



# Automated FAIR4RS: Software publication with HERMES



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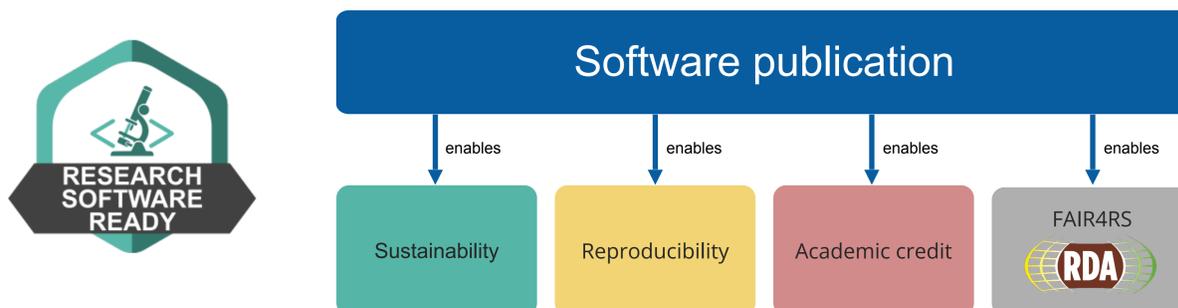
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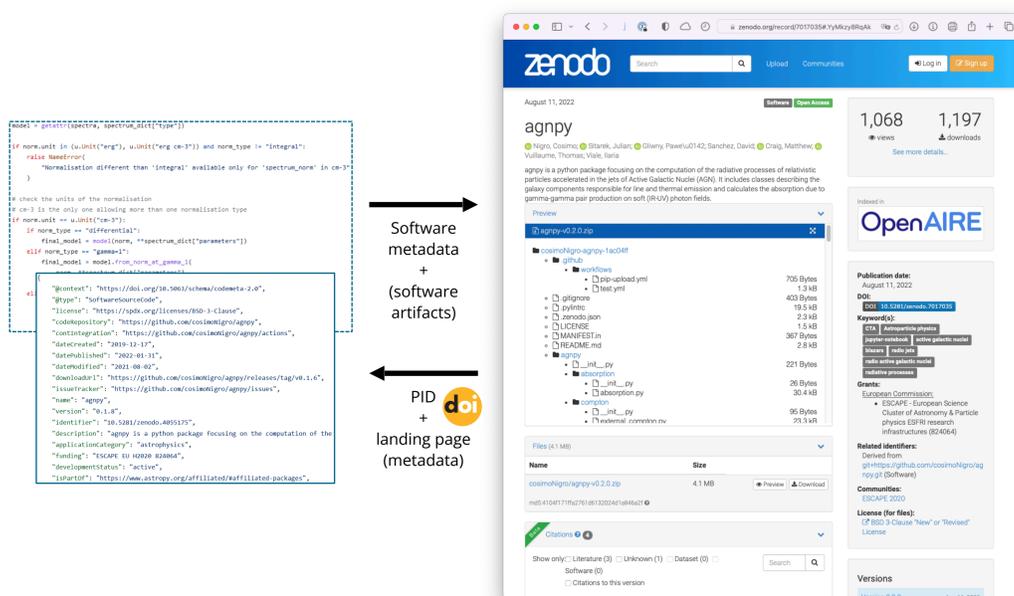
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## The State of the Art



### Pull-based workflows



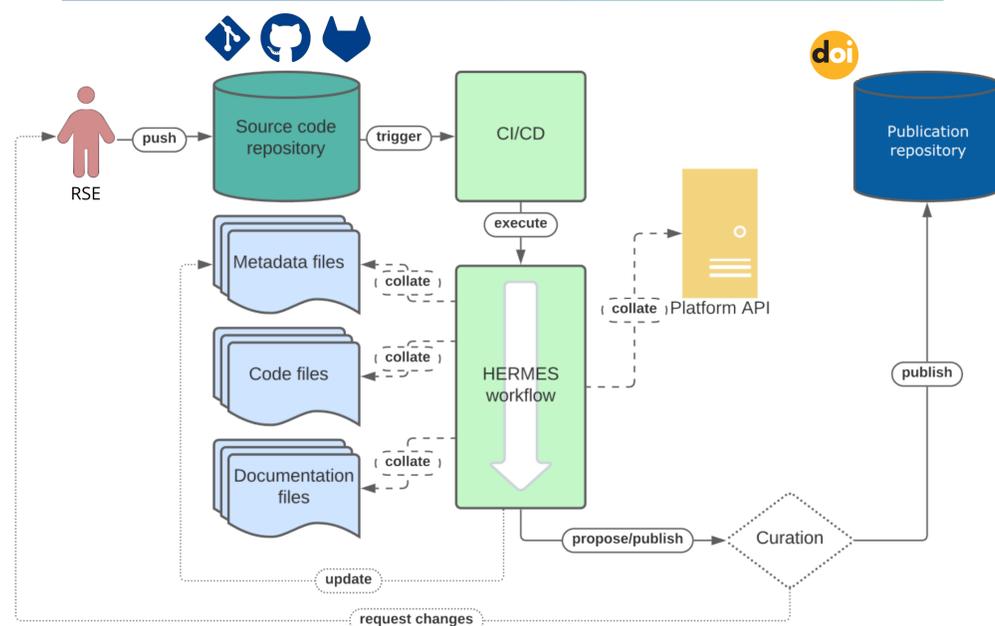
- Code & metadata must be accessible and properly formatted
- Less control over extracted metadata
- + Most prominent examples: Zenodo (and SWH)

### Push-based workflows



- + Works for all types of software (closed, restricted, embargoed, open source)
- + Complete control over metadata
- Not many examples or standardised procedures

## Simplified Overview of the HERMES Workflow



## Target Repositories



## Where we are

- ✓ Harvesting: #Done: Citation File Format, CodeMeta, Git metadata
- Processing: #ToDo: Unified data model
- ✗ Curation/Deposition: #ToDo: Deposition pipelines and user feedback via logs
- Post-processing: #ToDo: (CodeMeta files)

✓ = Present | ○ = Partially | ✗ = ToDo

