

Corso di formazione a distanza  
Scienza aperta e gestione dei dati  
per le scienze umane e  
del patrimonio culturale

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# DATI FAIR, DATI OPEN E DMP



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Impareremo in questo modulo

1. Cosa significa FAIR BY DESIGN  
nella ricerca quotidiana e in  
Horizon Europe

2. come scrivere un DMP, che  
diventerà obbligatorio [supporto!]

MESSAGGI CHIAVE

- FAIR è il futuro  
(se no si resta tagliati fuori)
- È più facile di quanto sembri...
- DMP online/Data Wizard sono  
pronti all'uso, basta fare pratica

[i tre passi fondamentali]

OPEN

FAIR

GESTITI

1. I DATI DEVONO ESSERE «AS OPEN AS POSSIBLE»

2. MA SE I DATI NON SONO «FAIR», APRIRLI COMPORTA RISCHI  
(USO SCORRETTO, CATTIVE INTERPETAZIONI, ...)

3. MA SE I DATI NON SONO CORRETTAMENTE GESTITI, RENDERLI  
«FAIR» COSTA TROPPO TEMPO E DENARO

E GESTIRE I DATI CORRETTAMENTE È NELL'INTERESSE PRIMARIO DI CHI FA RICERCA,  
PERCHÉ L'INTERA RICERCA SCORRE PIÙ FLUIDA

# ...e non dimenticate Horizon Europe

## Proposal template Part B: technical description

### 1.2 Methodology [e.g. 15 pages]

- Research data management and management of other research outputs: Applicants generating/collecting data and/or other research outputs (except for publications) during the project must provide maximum 1 page on how the data/ research outputs will be managed in line with the FAIR principles (Findable, Accessible, Interoperable, Reusable), addressing the following (the description should be specific to your project): [1 page]

ANNEX 5

SPECIFIC RULES

## COMMUNICATION, DISSEMINATION, OPEN SCIENCE AND VISIBILITY (— ARTICLE 17)

### Open science: research data management

- as soon as possible and within the deadlines set out in the DMP, ensure open access — via the repository — to the deposited data, under the latest available version of the Creative Commons Attribution International Public License (CC BY) or Creative Commons Public Domain Dedication (CC 0) or a licence with equivalent rights, following the principle ‘as open as possible as closed as necessary’, unless providing open access would in particular:

LA GESTIONE DEI DATI FAIR È PREVISTA

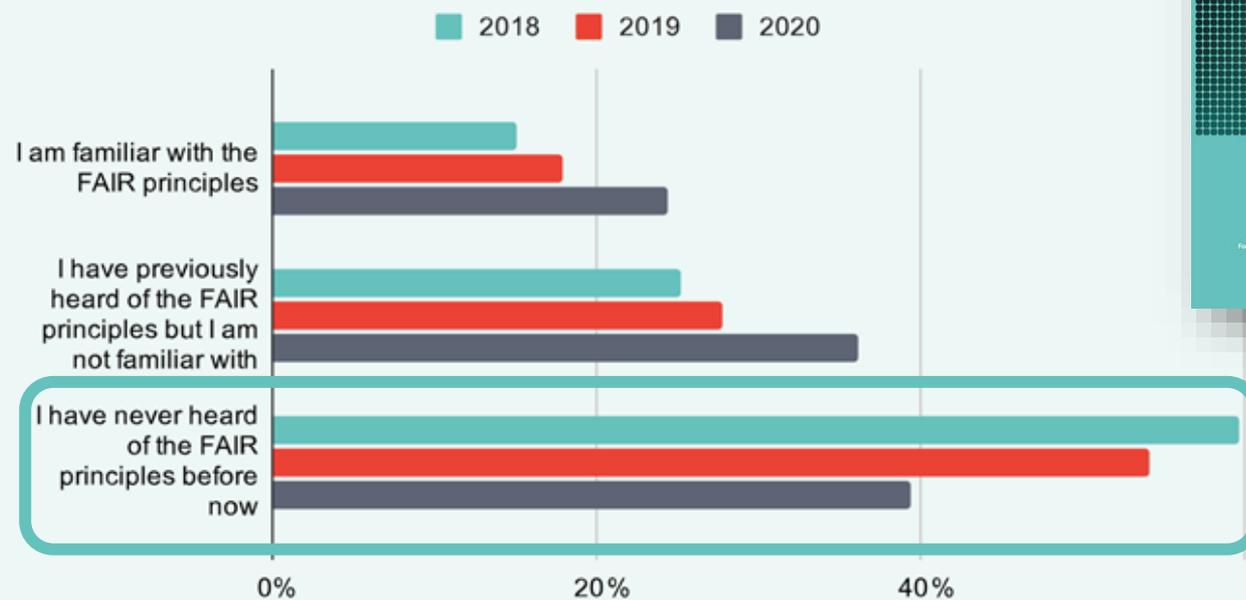
- NELLA PROPOSTA [VIENE QUINDI VALUTATA] COME SINTESI DI UNA PAGINA NELLA SEZIONE SCIENTIFIC EXCELLENCE
- SE IL PROGETTO VIENE APPROVATO, IL DMP VA PRESENTATO COME DELIVERABLE AL MESE 6 (ART. 17 ANNEX 5)

## 2. DATI FAIR BY DESIGN



# Dati FAIR???

How familiar are you with the FAIR principles in relation to open data?



# ...FAIR SIGNIFICA

## [anche e soprattutto per le macchine]



### FINDABLE

- IDENTIFICATIVI
- METADATI

### INTEROPERABLE

- STANDARDS
- ONTOLOGIE

IL TUTTO, LEGGIBILE DALLE MACCHINE

### ACCESSIBLE

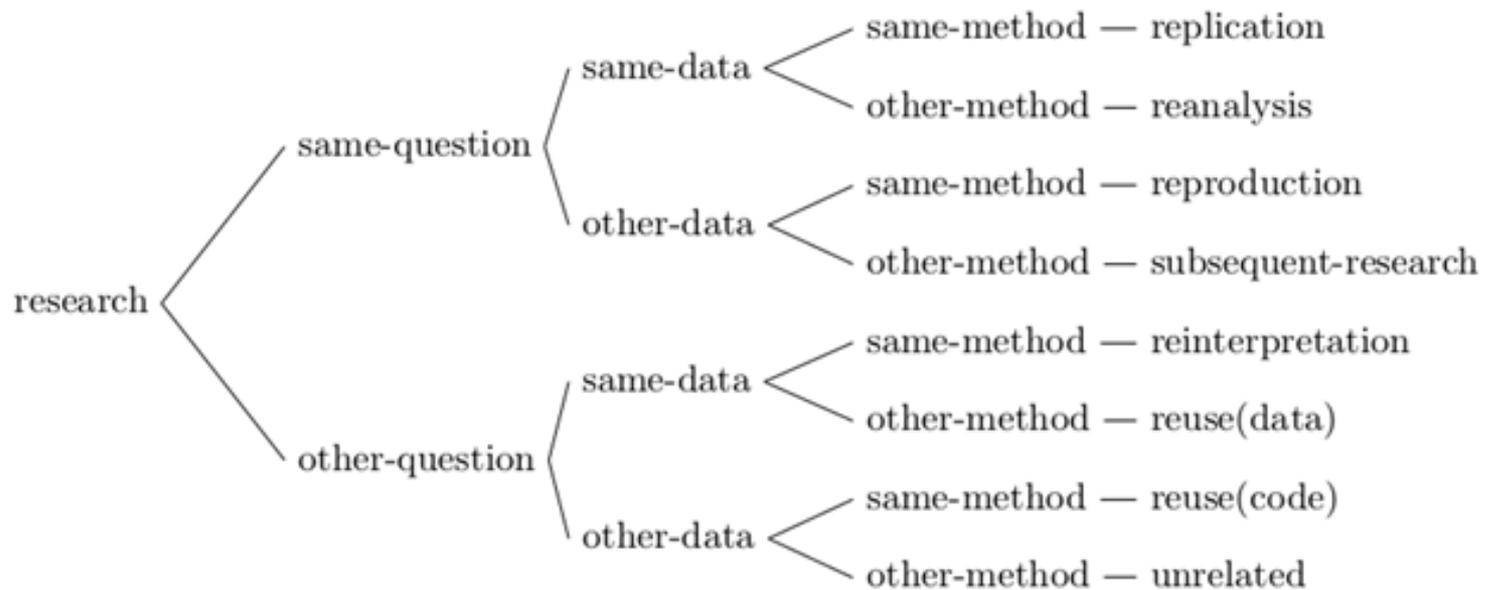
- DOVE SONO CONSERVATI E A QUALI CONDIZIONI DI ACCESSO
  - **NON SIGNIFICA «OPEN»**
- FORMATI E PROTOCOLLI APERTI

### REUSABLE

- LICENZE D'USO
- DOCUMENTAZIONE

# FOCUS

## ASSICURARE IL RIUSO



Van de Sandt et al. 2019

DATA IS A RENEWABLE RESOURCE AS MUCH AS SUN AND WIND. EVERY 18 MONTHS WE DOUBLE THE AMOUNT OF DATA WE PRODUCE. INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL DATA, **85% OF WHICH IS NEVER USED**. **THIS IS NOT SUSTAINABLE**. WITHIN THOSE DATA, THERE ARE HIDDEN TREASURES AND UNTAPPED OPPORTUNITIES FOR BUSINESS AND SOCIETY [Von der Leyen 2020]

# Obiettivo

## DATI FAIR BY DESIGN

E. Giglia, Open Access, ovvero...  
Aviano 23 settembre 2015

# FAIR principles

## To be Findable:

F1. (meta)data are assigned a globally unique and eternally persistent identifier.

F2. data are described with rich metadata.

F3. (meta)data are registered or indexed in a searchable resource.

F4. metadata specify the data identifier.

## TO BE ACCESSIBLE:

A1 (meta)data are retrievable by their identifier using a standardized communications protocol.

A1.1 the protocol is open, free, and universally implementable.

A1.2 the protocol allows for an authentication and authorization procedure, where necessary.

A2 metadata are accessible, even when the data are no longer available.

## TO BE INTEROPERABLE:

I1. (meta)data use a formal, accessible, shared, and broadly applicable language for knowledge representation.

I2. (meta)data use vocabularies that follow FAIR principles.

I3. (meta)data include qualified references to other (meta)data.

## TO BE RE-USABLE:

R1. meta(data) have a plurality of accurate and relevant attributes.

R1.1. (meta)data are released with a clear and accessible data usage license.

R1.2. (meta)data are associated with their provenance.

R1.3. (meta)data meet domain-relevant community standards.

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«ACCESSIBLE»

≠«OPEN»

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CONDIZIONI  
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ACCESSIBILI

# FAIR/Open

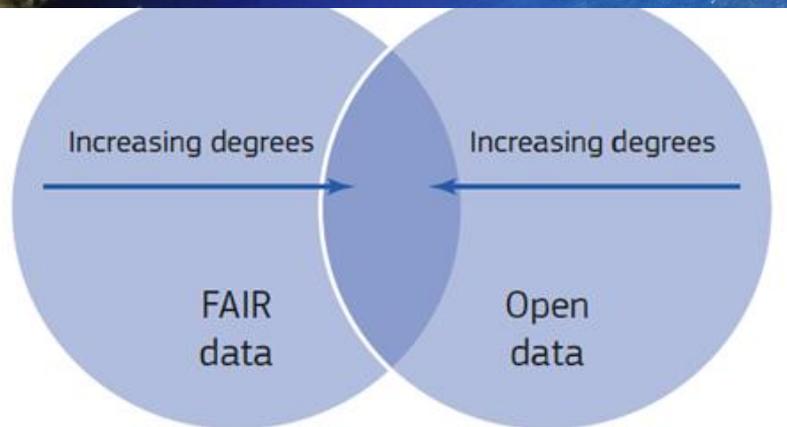


Figure 4. The relationship between FAIR and Open



A TENDERE, I DUE INSIEMI SARANNO SEMPRE PIÙ SOVRAPPOSTI. MA ESISTERANNO SEMPRE DATI PERFETTAMENTE FAIR CHE NON POSSONO ESSERE OPEN

# FAIR in sintes

- FAIR data training
- Findable
- Accessible
- Interoperable
- Reusable
- FAIR for Developers
- FAIR data self-assessment tool

f t in +SHARE

F1. (meta)data are assigned a globally unique and eternally binding identifier

There are many resources created by the ARDC on the topic of **metadata**:

- Metadata guide
- Data versioning

The ARDC has information on persistent identifiers on three different levels:

- Persistent identifiers: awareness level
- Persistent identifiers: working level
- Persistent identifiers: expert level

It is also a provider of services for minting persistent identifiers of many different types (for more information on the services and the data being identified):

- Digital Object Identifier (DOI) System for research data
- Handle minting Service (Identify My Data)
- International Geo Sample Numbers (IGSN)

Complementary to the assignment of persistent identifiers is their proper





# FAIR software recom

## #1 USE A PUBLICLY ACCESSIBLE REPOSITORY WITH VERSION CONTROL

### WHY THIS IS IMPORTANT

#### Why public

Developing scientific software in publicly accessible repositories enables involvement of users, helps build collaborations, contributes to the reproducibility of results generated by the software, facilitates software reusability, and contributes to improving software quality. Taken together, this ensures that your software has the best chance of being used by as many people as possible while promoting transparency.

#### Why version control

Using a version control system allows you to easily track changes in your code, both your own changes as well as those made by collaborators. There are many flavors of version control systems, ranging from older systems such as CVS and Subversion to more modern ones such as Git, Mercurial, and Bazaar. By choosing a version control system to use GitHub, GitLab or Bitbucket, you'll even

### WHY THIS IS IMPORTANT

### HELP ME CHOOSE

Git is the most feature-rich, most modern and most popular version control system. We heartily recommend you use it for all your version control needs. If you are not out of Git, use it in combination with GitHub.com, Bitbucket.org or GitLab.com.

- [How to get started with git](#)
- [Choosing a platform for your software project](#)
- [GitHub.com](#)
- [BitBucket.org](#)
- [GitLab.com](#)

## FAIR software EU

## #2 ADD A LICENSE

### WHY THIS IS IMPORTANT

Any creative work (including software) is automatically protected by copyright law. When the software is available via code sharing platforms, you can use it unless they are explicitly granted permission to do so. A software license, which defines the set of rules and conditions that govern how to use the software. Finally, be aware that you, as the creator of the software, may not be a copyright owner of the code you are distributing. The holder of a work is the employer (or hiring party) and not the creator.

### HELP ME CHOOSE

We recommend you stick to one of the more popular licenses. Licenses are typically written by lawyers, the license text is precise and legal. The widespread use of the more popular licenses means that people who understand how the license works can help you choose the right one.

## #3 REGISTER YOUR CODE IN A COMMUNITY REGISTRY

### WHY THIS IS IMPORTANT

For others to make use of your work, they need to be able to find it. Registries are like the yellow pages for software – registering your code makes it easier for others to find it, particularly through the use of search engines like Google. Community registries typically employ metadata to describe your software. With metadata, search engines are able to get some idea of what your software is about, what problem it addresses, and what domain it belongs to. In turn, this helps improve the ranking of the software in the search results. Metadata means better ranking.

### HELP ME CHOOSE

Community registries come in many flavors. Choosing the one that best fits your needs can be tricky. Here are some things to think about:

- How much traffic does the community registry get?
- Is the community registry targeting the audience you are interested in?
- What metadata does the community registry offer? This is important for the documentation of the registry, but you can also see if there is a tool like the [OpenLink Structured Data Sniffer](#). Alternative engines have tooling like the [Structured Data Testing Tool](#) to help you understand how they perceive a given website.

Finally, ask a couple of colleagues which registries they would use if they were looking for software like yours.

[VIEW ALL RESEARCH SOFTWARE REGISTRIES](#)

## FIVE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FAIR SOFTWARE

ENDORSE

LET'S GO! →



WHAT'S FAIR

ABOUT US

## #4 ENABLE CITATION OF THE SOFTWARE

### WHY THIS IS IMPORTANT

Citation helps software developers be recognized for their work. Citation is an integral part of scientific accountability and reproducibility. Accurately citing software is inherently more difficult than citing a paper, especially, even seemingly trivial things such as identifying the version of a software package. It is therefore convenient for developers themselves provide the information necessary to enable citation.

### HELP ME CHOOSE

[CodeMeta](#) and the [Citation File Format](#) were specifically designed for software and will likely meet your needs. For either one, you will need to add citation metadata, which you then distribute with your software. Initialize your CITATION.cff files [here](#).

## #5 USE A SOFTWARE QUALITY CHECKLIST

### WHY THIS IS IMPORTANT

Checklists help you write good quality software. What exactly constitutes 'good quality' depends on the specific application of the software, but typically covers things like documenting the source code, using continuous testing, and following standardized code patterns.

### HELP ME CHOOSE

There are many checklists available. We find that the most useful checklist are those that:

1. Allow for a granular evaluation of a software package, as opposed to just pass or fail
2. Explain the rationale behind each item in the checklist



Nov. 20, 2018

Final Report and Action Plan  
from the European  
Commission Expert Group  
on FAIR Data

# TURNING FAIR INTO



Define

Implement

Embed and sustain

### Concepts for FAIR implementation

Rec. 1: Define FAIR for implementation

Rec. 2: Implement a Model for FAIR Digital Objects

Rec. 3: Develop components of a FAIR ecosystem

Rec. 16: Apply FAIR broadly

Rec. 17: Align and harmonise FAIR and Open data policy

### FAIR culture

Rec. 4: Develop Interoperability Frameworks

Rec. 5: Ensure data management via DMPs

Rec. 6: Recognise & reward FAIR data & stewardship

Rec. 18: Cost data management

Rec. 19: Select and prioritise FAIR digital objects

Rec. 20: Deposit in Trusted Digital Repositories

Rec. 21: Incentivise reuse of FAIR outputs

### FAIR ecosystem

Rec. 7: Support semantic technologies

Rec. 8: Facilitate automated processing

Rec. 9: Certify FAIR services

Rec. 22: Use information held in DMPs

Rec. 23: Develop components to meet research needs

Rec. 24: Incentivise research infrastructures to support FAIR data

### Skills for FAIR

Rec. 10: Professionalise data science & stewardship roles

Rec. 11: Implement curriculum frameworks and training

Above line = priority recommendations

Below line = supporting recommendations

### Incentives and metrics for FAIR data and services

Rec. 12: Develop metrics for FAIR Digital Objects

Rec. 13: Develop metrics to certify FAIR services

Rec. 25: Implement and monitor metrics

Rec. 26: Support data citation and next generation metrics

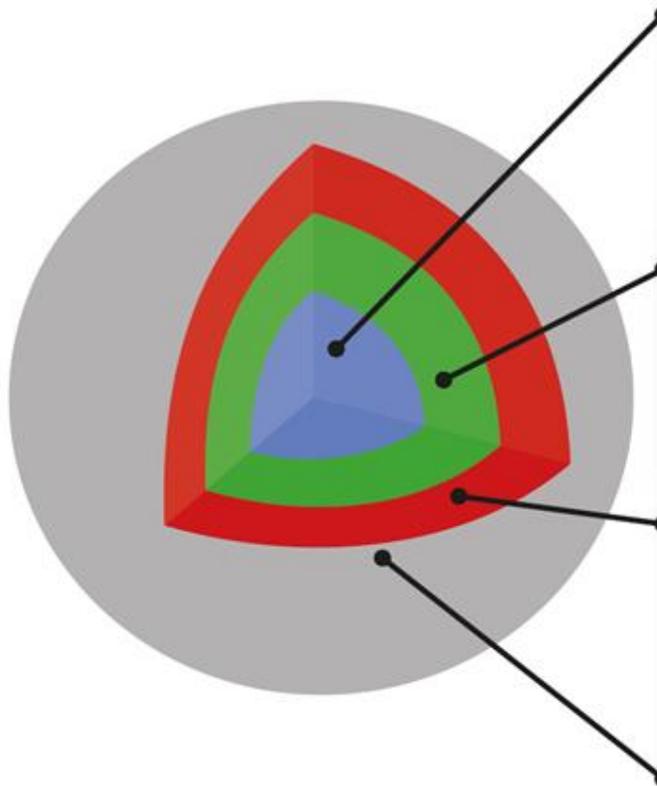
### Investment in FAIR

Rec. 14: Provide strategic and coordinated funding

Rec. 15: Provide sustainable funding

Rec. 27: Open EOSC to all providers but ensure services are FAIR

# Oggetto FAIR ideale



## DIGITAL OBJECT

### Data, code and other research outputs

*At its most basic level, data or code is a bitstream or binary sequence. For this to have meaning and to be FAIR, it needs to be represented in standard formats and be accompanied by Persistent Identifiers (PIDs), metadata and documentation. These layers of meaning enrich the object and enable reuse.*

## IDENTIFIERS

### Persistent and unique (PIDs)

*Digital Objects should be assigned a unique and persistent identifier such as a DOI or URN. This enables stable links to the object and support citation and reuse to be tracked. Identifiers should also be applied to other related concepts such as the data authors (ORCIDs), projects (RAIDs), funders and associated research resources (RRIDs).*

## STANDARDS & CODE

### Open, documented formats

*Digital Objects should be represented in common and ideally open file formats. This enables others to reuse them as the format is in widespread use and software is available to read the files. Open and well-documented formats are easier to preserve. Data also need to be accompanied by the code used to process and analyse the data.*

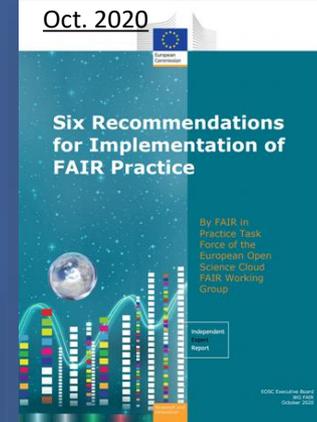
## METADATA

### Contextual documentation

*In order for Digital Objects to be assessable and reusable, they should be accompanied by sufficient metadata and documentation. Basic metadata will enable data discovery, but much richer information and provenance is required to understand how, why, when and by whom the objects were created. To enable the broadest reuse, they should be accompanied by a plurality of relevant attributes and a clear and accessible usage license.*

# 6 raccomandazioni

	EOSC	Research funders	Institutions	Policy-makers	Coordination fora	Standards bodies	Data service providers	Publishers
1. Fund awareness-raising, training, education and community-specific support	√	√	√					
2. Fund development, adoption and maintenance of community standards, tools and infrastructure	√	√			√	√	√	
3. Incentivise development of community governance	√	√			√			
4. Translate FAIR guidelines for other digital objects	√	√		√	√	√		
5. Reward and recognise improvements of FAIR practice	√	√	√	√				
6. Develop and monitor adequate policies for FAIR data and research objects	√	√	√	√				√



**Recommendation 1:** Fund awareness-raising, training, education and community-specific support.

Stakeholders: EOSC, Research funders, Institutions

**Rationale:** Community-specific actions are needed because arguments and solutions which works for one community might not be the key drivers for another. Raising awareness is needed at all levels – from individual researchers through heads of institutions to policymakers – but in order to be meaningful it must be based on adequate, community-specific arguments. Awareness raising, training, education and providing dedicated community-specific support take time and effort and thus such actions need to be financially supported. Funding pilot projects might be a useful mechanism to facilitate this.

**Example:** An initial pilot at TU Delft to fund data stewards with disciplinary knowledge helped communities realise the importance of FAIR practices, foster best practices and prompted them to appoint their data stewards as

# ...e le scienze umane?

**OPENMETHODS**  
HIGHLIGHTING DIGITAL HUMANITIES METHODS AND TOOLS

OpenMethods

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ANALYSIS  
**The Language Interpretability Tool: Extensible, Interactive Visualizations and Analysis for NLP Models**  
APRIL 25, 2021 · BY ERZSEBET TÓTH-CZIFRA

ANALYSIS  
**Cultural Ontologies: the ArCo Knowledge Graph.**  
MARCH 11, 2021 · BY MARINELLA TESTORI

Introduction: Standing for 'Architecture of Knowledge', ArCo is an open set of resources developed and managed by some Italian institutions, like the MiBAC (Minister

INTERESTED IN BLOGGING ABOUT YOUR RESEARCH? THE DIGITAL HUMANITIES TOOLS AND METHODS BLOG IS FOR YOU!

**hypotheses**

IN COOPERATION WITH

**DARIAH-EU**

EGI-ACE SERVICES FEDERATION USE CASES BUSINESS

EGI / USE CASES / SCIENTIFIC APPLICATIONS AND TOOLS / DARIAH GATEWAY

**DARIAH Gateway**

Cloud applications and services for Arts & Humanities researchers

The **DARIAH Gateway** is a platform that provides access to various digital applications and services for the Arts & Humanities researchers.

The applications made available via the DARIAH Gateway are:

- **Simple Semantic Search Engine (SSE):** a semantic search engine which allows researchers to search for content in more than 100 languages within the Sci-Gala **e-infrastructure Knowledge Base**, one of the largest existing databases.
- **Parallel Semantic Search Engine (PSSE):** a parallelised version of SSE that enables simultaneously search across multiple platforms.
- **DBO@Cloud:** a cloud-based repository made of a 100-years old collection of Bavarian dialects. The datasets are provided by the **Austrian Academy of Science**.

The services made available via the DARIAH Gateway are:

- **Cloud Access:** single-job applications and parameter-sweep applications can be run on the DARIAH virtual organisation clouds without porting efforts.
- **Workflow Development:** workflow applications can be developed and run on all the resources of the DARIAH virtual organisation.
- **File transfer:** enables transferring data from, to and between storage services providing HTTP, HTTPS, SFTP, GSIFTP, SRM, iRODS and S3 protocols.

# FAIR: technology VS domain



Technical infrastructure (generic operations)  
Data/metadata (domain-specific content)

FAIR RICHIEDE AZIONI  
DAI RICERCATORI E DAI  
REPOSITORIES  
...MA SONO  
STRETTAMENTE  
INTERCONNESSE

## Box 2 | The FAIR Guiding Principles

### To be Findable:

- F1. (meta)data are assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier
- F2. data are described with rich metadata (defined by R1 below)
- F3. metadata clearly and explicitly include the identifier of the data to which they apply
- F4. (meta)data are registered or indexed in a searchable resource

### To be Accessible:

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- A1.1 the protocol is open, free, and universally implementable
- A1.2 the protocol allows for an authentication and authorization procedure
- A2. metadata are accessible, even when the data are no longer available

### To be Interoperable:

- I1. (meta)data use a formal, accessible, shared, and broadly applicable language for knowledge representation
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### To be Reusable:

- R1. meta(data) are richly described with a plurality of accurate and relevant attributes
- R1.1. (meta)data are released with a clear and accessible data usage license
- R1.2. (meta)data are associated with detailed provenance
- R1.3. (meta)data meet domain-relevant community standards

Upload type: required

Publication type: Journal article

Basic information: required

Digital Object Identifier: e.g. 10.1234/foo/bar

Publication date: 2021-05-26

Title: Required

Authors: Family name, given names; Affiliation; ORCID (e.g. 0000-0002-1825-0097)

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GIÀ IMPOSTATA

# FAIR for dummies

COSA DEVE FARE IL RICERCATORE

COSA FA IL REPOSITORY

## Explanation of the [FAIR data principles](#) <sup>2019</sup>

Wilkinson et al. (2016), The FAIR Guiding Principles for scientific data management and stewardship, *Scientific Data* 3, [doi:10.1038/sdata.2016.18](https://doi.org/10.1038/sdata.2016.18)

Principle	In other words	Researcher's responsibility	Requirements to be fulfilled by the repository	
<b>To be findable:</b> Data and metadata should be easy to find by both, humans and computer systems. Basic machine readable descriptive metadata allows the discovery of interesting data sets and services.	F1. (meta)data are assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier	Each data set is assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier (PID), for example a <a href="#">DOI</a> , <a href="#">ARK</a> , <a href="#">RRID</a> ... These identifiers allow to find, cite and track (meta)data.	Ensure that each data set is assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier. Certain repositories automatically assign identifiers to data sets as a service. If not, researchers must obtain a PID via a PID registration service.	A repository needs to have a predictable way to assign a PID to each component of a dataset (e.g. each file or nanopublication), in order to be able to include these identifiers into the corresponding metadata before the submission.
	F2. data are described with rich metadata (defined by R1 below)	Each data set is thoroughly (see below, in R1) described: these metadata document how the data was generated, under what term (license) and how it can be (re)used, and provide the necessary context for proper interpretation. This information needs to be machine-readable.	Fully document each data set in the metadata, which may include descriptive information about the context, quality and condition, or characteristics of the data. Another researcher in any field, or their computer, should be able to properly understand the nature of your dataset. Be as generous as possible with your metadata (see R1).	Allow researchers to upload metadata for each data set.
	F3. metadata clearly and explicitly include the identifier of the data it describes	The metadata and the data set they describe are separate files. The association between a metadata file and the data set is obvious thanks to the mention of the data set's PID in the metadata.	Make sure that the metadata contains the data set's PID.	Allow researchers to upload metadata for each data set.
	F4. (meta)data are registered or indexed in a searchable resource	Metadata are used to build easily searchable indexes of data sets. These resources will allow to search for existing data sets similarly to searching for a book in a library.	Provide detailed and complete metadata for each data set (see F2).	Request and store part of the metadata in a structured way, for example by providing a form with specific fields to be completed or by providing an XML schema to be used by the researchers. For example the storing of PID's, author names, disciplines, etc. will facilitate the creation of indexes. However, it must remain possible to provide arbitrary metadata in addition.

# [FAIR all'opera]

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The VODAN Africa & Asia  
**Fighting the COVID-19 with FAIR Data**

The initiative is funded by the Philips Foundation, Google and the FMO to enable distributed access to the critical data needed from Africa and the rest of the world to fight and contain the COVID-19 pandemic

Making data and metadata FAIR ensures that these data are discoverable on the Internet of FAIR Data and Services. Central to his approach is the establishment of FAIR Data Points (FDPs), for COVID-19 relevant digital data objects. Opening up FAIR (meta)data by publishing them on a FDP allows algorithms to search these (meta)data, looking for patterns. The Internet of FAIR Data and Services is a distributed data discovery network; data are NOT moved, but algorithms going over the internet can find the data.

[Go FAIR newsletter](#)

## First data-visiting of data safely held in FAIR Data Points

POSTED ON 1 OCTOBER 2020

After the successful deployment of seven machine-actionable FAIR Data Points in Africa, a test to execute a machine-based querying of FAIR Data Points across continents between Leiden University Medical Center and Kampala International University was successful.

Mirjam van Reisen (IN Coordinator of **IN-Africa** and one of the coordinators of the **Ambassadors IN**) said:

Today we have shown the first data-visiting of data safely held in FAIR Data Points within the hospitals. Data is handled in accordance with the regulatory frameworks that apply in each location. This is a major step forward to ensure that data stays where it belongs but can serve the global health community to find solutions to the pandemic. It is also proof that the Internet of FAIR Data and Services can be realised.

### OAI12 – The Geneva Workshop on Innovations in Scholarly Communication

6-10 September 2021  
Virtual workshop

[OAI12](#)



Open Science – Its impact and potential as a driver for radical change

OAI12 – The Geneva Workshop on Innovations in Scholarly Communication will be held virtually from 6 – 10 September 2021.

More details about the workshop can be found at the website <https://oai.events/>.

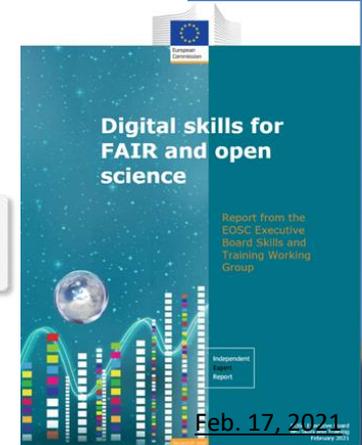
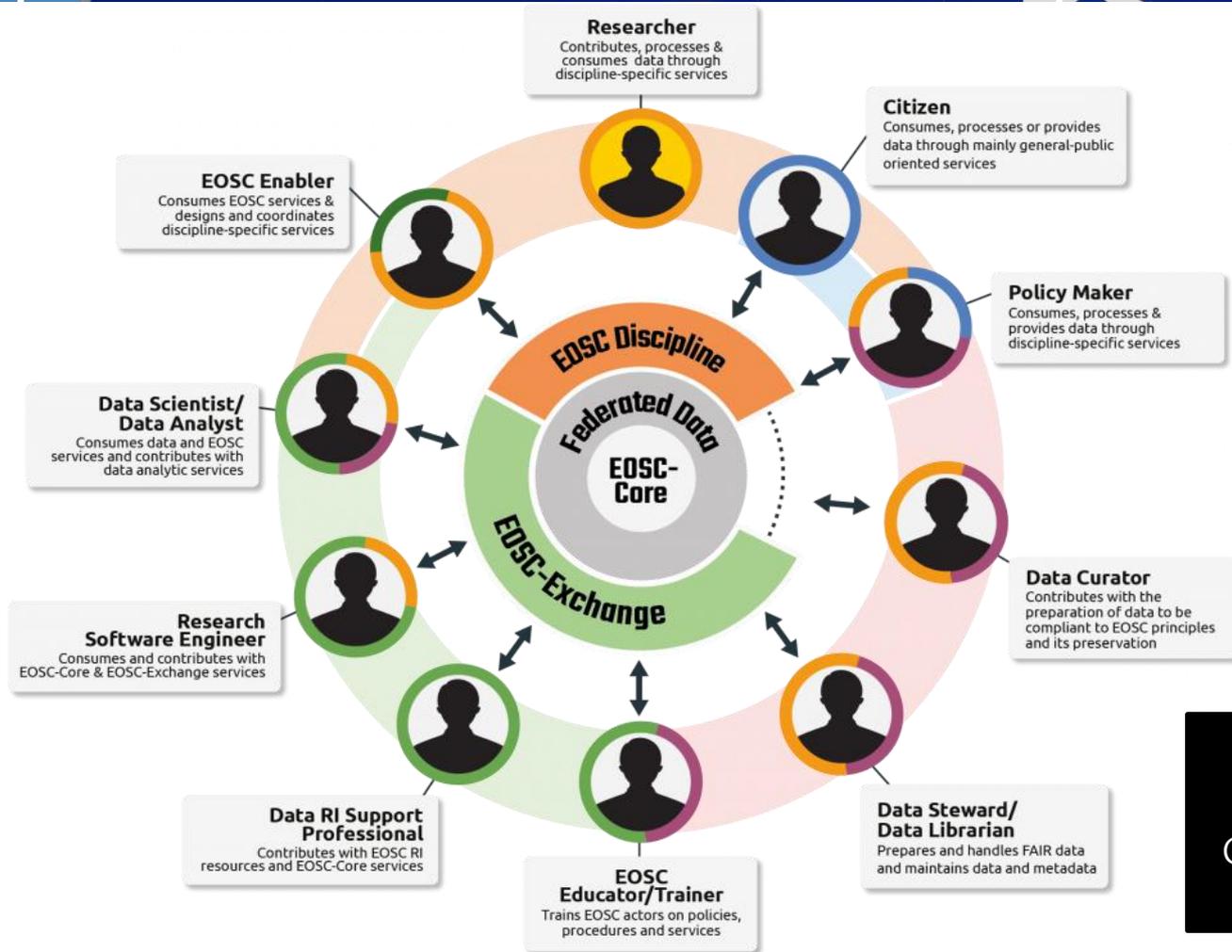
The main themes of this edition are:

- Scholarly publishing
  - (Call for proposals until 6 April)
- Digital research data
- Reproducibility and research integrity
- Diversity, inclusivity and collaboration
- The future of open science
  - (Call for papers is closed. We thank all)



SARÀ PRESENTATO A OAI12 (SETT.)

# Digital skills for FAIR and open



INTORNO A  
FAIR/EOOSC  
GIRANO DIVERSE  
COMPETENZE

**ICT-Specific**  
*Developing Software*

**Library & Information Science**  
*Understanding Data*

**Discipline Specific**  
*Conducting Research*

**General Public**

# Digital science

Understand the importance of addressing gaps in provision of digital skills for FAIR and open science

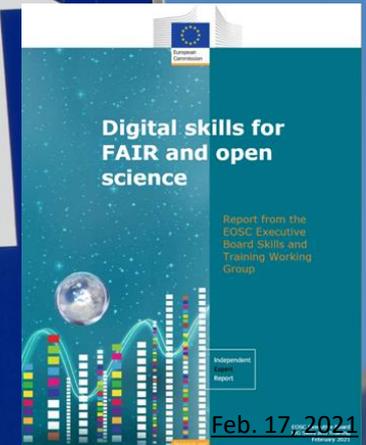
Policy-makers & funders	Universities & research organisations	Competence centres	EOSC Association	EOSC projects
Identify actors/roles that need to be supported in the EOSC ecosystem	Consider diversity of employment and training needs of staff	Identify knowledge to be taught and skills to be learned	Understand range of roles that initiatives must address	Ensure projects consider appropriate roles for both their staff and users

Consider how to support competence centres and encourage	Consider how to establish competence centres	Learn about governance, business models and alignment	Consider how to encourage and support compet-	Ensure projects consider FAIR and open science training
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Recognise the need for investment in hubs for training resources	Know how to provide and access learning and training resources	Learn how to maximise interoperability, FAIRness and usage of learning and training resources	Facilitate interoperability and discovery of learning and training resources	Identify and engage key stakeholders, and build learning and training catalogues according to their goals and actions
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Identify actions to advance national policies on FAIR and open science	Consider how to encourage and/or implement national approaches	Understand the importance of aligning with national programmes and policies	Identify ways to increase international alignment	Not relevant
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AZIONI RICHIESTE  
AI DIVERSI  
STAKEHOLDER  
...LA PRIMA:  
CAPIRE  
L'IMPORTANZA!!!



# Professionalizzare i data stewards

URGE PROFESSIONALIZZAZIONE  
E INQUADRAMENTO NELLE  
STRUTTURE (NON LEGATI AL  
SINGOLO PROGETTO)



Professionalising data stewardship in  
the Netherlands: competences, training  
and education

*Dutch roadmap towards national implementation of  
FAIR data stewardship*

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Preamble: The urgency of a coherent approach towards  
professionalising data stewardship

“Invest 5% of research funds in ensuring data are reusable. It is irresponsible to support research but not data stewardship”, said Barend Mons recently in a Nature article<sup>1</sup>. “Students in PhD programmes spend up to 80% of their time on ‘data munging’, fixing formatting and minor mistakes to make data suitable for analysis — wasting time and talent. With 400 such students,

Data stewardship is a new profession. To ensure a data steward’s position within a research institute, the profession should become part of HR planning of the organisation and include a vision on career development. In addition, research institutes should collaborate with policy makers and research-funding organisations to realise a common approach to recognise and reward data stewards as full members in research groups, and to make sufficient budgets available to maintain data steward positions in the long run.

The interplay between these three aspects determines whether researchers in a particular research setting are sufficiently equipped and supported to be able to perform data stewardship in the context of Open Science. By having a clear view on each of these aspects, it will be finally possible to answer the question that each research-performing institute should ask itself: **how many data stewards do we need where in the organisation with which competences?**

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- ▶ una rete di esperti (disciplinari, settoriali, legali, ...);
- ▶ capacità di raccolta e disseminazione di buone pratiche, anche attraverso collegamenti alle attività dei propri membri e associati;
- ▶ possibilità di sfruttare relazioni internazionali consolidate per promuovere i risultati raggiunti a livello italiano e viceversa, valorizzando così l'attività nazionale in Europa;
- ▶ capacità di costruire una raccolta di risorse knowledge base sull'esempio di FAIRsFAIR;
- ▶ capacità di organizzare attività "hands on" e ambienti pre-ordinati per corsi o sandbox;
- ▶ diffusione di competenze legate ai FAIR data e alla scienza aperta attraverso l'organizzazione di corsi su OS e l'inserimento di nuovi insegnamenti e curricula grazie alla stretta relazione con le Università;
- ▶ incrementare la partecipazione e la presenza di Infrastrutture di Ricerca fisiche e non, che posseggono competenze nel FAIR Data Management;
- ▶ favorire l'accesso alle risorse condivise nei workflow di ricerca;
- ▶ Portale Open Science CNR, che sarà lanciato a breve e pensato come una sorta di one-stop shop con un catalogo di risorse accessibili online (dai documenti ufficiali alle risorse di training e informative);
- ▶ possibilità di visualizzare informazioni su andamenti statistici messe a disposizione da OpenAIRE.

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# FAIR cookbook

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## The FAIR Cookbook overview

- The FAIR Cookbook is an activity of the **FAIRplus project** funded by the **Innovative Medicine Initiative (IMI)** drawing under grant agreement #802750 (2019-22).
- The FAIR Cookbook is a project aiming at collating protocols for making data FAIR and provide examples of IMI dataset FAIRification.
- The FAIR Cookbook is open source and licensed under CC-BY-4.0
- The FAIR Cookbook is written using Markdown and deployed using **jupyter-book**
- the FAIR Cookbook is hosted on github. The repository hosts documentation, known as **FAIR recipes**, and supporting code in the form of **jupyter notebooks** about **FAIRification processes** and the content will be released regularly (quarterly) in order to reflect the progress made by the project and the various working groups, which bring together **academic** and **industry** partners.

### Persona-based content browsing

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# FAIR toolkit

## Practical Support for FAIR Data

An overview of how the FAIR Toolkit provides practical support for implementation of FAIR data management through numerous use cases from industry and relevant tools, training and change methods.

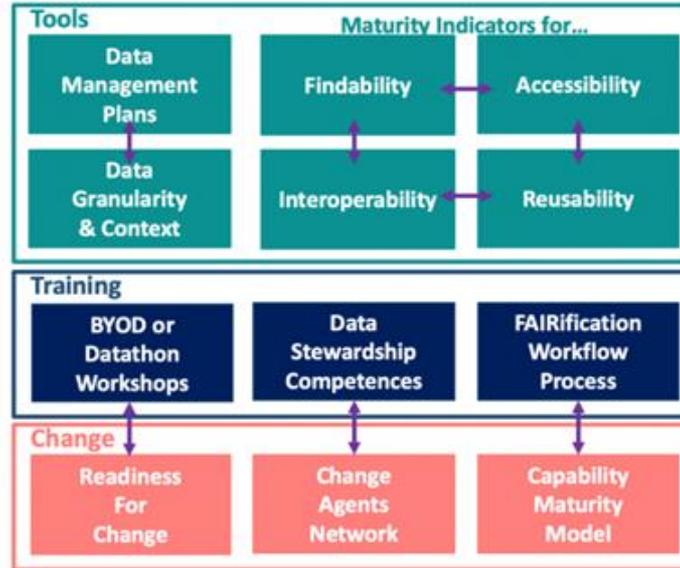
### Practical Support

### FAIR Toolkit

The FAIR Toolkit is designed to provide support for management of the FAIR data life cycle as illustrated in Figure 1 below. It places emphasis on the practical aspects of FAIR data management through the leverage of existing resources that are most relevant to the needs of Life Science industry.



## FAIR Toolkit methods



## TOOLS

### Data Management Plans

A Data Management Plan documents the specific attributes expected for your FAIR objectives.

- Prepare the Data Management Plan as early as possible

[Find out more >](#)

### Findability Maturity Indicators

Find out how to apply the FAIR Maturity Indicators to measure the FINDABILITY of the data and metadata.

- Findability of data is compared with your FAIR objectives to identify and make improvements in an iterative manner

[Find out more >](#)

### Accessibility Maturity Indicators

Learn how to apply the FAIR Maturity Indicators to measure the ACCESSIBILITY of the data and metadata.

- Accessibility of data is compared with your FAIR objectives to identify and make improvements in an iterative manner

[Find out more >](#)

### Data Granularity and Context

Consider how the granularity and context of data and associated metadata to help to inform your FAIR objectives.

- Understand the granularity and context of the data as early as possible

[Find out more >](#)

### Interoperability Maturity Indicators

Read how to apply the FAIR Maturity Indicators to measure the INTEROPERABILITY of the data and metadata.

- Interoperability of data is compared with your FAIR objectives to identify and make improvements in an iterative manner

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### Reusability Maturity Indicators

Discover how to apply the FAIR Maturity Indicators to measure the REUSABILITY of the data and metadata.

- Reusability of data is compared with your FAIR objectives to identify and make improvements in an iterative manner

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# FAIRification

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## A Generic Workflow for the Data FAIRification Process

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# FAIR è graduale

FAIR = CONTINUUM  
«AS FAIR AS POSSIBLE»

*Inclusiveness: consider FAIR as a process*

If FAIR is not seen as a continuum, we risk losing communities who are not well advanced in sharing their data in a FAIR way, as well as advanced communities for whom the effort to attain optional indicators doesn't outweigh the effort required. In addition to avoiding "mandatory" criteria, using multi-step maturity scales to measure the FAIRness level of a resource, instead of a yes/no evaluation for each criterion, would provide an inclusive system, and a way to set up



Interim recommendations on FAIR Metrics for EOSC

February 2020

Draft for consultation

Feb. 2020

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## Findable

Does the dataset have any identifiers assigned?

No identifier

Is the dataset identifier included in all metadata records/files describing the data?

No

How is the data described with metadata?

The data is not described

What type of repository or registry is the metadata record in?

The data is not described in any repository

## Accessible

How accessible is the data?

No access to data or metadata

Is the data available online without requiring specialised protocols or tools once access has been approved?

No access to data

Will the metadata record be available even if the data is no longer available?

Unsure

The screenshot shows the ANDS Training website. The main navigation bar includes 'About us', 'News and Events', 'Partners and Communities', 'Working with data', 'Online Services', and 'Guides and resources'. The 'Working with data' section is active, displaying 'The FAIR data principles' and 'FAIR data training' resources. A sidebar on the left lists 'Findable', 'Accessible', 'Interoperable', and 'Reusable'. The main content area features a search bar and a list of training resources, including a 'FAIR data self-assessment tool'.

<https://www.ands-nectar-rds.org.au/fair-tool>



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## FAIR self-assessment tool

Welcome to the ARDC FAIR Data self-assessment tool. Using this tool you will be able to assess the 'FAIRness' of a dataset and determine how to enhance its FAIRness (where applicable).

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# FAIR aware



Let's assume you have research data almost ready for uploading to a repository: do you already know how you and the repository can work together to make the data as findable, accessible, interoperable and reusable (FAIR) as possible? By guiding you through the assessment process, the FAIR-Aware tool can help you to better understand the FAIR Principles and how making data FAIR can increase the potential value and impact of your data.

FAIR-Aware is an disciplinary-agnostic online tool developed by the FAIRsFAIR project. Different scientific communities can adapt it to their own use. You should, however, have a target dataset in mind to be able to answer the questions and complete the assessment.

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1. Are you aware that a dataset should be assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier when deposited with a data repository?

Selected datasets should be assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier (PID) so they can be located unambiguously by humans or machines on the web. Persistent identifiers are maintained and governed so that they remain stable and direct the users to the same relevant object consistently over time. Examples of PIDs include Digital Object Identifier (DOI), the Handle System, identifiers.org, w3id.org and Archival Resource Key (ARK).

Identifiers are normally assigned by data repositories (or other service providers) when data and/or metadata are made available through their services. Repositories ensure that the identifier continues to point to the same data or metadata, according to the specified access terms and conditions. For example, you can search for data repositories providing DOIs on registries such as Re3data or FAIRsharing (see related databases).

It is worth noting here that not all data you produce during your research will need a PID. In general, those that underpin published findings or have longer term value are worth assigning a PID. If in doubt about which data should be allocated a PID, speak to your local research data management support team.

[Want to know more?](#)

## FINDABLE

1. Are you aware that a dataset should be assigned a globally unique and persistent identifier when deposited with a data repository?

2. Are you aware that when you deposit a dataset in a data repository, you will need to provide some data (such as discovery metadata) in order to make the data understandable and reusable to others?

3. Are you aware that the repository providing access to your dataset should make the metadata describing your datasets available in a format readable by machines as well as humans?

Yes  No

To what degree do you intend to comply with this?

Very likely  5  4  3  2  1  
Very unlikely

# FAIR maturity evaluator

Evaluating FAIR maturity through a scalable, automated, community-governed framework

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## FAIR Evaluation Services FAIR evaluation service

Resources and guidelines to assess the FAIRness of digital resources.

Patience! If you notice any unexpected failures in the tests, please report them to [mark.wilkinson@upm.es](mailto:mark.wilkinson@upm.es)



### Import MI Tests

Import Maturity Indicators Tests as YAML [smartAPI](#) interface annotation

[Get started](#)



### Create collections

Assemble Maturity Indicators Tests into community centered collections

[Get started](#)



### Evaluate resources

Evaluate resources FAIRness against Collections of Maturity Indicator Tests

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## FAIR Evaluation Services

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### Philosophy of FAIR testing

## FAIR METRICS GEN2 - IDENTIFIER PERSISTENCE

**Status:** Failure

**Principle tested:** F1

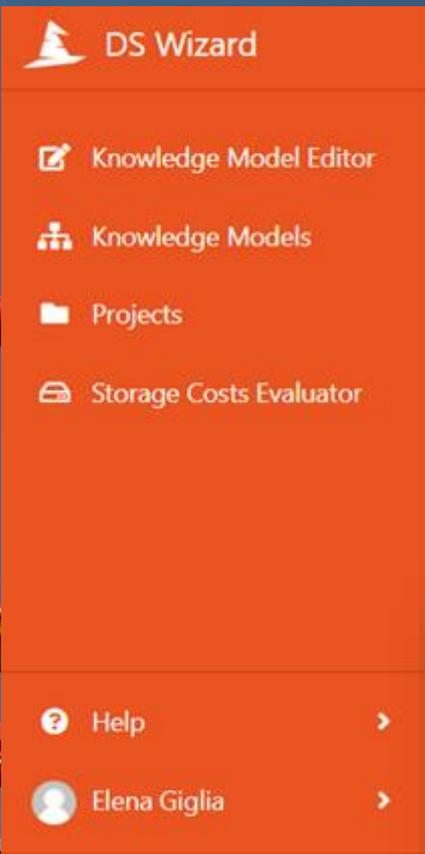
**Description:** Metric to test if the unique identifier of the metadata resource is likely to be persistent. Known schema are registered in FAIRSharing ([https://fairsharing.org/standards/?q=&selected\\_facets=type\\_exact:identifier%20schema](https://fairsharing.org/standards/?q=&selected_facets=type_exact:identifier%20schema)). For URLs that don't follow a schema in FAIRSharing we test known URL persistence schemas (purl, oclc, fdlp, purlz, w3id, ark).

**Created on:** Feb 18, 2019 by [Mark D Wilkinson](#) (updated on Feb 20, 2019).

### Test results

**INFO:** The metadata GUID appears to be a URL. Testing known URL persistence schemas (purl, oclc, fdlp, purlz, w3id, ark).  
**FAILURE:** The metadata GUID does not conform with any known permanent-URL system.

# FAIR Wizard

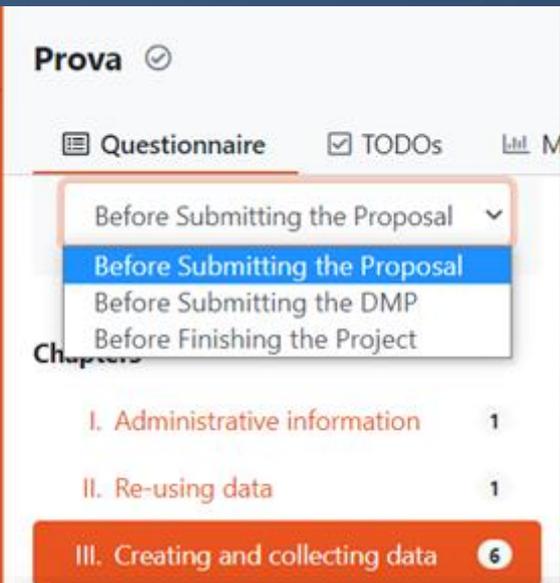


DS Wizard

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- Knowledge Models
- Projects
- Storage Costs Evaluator

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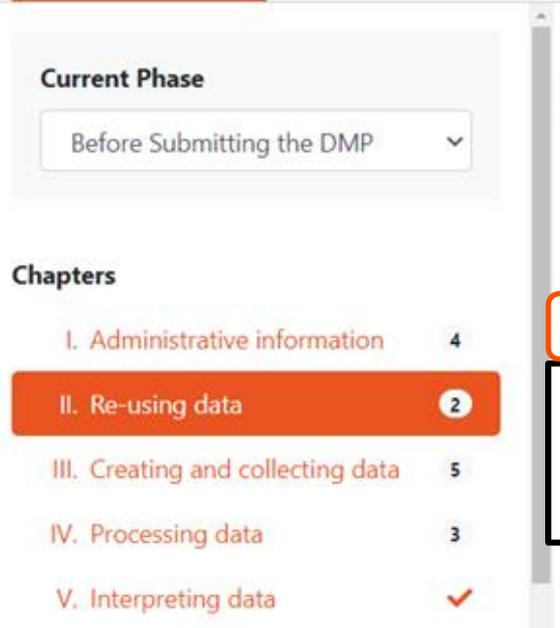
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- Before Submitting the DMP
- Before Finishing the Project

Chapters

- I. Administrative information 1
- II. Re-using data 1
- III. Creating and collecting data 6**

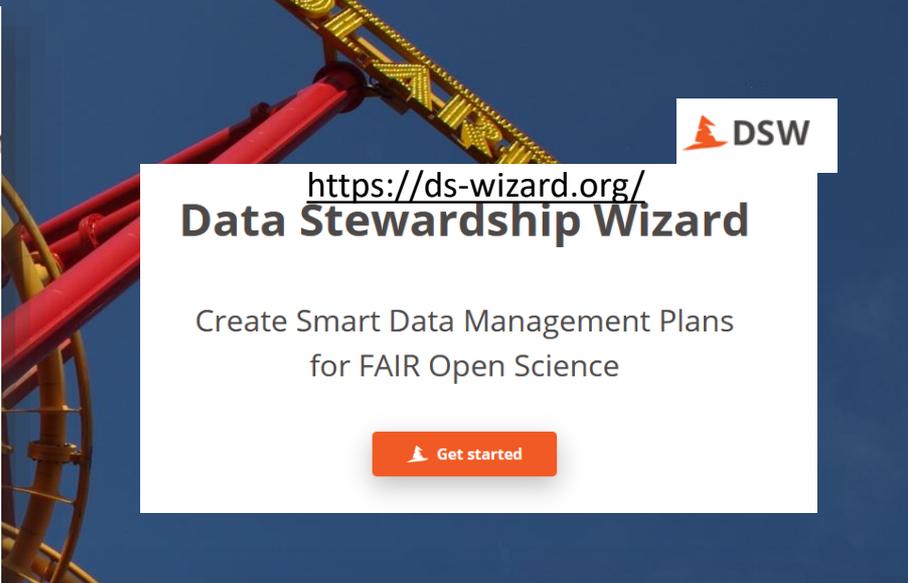


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- II. Re-using data 2**
- III. Creating and collecting data 5
- IV. Processing data 3
- V. Interpreting data ✓



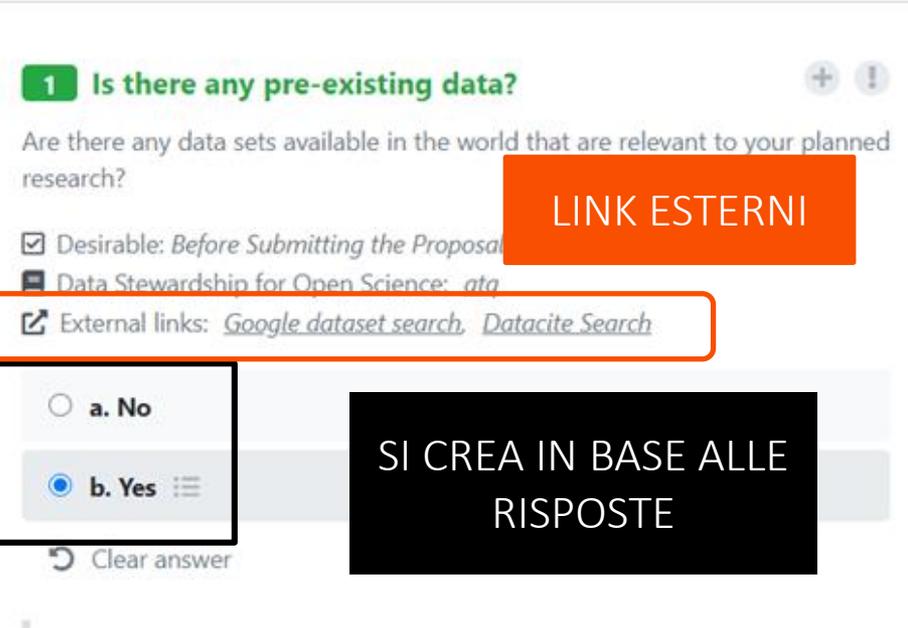
 DSW

<https://ds-wizard.org/>

## Data Stewardship Wizard

Create Smart Data Management Plans for FAIR Open Science





**1** Is there any pre-existing data?

Are there any data sets available in the world that are relevant to your planned research?

Desirable: Before Submitting the Proposal

Data Stewardship for Open Science: *ata*

External links: [Google dataset search](#), [Datacite Search](#)

a. No

b. Yes



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Questionnaire **✓ TODOS** Metrics Preview Documents Settings

**Current Phase**  
Before Submitting the DMP

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- II. Re-using data 5
- III. Creating and collecting data 5**
- IV. Processing data 3
- V. Interpreting data ✓

**1 What existing data formats/types will you be using?**

Have you identified types of data that you will use that are used by others too? Some types of data (for example "images" or "tables") are used by many different projects. For such data, often common standards exist (in our example "JPG" and "CSV" [comma separated values]) that help to make these data reusable. Are you using such common data formats?

Please make sure you list all the data types that are important for your project. You should make sure also to list the formats used in any data sets that you are re-using.

Desirable: Before Submitting the Proposal

Data Stewardship for Open Science: *njx*

**1.a.1 Data format/type** **+ Add TODO**

DS Wizard Go to App

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Data Stewardship for Open Science: *njx*

+ Add TODO

**What's up?**

Unless you do entirely novel types of research, there are likely to be multiple data formats around in which the types of data you generate may be captured, processed and formatted. Some of these may be 'exotic' and not used (anymore) by the majority of the community, which frequently means that they will be difficult to find, map, inter-operate and reuse. In addition, it is less likely that standard workflows will process these data formats. Especially in case the intention to use the data generated in combinatorial or integrated experiments with OPEDAS, the formatting of your data is extremely important. In many cases, data in proprietary or exotic formats can be munged and recreated into more commonly used formats, but these processes are very cumbersome and error-prone. It is therefore of the utmost importance to consult the expert community and get the data in the most optimal formats of further analysis and ultimately for reuse by your own group and others.

**Do**

- Always use community-compliant, supported and sustainable data formats whenever possible.
- Turn to experts to tell you what are the best formats to use for the particular data types you will create.
- Ensure you are prepared to answer questions on the use of the data (for instance, which workflows will they be subjected to).
- Choose the formats with the richest expression possibility. It is easier to leave things blank then extending a poor data format later.

**Don't**

- Assume that your data is so unique that it needs an entirely new format.
- Think that a spreadsheet with free text labels or your locally developed database is the best way to store and reuse your data.
- Format and store data in any format without keeping rich and relevant metadata and provenance.
- Throw away the original data unless you are absolutely sure that storing them has no further added value, for example for review of experimental and analytical procedures. Not having certain pre-formatted data available may actually preclude the publication, reuse and citation of your (original) data by others and might also jeopardise the publication of accompanying articles.

**Links**

- [DS Question GitHub resources repository: njx](#)

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# ...FAIR per enti di ricerca

## DO I-PASS FOR FAIR?

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### Policy: Does your organization (institute / university (of applied sciences) ) have a FAIR research data policy?

1. Are the FAIR principles explicitly mentioned in the data (or research data) policy of your organization?	The FAIR principles are not explicitly mentioned, but there is a reference to sustainable and long term storage.	The F and A principle are explicitly mentioned.	All FAIR principles are explicitly mentioned (or there is an explicit reference to the overarching Open Science concept).	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginner <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced
2. Is the general research data policy translated into faculty/institutes specific policies?	Less than 20% of the faculties or sub-	20-80% of the faculties or sub-units have a specific policy.	More than 80% of the faculties or sub-units have	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginner <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate

### Services: Does your organization have a (virtual) DCC which provides services (including infrastructure) to allow comply with FAIR?

3. Is the general research data policy supported by dedicated service units (e.g. DCC) ?	5. Which services does your organization provide in order for researchers to comply with the F principles	We provide or refer to a service to deliver a PID for a data set	We provide or refer to service for PID and adding metadata (including reference to the dataset).	On top of adding PIDs and metadata, we provide or refer to a service to make the data findable through indexed resources.	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginner <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced
	6. Which services does your organization provide in order for researchers to comply with the A principles?	We provide or refer to a service with a standard and open communication protocol as to access the data.	We provide or refer to a service to enable restricted access to data and meta data (authentication protocol)	Our organization as an archiving policy, both on data and meta data.	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginner <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced
	7. Which services does your organization provide in order for researchers to comply with the R principles?	We provide or refer to a service that enriches the dataset metadata, referencing to other datasets and articles (I3).	We provide or refer to a service to attribute (meta)data that use a formal, accessible, shared, and broadly applicable language for knowledge representation.	We provide or refer to a service to attribute (meta)data that use vocabularies that follow FAIR principles in order to facilitate machine readability.	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginner <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced
4. Which means and channels used to communicate the research data policy and services to the researchers	8. Which services you're your organization provide in order for researchers to comply with the R principles?	We provide advice on licenses and provide or refer a service to add licenses in the metadata	We monitor the reuse of our data, both within the institute as well as outside	We perform quality control on the (meta)data, e.g. adequate read me file as to assure that somebody else can actually reuse the data. We assure that (meta)data meet domain-relevant community standards	<input type="checkbox"/> Beginner <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced <input type="checkbox"/> Not yet

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## An Academic Publishers' GO FAIR Implementation Network (APIN)

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### Abstract

Presented here is a proposal for the academic publishing industry to get actively involved in the formulation of protocols and standards that make published scientific research material machine-readable in order to facilitate data to be findable, accessible, interoperable, and re-usable (FAIR). Given the importance of traditional journal publications in scholarly communication worldwide, active involvement of academic publishers in advancing the more routine creation and reuse of FAIR data is highly desired.

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# FAIR data nelle scienze umane



## Sustainable and FAIR Data Sharing in the Humanities

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### RECOMMENDATIONS

- » Think of all your research assets as research data that could be potentially reused by other scholars. Consider how useful it would be for your own work if others shared their data.
- » Familiarise yourself with the FAIR Data Principles before you start collecting data and building corpora e.g. FORCE11: the FAIR Data Principles, GO-FAIR: FAIR Data Principles and discuss with colleagues and experts to build a better understanding.
- » Digitally document all your research and data collection work -- at the beginning of a project it is difficult to judge which information of the research process will be important and valuable later on.
- » Use well-established tools to facilitate your research work, as many of them allow data sharing e.g. MIT Libraries Digital Humanities: Tools and Resource Recommendations.
- » Browse humanities datasets and consider whether your own assets could be published in a similar fashion (e.g. Humanities Commons, UK Data Archive, ARCHE re3data.org filtered for humanities).
- » When you start producing data, keep this maxim of Open Science in mind: data should be 'as open as possible and as closed as necessary'.

*Awareness of the FAIR principles and willingness to adopt them is not sufficient to transform data practices in any discipline. The paradigm shift requires effort, and this effort, which impacts on many roles in the research and higher education sectors, requires incentives, support, and recognition for adoption to be successful.*

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## RECOMMENDATIONS

- Clarify all legal issues at the beginning of your research project and include the findings of this process in the data management plan.
- Use checklists adequate to your research topic/discipline.
- Check the resources indicated by DARIAH, CLARIN (see further reading).
- In the case of personal data ensure that only relevant people can access the data and that these are clearly identified (see GDPR).
- Ask for consent to share anonymised data and establish transparent and well-documented anonymisation routines that consider not just direct identifiers, but also how a combination of indirect identifiers could reveal identities. (See for example the guide on informed consent in the CESSDA data management expert guide).
- Avoid collection of (sensitive and non-sensitive) personal data when possible.
- Get legal support (IPR, copyright, patents, trademarks etc.) from your home institution. If there is no dedicated office for this purpose, try to get information from your university library, as its staff are often confronted with such issues.
- If you need permission from the copyright holder in order to use sources like images for your publication, try to get one that covers both printed and digital copies.
- Finally, check the recommendations in the section on Licences that are closely related to this section.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

- To ensure the best possible stewardship of your data, choose to deposit it in a digital repository that is certified by a recognised standard such as the CoreTrustSeal. The [Registry of Research Data Repositories](#) (re3data) provides a good starting point, noting disciplines, standards, content types, certification status and more. [FAIRsharing](#) (manually curated information on standards, databases, policies and collections) allows you to search databases by subject, and includes entries tagged 'Humanities and Social Sciences'.
- Use disciplinary repositories where they exist, as they are more likely to be developed around domain expertise, disciplinary practices and community-based standards, which will promote the findability, accessibility, interoperability and ultimately the reuse and value of your data. The level of curation available in a repository is key to data quality and reusability.
- Datasets should be assigned persistent identifiers (PID). Most repositories that are designed for long-term preservation will automatically assign or 'mint' persistent identifiers for your datasets, so choosing a quality repository will automate this step. Consider as well signing up for ORCID, a free service that assigns persistent identifiers to individuals/authors.
- To facilitate findability of all research outputs, bidirectional links should be created between publications related outputs, such as data (using PIDs).
- Include the richest metadata possible with your deposited data so that others can find it, understand the parameters under which it was created, and understand the conditions under which they can access and/or reuse it. See recommendations in this report in the sections on [Licences](#) and [Metadata](#) for more information.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

- If applicable, determine if the body funding your research has particular requirements for a DMP or offers a template for framing your plan. If there is no required template, choose an existing appropriate one (eg. via [DMPOnline](#)).
- Devise a DMP prior to collecting data. Define and plan for your data: all research projects deal with data. If your project includes the analysis of text corpora, for example, then the corpora themselves are data, and you should make sure they are clearly described, documented, and managed according to the FAIR principles so your research is reusable by others.
- Plan documentation of metadata: in order for your data to be comprehensible in the future and/or reusable by others, they will need descriptive metadata created according to a common schema to understand the context/purpose of the research. The richer the metadata, the more intelligible and useful the dataset (see section on [Metadata](#)).
- Use standardised terminology to increase interoperability. Consider employing vocabularies or ontologies that follow FAIR principles to increase interoperability and findability (eg. see [FAIRsharing](#)).
- Consider the right questions to be answered in your DMP that can account for discipline-specific requirements. The DMP templates suggested by funders are quite high level and provide generic guidance for file naming or versioning conventions, database structuring, and can be a good start. Tools like the [dmponline.co.uk](#) provide discipline specific examples that can be of further reference.
- DMP as living documents: Update your data management plan regularly in order to take into account any potential relevant changes such as using new data types and/or models, technology, new institutional data management policies, reassessing legal aspects or licences for legal compliance etc.
- Depending on the size of the organisation: think of providing institutional support for research data management (RDM), organise information sessions to raise awareness about good research data management, and the risks of not managing it early.
- If possible, consider involving library and/or repository support staff from the initial stages of research data management planning to discuss the best solutions, specifications, standards and protocols along which the repository operates. Repository staff can also assist scholars with understanding any specific data management requirements and associated costs.
- Factor the cost of research data management (time or human resources) into budgetary requirements at the point of application.



## RECOMMENDATIONS

- Data models go FAIR: the FAIR Guiding Principles, correctly applied, ensure data are findable, accessible, interoperable and reusable. Data modelling should take this into account by using formal, easily accessible languages for knowledge representation, providing persistent identifiers, open standards, well documented Application Programming Interfaces (API), generic user interfaces and rich metadata. The [FAIRification process](#), developed by the GO FAIR initiative offers a system on how to shape the data modelling.
- Use open standards, and whenever possible, standardised technologies and procedures should be used. The World Wide Web Consortium W3C maintains several standards relevant for data models like XML and RDF. Within XML the Text or Music Encoding Initiative TEI/MEI or specific expressions of them have become standards for text or music editions. The query language SPARQL and the representation tool for linked data ISON-LD are common standards for RDF (refers to FAIR principle 11).
- Prefer human and machine-readable systems: coding of data models and of the actual data that is both human and machine-readable in a unified way provides better sustainability and long-term accessibility than machine-readable only code (binary codes), that may use different formats for data model description and the actual data. For both, hierarchical data models and graph-based data, various serialisations (file formats) are available that fulfil this condition (XML, TEI/XML, Turtle, N3, RDF/XML), whereas SQL based technologies need bigger efforts.
- Normalise as much as possible: to avoid redundant information, the content of databases should be normalised as far as possible, using for example authority files like VIAF and identifiers like DOI, ARK, ISNI, GND and the like. To foster the exchange of data, standardised vocabularies and ontologies are needed as well, but an overall ontology for the humanities has not yet been established. The ontology CIDOC-CRM and especially some extensions are well on their way to become a reference model for cultural heritage information.
- Data models follow the data management plan (DMP): when establishing a data model, researchers should keep the whole lifecycle of their data in mind, as it should be outlined in a DMP. Therefore, an extensive documentation of the data model, its software and tools are highly relevant and facilitates the transfer of data in a secure and trusted repository in order to keep them accessible. The same is true here: the more you use open standards for your



## RECOMMENDATIONS

- A good starting point is to consult the Metadata Standards Directory, a community-maintained directory hosted by the Research Data Alliance: <https://rd-alliance.github.io/metadata-directory/>
- Metadata works best when terminology is consistent, e.g. naming conventions are followed, spelling is normalised, and so on. Depending on the complexity and size of your metadata, consider using a tool such as Open Refine to 'clean' your metadata.
- For greater searchability and interoperability, researchers should also consider using controlled vocabularies to identify common terminology when populating metadata fields. For example, the Library of Congress maintains a controlled vocabulary for subject headings: <http://id.loc.gov/authorities/subjects.html>
- For findability, the metadata should include a clear and explicit reference to the dataset it describes, through the inclusion of a PID in the metadata (see section on [Trustworthy Data Repositories and Persistent Identifiers](#)).
- Make your metadata as rich as possible in order to better contextualise your data and facilitate reuse. Consider more detailed descriptions, and fuller provenance information, as well as using the spectrum of available metadata fields.
- Metadata should be machine-readable.

# FAIR data



## “Here be dragons”

#4 The phrase “Hic sunt dracones” (transl. “Here be Dragons”), is used on some old maps of the world to describe an area that was unknown to the cartographer. I found it quite appropriate to summarize the ambivalence of humanists towards data and all these “fancy” concepts discussed by “infrastructure people” like FAIR Data, the EOSC, or Research Data Management. First of all, it must be said that humanities researchers tend to be ambivalent about the concept of ‘data’<sup>[15]</sup> and that “[t]here are issues surrounding [...] the acceptance of the ‘research data concept’”<sup>[16]</sup>. In short, they just don’t use the word “data”, but talk about “sources”, “research materials” etc., which leads to the fact that the whole “data talk” doesn’t appeal to them. Additionally, an expeditionary survey conducted by PARTHENOS in 2017 among researchers in the domain of digital humanities, language studies, and cultural heritage showed that the FAIR Principles and the EOSC, concepts and recommendations, thriving among “infrastructure folks”, are relatively little known in the research communities themselves.<sup>[17]</sup> Often, the publication of research data only comes as an afterthought (if at all).<sup>[18]</sup> However, at the end of a project, it is often too late to publish the data in a meaningful way because of the lack of documentation and the lack of resources to prepare the data properly for publishing.

## “Here be dragons”: Open Access to Research Data in the Humanities

#8 To sum up my observations so far: Humanities research data, in general, is rather heterogeneous, idiosyncratic, and complex<sup>[30]</sup> and humanists are ambivalent about the term “data”. Digital practices are already part of the research activities of many humanists, especially in the Digital Humanities, but they are not equally fully developed. This leads to the fact that the potential of digital research data and methods is not fully exploited, because the digital research process is not carefully planned, with other words many research data already exist in digital form, but they are not findable, quality controlled, and reusable.<sup>[31]</sup> All in all, the land of FAIR Research Data is still unknown territory for many humanists, or at least scary as if dragons would indeed live there. In the next part, therefore, I will argue for increased efforts for awareness raising and skills building and a “fellowship of the data”, a support system to facilitate the quest for FAIR data in the humanities.

To create this broad culture of FAIR data sharing in the humanities we have to roll up our sleeves, team up, and distribute hats:

1. Embrace Open principles,
2. bridge the gap between the digital and the humanities and look what we can learn from the Digital Humanities and other more data-savvy disciplines.

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## FAIR Principles for Library, Archive and Museum Collections: A proposal for standards for reusable collections

*Many heritage institutions would like their collections to be open and reusable but fail to achieve that situation because of organizational, legal and technological barriers. A set of guidelines and best practices is proposed to facilitate the process of making heritage collections reusable.*

*These guidelines are based on the FAIR Principles for scholarly output (FAIR data principles*

*[2014]), taking into account a number of accessible, interoperable and reusable.*

*Archive and Museum Collections focus on records. Clarifications and examples of recommendations for the assessment of principles.*

by Lukas Koster, Saskia Woutersen-Windhouwer

### Access protocols

For access to both digital objects and digital metadata, universal access protocols must be made available on several levels. The first level comprises server level access protocols for copying files between servers and workstations (FTP/SFTP), direct server command line access (SSH) and downloading files and data through web browsers (HTTP). The second level consists of application level access protocols for accessing metadata, such as application programming interfaces (APIs), harvesting (OAI-PMH) and retrieving metadata (Z39.50, SRU) and linked data (SPARQL). Finally, there are the general formats and frameworks, other than the domain specific data formats (see *Standard metadata formats* below), such as XML, RDF, JSON, JSON-LD, which are used to represent the domain specific formats. For instance, MARC can be represented as MARC-XML, Dublin Core in XML, RDF, etc. In order to support reuse of metadata and digital objects as much as possible, options for selecting and downloading in bulk must be presented as well as options for retrieving and downloading records and objects individually.

### Standard metadata formats

It must be possible to provide metadata records in various standard formats, other than the format the metadata is stored in. Examples are MARC, Dublin Core, MODS, METS. The stored metadata must be sufficient to describe the specific object type and support the intended reuse. In the linked data context vocabularies or ontologies in RDF are used. For this various standards are available, such as EDM (Europeana Data Model), CIDOC-CRM (for cultural heritage), BIBFRAME (the prospective linked data successor to MARC), as well as well-known formats like Dublin Core and schema.org.

### Copyrights and licenses

In order to avoid the recurring necessity of requesting permission for reuse in every individual case, it should be instantly clear what actions are permitted with the objects and metadata. This is possible by including a license provided by the rights holder. The most used open content license is the Creative Commons (CC) license.[6] The CC license is a worldwide, irrevocable, non-exclusive license for the duration of copyright and similar rights, and sui generis database rights. The most used version is the 'CC-BY' (Creative Commons Attribution 4.0 International [2018]). With a CC-BY, the rights holder gives permission that metadata or an object may be distributed, copied and adapted free of royalties under the condition of attribution. In addition

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- **ACCESSIBLE**: MANCA REPOSITORY CON GRANULARITÀ  
ADATTA; MANCA UNICO PUNTO DI ACCESSO [TRIPLE]
- **INTEROPERABLE**: METADATI SPESSO TROPPO SPECIFICI;  
LINGUE NAZIONALI, MANCANO ONTOLOGIE
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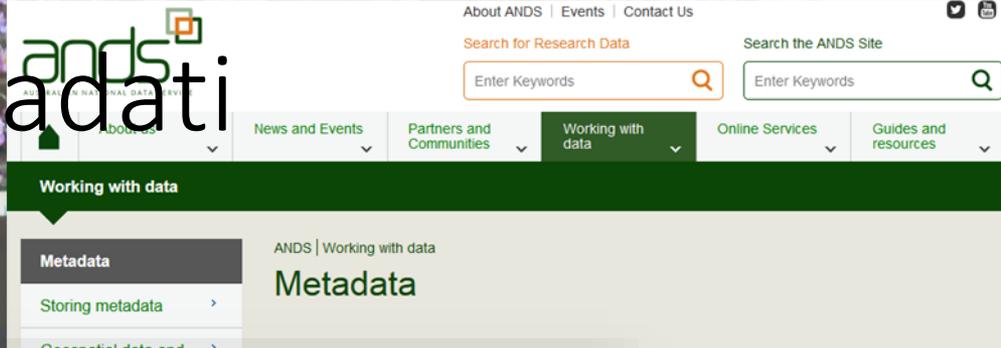
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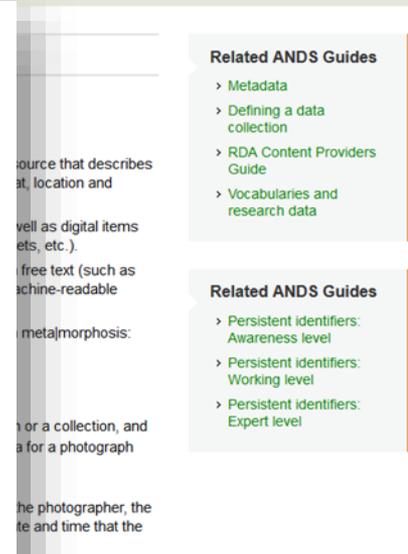
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# F = Findable. Metadata



- **Descriptive metadata:** information required for discovery and assessment of the collection,
  - e.g. title, contributors, subject or keywords, study description, and location and dates of the study.
- **Provenance metadata:** this relates to the origins and processing of the data, and enables interpretation and reuse of the data. It ranges from the human to the highly technical, and usually requires some knowledge of the domain to create.
  - e.g. Where did the data come from? Why was it collected? Who collected it, when and where? What instruments/technologies were used to collect the data, and how were they set up? How has the data been processed?
- **Technical metadata:** fundamental information for a person or a computer application to read the data.
  - e.g. How is the data set up? What formats, and versions of formats, are used? How is the database configured? How does it relate to other data?
- **Rights and access metadata:** information to enable access, and licensing or usage rules.
  - e.g. How can someone access the data? Who is allowed to view or modify the data, or the metadata, and under what conditions? Who has some kind of authority over the data? Are there costs associated with access? Under what licence is the data being made available?
- **Preservation metadata:** this builds on the history from the Provenance, Rights and Technical metadata, and also includes information to allow the data to be managed for long-term accessibility.
  - e.g. Has there been any restructuring or other changes to the files, e.g. due to migration to new file formats? What software has been used to access the data?
- **Citation metadata:** information required for someone to cite the data
  - e.g. Creator(s), Publication Year, Title, Publisher, Identifier.



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## Document, Discover and Interoperate

The Data Documentation Initiative (DDI) is an international standard for describing the data produced by surveys and other observational methods in the social, behavioral, economic, and health sciences. DDI is a free standard that can document and manage different stages in the research data lifecycle, such as conceptualization, collection, processing, distribution, discovery, and archiving. Documenting data with DDI facilitates understanding, interpretation, and use – by people, software systems, and computer networks. Use DDI to Document, Discover, and Interoperate!

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## Dublin Core™ Metadata Initiative

URI <http://purl.org/dc/terms/creator>

**Label** Creator

**Definition** An entity responsible for making the resource.

**Comment** Recommended practice is to identify the creator with a URI. If this is not possible or

**Type of Term** Property

**Range Includes**

- <http://purl.org/dc/terms/Agent>

**Equivalent Property**

- <http://xmlns.com/foaf/0.1/maker>

**Subproperty of**

- [Creator](http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/creator) (<http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/creator>)
- [Contributor](http://purl.org/dc/terms/contributor) (<http://purl.org/dc/terms/contributor>)

**Term Name:** date

URI <http://purl.org/dc/terms/date>

**Label** Date

**Definition** A point or period of time associated with an event in the lifecycle of the resource.

**Comment** Date may be used to express temporal information at any level of granularity. Reco ISO 8601-1 [[ISO 8601-1](#)] or a published profile of the ISO standard, such as the W3 Specification [[EDTF](#)]. If the full date is unknown, month and year (YYYY-MM) or just time specification in which start and end dates are separated by a '/' (slash) charact

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## Text Encoding Initiative

The Text Encoding Initiative (TEI) is a consortium which collectively develops and maintains a standard for the representation of texts in digital form. Its chief deliverable is a set of Guidelines which specify encoding methods for machine-readable texts, chiefly in the humanities, social sciences and linguistics. Since 1994, the TEI Guidelines have been widely used by libraries, museums, publishers, and individual scholars to present texts for online research, teaching, and preservation. In addition to the Guidelines themselves, the Consortium provides a variety of [resources](#) and [training events](#) for learning TEI, information on [projects using the TEI](#), a [bibliography of TEI-related publications](#), and [software](#) developed for or adapted to the TEI.

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## Openrefine

### Welcome!

OpenRefine (previously Google Refine) is a powerful tool for working with messy data; cleaning it; transforming it from one format into another; and extending its capabilities with external services and external data.

OpenRefine always keeps your data private on your own computer. You can share or collaborate. Your private data never leaves your computer to. (It works by running a small server on your computer and you use your browser to interact with it)

OpenRefine is available in more than 15 languages.

OpenRefine is part of [Code for Science & Society](#).

### Introduction to OpenRefine

#### 1. Explore Data

#### 1. Explore Data

OpenRefine can help you explore large data sets with ease. You can find about this functionality by watching the video below.

The screenshot shows the OpenRefine interface with a data table titled "government IT contracts" containing 5200 rows. A video player overlay is centered on the table, with the title "Google Refine 2.0 - Introducti...". Below the video player, there is a "Guarda su YouTube" button.

#### 2. Clean and Transform Data

The screenshot shows the "Custom text transform on column access" dialog in OpenRefine. The "Expression" field contains the text "value". The "Language" dropdown is set to "Google Refine Expression Language (GREL)". Below the dialog, there are "Preview", "History", and "Help" buttons.

# F = Findable Europeana data model



The **Europeana Data Model** for Cultural Heritage

#AllezCulture

### What is the issue?

A vast number of Europe's cultural heritage objects are digitised by a wide range of data providers from the library, museum, archive and audio-visual sectors, and they all use different metadata standards. This data needs to appear in a meaningful way in a cross-cultural, multilingual context such as Europeana. Numerous cultural heritage resources such as thesauri exist worldwide and have the potential to add valuable content at low cost when re-used. Duplication of effort, however, needs to be avoided. The Linked Open Data environment lacks authoritative data from the cultural heritage community to contribute to the development of new knowledge.

### What is the solution?

**The Europeana Data Model (EDM) aims to bridge these gaps in the Europeana context.** EDM is a major improvement on ESE, Europeana's first data model. EDM transcends domain-specific metadata standards, yet accommodates the range and richness of community standards such as LIDO for museums, EAD for archives or METS for digital libraries. It facilitates Europeana's participation in the Semantic Web, basing itself on an open, cross-domain semantic web-based framework. EDM is a more developed data model that brings more meaningful links to Europe's cultural heritage data. Data from partners or external information resources with references to persons, places, subjects etc., will connect to other initiatives and institutions: This will result in sharing enriched content, adding and thereby generating more content in ways that single provider could achieve alone.

Parthenos training



Europeana Data Model – Mapping Guidelines v2.4

06/10/2017

## 2 Overview of the properties in each class

- ✓ = Mandatory property
- Blue = at least one of the blue properties should be present (and can be used alongside each other)
- Red = at least one of the red properties should be present (and can be used alongside each other)
- ◆ Green = at least one of the green properties should be present (and can be used alongside each other)
- + = recommended property

Detailed characteristics of all properties are given in the full tables following this summary.

### Core Classes

Properties for edm:ProvidedCHO	
+ dc:contributor	dcterms:isReplacedBy
dc:coverage	dcterms:isRequiredBy
+ dc:creator	+ dcterms:issued
+ dc:date	dcterms:isVersionOf
→ dc:description	dcterms:medium
dc:format	dcterms:provenance
+ dc:identifier	dcterms:references
✓ dc:language (if edm:type = TEXT)	dcterms:replaces
+ dc:publisher	dcterms:requires
dc:relation	○ dcterms:spatial



# F = findable. Metadata tools

## What CEDAR does

<https://metadatacenter.org/>

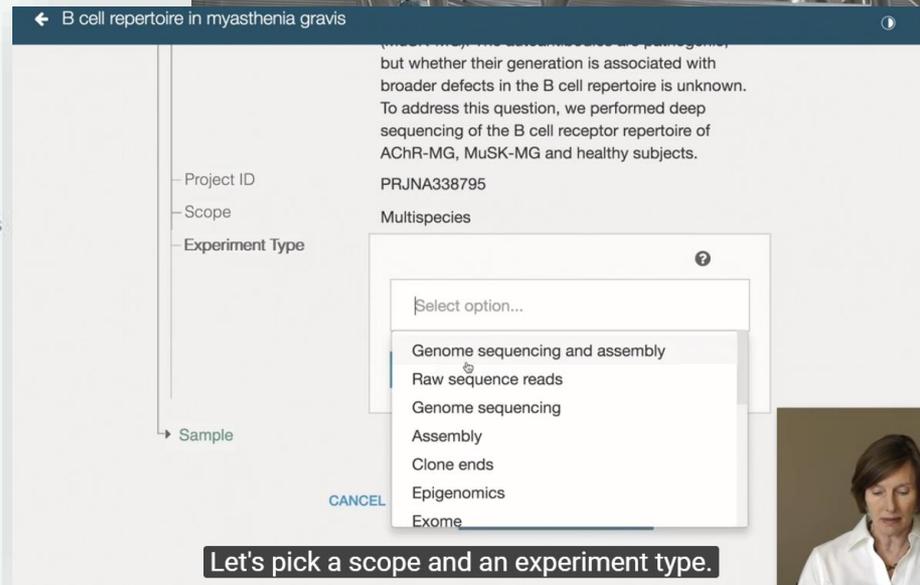
The CEDAR Workbench, as we refer to the suite of CEDAR tools, makes it easy to collect and use metadata. Eventually our tools will create a metadata record from the time a metadata record is created to its eventual processing, and even enhancement, by users and analysts. But for now, CEDAR tools help users collect metadata, and download the information that users have provided.

## What can CEDAR do for me already?

As of its production release, in February 2017, CEDAR addresses these scenarios:

- create user-friendly, shareable forms for collecting metadata, with features like
  - nested and repeatable elements and fields
  - reusable elements
  - control over tool tips, field titles, and field descriptions
- share your forms and metadata
  - provide a link to your metadata editors, so they can enter metadata responses based on your forms
  - share your forms and other content with individuals or a group
  - create and manage groups to make permissions simpler
- associate your questions (fields) and possible answers (values) with controlled terms
  - select any term or collection of terms from the NCBO BioPortal semantic repository
  - combine different terms from different controlled vocabularies into a single set of options
  - create your own terms, or term lists ('value sets') that can be re-used
- view responses meeting your (simple) search criteria, in several forms
  - CEDAR Metadata Editor's metadata view
  - an in-line JSON-LD format, used by CEDAR for all its metadata instances
  - download of JSON-LD files via the [CEDAR REST API](#), for offline integration with your workflow
- use the Workbench Desktop interface to manage your content
  - use My Workspace to see your items, or Shared with Me to see other items you can access
  - select an item and control-click or use the 3-dot menu in the upper right to share it, copy it, delete it, or get info on it
- enable intelligent metadata suggestions in your template by using a field's Suggestions tab
  - CEDAR keeps track of metadata entered for that field
  - users will see a drop down list of the most popular metadata entries, and can select from them
- remotely access CEDAR content and capabilities using the [CEDAR REST API](#)

With these capabilities, you can capture simple or rich metadata for your project, build a repository of project metadata, or design particular needs. Advanced users can even submit metadata entries through CEDAR's REST API.



Let's pick a scope and an experiment type.

# Findable — Metadata creation

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Assessing FAIR

Infrastructure for FAIR

Improving Findability

Improving Accessibility

Improving Interoperability

How to interlink data from different sources?

Identifier mapping with BridgeDB

Which vocabulary to use?

Requesting terms addition to terminology artefacts

## Creating a Metadata Profile

<p><b>Recipe metadata</b></p> <p>identifier: RX.X version: v1.0</p>	<p><b>Difficulty level</b></p> <p>🔥🔥🔥</p>	<p><b>Reading Time</b></p> <p>🕒 20 minutes</p> <p><b>Recipe Type</b></p> <p>🖥️ Hands-on</p> <p><b>Executable Code</b></p> <p>▶️ Yes</p>	<p><b>Intended Audience</b></p> <p>👤 Principal Investigator</p> <p>📁 Data Manager</p> <p>🔧 Data Scientist</p>
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## How to generate a metadata template

The following steps are intended as a starting point to guide the generation of a metadata template.

### Step 1: Define competency questions

- What are the questions you would like to address with the template? Without a set of a competency questions, important variables may easily be forgotten. It is equally possible to collect too much metadata, making the resulting metadata model opaque and difficult to navigate. Competency questions serve as a guide to identify the most relevant experimental factors.

### Step 2: Define a Minimal Set Of Metadata (MSOM) according to these questions

- Compile metadata from different sources
- Generate consolidated view on metadata by merging attributes as far as possible
- Differentiate metadata available for most of the studies from metadata occurring rarely (sparse matrix)
- Identify gaps in the metadata available for most of the studies comprising data that is considered important but has not been captured in the past
- Define a MSOM to be captured in the future from the metadata that is available for most of the studies and the metadata considered to be important
- Identify available community standards regarding minimal sets of metadata
- Add metadata attributes from those community standards to the MSOM, if they are not yet included
- Assign cardinality to the MSOM (identify mandatory metadata and how many times the attributes may be reported. Some metadata might not be mandatory but are still important to capture, if available)
- Identify appropriate ontologies representing your data and establish an application ontology (see recipe 4 of UC3)
- Assign, as far as possible, ontologies to the MSOM and the sparse matrix

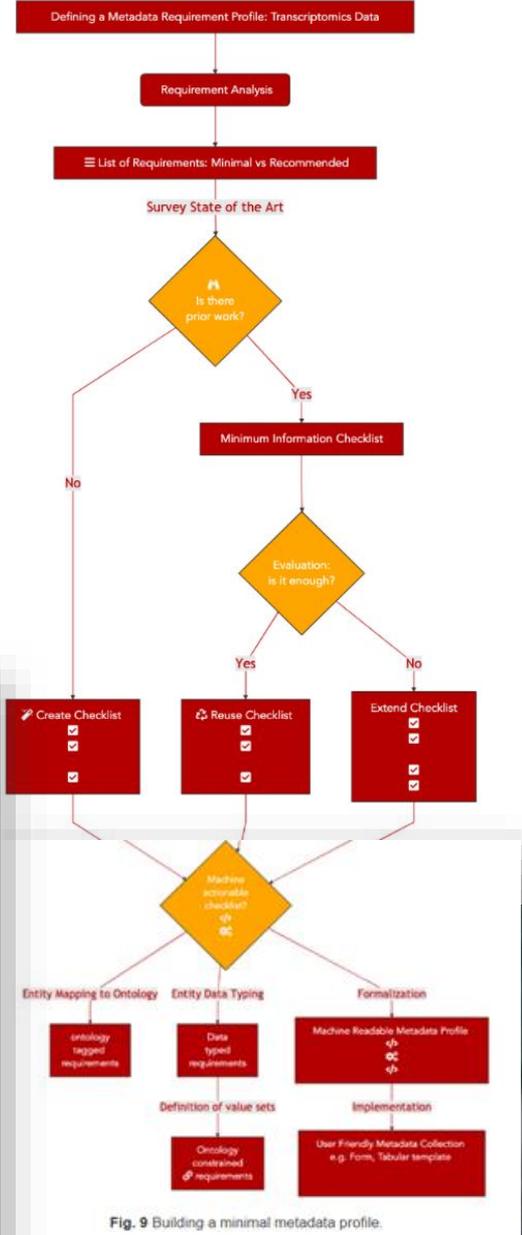
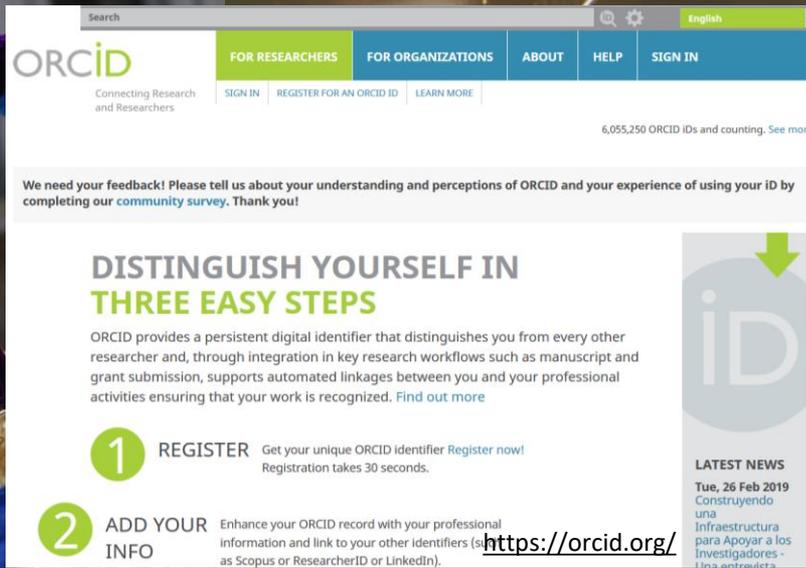
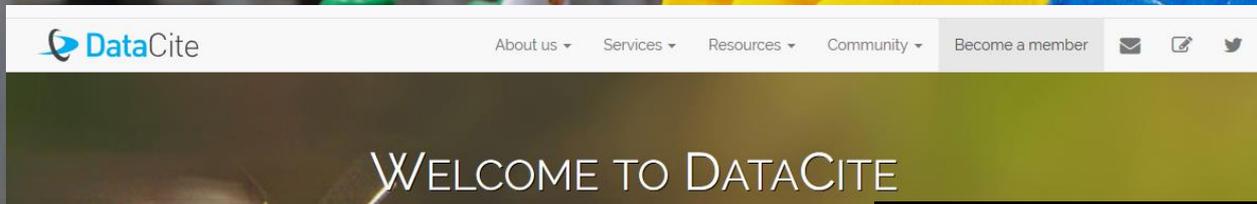


Fig. 9 Building a minimal metadata profile.

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ACCESSIBLE



# A = Accessible

ACCESSIBLE ≠ OPEN  
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- **Open access**

Data that can be accessed by any user whether they are registered or not.  
Data in this category should not contain personal information unless consent is given (see '[Informed consent](#)').

- **Access for registered users (safeguarded)**

Data that is accessible only to users who have registered with the archive.  
This data contains no direct identifiers but there may be a risk of disclosure through the linking of indirect identifiers.

- **Restricted access**

Access is limited and can only be granted upon request. This access category is for the most sensitive data that may contain disclosive information.

Restricted access requires the long-term commitment of the researcher or person responsible for the data to handle the upcoming permission requests.

- **Embargo**

Besides offering the opportunity for restricted access 'for eternity' most data repositories allow you to place a temporary embargo on your data. During the embargo period, only the description of the dataset is published. The data themselves will become available in open access after a certain period of time.

# A = Accessible — Data repositories



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# A = Accessible. Data lab [in progress]



## Save your data during research

### Data lab

Many research projects involve collaboration with several researchers, and a large amount of research data is generated. To manage such quantities of data and to allow the researchers to share them with each other, 4TU.Centre for Research Data offers the possibility of establishing a 'data lab'.

A data lab is a secure online environment (with or without screening) for storing, processing and sharing dynamic research data, software, visualisations and other items with fellow researchers.

### DataverseNL



Members of the three technical universities (Eindhoven, Twente and Delft) can draw upon DataverseNL through 4TU.ResearchData. The objective of this open source application is to make research data accessible to others. You can store data in the DataverseNL environment and grant multiple individuals controlled access to them.

Once you have requested the project environment or dataverse from 4TU.ResearchData, you are free to arrange this environment as you wish.

### Why DataverseNL?

- Organization of data files in dataverses and datasets
- Addition of metadata and documentation
- Version management
- Management of access rights
- Easy collaboration with fellow researchers or project partners, even beyond your own university or research institute
- Centralized professional storage and backup
- To fulfil funding agency requirements for data management and sharing during your research.

See our quick guide for getting started or contact us when you need additional support.

### Costs

Members of the three technical universities (Eindhoven, Twente and Delft) can store up to 100 GB of data free of charge. Storage of more than 100 GB of data costs € 150 per additional 50 GB per year.

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### Design Your Study

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### Collect and Analyze Data

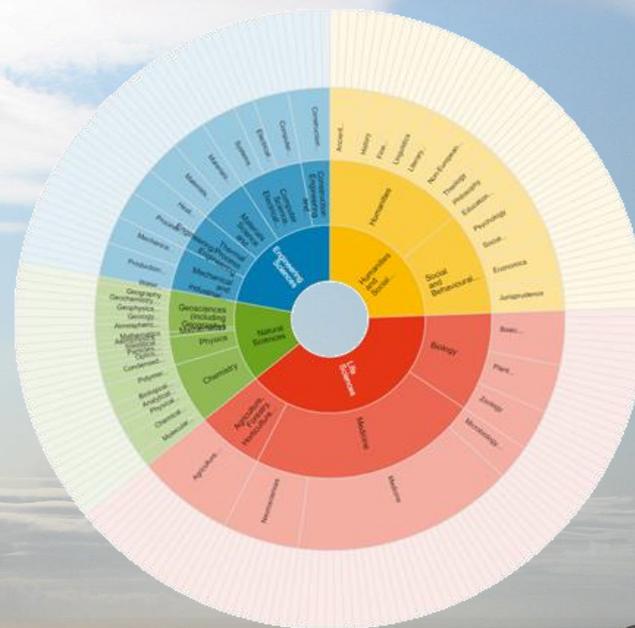
Store data, code, and other materials in OSF Storage, or connect your Dropbox or other third-party account. Every file gets a unique, persistent URL for citing and sharing.

### Publish Your Reports

Share papers in OSF Preprints or a community-based preprint provider, so others can find and cite your work. Track impact with metrics like downloads and view counts.

Open Science Framework

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### 2,000 Data Repositories and Science Europe's Framework for Discipline-specific Research Data Management

By offering detailed information on more than 2,000 research data repositories, re3data has become the most comprehensive source of reference for research data infrastructures globally. Through the development and advocacy of a framework for discipline...

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### Three new DOI Fabrica features to simplify account management

Last month we launched DOI Fabrica, the modernized version of the DataCite Metadata Store (MDS) web frontend. It is the one place for DataCite providers and their clients to create, find, connect and track every single DOI from their organization...

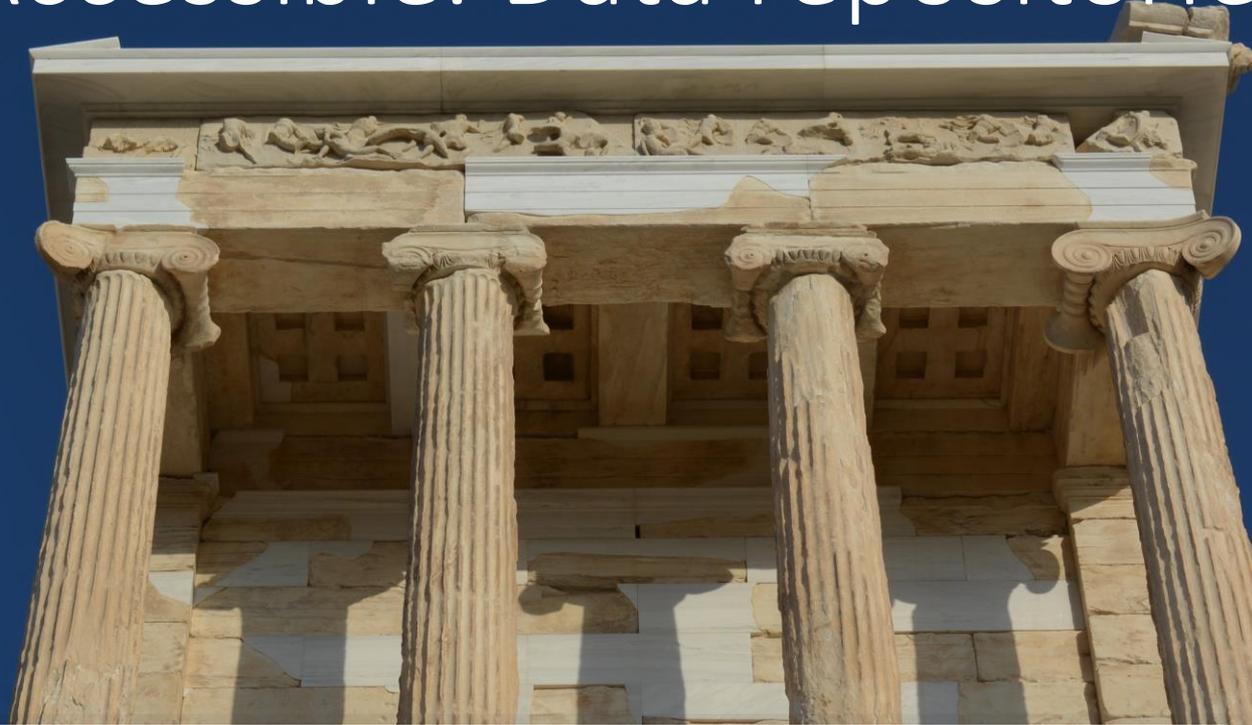
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### One step closer towards instant DOI search results

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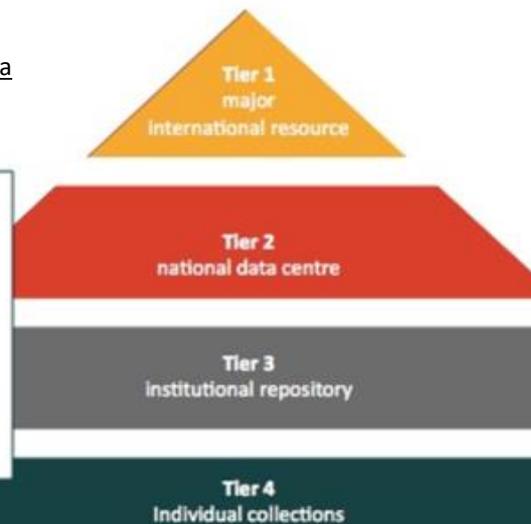


## DCC Where to keep research data

Value of data increases up the tiers: from individual to community to social value.

Each higher tier brings greater responsibility and demands for access.

As infrastructure increases so must the attention given to standards, sustainability and provenance.



«PRIORITÀ»

1. DISCIPLINARY
2. ZENODO
3. INSTITUTIONAL  
(A MENO CHE SIA DATAVERSE,  
CHE VIENE USATO DURANTE IL  
PROGETTO)

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## Checklist: is it the right repository for your data?

The checklist that follows addresses the five key questions posed in this guide:

1. Is the repository reputable?
2. Will it take the data you want to deposit?
3. Will it be safe in legal terms?
4. Will the repository sustain the data value?
5. Will it support analysis and track data usage?

[DCC checklist](#)

## CHECKLIST PER LA SCELTA

### Legal terms and conditions

**Personal data** or data which may identify individuals when linked to other data should not be stored outside the European Economic Area, unless in a legal jurisdiction that ensures personal data is adequately protected

By agreeing to the terms and conditions the depositor will not be breaching other **Data Protection** principles, or the terms of any confidentiality agreement with data subjects or owners (e.g. consent form, consortium agreement)

By agreeing to the terms and conditions the depositor will not be in breach of **copyright**, or any contract terms covering **Intellectual Property** in the research, (e.g. the grant conditions or a consortium agreement)

Anything deposited that is not publicly accessible can be retrieved by the institution in response to a valid **Freedom of Information** request

### Findable, accessible and interoperable

Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
<p><b>Metadata publishing:</b> Data collections are catalogued in a repository according to funder expectations so that they are discoverable by title, creator, and date of deposition <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Repository publishes other pertinent information as metadata fields to enhance cross-disciplinary discovery <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Metadata is catalogued to enhance reuse according to sector-leading standards, or to fulfil domain-specific purposes <input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p><b>Stable identifiers:</b> Enables a DOI or other open standard identifier to be assigned to a landing page for each ingested dataset/ collection <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Supports assignment of related persistent IDs per dataset/ collection <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Supports assignment of multiple persistent IDs at different levels of granularity within dataset/ collection <input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p><b>Discovery metadata:</b> Provides Datacite mandatory metadata and exposes it according to open access repository protocols <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Provides metadata elements to enable broader discovery (e.g. geo-spatial) to reflect best practice changes and local needs <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Exposes discovery metadata as Linked Open Data to optimise automatic discovery <input type="checkbox"/></p>
<p><b>Metadata harvesting:</b> Sufficient information can be harvested about data deposited with third-party repositories, to meet funders' needs for metadata on</p>	<p>Metadata can be routinely harvested with links to data producer IDs (e.g. ORCID), any grant information and related outputs, enabling it to meet the</p>	<p>Metadata on the externally held research data is sufficiently structured and organized</p>

# Criteria for the selection of a trustworthy repository



## TRUSTWORTHY REPOSITORIES

Trustworthy repositories should meet the following minimum criteria:

- 1. Provision of Persistent and Unique Identifiers (PIDs)**
  - a. Allow data discovery and identification
  - b. Enable searching, citing, and retrieval of data
  - c. Provide support for data versioning
- 2. Metadata**
  - a. Enable finding of data
  - b. Enable referencing to related relevant information, such as other data and publications
  - c. Provide information that is publicly available and maintained, even for non-published, protected, retracted, or deleted data
  - d. Use metadata standards that are broadly accepted (by the scientific community)
  - e. Ensure that metadata are machine-retrievable
- 3. Data access and usage licences**
  - a. Enable access to data under well-specified conditions
  - b. Ensure data authenticity and integrity
  - c. Enable retrieval of data
  - d. Provide information about licensing and permissions (in ideally machine-readable form)
  - e. Ensure confidentiality and respect rights of data subjects and creators
- 4. Preservation**
  - a. Ensure persistence of metadata and data
  - b. Be transparent about mission, scope, preservation policies, and plans (including governance, financial sustainability, retention period, and continuity plan)

# A = Accessible, Data journals

## Data journals

Title	URL	Charge	Notes for authors (N.B. we suggest checking in particular for policy on submission of data already published)
Journal of Open Archaeology Data	<a href="http://openarchaeologydata.metajni.com/">http://openarchaeologydata.metajni.com/</a>		<a href="http://openarchaeologydata.metajni.com/about/submissions">http://openarchaeologydata.metajni.com/about/submissions</a>
Open Health Data	<a href="http://openhealthdata.metajni.com/">http://openhealthdata.metajni.com/</a>		
Journal of Open Psychology Data	<a href="http://openpsychologydata.metajni.com/">http://openpsychologydata.metajni.com/</a>		
Scientific Data	<a href="http://www.nature.com/scientificdata/">http://www.nature.com/scientificdata/</a>		
Genomics Data	<a href="http://www.journals.elsevier.com/genomics-data/">http://www.journals.elsevier.com/genomics-data/</a>		
Geoscience Data Journal	<a href="http://www.geosciencedata.com/">http://www.geosciencedata.com/</a>		

### Dataset Description

#### Object Name

- *walkers* – three files providing the data, metadata and field type definitions (.csv, .txt, .csvt respectively) for records made by individual walkers during stage-one fieldwalking.
- *counts* – three files providing the data, metadata and field type definitions (.csv, .txt, .csvt respectively) for potsherds counted during stage-one fieldwalking.
- *pottery* – three files providing the data, metadata and field type definitions (.csv, .txt, .csvt respectively) for the main pottery database, assembled various artefact specialists.
- *petrography* – three files providing the data, metadata and field type definitions (.csv, .txt, .csvt respectively) for those sherds sampled for thin section petrography.
- *lithics* – three files providing the data, metadata and field type definitions (.csv, .txt, .csvt respectively) for the main lithics database.

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Alternative Open Access Publishing Models: Exploring New Territories in Communication  
Brussels, 12 October 2015  
10.5284/1000271

Repository  
UK Archaeology Data Service  
10.5284/1000271

Publication Date  
05/02/2012

#### Language

English (a Greek language summary of the project methods and results can be found at [www.ucl.ac.uk/asp/](http://www.ucl.ac.uk/asp/) or [www.tuarc.trentu.ca/asp/](http://www.tuarc.trentu.ca/asp/)).

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#### Reuse Potential

Due to their unusual coverage of an entire landscape, these datasets would provide a good basis for developing a tutorial on survey, GIS and/or spatial analysis in archaeology. They also lend themselves to the comparative analysis of evidence from other intensive Mediterranean surveys that are in the public domain (e.g. <http://dx.doi.org/10.5284/1000271>, <http://dx.doi.org/10.5284/1000208>, <http://dx.doi.org/10.5284/1000103> and, to a lesser extent, also <http://dx.doi.org/10.5284/1000351>), albeit with due attention to the fact that the intensive methods used are not identical. The ASP data is particularly reusable because artefact locations, dates and identifications are recorded individually in the database rather than in aggregate. The standing structures and terraces from Antikythera are also the kinds

## 6.2. Data journals in humanities Data journals SSH

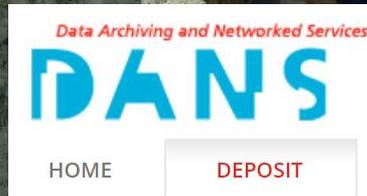
In addition, or in parallel, to making your data available in a repository, you can maximize the credit that you gain for them by publishing them in a data journal. Data journals, usually built on the top of data repository services, are designed to introduce, describe and contextualize data sets to facilitate their online exploration. One of the important benefits of publishing your data in terms of research data management is that it undergoes a peer-review process, which means that experts validate its quality, provide templates for its proper description and offer guidance on where to deposit it.

- Data journals in the humanities:
  - Research Data Journal for the Humanities and Social Sciences
  - Journal of Open Humanities Data Dataverse
  - Journal of Cultural Analytics
  - Journal of Open Archaeology Data
  - Journal of the Text Encoding Initiative
  - (Video) Journal of Embodied Research

les providing the data, metadata and field s (.csv, .txt, .csvt respectively) for the main non-ceramic and non-lithic finds. files providing the data, metadata and field s (.csv, .txt, .csvt respectively) for the main standing remains, except for terraces. or polygon dataset (.shp and associated shape of Antikythera's coastline. tor polygon dataset (.shp and associated main bedrock units on Antikythera. or polygon dataset (.shp and associated main stage-one survey units. or polygon dataset (.shp and associated main stage-two survey units. or line dataset (.shp and associated files) able agricultural terraces (i.e. the location



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Type	Preferred format(s)	Non-preferred format(s)
Text documents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• PDF/A (.pdf)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• ODT (.odt)</li><li>• MS Word (.doc, .docx)</li><li>• RTF (.rtf)</li><li>• PDF (.pdf)</li></ul>
Plain text	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Unicode text (.txt)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Non-Unicode text (.txt)</li></ul>
Markup language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• XML (.xml)</li><li>• HTML (.html)</li><li>• Related files: .css, .xslt, .js, .es</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• SGML (.sgml)</li></ul>
Spreadsheets	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• ODS (.ods)</li><li>• CSV (.csv)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• MS Excel (.xls, .xlsx)</li><li>• PDF/A (.pdf)</li><li>• OOXML (.docx, .docm)</li></ul>
Databases	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• SQL (.sql)</li><li>• SIARD (.siard)</li><li>• DB tables (.csv)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• MS Access (.mdb, .accdb) (v. 2000 or later)</li><li>• dBase (.dbf)</li><li>• HDF5 (.hdf5, .he5, .h5)</li></ul>
Statistical data	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• SPSS Portable (.por)</li><li>• SPSS (.sav)</li><li>• STATA (.dta)</li><li>• DDI (.xml)</li><li>• data (.csv) + setup (.txt)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• SAS (.7dat; .sd2; .tpt)</li><li>• R (* under examination)</li></ul>
Raster images	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• JPEG (.jpg, .jpeg)</li><li>• TIFF (.tif, .tiff)</li><li>• PNG (.png)</li><li>• JPEG 2000 (.jp2)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• DICOM (.dcm) (by mutual agreement)</li></ul>

# A – Accessible – Formats



National Archives

NATIONAL ARCHIVES

## Appendix A: Tables of File Formats

### Quick Links

Computer Aided Design

Digital Audio

Digital Moving Images

Digital Cinema

Digital Video

Digital Photographs

Scanned Text

Geospatial Formats

Presentation

Structured Data Formats

Email

Calendars

Navigational

### Symbol Key

Preferred Formats ● ● ●

Acceptable Formats ● ●

### Geospatial Formats

Geospatial records include digital cartographic data files and aerial photography that are created and processed in Geographic Information Systems (GIS) or other software applications for spatial analysis.

#### ● ● ● Preferred Formats

Preferred Formats	Format Versions	Format Specifications
Geospatial Tagged Image File Format	1.8.2	Geo TIFF Format Specification: ( <a href="http://geotiff.maptools.org/spec/geotiffhome.html">http://geotiff.maptools.org/spec/geotiffhome.html</a> )
Geographic Markup Language	2.0 through 3.2	ISO 19136:2007 & Version 3.2, OGC document 07-036: ( <a href="http://www.opengeospatial.org/standards/fgs">http://www.opengeospatial.org/standards/fgs</a> )
Topologically Integrated Geographic Encoding and Referencing Files	2006 Second Edition	2006 Second Edition TIGER/Line®: ( <a href="https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/geography/technical-documentation/complete-technical-documentation.html">https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/geography/technical-documentation/complete-technical-documentation.html</a> )
Keyhole Markup Language	2.2	Open Geospatial Consortium Inc. OGC 07-147r2: ( <a href="http://www.opengeospatial.org/standards/kml">http://www.opengeospatial.org/standards/kml</a> )

#### ● ● Acceptable Formats

Acceptable Formats	Format Versions	Format Specifications
Vector Product Format		MIL-STD-2407: ( <a href="http://earth-info.nga.mil/publications/specs/printed/2407/2407_VPF.pdf">http://earth-info.nga.mil/publications/specs/printed/2407/2407_VPF.pdf</a> )
ESRI ARC/INFO Interchange File Format		Reverse engineered specification: ( <a href="http://avce00.maptools.org/docs/v7_e00_cover.html">http://avce00.maptools.org/docs/v7_e00_cover.html</a> )
TerraGo Geospatial PDF	GeoPDF Encoding Best Practice Version 2.2	Open Geospatial Consortium Inc. OGC 08-139r2: ( <a href="http://www.opengeospatial.org/standards/is">http://www.opengeospatial.org/standards/is</a> )
ESRI Shapefile (Compound)	1997 - current version	ESRI Shapefile Technical Description: ( <a href="http://www.esri.com/library/whitepapers/pdfs/shapefile.pdf">http://www.esri.com/library/whitepapers/pdfs/shapefile.pdf</a> )

#### ● Acceptable for Imminent Transfer Formats

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**FAIRcookbook**

Search: FAIR Cookbook

- FAIR Cookbook
- Introduction
- Assessing FAIR
- Infrastructure for FAIR
- Improving Findability
- Improving Accessibility
- Improving Interoperability
- How to interlink data from different sources?
- Identifier mapping with BridgeDB
- Which vocabulary to use?
- Requesting terms addition to terminology artefacts
- Tools for ontology-associated operations
- Building an application ontology with Robot
- Creating a Metadata Profile
- From proprietary to open standard data format
- File format validation - an example

## From proprietary to open standard data format

<b>Recipe metadata</b> identifier: <b>RX.X</b> version: <b>v1.0</b>	<b>Difficulty level</b> 🔥🔥🔥🔥	<b>Reading Time</b> 🕒 20 minutes	<b>Intended Audience</b> 👤 Principal Investigator 📁 Data Manager 🔧 Data Scientist
		<b>Recipe Type</b> 🖥️ Hands-on	
		<b>Executable Code</b> ▶️ Yes	

## Table of Data Standards

Data Formats Terminologies Models

mzML PSI-MS

## Ingredients

Tools and Software:

- github
- docker
- python

## Converting Mass Spectrometry data to mzML format: a Step by Step Process.

### Step 1: obtain the dataset

In the case of the **IMI RESOLUTE** project, the data is released via the **University of Luxembourg** server (assuming you have access resolved):

```
$> sftp fairplus@NNN.000.000.NNN
>get RESOLUTE_Targeted_Metabolomics_of_parental_cell_lines.tar.gz
>exit
```

## Main Objectives

- Document how to convert raw data from a proprietary, vendor specific format to an open standard format.
- Apply the approach to an IMI dataset, more specifically a targeted metabolic profiling using Biocrates kit produced by IMI Resolute project.

INTEROPERABLE



# I = Interoperable. Standards



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## WHAT ARE STANDARDS?

Even perfect metadata may not allow data to become interoperable if a different standard is used. A "standard" refers to a system that structures what types of information are captured in a collection. In our .mp3 library system, a standard is expressed in the header categories such as 'name,' 'time,' 'artist,' and 'album' are listed, with every entry having this filled in. Standards are used to ensure that metadata is as useful as possible for organising a collection, ensuring that common questions (how many songs are there on the album "Big B") can be easily and accurately answered.

## How Many Standards Are There and Who Decides Which One To Use?

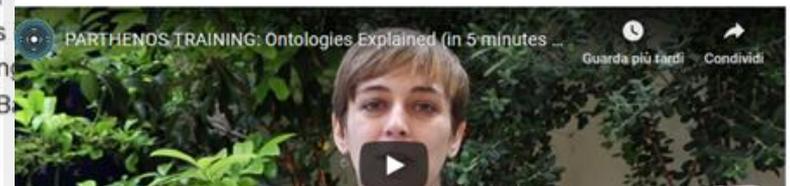
Different standards have arisen in different kinds of cultural heritage institution: the most common standards in museums are different from those in archives, and those common in libraries are different again.



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## WHAT ARE KNOWLEDGE REPRESENTATION SYSTEMS AND 'ONTOLOGIES'?

In addition to metadata and standardised metadata schemas, research infrastructures can also use other forms of "knowledge representation system" to enhance the researcher's experience of the interoperable data they present. When we talk about 'Knowledge Representation Systems' in research infrastructures, we usually mean a specific category of hierarchical systems of terms known more commonly as an 'ontology'. Before the digital age, philosophers referred to an ontology as "the study of the kinds of things that exist". Ontologies are similar to taxonomies, another knowledge organisation framework you probably remember from early lessons in biology.



PARTHENOS TRAINING: Ontologies Explained (in 5 minutes ...)

Guarda più tardi Condividi

What is Metadata?

### What are Standards?

What Are Knowledge Representation Systems and 'Ontologies'?

Sustainability

Methods and Tools

Networks

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## Standardization Survival Kit

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A collection of research use case scenarios illustrating best practices in Digital Humanities and Heritage research

 Browse scenarios

 Add a new scenario

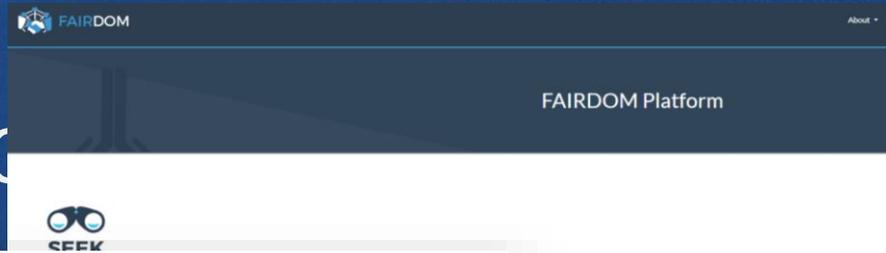
 About the SSK

Increase efficiency, interoperability and sustainability by using standards

Incorporating standards in all the steps of your research process will make it last longer, easier to update, improve and share. Standards are non legally binding documents produced by an organisation ensuring :

<http://ssk.huma-num.fr/#/>

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## RightField

Rightfield is an open-source tool for adding ontology term selection to Excel spreadsheets. Rightfield is used by a 'Template Creator' to create semantically aware Excel spreadsheet templates. The Excel templates are then reused by Scientists to collect and annotate their data; without any need to understand, or even be aware of, Rightfield or the ontologies used. Rightfield embedded templates are used within the [Samples](#) framework of the [SEEK](#).

[MORE INFORMATION](#)

[Rightfield](#)

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ata sharing within groups and consortia. In addition,

<https://fair-dom.org/platform/>

Metadata	Values (examples)	Notes
Asset Title		The name of the data file
Uploader		The person submitting the asset to SEEK
Uploader SEEK ID		If you add your own SEEK ID, this will help us link this asset with your profile
Project	Project	The project that the asset belongs to
<b>ASSAY</b>		
Assay SEEK ID		If referring to an existing Assay, you can link to it via the Assay SEEK ID.
Assay Title		The title of an existing assay
Assay_type	ExperimentalAssayType	The assay_type describes the type of experiment you are performing
Technology_type	amplification by-product_formation catabolic_response cell_growth_optimisation cell_size Comparative_genomic_hybridization comparative_genomics continuousEnzymatic	Describes the type of instruments and/or equipment used for the experiment
Description		A brief, human readable description.
Experimentalist		The names of the people who carried out the experiments. These can either be SEEK members or external scientists
Date		The start date for the experiment if different from the upload date
SOP		Links to SOPs and protocols used to carry out the experiment. If they are already in SEEK, you can refer to them by their SEEK ID
Publication (optional)		If this data appears in a publication, you can link it directly, or via the assay or study. If it is already registered in SEEK, you can use the PubMed ID or DOI as a reference.
<b>Experimental_conditions</b>		
Item	ExperimentalConditions	The name of the experimental condition you are fixing in your experiment (e.g. temperature, concentration, pH etc). If there is more than 1, please list them in columns across the spreadsheet
Compound (if concentration)		The compound name is only required if the item is concentration.
Unit		The SI units of the experimental conditions measurements.
Start_value (optional)		This field is used for recording changes throughout the experiment to measure different conditions (e.g. pH or dilutions)
End_value (optional)		This field is used for recording changes throughout the experiment to measure different conditions (e.g. pH or dilutions)
Comments		Additional information that would be useful for people reading this data file



## What formal ontologies exist that are relevant to digital humanities?

The potential topics of interest in digital humanities are vast and potentially unlimited, so it is not really possible to state what formal ontologies may be of use in any given research project. The appropriateness of an ontology for application in a particular research programme depends on the data and information you want to include in it, and the research question brought to it. Your research question, and the kind of data you want to model should be compared against the scope of potential ontologies in order to see whether the proposed standard is suitable.

It is of interest, however, to point out the distinction between top-level ontologies and domain or application ontologies. **Top-level ontologies** allow integration of data on an extremely high level, sometimes including logical rules within the structure that allow for automated reasoning over datasets. Some of the more well known top-level ontologies include:

- Basic Formal Ontology: originally used in modelling of medical data, presents a complete methodology for data modelling
- DOLCE: was constituted to aid in modelling common sense notions arising from natural language
- CIDOC CRM: originally designed in the museological community, it has been broadened to account for cultural heritage and e-sciences data

On the other hand, other ontologies are designed to address very specific modelling issues, ignoring the general aim of interoperability in favour of a more restricted interoperability at a problem level. Examples of such focussed ontologies include:

- FOAF: an ontology for tracking social relations
- SPAR: for organizing citation data, article structure and context
- NeMO: for tracking scholarly process

Unfortunately, there is no single collection of ontology resources that would allow the perusal of all potentially applicable ontologies. Sites such as [schema.org](#) and [bartoc.org](#) however do provide tools to find potential specific schema and ontology representations that may suit your needs.

# I = Inteoperable. Ontologies



Opscidia's ontology generator

Opscidia

Written on 03 March 2021.



GENERATORE DI  
ONTOLOGIE

The solution proposed by Opscidia is an ontology generator that consists in three layers:

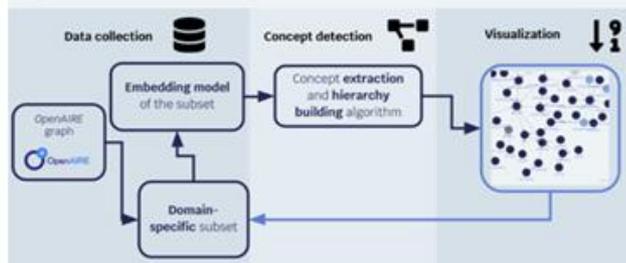
- **Data collection layer:** here it consists mostly in harvesting the resources (API or Dumps of specific OpenAIRE communities)
- **Concept detection layer:** A simple, unsupervised algorithm extracts and hierarchizes concepts related to seed concept entered by the user. It can easily scale-up both with the amount of data and with the amount users / requests.
- **Visualization layer:** A visualization tool represents graphically the produced ontology and links it back to documents of the corpus from which the ontology was created.

## The results of the Ontology Generator

A simple tool for semi-automatic domain specific ontology creation has been built.

It takes a concept as an input and extracts from a subset of OpenAIRE graph a hierarchical list of concepts associated with the user input. This list is displayed using a simple visualization layer and linked back to the scientific literature through OpenAIRE graph.

## Architecture of phase 2 prototype



Opscidia's ontology generator

respiratory disease

category: Cancer

level: 2

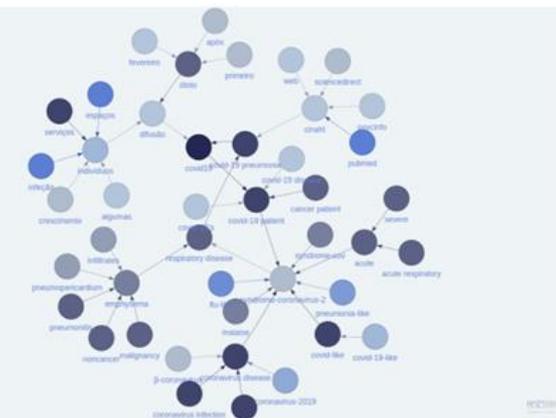
memberOf: covid-19 pneumonia

openClassified: syndrome coronavirus-2, influenza

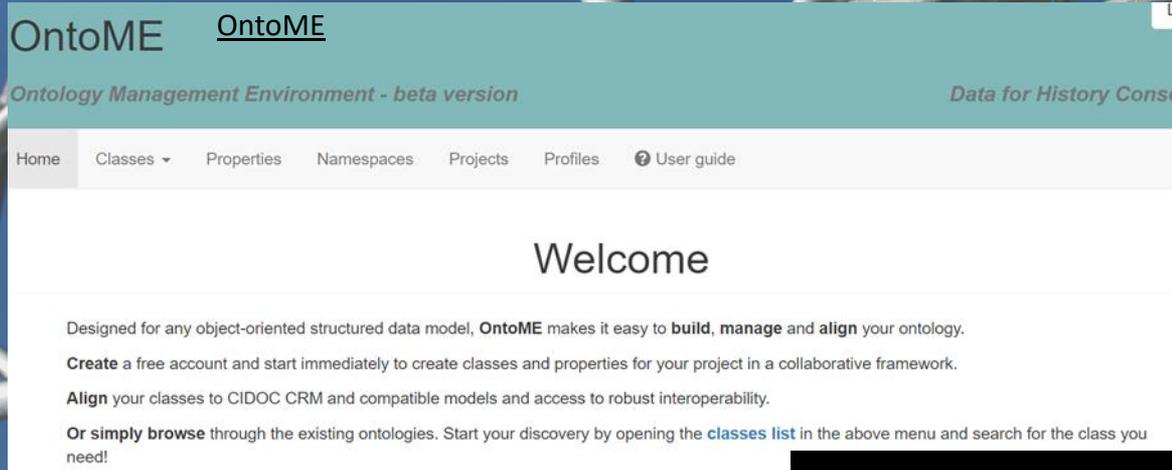
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# I = Inteoperable. Ontologies



The screenshot shows the OntoME website. At the top left, it says "OntoME" and "OntoME" with a link. Below that, it says "Ontology Management Environment - beta version" and "Data for History Conso". There is a navigation menu with "Home", "Classes", "Properties", "Namespaces", "Projects", "Profiles", and "User guide". The main content area has a "Welcome" heading and three bullet points: "Designed for any object-oriented structured data model, OntoME makes it easy to build, manage and align your ontology.", "Create a free account and start immediately to create classes and properties for your project in a collaborative framework.", and "Align your classes to CIDOC CRM and compatible models and access to robust interoperability." It also says "Or simply browse through the existing ontologies. Start your discovery by opening the classes list in the above menu and search for the class you need!"

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The screenshot shows an article page from IOS Press. The header includes "IOS Press", "IOS Press Content Library", and "2021". The navigation menu has "Home" and "Journals". The article title is "A challenge for historical research: Making data FAIR using a collaborative ontology management environment (OntoME)". The author is "Francesco Beretta" and the affiliation is "Laboratoire de recherche historique Rhône-Alpes, CNRS – Université de Lyon, 14 avenue Berthelot, 69363 Lyon cedex 07, France".

**Abstract**

This paper addresses the issue of interoperability of data generated by historical research and heritage institutions in order to make them re-usable for new research agendas according to the FAIR principles. After introducing the *symogih.org* project's ontology, it proposes a description of the essential aspects of the process of historical knowledge production. It then develops an epistemological and semantic analysis of conceptual data modelling applied to factual historical information, based on the foundational ontologies *Constructive Descriptions and Situations* and *DOLCE*, and discusses the reasons for adopting the CIDOC CRM as a core ontology for the field of historical research, but extending it with some relevant, missing high-level classes. Finally, it shows how collaborative data modelling carried out in the ontology management environment OntoME makes it possible to elaborate a communal fine-grained and adaptive ontology of the domain, provided an active research community engages in this process. With this in mind, the *Data for history* consortium was founded in 2017 and promotes the adoption of a shared conceptualization in the field of historical research.

# I = Inteoperable. Standards



» Prefer human and machine-readable systems: coding of data models and of the actual data that is both human and machine-readable in a unified way provides better sustainability and long-term accessibility than machine-readable only code (binary codes), that may use different formats for data model description and the actual data. For both, hierarchical data models and graph-based data, various serialisations (file formats) are available that fulfil this condition (XML, TEI/XML, Turtle, N3, RDF/XML), whereas SQL based technologies need bigger efforts.

» Normalise as much as possible: to avoid redundant information, the content of databases should be normalised as far as possible, using for example authority files like VIAF and identifiers like DOI, ARK, ISNI, GND and the like. To foster the exchange of data, standardised vocabularies and ontologies are needed as well, but an overall ontology for the humanities has not yet been established. The ontology CIDOC-CRM and especially some extensions are well on their way to become a reference model for cultural heritage information.

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USARE AUTHORITY  
FILES (es. VIAF)

- ✓ Avoid disambiguity
- ✓ Easy tagging
- ✓ Independent from spelling
- ➔ Linked data and unique identifiers: Use **authority files** (Normdaten)!
- ➔ BARTOC (Basel Register of Thesauri, Ontologies & Classifications): <https://bartoc.org/>
  - **GND** (German National Library)
  - **ORCID** (Open Researcher and Contributor ID)
  - **GeoNames**
  - **Wikidata**
  - **Getty Union List of Artist Names**
  - **VIAF** (Virtual International Authority File)

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  - Tools for ontology-associated operations
  - Building an application ontology

## How to interlink data from different sources?

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DOCUMENTAZIONE (README FILE) PER  
- EVITARE USO SCORRETTO/CATTIVE  
INTERPRETAZIONI DEI VOSTRI DATI  
- MANTENERE INTEGRITÀ



## Project-level documentation



Project-level documentation explains the aims of the study, what the research questions/hypotheses are, what methodologies were being used, what instruments and measures were being used, etc. In the accordion the questions which your project-level documentation should answer are stated in more

detail:

- ⊕ 1. For what purpose was data created
- ⊕ 2. What does the dataset contain
- ⊕ 3. How was data collected
- ⊕ 4. Who collected the data and when
- ⊕ 5. How was the data processed
- ⊕ 6. What possible manipulations were done to the data
- ⊕ 7. What were the quality assurance procedures
- ⊕ 8. How can data be accessed

## Data-level documentation

Data-level or object-level documentation provides information at the level of individual objects such as pictures or interview transcripts or variables in a database. You can embed data-level information in data files. For example, in interviews, it is best to write down the contextual and descriptive information about each interview at the beginning of each file. And for quantitative data variable and value names can be embedded within the data file itself.



### ⊖ Quantitative data

Variable-level annotation should be embedded within a data file itself. If you need to compile an extensive variable level documentation that can be created by using a structured metadata format.



### Data-level documentation for quantitative data

For quantitative data document the following:

- **Information about the data file**  
Data type, file type and format, size, data processing scripts.
- **Information about the variables in the file**  
The names, labels and descriptions of variables, their values, a description of derived variables, if available, for variables, their values, a description of derived

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## It can get pretty complex, though...

An **information unit** consists of - e.g. in the case of interviews:

- the **audio file** of the interview
- the **interview transcript** in the form of a digital text file
- the discussion guide or **questionnaire**, which explains the methodological approach and is necessary for the comprehensibility of the results of the study.
- the **project explanation** as well as the **declaration of consent** of the interviewee, which documents compliance with the legal provisions of the Federal and State Data Protection Act
- the **codebook**, which e.g. documents the development categories and variables used
- the **documentation** of the procedure for anonymization and pseudonymization
- the indexing information (**metadata**), which guarantees the citation ability of the interview and its findability

Wuttke 2018

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## Structured tabular data should have as documentation (where applicable):

- variable names, labels and descriptions (maximum 80 characters)
- units of measurement for variables
- reference to the question number of a survey or questionnaire

Example: variable 'q11hexw' with label 'Q11: hours spent taking physical exercise in a typical week' — the label gives the unit of measurement and a reference to the question number (Q11)

- value code labels

Example: variable 'p1sex' = 'sex of respondent' with codes '1=female', '2=male', '8=don't know', '9=not answered'

- coding and classification schemes explained, with a bibliographic and dated reference (some standards change over time)

Examples: Standard Occupational Classification, 2000 — a series of codes to classify respondents' jobs; ISO 3166 alpha-2 country codes — an international standard of 2-letter country codes

- codes for missing data, with reason data are missing (blanks, system-missing or '0' values are best avoided)

Example: '99=not recorded', '98=not provided (no answer)', '97=not applicable', '96=not known', '95=error'

- deviating universe information for variables in case of skipped cases or questions
- derived or constructed variables created after collection, giving code, algorithm or command files used to create them — simple derivations, such as grouping age data into age intervals, can be explained in the variable and value labels; complex derivations can be described by providing the algorithms, logical statements or functions used to create derived variables, such as the SPSS or Stata command files

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177	empstat	Numeric	2	0	Manager/Foreman	{-9, No ans...	-.99 - -1
178	everjob	Numeric	2	0	Ever had paid employment or self-employed	{-9, No ans...	-.99 - -1
179	ftptime	Numeric	2	0	Full-time or part-time	{-9, No ans...	-.99 - -1
180	howlong	Numeric	2	0	How long have you been looking	{-9, No ans...	-.99 - -1
181	wkstri2	Numeric	2	0	Able to start work within 2 weeks (Government training scheme)	{-9, No ans...	-.99 - -1
182	wklook4	Numeric	2	0	Looking paid work/govt scheme last 4 weeks	{-9, No ans...	-.99 - -1
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188	paymon	Numeric	2	0	Month last left paid job	{-9, No ans...	-.99 - -1
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190	seg	Numeric	2	0	Socio-Economic Group	{-9, No ans...	-.99 - -1
191	smployee	Numeric	2	0	Self employed, how many employees	{-9, No ans...	-.99 - -1
192	age	Numeric	3	0	Age last birthday	{-9, No ans...	-.99 - -1

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5	Beckingham	Beckingham Fld Edge	Diver	80129	7/2/2007	16/1/07
6	Bushley	Bushley Barometer	Barometer	77599	14/2/2007	4/1/07
7	Bushley	Bushley Ditch	Diver	63017	14/2/2007	23/1/07
8	Bushley	Bushley Fld Centre	Diver	53632	14/2/2007	23/1/07
9	Bushley	Bushley Fld Edge	Diver	53194	14/2/2007	12/4/07
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11	Cuddych Sough	Cuddych Sough Fld Centre	Barometer	62963	10/5/2007	30/1/07
12	Cuddych Sough	Cuddych Sough Fld Edge	Barometer	62959	10/5/2007	30/1/07
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1. Around 10am, start a cell culture in a 50ml tube...
2. Grow for 8-10 hours in a shaker at 30 °C.
3. Measure OD in the evening and dilute into 250ml.

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4. Transfer to 50ml falcon tubes.
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## What is an Open Notebook?

Open Notebooks are documents that contain equations, visualisations, narrative text and live code that can be executed independently and interactively, with output visible immediately beneath the input.

They bring together analysis descriptions and results, which can be executed to perform the data analysis in real time.

### Jupyter

The Jupyter Notebook

The Jupyter Notebook is an open-source web application to create and share documents that contain live visualizations and narrative text. Uses include: data transformation, numerical simulation, statistical modeling, visualization, machine learning, and much more.

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## Notebook web application

The notebook web application enables users to:

- Edit code in the browser, with automatic syntax highlighting, indentation, and tab completion/introspection.
- Run code from the browser, with the results of computations attached to the code which generated them.
- See the results of computations with rich media representations, such as HTML, LaTeX, SVG, PDF, etc.
- Create and use interactive JavaScript widgets, which bind interactive user interface controls and visualizations to reactive kernel side computations.
- Author narrative text using the Markdown markup language.
- Include mathematical equations using LaTeX syntax in Markdown, which are rendered in the browser by MathJax.

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There is an optional argument:

- fft: a switch to turn on the FFT plotting for a single field component or current.

For example (to use the module outside this notebook) to plot a Ricker waveform (and FFT) with an amplitude of 1, centre frequency of 1.5GHz and with a time window of 3ns and time step of 1.92Gps:

```
python -m tools.plot_source_wave ricker 1 1.5e9 3e-9 1.92e-12 -fft
```

You can use the following code to experiment (in this notebook) with plotting different waveforms.

```
In [1]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np
from qutip.ipynotebookutils import FigureWidget
from tools.plot_source_wave import check_timewindow, mpl_plot

w = Waveform()
w.type = 'gaussian'
w.amplitude = 1
w.freq = 1e9
timewindow = 10e-9
dt = 1.9e-12

timewindow, iterations = check_timewindow(timewindow, dt)
plt = mpl_plot(w, timewindow, dt, iterations, fft=True)

Waveform characteristics...
Type: ricker
Maximum amplitude: 1
Centre frequency: 2.5e+07 Hz
Time to centre of pulse: 5.65685e-08 s
Time window: 3e-07 s (2742 iterations)
Time step: 0.019e-11 s
```

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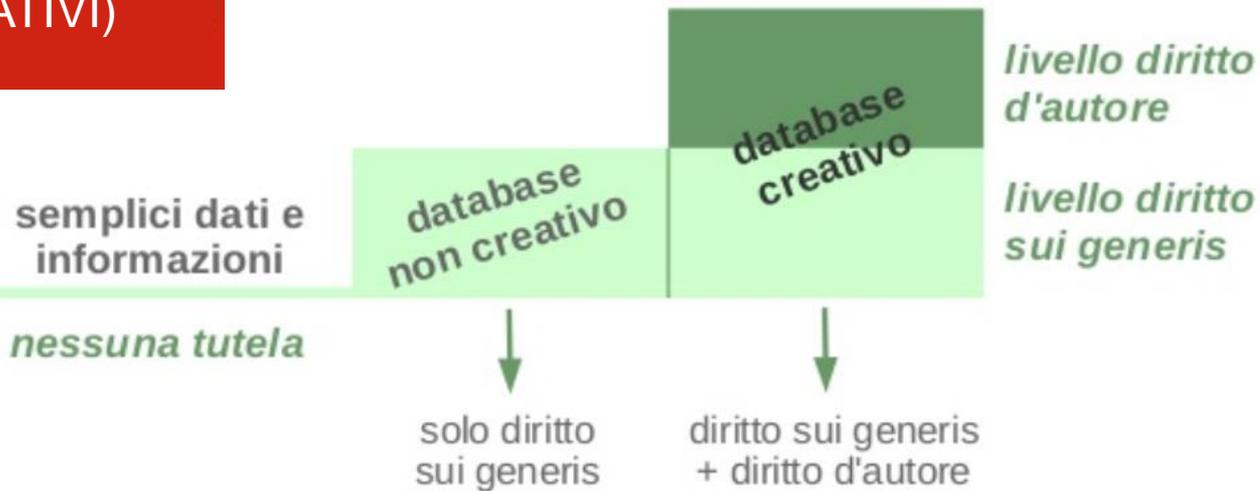
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Simone Aliprandi

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Researchers are “prosumers” who produce and consume information and knowledge of other researchers. This section focuses on their role of producing knowledge and on ways to foster its diffusion by clear legal boundaries. In the humanities, texts are quite often closely intertwined with underlying data, which form an indispensable part of digital publications. Traditional conceptions of copyright like “All Rights Reserved” raise obvious problems for data sharing in the context of publications. In general: if machine readable data is to be shared, the recipient, in order to use the data effectively, will most likely need to make a local copy for analysis, or for merging with other data sets, or to extract some subset of the data. For this reason, our recommendation is to avoid applying any legal restrictions that do not embrace the principle of openness. The Reusability FAIR

**Our recommendation is to avoid applying any legal restrictions that do not embrace the principle of openness. The Reusability FAIR principle recommends that data and metadata are released with a clear, human and machine readable data usage licence, in order to avoid legal ambiguity that could limit their reuse.**

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## DEPOSIT, PRESERVE and SHARE

Legal Aspects

*Data generated or collected in the e-humanities may potentially be subject to copyright in whole or in part. In addition, particular challenges may arise when some of the items within a data set themselves are subject to third party rights.*

In practice, digital humanists can make good use of some checklists to determine whether and how data relevant for their research are subject to legal regulation. Some important questions that have to be solved concern topics like:

- Which national legislation applies to other researchers' work I use in my project?
- Do I have the right to collect, preserve and provide access to the data of my project?
- Is there sensitive information that could connect to some privacy issues?
- Are there risks of exposing the identity of human participants in my study?
- Am I allowed to digitally reproduce material and (re-)publish it in a digital reproduction?



## RECOMMENDATIONS

- » Clarify all legal issues at the beginning of your research project and include the findings of this process in the data management plan.
- » Use checklists adequate to your research topic/discipline.
- » Check the resources indicated by DARIAH, CLARIN. (see further reading).
- » In the case of personal data ensure that only relevant people can access the data and that these are clearly identified (see GDPR).
- » Ask for consent to share anonymised data and establish transparent and well-documented anonymisation routines that consider not just direct identifiers, but also how a combination of indirect identifiers could reveal identities. (See for example the guide on informed consent in the CESSDA data management expert guide).
- » Avoid collection of (sensitive and non-sensitive) personal data when possible.



# Legal interoperability

Chapter two - addresses key thematic legal issues, including:

- Copyright (including database rights) and licences;
- Other intellectual property rights (e.g. patents, trade secrets, neighbouring rights);
- Privacy and data protection (GDPR);
- Other restrictions and legitimate reasons (e.g., protection of sovereign genetic resources and traditional knowledge); and
- Private law considerations.

1. Open access to research data is an enabler of legal interoperability. The promotion of FAIR Principles should go hand-in-hand with efforts to make data open in accordance with the principle that data must be “as open as possible and as closed as necessary”.
2. Regardless of whether the data is Open or not, all new data made available through the EOSC should be FAIR by design.

9. Copyrightable **data** should be FAIR and, to the greatest extent possible, be made part of the public domain or assigned a permissive licence, unless legal or legitimate reasons apply. The Creative Commons No Rights Reserved (CC0) or the Public Domain Dedication and Licence (PDDL) or an equivalent statement of rights should be preferred. In cases where liability is a concern that cannot be addressed by other means, the CC BY 4.0 licence is an appropriate alternative.

11. From a licence compatibility perspective, attribution should be pursued by means of moral and ethical obligations e.g., the European Code of Conduct for Research Integrity or the development of Persistent Identifiers, or by way of a standard form of acknowledgement, rather than by means of a licence such as the CC BY 4.0. The CC0 is, in general, preferred over the CC BY 4.0, although both are generally permissive.

# Creative Commons

CC Factsheet  creative commons UK

## FACT SHEET ON CREATIVE COMMONS & OPEN SCIENCE v.01

This information guide contains questions and responses to common concerns surrounding open science and the implications of licensing data under Creative Commons licences. It is intended to aid researchers, teachers, librarians, administrators and many others using and encountering Creative Commons licences in their work.

LICENZA CC0:  
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CORRETTA

## What is Open Science?

[Open Science](#) is the movement to make scientific research and data accessible to all for knowledge dissemination and public reuse.

## How should I licence my data for the purposes of Open Science?

We recommend you use the [CC0 Public Domain Dedication](#), which is first and foremost a waiver, but [can act as a licence](#) when a waiver is not possible.

### CC ZERO LICENCE, 'NO RIGHTS RESERVED' LOGO



By applying CC0 to your data you enable everyone to freely reuse your data as they see fit by waiving (giving up) your copyright and related rights in that data.

You should keep in mind that there are many situations in which data is **not** protected as a matter of law. Such data can include facts, names, numbers – things that are considered 'non-original' and part of the public domain thus not subject to copyright protections. Similarly, your database (which is a structured collection of data) might be considered 'non-original' and thus ineligible for copyright, and it might additionally be excluded

from other forms of protection (like the [EU sui generis database right](#), also known as the 'SGDR', for non-original databases).

In these cases, using a Creative Commons licence such as a CC BY could signal to users that you claim a copyright in the non-original data despite the law, and perhaps despite your real intention.

Finally, if your data is in the public domain worldwide, you might state simply and obviously on the material that no restrictions attach to the reuse of your data and apply a [Public Domain Mark](#).

### PUBLIC DOMAIN MARK LOGO



When in doubt, consider which use may be appropriate according to the chart below:

### CC0 & PUBLIC DOMAIN LICENCES WHICH LICENSE TO USE AND WHEN



'Creative arrangement' of data is original, but any copyright has been waived and content is made available copyright-free



'Creative arrangement' of data is not original; the author acknowledges this and communicates the data is in the public domain

**But I would like attribution when others use my dataset. In that case, shouldn't I use a CC BY licence?**

We recommend that you avoid using a CC BY licence. Here's why:

While attribution is a genuine, recognisable concern, not only might using a CC BY licence be legally unenforceable when no underlying copyright or SGDR protects the work, but it may also communicate the wrong message to the world.

A better solution is to use CC0 and [simply ask for credit](#) (rather than require attribution), and provide a citation for the dataset that others can copy and paste with ease. Such requests are consistent with scholarly norms for citing source materials.

Legally speaking, datasets that are *not* subject to copyright or related rights (and are thus in the public domain) cannot be the object of a copyright licence. Despite this, agreements based in contract law may be enforceable. Creative Commons licences, however, are copyright licences. Therefore, where the conditions for a copyright or related right are not triggered, copyright licences, such as the CC BY licence, [are unenforceable](#).

In some cases, however, rights may exist (like the *sui generis* database right previously mentioned), and permission for others to use your dataset may be legally required. These rights are meant to protect the maker's investment, rather than originality. As such, database rights do not include the moral right of attribution. So by using a CC BY licence, you signal to users that you restrict access to your dataset beyond the protections provided by the law. We are not saying that this cannot be done, we are just saying that if you choose to do this, you should make sure you fully understand what it entails.

# Commons e Open

## USARE UNA CC0

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- LA FONTE VA CITATA SEMPRE
- USATE LA CC0 E ASSOCIATE UNA FORMULAZIONE DELLA CITAZIONE CHE RICHIEDETE (DA COPIARE/INCOLLARE)

cannot be done, we are just saying that if you choose to do this, you should make sure you fully understand what it entails.

**I'm uncomfortable with others using my research for commercial purposes. Should I use a non-commercial licence for my dataset?**

We recommend you avoid using a non-commercial licence. Here's why:

For legal purposes, drawing a line between what is and is not 'commercial' can be tricky; it's not as black and white as you might think. For example, if you release a dataset under a non-commercial licence, it would clearly prohibit an organisation

**I'm uncomfortable permitting use of my research for any and all purposes. Should I use a 'No Derivatives' (ND) licence for my dataset?**

We recommend you avoid using a 'No Derivatives' licence. Here's why:

Similar to how a non-commercial licence might restrict meaningful reuse of your dataset, a ND licence can have the same effect: it may prevent someone from recombining and reusing your data for new research. For data to be truly Open Access, it must permit these important types of reuse.

**It sounds like you're really pushing for the use of CC0 for open science datasets.**

Exactly. Data is only open if anyone is free to use, reuse, and distribute it. This means it must be made available for both commercial and non-commercial purposes under non-discriminatory conditions that allow for it to be modified.

When data is made available for all reuse, others can create new knowledge from combining it. This leads to the enrichment of open datasets and further dissemination of knowledge. Accordingly, CC0 is ideal for open science as it both protects and promotes the unrestricted circulation of data.

And remember, it's bad science not to cite the source of data you use. To help others cite your data [include a citation](#) that users can copy and paste to give you credit for your hard work.



...in sintesi...

Ci sono solo TRE modi per rilasciare open data senza creare inutili complicazioni:  
CC Zero, CC Zero e CC Zero



...e se proprio non potete farne a meno, al massimo usate una CC BY 4.0



S. Aliprandi

# Licenze per software 2

**ESCLUDE SUCCESSIVA  
PROPRIETARIZZAZIONE**

	Free			Non-free		
	Public domain & equivalents	Permissive license	Copyleft (protective license)	Noncommercial license	Proprietary license	Trade secret
Description	Grants all rights	Grants use rights, including right to relicense (allows proprietization, license compatibility)	Grants use rights, forbids proprietization	Grants rights for noncommercial use only. May be combined with share-alike.	Traditional use of copyright; no rights need be granted	No information made public
Software	PD, Unlicense, CC0	BSD, MIT, Apache, MPL	GPL, AGPL	JRL, AFPL	Proprietary software, no public license	Private, internal software
Other creative works	PD, CC0	CC-BY	CC-BY-SA	CC-BY-NC	Copyright, no public license	Unpublished

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# Licenze per software 3

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## Licence differentiator

This tool attempts to help its users understand their own preferences in relation to free and open source software licences. It is no substitute for reading the licences themselves, and before placing any of your property under one of these licences, it is essential that you fully read and understand your chosen licence. The classifications of licence type that enable this tool to work are by necessity somewhat reductive, and therefore output of this tool cannot and must not be thought of as legal advice.

**REMEMBER: ALWAYS READ AND UNDERSTAND YOUR CHOSEN LICENCE.**

### Choice One

Do you want to limit the results to licences that the Open Source Initiative describe as being "popular and widely used or with strong communities"?

This will guarantee that the licence will be 'mainstream' at the possible expense of some more esoteric but possibly useful characteristics.

Please choose

### Choice Two (a)

All Free and Open Source licences will allow others to make modified versions of your code, and to make these modified versions available to others. Your licence can make conditions about how this happens - specifically what licences can be used on these modified versions. These conditions can help keep your code free, but they can also put some people off reusing your code.

Do you want to include licensing conditions on reuse?

If not, your licence will be one of the so-called 'permissive' licences.

Please choose

### Choice Three

[License differentiator](#)



Academic Free License 3.0	[No score]
Adaptive Public License	[No score]
Affero GNU Public License	[No score]
Apache License 2.0	[No score]
Artistic License 2.0	[No score]
Attribution Assurance Licenses	[No score]
Boost Software License	[No score]
Common Development and Distribution License	[No score]
Common Public Attribution License 1.0	[No score]
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Educational Community License Version 2.0	[No score]
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European Union Public License	[No score]
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GNU General Public License	[No score]
GNU General Public License v3.0	[No score]

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## Obstacles to the trans-European archiving and sharing of research data

Making research data as openly available as possible is a widely recognised goal. For researchers working on an interdisciplinary project involving several countries, it can be difficult to fully comprehend in which ways open access to research data can be legally obtained. European national laws still diverge.

- **Diversity in copyright owner**

If protection applies, the right holder's consent is required for sharing the data. However, the designation of the copyright owner is also different in different jurisdictions. Although in many cases the maker of the work will be considered to be the author and therefore the right holder, only Dutch and UK law designate the employer as the right holder if the work was made in the course of employment.

[CESSDA guide](#)

A report from [Knowledge Exchange](#) (Knowledge Exchange, 2011) concludes that it will remain difficult to predict when particular files of research data are protected because of:

- **Diversity in copyright protection**

Even though most research data will fail to meet the criteria for copyright protection because they are not likely to be considered as "works" (they mainly concern facts), the lack of harmonisation of the criteria for copyright protection in Europe is tricky. E.g., whereas Germany, Denmark and the Netherlands have a relatively similar (higher) originality standard, the UK has a very low standard (skill, judgment and labour) making

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# 3. DATI OPEN



# Perché i dati aperti?



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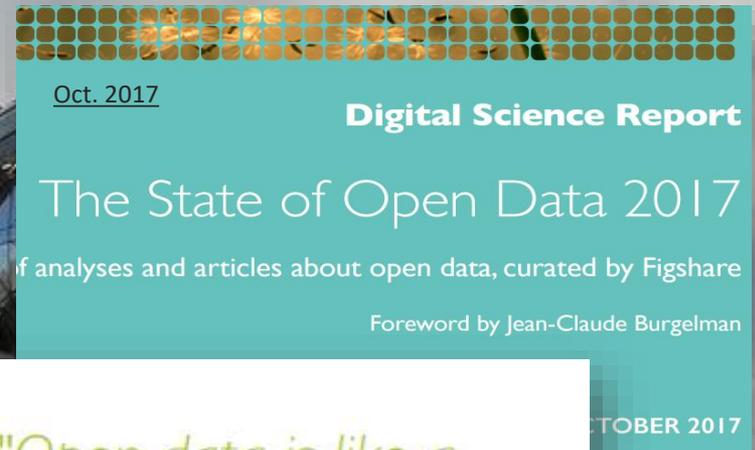
#osc2018 @sjDCC I really like what Sarah said just now "There is more risk in losing your data than sharing your data #openscience"

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**Digital Science Report**

The State of Open Data 2017

of analyses and articles about open data, curated by Figshare

Foreword by Jean-Claude Burgelman

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Sharing data: good for science, good for you

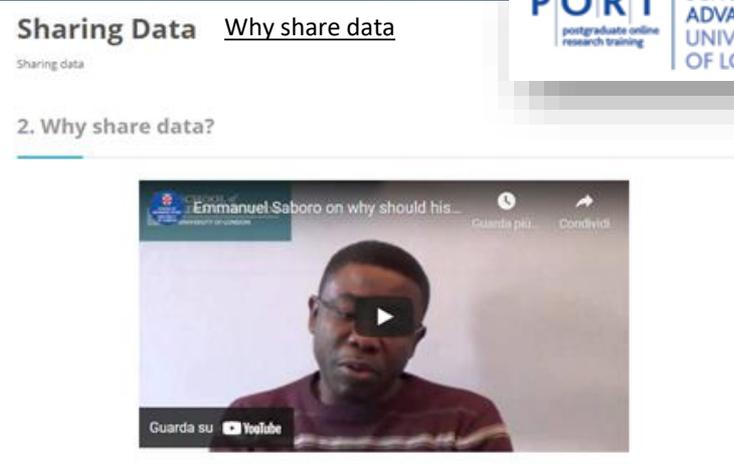


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Sharing data: good for science, good for you

*"Open data is like a renewable energy source: it can be reused without diminishing its original value, and reuse creates new value."*

# Perché i dati aperti



## Better research

- Demonstrates research integrity, as there is transparency and accountability in the production of the data being released
- Encourages research enquiry and debate
- Promotes innovation and potential new data uses
- Encourages the improvement of research methods
- Prevents research fraud

## Better impact

- Enables peer scrutiny of the research findings, validating the work carried out
- Increases the visibility of the research
- Provides credit for the creation of the data in its own right
- Can lead to new collaborations
- Produces a public record of the research

## Better value

- Avoids duplication of effort in data creation
- Provides resources for use in teaching and learning
- Meets funder requirements
- Ensures data can be re-visited for future research
- Maximises return on research investment
- Preparing data for sharing also prepares it well for preservation

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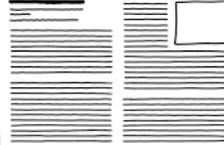
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Can I get the data associated with your **SCIENTIFIC PAPER** ?

Maybe later?



"Data" is available upon reasonable request.



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Ok, but it's A LOT.



It was all in this Github repository!



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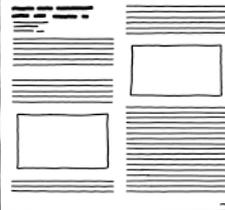
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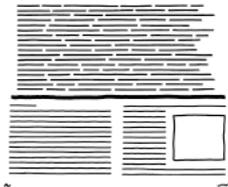
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Maybe it's in the article/supplement?



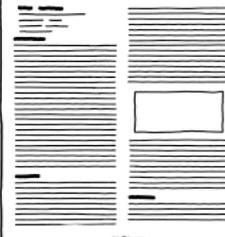
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Only under these specific terms.



Sorry, but nope.



La realtà

**People will contact me to ask about stuff**

Christopher and Alex (C&A) say: "This is usually objection of people who feel overworked and th [data sharing] isn't part of their job..." I would a learning from each other – if a researcher is opp datasets, collaborating with others, and genera they should be outed by their community as a p

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**People will misinterpret the data**

C&A suggest this: "Document how it should be interpreted. Be prepared to help and correct such people; those that mis... the help." From the UK Data Archive: "P contextual information for your res... chers to correctly use and understand your o

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It's worth mentioning, however, a s... actually Freedom be useful to counter willful misrep... of Information legislation), as one c... refute the wrong interpretation."

**My data is not very interesting**

C&A: "Let others judge how intere... people that care about them." I'd... dataset has value to future resear... "climate change" was a research t... documenting and understanding

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**I might want to use it in a research paper**

Anyone who's discussed data sharing with a researcher is familiar with this excuse. The operative word here is *might*. How many papers have we all considered writing, only to have them shift to the back bur... is a real concern.

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C&A suggest the embargo route: "One embargo; require people to archive the public after X months. You could even g things that are no longer cared about b eventually everything can become ope of their datasets, but I would caution to have any restrictions default to sharing. That is, after X months the data are automatically made open by the repository.

I would also add that, as the original collector of the data, you are at a huge advantage compared to others that might want to use your dataset. You have knowledge about your system, the conditions during collection, the nuances of your methods, et cetera that could never be fully described in the best metadata.

**I'm not sure I own the data**

**My data is too complicated.**

C&A: "Don't be too smug. If it turns out it's not that comp professional [standing]." I would add that if it's too comp complicated to reproduce, which means it's arguably not can be solved by more documentation.

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**My data is embarrassingly bad**

C&A: "Many eyes will help you imp accept your data for what it is." I a making the sausage. We know it's Plus it helps you strive will be at m collection phase.

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**It's not a priority and I'm busy**

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	REASONS NOT TO SHARE DATA	REPLIES OR ARGUMENTS IN FAVOUR OF SHARING
1	My data is not of interest or use to anyone else.	It is! Researchers want to access data from all kinds of studies, methodologies and disciplines. It is very difficult to predict which data may be important for future research. Who would have thought that amateur gardener's diaries would one day provide essential data for climate change research? Your data may also be essential for teaching purposes. Sharing is not just about archiving your data but about sharing them amongst colleagues.
2	I want to publish my work before anyone else sees my data.	Data sharing will not stand in the way of you first using your data for your publications. Most research funders allow you some period of sole use, but also want timely sharing. Also remember that you have already been working with your data for some time so you undoubtedly know the data better than anyone coming to use them afresh. If you are still concerned you can embargo your data for a specific period of time.
3	I have not got the time or money to prepare data for sharing	It is important to plan data management early in the research data lifecycle. Data management ideally becomes an integral part of your research practice, reduces time and financial costs and greatly enhancing the quality of the data for your use too.
4	If I ask my respondents for consent to share their data then they will not agree to participate in the study.	Don't assume that participants will not participate because data sharing is discussed. Talk to them - they may be less reluctant than you might think, or less concerned over data sharing! Make it clear that it is entirely their decision, whereby they can decide whether their data can be shared, independent of them participating in the research. Explain clearly what data sharing means, and why it may be important. But they are still free to consent or not. You can always explain what data archiving means in practice for their data. If you have not asked permission to share data during the research, then you can always return to gain retrospective permission from participants.
5	I am doing highly sensitive research. I cannot possibly make my data available for others to see.	The first thing is to ask respondents and see if you can get consent for sharing in the first instance. Anonymisation procedures can help to protect identifying information. If these first two strategies are not appropriate then consider controlling access to the data or embargoing for a period of time. Also data that is held in the UK Data Archive is not publically available. Only registered researchers can gain access to the data.
6	I am doing quantitative research and the combination of my variables discloses my participant's identity.	Quantitative data can be anonymised through processes of aggregation, top coding, removal of variables, or controlled access to certain variables (i.e. postcodes).
7	I have collected audiovisual data and I cannot anonymise them, therefore I cannot share these data.	Visual data can be anonymised through blurring faces or distorting voices, but this can be time consuming and costly to carry out. It can mean losing much of the value of the data. It is better to ask for consent to share data from participants in an unanonymised form,
8	I have made promises to destroy my data once the project finishes.	Why were such promises made? Always avoid making unnecessary promises to destroy data. There is usually no legal or ethical need to do so, except in the case of personal data. But that certainly would not apply to research data in general. Also consider where you have received this advice from? You may need to negotiate with research ethics committee or ethics boards about this agreement

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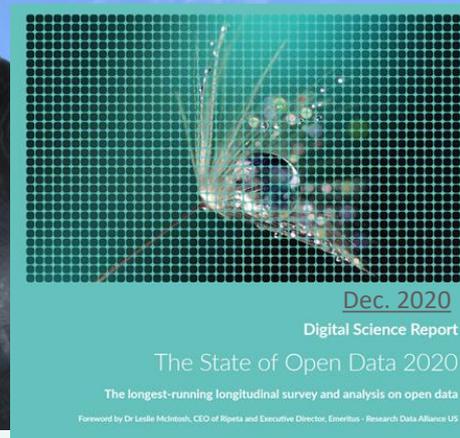
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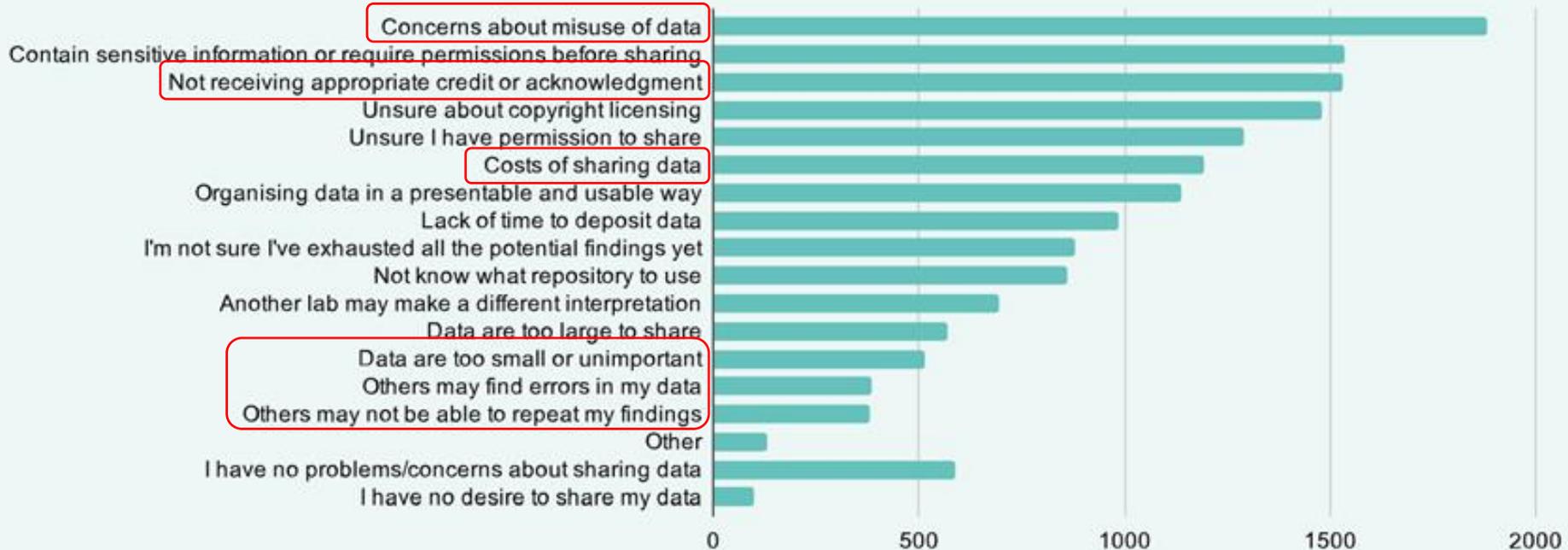
	REASONS NOT TO SHARE DATA	REPLIES OR ARGUMENTS IN FAVOUR OF SHARING <a href="#">UK Data service p. 11</a>
9	My data have been gathered under complete assurances of confidentiality.	Again why was such an assurance made? It is best to avoid unnecessary promises. Anonymisation procedures can be implemented to protect identities, but confidentiality can never be completely guaranteed. You can also consider controlling access to the data.
10	My data collection and resulting transcripts are in a foreign language.	This should not be a problem. The UK Data Archive can accept foreign language transcripts although translations into English are preferred.
11	It is impossible to anonymise my transcripts as too much useful information is lost.	Get in touch with us at the UK Data Archive. We may be able to help and it might not be as difficult as it looks. Also, access controls on the data may be a better solution than anonymisation if too much useful information would be lost.
12	My data collection contains data which I have purchased and it cannot be made public.	It is important to know who holds the copyright to the data you are using and to obtain the relevant permissions. You need to be aware of the licence conditions of the data you are using and what you can and cannot do with the data.
13	Other researchers would not understand my data at all - or may use them for the wrong purpose.	Producing good documentation and providing contextual information for your research project should enable other researchers to correctly use and understand your data.
14	There is IPR in the data.	This should not be a problem if you seek copyright permission from the owner of the intellectual property rights. This is best done early on in the research project, but could be sought retrospectively.

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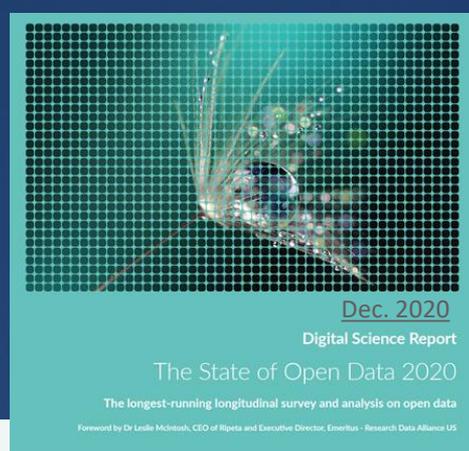
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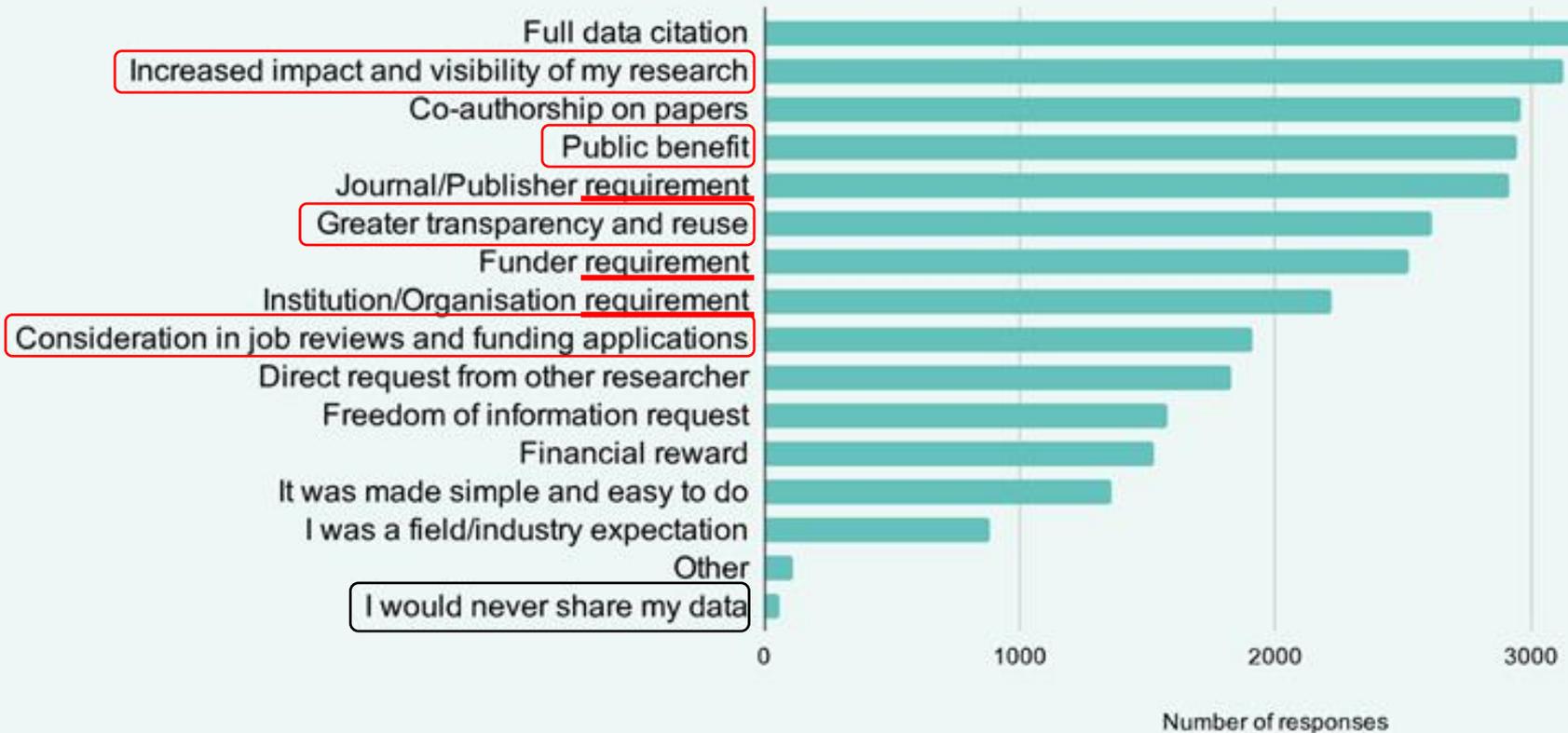
What problems/concerns, if any, do you have with sharing datasets?



# Motivi per condividere



What circumstances would motivate you to share your data?



... «as open as possible»...

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2/4 "Open as possible, as closed as necessary" is the new principle for all [#data](#) from publicly funded [#research](#) in Europe [#openaccess](#)

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A wooden bench with a sign on it. The sign is made of four vertical wooden planks and has the text "IF YOU ARE NOT DOING WHAT YOU LOVE, YOU ARE WASTING YOUR TIME." written on it in black, bold, sans-serif capital letters. The bench is made of light-colored wood and is set on a brick-paved surface. The background shows a brick wall and a concrete curb.

**“IF YOU ARE NOT  
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... grazie e... ora tocca a voi!