

Thoughts on deploying a PROV capacity

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Overview

Very early work... **experimenting in code**

The stardate is Summer 2018, so if it's later than that and you are reading this, look to contact ESIP or others about where things have evolved too..

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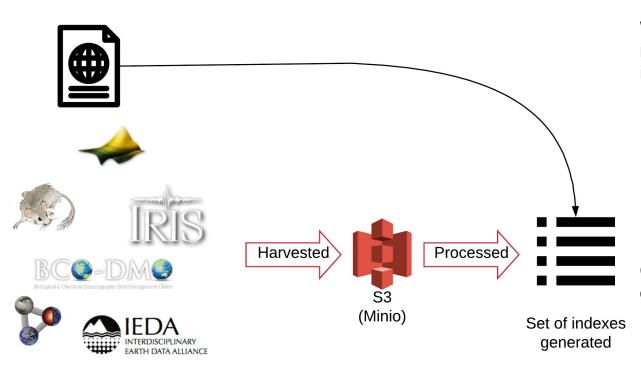
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uncritical adherence to present-day attitudes, especially the tendency to interpret past events in terms of modern values and concepts.

So Many Issues in Implementation!

- What do we capture?
- How do we capture it?
- How do we represent it?
- Once we have it.. How do we store and/or send it?
- How do we provide access and search?
- How do we let others know?
- How is it updated and maintained?
- How do we know it's still valid? (representation rot or representation uplifting)

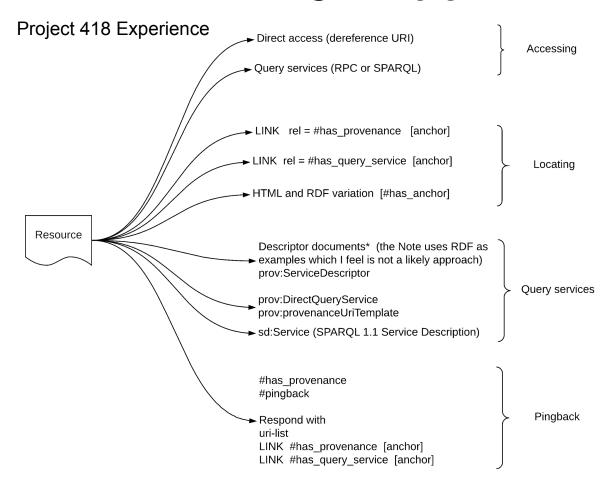
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Wanted to keep track and dataset resources becoming part of indexes.

- Software
- Organizations
- Time
- Index versions
- Activity (processing)

Q: Is generating an index based on a dataset a prov event?

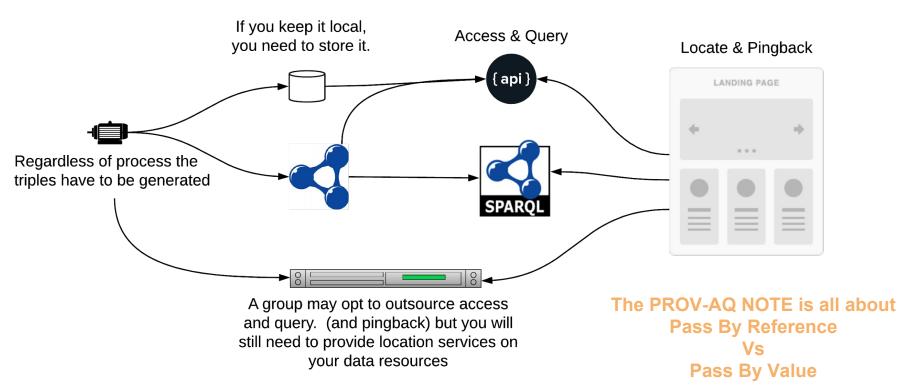


Prov introduces a range of items to keep track of for an organization. (the items left are from the PROV-AQ note)

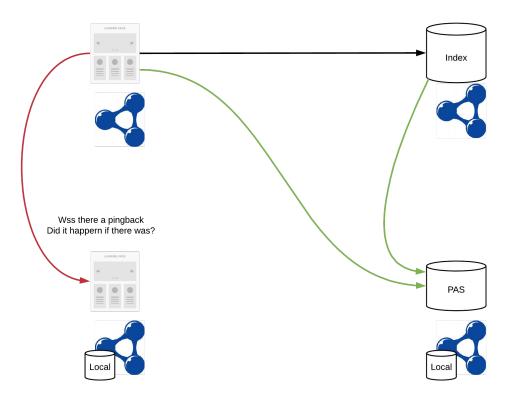
Most of this can be represented as a data graph though.

Thought: Checking data graphs with shape graphs?

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This is Linked Open Data and is an Open World (great)

Can we deal with this in the discover and index phase?

It's easy to see why people start to think about a distributed ledger.. But that is buzzword zone and is it really better? (just a monolith of a different sort)

Closing thoughts

PROV-AQ is just a note... we can influence it. (The authors want us to)

What is the compelling value add to the facilities to get them to start this process?

Is this just a special case metadata and we should advocate capturing it for all the reasons we capture metadata?

Leverage interest in schema.org to help address plumbing overhead?