

Driving Green Open Access

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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





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



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Integrating open-resource discovery tools to auto-populate repository contents





Open Access Button







Adding metrics to indicate usage of contents















Connecting and syncing with author identification and profile services





Connecting Research and Researchers





In-browser display, visualization and annotation



















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Establishing pathways to long-term preservation services







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Assessing requirements and jointly creating detailed, component-specific development plans









Advancing Hyku Project

https://advancinghyku.io

ubiquity repositories

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