Simple and direct reflections, Grothendieck fibrations, and Galois theory

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We discuss the relationships between the concepts listed in the title. Among other things this includes indexed-categorical description of direct reflections in the sense of G. C. L. Brümmer, E. Giuli, and D. B. Holgate, and a reformulation of Galois-theoretic constructions for such reflections. It seems, however, that many concrete reflections that are claimed to be direct in fact satisfy much stronger conditions, which suggests interesting open questions.