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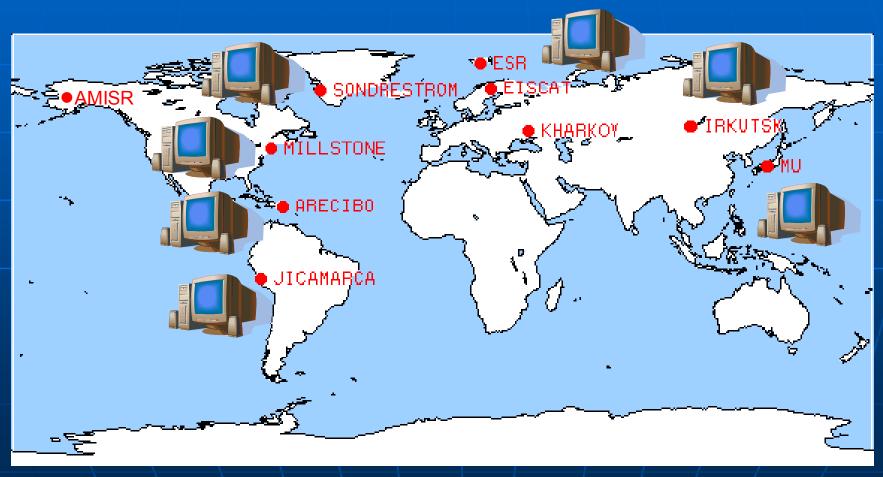
What is Madrigal?

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What is Madrigal?

Distributed, open-source, standards-based local databases that share metadata and have VO-features built in



http://madrigal.haystack.mit.edu/madrigal

MIT Haystack Educational outreach materials

http://www.haystack.mit.edu/edu/index.html

Lesson plans:

http://www.haystack.mit.edu/edu/pcr/resources/lessonplans.html

Details of museum exhibit: Solar Storms to Radio Waves

http://www.haystack.mit.edu/edu/poa/museum/index.html

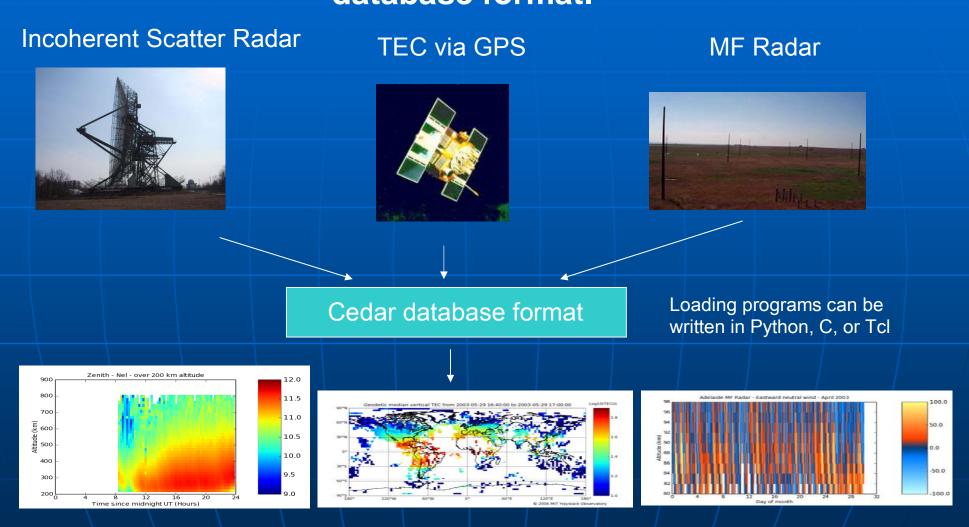
Space Weather Podcasts:

http://www.haystack.mit.edu/swfx

Notes from AMISR summer school:

http://www.haystack.mit.edu/cgibin/asg_science/science.cgi/Summer_School

The Madrigal database stores data from a wide variety of upper atmosphere research instruments in the Cedar database format.

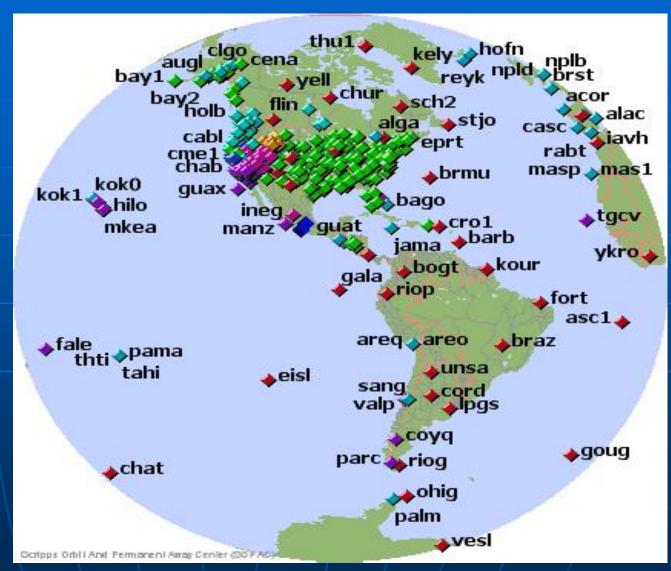


Other instrument types in Madrigal: Meteor radar, Digisonde, Fabry-Perot, Geophysical indices

Wide Area Distribution of 'Raw' Information

Distributed networks of sensors yield global physics unattainable with single-point measurements

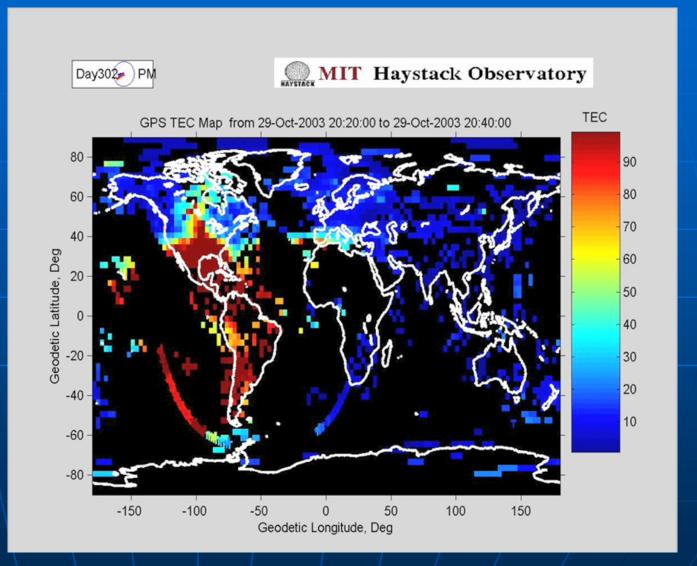
Example:
Global GPS-derived ionospheric mapping during geomagnetic disturbances



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How can the Madrigal database be accessed?





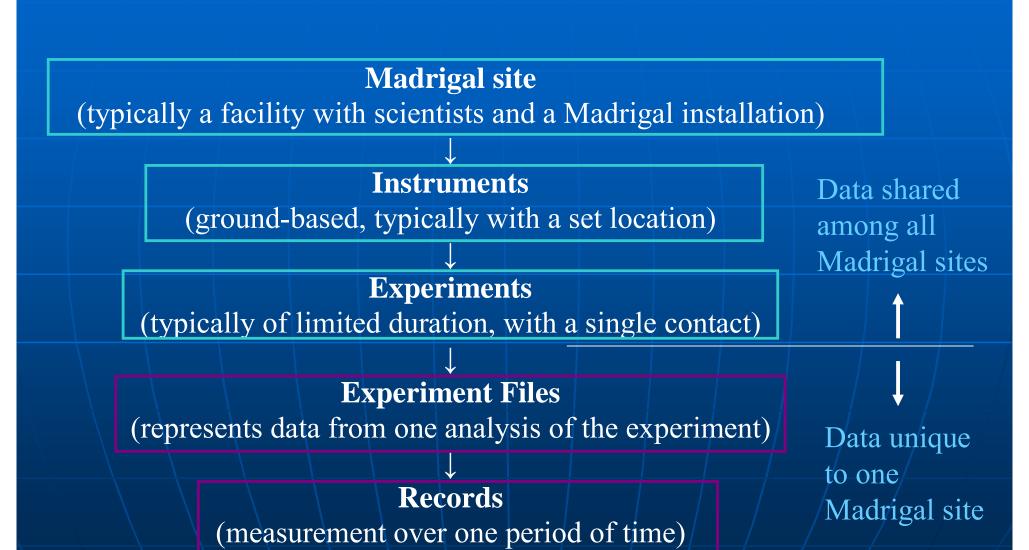
Web interface

Web services API

- From anywhere on internet
- Python API
- Matlab API
- Allows for easy VO access
 - AstroGrid has links

- allows easy import into Cedar Real-time and historical data

Madrigal Data Model



Cedar/Madrigal Database

- All parameters in file defined
 - http://cedarweb.hao.ucar.edu/documents/para meters_list.txt
- Ranges of parameters for each instrument
- Data stored in one or two 16 bit ints
 - Additional increment parameters
- Error parameters always available
- File format defined in
 - http://cedarweb.hao.ucar.edu/cgibin/cedar_file_access.pl?filename=documents /cedar_fmt.pdf

Madrigal Derivation Engine

- Derived parameters appear to be in file
- Engine determines all parameters that can be derived
- Easy to add new derived parameters using code written in C or Fortran

Classes of derived parameters

- Space, time
 - Examples: Local time, shadow height
- Geophysical
 - Examples: Kp, Dst, Imf, F10.7
- Magnetic
 - Examples: Bmag, Mag conjugate lat and long, Tsyganenko magnetic equatorial plane intercept
- Models
 - Examples: MSIS, IRI

• Tutorial

- · Access Data
- Run Models
- Documentation
- Open Madrigal
- Space Science

Resources

• Real-time Data Sources

Welcome to the Madrigal Database at Haystack Observatory

Try the new Simple Madrigal Data Access link on the Access Data page.

Madrigal is an upper atmospheric science database used by groups throughout the world. Madrigal is a robust, World Wide Web based system capable of managing and serving archival and real-time data, in a variety of formats, from a wide range of upper atmospheric science instruments. The basic data format is the same as that used by the National Science Foundation supported Coupling, Energetics and Dynamics of Atmospheric Regions (CEDAR) program, which maintains a CEDAR Database at the National Center for Atmospheric Research (NCAR). Data files are easily exchanged between the two sites, but Madrigal has a significantly different emphasis. Data at each Madrigal site is locally controlled and can be updated at any time, but shared metadata between Madrigal sites allow searching of all Madrigal sites at once.

Data can be accessed from the Madrigal sites at Millstone Hill, USA, Arecibo, Puerto Rico, EISCAT, Norway, SRI International, USA, Cornell University, USA, Jicamarca, Peru, The Institute of Solar-Terrestrial Physics, Russia, and Wuhan Ionospheric Observatory, the Chinese Academy of Sciences. and directly, using APIs which are available for several popular programming languages. A CVS archive of all Madrigal software and documentation is available from the Open Madrigal Web site. The latest version of Madrigal may also be downloaded from there.













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Access Madrigal Data

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Simple Madrigal Data Access

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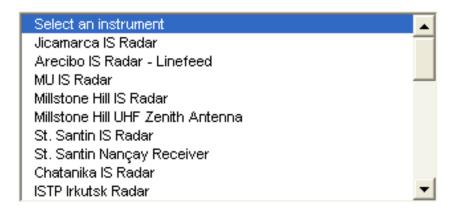
Global Madrigal Database Report

This form allows you to generate a report on multiple experiments at once. Experiments can be filtered by instrument, kind of data, and date range or season. The data within any given experiment can be filtered using any parameter, measured or derived. Data from all experiments located in the local Madrigal database matching your criteria will be returned in a single report. Click here for a tutorial on this way to access Madrigal data

Plot Data from Instruments

Simple Madrigal data access - select an instrument...

Click on the instrument you want to get data or plots from:



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Please send any comments or suggestions to the Open Madrigal Users Mailing List.

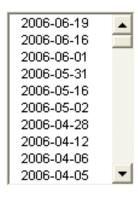


Simple Madrigal data access - select dates...

Selected Instrument: Millstone Hill IS Radar

Click on one or more dates you want data or plots from:

(Windows users: Hold down Control key to select more than one date)



Plot data

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Simple Madrigal data access - select parameter and y axis for plotting...

Selected Instrument:

• Millstone Hill IS Radar

Selected dates:

2005-09-10



or, view existing plots and descriptions:

- 2005-09-10
 - o INSCAL Analysis notes for mlh 1142298092
 - Electron density summary plots
 - Electron temperature summary plots
 - Ion temperature summary plots
 - Ion velocity summary plots

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How is the simple data access

Electron density summary plots for Millstone Hill Radar

Sep. 10, 2005

Electron temperature summary | Ion temperature summary plots

plots

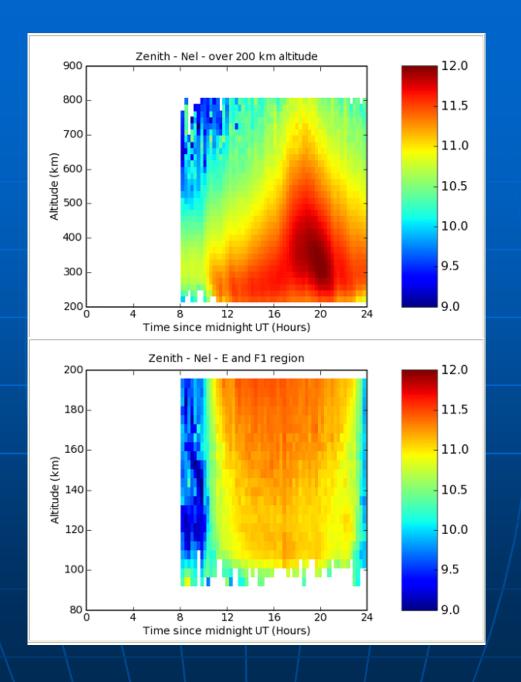
Ion velocity summary plots

Rapid LTCS Experiment

This is an experiment designed to provide rapid time coverage of the E-region and Fregion ionosphere. This experiment is useful for providing high altitude resolution in the E-region and F-region along with sufficient pointing directions using MISA to provide electric field measurements. The dwell time in a given position is 8 minutes to provide the possibility of a long integration if needed. The overall cycle time of the experiment is 65 minutes with a measurement triplet every 32 minutes.

This page has the following summary plots of electron density:

- 1. Zenith antenna altitudes above 200 km versus time using single pulse m easurements
- 2. Zenith antenna E and F1-region altitudes versus time using alternating code m easurements
- Misa antenna Azimuth=0°(North), Elevation=45°, altitudes above 200 km. versus time using single pulse measurements
- 4. Misa antenna Azimuth=0°(North), Elevation=45°, E and F1-region altitudes versus time using alternating code measurements
- 5. Misa antenna Azimuth=-90° (West), Elevation=45°, altitudes above 200 km versus time using single pulse measurements
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Plot Data from Instruments

Madrigal Experiment Selector

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Select instrument(s)

College Fabry-Perot
Sondre Stromfjord and Thule Fabry-Perots
Thule Fabry-Perot
Stockholm IR Michelson
CEDAR Idar
USU CCD Imager
CEDAR Imager
MIO
All-sky cameras at Qaanaaq
World-wide GPS Receiver Network

Select date range

1 1 1950 Start Day, Month, Year 31 12 2006 End Day, Month, Year

Select list format

Experiment ID

Madrigal Site

Start Date

Start Time

End Date

End Time

Instrument Code

Instrument Mnemonic

Instrument Name

Experiment Name

Options

Sort Order	rder Date Order		ate Format	File Selection	Show Experiments at	
• Date	Earliest	•	03/21/1999	Show Latest Files	• All Madrigal Sites	
C Instument	C Latest First	0	21.03.1999	C Show History Files	C This Madrigal Site	
			Li <u>s</u> t selected d	ata		

Madrigal Experiment Listing

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Site Start Date S Tm End Date E Tm Inst Experiment Name

GO Mills 09/10/2005 0000 09/10/2005 2355 gps World-wide Vertical Total Electron Content GO Mills 09/11/2005 0000 09/11/2005 2355 gps World-wide Vertical Total Electron Content

World-wide GPS Receiver Network

World-wide Vertical Total Electron Content

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Start Time: 09/10/2005 00:00:00 End Time: 09/10/2005 23:55:00

CEDAR Format Datasets:

- gps050910g.001 default file for Minimum Scallop TEC Processing status: final
 - o View description from the catalog and/or header records
 - o File Summary Record summary, list of parameters in file, etc.
 - o <u>Data Browser (isprint)</u> Flat-file listing of a user-selected portion of the file
 - o Download file Download gps050910g.001 in selected format

Additional information:

TEC Maps

Notes

Add to these notes

ISPrint Database Browser

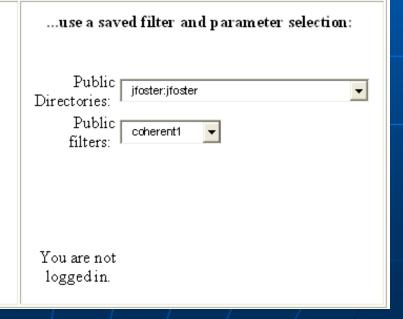
Experiment: World-wide Vertical Total Electron Content

Sat Sep 10	00:00:00	2005 - Si	at Sep 10 2	3:55:00	2005	World	-wide	GPS Re	ceiver Net	work	
Available	Filters -	- Using	default o	r man	ually	entere	d sele	ctions			

Set data filters manually, or ...

- . Data will be listed only if it falls within the range of the filter
- · For azimuth and elevation, two separate ranges can now be used
- Explanation of Filters

Start date:	Sep ▼	10	2005
Start time:	H: 0	M: 0	S: 0
End date:	Sep ▼	10	2005
End time:	H: 23	M: 55	S: 0
Optional free-form	n filters using any p	arameter mnemonio	on this



Available Parameters (Comprehensive)

Description of parameters ISPrint(Short form)

BXGSE

BZGSM

(parameters with regular typeface are derived)

Time Related Parameter										
	BDAY		BEG UT		BHHMMSS		<u>BHM</u>		<u>BMONTH</u>	
	B UTH		DAY		<u>DAYNO</u>		DUT21		<u>EHHMMSS</u>	
	<u>FYEAR</u>		<u>HOUR</u>		JDAYNO		MD		<u>MIN</u>	
	MONTH		<u>RECNO</u>		<u>SEC</u>		SLT		<u>UT</u>	
	<u>UT1</u>		<u>UT2</u>		<u>UTH</u>		<u>YEAR</u>			
	Geographic Coordinate									
	GDLAT		GLON		SDWHT		<u>SZEN</u>			
					Geophysical Ind	lex				
	<u>AP</u>		<u>AP3</u>		DST		<u>F10.7</u>		<u>FBAR</u>	
	<u>KP</u>									

I. S. Radar Basic Parameter

Interplanetary Magnetic Field

<u>BYGSE</u>

SWQ

BYGSM

SWSPD

<u>BXGSM</u>

<u>SWDEN</u>

BIMF

BZGSE

Experiment: World-wide Vertical Total Electron Content Return to experiment list Return to Madrigal homepage A tutorial on how to use this page Return to access data page Sat Sep 10 00:00:00 2005 - Sat Sep 10 23:55:00 2005 : World-wide GPS Receiver Network Available Filters Set data filters manually, oruse a saved filter and parameter selection: Data will be listed only if it falls within the range of the filter For azimuth and elevation, two separate ranges can now be used Public jfoster:jfoster Explanation of Filters Directories: Public coherent1 Sep 10 2005 Start date: filters: H: 0 M: 0 S: 0 Start time: 10 2005 End date: Private • H. 23 S: 0 55 End time: Directories: Filters: Optional free-form filters using any parameter mnemonic on this Mnemonic (or Mnem1+,-,*,/ Mnem2) Upper limit Lower limit (example: gdalt or gdalt - sdwht) (leave blank (leave blank Leave spaces between mnemonics and if none) if none) operator User: ajc 40.0 44.0 gdlat 150.0 200.0 glon

(parameters with regular typeface are derived)

	Time Related Parameter									
	<u>BDAY</u>	□ <u>BEG UT</u>	□ <u>bhhmmss</u>	□ _{BHM}	□ BMONTH					
	B UTH	□ _{DAY}	□ <u>DAYNO</u>	DUT21	EHHMMSS					
	<u>FYEAR</u>	HOUR	<u>JDAYNO</u>							
	MONTH	RECNO	□ <u>sec</u>	□ _{SLT}	□ <u>υτ</u>					
	<u>UT1</u>	□ <u>UT2</u>	□ <u>UTH</u>	□ <u>YEAR</u>						
			Geographic Coord	inate						
V	GDLAT	☑ GLON	□ _{SDWHT}	□ _{SZEN}						
			Geophysical Ind	lex						
	AP	□ _{AP3}	DST	F10.7	□ _{FBAR}					
	<u>KP</u>									
		Ti	nterplanetary Magne	etic Field						
	BIMF	BXGSE	□ _{BXGSM}	BYGSE	□ _{BYGSM}					
	BZGSE	BZGSM	SWDEN	□ swq	□ swspd					
		:	I. S. Radar Basic Pa	rameter						
V	<u>TEC</u>									
		T. :	S. Radar Operation I	Parameter						
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Live demo of Madrigal web page

Start at any Madrigal server (e.g., http://www.haystack.mit.edu/madrigal)

Remote Access to Madrigal Data

- Built on web services
- Like the web, available from anywhere on any platform
- Complete Matlab and Python API written
- More APIs available on request or via contribution

Madrigal Web Services

- Simple delimited output via CGI scripts
- Not based on SOAP or XmIRpc since no support in languages such as Matlab
- CGI arguments and output fully documented at http://www.haystack.edu/madrigal/r emoteAPIs.html

Simple Python example

```
# create the main object to get all needed info from Madrigal
madrigalUrl = 'http://www.haystack.mit.edu/madrigal'
testData = madrigalWeb.madrigalWeb.MadrigalData(madrigalUrl)

# get all MLH experiments in 1998
expList = testData.getExperiments(30, 1998,1,1,0,0,0,1998,12,31,23,59,59)
for exp in expList:
    # print out all experiments
    print exp

# print list of all files in first experiment
```

fileList = testData.getExperimentFiles(expList[0].id)

for thisfile in fileList:

print thisfile

Python Remote API

- Can run on any platform with python (PC, Unix, Mac, etc)
- Fully documented with examples
- See

 http://madrigal.haystack.edu/madrigal/mad

Live Python API demo

See /home/brideout/examples/ demoMadrigalWebServices.py

To run the python demo:

/opt/madrigal/bin/python /opt/madrigal/bin/demo/demoMadrigalWe bServices.py

Matlab Remote API

- Methods
 - getInstrumentsWeb
 - getExperimentsWeb
 - getExperimentFilesWeb
 - getParametersWeb
 - isprintWeb
 - madCalculatorWeb
- Methods match Madrigal model

Simple Matlab example

```
filename = '/usr/local/madroot/experiments
           /2003/tro/05jun03/NCAR_2003-06-05_tau2pl_60_uhf.bin';
eiscat_cgi_url = 'http://www.eiscat.se/madrigal/cgi-bin/';
% download the following parameters from the above file: ut, gdalt, ti
parms = 'ut,gdalt,ti';
filterStr = 'filter=gdalt,200,600 filter=ti,0,5000';
% returns a three dimensional array of double with the dimensions:
%
    [Number of rows, number of parameters requested, number of records]
%
   If error or no data returned, will return error explanation string instead.
```

data = isprintWeb(eiscat_cgi_url, filename, parms, filterStr);

Matlab

Madrigal

API call

Simple Matlab example, continued

See

 http://madrigal.haystack.edu/madrigal/remoteMatlabAPI.html for complete documentation and more examples

Live Matlab API demo

 See /home/brideout/examples/ demoMadrigalWebServices.m

To run the Matlab demo:

- 1. cd /opt/madrigal/bin/demo
- 2. Start matlab
- 3. From the command window, run "demoMadrigalWebServices".

Extending/contributing to Madrigal

- Madrigal is completely open source
- See <u>www.openmadrigal.org</u> for CVS
- All new code is C/Python, with some Tcl. Derivation methods sometimes in Fortran.

DEMOS

DEMO GPS TEC MAPS

http://madrigal.haystack.mit.edu/cgi-bin/madrigal/simpleChooseInstrument.py

DEMO CONVERSION TO GEOMAGNETIC
 COORDINATES

http://madrigal.haystack.mit.edu/cgi-bin/madrigal/madlnvent.cgi

- DEMO DST FILTER (WITH EXPLANATION)
- DEMO MATLAB PROGRAMS TO LOOK AT GPS TEC