

Client-Side Preservation Techniques for ORE Aggregations

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Outline

- Background: Let the “Web Infrastructure” preserve your information
- Premise: ReMs are critical for preservation purposes
- Client-side vs. Server-side approaches to preservation
- Sketch of a possible framework for client-side preservation techniques



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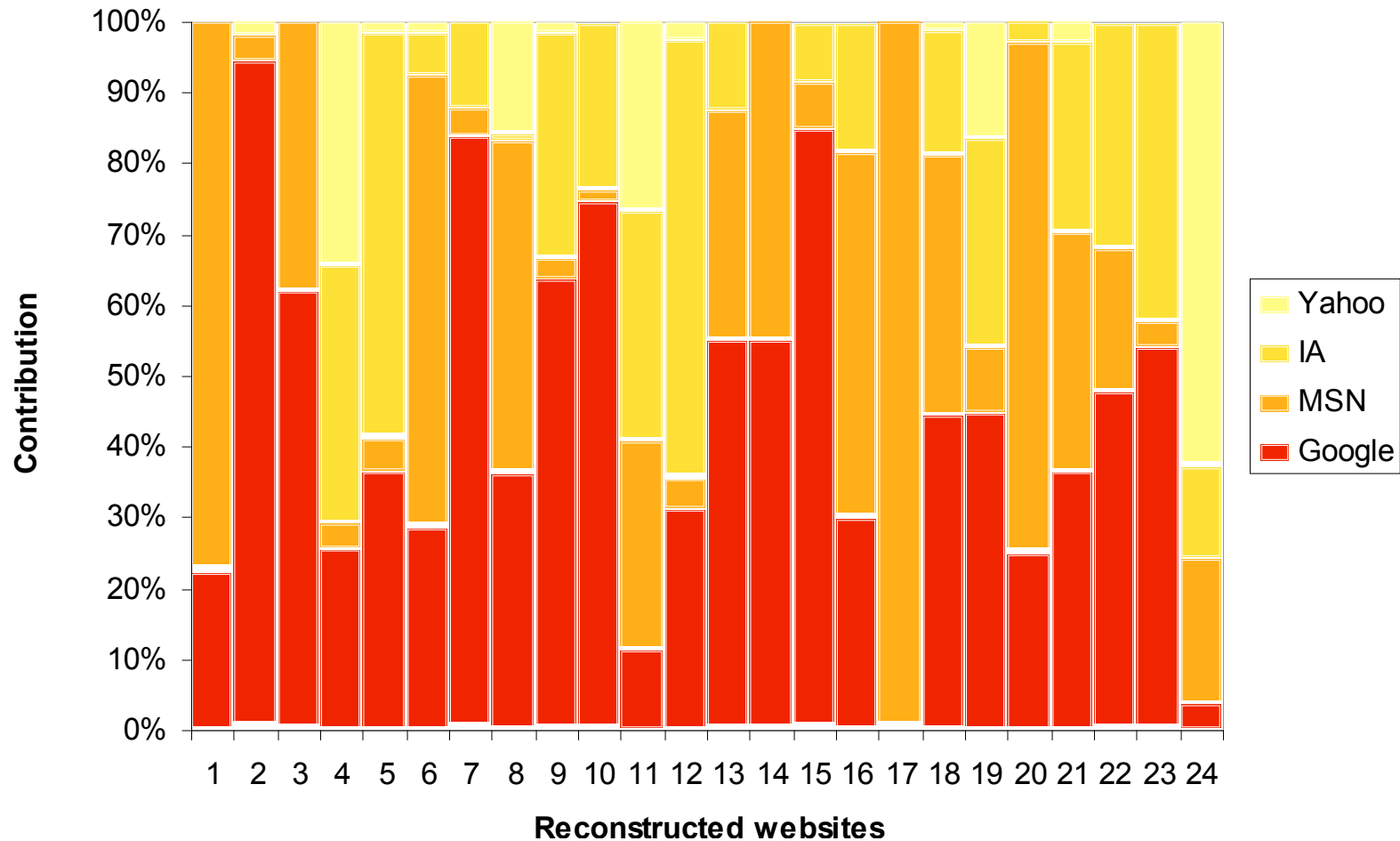
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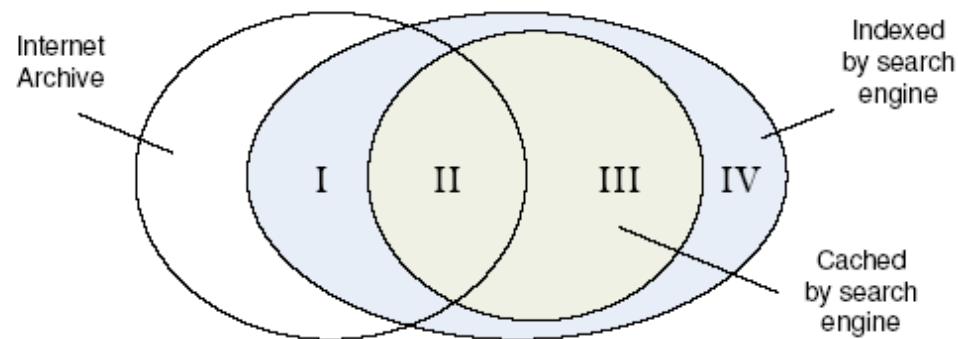
preservation = refreshing + migration

Web Repository Contributions



Overlap with Internet Archive

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Google	40.7%	3.7%	50.3%	5.3%
MSN	51.1%	1.1%	43.7%	4.1%
Yahoo	39.3%	1.8%	47.7%	11.2%



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warrick.cs.odu.edu

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http://warrick.cs.odu.edu:9090/warrick/servlet/Main?op=allJobs

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PROCESSING (7)

Key	Info	Node	Progress(%)	Age	Actions
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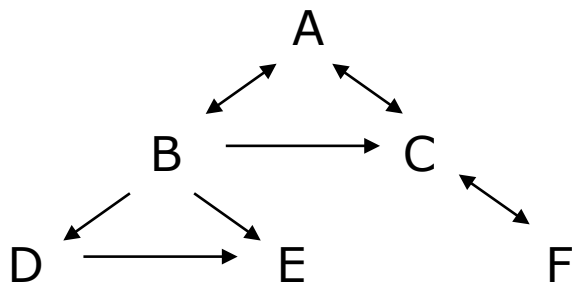
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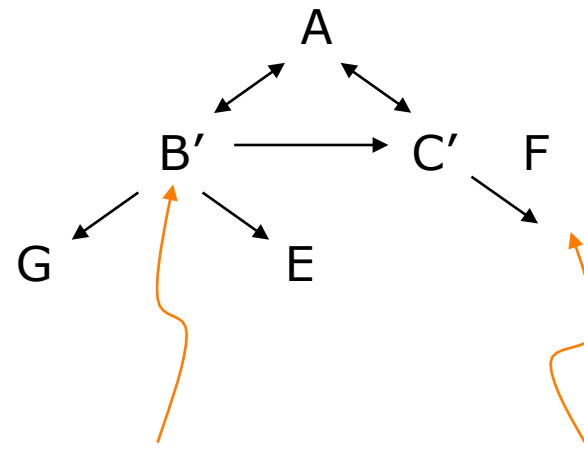
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How Much Did We Reconstruct?

“Lost” web site



Reconstructed web site



Four categories of recovered resources:

- 1) Identical: A, E
- 2) Changed: B, C
- 3) Missing: D, F
- 4) Added: G

Missing link to D;
points to old
resource G

F can't
be found

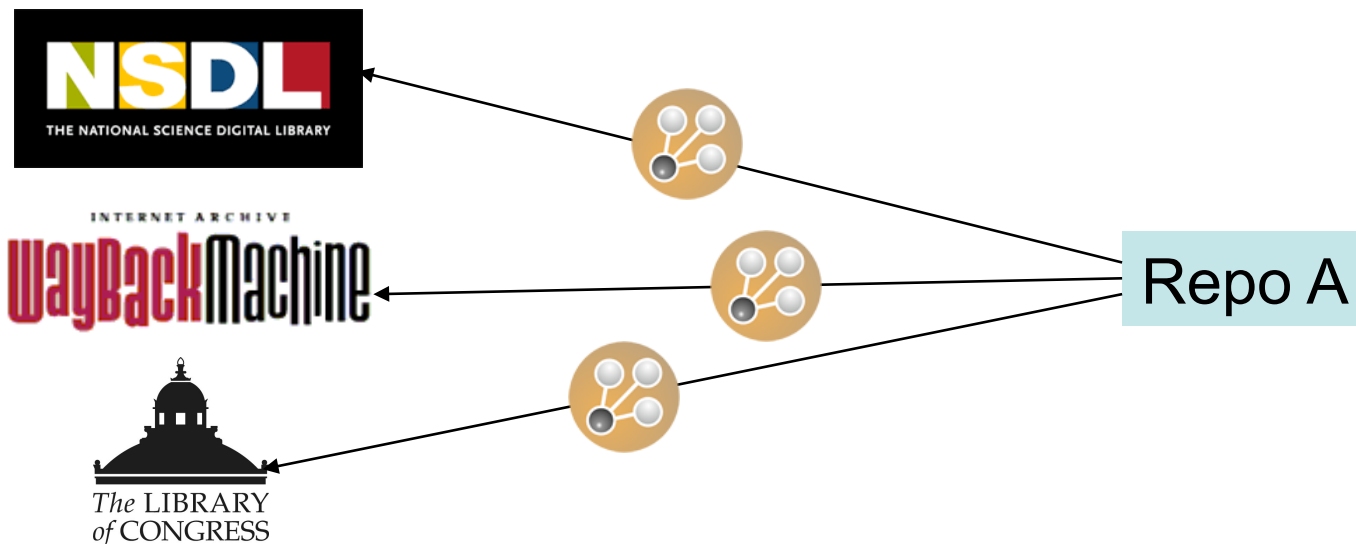
Resource Maps Unambiguously Define an Aggregation

- The “manifest” nature of ReMs allow us to know “if we got it all”
 - “known knowns”
 - “known unknowns”
 - “unknown unknowns”
- Assuming the ReM is recovered, the implications for preservation are clear:
 - defines members of the aggregations
 - defines relationships between them



Server-Side Techniques

- Repository A uses ReMs for their aggregations.
- Repository B harvests ReMs to ensure total coverage of Repository A.
- Repository A can use its ReMs to validate transfer to Repository B.
- Third parties use ReMs to audit B's preservation of A.
- New ReMs created to reflect migration, refreshing of aggregations.



Can We Involve End-Users in the Preservation Process?

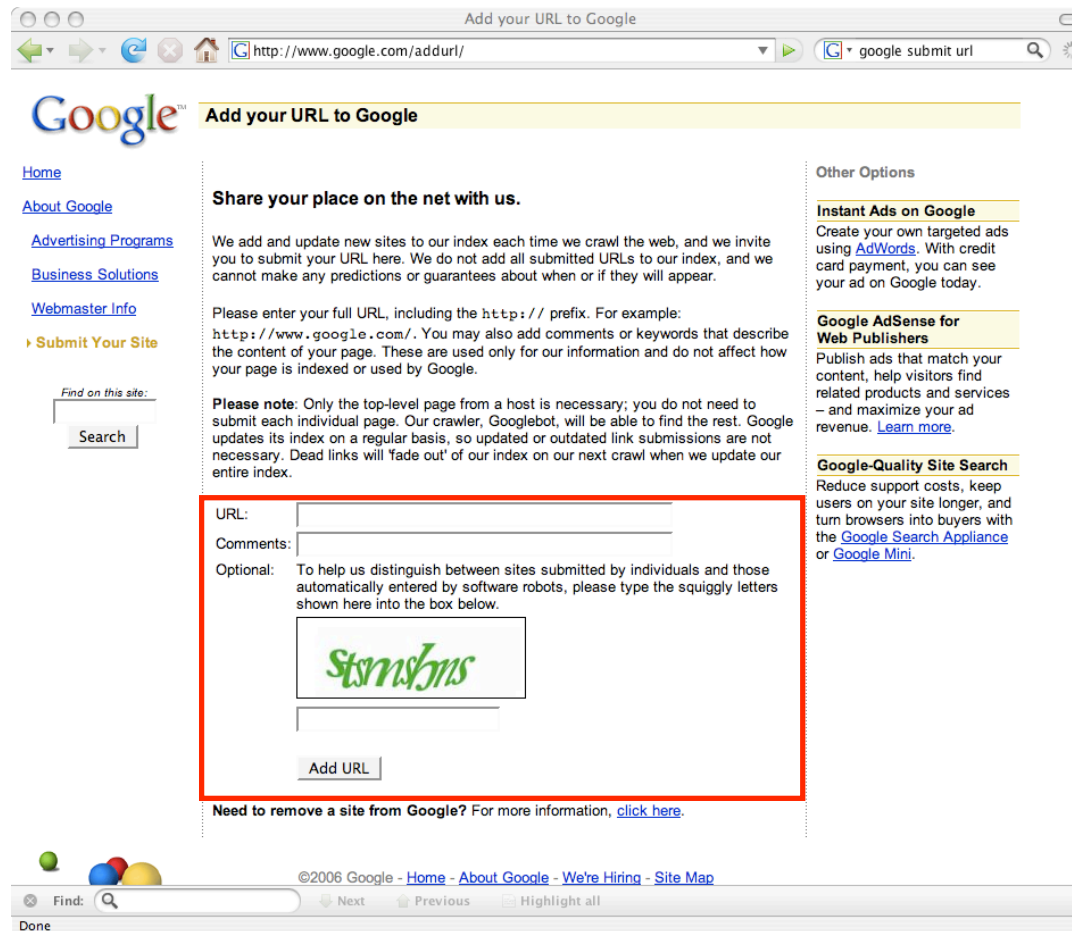
- Leverage the actions of end users?
 - “people helping robots...”
- Make preservation more accessible?
 - light-weight and easy like Google Analytics and reCAPTCHA?

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Client-Side Techniques

- Operations on the ReM and Aggregated Resources (ARs)
 - validation, http status, ReM visualization, etc.
- Interacting with the Web Infrastructure
 - checking for ReM, ARs in Internet Archive, search engine caches, etc.
 - reconstructing aggregation for a given time interval
 - submitting ReM, ARs to WI
- Inter-client communication
 - my client updates/repairs ReM -- how to communicate that to other clients and servers?

One Reason Why We Need Humans in the Loop



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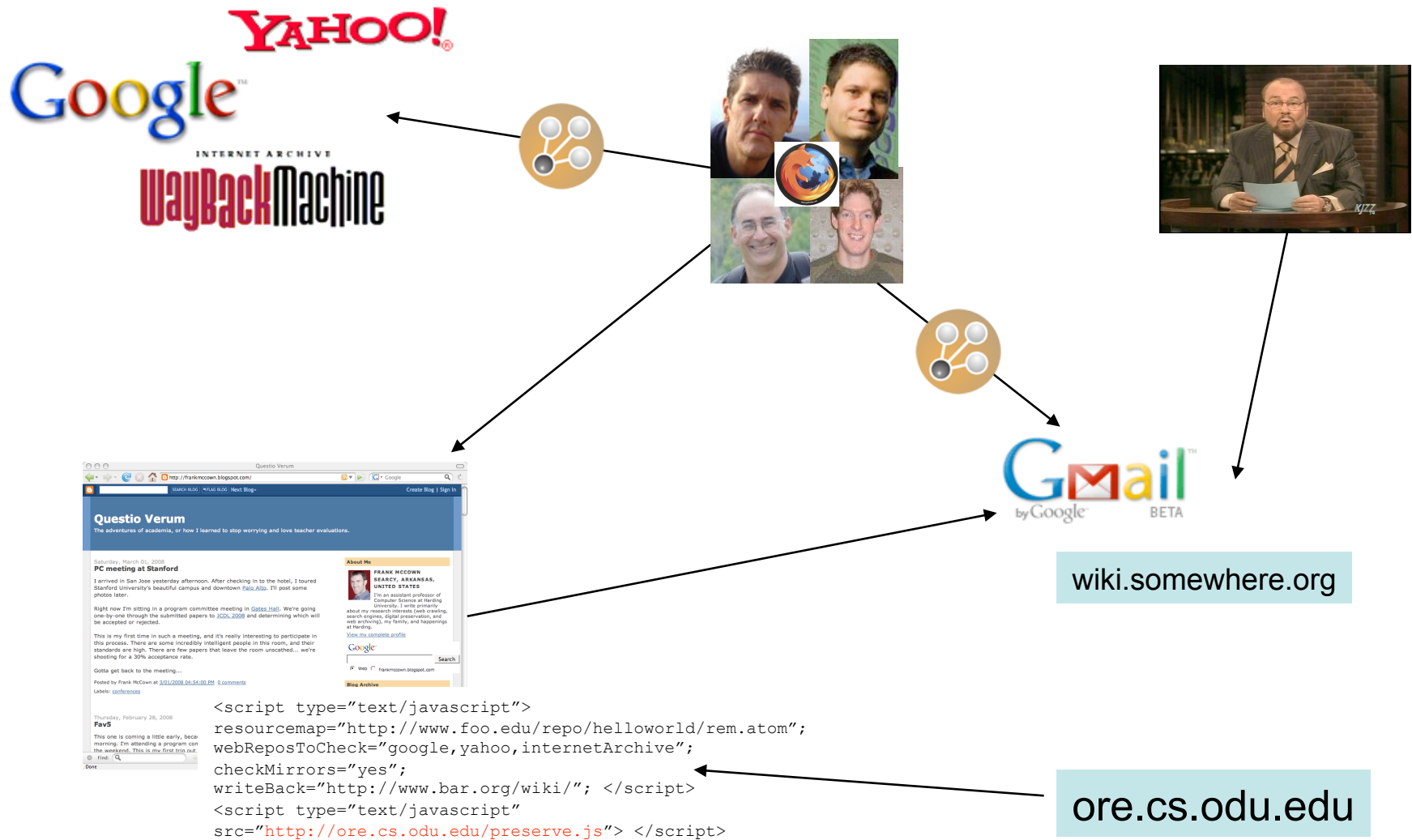
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A Possible Scenario...



Wikis Would Make a Nice Inter-Client Message Store



Function as a publicly (computers + humans) readable revision control system for ReMs

“Help Preserve This Object”

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Parametrization of K-essence and Its Kinetic Term

Hui Li, Zong-Kuan Guo, Yuan-Zhong Zhang

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Current Status

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- Finds copies of Aggregated Resources in Internet Archive, Google, Yahoo
- Next up:
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 - chose a time interval for reconstruction
 - send edited ReMs to a wiki or public email service
 - write a program to read & vet edited ReMs from public store