



HATHI TRUST
a shared digital repository

HathiTrust:

Building the Universal Collection

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Mission and Goals

- to contribute to the common good by collecting, organizing, preserving, communicating, and sharing the record of human knowledge
 - materials converted from print
 - improve access ...to meet the needs of the co-owning institutions
 - reliable and accessible electronic representations
 - coordinate shared storage strategies
 - “public good” ... free-riders.
 - simultaneously ...centralized ...open



current members

- California Digital Library
- Indiana University
- Michigan State University
- Northwestern University
- The Ohio State University
- Penn State University
- Purdue University
- UC Berkeley
- UC Davis
- UC Irvine
- UCLA
- UC Merced
- UC Riverside
- UC San Diego
- UC San Francisco
- UC Santa Barbara
- UC Santa Cruz
- The University of Chicago
- University of Illinois
- University of Illinois at Chicago
- The University of Iowa
- University of Michigan
- University of Minnesota
- University of Wisconsin-Madison
- University of Virginia

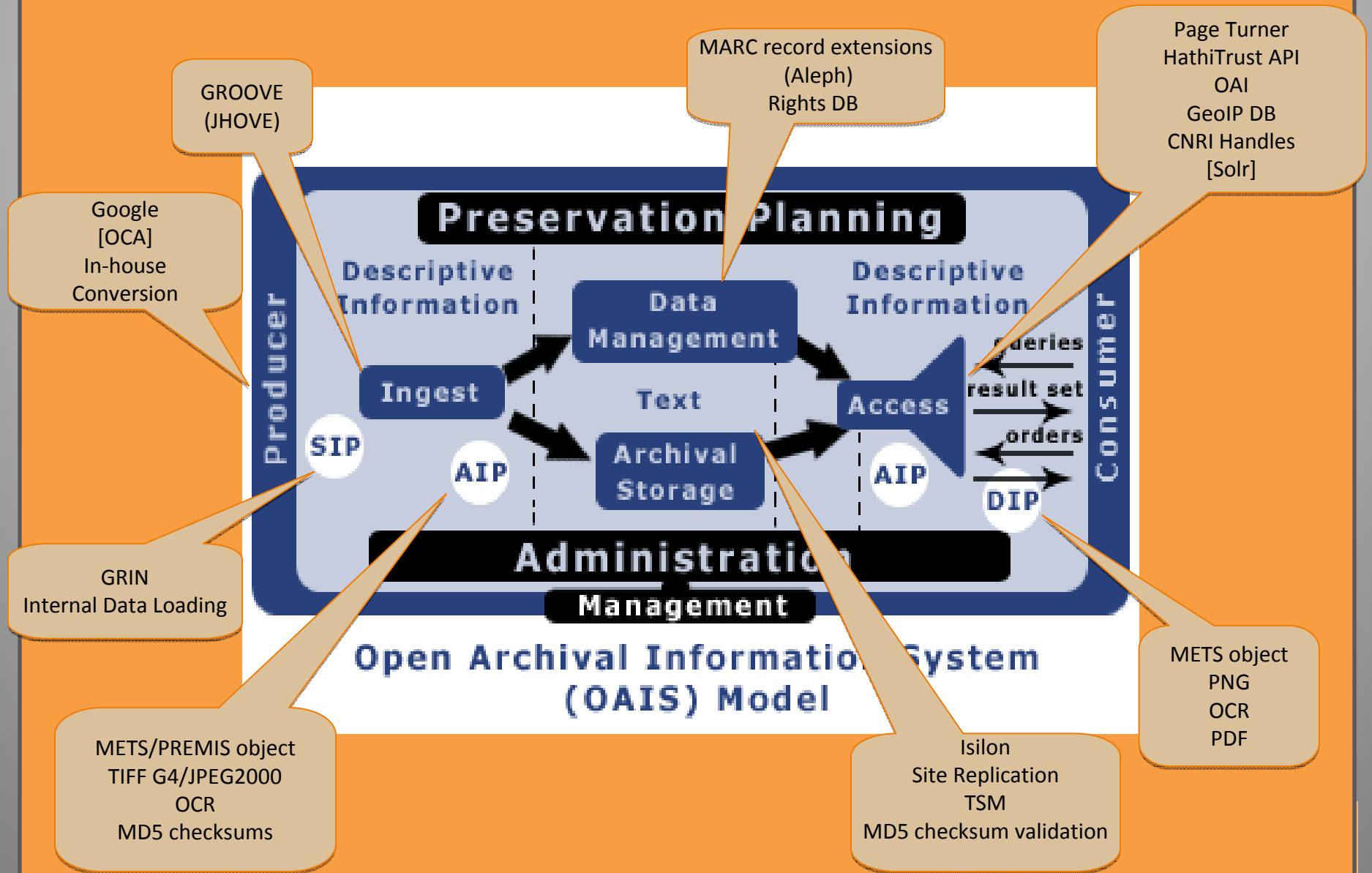


Governance Model

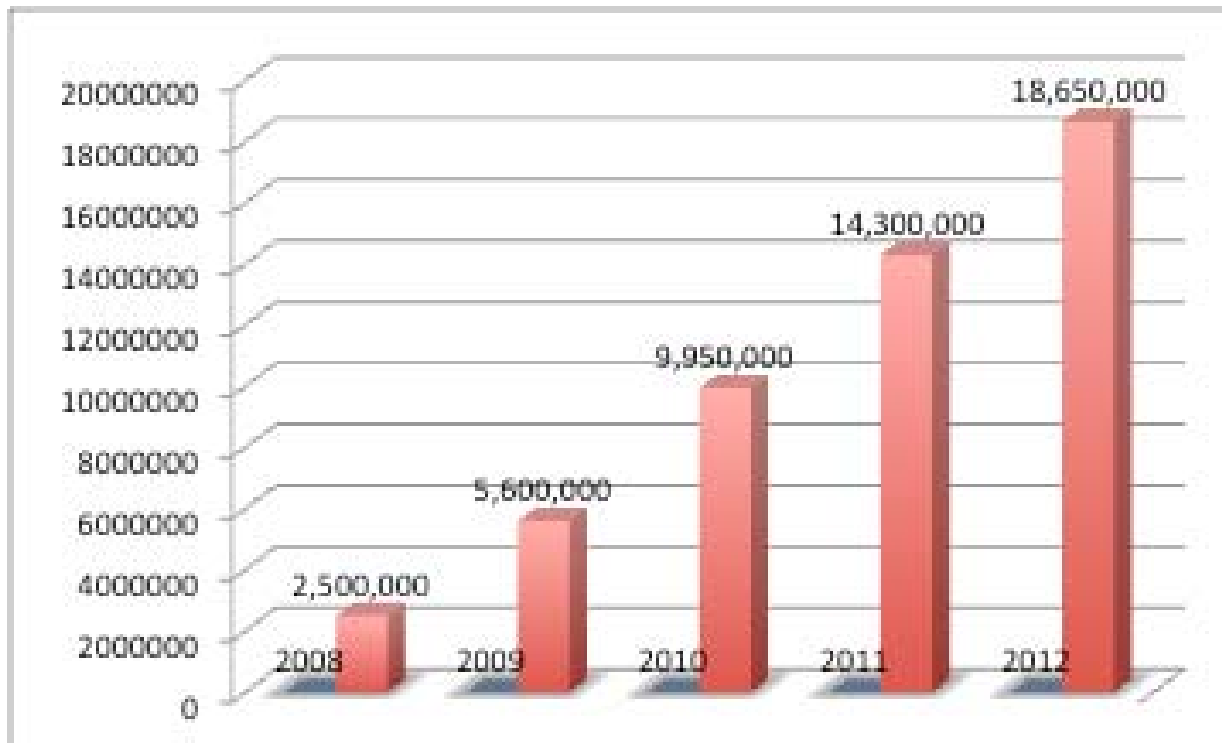
- Executive Committee
- Strategic Advisory Board
- Coordinated input from groups of members
 - Hathi/CIC Steering Committee
 - UC library directors



Preservation: OAIS Reference Model



growth trajectory

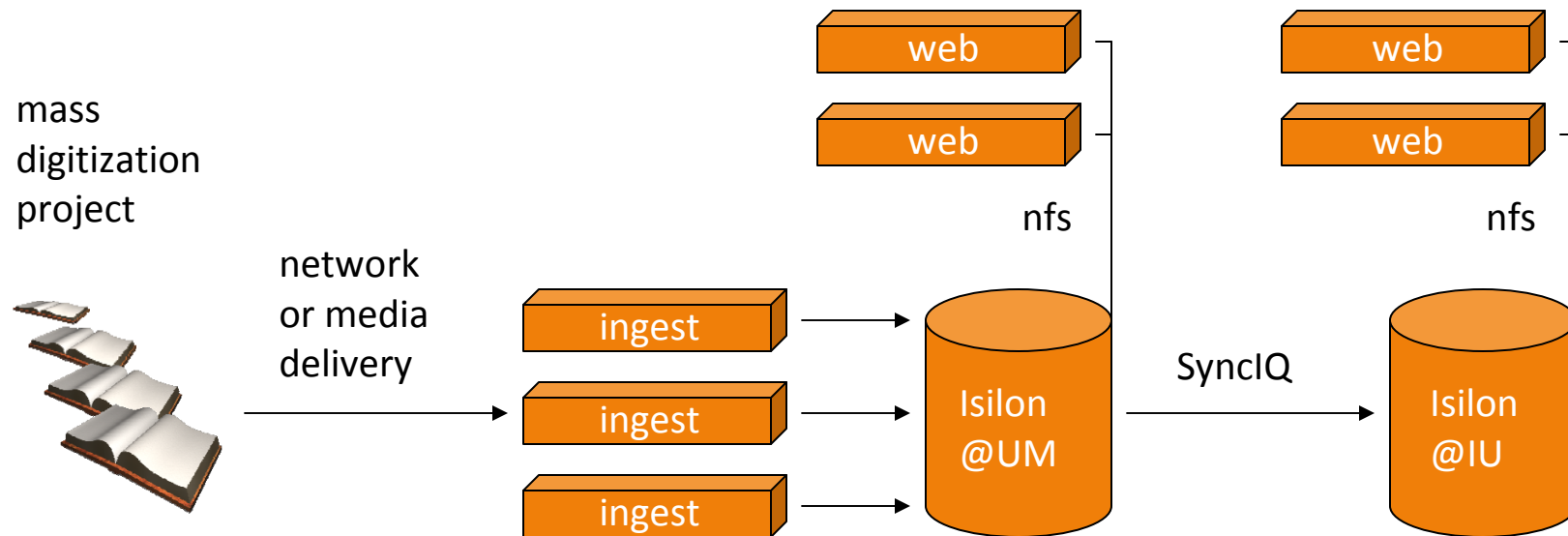


Content *type* growth?

- Continued focus on “published record”
- More work on retrospective conversion
- Current scholarly publishing (*as if* retrospective conversion)
- Born digital publishing
- Analogous materials in other formats (e.g., audio, video)



Flow of Materials



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