



## Guidance and Support

### FAQs

<b>Summary</b>	FAQ for: RDA Website Integration; The Role of Zenodo; Credentials and Authentication
<b>Audience</b>	Public
<b>Status</b>	

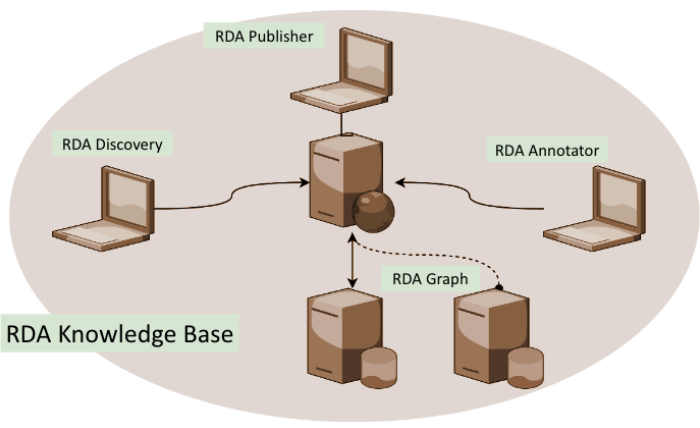
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## 1. RDA Website Integration

**Background:** this section aims to clarify the relationship between the RDA Knowledge Base and the RDA Website(?)

#	Question	Answer
1	What is the RDA Knowledge Base?	<p>The Knowledge Base is a portfolio of applications, including the ones listed below. Together, the goal of these services are to ensure the high quality, usefulness, maintenance and sustainability of RDA outputs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- RDA Graph: a comprehensive graph database of RDA- and related outputs;</li> <li>- RDA Publisher: Curated Publication of RDA-related resources - with extended metadata and linked into the RDA Graph</li> <li>- RDA Discovery: Discovery of RDA Outputs, Supplementary Materials, and Web Resources of interest to the community</li> <li>- RDA: Annotator: Annotation of web resources that are of interest to the community - e.g. identified during landscape analysis and research</li> </ul> 
2	When should I refer to the Knowledge Base, and when to the RDA website?	<p>Refer to the Knowledge base for e.g.:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- RDA- &amp; related outputs: e.g. searching, browsing, and filtering for e.g. certain types of outputs, topics, Working Groups, and more;</li> <li>- Helpdesk for WGs: e.g. practical guidelines; standards; metadata schemas;</li> <li>- Annotation</li> </ul> <p>The RDA Website is particularly useful for e.g.:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- RDA-related news &amp; events;</li> <li>- Community and group discussions;</li> <li>- detailed information about RDA policies, governance, activities etc.</li> </ul>
3	Are the outputs on the Knowledge	All outputs found on the RDA Website are harvested by the

	Base and RDA website harmonised?	Knowledge Base. In addition, the Knowledge Base includes supplementary materials not found on the RDA Website, e.g. related, RDA-external standards, vocabularies, and outputs.
4	Is the Knowledge Base developed and maintained by the RDA?	Although the Knowledge Base is developed in close collaboration with the RDA, it is an independent output of the <a href="#">RDA TIGER Project</a> , and the RDA takes no responsible for its use and contents (see <a href="#">RDA TIGER Disclaimer</a> )

## 2. The Role of Zenodo

#	Question	Answer
1	Why use <a href="#">Zenodo</a> ?	Zenodo is an open and flexible repository for research papers, datasets, software, and other materials. All RDA outputs are published in one of their <a href="#">two Zenodo Communities</a> .
2	Why deposit to Zenodo using the RDA Publisher?	The <a href="#">RDA Publisher</a> prepares materials for automated deposit to Zenodo (or to other long-term repositories) together with extended metadata, and by linking resources to the RDA Graph
3	How to deposit using the RDA Publisher?	Go to the <a href="#">RDA Publisher</a> , log in using your Google or ORCID account, fill in the metadata, and drag the files to be deposited on the second tab, before hitting "Submit data". Drafts can be saved before publishing using the "Save" button.

## 3. Credentials and Authentication

#	Question	Answer
1	What credentials and authentication is supported by the Knowledge Base?	The Knowledge Base currently supports authentication through your Google or ORCID accounts. Other common platforms will be added in the future
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