Django, GeoDjango and STAC

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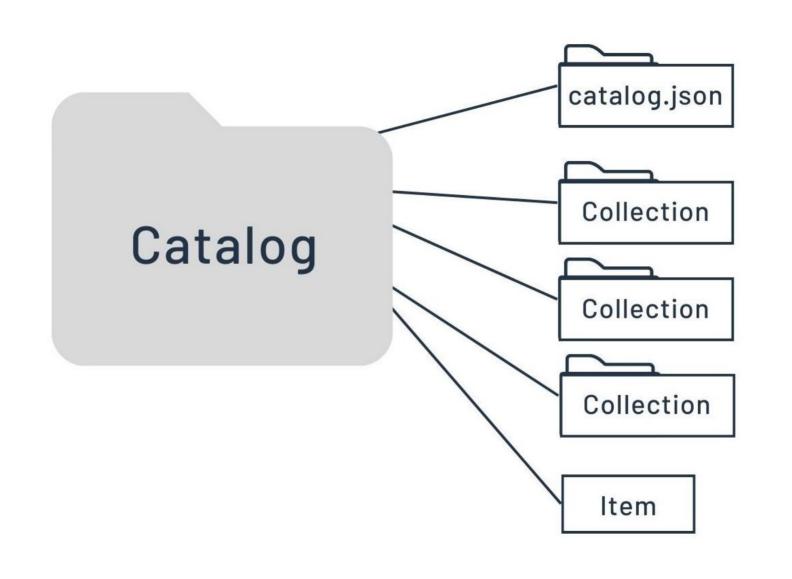
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What is STAC?

STAC SpatioTemporal Asset Catalog

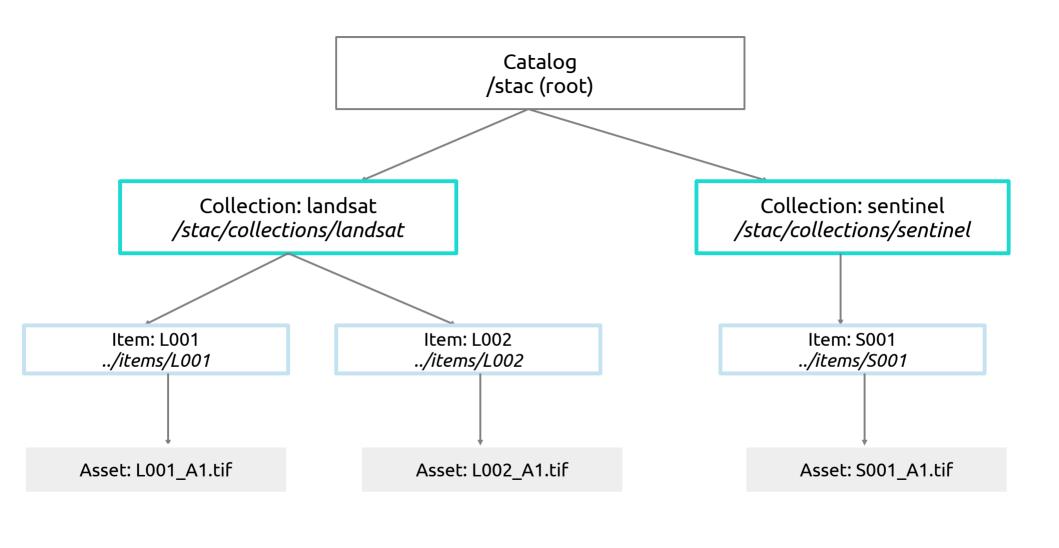
STAC Components



STAC Catalogs

Static Catalog

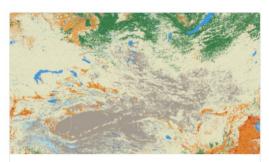
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STAC Assets

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MICROSOFT PLANETARY COMPUTER STAC CATALOG



10m Annual Land Use Land Cover (9-class) V1

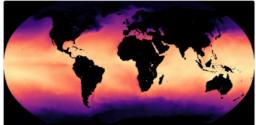
cos Note: A new version of this item is available for your use. This mature version of the map remains available for use in existing applications. This item wil...

2017-01-01 00:00:00 UTC - 2023-01-01 00:00:00 UTC



10m Annual Land Use Land Cover (9-class) V2

coc Time series of annual global maps of land use and land cover (LULC). It currently has data from 2017-



ERA5 - PDS

Zarr ERA5 is the fifth generation ECMWF atmospheric reanalysis of the global climate covering the period from January 1950 to present. ERA5 is produced by...

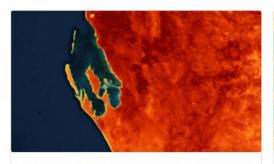
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ESA Climate Change Initiative Land Cover Maps (Cloud Optimized GeoTIFF)

The ESA Climate Change Initiative (CCI) Land Cover dataset provides consistent global annual land cover maps at 300m spatial resolution from 1992 to...

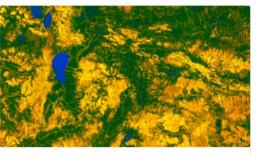
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MODIS Land Surface Temperature/Emissivity 8-Day

HDF COG The Moderate Resolution Imaging Spectroradiometer (MODIS) Land Surface Temperature/Emissivity 8-Day Version 6.1 product...

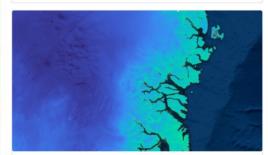
2000-02-18 0:00:00 UTC until present



Sentinel 1 Radiometrically Terrain Corrected (RTC)

The Sentinel-1 mission is a constellation of two polar-orbiting satellites, operating day and night performing C-band synthetic aperture radar imaging....

2014-10-10 0:28:21 UTC until present



MODIS Land Surface Temperature/Emissivity Daily

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Sentinel-2 Level-2A

The Sentinel-2 program provides global imagery in thirteen spectral bands at 10m-60m resolution and a revisit time of approximately five days. This dataset...

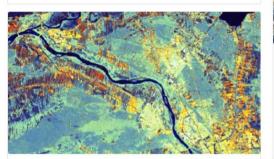
2015-06-27 10:25:31 UTC until present

EUROPEAN DATA SPACE ECOSYSTEM STAC CATALOG

Cubes and Clouds - Snow Cover

coc Snow Cover Community Mapping Project of the MOOC Cubes and Clouds - Cloud Native Open Data Science for Earth Observation. Every item comes fro...

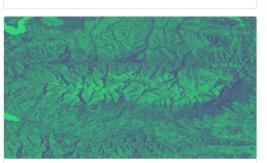
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Sentinel-1 Global Mosaics

coc ZIP Sentinel-1 monthly mosaics are generated from monthly stacks of Sentinel-1 GRD data by calculating the weighted sum of the terrain corrected...

2020-01-01 0:00:00 UTC until present



Sentinel-1 Ground Range Detected (GRD)



Sentinel-3 SRAL Land Radar Altimetry - Sea Ice (NRT)

ZIP NetCDF This Collection provides Sentinel-3 SRAL Level-2 Land Altimetry Sea Ice products, which contains estimations of the radar freeboard over the...

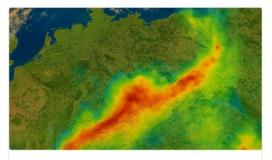
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Sentinel-3 SRAL Land Radar Altimetry - Sea Ice (NTC)

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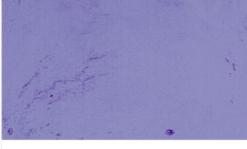
2016-03-01 14:07:51 UTC until present



Sentinel-5P Level 1 Radiance Band 3 (OFFL)

NetCDF This Collection provides Sentinel-5P Level-1 RA BD3 products, which contains Earth radiance spectra for spectral band 3.

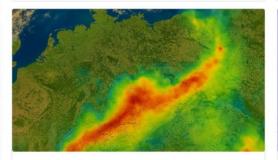
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Sentinel-5P Level 2 Formaldehyde (OFFL)

NetCDF This Collection provides Sentinel-5P Level-2 HCHO products, which contains high-resolution imagery of atmospheric formaldehyde concentrations.

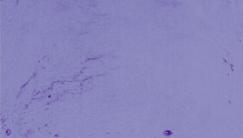
2018-04-30 0:18:51 UTC until present



Sentinel-5P Level 1 Radiance Band 3 (RPRO)

NetCDF This Collection provides Sentinel-5P Level-1 RA BD3 products, which contains Earth radiance spectra for spectral band 3.

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Sentinel-5P Level 2 Formaldehyde (RPRO)

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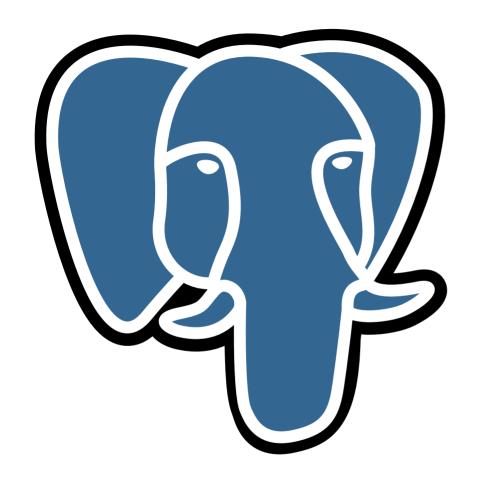
See more STAC catalogs

https://stacindex.org/catalogs



Building STAC Catalogs

- PostGIS
- GeoDjango
- Django Rest Framework
- Validators(stac and stac-api)



PostGIS

PostGIS

Rich in geometry functions (1000 functions!)

Spatial indexing and filtering

Django integration

Spatial Indexing

```
from django.contrib.gis.geos import Polygon
bbox = Polygon.from_bbox((-10, -10, 10, 10))
items = STACItem.objects.filter(geometry__intersects=bbox)
```

```
Index Scan using stac_items_geom_idx on stac_items
(cost=0.14..12.43 rows=50 width=...)
  Index Cond: (geometry && '0103000020E61000000...'::geometry)
  Filter: _st_intersects(geometry,
'0103000020E61000000...'::geometry)
Planning Time: 0.089 ms
```

Execution Time: 1.21 ms

GeoDjango



Modeling

Spatial queries

GeoJSON support

GeoDjango

```
from django.contrib.gis.db import models
class STACCollection(models.Model):
    spatial_extent = models.PolygonField(srid=4326)
    ...other fields
class STACItem(models.Model):
    geometry = models.GeometryField(srid=4326)
    ...other fields
```

Django Rest Framework

API structure

CRUD Endpoints

• Browsable

Django Rest Framework

```
/stac/
/stac/collections
/stac/collections/{collection_id}
/stac/collections/{collection_id}/items
class STACCollectionViewSet(viewsets.ReadOnlyModelViewSet):
    queryset = STACCollection.objects.all()
    serializer class = STACCollectionSerializer
    lookup_field = 'collection_id'
from rest framework gis.serializers import GeoFeatureModelSerializer
from .models import STACItem
class STACItemSerializer(GeoFeatureModelSerializer):
   class Meta:
       model = STACItem
       geo_field = 'geometry'
       fields = ['id', 'collection', 'datetime', 'bbox', 'assets']
```

STAC Validation

stac-validator

• stac-api-validator

Large Datasets & Performance

 Cloud Storage(S3, minio, Google Cloud Storage)

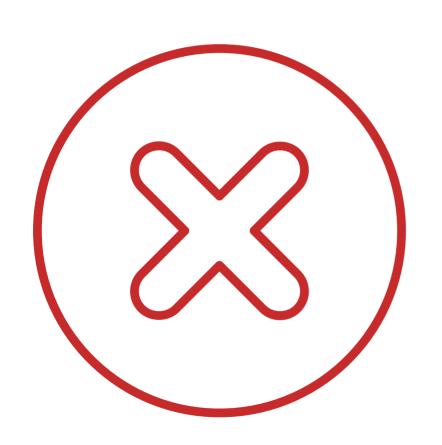
Indexing

from django.contrib.gis.db import models

class STACItem(models.Model):
 geometry = models.GeometryField(srid=4326, spatial_index=True)

Django built STAC API inside STAC Browser.

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• Skip STAC Documentation!

Store geometry using other types

Unpaginate large items and collections

Benefits

Common web standards

Easy to extend

Ecosystem

Do we need a django-stac package?

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