

Open, Metadata-Enriched, Non-Proprietary Data Format for Data Dissemination

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Why do we need open data format?

- Proprietary data formats jeopardize the principle of FAIR
- To reach a wider user group, data producers provide the same data in various formats, resulting tin higher costs.
- Different data formats, which are only partially compatible, represent an obstacle for the replication studies
- Metadata in pdf or in a web-based information system are inconvenience to use

NFDI- KonsortSWD

As part of the NFDI, KonsortSWD is expanding its services for research with data in the social, educational, behavioral and economic sciences. The mission is to develop – strengthen, widen, deepen – a research data infrastructure for the study of human society. KonsortSWD's PDM strateov aims to

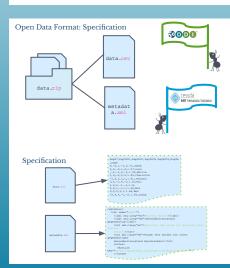
- provide researchers and research data centres (RDCs) with the tools and services they need for managing and sharing (new) sensitive and non-sensitive data in accordance with the FAIR principles.
- support sustainable RDM in all phases of the research data lifecycle.





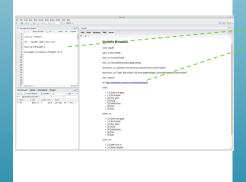
The open, metadata-enriched, non-proprietary data dissemination format(OpenDF) is a project of KonsortSWD, the NFDI consortium for the social, behavioural, educational and economic sciences. The project provides a non-proprietary Open Data Format enriched with multi-level metadata that is smoothly usable with popular statistical software.

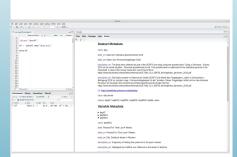














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