

# Science Maps in Action

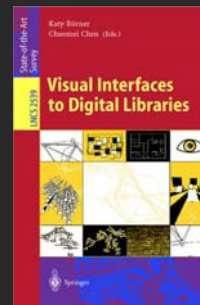


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## Computational Scientometrics: Studying Science by Scientific Means



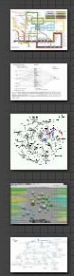
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- **Places & Spaces: Mapping Science** exhibit, see also <http://scimaps.org>.



**Cartography of the Physical and the Abstract**  
 An exhibition created for the conference "Mapping Humanity's Knowledge and Expertise in the Digital Domain" at the 2005 Meeting of the American Association of Geographers that is updated regularly with new maps and explanations.

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**Exhibit Purpose and Goals**

**The Places & Spaces** exhibit has been created to demonstrate the power of maps.

An initial theme of this exhibit is to compare and contrast first maps of our entire planet with the first maps of all of science as we know it.

Come see with your own eyes the extent to which maps can be employed to help make sense of the flood of information we are confronted with and how domain maps can be used to locate complex and beautiful information.

This online part of the exhibit provides links to a selected series of maps and their makers along with detailed explanations of why these maps work. The physical counterpart supports the close inspection of high quality reproductions for display at conferences and education centers. It is meant to inspire cross-disciplinary discussion on how to best track and communicate human activity and scientific progress on a global scale.



**Places & Spaces: Mapping Science**

a science exhibit that introduces people to maps of sciences, their makers and users.

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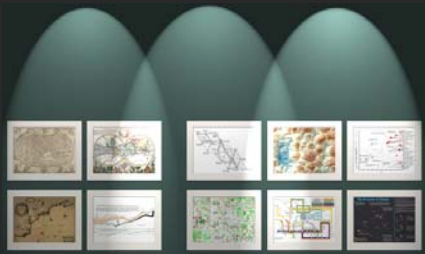
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# The Power of Maps

Four Early Maps of Our World  
 VERSUS  
 Six Early Maps of Science



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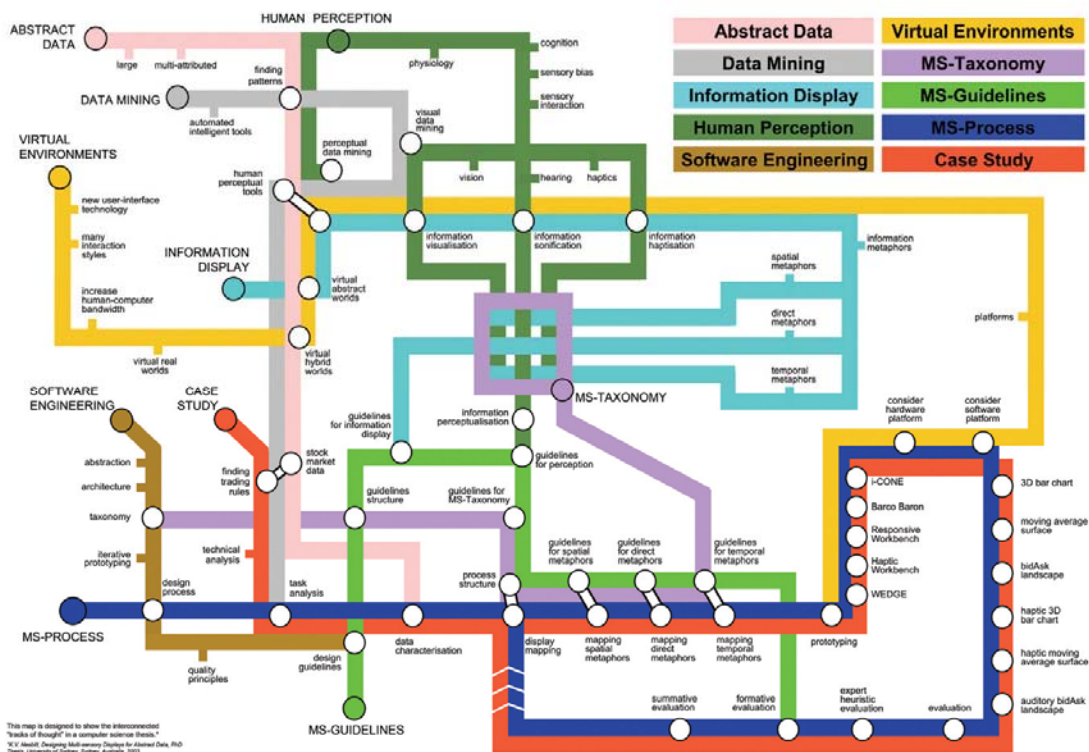






# How would a map of science look?

# What metaphors would work best?

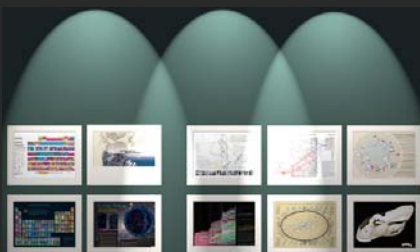






# The Power of Reference Systems

## Four Existing Reference Systems VERSUS Six Potential Reference Systems of Science



*(2<sup>nd</sup> Iteration of Places & Spaces Exhibit - 2006)*

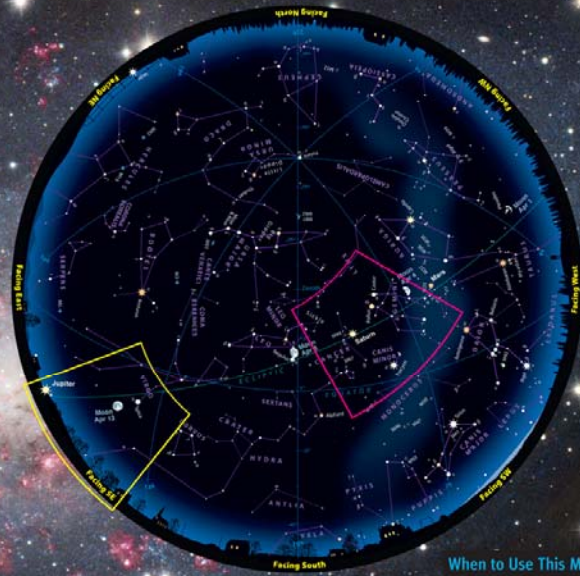
### The Visual Elements Periodic Table





# Evening Stars

The Big Dipper floats high in the northeast these early spring evenings, while Orion sinks low in the southwest. These are just a few of the celestial sights you can find on any clear evening in April using a sky map like the one shown here.



## How to Use a Sky Map

- 1. Check the dates and times at right.** Take your map out under the night sky around the right time, and bring along a flashlight to read it by. It helps to attach a piece of red paper over the front or to use a flashlight with red LEDs; the dim red light won't spoil your night vision.
- 2. Outside, you need to know which direction you're facing.** (If you're unsure, just note where the Sun sets; that's west.) Whichever way you're facing, make sure the corresponding yellow label along the curved edge of the map is at the bottom, right-side up.  
This curved edge represents the horizon. The stars above it on the map match the stars in front of you. The farther up from the map's edge they appear, the higher they'll be in the sky.  
The center of the map is the zenith (straight overhead). So a star halfway from the edge of the map to the center will appear halfway from straight ahead to straight up. Ignore all the parts of the map above horizons you're not facing.
- 3. Let's give it a try!** Pretend you're facing the southwest horizon (labeled "Facing SW"). Just a little way up (that is, a little way in from the edge of the map) is Sirius, the brightest star in the night sky, in the constellation Canis Major. Farther up, nearly halfway overhead, is the star Procyon in Canis Minor. Still farther up is the ringed planet Saturn. Go out at the right time, face southwest, and look up into the sky — there they are!

## Tips

**A couple of tips:** Look for the brightest stars and constellations first; light pollution or moonlight may wash out the fainter ones. And remember that star patterns in the sky will look a lot bigger than they do here on paper.  
With a map like this, you can identify celestial sights all over the sky. Go out the next clear night and make some stargazing friends!

You can customize a night-sky map for any time and place at [SkyandTelescope.com](http://SkyandTelescope.com).

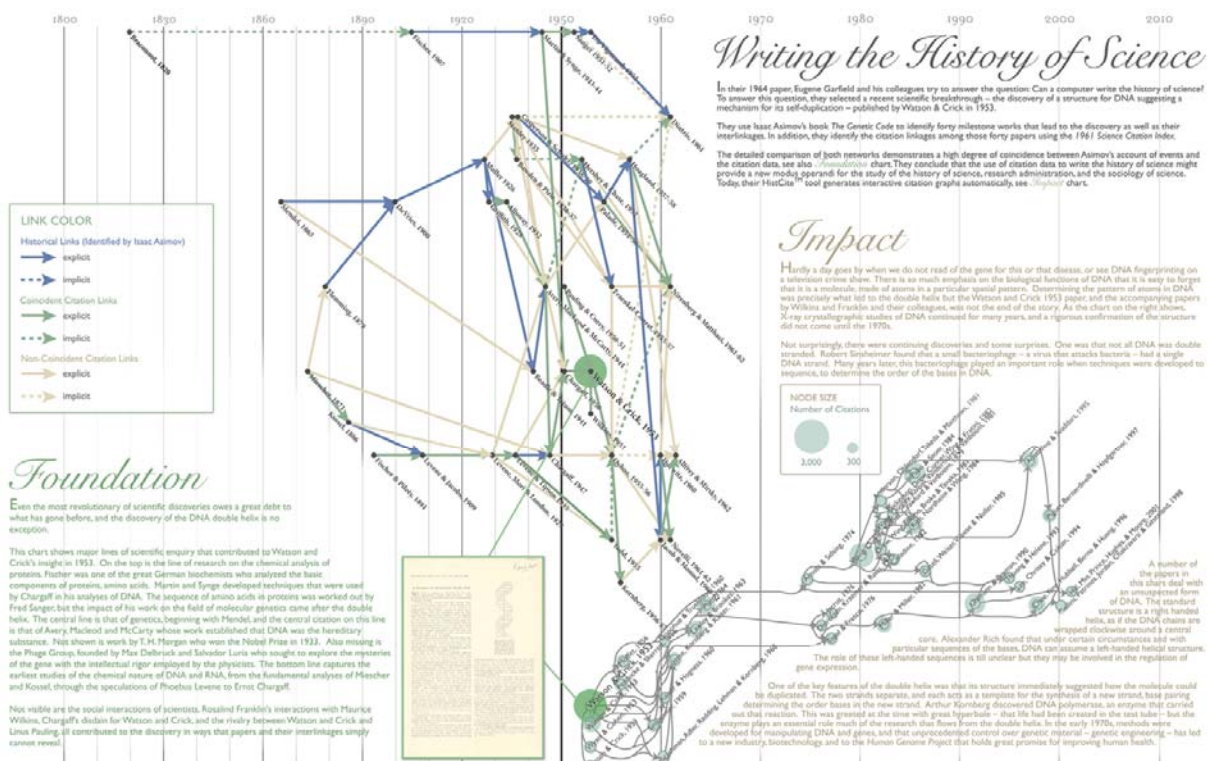
## When to Use This Map

Early April: 10 pm (daylight-saving time)  
Late April: Dark

**SKY**  
& TELESCOPE

How would a reference system for all of science look?

What dimensions would it have?



# Writing the History of Science

In their 1964 paper Eugene Garfield and his colleagues try to answer the question: Can a computer write the history of science? To answer this question, they selected a recent scientific breakthrough – the discovery of a structure for DNA suggesting a mechanism for its self-replication – published by Watson & Crick in 1953.

They use Isaac Asimov's book *The Genetic Code* to identify forty milestone works that lead to the discovery as well as their interrelationships. In addition, they identify the citation linkages among those forty papers using the 1961 Science Citation Index.

The detailed comparison of both generative processes demonstrates a high degree of coincidence between Asimov's account of events and the citation data. See also *Foundations* chart. They conclude that the use of citation data to write the history of science might provide a new model approach for the study of the history of science, research administration, and the sociology of science. Today their *Historical Links* tool generates interactive citation graphs automatically. See *Impact* chart.

## Foundation

Even the most revolutionary of scientific discoveries owes a great debt to what has gone before, and the discovery of the DNA double helix is no exception.

This chart shows major lines of scientific enquiry that contributed to Watson and Crick's insight in 1953. On the top is the line of research on the chemical analysis of proteins. Fischer was one of the great German biochemists who analyzed the basic components of proteins, amino acids. Martin and Sanger developed techniques that were used by Chargaff in his analyses of DNA. The sequence of amino acids in proteins was worked out by Fred Sanger but the impact of his work on the field of molecular genetics came after the double helix. The central line is that of genetics, beginning with Mendel and the central citation on this line is that of Avery, Macleod and McCarty whose work established that DNA was the hereditary substance. This shown is work by T.H. Morgan who won the Nobel Prize in 1933. Also mixing in the *Fluge Group* founded by Max Delbrück and Salvador Luria who sought to explore the mysteries of the gene with the intellectual rigor employed by the physicists. The bottom line captures the earliest studies of the chemical nature of DNA and RNA, from the fundamental analyses of Meischer and Kossel, through the speculations of Phoebus Levene to Erwin Chargaff.

Not visible are the social interactions of scientists. Rosalind Franklin's interactions with Maurice Wilkins, Chargaff's disdain for Watson and Crick, and the rivalry between Watson and Crick and Linus Pauling all contributed to the discovery in ways that papers and their interlinkages simply cannot reveal.



## Impact

Hardly a day goes by when we do not read of the gene for this or that disease, or see DNA fingerprinting on a television news show. There is so much emphasis on the biological function of DNA that it is easy to forget that it is a molecule, made of atoms in a particular spatial pattern. Determining the pattern of atoms in DNA was precisely what led to the double helix but the Watson and Crick 1953 paper and the accompanying papers by Wilkins and Franklin and their colleagues, was not the end of the story. As the chart on the right shows, 20 years after the discovery of DNA continued for many years, and a rigorous confirmation of the structure did not come until the 1970s.

Not surprisingly there were continuing discoveries and some surprises. One was that not all DNA was double stranded. Robert Sinsheimer found that a small bacteriophage – a virus that attacks bacteria – had a single DNA strand. Many years later, this bacteriophage played an important role when techniques were developed to sequence, to determine the order of the bases in DNA.



A number of the papers in this chart deal with an uncompleted form of DNA. The standard structure is a right handed helix, as if the strands were wrapped clockwise around a central core. Alexander Rich found that under certain circumstances and with particular sequences of the bases, DNA can assume a left handed helical structure. The rate of these left-handed sequences is still unclear but they may be involved in the regulation of gene expression.

One of the key features of the double helix was that its structure immediately suggested how the molecule could be duplicated. The two strands separate, and each acts as a template for the synthesis of a new strand, base pairing determining the order bases in the new strand. Arthur Kornberg discovered DNA polymerase, an enzyme that carried out this reaction. This was greeted as the time with great hope/bells – that life had been created in the test tube – but the enzyme plays an essential role much of the research done from the double helix. In the early 1970s, methods were developed for manipulating DNA and genes, and that unprecedented control over genetic material – genetic engineering – has led to a new industry, biotechnology, and to the Human Genome Project that holds great promise for improving human health.

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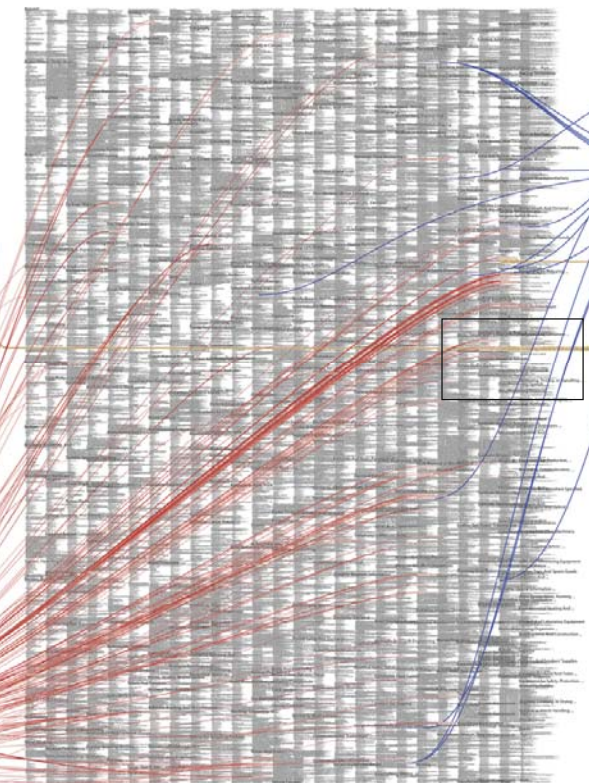
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## US Patent Hierarchy



## Prior Art



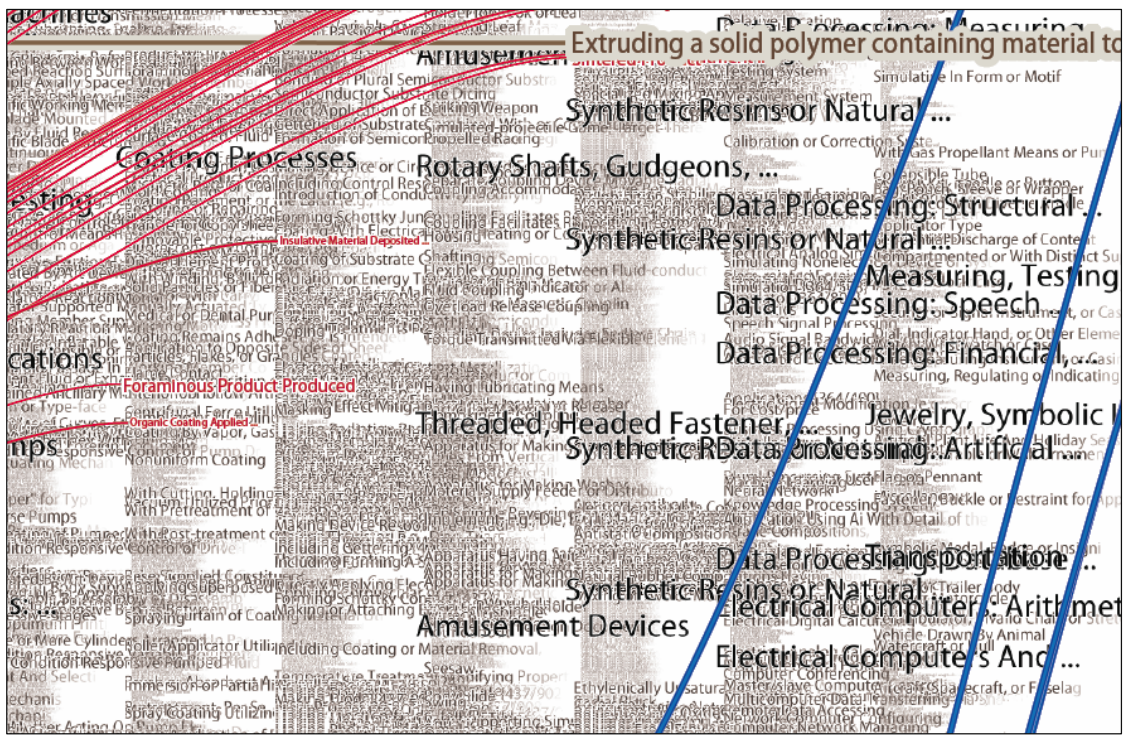
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Keeping categories understandable is an important part of maintaining any taxonomy, including the patent hierarchy. Categories are easier to understand, search, and maintain if they contain elements (patents in this case) that fit well within the definition of the category. The box above shows a tiny bar chart, part of a "Taxonomy Validator" that helps people decide whether categories are good ones.

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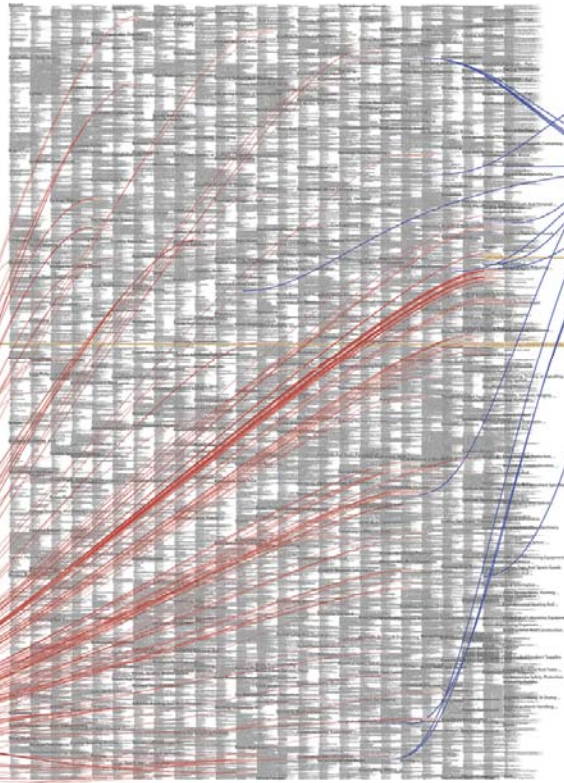
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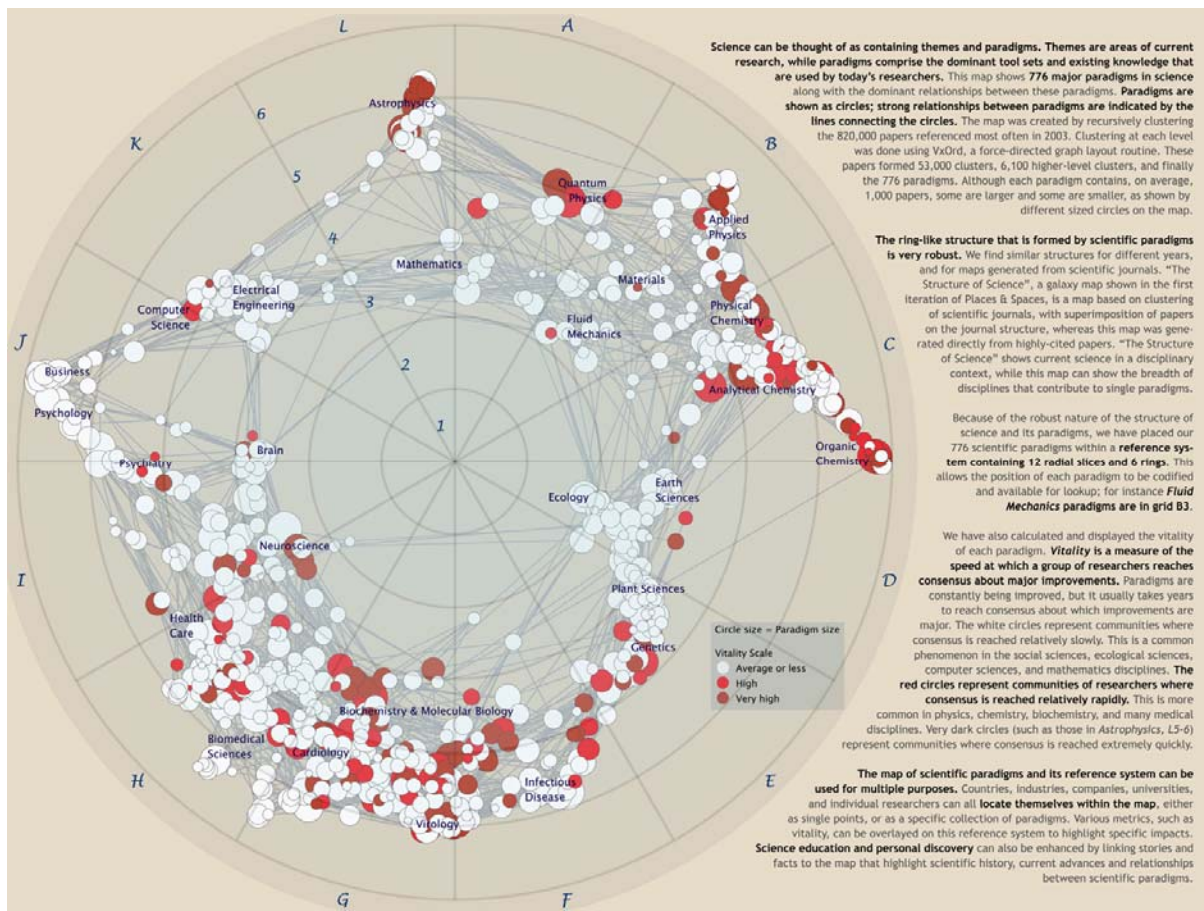
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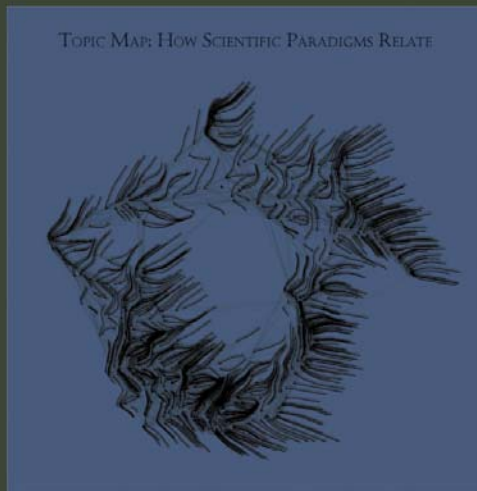






### Illuminated Diagram Display

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You may run your finger over each of these maps to control the lighting on the other: touching a place on the world map will light up topics studied in that place; touching a paradigm on the topic map will light up the places that study that topic.

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This overlay shows the distribution of nanotechnology within the paradigms of science. The majority of current work in nanotechnology takes place in physics, chemistry, and materials science, at the upper right portion of the map. However, an increasing amount of nanotechnology is being applied in the biological and medical sciences, at the lower right.

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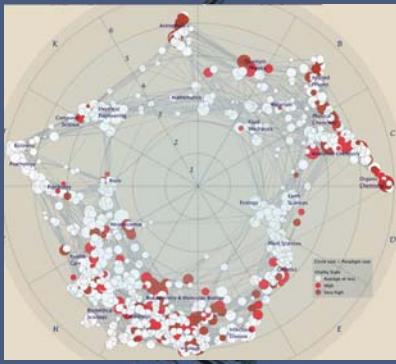
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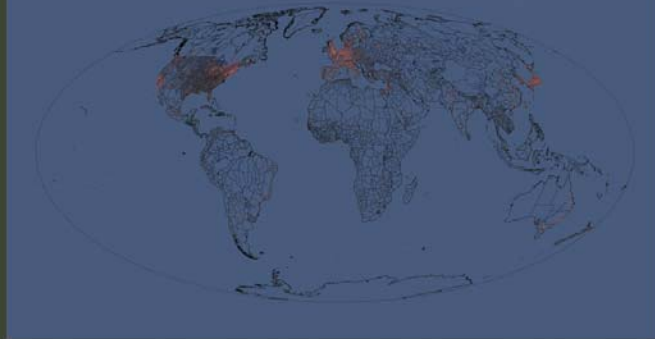
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GEOGRAPHIC MAP: WHERE SCIENCE GETS DONE



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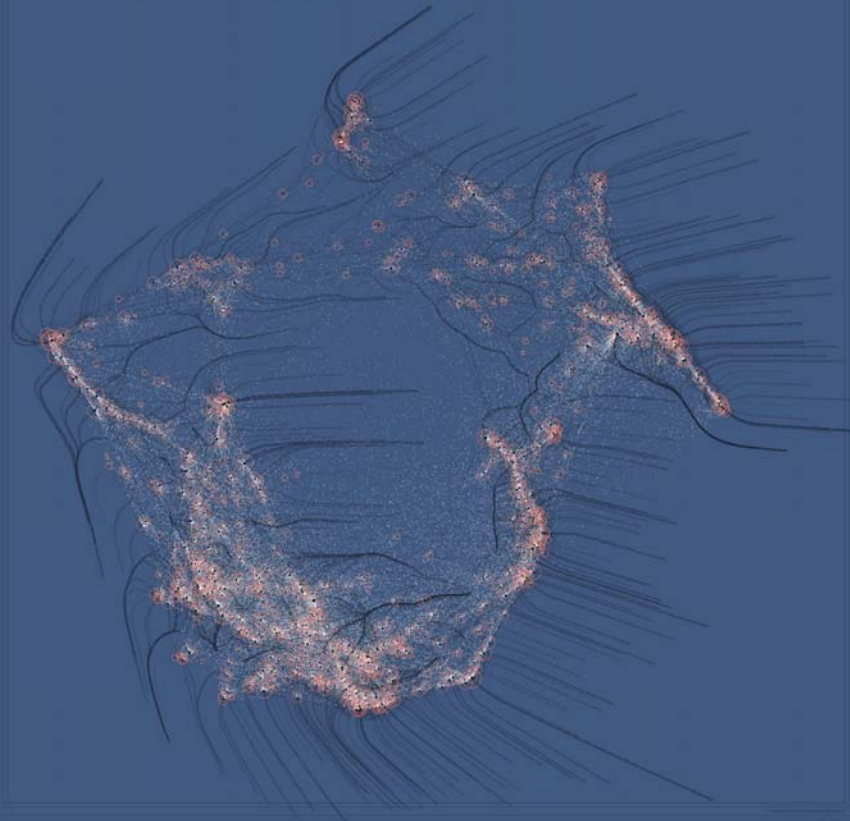
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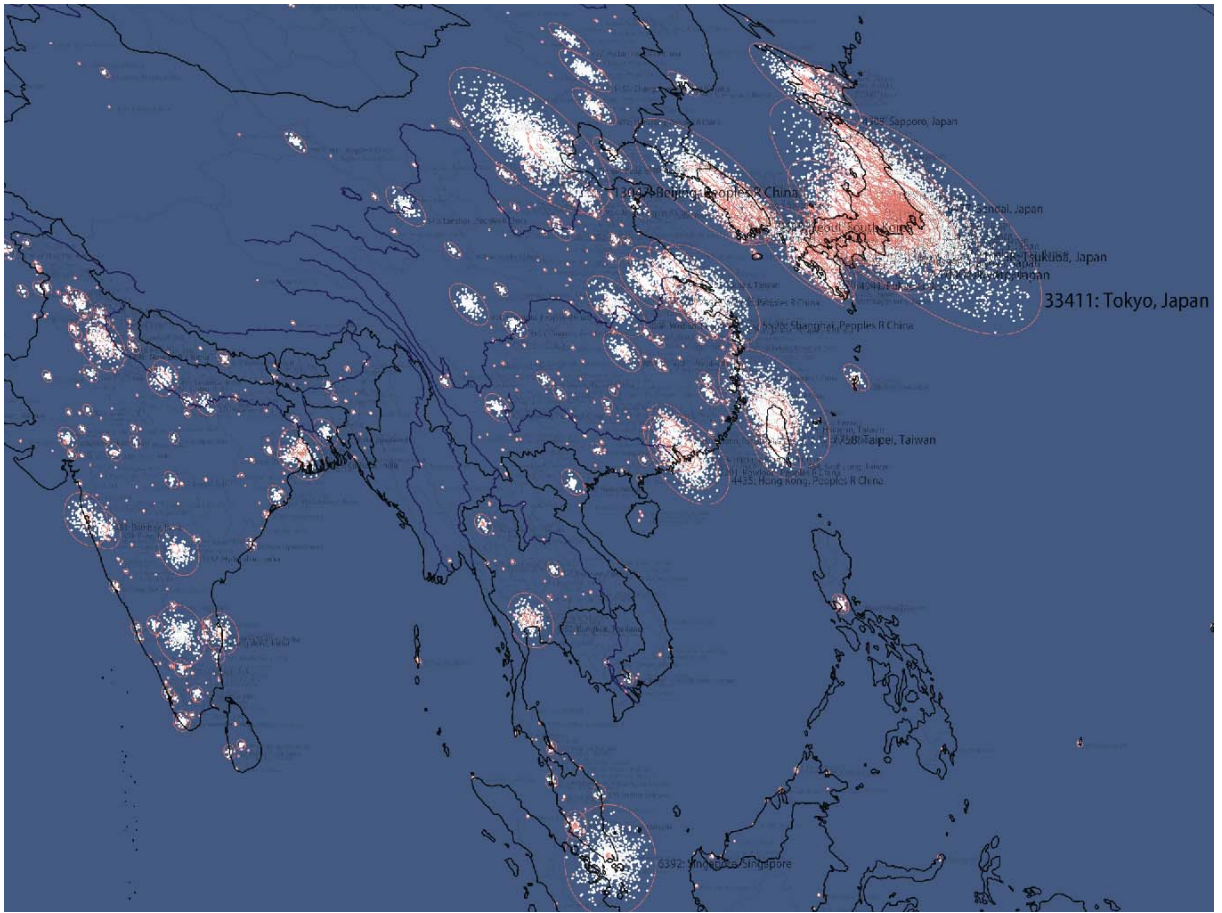












### 学科分布图：科学学科是怎样相互关联的

### 世界地图：科学研究在哪里进行着

你可以通过触摸屏在地图上随意指点来改变所到之处的光亮程度。当你触摸世界地图的某一点时，在那个地理位置上的所有研究机构会被点亮，同时在这些研究机构工作的学者的论文所属的学科会在学科分布图上被点亮，而当你触摸学科分布图的某一点时，在那个位置上的科学学科会被点亮，同时从事这些学科研究的研究机构在世界地图上的分布会被点亮。

#### 纳米技术

这里显示所有和纳米技术相关的科学学科。纳米技术和科学研究人员在无形的空间里改造世界的的能力。这些空间存在于其极微小以至单个原子的结构中。目前大部分有关纳米的研究主要集中在物理、化学和材料科学领域。它们主要位于学科分布图上半部分的右面。不过，纳米技术在生物学和医药学研究里的应用也越来越多，生物学和医药学位于学科分布图下半部分的右面。

#### 探索科学学科的相互关联性

所有科学学科	纳米技术
显示所有776种科学学科	有关微观粒子的科学
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#### 探索某个学者的科学著作的影响力的传播

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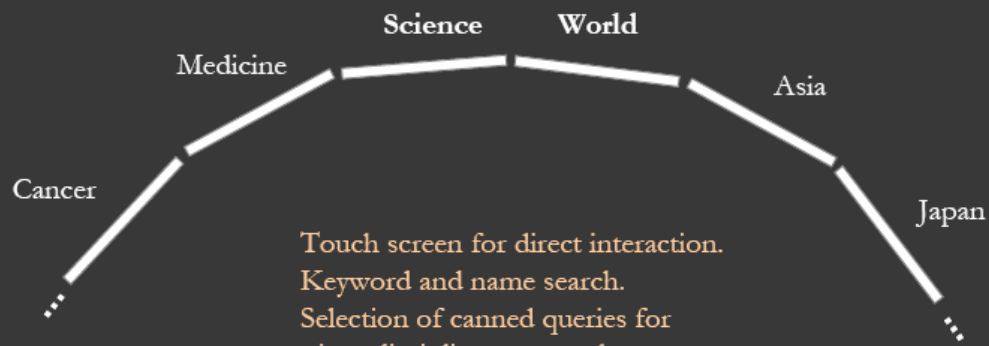
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显示屏通过四步骤展示某个学者对科学的贡献以及影响力的传播。首先，显示屏点亮该学者所发表的论文所属的学科在学科分布图上的位置以及该学者从事这项研究时所在的研究机构在世界地图上的位置。到目前为止，所有这些论文的引用率仍然很高。第二步，显示屏点亮所有引用在第一步中被点亮的原始论文的论文在学科分布图上的位置以及它们在世界地图上的位置。第三步，显示屏点亮所有引用了在第二步中被点亮的论文的学科在学科分布图上的位置以及它们在世界地图上的位置。第四步，显示屏点亮所有引用了在第三步中被点亮的论文的学科在学科分布图上的位置以及它们在世界地图上的位置。

## Re-implementation of Illuminated Diagram Software

by *Advanced Visualization Lab, Indiana University*

Drives unlimited number of ID screens.



Touch screen for direct interaction.

Keyword and name search.

Selection of canned queries for

- interdisciplinary research areas

- famous people

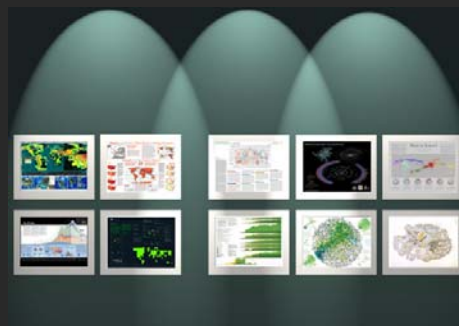
- activity patterns, e.g., bursts, trends, etc.

## The Power of Forecasts

Four Existing Forecasts

VERSUS

Six Potential Science 'Weather' Forecasts



*(3<sup>rd</sup> Iteration of Places & Spaces Exhibit - 2007)*



## Mapping Science Exhibit – 10 Iterations in 10 years

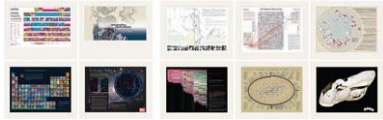
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### Science Maps for Economic Decision Makers (2008)



### The Power of Reference Systems (2006)



### Science Maps for Science Policy Makers (2009)

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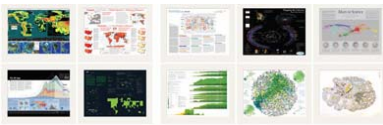
### Science Maps as Visual Interfaces to Digital Libraries (2011)

### Science Maps for Kids (2012)

### Science Forecasts (2013)

### How to Lie with Science Maps (2014)

### The Power of Forecasts (2007)



[scimaps.org](http://scimaps.org)



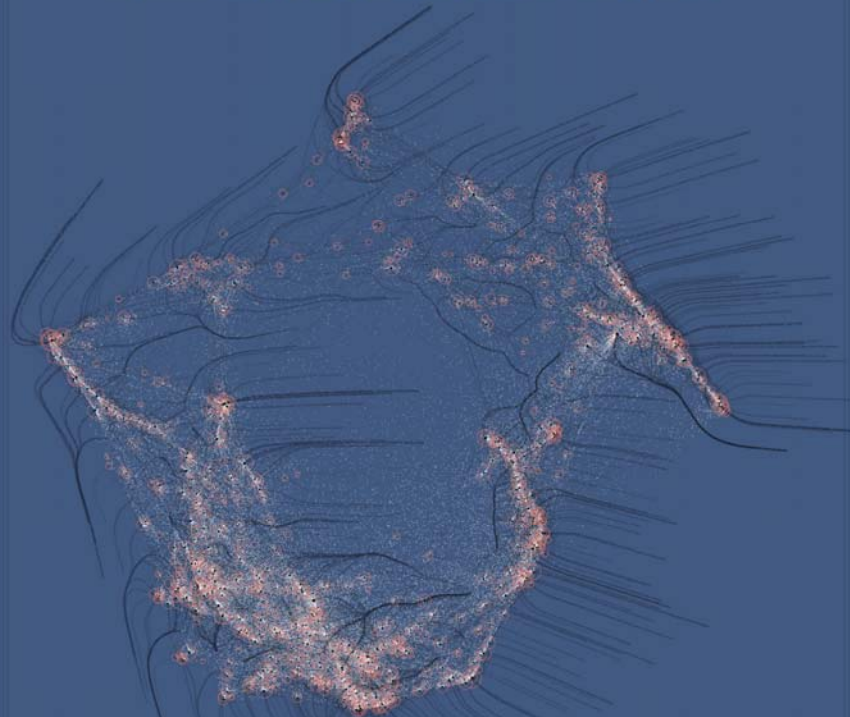
Science Maps in Action

## KIDS first ...



All maps of science are on sale via  
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## TOPIC MAP: HOW SCIENTIFIC PARADIGMS RELATE



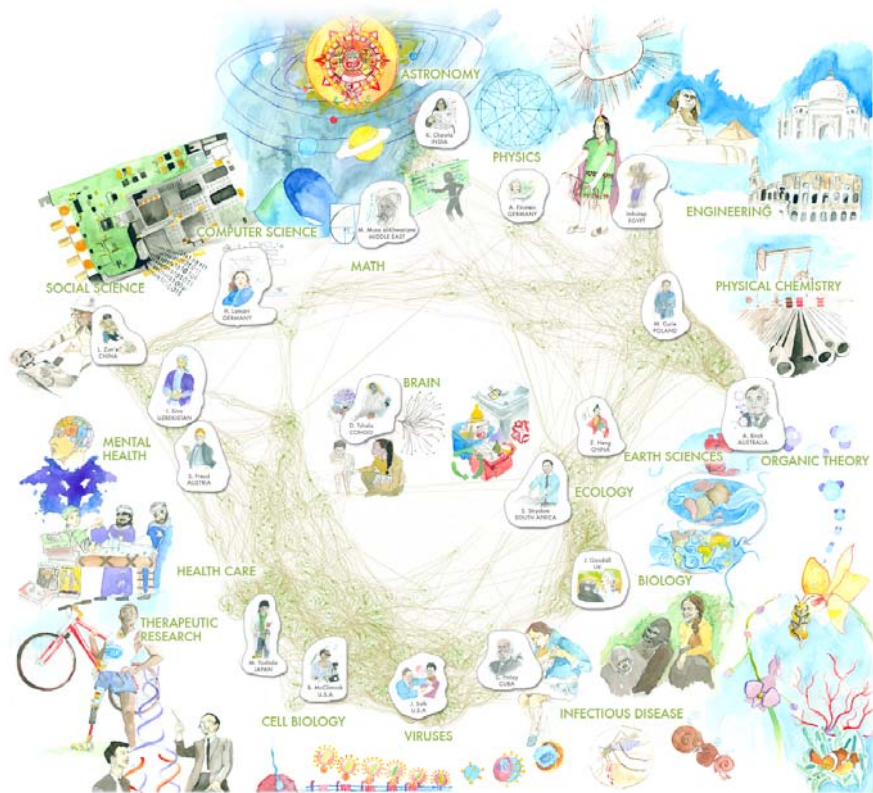


# Inventors & Inventions



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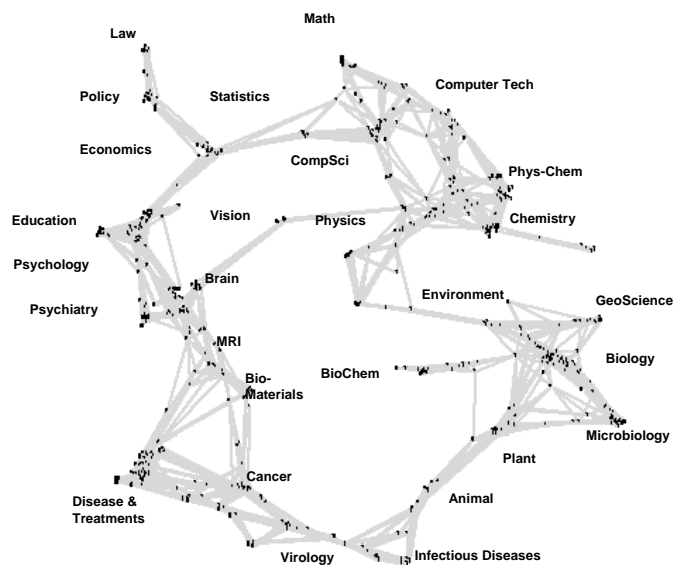
... our SPONSORS next ...



### Latest 'Base Map' of Science

Boyack, Kevin W, Börner, Katy & Klavans, Richard. (2007). *Mapping the Structure and Evolution of Chemistry Research*. *Proceedings of ISSI 2007*, pp. 112-123.

- Uses combined SCI/SSCI from 2002
  - 1.07M papers, 24.5M references, 7,300 journals
  - Bibliographic coupling of papers, aggregated to journals
- Initial ordination and clustering of journals gave 671 clusters
- Coupling counts were reaggregated at the journal cluster level to calculate the
  - (x,y) positions for each journal cluster
  - by association, (x,y) positions for each journal



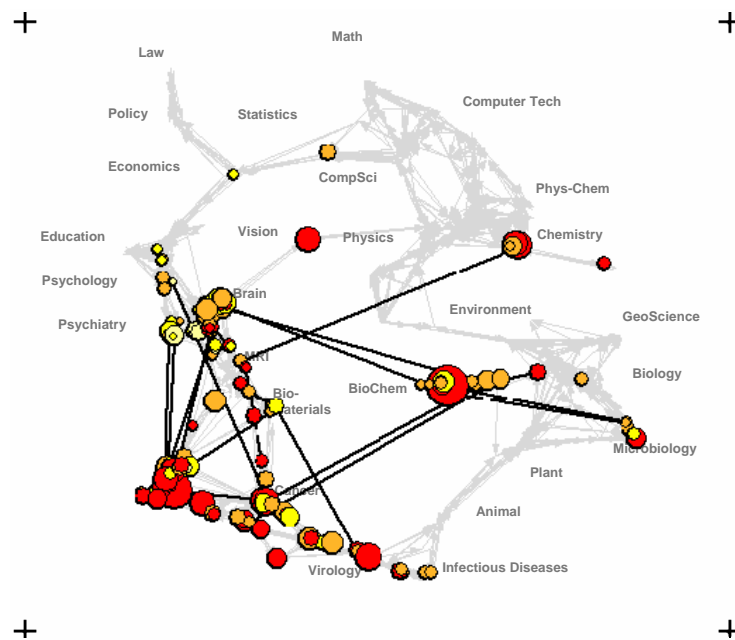




## Science map applications: Identifying core competency

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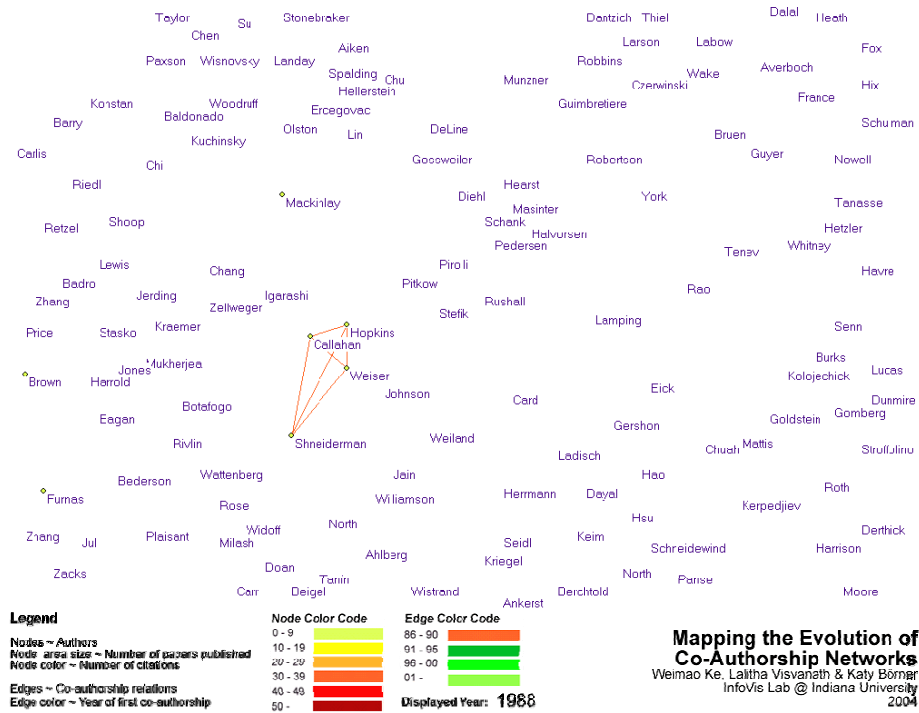
### Funding Patterns of the National Institutes of Health (NIH)



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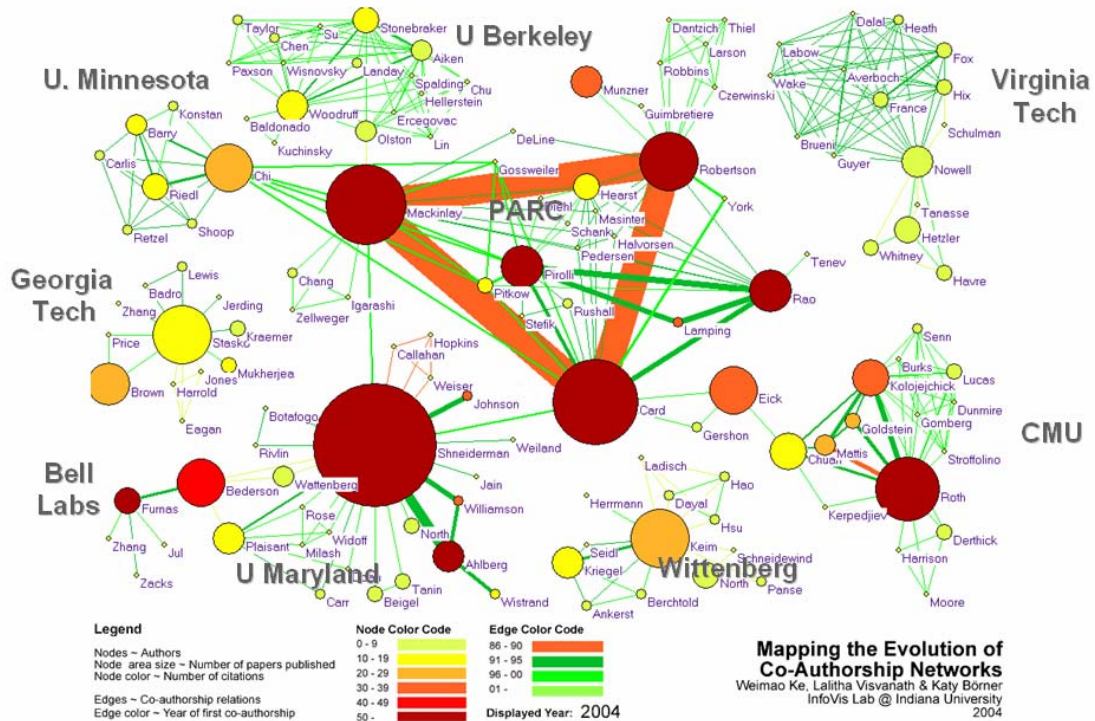
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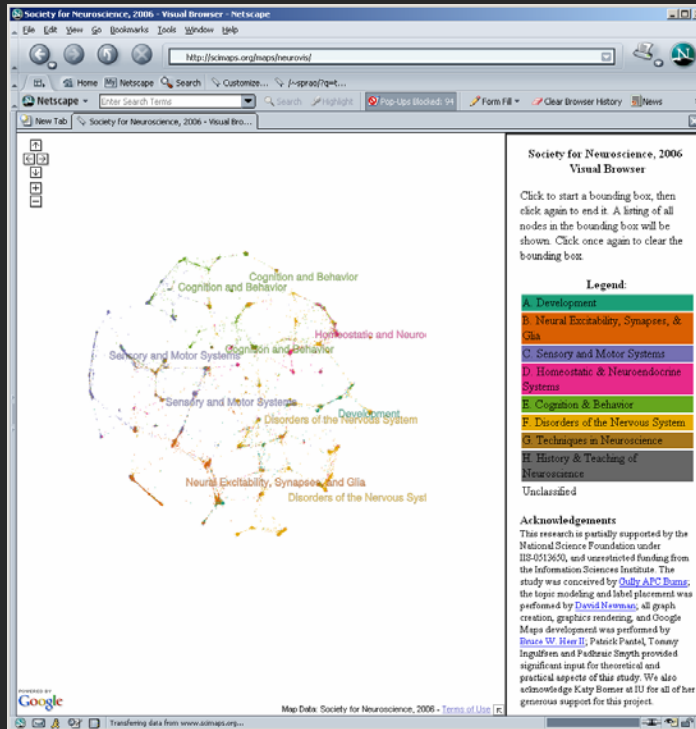


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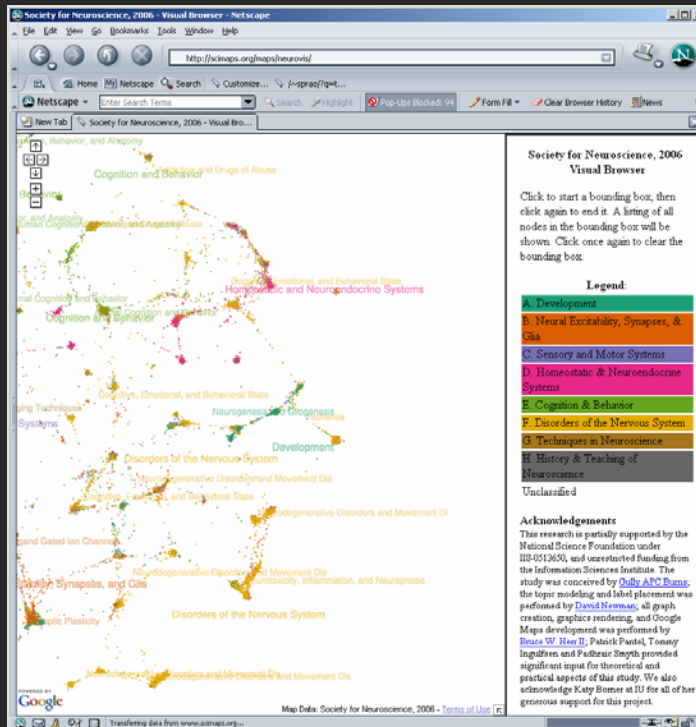
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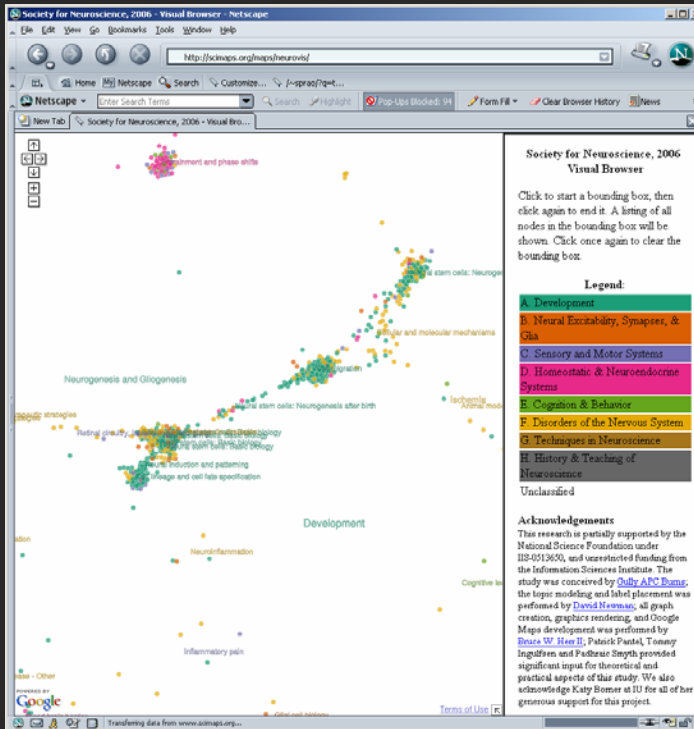




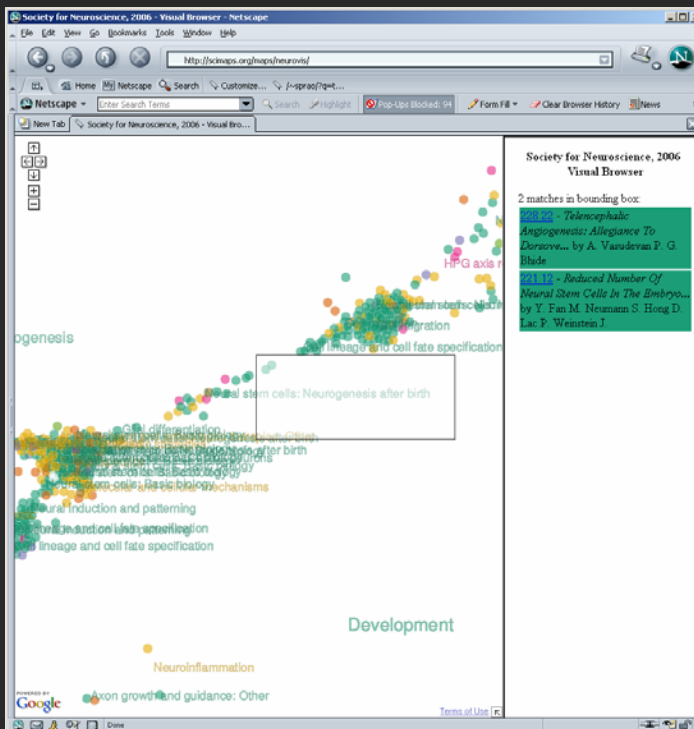
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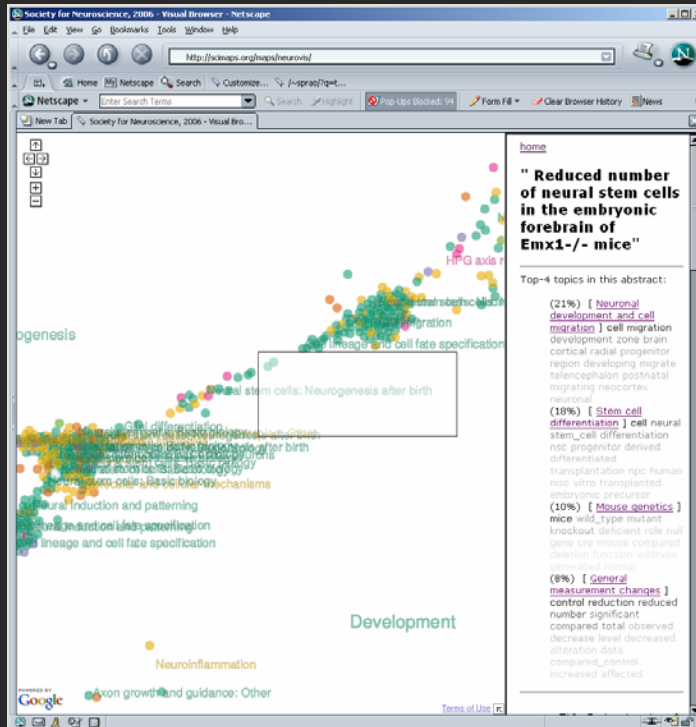


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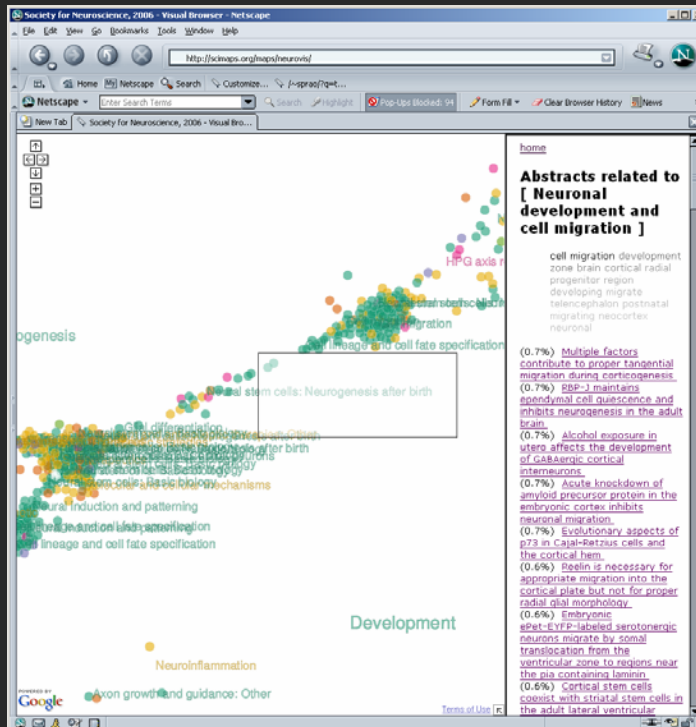


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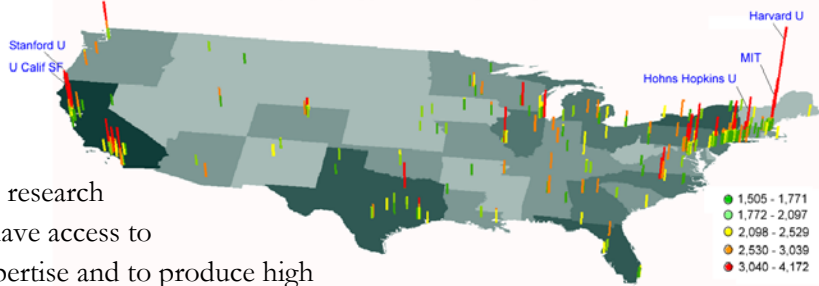
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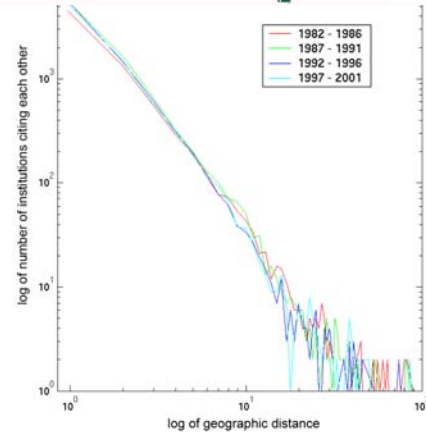
## Research questions:

1. Does space still matter in the Internet age?
2. Does one still have to study and work at major research institutions in order to have access to high quality data and expertise and to produce high quality research?
3. Does the Internet lead to more global citation patterns, i.e., more citation links between papers produced at geographically distant research institutions?



## Contributions:

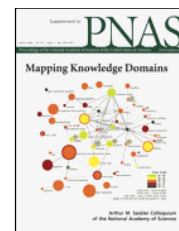
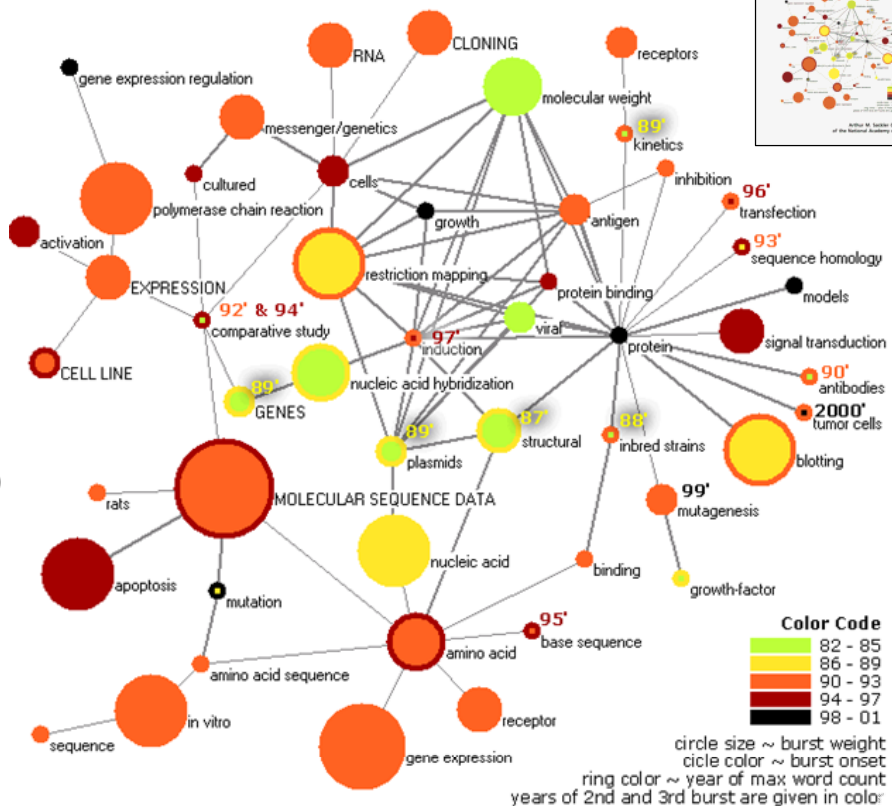
- Answer to Qs 1 + 2 is YES.
- Answer to Qs 3 is NO.
- Novel approach to analyzing the dual role of institutions as information producers and consumers and to study and visualize the diffusion of information among them.



# Mapping Topic Bursts

Co-word space of the top 50 highly frequent and bursty words used in the top 10% most highly cited PNAS publications in 1982-2001.

Mane & Börner. (2004)  
*PNAS, 101(Suppl. 1): 5287-5290.*





## Wikipedian Activity

*Studying large scale social networks such as Wikipedia*

### Vizzards 2007 Entry

Second Sight: An Emergent Mosaic of Wikipedian Activity, The NewScientist, May 19, 2007

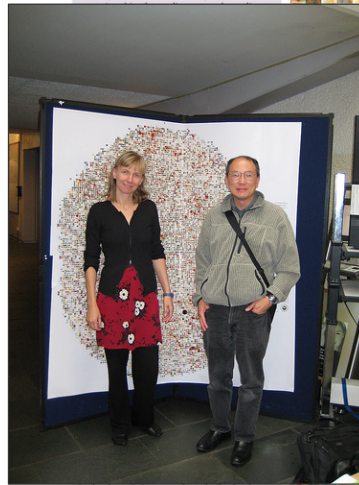


## Second sight

Image: Bruce W. Herr and Todd M. Holloway

### Power struggle

How do you keep track of the bubbling mass of information that is Wikipedia? This chaotic-looking mosaic is one attempt to show which topics are



locked until the mood cools (locked pages at the time of writing include entries on Sheffield Wednesday football club, Mikhail Gorbachev and pigs). The mosaic has been commended in a competition for images that visualise network dynamics, coinciding with this week's International Workshop and Conference on Network Science in Bloomington.

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## Science Related Wikipedian Activity

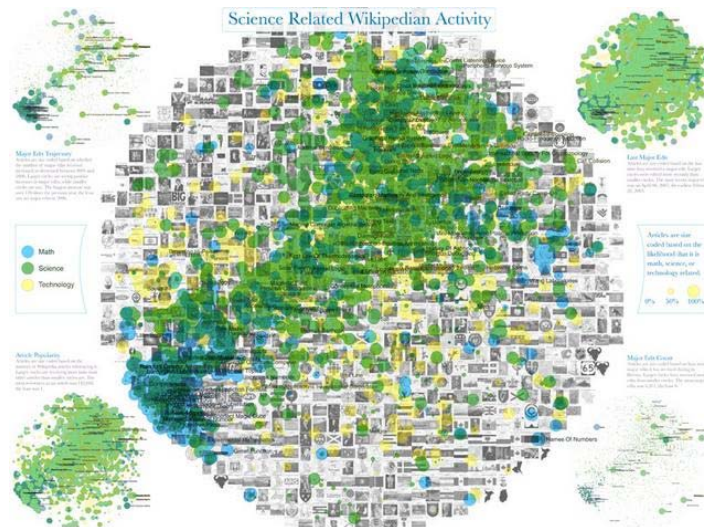
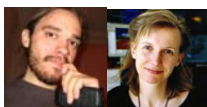
[http://scimaps.org/dev/map\\_detail.php?map\\_id=165](http://scimaps.org/dev/map_detail.php?map_id=165)

Same base map.

Overlaid are 3,599 math (blue), 6,474 science (green), and 3,164 technology relevant articles (yellow).

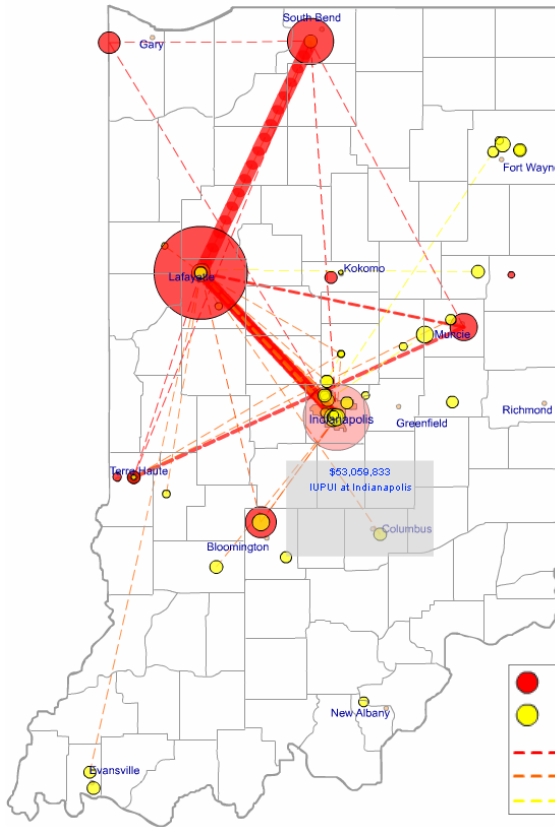
All other articles are given in grey.

- Corners show articles size coded according to
- article edit activity (top left),
  - number of major edits (top right),
  - number of bursts in edit activity (bottom, right)
  - indegree (bottom left).









## Mapping Indiana's Intellectual Space

Identify

- Pockets of innovation
- Pathways from ideas to products
- Interplay of industry and academia

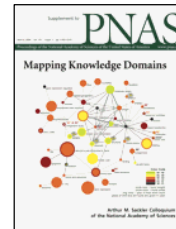
Interested to get your own science map?  
Contact the map makers!  
[katy@indiana.edu](mailto:katy@indiana.edu)

# How to Make a Science Map

DATA EXTRACTION	UNIT OF ANALYSIS	MEASURES	LAYOUT (often one code does both similarity and ordination steps)		DISPLAY
			SIMILARITY	ORDINATION	
SEARCHES ISI INSPEC Eng Index Medline ResearchIndex Patents etc.	COMMON CHOICES Journal Document Author Term	COUNTS/FREQUENCIES Attributes (e.g. terms) Author citations Co-citations By year  THRESHOLDS By counts	SCALAR (unit by unit matrix) Direct citation Co-citation Combined linkage Co-word / co-term Co-classification  VECTOR (unit by attribute matrix) Vector space model (words/terms) Latent Semantic Analysis (words/terms) ind. Singular Value Decomp (SVD)  CORRELATION (if desired) Pearson's R on any of above	DIMENSIONALITY REDUCTION Eigenvector/ Eigenvalue solutions Factor Analysis (FA) and Principal Components Analysis (PCA) Multi-dimensional scaling (MDS) LSA Pathfinder networks (PFNet) Self-organizing maps (SOM) includes SOM, ET-maps, etc.  CLUSTER ANALYSIS  SCALAR Triangulation Force-directed placement (FDP)	INTERACTION Browse Pan Zoom Filter Query Detail on demand  ANALYSIS
BROADENING By citation By terms					

Shiffrin, Richard M. and Börner, Katy (Eds.) (2004). *Mapping Knowledge Domains. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America*, 101(Suppl\_1).

Börner, Katy, Chen, Chaomei, and Boyack, Kevin. (2003). *Visualizing Knowledge Domains. In Blaise Cronin (Ed.), Annual Review of Information Science & Technology, Volume 37, Medford, NJ: Information Today, Inc./ American Society for Information Science and Technology, chapter 5, pp. 179-255.*



**Information Visualization CyberInfrastructure**

The InfoVis CyberInfrastructure provides access to data, software code and learning modules as well as computing resources in support of the analysis, modeling and visualization of diverse data sets.

**DATABASES**  
An Oracle database provides access to publications, patents, grants and grant opportunities. The database is continuously and automatically updated.

**COMPUTING RESOURCES**  
The InfoVis CyberInfrastructure is hosted at Indiana University's Research Database Complex, comprising of two Sun X1280 servers with 12,000MB processors and 48 GB of memory each. 8 TB of shared disks are attached to both servers. A Sun VxVM system with 4 nodes and 800 memory servers at the host level and for the database servers.

**SOFTWARE**  
An open source R/C framework was designed to facilitate the integration of diverse data analysis, modeling and visualization algorithms. New algorithms, data governance methods, back and forth for the interface and even entire toolkits can be easily "plugged in" or "unplugged".

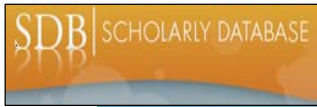
**LEARNING MODULES**  
A set of associated learning modules aims to engage learners with a practical skill set by providing code and advice to quickly modify and run different algorithms, test diverse interactive techniques and design features, and to quickly generate and compare information visualizations.

Scholarly Database  
<http://sdb.slis.indiana.edu>

Cyberinfrastructure Shell  
<http://cshell.org>

SEI: *Network Workbench: A Large-Scale Network Analysis, Modeling and Visualization Toolkit for Biomedical, Social Science and Physics Research.* NSF IIS-0513650 award (Katy Börner, Albert-László Barabási, Santiago Schnell, Alessandro Vespignani & Stanley Wasserman, Eric Wernert (Senior Personnel), \$1,120,926) Sept. 05 - Aug. 09. <http://nwb.slis.indiana.edu>





# SCHOLARLY DATABASE

### PAPERS

SDB MEDLINE

SDB PHYSREV

SDB PNAS

SDB JCR

### KNOWLEDGE WEBS

SDB WIKI

COMING SOON

SEARCH INTERFACE: <http://iv.slis.indiana.edu/db/>  
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PROJECT MANAGER: Katy Börner  
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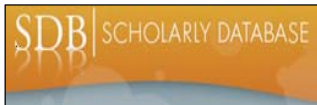
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### GRANT AWARDS

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SDB NIH

DESIGN BY ELISHA HARDY



## Scholarly Database: Web Interface

Search across publications, patents, grants.

Download records and/or (evolving) co-author, paper-citation networks.

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**Select Database**

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**NIH (336 Matching Records)**

1. JAMES, ERIC (2001) GLUCOCORTICOID RECEPTOR-MEDIATED CATARACT.  
**DESCRIPTION** (Adapted from Applicant's Abstract) Cataracts are a serious risk to those undergoing steroid therapy, reducing the efficacy of these compounds. Steroid-induced cataracts are posterior subcapsular, frequently occlude the central visual axis and often...

2. JAMES, GARTH (2001) THE USE OF BIOFILMS TO COUNTER BIOTERRORISM.  
**DESCRIPTION** [Verbatim from Applicant's Abstract] the possibility that terrorists will contaminate public drinking water supplies with biological agents, such as bacteria, viruses, or toxins, becomes greater every day. Recent cases of intentional food...

3. JAMES, JUDITH (2001) Fine specificity of scleroderma autoantibodies.  
**DESCRIPTION** (provided by applicant) Systemic sclerosis (scleroderma) is a debilitating, multi-system disease of unknown etiology, which is characterized by a broad spectrum of disease manifestations with varying organ involvement. Scleroderma's pathogenesis...

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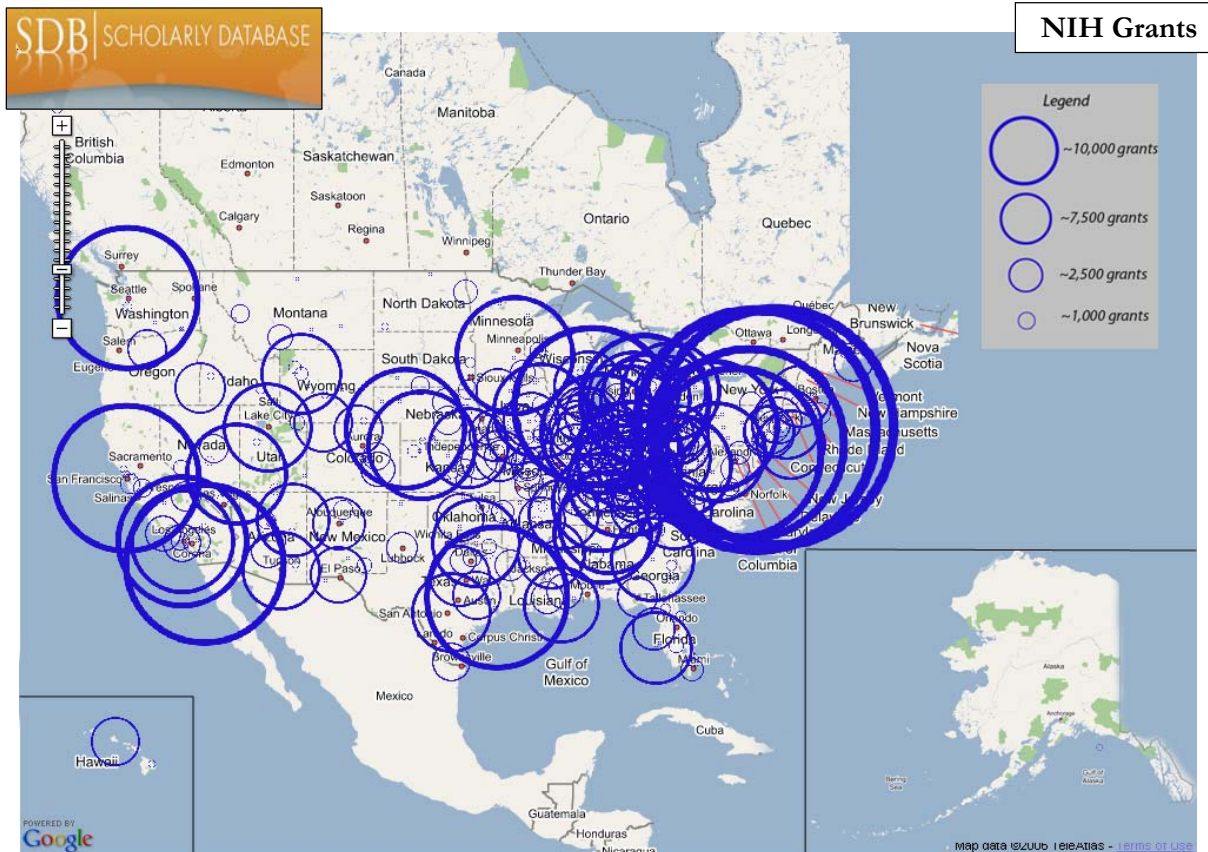
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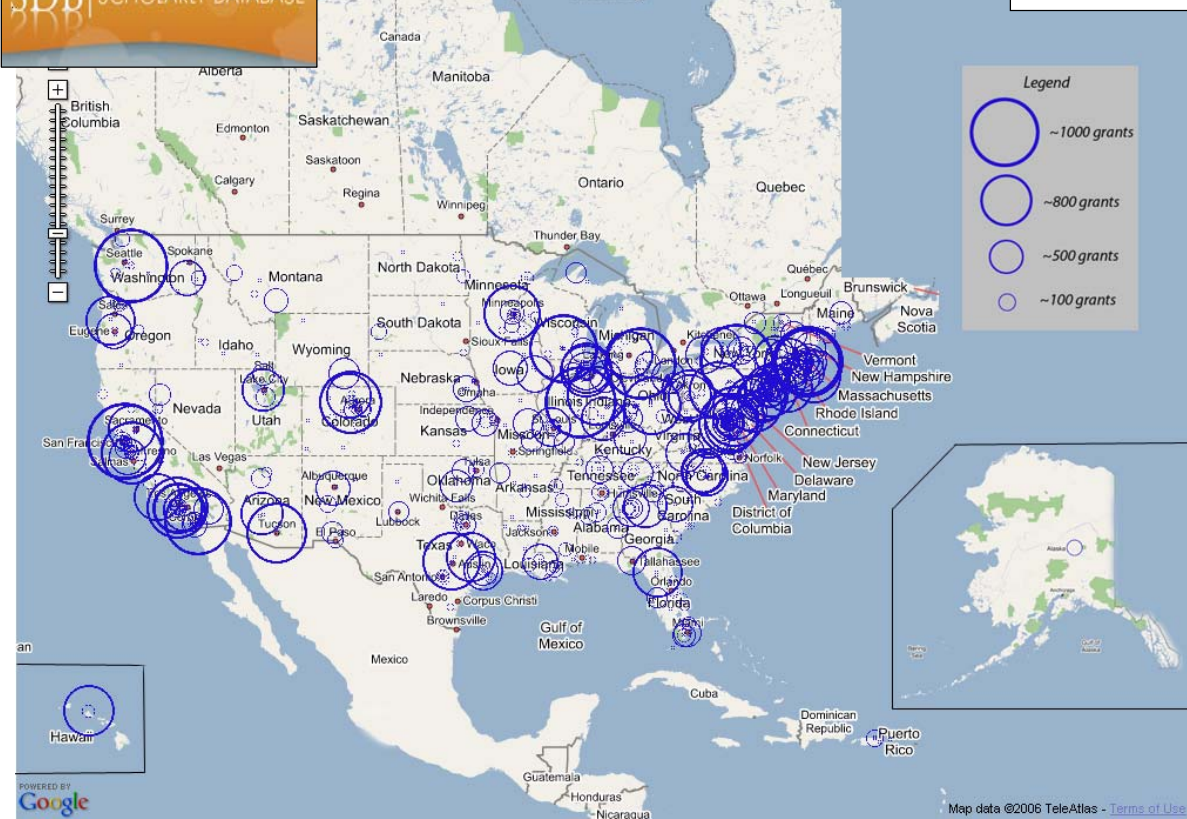
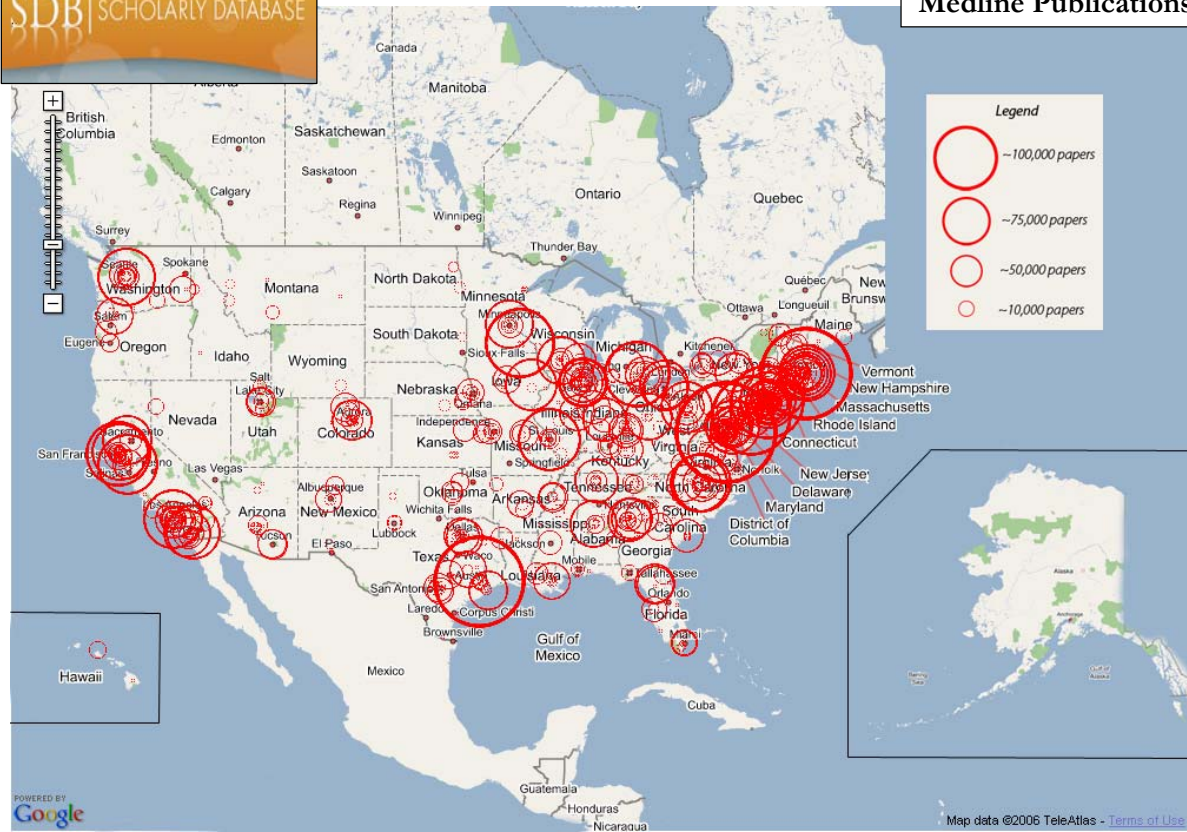
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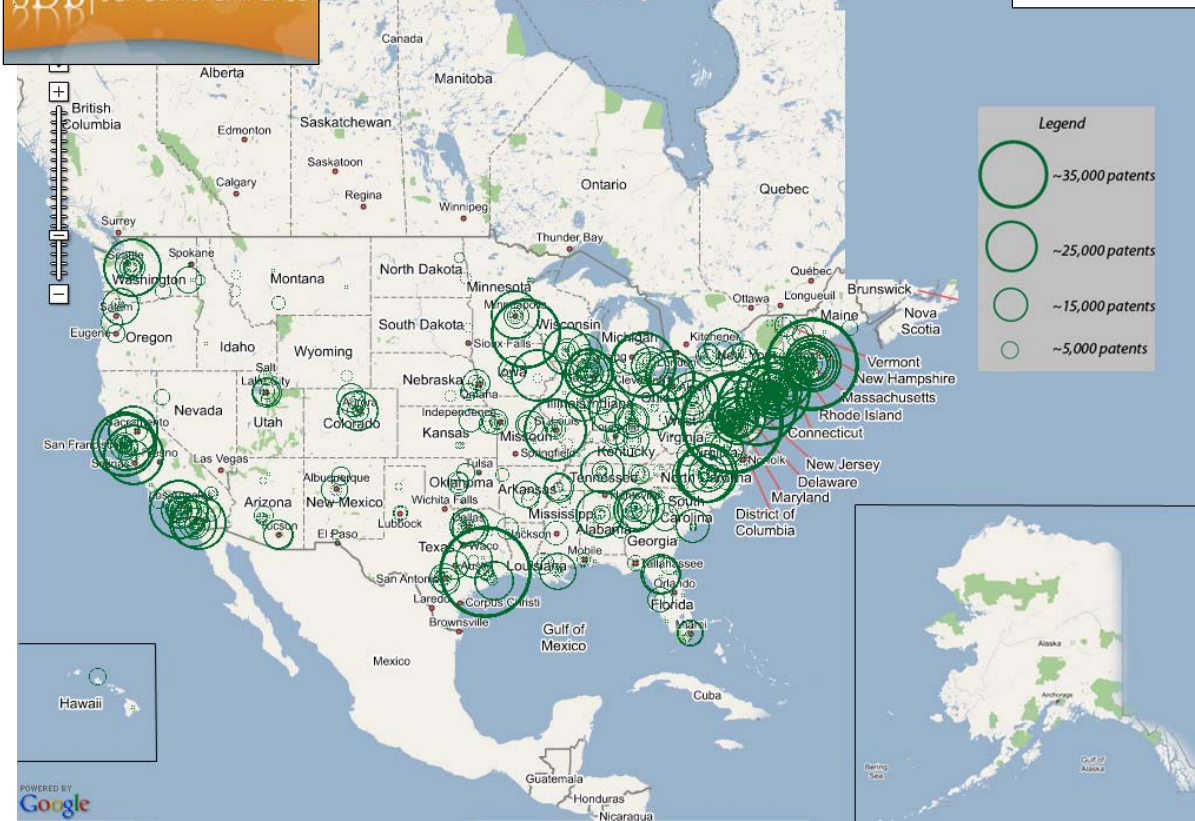
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PhysRev	398,005	1893-2006		Yes
PNAS	16,167	1997-2002		Yes
JCR	59,078	1974, 1979, 1984, 1989 1994-2004		Yes
USPTO	3,179,930	1976-2004	Yes*	
NSF	174,835	1985-2003	Yes*	
NIH	1,043,804	1972-2002	Yes*	
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,021,560</b>	<b>1893-2006</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>

Aim for comprehensive time, geospatial, and topic coverage.









### Building Market Places not Cathedrals



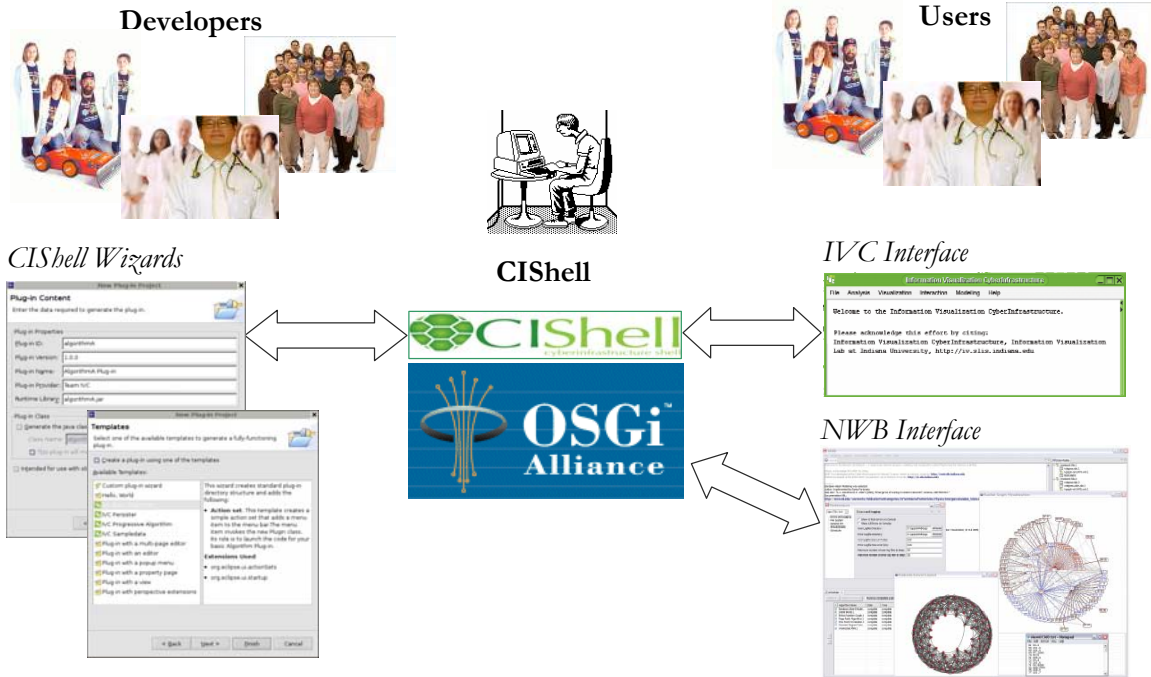
- ‘Software glue’ has to interlink datasets and algorithms written in different languages using different data formats.
- The smaller the glue or ‘CI Shell’, the more likely it can be maintained.







## CIShell – Serving Non-CS Algorithm Developers & Users



## CIShell – Build on OSGi Industry Standard

CIShell is built upon the Open Services Gateway Initiative (OSGi) Framework.

**OSGi (<http://www.osgi.org>) is**

- A standardized, component oriented, computing environment for networked services.
- Successfully used in the industry from high-end servers to embedded mobile devices since 7 years.
- Alliance members include IBM (Eclipse), Sun, Intel, Oracle, Motorola, NEC and many others.
- Widely adopted in open source realm, especially since Eclipse 3.0 that uses OSGi R4 for its plugin model.

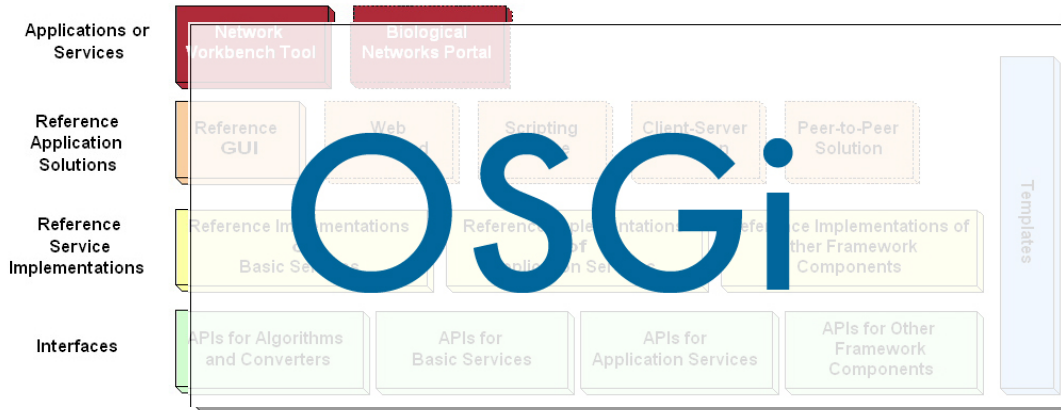
### Advantages of Using OSGi

- Any CIShell algorithm is a service that can be used in any OSGi-framework based system.
- Using OSGi, running CIShells/tools can be connected via RPC/RMI supporting peer-to-peer sharing of data, algorithms, and computing power.

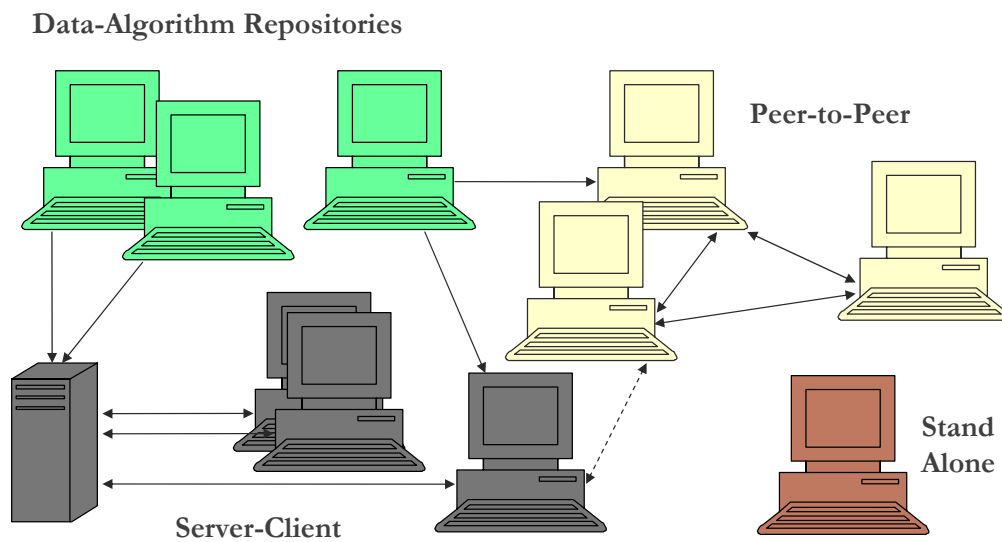
Ideally, CIShell becomes a standard for creating OSGi Services for algorithms.



## CIShell – Layer Cake



## CIShell – Deployment



CIShell applications can be deployed as distributed data and algorithm repositories, stand alone applications, peer-to-peer architectures, and server-client architectures.





## Network Workbench (NWB)

**Investigators:** Katy Börner, Albert-Laszlo Barabasi, Santiago Schnell, Alessandro Vespignani & Stanley Wasserman, Eric Wernert



**Software Team:** Lead: Weixia (Bonnie) Huang  
Developers: Bruce Herr, Ben Markines, Santo Fortunato, Cesar Hidalgo, Ramya Sabbineni, Vivek S. Thakre, & Russell Duhon



**Goal:** Develop a large-scale network analysis, modeling and visualization toolkit for biomedical, social science and physics research.

**Amount:** \$1,120,926 NSF IIS-0513650 award.

**Duration:** Sept. 2005 - Aug. 2009

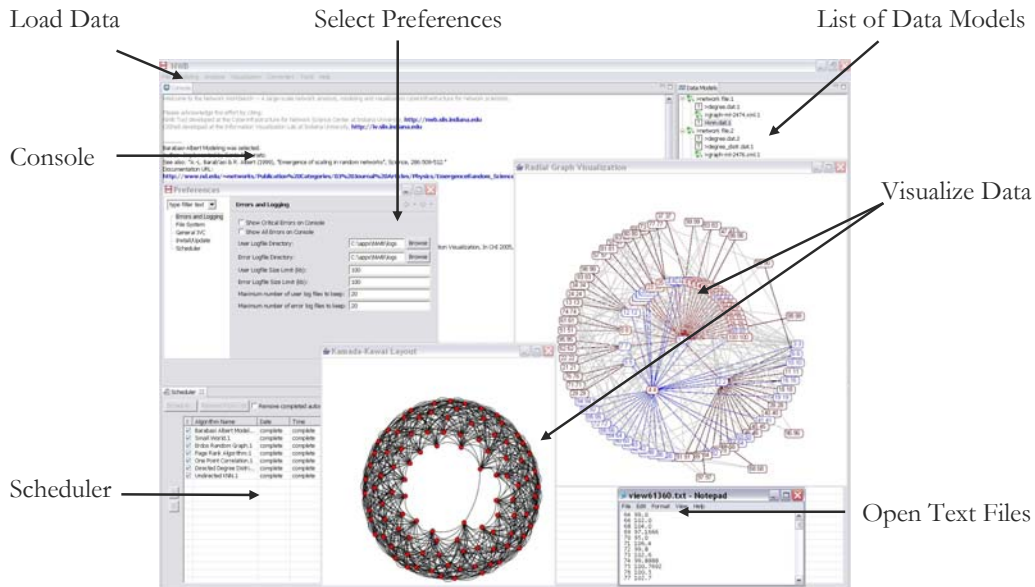
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## NWB Ecology of Data Formats and Converters

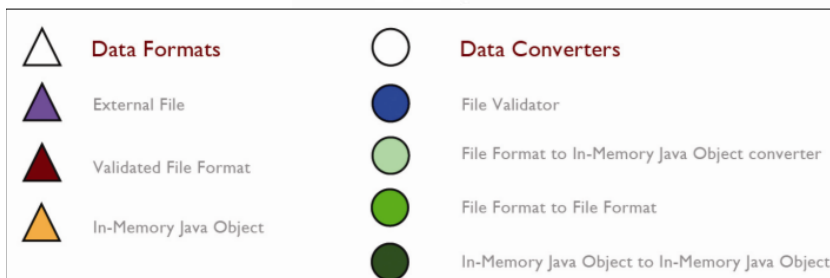
Not shown are 24 sample datasets, 51 data preprocessing, analysis, modeling and visualization algorithms, 9 services.

**5**  
Supported  
data  
formats

**5**  
Output formats  
for diverse visualization  
algorithms

**8**  
Intermediate  
data formats

Supported by  
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## Master List of Algorithms

🌱 = available in the nwb 0.2.0 release.

Please feel free to add relevant algorithms.

**Load Data**

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## Growing a Community of Network Science Researchers

Users come from Social Science, Physics, Biology, Information Science, Telecommunications, Internet Research, Economics, Science Policy, etc.

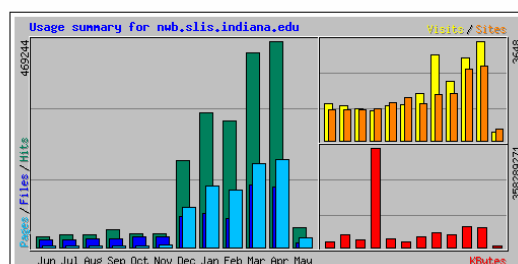
It takes **9 months** to give birth to a human baby and **21 years** to raise it.

It takes **3-5 years** to build a CI and **???** years to build a vibrant, self-sustaining community.

Quickly identify and serve continuously changing needs of evolving community.

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Summary Period: Last 12 Months  
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## Top 30 of 33830 Total NWB Tool URLs Tracked – Last 30 days

5	599	0.13%	20532984	28.71%	<a href="#">/nightly/0.9.0.200802261543NGT/installers/nwb-installer-0.9.0-win32.win32.jar</a>
6	518	0.11%	1656		<a href="#">/svn/nwb/tags/pre-v1.0.0/plugins/visualization/edu.iu.nwb.visualization.prefuse.beta/src/edu/iu/nwb/visualization/prefuse/beta/</a>
7	398	0.08%	124934	0.17%	<a href="#">/Docs/NWB_Getting_Started.pdf</a>
8	377	0.08%	847		<a href="#">/svn/nwb/tags/v0.6.0/plugins/visualization/edu.iu.nwb.visualization.prefuse.beta/src/edu/iu/nwb/visualization/prefuse/beta/comm</a>
9	341	0.07%	1467		<a href="#">/svn/nwb/tags/v0.6.0/plugins/visualization/edu.iu.nwb.visualization.prefuse.alpha.smallworld/src/edu/iu/nwb/visualization/prefu</a>
10	337	0.07%	1629		<a href="#">/svn/nwb/tags/pre-v1.0.0/plugins/visualization/edu.iu.nwb.visualization.prefuse.alpha.smallworld/src/edu/iu/nwb/visualization/p</a>
11	336	0.07%	590		<a href="#">/svn/nwb/tags/v0.4.0/plugins/visualization/edu.iu.nwb.visualization.prefuse.beta/src/edu/iu/nwb/visualization/prefuse/beta/comm</a>
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## TotalCounter statistics

### Page views

Pages	Percent	Count
1. <a href="#">Main.HomePage</a>	8%	1608
2. <a href="#">Algorithms.HomePage</a>	6%	1271
3. <a href="#">VisualizeData.XMGrace</a>	6%	1159
4. <a href="#">VisualizeData.Kamada-Kawaii</a>	4%	921
5. <a href="#">VisualizeData.Fruchterman-Rheingold</a>	4%	917
6. <a href="#">Main.NWBTool</a>	4%	877
7. <a href="#">Datasets.HomePage</a>	4%	797
8. <a href="#">VisualizeData.ForceDirected</a>	3%	690
9. <a href="#">Tutorials.HomePage</a>	2%	409
10. <a href="#">Main.People</a>	2%	400
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4. <a href="#">rduhon</a>	1%	147
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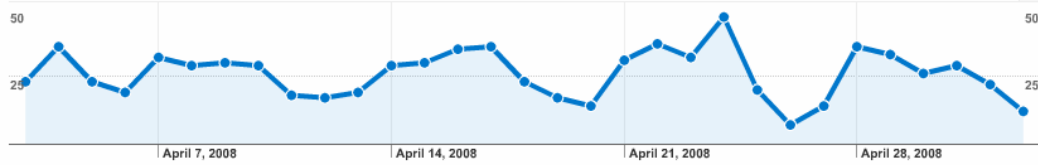
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660 people visited this site

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660 Absolute Unique Visitors

2,989 Pageviews

3.21 Average Pageviews

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## Technical Profile

Browser	Visits	% visits
<a href="#">Firefox</a>	449	48.28%
<a href="#">Internet Explorer</a>	343	36.88%
<a href="#">Safari</a>	67	7.20%
<a href="#">Mozilla</a>	26	2.80%
<a href="#">Netscape</a>	23	2.47%

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<a href="#">Unknown</a>	225	24.19%
<a href="#">Cable</a>	163	17.53%
<a href="#">DSL</a>	163	17.53%
<a href="#">Dialup</a>	22	2.37%

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