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The Federal government, and by extension the U.S. taxpayers, generously fund basic science. In order that the government receive the highest possible return on its investment, and in order that taxpayers can read the results of science that they pay for, I think that the government should require that all scientific papers generated from federally-funded research be freely accessible to any and all members of the American public.

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