



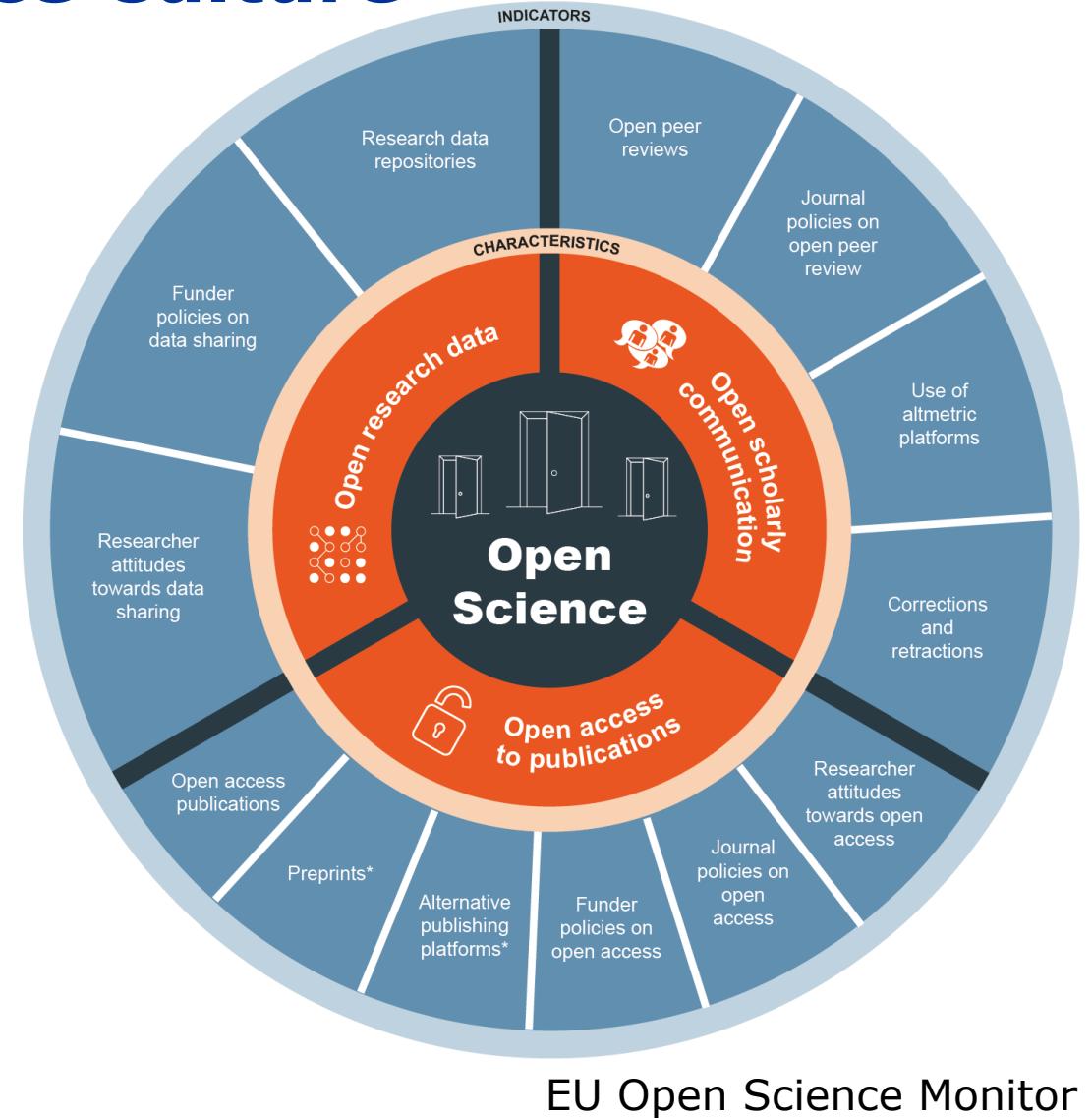
# Open Science and Open Data

Matthias Egger, President of the National Research Council  
5th National Gathering of the Swiss Medical Librarians  
Bern, 31 August 2017

# Open Science and Science Culture

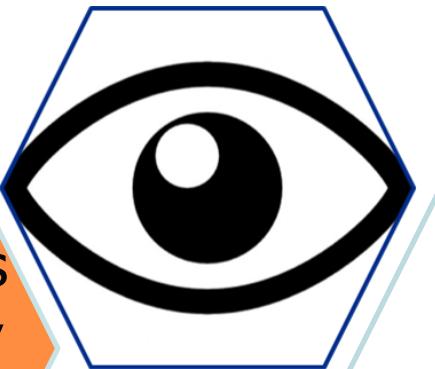
«**Open science** is about **the way researchers work, collaborate, interact, share** resources and disseminate results. A systemic change towards open science is driven by new technologies and data, the increasing demand in society to address the societal challenges of our times and the readiness of citizens to participate in research. »

Amsterdam Call for Action, p. 4.



# Greater Impact with Open Science

Public access  
for publically  
funded  
research



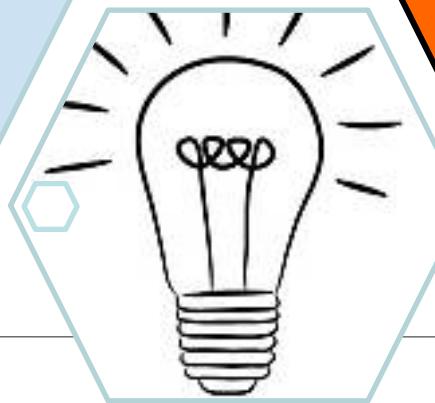
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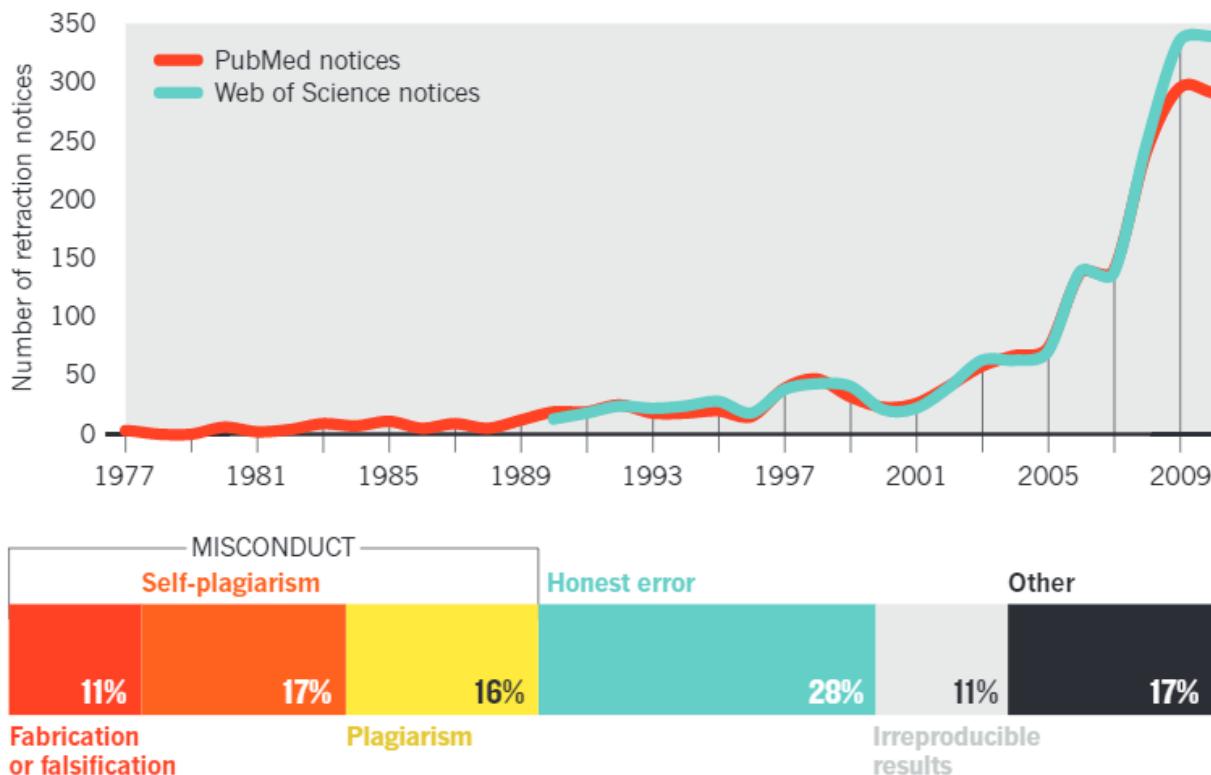
Access in  
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Increased  
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# Open Science and Reproducibility

## RISE OF THE RETRACTIONS

In the past decade, the number of retraction notices has shot up 10-fold (**top**), even as the literature has expanded by only 44%. It is likely that only about half of all retractions are for researcher misconduct (**middle**). Higher-impact journals have logged more retraction notices over the past decade, but much of the increase during 2006–10 came from lower-impact journals (**bottom**).



# Open Science as a Research Accelerator

commentary

## Open science is a research accelerator

Michael Woelfle, Piero Olliari and Matthew H. Todd\*

An open-source approach to the problem of producing an off-patent drug in enantiopure form serves as an example of how academic and industrial researchers can join forces to make new scientific discoveries that could have a huge impact on human health.

When we are faced with a challenging scientific problem we cannot solve, what do we do? Many of us would go to see our colleagues and ask for their advice. Our professional network is valuable. It is also limited. Perhaps there are people who are well-placed to help us, in another university or company, in a different country, but we unfortunately do not know them. Surely science would proceed faster if we could reach those people? Or, better, if they could find us? This Commentary describes a case study

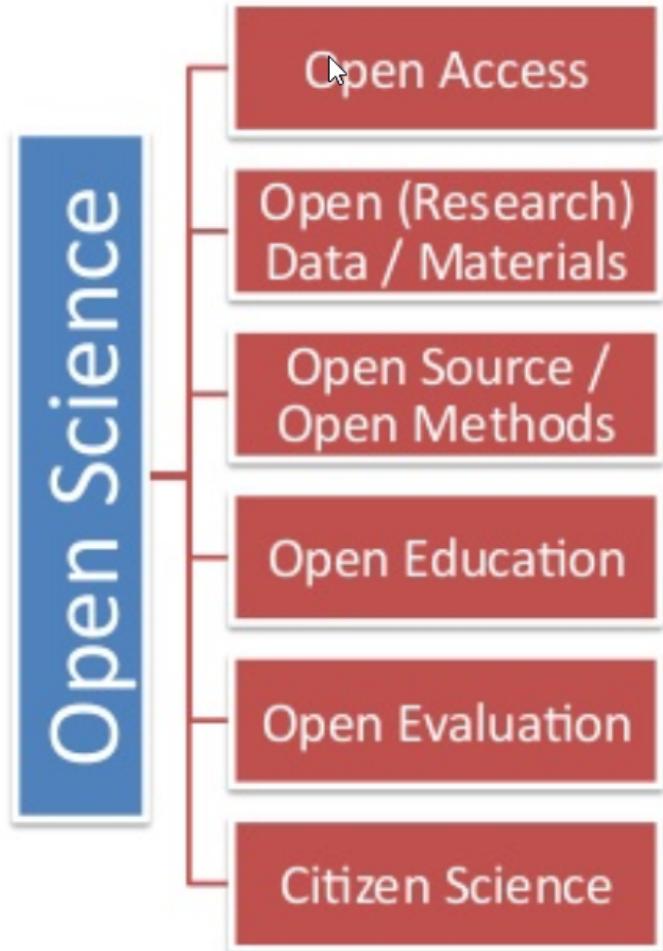


Schistosomiasis Control Initiative<sup>4</sup>. As it is off-patent, this demand has driven down the price of the active pharmaceutical ingredient to approximately 10 US cents per gram and that of a 600 mg tablet to 8–14 US cents. The compound is made as a racemate, even though the inactive enantiomer has side effects and is responsible for a bitter taste<sup>5</sup>. A pill consisting of just the active enantiomer would not be bitter (hence more likely to be taken, especially by children), would be smaller (easier to ship and swallow) and generate fewer side effects. The World Health

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Nature Chemistry 3, 745–748 (2011) doi:10.1038/nchem.1149

# Open Science in an Open Society?



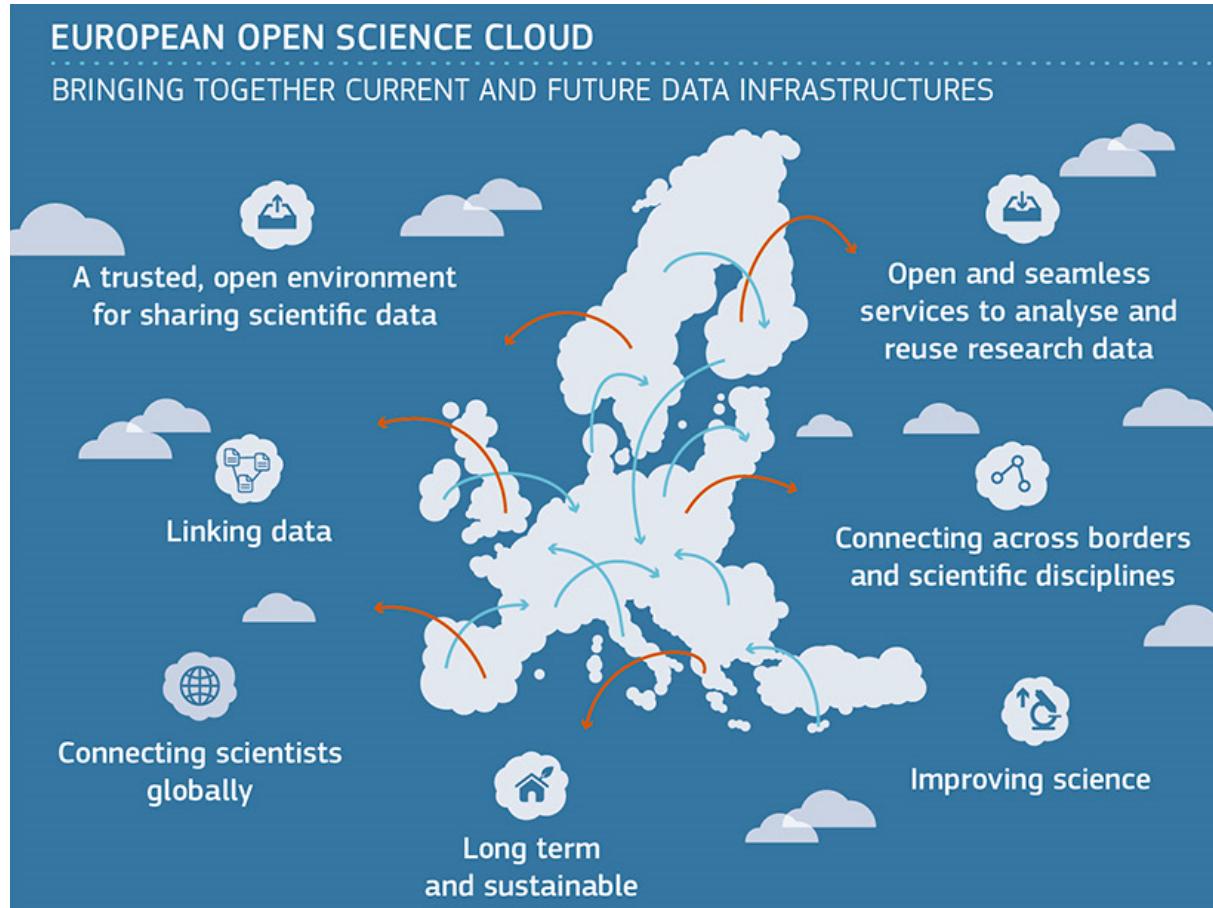
Citizen science is a partnership between professional researchers and volunteers in which the volunteers implement tasks which have traditionally been implemented by scientists" (GAIA 26/1(2017): 22–26)



# Recommendations by LERU (citizen science for funding organisations)

- Recognise and encourage a **wide range of success criteria** when supporting projects including but not limiting to traditional measures of scientific quality
- When evaluating citizen science projects , ensure **adequate funding for community management , platform development and other non-research functions characteristics**
- Promote the use of open science practices by requiring **open access to publication, open data standards, and the use of open source software**
- Set clear **legal and ethical criteria** for data privacy according to existing laws, such as the control of personal data

# Building the European Open Science Cloud 2020



# Open Science Prize

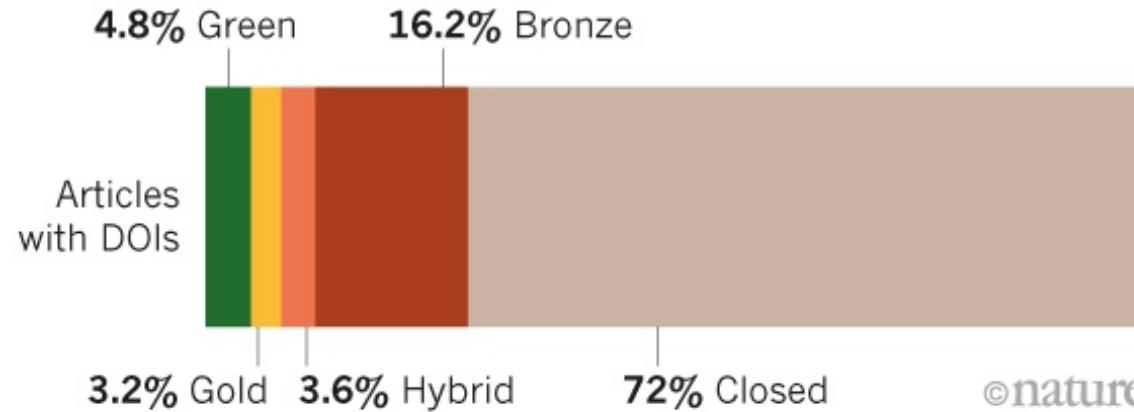


Real-Time Evolutionary Tracking for Pathogen  
Surveillance and Epidemiological Investigation

- **Nextstrain.org**
- Uses publicly available viral genomic data to create online visual platform showing real-time molecular epidemiology and evolutionary analysis of emerging epidemics

# The State of Open Access

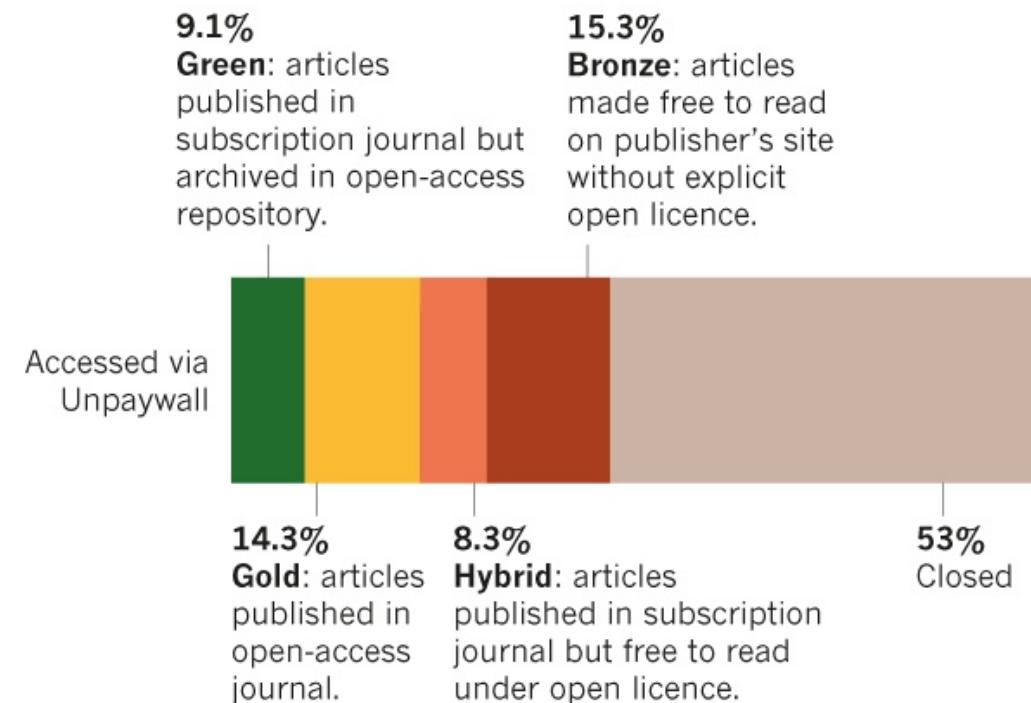
In the scholarly literature as a whole — approximated as the 67 million journal articles with DOIs — 28% are free to read online.



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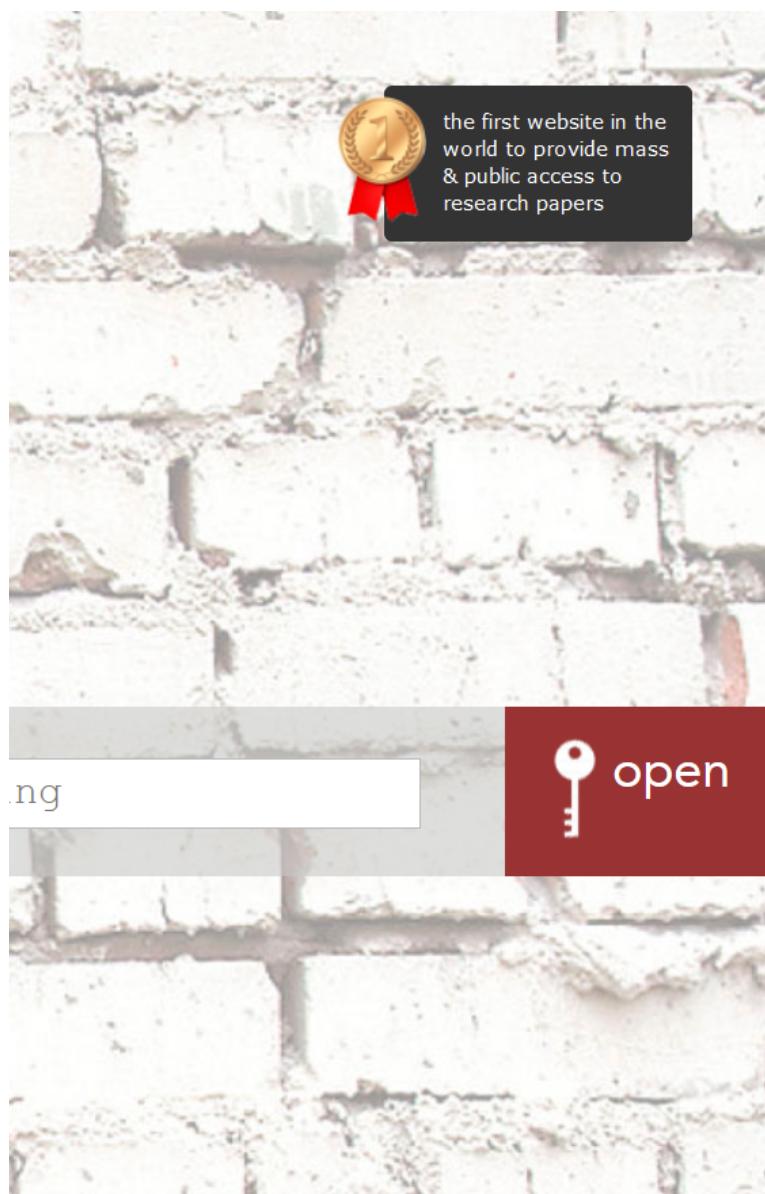
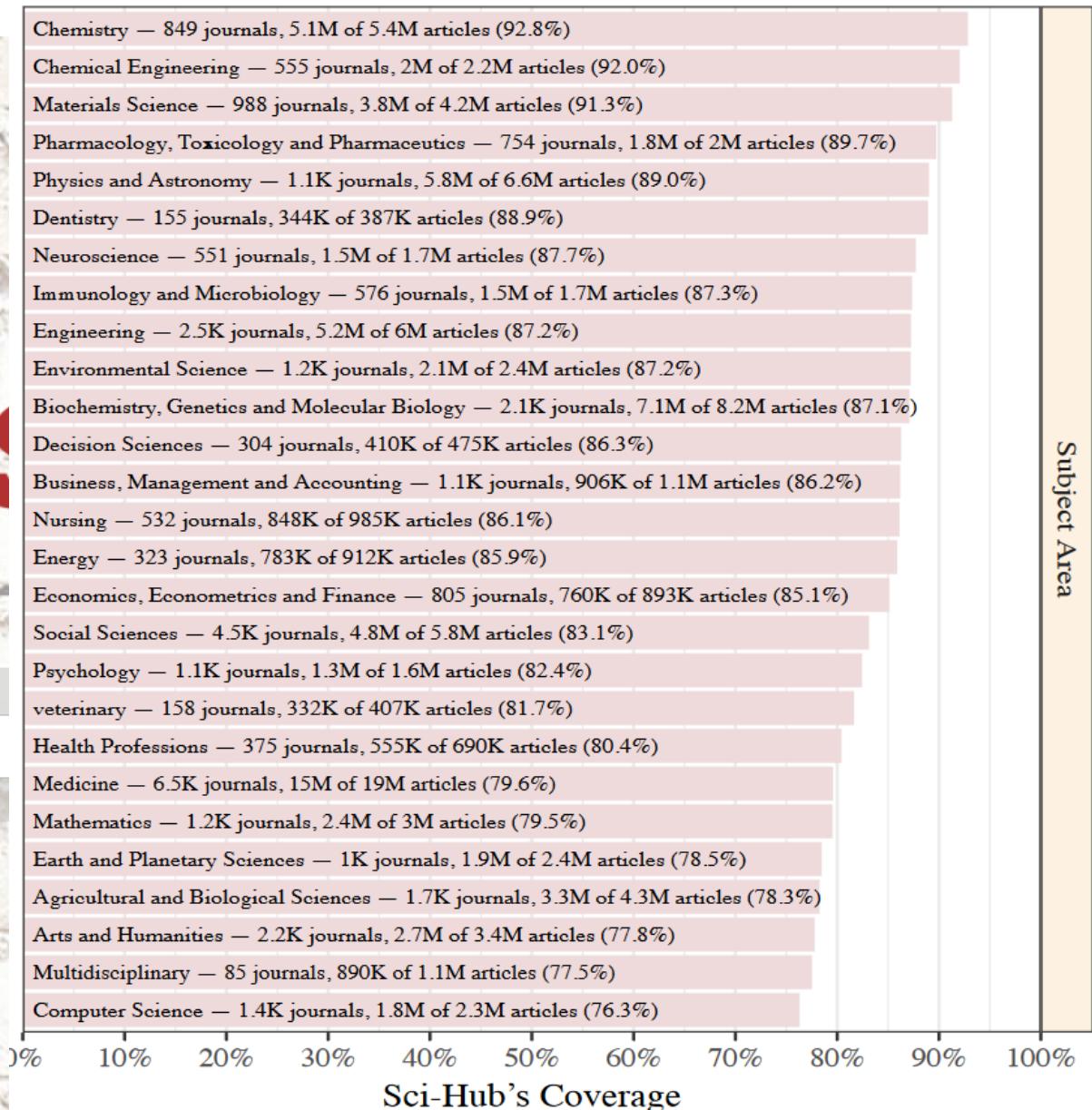
- 28% of all 67 mio journal articles free to read online

Nearly half of scholarly articles that researchers are trying to access using the browser extension Unpaywall are freely readable somewhere on the web, finds an analysis. Around half were published in the past two years.



- Ca. 50% accessed articles via Unpaywall free to read online
- Ca. 50% published in the past 2 years

Singh Chawla - Nature 2017 [doi:10.1038/nature.2017.22418](https://doi.org/10.1038/nature.2017.22418)



# Green OA - Bsp. Universität Basel (edoc)

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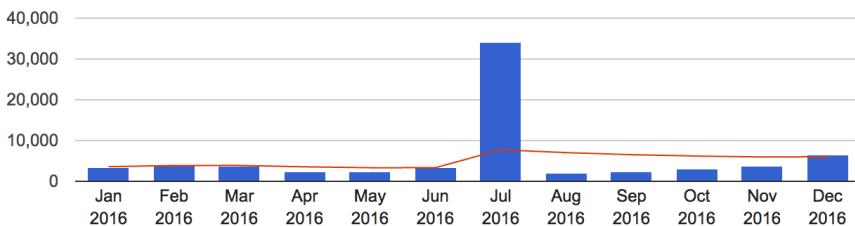
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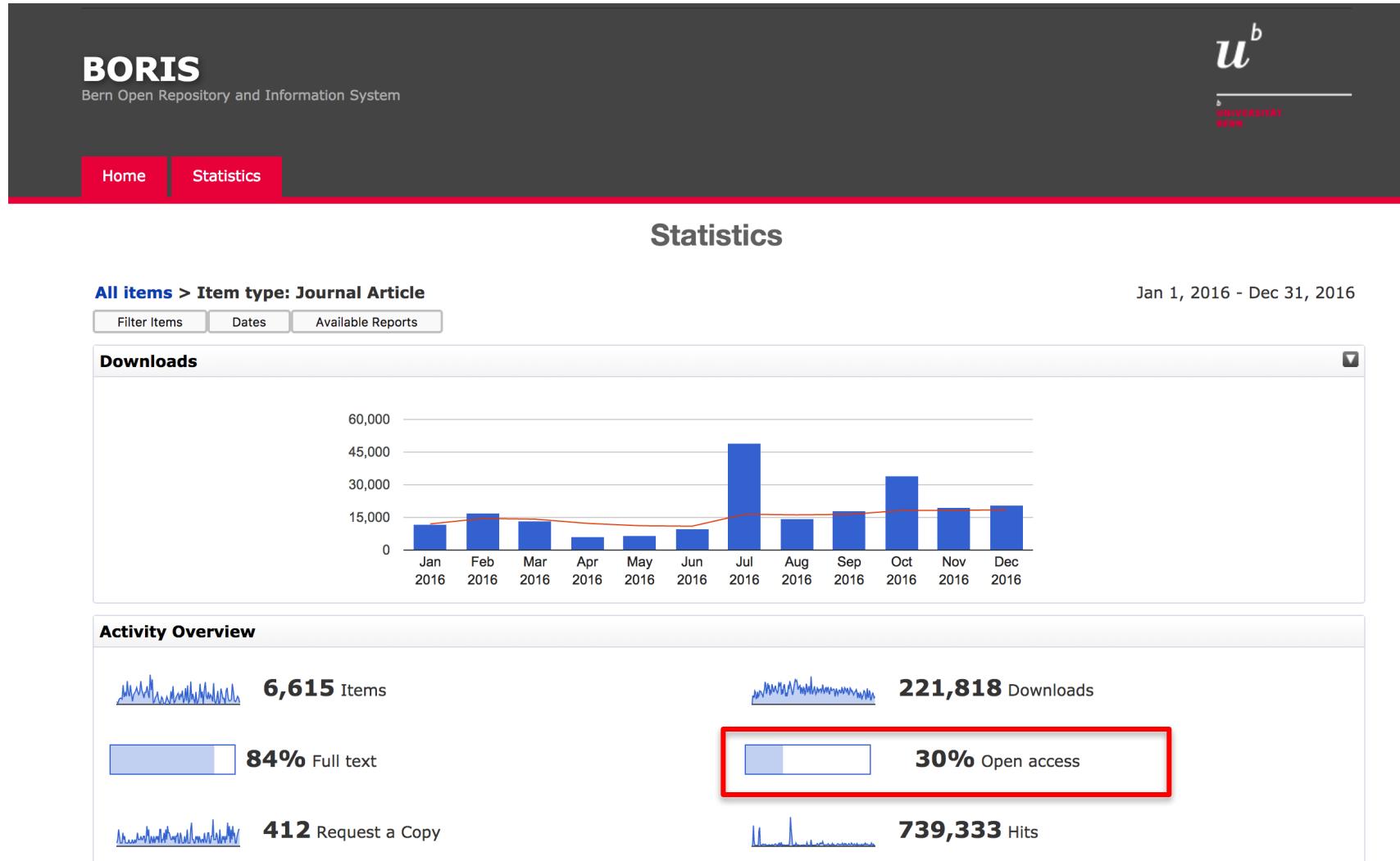
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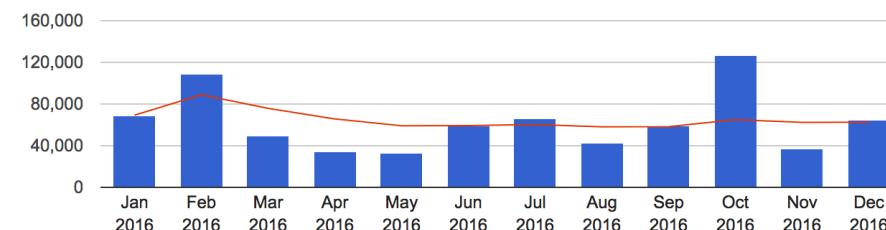
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# Green OA – Umfrage ETHZ Feb. 2017

- 74% der 992 befragten ETHZ-WissenschaftlerInnen kennen die bereits 2008 eingeführte verpflichtende Open Access Policy der ETHZ NICHT.
- 24% haben noch nie vom Repository der ETH gehört.



Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule Zürich  
Swiss Federal Institute of Technology Zurich

<https://doi.org/10.3929/ethz-b-000177012>

# The Netherlands - Monitoring Report 2011

„Key observations as regards Open Access:

The percentage of publications made available annually via the repositories on an Open Access (OA) basis [...] **has not increased significantly** since 2007;

in 2010, it fluctuated between 7% and 30% at virtually all institutions.“

[https://www.surf.nl/binaries/content/assets/surf/en/knowledgebase/2012/Monitor2011\\_strategicsynopsis\\_ENGdef.pdf](https://www.surf.nl/binaries/content/assets/surf/en/knowledgebase/2012/Monitor2011_strategicsynopsis_ENGdef.pdf)

# United Kingdom

- 2012: Working Group on Expanding Access to Published Research Findings
- -> **Finch Report**
- Debate in the „Business, Innovation and Skills Committee“ (House of Commons)
- Consequence: £10Mio additional funding for OA (including Hybrid OA)



Professor Dame Janet Finch

<https://www.acu.ac.uk/research-information-network/finch-report-final>

# The Netherlands



Government of the Netherlands

Government > Members of Cabinet > Sander Dekker > Documents >

## Open Access to publications

During the general parliamentary consultations on Science Policy of 18 April 2013, I promised to explain my ideas about the practice of providing open access to research publications and how that practice will continue to evolve. The principle of open access involves offering readers worldwide access to research publications, journals and books free of charge. My contention is that access to the results of publicly and publicly-private funded research should always be unrestricted. Because such



Sander Dekker  
State Secretary of the Ministry of Education, Culture and Science

<https://www.government.nl/government/members-of-cabinet/sander-dekker/documents/parliamentary-documents/2014/01/21/open-access-to-publications>

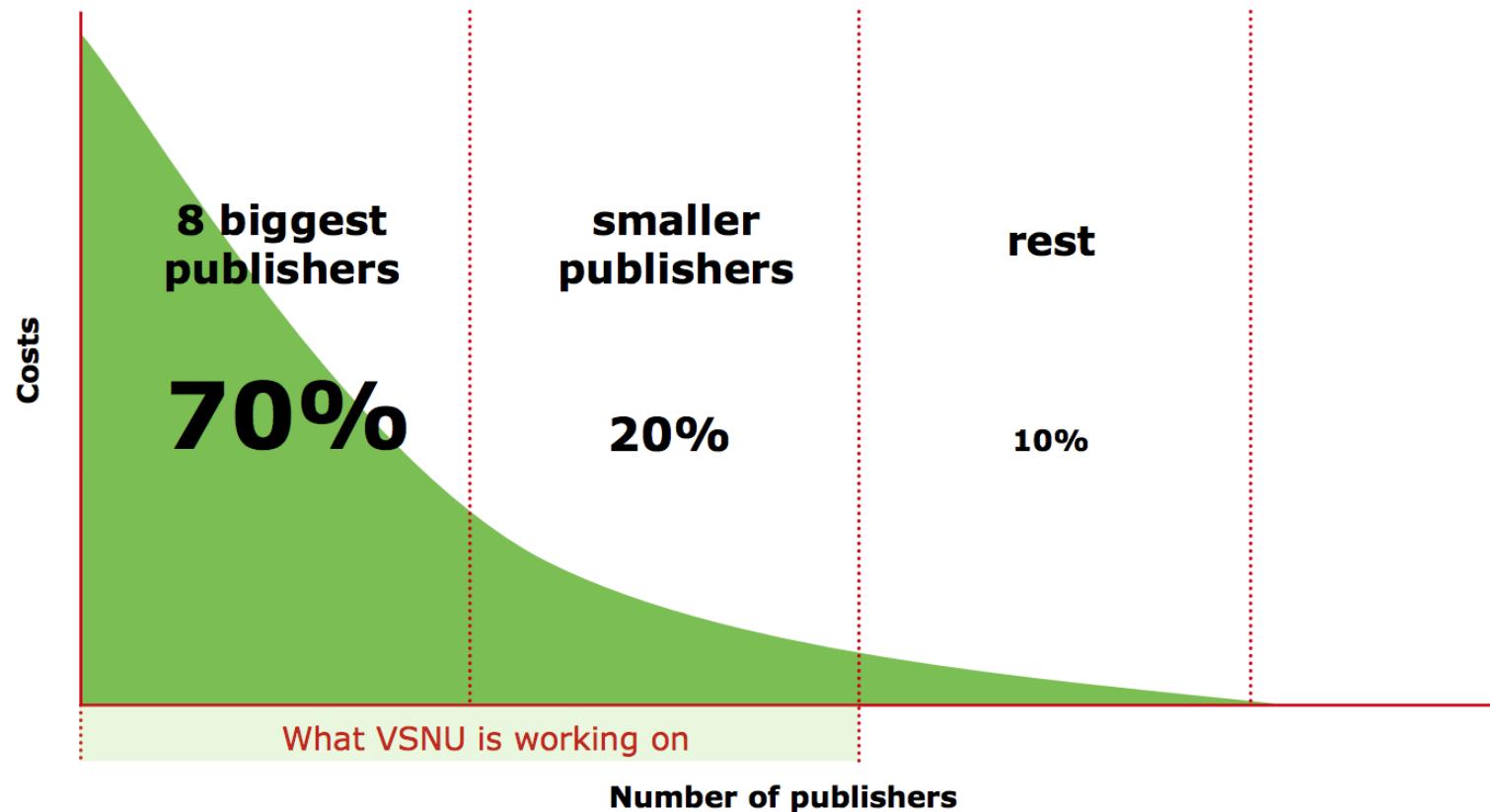
My preference is “golden” open access; in other words, publication in journals that make research articles available online free of charge. My aim is for the Netherlands to have switched entirely to the golden road to open access within ten years, in other words by 2024. In order to achieve this, at least 60 per cent of all articles will have to be available in open access journals in five years’ time.



If the relevant parties do not do enough, or progress is unacceptably slow, the Minister and I will recommend making open access publication mandatory in 2016 under the Higher Education and Research Act (Wet op het hoger onderwijs en wetenschappelijk onderzoek, WHW).

Sander Dekker  
State Secretary of the Ministry of  
Education, Culture and Science

## 8 biggest publishers cover 70% of the market



<http://www.vsnu.nl/files/documenten/Domeinen/Onderzoek/Open%20access/VSNU%20OA%20presentation.pdf>

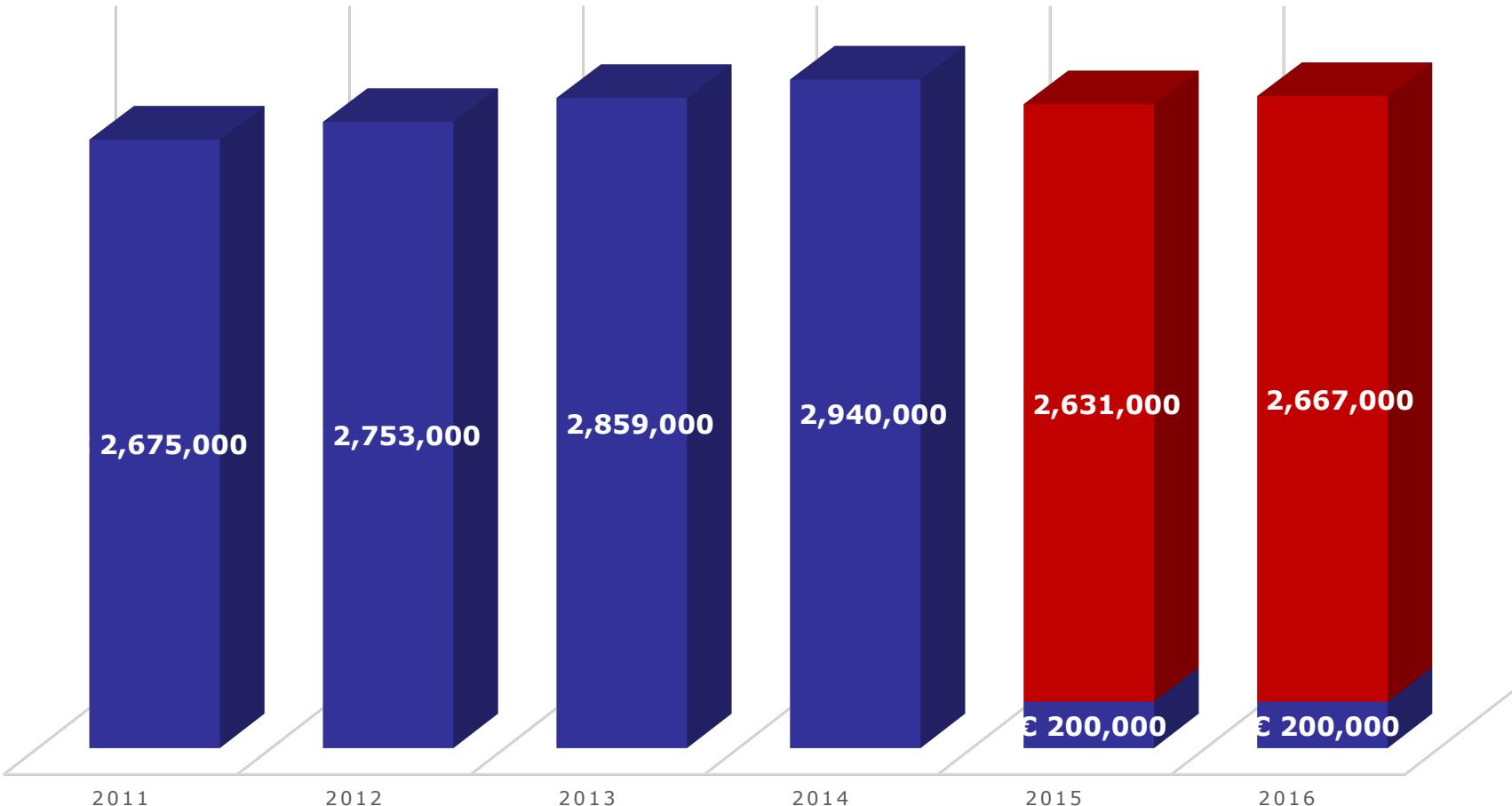
# Offsetting Agreements Netherlands («BIG DEAL»)

- Elsevier
- Wiley
- Springer
- Taylor & Francis
- American Chemical Society (ACS)
- Cambridge University Press
- Royal Society of Chemistry (RSC)
- Karger
- Sage
- Thieme
- Emerald

+ **8000 Hybrid Journals**  
in which corresponding authors of  
Dutch universities and academic  
hospitals can publish in open access  
**for free or with substantial  
discount.**

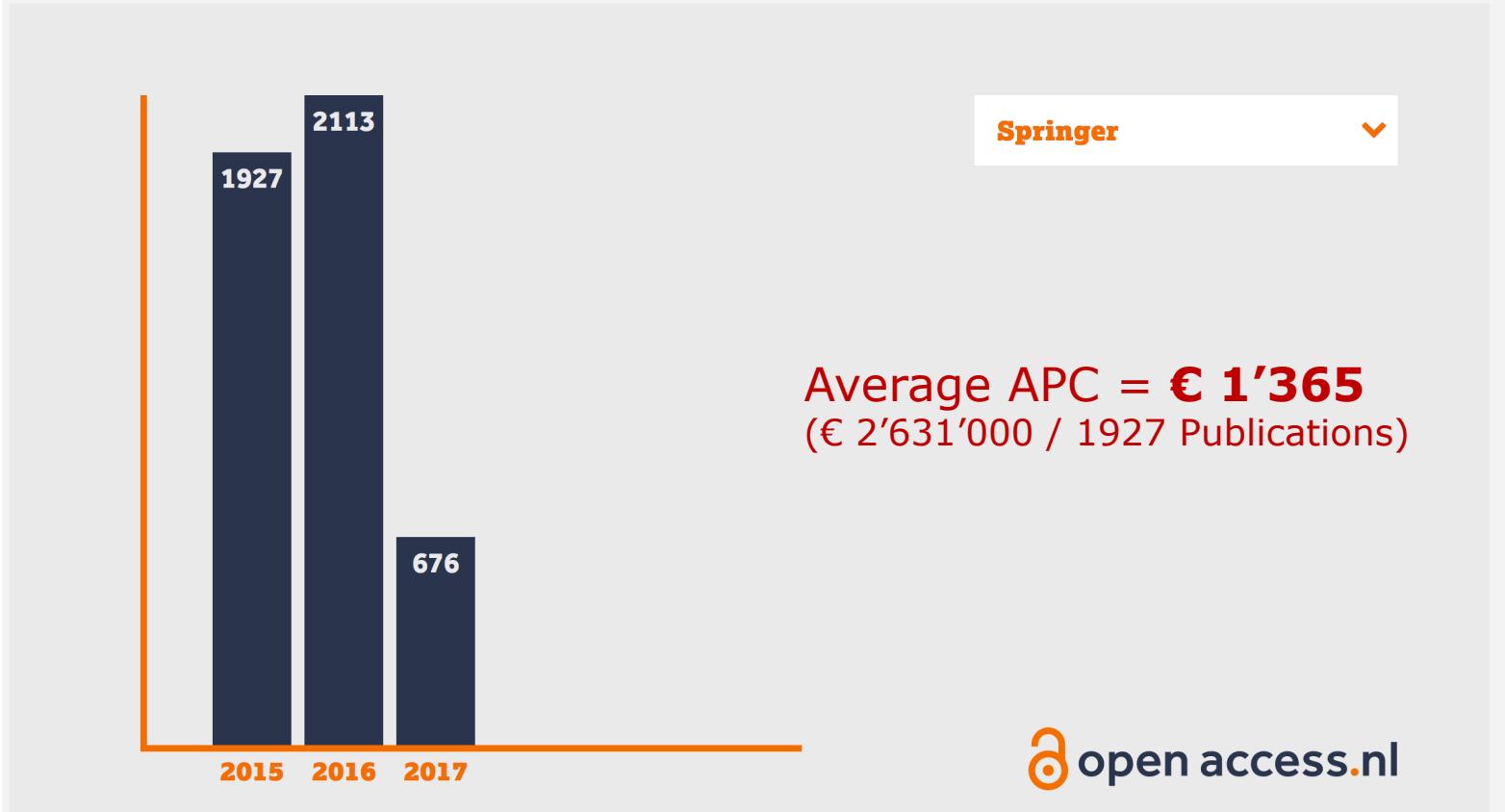
## SPRINGER JOURNALS COSTS NETHERLANDS

■ Read (Subscription) ■ Publish



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## Open access publications per year sorted by publisher



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# Germany – «BIG DEAL»

## **Verhandlungsziel für Elsevier, Springer und Wiley:**

- Die DEAL-Einrichtungen haben dauerhaften Volltextzugriff auf das gesamte Titel-Portfolio (E-Journals) der ausgewählten Verlage.
- Alle Publikationen von Autorinnen und Autoren aus deutschen Einrichtungen werden automatisch Open Access geschaltet (CC-BY, inkl. Peer Review).
- Angemessene Bepreisung nach einem einfachen, zukunftsorientierten Berechnungsmodell, das sich am Publikationsaufkommen orientiert.

# DE - DEAL: 140 Institutionen kündigen Elsevier

## Auf Ende 2016

### Universitäten:

RWTH Aachen  
Uni Augsburg  
Uni Bamberg  
Uni Bielefeld  
TU Braunschweig  
Universität der Bundeswehr  
Hamburg  
Universität der Bundeswehr München  
TU Clausthal  
TU Dortmund  
Uni Eichstätt-Ingolstadt  
Uni Erlangen-Nürnberg  
Uni Göttingen  
Uni Greifswald  
FernUni Hagen  
Uni Halle  
Uni Hamburg  
Uni Hannover  
TU Ilmenau  
Uni Lübeck  
Uni Lüneburg  
TU München  
Uni Münster  
Uni Osnabrück  
Uni Passau  
Uni Regensburg  
Uni Rostock  
Uni Siegen  
Uni Weimar  
Uni Wuppertal  
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### Hochschulen

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HS Bonn-Rhein-Sieg  
HS Darmstadt  
HS Emden/Leer  
Frankfurt UAS  
HS Fresenius  
HS Geisenheim University  
HS Hannover  
Medizinische Hochschule Hannover  
Stiftung Tierärztliche Hochschule Hannover  
DSHS Köln  
TH Köln  
HHL – Leipzig Graduate School of Management  
HS Osnabrück  
HS Ostwestfalen-Lippe  
HS Rhein-Waal

### Forschungseinrichtungen

Deutsches Institut für Ernährungsforschung Potsdam-Rehbrücke  
Deutsches Institut für Internationale Pädagogische Forschung  
Forschungszentrum Borstel  
Institut für Arbeitsmarkt- und Berufsforschung  
Institut für Deutsche Sprache  
Julius Kühn-Institut  
Leibniz-Institut für Agrarentwicklung in Transformationsökonomien Halle  
Leibniz-Institut für Analytische Wissenschaften – ISAS – e.V.  
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Leibniz-Institut für ökologische Raumentwicklung  
Leibniz-Institut für Ostseeforschung Warnemünde  
Leibniz-Institut für Pflanzenbiochemie  
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Leibniz-Institut für Polymerforschung Dresden e. V.  
Leibniz-Institut für Wirtschaftsforschung Halle  
Leibniz-Institut für Zoo- und Wildtierforschung  
Mathematisches Forschungsinstitut Oberwolfach gGmbH  
Paul-Ehrlich-Institut  
RWI – Leibniz-Institut für Wirtschaftsforschung  
Schloss Dagstuhl – Leibniz-Zentrum für Informatik GmbH  
ZBW – Leibniz-Informationszentrum Wirtschaft

### Regionalbibliotheken

Bayerische Staatsbibliothek  
Staatsbibliothek zu Berlin  
Württembergische Landesbibliothek WLB Stuttgart

# DE - DEAL: 140 Institutionen kündigen Elsevier

## Auf Ende 2017

### **Universitäten:**

Charité – Universitätsmedizin  
Berlin  
FU Berlin  
HU Berlin  
TU Berlin  
Uni Bochum  
Uni Bremen  
TU Kaiserslautern  
KIT Karlsruhe  
Uni Freiburg  
Uni Heidelberg  
Uni Hohenheim  
Uni Kiel  
Uni Konstanz  
Uni Mannheim  
Uni Oldenburg  
Uni Potsdam  
Uni Stuttgart  
Uni Trier  
Uni Tübingen  
Uni Ulm

### **Hochschulen**

Ostbayerische TH Amberg-  
Weiden  
HaW Augsburg  
FH Bielefeld  
HS Gesundheit Bochum  
HS Bremen  
HS für Künste Bremen  
HS Bremerhaven  
HaW Coburg  
TH Deggendorf  
HaW Hamburg  
TH Ingolstadt  
FH Kiel  
HaW Landshut  
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Bundesanstalt für Materialforschung und -prüfung (BAM)  
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Deutsches Rheuma-Forschungszentrum (DRFZ) Berlin  
Deutsches Zentrum für Neurodegenerative Erkrankungen e.  
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GSI Helmholtzzentrum für Schwerionenforschung GmbH  
Darmstadt  
Helmholtzzentrum München — Deutsches  
Forschungszentrum für Gesundheit und Umwelt  
Helmholtzzentrum für Infektionsforschung  
Leibniz Institute DSMZ-German Collection of Microorganisms  
and Cell Cultures Braunschweig  
Leibniz-Institut für Troposphärenforschung e. V. (TROPOS)  
Leipzig  
Robert Koch-Institut (RKI)  
Zentrum für Europäische Wirtschaftsforschung GmbH (ZEW)

## **Germany – «BIG DEAL»**

„Die Erfahrungen der ‚Aussteiger‘ zu Beginn des Jahres haben gezeigt, dass ein vertragsloser Zustand ohne Probleme zu bewältigen ist. Die Helmholtz-Bibliotheken sind gut aufgestellt und gehen davon aus, die Wissenschaftlerinnen und Wissenschaftler auch bei noch länger andauernden Verhandlungen zuverlässig mit den benötigten Artikeln versorgen zu können.“

Dr. Martin Köhler, Verhandlungsführer für die Helmholtz-Verträge mit Elsevier,  
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# Finnland

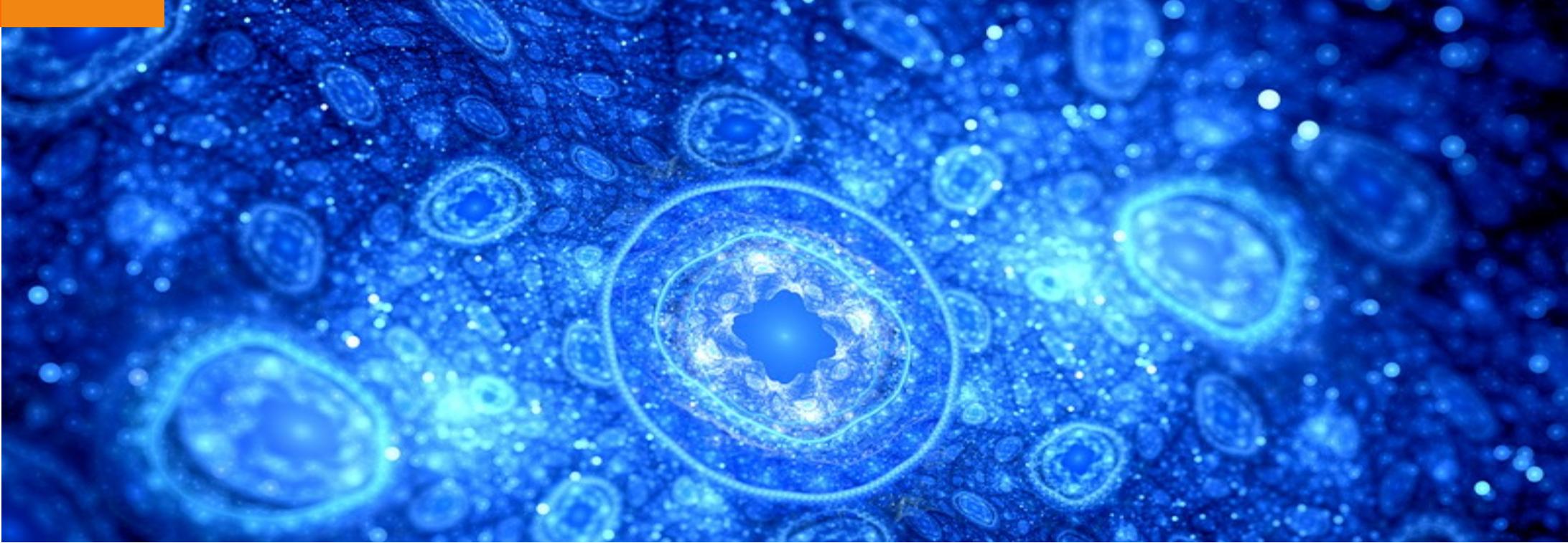
## NO TO ELSEVIER'S UNFAIR DEALS

Since November 2016, more than 2700 members of the academic community in Finland have signed tiedonhinta.fi online petition which called for fair pricing for academic journal subscriptions and increased open access in the ongoing negotiation with international publishers. More than two thirds of those who signed the petition were prepared to abstain from editorial and reviewer duties in journals whose publishers are unwilling to meet the demands of the Finnish negotiators. It's time to stand by that commitment: no deal, no editing and reviews.

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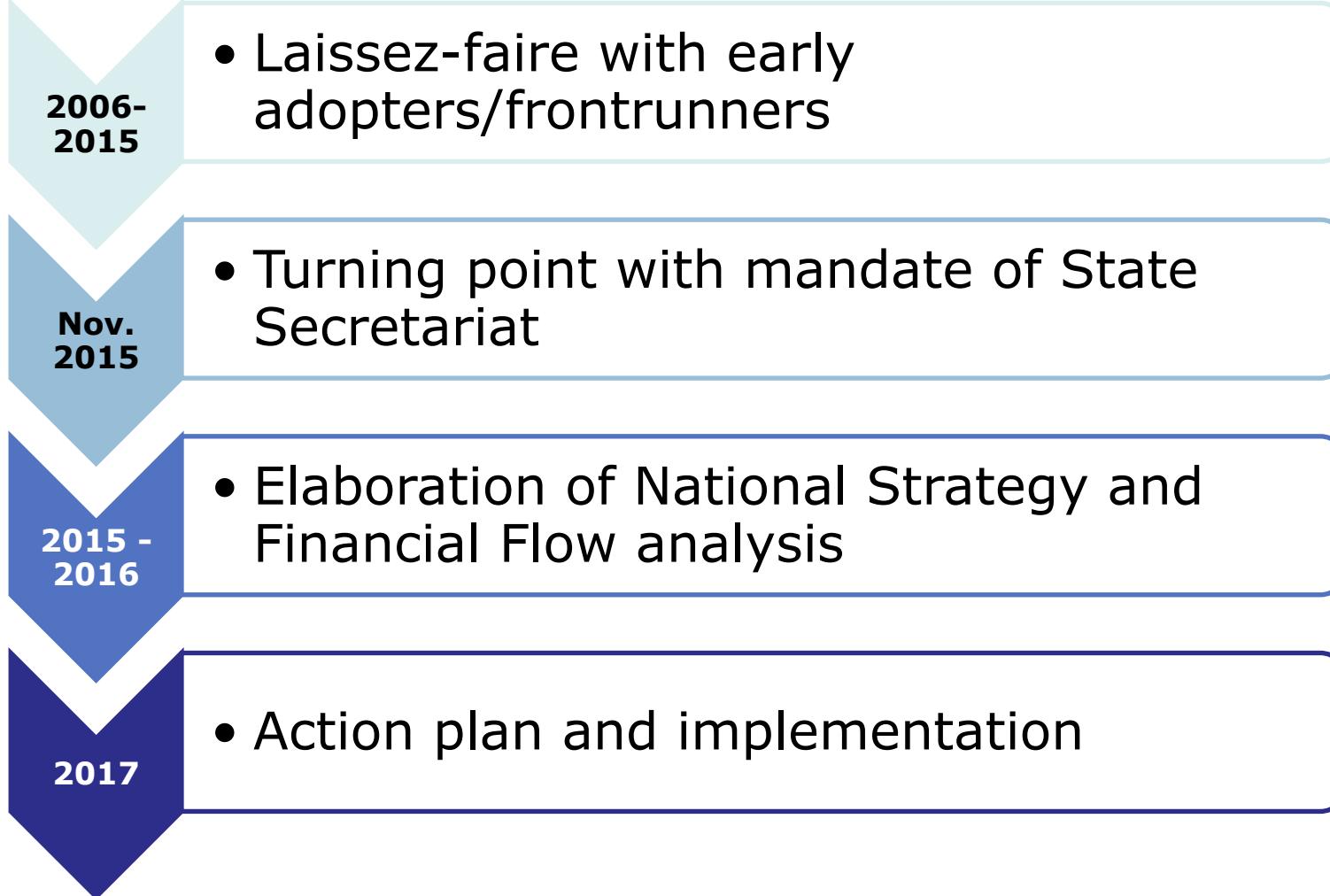
### STATEMENT

Unless a fair deal is presented by Elsevier, the Finnish library consortium (FinElib) will not renew its subscriptions to Elsevier journals in:

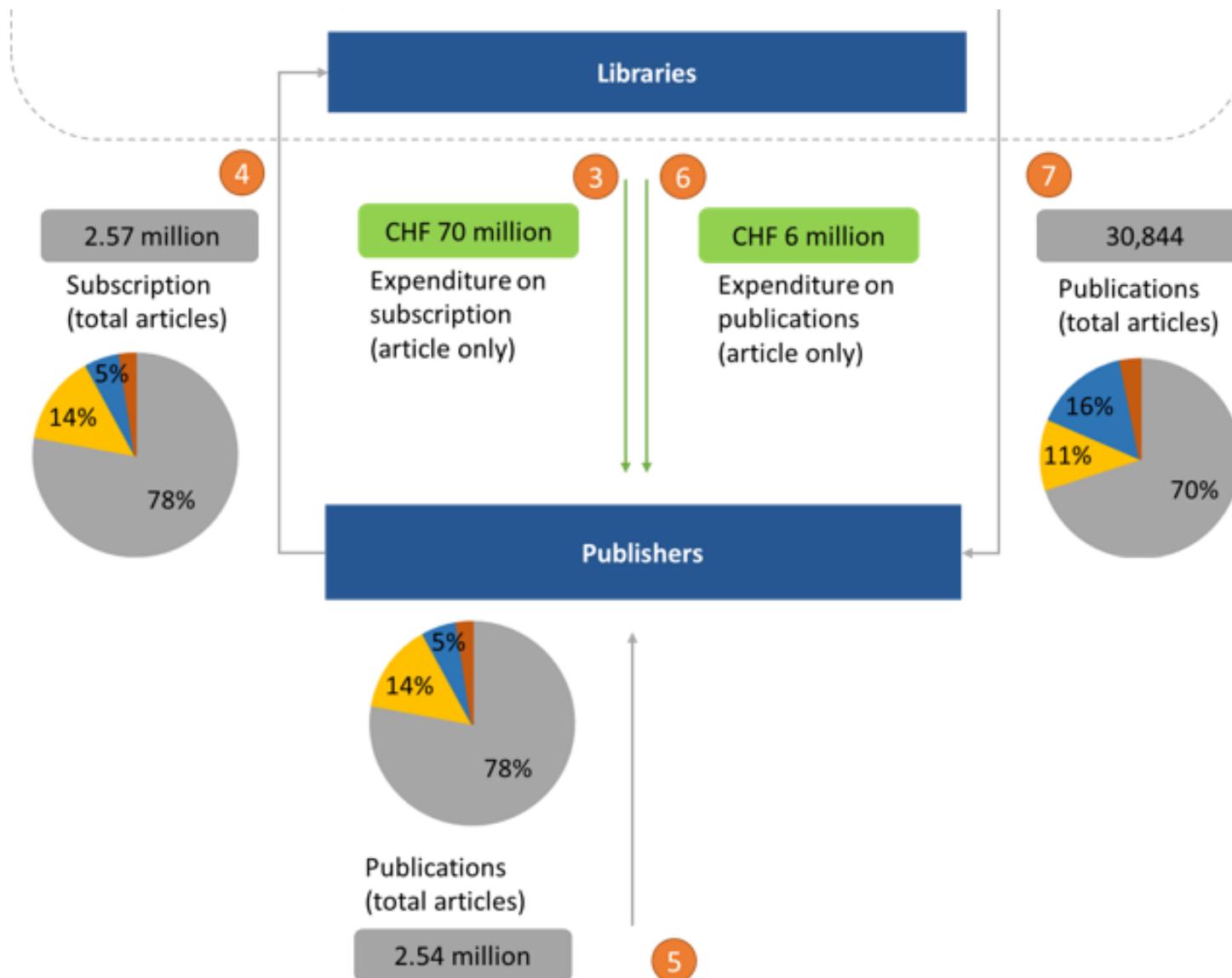


# **Open Access in Switzerland**

# Open Access in Switzerland: Policy Phases



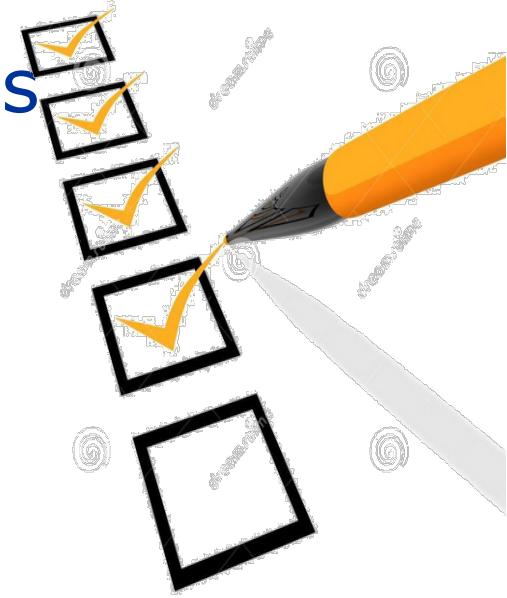
# Financial Flow Analysis



Im 2015, Swiss HEIs spent  
CHF 76 Mio on publications

- **70 mio CHF in subscription fees**
- **6 mio CHF in publication costs**
- **+ 2 mio CHF in Open Access infrastructure**

# Recommendations Financial Flow Analysis



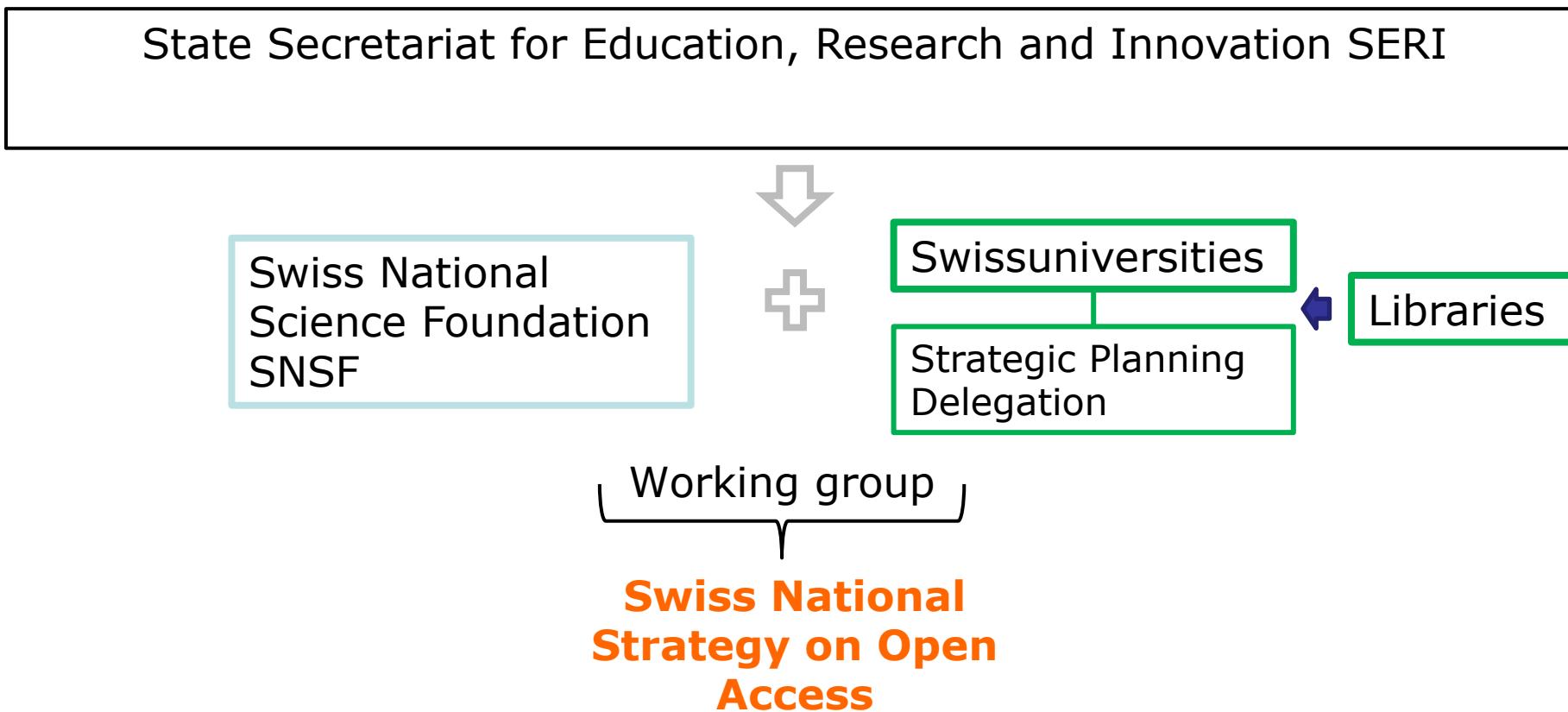
- Models: Mixed Gold and Green OA
- Improve quality of data
- National strategy and action plan required
- Subscription fees:
  - impact as function of bargaining power of Swiss institutions
  - Acting in a concerted fashion may reduce costs
- Infrastructure to facilitate OA needs to be developed
- Continue to be active in international discussions on OA
- Demonstrate leadership

# Springer Schweiz

In 2015:

- Swiss University libraries paid totally **~ € 3 Mio.** for journal subscriptions of Springer Journals (approx. same amount as the Dutch Universities).
- Swiss authors published around 2800 papers at Springer Journals (=9% of total article production in Switzerland).
- About 65% (estimation) out of these 2800 papers, have a Swiss corresponding author. -> 1820 Papers
- Applying the Dutch conditions: 1820 Papers \* € 1365 APC = **€ 2.48 Mio**
- **Conclusion: To increase the Gold OA share by 6% in 2018, Swiss Universities simply have to insist on the same (or even better) conditions like the Dutch Universities in the upcoming negotiations.**

# Swiss National Open Access Strategy: Set Up



Approval by **swissuniversities Board** on December 14th 2016  
Approval by the **Swiss Conference of HEIs** in February 2017

# National Strategy: Vision

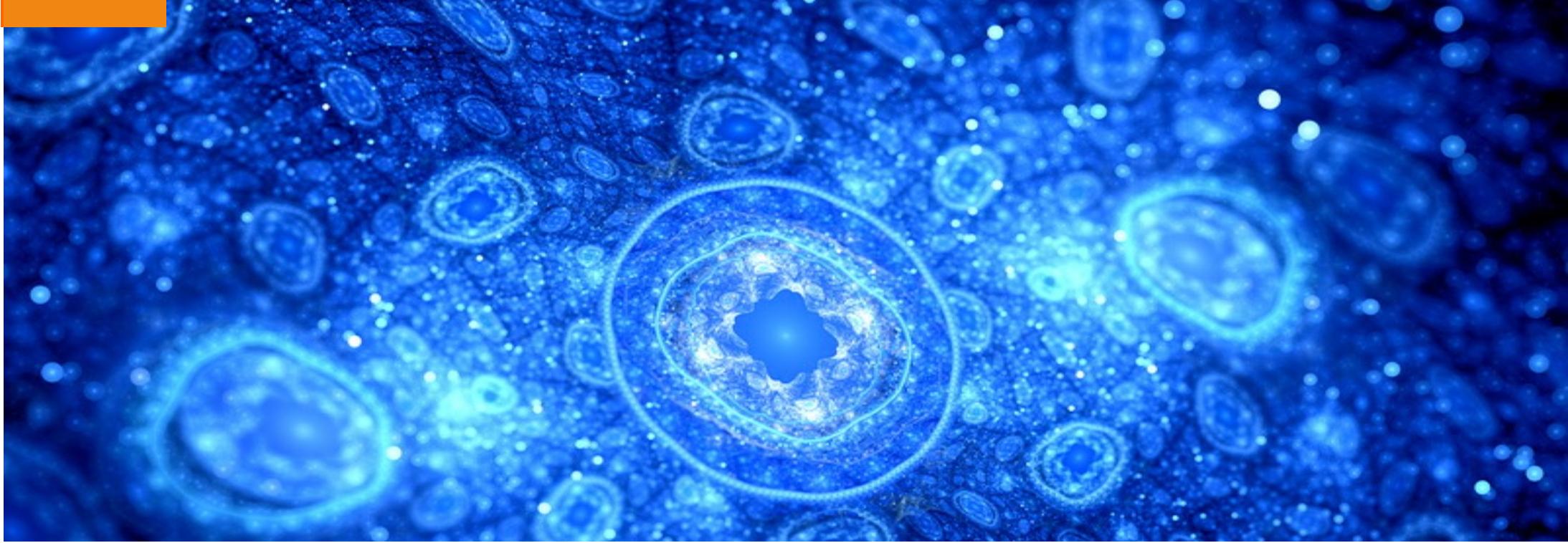


## Objectives for Switzerland

- 100% of all scholarly publication activity in Switzerland OA by **2024**
- 100% scholarly publications funded by public money must be freely accessible on the internet.
- Landscape with a mix of OA models

## EU objective

- 100% of scholarly publications OA by **2020**

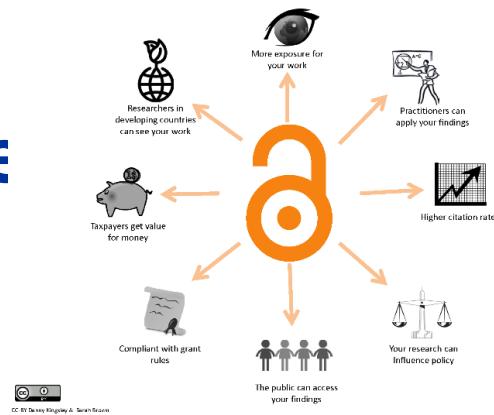


# Open Access at SNSF

# Open Access Policy at SNSF: Development

## SNSF Open Access Policy since 2008/2014

- **2006:** signing Berlin Declaration
- **2008:** requirement for self-archiving («green OA»)
- **2013:** funding for articles in Open Access Journals («gold OA»)
- **2014:** inclusion of books in Open Access policy
- **2015:** launch pilot project OAPEN-CH
- **2016:** financial flow analysis
- **2016/2017:** national Open Access Strategy & Action Plan
- **March 2017:** Open Access Strategy 2020



# OA-Monitoring output data SNSF-grants 2017

All publications in P3 2011-2017: 68'548 publications

35% DOI unknown

65% DOI known

53% Closed Access

13%  
Gold

34% Green

47% Open Access



# APC-funding SNSF

	Okt 2013 – Aug 2015	Sept 2015 – Jan 2017
Number APC / year	21	82
Sum APC / year	CHF 29'000.-	CHF 145'000.-
average APC	CHF 1'350.-	CHF 1'771.-

# The SNSF OA Strategy 2020



As decided by the Presiding Board of the National Research Council in March 2017



**all (100%) publications out of SNSF-funded projects **Open Access** available by **2020****

- **unrestricted access and free of charge**
- Goals in line with Open Access strategy of **European Union (2020)**
- Goals more ambitious than Swiss **National Open Access Strategy (2024)**



## OA Policy Changes

- Book Processing Charges
- Book Chapters
- Adjust Embargos

## Sanctions & Monitoring

- Systematic Monitoring of OA Compliance
- Sanctions for Non-Compliance

## Incentives & Support

- APC without Upper Limit
- mySNF Input Forms and P3
- Separate handling of Gold OA Publications (independent of project duration)

## Communication and promotion of OA

- SNSF Website
- mySNF
- Letter to Grant Holders

# Excellence comprises openness

