Resource Summary Report

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DRCAT Resource Catalogue

RRID:SCR_005931
Type: Tool

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Resource Information

URL: http://drcat.sourceforge.net/

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Description: Data resource catalog that collates metadata on bioinformatics Web-based data resources including databases, ontologies, taxonomies and catalogues. An entry includes information such as resource identifier(s), name, description and URL. ""Query"" lines are defined for each resource that describe what type(s) of data are available, in what format, how (by what identifier) the data can be retrieved and from where (URL). DRCAT was developed to provide more extensive data integration for EMBOSS, but it has many applications beyond EMBOSS. DRCAT entries (including ""Query"" lines) are annotated with terms from the EDAM ontology of common bioinformatics concepts.

Abbreviations: DRCAT

Synonyms: DRCAT (the data resource catalogue), DRCAT Resource Catalogue - Bioinformatics Web-based Data Resources, Data Resource Catalogue

Resource Type: catalog, data or information resource, database

Keywords: metadata, bioinformatics, database, ontology, taxonomy, registry, annotation, data set

Availability: Acknowledgement required, See license

Resource Name: DRCAT Resource Catalogue

Resource ID: SCR_005931

Alternate IDs: nlx_151280

Record Creation Time: 20220129T080233+0000

Record Last Update: 20260905T132544+0000

Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for DRCAT Resource Catalogue.

No alerts have been found for DRCAT Resource Catalogue.

Data and Source Information

Source: SciCrunch Registry

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 2 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at Kravitz .

Ison J, et al. (2016) Tools and data services registry: a community effort to document bioinformatics resources. Nucleic acids research, 44(D1), D38.

Ison J, et al. (2013) EDAM: an ontology of bioinformatics operations, types of data and identifiers, topics and formats. Bioinformatics (Oxford, England), 29(10), 1325.