

# Théorie et Observatoire Virtuel

Etat de l'art 2011

- Faciliter la **découverte de ressources** dans le domaine de la modélisation et de la simulation numérique en astrophysique
  - Décrire les simulations à un niveau de détail suffisamment fin pour aider à trouver le « bon » service
- Faciliter la **recherche** des jeux de données pertinents fournis par la ressources
  - Naviguer dans les jeux de données pour trouver celui qui présente un intérêt pour l'utilisateur
- Faciliter **l'extraction** de sous-ensembles de données
  - En particulier pour les volumes importants de données
- Faciliter le **téléchargement** des jeux de données sélectionnés, éventuellement de façon asynchrone
  - En s'adaptant aux formats de données très variés en simulations

SimDM

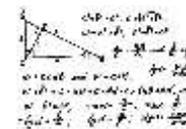
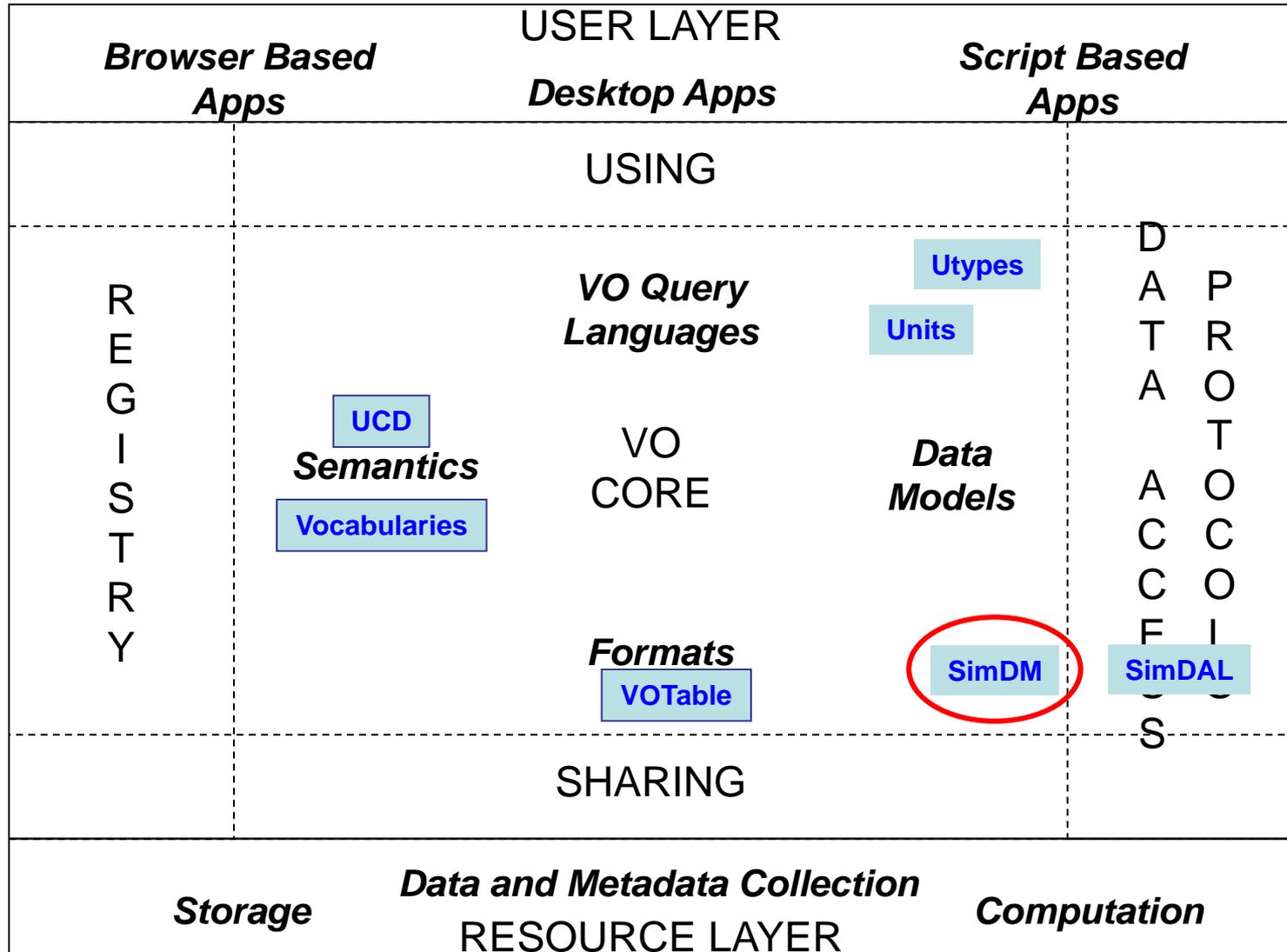
SimDAL ou SimDB

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- 2011 : une année très chargée pour le groupe Théorie
  - Standards (H. Wozniak, F. Le Petit, B. Ooghe, D. Languignon, et al.)
  - Vocabulaire pour la théorie (F. Le Petit et al.)
  - Développement de services (voir présentation de D. Languignon)
- IVOA Theory Interest Group
  - Franck Le Petit : vice-chair depuis printemps 2011
  - Hervé Wozniak : chair prolongé jusqu'au printemps 2012

- Simulation Data Model (SimDM)
  - Vocabulaire et Sémantique
- Simulation (metadata) Data Base (SimDB)
- Simulation Data Access Layer (SimDAL)



## International Virtual Observatory Alliance

IVOA Documents



### Simulation Data Model Version 1.0

IVOA Proposed Recommendation 19 October 2011

**Interest/Working Group:**

<http://www.ivoa.net/twiki/bin/view/IVOA/IvoaDataModel>

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### Recommandation :

<http://www.ivoa.net/Documents/SimDM/index.html>

- RFC du 4 mai au 12 octobre (clos)
- En cours de revue TCG depuis le 20 octobre

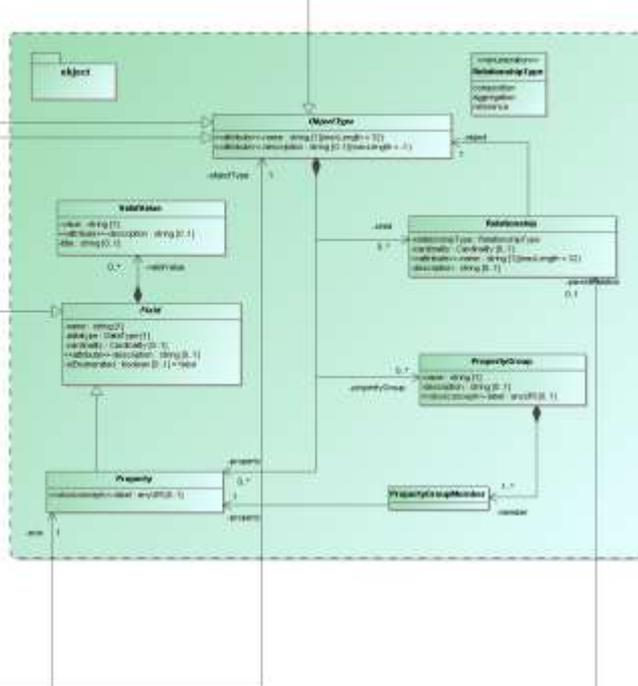
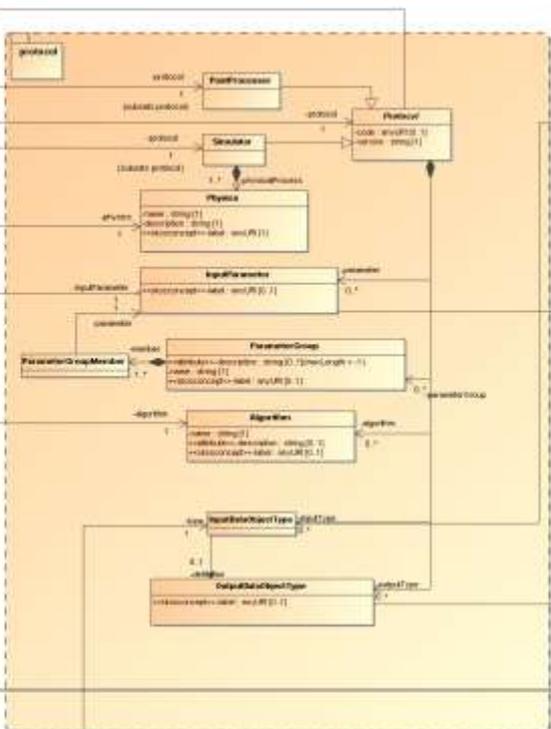
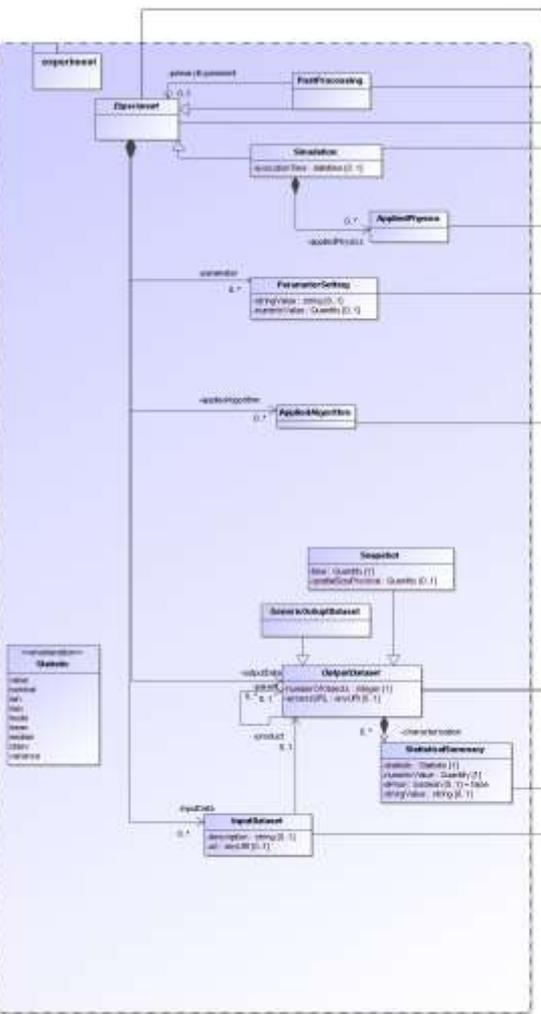
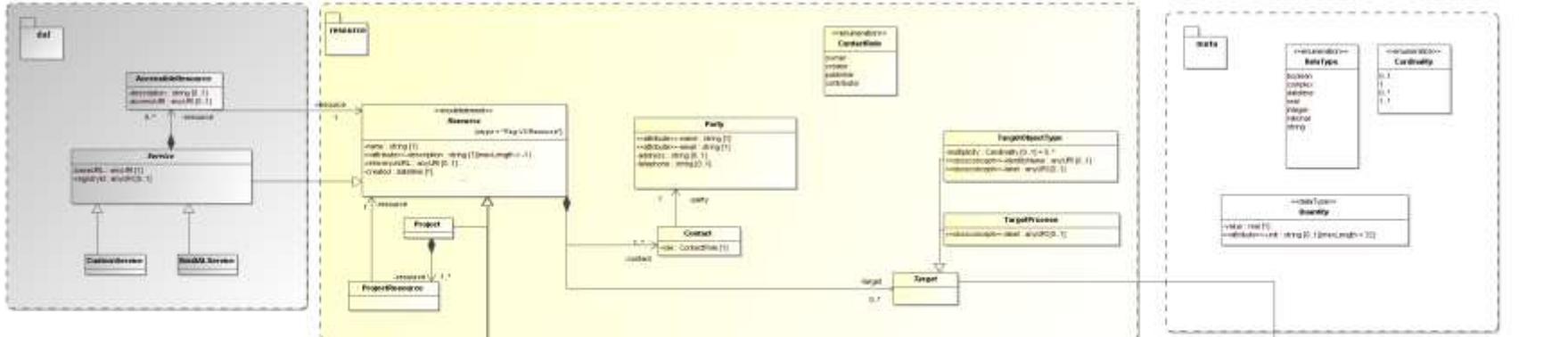
### Abstract

In this document and the accompanying documents we propose a data model (Simulation Data Model) describing numerical computer simulations of astrophysical systems. The primary goal of our proposal is to support discovery of simulations by describing those aspects of them that scientists might wish to query on, i.e. it is a model for meta-data describing simulations. This document does not propose a protocol for using this model. Two distinct IVOA protocols (SimDB and SimDAL) are in the make and both are supposed to use the model, either in its original form or in a form derived from the model proposed here, but more suited to the particular protocol. The SimDM has been developed in the IVOA Theory Interest Group with assistance of representatives of relevant working groups, in particular DM and Semantics.

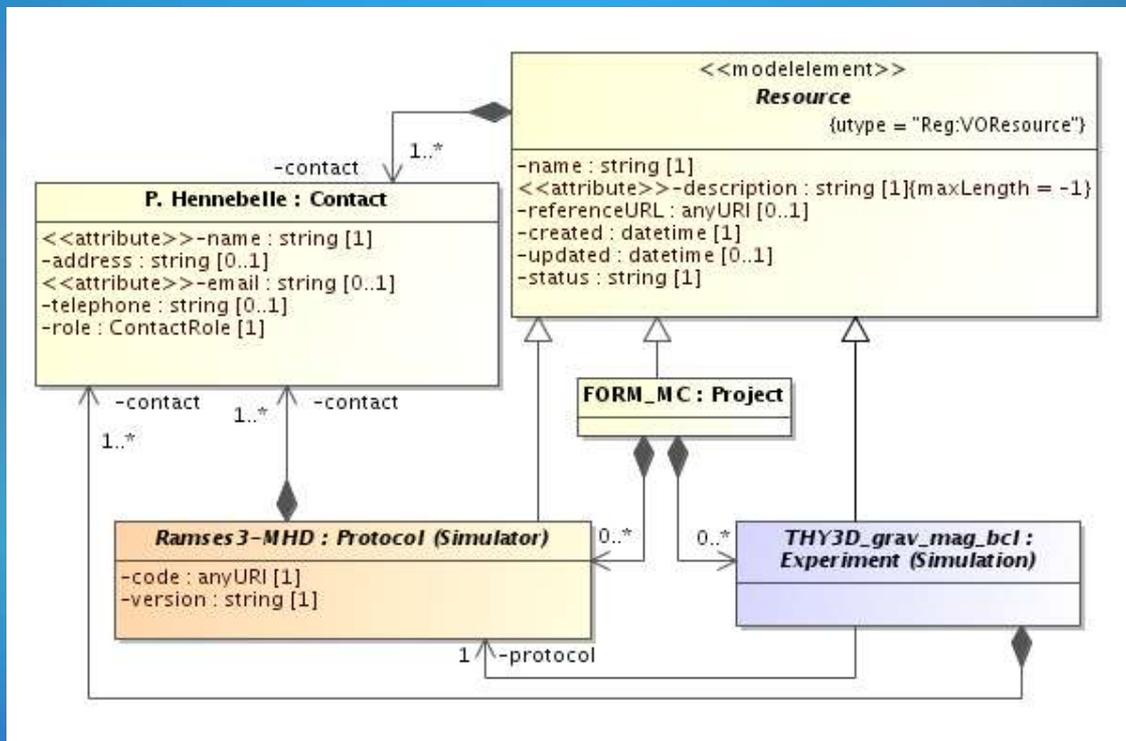
### Status of this document

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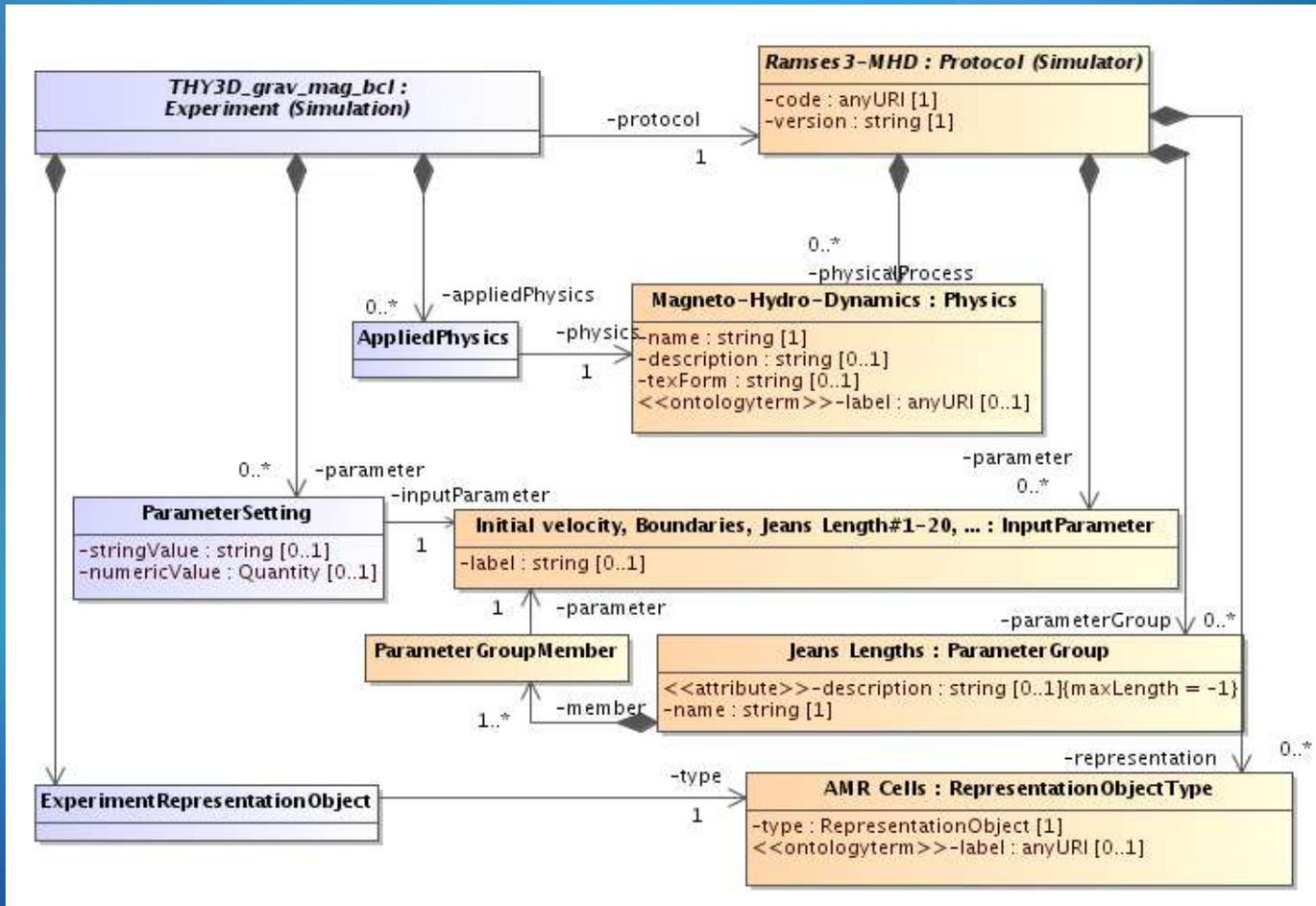
It is appropriate to reference this document only as a recommended standard that is under review and which may be changed before it is accepted as a full recommendation.



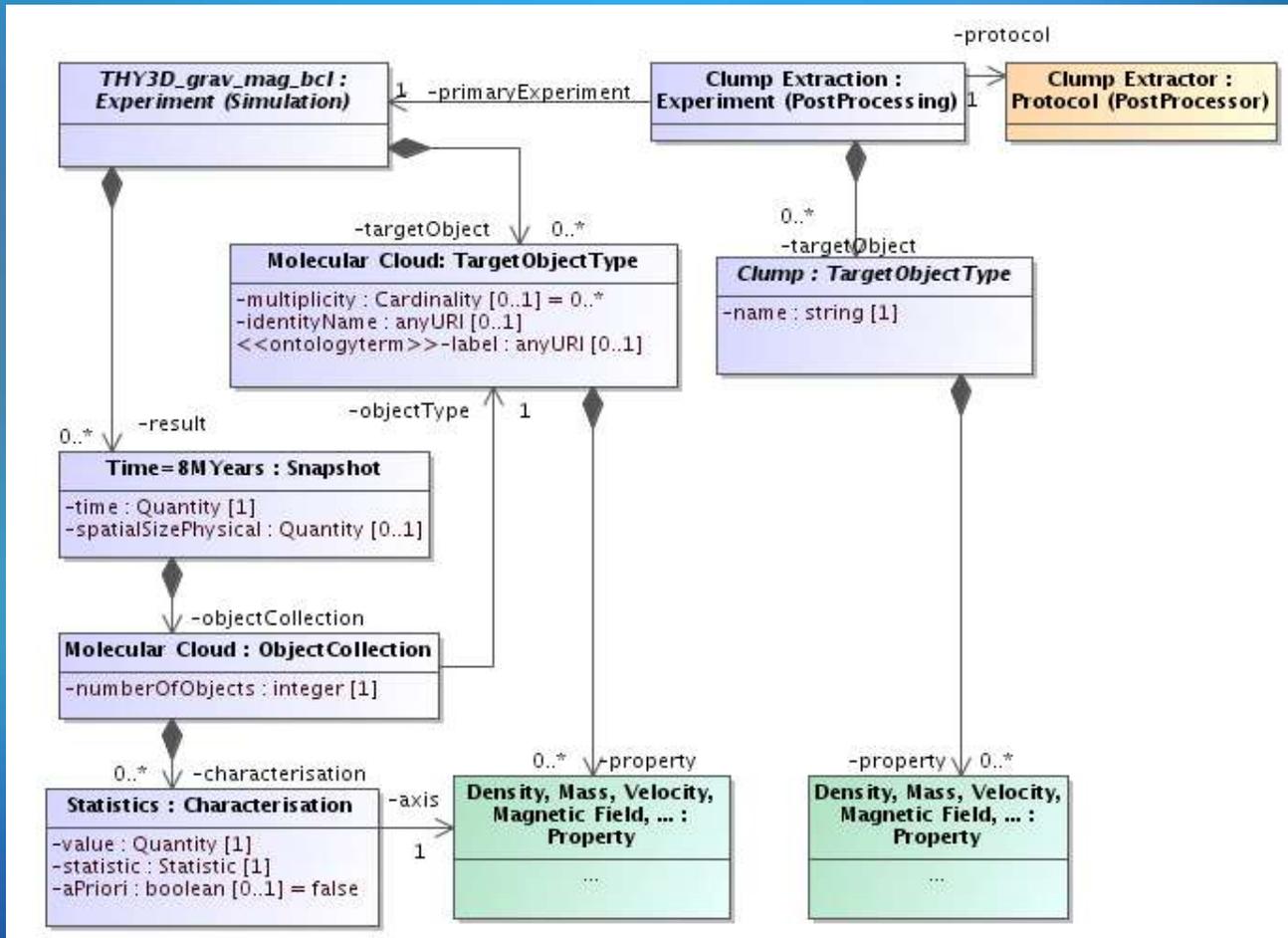
## StarFormat examples of instantiation : Projects



StarFormat examples of instantiation : Simulations and Codes



StarFormat examples of instantiation : Snapshots, Results & Statistics



# Simulation Data Model : les documents



- <http://www.ivoa.net/cgi-bin/twiki/bin/view/IVOA/IVOATheorySimDMspec>

## Simulation Data Model specification

The RFC has been opened from May 4th to June 4th. It has been prolonged until 12th of October to gather additional comments on the last 2011.09.06 version.

The TCG review is opened from Oct 20th to Nov 20th.

Page for comments during the RFC is there : <http://www.ivoa.net/cgi-bin/twiki/bin/view/IVOA/SimRFC>.

New release of this specification in the DM WG and Theory IG : discussion at [SimDMdiscussionPage](#)

This page collects all the URLs of the documents forming the specification of SimDM, the so-called Simulation Data model. This specification being still in development, most URLs point to the Volute GoogleCode project at <http://code.google.com/p/volute/source/browse/trunk/projects/theory/snapdm/specification/>. But, as soon as SimDM is recommended, it will contain all the files.

## SimDM current documents

File	Purpose	URLs
Simulation Data Model 1.0 Proposed Recommendation	The PR for the Simulation Data Model	<a href="http://www.ivoa.net/internal/IVOA/SimRFC/PR-SimulationDataModel-v.1.00-20111019.pdf">http://www.ivoa.net/internal/IVOA/SimRFC/PR-SimulationDataModel-v.1.00-20111019.pdf</a> <a href="http://www.ivoa.net/internal/IVOA/SimRFC/PR-SimulationDataModel-v.1.00-20111019.doc">http://www.ivoa.net/internal/IVOA/SimRFC/PR-SimulationDataModel-v.1.00-20111019.doc</a>
NoteImplementationSimDB_1.0-20110910.pdf	Implementation Note (examples)	pdf file
SimDM.html	Specification of the model	<a href="http://volute.googlecode.com//svn/trunk/projects/theory/snapdm/specification/html/SimDM.html">http://volute.googlecode.com//svn/trunk/projects/theory/snapdm/specification/html/SimDM.html</a>
SimDM_DM.png	Graphic view of the whole model (large image)	<a href="http://volute.googlecode.com//svn/trunk/projects/theory/snapdm/specification/uml/SimDM_DM.png">http://volute.googlecode.com//svn/trunk/projects/theory/snapdm/specification/uml/SimDM_DM.png</a>
SimDM_DM.xml	MagicDraw UML diagram serialised to XMI	<a href="http://volute.googlecode.com/svn/trunk/projects/theory/snapdm/specification/uml/SimDM_DM.xml">http://volute.googlecode.com/svn/trunk/projects/theory/snapdm/specification/uml/SimDM_DM.xml</a>
SimDM_INTERMEDIATE.xml	Intermediate representation of the model: a (generated) XML document representing the complete model in more readable format than XMI	<a href="http://volute.googlecode.com//svn/trunk/projects/theory/snapdm/specification/uml/SimDM_INTERMEDIATE.xml">http://volute.googlecode.com//svn/trunk/projects/theory/snapdm/specification/uml/SimDM_INTERMEDIATE.xml</a>
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## Implementation of the Simulation Data Model

### Version 1.0

*IVOA Note 2011 September 9<sup>th</sup>*

**This version: 1.0**

Version 1.0-20110909

**Latest version:**

<http://www.ivoa.net/Documents/latest/latest-version-name>

**Previous version(s):**

Version 1.0

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### Abstract

This document aims at providing examples of implementation of SimDM. Two VO-Theory databases are explained in details. First, the STARFORMAT database devoted to MHD simulations. Second, the PDR database devoted to 1D models of interstellar clouds. We present how the results of these simulations have been mapped on the Simulation Data Model. We also present in each case, the pipeline we used to simplify the updates of the databases each time the codes behind the simulation evolves or that new simulations have to be added in the databases. An overview of Millenium is also presented as well as a discussion presenting the relationships between S3 and a service based on SimDM.

- Consolidation des vocabulaires à utiliser avec SimDM

- <http://votheory.obspm.fr/terms>

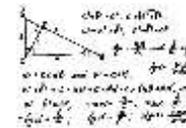
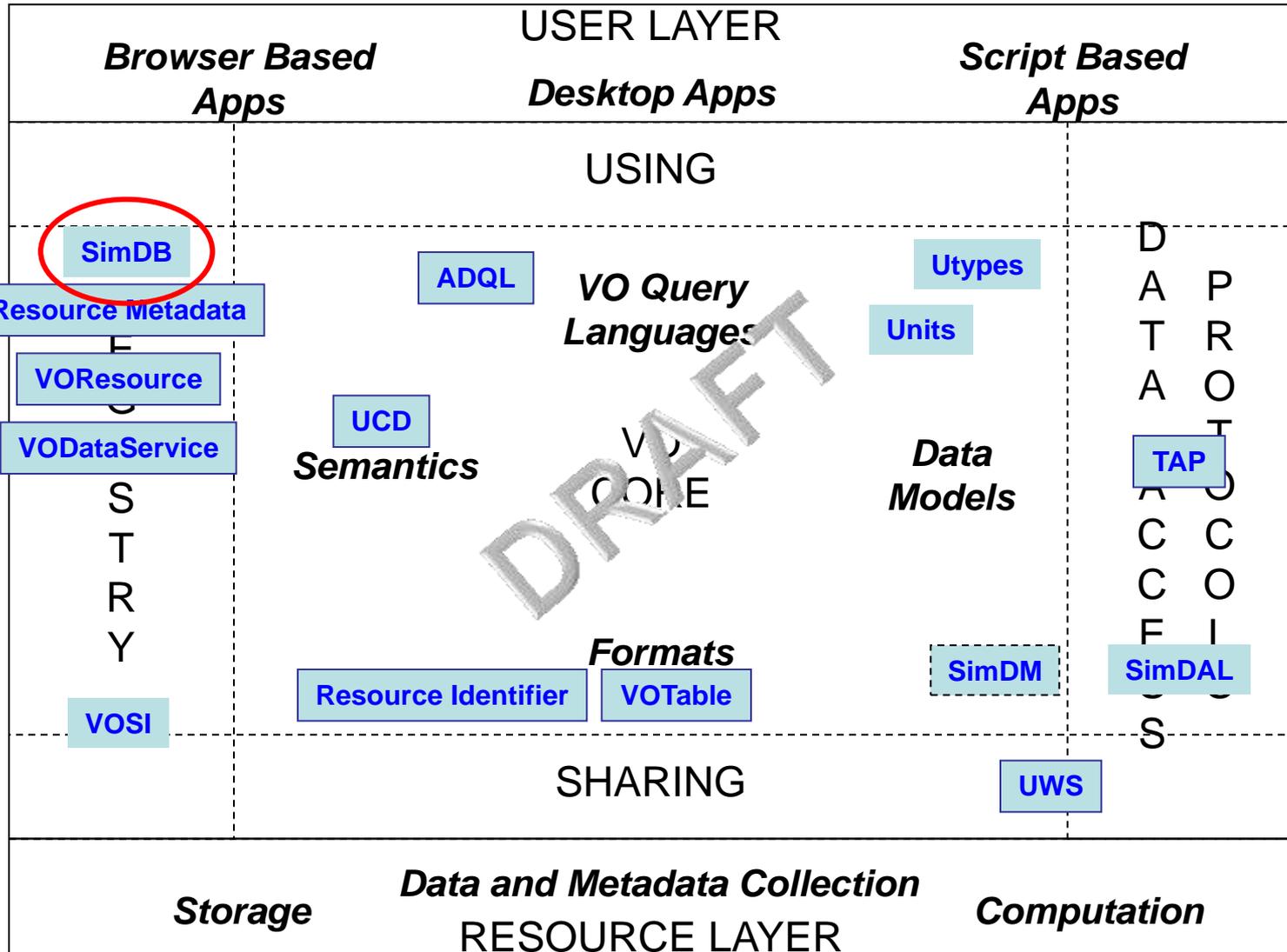
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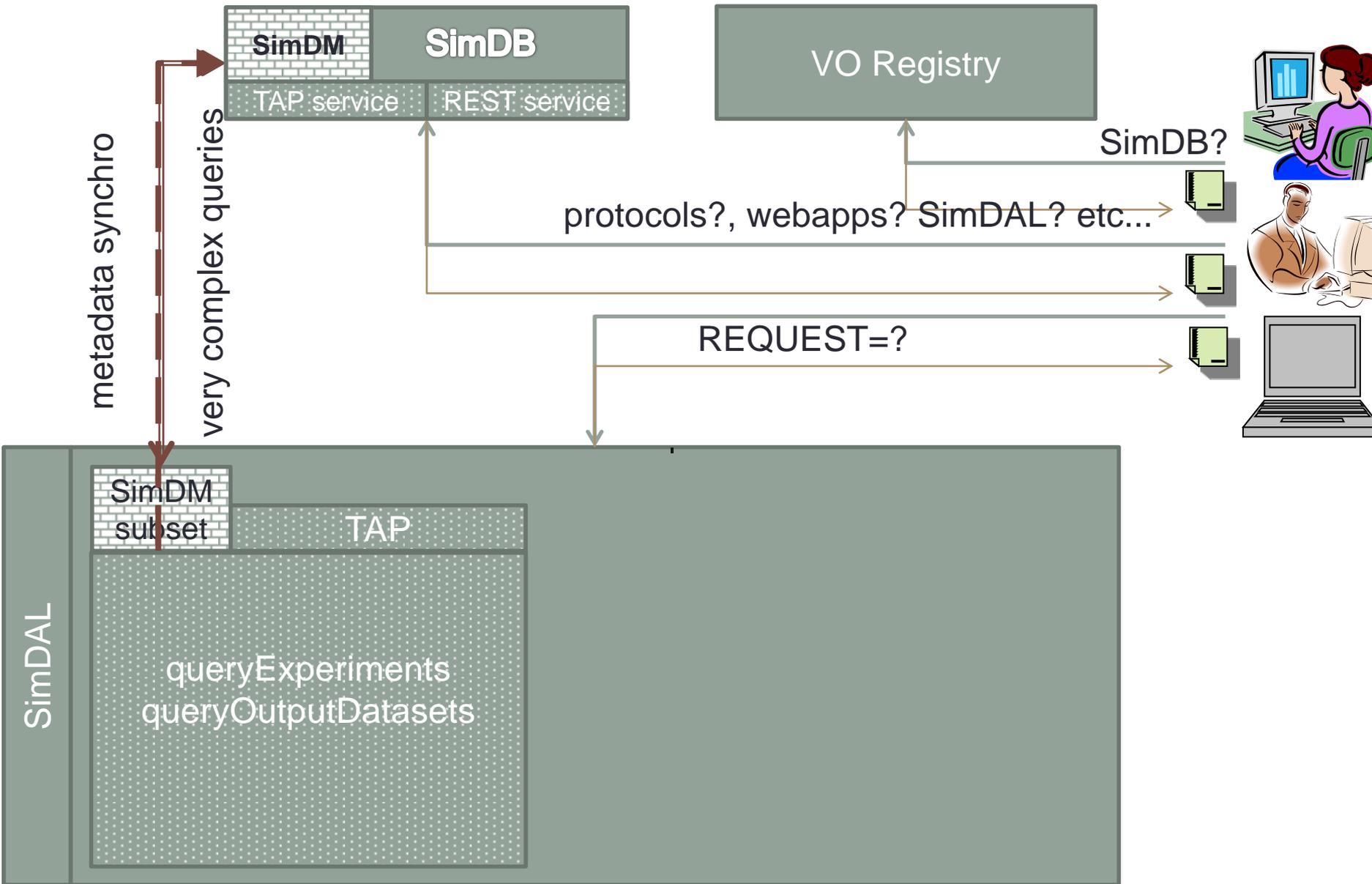
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- InputParameters            -->            InputParameter
- PhysicalProcesses            -->            Physics and TargetProcess
- PhysicalQuantities            -->            Property
- OutputDataObjects            -->            OutputDataObjectType
- AstronomicalObjects            -->            TargetObjectType

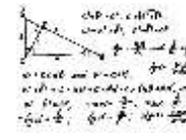
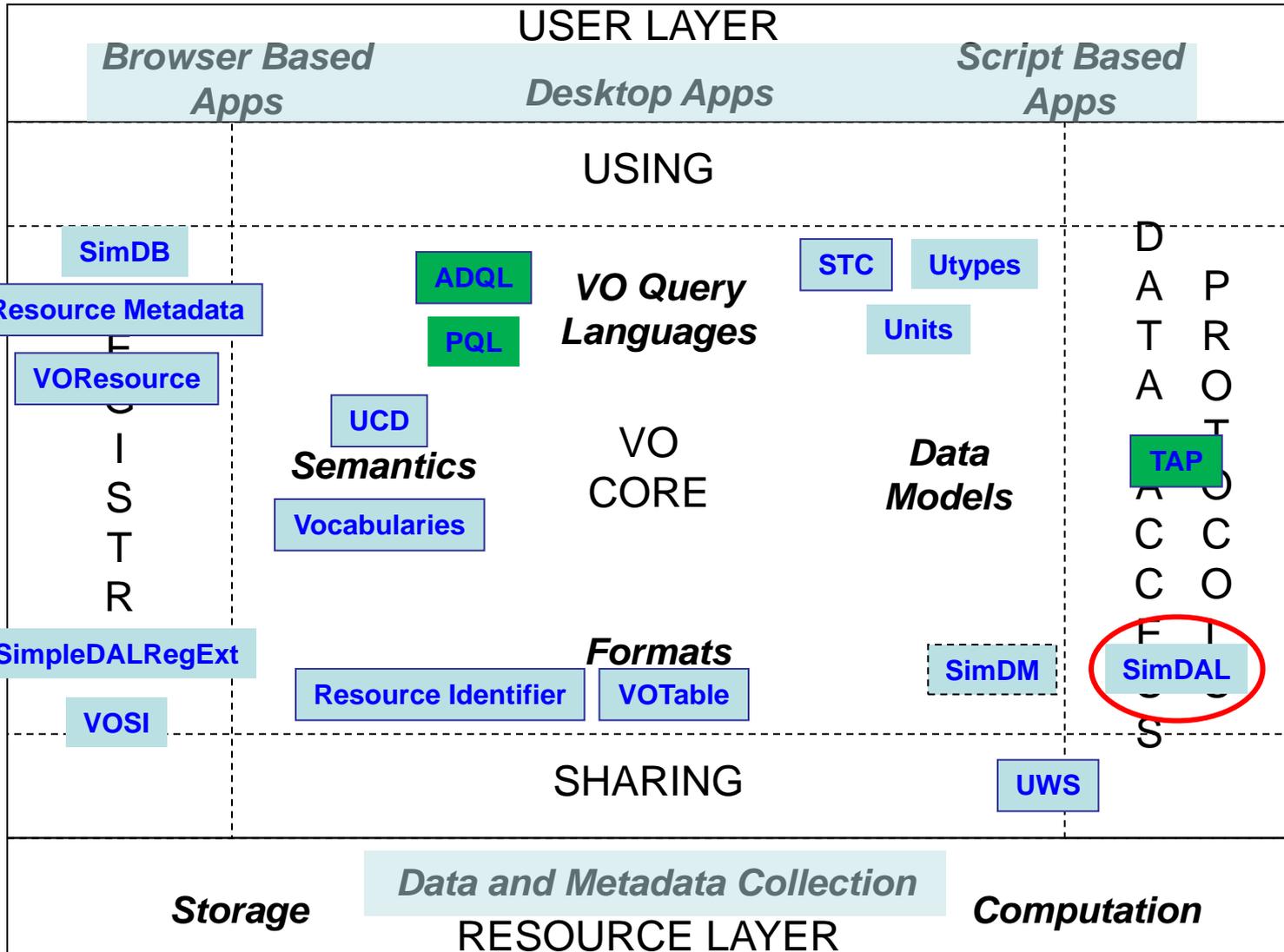
- Exemple :

<http://purl.org/astronomy/vocab/algorithms/GaussSeidel>

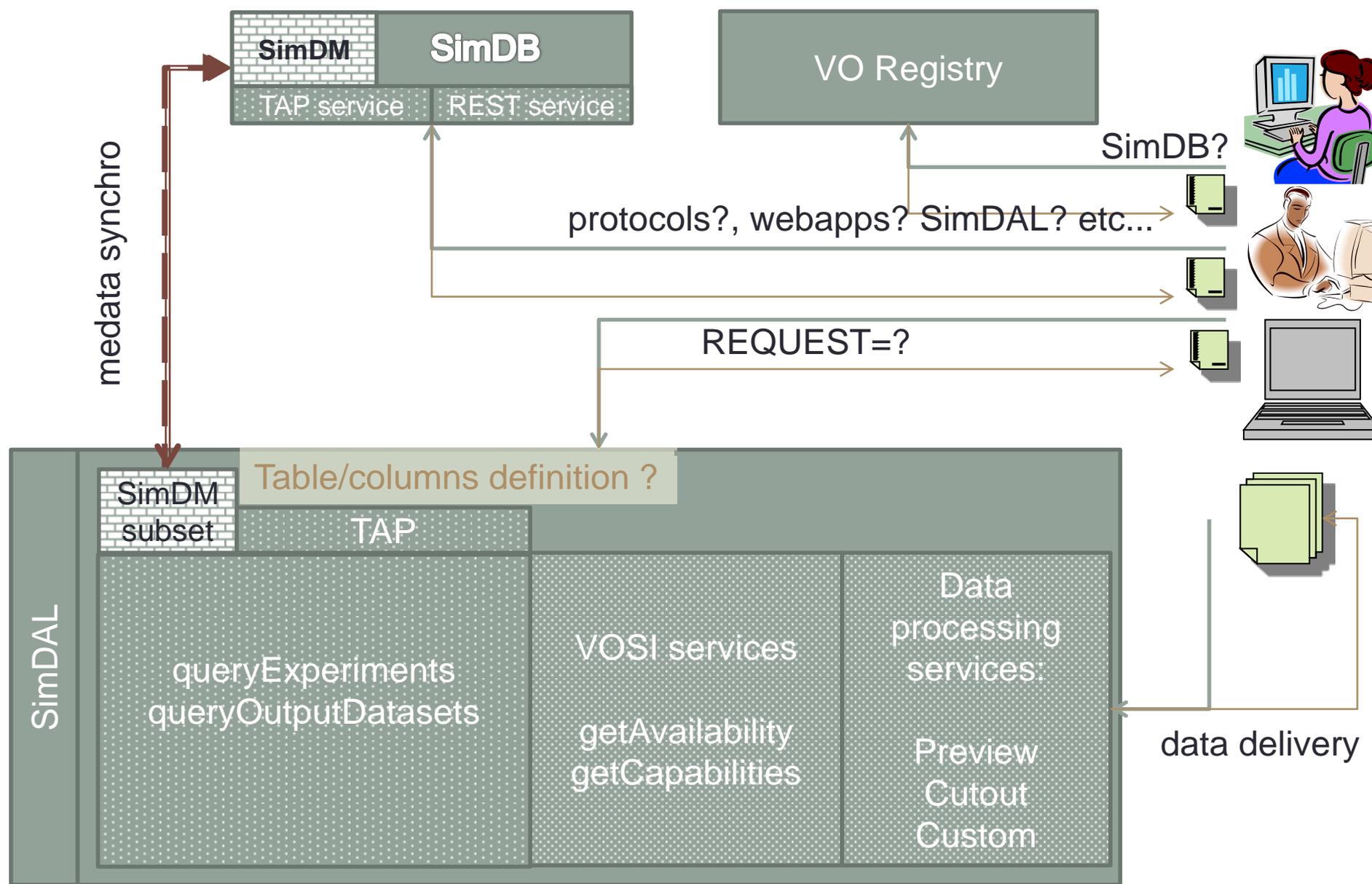
- Les *registries VO* ne disposent que d'une description limitée des services théoriques
- SimDB permet de collecter les metadata (SimDM) de tous les services
- SimDB permet de trouver tous les services et jeux de données intéressants en une seule (ou quelques) requêtes sans avoir à interroger tous les services un à un
  - Sorte de registre à grain fin
- Complexes à mettre en œuvre d'un point de vue technique
  - Centralisation sur quelques SimDB (e.g. Garching, Paris)
- Requêtes parfois complexes à gérer (nombreuses tables)







- Du côté du « provider » des modèles ou des simulations
- Couche permettant
  - De naviguer dans les différents jeux de données (si besoin)
  - De prévisualiser
  - De sélectionner les jeux de données à télécharger ou d'extraire des sous-ensembles (cutout)



- Simulation Access Layer (SimDAL)
  - Manque de forces pour :
    - Développer le standard
    - Tester sur des implémentations « test » (cf. D. Languignon)
  - Risques de dispersion :
    - « Quick and dirty » (rapide mais plutôt web-service que VO)
    - Exhaustif (plus long mais totalement interopérable)
  - Deux grands cas scientifiques extrêmes à considérer :
    - De « quelques » à « de nombreux » fichiers ascii ou autres, téléchargeables
    - Simulations de gros volumes dont il faut extraire un sous-ensemble (spatialement ou via des paramètres)
  - Décision prise de ne faire qu'un seul standard (Victoria INTEROP 2010)
    - SimDAL = S3 (proposé par SVO) + SimDAP (tous sauf SVO)
    - Des avancées depuis:
      - Table Access Protocol (TAP) via PQL
      - Queries par SKOS Concept ? Etc.

