

EOSC Sustainability Working Group Update Strawman report: Solutions for a Sustainable EOSC

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WHAT

Provide strategic, legal and financing recommendations for an operational, scalable and sustainable EOSC federation after 2020

HOW

- 1. Analyse business models and implications on legal entity, costs, regulations, financial strategies, supporting NDI alignment
- 2. Map potential legal entities, taking into account national and European legislation

WHY

A clear understanding of key strategic, financial and legal aspects is essential for the second phase of the EOSC implementation

Towards a sustainable EOSC

- Examine options for a governance framework to oversee EOSC operations and development
- Analyse regulatory/policy environments and assess impact of proposed structures and funding streams at national & European level

Q1 2020

Initial analysis of alternative business model scenarios and potential future legal models

Q2 2020

Refined business model options and future legal models

Q3 2020

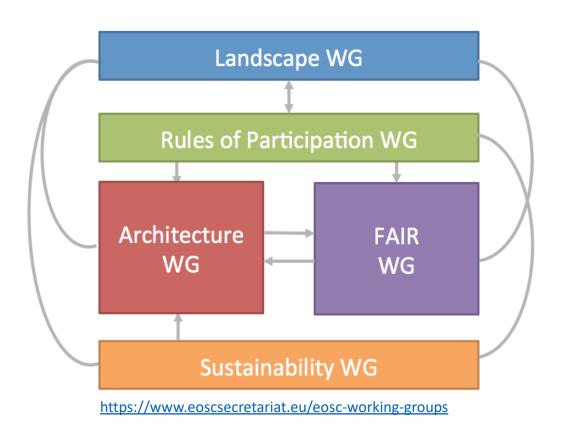
Recommendations on strategic and financing orientations and organisational settings for the future of the EOSC, post 2020

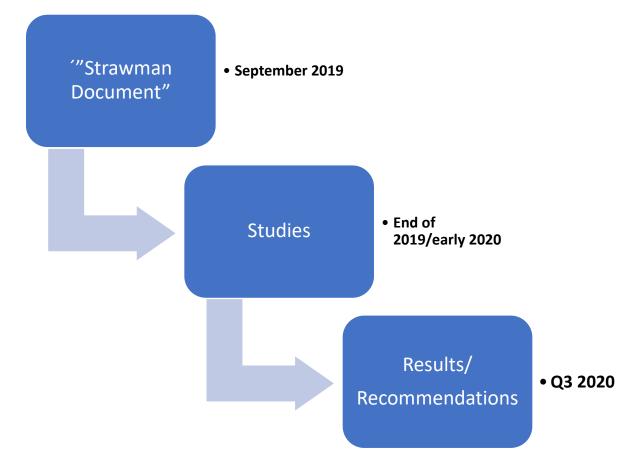
Working Group members

- 18 WG members from 18 countries (Member States and Associated countries) – quite well distributed in terms of Geography
 - most of the representatives are from: NREN, service providers, HPC experts, libraries and ministries.
 - Data infrastructures may be less well represented
 - Gender balance is almost achieved
- 2 Co-Chairs (Executive Board members)
- 3 EC representatives (RTD and CNECT)
- 1 Rapporteur
- Support staff
- Meetings: monthly teleconferences and up to 4 face-to-face meetings per year



Working Group Activities





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Aims of this document

- Exploring possible means for sustaining the European Open Science Cloud beyond 2020
- Considering financing model, legal vehicle, governance structure as well as the regulatory and policy environment of the EOSC
- Intention to lead discussion about the possible options (not to be seen as a final proposal)
- Set foundation for preparation of studies



Sustainability schedule & activities

12 Jul, Frankfurt	WG Face-2-face Kick-off
07 Aug, Telco	Strawman Report Update Report delivered 4 Sep
9/10 Sep, EOSC Concertation	Strawman Report Pres.
11 Sep, Governance Board	Strawman Report presentation
23 Sep, Telco	Decision on Taskforces & Strawman V2
27 Sep Executive Board	Strawman Report presentation
23 Oct, Helsinki, Face-2-face	Review Strawman report feedback Taskforce reports to prep studies
Nov	Plan to launch studies
15 Nov, Governance Board	Presentation Strawman V2
16 Dec, Governance Board	Deadline for Partnership Proposal





Task forces

- Strawman Doc feedback Analyse / integrate survey feedback
- Business Models Analyse, Prepare studies
- Legal Entities Analyse, Prepare studies
- Integration of national infrastructures Analyse, Collab. with WG Landscape

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Thank you!





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