

EOSC-Nordic

“FAIRification of Nordic+Baltic data repositories”

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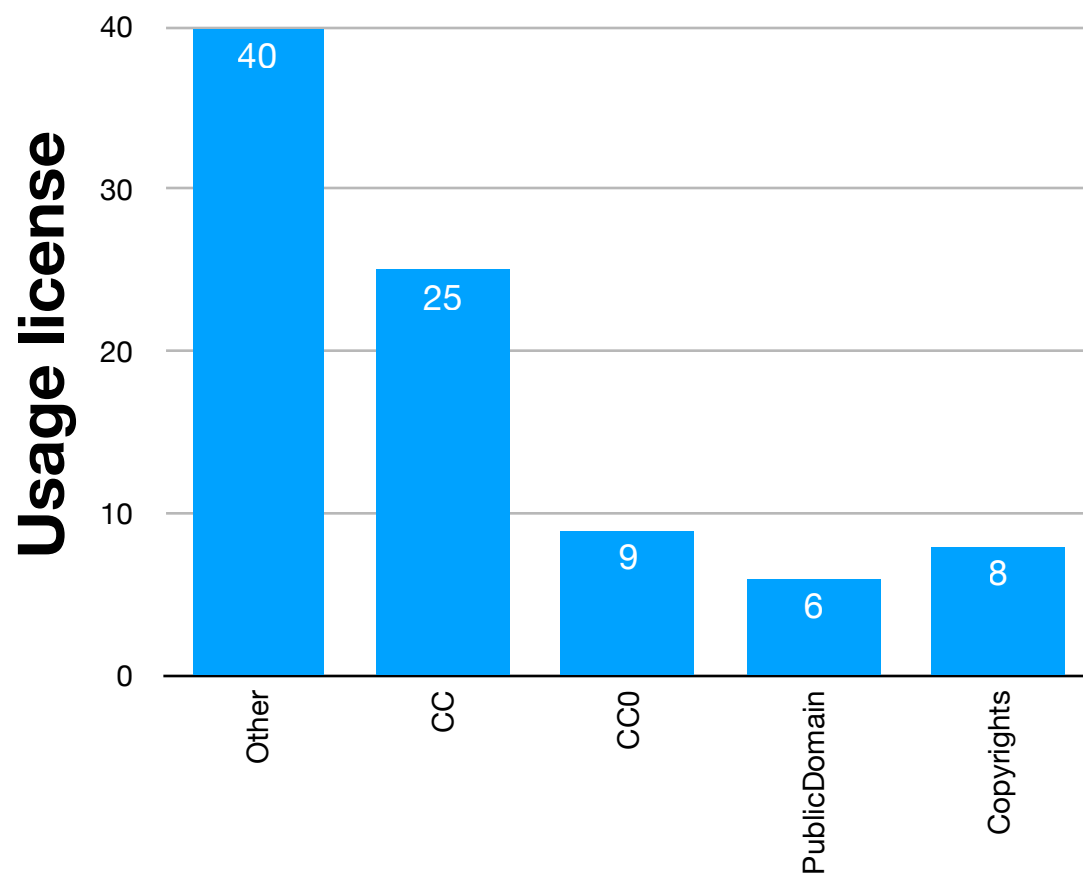
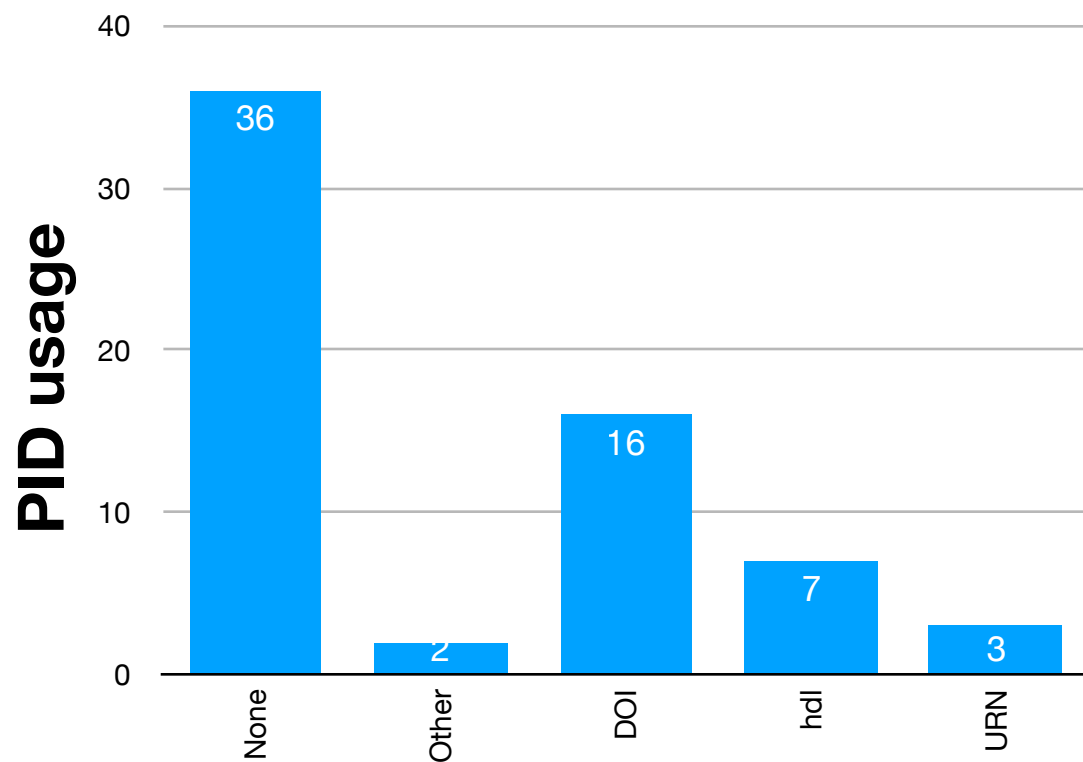


THE STATE OF OPEN SCIENCE IN THE NORDIC COUNTRIES

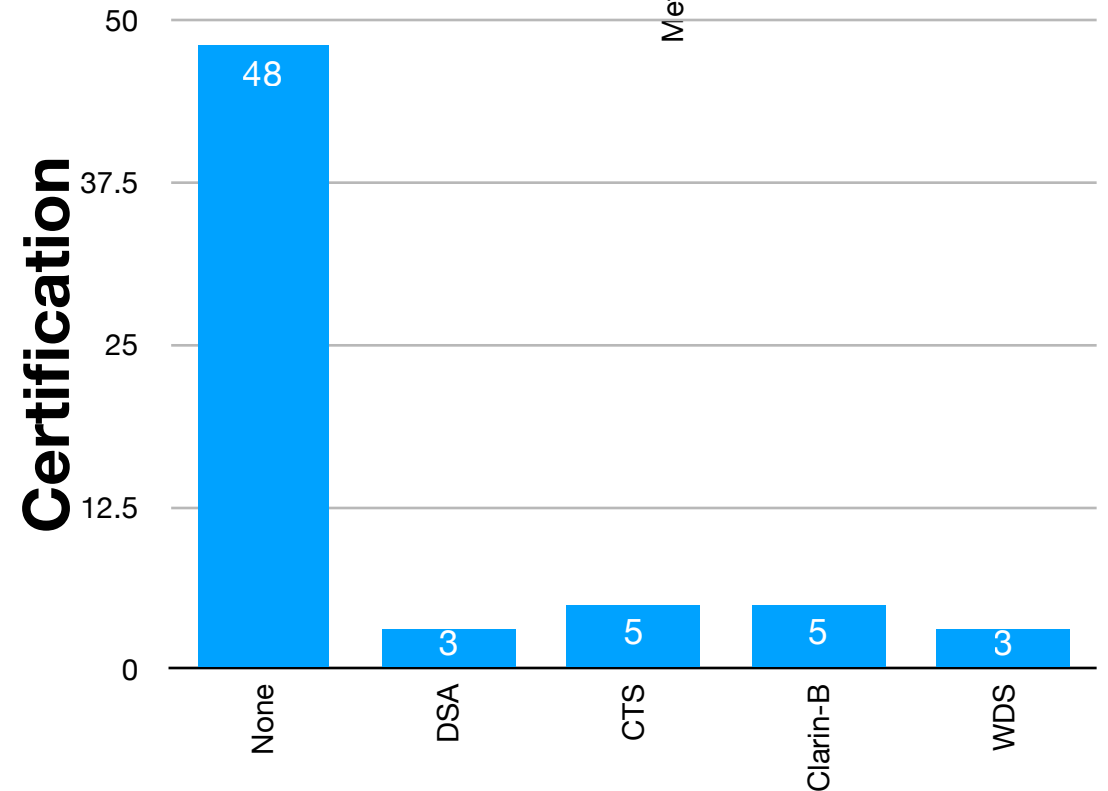
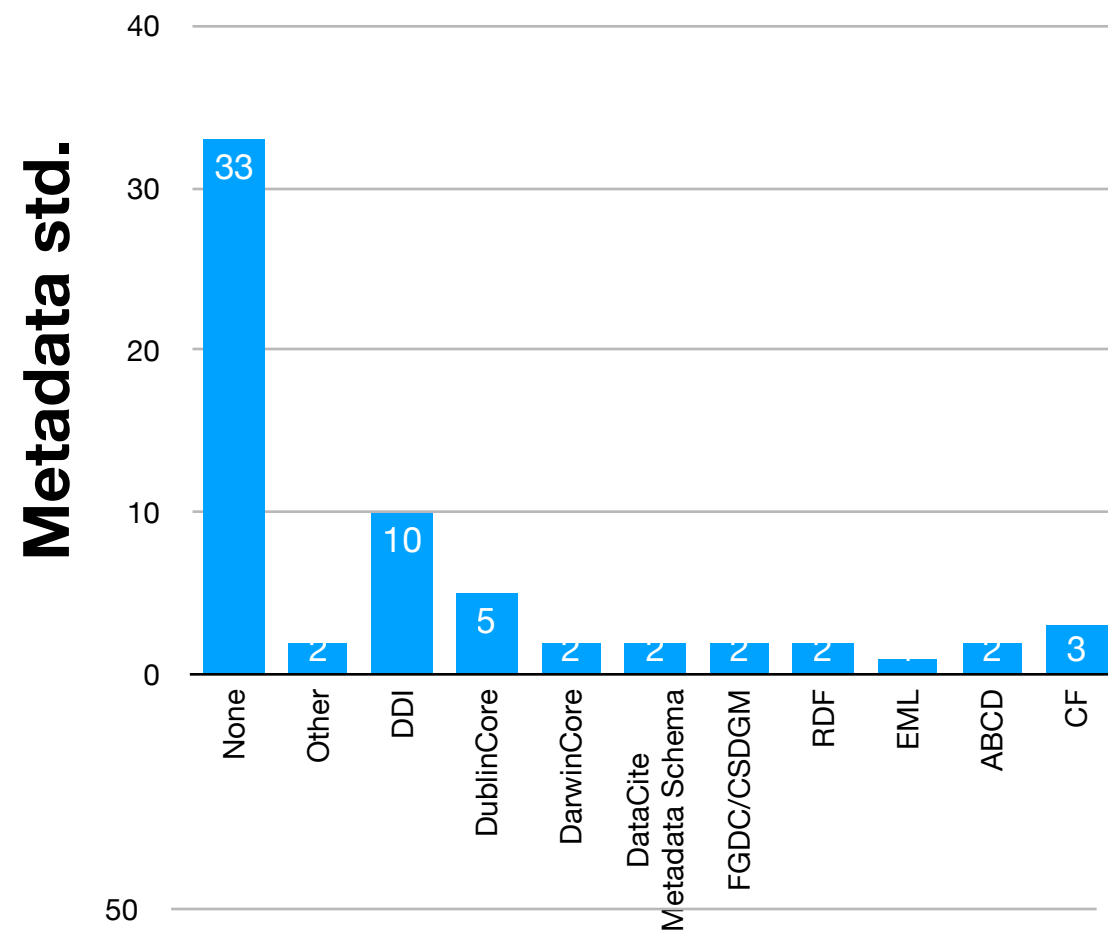
"Enabling data-driven science in the Nordic countries"

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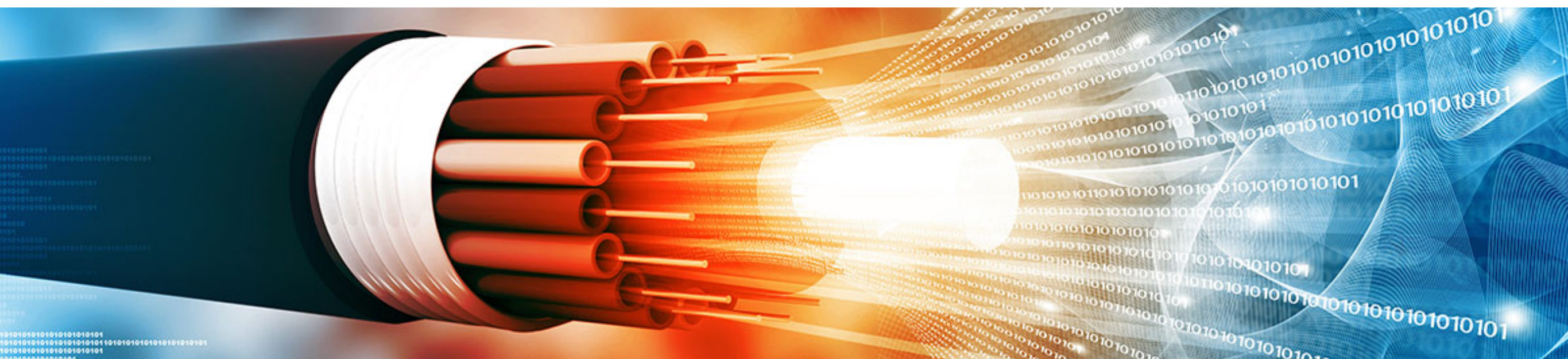


Metastudy results



Summary of metastudy findings

- Found 61 repositories with Nordic involvement from re3data.org sample
- While many of the repositories have partnered with other countries (or EU), only three (5%) has a second Nordic country among its partners. This is surprising as we expect there to be strong synergies in partnering with other Nordic countries
- Approx. 60% of the repositories do not issue PIDs, while 27% use DOI (this is the most common PID technology used)
- Almost all repositories provide unrestricted access to their metadata
- A majority (70%) of the repositories do not provide unrestricted access to all their data. Typically, some of the data is shared, while some remains restricted. For sensitive data this can be expected to some extent, but it seems to apply to repositories in all scientific disciplines
- The majority (56%) of the repositories do not employ any metadata standard
- About 80% of the repositories are not certified archives or do not follow established archive/repository standards



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FAIR Maturity evaluation of data repositories

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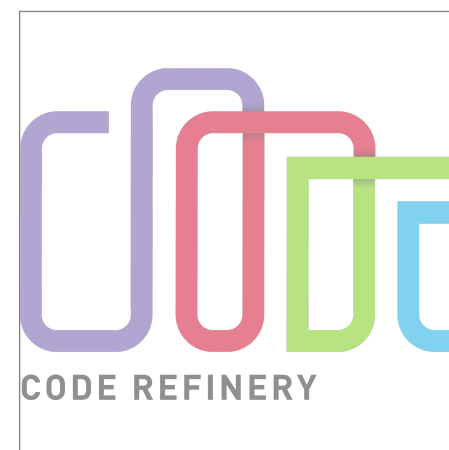
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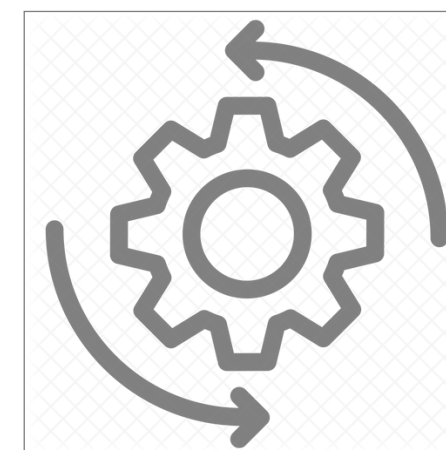
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Nordic FAIR data stewardship: an introduction course



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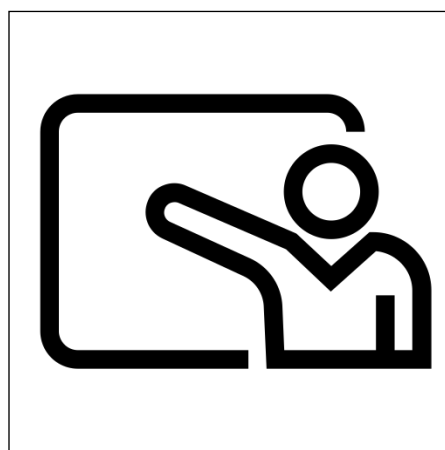
<http://bit.ly/FAIRds-Nordic-SE>

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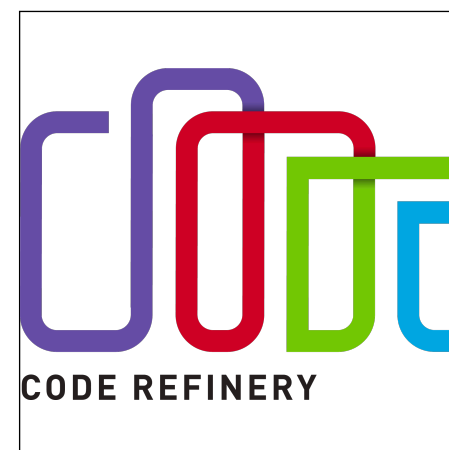
- FAIRds-Nordic Norway – 36 participants
- FAIRds-Nordic Denmark – 31 participants
- FAIRds-Nordic Sweden – 39 participants
- FAIRds-Nordic Finland – ? participants



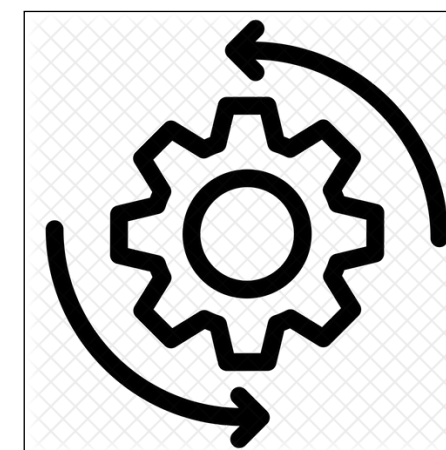
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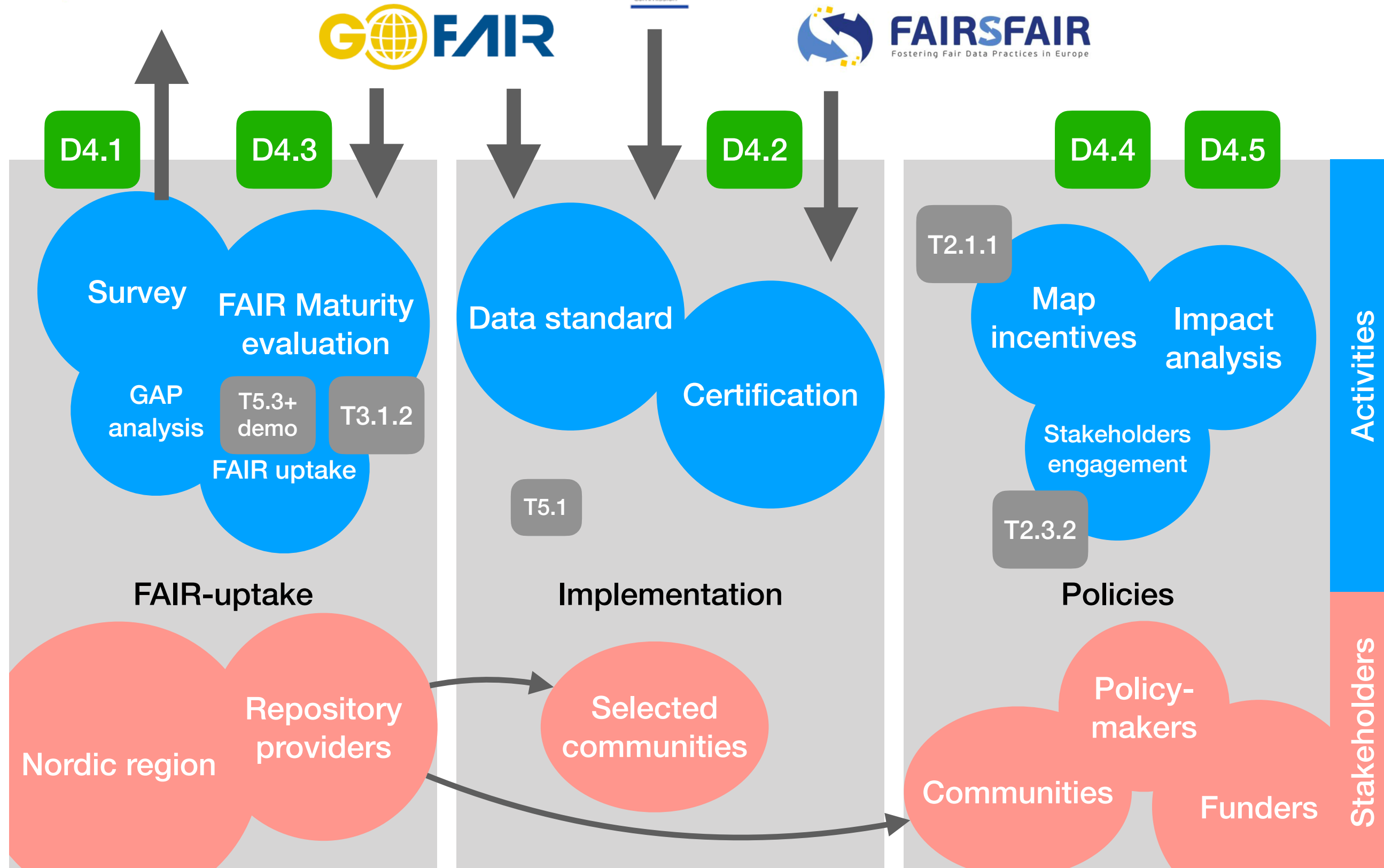


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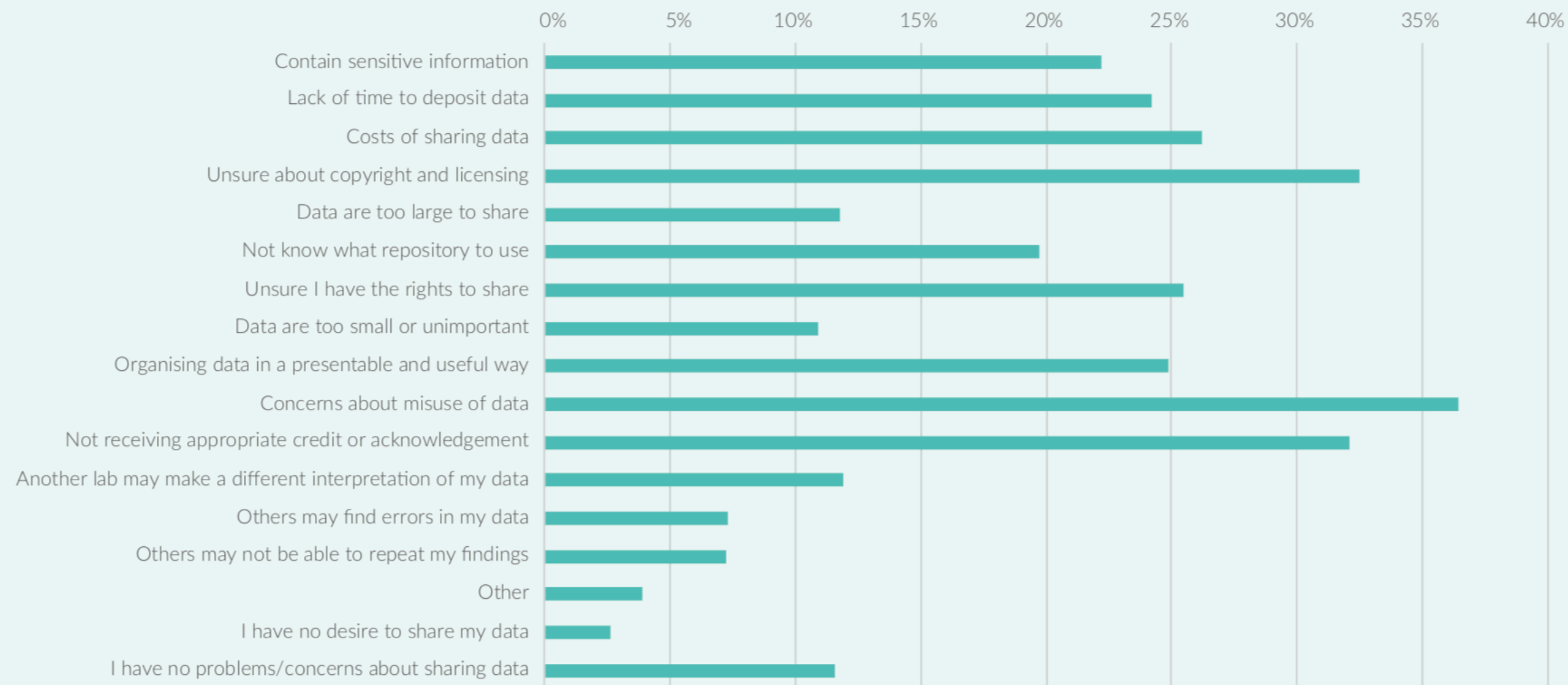
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EOSC-Nordic WP4: FAIR data

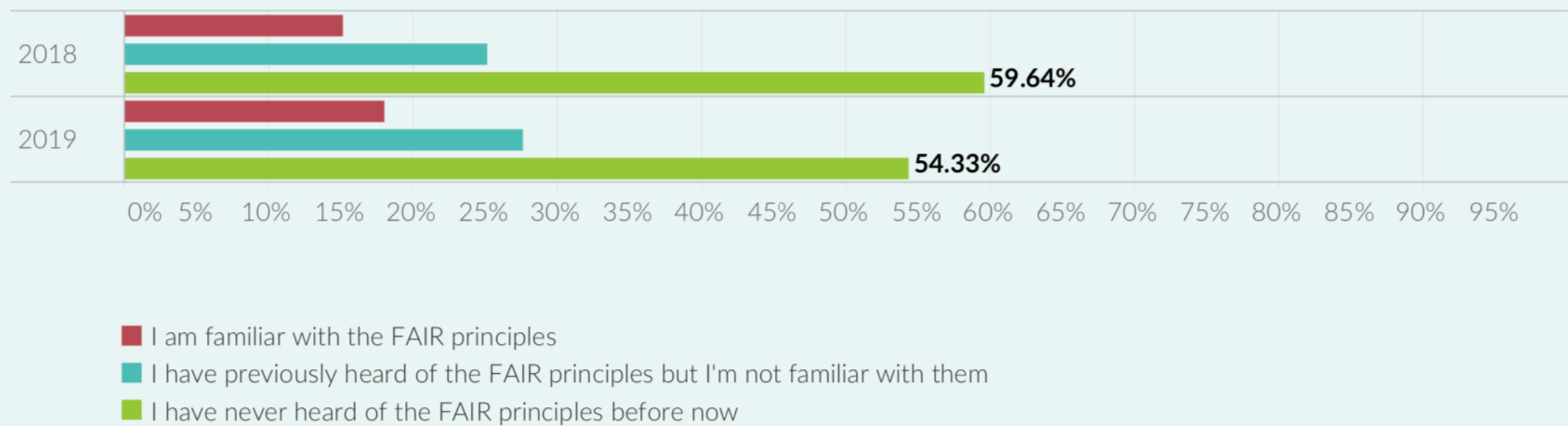


What is FAIR?

Problems/concerns respondents have with sharing datasets



How familiar are you with the FAIR principles?



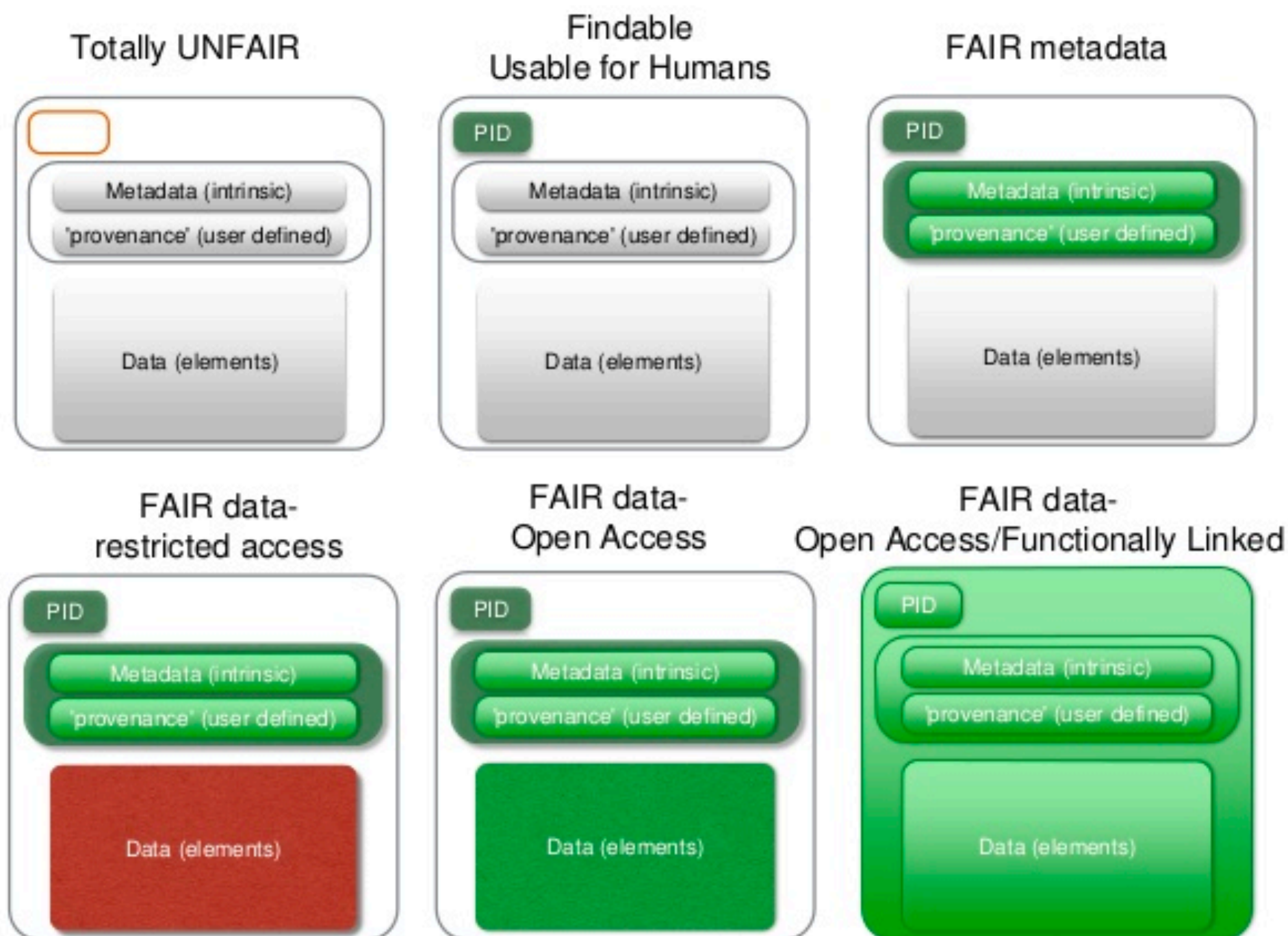


What FAIR is not...

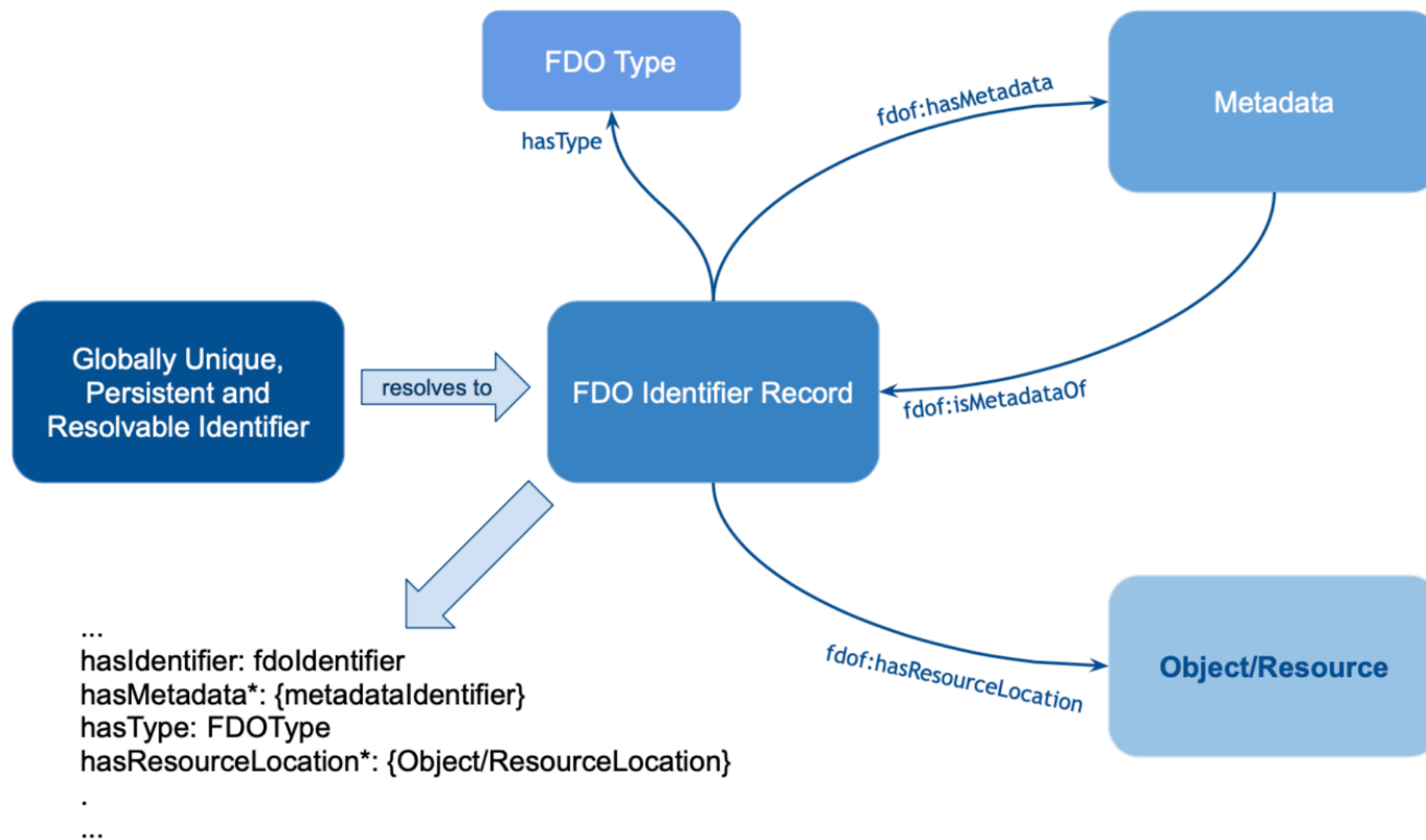
- FAIR is **not** a standard
- FAIR is **not** equal to 'Open' or 'Free'
 - Data are often Open but not FAIR
 - Data could be closed yet perfectly FAIR
- FAIR is **not** equal to RDF, Linked Data, or Semantic Web
- FAIR is **not** assuming that only humans can find and re-use data
- FAIR is **not** for humans only but for machines as well
- Data that are **not** FAIR are pretty 'Re-useless'.....

Source: GO-FAIR

Data as increasingly FAIR Digital Objects



FAIR Digital Objects



FAIR PRINCIPLES

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- F3. metadata clearly and explicitly include the identifier of the data it describes;
- F4. (meta)data are registered or indexed in a searchable resource;

Interoperable:

- I1. (meta)data use a formal, accessible, shared, and broadly applicable language for knowledge representation.
- I2. (meta)data use vocabularies that follow FAIR principles;
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Accessible:

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Reusable:

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<https://www.nature.com/articles/sdata201618>

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FAIR Maturity evaluation

Why evaluate repositories?

- Data are and will be distributed in small and typically domain specific data repositories (not in large data silos)
- Wish to help such repositories identify possible areas of improvements of their service to become FAIRer
- Raise awareness of FAIR practices and the importance of using machine-actionable metadata
- Contribute to FAIR uptake across region and thereby the premise for better reuse of the data

Measuring the FAIR Maturity of repositories

- We consider a MANUAL approach to be both time-consuming, prone to biases and not (very) reproducible
- The preferred method is to perform AUTOMATED evaluations using a well defined set of test criteria / metrics (FAIR Maturity indicators)
- Wilkinson et al. 2018 (doi:10.1038/sdata.2018.118) provides a framework and metrics for measuring FAIRness of data and Mark Wilkinson's gen2 tests (22 tests) and evaluator tool:
<https://fairsharing.github.io/FAIR-Evaluator-FrontEnd>
provides the best **current** tool to achieve this
- The FAIR Maturity evaluator provides efficiency, scalability and reproducibility

FAIR Maturity indicators measure aspects of the FAIR principles

FAIR Maturity indicators

	Metric name	Principle association	Principle description
1	UNIQUE IDENTIFIER	F1	(Meta)data are assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier
2	IDENTIFIER PERSISTENCE	F1	(Meta)data are assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier
3	DATA IDENTIFIER PERSISTENCE	F1	(Meta)data are assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier
4	STRUCTURED METADATA	F2	Data are described with rich metadata (defined by R1 below)
5	GROUNDING METADATA	F2	Data are described with rich metadata (defined by R1 below)
6	DATA IDENTIFIER EXPLICITLY IN METADATA	F3	Metadata clearly and explicitly include the identifier of the data they describe
7	METADATA IDENTIFIER EXPLICITLY IN METADATA	F3	Metadata clearly and explicitly include the identifier of the data they describe
8	SEARCHABLE IN MAJOR SEARCH ENGINE	F4	(Meta)data are registered or indexed in a searchable resource
9	USES OPEN FREE PROTOCOL FOR DATA RETRIEVAL	A1.1	The protocol is open, free, and universally implementable
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18	METADATA USES FAIR VOCABULARIES (WEAK)	I2	(Meta)data use vocabularies that follow FAIR principles
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20	METADATA CONTAINS QUALIFIED OUTWARD REFERENCES	I3	(Meta)data include qualified references to other (meta)data
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FAIR Evaluation Services

Resources and guidelines to assess the FAIRness of digital resources.



Import MI Tests

Import Maturity Indicators Tests as YAML
[smartAPI](#) interface annotation

Get started



Create collections

Assemble Maturity Indicators Tests into
community centered collections

Get started



Evaluate resources

Evaluate resources FAIRness against
Collections of Maturity Indicator Tests

Get started



Zenodo record of NelC report on "Open Science in the Nordics" evaluated against all maturity indicators as of May 8, 2019



Summary:

Description: FAIR Metrics Evaluation: Zenodo record of NelC report on "Open Science in the Nordics" evaluated against all maturity indicators as of May 8, 2019; Tested identifier: 10.5281/zenodo.2563733; generated by <https://orcid.org/0000-0002-8062-5849>

Resource: 10.5281/zenodo.2563733

Collection: [6](#)

Observations: Ran 22 tests (13 succeeded, 9 failed).

Tests passing and failing



FAIR METRICS GEN2- UNIQUE IDENTIFIER



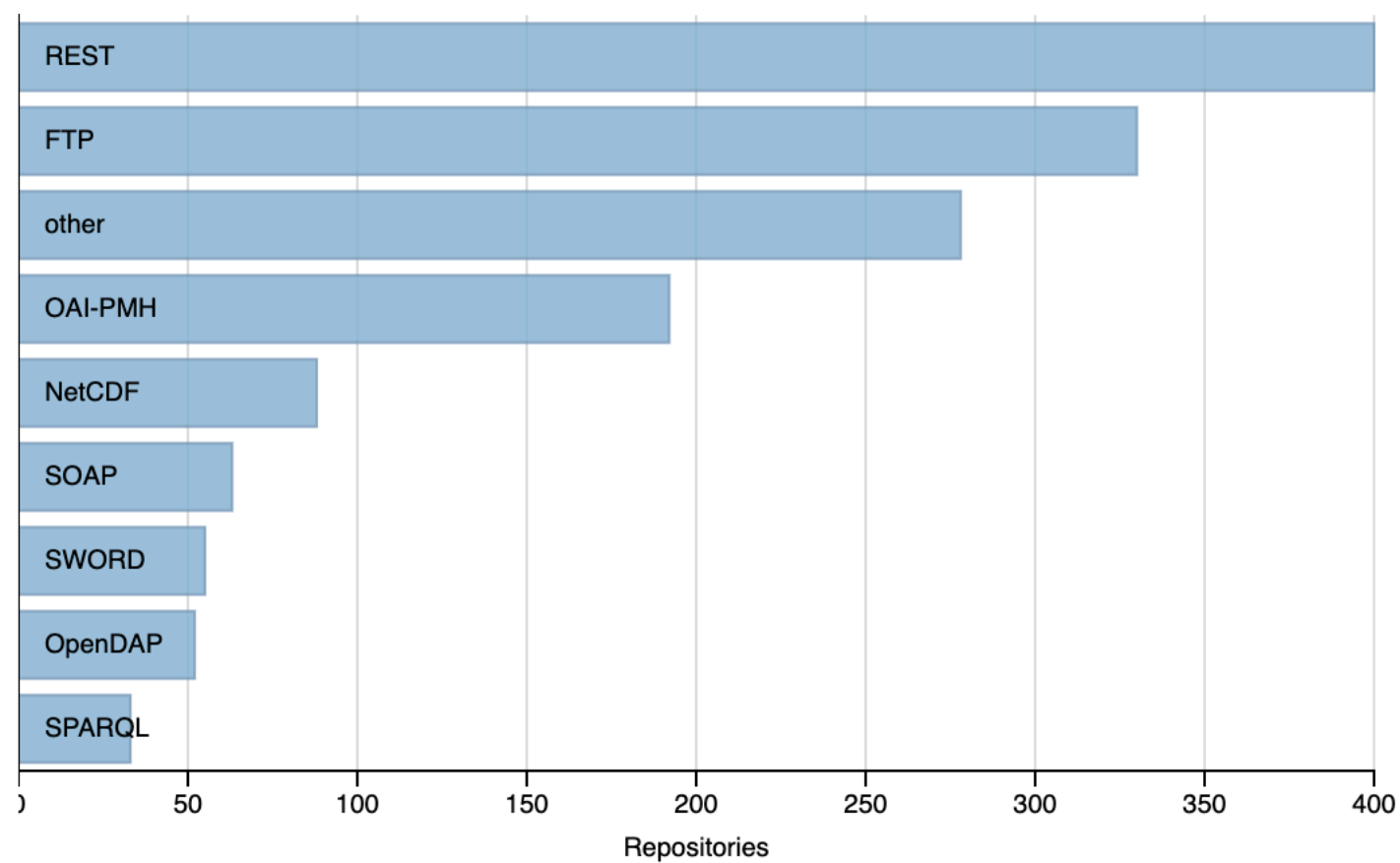
FAIR METRICS GEN2 - IDENTIFIER PERSISTENCE



FAIR METRICS GEN2 - DATA IDENTIFIER PERSISTENCE



API



Evaluation methodology

Repository selection

- Repository must have Nordic+Baltic relation (contain data from region)
- Sample is not exhaustive, but hopefully representative
- Exclude repositories containing only publications/articles
- Select repositories that are considered relevant sources of data for research related re-use
- **Repository must identify datasets by globally unique identifiers (GUID) in order to be selected for evaluation**

Dataset selection

- If repository satisfies the above selection criteria we proceed to perform DO/dataset selection
- Randomly (and manually) select $N=10$ datasets from each repository, scattering the selection across time submitted and across scientific domains
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**Does a single dataset
evaluation reliably indicate
repository FAIR maturity level?**

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F	A	I	R	FAIR	Avg	Var	DS 1	DS 2	DS 3	DS 4	DS 5	DS 6	DS 7	DS 8	DS 9	DS 10
50%	40%	57%	0%	37%	9.0	0.00	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>
25%	40%	0%	0%	16%	4.0	0.00	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>
63%	40%	71%	100%	68%	13.4	0.52	<u>14</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>13</u>
75%	80%	71%	100%	82%	15.3	4.00	<u>17</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>16</u>

Aggregated results

No GUID.
Evaluation
not possible

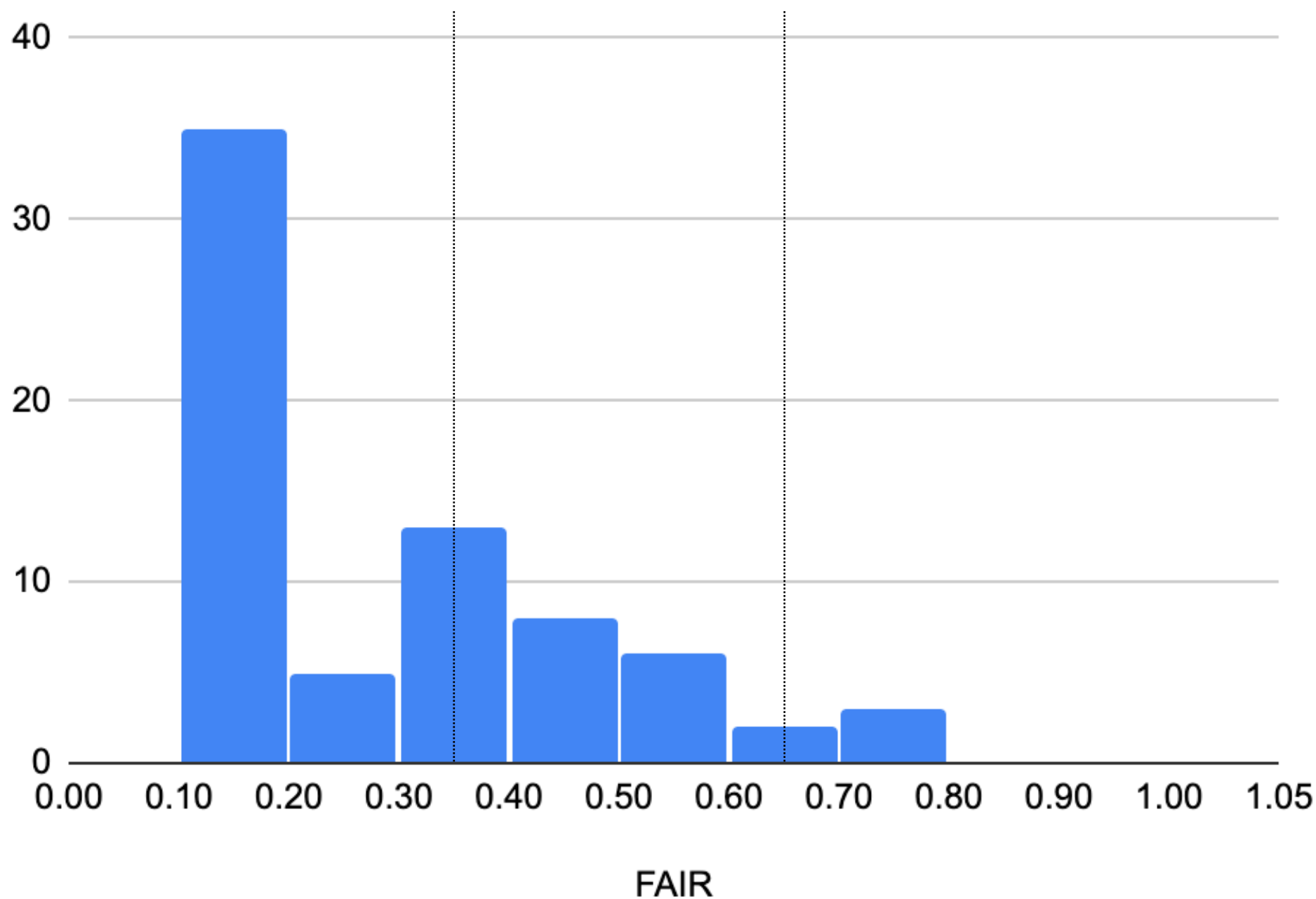
Low FAIR
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actionability

Medium FAIR
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Histogram of FAIR score



100 repositories, 72 evaluated

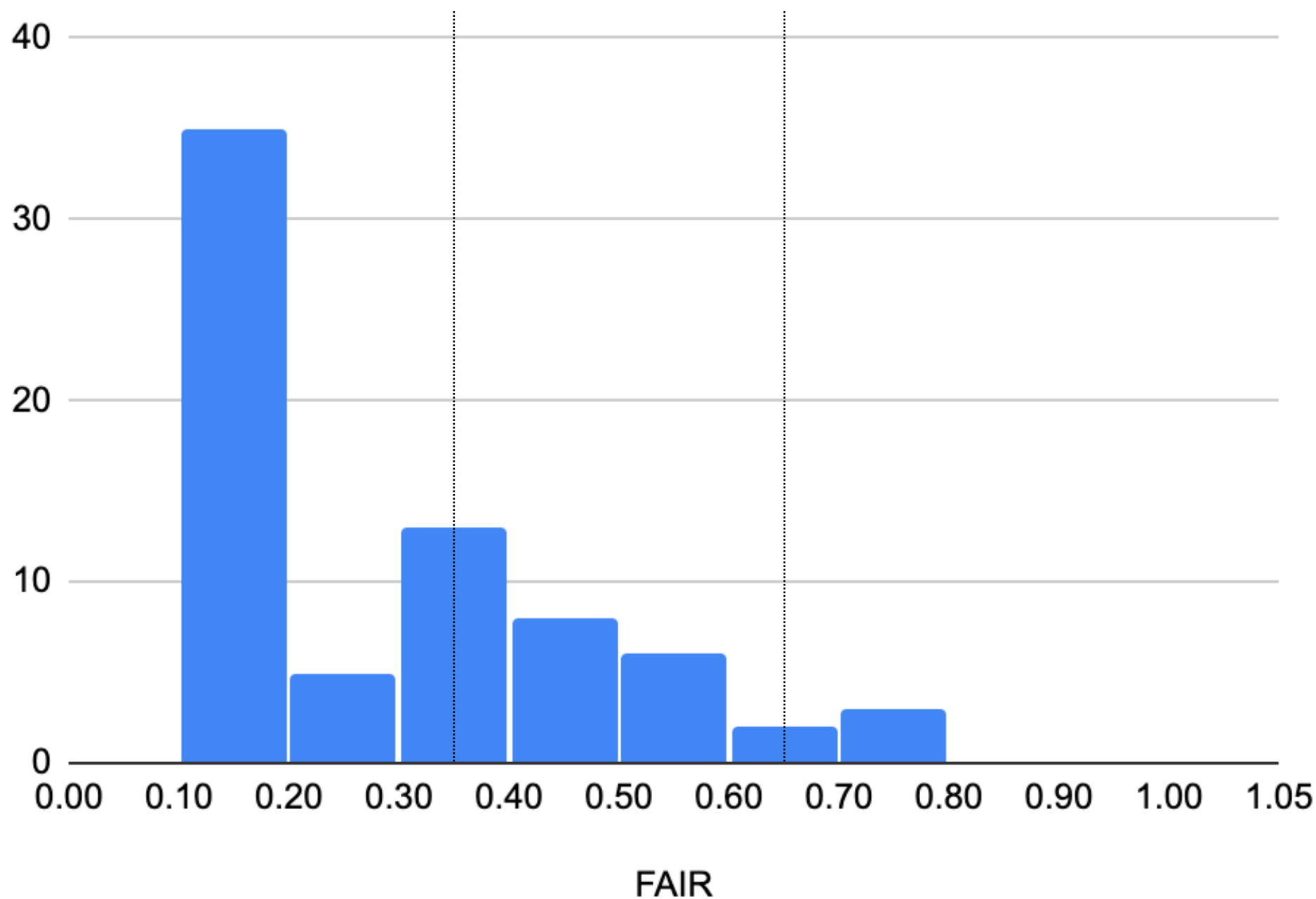
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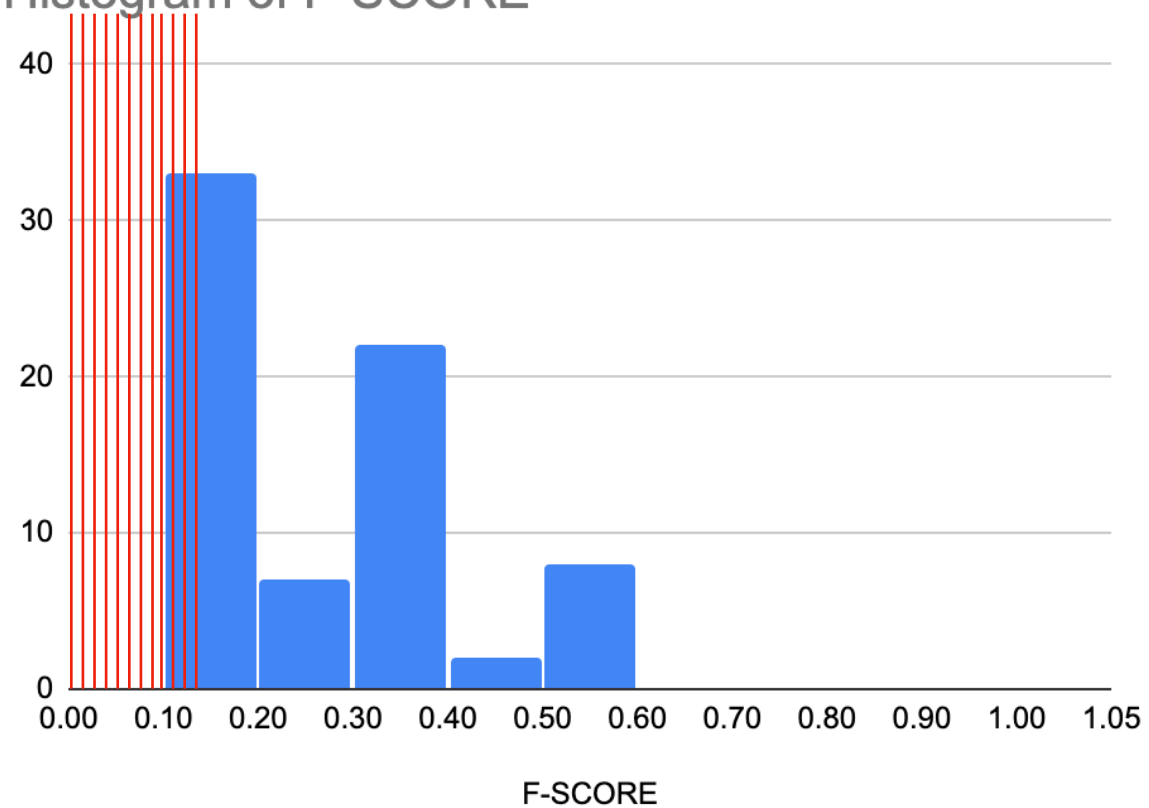
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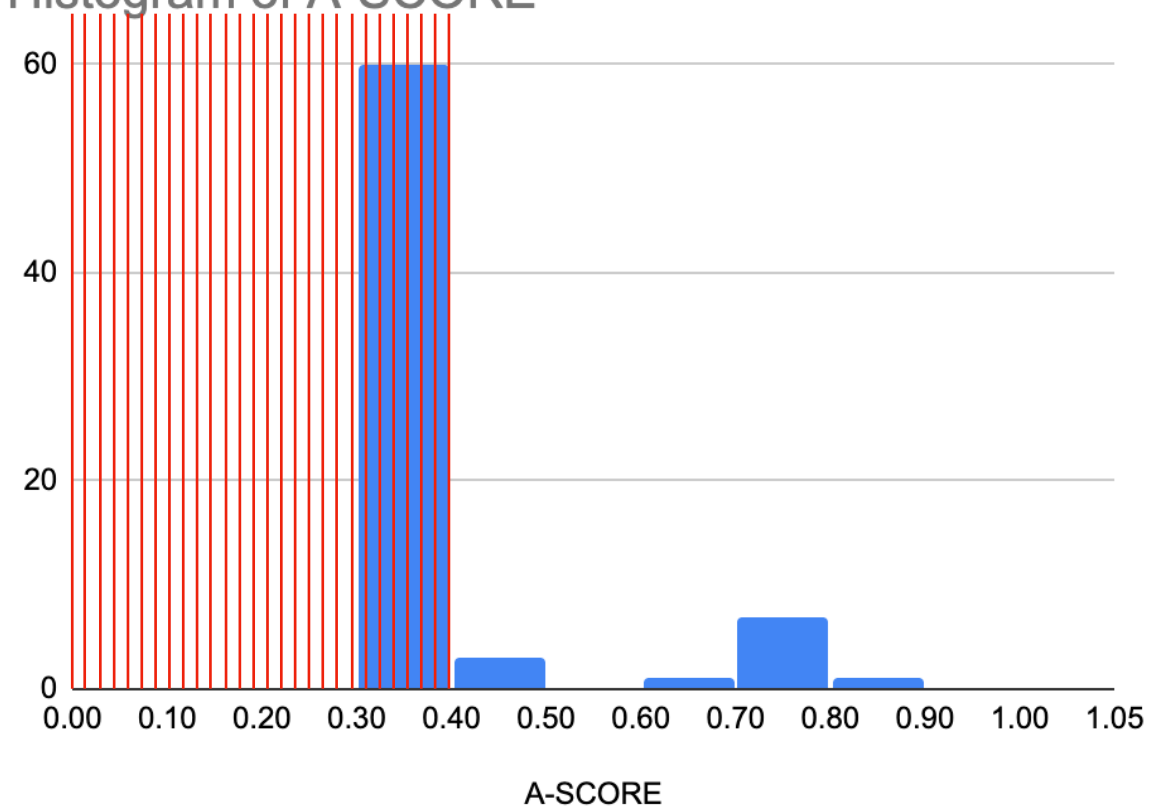


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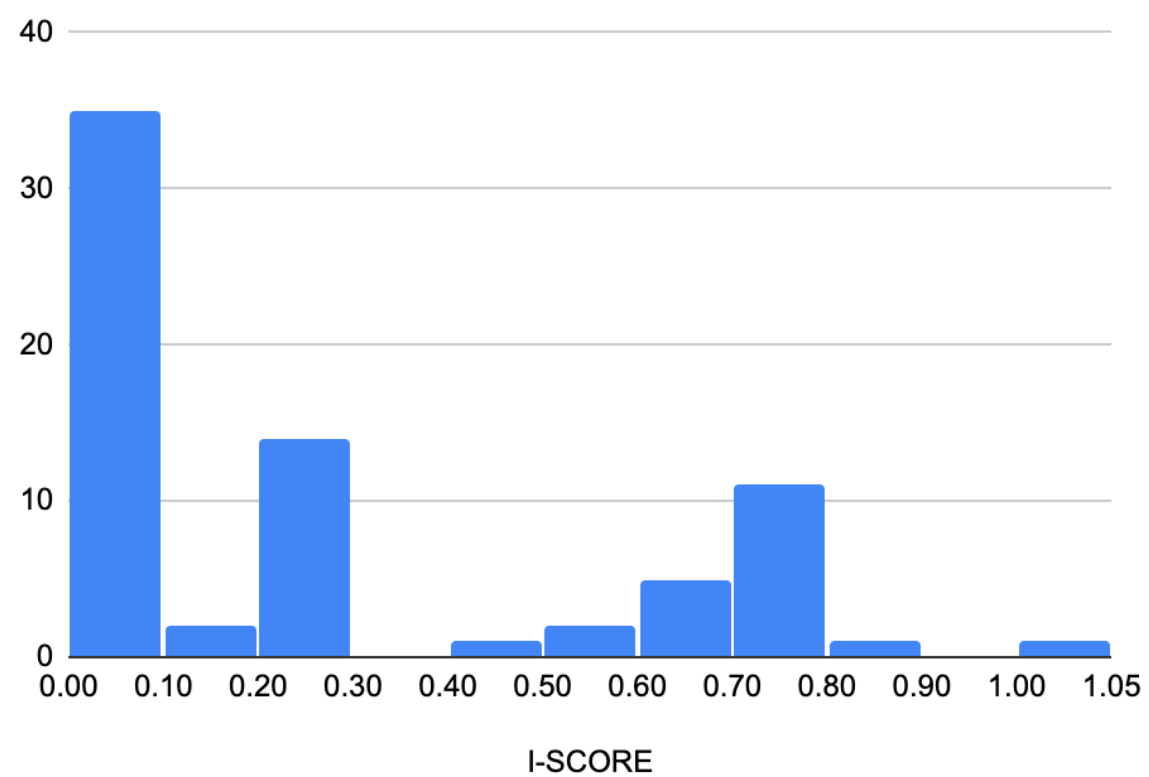
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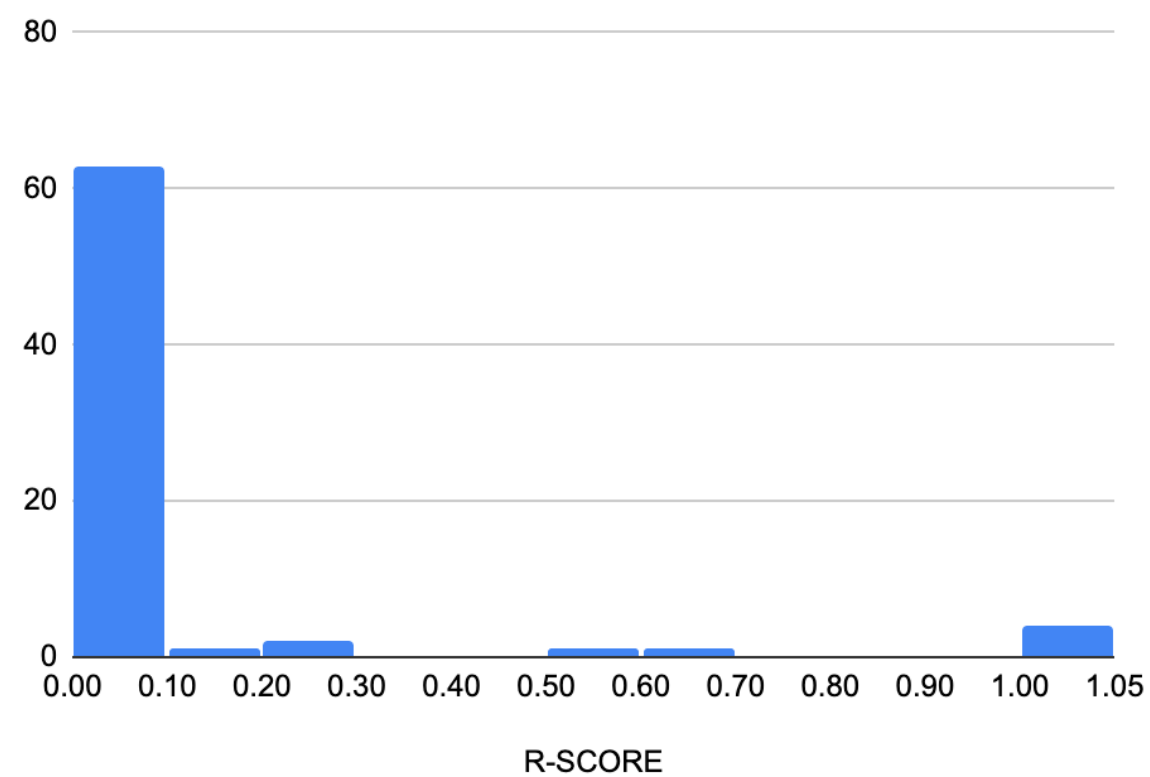
Histogram of A-SCORE



Histogram of I-SCORE



Histogram of R-SCORE



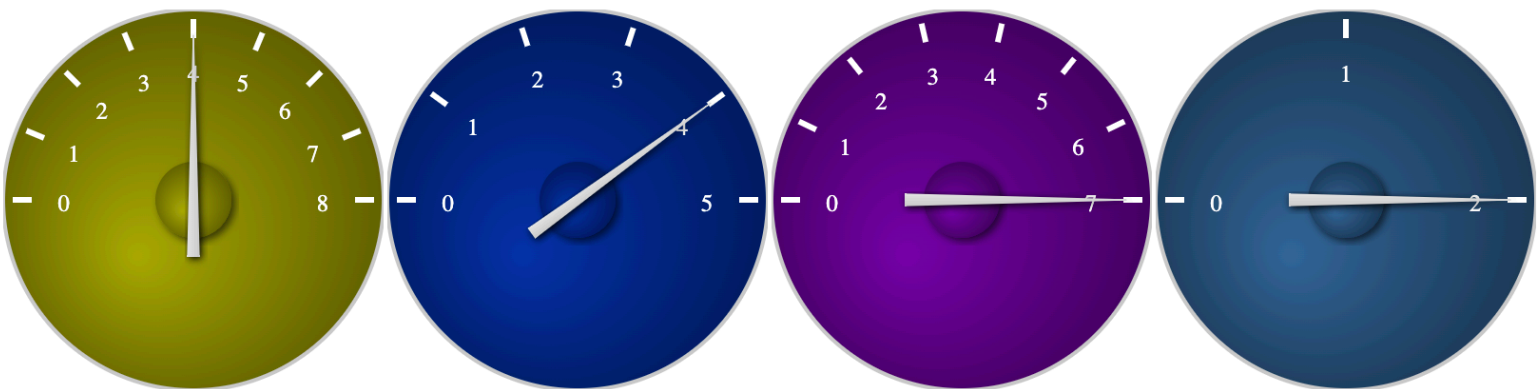
Dataset result (example)

DO evaluations

repID	Evaluation result string	F-score	A-score	I-score	R-score	FAIR score	Succeded tests / Total tests
27	1001100001010110011100	37.50%	40.00%	71.43%	0.00%	45.45%	(10:22)
27	1001100001010110011100	37.50%	40.00%	71.43%	0.00%	45.45%	(10:22)
27	1001110011110110011100	50.00%	80.00%	71.43%	0.00%	59.09%	(13:22)
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26	1001110011110111111111	50.00%	80.00%	100.00%	100.00%	77.27%	(17:22)
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26	1001110011110111111111	50.00%	80.00%	100.00%	100.00%	77.27%	(17:22)
24	1000000001010000000000	12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	(3:22)
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R Metrics

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FAIR Metrics Gen2 - Data Knowledge Representation Language (weak)

FAIR Metrics Gen2 - Metadata contains qualified outward references)

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FAIR Metrics Gen2 - Metadata uses FAIR vocabularies (strong)

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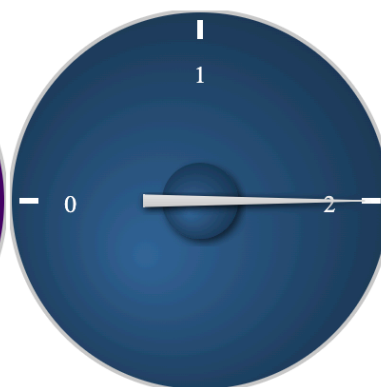
F Metrics



A Metrics



I Metrics



R Metrics

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Using the output from this URL for the next few tests...
INFO: Found type of content when resolving
https://plos.figshare.com/ndownloader/files/1561141 using
HTTP Accept header {"Accept"=>"*//*"}.
WARN: parser could not be found.
INFO: Metadata may be embedded, now searching using the
Apache 'tika' tool.
INFO: The message body is being examined by Apache Tika
INFO: The response from Apache Tika is being parsed
INFO: entering Tika parser - sample of input <x:xmpmeta
xmlns:x="adobe:ns:meta/" x:xmptk="Adobe .
INFO: Tika executed successfully (this doesn't necessarily
mean that it discovered any metadata...)
INFO: Metadata may be embedded, now searching using the
'Distiller' tool.
INFO: Cached data is already parsed. Returning
INFO: Metadata may be embedded, now searching using the
'extract' tool.
INFO: Using 'extract' to try to extract metadata from
return value (message body) of https://s3-eu-west-
1.amazonaws.com/pstorage-plos-3567654/1561141/Table_3.xls.
WARN: extract threw an error Failed to extract rdfa,
raises 'utf-8' codec can't decode byte 0xd0 in position 0:
invalid continuation byte when attempting to parse return
value (message body) of https://s3-eu-west-
1.amazonaws.com/pstorage-plos-3567654/1561141/Table_3.xls.
INFO: The GUID of the data appears to be a URL.
SUCCESS: The data was found to have some Linked Data
content.
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**FAIR Metrics Gen2 - Data Knowledge Representation
Language (weak)**

**FAIR Metrics Gen2 - Metadata contains qualified outward
references)**

FAIR Metrics Gen2 - Metadata Knowledge Representation

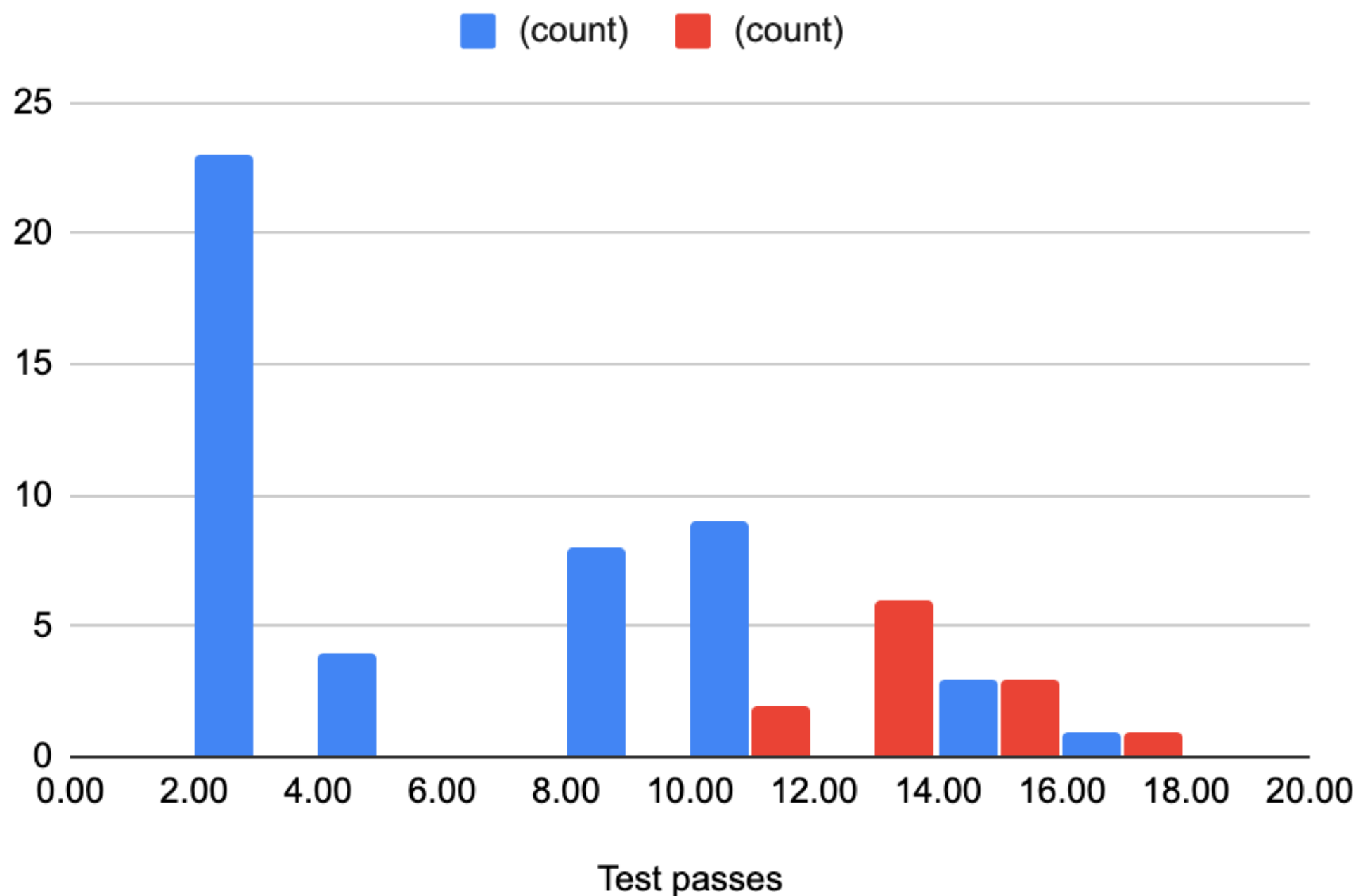
Some details

- 714 datasets evaluated for this study
- 103.7 hours execution time for the full sample
- NOTE: indicator test “Metadata Identifier Explicitly in Metadata” only accepts EXACT match
- NOTE: indicator test “Searchable in Major Search Engine” was disabled for this run due to lack of valid license for Bing

FAIR Maturity indicators

	Metric name	Principle association	Principle description
1	UNIQUE IDENTIFIER	F1	(Meta)data are assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier
2	IDENTIFIER PERSISTENCE	F1	(Meta)data are assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier
3	DATA IDENTIFIER PERSISTENCE	F1	(Meta)data are assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier
4	STRUCTURED METADATA	F2	Data are described with rich metadata (defined by R1 below)
5	GROUNDING METADATA	F2	Data are described with rich metadata (defined by R1 below)
6	DATA IDENTIFIER EXPLICITLY IN METADATA	F3	Metadata clearly and explicitly include the identifier of the data they describe
7	METADATA IDENTIFIER EXPLICITLY IN METADATA	F3	Metadata clearly and explicitly include the identifier of the data they describe
8	SEARCHABLE IN MAJOR SEARCH ENGINE	F4	(Meta)data are registered or indexed in a searchable resource
9	USES OPEN FREE PROTOCOL FOR DATA RETRIEVAL	A1.1	The protocol is open, free, and universally implementable
10	USES OPEN FREE PROTOCOL FOR METADATA RETRIEVAL	A1.1	The protocol is open, free, and universally implementable
11	DATA AUTHENTICATION AND AUTHORIZATION	A1.2	The protocol allows for an authentication and authorisation procedure, where necessary
12	METADATA AUTHENTICATION AND AUTHORIZATION	A1.2	The protocol allows for an authentication and authorisation procedure, where necessary
13	METADATA PERSISTENCE	A2	Metadata are accessible, even when the data are no longer available
14	METADATA KNOWLEDGE REPRESENTATION LANGUAGE (WEAK)	I1	(Meta)data use a formal, accessible, shared, and broadly applicable language for knowledge representation.
15	METADATA KNOWLEDGE REPRESENTATION LANGUAGE (STRONG)	I1	(Meta)data use a formal, accessible, shared, and broadly applicable language for knowledge representation.
16	DATA KNOWLEDGE REPRESENTATION LANGUAGE (WEAK)	I1	(Meta)data use a formal, accessible, shared, and broadly applicable language for knowledge representation.
17	DATA KNOWLEDGE REPRESENTATION LANGUAGE (STRONG)	I1	(Meta)data use a formal, accessible, shared, and broadly applicable language for knowledge representation.
18	METADATA USES FAIR VOCABULARIES (WEAK)	I2	(Meta)data use vocabularies that follow FAIR principles
19	METADATA USES FAIR VOCABULARIES (STRONG)	I2	(Meta)data use vocabularies that follow FAIR principles
20	METADATA CONTAINS QUALIFIED OUTWARD REFERENCES	I3	(Meta)data include qualified references to other (meta)data
21	METADATA INCLUDES LICENSE (STRONG)	R1.1	(Meta)data are released with a clear and accessible data usage license
22	METADATA INCLUDES LICENSE (WEAK)	R1.1	(Meta)data are released with a clear and accessible data usage license
		R1.2	(Meta)data are associated with detailed provenance
		R1.3	(Meta)data meet domain-relevant community standards

Histogram of FAIR Maturity test passes



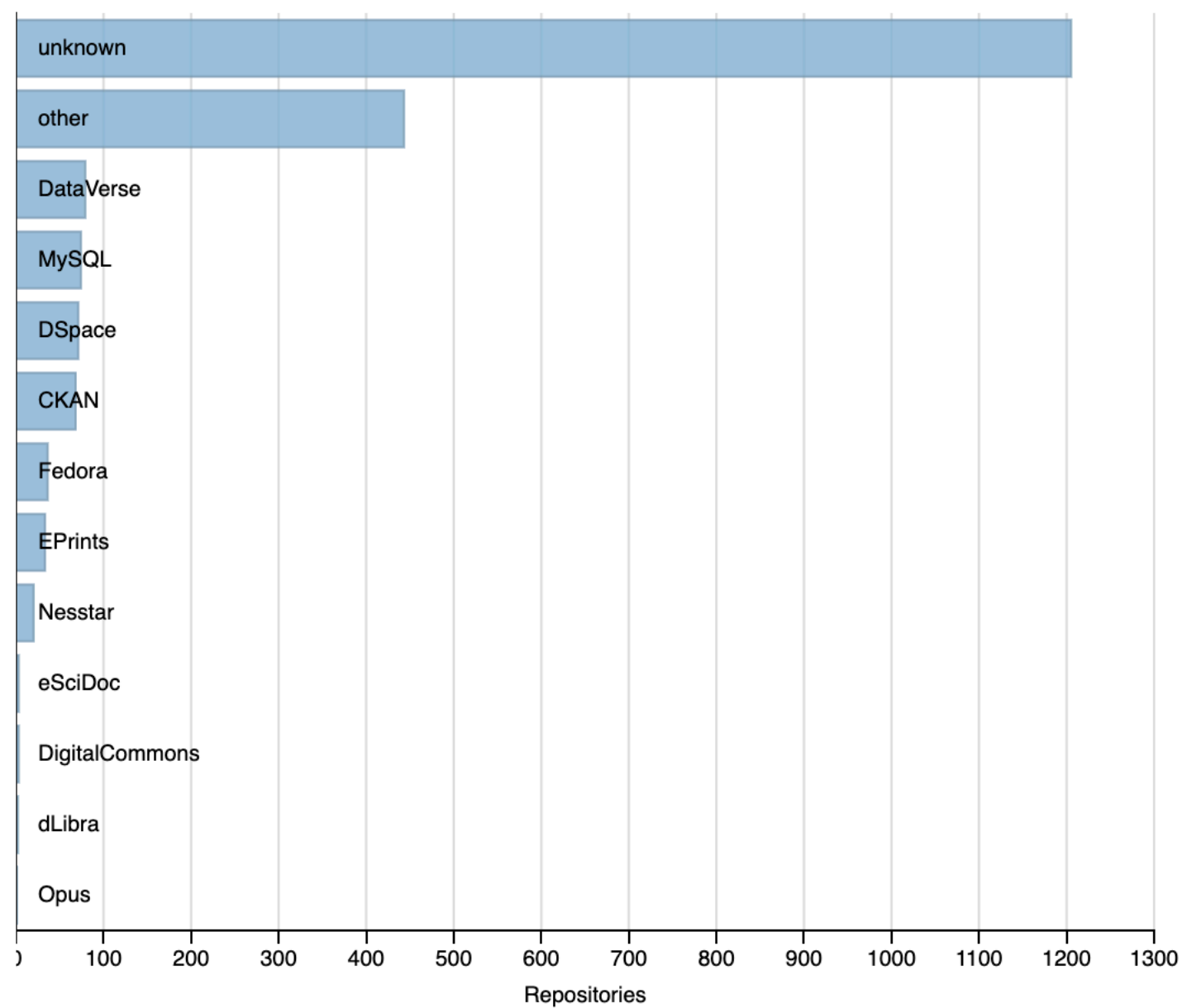
Early/prelim results from 48 tested URIs and 12 matching DOIs

**Mirror, mirror, on the wall...
who's the FAIRest of them
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repoID	Data-set	Platform	F-score	A-score	I-score	R-score	FAIR	Sigma	Sigma (F)	Sigma (A)	Sigma (I)	Sigma (R)	CTS	DSA	WDS	CLARIN
	2	10	Dspace	37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	X		X
	3	10		30.00%	40.00%	62.86%	0.00%	40.00%	0.164	0.065	0.000	0.100	0.000			
	4	15		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	5	10		21.25%	40.00%	10.00%	0.00%	20.00%	0.129	0.060	0.000	0.069	0.000			
	6	10	META-SHARE	12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	X		X
	7	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	8	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	9	8	Dataverse	50.00%	80.00%	71.43%	0.00%	59.09%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	10	11	NESSTAR	12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	X		
	11	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	13	10	Dspace	20.00%	40.00%	8.57%	0.00%	19.09%	0.259	0.121	0.000	0.138	0.000	X		X
	16	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	18	11	Dataverse	50.00%	80.00%	77.14%	0.00%	60.91%	0.138	0.000	0.000	0.138	0.000	X		
	19	10	Nesstar	12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	20	10	Dataverse	50.00%	80.00%	71.43%	0.00%	59.09%	0.117	0.000	0.000	0.117	0.000			
	24	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000		X	X
	25	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	26	10	Figshare	50.00%	80.00%	82.86%	100.00%	71.82%	0.131	0.000	0.000	0.131	0.000			
	27	10		40.00%	48.00%	71.43%	0.00%	48.18%	0.221	0.053	0.169	0.000	0.000	X		
	28	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	29	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	30	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	32	11	IPT	37.50%	40.00%	68.83%	100.00%	53.72%	0.058	0.000	0.000	0.058	0.000		X	
	35	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	39	10		23.75%	40.00%	21.43%	30.00%	27.27%	1.009	0.181	0.000	0.345	0.483			
	41	10		25.00%	40.00%	14.29%	0.00%	22.73%	0.282	0.132	0.000	0.151	0.000			
	42	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	45	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	47	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	49	4		18.75%	40.00%	7.14%	25.00%	20.45%	0.768	0.125	0.000	0.143	0.500			
	52	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	54	10		37.50%	40.00%	71.43%	0.00%	45.45%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	55	10		37.50%	40.00%	71.43%	0.00%	45.45%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	57	10		17.50%	40.00%	11.43%	0.00%	19.09%	0.346	0.105	0.000	0.241	0.000			
	60	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	62	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	63	10		35.00%	40.00%	25.71%	0.00%	30.00%	0.169	0.079	0.000	0.090	0.000			
	64	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	65	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	X		X
	66	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	68	10	Figshare	50.00%	80.00%	77.14%	100.00%	70.00%	0.100	0.000	0.000	0.100	0.000			
	69	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	71	10		15.00%	40.00%	2.86%	10.00%	16.36%	0.486	0.079	0.000	0.090	0.316			
	72	10		37.50%	40.00%	65.31%	100.00%	52.60%	0.076	0.000	0.000	0.076	0.000			
	73	7		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	76	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	79	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	82	13	CKAN	50.00%	80.00%	79.76%	0.00%	61.74%	0.129	0.000	0.000	0.129	0.000			
	84	10		37.50%	40.00%	71.43%	0.00%	45.45%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	85	10		37.50%	40.00%	71.43%	0.00%	45.45%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	87	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	94	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	100	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	103	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	106	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	108	4	CKAN	50.00%	80.00%	100.00%	50.00%	72.73%	0.577	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.577			
	113	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	114	10		37.50%	40.00%	71.43%	0.00%	45.45%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	115	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	116	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	120	10		20.00%	40.00%	8.57%	0.00%	19.09%	0.259	0.121	0.000	0.138	0.000			
	122	10		35.00%	40.00%	25.71%	0.00%	30.00%	0.169	0.079	0.000	0.090	0.000			
	125	10		30.00%	40.00%	50.00%	0.00%	35.91%	0.466	0.121	0.000	0.345	0.000			
	127	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	129	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	130	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	131	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	132	10	Dataverse	50.00%	80.00%	69.84%	0.00%	58.59%	0.048	0.000	0.000	0.048	0.000			
	133	10		37.50%	40.00%	42.86%	0.00%	36.36%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	134	10		37.50%	40.00%	57.14%	0.00%	40.91%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	135	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000			
	136	10	figshare	46.25%	68.00%	64.29%	70.00%	59.09%	0.930	0.060	0.193	0.193	0.483			

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2	10	Dspace	37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	X			X
3	10		30.00%	40.00%	62.86%	0.00%	40.00%	0.164	0.065	0.000	0.100	0.000				
4	15		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
5	10		21.25%	40.00%	10.00%	0.00%	20.00%	0.129	0.060	0.000	0.069	0.000				
6	10	META-SHARE	12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	X			X
7	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
8	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
9	8	Dataverse	50.00%	80.00%	71.43%	0.00%	59.09%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
10	11	NESSTAR	12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	X			
11	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
13	10	Dspace	20.00%	40.00%	8.57%	0.00%	19.09%	0.259	0.121	0.000	0.138	0.000	X			X
16	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
18	11	Dataverse	50.00%	80.00%	77.14%	0.00%	60.91%	0.138	0.000	0.000	0.138	0.000	X			
19	10	Nesstar	12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
20	10	Dataverse	50.00%	80.00%	71.43%	0.00%	59.09%	0.117	0.000	0.000	0.117	0.000				
24	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000		X		X
25	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
26	10	Figshare	50.00%	80.00%	82.86%	100.00%	71.82%	0.131	0.000	0.000	0.131	0.000				
27	10		40.00%	40.00%	71.43%	0.00%	40.00%	0.221	0.053	0.103	0.000	0.000	X			
28	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
29	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
30	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
32	11	IPT	37.50%	40.00%	68.83%	100.00%	53.72%	0.058	0.000	0.000	0.058	0.000			X	
35	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
39	10		23.75%	40.00%	21.43%	30.00%	27.27%	1.009	0.181	0.000	0.345	0.483				
41	10		25.00%	40.00%	14.29%	0.00%	22.73%	0.282	0.132	0.000	0.151	0.000				
42	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
45	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
47	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
49	4		18.75%	40.00%	7.14%	25.00%	20.45%	0.768	0.125	0.000	0.143	0.500				
52	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
54	10		37.50%	40.00%	71.43%	0.00%	45.45%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
55	10		37.50%	40.00%	71.43%	0.00%	45.45%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
57	10		17.50%	40.00%	11.43%	0.00%	19.09%	0.346	0.105	0.000	0.241	0.000				
60	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
62	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
63	10		35.00%	40.00%	25.71%	0.00%	30.00%	0.169	0.079	0.000	0.090	0.000				
64	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
65	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	X			X
66	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
68	10	Figshare	50.00%	80.00%	77.14%	100.00%	70.00%	0.100	0.000	0.000	0.100	0.000				
69	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
71	10		15.00%	40.00%	2.86%	10.00%	16.36%	0.486	0.079	0.000	0.090	0.316				
72	10		37.50%	40.00%	65.31%	100.00%	52.60%	0.076	0.000	0.000	0.076	0.000				
73	7		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
76	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
79	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
82	13	CKAN	50.00%	80.00%	79.76%	0.00%	61.74%	0.129	0.000	0.000	0.129	0.000				
84	10		37.50%	40.00%	71.43%	0.00%	45.45%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
85	10		37.50%	40.00%	71.43%	0.00%	45.45%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
87	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
94	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
100	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
103	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
108	4	CKAN	50.00%	80.00%	100.00%	50.00%	72.73%	0.577	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.577				
113	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
114	10		37.50%	40.00%	71.43%	0.00%	45.45%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
115	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
116	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
120	10		20.00%	40.00%	8.57%	0.00%	19.09%	0.259	0.121	0.000	0.138	0.000				
122	10		35.00%	40.00%	25.71%	0.00%	30.00%	0.169	0.079	0.000	0.090	0.000				
125	10		30.00%	40.00%	50.00%	0.00%	35.91%	0.466	0.121	0.000	0.345	0.000				
127	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
129	10		37.50%	40.00%	28.57%	0.00%	31.82%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
130	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
131	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
132	10	Dataverse	50.00%	80.00%	69.84%	0.00%	58.59%	0.048	0.000	0.000	0.048	0.000				
133	10		37.50%	40.00%	42.86%	0.00%	36.36%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
134	10		37.50%	40.00%	57.14%	0.00%	40.91%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
135	10		12.50%	40.00%	0.00%	0.00%	13.64%	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000				
136	10	figshare	46.25%	68.00%	64.29%	70.00%	59.09%	0.930	0.060	0.193	0.193	0.483				

Software



Software platforms...

	Tool	Implementation	Cost	Platform	Installation	User interface	API
	ArchivesSpace	Download	Free	Lin Mac Win	Moderate	Web	Yes
	CKAN	Download Web Service	Free Subscription	Lin	Complex	Web	Yes
	CONTENTdm	Download Service	Subscription	Lin Win	Simple	Web	Yes
	DataBank	Download	Free	Lin	Complex	CL Web	Yes
	DSpace	Download	Free	Lin Mac Win	Moderate	Web	Yes
	EPrints	Download	Free	Lin Mac Win	Moderate	Web	Yes
	Fedora	Download	Free	Lin Mac Win	Complex	CL Web	Yes

Source: DCC

Conclusions

Highlights

- Collected 136 regional digital repositories from eight countries and evaluated 100 of them.
- Evaluation based on machine-actionable metadata, provided DO has GUID (identifier).
- Evaluation of a *small* number of datasets (N=10) within a repository is typically sufficient to determine a repository FAIR score. However, larger samples (N=100) should be considered. Listing of ALL datasets in a repository should be a *generic* feature!
- Evaluations consist of harvesting metadata/data from GUID by resolving all links within the DO landing page. This takes 5-20 minutes per dataset. Parallelised evaluations for speed-up using 10 workers and automatic execution and results extraction from Google sheets using Google scripts.
- Evaluation of multiple datasets (N=10) to estimate an average FAIR Maturity score for the repository (code published as open source)
- Streamlined FAIR Maturity evaluation of datasets is a scalable approach to determine FAIRness implementation

Recommendations

- All datasets should be identified by a globally unique identifier (GUID), preferably a persistent identifier (PID)
- Repositories should register on re3data.org to increase discoverability
- Employ the concept of FAIR digital object for published datasets (cf. “Metadata Identifier Explicitly in Metadata” and “Data Identifier Explicitly in Metadata”)
- Make use of linked
- State under what license agreement the dataset is provided, using one of the standard “license” predicates/keys

FAIR Maturity indicators

	Metric name	Principle association	Principle description
1	UNIQUE IDENTIFIER	F1	(Meta)data are assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier
2	IDENTIFIER PERSISTENCE	F1	(Meta)data are assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier
3	DATA IDENTIFIER PERSISTENCE	F1	(Meta)data are assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier
4	STRUCTURED METADATA	F2	Data are described with rich metadata (defined by R1 below)
5	GROUNDING METADATA	F2	Data are described with rich metadata (defined by R1 below)
6	DATA IDENTIFIER EXPLICITLY IN METADATA	F3	Metadata clearly and explicitly include the identifier of the data they describe
7	METADATA IDENTIFIER EXPLICITLY IN METADATA	F3	Metadata clearly and explicitly include the identifier of the data they describe
8	SEARCHABLE IN MAJOR SEARCH ENGINE	F4	(Meta)data are registered or indexed in a searchable resource
9	USES OPEN FREE PROTOCOL FOR DATA RETRIEVAL	A1.1	The protocol is open, free, and universally implementable
10	USES OPEN FREE PROTOCOL FOR METADATA RETRIEVAL	A1.1	The protocol is open, free, and universally implementable
11	DATA AUTHENTICATION AND AUTHORIZATION	A1.2	The protocol allows for an authentication and authorisation procedure, where necessary
12	METADATA AUTHENTICATION AND AUTHORIZATION	A1.2	The protocol allows for an authentication and authorisation procedure, where necessary
13	METADATA PERSISTENCE	A2	Metadata are accessible, even when the data are no longer available
14	METADATA KNOWLEDGE REPRESENTATION LANGUAGE (WEAK)	I1	(Meta)data use a formal, accessible, shared, and broadly applicable language for knowledge representation.
15	METADATA KNOWLEDGE REPRESENTATION LANGUAGE (STRONG)	I1	(Meta)data use a formal, accessible, shared, and broadly applicable language for knowledge representation.
16	DATA KNOWLEDGE REPRESENTATION LANGUAGE (WEAK)	I1	(Meta)data use a formal, accessible, shared, and broadly applicable language for knowledge representation.
17	DATA KNOWLEDGE REPRESENTATION LANGUAGE (STRONG)	I1	(Meta)data use a formal, accessible, shared, and broadly applicable language for knowledge representation.
18	METADATA USES FAIR VOCABULARIES (WEAK)	I2	(Meta)data use vocabularies that follow FAIR principles
19	METADATA USES FAIR VOCABULARIES (STRONG)	I2	(Meta)data use vocabularies that follow FAIR principles
20	METADATA CONTAINS QUALIFIED OUTWARD REFERENCES	I3	(Meta)data include qualified references to other (meta)data
21	METADATA INCLUDES LICENSE (STRONG)	R1.1	(Meta)data are released with a clear and accessible data usage license
22	METADATA INCLUDES LICENSE (WEAK)	R1.1	(Meta)data are released with a clear and accessible data usage license
		R1.2	(Meta)data are associated with detailed provenance
		R1.3	(Meta)data meet domain-relevant community standards

Thank you