

Preserving the .EU domain

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Arquivo.pt is a research infrastructure for the study of web archived material.



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Advanced search

Search pages from the past

Millions of contents archived since 1996

Meet the service



What is .EU domain?

- .EU is the top-level domain for the European Union (EU).
- Launched on 7 December 2005, the domain is available for organisations and residents of EU member states.
- There are more than 3.9 million registered .eu domain names. https://www.eurid.eu/en/about-us

Why preserve .EU domain?

An european Identity on the Internet for european citizens.

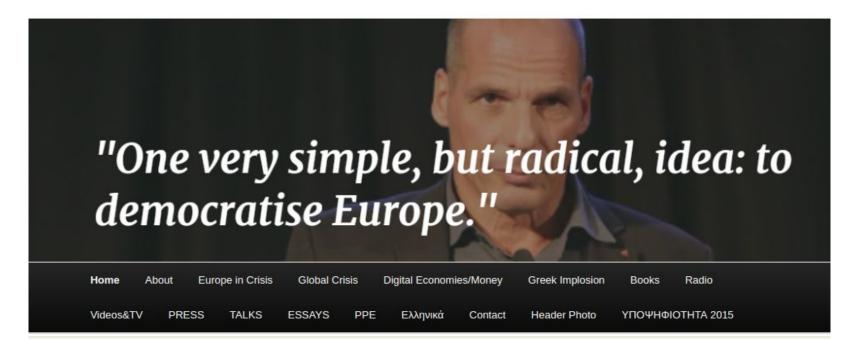


European Identity

Yanis Varoufakis

thoughts for the post-2008 world





https://yanisvaroufakis.eu/



Why preserve .EU domain?

Used by the European Union institutions (europa. eu).



European Commission



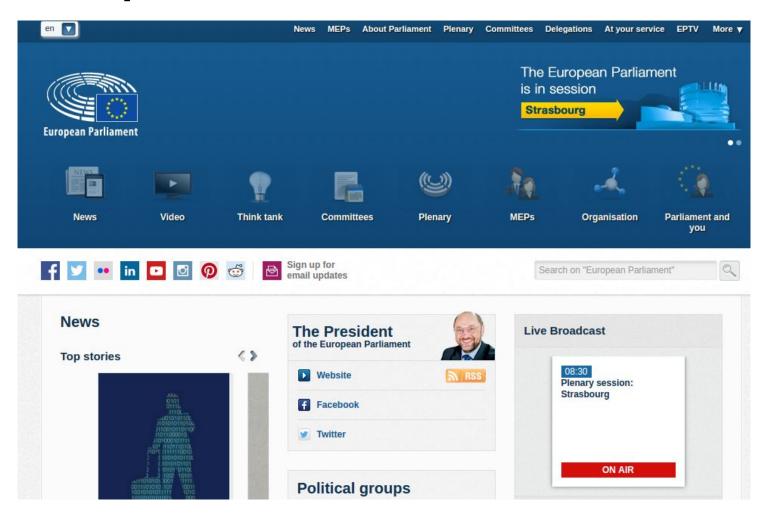




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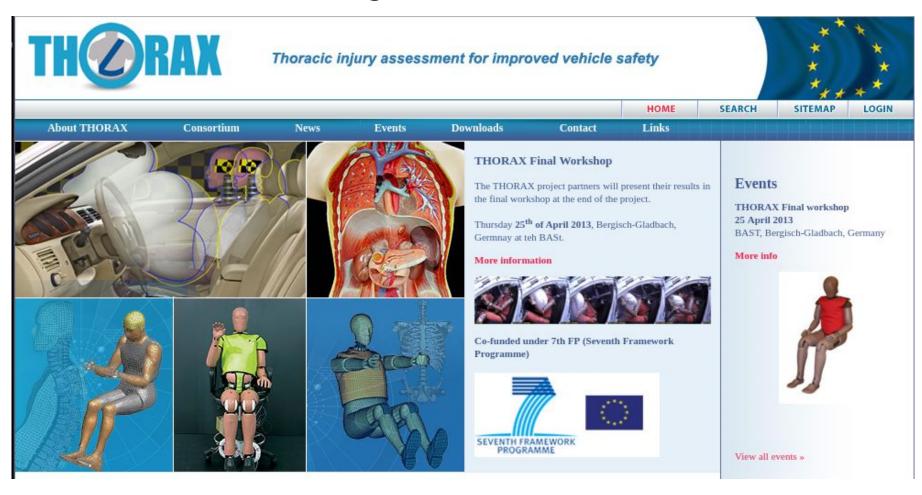


Why preserve .EU domain?

European Research and Development projects



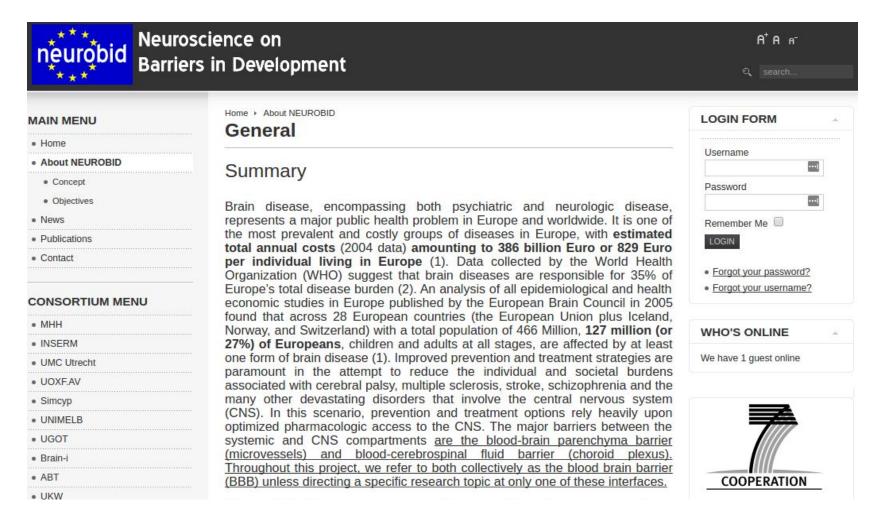
Thorax project



http://www.thorax-project.eu/



Neuroscience project



http://www.neurobid.eu/



Not preserved website

Making SME meat processors more competitive by using automatic in-line fat analysis in meat trimmings



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Automatic in-line fat analysis in meat trimmings

The **TRIMSCAN** solution consists in the development of an inline fat analyser to scan pork and beef trimmings contained in plastic bins. The solution uses a contactless system to predict the fat content with an expected accuracy below 1.5 %.

TRIMSCAN will provide SME meat processors with a practical tool at an affordable cost to make them more competitive by reducing lean meat over-use and to avoid the need of inaccurate and time consuming manual sampling and recipe reformulation.

TRIMSCAN will significantly improve the production of processed meat by homogenising the quality of the final product and by reducing the percentage of rejections due to products that do not meet the legislation and/or customer of specifications

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http://trimscan.eu



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Hrm.

Wayback Machine doesn't have that page archived.

https://web.archive.org/*/http://trimscan.eu/



Who preserves the .EU domain?

National institutions preserve national domains.

Which institution preserves the .EU domain?

 This can lead to the loss of European Cultural Heritage for future generations.



RESAW

RESAW is an European network that aims to create a **Research Infrastructure** for the Study of Archived Web Materials established in late 2012.

Arquivo.pt is one of the Web Archiving initiatives participating in RESAW.

International and National Projects.



Archiving .EU project

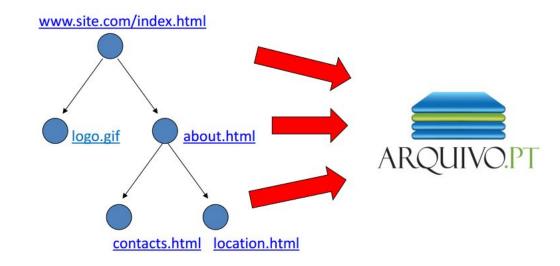
- A pilot exploratory crawl of the .EU domain.
- The objective was to gain insight about how to preserve the .EU domain.



How a Crawler Works

Crawler is a **robot** that automatically navigates from page to page.

- Crawler gets a start page (seed URL).
- Extracts addresses available on the page.
- Follows the extracted addresses to new pages
- Repeat process for all sites.





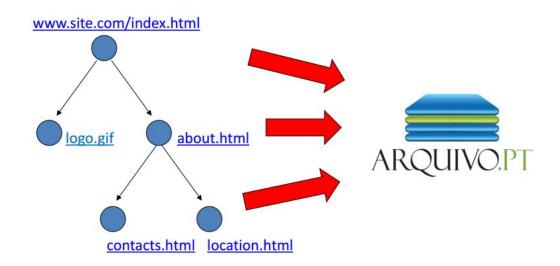
URL Seeds

- We gathered seeds from several sources:
 - dmoz http://www.dmoz.org/docs/en/rdf.html
 - Alexa Top Sites http://www.alexa.com/topsites
 - HttpArchive http://www.httparchive.org
 - Websiteisworth http://goo.gl/0if6pe
 - Search our Crawl Logs for .eu URL addresses.
 - Google Search Queries for .eu URL addresses.
- Gathered a total of 34 thousand URL seeds.



First crawl Configuration

- 5 links followed from homepage.
- 10 000 files per site.





Information Crawled

- 1 million hosts.
- 250 million files.
- Crawler ran for 23 days.
- 5.8 Terabytes of **.eu** domain content stored.

Second Crawl Configuration

- 5 links followed from homepage.
- 1 000 files per site.

Information Crawled

- 72 thousand hosts.
- 14 million files.
- Crawler ran for 19 days.
- 3.1 Terabytes of **.eu** domain content stored.

What we learned

- Redirects to other top level domains are common.
 - 9% of the URL seeds were redirected to other top level domains.
- Poorly designed online shops that generate infinite number of URLs. (http://autobazar.eu)

What we learned

- Lots of Web Spam.
 - Link farm sites. (http://in-links.eu/)

Sub-domains that referenced multilingual versions.

Search Prototype

 We developed a URL and Full-Text Search prototype on the crawled content.

 Full-Text Search makes more easy the research for crawled contents on .EU domain.

Publicly accessible through: http://arquivo.pt/resawdev



Search Prototype





Search from the past

Know the project

http://arquivo.pt/resawdev



Search Prototype





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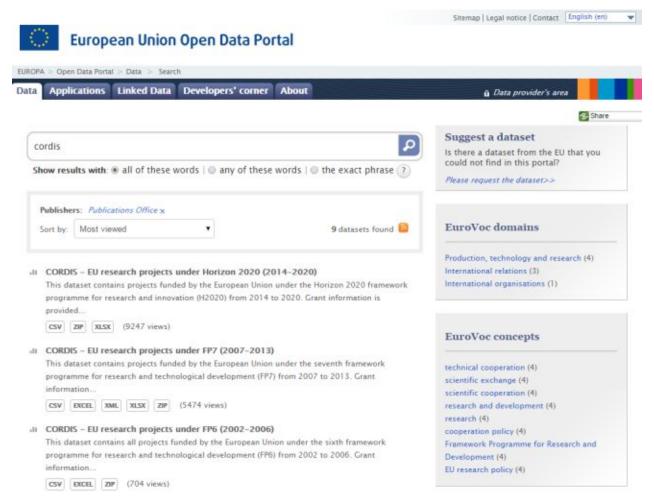
- Crawling logs and report at http://arquivo.pt/crawlreport.
- Full-text search .EU collection http://arquivo.pt/resawdev.
- Talk with us if you need more information for your research.

Future/Current Work

- Preservation of R&D projects.
 - they publish valuable scientific outputs.
 - they vanish shortly after the project funding ends.
 - constitute a trans-national, multi-lingual and cross-field set of historical web data for researchers (e.g. social scientists).



Open Data Portal



https://open-data.europa.eu/



FP7 Projects List

A	C	H	К	L.
1	acronym	title	projectUrl	objective
2	PROVIPS	Development of an automated classification system for polished stone slabs and tiles	http://88.32.124.85/PROVIPS/	'Limitations in quality control performance repr
3	ABC4EU	ABC GATES FOR EUROPE	http://abc4eu.com/	'During the last years, many ABC Gates have been
4	ACOBAR	Acoustic Technology for observing the interior of the Arctic Ocean	http://acobar.nersc.no/	'ACOBAR will develop an observing system for t
5	ACROPOLIS	Aggregate and Cumulative Risk Of Pesticides: an On-Line Integrated Strategy	http://acropolis-eu.com/	'EU Directive 396/2005 states that methods are
6	ADAPOND	"Development of an automatic process of in- house collection, storage and application of adaptive bacteria culture for fish farms."	http://adapond.eii.ee/	'Evidence from recirculation systems shows tha
7	NANOFOODS	Development of foods containing nanoencapsulated ingredient	http://allegati.unina.it/ricerca/prog	The preservation of bioactive food ingredients
8	ANTICARB	Monoclonal ANTIbody-targeted CARBon nanobues against cancer	http://anticarb.org/	'ANTICARB attempts to exploit the advantages
9	APARET	African Programme for Advanced Research Epidemiology Training	http://aparet.org/index.php?option	'The APARET fellowship programme will catalys
10	AQUAVALENS	Protecting the health of Europeans by improving methods for the detection of pathogens in drinking water and water used in food preparation	http://aquavalens.org/	'The AQUAVALENS consortium has brought togs
11	ARCH	Agenda for research on chernobyl health (ARCH): to develop of a strategic plan for research on the health consequences of radiation from the chernobyl accident	http://arch.iarc.fr	The Chernobyl accident led to the most serious



Recovering project URLs

- 25 608 R&D projects funded by FP7 listed by the EU Open Data Portal.
- Only 7.9% had an associated project URL.
- Researching techniques to automatically identify this project URLs.

