

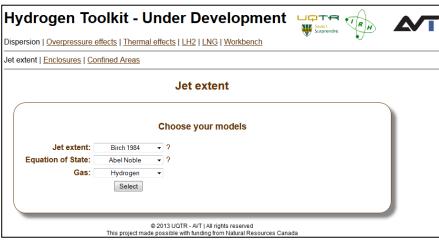


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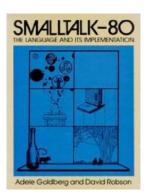
- Project objective
 - Develop a library of modern hazard assessment tools
 - Improve current and develop new models for integration in the software library
 - Facilitate access to this toolkit through a <u>user-friendly web</u> <u>interface</u> and an Excel sheet calculator.



Programming Language



- Smalltalk: the language that was ahead of its time
 - Object oriented: one of the first and most influential programming languages
 - Dynamic
 - Reflective
 - Image based
 - Just-in-time compilation (by virtual machine for example)
- Superseded by C++ and the freely distributed Java in the 90's, Smalltalk is still very much alive and growing in popularity due to projects like Pharo and Squeak which are promoting it well.



Programming environment



- Pharo 3 : full programming environment + language
 - Oriented towards research and commercial use
 - MIT license: permissive free software license which means it can be used to build commercial apps, royalty free, with no restrictions.
 - Runs on Mac, Linux, Windows, etc.
 - Actively supported: 1 release per year
 - Pharo 3 released in March 2014
 - Pharo 4 due in 2015



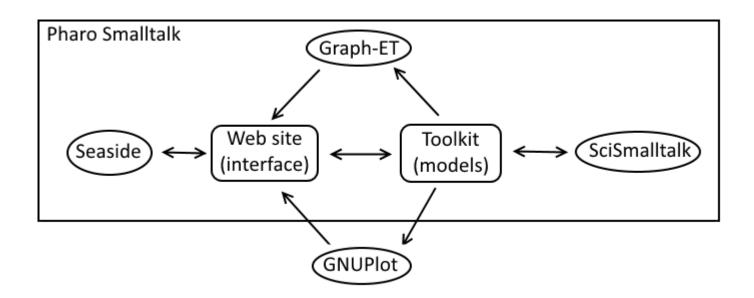
Librairies



- Libraries in Pharo
 - Seaside : web framework
 - Component based
 - HTML is generated programmatically
 - Fully integrated in Pharo: live debugging support
 - Support all modern standards and libraries: HTML 5.0, JQuery, CSS
 - SciSmalltalk : scientific library
 - Various numerical methods (ex: Newton-Raphson)
 - Ordinary Differential Equation (ODE) solvers
 - Graph-ET : simple graph drawing library
- GNUPlot: command-line graphing utility

Program schematic







Live demonstration

What's next

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- Validity range framework
 - Partially there, mostly for individual parameters
 - More general approach
- Unit conversion (Pa, bar, etc.)
- Default or recommended models (bold or *)
- Detailed description for all models (?)
- More options when comparing results
 - Graphs
 - Results for a range of input parameters

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- Workbench
 - Play with individual equations
- Interface with Refprop (NIST)
- A list of the constants and a way to change them
- More models
 - Flares
 - Chamberlain: already implemented in C++, needs to be ported to Smalltalk
 - Enclosures
 - Prasad et. al. from NIST using the ODE solver
 - LNG, LH2, Fragments, and more...



Questions, suggestions, ideas?