

# eENVplus pilot 7: forest fire management

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eEnvironmental services for advanced applications within INSPIRE

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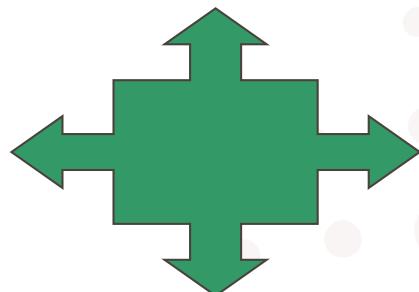
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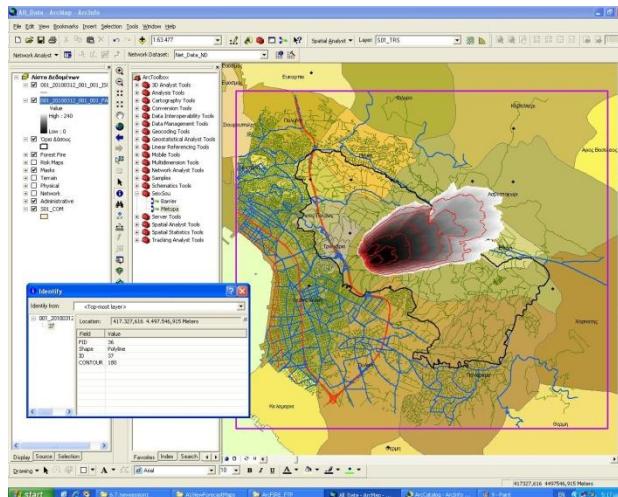
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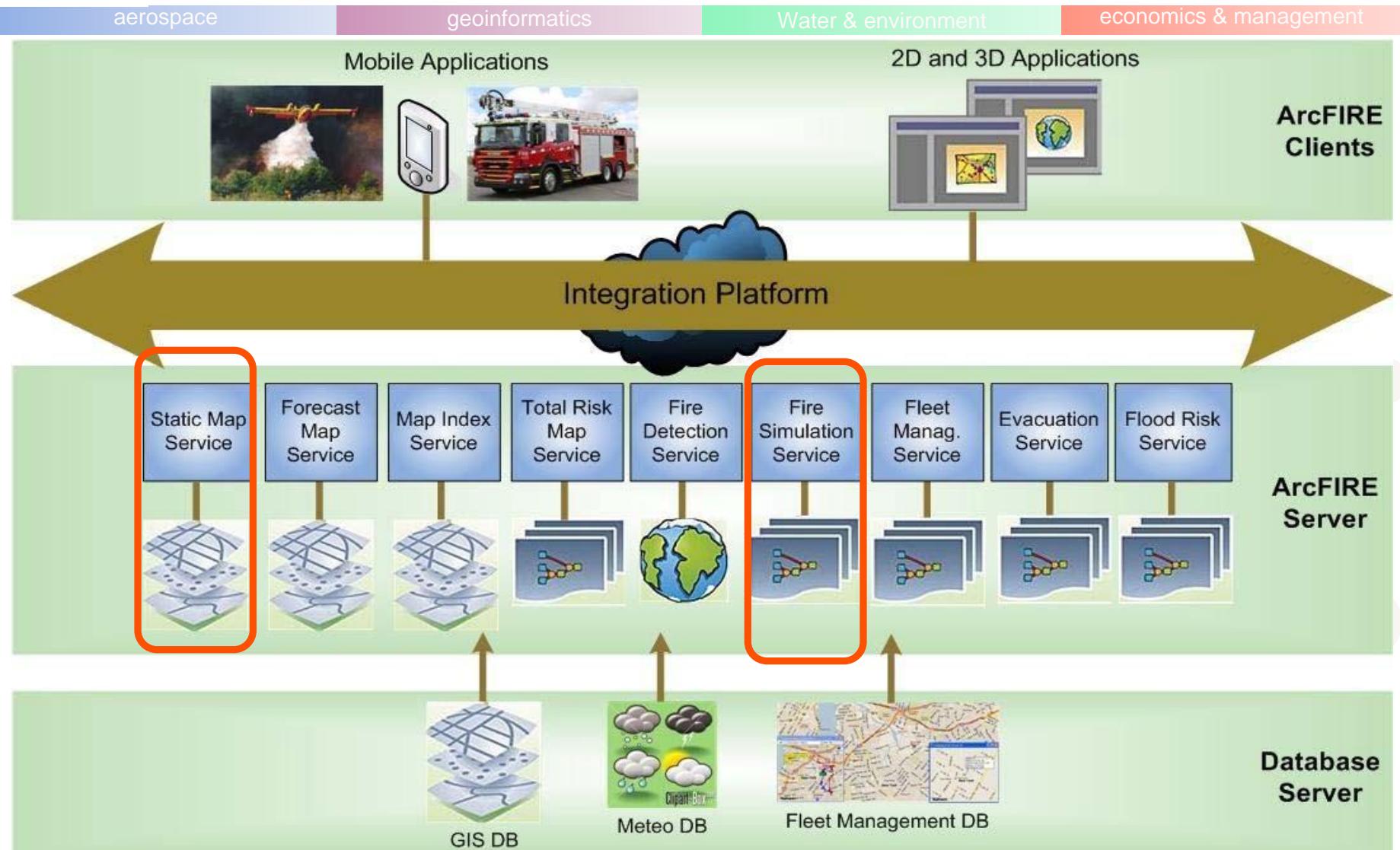
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- A state-of-the-technology Integrated Wildland & Forest Fire Management Platform under constant technology evolution since 1990.
- It is offered to Civil Protection Authorities, and National-Regional- & Local Authorities.
- Its aim is to guide operations and protect our forests.
- The platform is customizable to meet any client's needs



# ArcFIRE Architecture



- **Asynchronous Ingestion Service**

- Creation of spatio-temporal data (meteorological forecasts and indexes)
- ingestion of data to the eENVplus SDI
- return data via OGC services: WMS, WCS, WFS

- **WPS orchestration**

- calculation of fire simulation (FAT: fire access time) – **INSPIRE**
- calculation of total risk by combining a series of services
- calculation of optimal route avoiding the fire

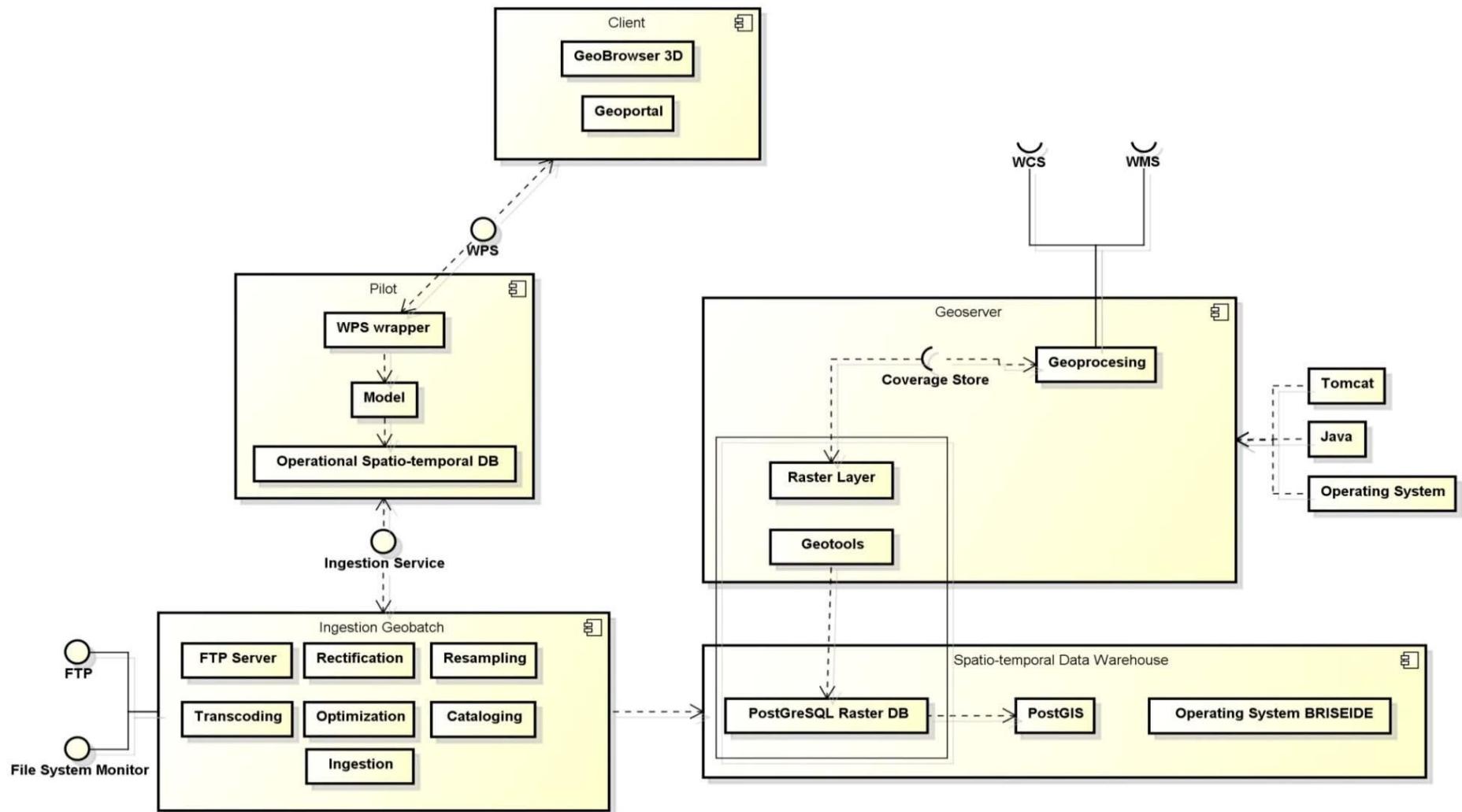
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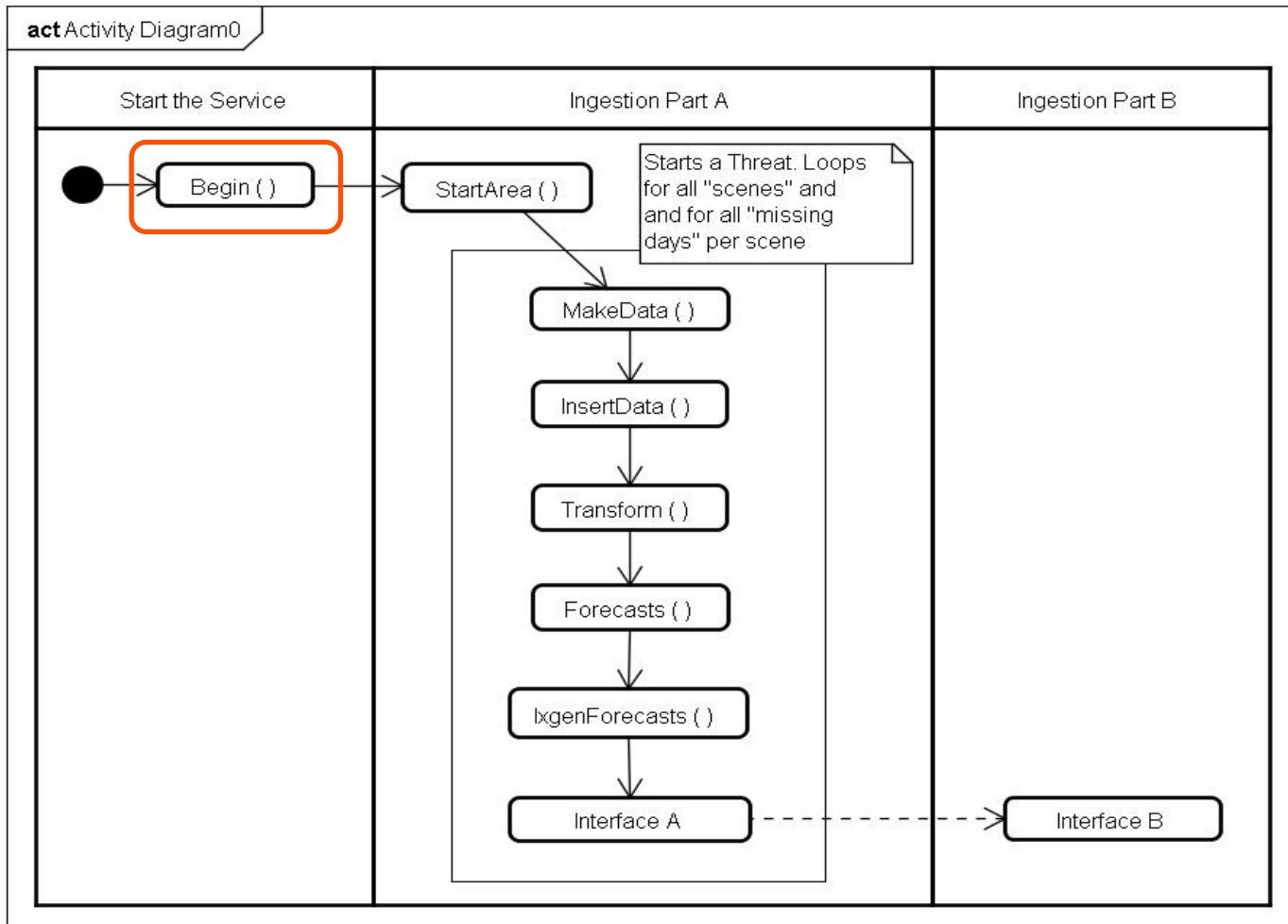
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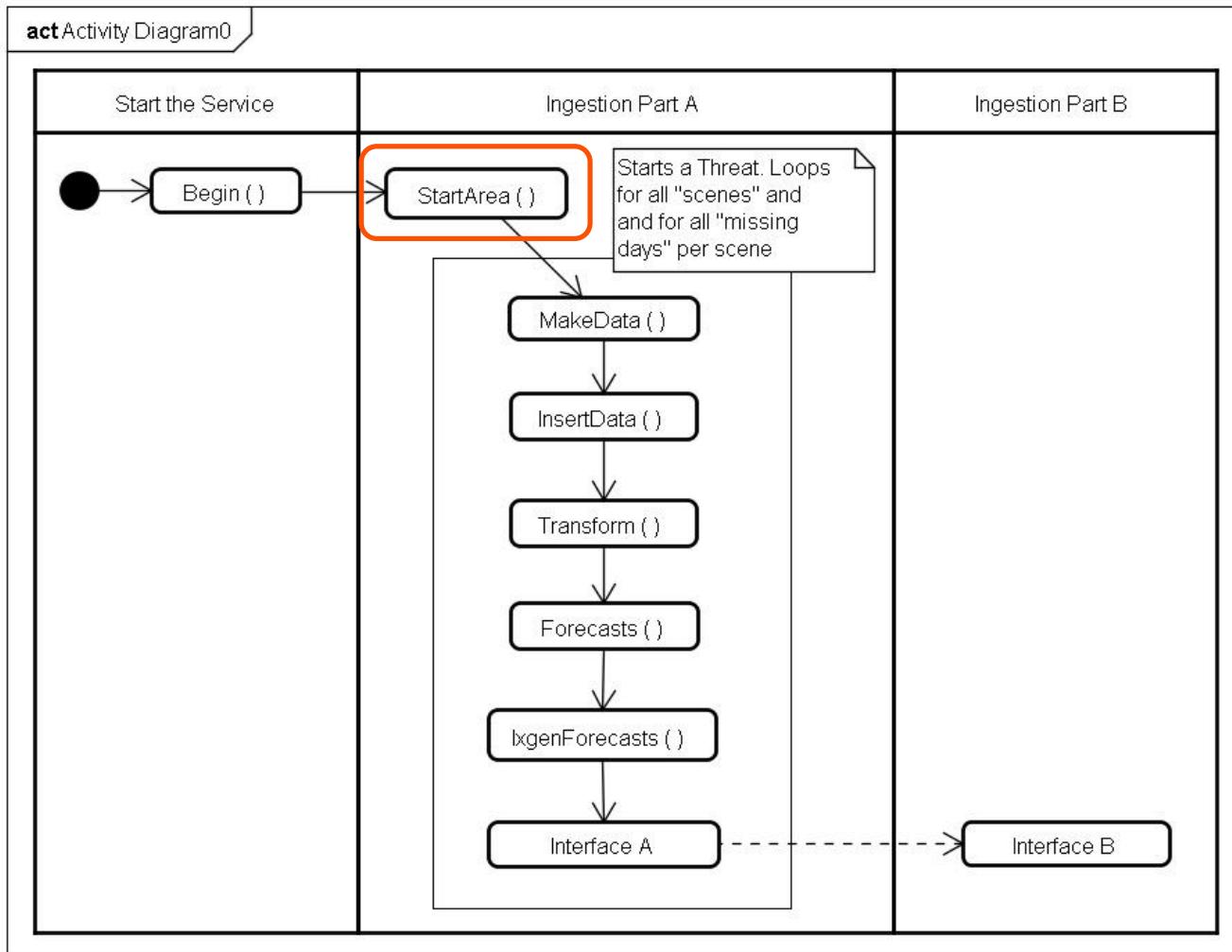
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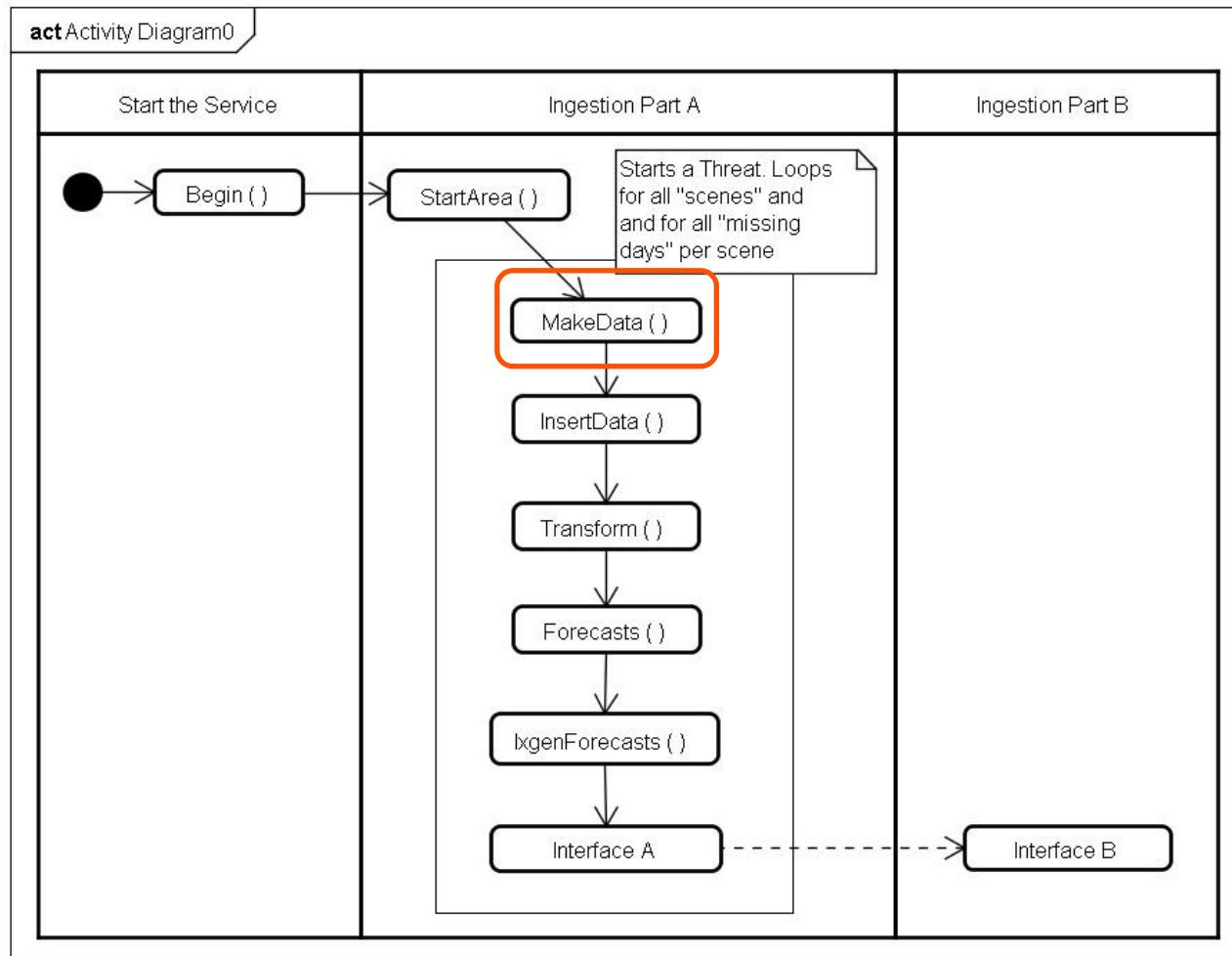
- **Begin ()**

- sets the parameters to download the raw meteorological data for all the active pilot areas called “Scenes”
- defines the BBOX with particular CRS and EGU (e.g.20m.)
- all available and activated “Scenes” are stored in an XML structure which contains only one data type called “Meteo Territory”
- copies the XML attributes in the root directory of the machine where the service is running



- **Start Area ()**

- queries the FTP services given by the “Meteo Territory” in a sequential order (e.g. UoA)
- if any problem occurs in the query, the function attempts after 10 min
- if an FTP area fails to respond, the function searches for the next available FTP server
- compares the “ddmmyy” folders available on the FTP folder structure against the sets of raw data already downloaded
- starts a threat for each day missing and is not prior to “Server installation date” or the “last backup date”



- **Make Data ()**

- downloads the raw meteorological forecasts (7 parameters) for each day missing - usually 121 files (per hour for 5 days, i.e.  $5 \times 24 + 1 = 121$ )
- keeps the names of the files as given by the FTP server (e.g. seihsu\_LL.hhh, where hhh=forecast horizon)
- U10: x-component of wind speed (m/s)
- V10: y-component of wind speed (m/s)
- T2M: air temperature at 2m height (K)
- RH2M: relative humidity at 2m height (%)
- CLOUD: cloud fraction (%)
- MSL: mean sea-level pressure (Pa)
- RAIN: accumulated precipitation for the last 1h (mm)

## Περιεχόμενα φακέλου

<ftp://ftp.mg.uoa.gr/incoming/seihsou/010110/>

Όνομα	Τύπος	Μέγεθος	Χρόνος
SEIHSU_LL.000	Αρχείο 000	32 KB	1/1/2010 12:00:00 πμ
SEIHSU_LL.001	Αρχείο 001	32 KB	1/1/2010 12:00:00 πμ
SEIHSU_LL.002	Αρχείο 002	32 KB	1/1/2010 12:00:00 πμ
SEIHSU_LL.003	Αρχείο 003	32 KB	1/1/2010 12:00:00 πμ
SEIHSU_LL.004	Αρχείο 004	32 KB	1/1/2010 12:00:00 πμ
SEIHSU_LL.005	Αρχείο 005	32 KB	1/1/2010 12:00:00 πμ
SEIHSU_LL.006	Αρχείο 006	32 KB	1/1/2010 12:00:00 πμ
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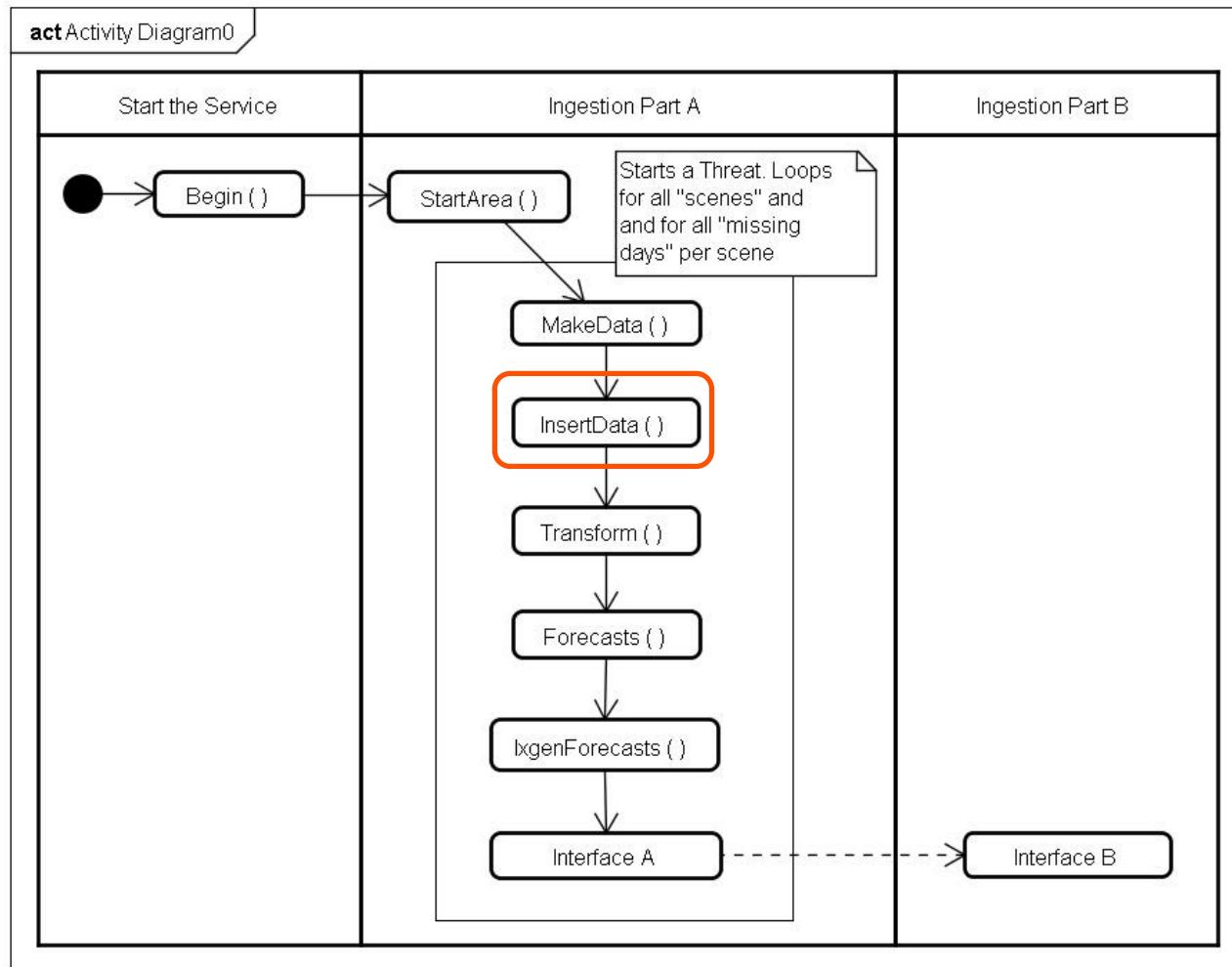
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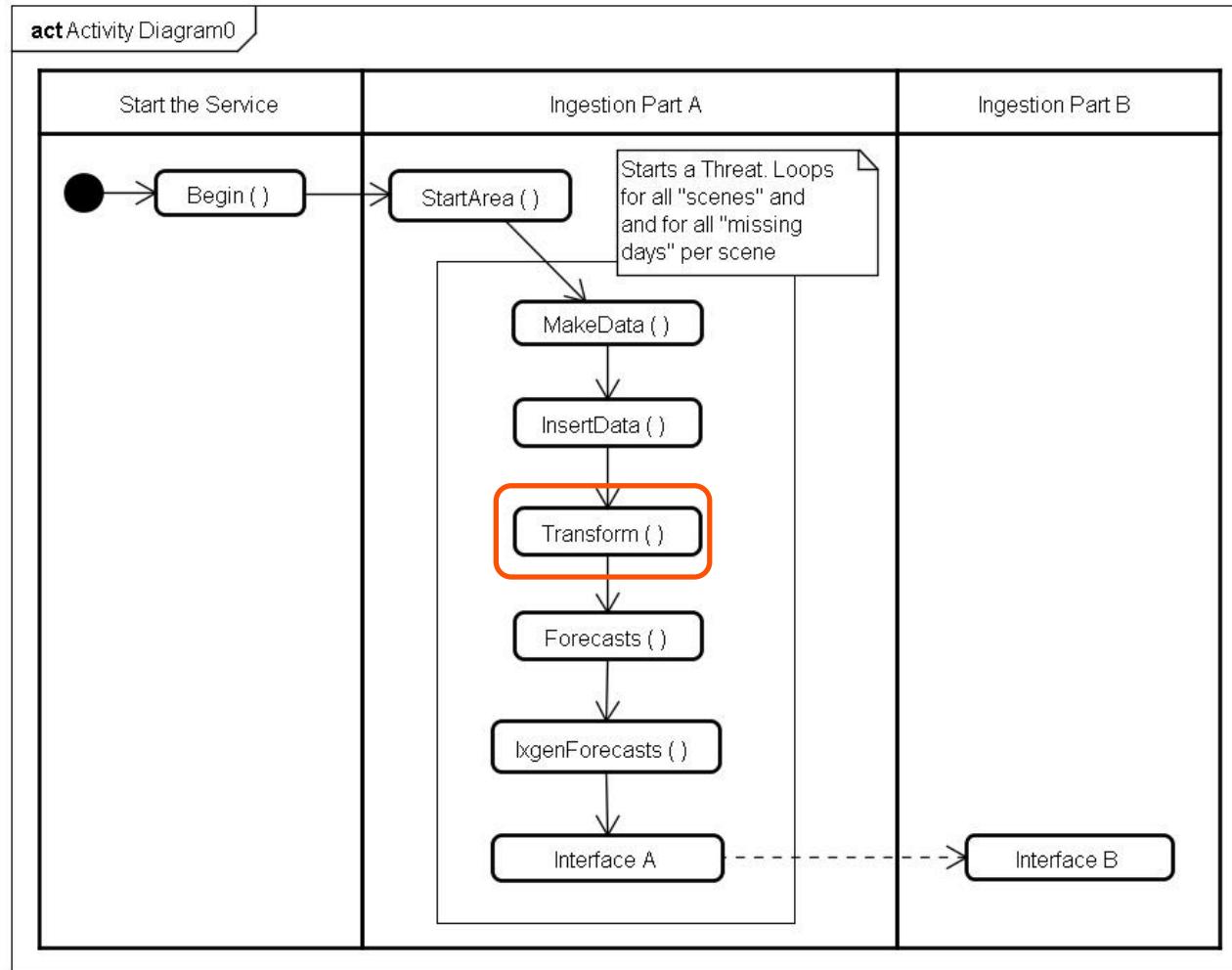
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- **Insert Data ()**

- parses all the files 1-by-1 per day available
- separates the file in 7 blocks (one for each parameter)
- stores the data into the database (PostGIS)

U10	V10				
43.05000	16.25000	-6.421691	43.05000	16.25000	4.696099
43.05000	16.30000	-6.457536	43.05000	16.30000	4.403107
43.05000	16.35000	-6.510066	43.05000	16.35000	4.069227
43.05000	16.40000	-6.572003	43.05000	16.40000	3.720452
43.05000	16.45000	-6.495194	43.05000	16.45000	3.239167
43.05000	16.50000	-6.255976	43.05000	16.50000	2.421854
43.05000	16.55000	-5.981557	43.05000	16.55000	1.219716
43.05000	16.60000	-5.560592	43.05000	16.60000	8.2355142E-03
43.05000	16.65000	-5.352507	43.05000	16.65000	-0.7028813
43.05000	16.70000	-5.281198	43.05000	16.70000	-1.087345
43.05000	16.75000	-5.349058	43.05000	16.75000	-0.7199348
43.05000	16.80000	-5.518385	43.05000	16.80000	-2.2914171E-02
43.05000	16.85000	-5.525542	43.05000	16.85000	0.1791499
43.05000	16.90000	-5.250029	43.05000	16.90000	0.1292210
43.05000	16.95000	-5.191285	43.05000	16.95000	2.9865503E-02
43.05000	17.00000	-5.138137	43.05000	17.00000	-0.1486912
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43.05000	17.10000	-4.976244	43.05000	17.10000	-0.1832494
1/10/: 43.05000	17.15000	-4.257140	43.05000	17.15000	-8.2013965E-02
43.05000	17.20000	-3.607817	43.05000	17.20000	3.1595100E-02
43.10000	16.25000	-6.438410	43.10000	16.25000	4.747495



- **Transform ()**

→ Wind Speed (WSP) transformation

- transforms U10 (x component, m/s) and V10 (y component, m/s) to WPS (m/sec)

$$WSP = \sqrt{U10^2 + V10^2}$$

→ Wind Direction (WDI) transformation

- transforms U10 (x component, m/sec) and V10 (y component, m/sec) to WDI (degrees)

$$\tan \theta = \frac{x}{y} = \frac{U10}{V10} \Rightarrow \theta = \text{Arc} \tan \frac{U10}{V10}$$

- **Transform ()**

- Temperature (TEM) transformation: Transforms T2M (Kelvin) to TEM (Celsius)

$$TEM_{Celsius} = TEM_{Kelvin} - 273.15$$

- Rain precipitation (PPD) transformation: Transforms RAIN (rain precipitation per hour, mm) to PPD (rain precipitation per day, mm) >> 5 PPD files are produced

$$PPD_{001-012} = PPH_{001} + PPH_{002} \dots + PPH_{012}$$

$$PPD_{013-036} = PPH_{013} + PPH_{014} \dots + PPH_{036}$$

$$PPD_{037-060} = PPH_{037} + PPH_{038} \dots + PPH_{060}$$

$$PPD_{061-084} = PPH_{061} + PPH_{062} \dots + PPH_{084}$$

$$PPD_{085-108} = PPH_{085} + PPH_{086} \dots + PPH_{108}$$

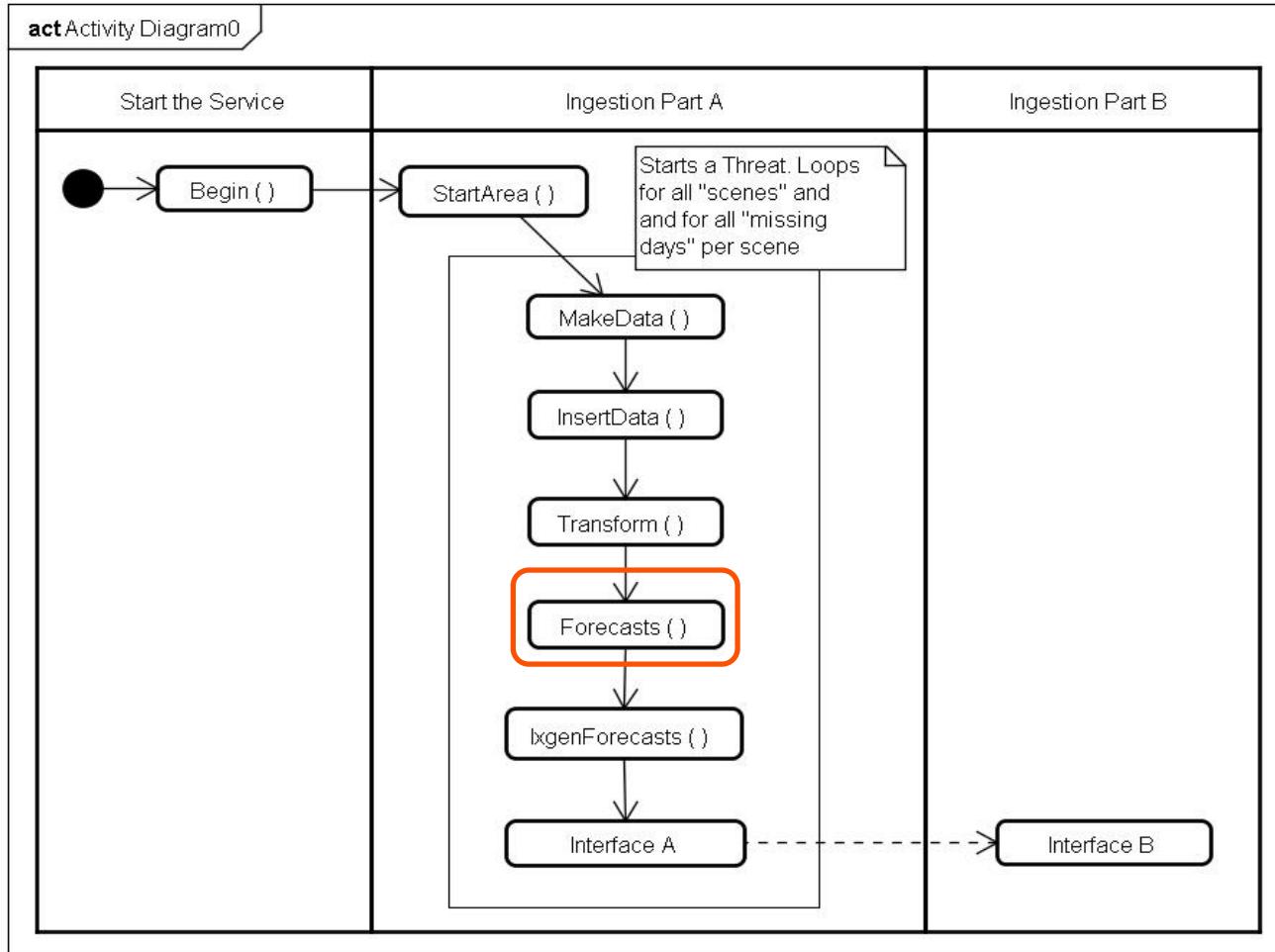
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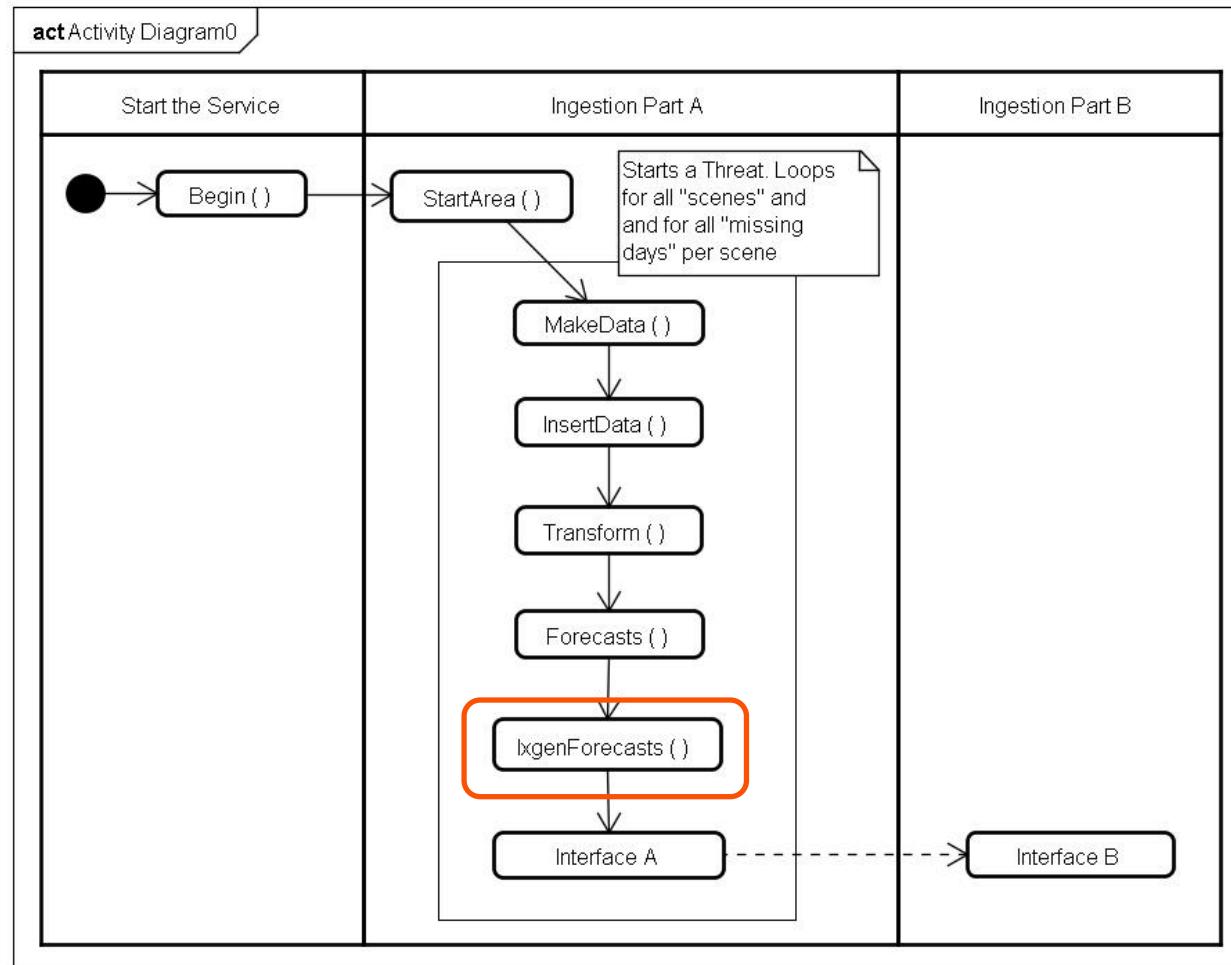
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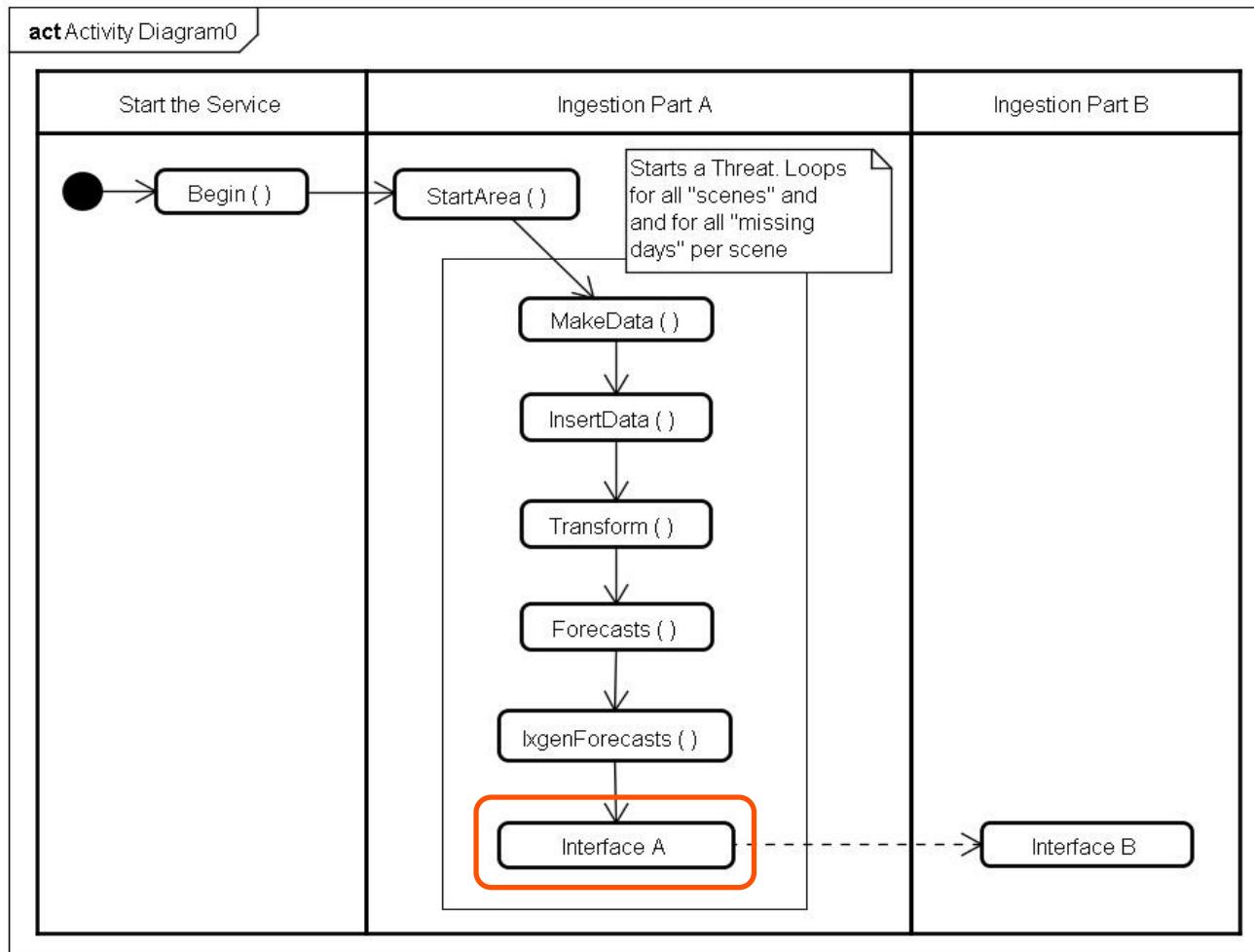
- **Forecasts ()**

- ➔ georeferences the raw data to forecast maps
- ➔ resample data at higher resolution (e.g. from 1km to 20m to make them operational at regional level)
- ➔ creates 7 sets of 121 ascii files and stores them to the DB
- ➔ follows the name convention SSS\_YYYYMMDDHHNN\_hhh\_XXX
  - SSS: scene identifier (e.g. 001)
  - YYYY: year
  - MM: month
  - DD: day
  - HH: hour
  - NN: minutes
  - hhh: forecast identifier (e.g. 001 to 121)
  - XXX: code identifier for each parameter (e.g. WSP)



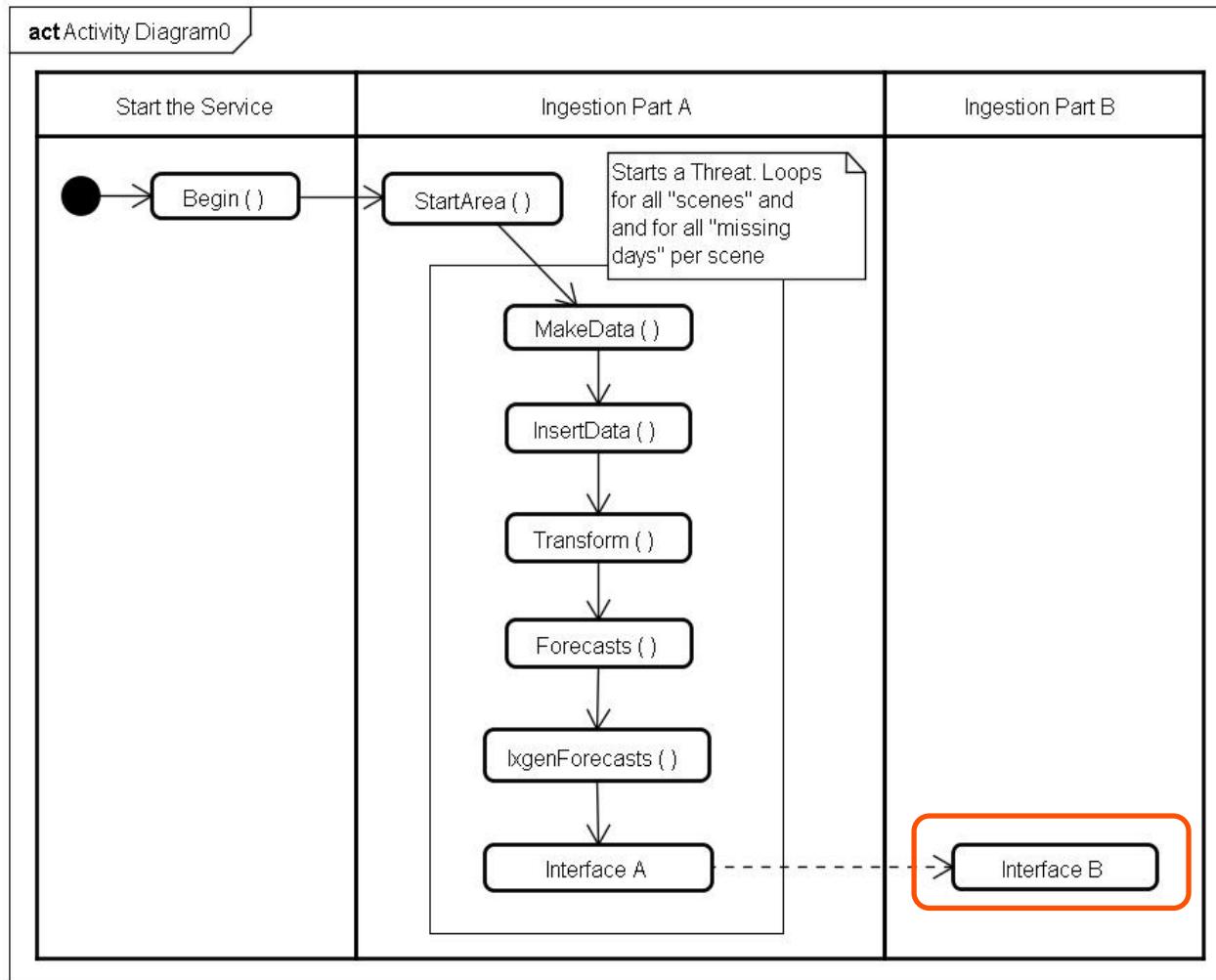
- **Ixgen ()**

- creates 8 meteorological indexes related to forest fires
- stores the indexes into the database
- follows the name convention  
`SSS_YYYYMMDDHHNN_hhh_XXX`
  - SSS: scene identifier (e.g. 001)
  - YYYY: year
  - MM: month
  - DD: day
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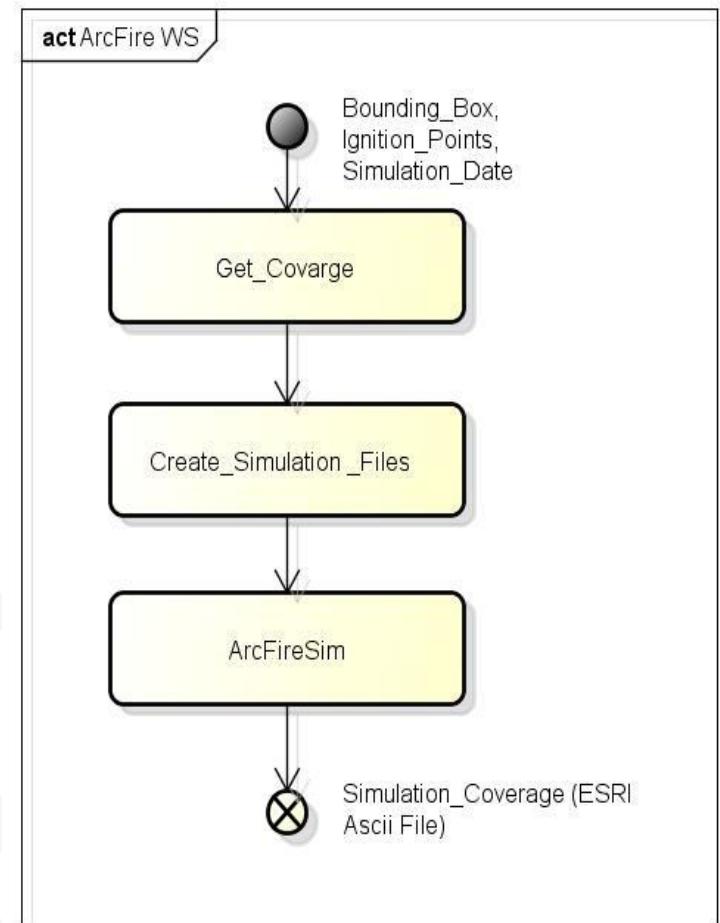


- **Interface A () → Geobatch**

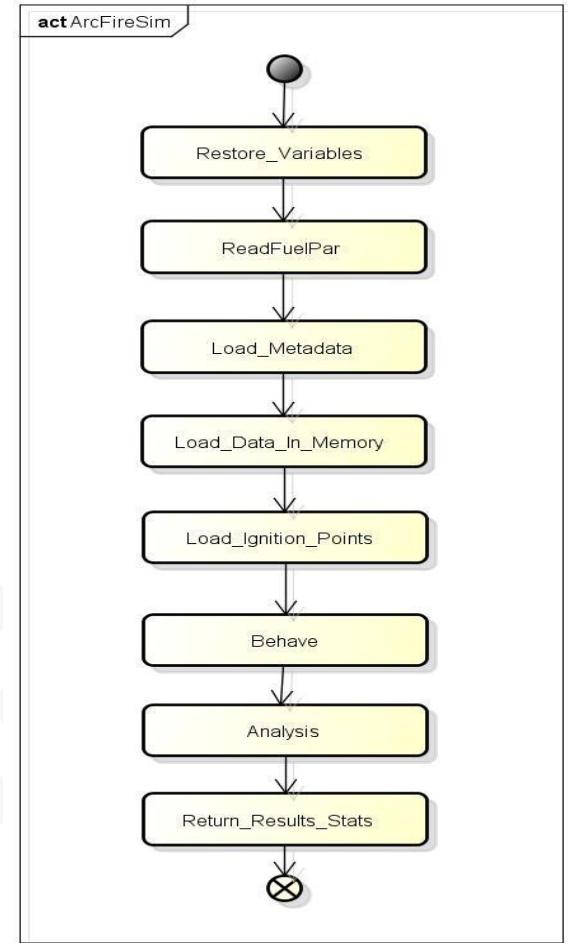
- collects the categories, zips the packages and sends them to the eENVplus Geoserver
  - BYR: fire maximum linear intensity, KW/m
  - CLO: cloud coverage (%)
  - DFM: dead fuel moisture (%)
  - HRE: air relative humidity (%)
  - PIG: probability of ignition (%)
  - PPD: air precipitation per day (mm)
  - PPH: air precipitation per hour (mm)
  - TEM: air temperature (celsius)
  - WDI: wind direction (degrees)
  - WSP: wind speed (m/sec)



- Defines the BBOX, the ignition points and the simulation date
- Requests the necessary data using a WCS GetCoverage request
- Creates the simulation folders
- Runs the ArcFireSim
- Produces the simulation coverage output



- restores the variables
- reads fuel parameters -**INSPIRE**
- loads the metadata in memory  
(reads the files ASP, SLO, FMO, DFM, WDI, WSP)
- loads ignition points
- Behave () does all the pre-calculation for all fuel models
- Analysis () does the cellular automatic analysis process
- returns the results and statistics



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