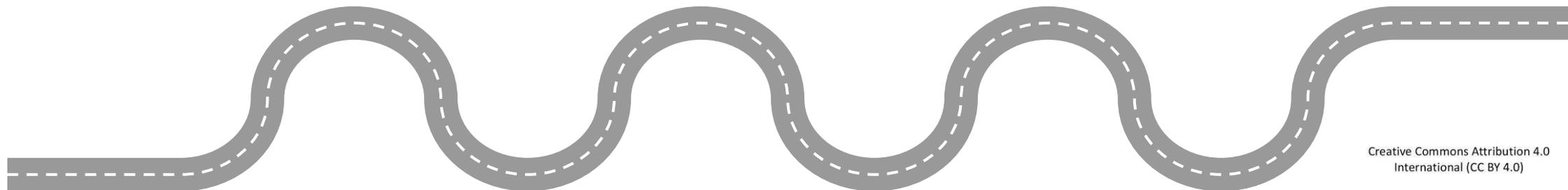


The road beyond Open

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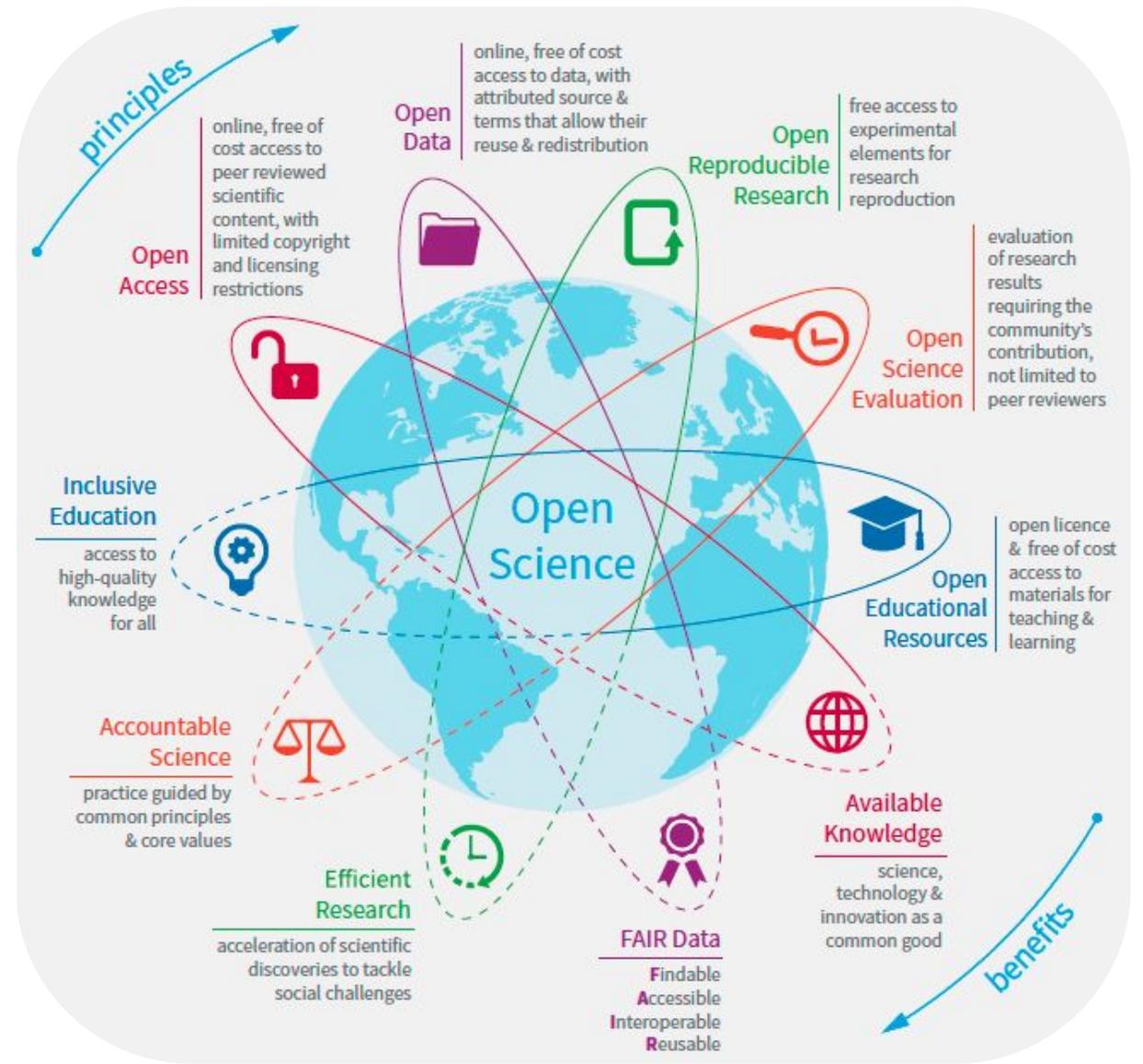
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... an essential path to global scientific development that enhances research quality and efficiency and improves public trust in research results.

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Open science

more than scholarly publications



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Open Data

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“**Open data** is data that can be freely used, re-used and redistributed by anyone - subject only, at most, to the requirement to attribute and sharealike.”

Open Data integral to Open science



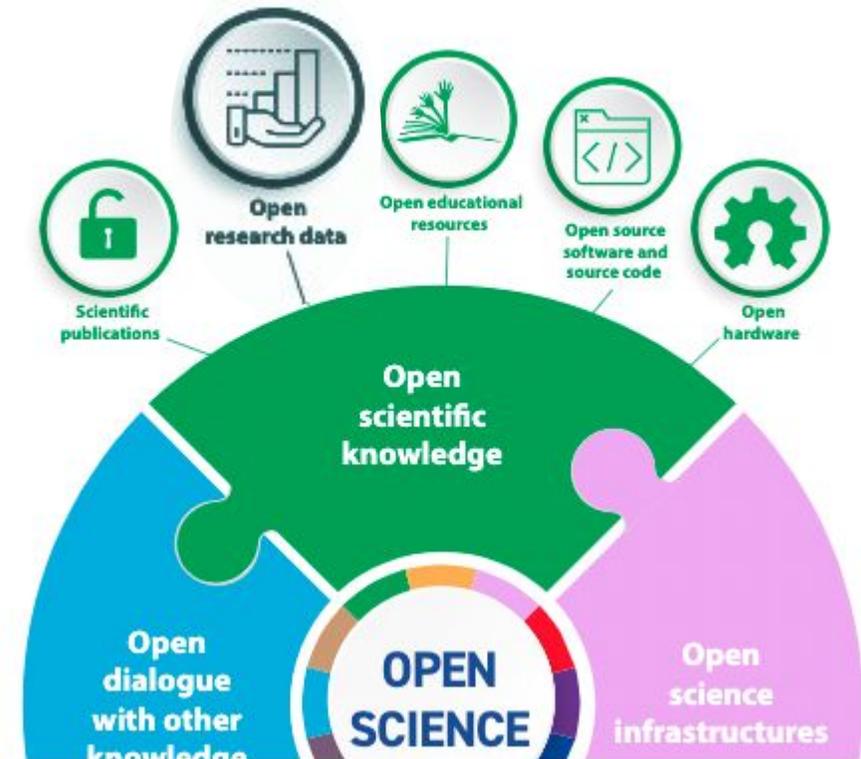
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Open Data

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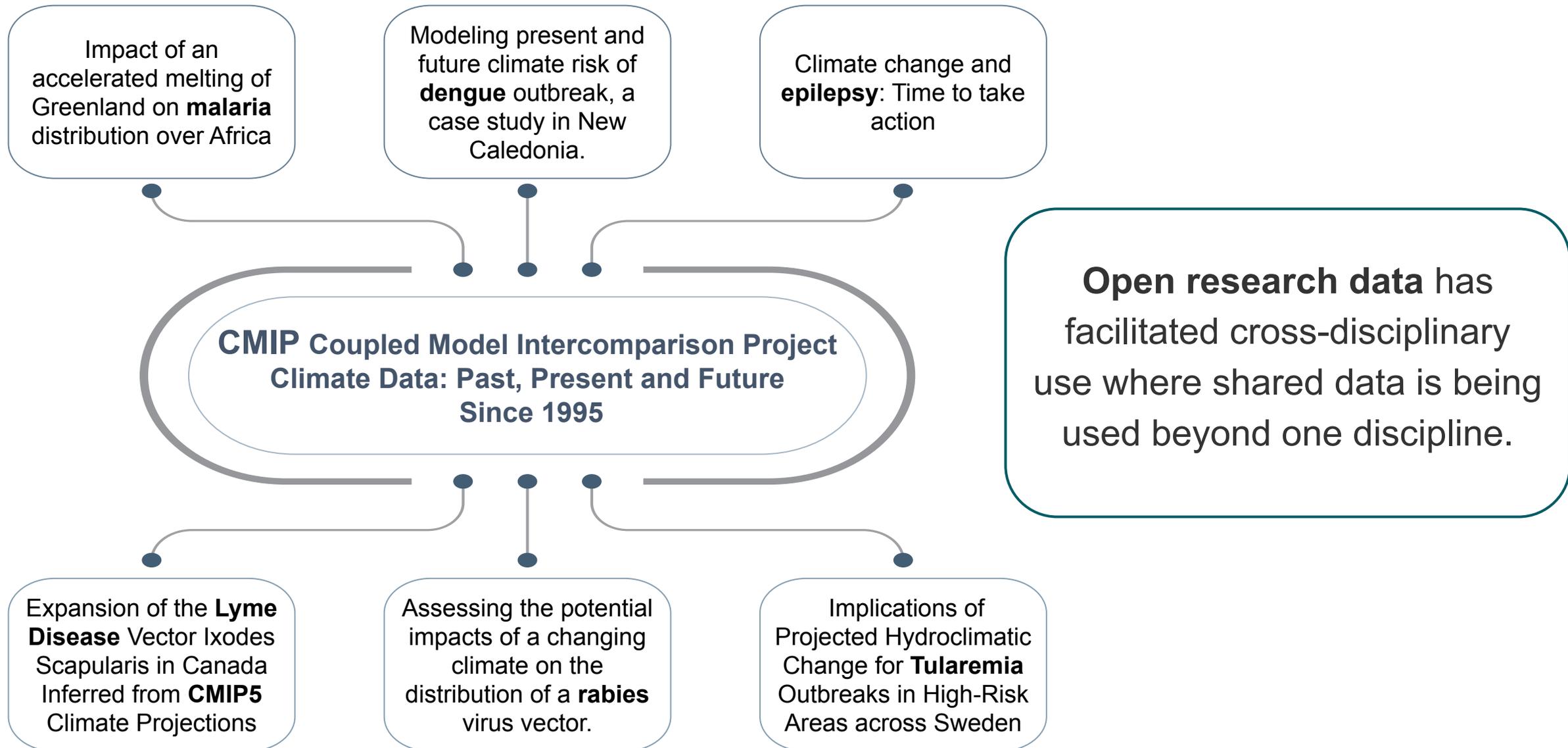
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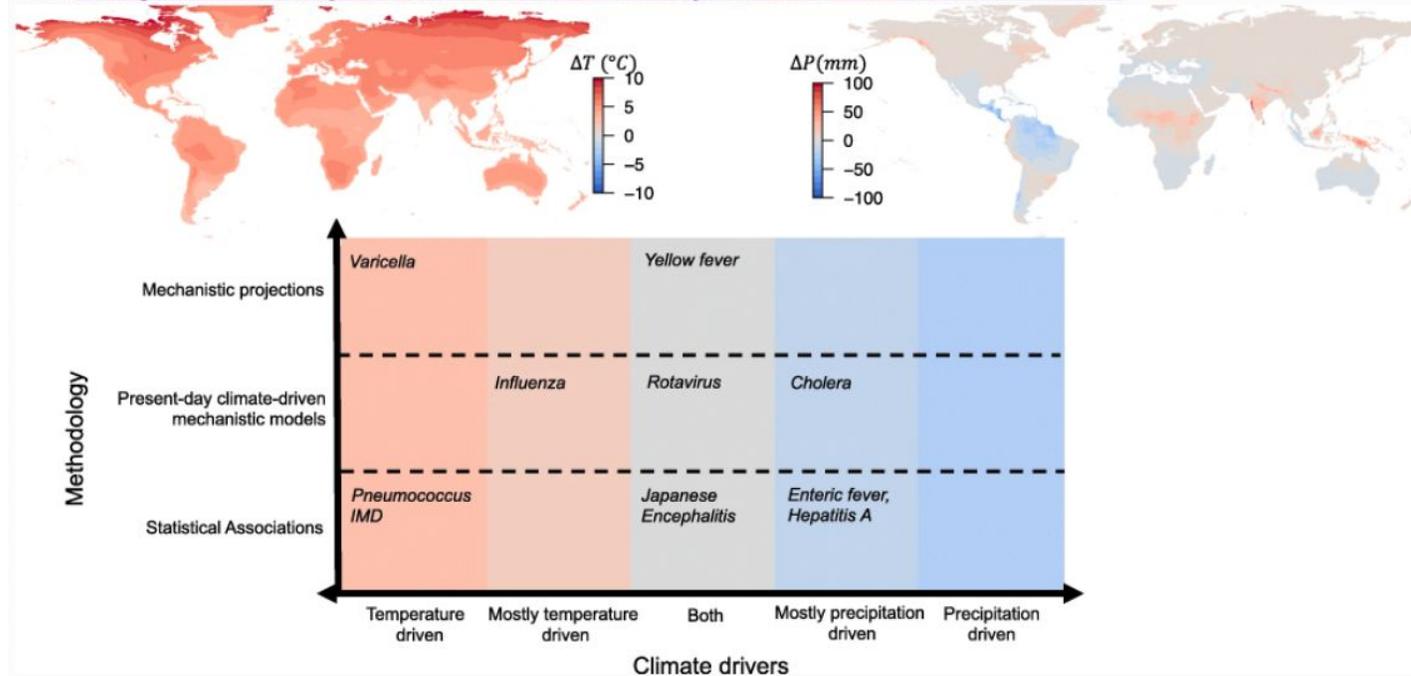
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COVID-19

The Biden-Harris plan to beat COVID-19

The American people deserve an urgent, robust, and professional response to the growing public health and economic crisis caused by the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak. President Biden believes that the federal government must act swiftly and aggressively to help protect and support our families, small businesses, first responders, and caregivers essential to help us face this challenge, those who are most vulnerable to health and economic impacts, and our broader communities – not to blame others or bail out corporations.

The Biden-Harris administration will always:

- **Listen to science**
- **Ensure public health decisions are informed by public health professionals**



Is Open enough?

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+ Reuse



Open data vs crate digging



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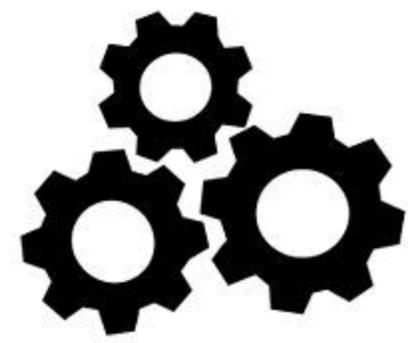


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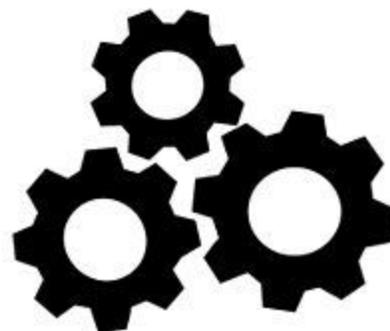


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FAIR Principles



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Abstract

There is an urgent need to improve the infrastructure supporting the reuse of scholarly data. A diverse set of stakeholders—representing academia, industry, funding agencies, and scholarly publishers—have come together to design and jointly endorse a concise and measurable set of principles that we refer to as the FAIR Data Principles. The intent is that these may act as a guideline for those wishing to enhance the reusability of their data holdings. Distinct from peer initiatives that focus on the human scholar, the FAIR Principles

Findable



Findable

The first step in (re)using data is to find them. Metadata and data should be easy to find for both humans and computers. Machine-readable metadata are essential for automatic discovery of datasets and services, so this is an essential component of the **FAIRification process**.

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 they describe

F4. (Meta)data are registered or indexed in a searchable resource



Accessible



Accessible

Once the user finds the required data, she/he/they need to know how they can be accessed, possibly including authentication and authorisation.

A1. (Meta)data are retrievable by their identifier using a standardised communications protocol

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

A1.2 The protocol allows for an authentication and authorisation procedure, where necessary

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



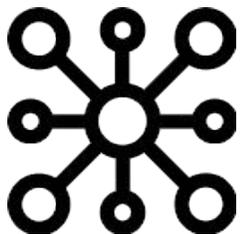
Interoperable



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The data usually need to be integrated with other data. In addition, the data need to interoperate with applications or workflows for analysis, storage, and processing.

- 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**



Reusable



Reusable

The ultimate goal of FAIR is to optimise the reuse of data. To achieve this, metadata and data should be well-described so that they can be replicated and/or combined in different settings.

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

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How do we get there?



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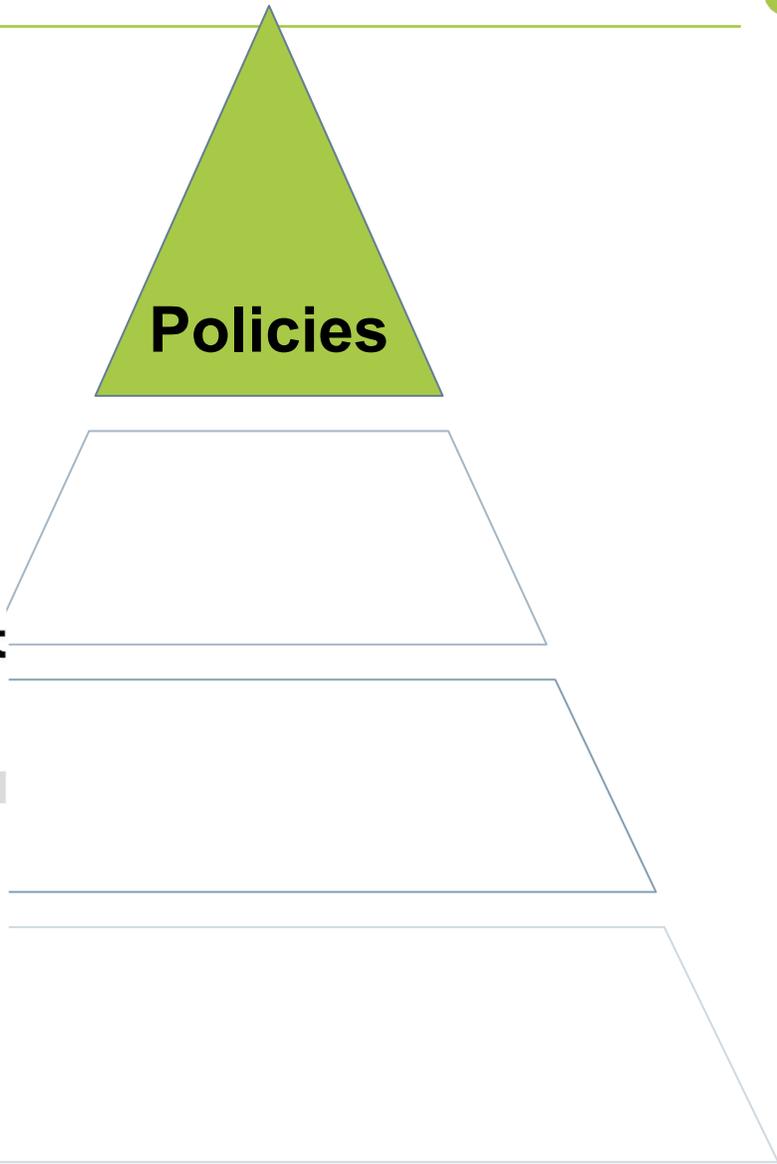
Open science policies can remove obstacles, set the tone, promote funding and change the reward system

Open Science, Open Data, and Open Scholarship: European Policies to Make Science Fit for the Twenty-First Century

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Open science will make science more efficient, reliable, and responsive to societal challenges. The European Commission has sought to advance open science policy from its inception in a holistic and integrated way, covering all aspects of the research cycle from scientific discovery and review to sharing knowledge, publishing, and outreach. We present the steps taken with a forward-looking perspective on the challenges laying ahead, in particular the necessary change of the rewards and incentives system for researchers (for which various actors are co-responsible and which goes beyond the mandate of the European Commission). Finally, we discuss the role of artificial intelligence (AI) within an open science perspective.



Policies

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Reward and recognition structures need new metrics accounting for diverse research outputs (incl. citation and acknowledgement for data & code)

Policies

Incentives

Problems/concerns with sharing data

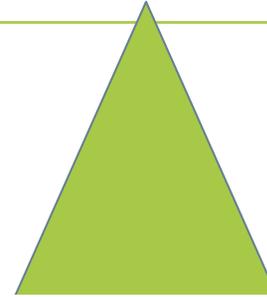
over the last 4 years

	2018	2019	2020	2021
Concerns about misuse of data	518 36%	2082 37%	1881 38%	1920 43%
Not receiving appropriate credit or acknowledgement	478 33%	1834 32%	1531 31%	1739 39%

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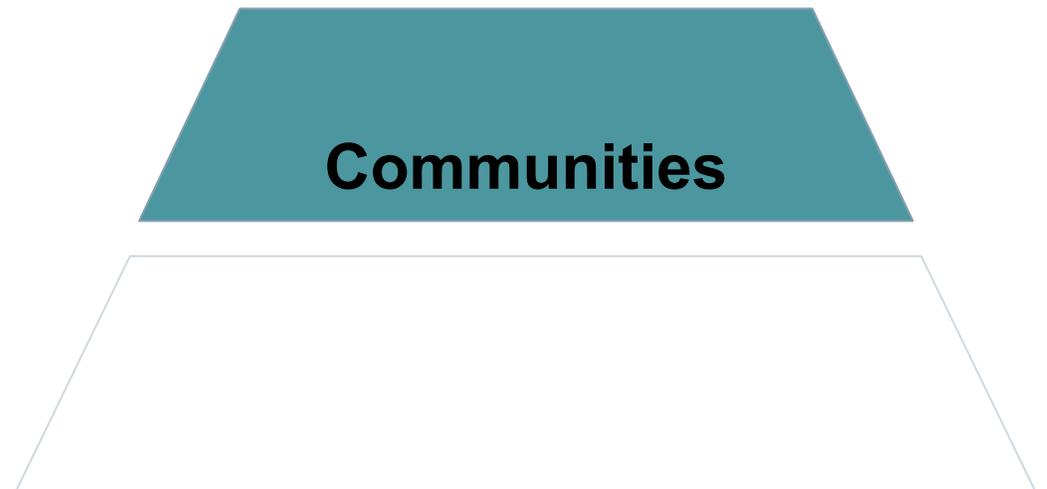
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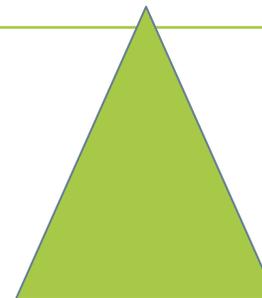
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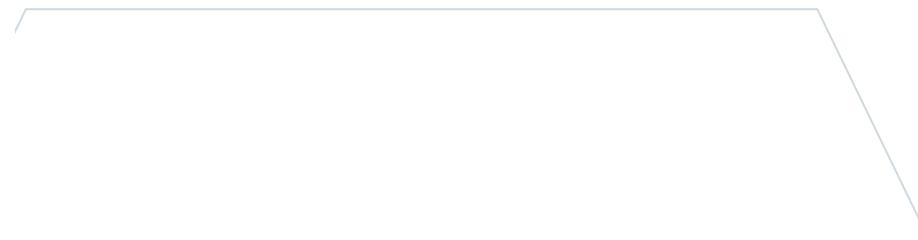
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Human infrastructure;

- Research support staff for better quality data and higher reuse,
- Increased digital competency

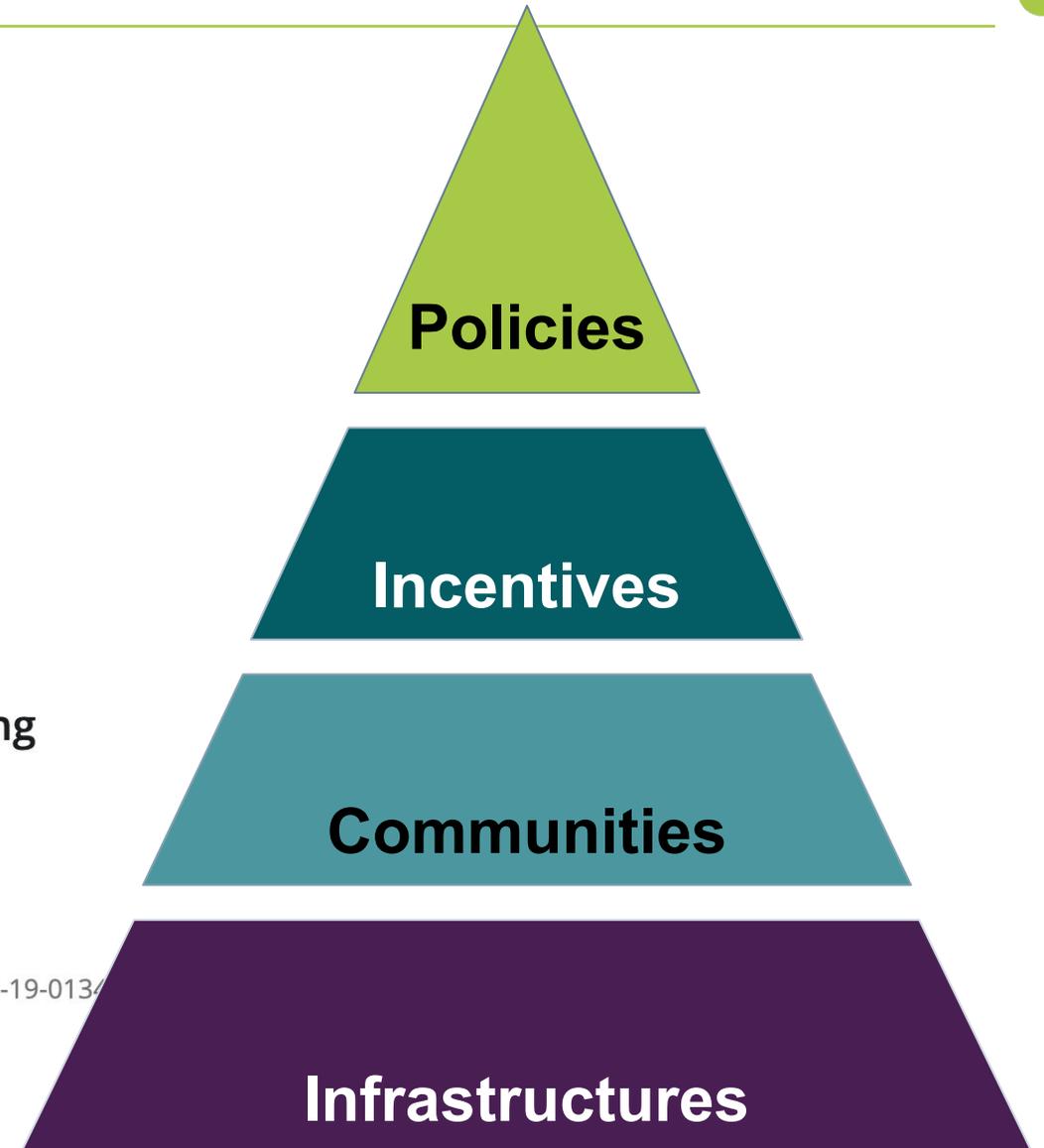
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How do properties of data, their curation, and their funding relate to reuse?

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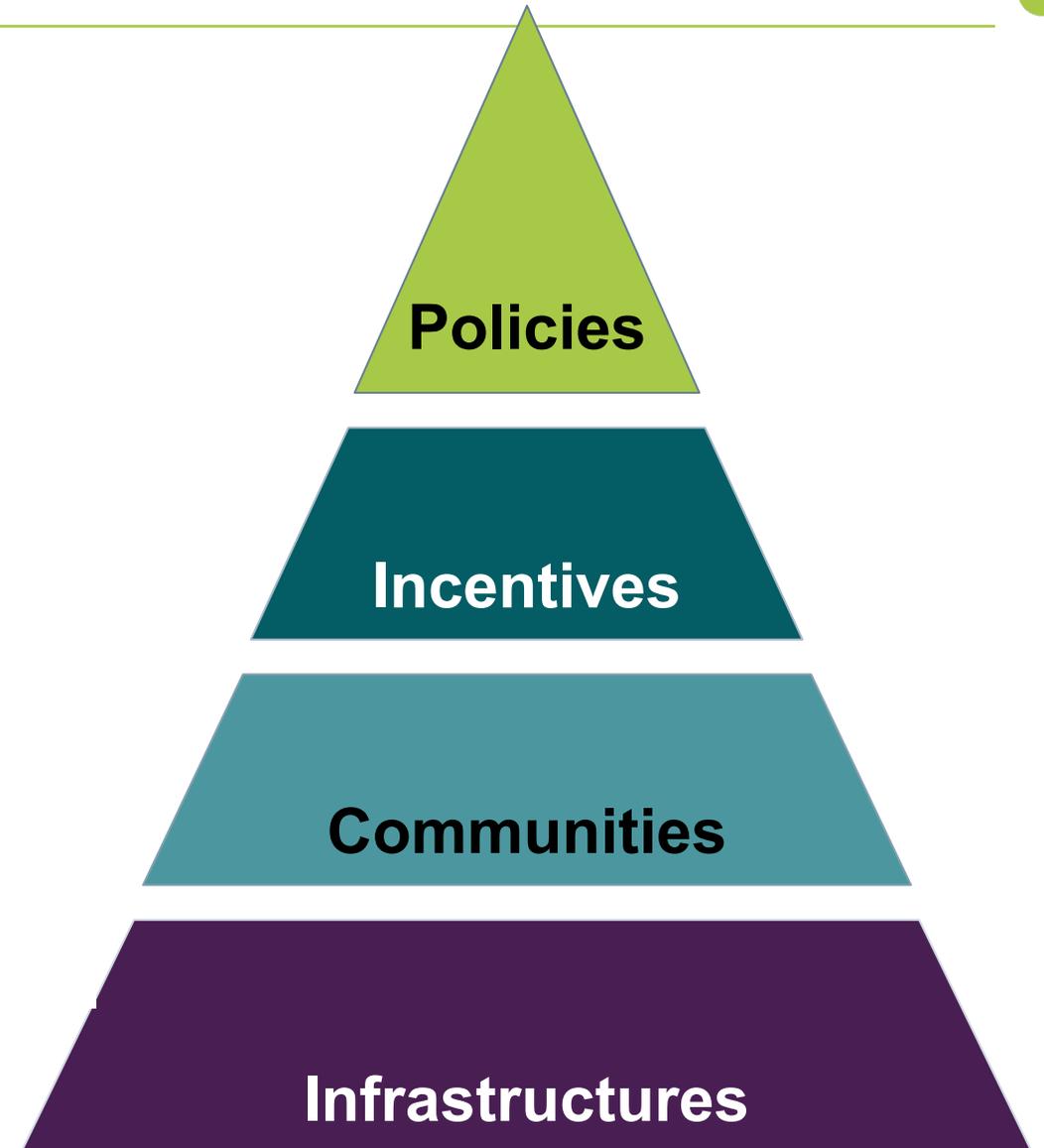


Technical infrastructure that is scalable and sustainable is necessary for handling large amounts of data.

“ Hurdles to data sharing in the area of policy and cultural change will fall short if we do not have underpinning research infrastructure and the experts needed to run the infrastructure. ”

[The State of Open Data 2021](#)

The longest-running longitudinal survey and analysis on open data





Tools & Services offered at the SciLifeLab

Swedish COVID-19 Data Portal



- Launched June 2020
- Focus on FAIR data sharing
- Provides information, guidelines, tools and services to support researchers
- Data management support for Swedish COVID-19 research programs

The screenshot shows the homepage of the Swedish COVID-19 Data Portal. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the portal's logo, language options (en, sv), and buttons for 'Contribute', 'Share data', and 'Get support'. Below the navigation bar, there are sections for 'Data' (with sub-links for datasets, highlights, dashboards, and a sample collection database), 'Resources' (with a link for research and funding), and 'Topics' (with tags for COVID-19, infectious diseases, and antibiotic resistance). A large blue banner reads 'Accelerating research through data sharing'. Below this, a message states: 'We are currently working on extending the scope of the Portal to include pandemic preparedness in general. Some sections of the Portal have already transitioned whereas others will transition in the near future.' The main content area is divided into three columns. The left column, 'Available datasets', lists categories with counts: Genomics (35), Proteins (13), Imaging (5), Biochemistry (62), Health (97), Drug discovery (11), Serology (7), Public Health (44), Environment, and Other data (15). Below this is a link for 'Recent statistics on COVID-19 in Sweden'. The middle column, 'Data highlights', features a grid of thumbnail images representing various data visualizations and a 3D molecular model. The right column, 'About this portal', provides a brief description of the portal's purpose and contact information. At the bottom right, a pink box encourages users to 'Share new COVID-19 data' and includes a 'Support request' button.

<https://covid19dataportal.se>

SciLifeLab Serve



- Serve apps, models, notebooks etc
- Manage life cycle of AI models (MLOps), improve FAIR¹
- Running on Kubernetes
- Effort at SciLifeLab Data Center

A high-level overview of the machine learning life cycle



The screenshot displays the SciLifeLab Serve dashboard. The left sidebar contains navigation options: Home, Apps, Models, Projects, Project, Dashboard (selected), Objects, Compute, Serve, Store, Develop, FEDn, and Settings. The main content area is divided into several sections:

- Compute:** A table listing running Jupyter Lab instances with columns for App, Name, Created, Status, and Actions.
- Develop:** A table listing running services like cpLogD Service and Metpred Service.
- Store:** A table listing installed services like Docker Registry, Minio, and Persistent Volumes.
- FEDn:** A section for Federated Learning.
- Serve:** A table listing running services like PredGUI MM, PredGUI, Chemid Service, Metpred Api, and cpLogD Api.
- Models:** A table listing models like cpLogD and ptp.

At the bottom, there are social media icons for Twitter, YouTube, and GitHub, and the Scaleout logo. The footer includes the copyright notice: © 2020 - Scaleout Systems.

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<https://serve.scilifelab.se>

SciLifeLab Data Repository



- Institutional Figshare instance
- General institutional repository for publishing
- Publish any kind of research-related data, e.g. documents, figures, or presentations
- Log in using SWAMID
- Data is made citable through its DOI



Repository information: <https://www.scilifelab.se/data/repository/>

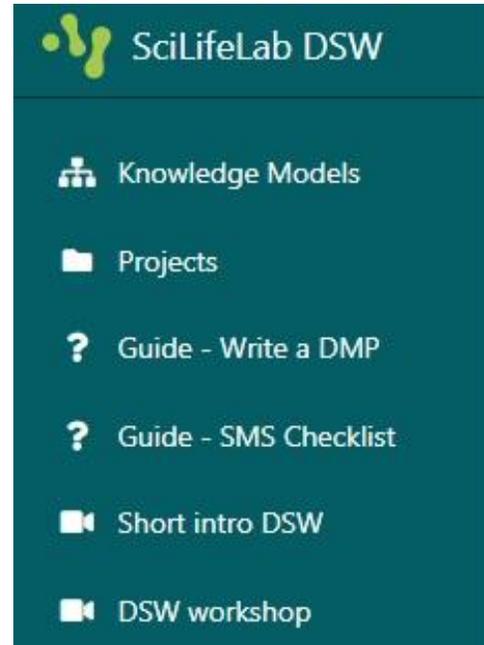
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Repository URL: <https://scilifelab.figshare.com>

Data Stewardship Wizard



- A tool to **create data management plans** based on interactive questionnaires
- LifeScience **University log-in**, collaborative editing, versioning, and exports to PDF/Word using templates
- SciLifeLab provide templates and questionnaires **based on national and life-science specific guidelines**



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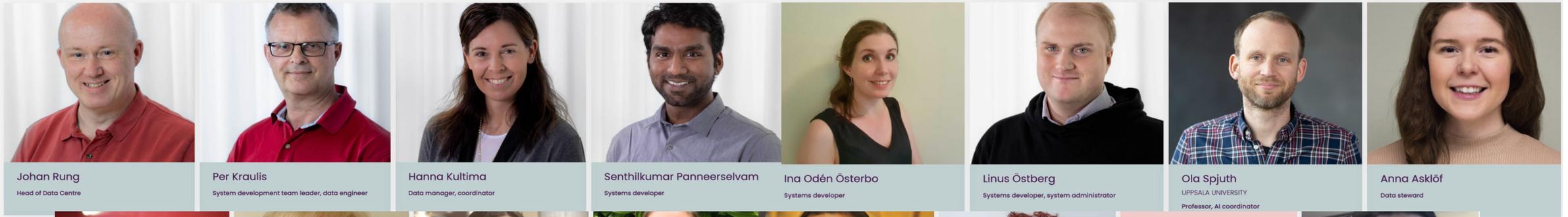


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- Invest 5% of research funds in ensuring data are reusable <https://www.nature.com/articles/d41586-020-00505-7>
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