

Mining the EVN Archive Using JupyterLab and the Virtual Observatory

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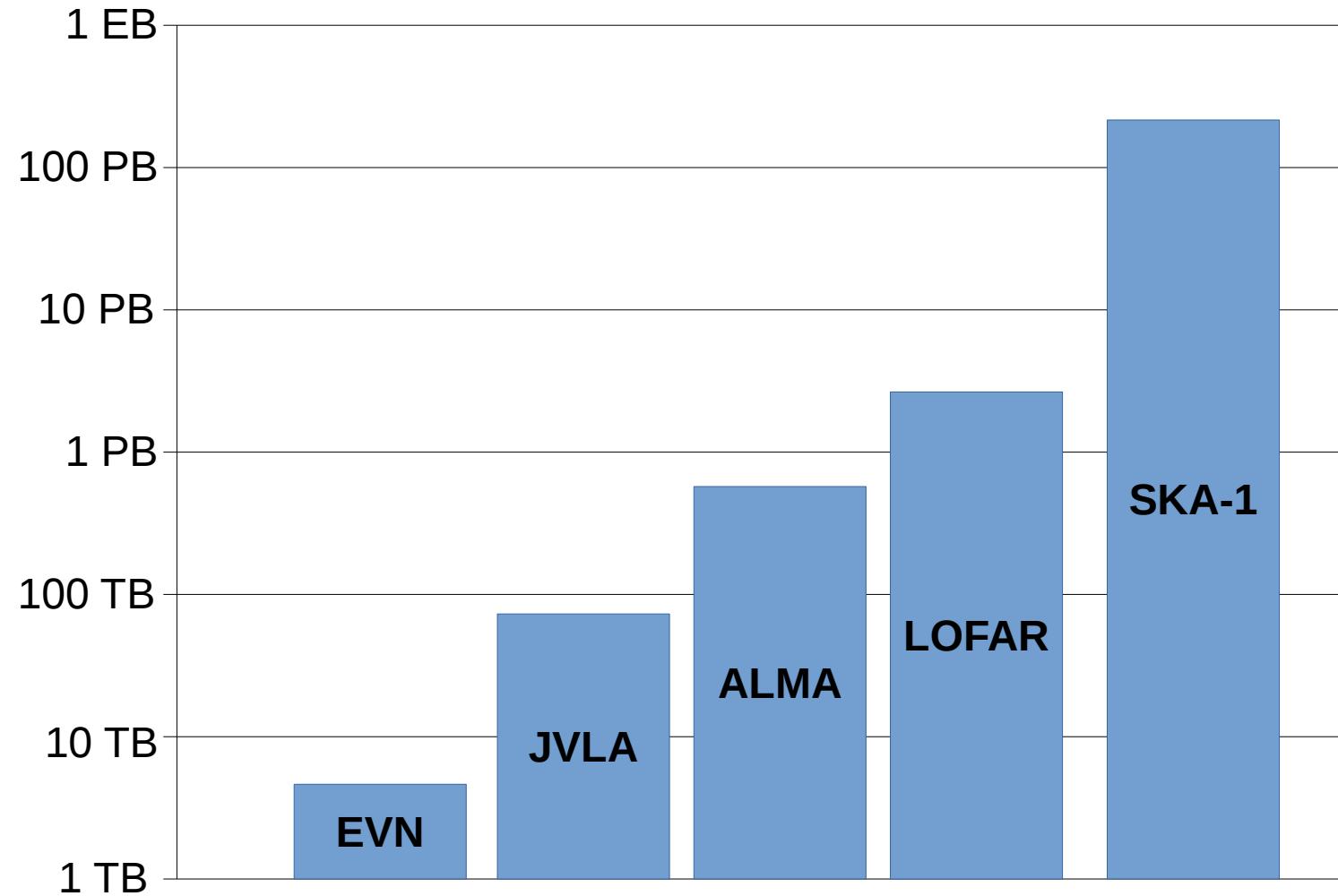


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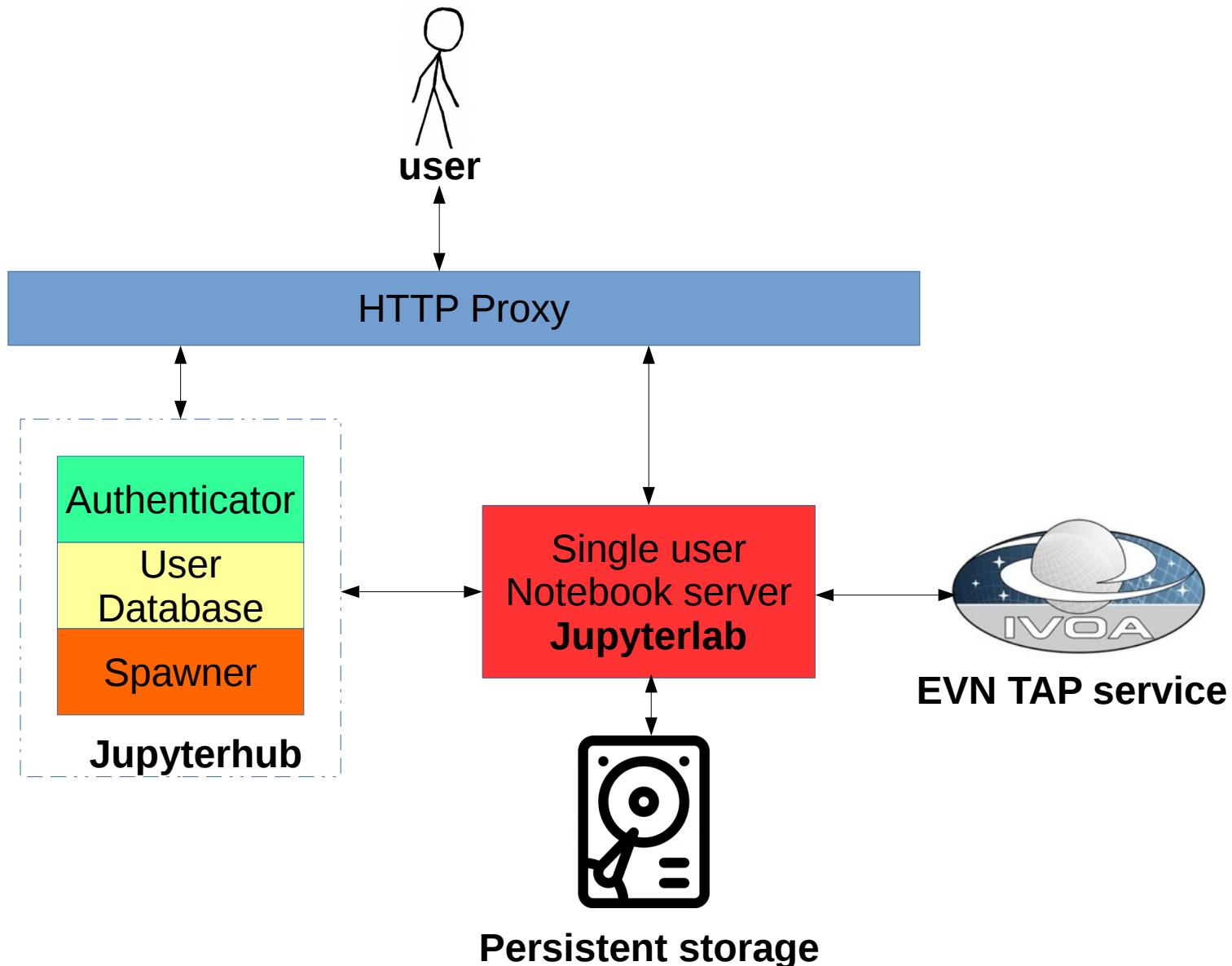
Interactive Jupyter pipelines

- Data reduction should be done where the data is stored
- Existing non-interactive CASA pipelines: ALMA / JVLA, LOFAR, MEERKATHI
- Jupyter offers many advantages
 - **User friendly**: Notebooks are easy and intuitive to use; all results are embedded in a single document
 - **Easy to deploy**: Off-the-shelf solutions to deploy multi-user services, e.g. Jupyter hub + Kubernetes
 - **Accountability**: Data reduction process is self-documenting and fully repeatable

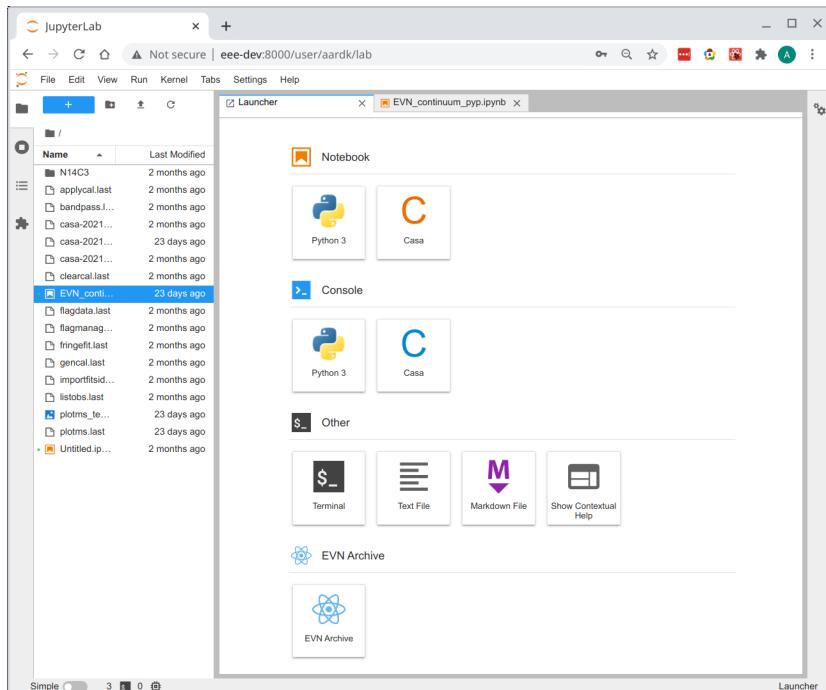
EVN Archive Portal

- Provide access to EVN Archive through Jupyterhub
- Users can pipeline any experiment and results are stored in persistent storage
- Users can submit improved pipeline results back into the archive
- Archive will accessed through VO queries using a JupyterLab plugin
- EVN TAP service (see Mark Kettenis' talk)
- All experiments older than 1yr are public
- Will be made available in the ESAP in WP5

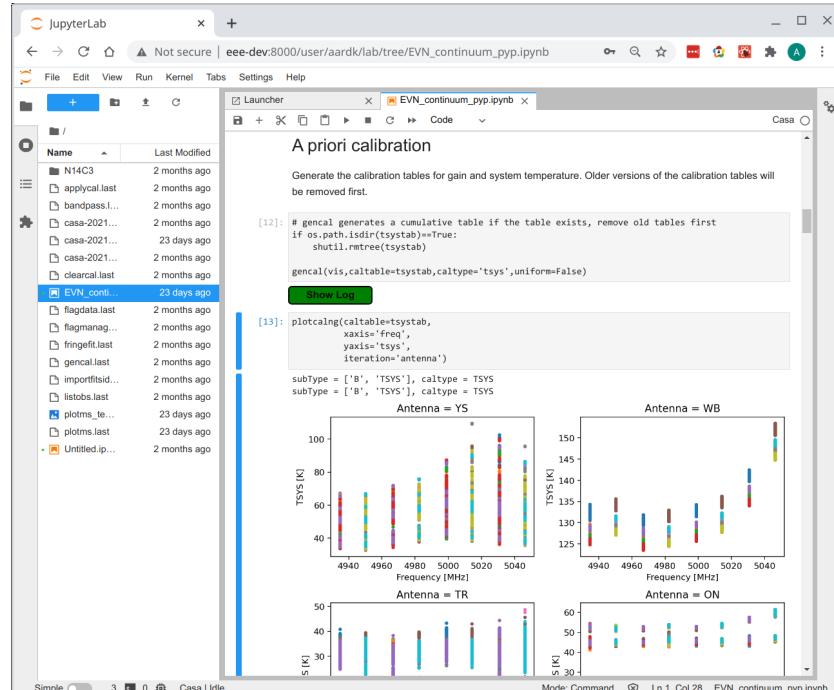
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Relationship JupyterLab and Notebook



JupyterLab



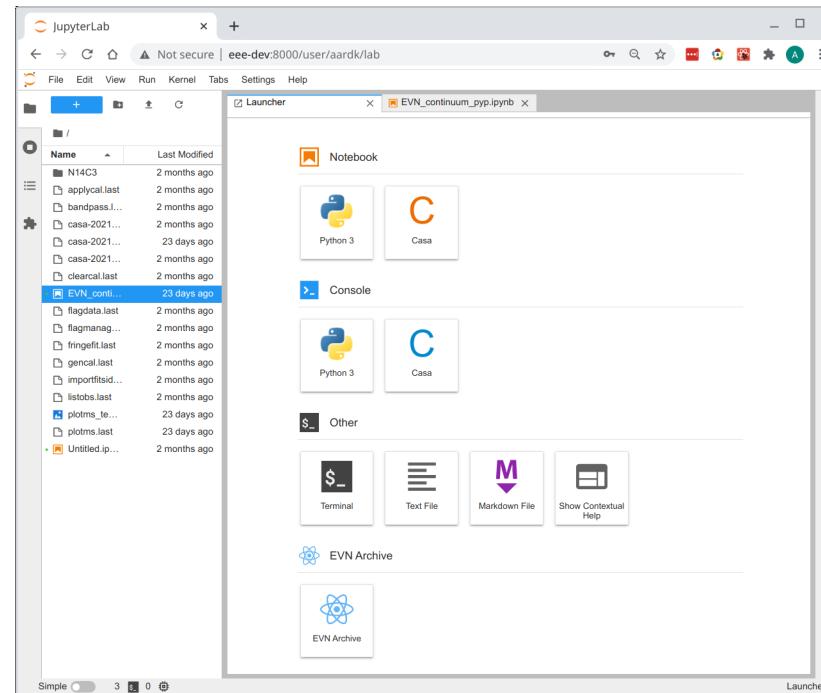
Jupyter notebook inside JupyterLab

- Jupyter notebooks are the interactive documents
- JupyterLab is a user interface
 - Can have multiple notebooks open
 - Also run non-notebook applications, e.g. shell

JupyterLab



Jupyterlab client



- Tornado webserver
- Written in python
- Launched jupyter kernels

- Client side uses Lumino JavaScript library
- Implemented in TypeScript

<https://jupyterlab.readthedocs.io/en/stable/>

JupyterLab extensions

- Expand functionality of JupyterLab
- **Client side extensions**
 - Written in TypeScript or JavaScript
 - Communicates with server through HTTP requests
 - Not limited to Lumino widgets, e.g. can embed React components
- **Server side extensions**
 - Written in python
 - Communicate with client using JSON objects
- Extension tutorial:
https://jupyterlab.readthedocs.io/en/stable/extension/extension_tutorial.html
- Extension templates:
<https://github.com/jupyterlab/extension-cookiecutter-ts>

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Cookie cutter asks some basic questions

```
author_name []: Aard Keimpema  
author_email []: keimpema@jive.eu  
python_name [myextension]: minimal-plugin  
labextension_name [minimal-plugin]:  
project_short_description [A JupyterLab extension.]: Minimal JupyterLab  
plugin  
has_server_extension [n]: y  
has_binder [n]:  
repository [https://github.com/github_username/minimal-plugin]:
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handlers.py	__init__.py	_version.py
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Server side plugin (Python)

handler.ts	index.ts
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Client side plugin (TypeScript)

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TypeScript configuration

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pip install -e .  
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# Install client  
jlpm build  
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Jupyter version of **yarn**
package manager

Server side Request handler

- Clients communicate with Server through HTTP Requests
- Requests are handled using Tornado python package
 - <https://www.tornadoweb.org/>
- First step: Register request handler
- Server now listening to
http://HOSTNAME/minimal-plugin/get_example

```
def setup_handlers(web_app):  
    host_pattern = ".*$"  
  
    base_url = web_app.settings["base_url"]  
    route_pattern = url_path_join(base_url, "minimal-plugin", "get_example")  
    handlers = [(route_pattern, RouteHandler)]  
    web_app.add_handlers(host_pattern, handlers)
```

Server side Request handler

- Subclasses Jupyter's *APIHandler*
- *APIHandler* in turn subclasses *Tornado.web.RequestHandler*
- Override get method for HTTP GET requests
- Always responds with JSON object

```
from jupyter_server.base.handlers import APIHandler
from jupyter_server.utils import url_path_join
import tornado

class RouteHandler(APIHandler):

    @tornado.web.authenticated
    def get(self):
        self.finish(json.dumps({
            "data": "This is /minimal-plugin/get_example endpoint!"
        }))
```

Client side

```
/**  
 * Initialization data for the minimal-plugin extension.  
 */  
const extension: JupyterFrontEndPlugin<void> = {  
  id: 'minimal-plugin:plugin',  
  autoStart: true,  
  activate: (app: JupyterFrontEnd) => {  
    console.log('JupyterLab extension minimal-plugin is activated!');  
  
    requestAPI<any>('get_example')  
      .then(data => {  
        console.log(data);  
      })  
      .catch(reason => {  
        console.error(  
          'The minimal-plugin server extension appears to be missing.\n${reason}'  
        );  
      });  
  },  
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TypeScript datatypes

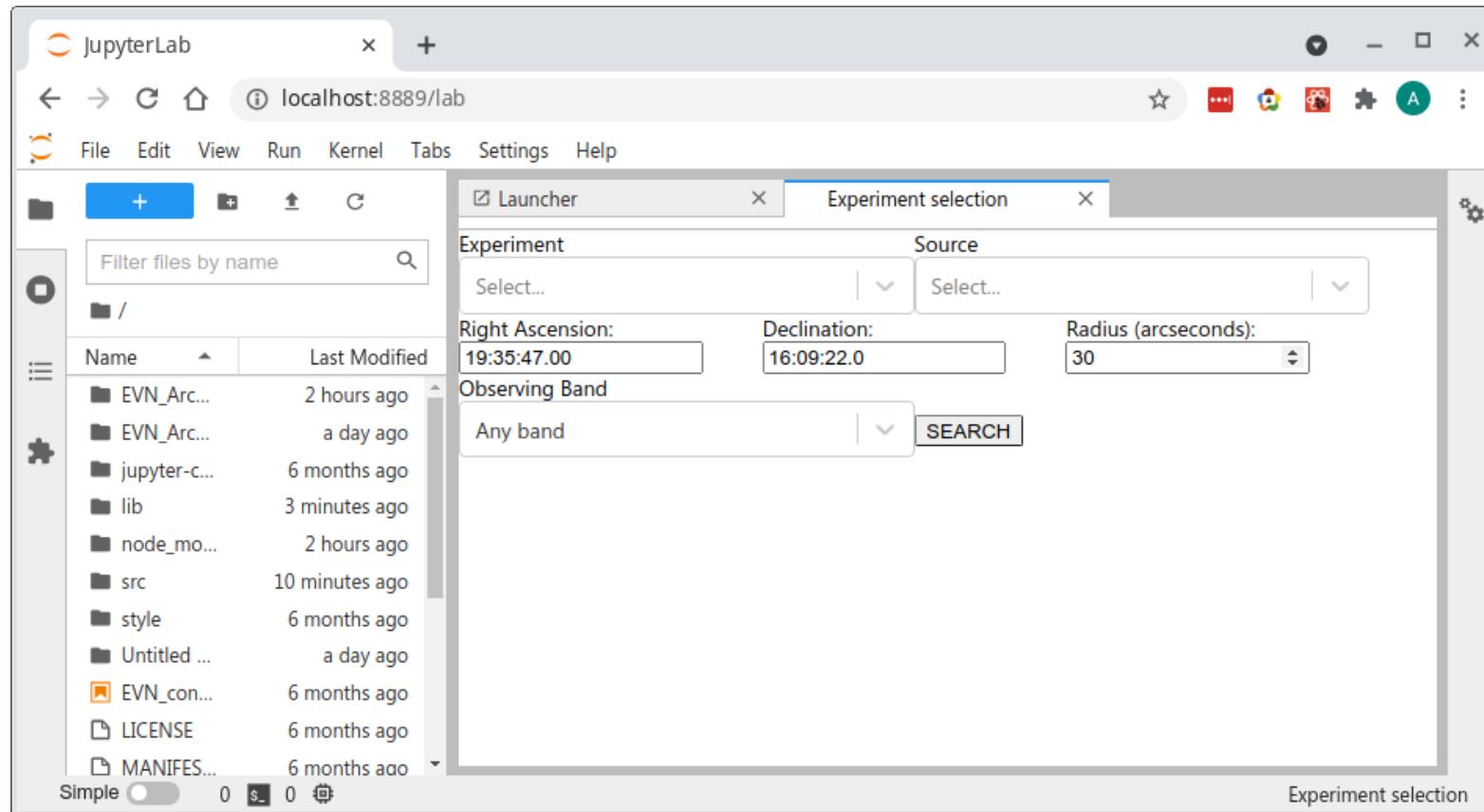
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**Thin wrapper around JupyterLab's
ServerConnection.makeRequest function**

Register extension

Prototype plugin



Client side

- React GUI
- Search parameters selection
- Select data sets

Server side

- Perform VO queries using PyVO
- Datasets are downloaded at server side

Example: Cone search

URL: <http://HOSTNAME/EVN-Archive/search?ra=0.0&dec=0.0&radius=1.0>

```
class SearchHandler(APIHandler):
    @tornado.web.authenticated
    def get(self):
        q = { 'ra': self.get_query_argument('ra', default=''),
              'dec': self.get_query_argument('dec', default=''),
              'radius': self.get_query_argument('radius', default=''),
              }
        service = pyvo.dal.TAPService('http://evn-vo.jive.eu/tap')
        result = service.search(f"SELECT target_name, obs_id, t_exptime, s_ra, s_dec,
                               DISTANCE(POINT('ICRS', {q.ra}, {q.dec}),
                                         POINT('ICRS', s_ra, s_dec)) AS dist
                               FROM ivoa.obscore
                               WHERE 1=CONTAINS(POINT('ICRS', {q.ra}, {q.dec}),
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                                                        {q.radius}))
                               ORDER BY dist ASC")
        response = [ {'src': row['target_name'].decode(), 'ra': row['s_ra'],
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Get parameters, through tornado get_query_argument



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Example for ra = 141.762558, dec = 39.0391, radius = 2.0

target_name	obs_id	t_exptime	s_ra	s_dec	dist
object	object	s	deg	deg	deg
		float32	float64	float64	float64
4C39.25	DA193	1830.0	141.76255801851036	39.03912500509745	2.5005101589442766e-05
J0916+3854	N09M2	2856.0	139.20376904166667	38.90781847222225	1.993558853813117
J0916+3854	N08C1	4192.0	139.2037690375	38.90781847777778	1.9935588566014968
J0916+3854	N08C2	4194.0	139.2037690375	38.90781847777778	1.9935588566014968
J0916+3854	N08L2	3167.0	139.2037690375	38.90781847777778	1.9935588566014968
J0916+3854	N08K2	962.0	139.2037690375	38.90781847777778	1.9935588566014968
J0916+3854	N06U1	6832.0	139.2037690375	38.90781847777774	1.9935588566014975
J0916+3854	N05C2	3320.0	139.2037690333332	38.90781849166666	1.9935588587244752
J0916+3854	N05C1	8280.0	139.20376895416666	38.90781850277778	1.993558919244693

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        dist : row[dist] } for row in results]
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Search result as JSON object