- 2020 March 31 15:00 UT
- Attendees
- Contact Information
- Action Items from previous meeting:
- Updates since last Meeting:
- 2020 Planning:
- Other institutions plans and proposed topics
- Any other business?
- Conclusions/Action Items

Organization	Attendee
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- Doodle: https://doodle.com/poll/xevpq3xzump3zyds
- Zoom Details: https://alma.zoom.us/j/579126779
- Share with ACE/TAO the bugfix for CORBA false timeouts: https://github.com/DOCGroup/ACE\_TAO/issues/1053
- Share TAT parsing utility/scripts
  - ACS/LGPL/acsBUILD/src/tat\_parser.py
  - Parse the test.log file generated from the 'make test' directive:
    - 'tat\_parser.py test.log'
- Follow up ACS Website tasks
- Port ACS to Java 11
  - ACS and the ALMA SW has been successfully ported to Java 11
  - Acceptance of ALMA SW using Java 11 is already undergoing
- Port ACS to Python 3
  - ACS was partially ported to Python 3 with 2019OCT release
    - Provides both Python 2 and 3 interpreters using 'pyenv'
    - Versions 2.7.16 and 3.6.9 are currently provided by ACS
  - o Several bug-fixes in 2019DEC and 2020FEB
    - Initial tests show that it only works for clients
  - More bug-fixes and port of containers done in 2020APR
    - ~2% difference in tests results between Python 2 and 3
    - Mostly, the difference is in the output due to the interpreter version,
  - We do not discard some small pending compatibility changes
    Mostly, changing between Python 2 and 3 means only to execute 'pyenv':
    - 'pyenv 2.7.16
    - 'pyenv 3.6.9'
    - Only exception is acstime, which needs to be recompiled due to swig code being compiled and linked against only one Python header/library file
- ACS Changes
  - Enabled ACE/TAO iterators for CORBA types
  - ACS Container Daemon capability to create stacktraces and/or heap/core dumps
    - Works for Python, Java and C++
  - PyXB Upgrade to 1.2.6 (Latest)

- Affects code generated using pyxbgen (XSDBIND Makefile declarations)
- Mostly the code is compatible:
  - XSD sequence was changed from list ([...]) to an interable (\_PluralBinding class)
    - o In most cases they're compatible, but under some specific usage it may not
- · Stabilization of TAT module tests
  - o There were around 40% of the tests failing. This has been lowered to around 5%, but we want to aim to at least around 1-3%
- · Refactor of ACS Makefile
  - The refactor of ACS Makefile is currently stalled in favor of the Python 3 porting and tests stabilization
- RedHat 8 / CentOS 8
  - o Start investigation about ACS/Common and RH/CentOS 8 compatibility
    - ICT-16009 Getting issue details... STATUS
- Bug-fixing
  - Fix memory leak in Components Smart Ptr class
    - ICT-14804 Getting issue details... STATUS
  - o enumpropROImpl and enumpropRWImpl are initializing the BACI property with an uninitialized default value
    - ICT-11598 Getting issue details... STATUS
  - Overriding the value of in env. defined CPU in the acs makefile
    - ICT-8182 Getting issue details... STATUS
  - o Behavior of retrieving non-existent loggers in Java, C++ and Python is different
    - ICT-16193 Getting issue details... STATUS
  - o archive\_delta and archive\_delta\_percent don't work if pollingInterval=0
    - ICT-16506 Getting issue details... STATUS
- ACS 2020APR was finished today and internal pre-release published
  - o Will reach the community in around 2 months
- ACS website: Still not published. Low priority
- Port ACS to Python 3
  - 2020AUG is expected to be a Python 3 only version of ACS, but it may still be compatible with Python 2 for a couple of releases afterwards
  - This only means that no further efforts would be made to make it compatible with Python 2
- ACS Tests stabilization (Probably by finished with 2020JUN release)
- Python 3 bug-fixing
- Refactor ACS Makefile
  - o Core of the work is already done
  - Need to re-schedule the pending tasks
- Re-design the notification service
  - This is a tentative work to provide an alternative for the current notification service
  - We're in the planning phase of this project
- Confluence
  - O This is the official content collaboration tool now used at ALMA.
  - $^{\circ}\,$  ACS space is open to public, but editing is limited to registered users.
  - People interested in editing should let us know by e-mail either to acs-discuss or directly to Tomas Staig.
- ACS Community Bitbucket server has been separated from the ALMA Bitbucket server
  - https://bitbucket.alma.cl/projects/ASW/repos/acs/browse
- Type your task here, using "@" to assign to a user and "//" to select a due date