# DCAT-AP issues: submission guidelines

Any problems encountered, or suggestions for new functionalities can be submitted as issues on the DCAT-AP repository on [GitHub](https://github.com/SEMICeu/DCAT-AP). Submitters of issue need to register for a free user account by clicking [“Sign up for GitHub”](https://github.com/) on the GitHub start page.

To help the classification of issues, the submitter is asked to provide as much information as possible, for example:

* submitter name
* submitter affiliation
* portal, service or software product represented
* clear and concise description of the problems or requirement
* proposed solution, if possible

The Editor of the DCAT-AP specification will respond to the issue within two weeks with an initial reaction and an indication of the next steps to be taken.