

# DeepGreen – Open Access Transformation in Practice

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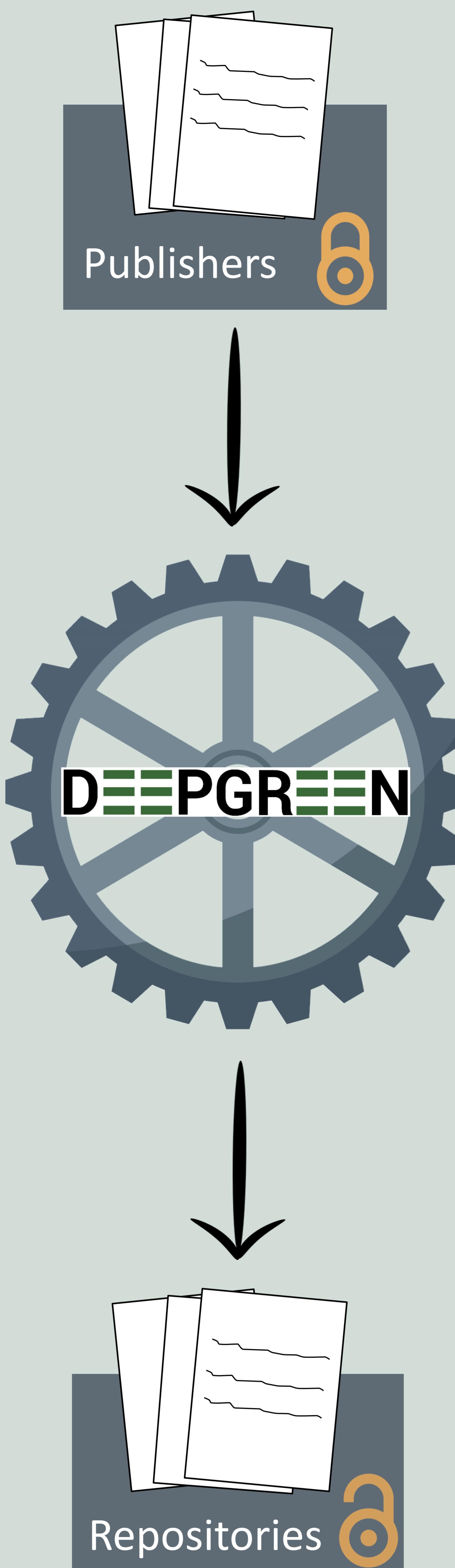
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## Aim and Scope

- DeepGreen automates the process of transferring scholarly publications into open access repositories
- Providing an innovative technological approach that reduces the effort required of authors and libraries
- DeepGreen focuses on Alliance Licenses and gold open access
- Alliance Licenses: Authors of institutions with Alliance Licenses can publish their article open access after a short embargo period

## Technical approach

1. Publishers deposit publications and metadata (**sFTP**, **SWORD v1/v2**, **DeepGreen-API**)
2. DeepGreen router matches affiliations in publisher metadata with participating repositories
3. Router delivers publications and metadata to qualified repositories via defined interfaces (**OAI-PMH**, **SWORD v1/v2**, **DeepGreen-API**)



## Background

- Legitimated authors and libraries in Germany rarely use their open access rights due to high costs and effort associated with researching and manually archiving the articles in question

## Benefits for repositories

- Exploitation of existing legal options (open access component in Alliance licenses)
- No need to manually determine articles authorised for open access publishing
- Increased amount of open access publications in repositories

## Cooperation with publishers

- Since 2016: S. Karger and SAGE Publications
- Since mid 2017: BMJ, Walter de Gruyter, MDPI

## Publications

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