

Report from JPCOAR

Community Activities in Japan

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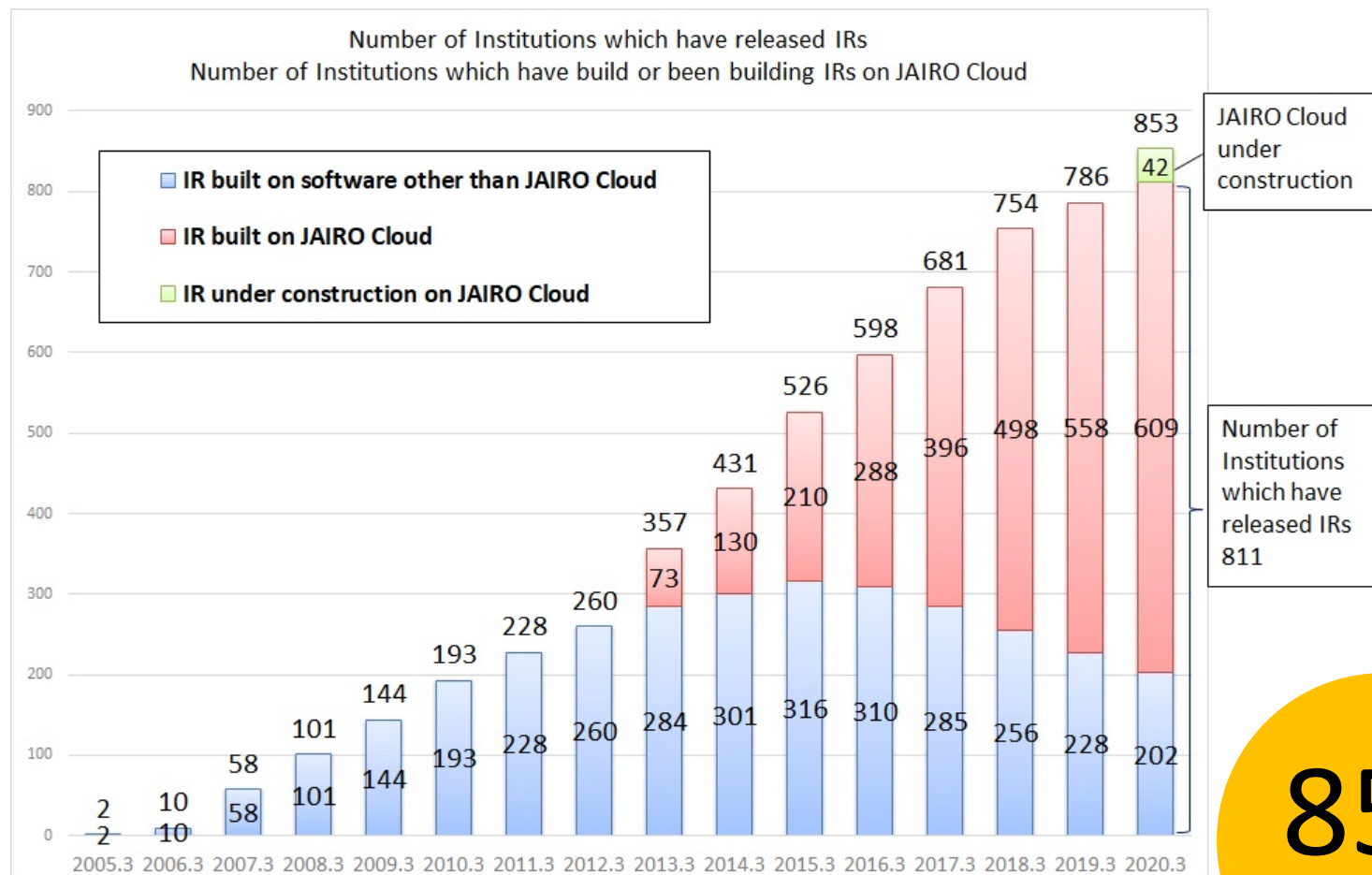
JPCOAR - Japan Consortium for Open Access Repository

Topics

- Overview: Institutional Repositories in Japan
- Focus on Community: JPCOAR
- Recent JPCOAR Activities
- 2020 and the Future

Overview: IRs in Japan

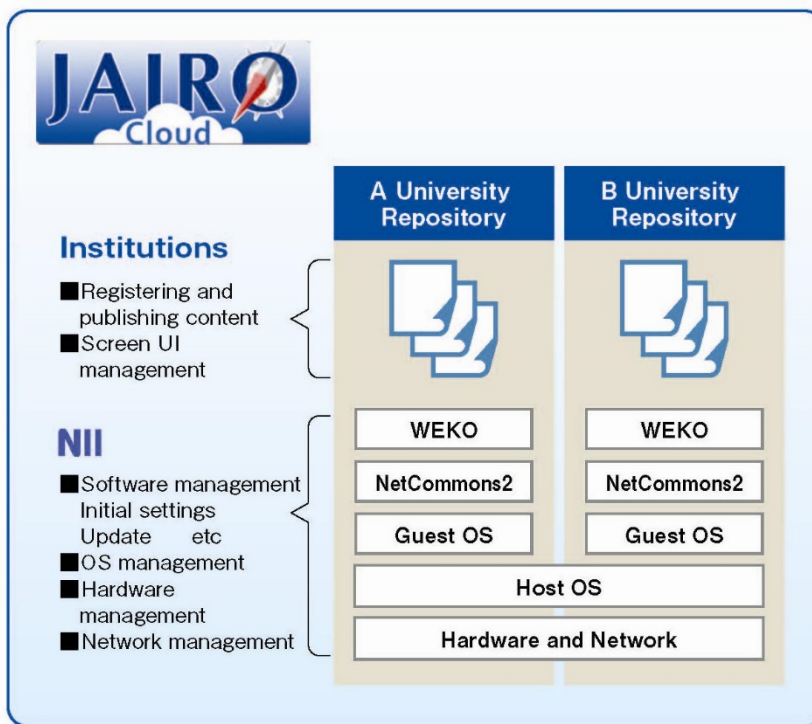
Institutional Repositories in Japan



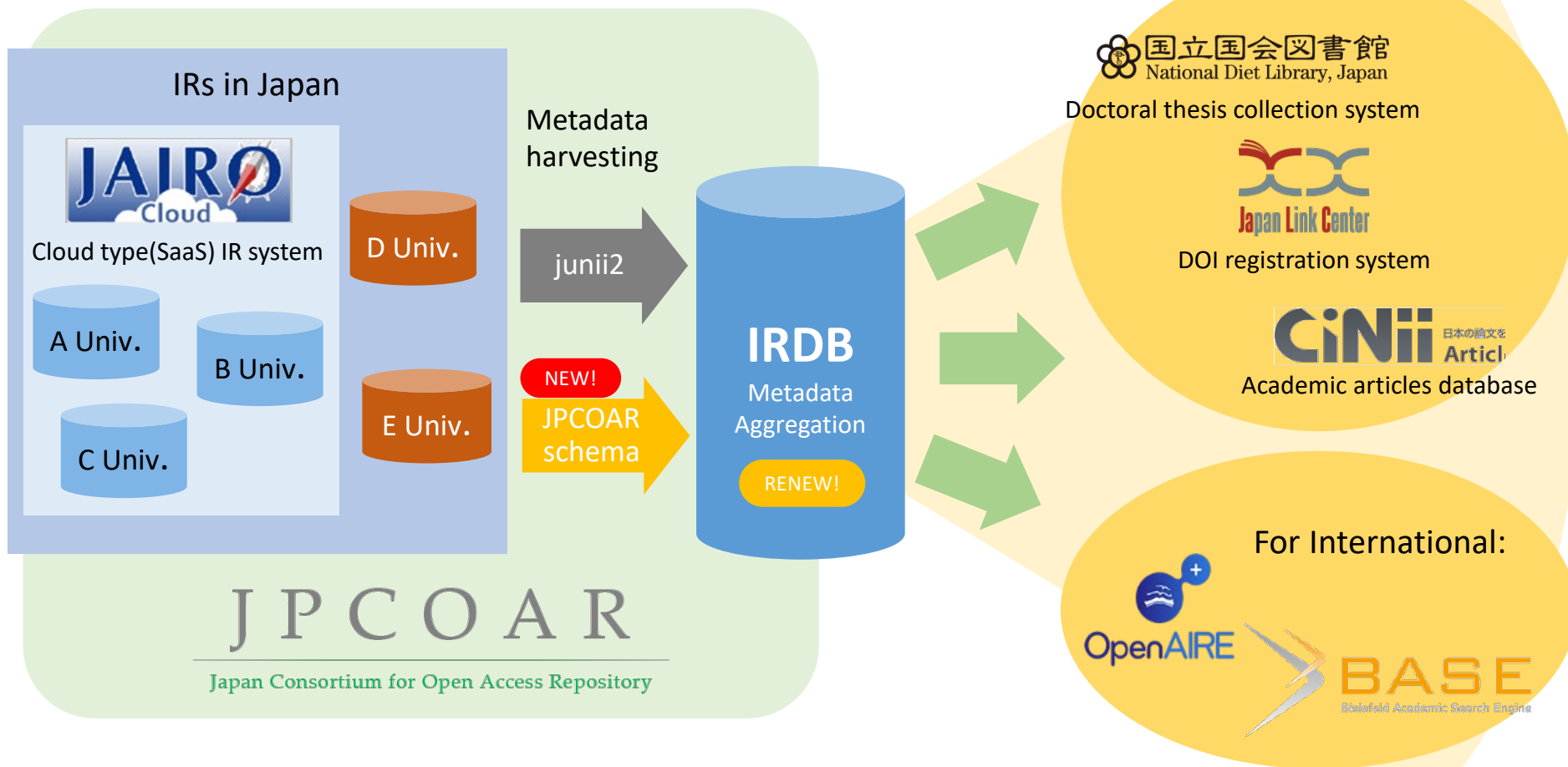
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Repositories!

JAIRO Cloud: IR cloud service for Japanese institutions

- Built based on WEKO (repository software) developed by the National Institute of Informatics(NII)
- Support for small institutions to introduce and operate IRs
- Adopted 70%↑ repositories
<https://community.repo.nii.ac.jp/>



Repository Network



Focus on Community: JPCOAR

JPCOAR

- Japan Consortium for Open Access Repository (2016.7-)
 - A nationwide community in Japan
 - <https://jpcoar.repo.nii.ac.jp/>

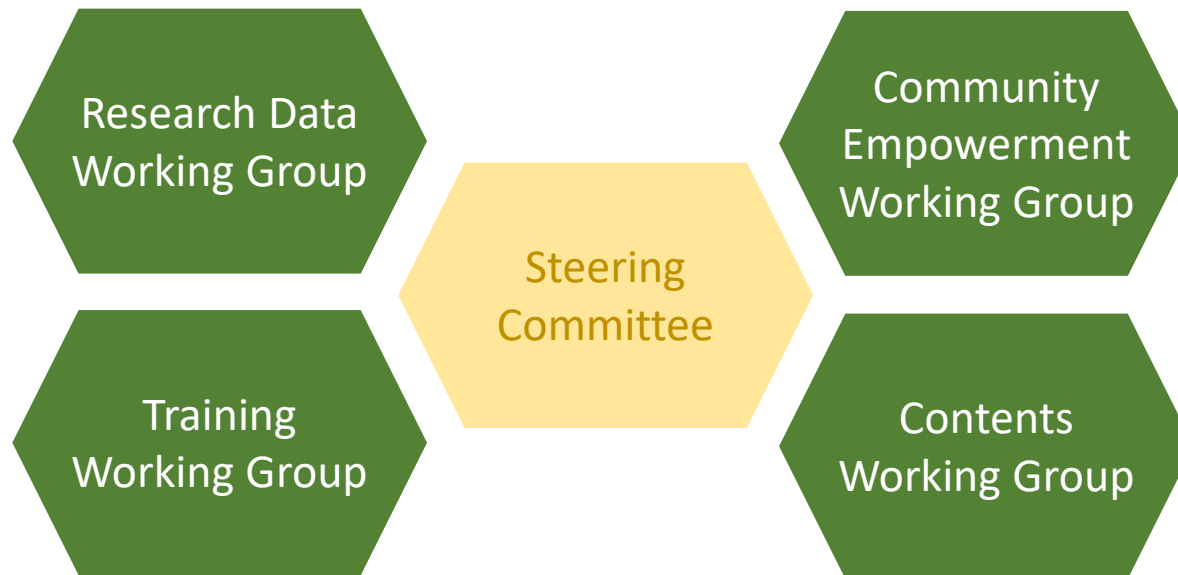
654member institutions (2020.9)

- JPCOAR Strategy for Fiscal 2019 to 2021
 1. To contribute to the promotion of open science, engage in leading initiatives on the public access to and circulation of research data
 2. Establish an infrastructure for the circulation of scientific information that advances open access, and promote the distribution and use of contents
 3. Strengthen functions as a community supporting open access repositories
 4. Foster human resources able to advance open access and open science
 5. Strengthen JPCOAR's operational infrastructure and enhance its brand equity

<http://id.nii.ac.jp/1458/00000170/>

JPCOAR Organisational Structure

- General Meeting
- Steering Committee
- Secretariat
- Working Group: play central roles in conducting various operations under the Steering Committee



Recent JPCOAR Activities

1. To contribute to the promotion of open science, engage in leading initiatives on the public access to and circulation of research data

- Trial for Online RDM Self Learning Courses on NII's LMS

- NII launch Moodle as Education Platform
<http://id.nii.ac.jp/1458/00000205>

- Restructuring RDM Training Tool for Early Career Researchers and Graduates

- Database rescue project

- Support transferring data from local databases that are difficult to continue management to IR .
<http://id.nii.ac.jp/1458/00000204/>



Research
Data Working
Group

2. Establish an infrastructure for the circulation of scientific information that advances open access, and promote the distribution and use of contents

- Migration Test for new JAIRO Cloud (WEKO3)
 - JPCOAR conducted a migration test with 17 institutions to prepare for JAIRO Cloud system replace.
<http://id.nii.ac.jp/1458/00000196/>
- “Green OA : Progress and challenges in Japan”
 - Analyze the data of institutional repositories alongside with follow-up interviews to find and share “good practice” for a better future workflow.
 - cf., NII open forum 2020,
https://www.nii.ac.jp/openforum/2020/day1_os2.html



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2. Establish an infrastructure for the circulation of scientific information that advances open access, and promote the distribution and use of contents

- Release of JPCOAR Schema Version 1.0.2 (2019)
 - The metadata schema supporting the distribution of a various types of contents.
<https://schema.irdb.nii.ac.jp/en>
<https://github.com/JPCOAR/schema>
- Migration of SCPJ (Society Copyright Policies in Japan) database to JPCOAR
 - Take over the operations and update the data in SCPJ database, which provides open access archiving policies of societies in Japan.
https://jpcoar.repo.nii.ac.jp/?page_id=136



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3. Strengthen functions as a community supporting open access repositories

- Public Relations Activities
- JPCOAR Website Management
- JPCOAR Newsletter: CoCOAR
 - online issue
 - Reach the latest topics about OA/OS/IR etc., to every stakeholders in Japan
 - https://jpcoar.repo.nii.ac.jp/?page_id=62



Community
Empowerment
Working Group

- JPCOAR workshop
 - Provide a place for mutual information exchange among member institutions

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Library Fair & Forum

2019.11.14 Yokohama

https://jpcoar.repo.nii.ac.jp/?page_id=49#_href_418

JPCOAR workshop

2020.2.13 Okayama

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4. Foster human resources able to advance open access and open science

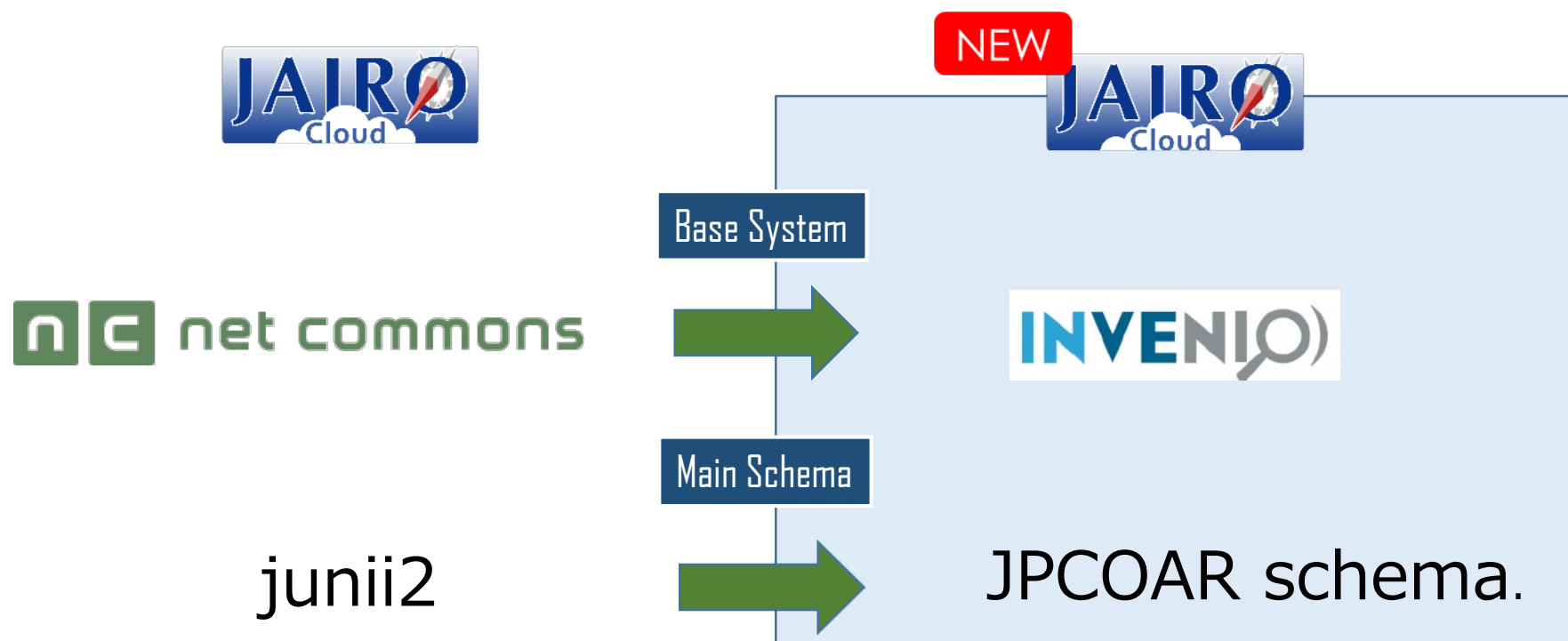
- IR training for beginners
 - Training courses 2 times per year
 - https://jpcoar.repo.nii.ac.jp/?action=common_download_main&upload_id=984
- Specialized Training
 - Plan to provide workshops including a wider range of fields related to Scholarly Communication
 - https://jpcoar.repo.nii.ac.jp/?action=common_download_main&upload_id=985



Training
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2020 and the Future

JAIRO Cloud System Migration in 2020



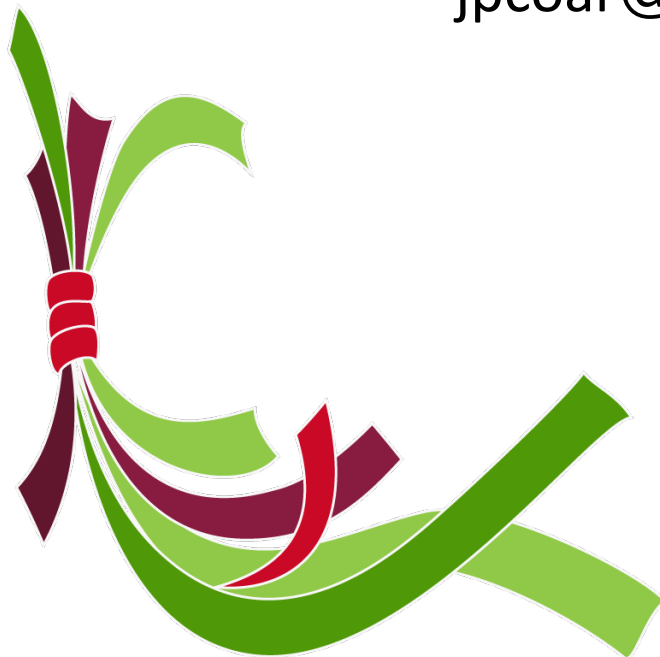
- WEKO3 is developed as the base software of new JAIRO Cloud service.
- Flexible metadata management functions and customizable workflow functions were developed to provide the extensibility of repository functions.

https://community.repo.nii.ac.jp/index.php?action=pages_view_main&&block_id=745

<https://rcos.nii.ac.jp/en/service/weko3/>

Thank you!

If you have any questions, feel free to contact us;
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traditional Japanese motif
「束ね熨斗」
(Tabane noshi : Noshi Bundle)

JPCOAR Newsletter logo
→ This logo means the unity of our community.