

Ocean Data Tools

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RVTEC 2024 Tutorial

OpenRVDAS

A modular platform for developing custom data acquisition systems to support vessels or vehicles.

OpenVDM

A flexible vessel-wide data management system for organizing files from data acquisition systems

Sealog

A modular platform for building custom event-logging solutions to support vessels or vehicles.

OpenVDM



- **Introduction** - what/why/where
- **Lingo 101**
- **Whole system overview** - installation, Web-UI tour, defining/controlling transfers
- **Hooks** - attaching processes to key points in processes
- **Displaying data** - plugins and parsers
- **Leveraging OpenVDM data elsewhere**
- **Best practices**
- **Contributing**
- **Where to from here?**

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OpenVDM



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- What's special about it?
- What can it do?

Tool for retrieving files from across a vessel, organizing those files into a single directory structure and ***providing*** crew and clients with ***safe and immediate access to datasets.***

Identifies file naming issues to ***prevent problems from propagating.***

OpenVDM



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Provides ability to **setup bespoke data processing workflows** based on the arrival of files.

Updates data deliverables throughout cruise to **reduce end-of-cruise workload**.

Allows vessel operators to better **adhere to** their data management plan and **best practices of** archival facilities such as **R2R**.

OpenVDM



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Flexible - the tool doesn't tell the user how to organize their data or the mechanism by which the files are retrieved

Centralized - Provides a single interface for defining and controlling the flow of files

Simple - Nothing to install on the systems creating the data

OpenVDM



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Retrieve data files from remote systems via:

- SMB (Windows) Share
- Rsync Server
- SSH Server
- Mounted NFS volumes
- Local directories

OpenVDM



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Replicate data files to remote systems via:

- SMB (Windows) Share
- Rsync Server
- SSH Server
- Mounted NFS volumes
- Mounted external devices (USB, fibre)

OpenVDM



- What is it?
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 - **What can it do?**
- Organize files based on the vessel operator defined schema
 - Enforce vessel operator defined file naming conventions
 - Assist in data file depending processing workflows (MBES Processing)

OpenVDM

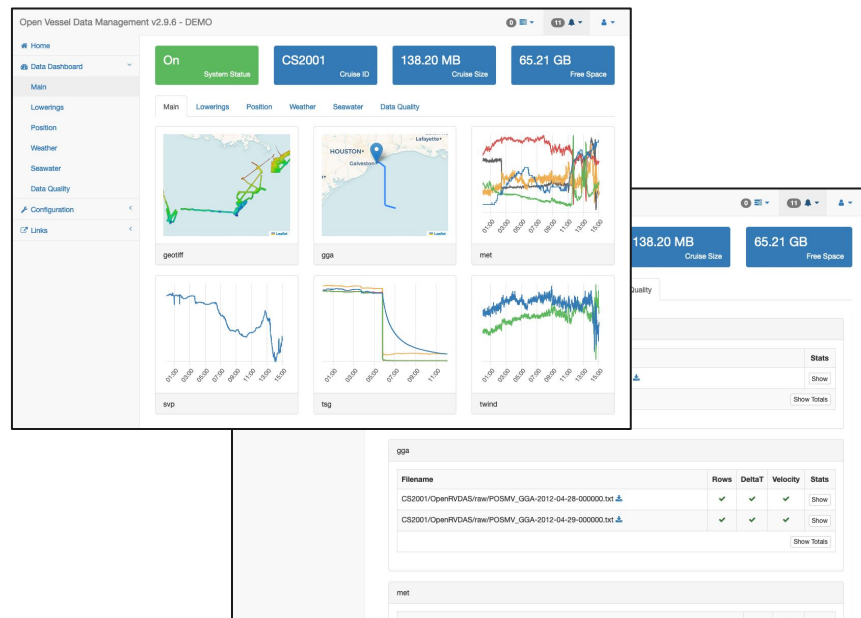


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 - **What can it do?**
- Talk to other systems (OpenRVDAS, Sealog, etc) at key cruise milestones such as Start/End of cruises
 - Kick off automated processes when specific files arrive
 - API for allowing independent processes to leverage OpenVDM configuration data

OpenVDM

- What is it?
- What's special about it?
- **What can it do?**

- Plugins and parsers for visualizing data files and running QA tests



OpenVDM Installations

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Lingo 101



Collection System

System that creates files to be managed by OpenVDM

Collection System Transfer

Configuration data needed for OpenVDM to retrieve files from a local directory, locally mounted volume or remote data collection system

Lingo 101



Cruise Data Directory

Directory structure containing the data files collected during a given cruise

Cruise Data Transfer

Configuration data needed for OpenVDM to copy files from the cruise data directory to a local directory, locally mounted volume or remote data collection system

Lingo 101



Extra Directories

Directories to be created within the cruise data directory but not associated with a collection data transfer

Data Dashboard

Section of the Web UI that visualizes the output from the parsers including QA test results

Lingo 101



Hooks

Mechanism for adding additional processes at key milestones during a given cruise

Milestones

- Start of Cruise
- End of Cruise
- Post Data Transfer
- Post Data Dashboard

Lingo 101



Plugins

Optional script to process files from a specific collection system transfer

Parser

Used in conjunction with plugins to create web appropriate representations of raw data files, and define the QA tests to be run against the raw data files.

Lingo 101



Gearman

Job broker used schedule
OpenVDM jobs

Worker

Instance of a script that can
run one or more specific types
of tasks

Task

A defined process

Job

A unit of work to complete a
specific task

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Installation - automated script

- Download the install script from OpenVDM GitHub repo
- Run the script

Built for Ubuntu but can be run on Rocky

Code Orientation



```
openvdm/  
├── bin  
├── database  
├── docs  
├── server  
├──   
│   ├── etc  
│   ├── lib  
│   ├── plugins  
│   ├──   
│   │   ├── parsers  
│   │   └── workers  
├── utils  
└── www
```

The Web UI



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- Home
- Data Dashboard <
- Configuration <
- Links <

On
System Status

CS2001
Cruise ID

138.20 MB
Cruise Size

65.20 GB
Free Space

Incorrect Filenames Detected

CTD

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Cruise Data Transfer Status

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The Web UI



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Topbar Navigation

Status Panels

- System Status
- Cruise ID
- Cruise Size
- Free Space

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Sidebar Navigation

- Links to all areas of the Web UI

The Web UI

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Incorrect Filenames

Card shows list of files whose names do not match the vessel's file naming conventions for the given collection system transfer

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Recent Shipboard Data Transfers
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Collection System Transfer Status

Card shows the status of the currently enabled collection system transfers

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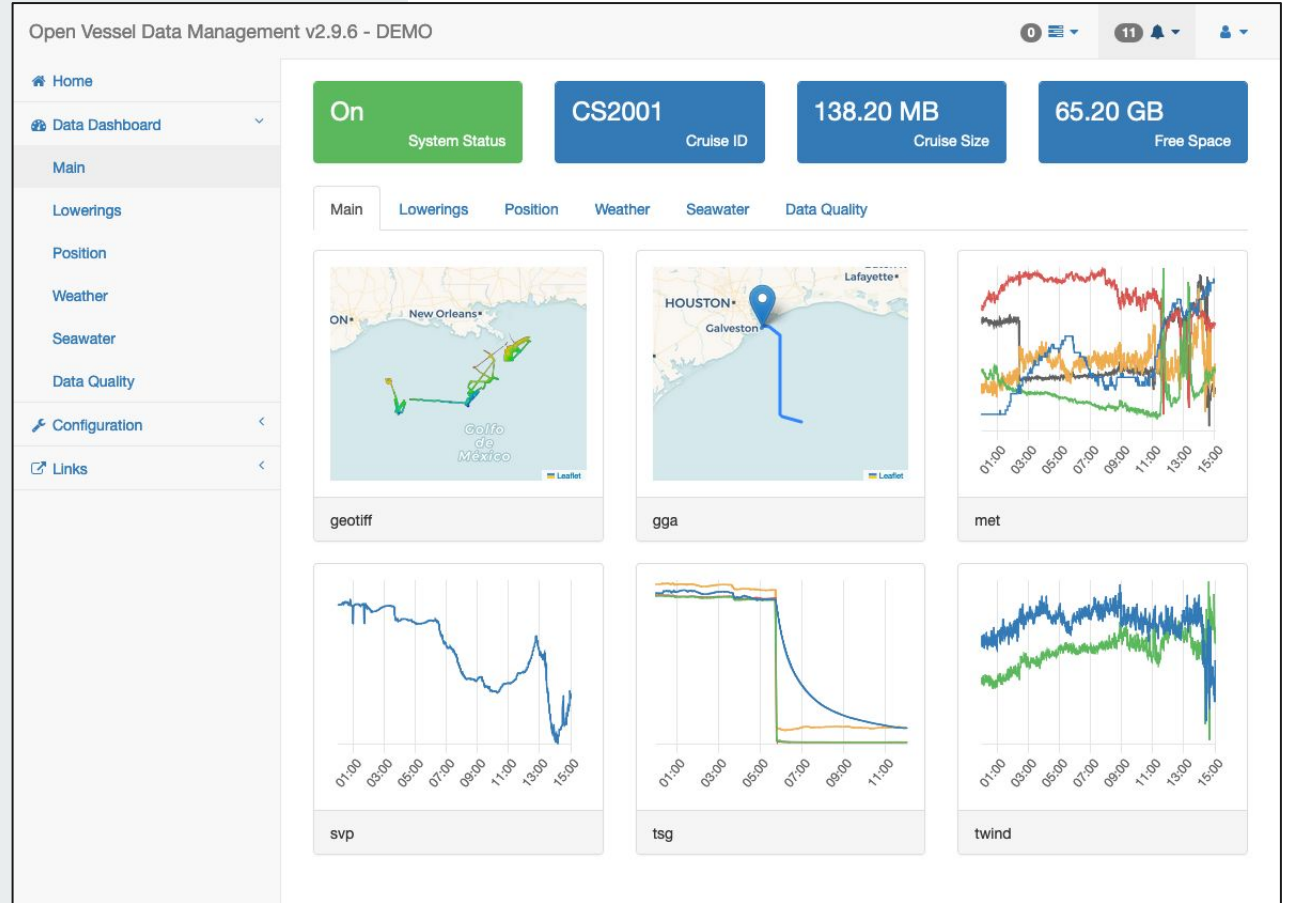
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The Web UI

Data Dashboard



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Data Dashboard

Geographic Datasets via
Leaflet

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On System Status CS2001 Cruise ID 138.20 MB Cruise Size 65.19 GB Free Space

Main Lowerings Position Weather Seawater Data Quality

Position

gga

Latest Position Select All Clear All

POSMV_GGA-2012-04-29-000000.txt POSMV_GGA-2012-04-28-000000.txt

geotiff

CS2001_MB_DLY01_50m_WGS84_20120428.tif Select All Clear All

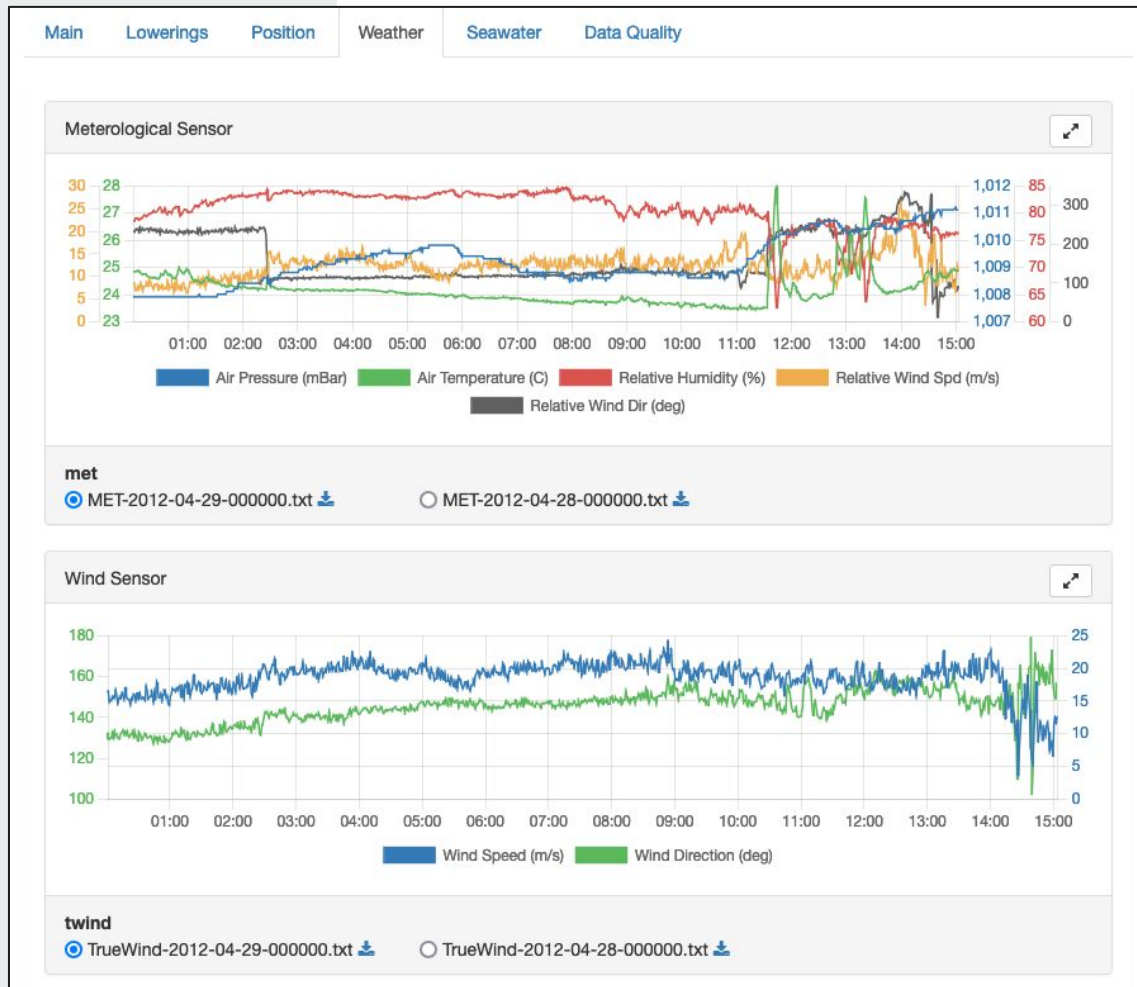
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The Web UI



Data Dashboard

Time series datasets
via chart.js

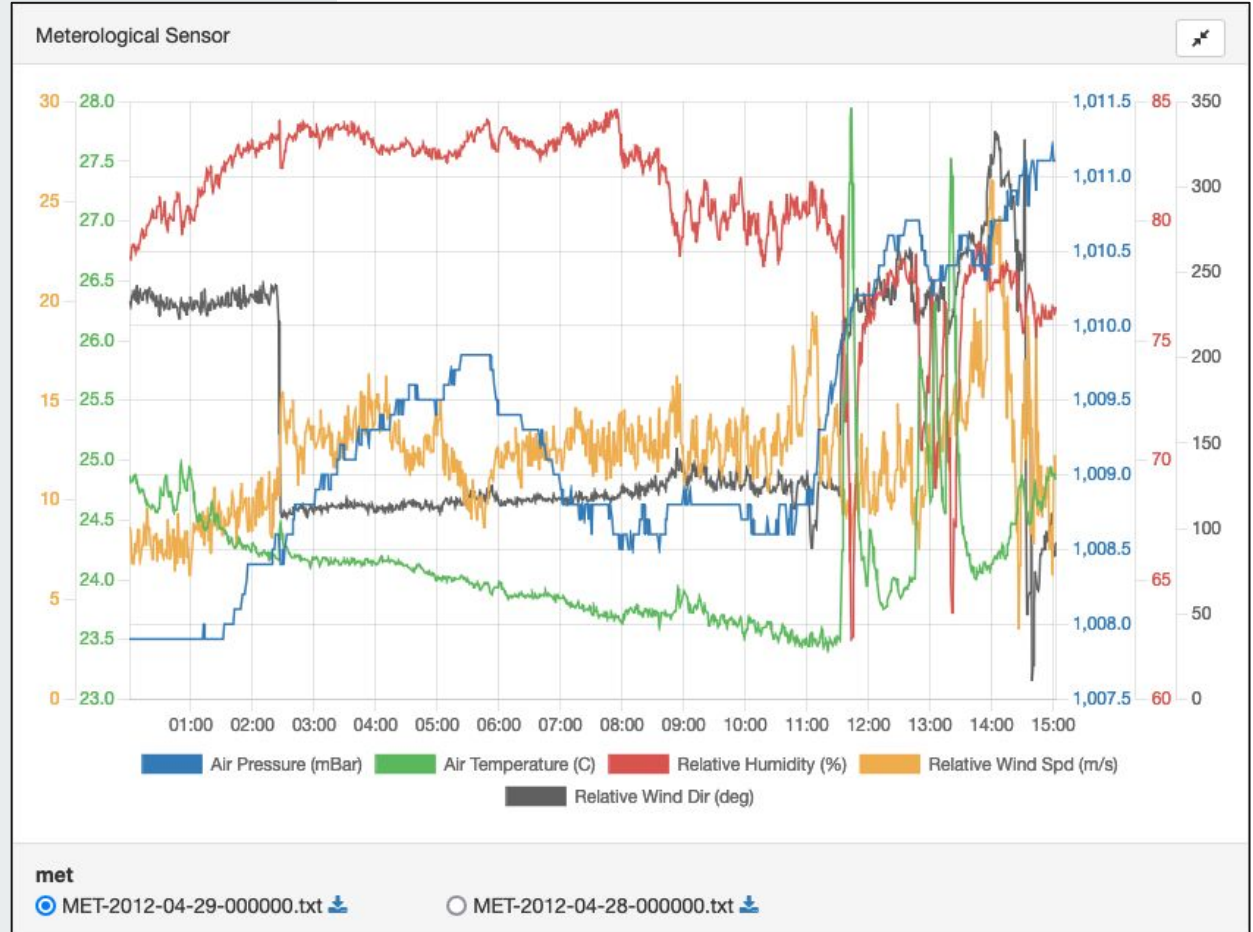


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Data Dashboard Data Quality

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Data Dashboard

- Main
- Lowerings
- Position
- Weather
- Seawater
- Data Quality**
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On System Status

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Main Lowerings Position Weather Seawater **Data Quality**

geotiff

Filename	Stats
CS2001/EM302/proc/CS2001_MB_DLY01_50m_WGS84_20120428.tif	Show
Show Totals	

gga

Filename	Rows	DeltaT	Velocity	Stats
CS2001/OpenRVDAS/raw/POSMV_GGA-2012-04-28-000000.txt	✓	✓	✓	Show
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On System Status CS2001 Cruise ID 13

Main Lowerings Position Weather Seawater Data Quality

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Show Totals

Data Dashboard

Show Filename and QA test results

The Web UI

Data Dashboard

Clicking “Show” displays details file stats as requested in the parser

The screenshot displays the 'Open Vessel Data Management v2.9.6 - DEMO' web interface. A modal window titled 'Stats for POSMV_GGA-2012-04-28-000000.txt' is open, showing various data statistics. The background interface includes a sidebar with 'Home', 'Data Dashboard', 'Configuration', and 'Links'. A top navigation bar shows '65.19 GB Free Space'. Below the modal, a table with columns 'Rows', 'DeltaT', 'Velocity', and 'Stats' is visible, showing two rows with green checkmarks and 'Show' buttons. A 'Show Totals' button is also present.

Row Validity:	Valid rows: 100%
Temporal Bounds:	Start: 2012-04-28T00:00:01.109000Z End: 2012-04-28T23:59:59.828000Z
DeltaT Bounds:	Min: 0.27 seconds, Max: 0.72 seconds
DeltaT Validity:	Valid data values: 100%
Geographic Bounds:	North: 27.632873 ddeg, East: -93.454841 ddeg South: 26.583874 ddeg, West: -93.982445 ddeg
Velocity Bounds:	Min: 0 kts, Max: 14.4 kts
Velocity Validity:	Valid data values: 100%
Distance Traveled:	202.79 nm
Number of Satellites:	Min: 5 sats, Max: 11 sats
Horizontal Degree of Precision:	Min: 0.7 , Max: 2.2
Altitude:	Min: -6.42 m, Max: 2.48 m
Height WGS84:	Min: 0 m, Max: 0 m

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Data Dashboard

Clicking “Show Totals” displays the combines stats for all the files of that type

Stats for gga		×
File Count:	2 files	
Row Validity:	Valid rows: 100%	
Temporal Bounds:	Start: 2012-04-28T00:00:01.109000Z End: 2012-04-29T15:03:05.648000Z	
DeltaT Bounds:	Min: 0.27 seconds, Max: 0.72 seconds	
DeltaT Validity:	Valid data values: 100%	
Geographic Bounds:	North: 29.346153 ddeg, East: -93.982493 ddeg South: 26.583874 ddeg, West: -94.802083 ddeg	
Velocity Bounds:	Min: 0 kts, Max: 15.68 kts	
Velocity Validity:	Valid data values: 100%	
Distance Traveled:	339.24 nm	
Number of Satellites:	Min: 5 sats, Max: 11 sats	
Horizontal Degree of Precision:	Min: 0.7 , Max: 2.2	
Altitude:	Min: -6.42 m, Max: 2.48 m	
Height WGS84:	Min: 0 m, Max: 0 m	

Close

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CS2001 Cruise ID

138.20 MB Cruise Size

65.19 GB Free Space

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Cruise Control

Setup New Cruise

Run End-of-Cruise Tasks

Edit Current Cruise

Maintenance Tasks

Rebuild MD5 Summary	Run
Rebuild Data Dashboard	Run
Rebuild Cruise Directory	Run
Re-export the OpenVDM Configuration	Run
Sync PublicData within Cruise Directory	Run

Collection System Transfer Status

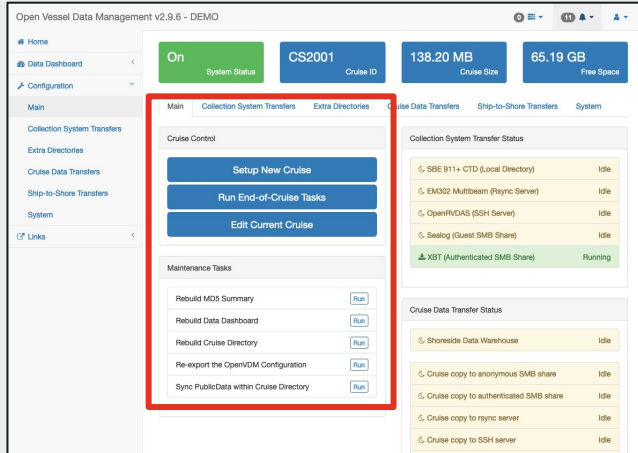
SBE 911+ CTD (Local Directory)	Idle
EM302 Multibeam (Rsync Server)	Idle
OpenRVDAS (SSH Server)	Idle
Sealog (Guest SMB Share)	Idle
XBT (Authenticated SMB Share)	Running

Cruise Data Transfer Status

Shoreside Data Warehouse	Idle
Cruise copy to anonymous SMB share	Idle
Cruise copy to authenticated SMB share	Idle
Cruise copy to rsync server	Idle
Cruise copy to SSH server	Idle

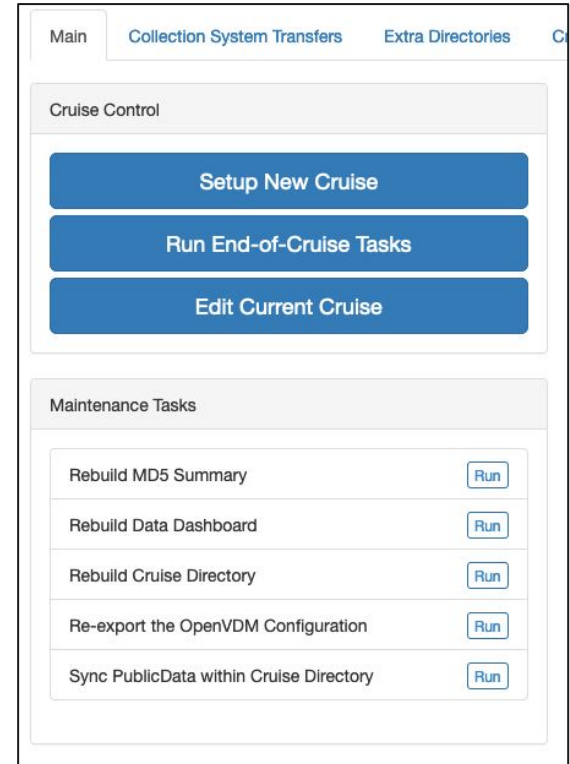
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Cruise Control

Manage the current cruise



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Creating a new cruise

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Create New Cruise

Cruise ID

Cruise Start Date/Time (UTC) **Cruise Start Port**

2024/10/14 00:00

Cruise End Date/Time (UTC) **Cruise End Port**

Collection Systems

Name	Enabled
SBE 911+ CTD (Local Directory)	On
EM302 Multibeam (Rsync Server)	On
OpenRVDAS (SSH Server)	On
Sealog (Guest SMB Share)	On
XBT (Authenticated SMB Share)	On

Other Options

Name	Enabled
Show Lowering Components	Off
Ship-to-Shore Transfers	On

Create **Cancel**

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Create New Cruise

Cruise ID

Cruise Start Date/Time (UTC) **Cruise Start Port**

2024/10/14 00:00

Cruise End Date/Time (UTC) **Cruise End Port**

Collection Systems

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SBE 911+ CTD (Local Directory)	On
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OpenRVDAS (SSH Server)	On
Sealog (Guest SMB Share)	On
XBT (Authenticated SMB Share)	On

Other Options

Name	Enabled
Show Lowering Components	Off
Ship-to-Shore Transfers	On

Create **Cancel**

Steps:

1. Define the Cruise ID
2. Define Start/Stop dates and ports
3. Enable pertinent transfers
4. Click "Create"

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Name	Action	Enabled
EM302 Multibeam (Rsync Server)	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
OpenRVDAS (SSH Server)	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
OpenRVDAS collecting data for ROV	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
SBE 911+ CTD (Local Directory)	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
Sealog (Guest SMB Share)	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
XBT (Authenticated SMB Share)	Edit / Delete / Test / Stop	On

[Add New Collection System Transfer](#)

Page Guide

This page is for managing Collection System Transfers. A Collection System Transfer is an OpenVDM-managed file transfer from a data acquisition system to the Shipboard Data Warehouse.

Clicking an **Edit** link will redirect you to the corresponding "Edit Collection System Transfer Form" where you can modify the Collection System Transfer settings.

Clicking a **Delete** link will permanently delete the corresponding Collection System Transfer. There is a confirmation window so don't worry about accidental clicks.

Clicking a **Test** link will verify the corresponding Collection System Transfer configuration is valid. A window will appear displaying the test results. If there is a **▲** in a row, the corresponding Collection System Transfer has encountered an error. Click **Test** to diagnose the problem.

Clicking a **Run** link will manually trigger the corresponding Collection System Transfer to start. If the Collection System Transfer is currently running, this link is not present.

Clicking a **Stop** link will manually trigger the corresponding Collection System Transfer to stop immediately. If the Collection System Transfer is not currently running, this link is not present.

Main Collection System Transfers Extra Directories Cruise Data Transfers

Name	Action	Enabled
EM302 Multibeam (Rsync Server)	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
OpenRVDAS (SSH Server)	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
OpenRVDAS collecting data for ROV	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
SBE 911+ CTD (Local Directory)	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
Sealog (Guest SMB Share)	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
XBT (Authenticated SMB Share)	Edit / Delete / Test / Stop	On

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Configuration Collection System Transfers

. The Include Filter, Exclude Filter and Ignore Filter are used to specify which files to/not to transfer. These filters use the glob filename querying language (i.e. "file"). Use a single comma (,) to delimitate between filters when multiple filters of a specific type are required (i.e. "file,*"). The Include Filter defines what files should be transferred, if nothing is placed here OpenVDM assumes all files in the Source Directory should be transferred. The Exclude Filter is used to specify files that match the pattern defined in the Include Filter but that should NOT be transferred. The Ignore Filter defines files in the Source Directory that should NOT be transferred and should be ignored entirely by OpenVDM. The Skip files being actively written to? column restricts OpenVDM on whether to copy all files in the source directory or to'."/>

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Edit Collection System Transfer

Name XBT

Long Name XBT (Authenticated SMB Share)

Destination Directory XBT

Include Filter *CS2001_XBT[0-9][0-9][0-9]_*

Exclude Filter

Ignore Filter

Page Guide

This form is for editing an existing Collection System Transfer within OpenVDM. A Collection System Transfer is an OpenVDM-managed file transfer from a data acquisition system to the Shipboard Data Warehouse.

The **Name** field is a short name for the Collection System Transfer (i.e. WH000). These names should NOT have spaces in them.

The **Long Name** field is a longer name for the Collection System Transfer (i.e. R03 Workhorse 3000Hz ADCP). These names can have spaces in them.

The **Destination Directory** is where the data will be stored within the cruise data directory. This can be a parent directory (i.e. WH000) or a sub-directory (i.e. ADCP/WH000). If a sub-directory is defined use the UNIX-style directory notation "/.

The **Include Filter**, **Exclude Filter** and **Ignore Filter** are used to specify which files to/not to transfer. These filters use the glob filename querying language (i.e. "file"). Use a single comma (,) to delimitate between filters when multiple filters of a specific type are required (i.e. "file,*"). The **Include Filter** defines what files should be transferred, if nothing is placed here OpenVDM assumes all files in the **Source Directory** should be transferred. The **Exclude Filter** is used to specify files that match the pattern defined in the **Include Filter** but that should NOT be transferred. The **Ignore Filter** defines files in the **Source Directory** that should NOT be transferred and should be ignored entirely by OpenVDM.

The **Skip files being actively written to?** column restricts OpenVDM on whether to copy all files in the source directory or to

Edit Collection System Transfer

Name

Long Name

Destination Directory

Include Filter

- Name
- Long Name
- Destination Directory
- Include filter

Filter uses glob syntax

- Supports options (txt | csv)
- Supports ranges ([0-9])
- Supports a cruiseID wildcard ({cruiseID})

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Filter files by:

- If completed
- Modification times

...and many of the common
rsync options

Skip files being actively written to?
 No Yes

Time to wait when checking for active writes (seconds)?

Remove source files after copy (--remove-source-files)?
 No Yes

Skip files create/modified outside of cruise start/stop times?
 No Yes

Skip empty directories (-m)?
 No Yes

Skip empty files (--min-size=0)?
 No Yes

Sync with source directory (--delete)?
 No Yes

Transfer bandwidth limit (in kB/s):

Transfer Type

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Configuration

Collection System Transfers

- Multiple options for connecting to remote systems.
- No client-side software to install.

Transfer Type

Local Directory Rsync Server SMB Share
 SSH Server

Source Directory

XBT

SMB Server/Share

//localhost/SampleAuthSource

SMB Domain

WORKGROUP

SMB Username

survey

SMB Password

.....

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Configuration Extra Directories

Directories creating within the cruise data directory that are **not** associated with collection system transfers

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Name	Action	Enabled
Cruise Tracklines	Edit / Delete	On

Add New Extra Directory

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This page is for managing extra directories in the cruise data directory. Extra directories are for holding files that can not be automatically transferred into the cruise data directory via Collection System Transfers.

Examples for having Extra Directories include storing data from collection systems that cannot be connected to via SMB or SSH/Rsync, or storing manually-created data products such as maps, and storing manually-created reports/summaries.

Clicking an **Edit** link will redirect you to the corresponding "Edit Extra Directory Form" where you can modify the Extra Directory name and location.

Clicking a **Delete** link will permanently delete the corresponding Extra Directory. There is a confirmation window so don't worry about accidental clicks.

The button in the **Enabled** column shows whether the directory will be created within the cruise data directory for the current cruise. Click the button to toggle the enable/disable the corresponding Extra Directory. In accordance with OpenVDM data integrity policies, disabling an extra directory will not delete an existing directory. The directory will simply not be created within the cruise data directory when a new cruise is initialized.

Click the **Add New Extra Directory** button to add a new Extra Directory.

Edit Extra Directory

Name

Long Name

Destination Directory

Update Cancel

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Name	Action	Enabled
Cruise copy to anonymous SMB share	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
Cruise copy to authenticated SMB share	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
Cruise copy to local directory	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
Cruise copy to rsync server	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
Cruise copy to SSH server	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On

Add New Cruise Data Transfer

Page Guide

This page is for managing Cruise Data Transfers. A Cruise Data Transfer is an OpenVDM-managed copy of all collected data from the current cruise data directory on the Shipboard Data Warehouse to a remote server, NAS box or external HDD connected to the Shipboard Data Warehouse.

Clicking an **Edit** link will redirect you to the corresponding "Edit Cruise Data Transfer Form" where you can modify the Cruise Data Transfer settings.

Clicking a **Delete** link will permanently delete the corresponding Collection System Transfer. There is a confirmation window so don't worry about accidental clicks.

Clicking a **Test** link will verify the corresponding Cruise Data Transfer configuration is valid. A window will appear displaying the test results. If there is a **!** in a row, the corresponding Cruise Data Transfer has encountered and error. Click **Test** to diagnose the problem.

Clicking a **Run** link will manually trigger the corresponding Cruise Data Transfer to start. If the Cruise Data Transfer is currently running, this link is not present

Clicking a **Stop** link will manually trigger the corresponding Cruise Data Transfer to stop immediately. If the Cruise Data Transfer is not currently running, this link is not present

The button in the **Enabled** Column shows whether the

Main Collection System Transfers Extra Directories Cruise Data Transfers

Name	Action	Enabled
Cruise copy to anonymous SMB share	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
Cruise copy to authenticated SMB share	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
Cruise copy to local directory	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
Cruise copy to rsync server	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On
Cruise copy to SSH server	Edit / Delete / Test / Run	On

Add New Cruise Data Transfer

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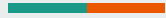
Cruise Data Transfers

- Name
- Long Name
- Rsync options

The screenshot shows a web interface for editing a 'Cruise Data Transfer'. At the top, there are navigation tabs: 'Main', 'Collection System Transfers', 'Extra Directories', and 'Cruise'. The main content area is titled 'Edit Cruise Data Transfer' and contains the following fields and options:

- Name:** A text input field containing 'Cruise_Anon_SMB'.
- Long Name:** A text input field containing 'Cruise copy to anonymous SMB share'.
- Include OpenVDM generated files?:** Radio buttons for 'No' (selected) and 'Yes'.
- Skip empty directories (-m)?** Radio buttons for 'No' and 'Yes' (selected).
- Skip empty files (--min-size=0)?** Radio buttons for 'No' and 'Yes' (selected).
- Sync with destination directory (--delete)?** Radio buttons for 'No' (selected) and 'Yes'.
- Transfer bandwidth limit (in kB/s):** A text input field containing '0'.

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Configuration

Cruise Data Transfers

- Multiple options for connecting to remote systems.
- No client-side software to install.

Transfer Type

Local Directory Rsync Server SMB Share
 SSH Server

Destination Directory

/

SMB Server/Share

//localhost/SampleAnonDestination

SMB Domain

WORKGROUP

SMB Username

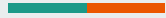
guest

SMB Password

Select any Collection Systems to EXCLUDE:

SBE 911+ CTD (Local Directory)
 EM302 Multibeam (Rsync Server)
 OpenRVDAS (SSH Server)

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Cruise Data Transfers

- Copy all or a subset of the cruise data directory to destination

Select any Collection Systems to EXCLUDE:

- SBE 911+ CTD (Local Directory)
- EM302 Multibeam (Rsync Server)
- OpenRVDAS (SSH Server)
- OpenRVDAS collecting data for ROV
- Sealog (Guest SMB Share)
- XBT (Authenticated SMB Share)

Select any Extra Directories to EXCLUDE:

- Dashboard Data
- Files copied from PublicData share
- Cruise Tracklines
- Transfer Logs

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If you want to...

- ...run jobs at the beginning of a cruise
- ...run jobs on files as they appear in the cruise data directory
- ...run jobs at the end of a cruise

Then you hooks are for you.

Hooks



```
# The hooks section contains any additional Gearman tasks that should be
# performed after the successful completion of the primary OpenVDM
# Gearman task. Any subsequent tasks called with be called as background
# Gearman tasks so to not interfere with OpenVDM's primary operation.
hooks:
  runCollectionSystemTransfer:
    - updateDataDashboard
    - updateMD5Summary
    - postCollectionSystemTransfer
  updateDataDashboard:
    - updateMD5Summary
    - postDataDashboard
  rebuildDataDashboard:
    - updateMD5Summary
    - postDataDashboard
  setupNewCruise:
    - postSetupNewCruise
  setupNewLowering:
    - postSetupNewLowering
  finalizeCurrentCruise:
    - postFinalizeCurrentCruise
  finalizeCurrentLowering:
    - postFinalizeCurrentLowering
```

Hooks



```
# The postHookCommands section contains any additional commands that should be
# performed after the successful completion of the primary OpenVDM Gearman task.
# Any subsequent tasks called with be called as background Gearman tasks so to
# not interfere with OpenVDM's primary operation.
postHookCommands:
  postCollectionSystemTransfer:
    - collectionSystemTransferName: OpenRVDAS
    commandList:
      - name: "R2R NavManager"
        command:
          - /opt/openvdm/venv/bin/python
          - /opt/openvdm/bin/r2r_nav_manager.py
          - OpenRVDAS
  postSetupNewCruise:
    commandList:
      - name: "Build new OpenRVDAS config file"
        command:
          - ssh
          - sio-sts@sp-openrvdas.ucsd.edu
          - "bash /opt/SIO-SP/openrvdas/bin/build_openrvdas_config.sh"
  postFinalizeCurrentCruise:
    commandList:
      - name: "Export Sealog Vessel Data"
        command:
          - /opt/sealog-server-vessel/venv/bin/python
          - /opt/sealog-server-vessel/misc/sealog_vessel_data_export.py
```

Hooks



/opt/openvdm/server/etc/openvdm.yaml

```
postHookCommands:
  postCollectionSystemTransfer:
    - collectionSystemTransferName: SomeTransfer
      commandList:
        - name: "Some process"
          command:
            - bash
            - /home/mtech/process_file.sh
            - {newFiles}
```

/home/mtech/process_file.sh

```
process_file() {
  INPUT_FILE=$1

  echo "Current input file: ${INPUT_FILE}"
  if [ -f "${INPUT_FILE}" ]; then
    echo "Processing file: ${INPUT_FILE}"

    #####
    #   PUT PROCESSING CODE HERE   #
    #####

  else
    echo "WARNING: file does not exist... skipping."
  fi
}

main() {

  for data_file in "${DATA_FILES[@]}"; do
    process_file "${data_file}"
  done
}

# -----
main "$@"
```

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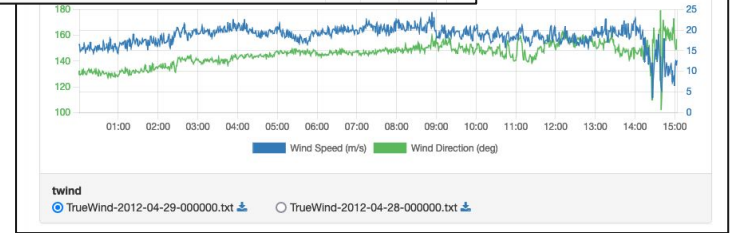
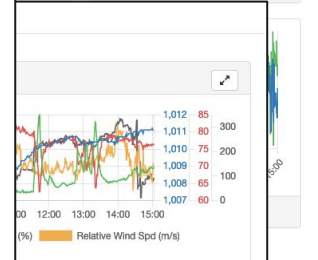
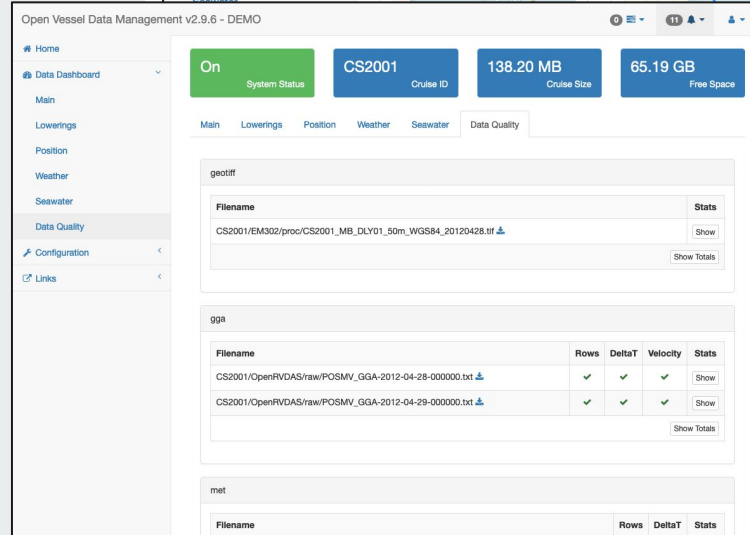
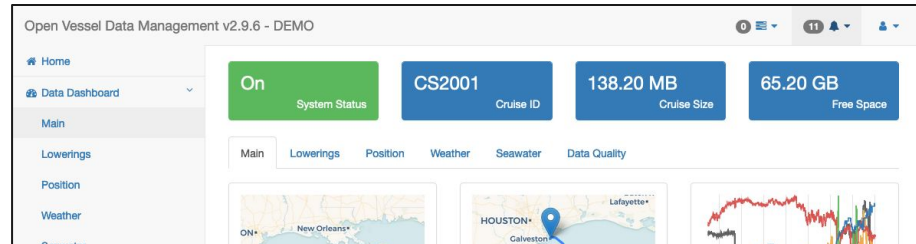


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Plugins & Parsers

Plugins handle collection systems

Parsers handle file types



Plugins & Parsers



Plugins location: `./server/plugins`

Naming convention: `<cst_name>_plugin.py`

Parser location: `./server/plugins/parser`

Naming convention: `<filetype>_parser.py`

Plugins



Plugins are called by the `runCollectionSystemTransfer` hook.

When called, the plugin:

- Determines if a parser exists for the filetype
- Passes the file to the parser
- Saves the output to the cruise data directory
- Updates the data dashboard manifest

Plugins



Look up array passed to the plugin to determine the correct parser and data_type for the given file.

```
from server.plugins.parsers.gga_parser import GGAParser
from server.plugins.parsers.met_parser import MetParser
from server.plugins.parsers.svp_parser import SVPParser
from server.plugins.parsers.tsg_parser import TSGParser
from server.plugins.parsers.twind_parser import TWindParser

# -----
# This array defines the various dataTypes collected by
# OpenRVDAS and the corresponding file regex expression.
# -----
fileTypeFilters = [
    {"data_type": "gga", "regex": "*/raw/POSMV_GGA-*.txt", "parser": "GGA", 'parser_options': {}},
    {"data_type": "met", "regex": "*/raw/MET-*.txt", "parser": "Met", 'parser_options': {}},
    {"data_type": "svp", "regex": "*/raw/SVP-*.txt", "parser": "SVP", 'parser_options': {}},
    {"data_type": "tsg", "regex": "*/raw/TSG_Raw-*.txt", "parser": "TSG", 'parser_options': {}},
    {"data_type": "twind", "regex": "*/proc/TrueWind-*.txt", "parser": "TWind", 'parser_options': {}}
]
```

Plugins



Interface:

get_parser(filepath)

- Returns the appropriate parser for the file

get_data_type(filepath)

- Returns the data_type string for the file

get_json_str(filepath)

- Returns the data_type string for the file

```
from server.lib.openvdm_plugin import OpenVDMPlugin

class OpeRVDasPlugin(OpenVDMPlugin):
    def __init__(self):
        super().__init__(fileTypeFilters)

    def get_parser(self, filepath):
        file_type_filter = list(
            filter(lambda file_type_filter:
                fnmatch.fnmatch(filepath, file_type_filter['regex']),
                self.file_type_filters)
        )

        if len(file_type_filter) == 0:
            return None

        file_type_filter = file_type_filter[0]

        if file_type_filter['parser'] == "GGA":
            return GGAParser(**file_type_filter['parser_options'])

        if file_type_filter['parser'] == "SVP":
            return SVPParser(**file_type_filter['parser_options'])

        if file_type_filter['parser'] == "Met":
            return MetParser(**file_type_filter['parser_options'])

        return None
```

Plugins



Interface:

Optional Args: --dataType

Required Args: dataFile

```
if __name__ == "__main__":
    parser = argparse.ArgumentParser(description='OpenVDM plugin for OpenRVDAS')
    parser.add_argument('--dataType', action='store_true',
                        help='return the dataType of the file')
    parser.add_argument('dataFile', metavar='dataFile',
                        help='the raw data file to process')

    parsed_args = parser.parse_args()

    if not os.path.isfile(parsed_args.dataFile):
        logging.error("File not found")
        sys.exit(1)

    if os.stat(parsed_args.dataFile).st_size == 0:
        logging.warning("File is empty")
        sys.exit(0)

    plugin = OpenRVDASPlugin()

    if parsed_args.dataType:
        dataType = plugin.get_data_type(parsed_args.dataFile)
        if dataType is None:
            logging.warning("File is of unknown type")
            sys.exit(1)
        print(dataType)
    else:
        jsonSTR = plugin.get_json_str(parsed_args.dataFile)
        if jsonSTR is None:
            logging.warning("Nothing returned from parser")
            sys.exit(1)
        print(jsonSTR)
```

Parsers



Parsers are called to process files.

When called, the parser:

- Ingests the file into a Pandas dataframe
- Collects Statistics
- Runs QA Tests
- Sub-samples the data
- Outputs the Stats, QA Tests results and sub-sampled data to a JSON-formatted file.

Parsers



JSON Output Format

- VisualizerData
- QualityTests
- Stats

```
{
  "visualizerData": [
    {
      "data": [
        ...
      ],
      "unit": "m/s",
      "label": "Sound Velocity"
    }
  ],
  "qualityTests": [
    { "testName": "DeltaT", "results": "Passed" }
  ],
  "stats": [
    {
      "statName": "DeltaT Bounds",
      "statType": "bounds",
      "statUnit": "seconds",
      "statValue": [ 0.0, 0.266 ]
    },
    {
      "statName": "Sound Velocity Bounds",
      "statType": "bounds",
      "statUnit": "m/s",
      "statValue": [ 1443.83, 1534.3 ]
    }
  ]
}
```

Parsers



VisualizerData

- Supports multiple objects
- Time series Object contains:
 - Data
 - Unit
 - Label

- GeoJSON also supported

```
{
  "visualizerData": [
    {
      "data": [
        [ 1335657660000, 1533.85 ],
        [ 1335657720000, 1533.85 ],
        [ 1335657780000, 1533.85 ],
        [ 1335657840000, 1533.85 ],
        [ 1335657900000, 1533.86 ],
        [ 1335657960000, 1533.86 ],
        [ 1335658020000, 1533.86 ],
        ...
        [ 1335711840000, 1525.89 ]
      ],
      "unit": "m/s",
      "label": "Sound Velocity"
    }
  ]
}
```


Parsers



Quality Tests

- Supports multiple objects
- Each object contains:
 - testName
 - testValue
- Valid values are:
 - Passed
 - Failed
 - Warning

```
"qualityTests": [  
  {  
    "testName": "Rows",  
    "results": "Passed"  
  },  
  {  
    "testName": "DeltaT",  
    "results": "Passed"  
  },  
  {  
    "testName": "Velocity",  
    "results": "Passed"  
  }  
]
```

Parsers



Stats

- Supports multiple objects
- Each object contains:
 - statName
 - statType
 - statUnit
 - statValue

```
"stats": [  
  {  
    "statName": "Row Validity",  
    "statType": "rowValidity",  
    "statUnit": "",  
    "statValue": [ 541850, 4 ]  
  },  
  {  
    "statName": "Temporal Bounds",  
    "statType": "timeBounds",  
    "statUnit": "seconds",  
    "statValue": [  
      "2012-04-29T00:00:00.312000Z",  
      "2012-04-29T15:03:06.023000Z"  
    ]  
  },  
  {  
    "statName": "DeltaT Bounds",  
    "statType": "bounds",  
    "statUnit": "seconds",  
    "statValue": [ 0.0, 0.266 ]  
  },  
  {  
    "statName": "DeltaT Validity",  
    "statType": "valueValidity",  
    "statUnit": "",  
    "statValue": [ 541849, 0 ]  
  },  
]
```

Parsers



Stats

Format of statValue depends on statType

StatTypes:

- bounds - min/max
- timeBounds - start/stop
- geoBounds - bounding box
- totalValue - sum value
- valueValidity - value percentage good
- rowValidity - row percentage good

```
"stats": [  
  {  
    "statName": "Row Validity",  
    "statType": "rowValidity",  
    "statUnit": "",  
    "statValue": [ 541850, 4 ]  
  },  
  {  
    "statName": "Temporal Bounds",  
    "statType": "timeBounds",  
    "statUnit": "seconds",  
    "statValue": [  
      "2012-04-29T00:00:00.312000Z",  
      "2012-04-29T15:03:06.023000Z"  
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  },  
  {  
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    "statType": "valueValidity",  
    "statUnit": "",  
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  },  
]
```

Parsers



- Define how to parse the csv file
- Define what fields will be in the output
- Define how to round data in output
- Define max time delta between data rows

```
RAW_COLS = ['date_time', 'hdr', 'sensor_date', 'sensor_time',  
'air_pres', 'air_temp', 'humidity', 'vector_wind_spd',  
'vector_wind_dir', 'scalar_wind_spd', 'max_wind_spd', 'checksum']  
  
PROC_COLS = ['date_time', 'air_pres', 'air_temp', 'humidity',  
'vector_wind_spd', 'vector_wind_dir']  
  
ROUNDING = {  
    'air_pres': 1,  
    'air_temp': 2,  
    'humidity': 1,  
    'vector_wind_spd': 1,  
    'vector_wind_dir': 1  
}  
  
MAX_DELTA_T = pd.Timedelta('10 seconds')
```

Parsers



- Instantiate the OpenVDMCSVParser class
- Override the process_file method

```
from server.lib.openvdm_plugin import OpenVDMCSVParser

class MetParser(OpenVDMCSVParser):

    def __init__(self, start_dt=None, stop_dt=None,
                 time_format=None, skip_header=False,
                 use_openvdm_api=False):
        super().__init__(RAW_COLS, PROC_COLS, start_dt=start_dt,
                        stop_dt=stop_dt, time_format=time_format,
                        skip_header=skip_header,
                        use_openvdm_api=use_openvdm_api)

    def process_file(self, filepath):
```

Parsers



Override the process_file method

- Parse data

```
def process_file(self, filepath):
    raw_into_df = { value: [] for key, value in enumerate(self.proc_cols) }
    errors = []

    try:
        with open(filepath, mode='r', encoding="utf-8") as csvfile:
            reader = csv.DictReader(csvfile, self.raw_cols)

            for lineno, line in enumerate(reader):

                try:
                    date_time = line['date_time'] # OpenRVDAS style

                    air_pres = float(line['air_pres'])
                    air_temp = float(line['air_temp'])
                    humidity = float(line['humidity'])

                except Exception as err:
                    errors.append(lineno)

                else:
                    raw_into_df['date_time'].append(date_time)
                    raw_into_df['air_pres'].append(air_pres)
                    raw_into_df['air_temp'].append(air_temp)
                    raw_into_df['humidity'].append(humidity)

    except Exception as err:
        logging.error(str(err))
    return
```

Parsers



Override the process_file method

- Ingest data into Pandas dataframe
- Optionally crop data

```
# If no data ingested from file, quit
if len(raw_into_df['date_time']) == 0:
    logging.warning("Dataframe is empty... quitting")
    return

# Build DataFrame
logging.debug("Building dataframe from parsed data...")
df_proc = pd.DataFrame(raw_into_df)

# Convert Date/time column to datetime objects
logging.debug("Converting date_time to datetime datatype...")

df_proc['date_time'] = pd.to_datetime(df_proc['date_time'],
                                     format=self.time_format)

# Optionally crop data by start/stop times
if self.start_dt or self.stop_dt:
    logging.debug("Cropping data...")
    df_proc = self.crop_data(df_proc)

# If the crop operation emptied the dataframe, quit
if df_proc.shape[0] == 0:
    logging.warning("Cropped dataframe is empty... quitting")
    return
```

Parsers



- Collect Stats
- Run QA Tests

```
logging.debug('Building deltaT column...')
df_proc = df_proc.join(df_proc['date_time'].diff().to_frame(name='deltaT'))

logging.debug("Tabulating statistics...")
self.add_row_validity_stat([len(df_proc), len(errors)])

self.add_time_bounds_stat([df_proc['date_time'].min(),
                           df_proc['date_time'].max()])

self.add_bounds_stat([round(df_proc['deltaT'].min().total_seconds(),3),
                      round(df_proc['deltaT'].max().total_seconds(),3)],
                    'DeltaT Bounds', 'seconds')

self.add_value_validity_stat([len(df_proc[(df_proc['deltaT'] <= MAX_DELTA_T)]),
                              len(df_proc[(df_proc['deltaT'] > MAX_DELTA_T)])],
                             'DeltaT Validity')

self.add_bounds_stat([round(df_proc['vector_wind_spd'].min(),
                            ROUNDING['vector_wind_spd']),
                      round(df_proc['vector_wind_spd'].max(),
                            ROUNDING['vector_wind_spd'])],
                    'Wind Speed Bounds', 'm/s')

...

# % of time gaps in data
error_rate = len(df_proc[(df_proc['deltaT'] > MAX_DELTA_T)]) / len(df_proc)
if error_rate > .25:
    self.add_quality_test_failed("DeltaT")
elif error_rate > .10:
    self.add_quality_test_warning("DeltaT")
else:
    self.add_quality_test_passed("DeltaT")

...
```


Parsers



- Sub-sample data
- Round data for readability
- Build visualizerData objects

```
logging.debug("Resampling data...")
df_proc = self.resample_data(df_proc)

logging.debug("Rounding data: %s", ROUNDING)
df_proc = self.round_data(df_proc, ROUNDING)

logging.debug("Building visualization data...")

visualizer_data_obj = {'data':[], 'unit':'', 'label':''}
visualizer_data_obj['data'] = json.loads(df_proc[['date_time','air_pres']]
                                         .to_json(orient='values'))
visualizer_data_obj['unit'] = 'mBar'
visualizer_data_obj['label'] = 'Air Pressure'
self.add_visualization_data(deepcopy(visualizer_data_obj))

visualizer_data_obj['data'] = json.loads(df_proc[['date_time','air_temp']]
                                         .to_json(orient='values'))
visualizer_data_obj['unit'] = 'C'
visualizer_data_obj['label'] = 'Air Temperature'
self.add_visualization_data(deepcopy(visualizer_data_obj))

visualizer_data_obj['data'] = json.loads(df_proc[['date_time','humidity']]
                                         .to_json(orient='values'))
visualizer_data_obj['unit'] = '%'
visualizer_data_obj['label'] = 'Relative Humidity'
self.add_visualization_data(deepcopy(visualizer_data_obj))

...

# send message about errors encountered to OpenVDM
if self.openvdm is not None and len(errors) > 0:
    self.openvdm.send_msg('Parsing Error',
                          f'Error(s) parsing datafile {filepath} on row(s):'
                          f'{"", ".join(condense_to_ranges(errors))}')
```

Parsers



Interface:

Optional Args:

- timeFormat
- startDT
- stopDT

Required Args: dataFile

```
if __name__ == "__main__":
    import argparse

    parser = argparse.ArgumentParser(description='Parse Met Sensor data')
    parser.add_argument('--timeFormat', help='timestamp format',
                        default=None)
    parser.add_argument('--startDT', default=None,
                        type=lambda s: datetime.strptime(s,
                        '%Y-%m-%dT%H:%M:%S.%fZ'),
                        help=' crop start timestamp (iso8601)')
    parser.add_argument('--stopDT', default=None,
                        type=lambda s: datetime.strptime(s,
                        '%Y-%m-%dT%H:%M:%S.%fZ'),
                        help=' crop stop timestamp (iso8601)')
    parser.add_argument('dataFile', metavar='dataFile',
                        help='the raw data file to process')

    parsed_args = parser.parse_args()

    ovdm_parser = MetParser(start_dt=parsed_args.startDT,
                            stop_dt=parsed_args.stopDT,
                            time_format=parsed_args.timeFormat)

    try:
        ovdm_parser.process_file(parsed_args.dataFile)
        print(ovdm_parser.to_json())
    except Exception as err:
        logging.error(str(err))
        raise err
```

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OpenVDM API



Most of the configuration and status data is accessible from the OpenVDM API.

Allows vessel operators to leverage the information in other systems (OpenRVDAS and Sealog)

```
//API-related routes
'api/warehouse/getCruiseConfig'
'api/warehouse/getCruiseID'
'api/warehouse/getCruiseSize'
'api/warehouse/getCruiseStartDate'
'api/warehouse/getCruiseEndDate'
'api/warehouse/getCruiseStartPort'
'api/warehouse/getCruiseEndPort'
'api/warehouse/getFreeSpace'
'api/warehouse/getSystemStatus'

'api/collectionSystemTransfers/getCollectionSystemTransfers'
'api/collectionSystemTransfers/getActiveCollectionSystemTransfers'
'api/collectionSystemTransfers/getCollectionSystemTransfer/(:num)'
'api/collectionSystemTransfers/getCollectionSystemTransfersStatuses'

'api/cruiseDataTransfers/getCruiseDataTransfers'
'api/cruiseDataTransfers/getCruiseDataTransfer/(:num)'
'api/cruiseDataTransfers/getCruiseDataTransfersStatuses'
```

OpenVDM API



```
OPENVDM_SERVER_URL="http://192.168.0.42"

query_api() {

    CRUISE_ID=`curl -s "${OPENVDM_SERVER_URL}/api/warehouse/getCruiseID" |
        python3 -c "import sys, json; print(json.load(sys.stdin)['cruiseID'])"`

    echo "Cruise ID: ${CRUISE_ID}"

    CRUISE_START_DATE=`curl -s "${OPENVDM_SERVER_URL}/api/warehouse/getCruiseStartDate" |
        python3 -c "import sys, json; print(json.load(sys.stdin)['cruiseStartDate'].split()[0])" | sed 's/?/?-?g'`

    echo "Cruise Start Date: ${CRUISE_START_DATE}"

    CRUISE_END_DATE=`curl -s "${OPENVDM_SERVER_URL}/api/warehouse/getCruiseEndDate" |
        python3 -c "import sys, json; print(json.load(sys.stdin)['cruiseEndDate'].split()[0])" | sed 's/?/?-?g'`

    echo "Cruise End Date: ${CRUISE_END_DATE}"

}
```

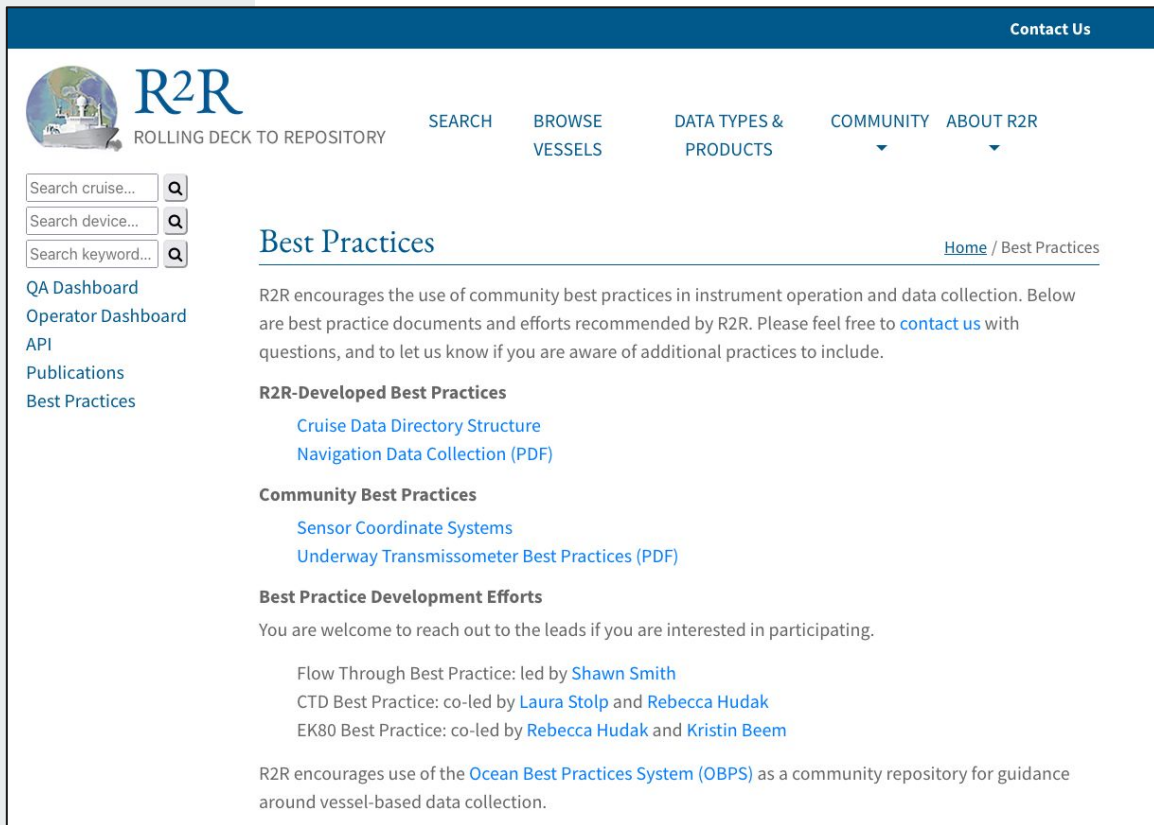
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R2R-Developed Best Practices

- [Cruise Data Directory Structure](#)
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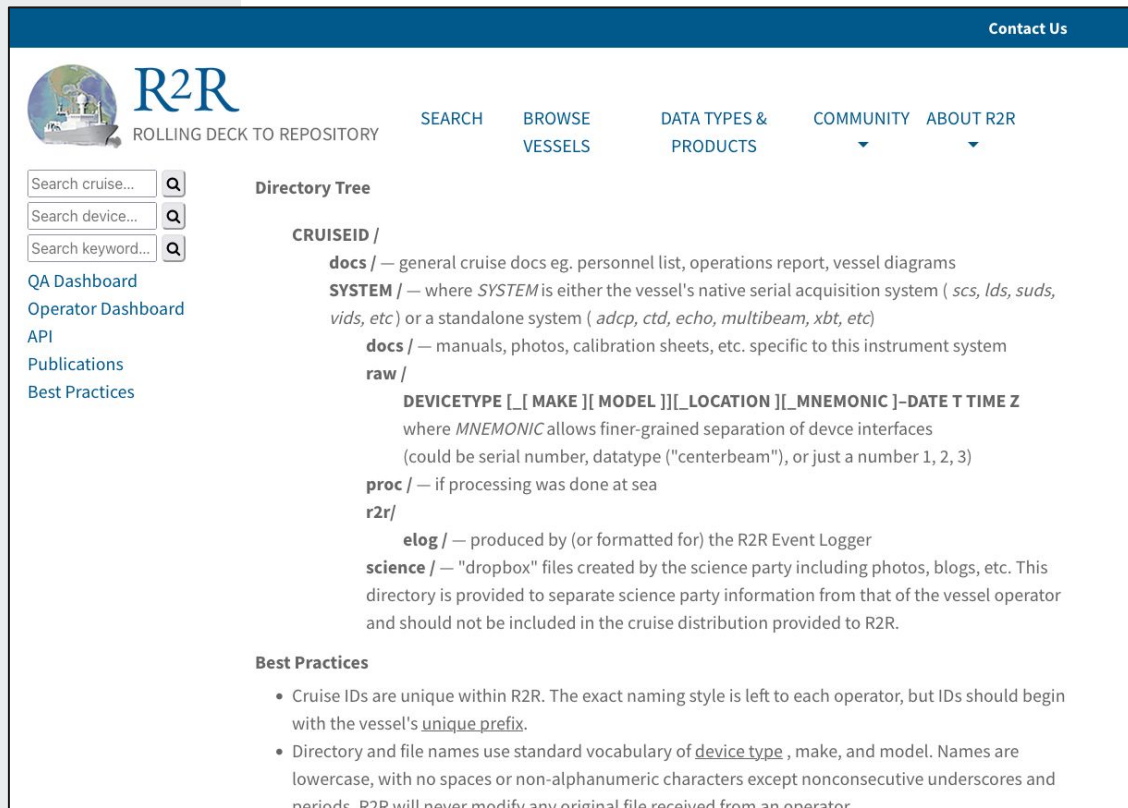
You are welcome to reach out to the leads if you are interested in participating.

- Flow Through Best Practice: led by [Shawn Smith](#)
- CTD Best Practice: co-led by [Laura Stolp](#) and [Rebecca Hudak](#)
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Directory Tree

CRUISEID /

- docs** / — general cruise docs eg. personnel list, operations report, vessel diagrams
- SYSTEM** / — where *SYSTEM* is either the vessel's native serial acquisition system (*scs*, *lds*, *suds*, *vids*, etc) or a standalone system (*adcp*, *ctd*, *echo*, *multibeam*, *xbt*, etc)
- docs** / — manuals, photos, calibration sheets, etc. specific to this instrument system
- raw** /
 - DEVICETYPE** [[MAKE] [MODEL]] [_LOCATION] [_MNEMONIC] -DATE T TIME Z
 - where *MNEMONIC* allows finer-grained separation of device interfaces (could be serial number, datatype ("centerbeam"), or just a number 1, 2, 3)
- proc** / — if processing was done at sea
- r2r** /
 - elog** / — produced by (or formatted for) the R2R Event Logger
 - science** / — "dropbox" files created by the science party including photos, blogs, etc. This directory is provided to separate science party information from that of the vessel operator and should not be included in the cruise distribution provided to R2R.

Best Practices

- Cruise IDs are unique within R2R. The exact naming style is left to each operator, but IDs should begin with the vessel's unique prefix.
- Directory and file names use standard vocabulary of device type, make, and model. Names are lowercase, with no spaces or non-alphanumeric characters except nonconsecutive underscores and periods. R2R will never modify any original file received from an operator.

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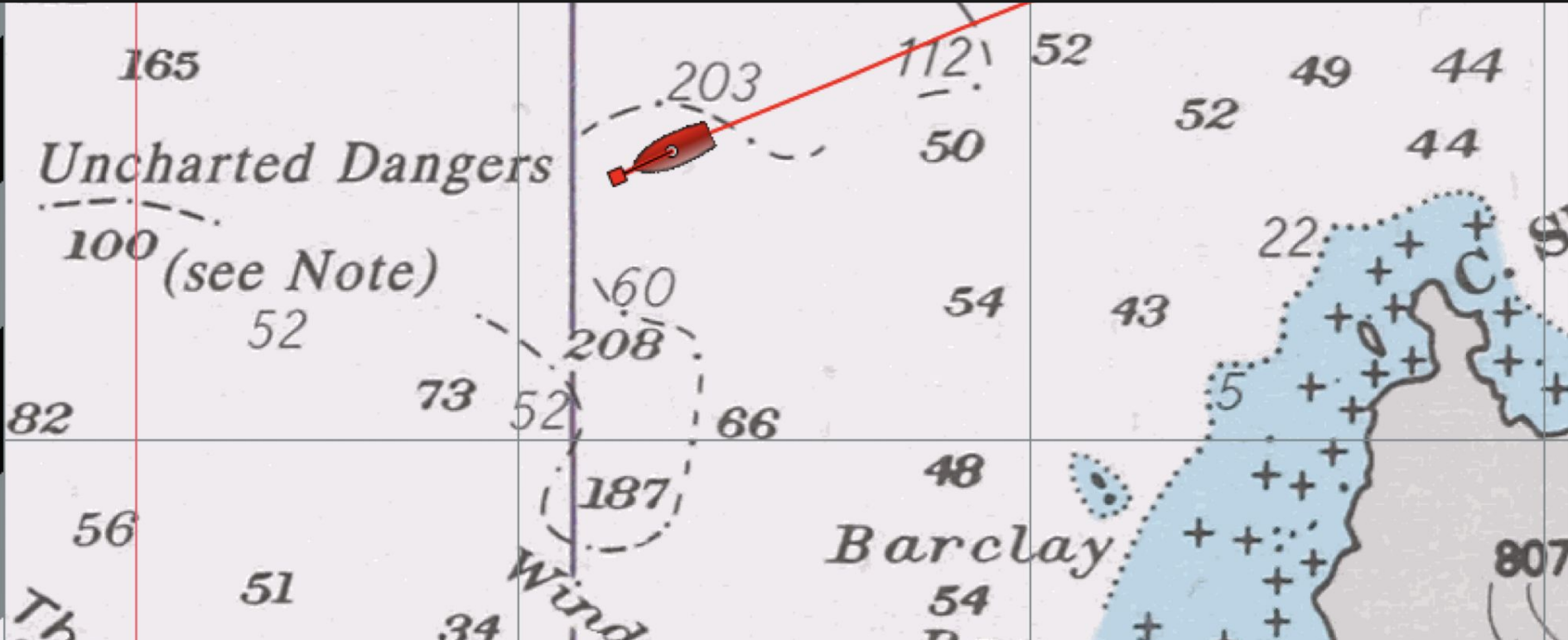
Contributing to OpenVDM



Because sharing is caring! ❤️

- Bug reports/feature requests:
<https://github.com/OceanDataTools/openvdm/issues>

Where to from here?



Where to from here?



- OpenVDM 3.0 is on the horizon
- Ditching PHP for python/nodeJS
- Multi-platform support (ROVs, AUVs, HOVs, etc)
- Cloud storage destination support
- Alternative OS support

<http://tinyurl.com/oceandatatools-rvtec-2024>