

MDR MATERIALS DATA REPOSITORY

The Development of an Integrated Next Generation Data Repository For Materials Science



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MDR Development Project for materials science

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The MDR team: developers, publishers, researchers - at NIMS Library

Researchers

Publishers

Developers

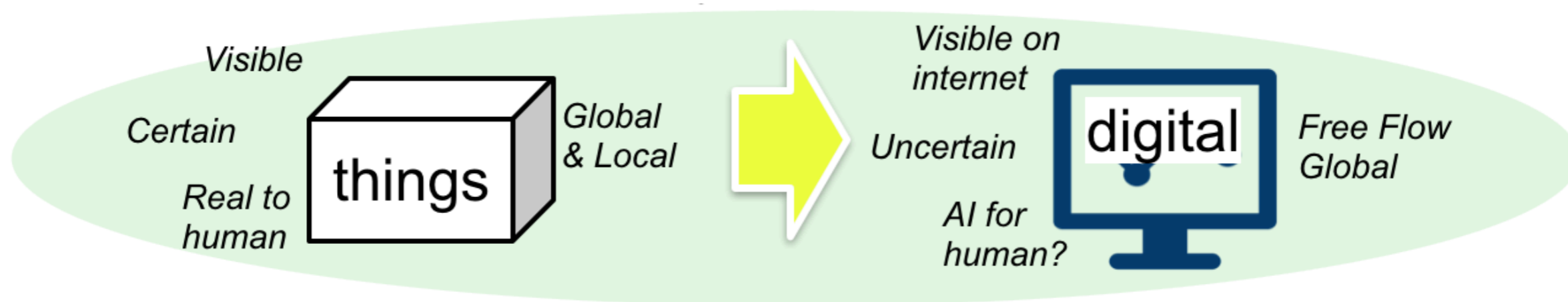
Engineers

1. Context: NIMS & the MDR

Mikiko Tanifuji

A landscape of research data – G20 Digital Economy

- G20 - Trade and Digital Economy, June 8, 2019
 - Human Centric Future Society

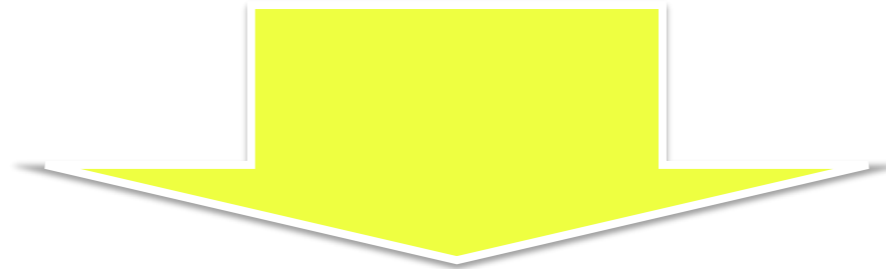


- “Data Free Flow with Trust” (DFFT concept)
 - Accumulate data for human society
 - Appropriate data management and global consensus for how-to-use



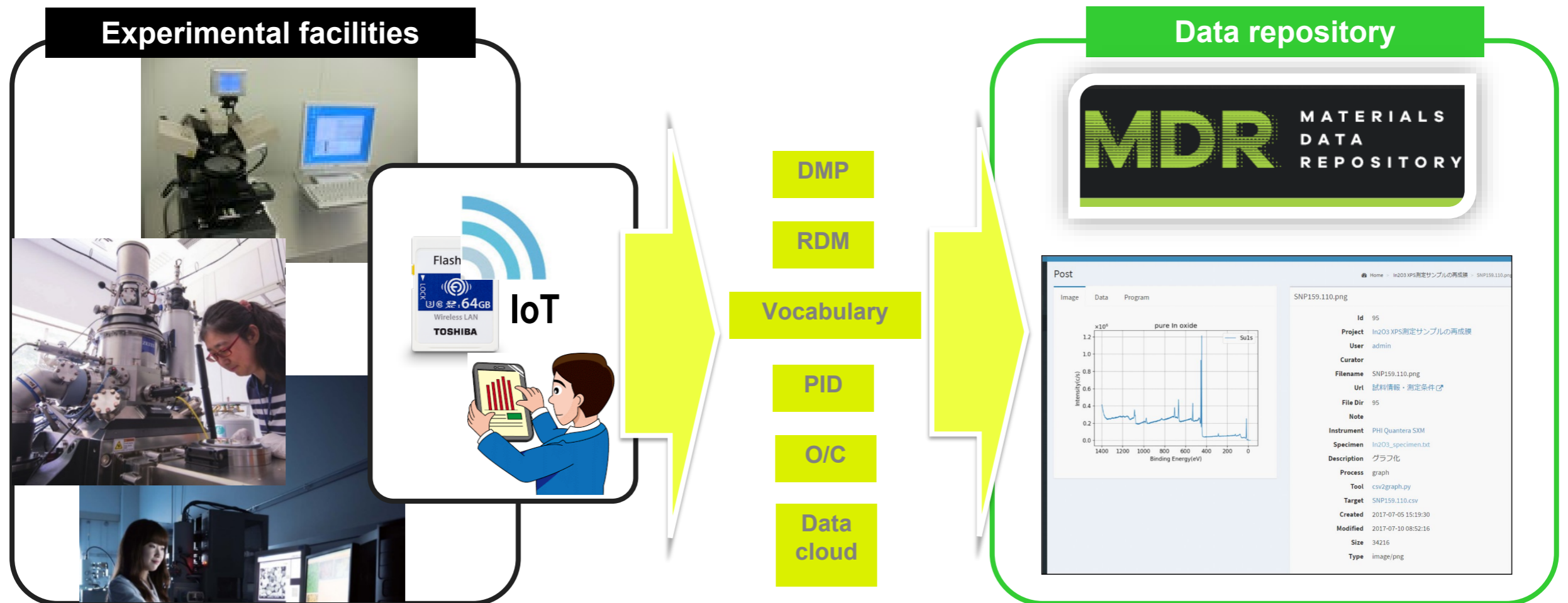
MDR Development Project – Why?

1. A new trend “Data-driven science” >> data science/scientists
2. Not just “machine-readable”, move to machine-actionable >> really FAIR
3. Incentives of “machine-learning” >> must WebAPI, with metadata
4. Not just a database >> semantic-aware database
5. Not just an archive >> metadata, machine-readable formats, analytics tools



1. Next Generation Repository (NGR) must have machine-actionable data
2. NGR must have researchers' trust-based quality data
3. NGR should/could be repository-tenant concept Example: res project repository

MDR Development Project - What?



MDR - a FAIR system of Materials Data Platform

2019 -

NIMS service

DCS

Data Curation System

NIMS service

IoT Data

IoT Data Transferring System

NIMS service

LabNote

Online Lab Notebooks

NIMS service

Analytics

High performance computer system

Public service



Public service



NIMS service



2020 -

Public service

VocWiki

Vocabulary for Data Management

NIMS service

RDM

Research Data Management

NIMS service

Single Sign-on

A gateway to all data services

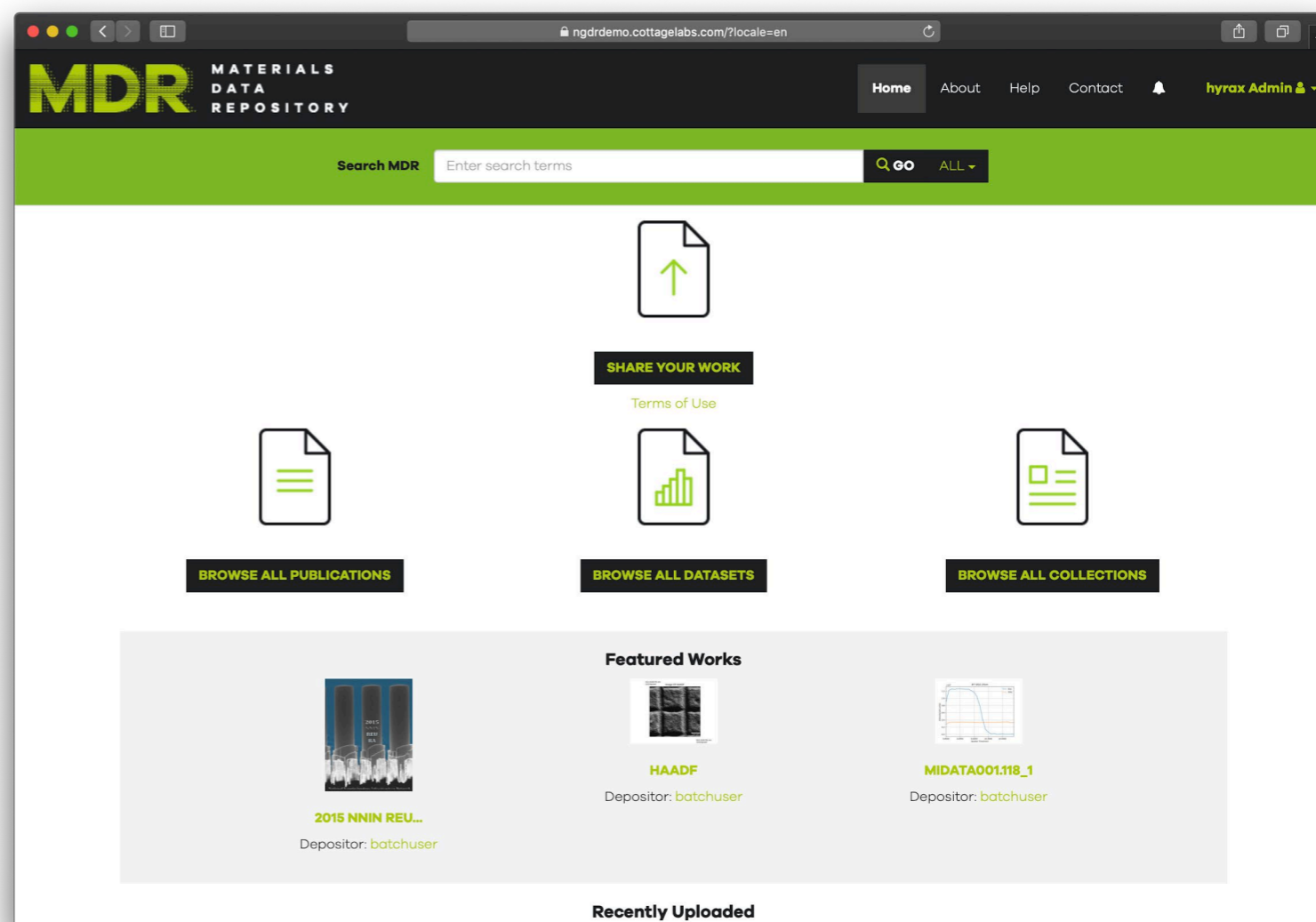
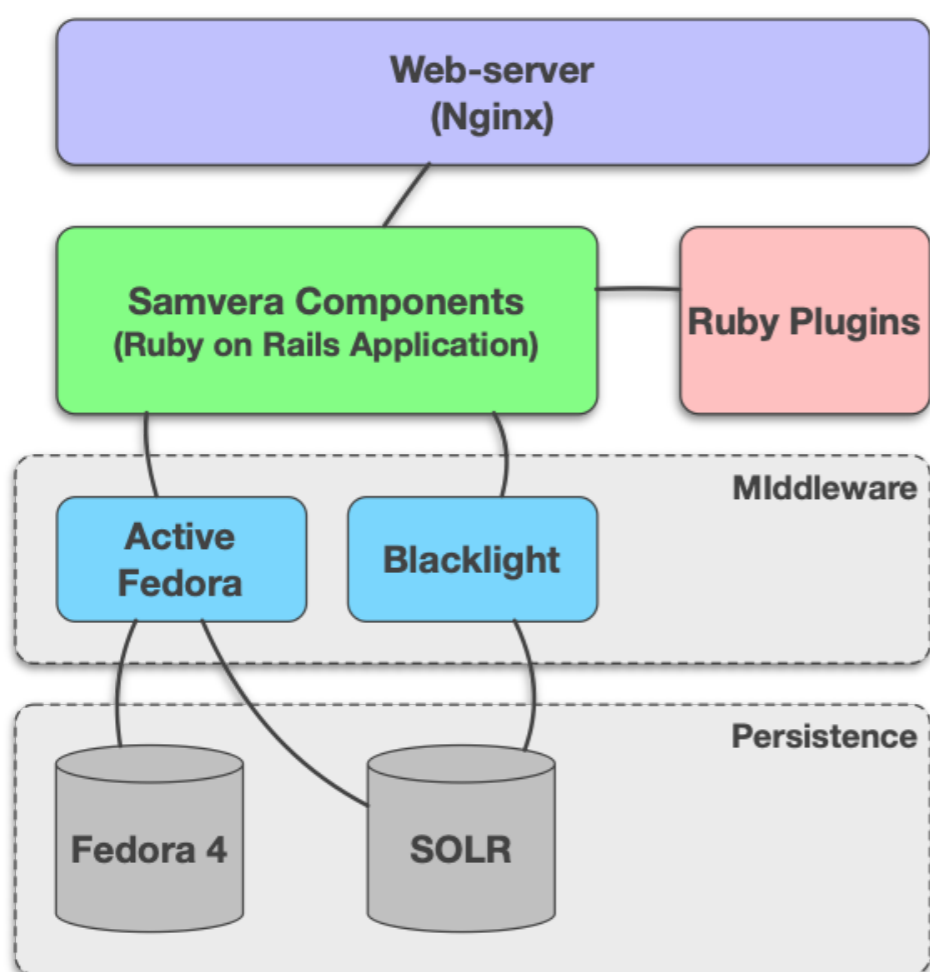
Data deposit | Data deposit via IoT |
Data search | Data download | Data visualizations |
Data analytics & Informatics

2. The MDR system

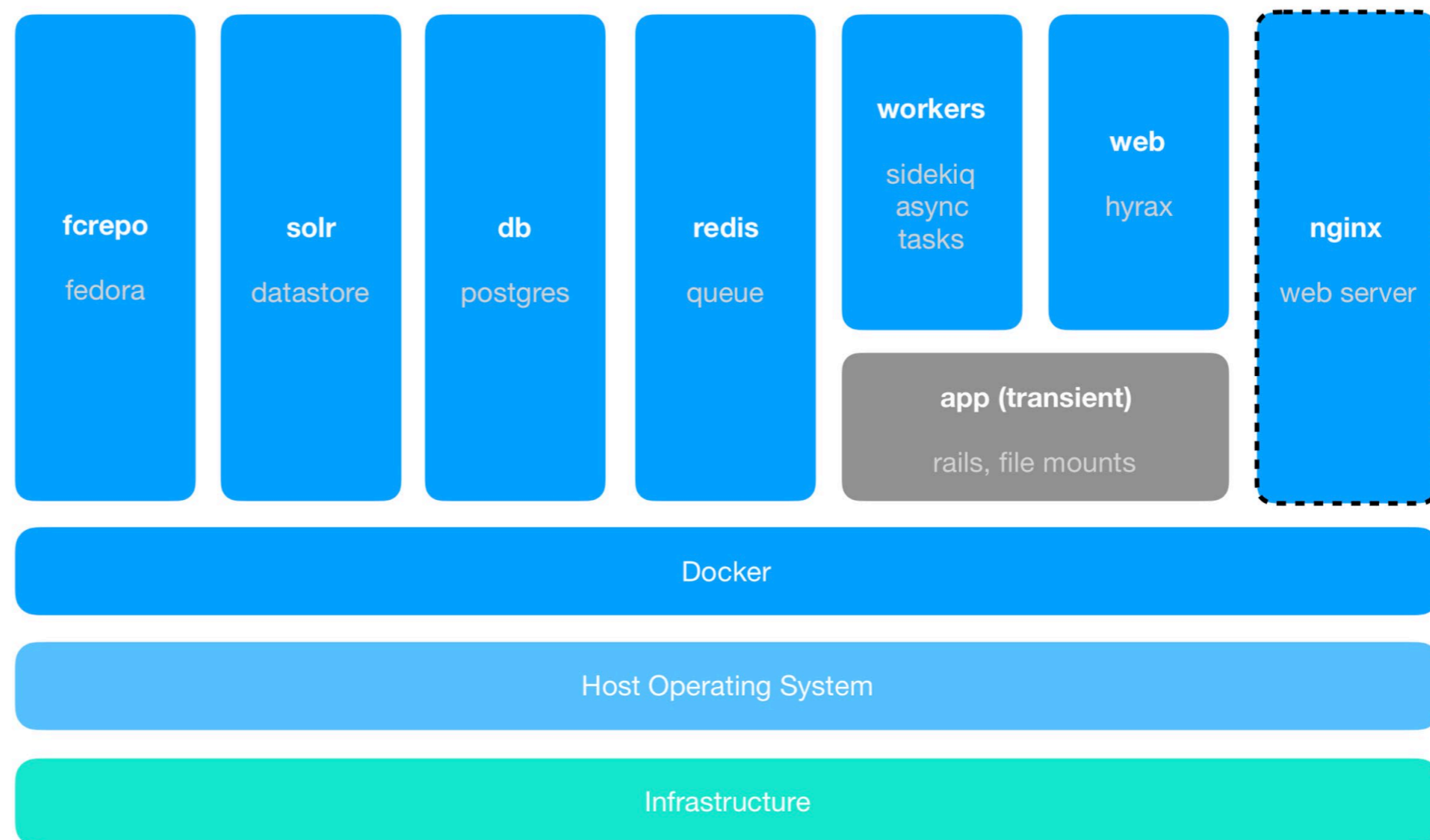
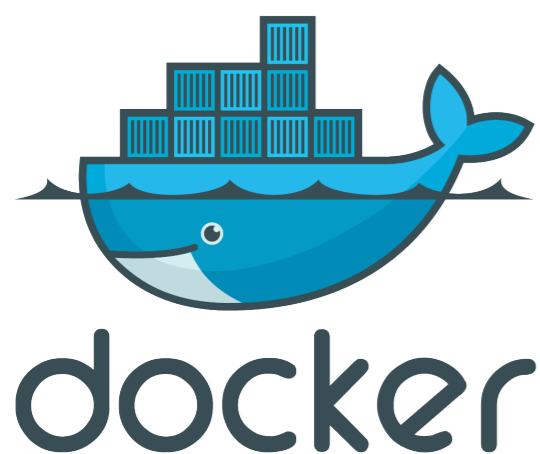
Steven Eardley

About the Materials Data Repository (MDR)

- Hyrax (Samvera)



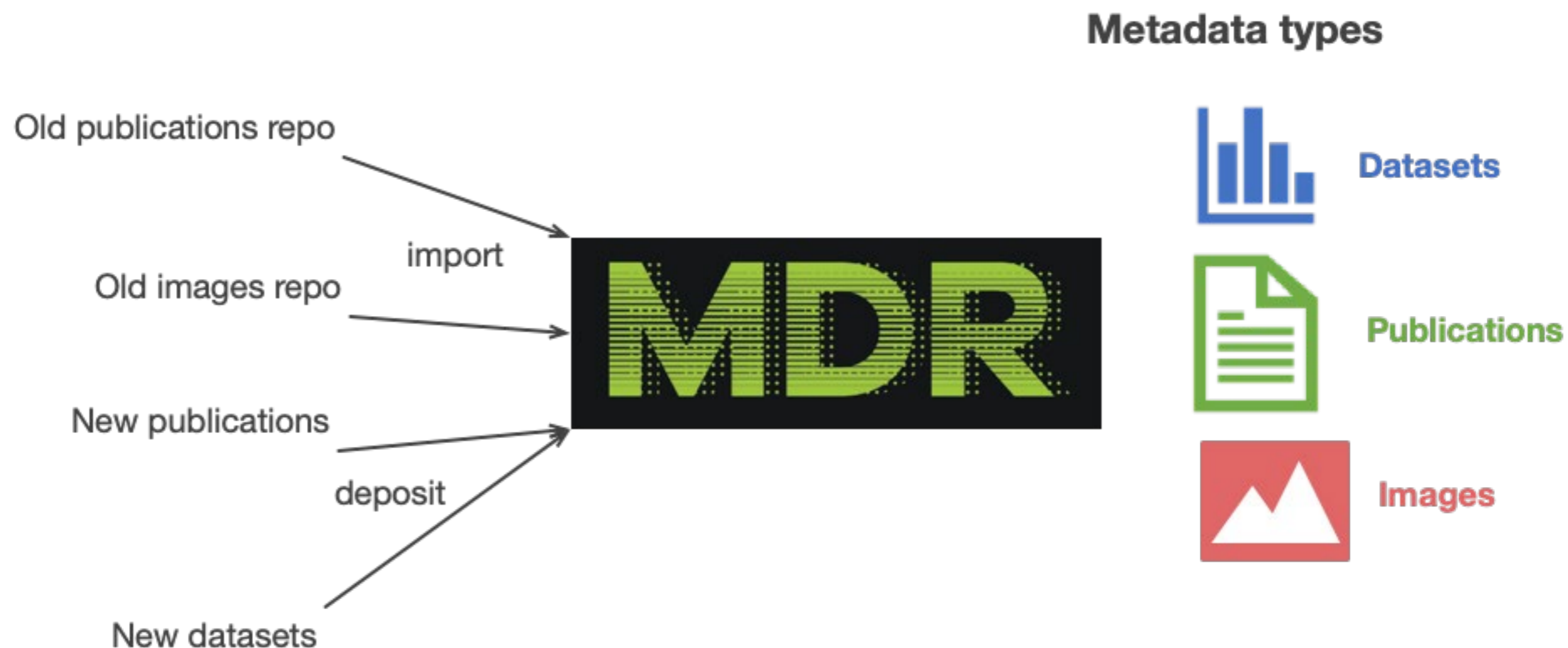
Containerised Development and Deployment



3. A focus on metadata

Asahiko Matsuda

Datasets, publications, & images coexisting in MDR

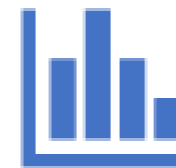


Metadata for...



Publications

- Title
- Authors
- Publication
- Issue
- Date
- ...

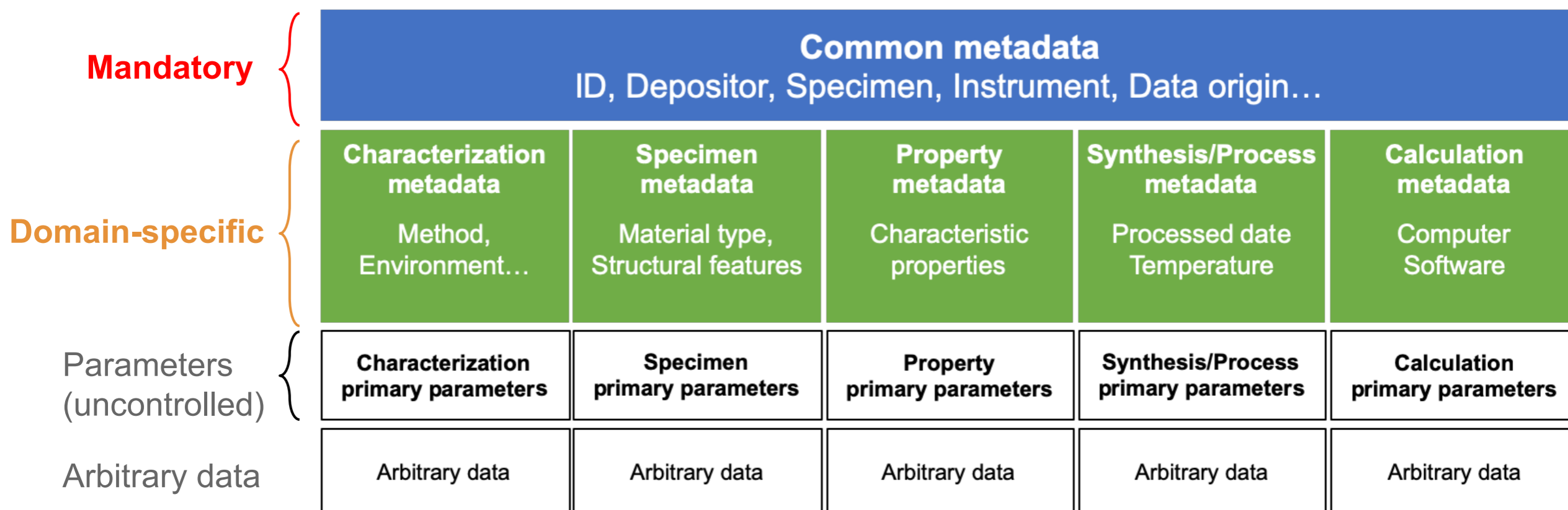


Datasets

- Method
- Specimen
- Facility
- Temperature
- Acceleration energy
- ...

Extremely domain-specific !
How can we model this ?

Tiered and nested metadata model for datasets



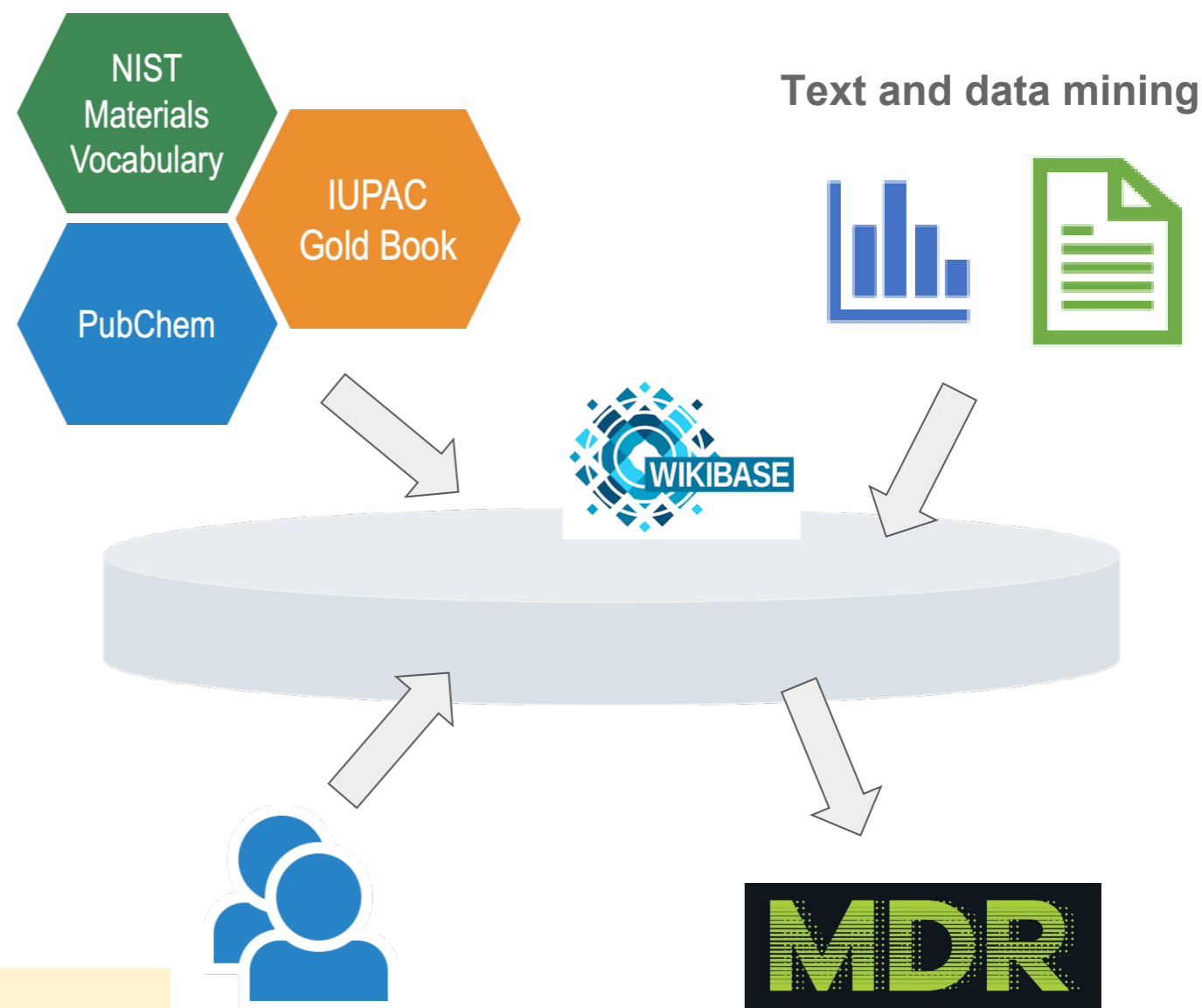
Metadata view and deposit form also reflect this model

Metadata used for faceted browsing & searching

The screenshot displays the MDR Materials Data Repository interface. At the top, the MDR logo and navigation links (Home, About, Help, Contact, Login) are visible. A search bar with the text "Search MDR" and "Enter search terms" is present, along with a "GO" button. Below the search bar, there are filters for "Limit your search" including Type of work, Keyword, Language, Publisher, Resource type, Subject, Data origin, Date accepted, Date issued, Date published, Date submitted, and Creator. The Creator filter is expanded, showing a list of names and counts: Katsuhiko Ariga (308), Junzo Tanaka (290), Hajime Ohgushi (289), Helmu Schmidt (289), and Hidetoshi Kita (289). The main content area shows search results for 1-10 of 7,858 items, sorted by relevance. The first result is titled "NIMSの材料データプラットフォーム—研究機関におけるデータのオープン化" (NIMS Materials Data Platform - Open Access of Data in Research Institutions). It includes a thumbnail image of a document cover, the creator "Mikiko TANIFUJI", and the owner "batchuser". The second result is "研究データ管理を考える (研究データ利活用協議会DMP小委員会)" (Thinking about Research Data Management (Research Data Utilization Association DMP Sub-committee)). It includes a thumbnail image of a diagram, the subject "open science, data repository, open data, data-driven materials science", the creator "Mikiko TANIFUJI", the owner "batchuser", and the language "jpn". The third result is "研究データ利活用に向けたデータマネジメントポリシー—研究機関における事例—" (Data Management Policy for Research Data Utilization - Case Studies in Research Institutions). It includes a thumbnail image of a document cover, the creator "陽子 篠田" (Yoko Nohta), the owner "batchuser", and the language "jpn". The fourth result is "マテリアルズ・インフォマティクスのためのデータ駆動型リポジトリ構築に向けて" (Towards Building Data-Driven Repositories for Materials Informatics). It includes a thumbnail image of a document cover, the description "次世代リポジトリに求められていることは？ 材料研究サイドから見た在るべき姿を考察" (What is required for the next generation repository? An examination of the ideal state from the perspective of materials research), the subject "データ駆動 マテリアルズ・インフォマティクス" (Data-driven Materials Informatics), the creator "真史 石井" (Masashi Ishii), and the owner "batchuser". The fifth result is "物質・材料研究におけるテキストデータマイニング：効率的文献データ利活用" (Text Mining in Materials Research: Efficient Literature Data Utilization).

Enriching metadata with vocabularies

- 3 sources of vocabulary terms:
 1. Controlled vocabularies
 - Community governed
 2. Machine-generated
 - Terms extracted by text/data-mining
 3. Crowd-sourced
 - User-generated terms
 - From NIMS research community
 - "Folksonomy"

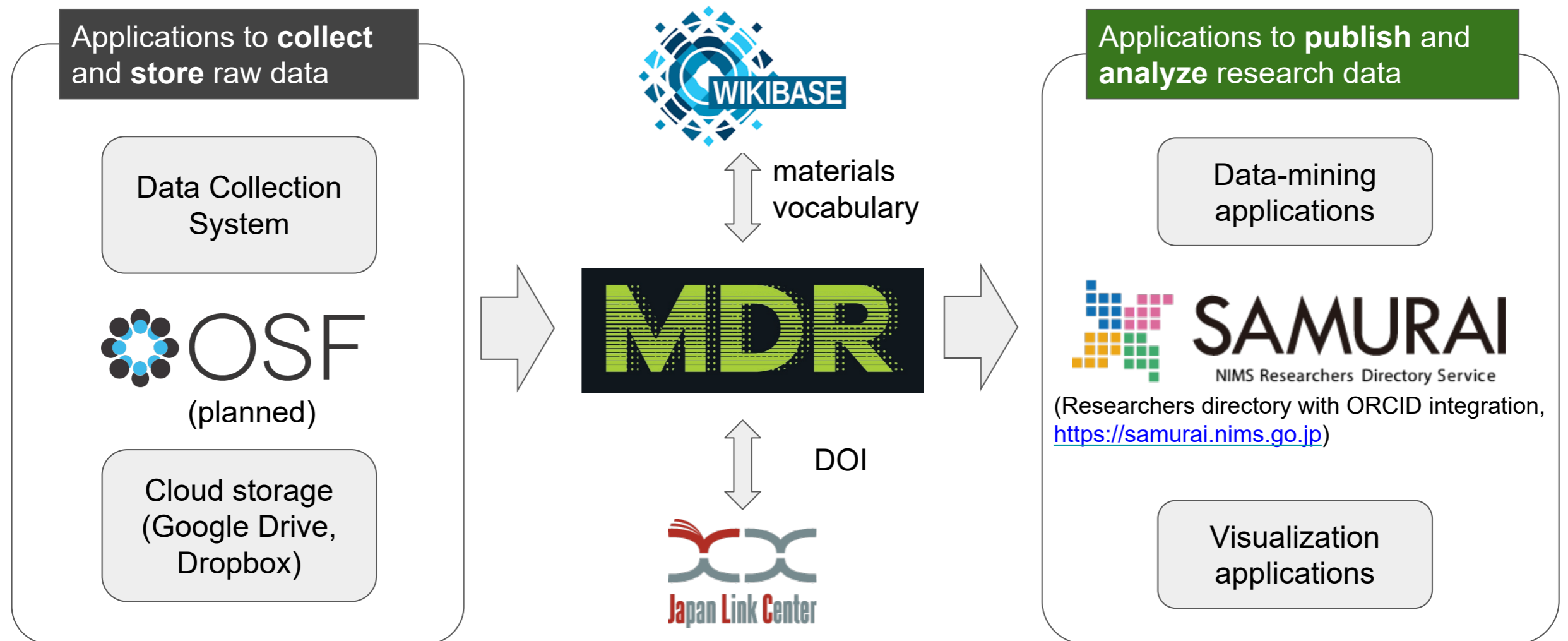


We have a separate poster focusing on this.

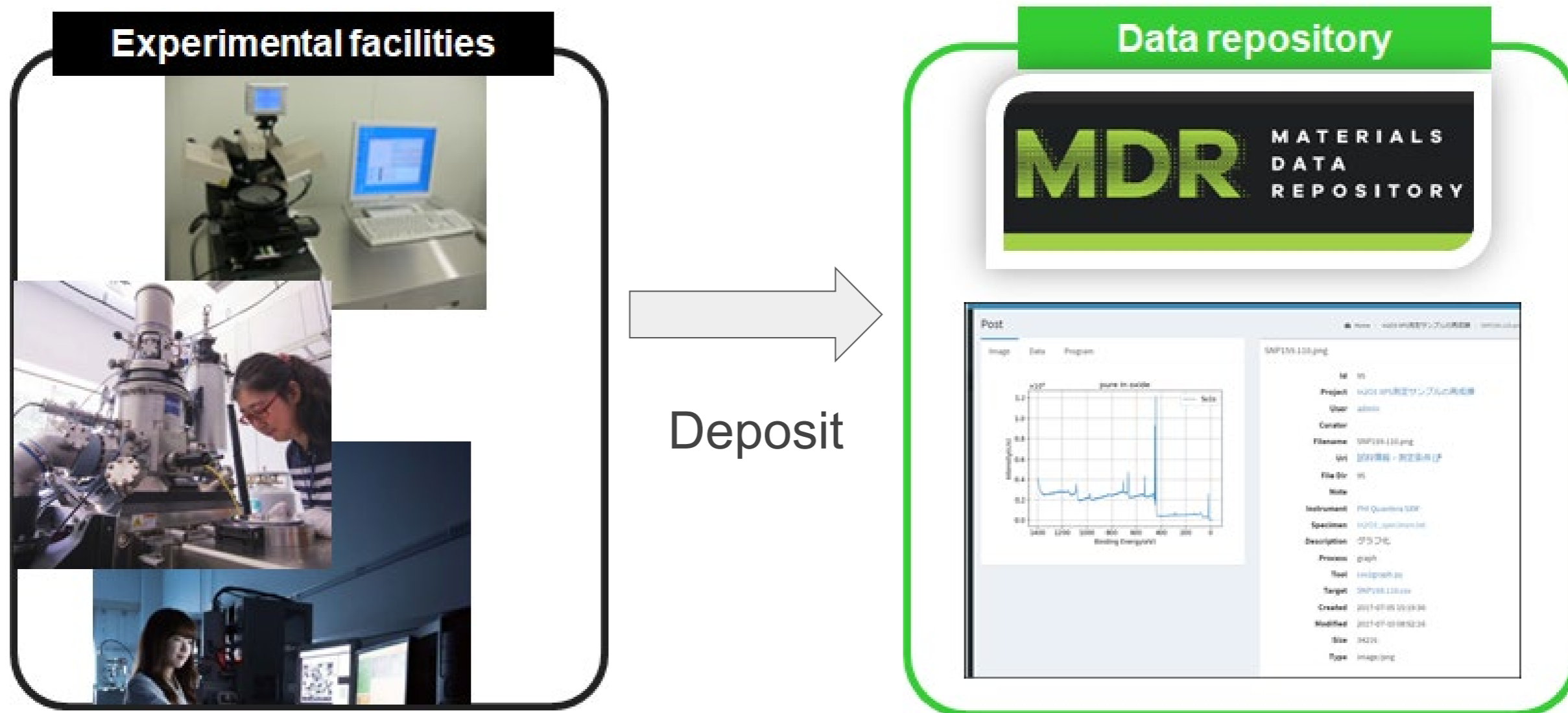
4. Integration

Kosuke Tanabe

Overview of integrations



Use case for depositing experimental data



Data Collection System (DCS)

- A system to convert raw measurement data, assign metadata, draw a graph, and hand them over to MDR
- NIMS researchers' home-grown application

The screenshot displays the Data Collection System (DCS) interface. The top navigation bar includes 'データ収集システム (DCS:beta)', 'Sitemap', 'Search', 'Labonote', 'English', 'Japanese', 'Manual', and 'nagao'. Below this, there are tabs for 'Home', 'Data View', and 'Data Curation'. The main content area is divided into two sections: 'Project List' and '登録データ概要' (Registered Data Summary).

The 'Project List' section features a '表示項目選択' (Select Display Items) area with dropdown menus for 'ユーザー名' (User Name), 'メタ情報セット名' (Meta Information Set Name), and a 'Change' button. Below this is a tree view of registered data:

- Yasufuku
 - XPS_NIMS-MI-DATA_Yasufuku(SiO2)
 - MIDATA001.118_1.pro
 - Yasufuku20181225192137
 - MIDATA001.104.spe
 - MIDATA001.118_1.pro
- a018107
 - SPEfromHARADAsan_upload_check
 - XPS_Al2O3_0002.SPE
 - XPS_Al2O3_0002.spe
 - XPS_Al2O3_0003.SPE
 - XPS_Al2O3_0003.spe
 - XPS_Al2O3_0004.SPE
 - XPS_Al2O3_0004.spe
 - XPS_Al2O3_0004a.SPE
 - XPS_PHI_QUANTERA_survey.spe
 - XPS_PHI_QUANTERA_survey2.spe

The '登録データ概要' section shows a 'Thumbnail' of an XPS spectrum. The graph plots Intensity (cps) on the y-axis (scaled by $\times 10^6$) against Binding Energy (eV) on the x-axis. The spectrum shows a prominent peak at approximately 930 eV, characteristic of Cu 2p. The title of the graph is '#3 Cu foil' and the legend indicates 'Survey'.

Below the graph, the following metadata is displayed:

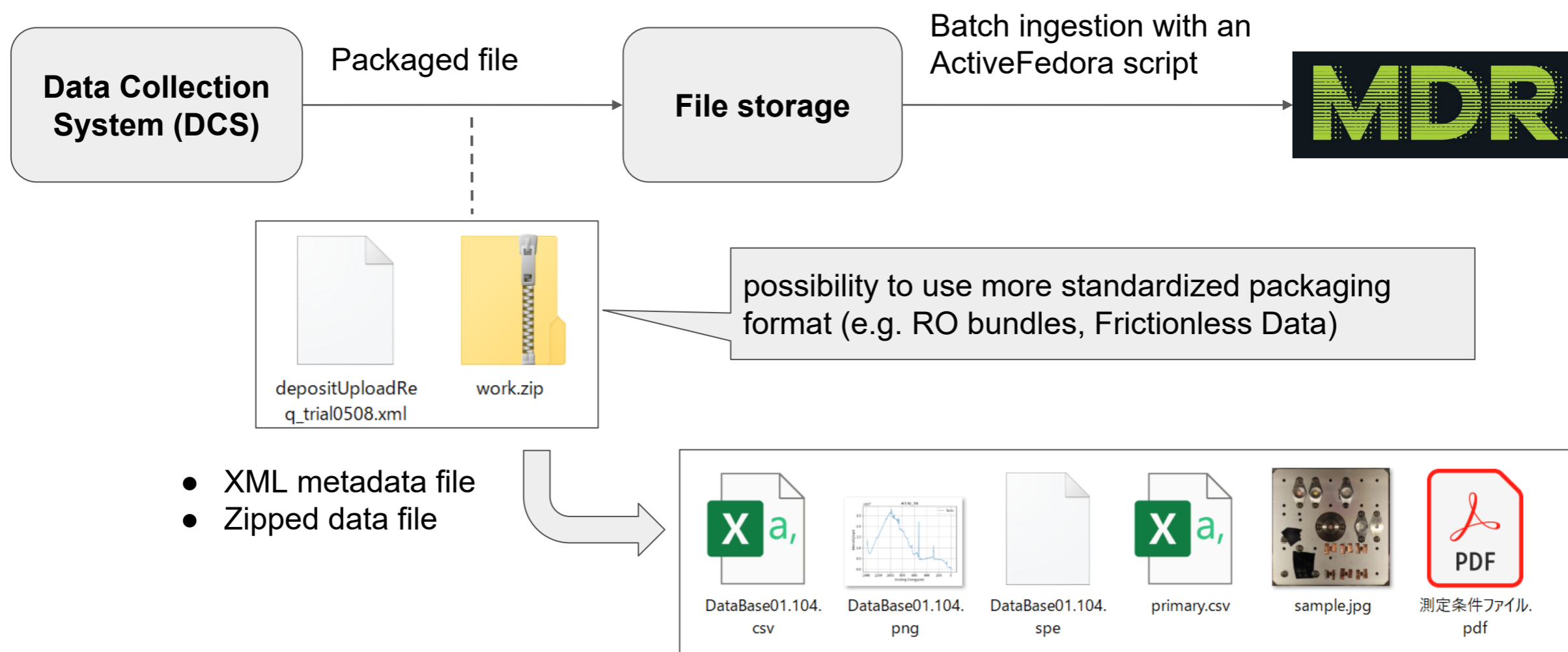
- File Name: MIDATA001.104.spe
- Description:
- Data Creator:
- Instrument Name:
- Specimen Name:

Metadata from DCS to MDR

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- <!--  
  ``post`` に紐づいた ``work_type=specimen`` の ``work`` の ``Crystallographic_Structure`` を対応させる。  
  -->  
<crystallographic-structure>https://komorido.nims.go.jp/wiki/Item:Q35</crystallographic-structure>  
<!-- polycrystal (多結晶) -->  
- <chemical-composition>  
  - <!--  
    ``post`` に紐づいた ``work_type=specimen`` の ``work`` の ``CAS_No_etc`` を対応させる。  
    -->  
  - <chemical-composition-identifier>  
    <identifier-type>CAS</identifier-type>  
    <cas-number>7440-22-4</cas-number>  
  </chemical-composition-identifier>  
  - <!--  
    ``post`` に紐づいた ``work_type=specimen`` の ``work`` の ``Chemical_composition`` を対応させる。  
    -->  
    <description>Ag</description>  
</chemical-composition>
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URL of a vocabulary term
provided by Wikibase

Dataflow between DCS and MDR



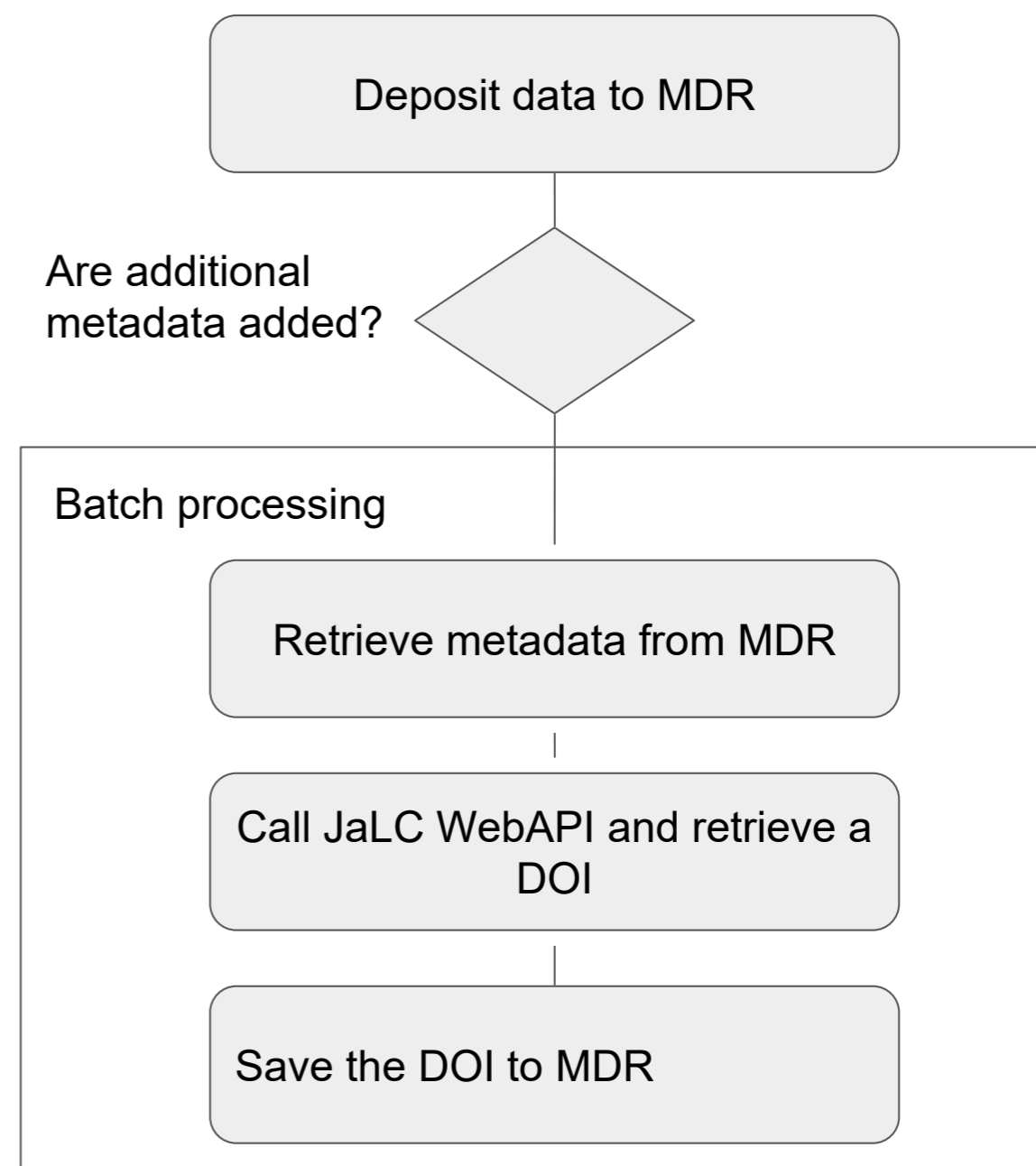
Integration with DOI Registration System

- MDR supports JaLC DOI



<https://japanlinkcenter.org/>
(DOI RA in Japan)

- Only datasets with both mandatory and domain-specific metadata will be minted DOIs
- The DOI minting is processed by a batch script invoked by MDR

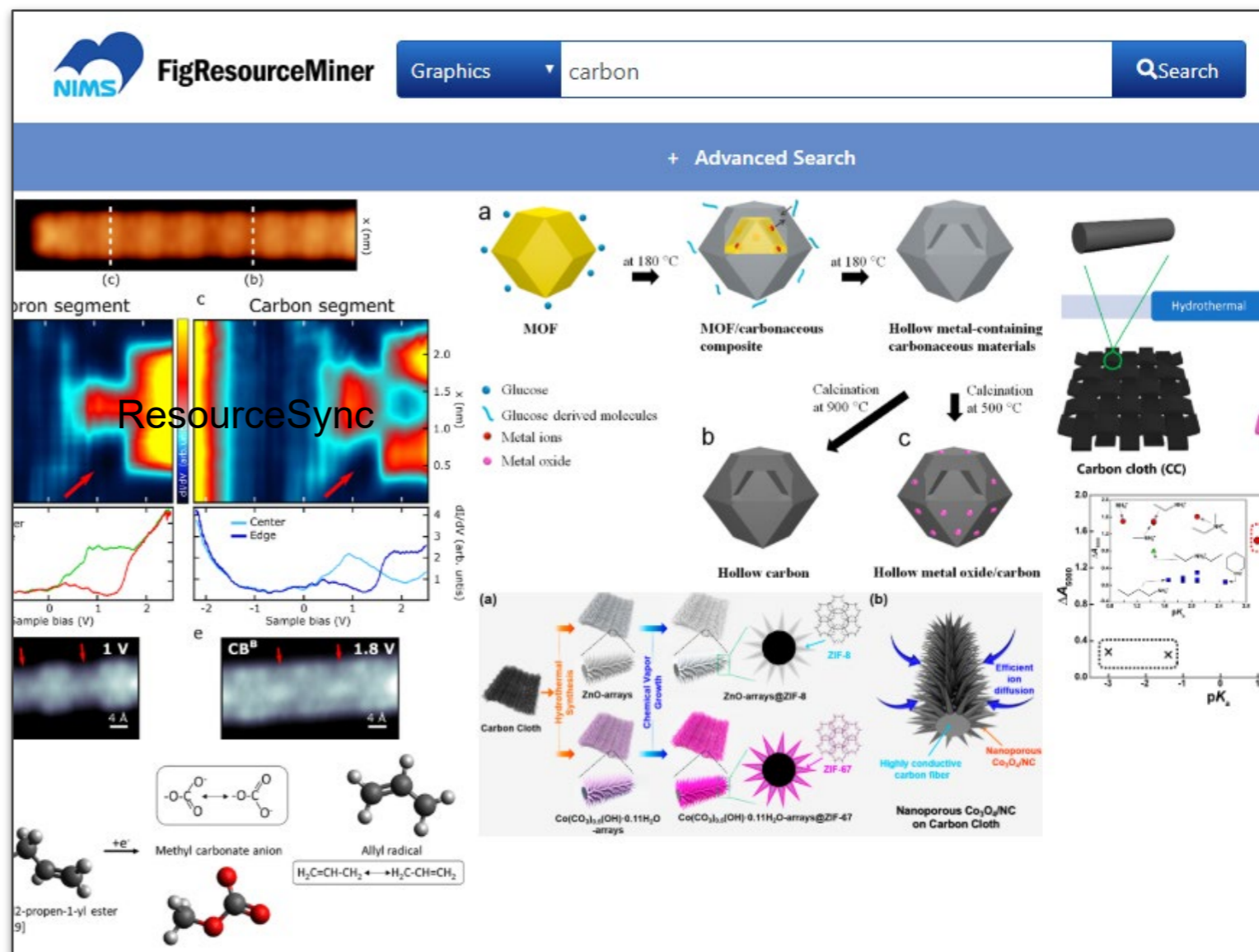


Application using data on MDR: FigResourceMiner

- Data mining service
- Extract text information from figures and images in articles and datasets
- FigResourceMiner harvests files from MDR



ResourceSync



Challenge in integration

- Depositing huge data from collaborators outside NIMS network
 - Sometimes over 4TB
 - Collaborators are expected to deposit those data to their local repository, then we can harvest metadata for search
- Don't we need actual data (not just metadata) for data mining?

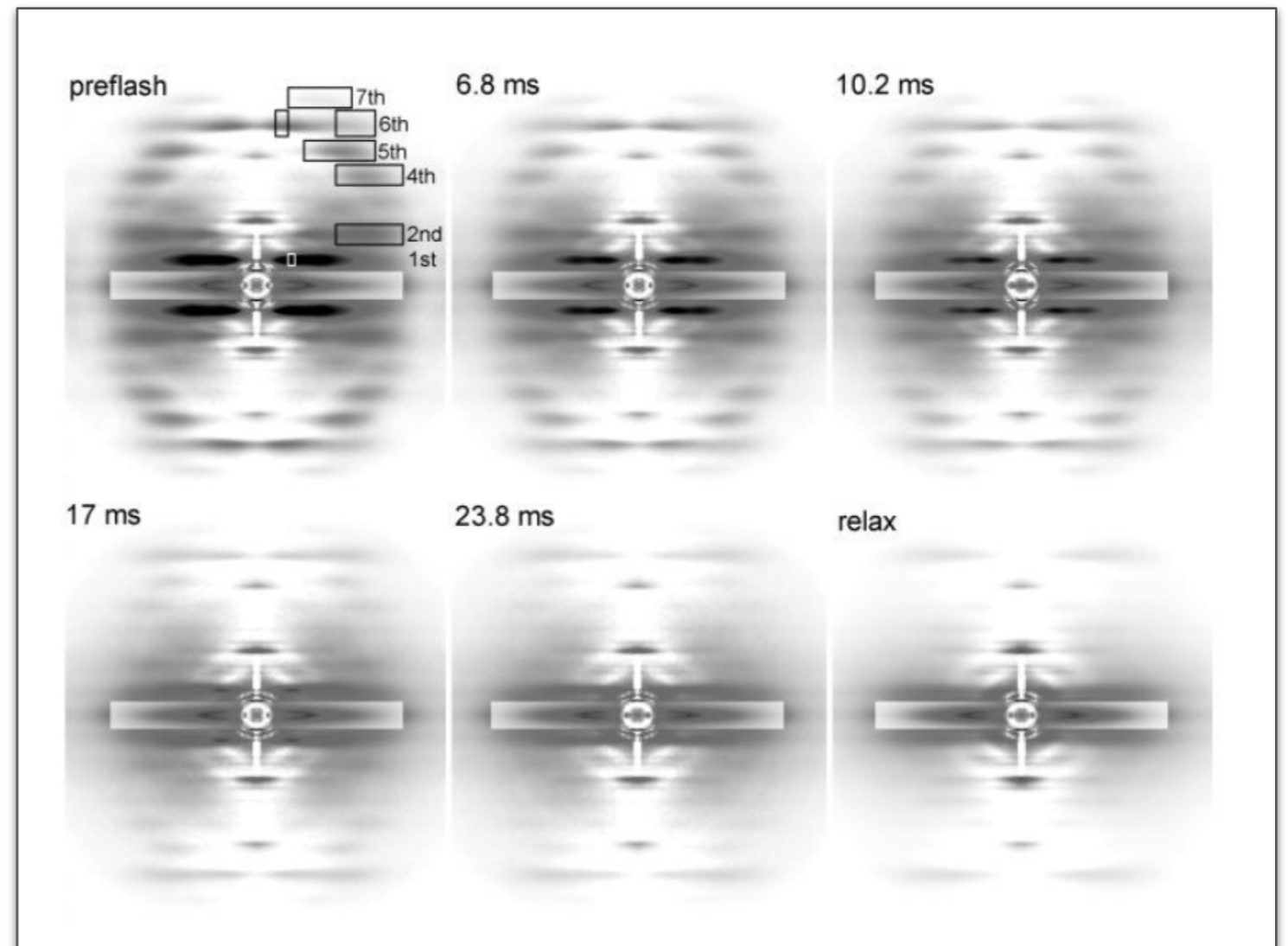


Image data files generated by the X-ray beamline in SPring-8, located outside NIMS

<http://www.spring8.or.jp/wkg/BL40XU/solution/lang/SOL-0000001622>

5. Supporting discovery

Paul Walk

COAR and *Next Generation Repositories*

- Defined "behaviours":
 - Exposing Identifiers
 - Declaring Licenses at the Resource Level
 - **Discovery Through Navigation**
 - Interacting with Resources (Annotation, Commentary, and Review)
 - Resource Transfer
 - **Batch Discovery**
 - Collecting and Exposing Activities
 - Identification of Users
 - Authentication of Users
 - Exposing Standardized Usage Metrics
 - Preserving Resources



Discovery Through Navigation (for humans)

- Faceted browsing and searching
- Using vocabulary terms derived from:
 - Controlled vocabularies
 - Terms extracted algorithmically
 - Crowd-sourced keywords

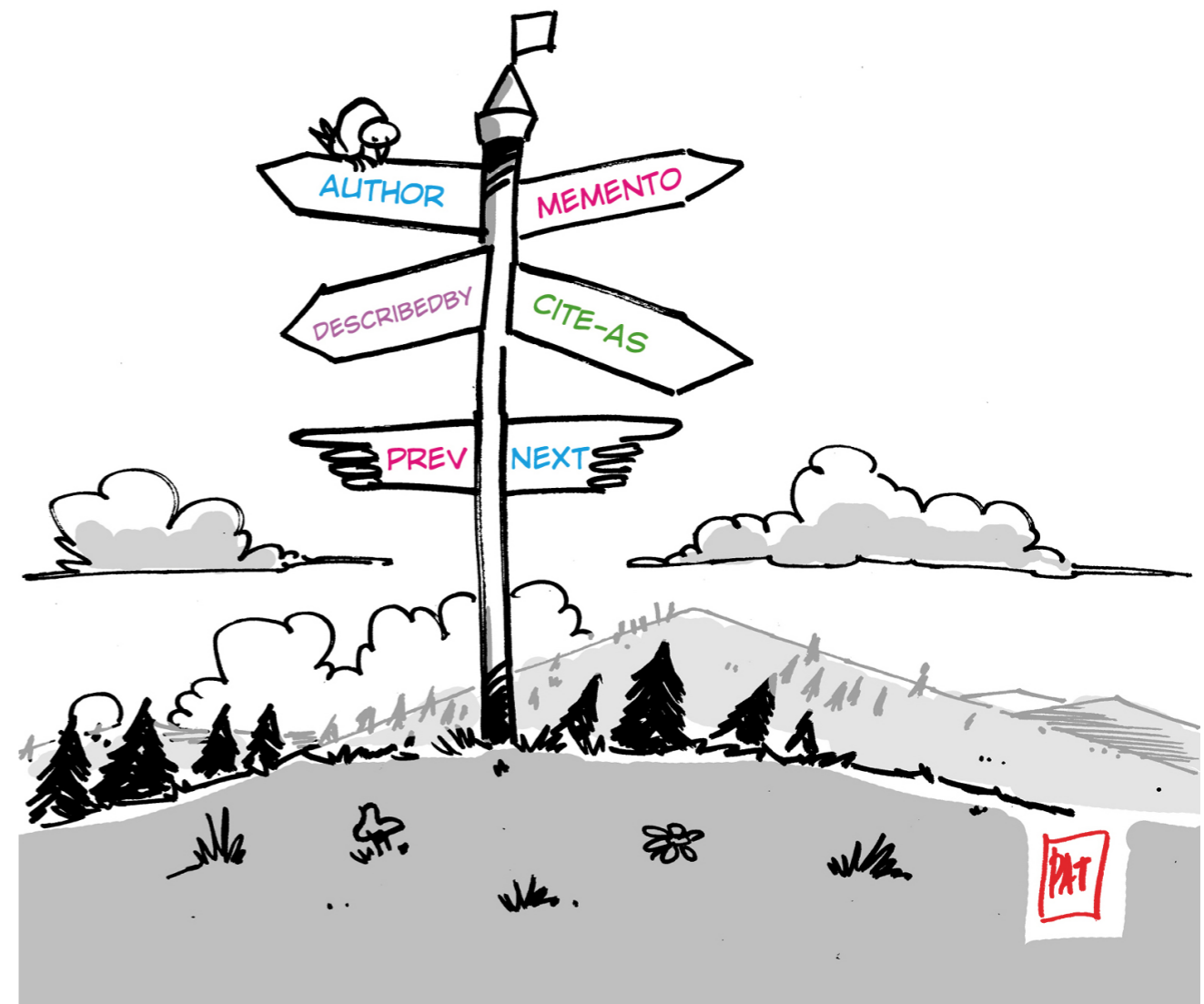
The screenshot shows a web browser displaying the NIMS Data Repository (prototype) interface. The page title is "Refractive index obtained from thin films of Au-Ag alloys". The main content area includes a title, a description, and a "Relationships" section. A red arrow points from the "Controlled vocabularies" bullet point in the list to the "Descriptions" section, specifically to the "Creator" field. The "Descriptions" section is a table with the following data:

Attribute Name	Values
Creator	Caro, Magdalena Peñalado, José Manuel Peña-Rodríguez, Ovidio Olivares, José Caro, Alfredo Rivera, Antonio
Publisher	Optical Materials Express
Rights statement	Copyright Not Evaluated
Data origin	experiments/実験
Material types	metals and alloys/金属・合金
Analysis field	optical property/光学特性
Properties addressed	optical/工学的性質 -- index of refraction/屈折率
License	Creative Commons Public Domain Mark 1.0

Discovery Through Navigation (for machines)

- *Signposting* has defined patterns relating to bibliographic resources:
 - Author
 - Bibliographic Metadata
 - Identifier
 - Publication Boundary
 - Resource Type
- It does define a "dataset" resource type..... but...
- How do we navigate heterogeneous & complex datasets (multiple files)?

"Signposting the Scholarly Web"



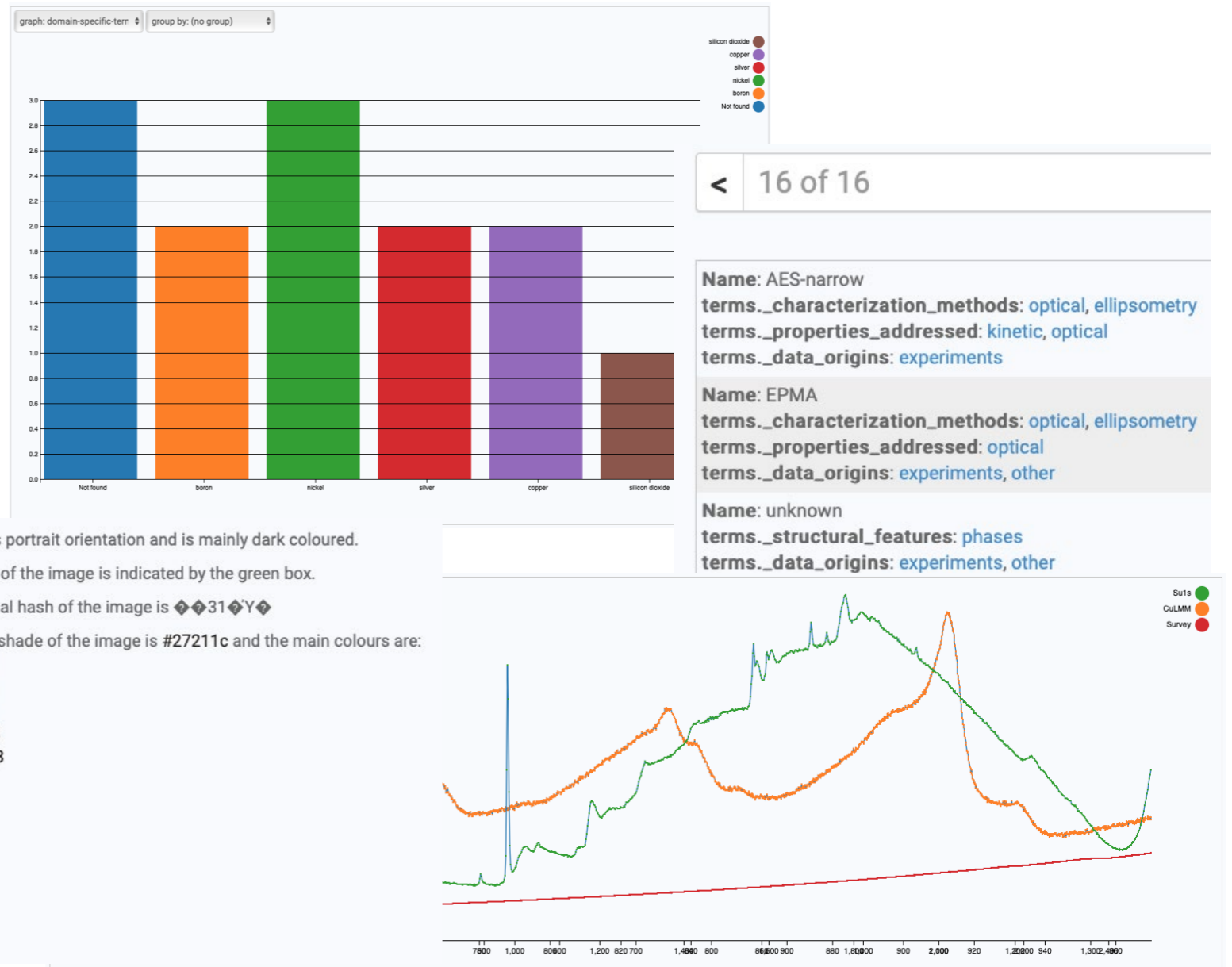
Batch Discovery (1)

- Aggregation is still an important tactic in the "knowledge commons"
 - mitigates network latency and facilitates processing at scale
- Many conceivable services built on research data will require the data to be harvested and aggregated
- OAI-PMH does not support the harvesting of content
- ResourceSync is an important technology for this
- Implemented in the MDR, about to be tested in collaboration with the Open University Core service



Batch Discovery (2)

- Once the data is enabled for batch discovery, many new interfaces, tools etc are possible....



Conclusions

- By September 2019, we will have launched the Materials Data Repository, which:
 - Is a platform to collect and showcase the work of NIMS's researchers
 - Shows some of COAR's Next Generation Repository behaviours
 - Is integrated with a number of other NIMS systems
 - Is playing its part as a significant 'node' in the global knowledge commons
 - **By April, 2020 April, MDR is scheduled to be opened to public**
 - a publicly accessible platform for R&D of materials

ありがとうございました

Arigatō

Danke schön!

Thank you!