

# Too Many Copies!

*The confusion between  
duplication and versioning*

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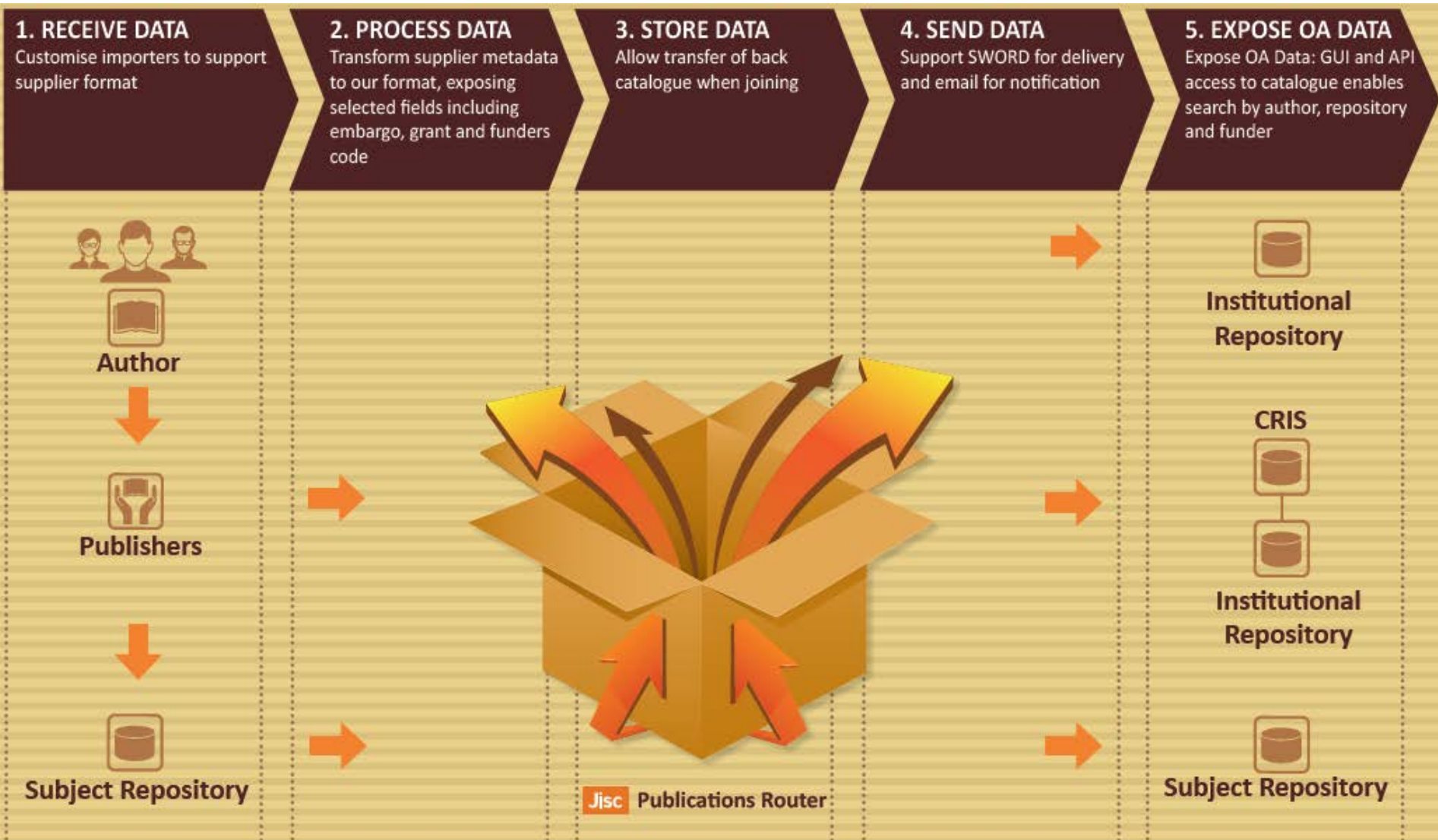
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# Jisc Publications Router

Formerly called 'Repository Junction Broker'



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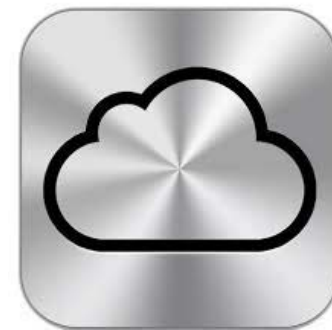


# Duplication

*Definition*

Duplicate – copy, replica,  
two of the same

Duplication is a good thing!



Not a problem to be dealt with!



# Golden Copy?

Version – variant form of something

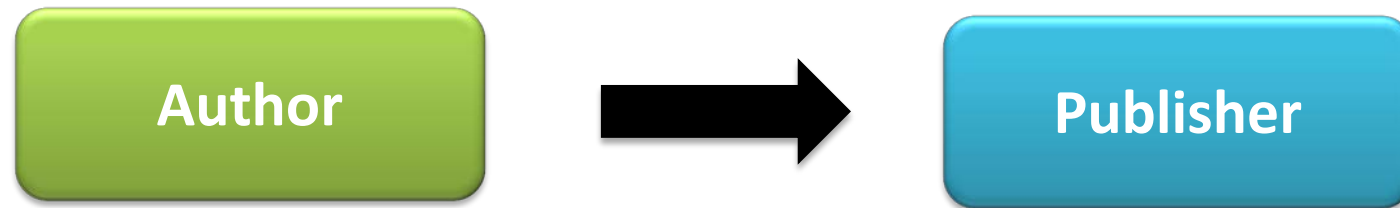
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# How many copies?

*Sources of multiplication*



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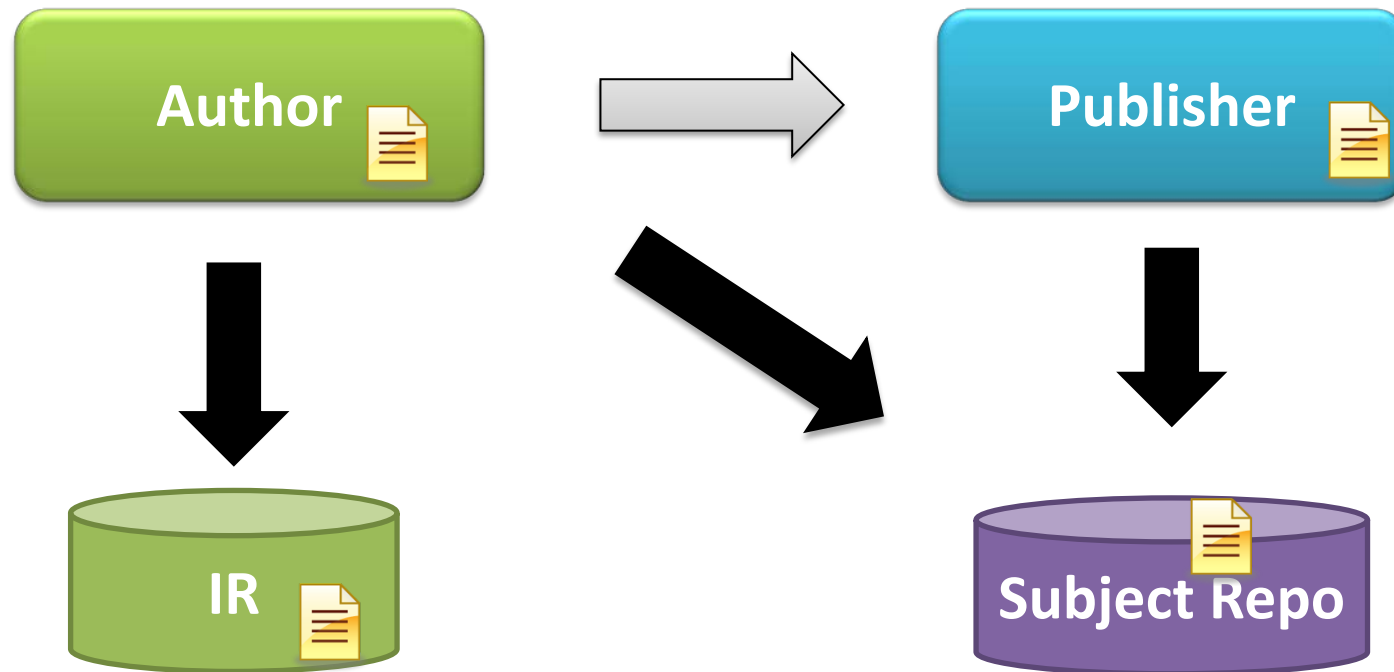
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# Open Access

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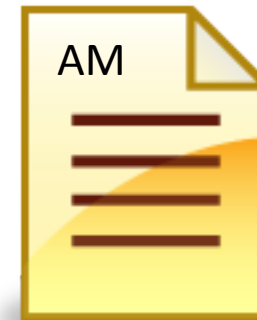




# Metadata

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Record = Metadata +



CROSSREF, DOI, NISO, ISNI, ORCID, CASRAI,  
SHARE, OpenAIRE, RIOXX, CERIF, NLM, JATS, ...

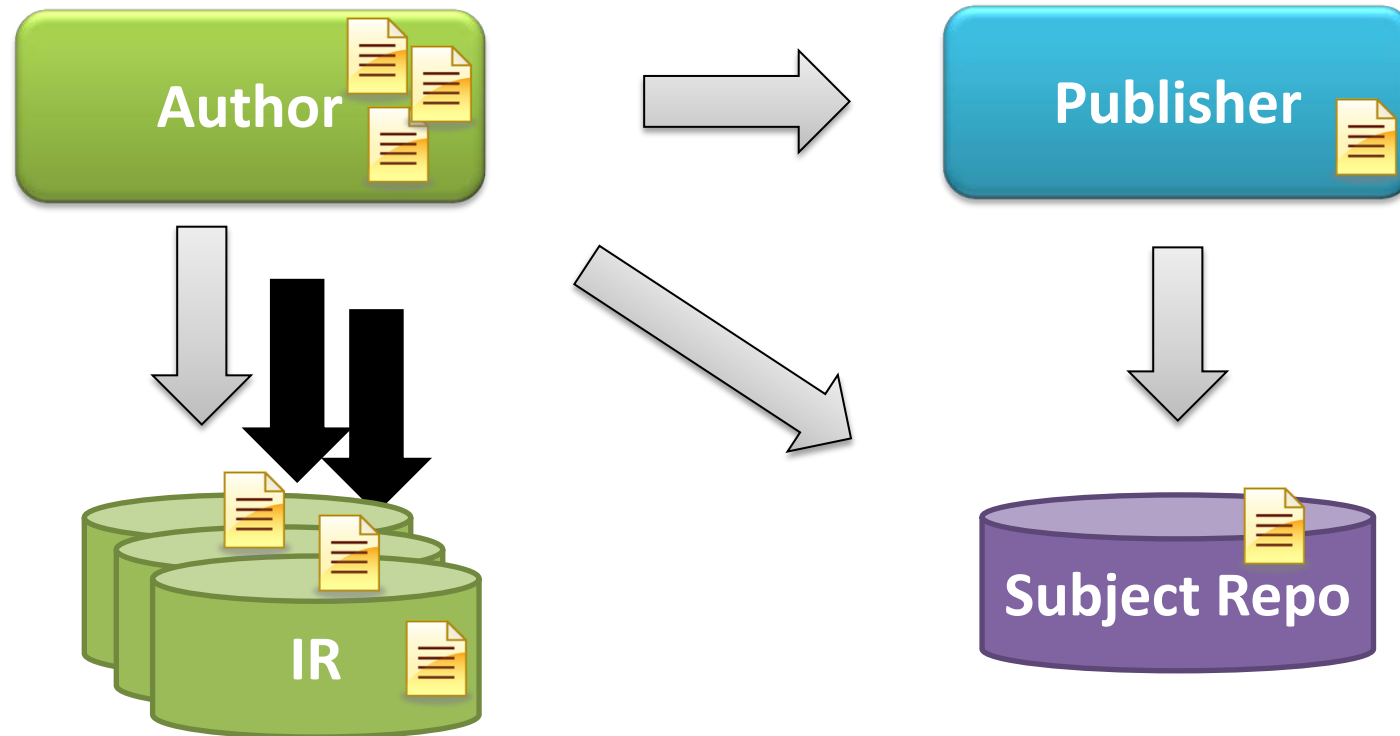
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# Collaborative Research

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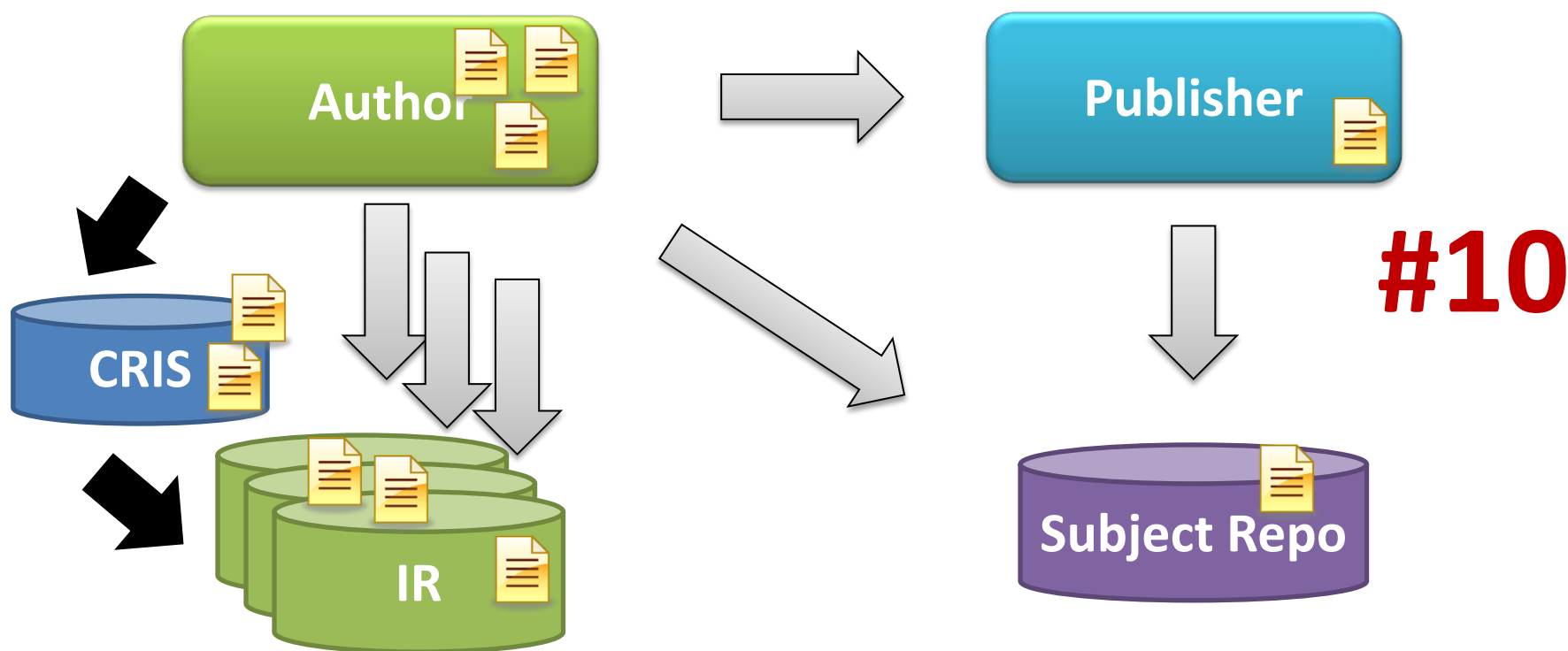


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# Research Information

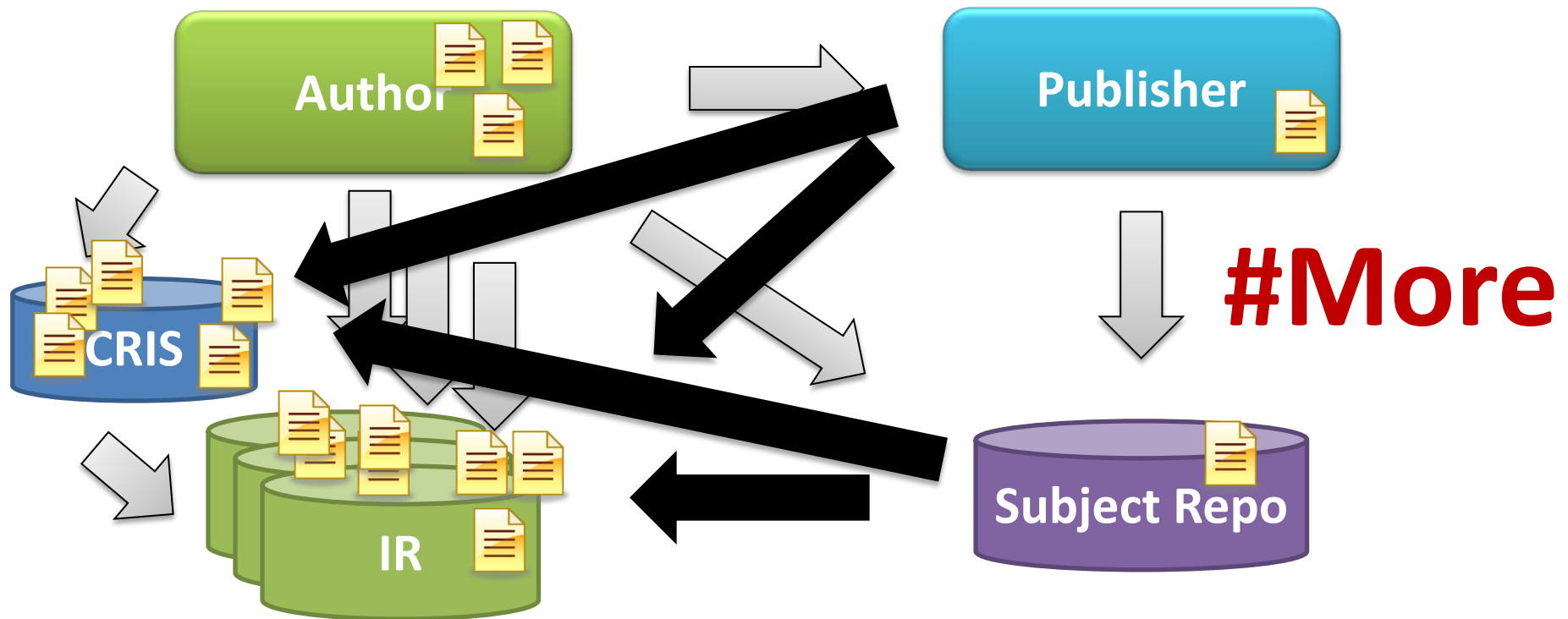
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# APIs and Subscriptions

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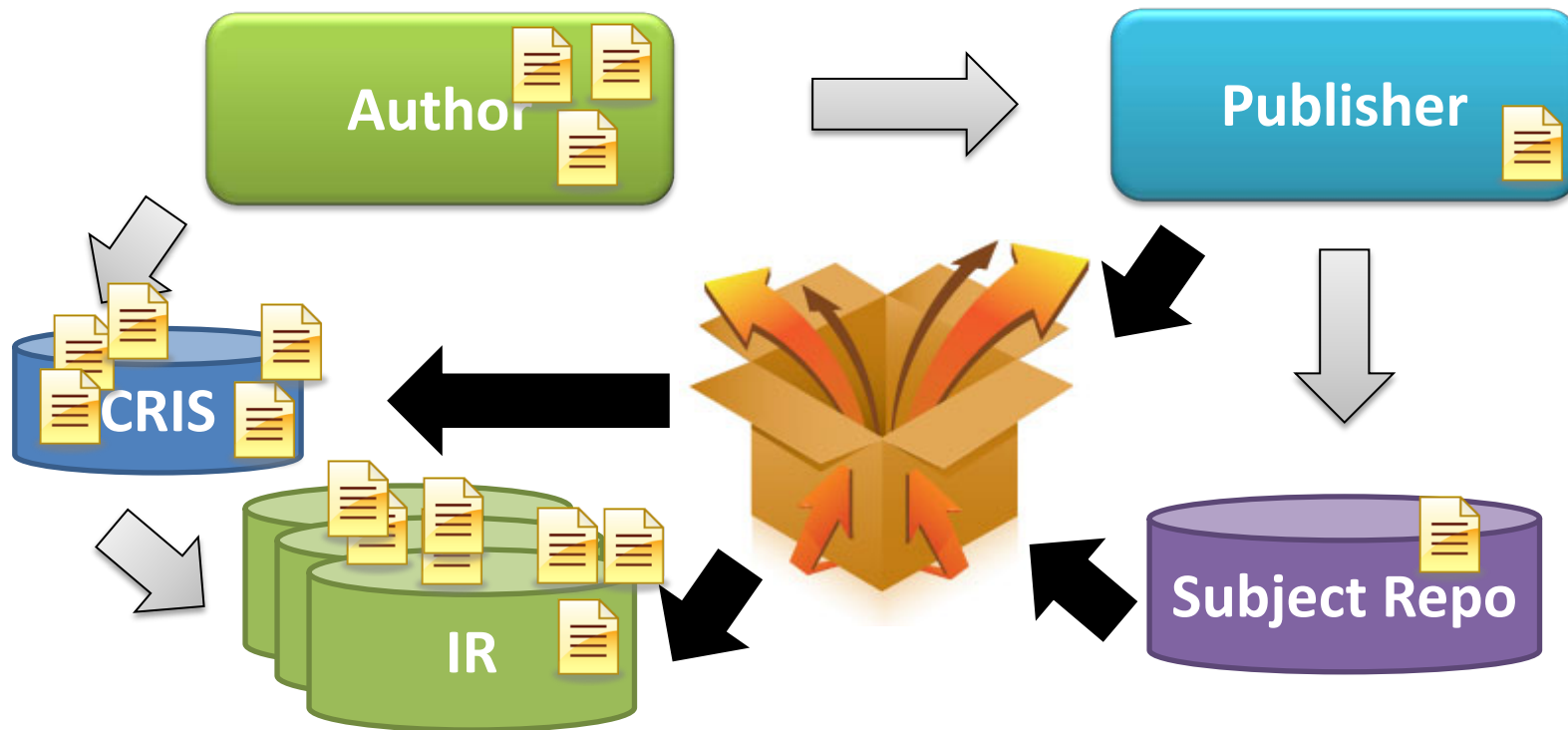






# Publications Router

*Help from the Jisc Publications Router*



- How can I tell which is the *right* copy?
- Do I need to keep more than one copy?
- How can I tell if two copies are linked?
- How can I tell a copy is a duplicate?
- How can I tell a copy is a different version?



- Should I merge records?
- How can I propagate changes?
- Who has the authority to make changes?
- How can I make sure I report on the correct number and version of the records?



**Thanks!**