
Open GeoSciences

— Lecture 10/5/22 —

Reproducible Science: a crisis

Evidence of a Reproducibility Problem

Reproducibility studies:

biomedicine



- Bayer - 21% (14/67)
- Amgen - 11% (6/53)
- NINDS - 8% (1/12)
- ALS + DI - 0% (0/47)
- RPP: P - 36% (35/97)

psychology



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Survey data:

"Have you failed to reproduce somebody else's experiment?"

Scientific field

Chemistry	- 87%
Biology	- 77%
Physics/Engineering	- 69%
Medicine	- 67%
Earth/Environment	- 64% (highlighted)
Other	- 62%

say "yes,
I have."

Reproducible Science

“The actual scholarship is the full software environment, code and data, that produced the result” **Claerbout** and Karrenbach (1992)

<http://sepwww.stanford.edu/sep/jon/>

Is reproducibility extra work? Yes in the short run, No in the long run. And it's worth it:

- Improved work and work habits (people check your codes!)
- Improved teamwork
- Greater impact:
 - less inadvertent competition (if it's transparent and already done, why doing it again?)
 - More Acknowledgements with better citation and licensing system
- Greater continuity and cumulative impact: if we can reproduce the work, we can better train and advise, and especially be more effective at it
- Research is a public good: public funds pay for the research and should be able to access it.

Reproducible Science

... is when anyone (including others and your future self) can understand and replicate the steps of an analysis, applied to the same or even new data.

- Transparency in data collection, processing and analysis methods, and derivation of outcomes.
- Publicly available data and associated processing methods.
- Transparent communication of results.

<http://openscience.org/what-exactly-is-open-science/>, Gezelter (2009)

<https://www.earthdatascience.org/courses/intro-to-earth-data-science/open-reproducible-science/get-started-open-reproducible-science/>

Reproducible Science

- ***Computational reproducibility:*** When detailed information is provided about code, software, hardware and implementation details. Use scientific programming to process data, automate tasks. Avoid GUI-based workflow that require manual processing.
- ***Empirical reproducibility:*** When detailed information is provided about non-computational empirical scientific experiments and observations. In practice, this is enabled by making the data and details of how it was collected freely available.
- ***Statistical reproducibility:*** When detailed information is provided, for example, about the choice of statistical tests, model parameters, and threshold values. This mostly relates to pre-registration of study design to prevent p-value hacking and other manipulations.

Reproducible vs replicable science

- **Reproducible:** the *same* analysis steps performed on the *same* dataset consistently produces the *same* answer.
- **Replicable:** the *same* analysis performed on *different* datasets produces qualitatively similar answers.
- **Robust:** the work is not dependent on the specificities of the programming language chosen to perform the analysis, results are qualitatively the same.
- **Generalisable:** the result is not dependent on a particular dataset nor a particular version of the analysis pipeline

		Data	
		Same	Different
Analysis	Same	Reproducible	Replicable
	Different	Robust	Generalisable

Fig. 3 How the Turing Way defines reproducible research

Reproducible Science in scientific journals

Biostatistics

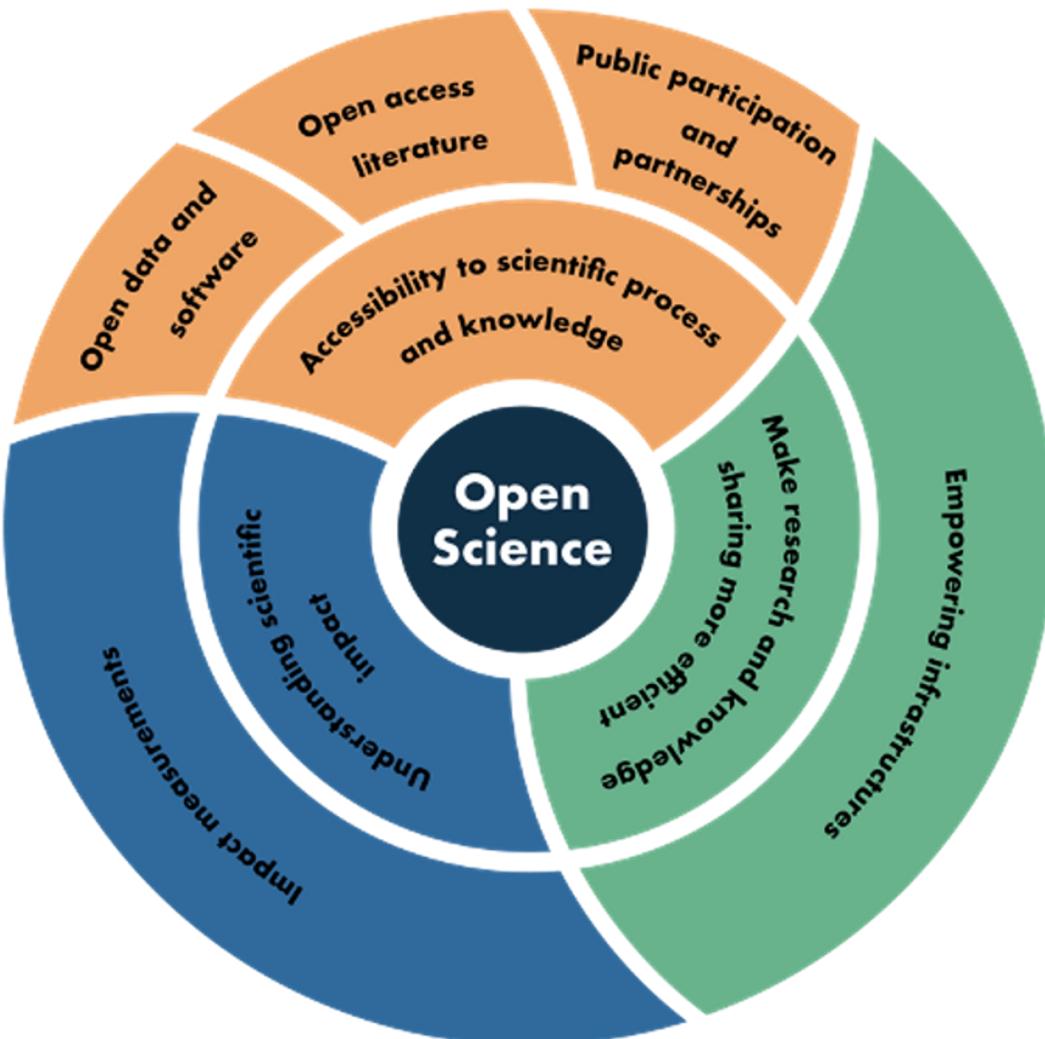
Reproducible Research

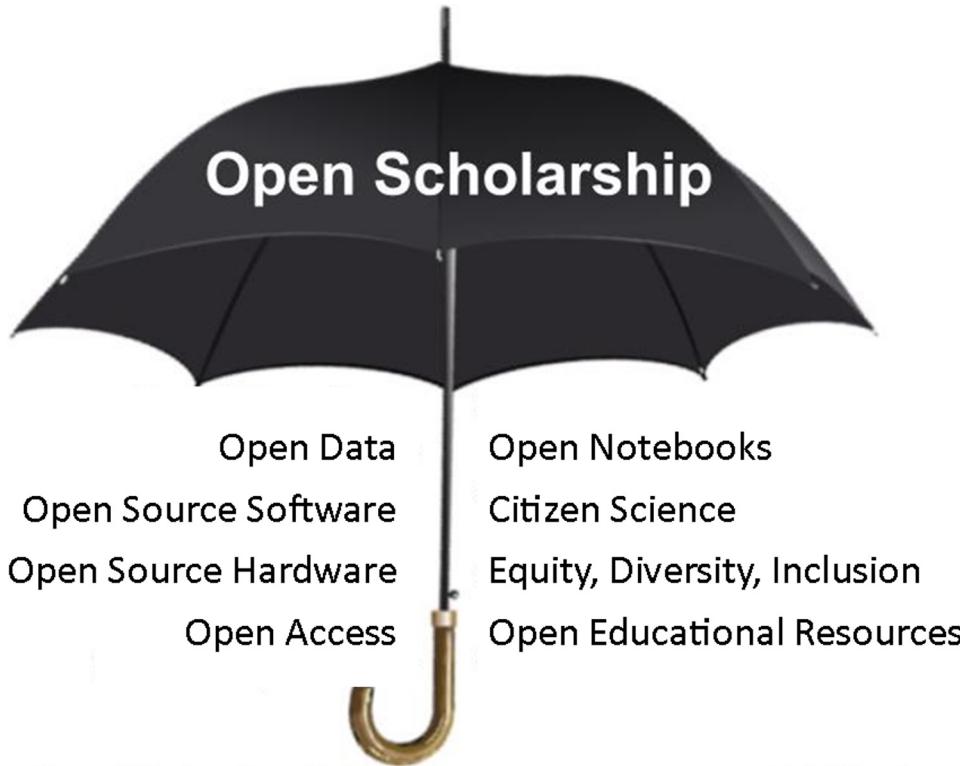
Our reproducible research policy is for papers in the journal to be kite-marked D if the data on which they are based are freely available, C if the authors' code is freely available, and R if both data and code are available, and our Associate Editor for Reproducibility is able to use these to reproduce the results in the paper. Data and code are published electronically on the journal's website as Supplementary Materials.

Code Availability

Authors are strongly encouraged to submit code supporting their publications. Authors should submit a link to a [Github](#) repository and to a specific example of the code on a code archiving service such as [Figshare](#) or [Zenodo](#).

Reproducibility is not yet mandated by journals, but there is a move toward it. Today, the definition of reproducibility is still in debate





Adapted from: <https://www.meetup.com/Berlin-Open-Science-Meetup/>

Robin Champieux and Danielle Robinson

Open scholarship means open to *everyone* without discrimination based on factors such as race, gender, sexual orientation, or any number of other factors.

Open Science

Open Data: Documenting and sharing research data openly for re-use.

Open Source Software: Documenting research code and routines, and making them freely accessible and available.

Open Hardware: Documenting designs, materials, and other relevant information related to hardware, and making them freely accessible and available.

Open Access: Making all published outputs freely accessible for maximum use and impact.

Open Science

Open Notebooks: An emerging practice, documenting and sharing the experimental process of trial and error.

Open Scholarship:

Open educational resources: Making educational resources publicly available to be re-used and modified.

Equity, diversity, inclusion: Ensuring scholarship is open to anyone without barriers based on factors such as race, background, gender, and sexual orientation.

Citizen science: The inclusion of members of the public in scientific research.

Open Science: Open Data

1. Protect your raw data (do not modify it)
2. Make your data available (online, free access, reliable archive, under an open license)
3. Make your data easy to understand (data+metadata+documentation)
4. Make your data easy to use (data stored in standard formats)
5. Make your data citeable (Digital Object Identifier)

Open Science: Open Data

Host your data on public repository



Files < 50GB, free

Data
Software



Data set < 300GB
File size < 50GB
\$120 for data < 50GB
Curated by librarians
Best for RAW DATA



PANGAEA.
Data Publisher for Earth &
Environmental Science



Data < 20GB
free

Curated by
librarians
RAW DATA

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Box 2 | The FAIR Guiding Principles

To be Findable:

- F1. (meta)data are assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier
- F2. data are described with rich metadata (defined by R1 below)
- F3. metadata clearly and explicitly include the identifier of the data it describes
- F4. (meta)data are registered or indexed in a searchable resource

To be Accessible:

- A1. (meta)data are retrievable by their identifier using a standardized communications protocol
 - A1.1 the protocol is open, free, and universally implementable
 - A1.2 the protocol allows for an authentication and authorization procedure, where necessary
- A2. metadata are accessible, even when the data are no longer available

To be Interoperable:

- I1. (meta)data use a formal, accessible, shared, and broadly applicable language for knowledge representation.
- I2. (meta)data use vocabularies that follow FAIR principles
- I3. (meta)data include qualified references to other (meta)data

To be Reusable:

- R1. meta(data) are richly described with a plurality of accurate and relevant attributes
 - R1.1. (meta)data are released with a clear and accessible data usage license
 - R1.2. (meta)data are associated with detailed provenance
 - R1.3. (meta)data meet domain-relevant community standards

“Good data management and stewardship is not a goal in itself, but rather a precondition supporting knowledge discovery and innovation.”

Open Science: Open Data

Domain specific archives

IRIS, UNAVCO

Curated, static, not diverse, follows FAIR guidelines, has established licenses, is citeable.

General data repositories archives [less integrated, less curated, citeable]

Zenodo, Figshare, Dryad, Pangaea, Dataverse, Mendeley Data, DANS, EUDat, DataHub

Data Journals

Earth system science data

Registry of Research data Repositories

<https://www.re3data.org/>

Open Science: Open Data

requirement for Authors @ AGU journals

Data must be deposited in repository that supports FAIR principles.

Data availability statement : data citation + statement in acknowledgement

Data citations: Follows ESIP's guidelines.

Example:

Cline, D., R. Armstrong, R. Davis, K. Elder, and G. Liston. 2003. CLPX-Ground: ISA snow depth transects and related measurements ver. 2.0. Edited by M. A. Parsons and M. J. Brodzik. **NASA** National Snow and Ice Data Center Distributed Active Archive Center.

<https://doi.org/10.5060/D4MW2F23>. Accessed 2008-05-14

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Select a repository:

- **Domain/disciplinary repository:** IRIS for seismic data, UNAVCO for geodetic data etc, NASA, NOAA, USGS, ..
- **Computing center :** HPC or institutional clusters may have their own data management storage and preservation recommendations.
- **Institutional repository:** [ResearchWorks](#) @ UW (~ xGBs)
- **General repository:** [Zenodo](#), [Figshare](#), [Dryad](#), [Pangaea](#), etc etc

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Requirement for Authors @ AAAS Journals

The *Science* Journals generally require **all data underlying** the results in published papers to be **publicly and immediately available**. Post-publication embargoes are not permitted, nor are **stipulations for readers to contact the authors** (rare exceptions involving third-party datasets must be discussed with the editor prior to publication and explained in detail in the acknowledgments).

Meet community standards + machine-readable formats

Data Journals

EGU: [Earth System Science Data](#) (OA)

Wiley: [Geoscience Data Journal](#) (OA)

Nature: [Scientific Data](#) (OA)

Seismological Society of America: [SRL Data Mine](#)

Seismica (OA) - Tektonika (OA) - Volcanica (OA)

Do you know of other?

Open Science: Open Source Software

A spectrum of levels for OSS :

1. In journal supplements (e.g. a zip file attached to the paper or on zenodo)
2. On Github with 1 commit and a README
3. On GitHub with documentation, contributing guide, test
4. On GitHub... + package repository (conda-forge, Pypi)
5. On GitHub, ... + automated testing and deployment (Github Actions, continuous integration)



A code without a license cannot be reused or modified or extended

Open Science: Open Source Software

Why?

- Others can re-use your code and benefit from your knowledge and savoir-faire (no need to reinvent the wheel!)
- It forces you to be organized, clean, structured. You gain in work efficiency and productivity!
- Helps debugging codes (e.g. people posting github issues!)
- Meet people by participating in a OSS development!
- Find mentor and teach each other
- Create a public reputation for good software practices

How?

- Use version control (**hosting services: GitHub, GitLab, BitBucket**)
- Publish your code on Zenodo (integration with github) and get a DOI for it.
- Follow best practices for OSS
- Contribute or lead an open source project:
 - helps to build and maintain good coding habits.
 - demonstrates technical ability
 - Provides a favorable reputation

Open Science: Open Source Software

Use standard, operating system agnostic, data formats (CSV, MD, TXT).

Avoid PDF, word docs, proprietary file formats like excel.

File naming tips:

- Name your files consistently
- Keep it short but descriptive
- Avoid special characters or spaces to keep it machine-compatible
- Use underscores to keep it human-readable. Avoid capitals or case-sensitive characters
- Use consistent date formatting, for example ISO 8601: YYYY-MM-DD to maintain default order
- Include a version number when applicable
- Share/establish a naming convention when working with collaborators
- Record a naming convention in your data management plan

* 2020-image.jpg

* 2019-image.jpg

* 2018-image.jpg

Joe's Filenames Use Spaces and Punctuation.xlsx
Myabstract.docx
figure 1.png
fig 2.png

2020-06-08_abstract-for-sla.docx
Joes-filenames-are-getting-better.xlsx
Fig01_scatterplot-talk-length-vs-interest.png
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Open Source Software: **best practices**

Computational Workflows

Create a modular code with functions:

- Good for repetitive tasks. 1-3 inputs, 1-2 outputs. One function, one task. Keep it small and focused. Combine functions in a wrapper function
- Easier to update code. Easier to test code.
- Python has guidelines to write in *good style*

Expand your code to add checks and tests.

```
# Example of a simple function
def add_five(x):
    """Add the numeric value 5 to an
    input value.

    Parameters
    -----
    x : int or float

    Returns
    -----
    int or float
        Input data with value increased
    by 5.
    """
    return (x + 5)

# How do we call a Python function
again?

add_five(3)
```

Open Source Software: **best practices**

Organize the project directory: make it easy to find code, data, ...

Organized Project

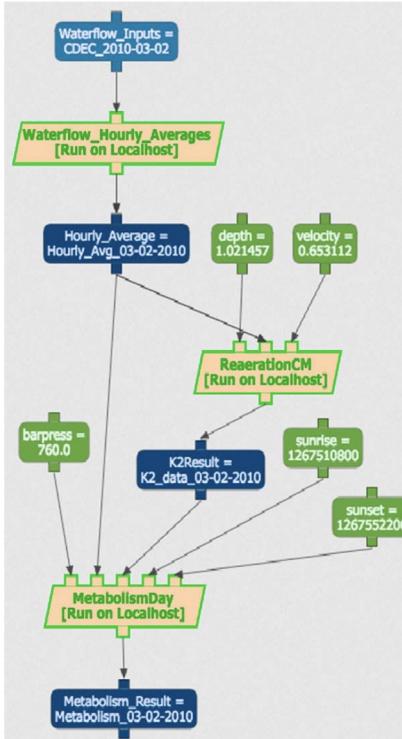
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    01-clean-data.py  
    02-run-model.py  
    03-create-plots.py  
  
/02-data  
    /raw-data  
        /landsat-imagery  
        /fire-boundary  
  
/03-output-graphics  
    study-area-map.png  
  
/04-final-paper  
    fire-paper.pdf
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Non Organized Project

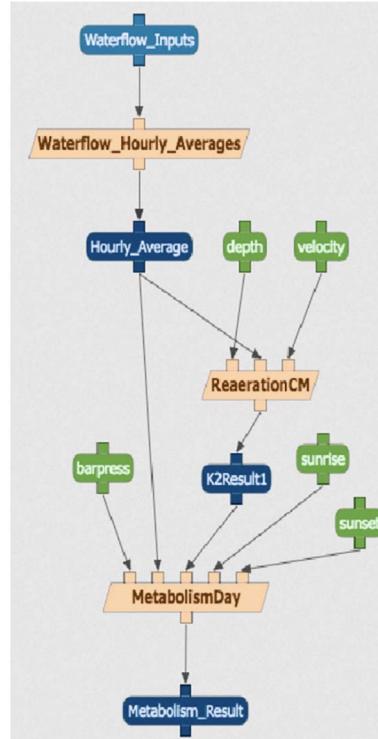
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file1-new.py  
file1.py  
plotting-test.py  
data-file.txt  
  
/old-stuff  
testoutput1.txt  
testoutput2.csv
```

Open Source Software: best practices

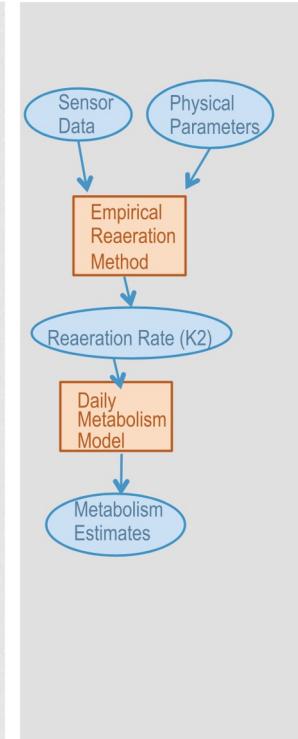
Document the workflow (text, flow chart, ...)



(a) Computational provenance
of an execution run



(b) Reusable workflow corresponding
to the general method



(c) High-level
workflow diagram

- Make a workflow diagram in your paper.
- Draw a sketch that can be saved into a JSON file (<https://asset.isi.edu/>)

Open Science: Open Access

A crisis

How librarians, pirates, and funders are liberating the world's academic research from paywalls.

By Brian Resnick and Julia Belluz | Updated Jul 10, 2019, 3:58pm EDT

Illustrations by Javier Zarracina



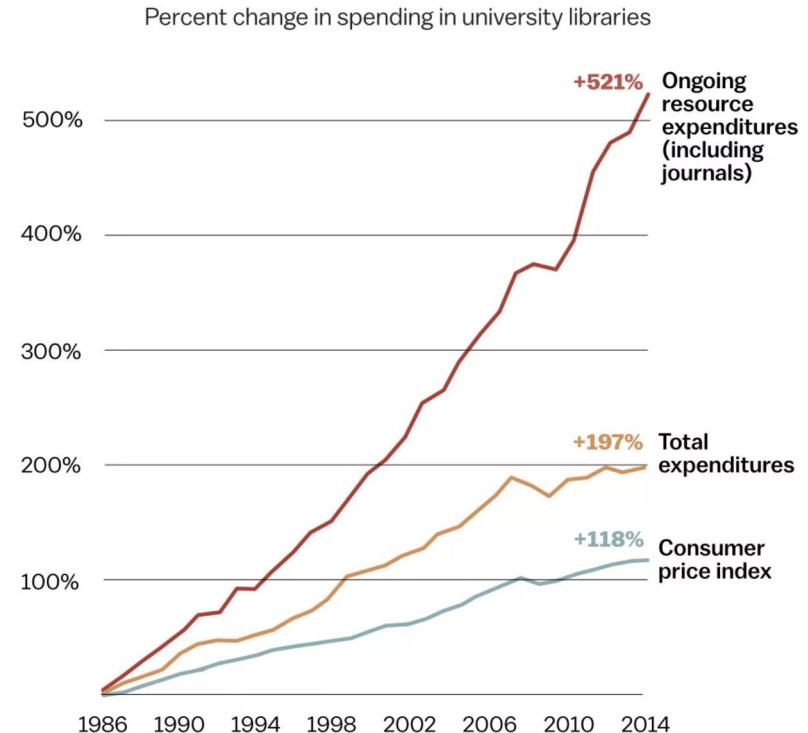
The
Highlight
BY Vox

Their university recently put them in a strange position: Starting July 10, these scientists will not be able to directly access much of the world's published research they're not involved in.

That's because in **February**, the UC system — one of the country's largest academic institutions, encompassing Berkeley, Los Angeles, Davis, and several other campuses — dropped its nearly **\$11 million annual subscription** to Elsevier, the world's largest publisher of academic journals.

<https://www.vox.com/the-highlight/2019/6/3/18271538/open-access-elsevier-california-sci-hub-academic-paywalls>

Spending on journals (and other reoccurring materials) has greatly outpaced inflation



Source: Association of Research Libraries

Vox

Open Science: Open Access

Nature: for profit journals. Nature communication is open access. Professional editors (non academics)

Science Magazine: non-profit journals. Science Advances is open access. Professional editors (non academics)

AGU: non-profit journals

Gold Open Access journals

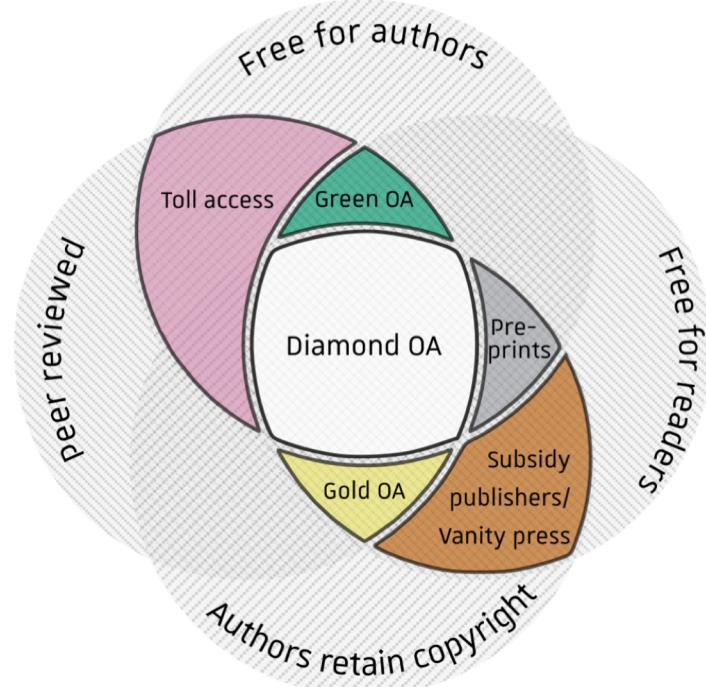
AGU has 5 fully Open Access journals: [AGU Advances](#), the [Earth's Future](#), [Earth and Space Science](#), [GeoHealth](#), and [Journal of Advances in Modeling Earth Systems](#). [Space Weather](#) will become open access in January 2020.

- Authors must pay an Article Processing Charge (APC) for their article to be published.
- Authors can select one of several Creative Commons (CC) licenses.
- Articles published in these journals are freely available online immediately upon publication.

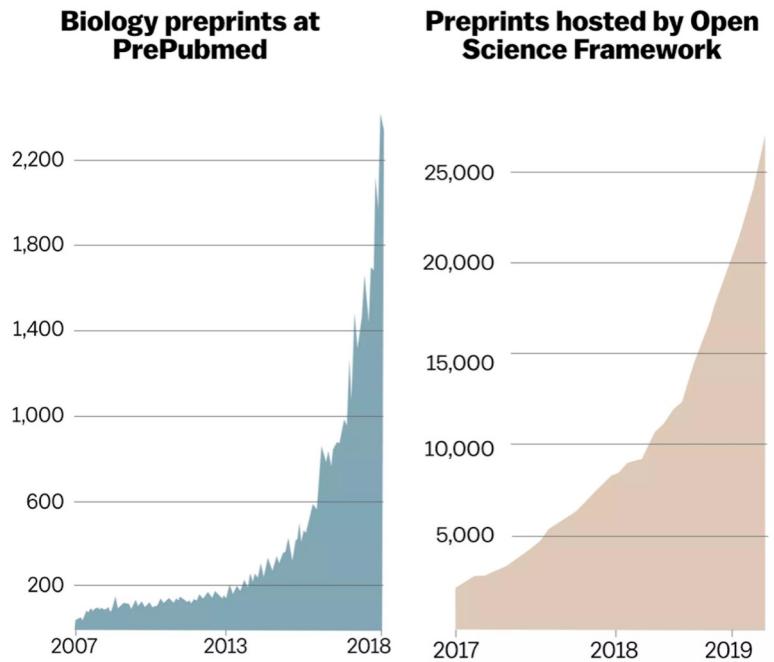
Hybrid Open Access journals

AGU has 16 hybrid journals where readers will find some articles available via Open Access while others will be behind a paywall unless their institution has a subscription.

- If an author wants their article to be available free of charge to all readers (i.e. Open Access) they will need to pay an Article Processing Charge. Authors can select this option after their article is accepted. Authors select one of several Creative Commons (CC) licenses. The article is freely available online immediately upon publication.
- Alternatively authors do not pay an Article Processing Charge to be published in the journal but their article is only accessible via subscription or purchase.



Open Science: Open Access and Pre-Prints



Sources: Center for Open Science, Asapbio.com

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ArXiv: <https://arxiv.org/>
EarthArXiv: <https://eartharxiv.org/>
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<https://www.doaj.org/>

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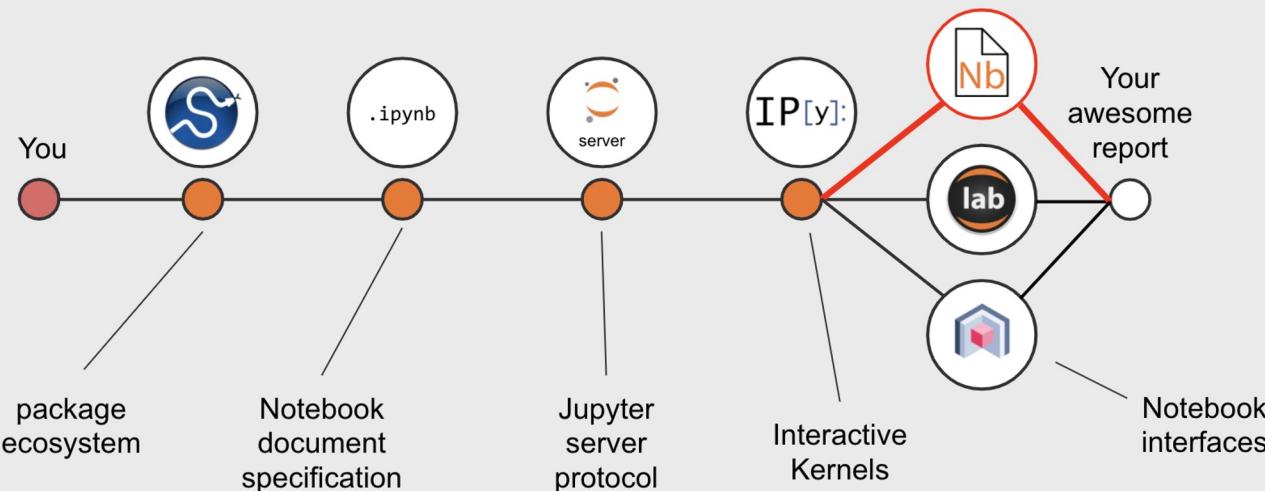
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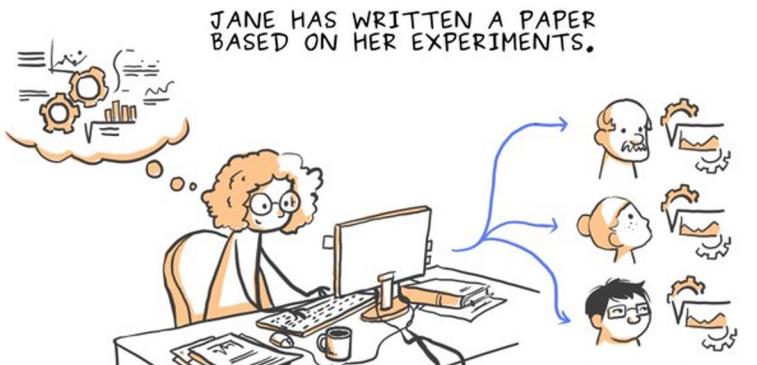
Do you know of others?

Open Science: Open Notebooks

The Jupyter Notebook is a stack of
modular, open tools



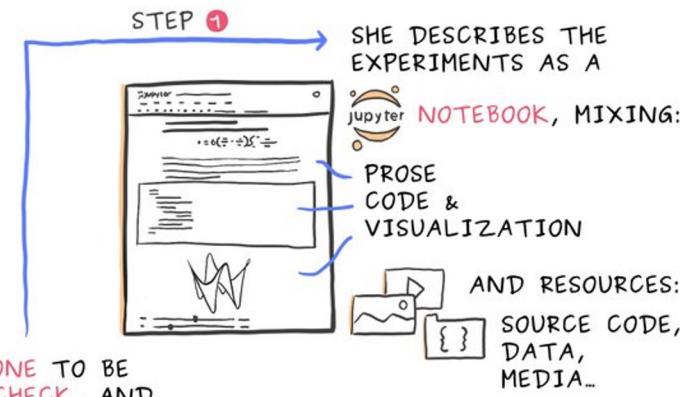
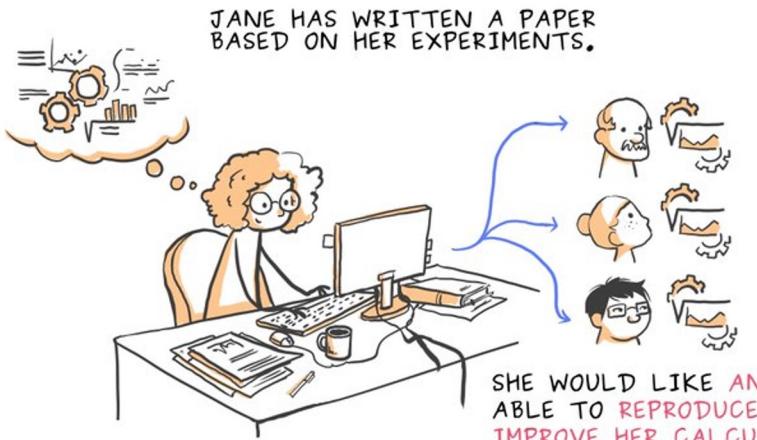
Jupyter Notebook:
A browser-based application that allows you to create and share documents (i.e. Jupyter Notebook files) that contain live **code**, **equations**, **visualizations** and **narrative text**.

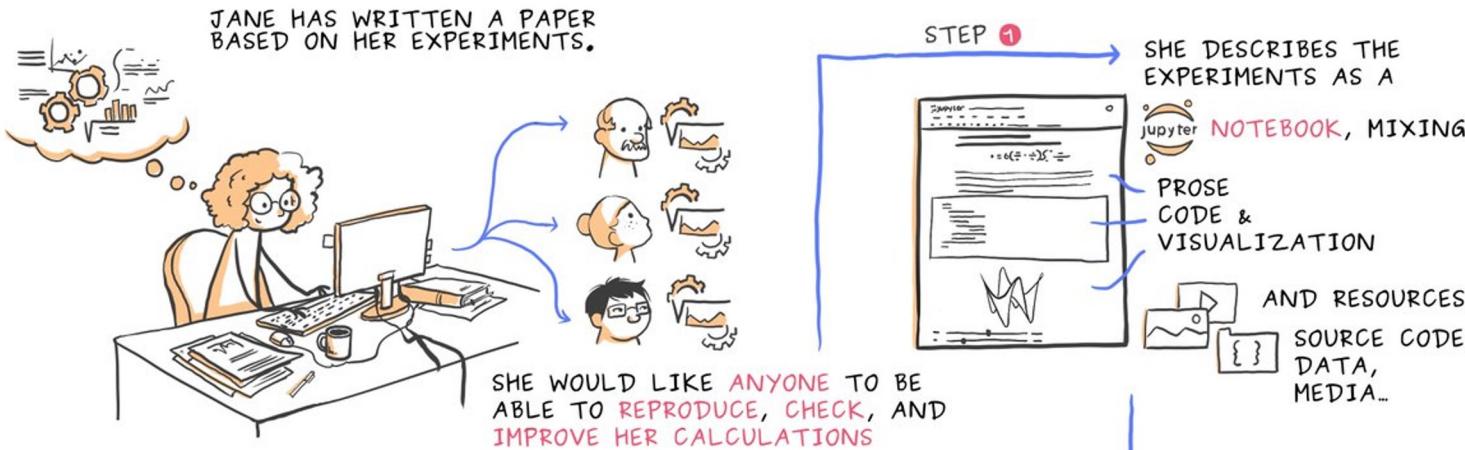


JANE HAS WRITTEN A PAPER
BASED ON HER EXPERIMENTS.

SHE WOULD LIKE ANYONE TO BE
ABLE TO REPRODUCE, CHECK, AND
IMPROVE HER CALCULATIONS



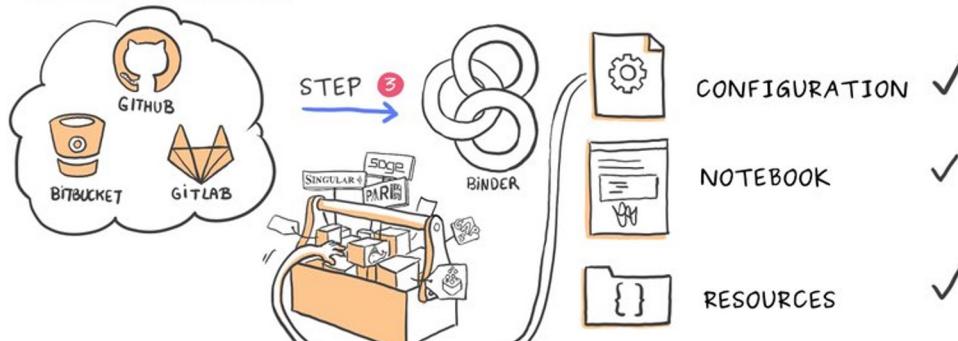


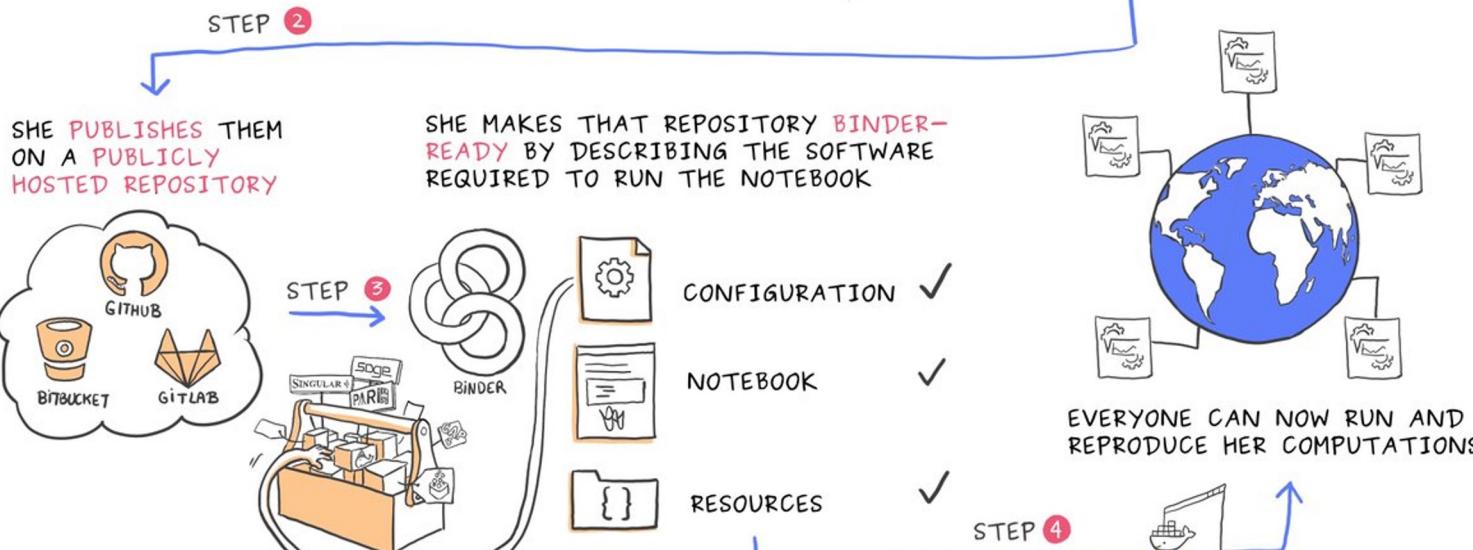
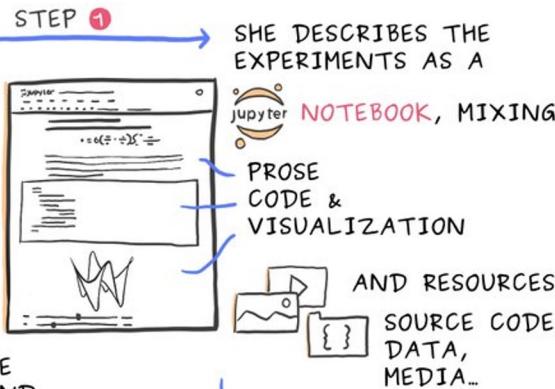
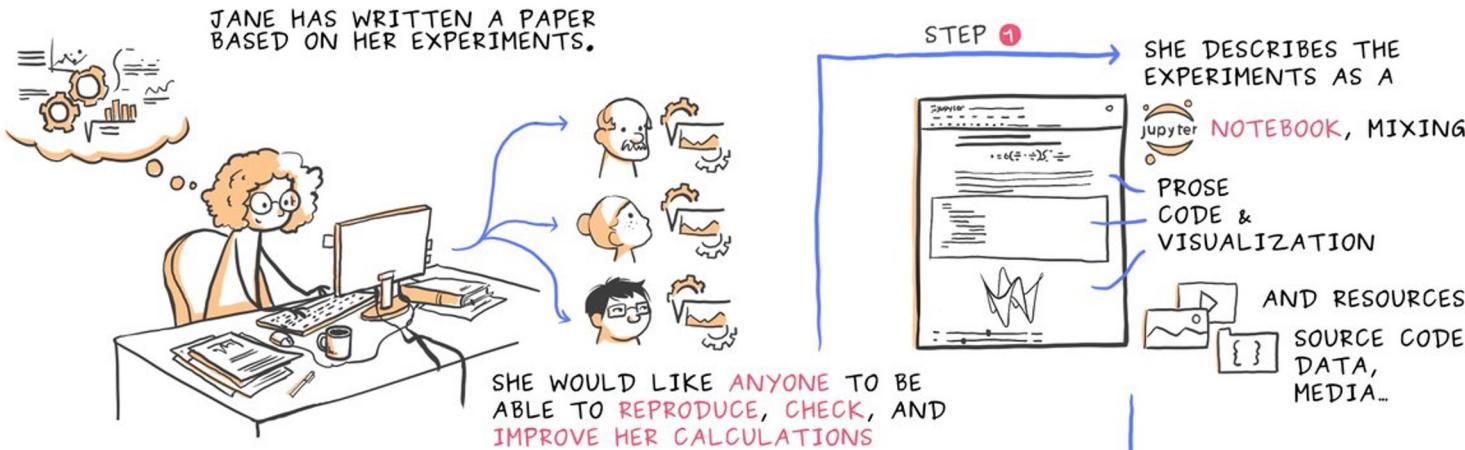


STEP 2

SHE PUBLISHES THEM ON A PUBLICLY HOSTED REPOSITORY

SHE MAKES THAT REPOSITORY BINDER-READY BY DESCRIBING THE SOFTWARE REQUIRED TO RUN THE NOTEBOOK





Checklist to open science research: Share, Publish, Archive

Share: provide access to information

Publish: render the data and/or code citable and discoverable

- Raw [unless already available] or starting data set, metadata, data cleaning/manipulation steps, analysis scripts, source codes, readme
- Don't re-publish, don't publish pre-existing restrictive license, password and private keys

Archive: long-term preservation of data and/or code:

- Is there a domain specific repos? Are there backup and replication policies? Is there a plan for long-term preservation?
- **It needs to be findable**
- **It needs to be citable (DOI)**

The Geoscience Paper of the Future

Gil et al (2016)

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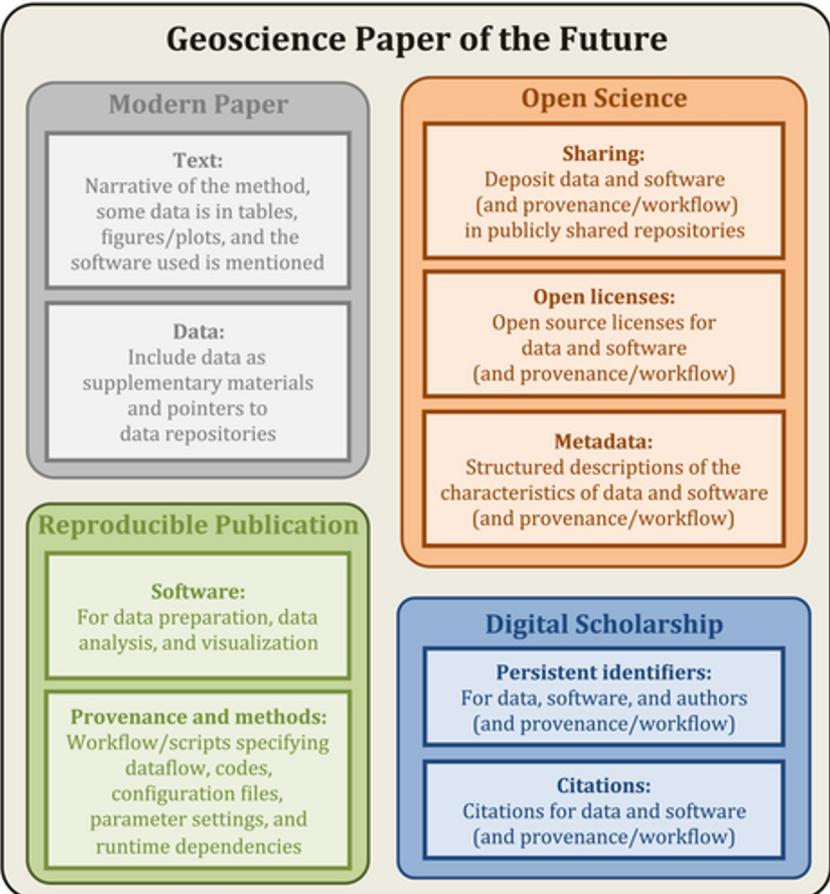


Table 1. A Proposed Checklist for GPF Authors, With 20 Recommendations That Can Guide Them to Assemble the Information That Should Be Included in a GPF

Category	Applicability	Recommendations
Data accessibility	Initial data, significant intermediate results, and final results	D1: Data sets should be published in a publicly accessible location with a permanent unique identifier D2: Data sets should have a license D3: Data sets should be cited in the paper
Data documentation	Initial data, significant intermediate results, and final results	D4: Data sets should have general-purpose metadata specified D5: Data set characteristics should be explained in detail D6: Data set origins and availability of related data sets should be documented
Software accessibility	Software used to process initial data and to generate any intermediate or final results	S1: Software should be published in a publicly accessible location with a permanent unique identifier S2: Software should have a license S3: Software should be cited in the paper
Software documentation	Software used to process initial data and to generate any intermediate or final results	S4: Software function and purpose should be described S5: Software download and execution requirements should be documented S6: Software testing and reuse with new data should be documented S7: Software support for extensions and updates should be mentioned
Provenance documentation	Provenance of all computational results reported in the article, including figures, tables, and other findings	P1: Derivations of newly generated data from initial data should be provided P2: Software execution traces for newly generated results should be provided P3: Versions and configurations of the software should be specified P4: Parameter values used to run the software should be specified
Methods documentation	Computational methods that are generally applicable to data other than the data in the paper	M1: Compositions of software that form a general reusable method should be specified M2: Data flow across software components should be described
Authors Identification	Authors of the paper and of any new data and software cited in the paper	A1: Authors have a permanent unique identifier

The Geoscience Paper of the Future: DATA

Gil et al (2016)

Table 2. A High-Level Roadmap for Authors of a Geoscience Paper of the Future (GPF), With Pointers to Popular Resources for Publication and Licensing of Scientific Research Products

Data

Available in a public repository, with metadata, a license specifying conditions of use, and citable using a unique and persistent identifier.

	Data Accessibility	Advanced Approach	What to Show in the Paper
Simplest Approach			
1. Choose a general repository (e.g., figshare, Zenodo, Dryad, Pangaea, etc.)		1. Find a repository that your community uses, if there is not one then organize one!	• Cite data set in the paper references
2. Create a public entry for your data set with a persistent unique identifier		2. Create a public entry for your data set with a persistent unique identifier	• Citation includes data set name, creators, publication date, repository name, persistent identifier, and time of retrieval
3. Specify basic metadata (name, authors)		3. Specify the basic metadata required by that repository	• If there is a separate paper about a data set, cite it as well
• Including license—choose from creativecommons.org		• Including license—choose from creativecommons.org	• Mention in the text that the persistent identifier site has the metadata and includes a detailed description of the data
4. Upload/point to the data		4. Upload/point to the data	• Mention availability of related data sets
5. The repository will give you a data citation		5. Get a data citation from the repository	
Simplest Approach	Data Documentation	Advanced Approach	
• Data sets should have at least domain-specific keywords		• Domain-specific metadata should be well documented using metadata standards for that community	
• Include metadata and documentation that will help reuse			

The Geoscience Paper of the Future: SOFTWARE

Gil et al (2016)

Software

Available in a public repository, with documentation, a license for reuse, and a unique and citable persistent identifier. This includes any ancillary software for data reformatting, data conversions, data filtering, and data visualization.

Software Accessibility

Simplest Approach

1. Create a public entry for your software with a persistent unique identifier
2. Post on your web site and use a PURL, upload to a data repository and get a DOI
3. Specify basic metadata
4. Include license—choose from opensource.org/licenses, e.g., Apache
5. Specify desired citation

Advanced Approach

1. Learn to use a code repository that allows version tracking and collaborative software development (e.g., GitHub, BitBucket, etc.)
2. Create a public entry for your software with a persistent unique identifier
3. Specify basic metadata
 - Include license—choose from opensource.org/licenses, e.g., Apache
4. Get a software citation from the repository.

Software Documentation

Simplest Approach

- Describe as much metadata as will help reuse
 - Document basic metadata including authors, contributors, version, license, and release date

Advanced Approach

- Use a software registry
 - www.ontosoft.org/portal, csdms.colorado.edu, etc.
 - Guides through questions to provide metadata
- Save the metadata as HTML, XML, etc.
- Post the metadata on your code site

What to Show in the Paper

- Cite software in the paper references
 - Citation similar to data but includes software version
- If there is a software paper, cite it
- Mention that the persistent identifier location for your software points to its metadata
- Optionally, include the software metadata as supporting information

The Geoscience Paper of the Future: WORKFLOWS

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Table 2. (continued)

Computational Provenance and Methods

Documented for all results by explicitly describing the series of computations and their outcome with a trace log (or computational provenance record) and a high-level workflow diagram (or a formal workflow), possibly in a shared repository and with a unique and persistent identifier.

Simplest Approach	Documentation	Advanced Approach	What to Show in the Paper
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Ethics in publishing

CRediT – Contributor Roles Taxonomy

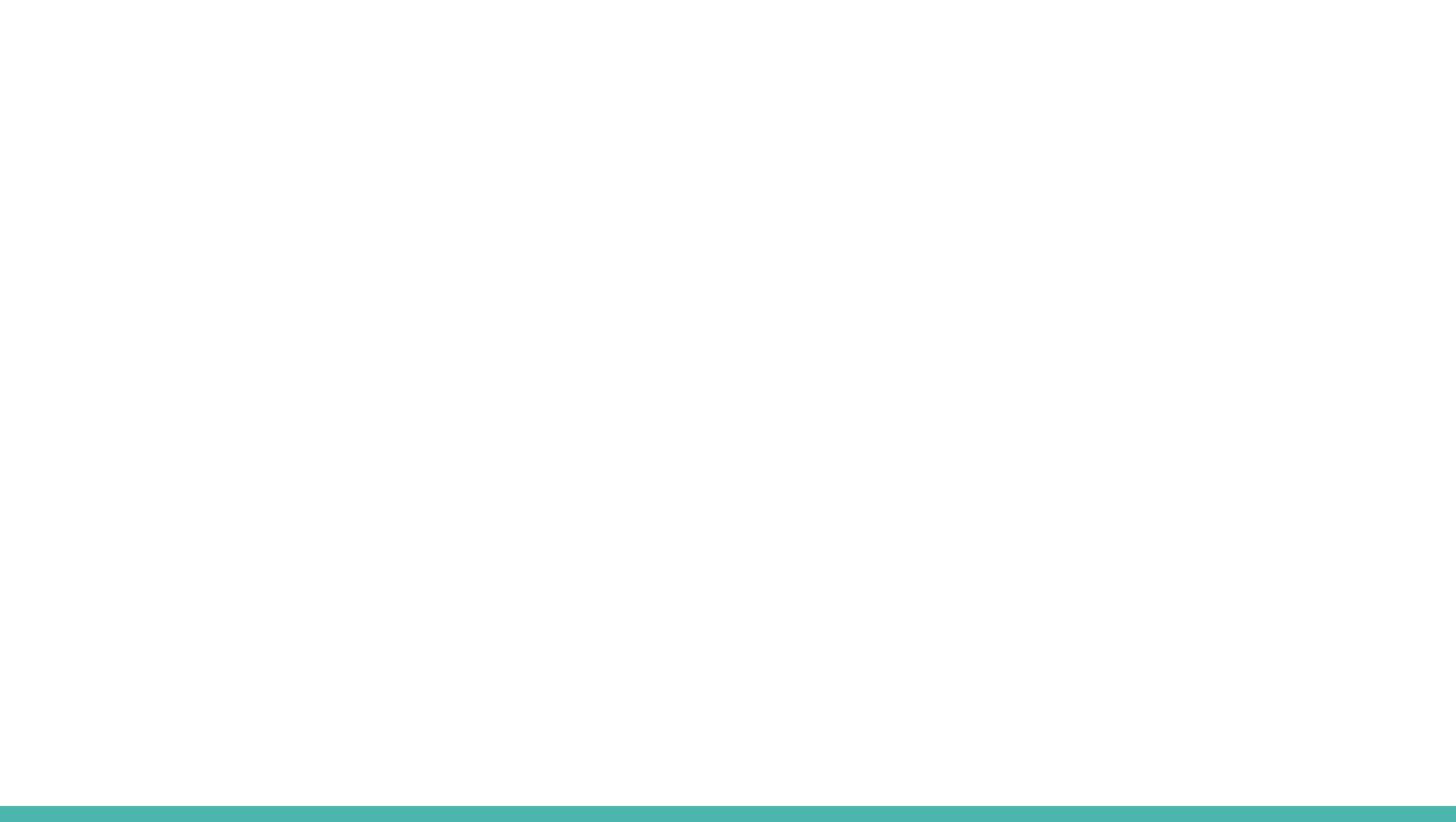


CRediT (Contributor Roles Taxonomy) is high-level taxonomy, including 14 roles, that can be used to represent the roles typically played by contributors to scientific scholarly output. The roles describe each contributor's specific contribution to the scholarly output.

14 Contributor Roles

Conceptualization
Data curation
Formal Analysis
Funding acquisition
Investigation
Methodology
Project administration

Resources
Software
Supervision
Validation
Visualization
Writing – original draft
Writing – review & editing



Conceptualization – Ideas; formulation or evolution of overarching research goals and aims.

Data curation – Management activities to annotate (produce metadata), scrub data and maintain research data (including software code, where it is necessary for interpreting the data itself) for initial use and later re-use.

Formal analysis – Application of statistical, mathematical, computational, or other formal techniques to analyze or synthesize study data.

Funding acquisition - Acquisition of the financial support for the project leading to this publication.

Investigation – Conducting a research and investigation process, specifically performing the experiments, or data/evidence collection.

Methodology – Development or design of methodology; creation of models.

Project administration – Management and coordination responsibility for the research activity planning and execution.

Resources – Provision of study materials, reagents, materials, patients, laboratory samples, animals, instrumentation, computing resources, or other analysis tools.

Software – Programming, software development; designing computer programs; implementation of the computer code and supporting algorithms; testing of existing code components.

Supervision – Oversight and leadership responsibility for the research activity planning and execution, including mentorship external to the core team.

Validation – Verification, whether as a part of the activity or separate, of the overall replication/reproducibility of results/experiments and other research outputs.

Visualization – Preparation, creation and/or presentation of the published work, specifically visualization/data presentation.

Writing – original draft – Preparation, creation and/or presentation of the published work, specifically writing the initial draft (including substantive translation).

Writing – review & editing – Preparation, creation and/or presentation of the published work by those from the original research group, specifically critical review, commentary or revision – including pre- or post-publication stages.

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A brief history of research communications

- Transcription of society meetings
- 1752 - peer review
- 1960s-1980s: society journals → publishing companies.
- 1990s: The internet should make things cheaper and easier
- 2000+: prices go up and up
- Now: Funders mandating Open Access

