

Pandeia Engine Output API

Overview



API Warning

The Pandeia Engine API may change at any time. The following information and examples are for Pandeia Engine 3.1.x only, and are not guaranteed to be accurate or functional for previous or future releases. Updates (and information about planned pending API changes) can be found on the [Pandeia Engine News](#) page.

Pandeia Engine outputs are, like the inputs, a hierarchical dictionary. They contain:

- "scalar": 0-dimensional extracted values from the extraction aperture, at the wavelength of interest (if a spectroscopic calculation)
- "1d": 1-dimensional spectral outputs (single-valued arrays, if the calculation is an imaging-type calculation)
- "2d": 2-dimensional detector images
- "3d": 3-dimensional flux cubes of the input scene, created from the scene definition. For IFU modes only, also includes reconstructed 3-dimensional data cubes of the extracted data.
- "input": A complete copy of the [input dictionary](#)
- "information": The configured exposure properties of the calculation
- "transform": WCS information about the 2D output products.
- "sub_reports": A list of report dictionaries for the individual pointings that make up the calculation, for modes with more than one pointing (Coronagraphic imaging, IFU modes)
- "warnings": all warnings produced by the Engine
- "web_report": a structured list of dictionaries that form the Report tab on the [Web UI](#).

In addition, if `pandeia.engine.perform_calculation.perform_calculation()` is run with the `"as_dict"` keyword set to `False`, it will produce an instance of the Report python object; running `as_fits()` on that object will produce a dictionary whose 1d, 2d, and 3d output dictionaries will contain data formatted as FITS HDULists.

Full API

Complete API documentation can be found in [this file](#).

Examples

The scalar outputs are a superset of the values [the Web UI](#) produces in the Results tab.

The following code block will (given an result dictionary named 'result') print out results.

Example python code to pretty-print the scalar results and warnings

```
# print the scalar products with the correct units.
print("-----\n      RESULTS      \n-----")
for x in sorted(result["scalar"]):
    if isinstance(result["scalar"][x],float):
        basename = "{:20}: {:>10.3f}"
    else:
        basename = "{:20}: {}"

    if "time" in x:
        basename += " sec"
    elif "size" in x or "offset" in x:
        basename += " arcsec"
    elif "area" in x: # checking this before background means the
                     # background_area will be given the correct units.
        basename += " pixel^2"
    elif "wavelength" in x:
        basename += " microns"
    elif (((("extracted" in x) or ("sky" in x)) or ("total" in x) or ("brightest" in x)) and ("integrations"
not in x):
        basename += " e-/sec"
    elif "background" in x:
        basename += " MJy/sr"
    elif "cr_ramp_rate" in x:
        basename += " events/integration/pixel"
    else:
        pass
    print(basename.format(x,result["scalar"][x]))

if len(result['warnings']) > 0:
    print("-----\n      WARNINGS      \n-----")
    for x in result['warnings']:
        print("{:20}: {}".format(x,result['warnings'][x]))
print("-----")
```

or, this option for the new report style:

Web Report

```
from textwrap import wrap

report = result['web_report']
print("-"*30 + " RESULTS " + "-"*30)
for category in report:

    print("\033[1m" + category["category"] + "\033[0m")
    print('-'*len(category["category"]))
    for item in category["items"]:
        if "value" in item:
            namelist = wrap(item['name'], width=36, subsequent_indent="    ")
            if len(namelist) > 1:
                for i in range(len(namelist)-1):
                    print(f"{namelist[i]:<36}")
                if "indent" in item and item["indent"]:
                    namelist[-1] = "    " + namelist[-1]
                print(f"{namelist[-1]:<36} {item['value']:>16} {item['unit']:<10}")
            else:
                print(f"{item['name']}")
    print()
print("-"*70)

if len(result['warnings']) > 0:
    print("-----\n      WARNINGS      \n-----")
    for x in result['warnings']:
        print("{:20}: {}".format(x,result['warnings'][x]))
```

