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Driving digital research and providing services to the Life, Natural and Medical Sciences



Create and publish reusable data in the life sciences

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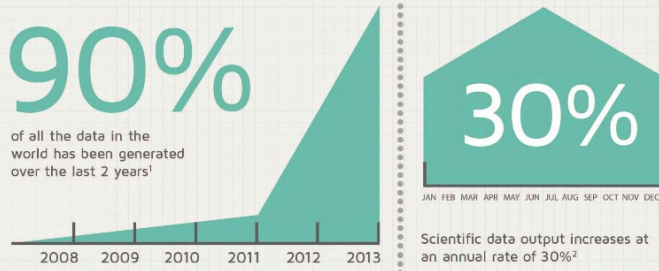
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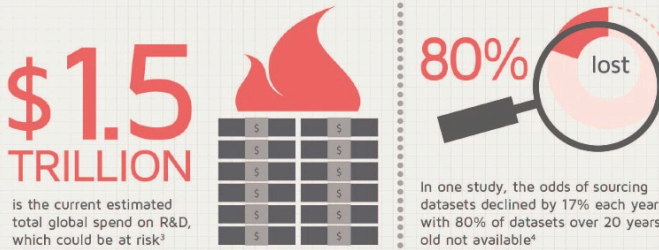
Love your data - practise safe science



Data output is growing rapidly



Despite significant investment, data is not being managed effectively



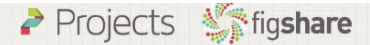
Much of the data remains unverifiable



Five Top Reasons to Protect Your Data and Practise Safe Science



Author: Julia Giddings
Date posted: January 13, 2014 in News

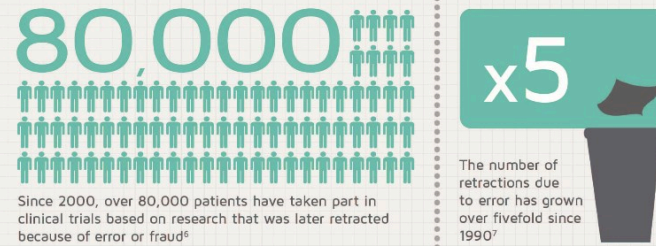


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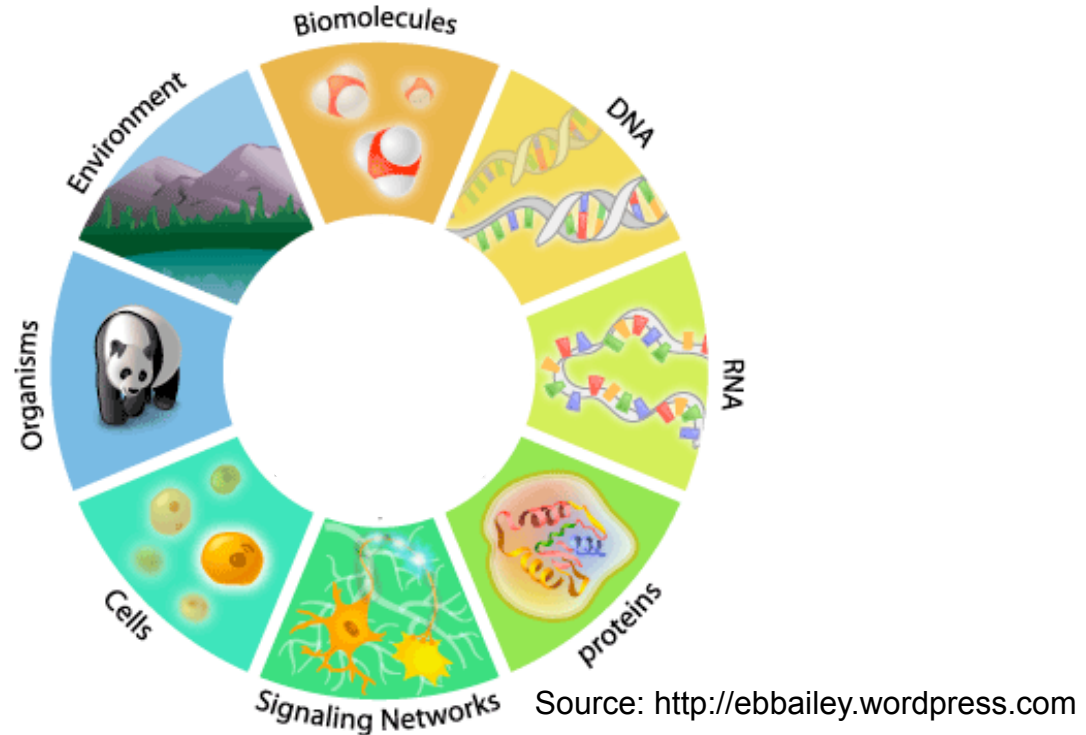
Time and money is wasted, impacting on science and society



Funders now require data management and sharing policies



Worldwide movement for FAIR data



- **Researchers** and **bioinformaticians** in both *academic* and *commercial science*, along with **funding agencies** and **publishers**, embrace the concept that both
 - DATA: *entities of interest e.g.*, genes, metabolites, phenotypes and
 - METADATA: *experimental steps e.g.*, provenance of study materials, technology and measurement typesshould be **Findable**, **Accessible**, **Interoperable** and **Reusable**

In all fairness, no much data is FAIR!

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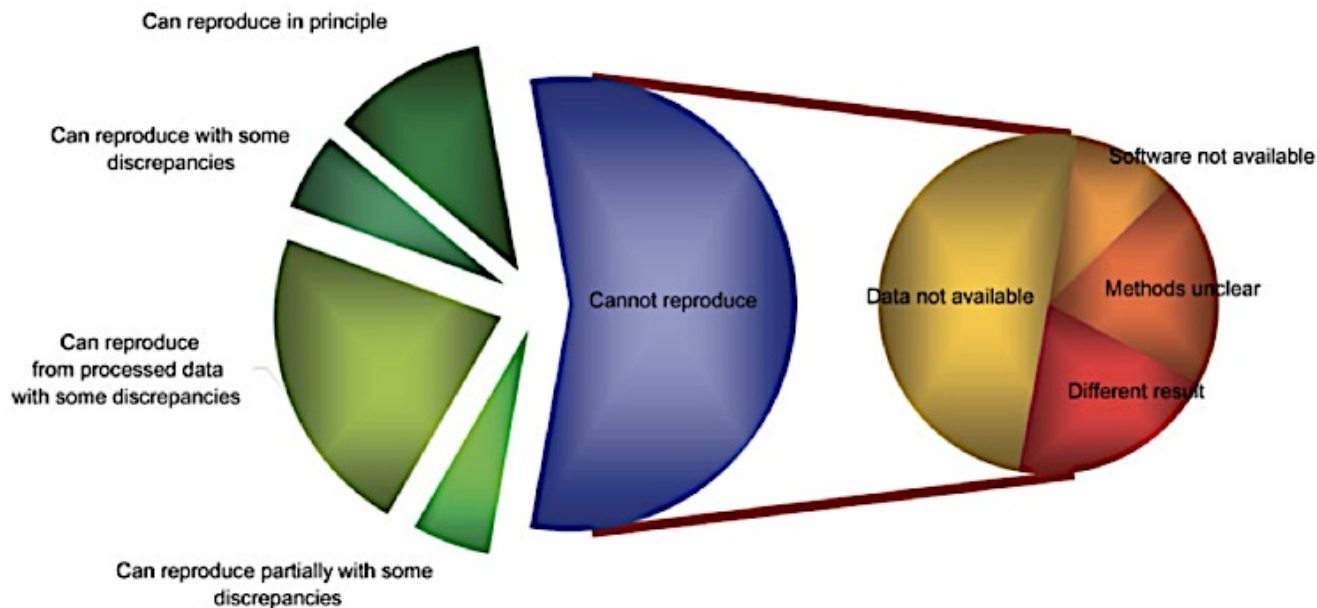
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Roles and responsibilities

POLICY NAME

BBSRC Data Sharing Policy

Policy on Data sharing and Preservation

CDER Data Standards Plan Version 1.0

Genomics: GTL Program Information and Data Sharing Policy (Office of Biological and Environment)

ESRC Data Policies and Standards

EPSRC Policy Framework on Research Data

Communication calling for uniform policies across Member Nations

ESF mainly provides network funding therefore researchers are expected to follow policies of the national agencies that directly provide research funding.

GBMF Data Sharing Philosophy and Plan

MRC Data Sharing and Preservation Policy

NIH Data Sharing Policy

NSF Data Sharing Policy and Data Management Plan Requirements

NERC Data Policy

WT Policy on Data Management and Sharing

Data Sharing Policy and Guidelines

OECD Principles and Guidelines for Access to Research Data from Public Funding

Sharing research data to improve public health: joint statement of purpose

Genome Canada Data Release and Resource Sharing Policy

American Geophysical Union (AGU) Publications Data Policy

EXPERT ADVISORY GROUP ON DATA ACCESS

ESTABLISHING INCENTIVES AND CHANGING CULTURES TO SUPPORT DATA ACCESS

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NIH Presses Journals to Focus on Reproducibility of Studies

By Paul Basken

A group of leading medical-journal editors, convened by the National Institutes of Health, this week endorsed a set of guidelines intended to tackle the widespread problem of scientific findings that cannot be replicated.

About 40 editors, representing journals that include *Science* and *Nature*, reached a "general agreement" about what they must accept as their responsibility for ensuring the reproducibility of their published findings, the NIH director, Francis S. Collins, said on Thursday.

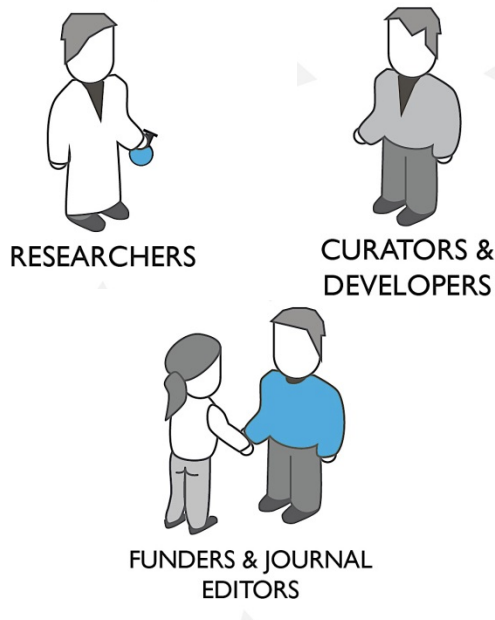
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Communities we work with/for:

- Describe my experiments
- Share info with my group
- Store for query & access
- Upload to analysis tool
- Compare with similar data
- etc.....



RESEARCHERS



CURATORS & DEVELOPERS



FUNDERS & JOURNAL EDITORS

- Support the needs of our researchers
- Enhancing our existing tools; develop new components, or connect with other tools
- Comply to community standards
- etc....

- Drive data reusability agenda
- Recommend tools, data resources and standards in data policies
- Criteria for endorsement
- Mapping the ecosystem of efforts
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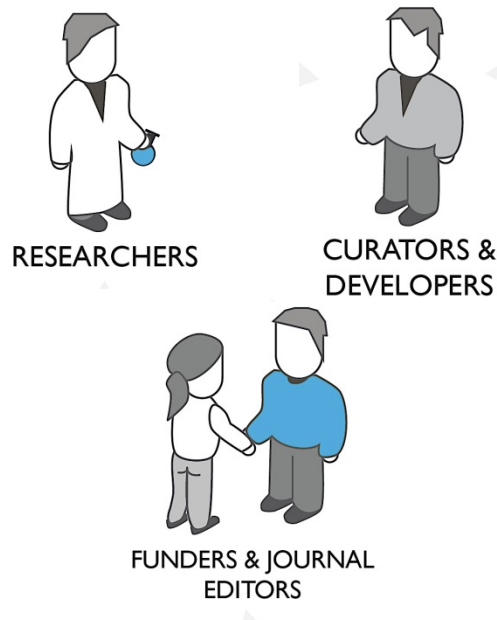
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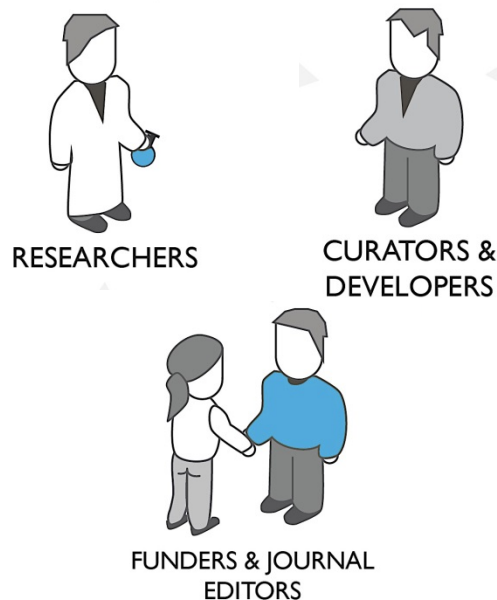
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As part of:

- UK, European and international consortia
- Pre-competitive informatics public-private partnerships
- Standardization initiatives





Our activities are *around* and *in* support of
data **curation**, **management** and **publication**
and their pivotal roles in

enabling FAIR data and research, driving science and discoveries

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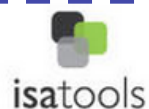
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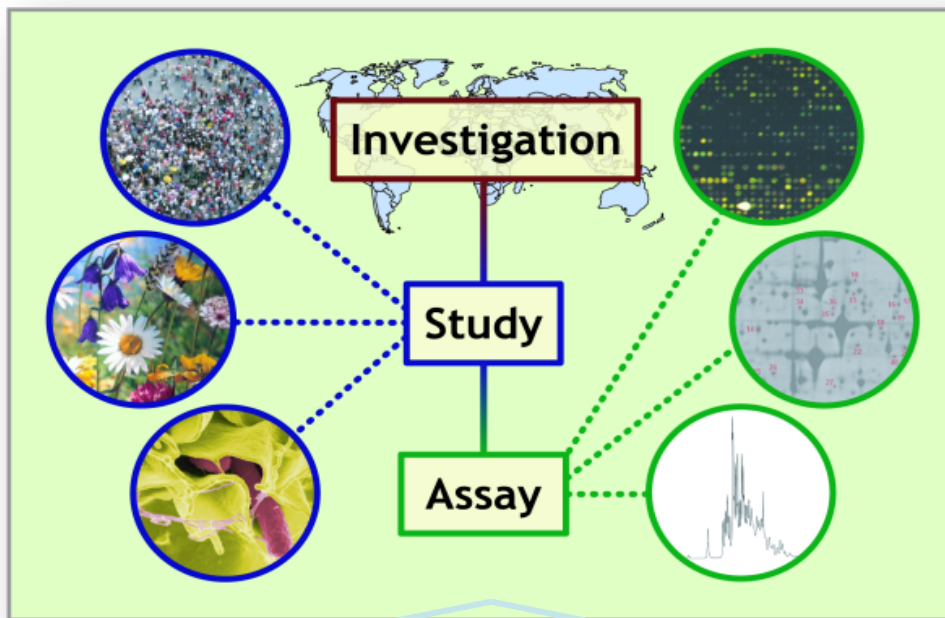


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collect and curate, following standards



store and browse, locally or publicly



submit to public repositories



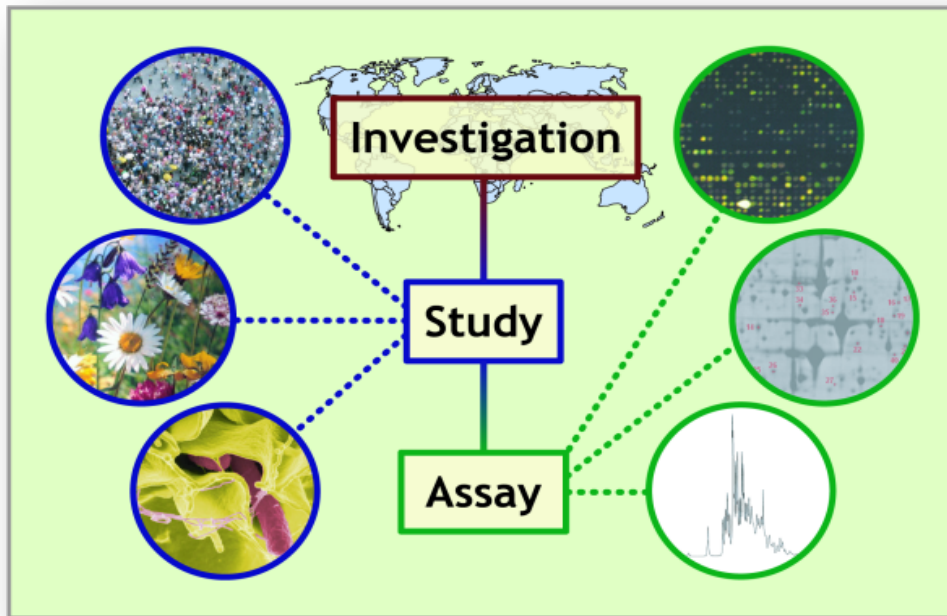
analyse with existing tools



release, reason and nanopublish



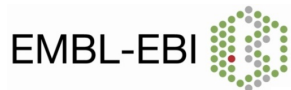
publish data along your article



user community



ISA powers data collection, curation resources and repositories, e.g.:



experimental design

sample characteristic(s)

experimental variable(s)

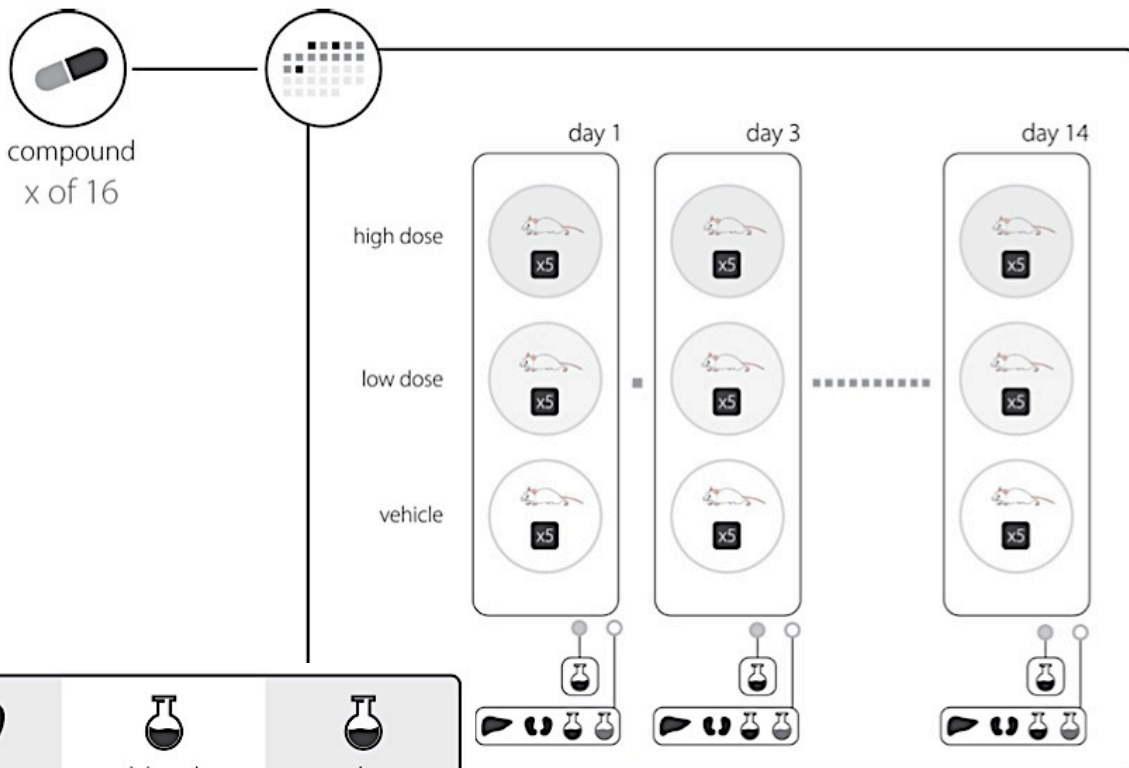
technology(s)

measurement(s)

protocols(s)

data file(s)

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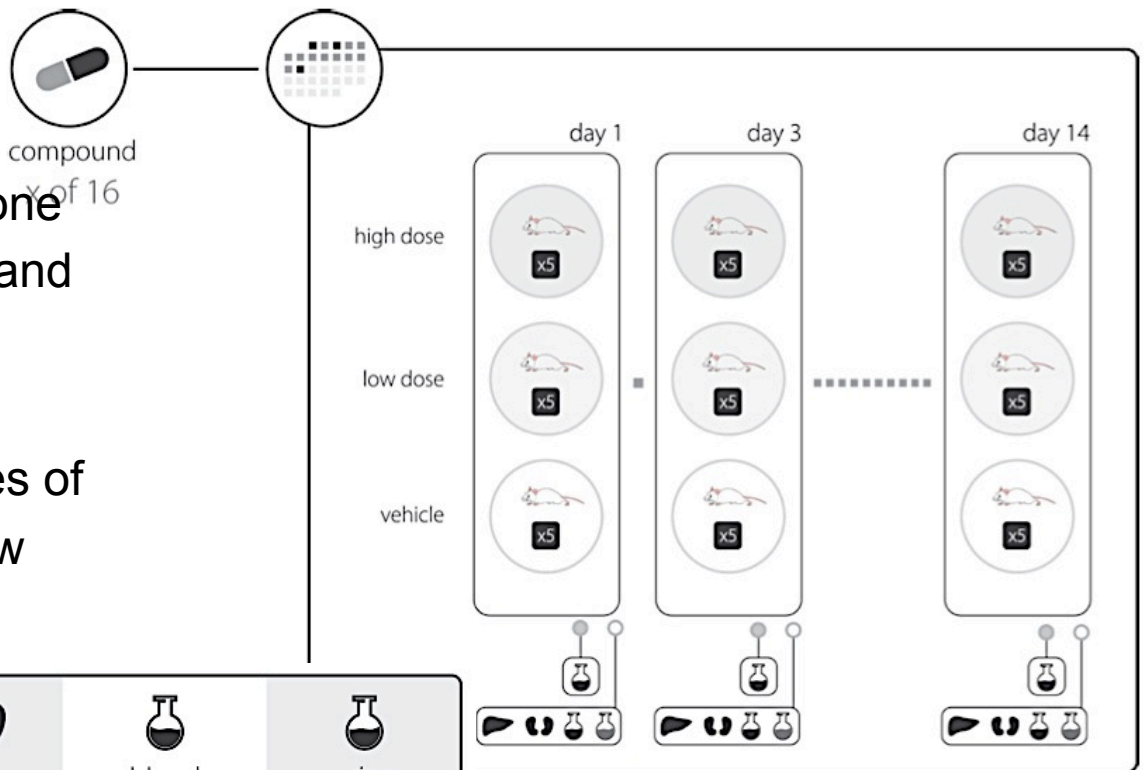
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metabolite profiling by nmr spectroscopy	✓	✓	✓		✓
histology	✓	✓			
clinical chemistry			✓	✓	✓
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720 animals
16 compounds
3 doses
~20,000 assays

- To make this dataset 'FAIR', one must have **tools, standards** and **best practices** to:

- report sufficient details
- capture all salient features of the experimental workflow

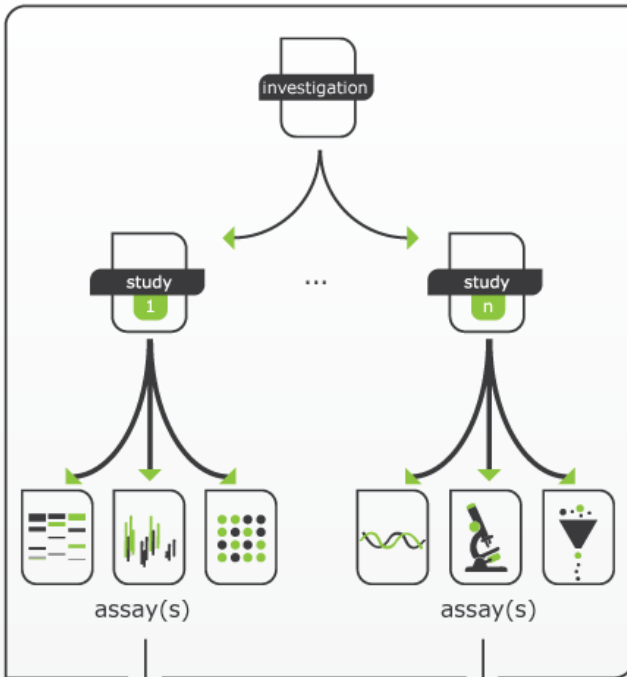


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- make annotation explicit and discoverable
- structure the descriptions for consistency
- ensure/regulate access
- deposit and publish
- etc....

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high level concept to link related studies

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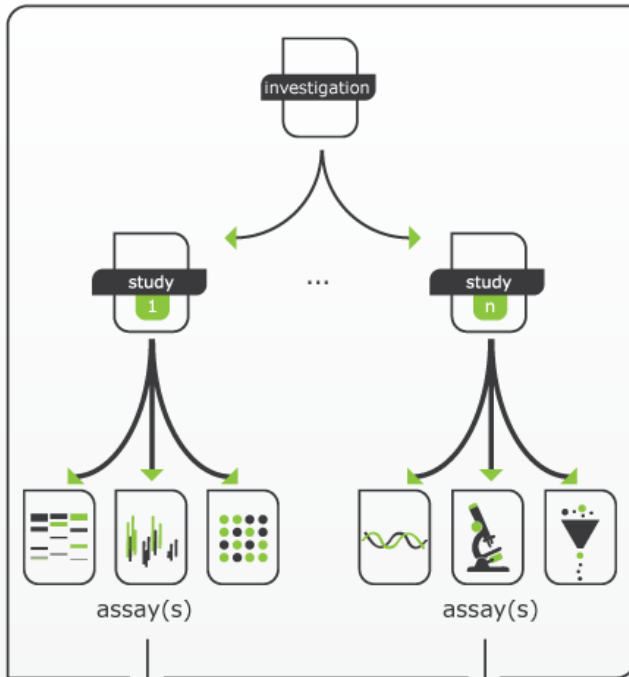
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- conversions to - a growing number of - other metadata formats

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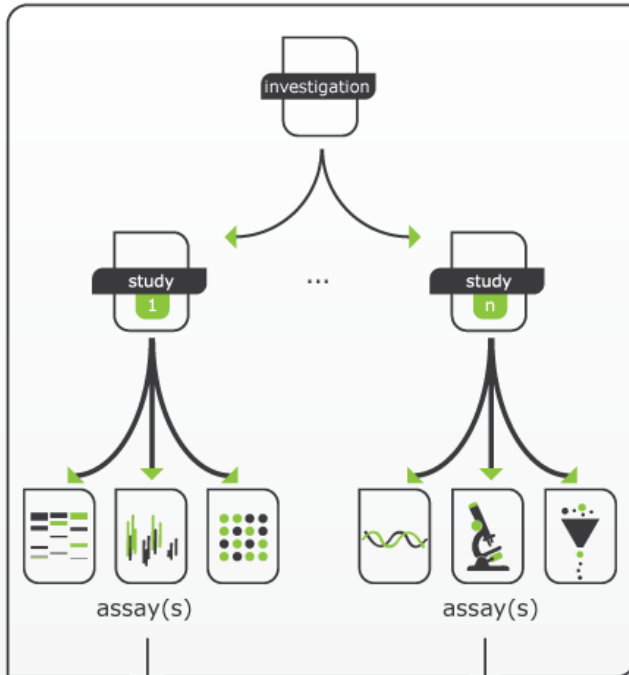
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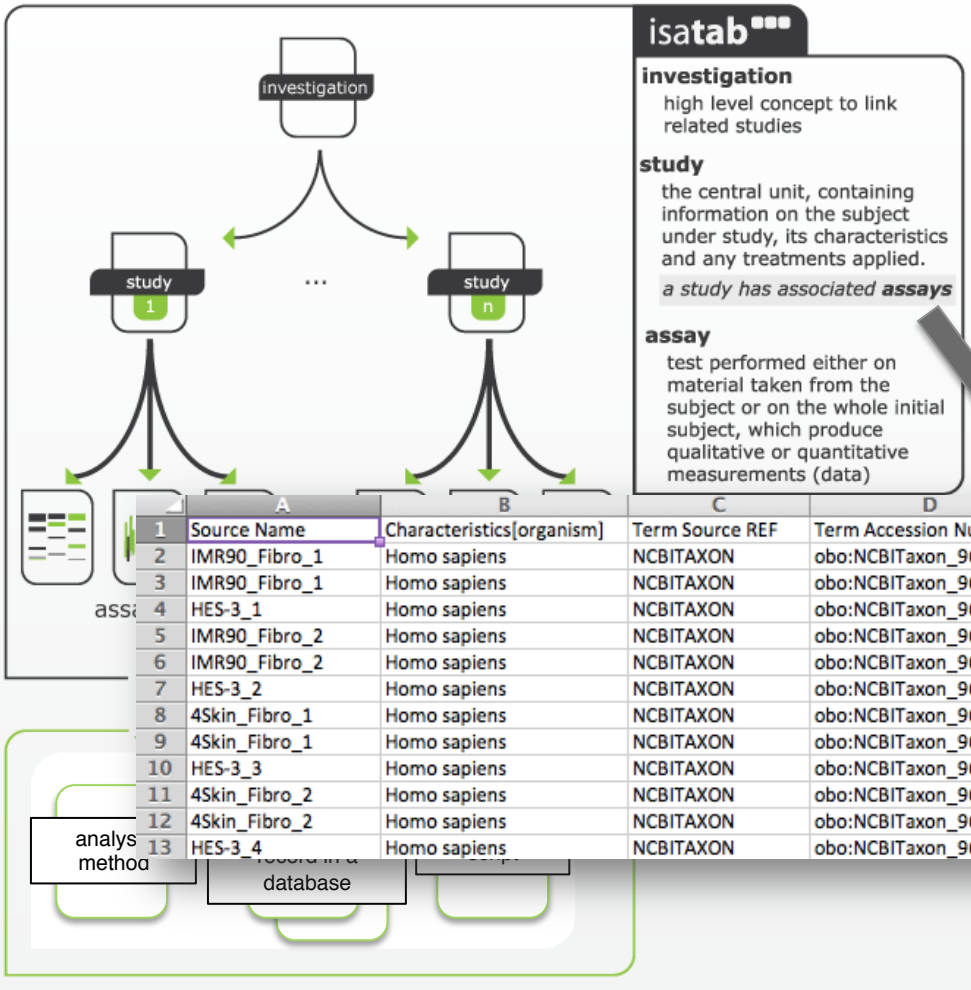
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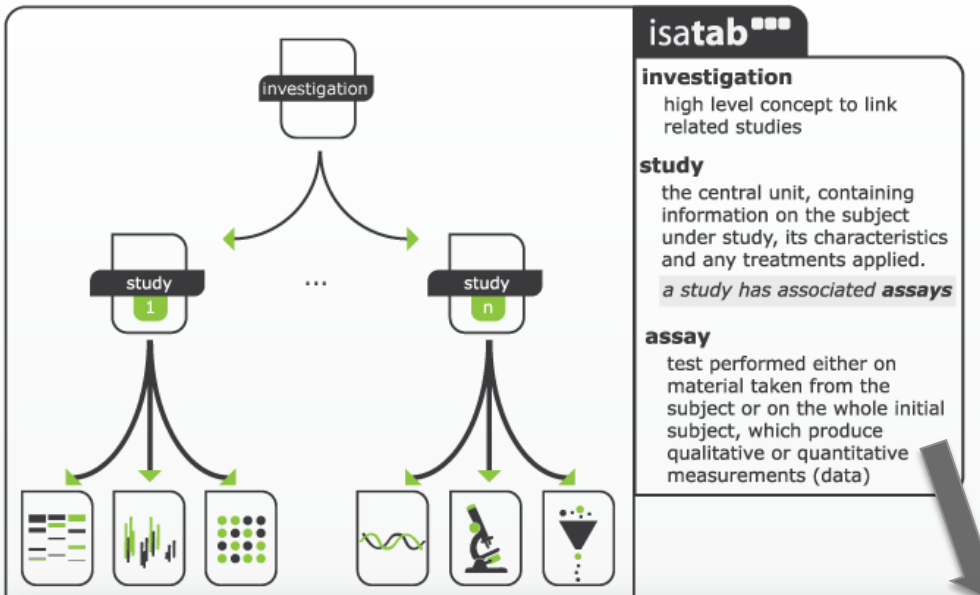
- local, institute-based
- project, consortium-based
- global, international repositories
- and another 'data journal, *GigaScience* in GigaDB

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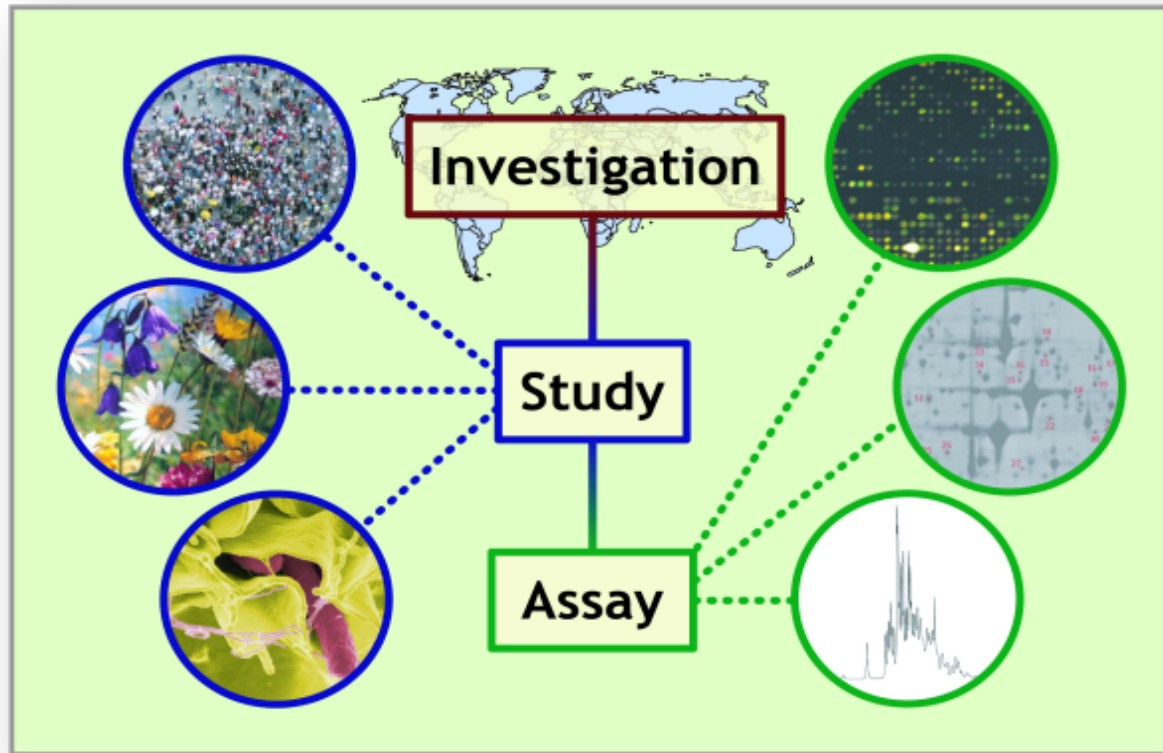
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ProteomeXchange

Data Set Summary

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- AnnouncementDate: 2013-02-01
- AnnouncementXML: Submission_2013-02-01_04 04 10.xml
- DigitalObjectIdentifier:
- ReviewLevel: Peer-reviewed dataset
- DatasetOrigin: Original data
- RepositorySupport: Unsupported dataset by repository
- PrimarySubmitter: Teck Yew Low
- Title: The quantitative proteomes of human-induced pluripotent stem cells and embryonic stem cells
- Description: Assessing relevant molecular differences between human-induced pluripotent stem cells (hiPSCs) and human embryonic stem cells (hESCs) is important, given that such differences may impact their potential therapeutic use. Controversy surrounds recent gene expression studies comparing hiPSCs and hESCs. Here, we present an in-depth quantitative mass spectrometry-based analysis of hESCs, two different hiPSCs and their precursor fibroblast cell lines. Our comparisons confirmed the high similarity of hESCs and hiPSCs at the proteome level as 97.8% of the



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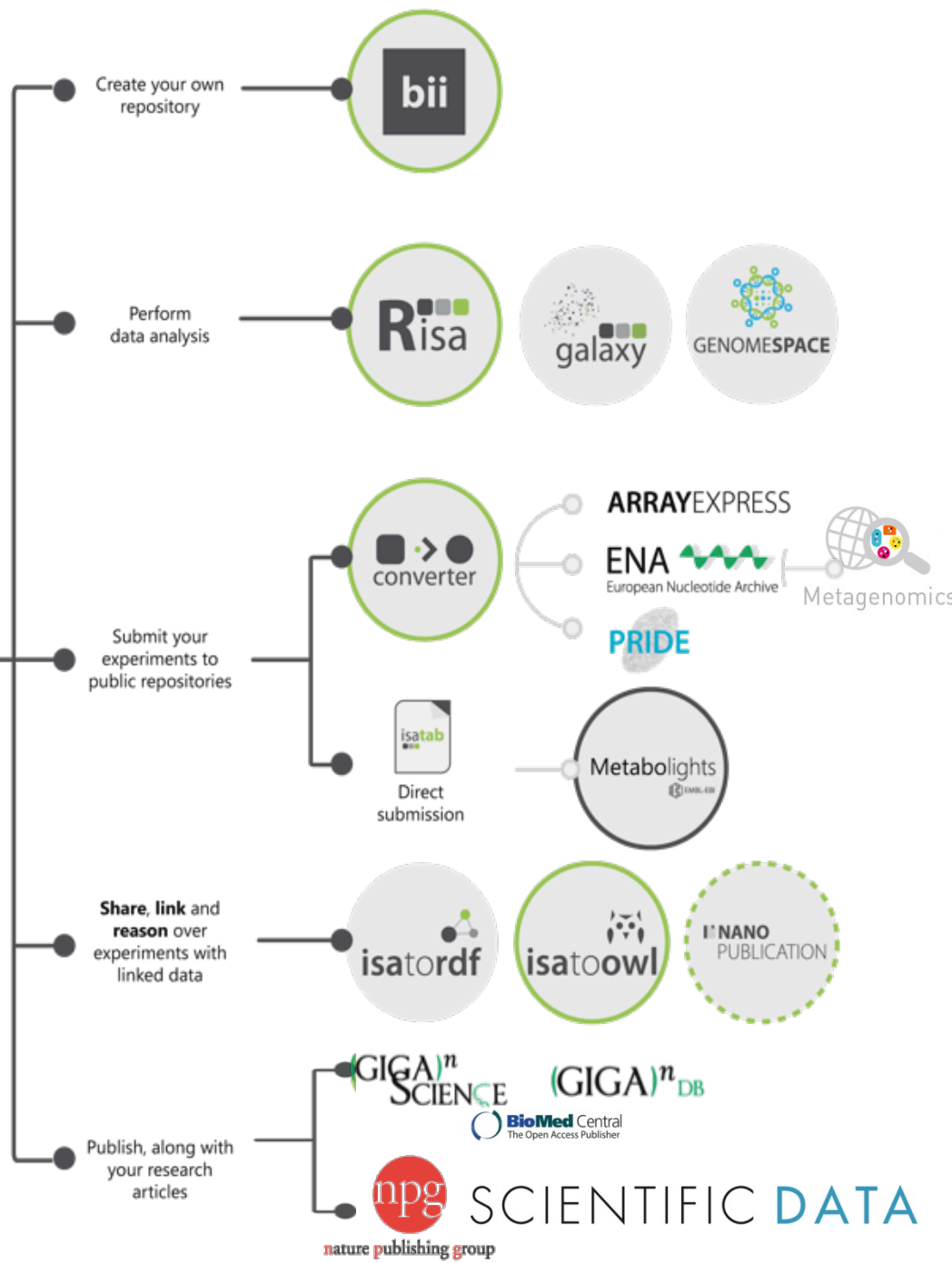
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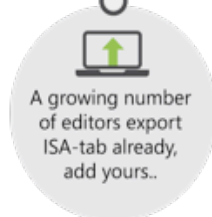
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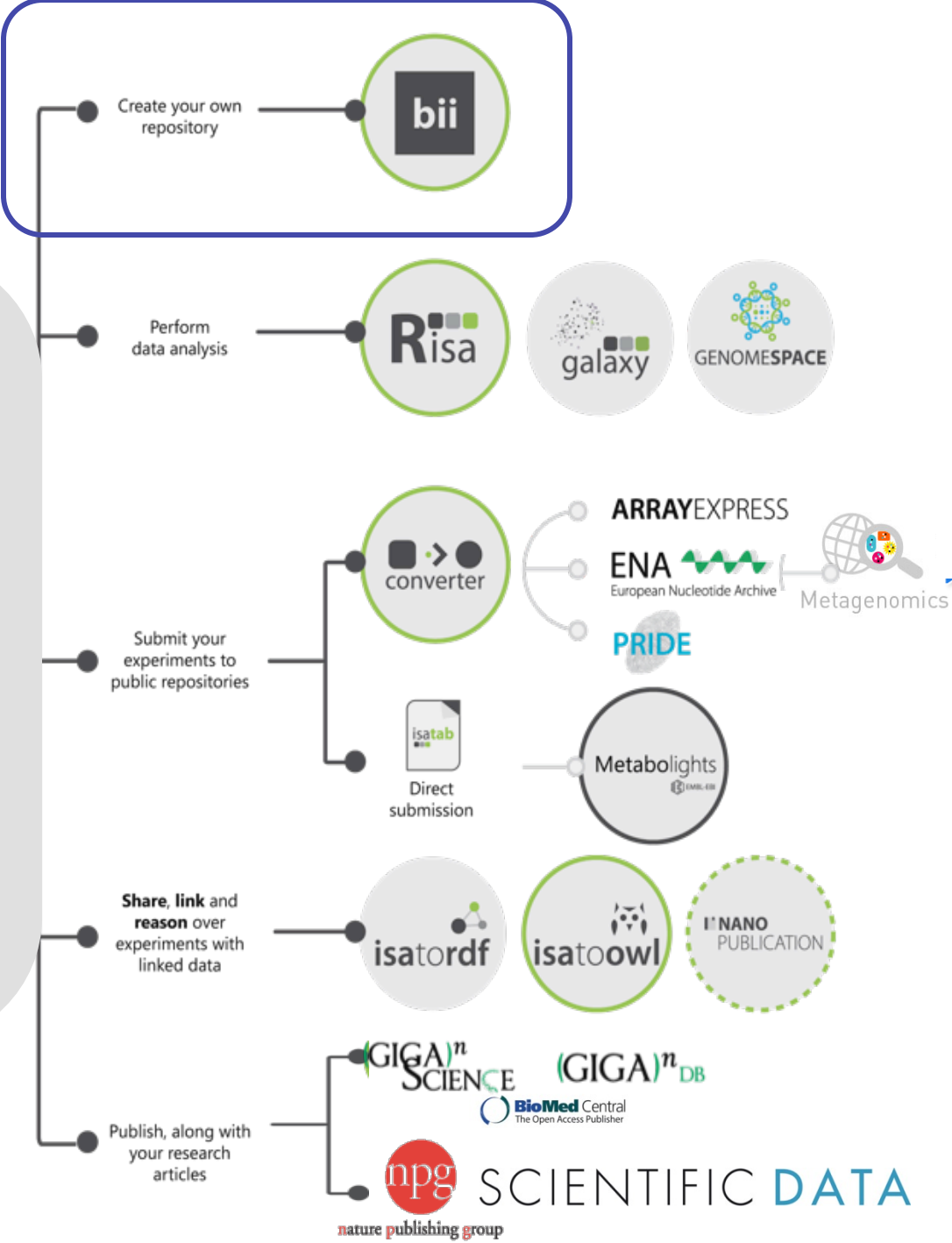


collect and curate, following standards

Describe the experimental steps using community-defined minimum reporting requirements and ontologies, where possible.

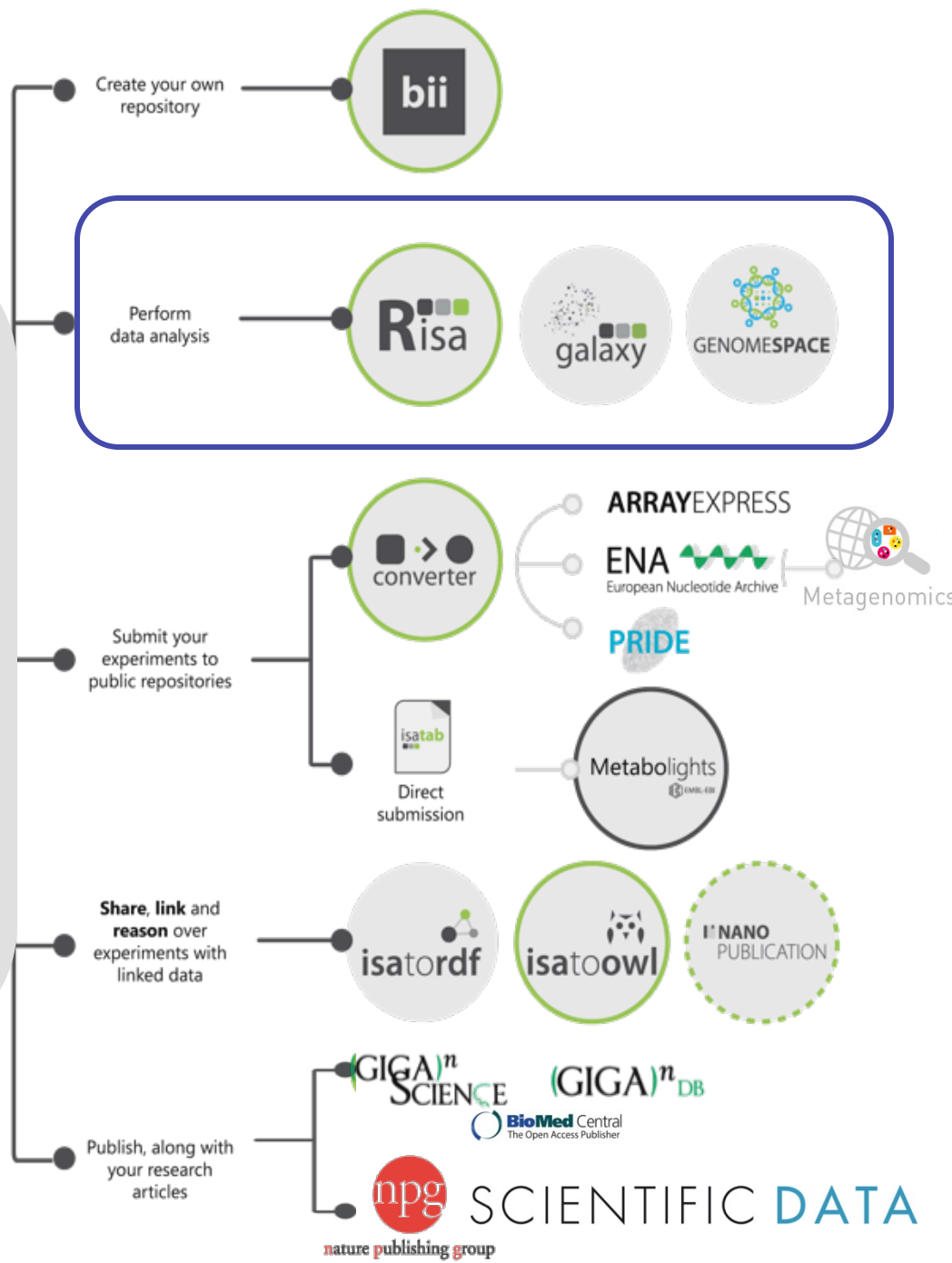
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 **store and browse, locally or publicly**
create your own repository to search and browse the experimental description and associated data making it close or open.




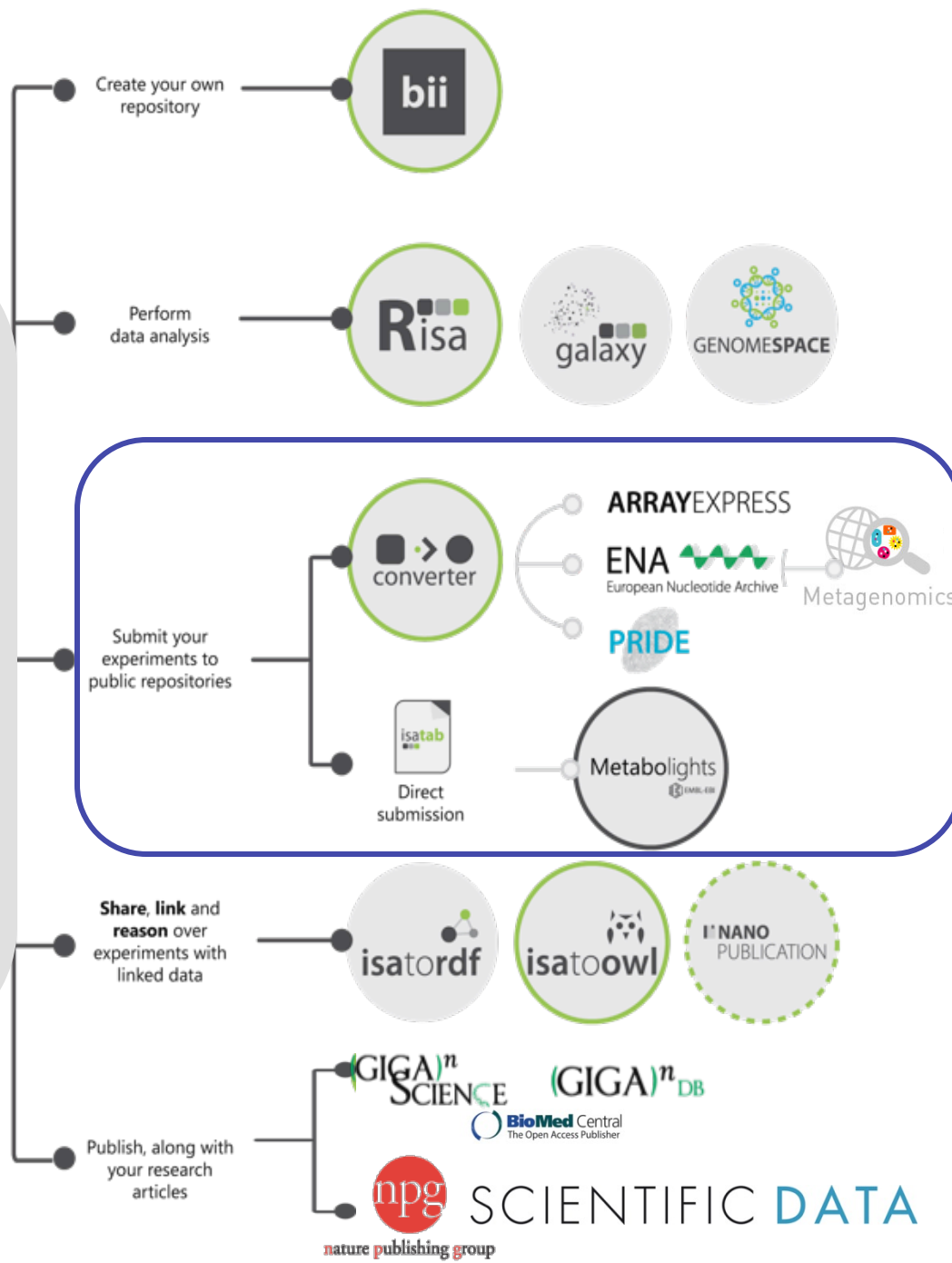
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analyse with existing tools
upload experimental description and associated data to a growing number of well-known analysis systems, ISA connects with.



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 **submit to public repositories**
when required, reformat the experiments for submission to supported public repositories or directly export to those already using ISA-Tab.

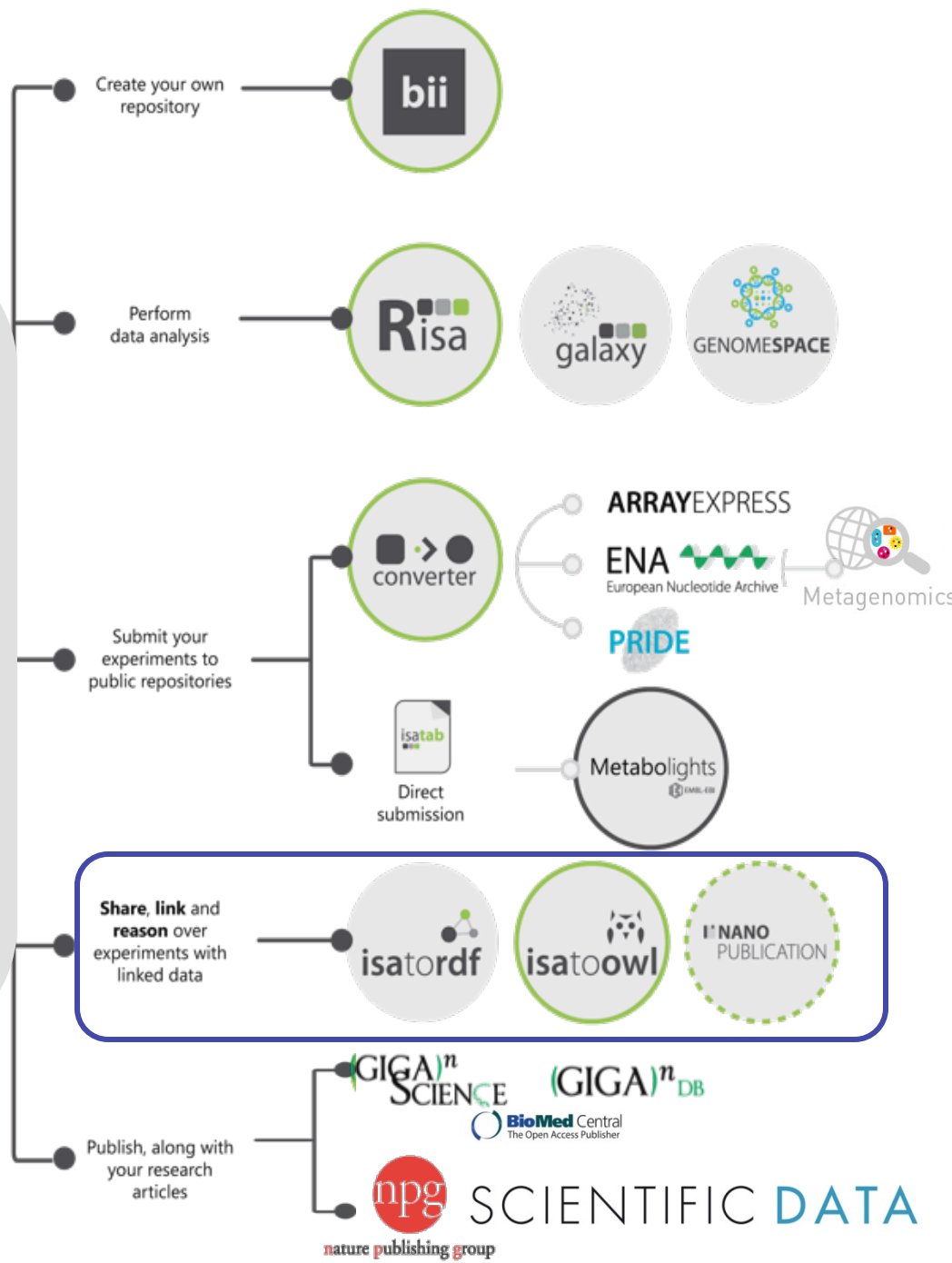


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release, reason and nanopublish

explore how to reason over your experiments, open them to the linked data universe, or publish nano-statements of your discoveries.



Community involvement and uptake

1st ISA-Tab workshop
2nd ISA-Tab workshop

3rd ISA-Tab workshop

User workshops/visits - start
Other tools implement ISA-Tab
1st public instance: Harvard Stem Cell Discovery Engine
Growing number of systems starts to adopt ISA framework

Core developments

Straw man ISA-Tab spec

Final ISA-Tab spec

ISA software v1

Database instance at EBI

Conversions to Pride-XML/SRA-XML/MAGE-Tab
Links to analysis tools starts

RDF/OWL format starts

2007

2008

2009


2010

2011


2012

2013


Publications



The ISA software suite: supporting standards-compliant curation at the community level
Bioinformatics




The ISA metadata tracking framework *in action* in the Harvard's Stem Cell Discovery Engine
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ISA chapter in : Open Source Software in Life Science Research
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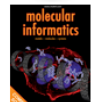
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Standardizing data, introducing ISA-Tab-Nano
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About ELIXIR

The purpose of ELIXIR is to construct and operate a sustainable infrastructure for biological information in Europe to support life science research and its translation to medicine and the environment, the bio-industries and society.

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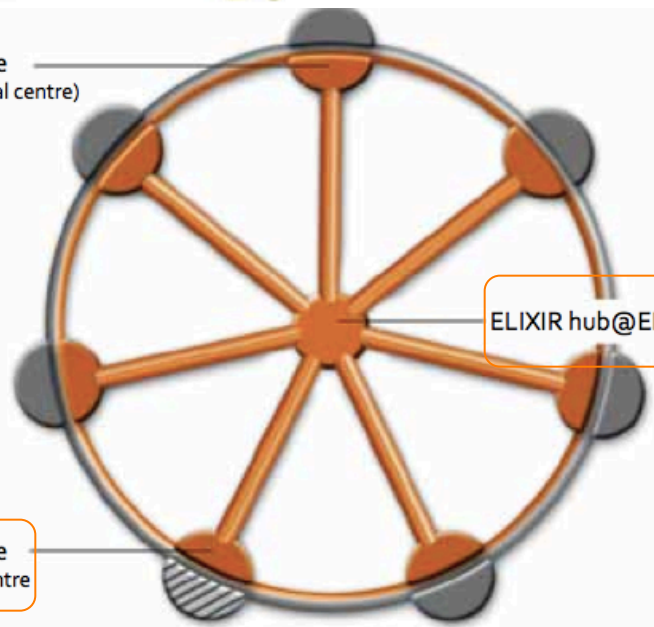
The collection, curation, storage, archiving, integration and deployment of biomolecular data is an immense challenge that cannot be handled by a single organisation or by one country alone, but requires international coordination.



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Data Standards and Curation training

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+ national centre



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Types of reporting standards

Researchers and **bioinformaticians** in both *academic* and *commercial* arenas, along with **funding agencies** and **publishers**, embrace the concept that **community-developed, standards** are pivotal to *structure*, *enrich* the description and *share* dataset, facilitating **reuse**



formats



Including **conceptual model, conceptual schema** from which an exchange format is derived **to allow data to flow from one system to another**

terminologies



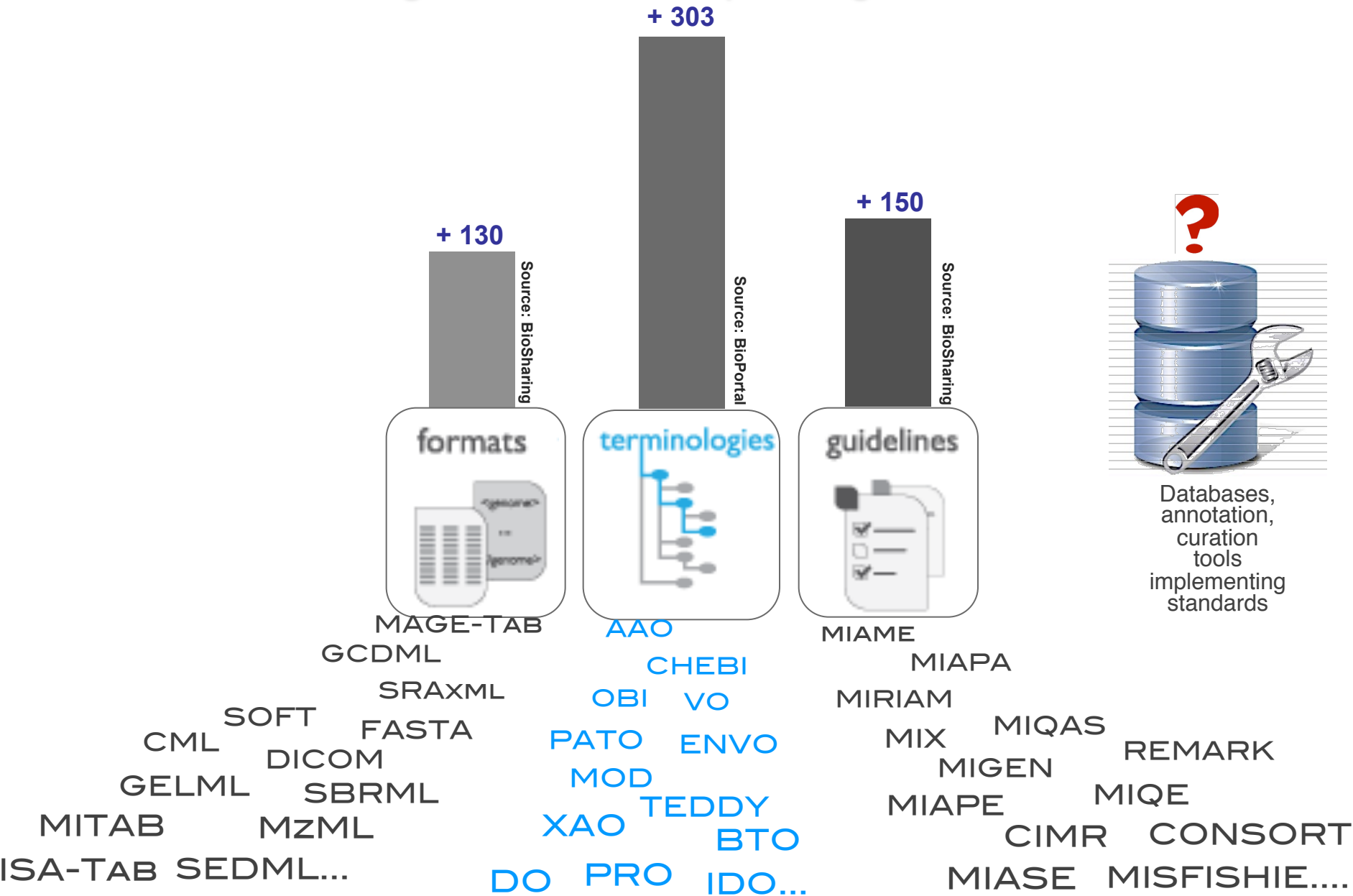
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guidelines

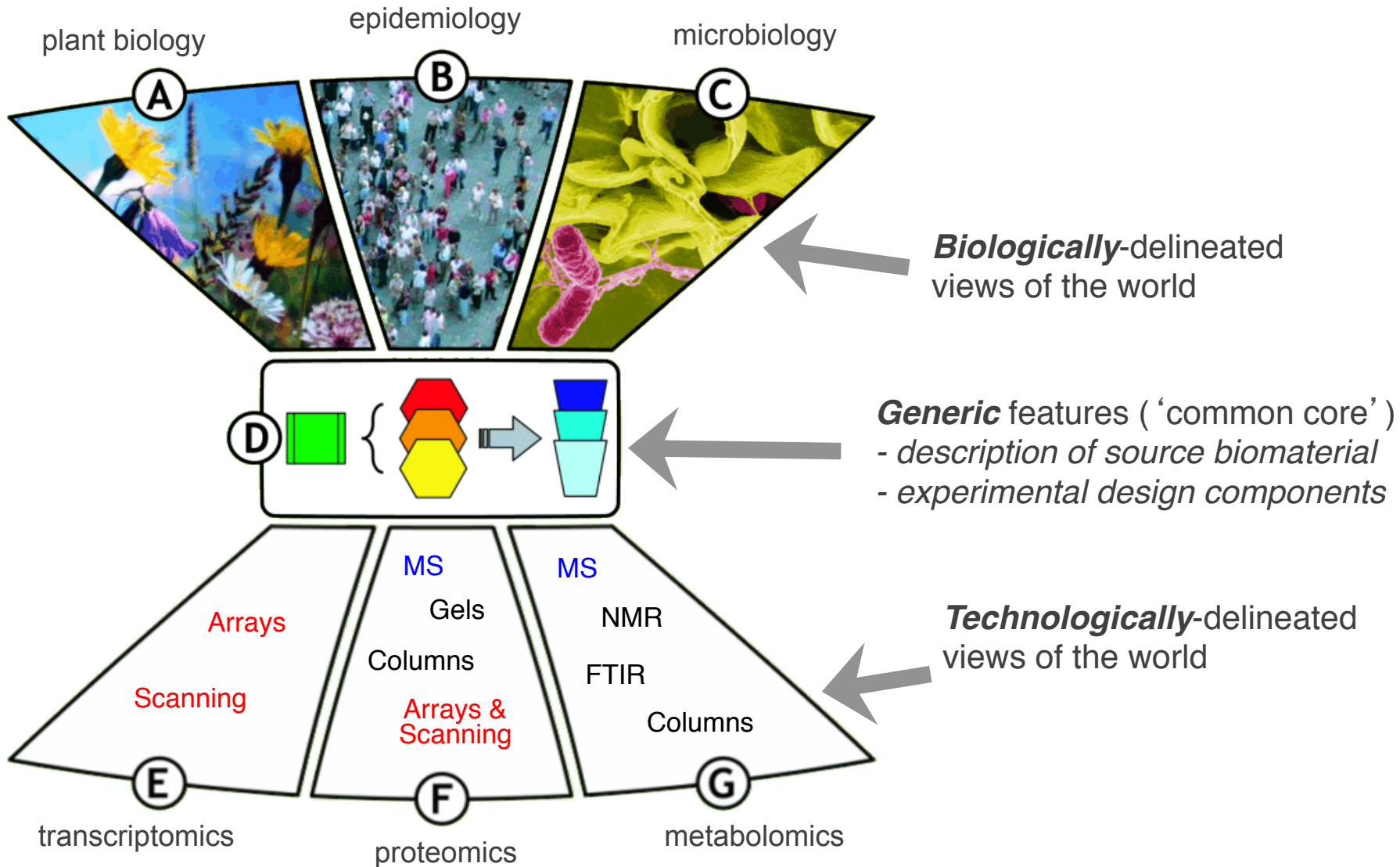


Including **minimum information reporting requirements**, or **checklists to report the same core, essential information**

Growing number of reporting standards



Fragmentation, duplications and gaps



To compare and integrate data we need interoperable standards

How much do we know and which standards can we use?



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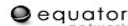
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- Develop assessment criteria for usability and popularity of standards
- Associate standards to data policies and databases
- Assemble journal and funder policies re data storage
- Make fully cross-searchable
- *Intended goal: help stakeholders make informed decisions*

protein


Standards Databases

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PROTEIN	35
GENE ONTOLOGY ANNOTATIONS	10
LITERATURE CITATIONS	6
DNA	5
GENOME SEQUENCE	5
ASSAY	4
BIOCHEMISTRY	4
GENE NOMENCLATURE	4
ENZYMATIC REACTION	4
GENE EXPRESSION	4
SHOW MORE	


Taxonomies	
ALL	35
HOMO SAPIENS	13
MUS MUSCULUS	11
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ARCHAEA	6
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PROSOPIA MELANOGASTER	5



Protein InFormation Resource Format
Protein InFormation Resource

Systems 2


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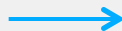
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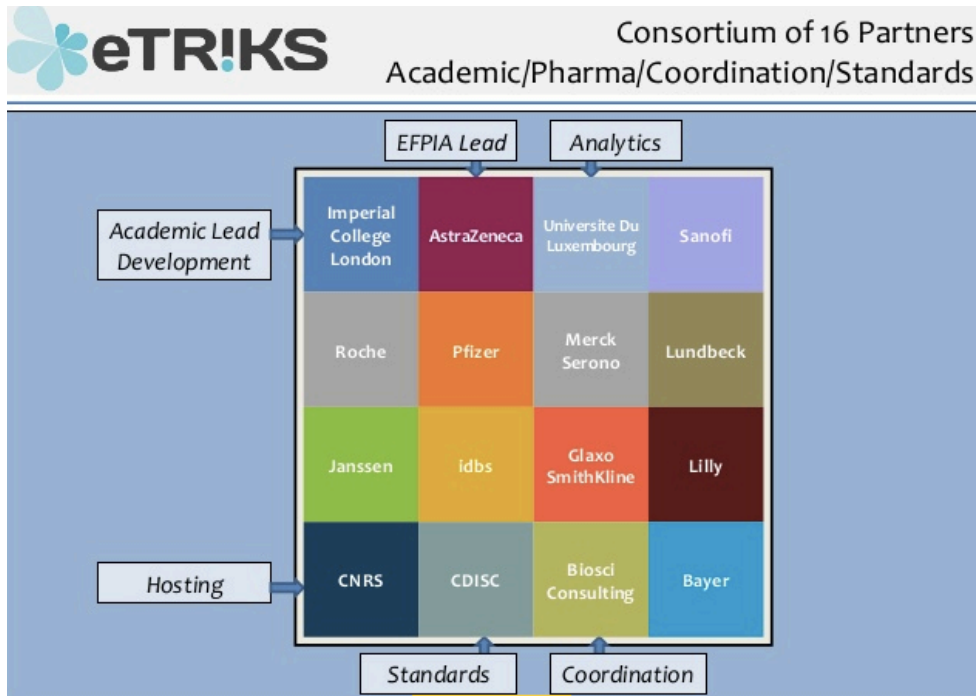


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Eamonn Maguire, DPhil candidate (senior developer)

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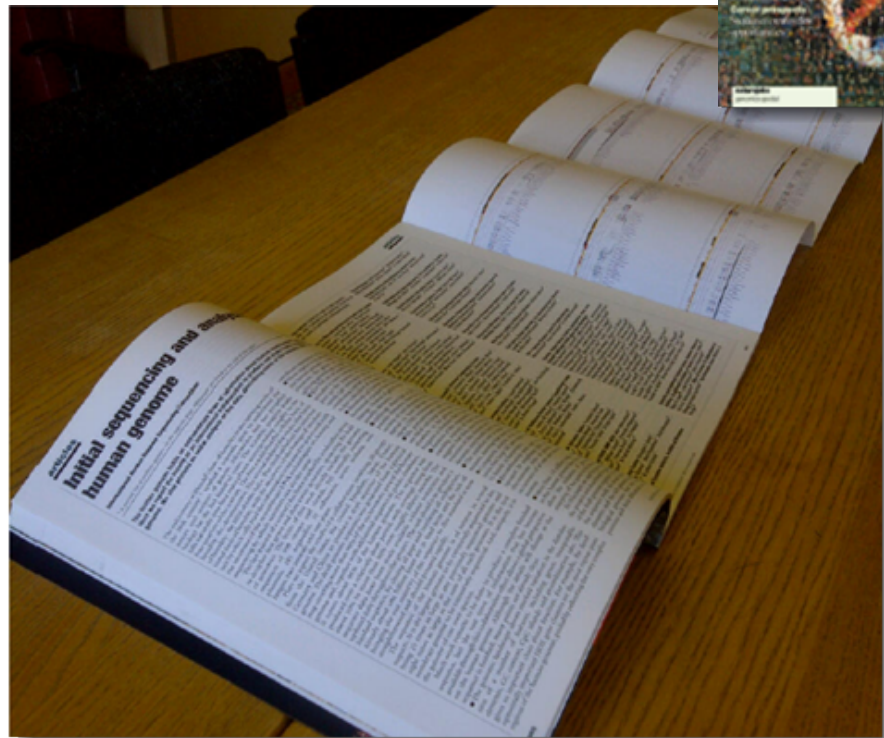
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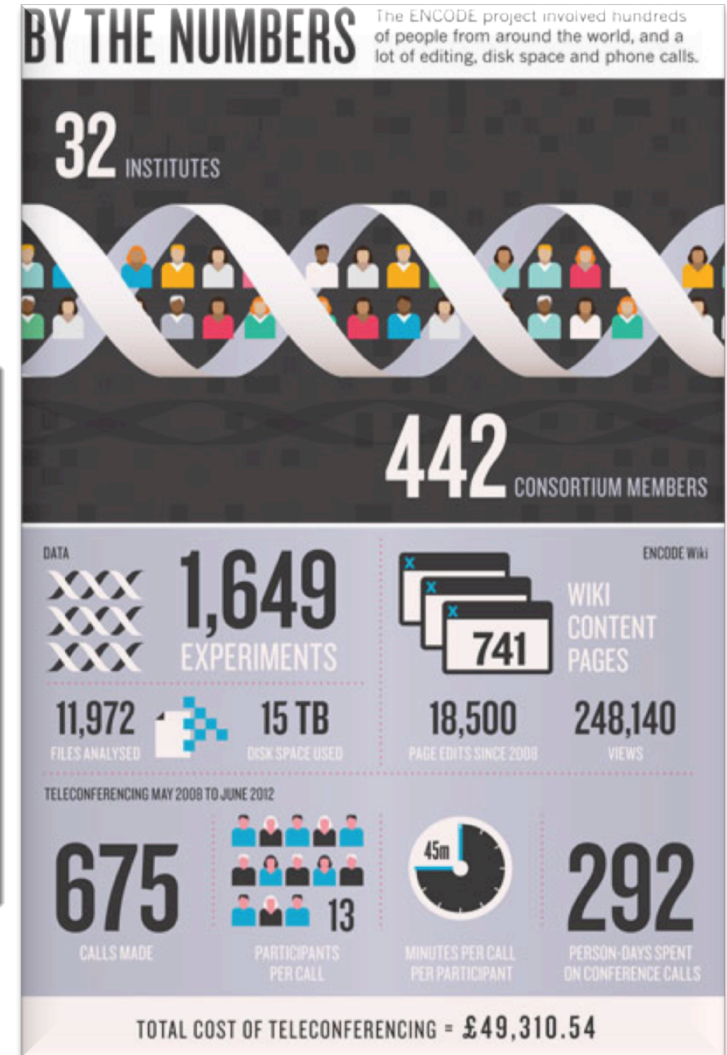
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Journal publishing: the changing landscape

Encode Project 2012
30 papers, 3 Journals

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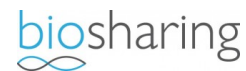
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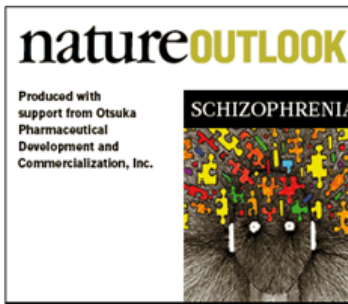
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The raw data, peaklists (.mgf), ProteomeDiscoverer result files (.msf) and ProteomeDiscoverer workflow files (.xml) have been uploaded to ProteomeXchange (<http://www.proteomexchange.org/>) with the following accession number PXD000134 (ref. 67; Table 2).

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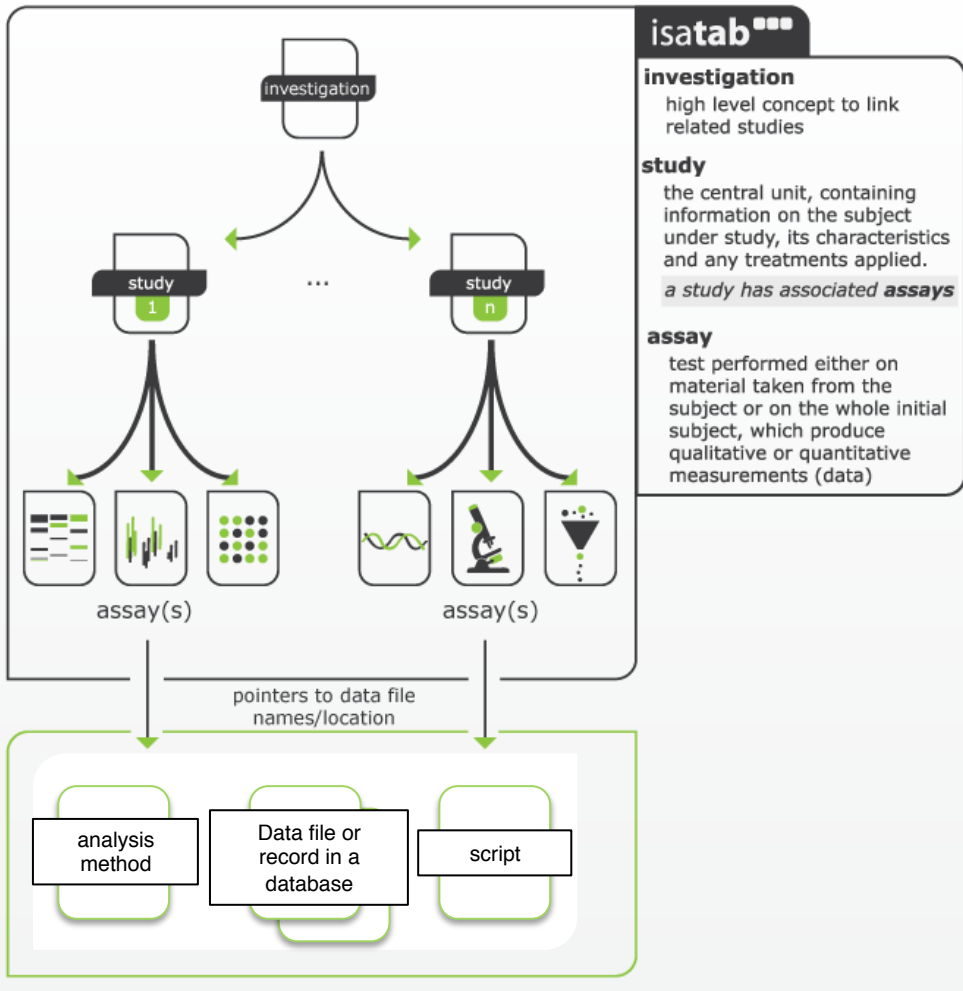
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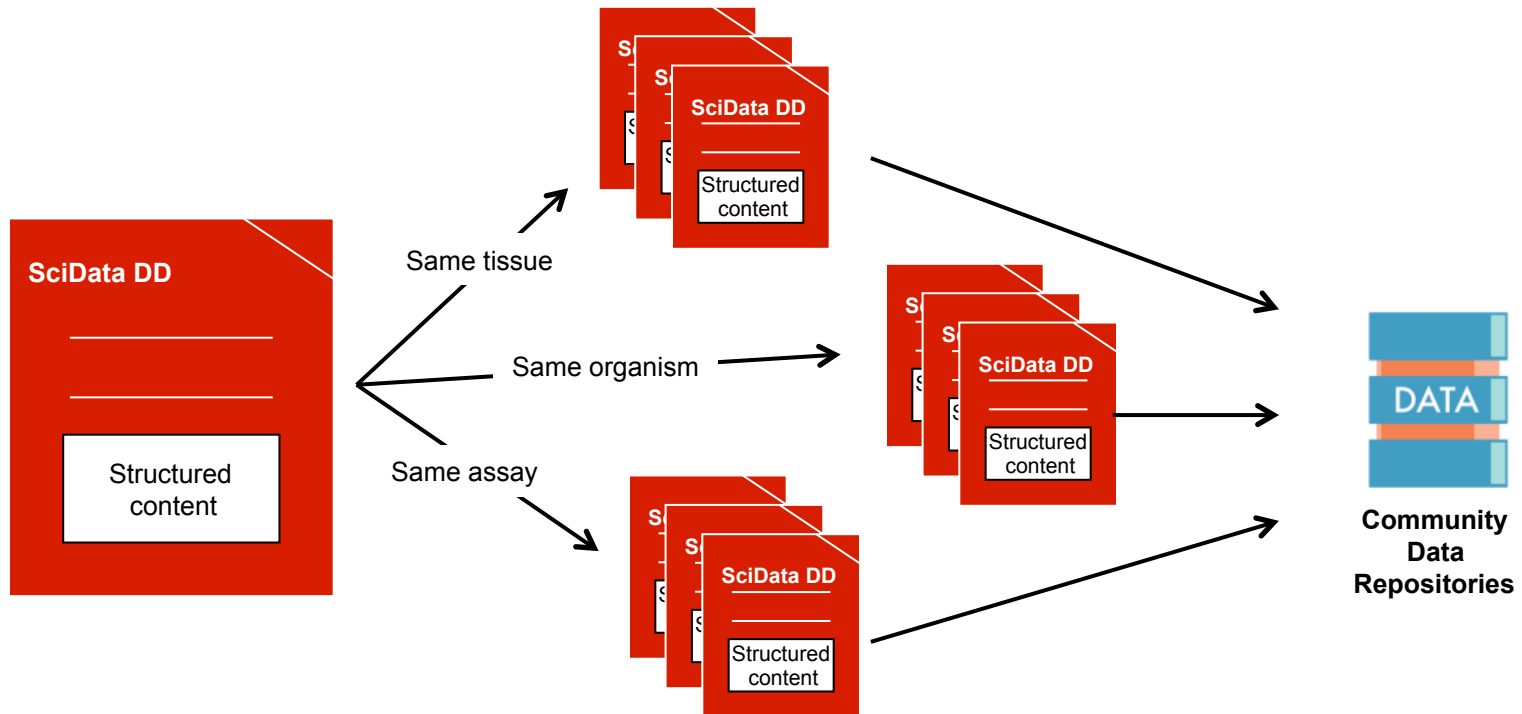
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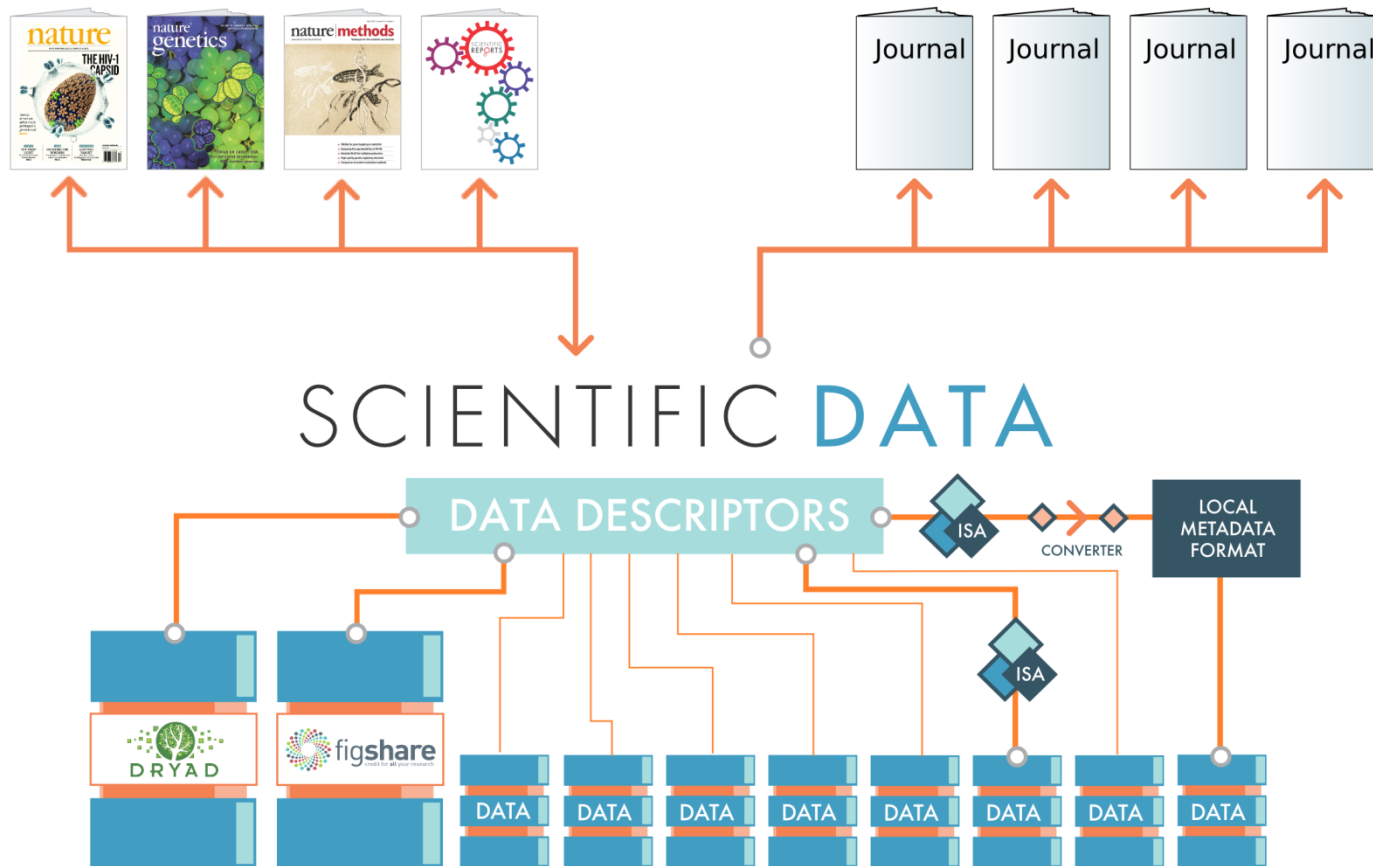
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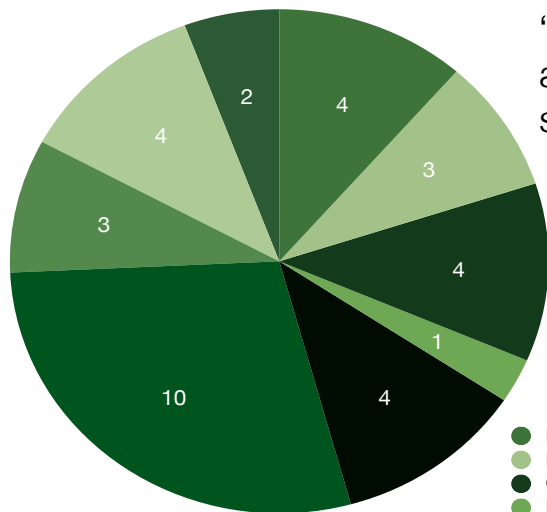
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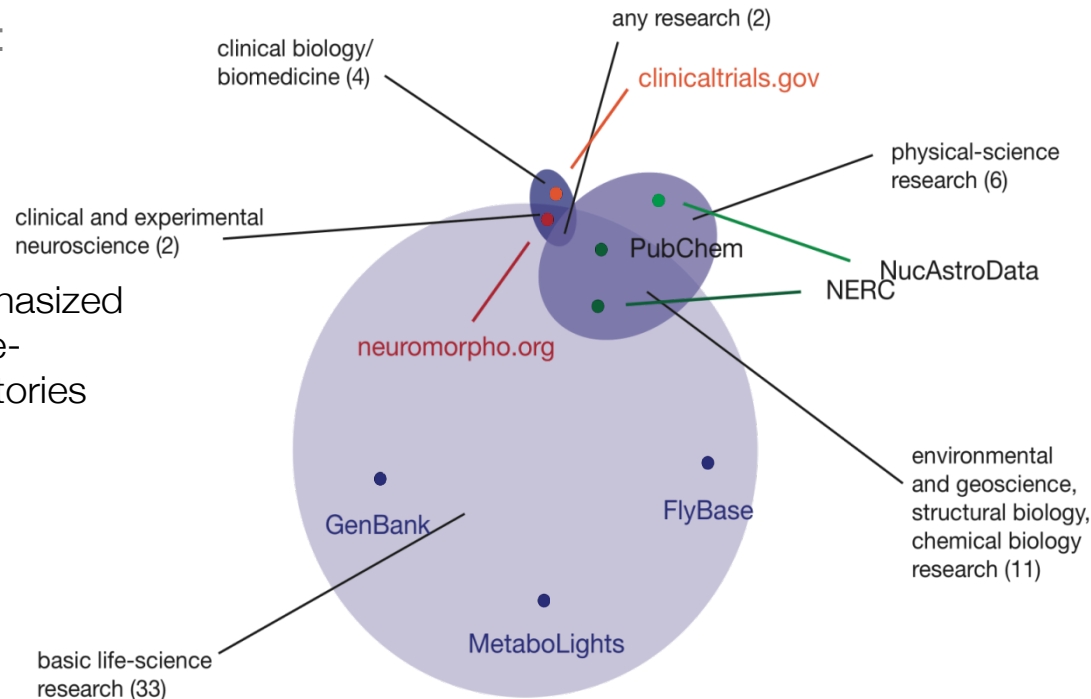
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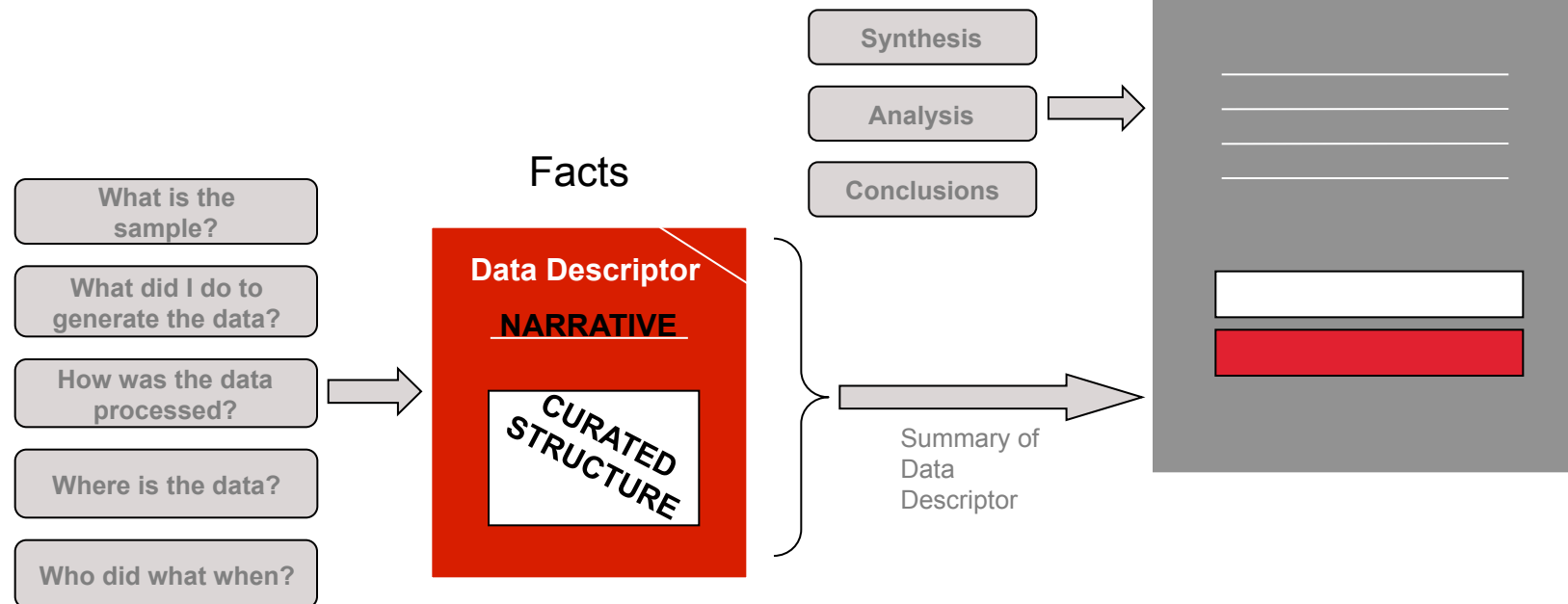
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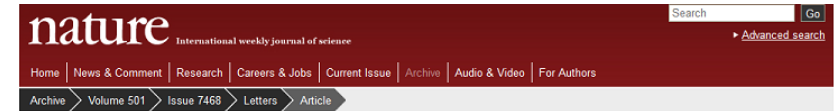
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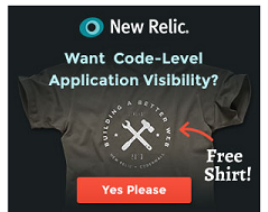
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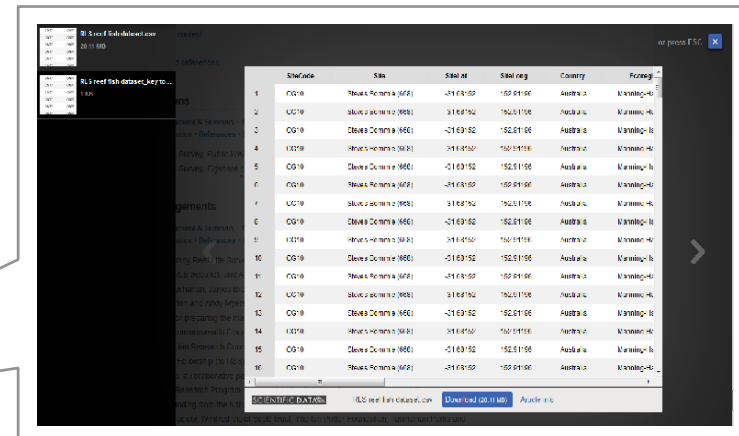
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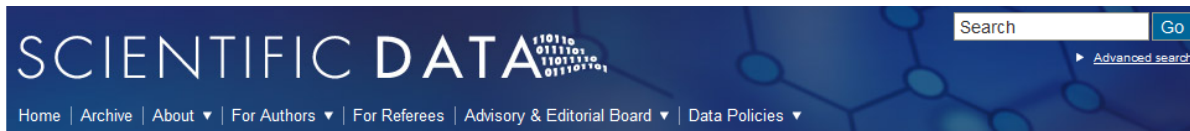
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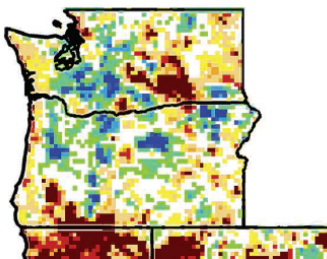
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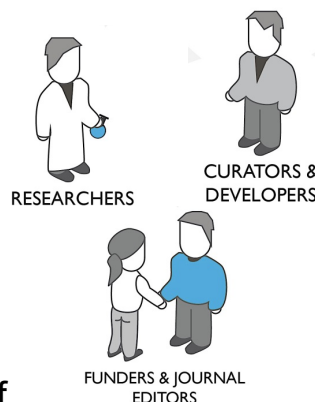
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