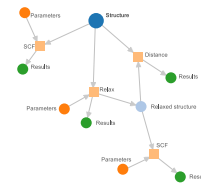
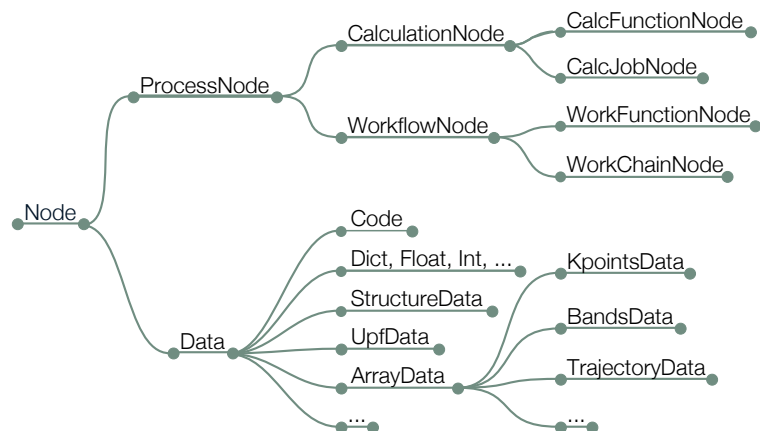


# The AiiDA cheat sheet



## The main AiiDA Node subclasses



To load an existing node: `load_node(<id>)`  
Where `<id>` may be either the `pk`, `UUID`, or `label`

To load a class, either import it from `aiida.orm` or use the `DataFactory` (returning `Data` subclasses) or the `CalculationFactory` (returning `CalcJobNode` subclasses)

## Importing classes

### ORM and the Factories

Import `aiida-core` Node classes from `aiida.orm` using their class name:

```
from aiida.orm import CalcJobNode
from aiida.orm import Dict
```

Import `Data` classes via the `DataFactory` using `<label>`s:

```
KpointsData = DataFactory("array.kpoints")
MyData = DataFactory("plugin.my")
```

Other `<label>`s for `Data`:

```
"upf", "array", "array.bands", "dict", ...
```

Import `CalcJob` classes via the `CalculationFactory`:

```
PwCalculation =
    CalculationFactory("quantumpresso.pw")
```

Other `<label>`s for `Calculations`:

```
"quantumpresso.ph", "vasp.scf", ...
```

Import `WorkChain` classes via the `WorkflowFactory`.

## Main attributes and methods

Note: each derived class inherits all the methods of the parent class

Node	
<code>pk</code>	Node ID
<code>label</code>	Short label
<code>uuid</code>	Unique ID
<code>ctime</code>	Creation time
<code>mtime</code>	Modification time
<code>get_incoming()</code>	Get input
<code>get_outgoing()</code>	Get output
<code>inputs</code>	All inputs generator
<code>outputs</code>	All outputs generator
<code>attributes</code>	Queryable attributes
<code>get_attribute(k)</code>	Attribute 'k'
<code>extras</code>	Queryable extras
<code>get_extra(&lt;k&gt;)</code>	Extra 'k'
<code>set_extra(&lt;k&gt;, &lt;v&gt;)</code>	Set extra k = v
<code>get_comments()</code>	All comments
<code>add_comment(&lt;c&gt;)</code>	Add comment with content <c>
<code>store()</code>	Save node in DB

StructureData	
<code>cell</code>	Lattice vectors
<code>sites</code>	Atomic sites
<code>kinds</code>	Species with masses, symbols, ...
<code>pbcc</code>	Periodic bound. cond. along each axis
<code>get_formula()</code>	Chemical formula
<code>get_cell_volume()</code>	Compute cell volume
<code>convert(&lt;fmt&gt;)</code>	Convert to ASE, pymatgen, ...
<code>set_cell(&lt;c&gt;)</code>	Set lattice vectors
<code>set_ase(&lt;a&gt;)</code>	Create cell from ASE
<code>set_pymatgen(&lt;p&gt;)</code>	Create cell from pymatgen
<code>append_atom(symbols=&lt;symp&gt;, position=&lt;p&gt;)</code>	Add atom of type 'symp' at position 'p'

KpointsData	
<code>set_kpoints(&lt;k&gt;)</code>	Set an explicit list of kpoints 'k' (optionally with weights)
<code>get_kpoints()</code>	Get explicit list of kpts (if stored explicitly)
<code>set_kpoints_mesh(&lt;m&gt;)</code>	Set an implicit mesh (e.g. 'm'=3x2x5)
<code>get_kpoints_mesh()</code>	Get the implicit mesh (if stored implicitly)

Code	
<code>load_code(&lt;id&gt;)</code>	Load code using <code>pk</code> , <code>UUID</code> , or <code>label</code>
<code>get_builder()</code>	Return new builder using this code

Dict	
<code>dict.&lt;k&gt;</code>	Get value for key 'k'
<code>keys()</code>	Get all keys generator
<code>get_dict()</code>	Get all key/values
<code>set_dict(&lt;dict&gt;)</code>	Replace all key/values

CalcJobNode	
<code>process_state</code>	Calc. process state
<code>exit_status</code>	Exit status or int code
<code>is_finished</code>	Has calc. finished?
<code>is_failed</code>	Has calc. failed?
<code>computer</code>	Computer where it is running
<code>inputs.code</code>	Code used to run
<code>get_job_id()</code>	Scheduler job ID
<code>get_options()</code>	Get # machines, MPI procs per machine, ...
<code>res.&lt;k&gt;</code>	Value of parsed output 'k'

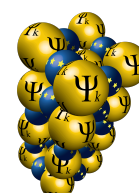
Data	
<code>export()</code>	Export to file
<code>_exportcontent()</code>	Export to string
<code>importfile()</code>	Import from file
<code>importstring()</code>	Import from string

ArrayData	
<code>get_arraynames()</code>	Names of all arrays
<code>get_array(&lt;n&gt;)</code>	Get array named 'n'
<code>set_array(&lt;n&gt;, &lt;a&gt;)</code>	Set/store array 'a' with name 'n'

### Useful links:

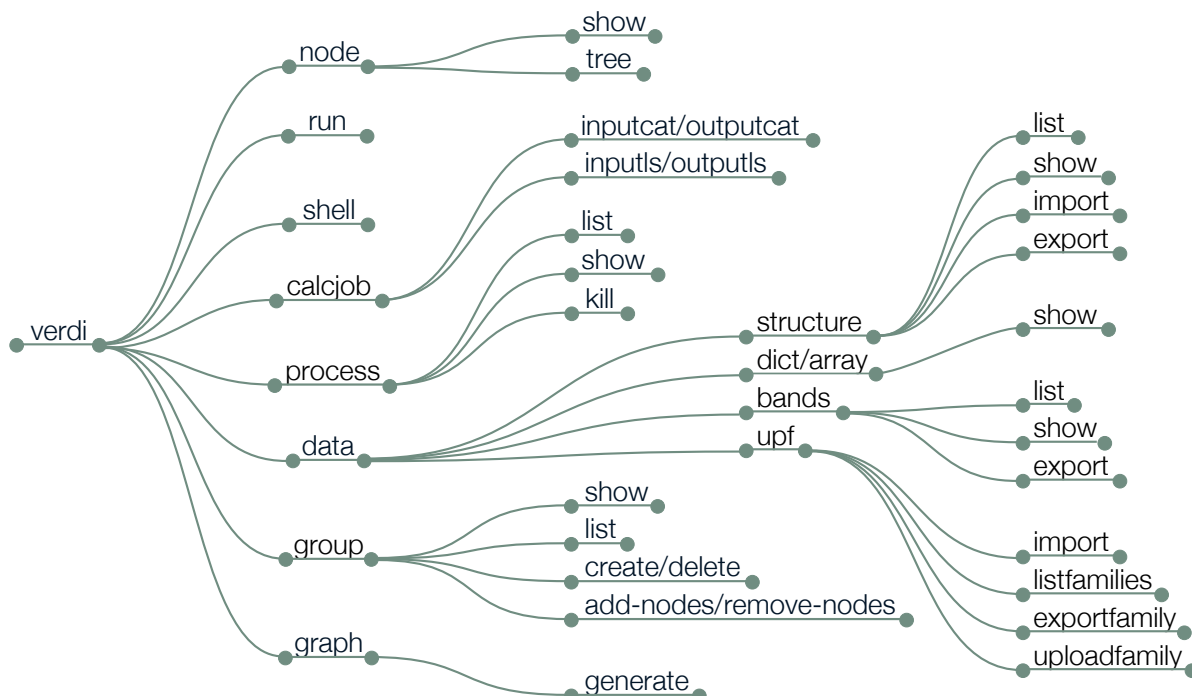
Tutorial website:  
[aiida-tutorials.readthedocs.io](http://aiida-tutorials.readthedocs.io)

AiiDA documentation:  
[aiida-core.readthedocs.io/en/latest](http://aiida-core.readthedocs.io/en/latest)



## The verdi command-line tool

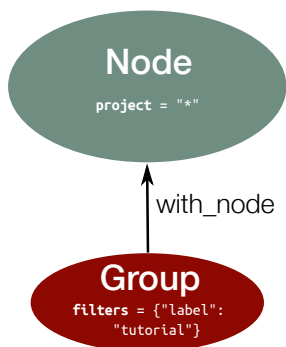
This list shows only the most common commands. Use TAB auto-completion at any level for full list



## The QueryBuilder

To import: `from aiida.orm import QueryBuilder`

Fetch all nodes of group "tutorial"



```

qb = QueryBuilder()
qb.append(Node,
    tag="nodes",
    project="*")

qb.append(Group,
    with_node="nodes",
    filters={"label": "tutorial"})

qb.all()
  
```

Print the smearing energy calculated for BaO<sub>3</sub>Ti if it is smaller than 10<sup>-4</sup> eV

```

qb = QueryBuilder()
qb.append(
    StructureData,
    project=["extras.formula"],
    filters={"extras.formula": "BaO3Ti"},
    tag="structure")

qb.append(
    CalcJobNode,
    tag="calculation",
    with_incoming="structure")

qb.append(
    Dict,
    tag="results",
    filters={"attributes.energy_smearing":
    {"<=": -0.0001}},
    project=[
        "attributes.energy_smearing",
        "attributes.energy_smearing_units"
    ],
    with_incoming="calculation")

qb.all()
  
```

