

# Bulk uploading from pISA-tree to FAIRDOM using SEEK API and R package seekr

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# Motivation

## Goal

Automate upload of possibly large number of files to FAIRDOMHub.

## Situation

- Data and files are managed using the pISA-tree.
- FAIRDOMHub and pISA-tree share the ISA structure.
- Data generating (WET) and data analysis (DRY) phases generate many files.
- Manual upload of large number of files can be tedious.

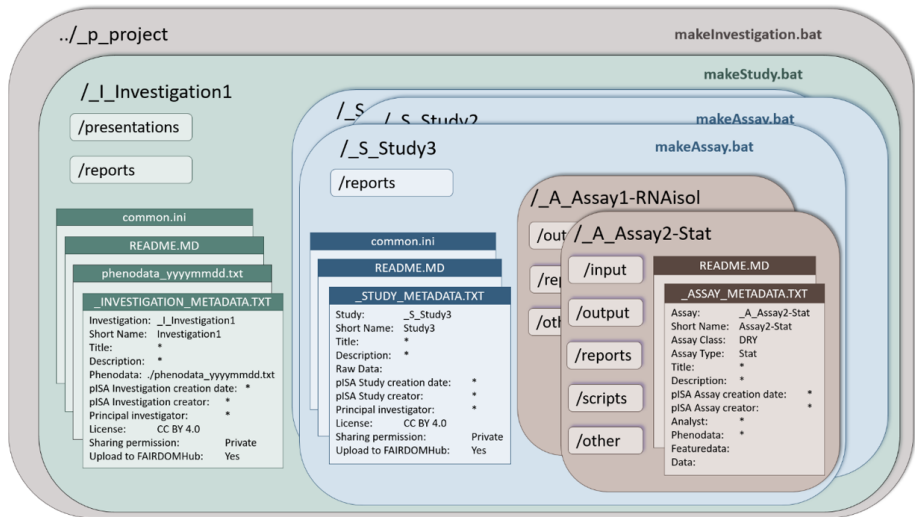
## Desired solution

- 1 Researchers prepare the list of files for upload.
- 2 Files from the list are automatically uploaded.

## Methods

- Employ mapping of ISA structure from pISA-tree to FAIRDOMHub.
- Use SEEK API for upload and information exchange.
- We developed R based package **seekr** on top of the SEEK API.
- Above two steps are performed with two functions:
  - 1 `skFilesToUpload()`  
Prepare list of files to upload.
  - 2 `skUploadFiles()`  
Bulk upload of files in the file list.

# pISA-tree structure



## pISA-tree:

project directory tree

compliant with FAIRDOM/ISA framework

- File system based (Windows, extendable to Linux).
- Project directory tree with nested folders for **project/Investigation/Study/Assay** layers.
- **'make...'** batch files are provided to create layers
  - `makeProject.bat`
  - `makeInvestigation.bat`
  - `makeStudy.bat`
  - `makeAssay.bat`
- Template 'metadata' files at each layer to **encourage metadata entry** (text files with Key/Value pairs).
- Allows **files in all ISA layers**.

▶ To seekr features

# pISA tree - project folder and metadata

## Researcher's view

The image shows a file explorer window with a tree view on the left and a details pane on the right. The tree view shows a folder hierarchy: `_prj2` > `_p_bla` > `_I_xyz` > `_S_stu` > `_A_klm-R` > `_A_nop-RNAisol` > `reports` > `presentations` > `reports` > `presentations` > `reports` > `Templates`. The `_PROJECT_METADATA.TXT` file is selected in the `reports` folder under `_A_nop-RNAisol`. The details pane shows the following metadata:

```
project:      _p_bla
Short Name:  bla
Title:       Demo project
Description:  Demonstration of
pISA projects path:  D:/_prj2
Local pISA-tree organisation:
pISA project creation date: 2019
pISA project creator:  AB
Project funding code:  *
Project coordinator:  *
Project partners:  NIB, PTKRF
Project start date:  2017-04-01
Project end date:
Principal investigator: *
License:      CC BY 4.0
Sharing permission:  Private
Upload to FAIRDOMHub:  Yes
```

▶ To seekr features

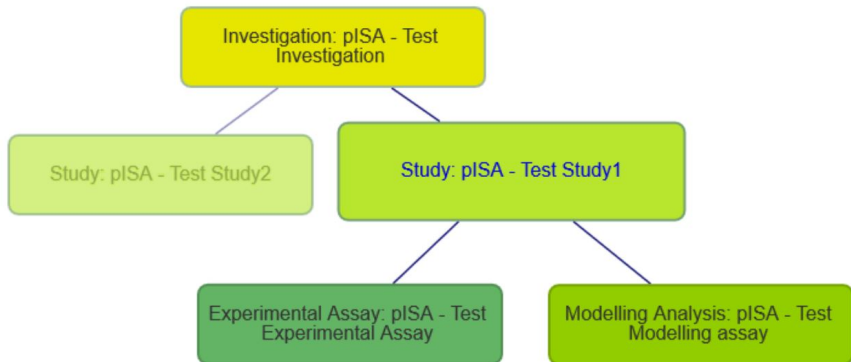
▶ Skip tree representation

- Need to **locally organize data** within small/moderate size research units.
- **Find, exchange and reuse data** from different experiments.
- **Use** and enhance **what researchers are already used to**.
- Provide **enough metadata to enable upload** of data to public repositories.
- Use metadata to **augment reproducibility of data analyses**.

- Directory tree structures: LaTeX/texmf, R/packages, ...
- Personal directory trees for reproducible statistical reports (R/Sweave/knitr/Rmarkdown/LaTeX and RStudio/WinEdt projects).
- Structure research stages into **p**roject/**I**nvestigation/**S**tudy/**A**ssay layers, to be compliant with the ISA framework (we used to call the layers: Study/Experiment/Analysis).
- Low overhead, minimum installation of tools.

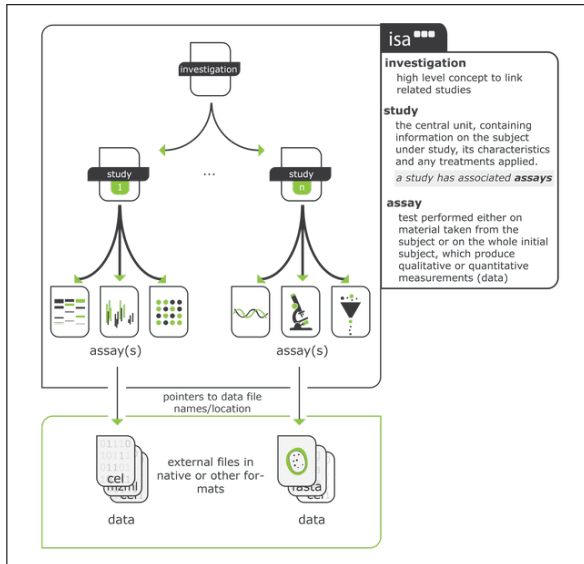


Selected item: Study: pISA - Test Study1



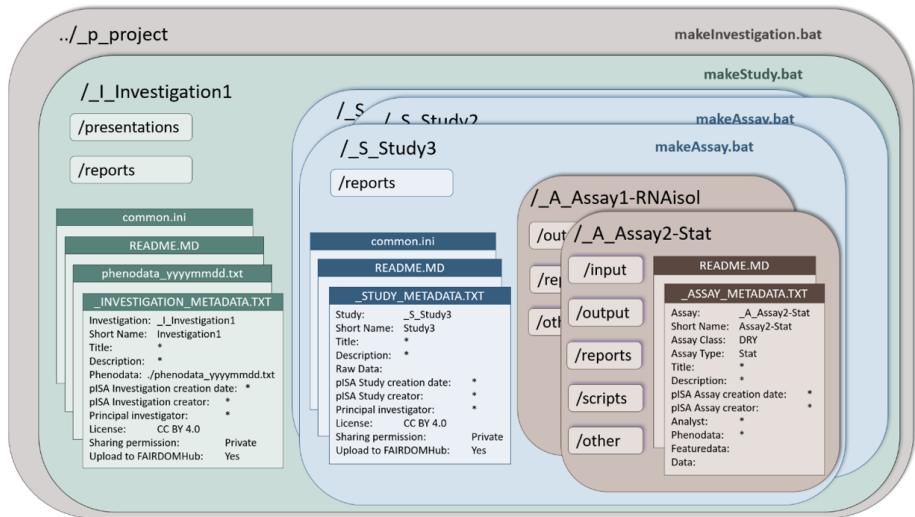
<http://demo.seek4science.org/investigations/18>

# ISA-tab model structure



<http://isa-tools.org/format/specification/>

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../\_p\_project

makeInvestigation.bat

../\_p\_project

makeInvestigation.bat

/\_I\_Investigation

makeStudy.bat

/presentations

/reports

Readme.md

Metadata.txt

Identifier

Title

Description

Date

PI

Phenodata

../\_p\_project

makeInvestigation.bat

/\_I\_Investigation

makeStudy.bat

/presentations

/reports

Readme.md

Metadata.txt

Identifier  
Title  
Description  
Date  
PI  
Phenodata  
...

/\_S\_Study1

makeAssay.bat

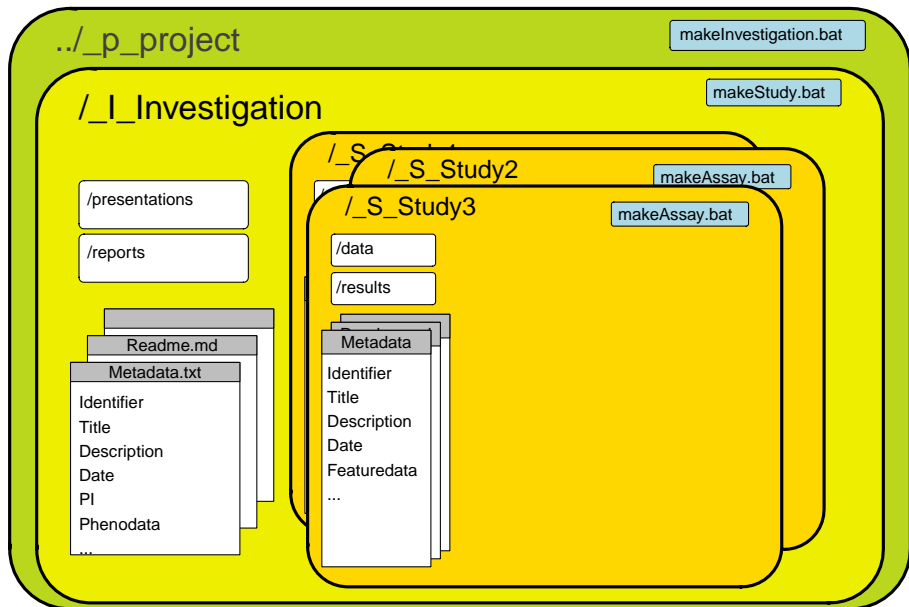
/data

/results

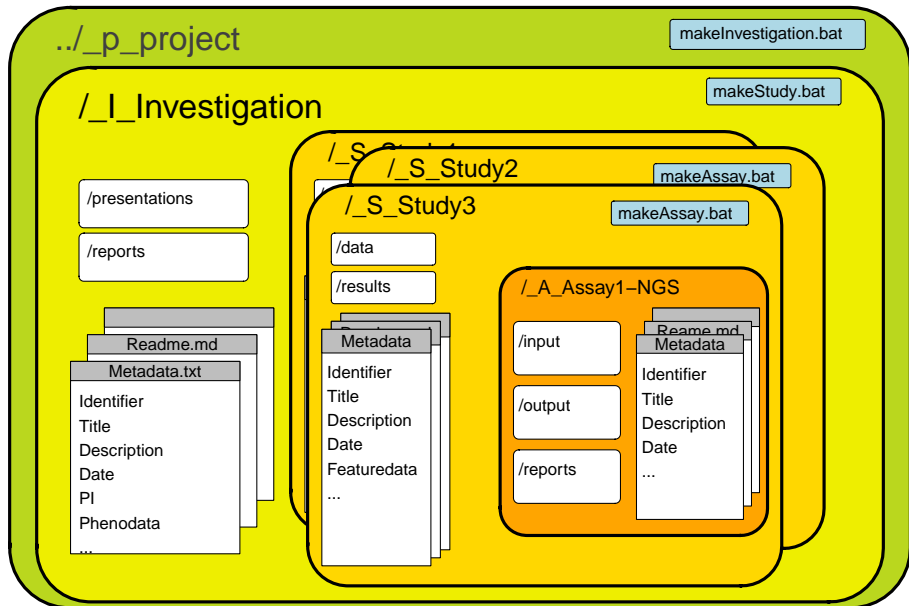
Metadata

Identifier  
Title  
Description  
Date  
Featuredata  
...

# pISA-tree: more Studies







../\_p\_project

makeInvestigation.bat

/\_I\_Investigation

makeStudy.bat

/presentations

/reports

Readme.md

Metadata.txt

Identifier  
Title  
Description  
Date  
PI  
Phenodata  
...

/\_S\_Study2

makeAssay.bat

/\_S\_Study3

makeAssay.bat

/data

/results

Metadata

Identifier  
Title  
Description  
Date  
Featuredata  
...

/\_A\_Assay1-NGS

/\_A\_Assay2-Stat

Reame.md  
Metadata

/input

/results

/R

Identifier  
Title  
Description  
Date  
...

# pISA-tree: the user view

File Explorer view of the pISA-tree directory. The left pane shows the folder structure, and the right pane shows the contents of the selected folder.

**Left Pane (Folder Structure):**

- \_prj2
  - \_p\_bla
  - \_I\_xyz
    - \_S\_stu
    - \_A\_klm-R
    - \_A\_nop-RNAisol
  - reports
  - presentations
  - reports
  - presentations
  - reports
  - Templates
  - \_STAT100
  - \_temp
  - \_Y

**Right Pane (File List):**

Name
_p_bla
Templates
.gitattributes
.gitignore
common.ini
index.html
INSTRUCTIONS-v-6.pdf
makeProject.bat
meta_p_Template.txt
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> README.MD
showMetadata.bat
showTree.bat
update.bat
xcheckMetadata.bat

```
# pISA-tree: Standard

This set of batch file
Batch files are provid
(**I**investigation/**S

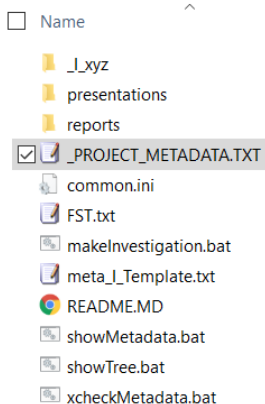
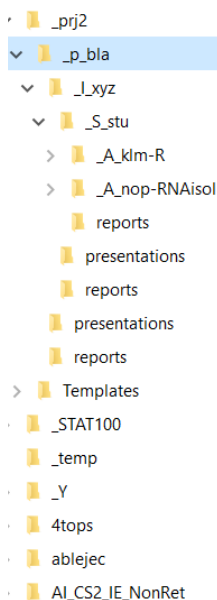
Installation:

1. Download (zip file)
SI/pISA/archive/projec
2. Extract files into
3. User instructions a

Additional info:
* Files in `doc` folde
* Files at [http://abl

Links:
* [pISA-tree Web page]
* [ISA Model & Seriali
* [FAIRDOM hub] (https:
```

# pISA tree - project folder and metadata



```
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Short Name:  bla
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Project funding code:  *
Project coordinator:  *
Project partners:  NIB, PTKRF
Project start date:  2017-04-01
Project end date:
Principal investigator:  *
License:  CC BY 4.0
Sharing permission:  Private
Upload to FAIRDOMHub:  Yes
```

# pISA tree - makeInvestigation.bat

pISA-tree v.3.0

```
=====  
pISA-tree: make INVESTIGATION  
-----  
Location: D:\_prj2\_p_bla  
  
Enter Investigation ID: xyz
```

# pISA tree - makeInvestigation.bat

Select pISA-tree v.3.0

=====  
=====

pISA-tree: make INVESTIGATION

-----

Investigation: xyz  
project: bla  
Title: Demo investigation  
Description: \*  
pISA Investigation creation date 2019-06-10

=====  
=====

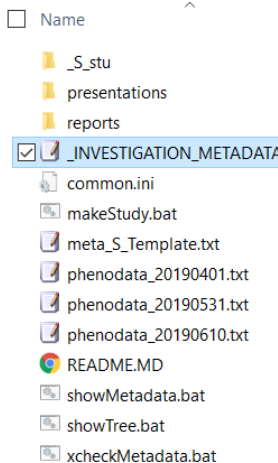
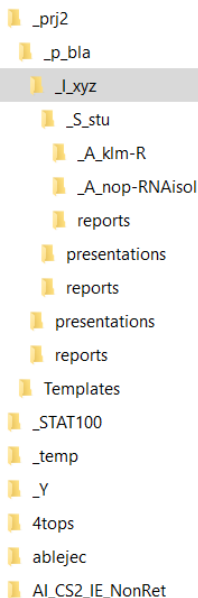
Enter pISA Investigation creator [ \* ]: AB

# pISA tree - makeInvestigation.bat

CA pISA-tree v.3.0

```
=====  
Investigation METADATA  
=====  
Investigation:          _I_xyz  
Short Name:            xyz  
Title:                 Demo investigation  
Description:           *  
Phenodata:             ./phenodata_20190610.txt  
pISA Investigation creation date: 2019-06-10  
pISA Investigation creator:    AB  
Principal investigator:      *  
License:                 CC BY 4.0  
Sharing permission:       Private  
Upload to FAIRDOMHub:      Yes  
  
===== pISA ==  
  
Investigation xyz is ready.  
Location: D:\_prj2\_p_bla\_I_xyz  
  
=====
```

# pISA tree - Investigation folder and metadata



Investigation: \_I\_xyz  
Short Name: xyz  
Title: Demo investigation  
Description: \*  
Phenodata: ./phenodata\_20190610.  
pISA Investigation creation date:  
pISA Investigation creator: AB  
Principal investigator: \*  
License: CC BY 4.0  
Sharing permission: Private  
Upload to FAIRDOMHub: Yes



# pISA tree - makeStudy.bat

```
pISA-tree v.3.0
=====
      Study METADATA
=====
Study:                               _S_stu
Short Name:                           stu
Title:                                 Demo study
Description:                            *
Raw Data:
pISA Study creation date:              2019-06-10
pISA Study creator:                    AB
Principal investigator:                 CD
License:                                CC BY 4.0
Sharing permission:                    Private
Upload to FAIRDOMHub:                  Yes









===== pISA ==

Study stu is ready.
Location: D:\_prj2\_p_bla\_I_xyz\_S_stu

=====
Press any key to continue . . .
```

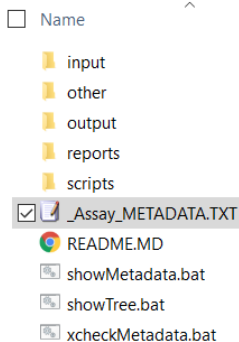
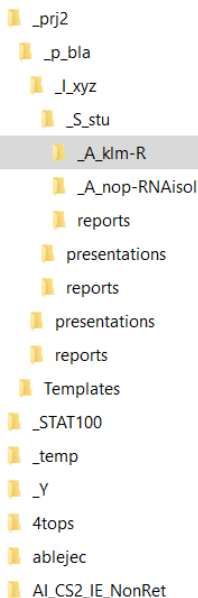
# pISA tree - Study folder and metadata

- \_prj2
  - \_p\_bla
    - \_l\_xyz
      - \_S\_stu**
        - \_A\_klm-R
        - \_A\_nop-RNAisol
        - reports
        - presentations
        - reports
        - presentations
        - reports
        - Templates
- \_STAT100
- \_temp
- \_Y
- 4tops
- ablejec
- AI\_CS2\_IE\_NonRet

- Name
- \_A\_klm-R
  - \_A\_nop-RNAisol
  - reports
  -  \_STUDY\_METADATA.TXT
  -  common.ini
  -  makeAssay.bat
  -  meta\_A\_Template.txt
  -  README.MD
  -  showMetadata.bat
  -  showTree.bat
  -  xcheckMetadata.bat

Study: \_S\_stu  
Short Name: stu  
Title: Demo study  
Description: \*  
Raw Data:  
pISA Study creation date: 2019-06-  
pISA Study creator: AB  
Principal investigator: CD  
License: CC BY 4.0  
Sharing permission: Private  
Upload to FAIRDOMHub: Yes

# pISA tree - Assay folder (DRY) and metadata



Assay: \_A\_klm-R  
Short Name: klm-R  
Assay Class: DRY  
Assay Type: R  
Title: Data analysis  
Description: \*  
pISA Assay creation date: 2019-06-  
pISA Assay creator: AB  
Analyst: AB  
Phenodata: ../../phenodata\_2019(  
Featuredata:  
Data:  
|

# Auxiliary batch files

- `showMetadata.bat`
- `xcheckMetadata.bat`
- `showTree.bat`

showMetadata.bat

## Encourage use of markdown

```
# Metadata files↓
D: ↓
/_prj ↓
/_p_bla↓
↓
---↓
↓
* **/_PROJECT_METADATA.TXT**↓
---↓
↓
project:→      _p_bla ↓
### PROJECT ↓
Short Name:→    bla ↓
Title:→ Demo project ↓
Description:→   Demonstration of the pISA-tree ↓
```

### Metadata files

---

D:  
/\_prj  
/\_p\_bla

---

*\*/\_PROJECT\_METADATA.TXT*

---

project: \_p\_bla

#### PROJECT

Short Name: bla  
Title: Demo project  
Description: Demonstration of the pISA-tree  
Project Path: D:\OMIKE\pISA\devel\main\_p\_bla  
Investigator: Name Lastname

#### INVESTIGATIONS

# xcheckMetadata.bat

## Shows what is missing

D:  
/\_prj  
/\_p\_bla

---

\* /\_PROJECT\_METADATA.TXT

---

\* /\_I\_xyz/\_INVESTIGATION\_METADATA.TXT

---

?? MISSING: Description: \*

---

\* /\_I\_xyz/\_S\_stu/\_STUDY\_METADATA.TXT

---

?? MISSING: Title: \*

# showTree.bat

## Show the directory tree

```
D:\_prj2\_p_bla\_I_xyz\_S_stu\_A_nop-RNAisol
```

```
Folder PATH listing for volume DATA
```

```
Volume serial number is 5859-00FF
```

```
D:.
```

```
| Analytes.txt  
| d.tmp  
| README.MD  
| showMetadata.bat  
| showTree.bat  
| t.tmp  
| xcheckMetadata.bat  
| _Assay_METADATA.TXT  
|
```

```
+---other
```

```
|     README.MD  
|
```

```
+---output
```

```
| | README.MD  
| |
```

```
| \---raw
```

```
|     README.MD  
|
```



- A system with **low overhead**.
- **Metadata file** for each layer.
- Several **Assay classes** (Wet / Dry / ...).
- Several **Assay types** (RNAisol, RT, Stat, R, ...).
- Menu-driven metadata entry (to **reinforce consistency**).
- Follows recommendations of **ISA/SEEK paradigm**.
- Allows **files in all ISA levels**.
- Availability: <https://github.com/NIB-SI/pISA-tree>.

# Connection with other solutions

- FAIRDOM

<https://fairdomhub.org/>

- SEEK

<https://seek.sysmo-db.org/>

- ISA-tab

<https://isa-tools.github.io/>

function `createISAtab()` in R package **pisar**

- FAIRDOMhub API

<http://docs.seek4science.org/tech/api/>

R package **seekr**

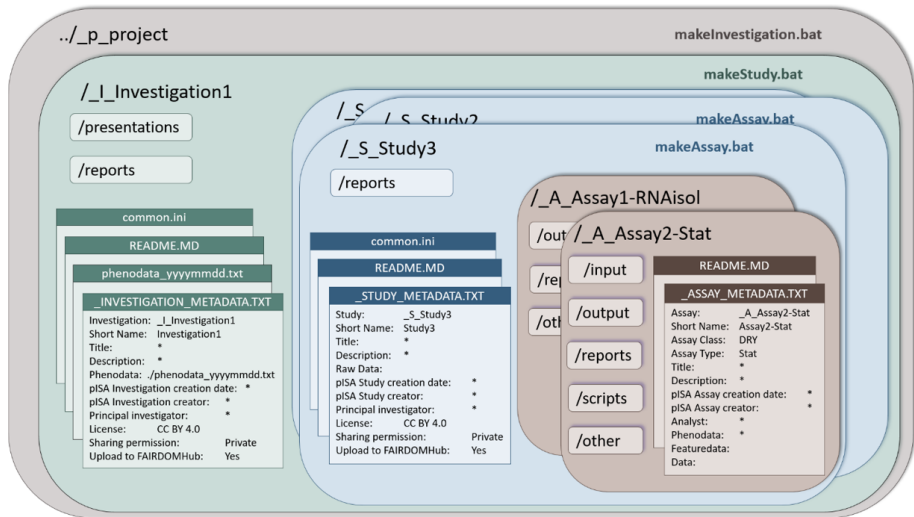
<https://github.com/NIB-SI/seekr>

- reproducible statistical analyses in R

R package **pisar**

<https://github.com/NIB-SI/pisar>

# pISA-tree structure



# From pISA-tree to FAIRDOMHub

- They share **ISA structure**.
- pISA-tree is practical at the (inter)**institutional level**.
- FAIRDOMHub provides **FAIR-ness and wider visibility**.
- FAIRDOM-SEEK provides browsing and manual/interactive creation, access of items, including the file upload.
- FAIRDOM-SEEK includes a JSON API that allows computer driven searching, listing, reading, updating, creating and upload of items in SEEK.

# Why API and R package **seekr**?

- Researchers produce large number of files.
- Manual/interactive upload of files and many ISA layers can become tedious.
- To support computer driven upload we developed R package **seekr** based on FAIRDOME-SEEK API functionalities.

Functions in `seekr` support:

- Searching: `skFindId()`, `skFindTitle()`, `skExists()`
- Listing: `skList()`, `skListp()`, `skRelated()`
- Reading: `skGet()`, `skRead()`, `skParse()`, `skContent()`
- Creating: `skCreate()`, `skCheckAndCreate()`,
- Deleting: `skDelete()`
- Uploading: `skUpload()`, `skUpplodFile()`
- **Bulk uploading**: `skFilesToUpload()`, `skUploadFiles()`

▶ [To upload details](#)

# Packages and user credentials

```
> library(httr)
> library(jsonlite)
> library(seekr)
```

User credentials

```
> options(.sk$main)
> skOptions()
```

```
Hidden: sk.pwd
```

```
$sk.myid
```

```
[1] 808
```

```
$sk.url
```

```
[1] "https://fairdomhub.org"
```

```
$sk.usr
```

```
[1] "ablejec"
```

## Finding ids and titles

```
> skFindId("people", "Andrej Blejec")
```

id	type	title
"808"	"people"	"Andrej Blejec"

```
> skFindId("projects", "pISA-tree")
```

id	type	title
"57"	"projects"	"pISA-tree"

```
> skFindId("programmes", "NIBSys")
```

id	type	title
"17"	"programmes"	"NIBSys"

```
> skFindTitle("programmes", 17)
```

id	type	title
"17"	"programmes"	"NIBSys"

▶ To upload details



# Listing

```
> # Short list of projects
> r <- skList("projects")
> r <- skContent(r)
> head(sort(sapply(r, function(x) x$attributes$title)),10)

[1] "_p_RNAinVAL"
[2] "_p_stRT"
[3] "Acetyl-coa production in Pseudomonas putida"
[4] "ADAPT - Accelerated Development of multiple-stress tolerAnt
[5] "AGENSI"
[6] "Agro-ecological modelling"
[7] "An overview of systematic reviews of treatment of polycystic
[8] "Aneurinibacillus thermoaerophilus CCM 8960 metabolic pathway
[9] "AquaHealth (ERA-BlueBio)"
[10] "Are microRNAs key mediators of cartilage destruction in oste
```

▶ To upload details

```
> id <- skFindId("projects", "_p_stRT")["id"]
> (r <- skRead("projects", id))
Status: 200
Object: https://fairdomhub.org/projects/161
Path : /projects/161
Title : _p_stRT
> d <- skContent(r)$attributes$description
```

## Metadata

```
> cat(d)
```

```
project:      _p_stRT
Short Name:   stRT
Title:        Solanum tuberosum Reference Transcriptomes
Description:   Cultivar-specific transcriptome and pan-transcriptome
pISA projects path:  ../pISA-Projects
Local pISA-tree organisation:  National Institute of Biology
```

▶ To upload details

- `skCreate()`  
Create a SEEK item.
- `skCheckAndCreate()`  
Check if ISA layer exists and create it if not.
- `skDelete()`  
Delete item.

- `skFilesToUpload()`  
Prepare a list of files to upload.
- `skUploadFiles()`  
Bulk upload of files in the file list.
  
- `skCheckAndCreate()`  
Check if ISA layer exists and create it if not.
- `skUplodFile()`  
Create an item of type 'documents' or 'data\_files' and upload file content as a blob.

## Step 1: `skFilesToUpload()`: prepare the list of files

- Create a list of files in a folder and subfolders.  
Typically: files in an investigation with studies and assays.
  - Function `skFilesToUpload()` filters the list of files by:
    - Excluding ISA layers with the key  
Upload to FAIRDOMHub: No  
in metadata.
    - Excluding files with patterns in the file `seekignore.txt`.
- 

```
> seekignore[1:7]
```

```
[1] "# File patterns to be ignored by SEEK API upload"  
[2] "#"  
[3] "DoNotUpload/"  
[4] "other/"  
[5] "*.bat"  
[6] "_template.txt"  
[7] "common.ini"
```

## Step 1: Example

```
> filesToUpload <- skFilesToUpload(.iroot)
```

```
Ignoring pISA layer: _S_NoUpload/_A_TestUpload
```

```
Ignoring pISA layer: _S_NoUpload
```

```
Ignored pISA layers: 2 / 7
```

```
Ignored README.MD files: 22 / 25
```

```
Ignoring 0 files [ DoNotUpload/ ]
```

```
Ignoring 7 files [ other/ ]
```

```
Ignoring 21 files [ *\.bat$ ]
```

```
Ignoring 3 files [ _template\.txt$ ]
```

```
Ignoring 3 files [ common\.ini$ ]
```

```
Ignoring 0 files [ *\.zip$ ]
```

```
Ignoring 0 files [ *\.tmp$ ]
```

```
...
```

```
Ignoring 1 files [ _S_Show/reports/README.MD ]
```

```
Files to upload: 14 / 110
```

# Step 1: Files to upload

```
> head(filesToUpload, 20)
```

```
[1] "_INVESTIGATION_METADATA.TXT"  
[2] "phenodata_20191015.txt"  
[3] "README.MD"  
[4] "seekignore.txt"  
[5] "_S_Show/_STUDY_METADATA.TXT"  
[6] "_S_Show/_A_Private-R/_Assay_METADATA.TXT"  
[7] "_S_Show/_A_Work-R/_Assay_METADATA.TXT"  
[8] "_S_Show/_A_Work-R/UploadSigma.txt"  
[9] "_S_Show/_A_Private-R/input/some-data.txt"  
[10] "_S_Show/_A_Private-R/reports/README.MD"  
[11] "_S_Show/_A_Work-R/input/bla.txt"  
[12] "_S_Show/_A_Work-R/input/filename with blanks.txt"  
[13] "_S_Show/_A_Work-R/input/some-data.txt"  
[14] "_S_Show/_A_Work-R/reports/README.MD"  
[15] "_S_Show/_A_Work-R/reports/SIGMA_vs_A_plot.pdf"
```

## Step 2: skUploadFiles

```
> skUploadFiles(  
+   filesToUpload,  
+   reportFile="UploadReport.txt")
```



## Step 2: skUploadFiles - progress report

|..>\_\_\_\_\_ | 1/14

\_INVESTIGATION\_METADATA.TXT

Status code: 200

... Uploading: \_INVESTIGATION\_METADATA.TXT

|.....>\_\_\_\_\_ | 2/14

phenodata\_20191015.txt

... Uploading: phenodata\_20191015.txt

|.....>\_\_\_\_\_ | 3/14

---

|.....>\_\_\_\_\_ | 6/14

\_S\_Show/\_A\_Private-R/\_Assay\_METADATA.TXT

Create: assays '\_A\_Private-R' (no\_access)

Status: 200

Object: <https://fairdomhub.org/assays/1814>

Path : /assays/1814

Title : \_A\_Private-R

... Uploading: \_S\_Show/\_A\_Private-R/\_Assay\_METADATA.TXT

---

|.....>\_\_\_ | 13/14

\_S\_Show/\_A\_Work-R/reports/README.MD

... Uploading: \_S\_Show/\_A\_Work-R/reports/README.MD

|.....> | 14/14

\_S\_Show/\_A\_Work-R/reports/SIGMA\_vs\_A\_plot.pdf

... Uploading: \_S\_Show/\_A\_Work-R/reports/SIGMA\_vs\_A\_plot.pdf



# \_I\_Test 2022-05-08 23:13:06

Unsubscribe

New Investigation based on this one

Add new -

Actions -

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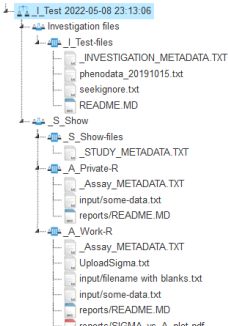
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2	_p_Demo/_I_Test/	_INVESTIGATION_METADATA.TXT	<a href="https://fairdomhub.org/data_files/5740?version=1">https://fairdomhub.org/data_files/5740?version=1</a>	8.05.2022	23:13:15	download
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11	_p_Demo/_I_Test/_S_Show/_A_Private-R/	reports/README.MD	<a href="https://fairdomhub.org/documents/3544?version=1">https://fairdomhub.org/documents/3544?version=1</a>	8.05.2022	23:13:54	no_access
12	_p_Demo/_I_Test/_S_Show/_A_Work-R/	input/filename with blanks.txt	<a href="https://fairdomhub.org/data_files/5748?version=1">https://fairdomhub.org/data_files/5748?version=1</a>	8.05.2022	23:13:59	download
13	_p_Demo/_I_Test/_S_Show/_A_Work-R/	input/some-data.txt	<a href="https://fairdomhub.org/data_files/5749?version=1">https://fairdomhub.org/data_files/5749?version=1</a>	8.05.2022	23:14:03	download
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## Step 2: Log file

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2022-05-08 22:45:07 skCreate https://fairdomhub.org/documents
2022-05-08 22:45:09 200 OK 2.11 https://fairdomhub.org/documents/3542?version=1
2022-05-08 22:45:09 Upload file: _S_Show/_A_Work-R/reports/SIGMA_vs_A_plot.pdf
2022-05-08 22:45:09 skUpload https://fairdomhub.org/documents/3542/content_blobs/15
2022-05-08 22:45:11 200 OK 1.23 ../../../../_S_Show/_A_Work-R/reports/SIGMA_vs_A_plot.
```

# Issues (and features)

- Windows and R issue with long file names.
- Possible timeouts for huge files (rare, speed  $\sim 5$  MB/s).
- ISA structure permits files only in Assay layer
  - pISA-tree has files also in other ISA layers
  - seekr** has a workaround for upload to FAIRDOMHub.
- Update item `/skUpdate()`: not permitted, credentials issue?.
- How to upload blob as a new version?

# Conclusion

- R package **seekr** (based on SEEK API) can be used for bulk upload to FAIRDOMHub.
- We have uploaded two large projects with several hundred files, another two in preparation.
- Software availability:
  - Package **seekr** <https://github.com/NIB-SI/seekr>
  - Package **pisar** <https://github.com/NIB-SI/pisar>
  - pISA-tree data management  
<https://github.com/NIB-SI/pISA-tree>

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Thank you for your attention



# pISA-tree structure

