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With meta-data, we identify all data that surrounds a slide, but that is not graphical. The actual pixels (or viewport representation) of a slide are *not* meta-data. Annotations can be considered meta-data in the semantic sense, but they're link to graphical activities as well. So annotations are discussed elsewhere in this manual.

There is a blog article that serves as a complementary tutorial to this blog entry. In the article, we consider 3 types of meta-data in PMA.core:

Meta-data	Location	Storage
Intrinsic meta-data	Embedded in the slide's file format	File system or cloud FS
User-captured meta-data	Stored in PMA.core	PMA.core RDBMS (SQLServer)
External meta-data	Stored in own (customer) database	SQLServer or Oracle

Intrinsic meta-data

This type of data can be consulted via the Image Management's left panel, or more directly via the API.

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