### Working with Disparate Data Resources using Carta

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## Outline

- Generalizing a Materials Research Data Infrastructure
- Improve data consistency through a flexible but consistent data collection strategy.
- Mitigate data demand through registration.
- Work with individual groups to establish organizational POC; establish connections to existing data resources; and optimize data collection strategies.



## Setting Up a Data Collection Template

Simplifying consistent data collection

#### **Outline and Problem Statement**

- Each group has an established, data-intensive process.
  - Collection SOP is well established, at least conceptually if not practically.
- Data are collected incrementally by multiple specialists.
  - Maintaining data consistency is critical to streamline downstream efforts.
- Data processing and analysis are asynchronous, fluid, and multistep.
  - Unlike data collection, which is more-or-less rote, data featurization (processing/ETL) and analysis is exploratory.
  - Exploration and analysis will not be performed by data scientists.
  - Coordination between experts ranges from cumbersome to impossible.
- Modeling, while an eventual goal, is premature; predicated on development of successful ETL and analysis pipelines.

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#### Ambitious Data Problems Demand Ambitious Data Collection

- The multi-year, investigatory project will collect a projected, but flexible number of runs.
- Each run has a N types of observations
- Each observation type requires one-or-more samples to carry out a characterization.
- Each sample requires one-or-more (typically, more) measurement modalities for acceptable characterization.



#### Automation Improves Consistency

- With an error rate of about 1% for data entry, manual construction would introduce approximately 30 errors and omissions per construction and another 30 during data collection.
- Construction errors would likely compound if previous constructions are used to template manual construction of additional runs.
  - Example: The first construction introduces 15 mislabels and 15 omissions (1%). The second construction fixes 10 of the initial mislabels but introduces 15 more, leaving 20 mislabels; 15 additional omissions, now 30 total.

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# Improving Data Utilization through Data Registration

Enabled through structured data collection





#### Metallograph

#### Bottom

#1. The center of this cylinder gives us the (X, Y) position relative to the GTA origin.

#2. What provides the elevation (Z coordinate). A. Measurements (a), (b), and (c) are 3 mm triangular fiducials

- #3. What provides rotation about U? A. Measurements
- (a), (b), and (c) are 3 mm triangular fiducials
- #4. What provides rotation about V? A. Measurements
- (a), (b), and (c) are 3 mm triangular fiducials
- #5. These angles provide rotation about W.



## Establishing a Cooperative Arrangement for Data Collection and Dissemination

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