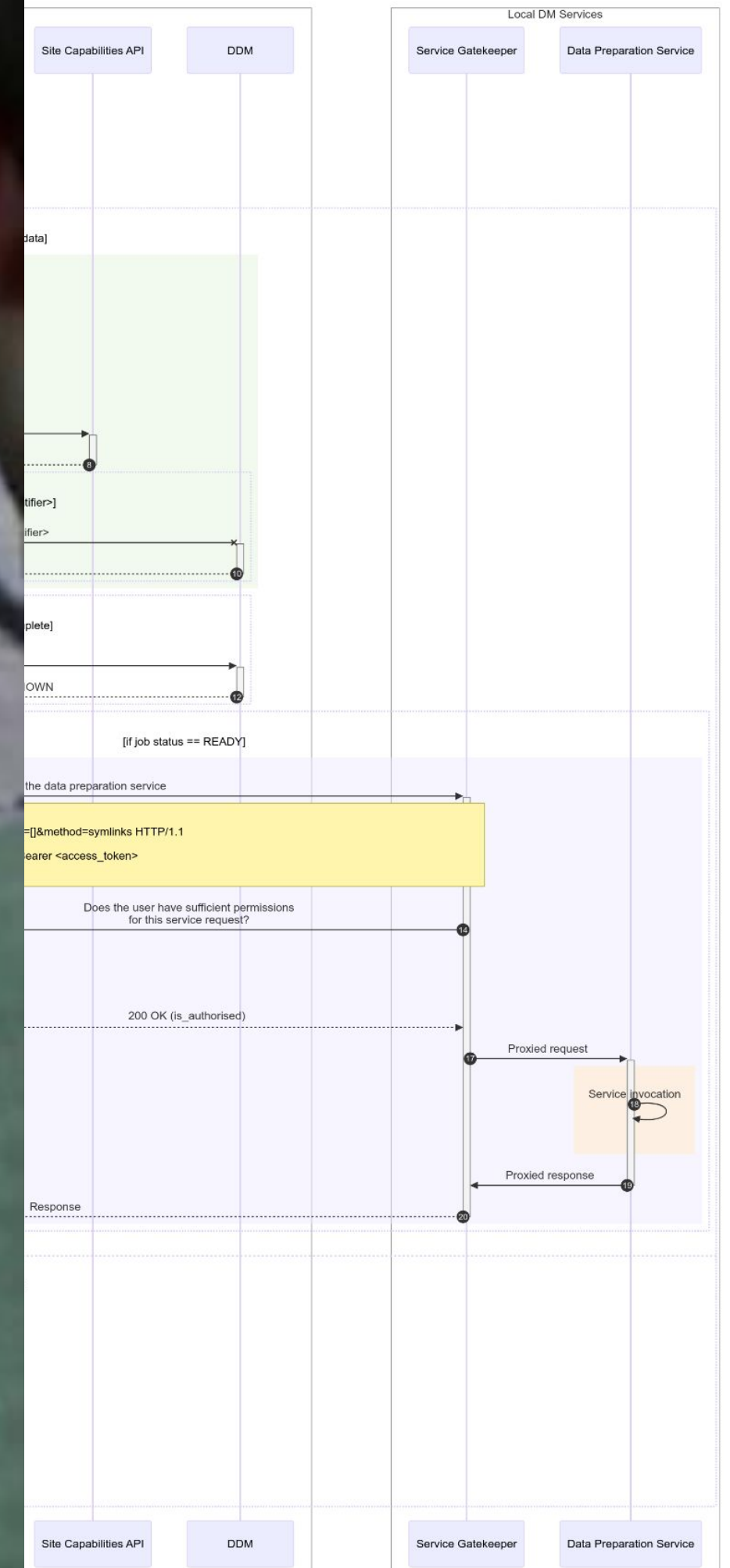
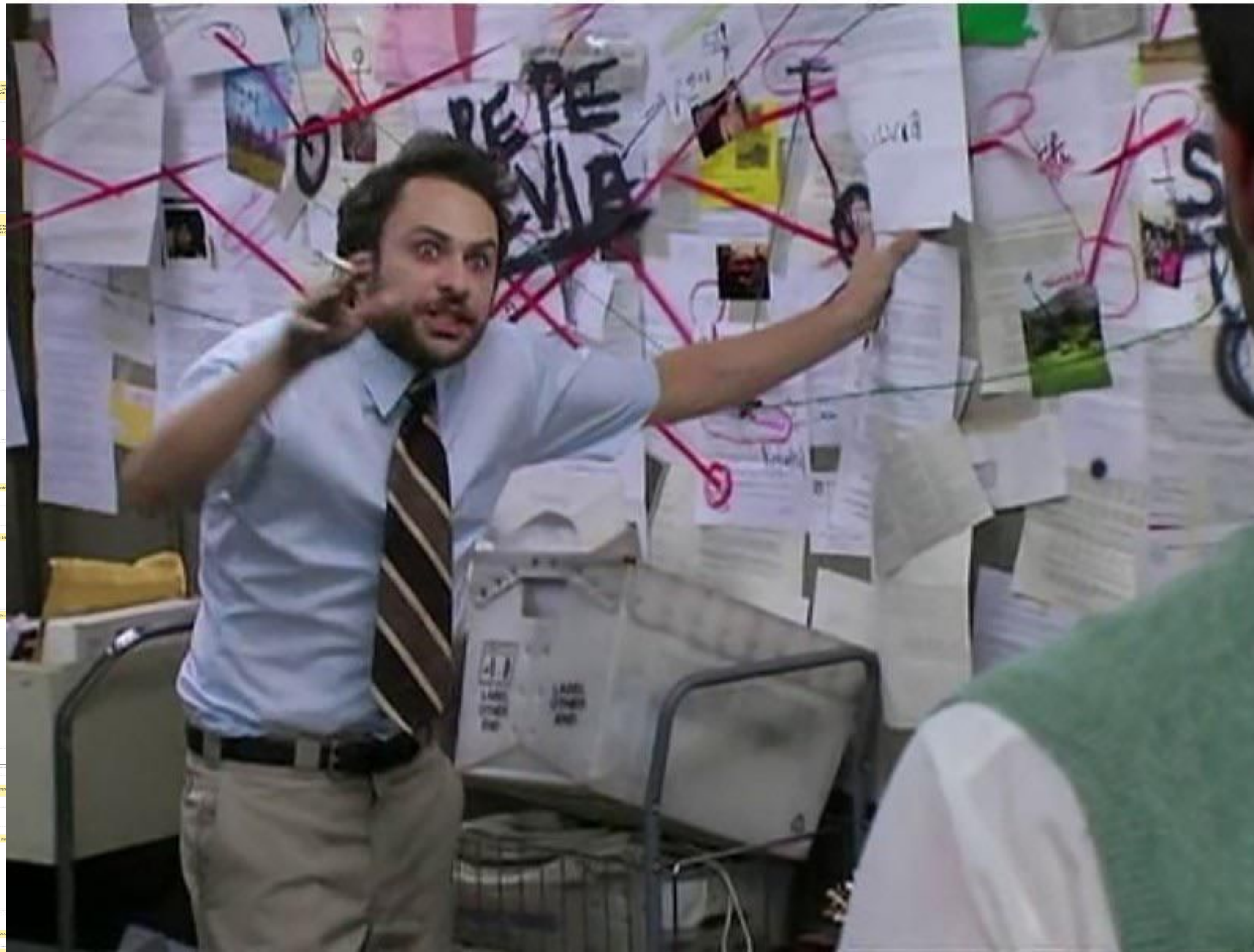


# Data Management Services for SRCNet v0.1

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# How to give yourself an existential crisis



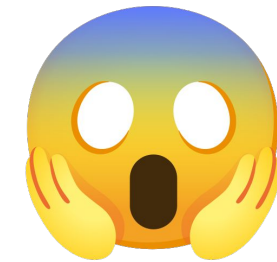


# Problem reduction

SRCNet v0.1 DM



+ A&A + everything else



# A better angle in: High level DM related flows for v0.1

- Consider three distinct stakeholders:
  - A **user** has a level of access in accordance with data policies
  - A **site administrator** has the required privileges to manage data at their node
  - A **service operator** has full access to all Rucio functionality; they will be responsible for the day to day running of Rucio and all that entails, and as such require the lowest level (root) access.
- Within the context of an SRCNet **user**, we need to think about:
  - Data discovery (what data is there?)
  - Data location (where is the data?)
  - Data access (how do I get a local copy of the data?)
  - Data staging (how can I stage data for remote work on a particular compute node?)



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(continued)

- Within the context of an **operator/site admin of an SRCNet node**, we need to (additionally) think about:
  - Data logistics e.g. I need N copies of the data at sites X, Y and Z
  - Data ingestion
  - Data curation e.g. update metadata for a data product
- Can we use internal Rucio systems alone for all these flows? Yes, but...
  - At time of implementation, OIDC token support was in its infancy
  - Current permissions system doesn't quite satisfy need for fine grained control over e.g. listing data and metadata
  - For consistency, want permissions handled at a layer higher than Rucio & through a centralised permissions system that is used for all services
  - Don't want to force users (or site administrators) to have to learn the Rucio ecosystem and associated tooling
- To empower users and site administrators we have decided to abstract services via a set of APIs
  - This includes Rucio



# v0.1 APIs

- **What?**

Form a significant part of the public facing component of the SRCNet that an SRCNet stakeholder will utilise to perform actions, either directly through their REST interfaces or via command line clients

- **Why?**

Abstract interfaces to SRCNet services allow signatures to be predetermined and technology to be switched out at a later date if required



# v0.1 APIs (continued)

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- Data location
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- Data logistics
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# Data Management API (DM API)



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**Data Management API Overview**

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  - Data Staging
    - POST Request movement of existing data to a staging storage area
    - GET Get the status of a data staging request
    - GET Inspect a data staging request
  - Metadata
    - GET Get metadata for a data identifier
    - POST Set metadata for a data identifier
    - DEL Delete metadata for a data identifier

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This API exposes endpoints related to SRCNet Data Management.

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    - Restricting user access to routes using IAM groups

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### AuthN/Z

#### Authentication

##### User

To access this API as a user, the user needs to have first authenticated with the...

##### Service

For service-to-service interactions, it is possible to obtain a token via a `client_cr`

#### Authorisation

Hereafter, the caller (either a user or another service) is assumed to have a valid

The token audience must also match the expected audience, also defined in the

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Operator portal

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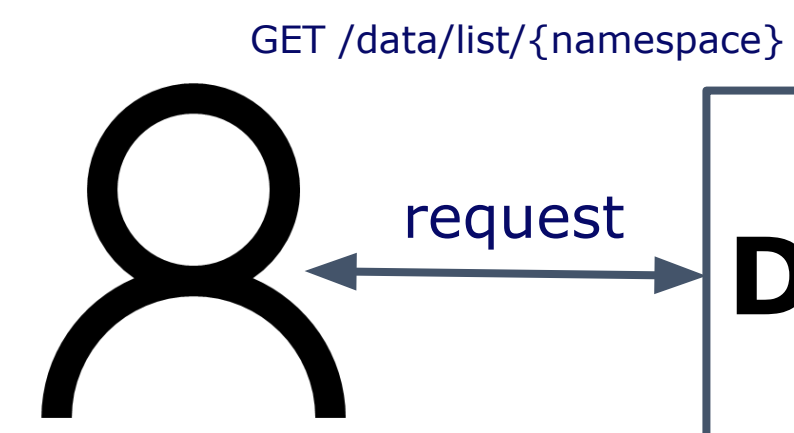
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User portal

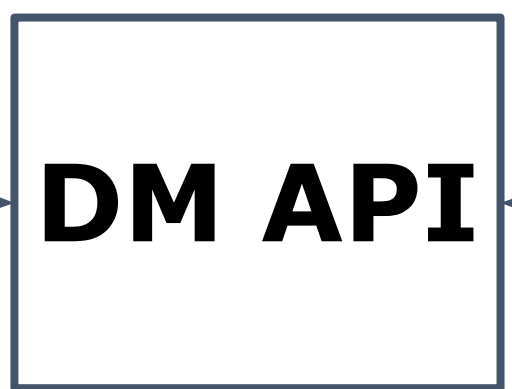




# Permissions API (& interaction with DM API)



GET /data/list/{namespace}



1  
authz check

2

DDM request



- Groups**
- data
  - data/namespaces
  - data/namespaces/testing
  - data/namespaces/testing/owner
  - services/data-management-api
  - services/data-management-api/roles
  - services/data-management-api/roles/admin
  - services/rucio
  - services/rucio/roles
  - services/rucio/roles/admin

## Permissions API

POST	/authorise/exchange/{service}	Authorise Service Exchange
POST	/authorise/route/{service}	Authorise Service Route
POST	/authorise/plugin/{service}	Authorise Service By Plugin
GET	/policies	List Policies
GET	/policies/types	List Policy Types
GET	/policies/{type}/	List Policies By Type
GET	/policies/{type}/{service}	List Policies By Service Name
GET	/policies/{type}/{service}/{version}	Get Policy By Service
GET	/ping	Ping
GET	/health	Health

# RBAC

```

1 {
2   "name": "data-management-api",
3   "type": "route",
4   "iam_subgroup_name": "data-management-api",
5   "expected_token_issuer": "https://ska-iam.stfc.ac.uk",
6   "expected_token_audience": "data-management-api",
7   "expected_service_token_scope": "data-management-api-service",
8   "version_number": 1,
9   "description": "Permissions policy defining how to authorise routes for the data management API.",
10  "roles": {
11    "any": [],
12    "namespace-viewer": [
13      "data/namespaces/{namespace}/viewer"
14    ],
15    "namespace-editor": [
16      "data/namespaces/{namespace}/editor"
17    ],
18    "namespace-owner": [
19      "data/namespaces/{namespace}/owner"
20    ],
21    "admin": [
22      "{root_group}/roles/admin"
23    ],
24    "developer": [
25      "{root_group}/roles/developer"
26    ]
27  },
28  "routes": {
29    "/data/download/{storage_area_uuid}/{namespace}/{name}": {
30      "GET": "admin or namespace-viewer or namespace-editor or namespace-owner"
31    },
32    "/data/list": {
33      "GET": "admin or developer"
34    },
35    "/data/list/{namespace}": {
36      "GET": "admin or namespace-viewer or namespace-editor or namespace-owner or developer"
37    },
38    "/data/locate/{namespace}/{name}": {
39      "GET": "admin or namespace-viewer or namespace-editor or namespace-owner or developer"
40    },
41    "/data/move": {
42      "POST": "admin or namespace-viewer or namespace-editor or namespace-owner"
43    }
44  }
45 }
  
```



**A (very) brief overview of  
(some of the) services that  
build off of this**





# Data Discovery

## IVOA DaCHS



A software suite implementing various International Virtual Observatory Alliance (IVOA) protocols, e.g. Simple Cone Search (SCS)

### SKAO Rucio SCS

SCS query service running against an ObsCore table with a view on the Rucio database.

Position/Name   
*Coordinates (as h m s, d m s or decimal degrees), or SIMBAD-resolvable object*

Search radius   
*Search radius in arcminutes*

Table Sort by    
Limit to  items.

Output format

#### Result

Matched: 1

Dist. [arcsec]	Obs_publisher_id	Obs_title	Obs_creator_id	Target_name	Target_class	T_exptime [s]	T_min	T_max	S_region	Em_min [m]	Em_max [m]
1.08	ivo://test.skao/~? sp3531_soda:2023-09-22- 14-07-00_LOTSS- DR2_P39Hetzdex19_mosaic- blanked.fits	N/A	N/A	M 51	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A [204.711! 47.405	17.84	24.98

Metadata from external postgres instance managed by Rucio plugin system









# Data Access (also discovery)

## astroquery extension



An extension to a widely used Python package offering astronomers a unified interface to query diverse astronomical databases using IVOA standards and protocols

```
>>> from astroquery.srcnet import SRCNet
>>> srcnet=SRCNet(verbose=True)
>>> srcnet.login()

-----

Scan the QR code, or using a browser on another
device, visit https://ska-iam.stfc.ac.uk/device
and enter code XXXYYY



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Polling for token... (3/60)

Successfully polled for token. You are now logged in.

DEBUG: Access token: <redacted>
DEBUG: Refresh token: <redacted> [astroquery.srcnet.core]
DEBUG: Persisting access token to: /tmp/access_token [astroquery.srcnet.core]
DEBUG: Persisting refresh token to: /tmp/refresh_token [astroquery.srcnet.core]
```

### query\_region

Query for results around a region.

```
>>> from astroquery.srcnet import SRCNet
>>> srcnet=SRCNet()
>>> srcnet.query_region(coordinates='82.1deg 12.58deg', radius=0.01)
>>>
>>> <Table length=1>
>>> dataproduct_type dataproduct_subtype calib_level obs_collection  obs_id  ... em_ucc
>>>      object          object          int16      object          object  ...
>>> -----
>>>      image                2          RACS RACS-DR1_0528+12A ...
```

### get\_data

Get data from the datalake given a namespace and name.

```
>>> from astroquery.srcnet import SRCNet
>>> srcnet=SRCNet(verbose=True)
>>> srcnet.get_data(namespace='testing', name='PTF10tce.fits')

>>> INFO: Exchanged authn-api service token for data-management-api service [astroquery.srcnet.c
>>> DEBUG: Access token: <redacted>
>>> DEBUG: Refresh token: <redacted>
>>> DEBUG: Persisting access token to: /tmp/access_token [astroquery.srcnet.core]
>>> DEBUG: Persisting refresh token to: /tmp/refresh_token [astroquery.srcnet.core]
>>> DEBUG: Access token is valid, will not attempt token refresh. [astroquery.srcnet.core]
>>> 8248KB downloaded
```





# Data Curation and Logistics

srcnet-oper



A command line tool with a focus on **high level admin/operator** flows, e.g.:

```
eng@dev:~$ srcnet-oper metadata set --namespace testing --name PTF10tce.fits --metadata '{"some_key": "some_value"}'
```


```
{'successful': True}
```

```
eng@dev:~$ srcnet-oper metadata get --namespace testing --name PTF10tce.fits --store science
```

Store	Key	Value
POSTGRES_JSON	s_ra	349.7905833
POSTGRES_JSON	s_dec	9.1960000
POSTGRES_JSON	obs_id	testing:PTF10tce.fits
POSTGRES_JSON	some_key	some_value
POSTGRES_JSON	access_url	https://ivoa.datalink.srcdev.skao.int/rucio/links?id=testing:PTF10tce.fits
POSTGRES_JSON	calib_level	1
POSTGRES_JSON	access_format	application/x-votable+xml
POSTGRES_JSON	obs_collection	collection_testing_test
POSTGRES_JSON	obs_publisher_did	testing

```
eng@dev:~$ srcnet-oper token request
```

Scan the QR code, or using a browser on another device, visit <https://ska-iam.stfc.ac.uk/device> and enter code RSVBXE



```
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```

Polling for token... (2/60)

Successfully polled for token. You are now logged in.

TBD:

### Data Logistics

- POS** Request movement of existing data to another storage area
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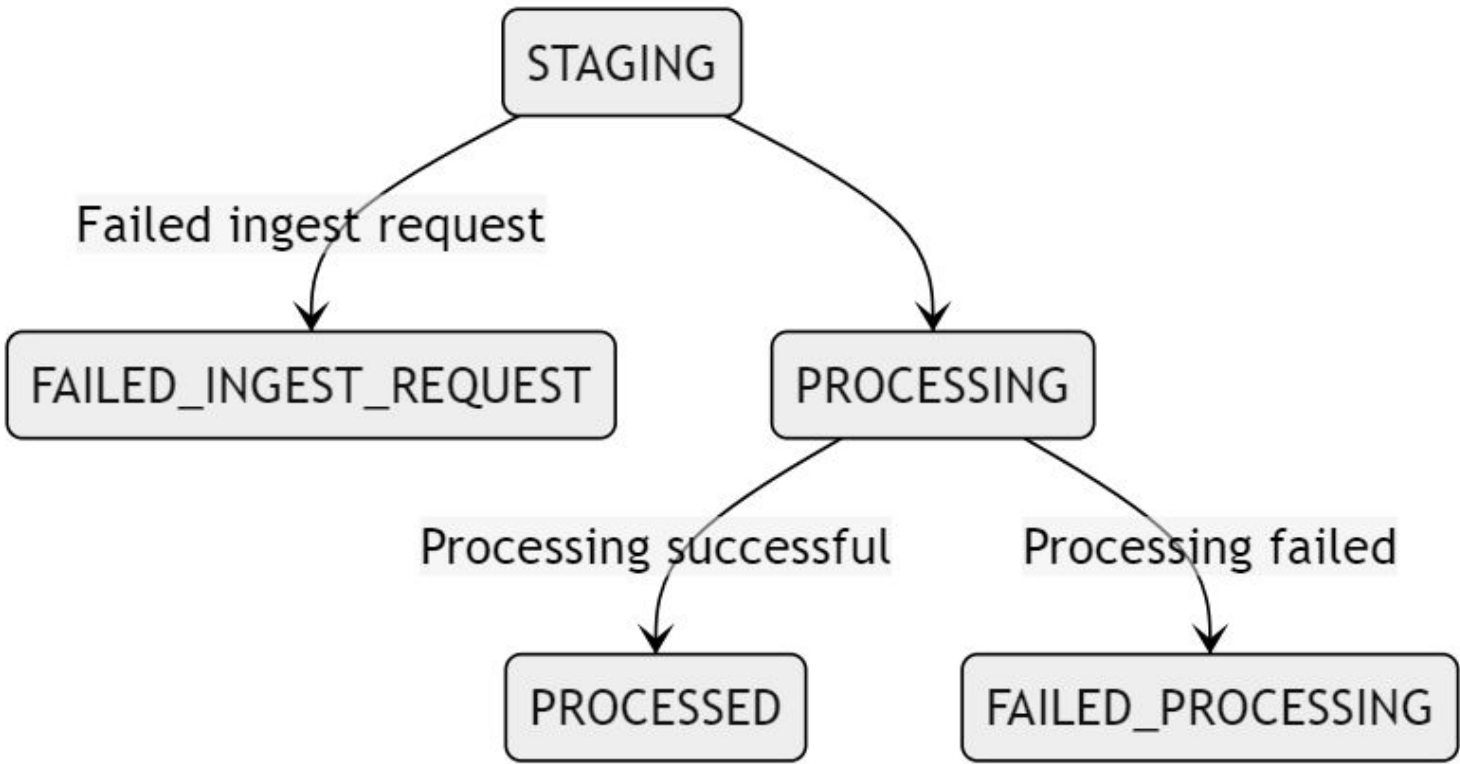
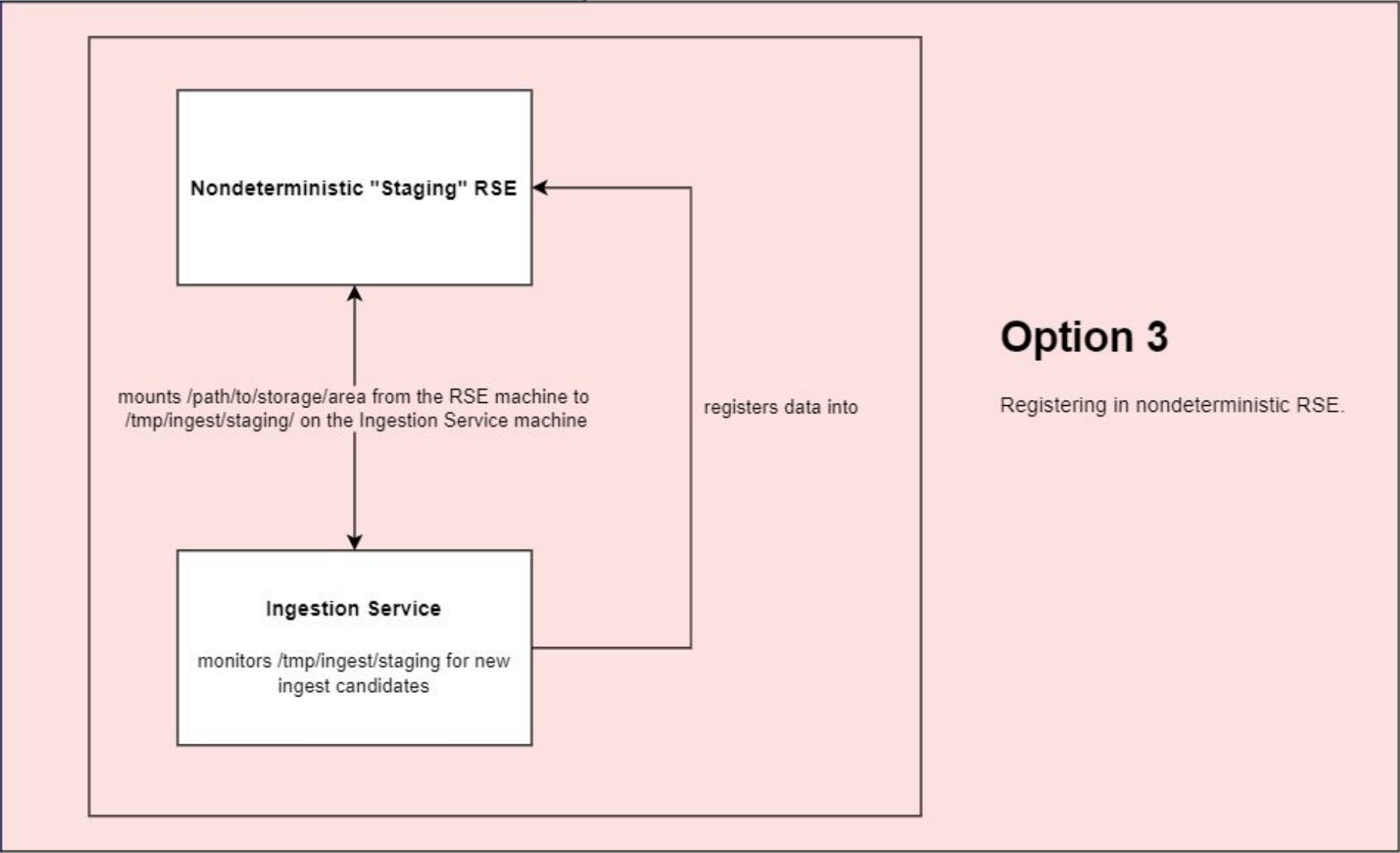
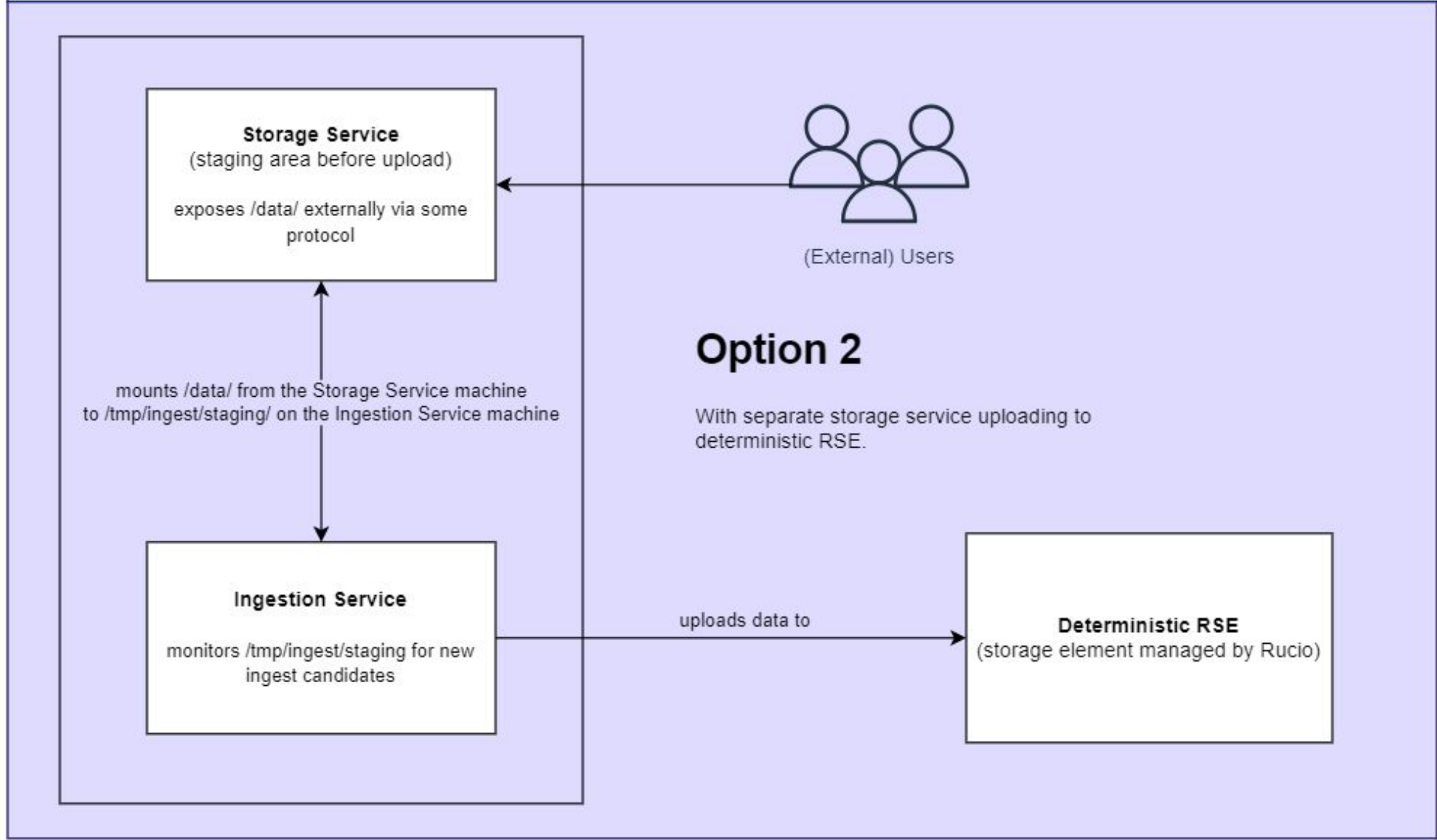
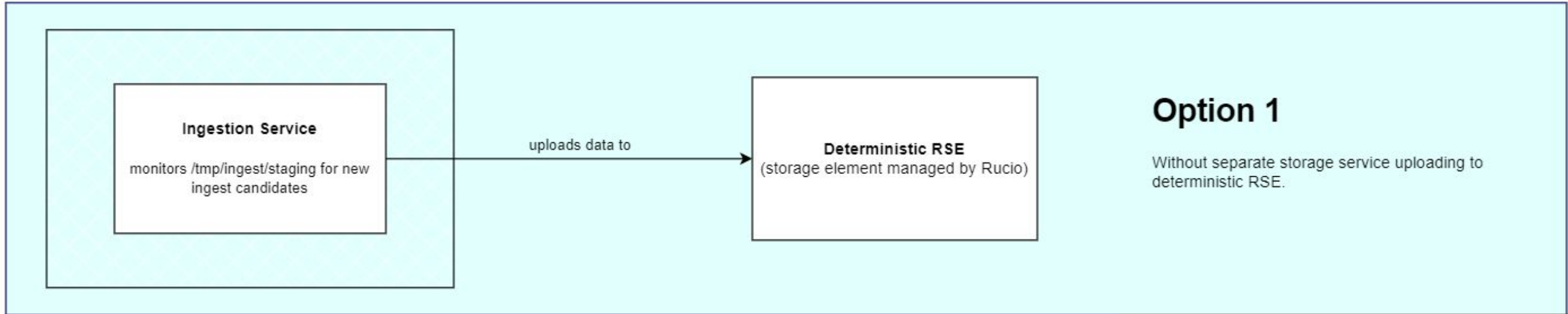
# Data Ingestion



Data Ingestor Service 🌐



A service to ingest data products into the datalake





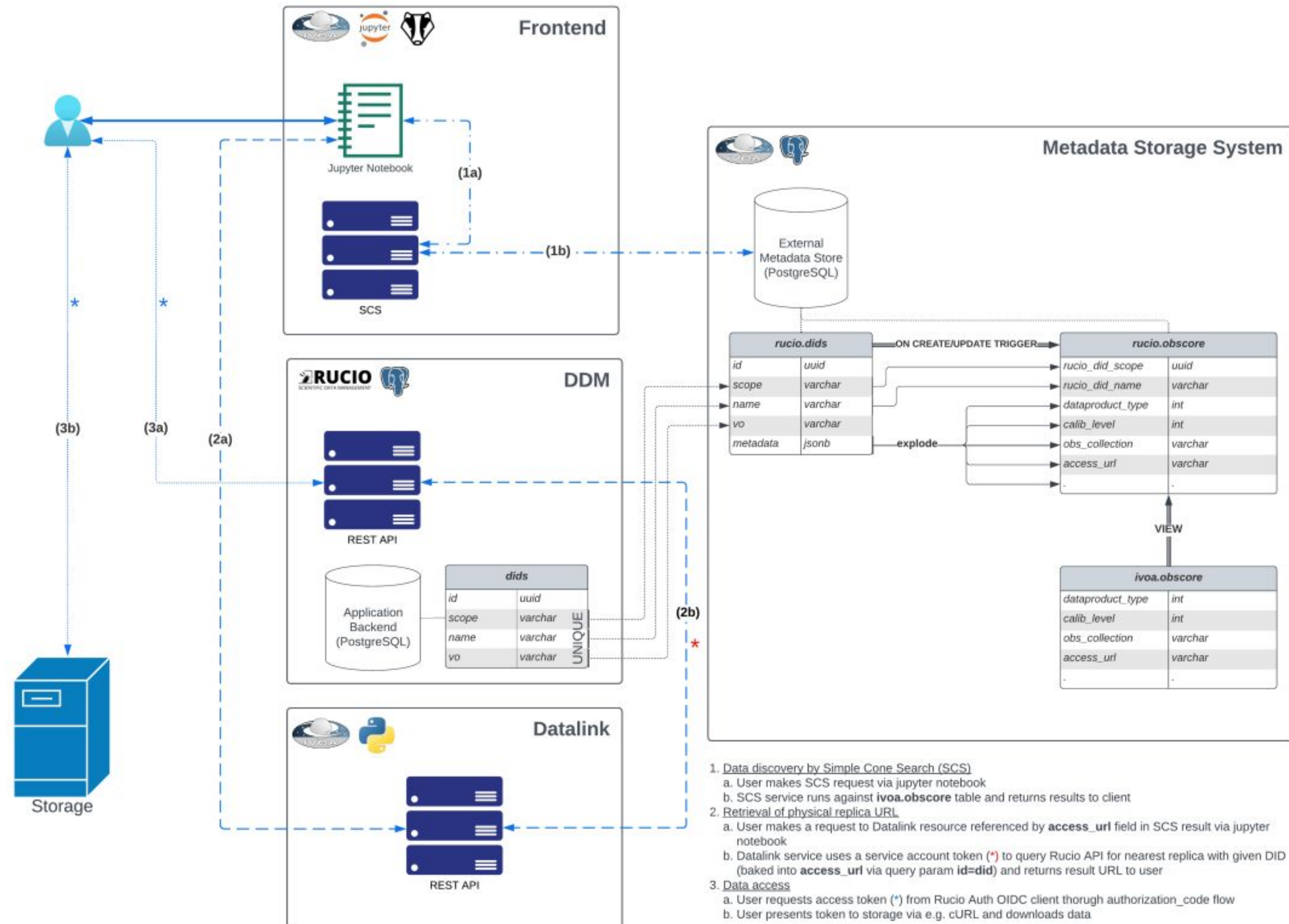
# Conclusions

- Rucio will form the backbone of the SRCNet v0.1 DDM component
- Functionality will be hidden behind a “Data Management” API hooked into a RBAC Permissions system
- Slowly moving towards meeting the required v0.1 DM functionality
- Rapidly losing more hair (possibly related)
- Thanks!





# v0.1 DM Architecture



- 1. Data discovery by Simple Cone Search (SCS)**
  - a. User makes SCS request via jupyter notebook
  - b. SCS service runs against `ivoa.obscure` table and returns results to client
- 2. Retrieval of physical replica URL**
  - a. User makes a request to Datalink resource referenced by `access_url` field in SCS result via jupyter notebook
  - b. Datalink service uses a service account token (\*) to query Rucio API for nearest replica with given DID (baked into `access_url` via query param `id=did`) and returns result URL to user
- 3. Data access**
  - a. User requests access token (\*) from Rucio Auth OIDC client through `authorization_code` flow
  - b. User presents token to storage via e.g. cURL and downloads data

