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ALMA Science Archive update 2020

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1. Introduction

Science Archives

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- Multi-wavelength astronomy
- Proposing
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fastronomy

It is not enough that people can do what they need to do.
It has to be **fast**.



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Let scientists concentrate on science

Science Archives

User-experience



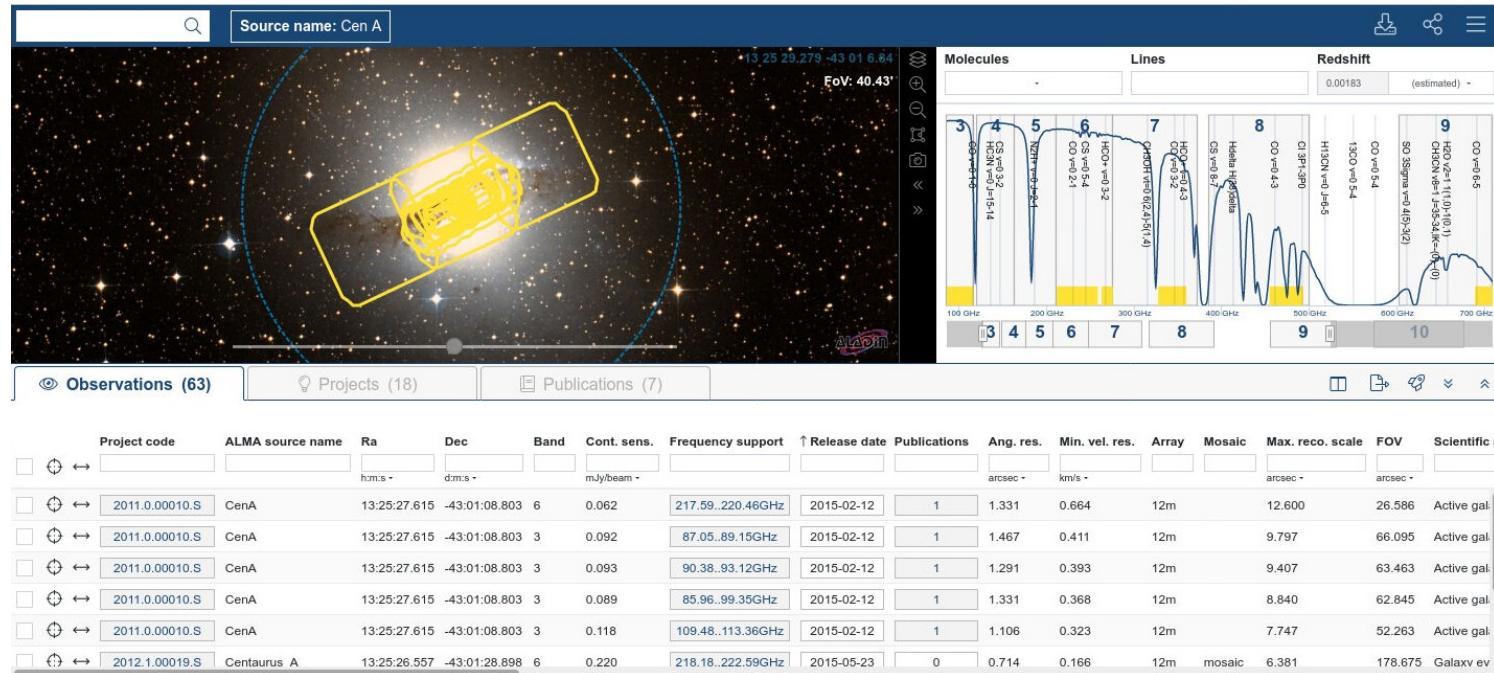
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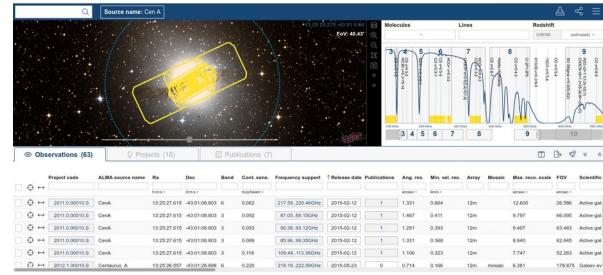
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ALMA Science Archive Search interface



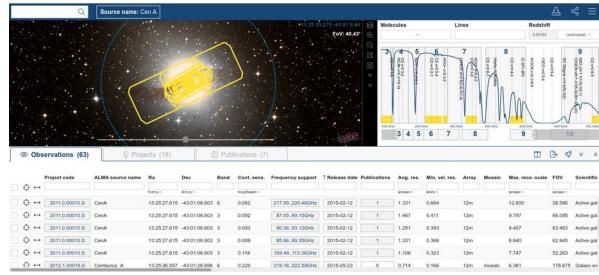
ALMA Science Archive Search interface

- Instantaneous search-as-you type
- Unscoped search
- Background slider
- Toggleable and invertible constraints
- Target-list upload
- Simultaneous search for observations, projects and publications
- Search for public unpublished
- Get calendar event for proprietary data



ALMA Science Archive Search interface

- Search for a particular data collection
- Selectable footprints
- Queries to VizieR/NED/Simbad from the sky-view
- Change the layout
- Zoomable spectral coverage at one glimpse
- Redshifted line-overlay with Line filter
- Bookmark and data-export capability
- Send results directly to VO tools



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Programmatic access: VO services

The screenshot shows the Aladin software interface, a professional sky atlas, running in the background. The main window displays a star field with various celestial objects and a legend for DSS2 color. On the left, a separate window titled "SAMP Hub Security" is open, prompting the user to authorize a connection from a specific application. The application details are as follows:

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Origin:	https://almascience.eso.org
URL:	undecided

The dialog box contains the message: "The following application, probably running in a browser, is requesting SAMP Hub registration". It also includes a warning icon and two buttons: "No" and "Yes".

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ALMA Request Handler [Logout](#)

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Request Title: [click to edit](#)

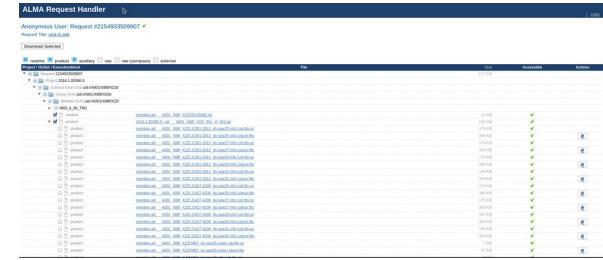
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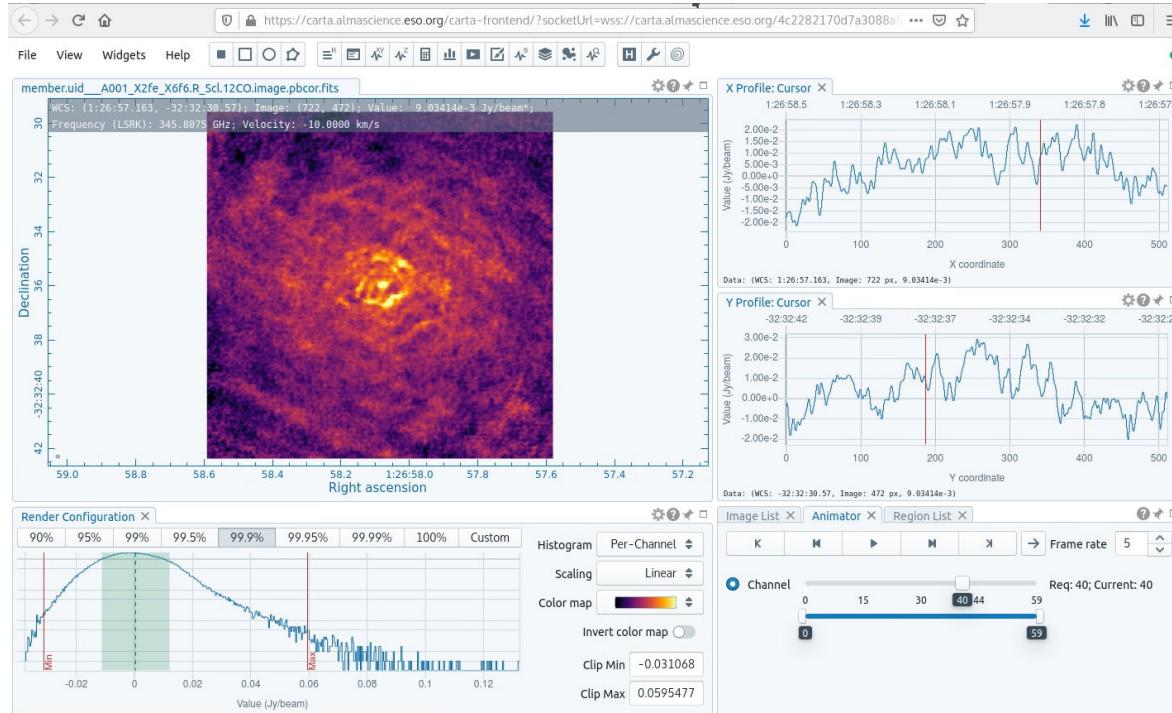
ALMA Science Archive Download

- All FITS and README files are accessible
- individually (except Cy0)
- Parallel scripted downloads
- Over 5000 MOUS have updated QA reports and README files
- Direct download of over 74000 ARI-L products
- Remote visualization of all ALMA science FITS files with CARTA



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CARTA



ALMA Science Archive Programmatic access: VO services

TAP, SIA2 and Datalink registered with the VO

The screenshot displays the ALMA Science Archive interface, featuring three main windows:

- Table Access Protocol (TAP) Query:** A left-hand panel showing the TAP Registry with various service entries like TAP Service (1), TAP_SCHEMA.col, and TAP_SCHEMA.tab. It includes a search bar, a table list, and a query editor with the command: `SELECT TOP 1000 * FROM ivoa.obscore`.
- TOPCAT (Table Browser):** A central panel showing the results of the query. The table has columns: ivoa.obscore, access_type, proposal_id, data_rights, gal_longitude, gal_latitude, obs_publ... . The results show multiple rows of data, each corresponding to a specific observation.
- VO View (Datalink):** A right-hand panel showing a visualization of astronomical data. It features a red polygonal region on a star map, with various data points and annotations overlaid. A legend on the right side provides information about the data types and their counts.

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Programmatic access: astroquery

ALMA contribution to the astroquery package

```
>>> from astroquery.alma import Alma
>>> m83_data = Alma.query_object('M83')
>>> print(len(m83_data))
830
```

ALMA Data Processing

Calibrated Measurement Sets

- EU calMS service developed by Dirk Petry
- Go to help.almascience.eso.org
- Select 'Data request' and specify project code and MOUS

4. Summary

Conclusions

Summary

- ALMA Science Archive: Lots of progress in 2020 from the search interface over the individual data files, the VO services to the remote visualization
- Questions, suggestions, comments: help.almascience.org