

Infrastructure needs: Plotting, processing, comparing and using data

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Goal for infrastructure project

- Design an open source infrastructure to
 - Read/write new structure
 - Convert legacy formats to new structure
 - Process new structure
 - E.g., group data for deterministic transport
 - Plot data
 - Functions that convert data into pointwise
 - Modify data
 - Check data
 - Others?

Proposed Gantt chart

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I plan to start infrastructure in Phase 1

Phase 1

- Ping various organizations to determine their
 - current infrastructure
 - supported formats
 - needs and wants
- Make a list of current infrastructures, and needs and wants
- Set up team
- Present at the 2013 Nov. meeting
- This will mainly involve me

Phase 2

- Review existing infrastructures
 - Compare to list from phase 1
- Have a report for 2014 May meeting
 - Language(s) to implement infrastructure in
 - Functions/Classes to implement
 - Features to implement

Phase 3, 4 and 5: Follow Gantt chart

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Potential issues

- Can LLNL/LANL/BNL/ORNL release all of its codes?
 - What about other institutions?
- What Language/Version
 - E.g., Python 2 or 3
 - Do we need to support more than one
- Need more than one independent working package
 - Especially for processing

Potential issues - 2

- I feel that testing of developing structure is important. Therefore, LLNL will create a branch of Fudge that will be up to date with the developing structure.
- It is important that the Low-level data containers, reaction data hierarchy and particle data hierarchy stay on time.
- Share low-level functions with API implementations?
- In GND we still have issues with meta-stables

Potential issues - 3

- MT numbers have an advantage
 - how to search for reactions
 - $H3 + H3 \rightarrow 2n + He4$
 - $\rightarrow 2n + He4$
 - $\rightarrow n + (He5 \rightarrow n + He4)$
 - $\rightarrow n + (He5_e1 \rightarrow n + He4)$

Volunteers?

- Do I have any volunteers?
 - I would like at least one from Asia, Europe and Americas
- List of institutions to contact?
 - USA: LLNL, LANL, BNL, ORNL
 - Europe: NEA, AWE, IAEA, CEA, IRSN, ...
 - Asia: JAEA, KAERI
- We need to set up a Wiki – for all

Caveat Emptor: This is an aggressive schedule