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**“In questions of science,
the authority of
a thousand
is not worth the humble
reasoning of
a single individual.”**

~Galileo



**“...gray literature may
contain studies and
reports that point to
directions for further
research or
that contain the only
information on a
topic.”**

“The Intelligence Community developed a definition of gray literature to suit its particular needs, as part of its program to improve its exploitation of open source material.”

How does gray information solve open source intelligence issues?

How does gray information help analysts meet information needs?

Which subject areas are most advantageous or productive?

How can analysts identify their needs to information providers?

**From Social
Networking to
Wealth Creation**

**Thirteenth International
Conference on
Grey Literature**

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