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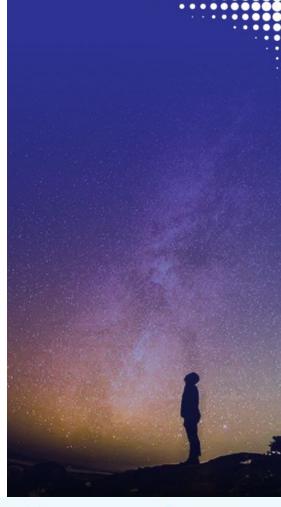




What is EOSC?

European Open Science Cloud

- A virtual environment
- Set up by **European Commission**
- Combines existing scientific data infrastructures and services
- Find, access, and reuse research data
- Interlink and combine data sets with other data sets
- Across disciplines and borders
 - → Enables new and unexpected discoveries





Challenge EOSC wants to address

- Provide access to data/results which are now fragmented
- Battle limited data publications and sharing of data
- Handle the increase in data volume
- Disciplines that are working in silos
- Collaboration and synergy of data infrastructures, services and expertise
- removing technical, policy and human barriers









EOSC-Pillar will coordinate
national Open Science efforts across
Austria, Belgium, France, Germany and Italy,
and ensure their contribution and readiness
for the implementation of the
European Open Science Cloud.













Key Exploitable Results



DIVERSE USE CASES AND COMMUNITY-DRIVEN PILOTS



POLICY AND LEGAL FRAMEWORK, AND **BUSINESS MODELS**



NATIONAL INITIATIVES SURVEY



PROMOTION OF FAIR CULTURE



SERVICES SOURCED FROM THE OPEN CALL



COMMUNITY BUILDING CONTENT, EVENTS AND CHANNELS



NATIONAL SERVICE REGISTRY & INITIAL SERVICES INTEGRATED IN EOSC

EOSC-Pillar D3.1 Summary report of the EOSC-Pillar National Initiatives Survey: https://zenodo.org/record/3937318

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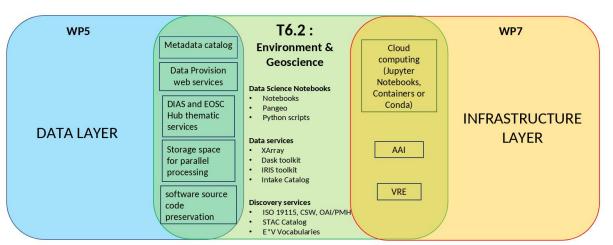






Use-cases and community-driven pilots

- Looking at **needs** for specific research communities
- Prepare scientific communities to be **involved in EOSC**
- Analyse specificities but also cross-cutting needs
- Integrate data from all domains and facilitate access
- Identify tools and services
- Identify gaps and needs















Putting the "O" in EOSC

To reach a turning point for EOSC to fulfil its mission and vision,
Open Science and specifically Open Access to research results
(data, publications, software, protocols, as well as tools and services)
should be a strategic priority, a key enabler into achieving a critical
mass of accessible content for researchers to experiment with,
stimulating the demand.

Establishing a National Research Data Infrastructure in Germany (NFDI)

- Launched by RfII (German Council for Scientific Information Infrastructures)
- Federal state agreement in November 2018 to establish a national research data infrastructure (NFDI) by GWK
- Funding up to 30 consortia in three calls (2019-2021)
 - funding period 2020 2028





Objectives of NFDI

- a "polycentric" network for "horizontal" linking of existing actors, services and competencies
- those actors are: research / scientific communities & infrastructure service providers (computing centers, data centers, libraries)
- consistent (re-)usability of data across disciplines and institutional boundaries
- improving interoperability and quality assurance resulting in increased effectiveness, efficiency and sustainability of research





Challenges for the NFDI

- expected transition process in the next 15 20 years towards
 - a new data culture,
 - new job profiles (data librarians, data scientists)
 - supported by a sustainable funding policy for RDM
- international interoperability to
 - increase capacity for knowledge
 - develop new research fields
 - increase of scientific knowledge
- NFDI as contribution and node from Germany to the EOSC





How do NFDI consortia meet Open Science criteria?

- collaboration on cross-cutting topics like
 - Data Literacy, Code Literacy, provision of Open Educational Resources
- to adhere to open source and open access policies for contributions like software, guidelines, training materials
- "connecting information resources to international infrastructures such as OpenAIRE and EOSC" (NFDI4Culture (2020), doi: 10.3897/rio.6.e57036)

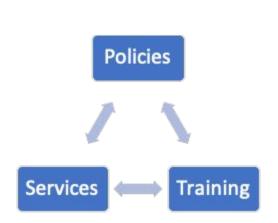




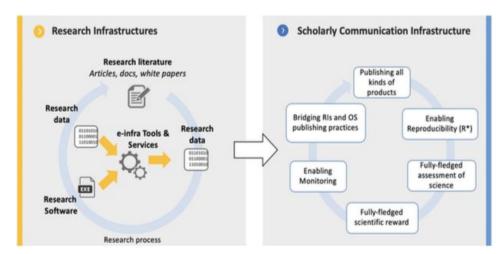
"Achieving Open Science in EOSC"

OpenAIRE position paper (2019), doi: 10.5281/zenodo.3610132

OpenAIRE combines human with data infrastructure and services



Basic elements for delivering Open Science



Research life-cycle mapped to scientific/scholarly communication processes





OpenAIRE, EOSC-Pillar and NFDI - as complementary initiatives ?!

- OpenAIRE to support onboarding of FAIR (data) repositories to the EOSC
- OpenAIRE to link (e.g. via Scholix) and share knowledge via its Open Research Graph
- OpenAIRE to offer Open Science training and support
- OpenAIRE to foster collaboration and knowledge sharing via its research community dashboards
- EOSC-Pillar provides technical and strategic guidance for the integration and federation of services in the EOSC ecosystem
- EOSC-Pillar test specific services of European-wide interest for their ability to be integrated into the EOSC framework and helps find common services







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