

DataCite Linking Datasets to Publications

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Connecting advancing

research, knowledge

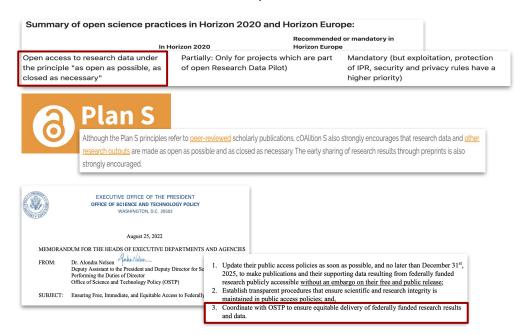
The how

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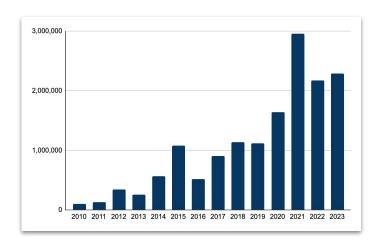
Great progress in data sharing over the last decade



National and funder policies in support of data sharing have dramatically raised awareness among communities and driven adoption.



Infrastructure available to support preservation, publication, curation and controlled access to meet a wide range of needs.



Over 15 million datasets registered with DataCite DataCite Commons commons.datacite.org

And still



Broad discoverability is not yet the norm for open data

Datasets	Description of the datasets
7,182,036	Total profiles in ORCID
12,686	Total profiles in ORCID with at least one dataset
80,555	Total distinct datasets in ORCID
4,284	Total profiles in ORCID with at least one dataset indexed to Zenodo, Dryad, Figshare or DataCite

Exploring the relevance of ORCID as a source of study of data sharing activities at the individual-level: a methodological discussion. arXiv:2105.11825

Research assessment frameworks focus heavily on publications & few include data

"I think one barrier to data sharing is the merit review process within institutions for tenure and promotion; things such as 'how many people accessed your dataset' are not valued".

Perrier L, Blondal E, MacDonald H (2020) The views, perspectives, and experiences of academic researchers with data sharing and reuse: A meta-synthesis. PLoS ONE 15(2): e0229182.

https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0229182

Cultivating Change Easy & Rewarding





Researcher Perceptions



Researchers still perceive data sharing as a burden that brings little professional benefit

We need to make it rewarding for researchers to share & cite data

"I don't have time. [...] It's not incentivized either [...] so why would I spend some time on something where it really amounts to no recognition [...]. People who are in this community might think I'm a good person [...] and that's fine. I can accept that. But I'm not going to track it, necessarily, because it doesn't amount to anything that's recognized."

Professor, Anesthesiology, Canada

Data Citations

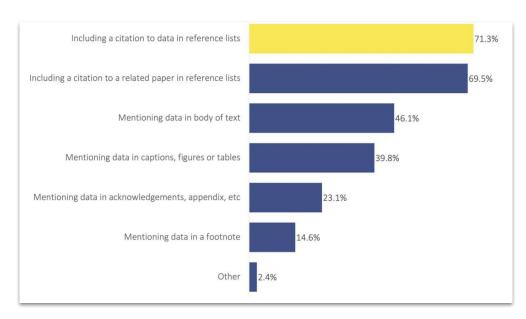


Provide a link between the dataset and another research object, pointing to the data being used

or reused

A useful step toward evaluation of data usage:

- Valued by researchers
- Existing workflows available for repositories & publishers
- Al tools developed to identify data citations



Make Data Count



Build open infrastructure and community-based standards

Advocate through outreach and adoption campaigns

Contextualize with evidence-based bibliometric studies







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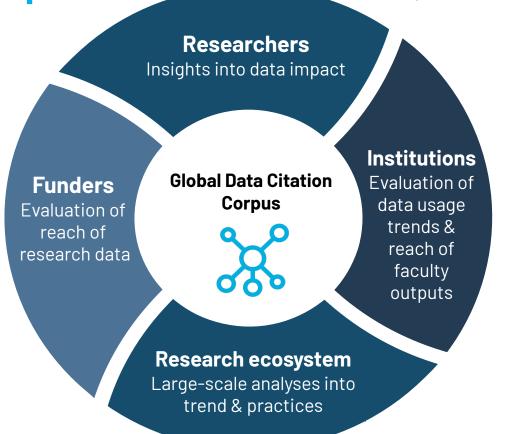
by the Make Data Count initiative. Lending expertise from various projects and research

The Data Citation Corpus

MAKE DATA Cite

Partnering across the community to support open and meaningful tools that provide insights on data usage

http://corpus.datacite.org/





Building on existing infrastructure Immediate priorities

- We have to stop focusing on altering publisher behavior
- Repositories can and should add citation links to dataset metadata
- Text mining and NLP must be used to expedite surfacing data citation
- Leverage open metadata, persistent identifiers, aggregate linkages not exposed





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Live, in-person only event.



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