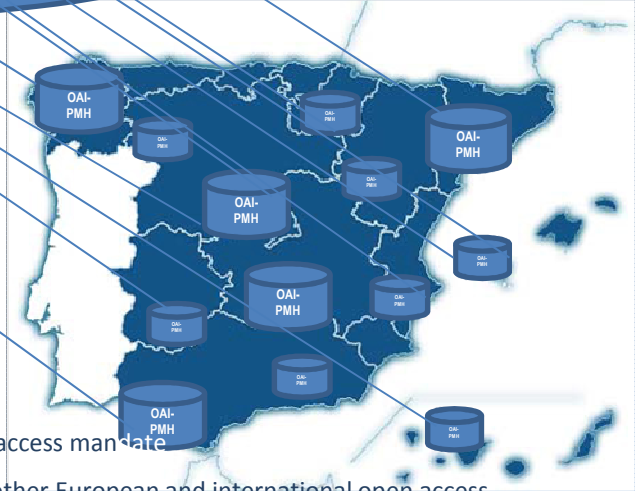


## RECOLECTA, the central node for Spanish open access scientific repositories

### RECOLECTA IS:

- ✓ A national repositories harvester:
  - Created in 2007
  - More than 150 harvested sources
  - More than 1.000.000 harvested documents (aprox.)
  - 42 institutional repositories harvested (Driver compliant)
- ✓ A service provider and coordinating agent for national repositories
- ✓ A service provider and coordinating agent for national researchers
- ✓ The central node for implementing and promoting the Spanish open access mandate
- ✓ The official instrument for the Spanish Government to connect with other European and international open access repositories initiatives
- ✓ The official instrument for the Spanish Government to get involved with open access stakeholders: editorials, institutions, ...
- ✓ OpenAIRE, COAR and CREST partner



### INFRASTRUCTURE

- ✓ National harvester in D-Net
- ✓ All OAI-PMH sources are harvested
- ✓ Services:
  - Common statistics to measure the use of repositories
  - Handbook for repositories quality evaluation
  - Preliminary works towards a Persistent Object Identifier
  - Dissemination activities within the researchers' community
  - Translation into Spanish of international services: SHERPA RoMEO , OpenAIRE interface
  - Translation into Spanish of International standards and key documents: DINI certificate

### ACHIEVEMENTS AND BEST PRACTICES

- ✓ **Successful bottom-up movement:** Universities and Public Research Centres have been very active in creating solid and interoperable repositories . The Spanish Government has acknowledged this effort and has included an open access mandate in the new Law for Science (launched in June 2011)
- ✓ High rate of Spanish repositories are DRIVER and OpenAIRE compliant
- ✓ Highly committed and active Recolecta working groups

### CHALLENGES AHEAD

- ✓ All institutional repositories to be DRIVER and OpenAIRE compliant (currently: 14 Irs OAIRE compliant, 42 DRIVER compliant)
- ✓ New services for repositories: Statistics of repositories' usage, on-line validator for repositories
- ✓ Implementation of the open access mandate
- ✓ Full researchers' involvement
- ✓ Research data harvesting and curation