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# Open Science: the Science of the Future

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### What is Open Science?

open science stands for a transition to a new, more open and participatory way of conducting, publishing and evaluating scholarly research

central to this is the goal of increasing cooperation and transparency in all research stages

open science leads to more robust scientific results, to more efficient research and (faster) access to scientific results for everyone

this results in turn in greater societal and economic impact





Open Science is the science of the future

# we need open science to build a (sustainable) future





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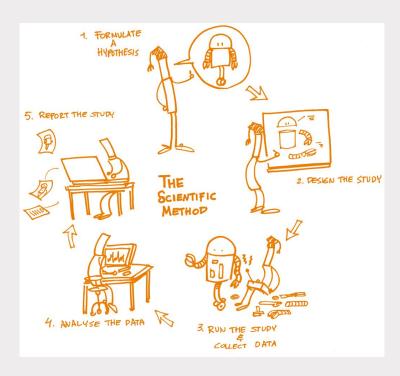
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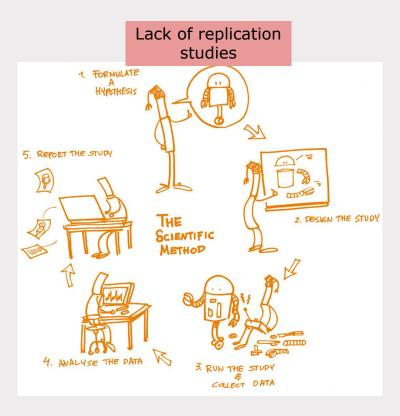
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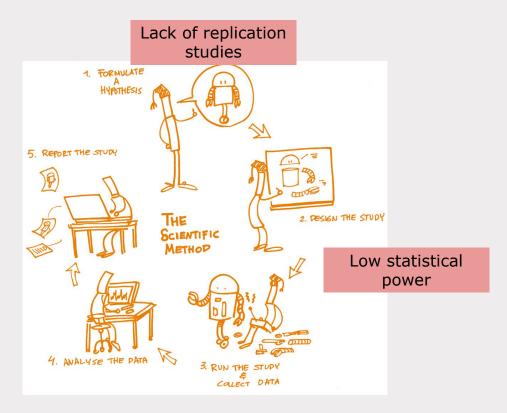




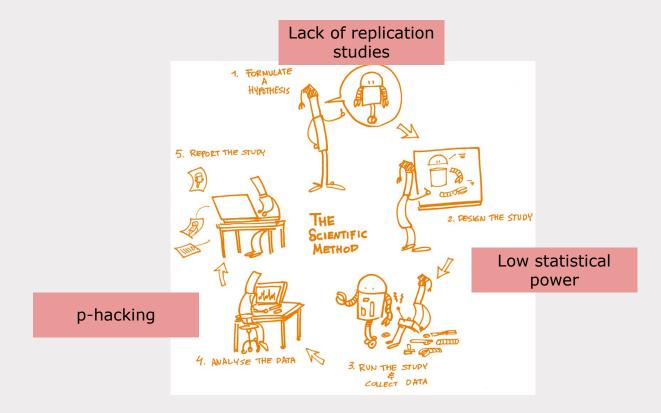




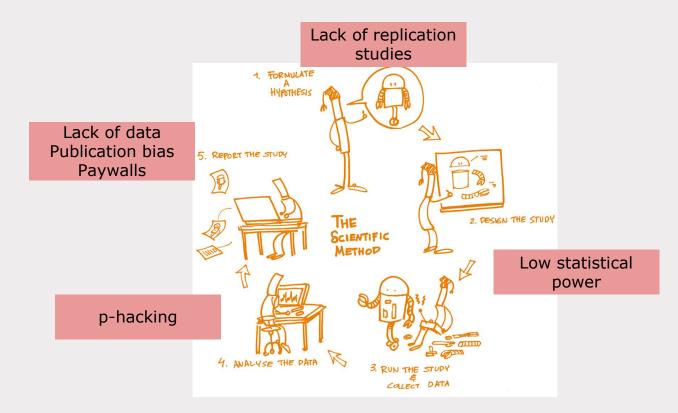




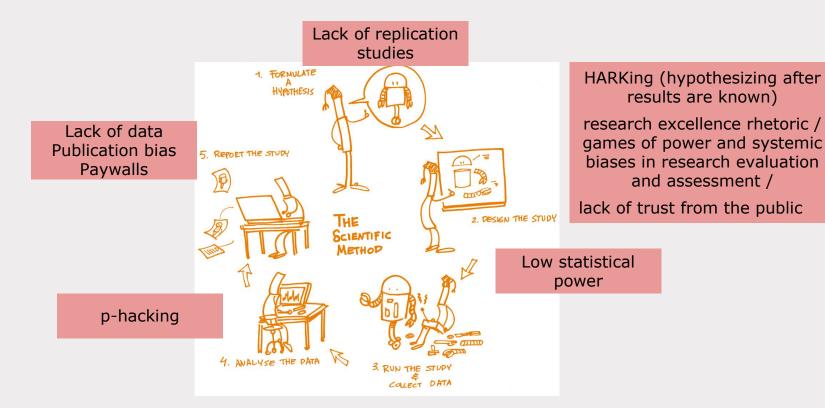










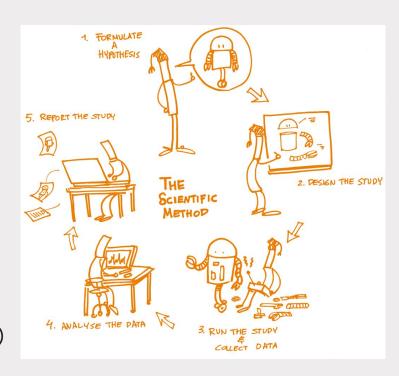




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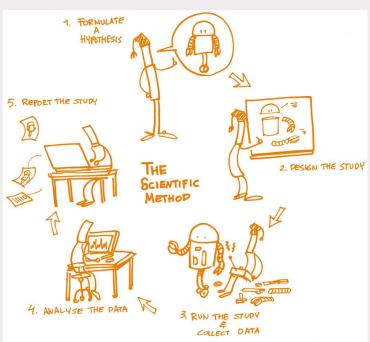




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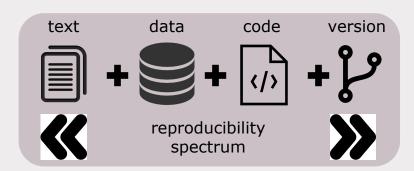
#### Science 2.0

pre-register studies share ideas, methods, protocols, data via blogs, platforms, repositories submit preprints publish in blogs, wikis, and in journals information and data available to the public



## Research outputs in the Science 2.0 era

with the scientific method evolving, and adjusting to the explosion of information and technology, research outputs have evolved too, and now encompass far more than can be expressed in the 17th century construct of a research paper

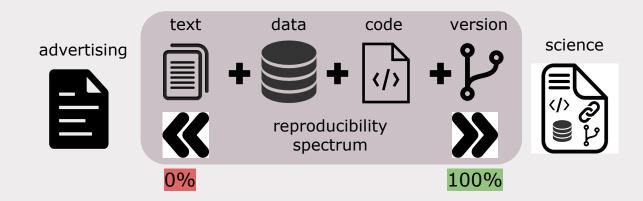




### A published article is the tip of the iceberg

"An article (about computational result) is advertising, not scholarship. The actual scholarship is the full software environment, code and data, that produced the result."

Buckheit and Donoho (1995)









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## open access

unlocking knowledge, empowering people



## The current scholarly publishing system



All in all, very slow scientific progress and poor return on public investment public investment read, readers are subscriptions or public pays per are locked behind article to view on paywalls permissions publisher website

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We must acknowledge that by preventing access to research output, we are acting against meeting the sustainable development goals and we are perpetuating a system that is destructive to science and society



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## The Open Access publishing system



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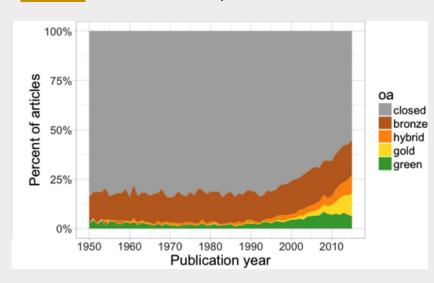
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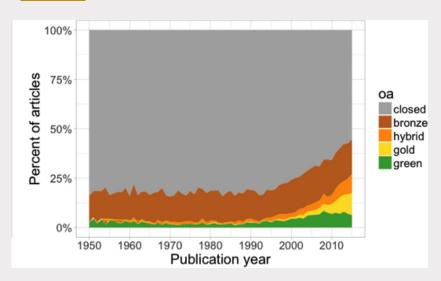
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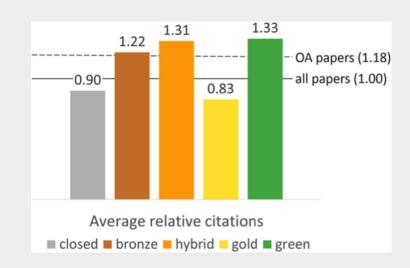
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## Plan S: the solution to everything?

Plan S requires that, from 2021, scientific publications that result from research funded by public grants must be published in compliant Open Access journals or platforms.



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## North vs South – Are open access models in conflict?



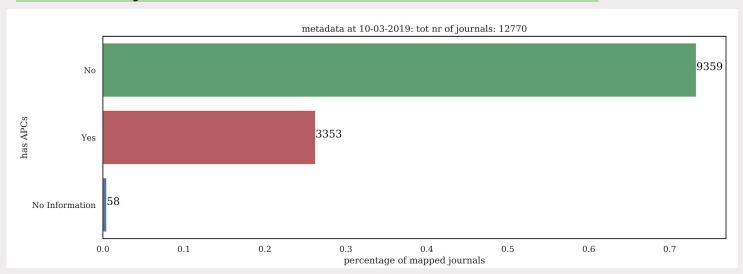
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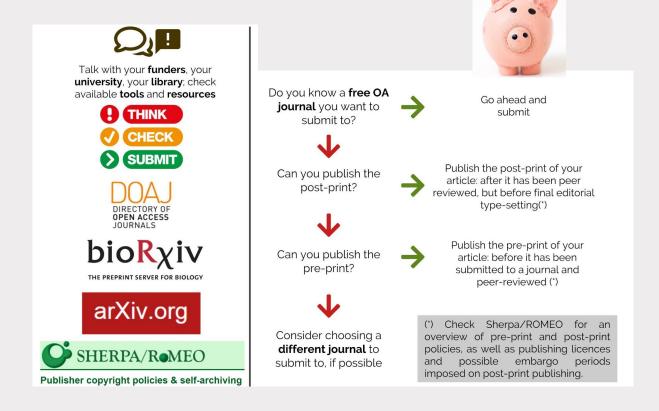
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73% of the journals indexed in the DOAJ do not have an APC





## You don't need to break the bank!





## A social networking site is not an open access repository

	Open Access Repositories	Academia.edu	ResearchGate
Supports export or harvesting	Yes	No	No
Long-term preservation	Yes	No	No
Business model	Usually nonprofit	Commercial. Sells job posting services, hopes to sell data	Commercial. Sells ads, job posting service
Sends you tons of emails	No	Yes	Yes
Wants your address book	No	Yes	Yes
Fulfills requirements of your institute's OA policies	Yes	No	No



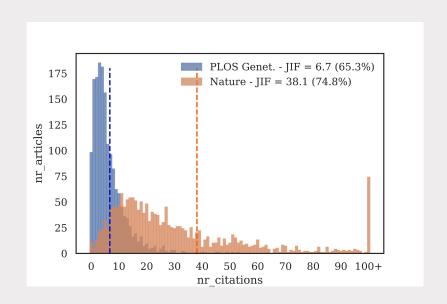
## The Journal Impact Factor and research evaluation

We all know by now that JIF is a flawed metric

We need to move away from an evaluation system based on journal branding, and go back to research quality and relevance

Publishing in a glamour journal does not imply reproducibility, nor quality, nor statistical robustness, nor impact

Let's stop pretending we care about it





### The rhetoric of research excellence

used in its current unqualified form, research excellence is pernicious and dangerous rhetoric that undermines the very foundations of good research and scholarship (Moore et al.)

Research excellence reinforces systemic biases in power, reduces diversity, and excludes many participants from the processes of scholarship

Open Science: a Shift in the Conversation From Open Science to Inclusive Science





# preprints

faster scientific dissemination



#### What are preprints?

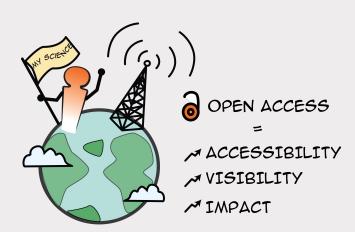
### Preprints

are manuscripts shared online before the completion of journal-organized peer review



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# They are open access, and therefore increase your visibility





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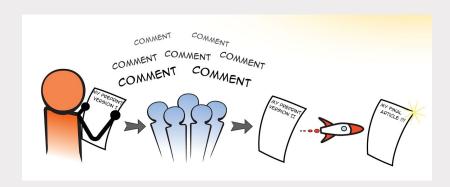
# They can help you advance in your career





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# They allow for a wider community feedback





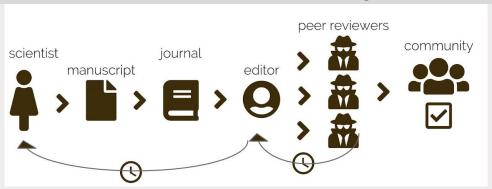
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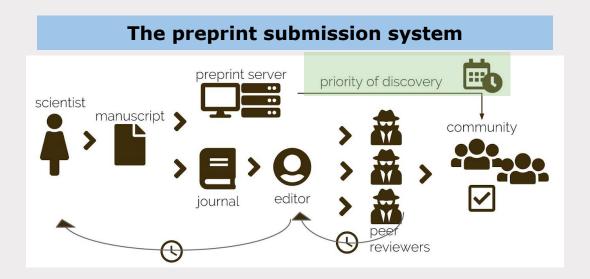
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#### The traditional submission system





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List of academic journals by preprint policy

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Publisher copyright policies & self-archiving



### Don't be afraid of licenses, ask the community

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Ideal for datasets.3

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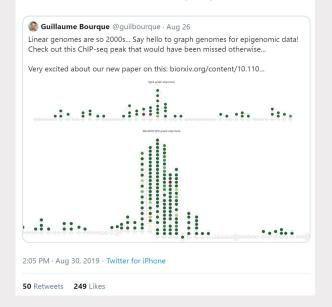
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### Preprints: you gotta love them!



Can I just say that I think @biorxivpreprint is the greatest thing since sliced bread? Within a week, lots of feedback and even a new collaboration! So much better than waiting for months for 2-3 reviews that are sometimes uneven in terms of quality...





# Providing researchers with the skills and competencies they need to practise Open Science

Report of the Working Group on Education and Skills under Open Science



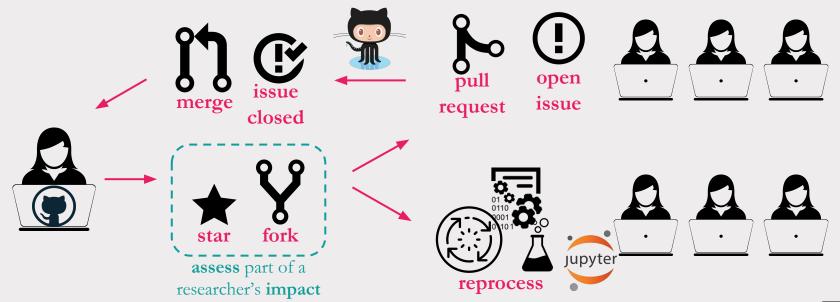
### open source

for reproducible & participatory research



### Why open source?

open source is powerful because it lowers the barriers to adoption, allowing ideas to spread quickly



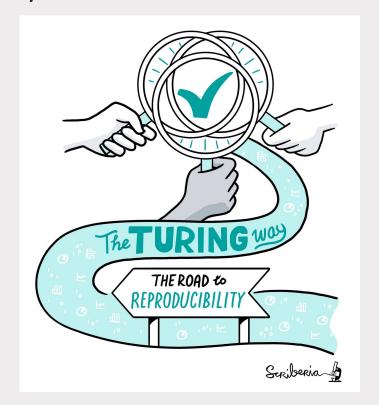


# Open source enables reproducibility

#### **Welcome to the Turing Way**

The Turing Way is a lightly opinionated guide to reproducible data science.

		Data	
		Same	Different
Analysis	Same	Reproducible	Replicable
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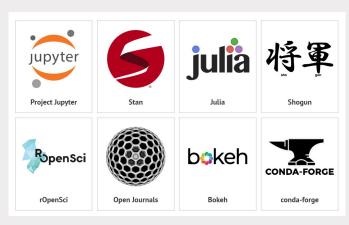




### NumFOCUS and successful open source stories

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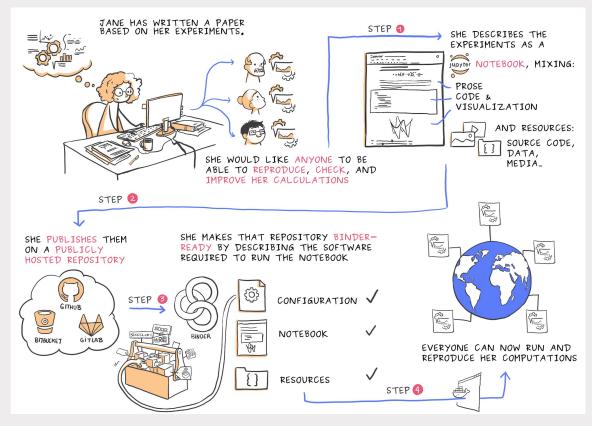




in just over 5 years, it has attracted over 500 unique contributors, 20,000 individual code contributions, and 2,500 article citations



# Open source and literate programming





#### The article does the "advertisement"

#### Computer Science > Symbolic Computation

#### Computing isomorphisms and embeddings of finite fields

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(Submitted on 3 May 2017)

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Subjects: Symbolic Computation (cs.SC); Mathematical Software (cs.MS); Number Theory (math.NT)

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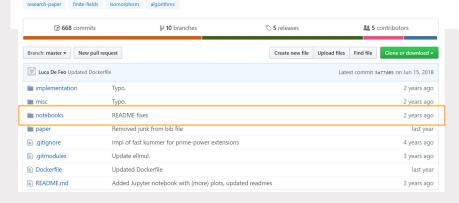
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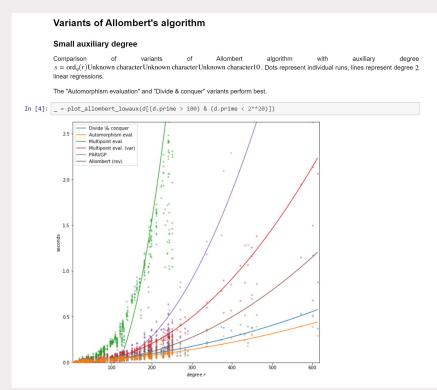
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A research project on isomorphisms of finite fields https://arxiv.org/abs/1705.01221







### Make sure you choose an open license

#### Which of the following best describes your situation?



### I need to work in a community.

Use the license preferred by the community you're contributing to or depending on. Your project will fit right in.

If you have a dependency that doesn't have a license, ask its maintainers to add a license.



#### I want it simple and permissive.

The MIT License is short and to the point. It lets people do almost anything they want with your project, like making and distributing closed source versions.

Babel, .NET Core, and Rails use the MIT License.



### I care about sharing improvements.

The **GNU GPLv3** also lets people do almost anything they want with your project, *except* distributing closed source versions.

Ansible, Bash, and GIMP use the GNU GPLv3.

#### What if none of these work for me?

My project isn't software.

There are licenses for that.

I want more choices.

More licenses are available.

I don't want to choose a license.

Here's what happens if you don't.



# Researchers need to be equipped with tools and resources





# And they need to be rewarded for \_ more than just papers





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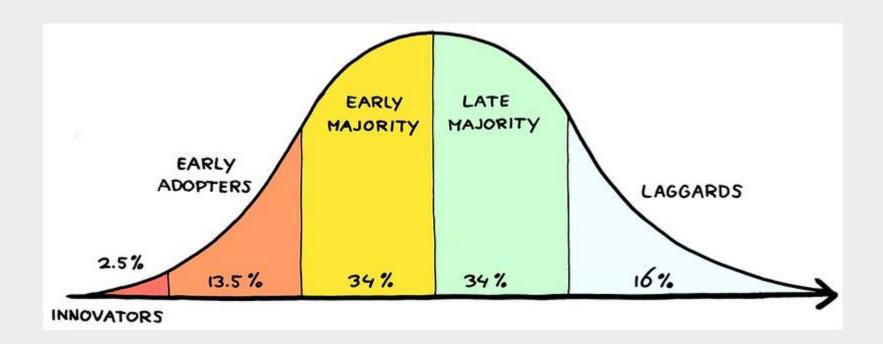
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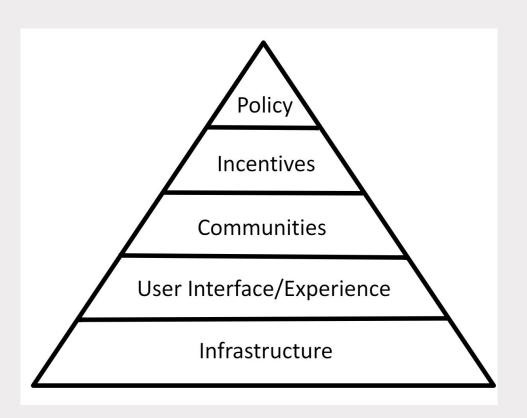


### The adoption curve in diffusion of innovations





### A comprehensive strategy is needed to effect culture change



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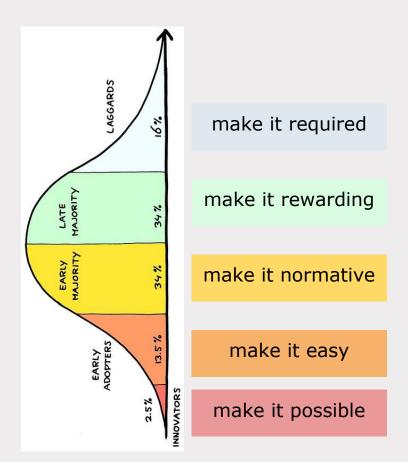
make it normative

make it easy

make it possible



### Enabling a culture change







Embrace incrementalism, change can happen by degrees, every little step counts

Focus on good science practices, not on social identity

Reach out to the community!

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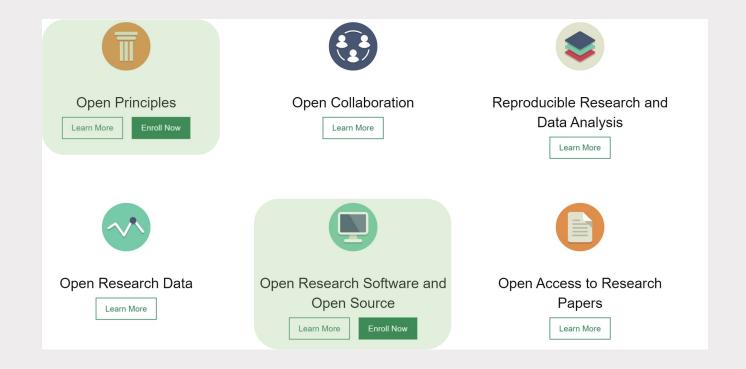


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