

cessda implements the FAIR principles: making data Findable, Accessible, Interoperable and Reusable.

In terms of CESSDA services, it will be the human factor that is decisive for success, irrespectively of the system and technology.

For the successful reuse of data, new users require training and data producers services to describe and make their data available.

Services available



cessda
DC Data Catalogue



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DMEG Data Management Expert Guide



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VS Vocabulary Service



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MP Metadata Profile

CESSDA's Services Timeline

| | Tools & Services | Data Users | Data Producers | Service Providers | Funders / Members |
|------|--|------------|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| 2018 | CESSDA Data Catalogue | ◆ | ◆ | ◆ | |
| | ELSST Multilingual Thesaurus | | | ◆ | |
| 2019 | CESSDA Vocabulary Service | | | ◆ | |
| | CESSDA European Question Bank | ◆ | ◆ | | |
| | CESSDA Quality Assurance | | | | ◆ |
| | CESSDA Self-Archiving | | ◆ | | |
| | Single Sign On / Easy Access | ◆ | ◆ | ◆ | |
| | CESSDA Access to Sensitive Data | ◆ | | | |
| 2020 | Social Sciences Data Exploration Tools | ◆ | | | |
| | Social Sciences Research Data Management | | ◆ | | |
| | CESSDA Data Tags | | ◆ | ◆ | |



Open science, FAIR data and trusted integrated platforms for scientific excellence and effectiveness in European research in the Social Sciences

The ecosystem of data infrastructures and services requires trust, transparency and quality of data and research processes, security and control.

CESSDA aims to be a key player in the Social Sciences domain providing:



A distributed, sustainable and trusted platform for researchers with tools and services to curate, publish and reuse research data in the Social Sciences.



Training for the Social Sciences' research community throughout the whole research life cycle.

Consortium of European Social Science Data Archives

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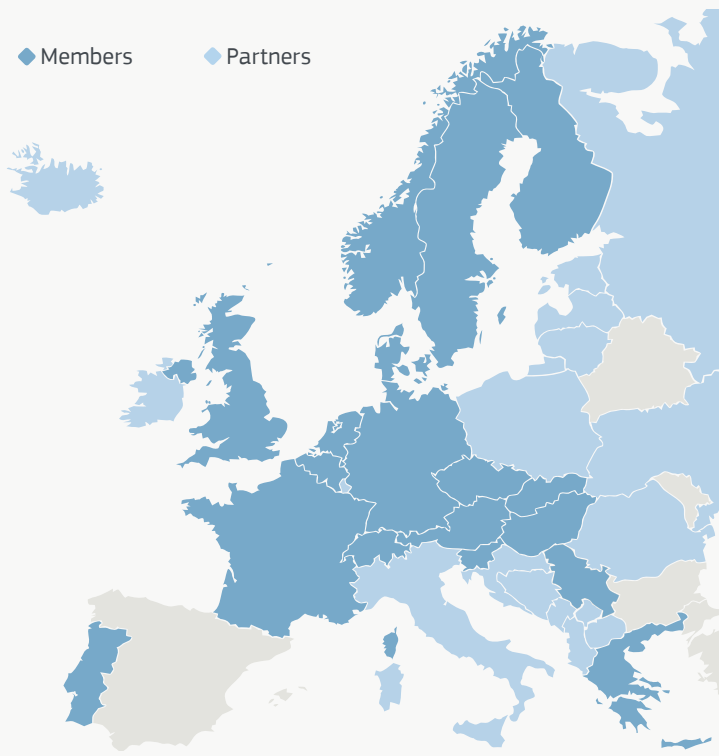
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Member States of the European Union, associated countries, third countries other than associated countries, and intergovernmental organisations can join CESSDA as a member or an observer.

Membership implies that a country assigns and supports a national service provider that will provide CESSDA services in their country and across Europe.



CESSDA's main goal is to increase the reuse of data in the Social Sciences domain or, to quote the European Commission: "moving from the current fragmentation to a situation where data is easy to store, find and reuse" [EC Staff Working Document 2018 (83)].

CESSDA's strategic lines

Trust

Sharing expertise among service providers

Training

Promoting open science and data skills of researchers

Tools & Services

Facilitating researchers as data producers and reusers

Technology

Building the platform infrastructure and driving consensus on standards on technology and (meta)data

What can cessedata offer its stakeholders?



For Data Producers:

- Support in archiving and sharing data
- Easy deposit of research data, secure storage and GDPR compliance
- Visibility and credits on reuse, data citation, safe reuse
- Compliance with funder requirements



For Researchers as Data Users:

- A common catalogue of user-friendly tools and services
- Tools for finding, seamlessly accessing and reusing relevant data – FAIR data
- Expert training on the reuse of data



For Service Providers:

- Reducing fragmentation and helping in developing and setting standards
- Sharing infrastructure and expertise with joint efforts using common technology
- Scaling and improving efficiency, sharing of metadata and tools
- Increasing visibility, supporting certification and trust in sharing and reusing data



For Member States:

- Increasing the scientific excellence and efficacy of European research in the Social Sciences
- Expanding easy access to data and metadata regardless of borders
- Providing a trusted and reliable research infrastructure for Social Science data
- Developing and sharing expertise at a pan-European level