Systematic Literature Review in the Age of AI: New Tools, New Methods

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Summary of the Presentation

- **1** Definition and Importance of Systematic Literature Reviews
- SLR Process & PRISMA Framework
- AI & NLP in Literature Reviews
- Tools & Demonstration
- Practical Tips & Conclusions

1. A Definition of Systematic Literature Review

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Why Conduct a Systematic Literature Review?

- Credibility and Transparency: Minimizes bias, promotes replicability.
- Comprehensive Coverage: Ensures all relevant studies are included.
- Guides Future Research: Highlights gaps and emerging areas of study.

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PRISMA Flow Diagram (Briefly)

- Preferred Reporting Items for Systematic Reviews and Meta-Analyses (PRISMA):
 - Structured approach to document how many articles were found, screened, included, or excluded at each step.
 - Ensures transparency in the selection of articles.

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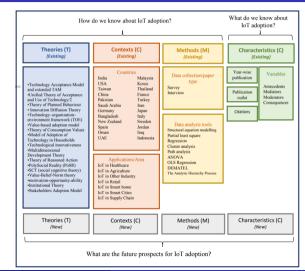
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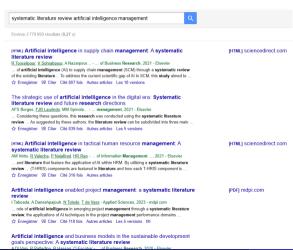
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2.2 Context

• **Context**: Growing interest in systematic literature reviews (SLR) in every field, including economics & management.



2.3 Additional PRISMA & SLR Illustrations

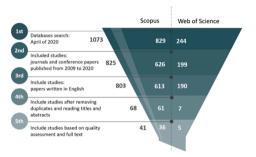


Fig. 3. Number of papers in each phase of the selection process.

Borges et al. (2021)

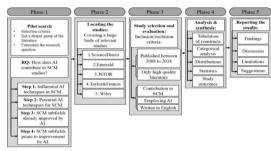
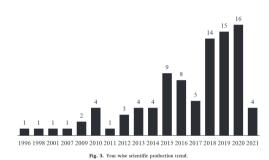


Fig. 1. Research process of systematic literature review.

Toorajipour et al. (2021)

2.4 Data evolution => Popularity



Chaudhary et al. (2021)

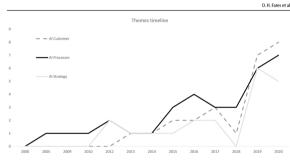


Fig. 2 Themes by timeline

Fares, Butt, and Lee (2022)

3. Al & NLP in Literature Reviews

Where Does AI/NLP Fit In?

- Automated Text Mining: Quickly processes large volumes of abstracts and full texts.
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Example: NLP in Marketing Research

- Data Collection:
 - Used Scopus API to retrieve all relevant abstracts and author information.
- Data Processing:
 - Used graphing libraries to visualize co-authorship networks and keyword co-occurrences.
 - Applied BERTopic for advanced topic modeling.
- Insights:
 - Identified main research clusters & key authors/references/methods/topics

4. Tools & Demonstration

Traditional vs. Al-Enhanced Tools

Traditional Tools

- **R bibliometrix**: R package for bibliometric analysis.
- VOSviewer: Tool for visualizing bibliometric networks.
- **R/Python** but it requires more time.

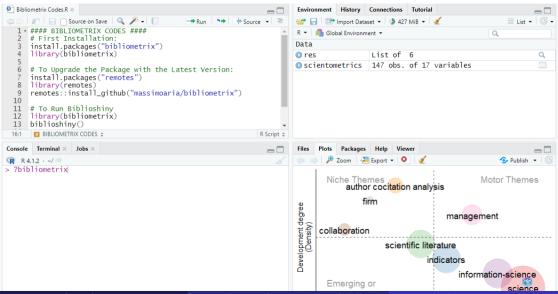
AI-Enhanced Tools

- **Artirev**: Al-powered literature review tool.
- **Connected Papers**: Visualizes connections between research papers.
- **Elicit**: Uses AI to summarize and analyze academic papers.
- **AnswerThis**: Al-assisted tool for answering research questions.
- **ResearchRabbit**: Creates dynamic citation and co-authorship maps.
- **LitMaps**: Helps visualize literature networks and track new papers.
- **NotebookLLM**: Al-powered literature review tool with summarization and analysis features.

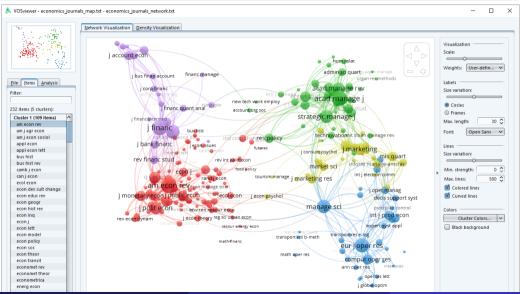
Quick Demonstration: R bibliometrix

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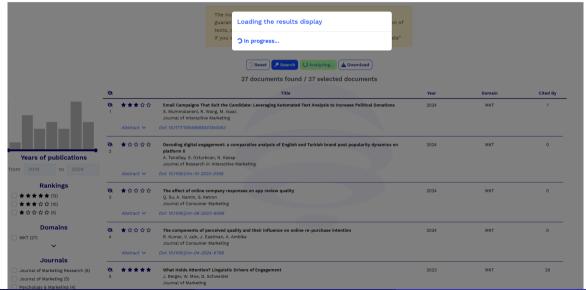
Bibliometrix



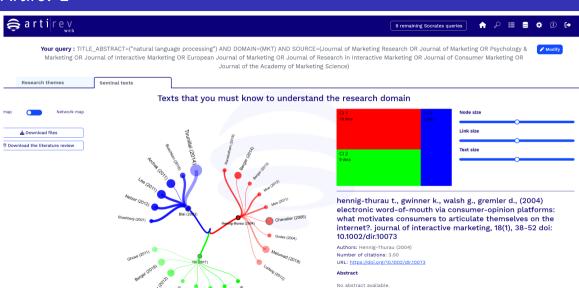
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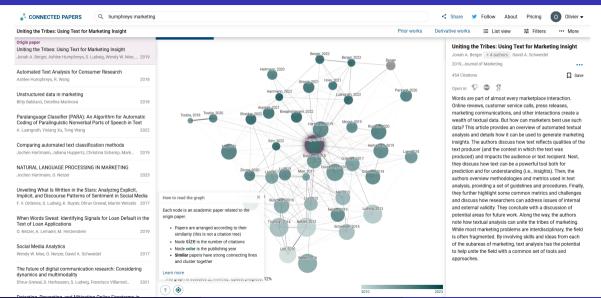
Artirev



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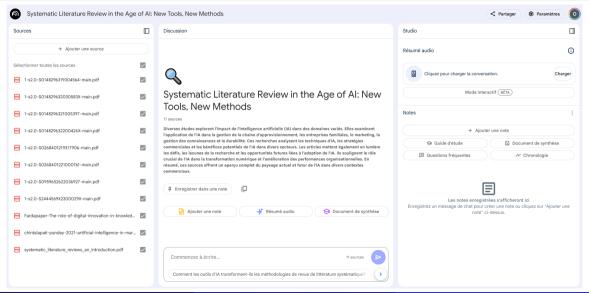
Connected Papers 1



Connected Papers 2

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Uniting the Tribes: Using Text for Marketing Insight	Jonah A. Berger, Ashlee Humphreys, S. Ludwig, Wendy W. Moe, O. Netzer, David A. Schweidel	2019	454	168	100
Automated Text Analysis for Consumer Research	Ashlee Humphreys, R. Wang	2018	425	246	32.1
Unstructured data in marketing	Bitty Balducci, Detelina Marinova	2018	199	238	22.7
Paralanguage Classifier (PARA): An Algorithm for Automatic Coding of Paralinguistic Nonverbal Parts of Speech in Text	A. Luangrath, Yixiang Xu, Tong Wang	2022	18	108	19.4
Comparing automated text classification methods	Jochen Hartmann, Juliana Huppertz, Christina Schamp, Mark Heitmann	2019	278	72	17.7
NATURAL LANGUAGE PROCESSING IN MARKETING	Jochen Hartmann, O. Netzer	2023	6	137	15.9
Unveiling What Is Written in the Stars: Analyzing Explicit, Implicit, and Discourse Patterns of Sentiment in Social Media	F. V. Ordenes, S. Ludwig, K. Ruyter, Dhruv Grewal, Martin Wetzels	2017	187	97	15.3
Social Media Analytics	Wendy W. Moe, O. Netzer, David A. Schweidel	2017	5	71	13.6
When Words Sweat: Identifying Signals for Loan Default in the Text of Loan Applications	O. Netzer, A. Lemaire, M. Herzenstein	2019	168	120	13.6
The future of digital communication research: Considering dynamics and multimodality	Dhruv Grewal, D. Herhausen, S. Ludwig, Francisco Villarroel Ordenes	2021	61	106	13.2
Detecting, Preventing, and Mitigating Online Firestorms in Brand Communities	D. Herhausen, S. Ludwig, Dhruv Grewal, Jochen Wulf, Marcus Schoegel	2019	226	79	12.2
A Poisson Factorization Topic Model for the Study of Creative Documents (and Their Summaries)	Olivier Toubia	2020	11	52	11.9

NotebookLLM



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