

Deposit Criteria

Contents

- All submissions must be datasets pertaining to romance novels published by BIPOC or LGBTQ+ authors.
- All submissions must be datasets in English pertaining to romance novels published in English.
- All submissions must contain at a minimum metadata on author name, title, publisher, published year, and subgenre/tropes. See the required metadata table below and the Metadata and Standards file for more information.
- All submissions must include files that follow the naming conventions laid out in the Data Governance section of this protocol.

Type

- Submissions may contain quantitative or qualitative data, so long as they meet the content criteria.
- Submissions must contain data recorded in alphanumeric character strings.

Formats

- The repository accepts both tabular and text file data submissions.
- Non-proprietary, openly-documented formats are highly recommended and encouraged.
 - i.e. JSON, XML, etc for text files, .csv for tabular files
- Submissions must be 1GB or less in size.

Licensing

- The depositor may only submit data that they know they are at liberty to share on an open access platform.
- Once data is shared with the repository, the repository has the license to publish the data in the repository's standard dissemination information package (DIP) to anyone who requests the data. There will be no barriers to data access (data will be open access).

Metadata Label	Data Definition
author_name	Name of the primary author of the book
book_title	Title of the book
pub_date	Year the book was originally published
publisher	Name of the original publisher
genres_tags	Subgenre name and relevant theme/trope tags

diversity_label	BIPOC Author, BIPOC MC, LGBTQ+ Author, LGBTQ+ MC are the four options for this data. (MC = Main Character)
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