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"...the majority of OA articles are Bronze–hosted on publisher websites, either without a license at all or without an open license."

"Only about 7% of the literature overall (and 17% of the OA literature) is Green."

Piwowar et al 2018: 10.7717/peerj.4375
Factors that limit green OA deposit to IRs:

- Authors often don’t see IRs as serious means of dissemination (non-professional appearance, too little content)
- The effort to deposit is too high
- There is little evidence of the impact/reward of depositing
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- Authors often don’t have long-term ties to an institution and so don’t identify
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Open Source Institutional Repository Platform Development

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Project Deliverables:

1. Auto-population
2. Metrics
3. Author profiles
4. Display and annotation
5. Long-term preservation
6. Strengthening architecture
Integrating open-resource discovery tools to auto-populate repository contents
2 Adding metrics to indicate usage of contents

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Views Over Time

Views by Country
Connecting and syncing with author identification and profile services

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Establishing pathways to long-term preservation services
Assessing requirements and jointly creating detailed, component-specific development plans
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