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Abstract

The MANGO model proposes a flexible way to expose data related to astronomical source objects in an interoperable way. It takes into account the huge diversity of source data in terms of feature description, format and usage. The MANGO model attaches an identifier on an astronomical source and associates to it all data related : observed physical quantities called parameters in this context, and other information like spectra, time series, preview image, for instance, for that source. Parameters usually appear in the columns of a source catalogue. Additionnal dataproducts are bound to the source to contribute to the science analysis and enhance data understanding. Parameters are modeled by the IVOA MCT DM reusing both native and extended classes. Parameters' roles are given by UCDs and semantic tags. Associated data can be simple URLs, VO service endpoints or VO data model instances. Their roles are also qualified by semantic tags.

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Model Name

This model was initially named with a very explicit but hard to remember acronym, CAB-MSD standing for Component and Association Based Model for Source Data. We decided later to rename it MANGO with reference to the inside out MANGO picture used to introduce the model in Groningen. As the tradition requires that such unexpected names are acronyms, let's assume that MANGO stands for Metadata ANnotation for Generic Objects (in astronomy).

Conformance-related definitions

The words “MUST”, “SHALL”, “SHOULD”, “MAY”, “RECOMMENDED”, and “OPTIONAL” (in upper or lower case) used in this document are to be interpreted as described in IETF standard RFC2119 (Bradner, 1997).

The *Virtual Observatory (VO)* is a general term for a collection of federated resources that can be used to conduct astronomical research, education, and outreach. The *International Virtual Observatory Alliance (IVOA)* is a global collaboration of separately funded projects to develop standards and infrastructure that enable VO applications.

1 Introduction

Modeling data collected to study astronomical source objects has been a long term concern for the DM working group and more generally for the IVOA. In the past years, there were some proposals to design a global model for sources (Salgado and Lemson et al., 2016) as well as for catalogs (Osuna et al., 2006). Other proposals, more model-agnostic, were focused on the data annotation in VOTables (Demleitner and Ochsenbein et al., 2016) (Derriere, 2016). In this case the goal was no longer to design a source model but to provide a complete description of individual quantities (positions, velocity, fluxes, magnitudes...). None of these proposals have come to completion.

The source DM issue resurfaced at the spring 2018 Interop in Victoria during an hands-on session focusing on the tools available to work with VO data models and especially with VO-DML. The goal of this session was to annotate data from different origins in order to make them interoperable with each other. One of the main concerns outside the tools necessary to work out this notation was the lack of models for source objects. This is a big paradox in the VO world: source data which represent the basic building blocks of astronomers' work, is not modeled. This paradox can be explained by the fact that the observation of source objects is multi-faceted. In a general way, the way features for source data are described and organized depends on the targeted science case. Principal investigators and archive designers set

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Figure 1: Architecture diagram for this document

up the data profile and structure it according to this goal which varies from one project to another. Therefore this diversity cannot be served by a single static data model describing a source item for all possible cases. Having a global source model would lead to a very complex solution not usable in practice.

This standard proposes to overcome this paradox and presents a template model gathering independent components from VO existings models together with VO data products and files embedded on demand in a container. The template supports fine grain association by composing classes as well as coarse grain relations to data products and files distributed within projects archive.

*Not designed to describe what a source is but to help clients to discover and to understand the quantities available for a particular source instance
TBC*

1.1 Role within the VO Architecture

Fig. 1 shows the role this document plays within the IVOA architecture (Arviset and Gaudet et al., 2010).

2 Representing observed astronomical objects : Use Cases and Requirements

2.1 Use Cases

The following uses-cases have been collected since 2019 from representatives of various astronomical missions, archive designers and tools developers.

TODO:

may be too early to conclude about this ?? The contribution was totally open. This gave a good picture of the needs but it's safe to say that not everything will be supported by this first version.??

The physical parameters recorded for each source in the various projects are listed below:

2.1.1 Gaia

- identifier
- sky reference position
- proper motion
- parallax and distance
- source extension
- radial velocity
- redshift
- photometry
- date of observation ?
- correlation (with other sources ?)
- multiple detection

2.1.2 Euclid

- identifier
- sky position
- correlation with Gaia counterpart?
- photometry (ground + satellite)
- morphology class?
- redshift
- photometric redshift

2.1.3 Exoplanets missions

- position
- orbit
- different source level (source types instead?)(star, planet, moon)
- status and classification
- orbiting system description

TODO:

mention the involved projects : examples ? GAPS, TESS?

2.1.4 Morphologically Complex Structures

- morphology

TODO:

to be developed ...

2.1.5 Chandra Archive

This X-ray mission has produced a very large catalog of sources. All quantities are time dependant, depend on calibration methods as well as on appropriate physical models that selects energy models for the origin of the recorded photons ...

TODO:

to be developed, explained ...

- name
- pos
- time
- extension
- PHA ???

2.1.6 Vizier catalog archive

Vizier gathers and delivers a curated version of published catalogs from various missions and experiments. It also distributes results of scientific papers, based on the computation, comparison and classification of sources extracted from archived data after science analysis. Vizier handles a very large set of measures in position, photometry, redshift, source type, etc. It adds value to it by recomputing additional quantities in various reference frames or equivalent spectral bands, units conversions, etc. It binds the resulting object description to other data sets representing the object, or its counterparts, or neighbourhood on sky (image), its spectral behaviour (spectrum, spectral energy distribution) or evolution through time (light curve, radial velocity curve, timeseries, etc.). Currently the binding and structure of the quantities is done by column grouping.

- pre-existing data
- grouping columns
- lots of available metadata
- column name formatting
- one column different frames

2.1.7 Aladin

Quantities possibly plotted or matched with some of other datasets

- position
- time
- flux
- Field of view (FoV)
- column grouping
- link to other data products?

2.1.8 Xmatch tool

The Xmatch operation relies on the comparison of the quantities recorded for each source between several catalogs in order to identify or disentangle counterparts.

Chandra X match ???, others ??? the mandatory quantities to operate such comparison involve:

- identifier
- position
- proper motion
- photometry
- extension?

2.1.9 Time Domain

This use-case involves measured physical quantities varying with time for one or multiple sources.

- Identifier: object identifier
- Timestamp: Independent axis of the time series
- Position: depends on t for a moving object
- Photometry: depends on t for light curves
- Radial velocity: depends on t for objects submitted to gravitational perturbations
- Period
- Associated products: time series of e.g. a spectrum or an image

From the use-cases' description, two categories of features are provided or foreseen by the projects, the results from the analysis of the observed or simulated data for sources on one side, expressed as physical measures and classification results like types, status, etc. and extra information provided for interpretation purpose on the other side and expressed as *associated data*. Features in each project are measures provided as numerical values or classification tags exposed as numbers or simple strings. They are the source *parameters* astronomers will investigate for their science. They are usually described in astronomical catalogs by columns description in a table. The source instances recorded by the projects feed the rows of such tables. VOTable has been till today the format of choice to distribute such data.

Associated data are generally science ready dataproducts either from the same project, or shared by other projects within the IVOA interoperability framework. They bring a complement of information to interpret the source's parameters under study and compare visually (or computationnaly) the sky neighbourhood of detected sources, their variation through time or spectral behaviour. Referencing such datasets by a URI or by a service endpoint already works for existing VO products. (It has been promoted

and recommended in Obscore / Spectrum Dm, . etc for access URIs, and DataLink for service endpoints). Associated data can also present a complex structure designed to bring a very advanced context of interpretation (CTA model assumptions, energy model for Xray sources, etc.) which need to be described in the attachement.

Table 1 summarizes the features and related quantities exposed in the various use-cases. The two categories clearly show up.

Quantity/ Survey	Ga	Eu	Ex	MCS	Ch	Vi	Al	Xm	TD
identifier	p	P	P		P	P	P		P
position	p	P	P		P	P	P		P
pr. motion	p						P	P	
distance	p						P		
correlation	AD	AD				AD			
extension	P		P	P	P	P	P		
rad. vel.	P					P			
redshift	P	P				P			
phot. rsft		P				P			
luminosity	P	P				P	P	P	P
date	P				P	P			P
detections	AD								
orbit			P						
type			P			P			
status						P			
orb. sys.			P						
PHA					P				
assoc. products						AD			AD

Table 1: Break up of the requested quantities: P stands for Parameter, AD for Associated Data

2.2 Requirements

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mir: can we use MANGO DM all along the requirement section instead of MANGO?

2.2.1 R01: Supported Quantities

- MANGO must provide unique source identifiers.
- MANGO must provide modeling classes for both parameters and associated data.
- The number of parameters attached to a MANGO instance must be free.
- The number of associated data attached to a MANGO instance must be free.

2.2.2 R02: Parameters

The concept of "Parameter" matches the concept of measure of the Meas model. MANGO may support Parameter classes that are not Meas classes though.

- MANGO must support explicit classes imported from an IVOA data-model for the most used parameters.
- MANGO must provide a generic way to support parameters that do not enter the above category.
- MANGO instances must support multiple instances of the same parameter class.
- The presence of any parameter in MANGO instances must be optional.
- MANGO must provide a way to identify the role of each parameter.
- The role of each parameter should be machine-readable.
- Each parameter must be possibly tagged by a timestamp or a flag. The meaning of this flag is not part of MANGO, but MANGO must provide a way to describe it.

2.2.3 R03: Associated Data

The notion of associated data relates to any sort of complex data. This can be a pointer to a service or a data set, a data table or other data structure.

- MANGO must support references to external datasets.
- MANGO must support references to external services.
- MANGO must support references to other MANGO instances.
- MANGO must support references to instances of models serialized in VO-DML.
- MANGO instances must support multiple instances of the same associated data class.
- The presence of any associated data in MANGO instances must be optional.
- MANGO must provide a way to identify the role of each associated data in order to explain which purpose is served when associating this data to the source object.
- The role of each associated data should be machine-readable.

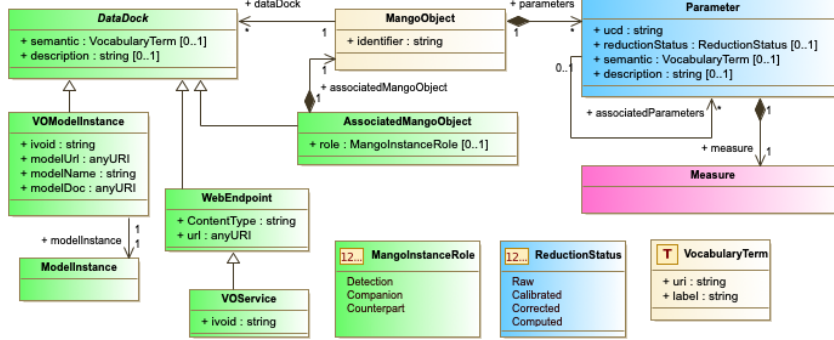


Figure 2: MANGO overview

3 Model Overview

Sky objects are represented by instances of the class `mangoInstance` which has only one mandatory attribute, the source `identifier`. It is recommended the identifiers to be unique within a source collection e.g. a catalog.

The `mangoInstance` is a dock for all source parameters and for all data associated to that source. The pattern of either parameters or associated data attached to a source is not specified by the model. It depends of the database on which the model is applied.

The `mangoInstance` has one connector for the parameters, the `parameters` relation, and another for the associatedData, the `associatedData` relations. Both connectors have an open-ended cardinality.

Each source parameter is hooked to the `mangoInstance` by a wrapping class (`Parameter`) that contains anything necessary to identify its nature and role. Parameters can be linked together to represent logical parameter sets. These logical sets have no semantic. Their interpretation is in charge of the clients.

Each associated data or data pointer is hooked to the `mangoInstance` by a wrapping class (`AssociatedData`) that contains anything necessary to identify its nature and its role.

3.1 Parameters

`Parameter` connectors are used to bind measures with the source. A parameter is composed by some semantic tags and one measure, instance of `Measure`. `Measure` is an abstract class imported from `meas` model. Concrete classes referenced by a parameter are either `meas` built-in classes or `Measure` sub-classes being part of Mango.

3.1.1 Parameters Identification

As the parameter set attached to a particular instance is not defined by Mango, the model must provide an accurate parameter description to allow the client to figure out what it can do with each of them. Mango provides 5 description levels for each parameter:

- **Measure class (vodml type):** The most current measures are represented by specific **Measure** sub-classes. Knowing that class tell the clients how to interpret the corresponding measure but does help to get its role e.g. a position can be either a source position or a pointing direction. Furthermore, unusual measures e.g. magnetic field, are represented by **GenericMeasure** . In that case, the vodml type does not help at all.
- **UCD:** A valid UCD must be attached to each parameter. Mango provides a UCD space for each **Measure** sub-class . UCDs used for specific measures must be compliant with table 2. For generic measures, the UCD choice is in charge of the data provider. In any cases, the consistence between UCDs and measure is the responsibility of the data provider.

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TBC phys.luminosity vs phot.flux
- **Reduction status (model enumeration):** A reduction level of the parameter (e.g. a parameter can be calibrated or not or it can be a computed qualifier) may be attached to the parameter.
- **Semantic:** A reference to a valid vocabulary word may be attached to each parameter. The choice of that vocabulary is totally free as long as it is published.
- **Description:** A free text description may be attached to each parameter.

3.1.2 Measure Extension

All **Measure** classes are built upon the same pattern (see Fig 3). The value(s) **Measure** object is carried by a **Coordinate** object. The coordinate is attached to a system (**CoordSys** class). The system has two components : 1) the space (**CoordSpace** class) that describes the axis and 2) the frame (**CoordFrame** class). Parameters in MANGO data model are based on this pattern. Native **Measure** classes are used whenever possible. Others Parameters are built by extending this class as shown in figure 3). These extended classes are part of MANGO.

Parameter	Original model	UCDs 1+ first word
Position	Measure	pos
Velocity	Measure	phys.veloc
Proper motion	Measure	pos.pm
Time	Measure	time.epoch
Polarization	Measure	phys.polarization
SphericalSkyPosition	MANGO	pos.eq
ObjectType	MANGO	src.class
Redshift	MANGO	src.redshift
Luminosity	MANGO	phot.qqqchose
HardnessRatio	MANGO	phot.flux;arith.ratio
Shape	MANGO	phys.area
Flag	MANGO	meta.code
Orbit	MANGO	src.orbital
Temperature	MANGO	phys.temperature
GenericMeasure	Measure	Appropriate physical UCD

Table 2: UCDs to be set for the supported parameters

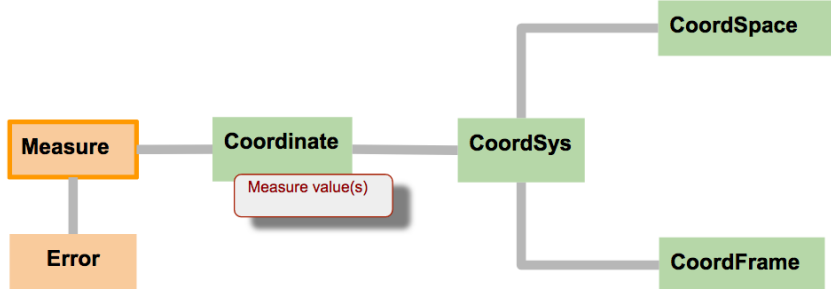


Figure 3: Measure/Coordinate pattern (simplified view)

3.2 Associated Data

AssociatedData connectors are used to bind any sort of complex data with the source. One connector can only refer to one dataset.

Associated data can be either URIs (VO services or not), other mango instances or reference to instances of other VO models (e.g. Obscore, Provenance...).

3.2.1 AssociatedData Identification

As the associated data set attached to a particular instance is not defined by Mango, the model must provide an accurate parameter description to allow the client to figure out what it can do with each of them. Mango provides 3 description levels for each category of associated data:

- **Data class (vodml type):** Knowing the class representing associated data tells the clients how to interpret it but does help to get its role.
- **Semantic:** A reference to a valid vocabulary word may be attached to each associated data set. The choice of that vocabulary is totally free as long as it is published.
- **Description:** A free text description may be attached to each associated data .

3.2.2 Associated Model Instances

The way to attach VO model instances to MANGO sources is very specific in a sense of that Mango gives the model reference by tells nothing about the way import the instance. The model of associated instances must be available as a vodml file. The `ModelInstance` is an empty class without sub classes.

We assumes that the serialization mechanism is enable to replace the `ModelInstance` instance with an actual instance of the model. An example in given in appendix xx.

4 Model: mango

Data model based on components and data association for source data

4.1 AssociatedMangoObject

Reference to another MANGO instance that is part of the associated data.

4.1.1 AssociatedMangoObject.role

vodml-id: AssociatedMangoObject.role

type: mango:MangoInstanceRole

multiplicity: 0..1

Role of the associated Mango Source

4.1.2 AssociatedMangoObject.associatedMangoObject

vodml-id: AssociatedMangoObject.associatedMangoObject

type: mango:MangoObject

multiplicity: 1

Composition link pointing on one cab_msd instance associated with the source.

4.2 DataDock (Abstract)

Abstract reference to a particular dataset associated to the Source. These data set have a life cycle different from the this of the Mango object. This class is used to specify the type of the dataset as well as its role.

4.2.1 DataDock.semantic

vodml-id: DataDock.semantic

type: mango:stcextend.VocabularyTerm

multiplicity: 0..1

Optional vocabulary term giving a standard description of the associated data. This term does not necessary relate to a VO vocabulary e.g. UAT.

4.2.2 DataDock.description

vodml-id: DataDock.description

type: ivoa:string

multiplicity: 0..1

Free text description of the associated data

4.3 MangoObject

Root class of the model. Mango instance are meant to be Source instances. A source has an identifier and two sets of hooks either for parameters or for associated data.

4.3.1 MangoObject.identifier

vodml-id: MangoObject.identifier

type: ivoa:string

multiplicity: 1

Unique identifier for a Source. The uniqueness of that identifier is not managed by the model. The format is free.

4.3.2 MangoObject.parameters

vodml-id: MangoObject.parameters

type: mango:Parameter

multiplicity: 0..*

Composition link pointing on all parameters attached to the source.

4.3.3 MangoObject.dataDock

vodml-id: MangoObject.dataDock

type: mango:DataDock

multiplicity: 0..*

Link pointing on all data associated with the source. This is an association because associated data have likely their proper live cycles.

4.4 ModellInstance

Placeholder for the mapping block of the model instance

4.5 Parameter

Reference to a particular measure of the Source. This class is used to specify the type of the measure as well as its role.

constraint

detail: Parameter.One association at the time

4.5.1 `Parameter.ucd`

vodml-id: `Parameter.ucd`

type: `ivoa:string`

multiplicity: 1

UCD1+ giving the type of the physical measure. The model defines a UCD space for each Measure class.

4.5.2 `Parameter.reductionStatus`

vodml-id: `Parameter.reductionStatus`

type: `mango:ReductionStatus`

multiplicity: 0..1

Reduction status of the Measure carried by the Parameter.

4.5.3 `Parameter.semantic`

vodml-id: `Parameter.semantic`

type: `mango:stcextend.VocabularyTerm`

multiplicity: 0..1

Optional vocabulary term giving a standard description of the Parameter. This term does not necessary relate to a VO vocabulary e.g. UAT.

4.5.4 `Parameter.description`

vodml-id: `Parameter.description`

type: `ivoa:string`

multiplicity: 0..1

Free text description of the measure.

4.5.5 `Parameter.measure`

vodml-id: `Parameter.measure`

type: `meas:Measure`

multiplicity: 1

Reference to the `meas:Measure` subclass instance carrying the Parameter value(s)

4.5.6 `Parameter.associatedParameters`

vodml-id: `Parameter.associatedParameters`

type: `mango:Parameter`

multiplicity: 0..*

This relation allows to build logical sets of parameters e.g. associating a flag with a position. Such parameter sets have no particular semantic.

4.6 VOModelInstance

Reference to a VO model instance that is part of the associated data.

4.6.1 VOModelInstance.void

vodml-id: VOModelInstance.void

type: ivoa:string

multiplicity: 1

VO-DML id of the referenced model

4.6.2 VOModelInstance.modelUrl

vodml-id: VOModelInstance.modelUrl

type: ivoa:anyURI

multiplicity: 1

URL on the VO-DML model

4.6.3 VOModelInstance.modelName

vodml-id: VOModelInstance.modelName

type: ivoa:string

multiplicity: 1

Name of the referenced model

4.6.4 VOModelInstance.modelDoc

vodml-id: VOModelInstance.modelDoc

type: ivoa:anyURI

multiplicity: 1

Documentation URL of the model

4.6.5 VOModelInstance.modelInstance

vodml-id: VOModelInstance.modelInstance

type: mango:ModelInstance

multiplicity: 1

Link pointing on one VO instance instance associated with the source. This is an association because associated instances have likely their proper live cycles

4.7 VOService

Class for associated data referenced by a fixed URL that is a VO service.

4.7.1 VOService.void

vodml-id: VOService.void

type: ivoa:string

multiplicity: 1

IVOA id of the service (for example in the registry)

4.8 WebEndpoint

Class for associated data referenced by an URL

4.8.1 WebEndpoint.ContentType

vodml-id: WebEndpoint.ContentType

type: ivoa:string

multiplicity: 1

Mime type of the URL

4.8.2 WebEndpoint.url

vodml-id: WebEndpoint.url

type: ivoa:anyURI

multiplicity: 1

Web endpoint

4.9 MangoInstanceRole

Enumeration of the possible roles of associated Mango Instances

Enumeration Literals

Detection : **vodml-id:** MangoInstanceRole.Detection

description: The associated Mango instance is another detection of the same object

Companion : **vodml-id:** MangoInstanceRole.Companion

description: The associated Mango instance is a companion object e.g. binary star

Counterpart : **vodml-id:** MangoInstanceRole.Counterpart

description: The associated Mango instance is a source counterpart taken out of another dataset e.g cross-match result

4.10 ReductionStatus

Enumeration of the possible reduction status of a parameter

Enumeration Literals

Raw : **vodml-id:** ReductionStatus.Raw

description: The parameter carry a raw value

Calibrated : **vodml-id:** ReductionStatus.Calibrated

description: The parameter value is calibrated

Corrected : **vodml-id:** ReductionStatus.Corrected

description: The parameter value has been corrected this the reduction software. The operation usually comes after the calibration process e.g. adding a systematic error.

Computed : **vodml-id:** ReductionStatus.Computed

description: The parameter value has been computed. It is not directly derived from the raw data e.g. detection flag

5 Package: stcextend

This package contains all object and type classes that has been extended from the Measure and Coordinates datamodels. This extension mechanism is used to add new types of measures while staying within the Mes/Coords pattern.

5.1 Flag

Measure to be used for status parameters

5.1.1 Flag.coord

vodml-id: stcextend.Flag.coord
type: mango:stcextend.FlagCoord
multiplicity: 1
Coordinate holding the status value

5.2 FlagCoord

Coordinate of a status Measure

subset
role: coords:Coordinate.coordSys
type: FlagSys

5.2.1 FlagCoord.status

vodml-id: stcextend.FlagCoord.status
type: ivoa:integer
multiplicity: 1
Value of the status

5.3 FlagState

Possible value of a status

5.3.1 FlagState.value

vodml-id: stcextend.FlagState.value
type: ivoa:integer
multiplicity: 1
Status value

5.3.2 FlagState.label

vodml-id: stcextend.FlagState.label

type: ivoa:string

multiplicity: 1

Label attached to that status value

5.4 FlagSys

Coordinate system to be used for statur measures.

5.4.1 FlagSys.statusLabel

vodml-id: stcextend.FlagSys.statusLabel

type: mango:stcextend.FlagState

multiplicity: 0..*

Composition link to all possible status values for this system

5.5 HRFrame

Hardness ratio frame. Defined by 2 energy bands Ehigh ELow. $HR = (E_{high} - E_{low}) / (E_{high} + E_{low})$ Energy bands are deemed to special photometric filters

5.5.1 HRFrame.low

vodml-id: stcextend.HRFrame.low

type: mango:stcextend.PhotFilter

multiplicity: 1

Low energy band

5.5.2 HRFrame.high

vodml-id: stcextend.HRFrame.high

type: mango:stcextend.PhotFilter

multiplicity: 1

High energy band

5.6 HardnessRatio

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.6.1 HardnessRatio.coord

vodml-id: stcextend.HardnessRatio.coord

type: mango:stcextend.HardnessRatioCoord

multiplicity: 1

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.7 HardnessRatioCoord

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

subset

role: coords:Coordinate.coordSys

type: mango:HardnessRatioSys

5.7.1 HardnessRatioCoord.hardnessRatio

vodml-id: stcextend.HardnessRatioCoord.hardnessRatio

type: ivoa:real

multiplicity: 1

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.8 HardnessRatioSys

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

subset

role: coords:PhysicalCoordSys.frame

type: mango:HRFrame

5.9 LonLatCoordSys

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

subset

role: coords:PhysicalCoordSys.frame

type: coords:SpaceFrame

constraint

detail: LonLatCoordSys.coordSpace[0]

5.10 LonLatPoint

Coordinate of a point on the sky sphere expressed in spherical coordinates.

subset

role: coords:Coordinate.coordSys

type: mango:LonLatCoordSys

5.10.1 LonLatPoint.longitude

vodml-id: stcextend.LonLatPoint.longitude

type: ivoa:real

multiplicity: 1

longitude of the point

5.10.2 LonLatPoint.latitude

vodml-id: stcextend.LonLatPoint.latitude

type: ivoa:real

multiplicity: 1

Latitude of the point

5.11 LonLatSkyPosition

Measure to used for sky points expressed with a spherical coordinate system

5.11.1 LonLatSkyPosition.coord

vodml-id: stcextend.LonLatSkyPosition.coord

type: mango:stcextend.LonLatPoint

multiplicity: 1

Coordinate of spherical sky position

5.12 ObjectType

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.12.1 ObjectType.coord

vodml-id: stcextend.ObjectType.coord

type: mango:stcextend.OrbitCoord

multiplicity: 1

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.13 ObjectTypeCoord

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

subset

role: coords:Coordinate.coordSys

type: ObjectTypeSys

5.13.1 ObjectTypeCoord.objectType

vodml-id: stcextend.ObjectTypeCoord.objectType

type: ivoa:string

multiplicity: 1

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.14 ObjectTypeSys

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.15 Orbit

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.15.1 Orbit.coord

vodml-id: stcextend.Orbit.coord

type: mango:stcextend.OrbitCoord

multiplicity: 1

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.16 OrbitCoord

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

subset

role: coords:Coordinate.coordSys

type: coords:SpaceSys

5.17 PhotFilter

Photometric filter description, compliant with photDM

5.17.1 PhotFilter.name

vodml-id: stcextend.PhotFilter.name

type: ivoa:string

multiplicity: 1

Filter name

5.17.2 PhotFilter.zeroPointFlux

vodml-id: stcextend.PhotFilter.zeroPointFlux

type: ivoa:real

multiplicity: 1

Zero point flux of the filter

5.17.3 PhotFilter.magnitudeSystem

vodml-id: stcextend.PhotFilter.magnitudeSystem

type: ivoa:string

multiplicity: 1

Magnitude system used by the filter

5.17.4 PhotFilter.effectiveWavelength

vodml-id: stcextend.PhotFilter.effectiveWavelength

type: ivoa:real

multiplicity: 1

Effective wavelength of the filter

5.17.5 PhotFilter.unit

vodml-id: stcextend.PhotFilter.unit

type: ivoa:Unit

multiplicity: 1

Wavelength unit used for that filter

5.17.6 PhotFilter.bandWidth

vodml-id: stcextend.PhotFilter.bandWidth

type: ivoa:real

multiplicity: 1

Band width of the filter

5.18 Photometry

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.18.1 Photometry.coord

vodml-id: stcextend.Photometry.coord

type: mango:stcextend.PhotometryCoord

multiplicity: 1

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.19 PhotometryCoord

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

subset

role: coords:Coordinate.coordSys

type: PhotometryCoordSys

5.19.1 PhotometryCoord.luminosity

vodml-id: stcextend.PhotometryCoord.luminosity

type: ivoa:real

multiplicity: 1

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.20 PhotometryCoordSys

TBC with photDM

subset

role: coords:PhysicalCoordSys.frame

type: mango:PhotFilter

5.21 Redshift

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.21.1 Redshift.coord

vodml-id: stcextend.Redshift.coord

type: mango:stcextend.RedshiftCoord

multiplicity: 1

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.22 RedshiftCoord

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

subset

role: coords:Coordinate.coordSys

type: RedshiftSys

5.22.1 RedshiftCoord.redshift

vodml-id: stcextend.RedshiftCoord.redshift

type: ivoa:real

multiplicity: 1

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.23 RedshiftSys

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.24 Shape

Measure giving the shape of a source

5.24.1 Shape.coord

vodml-id: stcextend.Shape.coord

type: mango:stcextend.ShapeCoord

multiplicity: 1

String serialization of the source shape

5.25 ShapeCoord

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

subset

role: coords:Coordinate.coordSys

type: ShapeSys

5.25.1 ShapeCoord.shape

vodml-id: stcextend.ShapeCoord.shape

type: ivoa:string

multiplicity: 1

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.26 ShapeSys

Coordinate system to be used for shape measure

5.26.1 ShapeSys.shapeFrame

vodml-id: stcextend.ShapeSys.shapeFrame

type: mango:stcextend.ShapeFrame

multiplicity: 1

Frame of the shape measure. Gives a enumeration of the supported serializations.

5.27 Temperature

TBC

5.27.1 Temperature.coord

vodml-id: stcextend.Temperature.coord

type: ivoa:string

multiplicity: 1

TODO : Missing description : please, update your UML model asap.

5.28 VocabularyTerm

Datatype for vocabulary word. Provides a pointer to the word description and a label.

5.28.1 VocabularyTerm.uri

vodml-id: stcextend.VocabularyTerm.uri

type: ivoa:string

multiplicity: 1

URI extarcted from the DRF document and refering ot the word

5.28.2 VocabularyTerm.label

vodml-id: stcextend.VocabularyTerm.label

type: ivoa:string

multiplicity: 1

RDF label. Matched the URL fragment for IVOA vocabularies

5.29 ShapeFrame

Enumeration of the possible options to encode a shape in a string.

Enumeration Literals

MOC : **vodml-id:** stcextend.ShapeFrame.MOC

description: MOC serialization

STCs : **vodml-id:** stcextend.ShapeFrame.STCs

description: STCs serialization

6 TAP and MANGO

This not normative section gives possible tips to save and discover MANGO instances in TAP services. We suppose that the TAP service hosts catalogs which sources are MANGO instances. These catalogs are named *MANGO Catalogs*.

6.1 Storing MANGO Catalogs in TAP

For now this section only concerns the parameter. The associated data will be taken into account later.

- One master table for the catalogs with various meta-data out of the MANGO scope plus a unique identifier (primary key)
- One master sources table for the source instances with the catalog identifier and a primary key safer than the MANGO identifier.
- One table for each supported parameter with a foreign key for the join with the master source table

Although the model of the measures is hierarchical, it should be possible to flatten them in one single table considering that the model structure can be retrieved with the TAP_SCHEMA annotations (TBC)

This schema requires the server to explore all the parameter tables to retrieve whole MANGO instances. This process can be speed up by using the *MANGOCore* table.

6.2 MANGOCore Table

The discovery of *MANGO Catalogs* can be helped by a *MANGOCore* table located in the *schema* schema. As MANGO is not dedicated to any specific domain, we cannot define a set of core parameters, but parameters can be flagged as *Core Parameter*. This selection is left at the discretion of the curator. The *MANGOCore* table has set of columns per parameter class plus one for the catalog ID. It has one row per stored catalog. Each parameter has at least 2 columns: one with the UCD and one with the *Core* flag. TBC

A Imported Models Instance

B Changes from Previous Versions

No previous versions yet.

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