

Sure, the data source had citations that lead back to the org. Just 6.1.1 not used. How to get credit for work done? Want to put out data, but also need 6.1.2 users of it to be accountable. Sponsors (funding sources) of work will be unhappy about mis-assigned 6.1.4.1 Too much noise Alternative COULD be for everyone to put out their own individual reports and stop providing Someone will aggregate 6.1.4 source data for other reports. anyway and Nobody 6.1.4.2 gets credit in the end Too much citation back-link 6.1.5.1 gets ugly and cluttered What if the report links back to the source material? Or if not directly 6.1.5.2 Hard to get everyone on the same format credited, if it's easy to FIND 6.1.5 the source data. 6.1.5.3 Independent search is iffy... and cluttered 6.1.6.1 Still need to work up consensus Endless citations/ summaries can loop and fill up the discussion with 6.1.6.2 noise. Still need a format to show source of funding 6.1.6.3 To show credit 6.1.6.4.1 Constrained format What about, Collaborative document, where one group just adds to a continuing larger 6.1.6.4.2 Predefined method of citation 6.1.6 discussion (wiki)? 6.1.6.4.3 Existing and well exercised One working model of summary and citation of work, is to be found Public policy is a bit different 6.1.6.4 in scientific documents. 6.1.6.4.4 from scientific discourse. Some papers are targeted at a very broad, lightweight readership; not scientific at all 6.1.6.4.5 (public use documents) Another model are blogs and 6.1.6.5 trackback on the web. The source problem is still, giving proper credit Credit for work can be illustrated 6.1.7.1 for data used in analysis. and documented in annual reports and other communication directly Not necessarily a problem of ethical behavior 6.1.7 with sponsors. 6.1.7.2 but of tools and mechanisms to make it easy? 6.1.8.1 Contact information/ expert lists Some organizations do not have a 6.1.8.2 Citations can lead reporters to experts press group, to get exposure in the media. These groups could interface with media and 6.1.8 get quoted if...we have ... Another use for citation is to find a list of who 6.1.8.3 shares an opinion? Who has said what?