

# EOEPCA: Your EO Exploitation Platform out-of-the Box

## Platform Architecture and Interoperability

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# Aims

- ❑ Explore the challenges, especially of interoperability, in EO big data platforms
- ❑ Highlight some relevant best practice, open standards and software
- ❑ Present work in progress under the ESA sponsored project: “EO Exploitation Platform Common Architecture (EOEPCA)”

We should have time for questions and discussion.

**Please post questions and comments in the chat channel.**



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# Welcome & Introduction

Cristiano Lopes (ESA)

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15 October 2021



# Digital Platforms – a strategic asset in completion for the next digital economy

Maciej Krzyżanowski  
(CEO of Cloudferro and EARSC Director)



# Team

EOEPCA is sponsored by European Space Agency (ESA) as a collaborative project



## Engineering

*Developing the architecture and software*

- ☐ Telespazio UK – Prime contractor and systems engineering
- ☐ EOX (with EOfarm) – Domain Expert in Resource Provisioning and Management
- ☐ Terradue (with Terradue UK) – Domain Expert in Processing and Chaining
- ☐ Deimos Space (with Deimos Engenharia) – Domain expert in User Management

## Operators

*Demonstrating and verifying the components*

- ☐ Space Applications Services
- ☐ Terradue

## Support

*Other partners providing support*

- ☐ EARSC – Communications
- ☐ OGC – Standards and best practice
- ☐ STFC – Systems engineering

# A Common Architecture for EO Exploitation Platforms

Richard Conway (Telespazio)



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# Resources available from the EOEPKA project

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# Everything is free and open, available without registration!



Project Website – start here...

<https://eoepca.org/>

- ❑ About the Project and Team
- ❑ Architecture Documents (Links)
- ❑ Software Building Blocks (Links)
- ❑ News
- ❑ Forum



# Architecture Documents

All the documentation is freely available at <https://eoepca.github.io/>



- ❑ Use Case Analysis  
<https://eoepca.github.io/use-case-analysis>
- ❑ Master Architectural Design Document (MSADD)  
<https://eoepca.github.io/master-system-design/>
- ❑ Master Interface Control Document (MSICD)  
<https://eoepca.github.io/master-system-icd/>

# Software

All the source code is freely available at <https://github.com/EOEPCA>



A selection of building blocks are in development, addressing the three key domains identified in the architecture:

- ☐ **Resource Management** - catalogue and discovery of data and applications
- ☐ **Processing and Chaining** - deployment and execution of applications
- ☐ **User Management** - identity, security, access control and accounting

Release 0.9 includes beta versions of the following building blocks:

- ☐ Login Service
- ☐ User Profile
- ☐ Policy Enforcement Point (PEP)
- ☐ Policy Decision Point (PDP)
- ☐ Application Deployment & Execution Service (ADES)
- ☐ Processor Development Environment (PDE)
- ☐ Resource Catalogue
- ☐ Data Access Services
- ☐ Workspace

**Docker images at** <https://hub.docker.com/u/eoepca>

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# Building and Operating a service based on EOEPKA (2)

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# Questions and Discussion



## Next Steps

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- ❑ Software release version 1.0 “minimum viable product” in final testing, expected November 2021
- ❑ Coordination with other ESA platform initiatives including Euro Data Cube and OpenEO
- ❑ Ongoing development of software building blocks and incremental releases
- ❑ Operational platforms from Space Applications and Terradue

Participate:

- ❑ Review the documents
- ❑ Try the software
- ❑ Questions and support via the Forum: <https://eoepca.org/forum/>
- ❑ Tweet: @ EOEPKA #EOEPKA
- ❑ Email: [Eoepca.SystemTeam@telespazio.com](mailto:Eoepca.SystemTeam@telespazio.com)



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