

Grobid: Extraction of metadata

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Grobid: GeneRation Of Bibliographic Data

- Open source machine learning library
- extracts, parses, re-structures pdf documents into structured TEI-encoded documents
- focus on technical and scientific publications

Documentation: <https://grobid.readthedocs.io/>

Functionalities

- Header extraction
 - Title, abstract, authors, affiliations, keywords...
- Reference extraction
- Parsing of author names
- Parsing of affiliation and address blocks
- Parsing of dates
- Full text extraction from pdf
 - Structure of the text body

Features

- Batch processing
- API
 - RESTful, JAVA
- Semi-automatic generation of training data
- Output in TEI format

TEI

- Text Encoding Initiative
- Goal: xml standard for the representation of texts in digital form
- Guidelines specifying encoding methods for machine-readable texts
- Very precise text annotations while maintaining human readability

<http://www.tei-c.org/>

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Exercise

- Go to <http://cloud.science-miner.com/grobid/>
- Click on TEI tab
- Select article pdf on your computer
- Choose service
 - E.g. process header document
- Inspect result