

Resource Summary Report

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Universal Numerical Fingerprint

RRID:SCR_005912

Type: Tool

Proper Citation

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Resource Information

URL: <http://thedata.org/citation/standard>

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Description: Citation standard that offers proper recognition to authors as well as permanent identification through the use of global, persistent identifiers in place of URLs, which can change frequently. Use of universal numerical fingerprints (UNFs) guarantees to the scholarly community that future researchers will be able to verify that data retrieved is identical to that used in a publication decades earlier, even if it has changed storage media, operating systems, hardware, and statistical program format.

Abbreviations: UNF

Synonyms: Standard: Universal Numerical Fingerprint, The Standard: Universal Numerical Fingerprint

Resource Type: narrative resource, data or information resource, standard specification

Keywords: identifier, universal numerical fingerprint, data citation

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Alternate IDs: nlx_149488

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for Universal Numerical Fingerprint.

No alerts have been found for Universal Numerical Fingerprint.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We have not found any literature mentions for this resource.