

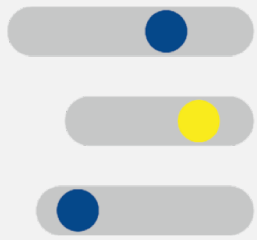
EOSC Sustainability

Executive Board Working Group

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

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

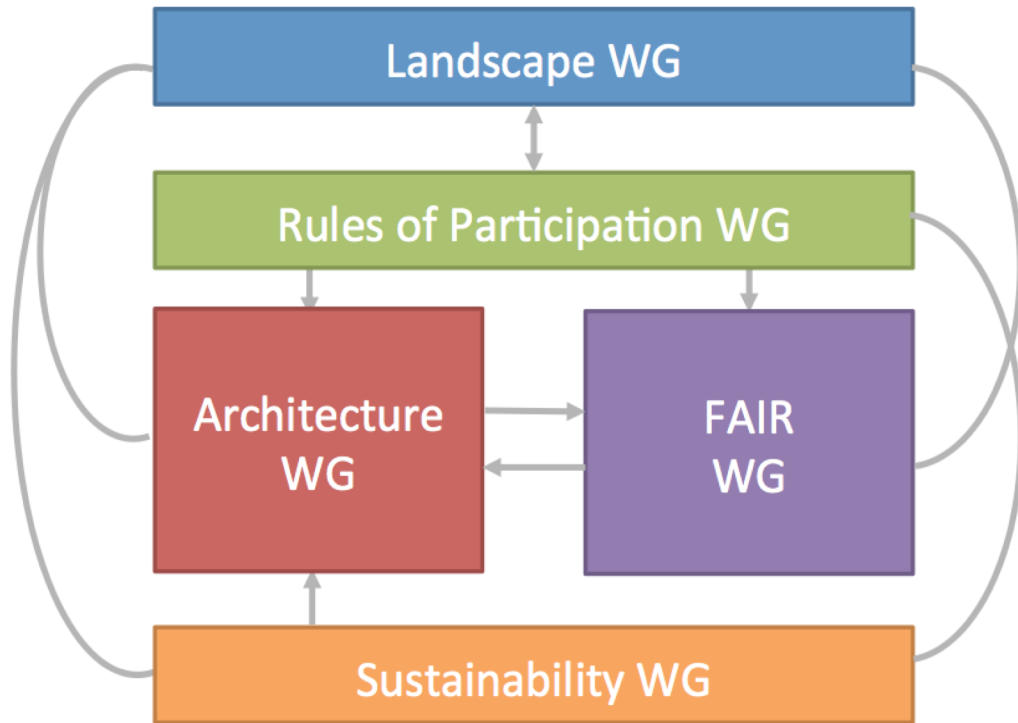


Working Group members

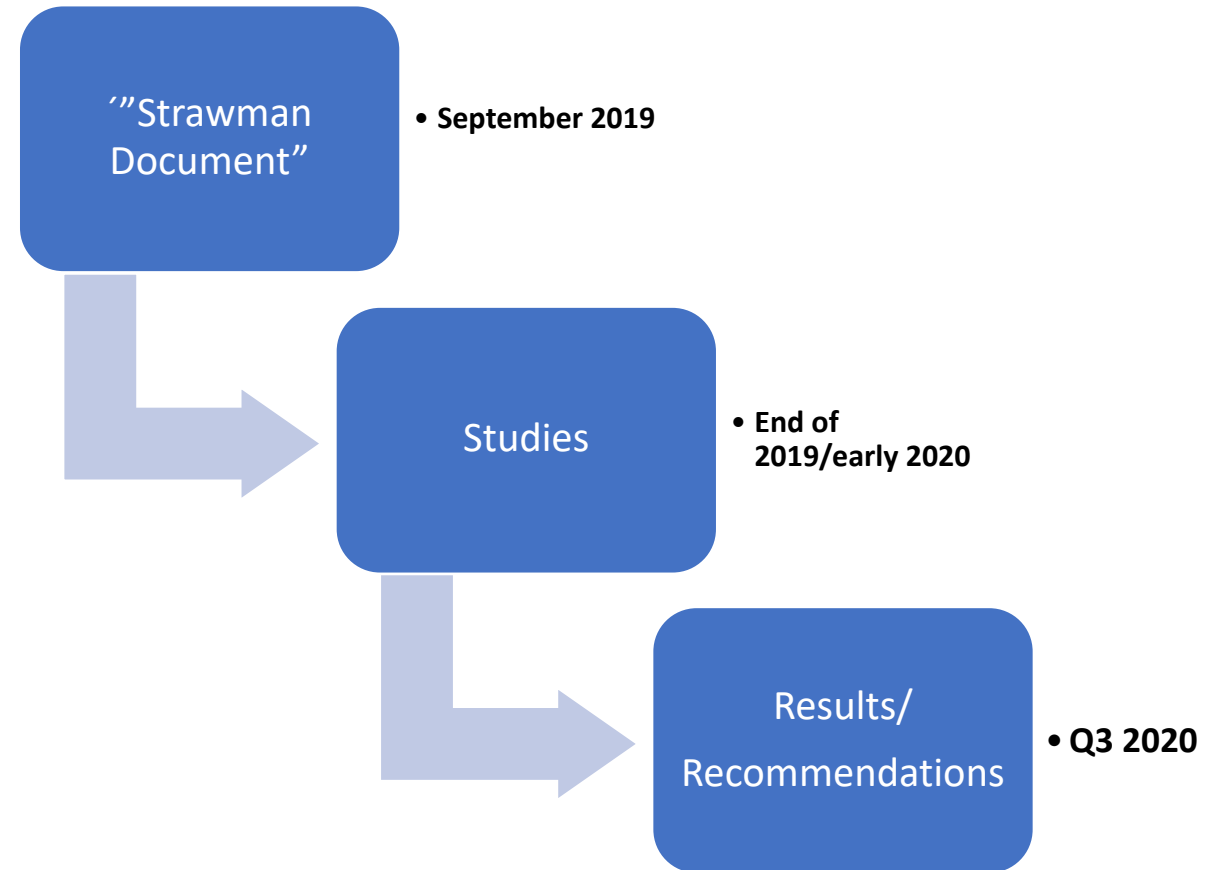
- 18 WG members from 18 countries (Member States and Associated countries) – quite well distributed in terms of Geography
 - most of the representatives are from: NREN, service providers, HPC experts, libraries and ministries.
 - Data infrastructures may be less well represented
 - Gender balance is 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



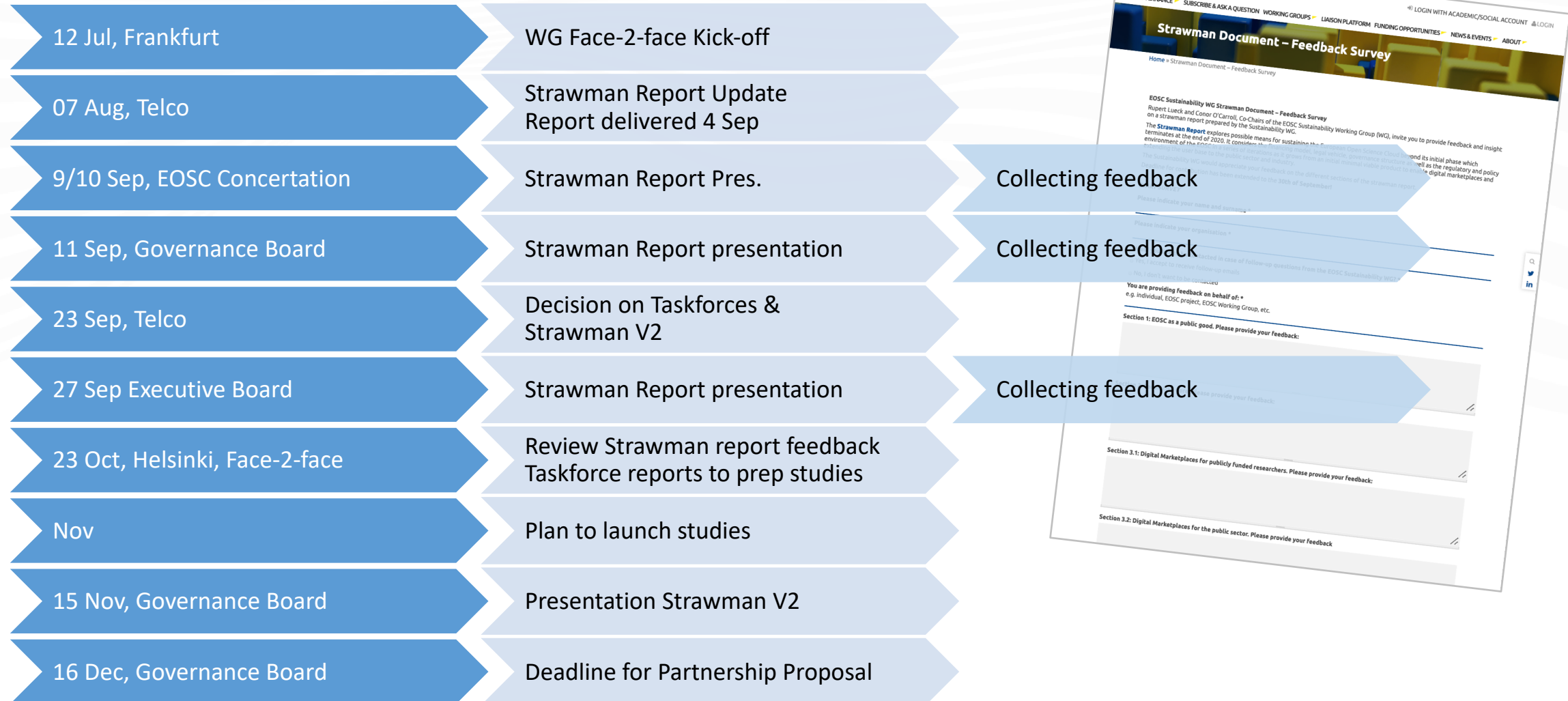
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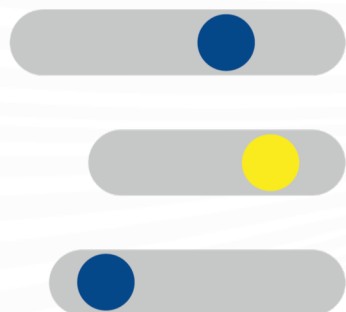
- Exploring possible means for sustaining the European Open Science Cloud beyond 2020
- Considering financing model, legal vehicle, governance structure as well as the regulatory and policy environment of the EOSC
- **Intention to lead discussion** about the possible options (not to be seen as a final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

Sustainability schedule & activities



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!