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Move beyond text – How TIB manages the digital assets researchers generate

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German National Library of Science and Technology (TIB)

- Specialized Library for Architecture, Chemistry, Computer Science, Mathematics, Physics, Engineering Technology
- Financed by Federal Government and all Federal States
- Member of Leibniz Association
- Global supplier for scientific and technical information



- Long-term preservation of scientific media
- DOI service for referencing digital objects
- Research and development with a focus on visual search, data visualisation, the Future Internet and the Semantic Web
- Competence Centre for non-textual material



Research communities produce many different types of scientific and technical information

→ New policies for publishing results & underlying data
 → Re-usability of publicly funded research



Let all different types of data be discoverable, accessible, citable, freely reusable and interlinked!



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Move beyond text - Consequences for TIB

Establish a competence centre for non-textual materials in order to improve the access and the use of scientific videos, 3D-Objects and research data.

Goals

- Systematically collect non-textual materials from science and technology
- Define, integrate and establish technical infrastructure
- Define and establish workflows for indexing, cataloguing, digital preservation, DOI registration, Licencing
- Develop innovative media-specific portals enabled by e.g. an automated video analysis with scene, speech, text and image recognition.
- Linking non-textual materials to other research information such as full texts, research data and software
- Engage in communities, provide support and advice to media providers



Example: TIB's service for scientific videos

Scientific videos are a valuable source

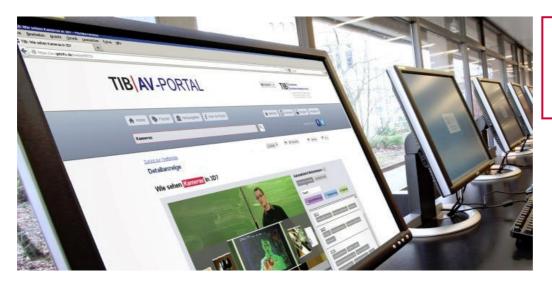
- to illustrate and share knowledge concerning findings, methodologies or procedures within the scientific community
- to make e.g. lab experiments transparent and reproducible
- to visualize temporal components by e.g. using zooming or stretching techniques etc.

If scientific videos are not indexed, preserved and made accessible in the best possible way, they remain hidden!



TIB's service for scientific videos

A TIB Service since May 2014



http://av.getinfo.de/

TIB AV-Portal provides free access to high grade videos from Architecture, Chemistry, Computer Science, Mathematics, Physics and Engineering Technology

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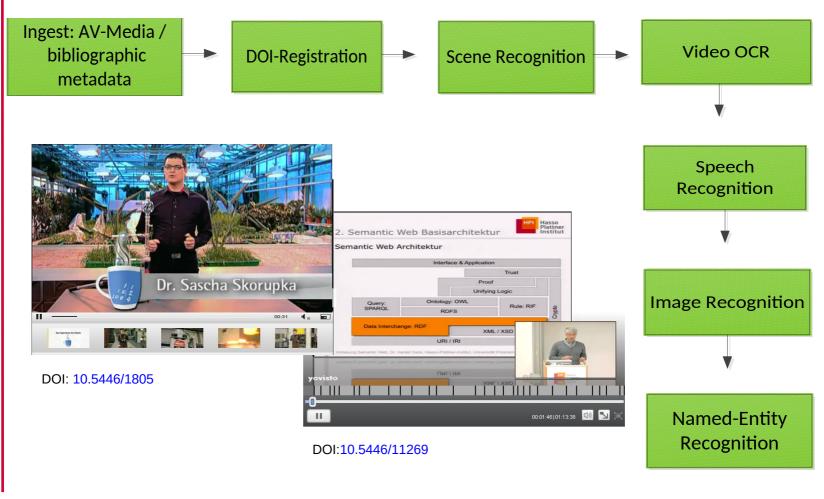
- Hosting
- Indexing according to international standards
- Display in TIB AV-Portal (or linkage to the partner's website)
- Metadata enrichment and semantic search based on text-, speech- and image recognition
- Synchronous scrolling transcripts
- Crosslingual retrieval (english / german)
- DOI registry (plus MFID for videosegments)
- Digital preservation
- Distribution of metadata (XML/RDF) to other databases and catalogues

Easy upload > see Metadata Schema and Licences https://av.getinfo.de/about



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Technology: Automatic Video Analysis

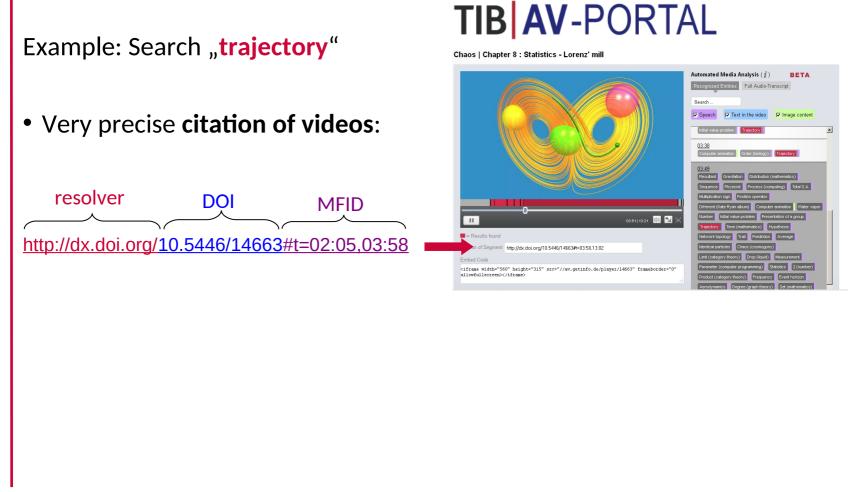


Service: Improved search results

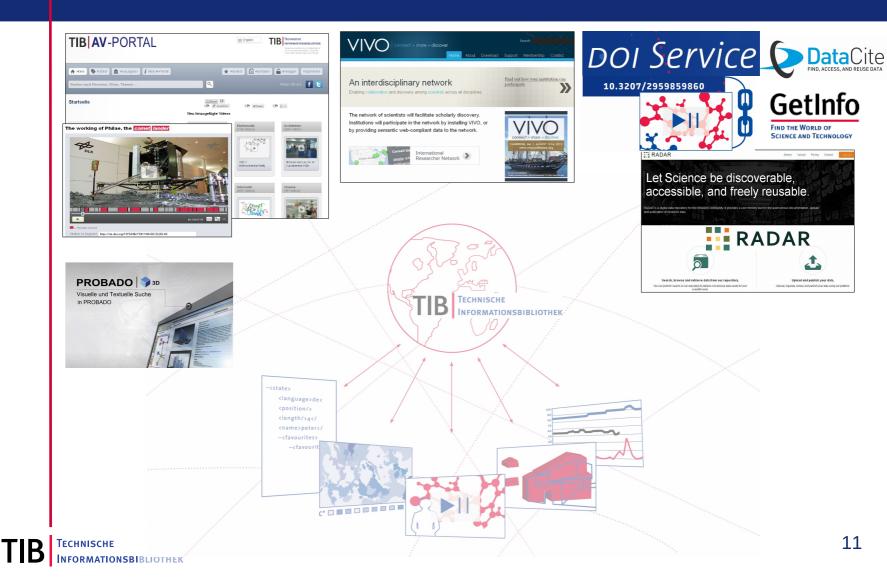
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Service: Media Fragment Identifier - MFID



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