Why/How/When to publish on HAL?
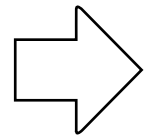
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What?

HAL=multi-disciplinary open access archive

⇨ Available at http://hal.inria.fr/
in French and English

Why?

Old school (today): one publication list for each researcher, team, project, ... = many repetitive duties and incoherence :-(

HAL allows you to:
- Keep your bibliography up-to-date automatically,
- Archive your publications in a safe place,
- Export instantaneously your list of publications under several format (PDF, HTML,...),
- Spend less time organizing your publications,
- Keep your database even when changing of institute.

HAL allows the team to:
- Keep the team's publications up-to-date automatically,
- Save time looking for information on every publications,
- Improve the taste of cookies (not tested yet).

And because it is INRIA's policy

How?
(1) Create an account

Simply go on http://hal.inria.fr

How?
(2) Add an entry

Two possibilities:

- Reference only

- Reference + document (PDF, LaTeX). It requires:
  - ⇨ the agreement of the authors
  - ⇨ to respect the editor policy
  - ⇨ upload a file generated by the author (not by the editor)

Note that:
- you can add a new version of a file but not delete it,
- reference can be removed at any time.

How?
(3) Fulfil the reference

⇨From scratch
⇨From ArXiv
⇨From a bibtex file

How?
(4) Fulfil the reference

Main fields:
- authors + affiliation (at the time of publication)
- usual fields (title, DOI, conf./journal name, year, ...)
- fundings: European/ANR/other projects (indicated in the final paper)

Note that:
- each field can be modified (except first "domain")
- autocompletion makes everything easy (authors, affiliations, project, ...)
- bib2hal tool to import .bib files to HAL as pre-filled entries
- one password related to each entry: to share with co-authors/administration members.
- property transfer is allowed.

When?

Remember to use HAL at :

- [submission time: you may publish a Research Report]

- acceptance time:
  - new entry with main fields
  - [+ pdf]

- publication time:
  - update entry with page/issue/volume/DOI numbers, link to editor website
  - [+ pdf]

And then?

Just use Hal Tools!

- Dynamic web pages: one click first, always up-to-date then
  - [Personal website](#)
  - Metiss website: check your 2010's publications

    http://www.irisa.fr/metiss/hal/

  - Project website (European, ANR, etc.):

    e.g. http://small-project.eu/publications-hal-test

- Export sources: .bib / .xml / ...

- Export formated files: .pdf / .html / ...

+ automatically referenced in Google Scholar