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Readers for the data from the International Soil Moisture Database (ISMN).

CITATION

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INSTALLATION

This package should be installable through pip:

```
pip install ismn
```

The cartopy-package needs to be installed manually by using the following command:

```
conda install -c conda-forge cartopy
```

2.1 Example installation script

The following script will install miniconda and setup the environment on a UNIX like system. Miniconda will be installed into `$HOME/miniconda`.

```
wget https://repo.continuum.io/miniconda/Miniconda-latest-Linux-x86_64.sh -O ↳
↳miniconda.sh
bash miniconda.sh -b -p $HOME/miniconda
export PATH="$HOME/miniconda/bin:$PATH"
git clone git@github.com:TUW-GEO/ismn.git ismn
cd ismn
conda env create -f environment.yml
source activate ismn
```

This script adds `$HOME/miniconda/bin` temporarily to the `PATH` to do this permanently add `export PATH="$HOME/miniconda/bin:$PATH"` to your `.bashrc` or `.zshrc`

The second to last line in the example activates the `ismn` environment.

After that you should be able to run:

```
python setup.py test
```

to run the test suite.

DESCRIPTION

ISMN data can be downloaded for free after registration from the [ISMN Website](#)

In case of the ISMN, two different formats are provided:

- Variables stored in separate files (CEOP formatted)
this format is supported 100% and should work with all examples
- Variables stored in separate files (Header+values)
this format is supported 100% and should work with all examples

If you downloaded ISMN data in one of the supported formats in the past it can be that station names are not recognized correctly because they contained the ‘_’ character which is supposed to be the separator. If you experience problems because of this please download new data from the ISMN since this issue should be fixed.

3.1 Landcover Classification

The ISMN data comes with information about landcover classification from the ESA CCI land cover project (years 2000, 2005 and 2010) as well as from in-situ measurements. To use ESA CCI land cover variables for filtering the data in the `get_dataset_ids` function, set the keyword parameters (`landcover_2000`, `landcover_2005` or `landcover_2010`) to the corresponding integer values (e.g. 10) in the list below. To get a list of possible values for filtering by in-situ values (keyword parameter: “`landcover_insitu`”), call the `get_landcover_types` method of your `ISMN_Interface` object and set `landcover='landcover_insitu'`.

- 10: Cropland, rainfed
- 11: Cropland, rainfed / Herbaceous cover
- 12: Cropland, rainfed / Tree or shrub cover,
- 20: Cropland, irrigated or post-flooding,
- 30: Mosaic cropland (>50%) / natural vegetation (tree, shrub, herbaceous,
- 40: Mosaic natural vegetation (tree, shrub, herbaceous cover) (>50%) / cropland (<50%),
- 50: Tree cover, broadleaved, evergreen, Closed to open (>15%),
- 60: Tree cover, broadleaved, deciduous, Closed to open (>15%),
- 61: Tree cover, broadleaved, deciduous, Closed (>40%),
- 62: Tree cover, broadleaved, deciduous, Open (15-40%),
- 70: Tree cover, needleleaved, evergreen, closed to open (>15%),
- 71: Tree cover, needleleaved, evergreen, closed (>40%),

- 72: Tree cover, needleleaved, evergreen, open (15-40%),
- 80: Tree cover, needleleaved, deciduous, closed to open (>15%),
- 81: Tree cover, needleleaved, deciduous, closed (>40%),
- 82: Tree cover, needleleaved, deciduous, open (15-40%),
- 90: Tree cover, mixed leaf type (broadleaved and needleleaved),
- 100: Mosaic tree and shrub (>50%) / herbaceous cover (<50%),
- 110: Mosaic herbaceous cover (>50%) / tree and shrub (<50%),
- 120: Shrubland,
- 121: Shrubland / Evergreen Shrubland,
- 122: Shrubland / Deciduous Shrubland,
- 130: Grassland,
- 140: Lichens and mosses,
- 150: Sparse vegetation (tree, shrub, herbaceous cover) (<15%),
- 152: Sparse vegetation (tree, shrub, herbaceous cover) (<15%) / Sparse shrub (<15%),
- 153: Sparse vegetation (tree, shrub, herbaceous cover) (<15%) / Sparse herbaceous cover (<15%),
- 160: Tree cover, flooded, fresh or brakish water,
- 170: Tree cover, flooded, saline water,
- 180: Shrub or herbaceous cover, flooded, fresh/saline/brakish water,
- 190: Urban areas,
- 200: Bare areas,
- 201: Consolidated bare areas,
- 202: Unconsolidated bare areas,
- 210: Water,
- 220: Permanent snow and ice,

3.2 Climate Classification

The ISMN data comes with information about climate classification from the Koeppen-Geiger Climate Classification (2007) as well as in-situ measurements. To use Koeppen-Geiger variable for filtering the data in the `get_dataset_ids` function, set the keyword parameter “climate” to the corresponding keys (e.g. ‘Af’) in the list below. To get a list of possible values for filtering by in-situ values (keyword parameter: “climate_insitu”), call the `get_climate_types` method of your `ISMN_Interface` object and set `climate='climate_insitu'`.

- Af: Tropical Rainforest
- Am: Tropical Monsoon
- As: Tropical Savanna Dry
- Aw: Tropical Savanna Wet
- BWk: Arid Desert Cold
- BWh: Arid Desert Hot

- BWn: Arid Desert With Frequent Fog
- BSk: Arid Steppe Cold
- BSh: Arid Steppe Hot
- BSn: Arid Steppe With Frequent Fog
- Csa: Temperate Dry Hot Summer
- Csb: Temperate Dry Warm Summer
- Csc: Temperate Dry Cold Summer
- Cwa: Temperate Dry Winter, Hot Summer
- Cwb: Temperate Dry Winter, Warm Summer
- Cwc: Temperate Dry Winter, Cold Summer
- Cfa: Temperate Without Dry Season, Hot Summer
- Cfb: Temperate Without Dry Season, Warm Summer
- Cfc: Temperate Without Dry Season, Cold Summer
- Dsa: Cold Dry Summer, Hot Summer
- Dsb: Cold Dry Summer, Warm Summer
- Dsc: Cold Dry Summer, Cold Summer
- Dsd: Cold Dry Summer, Very Cold Winter
- Dwa: Cold Dry Winter, Hot Summer
- Dwb: Cold Dry Winter, Warm Summer
- Dwc: Cold Dry Winter, Cold Summer
- Dwd: Cold Dry Winter, Very Cold Winter
- Dfa: Cold Dry Without Dry Season, Hot Summer
- Dfb: Cold Dry Without Dry Season, Warm Summer
- Dfc: Cold Dry Without Dry Season, Cold Summer
- Dfd: Cold Dry Without Dry Season, Very Cold Winter
- ET: Polar Tundra
- EF: Polar Eternal Winter
- W: Water

3.3 Documentation

<https://ismn.readthedocs.io>

CONTRIBUTE

We are happy if you want to contribute. Please raise an issue explaining what is missing or if you find a bug. We will also gladly accept pull requests against our master branch for new features or bug fixes.

4.1 Development setup

For Development we also recommend a `conda` environment. You can create one including test dependencies and debugger by running `conda env create -f environment.yml`. This will create a new `ismn` environment which you can activate by using `source activate ismn`.

4.2 Guidelines

If you want to contribute please follow these steps:

- Fork the `ismn` repository to your account
- Clone the repository
- make a new feature branch from the `ismn` master branch
- Add your feature
- Please include tests for your contributions in one of the test directories. We use `py.test` so a simple function called `test_my_feature` is enough
- submit a pull request to our master branch

READING AND PLOTTING DATA FROM THE ISMN

This example program chooses a random Network and Station and plots the first variable,depth,sensor combination.

READING ISMN DATA

This example shows the basic functionality to read data downloaded from the International Soil Moisture Network (ISMN). The data is accessible at <http://ismn.geo.tuwien.ac.at> after registration.

For this tutorial, data for the networks 'REMEDIHUS', 'SMOSMANIA', 'FMI', 'WEGENERNET', 'GTK' and 'VAS' between 2009-08-04 and 2020-12-12 was downloaded.

The suggested class for reading is called `ISMN_Interface`. It provides functions to access single networks, stations and sensors and the measured time series for each sensor. The `ISMN_Interface` class takes either the directory where the extracted ISMN files are stored, or a zip archive of the data directly (reading from zip is significantly slower). To read only a selection of networks stored in the passed data path, you can pass a list of network names.

```
from ismn.interface import ISMN_Interface
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Enter the path to your ISMN data
path_to_ismn_data = r"C:\Temp\delete_me\ismn\stick\Data_separate_files_20090804_
↳20201212.zip"

ismn_data = ISMN_Interface(path_to_ismn_data, network=['REMEDIHUS', 'SMOSMANIA', 'FMI',
↳ 'WEGENERNET', 'GTK', 'VAS', 'RSMN'])
```

```
Found existing ismn metadata in C:\Temp\delete_me\ismn\stick\python_metadataData_
↳separate_files_20090804_20201212.csv.
```

The following command will initialise the reader. The first time this is done, metadata for each sensor will be collected. This will iterate through all files and detect e.g. station names, time coverage, measurement depths etc. Metadata collection can take a few minutes and will start multiple parallel processes (depending on the available resources). By default the `python_metadata` (which contains the collected metadata as a .csv file) will be placed in the passed root directory. The next time the reader is created it will use `python_metadata` (if it is found) instead of generating it again.

Note: When changing the data (e.g. if folders are added or removed from the data collection) make sure to delete the `python_metadata` folder to re-generate for the new data.

You can define a different path, where the metadata is stored, resp. looked for by passing a `meta_path` when initialising `ISMN_Interface`. You can also define a list of network names that are considered when reading the data (this will not affect metadata generation, which is performed for ALL networks in `data_path`). Passing `keep_loaded_data=True` means that all time series, once read, will be kept in memory for faster subsequent access. This can fill up your memory and is only recommended for small data samples.

In this example we use the default metadata path.

6.1 Accessing data components

6.1.1 Network Collection

ISMN_Interface contains a collection of active ISMN networks. The collection lists the network name and names of all stations in a network (either all Networks if no network(s) was/were specified during initialisation or the selected networks).

```
collection = ismn_data.collection
collection
```

```
FMI: ['SAA111', 'SAA112', 'SAA120', 'SOD011', 'SOD012', 'SOD013', 'SOD021', 'SOD022',
↪ 'SOD023', 'SOD031', 'SOD032', 'SOD033', 'SOD071', 'SOD072', 'SOD073', 'SOD081',
↪ 'SOD082', 'SOD083', 'SOD091', 'SOD092', 'SOD093', 'SOD101', 'SOD102', 'SOD103',
↪ 'SOD130', 'SOD140', 'SODAWS'],
GTK: ['IlomantsiIII', 'Kuusamo', 'PoriIII', 'Suomussalmi'],
REMEDHUS: ['Canizal', 'Carramedina', 'Carretoro', 'CasaPeriles', 'ConcejodelMonte',
↪ 'ElCoto', 'ElTomillar', 'Granja-g', 'Guarena', 'Guarrati', 'LaAtalaya',
↪ 'LaCruzdeElias', 'LasArenas', 'LasBodegas', 'LasBrozas', 'LasEritas', 'LasTresRayas
↪ ', 'LasVacas', 'LasVictorias', 'LlanosdelaBoveda', 'Paredinas', 'Zamarron'],
RSMN: ['Adamclisi', 'Alexandria', 'Bacles', 'Banloc', 'Barlad', 'Calarasi',
↪ 'ChisineuCris', 'Corugea', 'Cotnari', 'Darabani', 'Dej', 'Dumbraveni', 'Iasi',
↪ 'Oradea', 'RosioriideVede', 'SannicolauMare', 'SatuMare', 'Slatina', 'Slobozia',
↪ 'Tecuci'],
SMOSMANIA: ['Barnas', 'Berzeme', 'CabrieresdAvignon', 'Condom', 'CreondArmagnac',
↪ 'LaGrandCombe', 'Lahas', 'LezignanCorbieres', 'Mazan-Abbaye', 'Mejannes-le-Clap',
↪ 'Montaut', 'Mouthoumet', 'Narbonne', 'PeyrusseGrande', 'Pezenas', 'Pezenas-old',
↪ 'Prades-le-Lez', 'Sabres', 'SaintFelixdeLauragais', 'Savenes', 'Urgons',
↪ 'Villevielle'],
VAS: ['MelbexI', 'MelbexII', 'ValenciaAnchorStation'],
WEGENERNET: ['15', '19', '27', '34', '50', '54', '6', '77', '78', '84', '85', '99']
```

The collection also contains a grid object that contains the locations of all **stations** in all active networks. For more details see <https://github.com/TUW-GEO/pygeogrids>

```
import pandas as pd
grid = collection.grid
gps, lons, lats = grid.get_grid_points()
print(pd.DataFrame(index=pd.Index(gps, name='gpi'), data={'lon': lons, 'lat': lats}))
```

Using the GPI or coordinates, a station from **all** stations in **all** networks in the collection can be selected.

```
station, dist = collection.get_nearest_station(27.0, 68.0)
assert collection.station4gpi(0) == station # same result when selecting with GPI

print(f"Station '{station.name}' at Lon: {station.lon}°, Lat: {station.lat}°")
station
```

```
Station 'SAA111' at Lon: 27.550620000000002°, Lat: 68.33019°
```

```
Sensors at 'SAA111': ['CS215_air_temperature_-2.000000_-2.000000', '5TE_soil_
↪ temperature_0.200000_0.200000', '5TE_soil_temperature_0.400000_0.400000', '5TE_soil_
↪ moisture_0.800000_0.800000', '5TE_soil_moisture_0.400000_0.400000', '5TE_soil_
↪ moisture_0.200000_0.200000', '5TE_soil_temperature_0.050000_0.050000', '5TE_soil_
↪ moisture_0.050000_0.050000', '5TE_soil_moisture_0.100000_0.100000', '5TE_soil_
↪ temperature_0.800000_0.800000', '5TE_soil_temperature_0.100000_0.100000']
```

6.1.2 Network

A single network from the collection can be accessed via its name.

```
network = collection['SMOSMANIA']
network
```

```
Stations in 'SMOSMANIA': ['Barnas', 'Berzeme', 'CabrieresdAvignon', 'Condom',
↪ 'CreondArmagnac', 'LaGrandCombe', 'Lahas', 'LezignanCorbieres', 'Mazan-Abbaye',
↪ 'Mejannes-le-Clap', 'Montaut', 'Mouthoumet', 'Narbonne', 'PeyrusseGrande', 'Pezenas
↪ ', 'Pezenas-old', 'Prades-le-Lez', 'Sabres', 'SaintFelixdeLauragais', 'Savenes',
↪ 'Urgons', 'Villevielle']
```

6.1.3 Station

A network consists of multiple stations, multiple variables can be measured by different sensors at a station:

```
station = network.stations['SaintFelixdeLauragais']
station
```

```
Sensors at 'SaintFelixdeLauragais': ['PT-100_soil_temperature_0.050000_0.050000', 'PT-
↪ 100_soil_temperature_0.100000_0.100000', 'PT-100_soil_temperature_0.200000_0.200000
↪ ', 'PT-100_soil_temperature_0.300000_0.300000', 'ThetaProbe-ML2X_soil_moisture_0.
↪ 050000_0.050000', 'ThetaProbe-ML2X_soil_moisture_0.100000_0.100000', 'ThetaProbe-
↪ ML2X_soil_moisture_0.200000_0.200000', 'ThetaProbe-ML2X_soil_moisture_0.300000_0.
↪ 300000', 'ThetaProbe-ML3_soil_moisture_0.200000_0.200000']
```

Similar as the single sensors, each station has a metadata attribute. The station metadata contains all meta variables from all sensors that measure at the station. Formatting options for MetaData are either as a DataFrame (`to_pd()`) or as a dictionary (`to_dict()`) of form:

```
{name: [(value, depth_from, depth_to), ...], ...}
```

```
from pprint import pprint
pprint(station.metadata.to_dict())
```

```
{'clay_fraction': [(22.8, 0.05, 0.05),
                   (22.4, 0.1, 0.1),
                   (23.9, 0.2, 0.2),
                   (29.4, 0.3, 0.3)],
 'climate_KG': [('Cfb', None, None)],
 'climate_insitu': [('unknown', None, None)],
 'elevation': [(337.0, None, None)],
 'instrument': [('PT-100', 0.05, 0.05),
                ('PT-100', 0.1, 0.1),
                ('PT-100', 0.2, 0.2),
                ('PT-100', 0.3, 0.3),
                ('ThetaProbe-ML2X', 0.05, 0.05),
                ('ThetaProbe-ML2X', 0.1, 0.1),
                ('ThetaProbe-ML2X', 0.2, 0.2),
                ('ThetaProbe-ML2X', 0.3, 0.3),
                ('ThetaProbe-ML3', 0.2, 0.2)],
 'latitude': [(43.4417, None, None)],
 'lc_2000': [(10.0, None, None)],
```

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```

'lc_2005': [(10.0, None, None)],
'lc_2010': [(10.0, None, None)],
'lc_insitu': [('unknown', None, None)],
'longitude': [(1.88, None, None)],
'network': [('SMOSMANIA', None, None)],
'organic_carbon': [(1.15, 0.05, 0.05),
                   (0.84, 0.1, 0.1),
                   (0.97, 0.2, 0.2),
                   (0.7, 0.3, 0.3)],
'sand_fraction': [(43.5, 0.05, 0.05),
                  (40.3, 0.1, 0.1),
                  (39.7, 0.2, 0.2),
                  (32.0, 0.3, 0.3)],
'saturation': [(0.44, 0.05, 0.05),
               (0.43, 0.1, 0.1),
               (0.44, 0.2, 0.2),
               (0.44, 0.3, 0.3)],
'silt_fraction': [(33.7, 0.05, 0.05),
                  (37.3, 0.1, 0.1),
                  (36.4, 0.2, 0.2),
                  (38.6, 0.3, 0.3)],
'station': [('SaintFelixdeLauragais', None, None)],
'timerange_from': [(Timestamp('2009-08-04 00:00:00'), None, None),
                   (Timestamp('2017-10-16 13:00:00'), None, None)],
'timerange_to': [(Timestamp('2019-01-01 00:00:00'), None, None),
                  (Timestamp('2017-09-01 11:00:00'), None, None)],
'variable': [('soil_temperature', 0.05, 0.05),
              ('soil_temperature', 0.1, 0.1),
              ('soil_temperature', 0.2, 0.2),
              ('soil_temperature', 0.3, 0.3),
              ('soil_moisture', 0.05, 0.05),
              ('soil_moisture', 0.1, 0.1),
              ('soil_moisture', 0.2, 0.2),
              ('soil_moisture', 0.3, 0.3)]}

```

6.1.4 Sensor

Accessing sensors at a station works similar to accessing stations in a network. By default the name is created from the instrument type, the measured variable and the depth layer that the sensor measures in.

```

sensor = station['ThetaProbe-ML2X_soil_moisture_0.050000_0.050000']
sensor

```

```

ThetaProbe-ML2X_soil_moisture_0.050000_0.050000

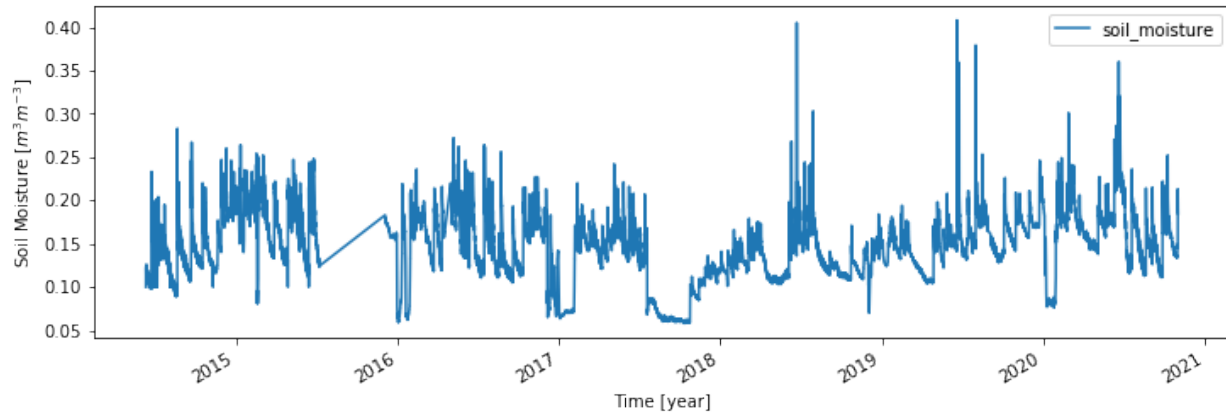
```

A data file is assigned to each sensor, that contains the sensor variable time series and quality flags.

```

ts = sensor.read_data()
ax = ts.plot(figsize=(12,4))
ax.set_xlabel("Time [year]")
ax.set_ylabel("Soil Moisture [ $m^3 m^{-3}$ ]")
print(ts)
plt.show()

```



Additionally, metadata is assigned to each sensor. Some metadata is sensor specific (e.g. soil properties, time series range), some depends on the location of the station and is therefore shared by multiple sensors (landcover and climate classes etc.). The first value in each Variable is the name of the metadata variable, the second the actual value for the variable. The third value (tuple) is the depth that the value applies to (for soil properties multiple layers are provided together with the ISMN data, during metadata generation the best matching depth for a sensor is selected).

```
sensor.metadata.to_pd()
```

```
name          meta_args
clay_fraction val          22.8
              depth_from  0.05
              depth_to    0.05
climate_KG    val          Cfb
climate_insitu val        unknown
elevation     val          337
instrument    val          ThetaProbe-ML2X
              depth_from  0.05
              depth_to    0.05
latitude      val          43.4417
lc_2000       val          10
lc_2005       val          10
lc_2010       val          10
lc_insitu     val          unknown
longitude     val          1.88
network       val          SMOSMANIA
organic_carbon val         1.15
              depth_from  0.05
              depth_to    0.05
sand_fraction val         43.5
              depth_from  0.05
              depth_to    0.05
saturation    val          0.44
              depth_from  0.05
              depth_to    0.05
silt_fraction val         33.7
              depth_from  0.05
              depth_to    0.05
station       val          SaintFelixdeLauragais
timerange_from val        2009-08-04 00:00:00
timerange_to   val        2019-01-01 00:00:00
variable       val          soil_moisture
              depth_from  0.05
```

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```

depth_to          0.05
Name: data, dtype: object

```

6.2 Other functions

6.2.1 Find network for a specific station

ISMN_Interface provides a function to find the network when only the name of a station is known.

```
ismn_data.network_for_station('SAA111', name_only=False)
```

```

Stations in 'FMI': ['SAA111', 'SAA112', 'SAA120', 'SOD011', 'SOD012', 'SOD013',
↳ 'SOD021', 'SOD022', 'SOD023', 'SOD031', 'SOD032', 'SOD033', 'SOD071', 'SOD072',
↳ 'SOD073', 'SOD081', 'SOD082', 'SOD083', 'SOD091', 'SOD092', 'SOD093', 'SOD101',
↳ 'SOD102', 'SOD103', 'SOD130', 'SOD140', 'SODAWS']

```

6.2.2 Read via index

You can filter the dataset a priori and get ids of sensors that measure a specific variable. The id can then be used to read the data directly.

```

ids = ismn_data.get_dataset_ids(variable='soil_temperature', max_depth=1, filter_meta_
↳ dict={'lc_2005': 130, 'climate_KG': 'Csb'})
print(ids)

```

```
[1376, 1377, 1378, 1379]
```

```

ts, meta = ismn_data.read(ids[1], return_meta=True)
pprint(meta)
ax = ts.plot(figsize=(12,4), title=f'Time series for ID {ids[1]}')
ax.set_xlabel("Time [year]")
ax.set_ylabel("Soil Temp. [°C]")
plt.show()

```

```

{'clay_fraction': [(20.2, 0.3, 0.3)],
'climate_KG': [('Csb', None, None)],
'climate_insitu': [('unknown', None, None)],
'elevation': [(318.0, None, None)],
'instrument': [('PT-100', 0.3, 0.3)],
'latitude': [(44.222, None, None)],
'lc_2000': [(130.0, None, None)],
'lc_2005': [(130.0, None, None)],
'lc_2010': [(130.0, None, None)],
'lc_insitu': [('unknown', None, None)],
'longitude': [(4.34483, None, None)],
'network': [('SMOSMANIA', None, None)],
'organic_carbon': [(4.52, 0.3, 0.3)],
'sand_fraction': [(30.3, 0.3, 0.3)],
'saturation': [(0.62, 0.3, 0.3)],
'silt_fraction': [(49.5, 0.3, 0.3)],

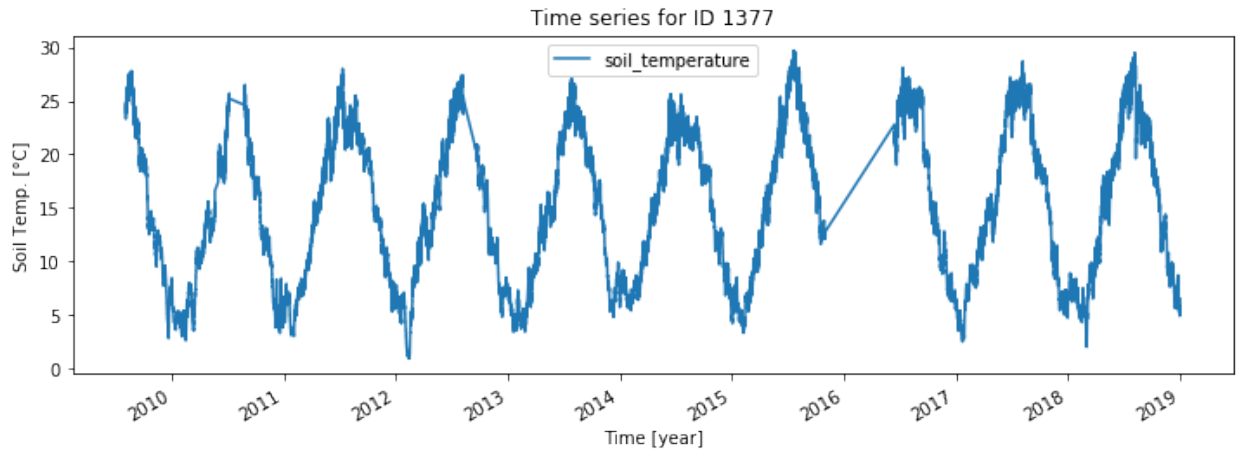
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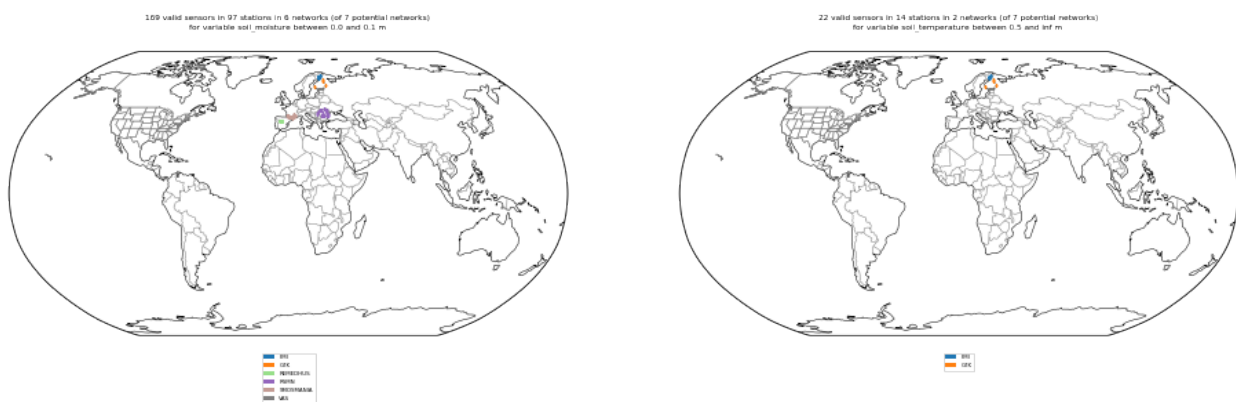
```
'station': [('Mejannes-le-Clap', None, None)],
'timerange_from': [(Timestamp('2009-08-04 00:00:00'), None, None)],
'timerange_to': [(Timestamp('2019-01-01 00:00:00'), None, None)],
'variable': [('soil_temperature', 0.3, 0.3)]
```

```
Text(0, 0.5, 'Soil Temp. [°C]')
```



Station locations for a specific variable can be visualised on a map. If a min/max depth is passed, only stations with a sensor that measures within the passed range are included.

```
import cartopy.crs as ccrs
#plot available station on a map
fig, axs = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(16,10), subplot_kw={'projection': ccrs.
↳Robinson()})
ismn_data.plot_station_locations('soil_moisture', min_depth=0., max_depth=0.1,
↳ax=axs[0])
ismn_data.plot_station_locations('soil_temperature', min_depth=0.5, ax=axs[1])
plt.show()
```



6.3 Selecting and iterating over data

It is often desired to iterate over all sensors that fulfill certain conditions (e.g. that measure soil moisture in a certain depth, or for a certain landcover class). For these cases the `collection` (and other components) provides iterators that take keywords and values for filtering the loaded networks/stations/sensor while iterating over single time series (of a collection, a network, or a station).

6.3.1 Select by variable and depth

In this example we iterate over all sensors in the previously loaded collection (i.e. over all active networks) that measure 'soil_moisture' in any depth (range) between 0 and 0.05 metres.

```
for network, station, sensor in ismn_data.collection.iter_sensors(variable='soil_
↳moisture',
                                                                    depth=[0., 0.05]):
    data = sensor.read_data()
    print(station)
    print('\033[1m' + f'Metadata for sensor {sensor}:')
    print(sensor.metadata.to_pd())
    ax = data.plot(figsize=(12,4), title=f'Time series for sensor {sensor.name}')
    ax.set_xlabel("Time [year]")
    ax.set_ylabel("Soil Moisture [m^3 m^{-3}]")
    plt.show()
    break # for this example we stop after the first sensor
```

```
Sensors at 'SAA111': ['CS215_air_temperature_-2.000000_-2.000000', '5TE_soil_
↳temperature_0.200000_0.200000', '5TE_soil_temperature_0.400000_0.400000', '5TE_soil_
↳moisture_0.800000_0.800000', '5TE_soil_moisture_0.400000_0.400000', '5TE_soil_
↳moisture_0.200000_0.200000', '5TE_soil_temperature_0.050000_0.050000', '5TE_soil_
↳moisture_0.050000_0.050000', '5TE_soil_moisture_0.100000_0.100000', '5TE_soil_
↳temperature_0.800000_0.800000', '5TE_soil_temperature_0.100000_0.100000']
```

```
[1mMetadata for sensor 5TE_soil_moisture_0.050000_0.050000:
```

name	meta_args	
clay_fraction	val	4
	depth_from	0
	depth_to	0.3
climate_KG	val	Dfc
climate_insitu	val	unknown
elevation	val	441
instrument	val	5TE
	depth_from	0.05
	depth_to	0.05
latitude	val	68.3302
lc_2000	val	110
lc_2005	val	110
lc_2010	val	110
lc_insitu	val	unknown
longitude	val	27.5506
network	val	FMI
organic_carbon	val	2.18
	depth_from	0
	depth_to	0.3

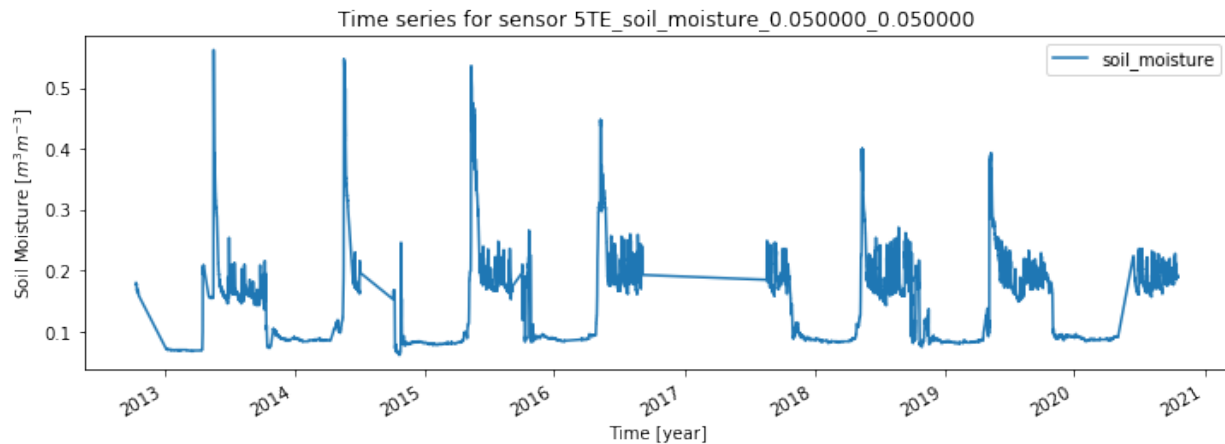
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sand_fraction    val                87
                 depth_from      0
                 depth_to        0.3
saturation       val                0.49
                 depth_from      0
                 depth_to        0.3
silt_fraction    val                9
                 depth_from      0
                 depth_to        0.3
station          val                SAA111
timerange_from  val                2012-10-14 00:00:00
timerange_to    val                2020-10-17 23:00:00
variable        val                soil_moisture
                 depth_from      0.05
                 depth_to        0.05
Name: data, dtype: object

```



6.3.2 Selecting by variable and other metadata (1)

In this example we iterate over all sensors for the network ‘RMSN’ and filter those that measure precipitation within an ESA CCI Landcover pixel that is marked as ‘Cropland, rainfed’ (10) or ‘Grassland’ (130).

```
ismn_data.print_landcover_dict()
```

```

CCI Landcover Classification
-----
Cropland, rainfed: 10
Cropland, rainfed / Herbaceous cover: 11
Cropland, rainfed / Tree or shrub cover: 12
Cropland, irrigated or post-flooding: 20
Mosaic cropland (>50%) / natural vegetation (tree, shrub, herbaceous): 30
Mosaic natural vegetation (tree, shrub, herbaceous cover) (>50%) / cropland (<50%): 40
Tree cover, broadleaved, evergreen, Closed to open (>15%): 50
Tree cover, broadleaved, deciduous, Closed to open (>15%): 60
Tree cover, broadleaved, deciduous, Closed (>40%): 61
Tree cover, broadleaved, deciduous, Open (15-40%): 62
Tree cover, needleleaved, evergreen, closed to open (>15%): 70
Tree cover, needleleaved, evergreen, closed (>40%): 71

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```

Tree cover, needleleaved, evergreen, open (15-40%): 72
Tree cover, needleleaved, deciduous, closed to open (>15%): 80
Tree cover, needleleaved, deciduous, closed (>40%): 81
Tree cover, needleleaved, deciduous, open (15-40%): 82
Tree cover, mixed leaf type (broadleaved and needleleaved): 90
Mosaic tree and shrub (>50%) / herbaceous cover (<50%): 100
Mosaic herbaceous cover (>50%) / tree and shrub (<50%): 110
Shrubland: 120
Shrubland / Evergreen Shrubland: 121
Shrubland / Deciduous Shrubland: 122
Grassland: 130
Lichens and mosses: 140
Sparse vegetation (tree, shrub, herbaceous cover) (<15%): 150
Sparse vegetation (tree, shrub, herbaceous cover) (<15%) / Sparse shrub (<15%): 152
Sparse vegetation (tree, shrub, herbaceous cover) (<15%) / Sparse herbaceous cover (
↪<15%): 153
Tree cover, flooded, fresh or brakish water: 160
Tree cover, flooded, saline water: 170
Shrub or herbaceous cover, flooded, fresh/saline/brakish water: 180
Urban areas: 190
Bare areas: 200
Consolidated bare areas: 201
Unconsolidated bare areas: 202
Water: 210
Permanent snow and ice: 220

```

```

for station, sensor in ismn_data.collection['RSMN'].iter_sensors(variable=
↪'precipitation',
                                                                    filter_meta_dict={
↪'lc_2010': [10, 130]}):
    data = sensor.read_data()
    metadata = sensor.metadata
    print(station)
    print('\033[1m' + f'Metadata for sensor {sensor}:')
    print(metadata.to_pd())
    ax = data.plot(figsize=(12,4), title=f'Time series for sensor {sensor.name}')
    ax.set_xlabel("Time [year]")
    ax.set_ylabel("Precipitation [mm]")
    plt.show()
    break # for this example we stop after the first sensor

```

```

Sensors at 'Barlad': ['HMP155-Vaisala_air_temperature_-2.000000_-2.000000', '5TM_soil_
↪temperature_0.000000_0.050000', '5TM_soil_moisture_0.000000_0.050000', 'QMR102_
↪precipitation_-1.400000_-1.400000', 'HMP155_air_temperature_-2.000000_-2.000000']

```

```
[1mMetadata for sensor QMR102_precipitation_-1.400000_-1.400000:
```

name	meta_args	
climate_KG	val	Dfb
climate_insitu	val	unknown
elevation	val	172
instrument	val	QMR102
	depth_from	-1.4
	depth_to	-1.4
latitude	val	46.2331

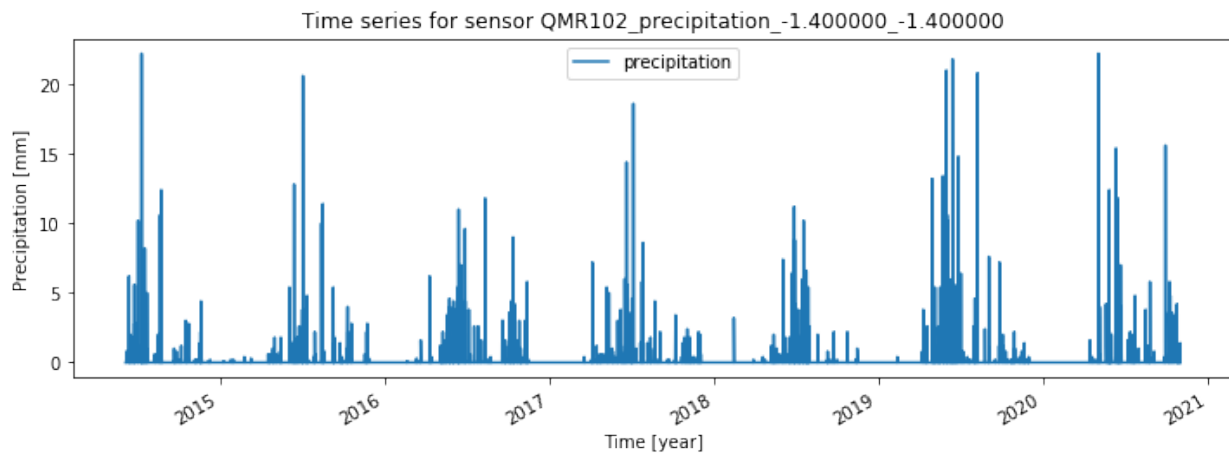
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```

lc_2000      val          10
lc_2005      val          10
lc_2010      val          10
lc_insitu    val          unknown
longitude     val          27.6444
network       val          RSMN
station       val          Barlad
timerange_from val      2014-06-06 07:00:00
timerange_to  val      2020-10-31 23:00:00
variable      val          precipitation
              depth_from  val      -1.4
              depth_to    val      -1.4
Name: data, dtype: object

```



6.3.3 Selecting by variable, depth and metadata (2)

In this example we iterate over all sensors in the collection and filter those that measure soil_moisture between 0 and 10 cm within an ESA CCI Landcover pixel that is marked as ‘Cropland, rainfed’ (10) or ‘Grassland’ (130), and has one of the following climate classes assigned: Csc, Cfa, Dfc. In addition we set all those soil moisture values that are **not** flagged as ‘good’ (G) to NaN.

```
print(ismn_data.print_climate_dict())
```

```

KOEPPEN GEIGER Climate Classification
-----
Af  : Tropical Rainforest
Am  : Tropical Monsoon
As  : Tropical Savanna Dry
Aw  : Tropical Savanna Wet
BWk : Arid Desert Cold
BWh : Arid Desert Hot
BWn : Arid Desert With Frequent Fog
BSk : Arid Steppe Cold
BSh : Arid Steppe Hot
BSn : Arid Steppe With Frequent Fog
Csa : Temperate Dry Hot Summer
Csb : Temperate Dry Warm Summer
Csc : Temperate Dry Cold Summer

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```

Cwa : Temperate Dry Winter, Hot Summer
Cwb : Temperate Dry Winter, Warm Summer
Cwc : Temperate Dry Winter, Cold Summer
Cfa : Temperate Without Dry Season, Hot Summer
Cfb : Temperate Without Dry Season, Warm Summer
Cfc : Temperate Without Dry Season, Cold Summer
Dsa : Cold Dry Summer, Hot Summer
Dsb : Cold Dry Summer, Warm Summer
Dsc : Cold Dry Summer, Cold Summer
Dsd : Cold Dry Summer, Very Cold Winter
Dwa : Cold Dry Winter, Hot Summer
Dwb : Cold Dry Winter, Warm Summer
Dwc : Cold Dry Winter, Cold Summer
Dwd : Cold Dry Winter, Very Cold Winter
Dfa : Cold Dry Without Dry Season, Hot Summer
Dfb : Cold Dry Without Dry Season, Warm Summer
Dfc : Cold Dry Without Dry Season, Cold Summer
Dfd : Cold Dry Without Dry Season, Very Cold Winter
ET  : Polar Tundra
EF  : Polar Eternal Winter
W   : Water

```

None

```

from ismn.meta import Depth
for network, station, sensor in ismn_data.collection \
    .iter_sensors(variable='soil_moisture',
                  depth=Depth(0.,0.05),
                  filter_meta_dict={'lc_2010': [10, 130],
                                    'climate_KG':['Csc', 'Cfa', 'Dfc']}):

    data = sensor.read_data()
    data.loc[data['soil_moisture_flag'] != 'G', 'soil_moisture'] = np.nan
    metadata = sensor.metadata
    print(network)
    print(station)
    print('\033[1m' + f'Metadata for sensor {sensor}:')
    print(metadata.to_pd())
    ax = data.plot(figsize=(12,4), title=f"G-flagged SM for '{sensor.name}' at_
↪station '{station.name}' in network '{network.name}'")
    ax.set_xlabel("Time [year]")
    ax.set_ylabel("Soil Moisture [m3 m-3]")
    plt.show()
    break # for this example we stop after the first sensor

```

```

Stations in 'RSMN': ['Adamclisi', 'Alexandria', 'Bacles', 'Banloc', 'Barlad',
↪ 'Calarasi', 'Chisineu-Cris', 'Corugea', 'Cotnari', 'Darabani', 'Dej', 'Dumbraveni',
↪ 'Iasi', 'Oradea', 'RosioriideVede', 'SannicolauMare', 'SatuMare', 'Slatina',
↪ 'Slobozia', 'Tecuci']

```

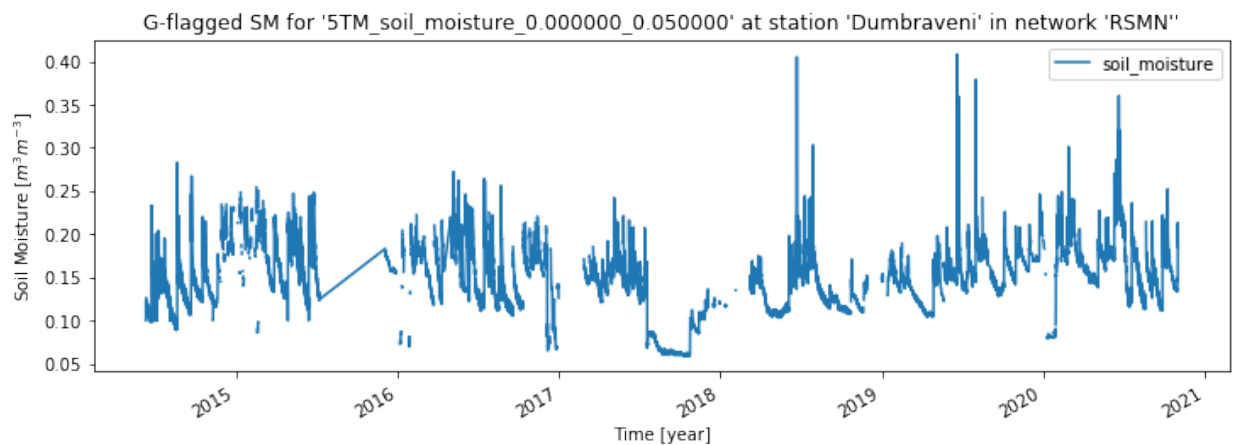
```

Sensors at 'Dumbraveni': ['5TM_soil_moisture_0.000000_0.050000', '5TM_soil_
↪temperature_0.000000_0.050000', 'QMR102_precipitation_-1.400000_-1.400000',
↪ 'HMP45DX_air_temperature_-2.000000_-2.000000']

```

```
[lmMetadata for sensor 5TM_soil_moisture_0.000000_0.050000:
```

```
name          meta_args
clay_fraction val          19
              depth_from 0
              depth_to   0.3
climate_KG    val          Dfc
climate_insitu val        unknown
elevation     val          318
instrument     val          5TM
              depth_from 0
              depth_to   0.05
latitude      val          46.2279
lc_2000       val          10
lc_2005       val          10
lc_2010       val          10
lc_insitu     val        unknown
longitude     val          24.5916
network       val          RSMN
organic_carbon val        0.99
              depth_from 0
              depth_to   0.3
sand_fraction val          37
              depth_from 0
              depth_to   0.3
saturation    val          0.44
              depth_from 0
              depth_to   0.3
silt_fraction val          44
              depth_from 0
              depth_to   0.3
station       val          Dumbraveni
timerange_from val        2014-06-11 12:00:00
timerange_to  val        2020-10-31 23:00:00
variable      val          soil_moisture
              depth_from 0
              depth_to   0.05
Name: data, dtype: object
```



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