Passport data updates

Presentation & discussion

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EURISCO intranet I

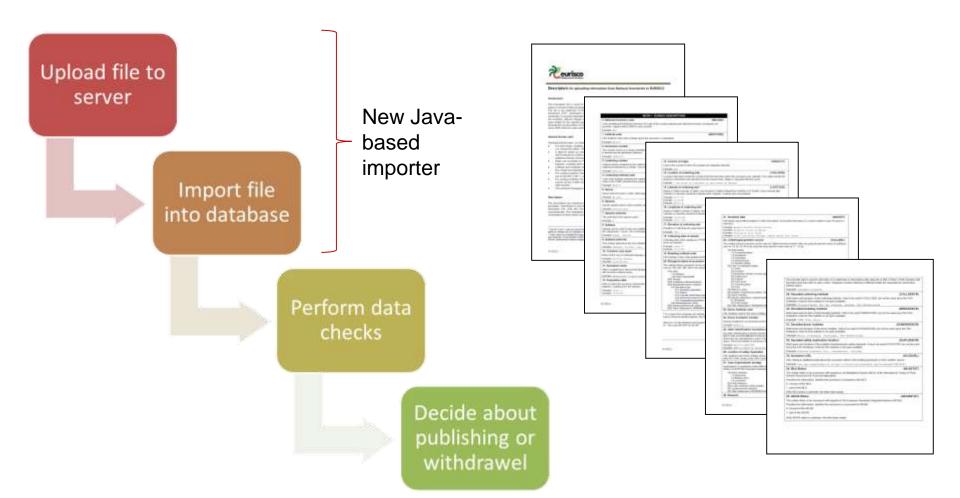
- Development of new import component for NIs
 - Web interface with Oracle APEX
 - PL/SQL packages for uploading, checking and updating data
 - Implementation of incremental updates







EURISCO intranet II

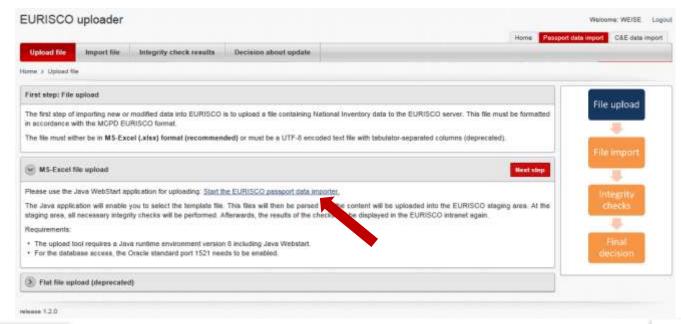






Java-based import I

- So far: Web-based upload
 - Upload via tab-separated text file, UTF-8 encoded
 - Often problems with columns separators + character encoding
- Now: Java-based Excel import
 - Summarises file upload + data import
 - User gets informed when the integrity checks are finished

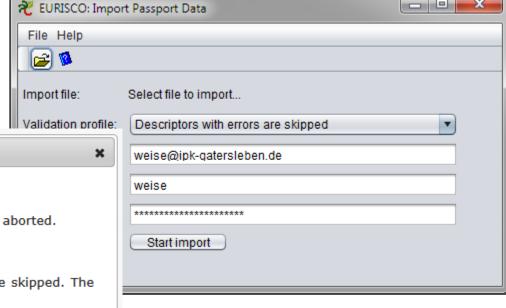






Java-based import II

- JRE 1.8
- Java WS
- Oracle standard port 1521 enabled



Errors abort session:

Validation Profile

If an error occurrs, the whole import operation will be aborted.

Records with errors are skipped:

If an error occurrs within a record, this record will be skipped. The remaining records will be imported.

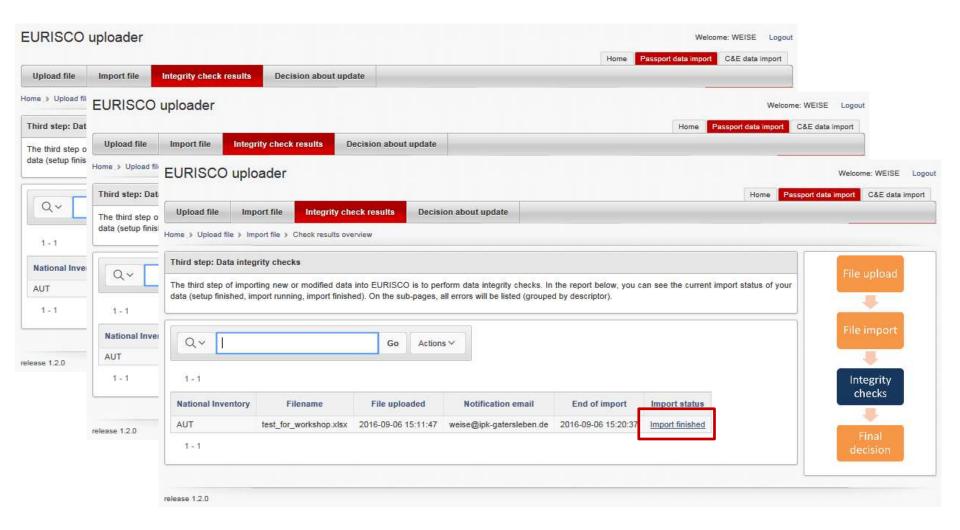
Descriptors with errors are skipped:

If a descriptor value within a record contains an error, only this value will be skipped. The remaining descriptor values of the respective record will be imported. However, in case of an error within one of the mandatory descriptors, the whole record will be skipped.





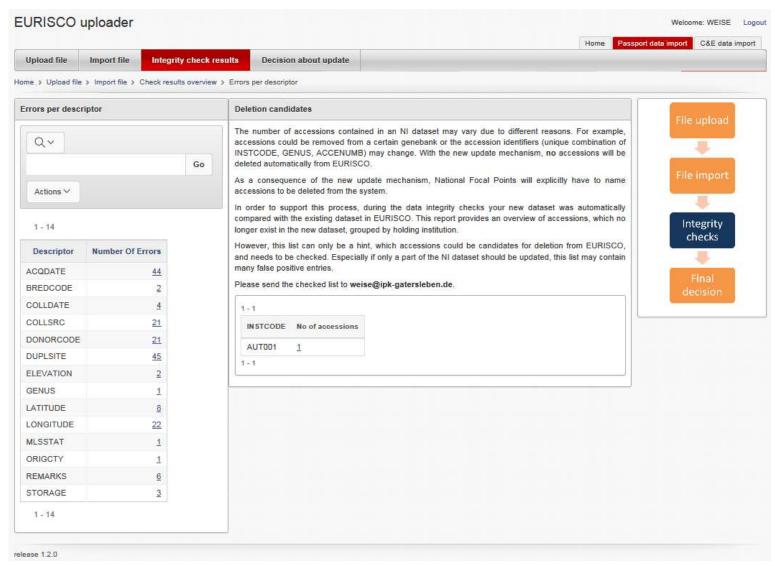
Integrity checks I







Integrity checks II – error report

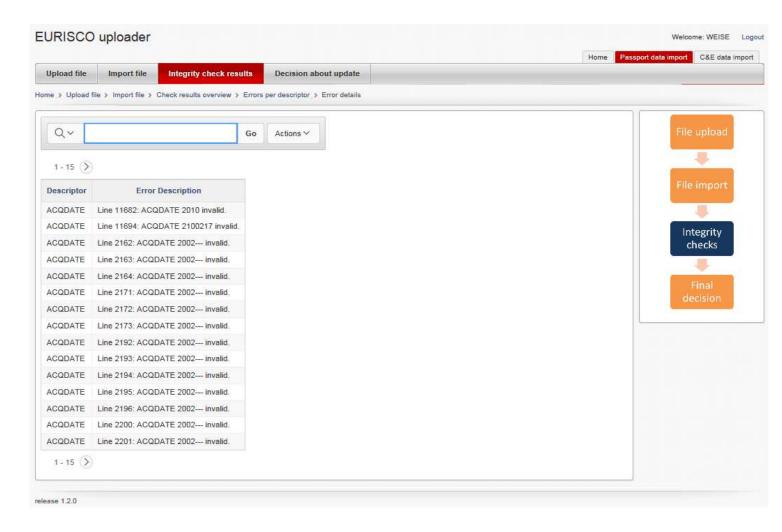






Integrity checks III - example

Wrong date format

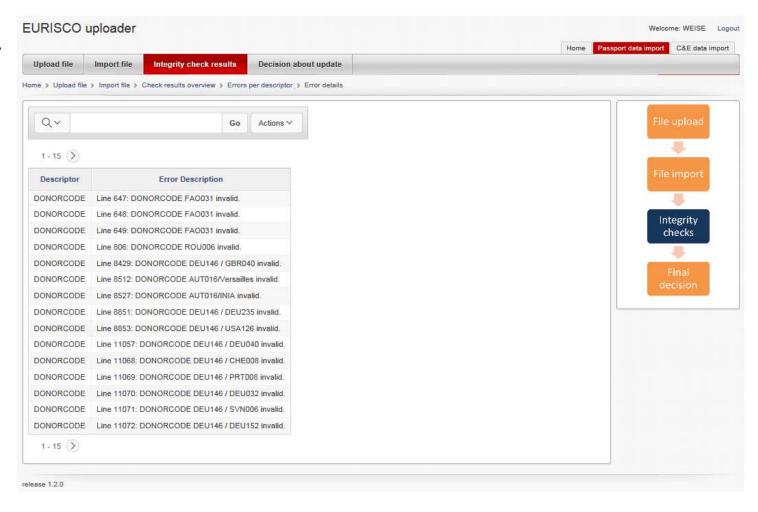






Integrity checks IV - example

Invalid or multiple donor codes







Incremental updates I

- Why incremental updates?
 - So far: Full replacement
 - Delete whole dataset + reimport data afterwards
 - Even if only a couple of rows have been modified
 - Not possible to update parts of data (e.g. single genebank collection)
 - That's why: From full replacement to real update
 - Only incremental data needs to be updated
 - Necessary: Unique identifiers
 - Currently: Combination of NICODE, INSTCODE, ACCENUMB and GENUS
 - DOI infrastructure of ITPGRFA under preparation
 - Important for managing C&E data
 - Cannot exist without passport data

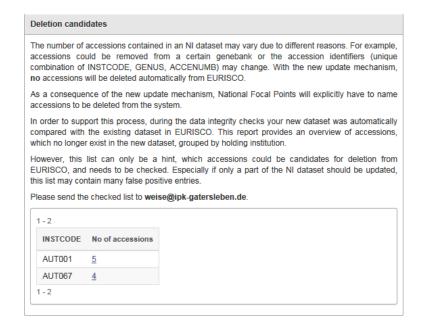


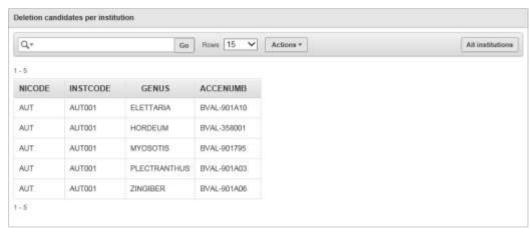


Incremental updates II

Deletion candidates

- Check of new dataset against existing data
- List of accessions not contained in the new dataset
- Not deleted automatically
- False positive hits in case of partial update!!!

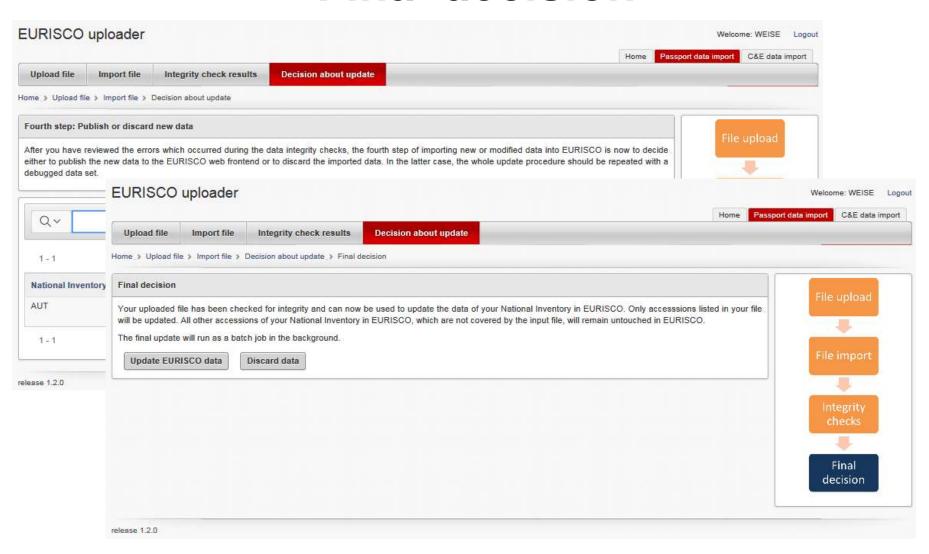








Final decision







Next steps (in background)

- Updated dataset will be applied to EURISCO stage schema
- EURISCO stage will be synchronised to the EURISCO web schema (Time lag!)
 - Not in main business hours
 - Rebuild of materialised views
 - Creation of new full dump (MS Access)
 - News message on EURISCO webpage





Migration to v2.1 of MCPD I

- Current data exchange format (May 2012)
 - MCPD v1
 - 8 additional, EURISCO-specific descriptors
- In the meantime, evolution of MCPD to v2.1 (Dec 2015)
 - → Adaptation of the EURISCO exchange format
 - Harmonisation with MCPD 2.1
 - 4 additional descriptors





Migration to v2.1 of MCPD II

- New descriptors
 - PUID
 - Persistent unique identifier, e.g. DOI
 - COLLINSTADDRESS
 - Address of collecting institute
 - COLLMISSID
 - Identifier of collecting mission
 - DECLATITUDE
 - Latitude in decimal degrees
 - DECLONGITUDE
 - Longitude in decimal degrees

- COORDUNCERT
 - Uncertainty of coordinates in metres
- COORDDATUM
 - Geodetic datum or reference system, e.g. WGS84
- GEOREFMETH
 - Referencing methos, e.g. GPS
- HISTORIC
 - Accession maintenance status





Migration to v2.1 of MCPD III

- Modified descriptors
 - COLLCODE: multiple values allowed
 - DUPLSITE: multiple values allowed
 - BREDCODE: multiple values allowed
 - COLLNAME: replaces COLLDESCR
 - BREDNAME: replaces BREDDESCR
 - DONORNAME: replaces DONORDESCR
 - DUPLINSTNAME: replaces DUPLDESCR



