

# A Time Series-Based Dataset of Open-Source Software Evolution

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# Introduction

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- ❑ Software evolution has been extensively studied in the last years
- ❑ Need for software evolution data
- ❑ **Problem:** lack of comprehensive, public and updated software evolution datasets
- ❑ There are some public software evolution datasets, but they are not comprehensive and updated

# Goal

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Build a comprehensive software evolution dataset with temporal data of open-source Java systems

# Process of Building the Dataset

Selecting the systems

Extracting the  
systems' releases

Collecting metrics

Generating time  
series

❑ Nine systems from another dataset were included

❑ Criteria

1. Programming language
2. Popularity
3. Activity
4. Lifetime
5. Not be deprecated

# Process of Building the Dataset

Selecting the systems

Extracting the  
systems' releases

Collecting metrics

Generating time  
series

- ❑ Interval of 14 days between the releases

- ❑ Automatic approach

- ❑ Python
  - ❑ REST API from GitHub

# Process of Building the Dataset

Selecting the systems

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systems' releases

Collecting metrics

Generating time  
series

- ❑ Total of 46 software metrics computed

- ❑ Used tool

  - ❑ CK Tool

# Process of Building the Dataset

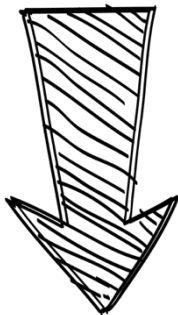
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**Time series file format**



**CSV**

# Conclusion

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- ❑ We proposed and built a software evolution dataset
- ❑ It contains 46 systems with data of 46 software metrics
- ❑ Dataset website
  - ❑ <https://brunolsousa.github.io/software-evolution-dataset/index.html>



# THANK YOU!

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