# Open access and beyond: means, opportunities and challenges

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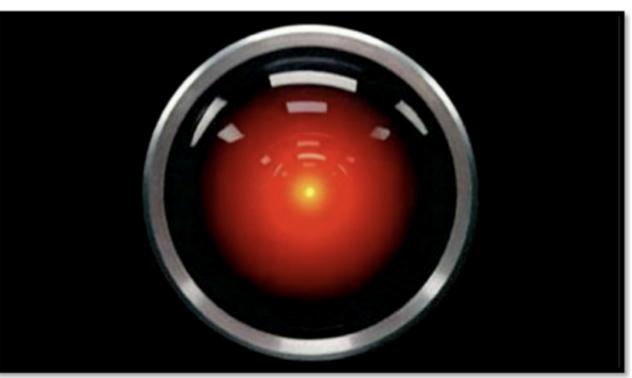
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## Agenda

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### DataGueule « Privés de savoir? »



Available at: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WnxqoP-c0ZE

### "Privés de savoir? " - addendum 1 : French Law

The Law for a Digital Republic promulgated on 8 October 2016 includes an article dedicated to open access to scientific articles, article 30.



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### "Privés de savoir? " - addendum 1 : French Law

In short, all scientific **articles** resulting from public research can now be deposited into an open access repository :

- in a manuscript format : author accepted manuscript (AAM),
- with a maximum **embargo** of 6 months (science and medicine)/12 months (humanities and social sciences),

regardless of the publisher's open access policy.

### Do you want to know more?

- Read article 30 of the law on Legifrance
- Questions? See the detailed FAQ in French provided by Couperin

## "Privés de savoir? " - addendum 2 : versions of an article

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Sea surface temperature variability in the North Western Mediterranean Sea (Gulf of Lion) during the Common Era



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#### 1. Introduction

In the past decade, major efforts have been done to document the multi-decadal variability of the sea surface temperatures during the Common Era (last 2,000 yr) and to explore the role of external forcings (solar, volcanism, greenhouse gases) by combining intensity of these climate zones can substantially alter the Mediterranean climate making this region particularly vulnerable to global warming (Lionello et al., 2006). In its history, the Mediterranean region has undergone important changes that can be investigated to better understand present-day interactions between global and regional climate and the underlying driving mechanisms.

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#### Definition of AAM:

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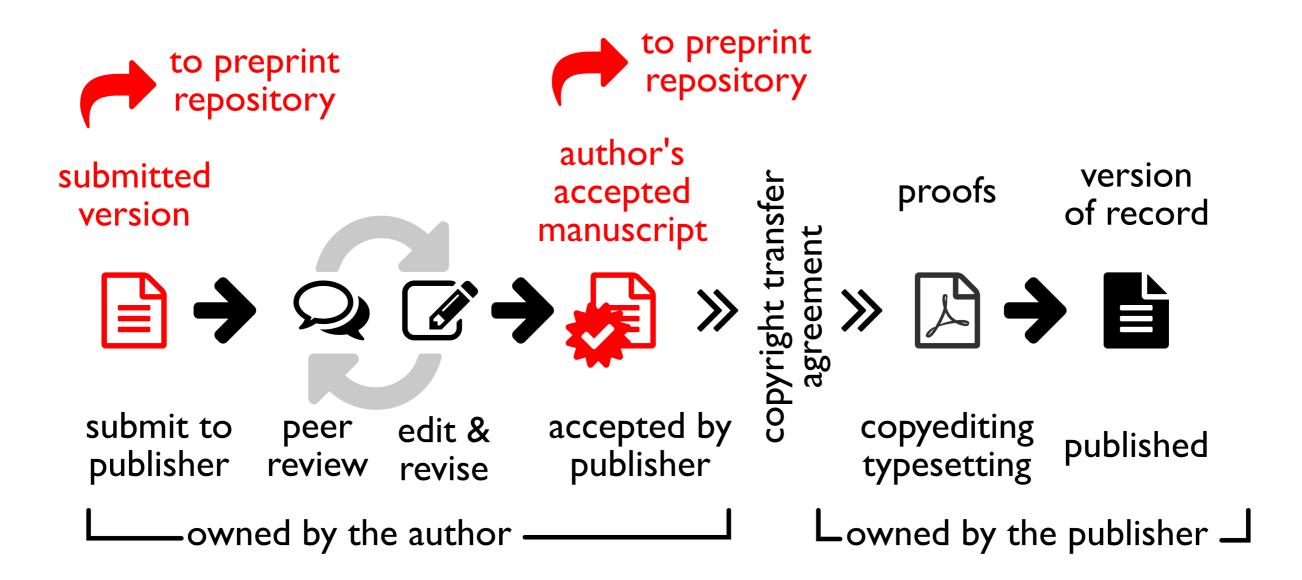
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## "Privés de savoir? " - addendum 2 : versions of an article



# "Privés de savoir? " - *addendum 3* : who needs access to scientific publications?

## ? Q03

Tennant, J. P. et al. (2016). 'The academic, economic and societal impacts of Open Access: an evidence-based review'. F1000Research, 5, 632. https://doi.org/10.12688/f1000research.8460.3

A dedicated website: http://whoneedsaccess.org

This site is run collaboratively by the @access working group — a loose coalition of academics in various fields — plus you. We want to know your stories about how access to scientific literature has enabled you to do more, create more, and give more back to the world. If that's you, please see the Contribute page.

# "Privés de savoir? " - *addendum 3* : what does access means?

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Chan, L. et al. (2002). 'Read the Budapest Open Access Initiative'. Budapest Open Access Initiative. Retrieved from https://www.budapestopenaccessinitiative.org/read



Open access avatars

## Open access avatars: is this open access 1/3? ? Q04



#### What is the limit for photoautotrophic plankton growth rates?

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#### Abstract

Knowing the potential maximum photoautotrophic growth rate for planktonic primary producers is fundamental to our understanding of trophic and biogeochemical processes, and of importance in applied phycology. When day-integrated C-specific growth is considered over natural light:dark cycles, plausible RuBisCO activity (Kcat coupled with cellular RuBisCO content) caps growth to less than a few doubling per day. Prolonged periods of C-specific growth rates above ca. 1.3 d<sup>-1</sup> thus appear increasingly implausible. Discrepancies between RuBisCO-capped rates and reported microalgal-specific growth rates, including temperature-growth rate relationships, may be explained by transformational errors in growth rate determinations made by reference to cell counts or most often chlorophyll, or by extrapolations from short-term measurements. Coupled studies of enzyme activity and day-on-day C-specific growth rates are required to provide definitive evidence of high growth rates. It seems likely, however, that selective pressure to evolve a RuBisCO with a high  $K_{cat}$  (with a likely concomitant increase in Km for CO2) would be low, as other factors such as light limitation (developing during biomass growth due to self-shading), nutrient limitations, CO2 depletion and pH elevation, would all rapidly depress realized specific growth rates.

Key words RuBisCO • specific growth rate • temperature • microalga • phytoplankton

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## Open access avatars: is this open access 2/3? ? Q05















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Research Article

## How subscription-based scholarly journals can convert to open access: A review of approaches

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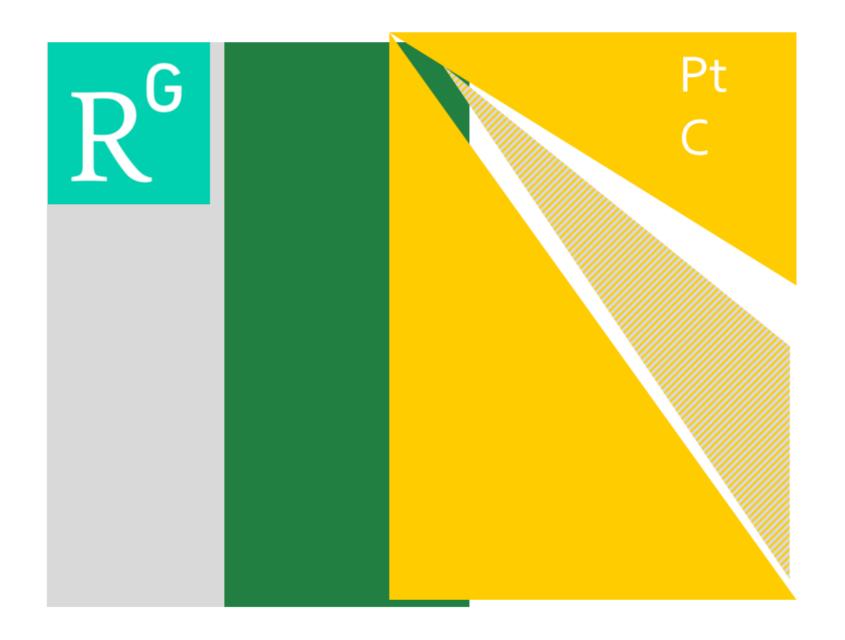
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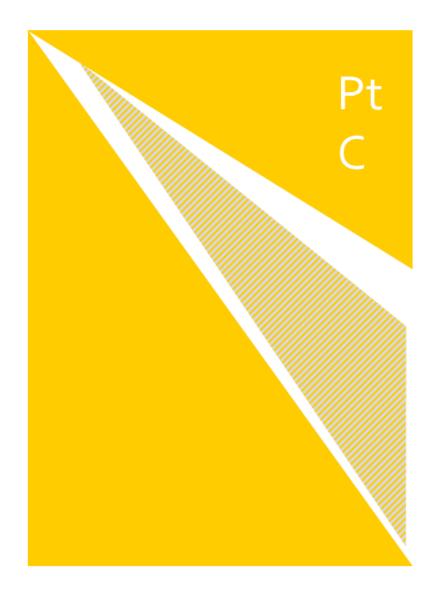
## The green and the grey

We will go into more details regarding these services later on, for the moment let's just check the following chart.

	Open access repositories	Academia.edu	ResearchGate
Supports export or harvesting	Yes	No	No
Long-term preservation	Yes	No	No
Business model	Nonprofit (usually)	Commercial. Sells job posting services, hopes to sell data	Commercial. Sells ads, job posting services
Sends you lots of emails (by default)	No	Yes	Yes
Wants your address book	No	Yes	Yes
Fulfills requirements of UC's OA policies	Yes	No	No

From : Fortney, K. & Gonder, J. (2015). 'A social networking site is not an open access repository'. Office of Scholarly Communication - University of California. Retrieved from http://osc.universityofcalifornia.edu/2015/12/a-social-networking-site-is-not-an-open-access-repository/

## The gold and the grey, focus on journals



## Focus on journals : economic typology



## Focus on journals : economic typology

Data from Open APC: 2005-2018, 158 research institutions

Value in €	Full OA	Hybrid OA
average	1481	2490
median	1407	2443

There is hence concern that hybrid APCs often reflect traditional publishers' concern to maintain existing profit margins and market position rather than the true costs of publishing.

Ross-Hellauer, T. et al. (2018). 'Are funder Open Access platforms a good idea?' PeerJ Preprints, 6, e26954v1. https://doi.org/10.7287/peerj.preprints.26954v1

## Open access journals: hybrid parenthesis

An other concern regarding articles published in hybrid journals : are they indeed made open access?

#### Two stories:

Beynon, R. (2018). 'OK Molecular and Cellular Proteomics @molcellprot @ASBMB I'm calling you out publicly. I just tried to access one of my own papers, for which we paid for GOLD OA, and it is paywalled. Poor show. I hope you will refund any poor sap who paid for access. Please fix this immediately.pic.twitter.com/dGh9MYpYVS' [Tweet]. @astacus. Retrieved from https://twitter.com/astacus/status/951020844251340800

Gadd, E. (2018). 'Dear @SpringerOpen ,We have just published a paper (https://bit.ly/2EZGyvL) with you under a CC-BY licence, but when you click on the article's Reprints & Permissions link it takes you to a page that says the article is under a CC-BY-NC-ND licence. Please can you correct this?pic.twitter.com/rdWVsMWSoz' [Tweet]. @LizzieGadd. Retrieved from https://twitter.com/LizzieGadd/status/986932905694949376

## Open access journals : economics : the fair price? 1/2

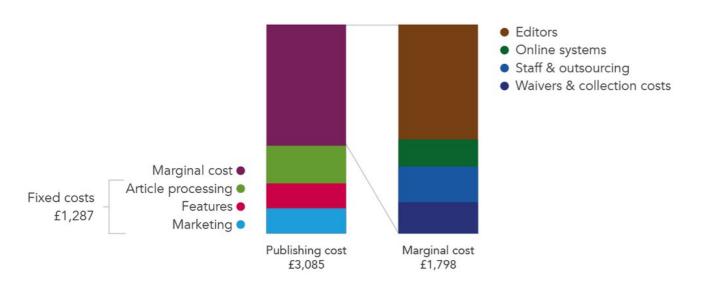


Figure 1. Fixed and marginal costs of publishing, based on projected 2017 cost per article

We have assumed a US\$ to Sterling exchange rate of 1.30, so the fee of \$2,500 will cover the marginal costs of £1,798 and also contribute a small amount towards our fixed costs, for the time being. This will also give us some protection against having to revise the publication fee as the exchange rate moves.

From: Patterson, M. & McLennan, J. (2016). 'Setting a fee for publication'. eLife. Retrieved from https://elifesciences.org/inside-elife/b6365b76/setting-a-fee-for-publication

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Pooley, J. (2017). 'Scholarly communications shouldn't just be open, but non-profit too'. LSE Impact Blog. Retrieved from

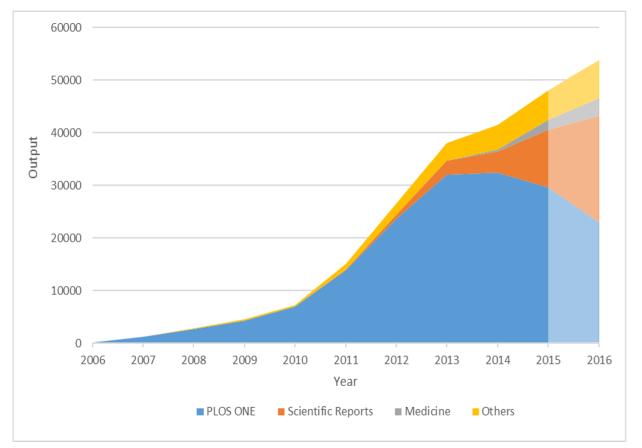
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## Open access journals : editorial models

Megajournals	Two-stage journals with public peer-review and interactive public discussions	Overlay journals
SCIENTIFIC REPORTS	EGU European Geosciences Union	épisciences.org

## Megajournals: overview



Total number of articles published in 11 mega-journals (Plos One, Scientific Reports, Medicine, and others: BMC Research Notes, BMJ Open, AIP Advances, SpringerPlus, PeerJ, SAGE Open, F1000 Research and FEBS Open Bio). Includes projected figures for 2016. From: Pinfield, S. (2016). 'Mega-journals: the future, a stepping stone to it or a leap into the abyss?' Times Higher Education (THE). Retrieved from https://www.timeshighereducation.com/blog/mega-journals-future-stepping-stone-it-or-leap-abyss

## Megajournals: characteristics

#### 4 main characteristics:

1. broad scope (accepting articles across a range of disciplines); 2) large output (aiming for high volume of published articles); 3) an open access publishing model (typically based on an Article Processing Charge paid prior to publication); and 4) a peer review system based solely on the basis of technical/scientific soundness.

Fry, J. & Wakeling, S. (2019). 'Who are you writing for? The role of community membership on authors' decisions to publish in open access mega-journals'. LSE Impact Blog. Retrieved from http://blogs.lse.ac.uk/impactofsocialsciences/2019/01/11/who-are-you-writing-for-the-role-of-community-membership-on-authors-decisions-to-publish-in-open-access-mega-journals/

## Megajournals: peer review

The value of a peer review process that doesn't rely on subjective assessments of significance. A methodology that is all-too-frequently dismissed as "peer review lite", the soundness-only methodology for peer review differs in scope rather than rigor. The technical soundness review itself is rigorous and for most megajournals, involves a number of internal and external checks and assessments.

Mudditt, A. (2018). 'Countering the Über-Brands: The Case for the Megajournal'. The Scholarly Kitchen. Retrieved from https://scholarlykitchen.sspnet.org/2018/01/18/countering-uber-brands-case-megajournal/

## How to find your way around?

#### Think, check, submit

Helps you identify trusted journals, using among others DOAJ

#### **DOAJ**

The Directory of Open Access Journals is an independant, community-curated online directory that indexes and provides access to high quality, open access, peer-reviewed journals.

### **QUOAM**

Quality Open Access Market is developed ad maintained by researchers from Radboud University Nijmegen, QUOAM is a market place, including **quality scoring** based on academic crowd sourcing and **price information** with institutional licensed pricing.

## What opportunities for you?



## You are using publications: broaden your scope

In terms of disciplinary coverage
In terms of types of document retrievable

- **?** Q07
- ? Q08

# You are using publications: tools to find journal articles: Google Scholar

Search interface

- + Browser extension
- + Source for the browser extension Lazy Scholar

More about Google Scholar invention here: Levy, S. (2014). 'The Gentleman Who Made Scholar'. Backchannel. Retrieved from https://medium.com/backchannel/the-gentleman-who-made-scholar-d71289d9a82d -

# You are using publications: tools to find journal articles: other tools



Browser extension

+ integrated into Zotero, Scopus, Web of Science, etc.

# Open Access Button

Browser extension: search and request, articles

+ might be integrated into library services

## More about Unpaywall and Open Access Button

See the page https://openaccessbutton.org/skip\_the\_paywall

# You are using publications: tools to find other open access materials



#### **BASE** - Bielefeld Academic Search Engine

- Non commercial
- Defined sources
- Advanced search: including/excluding document types
- Sorting and filtering results

## You are producing publications : publishing preprints?

#### Definitions:

Preprint (n): a complete but unpublished manuscript yet to be certified by peer review, distributed by its author before or at submission to a journal

Preprint server (n): a journal-independent mechanism for distributing preprints in a defined domain

Inglis, J. (2018). 'Preprints in Biology and Medicine'. Presented at the NISO Webinar. Retrieved from https://www.slideshare.net/BaltimoreNISO/inglis-preprints-in-biology-and-medicine

## You are producing publications : publishing preprints?

#### A story:

Quintana, D. (2018). 'Last year I posted a preprint. Doing this set off a chain of events that convinced me I should post a preprint for ALL my manuscripts. Here's my story (1/17)' [Tweet]. @dsquintana. Retrieved from https://twitter.com/dsquintana/status/962214636312461312

#### A how-to:

Bourne, P. E. et al. (2017). 'Ten simple rules to consider regarding preprint submission'. PLOS Computational Biology, 13(5), e1005473. https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pcbi.1005473

#### with a broader definition:

In short, a preprint is a research output that has not completed a typical publication pipeline but is of value to the community and deserving of being easily discovered and accessed.

# You are producing publications: enhancing your visibility as a researcher

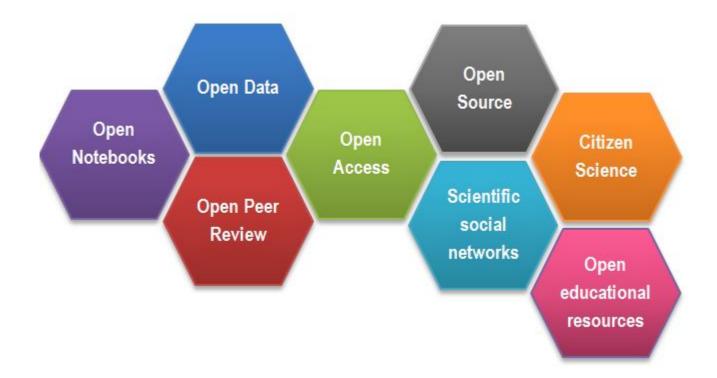
ORCID + other tools (after the break)

- Building your reputation
  - be visible as a researcher
  - o be identified in a unique and unambiguous way
- Giving full text access to **ALL** your productions and outputs (articles, data, thesis, etc.)



# The big picture

## Open access is one facet of open science



## Stakeholders' policies

Are you aware of funders' expectations and requirements?

European Commission

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Wellcome Trust

Wellcome Trust. (2018). 'Open access policy 2020'. Wellcome Trust. Retrieved from https://wellcome.ac.uk/sites/default/files/wellcome-open-access-policy-2020.pdf

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Science Europe. (2018). 'Plan S: Making full and immediate Open Access a reality'. Retrieved from https://www.scienceeurope.org/coalition-s/

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