

# IR landscape in Japan

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**Digital Repository Federation, Japan**

- Funded by NII (National Institute of Information) Cyber Science Infrastructure program
  - the 1st stage: 2006.10-2008.3 / the 2nd stage: 2008.8-2010.2
  - 58 universities and research institutions affiliated in the 1st stage
- Sharing experiences and expertise on Open Access and Institutional Repository
  - Open Discussion List
  - Wiki
    - Bibliography for implementing IRs, "DRFpedia", Conferences and workshops list, IR-platformed OA journals list, etc
  - Conferences and Workshops
    - International Conference (DRFIC2008) – Osaka, 193 participants from 8 countries
    - National Workshops – Chiba, Tokyo, Yokohama
    - Regional workshops – Sapporo, Kanazawa, Okayama
- Research and Development Projects by DRF Partners (shown below)



## Infrastructure

- SCPJ (Univ. of Tsukuba)
  - Society Copyright Policies in Japan, SHERPA/RoMEO-like database
- Shared repository (Hiroshima Univ.)
- Digital publishing (Waseda Univ.)



## Contents

- e-Science on IR (Chiba Univ.)
- RADB-IR collection (Kanazawa Univ.)
  - Collaboration between Research Activity DataBase and IR
- IR cures ILL (Otaru Univ. of Commerce)



## Gaining Visibility

- AIRway (Hokkaido Univ.)
  - Access path to Institutional Resources via link resolvers



## Evaluation

- Standardization of usage statistics (Chiba Univ.)
- ZS meets IR (Hokkaido Univ.)
  - Analyzing the impact of Open Access on 'Zoological Science' journal