

# Data Citation: Prioritizing Adoption

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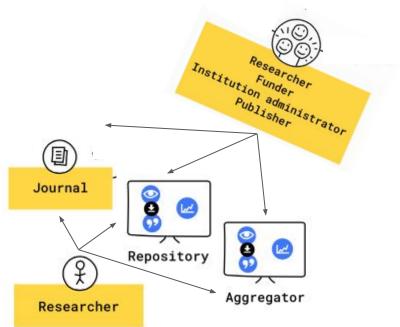
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# We value data, so how do we incentivize & evaluate data?









### Today in data citations

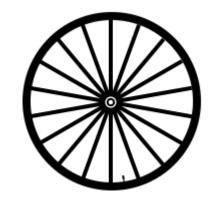
### Sources Data Citations

Source	Connections	
DataCite to Crossref	5,646,993	
DataCite Related Identifiers	367,347	
Crossref to DataCite	7,629	
Crossref Related Identifiers	123	
Crossref to DataCite*	101	

Numbers from Event Data Service 20 April 2021

Why aren't we "there yet" for data citation?







Wait until it's perfect for all use cases

Inconsistent approaches

Not enough publishers supporting data citations



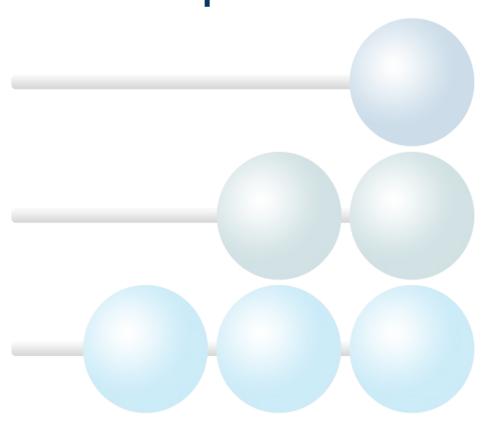
### Perceived barriers to adoption

Data & data citation are complex

Lack of consistency in guidance

Tension between resources & prioritization to support

Non-DOIs and text mining

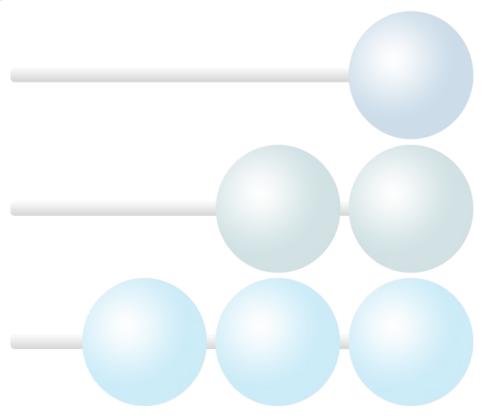


### **Moving forward**

Complex is not a barrier - it means we will iterate

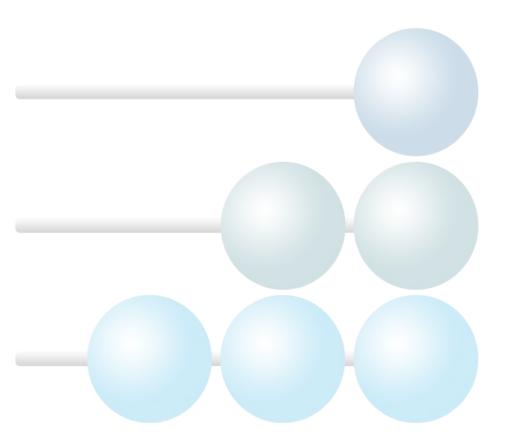
Guidance can be consolidated and simplified

Prioritize data citation over data availability statements

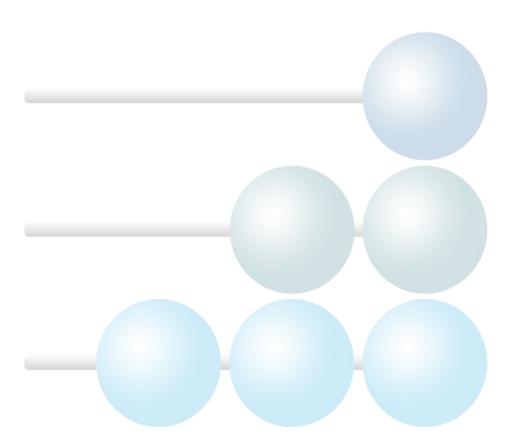


## Prioritizing adoption over perfection

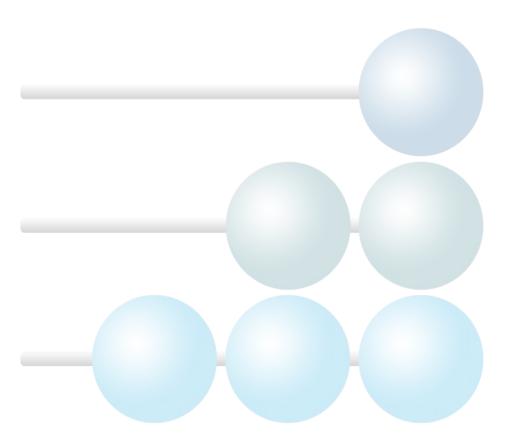
Start with the basics, iterate on complexities



### Quit reinventing the wheel, build on successes



Engage now, it's more productive than waiting



### Perfect is the enemy of good

The basics of data

citation are ready -

now

engage and prioritize

Work through complexities & evolve with the space

Adoption is essential if we want to get to a state of data incentive systems



### Data Citation: Let's Choose Adoption Over Perfection

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