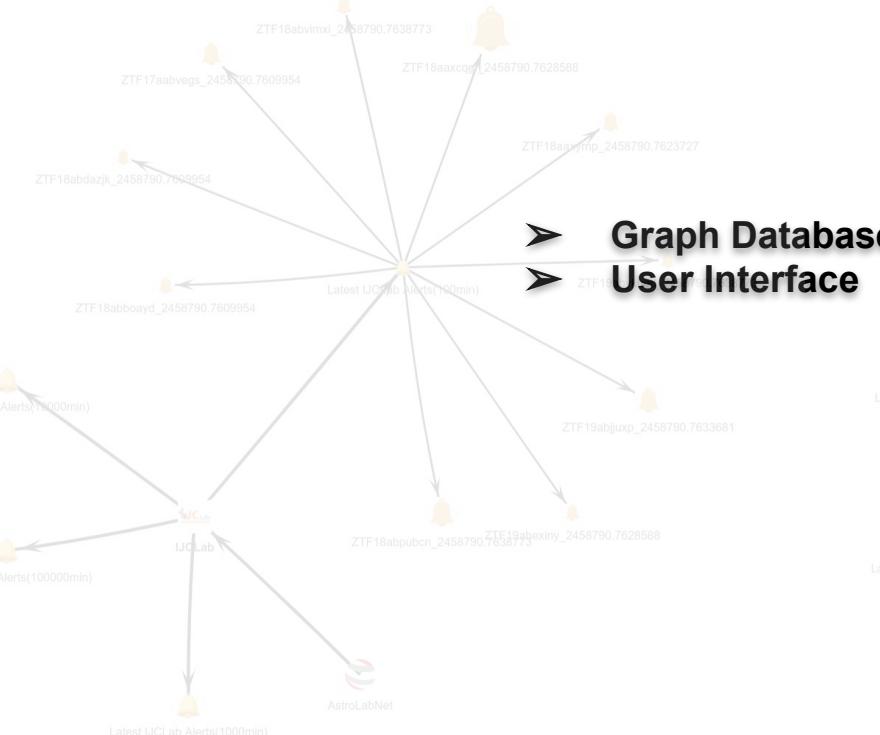
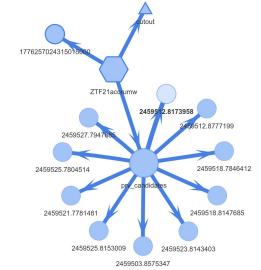
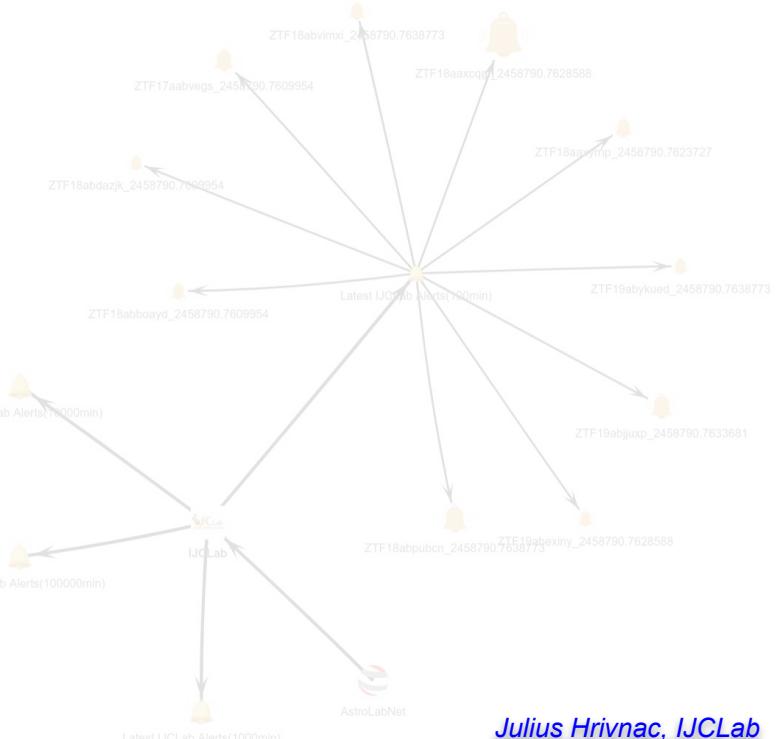




Funk in Graph Database



➤ Graph Database
➤ User Interface

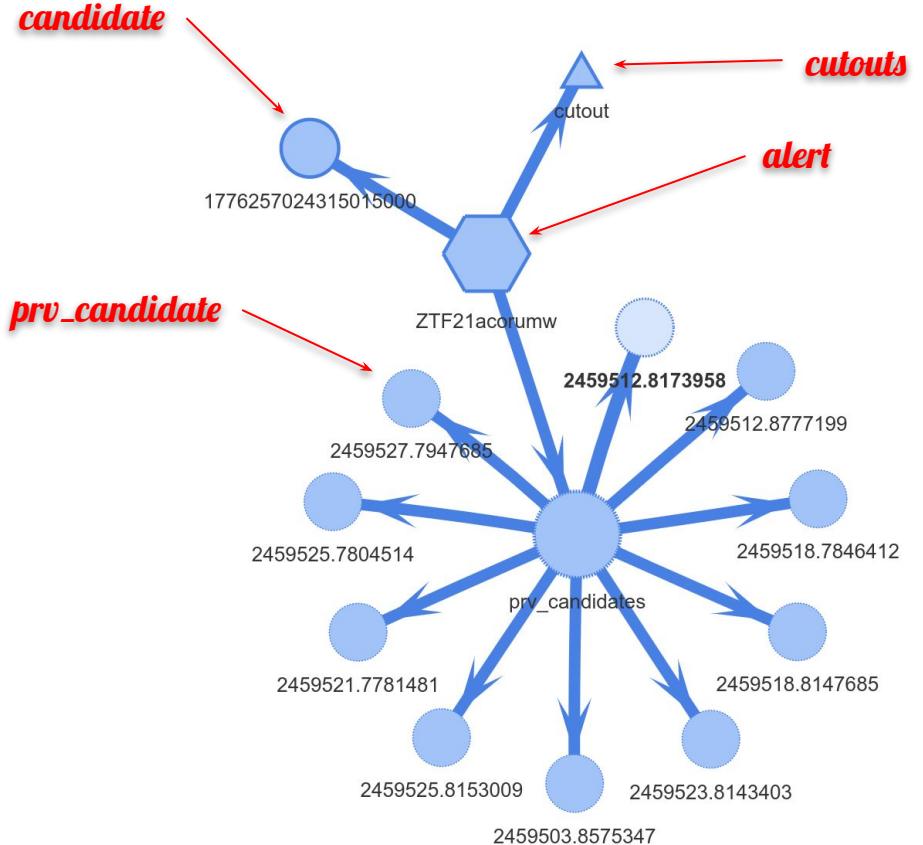


Fink Data Storage



- The current implementation = one big HBase table + a set of small HBase index tables for fast search
- The new implementation = this table is converted into Graph
 - Rows become Vertices
 - Relations become Edges between Vertices
 - Which are now explicit, directly stored in the database
- Structure and relations are moved from the code to the storage
- Both Vertices and Edges have properties
 - Some are defined in a Schema, others can be freely added
 - Also new Vertices and Edges can be added and modified
- Indexes may be attached to any property for faster search
- Graph DB is slower on injection, similar on search, very fast on navigation, very slow on deletion

One Alert



Inside Alert



FINK Fink Data Explorer 02.00.00+ [05/May/2022 at 18:18:38 CEST by centos for JCLab] [Reset](#)

UCLab-Proxy Add
Search [AstroLabNet](#)
Execute `g.V().has('lb', 'alert')`

prv_candidate:2459512.8173958 [🔍](#) [Delete](#)

Show - Table - Evolution Plot | Scatter Plot | Sky View

Customize the interactions with the graph.
 Cluster by group type Cluster by group size Expand all clusters Show all edges Hierarchical Up/Up Down/Down Hierarchy Live
 Clusterize Zoom cluster Stabilize Get children Get parents Remove old
filter: Apply select: limit(10)

Graph View:

Table View:

id	label	circoeff	circoun	diffmaglim	fid	field	jd	magpsci	magzpsci	magzscirms	magzpscinc	hid	pdifffilename
20844949584	prv_candidate	-0.0689774	3.70181E-5	20.1174	1	299	2459527.7947685	26.02	0.0342466	2.67963E-5	1773	/ztf/archive/sci/2021/1109/294768/ztf_202111	
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Show 1 to 10 of 10 rows

Select graph server and initial graph, then select an element to see possible actions.

Sending Gremlin request to /134.158.74.85:24445: g.V().has('lb', 'AstroLabNet').limit(10)
Sending Gremlin request to /134.158.74.22:10800/FinkBrowser/Proxy.jsp?server=http://134.158.74.85:24445: g.V().has('lb', 'alert').limit(10)

Show 10 new elements

Gremlin Query Language



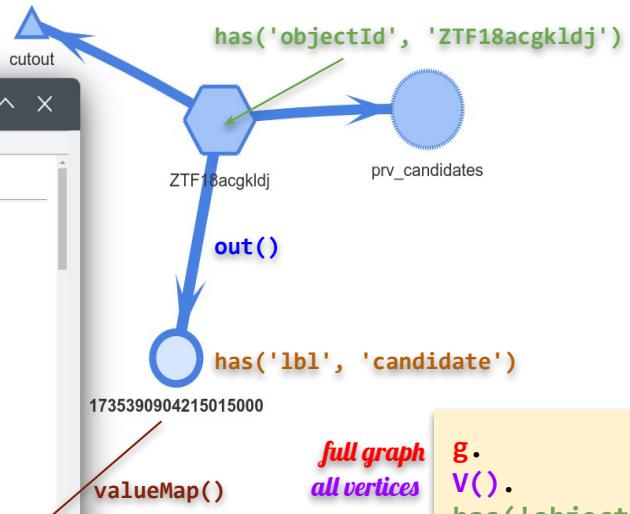
- Data can be accessed via **Gremlin query language**
 - Based on Groovy language
 - Functional-style syntax, where function = relation and function execution = relation navigation
 - Available for almost all major programming languages
 - But best suited for languages, which are already naturally functional
 - Simple searches are very intuitive, but sophisticated operation are possible
 - Allows complex graph navigation, mathematical and statistical operations and full functional processing of graphs



Gremlin Search

candidate:...gle Chrome

```
candidate:1735390904215015000
aimage:0.814
aimagerat:0.24154302
bimage:0.733
bimagerat:0.21750742
candid:1735390904215015001
chinr:1.125
chipsf:395.6072
classtar:1.0
clrcoeff:-0.058636
clrcounc:7.9711E-6
clrmed:0.58
clrms:0.141181
decnr:41.394921
diffmaglim:20.63922
direction:POINT (-92.808583 41.394918)
distnr:0.1684893
distpsnr1:0.15476647
distpsnr2:0.90726954
distpsnr3:2.7971349
drb:0.6651443
drbversion:d6 m7
```



*full graph
all vertices*

```
g.  
V().  
has('objectId', 'ZTF18acgkldj').  
out().  
has('lbl', 'candidate').  
valueMap('classtar', 'jd', 'direction')  
{classtar=[1.0], direction=[POINT (-92.808682 41.394857)], jd=[2459484.926331] }  
{classtar=[1.0], direction=[POINT (-92.808593 41.394903)], jd=[2459496.9461458] }  
{classtar=[0.991], direction=[POINT (-92.808662 41.394983)], jd=[2459530.9093403] }  
...
```

```
g.V().has('objectId', 'ZTF18acgkldj').out().has('lbl', 'candidate').valueMap('classtar', 'jd', 'direction')
```

Gremlin for Funk



- Frequently used and typical queries will be implemented as server-side function to be available to all clients
- Typical user request:
 - Server-side selection function
 - + Further refining selection
 - + Set of values to return
 - + Further math or graphics
- Any Gremlin code is possible
 - With some kind of user authentication and authorisation

```
g.v().has('objectId', 'ZTF18acgkldj').out().has('lbl', 'candidate').valueMap('classtar', 'jd', 'direction')  
candidates('ZTF18acgkldj').  
valueMap('classtar', 'jd', 'direction')
```

server-side selection function

Gremlin on Server



```
# gives 10 first vertices 0.1 degree around direction 57.5 x -1.97 between two jd times
# implemented as a server-side function
geosearch(57.5, -1.97, 0.1, 2359300.7629977, 2559317.7015982, 10).has('lbl', 'candidate').valueMap(...)
# internally contains (with protection against overuse and optimisation code):
g.V().has('direction', geoWithin(Geoshape.circle(dec, 180 - ra, dist))).has('jd', inside(jdmin, jdmax))
```

server-side selection function



```

import sys
import jpyre
import jpyre.imports
from jpyre import JImplements, JOverride, JImplementationFor
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
# ..../dist/FinkBrowser.exe.jar
jpyre.startJVM(jpyre.getDefaultJVMPath(), "-ea", "-Djava.class.path=" + sys.argv[1], convertStrings=False)
from com.lamkel.Januser import StringGremlinClient
from com.astrolabosoftware.FinkBrowser.Utils import Init
Init.init()

client = StringGremlinClient("graph-server", 24444);

results = client.interpret("candidates('ZTF18acgkldj').elementMap('direction')");

ra = []
dec = []

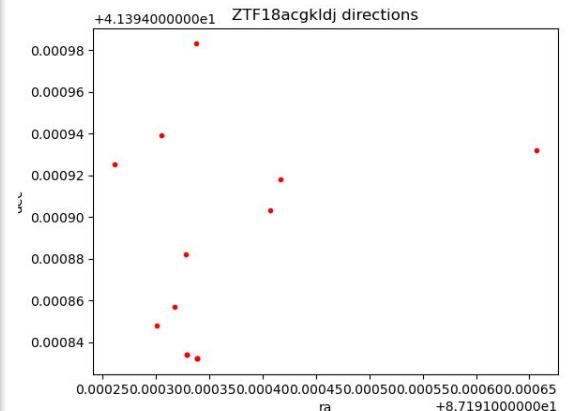
for element in results:
    dec += [element.getObject().get("direction").getPoint().getLatitude()]
    ra += [element.getObject().get("direction").getPoint().getLongitude() + 180]

plt.plot(ra, dec, 'r.')
plt.title('ZTF18acgkldj directions')
plt.xlabel('ra')
plt.ylabel('dec')
plt.show()
client.close()

jpyre.shutdownJVM()

```

Simple Python Example



Direct|String API



```
# instead of
client = StringGremlinClient("graph-server", 24444);
results = client.interpret("candidates('ZTF18acgkLdj').elementMap('direction'))";

# we can do
client = DirectGremlinClient("graph-server", 24444);
g = client.g();
query = g.V().has('lbl', 'alert').limit(4).values(objectId);
results = client.submit(query);
# advantage: results is an actual object,
#           while above it was just a string with JSON content
# problem: cannot use server-side functions and objects,
#           which are unknown to client
```

End User Access



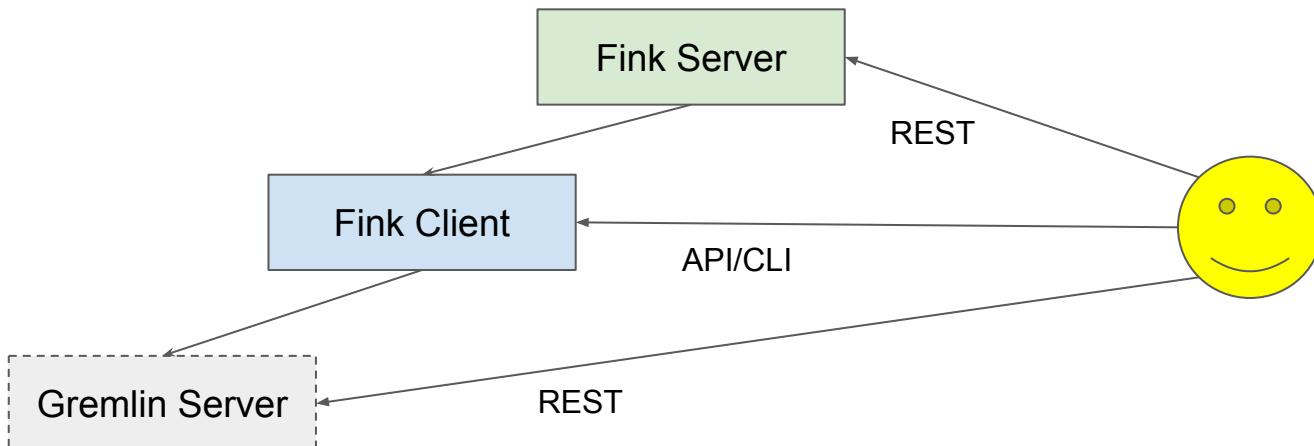
- All queries can be issued using standard Gremlin clients (in all popular languages)
- Requests can be send directly to Gremlin server
- **A special client** also available in several incarnation, providing some pre/post-processing, overuse protection and connection handling
 - Java executable
 - Linux native executable
 - GUI (platform independent)
 - REST Web Service
 - Python, Java, Scala, Groovy,... API
 - Jupyter API
- The same answer in CLI and from REST WS

```
# Direct connection to Graph server (gives very verbose JSON answer, not all queries supported)
curl 'http://graph-server:24444/gremlin'
-XPOST -d '{"gremlin":"candidates(\"ZTF18acgkldj\").valueMap(\"classtar\", \"jd\", \"direction\")"}'
# Connection to Fink server
curl 'http://fink-server:8080/FinkBrowser/Fremlin.jsp'
-get --data-urlencode 'gremlin=candidates("ZTF18acgkldj").valueMap("classtar", "jd", "direction")'
# Java client
java -jar FinkBrowser.exe.jar --gremlin 'candidates("ZTF18acgkldj").valueMap("classtar", "jd", "direction")'
# Native Linux client
FinkBrowser.exe --gremlin 'candidates("ZTF18acgkldj").valueMap("classtar", "jd", "direction")'
```

End User Access



- Differences wrt current system:
 - The current system: many REST entry points with many options
 - The graph system: one REST entry point with commands and options expressed as Gremlin fragments
- Requests for the whole world (`g.V()`, `g.E()`) forbidden for ordinary users
 - All requests should start with a server-side selection function
 - And be further customised by simple Gremlin code



Graph Web Service Prototypes



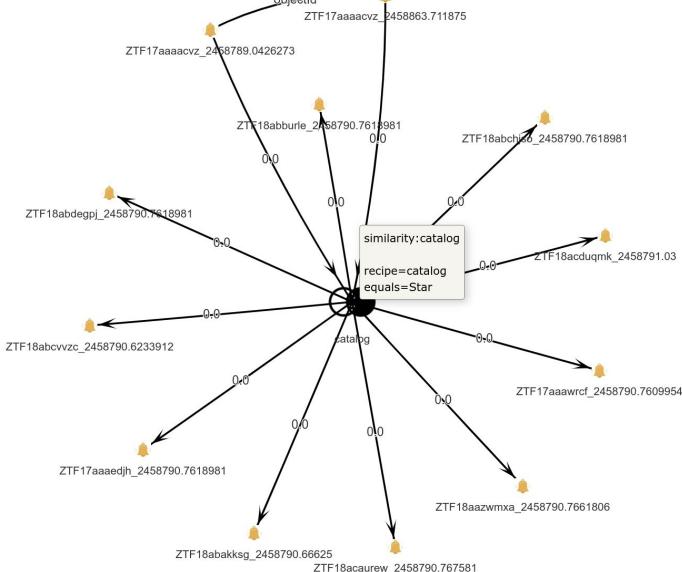
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- Fink Data Explorer:** Multiple screenshots showing 3D sky plots with various colored points representing different types of astronomical events or sources. One plot shows a large elliptical region with a central concentration of points.
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Other Elements



- An authorised user can add vertex/edge properties and new vertices and edges
- For example:
 - To connect related alerts
 - To create a virtual collection of alerts
 - To annotate alerts with additional information
 - To add elements with global information



GQL (Cypher)



- SQL-like (declarative) graph query languages developed by Neo4J
- GQL can be run on top of Gremlin
 - Not the other way around

Gremlin

```
g.v().has('objectId', 'ZTF18acgkldj').out().has('lbl', 'candidate').valueMap('classtar', 'jd', 'direction')
```

gQL

```
(a) - [:contains:] - (b:candidate)
WHERE a.objectId = 'ZTF18acgkldj'
RETURN b.classtar, b.jd, b.direction
```

Implementation



- Current implementation uses
 - JanusGraph database
 - HBase on Hadoop data storage
 - ElasticSearch indexing
- All those choices can change



- **Main ideas:**
 - Use Graph DB to provide flexibility
 - Expose directly Gremlin query language
 - In API, CLI, REST
 - Provide server-side functions with requested functionality
 - Use proxy-client to customise interface
- **Near future:**
 - Re-implement existing functionality
 - Add additional features
 - Connect to the Fink Service
- **More info about Graph databases:**
 - [Using Graph Databases](#)
 - [Gremlin Query language](#)