DREAM Principles and FAIR Metrics from the PORTAL-DOORS Project for the Semantic Web

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DOORS to the Semantic Web and Grid With a PORTAL for Biomedical Computing

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Abstract—The semantic web remains in the early stages of development. It has not yet achieved the goals envisioned by is founders as a pervavie web of distributed knowledge and intelligence. Success will be attained when a dynamic synergism can be created between people and a sufficient number of infrastructure systems and tooks for the semantic web in analogy with those for the original veb. The domain name system (DNS), web browsers, and the benefits of publishing web pages motivated many people to regheritis for a publishing web pages motivated many people to regand the benefits of collaborative semantic nearch applications, and Labels (PORTL) are proposed as infrastructure systems for Labels (PORTL) are proposed as infrastructure systems for the semantic section the semantic nearch application section semantic section section section section section and the section of the semantic web restored as infrastructure systems for the section sec registries are proposed with scientific problem-oriented designs that avoid the engineering-technology-oriented restrictions of existing registries.

Sections II-IV review the background and motivation for DOORS, PORTAL, and BioPORT. Section II explains key concepts of the current semantic web and grid, and summarizes how they are driving the transformation of software architecture from designs based on closed-world computing to those based on open-world computing. Section III reviews the literature and current state-of-the-art in the life sciences web and grid, and summarizes the opinions of leading commentators in the bioinformatics community on existing barriers that impede development. Section IV defines the meaning and score of biomedical

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Essence of the PORTAL-DOORS Project

- PORTAL-DOORS for the semantic web modeled on the success of IRIS-DNS for the original lexical web
- PORTAL-DOORS designed to address diverse problems: information tsunami (find the needle in the haystack), informatics tower of babel (harmonization for interoperability), cybersilos in scientific discourse, search engine consolidation with monopolies, lexical to semantic transition barriers, fake news in social media and fraud in science
- PORTAL-DOORS operates as a distributed diristry, registry, directory network system of metadata and data repositories
- Semantic search tools and applications to support
 - Translational medical research for drug development, precision medicine, pharmacogenomic molecular imaging, and complex information systems to study gene-brain-behavior relationships
 - Automated meta-analyses of published literature for synthesis of confirmatory and/or contradictory results from clinical trials

Semantic Informatics System

- A lexical ("dumb") system is an informatics system in which words are processed as character strings that have no meaning to the processing agent
- A semantic ("smart") system is one in which words have defined meaning to the agent processing them with logic-based reasoners
- Semantic search may be efficient, while lexical search inefficient, for the given search task:
 - How many hits returned in response to the search query?
 - Are there too many hits for a person to review?
 - Or if just a few hits, are they relevant?
 - Do the returned hits answer the search question directly or indirectly?

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PORTAL-DOORS vs IRIS-DNS

- Problem Oriented Registry of Tags And Labels (PORTAL) is an analogue of IRIS for naming and registering domains
- Domain Ontology Oriented Resource System (DOORS) is an analogue of DNS for addressing and locating domains
- Using an analogous paradigm with labeled resources instead of named domains, PORTAL-DOORS designed to do for the semantic web what IRIS-DNS does for the lexical web
- PORTAL-DOORS built as a who-what-where diristry, registry, directory network system for identifying, describing, locating and linking things on the internet, web and grid

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Schema Design for PORTAL-DOORS



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DREAM Principles and FAIR Metrics

- In response to the paraphrasing without citing by Wilkinson et al of the Taswell papers from the PORTAL-DOORS Project, we have created a new name with summarizing phrase for the PDP software design principles and new quantitative analytic methods to evaluate papers for the presence of plagiarism
- DREAM principles with acronym DREAM for *Discoverable Data with Reproducible Results for Equivalent Entities with Accessible Attributes and Manageable Metadata*
- FAIR metrics with acronym FAIR for *Fair Acknowledgment of Information Records and Fair Attribution to Indexed Reports*

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Use of Acronym 'FAIR' and Words 'Fair' and 'Metrics'

- FAIR principles of Wilkinson et al with acronym 'FAIR' for the principles called Findable, Accessible, Interoperable, Reproducible are a subset of the PDP and NPDS principles from the PORTAL-DOORS Project paraphrased by Wilkinson et al without citing Taswell
- FAIR metrics of Wilkinson et al are used with the word 'metrics' in a manner that is not consistent with its usage in most fields of science
- FAIR metrics of Craig et al are used with acronym 'FAIR' for *Fair* Acknowledgment of Information Records and Fair Attribution to Indexed Reports and the word 'metrics' in a manner consistent with both the meaning of the word 'fair' because it is a recursive acronym, and usage of the word 'metrics' with its meaning as a quantitative numerical value for the measure of something

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Concepts for Our FAIR Metrics

- Simple 2x2 table analysis of statements
- Claim can be old or new
- Claim can be valid or invalid
- Results in 4 kinds of claims: Quoted, Misquoted, Novel, Plagiarized

Claim	Valid	Invalid
Old	Quoted	Misquoted
New	Novel	Plagiarized

- An *invalid new claim* may exist in the presence of a failure to search the literature, paraphrasing without citing, plagiarism of ideas, or verbatim plagiarism of words and images
- Is failure to search or failure to cite acceptable in the current era of computerized search of internet-accessible, web-enabled databases?

Notation for Our FAIR Metrics

Symbol	Definition	
С	set C of statements in a Control paper	
G(A)	function G operates on set A	
G(A B)	function G operates on set A given set B)	
M(T C)	number <i>M</i> of Misquoted (incorrectly cited) statements	
N(T C)	number N of Novel (uncited) statements	
K(C)	number K of Known statements	
P(T C)	number <i>P</i> of Plagiarized (uncited) statements	
Q(T C)	number Q of Quoted (correctly cited) statements	
R(T C)	number <i>R</i> of Reported statements	
S(T C)	number S of Similar statements	
Т	set T of statements in a Test paper	

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Formulas for Our FAIR Metrics



Formulas for FAIR metrics with condition $0 < S(T|C) \le K(C) \le R(T|C)$

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Paraphrasing without Citing

- Wilkinson et al 2016 Nature Scientific Data "FAIR guiding principles for scientific data management and stewardship"
- Compared with Taswell 2008 IEEE TITB and Taswell 2010 Future Internet papers on the PORTAL-DOORS Project
- Item-by-item comparison and analysis did not find any novel idea or concept in Wilkinson et al "FAIR principles" that can be described as fundamentally new and/or different from the content, principles, analysis, and discussion of the PORTAL-DOORS Project by Taswell
- All scores tallied by multiple different analysts as human experts with the Craig et al FAIR metrics on the Wilkinson et al FAIR principles paper resulted in low values suspicious for plagiarism

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Current AI-Based Method for Plagiarism Detection

- Using NLP, extraction of RDF triples corresponding to most relevant statements from both the Test T paper and the Control C comparison collection of papers
- Using ML, classification of RDF triples from T in comparison with C for the 4 categories of statements as either Quoted Q, Misquoted M, Novel N, or Plagiarized P
- Automated tally of counts Q, M, N, and P corresponding to the statement counts for Test in comparison with Control
- Automated calculation of FAIR metrics F_1 , F_2 , F_3 , and F_4
- Current work in progress to automate this entire AI-based process for estimating values of the FAIR metrics intended for use with the promotion of fair citation and the detection/prevention of plagiarism

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Future AI-Based Approaches for Plagiarism Detection

- Compare performance of the automated AI-based approach with a human-expert-based approach for the analysis of the FAIR metrics
- Enhance the FAIR metric formulas with weighting factors derived from problem-oriented collections of literature for each community of authors publishing in a particular field of scholarly research
- Account for commonality of author citations in reference lists of published articles
- Account for commonality of author attendance at conferences inferred from lists of authors in published conference proceedings
- Validate both unweighted and weighted FAIR metrics on collections of articles known to be either plagiarizing or non-plagiarizing

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Conclusion

- Our PDP and NPDS principles originally published as the foundation for the PORTAL-DOORS Project have been renamed the DREAM principles by us in response to the Wilkinson et al co-authors who unfairly renamed them the FAIR principles.
- Our FAIR metrics, supported by NLP and AI, have been designed to monitor adherence to fair standards of citation in scholarly research and publishing, and to detect and help prevent plagiarism.
- Social engineering, with appropriate incentives and disincentives, remains as important as software engineering for a solution to the continuing problem of plagiarism.
- Consistent non-contradictory use of acronyms with the meanings of the words implied by the acronyms will help address some of the social engineering aspects of the plagiarism problem.

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