



Metadata in the Research Workflow: Tools for Enrichment and Validation of Structured Metadata

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METADOR

solves the following problem:

Help enriching research data from an unstructured environment With structured, domain-specific metadata to make it more FAIR

Key features:

- ORCID-based authentication
- Resumable uploads of large files
- Forms generated from JSON Schemas
- Combines data and relevant metadata
- Easy deployment and integration

Dataset/ 🗘 🤣 🛅 🥜 Size along y axis.

Outlook:

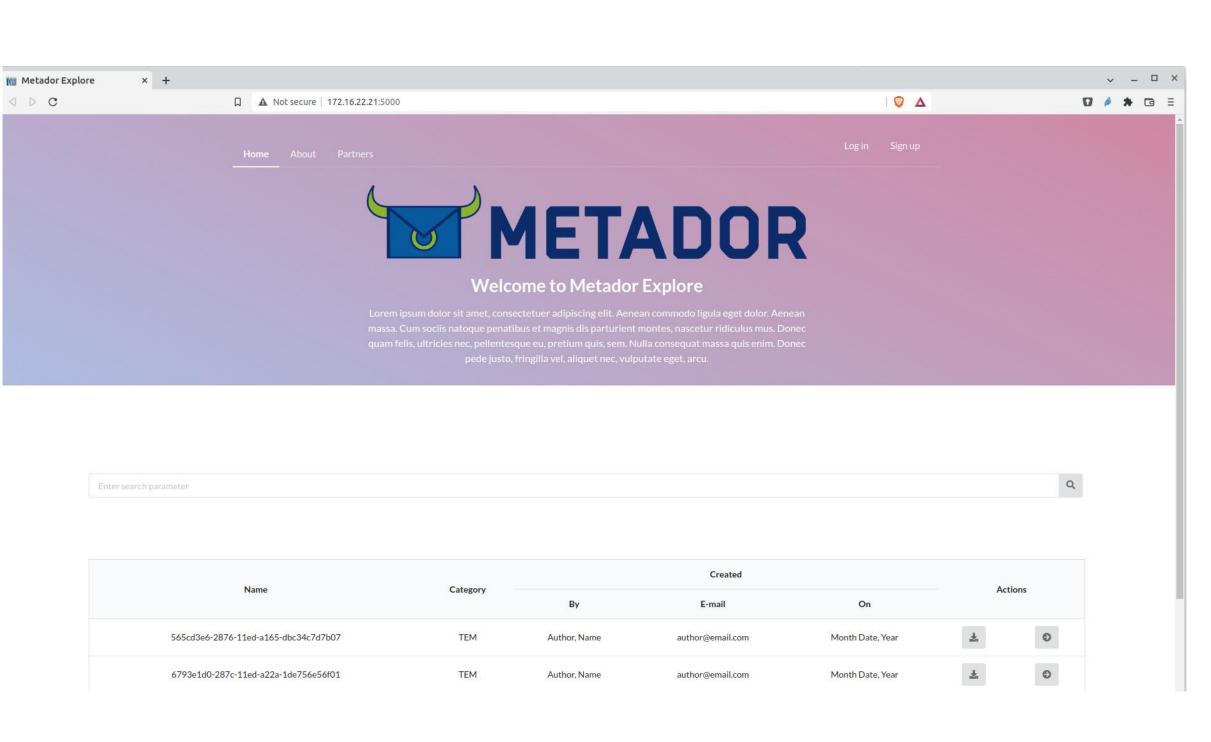
Currently, we work on extending Metador into a modular, extensible and generic metadata-focused platform for "medium-hot" research data, fostering:

Interoperability (structural + semantic):

- JSON Schema, JSON-LD
- ROCrate support built-in
- Custom ontologies can be used
- Planned integrations with InvenioRDM + JupyterHub

Data (Re-)Use:

- Granular metadata queries to quickly find relevant datasets
- Automatic visual dashboards for quick overview and insights





DIRSCHEMA

https://github.com/Materials-Data-Science-and-Informatics/dirschema

Interested? Get in touch!

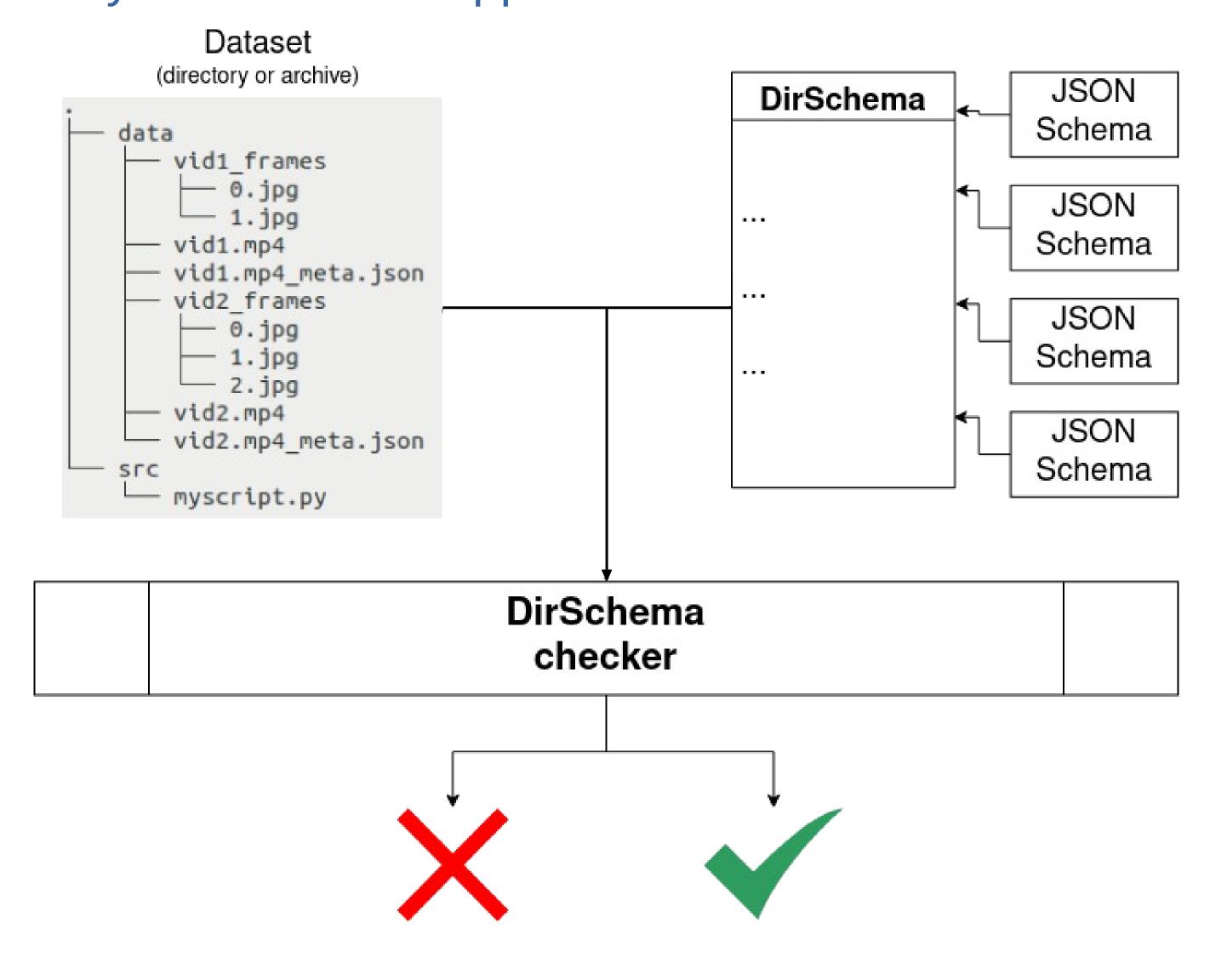
solves the following problem:

Formalize and enforce conventions to be used and metadata to be provided for files in a dataset (e.g. for publishing on Zenodo or in preparation for data processing)



Key features:

- YAML-based specification with JSON Schema based keywords
- Allows to require presence or absence requirements for files and directories
- Allows to require the existence of a "companion" metadata JSON file that must be valid according to an external or embedded JSON Schema
- Versatile can be used on plain directory structures as well as e.g. HDF5 files, Can be easily extended to support other hierarchical archive formats



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