

## New services and capabilities @ Springer

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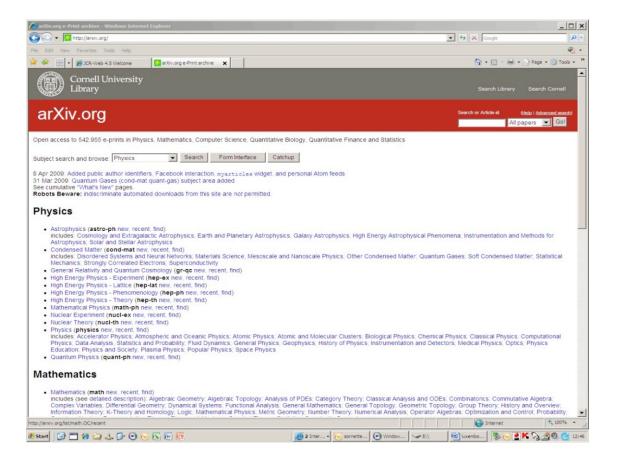
## **Overview**

- The role of a scientific publisher
- New Products and Capabilities
- Future



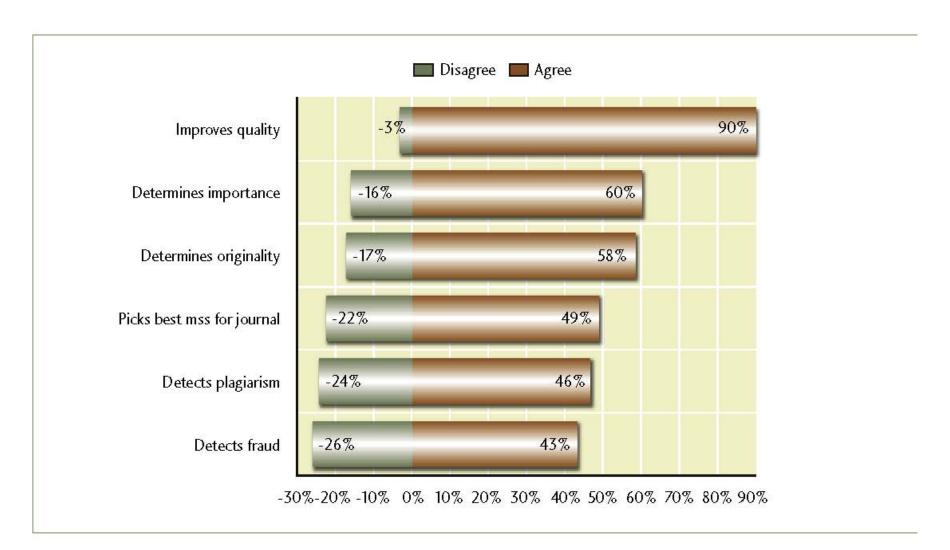
#### **Different role of Publishers**

First hand distribution of primary scholarly information has disappeared from the publisher's list of service in some disciplines (ArXiv).





## **Quality Assurance: Peer-Reviewing**





#### Metadata

The uniform quality and international standards of metadata are of paramount importance in a global e-publishing system.

Springer distributes the metadata, across all disciplines, to hundreds of various abstracting and indexing services, such as:

- Web of Science (Thomson ISI)
- Scopus (Elsevier)
- Medline, PubMed (US National Library of Medicine)
- INSPIRE
- -ADS

Consistency is also needed for *durable archiving* (e.g. by Portico).

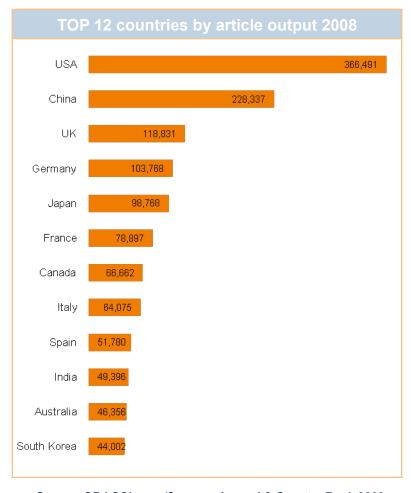
### The World is Changing

#### **R&D** Expenditure

- Since 2000, R&D expenditure relative to GDP (R&D intensity) has increased in Asia, has decreased slightly in the United States remained relatively stable in Europe.
- In 2006/2007, Finland, Japan, Korea and Sweden were the only countries in which the R&D-to-GDP ratio exceeded 3%, well above the average of 2.3%.
- R&D expenditure for China has been growing even faster than GDP, resulting in a rapidly increasing R&D intensity, growing from 0.9% in 2000 to 1.5% in 2007.

OECD, 2009

#### **Research Article Output**



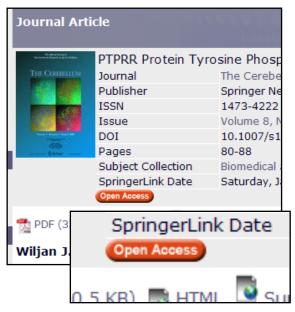
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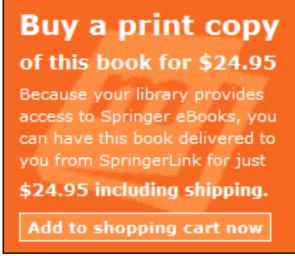
### **Innovate** core products

#### New platform Springer.com and new SpringerLink.com

#### **Journals innovation**



#### **Books innovation**

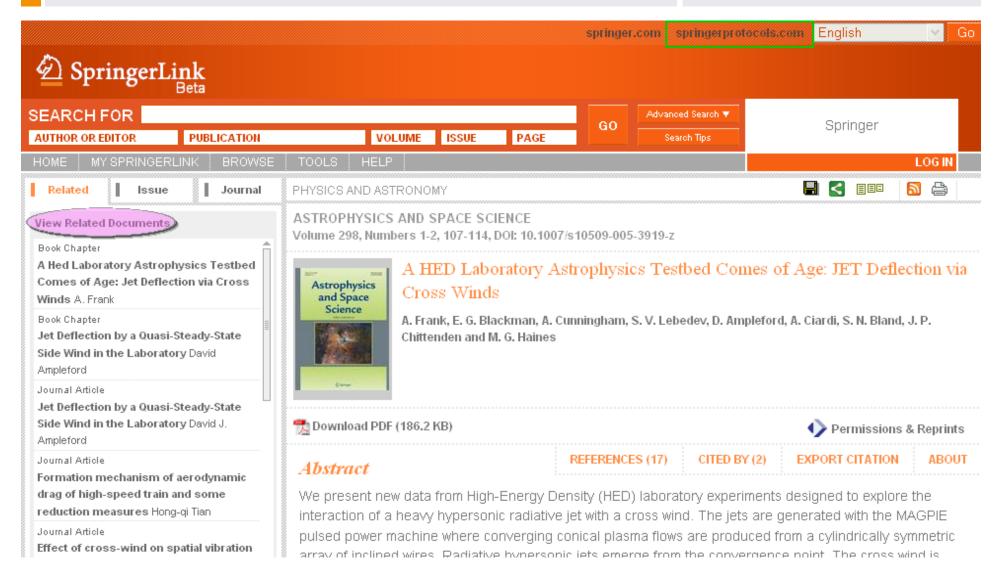


#### **Platform innovation**



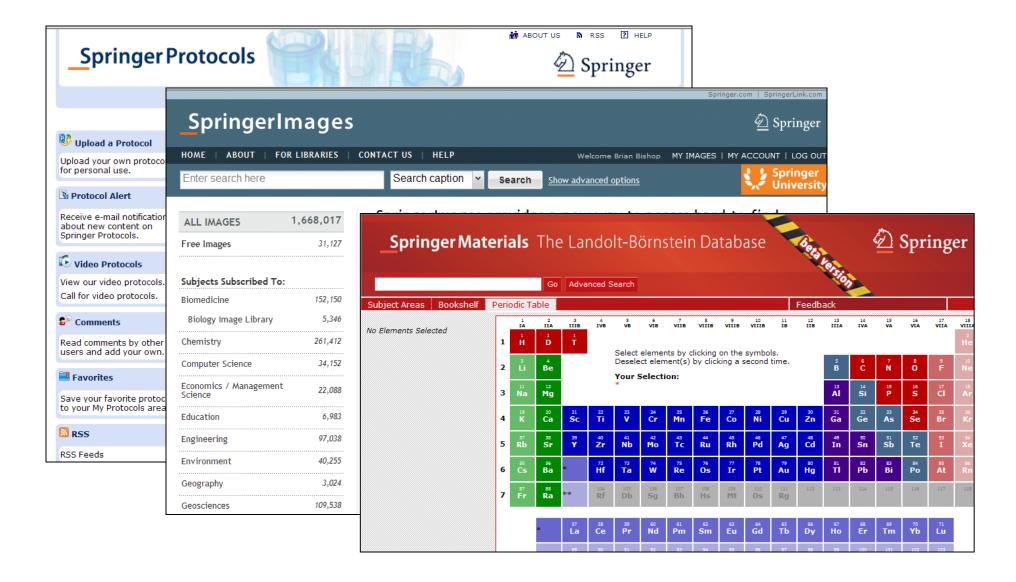






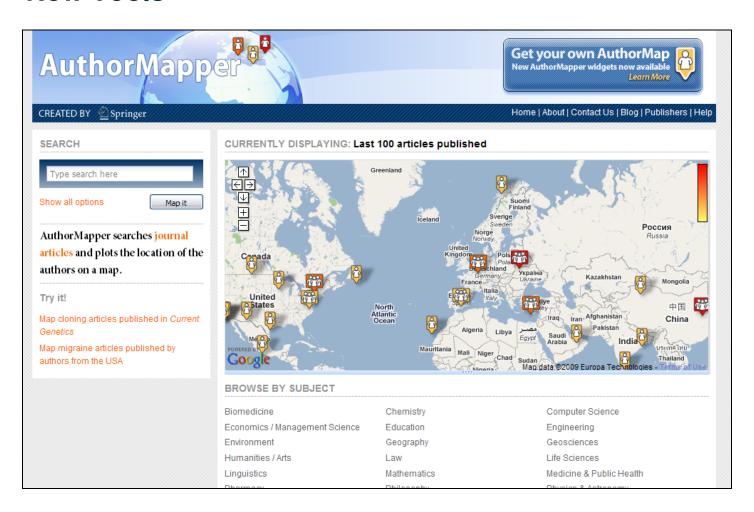


## **Develop database publishing capability**





#### **New Tools**



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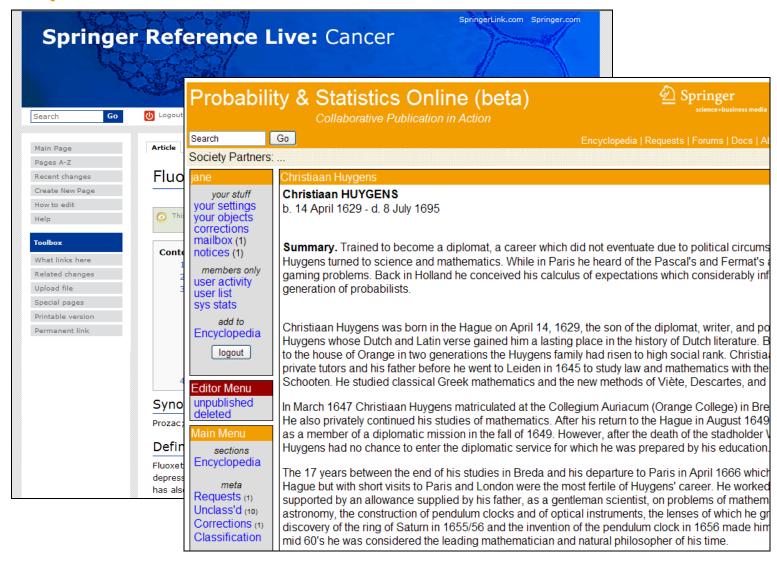


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## Collaboration in ORCID

- ORCID (Open Researcher & Contributor ID) attempts to provide unique author identification.
- Difficult to achieve.
- Long range effort



# eFirst publishing

- Electronic final article published immediately
  - —Includes issue and page/article numbers
- Summary print issue available at year-end
  - -Either part of subscription or pay-on-request



### **Future: Enhanced Electronic Publishing**

- PDF still mimics many features of "paper copies"
- Instead, use basically only mark-up language based means to create online articles which are significantly enriched by incorporating new features:
  - Downloadable spreadsheets to enable readers to work directly with data presented
  - Semantic markup of textual terms and link to third-party information sources
  - Interactive figures
  - –Movies
  - citations which include a pop-up containing the relevant quotation from the cited article
  - -Sortable reference lists, etc.



## **Continued Collaboration**

- INSPIRE
  - Agreement was signed by Springer on 13 April 2010 to make metadata and full text available for indexing
- ADS
- Apply tools from one collaborator to data from others (e.g. AuthorMapper)
- Merge data handling capabilities (e.g. SpringerImages)