SEDM: pipelines and database



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DATA SYSTEM





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SEDM DATA FLOW



- 1. Targets assignment and priorities
- 2. Scheduling
- 3. Observation
- 4. Data reduction and calibrations
- 5. Data access
- 6. + Quality assessment



Data distribution reduction

Data

FOLLOW-UP ASSIGNMENT



iPTF •

- Assignment using the marshal
- Human-based / biased
- ~10 targets / night (iPTF usage only)
- ZTF •
 - Human?
 - Automatic (mag)? Filters?
 - Priorities?
 - By programme? (fast/slow transients, SN Ia, etc...)

(see discussion later)

SCHEDULING

Data distribution

Data

reduction

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Scheduling

Targets reque

• iPTF

- Automatic scheduling of galactic, extragalactic and SSO (non-siderial)
- Selection of targets according to priority/visibility/airmass constraints

- Handling of light curve phase space (restart an observation in the right phase for variable stars)
- ToO: Interruption of long exposures for GRB/fast transients
- Track of failed observations / rescheduling
- Allocation to programmes... (see discussion).

Data

reduction

Data

distribution

OBSERVATION - REAL-TIME STATISTICS

• iPTF

- Generated every ~5 min
- Nightly performance tracking
- ZTF
 - Image quality data stored along with each exposure
 - Telescope stats stored with each exposure



Scheduling Observatio Targets request

Data

reduction

Wait 1

Minute

No

Sun

Up?

Yes

End of Night

Extract

Apply

Calib

Calibrated

Spectrum

Data

distribution

IFU DATA REDUCTION - CURRENT PIPELINE

- Calibrations: • Dome flats/Arcs
- Calculate the geometry •
- Acquire science images
- Reduce •
- Flux calibration •
- Classification •



IFU DATA REDUCTION

• iPTF

- Automatic for bright objects.
- Requires A/B pairs to remove background + scattered light for faint (<16.5 mag) objects

• ZTF

- Improvements ongoing: pysedm
- (see talk by M. Rigault/J. Nordin)







Data

distribution

PHOT DATA REDUCTION

- Calibrations
- Astrometry
- Cosmic cleaning
- Image reduction
- Zero point calibration (PS1 + SDSS)
- Magnitude determination
- (aperture + PSF diff image)



DIFF IMAGING PHOTOMETRIC PIPELINE



 FPipe - available for GRB Cam and SEDM in SDSS footprint

Observatio

Scheduling

Targets request

Data reduction Data distribution

- Based on Common
 PSF Method (Gal-Yam
 +2008)
- Current plans to extend the pipeline to include PS1 catalogs (gri)

Targets request Scheduling Observation

SPECTRA DISTRIBUTION TO THE COLLABORATION



• iPTF

• Uploaded to the marshal.

Data

reduction

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• Automatically classified

- Uploaded to SEDM DB and... A specific marshal? / Central repository?
- User notification
- Use different classifiers (SNID, SuperFIT...).
- Classification shall be shared with all groups?
- Spectra shall be shared with all groups?

PHOTOMETRY DISTRIBUTION TO THE COLLABORATION



• iPTF

• Photometry uploaded to the marshal.

- Photometry stored in local SEDM database
- Extragalactic marshal(s) DB?
- Complement Galactic / Asteroid light curves?

SEDM DATABASE

• iPTF

- Integrated with the marshal
- Scheduling and daily operations

- Integrated with (many?) marshals
- Closer control on time allocation and scheduling priorities
- QA
 - Tracking of scheduling, observation status, and image quality.
 - Anomaly triggers and alerts.
- Permissions and data access rights
- User notification

DB CONTENT



DB STATUS AND FUTURE PLANS

- DB implementation and interfaces are ready.
- Current effort in adapting the pipelines to:
 - Log each piece of information to the DB
 - Log existing data into the DB (different format!) for easier archival retrieval
- SEDM back online to test the interfaces.
- User web site under development.

SUMMARY OF RESULTS (IPTF)

- May 2016 Feb 2017 (10 months)
- 1660 science spectra taken
- 486 transient object spectra (in the marshal)
- 25-40% more classifications than previous years
- 4 -> 2.5 days latency



SCIENCE - TRANSIENTS



SCIENCE - TRANSIENTS + STARS







Thank you!

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