CARC OPEN DATA

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PROGRAMMATIC METHODS OF SEARCHING CARC OPEN DATA

1. All records in all CARC databases can be access through a URI. This can have an extension to specify the format of the data
   a. None: Web friendly display
   b. /csv: CSV format
   c. /xml: XML format
   d. /rdf: RDF format (CIDOC CRM encoded).

E.g.

https://www.carc.ox.ac.uk/record/AA1CD952-927D-41D7-B7AF-39520936CF95

https://www.carc.ox.ac.uk/record/AA1CD952-927D-41D7-B7AF-39520936CF95/csv
2. These URIs are displayed on the web friendly output and can be used as references by researchers. They are also included whenever a record is referenced in data e.g.

XML

```
<Filename> Images200/CER37/CER37.1816.4/ </Filename>
<Image-No> 0 </Image-No>
<Licence-Plate> 11 UK 1997 46470 </Licence-Plate>
<Image-Type> 0 </Image-Type>
<Beazley-Drawing> 4 </Beazley-Drawing>
</Image-Record>
<URI> http://www.beazley.ox.ac.uk/record/AA1CD952-927D-41D7-87AF-39520936CF95 </URI>
</Record>
</XDBData>
```

CSV

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URL,Vase Number,Fabric,Technique,Sub Technique,Shape Name,Provenance,Date,Inscriptions,Attributed To,Display Target,Target URI
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RDF

```
<rdf:RDF xmlns:rdf="http://www.w3.org/1999/02/22-rdf-syntax-ns#"
         xmlns:rdfs="http://www.w3.org/2000/01/rdf-schema#"
         xmlns:owl="http://www.w3.org/2002/07/owl#"
         xmlns:crm="http://purl.org/NET/crm-owl#"
         xmlns:claros="http://purl.org/NET/Claros/vocab#"
         xmlns:claros_placeid="http://purl.org/NET/Claros/placeid#" >

< rdf:RDF xmlns:rdf="http://www.w3.org/1999/02/22-rdf-syntax-ns#"
         xmlns:owl="http://www.w3.org/2002/07/owl#"
         xmlns:crm="http://purl.org/NET/crm-owl#"
         xmlns:claros="http://purl.org/NET/Claros/vocab#" >

< cry:2_Name_Date_Object rdf:about="http://www.beazley.ox.ac.uk/record/IBC525C5A-9E1C-41A2-886A-2558611DD9A4"/

< rdfs:label > Munich, Antikensammelung, Munich, Antikensammelung, Rome, Candelori Collection, 1939 < /rdfs:label >

< cry:EG5_Title >
< cry:EG5_Value > Munich, Antikensammelung, Munich, Antikensammelung, Rome, Candelori Collection, 1939 < /cry:EG5_Value >

< cry:EG5_Title >
```
```
3. Termword lists can be accessed through URIs.

URI format:
https://www.carc.ox.ac.uk/id/{field name}/{optional field value}/{optional data format}

Where:
{field name} = any database field name e.g.: Fabric, Shape+Name, Decoration+Termword
{optional field value} = a specific value for the list e.g. Amphora, Athenian.
{optional data format} =
  a. None: Web friendly display
  b. /csv: CSV format
  c. /xml: XML format
  d. /rdf: RDF format (CIDOC CRM encoded).

E.g.

https://www.carc.ox.ac.uk/id/Shape+Name

PELIKE (2216)
KRA TER, COLUMN (1924)
KRA TER, BELL (1865)
ALABASTRON (1526)
CUP FRAGMENTS (1434)
LEYTHOS FRAGMENT (1432)
ARYBALLOS (1382)
PYXIS (1365)
KRATER FRAGMENT (1303)
BOWL (1204)
KRATER, BELL FRAGMENT (1147)
AMPHORA B (1086)
CUP LITTLE MASTER BAND FRAGMENT (1079)
VARIOUS (1041)
CUP LITTLE MASTER BAND (1029)
KRATER, COLUMN FRAGMENT (943)
KANTHAROS (916)

https://www.carc.ox.ac.uk/id/Shape+Name/PELIKE

Shape Name: PELIKE

https://www.carc.ox.ac.uk/id/Shape+Name/xml
4. Searches can be performed direct from a 3rd party application using the URL:
https://www.carc.ox.ac.uk/xdb/ASP/searchOpen.asp?Search={Search Term}/[optional data format]

Where:
{Search Term} = a search term which can be a general Google style search or a complex structured search e.g.
  amphora herakles lion (multiple terms treated as joined with 'and')
  herakles or lion (use 'or' to return all results with either the first or second term)
  "victoria and albert" maenad (use " to bracket an exact phrase)
  [Shape Name] HYDRIA {AND} [Artist Name] ANTIMENES P (using specific field names and conjunctions)
  [Artist Name] HAIMON P {AND} ([Provenance] ITALY, SPINA {OR} [Provenance] SAMOS, HERAION) (using specific field names and conjunctions and bracketing)

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https://www.carc.ox.ac.uk/XDB/ASP/searchOpen.asp?Search=herakles+lion+amphora

```xml
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<Record id="(8783A084-185F-45CD-8C04-8B1CC94E7C73)"
  <Vase-Number>14</Vase-Number>
  <Fabric>ATHENIAN</Fabric>
  <Technique>BKACK-FIGURE</Technique>
  <Shape-Record>
    <Shape-Code>NGA</Shape-Code>
    <Shape-Name>HERAKLES, NECK</Shape-Name>
  </Shape-Record>
  <Date-Range>575-525</Date-Range>
  <Attributed-To>
    <Artist>
      <Artist-Code>BOTKL</Artist-Code>
      <Artist-Name>BOTKIN CLASS</Artist-Name>
    </Artist>
  </Attributed-To>
</Record>
```
PROGRAMMATIC METHODS OF ACCESSING CARC DATABASE IMAGES

Important: CARC does not hold copyright for many images visible through the CARC databases, so can offer no licence for use. Use is entirely at your own risk, must be for non-commercial purposes, and the source should be acknowledged in any public use.

High resolution images are stored in JTIP and IIP image formats with copyright watermarks, which are not downloadable programmatically. You can download the "full screen" size images (approx. 800 x 800 pixels).

Links to the images are stored in the XML data in the XDBData / Record / Image-Record / Filename tags e.g.:

https://www.carc.ox.ac.uk/record/AA1CD952-927D-41D7-B7AF-39520936CF95/xml

To access the full screen image put

https://www.carc.ox.ac.uk/Vases/SPIFF/

in front of the Filename in the XML data and cc001001.jpe after the filename

e.g. as per the highlighted example above:

https://www.carc.ox.ac.uk/Vases/SPIFF/Images200/GER37/CVA.GER37.1830.2/cc001001.jpe
DOWNLOADING THE FULL DATABASE

To download the full database, the simplest method is to use the Faceted Search page:

https://www.carc.ox.ac.uk/XDB/ASP/searchOpen.asp

The download link allows you to export the results of the current search. If you do not enter any search criteria the full dataset is shown – the number of records in the top right.

You must have an account on the CARC databases to continue. If you don’t have one, you can click to create one.

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You must login to download data
If you do not already have a CARC account, click to create one now.

Enter your user name
And a password

Login Cancel

Enter the purpose of use. Then click the XML link.
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You are logged in as Parker, Greg

Please let us know briefly how you intend to use the data

The data you have searched on is: Pottery Database.
Click on the format you would like to download the data

NB. Exports with a large number of records can take a considerable amount of time to prepare and will produce large data files which may take a long time to download depending on your connection speed.

Please click the link only once and wait for a link to your prepared file to be shown below.

CSV (Spreadsheet / Comma Separated)
TSV (Tab Separated) Full Data
TSV (Tab Separated) Abbreviated Data
XML
RDF

This may take a long time to prepare large data files. When it has completed, right click on the link and save the file to your machine.