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The ROSI Project

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Facts



Reference Implementation for Open Scientometric Indicators

Management

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Duration

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Quantitative research on the science sector

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Motivation



- research assessment relies on highly criticized indicators and is based on obscure data
- research evaluation driven by research
 administration, policy and funding
- needs of researchers often neglected



Motivation





- we want open scientometricdata, indicators and infrastructures
- we want the scientific community in control
- researchers should be able tocustomize scientometricrepresentation

Motivation



- scientometric data based on open data sources
- involving the scientific community selecting
 - data sources,
 - o indicators and
 - visualizations



Project roadmap





Collecting, evaluating and publishing **open data sources** for scientometric indicators



Inviting feedback by the scientific community



Developing a reusable **prototype** for customizable scientometric indicators in VIVO



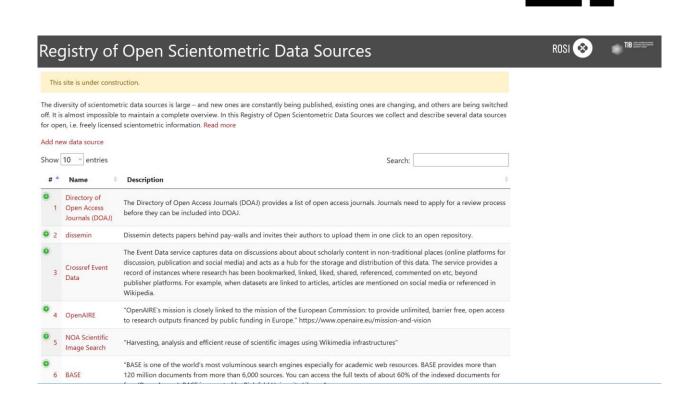
Evaluating prototype through **interviews and surveys** with stakeholders



Collecting metadata about open scientometric data sources

openly and collaboratively

- ✓ Metadata schema
- ✓ Data model with entity types and concepts
- Online available





# ^	Name •	Description
1	Directory of Open Access Journals (DOAJ)	The Directory of Open Access Journals (DOAJ) provides a list of open access journals. Journals need to apply for a review process before they can be included into DOAJ.
1 2	dissemin	Dissemin detects papers behind pay-walls and invites their authors to upload them in one click to an open repository.
3	Crossref Event Data	The Event Data service captures data on discussions about about scholarly content in non-traditional places (online platforms for discussion, publication and social media) and acts as a hub for the storage and distribution of this data. The service provides a record of instances where research has been bookmarked, linked, liked, shared, referenced, commented on etc, beyond publisher platforms. For example, when datasets are linked to articles, articles are mentioned on social media or referenced in Wikipedia.
4	OpenAIRE	"OpenAIRE's mission is closely linked to the mission of the European Commission: to provide unlimited, barrier free, open access to research outputs financed by public funding in Europe." https://www.openaire.eu/mission-and-vision
5	NOA Scientific Image Search	"Harvesting, analysis and efficient reuse of scientific images using Wikimedia infrastructures"
6	BASE	"BASE is one of the world's most voluminous search engines especially for academic web resources. BASE provides more than 120 million documents from more than 6,000 sources. You can access the full texts of about 60% of the indexed documents for free (Open Access). BASE is operated by Bielefeld University Library."



Registry of Open Scientometric Data Sources



Name Directory of Open Access Journals (DOAJ)

Link https://doaj.org/

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Description The Directory of Open Access Journals (DOAJ) provides a list of open access journals. Journals need to apply for a review process before

they can be included into DOAJ.

Category Data aggregator

Academic discipline

Entity Work

An entity can be described by a data source

Licence CC BY-SA

Interface https://doaj.org/api/v1/

Type of Interface

Documentation https://doaj.org/api/v1/docs

Data format JSON

Comment

detailed view



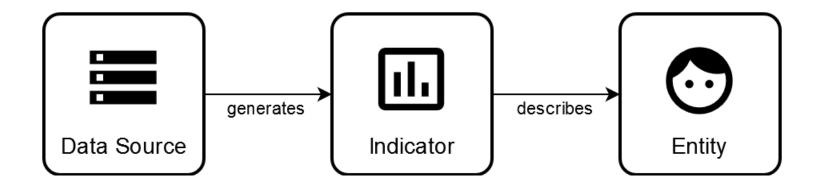
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1 An entity can be described by a data source

input form

Data conception

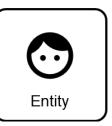




Entity types

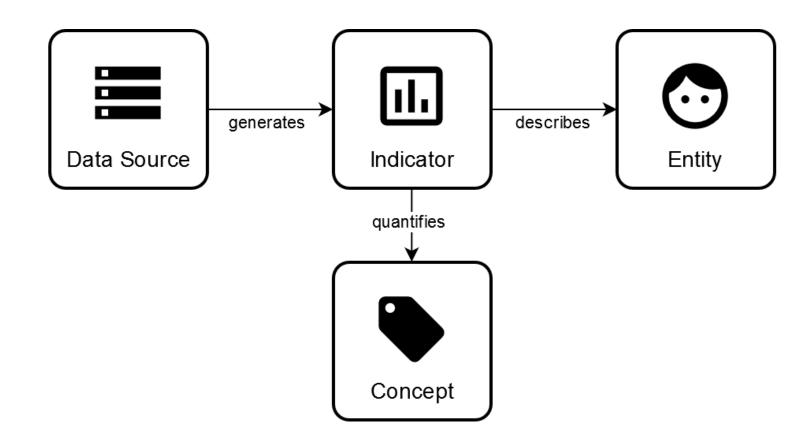


Entity	Description
Event	An event can be a conference, a workshop, a meeting, etc.
Work	Work refers to research output of all kinds, e.g. articles, books, preprints, protocols, software, research data, etc.
Organisation	An organisation refers to universities, research centres, departments, research groups, etc.
Person	Mostly a researcher, but can also be anybody else
Project	A project refers to research projects, third-party funded projects, etc.



Data conception





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Concepts



Concept

Name	Description
Scientific Impact	The impact that a work has within the scientific community; is mostly based on citation-based indicators (e.g. publication impact as measured through citations (Neylon 2017))
Openness	Compliance of a person or work to Open Science Standards (e.g. FAIR research data, social openness (readability etc.))
Community	Involvement in the scientific community, e.g. participation in conferences, peer review and editorial activities, and learned societies, etc.
Societal Impact	Level of awareness, publicity; Recognition from societal groups or for societal activities

Reference implementation

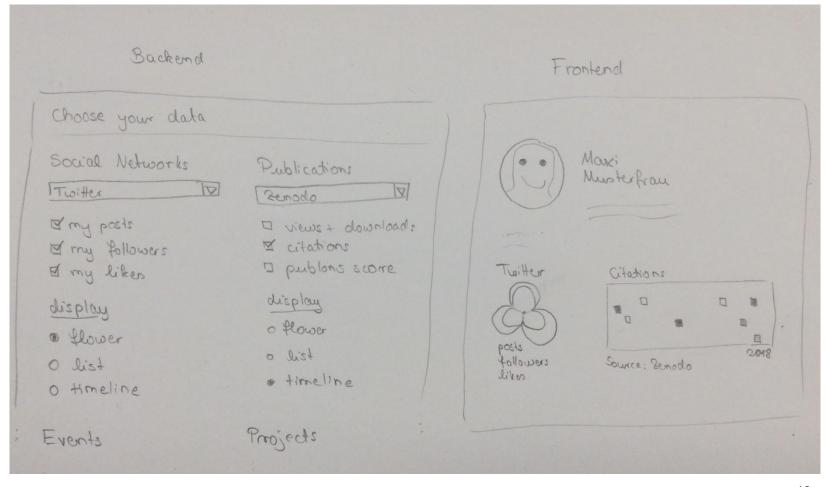
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- data sources,
- indicators and
- visualisations.

Implementation in VIVO

 possible adaption to other contexts (e.g. OJS)





Summary



ROSI develops a reference implementation with **open** scientometric data together with the scientific **community**.











Participate and help to fill the registry!

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