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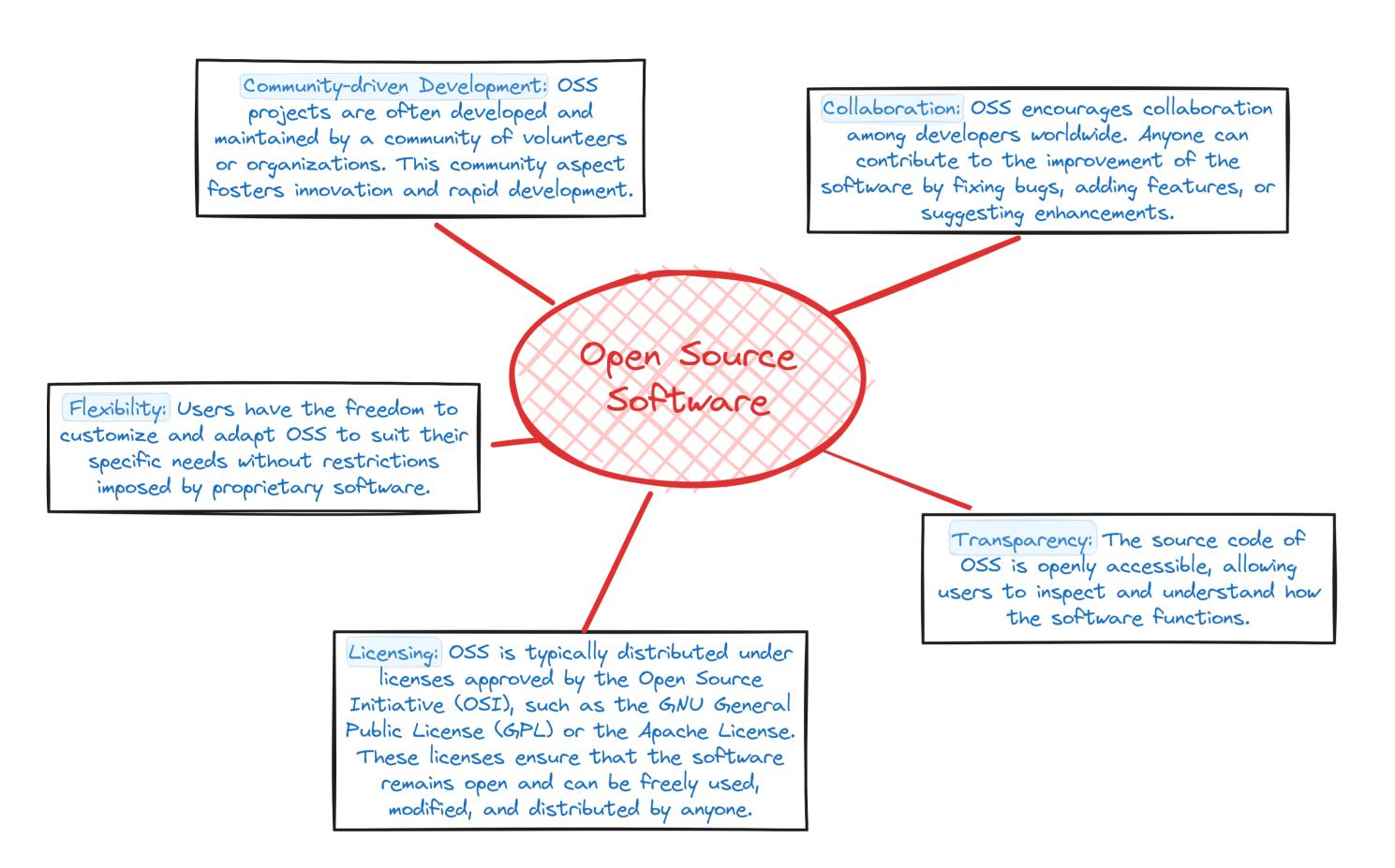
Open Source Software and Open Educational Resources

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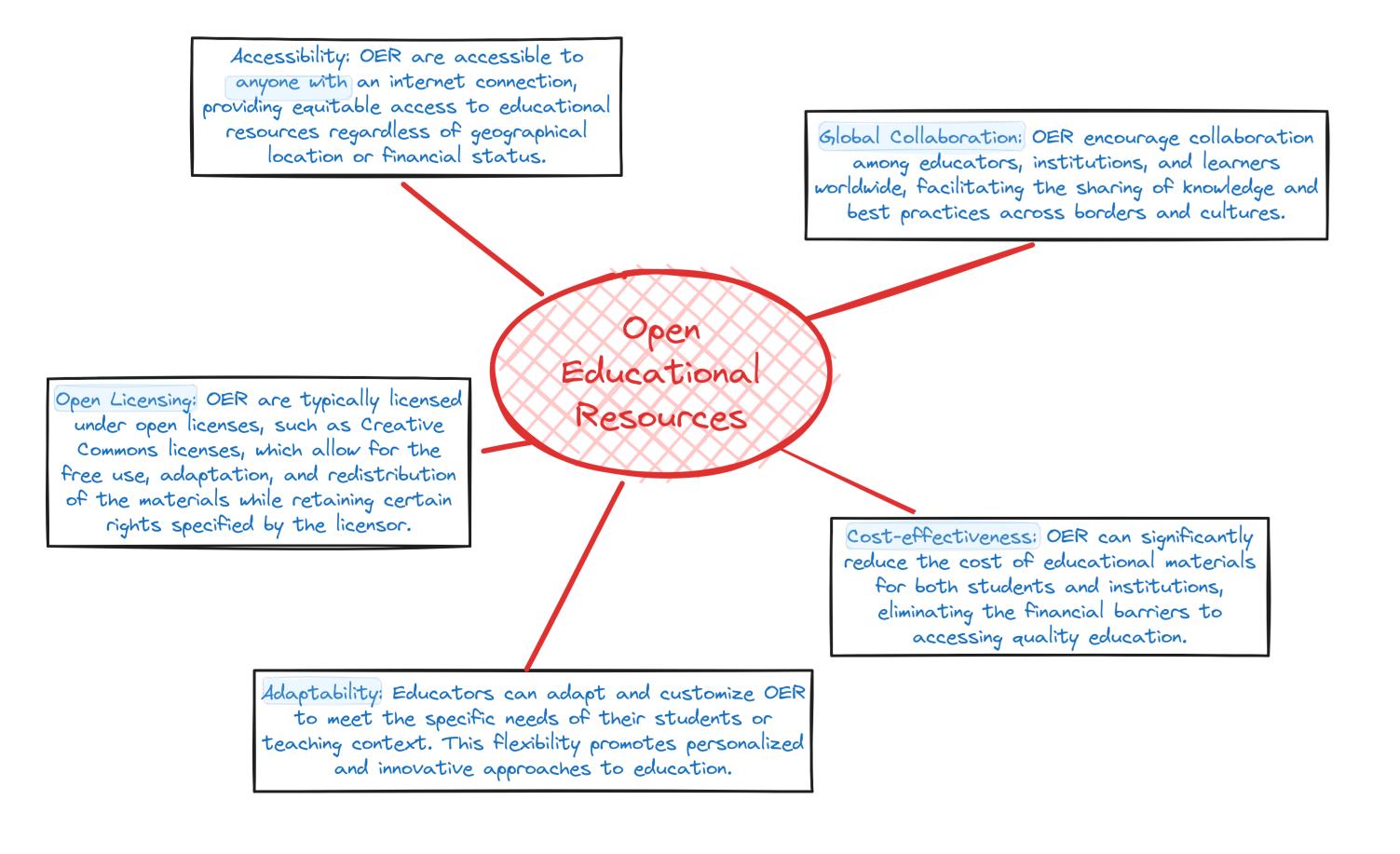
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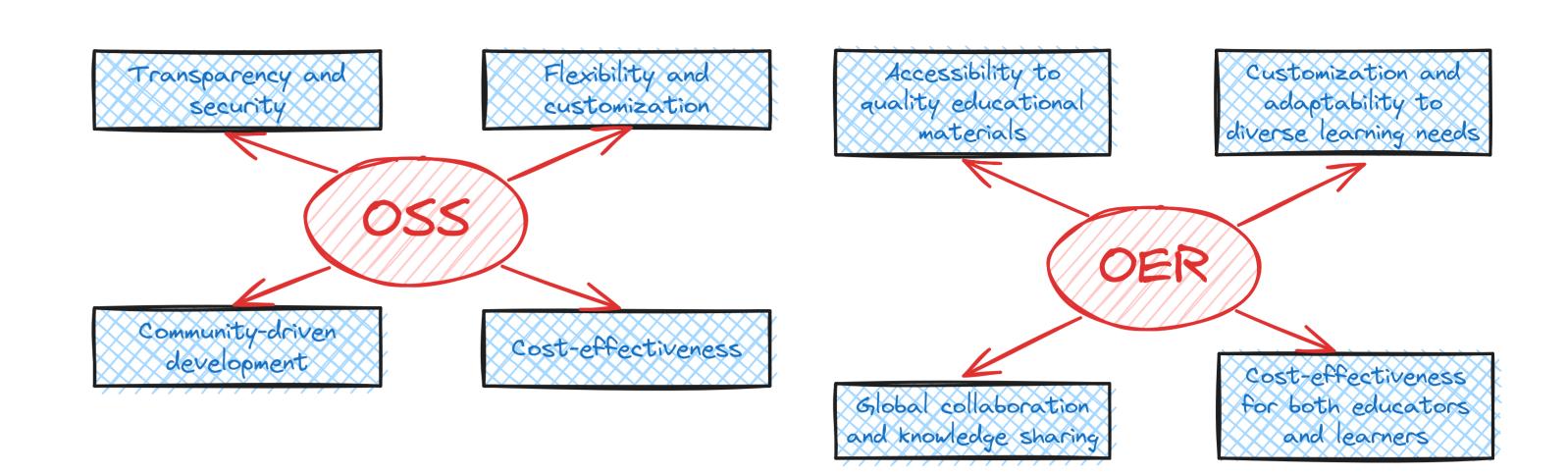


Open Educational Resources

Open Educational Resources (OER) refer to educational materials that are freely accessible, openly licensed, and available for use, reuse, modification, and sharing.



Benefits of OSS and OER



Recent Developments

Quarto

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- Author using Jupyter notebooks or with plain text markdown in your favorite editor.
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MyST is an ecosystem of open-source, community-driven tools designed to revolutionize scientific communication.



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Reactive Notebooks

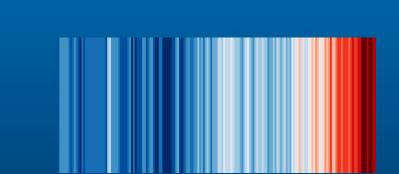
marimo is an open-source reactive notebook for Python — reproducible, git-friendly, executable as a script, and shareable as an app.



When you change a variable, Pluto.jl automatically re-runs the Julia cells that refer to it. Cells can even be placed in arbitrary order - intelligent syntax analysis figures out the dependencies between them and takes care of execution.







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