

The Data Analytics Framework for XDMoD



Introduction

- The US National Science Foundation (NSF) invests in a cyberinfrastructure (CI) ecosystem
- A major component of this is the Advanced Cyberinfrastructure Coordination Ecosystem: Services & Support (ACCESS) program
- Comprehensive instrumentation, monitoring, measurement, and reporting of ACCESS are essential
- The ACCESS Metrics team provides this service for ACCESS and other NSF programs, e.g., Campus Cyberinfrastructure (CC*) and Cyberinfrastructure for Sustained Scientific Innovation (CSSI)
- Extension of successful Technology Audit Service (TAS) and XD Metrics Service (XMS) programs that monitored NSF Extreme Science and Engineering Discovery Environment (XSEDE)

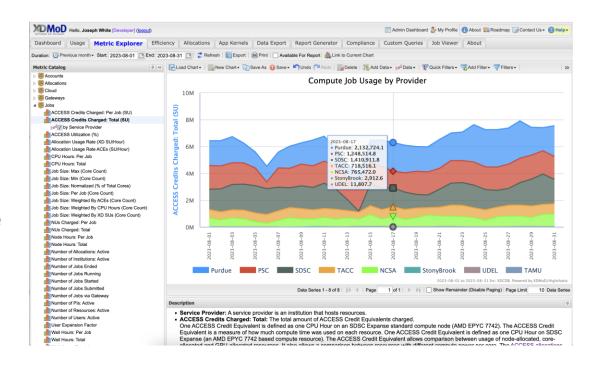






Open XDMoD

- Software developed and used by ACCESS Metrics team
- Web-based portal for data exploration, visualization, and export
- Role-based views for various CI stakeholders
- ACCESS XDMoD has historical usage data from NSF TeraGrid, XSEDE, and ACCESS programs
- Open XDMoD also has 400+ known installations at CI centers









Motivation

- Open XDMoD is a well-established tool, but limited
- Charting is limited (e.g., no histograms, scatter plots, maps)
- Existing Report Generator has limited customization options
- Workload analyses benefit from data, but must circumvent portal and use external analysis tools
- Customization of portal requires extensive knowledge of software and time to run data pipelines
- Existing export capability is slow (daily batch job)

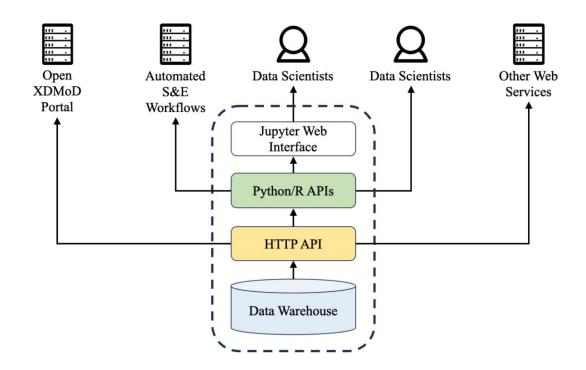






Design goals

- Data Analytics Framework for programmatic access to data in Open XDMoD
- Simple, documented, stable, versioned Application Program Interfaces (APIs) in HTTP, Python, and R
- Jupyter notebooks for documentation, training materials, and templates for analysis and reporting









Python API

- Request data, load into Pandas data frames
- pip install xdmod-data
- Consistent functionality and terminology with Open XDMoD portal
- Version 1.0.0 released July 2023
- Compatible with Open XDMoD ≥10.5.0

```
data = data_warehouse.get_data(
 duration=('2023-01-01', '2023-04-30'),
realm='Jobs',
metric='CPU Hours: Total',
 dimension='Field of Science',
filters={'Resource': 'Expanse GPU'},
 dataset type='timeseries',
 aggregation_unit='Day'
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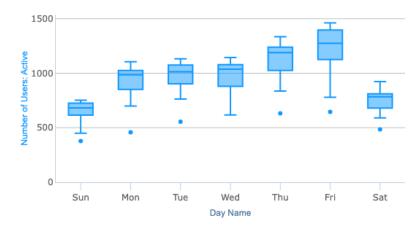






Example Jupyter notebooks

- GitHub repository: https://github.com/ubccr/xdmod-notebooks
- Instructions for running via Anaconda or Docker
- Used in PEARC23 tutorial
- XDMoD-Data-First-Example.ipynb:
 - Get data, make plots similar to what you can make in portal, make plots you cannot make in portal
- XDMoD-Data-Raw-Data-Example.ipynb:
 - Get raw data, group, filter, and plot
- XDMoD-Data-Machine-Learning-Example.ipynb:
 - · Get raw data, run random forest regression model



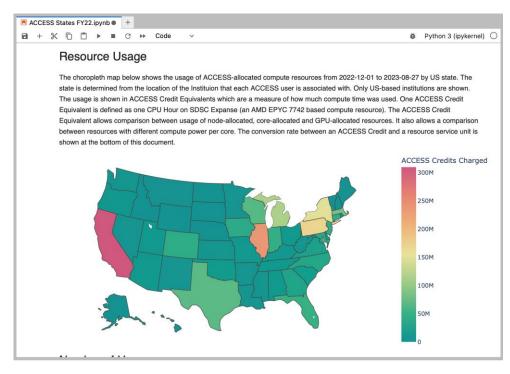






Case study #1

- Usage of ACCESS-allocated resources by US state over nine-month period
- Use Python API to fetch data from Jobs realm of ACCESS XDMoD
 - Metrics:
 - Number of ACCESS credits charged
 - Number of active users
 - Number of active institutions
 - Group by *User State*
 - Filter by User Country: United States
- Join data from other sources
 - EPSCoR jurisdictions
 - State populations
- Create Markdown tables and choropleth plots





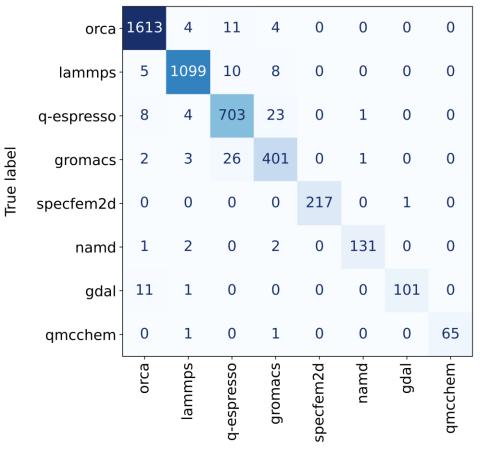




Case study #2

- Machine learning random forest classification
- Predict software application given characteristics of compute job
- Use Python API to fetch raw data from Job Performance (SUPReMM) realm of ACCESS XDMoD
- Predictors: CPU User, Wall Time, Total memory used, Net Ib0 Rx, Net Ib0 Tx, CPU User cov, Memory Used Cov, Net Ib0 Rx Cov, Net Ib0 Tx Cov
- Filter top 8 applications over 2-month period
- Use scikit-learn
- 40,134 training rows, 4,460 test rows
- Out-of-bag accuracy: 97%

Confusion matrix



Predicted label







Future plans

- Workload and utilization analyses
- Regular software updates in tandem with Open XDMoD
- Improved performance of retrieving raw data (esp. in the *Jobs* realm)
- Improved consistency and simplicity of API
- Improved options for filtering data
- Improved R support
- Hosted Jupyter notebooks (no need to install software)
- Additional outreach







Contributions welcome

- GitHub Pull Requests
 - Example Jupyter Notebooks:
 https://github.com/ubccr/xdmod-notebooks
 - xdmod-data Python API: https://github.com/ubccr/xdmod-data
 - Open XDMoD: https://github.com/ubccr/xdmod







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