



2024 APAC ETL Project

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Agenda

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- Quality Assurance Team



Project Overview

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Objectives

- To accomplish OHDSI APAC's 2024 OKRs
- To build ETL knowledge within the APAC community



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Candidate

PASAR, a Singaporean perioperative database



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Method

Remote, federated community-wide ETL



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Duration

August 1 – November 7, 2024 (3.5 months, 14 weeks)





About PASAR

- Perioperative and Anesthesia Subject Area Registry (PASAR) established by Singapore General Hospital (SGH)
- Covers all patients who undergo surgery at SGH
- Consists of 153,312 admissions and 168,977 operation sessions between 2016 to December 2022

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The SingHealth Perioperative and Anesthesia Subject Area Registry (PASAR), a large-scale perioperative data mart and registry

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Background: To enhance perioperative outcomes, a perioperative registry that integrates high-quality real-world data throughout the perioperative period is essential. Singapore General Hospital established the Perioperative and Anesthesia Subject Area Registry (PASAR) to unify data from the preoperative, intraoperative, and postoperative stages. This study presents the methodology employed to create this database.

Methods: Since 2016, data from surgical patients have been collected from the hospital electronic medical record systems, de-identified, and stored securely in compliance with privacy and data protection laws. As a representative sample, data from initiation in 2016 to December 2022 were collected.

Results: As of December 2022, PASAR data comprise 26 tables, encompassing 153,312 patient admissions and 168,977 operation sessions. For this period, the median age of the patients was 60.0 years, sex distribution was balanced, and the majority were Chinese. Hypertension and cardiovascular comorbidities were also prevalent. Information including operation type and time, intensive care unit (ICU) length of stay, and 30-day and 1-year mortality rates were collected. Emergency surgeries resulted in longer ICU stays, but shorter operation times than elective surgeries.

Conclusions: The PASAR provides a comprehensive and automated approach to gathering high-quality perioperative patient data.

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC10834714/>



Project Team

Team of 39 volunteers around the globe!

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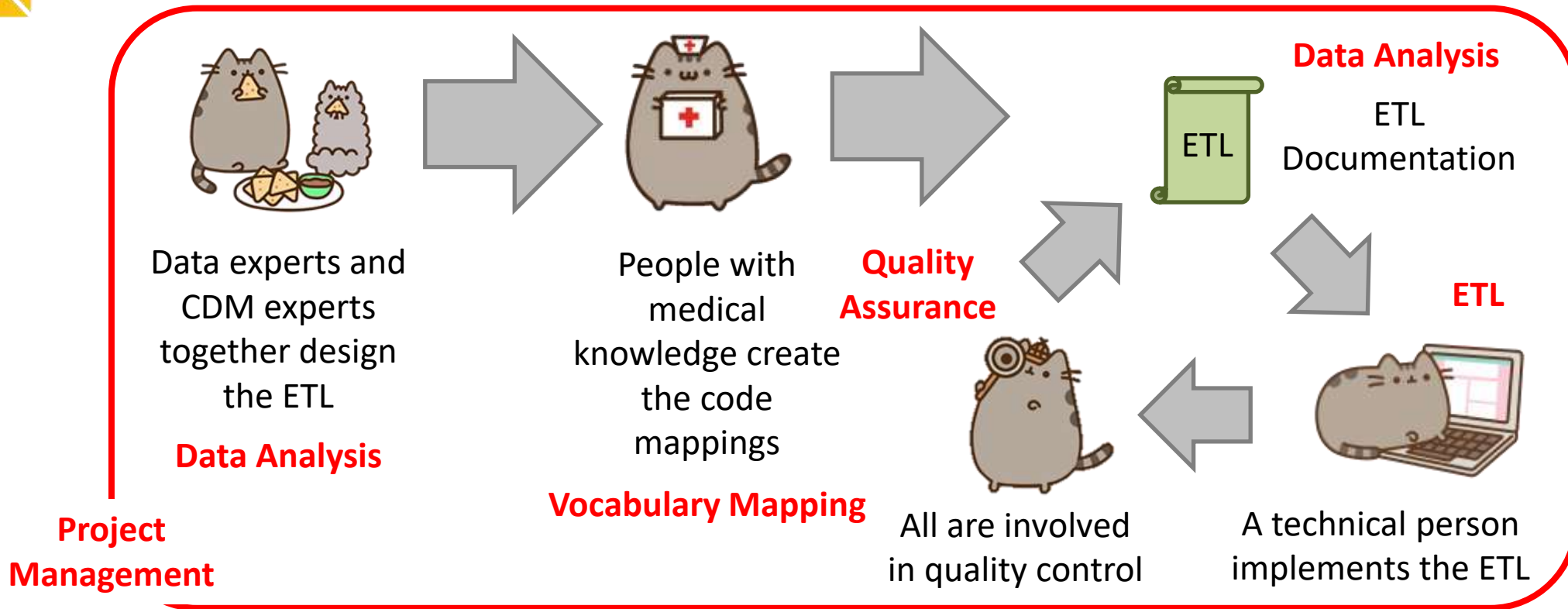
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Project Management Team



Structure



OHDSI Tools

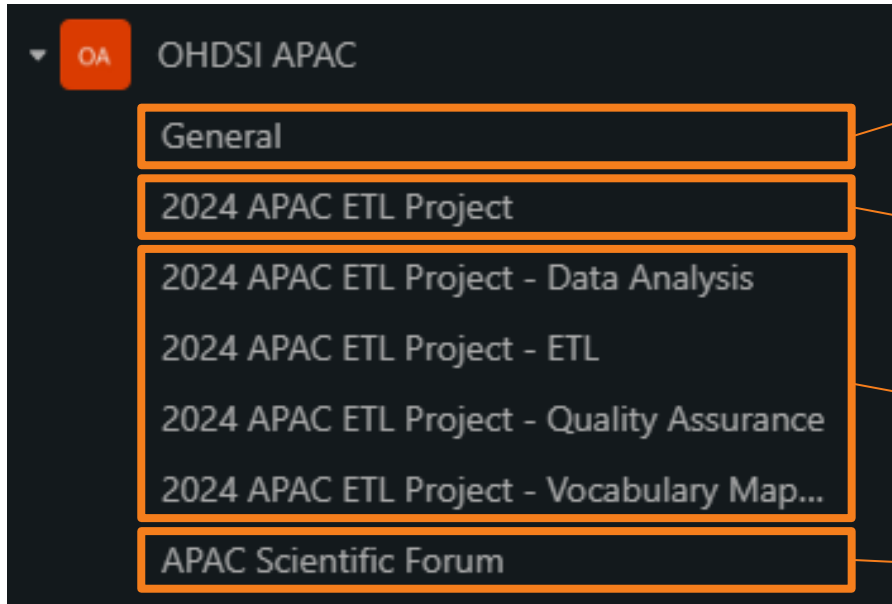
All 5 functions of a typical OMOP conversion

- White Rabbit
- Rabbit In a Hat
- Usagi
- White Rabbit
- ACHILLES
- DQD
- Rabbit In a Hat



Logistics: Environment

- Used existing/new channels under OHDSI APAC's Teams environment



Used for general community-facing meetings (community calls)

Central channel for archiving of final project-related documentations

Team channels for archiving of working documents and hosting of individual team meetings and discussions

Used for sprint reviews (scientific forums)

- Public channels were used to accommodate both volunteers and observers who signed up to learn
- Also leveraged Teams chat function for direct messages and group chats



Logistics: Data

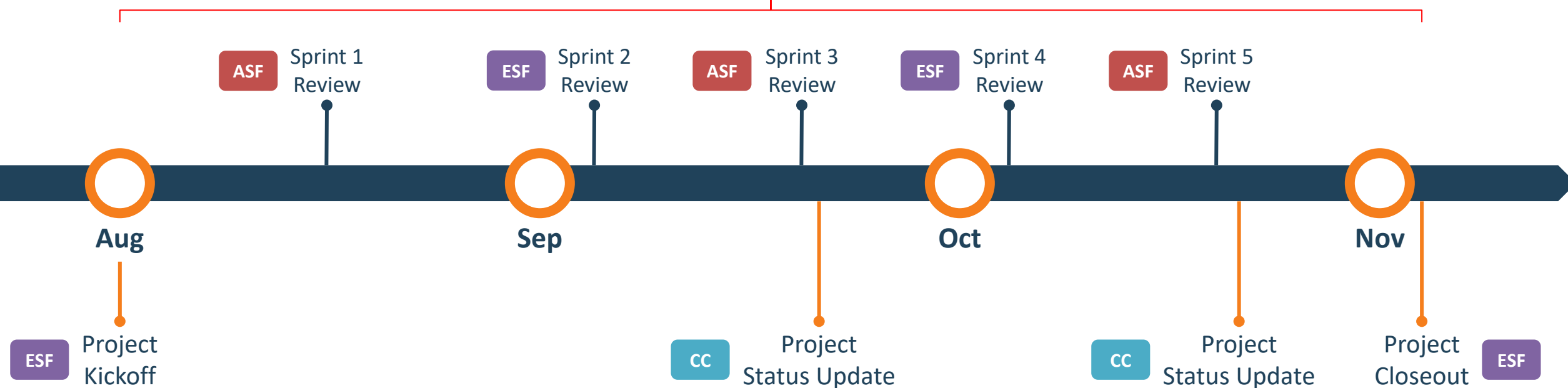
- Google Cloud Platform (GCP) was used to host data for the project
- All volunteers were requested to consent to a data use agreement before data access was granted
- 10-case sample data was initially provided due to delay in administrative processes and mainly used by the data analysis team for preparation of ETL specifications
- Unique codes from designated fields and their frequencies were extracted from the full data for the vocabulary mapping team
- ~1,000-case sample data was additional provided about a month later and mainly used by the ETL team to develop and test ETL



Timelines and Meetings



Intended for project participants (volunteers/observers)



Intended for overall APAC community

ESF = existing APAC Scientific Forum **ASF** = ad hoc APAC Scientific Forum **CC** = APAC Community Call



Data Analysis Team






Data Analysis Process

Project Management



Data experts and CDM experts together design the ETL

Data Analysis



People with medical knowledge create the code mappings

Vocabulary Mapping


Quality Assurance



All are involved in quality control



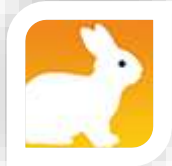
Data Analysis
ETL Documentation



ETL

A technical person implements the ETL

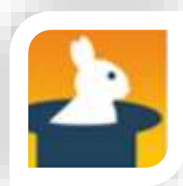
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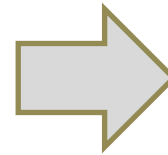
White Rabbit



Mapping Doc



Rabbit In a Hat



Scan Output for Vocabulary Mapping



ETL Mapping Doc



Host ETL Spec



Scan Output: Identify Distinct Values

surgical_specialty	intra_op.operation				
	ot_code	ot_description (corresponding to ot_code)	ot_location_code	surgeon_grade	plan_anaesthetist_1_type
INFECTIOUS DISEASE	L5	Main Operating Theatre L5 (CLR)	NHC	SRES	EXPUNKNOWN
Lung	R5	Main Operating Theatre R5 (BMT/RES/DEN/PLS)	OTL3	CA	AC
SDDC - BREAST (SUR)	DOT	Main Digital Operating Theatre (DOT)	ENDO	SVC REGISTRA	SCN
REHABILITATION MEDICINE	RM2	LABOR WARD ROOM 2	GCPMC	ASSOCIATE CO	ST_ANAES
Cardiology	HCL3OT06	NHCS-OT6	URO	SNR CONSULTA	CON
HPB	AS03	Ambulatory Surgery Centre OT 3 (GA)	WARD	AC	
GASTROENTEROLOGY & HEPATOLOGY	AEC07	AEC SUITE 7	SNEC	NURSE	
COLORECTAL SURGERY	BNSOT1	SGH-INPATIENT-BNSOT 01	DSAE	Visiting Con	
EMERGENCY MEDICINE	M4	Main Operating Theatre M4 (OTO)	BNS	REG	
Renal Medicine	RM4	LABOR WARD ROOM 4	ASC	VISITING SEN	
Neurosurgery	HCL3OT03	NHCS-OT3	NCC	SCN	
GENERAL SURGERY	R7	SGH-MOT-R7	GCL71A	Medical Offi	
DENTAL	RM7	Labor Ward Room 7	HAEM	SENIOR REGIS	
Urology	L4	SGH-MOT-L4	DSEC	HOUSE OFFICE	
Rehabilitation Medicine	R5	SGH-MOT-R5	MOTNHC	CON	
Medical Oncology	AS04	Ambulatory Surgery Centre OT4 (GA)	AEC	VISITING CON	
SDDC - Breast (SUR)	L6	SGH-MOT-L6	XURO	Resident Phy	
BURNS	UR02	UROLOGY CENTRE - OPERATING THEATRE 2	CXMOT	MO	
SDDC - Head & Neck (SUR)	AS01	Ambulatory Surgery Centre OT 1 (LA)	HXHOT	CONSULTANT	
SDDC - HEAD & NECK (SUR)	DSAE01	SGH-ED-ED01	MOTSGH	HO	
UROLOGY	L8	Main Operating Theatre L8 (ENT)	MOT	Senior Consu	
Liver Transplant	RM6	LABOR WARD ROOM 6	LW52A	REGISTRAR	
Geriatric Medicine	ED06	Endoscopy Centre Operating Theatre 6	UROT	NONE	



ETL Mapping Document

pasarTableName	pasarFieldName	mappingLogic	comments	cdmTableName	cdmFieldName	isRequired	cdmDatatype	userGuidance	etlConventions
pre_op.char	Admission_Type	based on the admission_type , we need to fetch the concept_id TODO: map standard concept ids	It has a value like Inpatient Day Surgery (DS) Same Day Admission (SDA)	visit_occurrence	visit_concept_id	Yes	integer	This field contains a concept id representing the kind of visit, like inpatient or outpatient. All concepts in this field should be standard and belong to the Visit domain.	Populate this field based on the kind of visit that took place for the person. For example this could be "Inpatient Visit", "Outpatient Visit", "Ambulatory Visit", etc. This table will contain standard concepts in the Visit domain. These concepts are arranged in a hierarchical structure to facilitate cohort definitions by rolling up to generally familiar Visits adopted in most healthcare systems worldwide.
pre_op.char	Admission_Type	admission_type	It has a value like Inpatient Day Surgery (DS) Same Day Admission (SDA)	visit_occurrence	visit_source_value	No	varchar(50)	This field houses the verbatim value from the source data representing the kind of visit that took place (inpatient, outpatient, emergency, etc.)	If there is information about the kind of visit in the source data that value should be stored here. If a visit is an amalgamation of visits from the source then use a hierarchy to choose the visit source value, such as IP ->
pre_op.char	Admission_Type	based on the admission_type , we need to fetch the concept_id TODO: map standard concept ids	It has a value like Inpatient Day Surgery (DS) Same Day Admission (SDA)	visit_detail	visit_detail_concept_id	Yes	integer	This field contains a concept id representing the kind of visit detail, like inpatient or outpatient. All concepts in this field should be standard and belong to the Visit domain.	Populate this field based on the kind of visit that took place for the person. For example this could be "Inpatient Visit", "Outpatient Visit", "Ambulatory Visit", etc. This table will contain standard concepts in the Visit domain. These concepts are arranged in a hierarchical structure to facilitate cohort definitions by rolling up to generally familiar Visits adopted in most healthcare systems worldwide.
post_op.icu	ICU_Admission_Time	ICU_Admission_Time		visit_detail	visit_detail_start_datetime	No	datetime	NA	If no time is given for the start date of a visit, set it to midnight



ETL Specification @ Github

Files

main

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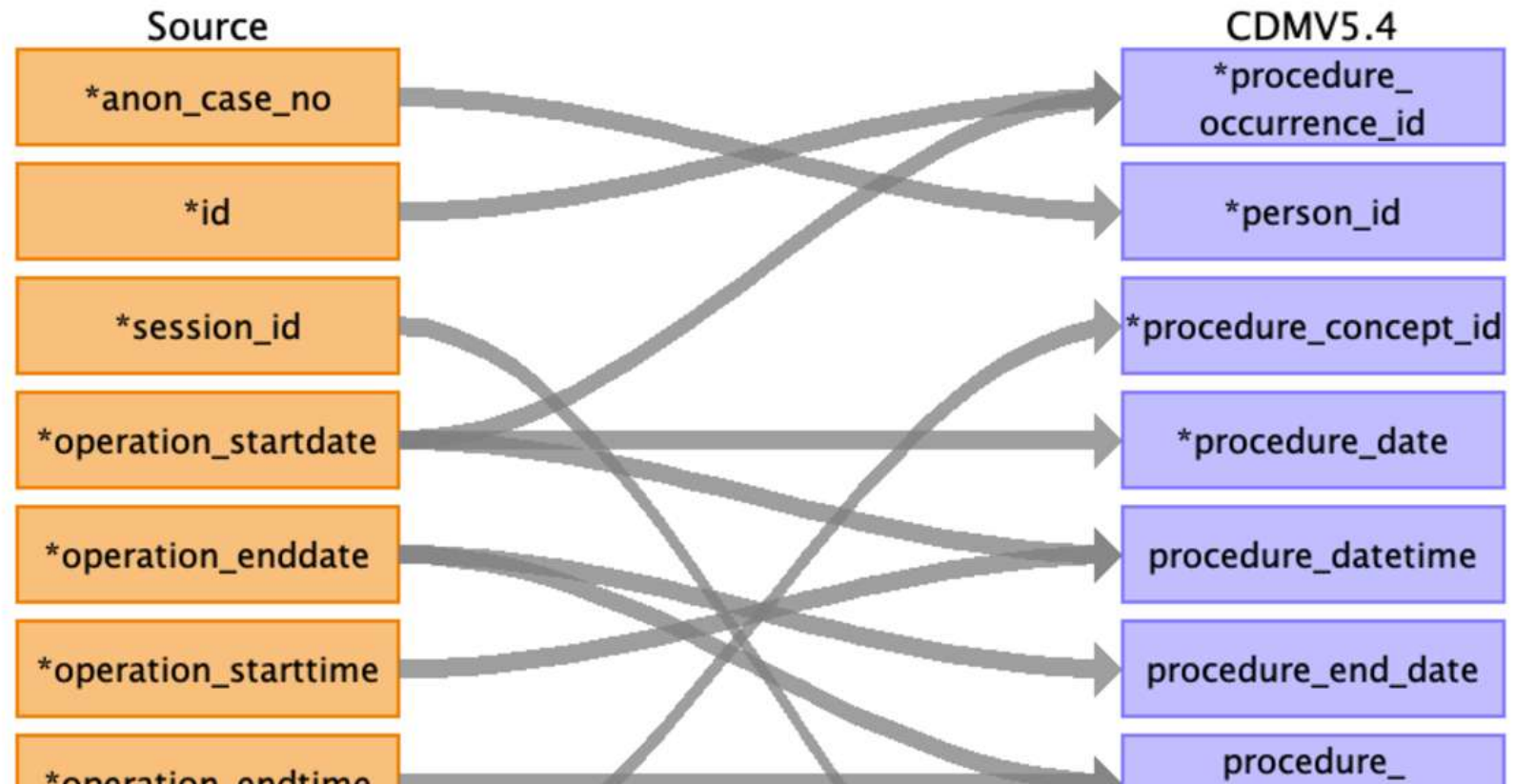
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Table name: procedure_occurrence

Reading from intra_op_operation





ETL Team





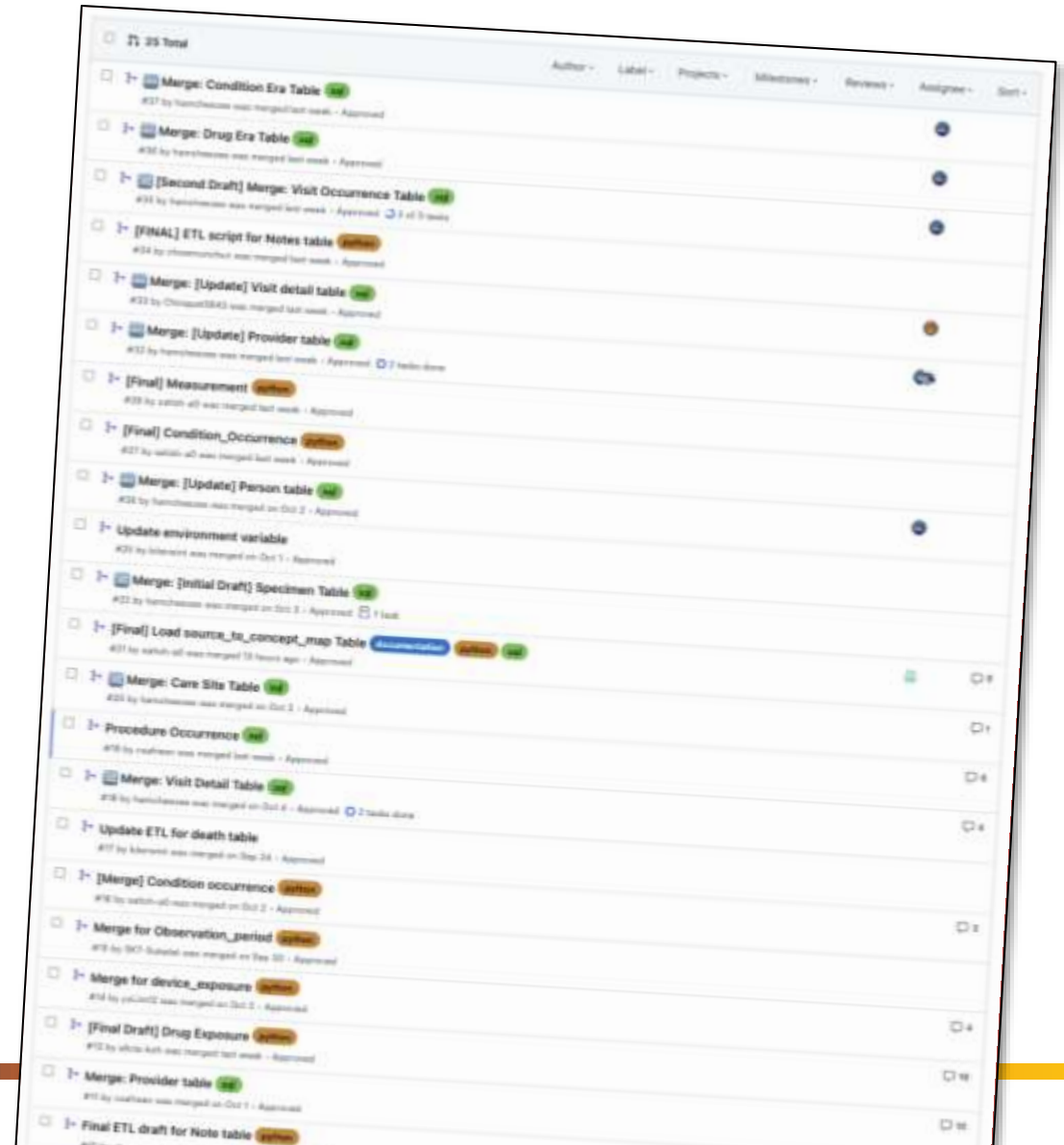
Setup

- SQL & Python sub teams created within ETL group
- 2 GCP VMs for each sub team
- 1 common Postgres Cloudsql Instance - With 3 schemas for Pasar 1% data and OMOP schemas created
- Separation of concerns with ssh access, VS Code, python virtual environment and local git for each user – Compliant with DUA
- Common Python ETL Framework developed
 - for a structured coordinated development among ETL members
 - Preload dependencies such as Athena Vocabulary data and `source_to_concept_map`
 - Run the whole pipeline for all the tables together with a single command



Highlights

- 19 OMOP clinical tables ETL pipeline implemented
- Additionally support ingestion of 4 Vocabulary tables
- Total records ~14 million
- Total time taken ~1 hour
- 25 Pull requests merged, 1 final fixes pending merge
- 12 contributors, ~150 commits, 75 files added
- Constraints enabled except for Concept & Procedure Occurrence tables – CPT4 Codes
- ~40 DQD QA issues resolved





Clinical Table	Records count	Time Taken
cdm_source	1	.08s
care_site	111	.46s
provider	872	.1s
person	999	.29s
observation_period	999	.42s
death	143	.4s
visit_occurrence	1,600	.18s
visit_detail	268	3.17s
condition_occurrence	26,464	39.9s
condition_era	4,193	1.78s
drug_exposure	26,065	2.65s
drug_era	6,793	28.5s
procedure_occurrence	10,074	.89s
device_exposure	132	1s
observation	1,161,982	105.2s
note	3,869	.99s
specimen	52,690	2.85s
measurement	12,659,065	3905s

Ingestion Statistics

Total Clinical Records	Total Time Taken
13,956,320	~1 hour 8 minutes

Vocabulary table	Records count	Time Taken
source_to_concept_map	3053	20s
concept	6,372,686	182.5s
concept_ancestor	77,386,059	100.4s
concept_relationship	40,883,488	115s



Vocabulary Mapping Team





Tool: USAGI

USAGI v143

File Edit View Help

Status Source code Source term Frequency Match asc Concept ID Concept name Domain Concept class Vocabulary Concept code Standard concept Parents Children Assigned Equivalents Comment Status Pk

Source code

Source code	Source term	Frequency
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Target concepts

Concept ID	Concept name	Domain	Concept class	Vocabulary	Concept code	Standard concept	Parents	Children	Mapping Type	Creation Process
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Search

Query

Use source term
 Query:

Filters

Filter by user selected concepts / ATC code
 Filter standard concepts
 Include source terms

Filter by concept class:
 Filter by vocabulary:
 Filter by domain:

Results

Score	Term	Concept ID	Concept name	Domain	Concept class	Vocabulary	Concept code	Standard concept	Parents	Children
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Comment:

Approved / total: 00 / 0% of total frequency

Author: Song Vocabulary version: v5.0 29-FEB-26

- Little knowledge of OMOP standardized vocabularies and mapping process
- Training session to familiarize team on how to use USAGI
- Utilized USAGI to map source codes to OMOP concept_ids
- Additional peer review



Mapping Results

Name of the file	Assigned to	Status
intraop_aimsvitals_vitalcode	Liyong Pei	Complete
intraop_drugdrug_group1	Leong Hui Wong	Complete
intraop_drugmed_group1	Leong Hui Wong	Complete
intraop_nurvitals_group1	Lakshmi Kubendran	Complete
intraop_operation_group1	Liyong Pei, Shigemi Matsumoto, Kosuke Tanaka, Qi Yang, Asif Syed, Elizabeth E. Park, Keiko Asao	Complete
postop_clindoc_group1	Qi Yang	Complete
postop_info_group1	Leong Hui Wong	Complete
postop_lab_testdesc	Lakshmi Kubendran	Complete
postop_labmicro_antibioticname	Not Mapped	
postop_labmicro_microresulted		
proceduredescription		
postop_labmicro_organismdescription		
postop_labsall_group1	Lakshmi Kubendran	Complete
postop_pacu_group1	Kosuke Tanaka	Complete
postop_renal_group1	Asif Syed	Complete
preop_char_allergyinformation	Lakshmi Kubendran	Complete
preop_char_gender	Qi Yang	Complete
preop_char_race	Qi Yang	Complete
preop_lab_preoplabtestdescription	Lakshmi Kubendran	Complete
preop_radiology_procedurename	Qi Yang	Complete
Surgical specialty	Lakshmi Kubendran	Complete

- Prioritized mapping by sorting codes by descending order of frequency
- Targeted 95% mapping rate by code frequency
- Categorized mapping files based on difficulty level (e.g., requirement of pharmaceutical/clinical knowledge)
- Assigned mappings to volunteers' expertise/capabilities
- For surgery codes, assigned multiple resources due to importance of data



Quality Assurance Team





Goals

- Evaluate the quality of the data mapped to OMOP CDM in the ETL process
- Ensure the quality of the data meets certain % threshold

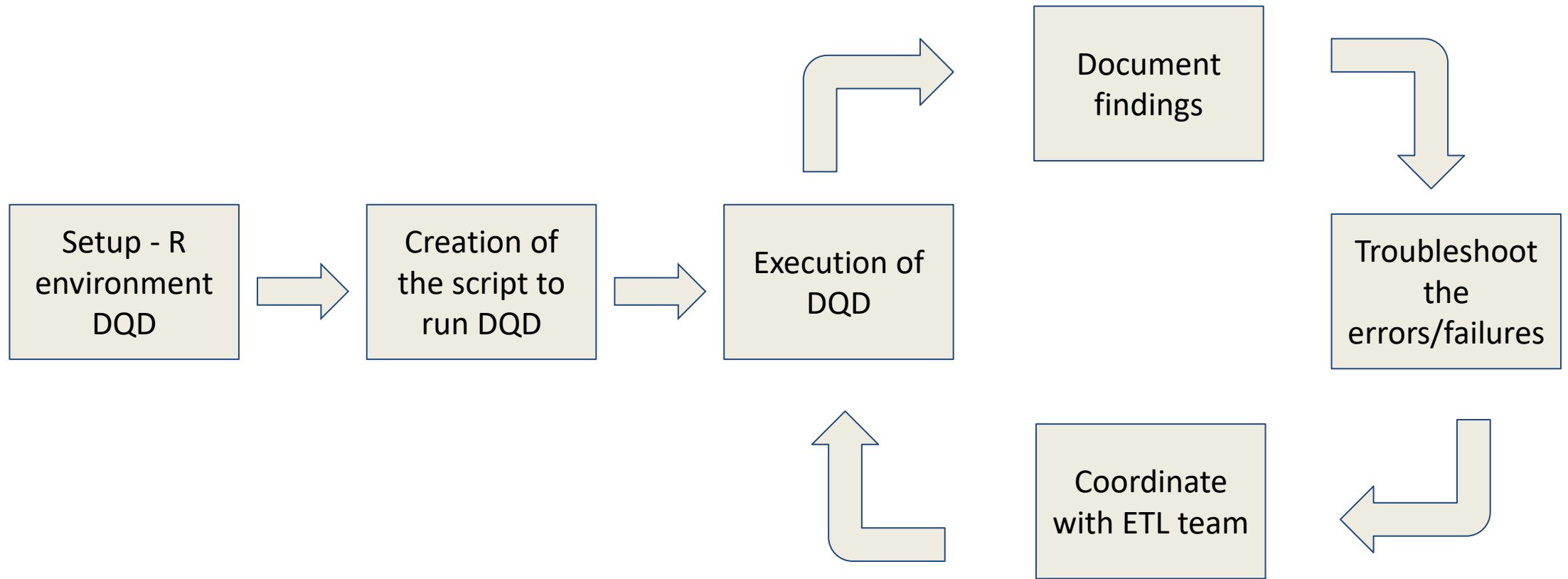


QA Journey





QA Journey





Data Quality

PASAR OMOP CDM Data Quality is 98%

DATA QUALITY ASSESSMENT

PASAR

DataQualityDashboard Version: 2.6.1

Results generated at 2024-11-06 09:33:16 in 7 mins

	Verification				Validation				Total			
	Pass	Fail	Total	% Pass	Pass	Fail	Total	% Pass	Pass	Fail	Total	% Pass
Plausibility	502	7	509	99%	291	0	291	100%	793	7	800	99%
Conformance	895	8	903	99%	137	0	137	100%	1032	8	1040	99%
Completeness	434	18	452	96%	17	0	17	100%	451	18	469	96%
Total	1831	33	1864	98%	445	0	445	100%	2276	33	2309	99%

1002 out of 2276 passed checks are Not Applicable, due to empty tables or fields.

4 out of 33 failed checks are SQL errors.

Corrected pass percentage for NA and Errors: 98% (1274/1303)



Data Quality Assets

- Scripts and results are available on [github](#)





Thank you!