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# **geoh5py Documentation**

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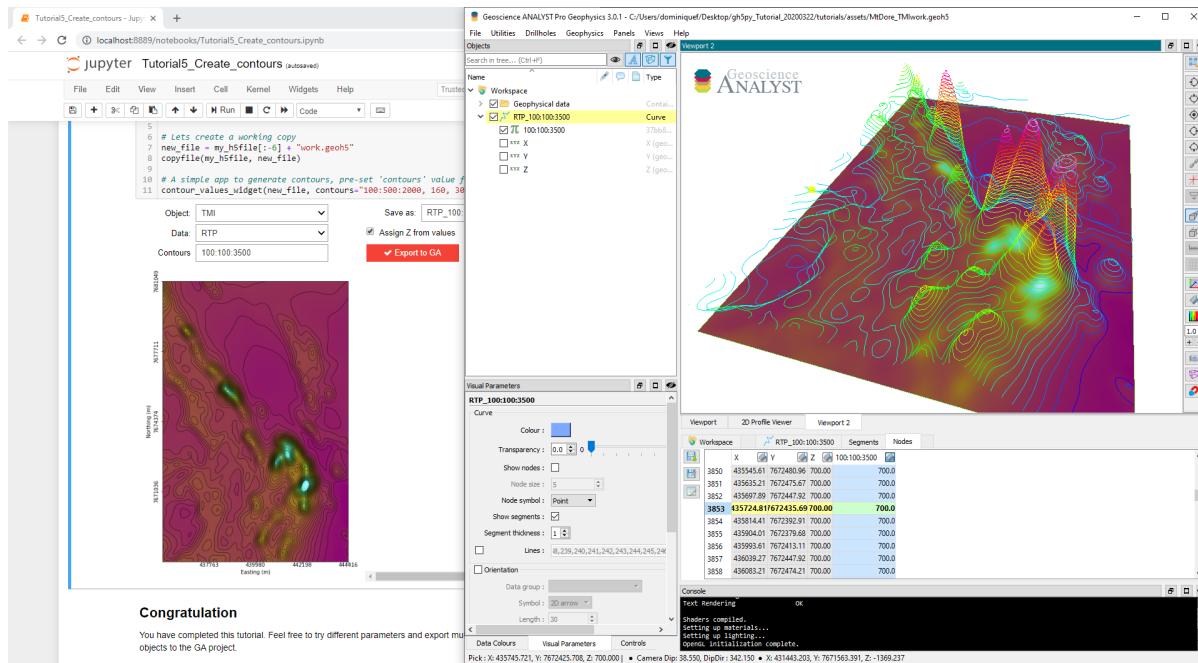
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# CHAPTER ONE

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## IN SHORT

The **geoh5py** library has been created for the manipulation and storage of a wide range of geoscientific data (points, curve, surface, 2D and 3D grids) in **geoh5** file format. Users will be able to directly leverage the powerful visualization capabilities of Geoscience ANALYST along with open-source code from the Python ecosystem.





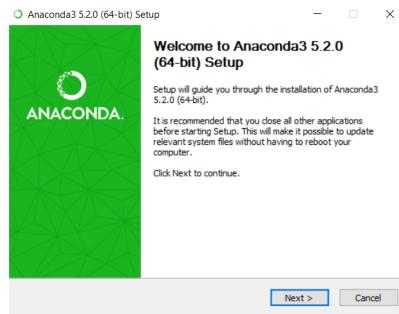
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### 2.1 Installation

**geoh5py** is currently written for Python 3.7 or higher, and depends on [NumPy](#) and [h5py](#).

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**Note:** Users will likely want to take advantage of other packages available in the Python ecosystem. We therefore recommend using [Anaconda](#) to manage the installation.



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Install **geoh5py** from PyPI:

```
$ pip install geoh5py
```

To install the latest development version of **geoh5py**, you can use pip with the latest GitHub development branch:

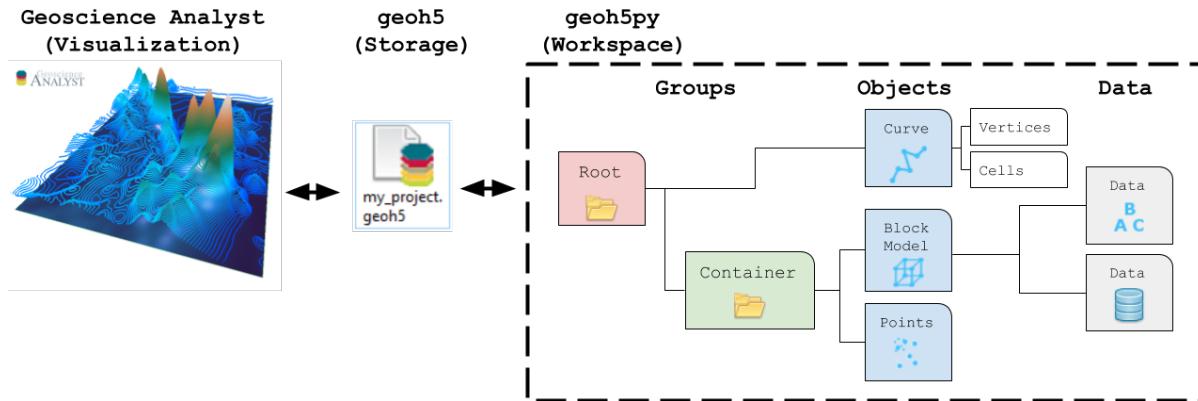
```
$ pip install git+https://github.com/MiraGeoscience/geoh5py.git
```

To work with **geoh5py** source code in development, install from GitHub:

```
$ git clone --recursive https://github.com/MiraGeoscience/geoh5py.git
$ cd geoh5py
$ python setup.py install
```

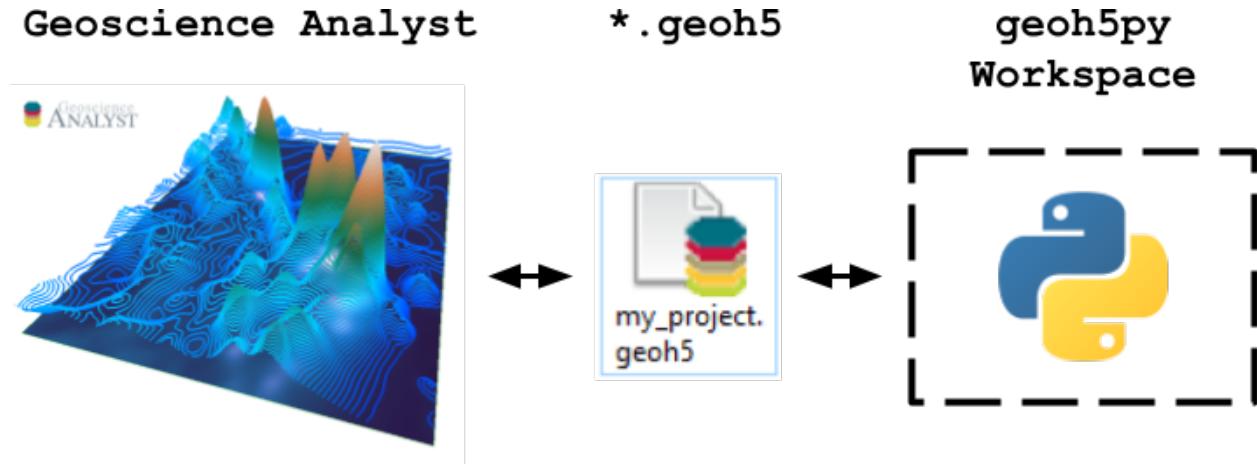
## 2.2 User Guide

This section provides information on how to use the **geoh5py** package, from the creation of a *Workspace* to the creation and manipulation of *Entities*.



### 2.2.1 Workspace

The core element of a project is the **Workspace**. A project Workspace holds core information about the author, version and all entities stored in the **geoh5** file. It also knows how to create the core structure needed by **Geoscience ANALYST** for visualization.

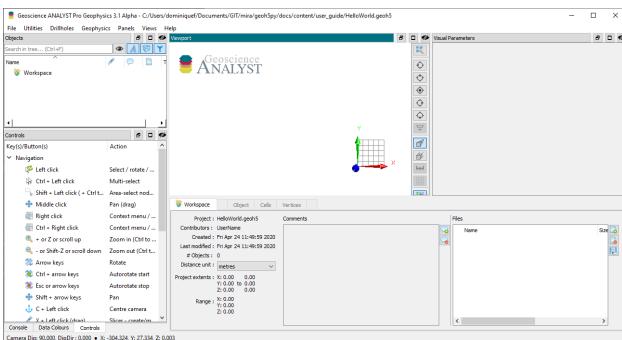


You can either open an existing project or create a new project by simply entering the desired file name.

```
[1]: from geoh5py.workspace import Workspace

# Create a new project
workspace = Workspace("my_project.geoh5")
```

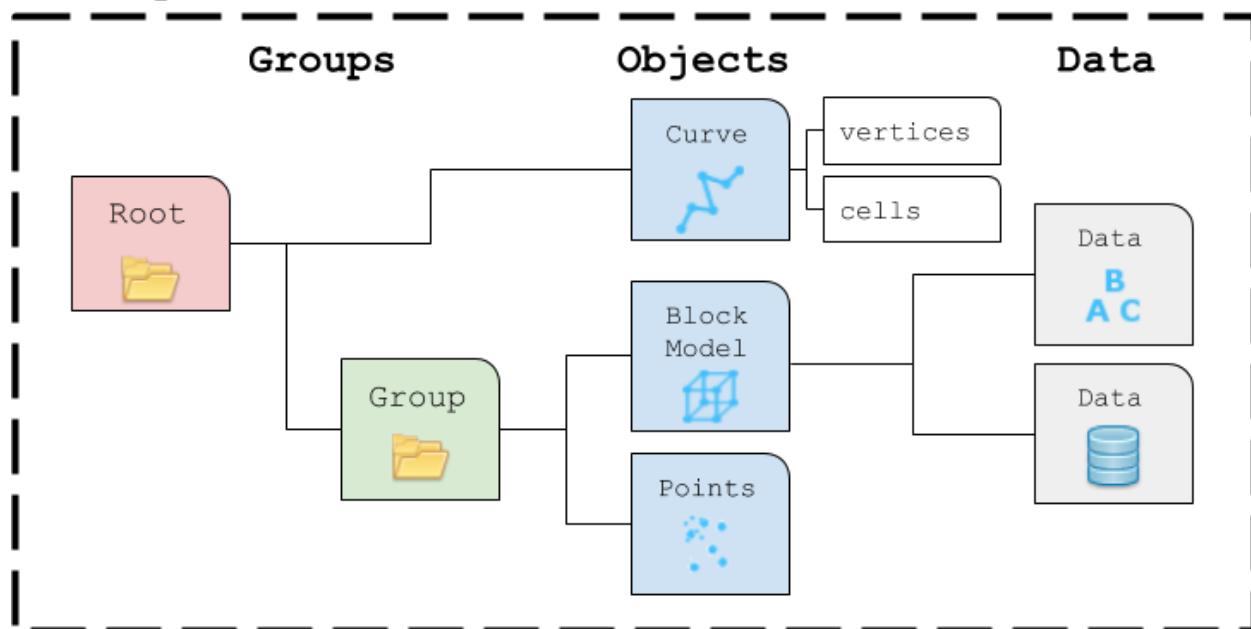
Et voila!



## 2.2.2 Entities

This section introduces the different entities that can be created and stored in the geoh5 file format.

### Workspace

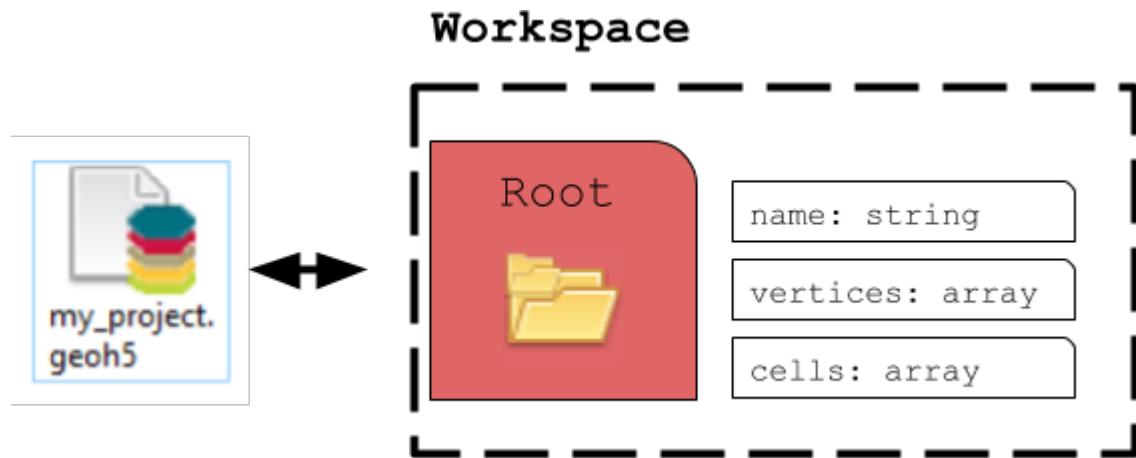


## Groups

Groups are effectively containers for other entities, such as **Objects** (Points, Curve, Surface, etc.) and other Groups. Groups are used to establish **parent-child** relationships and to store information about a collection of entities.

### RootGroup

By default, the parent of any new Entity is the workspace RootGroup. It is the only entity in the Workspace without a parent. Users rarely have to interact with the Root group as it is mainly used to maintain the overall project hierarchy.



### ContainerGroup

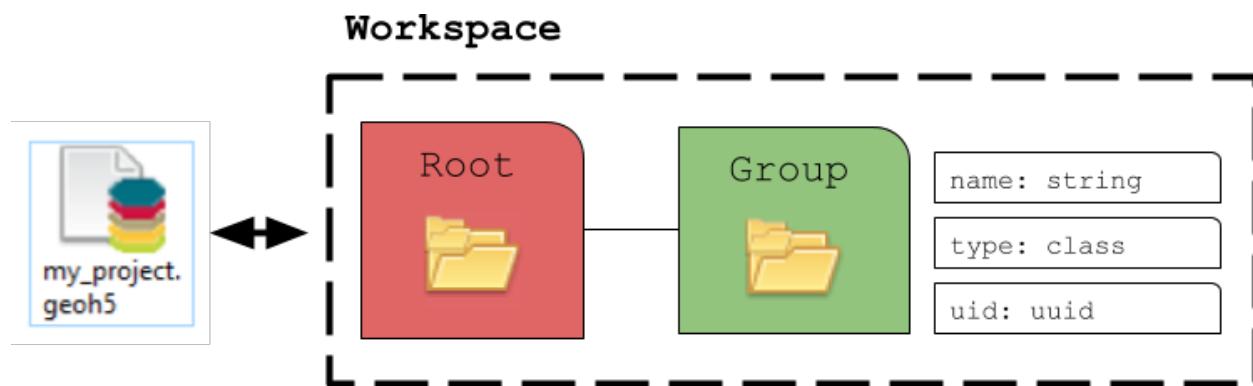
A ContainerGroup can easily be added to the workspace and can be assigned a name and description.

```
[1]: from geoh5py.groups import ContainerGroup
      from geoh5py.workspace import Workspace

      # Create a blank project
      workspace = Workspace("my_project.geoh5")

      # Add a group
      group = ContainerGroup.create(workspace, name='myGroup')
```

At creation, "myGroup" is written to the project geoh5 file and visible in the Analyst project tree.

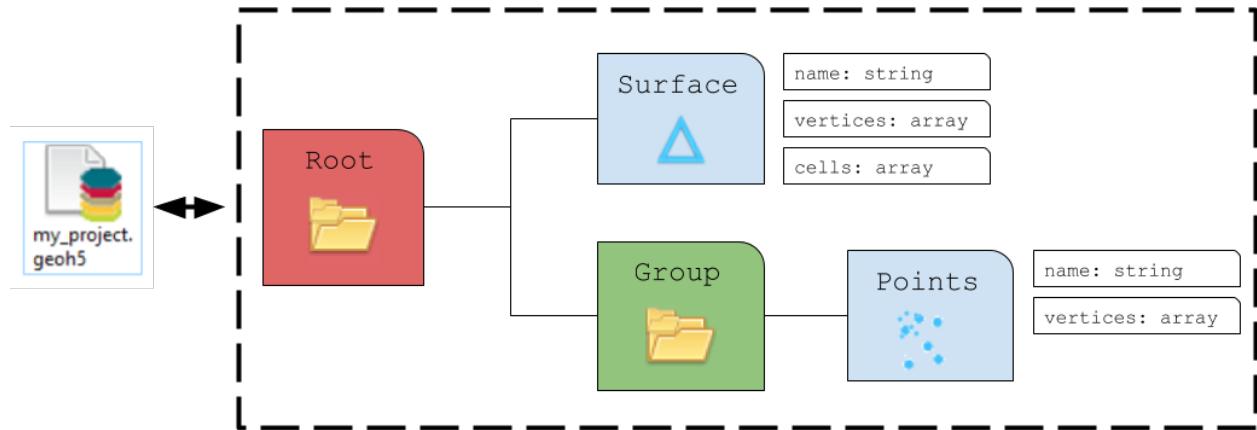


Any entity can be accessed by its name or uid (unique identifier):

```
[2]: print(group.uid)
print(workspace.get_entity("myGroup")[0] == workspace.get_entity(group.uid)[0])
a1e952c9-f520-45a7-81f6-986466bef3b1
True
```

## Objects

The geoh5 format enables storing a wide variety of **Object** entities that can be displayed in 3D. This section describes the collection of **Objects** entities currently supported by geoh5py.



## Points

The **Points** object consists of a list of **vertices** that define the location of actual data in 3D space. As for all other **Objects**, it can be created from an array of 3D coordinates and added to any group as follow:

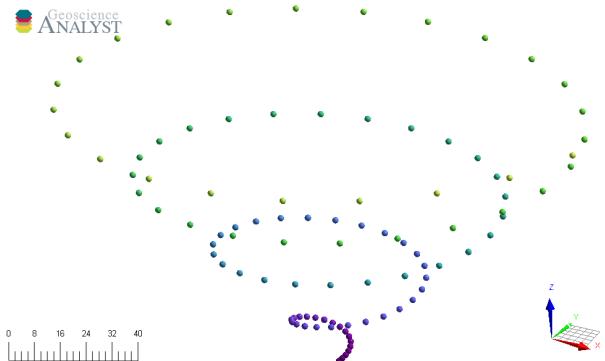
```
[3]: from geoh5py.workspace import Workspace
from geoh5py.objects import Points
import numpy as np

# Create a blank project
workspace = Workspace("my_project.geoh5")

# Generate a numpy array of xyz locations
n = 100
radius, theta = np.arange(n), np.linspace(0, np.pi*8, n)

x, y = radius * np.cos(theta), radius * np.sin(theta)
z = (x**2. + y**2.)**0.5
xyz = np.c_[x.ravel(), y.ravel(), z.ravel()] # Form a 2D array

# Create the Point object
points = Points.create(
    workspace,          # The target Workspace
    vertices=xyz       # Set vertices
)
```



## Curve

The `Curve` object, also known as a polyline, is often used to define contours, survey lines or geological contacts. It is a sub-class of the `Points` object with the added `cells` property, that defines the line segments connecting its `vertices`. By default, all vertices are connected sequentially following the order of the input `vertices`.

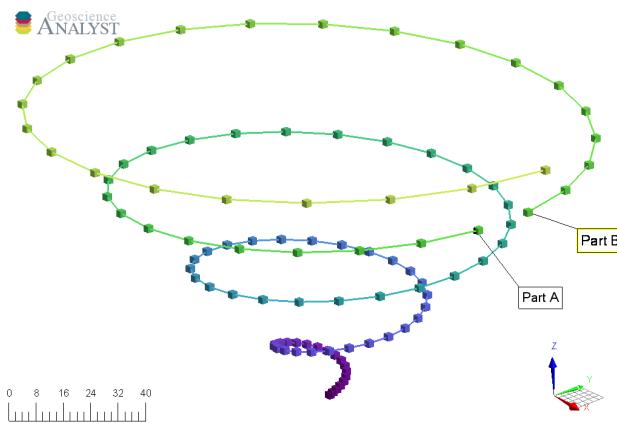
```
[4]: from geoh5py.objects import Curve

# Create the Curve object
curve = Curve.create(
    workspace,          # The target Workspace
    vertices=xyz
)
```

Alternatively, the `cells` property can be modified, either directly or by assigning `parts` identification to each `vertices`:

```
[5]: # Split the curve into two parts
part_id = np.ones(n, dtype="int32")
part_id[:75] = 2

# Assign the part
curve.parts = part_id
workspace.finalize()
```



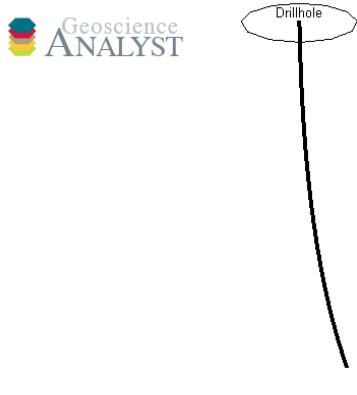
## Drillhole

Drillhole objects are different from other objects as their 3D geometry is defined by the `collar` and `surveys` attributes. The `vertices` and `cells` properties are only instantiated when `interval or point log data` are added.

```
[6]: from geoh5py.objects import Drillhole

# Create a simple well
total_depth = 100
dist = np.linspace(0, total_depth, 10)
azm = np.ones_like(dist) * 45.
dip = np.linspace(-89, -75, dist.shape[0])
collar = np.r_[0., 10., 10]

well = Drillhole.create(
    workspace, collar=collar, surveys=np.c_[dist, dip, azm]
)
```



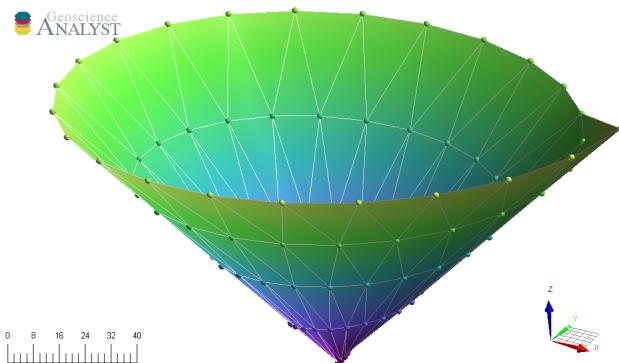
## Surface

The Surface object is also described by `vertices` and `cells` that form a net of triangles. If omitted on creation, the `cells` property is calculated using a 2D `scipy.spatial.Delaunay` triangulation.

```
[7]: from geoh5py.objects import Surface
from scipy.spatial import Delaunay

# Create a triangulated surface from points
surf_2D = Delaunay(xyz[:, :2])

# Create the Surface object
surface = Surface.create(
    workspace,
    vertices=points.vertices, # Add vertices
    cells=surf_2D.simplices
)
```

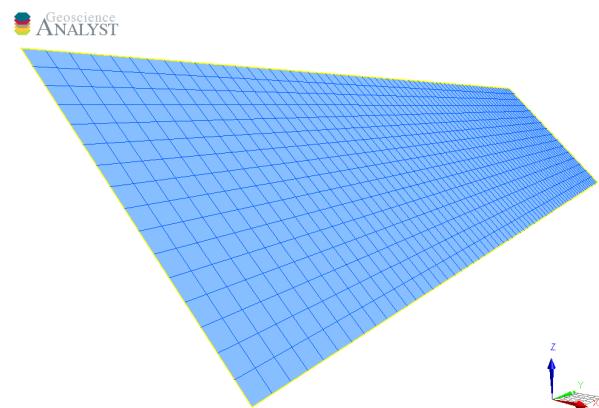


## Grid2D

The Grid2D object defines a regular grid of cells often used to display model sections or to compute data derivatives. A Grid2D can be oriented in 3D space using the `origin`, `rotation` and `dip` parameters.

```
[8]: from geoh5py.objects import Grid2D

# Create the Surface object
grid = Grid2D.create(
    workspace,
    origin = [25, -75, 50],
    u_cell_size = 2.5,
    v_cell_size = 2.5,
    u_count = 64,
    v_count = 16,
    rotation = 90.0,
    dip = 45.0,
)
```

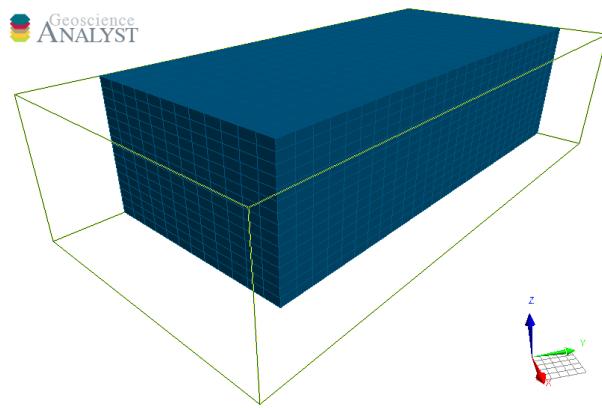


## BlockModel

The `BlockModel` object defines a rectilinear grid of cells, also known as a tensor mesh. The `cells` center position is determined by `cell_delimiters` (offsets) along perpendicular axes (`u`, `v`, `z`) and relative to the `origin`. `BlockModel` can be oriented horizontally by controlling the `rotation` parameter.

```
[9]: from geoh5py.objects import BlockModel

# Create the Surface object
blockmodel = BlockModel.create(
    workspace,
    origin = [25, -100, 50],
    u_cell_delimiters=np.cumsum(np.ones(16) * 5), # Offsets along u
    v_cell_delimiters=np.cumsum(np.ones(32) * 5), # Offsets along v
    z_cell_delimiters=np.cumsum(np.ones(16) * -2.5), # Offsets along z (down)
    rotation = 30.0
)
```



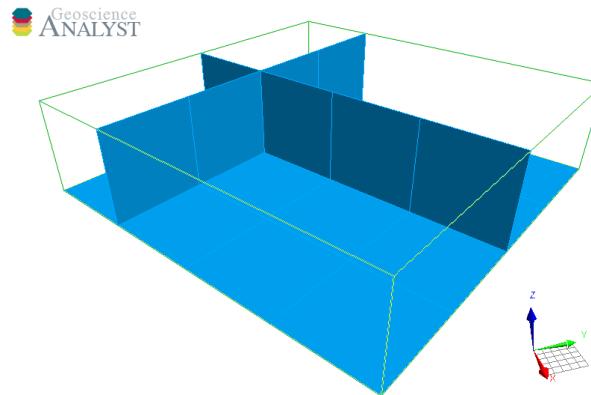
## Octree

The `Octree` object is type of 3D grid that uses a tree structure to define `cells`. Each cell can be subdivided it into eight octants allowing for a more efficient local refinement of the mesh. The `Octree` object can also be oriented horizontally by controlling the `rotation` parameter.

```
[10]: from geoh5py.objects import Octree

octree = Octree.create(
    workspace,
    origin=[25, -100, 50],
    u_count=16,      # Number of cells in power 2
    v_count=32,
    w_count=16,
    u_cell_size=5.0, # Base cell size (highest octree level)
    v_cell_size=5.0,
    w_cell_size=2.5, # Offsets along z (down)
    rotation=30,
)
```

By default, the octree mesh will be refined at the lowest level possible along each axes.



## Data

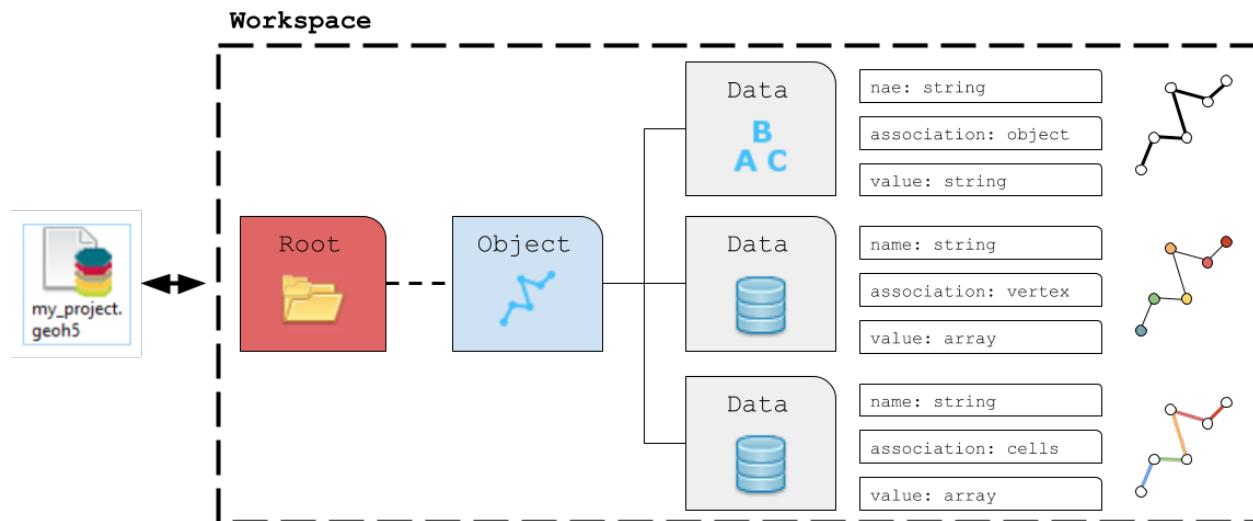
The geoh5 format allows storing data (values) on different parts of an Object. The `data_association` can be one of:

- OBJECT: Single element characterizing the parent object
- VERTEX: Array of values associated with the parent object vertices
- CELL: Array of values associated with the parent object cells

Note: The length and order of the array provided must be consistent with the corresponding element of association.

The data types supported by geoh5py are:

- Arrays
- Integer
- Text
- Color\_map



## Add data

Data can be added to an Object entity using the `add_data` method.

```
[11]: # Create a straight Curve object
curve = Curve.create(
    workspace,          # The target Workspace
    name='FlightLine3',
    vertices=np.c_[np.linspace(0, 100, 100), np.zeros(100), np.zeros(100)]
)

# Add a single string comment
curve.add_data({
    "my_comment": {
        "association": "OBJECT",
        "values": "hello_world"
    }
})

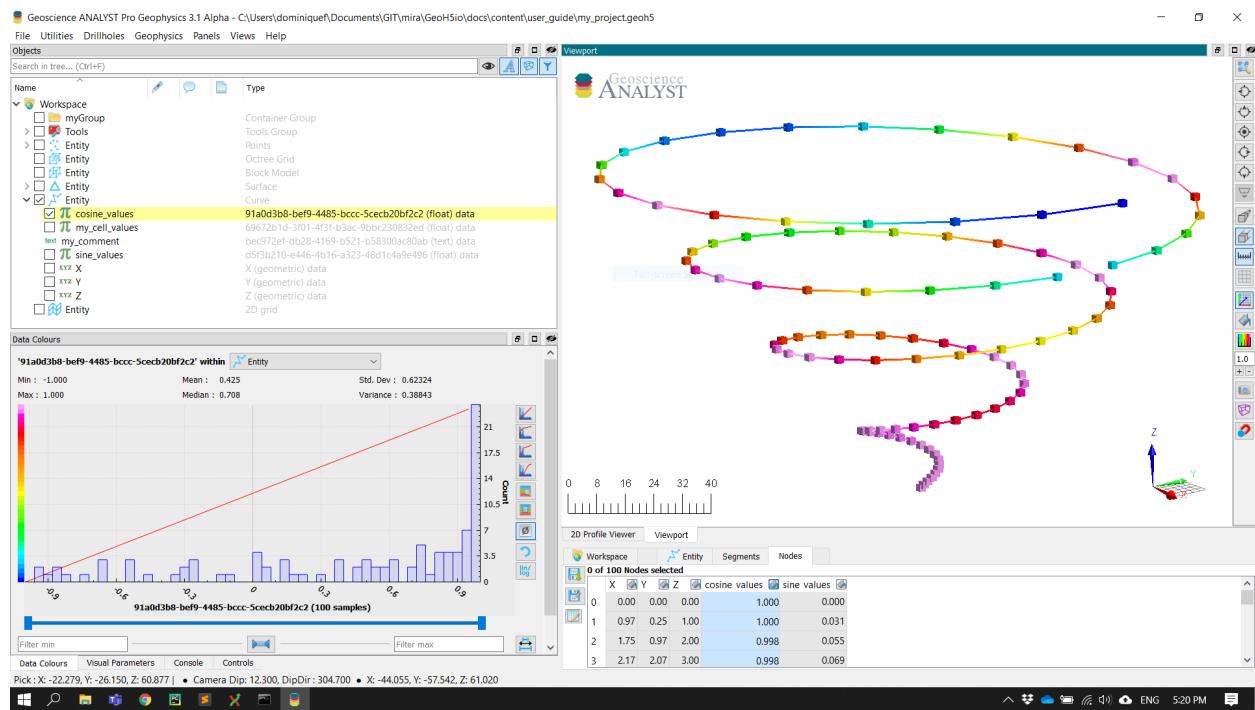
# Add a vector of floats
curve.add_data({
    "my_cell_values": {
        "association": "CELL",
        "values": np.random.randn(curve.n_cells)
    }
})

# Add multiple data vectors on a single call
data = {}
for ii in range(8):
    data[f"Period:{ii}"] = {
        "association": "VERTEX",
        "values": (ii+1) * np.cos(ii*curve.vertices[:, 0]*np.pi/curve.vertices[:, 0].
        ↪max()/.4.)
    }

data_list = curve.add_data(data)
print([obj.name for obj in data_list])
['Period:0', 'Period:1', 'Period:2', 'Period:3', 'Period:4', 'Period:5', 'Period:6',
↪'Period:7']
```

If the `association` argument is omitted, `geoh5py` will attempt to assign the data to the correct part based on the shape of the data values, either `object.n_values` or `object.n_cells`

The newly created data is directly added to the project's `geoh5` file and available for visualization:



## Get data

Just like any `Entity`, data can be retrieved from the `Workspace` using the `get_entity` method. For convenience, `Objects` also have a `get_data_list` and `get_data` method that focusses only on their respective children `Data`.

```
[12]: my_list = curve.get_data_list()
print(my_list, curve.get_data(my_list[0]))
```

```
['Period:0', 'Period:1', 'Period:2', 'Period:3', 'Period:4', 'Period:5', 'Period:6',
 'Period:7', 'my_cell_values', 'my_comment'] [<geoh5py.data.float_data.FloatData object at 0x7f47f2bd0c50>]
```

## Well Data

In the case of `Drillhole` objects, data are added as either `interval` log or `point` log values.

### Point Log Data

Log data are used to represent measurements recorded at discrete depths along the well path. A `depth` attribute is required on creation. If the `Drillhole` object already holds point log data, geoh5py will attempt to match collocated depths within tolerance. By default, depth markers within 1 centimeter are merged (`collocation_distance=1e-2`).

```
[13]: depths_A = np.arange(0, 50.) # First list of depth

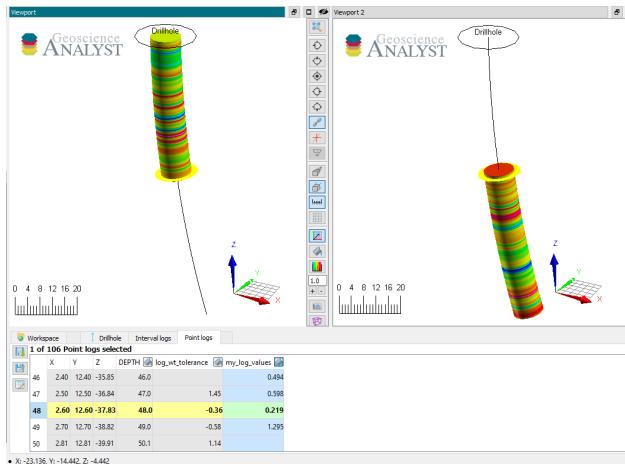
# Second list slightly offsetted on the first few depths
depths_B = np.arange(47.1, 100)
```

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```
# Add both set of log data with 0.5 m tolerance
well.add_data({
    "my_log_values": {
        "depth": depths_A,
        "values": np.random.randn(depths_A.shape[0]),
    },
    "log_wt_tolerance": {
        "depth": depths_B,
        "values": np.random.randn(depths_B.shape[0]),
        "collocation_distance": 0.5
    }
})
```

[13]: [`<geoh5py.data.float_data.FloatData at 0x7f482d66a590>`,  
`<geoh5py.data.float_data.FloatData at 0x7f47f2bd0c10>`]



## Interval Log Data

Interval log data are defined by constant values bounded by a start and end depth. A `from-to` attribute is expected on creation. Users can also control matching intervals by supplying a `tolerance` argument in meters (default `tolerance`: `1e-3` meter).

[14]: # Add some geology as interval data

```
well.add_data({
    "interval_values": {
        "values": [1, 2, 3],
        "from-to": np.vstack([
            [0.25, 25.5],
            [30.1, 55.5],
            [56.5, 80.2]
        ]),
        "value_map": {
            1: "Unit_A",
            2: "Unit_B",
            3: "Unit_C"
        },
    },
})
```

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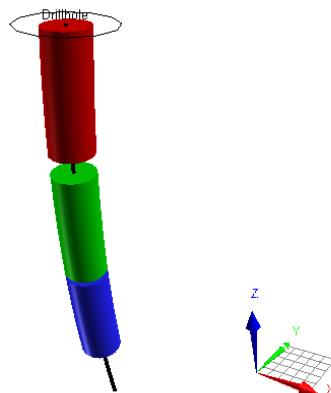
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        "type": "referenced",
    }
}

[14]: <geoh5py.data.referenced_data.ReferencedData at 0x7f47f2b58b10>

```



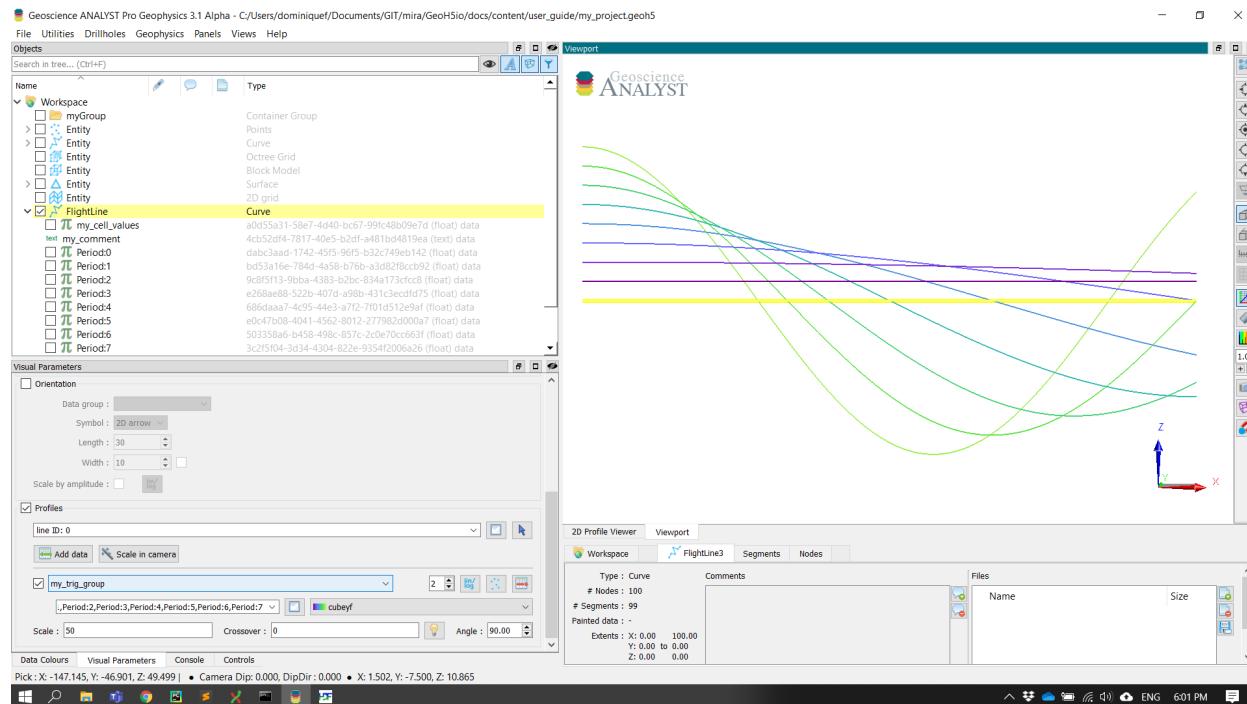
## Property Groups

Data entities sharing the same parent Object and association can be linked within a `property_groups` and made available through profiling. This can be used to group data that would normally be stored as 2D array.

```

[15]: # Add another VERTEX data and create a group with previous
curve.add_data_to_group([obj.name for obj in data_list], "my_trig_group")
[15]: <geoh5py.groups.property_group.PropertyGroup at 0x7f47f2bc3710>

```

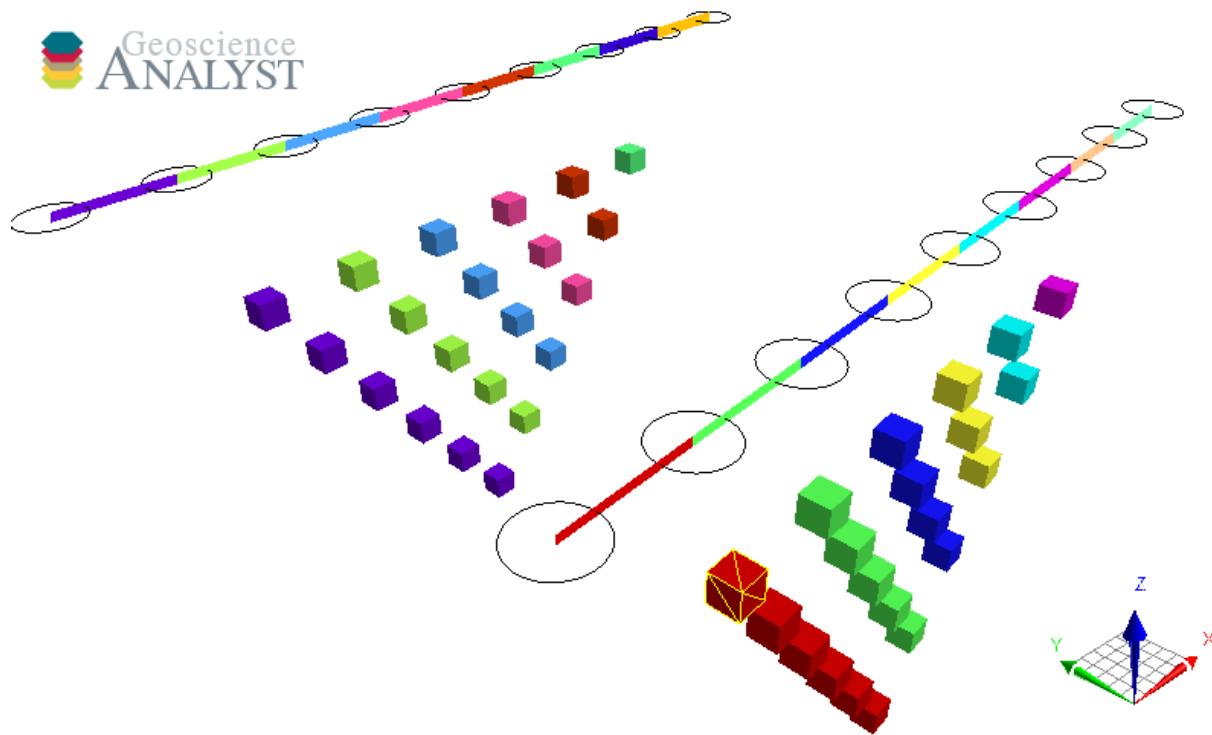


```
[16]: # Update the geoh5 and re-write the Root
workspace.finalize()
```

## 2.2.3 Surveys

### Direct Current and Induced Polarization (DC/IP)

This object is meant to handle direct-current resistivity surveys. The survey object is made up of two curve entities defining the transmitter (current) and receiver (potential) electrodes. The following example shows how to generate a survey from scratch.



### Current Electrode (sources)

The `CurrentElectrode` entity defines the A-B dipole pairs used to inject current into the ground. It is a sub-class of the `Curve` object, defined by vertices (poles) and cells (dipole segments). Here we generate four (4) parallel EW lines with eight dipoles per line.

```
[1]: import numpy as np
import uuid
from geoh5py.workspace import Workspace
from geoh5py.objects import CurrentElectrode, PotentialElectrode

# Create a new project
workspace = Workspace("my_project.geoh5")
```

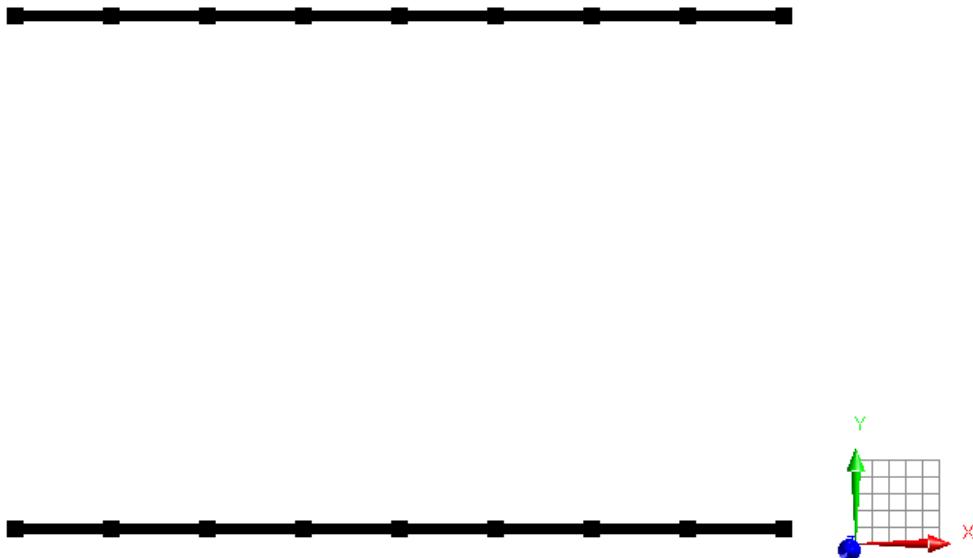
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```
# Define the pole locations
n_poles = 9
n_lines = 2
x_loc, y_loc = np.meshgrid(np.linspace(0, 60, n_poles), np.linspace(-20, 20., n_lines))
vertices = np.c_[x_loc.ravel(), y_loc.ravel(), np.zeros_like(x_loc).ravel()]

# Assign a line ID to the poles (vertices)
parts = np.kron(np.arange(n_lines), np.ones(n_poles)).astype('int')

# Create the CurrentElectrode object
currents = CurrentElectrode.create(workspace, vertices=vertices, parts=parts)
```



At this stage the `CurrentElectrode` object has segments (`cells`) connecting all poles in series along line.

### AB Cell ID

A key element of the DCIP survey objects is the `ab_cell_id` property. This `ReferenceData` contains the map referencing each cell of the `CurrentElectrode` object to a unique A-B source identifier with name.

```
currents.ab_cell_id.value_map.map = {
0: "Unknown", 1: "AB_100", 2: "AB_200", ... }
```

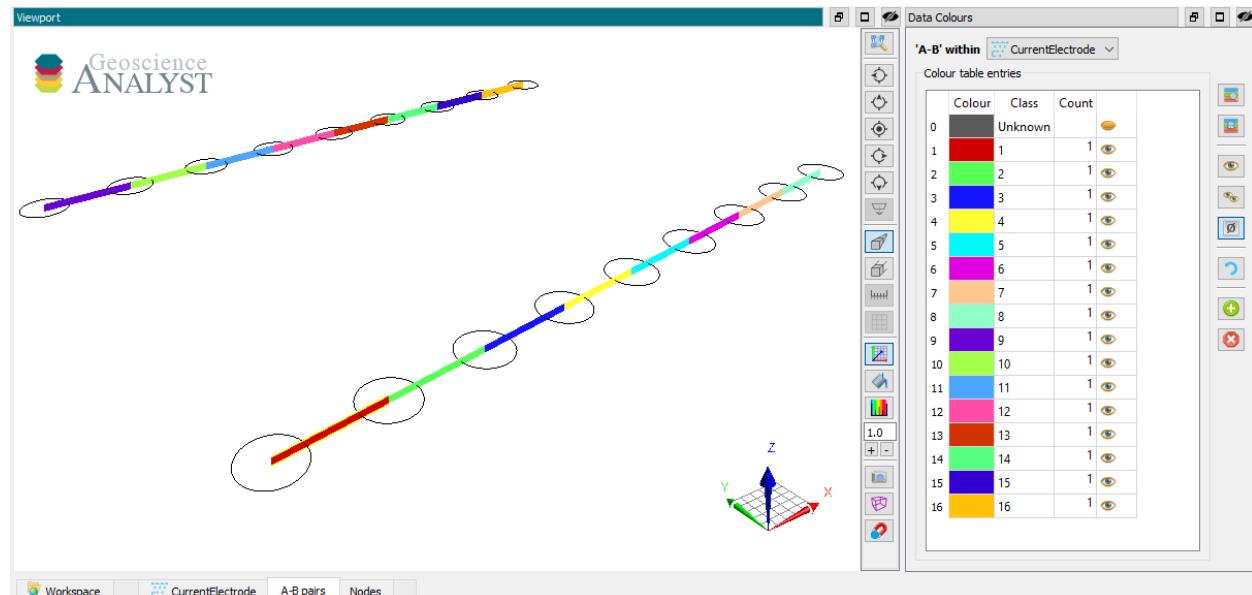
The utility function `add_default_ab_cell_id` can help generate this map with a simple name string incrementor.

```
[2]: currents.add_default_ab_cell_id()
print(currents.ab_cell_id.values)
print(currents.ab_cell_id.value_map.map)

[ 1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16]
{0: 'Unknown', 1: '1', 2: '2', 3: '3', 4: '4', 5: '5', 6: '6', 7: '7', 8: '8', 9: '9', 10: '10', 11: '11', 12: '12', 13: '13', 14: '14', 15: '15', 16: '16'}
```

Users may wish to alter the `value_map` names to carry forward specific survey information.

**Note:** The first entry {0:Unknown} is a reserved field used by Geoscience ANALYST to flag unknown data entries.



In this specific case, every cell on the curve corresponds to a unique dipole source current. For more complex survey configurations, users can edit the `cell` property in order to define different combinations of connections between poles.

## Potential Electrode (receivers)

The `PotentialElectrode` object defines the M-N dipole pairs used to measure the electric potential (receivers). Just like the `CurrentElectrode`, it is a sub-class of the `Curve` object defined by vertices (poles) and cells (dipoles).

Although poles could be set independently on the `CurrentElectrode` and `PotentialElectrode` objects, here we re-uses the same locations for simplicity:

```
[3]: potentials = PotentialElectrode.create(workspace, vertices=vertices)
```

The link between the sources `CurrentElectrode` and the receivers `PotentialElectrode` is established on creation with the `current_electrodes` argument.

The same can also be done after instantiation as

```
[4]: potentials.current_electrodes = currents
```

or equivalently

```
[5]: currents.potential_electrodes = potentials
```

In all the above cases, the link between the two objects gets encoded in their respective metadata.

```
[6]: print(potentials.metadata == currents.metadata)
print(currents.metadata)

True
{'Current Electrodes': UUID('35fde588-45c1-47f3-9b92-b319e1f0c586'), 'PotentialElectrodes': UUID('28e6d74d-5952-4379-bb9e-90a261eced00')}
```

Next, we must define the receiver dipoles. The following routine generates a maximum of six (6) receivers dipoles per injection currents along line.

```
[7]: N = 6
dipoles = []
current_id = []

for val in currents.ab_cell_id.values: # For each source dipole
    cell_id = int(currents.ab_map[val]) - 1 # Python 0 indexing
    line = currents.parts[currents.cells[cell_id, 0]]
    for m_n in range(N):
        dipole_ids = (currents.cells[cell_id, :] + 2 + m_n).astype("uint32") # Skip two poles

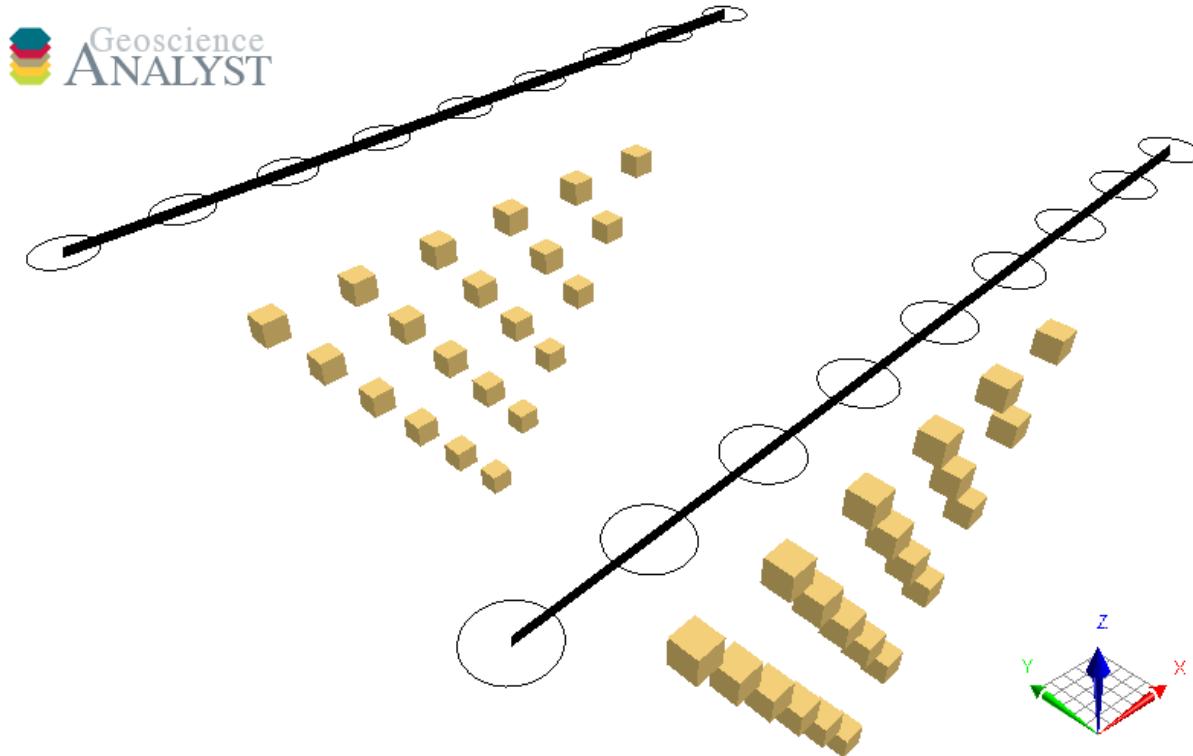
        # Shorten the array as we get to the end of the line
        if (
            any(dipole_ids > (potentials.n_vertices - 1))
            or any(currents.parts[dipole_ids] != line)
        ):
            continue

        dipoles += [dipole_ids] # Save the receiver id
        current_id += [val] # Save the source id

potentials.cells = np.vstack(dipoles)
```

Finally, users need to create an association between each receiver dipole (M-N) to a dipole current (A-B). The mapping is done through the `ab_cell_id` property of the `PotentialElectrode`. An integer (ID) value must be assigned to each cell, corresponding to the *AB Cell ID* pairs stored on the associated `CurrentElectrode` object.

```
[8]: potentials.ab_cell_id = np.asarray(current_id, dtype="int32")
```



Note: The `ab_cell_id` property of the `CurrentElectrode` and `PotentialElectrode` are two different `ReferenceData` entities:

```
[9]: print(potentials.ab_cell_id == currents.ab_cell_id)
```

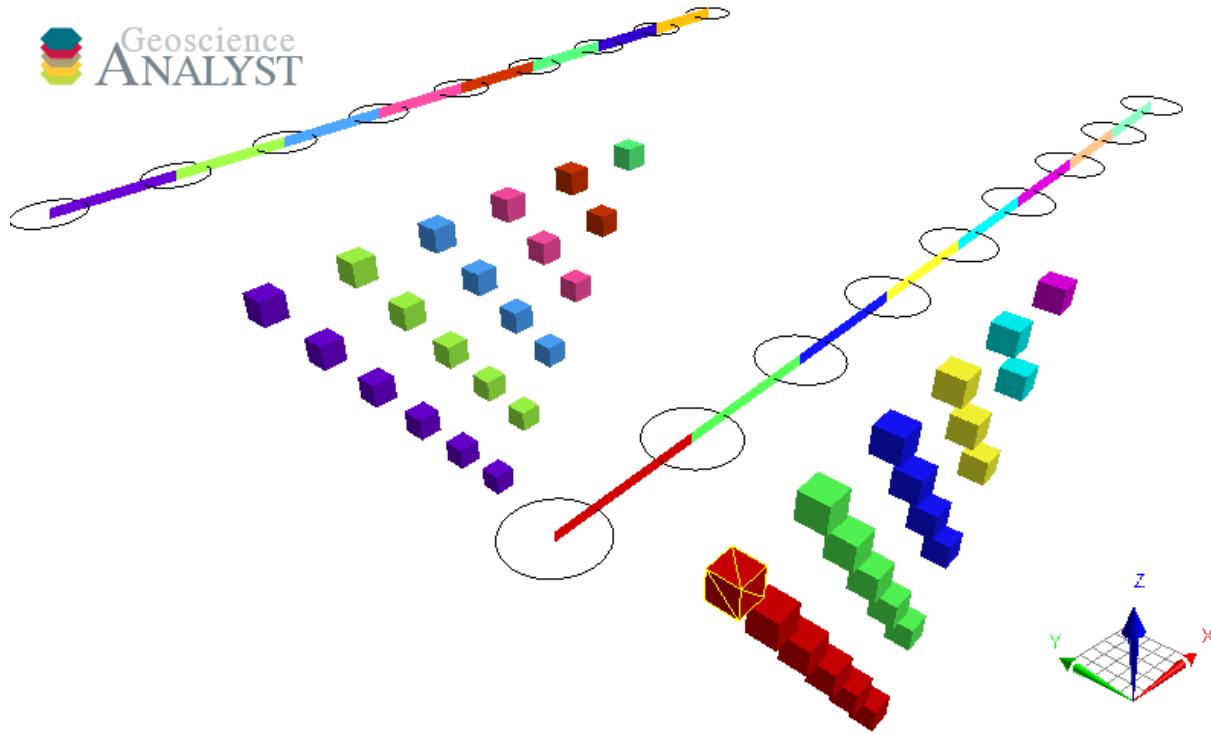
```
False
```

but share the same `DataType` that holds the map of unique source dipoles.

```
[10]: print(potentials.ab_cell_id.entity_type == currents.ab_cell_id.entity_type)
```

```
True
```

This link between `DataType` allows users to query the data by dipole sources and display the values as pseudo-section in Geoscience ANALYST.



## 2.3 geoh5py package

### 2.3.1 Subpackages

`geoh5py.data` package

Submodules

`geoh5py.data.blob_data` module

```
class geoh5py.data.blob_data.BlobData(data_type: geoh5py.data.data_type.DataType, **kwargs)
Bases: geoh5py.data.data.Data

    classmethod primitive_type() → geoh5py.data.primitive_type_enum.PrimitiveTypeEnum
```

`geoh5py.data.color_map` module

```
class geoh5py.data.color_map.ColorMap(**kwargs)
Bases: object

    Records colors assigned to value ranges (where Value is the start of the range).

    property name: str
        str: Name of the colormap

    property values: numpy.ndarray
        numpy.array: Colormap defined by values and corresponding RGBA:
```

```
values = [
    [V_1, R_1, G_1, B_1, A_1],
    ..., [V_i, R_i, G_i, B_i, A_i]
]
```

where V (Values) are sorted floats defining the position of each RGBA. R (Red), G (Green), B (Blue) and A (Alpha) are integer values between [0, 255].

## geoh5py.data.data module

```
class geoh5py.data.data.Data(data_type: geoh5py.data.data_type.DataType, **kwargs)
Bases: geoh5py.shared.entity.Entity
```

Base class for Data entities.

**property association:** *DataAssociationEnum* | *None*

*DataAssociationEnum*: Relationship made between the `values()` and elements of the `parent` object. Association can be set from a str chosen from the list of available `DataAssociationEnum` options.

**property entity\_type:** *geoh5py.data.data\_type.DataType*  
*DataType*

**classmethod find\_or\_create\_type**(*workspace*: workspace.Workspace, \*\**kwargs*) → *DataType*

Find or create a type for a given object class

**Parameters** `workspace` (*Current*) – Workspace

**Returns** A new or existing object type

**property n\_values:** *int* | *None*

*int*: Number of expected data values based on `association`

**abstract classmethod primitive\_type()** → *geoh5py.data.primitive\_type\_enum.PrimitiveTypeEnum*

**property values**

Data values

## geoh5py.data.data\_association\_enum module

```
class geoh5py.data.data_association_enum.DataAssociationEnum(value)
Bases: enum.Enum
```

Known data association between `values` and the `parent` object. Available options:

**CELL** = 2

**FACE** = 4

**GROUP** = 5

**OBJECT** = 1

**UNKNOWN** = 0

**VERTEX** = 3

## geoh5py.data.data\_type module

```
class geoh5py.data.data_type.DataType(workspace: workspace.Workspace, **kwargs)
    Bases: geoh5py.shared.entity_type.EntityType
```

DataType class

**property color\_map: ColorMap | None**

*ColorMap*: Colormap used for plotting

The colormap can be set from a dict of sorted values with corresponding RGBA color.

```
color_map = {
    val_1: [r_1, g_1, b_1, a_1],
    ...,
    val_i: [r_i, g_i, b_i, a_i]
}
```

```
classmethod create(workspace: workspace.Workspace, data_class: type[data.Data]) → DataType
```

Creates a new instance of *DataType* with corresponding *PrimitiveTypeEnum*.

**Parameters** *data\_class* – A *Data* implementation class.

**Returns** A new instance of *DataType*.

```
classmethod find_or_create(workspace: workspace.Workspace, **kwargs) → DataType
```

Find or creates an EntityType with given UUID that matches the given Group implementation class.

**Parameters** *workspace* – An active Workspace class

**Returns** A new instance of *DataType*.

```
classmethod for_x_data(workspace: workspace.Workspace) → DataType
```

```
classmethod for_y_data(workspace: workspace.Workspace) → DataType
```

```
classmethod for_z_data(workspace: workspace.Workspace) → DataType
```

**property hidden: bool**

*bool*: Hidden data [False]

**property mapping: str**

*str*: Color stretching type chosen from: ‘linear’, [‘equal\_area’], ‘logarithmic’, ‘cdf’, ‘missing’

**property number\_of\_bins: int | None**

*int*: Number of bins used by the histogram [50]

**property primitive\_type: PrimitiveTypeEnum | None**

*PrimitiveTypeEnum*

**property transparent\_no\_data: bool**

*bool*: Use transparent for no-data-value [True]

**property units: str | None**

*str*: Data units

**property value\_map: ReferenceValueMap | None**

*ReferenceValueMap*: Reference value map for *ReferenceData*

The value\_map can be set from a dict of sorted values with corresponding str description.

```
value_map = {
    val_1: str_1,
    ...,
    val_i: str_i
}
```

## geoh5py.data.data\_unit module

**class** geoh5py.data.data\_unit.DataUnit(*unit\_name: Optional[str] = None*)  
Bases: object

Data unit

**property name: str | None**

## geoh5py.data.datetime\_data module

**class** geoh5py.data.datetime\_data.DatetimeData(*data\_type: geoh5py.data.data\_type.DataType, \*\*kwargs*)  
Bases: *geoh5py.data.data.Data*

**classmethod primitive\_type()** → *geoh5py.data.primitive\_type\_enum.PrimitiveTypeEnum*

## geoh5py.data.filename\_data module

**class** geoh5py.data.filename\_data.FilenameData(*data\_type: geoh5py.data.data\_type.DataType, \*\*kwargs*)  
Bases: *geoh5py.data.data.Data*

**classmethod primitive\_type()** → *geoh5py.data.primitive\_type\_enum.PrimitiveTypeEnum*

## geoh5py.data.float\_data module

**class** geoh5py.data.float\_data.FloatData(*data\_type: geoh5py.data.data\_type.DataType, \*\*kwargs*)  
Bases: *geoh5py.data.numeric\_data.NumericData*

Data container for floats values

**classmethod ndv()** → float  
No-Data-Value

**classmethod primitive\_type()** → *geoh5py.data.primitive\_type\_enum.PrimitiveTypeEnum*

## geoh5py.data.geometric\_data\_constants module

```
class geoh5py.data.geometric_data_constants.GeometricDataConstants
    Bases: object

    classmethod primitive_type() → geoh5py.data.primitive_type_enum.PrimitiveTypeEnum
    classmethod x_datatype_uid() → uuid.UUID
    classmethod y_datatype_uid() → uuid.UUID
    classmethod z_datatype_uid() → uuid.UUID
```

## geoh5py.data.integer\_data module

```
class geoh5py.data.integer_data.IntegerData(data_type: geoh5py.data.data_type.DataType, **kwargs)
    Bases: geoh5py.data.numeric_data.NumericData

    classmethod ndv() → int
        No-Data-Value

    classmethod primitive_type() → geoh5py.data.primitive_type_enum.PrimitiveTypeEnum
```

## geoh5py.data.numeric\_data module

```
class geoh5py.data.numeric_data.NumericData(data_type: geoh5py.data.data_type.DataType, **kwargs)
    Bases: geoh5py.data.data.Data, abc.ABC

    Data container for floats values

    check_vector_length(values) → numpy.ndarray
        Check for possible mismatch between the length of values stored and the expected number of cells or
        vertices.

    classmethod primitive_type() → geoh5py.data.primitive_type_enum.PrimitiveTypeEnum
    property values: numpy.ndarray

    Returns values: An array of float values
```

## geoh5py.data.primitive\_type\_enum module

```
class geoh5py.data.primitive_type_enum.PrimitiveTypeEnum(value)
    Bases: enum.Enum

    Known data type.

    Available options:

    BLOB = 6
    DATETIME = 8
    FILENAME = 5
    FLOAT = 2
    GEOMETRIC = 9
    INTEGER = 1
```

```
INVALID = 0
REFERENCED = 4
TEXT = 3
VECTOR = 7
```

### geoh5py.data.reference\_value\_map module

```
class geoh5py.data.reference_value_map.ReferenceValueMap(color_map: dict[int, str] = None)
Bases: abc.ABC
```

Maps from reference index to reference value of ReferencedData.

**property map**  
dict: A reference dictionary mapping values to strings

### geoh5py.data.referenced\_data module

```
class geoh5py.data.referenced_data.ReferencedData(data_type: geoh5py.data.data_type.DataType,
**kwargs)
```

Bases: *geoh5py.data.integer\_data.IntegerData*

Reference data described by indices and associated strings.

**classmethod primitive\_type()** → *geoh5py.data.primitive\_type\_enum.PrimitiveTypeEnum*

**property value\_map**  
Pointer to the `data.data_type.DataType.value_map`

### geoh5py.data.text\_data module

```
class geoh5py.data.text_data.CommentsData(data_type: geoh5py.data.data_type.DataType, **kwargs)
Bases: geoh5py.data.data.Data
```

Comments added to an Object or Group. Stored as a list of dictionaries with the following keys:

```
comments = [
{
    "Author": "username",
    "Date": "2020-05-21T10:12:15",
    "Text": "A text comment."
},
]
```

**classmethod primitive\_type()** → *geoh5py.data.primitive\_type\_enum.PrimitiveTypeEnum*

**property values: list[dict] | None**  
list List of comments

```
class geoh5py.data.text_data.TextData(data_type: geoh5py.data.data_type.DataType, **kwargs)
Bases: geoh5py.data.data.Data
```

**classmethod primitive\_type()** → *geoh5py.data.primitive\_type\_enum.PrimitiveTypeEnum*

**property values: str | None**  
str Text value.

## geoh5py.data.unknown\_data module

```
class geoh5py.data.unknown_data.UnknownData(data_type: geoh5py.data.data_type.DataType, association:  
                                              geoh5py.data.data_association_enum.DataAssociationEnum,  
                                              name: str, uid: Optional[uuid.UUID] = None)
```

Bases: *geoh5py.data.data.Data*

```
classmethod primitive_type() → geoh5py.data.primitive_type_enum.PrimitiveTypeEnum
```

### Module contents

## geoh5py.groups package

### Submodules

#### geoh5py.groups.container\_group module

```
class geoh5py.groups.container_group.ContainerGroup(group_type:  
                                                    geoh5py.groups.group_type.GroupType,  
                                                    **kwargs)
```

Bases: *geoh5py.groups.group.Group*

The type for the basic Container group.

```
classmethod default_type_uid() → uuid.UUID
```

#### geoh5py.groups.custom\_group module

```
class geoh5py.groups.custom_group.CustomGroup(group_type: geoh5py.groups.group_type.GroupType,  
                                                **kwargs)
```

Bases: *geoh5py.groups.group.Group*

A custom group, for an unlisted Group type.

```
classmethod default_type_uid() → uuid.UUID | None
```

#### geoh5py.groups.drillhole\_group module

```
class geoh5py.groups.drillhole_group.DrillholeGroup(group_type:  
                                                    geoh5py.groups.group_type.GroupType,  
                                                    **kwargs)
```

Bases: *geoh5py.groups.group.Group*

The type for the group containing drillholes.

```
classmethod default_type_uid() → uuid.UUID
```

## geoh5py.groups.giftools\_group module

```
class geoh5py.groups.giftools_group.GiftoolsGroup(group_type:  
                                                geoh5py.groups.group_type.GroupType, **kwargs)  
Bases: geoh5py.groups.group.Group  
The type for a GIFTools group.  
classmethod default_type_uid() → uuid.UUID
```

## geoh5py.groups.group module

```
class geoh5py.groups.group.Group(group_type: geoh5py.groups.group_type.GroupType, **kwargs)  
Bases: geoh5py.shared.entity.Entity  
Base Group class  
add_comment(comment: str, author: Optional[str] = None)  
    Add text comment to an object.
```

### Parameters

- **comment** – Text to be added as comment.
- **author** – Author's name or contributors.

### property comments

Fetch a *CommentsData* entity from children.

```
abstract classmethod default_type_uid() → uuid.UUID | None
```

```
property entity_type: geoh5py.groups.group_type.GroupType
```

```
classmethod find_or_create_type(workspace: workspace.Workspace, **kwargs) → GroupType
```

## geoh5py.groups.group\_type module

```
class geoh5py.groups.group_type.GroupType(workspace: workspace.Workspace, **kwargs)  
Bases: geoh5py.shared.entity_type.EntityType  
property allow_delete_content: bool  
    bool: [True] Allow to delete the group children.  
property allow_move_content: bool  
    bool: [True] Allow to move the group children.  
static create_custom(workspace: workspace.Workspace, **kwargs) → GroupType  
    Creates a new instance of GroupType for an unlisted custom Group type with a new auto-generated UUID.  
classmethod find_or_create(workspace: workspace.Workspace, entity_class, **kwargs) → GroupType  
    Find or creates an EntityType with given UUID that matches the given Group implementation class.
```

### Parameters

- **workspace** – An active Workspace class
- **entity\_class** – An Group implementation class.

**Returns** A new instance of GroupType.

## geoh5py.groups.notype\_group module

```
class geoh5py.groups.notype_group.NoTypeGroup(group_type: geoh5py.groups.group_type.GroupType,  
                                              **kwargs)
```

Bases: *geoh5py.groups.group.Group*

A group with no type.

```
classmethod default_type_uid() → uuid.UUID
```

## geoh5py.groups.property\_group module

```
class geoh5py.groups.property_group.PropertyGroup(**kwargs)
```

Bases: abc.ABC

Property group listing data children of an object. This group is not registered to the workspace and only visible to the parent object.

```
property association: geoh5py.data.data_association_enum.DataAssociationEnum  
    DataAssociationEnum Data association
```

```
property attribute_map: dict
```

dict Attribute names mapping between geoh5 and geoh5py

```
property name: str
```

str Name of the group

```
property parent: geoh5py.shared.entity.Entity
```

The parent *ObjectBase*

```
property properties: list[uuid.UUID]
```

List of unique identifiers for the *Data* contained in the property group.

```
property property_group_type: str
```

```
property uid: uuid.UUID
```

uuid.UUID Unique identifier

## geoh5py.groups.root\_group module

```
class geoh5py.groups.root_group.RootGroup(group_type: geoh5py.groups.group_type.GroupType,  
                                            **kwargs)
```

Bases: *geoh5py.groups.notype\_group.NoTypeGroup*

The Root group of a workspace.

```
property parent
```

Parental entity of root is always None

## Module contents

### geoh5py.io package

#### Submodules

##### geoh5py.io.h5\_reader module

**class** geoh5py.io.h5\_reader.H5Reader

Bases: object

Class to read information from a geoh5 file.

**static** bool\_value(*value*: numpy.int8) → bool

**classmethod** fetch\_attributes(*file*: str | h5py.File, *uid*: uuid.UUID, *entity\_type*: str) → tuple[dict, dict, dict]

Get attributes of an *Entity*.

#### Parameters

- **file** – h5py.File or name of the target geoh5 file
- **uid** – Unique identifier
- **entity\_type** – Type of entity from ‘group’, ‘data’, ‘object’, ‘group\_type’, ‘data\_type’, ‘object\_type’

#### Returns

**attributes**: [obj:dict of attributes for the *Entity*]

**type\_attributes**: [obj:dict of attributes for the EntityType]

**property\_groups**: [obj:dict of data uuid.UUID]

**classmethod** fetch\_cells(*file*: str | h5py.File, *uid*: uuid.UUID) → np.ndarray | None

Get an object’s *cells*.

#### Parameters

- **file** – h5py.File or name of the target geoh5 file
- **uid** – Unique identifier of the target object.

Return *cells* numpy.ndarray of int.

**classmethod** fetch\_children(*file*: str | h5py.File, *uid*: uuid.UUID, *entity\_type*: str) → dict

Get *children* of an *Entity*.

#### Parameters

- **file** – h5py.File or name of the target geoh5 file
- **uid** – Unique identifier
- **entity\_type** – Type of entity from ‘group’, ‘data’, ‘object’, ‘group\_type’, ‘data\_type’, ‘object\_type’

Return *children* [{*uid*: type}, …] List of dictionaries for the children uid and type

**classmethod** fetch\_coordinates(*file*: str | h5py.File, *uid*: uuid.UUID, *name*: str) → np.ndarray | None

Get an object coordinates data.

#### Parameters

- **file** – h5py.File or name of the target geoh5 file
- **uid** – Unique identifier of the target object
- **name** – Type of coordinates ‘vertices’, ‘trace’ or ‘surveys’

**Return surveys** numpy.ndarray of [x, y, z] coordinates

**classmethod fetch\_delimiters**(file: str | h5py.File, uid: uuid.UUID) → tuple[np.ndarray, np.ndarray, np.ndarray]

Get the delimiters of a *BlockModel*.

#### Parameters

- **file** – h5py.File or name of the target geoh5 file
- **uid** – Unique identifier of the target entity.

#### Returns

**u\_delimiters:** [obj:numpy.ndarray of u\_delimiters]

**v\_delimiters:** [obj:numpy.ndarray of v\_delimiters]

**z\_delimiters:** [obj:numpy.ndarray of z\_delimiters]

**classmethod fetch\_metadata**(file: str | h5py.File, uid: uuid.UUID) → str | dict | None

Fetch the metadata of an entity.

**classmethod fetch\_octree\_cells**(file: str | h5py.File, uid: uuid.UUID) → np.ndarray

Get *Octree cells*.

#### Parameters

- **file** – h5py.File or name of the target geoh5 file
- **uid** – Unique identifier of the target entity.

**Return octree\_cells** numpy.ndarray of int.

**classmethod fetch\_project\_attributes**(file: str | h5py.File) → dict[Any, Any]

Get attributes of an *Entity*.

**Parameters** **file** – h5py.File or name of the target geoh5 file

**Return attributes** dict of attributes.

**classmethod fetch\_property\_groups**(file: str | h5py.File, uid: uuid.UUID) → dict[str, dict[str, str]]

Get the property groups.

#### Parameters

- **file** – h5py.File or name of the target geoh5 file
- **uid** – Unique identifier of the target entity

**Return property\_group\_attributes** dict of property groups and respective attributes.

```
property_group = {
    "group_1": {"attribute": value, ...},
    ...,
    "group_N": {"attribute": value, ...},
}
```

**classmethod fetch\_trace\_depth**(file: str | h5py.File, uid: uuid.UUID) → np.ndarray

Get an object *trace\_depth* data

**Parameters**

- **file** – h5py.File or name of the target geoh5 file
- **uid** – Unique identifier of the target object

**Return surveys** numpy.ndarray of [x, y, z] coordinates

**classmethod fetch\_uuids**(file: str | h5py.File, entity\_type: str) → list

Fetch all uuids of a given type from geoh5

**Parameters**

- **file** – h5py.File or name of the target geoh5 file
- **entity\_type** – Type of entity from ‘group’, ‘data’, ‘object’, ‘group\_type’, ‘data\_type’, ‘object\_type’

**Return uuids** [uuid1, uuid2, …] List of uuids

**classmethod fetch\_value\_map**(file: str | h5py.File, uid: uuid.UUID) → dict

Get data value\_map

**Parameters**

- **file** – h5py.File or name of the target geoh5 file
- **uid** – Unique identifier of the target entity

**Return value\_map** dict of {int: str}

**classmethod fetch\_values**(file: str | h5py.File, uid: uuid.UUID) → float | None

Get data *values*

**Parameters**

- **file** – h5py.File or name of the target geoh5 file
- **uid** – Unique identifier of the target entity

**Return values** numpy.array of float

**static format\_type\_string**(string)

key\_map = {'cells': 'Cells', 'color\_map': 'Color map', 'octree\_cells': 'Octree Cells', 'property\_groups': 'PropertyGroups', 'surveys': 'Surveys', 'trace': 'Trace', 'trace\_depth': 'TraceDepth', 'values': 'Data', 'vertices': 'Vertices'}

**static str\_from\_utf8\_bytes**(value: bytes | str) → str

**static uuid\_str**(value: uuid.UUID) → str

**static uuid\_value**(value: str) → uuid.UUID

## geoh5py.io.h5\_writer module

**class geoh5py.io.h5\_writer.H5Writer**  
Bases: object

Writing class to a geoh5 file.

**static bool\_value**(value: numpy.int8) → bool  
Convert integer to bool.

**classmethod create\_dataset**(entity\_handle, dataset: numpy.ndarray, label: str)  
Create a dataset on geoh5.

**Parameters**

- **entity\_handle** – Pointer to a hdf5 group
- **dataset** – Array of values to be written
- **label** – Name of the dataset on file

**classmethod** `create_geoh5(file: str | h5py.File, workspace: workspace.Workspace)`

Add the geoh5 core structure.

**Parameters**

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file.
- **workspace** – `Workspace` object defining the project structure.

**Return** `h5file` Pointer to a geoh5 file.

**classmethod** `fetch_handle(file: str | h5py.File, entity, return_parent: bool = False)`

Get a pointer to an `Entity` in geoh5.

**Parameters**

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file
- **entity** – Target `Entity`
- **return\_parent** – Option to return the handle to the parent entity.

**Return** `entity_handle` HDF5 pointer to an existing entity, parent or None if not found.

**classmethod** `finalize(file: str | h5py.File, workspace: workspace.Workspace)`

Add/replace the `RootGroup` in geoh5.

**Parameters**

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file
- **workspace** – Workspace object defining the project structure.

```
key_map = {'cells': 'Cells', 'color_map': 'Color map', 'metadata': 'Metadata',
'octree_cells': 'Octree Cells', 'property_groups': 'PropertyGroups', 'surveys':
'Surveys', 'trace': 'Trace', 'trace_depth': 'TraceDepth', 'values': 'Data',
'vertices': 'Vertices'}
```

**static** `remove_child(file: str | h5py.File, uid: uuid.UUID, ref_type: str, parent: Entity)`

Remove a child from a parent.

**Parameters**

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file
- **uid** – uuid of the target `Entity`
- **ref\_type** – Input type from: ‘Types’, ‘Groups’, ‘Objects’ or ‘Data’
- **parent** – Remove entity from parent.

**static** `remove_entity(file: str | h5py.File, uid: uuid.UUID, ref_type: str, parent: Entity = None)`

Remove an entity and its type from the target geoh5 file.

**Parameters**

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file
- **uid** – uuid of the target `Entity`
- **ref\_type** – Input type from: ‘Types’, ‘Groups’, ‘Objects’ or ‘Data’

- **parent** – Remove entity from parent.

**classmethod** `save_entity(file: str | h5py.File, entity, add_children: bool = True)`  
Write an [Entity](#) to geoh5 with its [children](#).

#### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file.
- **entity** – Target [Entity](#).
- **add\_children** – Add [children](#).

`str_type = dtype('O')`

**classmethod** `update_attributes(file: str | h5py.File, entity)`  
Update the attributes of an [Entity](#).

#### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file.
- **entity** – Target [Entity](#).

**static** `uuid_str(value: uuid.UUID) → str`

Convert `uuid.UUID` to string used in geoh5.

**static** `uuid_value(value: str) → uuid.UUID`

Convert string to `uuid.UUID`.

**classmethod** `write_attributes(file: str | h5py.File, entity)`  
Write attributes of an [Entity](#).

#### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file.
- **entity** – Entity with attributes to be added to the geoh5 file.

**classmethod** `write_cell_delimiters(file: str | h5py.File, entity)`

Add cell delimiters (u, v, z) to a [BlockModel](#).

#### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file
- **entity** – Target entity

**classmethod** `write_cells(file: str | h5py.File, entity)`

Add [cells](#).

#### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file
- **entity** – Target entity

**classmethod** `write_color_map(file: str | h5py.File, entity_type: shared.EntityType)`

Add [ColorMap](#) to a [DataType](#).

#### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file
- **entity\_type** – Target `entity_type` with `color_map`

**classmethod** `write_coordinates(file: str | h5py.File, entity, attribute)`

Add surveys of an object.

### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file.
- **entity** – Target entity.
- **attribute** – Name of the attribute to be written to geoh5

**classmethod** `write_data_values(file: str | h5py.File, entity, attribute)`

Add data `values`.

### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file.
- **entity** – Target entity.
- **attribute** – Name of the attribute to be written to geoh5

**classmethod** `write_entity(file: str | h5py.File, entity)`

Add an `Entity` and its attributes to geoh5. The function returns a pointer to the entity if already present on file.

### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file.
- **entity** – Target `Entity`.

**Return entity** Pointer to the written entity. Active link if “close\_file” is False.

**classmethod** `write_entity_type(file: str | h5py.File, entity_type: shared.EntityType)`

Add an `EntityType` to geoh5.

### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file.
- **entity\_type** – Entity with type to be added.

**Return type** Pointer to `EntityType` in geoh5.

**classmethod** `write_octree_cells(file: str | h5py.File, entity)`

Add cells of an Octree object to geoh5.

### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file.
- **entity** – Target entity\_type with color\_map.

**classmethod** `write_properties(file: str | h5py.File, entity: Entity)`

Add properties of an `Entity`.

### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file.
- **entity** – Target `Entity`.

**classmethod** `write_property_groups(file: str | h5py.File, entity)`

Write `PropertyGroup` associated with an `Entity`.

### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file.
- **entity** – Target `Entity`.

**classmethod** `write_to_parent(file: str | h5py.File, entity: Entity, recursively=False)`

Add/create an `Entity` and add it to its parent.

#### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file.
- **entity** – Entity to be added or linked to a parent in geoh5.
- **recursively** – Add parents recursively until reaching the `RootGroup`.

**classmethod** `write_value_map(file: str | h5py.File, entity_type: shared.EntityType)`

Add `ReferenceValueMap` to a `DataType`.

#### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file
- **entity\_type** – Target entity\_type with value\_map

**classmethod** `write_visible(file: str | h5py.File, entity)`

Needs revision once Visualization is implemented

#### Parameters

- **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file
- **entity** – Target entity

## Module contents

### geoh5py.objects package

#### Subpackages

##### geoh5py.objects.surveys package

#### Submodules

##### geoh5py.objects.surveys.direct\_current module

**class** `geoh5py.objects.surveys.direct_current.CurrentElectrode(object_type: geoh5py.objects.object_type.ObjectType, **kwargs)`

Bases: `geoh5py.objects.surveys.direct_current.PotentialElectrode`

Ground direct current electrode (transmitter).

**add\_default\_ab\_cell\_id()**

Utility function to set ab\_cell\_id's based on curve cells.

**copy(parent=None, copy\_children: bool = True)**

Function to copy a survey to a different parent entity.

#### Parameters

- **parent** – Target parent to copy the entity under. Copied to current `parent` if None.
- **copy\_children** – Create copies of all children entities along with it.

**Return entity** Registered Entity to the workspace.

**property current\_electrodes**

The associated current electrode object (sources).

**classmethod default\_type\_uid()** → `uuid.UUID`

**Returns** Default unique identifier

**property potential\_electrodes: `PotentialElectrode` | None**

The associated potential\_electrodes (receivers)

**class** `geoh5py.objects.surveys.direct_current.PotentialElectrode`(*object\_type*:  
  `geoh5py.objects.object_type.ObjectType`,  
  \*\**kwargs*)

Bases: `geoh5py.objects.curve.Curve`

Ground potential electrode (receiver).

**property ab\_cell\_id: `ReferencedData` | None**

Reference data entity mapping cells to a unique current dipole.

**property ab\_map: dict | None**

Get the ReferenceData.value\_map of the ab\_value\_id

**copy(*parent=None*, *copy\_children: bool = True*)**

Function to copy a survey to a different parent entity.

**Parameters**

- ***parent*** – Target parent to copy the entity under. Copied to current *parent* if None.
- ***copy\_children*** – Create copies of all children entities along with it.

**Return entity** Registered Entity to the workspace.

**property current\_electrodes**

The associated current electrode object (sources).

**classmethod default\_type\_uid()** → `uuid.UUID`

**Returns** Default unique identifier

**property metadata: dict | None**

Metadata attached to the entity.

**property potential\_electrodes**

The associated potential\_electrodes (receivers)

**geoh5py.objects.surveys.magnetics module**

**class** `geoh5py.objects.surveys.magnetics.AirborneMagnetics`(*object\_type*:  
  `geoh5py.objects.object_type.ObjectType`,  
  \*\**kwargs*)

Bases: `geoh5py.objects.curve.Curve`

An airborne magnetic survey object.

**Warning:** Partially implemented.

**classmethod default\_type\_uid()** → `uuid.UUID`

**Returns** Default unique identifier

## Module contents

### Submodules

#### geoh5py.objects.block\_model module

```
class geoh5py.objects.block_model.BlockModel(object_type: geoh5py.objects.object_type.ObjectType,
                                             **kwargs)
```

Bases: `geoh5py.objects.object_base.ObjectBase`

Rectilinear 3D tensor mesh defined by three perpendicular axes. Each axis is divided into discrete intervals that define the cell dimensions. Nodal coordinates are determined relative to the origin and the sign of cell delimiters. Negative and positive cell delimiters are accepted to denote relative offsets from the origin.

##### property centroids

`numpy.array`, shape (`n_cells`, 3): Cell center locations in world coordinates.

```
centroids = [
    [x_1, y_1, z_1],
    ...,
    [x_N, y_N, z_N]
]
```

```
classmethod default_type_uid() → uuid.UUID
```

**Returns** Default unique identifier

##### property n\_cells: int | None

`int`: Total number of cells

##### property origin: numpy.ndarray

`numpy.array` of `float`, shape (3, ): Coordinates of the origin.

##### property rotation: float

`float`: Clockwise rotation angle (degree) about the vertical axis.

##### property shape: tuple | None

`list` of `int`, `len` (3, ): Number of cells along the u, v and z-axis

##### property u\_cell\_delimiters: np.ndarray | None

`numpy.array` of `float`: Nodal offsets along the u-axis relative to the origin.

##### property u\_cells: np.ndarray | None

`numpy.array` of `float`, shape (`shape` [0], ): Cell size along the u-axis.

##### property v\_cell\_delimiters: np.ndarray | None

`numpy.array` of `float`: Nodal offsets along the v-axis relative to the origin.

##### property v\_cells: np.ndarray | None

`numpy.array` of `float`, shape (`shape` [1], ): Cell size along the v-axis.

##### property z\_cell\_delimiters: np.ndarray | None

`numpy.array` of `float`: Nodal offsets along the z-axis relative to the origin (positive up).

##### property z\_cells: np.ndarray | None

`numpy.array` of `float`, shape (`shape` [2], ): Cell size along the z-axis

## geoh5py.objects.curve module

```
class geoh5py.objects.curve.Curve(object_type: geoh5py.objects.object_type.ObjectType, **kwargs)
    Bases: geoh5py.objects.points.Points
```

Curve object defined by a series of line segments (`cells`) connecting `vertices`.

**property cells: np.ndarray | None**

`numpy.ndarray` of `int`, shape  $(*, 2)$ : Array of indices defining segments connecting vertices. Defined based on `parts` if set by the user.

**property current\_line\_id**

**classmethod default\_type\_uid()** → `uuid.UUID`

**Returns** Default unique identifier

**property parts**

`numpy.array` of `int`, shape  $(n\_vertices, 2)$ : Group identifiers for vertices connected by line segments as defined by the `cells` property. The definition of the `cells` property get modified by the setting of parts.

**property unique\_parts**

`list` of `int`: Unique `parts` identifiers.

## geoh5py.objects.drillhole module

```
class geoh5py.objects.drillhole.Drillhole(object_type: geoh5py.objects.object_type.ObjectType,
                                            **kwargs)
```

Bases: `geoh5py.objects.points.Points`

Drillhole object class defined by

**Warning:** Not yet implemented.

**add\_data**(`data: dict, property_group: str = None`) → `Data | list[Data]`

Create `Data` specific to the drillhole object from dictionary of name and arguments. A keyword ‘depth’ or ‘from-to’ with corresponding depth values is expected in order to locate the data along the well path.

**Parameters** `data` – Dictionary of data to be added to the object, e.g.

```
data_dict = {
    "data_A": {
        "values", [v_1, v_2, ...],
        "from-to": numpy.ndarray,
    },
    "data_B": {
        "values", [v_1, v_2, ...],
        "depth": numpy.ndarray,
    },
}
```

**Returns** List of new Data objects.

**add\_vertices(*xyz*)**  
Function to add vertices to the drillhole

**property cells: np.ndarray | None**  
numpy.ndarray of int, shape (\*, 2): Array of indices defining segments connecting vertices.

**property collar**  
numpy.array of float, shape (3, ): Coordinates of the collar

**property cost**  
float: Cost estimate of the drillhole

**property default\_collocation\_distance**  
Minimum collocation distance for matching depth on merge

**classmethod default\_type\_uid() → uuid.UUID**

**desurvey(*depths*)**  
Function to return x, y, z coordinates from depth.

**property deviation\_x**  
numpy.ndarray: Store the change in x-coordinates along the well path.

**property deviation\_y**  
numpy.ndarray: Store the change in y-coordinates along the well path.

**property deviation\_z**  
numpy.ndarray: Store the change in z-coordinates along the well path.

**property locations**  
numpy.ndarray: Lookup array of the well path x,y,z coordinates.

**property planning**  
str: Status of the hole: ["Default", "Ongoing", "Planned", "Completed"]

**sort\_depths()**  
Read the 'DEPTH' data and sort all Data.values if needed

**property surveys**  
numpy.array of float, shape (3, ): Coordinates of the surveys

**property trace: np.ndarray | None**  
numpy.array: Drillhole trace defining the path in 3D

**property trace\_depth: np.ndarray | None**  
numpy.array: Drillhole trace depth from top to bottom

**validate\_interval\_data(*from\_to*, *input\_values*, *collocation\_distance=0.0001*)**  
Compare new and current depth values, append new vertices if necessary and return an augmented values vector that matches the vertices indexing.

**validate\_log\_data(*depth*, *input\_values*, *collocation\_distance=0.0001*)**  
Compare new and current depth values, append new vertices if necessary and return an augmented values vector that matches the vertices indexing.

## geoh5py.objects.geo\_image module

```
class geoh5py.objects.geo_image.GeoImage(object_type: geoh5py.objects.object_type.ObjectType,
                                         **kwargs)
```

Bases: *geoh5py.objects.object\_base.ObjectBase*

Image object class.

**Warning:** Not yet implemented.

```
classmethod default_type_uid() → uuid.UUID
```

## geoh5py.objects.grid2d module

```
class geoh5py.objects.grid2d.Grid2D(object_type: geoh5py.objects.object_type.ObjectType, **kwargs)
```

Bases: *geoh5py.objects.object\_base.ObjectBase*

Rectilinear 2D grid of uniform cell size. The grid can be oriented in 3D space through horizontal *rotation* and *dip* parameters. Nodal coordinates are determined relative to the origin and the sign of cell delimiters.

**property cell\_center\_u: np.ndarray | None**

numpy.array of float, shape(*u\_count*, ): Cell center local coordinate along the u-axis.

**property cell\_center\_v: np.ndarray | None**

numpy.array of float shape(*u\_count*, ): The cell center local coordinate along the v-axis.

**property centroids: np.ndarray | None**

numpy.array of float, shape (*n\_cells*, 3): Cell center locations in world coordinates.

```
centroids = [
    [x_1, y_1, z_1],
    ...,
    [x_N, y_N, z_N]
]
```

```
classmethod default_type_uid() → uuid.UUID
```

**Returns** Default unique identifier

**property dip: float**

float: Dip angle from horizontal (positive down) in degrees.

**property n\_cells: int | None**

int: Total number of cells.

**property origin: numpy.ndarray**

numpy.array of float, shape (3, ): Coordinates of the origin.

**property rotation: float**

float: Clockwise rotation angle (degree) about the vertical axis.

**property shape: tuple | None**

list of int, len (2, ): Number of cells along the u and v-axis.

**property u\_cell\_size: float | None**

float: Cell size along the u-axis.

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```

property u_count: int | None
    int: Number of cells along u-axis

property v_cell_size: float | None
    float: Cell size along the v-axis

property v_count: int | None
    int: Number of cells along v-axis

property vertical: bool | None
    bool: Set the grid to be vertical.

```

## geoh5py.objects.label module

```
class geoh5py.objects.label.Label(object_type: geoh5py.objects.object_type.ObjectType, **kwargs)
```

Bases: *geoh5py.objects.object\_base.ObjectBase*

Label object for annotation in viewport.

**Warning:** Not yet implemented.

```
classmethod default_type_uid() → uuid.UUID
```

## geoh5py.objects.notype\_object module

```
class geoh5py.objects.notype_object.NoTypeObject(object_type:
```

geoh5py.objects.object\_type.ObjectType, \*\*kwargs)

Bases: *geoh5py.objects.object\_base.ObjectBase*

Generic Data object without a registered type

```
classmethod default_type_uid() → uuid.UUID
```

## geoh5py.objects.object\_base module

```
class geoh5py.objects.object_base.ObjectBase(object_type: geoh5py.objects.object_type.ObjectType,
                                              **kwargs)
```

Bases: *geoh5py.shared.entity.Entity*

Object base class.

```
add_comment(comment: str, author: Optional[str] = None)
```

Add text comment to an object.

### Parameters

- **comment** – Text to be added as comment.
- **author** – Name of author or defaults to *contributors*.

```
add_data(data: dict, property_group: str = None) → Data | list[Data]
```

Create *Data* from dictionary of name and arguments. The provided arguments can be any property of the target Data class.

**Parameters** **data** – Dictionary of data to be added to the object, e.g.

```
data = {
    "data_A": {
        'values', [v_1, v_2, ...],
        'association': 'VERTEX'
    },
    "data_B": {
        'values', [v_1, v_2, ...],
        'association': 'CELLS'
    },
}
```

**Returns** List of new Data objects.

**add\_data\_to\_group**(*data*: list | Data | uuid.UUID | str, *name*: str) → PropertyGroup

Append data children to a *PropertyGroup* All given data must be children of the parent object.

#### Parameters

- **data** – *Data* object, *uid* or *name* of data.
- **name** – Name of a *PropertyGroup*. A new group is created if none exist with the given name.

**Returns** The target property group.

**property cells**

numpy.array of int: Array of indices defining the connection between *vertices*.

**property comments**

Fetch a *CommentsData* entity from children.

**abstract classmethod default\_type\_uid()** → uuid.UUID

**property entity\_type: geoh5py.objects.object\_type.ObjectType**

*EntityType*: Object type.

**property faces**

**find\_or\_create\_property\_group(\*\*kwargs)** → geoh5py.groups.property\_group.PropertyGroup

Find or create *PropertyGroup* from given name and properties.

**Parameters** *kwargs* – Any arguments taken by the *PropertyGroup* class.

**Returns** A new or existing *PropertyGroup*

**classmethod find\_or\_create\_type(workspace: workspace.Workspace, \*\*kwargs)** → ObjectType

Find or create a type instance for a given object class.

**Parameters** *workspace* – Target *Workspace*.

**Returns** The ObjectType instance for the given object class.

**get\_data(name: str)** → list[Data]

Get a child *Data* by name.

**Parameters** *name* – Name of the target child data

**Returns** A list of children Data objects

**get\_data\_list()** → list[str]

Get a list of names of all children *Data*.

**Returns** List of names of data associated with the object.

```
property last_focus: str
    bool: Object visible in camera on start.

property n_cells: int | None
    int: Number of cells.

property n_vertices: int | None
    int: Number of vertices.

property property_groups: list[PropertyGroup]
    list of PropertyGroup.

remove_data_from_group(data: list | Data | uuid.UUID | str, name: str = None)
    Remove data children to a PropertyGroup All given data must be children of the parent object.

    Parameters
        • data – Data object, uid or name of data.
        • name – Name of a PropertyGroup. A new group is created if none exist with the given name.

validate_data_association(attribute_dict)
    Get a dictionary of attributes and validate the data ‘association’ keyword.

static validate_data_type(attribute_dict)
    Get a dictionary of attributes and validate the type of data.

property vertices
    numpy.array of float, shape (*, 3): Array of x, y, z coordinates defining the position of points in 3D space.
```

## geoh5py.objects.object\_type module

```
class geoh5py.objects.object_type.ObjectType(workspace: workspace.Workspace, **kwargs)
    Bases: geoh5py.shared.entity_type.EntityType

    Object type class

    static create_custom(workspace: workspace.Workspace) → ObjectType
        Creates a new instance of ObjectType for an unlisted custom Object type with a new auto-generated UUID.

        Parameters workspace – An active Workspace class

    classmethod find_or_create(workspace: workspace.Workspace, entity_class, **kwargs) → ObjectType
        Find or creates an EntityType with given uuid.UUID that matches the given Group implementation class.

        It is expected to have a single instance of EntityType in the Workspace for each concrete Entity class.

    Parameters
        • workspace – An active Workspace class
        • entity_class – An Group implementation class.

    Returns A new instance of GroupType.
```

## geoh5py.objects.octree module

```
class geoh5py.objects.octree.Octree(object_type: geoh5py.objects.object_type.ObjectType, **kwargs)
    Bases: geoh5py.objects.object_base.ObjectBase
```

Octree mesh class that uses a tree structure such that cells can be subdivided it into eight octants.

**base\_refine()**

Refine the mesh to its base octree level resulting in a single cell along the shortest dimension.

**property centroids**

numpy.array of float, shape (*n\_cells*, 3): Cell center locations in world coordinates.

```
centroids = [
    [x_1, y_1, z_1],
    ...,
    [x_N, y_N, z_N]
]
```

**classmethod default\_type\_uid()** → uuid.UUID

**property n\_cells: int | None**

int: Total number of cells in the mesh

**property octree\_cells: np.ndarray | None**

numpy.ndarray of int, shape (*n\_cells*, 4): Array defining the i, j, k position and size of each cell. The size defines the width of a cell in number of base cells.

```
cells = [
    [i_1, j_1, k_1, size_1],
    ...,
    [i_N, j_N, k_N, size_N]
]
```

**property origin**

numpy.array of float, shape (3, ): Coordinates of the origin

**property rotation: float**

float: Clockwise rotation angle (degree) about the vertical axis.

**property shape: tuple | None**

list of int, len (3, ): Number of cells along the u, v and w-axis.

**property u\_cell\_size: float | None**

float: Base cell size along the u-axis.

**property u\_count: int | None**

int: Number of cells along u-axis.

**property v\_cell\_size: float | None**

float: Base cell size along the v-axis.

**property v\_count: int | None**

int: Number of cells along v-axis.

**property w\_cell\_size: float | None**

float: Base cell size along the w-axis.

**property w\_count: int | None**

int: Number of cells along w-axis.

## geoh5py.objects.points module

```
class geoh5py.objects.Points(object_type: geoh5py.objects.object_type.ObjectType, **kwargs)
    Bases: geoh5py.objects.object_base.ObjectBase

    Points object made up of vertices.

    classmethod default_type_uid() → uuid.UUID

    property vertices: np.ndarray | None
        vertices
```

## geoh5py.objects.surface module

```
class geoh5py.objects.Surface(object_type: geoh5py.objects.object_type.ObjectType, **kwargs)
    Bases: geoh5py.objects.Points

    Surface object defined by vertices and cells

    property cells: np.ndarray | None
        Array of vertices index forming triangles :return cells: numpy.array of int, shape ("*", 3)

    classmethod default_type_uid() → uuid.UUID
```

## Module contents

### geoh5py.shared package

#### Submodules

##### geoh5py.shared.coord3d module

```
class geoh5py.shared.coord3d.Coord3D(xyz: numpy.ndarray = array([[0.0, 4.64625126e-310, 0.0]]))
    Bases: object

    Coordinate of vertices.
```

**Warning:** Replaced by numpy.array

```
property locations: numpy.ndarray
property x: float
property y: float
property z: float
```

## geoh5py.shared.date\_time module

```
class geoh5py.shared.date_time.DateTime  
Bases: object
```

Time stamp

**Warning:** Not implemented

## geoh5py.shared.distance\_unit module

```
class geoh5py.shared.distance_unit.DistanceUnit  
Bases: object
```

Units

**Warning:** Not implemented

## geoh5py.shared.entity module

```
class geoh5py.shared.entity.Entity(**kwargs)  
Bases: abc.ABC
```

Base Entity class

**add\_children**(*children*: list[shared.Entity])

**Parameters** **children** – Add a list of entities as *children*

**property allow\_delete: bool**

bool Entity can be deleted from the workspace.

**property allow\_move: bool**

bool Entity can change *parent*

**property allow\_rename: bool**

bool Entity can change name

**property attribute\_map: dict**

dict Correspondence map between property names used in geoh5py and geoh5.

**property children**

list Children entities in the workspace tree

**copy**(*parent=None*, *copy\_children: bool = True*)

Function to copy an entity to a different parent entity.

**Parameters**

- **parent** – Target parent to copy the entity under. Copied to current *parent* if None.
- **copy\_children** – Create copies of all children entities along with it.

**Return entity** Registered Entity to the workspace.

**classmethod create(workspace, \*\*kwargs)**

Function to create an entity.

**Parameters**

- **workspace** – Workspace to be added to.
- **kwargs** – List of keyword arguments defining the properties of a class.

**Return entity** Registered Entity to the workspace.

**abstract property entity\_type: shared.EntityType****property existing\_h5\_entity: bool**

bool Entity already present in [h5file](#).

**classmethod fix\_up\_name(name: str) → str**

If the given name is not a valid one, transforms it to make it valid :return: a valid name built from the given name. It simply returns the given name if it was already valid.

**property metadata: str | dict | None**

Metadata attached to the entity.

**property modified\_attributes**

list[str] List of attributes to be updated in associated workspace [h5file](#).

**property name: str**

str Name of the entity

**property parent****property public: bool**

bool Entity is accessible in the workspace tree and other parts of the the user interface in ANALYST.

**reference\_to\_uid(value: Entity | str | uuid.UUID) → list[uuid.UUID]**

General entity reference translation.

**Parameters** **value** – Either an *Entity*, string or uid

**Returns** List of unique identifier associated with the input reference.

**remove\_children(children: list[shared.Entity])**

Remove children from the list of children entities.

**Parameters** **children** – List of entities

**Warning:** Removing a child entity without re-assigning it to a different parent may cause it to become inactive. Inactive entities are removed from the workspace by [remove\\_none\\_referents\(\)](#).

**property uid**

uuid.UUID The unique identifier of an entity, either as stored in geoh5 or generated in `uuid4()` format.

**property visible: bool**

bool Entity visible in camera (checked in ANALYST object tree).

**property workspace**

[Workspace](#) to which the Entity belongs to.

## geoh5py.shared.entity\_type module

```
class geoh5py.shared.entity_type.EntityType(workspace: ws.Workspace, **kwargs)
    Bases: abc.ABC

    property attribute_map
        dict Correspondence map between property names used in geoh5py and geoh5.

    property description
        str Entity type description.

    property existing_h5_entity: bool
        bool Entity already present in h5file.

    classmethod find(workspace: ws.Workspace, type_uid: uuid.UUID) → TEntityType | None
        Finds in the given Workspace the EntityType with the given UUID for this specific EntityType implementation class.

        Returns EntityType of None

    property modified_attributes
        list[str] List of attributes to be updated in associated workspace h5file.

    property name: str | None

    property uid: uuid.UUID
        uuid.UUID The unique identifier of an entity, either as stored in geoh5 or generated in uuid4() format.

    property workspace: ws.Workspace
        Workspace registering this type.
```

## geoh5py.shared.file\_name module

```
class geoh5py.shared.file_name.FileName
    Bases: object

    File name
```

**Warning:** Not implemented

## geoh5py.shared.utils module

```
geoh5py.shared.utils.compare_entities(object_a, object_b, ignore: list | None = None, decimal: int = 6)
geoh5py.shared.utils.fetch_h5_handle(file: str | h5py.File) → h5py.File
    Open in read+ mode a geoh5 file from string. If receiving a file instead of a string, merely return the given file.
```

**Parameters** **file** – Name or handle to a geoh5 file.

**Return** **h5py.File** Handle to an opened h5py file.

```
geoh5py.shared.utils.match_values(vec_a, vec_b, collocation_distance=0.0001)
    Find indices of matching values between two arrays, within collocation_distance.
```

**Param** vec\_a, list or numpy.ndarray Input sorted values

**Param** vec\_b, list or numpy.ndarray Query values

**Returns** indices, numpy.ndarray Pairs of indices for matching values between the two arrays such that `vec_a[ind[:, 0]] == vec_b[ind[:, 1]]`.

```
geoh5py.shared.utils.merge_arrays(head, tail, replace='A->B', mapping=None,
                                   collocation_distance=0.0001, return_mapping=False)
```

Given two numpy.arrays of different length, find the matching values and append both arrays.

**Param** head, numpy.array of float First vector of shape(M,) to be appended.

**Param** tail, numpy.array of float Second vector of shape(N,) to be appended

**Param** mapping=None, numpy.ndarray of int Optional array where values from the head are replaced by the tail.

**Param** collocation\_distance=1e-4, float Tolerance between matching values.

**Returns** numpy.array shape(O,) Unique values from head to tail without repeats, within collocation\_distance.

## geoh5py.shared.version\_number module

```
class geoh5py.shared.version_number.VersionNumber(number: float)
Bases: object
```

Version

**Warning:** Not implemented

**property value: float**

## geoh5py.shared.version\_string module

```
class geoh5py.shared.version_string.VersionString(value: str)
Bases: object
```

Version of Geoscience ANALYST

**Warning:** Not implemented

**property value: str**

## geoh5py.shared.vertex\_index module

```
class geoh5py.shared.vertex_index.VertexIndex
Bases: object
```

Indices

**Warning:** Not implemented

## geoh5py.shared.weakref\_utils module

`geoh5py.shared.weakref_utils.get_clean_ref(some_dict: dict[K, ReferenceType[T]], key: K) → T | None`

Gets the referent value for the given key in a `some_dict` of `weakref` values. In case key points to a reference to a deleted value, remove that key from `some_dict` on the fly, and returns `None`.

### Parameters

- `some_dict` – The dictionary of `weakref` values.
- `key` – The key

**Returns** the referent value for key if found in the the dictionary, else `None`.

`geoh5py.shared.weakref_utils.insert_once(some_dict: dict[K, ReferenceType], key: K, value)`

Check if the reference to an Entity with uuid is already in use.

### Parameters

- `some_dict` – Dictionary of UUID keys and `weakref` values.
- `key` – UUID key to be checked.
- `value` – Entity to be checked

**Returns** Dictionary with clean `weakref`

`geoh5py.shared.weakref_utils.remove_none_referents(some_dict: dict[K, ReferenceType])`

Removes any key from the given `some_dict` where the value is a reference to a deleted value (that is where referent of the `weakref` value is `None`).

**Parameters** `some_dict` – The dictionary to be cleaned up.

## Module contents

### geoh5py.workspace package

#### Submodules

### geoh5py.workspace.workspace module

`class geoh5py.workspace.workspace.Workspace(h5file: str = 'Analyst.geoh5', **kwargs)`

Bases: `object`

The Workspace class manages all Entities created or imported from the `geoh5` structure.

The basic requirements needed to create a Workspace are:

**Parameters** `h5file` – File name of the target `geoh5` file. A new project is created if the target file cannot by found on disk.

#### `activate()`

Makes this workspace the active one.

In case the workspace gets deleted, `Workspace.activate()` safely returns `None`.

`static active() → geoh5py.workspace.workspace.Workspace`

Get the active workspace.

`property attribute_map: dict`

Mapping between names used in the `geoh5` database.

**property** **contributors:** `numpy.ndarray`

`numpy.array of str` List of contributors name.

**copy\_to\_parent**(*entity*, *parent*, *copy\_children*: `bool = True`, *omit\_list*: `tuple = ()`)

Copy an entity to a different parent with copies of children.

#### Parameters

- **entity** – Entity to be copied.
- **parent** – Target parent to copy the entity under.
- **copy\_children** – Copy all children of the entity.
- **omit\_list** – List of property names to omit on copy

**Returns** The Entity registered to the workspace.

**classmethod** **create**(*entity*: `geoh5py.shared.entity.Entity`, `**kwargs`) → `geoh5py.shared.entity.Entity`

Create and register a new Entity.

#### Parameters

- **entity** – Entity to be created
- **kwargs** – List of attributes to set on new entity

**Return entity** The new entity

**create\_data**(*entity\_class*, *entity\_kwargs*: `dict`, *entity\_type\_kwargs*: `dict | DataType`) → `Entity` | None

Create a new Data entity with attributes.

#### Parameters

- **entity\_class** – `Data` class.
- **entity\_kwargs** – Properties of the entity.
- **entity\_type\_kwargs** – Properties of the entity\_type.

**Returns** The newly created entity.

**create\_entity**(*entity\_class*, *save\_on\_creation*: `bool = True`, *file*: `str | h5py.File | None = None`, `**kwargs`) → `Entity` | None

Function to create and register a new entity and its entity\_type.

#### Parameters

- **entity\_class** – Type of entity to be created
- **save\_on\_creation** – Save the entity to h5file immediately
- **file** – `h5py.File` or name of the target geoh5 file

**Return entity** Newly created entity registered to the workspace

**create\_object\_or\_group**(*entity\_class*, *entity\_kwargs*: `dict`, *entity\_type\_kwargs*: `dict`) → `Entity` | None

Create an object or a group with attributes.

#### Parameters

- **entity\_class** – `ObjectBase` or `Group` class.
- **entity\_kwargs** – Attributes of the entity.
- **entity\_type\_kwargs** – Attributes of the entity\_type.

**Returns** A new Object or Group.

**property data: list[[data.Data](#)]**

Get all active Data entities registered in the workspace.

**deactivate()**

Deactivate this workspace if it was the active one, else does nothing.

**property distance\_unit: str**

str Distance unit used in the project.

**fetch\_cells(uid: [uuid.UUID](#), file: str | [h5py.File](#) | None = None) → np.ndarray**

Fetch the cells of an object from the source h5file.

**Parameters**

- **uid** – Unique identifier of target entity.
- **file** – [h5py.File](#) or name of the target geoh5 file

**Returns** Cell object with vertices index.

**fetch\_children(entity: [Entity](#), recursively: bool = False, file: str | [h5py.File](#) | None = None)**

Recover and register children entities from the h5file

**Parameters**

- **entity** – Parental entity
- **recursively** – Recover all children down the project tree
- **file** – [h5py.File](#) or name of the target geoh5 file

**fetch\_coordinates(uid: [uuid.UUID](#), name: str, file: str | [h5py.File](#) | None = None) → np.ndarray**

Fetch the survey values of drillhole objects

**Parameters**

- **uid** – Unique identifier of target entity
- **file** – [h5py.File](#) or name of the target geoh5 file

**Returns** Array of [Depth, Dip, Azimuth] defining the drillhole path.

**fetch\_delimiters(uid: [uuid.UUID](#), file: str | [h5py.File](#) | None = None) → tuple[np.ndarray, np.ndarray, np.ndarray]**

Fetch the delimiter attributes from the source h5file.

**Parameters**

- **uid** – Unique identifier of target data object.
- **file** – [h5py.File](#) or name of the target geoh5 file

**Returns** Arrays of delimiters along the u, v, and w axis (u\_delimiters, v\_delimiters, z\_delimiters).

**fetch\_metadata(uid: [uuid.UUID](#), file: str | [h5py.File](#) | None = None)**

Fetch the metadata of an entity from the source h5file.

**Returns**

**fetch\_octree\_cells(uid: [uuid.UUID](#), file: str | [h5py.File](#) | None = None) → np.ndarray**

Fetch the octree cells ordering from the source h5file

**Parameters**

- **uid** – Unique identifier of target entity
- **file** – [h5py.File](#) or name of the target geoh5 file

**Return values** Array of [i, j, k, dimension] defining the octree mesh

**fetch\_or\_create\_root**(*h5file*: *h5py.\_hl.files.File*)

**fetch\_property\_groups**(*entity*: *Entity*, *file*: *str* | *h5py.File* | *None* = *None*) → list[*PropertyGroup*]

Fetch all property\_groups on an object from the source h5file

**Parameters**

- **entity** – Target object
- **file** – *h5py.File* or name of the target geoh5 file

**fetch\_trace\_depth**(*uid*: *uuid.UUID*, *file*: *str* | *h5py.File* | *None* = *None*) → np.ndarray

Fetch the trace depth information of a drillhole objects

**Parameters**

- **uid** – Unique identifier of target entity
- **file** – *h5py.File* or name of the target geoh5 file

**Returns** Array of trace depth values.

**fetch\_values**(*uid*: *uuid.UUID*, *file*: *str* | *h5py.File* | *None* = *None*) → float | None

Fetch the data values from the source h5file.

**Parameters**

- **uid** – Unique identifier of target data object.
- **file** – *h5py.File* or name of the target geoh5 file

**Returns** Array of values.

**finalize**(*file*: *str* | *h5py.File* | *None* = *None*)

Finalize the h5file by checking for updated entities and re-building the Root

**Parameters** **file** – *h5py.File* or name of the target geoh5 file

**find\_data**(*data\_uid*: *uuid.UUID*) → *Entity* | None

Find an existing and active Data entity.

**find\_entity**(*entity\_uid*: *uuid.UUID*) → *Entity* | None

Get all active entities registered in the workspace.

**find\_group**(*group\_uid*: *uuid.UUID*) → *group.Group* | None

Find an existing and active Group object.

**find\_object**(*object\_uid*: *uuid.UUID*) → *object\_base.ObjectBase* | None

Find an existing and active Object.

**find\_type**(*type\_uid*: *uuid.UUID*, *type\_class*: *type[EntityType]*) → *EntityType* | None

Find an existing and active EntityType

**Parameters** **type\_uid** – Unique identifier of target type

**property ga\_version: str**

str Version of Geoscience Analyst software.

**get\_entity**(*name*: *str* | *uuid.UUID*) → list[*Entity*] | None

Retrieve an entity from one of its identifier, either by name or *uuid.UUID*.

**Parameters** **name** – Object identifier, either name or *uuid*.

**Returns** List of entities with the same given name.

**property groups: list[groups.Group]**

Get all active Group entities registered in the workspace.

**property h5file: str**

**Str** Target geoh5 file name with path.

**property list\_data\_name: dict[uuid.UUID, str]**

dict of uuid.UUID keys and name values for all registered Data.

**property list\_entities\_name: dict[uuid.UUID, str]**

**Returns** dict of uuid.UUID keys and name values for all registered Entities.

**property list\_groups\_name: dict[uuid.UUID, str]**

dict of uuid.UUID keys and name values for all registered Groups.

**property list\_objects\_name: dict[uuid.UUID, str]**

dict of uuid.UUID keys and name values for all registered Objects.

**load\_entity(uid: uuid.UUID, entity\_type: str, parent: Entity = None, file: str | h5py.File | None = None) → Entity | None**

Recover an entity from geoh5.

**Parameters**

- **uid** – Unique identifier of entity
- **entity\_type** – One of entity type ‘group’, ‘object’, ‘data’ or ‘root’
- **file** – h5py.File or name of the target geoh5 file

**Return entity** Entity loaded from geoh5

**property name: str**

**str** Name of the project.

**property objects: list[objects.ObjectBase]**

Get all active Object entities registered in the workspace.

**remove\_children(parent, children: list, file: str | h5py.File | None = None)**

Remove a list of entities from a parent.

**remove\_entity(entity: Entity, file: str | h5py.File | None = None)**

Function to remove an entity and its children from the workspace

**remove\_none\_referents(referents: dict[uuid.UUID, ReferenceType], rtype: str, file: str | h5py.File | None = None)**

Search and remove deleted entities

**remove\_recursively(entity: Entity, file: str | h5py.File | None = None)**

Delete an entity and its children from the workspace and geoh5 recursively

**property root: Entity | None**

**RootGroup** entity.

**save\_entity(entity: Entity, add\_children: bool = True, file: str | h5py.File | None = None)**

Save or update an entity to geoh5.

**Parameters**

- **entity** – Entity to be written to geoh5.
- **add\_children** – Add children entities to geoh5.

- **file** – h5py.File or name of the target geoh5

**property types:** list[*EntityType*]

Get all active entity types registered in the workspace.

**validate\_file(file)** → h5py.\_hl.files.File

Validate the h5file name

**property version:** float

float Version of the geoh5 file format.

**property workspace**

This workspace instance itself.

geoh5py.workspace.workspace.**active\_workspace**(*workspace*: geoh5py.workspace.workspace.Workspace)

## Module contents

### 2.3.2 Module contents

## 2.4 GEOH5 Format

### 2.4.1 About

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Geoscience ANALYST data model, and attempts to maintain a certain level of simplicity and consistency throughout. It is based entirely on free and open [HDF5 technology](#). Given that this specification is public, the file format could, with further investment and involvement, become a useful exchange format for the broader geoscientific community.

## Why GEOH5?

- **Leverages properties**  
Fast I/O, compression, cross-platform
- **Content readable and writable**  
We recommend using HD-FView, along with Geoscience ANALYST, when learning the format.
- **Easily extensible to other formats**  
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loading and saving geoh5 files. This will allow third parties to write to this format fairly easily, as well as include additional information not included in this spec for their own purposes. In the current implementation, Geoscience ANALYST automatically removes unnecessary information on save.

## 2.4.2 Definition

The following sections define the structure

and components making up the GEOH5 file format.

## Workspace

The bulk of the data is accessible both directly by UUID through the flat HDF5 groups or through a hierarchy of hard links structured as follow:

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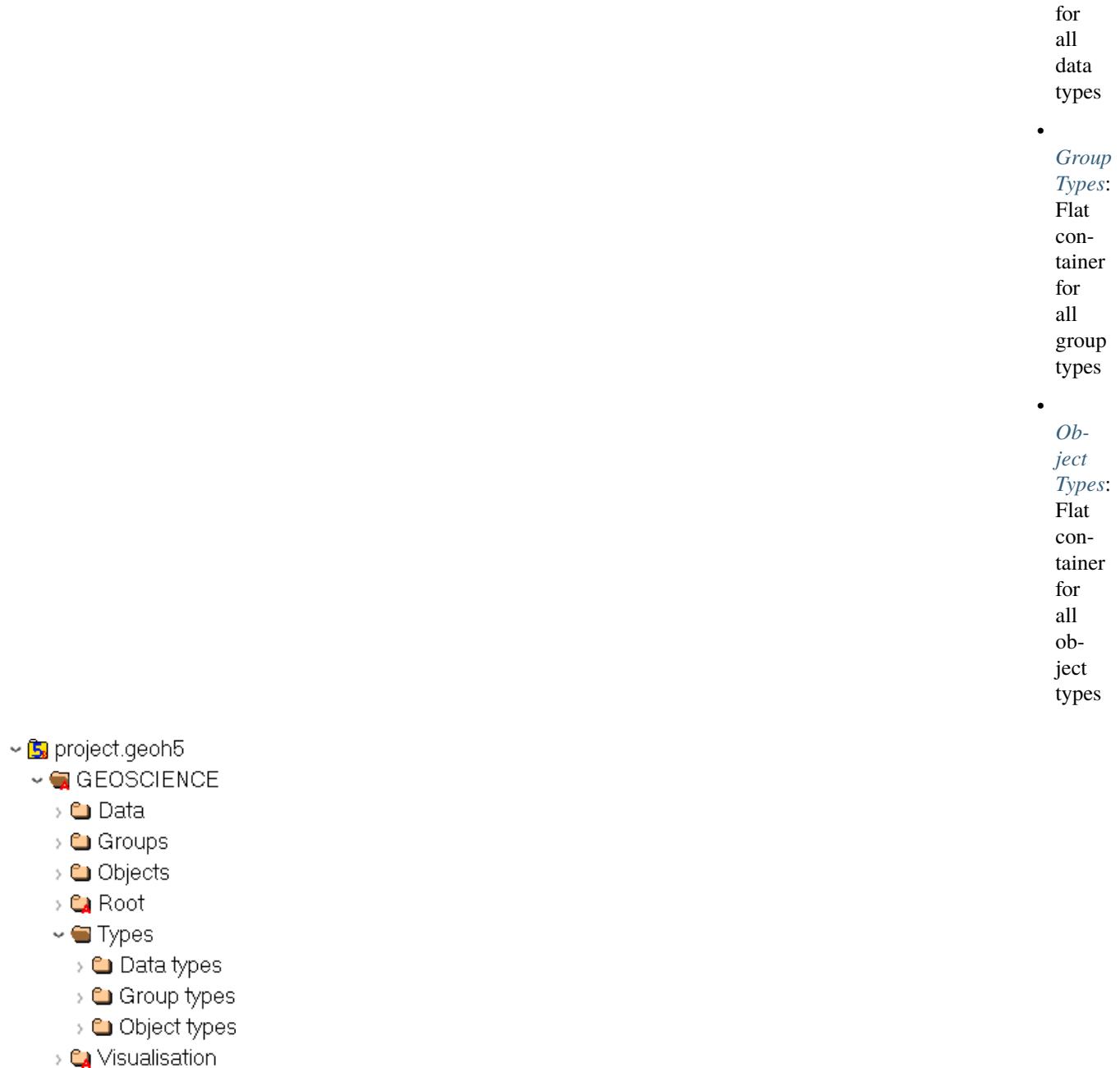
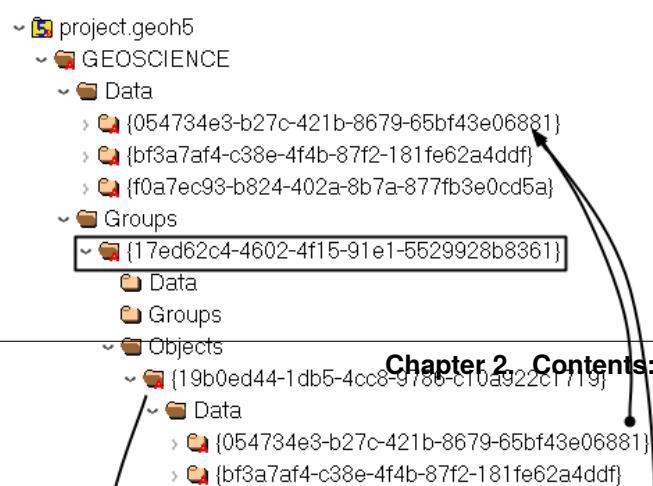


Fig. 2.1: As seen in [HD-FView](#)

While all groups, objects and data entities are written into their respective base folder, they also hold links to their children entities to allow for traversals. There is no data duplication, merely multiple references (pointers) to the data storage on file. Types are shared (and thus generally written to file first). All groups, objects and data must include a hard link to their type.



## Attributes

**Version** double Version of specification used by this file

**Distance unit** str *feet* or (default) *metres* Distance unit of all data enclosed

**Contributors** 1D array of str (Optional) List of users who contributed to this workspace

## Groups

Groups are simple container for other groups and objects. They are often used to assign special meanings to a collection of entities or to create specialized software functionality. See the [Group Types](#) section for the list of supported group types.

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**Note:** Though this file format technically allows objects/groups to appear within multiple groups simultaneously (overlapping lists), this is not currently supported by Geoscience ANALYST.

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## Attributes

**Name** str Name of the object displayed in the project tree.

**ID** str, *UUID* Unique identifier of the group.

**Visible** int, 0 or (default) 1 Set visible in the 3D camera (checked in the object tree).

**Public** int, 0 or (default) 1 Set accessible in the object tree and other parts of the user interface.

**Clipping IDs** 1D array of *UUID* (Optional) List of unique identifiers of clipping plane objects.

**Allow delete** int, 0 or (default) 1 (Optional) User interface allows deletion.

**Allow move** int, 0 or (default) 1 (Optional) User interface allows moving to another parent group.

**Allow rename** int, 0 or (default) 1 (Optional) User interface allows renaming.

**Metadata** (int, optional) (Optional)

Any additional text attached to the group.

## Objects

Objects are containers for Data with spatial information. Most (not all) object geometry is described in terms of vertices (3D locations) and cells (groupings of vertices such as triangles or segments). The exact requirements and interpretation depends on the type. Additional information may also be stored for some specific types. See the *Object Types* section for the list of supported objects.

## Attributes

**Name** str Name of the object displayed in the project tree.

**ID** str Unique identifier (*UUID*) of the group.

**Visible** int, 0 or (default) 1 Set visible in the 3D camera (checked in the object tree).

**Public** int, 0 or (default) 1 Set accessible in the object tree and other parts of the user interface.

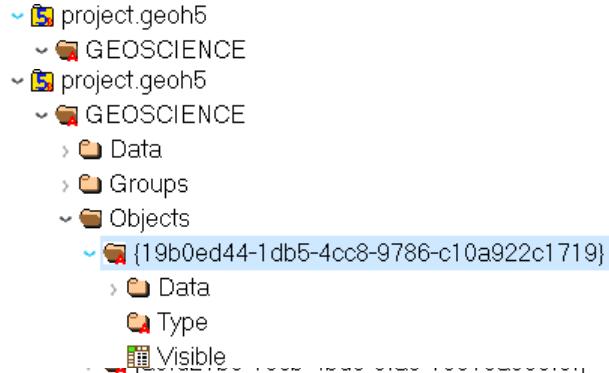
**Clipping IDs** 1D array of UUID (Optional)  
List of unique identifiers of clipping plane objects.

**Allow delete** int, 0 or (default) 1 (Optional)  
User interface allows deletion.

**Allow move** int, 0 or (default) 1 (Optional)  
User interface allows moving to another parent group.

**Allow rename** int, 0 or (default) 1 (Optional)  
User interface allows renaming.

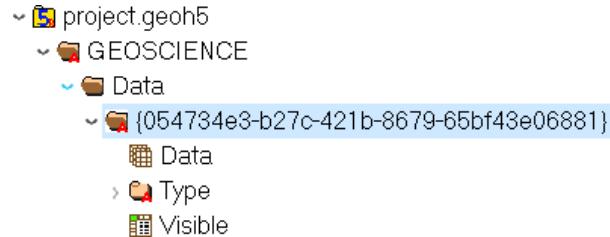
**Metadata** (int, optional) (Optional) Any additional text attached to the group.



## Data

Containers for data values of various types. Data are currently **always stored as a 1D array**, even in the case of single-value data with the `Object` association (in which case it is a 1D array of length 1). See the [Data Types](#) section for the list of supported data types.

## Attributes



**Association** str Describes which part the property is tied to. Must be one of: *Unknown, Object, Cell, Vertex, Face* or *Group*

**Name** str Name of the data displayed in the project tree.

**ID** str Unique identifier (*UUID*) of the group.

**Visible** int, 0 or 1 (Optional) Set visible in the 3D camera (checked in the object tree).

**Clipping IDs** 1D array of UUID (Optional)  
List of unique identifiers of clipping plane objects.

**Allow delete** int, 0 or (default) 1 (Optional)  
User interface allows deletion.

**Allow rename** int, 0 or (default) 1 (Optional)  
User interface allows renaming.

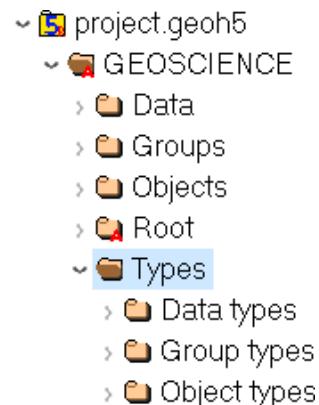
**Public** int, 0 or (default) 1 (Optional) Set accessible in the object tree and other parts of the the user interface.

## Types

While they are structured similarly, **each group, object or set of data has a type that defines how its HDF5 datasets should be interpreted**. This type is shared among any number of entities (groups/objects/data sets).

### Group Types

The following section describes the supported group types.



## **Group Types**

*To be further documented*

### **Container**

**UUID : {61FBB4E8-A480-11E3-8D5A-2776BDF4F982}**

Simple container with no special meaning. Default in Geoscience ANALYST.

### **Drillholes**

**UUID : {825424FB-C2C6-4FEA-9F2B-6CD00023D393}**

Container restricted to containing drillhole objects, and which may provide convenience functionality for the drillholes within.

### **No Type (Root)**

**UUID : {dd99b610-be92-48c0-873c-5b5946ea2840}**

The Root group defines the tree structure used in Geoscience ANALYST describing the parent-child relationships of entities. If absent, any Groups/Objects/Data will be brought into Geoscience ANALYST under the workspace group, still respecting any defined hierarchy links.

### **Tools**

**UUID : {a2befc38-3207-46aa-95a2-16b40117a5d8}**

Group for slicer and label objects.

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

### **Maxwell**

**UUID : {1c4122b2-8e7a-4ec3-8d6e-c818495adac7}**

Group for Maxwell plate modeling application.

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## GIFTTools

GIFTTools group containers

### GIFTTools Project

UUID : {585b3218-c24b-41fe-ad1f-24d5e6e8348a}

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### GIF Executables

UUID : {afae95ef-c2a7-4aec-9800-0d19bd2c2c07}

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### gzinv3d

UUID : {20eb4ff8-bdfe-43f3-8745-f418dcc9e14a}

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### gzfor3d

UUID : {a4857df0-d175-4824-ac5d-cecfdcc2f20b}

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### magfor3d

UUID : {6b8189ac-a479-4fe7-b4fc-92279aee5a41}

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### **maginv3d**

**UUID : {b99e8db8-e118-4042-864e-9e1128f2d1e6}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### **mvifwd**

**UUID : {14c41f47-bcee-4a63-8192-fa42a1741052}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### **ggfor3d**

**UUID : {c8a8424d-ab12-482e-82ee-b198fcfd5859}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### **gginv3d**

**UUID : {0f080369-b3a3-464c-83fa-9b3c1efa9895}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### **mviiinv**

**UUID : {9472b5cb-a285-4257-a2e8-68a3d33aa1f2}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### **octgrvde**

**UUID : {4e043415-a0ea-4cef-bf89-2771e27b346c}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **octmagde**

**UUID : {f8217512-296d-4cc0-afcb-6c07a20581fe}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **dclinv3d**

**UUID : {ae416ab8-0e72-4f37-8873-5cc0909433bb}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **ipinv3d**

**UUID : {9f9543a0-e857-4a56-ab66-9f21e2b002c6}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **e3dmt**

**UUID : {8cf239e3-63a6-4813-adf8-9714293b602e}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **dcoctree\_inv**

**UUID : {54d296de-0588-472c-9a62-480098303394}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **dcoctree\_fwd**

**UUID : {A522D641-6CB7-421B-836B-A14C0D9C7801}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **ipoctree\_inv**

**UUID : {d9fd455e-ea94-40f5-9d86-e7c49c7b5005}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **dcipf3d**

**UUID : {59b5338d-596c-4049-9aa4-6979700e00ff}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Geoscience INTEGRATOR Groups**

### **Geoscience INTEGRATOR**

**UUID : {61449477-3833-11e4-a7fb-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### **Project**

**UUID : {56f6f03e-3833-11e4-a7fb-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### **Query Group**

**UUID : {85756113-592a-4088-b374-f32c8fac37a2}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### **Neighbourhoods**

**UUID : {2a5b7faa-41d1-4437-afac-934933eae6eb}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Map File Group

**UUID : {1f684938-2baf-4a01-ac71-e50c30cc0685}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Maps Group

**UUID : {4d65f8c3-a015-4c01-b411-412c0f4f0884}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Airborne

**UUID : {812f3b2a-fdae-4752-8391-3b657953a983}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Ground

**UUID : {a9d05630-7a80-4bda-89a2-feca0dc7a83e}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Borehole

**UUID : {f6f011a9-2e52-4f99-b842-a524ad9fdf03}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Geoscience INTEGRATOR Themes

### Data

**UUID : {51fdf764-3833-11e4-a7fb-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Interpretation**

**UUID : {05e96011-3833-11e4-a7fb-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Microseismic**

**UUID : {2bddbaaf-3829-11e4-8654-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Ground Deformation**

**UUID : {7ade974c-3829-11e4-9cce-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Production Area**

**UUID : {55ccb6d9-016c-47cd-824f-077214dc44db}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Blasting**

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Stress**

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Drillholes and Wells

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Mobile Equipment

**UUID : {e7f63d21-3833-11e4-a7fb-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Fixed Plant

**UUID : {fad14ac4-3833-11e4-a7fb-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Earth Model Points

**UUID : {fcd708da-3833-11e4-a7fb-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Earth Model Regular 3D Grids

**UUID : {79b41607-ffa2-4825-a270-44dd48807a03}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Observation Points

**UUID : {f65e521c-a763-427b-97bf-d0b4e5689e0d}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Targets & Anomalies

**UUID : {e41c2308-0f35-47dd-8562-d0fd354406f8}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Targets

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Anomalies

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Fusion Model

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*To be documented*

## Deformation

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Mine Production

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Earth Models

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Mine Models

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Samples

**UUID : {1cde9996-cda7-40f0-8c20-faeb4e926748}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Geochemistry & Mineralogy

**UUID : {ed00094f-3da1-485f-8c4e-b52f6f171ea4}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Rock Properties

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Incidents

**UUID : {136cb431-c7d2-4992-a5ab-46a6e16b6726}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Mine Infrastructure

**UUID : {cff33bb0-ef43-4b06-8070-266940ab9d06}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## 3D Structural Surfaces

**UUID : {a246f9e0-2b67-4efd-bd3d-742bfe06178b}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## 3D Domains

**UUID : {f69979b0-5ba1-417a-93d4-778146049014}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## 3D Geological Contact Surfaces

**UUID : {0bf96ee1-7fa4-41a2-bc8a-7cd76426ba18}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Remote Sensing and Air Photos

**UUID : {386f2c57-1893-40bb-bd1c-95552b90e514}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Inversions

**UUID : {7a7b14af-23d9-4897-9cdb-8d586fefa025}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Topography

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Culture

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Claims, boundaries

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Ventilation

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Gas Monitoring

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Ventilation & Gas Monitoring

**UUID : {8ebd9b52-801e-4461-b7e6-e1aa0a8742b3}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Other**

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Airborne**

**UUID : {3d0e8578-7764-48cf-8db8-6c83d6411762}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Ground**

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Integrator Borehole**

**UUID : {9c69ef80-b45c-4f5c-ac55-996a99dc299f}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Geophysics**

**UUID : {151778d9-6cc0-4e72-ba08-2a80a4fb967f}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Geotechnical**

**UUID : {391a616b-3833-11e4-a7fb-fcddabffddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Equipment

**UUID : {8beac9ff-3829-11e4-8654-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Attributes

**Name** str Name of the group displayed in the project tree.

**ID** str Unique identifier (*UUID*) of the group type.

**Description** str (Optional) Description of the type.

**Allow move contents** int, 0 or (default) 1 (Optional) User interface allows deletion of the content.

**Allow delete contents** int, 0 or (default) 1 (Optional) User interface allows deletion of the content.

## Object Types

Objects are containers for data values with spatial information. The following section describes the supported object types.

### ANALYST Objects

*To be further documented*

#### Points

**UUID : {202C5DB1-A56D-4004-9CAD-BAAFD8899406}**

*To be further documented*

Object defined by vertices only - no cell data.

#### Curve

**UUID : {6A057FDC-B355-11E3-95BE-FD84A7FFCB88}**

*To be further documented*

Each cell contains two vertex indices, representing a segment.

## Surface

**UUID : {F26FEBA3-ADED-494B-B9E9-B2BBCBE298E1}**

*To be further documented*

Each cell contains three vertex indices, representing a triangle.

## Block model

**UUID : {B020A277-90E2-4CD7-84D6-612EE3F25051}**

*To be further documented*

Each cell represents a point of a 3D rectilinear grid. For a 3D cell index (i,j,k) along axes U,V and Z of length nU, nV and nZ respectively,

```
cell index = k + i*nZ + j*nU*nZ
```

Without rotation angles, U points eastwards, V points northwards, and Z points upwards. Since their geometry is defined entirely by the additional data described below, block models do not require a `Vertices` or `Cells` dataset.

## Datasets

**U cell delimiters** 1D array of double Distances of cell edges from origin along the U axis (first value should be 0)

**V cell delimiters** 1D array of double Distances of cell edges from origin along the V axis (first value should be 0)

**Z cell delimiters** 1D array of double Distances of cell edges from origin upwards along the vertical axis (first value should be 0)

## Attributes

**Origin** composite type

[X double, Y double, Z double]

Origin point of grid

**Rotation** double (default) 0 Counterclockwise angle (degrees) of rotation around the vertical axis in degrees.

## 2D Grid

**UUID : {48f5054a-1c5c-4ca4-9048-80f36dc60a06}**

*To be further documented*

Each cell represents a point in a regular 2D grid. For a 2D cell index (i,j) within axes U and V containing nU and nV cells respectively,

```
cell index = i + j*nU
```

Without rotation angles, U points eastwards and V points northwards. Since their geometry is defined entirely by the additional data described below, 2D grids do not require a Vertices or Cells dataset.

## Attributes

**Origin** composite type

[*X* double, *Y* double, *Z* double]

Origin point of the grid.

**U Size** double Length of U axis

**U Count** double Number of cells along U axis

**V Size** double Length of V axis

**V Count** double Number of cells along V axis

**Rotation** double (Optional) Counterclockwise angle (degrees) of rotation around the vertical axis at the Origin.

**Vertical** char, 0(false, default) or 1(true)) (Optional) If true, V axis is vertical (and rotation defined around the V axis)

## Drillhole

**UUID** : {7CAEBF0E-D16E-11E3-BC69-E4632694AA37}

*To be further documented*

Vertices represent points along the drillhole path (support for data rather than the drillhole geometry itself) and must have a Depth property value. Cells contain two vertices and represent intervals along the drillhole path (and are a support for interval data as well). Cells may overlap with each other to accommodate the different sampling intervals of various data.

## Attributes

**Collar** composite type

[*X* double, *Y* double, *Z* double]

Collar location

## Datasets

**Surveys** 1D composite array

[*Depth* double, *Dip* double, *Azimuth* double]

Survey locations

**Trace** 1D composite array

[*X* double, *Y* double, *Z* double]

Points forming the drillhole path from collar to end of hole. Must contain at least two points.

## **Geoimage**

**UUID : {77AC043C-FE8D-4D14-8167-75E300FB835A}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

Vertices represent the four corners of the geolocated image. No cell data. An object-associated file-type data containing the image to display is expected to exist under this object.

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**Note:** Should be arranged as a rectangle currently, since Geoscience ANALYST does not currently support skewed images.

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## **Label**

**UUID : {E79F449D-74E3-4598-9C9C-351A28B8B69E}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

Has no vertices nor cell data

## **Attributes**

**Target position** composite type

[X double, Y double, Z double]

The target location of the label

**Label position** composite type

[X double, Y double, Z double] (Optional - Defaults to same as target position ) The location where the text of the label is displayed

## **Slicer**

**UUID : {238f961d-ae63-43de-ab64-e1a079271cf5}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## Target

**UUID : {46991a5c-0d3f-4c71-8661-354558349282}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## ioGAS Points

**UUID : {d133341e-a274-40e7-a8c1-8d32fb7f7eaf}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## Maxwell Plate

**UUID : {878684e5-01bc-47f1-8c67-943b57d2e694}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## Octree

**UUID : {4ea87376-3ece-438b-bf12-3479733ded46}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## Text Object

**UUID : {c00905d1-bc3b-4d12-9f93-07fcf1450270}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## Potential Electrode

**UUID : {275ecee9-9c24-4378-bf94-65f3c5fbe163}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## **Current Electrode**

**UUID : {9b08bb5a-300c-48fe-9007-d206f971ea92}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## **VP Model**

**UUID : {7d37f28f-f379-4006-984e-043db439ee95}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## **Airborne EM**

**UUID : {fdf7d01e-97ab-43f7-8f2c-b99cc10d8411}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## **Airborne TEM Rx**

**UUID : {19730589-fd28-4649-9de0-ad47249d9aba}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## **Airborne TEM Tx**

**UUID : {58c4849f-41e2-4e09-b69b-01cf4286cded}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## **Airborne FEM Rx**

**UUID : {b3a47539-0301-4b27-922e-1dde9d882c60}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## Airborne FEM Tx

**UUID : {a006cf3e-e24a-4c02-b904-2e57b9b5916d}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## Airborne Gravity

**UUID : {b54f6be6-0eb5-4a4e-887a-ba9d276f9a83}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## Airborne Magnetics

**UUID : {4b99204c-d133-4579-a916-a9c8b98cfccb}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## Ground Gravity

**UUID : {5ffa3816-358d-4cdd-9b7d-e1f7f5543e05}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## Ground Magnetics

**UUID : {028e4905-cc97-4dab-b1bf-d76f58b501b5}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## Ground Gradient IP

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## **Ground EM**

**UUID : {09f1212f-2bdd-4dea-8bbd-f66b1030dfcd}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## **Ground TEM Rx**

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## **Ground TEM Tx**

**UUID : {98a96d44-6144-4adb-afbe-0d5e757c9dfc}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## **Ground TEM Rx (large-loop)**

**UUID : {deebe11a-b57b-4a03-99d6-8f27b25eb2a8}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## **Ground TEM Tx (large-loop)**

**UUID : {17dbbfbb-3ee4-461c-9f1d-1755144aac90}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## **Ground FEM Rx**

**UUID : {a81c6b0a-f290-4bc8-b72d-60e59964bfe8}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## Ground FEM Tx

**UUID : {f59d5a1c-5e63-4297-b5bc-43898cb4f5f8}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## Magnetotellurics

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## ZTEM Rx

**UUID : {0b639533-f35b-44d8-92a8-f70ecff3fd26}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## ZTEM Base Stations

**UUID : {f495cd13-f09b-4a97-9212-2ea392aeb375}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be further documented*

## Geoscience INTEGRATOR Objects

List object types specific to INTEGRATOR.

### Points

**UUID : {6832acf3-78aa-44d3-8506-9574a3510c44}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Microseismic**

**UUID : {b1388138-5463-11e4-93e8-d3b5f5e17625}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Ground Deformation**

**UUID : {65a66246-59f7-11e4-aa15-123b93f75cba}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Production Area**

**UUID : {fc560104-9898-4dbf-9711-07519eb1fc84}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Fixed Plant**

**UUID : {2dda99b0-9980-4f25-820c-01eb7053b42d}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Blasting**

**UUID : {20cfa317-e98c-4612-9016-414fb1d9375d}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Mobile Equipment**

**UUID : {53108442-1664-41ed-99ea-ff4dd273e86c}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Stress

**UUID : {60ce697d-59f7-42e0-bb58-88374f1d303a}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Earth Model

**UUID : {c4268ef8-6b55-11e4-ab63-ca5fbc5c6e8b}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Mine Model

**UUID : {ffd1ae8a-70bc-11e4-bf08-53db6953e95a}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Incidents

**UUID : {aca8b138-634e-444c-8698-697b91f4cff9}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Mine infrastructures

**UUID : {d15ef4a2-6fc4-40c9-ab3e-11647a81dbe1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## 3D Structural Surfaces

**UUID : {a69aca26-79d8-4074-bd58-dc2202674071}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## 3D Domains

**UUID : {3ecb7f52-b32c-470d-b2f5-e8b0c2b6dff4}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## 3D Geological Contact Surfaces

**UUID : {46d697f1-50a4-4905-a467-04d5c1e7634c}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Remote Sensing and Air Photos

**UUID : {b952c7c5-b636-4f6d-9a59-0cbacd84a332}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Inversions

**UUID : {b062ffb4-c57d-49a3-9e96-fa26e7b06e7e}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Topography

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*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Culture

**UUID : {849635b9-1362-40f1-9edd-f45039ff89ac}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Claims, boundaries

**UUID : {849635b9-1362-40f1-9edd-f45039ff89ac}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Geophysics

**UUID : {80413650-58f0-4c99-94af-48f70affbb65}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Ventilation

**UUID : {1cc34f3d-fc50-41d9-8210-d93a73b2c7b4}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Gas Monitoring

**UUID : {27e44723-9787-48be-9b0e-67f14d60890b}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Other

**UUID : {4ed901bb-0303-43cd-9618-a481f5688844}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Airborne

**UUID : {c9f70e63-a30f-428b-bee2-02eed5dde43d}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Ground

**UUID : {d9f91038-c7a1-4b72-b3f1-ac7760da16ac}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Borehole

**UUID : {0bf977b4-bda8-45d7-9c89-9a41d50849bd}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Neighbourhood Surface

**UUID : {88087fb8-76ae-445b-9cdf-68dbce530404}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Attributes

**Name** str Name of the object displayed in the project tree.

**ID** str Unique identifier (*UUID*) of the group type.

**Description** str (Optional) Description of the type.

## Data Types

New data types can be created at will by software or users to describe object or group properties. Data of the same type can exist on any number of objects or groups of any type, and each instance can be associated with vertices, cells or the object/group itself. Some data type identifiers can also be reserved as a means of identifying a specific kind of data.

## Attributes

**Name** str Name of the object displayed in the project tree.

**ID** str Unique identifier (*UUID*) of the data type.

Unlike Groups and Objects, Data entities do not generally have fixed identifier Type. Multiple data entities linked by a type will share common properties (color map, units, etc.). Exceptions to this rule are the fixed:

## Geoscience INTEGRATOR Data Set

### Microseismic

**UUID : {9f9cfec8-3829-11e4-8654-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### Ground Deformation

**UUID : {c455c010-3829-11e4-9cce-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### Production Area

**UUID : {a8c95123-349f-4461-b9a4-74f76e659a56}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### Blasting

**UUID : {f55d8ae4-3829-11e4-a70e-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### Stress

**UUID : {f8324cdc-3829-11e4-a70e-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

### Fixed Plant

**UUID : {31fc7ef1-3833-11e4-a7fb-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Mobile Equipment**

**UUID : {75eafc96-3833-11e4-a7fb-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Drillholes & Wells**

**UUID : {faf65f94-3829-11e4-93fc-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Earth Model Points**

**UUID : {f38a481f-3833-11e4-a7fb-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Earth Model Regular Grid**

**UUID : {f1a5e5a6-e651-40dc-b184-7827e792ffb3}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Observation Points**

**UUID : {d89f963d-16ba-4c6b-87d7-9b95410ab2fb}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## **Targets**

**UUID : {528e278e-529c-4d95-b8d1-731cf6ae6b5f}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Anomalies

**UUID : {b83ac7a5-5217-4ff1-b0bc-2e8d514655ae}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Fusion Model

**UUID : {bc99c8a9-3833-11e4-a7fb-fcddabfddab1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Samples

**UUID : {433ab253-1a73-4414-9159-031cdbf7a9e1}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Geochemistry & Mineralogy

**UUID : {72f29283-a4f6-4fc0-a1a8-1417ce5fcbec}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Rock Properties

**UUID : {4a067ffb-9d20-46b7-8bd8-a6dde20e8b89}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Incidents

**UUID : {016dfd26-7d9b-49a6-97d8-cb31c37e404b}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Mine Infrastructure

**UUID : {5e34fb33-86ec-49bb-a3d4-5b21fb158a14}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## 3D Structural Surfaces

**UUID : {0a7fef75-26ba-4e80-9d38-89a76044f908}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## 3D Domains

**UUID : {97909249-8584-40d5-9378-a1fb5b86a3ab}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## 3D Geological Contact Surfaces

**UUID : {c63403e2-b635-4b23-998b-1748fe503f81}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Remote Sensing & Air Photos

**UUID : {db53c93a-c57a-4911-92f2-9d0c811268b8}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Inversions

**UUID : {57a84d8d-6a33-4dfa-a9f2-66b32e495c7f}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Topography

**UUID : {5923bd49-6302-4f8b-963a-cba57ac757ae}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Culture

**UUID : {bbccf928-d410-4d59-b737-4b4c1f8c84ca}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Claims, boundaries

**UUID : {1bcba5c4-c33a-4682-ac47-88694ca67905}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Geophysics

**UUID : {9b097cc1-66cb-4088-83dd-c447cba542df}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Ventilation

**UUID : {b716d06a-8104-4086-a029-b10d1a545b49}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Gas Monitoring

**UUID : {844354fa-41ae-416c-b33f-bf5bfbedc8f5}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Other

**UUID : {7bebe936-2e04-4bd6-b050-b128ec5c078d}**

*Not yet geoh5py implemented*

*To be documented*

## Primitive type str

Specifies the kind of data values stored as HDF5 dataset. Must be one of:

## Primitive Types

*To be further documented*

## Float

- Stored as a 1D array of 32-bit float type
- No data value: 1.175494351e-38 (FLT\_MIN, considering use of NaN)

## Integer

- Stored as a 1D array of 32-bit integer type
- No data value: -2147483648 (INT\_MIN, considering use of NaN)

## Text

- Stored as a 1D array of UTF-8 encoded, variable-length string type
- No data value : empty string

## Referenced

- Stored as a 1D array of 32-bit unsigned integer type (native)
- Value map : (1D composite type array dataset - Key (unsigned int), Value (variable-length utf8 string) ) must exist under type
- No data value : 0 (key is tied to value “Unknown”)

## DateTime

- Stored as a 1D array of variable-length strings formatted according to the ISO 8601 extended specification for representations of UTC dates and times (Qt implementation), taking the form YYYY-MM-DDTHH:mm:ss[Z|[-]HH:mm]
- No data value : empty string

## Filename

- Stored as a 1D array of UTF-8 encoded, variable-length string type designating a file name
- For each file name within “Data”, an opaque dataset named after the filename must be added under the Data instance, containing a complete binary dump of the file
- Different files (under the same object/group) must be saved under different names
- No data value : empty string

## Blob

- Stored as a 1D array of 8-bit char type (native) (value ‘0’ or ‘1’)
- For each index set to 1, an opaque dataset named after the index (e.g. “1”, “2”, etc) must be added under the Data instance, containing the binary data tied to that index
- No data value : 0

**Description** str (Optional) Description of the type.

**Units** str (Optional) Data units

**Color map** 1D compound array

[*Value* double, *Red* uint, *Green* uint, *Blue* uint, *Alpha* uint]

(Optional) Records colors assigned to value ranges. The *Value* mark the start of the range)

**Value map** (1D compound array dataset)

[*Key* uint, *Value* str]

Required only for reference data types (classifications)

**Transparent no data** int, 0 or (default) 1 (Optional) Whether or not absence of data/filtered data should be hidden in the viewport.

**Hidden** int, 0 or (default) 1 (Optional) Whether or not the data type should appear in the data type list.

**Scientific notation** int, 0 or (default) 1 (Optional) Whether or not the data values of this type should be displayed in scientific notation.

**Precision** int (Optional) The number of decimals (or significant digits in case of scientific notation) used when displayed data values of this type.

**Number of bins** int, default=50 (Optional) Number of bins used when displaying histogram

**Duplicate type on copy** int, 0 or (default) 1 (Optional) When enabled, a separate copy of this data type will be created and used when data of this type is copied.

## 2.4.3 Standards

General notes on formatting.

- All text data and attributes are variable-length and use UTF-8 encoding
- All numeric data uses INTEL PC native types
- Boolean values are stored using char (0:false, 1:true)
- Anything found in a geoh5 v1.0 file which is not mentioned in this document is optional information

## 2.4.4 External Links

- [HDFView](#).
- Precompiled binaries for multiple platforms
- **Libraries for accessing HDF5 data**
  - [C, C, .NET](#)
  - [Python](#)
  - [Matlab](#)

## 2.5 UI.JSON Format

### 2.5.1 About

The **ui.json** format provides a User Interface (UI) between geoh5py and **Geoscience ANALYST Pro**. The file structure is built on an array of [JSON objects](#), each representing a parameter that is used in a python script. An object contains members that control the style and behaviour of the UI. In general only a **label** and **value** member is required in each object, however as outlined below, there are many types of input and dependencies that can be drawn on throughout the file. On output from Geoscience ANALYST, the value and whether the parameter is enabled will be updated or added to each JSON. Extra objects in the JSON are allowed and are ignored, but written out by Geoscience ANALYST. In general, objects will be put in order that they are set in the JSON. The exception is data parameters that depend on object parameters. Placing those parameters in the same group will ensure that they are close in the UI.

### 2.5.2 Input Objects

Within the **ui.json** file, each JSON object with **value** and **label** members will be considered a parameter to the UI. The following JSON objects could also be present:

**run\_command str** Name of python script excluding the .py extension (i.e., “run\_me” for run\_me.py) required for Geoscience ANALYST Pro to run on save or auto-load.

**conda\_environment str** Optional name of conda environment to activate when running the python script in *run\_command*

**title str** Optional title of user interface window

### 2.5.3 Object Members

Each JSON object with the following members become a parameter in the user interface. Each object must have the members `label` and `value`. Each member will contribute to the appearance and behaviour within Geoscience ANALYST>. The possible members that can be given to all parameter objects are:

**label str** Required string describing parameter. A colon will automatically be added within Geoscience ANALYST, so this should be omitted.

**value str, int, bool , or float** This require member takes a different form, including empty, depending on the *parameter type*. The value is updated when written from Geoscience ANALYST.

**main bool** If set to true, the parameter is shown in the first tab and will throw an error if not given and not optional. Optional parameters may be set to main. When main is not given or is false, the parameter will be under the *Optional Parameters* tab.

**tooltip str** String describing the parameter in detail that appears when the mouse hovers over it.

**optional bool** *true* or *false* on whether the parameter is optional. On output, check if `enabled` is set to true.

**enabled bool** *true* or *false* if the parameter is enabled. The default is true. If a parameter is optional and not enabled, it will start as disabled (grey and inactive in the UI).

**group str** Name of the group to which the parameter belongs. Adds a box and name around the parameters with the same case-sensitive group name.

**groupOptional bool** If true, adds a checkbox in the top of the group box next to the name. The group parameters will be disabled if not checked. The initial state depends on the **groupDependency** and **groupDependencyType** members and the **enabled** member of the group's parameters.

**dependency str** The name of the object of which this object is dependent upon. The dependency parameter should be optional or boolean parameter (i.e., has a checkbox).

**dependencyType str** What happens when the dependency member is checked. Options are `enabled` or `disabled`

**groupDependency str** The name of the object of which the group of the parameter is dependent upon. This member will also require the **groupOptional** member to be present and set to `true`. Be sure that the object is not within the group.

**groupDependencyType str** What happens when the group's dependency parameter is checked. Options are `enabled` or `disabled`.

### 2.5.4 Parameter Types

There are other JSON members that may be available or required based on the parameter type. The following sections define different parameter types that can be found in the `ui.json` format.

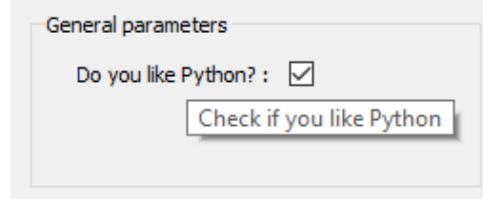
#### Boolean parameter

A parameter named “input” that has a `bool` value.

```
{
  "input": {
    "main": true,
    "label": "Do you like Python?",
    "value": true,
    "tooltip": "Check if you like Python"
  }
}
```

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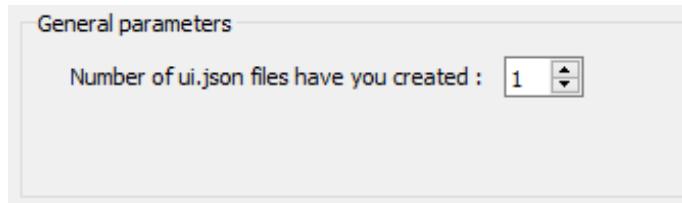
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{  
}

## Integer parameter

A parameter that has an `int` value. The optional parameters `min` and `max` invoke a validator to insure the bound(s) are enforced.

```
{  
  "file_xp": {  
    "main": true,  
    "label": "Number of ui.json files have you created",  
    "value": 1,  
    "min": 0,  
    "max": 100  
  }  
}
```



## Float parameter

A parameter that has a `float` value. The optional parameters are:

**min float** Minimum value allowed for validator of the `value` member. The default is the minimum numeric limits of float.

**max float** Maximum value allowed for validator of the `value` member. The default is the maximum numeric limits of float.

**lineEdit bool** Boolean whether to use a line edit (`true`) or a spin box (`false`). The default is true.

**precision int** Number of decimal places in the line edit or spin box

```
{  
  "avocado": {  
    "main": true,  
    "label": "Cost per avocado ($)",  
    "value": 1.0  
  }  
}
```

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```

"value": 0.99,
"min": 0.29,
"precision": 2,
"lineEdit": false,
"max": 2.79
}
}

```



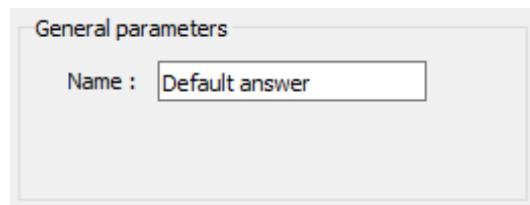
### String parameter

For a simple string parameter, use an empty str value to have an empty string. Only a label and value is required.

```

{
"my_string": {
"main": true,
"label": "Name",
"value": "Default answer"
}
}

```



### Multi-choice string parameter

For a drop-down selection, add a choiceList member with an array of strings (str)

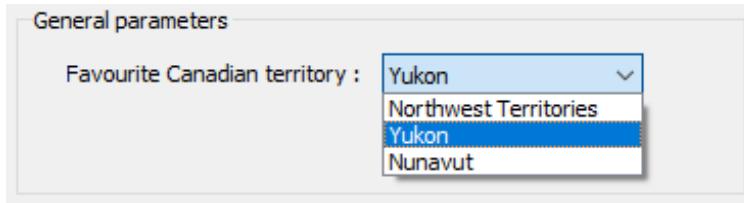
```

{
"favourites":
{
"choiceList": ["Northwest Territories",
"Yukon",
"Nunavut"],
"main": true,
"label": "Favourite Canadian territory",
"value": "Yukon"
}
}

```

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{  
}

## File parameter

A file parameter comes with an icon to choose the file, with a `str` value. Extra members of the file object parameter are `fileDescription` and `fileType`. Both of these are `str` types and can be arrays, but must be of the same length

```
{  
    "model_file": {  
        "fileDescription": ["Chargeability", "Conductivity"],  
        "fileType": ["chg", "con"],  
        "main": true,  
        "label": "DC/IP model file",  
        "value": ""  
    }  
}
```



## Geoscience ANALYST Object parameter

To choose an object from a dropdown menu, the [universally unique identifier \(UUID\)](#) of the *Object Type*: is required for the filtering of objects. This is given as a single or array of `str` in the member `meshType`. The icon to pick the object comes with this parameter. The value returned is the *UUID* of the Geoscience ANALYST object selected.

```
{  
    "interesting_object": {  
        "meshType": ["{202C5DB1-A56D-4004-9CAD-BAAFD8899406}" ,  
                   "{6A057FDC-B355-11E3-95BE-FD84A7FFCB88}"]  
    }  
}
```

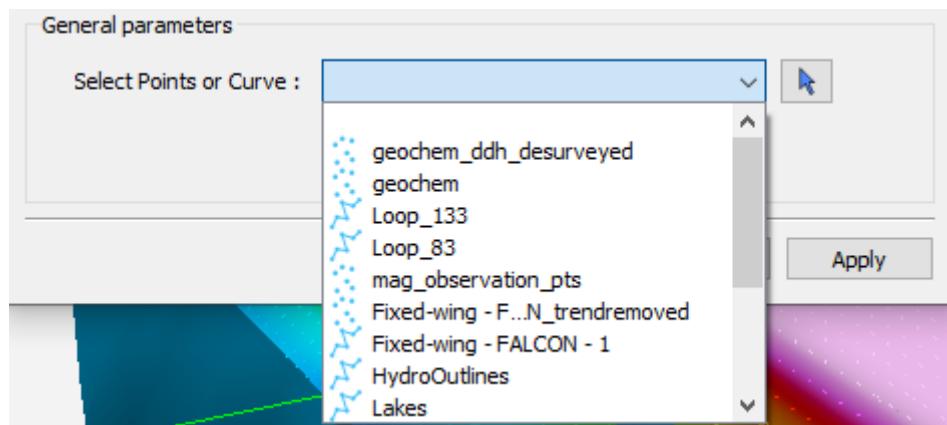
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```

"main": true,
"label": "Select Points or Curve",
"value": ""
}
}

```



## Geoscience ANALYST Data parameter

Creating a parameter to choose a Geoscience ANALYST object's data requires extra members:

**dataType str** Describes the type of data to filter. One or more (as an array) of these key words: Integer, Float, Text, Referenced, Vector, DataTime, Geometric, Boolean, or Text.

**association str** Describes the geometry of the data. One or more of these key words: Vertex, Cell, or Face.

**parent str** Either a *UUID* of the parent or the name of the *Object parameter* JSON object to allow the user to choose the mesh.

**isValue bool** Describes whether to read the **value** (float) or **property** (str) member. If not given, the value member is an *UUID* and is considered a *drop-down data parameter*. If this member is given along with **property**, then an icon is added to the UI element, which switches between the **value** (line edit) and **property** (drop-down) choices. This value is updated on export depending on the style choice (float or str)

**property str.** Data *UUID* that is selected when **isValue** is present. Geoscience ANALYST Pro will update this value on export.

**min float** Optional minimum value allowed for validator of the **value** member. The default is the minimum numeric limits of float.

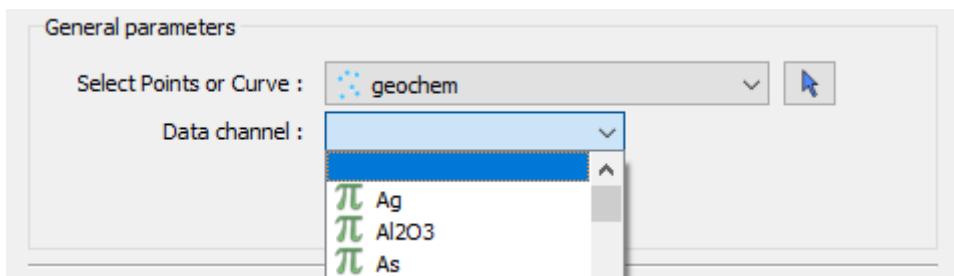
**max float** Optional maximum value allowed for validator of the **value** member. The default is the maximum numeric limits of float.

**precision int** Optional number of decimal places for the value.

## Drop-down data parameter

In this example, the object parameter `data_mesh` is also given for reference.

```
{  
    "data_channel": {  
        "main": true,  
        "association": "Vertex",  
        "dataType": "Float",  
        "label": "Data channel",  
        "parent": "data_mesh",  
        "value": ""  
    },  
    "data_mesh": {  
        "main": true,  
        "meshType": ["{202C5DB1-A56D-4004-9CAD-BAAFD8899406}" ,  
                     "{6A057FDC-B355-11E3-95BE-FD84A7FFCB88}"],  
        "label": "Select Points or Curve",  
        "value": ""  
    }  
}
```



## Data or value parameter

In some cases, a parameter may take its data from a Geoscience ANALYST object or simply a `float` value. The use of the member `isValue` and `property` together allows for the UI to switch between these two cases. In the top image, the `isValue` is true, so the `value` member of 1.0 will initially be active. When the icon is clicked, the type of input is switched to the `property` member (bottom image). The `uncertainty_channel` object also depends on the `data_mesh` object. The drop-down selection will filter data from the chosen object that is located on the vertices and is float. The `isValue` is set to false upon export in this case.

```
{  
    "uncertainty_channel": {  
        "main": true,  
        "association": "Vertex",  
        "dataType": "Float",  
        "isValue": true,  
        "property": "",  
        "min": 0.001,  
        "label": "Uncertainty",  
    }  
}
```

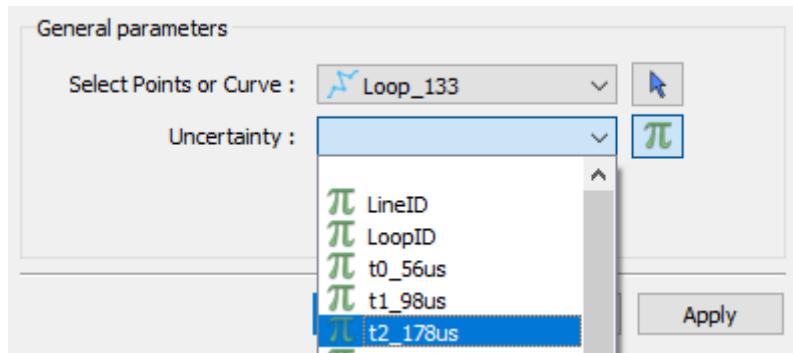
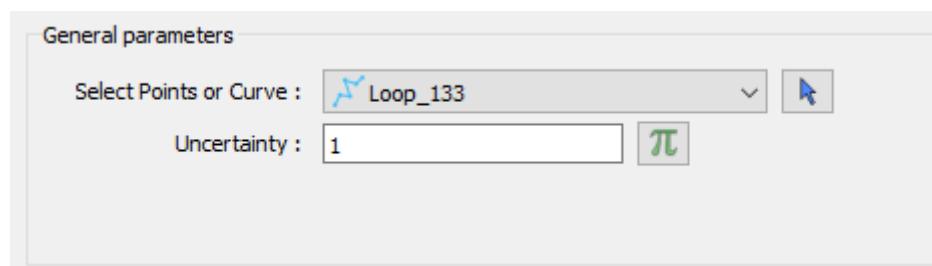
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```

"parent": "data_mesh",
"value": 1.0
},
"data_mesh": {
"main": true,
"meshType": ["{202C5DB1-A56D-4004-9CAD-BAAFD8899406}" ,
 "{6A057FDC-B355-11E3-95BE-FD84A7FFCB88}"],
"main": true,
"label": "Select Points or Curve",
"value": ""
}
}

```



## Dependencies on other parameters

Use the **dependency** and **dependencyType** members to create dependencies. The parameter driving the dependency should set **optional** to true or be a *Boolean parameter*. Below are a couple of examples. The first initializes the *favourite\_package* parameter as disabled until the *python\_interest* parameter is checked. The second shows the opposite when the **enabled** member is set to true.

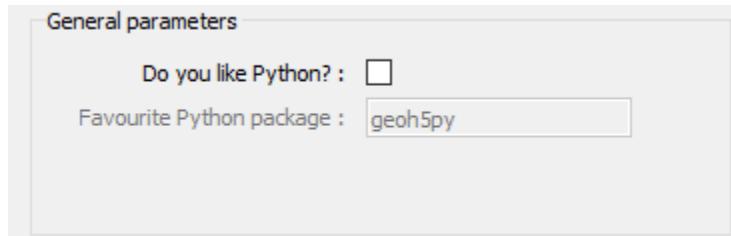
```
{
"python_interest": {
"main": true,
"label": "Do you like Python?",
"value": false,
"tooltip": "Check if you like Python"
},
"favourite_package": {
"main": true,

```

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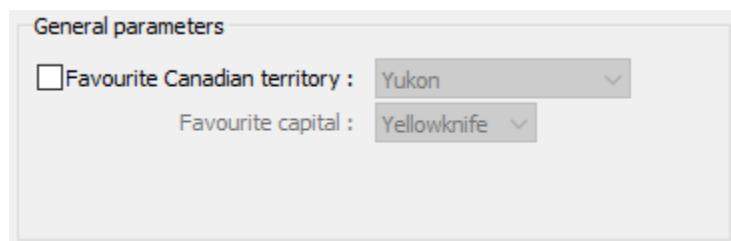
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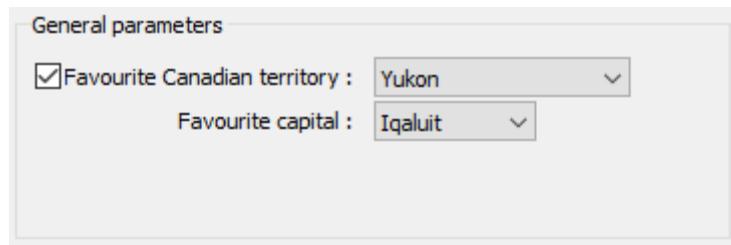
```
"label": "Favourite Python package",
"value": "geoh5py",
"dependency": "python_interest",
"dependencyType": "enabled"
}
}
```



The next example has a dependency on an optional parameter. The **enabled** member is set to false so that it is not automatically checked. The *city* and *territory* parameters will be enabled when the *territory* checkbox is checked.

```
{
"territory": {
"choiceList": ["Northwest Territories",
"Yukon",
"Nunavut"],
"main": true,
"label": "Favourite Canadian territory",
"value": "Yukon",
"optional": true,
"enabled": false
},
"city": {
"main": true,
"choiceList": ["Yellowknife",
"Whitehorse",
"Iqaluit"],
"label": "Favourite capital",
"value": "",
"dependency": "territory",
"dependencyType": "enabled"
}
}
```





## 2.5.5 Exporting from Geoscience ANALYST

When a **ui.json** is saved with Geoscience ANALYST Pro, the following object members are updated or added:

- The **value** member with the appropriate type
- The **enabled** member `bool` for whether the parameter is enabled
- The *Data parameter* will also have updated **isValue** and **property** members. The **isValue** `bool` member is *true* if the **value** member was selected and *false* if the **property** member was selected.

The following JSON objects will be written (and overwritten if given) upon export from Geoscience ANALYST Pro:

- `monitoring_directory` `str` the absolute path of a monitoring directory. Workspace files written to this folder will be automatically processed by Geoscience ANALYST.
- `workspace_geoh5` `str` the absolute path to the current workspace (if previously saved) being used
- `geoh5` `str` the absolute path to the geoh5 written containing all the objects of the workspace within the parameters of the **ui.json**. One only needs to use this workspace along with the JSON file to access the objects with geoh5py.

## 2.5.6 Tips on creating UIs

Here are a few tips on creating good looking UIs:

- Keep labels short and concise. Be consistent with capitalization and do not include the colons. Geoscience ANALYST will add colons and align them.
- Write detailed tooltips.
- Group related objects, but do not use a group if there are fewer than 3 objects.
- The **main** member is for general, required parameters. Do not include this member with every object, unless there are only a handful of objects. Objects that are in the required parameters without a valid value will invoke an error when exporting or running from Geoscience ANALYST. “Non-main” members are designated to a second page under *Optional parameters*.
- Utilize **optional** object members and dependencies. If a single workspace object input is optional, use the *Object parameter* rather than two parameters with a dependency.

## 2.5.7 External Links

- JSON Terminology
- Universally Unique IDentifier (UUID)
- C++ JSON Library

## 2.6 Release Notes

### 2.6.1 Release 0.1.6 - 2021/12/09

- Fix StatsCache on value changes.
- Fix crash if data values are None.
- Clean up for linters

### 2.6.2 Release 0.1.5 - 2021/11/05

- Fix for copying of direct-current survey.
- Fix documentation.

### 2.6.3 Release 0.1.4 - 2021/08/31

- Add direct\_current survey type and related documentation.
- Fix for drillholes with single survey location anywhere along the borehole.
- Fix for entity.parent setter. Changes are applied directly to the target workspace.
- Improve Typing.

## 2.7 Feedback

Have comments or suggestions? Submit feedback. All the content can be found on our [github](#) repository.

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