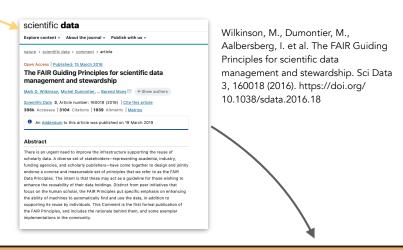




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#### https://www.nature.com/articles/sdata201618

#### **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 it describes
- F4. (meta)data are registered or indexed in a searchable resource

#### To be Accessible:

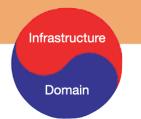
- A1. (meta)data are retrievable by their identifier using a standardized communications protocol
- A1.1 the protocol is open, free, and universally implementable
- A1.2 the protocol allows for an authentication and authorization procedure, where necessary
- A2. metadata are accessible, even when the data are no longer available

#### To be Interoperable:

- I1. (meta)data use a formal, accessible, shared, and broadly applicable language for knowledge representation.
- 12. (meta)data use vocabularies that follow FAIR principles
- 13. (meta)data include qualified references to other (meta)data

#### 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





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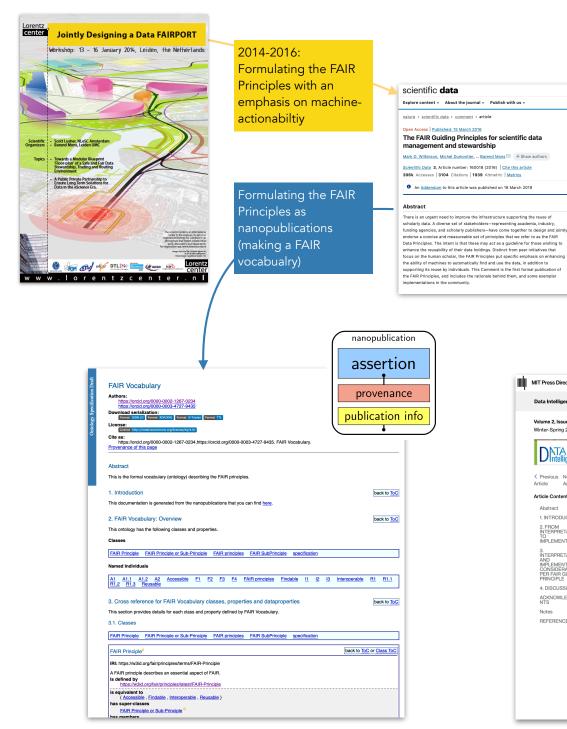
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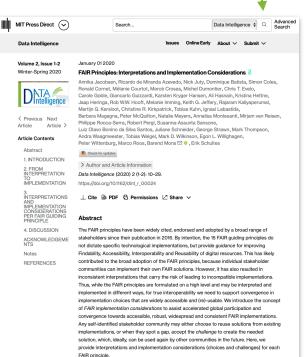
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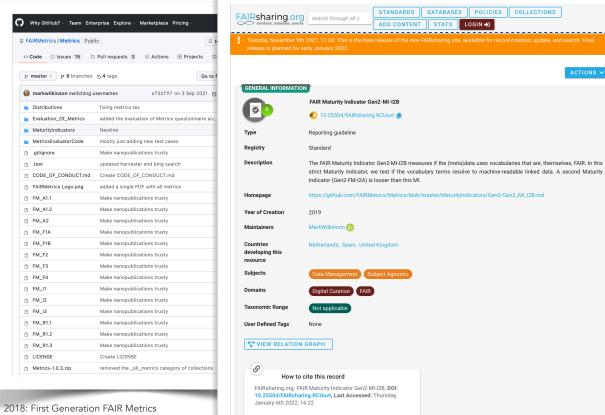
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Metrics (interpretations)

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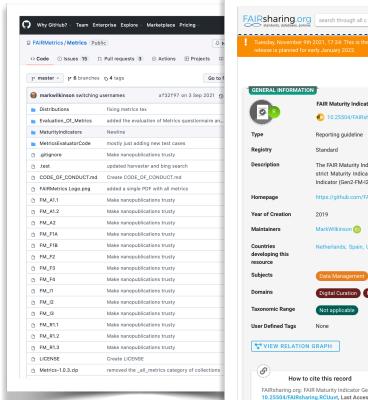
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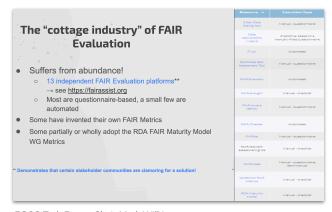


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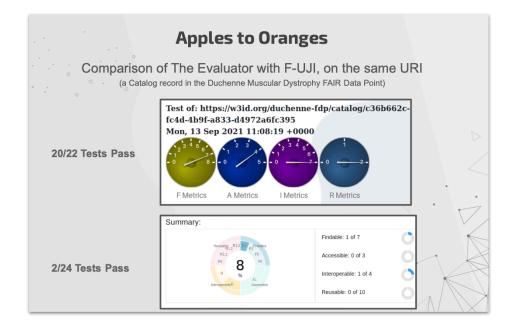


## The "cottage industry" of FAIR

- Suffers from abundance!
  - 13 independent FAIR Evaluation platforms\*\*

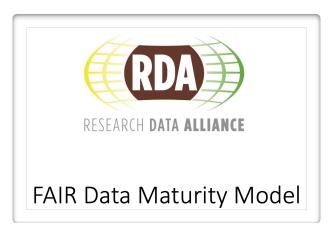
**Evaluation** 

- → see https://fairassist.org
- Most are questionnaire-based, a small few are automated
- Some have invented their own FAIR Metrics
- Some partially or wholly adopt the RDA FAIR Maturity Model WG Metrics
- Three NEW Evaluators appeared in the past few months!



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**Divergence**: caused by differing interpretations of the FAIR Principles and how to test them



https://www.rd-alliance.org/group/fair-data-maturity-model-wg/outcomes/fair-data-maturity-model-specification-and-guidelines-0

## The FAIR Data Maturity Model: An Approach to Harmonise FAIR Assessments

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#### **Abstract**

In the past years, many methodologies and tools have been developed to assess the FAIRness of research data. These different methodologies and tools have been based on various interpretations of the FAIR principles, which makes comparison of the results of the assessments difficult. The work in the RDA FAIR Data Maturity Model Working Group reported here has delivered a set of indicators with priorities and guidelines that provide a 'lingua franca' that can be used to make the results of the assessment using those methodologies and tools comparable. The model can act as a tool that can be used by various stakeholders, including researchers, data stewards, policy makers and funding agencies, to gain insight into the current FAIRness of data as well as into the aspects that can be improved to increase the potential for reuse of research data. Through increased efficiency and effectiveness, it helps research activities to solve societal challenges and to support evidence-based decisions. The Maturity Model is publicly available and the Working Group is encouraging application of the model in practice. Experience with the model will be taken into account in the further development of the model.

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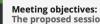
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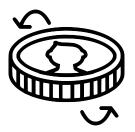
The proposed session will bring together people interested in the RDA FAIR Data Maturity Model (FDMM) and other FAIR assessment approaches, to discuss the FAIR DMM model implementation and its use in real life. In particular, we are focused on

- How to place the FDMM in the larger ecosystem?
- How can the FDMM be used to implement FAIR?
- How can the FDMM and your FAIR assessment method enable culture change around data and software sharing?
- What do you think is missing from the FDMM for your implementation, what are obstacles/constraints in your implementation?

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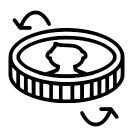


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For your community...

FAIR principle	Question	FAIR enabling resource types
F1	What globally unique, persistent, resolvable identifiers do you use for metadata records?	Identifier type
F1	What globally unique, persistent, resolvable identifiers do you use for datasets?	Identifier type
F2	Which metadata schemas do you use for findability?	Metadata schema
F3	What is the technology that links the persistent identifiers of your data to the metadata description?	Metadata-Data linking mechanism
F4	In which search engines are your metadata records indexed?	Search engines
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A1.1	Which standardized communication protocol do you use for metadata records?	Communication protocol
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A1.2	Which authentication & authorisation technique do you use for metadata records?	Authentication & authorisation technique
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A2	Which metadata longevity plan do you use?	Metadata longevity
11	Which knowledge representation languages (allowing machine interoperation) do you use for metadata records?	Knowledge representation language
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12	Which structured vocabularies do you use to annotate your metadata records?	Structured vocabularies
12	Which structured vocabularies do you use to encode your datasets?	Structured vocabularies
13	Which models, schema(s) do you use for your metadata records?	Metadata schema
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R1.1	Which usage license do you use for your metadata records?	Data usage license
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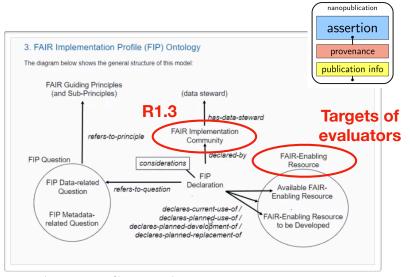
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FAIR Implementation Profile (FIP) Ontology https://peta-pico.github.io/FAIR-nanopubs/fip/index-en.html



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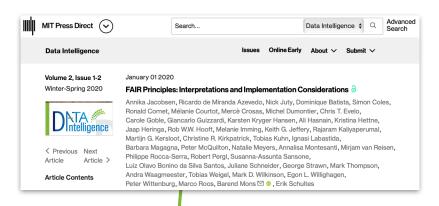
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- 4. Swiss National Science Foundation
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## CEDAR: Promoting FAIRness at the Source

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- explicit GFF interpretations
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- GFF recommended implementation choices





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#### How to GO FAIR by design

DRAFT for expert consultation

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#### Summary and motivation

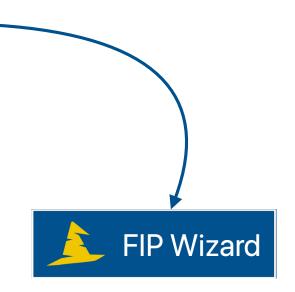
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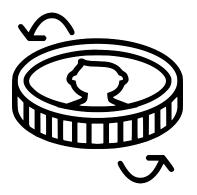
To set guarantees on minimal levels of interoperability and machine-actionability, the GO FAIR Foundation (GFF) encourages convergence on implementation choices that are themselves FAIR, widely accessible and (re)-usable. FAIR implementation choices should ensure interoperability, enable global participation aconvergence towards accessible, robust, widespread and consistent FAIR implementations. In this document, the GFF declares its own first-draft interpretations and implementation considerations striving for an Internet of FAIR Data and Services that achieves these objectives, and solicits from trusted FAIR experts

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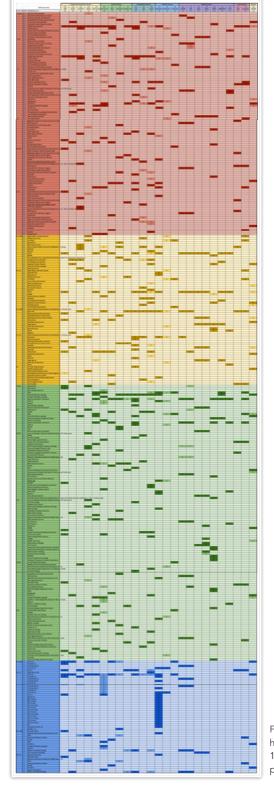
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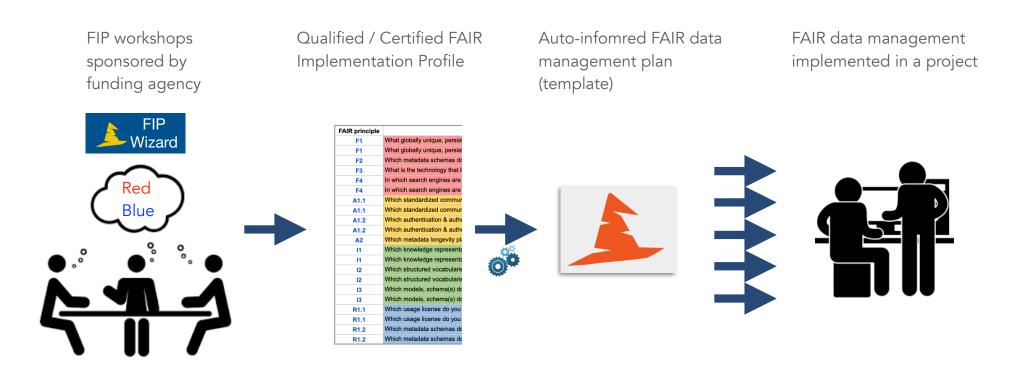
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### Convergence by Evaluation, FIPs & Practice

Rob Hooft: FAIR helps to make DMP decisions. Therefore this should be done before the project starts, rather than the end.

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Mapping the FIP onto the DMP Kristina Hettne, Leiden University Libraries, June 2020

