# ▼ 1 Investigating Hybrid Strategies for Systematic Literature Review

### **Experiment 2**

### Study

A systematic review on the use of Definition of Done on agile software development projects

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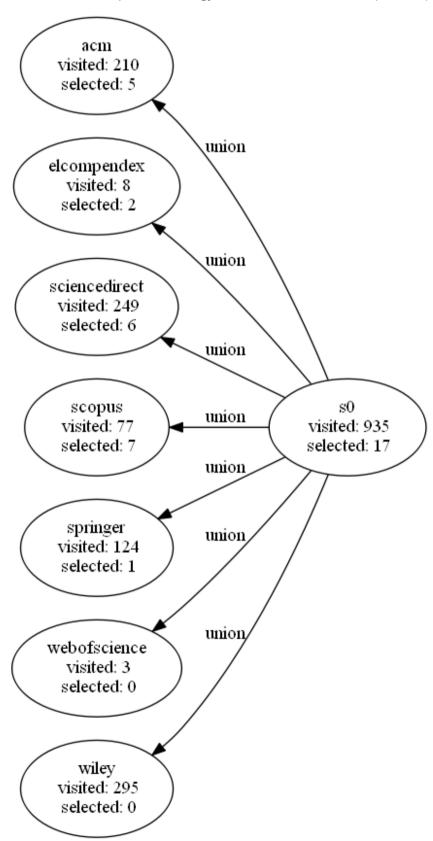
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# **▼ 2 Strategies**

## **▼** 2.1 Strategy 1 - Database Search (Search)

Total of selected studies = 16 (Seed Set) + 4 (Snowballing) = 20

Provenance Graph - Strategy 1 - Database Search (Search)



### Report Strategy 1 - Database Search (Search)

Total of selected studies in the SLR = 20

Precision = Selected/ Visited

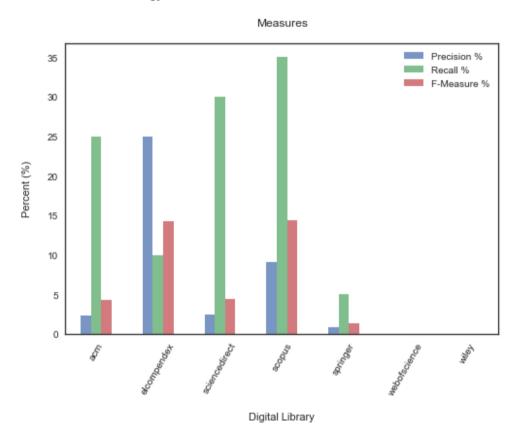
Recall = Selected/ Total of selected studies in the SLR F-Measure = Harmonic Mean of Precision and Recall

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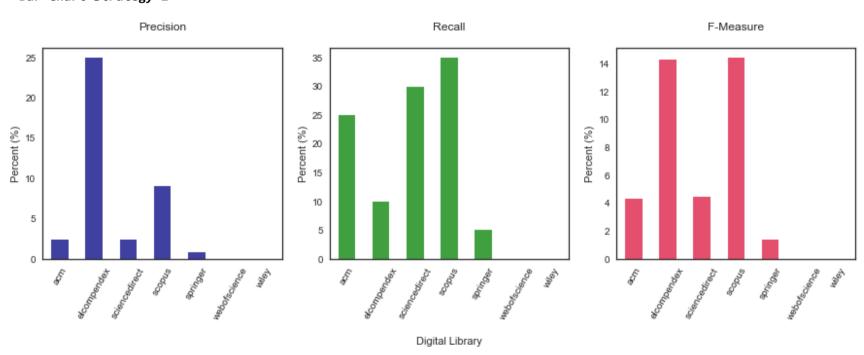
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Digital Library	Visited	Selected	Precision %	Recall %	F-Measure %
acm	210	5	2.38	25.00	4.35
elcompendex	8	2	25.00	10.00	14.29
sciencedirect	249	6	2.41	30.00	4.46
scopus	77	7	9.09	35.00	14.43
springer	124	1	0.81	5.00	1.39
webofscience	3	0	0.00	0.00	0.00
wiley	295	0	0.00	0.00	0.00

### Bar Chart Strategy 1



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Report Strategy 1 - Measures of Strategy - Union of all digital libraries (accumulated)

### Out[17]:

Strategy	visited	Selected	Precision %	Recall %	F-Measure %
Search	935	17	1.82	85.00	3.56

### Report Strategy 1 - Total of papers retrieved from Excel and Duplicates.

Visited = Excel + Duplicates

Selected = Papers selected in the SLR

Excel = Papers retrieved from Excel provided by authors

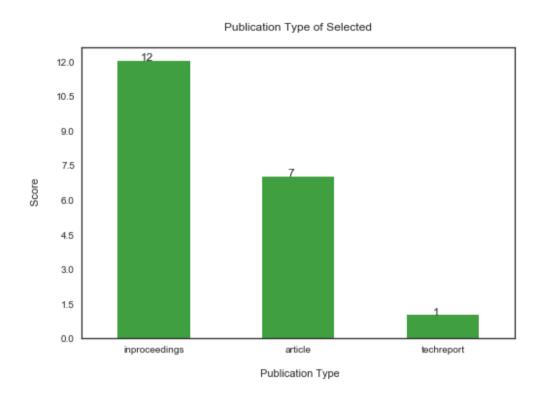
Excel Selected = Papers selected in the SLR and retrieved from Excel provided by authors

Duplicated = Papers identified as duplicate

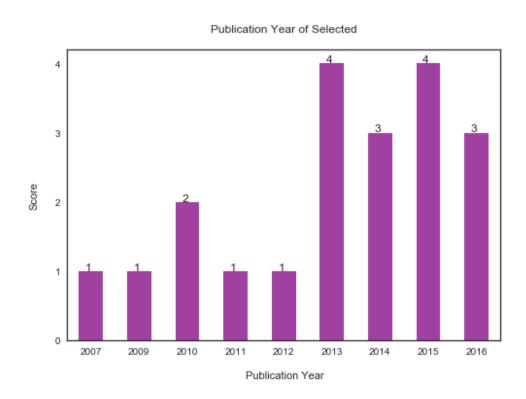
### Out[18]:

Digital Library	Visited	Selected	Excel	Excel Selected	Duplicated
acm	210	5	210	5	0
elcompendex	8	2	1	0	7
sciencedirect	249	6	245	5	4
scopus	77	7	68	7	9
springer	124	1	115	0	9
webofscience	3	0	3	0	0
wiley	295	0	294	0	1

### Bar Chart Publications Type - Strategy 1

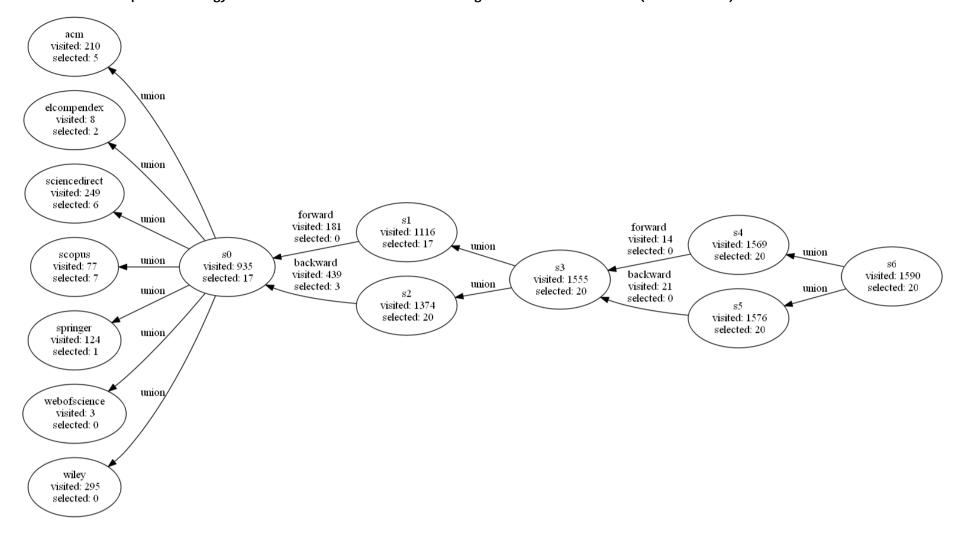


### Bar Chart Publications Year - Strategy 1



# ▼ 2.2 Strategy 2 - Database Search + Snowballing of Wohlin Guideline (Search + SB)

### Provenance Graph - Strategy 2 - Database Search + Snowballing of Wohlin Guideline (Search + SB)



### Report Strategy 2 - Database Search + Snowballing of Wohlin Guideline (Search + SB)

Total of selected studies in the SLR = 20

Precision = Selected/ Visited

Recall = Selected/ Total of selected studies in the SLR

F-Measure = Harmonic Mean of Precision and Recall

### Out[23]:

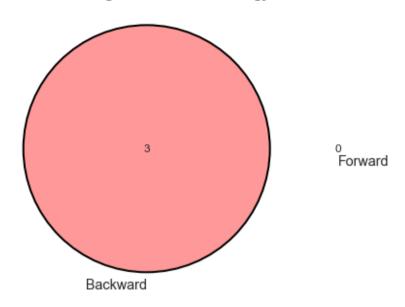
'	Digital Library/State	Delta Visited	Delta Selected	Delta Precision%	Delta Recall%	Delta F_Measure%	Operation	Accumulated Visited	Accumulated Selected	Accumulated Precision%	Accumulated Recall%	Accumulated F_Measure%
	acm	210	5	2.38	25.00	4.35	-	210	5	2.38	25.00	4.35
	elcompendex	8	2	25.00	10.00	14.29	-	8	2	25.00	10.00	14.29
	sciencedirect	249	6	2.41	30.00	4.46	-	249	6	2.41	30.00	4.46
	scopus	77	7	9.09	35.00	14.43	-	77	7	9.09	35.00	14.43
	springer	124	1	0.81	5.00	1.39	-	124	1	0.81	5.00	1.39
	webofscience	3	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	-	3	0	0.00	0.00	0.00
	wiley	295	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	-	295	0	0.00	0.00	0.00
	s0	0	0	nan	0.00	0.00	union	935	17	1.82	85.00	3.56
	s1	181	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	forward	1116	17	1.52	85.00	2.99
	s2	439	3	0.68	15.00	1.31	backward	1374	20	1.46	100.00	2.87
	s3	0	0	nan	0.00	0.00	union	1555	20	1.29	100.00	2.54
	s4	14	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	forward	1569	20	1.27	100.00	2.52
	s5	21	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	backward	1576	20	1.27	100.00	2.51
	s6	0	0	nan	0.00	0.00	union	1590	20	1.26	100.00	2.48

### Report Strategy 2 - Measures of Strategy (accumulated)

### Out[24]:

Strategy	Visited	Selected	Precision %	Recall %	F-Measure %
Search + SB	1590	20	1.26	100.00	2.48

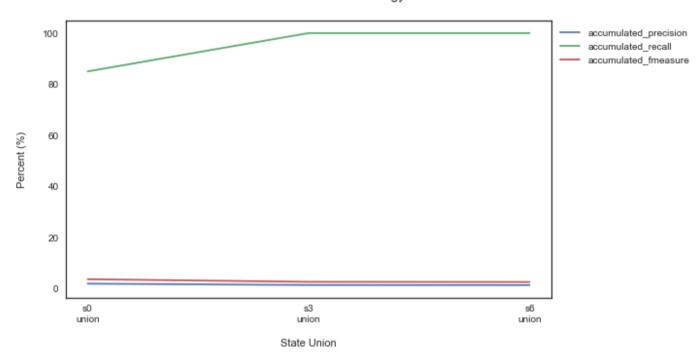
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### Report Diagrama de Venn

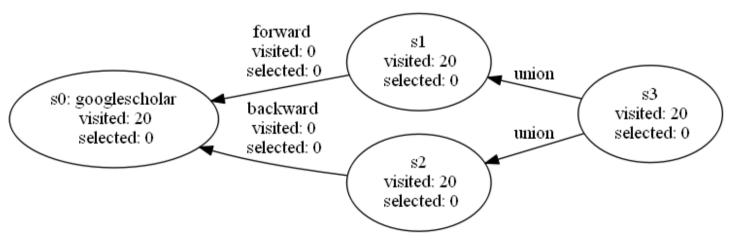
Backward ['saddington2012a', 'barton2009a', 'eloranta2013a']
Forward []

### Accumulated Measures - Strategy 2



# ▼ 2.3 Strategy 3 - Informal Search in Google Scholar + Snowballing of Wohlin Guideline = (GS + SB)

Provenance Graph - Strategy 3 - Informal Search in Google Scholar + Snowballing of Wohlin Guideline = (GS + SB)



### Report Strategy 3 - Informal Search in Google Scholar + Snowballing of Wohlin Guideline = (GS + SB)

Total of selected studies in the SLR = 20

Precision = Selected/ Visited

Recall = Selected/ Total of selected studies in the SLR

F-Measure = Harmonic Mean of Precision and Recall

Out[30]:

•	Scholar=s0 /State	Delta Visited	Delta Selected	Delta Precision%	Delta Recall%	Delta F_Measure%	Operation	Accumulated Visited	Accumulated Selected	Accumulated Precision%	Accumulated Recall%	Accumulated F_Measure%
	s0: googlescholar	20	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	-	20	0	0.00	0.00	0.00
	s1	0	0	nan	0.00	0.00	forward	20	0	0.00	0.00	0.00
	s2	0	0	nan	0.00	0.00	backward	20	0	0.00	0.00	0.00
	s3	0	0	nan	0.00	0.00	union	20	0	0.00	0.00	0.00

Report Strategy 3 - Measures of Strategy (accumulated)

Out[31]:

Strategy	Visited	Selected	Precision %	Recall %	F-Measure %
GS + SB	20	0	0.00	0.00	0.00

Diagrama de Venn - Strategy 3

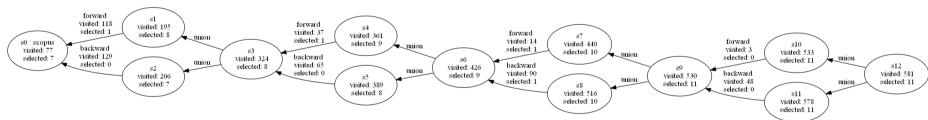
Backward Forward

Report Diagrama de Venn

Backward []
Forward []

# 2.4 Strategy 4 - Scopus + Snowballing of Wohlin Guideline (Scopus + SB)

Provenance Graph - Strategy 4 - Scopus + Snowballing of Wohlin Guideline (Scopus + SB)



### Report Strategy 4 - Scopus + Snowballing of Wohlin Guideline (Scopus + SB)

Total of selected studies in the SLR = 20

Precision = Selected/ Visited

Recall = Selected/ Total of selected studies in the SLR

F-Measure = Harmonic Mean of Precision and Recall

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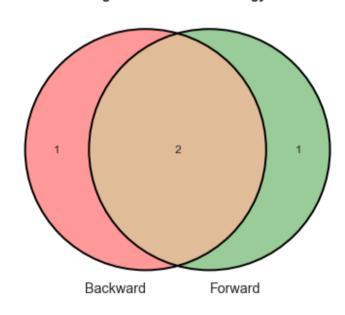
Scopus=s0 /State	Delta Visited	Delta Selected	Delta Precision%	Delta Recall%	Delta F_Measure%	Operation	Accumulated Visited	Accumulated Selected	Accumulated Precision%	Accumulated Recall%	Accumulated F_Measure%
s0 : scopus	77	7	9.09	35.00	14.43	-	77	7	9.09	35.00	14.43
s1	118	1	0.85	5.00	1.45	forward	195	8	4.10	40.00	7.44
s2	129	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	backward	206	7	3.40	35.00	6.19
s3	0	0	nan	0.00	0.00	union	324	8	2.47	40.00	4.65
s4	37	1	2.70	5.00	3.51	forward	361	9	2.49	45.00	4.72
s5	65	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	backward	389	8	2.06	40.00	3.91
s6	0	0	nan	0.00	0.00	union	426	9	2.11	45.00	4.04
s7	14	1	7.14	5.00	5.88	forward	440	10	2.27	50.00	4.35
s8	90	1	1.11	5.00	1.82	backward	516	10	1.94	50.00	3.73
s9	0	0	nan	0.00	0.00	union	530	11	2.08	55.00	4.00
s10	3	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	forward	533	11	2.06	55.00	3.98
s11	48	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	backward	578	11	1.90	55.00	3.68
s12	0	0	nan	0.00	0.00	union	581	11	1.89	55.00	3.66

### Report Strategy 4 - Measures of Strategy (accumulated)

### Out[37]:

Strategy	Visited	Selected	Precision %	Recall %	F-Measure %
Scopus + SB	581	11	1.89	55.00	3.66

### Diagrama de Venn - Strategy 4

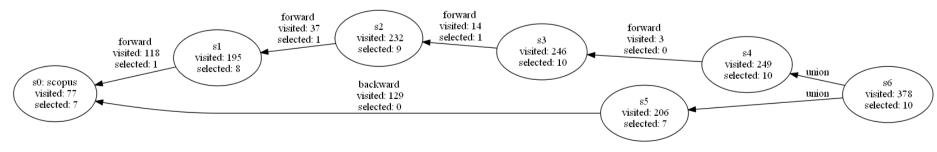


### Report Diagrama de Venn

Backward ['saddington2012a', 'waardenburg2013a', 'vlietland2015a'] Forward ['vlietland2016a', 'waardenburg2013a', 'vlietland2015a']

# ▼ 2.5 Strategy 5 - Scopus + Parallel Snowballing of Paper ESEM2017 (Scopus + BS // FS)

Provenance Graph - Strategy 5 - Scopus + Parallel Snowballing of Paper ESEM2017 (Scopus + BS // FS)



### Report Strategy 5 - Scopus + Parallel Snowballing of Paper ESEM2017 (Scopus + BS // FS)

Total of selected studies in the SLR = 20

Precision = Selected/ Visited

Recall = Selected/ Total of selected studies in the SLR

F-Measure = Harmonic Mean of Precision and Recall

### Out[42]:

Scopus=s0 /State	Delta Visited	Delta Selected	Delta Precision%	Delta Recall%	Delta F_Measure%	Operation	Accumulated Visited	Accumulated Selected	Accumulated Precision%	Accumulated Recall%	Accumulated F_Measure%
s0: scopus	77	7	9.09	35.00	14.43	-	77	7	9.09	35.00	14.43
s1	118	1	0.85	5.00	1.45	forward	195	8	4.10	40.00	7.44
s2	37	1	2.70	5.00	3.51	forward	232	9	3.88	45.00	7.14
s3	14	1	7.14	5.00	5.88	forward	246	10	4.07	50.00	7.52
s4	3	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	forward	249	10	4.02	50.00	7.43
s5	129	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	backward	206	7	3.40	35.00	6.19
s6	0	0	nan	0.00	0.00	union	378	10	2.65	50.00	5.03

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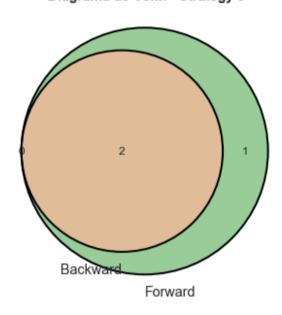
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### Report Strategy 5 - Measures of Strategy (accumulated)

### Out[43]:

Strategy	Visited	Selected	Precision %	Recall %	F-Measure %
Scopus + BS // FS	378	10	2.65	50.00	5.03

### Diagrama de Venn - Strategy 5

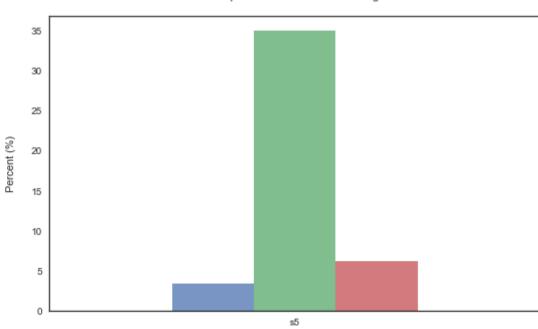


### Report Diagrama de Venn

Backward ['waardenburg2013a', 'vlietland2015a']
Forward ['vlietland2016a', 'vlietland2015a', 'waardenburg2013a']

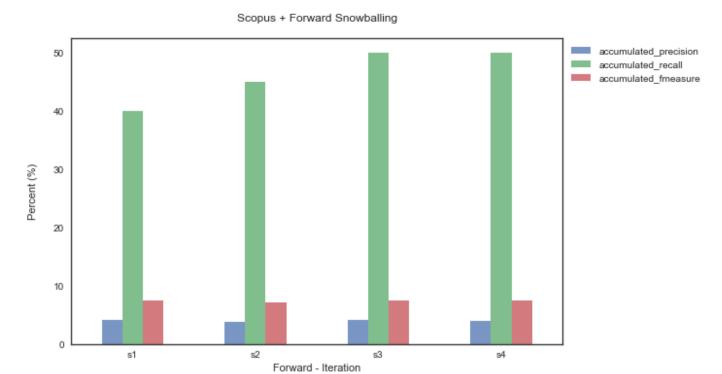
### Bar Chart Strategy 5

Scopus + Backward Snowballing

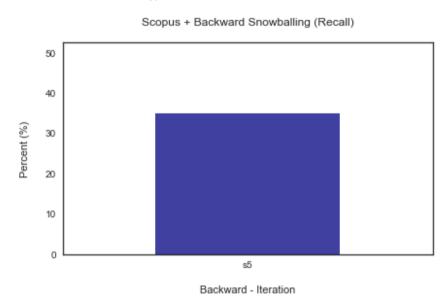


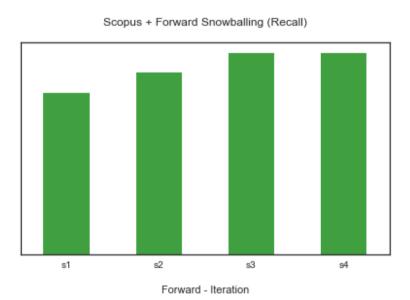
Backward - Iteration

#### Bar Chart Strategy 5



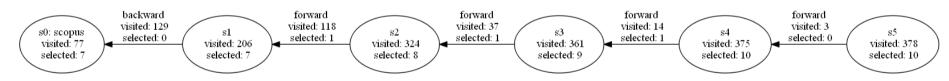
Bar Chart Strategy 5 - (Scopus + BS // FS)





### ▼ 2.6 Strategy 6 - Scopus + Sequential Snowballing (Scopus + BS + FS)

Provenance Graph - Strategy 6 - Scopus + Sequential Snowballing (Scopus + BS + FS)



Report Strategy 6 - Scopus + Sequential Snowballing (Scopus + BS + FS)

Total of selected studies in the SLR = 20

Precision = Selected/ Visited

Recall = Selected/ Total of selected studies in the SLR

F-Measure = Harmonic Mean of Precision and Recall

Out[53]:

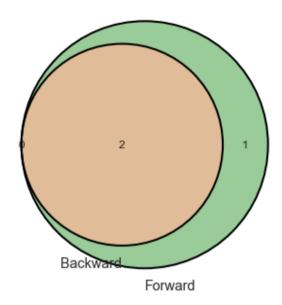
Scopus=s0 /State	Delta Visited	Delta Selected	Delta Precision%	Delta Recall%	Delta F_Measure%	Operation	Accumulated Visited	Accumulated Selected	Accumulated Precision%	Accumulated Recall%	Accumulated F_Measure%
s0: scopus	77	7	9.09	35.00	14.43	-	77	7	9.09	35.00	14.43
s1	129	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	backward	206	7	3.40	35.00	6.19
s2	118	1	0.85	5.00	1.45	forward	324	8	2.47	40.00	4.65
s3	37	1	2.70	5.00	3.51	forward	361	9	2.49	45.00	4.72
s4	14	1	7.14	5.00	5.88	forward	375	10	2.67	50.00	5.06
s5	3	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	forward	378	10	2.65	50.00	5.03

#### Report Strategy 6 - Measures of Strategy (accumulated)

### Out[54]:

Strategy	Visited	Selected	Precision %	Recall %	F-Measure %
Scopus + BS + FS	378	10	2.65	50.00	5.03

### Diagrama de Venn - Strategy 6



### Report Diagrama de Venn

Backward ['waardenburg2013a', 'vlietland2015a']
Forward ['vlietland2016a', 'vlietland2015a', 'waardenburg2013a']

### **▼** 2.7 Strategy 7 - Scopus + Sequential Snowballing (Scopus + FS + BS)

### Provenance Graph - Strategy 7 - Scopus + Sequential Snowballing (Scopus + FS + BS)



### Report Strategy 7 - Scopus + Sequential Snowballing (Scopus + FS + BS)

Total of selected studies in the SLR = 20

Precision = Selected/ Visited

Recall = Selected/ Total of selected studies in the SLR

F-Measure = Harmonic Mean of Precision and Recall

### Out[59]:

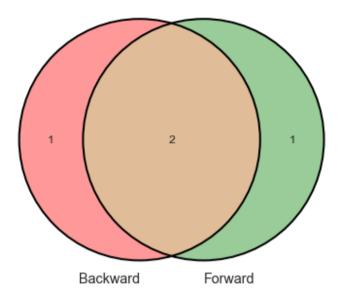
Scopus=s /State	0 Delta Visited	Delta Selected	Delta Precision%	Delta Recall%	Delta F_Measure%	Operation	Accumulated Visited	Accumulated Selected	Accumulated Precision%	Accumulated Recall%	Accumulated F_Measure%
s0: scopu	s 77	7	9.09	35.00	14.43	-	77	7	9.09	35.00	14.43
s1	118	1	0.85	5.00	1.45	forward	195	8	4.10	40.00	7.44
s2	37	1	2.70	5.00	3.51	forward	232	9	3.88	45.00	7.14
s3	14	1	7.14	5.00	5.88	forward	246	10	4.07	50.00	7.52
s4	3	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	forward	249	10	4.02	50.00	7.43
s5	331	1	0.30	5.00	0.57	backward	580	11	1.90	55.00	3.67
s6	1	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	backward	581	11	1.89	55.00	3.66

### Report Strategy 7 - Measures of Strategy (accumulated)

### Out[60]:

Strategy	Visited	Selected	Precision %	Recall %	F-Measure %
Scopus + FS + BS	581	11	1.89	55.00	3.66

Diagrama de Venn - Strategy 7



### Report Diagrama de Venn

Backward ['saddington2012a', 'waardenburg2013a', 'vlietland2015a'] Forward ['vlietland2016a', 'waardenburg2013a', 'vlietland2015a']

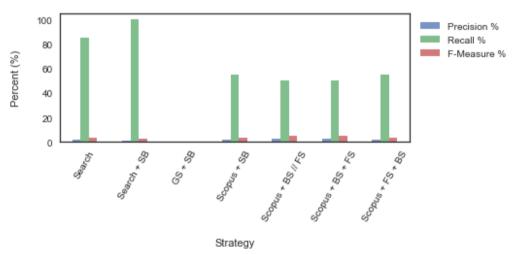
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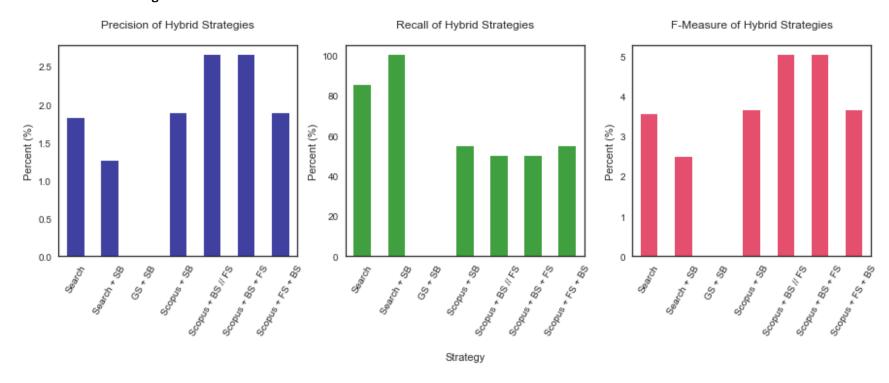
Strategy	Visited	Selected	Precision %	Recall %	F-Measure %
Search	935	17	1.82	85.00	3.56
Search + SB	1590	20	1.26	100.00	2.48
GS + SB	20	0	0.00	0.00	0.00
Scopus + SB	581	11	1.89	55.00	3.66
Scopus + BS // FS	378	10	2.65	50.00	5.03
Scopus + BS + FS	378	10	2.65	50.00	5.03
Scopus + FS + BS	581	11	1.89	55.00	3.66

### Bar Chart Strategies





### **Bar Chart Strategies**



# ▼ 4 Research Questions

RQ1) Which of the digital libraries used in the published SLR is more efficient?

Out[72]:

Digital Library	Visited	Selected	Precision %	Recall %	F-Measure %
acm	210	5	2.38	25.00	4.35
elcompendex	8	2	25.00	10.00	14.29
sciencedirect	249	6	2.41	30.00	4.46
scopus	77	7	9.09	35.00	14.43
springer	124	1	0.81	5.00	1.39
webofscience	3	0	0.00	0.00	0.00
wiley	295	0	0.00	0.00	0.00

RQ2) Which of the hybrid strategies is more efficient?

Out[73]:

Strategy	Visited	Selected	Precision %	Recall %	F-Measure %
Search + SB	1590	20	1.26	100.00	2.48
GS + SB	20	0	0.00	0.00	0.00
Scopus + SB	581	11	1.89	55.00	3.66
Scopus + BS // FS	378	10	2.65	50.00	5.03
Scopus + BS + FS	378	10	2.65	50.00	5.03
Scopus + FS + BS	581	11	1.89	55.00	3.66

RQ3) Which of the strategies is more efficient?

Out[74]:

Strategy	Visited	Selected	Precision %	Recall %	F-Measure %
Search	935	17	1.82	85.00	3.56
Search + SB	1590	20	1.26	100.00	2.48
GS + SB	20	0	0.00	0.00	0.00
Scopus + SB	581	11	1.89	55.00	3.66
Scopus + BS // FS	378	10	2.65	50.00	5.03
Scopus + BS + FS	378	10	2.65	50.00	5.03
Scopus + FS + BS	581	11	1.89	55.00	3.66

RQ4) How many selected articles does the digital library find through the direct search for the title of the article?

### Out[75]:

Digital Library	Selected	Recall %
acm	5	25.00
elcompendex	19	95.00
sciencedirect	6	30.00
scopus	19	95.00
springer	2	10.00
webofscience	11	55.00
wiley	0	0.00

Total of selected studies in the SLR = 20