

Workshop Series on Water Quality Monitoring – Opening Workshop



Water quality information models

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- WaterML-WQ profile of O&M (2014)
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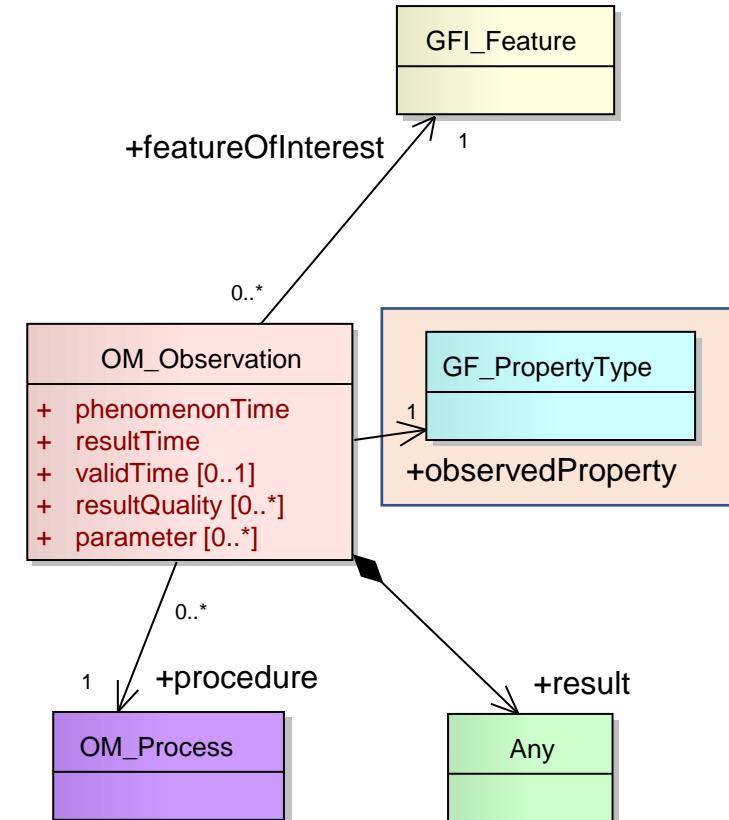
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Geographic information — Observations and measurements

Information géographique — Observations et mesures

An **Observation** is an action whose **result** is an estimate of the value of some **property** of the **feature-of-interest**, obtained using a specified **procedure**



Types of “Observation”

In-situ (monitoring, field observations)

Sensor-observations

Ex-situ (laboratory)

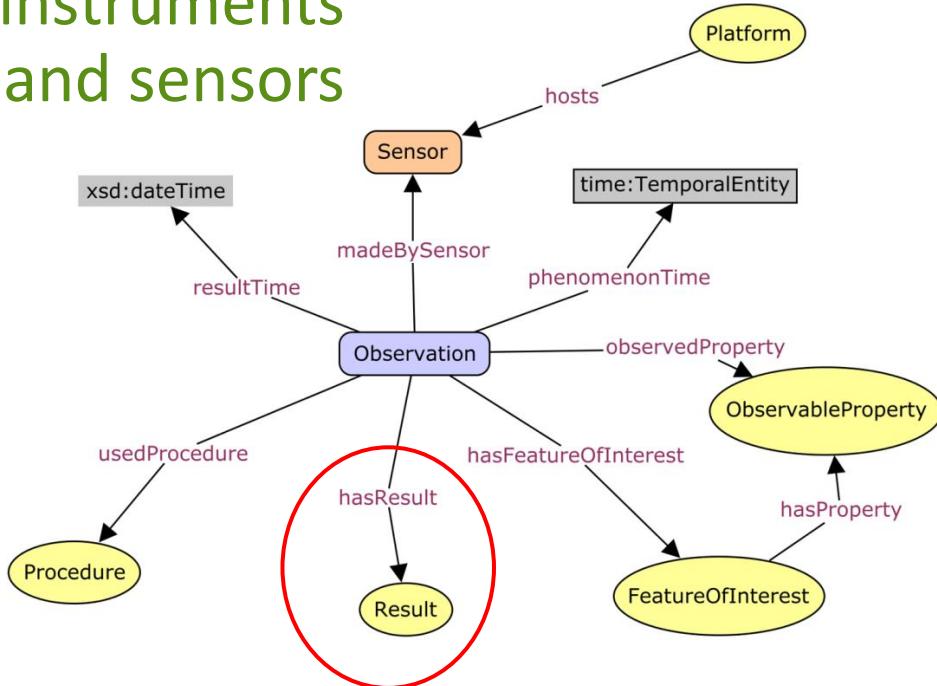
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Remote sensing

Models

Customizing O&M / SSN for an application/domain

instruments
and sensors



observable properties

protocols and
procedures

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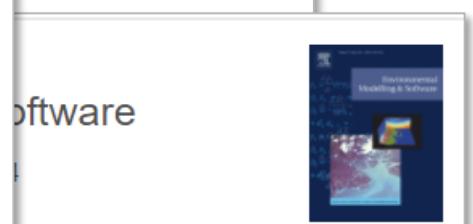
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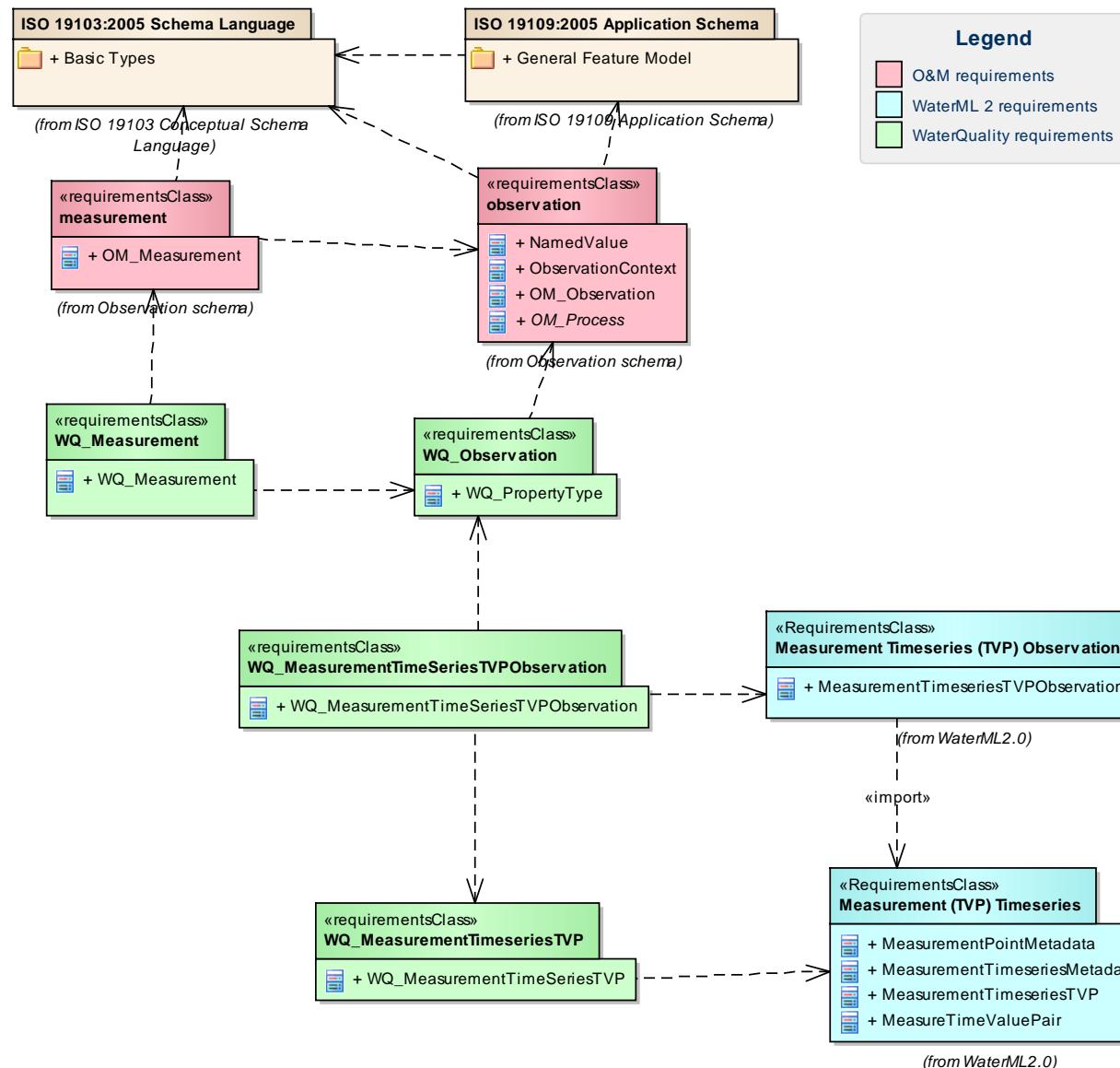
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- [OGC® WaterML 2.0: Part 1- Timeseries](#)
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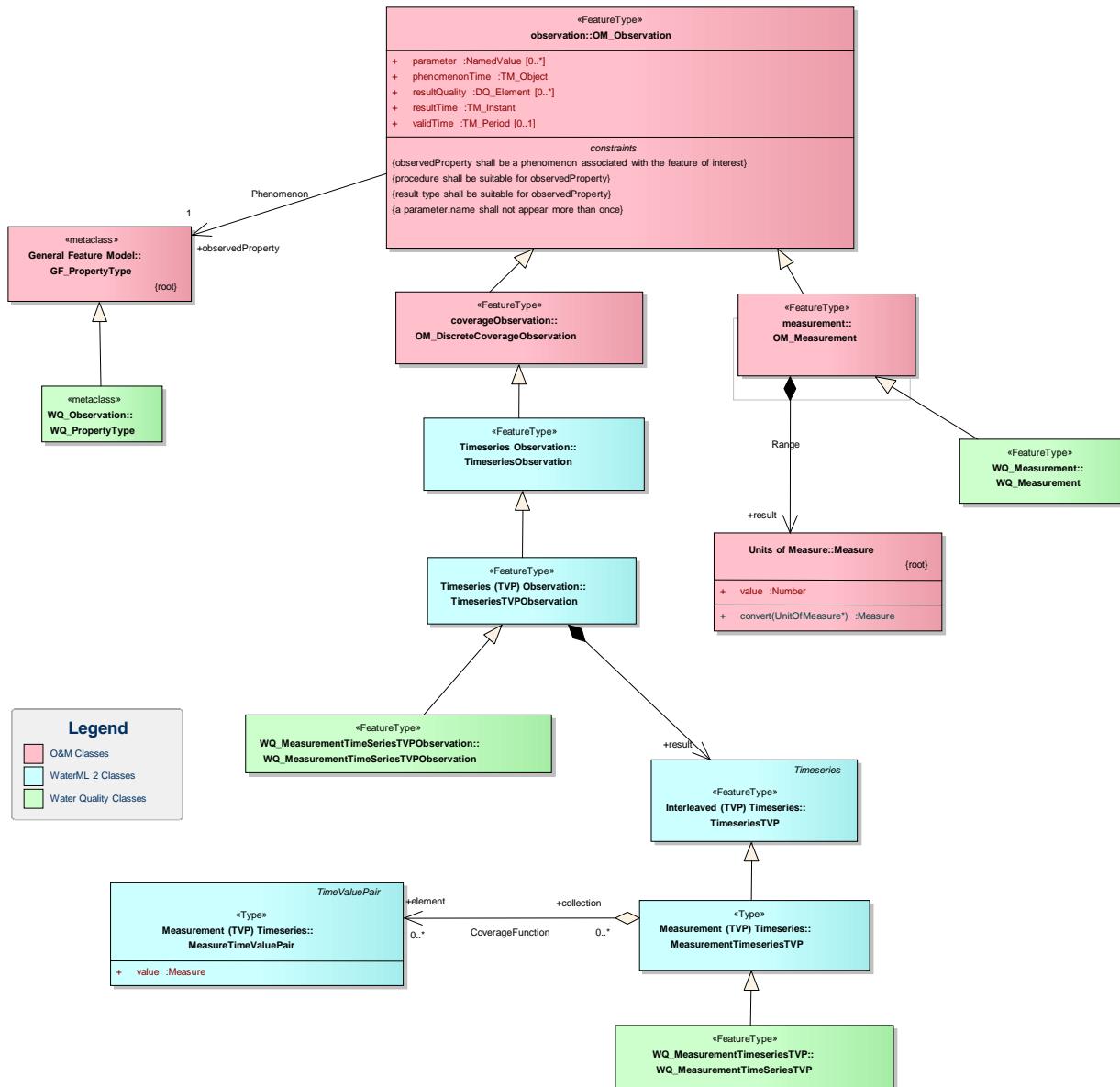
WaterML-WQ

- Defined in UML
 - Implemented in XML
- lots of the *spec* deals with UML and XML mechanics

Water Quality package dependencies



WQ classes as sub-types of O&M and WaterML 2



Requirements Classes (option 1)

5.2 Requirements class: observations (WQ_Observation)

Concrete observations of water quality use the O&M element OM_Measurement or the WML2 element MeasurementTimeseriesTVPObservation. The observed property common to these elements inherited from OM_Observation is taken from a standard vocabulary. The feature of interest property common to these elements comes from a water domain specific feature catalogue.

Requirements class	/req/observation
Target type	XML data document
Dependency	http://www.opengis.net/spec/OMXML/2.0/req/observation
Dependency	/req/xsd-xml-rules
Requirement	/req/observation/observed-property
Recommendation	/req/observation/feature-of-interest

The observed property of the observation is to be taken from a standard water quality vocabulary governed by the Australian water community.

/req/observation/observed-property	The XML element om:observedProperty SHALL have an xlink:href property that is an instance of the owl class http://qudt.org/schema/qudt#Quantity as defined in http://resources.data.gov.au/water/def/water-quality/wq-quantity
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The ultimate feature of interest (domain sampled feature) is a water specific domain feature.

/req/observation/feature-of-interest	The value of the href:link attribute for the featureOfInterest property SHOULD be a URI that denotes a feature type whose type is either: i) a GroundWaterBody feature from GroundWaterML 1 (Boisvert and Brodaric, 2012); or ii) a sub-type of a HydrologicUnit feature from GroundWaterML 1 (Boisvert and Brodaric, 2012); or iii) a HY_HydroFeature feature or one of its sub-types from HY_Feature (Atkinson and Dornblut, 2012).
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This is the core requirements class for all XML instances of water quality observations.

Requirements Classes (option 2)

5.3 Requirements class: single measurements (WO_Measurement)

Single observations of water quality use the O&M element OM_Measurement, and require that the units of measure used in the result are taken from a standard vocabulary.

Requirements class	/req/single-measurement
Target type	XML data document
Dependency	/req/observation
Dependency	http://www.opengis.net/spec/OMXML/2.0/req/measurement
Requirement	/req/single-measurement/result-units

The units of measure used in the single observation measurement result are required to be taken from a standard water quality vocabulary governed by the Australian water community.

/req/single-measurement/result-units	The value of the <u>om:result/@ uom</u> SHALL be an instance of the <u>owl:Class</u> http://qudt.org/schema/qudt#Unit as defined in http://resources.data.gov.au/water/def/water-quality/water-quality
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The unit of measure must be suitable for the observed property (constraint inherited from OM_Observation).

This is the requirements class for all XML instances of single water quality measurements.

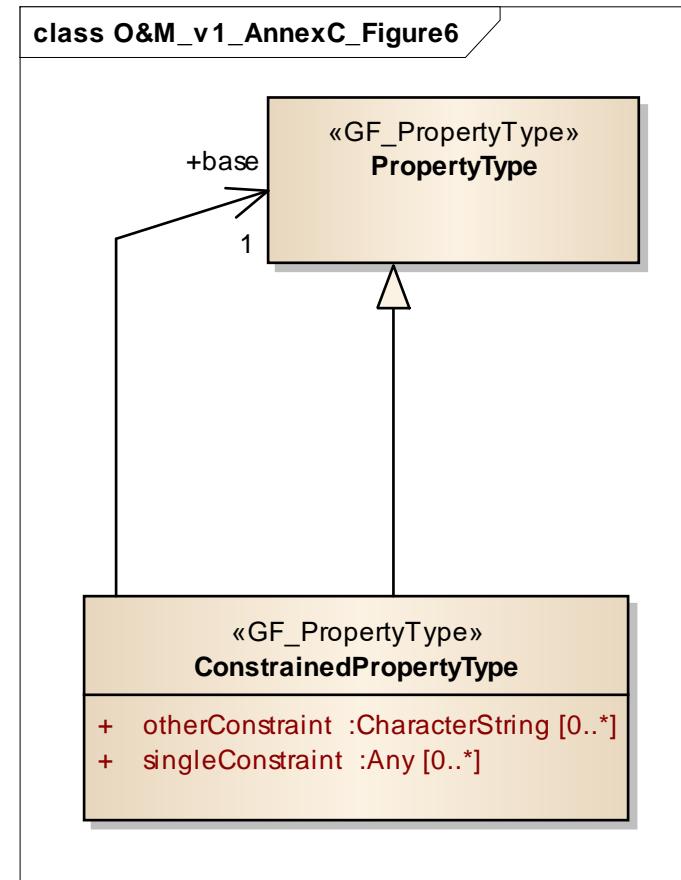
Water Quality observable property vocabulary

1. Observable property model as a formal ontology based on
 - OGC *O&M v1.0* ([Cox, 2007](#))
 - QUDT *v1.1* ([Hodgson and Keller, 2011](#))
2. Content from various Australian and international projects
3. Analytes linked to *Chemical Entities of Biological Interest (ChEBI)* ontology

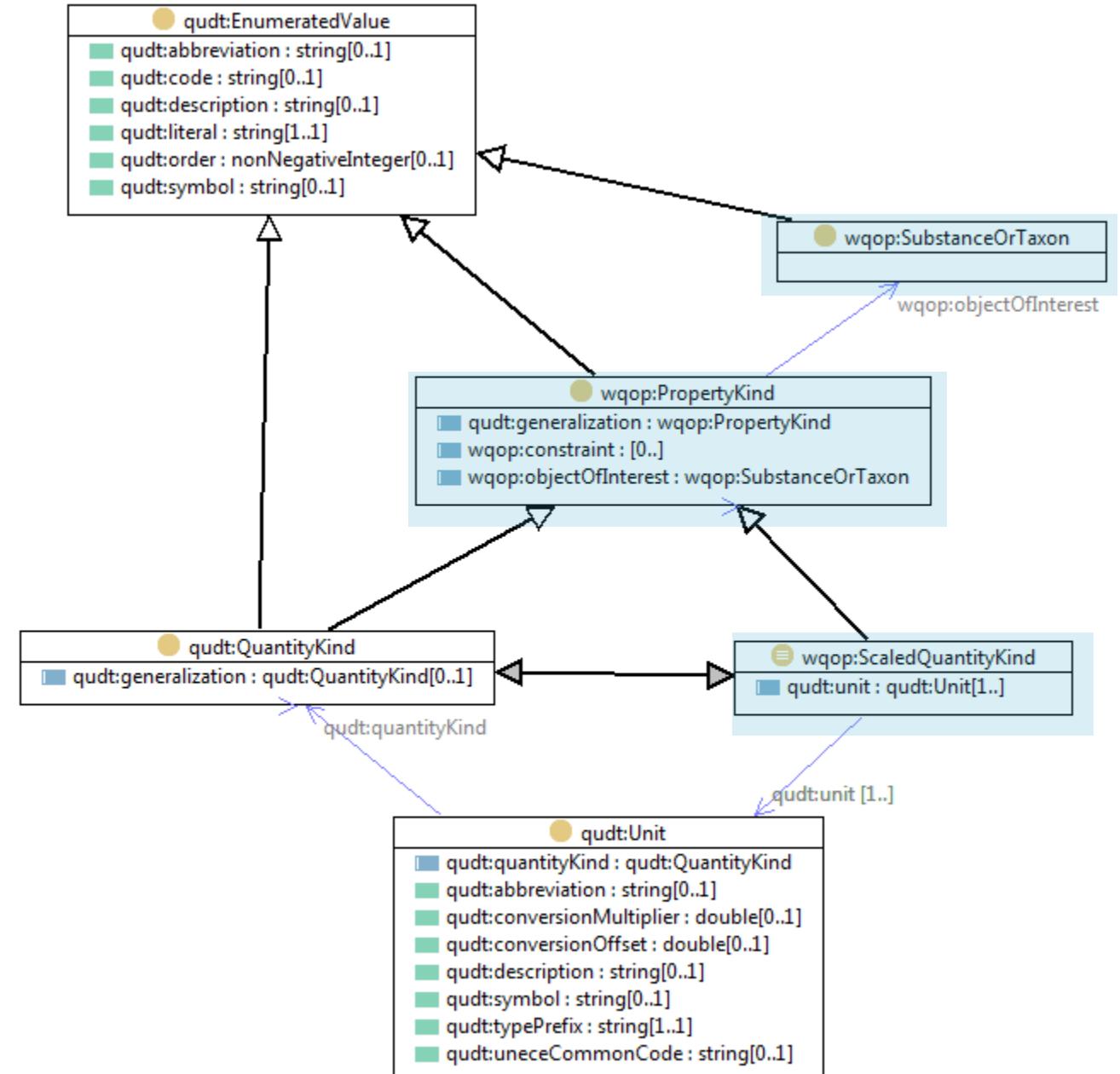
Healthy Headwaters Terms

cas_rn number	Number of tests	Units used	ANGDTS Code	ANGDTS Description	WDTF Parameter	chemical name	ADWG name	IUPAC name	Group		Comments
EC	267621	us/cm (256639), ms/cm (10948), mg/L (25)	EC	ease at which conduction current can be caused to flow through material in microSiemens/centimetre	ElectricalConductivityAt25C_uScm	Electrical Conductivity			Conductivity		us/cs and ms/cm could all be MicroSiemens/cm, but temperature of measurement not recorded
PH	104367	pH units	pH	negative logarithm of hydrogen ion concentration in ph units	WaterpH_pH	pH	pH		pH, alkalinity, acidity		
16887-00-6	90358	mg/L (90357), mg/kg (1)	16887-00-6	concentration of chloride as Cl in milligrams/litre		Chloride		Chloride	Chloride	Anion	Halide
TDS	89918	mg/L	TDS	the portion of total solids that passes through filter and deemed to have been dissolved in sample in milligrams/litre		Total Dissolved Solids	Total Dissolved Solids		Salinity		Silica + Total Anions + Total Cations
TOTAL ALKALINITY	89142	mg/L	ALKT	concentration in milligrams/litre CaCO ₃ of titratable bases using a methyl-orange endpoint of about pH 4.3		Total Alkalinity (as CaCO ₃)			pH, alkalinity, acidity		
HARDNESS_CACO ₃	88044	mg/L	HARD	the ability of water to precipitate soap and is sum of calcium and magnesium concentrations as milligrams/litre CaCO ₃		Hardness (as CaCO ₃)	Hardness (as calcium carbonate)		Hardness (as calcium carbonate)		
TDI	87949	mg/L				Total Dissolved Ions			Salinity		Total Anions + Total Cations
SAR	80643	Ratio	SAR	ratio of sodium to magnesium and calcium and used to assess risk of excess sodium in irrigation water		Sodium Adsorption Ratio			Salinity		SAR = [Na ⁺] / {[([Ca ²⁺] + [Mg ²⁺]) / 2] ^{1/2} }
3812-32-6	72329	mg/L (72328), %MOL (1)	ALKC	alkalinity ascribed to carbonate in milligrams/litre CO ₃		Carbonate Alkalinity (as CaCO ₃)		Carbonate	pH, alkalinity, acidity		
NITRATE	68072	mg/L (68071), mg/kg (1)	14797-55-8	concentration of nitrate as N in milligrams/litre		Nitrate	Nitrate and Nitrite		Nitrate and Nitrite	Anion	
7439-89-6	53215	mg/L (53074), mg/kg (1), ug/L (140)	7439-89-6	concentration of iron as Fe in milligrams/litre		Iron		Iron	Metal	Cation	Transition metal

O&M V1 Annex C (cut-down version)



WQ extension to QUDT



Observable properties vocab

- Originally in CSIRO's Linked Data Registry
- Now in RVA -
<https://demo.vocabs.arcdc.edu.au/viewById/907>

The screenshot shows the RVA interface with the following details:

- Header:** ARDC Research Vocabularies Australia, ABOUT, WIDGET EXPLORER, GET INVOLVED, MY VOCABS.
- Search Bar:** Search for a vocabulary or a concept, Search button, Using search help icon.
- Title:** Water Quality Observed Properties
- Acronym:** WQOP
- Publisher:** CSIRO
- Created:** 2014
- Widgets:** widgetable, subscribe
- Description:** Water-quality observed properties for groundwater, surface water and marine water quality observations. Each PropertyKind is associated with a SubstanceOrTaxon object via the objectOfInterest property or a real-world Feature via the featureOfInterest property. The sub-class of PropertyKinds that can be measured are ScaledQuantityKinds, which have appropriate units of measure (qudt:unit property). This water quality ontology re-uses the Quantities, Units, Dimensions, Data Types (QUDT) ontology.
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 - Water observable properties (8)
 - chemistry observable properties (318)
 - life form observable properties (10)
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 - nutrient observable properties (18)
 - organic observable properties (120)
 - physical observable properties (50)
 - trace element observable properties (36)
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 - degree heating days
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- Related:** Related people and organisations (Bruce A Simons, Simon J D Cox, Jonathan Yu).

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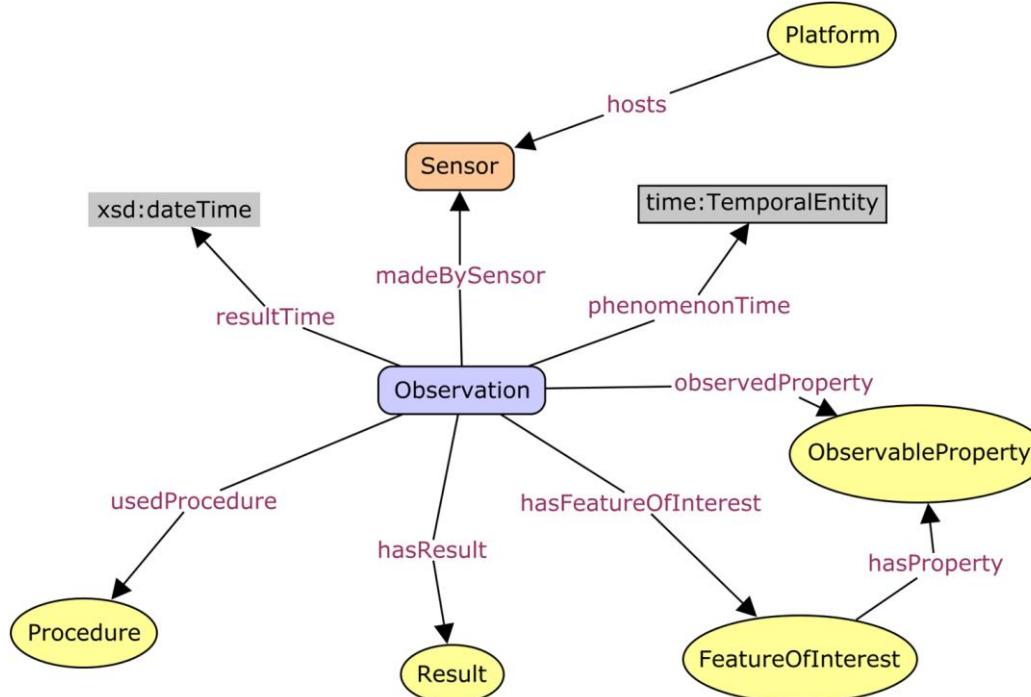
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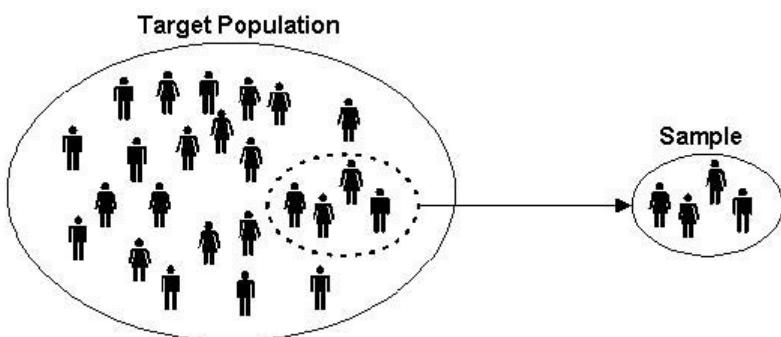
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“Observation” = Act of observation



Properties = metadata and result for a single observation

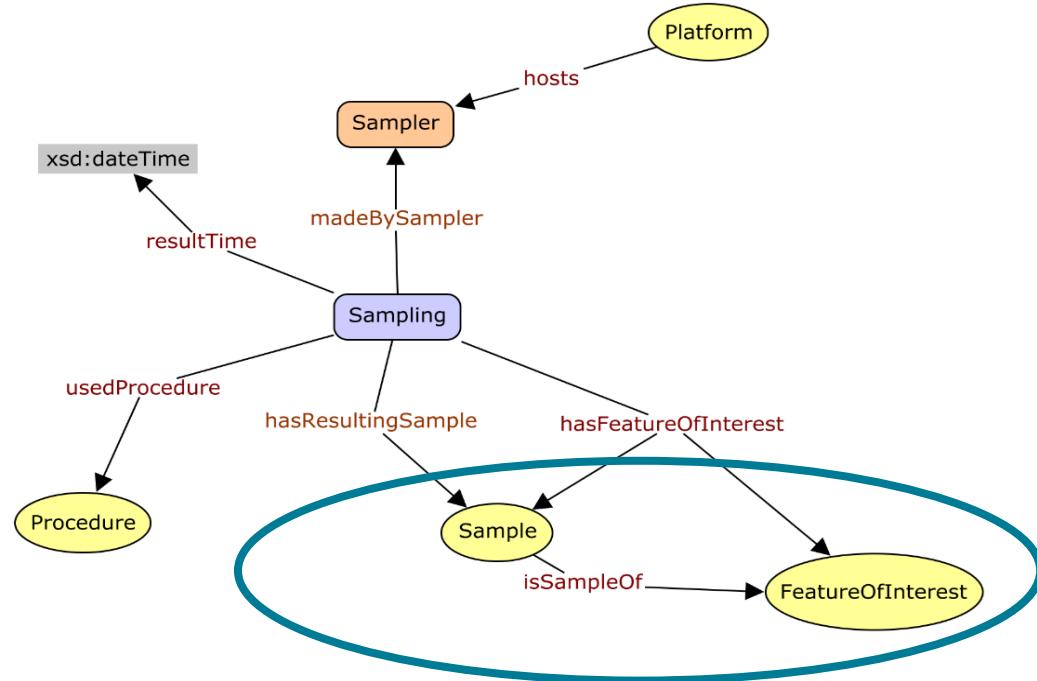
Sampling



Sample = result of an Act-of-sampling

A 'sample' is a thing or subset which is intended to be representative of a larger thing or set ...

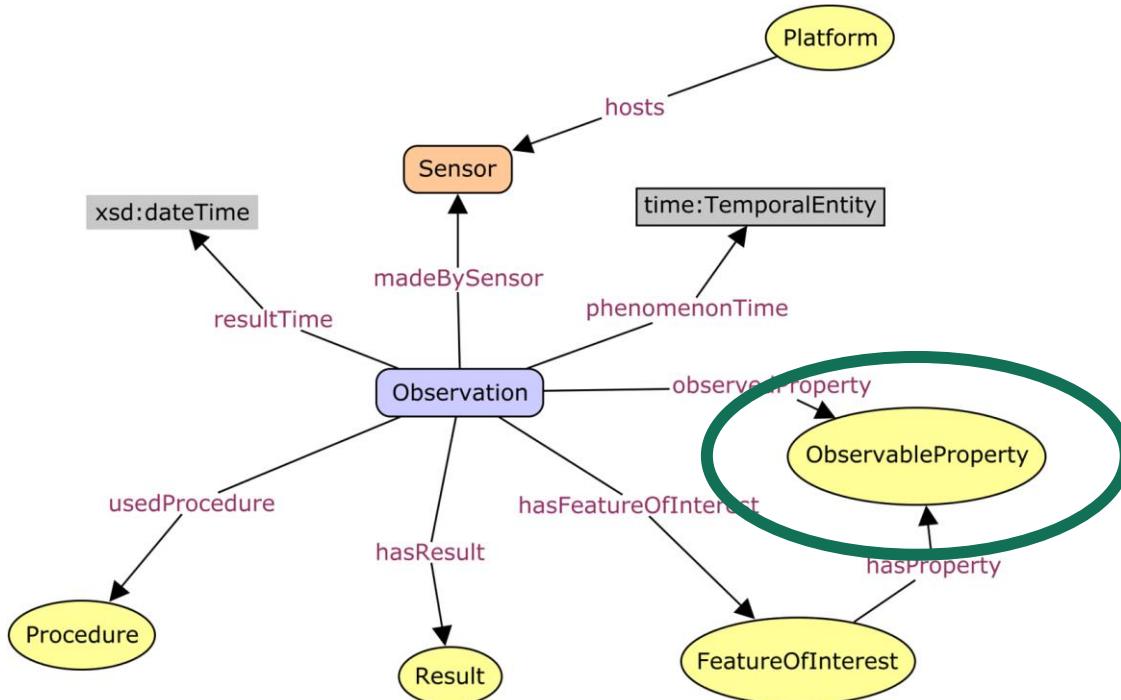
... created or selected for the purpose of making observations to determine the value of one or more properties, traits or qualities of the larger thing



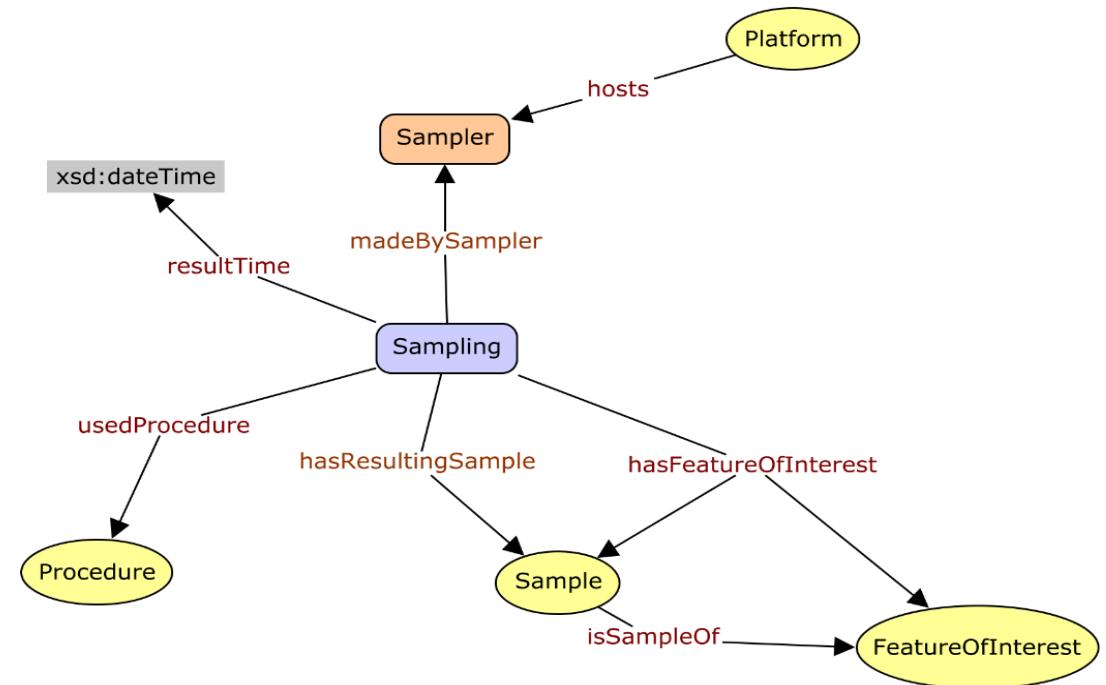
The essential property of a sample is the 'is-sample-of' relationship with the larger thing.

SOSA/SSN = RDFS/OWL implementation

Observation



Sampling



SOSA/SSN is ‘born linked’

- Link to dependencies description of the Observable Property using a **persistent URI**

In practice

URIs for terms

Standard resource types

Links between related resources

Small datatype vocabulary

```
corveg-site:site-29099 a plot:Site ;
  rdfs:label "Site 29099" ;
  plot:floristics <http://linked.data.gov.au/def/corveg-cv/site-sample-floristics/c> ; # "Woody Species And Perennial Herbs"
  plot:sampleLevel <http://linked.data.gov.au/def/corveg-cv/site-sample-level/q> ; # "Quaternary Site"
  plot:sampleType <http://linked.data.gov.au/def/corveg-cv/site-sample-type/a> ; # "square"
  plot:siteDescription corveg-site:d-29099-1 ;
  dct:identifier "29099"^^corveg-def:site-id,
    "618_455029"^^corveg-def:site-number ;
  dct:modified "2015-10-20T08:44:07"^^xsd:dateTime ;
  locn:Location corveg-location:l-28966 ;
  prov:wasGeneratedBy corveg-site:p-287 ;
  sosa:hasUltimateFeatureOfInterest <http://linked.data.gov.au/def/corveg-cv/miscellaneous/87> .
```

```
corveg-site:d-29099-1 a sosa:ObservationCollection ;
  rdfs:label "Site 29099 observation collection." ;
  dct:type <http://linked.data.gov.au/def/corveg-cv/ogroup/4> ; # "sampling-site (description)"
  sosa:hasFeatureOfInterest corveg-site:site-29099 ;
  sosa:phenomenonTime corveg-site:t1995-10-13-h0-m0-s0 ;
  sosa:resultTime "2015-10-20T00:00:00"^^xsd:dateTime ;
  sosa:hasMember corveg-site:d-29099-1-1 .
```

```
corveg-site:d-29099-1-1 a sosa:Observation ;
  rdfs:label "Site 29099 area measurement observation" ;
  sosa:hasFeatureOfInterest corveg-site:site-29099 ;
  sosa:hasResult [ a data:QuantitativeMeasure ;
    data:standard unit:M2 ;
    rdf:value 400 ] ;
  sosa:observedProperty <http://linked.data.gov.au/def/corveg-cv/op/1> ; # "area"
  sosa:phenomenonTime corveg-site:t1995-10-13-h0-m0-s0 ;
  sosa:resultTime "2015-10-20T00:00:00"^^xsd:dateTime ;
  sosa:usedProcedure <http://linked.data.gov.au/def/corveg-cv/common-method/s> . # "Site Layout Method"
```

```
corveg-site:t1995-10-13-h0-m0-s0 a time:Instant ;
  time:inXSDDateTime "1995-10-13T00:00:00"^^xsd:dateTime .
```

```
graph TD
  A[corveg-site:site-29099 a plot:Site ;] --> B[corveg-site:d-29099-1 a sosa:ObservationCollection ;]
  A --> C[corveg-site:d-29099-1-1 a sosa:Observation ;]
  A --> D[corveg-site:t1995-10-13-h0-m0-s0 a time:Instant ;]
```

Vocabularies and ontologies for WQ observable properties

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 - PUV Ontology (BODC/CSIRO, 2021)
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Chemical Entities of Biological Interest (ChEBI)

- database of molecular entities
- focused on 'small' chemical compounds
- Part of OBO foundry

e.g. http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/CHEBI_16134



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Examples: iron*, InChI=1S/CH4O/c1-2/h2H,1H3, caffeine ★★★ Advanced Search

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Main ChEBI Ontology Automatic Xrefs Reactions Pathways Models

ChEBI Name ammonia
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Definition An azane that consists of a single nitrogen atom covalently bonded to three hydrogen atoms.
Stars ★★★ This entity has been manually annotated by the ChEBI Team.
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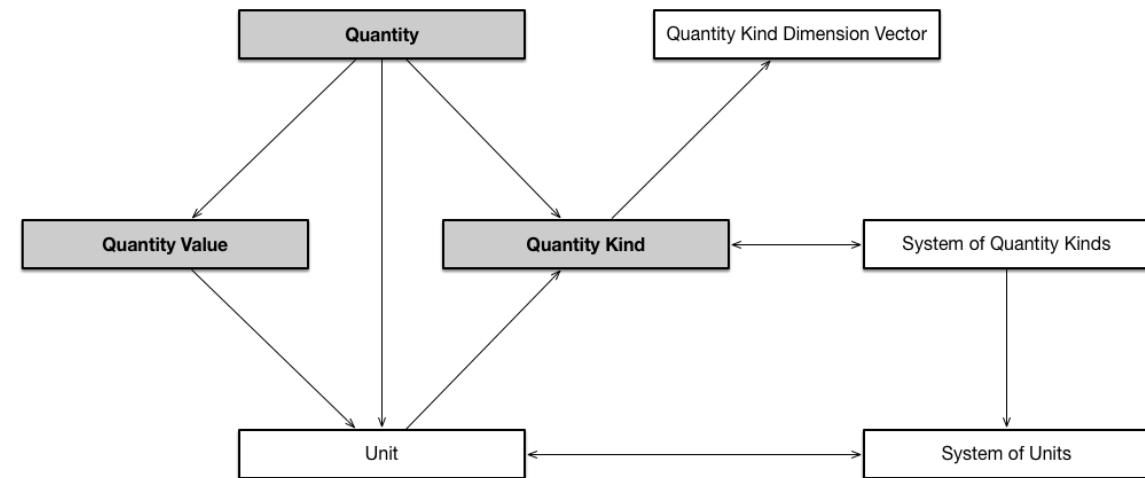
Ammonia is a compound of nitrogen and hydrogen with the formula NH₃. A stable binary hydride, and the simplest pnictogen hydride, ammonia is a colourless gas with a distinct pungent smell. Biologically, it is a common nitrogenous waste, particularly among aquatic organisms, and it contributes significantly to the nutritional needs of terrestrial organisms by serving as a precursor to 45 percent of the world's food and fertilizers. Ammonia, either directly or indirectly, is also a building block for the synthesis of many pharmaceutical products and is used in many commercial cleaning products. It is mainly collected by downward displacement of both air and water. Although common in nature – both terrestrially and in the outer planets of the Solar System – and in wide use, ammonia is both caustic and hazardous in its concentrated form. In many countries it is classified as an extremely hazardous substance, and is subject to strict reporting requirements by facilities which produce, store, or use it in significant quantities. The global industrial production of ammonia in 2018 was 175 million tonnes, with no significant change relative to the 2013 global industrial production of 175 million tonnes. Industrial ammonia is sold either as ammonia liquor (usually 28% ammonia in water) or as pressurized or refrigerated anhydrous liquid ammonia transported in tank cars or cylinders. NH₃ boils at -33.34 °C (-28.012 °F) at a pressure of one atmosphere, so the liquid must be stored under pressure or at low temperature. Household ammonia or ammonium hydroxide is a solution of NH₃ in water. The concentration of such solutions is measured in units of the Baumé scale (density), with 26 degrees Baumé (about 30% (by weight) ammonia at 15.5 °C or 59.9 °F) being the typical high-concentration commercial product.

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Formula H3N
Net Charge 0
Average Mass 17.03056
Monoisotopic Mass 17.02655
InChI InChI=1S/H3N/h1H3
InChIKey QGZKDVQNNNGYKY-UHFFFAOYSA-N
SMILES [H]N([H])[H]

QUDT – Quantities Units Dimensions & Types

- <http://www.qudt.org/>



QUDT Quantity Kinds

Concentration

<http://qudt.org/vocab/quantitykind/Concentration>

QUDT

quantitykind:Concentration

URI: <http://qudt.org/vocab/quantitykind/Concentration>

Type

qudt:QuantityKind

Description

Properties

qudt:dbpediaMatch
<http://dbpedia.org/resource/Concentration>

qudt:plainTextDescription

In chemistry, concentration is defined as the abundance of a constituent divided by the total volume of a mixture. Furthermore, in chemistry, four types of mathematical description can be distinguished: mass concentration, molar concentration, number concentration, and volume concentration. The term concentration can be applied to any kind of chemical mixture, but most frequently it refers to solutes in solutions.

qudt:hasDimensionVector
dimension:A1E0L-3I0M0H0T0D0

qudt:informativeReference
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Concentration>

rdf:type
qudt:QuantityKind

Annotations

rdfs:isDefinedBy
<http://qudt.org/2.1/vocab/quantitykind>

rdfs:label
Concentration (en)

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QUDT Units

kg/m³

<http://qudt.org/vocab/unit/KiloGM-PER-M3>

QUDT

unit:KiloGM-PER-M3

URI: <http://qudt.org/vocab/unit/KiloGM-PER-M3>

Type

qudt:DerivedUnit
qudt:Unit

Description

Kilogram per cubic metre is an SI derived unit of density, defined by mass in kilograms divided by volume in cubic metres. The official SI symbolic abbreviation is $kg \cdot m^{-3}$, or equivalently either kg/m^3 .

Properties

qudt:conversionMultiplier
1.0
qudt:plainTextDescription
Kilogram per cubic metre is an SI derived unit of density, defined by mass in kilograms divided by volume in cubic metres. The official SI symbolic abbreviation is $kg \cdot m^{-3}$, or equivalently either kg/m^3 .
qudt:hasDimensionVector
dimension:A0E0L-3I0M1H0T0D0
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quantitykind:MassConcentrationOfWater
quantitykind:MassConcentrationOfWaterVapour
quantitykind:MassDensity
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0112/2///62720#UAA619
rdf:type
qudt:DerivedUnit
qudt:Unit
qudt:ucumCode
kg.m-3
kg/m3
qudt:uneceCommonCode
KMQ

Annotations

dcterms:description
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qudt:expression
 kg/m^3
rdfs:isDefinedBy
[<http://qudt.org/2.1/vocab/unit>](http://qudt.org/2.1/vocab/unit)
rdfs:label
Kilogram per Cubic Meter (en-us)
Kilogram per Cubic Metre (en)
kilogram per cubic meter (en-us)
kilogram per cubic metre (en)



Units of Measurement

Units of measurement

Also

- UCUM
- OM
- UDUNITS
- ...

Mapping service

<https://units-of-measurement.org/kg.m-3>

kilogram per cubic metre

<https://w3id.org/uom/kg.m-3>

- [`rdf:type`](#)
 - [`owl:NamedIndividual`](#)
- [`skos:exactMatch`](#)
 - [`OM:kilogramPerCubicmetre`](#)
 - [`QUDT:KiloGM-PER-M3`](#)
 - [`obo:UO_0000083`](#)
 - [`OBOE:KilogramPerMeterCubed`](#)
 - [`NERC_P06:UKMC`](#)
- [`rdfs:label`](#)
 - kilogram per cubic metre
- [`skos:altLabel`](#)
 - kilogram per cubic meter
- [`skos:definition`](#)
 - A unit which is equal to 10^3 gram per 1 cubic metre.
- [`SI code`](#)
 - kg m-3
- [`UCUM code`](#)
 - kg/m3
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Ocean data vocabularies

https://vocab.nerc.ac.uk/search_nvs/



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P01 Search

Identifier Preferred label Alternative label Definition Exact match Case sensitive [toggle advanced options](#)

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S06 - Parameter names

<https://vocab.nerc.ac.uk/collection/S06/current/>

Basic observable properties

100s entries

BODC parameter semantic model parameter entity names

URI	http://vocab.nerc.ac.uk/collection/S06/current/
Description	Controlled vocabulary defining the terms that may be used to specify the property element of a parameter (part of the 'what' theme) in the BODC parameter semantic model.
Creator	British Oceanographic Data Centre
Modified	2022-03-23
Version Info	112
Identifier	S06
Register Manager	British Oceanographic Data Centre
Register Owner	British Oceanographic Data Centre
See Also	https://github.com/nvs-vocab/S06
License	https://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/4.0/

Members

ID ↑	Preferred Label ↑	Definition ↑	Date ↑
S0600001	14C age	The age of an object determined by radiocarbon dating expressed relative to a datum of AD 1950.	2006-02-17
S0600125	4-pi scalar irradiance as photons	The flux of photons reaching a spherical surface from every direction.	2017-12-18
S0600084	Absolute salinity	Salinity in terms of mass per unit mass computed from practical salinity using TEOS-10 equation of state.	2017-09-19
S0600080	Absorbance	A measure of the quantity of incident electromagnetic radiation that is absorbed by an object, substance or solution.	2017-07-11
S0600002	Abundance	The number of occurrences of an entity per unit area or per unit volume.	2006-02-17
S0600178	Abundance category	Nominal scale used to qualify the abundance of an organism in a survey or sample.	2018-06-07
S0600179	Abundance category (SACFOR)	Standardised nominal scale that classifies the abundance of marine benthic flora and fauna into 6 categories (Superabundant, Abundant, Common, Frequent, Occasional, Rare) based on the percent cover or density of organisms on the bed.	2018-06-08
S0600212	Abundance category (SACFORN)	Standardised nominal scale that classifies the abundance of marine benthic flora and fauna into 7 categories (Superabundant, Abundant, Common, Frequent, Occasional, Rare, Not found) based on the percent cover or density of organisms on a surface. A variant of the SACFOR scale with the purpose of adding a zero category.	2018-09-21
S0600220	Abundance increase	The positive change in the number of occurrences of an entity between two points (typically two points in time); negative values indicate a decrease.	2019-01-21
S0600209	Acceptable proportion	Also referred to as Percent Good, this is the proportion of good data collected per beam and depth cell from an acoustic doppler current profiler (ADCP). Represented as a percentage between 0 and 100.	2018-09-14
S0600003	Accumulation rate	The rate at which the quantity of an entity increases.	2006-02-17
S0600043	Activity	The number of disintegrations of a radioactive substance in a given unit of time (physics) or in the ability of a substance to take part in a chemical reaction (chemistry).	2015-09-02
S0600241	Activity ratio	Quotient of the radioactive decay rates of two co-located radionuclides.	2019-05-30
S0600254	Amplitude	The maximum displacement of a periodic variable over a single spatial or temporal cycle.	2020-06-17

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P01 - Parameter names

<https://vocab.nerc.ac.uk/collection/P01/current/>

Highly detailed, includes method with observable property
~40,000 entries

BODC Parameter Usage Vocabulary

URI	http://vocab.nerc.ac.uk/collection/P01/current/		
Description	Terms built using the BODC parameter semantic model designed to describe individual measured phenomena. May be used to mark up sets of data such as a NetCDF array or spreadsheet column.		
Creator	British Oceanographic Data Centre		
Modified	2022-03-25		
Version Info	1061		
Identifier	P01		
Register Manager	British Oceanographic Data Centre		
Register Owner	British Oceanographic Data Centre		
See Also	https://github.com/nvs-vocabs/P01		
License	https://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/4.0/		
Members			
ID ↑	Preferred Label ↑	Definition ↑	Date ↑
SAGEMSFM	14C age of Foraminifera (ITIS: 44030: WoRMS 22528) [Subcomponent: tests] in sediment by picking and accelerator mass spectrometry	Accelerated mass spectrometry on picked tests	2008-10-16
SAGEMCFM	14C age of Foraminifera (ITIS: 44030: WoRMS 22528) [Subcomponent: tests] in sediment by picking and accelerator mass spectrometry and correction after Stuiver and Reimer	Accelerated mass spectrometry on picked tests then Stuiver and Reimer correction	2018-01-16
SAGEMSGB	14C age of Globigerina bulloides (ITIS: 45797: WoRMS 113434) [Subcomponent: tests] in sediment by picking and accelerator mass spectrometry	Accelerated mass spectrometry on picked tests	2008-10-16
SAGEMCGB	14C age of Globigerina bulloides (ITIS: 45797: WoRMS 113434) [Subcomponent: tests] in sediment by picking and accelerator mass spectrometry and correction after Stuiver and Reimer	Accelerated mass spectrometry on picked tests then Stuiver and Reimer correction	2018-01-16
SAGEMSNP	14C age of Neogloboquadrina pachyderma (WoRMS 113458) [Subcomponent: tests] in sediment by picking and accelerator mass spectrometry	Accelerated mass spectrometry on picked tests	2008-10-16
SAGEMCNP	14C age of Neogloboquadrina pachyderma (WoRMS 113458) [Subcomponent: tests] in sediment by picking and accelerator mass spectrometry and correction after Stuiver and Reimer	Accelerated mass spectrometry on picked tests then Stuiver and Reimer correction	2018-01-16
PAGEPAMS	14C age of peat by accelerator mass spectrometry	Age of a sample of peat based on 14C contained in its total carbon content determined by accelerator mass spectrometry	2010-09-30

Requesting changes, new terms

<https://github.com/nvs-vocabs/P01/issues>

Screenshot of a GitHub repository page for "nvs-vocabs / P01". The page shows a list of 41 open issues related to new terms and changes.

The repository URL is <https://github.com/nvs-vocabs/P01>. The repository is public and has 8 watchers, 0 forks, and 4 stars.

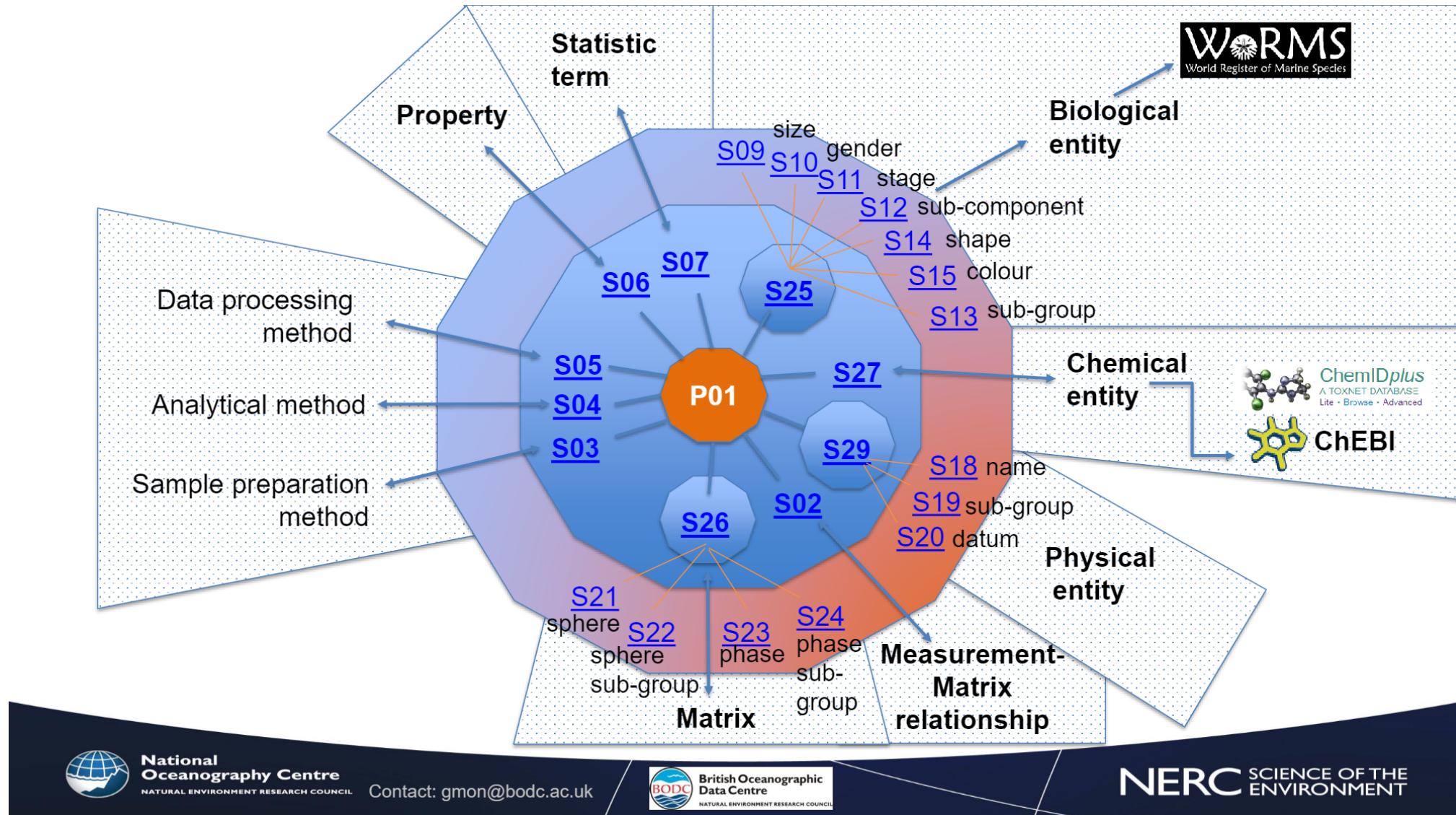
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Issues listed:

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- Attenuation of electromagnetic radiation at 490nm - eReefs project (2 terms) #117 opened 23 hours ago by danibodc
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- Depth of Secchi disk - eReefs project (1 term) #114 opened 9 days ago by danibodc
- Physical oceanography parameters for eReefs project (5 terms) #113 opened 10 days ago by roswni
- NTRs Occurrence probability of #109 opened on 14 Feb by tkeena
- NTR: Request for 1 PAR Upwelling P01 code (BODCNVS-1191) #104 opened on 7 Dec 2021 by danibodc
- Align spelling of sulfur/sulfate with IUPAC nomenclature decision (i.e. "f" instead of "ph") #103 opened on 6 Dec 2021 by gwemon
- Resolve apparent duplication for Concentration of carbonate {CO32- CAS 3812-32-6} per unit dry weight of geological sample #102 opened on 5 Dec 2021 by gwemon
- Resolve apparent duplication for Concentration of total nitrogen {total_N} {PON} per unit volume of the water body [particulate >unknown phase] #101 opened on 5 Dec 2021 by gwemon
- Resolve apparent duplicates for Concentration of organic carbon {organic_C CAS 7440-44-0} {DOC} per unit volume of the water body [dissolved plus reactive particulate phase] #100 opened on 5 Dec 2021 by gwemon

P01 Semantic Model

https://github.com/nvs-vocabs/P01/blob/master/P01_wheel.pdf



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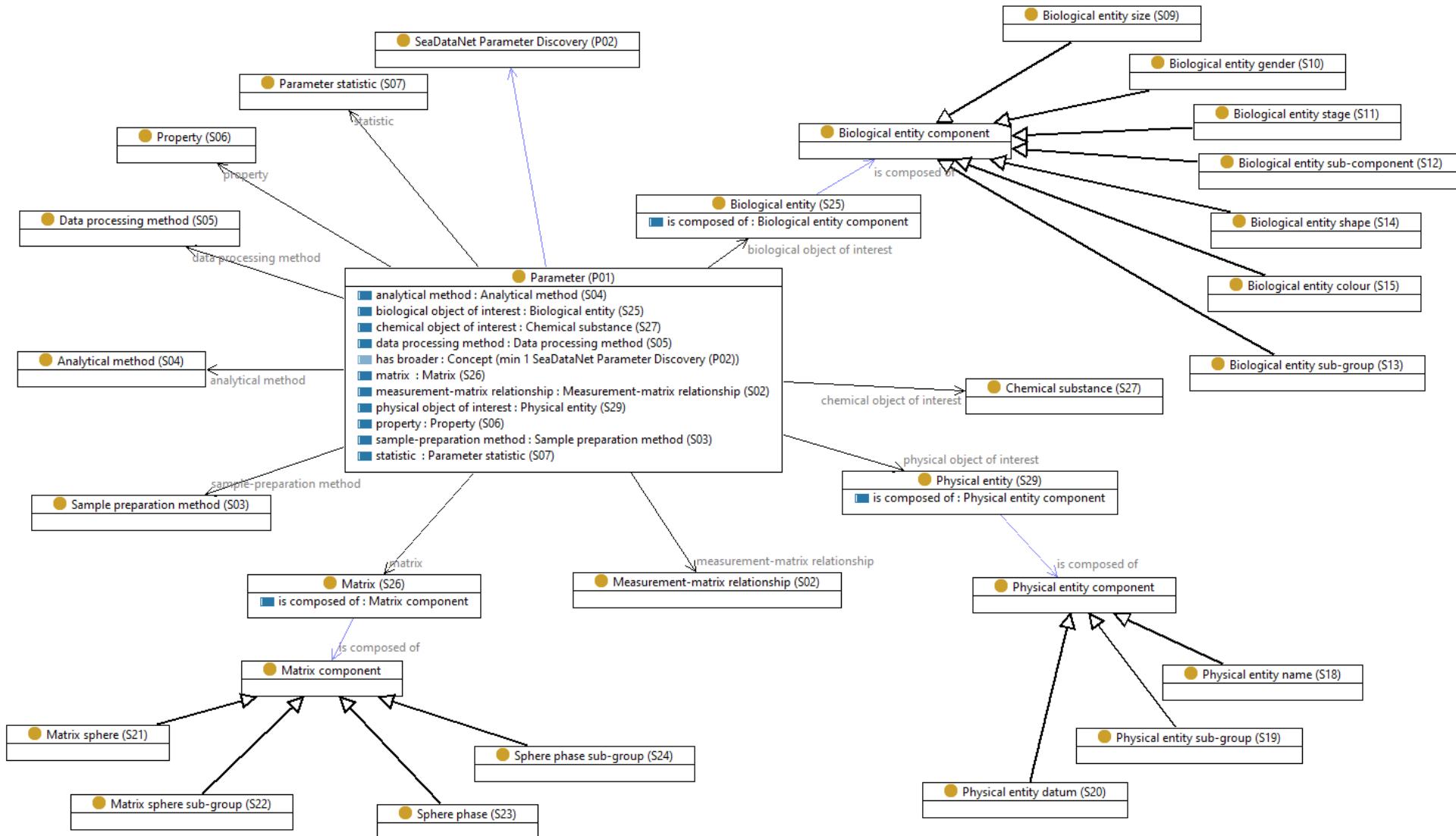


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<http://vocab.nerc.ac.uk/collection/P01/current/PAGEPAMS/>

Default Profile

nvs

Token	Name	Formats	Languages	Description	Profile URI
nvs	NVS Collections List Profile	JSON-LD N-triples RDF/XML HTML Turtle	en	The NERC Vocabulary Server's profile of SKOS that include Provenance Ontology (PROV) and Registry Ontologyrelationships for term governance.	https://w3id.org/profile/nvs-col
skos	SKOS	JSON-LD N-triples RDF/XML Turtle	en	Simple Knowledge Organization System (SKOS)is a W3C-authored, common data model for sharing and linking knowledge organization systems via the Web.	https://www.w3.org/TR/skos-reference/
vocpub	VocPub	JSON-LD N-triples RDF/XML Turtle	en	A profile of SKOS for the publication of Vocabularies. This profile mandates the use of one Concept Scheme per vocabulary	https://w3id.org/profile/vocpub
sdo	schema.org	JSON-LD N-triples RDF/XML Turtle	en	Schema.org is a collaborative, community activity with a mission to create, maintain, and promote schemas for structured data on the Internet, on web pages, in email messages, and beyond.	https://schema.org
alt	Alternate Representations	JSON JSON-LD N-triples RDF/XML HTML Turtle	en	The representation of the resource that lists all other representations (profiles and Media Types)	http://www.w3.org/ns/dx/conneg/altrep

I-ADOPT

<https://rd-alliance.org/group/interoperable-descriptions-observable-property-terminology-wg-i-adopt-wg/outcomes>



InteroperAble Descriptions of Observable Property Terminologies (I-ADOPT) WG - outputs and recommendations

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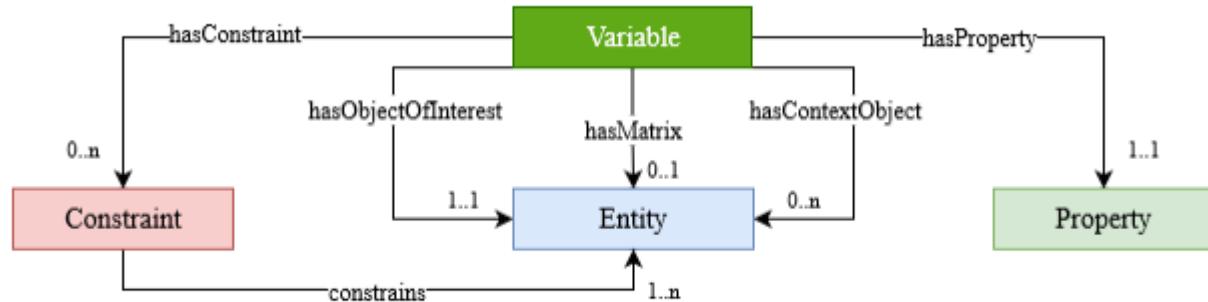


Figure 2: A conceptual overview of the Interoperability Framework ontology.

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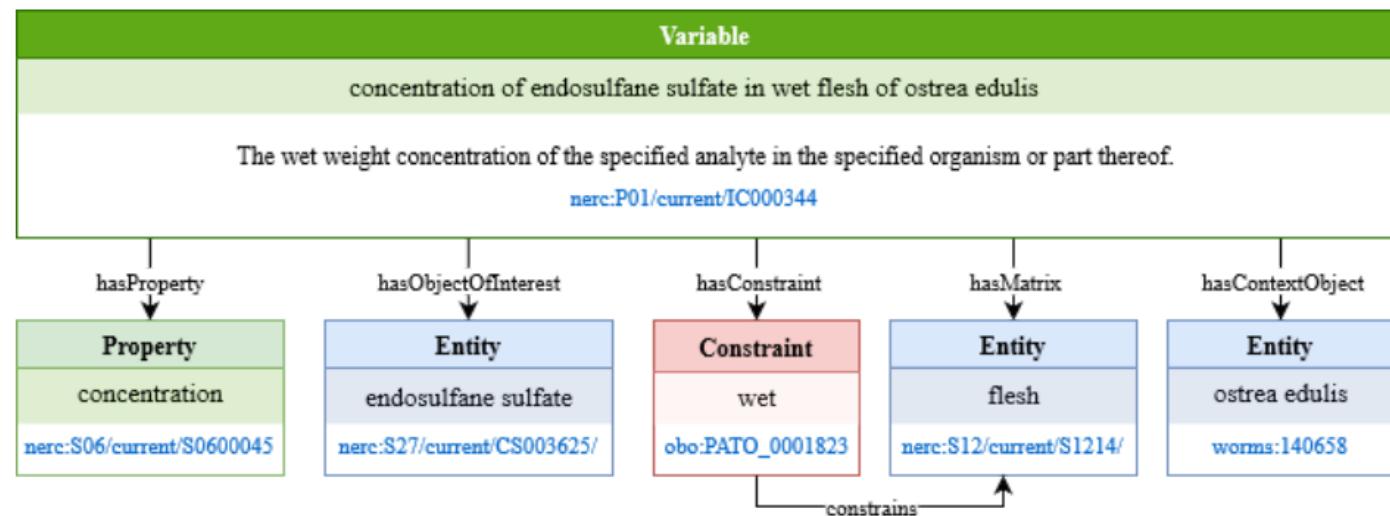


Figure 3. I-ADOPT variable for “concentration of endosulfan sulfate in wet flesh of ostrea edulis”.

<https://people.csiro.au/c/s/simon-cox>

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