



Permanent Identification

Permanent Identifiers

- How to point objects that can move around?
 - By adding an extra level of indirection
 - Permanent ID → Resolver → Final location
 - Resolvers save the ID, the location and, most of them, metadata describing the object
- By creating Permanent IDs you commit yourself to offer the permanent storage and metadata maintenance!







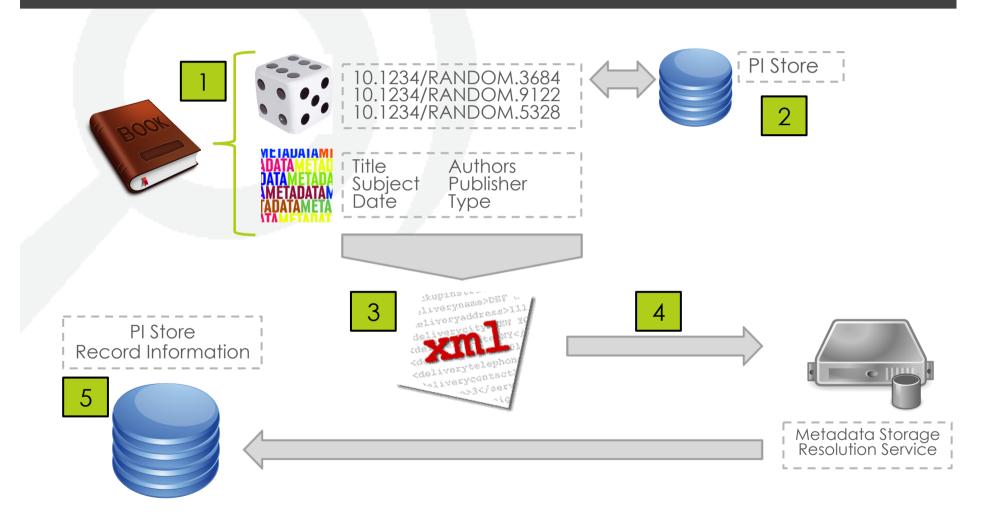


Persistent URLs

How will Invenio manage it?

- By now, persistent IDs are saved in MARC:
 - 0247 \$\$2D0I\$\$a10.1103/PhysRevC.85.035210
- What about minting them by ourselves?
 - Manual minting
 - 'Batch' minting
- Our use-case, by now:
 - System: DOI
 - Service Provider: DataCite
 - Objects: HEPData

Permanent Identifiers



Technically...

- Random names have many advantages (but you may prefer meaningful ones...)
- 2 PI Store structure: (+ format?)

Туре	Record ID	Object ID	ID System	Provider	Name	Date	Status
Record	12345	-	DOI	DataCite	10.1234/ RAND.438	14/Nov/ 2012	0
Object	-	45678	ARK	EZID	12025/65 4xz31/s3/	15/Nov/ 2012	4

Technically...

- Metadata Output format:
 - Bibformat-ed per:
 - type
 - provider
 - set of metadata

```
20 from textutils import transliterate_ala_lc
21 from dateutils import guess_datetime

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23 def format_element(bfo):
    """
    Generates the Datacite Metadata XML with the kernel information:
    http://schema.datacite.org/

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28    Mandatory properties:
    - ID (+type)
30    - Creators (+name)
31    - Title
32    - Publisher
33    - Year
34    """
```

- 4 Provider's API
 - Our case: DataCite offers a nice RESTful API
 - Living in miscutil, should we move it into a module?

```
def post_metadata(metadata, endpoint=ENDPOINT, username=USER, password=PASSWORD, testing=TESTING):

"""

Sends a new metadata set to complete an existing DOI.

Metadata should follow the DataCite Metadata Schema 2.2

http://schema.datacite.org/

augumentadata: XML format of the metadata

@type metadata: str
```

Technically...

- Now that is minted:
 - Update our pitstop
 - Update the record information (and again: bibupload, bibindex...)
 - What about minting while bibuploading the first time?
 - → You need the final URL to mint the DOI →
 - You need the DOI to fill the record ←

What else?

- Manual DOI minting
 - Let catalogers mint DOIs manually (from the Record Editor)
 - But don't let them modify them (sorry, this is **permanent!**)
- If the metadata changes:
 - Should trigger an update to our PI provider
 - On the fly? Save and schedule updates?
 - Which changes? Performance!
- External services can be non-reliable
 - Store the request and try? Retry? Again? Agaiiin?
- □ Versioning...!

It will come...

- Permanent person IDs
 - Open Researcher and Contributor ID



Questions?



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