



FAIR Digital Object Fabric IG



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Achievements

- *Collection of project shares (reports from groups implementing FDOs)*
- *“FAIR DOs for pedestrians”:
Collection of elevator pitches and introduction materials (in progress)*



Aims and objectives

A FAIR Digital Object is a representation of research data and other digital assets that contains all information required for FAIRness. The IG aims at providing a communication and discussion platform for experts as well as novices exchanging experiences about the implementation and application of FAIR Digital Objects.




What's next?

Extension of the collections

- *Project Shares:*
<https://www.rd-alliance.org/group/fair-digital-object-fabric-ig/wiki/monthly-meetings>
- *Intro materials:*
<https://www.rd-alliance.org/group/fair-digital-object-fabric-ig/wiki/rda-ig-fair-digital-object-fabric>



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IG FAIR Digital Object Fabric

Discussing the FAIR DO Concept

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22 March 2023



Agenda

Collaborative notes:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1GnuHDnVkCkLZxPR-uf28vqm0Jv_qvnQ0vUfwsMMmfBs/edit

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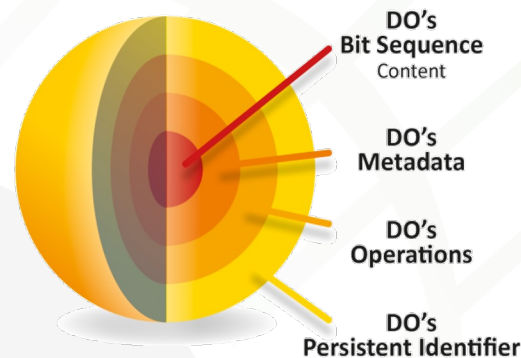
FAIR Digital Object: Concept

FAIR Digital Object:

Representation of research data and other digital assets that contains all information required for FAIRness

- Data content
- Referenced and identified by a persistent ID
- Has properties described by metadata, e.g. type

- **General concept**
- **Long-lasting & sustainable**
- **Technology agnostic**
- **Interoperability and harmonization**
- **Bridges between research data repositories, disciplines, etc.**



- Seamless inclusion of legacy data
- Data has a type
- Operations can be connected to the types

How to implement ?





FAIR Digital Object: Example Implementation



The representation contains at minimum an **Identifier** and an **Information Record** with the following properties:

- Identifier: *unambiguously assigned*, e.g. a PID
- Information Record: well and *unambiguously defined structure* containing a *minimum of information* entries or links pointing to the information:
 - identifier,
 - definition of the structure of the information record, e. g. profile,
 - type of the data,
 - link to the data, e. g. a PURL

PID Information Record

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IG FAIR Digital Object Fabric

Charter:

<https://www.rd-alliance.org/group/data-fabric-ig/case-statement/fair-digital-object-fabric-ig-charter>

Coordination and communication platform:

- Exchanging experiences about the implementation and application of FAIR Digital Objects
- “FAIR DOs for pedestrians”:
Collect of elevator pitches and introduction materials
- Bridge with the work in the FAIR Digital Object Forum <https://fairdo.org/> and others





Aim: Exchanging Experiences



Coordination and communication platform

- Regular meetings: every fourth Thursday of the month, UTC 15:00 – 16:00

15 Project shares

- Project presentations
- Discussion
- Collection of information:
 - Publications
 - RDA Recommendations & Outputs
 - Components: Software & Services
 - Workshops
- Plenary sessions

<https://www.rd-alliance.org/group/data-fabric-ig/wiki/rda-ig-data-fabric-fair-digital-objects>

Aim: Bridge with FAIR Digital Object Forum

- People in the IG, WGs, SC, TAC
- Joint WG ?





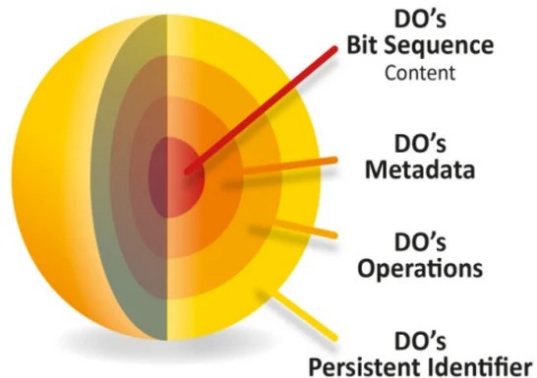
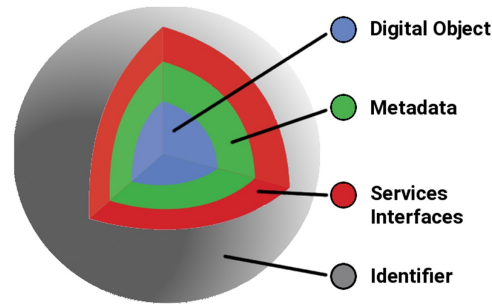
Aim: "FAIR DOs for Pedestrians"

Collect and create elevator pitches and introduction materials

- Started in mid 2022
- Collection of materials in

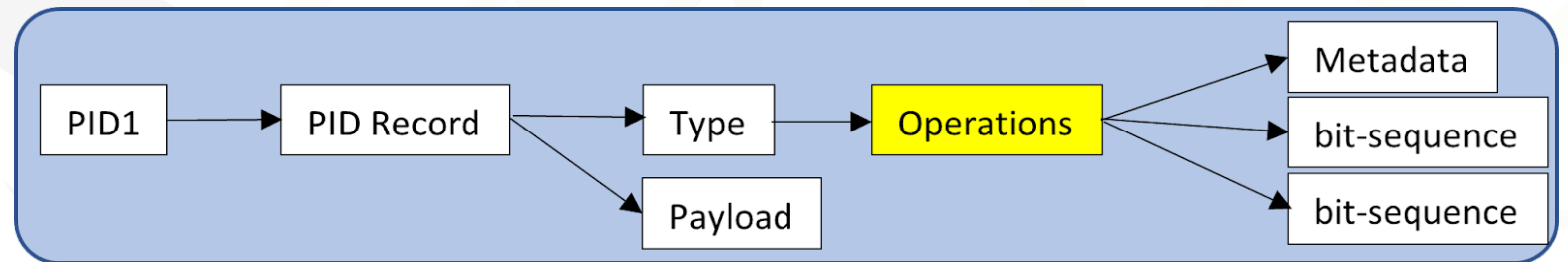
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- FAIR DO elevator pitches
- Tutorials and presentations
- Pictures



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