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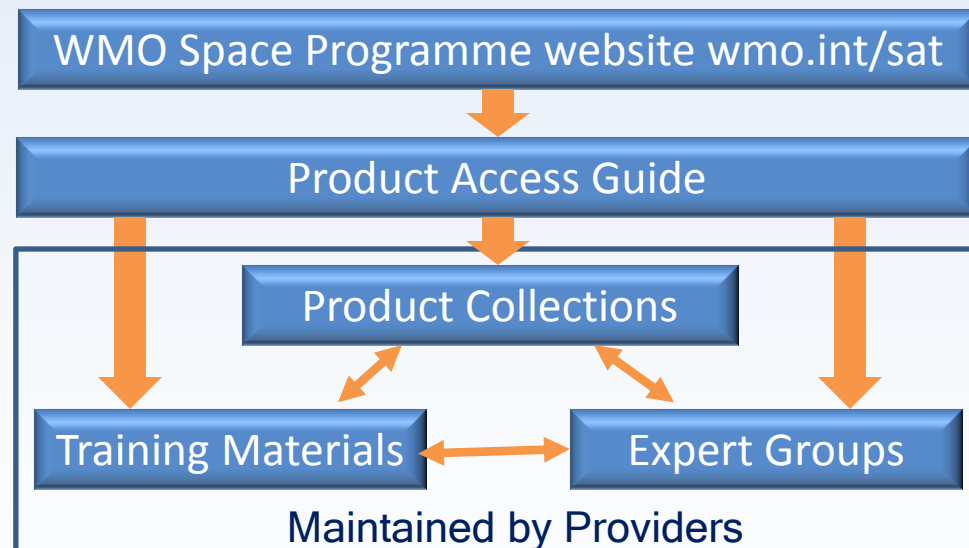
Product Access Guide (PAG)

<https://www.wmo-sat.info/product-access-guide/>

GOAL & CONCEPT

- To facilitate access to quality controlled satellite data and products
- Web-based WMO resource
- In support of the WMO Information System
- Developed to address insufficient user awareness of satellite products (WMO Survey, 2012)
- Developed to enhance visibility of satellite products and related information
- Providers of satellite data retain full ownership and responsibility for their products

OVERALL STRUCTURE



IMPLEMENTATION

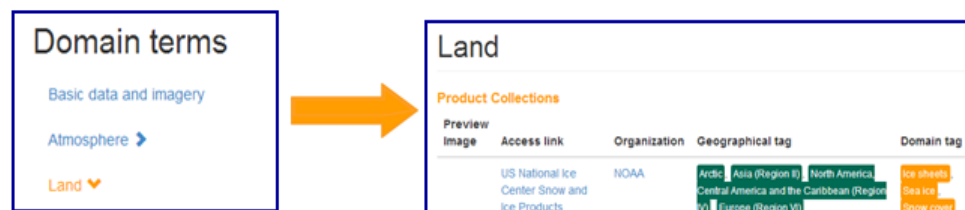
- Links to stable URLs of satellite product collections, expert groups, training material
- Products must be sufficiently described to meet user demand for information (metadata criteria)
- Structured by geophysical domain, tags

PRODUCT METADATA REQUIRED

Point of contact	Applicability domain
Product identifier	Geographical region
Providing organization	Resolution
Data source	Update frequency
Access information	Quality indication / documentation

SEARCH FUNCTIONS

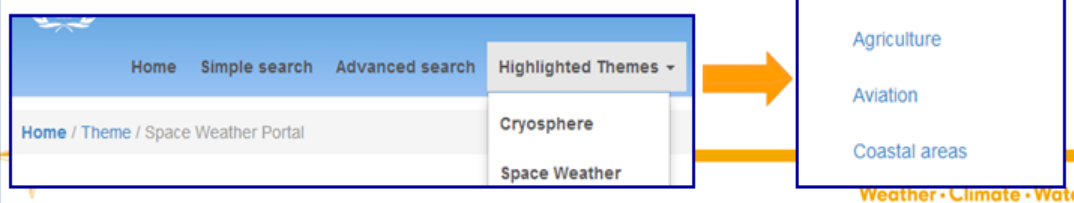
1. Simple Search-select by clicking on the domain



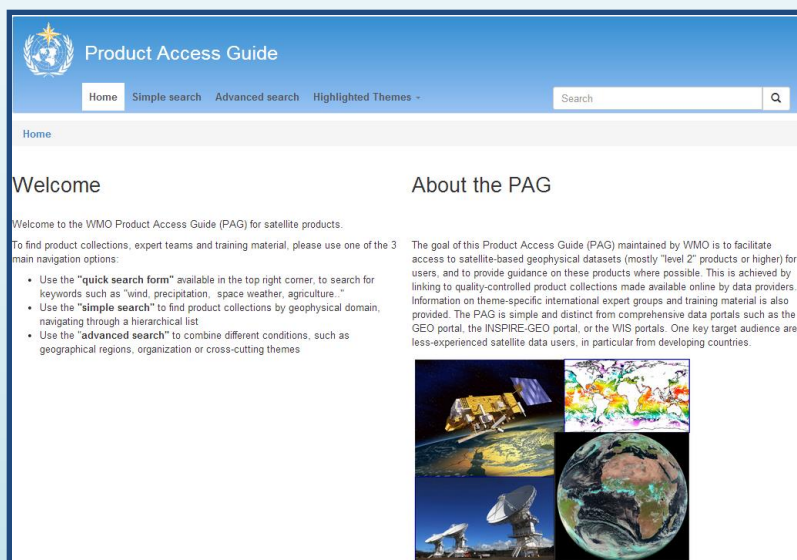
2. Advanced Search

- Narrows down the search by using combination of tags:
 - Domain, theme, geographic regional, organization providing and type of content.

3. Highlighted themes



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EXAMPLE OF A SEARCH RESULT

SST Contour Charts

Graphical depiction of Sea Surface Temperature gridded products. Contour charts are used to depict both global and regional SST values in various grid spacing.

[Product Link](#)

POES	Resolution: 14 to 100 Km	Frequency: Daily to Twice Weekly
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- Current status (Sep 2014): 86 links to product collections, 23 links to training material, 14 links to expert groups.
- Supported by the WMO CBS ET-SUP and CGMS