

Species Profile Model (SPM)

Requirement: allow a user to publish facts/statements about a particular taxon in a way that facilitates discovery, access and re-use.

Solution: create a simple model based around a subject (taxon) having Infoltem properties whose content can be free text or terms from a controlled vocabulary.

More Info: See the TDWG SPM wiki site - <http://wiki.tdwg.org/SPM/>

Use existing LSID vocabularies where available, eg, TaxonName, TaxonConcept

All statements can be associated with a literature reference through the LSID Core Vocabulary

State the taxon to which the information applies

Any number of Infoltems can be included.

The Infoltem categories are defined in the SPM Infoltems Ontology

An Infoltem can contain free text

or

terms from a controlled vocabulary

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