, Hi-net network has about 800 station and 24000 channels. According to the limitations, the record length should be no more than 5 minutes long in one web request. So the Maxspan, allowed maximum record length, should be no more than 5 for Hi-net network with all stations selected.

The request script HinetContRequest.py helps you break through the limitation. Using this script, you can requst datas with a much longer record length, this script will split the request into multiple sub-request, each has a record length no more than Maxspan minutes.

# **Quick Start**

If you want a quick start, just run like this:

```
$ python HinetContRequest.py 2010 10 01 15 00 20 -d 201010010600
```

- \$ python rdhinet.py 201010010600
- \$ python ch2pz.py 201010010600

if everything goes right, you will have one cnt file, one channel table file, several SAC files and SAC polezero files in directory.

## Scripts

### HinetDoctor.py

HinetDoctor.py helps you check your configure file, you should run it when you modify Hinet.cfg.

- 1. Is username and password correct?
- 2. Has Hi-net website been updated?
- 3. Is catwin32 command in you path and executable?
- 4. How many station are selected for Hi-net and F-net?
- 5. Is Maxspan in allowed range?

## HinetContRequest.py

HinetContRequest.py is used to request and download data from Hi-net server.

#### Usage

```
$ python HinetContRequest.py -h
Request continuous waveform data from NIED Hi-net.
```

#### Usage:

```
HinetContRequest.py <year> <month> <day> <hour> <min> <span> [options]
HinetContRequest.py -h
```

#### Options:

```
-h, --help Show this help.

-c CODE --code=CODE Select code for organization and network.

-m SPAN --maxspan=SPAN Max time span for sub-requests

-d DIR --directory=DIR Output directory. Default: current directory.

-o FILE --output=FILE Output filename.

-t FILE --ctable=FILE Channel table filename. Default: CODE_YYYYMMDD.ch
```

### Examples

1. Request data of Hi-net start from 2010-10-01T15:00:00 (JST) with duration of 20 minutes

```
python HinetContRequest.py 2010 10 01 15 00 20
```

2. Request data of F-net start from 2010-10-01T15:00:00 (JST) with duration of 20 minutes

```
python HinetContRequest.py 2010 10 01 15 00 20 -c 0103
```

3. Request data of Hi-net, with customized output directory and filename

```
python HinetContRequest.py 2010 10 01 15 00 20 -d aaa -o aaa.cnt -t aaa.ch
```

4. Request data of Hi-net, use default filename and customized output directory. (**Highly Recommended**)

```
python HinetContRequest.py 2010 10 01 15 00 20 -d 201010010600
```

If you run HinetContRequest.py in the highly recommender way, you will get a directory 201010010600 with two file inside: 0101\_201010011500\_20.cnt and 0101\_20101001.ch.

```
|-- 201010010600
|-- 0101_201010011500_20.cnt
`-- 0101_20101001.ch
```

#### rdhinet.py

rdhinet.py is used to extract SAC files from WIN32 file.

#### Usage

Extract SAC data files from NIED Hi-net WIN32 files

#### Usage:

```
rdhinet.py DIRNAME [-C <comps>] [-D <outdir>] [-S <suffix>] [-P procs>]
rdhinet.py -h
```

# Options:

-h Show this help.

- -S <suffix> Suffix of output SAC files. Default: no suffix.

#### Examples

1. Extract all channels

```
python rdhinet.py 201010010600
```

2. Extract NEU components with suffix 'SAC'

```
python rdhinet.py 201010010600 -C U,N,E -S SAC
```

In most cases, what you need is only -C option.

If you run python rdhinet.py 201010010600 -C U, you will get SAC files looks like N.FRNH.U under directory 201010010600.

#### ch2py.py

ch2pz.py is used to extract SAC PZ files from Channel Table file.

#### Usage

```
$ python ch2pz.py -h
Convert NIED Hi-net Channel Table file to SAC PZ files
```

#### Usage:

```
ch2pz.py DIRNAME [-C <comps>] [-D <outdir>] [-S <suffix>]
```

#### Options:

-S <suffix> Suffix for SAC PZ files. [default: SAC\_PZ]

# Examples

1. Extract all channels

```
python ch2pz.py 201010010600
```

2. Extract NEU components

```
python ch2pz.py 201010010600 -C U,N,E
```

In most cases, what you need is only  $-\mathtt{C}$  option.

If you run python ch2pz.py 201010010600 -C U, you will get SAC PoleZero files looks like N.FRNH.U.SAC\_PZ under directory 201010010600.

## Attentions

- ch2pz.py only works for components whose input have unit of  ${\tt m/s}.$